

TABLE 4. IS distribution among bacterial groups

| Bacterial group                         | IS1 | IS3 | IS4 | IS5 | IS6 | IS21 | IS30 | IS66 | IS91 | IS110 | IS256 | IS605 | IS630 | IS982 | IS1380 | ISAs1 | ISL3 | NCY <sup>a</sup> | ND <sup>a</sup> | Total |
|---|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|------|------|------|------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|--------|-------|------|------------------|-----------------|-------|
| Spirochetes                             | 2   |     |     |     |     |      |      |      |      | 2     |       |       |       |       |        |       |      |                  | 4               |       |
| Vibrioid gram negative                  |     |     |     |     |     |      | 1    |      |      |       |       |       |       |       |        |       |      |                  | 2               |       |
| Curved gram negative                    |     |     |     |     |     |      |      |      |      |       |       |       |       |       |        |       |      |                  | 0               |       |
| Gram-negative rods and cocci            | 22  | 1   | 23  | 2   | 7   | 4    | 12   | 2    | 5    | 9     | 8     | 5     | 1     | 10    | 4      | 6     | 22   | 133              |                 |       |
| Facultatively anaerobic gram negative   | 14  | 22  | 8   | 19  | 7   | 5    | 4    | 5    | 3    | 1     | 12    | 1     | 1     | 6     | 2      | 22    | 120  |                  |                 |       |
| Anaerobic gram negative                 |     | 2   | 5   |     | 2   | 1    |      | 1    |      |       | 2     |       |       |       | 1      |       |      | 14               |                 |       |
| SO <sub>4</sub> or S reducing           |     |     |     |     |     |      |      |      |      |       |       |       |       |       |        |       |      | 0                |                 |       |
| Anaerobic gram-negative cocci           |     |     |     |     |     |      |      |      |      |       | 3     |       |       |       |        |       |      | 0                |                 |       |
| Rickettsiae and Chlamydiae              |     |     |     |     |     |      |      |      |      |       |       |       |       |       |        |       |      | 3                |                 |       |
| Anoxygenic phototrophs                  |     |     |     |     |     |      |      |      |      |       |       |       |       |       |        |       |      | 0                |                 |       |
| Oxygenic phototrophs                    |     | 3   | 3   | 1   |     |      | 1    |      |      |       | 2     | 2     |       |       | 1      | 1     | 4    | 17               |                 |       |
| Aerobic chemolithotrophs                |     |     |     |     |     |      |      |      |      |       | 1     |       |       |       |        |       |      | 2                |                 |       |
| Budding bacteria                        |     | 1   |     |     |     |      |      |      |      |       |       |       |       |       |        |       | 1    | 2                |                 |       |
| Sheathed bacteria                       |     |     |     |     |     |      |      |      |      |       |       |       |       |       |        |       |      | 0                |                 |       |
| Gliding bacteria                        |     |     |     |     | 2   |      |      |      |      |       |       |       |       |       |        |       |      | 2                |                 |       |
| Myxobacteria                            |     |     |     |     |     |      |      |      |      |       |       |       |       |       |        |       |      | 0                |                 |       |
| Gram-positive cocci                     | 7   | 5   | 28  |     | 7   |      |      |      | 5    | 1     | 4     |       |       | 9     | 3      |       |      | 69               |                 |       |
| Sporeforming gram positive              | 3   | 12  | 4   | 4   | 1   |      |      |      | 1    | 1     | 2     |       |       |       |        |       |      | 29               |                 |       |
| Regular nonsporeforming gram positive   | 3   | 2   |     |     |     |      |      |      | 1    |       | 1     |       |       | 1     |        |       |      | 8                |                 |       |
| Irregular nonsporeforming Gram positive | 1   |     | 1   |     |     |      |      |      |      | 2     |       |       |       | 4     |        | 1     | 9    |                  |                 |       |
| Mycobacteria                            | 5   | 1   | 1   | 1   | 2   |      |      |      | 4    | 9     |       |       |       | 1     | 1      |       |      | 25               |                 |       |
| Nocardioid actinomycetes                | 1   |     |     |     | 1   |      |      |      | 4    | 4     | 4     |       |       | 1     |        |       |      | 11               |                 |       |
| Multilocular actinomycetes              |     |     |     |     |     |      |      |      |      |       |       |       |       |       |        |       |      | 0                |                 |       |
| Actinoplanetes                          |     |     |     |     |     |      |      |      |      |       |       |       |       |       |        |       |      | 0                |                 |       |
| Streptomyces                            |     | 1   |     | 4   | 1   |      |      |      | 3    |       |       |       |       |       |        | 1     | 10   |                  |                 |       |
| Maduromyctes                            |     |     |     |     |     |      |      |      |      |       |       |       |       |       |        |       | 0    |                  |                 |       |
| Thermonosporas                          |     |     |     |     |     |      |      |      |      |       |       |       |       |       |        |       | 0    |                  |                 |       |
| Thermoactinomycetes                     |     |     |     |     |     |      |      |      |      |       |       |       |       |       |        |       | 0    |                  |                 |       |
| Other actinomycetes                     |     |     |     |     |     |      |      |      |      |       |       |       |       |       |        |       |      | 0                |                 |       |
| Mycoplasmas                             |     | 14  |     |     |     |      | 1    |      |      |       |       |       |       |       |        |       |      | 15               |                 |       |
| Methanogens                             |     |     |     |     |     |      |      |      |      |       |       |       |       |       | 1      |       |      | 1                |                 |       |
| Archaeal SO <sub>4</sub> reducers       |     |     |     |     |     |      |      |      |      |       |       |       |       |       |        |       |      | 0                |                 |       |
| Halobacteria                            |     | 14  | 3   |     |     |      |      |      |      |       | 1     |       |       |       |        | 2     | 2    | 22               |                 |       |
| Cell-wall-less archaeabacteria          |     |     |     |     |     |      |      |      |      |       |       |       |       |       |        |       |      | 0                |                 |       |
| Hyperthermophilic                       |     |     |     |     |     |      |      |      |      | 1     |       |       |       |       | 1      |       |      | 2                |                 |       |
| Total                                   | 14  | 82  | 41  | 68  | 45  | 21   | 19   | 12   | 8    | 20    | 33    | 25    | 12    | 7     | 6      | 12    | 21   | 33               | 500             |       |

<sup>a</sup> NCY, not classified; ND, sequence not determined.