

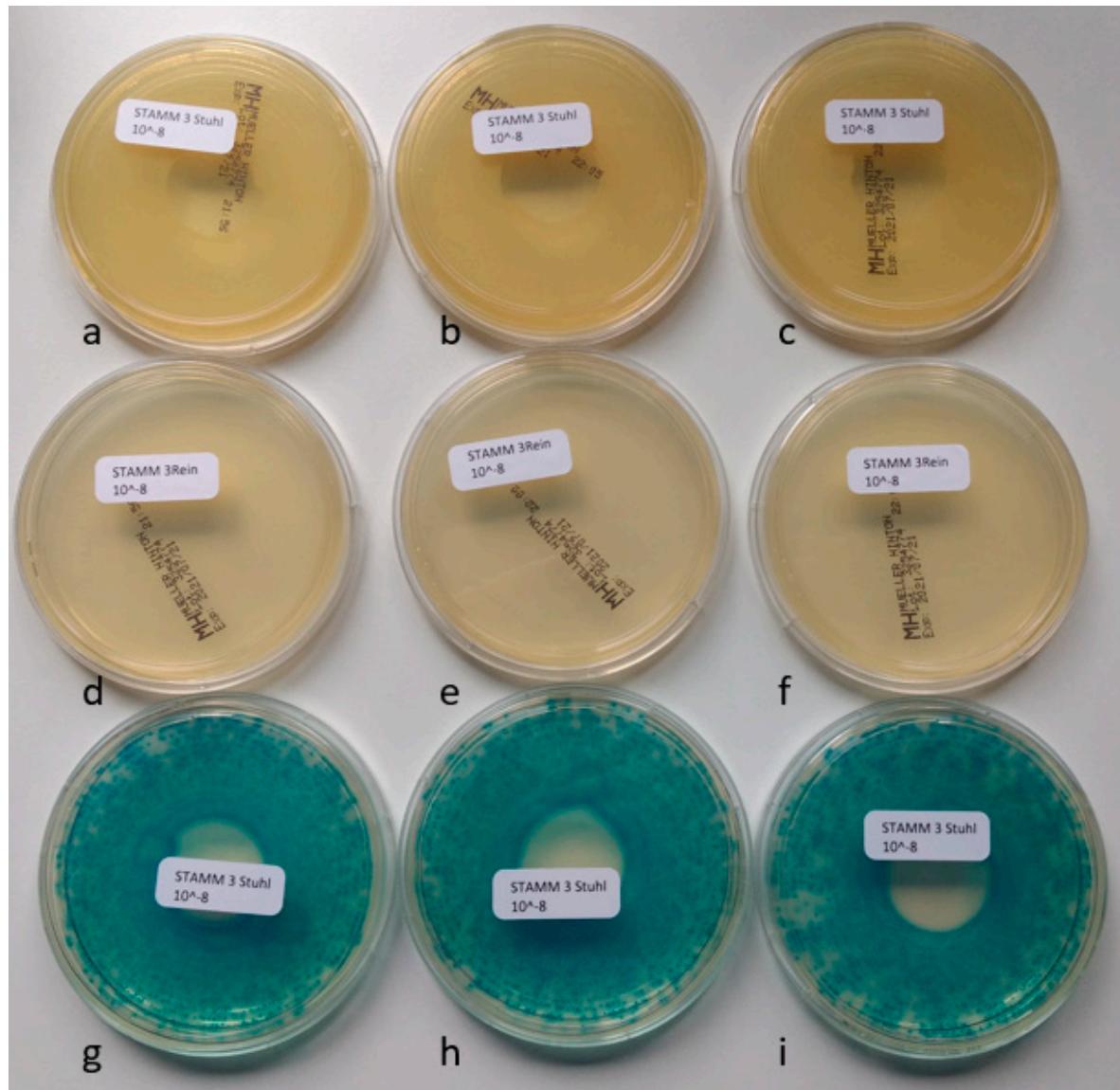
Comparison of Five Different Selective Agar for the Detection of Vancomycin-Resistant *Enterococcus faecium*

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Supplementary Data

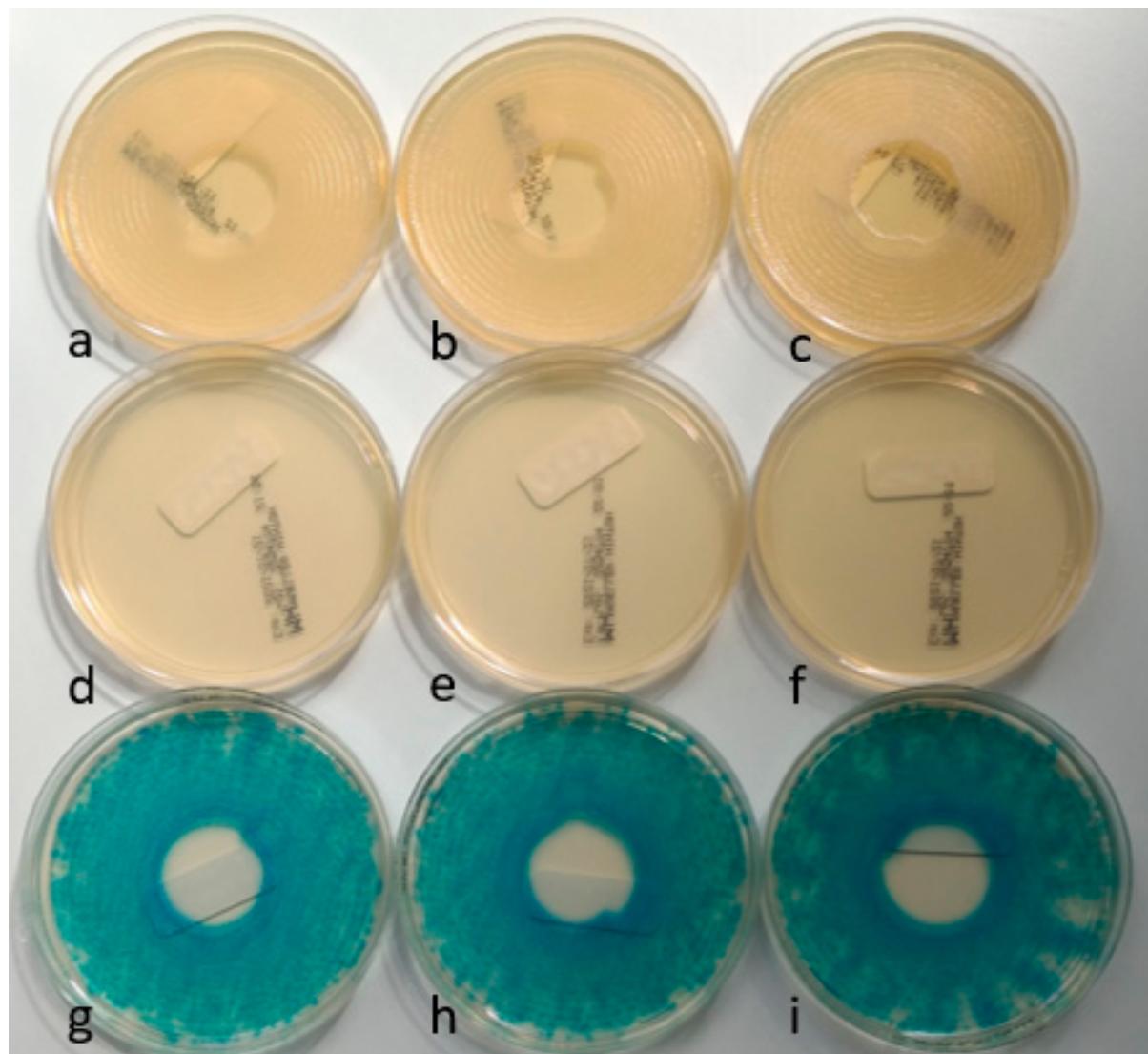
Supplementary Figure S1:

Exemplary presentation of serial dilution in biological triplicates for determination of limit of detection (LoD) (frontside of agar plates); a-b: isolate 3, stool suspension 1.5×10^{-8} on Mueller-Hinton agar; d-f: isolate 3, pure culture 1.5×10^{-8} on Mueller-Hinton agar; g-i: isolate 3, stool suspension 1.5×10^{-8} on Chromatic™ VRE (Liofilchem®)



Supplementary Figure S2:

Exemplary presentation of serial dilution in biological triplicates for determination of limit of detection (LoD) (backside of agar plates); a-b: isolate 3, stool suspension 1.5×10^{-8} on Mueller-Hinton agar; d-f: isolate 3, pure culture 1.5×10^{-8} on Mueller-Hinton agar; g-i: isolate 3, stool suspension 1.5×10^{-8} on Chromatic™ VRE (Liofilchem®)



Supplementary Figure S3:

Exemplary presentation of serial dilution of isolate 3 in a stool suspension for determination of limit of detection (LoD) on Chromatic™ VRE (Liofilchem®) (frontside of agar plates); a: 1.5×10^{-2} ; b: 1.5×10^{-4} ; c: 1.5×10^{-6} ; d: 1.5×10^{-8} ; e: 1.5×10^{-10} ; f: 1.5×10^{-12}

