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Macrocooccus caseolyticus

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National Cancer Institute. *Macrocooccus caseolyticus*. NCI Thesaurus. Code C86506.

A species of anaerobic, Gram positive, large cocci shaped bacteria assigned to the phylum Firmicutes. This species is nonmotile, nonhemolytic, produces acid from maltose, beta D fructose and D trehalose, reduces nitrate, produces acetoin, catalase and oxidase positive and urease negative. M. caseolyticus is a nonpathogenic, commensal organism of the skin and is commonly isolated from foods such as meat and cheese.