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Citrobacter amalonaticus

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National Cancer Institute. *Citrobacter amalonaticus*. NCI Thesaurus. Code C86262.

A species of facultatively anaerobic, gram negative, rod shaped bacteria assigned to the phylum Proteobacteria. This species is motile by peritrichous flagella, oxidase negative, produces acid from fermentation, utilizes citrate as a carbon source, indole positive and negative for H₂S production. *C. amalonaticus* is most commonly found in feces, soil, water and sewage and is an opportunistic pathogen causing urinary tract infections, bacteremia and other systemic infections.