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Tsukamurella paurometabolum

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Source

National Cancer Institute. *Tsukamurella paurometabolum*. NCI Thesaurus. Code C86829.

A species of aerobic, Gram positive, rod shaped bacteria assigned to the phylum Actinobacteria. This species is catalase, urease, and beta galactosidase positive, and acid phosphatase and arylsulfatase negative. T. paurometabolum is found in soil and is a rare cause of bacteremia associated with long term catheter use.