

Supplementary Information

Identification of *Mammaliicoccus fleurettii* as the source of a methicillin-resistance gene in a First Nation reserve lake in Manitoba, Canada

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Table S1: PCR primers used in this study.

Primer	Sequence (5'-3')	Reference
rpoB forward	CAATTCCATGGACCAAGC	1
rpoB reverse	CCGTCCCCAAGTCATGAAAC	
mecA forward	AACAGGTGAATTATTAGCACTTGTAAAG	2
mecA reverse	ATTGCTGTTAACATATTTTGAGTTGAA	
nuc foward	GCGATTGATGGTGATACGGTT	3
nuc reverse	AGCCAAGCCTTGACGAACCAAAGC	

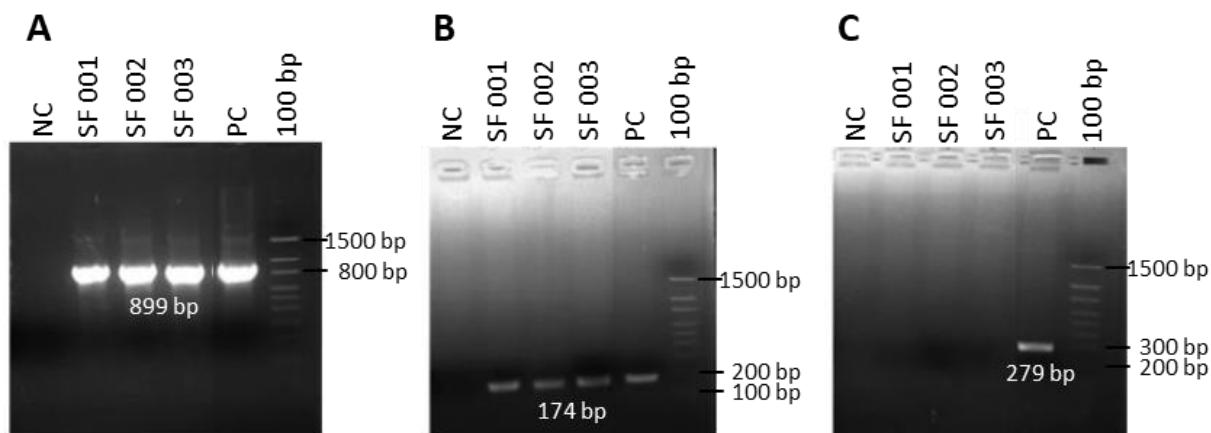


Figure S1: Agarose gel electrophoresis of PCR amplicons for genotypic analysis of bacterial isolates SF 001, SF 002, and SF 003. **(A)** *Staphylococcus* species-specific *rpoB* (RNA polymerase β subunit); **(B)** methicillin-resistance *mecA* (penicillin binding protein 2a); **(C)** *S. aureus*-specific *nuc* (thermonuclease). All gels from left to right: NC - negative control (no DNA template); SF 001; SF 002; SF 003; PC - positive control (*S. aureus* HA-MRSA 100697 genomic DNA); 100-base pair (bp) molecular marker (Biobasic).

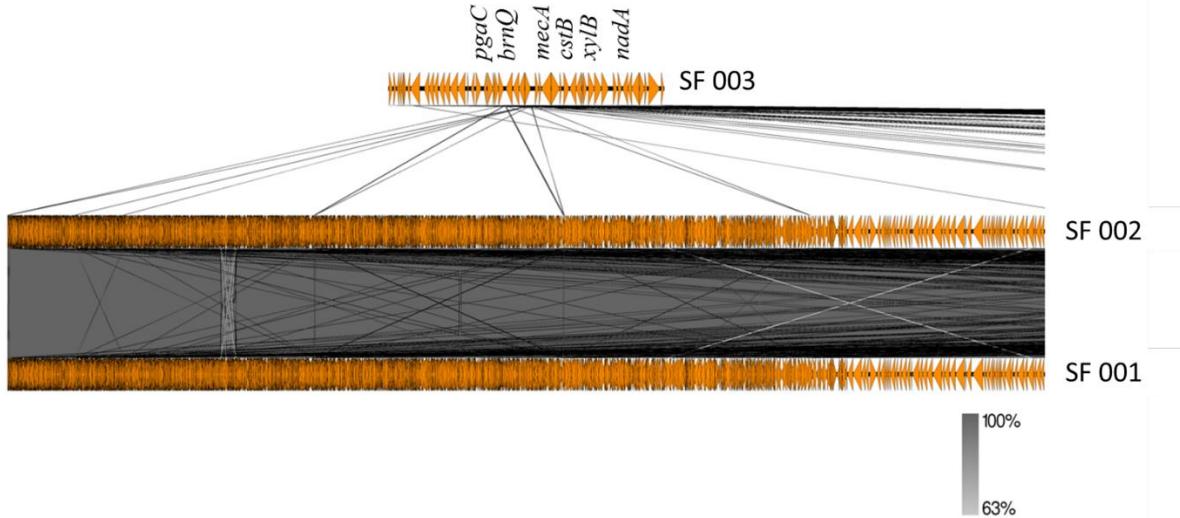


Figure S2: Genomic organization of the *mecA* gene locus of each *Mammaliicoccus fleurettii* isolate (SF001, SF002, and SF003) in this study and comparison of the locus-containing *mecA* gene complex among the isolates. Arrows indicate the translation orientation of the coding genes (EasyFig (4)).

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