Rapid identification of pathogens, resistance genes and plasmids for blood stream infection diagnosis using nanopore sequencing

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Supplementary Material

Supplementary Figures

Supplementary Figure 1. DNA extraction results for comparison of the two methods used. Concentrations were measured using the Qubit dsDNA HS assay system. Mean with standard error of the mean (SEM) are indicated by horizontal lines and error bars, respectively.



Supplementary Figure 2. Distribution of read lengths of sequence data from nanopore sequencing of DNA purified from blood cultures. Red dashed line denotes typical Illumina single end read length of 300 bp; n denotes number of reads with length below/above 300 bp.



Supplementary Figure 3. BLAST search of the *Salmonella enterica* Centrifuge-assigned reads through the NCBI RefSeq database



Supplementary Figure 4. Taxonomy assignment of spiked blood cultures. A. BLAST search against the RefProk database of the first output file approx. 10 minutes after the sequencing start. B. Centrifuge assignment of the first 15 output files.













Supplementary Figure 5. Number of various CTX-M variants that were detected by BLAST search of the raw MinION sequencing reads through the CARD and ResFinder resistance genes databases. L – length in base pairs (bp); ID – similarity to the database entry, %





Supplementary Figure 6. Centrifuge taxonomy assignment of Illumina sequencing reads

E.coli A2-39

K. pneumoniae A2-37

Supplementary Figure 7. Mapping of the *Shigella* identified reads to the hybrid assembly of *Escherichia coli* A2-39



Supplementary Tables

Isolate	Sequencing data	Number of contigs	total length, bp	Longest contig, bp	N50, bp
E. coli (A2-39)	MinION	79	6 675 137	2 133 209	714 352
	Illumina	803	6 145 589	203 165	87 318
	MinION+Illumina	60	5 973 956	2 757 734	996 338
K. pneumoniae (A2-37)	MinION	42	661 270	59 663	17 750
	Illumina	1763	6 516 794	489 097	173 565
	MinION+Illumina	28	5 562 393	2 952 449	2 952 449
K. pneumoniae (A2-23)	MinION	158	4 119 608	123 525	35 892
	Illumina	878	6 208 496	587 610	186 930
	MinION+Illumina	15	5 562 393	2 952 449	2 952 449

Supplementary Table 1. Assembly statistics

Supplementary Table 2. PlasmidFinder search of the *de novo* hybrid assemblies.

	PlasmidFinder			
Bacterial culture	Plasmid type	Query/ HSP length, bp	Identity, %	
	IncHI2	327/327	100	
E. coli (A2-39)	IncHI2A	630/630	99.5	
	p0111	885/885	98.9	
	IncFII	258/261	100	
K. pneumoniae (A2-37)	IncFIA(HI1)	388/388	97.2	
	IncFIB(K)	560/560	98.8	