

Table 4. Positivity of cultured ascites according to the colony quantities in cultured ileal feces

Growth of Ileal feces	Ileal feces, n (%)	Positive ascites, n (%)
No growth (lower limit of detection) (-)	47 (35.9)	2/47 (4.3)
Single colonies/growth from broth (\pm)	67 (51.1)	25/67 (37.3)
Sparse growth (1+)	8 (6.1)	5/8 (62.5)
Moderate growth (2+)	6 (4.6)	4/6 (66.7)
Abundant growth (3+)	3 (2.3)	3/3 (100)