**Table a**. cfu/mL of *Lactobacillus* spp. grown on MRS agar after 48 h

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| **Sample** | **Source** | **Number of colonies** | **CFU/ml** |
| 1 | yoghurt | 88 | 88 ×105 |
| 2 | Feta cheese | 62 | 62×105 |
| 3 | Kafir cheese | 57 | 57×105 |
| 4 | Turkey cheese | 75 | 75×105 |
| 5 | Black olives pickle | 47 | 47×105 |
| 7 | Green olives pickle | TMTC | TMTC |
| 8 | Cucumber pickle | 50 | 50×105 |