

**Table S1.** Comparative zones of inhibition (mm) produced by bacteria against different antibiotics.

<b>Antibiotic</b>	<b><i>E. coli</i></b>	<b><i>S. aureus</i></b>	<b>Mixed Culture (<i>E. coli</i> + <i>S. aureus</i>)</b>
Imipenem	16.33 ± 1.528 <sup>a</sup>	21.00 ± 1.00 <sup>ab</sup>	23.0 ± 3.00 <sup>b</sup>
Amikacin	11.00 ± 1.00 <sup>a</sup>	15.66 ± 1.528 <sup>b</sup>	9.33 ± 1.52 <sup>b</sup>
Oxytetracycline	10.00 ± 1.00 <sup>a</sup>	12.67 ± 2.08 <sup>ab</sup>	8.33 ± 1.52 <sup>b</sup>
Ampicillin	14.33 ± 1.52 <sup>a</sup>	12.67 ± 2.08 <sup>b</sup>	20.33 ± 1.52 <sup>b</sup>
Gentamicin	22.67 ± 2.52 <sup>a</sup>	33.67 ± 16.4 <sup>a</sup>	10.33 ± 1.52 <sup>b</sup>
Erythromycin	5.66 ± 1.52 <sup>a</sup>	5.00 ± 1.00 <sup>a</sup>	0.00 ± 0.00 <sup>b</sup>
Ciprofloxacin	10.00 ± 2.00 <sup>a</sup>	17.00 ± 2.65 <sup>b</sup>	5.00 ± 1.00 <sup>b</sup>
Penicillin	17.67 ± 2.52 <sup>a</sup>	19.33 ± 4.04 <sup>ab</sup>	11.33 ± 1.52 <sup>b</sup>

Different superscripts within a row indicate a significant difference ( $p < 0.05$ ).