

# Tethybacterales

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## Order *Tethybacterales*

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### Etymology

[Te.thy.bac.te.ra'les] L. **masc. n.** *Tethybacter*, referring to the type genus *Tethybacter*; *-ales*, ending to denote an order; **N.L. fem. pl. n.** *Tethybacterales*, the *Tethybacter* order

### Nomenclatural type

Genus *Tethybacter*

### Description

Marine, heterotrophic, symbiotic bacteria

### Classification

*Bacteria* » *Pseudomonadota* » *Gammaproteobacteria* » *Tethybacterales*

### References

Effective publication: Taylor et al., 2021 [1]

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## Family *Tethybacteraceae*

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Genus *Tethybacter*

### Description

Heterotrophic, symbiotic bacteria of marine sponges

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## Genus *Tethybacter*

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### Etymology

[Te.thy.bac'ter] **N.L. pref.** *Tethy-*, an arbitrarily formed prefix to refer to Tethys, the mother of the Greek oceanids, and the sponge genus *Tethya*, the host of the first discovered members of this taxon; **N.L. masc. n.** *bacter*, a rod; **N.L. masc. n.** *Tethybacter*, a bacterial genus referring to Tethys and discovered initially from the host *Tethya* stolonifera

**Nomenclatural type**

Species *Tethybacter castelli*<sup>Ts</sup>

**Description**

Heterotrophic, symbiotic bacteria of marine sponges

**Classification**

*Bacteria* » *Pseudomonadota* » *Gammaproteobacteria* » *Tethyobacteriales* » *Tethyobacteraceae* » *Tethybacter*

**References**

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**Species *Tethybacter castelli*<sup>Ts</sup>**

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**Etymology**

[cas'tel.li] L. gen. n. *castelli*, originating from a fort, referring to Bare Island at Botany Bay, NSW, Australia.

**Nomenclatural type**

[NCBI Assembly: GCA\\_036679665.1](#)<sup>Ts</sup>

**Description**

Heterotrophic, symbiotic bacteria of the marine sponge *Cymbastela concentrica*.

**Classification**

*Bacteria* » *Pseudomonadota* » *Gammaproteobacteria* » *Tethyobacteriales* » *Tethyobacteraceae* » *Tethybacter* » *Tethybacter castelli*<sup>Ts</sup>

**References**

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**References**

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