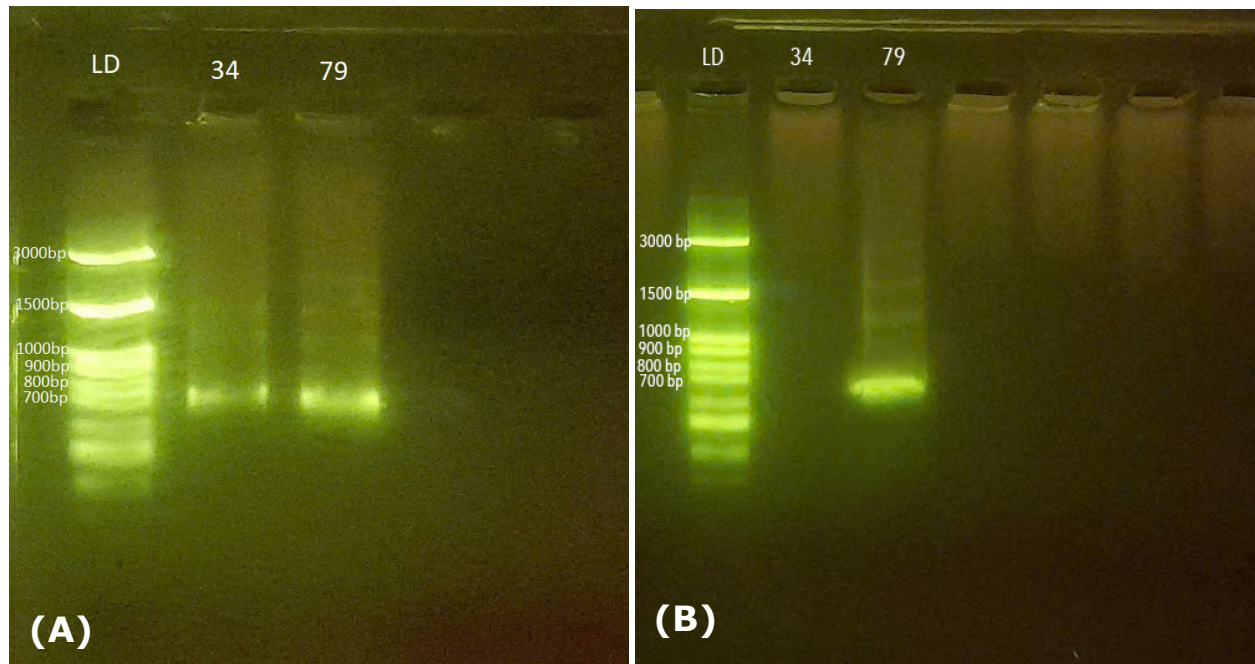


Supplementary Figure



Supplementary Figure S1 Agarose gel electrophoresis analysis for molecular identification. (A) PCR amplification product of the *collagenase* gene showing the specific band at 737 bp; (B) PCR amplification product of the 16S rRNA gene showing the expected band at approximately 700 bp. Lane LD: DNA ladder (marker); Lanes 34, 79: Amplified products from the isolated strains of 34 and 79