Table 1. Summary of the primer pairs used to generate the 16S rRNA gene fragment fragments and the characteristics of each region.

Region	Forward	Reverse	E. coli Coordinates	Amplicon Length	Sequences (N)
V4	GTGCCAGCMGCCGCGGTAA	GGACTACHVGGGTWTCTAAT	515-806	253	21,934
V1-V3	AGRGTTTGATYMTGGCTCAG	ATTACCGCGGCTGCTGG	8-534	490	36,545
V3-V5	CCTACGGGAGGCAGCAG	CCCGTCAATTCMTTTRAGT	341-927	551	16,694
V1-V5	AGRGTTTGATYMTGGCTCAG	CCCGTCAATTCMTTTRAGT	8-927	881	51,759
V1-V6	AGRGTTTGATYMTGGCTCAG	ACRACACGAGCTGACGAC	8-1078	1033	64,599
V1-V9	AGRGTTTGATYMTGGCTCAG	GGYTACCTTGTTACGACTT	8-1510	1464	61,721