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### RESEARCH ARTICLE

## The Diversity of Sulfide Oxidation and Sulfate Reduction Genes Expressed by the Bacterial Communities of the Cariaco Basin, Venezuela

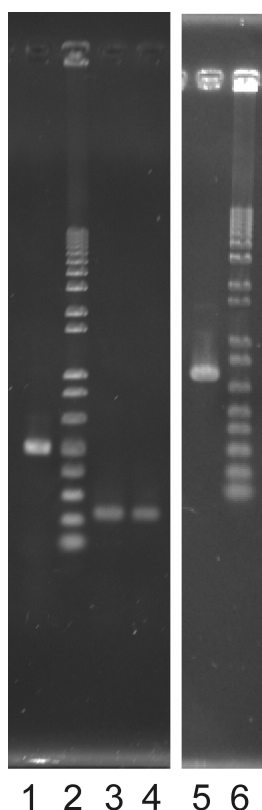
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**Supp. (1).** A photograph of gels loaded with PCR amplified fragments of the *sqr* and *dsrA* genes. Lane 1: an amplicon generated by the SQR-G1-475FM and SQR-G1-964R primers; lanes 2 and 6: 1 Kb Plus DNA Ladder (Invitrogen, Carlsbad, CA); lanes 3 and 4: an amplicon generated by the *dsrA*1FM and *dsr*225R1 primers; line 5: an amplicon generated by the SQR-G4-140FB and SQR-G4-840RM primers.