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# Molecular Epidemiology of Underreported Emerging Zoonotic Pathogen *Streptococcus suis*, Europe

## Appendix

### I. Questionnaire requesting patient and isolate data of *S. suis* infections.

Below are listed the questionnaire and supplied response options. Variables included region of coverage of the laboratory and population demographics (general information) as well as information on isolate and patient metadata. If predetermined response was not provided, responder was able to fill out the adequate response. If willing, laboratories were requested to send their isolates for future research.

1. General information
  - a. What is the region covered by your reference laboratory?
  - b. What is the population size for the above stated region?
  - c. If known, what is the size of the population at risk\* for the above stated region?
  - d. If known, what is the size of the pig population for the above stated region?
- \*The population at risk in Europe is defined as the population that includes all pig farmers, butchers, slaughterhouse workers, and hunters of wild boar.
2. Information on *Streptococcus suis*
  - a. Is *S. suis* infection a notifiable disease in your country? (Y/N)
  - b. What is the total number of *S. suis* cases notified to your laboratory from 1990 to date?
  - c. If applicable, when was the first notified case of *S. suis* in your country? (dd/mm/yyyy)
3. Patient information



Isolate information							
Isolate ID	Date of isolation	Isolated from	Isolate available	Identification method	Serotype	MLST sequence type	Whole genome sequenced
1							
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Variables including definitions and provided response options:

- Isolate ID  
Definition: ID or number assigned to an incoming patient sample, i.e. liquor, blood or other.  
Response input: variable according to reference laboratory-specific format.
- Date of isolation  
Definition: Date the sample arrived at the ref lab  
Response format: dd-mm-yyyy
- Isolated from  
Definition: source of harvest of isolate or sample from patient.  
Response options: CSF/ Blood / Other, namely
- Isolate available  
Definition: is the isolate stored in the ref lab and available to eventually send for follow-up.  
Response options: Yes/ No
- Identification method  
Definition: method via which bacterial typing was done.  
Response options: API Strep/ MALDI-TOF/ PCR, please specify target/ VITEK/ WGS/ If other, specify.
- Serotype  
Definition: known *S. suis* serotypes to date, i.e. 1, 1/2, 2, ..., 34.  
Response options: Please enter numerical value; options: 1, ½, 2, ..., 34/ Undetermined.
- Sequence type  
Definition: *S. suis* sequence type determined by MLST  
Response format: If determined, fill out value.
- Whole genome sequenced  
Definition: if whole genome sequencing has been performed  
Response options: Yes/ N

5. Follow-up

Would you be willing to ship *S. suis* isolates to the Dutch National Reference Laboratory for further analysis through whole genome sequencing? (Y/N)

## II. Searches

### Search Queries used in the Systematic review

#### PubMed Query

("Streptococcus suis" [MESH] OR "Streptococcus suis" [TIAB]) AND (human [MESH] OR human [TIAB] ) AND ((Albania [MESH] OR Albania [TIAB]) OR (Andorra [MESH] OR Andorra [TIAB]) OR (Armenia [MESH] OR Armenia [TIAB]) OR (Austria [MESH] OR Austria [TIAB]) OR (Azerbaijan [MESH] OR Azerbaijan [TIAB]) OR (Belarus [MESH] OR Belarus [TIAB]) OR (Belgium [MESH] OR Belgium [TIAB]) OR ("Bosnia and Herzegovina" [MESH] OR "Bosnia and Herzegovina" [TIAB]) OR (Bulgaria [MESH] OR Bulgaria [TIAB]) OR (Croatia [MESH] OR Croatia [TIAB]) OR (Cyprus [MESH] OR Cyprus [TIAB]) OR (Czechia [MESH] OR Czechia [TIAB]) OR ("Czech Republic" [MESH] OR "Czech Republic" [TIAB]) OR (Denmark [MESH] OR Denmark [TIAB]) OR (Estonia [MESH] OR Estonia [TIAB]) OR (Finland [MESH] OR Finland [TIAB]) OR (France [MESH] OR France [TIAB]) OR (Germany [MESH] OR Germany [TIAB]) OR (Georgia [MESH] OR Georgia [TIAB]) OR (Greece [MESH] OR Greece [TIAB]) OR (Hungary [MESH] OR Hungary [TIAB]) OR (Iceland [MESH] OR Iceland [TIAB]) OR (Ireland [MESH] OR Ireland [TIAB]) OR (Israel [MESH] OR Israel [TIAB]) OR (Italy [MESH] OR Italy [TIAB]) OR (Kazakhstan [MESH] OR Kazakhstan [TIAB]) OR (Kosovo [MESH] OR Kosovo [TIAB]) OR (Latvia [MESH] OR Latvia [TIAB]) OR (Liechtenstein [MESH] OR Liechtenstein [TIAB]) OR (Lithuania [MESH] OR Lithuania

[TIAB]) OR (Luxembourg [MESH] OR Luxembourg [TIAB]) OR (Macedonia [MESH] OR Macedonia [TIAB]) OR (Malta [MESH] OR Malta [TIAB]) OR (Moldova [MESH] OR Moldova [TIAB]) OR (Monaco [MESH] OR Monaco [TIAB]) OR (Montenegro [MESH] OR Montenegro [TIAB]) OR (Netherlands [MESH] OR Netherlands [TIAB]) OR (Norway [MESH] OR Norway [TIAB]) OR (Poland [MESH] OR Poland [TIAB]) OR (Portugal [MESH] OR Portugal [TIAB]) OR (Romania [MESH] OR Romania [TIAB]) OR (Russia [MESH] OR Russia [TIAB]) OR ("Russian Federation" [MESH] OR "Russian Federation" [TIAB]) OR ("San Marino" [MESH] OR "San Marino" [TIAB]) OR (Serbia [MESH] OR Serbia [TIAB]) OR (Slovakia [MESH] OR Slovakia [TIAB]) OR (Slovenia [MESH] OR Slovenia [TIAB]) OR (Spain [MESH] OR Spain [TIAB]) OR (Sweden [MESH] OR Sweden [TIAB]) OR (Switzerland [MESH] OR Switzerland [TIAB]) ) OR (Tajikistan [MESH] OR Tajikistan [TIAB]) OR (Turkey [MESH] OR Turkey [TIAB]) OR (Turkmenistan [MESH] OR Turkmenistan [TIAB]) OR (Ukraine [MESH] OR Ukraine [TIAB]) OR ("United Kingdom" [MESH] OR "United Kingdom" [TIAB]) OR (England [MESH] OR England [TIAB]) OR (Wales [MESH] OR Wales [TIAB]) OR (Scotland [MESH] OR Scotland [TIAB]) OR ("Northern Ireland" [MESH] OR "Northern Ireland" [TIAB]) OR (Faroes [MESH] OR Faroes [TIAB]) OR ("Vatican City" [MESH] OR "Vatican City" [TIAB])

**Web of Science Query**

("Streptococcus suis" and human) AND (Albania OR Andorra OR Armenia OR Austria OR Azerbaijan OR Belarus OR Belgium OR "Bosnia and Herzegovina" OR Bulgaria OR Croatia OR Cyprus OR Czechia OR "Czech Republic" OR Denmark OR Estonia OR Finland OR France

OR Germany OR Georgia OR Greece OR Hungary OR Iceland OR Ireland OR Israel OR Italy  
OR Kazakhstan OR Kosovo OR Latvia OR Liechtenstein OR Lithuania OR Luxembourg OR  
Macedonia OR Malta OR Moldova OR Monaco OR Montenegro OR Netherlands OR Norway  
OR Poland OR Portugal OR Romania OR Russia OR "Russian Federation" OR "San Marino"  
OR Serbia OR Slovakia OR Slovenia OR Spain OR Sweden OR Switzerland OR Tajikistan OR  
Turkey OR Turkmenistan OR Ukraine OR "United Kingdom" OR England OR Wales OR  
Scotland OR "Northern Ireland" OR Faroes OR "Vatican City")

### **Scopus Query**

TITLE-ABS-KEY ( "Streptococcus suis" ) AND TITLE-ABS-KEY ( human ) AND ( TITLE-  
ABS-KEY ( Albania OR Andorra OR Armenia OR Austria OR Azerbaijan OR Belarus  
OR Belgium OR "Bosnia and Herzegovina" OR Bulgaria OR Croatia OR Cyprus OR  
Czechia OR "Czech Republic" OR Denmark OR Estonia OR Finland OR France OR  
Germany OR Georgia OR Greece OR Hungary OR Iceland OR Ireland OR Israel OR  
Italy OR Kazakhstan OR Kosovo OR Latvia OR Liechtenstein OR Lithuania OR  
Luxembourg OR Macedonia OR Malta OR Moldova OR Monaco OR Montenegro OR  
Netherlands OR Norway OR Poland OR Portugal OR Romania OR Russia OR "Russian  
Federation" OR "San Marino" OR Serbia OR Slovakia OR Slovenia OR Spain OR  
Sweden OR Switzerland OR Tajikistan OR Turkey OR Turkmenistan OR Ukraine OR  
"United Kingdom" OR England OR Wales OR Scotland OR "Northern Ireland" OR  
Faroes OR "Vatican City" )

### III. Whole Genome Sequencing and Genome Assembly

#### Whole-genome sequencing

Out of 110 *S. suis* isolates identified in the reference laboratory survey, 24 had been previously sequenced, 40 isolates were not available for sequencing and 46 isolates were available and shared for sequencing (Appendix Figure 1). Isolates were initially grown overnight on sheep blood agar plates to test for contaminations and cultured overnight in Todd Hewitt Broth with 0.5% Yeast extract (THY), both at 37 °C. Genomic DNA was extracted using the Wizard Genomic DNA Purification Kit (Promega, Madison, WI, USA) and DNA concentration was measured with Qubit using the dsDNA HS Assay Kit as well as the BR Assay Kit (Thermo Fisher Scientific Corporation, Eugene, OR, USA). Library preparation was performed using the KAPA HTP Library preparation kit (Roche, Basel, Switzerland). Pooled libraries were sequenced with the Reagent Kit v3 using paired-end Illumina MiSeq.

#### Genome Assembly

Unless otherwise specified, bioinformatic tools were used with the default settings. Raw sequencing reads were preprocessed using fastp v0.20.0 with the “--disable\_length\_filtering” flag (1) and Kraken2 with the MiniKraken2 database was used to confirm the taxonomical identification of the *S. suis* isolates (2). Draft genomes were assembled from the filtered Illumina reads using Shovill (v1.0.9 <https://github.com/tseemann/shovill>) with SPAdes v3.14.1 (3) and the quality of the draft genomes was evaluated with QUAST v5.0.2 (4). Genome annotation was carried out using Prokka v1.14.6 (5). *In silico* serotyping was performed feeding the processed Illumina reads into the *S. suis* serotyping pipeline (6). For isolate H143440710, the pipeline

could not distinguish between serotypes 1 and 14, therefore, the *cpsK* gene was Sanger sequenced using the BigDye™ Terminator v1.1 Cycle Sequencing Kit (Thermo Fisher Scientific Corporation, Eugene, OR, USA) to resolve its serotype. Primers used to distinguish between serotypes 1 and 14 are in Appendix Table 1.

#### **IV. Incidence estimates of human *S. suis* infections in European countries with at least 5 cases between 2005 and 2013.**

The incidence of human *S. suis* infections was estimated for all European countries with at least 5 *S. suis* cases reported in the survey or literature review cases between 2005 and 2013. The size of the population at risk was estimated based on the Eurostat Agricultural census (81). The agricultural census contained data regarding the number of agricultural holdings, pig specialised holdings and the size of the agricultural labour force for 2005, 2007, 2010 and 2013. The estimated population at risk for each year was calculated by multiplying the proportion of pig specialized agricultural holds by the total agricultural labour force (formula below). A 10% upper margin of error was then added to the average population at risk between 2005 and 2013 to account for butchers, hunters, slaughterhouse and meat factory workers not included in the agricultural census. The average size of the general population for each country between 2005 and 2013 was calculated by averaging the national census figures for 2005, 2007, 2010 and 2013 (82–91). When population size estimates were not available on national databases, the estimates from the OECD were used (92). The estimated incidence was calculated for both the total population and the population at risk (Appendix 4 Table). The data on *S. pneumoniae* and *N.*



*meningitidis* incidence was reported by the European CDC (93). The average incidence between 2010 and 2013 (*S. pneumoniae*) and 2005 and 2013 (*N. meningitidis*) is displayed on (Appendix Table 6).

### Formulas

*Estimates on population at risk =*

$$\left( \frac{\text{number of pig holdings in a given country}}{\text{number of agricultural holdings in a given country}} \right) \times \text{no. of persons in agricultural labour force}$$

*Estimated incidence of S. suis in the population*

$$\left( \frac{\text{number of confirmed cases of human S. suis during specified period}}{\text{size of population in specified period}} \right) \times 100,000 \text{ persons}$$

**Appendix Table 1.** Primers used in this study to distinguish between serotype 1 and 14.

Primer	DNA sequence
cps14K_forward	GCTATCAGATGCCCGTAATTATGGC
cps14K_reverse	GCCTAAAACAAAACAGCAAAGGC

**Appendix Table 2.** Collected *S. suis* cases and metadata during the Survey study

Isolate Metadata									Patient Metadata				Ref
Isolate	Country	Year isolated	Year reported	Source	Test method	Serotype	ST	WGS	Sex	Age range, y	Clinical symptoms	Occupation	
133899	Czech Republic	NA	NA	NA	API Strep, PCR	2	11	This study	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
136829	Czech Republic	NA	NA	NA	API Strep, PCR	2	1	This study	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
139809	Czech Republic	NA	NA	NA	API Strep, PCR	2	1	This study	M	NA	NA	Works with pigs	NA
143741	Czech Republic	2001	NA	CSF	API Strep, PCR	2	25	This study	M	66–70	Meningitis	Works with pigs	NA
147422	Czech Republic	2003	NA	CSF	API Strep, PCR	2	1	This study	M	56–60	Meningitis	Works with pigs	NA
148550	Czech Republic	2003	NA	CSF	API Strep, PCR	2	1	This study	M	61–65	Meningitis	Works with pigs	NA
148897	Czech Republic	2003	NA	CSF	API Strep, PCR	2	25	This study	F	61–65	Meningitis	NA	NA
150002	Czech Republic	2004	NA	Blood	API Strep, PCR	2	25	This study	M	31–35	NA	NA	NA
150808	Czech Republic	2005	NA	CSF	API Strep, PCR	2	1	This study	F	36–40	Meningitis	Works with pigs	NA
150968	Czech Republic	2011	NA	Blood	API Strep, PCR	2	1	This study	F	51–55	Meningitis	Work with pigs	NA
155567	Czech Republic	2012	NA	CSF	API Strep, PCR	2	1	This study	M	56–60	Meningitis/septicemia	NA	NA
515/2012	Czech Republic	2011	NA	Blood	API Strep, PCR	7	29	This study	M	51–55	Septicemia	NA	NA
300/2014	Czech Republic	2012	NA	CSF	API Strep, PCR	2	1	This study	F	41–45	Septicemia	NA	NA
821/2014	Czech Republic	2014	NA	CSF	API Strep, PCR	2	1	This study	M	0–5	Meningitis/septicemia	NA	NA
783/2015	Czech Republic	2015	NA	Blood	API Strep, PCR	2	NA*	This study	M	61–65	NA	NA	NA
84/2016	Czech Republic	2016	NA	NA	API Strep, PCR	2	1	This study	F	61–65	Septicemia	NA	NA
150687	Czech Republic	2005	NA	CSF	API Strep, PCR	2	1660	This study	F	51–55	Meningitis	NA	NA
16770	Germany	1998	NA	CSF	NA	2	1	This study	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
18911	Germany	2001	NA	Blood	NA	2	1	This study	M	31–35	NA	NA	NA
19691	Germany	2003	NA	Blood	NA	2	1	This study	M	46–50	NA	NA	NA
20014	Germany	2004	NA	CSF	NA	2	1	This study	F	36–40	NA	NA	NA

Isolate Metadata									Patient Metadata				Ref
Isolate	Country	Year isolated	Year reported	Source	Test method	Serotype	ST	WGS	Sex	Age range, y	Clinical symptoms	Occupation	
23674	Germany	2005	NA	Blood	NA	2	1	This study	M	26–30	NA	NA	NA
26556	Germany	2005	NA	CSF	NA	14	1	This study	M	56–60	NA	NA	NA
29429	Germany	2004	NA	NA	NA	14	1	This study	NA	NA	NA	Pig farmer	NA
35192	Germany	2008	NA	CSF	NA	2	19	This study	M	66–70	NA	NA	NA
36305	Germany	2008	NA	Blood	NA	2	19	This study	M	61–65	NA	NA	NA
45583	Germany	2010	NA	Blood	NA	2	1	This study	F	71–75	NA	NA	NA
46581	Germany	2010	NA	Blood	NA	2	1	This study	F	46–50	NA	NA	NA
15194	Germany	1990	NA	CSF	NA	2	1661	This study	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
15459	Germany	NA	NA	NA	NA	2	1	This study	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
15901	Germany	1994	NA	NA	NA	14	1	This study	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
16064	Germany	1994	NA	NA	NA	2	1662	This study	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
17387	Germany	1999	NA	CSF	NA	5	1663	This study	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
18364	Germany	2000	NA	CSF	NA	2	1	This study	M	36–40	NA	NA	NA
18939	Germany	2001	NA	Blood	NA	2	1	This study	M	NA	NA	NA	NA
19514	Germany	2002	NA	NA	NA	2	1	This study	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
21150	Germany	2004	NA	CSF	NA	14	1	This study	M	26–30	NA	NA	NA
82749	Germany	2018	NA	Blood	NA	5	1707	This study	M	41–45	NA	Pig farmer	NA
16318	Germany	1996	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
19395	Germany	2002	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
19396	Germany	2002	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
48919	Germany	2011	NA	Blood	NA	NA	NA	NA	F	46–50	NA	NA	NA
4249	Denmark	NA	NA	Blood	Phenotypic methods	14	NA	NA	NA	NA	Sepsis	NA	NA
H48896	Denmark	2002	NA	Blood	Phenotypic methods	14	NA	NA	M	56–60	Sepsis	NA	NA
None	Denmark	NA	NA	CSF	Phenotypic methods	14	NA	NA	M	NA	Meningitis/ sepsis	NA	NA

Isolate Metadata									Patient Metadata				Ref
Isolate	Country	Year isolated	Year reported	Source	Test method	Serotype	ST	WGS	Sex	Age range, y	Clinical symptoms	Occupation	
H55346	Denmark	2002	NA	Blood	Phenotypic methods	14	NA	NA	M	51–55	Sepsis	NA	NA
DK1	Denmark	2016	NA	Blood	NA	2	1	This study	F	51–55	NA	NA	NA
901131	Netherlands	1990	2012	CSF/ Blood	NA	2	134	7	M	51–55	Meningitis	NA	7
902409	Netherlands	1990	2012	NA	API Strep	2	1	7	M	36–40	Meningitis	NA	7
920694	Netherlands	1992	2012	CSF	API Strep	2	20	7	M	56–60	Meningitis	NA	7
931260	Netherlands	1993	2012	CSF	API Strep	2	20	7	M	NA	Meningitis	NA	7
940056	Netherlands	1994	2012	CSF/ Blood	API Strep	2	1	7	M	56–60	Meningitis	NA	7
940255	Netherlands	1994	2012	Blood	API Strep	2	20	7	M	51–55	Meningitis	Pig breeder	7
940430	Netherlands	1994	2012	CSF/ Blood	API Strep	2	1	7	M	51–55	Meningitis	NA	7
941372	Netherlands	1994	2012	CSF	API Strep	2	20	7	M	61–65	Meningitis	NA	7
950136	Netherlands	1995	2012	CSF	API Strep	2	20	7	M	51–55	Meningitis	NA	7
971344	Netherlands	1997	2012	CSF/ Blood	API Strep	2	1	7	M	41–45	Meningitis	Pig keeper	7
971724	Netherlands	1997	2012	Blood	API Strep	2	1	7	M	51–55	Meningitis	Butcher	7
2000343	Netherlands	2000	2008	CSF	API Strep	2	1	7	M	61–65	Meningitis	Pig farmer	8
2001171	Netherlands	2000	2012	Blood	API Strep	2	20	7	M	61–65	Meningitis	Pig keeper	7
2001946	Netherlands	2000	2008	CSF/ Blood	MALDI-TOF	2	1	7	M	56–60	Meningitis	Pig farmer	8
2011423	Netherlands	2001	2008	CSF	MALDI-TOF	2	1	7	M	46–50	Meningitis	Pig farmer	8
2012092	Netherlands	2001	2012	CSF	API Strep	2	20	7	M	31–35	Meningitis	Meat processing	7
2032008	Netherlands	2003	2012	CSF/ Blood	API Strep	2	20	7	M	56–60	Meningitis	Pig keeper	7
2051729	Netherlands	2005	2012	CSF/ Blood	API Strep	2	20	7	M	66–70	Meningitis	NA	7
2061238	Netherlands	2006	2012	CSF	API Strep	2	146	7	M	26–30	Meningitis	NA	7
2061410	Netherlands	2006	2012	CSF/ Blood	API Strep	2	1	7	M	36–40	Meningitis	NA	7
2071319	Netherlands	2007	2012	CSF	API Strep	2	1	7	M	46–50	Meningitis	Butcher	7
902035	Netherlands	1990	2012	CSF	API Strep	NA	NA	NA	F	0–5	Meningitis/ sepsis	NA	7
20120669	Netherlands	2007	2012	Blood	API Strep	NA	NA	NA	M	51–55	Meningitis	NA	7
2121473	Netherlands	2012	2012	CSF/ Blood	API Strep	NA	NA	NA	M	41–45	Meningitis/ sepsis	NA	7
2150651	Netherlands	2015	2012	Blood	API Strep	NA	NA	NA	M	56–60	Meningitis	NA	7
H17232068 7	United Kingdom	2017	NA	CSF	API RAPID ID32/ 16S rDNA seq	2	1708	This study	M	46–50	Meningitis	NA	NA

Isolate Metadata									Patient Metadata				Ref
Isolate	Country	Year isolated	Year reported	Source	Test method	Serotype	ST	WGS	Sex	Age range, y	Clinical symptoms	Occupation	
H143440709	Ireland	2014	NA	CSF	API RAPID ID32/ 16S rDNA seq	14	1	This study	M	NA	Meningitis	NA	NA
H155260819	Ireland	2015	NA	Blood	API RAPID ID32/ 16S rDNA seq	2	1	This study	M	41-45	Septicemia	NA	NA
H143440711	Ireland	2014	NA	Blood	API RAPID ID32/ 16S rDNA seq	14	1	This study	M	NA	Meningitis	NA	NA
H104080146	United Kingdom	2010	NA	Blood	API RAPID ID32/ 16S rDNA seq	2	1	This study	M	76-80	Septicemia	NA	NA
H143440710	Ireland	2014	NA	Blood	API RAPID ID32/ 16S rDNA seq	14	1	This study	M	NA	Meningitis	NA	NA
SP1	Spain	2014	NA	NA	NA	2	1	This study	M	46-50	NA	Abattoir worker	NA
Spain2	Spain	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	UTI	NA	NA
Spain3	Spain	NA	NA	Blood	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	Bacteremia	NA	NA
Spain4	Spain	NA	NA	Blood	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	Bacteremia	NA	NA
Spain5	Spain	2014	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	M	46-50	NA	NA	NA
Spain6	Spain	2018	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	M	61-65	NA	NA	NA
Spain7	Spain	NA	NA	Semen	NA	NA	NA	NA	M	NA	NA	NA	NA
Spain8	Spain	NA	NA	CSF	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
2309	Poland	2000	2016	CSF	Vitek MS	2	1	NA	M	46-50	Meningitis	NA	9
3177	Poland	2003	2016	CSF	Vitek MS	2	1	NA	M	46-50	Meningitis	NA	9
3006	Poland	2004	2016	CSF/ Blood	Vitek MS	2	1	NA	M	46-50	Meningitis	Butcher	9
3899	Poland	2004	2016	CSF	Vitek MS	2	1	NA	M	46-50	Meningitis	Pig farmer	9
2610	Poland	2005	2016	CSF/ Blood	Vitek MS	2	1	NA	F	51-55	Meningitis	NA	9
3828	Poland	2005	2016	CSF	Vitek MS	2	1	NA	F	36-40	Meningitis	NA	9
626	Poland	2006	2016	Blood	Vitek MS	2	1	NA	M	36-40	Endocarditis	NA	9
584	Poland	2007	2016	CSF/ Blood	Vitek MS	2	1	NA	M	26-30	Meningitis	NA	9
3586	Poland	2008	2016	CSF/ Blood	Vitek MS	2	1	NA	M	66-70	Meningitis	NA	9
6571	Poland	2009	2016	CSF	Vitek MS	2	1	NA	M	36-40	Meningitis	NA	9
41	Poland	2010	2016	Blood	Vitek MS	2	1	NA	M	56-60	Meningitis	NA	9
1738	Poland	2010	2016	CSF	Vitek MS	2	1	NA	M	51-55	Meningitis	NA	9
4524	Poland	2010	2016	CSF	Vitek MS	2	1	NA	M	56-60	Meningitis	NA	9
6021	Poland	2010	2016	CSF	Vitek MS	2	1	NA	F	51-55	Meningitis	NA	9
5228	Poland	2011	2016	CSF/ Blood	Vitek MS	2	1	NA	M	31-35	Meningitis	NA	9
8719	Poland	2011	2016	CSF	Vitek MS	2	1	NA	M	56-60	Meningitis	NA	9

Isolate Metadata									Patient Metadata				Ref
Isolate	Country	Year isolated	Year reported	Source	Test method	Serotype	ST	WGS	Sex	Age range, y	Clinical symptoms	Occupation	
174	Poland	2012	2016	CSF	Vitek MS	2	1	NA	M	61–65	Meningitis	NA	9
6708	Poland	2012	2016	CSF	Vitek MS	2	1	NA	M	46–50	Meningitis	NA	9
4011	Poland	2013	2016	CSF	Vitek MS	2	1	NA	M	56–60	Meningitis	NA	9
4364	Poland	2013	2016	CSF	Vitek MS	2	1	NA	F	51–55	Meningitis	NA	9
5604	Poland	2013	2016	CSF	Vitek MS	2	1	NA	M	61–65	Meningitis	NA	9

\*To avoid case identification, the age of each patient is shown as a 5 year range. One of the 7 core genes used for MLST typing did not assemble; the other 6 genes had allele 1 suggesting this isolate belongs to CC1. CC, clonal complex; MLST, multilocus sequence typing; NA, not available; ST, sequence type; WGS, whole genome sequencing.

**Appendix Table 3.** Collected *S. suis* cases and metadata during the Systematic search study. To avoid case identification, the age of each patient is shown as a 5 year range\*

Isolate Metadata								Patient Metadata				
Isolate	Country	Year isolated	Year reported	Source	Serotype	ST	WGS	Sex	Age range, y	Clinical symptoms	Occupation	Ref
AUS01	Austria	NA	1999	CSF	NA	NA	NA	F	61–65	Meningitis; hearing loss	Pig farmer	10
CRO01	Croatia	2000	2002	Blood	NA	NA	NA	M	NA	Septic shock; Died	NA	11
CRO02	Croatia	2000	2002	CSF	NA	NA	NA	M	NA	Meningitis	NA	11
CZ01	Czech Republic	NA	2013	Blood	NA	NA	NA	M	61–65	Sepsis; spondylodiscitis	Pig farmer	12
MAC 724	Germany	NA	2002	Blood	2	1	NA	M	NA	Died	Butcher	13
BK52339	Germany	2012	2015	Blood	2	1	NA	M	NA	Septicemia; died	Hunter	14
TiHo441	Germany	2011	2015	Blood	2	1	NA	NA	NA	Septicemia	NA	14
TiHo224	Germany	NA	2005	Blood/heart	2	NA	NA	M	41–45	Endocarditis	NA	15
199	Germany	NA	2003	CSF/blood	NA	NA	NA	M	51–55	Sepsis; meningitis; hearing loss	Hunter	16
DE06	Germany	NA	2002	Blood	2	NA	NA	M	36–40	Septic shock	Truck driver (pork)	17
DE07	Germany	NA	2002	Pharyngeal swab	2	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	Abattoir	17
DE08	Germany	NA	2002	Pharyngeal swab	2	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	Abattoir	17
DE09	Germany	NA	2002	Pharyngeal swab	2	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	Abattoir	17
DE10	Germany	NA	2002	Pharyngeal swab	2	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	Meat processing factory	17
DE11	Germany	NA	2002	Pharyngeal swab	2	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	Meat processing factory	17
DE12	Germany	NA	2002	Pharyngeal swab	2	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	Meat processing factory	17

Isolate Metadata								Patient Metadata				
Isolate	Country	Year isolated	Year reported	Source	Serotype	ST	WGS	Sex	Age range, y	Clinical symptoms	Occupation	Ref
DE13	Germany	NA	2002	Pharyngeal swab	2	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	Meat processing factory	17
DE14	Germany	NA	2007	CSF/ blood	2	NA	NA	M	41–45	Meningitis; hearing loss	Butcher	18
DE15	Germany	NA	1997	CSF/ blood	NA	NA	NA	M	51–55	Meningitis, hearing loss	Hunter	19
DSM28762	Germany	2002	2021	Blood	2	19	Yes	NA	NA	NA	NA	20
11611	Germany	NA	2013	NA	2	1	Yes	NA	NA	NA	NA	21
DK01	Denmark	2006	2009	CSF/ blood	14	NA	NA	M	51–55	Meningitis; spondylodiscitis, bacteremia	Pig farmer	22
FR01	France	NA	1996	CSF/ blood	NA	NA	NA	M	26–30	Meningitis	Butcher	23
FR02	France	1991	1992	CSF	NA	NA	NA	M	56–60	Meningitis	Meat processing factory	24
FR03	France	NA	2001	CSF	2	NA	NA	M	56–60	Meningitis, hearing loss	Pig breeder and hunter	25
FR04	France	1994	1996	Blood	2	NA	NA	M	36–40	Endocarditis	Butcher	26
FR05	France	1996	1998	CSF/ blood	2	1	NA	M	46–50	Meningitis; septic shock;	Butcher	27
FR06	France	NA	2008	CSF	NA	NA	NA	M	31–35	Meningitis; visual impairment	Lorry driver	28
FR07	France	NA	2003	Blood	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	Bacteremia; septic shock; died	Hunter	29
GRE01	Greece	NA	2015	CSF/ blood	NA	NA	NA	M	31–35	Fever; partial hearing loss	Pig farmer	30
GRE02	Greece	NA	2005	CSF/ blood	2	NA	NA	F	61–65	Meningitis; sepsis; hearing loss	NA	31
GRE03	Greece	NA	2006	Blood	NA	NA	NA	M	56–60	Endocarditis	Butcher and farmer	32
HUN01	Hungary	NA	2020	Blood	2	NA	NA	M	31–35	Died; sepsis	Butcher	33
HUN02	Hungary	NA	2020	Blood	NA	NA	NA	M	NA	NA	NA	34
HUN03	Hungary	NA	2020	Blood	NA	NA	NA	M	NA	NA	NA	34
HUN04	Hungary	NA	2020	Blood	NA	NA	NA	M	NA	NA	NA	34
HUN05	Hungary	NA	2020	Blood	NA	NA	NA	M	NA	NA	NA	34
HUN06	Hungary	NA	2020	Blood	NA	NA	NA	M	NA	NA	NA	34
HUN07	Hungary	NA	2020	Blood	NA	NA	NA	M	NA	NA	NA	34
HUN08	Hungary	NA	2020	Blood	NA	NA	NA	M	NA	NA	NA	34
HUN09	Hungary	NA	2020	Blood	NA	NA	NA	M	NA	NA	NA	34
HUN10	Hungary	NA	2020	Blood	NA	NA	NA	M	NA	NA	NA	34
HUN11	Hungary	NA	2020	Blood	NA	NA	NA	M	NA	NA	NA	34
HUN12	Hungary	NA	2020	Blood	NA	NA	NA	M	NA	NA	NA	34
HUN13	Hungary	NA	2020	Blood	NA	NA	NA	M	NA	NA	NA	34
HUN14	Hungary	NA	2020	Blood	NA	NA	NA	M	NA	NA	NA	34

Isolate Metadata								Patient Metadata				
Isolate	Country	Year isolated	Year reported	Source	Serotype	ST	WGS	Sex	Age range, y	Clinical symptoms	Occupation	Ref
HUN15	Hungary	NA	2020	Blood	NA	NA	NA	M	NA	NA	NA	34
HUN16	Hungary	NA	2020	Blood	NA	NA	NA	M	NA	NA	NA	34
HUN17	Hungary	NA	2020	Blood	NA	NA	NA	M	NA	NA	NA	34
HUN18	Hungary	NA	2020	Blood	NA	NA	NA	M	NA	NA	NA	34
HUN19	Hungary	NA	2020	Blood	NA	NA	NA	M	NA	NA	NA	34
HUN20	Hungary	NA	2020	Blood	NA	NA	NA	M	NA	NA	NA	34
HUN21	Hungary	NA	2020	Blood	NA	NA	NA	M	NA	NA	NA	34
HUN22	Hungary	NA	2020	CSF/ blood	NA	NA	NA	F	NA	NA	NA	34
HUN23	Hungary	NA	2020	CSF/ blood	NA	NA	NA	F	NA	NA	NA	34
HUN24	Hungary	NA	2020	CSF/ blood	NA	NA	NA	F	NA	NA	NA	34
HUN25	Hungary	NA	2020	CSF/ blood	2	NA	NA	F	NA	NA	NA	34
HUN26	Hungary	NA	2020	CSF/ blood	2	NA	NA	F	NA	NA	NA	34
HUN27	Hungary	NA	2020	CSF/ blood	2	NA	NA	F	NA	NA	NA	34
HUN28	Hungary	NA	2020	CSF/ blood	2	NA	NA	F	NA	NA	NA	34
HUN29	Hungary	NA	2020	CSF/ blood	2	NA	NA	F	NA	NA	NA	34
HUN30	Hungary	NA	2020	CSF/ blood	2	NA	NA	F	NA	NA	NA	34
HUN31	Hungary	NA	2020	CSF/ blood	2	NA	NA	F	NA	NA	NA	34
HUN32	Hungary	NA	2020	CSF/ blood	2	NA	NA	F	NA	NA	NA	34
HUN33	Hungary	NA	2020	CSF/ blood	2	NA	NA	F	NA	NA	NA	34
HUN34	Hungary	NA	2020	CSF/ blood	2	NA	NA	F	NA	NA	NA	34
HUN35	Hungary	NA	2020	CSF/ blood	14	NA	NA	F	NA	NA	NA	34
HUN36	Hungary	NA	2019	CSF/ blood	NA	NA	NA	M	46–50	Meningitis	Hunter	35
IRE01	Ireland	NA	1995	NA	NA	NA	NA	M	21–25	Sepsis, died	Pig farmer	36
ITA01	Italy	NA	2007	CSF	NA	1	NA	M	26–30	Meningitis	Butcher	37
SsRC-1	Italy	2016	2016	Blood	2	1	Yes	M	51–55	Septic shock, died	Pig farmer	38
ITA03	Italy	2007	2008	CSF	2	1	NA	M	66–70	Meningitis	NA	39
ITA04	Italy	NA	1995	CSF	NA	NA	NA	NA	51–55	Meningitis	Farmer	40
ITA05	Italy	NA	2010	CSF	NA	NA	NA	F	46–50	Meningitis	Caregiver	41
861160	Netherlands	1986	2012	CSF	2	20	Yes	M	36–40	Meningitis	NA	42
870040	Netherlands	1987	2012	CSF	2	1	Yes	M	26–30	Meningitis	NA	42
890267	Netherlands	1989	2012	CSF	2	1	Yes	M	46–50	Meningitis	NA	42
NL01	Netherlands	2006	2012	CSF/ blood	NA	NA	NA	M	56–60	Meningitis, hearing loss	Meat processing factory	43
NL26	Netherlands	2001	2008	CSF	NA	NA	NA	F	31–35	Meningitis	Butcher	44
NL27	Netherlands	2007	2015	CSF/ blood	NA	NA	NA	M	61–65	Meningitis, hearing loss	Pig farmer	45
NL28	Netherlands	2008	2015	CSF/ blood	NA	NA	NA	M	36–40	Meningitis, hearing loss	Pig farmer	45
NL29	Netherlands	2011	2015	CSF/ blood	NA	NA	NA	M	56–60	Meningitis, hearing loss	Abattoir	45
NL30	Netherlands	2012	2015	CSF/ blood	NA	NA	NA	M	76–80	Meningitis, hearing loss	Pig farmer	45
NL31	Netherlands	2015	2015	Blood	2	NA	NA	M	56–60	Meningitis	Butcher	45



Isolate Metadata								Patient Metadata				
Isolate	Country	Year isolated	Year reported	Source	Serotype	ST	WGS	Sex	Age range, y	Clinical symptoms	Occupation	Ref
NL32	Netherlands	1989	1990	Blood	NA	NA	NA	M	26–30	Sepsis	Pig weigher	46
POL22	Poland	NA	2013	CSF/ blood	NA	NA	NA	M	31–35	Meningitis	Butcher	47
POR01	Portugal	2011	2014	CSF/ blood	NA	NA	NA	M	41–45	Meningitis	Pork griller	48
POR02	Portugal	NA	2008	CSF	NA	NA	NA	M	31–35	Meningitis	NA	49
POR03	Portugal	NA	2005	NA	NA	NA	NA	M	46–50	Meningitis	Butcher	50
POR04	Portugal	NA	2017	CSF/ blood	NA	NA	NA	M	46–50	Meningitis, hearing loss	Butcher	51
SER01	Serbia	2003	2005	CSF/ blood	NA	NA	NA	M	NA	Meningitis, hearing loss	Pig farmer	52
SER02	Serbia	2003	2005	CSF	NA	NA	NA	M	NA	Meningitis, hearing loss	Pig farmer	52
SER03	Serbia	2003	2005	CSF	NA	NA	NA	M	NA	Meningitis, hearing loss	Pig farmer	52
SER04	Serbia	2003	2005	CSF	NA	NA	NA	M	NA	Meningitis, hearing loss	NA	52
SER05	Serbia	2003	2005	CSF	NA	NA	NA	M	NA	Meningitis	NA	52
SP01	Spain	NA	2006	Blood	NA	NA	NA	M	56–60	Endocarditis, spondylodiscitis	Restaurant owner	53
SP02	Spain	NA	2009	Blood	2	NA	NA	M	66–70	Endocarditis	Helped at pig farm	54
SP03	Spain	NA	2012	Blood	NA	NA	NA	M	61–65	Meningitis	NA	55
SP04	Spain	1999	2001	CSF/ blood	NA	NA	NA	M	26–30	Meningitis	Butcher	56
SP05	Spain	1999	2001	CSF	NA	NA	NA	M	21–25	Meningitis, hearing loss	Butcher	56
SP06	Spain	2012	2014	CSF/ blood	2	3	NA	M	56–60	Meningitis, septic shock	NA	57
SP07	Spain	NA	2007	CSF/ blood	NA	NA	NA	M	31–35	Meningitis, hearing loss	Chicken farmer	58
SP08	Spain	NA	2008	CSF/ blood	NA	NA	NA	F	26–30	Meningitis	Butcher	59
SP09	Spain	NA	2016	Blood	2	NA	NA	M	51–55	Septic shock	Pig farmer	60
SP10	Spain	2004	2006	CSF/ blood	NA	NA	NA	M	36–40	Meningitis	Pig farmer	61
SP11	Spain	NA	2012	Blood	NA	NA	NA	M	31–35	Meningitis, hearing loss	Pig farmer	62
SP12	Spain	NA	2009	CSF	NA	NA	NA	F	81–85	Meningitis, spondylodiscitis	NA	63
SP13	Spain	NA	1994	NA	NA	NA	NA	F	56–60	Sacroilitis	NA	64
SP14	Spain	NA	2011	CSF/ blood	2	NA	NA	F	31–35	Meningitis, hearing loss	Pig farmer	65
SP15	Spain	NA	2005	CSF/ blood	2	NA	NA	M	26–30	Meningitis	Meat processing factory	66
SP16	Spain	NA	2012	Blood	2	3	NA	M	36–40	Meningitis, visual impairment	Pig farmer	67
SP17	Spain	1998	1998	CSF/ blood	NA	NA	NA	M	46–50	Meningitis, hearing loss	Pig farmer	68

Isolate Metadata								Patient Metadata				
Isolate	Country	Year isolated	Year reported	Source	Serotype	ST	WGS	Sex	Age range, y	Clinical symptoms	Occupation	Ref
SP18	Spain	1998	1998	CSF	NA	NA	NA	M	46–50	Meningitis	Butcher	68
SP19	Spain	1997	1997	CSF/ blood	NA	NA	NA	M	51–55	Meningitis	Pig farmer	69
SP20	Spain	2014	2018	NA	2	1	NA	M	46–50	Meningitis, arthritis	Hunter	70
SP21	Spain	2013	2021	CSF/ blood	NA	NA	NA	M	46–50	Meningitis	Butcher	71
SP22	Spain	2014	2021	CSF	NA	NA	NA	M	46–50	Meningitis	Pig farmer	71
SP23	Spain	2018	2021	Blood	NA	NA	NA	M	61–65	Endocarditis	Pig farmer	71
SP24	Spain	2018	2021	Semen	NA	NA	NA	M	46–50	Orchitis	NA	71
SP25	Spain	2019	2021	CSF	NA	NA	NA	M	41–45	Meningitis	Pig farmer	71
SP26	Spain	2019	2021	Blood/ synovial fluid	NA	NA	NA	M	61–65	Sepsis/ arthritis	Pig farmer	71
SP27	Spain	2019	2021	Synovial fluid	NA	NA	NA	M	36–40	Prosthetic hip infection	Pig farmer	71
SP28	Spain	NA	2014	CSF	NA	NA	NA	M	61–65	Meningitis	NA	72
SWWE01	Sweden	NA	2014	Blood/ synovial fluid	5	NA	NA	M	61–65	Arthritis	Pig farmer	73
GE-034	Switzerland	NA	2020	Blood	14	1	Yes	F	41–45	Septic shock	NA	74
UK01	United Kingdom	NA	1991	CSF/ blood	NA	NA	NA	M	56–60	Meningitis, died	Meat porter	75
UK02	United Kingdom	NA	1992	CSF/ blood	NA	NA	NA	M	46–50	Meningitis, visual impairment	Pig farmer	76
UK03	United Kingdom	1999	2001	Blood	14	NA	NA	M	26–30	Septicemia, died	Pig farmer	77
UK04	United Kingdom	NA	1990	Blood	NA	NA	NA	F	41–45	Sepsis	Pig farmer	78

\*NA, not available; ST, sequence type; WGS, whole genome sequencing.

**Appendix Table 4.** Number of reported human *S. suis* infections in the Public Health England zoonosis reports (79)

Years	No. of isolates
1991–2000	20
2001	1
2002	1
2003	1
2004	0
2005	2
2006	2
2007	2
2008	7
2009	2
2010	4
2011	1
2012	3
2013	3
2014	3
2015	4
2016	1
2017	4
Total	61

**Appendix Table 5.** Number of reported human *S. suis* infections in the National Institute for Public Health and Environment of the Netherlands. To avoid case identification, the age of each patient is shown as a 5 year range NA stands for missing information

Isolate	Isolate Metadata		Patient Metadata			Ref
	Year isolated	Source	Sex	Age range, y	Clinical symptoms	
NL33	1990	CSF	M	41–45	NA	80
NL34	1990	Blood	M	66–70	NA	80
NL35	1992	Blood	M	71–75	NA	80
NL36	1993	Blood	NA	51–55	NA	80
NL37	1996	Throat swab	M	36–40	NA	80
NL38	1996	NA	M	71–75	NA	80
NL39	1996	Blood	M	51–55	Meningitis	80
NL40	1999	Blood	M	66–70	NA	80
NL41	2004	Blood	M	0–5	NA	80
NL42	2006	CSF/ blood	M	61–65	NA	80
NL43	2006	Blood	M	56–60	NA	80
NL44	2007	Urine	F	0–5	Urinary tract infection	80
NL45	2008	Dialysate	F	56–60	Peritonitis	80
NL46	2008	Urine	F	41–45	NA	80
NL47	2008	Bilious abdominal fluid	M	86–90	NA	80
NL48	2009	Wound culture	F	51–55	NA	80
NL49	2009	Wound culture	F	36–40	NA	80
NL50	2009	Wound culture	M	36–40	NA	80
NL51	2010	Urine	F	21–25	Urinary tract infection	80
NL52	2010	Abscess fluid	M	26–30	NA	80
NL53	2011	Urine	F	66–70	NA	80
NL54	2011	Pus	M	71–75	NA	80
NL55	2011	CSF/ blood	M	46–50	NA	80
NL56	2011	Urethra swab	M	66–70	NA	80
NL57	NA	Wound culture	F	NA	Sepsis	80

**Appendix Table 6.** Incidence estimates of human *S. suis* infections in European countries with at least 5 cases during 2005–2013\*

Country	Population, thousands†	Estimated at-risk population, thousands	No. of <i>S. suis</i> infections	Incidence in total population /100,000 persons‡	Incidence in at-risk population, /100,000 persons‡	<i>S. pneumoniae</i> incidence in total population /100,000 persons	<i>N. meningitidis</i> incidence in total population /100,000 persons
Czech Republic	10,393.68	46.05	7	0.0075	1.689	3.19	0.69
Germany	81,793.72	189.53	12	0.0016	0.703	NA	0.55
Hungary	10,021.71	509.01	36	0.0399	0.786	1.52	0.42
Netherlands	16,507.50	24.72	11	0.0074	4.945	14.86	0.93
Poland*	38,324.00	1,242.46	18	0.0052	0.161	1.10	0.67
Spain	45,323.88	189.92	12	0.0029	0.702	5.84	1.09

\*NA, not available.

†Used OECD estimates for total population

‡Rough estimates of incidence and demographics of human *Streptococcus suis* infection reported to national reference laboratories during 2005–2013.

**Appendix Table 7.** Sequences used in this study and their accession numbers.

Strain	Bioproject	Genbank	Biosample	SRA Illumina	Reference
This study					
133899	PRJNA917482	JARATX000000000	SAMN32539671	SRR26047323	This study
136829	PRJNA917482	JAVMBI000000000	SAMN32539672	SRR26047322	This study
139809	PRJNA917482	JARATW000000000	SAMN32539673	SRR26047311	This study
143741	PRJNA917482	JARATV000000000	SAMN32539674	SRR26047300	This study
147422	PRJNA917482	JARATU000000000	SAMN32539675	SRR26047289	This study
148550	PRJNA917482	JARATT000000000	SAMN32539676	SRR26047282	This study
148897	PRJNA917482	JARATS000000000	SAMN32539677	SRR26047281	This study
150002	PRJNA917482	JARATR000000000	SAMN32539678	SRR26047280	This study
150808	PRJNA917482	JARATQ000000000	SAMN32539679	SRR26047279	This study
150968	PRJNA917482	JARATP000000000	SAMN32539680	SRR26047278	This study
155567	PRJNA917482	JARATO000000000	SAMN32539681	SRR26047321	This study
515/2012	PRJNA917482	JARATN000000000	SAMN32539682	SRR26047320	This study
300/2014	PRJNA917482	JARATM000000000	SAMN32539683	SRR26047319	This study
821/2014	PRJNA917482	JARATL000000000	SAMN32539684	SRR26047318	This study
783/2015	PRJNA917482	JAVMBJ000000000	SAMN32539685	SRR26047317	This study
84/2016	PRJNA917482	JARATK000000000	SAMN32539686	SRR26047316	This study
150687	PRJNA917482	JAVMBK000000000	SAMN32539687	SRR26047315	This study
16770	PRJNA917482	JARATJ000000000	SAMN32539688	SRR26047314	This study
18911	PRJNA917482	JARATI000000000	SAMN32539689	SRR26047313	This study
19691	PRJNA917482	JAVMBL000000000	SAMN32539690	SRR26047312	This study
20014	PRJNA917482	JARATH000000000	SAMN32539691	SRR26047310	This study
23674	PRJNA917482	JARATG000000000	SAMN32539692	SRR26047309	This study
26556	PRJNA917482	JARATF000000000	SAMN32539693	SRR26047308	This study
29429	PRJNA917482	JAVMBM000000000	SAMN32539694	SRR26047307	This study
35192	PRJNA917482	JARATE000000000	SAMN32539695	SRR26047306	This study
36305	PRJNA917482	JARATD000000000	SAMN32539696	SRR26047305	This study
45583	PRJNA917482	JARATC000000000	SAMN32539697	SRR26047304	This study
46581	PRJNA917482	JARATB000000000	SAMN32539698	SRR26047303	This study
15194	PRJNA917482	JARATA000000000	SAMN32539699	SRR26047302	This study
15459	PRJNA917482	JARASZ000000000	SAMN32539700	SRR26047301	This study
15901	PRJNA917482	JARASY000000000	SAMN32539701	SRR26047299	This study
16064	PRJNA917482	JARASX000000000	SAMN32539702	SRR26047298	This study
17387	PRJNA917482	JARASW000000000	SAMN32539703	SRR26047297	This study
18364	PRJNA917482	JAVMBN000000000	SAMN32539704	SRR26047296	This study
18939	PRJNA917482	JARASV000000000	SAMN32539705	SRR26047295	This study
19514	PRJNA917482	JARASU000000000	SAMN32539706	SRR26047294	This study
21150	PRJNA917482	JARAST000000000	SAMN32539707	SRR26047293	This study
82749	PRJNA917482	JARASS000000000	SAMN32539708	SRR26047292	This study
DK1	PRJNA917482	JARASR000000000	SAMN32539709	SRR26047291	This study
H172320687	PRJNA917482	JARASQ000000000	SAMN32539710	SRR26047290	This study
H143440709	PRJNA917482	JARASP000000000	SAMN32539711	SRR26047288	This study
H155260819	PRJNA917482	JARASO00000000	SAMN32539712	SRR26047287	This study
H143440711	PRJNA917482	JARASN000000000	SAMN32539713	SRR26047286	This study
H104080146	PRJNA917482	JARASM000000000	SAMN32539714	SRR26047285	This study
H143440710	PRJNA917482	JARASL000000000	SAMN32539715	SRR26047284	This study

Strain	Bioproject	Genbank	Biosample	SRA Illumina	Reference
SP1	PRJNA917482	JARASK000000000	SAMN32539716	SRR26047283	This study
Public Genomes					
861160	PRJEB11219	CZEH000000000	SAMEA3595177	ERR1055554	94
870040	PRJEB11219	CZDK000000000	SAMEA3595178	ERR1055555	94
890267	PRJEB11219	CZDM000000000	SAMEA3595179	ERR1055556	94
901131	PRJEB11219	CZEW000000000	SAMEA3595180	ERR1055557	94
902409	PRJEB11219	CZDT000000000	SAMEA3595181	ERR1055558	94
920694	PRJEB11219	CZES000000000	SAMEA3595182	ERR1055559	94
931260	PRJEB11219	CZDW000000000	SAMEA3595183	ERR1055560	94
940056	PRJEB11219	CZEU000000000	SAMEA3595184	ERR1055561	94
940255	PRJEB11219	CZDN000000000	SAMEA3595185	ERR1055562	94
940430	PRJEB11219	CZDX000000000	SAMEA3595186	ERR1055563	94
941372	PRJEB11219	CZEJ000000000	SAMEA3595187	ERR1055564	94
950136	PRJEB11219	CZDZ000000000	SAMEA3595188	ERR1055565	94
971344	PRJEB11219	CZDL000000000	SAMEA3595189	ERR1055566	94
971724	PRJEB11219	CZEG000000000	SAMEA3595190	ERR1055567	94
2000343	PRJEB11219	CZET000000000	SAMEA3595191	ERR1055568	94
2001171	PRJEB11219	CZDY000000000	SAMEA3595192	ERR1055569	94
2001946	PRJEB11219	CZDO000000000	SAMEA3595193	ERR1055570	94
2011423	PRJEB11219	CZEO000000000	SAMEA3595194	ERR1055571	94
2012092	PRJEB11219	CZEK000000000	SAMEA3595195	ERR1055572	94
2032008	PRJEB11219	CZEV000000000	SAMEA3595196	ERR1055573	94
2051729	PRJEB11219	CZEE000000000	SAMEA3595197	ERR1055574	94
2061238	PRJEB11219	CZDQ000000000	SAMEA3595198	ERR1055575	94
2061410	PRJEB11219	CZDV000000000	SAMEA3595199	ERR1055576	94
2071319	PRJEB11219	CZEQ000000000	SAMEA3595200	ERR1055577	94
SsRC-1	PRJNA445803	PYUF000000000	SAMN08799542	NA	95
GE-034	pubMLST	pubMLST	pubMLST	pubMLST	96
DSM28762	PRJEB45445	NA	SAMEA8942198	ERR6131134	97
11611	PRJNA171412	ALKR000000000	SAMN02470636	NA	98

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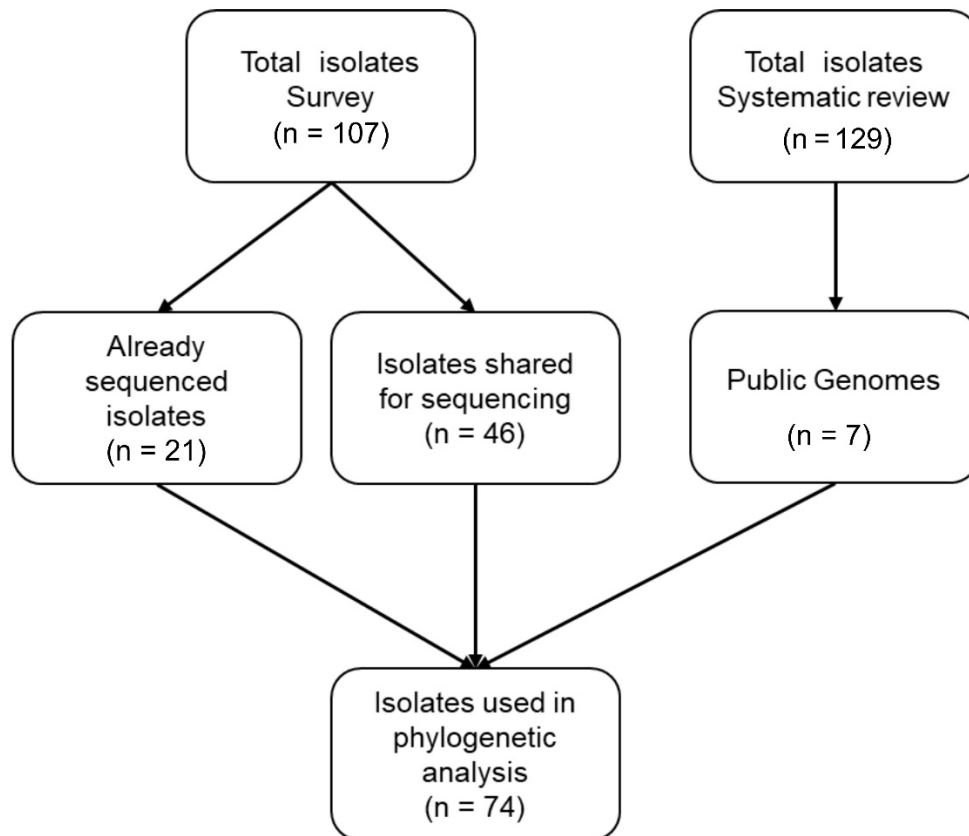
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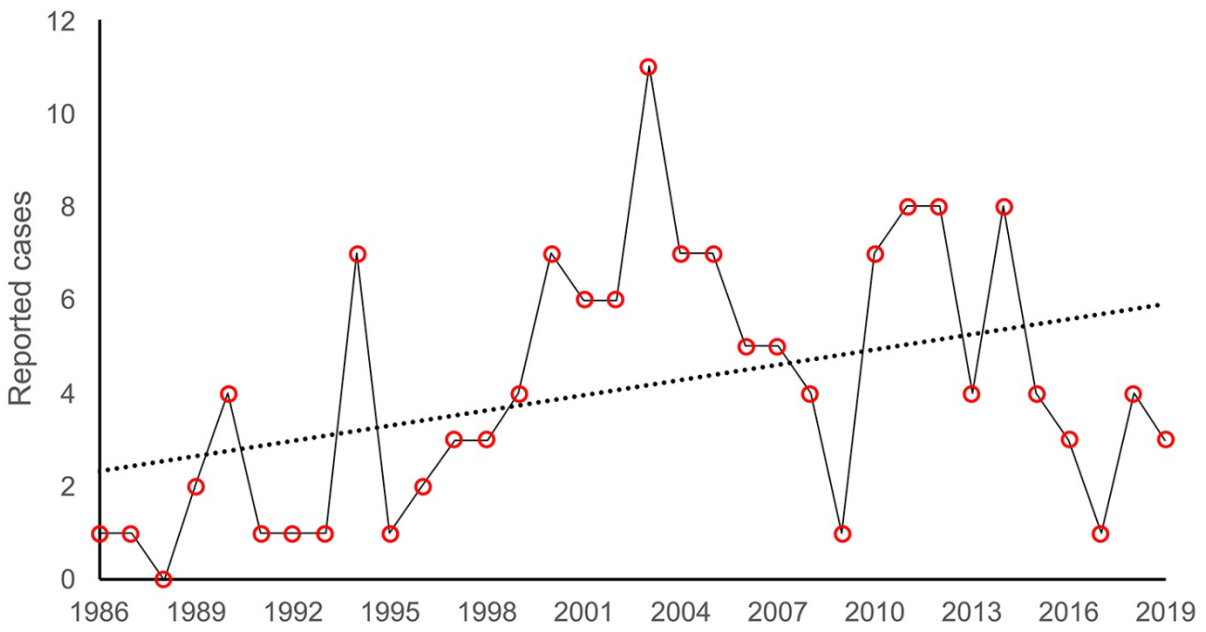
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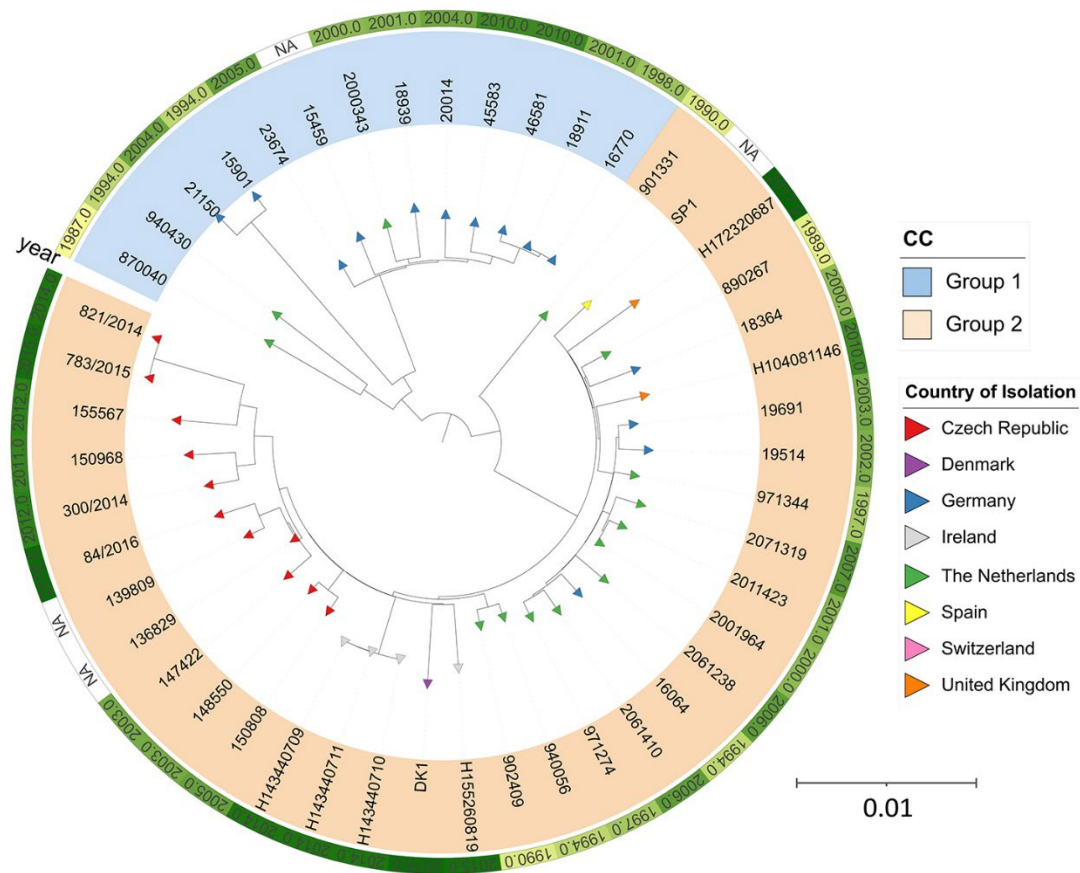
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**Appendix Figure 1.** Human *Streptococcus suis* isolates included in phylogenetic analysis.



**Appendix Figure 2.** Reported human *Streptococcus suis* infections by year in Europe, combining survey and systematic review data.



**Appendix Figure 3.** The 2 sublineages identified within zoonotic CC1 clade in Europe. Colored triangles indicate country of isolation. Colored ranges mark the 2 different groups: group 1 in blue and group 2 in orange. Outer ring indicates year of isolation; darker tones are associated with more recent and paler tones with more distant dates.