

A box plot comparing the number of bacterial cells per gram of dry weight between two groups: Biofilm (n=276) and Saliva (n=576). The y-axis represents the number of cells, ranging from 0 to 100,000,000,000. The Biofilm group shows a median around 10,000,000,000 cells, with a box spanning from approximately 5,000,000,000 to 20,000,000,000 cells. The Saliva group shows a median around 10,000,000,000 cells, with a box spanning from approximately 5,000,000,000 to 20,000,000,000 cells. The Saliva group has a much smaller range of values compared to the Biofilm group.

Group	n	Median	Q1	Q3	Min	Max
Biofilm	276	~10,000,000,000	~5,000,000,000	~20,000,000,000	~0	~50,000,000,000
Saliva	576	~10,000,000,000	~5,000,000,000	~20,000,000,000	~0	~50,000,000,000

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