

**Table 1** Laboratory results of a 7-day-old newborn infected with *Borrelia persica* in Zanjan, north-west Islamic Republic of Iran

Variable	Value
Complete blood count and differentiation	
White blood cell count (/mm <sup>3</sup> )	15 800
Polymorpholeukocytes (%)	55
Lymphocytes (%)	40
Monocytes (%)	4
Eosinophils (%)	1
Haemoglobin level (g/dL)	17.2
Haematocrit	53
Platelet count (/mm <sup>3</sup> ) (repeat test)	46 000 (34 000)
Other tests	
Reticulocyte count (%)	0.6
Erythrocyte sedimentation rate (mm/h)	6
C-reactive protein level (mg/L)	15
Total bilirubin level (mg/dL)	19
Direct bilirubin level (mg/dL)	0.3
Blood sugar level (mg/dL)	267
Blood urea nitrogen level (mg/100 mL)	20.6
Creatinine level (mg/dL)	0.3
Total calcium (mEq/L)	9.3
Sodium (mEq/L)	134
Direct Coombs test	Negative
Glucose-6-phosphate dehydrogenase level	Normal
Urine analysis	Normal
Urine culture	Negative
Blood culture	Negative