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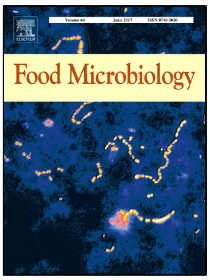

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Highlights

- *Arcobacter* detection in lettuces, spinaches, chards and cabbages by PCR and cultural methods.
- First *Arcobacter cryaerophilus* isolation from lettuces, chards and cabbages.
- First report about the presence of pathogenic species of *Arcobacter* spp. in chards and cabbages.
- Characterization of *Arcobacter* quinolone-resistance of isolates obtained from vegetables samples.