SORE THROAT viral or strep?

SYMPTOMS		VIRAL	STREP
(1)	Symptom onset	Gradual	Abrupt
	Difficulty swallowing	Sometimes	Common
8	Red, swollen tonsils and throat	Sometimes	Common
0	Cough	Common	Mild, if at all
0	Pus in the back of throat	Sometimes	Common
0	White spots on the tongue	Sometimes	Common
0	Swollen lymph nodes in the neck	Sometimes	Common
O O	Fever, chills and/ or headache	Mild, if at all	Common

