

Ceftolozane-tazobactam (CLT), Ceftazidime-avivactam (CZA).

Anything else ?

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Mécanismes de résistance acquise à ceftolozane-tazobactam chez *Pseudomonas*

Mutations (2 à 4) sur Amp C → surproduction de AmpC

large amount of mutations on ampC genes was required for development of high-level resistance (Cabot et al., 2014).

Mutation de l'Oxacillinase

duplication AA D149 sur OXA 2 devenant OXA 135

Absence de la PLP4

Mécanismes de résistance acquise à ceftazidime – avibactam

- Plasmide de KPC3 variant apparaissant après 10 à 19j de traitement de KPC
- Mutations en 164 ou 179 sur KPC2 empêche la fixation (binding) de l'inhibiteur sur la β -lactamase
- Variants de SHV-1 et KPC-2: une seule mutation isolée

Association imperméabilité ompK 36 et surproduction AmpC

The expression of additional ESBLs along with an ompK36 (porin loss) mutation also contributes to elevated CAZ/AVI MICs when in the presence of KPC-2 expression (Shields et al., 2015).

929 Shields

novel ST258, clade II sublineage, which are not hypermutators

Ceftazidime-avibactam resistance

10%

of patients (8/77) treated for CRE infections developed ceftazidime-avibactam resistance

14%

of patients (8/59) treated for CR-Kp infections developed ceftazidime-avibactam resistance

Patient	Days of C-A	Infection Type	Location	Treatment regimen	RRT*	Outcome at 30 days
1	10	PNA	MICU	Monotherapy	No	Failure
2	19	IAI	SICU	Monotherapy	CRRT	Failure
3	15	PNA	SICU	Monotherapy	No	Success w/ relapse
4	15	PNA	CTICU	+ inhaled gent	CRRT	Failure
5	15	PNA	MICU	Monotherapy	HD	Failure
6	7	PNA	MICU	Monotherapy	No	Failure
7	31	PNA	10G	Monotherapy	HD	Failure
8		PNA	CTICU	+ inhaled/IV gent	CRRT	Failure

* Independent risk factor for resistance (OR: 11.70, 95% CI: 1.79 – 76.0; P=0.003)

Resistance to CAZ-AVI by KPC-2 Variants

prevent avibactam from binding to and inhibiting the β -lactamase.

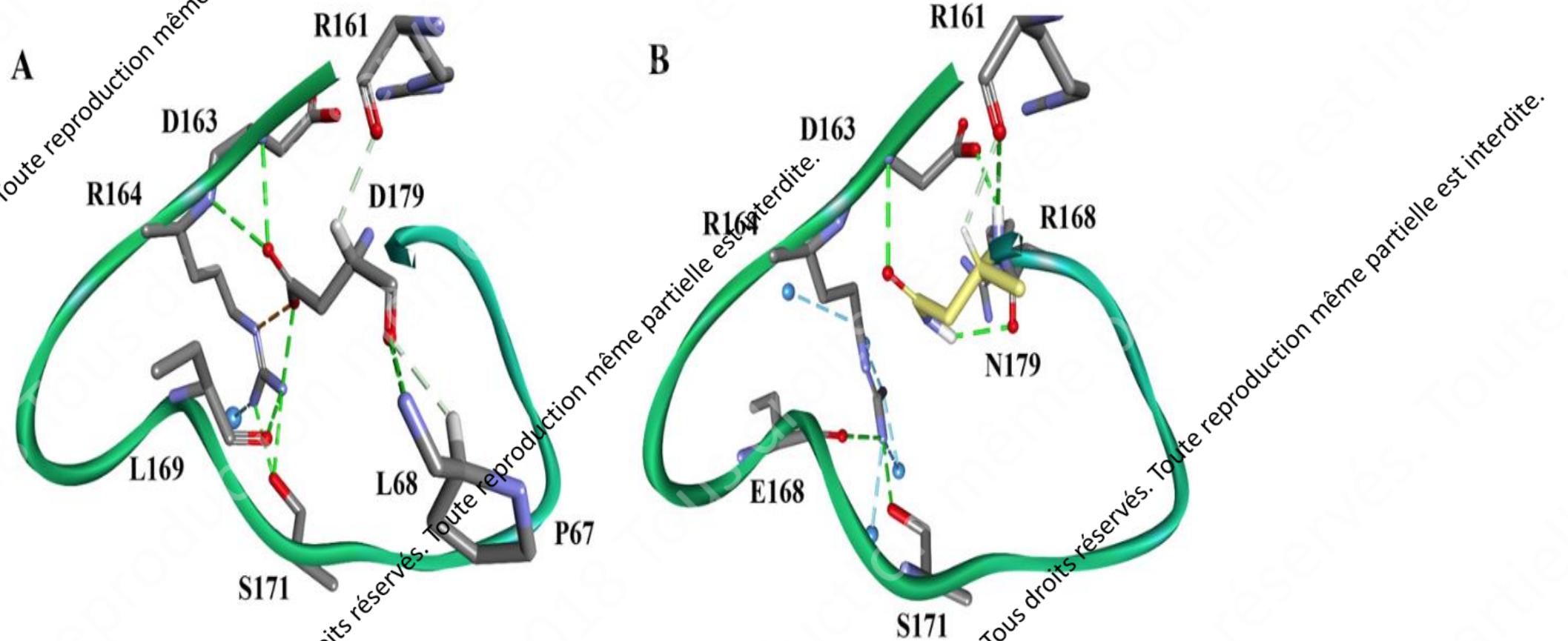


FIG 1 Ω -Loop hydrogen bond networking changes due to the aspartate (D) to-asparagine (N) substitution at Ambler position 179 in KPC-2. (A) KPC-2. (B) Asp179Asn (D179N) variant.

Is the reported early development of resistance
a unique flaw of ceftazidime/avibactam or might it
be seen with other new β -lactam/ β -lactamase
inhibitor combinations?

How commonly will the mechanisms causing this
phenotype be found in the clinic?

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Tremendous new !

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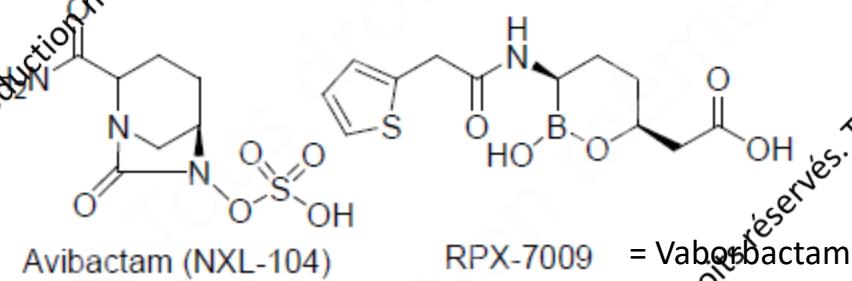
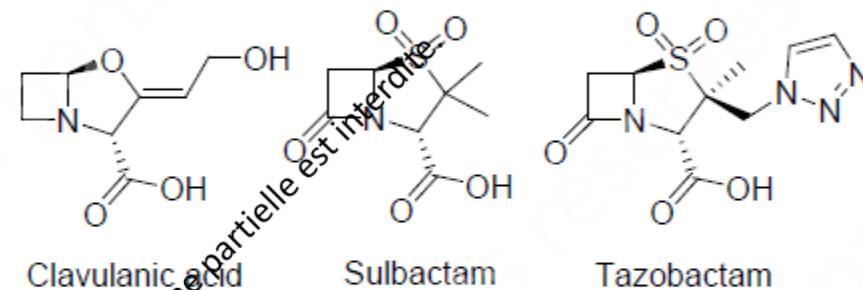
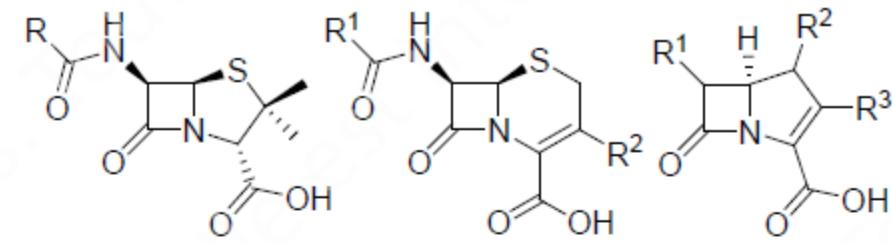
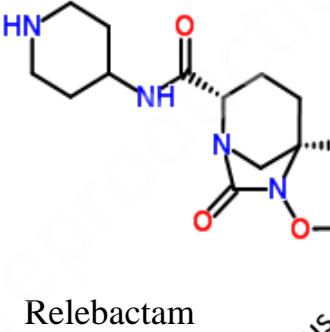
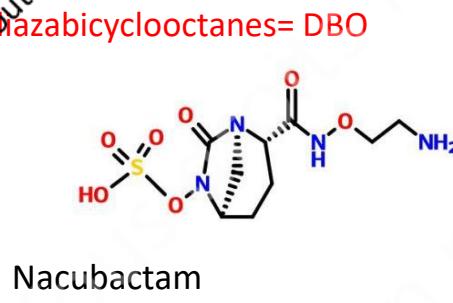
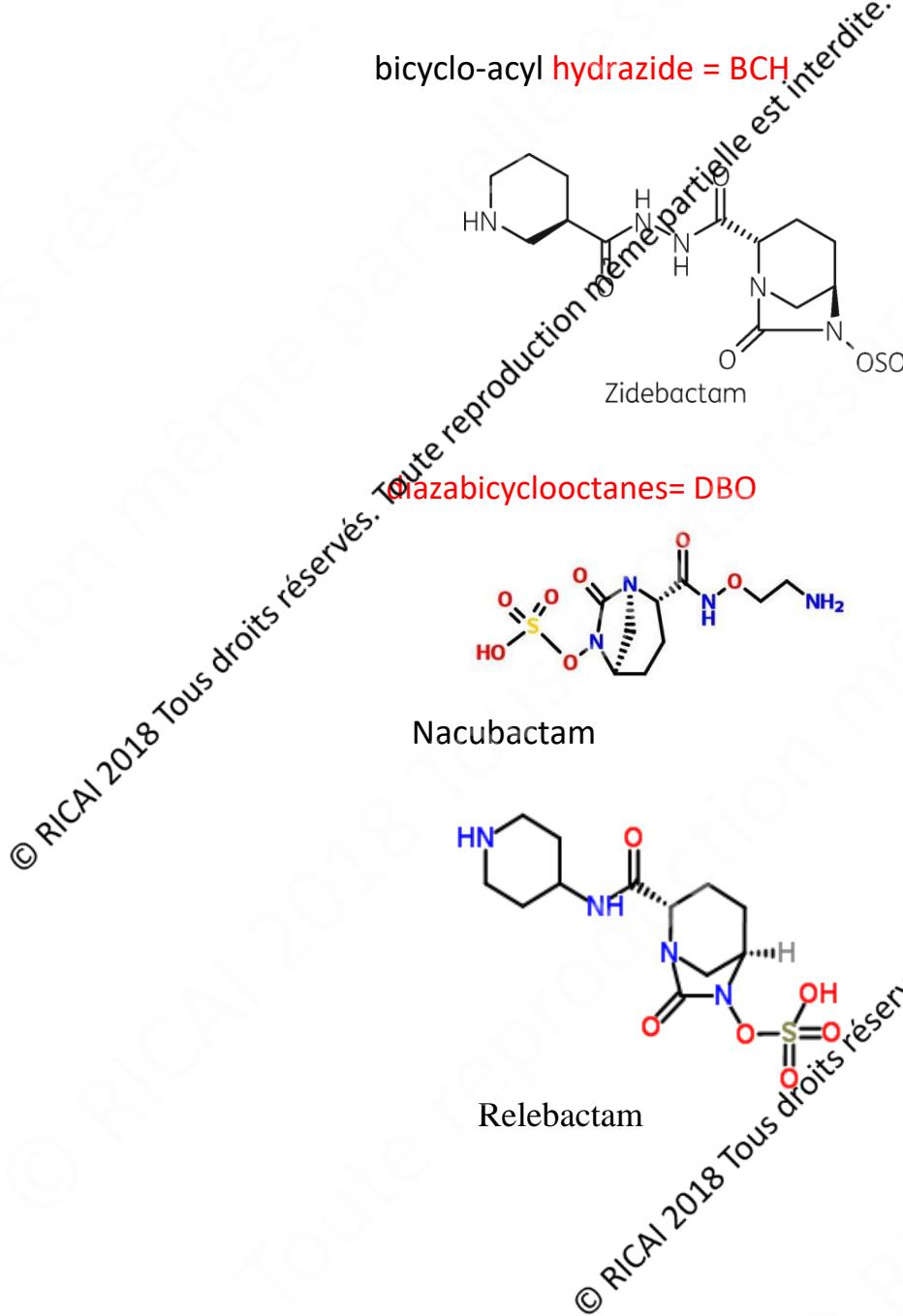
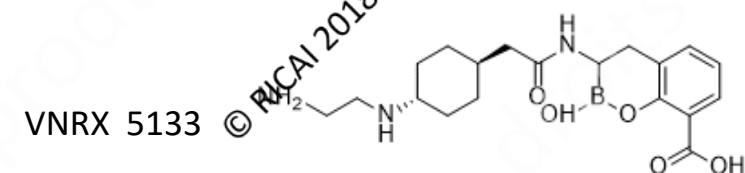


Figure 1: β -Lactam antibiotics and β -lactamase inhibitors.



Designed for *Pseudomonas aeruginosa*

Relebactam (+ imipenem/cilastatin)

Triple combination (includes cilastatin DHP-1 inhibitor)

- Relebactam is more stable to hydrolysis by KPC-2 than avibactam
- Potentiates activity of imipenem against some CRPA (potential advantage vs vaborbactam/meropenem)

•Relebactam

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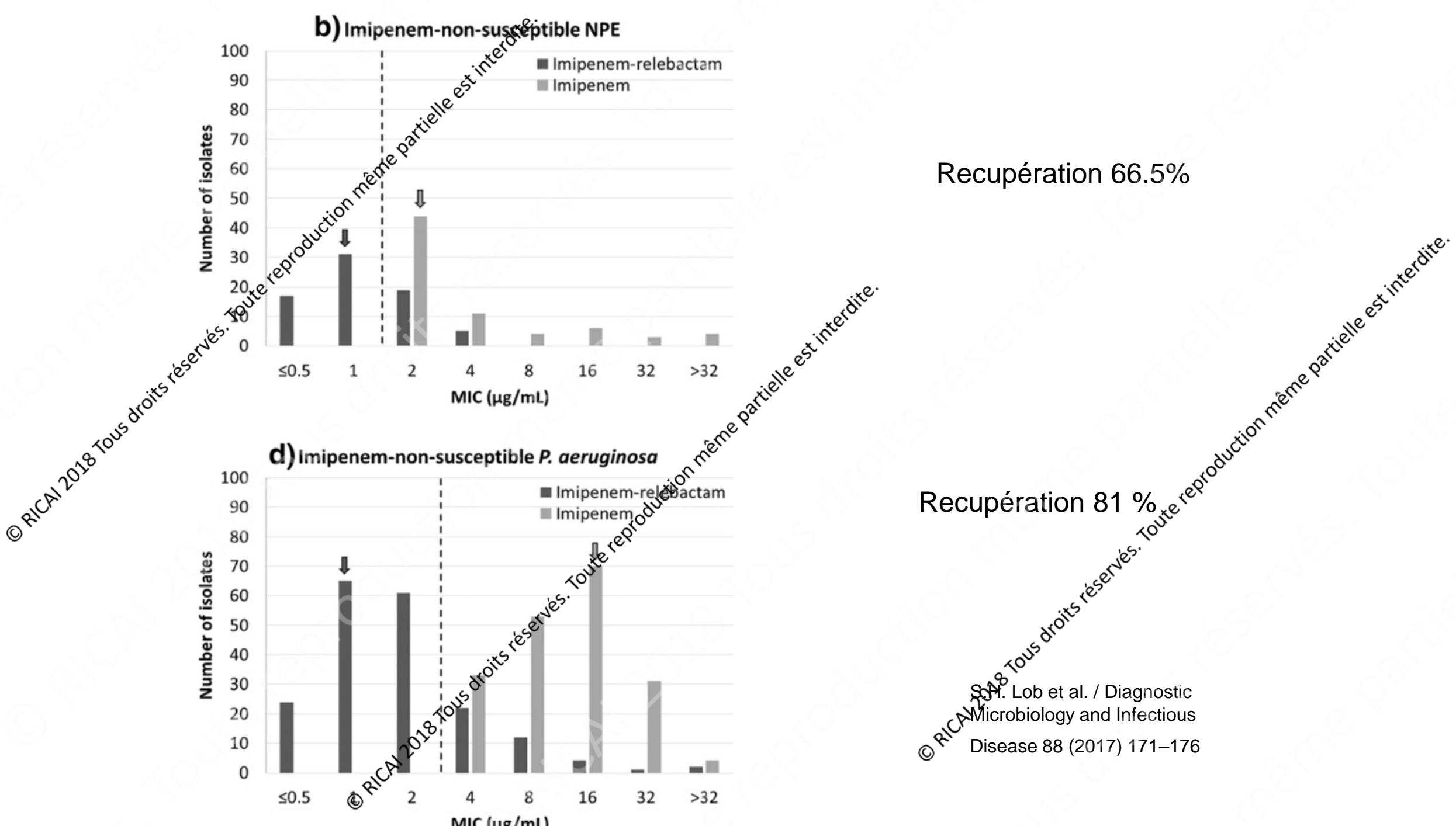
Organism	n	Drug	MIC (mg/L)						
			≤0.5	1	2	4	8	16	32
<i>P. aeruginosa</i>	1065	IMI	20.8	58.3	64.1	68.9	81.4	94.2	97.4
		IMI/REL	69.9	80.9	91.5	93.7	96.2	96.9	97.8
<i>P. aeruginosa</i> , IMI-NS	331	IMI					40.3	81.3	91.5
		IMI/REL	9.7	40.2	72.5	79.8	87.6	90.0	93.1
NPE	1949	IMI	76.3	89.3	94.0	95.5	96.5	97.3	97.7
		IMI/REL	87.6	95.7	97.5	98.4	98.7	98.9	99.0
NPE, IMI-NS	116	IMI				26.7	40.5	55.2	61.2
		IMI/REL	39.7	46.6	78.6	73.3	78.4	81.9	83.6

Shaded area indicates susceptible by EUCAST 2015 imipenem breakpoint; MIC₉₀ bolded; NPE, non-Proteobacteriae Enterobacteriaceae; IMI, imipenem; REL, relebactam; NS, non-susceptible



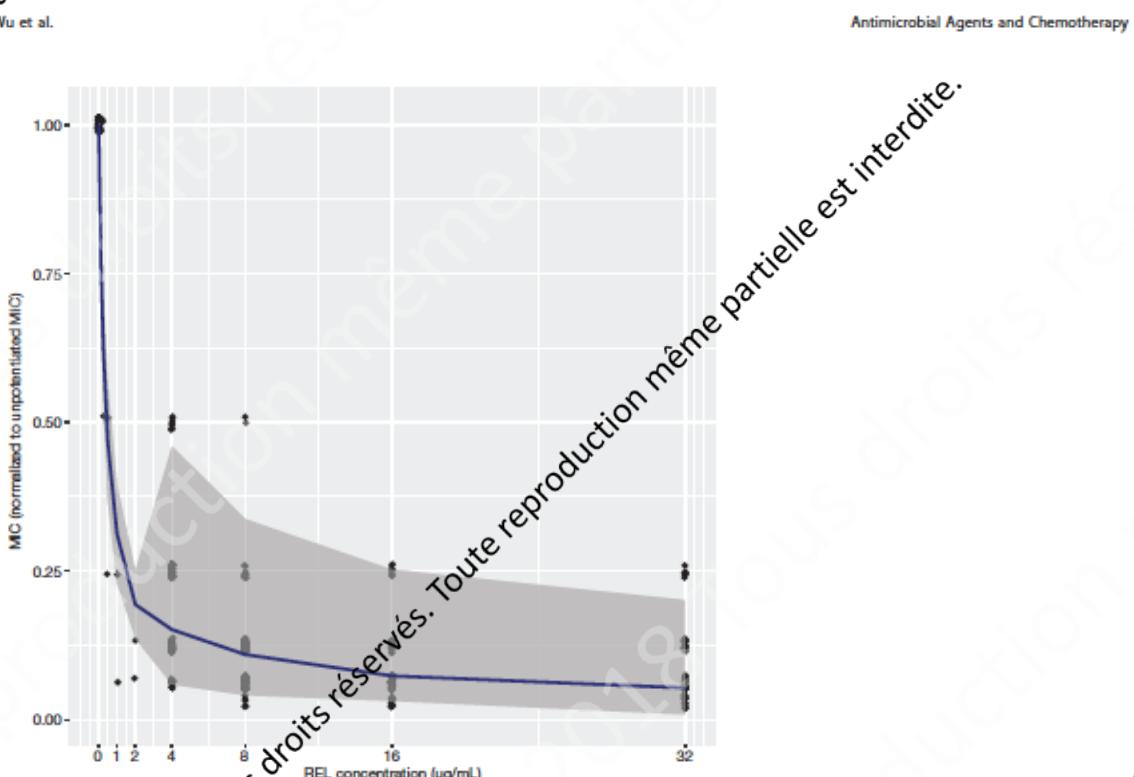
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IMI /REL synergie maximale 4 mg/L

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In *P. aeruginosa*, there was an MIC reduction in **OprD-deficient** strains from 16–64 mg/L to 1–4 mg/L.

A minimal effect of **relebactam** was seen in OXA-48 producing isolates. Isolates with an initial carbapenem MIC >64 mg/L had an MIC reduction to 16 mg/L with the addition of high dose 32mg/L relebactam.

Relebactam does not induce ampC as did avibactam

Inactivation of the porin protein OmpK36 in *K. pneumoniae* has been reported to confer resistance to both imipenem-relebactam and meropenem-vaborbactam.

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KPC-2 vs. KPC-3 Activity

KPC Producing <i>K. pneumoniae</i> (n=62)	Imipenem-Relebactam Median MIC (range)	P-value	Ceftazidime-Avibactam Median MIC (range)	P-value*
KPC-3 variant	0.25 (0.125-0.5)	0.31	128 (16-512)	0.0001
No KPC-3 variant	0.5 (0.125-4)		2 (0.25-16)	

*p<0.0001 by multivariate analysis

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Identifying Spectra of Activity and Therapeutic Niches for Ceftazidime-Avibactam and Imipenem-Relebactam against Carbapenem-Resistant *Enterobacteriaceae*

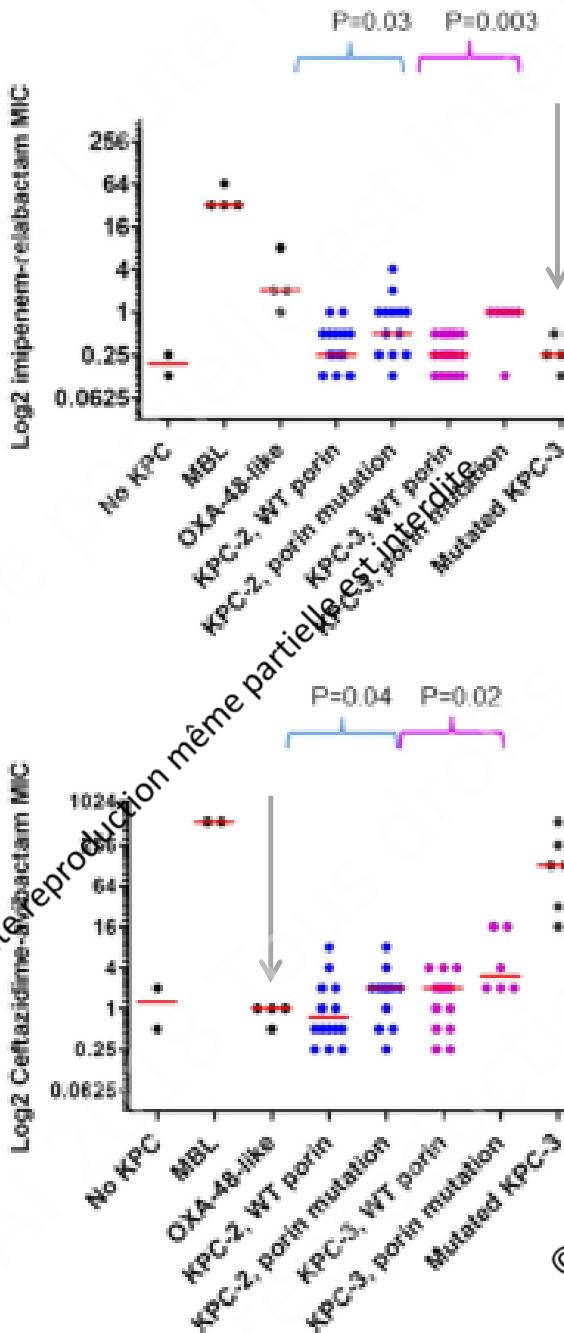
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TABLE 4 Factors independently associated with imipenem, imipenem-relebactam, ceftazidime-avibactam MICs against KPC-*K. pneumoniae* isolates by multivariate analysis^a

Factor	P value			
	Imipenem	Imipenem-relebactam	Ceftazidime	Ceftazidime-avibactam
ESBL	0.84	0.44	0.002	0.90
KPC-3 variant	0.21	0.74	0.01	<0.0001
Major OmpK36 mutation	<0.0001	<0.0001	0.001	0.07

^aIsolates that carried MBL and OXA-carbapenemase were excluded from the analysis.



IMI/REL

CAZ/AVI

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Boronic acid compounds

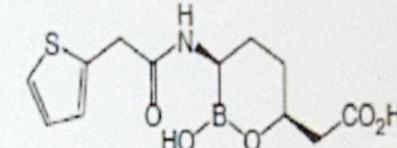
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Vaborbactam (+ meropenem) - Vabomere™

- First in new class of boronate BLIs
- Approved for cUTI

Mainly inhibits class A β -lactamases. Restores susceptibility to MEM in KPC-producing Enterobacteriaceae but not in MBL producers.



vaborbactam

Bore atome déficient électron= électrophile fort liaison covalente avec sérine β lactamases

Possède un thiophène comme la céfoxidine

Liaison covalente réversible

Inhibition réversible KPC > 15h vs < 10 minutes pour ESBL et ampC

D'ou association avec le méropénème

Breakpoints 4/8 mg/L

Pas actif sur Pyo et Acinetobacter (activité = méropénème seul)

Perfusion lente de 3h



TABLE 1 MICs of ceftazidime and aztreonam alone or in combination with BLIs against the panel of engineered *E. coli* strains producing various cloned beta-lactamases^a

Strain	Beta-lactamase	Class	Antibiotic MIC ($\mu\text{g/ml}$) In the absence or presence of BLIs									
			CAZ	CAZ + VAB	CAZ + TZB	CAZ + CLA	CAZ + ATM	ATM + VAB	ATM + TZB	ATM + CLA	MEM + MEM	
ECM6704	None		≤ 0.125	≤ 0.125	≤ 0.125	≤ 0.125	≤ 0.125	≤ 0.125	≤ 0.125	≤ 0.125	≤ 0.03	
ECM6701	KPC-2	A-CARB	4	≤ 0.125	4	2	32	≤ 0.125	16	16	2	≤ 0.03
ECM6702	KPC-3	A-CARB	16	≤ 0.125	16	8	32	≤ 0.125	16	16	2	≤ 0.03
ECM6696	SME-2	A-CARB	1	≤ 0.125	≤ 0.125	0.25	> 128	0.25	4	16	16	≤ 0.03
ECM6696	NMC-A	A-CARB	0.5	≤ 0.125	0.25	0.25	64	≤ 0.125	8	8	1	≤ 0.03
ECM6718	SHV-5	A-ESBL	8	0.5	≤ 0.125	≤ 0.125	16	1	≤ 0.125	≤ 0.125	≤ 0.03	≤ 0.03
ECM6698	SHV-12	A-ESBL	32	2	≤ 0.125	≤ 0.125	32	4	≤ 0.125	≤ 0.125	≤ 0.03	≤ 0.03
ECM6699	SHV-18	A-ESBL	8	0.5	≤ 0.125	≤ 0.125	16	1	≤ 0.125	≤ 0.125	≤ 0.03	≤ 0.03
ECM6713	TEM-10	A-ESBL	128	16	0.25	0.25	16	4	≤ 0.125	≤ 0.125	≤ 0.03	≤ 0.03
ECM6714	TEM-26	A-ESBL	128	2	≤ 0.125	0.25	8	2	≤ 0.125	≤ 0.125	≤ 0.03	≤ 0.03
ECM6695	CTX-M-3	A-ESBL	1	≤ 0.125	≤ 0.125	≤ 0.125	4	≤ 0.125	≤ 0.125	≤ 0.125	≤ 0.03	≤ 0.03
ECM6693	CTX-M-14	A-ESBL	1	≤ 0.125	≤ 0.125	≤ 0.125	4	≤ 0.125	≤ 0.125	≤ 0.125	≤ 0.03	≤ 0.03
ECM6694	CTX-M-15	A-ESBL	4	≤ 0.125	≤ 0.125	≤ 0.125	8	0.25	≤ 0.125	≤ 0.125	≤ 0.03	≤ 0.03
ECM6692	DHA-1	C	8	0.25	≤ 0.125	8	2	0.25	≤ 0.125	2	≤ 0.03	≤ 0.03
ECM6691	MIR-1	C	32	0.5	8	32	32	1	16	32	≤ 0.03	≤ 0.03
ECM6705	FOX-5	C	32	8	32	32	2	0.5	2	2	≤ 0.03	≤ 0.03
ECM6715	AmpC-ECL (P99-like)	C	16	0.25	1	16	16	0.5	2	16	≤ 0.03	≤ 0.03
ECM6700	CMY-2	C	16	0.25	0.5	16	8	0.25	1	8	≤ 0.03	≤ 0.03
ECM6697	OXA-2	D	1	≤ 0.125	0.25	≤ 0.125	≤ 0.125	ND	ND	ND	≤ 0.03	≤ 0.03
ECM6712	OXA-10	D	≤ 0.125	≤ 0.125	≤ 0.125	≤ 0.125	≤ 0.125	ND	ND	ND	≤ 0.03	≤ 0.03
ECM6716	OXA-48	D-CARB	≤ 0.125	≤ 0.125	≤ 0.125	≤ 0.125	≤ 0.125	≤ 0.125	ND	ND	≤ 0.125	0.125
ECM6703	NDM-1	B	> 128	> 128	> 128	> 128	> 128	≤ 0.125	≤ 0.125	≤ 0.125	16	16
ECM6711	VIM-1	B	128	128	128	128	128	≤ 0.125	≤ 0.125	≤ 0.125	1	1

^aAll beta-lactamase inhibitors were tested at a fixed concentration of 4 $\mu\text{g/ml}$. BLIs, beta-lactamase inhibitors; CAZ, ceftazidime; ATM, aztreonam; MEM, meropenem; VAB, vaborbactam; TZB, temocillin; CLA, clavulanic acid; ND, not done; A-CARB, class A carbapenemase; D-CARB, class D carbapenemase.



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Meropenem-Vaborbactam Tested Against Contemporary Gram-Negative Isolates Collected Worldwide during 2014, Including Carbapenem-Resistant, KPC-Producing, Multidrug-Resistant, and Extensively Drug-Resistant *Enterobacteriaceae*

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TABLE 2 Activities of meropenem-vaborbactam (inhibitor at fixed concentration of 8 µg/ml) and comparator antimicrobial agents against Gram-negative isolates collected during 2014

Bacterial group (n) and antimicrobial agent	MIC ₅₀ (µg/ml)	MIC ₉₀ (µg/ml)	MIC range (µg/ml)	Susceptibility using CLSI breakpoint ^a			Susceptibility using EUCAST breakpoint ^a		
				% S	% I	% R	% S	% I	% R
<i>Enterobacteriaceae</i> (10,426)									
Meropenem-vaborbactam	≤0.015	0.06	≤0.015->32						
Meropenem	0.03	0.06	≤0.015->32	97.3	0.3	2.3	97.7	0.8	1.5
CRE (265)									
Meropenem-vaborbactam	0.5	32	≤0.015->32						
Meropenem	16	>32	0.25->32	1.9	6.0	92.1	7.9	32.1	60.0
KPC producers (135)									
Meropenem-vaborbactam	0.12	0.5	≤0.015-8						
Meropenem	>32	>32	1->32	0.7	4.4	94.8	5.2	15.6	79.3
Non-KPC-producing CRE (129)									
Meropenem-vaborbactam	4	>32	≤0.015->32						
Meropenem	8	>32	0.25->32	3.1	7.0	89.9	10.1	49.6	40.3
<i>P. aeruginosa</i> (204)									
Meropenem-vaborbactam	0.5	8	≤0.015->32						
Meropenem	0.5	8	≤0.015->32	78.4	7.0	14.6	78.4	12.9	8.7

Actif sur BLSE, **KPC**

Non actif sur classe B (VIM et NDM)
très peu actif sur classe D

(OXA 48 et OXA 163)

Activité association $\geq 2 \times$ activité du méropénème sur *Acinetobacter*, *Stenotrophomonas*, *Pseudomonas*

Résistance: ompK 36

Sur-copie des CTXM et efflux

Augmentation des copies du gène BLA_{kpc}

Non affecté par suppression ompK37

Efflux seul

Efflux by the multidrug resistance efflux pump AcrAB-TolC had a minimal impact on vaborbactam activity.

When deletion of the *ompK36* gene, the meropenem MIC (128 µg/ml) was 4-fold higher

Strains of *K. pneumoniae* that carry a variant of OmpK36 with a duplication of two amino acids, Gly134 and Asp135 (GD repeat), are frequently reported in clinical settings

TABLE 6 Effects of various concentrations of vaborbactam on meropenem MICs in isogenic KPC-3-producing strains of *K. pneumoniae* with efflux and porin mutations

KPC-3 ^a -containing strain	Parent strain	Description	Meropenem MIC (µg/ml) in the presence of the following concn of vaborbactam (µg/ml):												MPC _{max} ^b (µg/ml)	
			0	0.06	0.125	0.25	0.5	1	2	4	8	16	32	64	128	
Isogenic laboratory strains																
KPM1271	KPM1026a	Wild type	16	0.25	0.25	0.06	0.06	0.06	0.06	0.06	0.06	0.06	0.06	0.06	0.25	
KPM2601	KPM2600	<i>ompK35</i> inactivated	16	2	1	0.5	0.125	0.06	0.06	0.06	0.06	0.06	0.06	0.06	0.06	1
KPM2599	KPM2592	<i>ompK36</i> inactivated	32	32	16	8	8	8	0.5	0.25	0.125	0.06	0.06	0.06	0.06	16
KPM2067	KPM2040	<i>ompK36</i> inactivated	32	32	16	16	16	4	1	0.5	0.125	0.06	0.06	0.06	0.06	16
KPM2631	KPM2613	<i>omp35</i> and <i>ompK36</i> inactivated	256	256	256	128	128	64	16	4	1	0.5	0.25	0.25	0.125	128
KPM2965	KPM2966	<i>acrAB</i> upregulated, <i>ompK35</i> and <i>ompK36</i> inactivated	256	256	256	128	128	64	32	8	2	1	0.5	0.5	0.25	128
KPM1272	KPM1027	<i>acrAB</i> upregulated, <i>ompK35</i> downregulated	16	8	2	2	0.5	0.25	0.06	0.06	0.06	0.06	0.06	0.06	0.06	2
KPM2818	KPM2658	<i>acrAB</i> upregulated, <i>ompK35</i> downregulated, <i>ompK36</i> inactivated	256	256	256	128	64	32	16	8	2	1	1	0.5	0.5	64
Clinical strains and derivatives																
KP1074	NA ^c	<i>ompK35</i> inactivated, ^d <i>ompK36</i> is the same as in KP1004 but has the GD repeat ^e	128	128	128	64	64	64	8	1	0.5	0.25	0.125	0.125	0.125	32
KPM2644 ^f	KP1074	KP1074 Δ <i>ompK35</i> , <i>ompK35</i> and <i>ompK36</i> inactivated	512	512	512	512	256	256	128	8	2	0.5	0.25	0.125	0.125	32
KP1004	NA	<i>ompK35</i> inactivated, full-length <i>ompK36</i>	32	4	4	2	0.5	0.125	0.03	0.03	0.03	0.03	0.03	0.03	0.03	2

^aAll strains produced KPC-3 and TEM-1, encoded by genes carried on plasmid pKpQIL. Both KPM1026a derivatives and clinical isolates also produced a chromosomal SHV enzyme, encoded by *bla_{SHV-24}* and *bla_{SHV-11}*, respectively.

^bMPC_{max}, maximum potentiating concentration of the inhibitor required to reduce the meropenem MIC to the level seen in the parent strain that lacks KPC, corresponding to complete inhibition of KPC.

^cNA, not available.

^dA frameshift in the OmpK35 sequence at amino acid 42.

^eThe GD repeat is a duplication of two amino acids, Gly134 and Asp135, located within the L3 internal loop and associated with reduced susceptibility to carbapenems due to constriction of the channel (29).

^fKPM2644 was constructed as follows. First, pKpQIL was cured from KP1074. Second, the resulting strain was used to select for an Sm^r mutant (on 200 µg/ml of streptomycin) to facilitate conjugation experiments. Third, *ompK36* was disrupted in KPM1308, giving rise to KPM2617. Finally, plasmid pKpQIL was conjugated from KP1074 into KPM2617.

IMI/REL compared to MERO/VABOR

- Clinical isolates from 11 Queens and Brooklyn hospitals
- Carbapenems tested at 2-fold dilutions, with 4 ug/ml REL or 8 ug/ml VABOR
- Against KPC *K. pneumoniae* relebactam and vaborbactam restored imipenem or meropenem susceptibility, respectively, to all isolates
- Against resistant *P. aeruginosa*
 - relebactam restored IMI susceptibility to all isolates; IMI MIC_{50/90} 1/2 ug/ml in the presence of REL
 - vaborbactam did not restore MERO susceptibility to MERO resistant isolates; MERO MIC_{50/90} 8/32 ug/ml in the presence of VABOR

Organism (n)	MIC 50/90 ug/ml		Organism (n)	MIC 50/90 ug/ml	
	Imipenem	Imi + Rel (REL 4ug/ml)		Meropenem	Mero + Vabor (VABOR 8 ug/ml)
<i>K. pneumoniae</i> KPC (111)	16 / >16	0.25 / 1	<i>K. pneumoniae</i> KPC (121)	>16 / >16	0.03 / 0.5
<i>P. aeruginosa</i> IMI-R (144)	8 / >16	1 / 2	<i>P. aeruginosa</i> MERO-R (98)	8 / 32	8 / 32

Classe B ?

Ambler-Klasse	Wichtige Enzyme	Ceftazidim/Avibactam	Ceftolozan/Tazobactam	Imipenem/Cilastatin + Relebactam	Meropenem + Vaborbactam	Aztreonam/Avibactam	Cefiderocol
A	ESBL (TEM, SHV, CTX-M)						
	KPC						
B	MBL (NDM, VIM, IMP)						
C	AmpC (MOX, CMY, FOX)						
D	OXA (OXA-48, OXA-23)						

Figure 4 consists of four panels (A, B, C, D) illustrating the MBL fold and its active sites. Panel A shows the overall MBL fold with colored sticks representing active site residues. Panels B, C, and D provide detailed views of the active sites for Subclass B1, Subclass B2, and Subclass B3 respectively. The zinc coordination spheres are shown as grey spheres, and the coordination bonds are represented as thin black lines. Water molecules are shown as red dots.

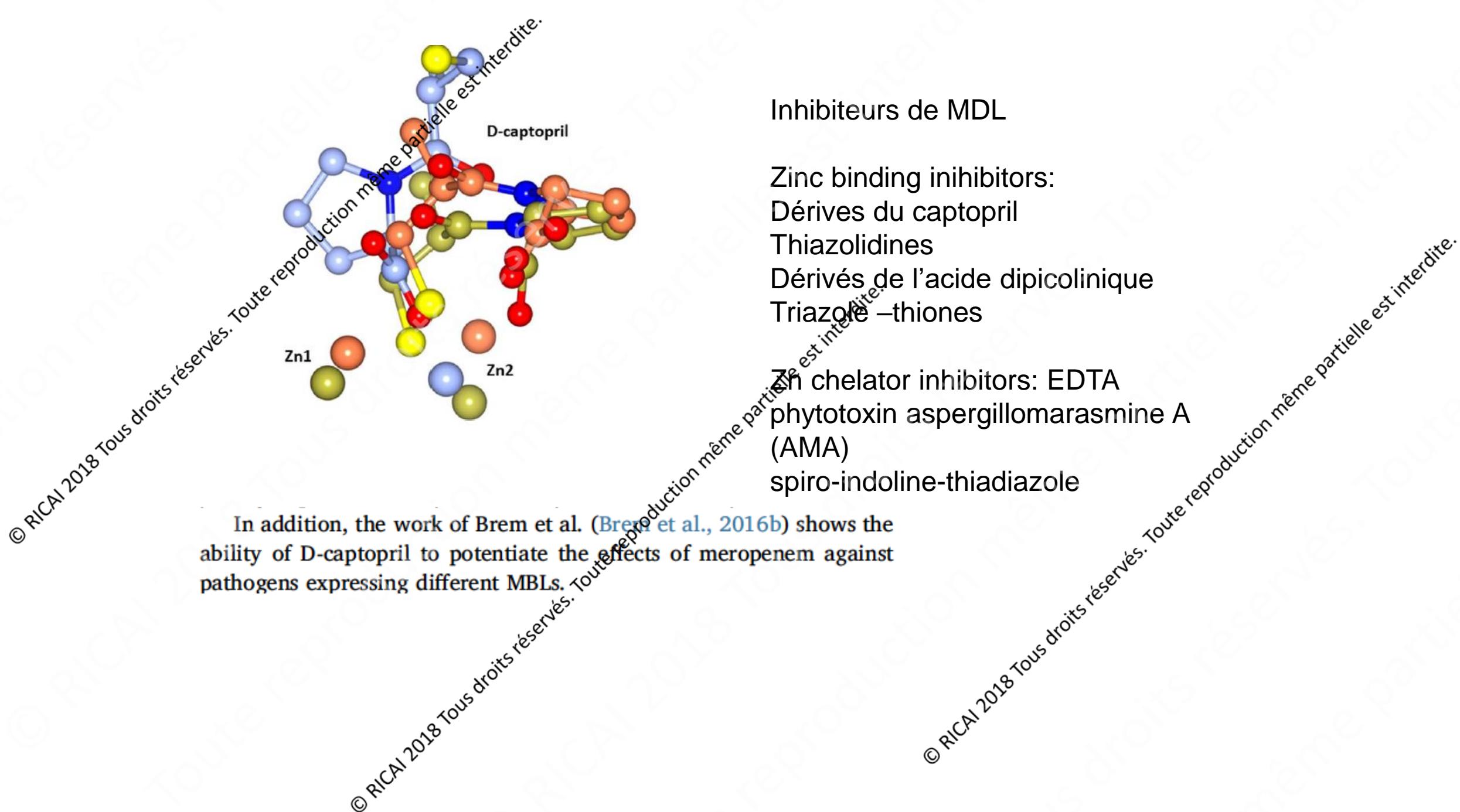
Panel A: Shows the MBL fold with colored sticks representing active site residues.

Panel B: Shows the Subclass B1 active site and zinc coordination sphere. Key residues include His118, His116, Asp120, Zn1, Zn2, His263, Cys221, His196, and Wb/OH⁻.

Panel C: Shows the Subclass B2 active site and zinc coordination sphere. Key residues include His118, Asn116, Asp120, Zn2, Wat, His263, Cys221, His196, His116, His118, Zn1, Zn2, His263, His121, His196, Asp120, Wb/OH⁻, and Wat.

Panel D: Shows the Subclass B3 active site and zinc coordination sphere. Key residues include His118, His116, Asp120, Zn1, Zn2, His263, Cys221, His196, His116, His118, Zn1, Zn2, His263, His121, His196, Asp120, Wb/OH⁻, and Wat.

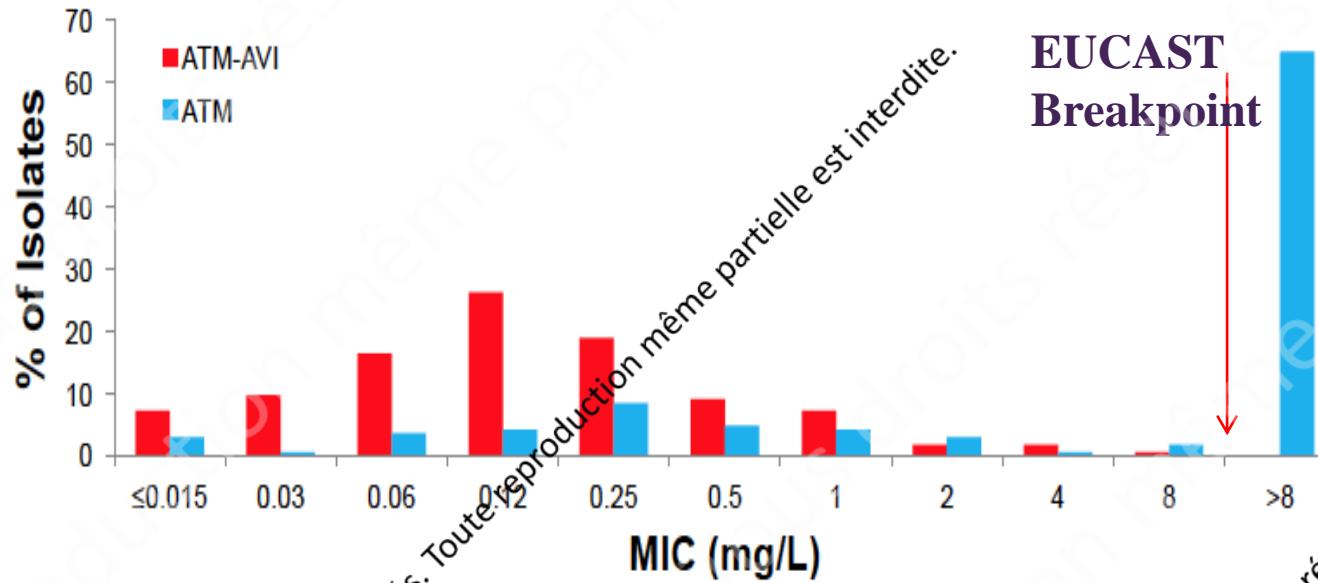
Fig. 4. (A) The MBL fold. The active site location is shown by representing active site residues as sticks. (B) Subclass B1 active site and zinc coordination sphere. (C) Subclass B2 active site and zinc coordination sphere. (D) Subclass B3 active site and zinc coordination sphere. The coordination bonds to the Zn^{2+} ions (grey spheres) are represented as thin black lines.



Microbiological Activity

MBL-Producing *Enterobacteriaceae*

MIC Distribution of ATM and ATM-AVI (at constant 4 mg/L AVI) for MBL-producing *Enterobacteriaceae* (n=163), collected from global surveillance studies (2012-2014)



- Avibactam potentiates the activity of aztreonam against MBL-producing *Enterobacteriaceae* (MIC_{90} decreases from >128 to 1 mg/L; 8 mg/L highest MIC observed)

May The A+A Force Be With You!

Loading dose of 500 mg aztreonam/137 mg avibactam infused over 30 minutes,
followed by 1500 mg aztreonam/410 mg avibactam every 6 hours infused over 3
hours.

Table 1. Susceptibility and β -lactamase content of clinical isolates

Pathogen	Strain	β -Lactamases	MIC (mg/L)	
			ATM	ATM/AVI ^a
<i>K. pneumoniae</i>	ARC3803	NDM-1, CTX-M-15, OXA-14, SHV-1, TEM-1	256	0.25
	ARC3602	NDM-1, TEM-1, CTX-M-15, SHV-11, CMY-6	256	0.5
	ARC3802	NDM-1, TEM-1, CTX-M-15, SHV-2a, SHV-11	128	0.125
<i>E. coli</i>	ARC3805	NDM-1, TEM-208, OXA-1, OXA-2, CTX-M-15, CMY-4	>256	4
	ARC3807	NDM-1, TEM-1, SHV-12, OXA-9, CMY-42	>256	8
	ARC3600	NDM-1, OXA-1, CMY-6	16	0.125

ATM, aztreonam; AVI, avibactam.

^aAvibactam at 4 mg/L.

The Zone of Hope

Informs therapy options for CPE co-producing metallo- and serine- β -lactamases



A number of clinical observations have now been published evaluating aztreonam combined with ceftazidime/avibactam

These have shown successful outcomes in small numbers of patients with infections due to NDM-producing Enterobacteriaceae, carbapenem-resistant *P. aeruginosa* and *Stenotrophomonas maltophilia*.

However, no randomized controlled trials are underway with this combination, nor have analyses been published evaluating the optimal time of administration of aztreonam relative to the ceftazidime/avibactam.

These are important considerations that need investigation.

Nacubactam is a DBO inhibitor with in vitro activity against class A, class C, and some class D β -lactamases. Lab :Roche

Nacubactam (NAC, RG6080, OP0595) is a novel dual action diazabicyclooctane having both a β - lactamase inhibitor activity and a direct antibacterial activity that can additionally translate to an “enhancer” effect when partnered with beta-lactams.

Activité > DBO sur MDL, also inhibit enterobacterial PBP2, achieving antibacterial activity and potentiating PBP3- targeted β -lactams; this can allow activity against strains with enzymes not inhibited by DBOs, including MBLs.

Isolate group:	NAC	MEM:NAC [1:1] ¹	MEM:NAC [2:1] ¹	MEM:NAC [2] ²	MEM:NAC [4] ²	MEM
All (n=1553)	MIC ₅₀	2	0.12	0.25	≤ 0.004	≤ 0.004
	MIC ₉₀	> 32	2	4	0.5	128
Class A (n= 577)	MIC ₅₀	2	0.03	0.03	≤ 0.004	≤ 0.004
	MIC ₉₀	> 32	0.06	0.06	0.015	0.12
Class B (n= 123)	MIC ₅₀	4	2	4	0.008	≤ 0.004
	MIC ₉₀	> 32	32	32	64	> 256
Class C (n= 254)	MIC ₅₀	2	0.06	0.06	≤ 0.004	≤ 0.004
	MIC ₉₀	> 32	0.25	0.25	0.06	0.12
Class D (n= 212)	MIC ₅₀	32	1	2	0.25	0.12
	MIC ₉₀	> 32	4	8	8	64
KPC (n= 381)	MIC ₅₀	4		1	0.008	≤ 0.004
	MIC ₉₀	> 32	2	4	0.5	64
GES (n=6) ³	MIC range	1 -> 32	0.12 - 4	0.12 - 8	$\leq 0.004 - 8$	$\leq 0.004 - 1$

NAC, nacubactam; MEM, meropenem

¹Fixed MEM:NAC ratio; ²Fixed NAC concentration (mg/L); ³GES-6 or GES-20 carbapenemase-positive

Nacubactam (RG6080) alone and in combination against metallo-beta-lactamase (MBL)-producing Enterobacteriaceae.

D. Livermore

Activité > DBO sur MDL

2 populations MIC 1-8 mg/L (85%) ou >32mg/L (*Enterobacteriaceae*)

ACTIVITY ON MBLs

309 Enterobacteriaceae: 158 NDM, 52 VIM, 99 MBL

8+4 mg/L aztreonam-nacubactam inhibited

308

8+4 mg/l aztreonam + avibactam

303

8+4 mg/l cefepime + nacubactam

278

8+4 mg/l Cefepime + avibactam

68

4+4 mg/l meropenem +nacubactam

262

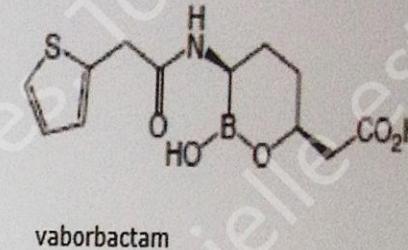
8+4 mg/l meropenem + avibactam

85

Boronic acid compounds

Vaborbactam (+ meropenem) - Vabomere™

- First in new class of boronate BLIs
 - Approved for cUTI
- Mainly inhibits class A β -lactamases. Restores susceptibility to MEM in KPC-producing Enterobacteriaceae but not in MBL producers

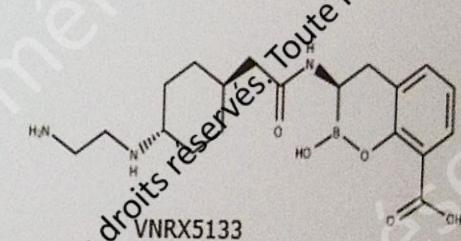


vaborbactam

VNRX-5133 (+cefepime)

- Dual inhibitor of SBLs and MBLs
- Potent activity against Enterobacteriaceae, including most MBLs (not IMP)
- Improved activity vs PA compared to cefepime alone or meropenem

Lab: venatox



VNRX5133

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VNRX-5133 is a novel cyclic boronate-based broad-spectrum β -lactamase inhibitor with potent and selective direct inhibitory activity against both serine- and metallo- β -lactamases (Ambler Classes A, B, C and D).

At a fixed concentration of **1 mg/L VNRX-5133**, the MIC₅₀ and MIC₉₀ were reduced to **0.25 and 2 mg/L**, respectively, for Enterobacteriaceae isolates, and to **16 and 64 mg/L**, respectively, for *P. aeruginosa* isolates.

To obtain a breakpoint MIC of ≤ 16 mg/L cefepime for 90% of the *P. aeruginosa* isolates, including strains with reduced permeability, **4 mg/L VNRX-5133** was required.

Shazad Mushtaq¹, Anna Vickers¹, Neil Woodford¹, David Livermore :
by **VNRX 5133 at 8 mg/L**

With KPC carbapenemases (GM MIC cefepime reduced from 24.8 mg/L to **0.16 mg/L**),
VIM carbapenemases (15.2 mg/L to **0.23 mg/L**),
NDM carbapenemases (104 mg/L to **2.9 mg/L**),
Combinations of ESBL plus impermeability (93.8 to **1 mg/L**)
and AmpC plus impermeability (2.7 mg/L to **0.38 mg/L**)

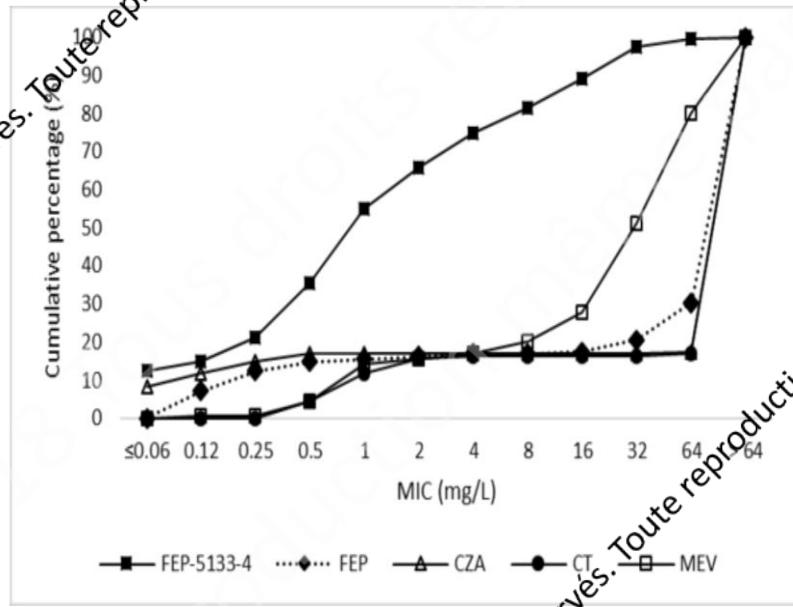
Actif sur VIM, NDM et pas IMP

Pas actif sur *Achromobacter* et variable *Pseudomonas*

Faible sur *Stenotrophomonas*

155 **Enterobacteriaceae** (130 NDM-producers, 25 OXA-producers), and 50 VIM-producing ***P. aeruginosa*** from 2013-2015 were included in this analysis. MICs of cefepime with VNRX-5133 at a fixed concentration of 4 mg/L (FEP/VNRX-5133)

The combination of **cefepime and VNRX-5133** demonstrated potent in vitro activity against these highly resistant Enterobacteriaceae, and was the most active antimicrobial tested.



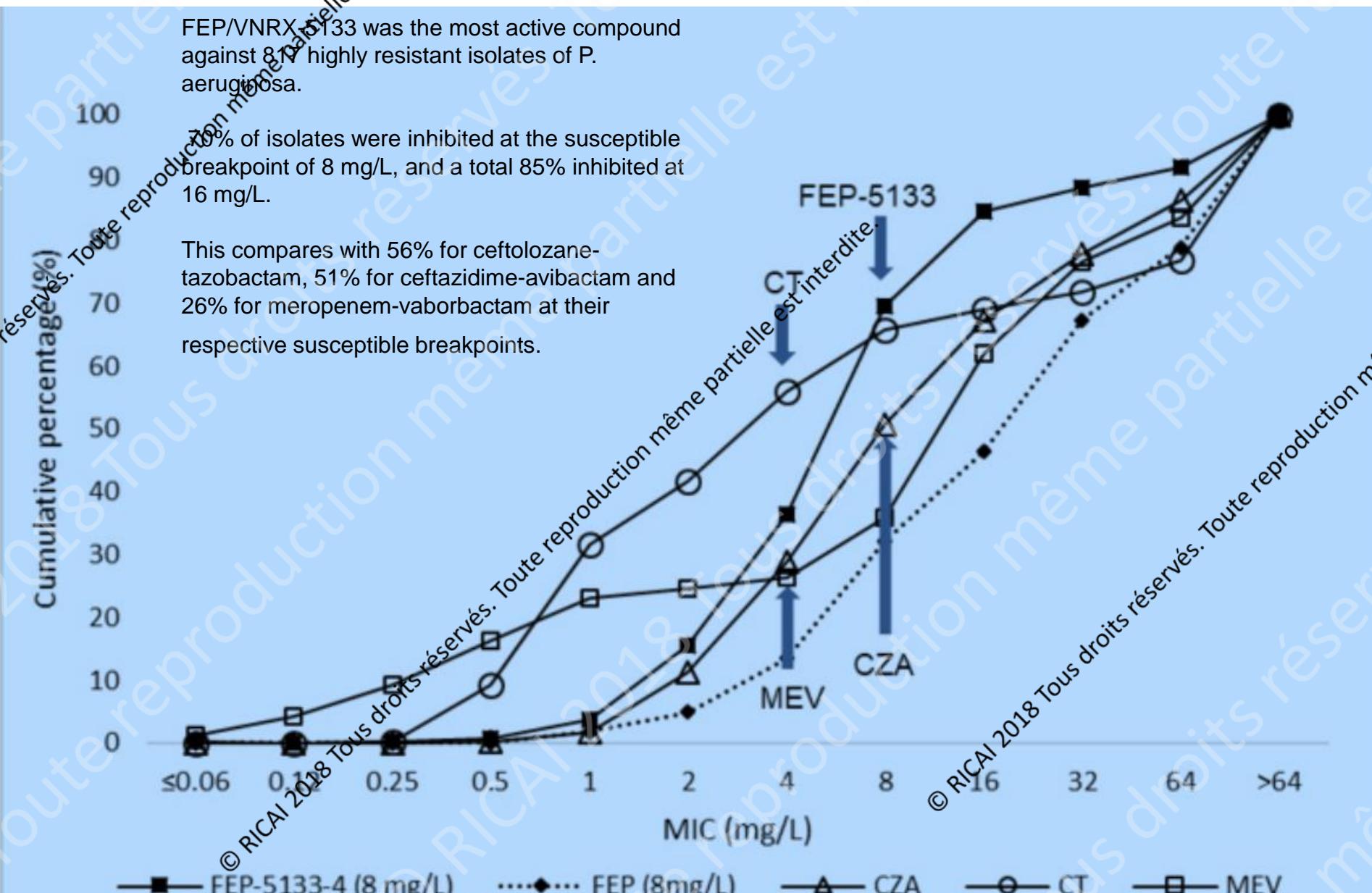
N=155 Enterobacteriaceae (130 NDM, 25 OXA-48; FEP-5133-4, cefepime tested in combination with VNRX-5133 at 4 mg/l; FEP, cefepime; CZA, ceftazidime-avibactam; CT, ceftolozane-tazobactam; MEV, meropenem-vaborbactam

81% of isolates were inhibited at the susceptible breakpoint of 8 mg/L, and a total of 89% were inhibited at 16 mg/L. In comparison, susceptibility was **17% for ceftazidime-avibactam, 16% for ceftolozane-tazobactam, 17% for meropenemvaborbactam**

P1542 In Vitro activity of ceftazidime in combination with VNRX-5133 against meropenem and/or ceftazidime resistant clinical isolates of *Pseudomonas aeruginosa*

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817 P. aeruginosa



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WCK 5107 (Zidebactam) and WCK 5153 Are Novel Inhibitors of PBP2 Showing Potent “ β -Lactam Enhancer” Activity against *Pseudomonas aeruginosa*, Including Multidrug-Resistant Metallo- β -Lactamase-Producing High-Risk Clones

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FIG 1 Chemical structures of ZID (zidebactam; WCK 5107) and WCK 5153.

Zidebactam Lab: Wockhardt

Zidebactam (ZID) and WCK 5153 (Fig. 1) are the first described Gram-negative β -lactam **enhancers** belonging to the bicyclo-acyl **hydrazide** (BCH) series.

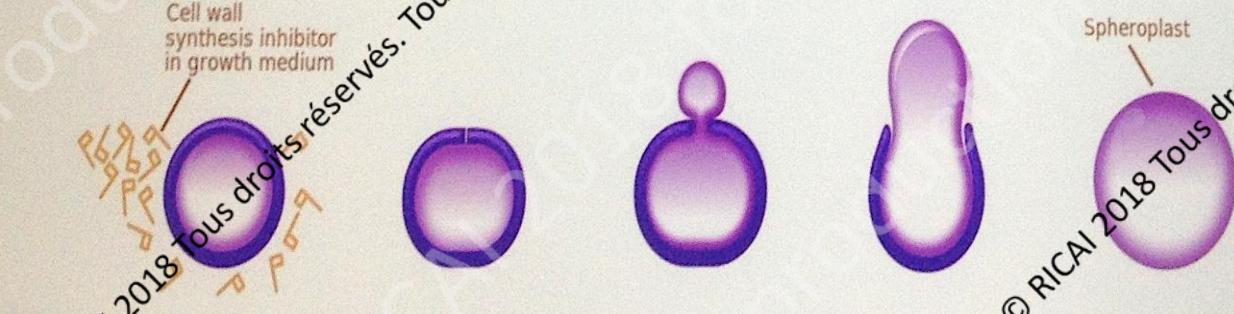
ZID in combination with cefepime (FEP) is currently under clinical development for infections caused by MDR Gram-negative organisms, including *P. aeruginosa* and *Acinetobacter baumannii*.

Although derived from a diazabicyclooctane (DBO) scaffold, **BCHs were designed** with the objective of augmenting **PBP2 binding in *P. aeruginosa* and *A. baumannii*** rather than the conventional approach of optimizing the β -lactamase inhibitory activity of the compound.

Avibactam, the first example of a DBO, in contrast possessed weak PBP2 affinity in Enterobacteriaceae

Cefepime-zidebactam

- Zidebactam is a **β-lactam “enhancer”** reduces the level of cefepime exposure required for efficacy. Both together act against PBP-1, 2 & 3:
 - High-affinity PBP2** engagement by zidebactam causes the cells to convert into **spheroplasts**
 - Perturbation in the outer membrane, leading to **modulation of membrane-bound resistance mechanisms** such as efflux, porin, and expression of **β-lactamases**
 - Then cefepime engages to other essential PBPs, leading to pronounced **bacterial lysis**.



Zidebactam

- Activité intrinsèque 60% des Entérobactérales à 4 mg/L
- *E. coli, Enterobacter* 0,06-0,25
- *Klebsiella* 0,12 >128
- *Proteae, Serratia* >> 128mg/L
- + céfémique actif sur 75% à 2 mg/L et 90% à 8 mg/L
- Peu actif sur OXA
- Pyo actif sur MBL 91% à 8 mg/L

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Cefepime/VNRX-5133 Broad-Spectrum Activity is maintained against Emerging KPC- and PDC-Variants in Multidrug Resistant *K. pneumoniae* and *P. aeruginosa*.

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Results:

Table 1: Susceptibility of parent and clinically-evolved KPC variant producing *K. pneumoniae* isolates.

<i>K. pneumoniae</i> producing KPC-3 relative to clinically evolved KPC-variant producing isolates	Minimal Inhibitory Concentration ($\mu\text{g/mL}$)				
	ceftazidime	ceftazidime/ avibactam	ceftolozane	ceftolozane/ tazobactam	cefepime
<i>Kp</i> 47621 (WT parent)	>128	2	>64	>64	>128
<i>Kp</i> 47623 (D179D, T243M)	>128	64	>64	>64	8
<i>Kp</i> 47769 (WT parent)	>128	2	64	64	16
<i>Kp</i> 47771 V240G	>128	64	>64	>64	16
<i>Kp</i> 47772 D179Y	128	8	64	64	8
<i>Kp</i> 47953 (WT parent)	128	8	64	64	8
<i>Kp</i> 48152 (T243A)	128	16	64	32	8
<i>Kp</i> 48823 (WT parent)	128	2	64	64	8
<i>Kp</i> 48824 (A177E, D179Y)	>128	>128	>64	>64	4
<i>Kp</i> 48825 (L7P, A177E, D179Y)	>128	>128	>64	>64	1
					0.5

Microbiological activity of cefepime/VNRX-5133 was also evaluated against ceftolozane/tazobactam-sensitive pre-treatment isolates relative to post-treatment clinical isolates of ceftolozane/tazobactam-resistant *P. aeruginosa*, resulting from mutations in β -lactamases (OXA and PDC) that evolved during clinical therapy (Table 2).⁷ Cefepime/VNRX-5133 MIC among these clinical isolates varied from 4-8 $\mu\text{g/mL}$ in all but one case (16 $\mu\text{g/mL}$) however, this elevated MIC was not due to the PDC-221 variant, as an engineered strain of *P. aeruginosa* producing PDC-221 had a cefepime/VNRX-5133 MIC of 1 $\mu\text{g/mL}$, unchanged relative to WT PDC-1.

TABLE 1 MICs and MBCs of β -lactams and zidebactam and WCK 5153 in the studied strains*P. aeruginosa*

Strain ^a	MIC/MBC (μ g/ml) ^b					<i>P. aeruginosa</i>			
	FEP	MEM	MEC	ZID	WCK 5153	FEP + ZID (2 μ g/ml)	FEP + WCK 5153 (1 μ g/ml)	FEP + ZID (1 μ g/ml)	FEP + WCK 5153 (0.5 μ g/ml)
PAO1	1/2	0.25/0.5	>32/ND	4/8	2/4	0.03/0.12	0.03/0.06	0.06/0.12	0.06/0.06
PAdB	16/32	2/2	>32/ND	8/8	4/8	4/4	2/2	4/8	4/4
PA Δ DDh2Dh3	16/16	1/2	>32/ND	4/16	2/8	1/2	1/4	2/8	2/4
PAOD	1/2	2/2	>32/ND	4/8	2/4	0.06/0.12	0.03/0.06	0.25/0.5	0.06/0.12
PAOM	0.12/0.12	0.06/0.12	2/ND	2/2	2/2	0.03/0.03	0.03/0.06	0.06/0.06	0.03/0.6
PAOMxR	2/4	1/2	>32/ND	8/16	4/4	2/4	2/2	4/4	2/2

^aPAO1, wild-type reference strain; PAdB, *ddcB* knockout mutant of PAO1; PA Δ DDh2Dh3, *ampD* triple (*ampD-ampDh2-ampDh3*) knockout mutant of PAO1; PAOD, PAO1 *oprD*-defective mutant of the porin OprD; PAOM, *oprM* knockout mutant of PAO1; PAOMxR, *mexB* knockout mutant of PAO1.

^bFEP, cefepime; MEM, meropenem; MEC, amdinocillin; ZID, zidebactam; WCK 5153, bicyclo-acyl hydrazide.

^cClinical and Laboratory Standards Institute (CLSI) susceptibility breakpoints: FEP, ≤ 8 μ g/ml; MEM, ≤ 2 μ g/ml; MEC, ZID, and WCK 5153, not determined (ND).

^dRange of concentrations tested, 0.0156 to 32 μ g/ml.

Zidebactam and WCK 5153 MICs for the AmpC β -lactamase-hyperproducing derivatives remained within 1 doubling dilution, suggestive of low-level to no class C -lactamase hydrolysis.

Likewise, neither overexpression nor lack of the intrinsic efflux pump MexAB-OprM caused a MIC change of more than 1 doubling dilution.

On the other hand, cefepime showed potent PBP1a and PBP3 inhibition, while meropenem inhibited PBP2, PBP3, and PBP4.

Nevertheless, none of the compounds demonstrated significant class D enzyme inhibition.

Zidebactam alone exhibited potent in vitro activity against some Enterobacteriaceae and *P. aeruginosa*, including β -lactamase-producing strains.

Cefepime/zidebactam MIC values were lower than those of each agent tested alone for many β -lactamase-producing strains, indicating synergy.

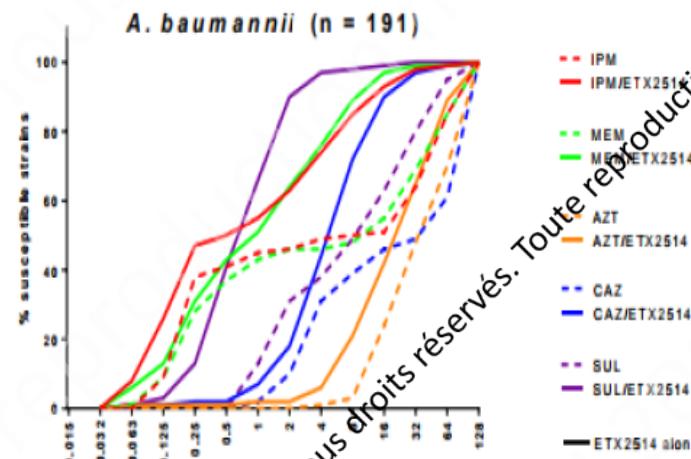
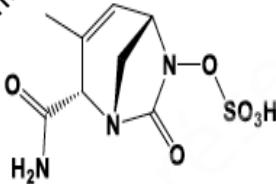
Cefepime/zidebactam (1:1) was very active against Enterobacteriaceae producing CTX-M-15 (MIC_{50/90} 0.25/1 mg/L), SHV (MIC_{50/90} 0.12/0.25 mg/L), other ESBLs (20, including GES-18, OXA-1/30 and OXY-, PER-, TEM- and VEB-like; MIC_{50/90} 0.25/1 mg/L), plasmidic AmpC (MIC_{50/90} 0.06/0.06 mg/L), derepressed AmpC (MIC_{50/90} 0.12/0.5 mg/L), KPC (MIC_{50/90} 0.25/1 mg/L) and metallo- β -lactamases (MBLs including VIM, IMP and NDM; MIC_{50/90} 0.5/8 mg/L).

Cefepime/zidebactam (1:1) was also active against *Pseudomonas aeruginosa* with overexpression of AmpC (MIC_{50/90} 4/8 mg/L) and MBLs (VIM and IMP); MIC_{50/90} 4/8 mg/L].

Cefepime/zidebactam showed moderate activity against OXA-23/24/58-producing *Acinetobacter baumannii* [MIC_{50/90} 32 mg/L (1:1)].

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Extended spectrum DABCO REI



Designed Acinetobacter

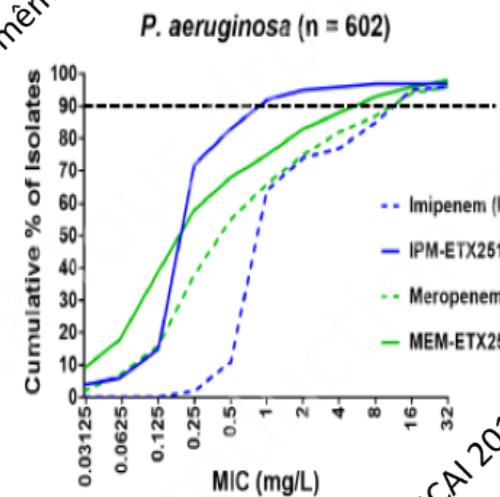
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ETX2514 – Class A ✓

Class C ✓

Class D ✓

- Covalent reactivity increased due to strain
- Combination w/ sulbactam against *A. baumannii*
- Phase 1 (Entasis Therapeutics from AstraZeneca)



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β -lactamase inhibitors

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β -lactamase with PBPs

	Phase	Indications/ Target Pathogens	Mode of Administration
Vaborbactam (boronate) + meropenem	NDA	cUTI, HABP/VABP	IV
Relebactam (DABCO) + imipenem + cilastatin	3	HABP/VABP	IV
Zidebactam (DABCO) + ceftazidime	1	CRE (ESBLs & KPCs)	IV
Nacubactam (DABCO) + meropenem	1	CRE	IV
AAI-101 (β -lactam) + ceftazidime or piperacillin	1	CRE (ESBLs & KPCs)	IV
VNRX-5133 (boronate) + unknown antibiotic	1	MBL producers	IV
ETX2514 + sulbactam (DABCO)	1	Aba	IV

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Novel β -lactam / β -lactamase Inhibitors for Carbapenemase-Producing Enterobacteriaceae

➤ β -lactam plus Novel Inhibitor

- Ceftazidime - Avibactam [KPC, OXA]
- Meropenem - Vaborbactam [KPC]
- Imipenem - Relebactam [KPC]
- Aztreonam - Avibactam [MBL]
- Cefepime - VNRX-5113 [KPC, OXA, MBL]
- Cefepime - Zidebactam [KPC, OXA, MBL]
- Meropenem - Nacubactam [KPC, MBL]

KPC: *K. pneumoniae* carbapenemase; OXA: oxacillinase; MBL: metallo- β -lactamase

Except Ceftazidime-Avibactam, referenced combinations are not licensed by EMA [status: Phase II or III, preregistration]

Novel β -lactam / β -lactamase Inhibitors for CPE and *P. aeruginosa*

➤ β -lactam plus Novel Inhibitor

Ceftazidime - Avibactam [CPE, PSA]

Imipenem – Relebactam [CPE, PSA]

➤ **Cefepime - VNRX-5113 [CPE, PSA]***

➤ **Cefepime - ZiaeBactam [CPE, PSA]***

***MBL: metallo- β -lactamase**

Novel β -lactam / β -lactamase Inhibitors for CPE, *P. aeruginosa*, Acinetobacter

➤ **β -lactam plus Novel Inhibitor**

ETX 2514 sulbactam

➤ **Cefepime - Zidebactam [CPE, PSA, ACB]**

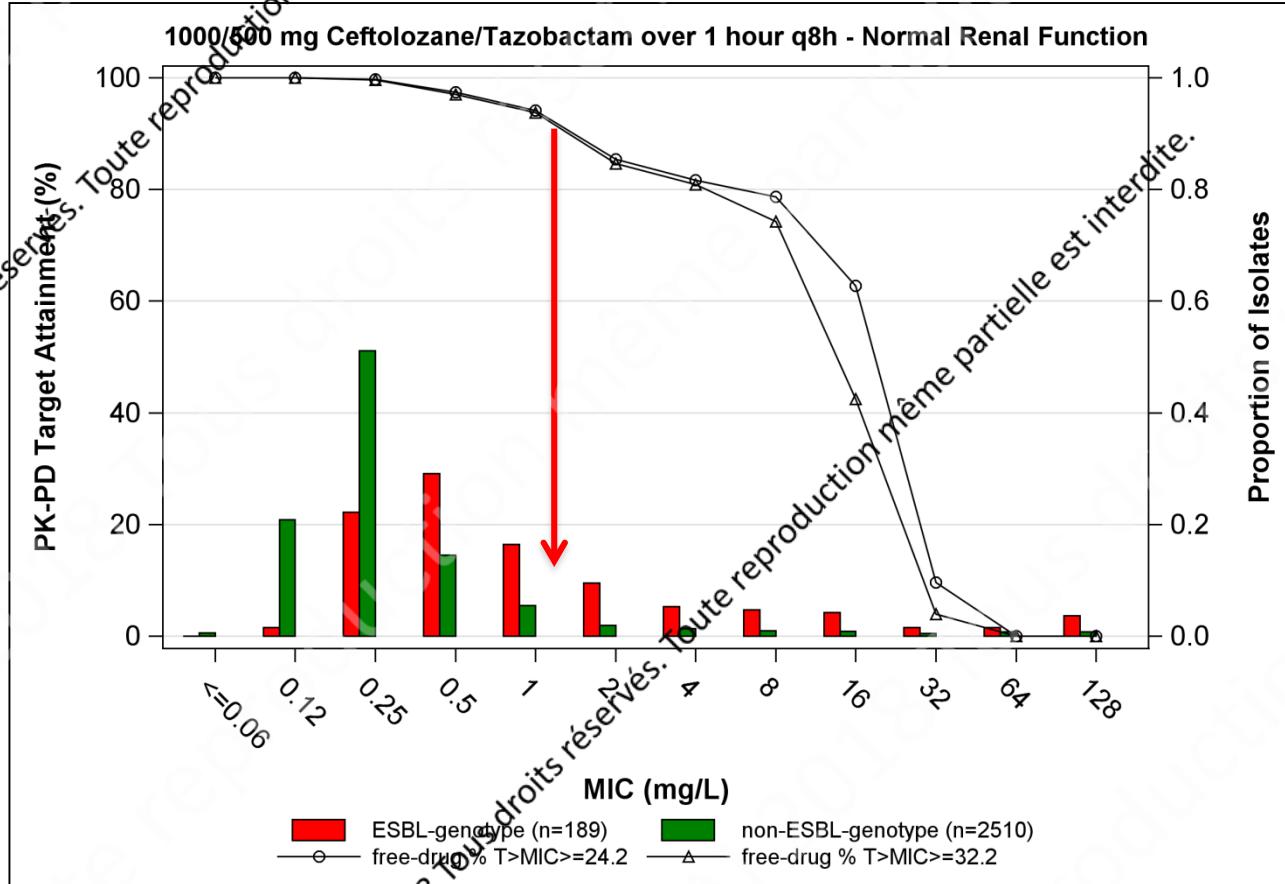
Activités comparées des inhibiteurs de β -lactamases

Agent	KPC A	MDL B	ampC C	Oxa D	Pseudomonas aeruginosa MDR	Acinetobacter baumannii MDR
Avibactam-Eftazidime	X	N	X	V	X	N
Aztreonam-Avibactam	X	X*	X		N	N
Relebactam-imipenem	X		X		X	N
Vaborbactam-Meropenem	X	N	X	N	N	N
VNRX 5133 -Céfèpime	X	X	X	X	X	X
Zidebactam--Céfèpime		X	X	Xf	X	Xf
Nacubactam-Méropenem	X	X	X	V	f	X
ETX 2514- Sulbactam	X		X	X		X

* Entérobactéries

Probability of Target Attainment Against Enterobacteriaceae

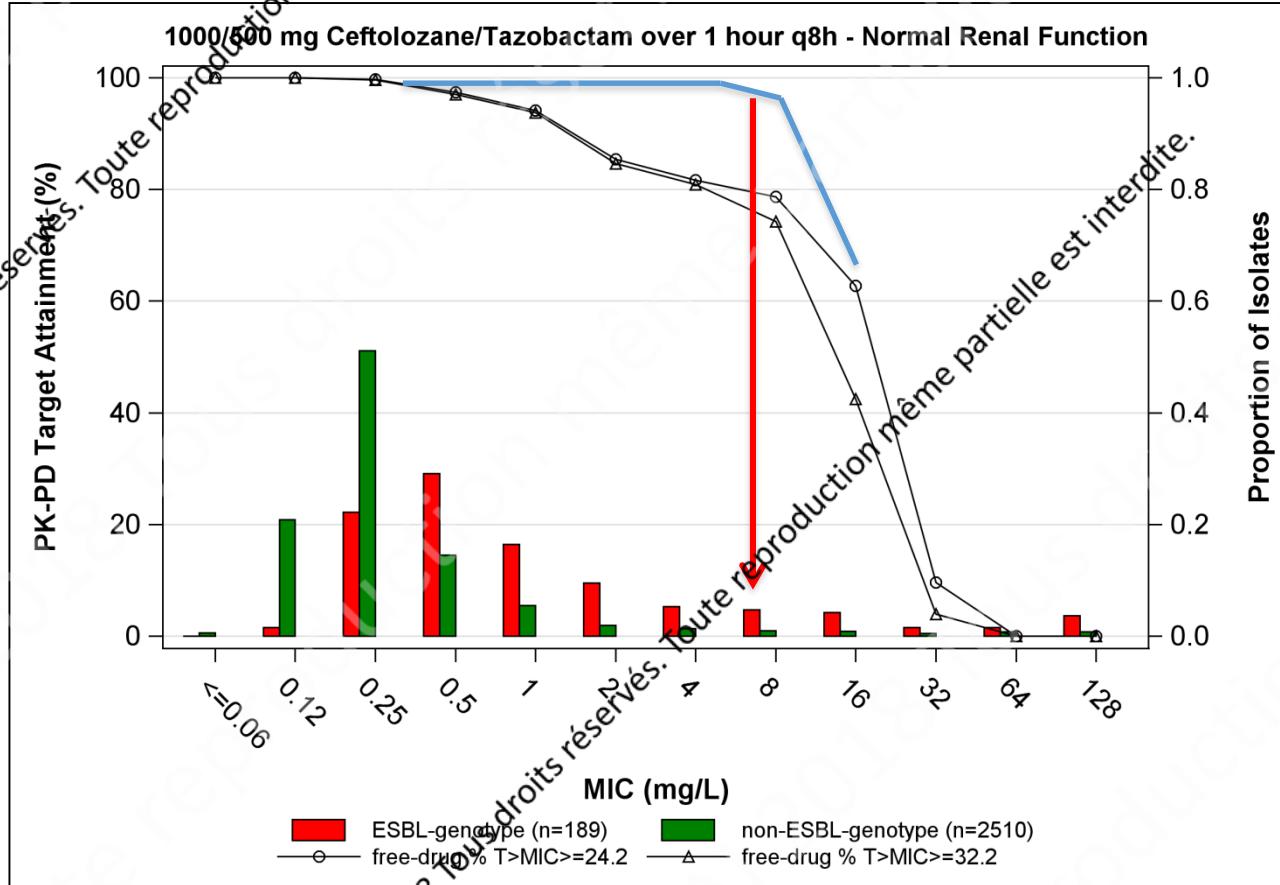
1.5-g CEFTOLOZANE/TAZOBACTAM dose



- PTA is $\geq 80.9\%$ for the $1 \log_{10}$ kill target against Enterobacteriaceae with an MIC value up to 4 mg/L in plasma for the 1.5 g ceftolozane/tazobactam dose

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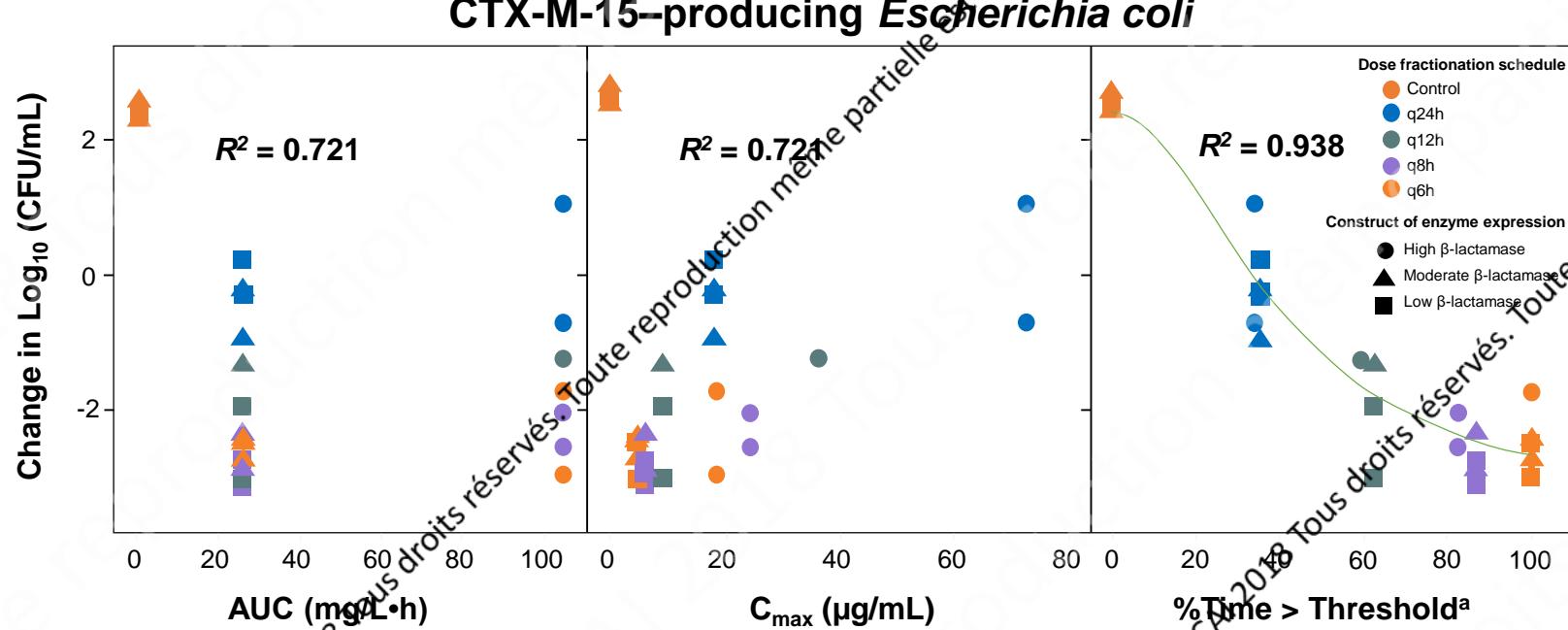
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In Vitro Efficacy of Tazobactam Correlates Best With %Time > Threshold

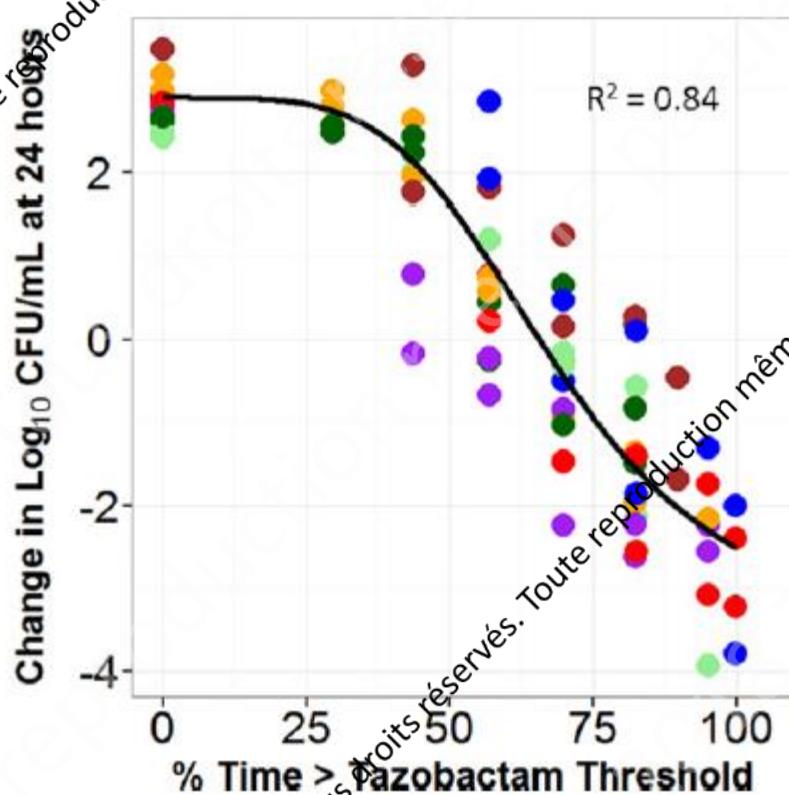
- Dose fractionation studies used to establish pharmacokinetic/pharmacodynamic (PK/PD) parameters of tazobactam in combination with ceftolozane
- The %Time > threshold concentration was the exposure measure most associated with tazobactam efficacy, regardless of enzyme expression



^aThe threshold concentration was 0.05 mg/L for the low- and moderate- β -lactamase genetic constructs and 0.25 mg/L for the high- β -lactamase genetic constructs.

AUC, area under the plasma concentration-time curve; C_{\max} , maximum (peak) plasma drug concentration.
VanScoy et al. *Antimicrob Agents Chemother*. 2013;57:2809-14.

The Relationship Between Tazobactam %T>Threshold and Change in Log₁₀ CFU PK/PD In Vitro Infection Model

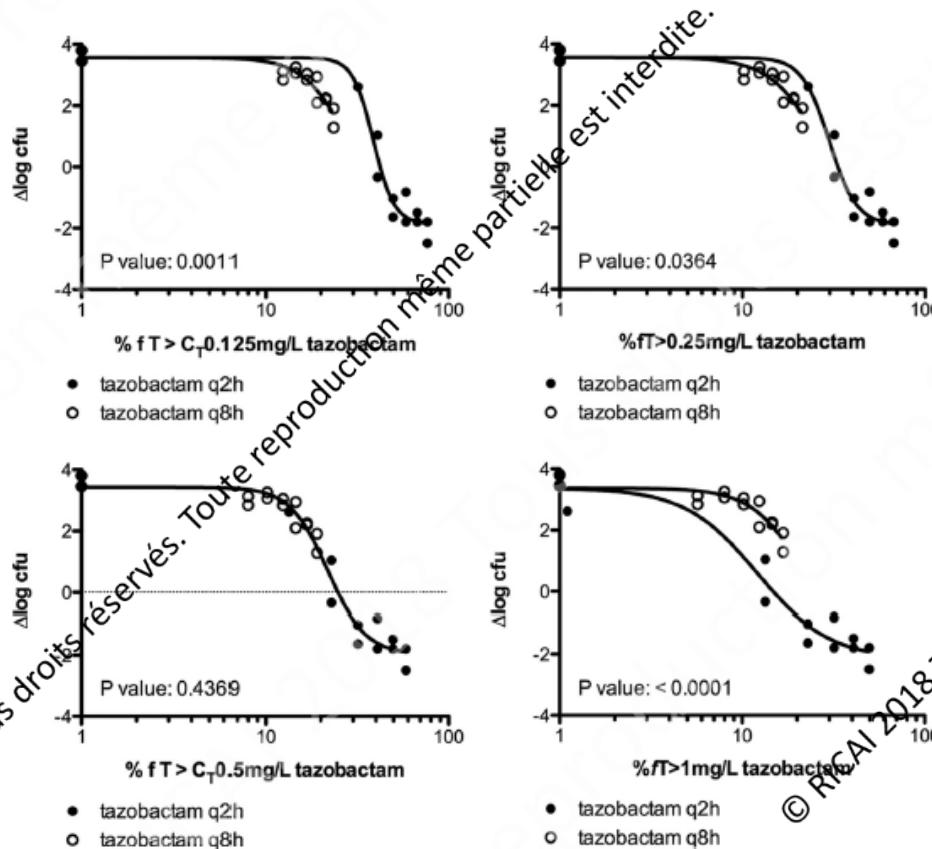


Ceftolozane-tazobactam Seuil de tazobactam		
<i>Escherichia coli</i>		
1501A	MIC 0.5 mg/L	Threshold 0.25mg/L
4643E	MIC 0.5 mg/L	Threshold 0.25mg/L
21711R	MIC 2mg/L	Threshold 1mg/L
13319R	MIC 4mg/L	Threshold 2mg/L
<i>Klebsiella pneumoniae</i>		
604C	MIC 1 mg/L	Threshold 0.5mg/L
21904E	MIC 2 mg/L	Threshold 1mg/L
4812E	MIC 4mg/L	Threshold 2mg/L

The threshold concentration identified for each isolate ranged from 0.5 to 4 mg/liter.

Ceftolozane-tazobactam

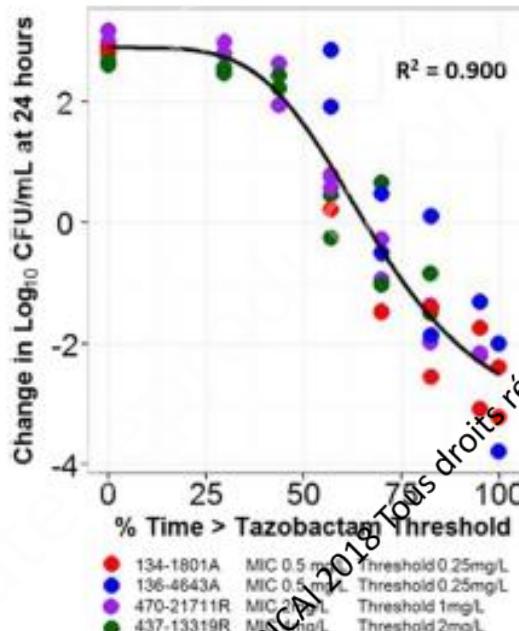
The main PDI (pharmacokinetic/PD index (PDI)-response) that correlated with the effect of tazobactam was the fTCT achieved with a CT of 0.5 mg/liter tazobactam.



$$CT = \frac{1}{2} CMI$$

The enabling translational relationship for **the tazobactam threshold** that allowed comodeling of all four clinical isolates was the **product of** the individual isolate's **ceftolozane-tazobactam MIC value** (determined with a tazobactam concentration of 4 mg/liter) **and 0.5.**

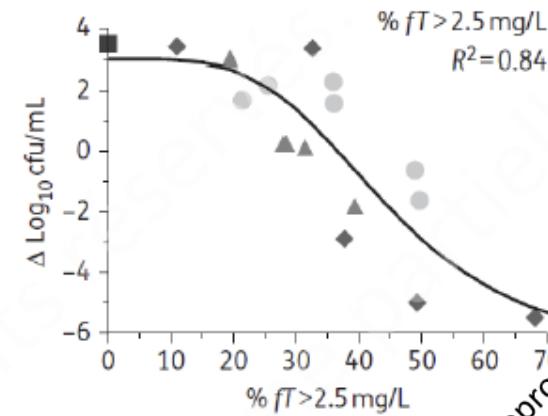
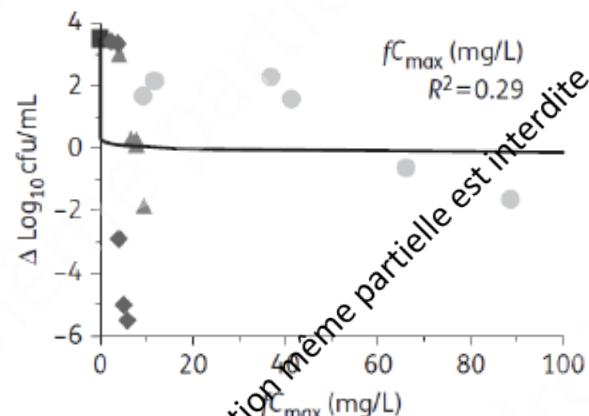
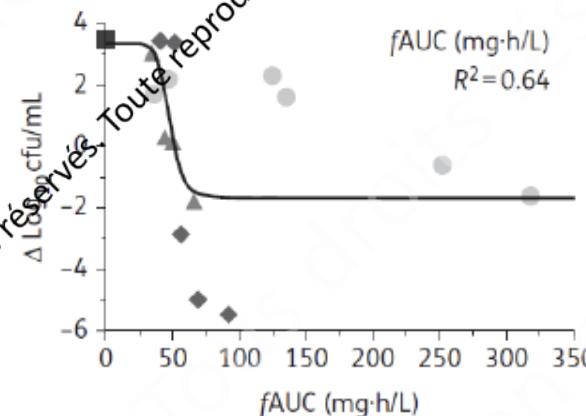
The tazobactam %Timethresholds associated with net bacterial stasis and 1- **and 2-** **log₁₀ CFU reductions** in bacteria at 24h were **65.9, 77.3, and 90.2% of the dosing interval**



Activity in Hollow Fiber System

%fT>2.5 mg/L PD Driver for Avibactam

Correlation of AVI exposure parameters to ATM-dependent efficacy against *E. coli* ARC3600 in the HFS (MIC = 0.125 mg/L) while keeping ATM at 50% fT>MIC



- ATM-dependent efficacy of AVI correlated best with %fT>2.5 mg/L, when compared to fAUC and fC_{max}

- Same driver as for CAZ-AVI, but magnitude differs
- %fT>2.5 mg/L was confirmed with five additional MBL-producing strains
 - Geometric mean to achieve 1-log-unit kill in HFS is 45% (range: 38-58)

Dose fixe de cépépine on fait varier:
les concentrations de Tazobactam
les rythmes d'administration du tazobactam

Abaissement logarithmique de la charge bactérienne [Δlog10 CFU] dans la cuisse de souris

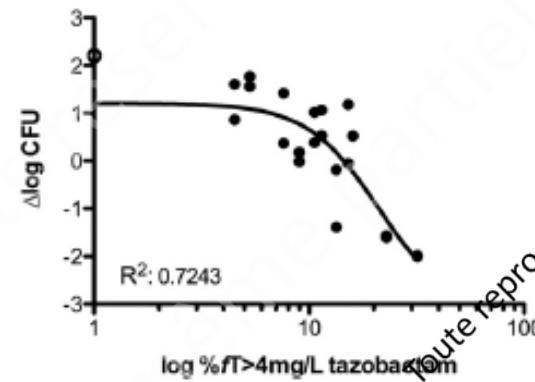
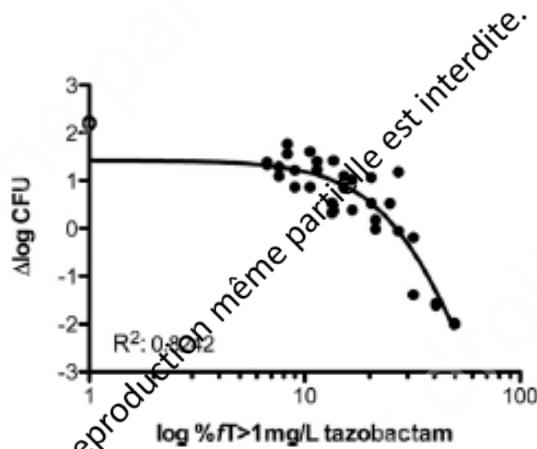
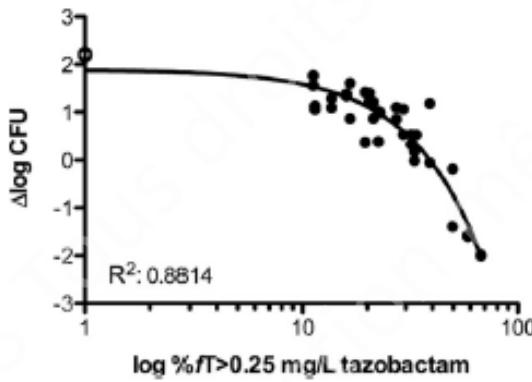


FIG 3 Dose-response relationships for tazobactam, as determined by dose fractionation experiments, in mice infected in the thighs with *E. coli* isolate 56. Fixed doses of cefepime were coadministered q2h. The logarithmic scale of the x axis starts at 1. R^2 is noted in the left bottom corner of each graph where a curve could be fitted. Open circles represent data for controls without tazobactam.

The first approach was to determine the relationship between exposure and efficacy for a range of threshold levels and by visual inspection to decide which looked best.

To quantify these relationships, the R^2 for each of the plots was plotted against the concentration threshold value, and a fourth-order polynomial was fitted to the data points to allow calculation of the optimum value.

$$ax^4 + bx^3 + cx^2 + dx + e = 0 \text{ Ferrari (1522 - 1565)}$$

The calculated CT with the highest R^2 was subsequently used as the tazobactam threshold for each strain.

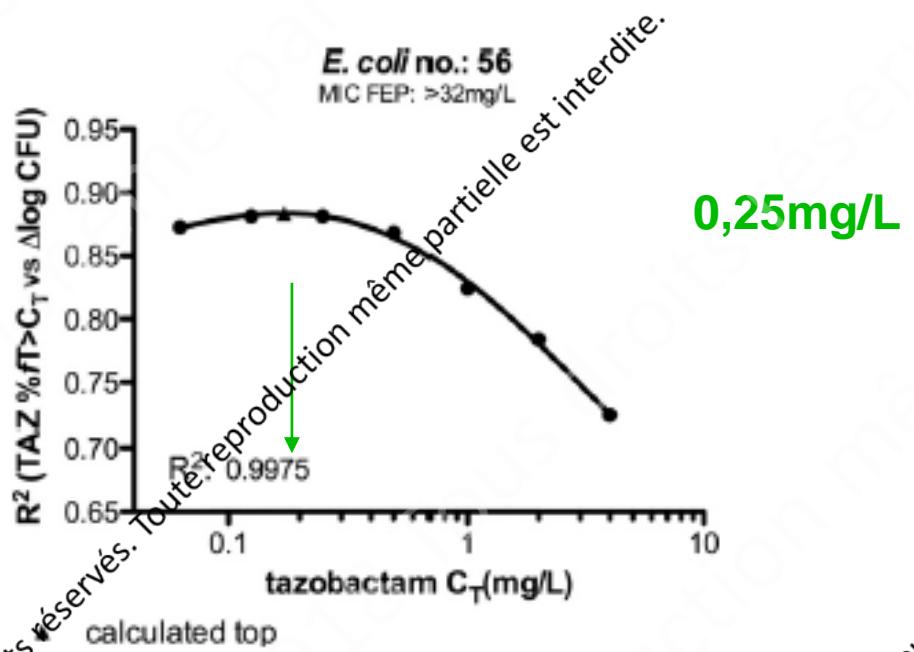
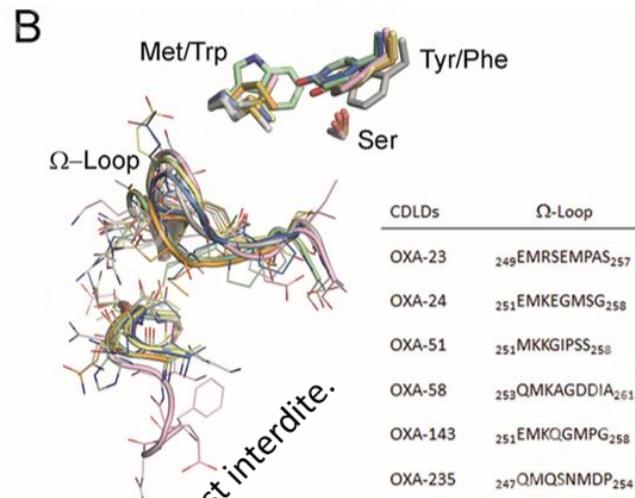
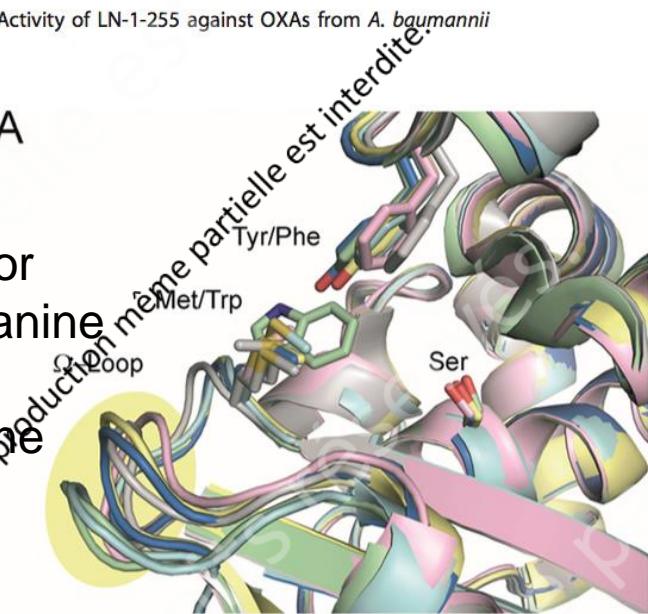


FIG 5 Relationship between R^2 of graphs, tazobactam (TAZ) %fT> C_T against $\Delta\log$ CFU, and tazobactam threshold (concentration thresholds of 0.0625, 0.125, 0.25, 0.5, 1, 2, and 4) for *E. coli* 56. The filled triangle marks the top of the curve.

PK/PD

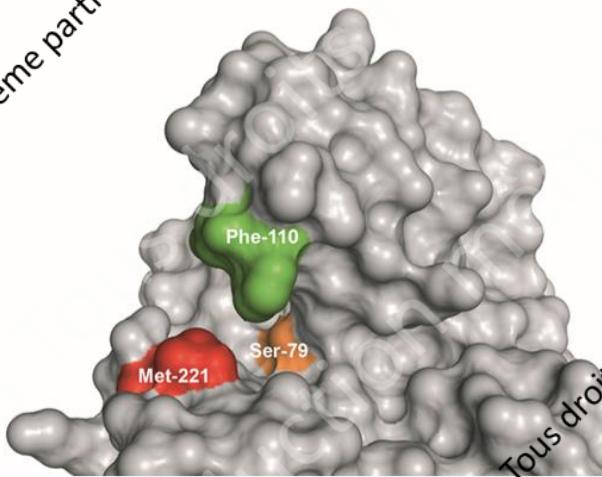
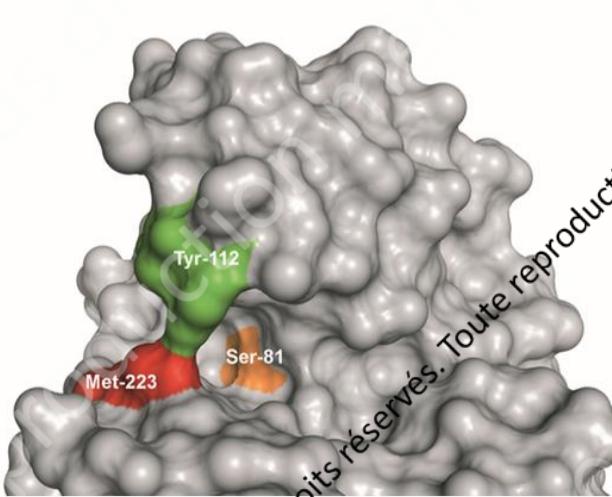
Agent	Inhibiteur	Antibiotique associé
	fT > CT	%
Ceftolozane-Tazobactam	0,5 (½ CMI)	35-50%
Ceftazidime-avibactam	1	50%
Aztréonam-avibactam	2,5	50%
Céf épime-tazo	0,25 AUC vabor free / CMI association	25% bactériostase
Mero-vaborbactam		40-60%
Nacubactam	¼ CMI	L. Dubreuil 2018
CB 618	AUIC ≥ 136	

tyrosine or
phenylalanine
and a
methionine



The differences in the Ω -loop might cause significant variations in the plasticity of these loops and therefore in the efficacy of the ligands.

Oxa 24
Oxa
135



OXA 23

FIG 4 (A) Comparison of the OXA-type carbapenemases employed in this study, OXA-23 (gray), OXA-24 (yellow), OXA-51 (green), OXA-58 (pink), OXA-143 (blue), and OXA-235 (cyan), highlighting the side chain residues responsible of the major structural differences. The side chain of the catalytic serine is also shown. (B) Detailed view of the Ω -loop and neighbor turn involving β 1-strand and α 1-helix. Note the relevant differences in the arrangement and sequence of the Ω -loop among the enzymes studied. (C and D) Selected views of the tunnel-like entrance to the active site of OXA-24 (C) and OXA-23 (D) enzymes. The position of the Tyr/Phe and Met residues that are involved in this entrance are highlighted in green and red, respectively. The catalytic serine is shown in orange. Note how the active site of OXA-24 containing a Try residue is more closed than the OXA-23 one having a Phe residue.

TABLE 1 β -Lactam MIC values with *A. baumannii* ATCC 17978 and clinical isolates producing CHDLs in the presence and absence of β -lactamase inhibitors

A. baumannii strain	MICs (mg/liter) for ^a :																				
	Inhibitors at 16 mg/liter					Inhibitors at 4 mg/liter					Inhibitors at 16 mg/liter					Inhibitors at 4 mg/liter					
	IP	IP + TZ	IP + AV	IP + AM	IP + TZ	IP + AV	IP + LN	MP	MP + TZ	MP + AV	MP + LN	MP + TZ	MP + AV	MP + LN	AP	AP + TZ	AP + AV	AP + LN	AP + TZ	AP + AV	
ATCC 17978 (OXA-23)	16	8	8	8	16	8	2	8	8	4	0.5	8	8	1	8,192	8,192	512	32	8,192	2,048	128
Clinical isolate (OXA-23)	32	16	8	1	16	16	4	16	8	8	1	16	16	4	16,384	16,384	1,024	128	16,384	4,096	1,024
ATCC 17978 (OXA-24)	64	64	32	0.5	64	32	2	64	64	16	0.25	64	64	2	16,384	8,192	1,024	32	8,192	4,096	128
Clinical isolate (OXA-24)	256	256	128	8	256	256	128	256	256	128	8	256	256	128	>16,384	>16,384	8,192	2,048	>16,384	>16,384	16,384
ATCC 17978 (OXA-58)	32	16	4	0.5	16	16	2	8	4	2	0.5	4	4	1	8,192	8,192	1,024	32	8,192	4,096	256
Clinical isolate (OXA-58)	8	4	1	8	4	2	4	4	1	0.5	4	4	4	2	8,192	4,096	1,024	128	8,192	4,096	256
ATCC 17978 (OXA-51 like)	4	4	2	1	4	4	2	4	2	2	0.5	4	2	1	8,192	4,096	1,024	32	8,192	4,096	256
ATCC 17978 (OXA-143)	64	32	8	1	64	32	4	128	128	16	1	128	64	16	16,384	8,192	512	32	16,384	2,048	256
Clinical isolate (OXA-143)	32	16	4	2	32	16	8	128	128	32	4	128	64	32	16,384	16,384	1,024	256	16,384	4,096	512
ATCC 17978 (OXA-235)	2	2	2	0.5	2	2	1	2	1	1	0.5	1	1	0.5	2,048	512	128	32	2,048	256	64
Clinical isolate (OXA-235)	8	4	2	1	8	2	2	4	2	0.5	0.5	2	2	1	16,384	8,192	128	128	16,384	1,024	1,024
ATCC 17978 pET-RA	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	64	32	32	32	64	32	

^aIP, imipenem; MP, meropenem; AM, ampicillin; TZ, tazobactam; AV, avibactam; LN, LN-1-255. Data represent the means from three independent experiments.

The hydrophobic bridge of OXA-24/40 (composed of Tyr-112 and Met-223) was shown to be important in conferring inhibition by LN-1-255.

However, this bridge is not a universal feature of CHDLs; for example, OXA-48 does not possess it.

Conclusions

Inhibiteurs à

- **Spectres différents Entérobactérales ou/et Pseudomonas ou/et Acinetobacter**
- **profils d'inhibition des β lactamases différents en fonction des classes ABCD**

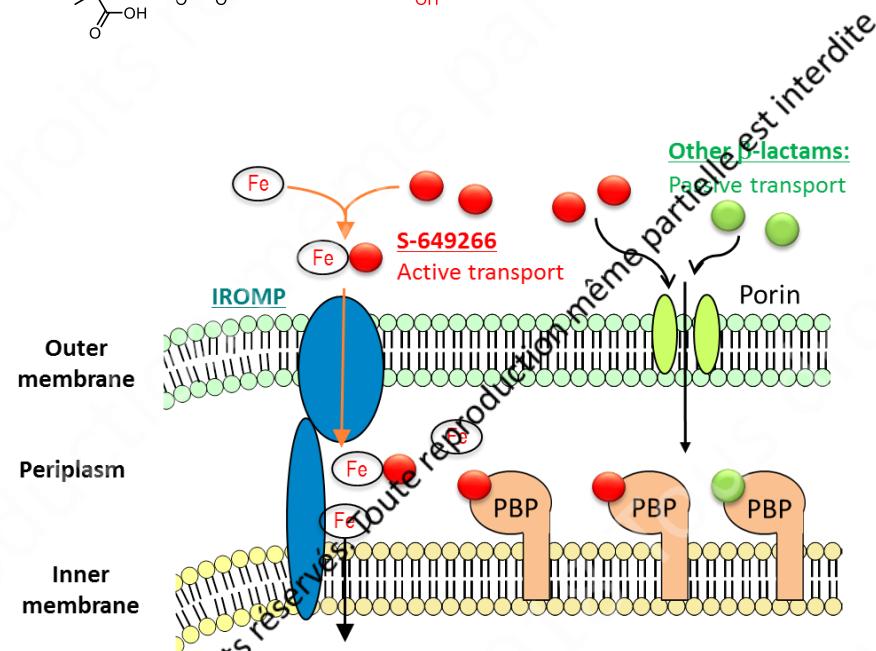
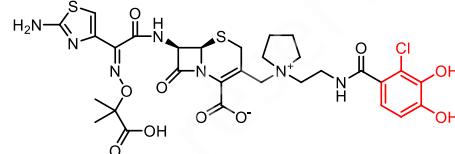
PK/PD différents

Sur une même classe (Oxacillinases D):

Variation d'activité selon la structure 3D ou les mutations sur boucle Ω rendant fragiles ces molécules au long court

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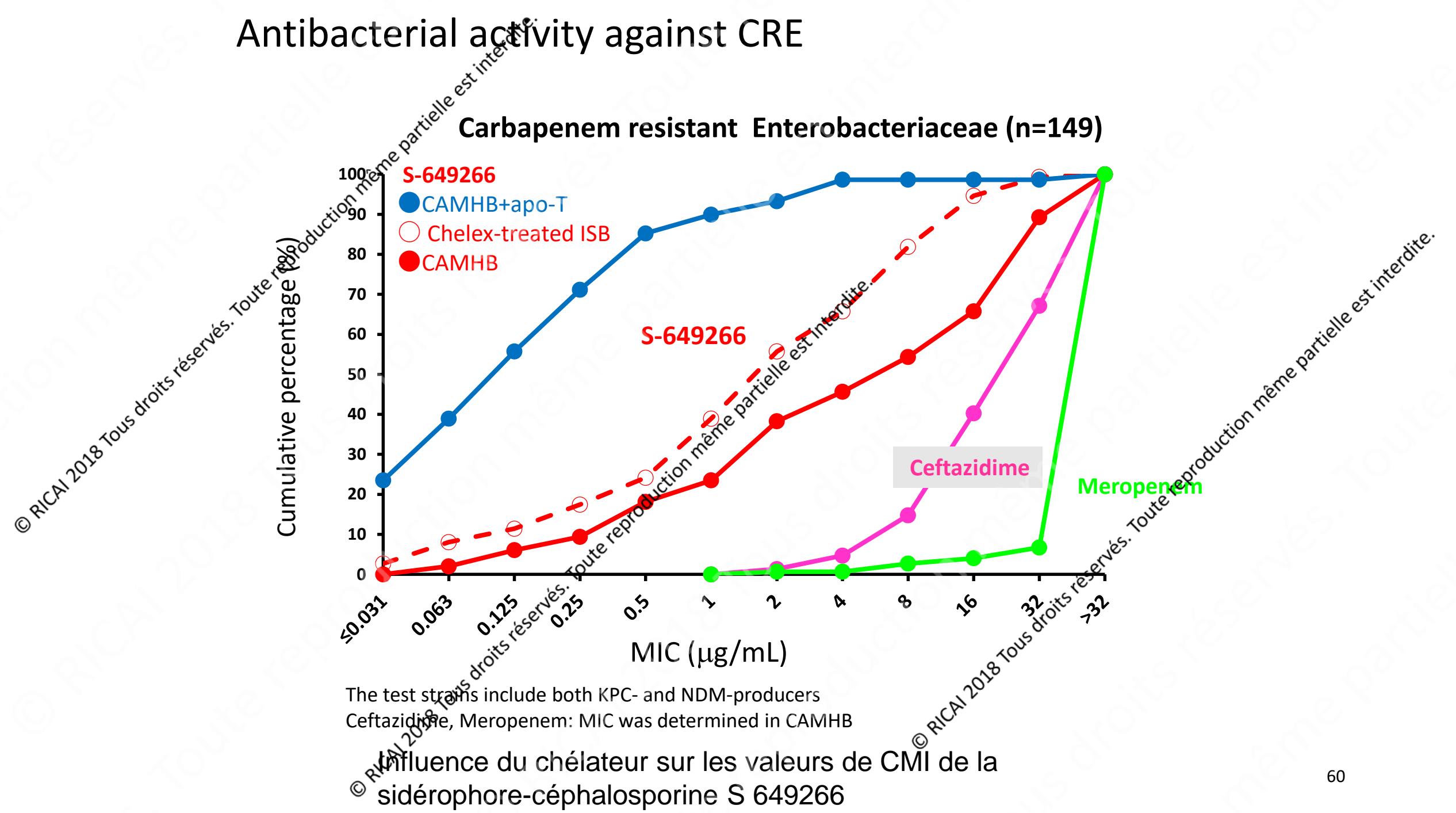
Cefiderocol (S-649266), A Siderophore Cephalosporin,



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Antibacterial activity against CRE

Carbapenem resistant Enterobacteriaceae (n=149)



The test strains include both KPC- and NDM-producers

Ceftazidime, Meropenem: MIC was determined in CAMHB

Relationships between % $T_{f>MIC}$ and Efficacy in Rat RTI Models

Efficacy against MDR *P. aeruginosa* and *A. baumannii*

Test strains	Results of rat infusion study [†]		Chelex treated ISB	
			MIC (μ g/mL)	% $T_{f>MIC}$
<i>P. aeruginosa</i> ATCC27853	1-hour infusion	-2.9	0.5	100
	3-hour infusion	-2.8		100
<i>P. aeruginosa</i> SR27001 (IMP-1 producer, MDRP)	1-hour infusion	-2.8	8	50
	3-hour infusion	-3.1		100
<i>A. baumannii</i> 1484911	1-hour infusion	-2.6	0.125	100
	3-hour infusion	-2.0		100
<i>A. baumannii</i> 1485176 (MDRA, CC92)	1-hour infusion	-3.6	0.25	100
	3-hour infusion	-3.8		100
<i>A. baumannii</i> 1515988	1-hour infusion	-4.3	0.25	100
	3-hour infusion	-4.7		100
<i>A. baumannii</i> 1485247 (MDRA)	1-hour infusion	-0.7	2	100
	3-hour infusion	-3.1		100

[†]: Change from baseline control \log_{10} CFU/lung

: \geq ca 2 \log_{10} reduction

Conclusion:

The probability of achieving a PK/PD exposure based on 75% of $T_{f>MIC}$ in plasma is recommended to be the appropriate target to demonstrate the clinical efficacy of S-649266₆₁

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Type-II Topoisomerase Inhibitors



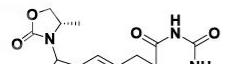
Fluoroquinolines, Quinolines, Spiropyrimidinotriones			
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Delafloxacin (FQ)	NDA	cSSTI; CAP	PO & IV
Lascufloxacin (FQ)	3	RTI; CAP	PO & IV
Finafloxacin (FQ)	2	aEI	PO & IV
Gepotidacin (quinoline)	2	cSSTI; STD	PO & IV
Zoliflodacin (SPT)	2	STD	PO
Alalevonadifloxacin (FQ)	1	cSSTI	PO
TNP-2092 (FQ/Rif Hybrid)	1	PJI	PO

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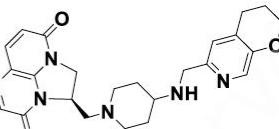
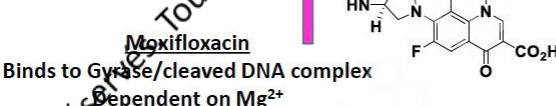
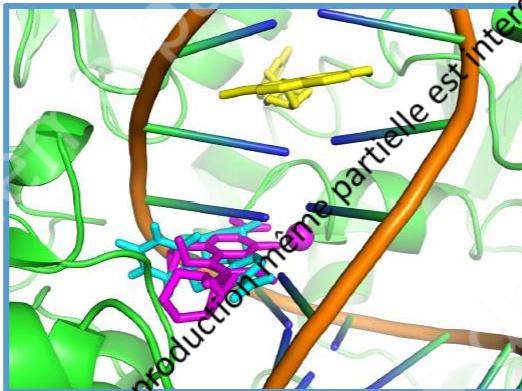
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Topoisomerase Target

DNA Gyrase – creates negative supercoils in dsDNA
Topoisomerase IV – decatenates intertwined dsDNA



Zoliflodacin
• Binds to Gyrase/cleaved DNA complex
• Independent of Mg²⁺

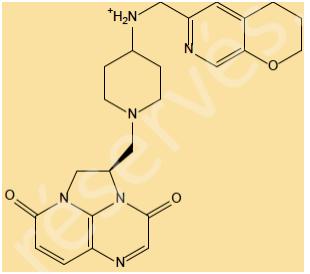


Gepotidacin
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Basarab, G. *Top. Med. Chem.* 2017.

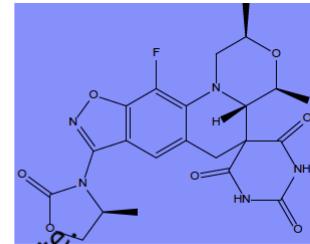
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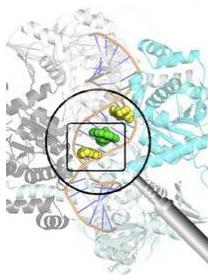
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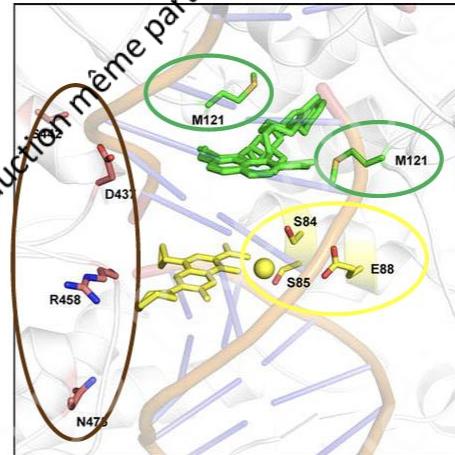
Zoliflodacin

Ehmann & Lahiri, *Curr Opin Pharmacol.* 2014; 18:76–83

Drugs acting on new binding sites of known targets: the example of topoisomerase II inhibitors



zoliflodacin
mutable sites



Resistance to
DNA site inhibitors

Resistance to FQ

No cross-resistance has been described

Basarab et al, *Sci Rep.* 2015; 5:11827

Protein biosynthesis inhibitors



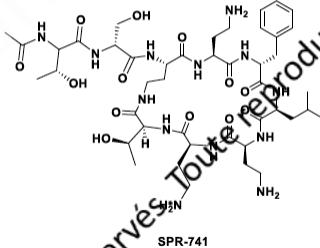
Ribosome inhibitors			
	Phase	Indications	Mode of Administration
Plazomicin (aminoglycoside)	3	cUTI, HAP/VAP	IV
Eravacycline (tetracycline)	3	cIAI, cUTI	PO & IV
Omadacycline (tetracycline)	3	CAP, cSSTI	PO & IV
Solithromycin (macrolide)	3	CAP	PO & IV
Nafithromycin (macrolide)	2	CAP	PO
TP-271 (tetracycline)	1	CAP	PO & IV
TP-6076 (tetracycline)	1	CRE	PO & IV
KBP-7072 (tetracycline)	1	CAP	PO & IV

Membrane Disrupters

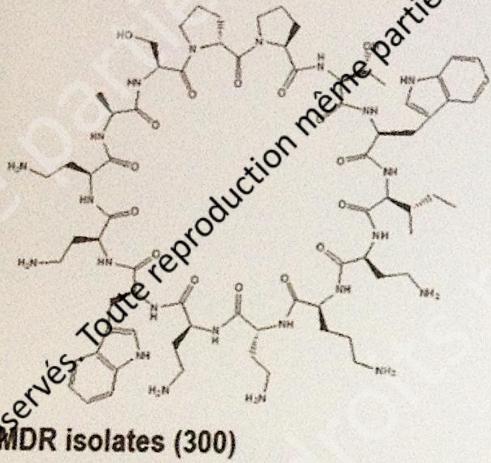


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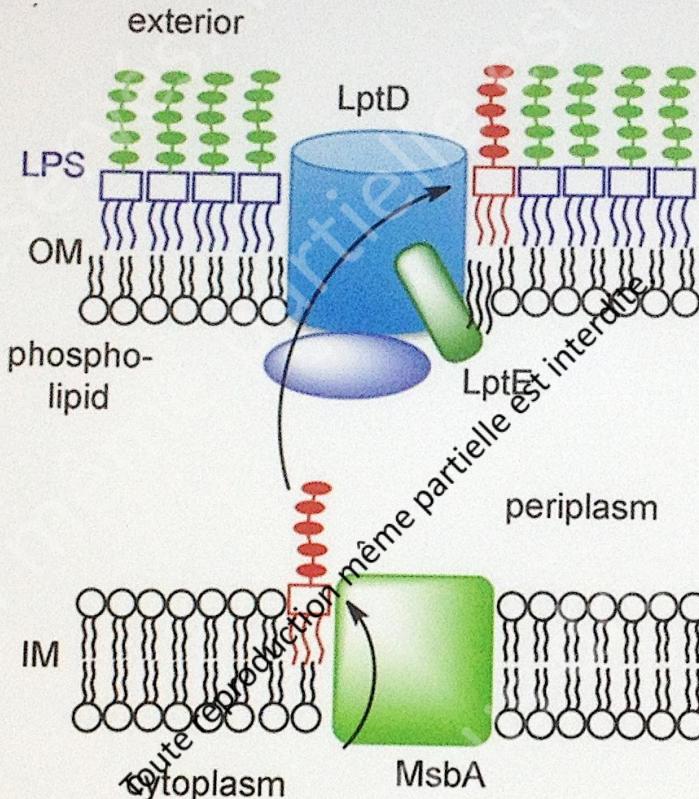
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Brilacidin	2	SSTI	IV
SPR-741 (cyclic peptide potentiator) + unknown		TBD	IV



Murepavadine: a specific antipseudomonal peptidomimetic



	MDR isolates (300)	
Murepavadin	0.12	0.25
Colistin	1	1
Amikacin	8	>64
Cefepime	16	>32
Ceftazidime	32	>32
Ciprofloxacin	8	>8
Meropenem	8	>16
Piperacillin-tazobactam	64	>128



Strong activity against
P. aeruginosa
among over 1500 worldwide
isolates (MIC₉₀ ≤ 0.25 µg/mL)

Proven efficacy in animal
models with good penetration
into lung epithelial lining fluid (ELF)

Clinical cure rate at test-of-cure
was 91% in 12 patients with VAP
caused by *P. aeruginosa*

Inhibition of LPS transport to the cell surface
Inhibition of Outer membrane LPS synthesis

Werneburg M, et al. Chembiochem 2012;13:1767–1775

Andolina G, et al. ACS Chem Biol. 2018 Mar 16;13:666

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