

Terapia delle infezioni da *Acinetobacter baumannii* MDR

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E: *Enterococcus faecium* (VRE)

S: *Staphylococcus aureus* (MRSA)

K: ESBL-producing *E.coli* and *Klebsiella* spp.

K. Pneumoniae Carbapenemase-Hydrolyzing BLs

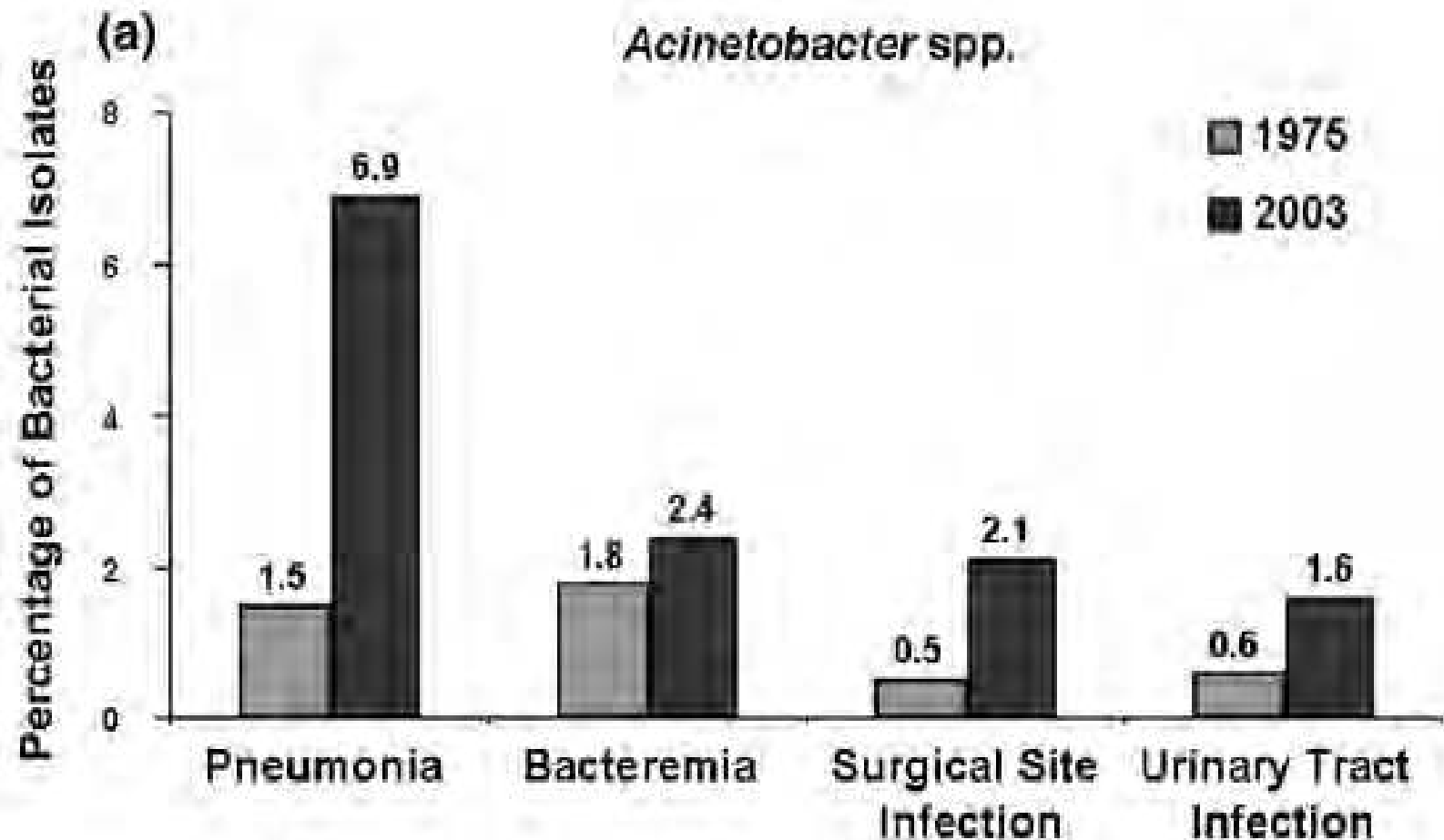
A: *Acinetobacter baumannii*

P: *Pseudomonas aeruginosa*

E: *Enterobacter* Species

Infezioni da *Acinetobacter* spp.

Figure 1



A. baumannii: evoluzione della resistenza al meropenem

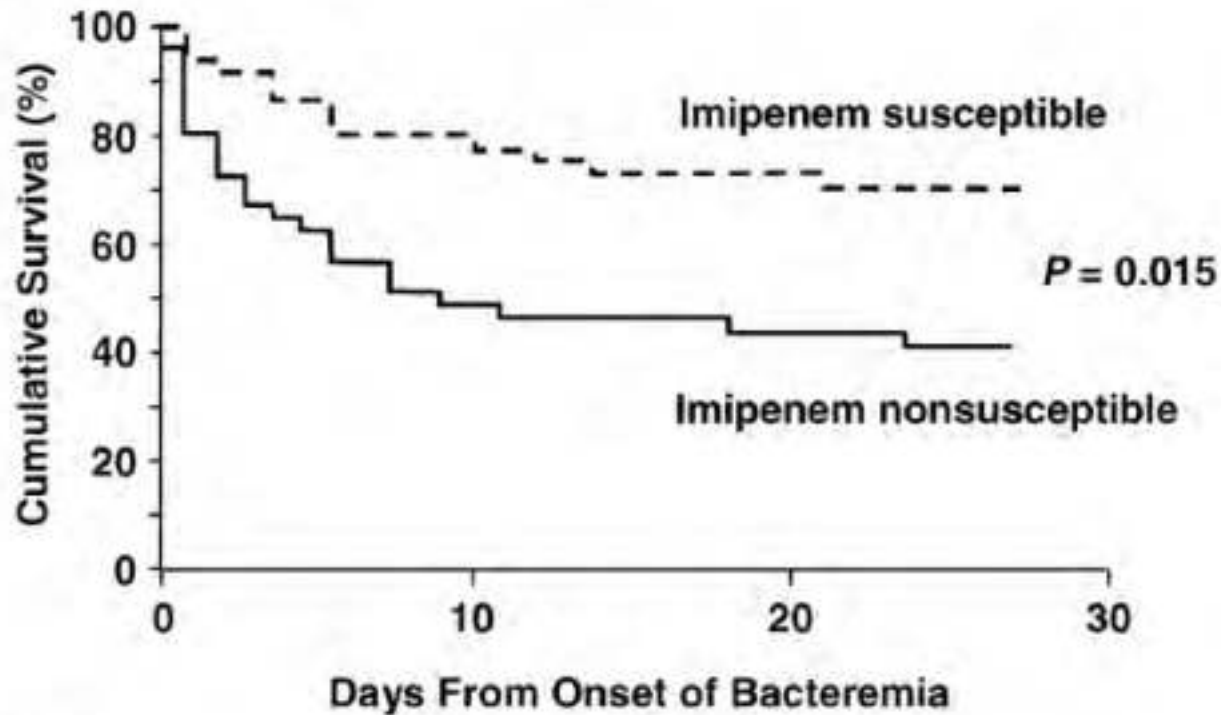
TABLE 2. Meropenem resistance in *Acinetobacter baumannii*^a

Yr	No. of isolates	% of isolates that were:		
		Susceptible	Intermediate	Resistant
1998	171	84.8	9.4	5.9
1999	123	89.4	2.4	8.1
2000	309	76.4	4.5	19.1
2001	376	77.4	1.1	21.5
2002	437	72.5	4.4	23.1
2003	366	81.7	3.8	14.5
2004	554	75.3	6.1	18.6
2005	357	64.4	7.0	28.6

^a Data were collected from the MYSTIC website (www.mystic-data.org).

Impatto sulla letalità delle batteriemie da *Acinetobacter* della resistenza ad imipenem

Figure 2



Impact of imipenem resistance on mortality of patients with *Acinetobacter* bacteremia. Reprinted with permission from Kwon and coworkers [12]. Copyright © 2007 Oxford University Press.

***Acinetobacter baumannii*:**
outbreaks da ceppi resistenti ai carbapenemi



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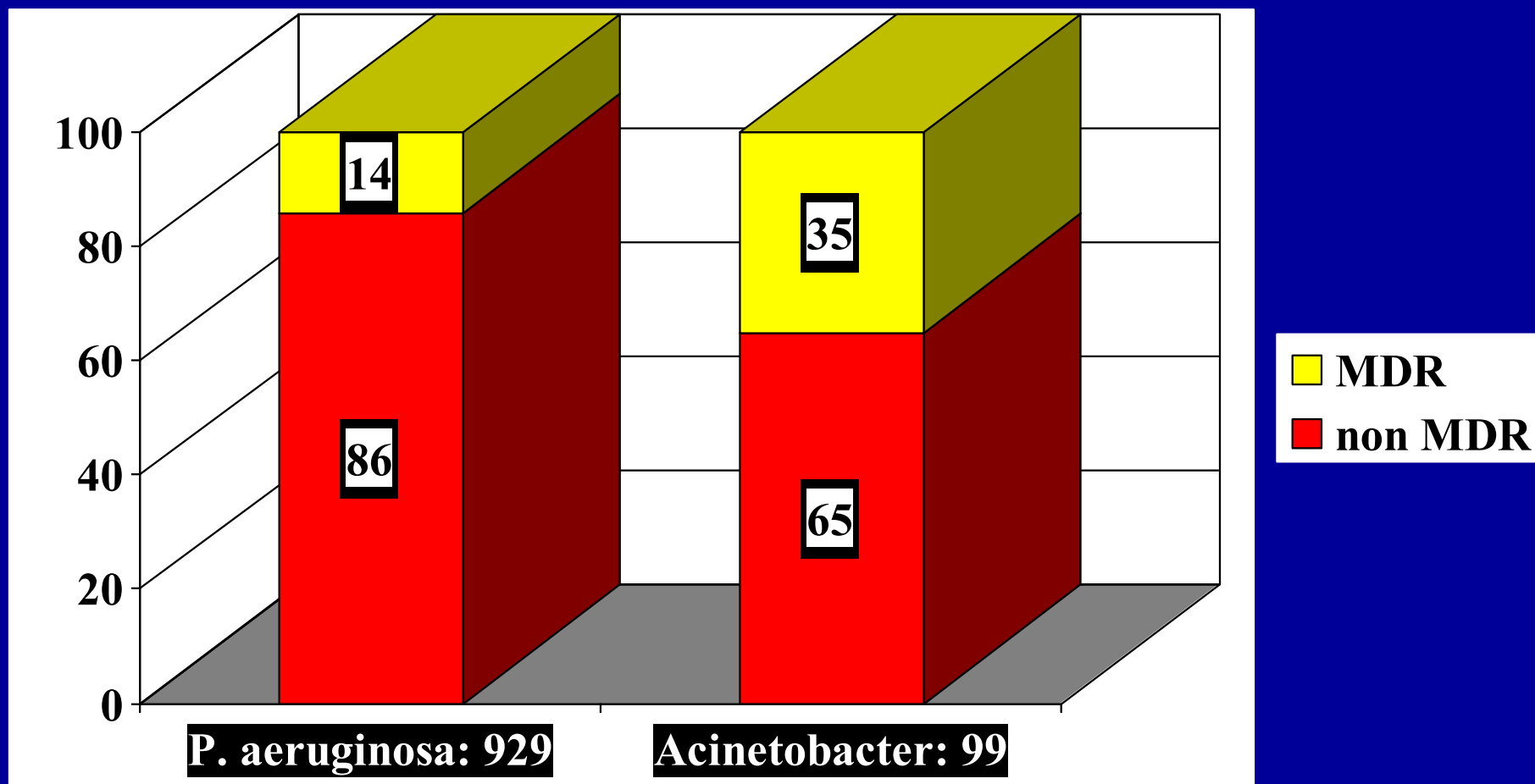


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Acinetobacter: **meccanismi di resistenza**



- **Betalattamasi tipo OXA (Europa) che idrolizzano carbapenemici**
- **MBL tipo VIM ed IMP (Asia)**
- **OXA-58 + modifica porine di membrana = resistenza ai carbapenemici**
- **Se OXA da sola: MIC nel range della suscettibilità intermedia o ai limiti x carbapenemici**
- **Attività sinergica di colistina con RFP, sulbactam, carbapenemici**

% MDR *Pseudomonas aeruginosa* & *Acinetobacter baumannii* isolates*



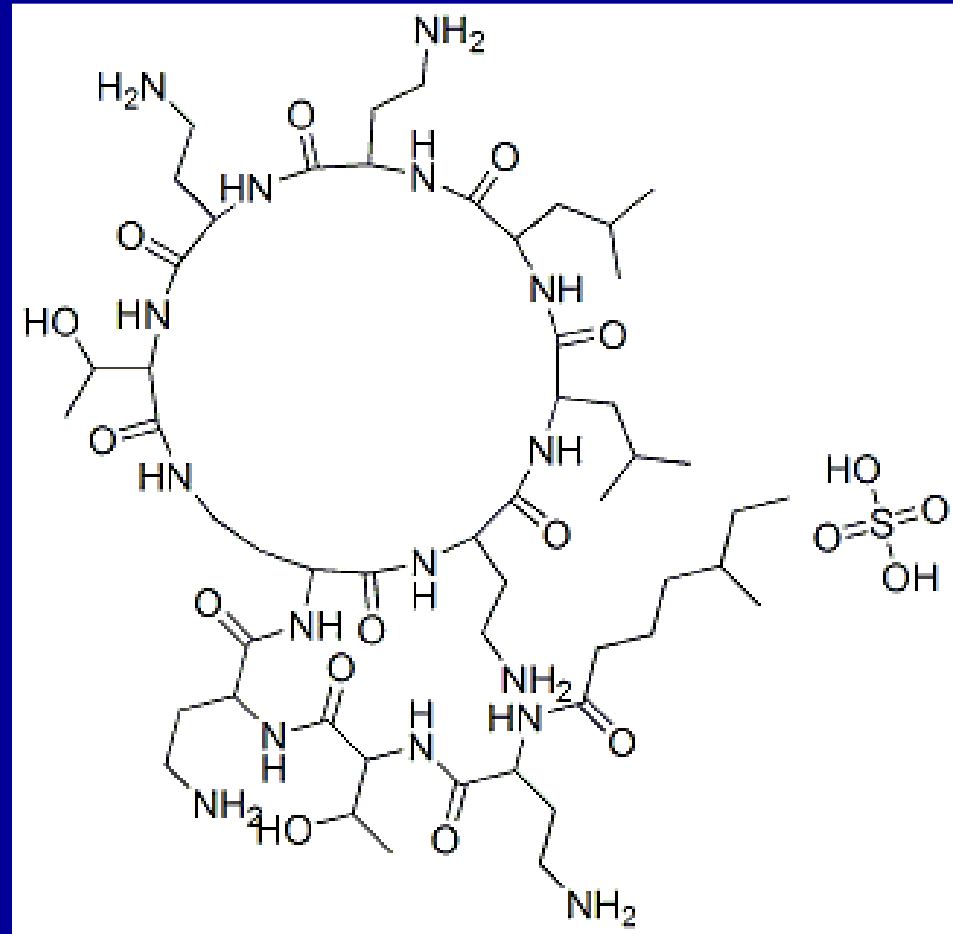
* Pisa Hospital, selected wards, 2001-2005

MDR Acinetobacter baumannii

Antibiotic	Non suscept.	Total	%
Aztreonam	34	34	100
Ciprofloxacin	35	35	100
Ceftazidime	32	32	100
Piperacillin	32	34	94
Cefepime	29	31	94
Pip/tazo	31	34	91
Meropenem	26	35	74 
Imipenem	24	34	71 
Amikacin	7	35	20

Colistin structure

- Cationic cyclic decapeptid linked to fatty acid chain (lipopetid) antibiotic of the polymyxin family
- **Colistin**: polymyxin E
- **Colistimethate sodium** or **colistin methanesulfonate**: hydrolysis to sulfomethyl-derivatives and **colistin**



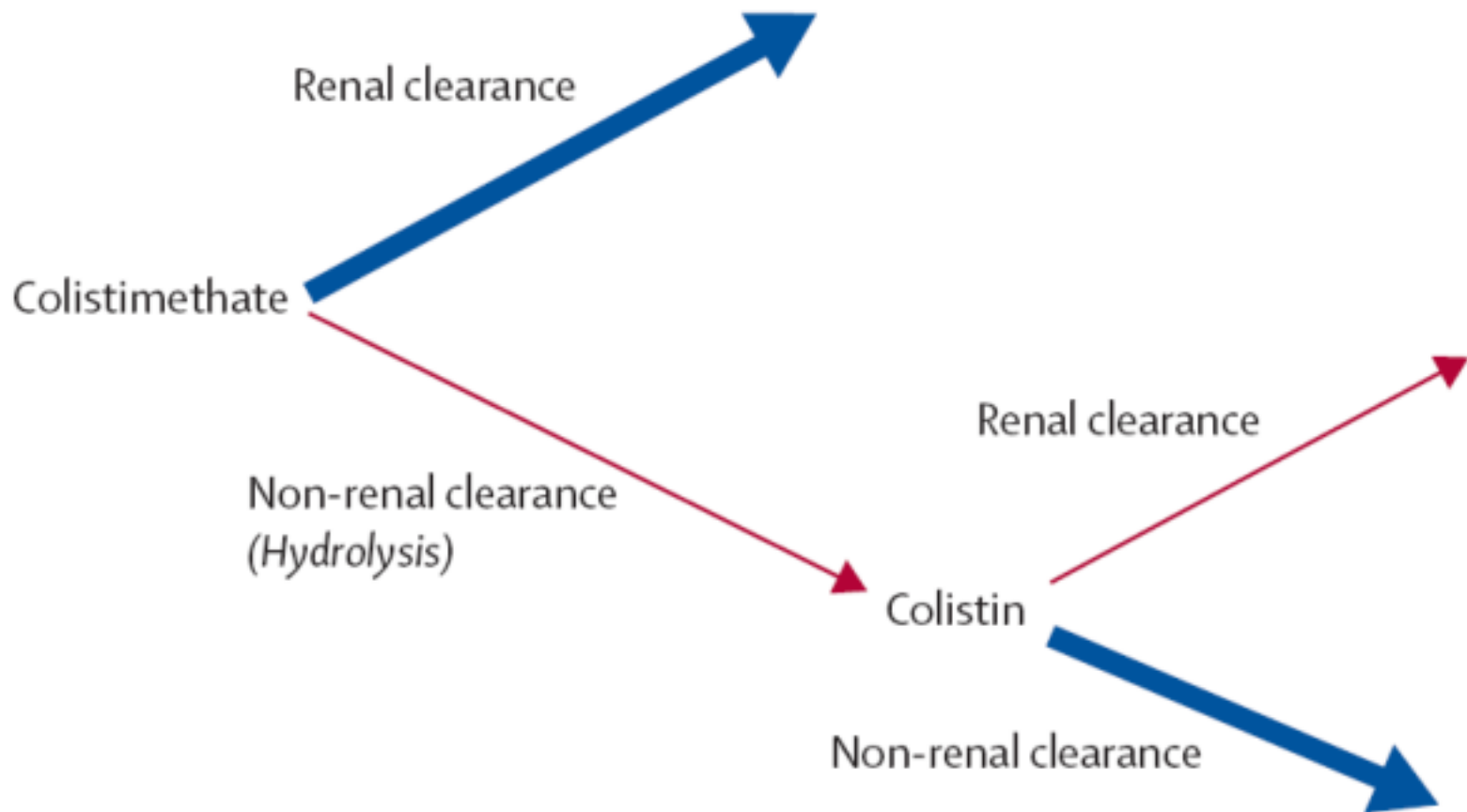


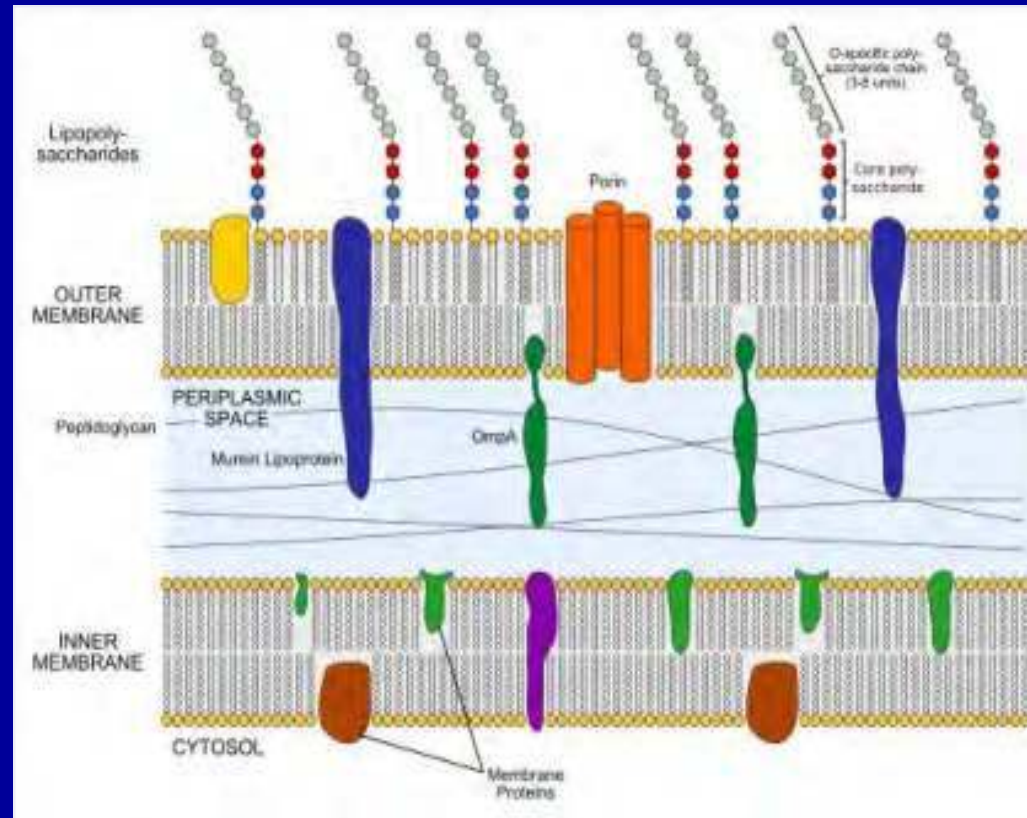
Figure 2: Schematic representation of the disposition of colistimethate and the colistin generated from it in the body, following administration of colistimethate sodium

Colimicina

- **Colimicina**: nome del preparato commerciale che contiene **colistina metansulfonato o colistimetato**
- **Colimicina Ucb**: ogni flacone contiene 1 milione di colistimetato in polvere da ricostituire con 4 ml di SF
- Il colistimetato si trasforma in colistina e derivati solfometilati
- Il rapporto colistimetato/colistina è approssimativamente di 2-3:1
- **1 milione di colimicina contiene cioè da 300.000 a 500.000 UI di colistina base**

Colistin: mechanism of action

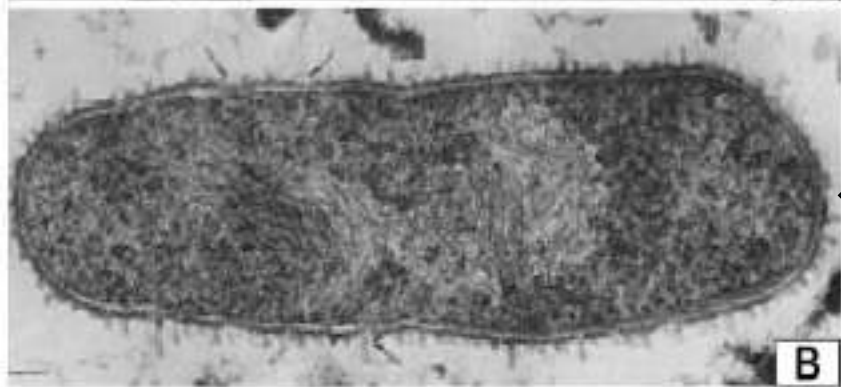
Si lega al LPS anionico della membrana cellulare esterna dei gram-negativi spiazzando ioni calcio e magnesio e così determinando alterazioni della permeabilità nell'envelope cellulare, fuoriuscita del contenuto e conseguente morte cellulare



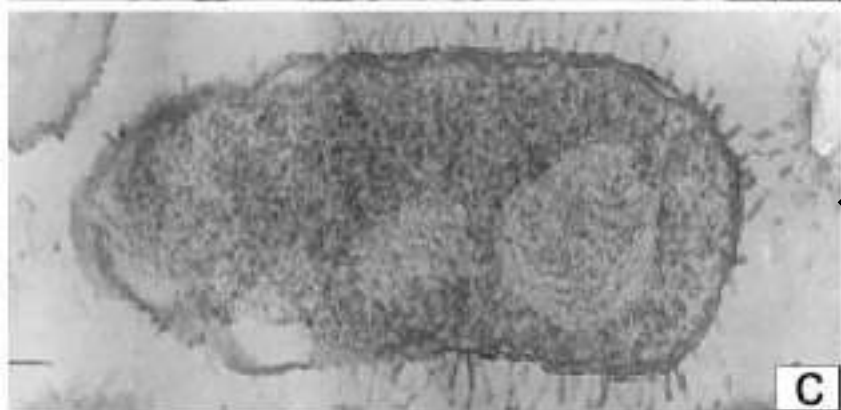
Effetto di polimixina B e colistina metanesolfato su *P. Aeruginosa*



Cellula non trattata



**Cellula trattata con
polimixina B (25 $\mu\text{g/ml}$
per 30 min)**



**Cellula trattata con
colistina metanesolfato
(250 $\mu\text{g/ml}$ per 30 min)**

Spettro d'attività in vitro della colistina

	Entérobactéries	Pseudomonas	Autres bacilles à Gram négatif	Anaérobies
Germes sensibles	<i>E. coli</i> <i>Citrobacter</i> <i>Klebsiella</i> <i>Enterobacter</i> <i>Morganella</i> <i>Salmonella</i> <i>Shigella</i>	<i>P. aeruginosa</i> <i>P. fluorescens</i> <i>P. putida</i> <i>P. maltophilia</i>	<i>Acinetobacter</i> <i>S. maltophilia</i> <i>Moraxella</i> <i>H. influenzae</i> <i>Bordetella</i> <i>Pasteurella</i> <i>L. pneumophila</i>	<i>B. melaninogenicus</i> <i>B. oralis</i>
Germes résistants	<i>Proteus</i> <i>Providencia</i> <i>Serratia</i> <i>Brucella</i> <i>Nocardia</i> <i>Camphylobacter</i>	<i>P. pseudomallei</i> <i>P. cepacia</i> <i>P. picketti</i>	<i>V. cholerae</i> <i>V. el tor</i>	<i>B. fragilis</i>

Sono naturalmente resistenti cocci Gram-negativi e Gram-positivi, bacilli aerobi Gram-positivi, anaerobi, funghi e parassiti.

Colistin: susceptibility criteria

- Disk diffusion method (10 μ g colistin disk): susceptible if the **inhibition zone ≥ 11 mm** (falsely susceptible results for some *S. maltophilia* and *Acinetobacter* spp.)

Breakpoints di suscettibilità e resistenza

	S	R
CLSI		
<i>Acinetobacter</i> spp.	≤ 2 mg/l	≥ 4 mg/l
<i>P.aeruginosa</i>	≤ 2 mg/l	≥ 8 mg/l
EUCAST		
<i>Acinetobacter</i> spp.	≤ 2 mg/l	> 2 mg/l
<i>P.aeruginosa</i>	≤ 4 mg/l	> 4 mg/l

Colistina: attività verso i gram-negativi non fermentanti

Table 2. Antimicrobial activity of polymyxin B against non-fermentative Gram-negative bacteria and Enterobacteriaceae isolates^a

Organism (number of isolates)				% resistant
Non-fermentative Gram-negative				
<i>Acinetobacter</i> spp. (2621)				2.1
<i>Aeromonas</i> spp. (368)				28.3
<i>Alcaligenes</i> spp. (121)				36.4
<i>B. cepacia</i> (153)				88.2
<i>P. aeruginosa</i> (8705)				1.3
<i>Pseudomonas</i> spp. (non- <i>aeruginosa</i> ; 282)	≤1	4	≤1 to >8	11.7
<i>S. maltophilia</i> (1256)	1	8	≤0.12 to >8	27.6
other non-enteric Gram-negative bacilli (302)	4	>4	≤1 to >8	55.6

Attività contro gram-negativi non fermentanti

Eteroresistenza alla colistina in *Acinetobacter* (usualmente S)

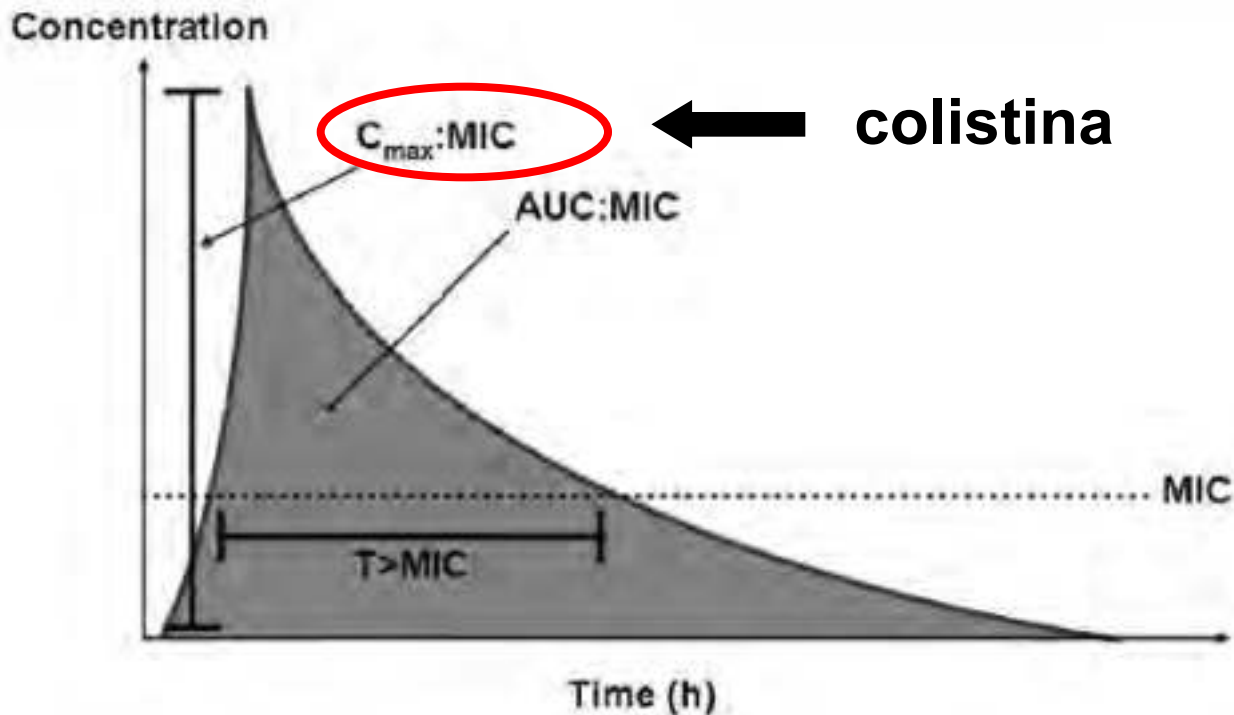


Resistenza piena alla colistina in
Klebsiella (usualmente S)



Indice farmacodinamico: rapporto tra un parametro PK ed un parametro microbiologico

Figure 1



PK di colistimetato e colistina nella fibrosi cistica: steady-state con 1,5-3 Milioni ogni 8 ore

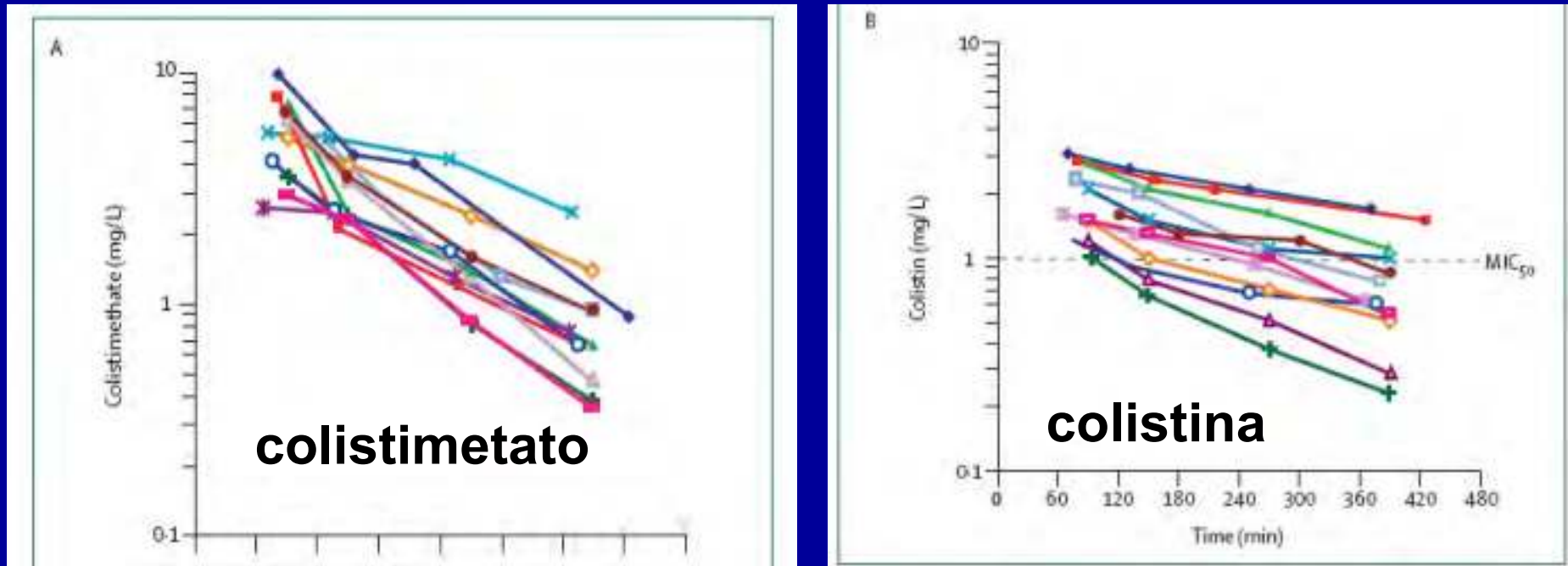


Figure 3: Pharmacokinetics of colistimethate and colistin in cystic fibrosis patients

Concentrations of colistimethate (A) and colistin (B) in plasma from patients with cystic fibrosis at steady state administered doses of colistimethate sodium (Colomycin) ranging from 1.63–3.11 mg/kg every 8 h of Colomycin (n=12).³¹

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Colistin serum concentrations after iv administration in critically ill pts with serious MDR, gram-negative bacilli infections.

2.8 MIU CMS every 8 or 12 hrs for at least 2 days

At steady state:

**mean (SD) colistin maximum concentrations were 2.93 (1.24) mg/L,
minimum concentrations were 1.03 (0.44) mg/L**

Apparent VD was 139,9 L and t 1/2 was 7.4 hours

Colistin-related nephrotoxicity was not observed

CMS dosage regimens were associated with suboptimal C_{max}/MIC ratios for many strains of gram-negative bacilli currently reported as sensitive (MIC < or = 2 microg/mL).

Population Pharmacokinetic Analysis of Colistin Methanesulfonate and Colistin after Intravenous Administration in Critically Ill Patients with Infections Caused by Gram-Negative Bacteria^{∇†}

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3 Million unit every 8 hrs of CMS

Blood levels of CMS and Colistin

Colistin C.max after first dose: 0.60 mg/L

Colistin C.max at steady state: 2.3 mg/L

Time for steady state: 4 days

Usual MIC for *Ps.aeruginosa* and *A.baumannii*: 2 mg/L

Need for a loading dose ?

Dosaggio per via endovenosa

1 mg colistimetato sodico o colimicina =
12.500 UI

4-6 mg  in 3
dosi

80-160  g 60
adul

Insuffi

Creatinina 1.5-1.5 mg/dl: 2 milioni ogni 12 h

Creatinina 1.6-2.5 mg/dl: 2 milioni ogni 24 h

Creatinina > 2.6 mg/dl: 2 milioni ogni 36 h

**Dose colistina:
questione aperta**

Comparison of once-, twice- and thrice-daily dosing of colistin on antibacterial effect and emergence of resistance: studies with *Pseudomonas aeruginosa* in an *in vitro* pharmacodynamic model

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and Robert W. Milne⁴

No difference in overall bacterial kill was observed when the recommended maximum daily dose was administered at 8,12 or 24 h intervals.

However, the 8 hourly regimen appeared most effective at minimizing emergence of resistance

Pharmacokinetics of Three Different Dosing Regimens of Colistin with Meaning for Optimum Use

A. SKIADA et al.; Laikon Hosp., Univ. of Athens, Athens, Greece.

Parameters	Substance	Treatment regimens		
		3MU q 8h	4.5 MU q 12h	9 MU q 24h
AUC (mg.h/L)	CMS Colistin	12.38±2.41	13.34±3.05	23.48±3.72
		11.42±1.91	13.70±2.27	22.43±3.88
$t_{1/2}$ (h)	CMS Colistin	8.3±1.3	9.2±1.4	11.4±1.5
		7.8±1.7	8.8±1.6	9.6±1.4
Cmax (mg/L)	CMS Colistin	4.38±1.56	4.75±1.37	8.23±2.58
		3.34±0.89	2.98±0.74	5.63±1.97
Cmin (mg/L)	CMS Colistin	2.66±0.79	3.43±1.12	2.63±0.88
		2.07±0.38	1.64±0.53	2.61±0.84
Vd (L)	CMS Colistin	124.7±16.8	135.8±20.7	156.4±19.6
		142.4±31.8	118.8±23.2	154.2±2.74

In vitro pharmacodynamics of colistin against *Acinetobacter baumannii* clinical isolates

Roxanne J. Owen¹, Jian Li^{1*}, Roger L. Nation¹ and Denis Spelman²

Monotherapy with colistin and long dosage intervals (ie 24h) may be problematic for treatment of infections caused by colistin heteroresistant *A.baumannii*

Effetti avversi

Nefrotossicità (necrosi tubulare acuta)

Neurotossicità: vertigini, debolezza, parestesie faciali, disturbi visivi, confusione, atassia, blocco neuromuscolare che può portare ad insufficienza respiratoria od apnea

Incidenza di nefrotossicità e neurotossicità durante trattamento con colistina

First author [reference], year	Incidence of nephrotoxicity, no./total (%)	Incidence of neurotoxicity, no./total	Treatment discontinuation
Levin [9], 1999	4/21 (19) ^a	None	None
Garnacho-Montero [10], 2003	5/14 (36) ^b	None	None
Linden [12], 2003	NA ^c	1/23	In 1 patient, because of neurotoxicity
Markou [11], 2003	3/21(14) ^d	None	None
Kasiakou [13], 2005	4/50 (8) ^e	None	None

Linden et al. CID 2006

Colistin for MDR *P.aeruginosa* & *Acinetobacter* spp. infections

Cystic Fibrosis (IV or nebulized)

VAP & bacteremia in ICU & SOT

Meningitis (case reports)

Monotherapy or combination therapy

Esperienze cliniche con colimicina

Reference	Number of patients	Conditions treated (%)	Pathogens (%)	Colistimethate sodium dose*	Therapy duration (SD)	Outcome
Reina et al ¹	55	Ventilator-associated pneumonia (53%), primary bacteraemia (16%), urinary tract infection (18%), and other infections (13%)	<i>P aeruginosa</i> (35%), <i>A baumannii</i> (65%)	5.0 mg/kg per day (maximum daily dose of 300 mg) divided into three doses; colistimethate sodium from Laboratory Bristol-Myers Squibb (Argentina); product information not available.	13 (5) days	Clinical cure on day 6 of treatment, 15%. Bacteriological cure not assessed
Michalopoulos et al ²	1	Bacteraemia	<i>A baumannii</i>	160 mg per 24 h by continuous intravenous infusion; product information not available.	14 days	Cured
Michalopoulos et al ³	43	Various intensive care unit-acquired infections, pneumonia (72%), bacteraemia (33%), sinusitis (2%), urinary tract infection (5%), catheter-related infection (7%), and surgical wound infection (5%)	<i>P aeruginosa</i> (81%), <i>A baumannii</i> (19%)	240 mg every 8 h; Colomycin or colistimethate sodium from Norma (13 333 units/mg; Athens, Greece)	18.6 (5-8) days	Clinical cure of infection observed in 69.8% of patients, clinical improvement in 4.7%, and clinical failure in 25.6%
Falagas et al ⁴	17	Pneumonia (68%), bacteraemia (5%), urinary tract infection (11%), meningitis (11%), and surgical site infection (5%)	<i>P aeruginosa</i> (60%), <i>A baumannii</i> (25%), <i>K pneumoniae</i> (10%), <i>Enterobacter cloacae</i> (5%)	Daily dose 352 ± 168 mg Colomycin or colistimethate sodium from Norma (Athens, Greece)	43.4 (14.6) days	Cured 52.6%, improvement 21.1%, unresponsiveness 26.3%
Levin et al ⁵	59	Pneumonia (33%), urinary tract infection (20%), primary bloodstream infection (15%), central nervous system infection (8%), peritonitis (7%), catheter-related infection (7%), surgical site infection (7%), and otitis media (2%)	<i>P aeruginosa</i> (35%), <i>A baumannii</i> (65%)	6.67-13.3 mg/kg per day up to a maximum dose of 800 mg, Colomycin or colistimethate sodium from Bellon (Rhône-Poulenc Rorer, France; product information not available.	12.6 (6-8) days	A good outcome occurred for 58% of the patients with 25% in pneumonia, 83% in urinary tract infection, 78% primary bloodstream infection, 80% in central nervous system infection, 50% in peritonitis, 75% in catheter-related infection, 60% in surgical site infection, and in 100% with the patient with otitis media infection

Li J. et al. Lancet Infect Dis 2006; 6: 589-601

Esperienze cliniche con colimicina

Reference	Number of patients	Conditions treated (%)	Pathogens (%)	Colistimethate sodium dose*	Therapy duration (SD)	Outcome
Conway et al ²²	53	Acute respiratory exacerbations in patients with cystic fibrosis	<i>P. aeruginosa</i>	160 mg every 8 h; Colomycin	12 days	All patients showed clinical improvement
Markou et al ²³	24	Ventilator-associated pneumonia (62.5%), empyema thoracis (4%), post-traumatic meningitis (4%), sinusitis (4%), urinary tract infection (4%), catheter-related sepsis (12.5%), and sepsis of unknown primary origin (17%)	<i>P. aeruginosa</i> (76%), <i>Acinetobacter</i> spp (24%)	3 million units every 8 h, colistimethate sodium from Norma (Athens, Greece)	13.5 days (range 4-24)	Clinical response 73%, survival at 30 days 57.7%
Jimenez-Mejias et al ²⁴	1	Meningitis	<i>A. baumannii</i>	5 mg/kg every day in four doses; product information not available	15 days	Cured
Garracho-Montero et al ²⁵	21	Ventilator-associated pneumonia (100%)	<i>A. baumannii</i>	2.5-5.0 mg/kg every 8 h, colistimethate sodium from Bellon (Rhône-Poulenc Rorer, France); product information not available	14.7 (4.1) days	Cured 57%
Linden et al ²⁶	23	Pneumonia (78%), bacteraemia (35%), wound infections (13%), intra-abdominal infections (26%), endocarditis (4%), and other infection (22%)	<i>P. aeruginosa</i>	All patients required dose adjustment for diminished or absent renal function; Coly-Mycin	Median 17 days (range 7-36)	Favourable therapeutic outcome 61%, unfavourable therapeutic outcome 39%, died while receiving therapy 30%, experienced relapse 13%, survived through end of therapy 70%, and through end of hospitalisation 39%
Kasakou et al ²⁷	2	Fixation device-related orthopaedic infections	<i>A. baumannii</i>	A bolus intravenous injection of 80 mg colistimethate sodium followed by 480 mg in a continuous 24 h infusion (patient 1); 160 mg every 8 h (patient 2); Colomycin	36 and 22 days	Cured
Jimenez-Mejias et al ²⁸	1	Meningitis	<i>A. baumannii</i>	5 mg/kg every day in four doses; product information not available	30 days	Cured
Fulgedy et al ²⁹	1	Post-surgical meningitis	<i>A. baumannii</i>	1.25 mg/kg every 12 h; product information not available	10 days	CSF remained free of <i>A. baumannii</i> throughout the rest of the hospitalisation

*Doses were for patients with normal renal function. Administration route was short intravenous infusion (5-30 min) unless specified otherwise. In cases where the product information is not available, it is uncertain whether the dose is in terms of colistimethate sodium or colistin base activity.

Combination antibiotic therapy

May be the (only) answer for MDR bugs

“In vitro“ synergism

“In vivo” increase of SBA

“In vivo” increase of antibacterial activity in infected tissue (?)

Control of the emergence of resistance to any single drug (?)

Toxicity, cost

Effetto sinergico della polimixina con altri antimicrobici (checkerboard methods)

Organism (no. of isolates)	Polymyxin studied	Combined-drug synergy (% of isolates with synergy)	Reference
<i>A. baumannii</i> (13)	Colistin	Rifampin (85)	74
<i>A. baumannii</i> (5)	Polymyxin B	Rifampin (60); ampicillin-sulbactam (0)	172
<i>A. baumannii</i> (55)	Polymyxin B	Rifampin (76); imipenem (58)	26
<i>A. baumannii</i> (24)	Polymyxin B	Azithromycin (83); rifampin (54); meropenem (38); cotrimazole (25)	113
<i>A. baumannii</i> (5)	Colistin	Rifampin (80), meropenem (60), azithromycin (60)	174
<i>A. baumannii</i> (8)	Colistin	Rifampin (100)	104
<i>A. baumannii</i> (6)	Colistin	Rifampin (100)	16
<i>P. aeruginosa</i> (55)	Polymyxin B	Rifampin (0); imipenem (0)	26
<i>P. aeruginosa</i> (5)	Colistin	Rifampin (40); meropenem (0), azithromycin (0)	174
<i>P. aeruginosa</i> (7)	Colistin	Rifampin (14)	171
<i>P. aeruginosa</i> (10)	Polymyxin B	Azithromycin (60); imipenem (20); rifampin (10)	93
<i>P. aeruginosa</i> (40)	Polymyxin B	Rifampin (not stated)	165
<i>K. pneumoniae</i> (55)	Polymyxin B	Rifampin (46); imipenem (15)	26
<i>S. marcescens</i> (12)	Polymyxin B	Rifampin (100)	177
<i>S. marcescens</i> (12)	Polymyxin B	Rifampin (100)	134
<i>S. marcescens</i> (13)	Colistimethate	Cotrimazole (not stated); rifampin (not stated); chloramphenicol (not stated)	173

Effetto sinergico della polimixina con altri antimicrobici (time-kill methods)

Organism (no. of isolates) ^a	Polymyxin studied	Combined-drug synergy (% of isolates with synergy/% with bactericidal activity)	Reference
<i>A. baumannii</i> (NA)	Polymyxin B	Rifampin (100/100); imipenem (100/100)	26
<i>A. baumannii</i> (6)	Colistimethate	Rifampin (100/100)	60
<i>A. baumannii</i> (8)	Polymyxin B	Rifampin (88/88); imipenem (88/88); rifampin + imipenem (100/100)	186
<i>A. baumannii</i> (8)	Colistimethate	Rifampin (100/100)	160
<i>A. baumannii</i> (13)	Colistin	Minocycline (92/69)	170
<i>P. aeruginosa</i> (5)	Polymyxin B	Rifampin (100/100)	139
<i>P. aeruginosa</i> (17)	Colistimethate	Rifampin (12/12)	59
<i>P. aeruginosa</i> (2)	Colistin	Ceftazidime (100/100); ciprofloxacin (0/0)	67
<i>P. aeruginosa</i> (2)	Colistin	Rifampin (100/100)	171
<i>P. aeruginosa</i> (13)	Polymyxin B	Azithromycin (70/70)	19
<i>P. aeruginosa</i> (10)	Polymyxin B	Azithromycin (40/40); imipenem (80/80); rifampin (90/90); rifampin + imipenem (100/100)	93
<i>S. maltophilia</i> (24)	Colistimethate	Rifampin (63/not stated); cotrimazole (42/not stated)	58
<i>K. pneumoniae</i> (16)	Polymyxin B	Rifampin (89/89); imipenem (44/44)	20
<i>S. marcescens</i> (4)	Polymyxin B	Rifampin (100/100)	134
<i>S. marcescens</i> (13)	Colistimethate	Cotrimazole (85/85), rifampin (not stated/not stated); chloramphenicol (not stated/not stated)	173

^a NA, not available.

“Colistin plus Rifampin combination was synergic or partially synergic against 5 *A. baumannii* strains tested by checkerboard method”

Evaluation of the activities of two-drug combinations of rifampicin, polymyxin B and ampicillin/sulbactam against *Acinetobacter baumannii*.

Tascini C, Menichetti F, Bozza S, Del Favero A, Bistoni F.

J Antimicrob Chemother. 1998 Aug;42(2):270-1.

A.baumannii



Coli MIC: 0,25 mg/l (S)
RFP MIC: 6 mg/l (R)
Coli (+RFP): 0,125 mg/l
RFP (+Coli): 4 mg/l

Sinergismo colistina-rifampicina

Sinergismo colistina + ampicilina/sulbactam



Antagonismo colistina-amikacina



Why Colistin plus Rifampin ?

Two-steps, sequential mechanism of action

Colistin disrupt the outer bacterial cytoplasmic membrane

Rifampin inhibit DNA-dependent RNA-polymerase at the ribosomal β -subunit

Some preliminary experience on *A. baumannii*

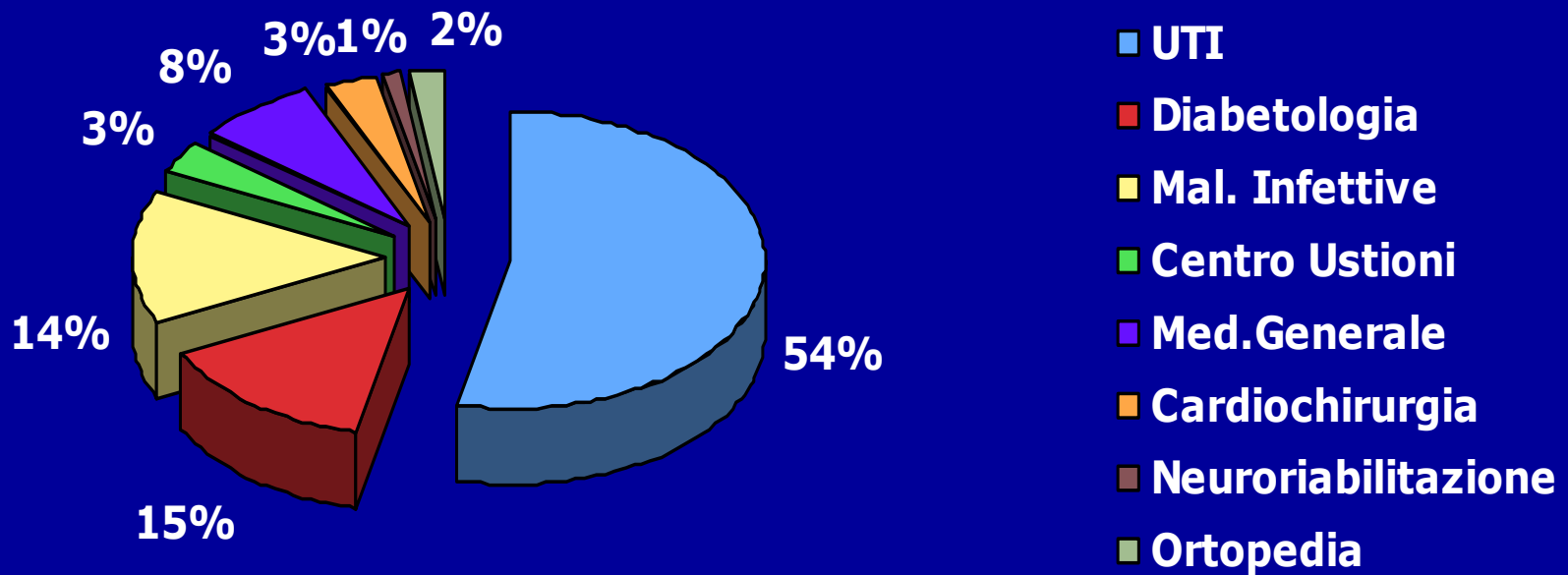
Colimicina + rifampicina od altri antibiotici nel trattamento di gravi infezioni da gram-negativi MDR

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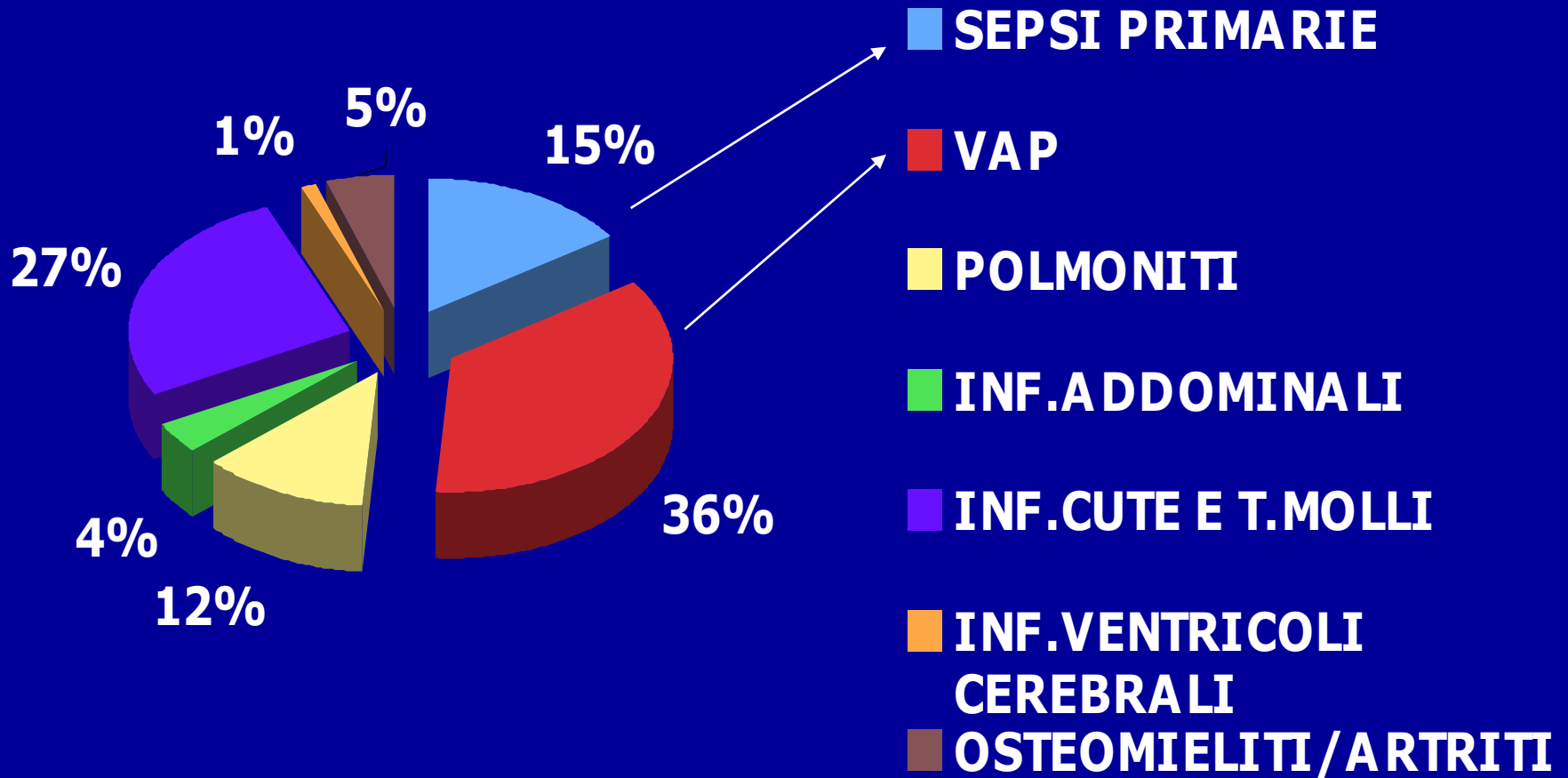
Caratteristiche dei pazienti

Popolazione trattata (2001-2009)	tot pz = 90
Maschi, n° (%)	67 (74)
Femmine, n° (%)	23 (26)
Età media, (DS)	57.6 (\pm15)
Insufficienza renale persistente, n° (%)	4/84 (5)
Neuropatia periferica persistente, n° (%)	4/85 (5)
Fattori di rischio per infezioni da GNB MDR	
Comorbidità, n° (%)	69/85 (81)
Precedenti ricoveri, n° (%)	59 (66)
Precedenti terapie antibiotiche, n° (%)	82 (91)

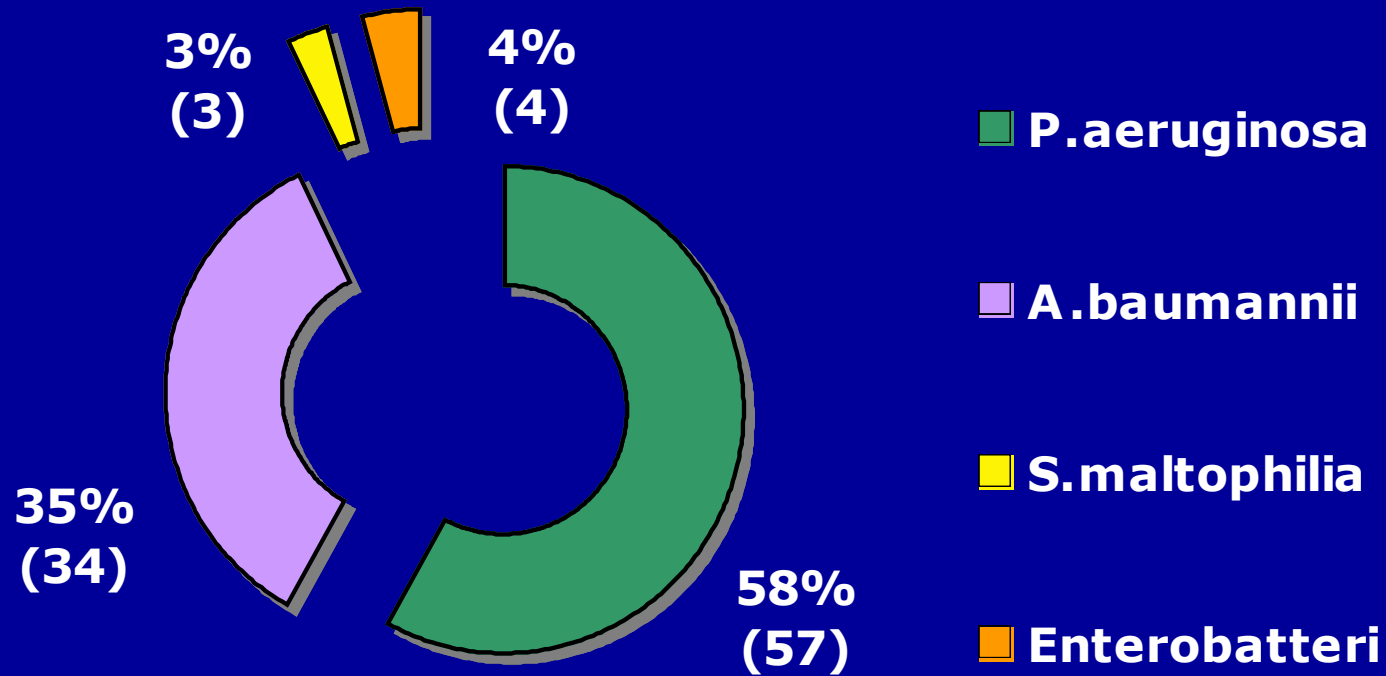
Reparti di ricovero dei pazienti



Sedi d'infezione (98)

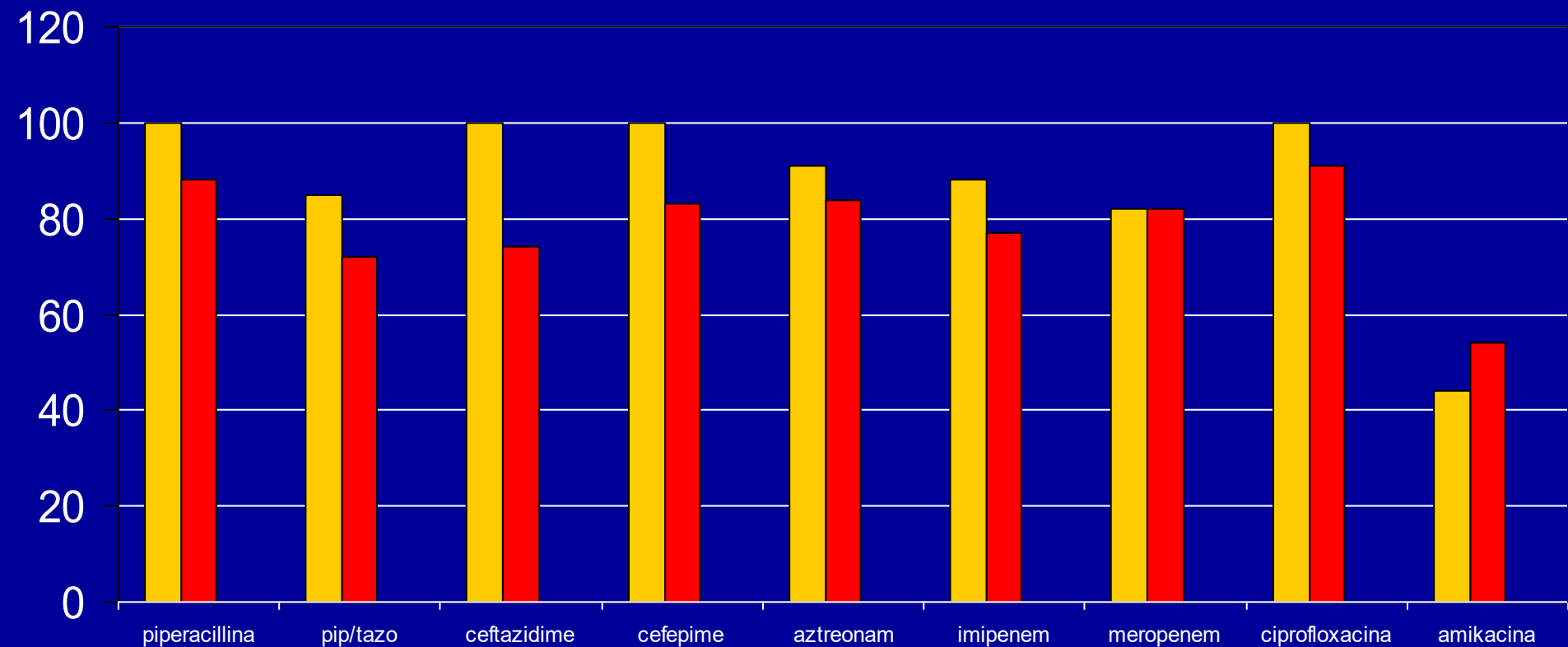


Eziologia: GNB MDR



Profili di resistenza

■ *P. aeruginosa* ■ *A. baumannii*



Response in different type of infections

	Clinical Response N (%)	Microbiol. Response N (%)	Mean duration of therapy
VAP	25/35 (71)	18/35 (51)	15 days
SSTis	19/26 (73)	17/23 (73)	38 days
Sepsis	8/15 (53)	9/15 (60)	17 days
Other infections	15/22 (68)	9/22 (40)	44 days
Total	67/98 (69)	53/98 (55)	28.5 days

Patogeni e risposta alla terapia

	Risposta clinica N (%)	Risposta microbiologica N (%)
<i>P.aeruginosa</i> (57)	42/57 (74)	33/57 (58)
<i>A.baumannii</i> (34)	23/34 (68)	15/34 (44)
Altre (7) (<i>S.maltophila</i> , <i>enterobatteri</i>)	2/7 (28)	5/7 (71)
Totale	67/98 (69)	53/98 (55)

Response with different colistin combinations

	Colistin + Rifampin	Colistin + other antibiotics
Clinical response	32/45 (71%)	35/53 (66%)
Microbiol response	27/45 (60%)	26/53 (50%)
Mean duration of therapy	32 days	24 days

***Acinetobacter baumannii*: risposta clinica e microbiologica a diverse associazioni**

	Colistina + rifampicina	Colistina + altri
Risposta clinica	12/16 (75%)	11/18 (61%)
Risposta microbiologica	9/16 (56%)	6/18 (33%)

Tigecycline (Tygacil)

Semi-synthetic glycycline

9-t-butylglyclamido derivative of minocycline

Bacteriostatic, act binding to 30S ribosomal subunit

Overcome the 2 major determinants of tetracycline resistance: active efflux of drug from inside the bacterial cell & protection of ribosomes

Tygacil chemical structure

“not simply a new parenteral tetracycline, but a new antibiotic with peculiar mechanisms of defense from bacterial resistance”



Figure 2. Structure of tigecycline [8]

9-t-butylglyclamido-glycylcycline

PK profile of Tigecycline

Table 1. Values for pharmacokinetic parameters for subjects in 5 phase 1 trials.

Dose regimen, parameter	Tigecycline dose, mg						
	12.5	25	50	75	100	200	300
Single dose							
C_{max}^a , $\mu\text{g/mL}$	0.11 \pm 0.01	0.25 \pm 0.06	0.38 \pm 0.06	0.57 \pm 0.08	0.95 \pm 0.22	1.79 \pm 0.53	2.82 \pm 0.48
V_{ss} , L/kg	2.8 \pm 0.95	6.4 \pm 1.3	6.5 \pm 2.0	7.5 \pm 0.77	6.8 \pm 2.5	13 \pm 3.3	12 \pm 2.4
AUC^b , $\mu\text{g}\cdot\text{h/mL}$	0.75 \pm 0.52	2.26 \pm 1.02	2.56 \pm 0.53	3.66 \pm 1.00	4.87 \pm 1.41	13.2 \pm 2.80	17.3 \pm 2.18
CL_T , L/h/kg	0.29 \pm 0.20	0.20 \pm 0.10	0.28 \pm 0.04	0.29 \pm 0.04	0.30 \pm 0.08	0.23 \pm 0.04	0.25 \pm 0.03
$t_{1/2}$, h	11 \pm 10	32 \pm 20	18 \pm 3.6	22 \pm 5.3	22 \pm 10	52 \pm 12	44 \pm 7.8
Multiple doses^c							
C_{max}^a , $\mu\text{g/mL}$	...	0.32 \pm 0.05	0.62 \pm 0.09	...	1.17 \pm 0.18	...	...
V_{ss} , L/kg	...	8.6 \pm 1.98	7.2 \pm 0.50	...	9.1 \pm 2.91	...	...
AUC^b , $\mu\text{g}\cdot\text{h/mL}$	...	1.48 \pm 0.26	3.07 \pm 0.38	...	4.98 \pm 0.93	...	...
CL_T , L/h/kg	...	0.20 \pm 0.04	0.20 \pm 0.02	...	0.24 \pm 0.05	...	...
$t_{1/2}$, h	...	49 \pm 35	37 \pm 12	...	66 \pm 23	...	...

NOTE. Data are mean \pm SD. AUC, area under the concentration–time curve; CL_T , total clearance; C_{max} , maximum concentration; $t_{1/2}$, elimination half-life; V_{ss} , apparent volume of distribution at steady state.

Tygecicline: PK/PD

Linear PK.
PK/PD index: AUC/MIC ratio
relationship with clinical
efficacy (?)

Dose

5

C_{max}

V_{ss}

AUC

AUC

S

Pro

$T_{1/2}$

Bili

No dose adjustment in renal failure or HD

ed by

s):

covery

Tigeciclina: distribuzione tissutale

Tessuto/fluido	Concentrazione nel tessuto vs siero
Colecisti	38 volte superiore
Colon	più del doppio
Fluido di bolla cutanea	74% della concentrazione sierica
Macrofago alveolare	78 volte superiore
ELF (liquido bronchiolo-alveolare)	32% della concentrazione sierica
Polmone	8,6 volte superiore
Liquido sinoviale	58% della concentrazione sierica
Osso	35% della concentrazione sierica

Tigeciclina: eventi avversi

Eventi avversi	Tigeciclina (N = 1,415)	Comparatore (N = 1,382)	<i>P</i> value
Nausea	29.5	15.8	<0.001
Vomito	19.7	10.8	<0.001
Diarrea	12.7	10.8	0.127
Trombocitemia	6.1	6.2	0.937
Flebite	1.8	3.8	0.002
Rash	2.4	4.1	0.011
Infezione	8.3	5.4	0.003
Iperbilirubinemia	2.3	0.9	0.004
▣ALT	5.6	4.7	0.305
▣AST	4.3	4.4	0.926

Tigecycline: an extended broad-spectrum activity

Staphylococci
(incl. MRSA, VISA, VRSA)

Enterococci
(incl. VRE, LRE)

Streptococci (β -haemol.,
viridans, pneumo incl. PRP)

Listeria
Corynebacteria
Leuconostoc
Lactobacillus
Bacillus

Anaerobes

Atypicals
- *Mycoplasma*
- *Chlamydia*
- NT Mycob.
- *Nocardia*

Enterobacteriaceae
(ex. *Proteeae*)
(incl. ESBL, carbapenemases)

Acinetobacter
(incl. MDR)

S. maltophilia

H. influenzae

Moraxella

Pasteurella

Neisseria

Campylobacter

Vibrio

Aeromonas

Legionella

Brucella

Tigeciclina

Breakpoints di suscettibilità e resistenza

	S	R
CLSI		
Enterobacteriaceae	?	?
<i>Acinetobacter</i> spp.	?	?
EUCAST		
Enterobacteriaceae	≤ 1 mg/l	> 2 mg/l
<i>Acinetobacter</i> spp.	?	?

Tigeciclina: indicazioni cliniche

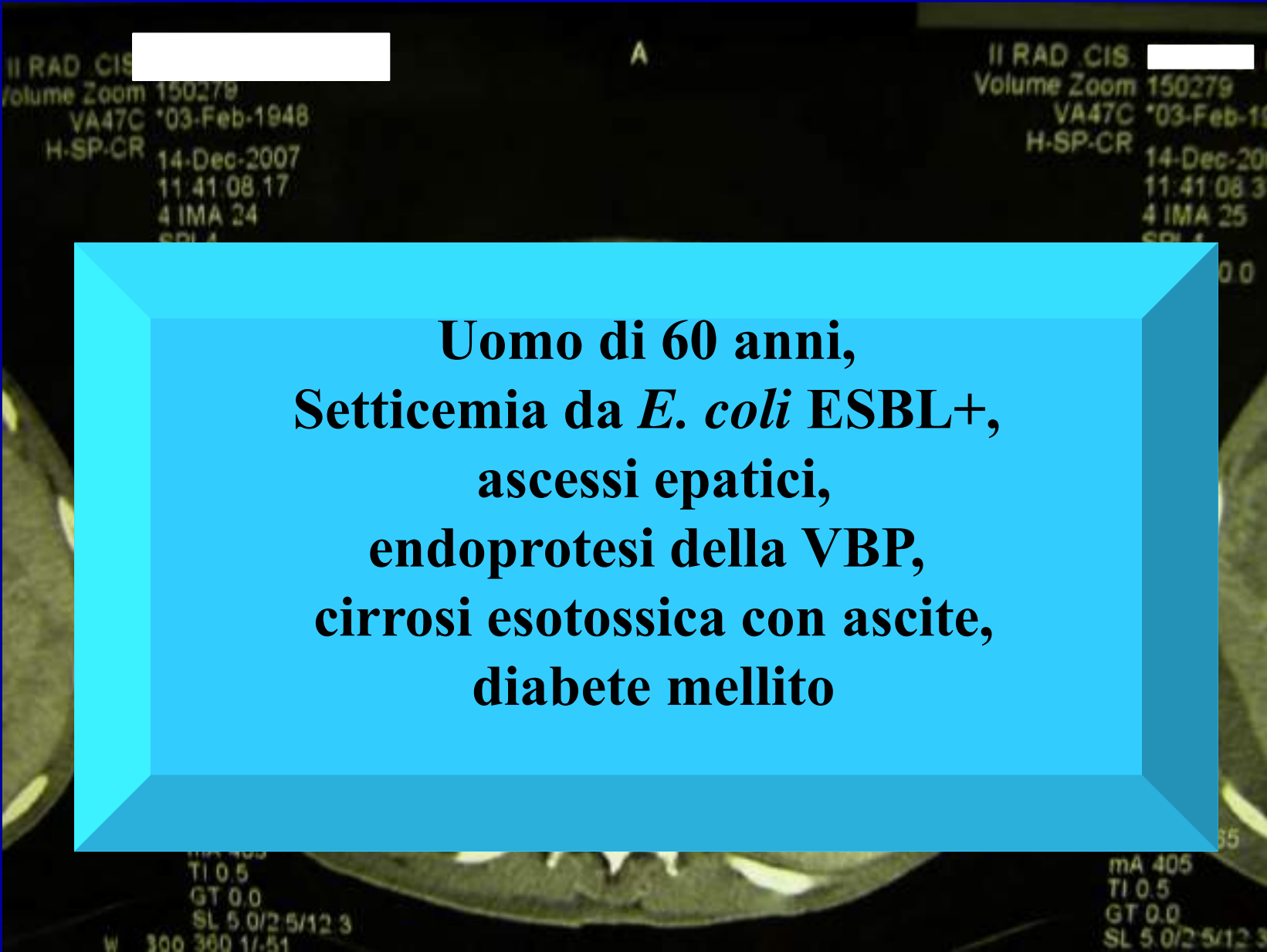
Indicazioni registrate (FDA/EMEA)

Complicated Intra-abdominal Infections

(2 trials, vs. imipenem/cilastatin)

Complicated Skin & Skin-Structure Infections

(2 trials, vs. VANCO/AZT)



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GT 0.0
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**Uomo di 60 anni,
Setticemia da *E. coli* ESBL+,
ascessi epatici,
endoprotesi della VBP,
cirrosi esotossica con ascite,
diabete mellito**

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**Terapia per 4 settimane con carbapenemici
Infezione polimicrobica del l. ascitico
(*Enterococcus* spp. e *St. haemolyticus* MDR,
Acinetobacter MDR)
**TIGECICLINA EV 100 mg
poi 50 mg bid per 15 gg.****

TI 0.5
GT 0.0
SL 5.0/2.5/12.3
W 300 360 1/-51

TI 0.5
GT 0.0
SL 5.0/2.5/12.3
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M.D.C.

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**UTI catetere-relata
da *Proteus vulgaris* Amp-C e
Ps.aeruginosa FQ-R:
rimozione catetere vescicale**

en.mAs 165
mA 379
TI 0.5
GT 0.0

Treatment of Community-Acquired c-IAI

Type of therapy	Mild-to- moderate	High-severity
Single agent		
β -lactam/ β -lactamase inhibitor	Ampi/sulbactam* Ticar/Clavulanic acid	Pipera/tazobactam
Carbapenems	Ertapenem Tigeciclina	Imipenem/Cilastatin Meropenem
Combination regimen		
Cephalosporin based	Cefuroxime, (Cefazolin) plus MNZ	CRO, CTX, Cefepime, (CAZ), plus MNZ
Fluoroquinolone based	Cipro, (Levo, Moxi) plus MNZ #	Cipro plus MNZ
Monobactam based		AZT plus MNZ

**E. coli* ampi/sulbactam resistant; # *B fragilis* FQ resistant

Tigeciclina: altre sperimentazioni cliniche

**CAP, 2 studies, 800 pts, vs. LEVO:
non inferiorità**

**HAP/VAP, 1 study, 866 pts, vs.
imipenem/cilastatin: **insuccesso****

**Ruolo di tigeciclina nelle HAP/VAP
da meglio definire !!!!**

Tigecycline and *Acinetobacter*

Source*	No. isolates	MIC₉₀ (μg/ml)	% S**	References
Global	427	1	ND	Hoban DMID 2005
USA	851	1	ND	Waites AAC 2006
Greece	103	1	99	Souli AAC 2006
USA	282	2	ND	Hoban DMID 2007
Italy	107	2	93	Mezzatesta ACMA 2008
USA	225	2	97	Draghi Chemother 2008
Asia-Pacific	544	2	99	Mendes JAC 2008

*** including MDR/XDR strains**

**** breakpoint for S = ≤2 μg/ml**

Tigecycline and *Acinetobacter*

Source*	No. isolates	MIC₉₀ (µg/ml)	% S**	References
EU-USA	215	4	85	Seifert JAC 2006
Spain	142	3	88	Insa JAC 2007
Iraq/USA	170	8	ND	Moland AAC 2008
Israel	82	32	22	Navon-Venezia JAC 2007
Turkey	66	12	53	Dizbay IJAA 2008

* including MDR/XDR strains

** breakpoint for S = ≤ 2 µg/ml

Tigecycline and *Acinetobacter* infections

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**Hospitalized patients
(cSSSI, cIAI
HAP/VAP,
BSI/CR-BSI)**

Acinetobacter, clinical response at TOC

ME	m-mITT
14/17 (82.4%)	17/32 (53.1%)

Acinetobacter, microbiological response at TOC

ME	m-mITT
11/17 (64.7%)	14/32 (43.8%)

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Tigecycline for the treatment of multidrug-resistant (including carbapenem-resistant) *Acinetobacter* infections: a review of the scientific evidence

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Ann Pharmacother 2008

Jason C Gallagher and Heather M Rouse

- **Successes but also failures have been reported**
- **Data to support its clinical use in this setting are still limited**
- **Additional clinical experience is needed, especially for VAP**

Vecchi e nuovi antibiotici

	Vecchi	Nuovi	Partner
ESBLs-Amp-C	carbapenemi	Tigeciclina	AK; FQs
KPC	Colisitina	Tigeciclina	
<i>A. baumannii</i>	Colistina	Tigeciclina	RFP
<i>P. aeruginosa</i>	Colistina	Doripenem (?)	RFP; AK; Fosfo