

Global *in vitro* activity of eravacycline and comparators against *Enterobacteriaceae*, *Acinetobacter baumannii*, *Stenotrophomonas maltophilia*, *Staphylococcus aureus* and *Enterococcus* spp. including multidrug-resistant (MDR) isolates from 2016

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Introduction

Eravacycline is a novel, fully-synthetic fluorocycline antibiotic currently under review by the EMA and FDA for the treatment of complicated intra-abdominal infections.

The purpose of this study was to evaluate the activity of eravacycline and comparators against global isolates of *Enterobacteriaceae*, *Acinetobacter baumannii*, *Stenotrophomonas maltophilia*, *Staphylococcus aureus* (including methicillin-resistant *S. aureus*, MRSA) and *Enterococcus* spp, including those that are multidrug-resistant (MDR).

Methods

- A total of 6719 clinical isolates collected in 2016 from genito-urinary, gastro-intestinal, body fluids, and respiratory sources were tested.
- Global distribution of the clinical isolates are shown in Figure 1.
- MDR was defined as resistance to ≥ 3 from cefepime/cefotaxime/ceftazidime/ceftriaxone (any one), aztreonam, gentamicin, a carbapenem (meropenem or ertapenem) levofloxacin, piperacillin-tazobactam, tetracycline or tigecycline.
- Minimal inhibitory concentration (MIC) values were determined by broth microdilution according to CLSI guidelines¹ for eravacycline and comparators.
- Quality control testing was performed each day of testing as specified by the CLSI using *Escherichia coli* ATCC 25922, *E. coli* ATCC 35218, *Klebsiella pneumoniae* ATCC 700603, *Pseudomonas aeruginosa* ATCC 28753 *E. faecalis* ATCC 29212 and *S. aureus* ATCC 29213.
- Antibiotic susceptibility was determined using CLSI 2016 breakpoints², with the exception of tigecycline where FDA breakpoints were used.

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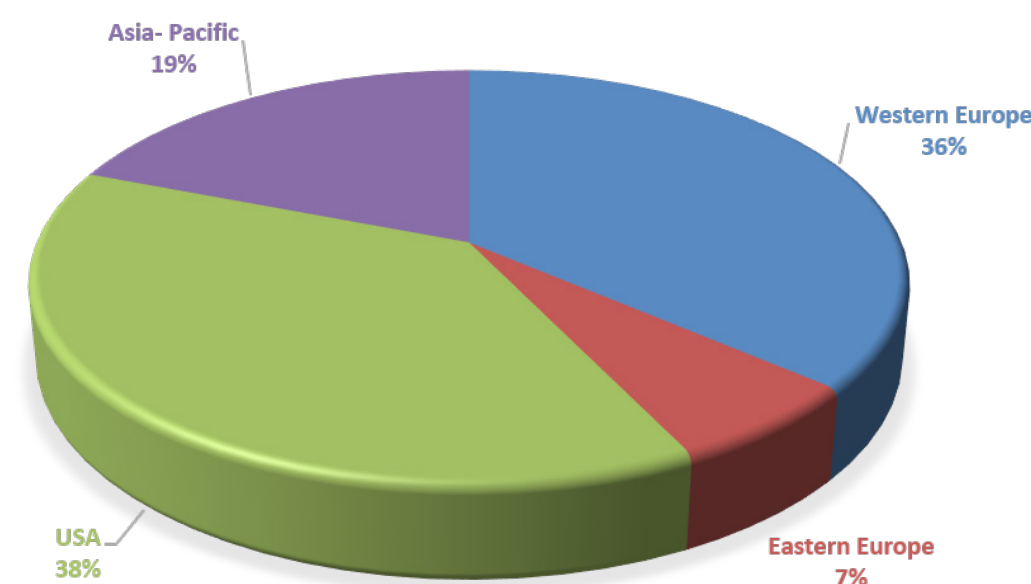
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Methods (continued)

Figure 1. Percent distribution of all isolates by geographic origin



Results

- Susceptibility data, MIC_{50/90} values, and MIC ranges for eravacycline and comparators are shown in Tables 1 - 8.
- The susceptibility range of MDR *Enterobacteriaceae* was from 22% for ceftriaxone to 93% for meropenem, with 81.1% of isolates susceptible to tigecycline (Table 2).
- Against *Enterobacteriaceae*, the MIC₉₀ for eravacycline was 4-fold lower than tigecycline (Table 1).
- Similarly, against MDR *Enterobacteriaceae* (Table 2), including versus specific strains (Table 3) eravacycline was observed to be at least 2-fold more potent than tigecycline and at least 8-fold more potent than minocycline.
- 80.1% and 93.8% of MRSA were susceptible to tetracycline and tigecycline, respectively (Table 5).
- The MIC₉₀ of eravacycline was at least 4-fold lower than tigecycline against *S. aureus*, including MRSA (Table 5).
- Versus *A. baumannii*, eravacycline demonstrated 8-fold greater potency compared to tigecycline and minocycline (Table 8).

Results (continued)

Table 1. Susceptibility of *Enterobacteriaceae* (n = 3,157) to eravacycline and comparators.

Drug	Breakpoints (S/I/R)	%S	%I	%R	MIC ₅₀	MIC ₉₀	Minimum	Maximum
Eravacycline	No Breakpoints Defined	-	-	-	0.25	1	0.03	16
Amikacin	<=16 32 >=64	98.42	0.38	1.2	1	4	<= 0.25	> 64
Aztreonam	<=4 8 >=16	81.63	1.58	16.79	0.12	> 16	<= 0.03	> 16
Cefepime	<=2 4-8 >=16	87.23	2.79	9.98	0.06	8	<= 0.008	> 16
Ceftazidime	<=4 8 >=16	81.18	1.68	17.14	0.25	64	<= 0.03	> 128
Ceftriaxone	<=1 2 >=4	75.67	0.98	23.35	0.12	> 4	<= 0.015	> 4
Ertapenem	<=0.5 1 >=2	95.15	1.84	3.01	0.015	0.25	0.004	> 2
Gentamicin	<=4 8 >=16	88.72	0.86	10.42	0.5	16	<= 0.12	> 16
Levofloxacin	<=2 4 >=8	84.99	1.9	13.11	0.06	8	<= 0.004	> 8
Meropenem	<=1 2 >=4	98.23	0.35	1.43	0.03	0.12	<= 0.004	> 4
Piperacillin Tazobactam	<=16/4 32/4-64/4 >=128/4	86.89	5.48	7.63	2	64	<= 0.25	> 128
Tetracycline	<=4 8 >=16	64.05	4.53	31.42	2	> 64	<= 0.25	> 64
Tigecycline	<=2 4 >=8	88.85	8.71	2.44	0.5	4	0.03	32

%S, %I, %R, percent susceptible, intermediate or resistant; NB, no defined breakpoint

Table 2. Susceptibility of MDR *Enterobacteriaceae* (n = 666) to eravacycline and comparators.

Drug	Breakpoints (S/I/R)	%S	%I	%R	MIC ₅₀	MIC ₉₀	Minimum	Maximum
Eravacycline	No Breakpoints Defined	-	-	-	0.5	2	0.03	16
Amikacin	<=16 32 >=64	92.49	1.8	5.71	2	16	<= 0.25	> 64
Aztreonam	<=4 8 >=16	31.53	2.55	65.92	> 16	> 16	<= 0.03	> 16
Cefepime	<=2 4-8 >=16	43.09	11.56	45.35	8	> 16	<= 0.008	> 16
Ceftazidime	<=4 8 >=16	31.98	5.56	62.46	32	> 128	<= 0.03	> 128
Ceftriaxone	<=1 2 >=4	22.22	1.2	76.58	> 4	> 4	<= 0.015	> 4
Ertapenem	<=0.5 1 >=2	79.43	7.21	13.36	0.12	2	0.004	> 2
Gentamicin	<=4 8 >=16	48.95	3.15	47.9	8	> 16	<= 0.12	> 16
Levofloxacin	<=2 4 >=8	43.54	4.8	51.65	8	> 8	0.015	> 8
Meropenem	<=1 2 >=4	92.64	1.2	6.16	0.06	0.5	<= 0.004	> 4
Piperacillin Tazobactam	<=16/4 32/4-64/4 >=128/4	56.31	11.41	32.28	16	> 128	<= 0.25	> 128
Tetracycline	<=4 8 >=16	30.48	3.75	65.77	64	> 64	0.5	> 64
Tigecycline	<=2 4 >=8	81.08	11.71	7.21	1	4	0.06	32

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Table 3. Susceptibility of *C. freundii*, *Escherichia coli*, *Klebsiella pneumoniae* and *Enterobacter cloacae* MDR strains to eravacycline and tigecycline.

Organism	Drug	Breakpoints (S/I/R)	%S	%I	%R	MIC ₅₀	MIC ₉₀	Maximum
<i>C. freundii</i> MDR (54)	Eravacycline	No Breakpoints Defined	-	-	-	0.25	1	4
	Minocycline	<=4 8 >=16	50	14.81	35.19	4	> 16	> 16
	Tetracycline	<=4 8 >=16	55.56	12.96	31.48	4	> 64	> 64
	Tigecycline	<=2 4 >=8	94.44	5.56	0	0.5	2	4
<i>E. cloacae</i> MDR (N=95)	Eravacycline	No Breakpoints Defined	-	-	-	0.5	2	4
	Minocycline	<=4 8 >=16	56.84	14.74	28.42	4	> 16	> 16
	Tetracycline	<=4 8 >=16	50.53	4.21	45.26	4	> 64	> 64
	Tigecycline	<=2 4 >=8	86.32	13.68	0	1	4	4
<i>E. coli</i> MDR (15)	Eravacycline	No Breakpoints Defined	-	-	-	0.12	0.25	2
	Minocycline	<=4 8 >=16	64.24	10.6	25.17	2	> 16	> 16
	Tetracycline	<=4 8 >=16	14.57	0	85.43	> 64	> 64	> 64
	Tigecycline	<=2 4 >=8	98.01	1.99	0	0.25	1	4
<i>K. pneumoniae</i> MDR (142)	Eravacycline	No Breakpoints Defined	-	-	-	0.5	2	16
	Minocycline	<=4 8 >=16	45.07	21.13	33.8	8	> 16	> 16
	Tetracycline	<=4 8 >=16	33.8	4.93	61.27	> 64	> 64	> 64
	Tigecycline	<=2 4 >=8	88.03	6.34	5.63	1	4	8

%S, %I, %R, percent susceptible, intermediate or resistant; NB, no defined breakpoint; MDR, multi-drug resistant

Table 4. Susceptibility of methicillin-susceptible *S. aureus*, MSSA (n = 256) to eravacycline and comparators.

Drug	Breakpoints (S/I/R)	%S	%I	%R	MIC ₅₀	MIC ₉₀	Minimum	Maximum
Eravacycline	No Breakpoints Defined	-	-	-	0.06	0.12	0.03	0.5
Clindamycin	<=0.5 1-2 >=4	95.31	0	4.69	0.06	0.12	<= 0.03	> 2
Daptomycin	<=1 - -	100	0	0	0.25	0.5	0.25	0.5
Levofloxacin	<=1 2 >=4	92.19	0.78	7.03	0.12	0.5	0.06	> 4
Linezolid	<=4 - >=8	100	0	0	1	2	<= 0.5	2
Oxacillin	<=2 - >=4	100	0	0	0.25	0.5	<= 0.06	2
Penicillin	<=0.12 - >=0.25	32.03	0	67.97	2	> 2	<= 0.12	> 2
Tetracycline	<=4 8 >=16	94.92	0	5.08	0.25	0.5	0.12	> 16
Tigecycline	<=0.5 - -	98.83	0	1.17	0.12	0.25	0.06	1
Vancomycin	<=2 4-8 >=16	100	0	0	0.5	1	0.5	2

%S, %I, %R, percent susceptible, intermediate or resistant; NB, no defined breakpoint

Table 5. Susceptibility of methicillin-resistant *S. aureus* MRSA (n = 256) to eravacycline and comparators.

Drug	Breakpoints (S/I/R)	%S	%I	%R	MIC ₅₀	MIC ₉₀	Minimum	Maximum
Eravacycline	No Breakpoints Defined	-	-	-	0.06	0.12	0.015	1
Clindamycin	<=0.5 1-2 >=4	68	0	32	0.12	> 2	<= 0.03	> 2
Daptomycin	<=1 - -	100	0	0	0.5	0.5	0.12	1
Levofloxacin	<=1 2 >=4	35.9	5.5	58.6	4	> 4	0.06	> 4
Linezolid	<=4 - >=8	100	0	0	1	2	<= 0.5	2
Oxacillin	<=2 - >=4	0	0	100	> 2	> 2	> 2	> 2
Penicillin	<=0.12 - >=0.25	0	0	100	> 2	> 2	0.25	> 2
Tetracycline	<=4 8 >=16	80.1	0.4	19.5	0.25	> 16	<= 0.06	> 16
Tigecycline	<=0.5 - -	93.75	0	6.25	0.25	0.5	0.06	2
Vancomycin	<=2 4-8 >=16	100	0	0	0.5	1	0.5	1

%S, %I, %R, percent susceptible, intermediate or resistant; NB, no defined breakpoint

Table 6. Susceptibility of *E. faecalis* and *E. faecium* combined (n = 397) to eravacycline and comparators.

Drug	Breakpoints (S/I/R)	%S	%I	%R	MIC ₅₀	MIC ₉₀	Minimum	Maximum
Eravacycline	No Breakpoints Defined	-	-	-	0.06	0.06	0.008	0.5
Ampicillin	<=8 - >=16	65.7	0	34.3	2	> 8	0.5	> 8
Daptomycin	<=4 - -	100	0	0	1	2	<= 0.03	4
Levofloxacin	<=2 4 >=8	48.3	1.2	50.5	> 8	> 8	0.25	> 8
Linezolid	<=2 4 >=8	98.8	0.5	0.7	1	2	<= 0.12	> 4
Penicillin	<=8 - >=16	62.8	0	37.2	4	> 8	0.5	> 8
Tigecycline	<=0.25 - -	80.4	0	19.56	0.12	1	0.03	2
Vancomycin	<=4 8-16 >=32	87.7	0	12.3	1	> 16	<= 0.25	> 16

%S, %I, %R, percent susceptible, intermediate or resistant; NB, no defined breakpoint

Table 7. Susceptibility of *S. maltophilia* (n = 469) to eravacycline and comparators.

Drug	Breakpoints (S/I/R)	%S	%I	%R	MIC ₅₀	MIC ₉₀	Minimum	Maximum
Eravacycline	No Breakpoints Defined	-	-	-	1	2	0.06	8
Amikacin	No Breakpoints Defined	0	0	0	> 64	> 64	0.12	> 64
Levofloxacin	<=2 4 >=8	76.8	9.6	13.6	1	8	0.06	> 64
Meropenem	No Breakpoints Defined	0	0	0	> 64	> 64	0.06	> 64
Minocycline	<=4 8 >=16	99.2	0.2	0.6	1	2	0.25	64
Piperacillin Tazobactam	No Breakpoints Defined	0	0	0	> 128	> 128	2	> 128
Tetracycline	No Breakpoints Defined	0	0	0	16	32	2	> 64
Tigecycline	No Breakpoints Defined	0	0	0	2	4	0.25	> 16
Trimethoprim Sulfa	<=2/38 - >=4/76	89.3	0	10.7	0.5	4	<= 0.03	> 64

%S, %I, %R, percent susceptible, intermediate or resistant; NB, no defined breakpoint

Table 8 Susceptibility of *A. baumannii* (N=503) to eravacycline and comparators

Drug	Breakpoints (S/I/R)	%S	%I	%R	MIC ₅₀	MIC ₉₀	Minimum	Maximum
Eravacycline	No Breakpoints Defined	-	-	-	0.5	1	<= 0.015	16
Amikacin	<							