

Antibiotic Review

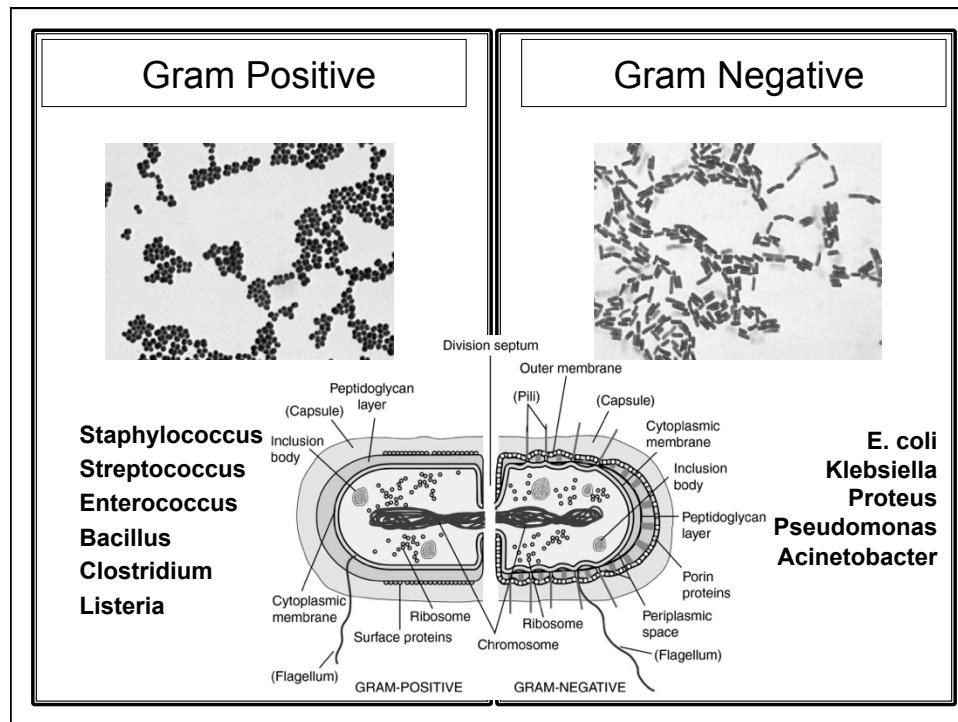
Gram Stain and Spectrum of Activity

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Objectives

- ▶ Understand and interpret gram stain results

- ▶ Identify spectrum of activity for each antibiotic



Importance of Gram Stain

- ▶ Mainstay of rapid diagnostic tests
 - Gram stain results usually reported a day prior to culture and sensitivity results
- ▶ Provides useful, presumptive information as to the etiology of many infections
- ▶ Potential to improve empiric regimen prior to culture results

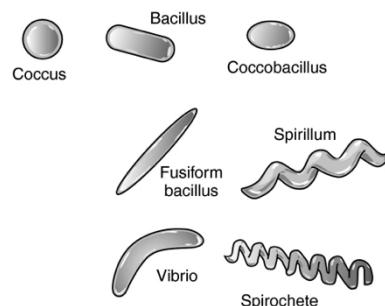
Clinically useful results

► GPC in clusters

- Staph aureus (including MRSA)

► GPC in chains

- Enterococcus faecalis
- Enterococcus faecium
- Group A strep
- Group B strep
- Strep viridans



► GPC in pairs (diplococci)

- Strep pneumo

Site of infection matters

► Sterile site

- Blood
- CSF
- Pleural fluid
- Peritoneal fluid
- Bone
- Joint fluid

► Non-sterile site

- **Sputum**
- Skin
- Wound

Bugs and Drugs

»» Spectrum of activity

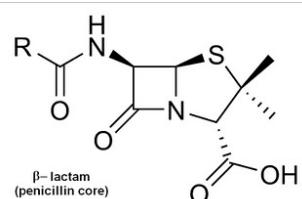
Beta-Lactams

Penicillins	Cephalosporins	Carbapenems
"Natural Penicillins" Penicillin G & Penicillin V	1st-generation Cefazolin & Cephalexin	Imipenem & Meropenem &
Anti-staph penicillins Nafcillin & Dicloxacillin	2nd-generation Cefuroxime	Doripenem Ertapenem
Aminopenicillins Ampicillin & amoxicillin	3rd-generation Cefotetan & Cefoxitin	Monobactams
Ampicillin/sulbactam & Amoxicillin/clavulanate	Ceftriaxone & Cefotaxime Ceftazidime	Aztreonam
Antipseudomonal penicillins Piperacillin/tazobactam	4th-generation Cefepime 5th-generation Ceftaroline	

Beta-Lactams

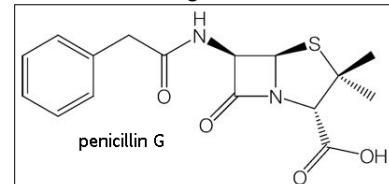
► MOA:

- Interfere with cell wall synthesis during multiplication leading to cell wall destruction and bacterial cell death
- Targets peptidoglycan synthethesis by inhibiting enzymes called penicillin binding proteins [PBP]
- Clinical efficacy
 - Time above the MIC



Natural Penicillins

- Basics: penicillin G (IV), V (PO); *benzathine* (IM depot), *procaine* (IM depot)
- Spectrum Summary
 - **Excellent activity**
 - *Strep pyogenes*, *T. pallidum*, *Listeria*, *Neisseria meningitidis*
 - **Good activity**
 - *Strep pneumoniae*, *viridans Strep*, *Enterococcus faecalis*
 - **Poor activity**
 - MSSA
 - **No activity**
 - MRSA, Gram-negative rods, “atypicals”, *Bacteriodes fragilis*



Anti-staphylococcal Penicillins

- ▶ Basics: nafcillin, oxacillin, [methicillin] (IV); dicloxacillin (PO)
- ▶ Spectrum Summary: PCN + MSSA– *Enterococcus*

Organism	Activity		Organism	Activity	
<u>Gram-positive</u>	<i>PCN</i>	<i>Naf</i>	<u>Gram-negative</u>	<i>PCN</i>	<i>Naf</i>
<i>Streptococcus pyogenes</i>	++	++	<i>H. influenzae</i>	--	--
<i>Streptococcus pneumoniae</i>	++	++	<i>Proteus/E.coli/Klebsiella</i>	X	X
<i>Staph aureus (MSSA)</i>	--	++	<i>Enterobacter/Serratia</i>	X	X
<i>Staph aureus(MRSA)</i>	X	X	<i>Pseudomonas</i>	X	X
<i>Enterococcus faecalis</i>	++	--	<i>Anaerobes</i>	<i>PCN</i>	<i>Naf</i>
<i>Enterococcus faecium(VRE)</i>	--	--	<i>Bacteroides fragilis</i>	--	--

Aminopenicillins

- ▶ Basics: ampicillin (IV, PO); amoxicillin (PO); ampicillin/sulbactam (IV); amoxicillin/clavulanate (PO)
- ▶ Spectrum Summary: PCN + “HNpek” + *B. fragilis*

Organism	Activity		Organism	Activity	
<u>Gram-positive</u>	<i>Amp</i>	<i>Amp/sul</i>	<u>Gram-negative</u>	<i>Amp</i>	<i>Amp/sul</i>
<i>Streptococcus pyogenes</i>	++	++	<i>H. influenzae</i>	+	++
<i>Streptococcus pneumoniae</i>	++	++	<i>Proteus/E.coli/Klebsiella</i>	--	+
<i>Staph aureus (MSSA)</i>	--	++	<i>Enterobacter/Serratia</i>	X	X
<i>Staph aureus(MRSA)</i>	X	X	<i>Pseudomonas</i>	X	X
<i>Enterococcus faecalis</i>	++	++	<i>Anaerobes</i>	<i>Amp</i>	<i>Amp/sul</i>
<i>Enterococcus faecium(VRE)</i>	--	--	<i>Bacteroides fragilis</i>	--	++

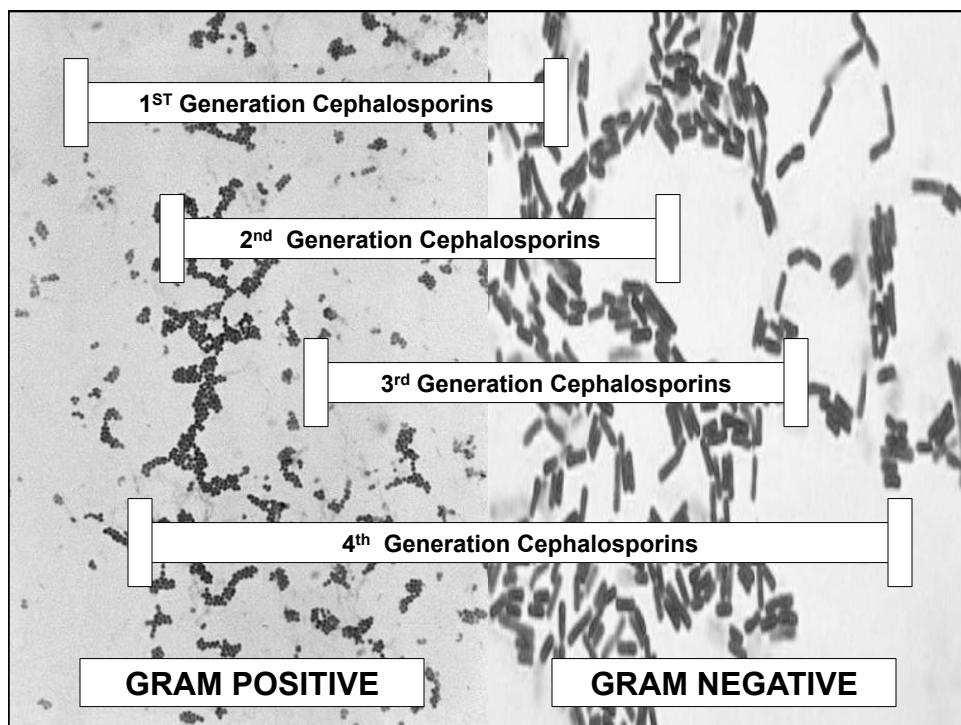
HNpek - Haemophilus, Neisseria, proteus, e.coli, klebsiella

Antipseudomonal Penicillins

- ▶ Basics: *Piperacillin*, piperacillin/tazobactam, *ticarcillin*, *ticarcillin/clavulanate(IV)*
- ▶ Spectrum Summary: Amp/sulb + (more) GNRs (“HNPEK/CaPES”)

Organism	Activity		Organism	Activity	
<u>Gram-positive</u>	Amp/sul	Pip/tazo	<u>Gram-negative</u>	Amp/sul	Pip/tazo
<i>Streptococcus pyogenes</i>	++	++	<i>H. influenzae</i>	++	++
<i>Streptococcus pneumoniae</i>	++	++	<i>Proteus/E.coli/ Klebsiella</i>	+	++
<i>Staph aureus</i> (MSSA)	++	++	<i>Enterobacter/Serratia</i>	X	++
<i>Staph aureus</i> (MRSA)	X	X	<i>Pseudomonas</i>	X	+
<i>Enterococcus faecalis</i>	++	++	<i>Anaerobes</i>	Amp/sul	Pip/tazo
<i>Enterococcus faecium</i> (VRE)	--	--	<i>Bacteroides fragilis</i>	++	++

CaPES – Citerobacter, acinetobacter, Pseudomonas, Enterobacter, Serratia



1st-Generation Cephalosporins

- ▶ Basics: Cefazolin(IV), cephalexin (PO)
- ▶ Spectrum Summary: Nafcillin + GNRs (“pek”)

Organism	Activity		Organism	Activity	
<i>Gram-positive</i>	<i>Naf</i>	1GC	<i>Gram-negative</i>	<i>Naf</i>	1GC
<i>Streptococcus pyogenes</i>	++	++	<i>H. influenzae</i>	--	--
<i>Streptococcus pneumoniae</i>	++	++	<i>Proteus/E.coli/Klebsiella</i>	X	+
<i>Staph aureus</i> (MSSA)	++	++	<i>Enterobacter/Serratia</i>	X	X
<i>Staph aureus</i> (MRSA)	X	X	<i>Pseudomonas</i>	X	X
<i>Enterococcus faecalis</i>	--	X	<i>Anaerobes</i>	<i>Naf</i>	1GC
<i>Enterococcus faecium</i> (VRE)	--	X	<i>Bacteroides fragilis</i>	--	--

- ▶ Cephalosporins are **LAME**

- Do not cover Listeria, Atypicals, MRSA*, Enterococcus*

*Except Ceftaroline

2nd-Generation Cephalosporins

- ▶ Basics: Cefuroxime (IV, PO); *cefoxitin*, *cefotetan*(IV)
 - 2 “groups” differ by spectrum: cefuroxime group &cephamycin group (cefoxitin/cefotetan)
- ▶ Spectrum Summary: 1st-Gen + “HN” +/- *B. fragilis*

Organism	Activity		Organism	Activity	
<i>Gram-positive</i>	1GC	2GC	<i>Gram-negative</i>	1GC	2GC
<i>Streptococcus pyogenes</i>	++	++	<i>H. influenzae</i>	--	++
<i>Streptococcus pneumoniae</i>	++	++	<i>Proteus/E.coli/Klebsiella</i>	+	+
<i>Staph aureus</i> (MSSA)	++	+	<i>Enterobacter/Serratia</i>	X	X
<i>Staph aureus</i> (MRSA)	X	X	<i>Pseudomonas</i>	X	X
<i>Enterococcus faecalis</i>	X	X	<i>Anaerobes</i>	1GC	2GC
<i>Enterococcus faecium</i> (VRE)	X	X	<i>Bacteroides fragilis</i>	--	++

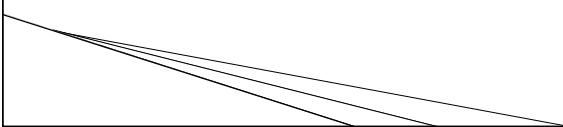
*cefoxitin/cefotetan only

3rd-Generation Cephalosporins

- ▶ Basics: ceftriaxone, cefotaxime, ceftazidime (IV); cefpodoxime, cefixime (PO)
- ▶ Spectrum Summary: cefurox + “Ca(P)ES”

Organism	Activity		Organism	Activity	
<u>Gram-positive</u>	CTX	CTZ	<u>Gram-negative</u>	CTX	CTZ
<i>Streptococcus pyogenes</i>	++	++	<i>H. influenzae</i>	++	++
<i>Streptococcus pneumoniae</i>	++	--	<i>Proteus/E.coli/Klebsiella</i>	++	++
<i>Staph aureus (MSSA)</i>	++	--	<i>Enterobacter/Serratia</i>	+	+
<i>Staph aureus(MRSA)</i>	X	X	<i>Pseudomonas</i>	X	+
<i>Enterococcus faecalis</i>	X	X	<i>Anaerobes</i>	CTX	CTZ
<i>Enterococcus faecium(VRE)</i>	X	X	<i>Bacteroides fragilis</i>	--	--

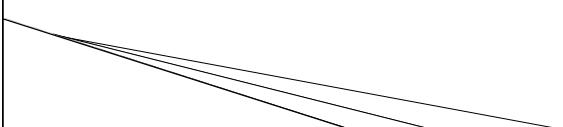
CTX – Ceftriaxone/Cefotaxime
CTZ - Ceftazidime



4th-Generation Cephalosporins

- ▶ Basics: cefepime (IV)
- ▶ Spectrum Summary: Ceftaz + Ceftriaxone

Organism	Activity		Organism	Activity	
<u>Gram-positive</u>	CTZ	CFP	<u>Gram-negative</u>	CTZ	CFP
<i>Streptococcus pyogenes</i>	++	++	<i>H. influenzae</i>	++	++
<i>Streptococcus pneumoniae</i>	--	++	<i>Proteus/E.coli/Klebsiella</i>	++	++
<i>Staph aureus (MSSA)</i>	--	++	<i>Enterobacter/Serratia</i>	+	++
<i>Staph aureus(MRSA)</i>	X	X	<i>Pseudomonas</i>	+	+
<i>Enterococcus faecalis</i>	X	X	<i>Anaerobes</i>	CTZ	CFP
<i>Enterococcus faecium(VRE)</i>	X	X	<i>Bacteroides fragilis</i>	--	--



“5th-Generation Cephalosporin?”

- ▶ Basics: ceftaroline (IV)
- ▶ Spectrum Summary: Ceftriaxone + MRSA + E. faecalis

Organism	Activity		Organism	Activity	
<u>Gram-positive</u>	CTX	CTL	<u>Gram-negative</u>	CTX	CTL
<i>Streptococcus pyogenes</i>	++	++	<i>H. influenzae</i>	++	++
<i>Streptococcus pneumoniae</i>	++	++	<i>Proteus/E.coli/Klebsiella</i>	++	++
<i>Staph aureus</i> (MSSA)	++	++	<i>Enterobacter/Serratia</i>	+	+
<i>Staph aureus</i> (MRSA)	X	++	<i>Pseudomonas</i>	X	X
<i>Enterococcus faecalis</i>	X	++	<u>Anaerobes</u>	CTX	CTL
<i>Enterococcus faecium</i> (VRE)	X	X	<i>Bacteroides fragilis</i>	--	--

Carbapenems

- ▶ Basics: Imipenem/cilastatin, meropenem, doripenem (IV); ertapenem (IV)
 - 2groups differ by spectrum: imi/mero/dori group & erta group
- ▶ Spectrum Summary: Pip/tazo enhanced

Organism	Activity		Organism	Activity	
<u>Gram-positive</u>	ETP	M/I/D	<u>Gram-negative</u>	ETP	M/I/D
<i>Streptococcus pyogenes</i>	++	++	<i>H. influenzae</i>	++	++
<i>Streptococcus pneumoniae</i>	++	++	<i>Proteus/E.coli/Klebsiella</i>	++	++
<i>Staph aureus</i> (MSSA)	++	++	<i>Enterobacter/Serratia</i>	++	++
<i>Staph aureus</i> (MRSA)	X	X	<i>Pseudomonas</i> *	X	+
<i>Enterococcus faecalis</i> *	X	±	<u>Anaerobes</u>	ETP	M/I/D
<i>Enterococcus faecium</i> (VRE)	X	X	<i>Bacteroides fragilis</i>	--	--

*ertapenem has no activity vs these organisms

Monobactams

- Basics: Aztreonam (IV)
- Spectrum Summary: Ceftaz – Gram Positive Cocci

Organism	Activity		Organism	Activity	
<u>Gram-positive</u>	CTZ	ATM	<u>Gram-negative</u>	CTZ	ATM
<i>Streptococcus pyogenes</i>	++	X	<i>H. influenzae</i>	++	++
<i>Streptococcus pneumoniae</i>	--	X	<i>Proteus/E.coli/Klebsiella</i>	++	++
<i>Staph aureus (MSSA)</i>	--	X	<i>Enterobacter/Serratia</i>	+	+
<i>Staph aureus(MRSA)</i>	X	X	<i>Pseudomonas</i>	+	+
<i>Enterococcus faecalis</i>	X	X	<i>Anaerobes</i>	CTZ	ATM
<i>Enterococcus faecium(VRE)</i>	X	X	<i>Bacteroides fragilis</i>	--	--

Beta-Lactams: Other Key Pathogens

Organism	PCN	AMP	PIP/TZ	1GC	2GC	3GC	4GC	IMI
"Atypical" respiratory pathogens : <i>CML*</i>	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
<i>Neisseria meningitidis</i>	++	++	++	--	++	++	++	++
viridans group streptococci	++	++	++	++	++	++	++	++
<i>Listeria monocytogenes</i>	+	++	+	X	X	X	X	+
<i>Moraxella catarrhalis</i>	X	--	++	+	++	++	++	++
<i>Stenotrophomonas maltophilia</i>	X	X	X	X	X	--	X	X

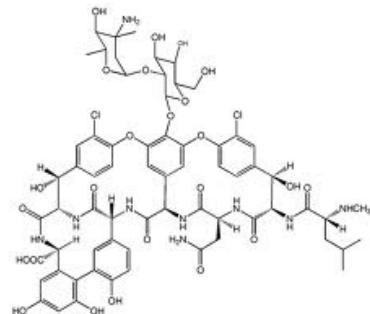
**Chlamydophila pneumoniae, Mycoplasma pneumoniae, Legionella pneumophila*

Glycopeptides

► Vancomycin

- MOA: Binds to D-Ala-D-Ala residue of peptidoglycan precursor at surface of cytoplasmic membrane (inhibits cell wall synthesis)

- Bacteriocidal



Glycopeptides: Basics/Spectrum

- Basics: Vancomycin (IV,PO*)
- Spectrum Summary: only Gram-positives

Organism	Activity	Organism	Activity
<u>Gram-positive</u>	VAN	<u>Gram-negative</u>	VAN
<i>Streptococcus pyogenes</i>	++	<i>H. influenzae</i>	X
<i>Streptococcus pneumoniae</i>	++	<i>Proteus/E.coli/Klebsiella</i>	X
<i>Staph aureus (MSSA)</i>	++	<i>Enterobacter/Serratia</i>	X
<i>Staph aureus(MRSA)</i>	++	<i>Pseudomonas</i>	X
<i>Enterococcus faecalis</i>	++	<u>Anaerobes**</u>	VAN
<i>Enterococcus faecium(VRE)</i>	--	<i>Bacteroides fragilis</i>	X

Spectrum does include some anaerobes including **Clostridium difficile

*PO vancomycin not systemically absorbed

Lipopeptides

► Daptomycin

- MOA: Binds to bacterial membrane causing rapid depolarization of membrane potential
 - Inhibits protein, DNA and RNA synthesis
- No lung penetration!
 - Inactivated by lung surfactants
- Bacteriocidal

Lipopeptides: Basics/Spectrum

- Basics: Daptomycin (IV)
 ► Spectrum Summary: Vanco + VRE/VISA/VRSA

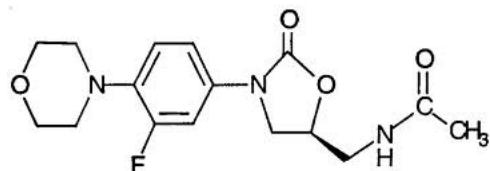
Organism	Activity		Organism	Activity	
<u>Gram-positive</u>	VAN	DAP	<u>Gram-negative</u>	VAN	DAP
<i>Streptococcus pyogenes</i>	++	++	<i>H. influenzae</i>	X	X
<i>Streptococcus pneumoniae</i>	++	++	<i>Proteus/E.coli/Klebsiella</i>	X	X
<i>Staph aureus</i> (MSSA)	++	++	<i>Enterobacter/Serratia</i>	X	X
<i>Staph aureus</i> (MRSA)	++	++	<i>Pseudomonas</i>	X	X
<i>Enterococcus faecalis</i>	++	++	<i>Anaerobes</i>	VAN	DAP
<i>Enterococcus faecium</i> (VRE)	--	+	<i>Bacteroides fragilis</i>	X	X

Oxazolidinone

► Linezolid

- MOA: Inhibits protein synthesis by binding to a site on the ribosomal RNA 50S subunit

- Bacteriostatic



Oxazolidinones: Basics/Spectrum

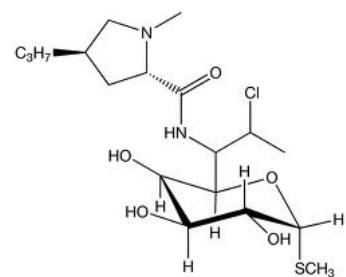
- Basics: Linezolid (IV, PO)
 ► Spectrum Summary: Vanco + VRE/VISA/VRSA

Organism	Activity		Organism	Activity	
<i>Gram-positive</i>	VAN	LZD	<i>Gram-negative</i>	VAN	LZD
<i>Streptococcus pyogenes</i>	++	++	<i>H. influenzae</i>	X	--
<i>Streptococcus pneumoniae</i>	++	++	<i>Proteus/E.coli/Klebsiella</i>	X	X
<i>Staph aureus</i> (MSSA)	++	++	<i>Enterobacter/Serratia</i>	X	X
<i>Staph aureus</i> (MRSA)	++	++	<i>Pseudomonas</i>	X	X
<i>Enterococcus faecalis</i>	++	++	<u>Anaerobes</u>	VAN	LZD
<i>Enterococcus faecium</i> (VRE)	--	++	<i>Bacteroides fragilis</i>	X	X

Lincosamides

► Clindamycin

- MOA: binds to the 50S subunit preventing peptide-bond formation and inhibiting protein synthesis
- Also inhibits bacterial toxin production
- Bacteriostatic



Lincosamides: Basics/Spectrum

- Basics: Clindamycin (IV, PO)
- Spectrum Summary: Linezolid – *Enterococcus* + anaerobes

Organism	Activity		Organism	Activity	
<u>Gram-positive</u>	<i>LZD</i>	<i>CLI</i>	<u>Gram-negative</u>	<i>LZD</i>	<i>CLI</i>
<i>Streptococcus pyogenes</i>	++	++	<i>H. influenzae</i>	X	X
<i>Streptococcus pneumoniae</i>	++	+	<i>Proteus/E.coli/Klebsiella</i>	X	X
<i>Staph aureus</i> (MSSA)	++	++	<i>Enterobacter/Serratia</i>	X	X
<i>Staph aureus</i> (MRSA)	++	+	<i>Pseudomonas</i>	X	X
<i>Enterococcus faecalis</i>	++	X	<u>Anaerobes</u>	<i>LZD</i>	<i>CLI</i>
<i>Enterococcus faecium</i> (VRE)	++	X	<i>Bacteroides fragilis</i>	X	+

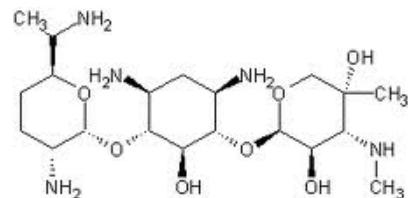
► Also active against: *Pneumocystis jiroveci*

Aminoglycosides

► MOA:

- Inhibition of protein synthesis (30S ribosome) → cell death
- Bacteriocidal vs. Bacteriostatic
 - Dependant of organism and concentration

Gentamicin



Aminoglycosides: Basics/Spectrum

- Basics: Gentamicin, tobramycin, *amikacin*,
- Spectrum Summary: used as monotherapy only for Gram-negatives

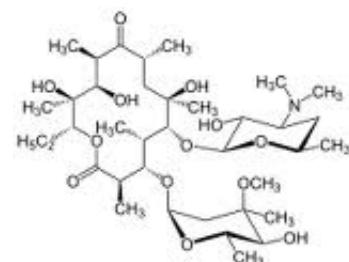
Organism	Activity	Organism	Activity
<u>Gram-positive</u>	GEN	<u>Gram-negative</u>	GEN
<i>Streptococcus pyogenes</i>	--	<i>H. influenzae</i>	--
<i>Streptococcus pneumoniae</i>	--	<i>Proteus/E.coli/Klebsiella</i>	++
<i>Staph aureus (MSSA)</i>	syn	<i>Enterobacter/Serratia</i>	+++*
<i>Staph aureus(MRSA)</i>	syn	<i>Pseudomonas</i>	+*
<i>Enterococcus faecalis</i>	syn	<i>Anaerobes</i>	GEN
<i>Enterococcus faecium(VRE)</i>	syn	<i>Bacteroides fragilis</i>	--

*gent more active than tobra vs *Serratia*,
tobra more active vs *Pseudomonas*

Macrolides

- ▶ MOA: binds to 50S ribosomal subunit, prevents protein synthesis
- ▶ Bacteriostatic

Erythromycin



Macrolides: Basics/Spectrum

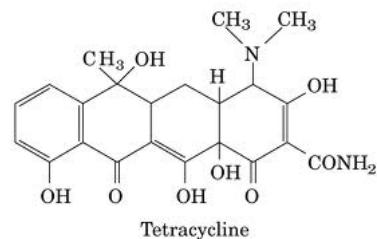
- ▶ Basics: *Erythromycin*, azithromycin (IV, PO); clarithromycin (PO)
- ▶ Spectrum Summary: *Strep & H. influenzae + Atypicals*

Organism	Activity		Organism	Activity	
<i>Gram-positive</i>	<i>ERY</i>	<i>AZM</i>	<i>Gram-negative</i>	<i>ERY</i>	<i>AZM</i>
<i>Streptococcus pyogenes</i>	++	++	<i>H. influenzae</i>	--	+
<i>Streptococcus pneumoniae</i>	+	+	<i>Proteus/E.coli/Klebsiella</i>	--	--
<i>Staph aureus</i> (MSSA)	--	--	<i>Enterobacter/Serratia</i>	X	X
<i>Staph aureus</i> (MRSA)	--	--	<i>Pseudomonas</i>	X	X
<i>Enterococcus faecalis</i>	X	X	<i>Anaerobes</i>	<i>ERY</i>	<i>AZM</i>
<i>Enterococcus faecium</i> (VRE)	X	X	<i>Bacteroides fragilis</i>	--	--

- Also active against: atypical respiratory pathogens, *Moraxella catarrhalis*, *Chlamydia trachomatis*, *Pneumocystis jiroveci*, *Helicobacter pylori*, non-tuberculous mycobacteria

Tetracyclines

- ▶ MOA: inhibition of protein synthesis by binding to 30s ribosome subunit
- ▶ Bacteriostatic



Tetracyclines: Basics/Spectrum

- ▶ Basics: *Tetracycline*, doxycycline, *minocycline* (IV, PO); tigecycline (IV)
- ▶ Spectrum Summary:

Organism	Activity		Organism	Activity	
<u>Gram-positive</u>	<i>DOX</i>	<i>TGC</i>	<u>Gram-negative</u>	<i>DOX</i>	<i>TGC</i>
<i>Streptococcus pyogenes</i>	--	--	<i>H. influenzae</i>	+	++
<i>Streptococcus pneumoniae</i>	+	++	<i>Proteus*/E.coli/Klebsiella</i>	--	++
<i>Staph aureus (MSSA)</i>	++	++	<i>Enterobacter/Serratia</i>	--	+
<i>Staph aureus(MRSA)</i>	++	++	<i>Pseudomonas</i>	X	X
<i>Enterococcus faecalis</i>	--	++	<i>Anaerobes</i>	<i>DOX</i>	<i>TGC</i>
<i>Enterococcus faecium(VRE)</i>	--	++	<i>Bacteroides fragilis</i>	--	++

- Also active against: atypical respiratory pathogens, *Moraxella catarrhalis*, *Chlamydia trachomatis*, *Helicobacter pylori*, *Borrelia*, *Rickettsiae*, *Plasmodium spp*

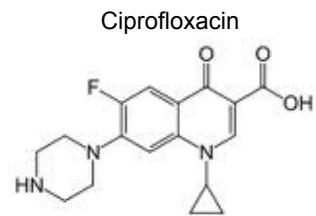
*TGC not active vs*Proteus*

Tigecycline

- ▶ “Cadillac of tetracyclines”
- ▶ Great for ESBL organisms
- ▶ Tigecycline does not cover **MP3**
 - **Morganella, Proteus, Pseudomonas, Providencia**
- ▶ Poor blood and urine concentration
 - Not a great option for bacteremias and UTIs

Quinolones

- ▶ MOA: Inhibit DNA-gyrase in bacteria, promote breakage of double-stranded DNA
- ▶ Bacteriocidal



Fluoroquinolones: Basics/Spectrum

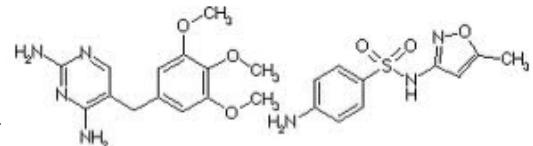
- ▶ Basics: Ciprofloxacin, levofloxacin, moxifloxacin (IV, PO)
- ▶ Spectrum Summary:

Organism	Activity			Organism	Activity		
<u>Gram-positive</u>	CIP	LVX	MOX	<u>Gram-negative</u>	CIP	LVX	MOX
<i>Streptococcus pyogenes</i>	++	++	++	<i>H. influenzae</i>	++	++	++
<i>Streptococcus pneumoniae</i>	--	++	++	<i>Proteus/E.coli/Klebsiella</i>	+	+	+
<i>Staph aureus (MSSA)</i>	--	+	+	<i>Enterobacter/Serratia</i>	++	++	++
<i>Staph aureus(MRSA)</i>	--	--	--	<i>Pseudomonas</i>	+	+	X
<i>Enterococcus faecalis</i>	--	--	--	<i>Anaerobes</i>	CIP	LVX	MOX
<i>Enterococcus faecium(VRE)</i>	--	--	--	<i>Bacteroides fragilis</i>	--	--	+

- Also active against: atypical respiratory pathogens,
Moraxella catarrhalis, *Chlamydia trachomatis*,
Mycobacterium tuberculosis

Sulfamethoxazole-Trimethoprim

- ▶ MOA:
 - Sulfamethoxazole: interferes with bacterial folic acid synthesis and growth via inhibition of dihydrofolate formation from PABA
 - Timethoprim: inhibits dihydrofolate reduction to tetrahydrofolate, resulting in sequential inhibition of the folic acid pathway.
- ▶ Bacteriostatic – separately
- ▶ Bacteriocidal – in combination



Antifolates: Basics/Spectrum

- ▶ Basics: Trimethoprim/sulfamethoxazole [TMP/SMX] (IV, PO); *trimethoprim (PO)*, *sulfadiazine (PO)*
- ▶ Spectrum Summary:

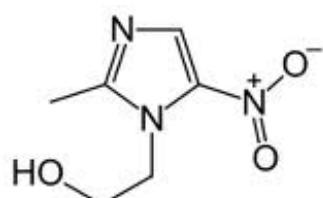
Organism	Activity	Organism	Activity
<i>Gram-positive</i>	T/S	<i>Gram-negative</i>	T/S
<i>Streptococcus pyogenes</i>	--	<i>H. influenzae</i>	+
<i>Streptococcus pneumoniae</i>	--	<i>Proteus/E.coli/Klebsiella</i>	+
<i>Staph aureus (MSSA)</i>	++	<i>Enterobacter/Serratia</i>	+
<i>Staph aureus(MRSA)</i>	++	<i>Pseudomonas</i>	X
<i>Enterococcus faecalis</i>	X	<i>Anaerobes</i>	T/S
<i>Enterococcus faecium(VRE)</i>	X	<i>Bacteroides fragilis</i>	--

- Also active against: *Pneumocystis jiroveci*, *Nocardia spp*, *Stenotrophomonas maltophilia*, *Listeria monocytogenes*

Metronidazole

- ▶ Metronidazole
 - MOA: interacts with DNA causing a loss of helical DNA structure and strand breakage, resulting in inhibition of protein synthesis
- ▶ Bacteriocidal

Metronidazole

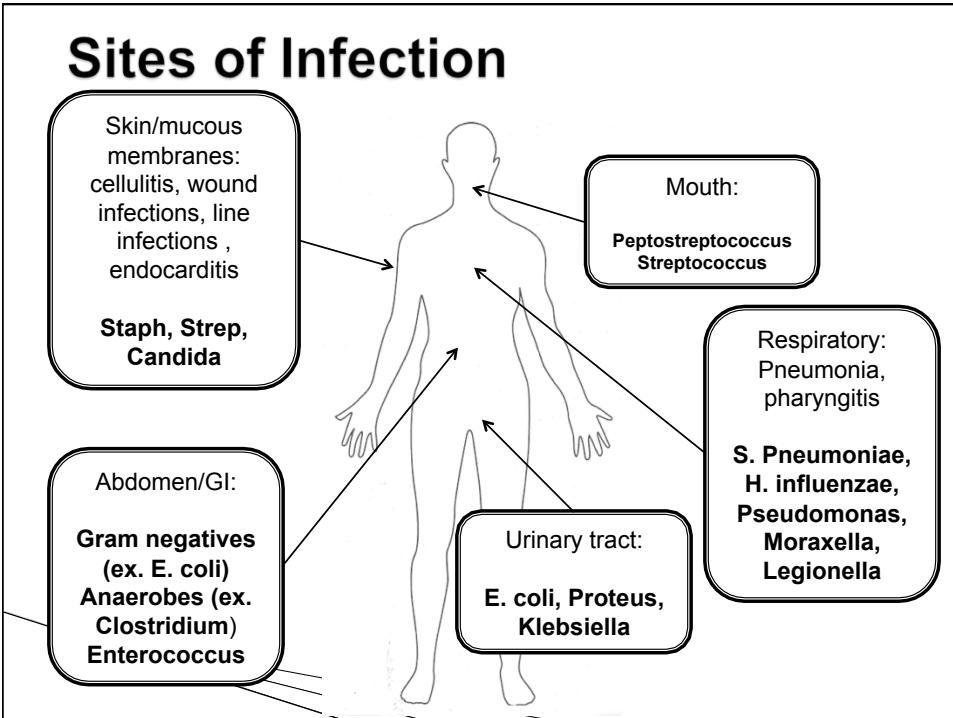


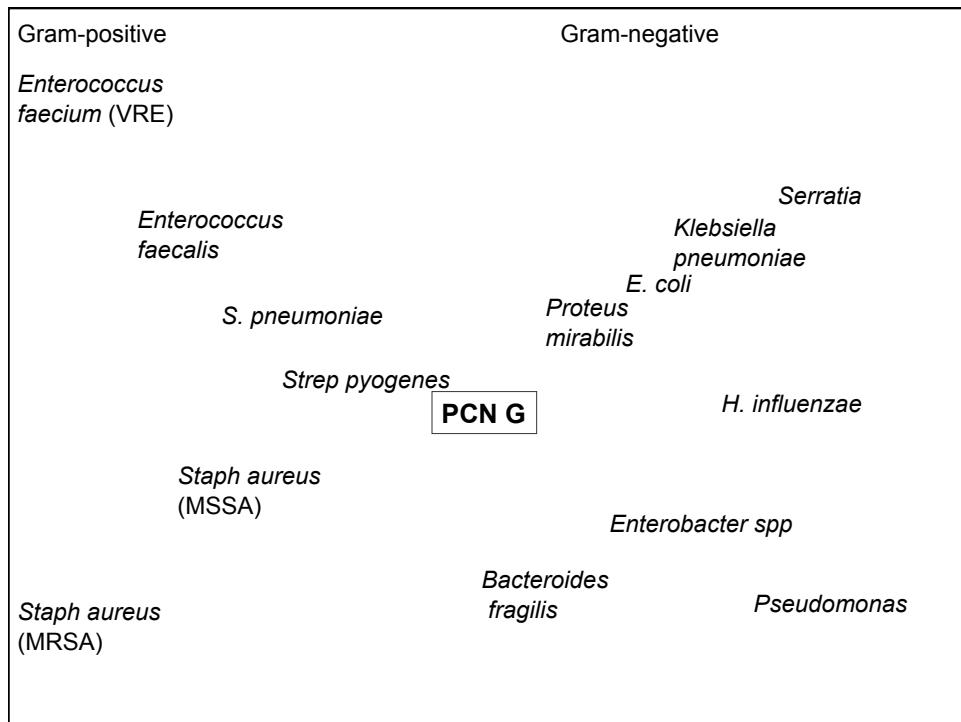
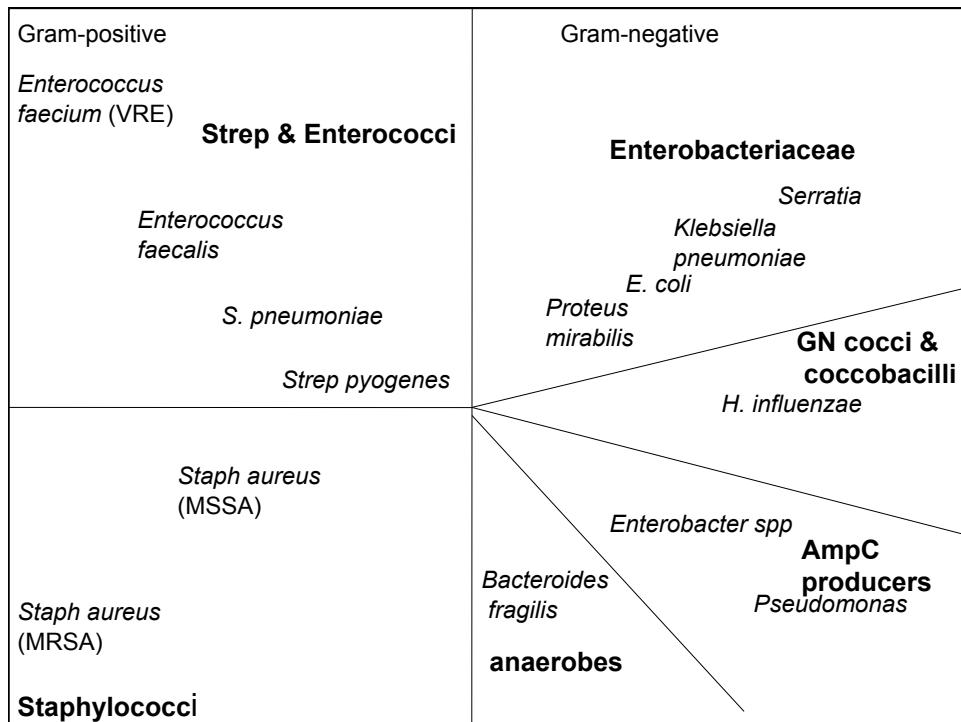
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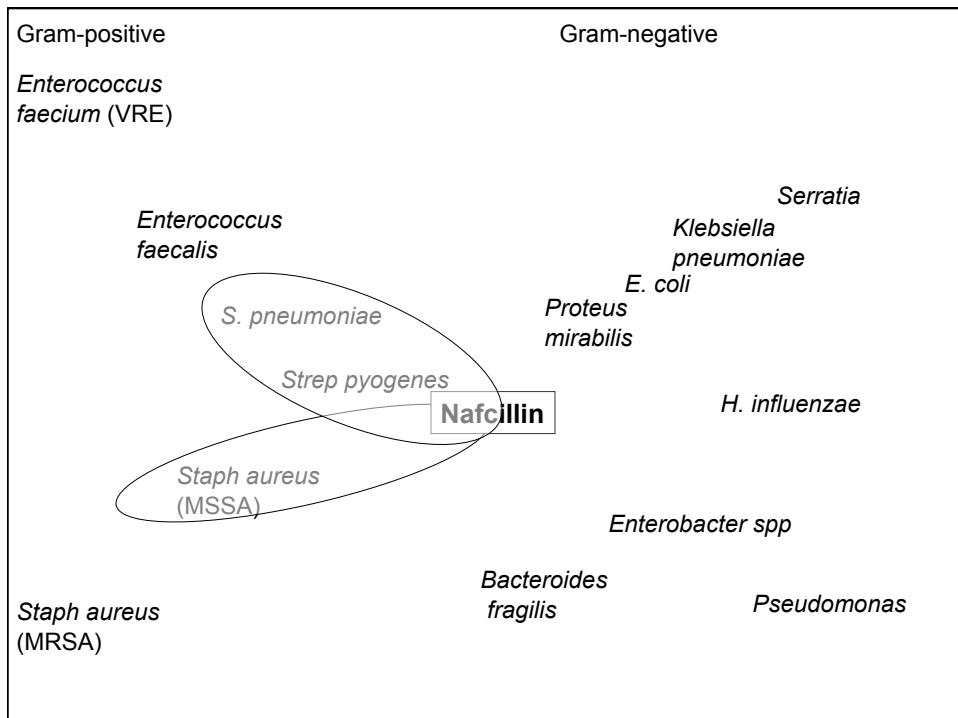
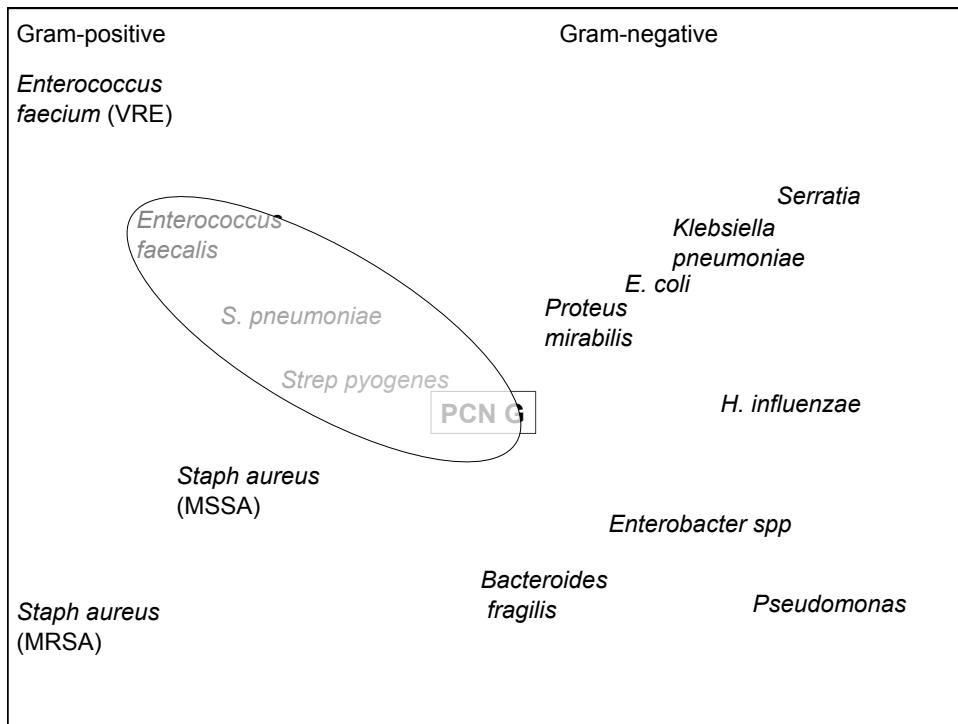
- ▶ Basics: Metronidazole (IV, PO)
- ▶ Spectrum Summary: anaerobes only (Gram-negative>Gram-positive)

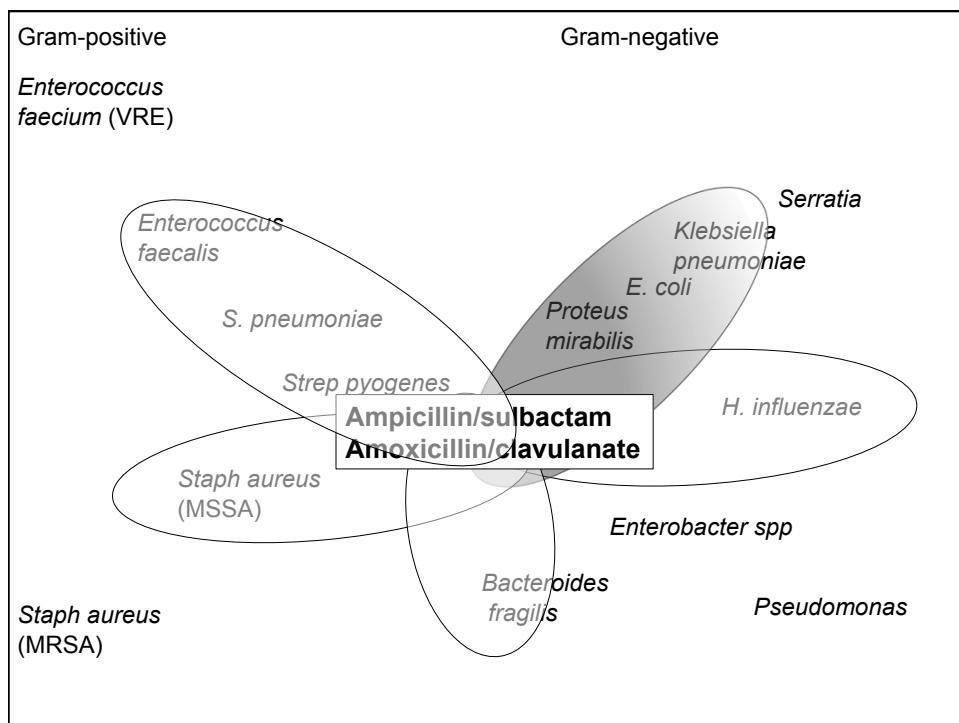
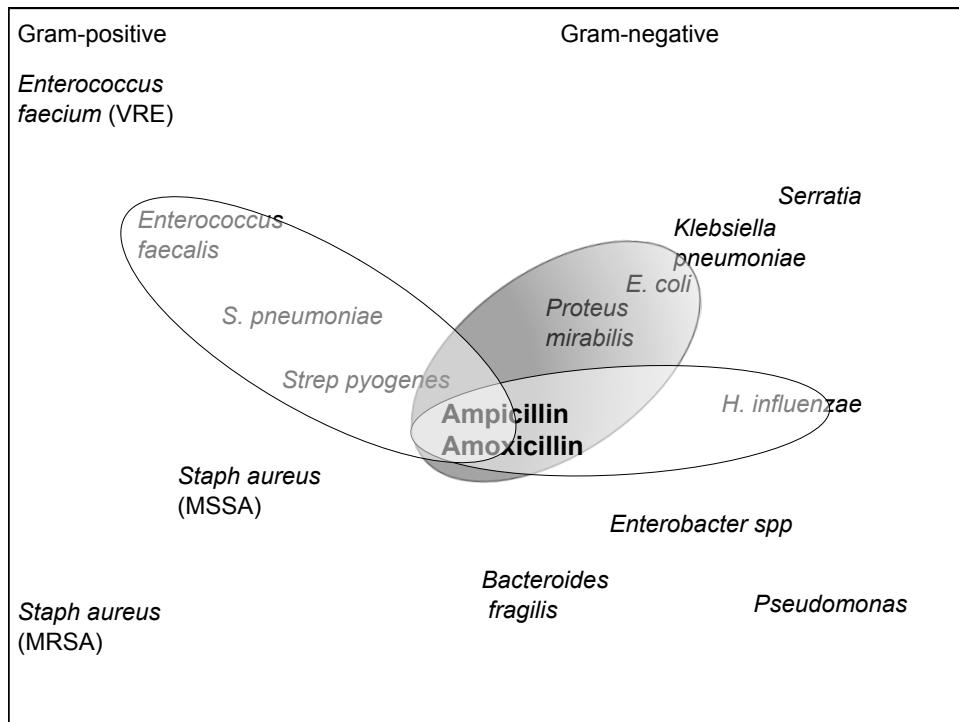
Organism	Activity	Organism	Activity
<u>Gram-positive</u>	MTZ	<u>Gram-negative</u>	MTZ
<i>Streptococcus pyogenes</i>	X	<i>H. influenzae</i>	X
<i>Streptococcus pneumoniae</i>	X	<i>Proteus/E.coli/Klebsiella</i>	X
<i>Staph aureus (MSSA)</i>	X	<i>Enterobacter/Serratia</i>	X
<i>Staph aureus(MRSA)</i>	X	<i>Pseudomonas</i>	X
<i>Enterococcus faecalis</i>	X	<u>Anaerobes</u>	MTZ
<i>Enterococcus faecium(VRE)</i>	X	<i>Bacteroides fragilis</i>	++

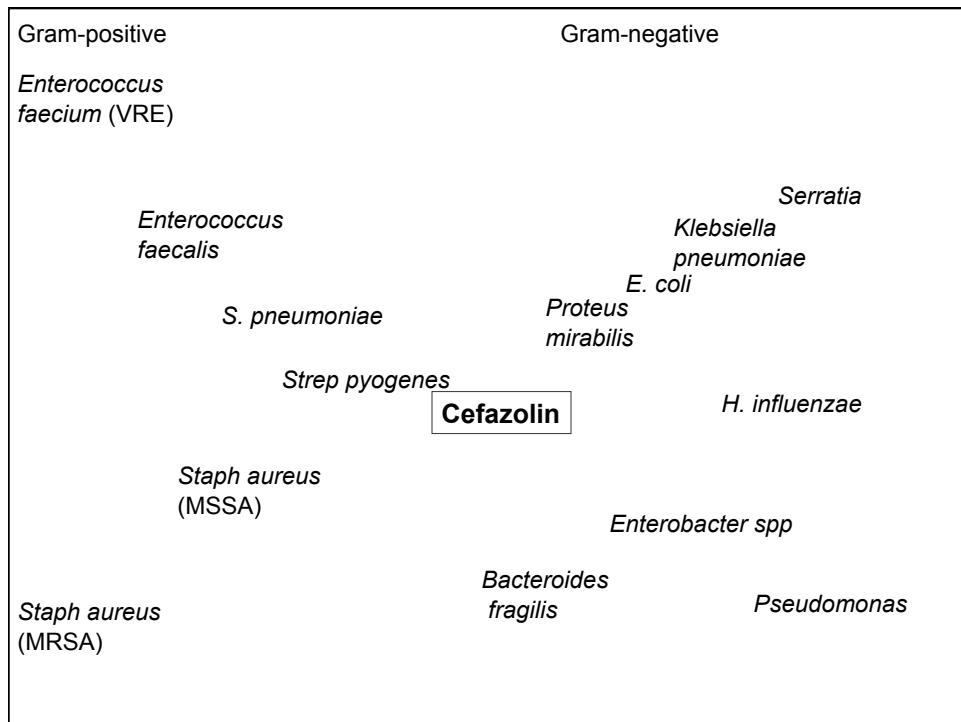
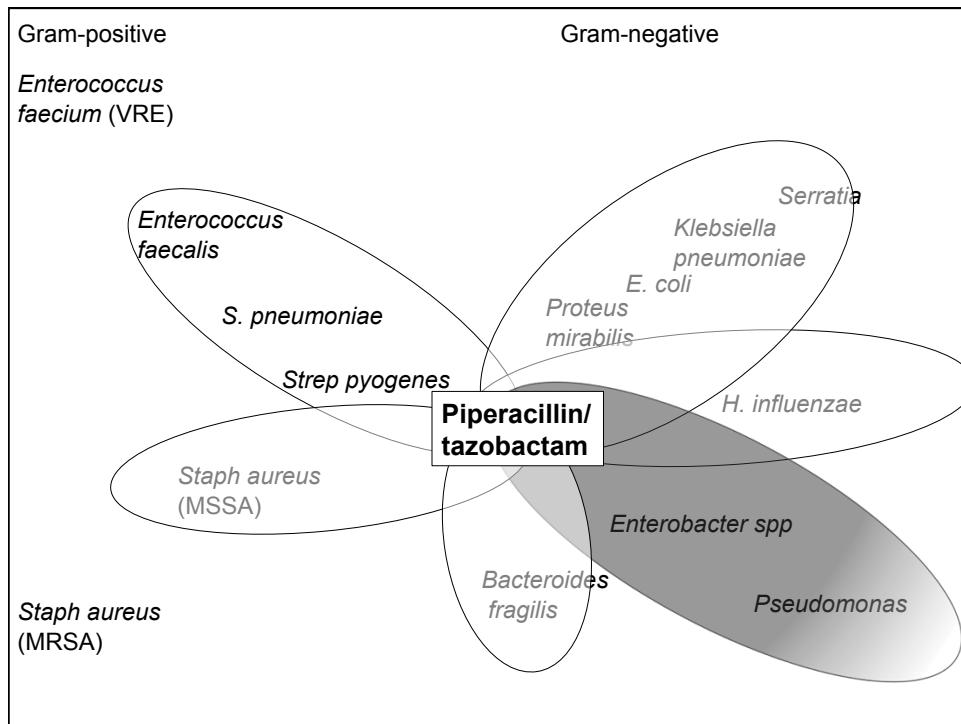
- Also active against: *Trichomonas vaginalis*, *Gardnerellavaginalis*, *Giardia lamblia*, *Clostridium difficile*, *Helicobacter pylori*

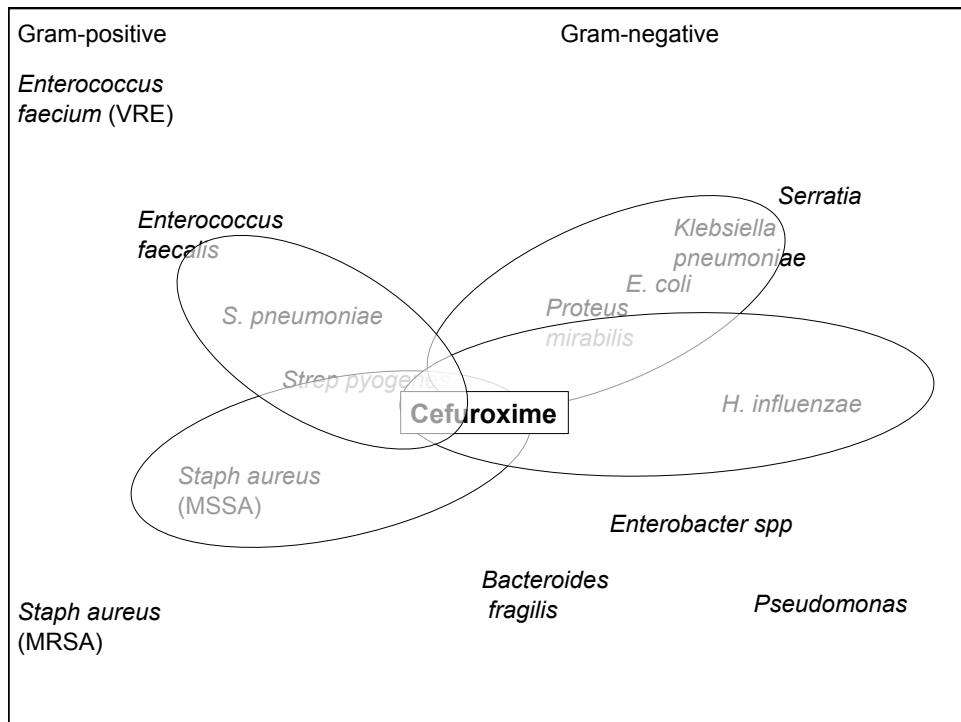
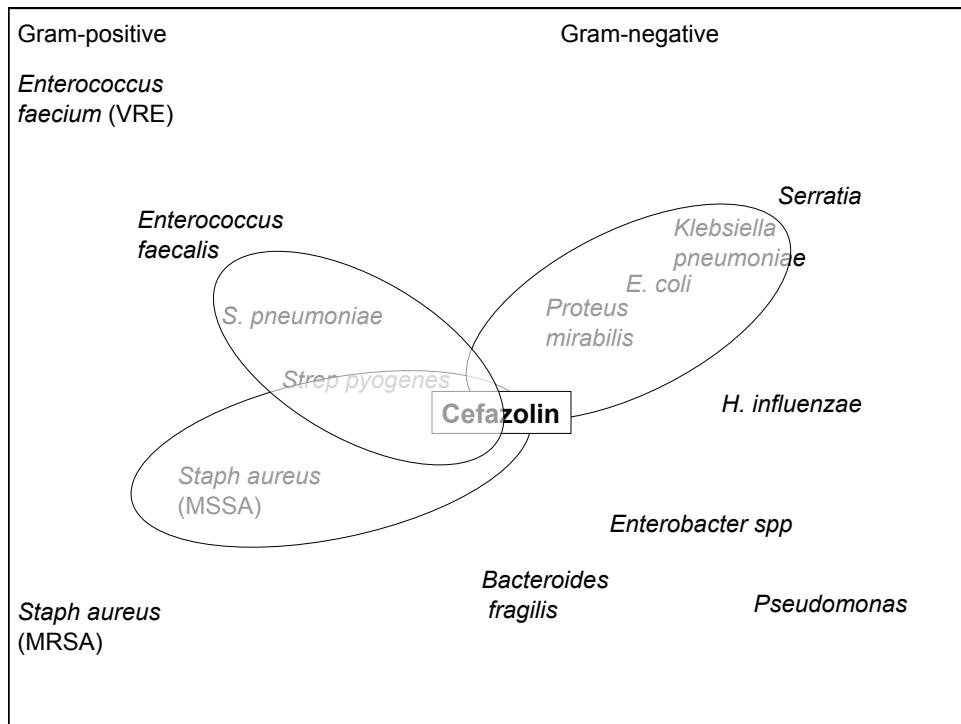


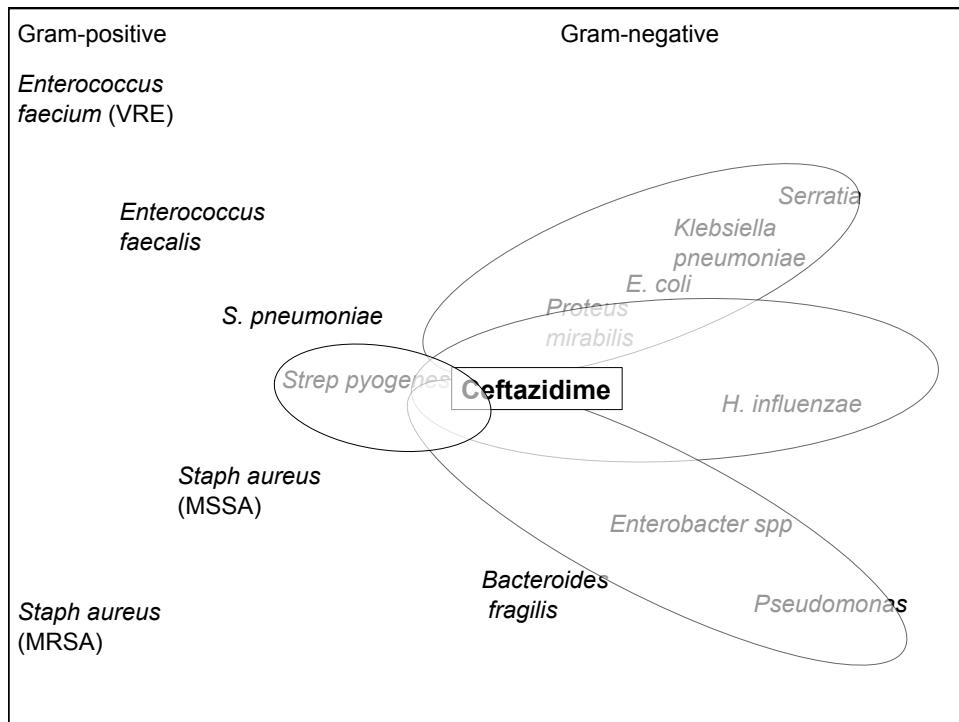
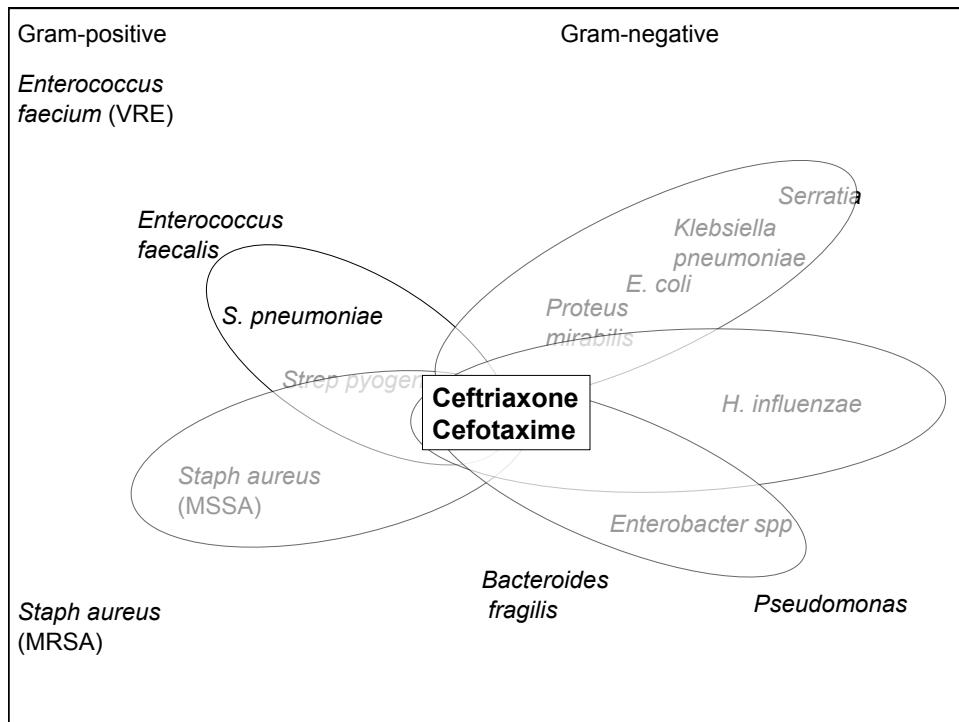


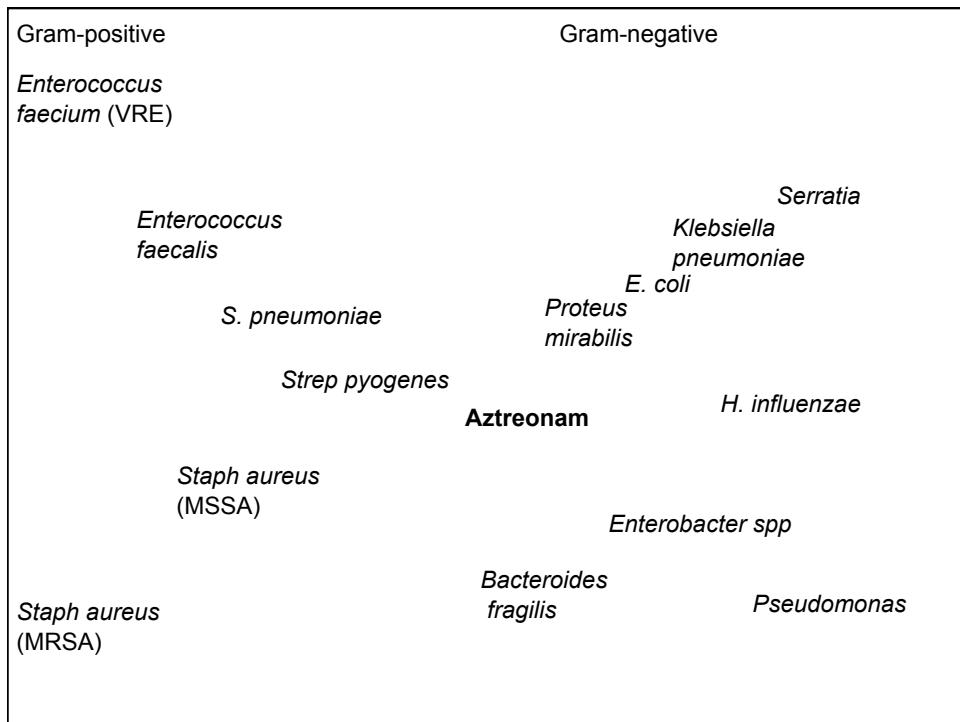
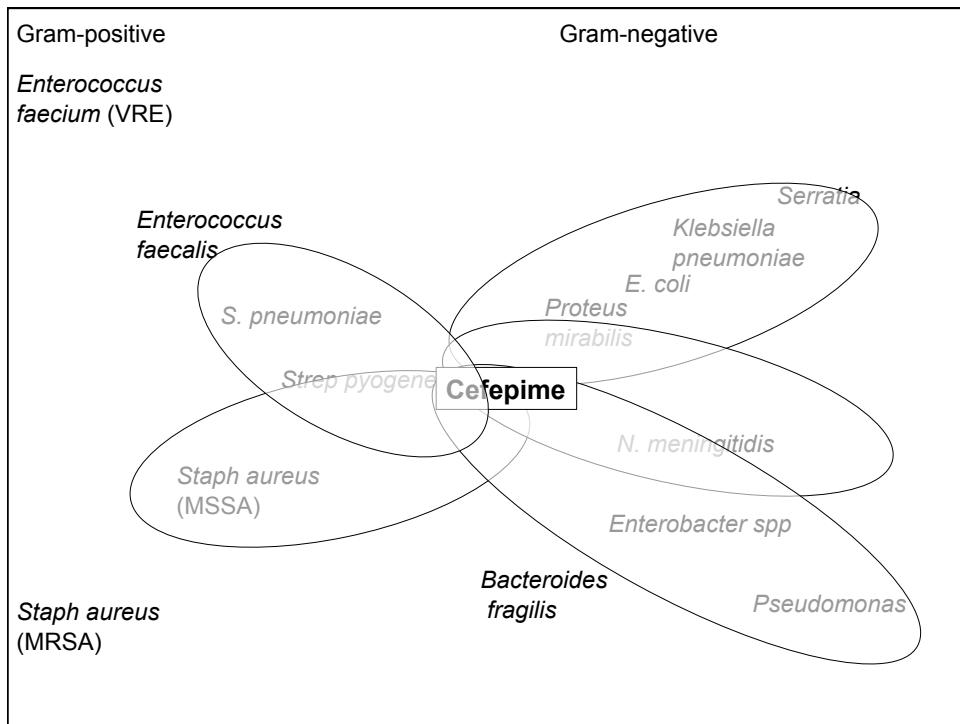


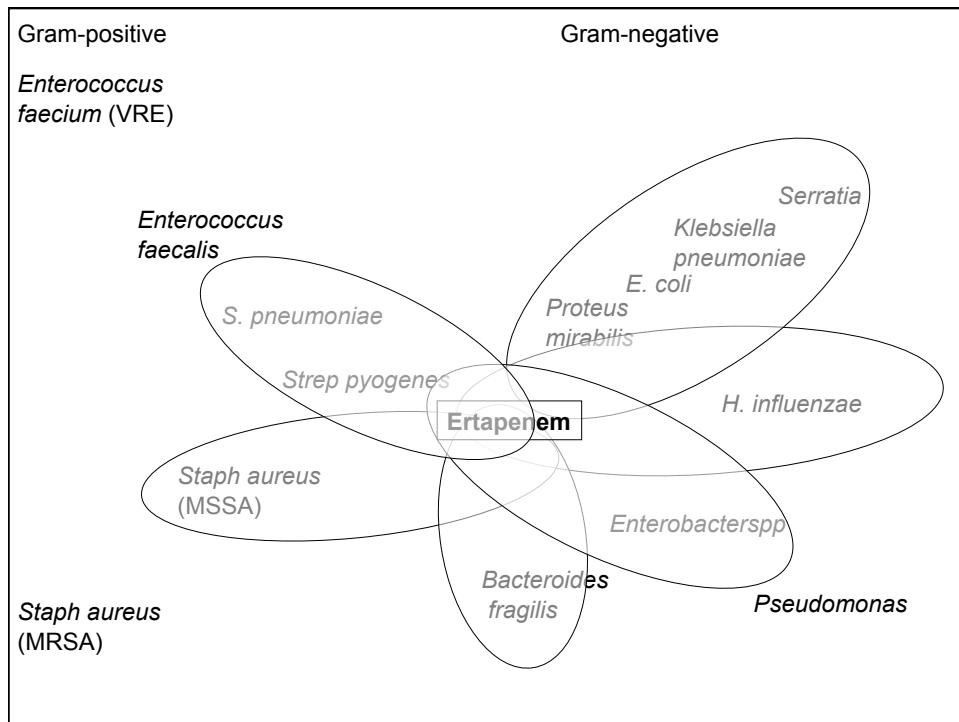
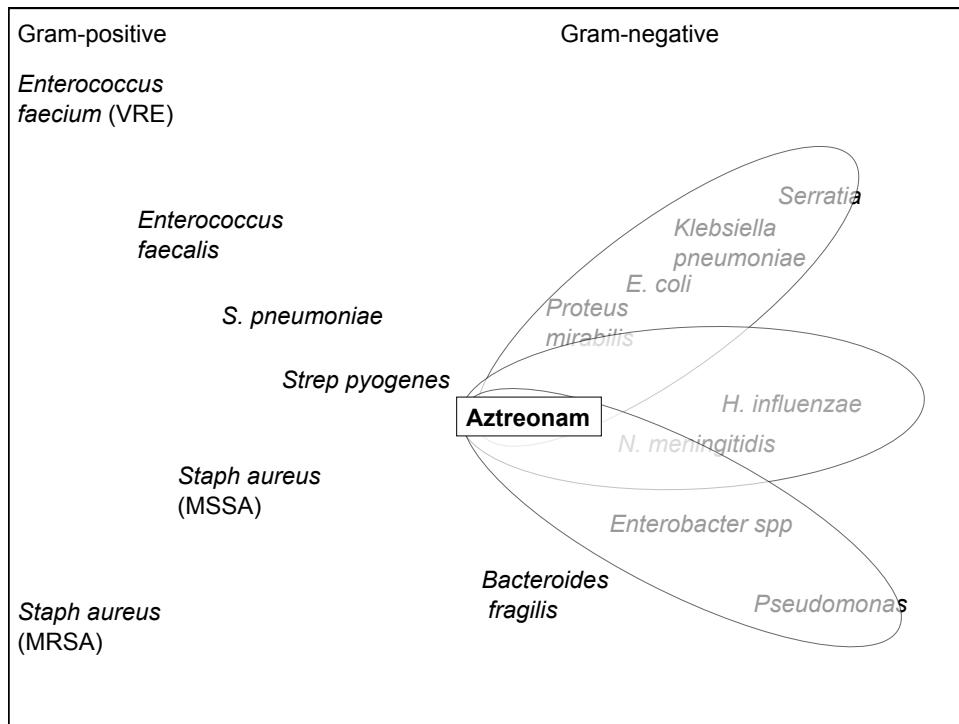


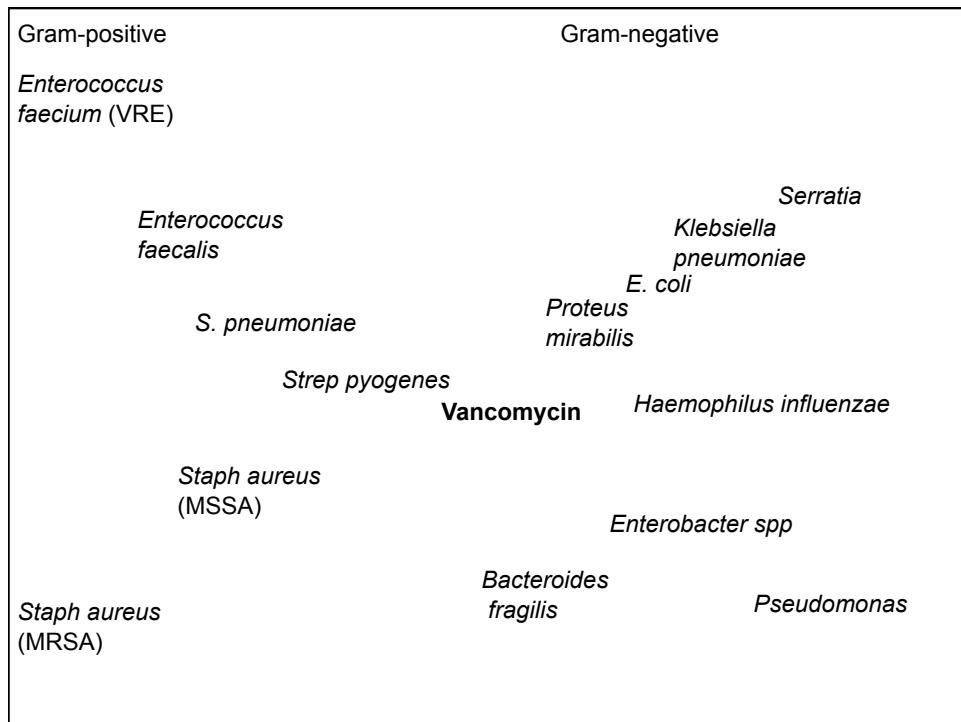
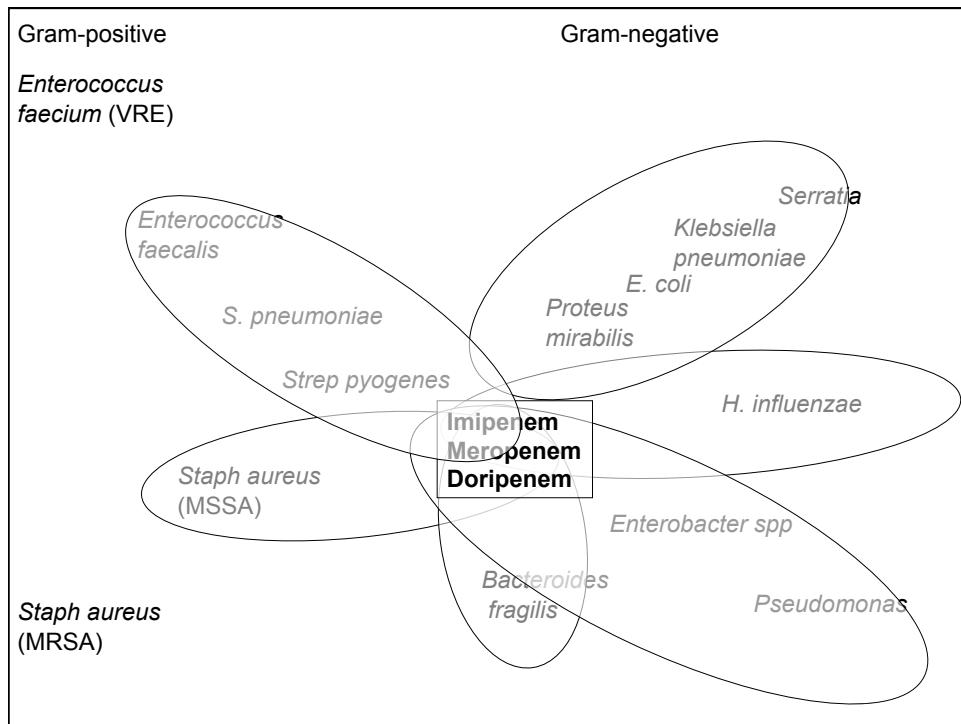


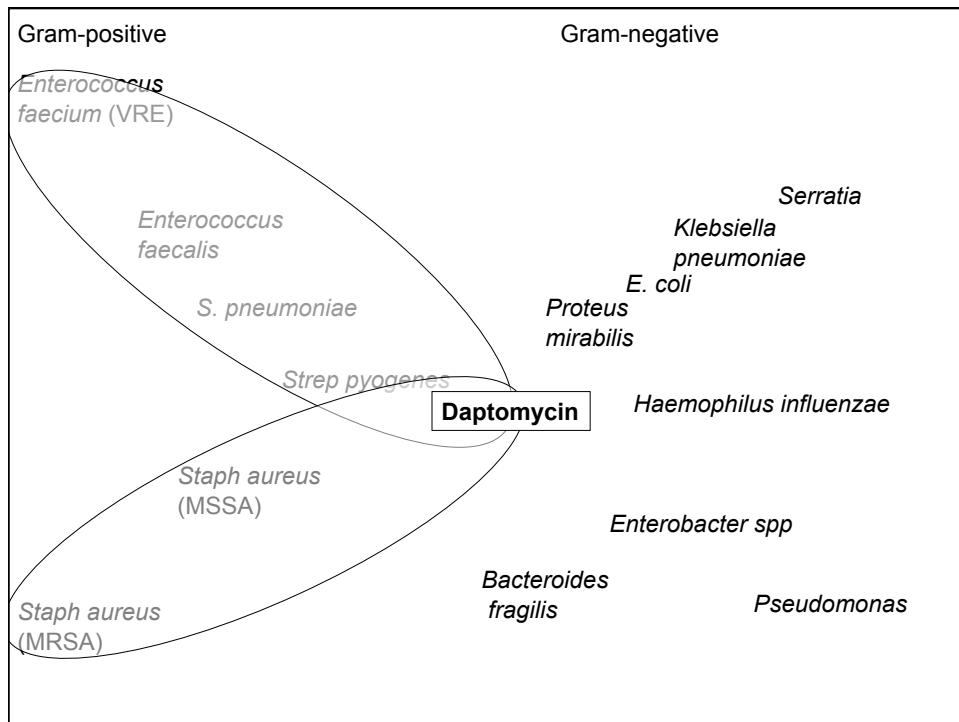
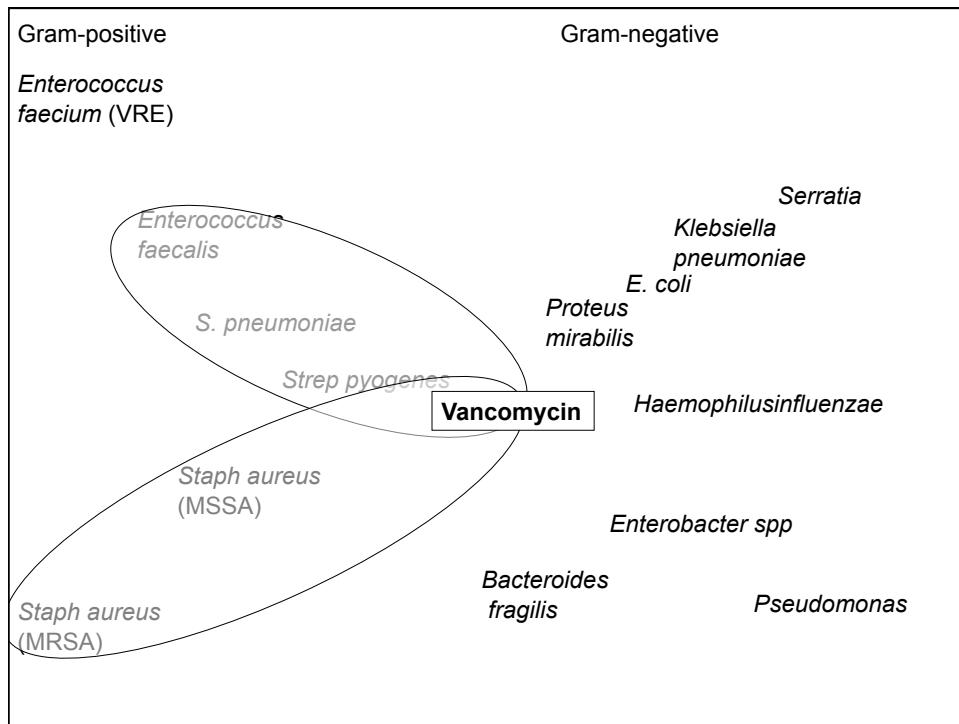


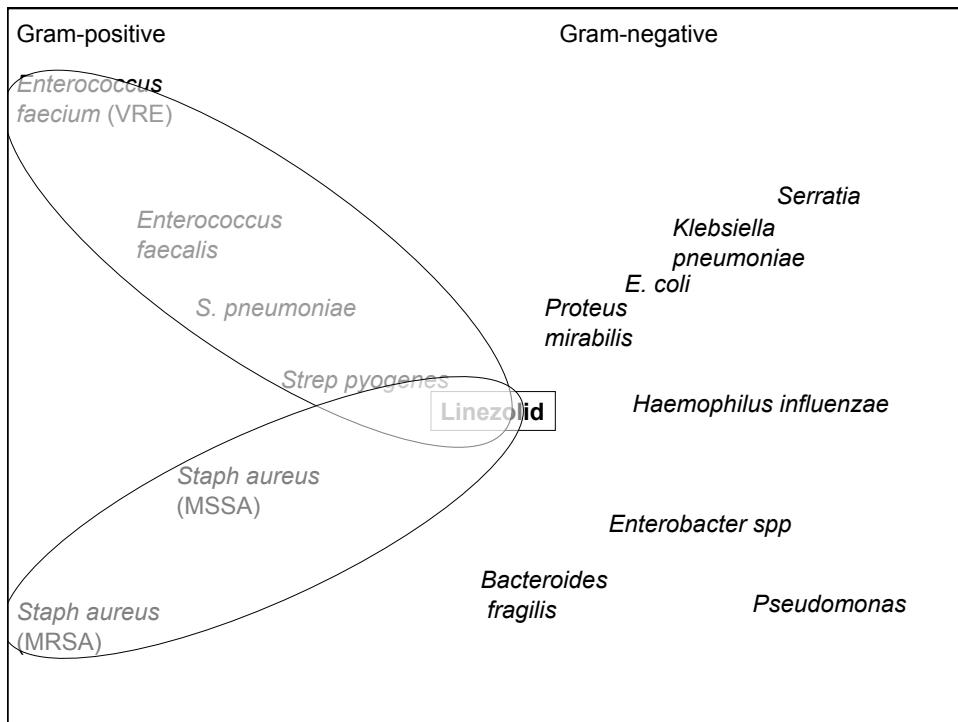
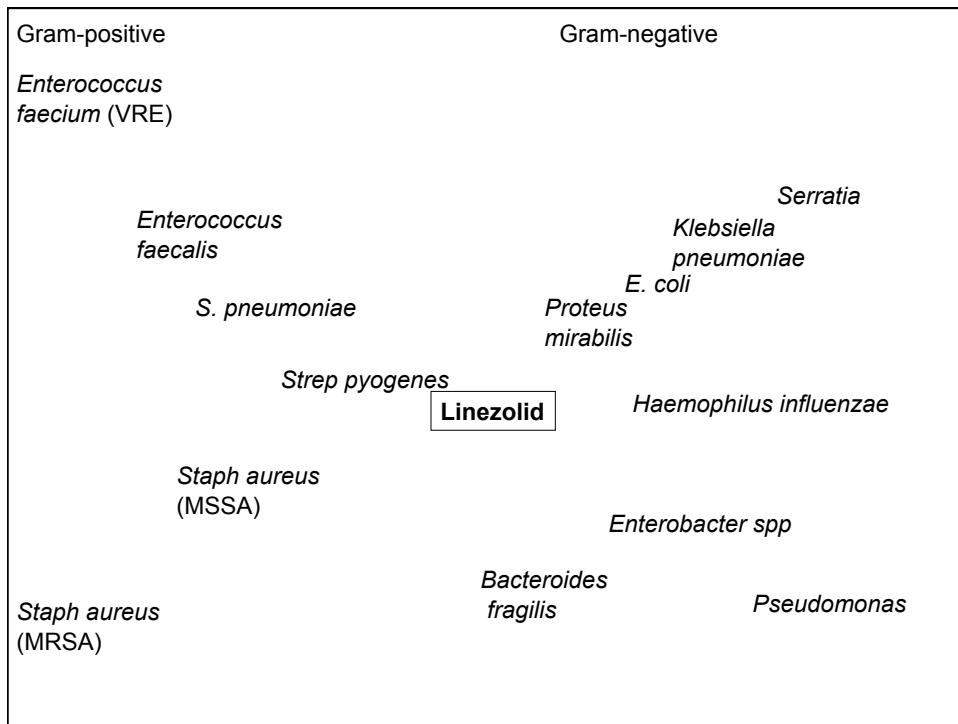


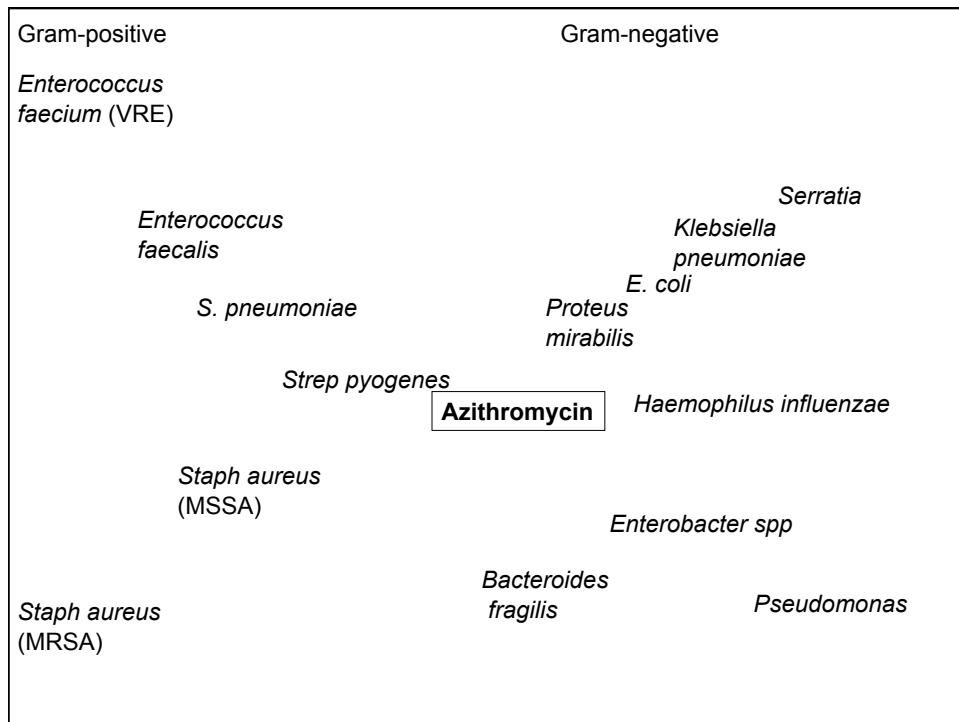
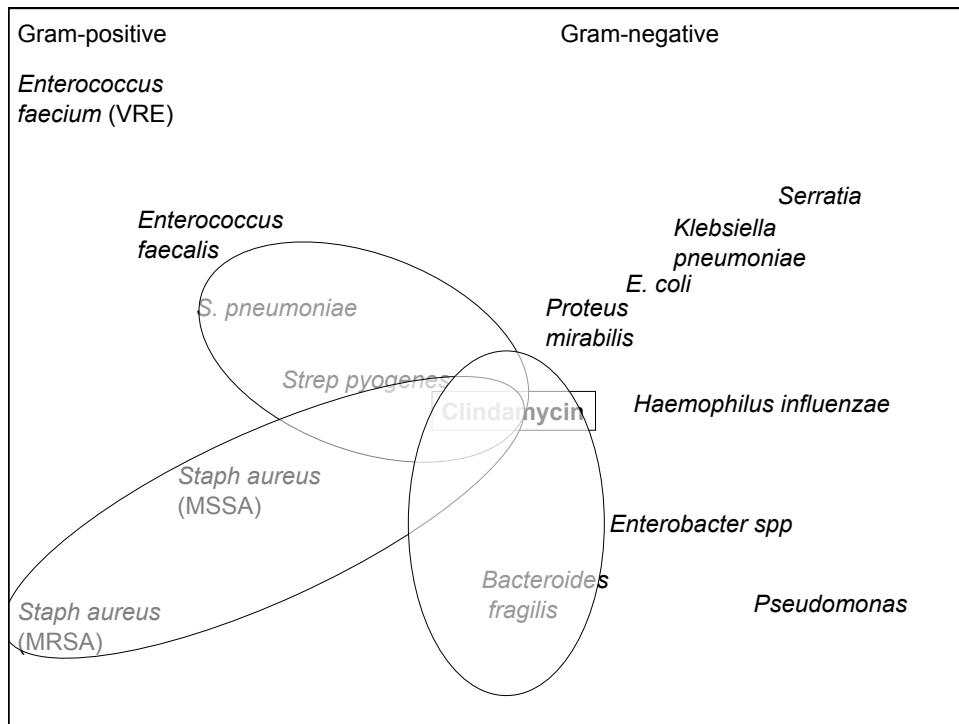


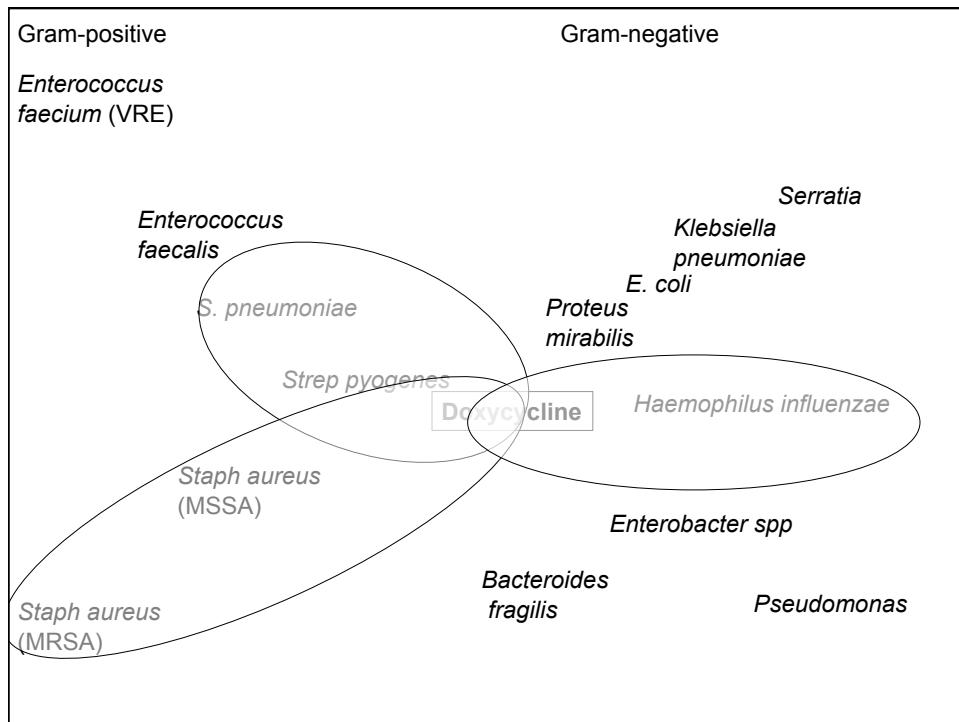
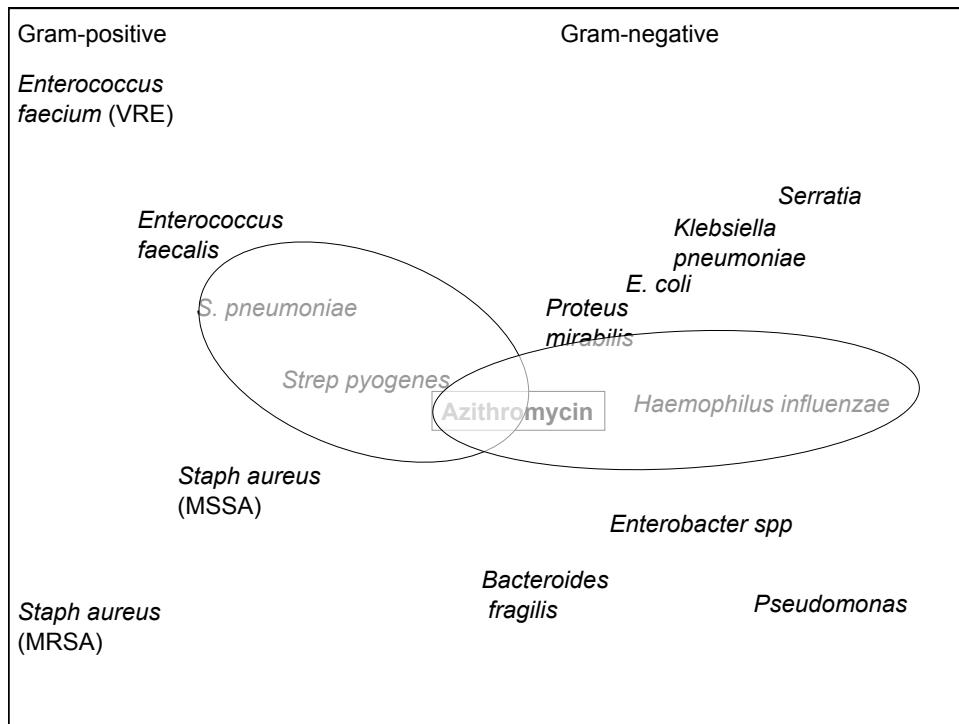


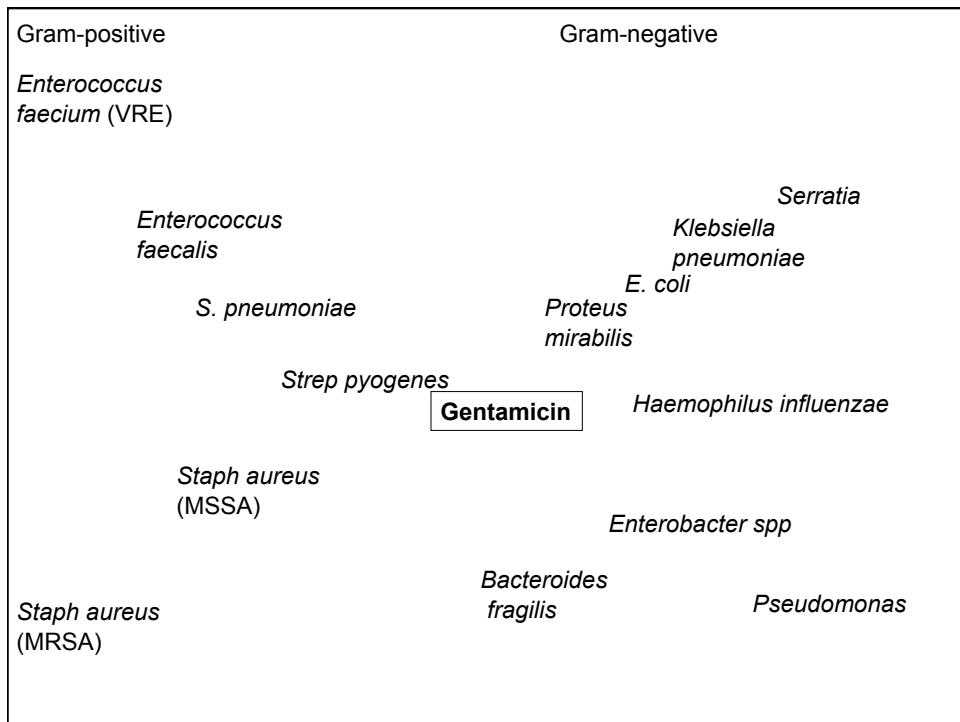
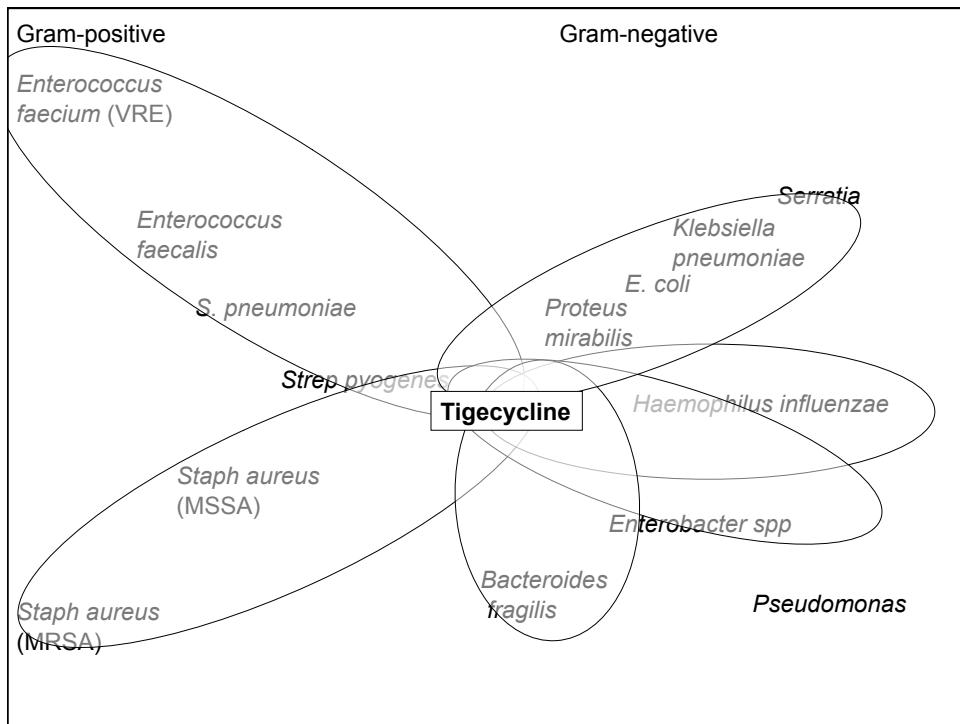


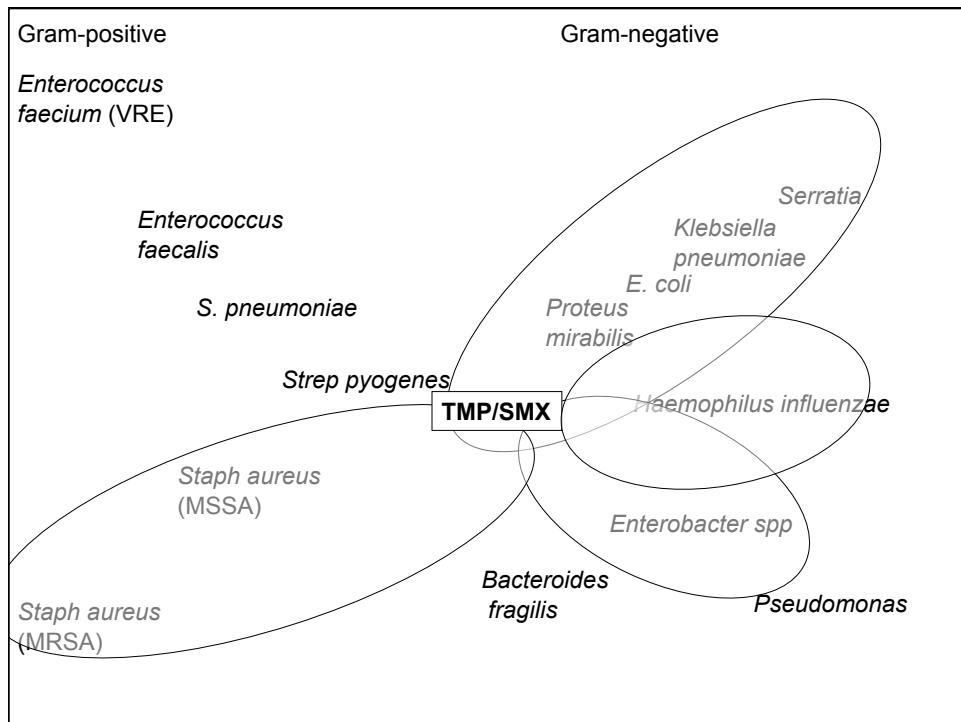
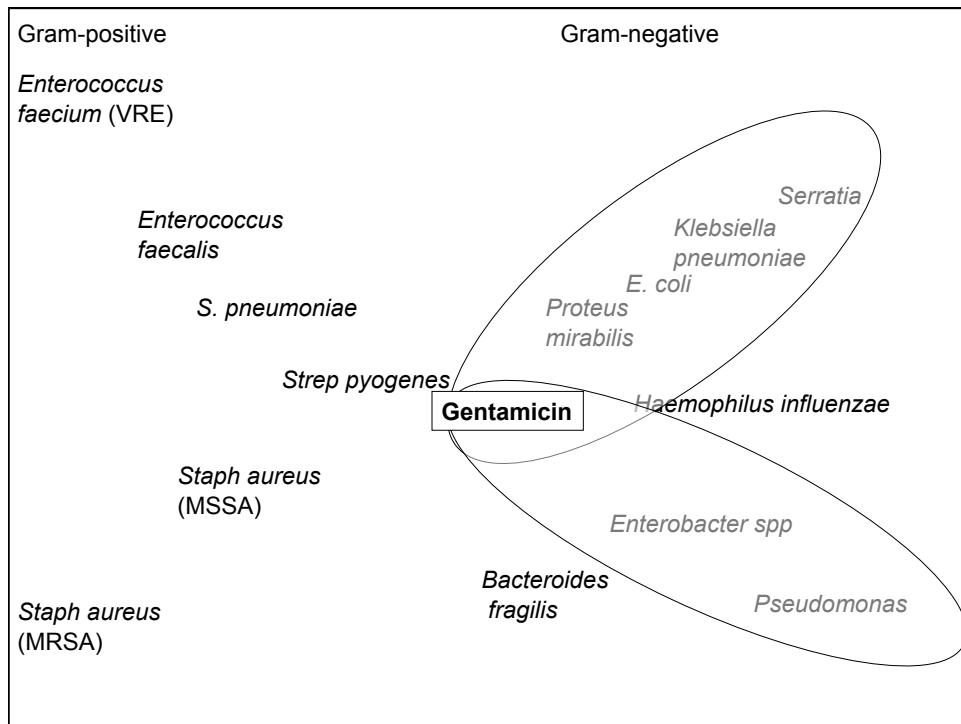


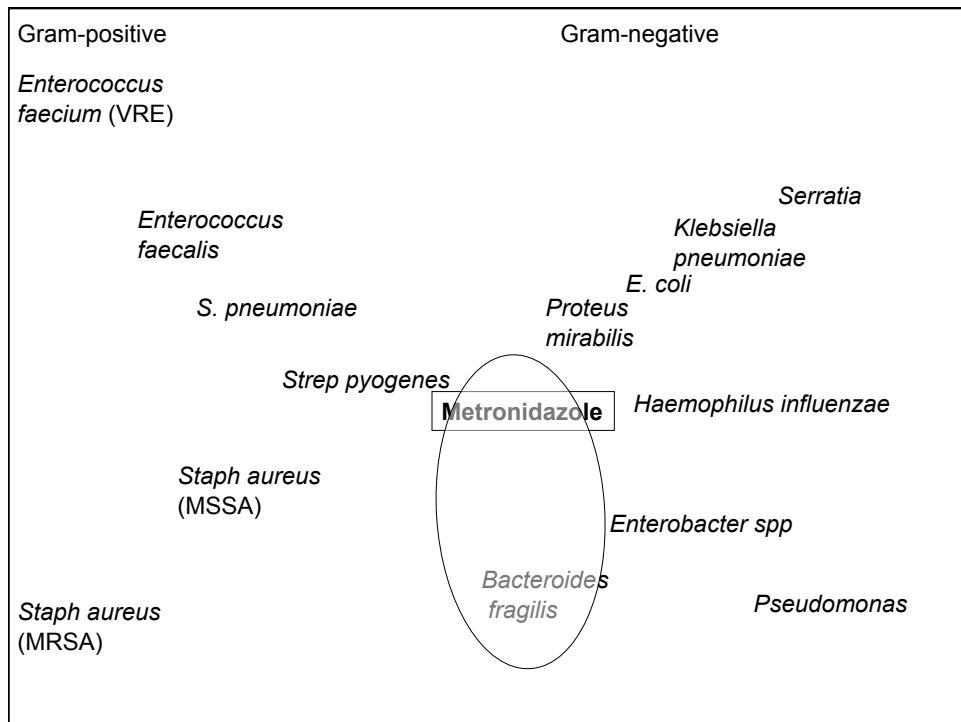
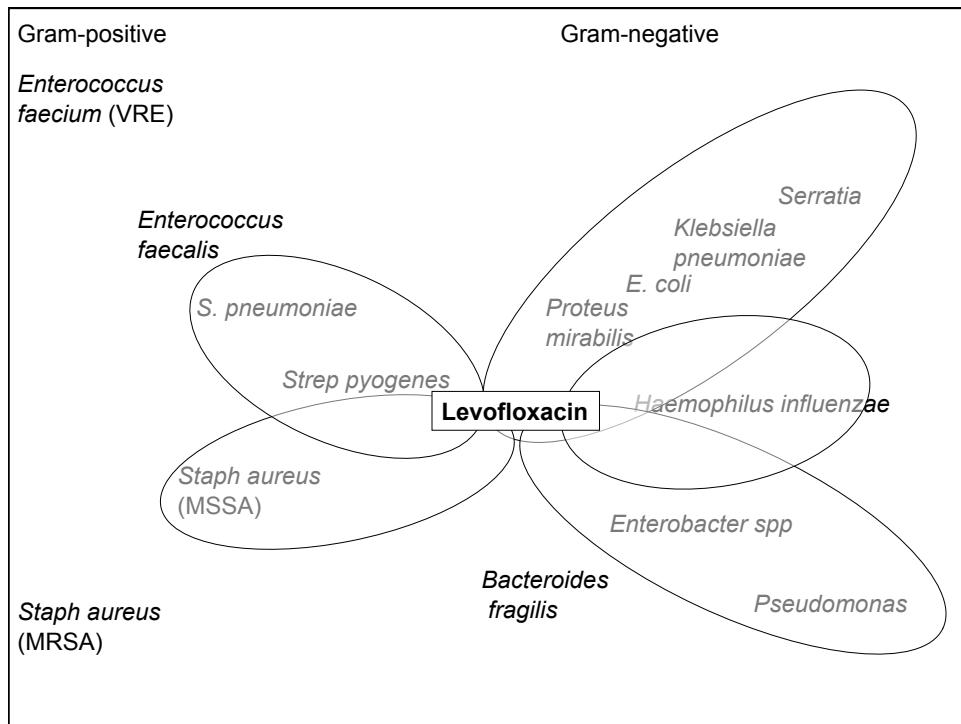












MRSA Drugs

- ▶ Tigecycline
- ▶ Vancomycin
- ▶ SMZ/TMP
- ▶ Rifampin (in combo only)
- ▶ Quinupristin-dalfopristin (Synercid)
- ▶ Linezolid
- ▶ Daptomycin
- ▶ Televancin
- ▶ Clindamycin, Tetracyclines (CA-MRSA)

Pseudomonal Drugs

- ▶ Antipseudomonal Penicillins (Zosyn)
- ▶ Carbapenems except Ertapenem
- ▶ 3rd and 4th gen. Cephalosporins (Fortaz, Cefepime)
- ▶ Some FQ – Cipro > Levaquin
- ▶ Aminoglycosides (Gentamicin, Tobramycin, Amikacin)
- ▶ Aztreonam

Enterococcus Drugs

- ▶ Penicillin G/V, Ampicillin, Amoxicillin
- ▶ PCN with Beta Lactamase Inhibitors
- ▶ Carbapenems (E. faecalis except Etrapanem)
- ▶ FQ (E. faecalis)
- ▶ Tigecycline
- ▶ Vancomycin
- ▶ Quinupristin/Dalfopristin
- ▶ Linezolid
- ▶ Daptomycin
- ▶ Rifampin (E. faecalis)
- ▶ Aminoglycoside (synergy with β -lactams for E. faecalis)
- ▶ Televancin (VSE)
- ▶ Nitrofurantoin

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