

# PROFIL MOLECULAIRE DES BACTERIES HAUTEMENT RESISTANTES EN TUNISIE

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# Introduction

## Infection à *Enterobacteriales*, *A. baumannii* et *P. aeruginosa* carbapénèmes R

- Taux élevé de mortalité
- Haut potentiel de transmission épidémique
- Résistance transférable entre différentes espèces du tube digestif (carbapénémases)
- Portage digestif prolongé
- Manque de molécules pour le traitement / décolonisation des patients
- Coût élevé
- ➔ OMS :
  - ➔ Agents pathogènes de 1ère priorité (CRITIQUE) pour la recherche-développement de nouveaux antibiotiques
  - ➔ Recommandations spécifiques pour la prévention et le contrôle de ces souches (**surveillance des infections**, ....)

## Ambler molecular classification

### Catalytic Center

#### Non-metal (Ser)

Class A: Classical narrow-spectrum (PSE, CARB)  
ESBLs (Extended-spectrum  $\beta$ -lactamase)(TEM, SHV, CTX-M)

Class A carbapenemases (GES, KPC, SME, IMI/NMC-A, SHV-38, SFC-1)

GES-1, GES-2, GES-4, GES-5

#### Metal (Zinc)

Class B: MBL (Metallo- $\beta$ -lactamase)  
Subclass B1: (IMP, VIM, SPM, IND, NDM, DIM, GIM, SIM)  
Subclass B3: (AIM, CAU-1, GOB-1, FEZ-1)  
Subclass B2: (CphA, Sfh-I, ImiS)

CMY-10, CMY-19, CMY-37

Class C: AmpC  
ESAC (Extended-spectrum AmpC)

OXA-23, OXA-48

Class D: ESBLs (Extended-spectrum  $\beta$ -lactamase,) (Oxacillinases, OXA)  
CHDLs (carbapenem-hydolyzing class D  $\beta$ -lactamases)

### Carbapenemases

## Bush-Jacoby-Medeiros functional classification

Group 1: cephalosporinases (Ambler Class C)

Group 2: serine- $\beta$ -lactamase (Ambler Class A and D)

Group 3: metallo- $\beta$ -lactamase (Ambler Class B)

# Caractéristiques

	Spectre						Inhibiteurs
	Pénicillines	C3G – C4G	Monobactame	carbapénèmes	Ceftolozane - tazobactam	Ceftazidime - avibactam	
A	+++	+++	+++	+++	++	-	Acide clavulanique Acide boronique
B	+++	+++	-	+++	+++	+++	EDTA Acide dipicolinique
D	+++	-/+	-/+	+	+	-	

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Modified carbapenem inactivation method (mCIM)	1. Detecting all carbapenemases 2. Clear criteria of judgment 3. Simple and cost-effectiveness	1. Time consuming
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Aztreonam-avibactam	1. Inhibition of KPC, MBLs, ESBLs, OXA	1. Insufficient phase III clinical trials data	
Imipenem-relebactam	1. Inhibition of KPC	1. Poor inhibition of MBLs and OXA (Lapuebla et al., 2015a) 2. Insufficient phase III clinical trials data (Sims et al., 2017)	1. Low expression of OmpK36 (Hecker et al., 2015)
Meropenem-vaborbactam	1. Inhibition of KPC (Lapuebla et al., 2015b) 2. Well tolerated	1. Poor inhibition of MBLs and OXA (Lapuebla et al., 2015b) 2. Insufficient clinical data support	1. Low expression of OmpK35 and OmpK36 (Ritchie and Garavaglia-Wilson, 2014)
Plazomicin	1. Inhibition of KPC and OXA (Castanheira et al., 2018) 2. More potent activity and lower side effects than other aminoglycosides	1. Poor inhibition of MBLs	1. Methylation of 16S rRNA (Livermore et al., 2011) 2. Aminoglycoside modifying enzyme (Castanheira et al., 2018)
Ervacycline	1. Well pharmacokinetics, pharmacodynamics, tolerability, and <i>in vitro</i> activity (Lan et al., 2019; McCarthy, 2019) 2. Performance in complicated intra-abdominal infections (Heaney et al., 2019) 3. Non-renal pathway clearance (Lee and Burton, 2019)	1. Suboptimal in complicated urinary tract infections (Lee and Burton, 2019) 2. Upregulation of efflux pumps (Livermore et al., 2011) 3. Mobile resistance genes, <i>tet(X3)</i> and <i>tet(X4)</i> (He et al., 2019)	
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# Objectifs

- Etudier le profil moléculaire des carbapénémases en Tunisie
- Etudier la clonalité des souches résistantes

# Matériel et Méthodes (I)

- Etude multicentrique prospective

1. Grand Tunis

1. Tunis

1. HCN

2. Hôpital La Rabta

3. HET

4. HMPIT

5. HAO

6. CNGMO

2. Ariana

7. H. Abderrahmen Mami

3. Ben Arous

8. CTGB

4. Manouba

9. IMKO

2. Sousse / Monastir

5. Sousse

10. H Farhat Hached Sousse

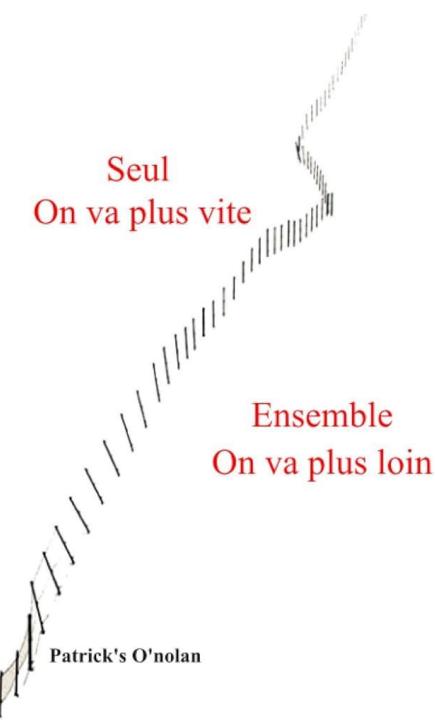
6. Monastir

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12. H. Habib Bourguiba Sfax



# Matériel et Méthodes (II)

- **Population bactérienne**

## Souches incluses

Souches non répétitives,  
*Enterobacteriales*, *P. aeruginosa*, *A. baumannii*,  
Prélèvement réalisés du 05 février au 03 mars 2024,  
Responsables d'infections,  
R ou SFP (pour *A. baumannii*) aux carbapénèmes

## Souches non incluses

Souches de *P. aeruginosa* ayant une résistance  
isolée à l'imipénème

## Souches exclues

Souches dont les subcultures  
étaient contaminées

# Matériel et Méthodes (III)

- **Collecte des souches / données épidémiologiques**
  - Service des Laboratoires du CNGMO
- **Etude phénotypique et génotypique**
  - **PhD A. Raddaoui**
- **Recherche des gènes de carbapénémases**
  - Extraction de l'ADN
    - Choc thermique
  - Amplification PCR simplex des gènes de carbapénémases
  - Révélation des produits d'amplification :
    - Electrophorèse horizontale sur gel d'agarose 1,5%
  - Visualisation
    - Transilluminateur UV (Gel Doc™ XR+) (BIORAD)

Amorces (Sequence 5' to 3')	Taille (pb)	Reference
<b>KPC</b> KPC-F : GTATGCCGTCTAGTTCTGC KPC-R : GGTCTGTTCCTCCCTTAGCC	638	(Hong, et al., 2012)
<b>IMI</b> IMI-F : TGCGGTCGATTGGAGATAAA IMI-R : CGATTCTGAAGCTCTGCG	399	
<b>GES</b> GES-F : GCTTCATTACCGCACTATT GES-R : CGATGCTAGAAACCGCTC	323	
<b>VIM</b> VIM-F : GATGGTGTGGTCGATA VIM-R : CGAATGCGCAGCACCAAG	390	
<b>IMP</b> IMP-F : GGAATAGAGTGGCTTAAYTCTC IMP-R : CCAAACYACTASGTTATCT <sup>a</sup>	188	(Ellington, et al., 2007)
<b>NDM</b> NDM-F : GCTTGCGATCTGGTTTC NDM-R : CGGAATGGCTCATCACGATC	620	
<b>OXA-48</b> OXA-48-F : TTGGTGGCATCGATTATCGG OXA48-R : GAGCACTCTTTGTGATGGC	743	
<b>OXA-23</b> <b>OXA-23-F</b> : GATCGGATTGGAGAACCAG <b>OXA-23-R</b> : ATTTCTGACCGCATTTCCAT	501	(Woodford, et al., 2019)

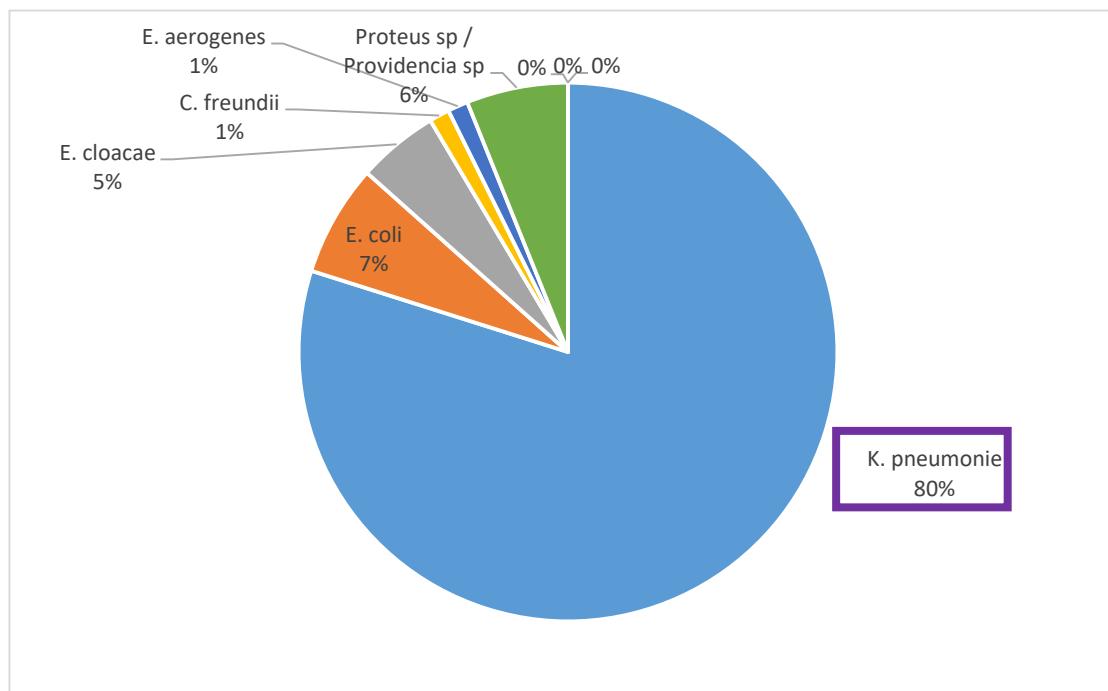
## Résultats préliminaires et Discussion

# Répartition des souches par espèce

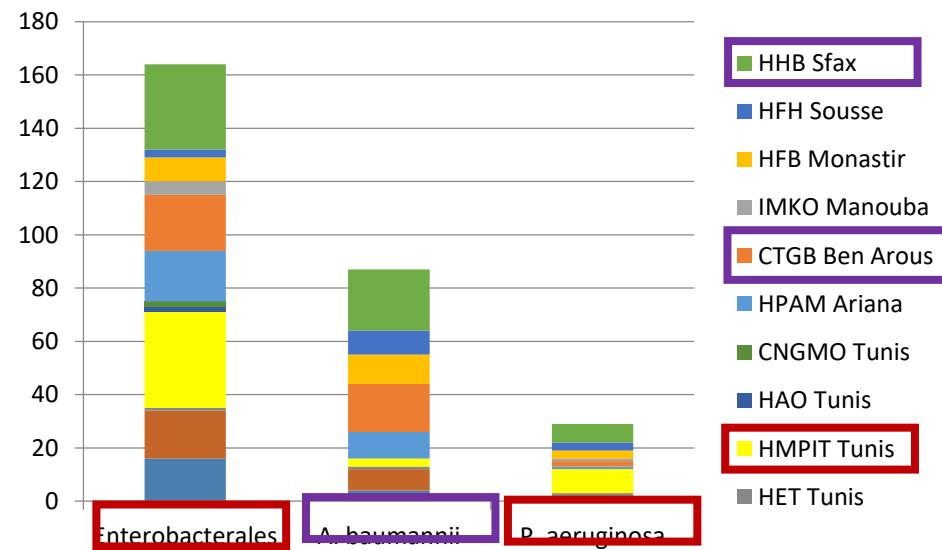
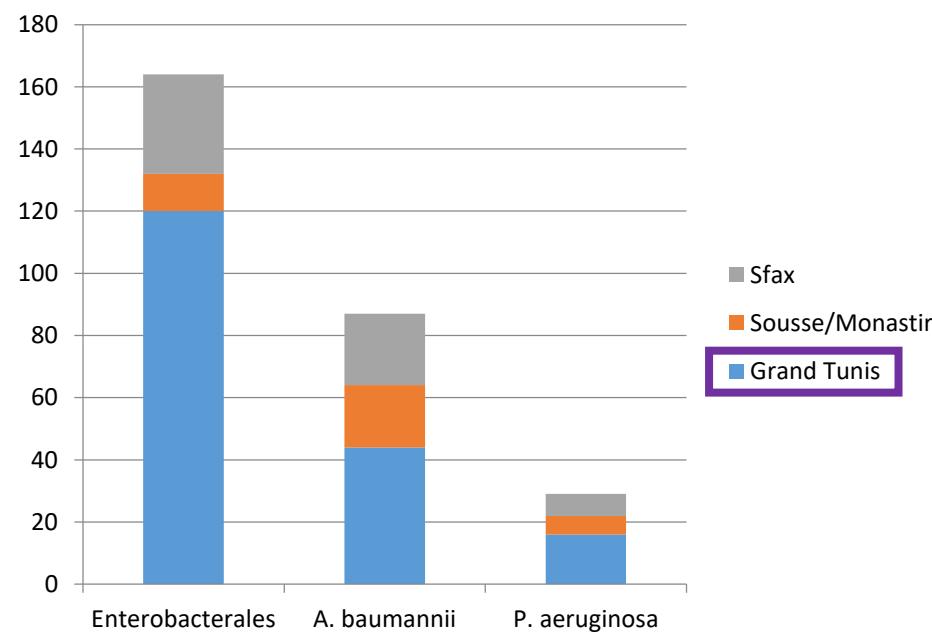
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**N=164**

***A. baumannii***  
**N=87**

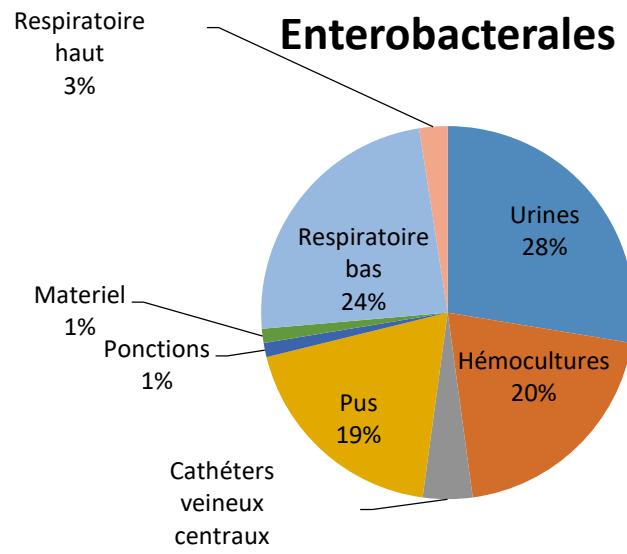
***P. aeruginosa***  
**N=29**



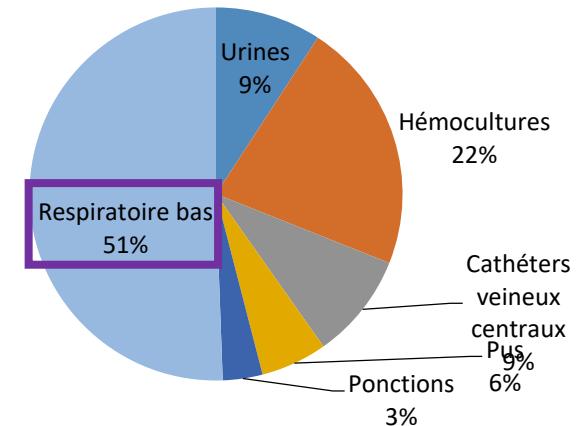
# Répartition des souches par région et par hôpital



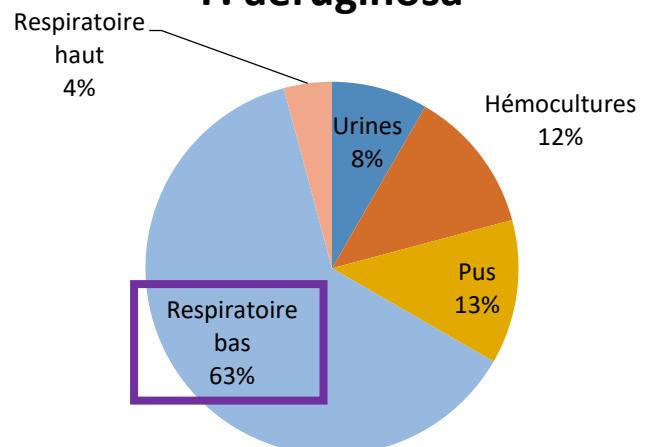
# Répartition des souches par prélèvement et par service



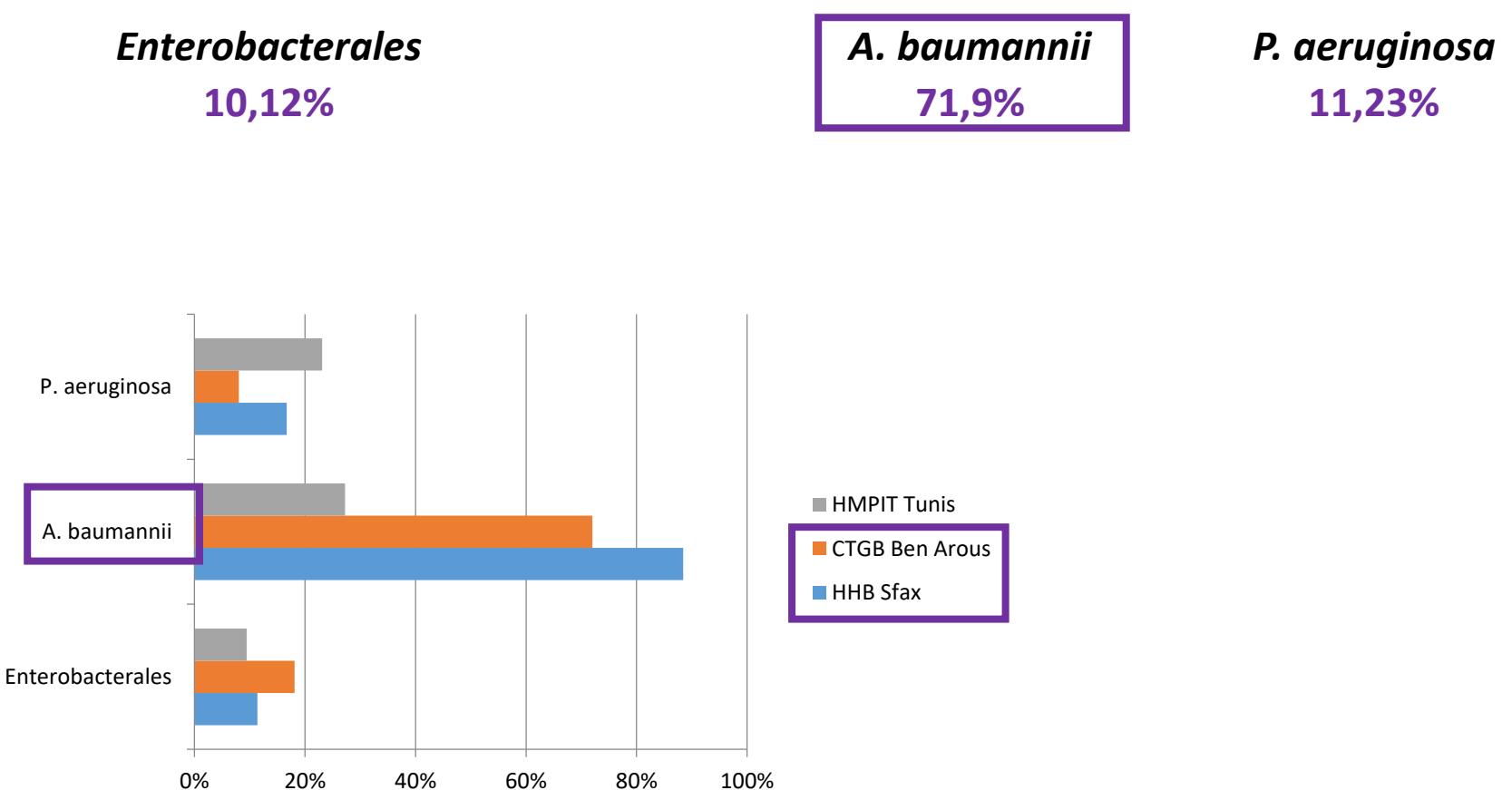
***A. baumannii***



***P. aeruginosa***



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	<i>Enterobacteriales</i>		<i>A. baumannii</i>	<i>P. aeruginosa</i>
<b>Cette étude</b>	<b>10,12%</b>		<b>71,9%</b>	<b>11,23%</b>
<b>LART 2022</b>	Ertapénème R <i>E. coli</i> 0,7% (sur 7780)	<i>K. pneumoniae</i> 18,5% (sur 4023)	<b>79,5%</b> (sur 1033)	12,9% (sur 2448)
<b>ECDC 2021</b>	0.2%	11.7%	<b>39.9%</b>	8.1%

Fig. 13 *Escherichia coli*. Percentage of invasive isolates resistant to carbapenems (Imipenem/meropenem), by country, EU/EEA, 2021

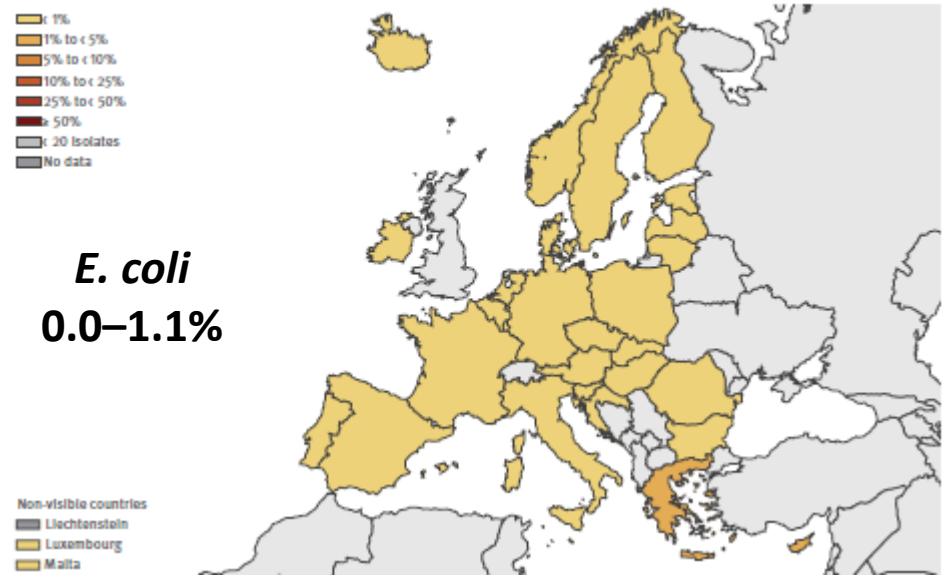


Fig. 17 *Acinetobacter* species. Percentage of invasive isolates with resistance to carbapenems (Imipenem/meropenem), by country, EU/EEA, 2021

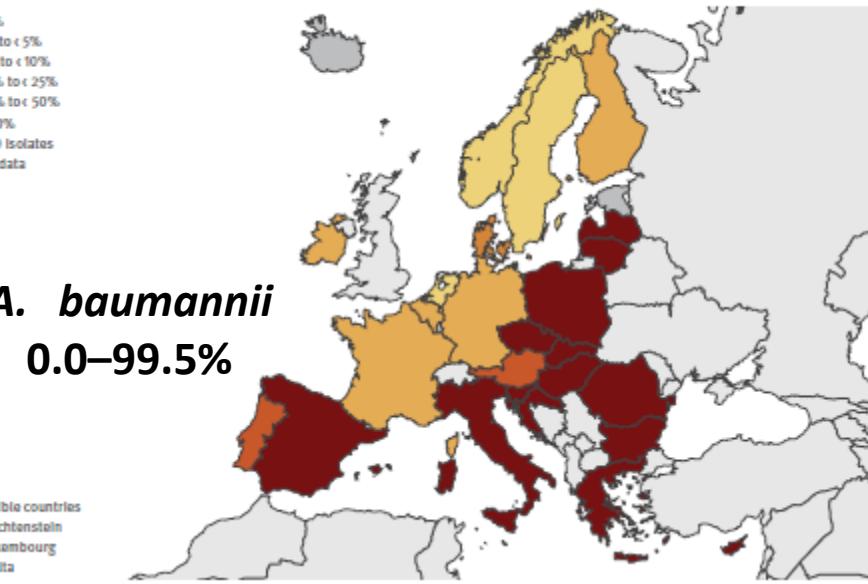


Fig. 15 *Klebsiella pneumoniae*. Percentage of invasive isolates resistant to carbapenems (Imipenem/meropenem), by country, EU/EEA, 2021

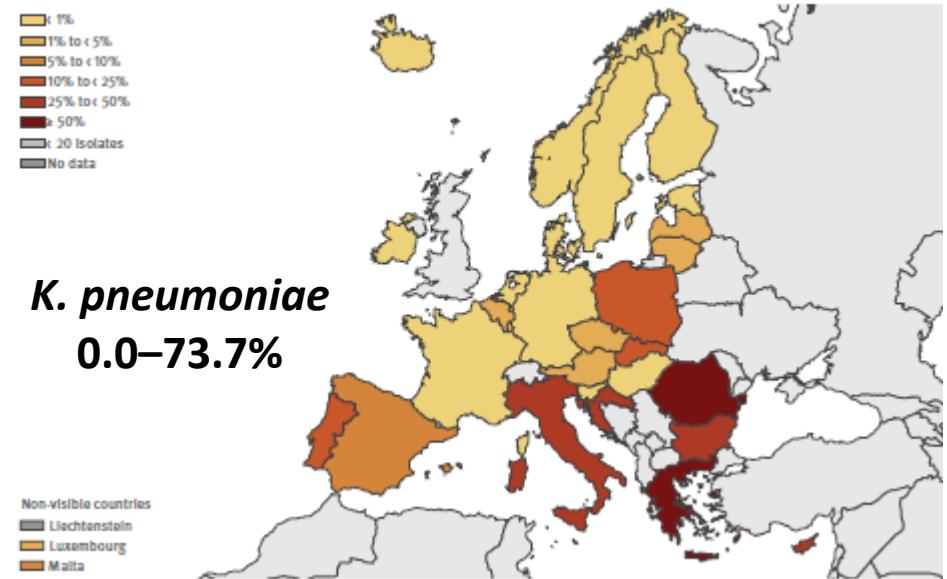
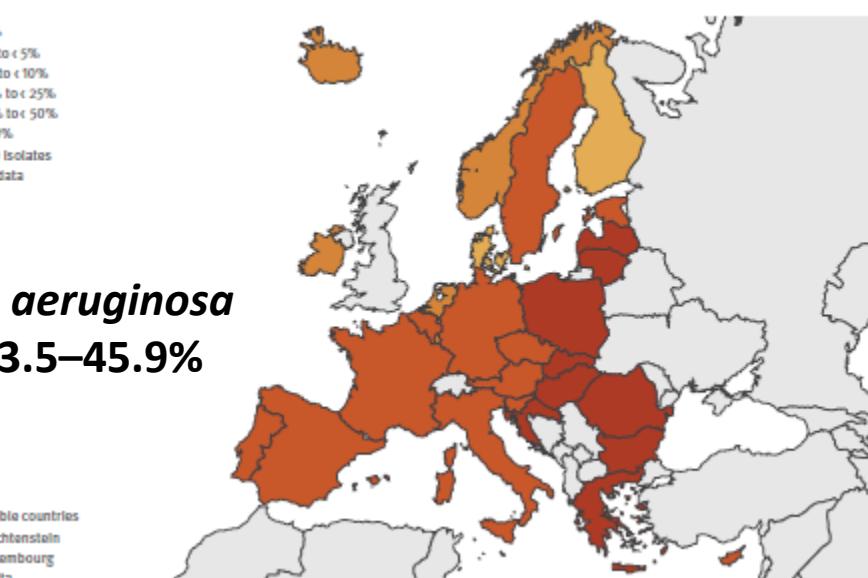
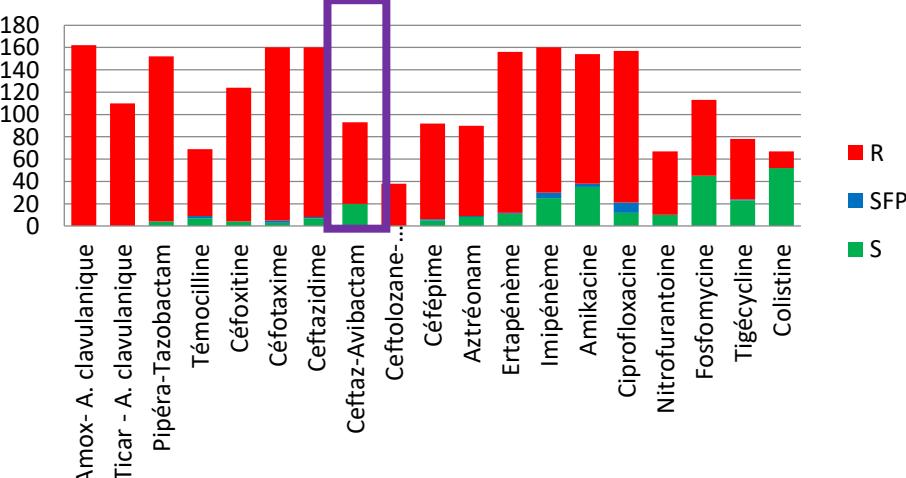


Fig. 16 *Pseudomonas aeruginosa*. Percentage of invasive isolates with resistance to carbapenems (Imipenem/meropenem), by country, EU/EEA, 2021

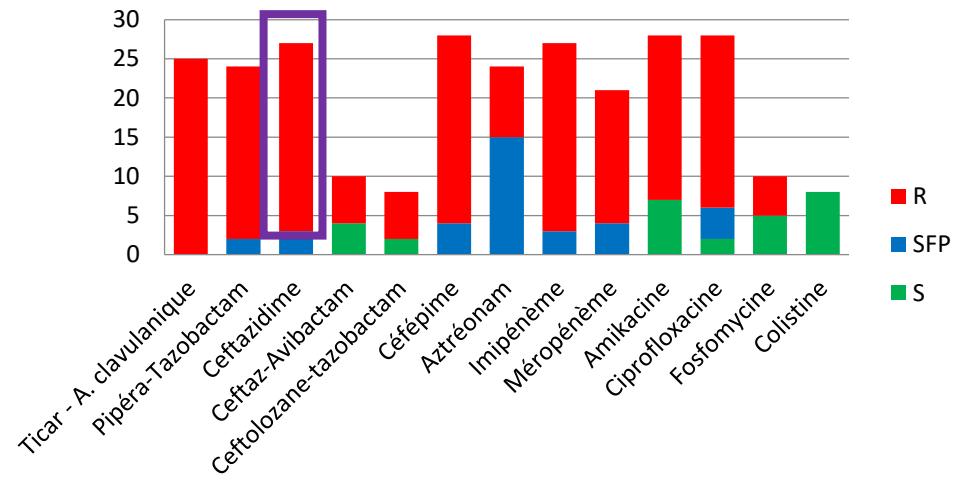


# Résistances associées aux antibiotiques

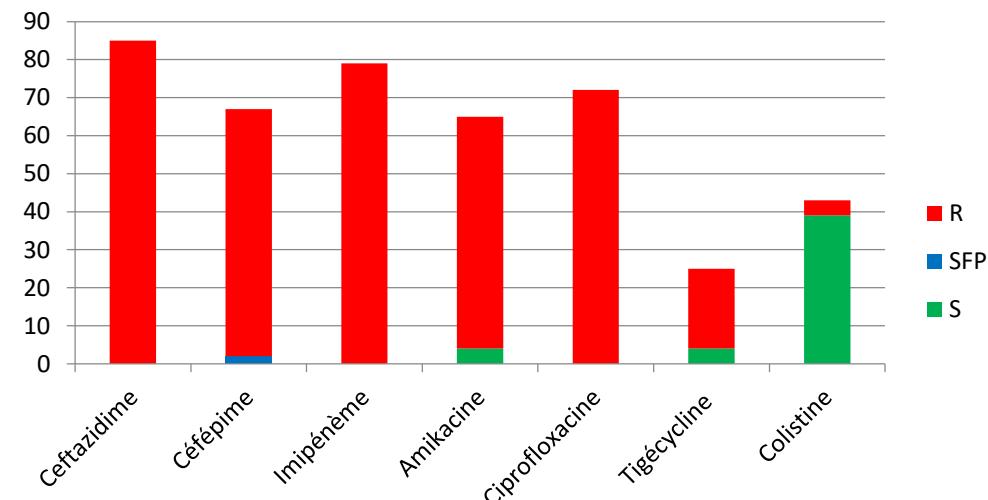
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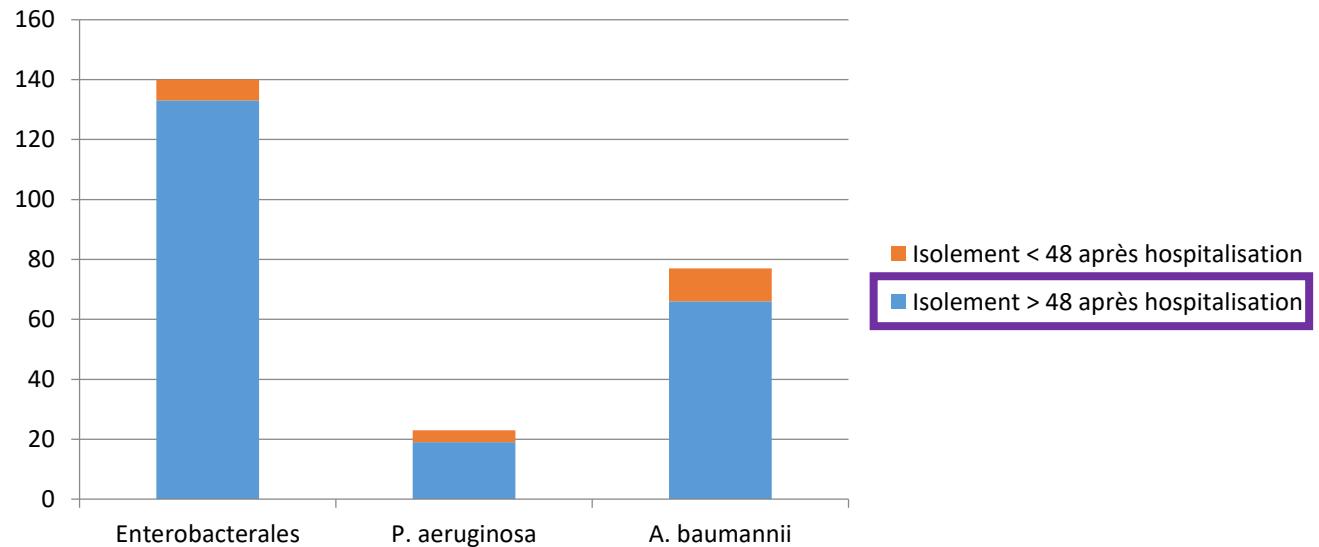
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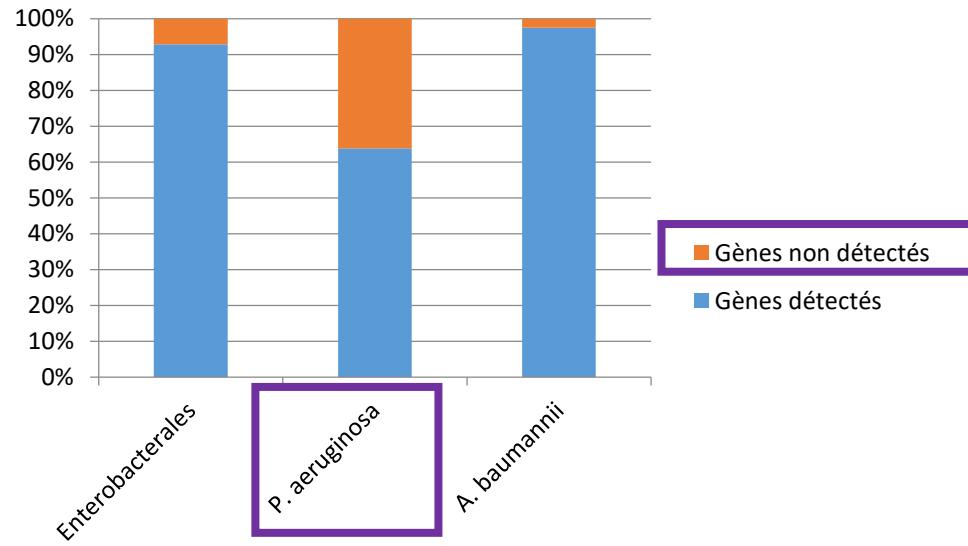
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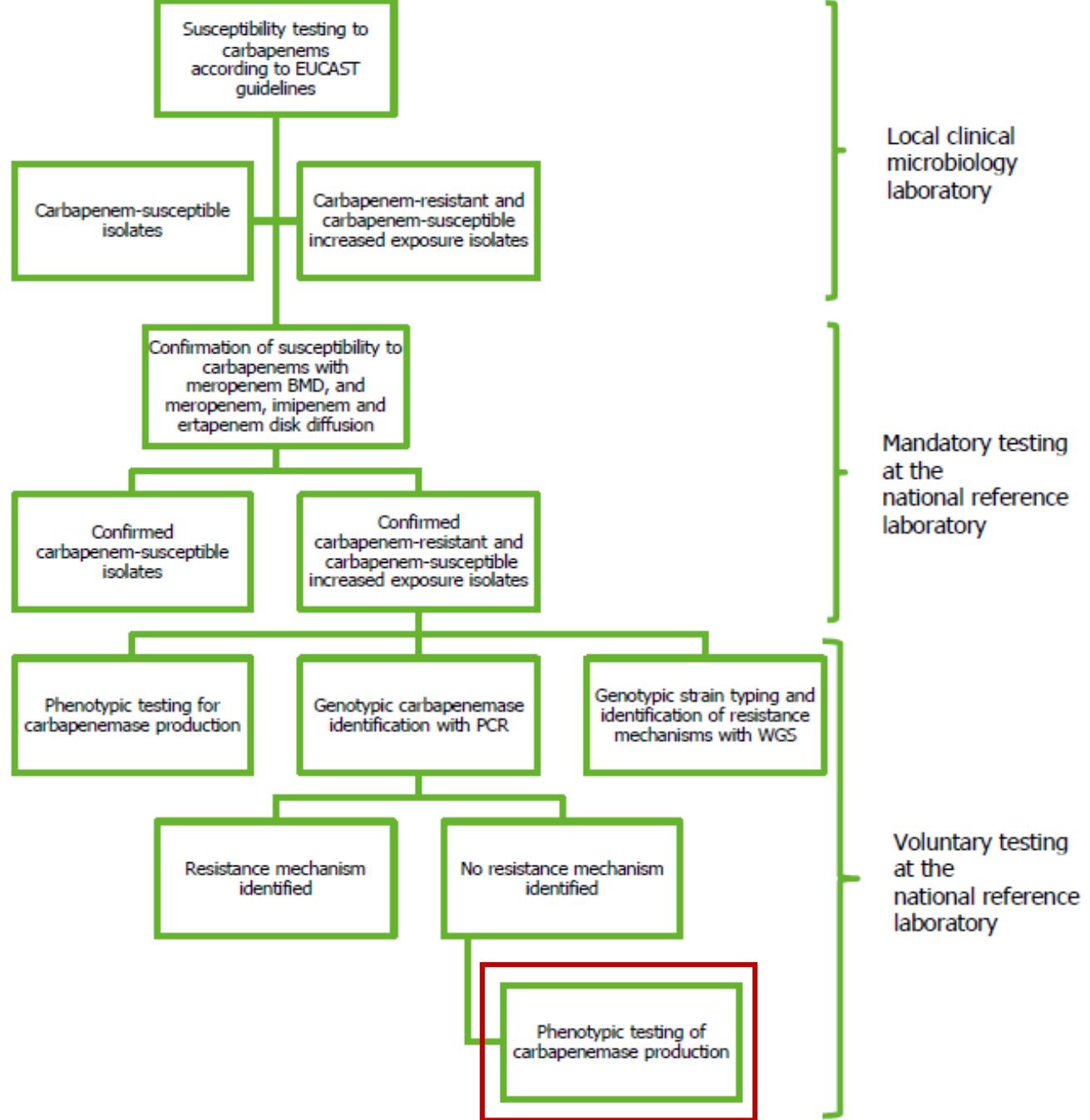


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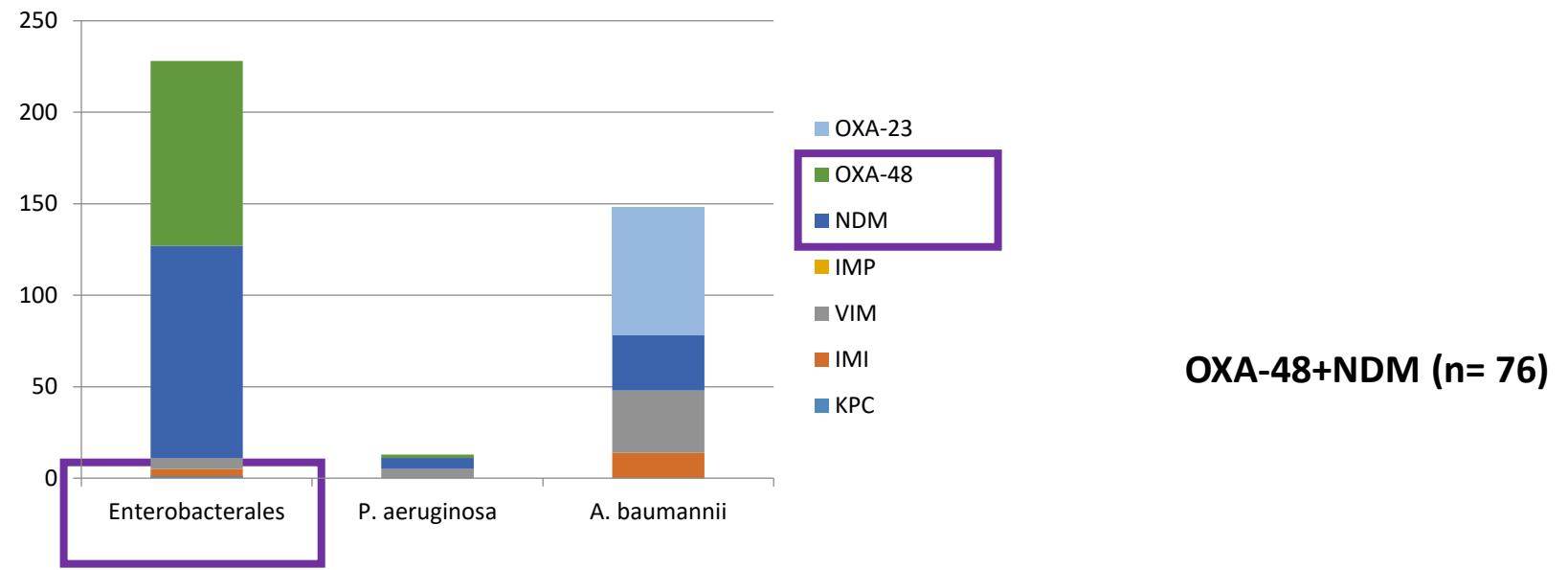


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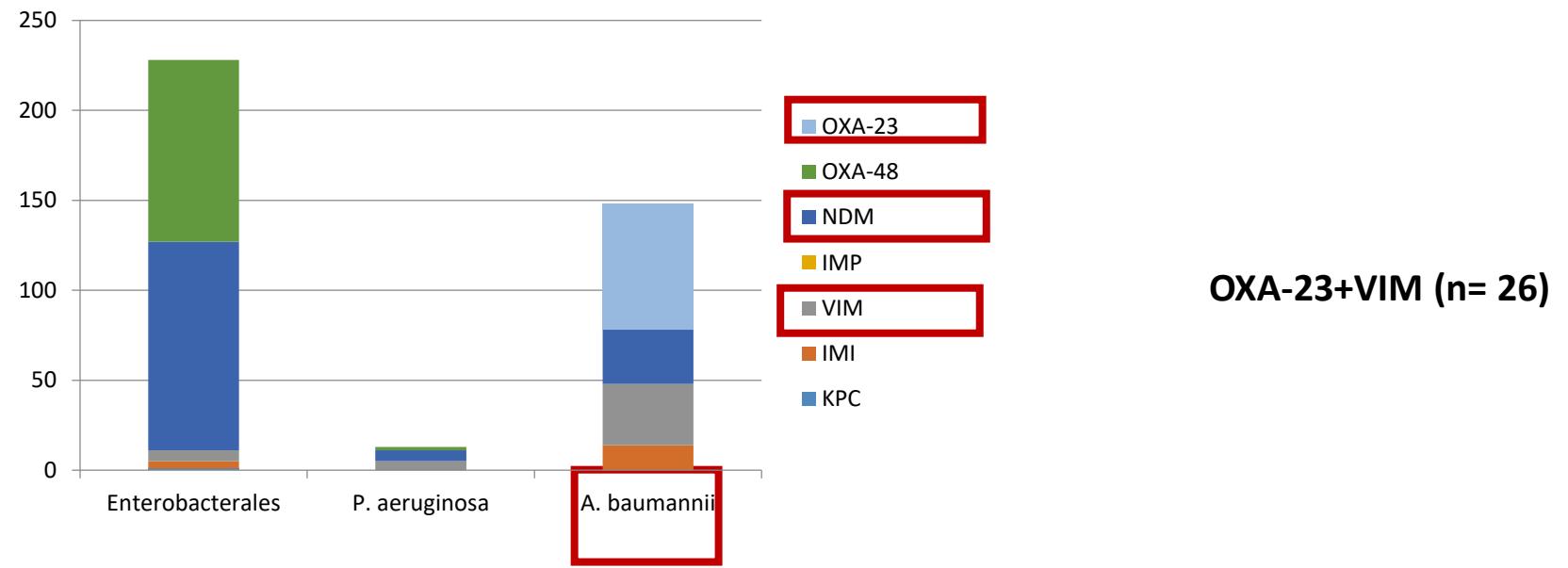




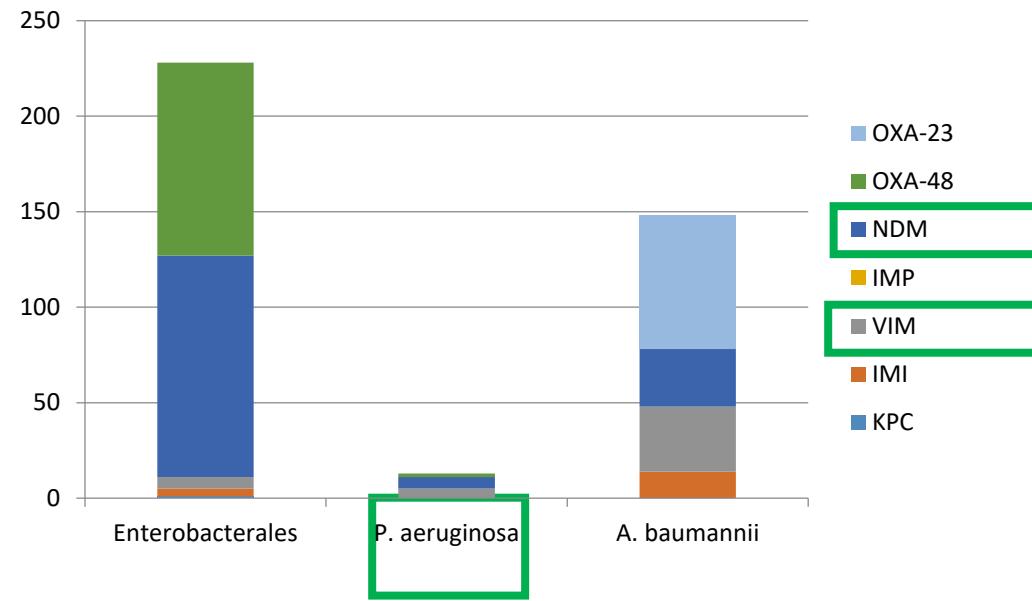
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**Table 2** The Frequencies of Carbapenemases Detected in Each Species in Tunisia from 2006 to 2019

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	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%
<i>A. baumannii</i>	—	—	—	—	14	12.28	—	—	—	—	424	100	230	100	20	100	688	55.62
<i>P. aeruginosa</i>	—	—	95	65.07	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	95	7.68
<i>K. pneumoniae</i>	20	90.91	39	26.71	99	86.84	25	100	222	86.72	—	—	—	—	—	—	405	32.74
<i>E. coli</i>	2	9.09	4	2.74	—	—	—	—	6	2.34	—	—	—	—	—	—	12	0.97
<i>P. mirabilis</i>	—	—	—	—	1	0.88	—	—	1	0.39	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	0.16
<i>C. freundii</i>	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	0.39	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	0.08
<i>E. cloacae</i>	—	—	1	0.69	—	—	—	—	11	4.30	—	—	—	—	—	—	12	0.97
<i>E. aerogenes</i> *	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	0.39	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	0.08
<i>P. stuartii</i>	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	13	5.08	—	—	—	—	—	—	13	1.05
<i>S. enterica</i>	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	0.39	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	0.08
<i>H. pylori</i>	—	—	7	4.79	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	7	0.57
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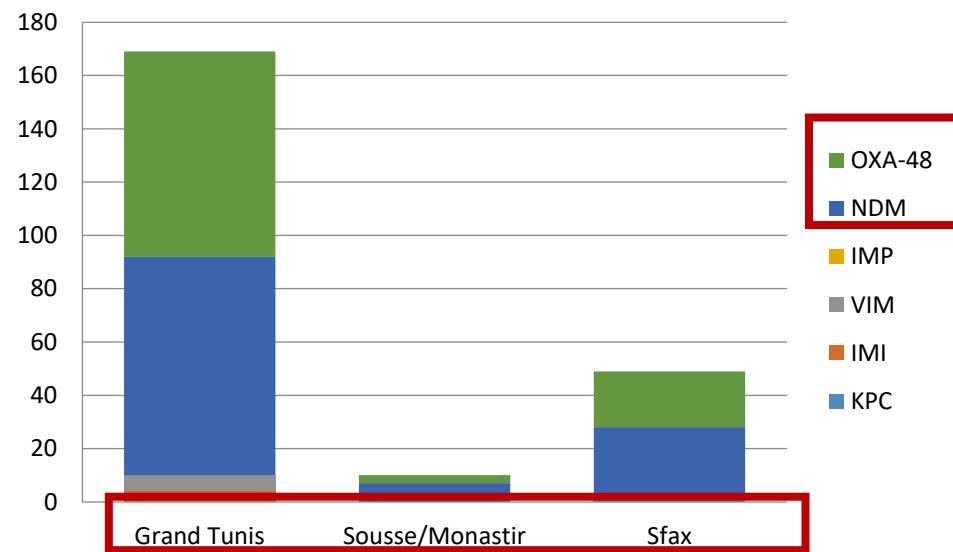
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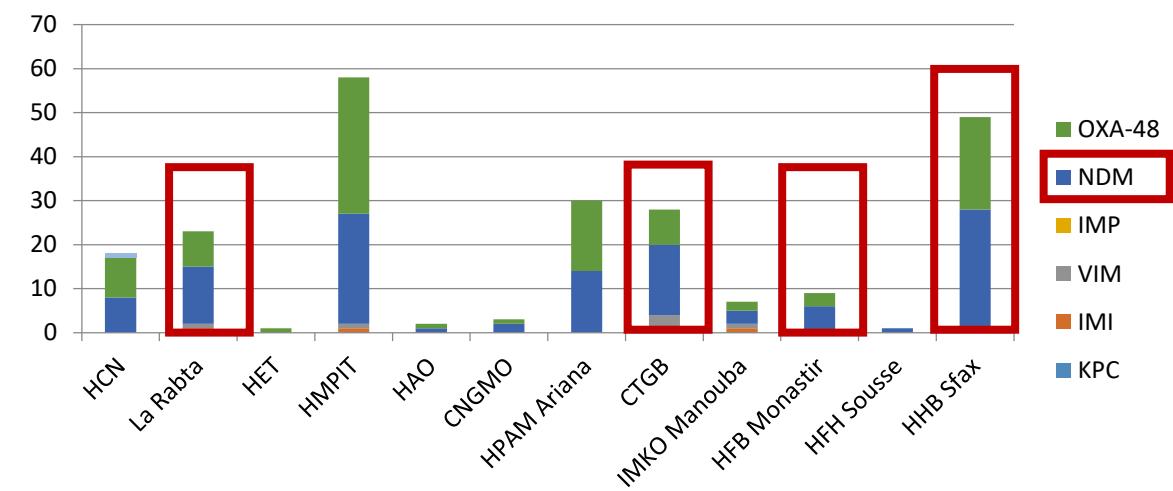
# Gènes de carbapénémases

## *Enterobacteriales*

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<b>H. A. Mami</b>	45 <i>K. pneumoniae</i>	2015-16	<b>OXA-48 (87 %), NDM-1 (20 %),</b> association de ces deux gènes (11 %) (Bouattour H et al., Med Mal Infect. 2019;49(3):225-6)
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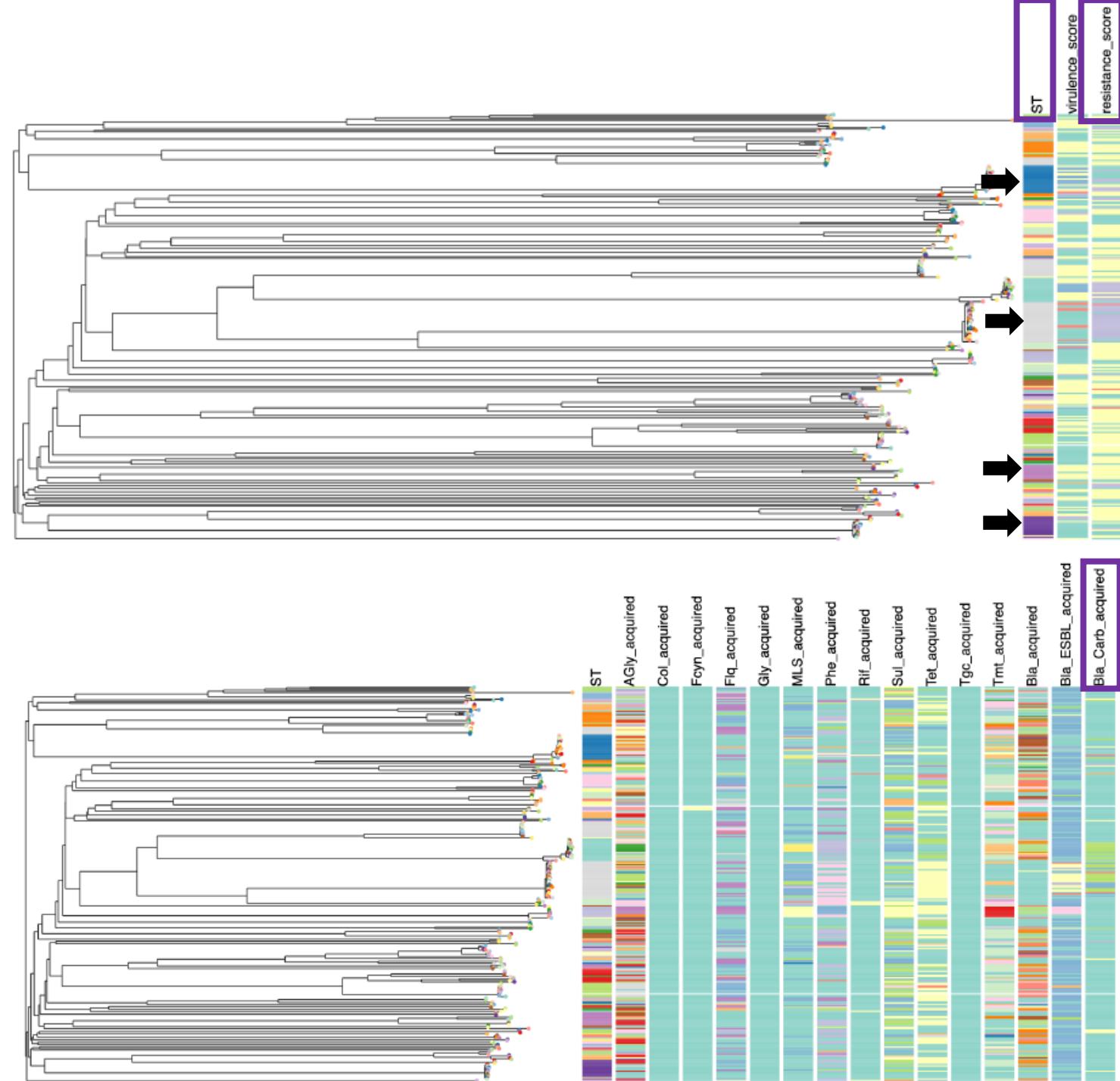
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Illumina NextSeq 500 system, Quadram Institute, Royaume Uni

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  - ST45 (haut risque épidémique)
  - ST307 (haut risque endémique aux USA)
  - ST383, ST147, ST101, ST39 (épidémiques)
  - ST13 (internationaux)
- 0 à 1 gènes de virulence (86,8%)
- gènes de carbapénémases (18.6%)
  - OXA-48 (14%) > NDM-1 (4%)

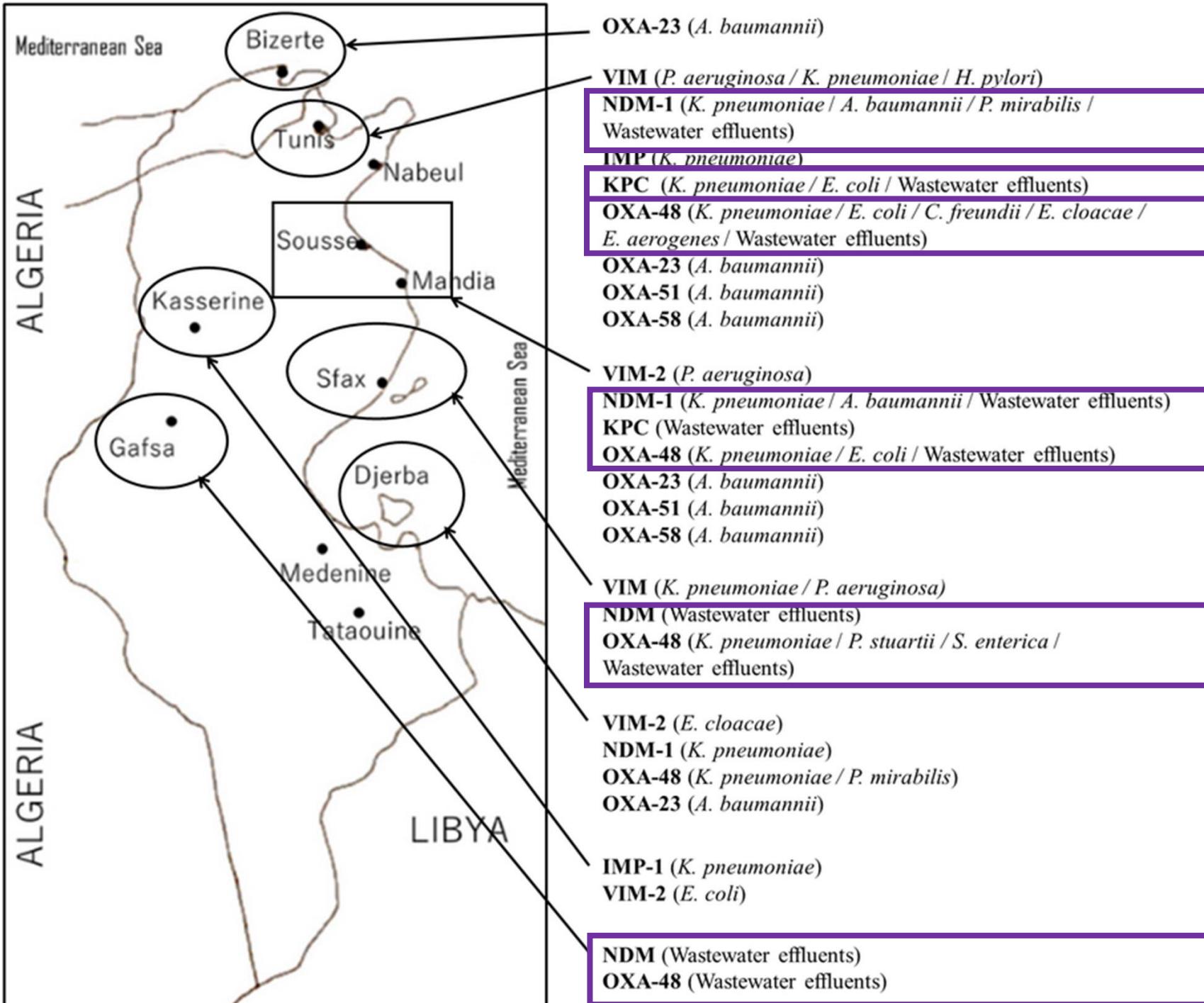


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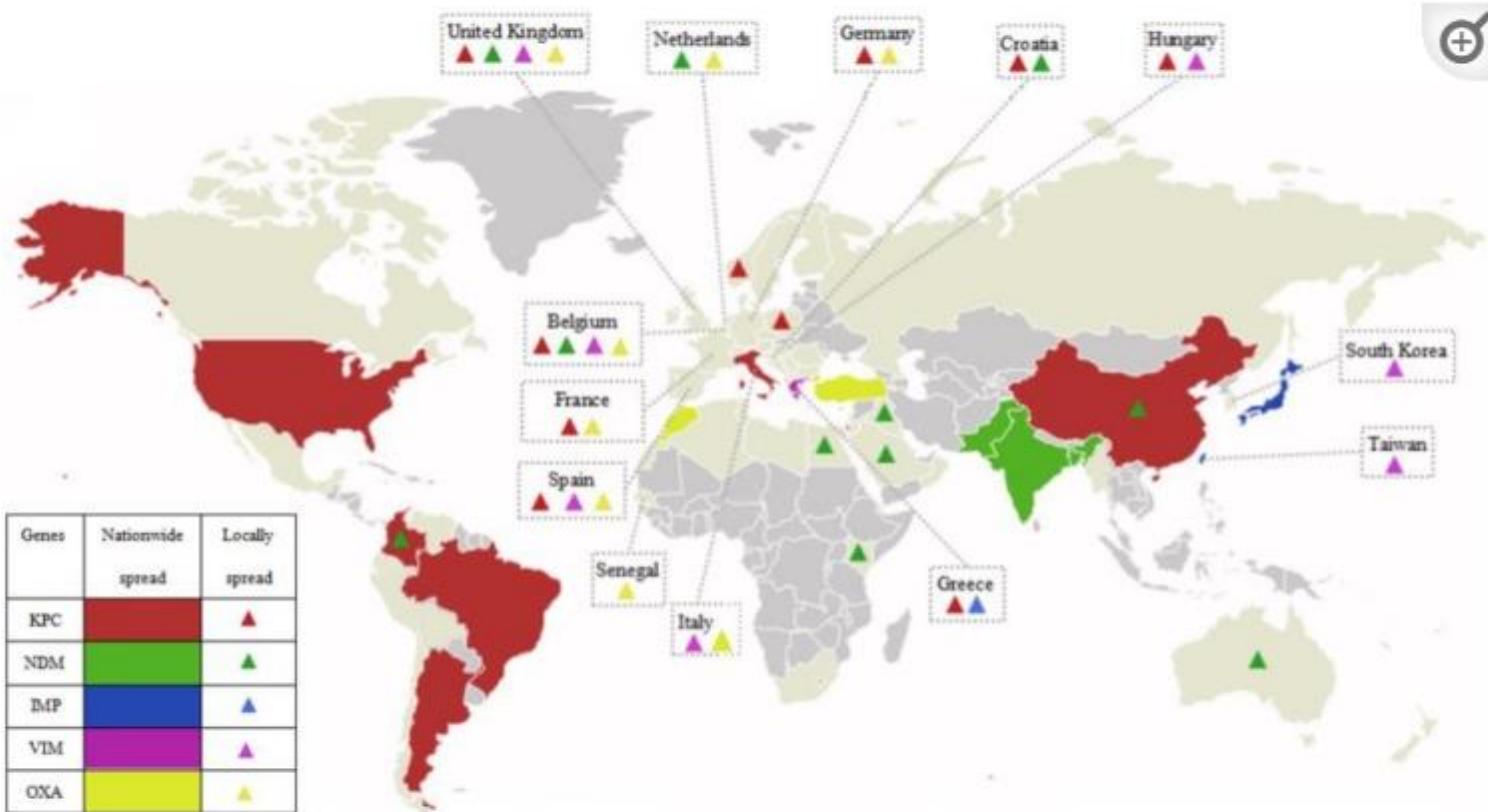
## *Enterobacteriales*

Fruits de mer	641 poissons d'élevage 1075 coquillages	<b>blaNDM-1</b> (1 souche) et <b>blaOXA-48</b> (1 souche) isolées de coquillages	(Sola, M. Microorganisms <b>2022, 10</b> , 1364)
Oiseaux sauvages	150 oiseaux, 7 régions, Tunisie ➔ 2/99 souches imipénème R	1ère description de <b>KPC-2</b> (1 <i>K. oxytoca</i> ) et <b>KPC-3</b> (1 <i>E. fergusonii</i> ) chez les <i>Enterobacteriales</i> isolées d'oiseaux sauvages en Afrique	(H. Ben Yahia. Africa. Microbial Ecology. 2020;79:30–37)
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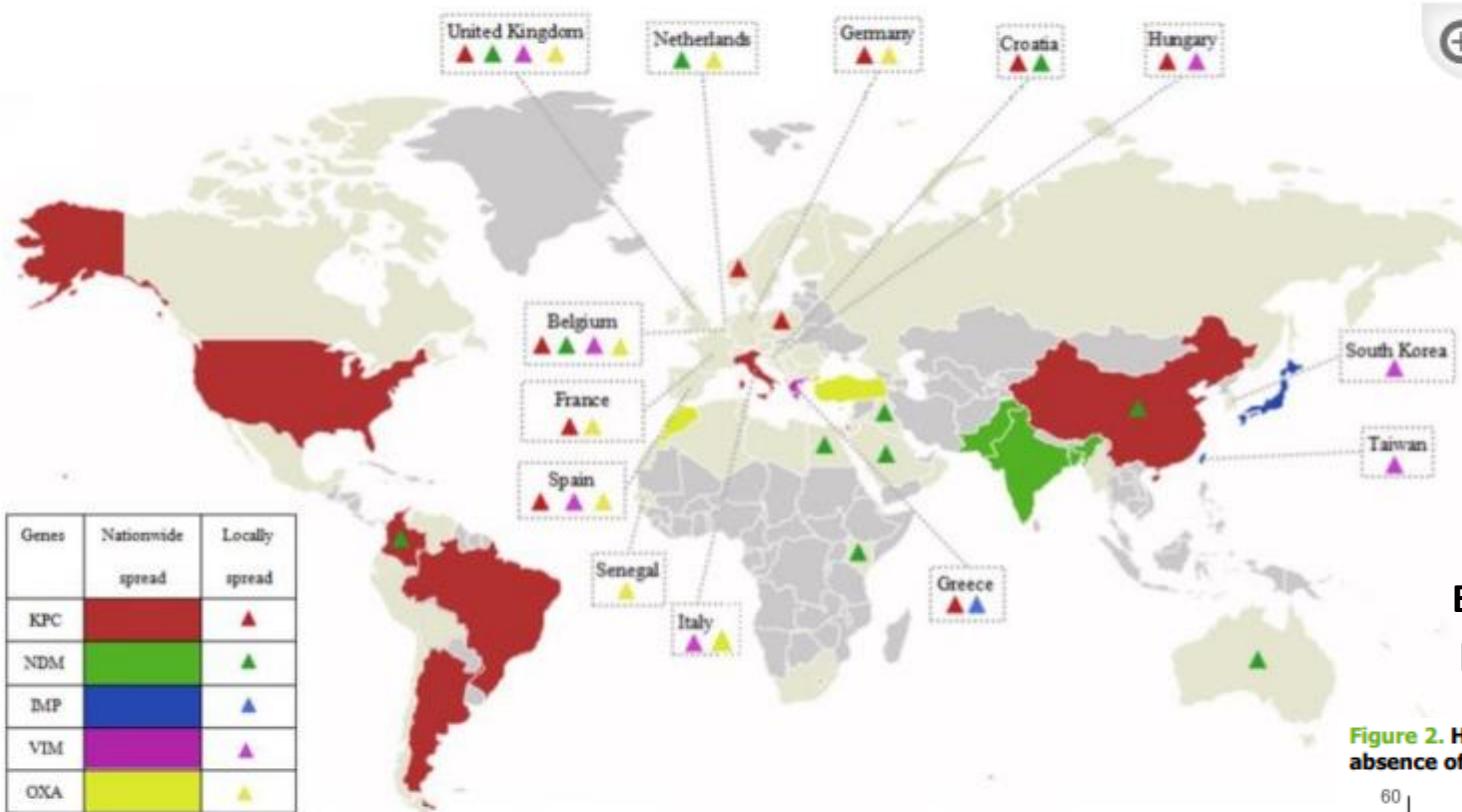
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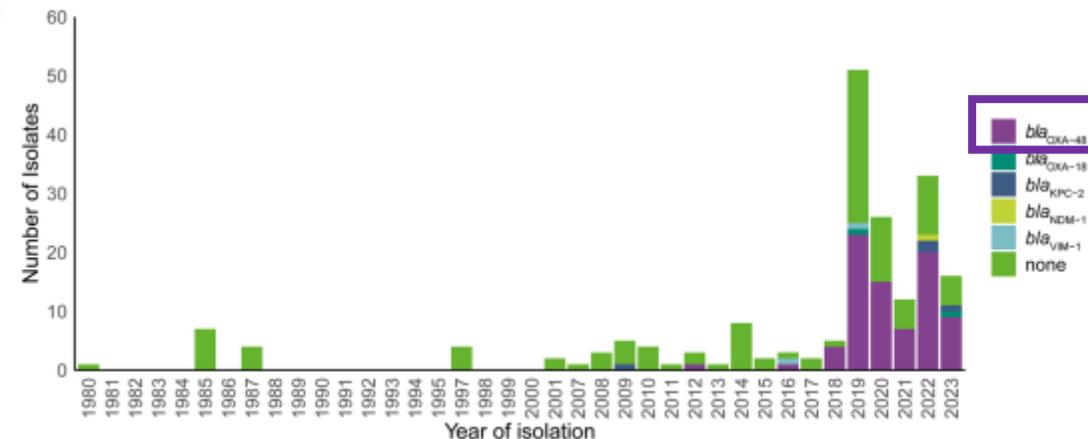
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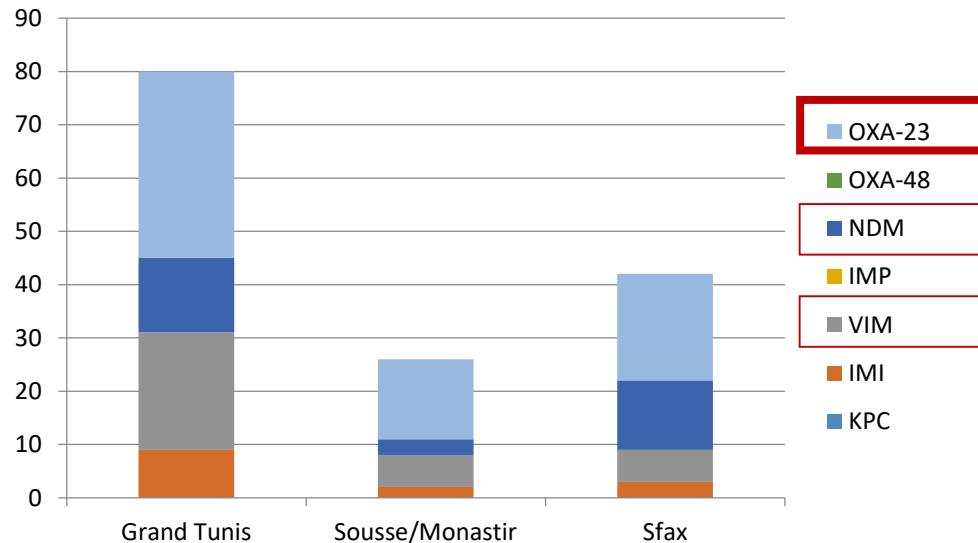


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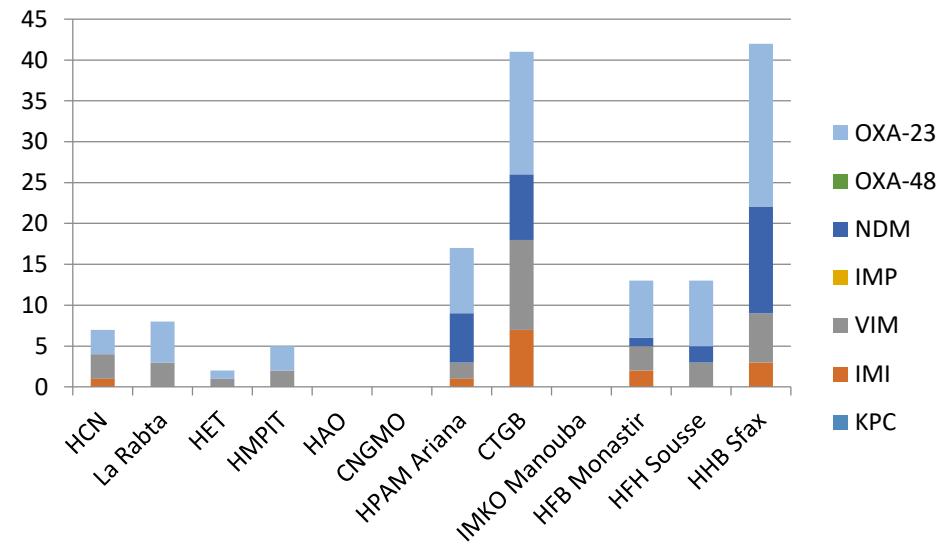
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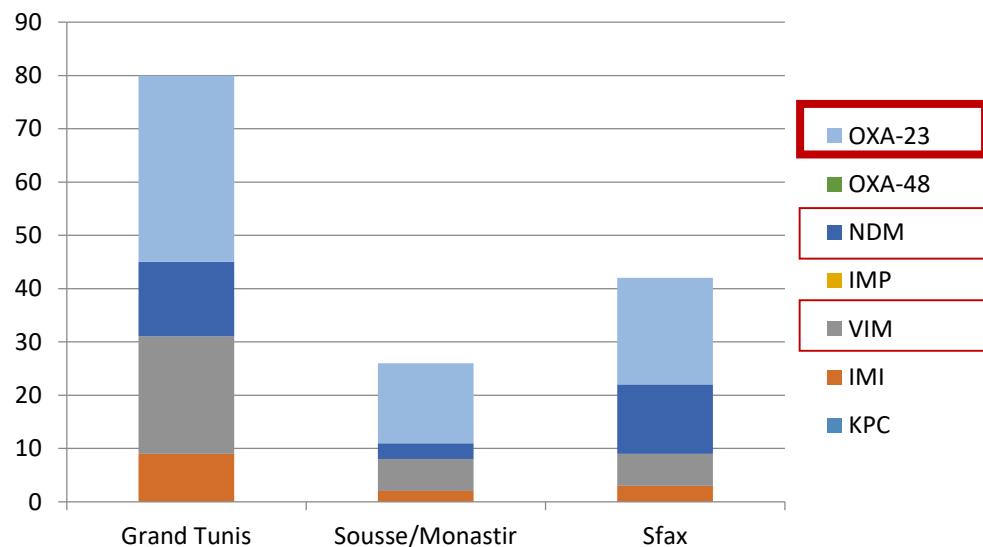
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- IMKO et HMPIT : 2 souches, **blaOXA-23** (Chihi H et al. J Glob Antimicrob Resist. 2016 Jun;5:47-50)
- CTGB : 1<sup>ère</sup> description en Tunisie de diffusion clonale d'*A. baumannii* blaPER-1 + **blaOXA23** + blaADC, origine environnementale probable (A.. MABROUK, Acta Microbiol Immun Hung 2020); 67 (4): 222–7)
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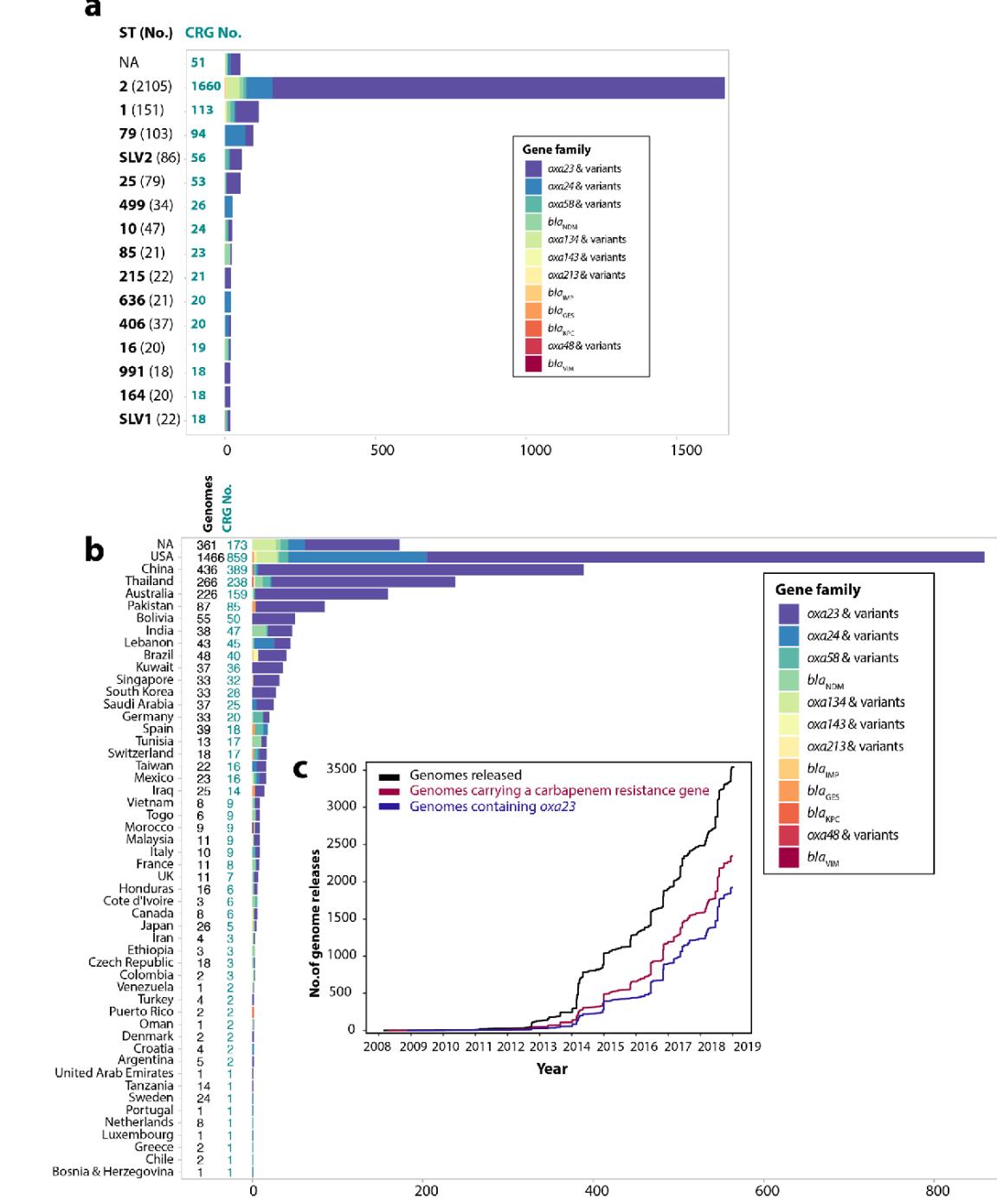
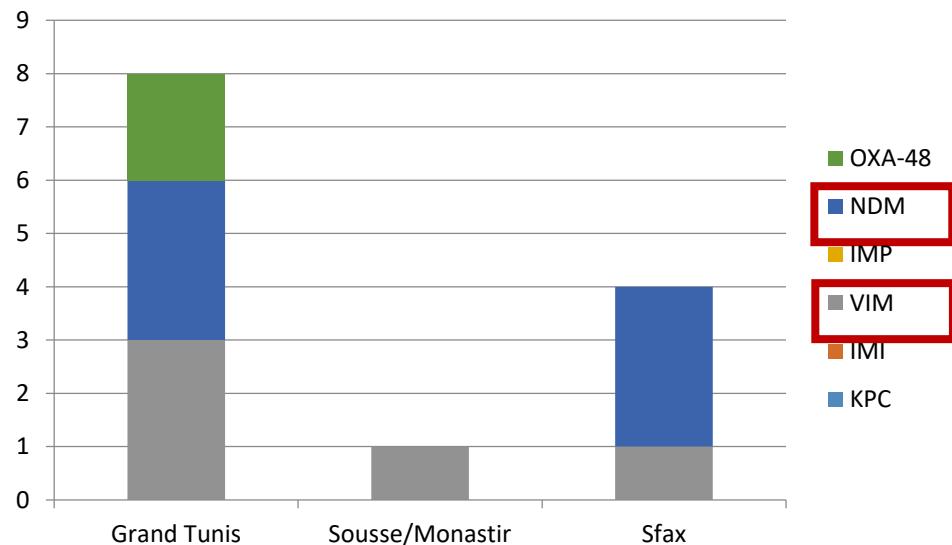


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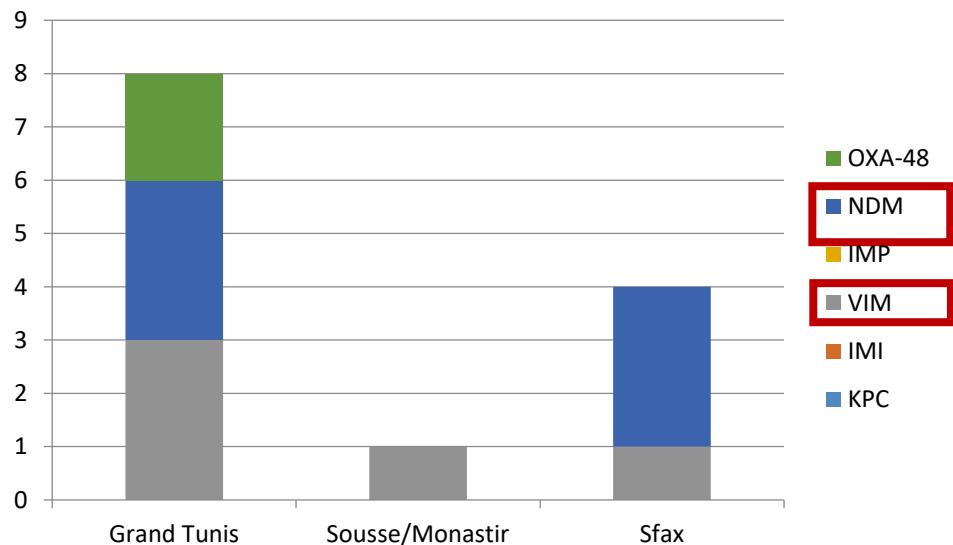
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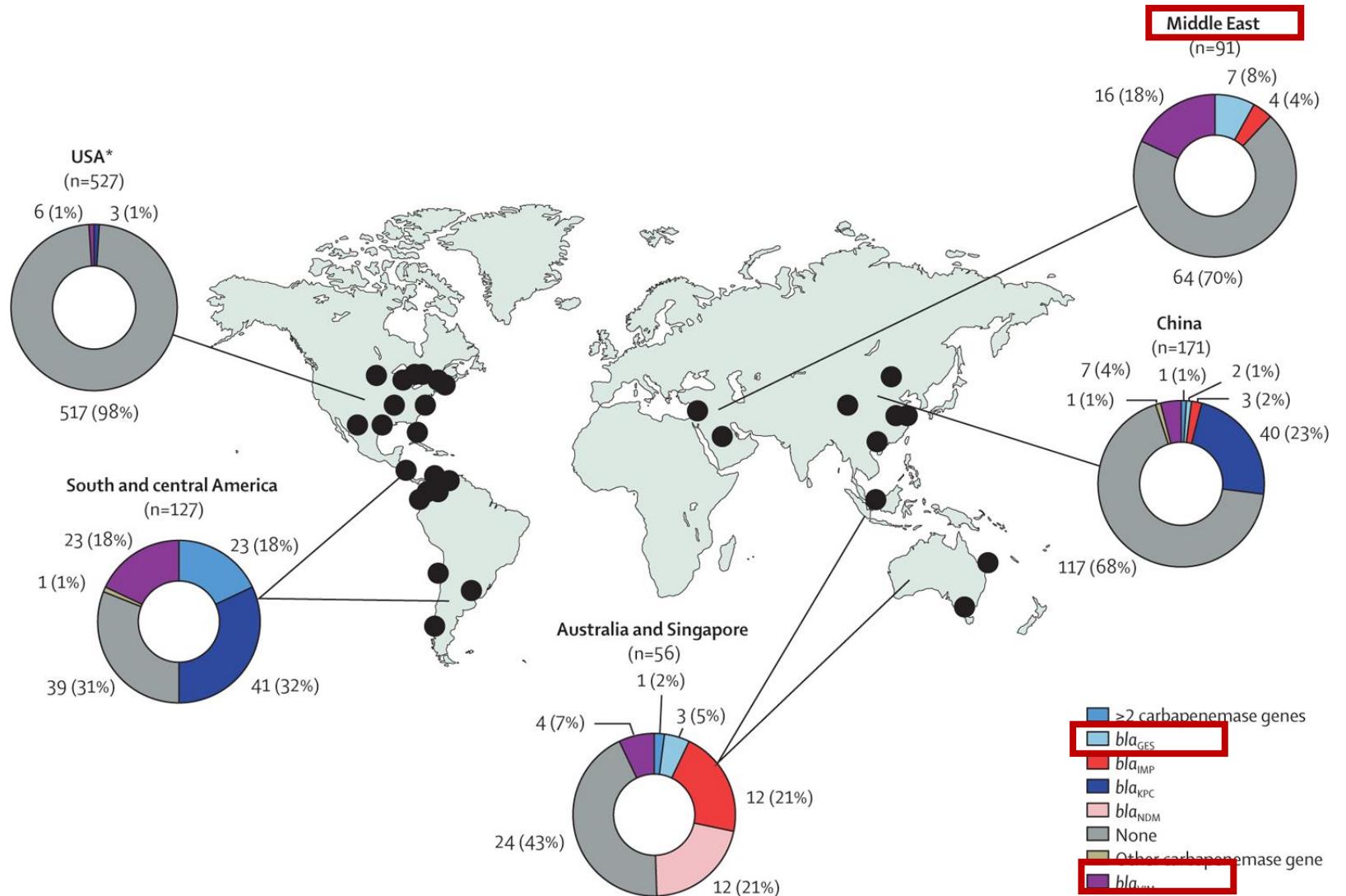
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# En cours de réalisation

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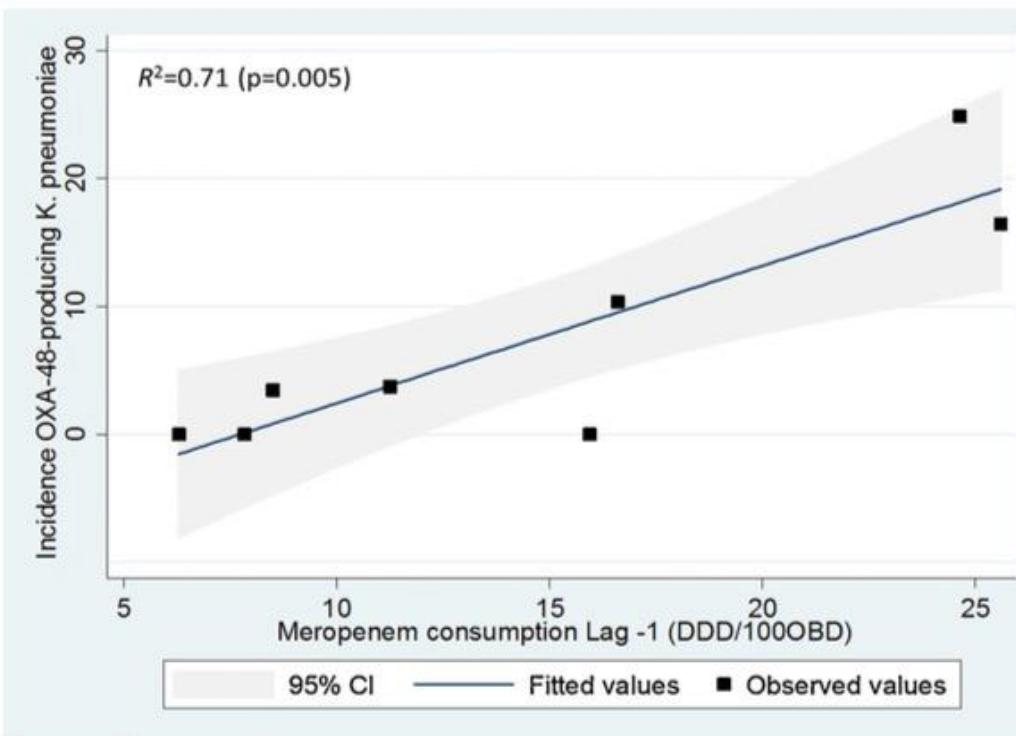
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# Corrélation consommation / R aux carbapénèmes



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