



Η επιδημιολογία της αντιμικροβιακής αντοχής στην Ελλάδα



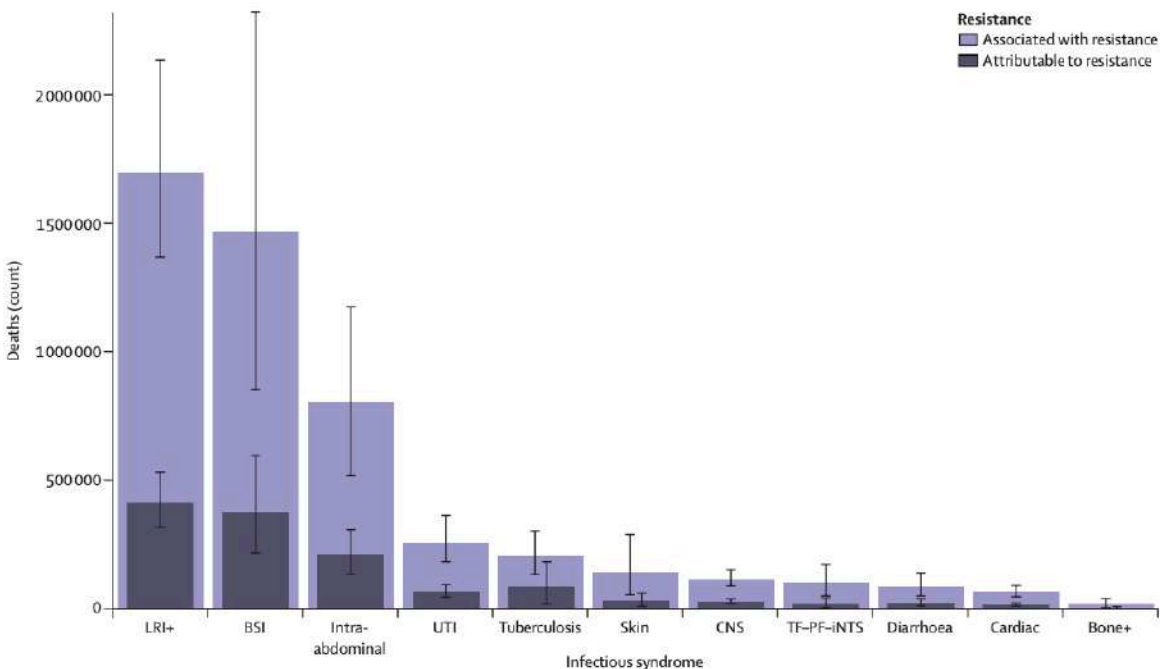
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The burden of bacterial antimicrobial resistance



Antimicrobial Resistance Collaborators. Lancet. 2022; 399 (10325): 629-655.

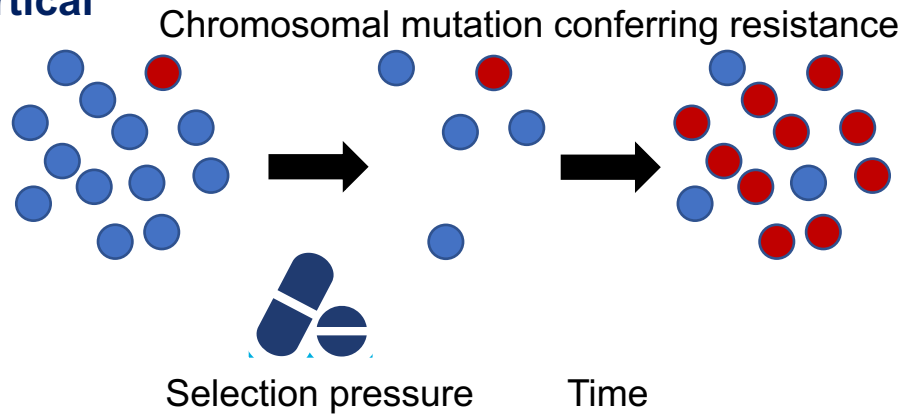
	Associated with AMR				Attributable to AMR			
	Deaths		DALYs		Deaths		DALYs	
	Counts	Rate, per 100 000 population	Counts	Rate, per 100 000 population	Counts	Rate, per 100 000 population	Counts	Rate, per 100 000 population
BSI	195 000 (104 000–333 000)	20.9 (11.1–35.8)	4 180 000 (2 270 000–6 870 000)	448.3 (243.5–737.3)	47 200 (24 700–79 300)	5.1 (2.7–8.5)	1 020 000 (566 000–1 670 000)	109.4 (60.7–178.9)
Bacterial skin infections	14 300 (5 700–30 000)	1.3 (0.6–3.2)	258 000 (106 000–557 000)	27.7 (11.3–59.8)	3 080 (1 180–6 700)	0.3 (0.1–0.7)	56 000 (22 100–124 000)	6.0 (2.4–13.3)
Bone and joint infections	1 530 (477–3 500)	0.2 (0.1–0.4)	31 100 (9 210–72 100)	3.3 (1.0–7.7)	342 (104–817)	0 (0–0.1)	7 020 (2 050–16 700)	0.8 (0.2–1.8)
CNS infections*	2 130 (1 380–3 640)	0.2 (0.1–0.4)	90 500 (59 400–148 000)	9.7 (6.4–15.8)	504 (322–902)	0.1 (0–0.1)	21 100 (13 600–34 900)	2.3 (1.5–3.7)
Cardiac infections	20 000 (13 200–29 400)	2.1 (1.4–3.2)	354 000 (242 000–525 000)	38.0 (25.9–56.3)	4 670 (3 030–7 000)	0.5 (0.3–0.8)	83 600 (55 000–127 000)	9.0 (5.9–13.6)
Diarrhoea	649 (361–1 090)	0.1 (0–0.1)	42 200 (24 400–69 200)	4.5 (2.6–7.4)	145 (78–252)	0 (0–0)	7 780 (4 290–13 000)	0.8 (0.5–1.4)
Gonorrhoea and chlamydia	2 420 (1 380–3 870)	0.3 (0.1–0.4)	243 (70–492)	0 (0–0.1)
Intra-abdominal infections	127 000 (81 900–185 000)	13.7 (8.8–19.8)	2 860 000 (1 800 000–4 200 000)	307.2 (193.3–451.0)	31 200 (19 900–45 600)	3.3 (2.1–4.9)	708 000 (438 000–1 050 000)	76.0 (47.0–113.1)
LRI and thorax infections	120 000 (64 500–154 000)	12.9 (10.1–16.6)	2 760 000 (2 240 000–3 460 000)	296.0 (240.8–370.9)	28 500 (21 200–38 500)	3.1 (2.3–4.1)	656 000 (502 000–855 000)	70.4 (53.8–91.8)
Tuberculosis	11 800 (9 150–15 000)	1.3 (1.0–1.6)	501 000 (390 000–626 000)	53.7 (41.8–67.2)	5 670 (2 190–9 510)	0.6 (0.2–1.0)	219 000 (86 500–365 000)	23.5 (9.3–39.2)
Typhoid, paratyphoid, and iNTS	67 (37–121)	0 (0–0)	3 130 (1 340–6 470)	0.3 (0.1–0.7)	13 (4–31)	0 (0–0)	629 (144–1 670)	0.1 (0–0.2)
UTI	48 700 (35 600–68 000)	5.2 (3.8–7.3)	833 000 (600 000–1 190 000)	89.4 (64.4–127.2)	11 500 (8 310–16 800)	1.2 (0.9–1.8)	201 000 (143 000–297 000)	21.6 (15.3–31.9)
All infectious syndromes	541 000 (370 000–763 000)	58.1 (39.7–81.9)	11 900 000 (8 190 000–16 700 000)	1278.5 (879.0–1794.0)	133 000 (90 100–188 000)	14.3 (9.7–20.2)	2 980 000 (2 020 000–4 210 000)	319.8 (216.5–451.8)

Data are estimates (95% uncertainty interval). Estimates were aggregated across drugs, accounting for the co-occurrence of resistance to multiple drugs. For gonorrhoea and chlamydia, we did not estimate the fatal burden, thus only the DALY burden is presented. AMR=antimicrobial resistance. BSI=bloodstream infections. DALYs=disability-adjusted life-years. LRI=lower respiratory infections. iNTS=invasive non-typhoidal salmonellae. UTI=urinary tract infections. *Includes meningitis.

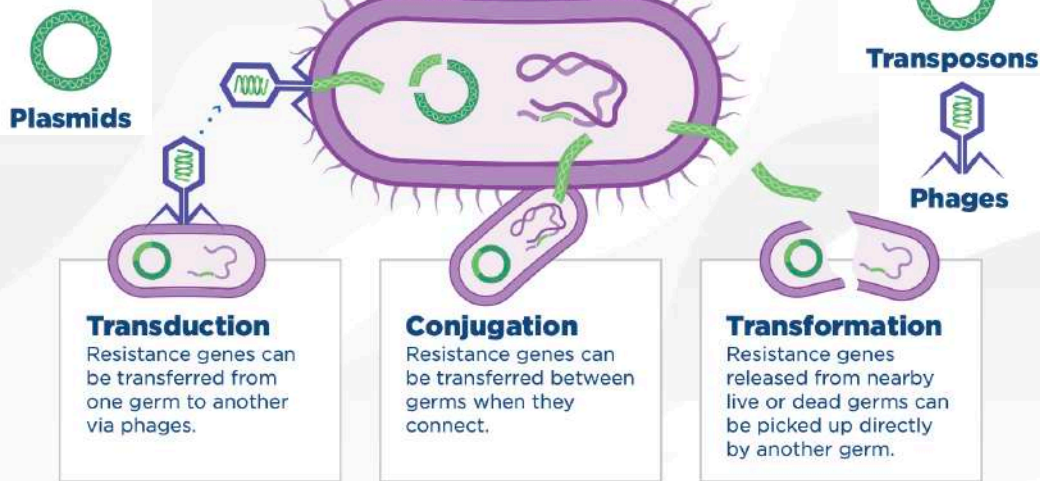
European Antimicrobial Resistance Collaborators. Lancet Public Health. 2022;7(11):e897-e913.

How resistance happens

Vertical



Horizontal



Germs develop new cell processes that avoid using the antibiotic's target.

Germs change or destroy the antibiotics with enzymes, proteins that break down the drug.

Germs restrict access by changing the entryways or limiting the number of entryways.

Target bypass/
protection
low affinity DHPS,
additional B subunit
DNA gyrase

ESBLs
Carbapenemases
Acetyl-, phosphoryl-,
adenyl-transferases

Porin loss/ selectivity
Thicker outer membrane
(VISA)
Biofilm

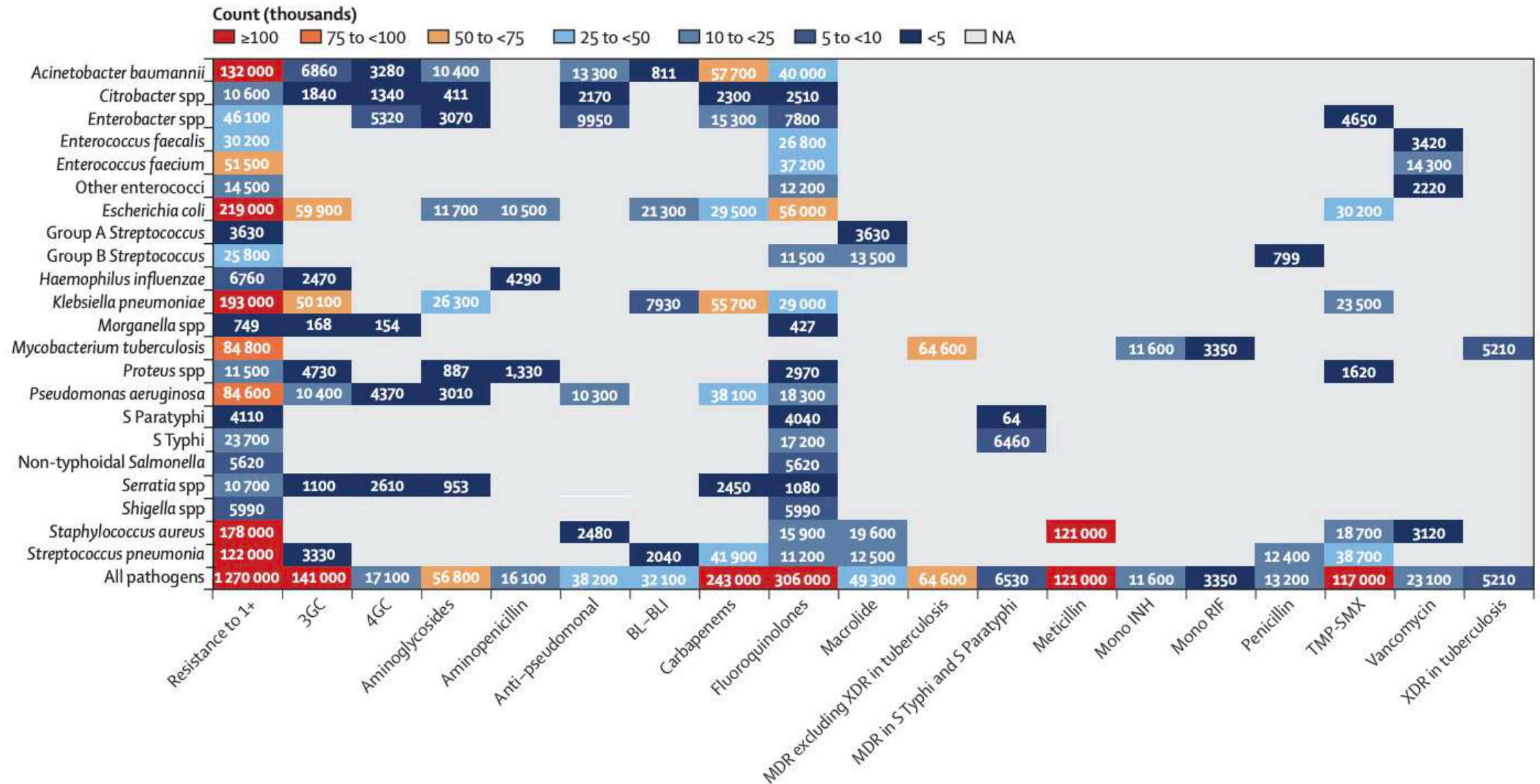
Low affinity PBP
rRNA methylation
DNA gyrase/ topoisomerase IV

Efflux pumps

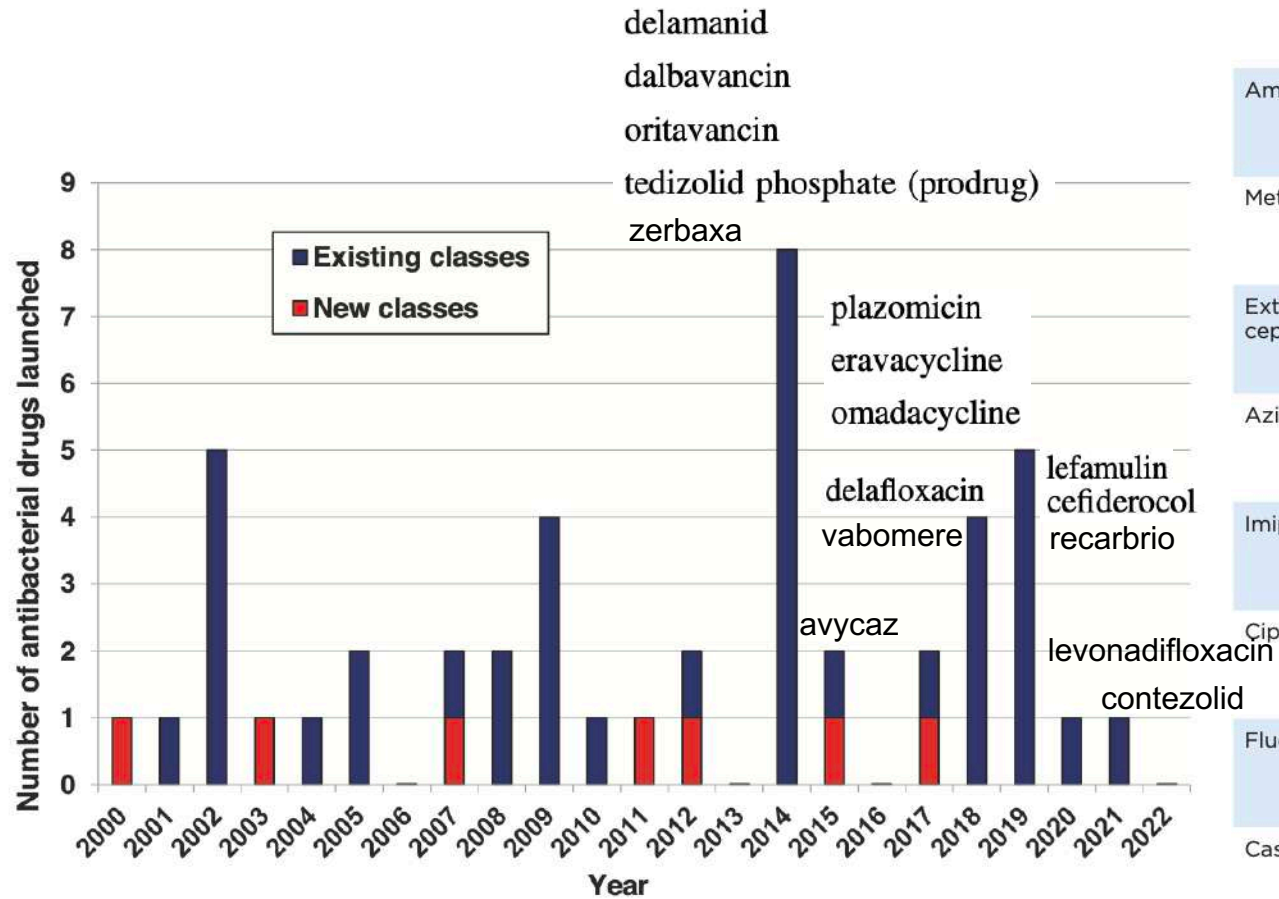
Germs change the antibiotic's target so the drug can no longer fit and do its job.

Germs get rid of antibiotics using pumps.

Attributable mortality: which pathogens?



AMR: An ongoing process



Butler MS, et al. J Antibiot (Tokyo). 2023;76(8):431-473.

Antibiotic Approved or Released	Year Released	Resistant Germ Identified	Year Identified
Penicillin	1941	Penicillin-resistant <i>Staphylococcus aureus</i> ^{20, 21}	1942
		Penicillin-resistant <i>Streptococcus pneumoniae</i> ^{9, 10}	1967
		Penicillinase-producing <i>Neisseria gonorrhoeae</i> ¹¹	1976
Vancomycin	1958	Plasmid-mediated vancomycin-resistant <i>Enterococcus faecium</i> ^{12, 13}	1988
		Vancomycin-resistant <i>Staphylococcus aureus</i> ¹⁴	2002
Amphotericin B	1959	Amphotericin B-resistant <i>Candida auris</i> ¹⁵	2016
Methicillin	1960	Methicillin-resistant <i>Staphylococcus aureus</i> ¹⁶	1960
Extended-spectrum cephalosporins	1980 (Cefotaxime)	Extended-spectrum beta-lactamase-producing <i>Escherichia coli</i> ¹⁷	1983
		Azithromycin-resistant <i>Neisseria gonorrhoeae</i> ¹⁸	2011
Azithromycin	1980	Azithromycin-resistant <i>Neisseria gonorrhoeae</i> ¹⁸	2011
Imipenem	1985	<i>Klebsiella pneumoniae</i> carbapenemase (KPC)-producing <i>Klebsiella pneumoniae</i> ¹⁹	1996
		Ciprofloxacin-resistant <i>Neisseria gonorrhoeae</i> ²⁰	2007
Ciprofloxacin	1987	Ciprofloxacin-resistant <i>Neisseria gonorrhoeae</i> ²⁰	2007
Fluconazole	1990 (FDA approved)	Fluconazole-resistant <i>Candida</i> ²¹	1988
Caspofungin	2001	Caspofungin-resistant <i>Candida</i> ²²	2004
Daptomycin	2003	Daptomycin-resistant methicillin-resistant <i>Staphylococcus aureus</i> ²³	2004
Ceftazidime-avibactam	2015	Ceftazidime-avibactam-resistant KPC-producing <i>Klebsiella pneumoniae</i> ²⁴	2015

<https://www.cdc.gov/drugresistance/about/how-resistance-happens.html>

BAD BUGS, NO DRUGS

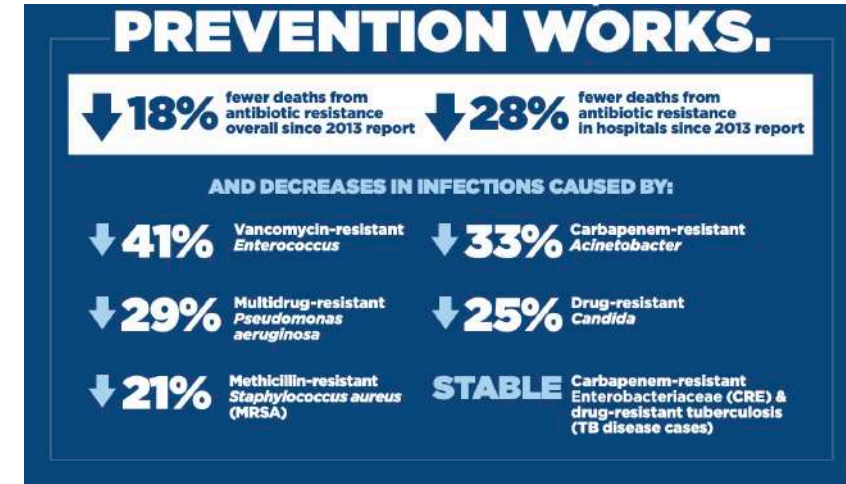


As Antibiotic Discovery Stagnates ...
A Public Health Crisis Advances

ANTIBIOTIC RESISTANCE THREATS
IN THE UNITED STATES



2019






















- E** *Enterococcus faecium*
- S** *Staphylococcus aureus*
- K** *Klebsiella pneumoniae*
- A** *Acinetobacter baumannii*
- P** *Pseudomonas aeruginosa*
- E** *Enterobacter Species*

Urgent Threats

- Carbapenem-resistant *Acinetobacter*
- *Candida auris* (*C. auris*)
- *Clostridioides difficile* (*C. difficile*)
- Carbapenem-resistant Enterobacteriaceae (CRE)
- Drug-resistant *Neisseria gonorrhoeae* (*N. gonorrhoeae*)

Cases over time from 2012–2017	↓ Decrease
Cases over time from 2015–2018	↑ Increase
Cases over time from 2012–2017	Stable
Resistance over time from 2000–2017	↑ Increase

Fungal Priority Pathogens List (FPPL)- 2022 update

Critical group	High group	Medium group
 <i>Cryptococcus neoformans</i>	 <i>Nakaseomyces glabrata</i> (<i>Candida glabrata</i>)	 <i>Scedosporium</i> spp.
 <i>Candida auris</i>	 <i>Histoplasma</i> spp.	 <i>Lomentospora prolificans</i>
 <i>Aspergillus fumigatus</i>	 Eumycetoma causative agents	 <i>Coccidioides</i> spp.
 <i>Candida albicans</i>	 Mucorales	 <i>Pichia kudriavzevii</i> (<i>Candida krusei</i>)
	 <i>Fusarium</i> spp.	 <i>Cryptococcus gattii</i>
	 <i>Candida tropicalis</i>	 <i>Talaromyces marneffeii</i>
	 <i>Candida parapsilosis</i>	 <i>Pneumocystis jirovecii</i>
		 <i>Paracoccidioides</i> spp.

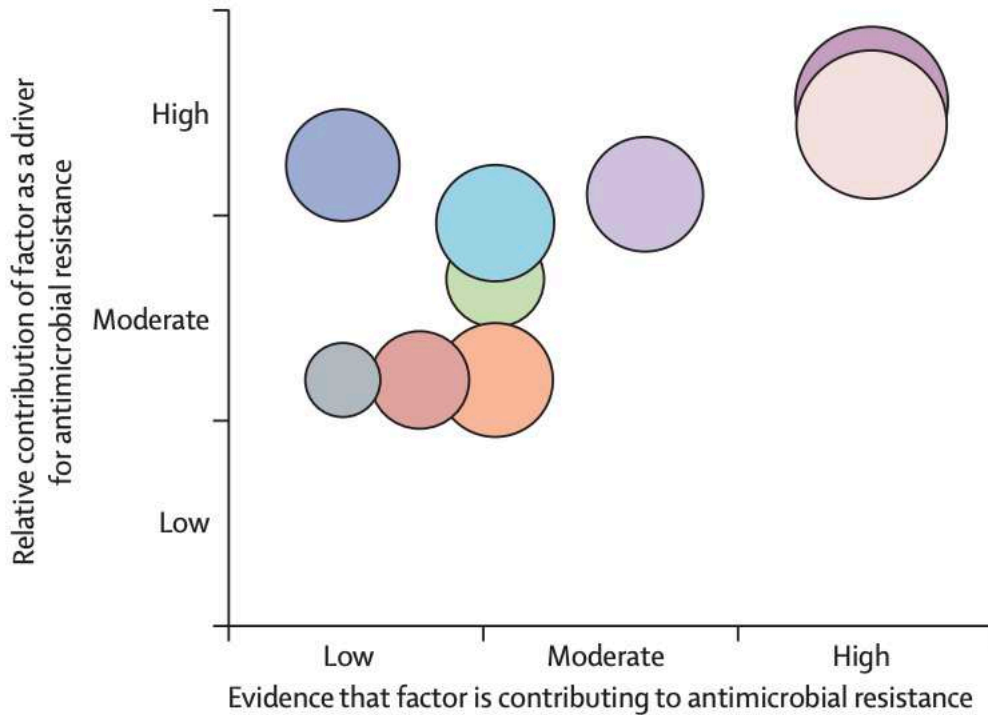
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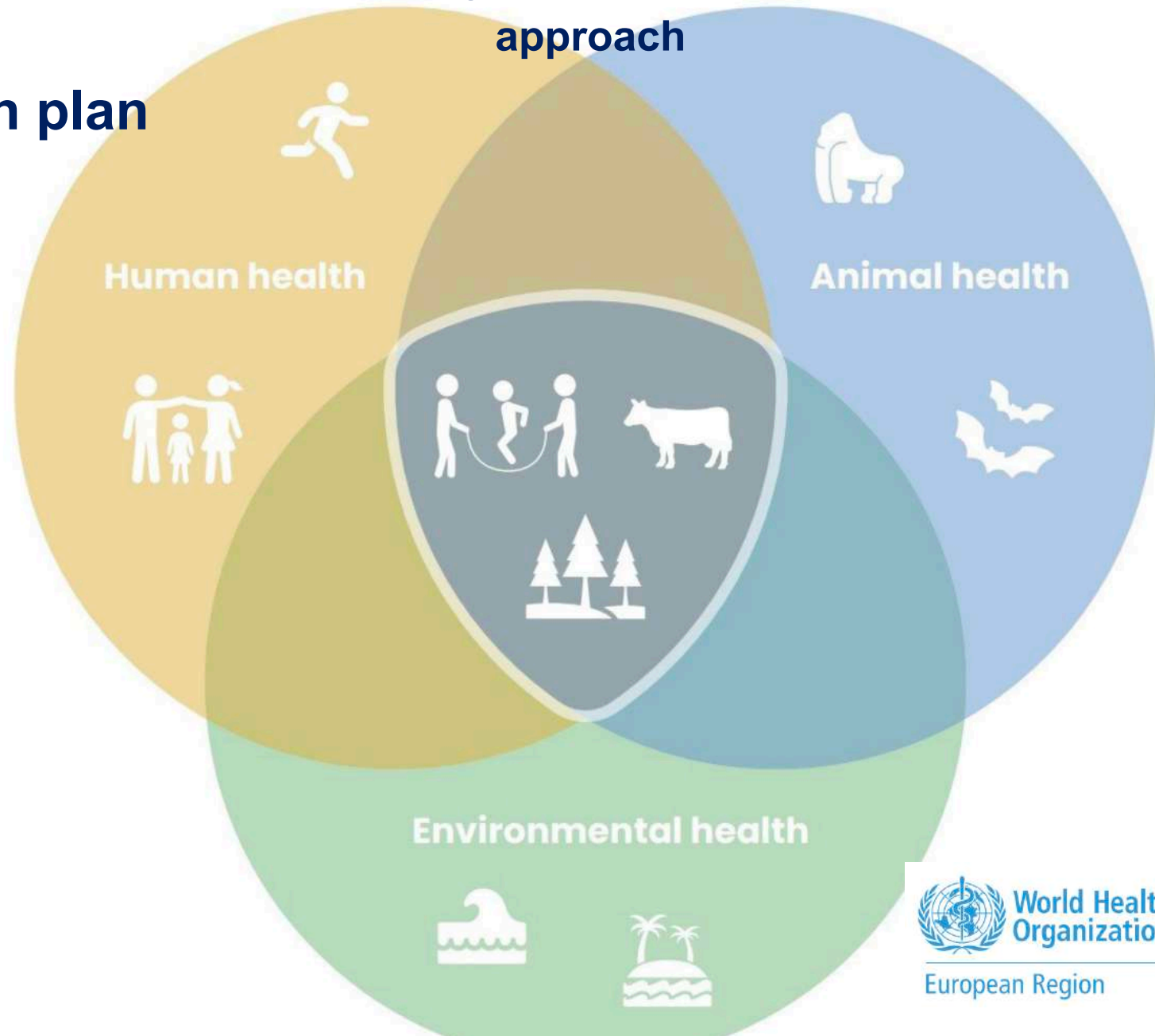
Multiple causes, one action plan

Main determinants of AMR

- Human antimicrobial misuse or overuse
- Animal antimicrobial misuse or overuse
- Environmental contamination
- Health-care transmission
- Suboptimal rapid diagnostics
- Suboptimal vaccination
- Suboptimal dosing, including from substandard and falsified drugs
- Travel
- Mass drug administration for human health



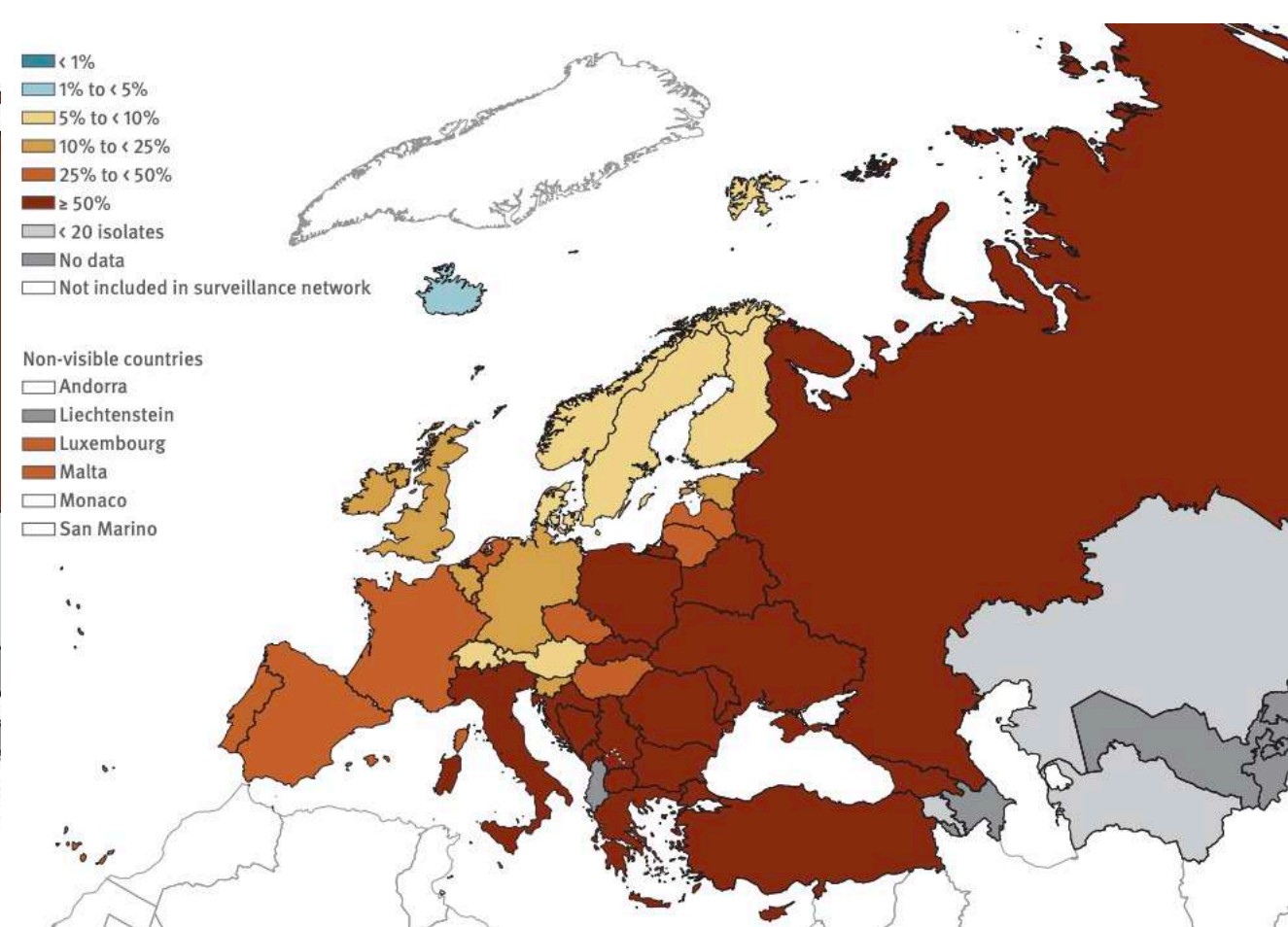
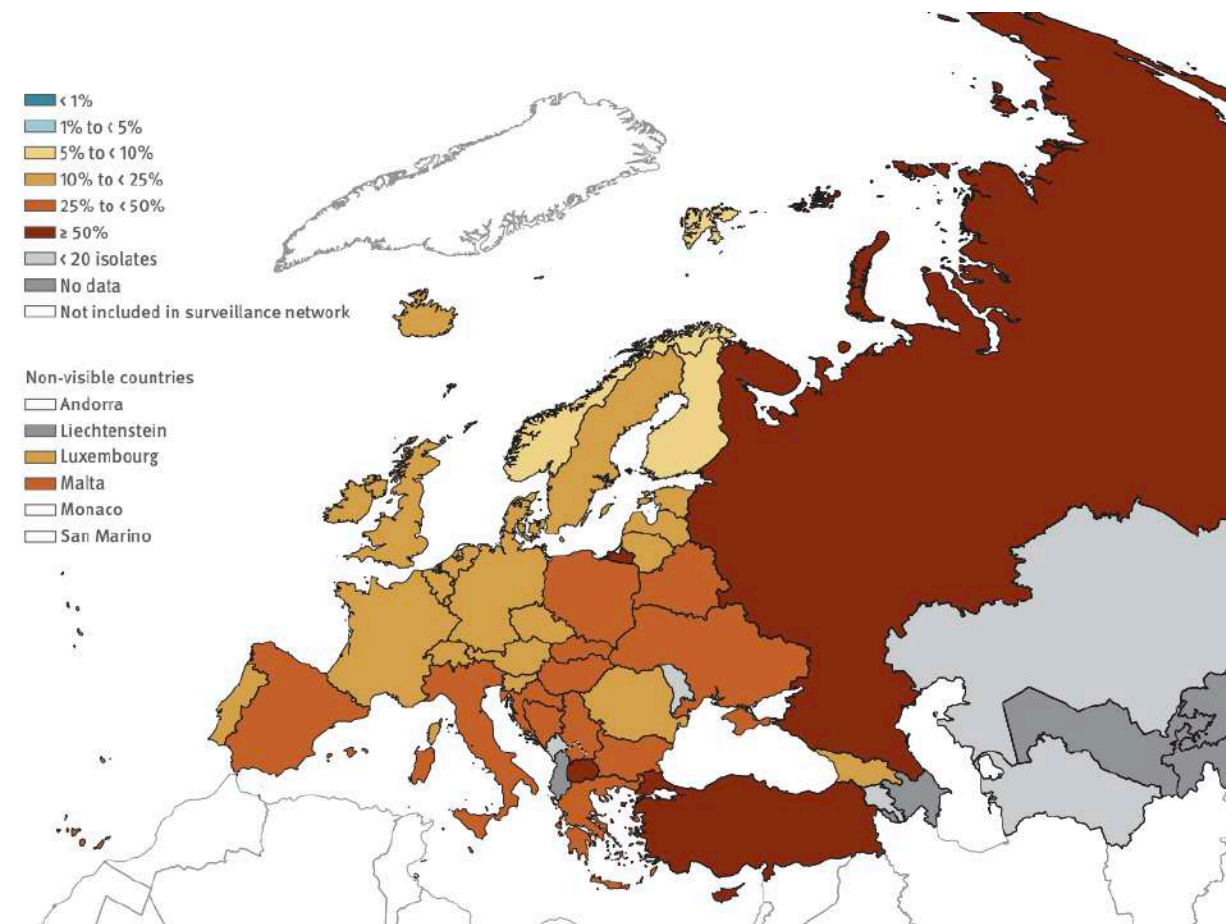
ONE HEALTH approach



Where are we now?

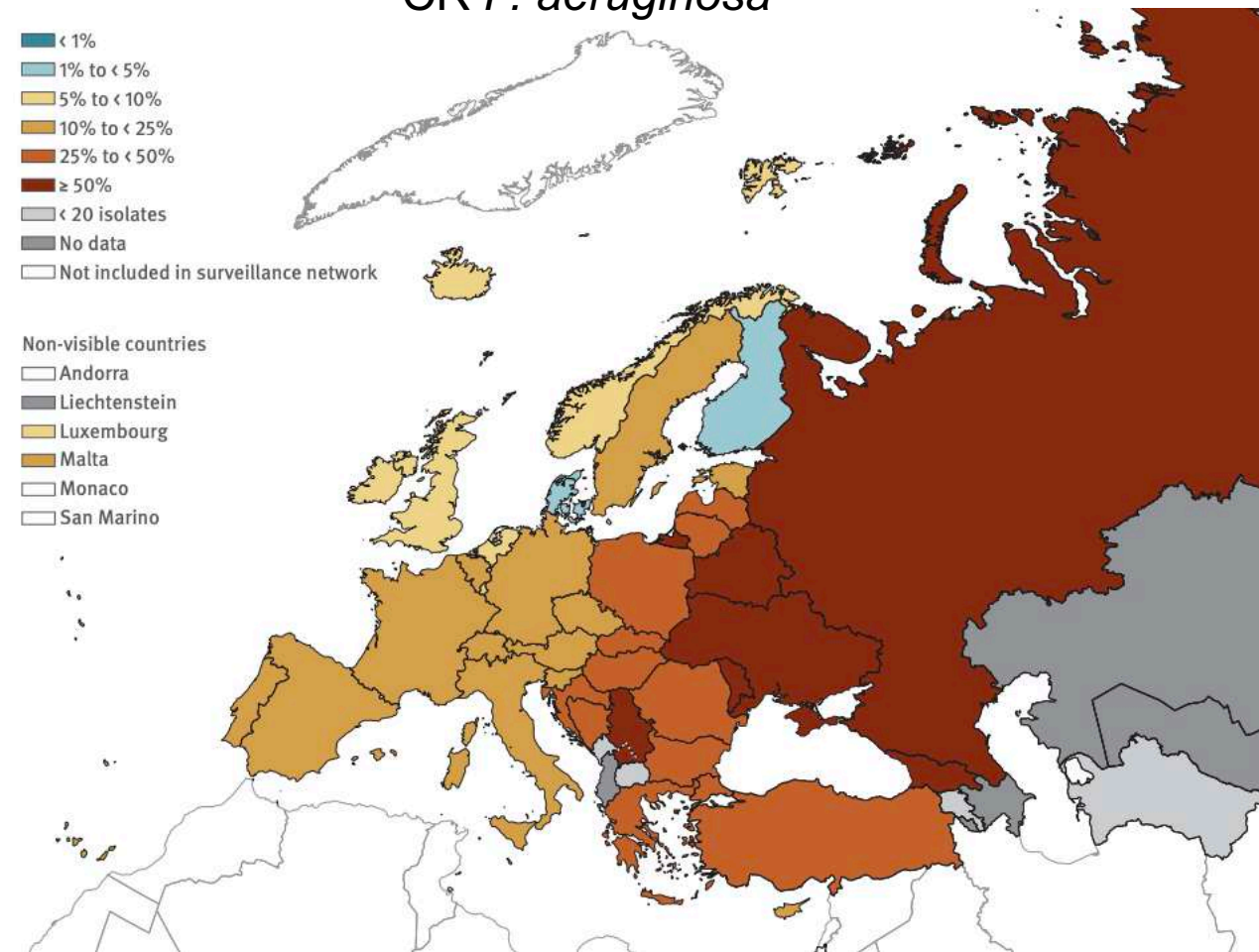
FQN-R *E. coli*

3GC-R *K. pneumoniae*

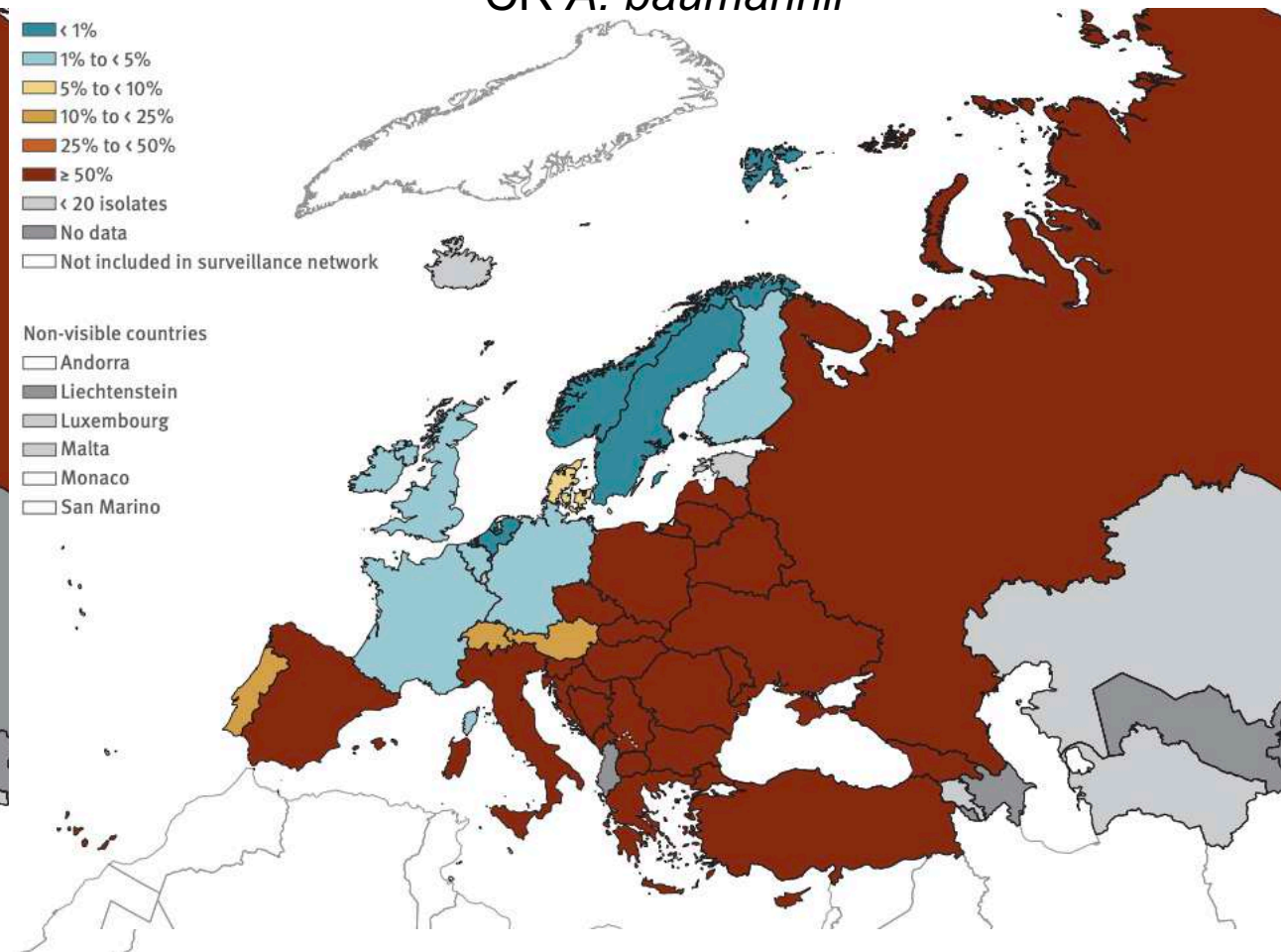


Where are we now?

CR *P. aeruginosa*



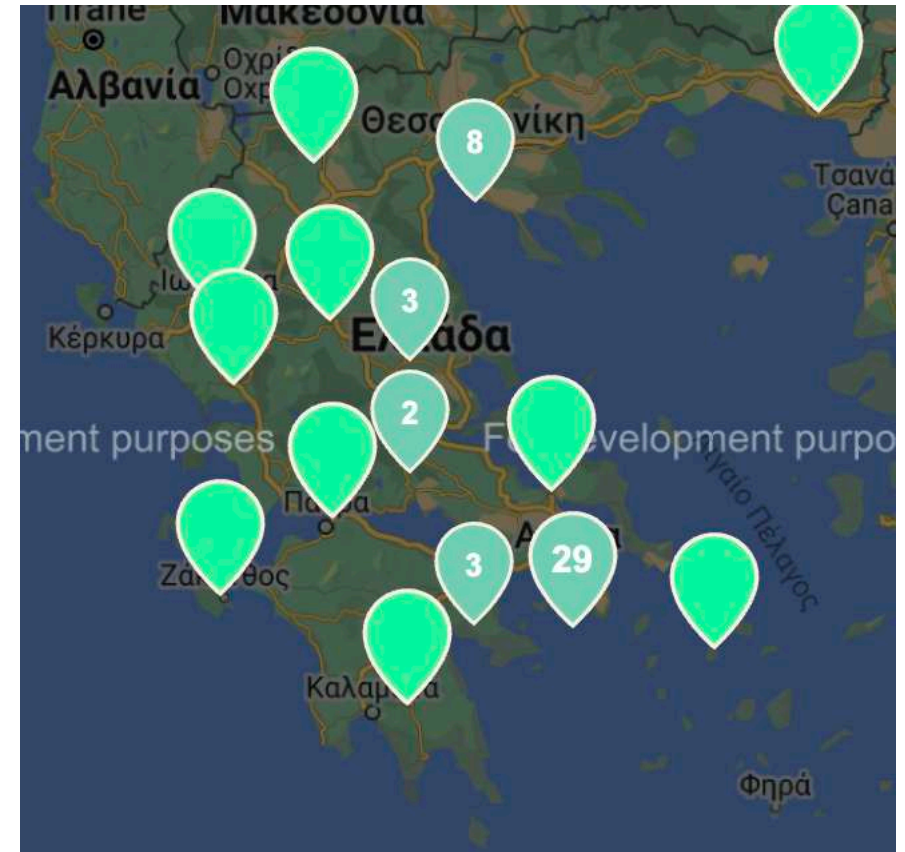
CR *A. baumannii*



Registry data

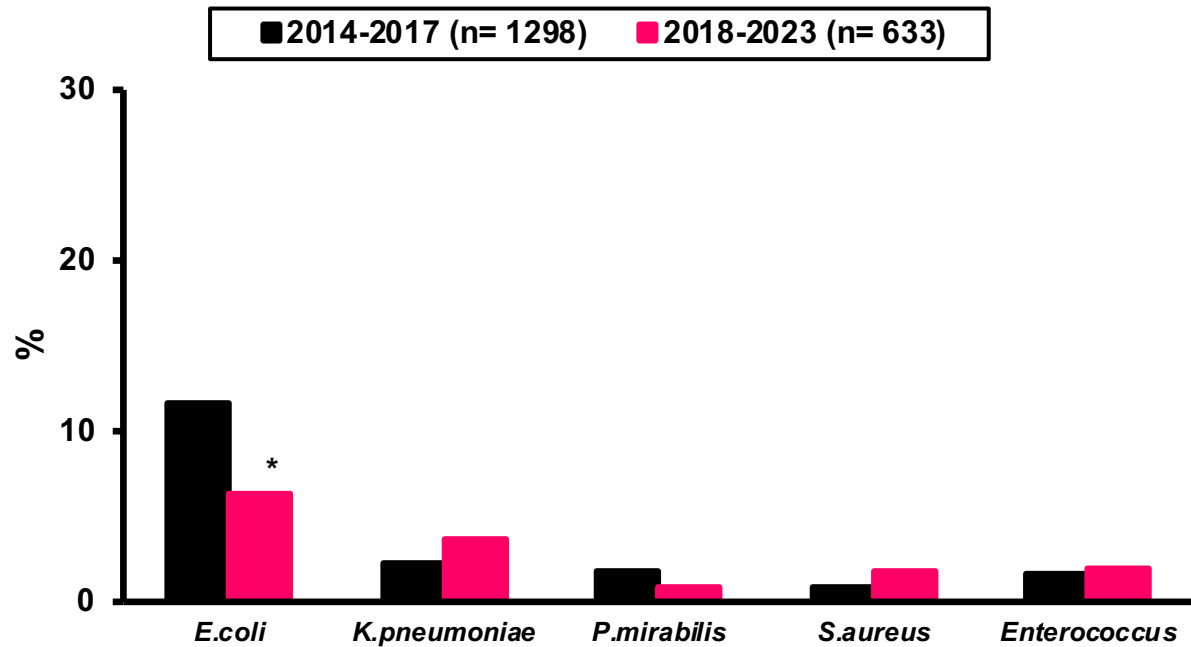
- Multi-center prospective observational study
- Since 2006
- >9000 patients with sepsis
- Ward and ICU

Hellenic Sepsis Study Group

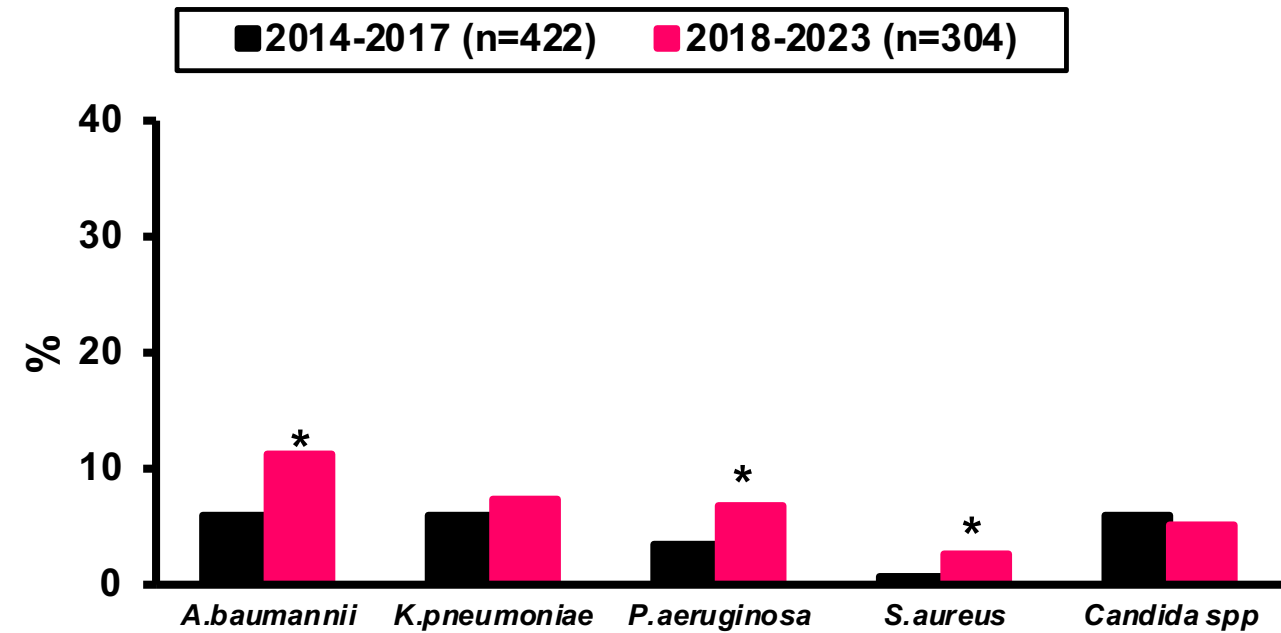


Most common pathogens in sepsis (blood cultures)

Ward



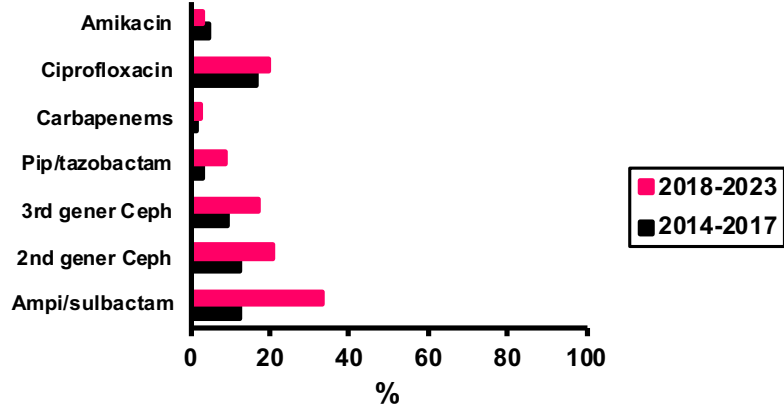
ICU



Resistance (%) profiles in the ward

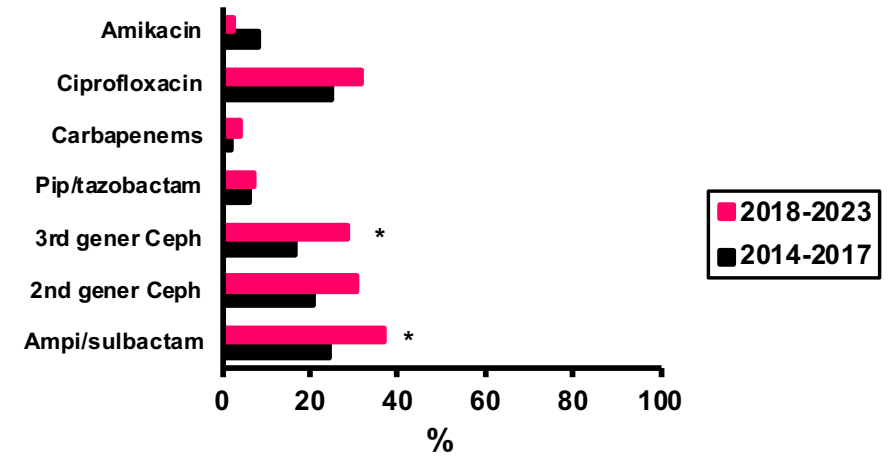
Blood

Escherichia coli

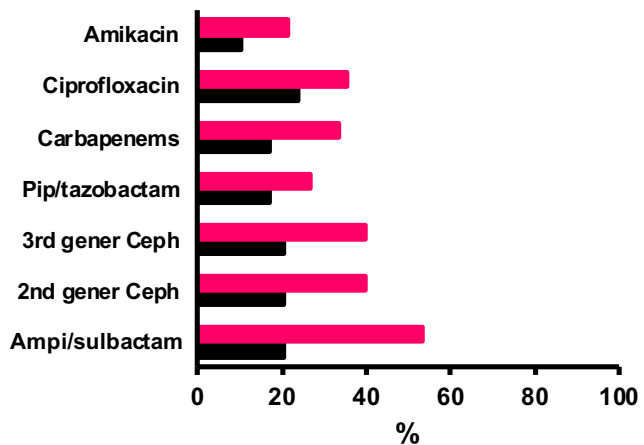


Urine

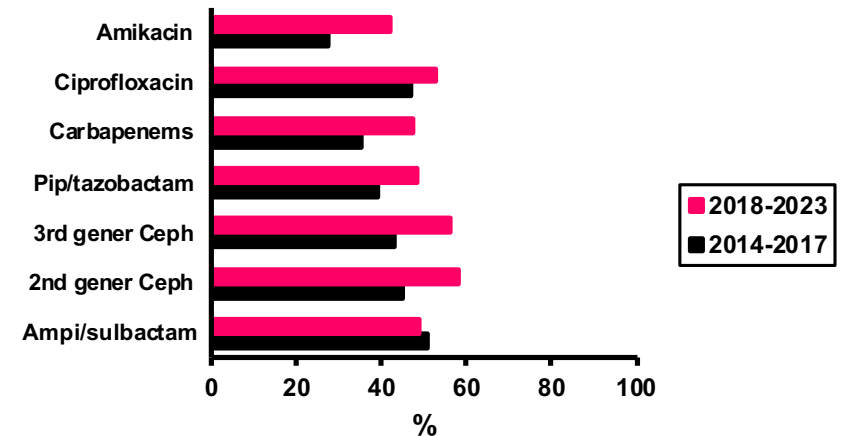
Escherichia coli



Klebsiella pneumoniae



Klebsiella pneumoniae

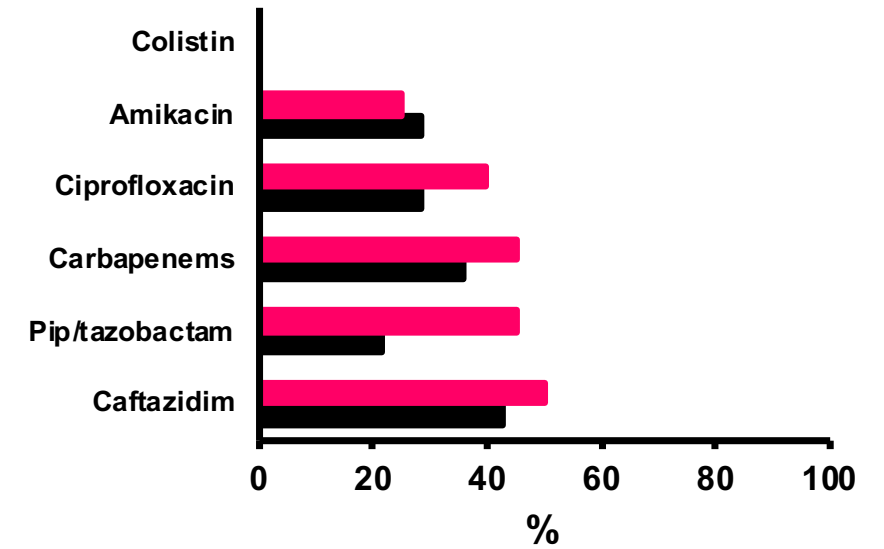
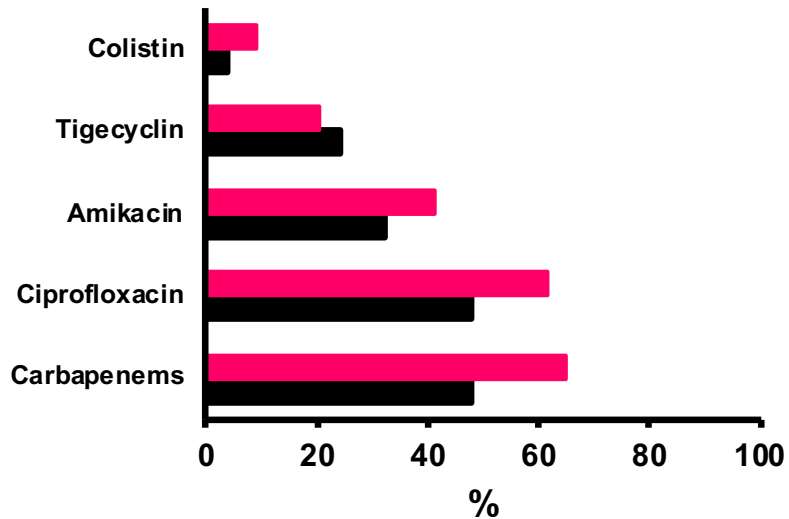


Resistance (%) profiles in the ICU (blood cultures)

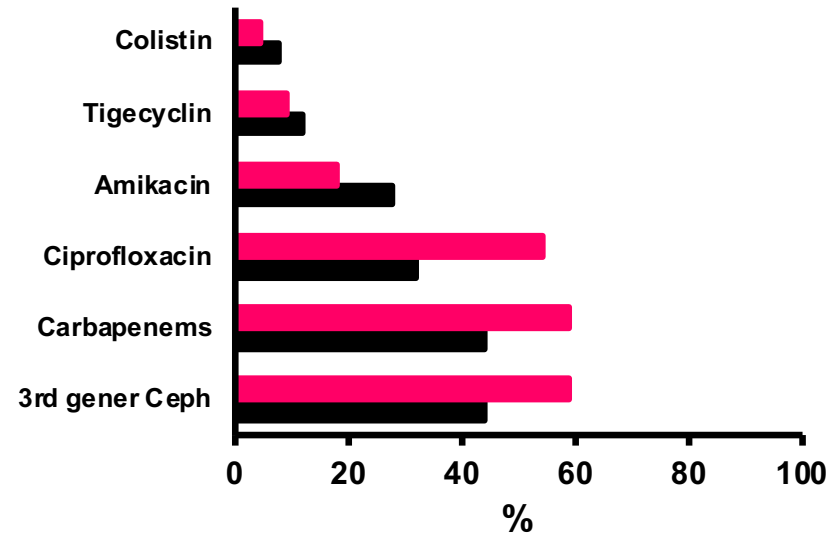
Acinetobacter baumannii



Pseudomonas aeruginosa



Klebsiella pneumoniae

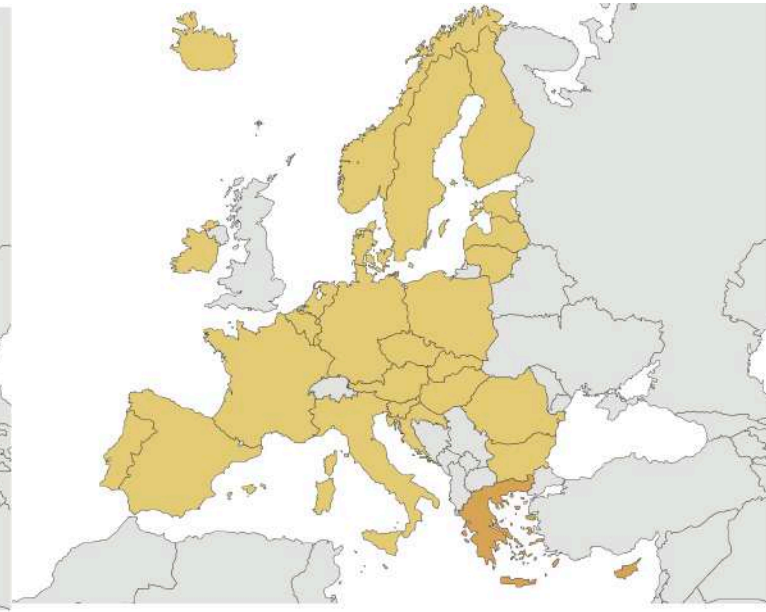
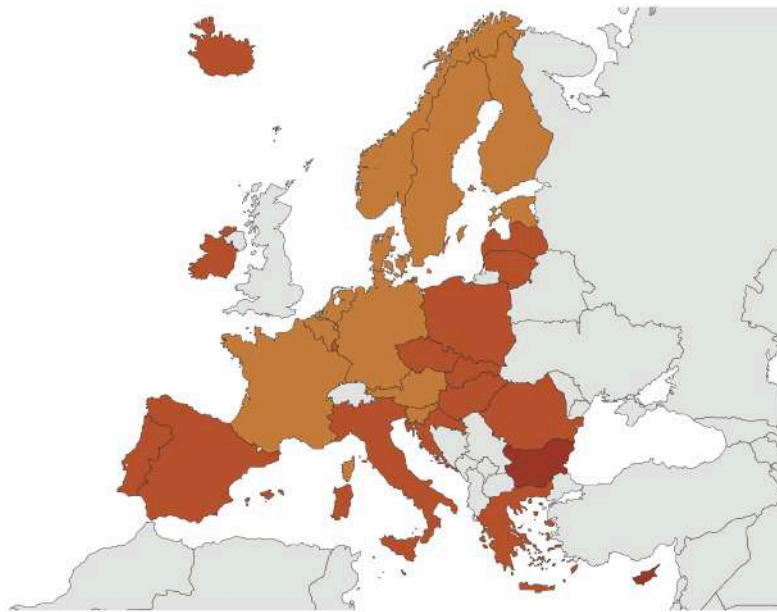
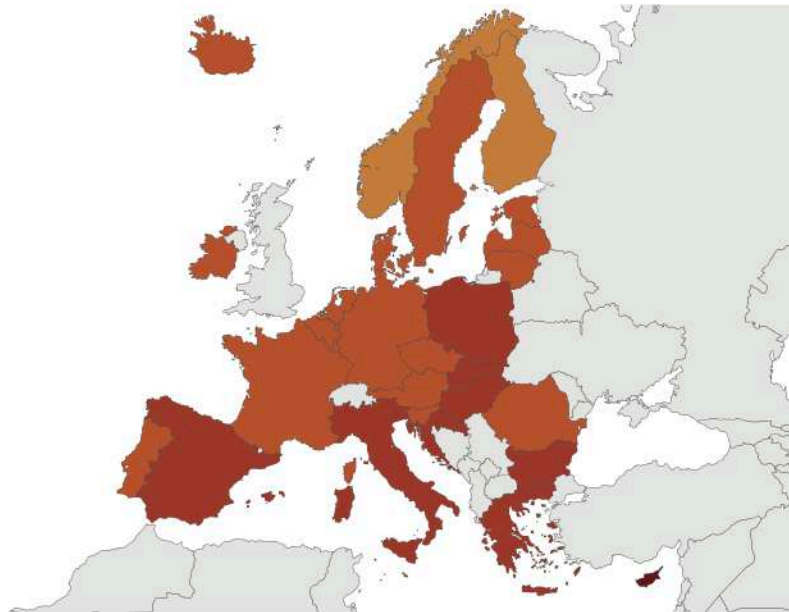
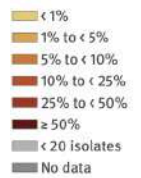


E. coli (%) resistance 2022

FQN-R

3GC-R

CR



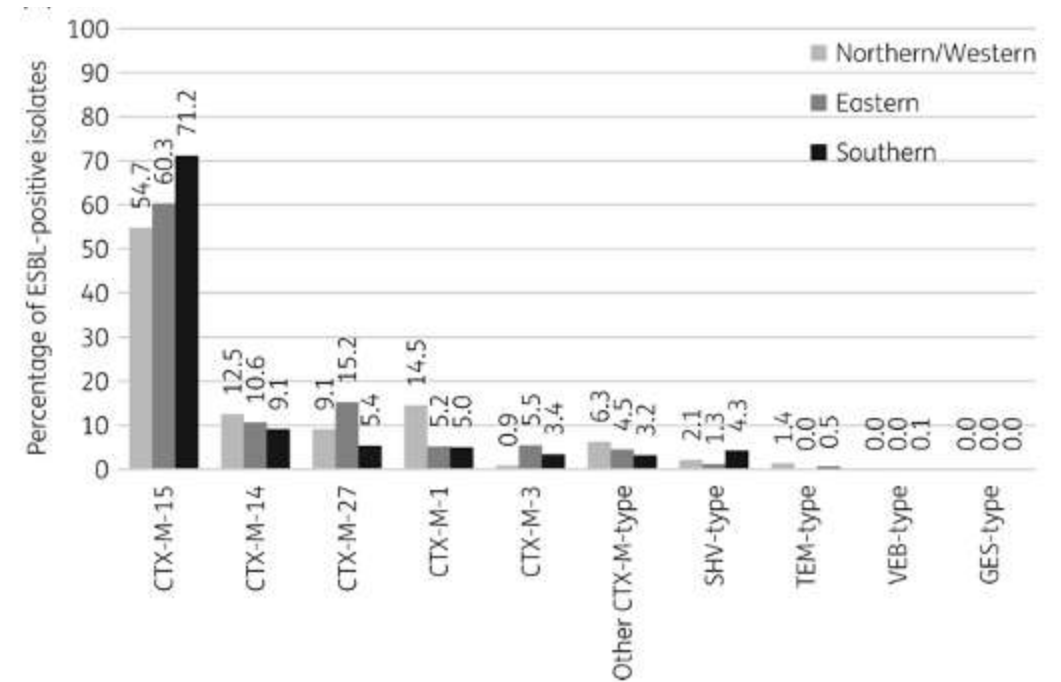
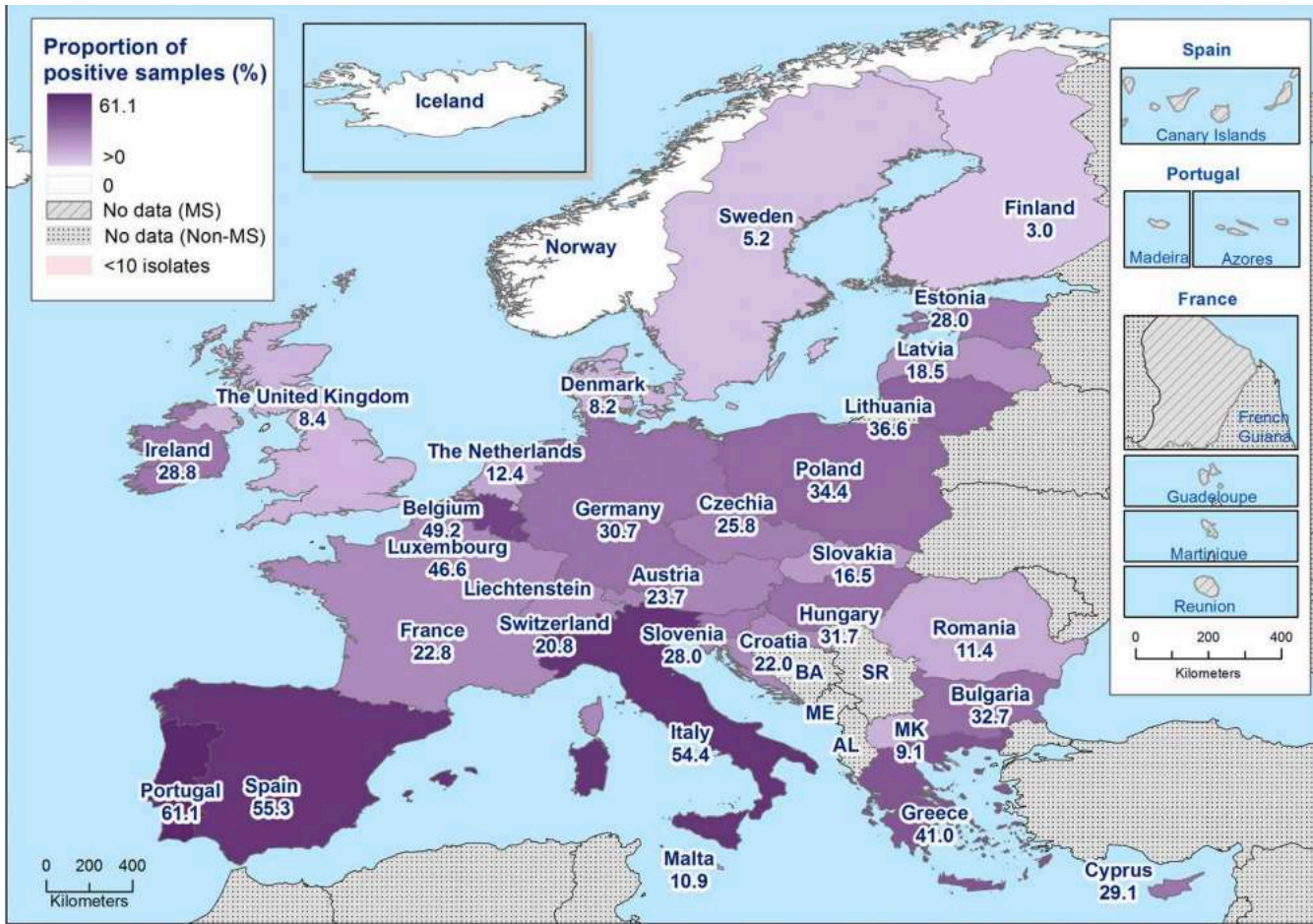
Greece: 37.8%

23.3%

1.5%

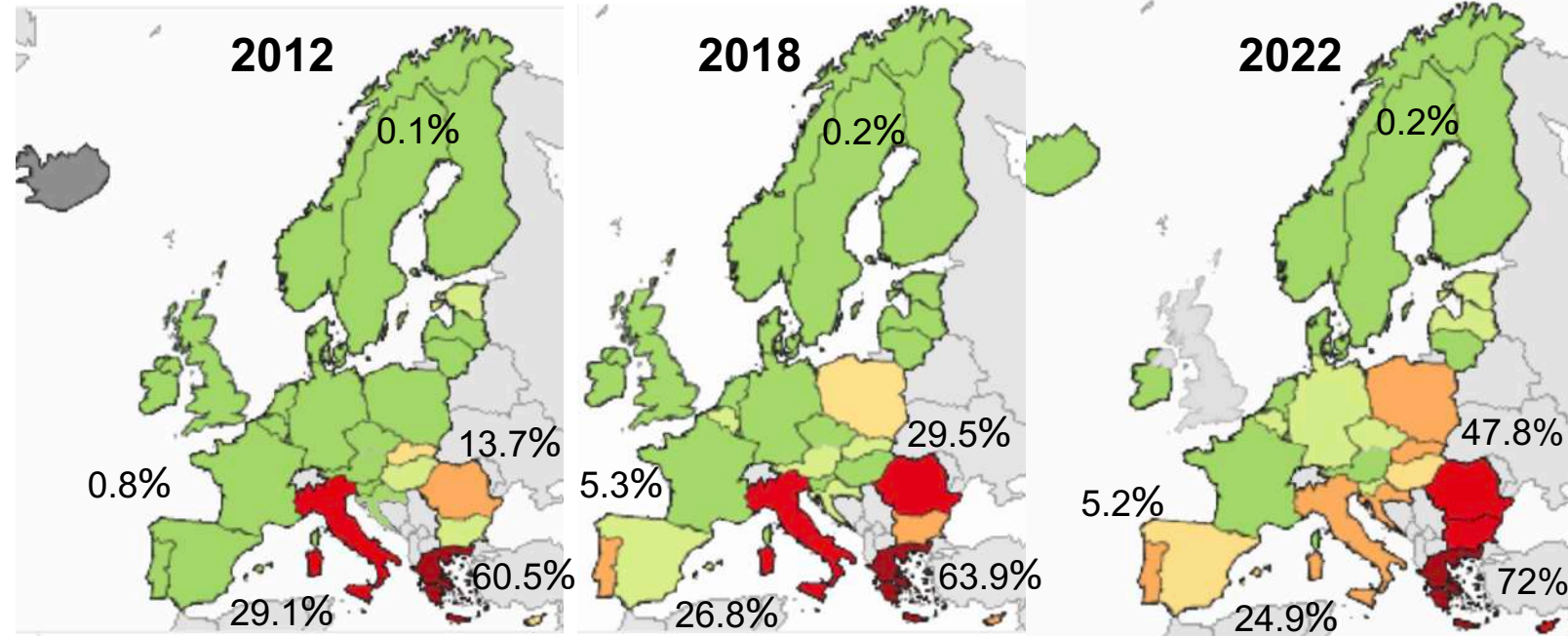
ESBL suspicion

Extended-Spectrum Beta-Lactamase (ESBL)- producing *E. coli*

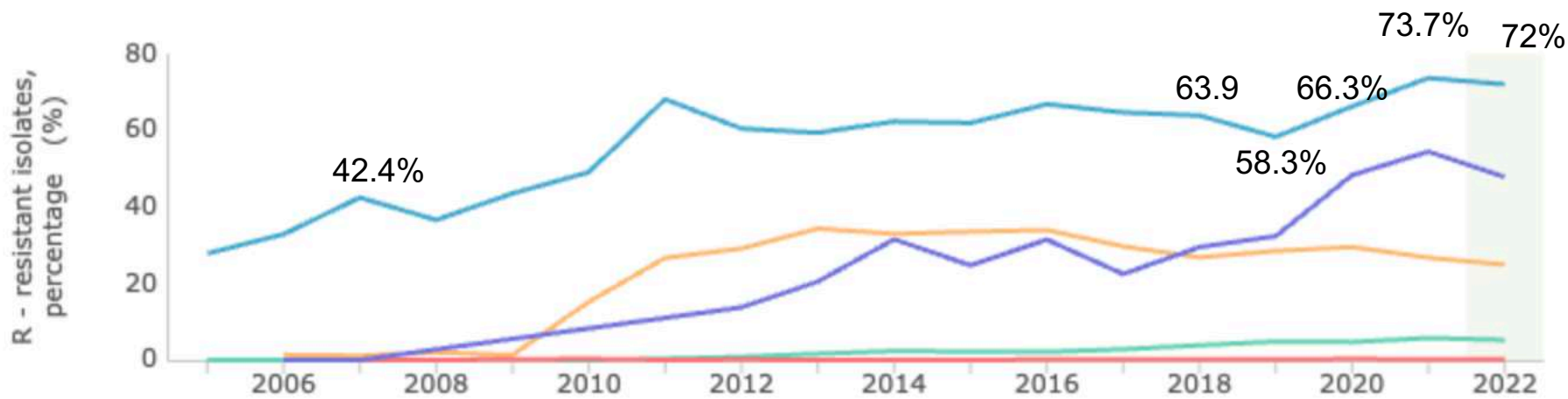


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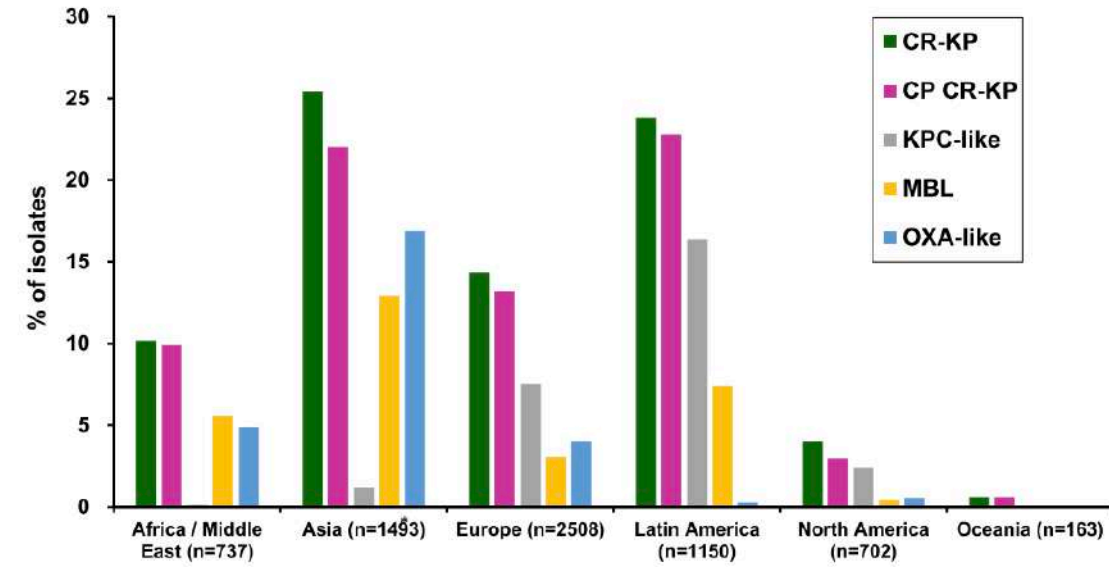
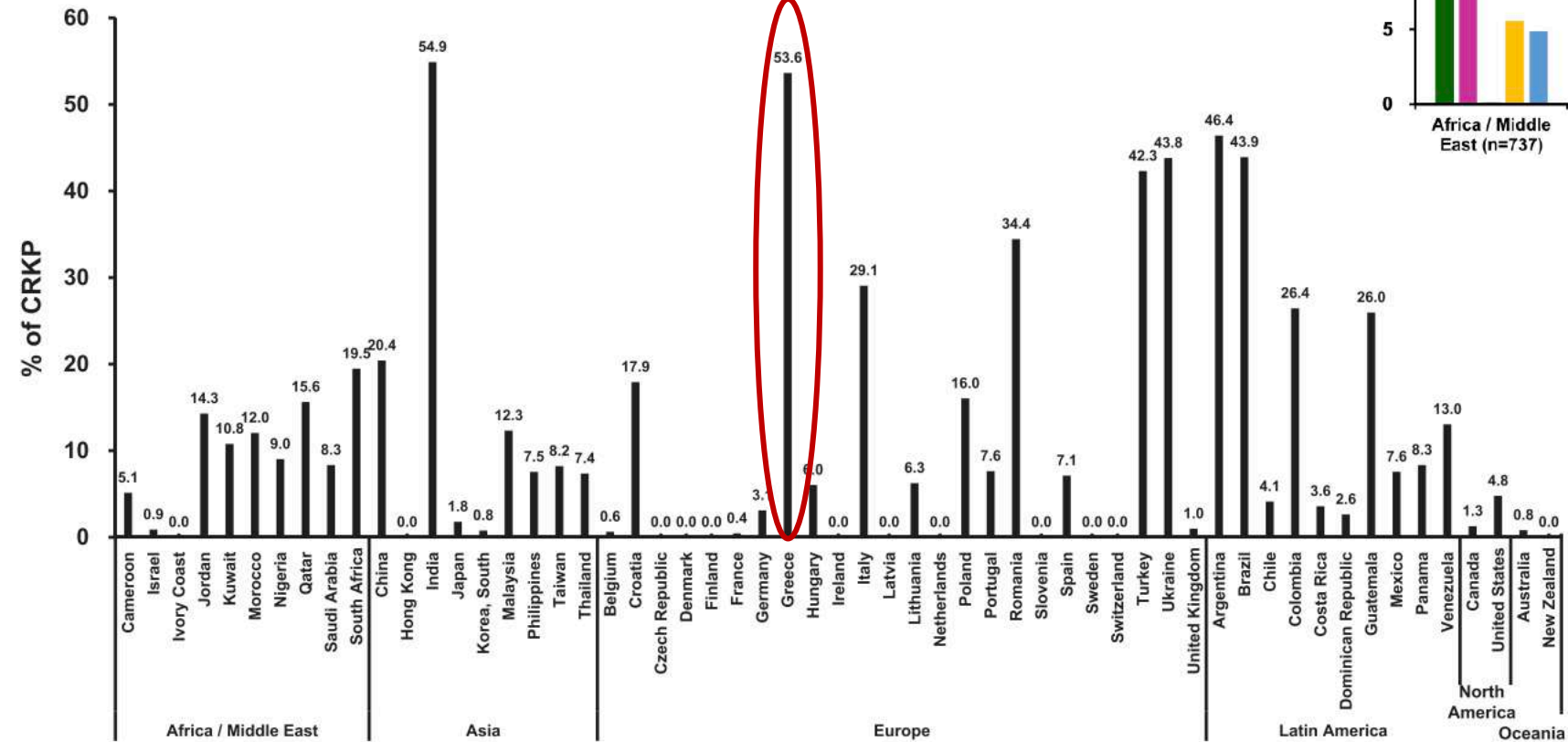
CR *K. pneumoniae* (%) resistance 2022



■ Greece
 ■ Italy
 ■ Spain
 ■ Sweden
 ■ Romania

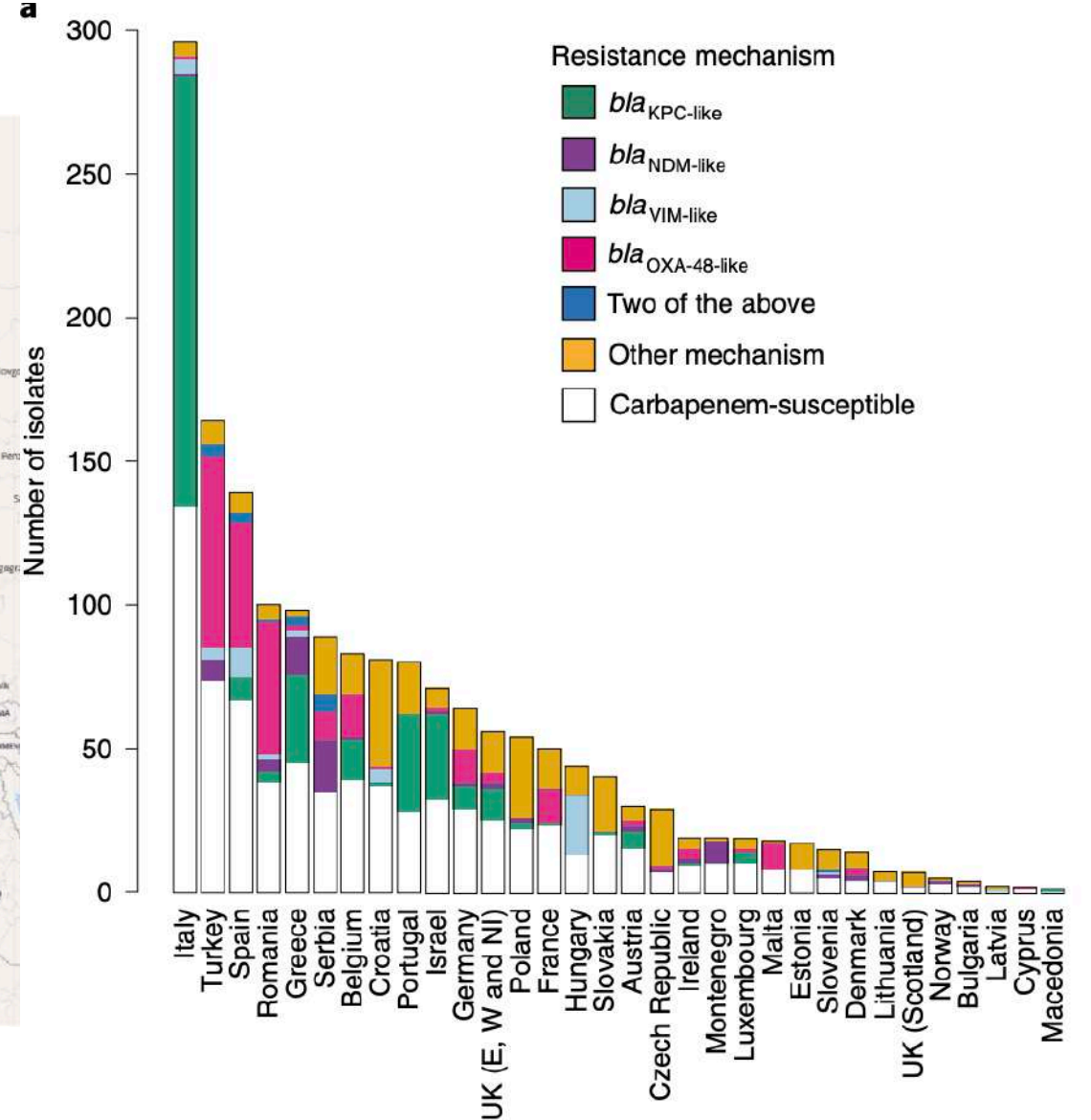
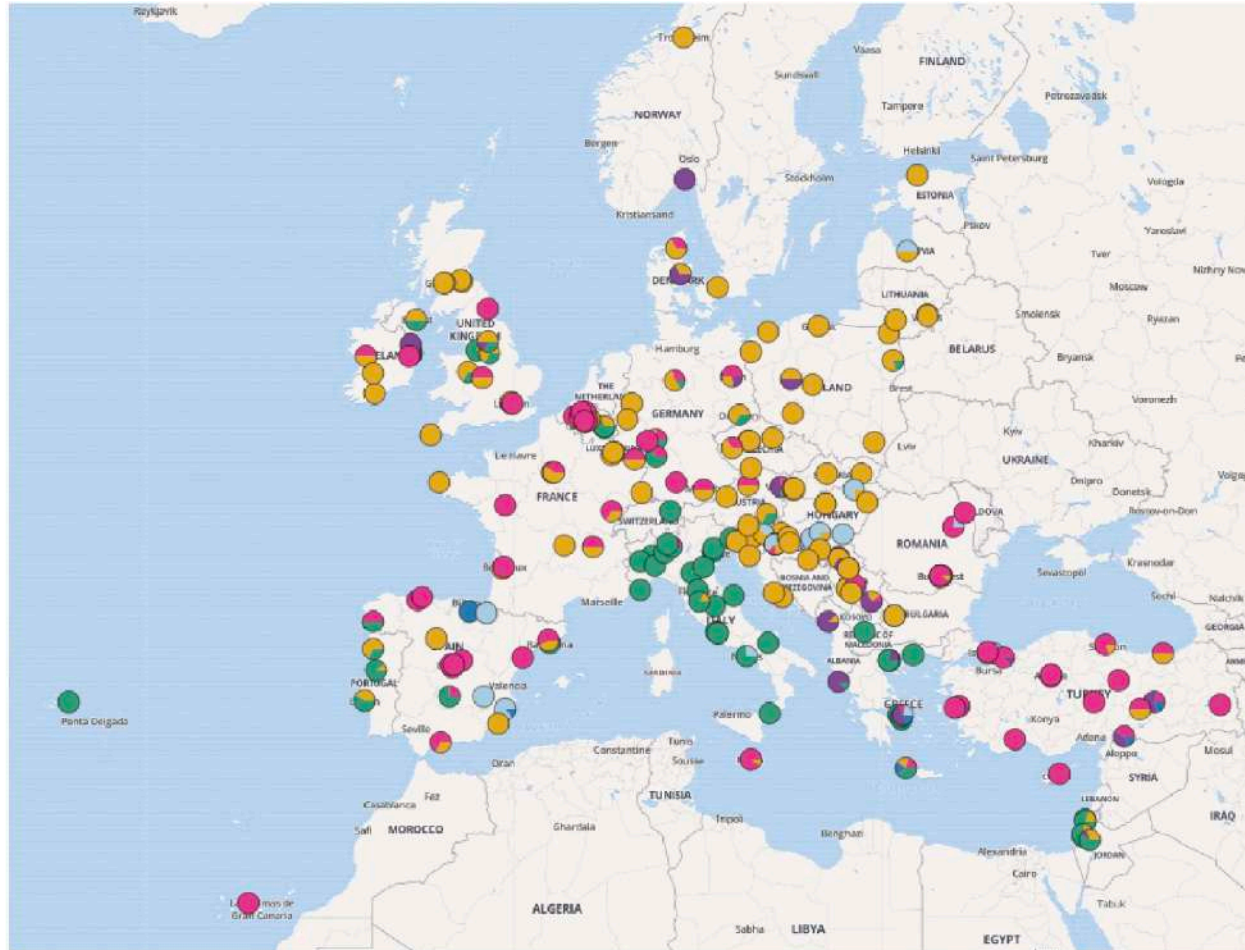


Global distribution of CR-KP isolates

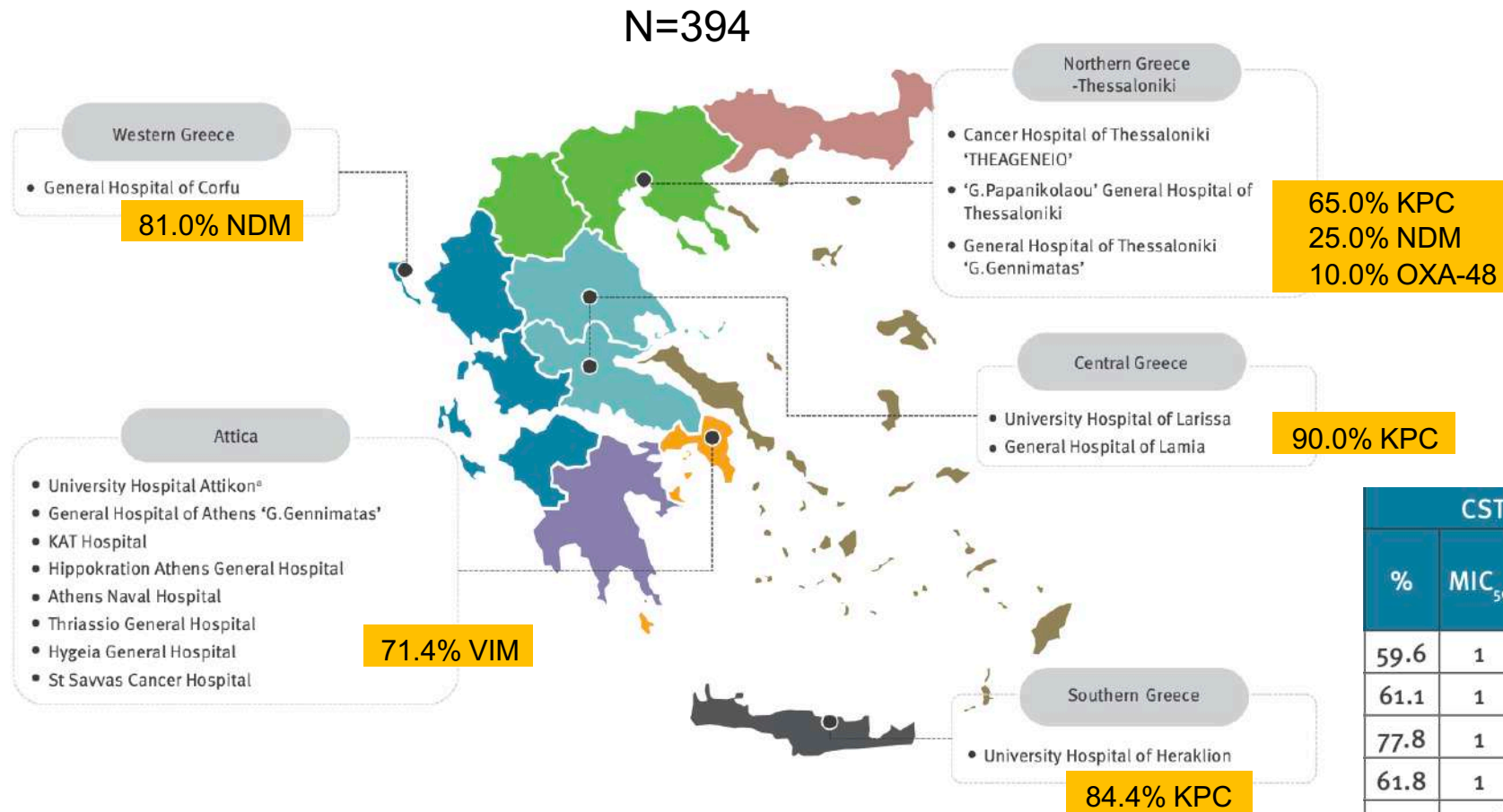


Carb-R K. Pneum. N, (%)	Greece (n=59)	Croatia (n=19)
KPC-like	39 (66)	2 (12)
MBL (NDM-1)	7 (11)	6 (33)
VIM-like	13 (21)	0 (0)
OXA-like	1 (2)	12 (65)

Distribution of CR-KP isolates within Europe



Distribution of CR-KP isolates within Greece (2014-2016)



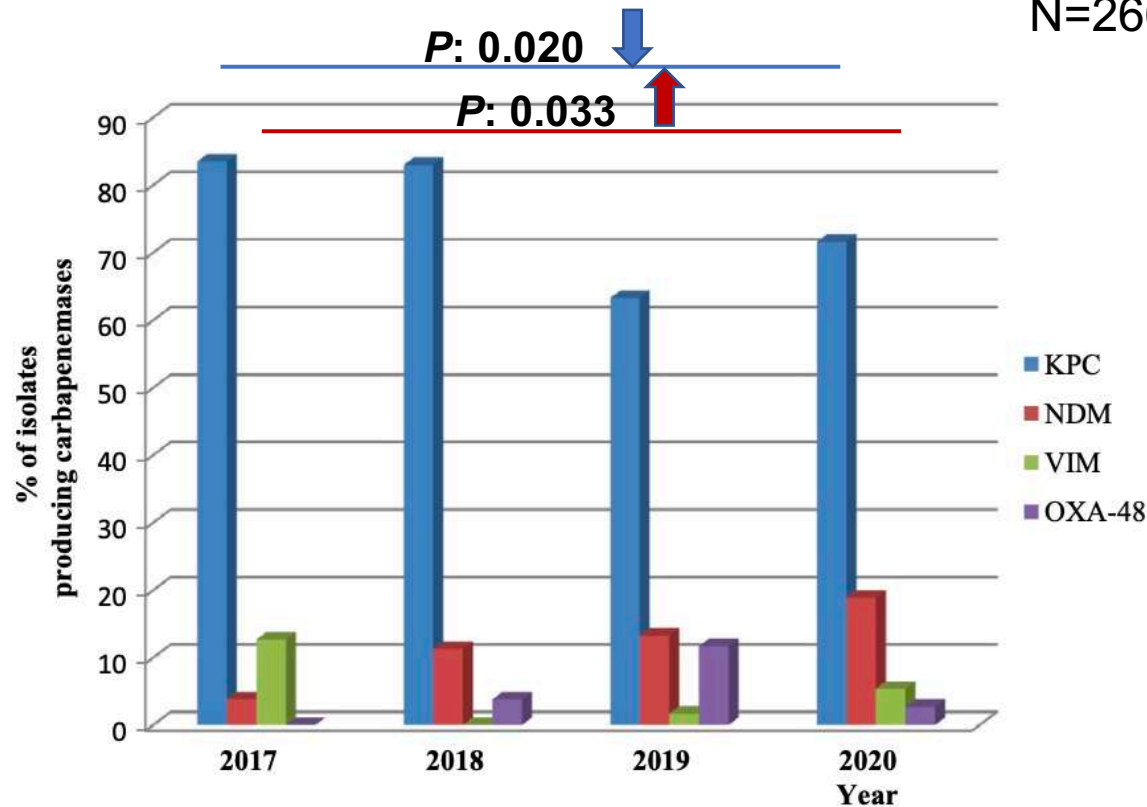
Total: 66.5% KPC, 13.7% NDM, 8.6% VIM, 3.6% OXA-48

Isolates (number)	susceptible		
	CZA		
	%	MIC ₅₀	MIC ₉₀
All (n = 394)	ND	ND	ND
KPC (n = 262)	99.6	1	2
NDM (n = 54)	ND	ND	ND
VIM (n = 34)	ND	ND	ND
OXA-48 (n = 14)	100.0	1	1
KPC+VIM (n = 22)	ND	ND	ND

CST			TG			FOS		
%	MIC ₅₀	MIC ₉₀	%	MIC ₅₀	MIC ₉₀	%	MIC ₅₀	MIC ₉₀
59.6	1	> 16	51.5	1	4	58.4	32	256
61.1	1	> 16	51.9	1	4	57.3	32	512
77.8	1	> 16	66.7	1	2	81.5	16	256
61.8	1	> 16	38.2	2	8	47.1	64	128
42.9	> 16	> 16	71.4	1	8	78.6	16	128
9.0	> 16	> 16	27.0	2	2	27.3	64	128

Distribution of Carb-R isolates within Greece (2017-2020)

N=266

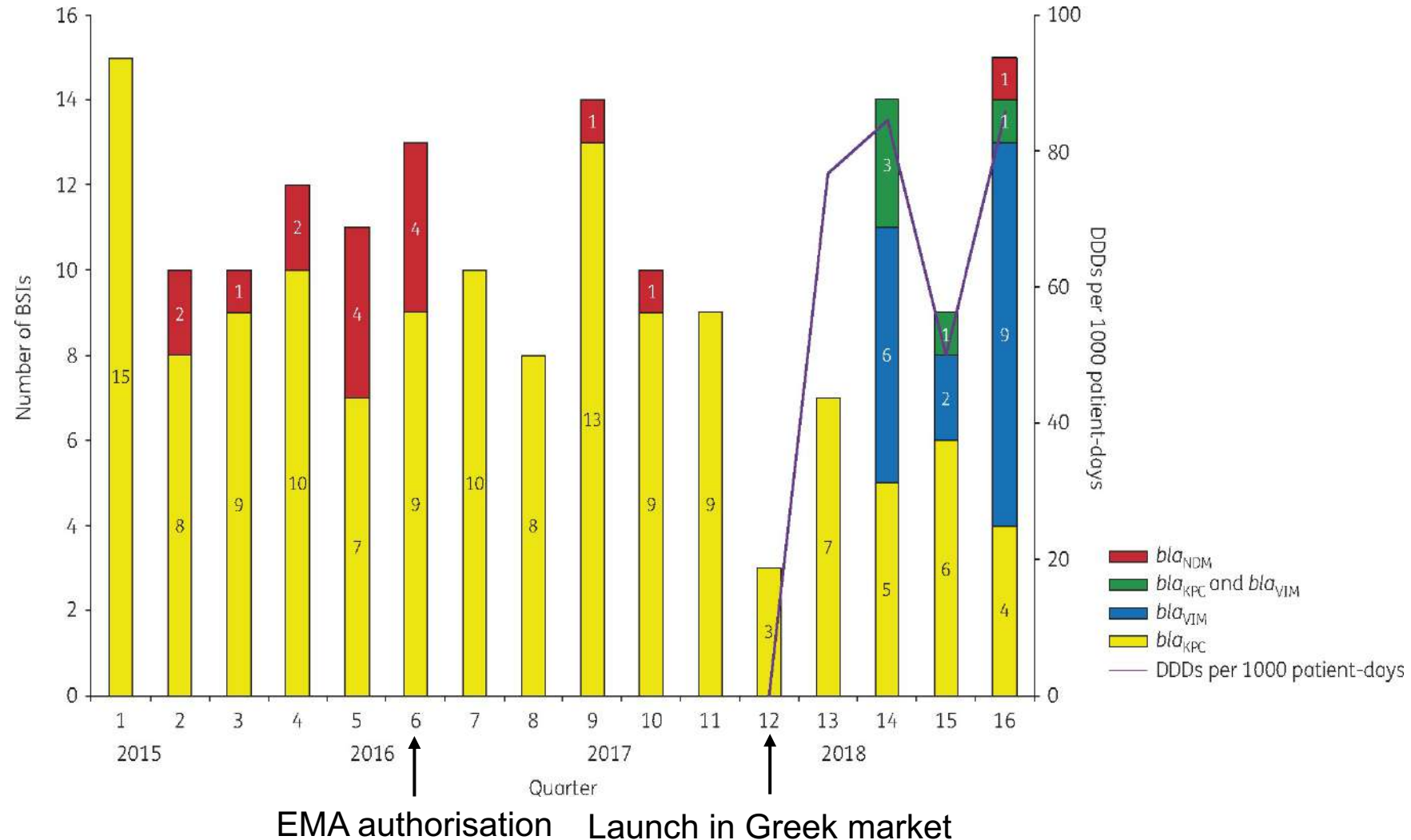


Isolates (number)	CAZ/AVI			M/V			I/R		
	MIC ₅₀	MIC ₉₀	S%	MIC ₅₀	MIC ₉₀	S%	MIC ₅₀	MIC ₉₀	S%
All (n=266)	0.5	>256	79.7	0.25	32	76.3	0.75	>32	75.2
KPC (n=201)	0.38	1	100	0.25	0.5	100	0.75	1	98.5
NDM (n=31)	>256	>256	0	32	>256	0	>32	>32	0
VIM (n=15)	>256	>256	0	48	>256	0	>32	>32	0
OXA-48 (n=11)	0.75	1.5	100	32	>256	0	12	16	0

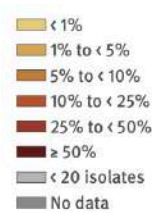
Tigecycline			Fosfomycin			Colistin		
MIC ₅₀	MIC ₉₀	S%	MIC ₅₀	MIC ₉₀	S%	MIC ₅₀	MIC ₉₀	S%
1.5	3	80.5	12	64	83.8	<=0.25	>16	65.8
1.5	3	81.1	8	32	91.5	<=0.25	>16	62.7
1.5	4	80.6	48	>1024	48.4	<=0.25	16	83.9
1	12	80	12	64	86.7	<=0.25	8	80
2	3	81.8	64	>1024	36.4	<=0.25	>16	54.5

Total: 75.6% KPC, 11.7% NDM, 5.6% VIM, and 4.1% OXA-48

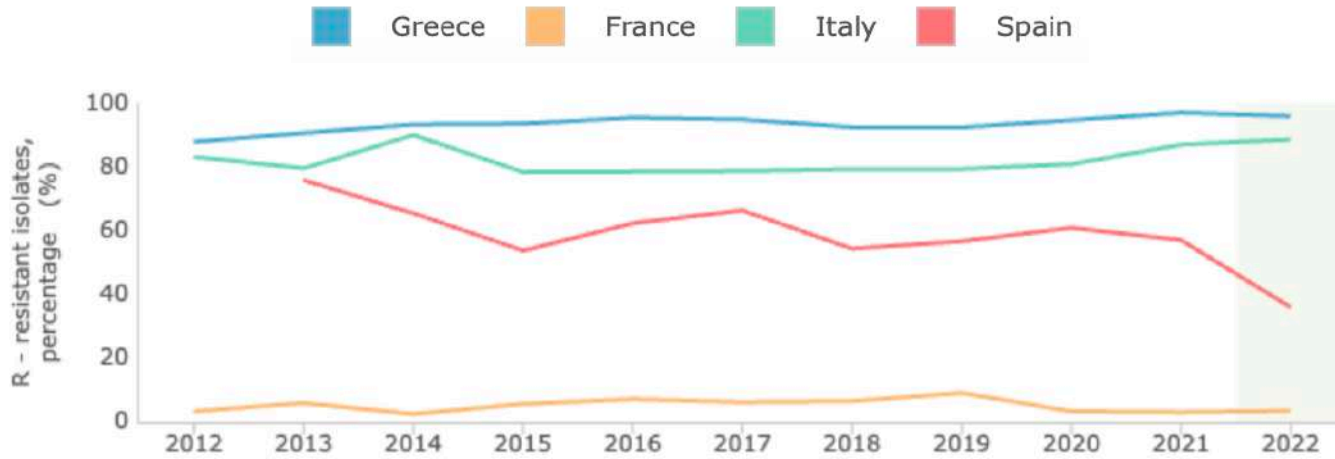
Impact of CAZ-AVI on bloodstream infections due to CR-KP (ICU)



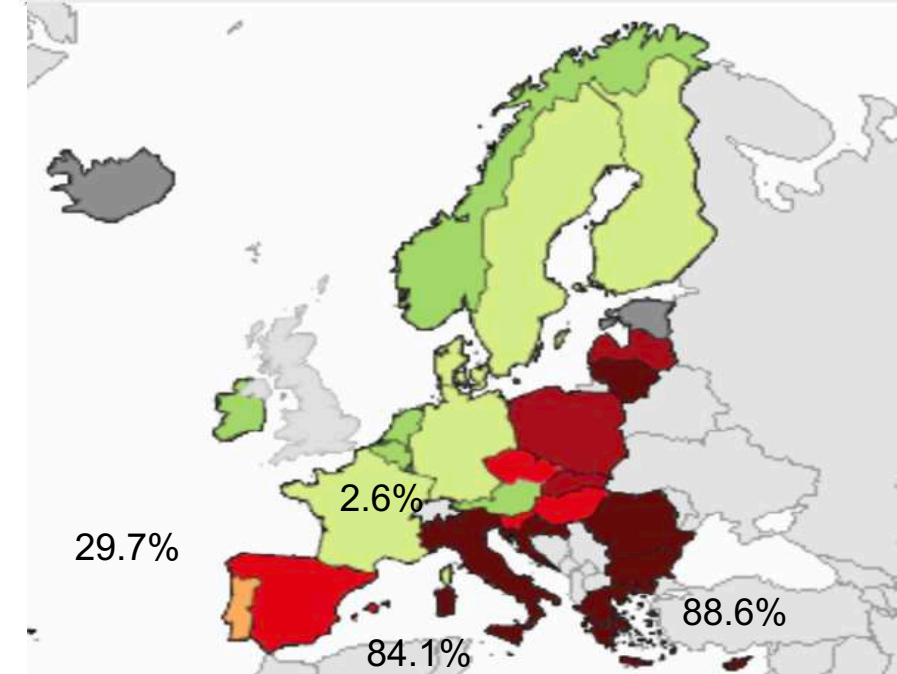
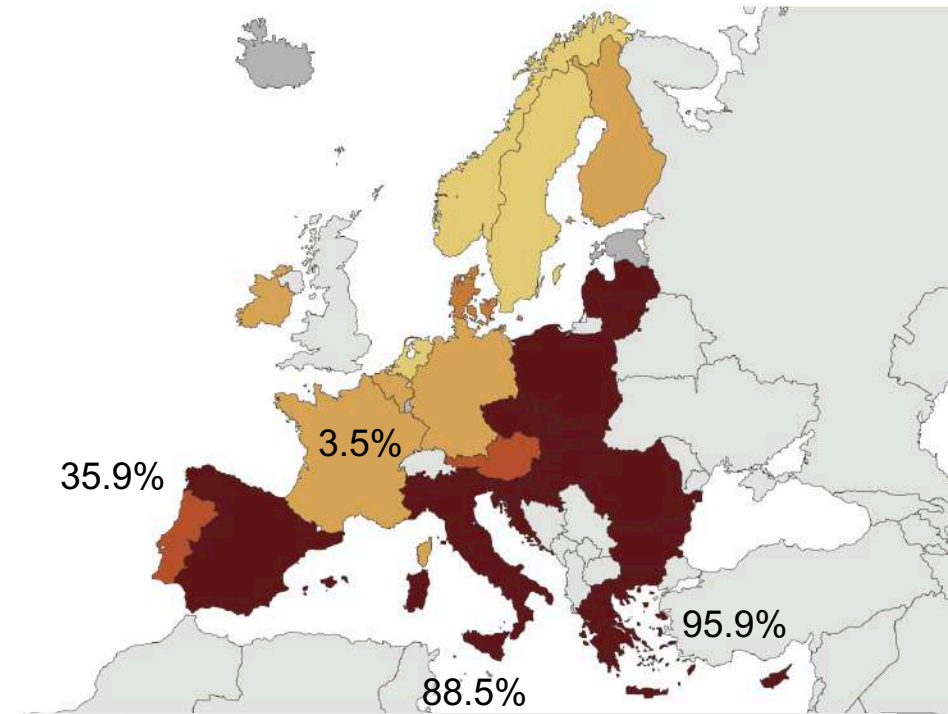
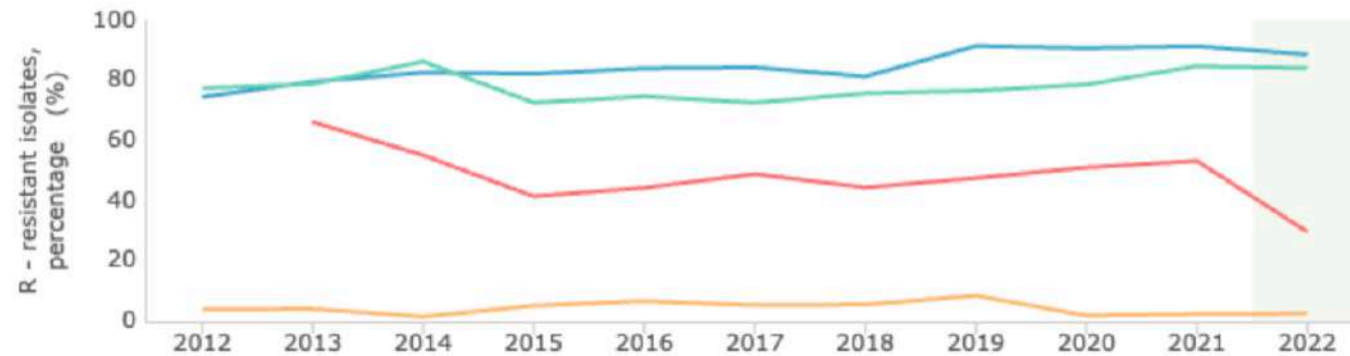
CR- *A. Baumannii* (CRAB) (%) resistance 2022



Carbapenem resistance

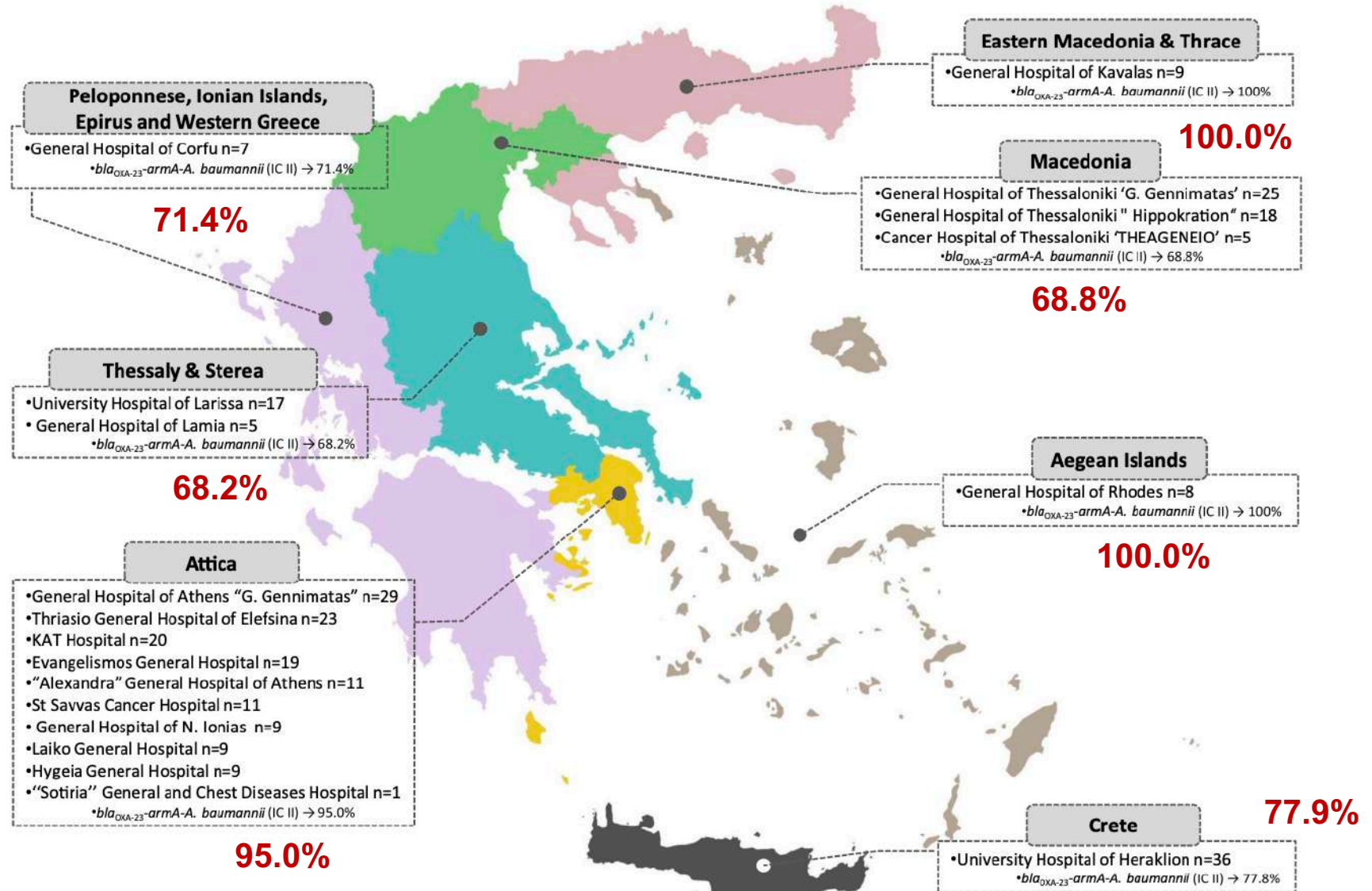


Combined resistance (carbapenems, aminoglycosides, fluoroquinolones)



Clonal distribution of CRAB in BSIs in Greece (2020-2021)

N=271
 Predominance
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 blaOXA-51,
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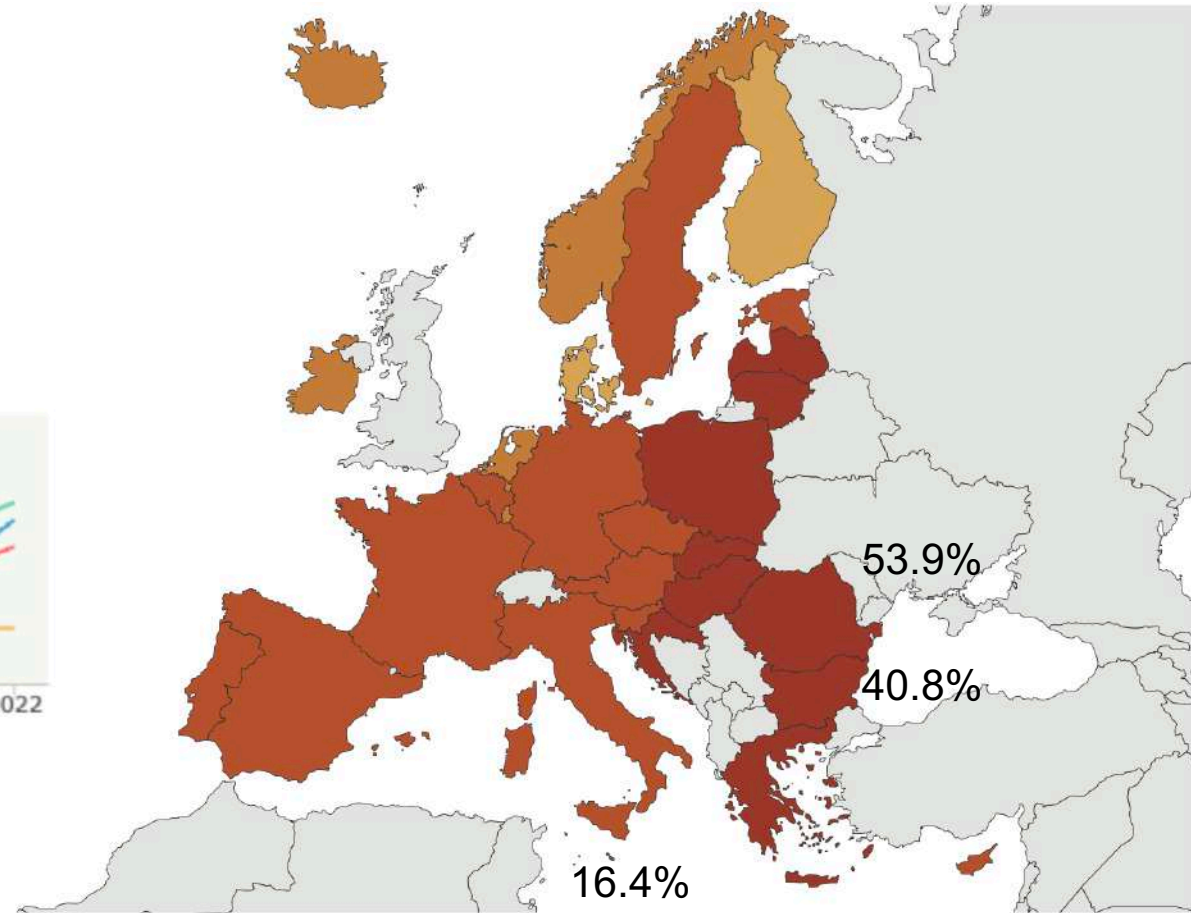
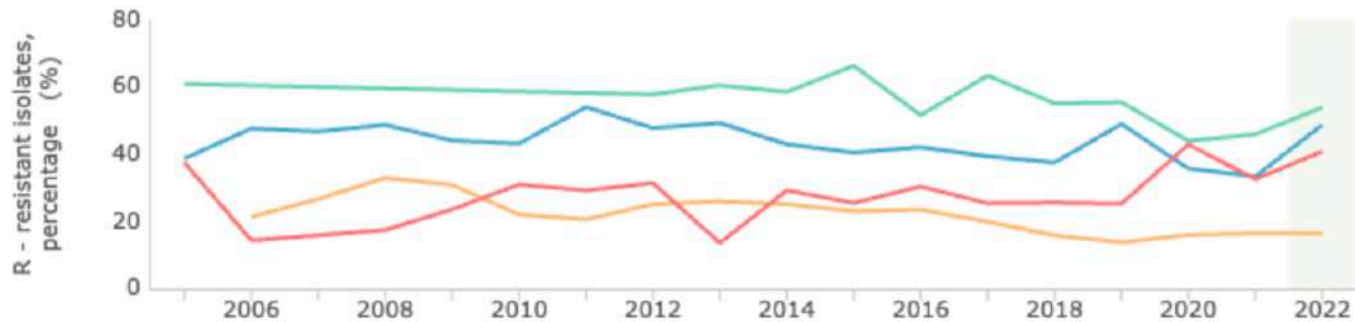
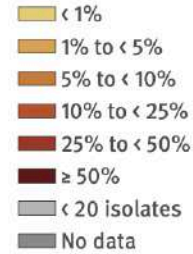
Therapeutic options?

Changes in antimicrobial resistance of clinical isolates of *A. baumannii* group, 2010-2015

Antibiotic	Resistant % (n)							P value	2021 (271)
	Year (n)	2010 (1870)	2011 (2154)	2012 (2479)	2013 (1903)	2014 (2070)	2015 (2170)		
Amikacin		74.8 (1398)	70.7 (1524)	70.7 (1753)	72.9 (1387)	73.1 (1513)	73.9 (1603)	0.750	
Gentamicin		69.3 (1295)	74.8 (1612)	83.5 (2069)	83.9 (1597)	83.7 (1732)	86.4 (1874)	0.014	
Tobramycin		59.8 (1118)	56.7 (1221)	62.7 (1554)	64.8 (1233)	67.6 (1399)	76.8 (1666)	0.011	
Amp/sul*		46.2 (864)	70.0 (1508)	80.5 (1996)	80.9 (1540)	83.9 (1737)	88.2 (1914)	0.021	
Imipenem		90.3 (1688)	93.1 (2006)	94.6 (2345)	94.0 (1788)	92.5 (1914)	94.5 (2051)	0.198	
Meropenem		82.6 (1544)	84.0 (1809)	91.7 (2273)	91.9 (1749)	94.1 (1948)	94.8 (2057)	0.006	
Levofloxacin		95.5 (1786)	95.5 (2058)	95.1 (2358)	93.9 (1787)	95.6 (1979)	95.9 (2081)	0.879	
Tmp/smx†		90.2 (1686)	84.8 (1827)	70.1 (1738)	64.8 (1234)	61.7 (1277)	69.1 (1499)	0.035	
Minocycline		5.2 (97)	23.5 (506)	47.2 (1170)	50.6 (963)	47.4 (981)	58.5 (1270)	0.013	81.2
Colistin		7.1 (133)	5.4 (116)	5.8 (144)	10.7 (204)	9.6 (199)	7.5 (163)	0.317	84.5
Cefiderocol									14.0
Apramycin (EBL-1003)									0.0
Eravacyclin?									
Omadacyclin?									

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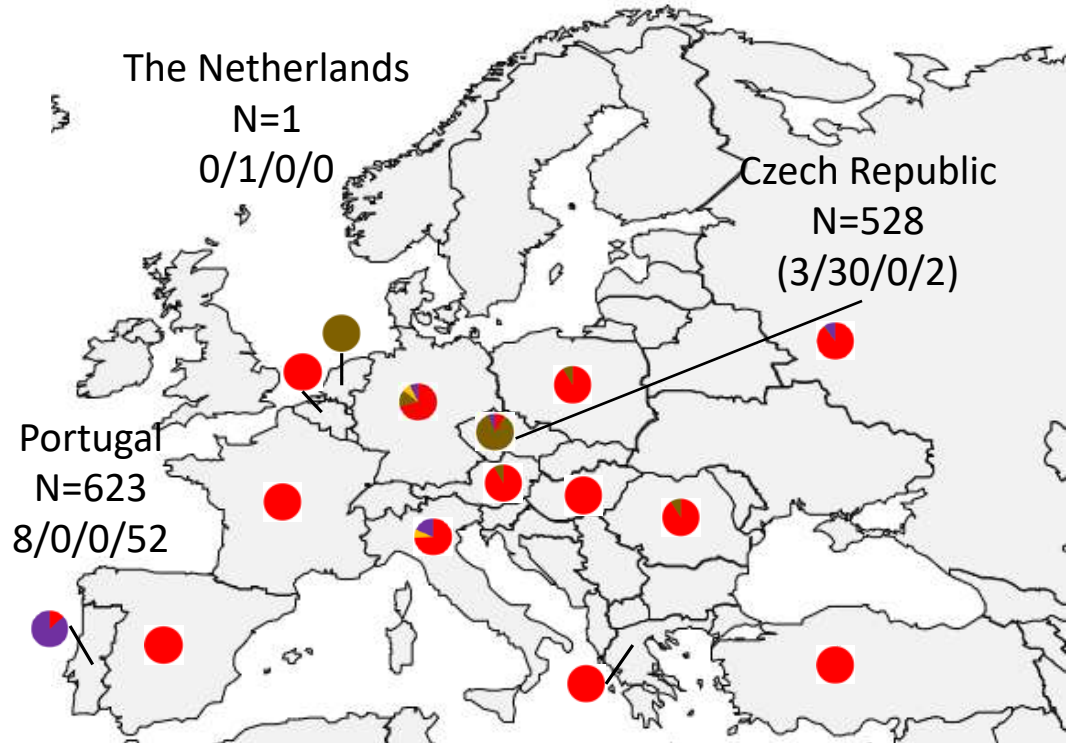
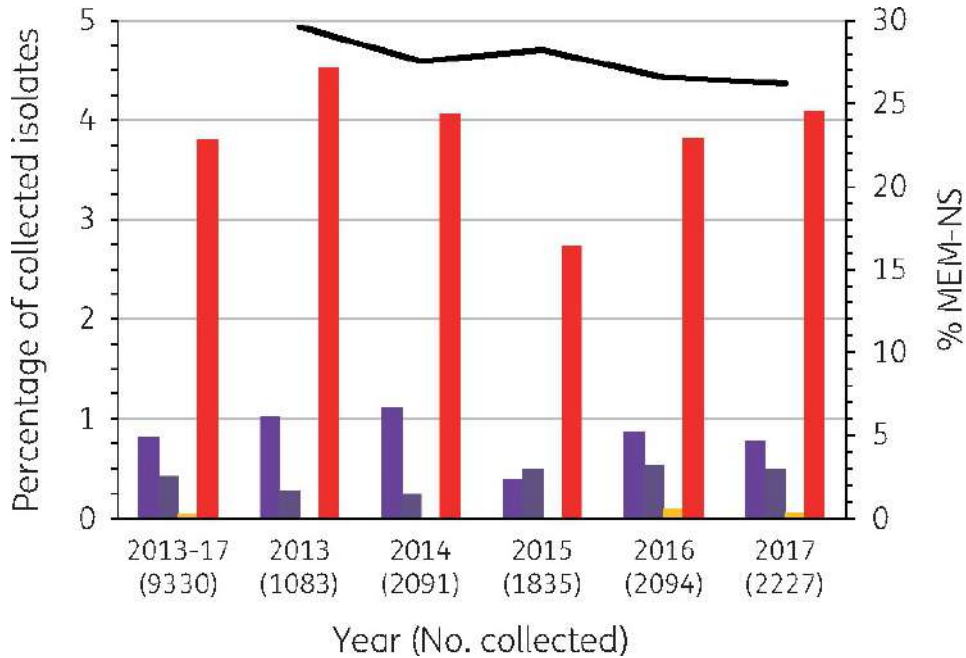
CR *P. aeruginosa* (%) resistance 2022



Distribution of CR- *P. aeruginosa* strains 2013-2017

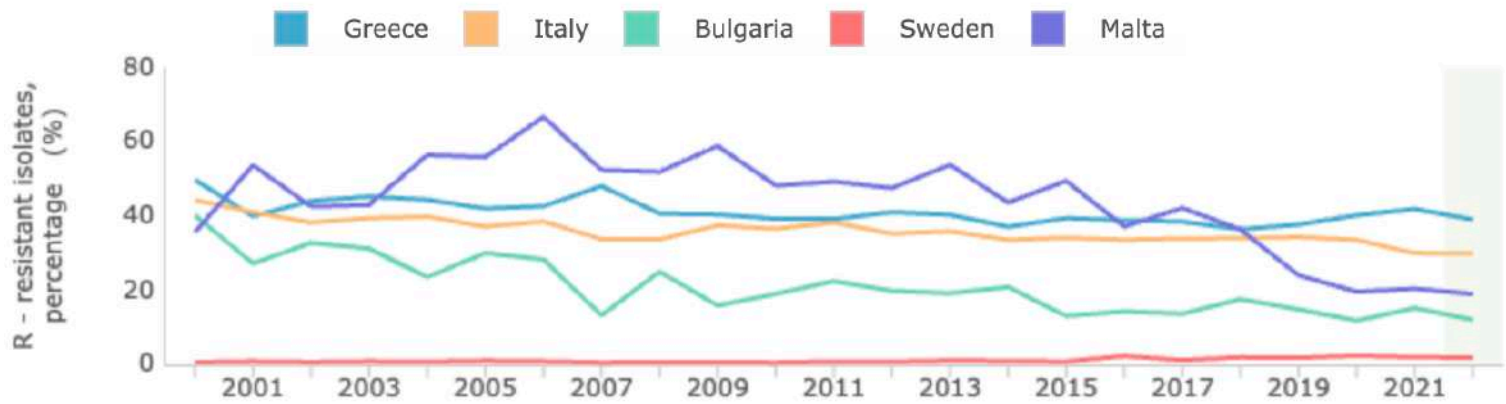
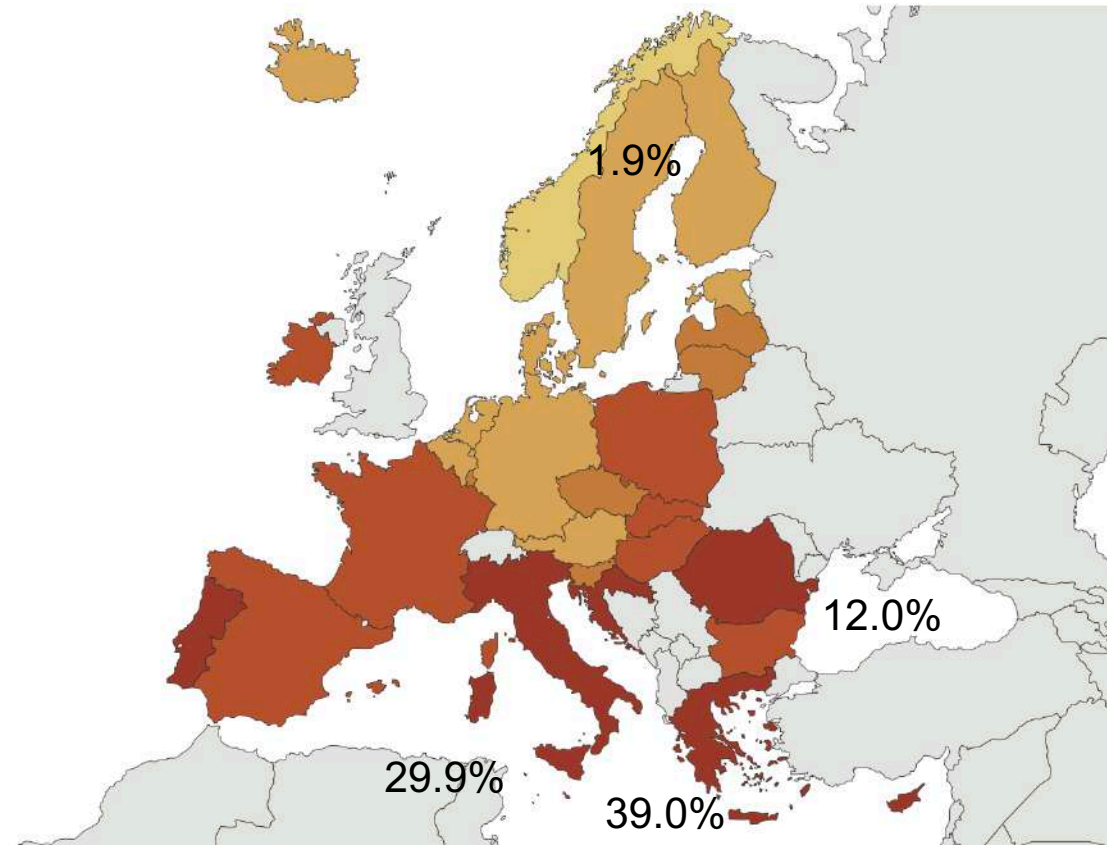
N=2556

N=473 (18.5%) isolates with carbapenemase



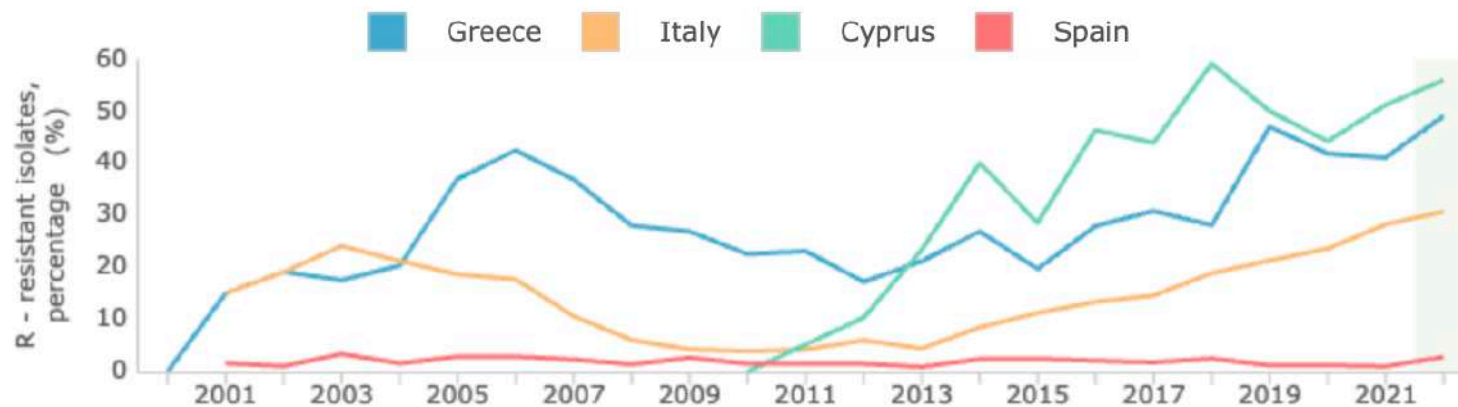
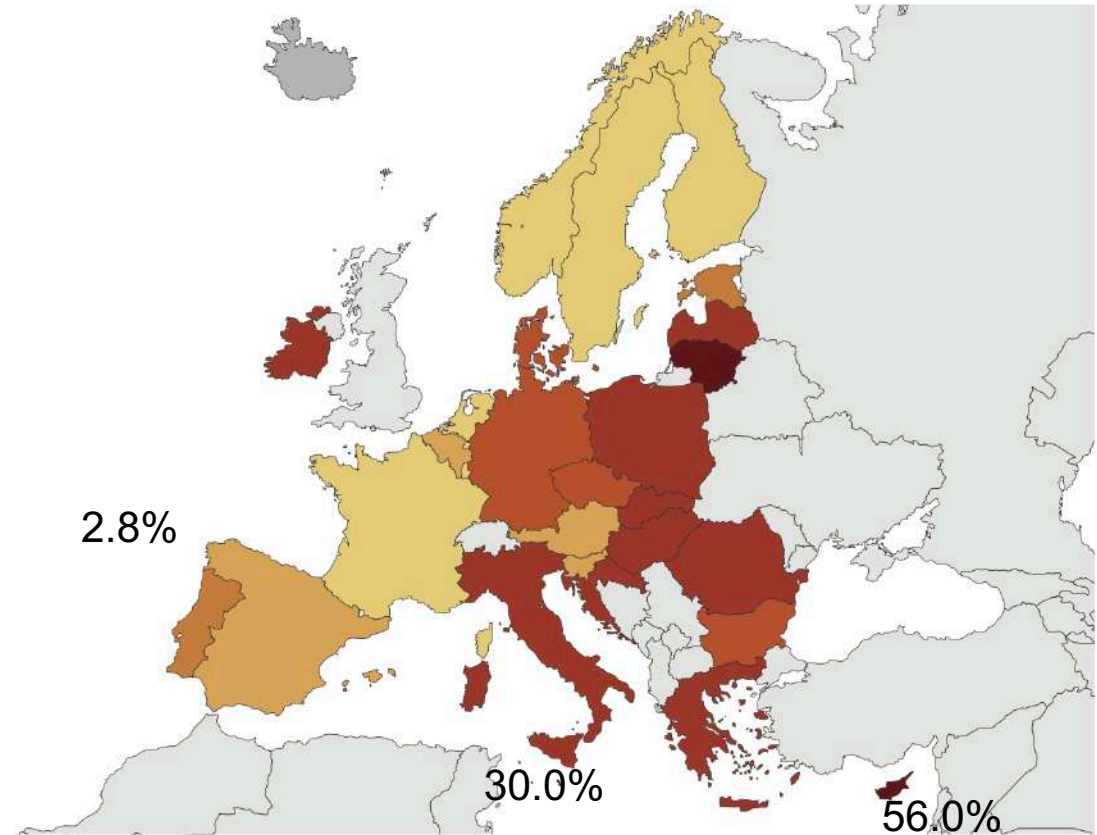
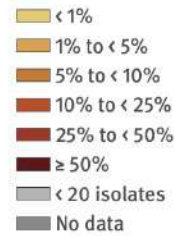
Greece: n=485 isolates. 63 (13.0%) VIM
no other carbapenemases detected (IMP/ NDM/ GES)

Methicillin-Resistant *Staphylococcus Aureus* (MRSA)



Antimicrobial resistance surveillance in Europe 2023 - 2021 data. Stockholm: ECDC and WHO; 2023.

Vancomycin-Resistant *Enterococcus faecium* (VRE)

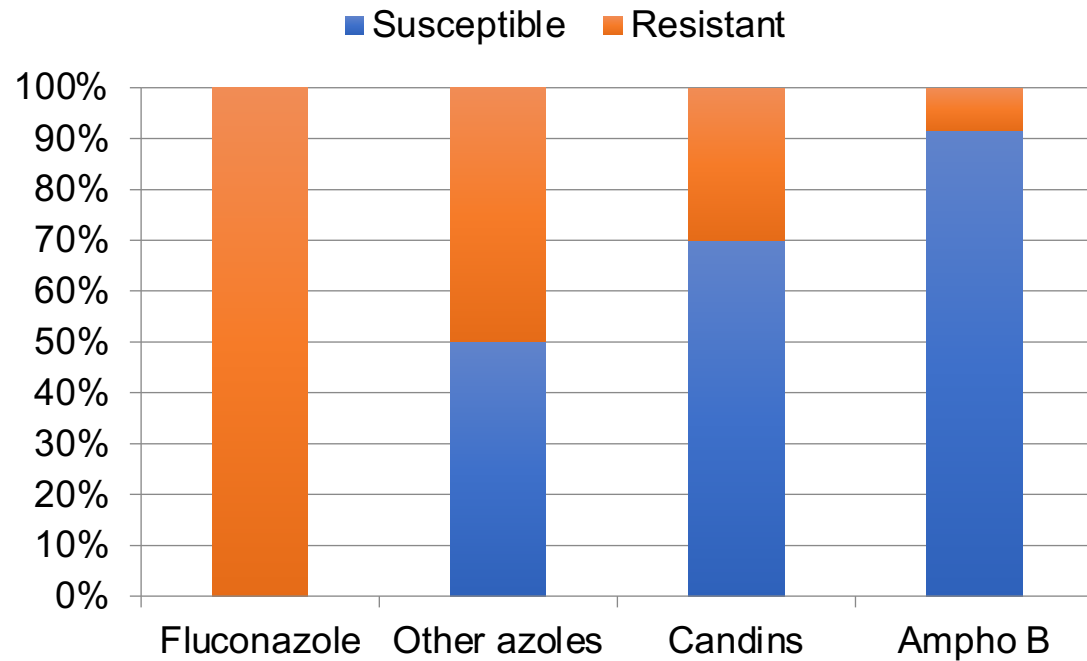


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Candida auris

- Retrospective analysis of all consecutive *C. auris* BSIs in a 55-bed, tertiary, academic ICU
- Index case recorded on June 4th, 2021.
- Among 812 ICU patients (8031 patient-days), a total of 141 were colonized by *C. auris*; of which 12 (8.5%) were diagnosed with BSI
- 28-day mortality in 8 patients (66.7%), treatment failure in 6 (60%)



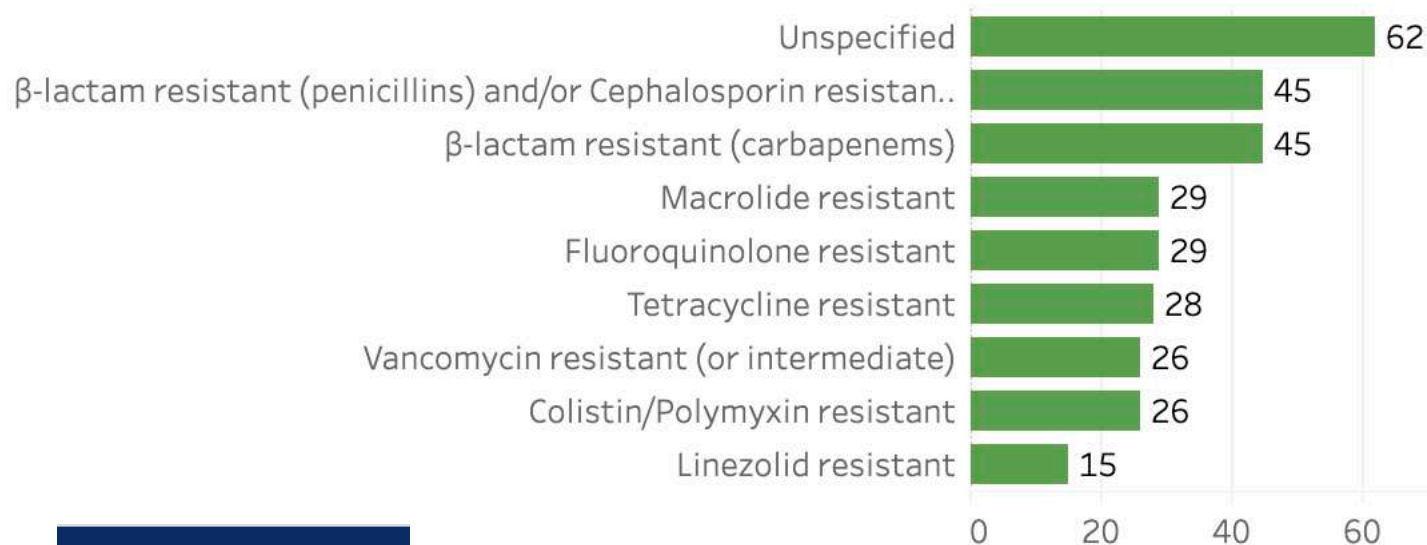
Patient Characteristics at Diagnosis	Total (N=12)
Age, median (Q1-Q3)	70 (65-77)
Sex (male), n (%)	7 (58.3)
Charlson Comorbidity Index, median (Q1-Q3)	4.5 (3-7)
SOFA score, median (Q1-Q3)	10 (6-14)
COVID-19 diagnosis, n (%)	4 (33.3)
Prior corticosteroid intake, n (%)	7 (58.3)
Prior continuous renal replacement therapy, n (%)	6 (50.0)
Prior total parenteral nutrition, n (%)	1 (8.3)
Prior antibiotic treatment (antibiotic-days), median (Q1-Q3)	69 (47-113)
Presence of a central venous catheter, n (%)	12 (100)
Organ support, n (%)	
Mechanical ventilation	11 (91.7)
Vasopressor use	8 (66.7)
Continuous renal replacement therapy	4 (33.3)

Are we keeping up with resistance?

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N=217



<https://www.who.int/observatories/>

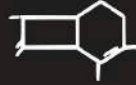


FDA Approves New Treatment for Pneumonia Caused by Certain Difficult-to-Treat Bacteria

For Immediate Release: May 23, 2023

Today, the U.S. Food and Drug Administration approved **Xacduro (sulbactam for injection; durlobactam for injection)**, a new treatment for hospital-acquired bacterial pneumonia (HABP) and ventilator-associated bacterial pneumonia (VABP) caused by susceptible strains of bacteria called *Acinetobacter baumannii-calcoaceticus* complex.

<https://www.fda.gov/news-events/press-announcements/>



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