

Infections à levures

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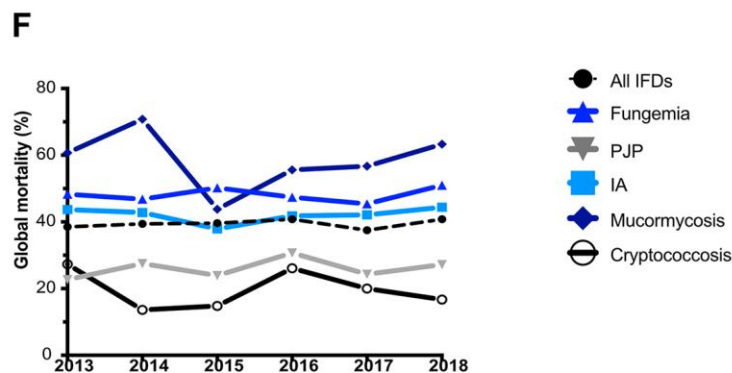
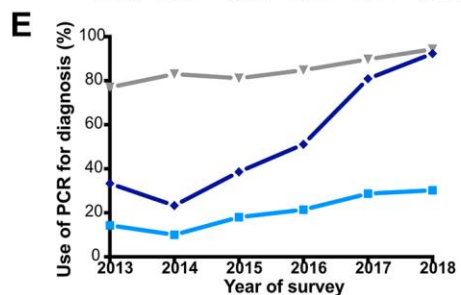
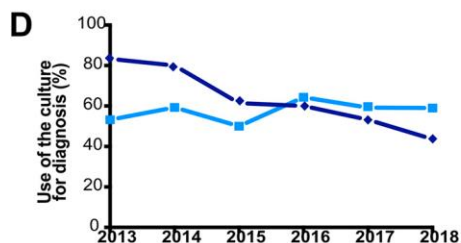
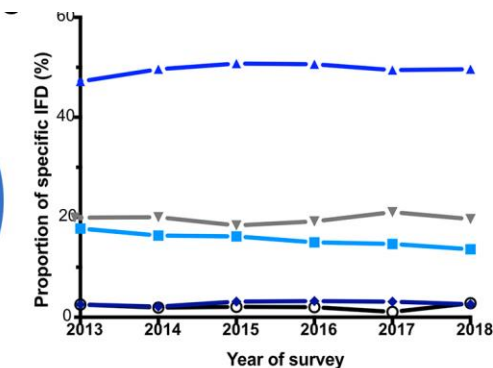
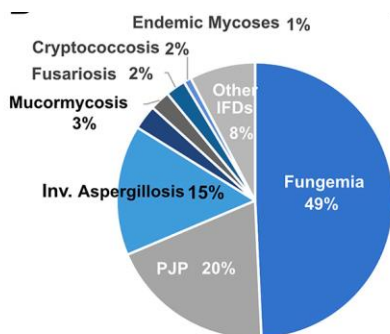
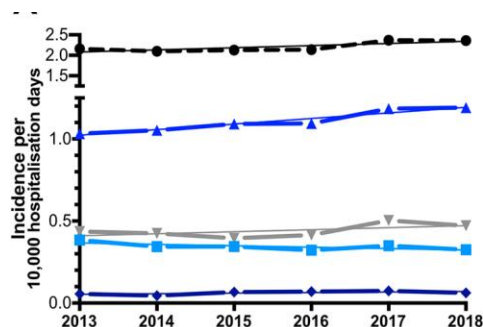
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Active Surveillance Program to Increase Awareness on Invasive Fungal Diseases: the French RESSIF Network (2012 to 2018)

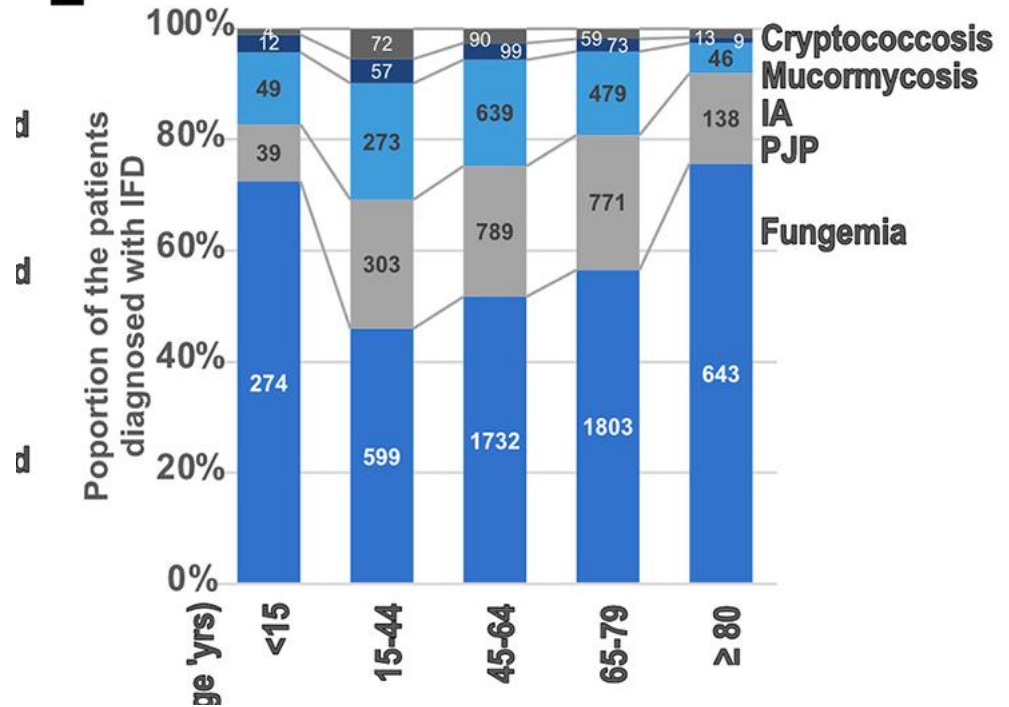
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Parameter	Results ^b by IFDs
	Fungemia ^c (n = 5,363)
Characteristics of the patients	
Male sex	3,106/5,056 (61.4)
Median age (years [IQR ^e])	63.4 (22.8)
Main underlying risk factor	
Malignancy	1,908/5,056 (37.7)
Malignancy, including hematological malignancy	782/1,908 (41.0)
SOT	162/5,056 (3.2)
Recent surgery	1,610/5,056 (31.8)
HIV infection	11/5,056 (0.2)
Other risk factor	1,351/5,056 (26.7)
No known underlying condition	14/5,056 (0.3)
Characteristics of the isolates	
Intensive care unit	1,924/5,363 (35.9)
Type of IFD	
Proven	5,363/5,363 (100.0)
Probable	
PCR only	
Means of diagnosis	
Positive culture	5,363/5,363 (100.0)
Fungal elements in fluids/tissues	1,715/5,363 (32.0)
Positive antigen detection	253/5,363 (4.7)
Positive PCR test	9/5,363 (0.2)
Initial antifungal treatment	
Caspofungin	2,366/4,592 (51.5)
Fluconazole	1,424/4,592 (31.0)
Voriconazole	100/4,592 (2.2)
Liposomal amphotericin B	150/4,592 (3.3)
Cotrimoxazole	
Other drugs or combinations	552/4,592 (12.0)
Global mortality at 3 mo	2,003/4,204 (47.6)

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Candidemia: frequent deadly BSI

- Brazilian Scope (BSI):
 - 16 hospitals, 2007-2010
 - 2563 patients
 - Gram negative = 58.5%
 - Gram positive = 35.4%
 - Fungi = 6.1%
 - *Candida* spp.
 - N° 7 pathogen
 - N° 1 killer
- Japan BSI
 - 22 hospitals 2008-2012
 - 2941 patients
 - *Candida* spp.
 - N°6 pathogen
 - N°1 killer

Fongémies à levures

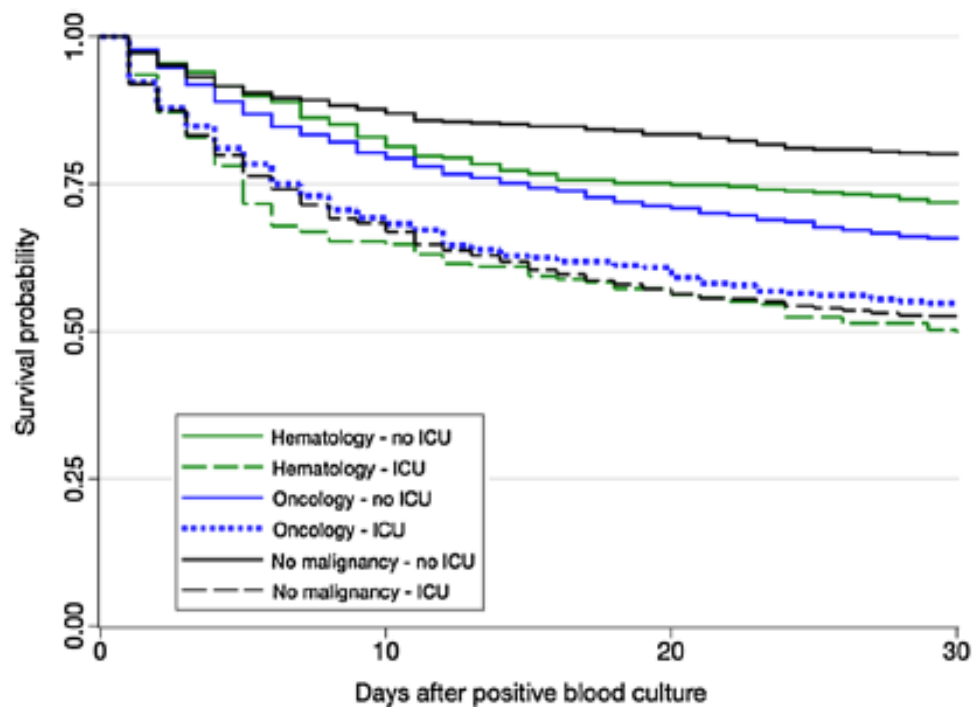
- 2,4% (n=201) étaient des basidiomycètes (115 *Cr. neoformans*, 42 *Rhodotorula mucilaginosa*, 30 *Trichosporon* spp. et 15 *Malassezia* spp.).
- 6878 levures ascomycètes, les principales étaient:
 - *C. albicans* (50,4%)
 - *C. glabrata* (17,3%)
 - *C. parapsilosis* (12,5%)
 - *C. tropicalis* (7.1%)
 - *C. krusei* (3,1%)
 - *C. kefyr* (1,8%)
 - *Cl. lusitaniae* (2.0%)

Fungemia epidemiology in HM

- Fungemia 2003-2014
- 3417 patients with fungemia in France
- 586 with HM
- HM:
 - AL: 33.5%
 - Allo HSCT 11% (GVH, 5%)
 - Less ICU (34%)
 - More surgery in ICU for lymphoma

Fungemia epidemiology in HM

- HM:
 - Younger
 - Preexposed AF
 - More *C. tropicalis*, *C. krusei*, *C. kefyr*
 - 29% *C. albicans* in AL
 - *C. parapsilosis* less frequent in ICU
 - More first line echinocandin treatment
 - No influence on *Candida* species on mortality



Physiopathologie

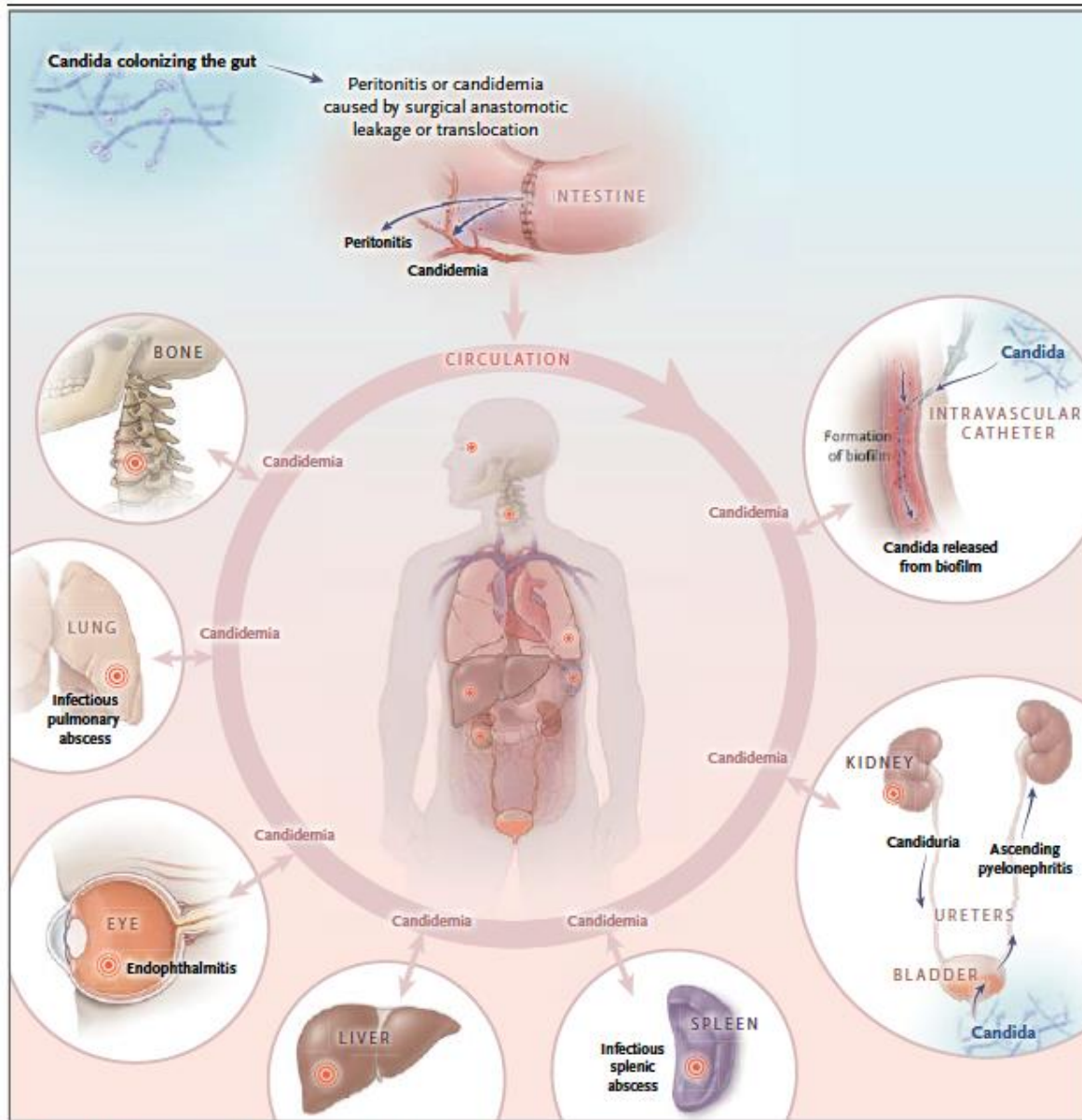


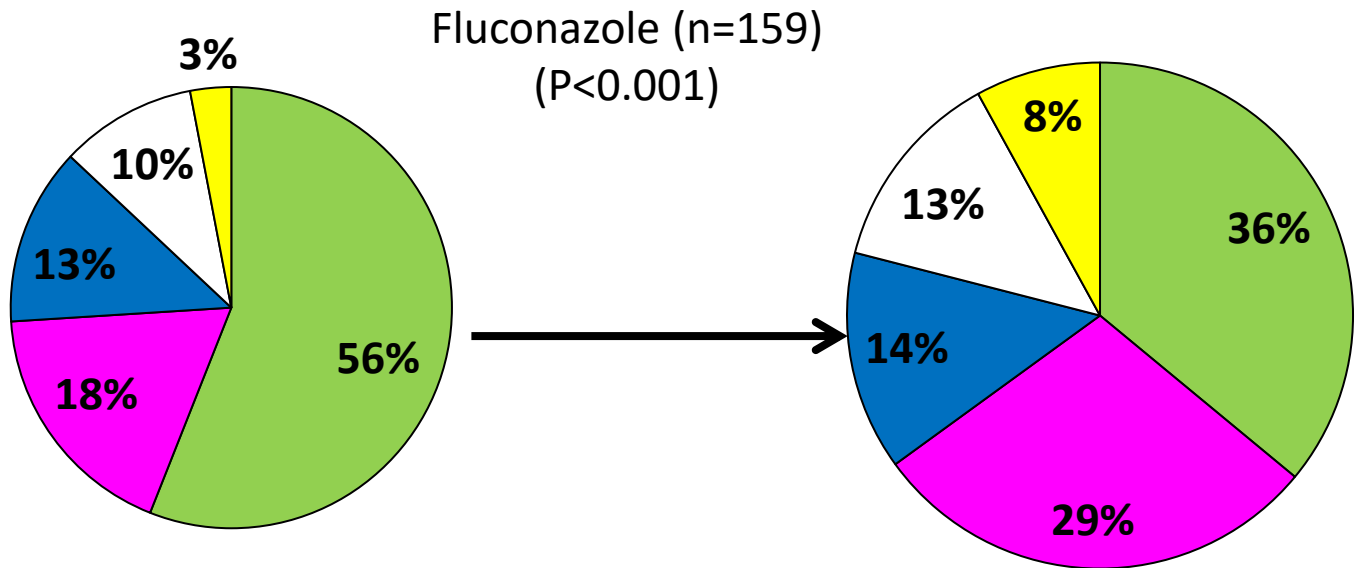
Figure 1 Pathogenesis of Invasive Candidiasis



Influence of recent FCZ exposure on *Candida* spp. distribution during fungemia

Recent ≤ 30 d

- *C.albicans*
- *C.glabrata*
- *C.parapsilosis*
- *C.tropicalis*
- *C.krusei*



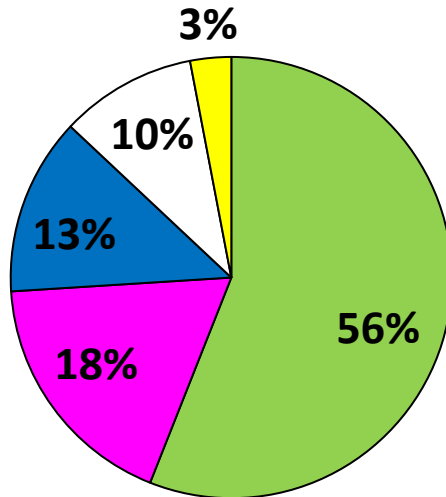
2618 isolats sur 7 ans



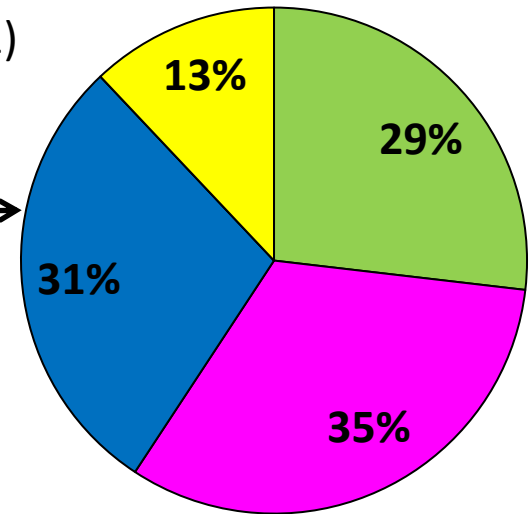
Influence of recent CAS exposure on *Candida* spp. distribution during fungemia

Recent ≤ 30 d

- *C. albicans*
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- *C. parapsilosis*
- *C. tropicalis*
- *C. krusei*

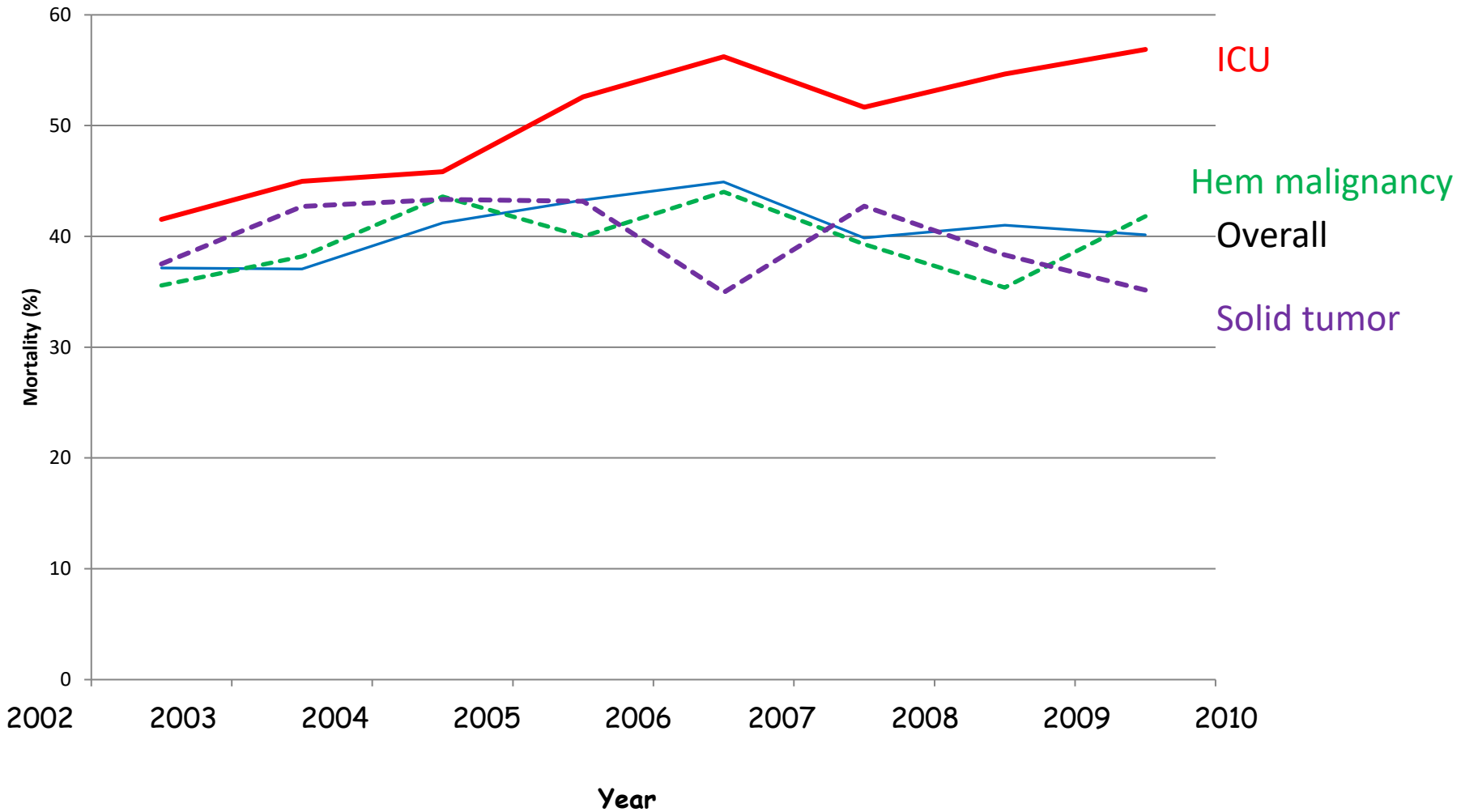


Caspofungin (n=61)
($P < 0.001$)



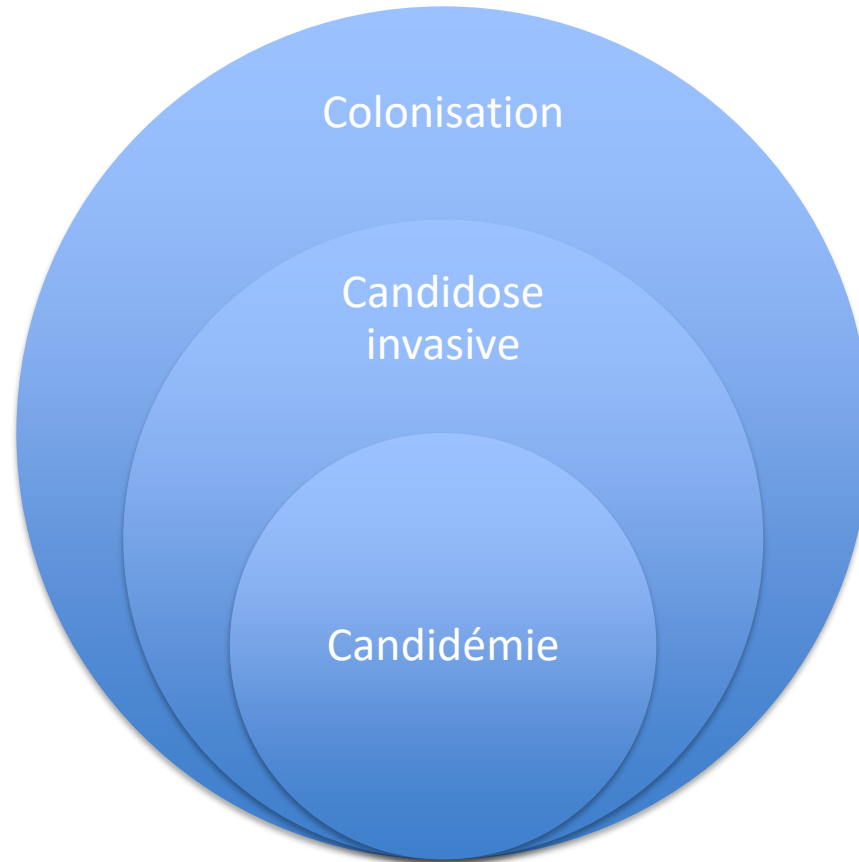
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	N	GMIC ^a (mg/L) [95% CI]	N	GMIC ^a (mg/L) [95% CI]	
Exposure to caspofungin					
Total	1920	0.07 [0.07-0.08]	61	0.16 [0.12-0.22]	< 0.001
<i>C. albicans</i>	993	0.05 [0.05-0.05]	13	0.09 [0.04-0.22]	0.252
<i>C. glabrata</i>	365	0.07 [0.07-0.08]	21	0.12 [0.08-0.19]	0.418
<i>C. parapsilosis</i>	299	0.28 [0.26-0.31]	19	0.32 [0.23-0.45]	0.893
<i>C. tropicalis</i>	199	0.06 [0.05-0.06]	0		
<i>C. krusei</i>	64	0.15 [0.13-0.17]	8	0.19 [0.11-0.33]	0.571

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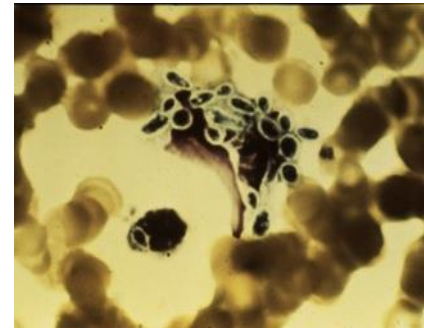


Traitement curatif:
Candidoses invasives

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Prise en charge

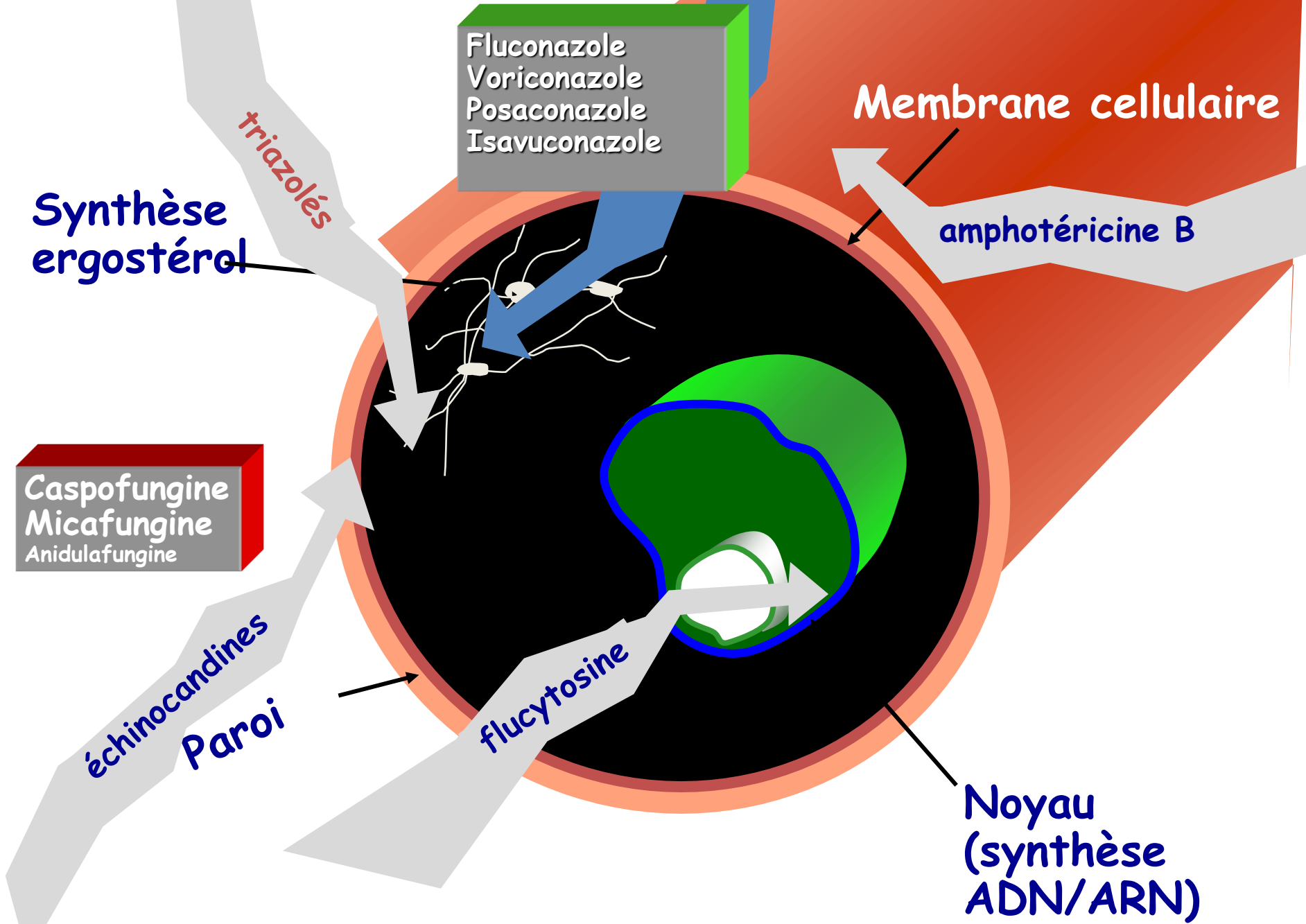


Hémoculture positive

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Candidémie

Quel antifongique en première ligne?



Antifongiques et résistance

● Isolat résistant
● Isolat sensible

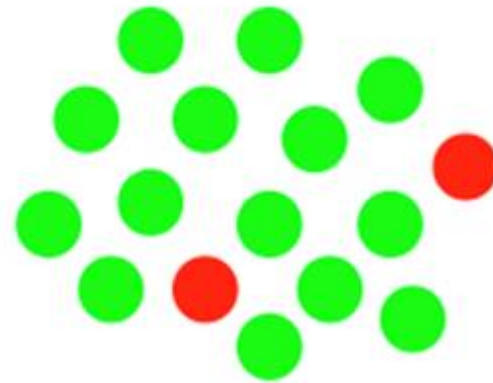
Résistance naturelle



Particularités intrinsèques de la cible

C. krusei / fluconazole

Résistance acquise



Pression de sélection par les antifongiques

C. glabrata / azolés

5FC

Importance du spectre antifongique

	Polyènes	Fluconazole	Vori	Posaconazole	Isavuconazole	Candines
Candida						
<i>C. albicans</i>	+	+	+	+	+	+
<i>C. glabrata</i>	+	+/-	+/-	+/-	+/-	+
<i>C. Krusei</i> (R 5 FC)	+	-	+	+	+	+
<i>C. parapsilosis</i> (+/- S 5 FC)	+	+/-	+	+	+	+/-
Basidiomycetes						
<i>Cryptococcus neoformans</i>	+	+	+	+	+	-
<i>Trichosporon</i>	-	-	+	+	?	-
<i>Rhodotorula</i>	+	-	-	-	?	-
<i>Geotrichum</i>	+	-	+	+	?	-

Importance du spectre antifongique

Identification de l'espèce suffit habituellement à prédire la sensibilité aux antifongiques

Breakpoint de CMI établis par l'EUCAST

Antifungal agent	MIC breakpoint (mg/L)																		
	Candida albicans			Candida dubliniensis		Candida glabrata		Candida krusei		Candida parapsilosis		Candida tropicalis		Candida guilliermondii		Cryptococcus neoformans		Non-species-related breakpoints for Candida ¹	
	S ≤	R >	ATU	S ≤	R >	S ≤	R >	S ≤	R >	S ≤	R >	S ≤	R >	S ≤	R >	S ≤	R >	S ≤	R >
Amphotericin B	1	1		1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	IE	IE	1	1	IE	IE
Aridulafungin	0.03	0.03				0.06	0.06	0.06	0.06	4	4	0.06	0.06	IE ²	IE ²	-	-	IE	IE
Caspofungin	Note ³	Note ³				Note ³	Note ³	Note ³	Note ³	Note ³	Note ³	Note ³	Note ³	IE ³	IE ³	-	-	IE	IE
Eluconazole	2	4		2	4	0.001 ⁴	16	-	-	2	4	2	4	IE ³	IE ³	IE	IE	2	4
Isavuconazole	IE	IE		IE	IE	IE	IE	IE	IE	IE	IE	IE	IE	IE	IE	IE	IE	IE	IE
Itraconazole	0.06	0.06		0.06	0.06	IE ³	IE ³	IE ³	IE ³	0.125	0.125	0.125	0.125	IE ³	IE ³	IE	IE	IE	IE
Micafungin	0.016	0.016	0.03			0.03	0.03	IE ⁵	IE ⁵	2	2	IE ⁵	IE ⁵	IE ⁵	IE ⁵	-	-	IE	IE
Posaconazole	0.06	0.06		0.06	0.06	IE ³	IE ³	IE ³	IE ³	0.06	0.06	0.06	0.06	IE ³	IE ³	IE	IE	IE	IE
Voriconazole⁶	0.06 ⁷	0.25 ⁷		0.06 ⁷	0.25 ⁷	IE	IE	IE	IE	0.125 ⁷	0.25 ⁷	0.125 ⁷	0.25 ⁷	IE ³	IE ³	IE	IE	IE	IE

Notes

Profils habituels de sensibilité

Rapport du CNRMA

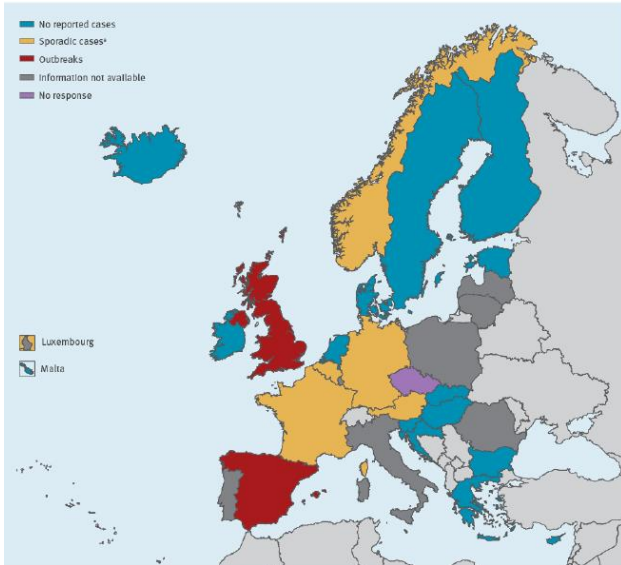
Espèces étudiées		Valeurs des CMI50 / CMI90 mg/L pour les antifongiques*						
Nom d'usage en clinique (nbre d'isolats testés)	Nom actuel	AMB	5-FC	Fluco	Vori	Posa	Caspo**	Mica**
<i>C. albicans</i> (n=2854)		0.06/0.12	≤0.12/0.5	0.25/0.5	≤0.01/≤0.01	0.03/0.06	0.03/0.06	0.03/0.03
<i>C. dubliniensis</i> (n=103)		0.03/0.06	≤0.12/≤0.12	≤0.12/0.25	≤0.01/≤0.01	0.03/0.06	0.03/0.03	0.03/0.03
<i>C. glabrata</i> (n=1103)		0.12/0.25	≤0.12/≤0.12	16/64	0.25/1	0.5/2	0.06/0.12	0.03/0.03
<i>C. parapsilosis</i> (n=680)		0.06/0.12	≤0.12/0.25	0.5/2	≤0.01/0.06	0.06/0.12	0.25/1	0.25/0.5
<i>C. orthopsilosis</i> (n=35)		0.03/0.06	≤0.12/≤0.12	0.5/16	0.03/1	0.12/0.12	0.12/0.25	0.12/0.25
<i>C. metapsilosis</i> (n=28)		0.06/0.12	≤0.12/≤0.12	1/2	0.03/0.06	0.06/0.12	0.06/0.25	0.12/0.25
<i>C. tropicalis</i> (n=558)		0.06/0.12	≤0.12/64	0.5/4	0.03/0.25	0.06/0.25	0.03/0.06	0.03/0.03
<i>C. krusei</i> (n=290)	<i>Pichia kudriavzevii</i>	0.12/0.25	2/4	32/64	0.25/0.5	0.25/0.25	0.12/0.25	0.06/0.12
<i>C. inconspicua</i> (n=31)		0.12/0.25	2/4	16/32	0.12/0.5	0.12/0.25	0.03/0.12	0.03/0.03
<i>C. kefyr</i> (n=154)	<i>Kluyveromyces marxianus</i>	0.06/0.25	0.5/8	0.25/1	≤0.01/≤0.01	0.06/0.12	0.015/0.03	0.03/0.06
<i>C. guilliermondii</i> (n=93)	<i>Meyerozyma guilliermondii</i>	0.03/0.06	≤0.12/≤0.12	8/32	0.06/0.5	0.25/0.5	0.06/0.25	0.25/0.25
<i>C. fermentati</i> (n=32)	<i>Meyerozyma caribbica</i>	0.12/0.25	≤0.12/≤0.12	8/64	0.12/2	0.25/0.5	0.12/0.5	0.25/2
<i>C. lusitaniae</i> (n=160)	<i>Clavispora lusitaniae</i>	0.06/0.25	≤0.12/1	0.25/0.5	≤0.01/≤0.01	0.03/0.06	0.03/0.06	0.06/0.06
<i>C. haemulonii</i> (n=38)		0.5/4	≤0.12/0.25	32/≥64	≥8/≥8	2/≥8	0.03/0.06	0.06/0.12
<i>C. haemulonii</i> type II (n=36)	<i>Candida duobushaemulonii</i>	2/8	≤0.12/≥64	32/≥64	≥8/≥8	8/≥8	0.03/0.03	0.03/-
<i>C. palmiophila</i> (n=20)		0.12/0.5	≤0.12/0.5	8/64	0.12/0.25	0.12/0.25	0.06/0.25	0.03/0.25
<i>Pichia jadinii</i> (n=20)	<i>Cyberlindnera jadinii</i>	0.06/0.12	≤0.12/1	1/4	0.06/0.12	0.12/0.25	0.015/1	0.015/2
<i>C. pelliculosa</i> (n=30)	<i>Wickerhamomyces anomalus</i>	0.06/0.12	≤0.12/16	2/4	0.12/0.25	0.06/0.12	0.03/0.06	0.03/0.03

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<i>Geotrichum candidum</i> (n=33)	<i>Galactomyces candidus</i>	0.25/0.5	0.25/1	16/64	0.25/1	0.25/1	1/≥8	0.5/≥8
<i>G. capitatum</i> (n=51)	<i>Magnusiomyces capitatus</i>	0.25/0.5	≤0.12/0.25	8/16	0.12/0.5	0.25/1	≥8/≥8	≥8/≥8
<i>G. clavatum</i> (n=136)	<i>Saprochaete clavata</i>	0.25/0.5	0.25/1	32/64	0.5/2	0.5/1	≥8/≥8	≥8/≥8
<i>Cr. neoformans</i> var. <i>grubii</i> (n=860)		0.25/0.5	4/16	4/8	0.06/0.12	0.12/0.25	≥8/≥8	4/≥8
<i>Cr. neoformans</i> var. <i>neoformans</i> (n=197)		0.12/0.25	4/16	1/4	≤0.015/0.06	0.03/0.25	≥8/≥8	1/4
<i>Cr. neoformans</i> hybrides AD (n=72)		0.12/0.25	4/8	2/8	0.03/0.12	0.03/0.12	≥8/≥8	4/≥8
<i>Cr. gattii</i> (n = 27)		0.12/0.25	2/8	8/16	0.12/0.5	0.25/0.5	≥8/≥8	≥8/≥8
<i>Rhodotorula mucilaginosa</i> (n=36)		0.25/0.5	0.25/0.5	≥64/≥64	2/8	1/2	≥8/≥8	≥8/≥8
<i>Trichosporon asahii</i> (n=45)		2/≥8	32/≥64	4/16	0.12/0.25	0.25/0.5	≥8/≥8	4/≥8

Candida auris: fungal superbug



- Premier cas en 2009
- A évoquer devant:
 - *C. auris*
 - *C. haemulonii*, *C. famata*, *C. sake*
- Identification CNRMA en urgence
- Résistance: fluconazole, souches multi R (autres azoles, AmB, echinocandines)
- Transmission horizontale avec épidémies
- Infections liées aux soins

Table 1. Number of *Candida auris* cases detected in the EU/EEA, 2013–2017 (n = 620)^a [16]

Year	<i>C. auris</i> bloodstream infection		Other type of <i>C. auris</i> infection		<i>C. auris</i> colonisation		Cases of unknown infection/colonisation status		Total
	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	
2013	1	33.3	0	0.0	0	0.0	2	66.7	3
2014	0	0.0	1	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	1
2015	6	26.1	11	47.8	6	26.1	0	0.0	23
2016	53	18.3	13	4.5	223	76.9	1	0.3	290
2017	50	16.5	15	5.0	237	78.2	1	0.3	303
2013–2017	110	17.7	40	6.5	466	75.2	4	0.6	620



All percentages are row percentages. ^a One additional case was detected in Austria in January 2018 and is not included in the table.

Comment choisir le traitement de première ligne

- Hémoculture positive à levure
- Pensez qu'une levure peut être Résistante aux échinocandines (Cryptococcus, Trichosporon, Geotrichum)
- Quel antifongique choisir?
 - Gravité clinique: choc
 - Gravité liée au terrain: neutropénie
 - Risque de Candida R au fluconazole: pré exposition aux azolés
 - Porte d'entrée:
 - Urines: seuls le fluconazole et l'amphotéricine B deoxycholate diffusent dans les urines
 - Diffusion au site de l'infection

Facteurs de risque spécifiques aux espèces non *albicans*?

C. glabrata

Age > 80 ans

Tumeur digestive

Préexposition : fluco ou candines

C. krusei

Tumeurs non digestives

Leucémies aiguës/ lymphomes

Préexposition: fluco ou candines

C. parapsilosis

Cathéter veineux central

Préexposition: candines

C. kefyr

Age entre 65 et 79 ans

Leucémie aiguë

C. tropicalis

Hémopathies malignes hors

lymphomes

Plusieurs espèces

Toxicomanie IV

Caspofungine dans candidoses invasives

Étude randomisée, double-aveugle, multicentrique Caspofungine vs. Amphotéricine B déoxycholate

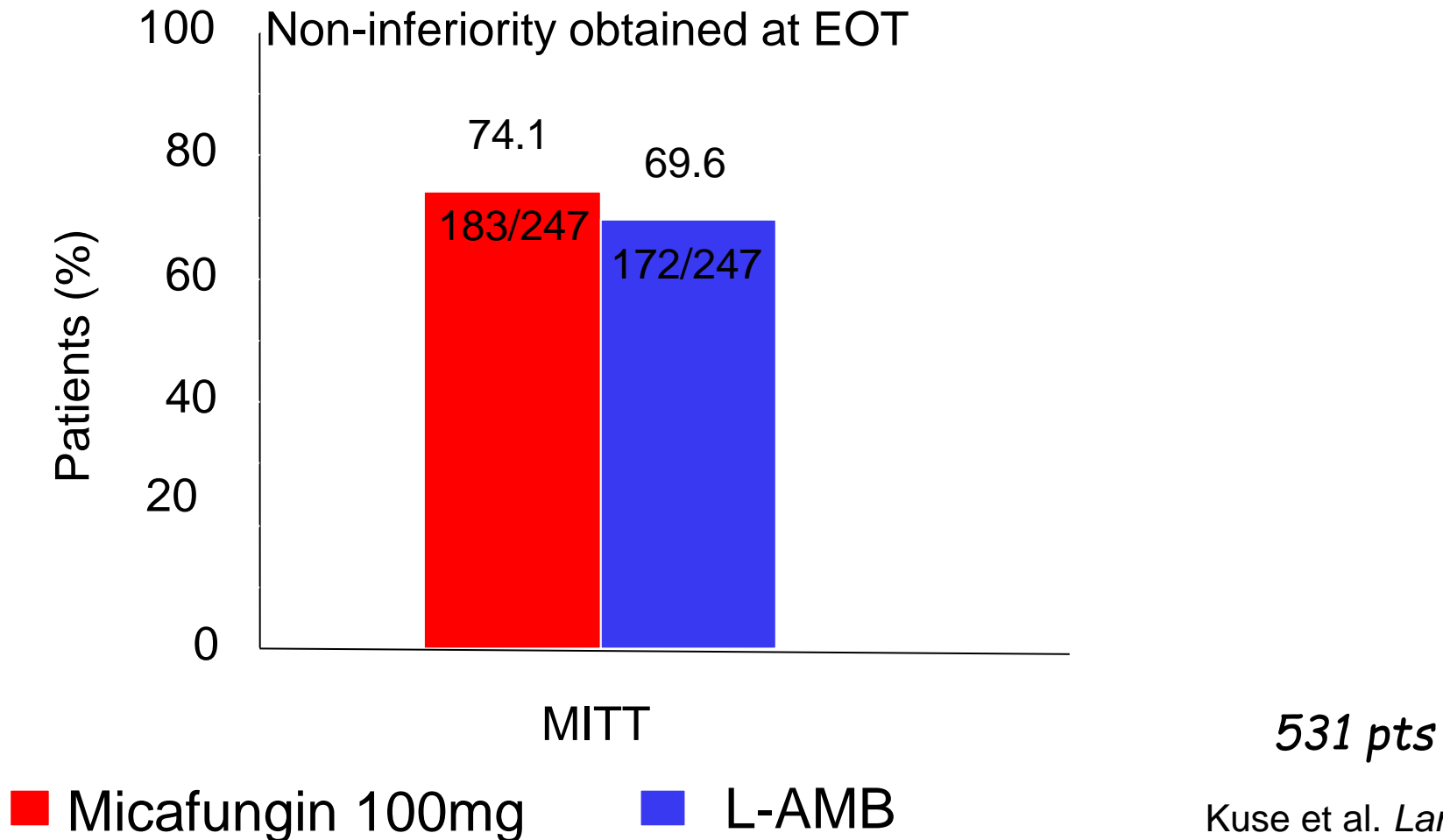
– Étude de non-infériorité ; évaluation (I) : fin du TT i.v.

Analyse	Caspofungine 70/50 mg n/m (%)	Amphotéricine B 0,6-1,0 mg/kg n/m (%)	Différence estimée % (95,6 % CI)
Réponse en fin de traitement (n = 224)	80/109 (73,4)	71/115 (61,7)	12,7 % * (-0,7, 26,0)

	Caspofungine 70/50 mg	Amphotéricine B 0.6-1.0 mg/kg	* P = 0,09
Neutropéniques (PNN ≤ 500 mL à inclusion)	7/14 (50)	4/10 (40)	
Non-neutropéniques (PNN > 500 mL à inclusion)	73/95 (77)	67/105 (64)	

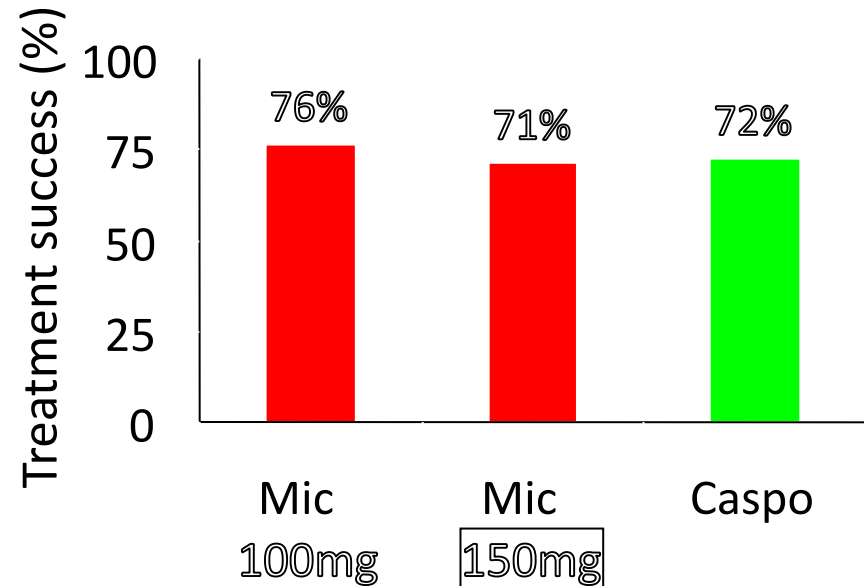
Micafungin et candidoses invasives

Randomized, multicentre, double-blind, non-inferiority phase III trial; non-neutropenic and neutropenic patients



Micafungin vs caspofungin et candidémie

- Double-blind, randomized trial in adults with candidemia or invasive candidiasis (IC) comparing:
 - micafungin 100mg/d (N=191)
 - micafungin 150mg/d (N=199)
 - std. dose caspofungin (N=188)
- Approximately 85% of patients had candidemia, 15% had IC.
- No significant differences in treatment success at EoT, mortality, relapsing/emergent infections, or AEs.



Micafungin 100mg/d and 150mg/d equivalent to standard dose caspofungin for candidemia/IC.

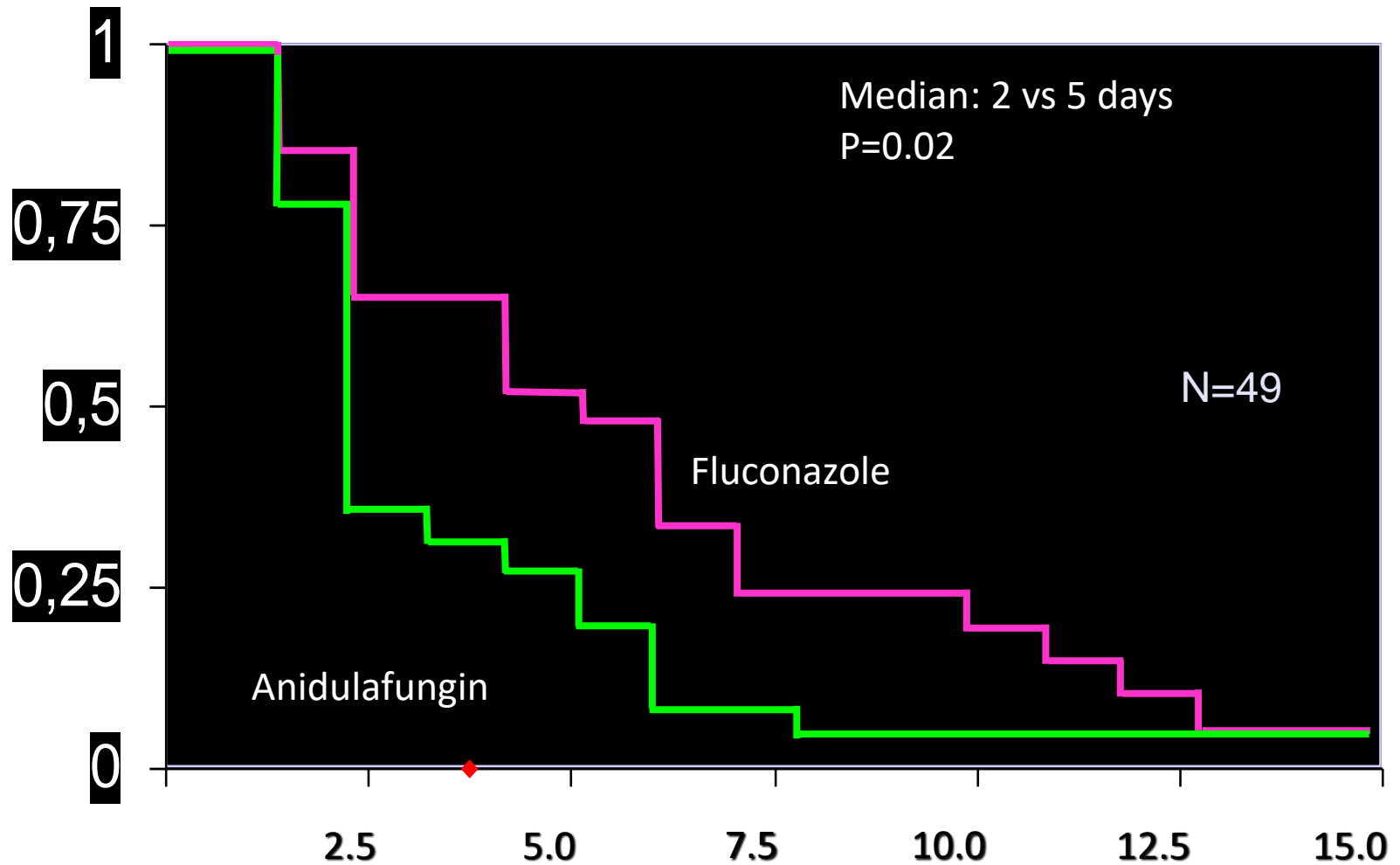
Anidulafungine et candidoses invasives

- Essai de phase III, randomized, double-aveugle
- 3% de patients non neutropéniques
- anidulafungine IV 200 mg puis 100 mg /j
- fluconazole IV 800 mg puis; 400 mg /j
 - ± fluconazole 400 mg/j PO après J10 NEJM 2007

Objectif principal: Réponse globale en fin de traitement

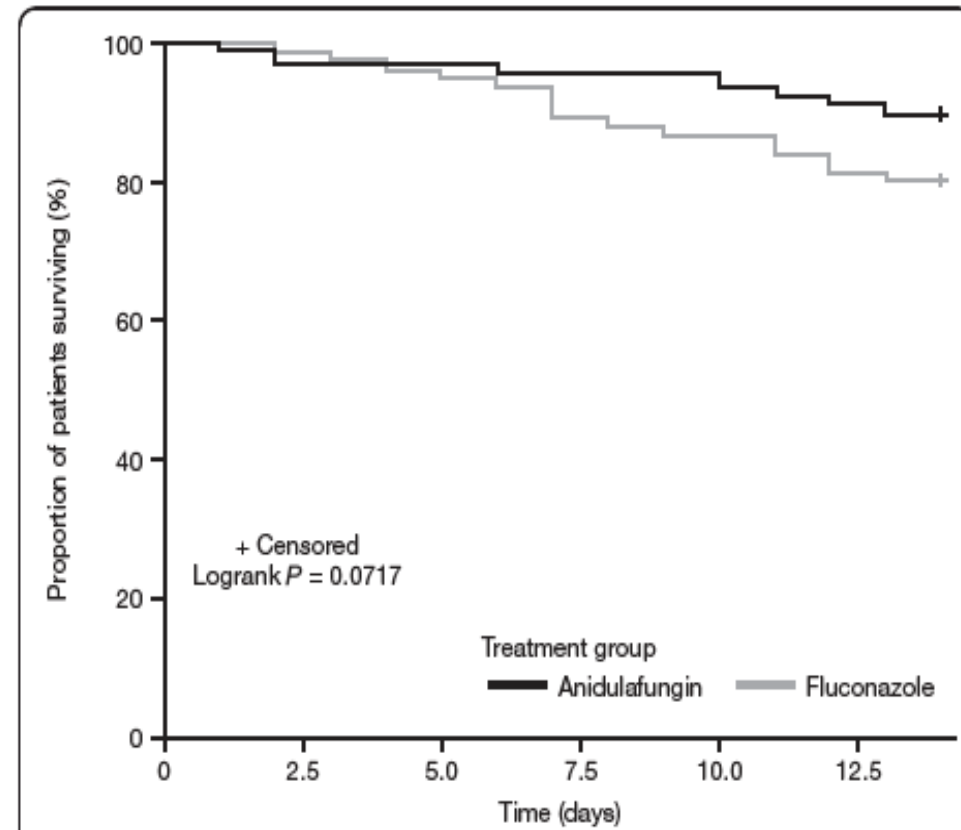
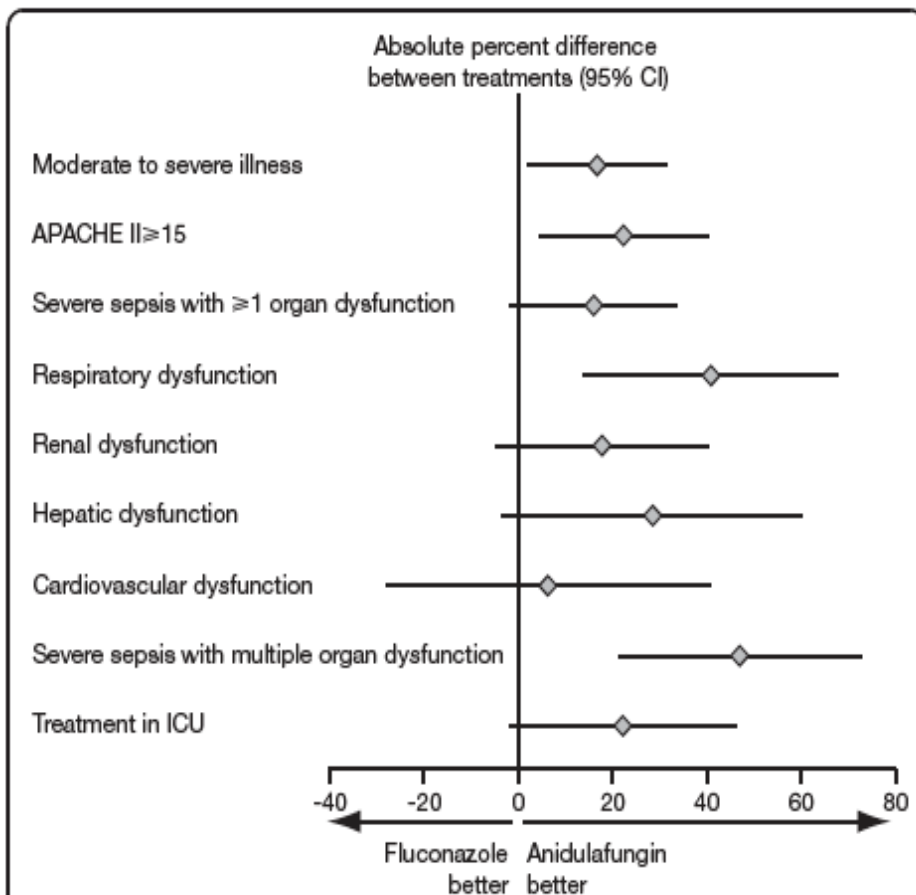
Réponse (MITT)			Différence (%)	95% CI
	Anid N =127	Flu N =118		
Succès, n (%)	96 (75.6)	71 (60.2)	15.42	3.85, 26.99

Anidulafungin vs fluconazole : time to first negative blood culture: *C. albicans*



Anidulafungin compared with fluconazole in severely ill patients with candidemia and other forms of invasive candidiasis: Support for the 2009 IDSA treatment guidelines for candidiasis

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Multivariate analysis of prognostic factors during invasive candidiasis (7 randomized trials)

Andes CID 2012

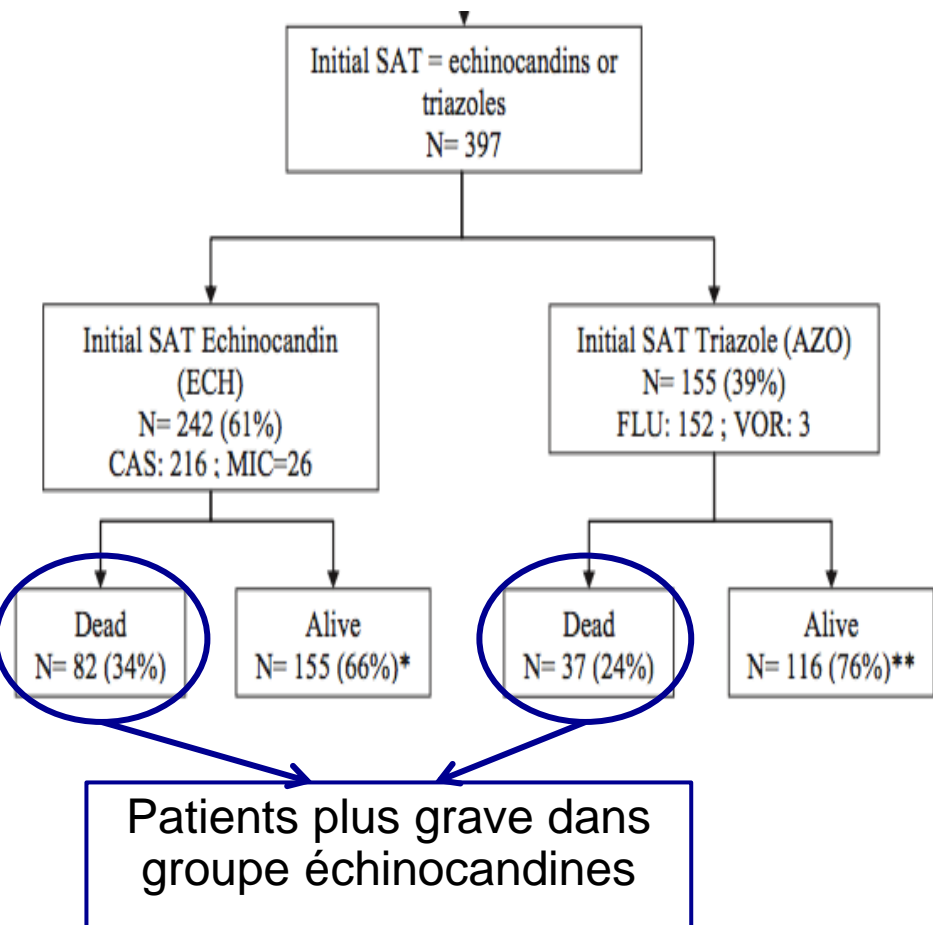
Organisms ^a	Factor	Mortality			Success			
		P	OR	95% CI	Factor	P	OR	95% CI
All organisms (n = 978)	Age	.02	1.01	1.00–1.02	APACHE II	.0001	0.94	.93–.96
	APACHE II score	.0001	1.11	1.08–1.14	Echinocandin	.01	2.33	1.27–4.35
	Immunosuppressive therapy	.001	1.69	1.18–2.44	CVC removed	.001	1.69	1.23–2.33
	<i>Candida tropicalis</i>	.01	1.64	1.11–2.39	Study	NS		
	Echinocandin	.02	0.65	.45–.94				
	CVC removed	.0001	0.50	.35–.72				
	Study	NS						
<i>Candida albicans</i> (n = 408)	APACHE II score	.0001	1.09	1.05–1.13	APACHE II score	.005	0.92	.92–.99
	Immunosuppressive therapy	.002	2.22	1.30–3.70	Echinocandin	.005	3.70	1.49–9.09
	Surgery	.05	0.58	.34–.98	Study	NS		
	Malignancy	.03	1.89	1.05–3.45				
	Echinocandin	.03	0.55	.32–.95				
	CVC removed	.01	0.52	.31–.90				
	Study	NS						
Non- <i>albicans</i> species (n = 570)	APACHE II score	.0001	1.14	1.1–1.17	Age	.004	1.02	1.01–1.03
	Echinocandin	.04	0.52	.36–.78	APACHE II score	.0001	0.93	.91–.96
	CVC removed	.05	0.69	.48–.98	CVC removed	.007	1.74	1.16–2.61

Impact of echinocandin on prognosis of proven invasive candidiasis in ICU: A post-hoc causal inference model using the AmarCAND2 study

403 candidoses invasives prouvées
Choc septique 45 %

Après ajustement
sur facteurs confondants

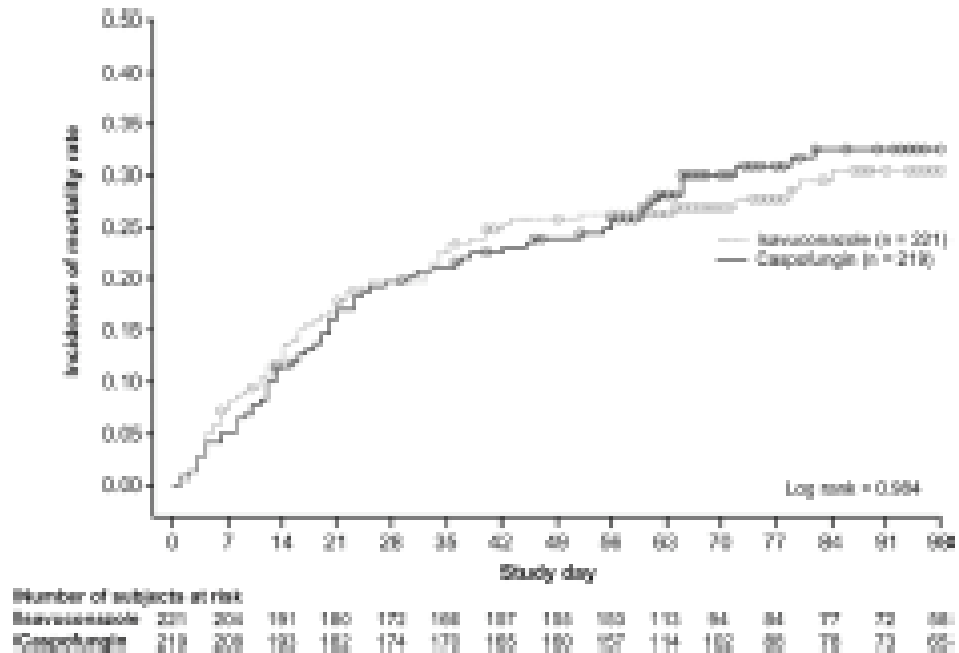
- Mortalité à J28 : pas de différence significative ($p = 0,82$)
- Mortalité à J7 (proche mortalité attribuable) : pas de différence significative ($p = 0,88$)
- Si choc septique :
 - tendance en faveur, des échinocandines (HR: 0.46 [0.19; 1.07]; $p = 0.07$)
 - même après exclusion *C. krusei* et *glabrata* (HR: 0,43 [0,16; 1,13], $p = 0,09$)



Isavuconazole Versus Caspofungin in the Treatment of Candidemia and Other Invasive *Candida* Infections: The ACTIVE Trial

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- Etude de Phase iii
- Randomisée:
- Isavuconazole
- Caspofungine
- Relais PO à J10
- Succès en fin de traitement IV
- 400 patients m ITT 60% isavu vs 71% caspo
- **Pas de non infériorité**



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MIC ($\mu\text{g/ml}$)		MIC ($\mu\text{g/ml}$)	
Species and antifungal drug	Range ^a	Species and antifungal drug	Range ^a
<i>C. albicans</i> (n = 33)		<i>C. krusei</i> (n = 6)	
SCY-078	0.06–0.25	SCY-078	0.5–4
FLC	≤ 0.125 to 128	FLC	64–128
ANF	≤ 0.015 to 1	ANF	0.03–0.25
MCF	≤ 0.015 to 1	MCF	0.03–0.25
CAS	≤ 0.015 to 0.5	CAS	0.06–0.5
VRC	≤ 0.015 to >16	VRC	0.5–1
<i>C. albicans/dubliniensis</i> not further identified (n = 5)		<i>C. parapsilosis</i> (n = 18)	
SCY-078	0.12	SCY-078	0.25–0.5
FLC	≤ 0.125 to 0.25	FLC	0.25–4
ANF	≤ 0.125 to 0.03	ANF	0.06–2
MCF	≤ 0.015 to 0.03	MCF	0.5–2
CAS	≤ 0.015 to 0.03	CAS	0.06–0.5
VRC	≤ 0.015	VRC	≤ 0.015 to 0.12
<i>C. glabrata</i> (n = 23)		<i>C. tropicalis</i> (n = 12)	
SCY-078	0.25–1	SCY-078	0.03–0.5
FLC	2 to >128	FLC	0.25–1
ANF	0.03–1	ANF	≤ 0.015
MCF	≤ 0.015 to 0.5	MCF	≤ 0.015 to 0.06
CAS	≤ 0.015 to 0.5	CAS	≤ 0.015 to 0.06
VRC	0.03–8	VRC	≤ 0.015

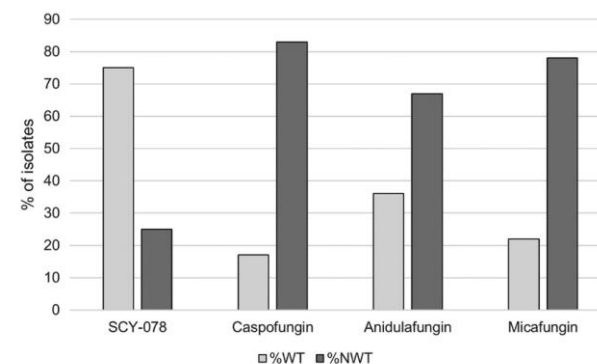


FIG 1 Activity of SCY-078, anidulafungin, caspofungin, and micafungin against strains displaying *FKS* mutations. %WT, percent wild type; %NWT, percent non-wild type (for SCY-078, %NWT is the percent exceeding the wild-type upper-limit value [WT-UL; two 2-fold dilutions higher than the modal MIC value of each WT population]).

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Resistant Strains of *Candida* Species. *Antimicrobial Agents and Chemotherapy* 61(8), e00161-17. <https://dx.doi.org/10.1128/aac.00161-17>

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In Vitro Activity of Ibexafungerp (SCY-078) against *Candida auris* Isolates as Determined by EUCAST Methodology and Comparison with Activity against *C. albicans* and *C. glabrata* and with the Activities of Six Comparator Agents

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TABLE 2 In vitro activity of ibexafungerp (IBX) and comparators against *C. auris* and selected *C. albicans* and *C. glabrata* isolates, as determined by EUCAST E.Def 7.3.1^a

Strain and agent	MIC (mg/liter)														MIC range (mg/liter)	Modal MIC (mg/liter)	MIC ₅₀ (mg/liter)	
	≤0.004	0.008	0.016	0.03	0.06	0.125	0.25	0.5	1	2	4	8	16	32				≥64
<i>C. auris</i> (n = 122)																		
IBX				1	3	33	63	20	2							0.06-2	0.5	0.5
ANI			1	11	33	30	12	12	11	2	1		7			0.016-≥32	0.06	0.125
MCF*			5	30	20	9							8			0.03-≥32	0.125	0.125
AMB*									14	108						0.5-1	1	1
FLU*									1							0.5-≥64	≥64	≥64
VOR*	1			1	1	16	13	34	38	13	5				2	10	100	≤0.004-4
ISA*	20	1	1	19	9	19	21	21	6	5								≤0.004-2
																		Bimodal
																		Trimodal
																		0.5
																		0.125
<i>C. albicans</i> (n = 16)																		
IBX				5	10	1										0.03-0.125	0.06	0.06
ANI																0.008-0.03	0.016	0.016
MCF		4	10	2												0.008-0.03	0.016	0.016
AMB					1	6	9									0.06-0.25	0.25	0.25
FLU						10	6									0.125-0.25	0.125	0.125
VOR	12	4														≤0.004-0.008	≤0.004	≤0.004
ISA	14	2														≤0.004-0.008	≤0.004	≤0.004
<i>C. glabrata</i> (n = 16)																		
IBX						10	6									0.25-0.5	0.25	0.25
ANI			4	12												0.016-0.03	0.03	0.03
MCF			8	8												0.016-0.03	0.016/0.03	0.016
AMB				1		1	11	3								0.03-0.5	0.25	0.25
FLU											6	10				2-4	4	4
VOR				1	13	2										0.03-0.125	0.06	0.06
ISA				1	3	6										0.016-0.125	0.06/0.125	0.06

^aGray-shaded areas indicate concentrations not tested for that particular compound. An underlined value indicates a modal MIC for unimodal distributions but the lowest MIC peak for multimodal distributions, thus illustrating the modal MIC of the presumed wild-type distribution. The MIC distributions for comparator antifungals against *C. auris* indicated by an asterisk (*) are compiled from reference 1 except that isolates above the tested MIC range in that publication were retested using extended concentration ranges.

122 isolats *C. auris*

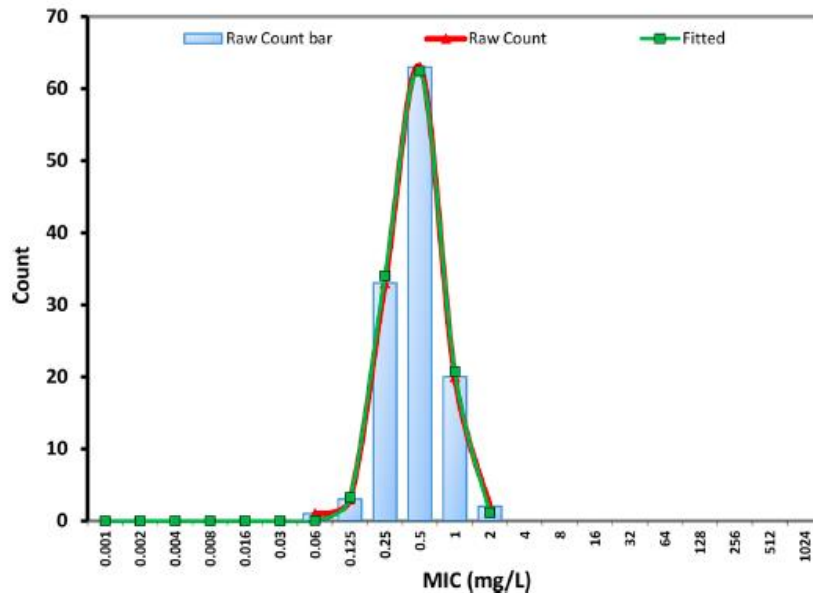


FIG 1 EUCAST MIC distribution for ibexafungerp against 122 clinical *C. auris* isolates. Raw counts are presented as bars and a red curve, whereas the fitted curve was determined by the ECOFF finder program (v2.0) that iteratively fits each subset of the data from left to right.

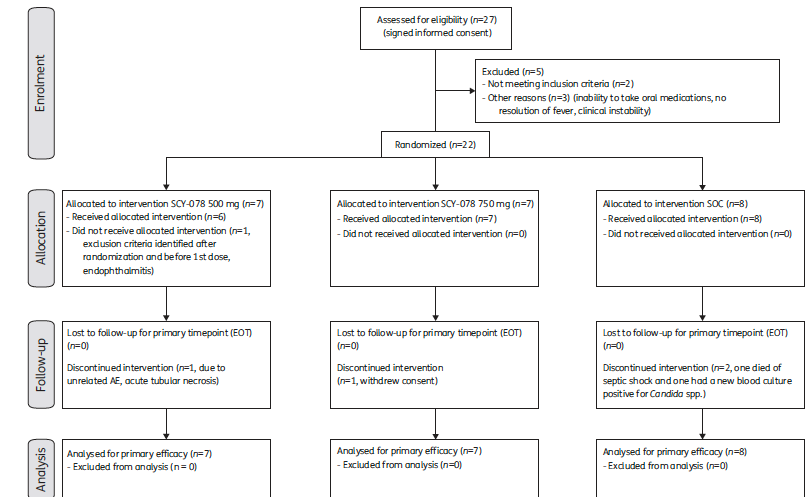
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Phase 2 oral ibrexafungerp following initial echinocandin therapy in non neutropenic patients with invasive candidiasis

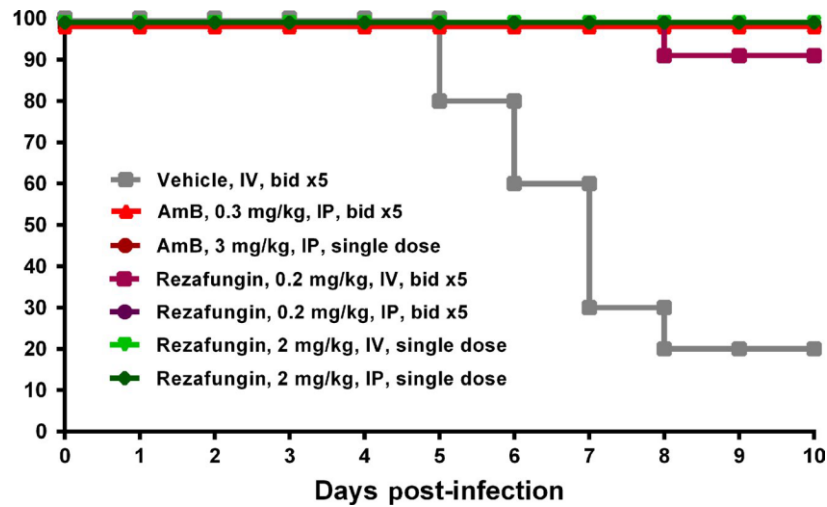
- Meilleure exposition: 1500mg J1 puis 7750mg/j
- Troubles digestifs
- Réponse 6/8 *C. glabrata* et *C. krusei*

Table 2. Global response in the ITT population of 22 patients with invasive candidiasis

	Ibrexafungerp 500 mg (N=7), n (%)	Ibrexafungerp 750 mg (N=7), n (%)	SOC	
			fluconazole (N=7), n (%)	micafungin (N=1), n (%)
EOT				
global response	5 (71)	6 (86)	5 (71)	1 (100)
clinical response	5 (71)	6 (86)	5 (71)	1 (100)
microbiological response	6 (86)	6 (86)	6 (86)	1 (100)
missing	1 (14)	1 (14)	0 (0)	0 (0)
Week 2 post-treatment				
global response	4 (57)	4 (57)	5 (71)	0 (0)
clinical response	4 (57)	4 (57)	5 (71)	0 (0)
microbiological response	4 (57)	4 (57)	5 (71)	0 (0)
missing	2 (29)	3 (43)	2 (29)	1 (100)
Week 6 post-treatment				
global response	3 (43)	2 (29)	4 (57)	0 (0)
clinical response	3 (43)	2 (29)	4 (57)	0 (0)
microbiological response	3 (43)	2 (29)	4 (57)	0 (0)
missing	3 (43)	5 (71)	3 (43)	1 (100)



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ORIGINAL ARTICLE



Rezafungin treatment in mouse models of invasive candidiasis and aspergillosis: Insights on the PK/PD pharmacometrics of rezafungin efficacy

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and W715L upstream and downstream substitutions, correlate with high ibrexafungerp MICs against

- We studied a set of *C. glabrata* ($n = 34$) isolates showing resistance to micafungin and anidulafungin ($n = 28$) or only to anidulafungin ($n = 6$) and harbouring 10 different *FKS2* gene substitutions. Antifungal susceptibility to ibrexafungerp was tested according to European Committee on Antimicrobial Susceptibility Testing (EUCAST) E.Def 7.3.2 procedure and isolates were considered ibrexafungerp non-wild type according to the statistical wtUL (minimum inhibitory concentration [MIC] ≥ 2) or visual wtUL (MIC ≥ 4).
- **Results**
- Ibrexafungerp MICs against the isolates ranged from 0.06 to 4 mg/L. Four *FKS2* gene substitutions ($\Delta F659$, F659S, E655A, and W715L) were exclusively found in isolates showing an ibrexafungerp MIC above the statistical wtUL (≥ 2 mg/L) whereas isolates harbouring other substitutions were found to be ibrexafungerp wild type. The use of the visual wtUL (MIC ≥ 4 mg/L) bisected the population of isolates harbouring such substitutions

Candida glabrata

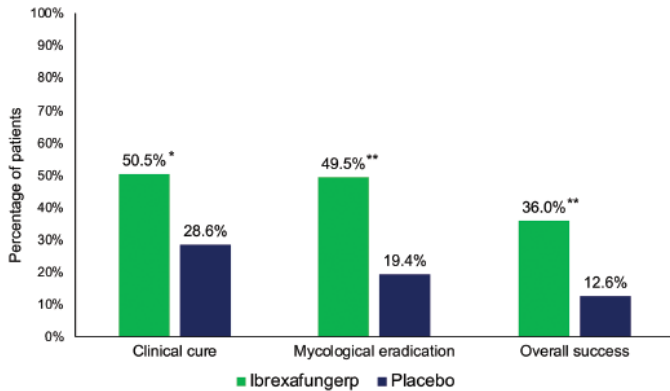
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Ibrexafungerp Versus Placebo for Vulvovaginal Candidiasis Treatment: A Phase 3, Randomized, Controlled Superiority Trial (VANISH 303)

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- CVV aigue
- 2:1 ibrexafungerp (300mg BID J1) vs placebo

A) Efficacy Outcomes at TOC Visit (Day 10)



	Ibrexafungerp (n = 188)	Placebo (n = 98)
Age, y		
Mean ± SD	33.5 ± 10.36	36.0 ± 12.46
Median (min, max)	32.5 (18, 67)	34.0 (17, 66)
Race, n (%)		
White	103 (54.8)	53 (54.1)
Black	73 (38.8)	43 (43.9)
Asian	4 (2.1)	0
American Indian or Alaska Native	2 (1.1)	0
Other	6 (3.2)	2 (2.0)
Ethnicity, n (%)		
Hispanic or Latino	54 (28.7)	18 (18.4)
Non-Hispanic or Latino	134 (71.3)	80 (81.6)
BMI (kg/m ²), n (%)		
≤35	144 (76.6)	76 (77.6)
>35	44 (23.4)	22 (22.4)
Diabetes mellitus		
Yes	18 (9.6)	8 (8.2)
No	170 (90.4)	90 (91.8)
Composite VSS score		
Median (min, max)	9.0 (5, 18)	9.0 (4, 17)
Candida species		
<i>Candida albicans</i>	173 (92.0)	90 (91.8)
<i>Candida glabrata</i>	11 (5.9)	11 (11.2)
<i>Candida tropicalis</i>	4 (2.1)	1 (1.0)
<i>Candida dubliniensis</i>	2 (1.1)	0
<i>Candida lusitanae</i>	1 (0.5)	1 (1.0)
<i>Candida parapsilosis</i>	1 (0.5)	0
<i>Candida krusei</i>	0	1 (1.0)
<i>Saccharomyces</i> species	1 (0.5)	0

Table 3. Summary of Treatment-Related Treatment-Emergent Adverse Events (TEAEs) Reported in >2% of Patients

	Ibrexafungerp (n = 247)	Placebo (n = 124)
Patients with ≥1 TEAE		
Mild	98 (39.7)	21 (16.9)
Moderate	78 (31.6)	17 (13.7)
Severe	24 (9.7)	4 (3.2)
Diarrhea	1 (0.4)	0
Mild	55 (22.3)	5 (4.0)
Moderate	38 (15.4)	4 (3.2)
Severe	17 (6.9)	1 (0.8)
Nausea	27 (10.9)	5 (4.0)
Mild	24 (9.7)	5 (4.0)
Moderate	2 (0.8)	0
Severe	1 (0.4)	0
Abdominal pain	13 (5.3)	0
Mild	12 (4.9)	0
Moderate	1 (0.4)	0
Abdominal discomfort	11 (4.5)	2 (1.6)
Mild	6 (2.4)	2 (1.6)
Moderate	5 (2.0)	0
Dizziness	9 (3.6)	2 (1.6)
Mild	7 (2.8)	2 (1.6)
Moderate	2 (0.8)	0
Abdominal pain upper	7 (2.8)	1 (0.8)
Mild	6 (2.4)	1 (0.8)
Moderate	1 (0.4)	0
Flatulence	6 (2.4)	1 (0.8)
Mild	5 (2.0)	1 (0.8)
Moderate	1 (0.4)	0
Headache	6 (2.4)	3 (2.4)
Mild	5 (2.0)	3 (2.4)
Moderate	1 (0.4)	0

CMI Rezafungin

TABLE 3 (Continued)

Antimicrobial agent	MIC ($\mu\text{g/ml}$)		CLSI ^b		ECV ^b	
	50%	90%	% S	% R	% WT	% NWT
<i>Cryptococcus neoformans</i> var. <i>grubii</i> (n = 73)						
Rezafungin	>4	>4				
Anidulafungin	>4	>4				
Caspofungin	>4	>4				
Micafungin	>4	>4				
Fluconazole	2	4			100.0	0.0
Itraconazole	0.25	0.25			93.5	6.5
Posaconazole	0.12	0.25			97.3	2.7
Voriconazole	0.03	0.12			100.0	0.0
Amphotericin B	0.5	1			52.1	47.9
<i>Aspergillus fumigatus</i> (n = 183)						
Rezafungin	0.015	0.03			100.0	0.0
Anidulafungin	0.015	0.03				
Caspofungin	0.015	0.03			100.0	0.0
Micafungin	≤ 0.008	0.015				
Itraconazole	0.5	1			98.4	1.6
Posaconazole	0.25	0.5				
Voriconazole	0.25	0.5			98.9	1.1
Amphotericin B	1	2			100.0	0.0
<i>Aspergillus</i> section <i>Flavi</i> (n = 45)						
Rezafungin	≤ 0.008	0.015				
Anidulafungin	≤ 0.008	0.015				
Caspofungin	0.015	0.03			100.0	0.0
Micafungin	0.015	0.03				
Itraconazole	0.5	1			100.0	0.0
Posaconazole	0.25	0.5			100.0	0.0
Voriconazole	0.5	1			100.0	0.0
Amphotericin B	2	2			100.0	0.0

^aAbbreviations: S, susceptible; R, resistant; WT, wild type; NWT, non-wild type.

^bCriteria were published in the CLSI M60 document (40). Epidemiological cutoff value (ECV) criteria were published in the CLSI M59 document (41). The ECVs for rezafungin and each species were determined from data in the present study.

^cNonresistant is interpreted as susceptible-dose dependent.

TABLE 3 Antimicrobial activity of rezafungin and comparator agents tested against fungal isolates from the worldwide 2016 to 2018 rezafungin surveillance program^a

Antimicrobial agent	MIC ($\mu\text{g/ml}$)		CLSI ^b		ECV ^b	
	50%	90%	% S	% R	% WT	% NWT
<i>Candida albicans</i> (n = 835)						
Rezafungin	0.03	0.06			99.8	0.2
Anidulafungin	0.015	0.03	100.0	0.0	100.0	0.0
Caspofungin	0.015	0.03	99.9	0.1		
Micafungin	0.015	0.03	99.9	0.1	99.6	0.4
Fluconazole	≤ 0.12	0.25	99.5	0.4	98.1	1.9
Itraconazole	≤ 0.06	0.12				
Posaconazole	0.03	0.06			96.5	3.5
Voriconazole	≤ 0.008	0.015	99.9	0.0	99.0	1.0
Amphotericin B	0.5	1			100.0	0.0
<i>Candida glabrata</i> (n = 374)						
Rezafungin	0.06	0.12			95.7	4.3
Anidulafungin	0.06	0.12	94.4	3.2	96.8	3.2
Caspofungin	0.03	0.06	97.1	2.1		
Micafungin	0.015	0.03	96.0	2.4	93.3	6.7
Fluconazole	2	32	91.4 ^c	8.6	85.6	14.4
Itraconazole	0.5	2			98.7	1.3
Posaconazole	0.25	1			93.0	7.0
Voriconazole	0.06	1			87.2	12.8
Amphotericin B	1	1			100.0	0.0
<i>Candida parapsilosis</i> (n = 329)						
Rezafungin	1	2			100.0	0.0
Anidulafungin	2	2	93.9	0.0	100.0	0.0
Caspofungin	0.25	0.5	100.0	0.0		
Micafungin	1	1	100.0	0.0	100.0	0.0
Fluconazole	0.5	32	86.0	12.5	83.6	16.4
Itraconazole	0.12	0.25				
Posaconazole	0.06	0.12			100.0	0.0
Voriconazole	≤ 0.008	0.25	88.4	0.9	84.5	15.5
Amphotericin B	0.5	1			100.0	0.0
<i>Candida tropicalis</i> (n = 196)						
Rezafungin	0.03	0.06			100.0	0.0
Anidulafungin	0.03	0.06	99.0	1.0	98.0	2.0
Caspofungin	0.015	0.06	99.0	1.0		
Micafungin	0.03	0.06	99.0	1.0	96.4	3.6
Fluconazole	0.25	1	96.9	2.6	94.9	5.1
Itraconazole	0.12	0.5			100.0	0.0
Posaconazole	0.06	0.12			92.9	7.1
Voriconazole	0.015	0.06	96.9	0.0	96.9	3.1
Amphotericin B	0.5	1			100.0	0.0
<i>Candida krusei</i> (n = 77)						
Rezafungin	0.03	0.06			100.0	0.0
Anidulafungin	0.06	0.12	100.0	0.0	100.0	0.0
Caspofungin	0.12	0.25	98.7	0.0		
Micafungin	0.06	0.12	100.0	0.0	100.0	0.0
Fluconazole	32	64				
Itraconazole	0.5	1			100.0	0.0
Posaconazole	0.5	0.5			100.0	0.0
Voriconazole	0.25	0.5	96.1	1.3	96.1	3.9
Amphotericin B	1	2			100.0	0.0
<i>Candida dubliniensis</i> (n = 93)						
Rezafungin	0.06	0.12			100.0	0.0
Anidulafungin	0.03	0.12			100.0	0.0
Caspofungin	0.03	0.03				
Micafungin	0.03	0.03			100.0	0.0
Fluconazole	≤ 0.12	0.25			96.8	3.2
Itraconazole	≤ 0.06	0.25				
Posaconazole	0.03	0.06				
Voriconazole	≤ 0.008	0.015				
Amphotericin B	0.5	0.5				

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Rezafungin In Vitro Activity against Contemporary Nordic
 Clinical Candida Isolates and Candida auris Determined
 by the
 EUCAST Reference Method
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• CMI *C. auris fks1* CMI
 moins élevées Reza vs
 autres echino

Organism	Mutation ^a		MIC ^b (mg/liter)					
	Fks1	Fks2	RZF	ANF	MCF	AMB	FLU	
<i>C. albicans</i>	S645P	NT	1	0.25	2	0.25	0.25	
	D648Y	NT	0.5	0.06	0.125	0.25	0.125	
	P1354S	NT	0.5	0.06	0.125	0.5	>64	
	P1354S	NT	0.25	0.016	0.06	0.5	>32	
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	P1354P/S	NT	0.25	0.03	0.06	0.5	>64	
	P1354P/S	NT	0.25	0.06	0.06	0.5	>64	
	R1361R/S	NT	0.25	0.06	0.125	0.125	0.125	
	R1361G	NT	0.25	0.06	0.125	0.125	0.25	
	R1361G	NT	0.25	0.016	0.06	0.5	64	
	<i>C. glabrata</i>	L630Q	S663F	2	1	0.5	0.5	1
		L630Q	S663F	2	1	0.5	0.5	32
		WT	S663F	2	1	0.5	0.5	2
WT		S663F	1	0.25	0.125	0.125	2	
WT		S663F	0.5	0.25	0.125	0.5	2	
WT		S663F	0.5	0.06	0.06	0.5	2	
WT		S663P	2	1	0.5	0.125	2	
WT		S663P	0.5	0.125	0.125	0.25	4	
Y1429X		Y658N/L664Q	0.5	0.125	0.06	0.125	>32	
WT		F659del	0.5	0.06	0.06	0.25	>64	
<i>C. tropicalis</i>	F650S	NT	1	0.25	1	0.25	0.5	
	S654P	NT	2	2	2	0.5	0.5	
<i>C. dubliniensis</i>	S645P	NT	2	0.25	2	0.03	0.125	
	S645P	NT	1	0.25	2	0.03	0.125	
<i>C. krusei</i>	S659F	NT	1	0.25	4	0.5	32	
<i>C. auris</i>	S639F	NT	16	4	>32	1	>256	
	S639F	NT	16	>32	>32	1	>256	
	S639F	NT	8	>32	>32	1	>256	
	S639F	NT	8	>32	>32	1	>256	
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	S639F	NT	8	>32	>32	1	>256	
	S639F	NT	8	>32	>32	1	>256	
	WT	NT	2	2	0.25	1	>256	
	WT	NT	2	1	0.25	1	256	
	WT	NT	2	0.03	0.03	0.5	256	

Rezafungine sous cutanée phase I

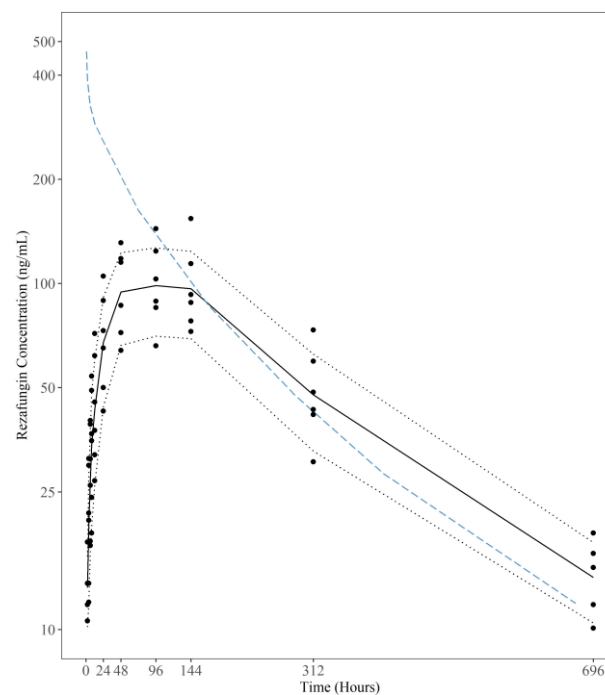


TABLE 1 Number and percentage of subjects experiencing solicited reactogenicity symptoms by symptom and dose group

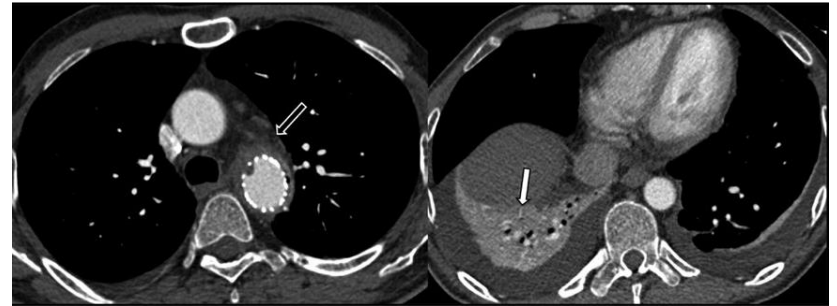
Symptom	Any dose (N = 9)			1 mg (N = 3)			10 mg (N = 6)			Placebo (N = 3)		
	n	%	95% CI	n	%	95% CI	n	%	95% CI	n	%	95% CI
Any symptom	7	78	45, 94	1	33	6, 79	6	100	61, 100	-	-	-
Pain	3	33	12, 65	1	33	6, 79	2	33	10, 70	-	-	-
Tenderness	4	44	19, 73	-	-	-	4	67	30, 90	-	-	-
Pruritus (itching)	1	11	2, 43	-	-	-	1	17	3, 56	-	-	-
Echymosis (bruising), functional grade	2	22	6, 55	-	-	-	2	33	10, 70	-	-	-
Echymosis (bruising), measurement grade	1	11	2, 43	-	-	-	1	17	3, 56	-	-	-
Induration (hardness)/swelling, functional grade	1	11	2, 43	-	-	-	1	17	3, 56	-	-	-
Induration (hardness)/swelling, measurement grade	1	11	2, 43	-	-	-	1	17	3, 56	-	-	-
Erythema (redness), functional grade	6	67	35, 88	-	-	-	6	100	61, 100	-	-	-
Erythema (redness), measurement grade	6	67	35, 88	-	-	-	6	100	61, 100	-	-	-
Nodule, functional grade	5	56	27, 81	-	-	-	5	83	44, 97	-	-	-
Nodule, measurement grade	4	44	19, 73	-	-	-	4	67	30, 90	-	-	-
Ulceration, functional grade	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Ulceration, measurement grade	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

Note: N = Number of subjects in safety population.

Abbreviation: CI, confidence interval.

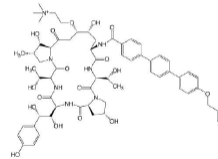


- *We report on the successful ongoing*
- *compassionate use of rezafungin obtained through expanded*
- *access for over 1 year in a patient with a multidrug-resistant*
- *Candida glabrata mediastinal infection from a vascular graft infection*
- *and retained foreign material*



Rezafungin / Cidara

Rezafungin (CD101)



Echinocandin - Non-competitive inhibition of 1,3- β -D-glucan synthase, depleting 1,3- β -D-glucan in cell wall (FKS1 and FKS2)

- Echinocandine action prolongee
- 1 injection IV par semaine

Detailed Description:

A Phase 3, multicenter, prospective, randomized, double-blind, efficacy and safety study of Rezafungin for Injection versus an active comparator regimen of caspofungin followed by optional oral fluconazole step-down therapy in subjects with candidemia and/or invasive candidiasis.

Study Design

Go to

Study Type ⓘ : Interventional (Clinical Trial)

Estimated Enrollment ⓘ : 218 participants

Allocation: Randomized

Intervention Model: Parallel Assignment

Masking: Quadruple (Participant, Care Provider, Investigator, Outcomes Assessor)

Primary Purpose: Treatment

Official Title: A Phase 3, Multicenter, Randomized, Double-blind Study of the Efficacy and Safety of **Rezafungin** for Injection vs. Intravenous Caspofungin Followed by Oral Fluconazole Step Down in the Treatment of Subjects With Candidemia and/or Invasive Candidiasis

Actual Study Start Date ⓘ : October 12, 2018

Estimated Primary Completion Date ⓘ : September 2020

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Rezafungin Versus Caspofungin in a Phase 2, Randomized, Double-blind Study for the Treatment of Candidemia and Invasive Candidiasis: The STRIVE Trial

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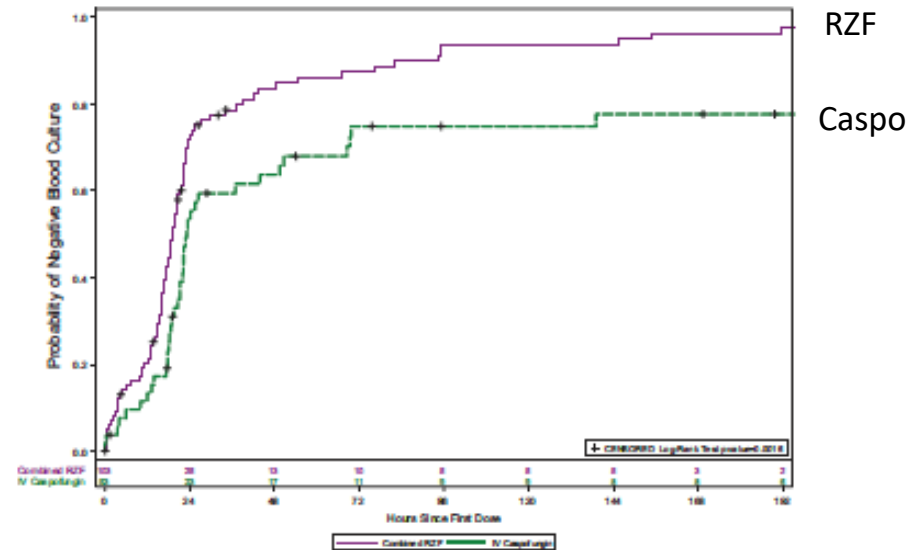
Table 3. Primary Efficacy Endpoint: Overall Response at Day 14 (Microbiological Intent-to-Treat [mITT] Population)—Part A, Part B, and Combined

Overall Response, n (%)	Rezafungin Once Weekly 400 mg N = 76	Rezafungin Once Weekly 400 mg/200 mg N = 46	Caspofungin Once Daily 70 mg/50 mg N = 61
Overall cure	46 (60.5)	35 (76.1)	41 (67.2)
95% CI ^a	[48.6–71.6]	[61.2–87.4]	[54.0–78.7]
Failure/indeterminate	30 (39.5)	11 (23.9)	20 (32.8)
Failure	20 (26.3)	8 (17.4)	17 (27.9)
Indeterminate	10 (13.2)	3 (6.5)	3 (4.9)

Table 5. Secondary Efficacy Outcomes at Day 5 (Microbiological Intent-to-Treat [mITT] Population)—Parts A and B Combined

Endpoint at Day 5, n (%)	Rezafungin Once Weekly 400 mg N = 76	Rezafungin Once Weekly 400 mg/200 mg N = 46	Rezafungin Once Weekly Pooled N = 122	Caspofungin Once Daily 70 mg/50 mg N = 61
Overall cure	42 (55.3)	34 (73.9)	76 (62.3)	34 (55.7)
Mycological success	50 (65.8)	35 (76.1)	85 (69.7)	38 (62.3)

- Rezafungin: demi vie 133h
- Essai de phase 2 randomisé
- Candidémie et candidoses invasives
- RZF 400mg/sem S1 puis 200mg/sem vs 400mg/sem vs Caspo 70mg puis 50mg puis fluco
- Guérison à S2, mortalité à J30
- 207 patients
- Guérison 60%



Risk factors and outcomes of patients with ocular involvement of candidemia

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Plos one, 2019

- 275 FO candidémie dans les 2 semaines
- 59 (21.5%) anomalies:
 - 51 chorioretinites, 8 endophtalmies
 - 11 symptomatiques
- Candidémie persistante, neutropénie dans les 2 semaines précédentes associées au risque d'atteinte ophtalmologique
- 24 patients neutropéniques:
 - 41% atteinte ophtalmo
 - (positive avant sortie aplasie 1/3 des patients)

Quel traitement de première ligne? ECIL-6

Table 4. ECIL-6 recommendations for initial first-line treatment of candidemia.

	Overall population	Hematologic patients
Antifungal therapy		
Micafungin ^a	A I	A II
Anidulafungin	A I	A II ^b
Caspofungin	A I	A II
Liposomal amphotericin B	A I	A II
Amphotericin B lipid complex	B II	B II
Amphotericin B colloidal dispersion	B II	B II
Amphotericin B deoxycholate ^c	C I	C II
Fluconazole ^{d,e}	A I	C III
Voriconazole ^d	A I	B II
Catheter removal^f	A II	B II

^aSee warning box in European label; ^bprovisional grading; ^cclose monitoring for adverse event is required; ^dnot in severely ill unstable patients; ^enot in patients with previous azole exposure; ^fif the catheter cannot be removed, use of an echinocandin or a lipid formulation of amphotericin B is recommended.

Quel traitement en fonction de l'espèce

Table 5. ECIL-6 recommendations for first-line treatment of candidemia after species identification.

Candida species	Overall population		Hematologic patients	
<i>C. albicans</i>	Echinocandins ^a	A I	Echinocandins	A II
	Fluconazole ^b	A I	Fluconazole	C III
	Liposomal amphotericin B	A I	Liposomal amphotericin B	B II
	Amphotericin B lipid complex	A II	Amphotericin B lipid complex	B II
	Amphotericin B colloidal dispersion	A II	Amphotericin B colloidal dispersion	B II
	Amphotericin B deoxycholate	C I	Amphotericin B deoxycholate	C II
<i>C. glabrata</i>	Echinocandins ^a	A I	Echinocandins	A II
	Liposomal amphotericin B	B I	Liposomal amphotericin B	B II
	Amphotericin B lipid complex	B II	Amphotericin B lipid complex	B II
	Amphotericin B colloidal dispersion	B II	Amphotericin B colloidal dispersion	B II
	Amphotericin B deoxycholate	C I	Amphotericin B deoxycholate	C II
<i>C. krusei</i>	Echinocandins ^a	A II	Echinocandins ^a	A III
	Liposomal amphotericin B	B I	Liposomal amphotericin B	B II
	Amphotericin B lipid complex	B II	Amphotericin B lipid complex	B II
	Amphotericin B colloidal dispersion	B II	Amphotericin B colloidal dispersion	B II
	Amphotericin B deoxycholate	C I	Amphotericin B deoxycholate	C II
Oral stepdown	Voriconazole	B I	Voriconazole	C III
<i>C. parapsilosis</i>	Fluconazole	A II	Fluconazole	A III
	Echinocandins ^c	B II	Echinocandins	B III

^aSame grading for anidulafungin, caspofungin, micafungin; ^bnot in severely ill patients; ^cif echinocandin-based regimen introduced before species identification and patient responding clinically and microbiologically (sterile blood cultures at 72 h), continuing use of echinocandin might be considered.

Candidémie et neutropénie: IDSA 2016

- Candidemia neutropenic
 - Echinocandin (strong recommendation; moderate-quality evidence).
 - Lipid formulation of AmB 3-5 mg/kg/d: alternative (strong recommendation; moderate-quality evidence).
 - Fluconazole 400mg: can be used for step down if patient stable, isolate susceptible and blood culture cleared(weak recommendation; low-quality)
- *C. krusei*
 - Echinocandin, lipid formulation AmB or voriconazole
- Duration: 2 w after clearance if symptoms and neutropenia resolved
- FO: 1 w after neutrophil recovery
- CVC removal

Candidémies: mesures associées

- Ablation du cathéter ou de la chambre implantable
- ETT à J5-J7, ETO non systématique (si ETT douteuse ou candidémie persistante à 72 heures); sinon en sortie d'aplasie
- Doppler veineux non systématique: à réaliser en cas de thrombose ou candidémie persistante à 72 heures
- Fond d'œil pour les non neutropéniques dans les 8 jours (sortie aplasie)
- Contrôle de la négativation des hémoculture
- **Traiter même si une seul hémoculture positive en périph ou sur cathéter ou chambre implantable**

Traitement de première ligne candidémie patient non neutropénique

Ligne de traitement	Traitement	Commentaire	Ligne de traitement	Traitement	Commentaire
Durée du traitement	Pendant 14 jours après la dernière hémoculture positive		Durée du traitement	Pendant 14 jours après la dernière hémoculture positive	
1 ^{ère} ligne	<p>Echinocandine :</p> <p>Caspofungine Adulte : 70 mg puis 50 mg ou 70 mg si poids > 80kg x 1/j Dose de charge de 150 mg puis dose de 1 mg/kg/j à discuter chez les patients les + graves (qSOFA>=2) Enfant : 70mg/m² puis 50mg/m² x1/j</p> <p>Ou</p> <p>Micafungine Adulte : 100 mg x 1/j Dose 150 mg/j à discuter chez les patients les + graves Enfant : 2-4 mg/kg/jour</p>	<p>Tester la sensibilité aux échinocandines : en cas de traitement antérieur par échinocandine ou d'infection à <i>Candida glabrata</i> ou <i>parapsilosis</i></p> <p>Si C. parapsilosis : switch pour le fluconazole (si fluco S)</p>	Alternative en cas d'intolérance ou de souche résistante aux autres médicaments	Amphotéricine B liposomale 3 mg/kg x1/j	
Alternative de choix	<p>Fluconazole 12 mg/kg à J1 puis 6 mg/kg x 1/j</p>	<p>Si pas de choc ni antécédent de prise d'azolés</p> <p>Tester la sensibilité aux azolés de principe</p>	Si l'ablation de cathéter ou de chambre implantable impossible	<p>Amphotéricine B liposomale Ou Echinocandine</p>	

Si point de départ urinaire:
 -Fluconazole ou fluconazole forte posologie (maintien de la dose de charge de 12 mg/kg/j) pour le *Candida glabrata* non R (CMI<32)
 -Amho B deoxycholate pour *C. krusei* et *C. glabrata* fluco R

Traitement de première ligne candidémie neutropénique

Ligne de traitement	Traitement	Commentaire									
1 ^{ère} ligne	<p>Echinocandine :</p> <p>Caspofungine Adulte : 70 mg puis 50 mg x 1/j Dose de charge de 140 mg puis dose de 1 mg/kg/j à discuter chez les patients les + graves (<i>qSOFA</i> ≥ 2) Enfant : 70mg/m² puis 50mg/m²/24h</p> <p>Ou</p> <p>Micafungine Adulte : 100 mg x 1/j Dose 150 mg/j à discuter chez les patients les + graves Enfant : 2-4 mg/kg x1/j</p> <p><i>Pendant 14 jours après la dernière hémoculture positive</i></p>	<table border="1"> <thead> <tr> <th></th> <th>Voriconazole</th> <th>En cas d'infection à <i>C. krusei</i></th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>Traitement en cas d'infection à <i>Candida krusei</i></td> <td>Amphotéricine B liposomale Ou Echinocandine <i>Pendant 14 jours après la dernière hémoculture positive</i></td> <td>Posologies citées ci-dessus</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Alternative en cas d'ablation de cathéter ou de chambre implantable impossible</td> <td>Echinocandine <i>Pendant 14 jours après la dernière hémoculture positive</i></td> <td>Posologies citées ci-dessus</td> </tr> </tbody> </table>		Voriconazole	En cas d'infection à <i>C. krusei</i>	Traitement en cas d'infection à <i>Candida krusei</i>	Amphotéricine B liposomale Ou Echinocandine <i>Pendant 14 jours après la dernière hémoculture positive</i>	Posologies citées ci-dessus	Alternative en cas d'ablation de cathéter ou de chambre implantable impossible	Echinocandine <i>Pendant 14 jours après la dernière hémoculture positive</i>	Posologies citées ci-dessus
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Désescalade

<p>Désescalade après 3 à 5 jours si</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - stabilité clinique - souche sensible - négativation des hémocultures - ablation du cathéter 	<p>Fluconazole 12 mg/kg à J1 puis 6 mg/kg x 1/j</p>	<p>Si espèce sensible :</p> <p><i>C. albicans</i> <i>C. parapsilosis</i> <i>C. tropicalis</i></p>
	<p>Voriconazole</p>	<p>En cas d'infection à <i>C. krusei</i></p>

Que le patient soit neutropénique ou non

Durée: 14 jours après négativation hémocultures

Prise en charge des fongémies

- Penser aux basidiomycètes
- Porte d'entrée
- Traitement précoce
- Posologie adaptée
- Molécule en fonction neutropénie, choc, pré exposition, porte d'entrée, retrait cathéter
- Bilan d'extension
- Adapter à l'espèce
- Evaluer la possibilité de désescalade à J5
- Traiter 14 jours après négativation hémocultures

Predisposing factors and outcome of uncommon yeast species-related fungaemia based on an exhaustive surveillance programme (2002–14)

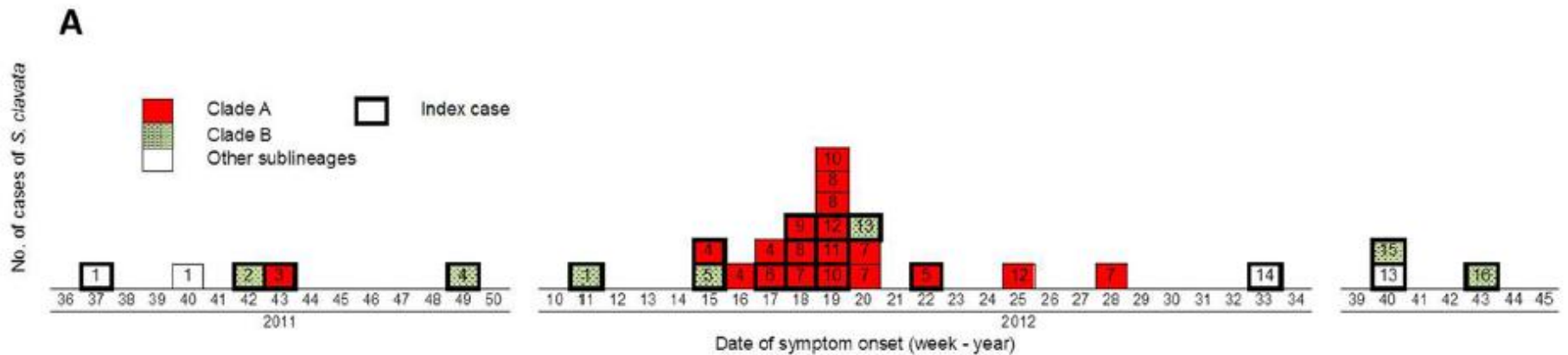
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- 338 episodes rare yeasts infections associated with HM and antifungal preexposure
- *Candida kefyr* and *Trichosporon* associated with HM
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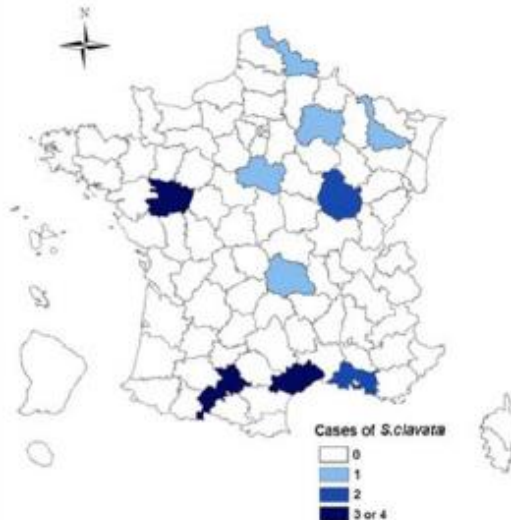
Table 1. Information regarding the 35 uncommon yeast species responsible for 338 episodes of fungaemia (YEASTS program 1 October 2002–31 December 2014)^a

Species (synonym)	Antifungal susceptibility profile of all the isolates tested at the NRCMA					
	Isolates (n)		MIC ₅₀ ^b (range) (mg/L)			
	present study	total tested	AMB	VCZ	FLC	CAS
Ascomycetes	310	839				
<i>Candida dubliniensis</i>	37	75	0.03 (0.03–0.25)	≤0.015 (≤0.015–0.125)	≤0.125 (≤0.125–16)	0.03 (≤0.007–1)
<i>Candida metapsilosis</i>	9	22	0.06 (0.03–0.5)	0.03 (≤0.015–0.06)	1 (0.5–8)	0.125 (0.06–0.5)
<i>Candida orthopsilosis</i>	19	26	0.03 (≤0.015–0.125)	0.03 (≤0.015–4)	0.5 (≤0.125–32)	0.125 (0.03–1)
<i>Meyerozyma guilliermondii</i> (<i>Candida guilliermondii</i>)	20	77	0.03 (≤0.015–0.25)	0.06 (0.03–2)	8 (1–≥64)	0.125 (≤0.007–1)
<i>Meyerozyma caribbica</i> (<i>Candida fermentati</i>)	10	29	0.125 (0.06–0.5)	0.125 (0.03–≥8)	8 (1–≥64)	0.125 (0.03–≥8)
<i>Candida palmialeophila</i>	3	18	0.125 (0.125–0.5)	0.125 (0.06–2)	16 (8–≥64)	0.125 (≤0.007–0.25)
<i>Magnusiomyces capitatus</i> (<i>Geotrichum capitatum</i>)	11	29	0.25 (0.125–2)	0.125 (0.03–1)	16 (1–≥64)	≥8 (≥8–≥8)
<i>Saprochaete clavata</i> (<i>Geotrichum clavatum</i>)	10	80	0.25 (0.125–1)	0.5 (0.03–2)	32 (4–≥64)	≥8 (1–≥8)
<i>Clavispora lusitanae</i> (<i>Candida lusitanae</i>)	59	116	0.125 (≤0.015–1)	≤0.015 (≤0.015–0.5)	0.25 (≤0.125–64)	0.06 (≤0.007–4)
<i>Kodamaea ohmeri</i> (<i>Candida ohmeri</i>)	3	17	0.06 (0.03–0.125)	0.03 (≤0.015–0.25)	8 (1–64)	0.06 (0.03–4)
<i>Candida nivariensis</i>	1	7	0.125 (0.06–0.25)	0.06 (0.06–0.125)	4 (1–8)	0.06 (0.03–0.125)
<i>Candida inconspicua</i>	10	26	0.125 (0.06–0.5)	0.125 (0.06–1)	16 (8–≥64)	0.06 (0.03–0.5)
<i>Pichia norvegensis</i>	13	13	0.125 (0.03–0.125)	0.25 (0.06–0.5)	32 (8–64)	0.06 (0.03–0.06)
<i>Pichia manshurica</i>	1	1	0.25	0.125	64	0.06
<i>Saccharomyces cerevisiae</i>	11	35	0.06 (0.03–0.25)	0.125 (≤0.015–1)	8 (0.25–32)	0.125 (0.03–2)
<i>Kluyveromyces marxianus</i> (<i>Candida kefyr</i>)	69	117	0.125 (0.03–0.5)	≤0.015 (≤0.015–0.25)	0.5 (≤0.125–16)	0.03 (≤0.007–0.5)
<i>Kluyveromyces lactis</i> (<i>Candida sphaerica</i>)	1	2	0.03	≤0.015	0.25–2	0.03
<i>Cyberindarra fabianii</i>	1	5	0.06 (0.03–0.125)	0.03 (≤0.015–0.03)	1 (0.5–2)	0.03 (0.03–0.06)
<i>Cyberindarra jadinii</i> (<i>Candida utilis</i>)	10	18	0.06 (≤0.015–0.125)	0.06 (0.03–1)	1 (0.5–16)	≤0.015 (≤0.007–1)
<i>Wickerhamomyces anomalous</i> (<i>Candida pelliculosa</i>)	8	22	0.06 (0.03–0.125)	0.125 (0.03–0.5)	2 (0.5–8)	0.06 (0.03–0.5)
<i>Candida haemulonii</i>	2	37	0.5 (0.125–≥8)	≥8 (0.125–≥8)	32 (4–≥64)	0.03 (≤0.007–0.25)
<i>Candida duobushaemulonii</i>	2	35	2 (0.125–≥8)	≥8 (0.125–≥8)	32 (8–≥64)	0.03 (≤0.007–1)
<i>Candida rugosa</i>	1	1	2	0.03	1	0.06
<i>Candida paratubosa</i>	1	5	0.25 (0.125–0.25)	0.125 (≤0.015–0.25)	8 (4–8)	0.125 (0.06–0.5)
<i>Candida rugosa</i>	3	7	0.25 (0.125–0.5)	0.06 (≤0.015–0.25)	4 (1–16)	1 (0.06–≥8)
<i>Candida catenulata</i>	1	1	0.06	≤0.015	0.5	0.125
<i>Yarrowia lipolytica</i>	4	18	0.25 (0.125–2)	0.06 (≤0.015–0.25)	4 (1–16)	0.25 (0.06–4)
Basidiomycetes	28	87				
<i>Trichosporon bubieri</i>	1	1	1	0.03	2	4
<i>Trichosporon dermatis</i>	1	4	0.03–0.5	0.03–0.06	4–≥64	4–≥8
<i>Trichosporon mucoides</i>	1	1	0.06	0.125	2	≥8
<i>Trichosporon asahii</i>	9	37	2 (0.25–≥8)	0.125 (≤0.015–0.5)	4 (0.25–32)	4 (2–≥8)
<i>Trichosporon japonicum</i>	1	1	0.25	≤0.015	1	4
<i>Trichosporon inkin</i>	6	9	0.5 (0.25–2)	≤0.015 (≤0.015–0.25)	4 (0.25–16)	4 (2–≥8)
<i>Rhodotorula mucilaginosa</i>	8	27	0.25 (0.125–1)	2 (0.03–≥8)	≥64 (32–≥64)	≥8 (≥8–≥8)
<i>Malassezia pachydermatis</i>	1	7	NA	NA	NA	NA

Epidémie française de *Saprochaeta clavata*



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Hémopathies

Sept 2011-Oct 2012

26 hémocultures positives

22 décès

Clone A épidémique

Traitement: voriconazole



Invasive *Trichosporon* Infection: a Systematic Review on a Re-emerging Fungal Pathogen

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TABLE 1 | Characteristics of 203 cases of invasive *Trichosporon* infection according to the underlying conditions.

	Groups of patients				p-value
	Hemopathies	Other immunodeficiency conditions	Newborns	Miscellaneous	
No. of cases (%)	79 (39)	41 (21)	25 (12)	58 (28)	
Age (Mean ± SD)	39.5 ± 21.58	39.3 ± 22.2	NA ^a	46.8 ± 23.1	NS ^b
Sex ratio (F/M)	21/53 0.39	14/23 0.6	8/9 0.8	24/34 0.7	NS
AT THE TIME OF DIAGNOSIS (%)					
Neutropenia	67 (85)	3 (8)	0 (0)	0 (0)	<0.0001
CVC ^c	36 (46)	15(36)	12 (48)	19 (34)	NS
Breakthrough infection	59 (74)	12 (27)	2 (8)	9(16)	<0.0001
Previous antimicrobial therapy	65 (82)	24 (58)	24 (96)	39 (67)	0.005
CLINICAL PRESENTATION					
Dissminated	79 (100)	25 (61)	25 (100)	33 (56)	<0.0001
w/skin lesions	27 (34)	7 (28)	0 (0)	4 (12)	0.001
w/pulmonary lesions	33 (42)	6 (24)	1 (5)	3 (9)	0.0003
w/liver and/or spleen lesions	11 (14)	1 (4)	0 (0)	1 (3)	0.06
Localized deep-seated infections	0 (0)	16 (39)	0 (0)	25 (44)	<0.0001
SPECIES					
<i>Trichosporon asahii</i> ^d	32(40)	20 (48)	16 (64)	27 (46)	NS
<i>Trichosporon inkin</i> ^e	1 (1)	9 (22)	0 (0)	6 (11)	0.0003
<i>Trichosporon mucoides/dermatis</i> ^{f,g}	2 (2)	4 (9)	3 (12)	2 (3)	NS
Other Species ^h	4 (5)	2 (5)	1 (4)	5 (10)	NS

Mortalité 44%

Voriconazole, moins de mortalité, CMI plus basse sur tous les isolats

Epidemiology and outcome of *Rhodotorula* infection in haematological patients

- *Rhodotorula* spp. are emergent opportunistic pathogens, particularly in haematological patients.
- 29 reported fungaemias
- acute leukaemia (65.5%)
- *Rhodotorula mucilaginosa* was the species found more frequently (79.3%).
- presence of central venous catheter (100%) and neutropenia (62.1%).
- (81.5%) received amphotericin B.
- The overall mortality was higher (13.8%) than that described in non-haematological patients (5.8% in solid-organ neoplasms and 9% in AIDS or other chronic diseases).
- Patients with acute leukaemia had a higher mortality rate (15.7%) than patients with non-Hodgkin's lymphoma (0%).



Original Article

Central nervous system candidiasis beyond neonates: Lessons from a nationwide study

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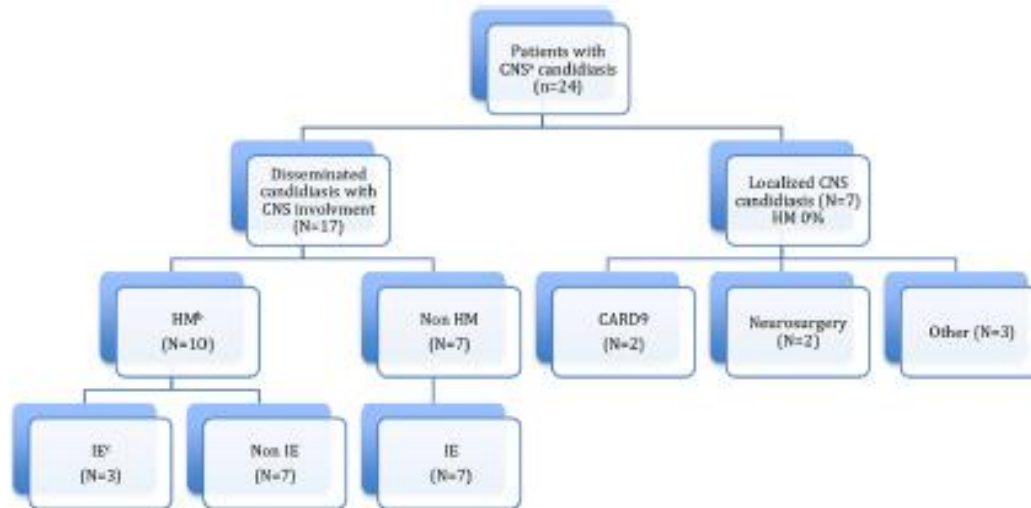


Table 1. Underlying conditions and clinical characteristics of 24 patients with central nervous system candidiasis.

Patients and clinical characteristics	All (n = 24)	Disseminated (n = 17)			Localized (n = 7)
		All (n = 17)	HM ^a (n = 10)	Non HM (n = 7)	
Endocarditis (%)	10 (42)	10 (59)	3 (30)	7 (100)	0
Male sex (%)	14 (58)	11 (65)	5 (50)	6 (86)	3 (43)
Median age years (range)	51 [6–82]	52 [9–82]	51 [9–75]	52 [27–82]	50 [6–72]
Underlying conditions					
Neutropenia, month before (%)	9 (38)	9 (53)	9 (90)	0	0
Therapeutic LP ^b	7	7	7	0	0
Prosthetic valve (%)	4 (17)	4 (24)	0	4 (57)	0
IVDU ^c (%)	4 (17)	3 (18)	0	3 (43)	1 (14)
CARD9 deficiency (%)	2 (8)	0	0	0	2 (29)
Diabetes mellitus (%)	2 (8)	1 (14)	0	1 (14)	1 (14)
Recent neurosurgery (%)	2 (8)	0	0	0	2 (29)
HIV (AIDS stage)	1 (4)	1 (14)	1	0	0
Other (%)	2 (10)	1 (6)	0	1 (14)	1 (14)
Symptoms					
Fever (%)	20 (83)	14 (82)	10 (100)	4 (57)	6 (86)
Headache (%)	8 (33)	3 (18)	3 (30)	0	5 (71)
ICHT ^d signs (%)	7 (29)	1 (6)	1 (10)	0	6 (86)
Focal sign (%)	11 (46)	8 (47)	3 (30)	5 (71)	3 (43)
Impaired consciousness (%)	5 (21)	5 (29)	3 (30)	2 (28)	0
Ocular (%)	3 (13)	2 (12)	2 (20)	0	1 uveitis (14)
Positive blood cultures (%)	14 (59)	14 (82)	7 (70)	7 (100)	0
Extraneurological locations					
> 1 location (%)	–	7 (41)	5 (50)	2 (28)	0
Spleen (%)	–	8 (47)	5 (50)	3 (43)	0
Liver (%)	–	4 (24)	4 (40)	0	0
Kidney (%)	–	5 (29)	4 (40)	1 (14)	0
Arthritis (%)	–	2 (12)	1 (10)	1 (14)	0
Laboratory meningitis (%)	8/13 (62)	2/7 (29)	2/7 (29)	0/0	6 (100)
MRI performed					
MRI meningitis	n=19	n=12	n=7	n=5	n=7
Abscesses	7 (37)	2 (20)	1 (14)	1 (20)	5 (71)
Micro-abscesses ^e	11 (58)	7 (58)	5 (71)	2 (40)	4 (57)
Macro-abscesses	9 (47)	7 (58)	5 (71)	2 (40)	2 (29)
Empyema	3 (16)	0	0	0	3 (43)
Vascular complications	1 (5)	0	0	0	1 (14)
Haemorrhage	9 (47)	8 (67)	4 (57)	4 (80)	1 (14)
Ischemia	7 (37)	7 (58)	4 (57)	3 (60)	0
Aneurysm	5 (26)	4 (33)	1 (14)	3 (60)	1 (14)
	0	0	0	0	0

Table 2. Laboratory characteristics of 24 patients with central nervous system candidiasis.

Laboratory characteristics	All (n = 24)	Disseminated (n = 17)		Localized (n = 7)
		HM ^a (n = 10)	Non HM (n = 7)	
CSF^b analysis	n = 13	n = 7	n = 0	n = 6
Meningitis (%)	8 (62)	2 (29)	-	6 (100)
Median leucocyte count (/mm ³)	46 [3-410]	11 [3-20]	-	176 [9-410]
Median lymphocyte %	73 [29-96]	29	-	80 [65-96]
Median neutrophils %	27 [2-62]	62	-	20 [2-60]
Clinical ICHT ^c	7	1	-	6
IC ^d pressure (cmH ₂ O)	-	-	-	35
Protein (g/L)	1.09 [0.19-5.69]	0.44 [0.19-1.09]	-	1.33 [0.36-5.69]
Hypoglycorachia (%)	5 (38)	2 (29)	-	3 (50)
Positive microscopic exam (%)	2 (15)	0	-	2 (33)
Positive culture (%)	4 (31)	1 (14)	-	3 (50)
Positive BG ^e	6/7	3/4	-	3/3
Median positive BG (pg/ml)	377 [122->500]	495 [122->500]	-	259 [151 - >500]
Positive <i>Candida</i> mannan Ag	4/5	2/2	-	2/3
Blood				
Median C reactive protein (mg/l)	108 [12-385]	135 [75-385]	98 [12-284]	2.7 [1-15.5]
Positive blood cultures (%)	14 (58)	7 (70)	7 (100)	0
Positive serum BG (%)	14/14 (100)	7/7 (100)	2/2 (100)	5/5 (100)
Median serum BG (pg/ml)	453 [95-500]	500 [95-500]	357 [214-500]	188 [145-407]
Positive mannan antigen and/or anti-mannan antibody (%)	10/14 (71)	4/6 (67)	2/2 (100)	4/6 (67)

Table 3. Treatment and outcome of 24 patients with CNS candidiasis.

Treatment and outcome	All (n = 24)	Disseminat
		HM ^a (n = 10)
Antifungal treatment		
L.AmB ^b (%)	19 (79)	9 (90)
Median days L.AmB	23 [11-92]	28 [11-47]
SFC (%)	19 (79)	8 (80)
Median days SFC	19 [4-92]	24 [6-44]
Fluconazole (%)	17 (71)	6 (60)
Echinocandin (%)	6 (25)	3 (30)
Combination (%)	20 (83)	9 (90)
Median days AF duration	82 [3-393]	36 [3-158]
Secondary AF prophylaxis (%)	4 (17)	1 (10)
Surgery		
EVD ^c (%)	4 (17)	0
Neurosurgery (%)	2 (8)	0
Evolution		
Sequela (%)	3 (30)	0
Death at 3 months	7 (29)	6 (60)
Death with evolutive infection (%)	10 (42)	7 (70)

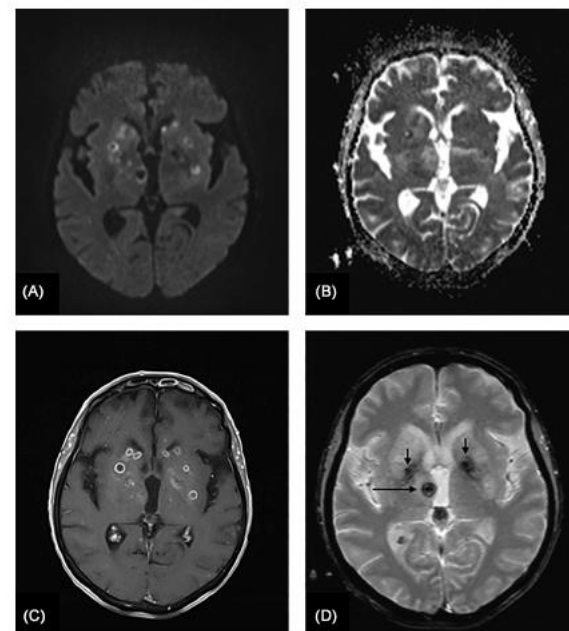


Figure 3. MRI of a patient with disseminated infection without IE during neutropenia. (A) Diffusion Weighted Imaging (DWI) (with b-values of 1000 s/mm²) and (B) ADC cartography show multiple micro and macro abscesses in the corpus callosum with a variable diffusion signal and cartography ADC value. (C) A micro-abscesses enhance on gadolinium-enhanced 3DT1-weighted image. (D) Axial T2* Image shows micro-abscess hemorrhagic phenomena (black arrow) and basal ganglia common calcifications (black arrowhead).