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ABSTRACT

In response to the challenge and crisis of prevalence of multi-drug resistant pathogens, the major targets of the present study adopted two strategies and conducted in two parts. The major target of the first part was geared to explore a new bioactive metabolite from marine *Streptomyces* 10SAE while the other to steer and slow the evolutionary path of resistance using antibiotic adjuvant. The productivity and potency of the synthesized biomolecule(s) found to be medium and microorganism dependent. The optimum conditions for maximal productivity of bioactive metabolite using starch casein nitrate broth (SCNB) as reference medium simultaneously with shrimp shell (SS) as a monocomponent medium were as follow: 20% v/v loading volume, 2 or 3% v/v of 3-days old spores' suspension as inoculum size, agitation speed 180 rpm, initial pH 6.5-7.5 at 30 - 35°C for 5 days. The highest productivity of bioactive compound(s) was achieved at gl^{-1} : starch, 10; KNO_3 , 2.0; casein, 0.3; K_2HPO_4 , 2.5; $\text{MgSO}_4 \cdot 7\text{H}_2\text{O}$, 0.5; $\text{FeSO}_4 \cdot 7\text{H}_2\text{O}$, 0.01; NaCl, 5.0 and CaCO_3 , 0.02. SS at 5.0 gl^{-1} proved its significance as a cheap suitable medium be better than or at least on par with SCNB. Antibacterial activity of the petroleum ether extract was more potent than crude filtrate. Minimum inhibition concentration (MIC) values of extract were generally lower than those obtained by reference antibiotics and minimum bactericidal concentration were 1- 4 folds of MIC values. The extract did not show any cytotoxic activity either against human tumor or normal cells up to 100 $\mu\text{g ml}^{-1}$. All the separated purified fractions using the silica gel column chromatography gave single separated band with similar retention factor (R_f) value of 0.90 on TLC. Based on spectroscopic analyses, the purified bioactive compound was identified according to Scifinder as a novel phthalate derivative, bis (2- ethyl hexadecyl) phthalate with a molecular formula of $\text{C}_{44}\text{H}_{78}\text{O}_4$. Evolution studies revealed that the ancestral *Pseudomonas aeruginosa* PAO1 and PA14 are susceptible to piperacillin (P) alone at 6.25 $\mu\text{g ml}^{-1}$ (MIC); MIC dose led to the rapid evolution of resistance in treatments of P alone within 3 passages; tazobactam (T) at medium and equal ratios led to the reduction in growth at passage 10. Phenotypic characterization using Bayesian model illustrated the robustness of adjuvant in restoring the efficacy of P again when the evolution resulted from P alone. Presence of T in combination with P at the beginning reduces the ability to restore antibiotic effectiveness and thus limits the opportunities for future treatments. Whole genome sequencing using CARD identified different mutations related to efflux pump, antibiotic inactivation, antibiotic target alteration, and β -lactamase expression regulator in PAO1 and PA14. Measuring the emergence of resistance to P quantitatively revealed a sharp decrease in P concentration in all treatments compared to the ancestors as a result of the presence of β -lactamase that inactivates P.

Key words: Marine *Streptomyces*, Antimicrobial activity, Bis (2- ethylhexadecyl) phthalate, MIC, Evolution.

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