



Supplemental data 1. Morphological examination of lungs from a guinea pig

3 infected with MTB.

4 The morphology of the lung lesions in a lung tissue section from a guinea pig after 5 infection with MTB Kurono strain for 4 weeks. (A) Guinea pig lungs were stained by 6 H&E and auramine staining (the fluorescence image). Area A: A single granuloma 7 showing a central necrotic lesion, Area B: Central calcification was found in a single 8 granuloma, Area C: showing an increased number of epithelioid cells. The position of 9 auramine staining is indicated by a circle with an arrow. TB bacilli are indicated by the 10 green fluorescence. (B) A whole lung section stained by immunohistochemistry for 11 pimonidazole, an agent used to identify hypoxic regions (14). Pimonidazole positive 12 staining (brownish color) can be seen in granulomas in regions surrounding the central 13 necrosis lesions, as necrotic areas themselves cannot be stained due to the lack of live 14 cells. The corresponding area of H&E staining, as shown in Figure 3B, is indicated by the 15 dashed line rectangle.

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19 treatment.

- Representative lung sections after 4 weeks of treatments with (A) D, (B) RHZ, (C) 20
- 21 LEtZA, (D) DRZ, and (E) DLEtZA. Animals in each group were sacrificed and lungs
- were stained by H&E, auramine (to stain TB bacilli, showing as green fluorescence), and 22
- pimonidazole (to stain hypoxic lesions as brownish color) staining. The position of 23

24	auramine staining is indicated by a rectangle with a dotted line. MTB bacilli were
25	observed in the lungs treated with standard first-line treatment RHZ (B) and MDR-TB
26	regimen LEtZA (C). Importantly, the hypoxic lesions were clearly absent in lungs treated
27	with DRZ (D replaced H in the first-line regimen) (D) or DLEtZA (D with a MDR-TB
28	regimen) (E). (D: DLM, 100 mg/kg; R: RIF, 25mg/kg; H: INH, 25mg/kg; Z: PZA,
29	150mg/kg; L: LVX, 50mg/kg; Et: ETO, 50 mg/kg; A: AMK, 150 mg/kg)
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DLM in	Dose	Concentration (μ g/mL or g)							C_{max}	AUCt	t _{max}	t _{1/2}
guinea pigs	(mg/kg)	1h	2h	4h	8h	16h	24h	48h	(μg/mL or g)	(µg∙h/mL or g)	(h)	(h)
Dlacma	100	0.05	0.12	0.20	0.53	0.51	0.08	0.01	0.53	9.45	8	6.07
Plasma		± 0.02	± 0.05	± 0.10	± 0.14	± 0.42	± 0.02	± 0.01				0.07
Ŧ	100	1.17	2.05	3.66	5.86	10.83	2.12	0.28	10.83	174.05	16	6.48
Lung		± 0.51	± 0.84	± 2.70	± 2.54	± 11.68	± 0.84	± 0.14		174.25	16	
Lung wt (g) of each		ich (Control	D		RHZ	D	RZ	LEtZA	A DLH	EtZA	-
means				3.02			2.49				2.75	
n	neans		10.38	3.0	2	3.02	2.	49	2.44	2.	75	-
n	neans SD	:	10.38 ± 2.67	3.0 ± 0.	2 20	3.02 ± 0.31	2. ± (.49).35	2.44 ± 0.09	$\begin{array}{c} 2.\\ \pm 0 \end{array}$	75).23	_
n Lung w grou	neans SD t (g) of ea p (8 wk)	ach C	10.38 ± 2.67	3.0 ± 0.	220	3.02 ± 0.31 RHZ	2. ± (D	.49).35 RZ	2.44 ± 0.09	2. ± 0	75).23 EtZA	-
n Lung w grou n	neans SD t (g) of ea p (8 wk) neans	ach C	10.38 ± 2.67 Control [*] 8.77	3.0 ± 0. D 3.1	2 20 8	3.02 ± 0.31 RHZ 2.46	2. ± (D	49).35 RZ 58	2.44 ± 0.09 LEtZA 2.48	2. ± (A DLH 2.	75).23 EtZA 49	-

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52 Supplemental data 3. Carryover of DLM at 100 mg/kg in guinea pig lungs. (A)

53 Plasma and lung concentrations of DLM after oral administration at a dose of 100 mg/kg 54 in guinea pigs. Based on the mean concentration of DLM in the lungs at 48 h (0.28 μ g/g) 55 and the half-life parameter (6.48 h), the concentration of DLM in the lungs after 74 h at a 56 dose of 100 mg/kg was calculated to be about 0.018 µg/g. Each value represents the mean 57 \pm SD (n = 3). The pharmacokinetic parameters were calculated using WinNonlin 58 software (version 6.1). (B) The mean lung weights of the animals in each regimen group 59 (D: DLM; R: RIF; H: INH; Z: PZA; L: LVX; Et: ETO; A: AMK). The mean weight of 60 lungs in the treated groups did not exceed 3.18 g. Each value represents the mean \pm SD (n 61 = 3, except for Control 8w, as described above). After adding 5 mL of sterile distilled 62 water, the concentration of DLM in lung homogenates at the time of plating was 63 calculated to be about 0.007 µg/mL, which is lower than the MIC of DLM against MTB 64 Kurono (0.012 μ g/mL).



66 Supplemental data 4. Lung CFU of MTB infected guinea pigs treated with DLM,

67 **RIF, and INH for 4 weeks.**

Guinea pigs were infected with MTB Kurono by an intratracheal inoculation. After 4 weeks post-infection, chemotherapy was initiated and the dosing frequency was 5 days per week by oral gavage. Viable bacterial numbers in whole lungs were counted after the treatment with DLM (10mg/kg), RIF (25mg/kg), or INH (25 mg/kg) for 4 weeks (three animals per group). Each value represented the mean of triplicate samples \pm SD of three replicates. **: *P* < 0.01. *: *P* < 0.05 vs. Control.

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82 Supplemental data 5. Histological analysis of lung lesions from guinea pigs treated

83 with DLM, RIF, and INH for 4 weeks.

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84 After 4 weeks of treatments with (A) Control, (B) DLM (10 mg/kg), (C) INH (25 mg/kg),

and (D) RIF (25 mg/kg), the animals in each group were sacrificed and lungs were

stained by H&E and auramine (to stain TB bacilli) staining. The position of auramine

- 87 staining is indicated by a circle pointed to by an arrow within a granuloma. Note that
- 88 DLM at this lowered dose and RIF moderately reduced the number of TB bacilli within a
- 89 granuloma, while INH had no apparent effect.