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## **Supplemental Information**

## Mode of Action of Kanglemycin A, an Ansamycin

#### Natural Product that Is Active against

#### **Rifampicin-Resistant** *Mycobacterium tuberculosis*

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**Figure S1.** *Related to Fig. 1B.* **A.** Mass spectrum of KglA showing peaks at 1004.3866, 1020.3632 and 1985.7900 Da, assigned as  $[M+Na]^+ [M+K]^+$  and  $[2M+Na]^+$  respectively. **B.** Crystallographically determined structure of KglA (from synchrotron data). Non-H atoms are labelled. **C.** 500 MHz <sup>1</sup>H NMR spectra of KglA in CDCl<sub>3</sub>. **D.** 125 MHz <sup>13</sup>C{<sup>1</sup>H} NMR spectra of KglA in CDCl<sub>3</sub>.

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Atom	δα			1 <sub>H</sub>	1		<sup>13</sup> C- <sup>1</sup> H (HMBC)
no.	υc	δ <sub>H</sub>	Protons	Multiplicity	J (Hz)	<sup>1</sup> H- <sup>1</sup> H (COSY)	
25	42.1	2.54	1	d	16.8	2.66 ( <b>35</b> )	1 18 (27) 1 22 (28)
33	45.1	2.66	1	d	16.8	2.54 ( <b>35</b> )	1.10 (37), 1.25 (30)
36	172.0	-	-	-	-	-	2.54 ( <b>35</b> ), 2.66 ( <b>35</b> )
34	40.4	-	-	-	-	-	2.54 ( <b>35</b> ), 2.66 ( <b>35</b> ), 1.18 ( <b>37</b> ), 1.23 ( <b>38</b> )
38	24.6	1.23	3	s	-	-	2.54 ( <b>35</b> ), 2.66 ( <b>35</b> )
37	25.7	1.18	3	s	-	-	2.54 ( <b>35</b> ), 2.66 ( <b>35</b> )
33	176.0	-	-	-	-	-	2.54 (35), 2.66 (35), 1.18 (37), 1.23 (38), 5.07 (31)
31	67.7	5.07	1	"q"	6.4	1.09 (32)	3.70 (21), 1.09 (32), 5.83 (19)
32	19.3	1.09	3	d	6.4	5.07 ( <b>31</b> )	5.07 ( <b>31</b> ), 2.17 ( <b>20</b> )
20	52.4	2.17	1	"t"	9.7	5.83 (19), 3.70 (21)	5.97 (18), 5.83 (19), 5.07 (31), 3.70 (21), 3.52 (OH), 1.87 - 1.81 (22)
19	133.6	5.83	1	dd	15.6, 9.7	5.97 (18), 2.17 (20)	6.17 (17), 5.97 (18), 5.07 (31), 3.70 (21), 2.17 (20), 2.06 (30)
18	127.9	5.97	1	dd	15.9, 6.2	6.17 ( <b>17</b> ), 5.83 ( <b>19</b> )	5.83 ( <b>19</b> ), 2.17 ( <b>20</b> ), 2.06 ( <b>30</b> )
17	129.6	6.17	1	"dt"	6.2, 1.3	5.97 ( <b>18</b> ), 2.06 ( <b>30</b> )	5.97 (18), 5.83 (19), 2.06 ( <b>30</b> )
16	132.5	-		-	-	-	5.97 ( <b>18</b> ), 5.83 ( <b>19</b> ), 2.06 ( <b>30</b> )
30	20.5	2.06	3	S	-	6.17 (17)	6.17 (17)
15	171.0	-		-	-	-	8.35 (NH), 6.17 ( <b>17</b> ), 2.06 ( <b>30</b> )
21	68.5	3.70	1	d	10.1	2.17 (20)	5.83 (19), 5.07 (31), 3.52 (OH), 2.86 (23), 2.17 (20), 1.87 – 1.81 (22), 0.95 (39)
22	33.5	1 87-1 81 (overlan <b>45</b> )	2 <sup>[a]</sup>	m		0.95 ( <b>39</b> )	2 86 ( <b>23</b> ) 2 17 ( <b>20</b> ) 0 95 ( <b>39</b> )
39	12.4	0.95	-	d	7.0	1 87 – 1 81 (22)	3 70 (21) 2 86 (23) 1 87 - 1 81 (22)
23	78.5	2.86	1	d	10.3	1.60 (24)	4 39 (25) 3 70 (21) 1 87 - 1 81 (22) 1 60 (24) 0 95 (39) 0 70 (40)
24	36.6	1.60	1	m	10.5	2 86 ( <b>23</b> ) 0 70 ( <b>40</b> ) 4 39 ( <b>25</b> )	2 86 (23), 0.70 (40) 1 87 – 1 81 (22)
40	8.0	0.70	2	d	67	1 60 (24)	A 39 (25) 2 86 (23) 1 60 (24)
	0.5	0.70	5	u	0.7	1.00 (14)	3 86 (27) 2 86 (23) 2 06 (30) 0 70 (40) 0 39 (43)
25	73.7	4.39	1	d	9.9	2.13-2.08 ( <b>26</b> ), 1.60 ( <b>24</b> )	5.80 (27), 2.80 (23), 2.80 (30), 8.70 (40), 8.59 (43)
41	173.6	-	-	-	-	-	4.39 ( <b>25</b> ), 2.03 ( <b>42</b> )
42	21.3	2.03	3	S	-	-	-
26	36.7	2.13-2.08	1	m	-	0.39 (43), 4.39 (25), 3.86 (27)	5.14 (28), 4.39 (25), 3.86 (27), 0.39 (43)
43	12.9	0.39	3	d	7.2	2.13-2.08 ( <b>26</b> )	4.39 ( <b>25</b> ), 3.86 ( <b>27</b> ), 2.13-2.08 ( <b>26</b> )
27	80.9	3.86	1	dd	9.1, 3.0	5.14 (28), 2.13-2.08 (26)	6.37 (29), 4. 66 (44), 4.39 (25), 2.13-2.08 (26), 0.39 (43)
28	112.8	5.14 (overlap <b>47</b> )	2	dd	12.8, 9.1	3.86 ( <b>27</b> ), 6.37 ( <b>29</b> )	6.37 (29), 3.86 (27), ), 2.13-2.08 (26)
29	145.8	6.37	1	d	12.8	5.14 ( <b>28</b> )	5.14 (28), 3.86 (27), 1.68 (13), 0.39 (43)
44	96.8	4.66	1	dd	8.9, 3.3	1.87 – 1.81 (45), 2.22 (45)	4.11 (46), 3.86 (27), 3.37 (49), 2.22 (45), 1.87 - 1.81 (45)
49	70.0	3.37	1	"dq"	9.0, 6.2	1.28 (50), 3.63 (48)	4.87 ( <b>47</b> ), 4.66 ( <b>44</b> ), 4.11 ( <b>46</b> ), 1.28 ( <b>50</b> )
48	75.5	3.63	1	dd	9.0, 5.2	3.37 ( <b>49</b> ), 4.11 ( <b>46</b> )	5.13 (47), 4.87 (47), 3.37 (49), 2.22 (45), 1.28 (50)
47	94.9	5.13 (overlap 28)	2	"s"	-	-	3 63 (48)
	54.5	4.87	1	"s"	-	-	3.03 (40)
46	74.3	4.11	1	"td"	4.8, 2.8	1.87 – 1.81 ( <b>45</b> ), 2.22 ( <b>45</b> ), 3.63 ( <b>48</b> )	5.13 ( <b>47</b> ), 4.87 ( <b>47</b> ), 4.66 ( <b>44</b> ), 3.63 ( <b>48</b> ), 2.22 ( <b>45</b> )
45	33.0	2.22	1	"dt"	14.5, 2.4	1.87 – 1.81 ( <b>45</b> ), 4.11 ( <b>46</b> ), 4.66 ( <b>44</b> )	4 66 (44)
	55.0	1.87-1.81 (overlap 22)	2 <sup>[a]</sup>	m	-	2.22 ( <b>45</b> ), 4.11 ( <b>46</b> ), 4.66 ( <b>44</b> )	4.00 (44)
50	18.3	1.28	3	d	6.2	3.37 ( <b>49</b> )	3.63 ( <b>48</b> ), 3.37 ( <b>49</b> )
13	23.1	1.68	3	S	-	-	-
12	109.3	-	-	-	-	-	6.37 ( <b>29</b> ), 1.68 ( <b>13</b> )
11	193.5	-	-	-	-	-	1.68 (13)
6	171.4	-	-	-	-	-	2.34 (14)
14	7.3	2.34	3	S	-	-	-
7	116.4	-	-	-	-	-	2.34 (14)
5	111.3	-	-	-	-	-	2.34 (14)
8	166.9	-	-	-	-	-	2.34 (14)
9	110.9	-	-	-	-	-	2.34 (14)
10	131.5	-	-	-	-	-	7.80 ( <b>3</b> ), 2.34 ( <b>14</b> )
1/4	185.3	-	-	-	-	-	8.35 (NH), 7.80 ( <b>3</b> )
1/4	184.3	-	-	-	-	-	8.34 (NH)
2	140.4	-	-	-	-	-	7.80 (3)
3	116.7	7.80	1	s	-	-	8.35 (NH)
NH	-	8.35	1	-	-	-	-
Ar-OH	-	12.60	1	-	-	-	-
OH (21)	-	3.52	1	-	-	-	-

# Table S1. *Related to Fig. 1B*. Assignment of the <sup>1</sup>H and <sup>13</sup>C NMR data of KglA

<sup>[a]</sup>The integration of the signals in the 1.87 - 1.81 ppm region corresponded to 3 protons. 2 of these protons are assigned as C<sup>45</sup>-H and C<sup>22</sup>-H. It is possible that the remaining signal corresponds to an OH.



**Figure S2.** *Related to Fig.* **2. A**. The chemical structure of Kanglemycin A (KglA). The four oxygen atoms forming hydrogen bonds with the RIF-binding pocket of RNAP are marked by red circles. **B**. Conformations of KglA and RIF in the RIF-binding pocket of *T. thermophilus* RNAP. KglA (red) and RIF (grey) are shown as stick models; the KglA's *ansa*-bridge C20 and C27 side chains are shown in yellow and labeled; the C3 side chain of RIF is labeled. **C.** Sequence alignment spanning the RIF resistance-determining regions (RRDRs) in the  $\beta$  subunit (RpoB) of RNAPs from *M. tuberculosis* H37RV (MTB), *M. smegmatis* (MSM), *E. coli* and *T. thermophilus* (Tth). Amino acid residues involved in the KglA interaction (Fig. 2) and also having mutations to generate the RIF-resistant RNAPs (Figs. 1 and 3) investigated in this study are indicated by asterisks.

**D.** Amino acid residues of the  $\beta$  subunit of RNAPs involved in the KglA and initiating NTP (iNTP) interactions. **E.** Involvement of KglA-specific interaction with  $\beta$ R143 in KglA activity. Error bars are ±SD. The brackets contain calculated IC50±SE. IC<sub>50</sub> of KglA for double mutant was beyond our measurement limit.

## Table S2. Oligonucleotides used in the study.

Oligonucleotides		
D516V (GAC =>GTC)	This paper	N/A
rpoB D516V d: GCT GTC TCA GTT TAT GGT CCA GAA CAA CCC GCT G		
rpoB_D516V_r: CAG CGG GTT GTT CTG GAC CAT AAA CTG AGA CAG C		
\$531L (TCC =>TTG)	This paper	N/A
rpoB S531 d: AAA CGT CGT ATC TTG GCA CTC GGC CC		
rpoB S531 r: GGG CCG AGT GCC AAG ATA CGA CGT TT		
H526P (CAC =>CCG)	This paper	N/A
rpoB H526Y d: CTG AGA TTA CGC CGA AAC GTC GTA T		
rpoB H526Y r: ATA CGA CGT TTC GGC GTA ATC TCA G		
H526Y (CAC =>TAC)	This paper	
rpoB H526Y d: CTG AGA TTA CGT ACA AAC GTC GTA T		
rpoB H526Y r: ATA CGA CGT TTG TAC GTA ATC TCA G		
1572F (ATC =>TTC)	This paper	N/A
rpoB 1572 d: CAT CGG TCT GTT CAA CTC TCT GTC CG	- 1 - 1 -	
rpoB I572 r: CGG ACA GAG AGT TGA ACA GAC CGA TG		
	This paper	N/A
rpoB Q513L d: CCA GCC AGC TGT CTC TGT TTA TGG ACC		
rpoB_Q513L_r: GGT CCA TAA ACA GAG ACA GCT GGC TGG		
D516Y (GAC =>TAC)	This paper	N/A
TPOB D516Y d: GCT GTC TCA GTT TAT GTA TCA GAA CAA CCC GCT G	····· P ··P ··	
rpoB_D516Y_r: CAG CGG GTT GTT CTG ATA CAT AAA CTG AGA CAG C		
H526R (CAC =>CGC)	This paper	N/A
rpoB H526R d: CTG AGA TTA CGC GCA AAC GTC GTC G	e paper	
rpoB_H526R_r: CGA CGA CGT TTG CGC GTA ATC TCA G		
D516V (GAC =>GTC)	This paper	N/A
rpoB_D516V_d: GCT GTC TCA GTT TAT GGT CCA GAA CAA CCC GCT G	····· P ··P ··	
rpoB_D516V_r: CAG CGG GTT GTT CTG GAC CAT AAA CTG AGA CAG C		
S531L (TCC =>TTG)	This paper	N/A
rpoB S531 d: AAA CGT CGT ATC TTG GCA CTC GGC CC	- 1 - 1 -	-
rpoB_S531_r: GGG CCG AGT GCC AAG ATA CGA CGT TT		
H526P (CAC =>CCG)	This paper	N/A
rpoB H526Y d: CTG AGA TTA CGC CGA AAC GTC GTA T	····· P ··P ··	
rpoB_H526Y_r: ATA CGA CGT TTC GGC GTA ATC TCA G		
H526Y (CAC =>TAC)	This paper	N/A
rpoB H526Y d: CTG AGA TTA CGT ACA AAC GTC GTA T	- 1 - 1 -	-
rpoB_H526Y_r: ATA CGA CGT TTG TAC GTA ATC TCA G		
1572F (ATC =>TTC)	This paper	N/A
rpoB 1572F d: CAT CGG TCT GTT CAA CTC TCT GTC CG	- 1 - 1 -	-
rpoB I572F r: CGG ACA GAG AGT TGA ACA GAC CGA TG		
R143A (CGT=>GCT)	This paper	N/A
rpoB R143A d: TGT TAT CAA CGG TAC TGA GGC TGT TAT CGT TTC CCA	F - F	
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rpoB R143A r: CAG CTG GGA AAC GAT AAC AGC CTC AGT ACC GTT GAT		
AACA		
pyrG non-template: TAT AAT GGG AGC TGG CTC TGA TGC AGG	Murakami	N/A
pyrG template: CCT GCA TCA GAG CCC AAA ATA C	et al., 2017	