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5 Morphological profiling of tubercle bacilli identifies drug pathways of action

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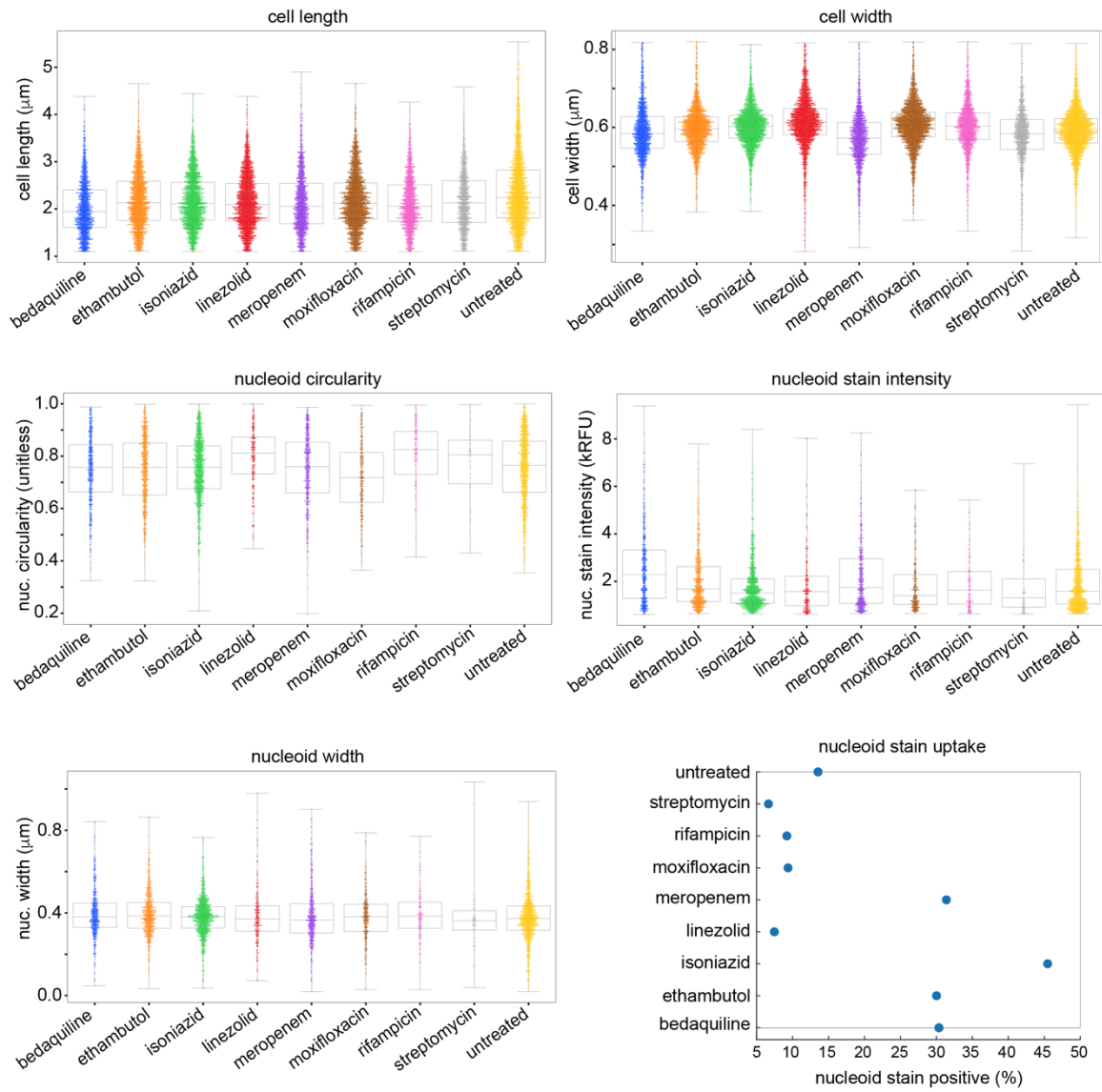
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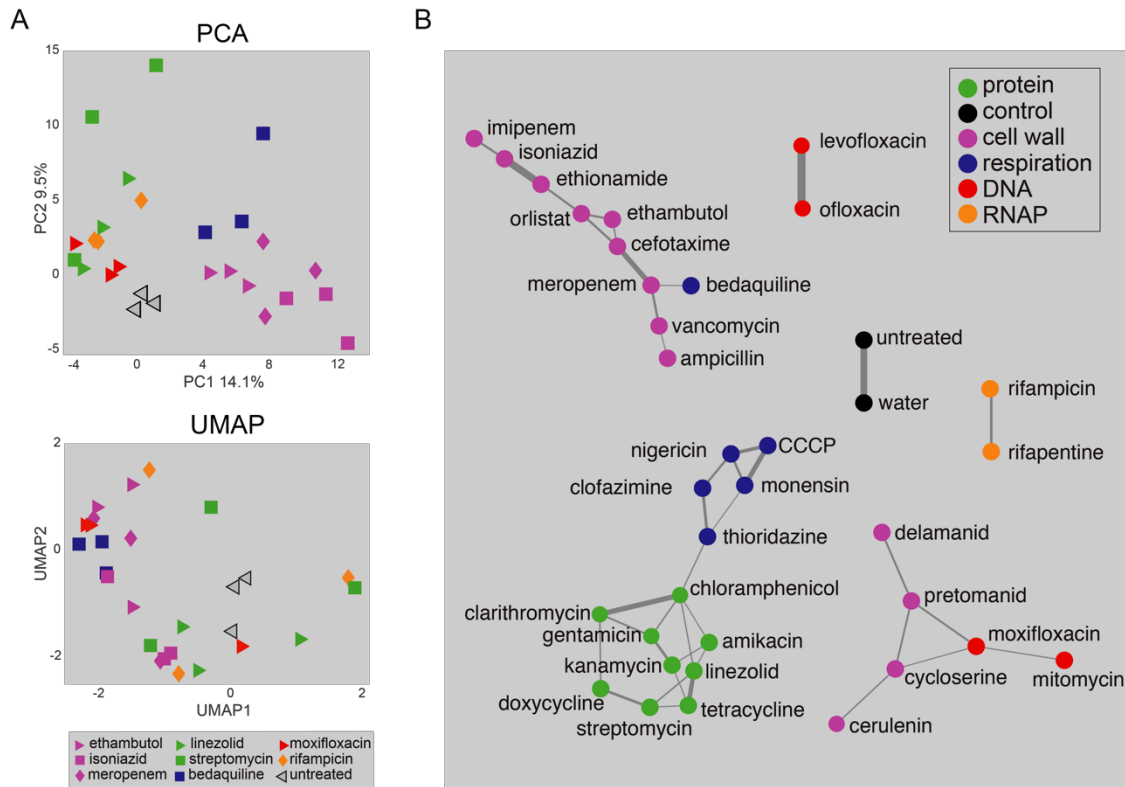
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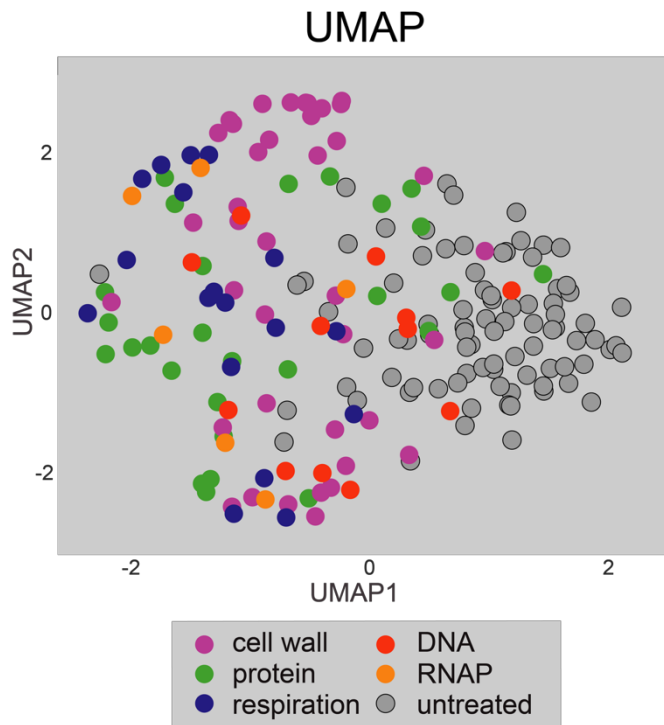
28 **Figure S1. Innate cell-to-cell heterogeneity in *Mtb* morphologies.** Dot and box plots of *Mtb*
 29 morphological features in untreated (yellow) and drug-treated bacilli. Many bacilli are not stained
 30 with SYTO 24, therefore only non-zero values are shown for nucleoid features. Cellular
 31 heterogeneity is apparent among the most basic cytological features, including cell length, intensity
 32 of nucleoid staining, and nucleoid width, even in untreated *Mtb* (CV=0.31, 0.64, 0.32,

33 respectively). All plots were generated using the statistical data visualization library Seaborn for
34 Python™.
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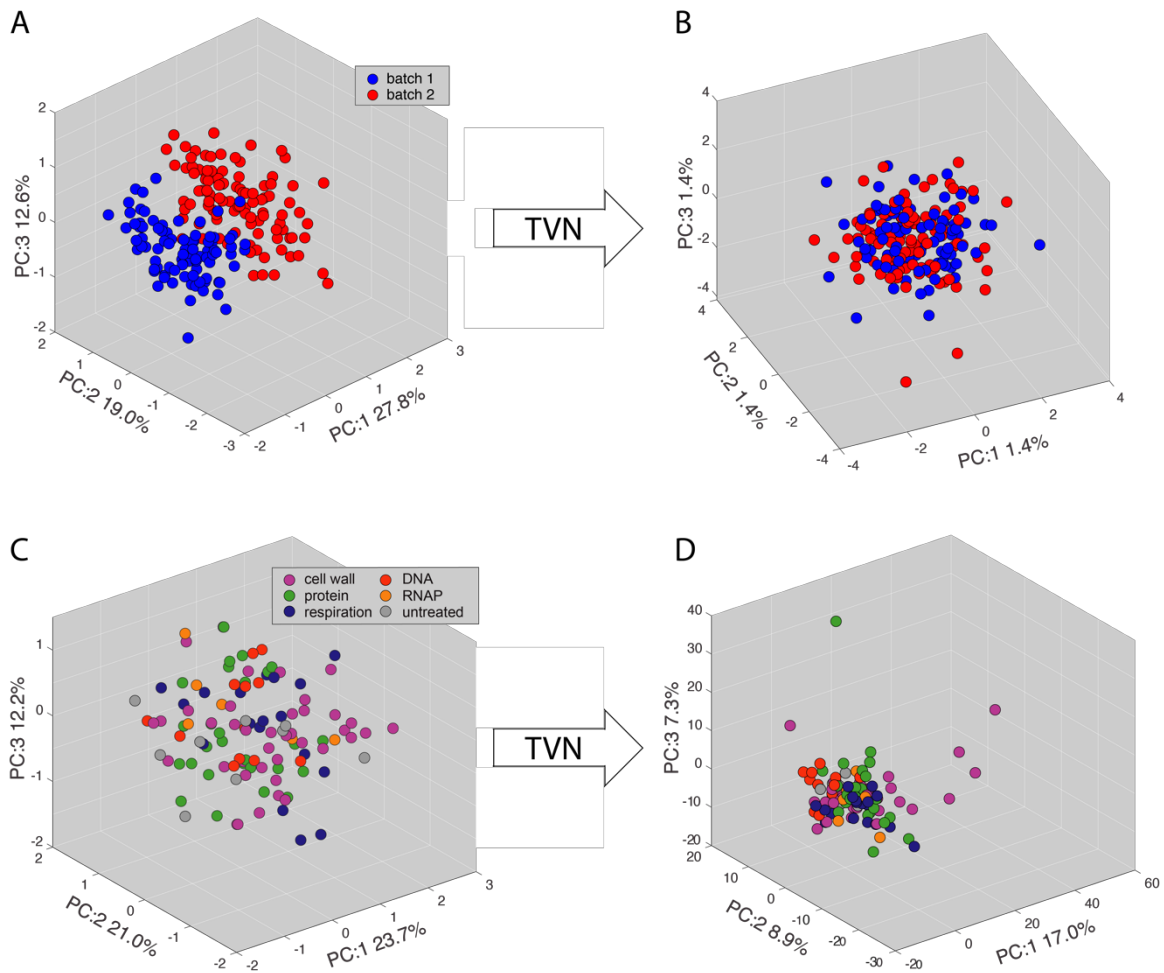


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38 **Figure S2. Inherent heterogeneity of Mtb and subtle morphological features**
 39 **requires multistep, multivariable analysis to define cytological profiles.** (A) PCA (top) and
 40 UMAP (bottom) analyses of eight drug treatments at high dose after incorporating metrics of
 41 heterogeneity [quartile 1, quartile 3, and interquartile range (IQR)], feature selection, and batch
 42 normalization (TVN; bottom). n=3032-9651 for each treatment group over biological triplicate. TVN
 43 aligns the covariance matrices resulting from PCA and whitening of untreated control data from
 44 each batch and applies this transformation batch-by-batch to enable comparison across plates and
 45 replicates. (B) cKNN connectivity map for high dose drug treatment of Mtb. Drug nodes are colored
 46 by broad target category and edge thickness corresponds to how frequently profiles are nearest
 47 neighbors in the classification trials (connections are shown for links >12%).



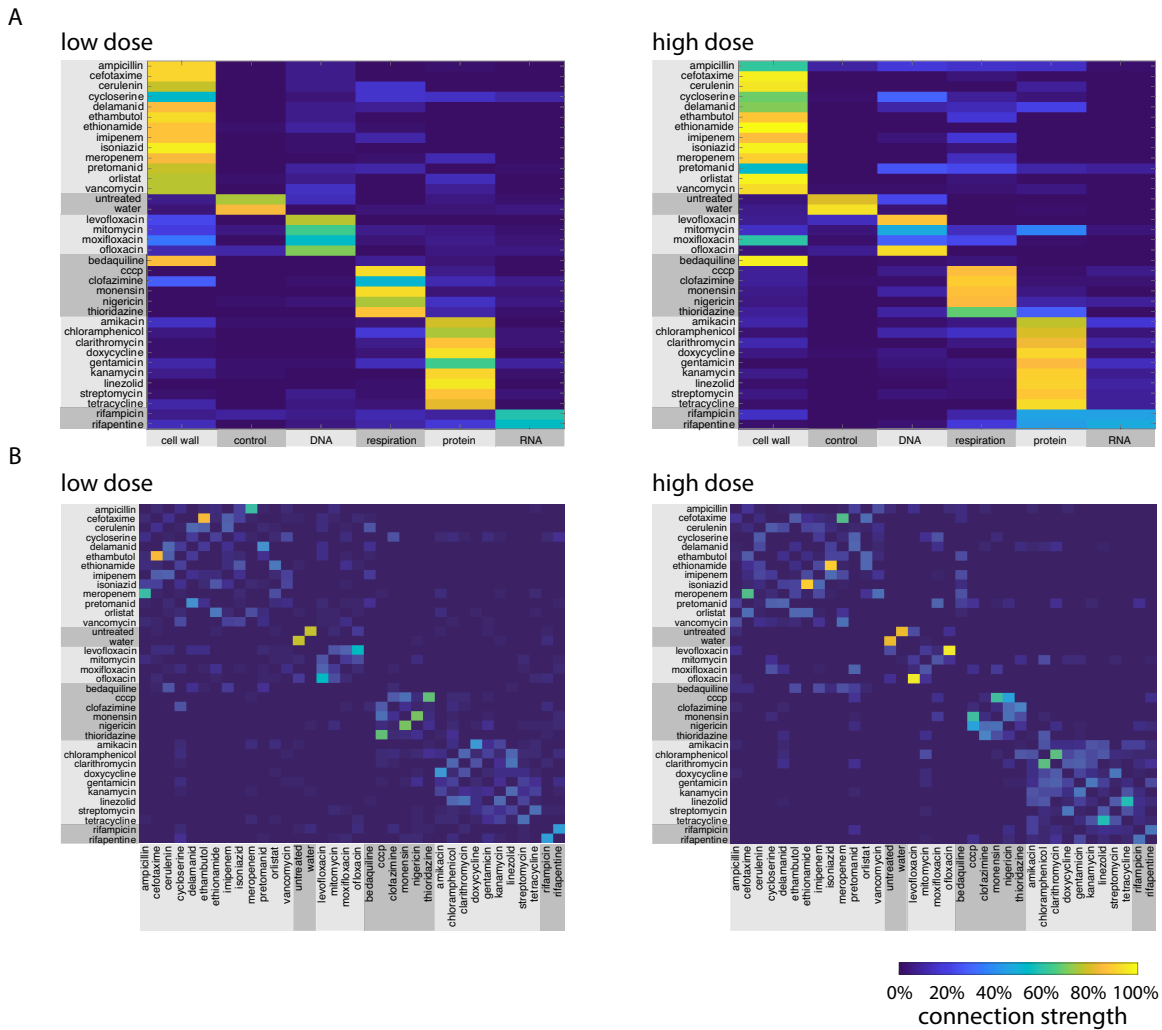
49 **Figure S3. UMAP analysis of 34 drug treated Mtb profiles.** Mtb drug profiles from 34 different
 50 antibacterials at 3X IC90 (Table S1) after expansion of quantified features (Q1, IQR, Q3) and post
 51 TVN. Data points represent individual biological replicates of a drug treatment and are color-coded
 52 based on the broad cellular target as determined by literature review (Table S1).



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54 **Figure S4. Correction of batch-to-batch heterogeneity.** (PCA) of untreated data labeled by
 55 batch. (A) PCA prior to TVN normalization. (B) PCA after TVN normalization. PCA of all 34 drug
 56 treatments labeled by target pathway using all 94 features. (C) PCA prior to TVN normalization. (D)
 57 PCA after TVN normalization. No feature selection was applied.

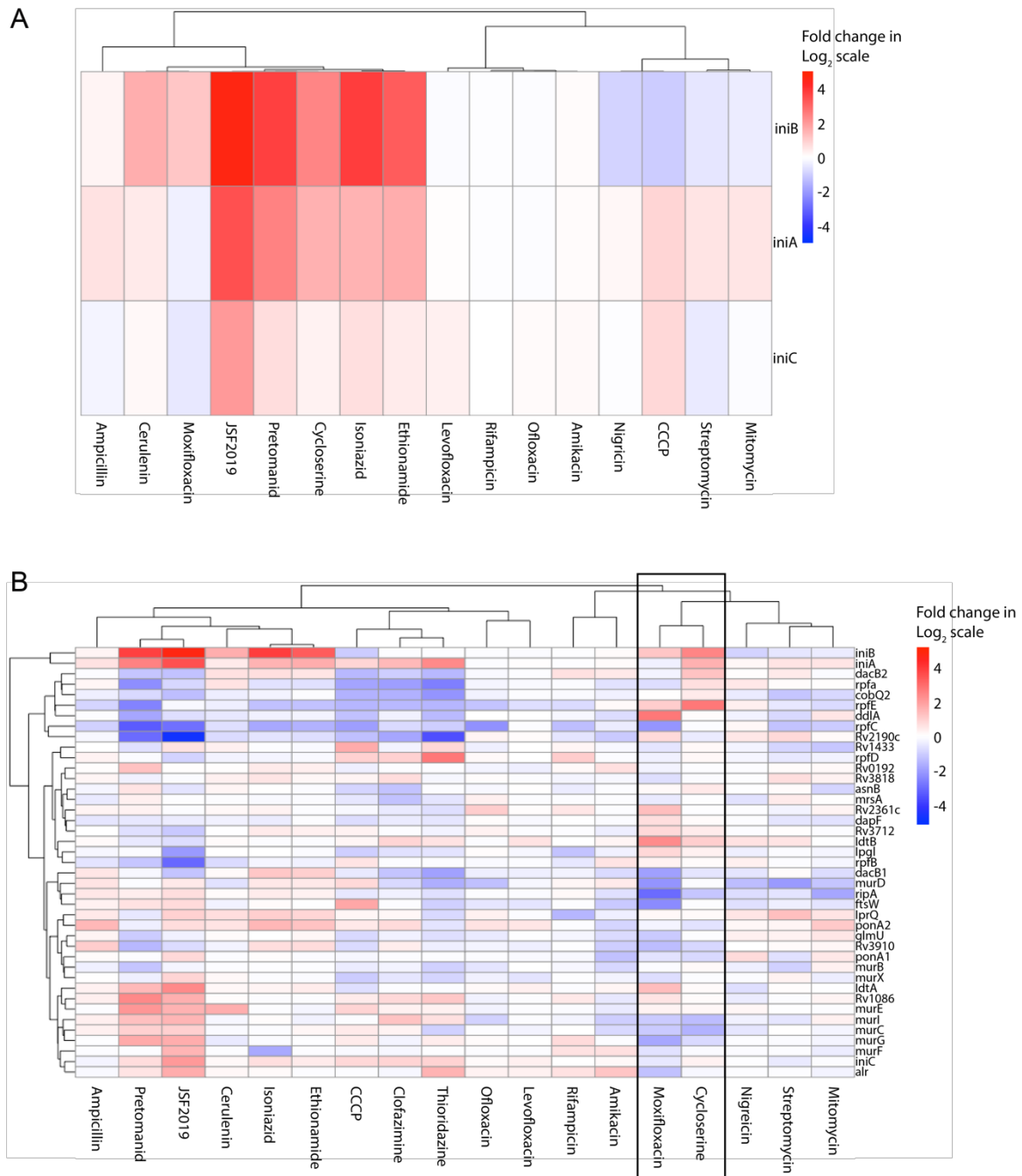
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60 **Figure S5. Categorization of drug profiles using MorphEUS.** (A) Broad categorization for low
 61 dose (left) and high dose (right) profiles are represented as heatmaps. The connection strength is
 62 determined by the strength of the consensus k-nearest neighbor analysis. 100% strength indicates
 63 that the nearest neighbor identified in every iteration was from the same target category while 0%
 64 indicates that the drug of interest was never a neighbor to a drug in that pathway. Drugs are listed
 65 in the rows and collection of drugs within the broad target pathways are listed in the columns. (B)
 66 Heatmaps of drug nearest neighbor pairings for low dose (left) and high dose (right) treatment. The
 67 heatmaps are described in Fig. 3. The high dose profiles were 91% accurate for assignment of
 68 broad drug category (compared to 26% for randomized categorization) with 68% accurate cross

69 validation. The low dose profiles were 97% accurate for assignment of broad drug category with
70 62% accurate cross validation. Pairwise drug connection strength values can be found in Dataset
71 S1 for low (Sheet 2) and high (Sheet 3) dose profiles.
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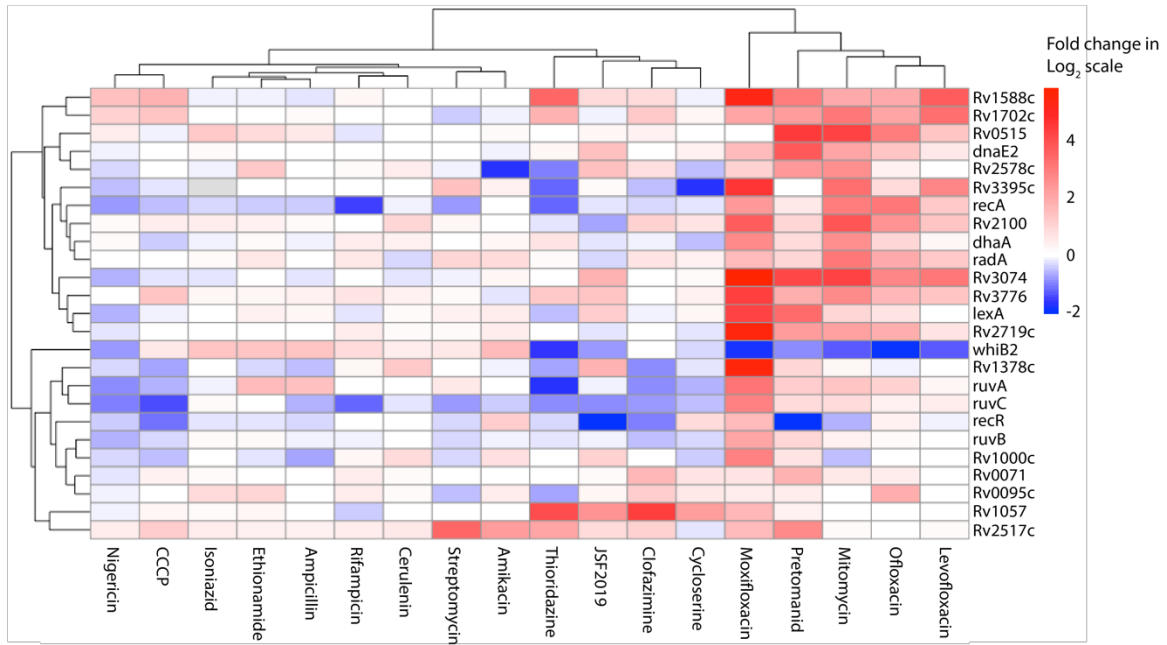


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75 **Figure S6. Transcriptional response of Mtb to antibacterials in genes involved in cell wall**
 76 **damage and biosynthesis. (A)** Expression profiles of the *iniBAC* operon in response to 16
 77 antibacterials. Known inducers of the *iniBAC* operon isoniazid (INH), ethambutol (ETH), and
 78 pretomanid are plotted as controls (B) Expression profiles of genes involved in peptidoglycan

79 biosynthesis in response to treatment with antibacterials. A box is drawn to highlight the profiles of
80 cycloserine and moxifloxacin, which cluster together. Hierarchical clustering was performed using
81 Pearson distance.

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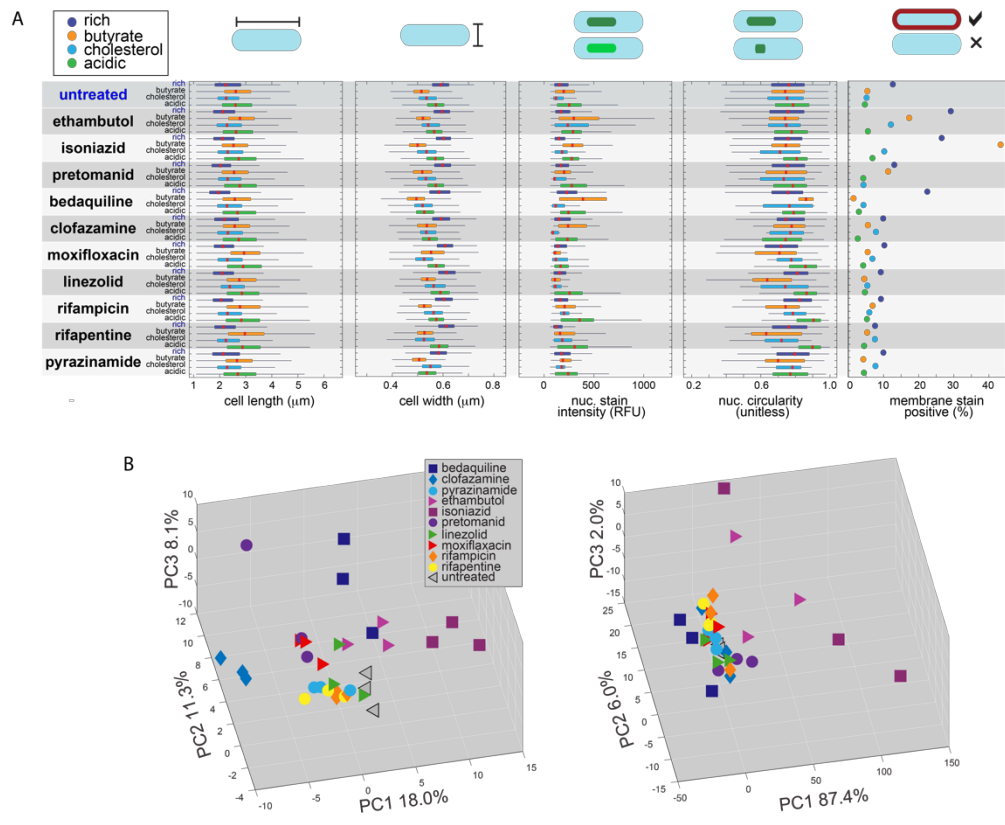
84 **Figure S7. Transcriptional response of Mtb to antibacterials in genes involved in DNA**
 85 **damage.** Expression profiles of genes involved in the Mtb SOS response upon treatment with
 86 antibacterials. Genes involved in the Mtb SOS response were defined as *recA-lexA* regulated
 87 genes in Mtb (1-3). Hierarchical clustering was performed using Pearson distance.

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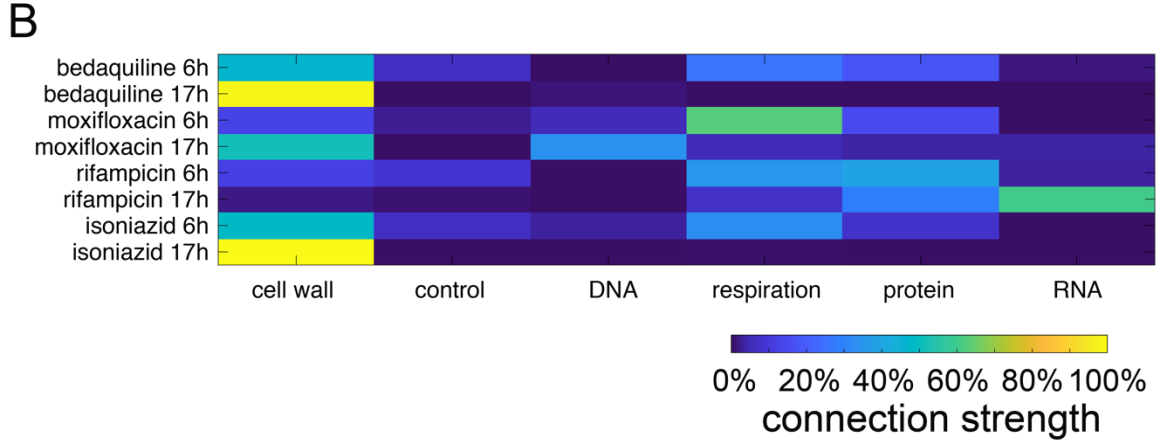
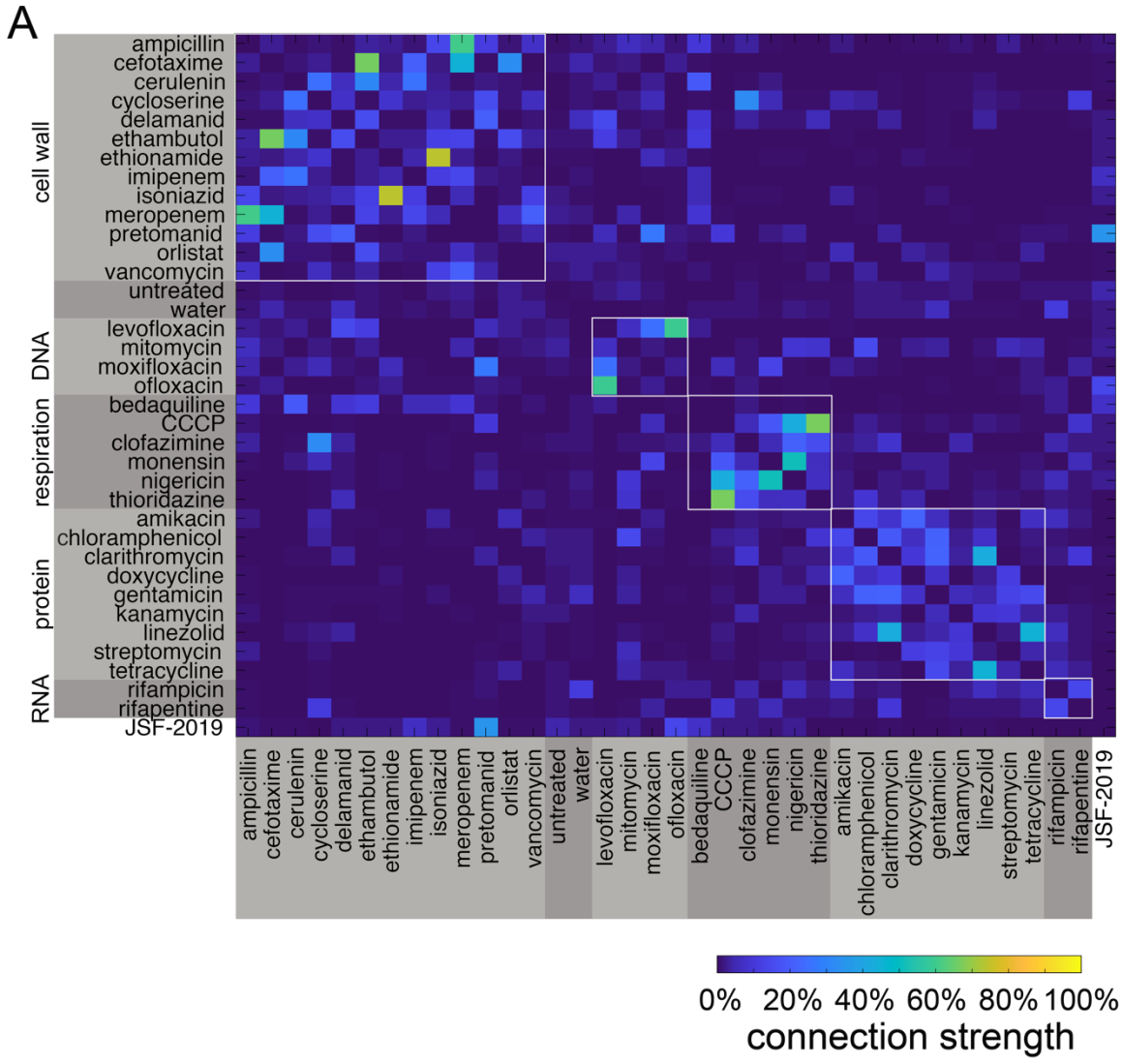
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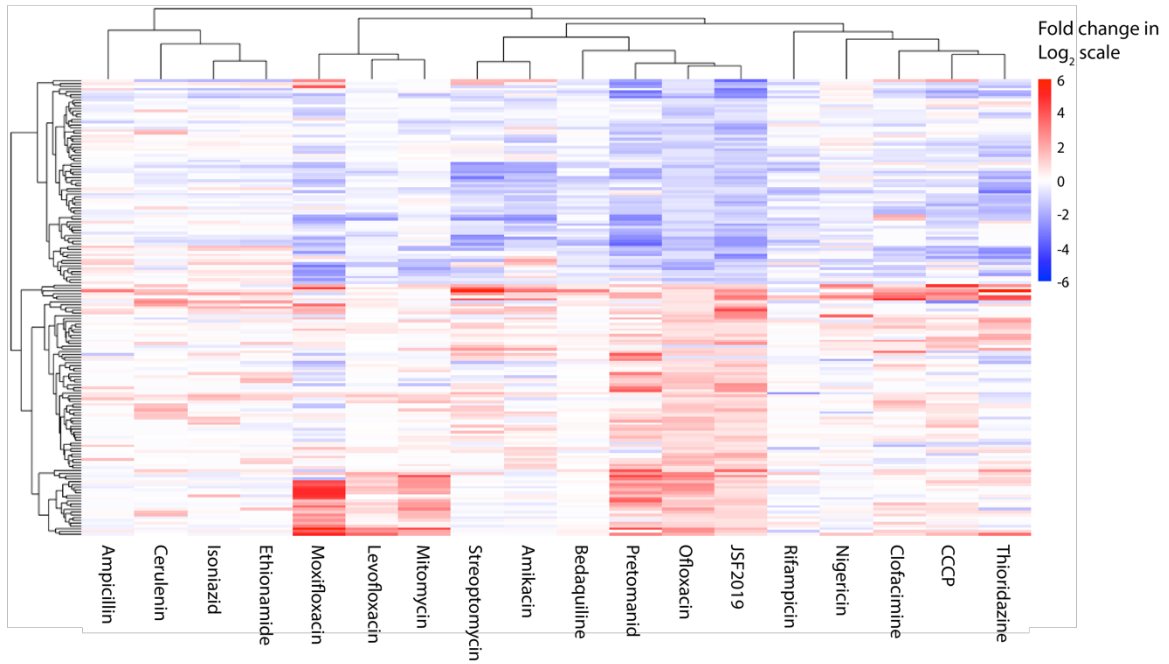
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94 **Figure S8. Morphological features and response to drug treatment are dependent on growth**
 95 **conditions.** (A) Mtb were treated with each antibiotic (or untreated control) following adaptation to
 96 different growth media: rich (blue), butyrate as the sole carbon source (orange), cholesterol as the
 97 sole carbon source (cyan), and low pH in rich medium (green) as described in Methods. Red lines
 98 mark the medians, boxes mark the 25-75th percentiles, and the whiskers extend the full range,
 99 excluding outliers (n=1029-6733). (B) PCA of morphological profiles in Mtb treated with antibiotics.
 100 Mtb cells were grown in media containing carbohydrates (left) or butyrate (right) as the sole carbon
 101 source. Bedaquiline (dark blue squares) clusters close to the cell wall acting antibiotics (pink and
 102 purple shapes) in media containing carbohydrates (left) but not in butyrate (right).



104 **Figure S9. Time and dose-dependency of profiles.** (A) Drug-drug matrix of the absolute
105 difference in connection strengths as determined by MorphEUS analysis between low and high
106 dose profiles with JSF-2019 applied. (B) Broad categorization of bedaquiline, moxifloxacin,
107 rifampicin, and isoniazid at 6 hours mapped onto the joint dose profiles at ~1 doubling time (Fig.
108 3). The 17-hour profiles are shown as a point of comparison.



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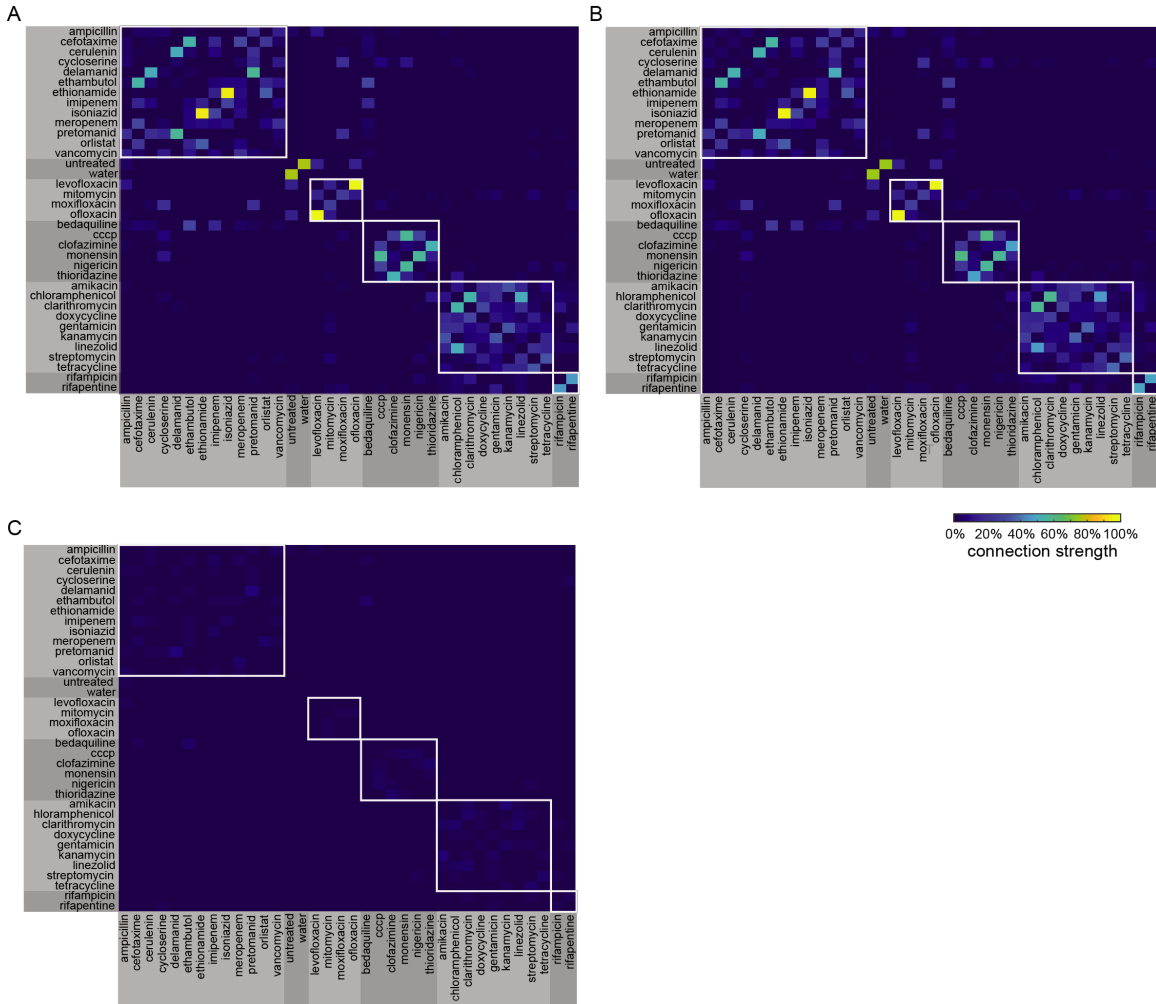
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111 **Fig. S10. Transcriptional analysis of 165 genes co-regulated by JSF-2019 and ofloxacin.**

112 Hierarchical clustering by Pearson distance of the gene expression profiles for 165 genes that were

113 significantly co-regulated by JSF-2019 and ofloxacin by >1.5-fold.

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116 **Fig. S11. 70 classification trials are sufficient for cKNN convergence.** cKNN matrices with 70

117 (A, also shown in Fig. 3B) and 140 (B) classification trials. The magnitude of the difference in

118 connection strengths are shown in (C).

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120 **Table S1. Compounds used in this study.** Primary drug targets, off-target effects, and broad
 121 categorizations based on published studies. We determined IC90 values as the minimal
 122 concentration of drug needed to inhibit at least 90% of growth. The broad categorization of each
 123 drug was assigned based on literature review.

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Drug name	MIC90 (µg/ml)	Solvent	Vendor	Catalog number	Primary target	Off target effects	Reference
CELL WALL SYNTHESIS							
Meropenem	25	DMSO	SigmaAldrich	13924 54	Peptidoglycan (beta lactam)	ATP burst	(4, 5)
Ampicillin	25	DMSO	SigmaAldrich	A9393	Peptidoglycan (beta lactam)		(6)
Cefotaxime	25	Water	SigmaAldrich	C7039	Peptidoglycan (beta lactam)		(7)
Isoniazid	0.047	DMSO	SigmaAldrich	I3377	FASII/mycolic acid synthesis (InhA)	ATP burst	(5, 8)
Ethambutol	1.5	DMSO	Alfa Aesar	J6069 5	Arabinogalactan (AftB,AftC,AftD, EmbC)	ATP burst	(5, 8)
Ethionamide	3.125	DMSO	TCI Chemicals	E0695	FASII/mycolic acid synthesis (InhA)		(8)
Imipenem	3.125	Water	SigmaAldrich	PHR1 796	Peptidoglycan (beta lactam)	ATP burst	(7, 9)
Vancomycin	25	Water	SigmaAldrich	V0045 000	Peptidoglycan (d-ala-d crosslinking)		(8)
Cycloserine	6.25	DMSO	Calbiochem	23983 1	Peptidoglycan (d-ala-d ligase)		(8, 10)
Delamanid	1.5	DMSO	Advanced ChemBlocks Inc	L1348 5	Respiratory toxicity/mycobacterial cell wall (Nitroimidazole)		(11-13)
Pretomanid	12.5	DMSO	ApexBio Technology	A1736	Respiratory toxicity/mycobacterial cell wall (Nitroimidazole)	NO release	(11, 13, 14)

Cerulenin	12.5	DMSO	SigmaAldrich	C2389	FASII (KasA, KasB)		(8)
Orlistat	50 μ M*	DMSO	VWR	89149-186	PDIM		(15)
DNA SYNTHESIS							
Levofloxacin	3.125	DMSO	SigmaAldrich	28266	DNA gyrase		(16, 17)
Moxifloxacin	6.25	DMSO	Alfa Aesa	J66626	DNA gyrase		(18)
Mitomycin	12.5	DMSO	SigmaAldrich	Y0000378	Alkylation of DNA	Redox recycling	(19, 20)
Ofloxacin	12.5	1N NaOH	SigmaAldrich	O8757	DNA gyrase		(16, 17, 21)
PROTEIN SYNTHESIS							
Kanamycin	12.5	Water	VWR	408	Aminoglycoside; 30S ribosomal subunit		(22, 23)
Amikacin	6.25	Water	SigmaAldrich	A3650	Aminoglycoside; 30S ribosomal subunit		(22, 23)
Chloramphenicol	25	DMSO	SigmaAldrich	C0378	50S ribosomal subunit		(24)
Clarithromycin	12.5	DMSO	SigmaAldrich	A3487	50S ribosomal subunit		(23)
Doxycycline	12.5	DMSO	SigmaAldrich	D9891	30S ribosomal subunit		(25, 26)
Gentamycin	12.5	Water	SigmaAldrich	G1264	Aminoglycoside; 30S ribosomal subunit		(22, 27)
Streptomycin	3.125	Water	SigmaAldrich	S6501	Aminoglycoside; 30S ribosomal subunit		(28, 29)
Tetracycline	50	DMSO	SigmaAldrich	87128	30S ribosomal subunit		(25)
Linezolid	3.125	DMSO	ApexBio Technology	A5181	50S ribosomal subunit		(30)
RESPIRATION							
Carbonyl cyanide 3-chlorophenyl-hydrazone	6.25	DMSO	SigmaAldrich	C2759	Proton motive force		(31)
Monensin	12.5	MeOH	SigmaAldrich	M5273	Proton motive force		(32)
Nigericin	6.25	MeOH	SigmaAldrich	N7143	Proton motive force		(33)

Thioridazine	25	DMSO	Enzo Life Sciences	BML-NS835-0005	Electron transport chain - NADH dehydrogenase (NDH-2)		(33-35)
Pyrazinamide	50*	DMSO	TCI Chemicals	P0633	Proton motive force, fatty acid synthesis, trans-translation, coenzyme A synthesis		(34, 36, 37)
Clofazimine	6.25	DMSO	SigmaAldrich	C8895	Electron transport chain - NDH-2		(34, 38)
Bedaquiline	3.125	DMSO	SigmaAldrich	10288-25MG	ATP synthase		<u>(5, 34, 39-41)</u>
RNAP							
Rifapentine	0.09	DMSO	ApexBio Technology	B2127	RpoB		(42)
Rifampicin	0.09	DMSO	TCI Chemicals	R0079	RpoB		<u>(43)</u>
Blinded Compounds							
DG167	0.39 μ M	DMSO	N/A	N/A	KasA		(44)
JSF-3285	0.2 μ M	DMSO	N/A	N/A	KasA		(45)
JSF-2019	0.15 μ M	DMSO	N/A	N/A	InhA (FAS-II)		(46)

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*Drugs that did not reach IC90

126 **Table S2. Features included in analysis pipeline.** For each feature, with exception to
 127 FEATURE_1_count and FEATURE_2_count (noted in green), the median, quartile 1 (25%),
 128 quartile 3 (75%), and interquartile range were included as metrics, resulting in 94 total features.
 129 Descriptions come from the ImageJ documentation (47).

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Feature	Description	Unit
FEATURE_1_count	number of times given cell fluoresced with SYTO 24 stain	number of instances
FEATURE_2_count	number of FM4-64FX stain positive foci	number of instances
SHAPE_area	area of cell	μm^2
SHAPE_aspectRatio	major axis/minor axis of cell	unitless
SHAPE_circularity	$4 \times [\text{area}] / [\text{perimeter}]^2$ of cell ranges from 0 (infinitely elongated polygon) to 1 (perfect circle)	unitless
SHAPE_length	length of cell	μm
SHAPE_perimeter	perimeter of cell	μm
SHAPE_solidity	$[\text{area}] / [\text{convex area}]$ of cell	unitless
SHAPE_width	width of cell	μm
f_INTENSITY	intensity of FM4-64FX stain	relative fluorescence units (RFU)
f_SHAPE_area	area of FM4-64FX foci	μm^2
f_SHAPE_aspectRatio	major axis/minor axis of FM4-64FX foci	unitless
f_SHAPE_circularity	$4 \times [\text{area}] / [\text{perimeter}]^2$ of FM4-64FX foci ranges from 0 (infinitely elongated polygon) to 1 (perfect circle)	unitless
f_SHAPE_length	length of FM4-64FX foci	μm
f_SHAPE_perimeter	perimeter of FM4-64FX foci	μm
f_SHAPE_solidity	$[\text{area}] / [\text{convex area}]$ of FM4-64FX foci	unitless

f_SHAPE_width	width of FM4-64FX foci	μm
s_INTENSITY	Intensity of SYTO 24 stain	relative fluorescence units (RFU)
s_SHAPE_area	area of SYTO 24 foci	μm ²
s_SHAPE_aspectRatio	major axis/minor axis of SYTO 24 foci	unitless
s_SHAPE_circularity	4*[area][perimeter] ² of SYTO 24 foci Ranges from 0 (infinitely elongated polygon) to 1 (perfect circle)	unitless
s_SHAPE_length	length of SYTO 24 foci	μm
s_SHAPE_perimeter	perimeter of SYTO 24 foci	μm
s_SHAPE_solidity	[area][convex area] of SYTO 24 foci	unitless
s_SHAPE_width	width of SYTO 24 foci	μm

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141 **Movie S1. Time-lapse imaging of *M. smegmatis* before, during, and after treatment with**
142 **ethambutol.** RpoB-EGFP reporter *M. smegmatis* was imaged in nutrient-rich growth conditions in
143 a constant-flow microfluidic device for 10 hours with no antibiotics, followed by a 6-hour drug
144 treatment with 9.375 μ g/ml of ethambutol, and followed by a 10-hour no drug recovery period.

145 **Movie S2. Time-lapse imaging of *M. smegmatis* before, during, and after treatment with**
146 **rifampicin.** RpoB-EGFP reporter *M. smegmatis* was imaged in nutrient-rich growth conditions in a
147 constant-flow microfluidic device for 10 hours with no antibiotics, following by a 6-hour drug
148 treatment with 75 μ g/ml of rifampicin, and followed by a 10-hour no drug recovery period.

149 **Movie S3. Time-lapse imaging of *M. smegmatis* before, during, and after treatment with**
150 **moxifloxacin.** RpoB-EGFP reporter *M. smegmatis* was imaged in nutrient-rich growth conditions
151 in a constant-flow microfluidic device for 10 hours with no antibiotics, following by a 6-hour drug
152 treatment with 0.781 μ g/ml of moxifloxacin, and followed by a 10-hour no drug recovery period.

153 **Dataset S1 : Matrix of drug-drug connection strengths.** MorphEUS output for the joint dose
154 (sheet 1), low dose (sheet 2), and high dose drug profiles (sheet 3). Numerical values here
155 correspond with the heatmap representations in Figure 3B and Figure S5B, respectively.

156 **Dataset S2: List of co-regulated genes between JSF-2019 and ofloxacin.** Table of genes used
157 for hierarchical clustering in Figure S10. Functional annotation of each gene product was
158 designated using tuberculist (<http://tuberculist.epfl.ch>).

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