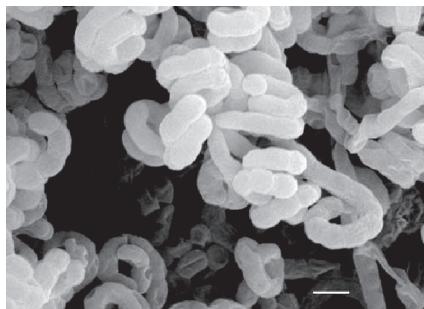
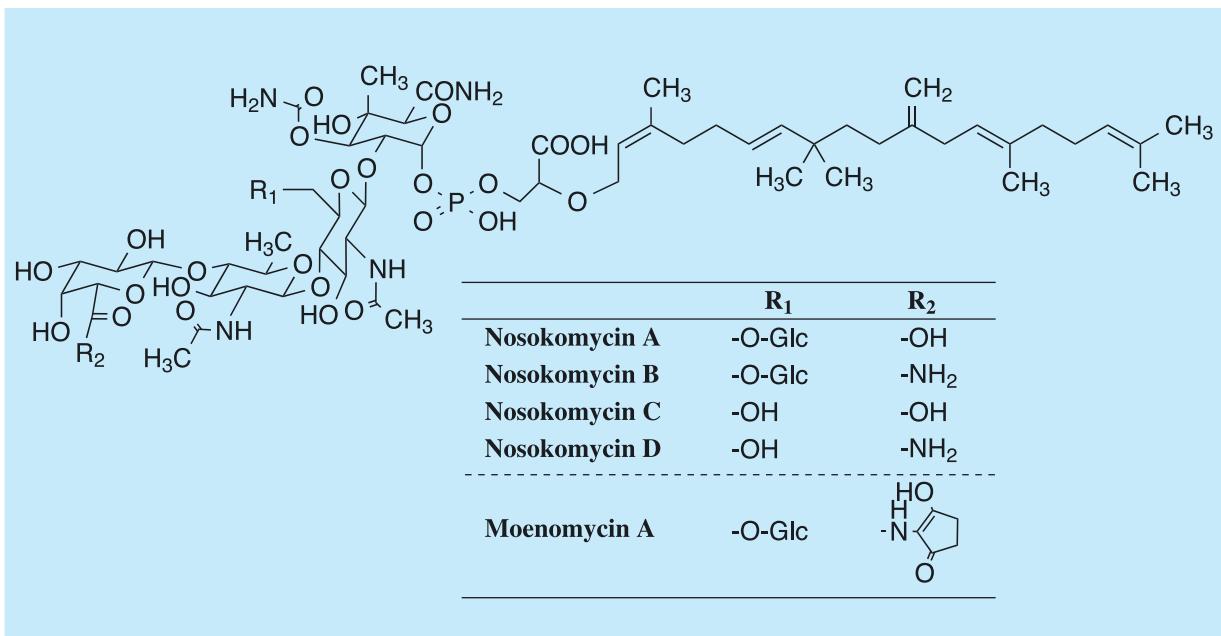


# Nosokomycin

## 1. Discovery, producing organism and structure<sup>1-3)</sup>

Nosokomycins A-D were isolated from a culture broth of *Streptomyces cylabdanicus* strain K04-0144<sup>T</sup> and shown to be anti-MRSA agents. Strain K04-0144<sup>T</sup> is also a producer of cylabdan. Nosokomycins are analogs of moenomycin consisting of an oligosaccharide moiety, a 2,3-dihydroxypropionic acid and an usual sesterterpenoid unit.



*Streptomyces cylabdanicus* K04-0144<sup>T</sup>

## 2. Physical data (Nosokomycin A)

White powder. C<sub>64</sub>H<sub>103</sub>N<sub>4</sub>O<sub>33</sub>P;  
mol wt 1487.48. Sol. in H<sub>2</sub>O, MeOH, DMSO.  
Insol. in acetone, CHCl<sub>3</sub>, *n*-hexane.

## 3. Biological activity<sup>1)</sup>

### 1) Anti-MRSA activity

All nosokomycins showed potent anti-MRSA activity with MIC values of 0.125 µg/mL.

### 2) Other antimicrobial activity

Nosokomycins exhibited potent antibacterial activity against Gram-positive bacteria, but showed weak activity against Gram-negative bacteria. They displayed no antimycoplasma, antifungal or antiyeast activity.

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