MTBBSI detection & quantification serial sub-study KDHTB: analysis for manuscript

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1 Packages and functions

2 Raw data read in

```
gxp <- bind_rows(read_csv("tidy_gxp.csv"), read_csv("tidy_gxp2.csv")) # two batches</pre>
dmn <- read_csv("DMN.csv")</pre>
mfl <- read_csv("MFL.csv")</pre>
clin <- read_csv("log.csv")</pre>
nhls <- read_csv("nhls.csv")</pre>
blds <- read_csv("baseline_blds.csv")</pre>
# Assign new PIDs which are easier to understand (specific to substudy, not contig with KDHTB)
pids <- data.frame(</pre>
 study_id = unique(gxp$study_id),
 pid = paste0("pid",
       c(9,10,11,12,13,14,1,2,15,16,17,3,18,19,
         20,21,4,5,6,22,7,8,23,24,25,26,27,28))
oc <- data.frame(
  study_id = c("pid9", "pid10", "pid11", "pid12", "pid13", "pid14",
               "pid1", "pid2", "pid15", "pid16", "pid17", "pid3",
               "pid18", "pid19", "pid20", "pid21", "pid4", "pid5",
               "pid6", "pid22", "pid7", "pid8", "pid23", "pid24",
               "pid25", "pid26", "pid27", "pid28"),
  1,1,0,0,0,1,
           0,0,0,0,1,1,
           1,0,1,1,0,0,
           0,0,0,0)
```

3 Initial data wrangling

```
#### GXP
gxp %>% select(-X1) %>%
 mutate(
   rpoB1_CT = na_if(rpoB1_CT, 0), # misssing from negative are coded 0 - fix
   rpoB2_CT = na_if(rpoB2_CT, 0),
   rpoB3_CT = na_if(rpoB3_CT, 0),
   rpoB4_CT = na_if(rpoB4_CT, 0),
   IS1081_IS6110_CT = na_if(IS1081_IS6110_CT, 0),
   result = factor(result,
                    levels = c("ERROR", "MTB NOT DETECTED", "MTB DETECTED TRACE",
                                "MTB DETECTED VERY LOW", "MTB DETECTED LOW",
                                "MTB DETECTED MEDIUM", "MTB DETECTED HIGH")),
   timepoint = round(timepoint/24, 1)) %>%
  left_join(pids, by = "study_id") %>%
  mutate(study_id = pid) %>% select(-pid) -> gxp
#### DMN
dmn %>%
 dplyr::mutate(DMN_ml =
                  round((2850/3) * (bacilli/random_fields), 0), # FOV calculation for /ml
                timepoint = round(timepoint/24, 1)
                ) %>%
```

```
left_join(pids, by = "study_id") %>%
  mutate(study_id = pid) %>%
  dplyr::select(study_id, timepoint, qualitative_result, DMN_ml) -> dmn
#### MFL
# mfl$MFL[mfl$TTP<10 & !is.na(mfl$TTP)] # these are mixed (contam) growth but MTB was recovered...
mfl %>%
 mutate(
   TTP = ifelse(TTP<10, NA, TTP),
   timepoint = round(timepoint/24, 1)
  ) %>% left_join(pids, by = "study_id") %>%
  mutate(study_id = pid) %>% select(-pid, -X10) -> mfl
#### clinical log data
clin %>%
  left_join(pids, by="study_id") %>%
  left_join(blds, by="study_id") %>%
  mutate(outcome = ifelse(outcome_12wk=="died", "Died", "Survived"),
         age =
           as.numeric(as.Date(dateRecruited,
                              format="%d/%m/%Y") -
                        as.Date(dob,
                                format="%d/%m/%Y"))/364.75
         ) %>%
  select(
   study_id = pid,
   age, sex, ARVstatus,
   cd4, creat = Cr_pp,
   pH, HCO3, BE, lactate, pO2, pCO2, glucose,
   HR, sBP, RR, sats, temp, GCS,
   walks.unaided, self.feed, wasting,
   flushed, sweating, cool.periph, cap.refil,
   ancil.muscles, nasal.flare, full.sentances,
    candida, oedema, periph.LN,
    splenomegaly, hepatomegaly, ascities, doughy.abdo, tender.abdo,
   CXR.pleff, CXR.inf.character, CXR.inf.lobes,
   CXR.inf.bilat, CXR.inf.symetrical, CXR.LN,
   liver_enlarged, liver_echogen, liver_hypoecho_lesions,
    spleen_enlarged, spleen_hypoecho_lesions,
   kidney_size, kidney_hydronephrosis, kidney_echogen, kidney_CMD_loss,
    frank_ascities, pleural_effusion, pericardial_effusion,
   adenopathy, GB_oedema, GB_sludge, CBD, veins,
   T_4, HR_4, RR_4, BP_4, GCS_4, sweat_4, flush_4,
    cool_4, lethargy_4, ambulant_4, eating_4, improved_4,
   T_24, HR_24, RR_24, BP_24, GCS_24, sweat_24, flush_24,
    cool_24, lethargy_24, ambulant_24, eating_24, improved_24,
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T_48, HR_48, RR_48, BP_48, GCS_48, sweat_48, flush_48,
cool_48, lethargy_48, ambulant_48, eating_48, improved_48,
T_72, HR_72, RR_72, BP_72, GCS_72, sweat_72, flush_72,
cool_72, lethargy_72, ambulant_72, eating_72, improved_72
) -> clin
```

4 Raw qualitative headline results

```
# mung out the qualitative results by pt-sample-timepoint
# to have same levels notation across methods
  select(study_id, timepoint, type, MFL) %>%
  mutate(MFL = str_replace(MFL, "contam|lost_viability",
                           replacement = "Not available"),
         MFL = replace_na(MFL, "Not available"),
         MFL = str_replace(MFL, "MTB",
                           replacement = "M.tb detected")) %>%
  pivot_wider(id_cols = c("study_id", "timepoint"),
              names_from = "type",
              values_from = "MFL") %>%
  rename(mfl_pellet=pellet, mfl_lysate=lysate) -> qual_mfl
gxp %>%
  select(study id, timepoint, sample type, result) %>%
  filter( # these are duplicates which mess up the later pivot wider
    !(study_id==871 & timepoint==72 & result=="MTB NOT DETECTED"),
    !(study_id==872 & timepoint==24 & result=="MTB NOT DETECTED") ) %>%
  mutate(result = case when(
    str_detect(result, "ERROR") ~ "Not available",
    str_detect(result, "MTB DETECTED") ~ "M.tb detected",
    str_detect(result, "MTB NOT DETECTED") ~ "negative")) %>%
  filter(sample_type=="bldextract" | sample_type=="urine") %>%
  pivot_wider(id_cols = c("study_id", "timepoint"),
              names_from = "sample_type",
              values_from = "result") %>%
# mutate(bldextract = ifelse(
   is.na(bldextract) & !is.na(buffy), buffy, bldextract # a single case
# )) %>%
  select(study_id, timepoint,
         bld_xpert = bldextract, urn_xpert = urine) -> qual_gxp
dmn %>%
  mutate(qualitative_result =
           str_replace(qualitative_result, "positive",
                       replacement = "M.tb detected"),
         qualitative_result =
           str_replace(qualitative_result,
                       "non-quantifiable M.tb detected",
                       replacement = "negative"),
         qualitative_result =
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replace_na(qualitative_result, "Not available")) %>%
  select(study_id, timepoint,
         dmn_micro = qualitative_result) -> qual_dmn
qual mfl %>%
  full_join(qual_gxp, by=c("study_id", "timepoint")) %>%
  full join(qual dmn, by=c("study id", "timepoint")) %>%
 filter(timepoint!=96) -> qual
rm(qual_dmn, qual_gxp, qual_mfl)
qual %>%
  mutate(
    study_id = factor(study_id, levels = paste0("pid", 1:28)),
   mfl_pellet = ifelse(is.na(mfl_pellet), "Not available", mfl_pellet),
   mfl_lysate = ifelse(is.na(mfl_lysate), "Not available", mfl_lysate),
   bld_xpert = ifelse(is.na(bld_xpert), "Not available", bld_xpert),
   urn_xpert = ifelse(is.na(urn_xpert), "Not available", urn_xpert),
   dmn_micro = ifelse(is.na(dmn_micro), "Not available", dmn_micro),
   mfl_culture = case_when(
     mfl_pellet=="M.tb detected" |
       mfl_lysate=="M.tb detected" ~ "M.tb detected",
     mfl pellet=="Not available" &
       mfl_lysate=="Not available" ~ "Not available",
     mfl pellet=="negative" &
       mfl_lysate=="negative" ~ "negative",
     mfl_pellet=="Not available" &
       mfl_lysate=="negative" ~ "negative",
     mfl_pellet=="negative" &
       mfl_lysate=="Not available" ~ "negative"
   )
  ) %>%
  select(-mfl_pellet, -mfl_lysate) %>%
  filter(timepoint < 4) -> qual
qual %>%
  pivot_longer(cols = 3:6,
              names_to = "assay",
              values_to = "Result") %>%
  mutate(assay = factor(assay,
                        levels = c("mfl_culture", "dmn_micro",
                                   "bld_xpert", "urn_xpert"),
                        labels = c("MFL blood culture", "DMN microscopy",
                                   "Blood Xpert-ultra", "Urine Xpert"))) %>%
  ggplot(aes(as.factor(timepoint), assay)) +
  geom_tile(aes(fill=Result), colour="white", alpha=0.8) +
  scale_fill_manual(values=c(viridis(8, option="E")[c(2,6)], "grey80")) +
  theme_minimal() +
  facet_wrap(~study_id, ncol = 7) +
  theme(legend.position = "top",
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panel.spacing = unit(0, "lines"),
        axis.text.x = element_text(size=7, angle=90, hjust=1, vjust=0.5)) +
  ylab("") + xlab("Time from start treatment (days)") -> g_tileplot
qual %>%
  pivot_longer(3:6, names_to = "assay", values_to = "result") %>%
  group by (timepoint, assay) %>%
  count(result) %>%
  pivot_wider(names_from = result, values_from = n) %>%
  rename_all(list(~make.names(.))) %>%
  rename_with( ~ tolower(gsub(".", "_", .x, fixed = TRUE))) %>%
  mutate(
   valid_tests = sum(m_tb_detected, negative, na.rm = T),
   proportion_positive = m_tb_detected / valid_tests
  ) %>%
  select(timepoint, assay, valid_tests, proportion_positive) -> qual_km_df
qual_km_df %>%
  select(timepoint, valid_tests) %>%
  mutate(valid_tests = ifelse(valid_tests==2, 0, valid_tests)) %>%
  pivot_wider(names_from = timepoint,
              values_from = valid_tests) %>%
  mutate(assay = factor(assay,
                        levels = c("urn_xpert", "dmn_micro",
                                   "bld xpert", "mfl culture"),
                        labels = c("Urine Xpert", "DMN microscopy",
                                   "Blood Xpert-ultra", "MFL blood culture" ))) -> atrisk_table
atrisk_table <- as.data.frame(atrisk_table)</pre>
rownames(atrisk_table) <- atrisk_table$assay</pre>
ggtexttable(atrisk_table[,2:6], theme = ttheme("light")) %>%
 tab_add_title("Number valid tests at timepoint:") -> t1
qual_km_df %>%
  filter(!(timepoint==0.2 & assay=="urn_xpert")) %>%
  mutate(assay = factor(assay,
                        levels = c("urn_xpert", "dmn_micro",
                                   "bld_xpert", "mfl_culture" ),
                        labels = c("Urine Xpert", "DMN\nmicroscopy",
                                    "Blood\nXpert-ultra", "MFL\nblood culture" ))) %>%
  ggplot(aes(timepoint, proportion_positive, colour=assay)) +
  geom_point() +
  geom line() +
  theme_dab() +
  ylim(0,1) +
  scale_colour_manual(
   values = c( "#f68f46ff", "#1F968BFF",
                "#453781FF", "#b8627dff" )) +
  ylab("Proportion\ntests positive") +
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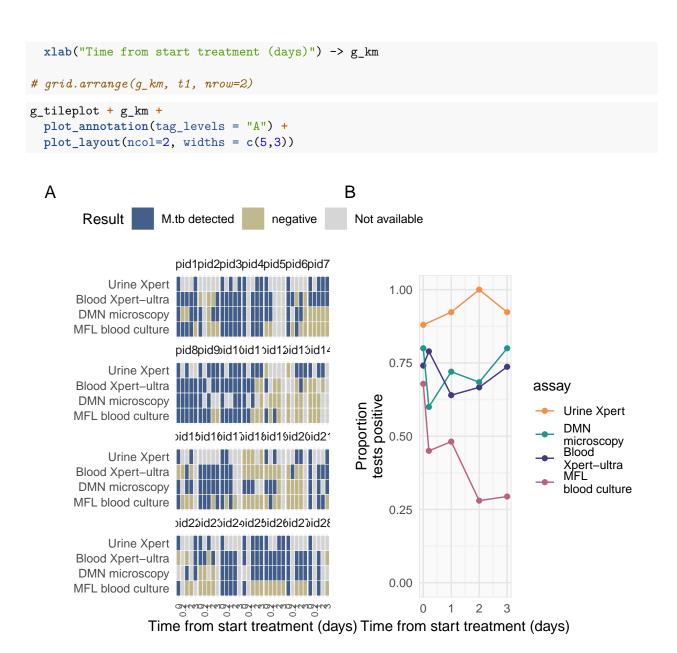


Figure 1: MTB identified by assay and time point

5 Raw quantitative headline results

```
# MFL quant results to longer format with preseved sample types pellet v lysate
mfl %>%
   select(study_id, timepoint, type, TTP, MFL) %>%
   mutate(mfl = str_replace(MFL, "contam|lost_viability", replacement = "Not available"),
        mfl = replace_na(mfl, "Not available"),
        mfl = str_replace(mfl, "MTB", replacement = "M.tb detected"),
        mfl = ifelse( is.na(TTP) & MFL == "MTB",
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"Not available", mfl)) %>% select(-MFL) %>%
  pivot_wider(id_cols = c("study_id", "timepoint"),
              names_from = "type",
              values_from = c("mfl", "TTP")) %>%
  rename_all(tolower) -> quant_mfl
# bld extract and urine CT values
gxp %>%
  select(study_id, timepoint, sample_type, result,
         matches("rpoB._CT"), IS1081_IS6110_CT) %>%
  filter(
    # these are accidental duplicates which mess up the later pivot wider
    !(study_id=="pid3" & timepoint==72 & result=="MTB NOT DETECTED"),
    !(study_id=="pid18" & timepoint==24 & result=="MTB NOT DETECTED"),
    # not needed for main quant analysis: plasma & buffy samples
    (sample_type == "bldextract" | sample_type == "urine"),
    # 2 pts with (unscheduled, not protocol) TP 96h samples - remove
   timepoint <= 3
   ) %>%
  mutate(result = case_when(
    str_detect(result, "ERROR") ~ "Not available",
    str_detect(result, "MTB DETECTED") ~ "M.tb detected",
    str detect(result, "MTB NOT DETECTED") ~ "negative")) %>%
  rename(rpoB1=rpoB1_CT, rpoB2=rpoB2_CT, rpoB3=rpoB3_CT,
         rpoB4=rpoB4 CT, IS=IS1081 IS6110 CT) %>%
  pivot_longer(cols = c("rpoB1", "rpoB2", "rpoB3", "rpoB4", "IS"),
               names_to = "probe", values_to = "Ct" ) -> quant_gxp
### DMN
dmn %>%
 mutate(qualitative_result =
           str_replace(qualitative_result, "positive", replacement = "M.tb detected"),
         qualitative_result =
           replace_na(qualitative_result, "Not available")) %>%
 select(study_id, timepoint, dmn_micro = qualitative_result, dmn_ml=DMN_ml) -> quant_dmn
# negatives are O, missing are NA
quant_gxp %>%
  mutate(study_id = factor(study_id,
                           levels = paste0("pid", 1:28)),
         sample = case_when(
           sample_type=="bldextract" ~ "Blood",
           sample_type=="urine" ~ "Urine"
         )) %>%
  drop_na() %>%
  ggplot(aes(timepoint, Ct)) +
  geom_point(aes(shape=probe, colour=sample)) +
  geom_line(aes(
   group = interaction(study_id, sample, probe),
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colour = sample)) +
  facet_wrap(~study_id, nrow=7, drop = FALSE) +
  theme_minimal() +
  scale_colour_manual(values = c("#b8627dff", "grey")) +
 theme(legend.position = "bottom",
         legend.box="vertical", legend.margin=margin()) +
  ggtitle("Xpert-ultra") +
  ylab("Xpert-ultra Ct value") +
  xlab("Time from start treatment (days)") +
  guides(fill=guide legend(nrow=2,byrow=TRUE)) -> g1
quant_mfl %>%
  select(-mfl_lysate, -mfl_pellet) %>%
  pivot_longer(cols = c("ttp_pellet", "ttp_lysate"),
              names_to = "sample_type", values_to = "TTP") %>%
  mutate(study_id = factor(study_id,
                           levels = paste0("pid", 1:28)),
         sample = str_replace(sample_type, pattern = "ttp_", replacement = "")) %>%
  drop_na() %>%
  ggplot(aes(timepoint, TTP)) +
  geom_point(aes(colour=sample)) +
  geom_line(aes(
    group = interaction(study_id, sample),
    colour = sample)) +
  facet_wrap(~study_id, nrow=7, drop = FALSE) +
  theme minimal() +
  scale_colour_manual(values = c("#eb8055ff", "#7e4e90ff")) +
# theme(legend.position = "bottom",
         legend.box="vertical", legend.margin=margin()) +
  ggtitle("Myco/F lytic blood culture") +
  ylab("Time to positivity (TTP)") +
  xlab("Time from start treatment (days)") -> g2
quant_dmn %>%
  mutate(study_id = factor(study_id,
                           levels = paste0("pid", 1:28)),
         Result = case_when(
           dmn_micro=="M.tb detected" ~ "M.tb \ndetected",
           dmn_micro=="negative" ~ "zero \ncount",
           dmn_micro=="non-quantifiable M.tb detected" ~ "zero \ncount"
         )) %>%
  drop na() %>%
  ggplot(aes(timepoint, log(dmn_ml))) +
  geom_point(aes(colour = Result)) +
  geom_line(colour = "#13306dff") +
  facet_wrap(~study_id, nrow=7, drop = FALSE) +
  theme_minimal() +
  scale_colour_manual(values = c("#13306dff", "grey")) +
  ggtitle("DMN-tre microscopy count") +
  ylab("Log count per ml") +
  xlab("Time from start treatment (days)") -> g3
```



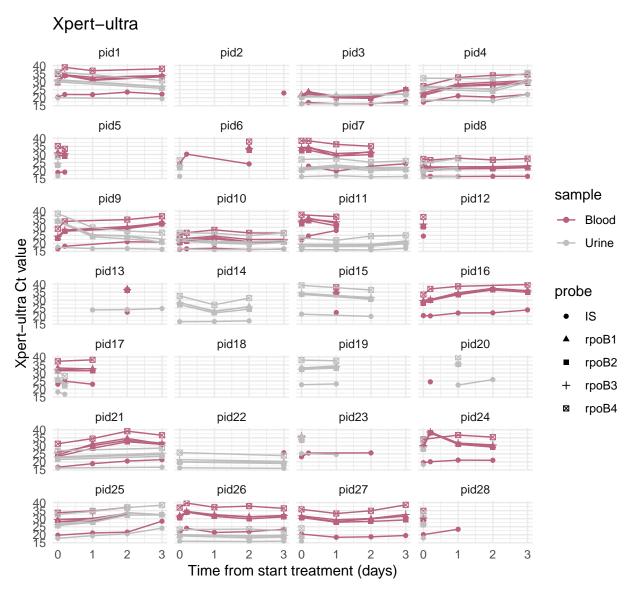


Figure 2: MTBBSI quantification by time and pt: blood Xpert-ultra raw Ct values

g2 g3

6 Summary measures from quantitative data

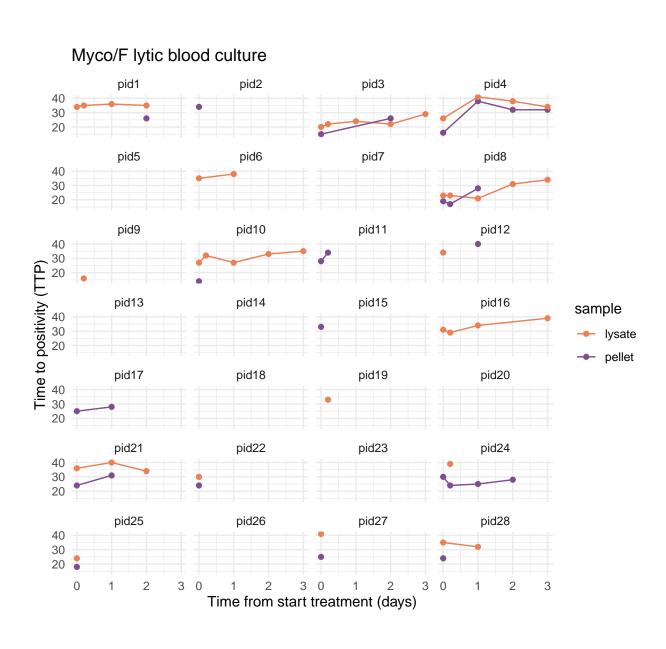


Figure 3: MTBBSI quantification by time and pt: MFL bllod culture raw TTP values

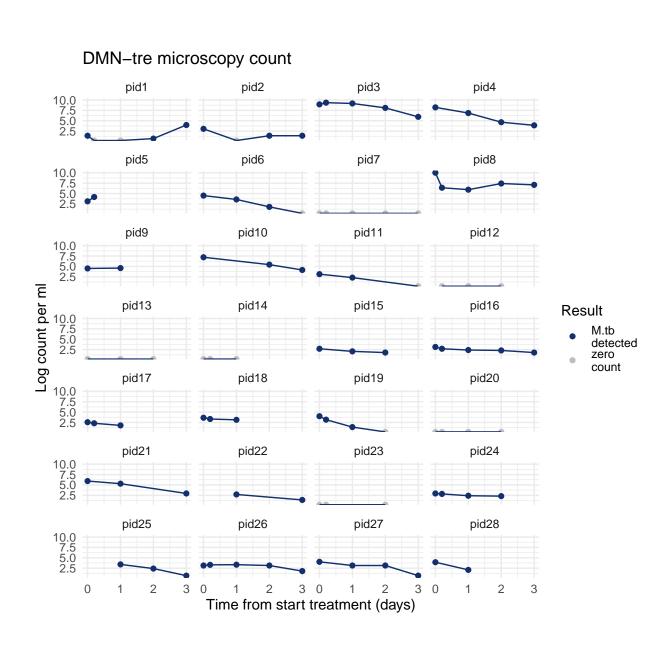


Figure 4: MTBBSI quantification by time and pt: raw log DMN-tre counts per mL

```
# filter and store urine results
quant_gxp %>%
 filter(sample_type == "urine") -> quant_gxp_urine
#### GXP - make summary measure across all probes - based on mean rpoB Ct
quant_gxp %>%
  filter(sample_type == "bldextract") %>%
  select(-sample_type, -result) %>%
  pivot_wider(id_cols = c("study_id", "timepoint"),
              names_from = "probe", values_from = "Ct") %>%
  mutate(
  # min CT from rpob probes as summary measure
   mean_rpob_ct = pmap_dbl(
      list(rpoB1, rpoB2, rpoB3, rpoB4),
      ~mean(c(...), na.rm=TRUE))) -> quant_gxp
# impute the trace positive samples' CT value
quant_gxp$IS_log = log(quant_gxp$IS)
fit <- lm(mean_rpob_ct ~ rcs(IS_log,3),</pre>
          # in data excluding a suspect high leverage outlier
          data=quant_gxp[quant_gxp$IS<26,])</pre>
ar2 = paste0(
  "RCS model\n aR2=",
 round(summary(fit)$adj.r.squared, 2)
quant_gxp %>%
  add_predictions(fit) %>%
  dplyr::mutate(
   pred_mean_rpoB_CT = pred,
    # imuted_ct is mean_rpob_ct, or predicted if trace, or NA if all probes negative
    imputed_ct = case_when(
      !is.na(mean_rpob_ct) ~ mean_rpob_ct,
      is.na(mean_rpob_ct) & !is.na(pred_mean_rpoB_CT) ~ pred_mean_rpoB_CT
                )) -> quant gxp
quant_gxp %>%
  ggplot(aes(IS, imputed_ct)) +
  geom_point(aes(colour=is.na(mean_rpob_ct)), alpha=0.6) +
  geom_line(aes(IS, pred_mean_rpoB_CT)) +
 theme_minimal() + scale_colour_ptol() +
  theme(legend.position = "none") +
 ylab("Mean rpoB ct\n (imputed values shown)") +
  annotate("text", x = 25, y=22, label=ar2) -> g_imputed
# note non constant residual variance...
### MFL - make summary measure which deals with the difference
# between pellet and lysate, "scaling" pellet ttp to lysate ttp scale
fit <- lm(ttp_lysate ~ ttp_pellet, data=quant_mfl)</pre>
quant_mfl %>%
 add predictions(fit) %>%
    ggplot(aes(ttp_pellet, ttp_lysate)) +
```

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geom_point() +
  geom_smooth() +
  geom_abline(slope=1, intercept = 0) +
  geom_line(aes(ttp_pellet, pred), colour="red") -> g_scaled_ttp
quant_mfl %>%
  add_predictions(fit) %>%
  dplyr::mutate(
   ttp_pellet = pred
  ) %>%
  select(study_id, timepoint, ttp_lysate, ttp_pellet) %>%
  filter(
    is.na(ttp_lysate) == FALSE | is.na(ttp_pellet) == FALSE) %>%
 mutate(
   ttp = pmap_dbl(
   list(ttp_lysate, ttp_pellet),
    ~mean(c(...), na.rm=TRUE))) -> quant_mfl
quant_dmn %>%
  mutate(dmn_ml_log = log(dmn_ml + 1)) %>%
  select(study_id, timepoint, dmn_ml_log) %>%
 left_join(
   quant_gxp %>%
      select(study_id, timepoint,
             mean_rpoB_Ct = imputed_ct),
   by = c("study_id", "timepoint")
  ) %>%
 left_join(
   quant_mfl %>%
      select(study_id, timepoint, ttp),
   by = c("study_id", "timepoint")
  ) -> quant_df
### urine ct values
quant_gxp_urine %>%
  select(-sample_type, -result) %>%
 pivot_wider(id_cols = c("study_id", "timepoint"),
              names_from = "probe", values_from = "Ct") %>%
 mutate(
  # mean CT from rpob probes as summary measure
   mean_rpob_ct = pmap_dbl(
      list(rpoB1, rpoB2, rpoB3, rpoB4),
      ~mean(c(...), na.rm=TRUE))) -> quant_gxp_urine
# impute the trace positive samples' CT value
quant_gxp_urine$IS_log = log(quant_gxp_urine$IS)
fit <- lm(mean_rpob_ct ~ rcs(IS_log,3),</pre>
          data=quant_gxp_urine)
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```
ar2 = paste0(
  "RCS model\n aR2=",
  round(summary(fit)$adj.r.squared, 2)
quant_gxp_urine %>%
  add_predictions(fit) %>%
  dplyr::mutate(
   pred mean rpoB CT = pred,
    # imuted_ct is mean_rpob_ct, or predicted if trace, or NA if all probes negative
    imputed_ct = case_when(
      !is.na(mean_rpob_ct) ~ mean_rpob_ct,
      is.na(mean_rpob_ct) & !is.na(pred_mean_rpoB_CT) ~ pred_mean_rpoB_CT
                )) -> quant_gxp_urine
quant_gxp_urine %>%
  ggplot(aes(IS, imputed_ct)) +
  geom_point(aes(colour=is.na(mean_rpob_ct)), alpha=0.6) +
  geom_line(aes(IS, pred_mean_rpoB_CT)) +
  theme_minimal() + scale_colour_ptol() +
  theme(legend.position = "none") +
  ylab("Mean rpoB ct\n (imputed values shown)") +
  annotate("text", x = 22, y=22, label=ar2) -> g_imputed_urine
quant_gxp_urine %>%
      select(study id, timepoint,
             urine_mean_rpoB_Ct = imputed_ct) -> quant_gxp_urine
quant_df %>% select(study_id, timepoint,
                     dmn_ml_log,
                     blood_mean_rpoB_Ct = mean_rpoB_Ct,
                     ttp) %>%
 left_join(
   quant_gxp_urine,
   by = c("study_id", "timepoint")
  pivot_longer(3:6, names_to = "assay") %>%
  mutate(
    assay = factor(assay,
                   levels = c("ttp",
                              "dmn_ml_log",
                              "blood_mean_rpoB_Ct",
                              "urine mean rpoB Ct"),
                   labels = c("MFL blood culture TTP",
                              "Log DMN-tre bacilli/ml",
                              "Blood Xpert-ultra mean rpoB Ct",
                              "Urine Xpert mean rpoB Ct"))
  ) %>%
  drop_na(value) %>%
 ggplot(
   aes(timepoint, value, group=study_id, colour=assay)
  geom_quasirandom(alpha=0.5) +
```

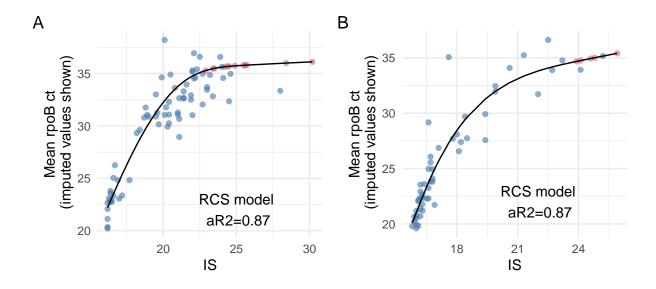


Figure 5: Imputation of trace positive mean rpoB Ct values: A blood; B urine

g_raw_quant

7 Clinical description cohort

With focus on relating clinical phenotype to MTBBSI bacilliary load and outcome.

```
# make binary versions of clinical signs to facilitate cluster them
clin %>%
  transmute(
    study_id=study_id,
    tachycardia = as.numeric(HR>median(HR)),
    hypotension = as.numeric(sBP<90),
    tachyopnea = as.numeric(RR>median(RR)),
    hypoxia = as.numeric(sats <94),
    pyrexia = as.numeric(temp>37.5),
    reduced_GCS = as.numeric(GCS<15),</pre>
```

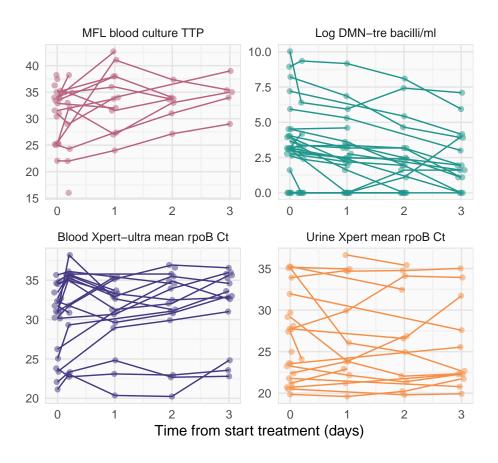
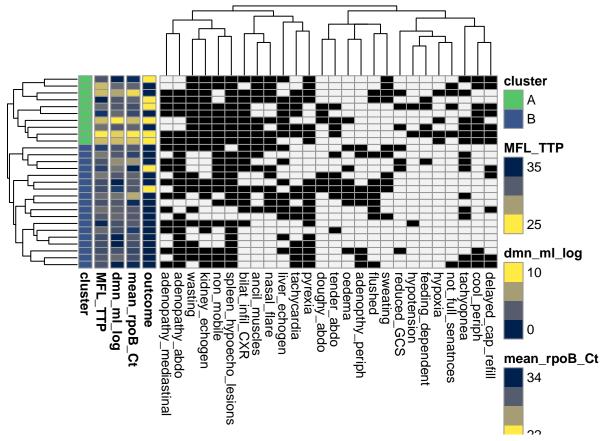


Figure 6: Quant results summarised to a single measure per assay

```
non_mobile = ifelse(walks.unaided==0, 1, 0),
    feeding_dependent = ifelse(self.feed==0,1,0),
    wasting = wasting,
    flushed = flushed,
    sweating = sweating,
    cool_periph = cool.periph,
   delayed_cap_refill = as.numeric(cap.refil>2),
   ancil muscles = ancil.muscles,
   nasal_flare = nasal.flare,
   not_full_senatnces = ifelse(full.sentances==0,1,0),
    candida = candida,
   oedema = oedema,
   adenopthy_periph = periph.LN,
   doughy_abdo = doughy.abdo,
   tender_abdo = tender.abdo,
   bilat_infil_CXR = CXR.inf.bilat,
    adenopathy_mediastinal = CXR.LN,
    liver_enlarged = liver_enlarged,
   liver_echogen = liver_echogen,
   spleen_enlarged = spleen_enlarged,
   spleen_hypoecho_lesions = spleen_hypoecho_lesions,
   kidney_echogen = as.numeric(ifelse(kidney_echogen=="normal", 0, 1)),
    adenopathy_abdo = ifelse(adenopathy=="no", 0, 1)
  ) -> baseline_signs
# clustering algorithm requires complete cases:
set.seed(1)
imp_blsigns <- mice(baseline_signs, m=1)</pre>
##
##
   iter imp variable
        1 liver_echogen* spleen_hypoecho_lesions*
                                                      kidney_echogen*
##
                                                                       adenopathy_abdo*
    1
##
       1 liver_echogen* spleen_hypoecho_lesions*
                                                      kidney_echogen*
                                                                       adenopathy_abdo*
        1 liver_echogen* spleen_hypoecho_lesions*
##
                                                      kidney_echogen*
                                                                       adenopathy_abdo*
     3
##
        1 liver_echogen*
                            spleen_hypoecho_lesions*
                                                      kidney_echogen*
                                                                       adenopathy_abdo*
##
         1 liver_echogen* spleen_hypoecho_lesions*
                                                      kidney_echogen*
                                                                       adenopathy_abdo*
   * Please inspect the loggedEvents
baseline_signs <- mice::complete(imp_blsigns)</pre>
quant_df %>%
 pivot_wider(id_cols = "study_id",
              names_from = "timepoint",
              values_from = c("dmn_ml_log", "mean_rpoB_Ct", "ttp")) -> quant_df_wide
set.seed(1)
imp_quantdf <- mice(quant_df_wide, m=1)</pre>
##
##
   iter imp variable
##
         1 dmn_ml_log_0* dmn_ml_log_0.2* dmn_ml_log_1* dmn_ml_log_2* dmn_ml_log_3* mean_rpoB_Ct_0
    1
         1 dmn_ml_log_0* dmn_ml_log_0.2* dmn_ml_log_1* dmn_ml_log_2* dmn_ml_log_3* mean_rpoB_Ct_0
##
```

```
##
       1 dmn_ml_log_0* dmn_ml_log_0.2* dmn_ml_log_1* dmn_ml_log_2* dmn_ml_log_3* mean_rpoB_Ct_0
##
        1 dmn_ml_log_0* dmn_ml_log_0.2* dmn_ml_log_1* dmn_ml_log_2* dmn_ml_log_3*
                                                                                           mean_rpoB_Ct_0
                                                                                           mean_rpoB_Ct_0
##
         1 dmn_ml_log_0* dmn_ml_log_0.2* dmn_ml_log_1* dmn_ml_log_2* dmn_ml_log_3*
   * Please inspect the loggedEvents
quant_df_wide <- mice::complete(imp_quantdf)</pre>
quant_df_wide %>%
  select(study_id, ends_with("_0")) -> quant_df_wide
baseline_signs %>%
  left_join(
    quant_df_wide,
    by = "study_id"
  ) %>%
  left_join(
    oc,
    by="study_id"
  ) %>%
  mutate(outcome = ifelse(died==1, "Died", "Survived"))-> baseline_signs
blsdf <- baseline_signs[, 2:27]</pre>
# heat map with clustering:
bls clusters <- data.frame(</pre>
  study_id = paste0(
    "pid",
    c(7,25,10,2,5,27,8,16,3,4,
      24,26,21,6,
      22,14,1,9,11,18,28,15,17,13,20,12,19,23)
  ),
  cluster = c(
   rep("A", 10),
    rep("B", 18) ) # added retrospectively so can easier add to figure
  )
rownames(blsdf) <- baseline_signs$study_id</pre>
rowanno <- data.frame(</pre>
  study_id = baseline_signs$study_id,
  outcome = baseline_signs$outcome,
  mean_rpoB_Ct = baseline_signs$mean_rpoB_Ct_0,
  dmn_ml_log = baseline_signs$dmn_ml_log_0,
 MFL_TTP = baseline_signs$ttp_0
) %>%
  left_join(bls_clusters, by = "study_id") %>%
  select(-study_id)
rownames(rowanno) <- baseline_signs$study_id</pre>
set.seed(221214)
grid.grabExpr(
  pheatmap(blsdf, legend = FALSE,
           annotation_row = rowanno,
```



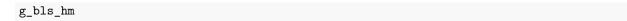
```
as_ggplot(bls_hm) -> g_bls_hm

# complimentary MCA:

bls <- names(baseline_signs[2:27])
baseline_signs %>%
  mutate(
    across(all_of(bls), as.factor),
    outcome = as.factor(outcome)
  ) %>%
  select(-died) -> baseline_signs
rownames(baseline_signs) <- baseline_signs$study_id
baseline_signs <- select(baseline_signs, -study_id)</pre>
```

```
mca1 <- MCA(baseline_signs, quali.sup = 30, quanti.sup = c(27:29))</pre>
mca1$ind$coord %>% as tibble() %>% select(`Dim 1`, `Dim 2`) %>%
  mutate(
    study_id = rownames(baseline_signs),
    mean_rpoB_Ct = baseline_signs$mean_rpoB_Ct_0,
    dmn_ml_log = baseline_signs$dmn_ml_log_0,
   MFL TTP = baseline signs$ttp 0,
    outcome = baseline_signs$outcome
  ) %>%
  left_join(bls_clusters, by="study_id") -> mca1_coord
set.seed(221214)
mca1_coord %>%
  ggplot(aes(`Dim 1`, `Dim 2`, fill=outcome, shape=cluster, colour=cluster)) +
  xlim(-1, 1) + ylim(-1, 1) +
  geom_vline(xintercept = 0, colour="grey") +
  geom_hline(yintercept = 0, colour="grey") +
  geom_point(size=3, alpha=0.5,
             position = position_jitter(width=0.05, height=0.05)) +
  theme dab() +
  scale_colour_manual(values = c("#55C667FF","#39568CFF")) +
  scale shape manual(values = c(24,21)) +
  scale_fill_manual(
    values = c(
      viridis_pal(option="E")(8)[8],
      viridis_pal(option="E")(8)[1]
    )) +
  guides(fill = guide_legend(override.aes=list(shape=22))) +
  xlab("MCA Clinical signs Dim 1") +
  ylab("MCA clinical signs Dim 2") -> g_mca1_pts
mca1$quanti.sup$coord %>%
  as_tibble() %>%
  select(`Dim 1`, `Dim 2`) %>%
  bind rows(
    mca1$quali.sup$coord %>%
    as tibble() %>%
   select(`Dim 1`, `Dim 2`)
  ) %>%
  mutate(
    var = c("log\nDMN/ml", "Mean\nrpoB Ct", "MFL\nTTP", "Died", "Survived"),
    x = c(-0.3, -0.25, -0.9, 0.55, -0.35),
    y = c(0.65, -0.3, -0.40, 0.85, -0.2),
    sup_var_type = c("bacilli_burden", "bacilli_burden", "bacilli_burden",
                     "outcome", "outcome")) -> mca1_sup_loading
ggplot(mca1_sup_loading %>% filter(var!="Survived"),
       aes(colour=sup_var_type)) +
  xlim(-1, 1) + ylim(-1, 1) +
  geom_vline(xintercept = 0, colour="grey") +
```

```
geom_hline(yintercept = 0, colour="grey") +
  geom_text(
   mapping = aes(x = x,
                  y = y,
                  label = var),
   hjust=0, vjust=1, size=3.5) +
  geom_segment(
   mapping = aes(x = 0, xend = `Dim 1`,
                  y = 0, yend = `Dim 2`),
   size=1.
   arrow = arrow(length = unit(0.3, "cm"))) +
  theme_minimal() +
  xlab("Loadings on MCA Dim 1") +
  ylab("Loadings on MCA Dim 2") +
  scale_colour_manual(values = c("#042333ff", "#a65c85ff")) +
  theme(legend.position = "none") -> g_mca1_loadings
mca1_projn <- data.frame(</pre>
  xend = c(
  cor(mca1_coord$mean_rpoB_Ct, mca1_coord$`Dim 1`),
  cor(mca1_coord$dmn_ml_log, mca1_coord$`Dim 1`),
  cor(mca1_coord$MFL_TTP, mca1_coord$`Dim 1`)),
  yend = c(
  cor(mca1_coord$mean_rpoB_Ct, mca1_coord$`Dim 2`),
  cor(mca1_coord$dmn_ml_log, mca1_coord$`Dim 2`),
  cor(mca1_coord$MFL_TTP, mca1_coord$`Dim 2`)),
 label = c(
   "Mean\nrpoB Ct", "log\nDMN-tre", "MFL\nTTP"),
 x = c(-0.35, 0.25, -0.9),
 y = c(-0.4, 0.8, -0.1)
mca1_projn %>%
  ggplot(aes(colour=label)) +
  xlim(-1,1) + ylim(-1,1) +
  geom_vline(xintercept = 0, colour="grey") +
  geom_hline(yintercept = 0, colour="grey") +
  geom_segment(
   mapping = aes(x = 0, xend = xend,
                  y = 0, yend = yend),
   size=1,
   arrow = arrow(length = unit(0.2, "cm"))) +
  geom text(
   mapping = aes(x = x,
                  y = y,
                  label = label),
   hjust=0, vjust=1, size=3.5) +
  theme_dab() + theme(legend.position = "none") +
  scale_colour_manual(values = c( "#1F968BFF", "#453781FF", "#b8627dff" )) +
  xlab("Correlation MCA Dim 1") +
  ylab("Correlation MCA Dim 2") -> g_mca1_cor
```



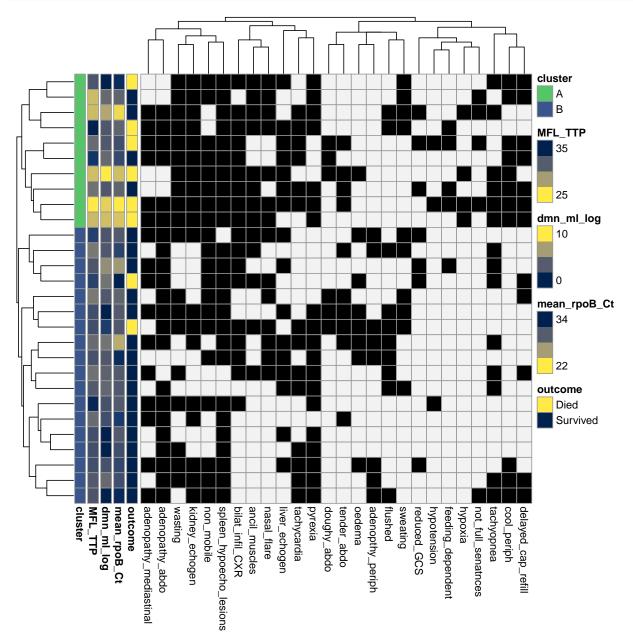


Figure 7: Baseline clinical signs dimension reduction: hclust heatmap

```
g_mca1_cor + g_mca1_loadings + g_mca1_pts +
    plot_annotation(tag_levels = "A") +
    plot_layout(nrow=1)

#### bloods PCA

blds <- read_csv("baseline_blds.csv")

blds %>%
```

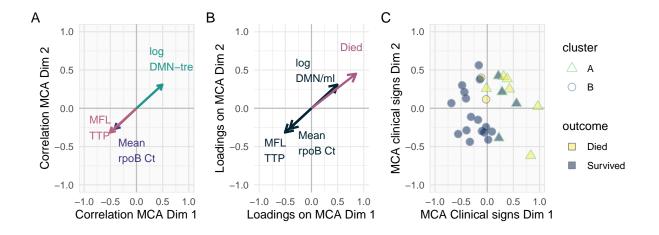


Figure 8: Baseline clinical signs dimension reduction: MCA

```
select(-X1) %>%
  left_join(pids, by="study_id") %>%
  mutate(study_id = pid) -> blds
blds %>%
  select(study_id,
         cd4, wcc, platelets, MPV,
         Hb, Hct, MCH, MCHC, MCV, rcc, RDW,
         Na, K, urea,
         AST, ALT, ALP = `alk phos`, GGT, Tbil, Cbil) %>%
  left_join(
    clin %>%
      select(study_id,
             pH, HCO3, BE, lactate, pO2, pCO2, glucose, creat),
    by = "study id"
  ) -> blds
blds %>%
  select(study_id,
         cd4, Hb, platelets, MPV, lactate, AST,
         wcc, Na, urea, creat, glucose, MCHC) %>%
  left_join(
    mca1_coord %>% select(study_id, outcome),
    by = "study_id"
  ) %>%
  pivot_longer(2:13, names_to = "variable") %>%
  ggplot(
    aes(value, fill=outcome)
  geom_density(alpha=0.5, adjust=1.8) +
  facet wrap(~variable, scales= "free", nrow=4) +
  theme_dab() +
  scale_fill_manual(
    values = c(
```

```
viridis_pal(option="E")(8)[8],
      viridis_pal(option="E")(8)[1]
   )) +
  xlab("") +
  theme(legend.position = "bottom",
       panel.spacing = unit(0, "lines"),
       axis.text.x = element_text(size=8),
       axis.text.y = element_text(size=8)) -> g_blds_dist
blds %>%
 transmute(
   study id = study id,
   cd4 = \log(cd4+1),
   wcc = log(wcc),
   platelets = log(platelets),
   MPV = log(MPV),
   Hb = Hb,
   Hct = Hct,
   MCH = MCH
   MCHC = MCHC,
   MCV = MCV,
   rcc = rcc,
   RDW = RDW,
   wcc = sqrt(wcc),
   Na = Na,
   K = K,
   urea = log(urea),
   creat = log(creat),
   AST = log(AST),
   ALT = log(ALT),
   ALP = log(ALP),
   GGT = log(GGT),
   u_bil = log(Tbil - Cbil),
   c_bil = log(Cbil),
   pH = pH,
   HCO3 = HCO3,
   BE = BE,
   lactate = log(lactate),
   pCO2 = pCO2,
   glucose = log(glucose)
  ) %>%
   mutate_at(c(2:10), funs(c(scale(.)))) -> blds_scaled
set.seed(1)
imp_blds <- mice(blds_scaled, m=1)</pre>
##
##
   iter imp variable
##
       1 MPV* RDW*
                       Na*
                            K*
                                       AST* ALT* ALP* GGT* u_bil* c_bil*
    1
                                urea*
        1 MPV* RDW*
                                                         GGT* u_bil* c_bil*
##
     2
                                       AST* ALT*
                                                   ALP*
                       Na*
                            K*
                                urea*
##
    3
        1 MPV*
                 RDW*
                            K*
                                        AST*
                                              ALT*
                                                   ALP*
                                                         GGT*
                       Na*
                                urea*
                                                               u_bil* c_bil*
##
       1 MPV*
                                                   ALP*
                 RDW*
                       Na* K*
                                urea*
                                        AST* ALT*
                                                         GGT*
                                                               u_bil* c_bil*
       1 MPV* RDW*
                       Na* K*
                                urea*
                                       AST* ALT* ALP*
                                                         GGT* u_bil* c_bil*
```

```
## * Please inspect the loggedEvents
blds_scaled <- mice::complete(imp_blds)</pre>
blds_scaled$AST_resid <- resid(lm(AST ~ ALT, data=blds_scaled))</pre>
blds_scaled$wcc_resid <- resid(lm(wcc ~ cd4, data=blds_scaled))</pre>
# PCA*
rownames(blds_scaled) <- blds_scaled$study_id</pre>
pca1 <- principal(</pre>
  blds_scaled %>%
    select(cd4, Hb, platelets, MPV, lactate, AST_resid,
           wcc, Na, urea, creat, glucose, MCHC),
  nfactors = 2, rotate = "varimax")
pca1_loadings <- data.frame(pc1 = pca1$loadings[,1],</pre>
                             pc2 = pca1$loadings[,2],
                             variable = names(pca1$loadings[,1]),
                             adverse = c("1", "1", "1", "h", "h", "h",
                                          "u", "u", "h", "h", "u", "u"))
pca1_loadings %>%
  ggplot(
    aes(pc1, pc2, colour=adverse)) +
  geom vline(xintercept = 0) +
  geom_hline(yintercept = 0) +
  geom_point(size=3, alpha=0.7) +
  geom_label_repel(
    aes(pc1, pc2,
        label = variable),
    box.padding = 0.35, point.padding = 0.5,
    segment.color = 'grey50') +
  theme_dab() +
  scale_color_manual(values =
                        viridis(12, option="E")[c(9,3,6)]) +
  theme(legend.position = "none") +
  xlab("Blood results PC1 variable loadings") +
  ylab("Blood results PC2 variable loadings") -> g_pca1_loadings
pca1_coord <- pca1$scores %>%
  as_tibble() %>%
  transmute(
    study_id = rownames(pca1$scores),
    pc1 = RC1,
    pc2 = RC2
    ) %>%
  left_join(
    mca1_coord %>% select(-`Dim 1`, -`Dim 2`, -cluster),
    by = "study_id"
  )
```

```
pca1_coord %>%
  ggplot(
   aes(pc1, pc2, fill=outcome)
  geom_vline(xintercept = 0, colour="grey") +
  geom_hline(yintercept = 0, colour="grey") +
  geom_point(size=3.5, alpha=0.5, shape=21) +
  scale fill manual(
   values = c(
      viridis_pal(option="E")(8)[8],
      viridis_pal(option="E")(8)[1]
   )) +
  theme_dab() +
  xlab("Blood results PC1") +
  ylab("Blood results PC2") -> g_pca1_pts
pca1_projn <- data.frame(</pre>
  xend = c(
  cor(pca1_coord$mean_rpoB_Ct, pca1_coord$pc1),
  cor(pca1_coord$dmn_ml_log, pca1_coord$pc1),
  cor(pca1_coord$MFL_TTP, pca1_coord$pc1)),
 yend = c(
  cor(pca1_coord$mean_rpoB_Ct, pca1_coord$pc2),
  cor(pca1_coord$dmn_ml_log, pca1_coord$pc2),
  cor(pca1_coord$MFL_TTP, pca1_coord$pc2)),
 label = c(
   "Mean\nrpoB Ct", "log\nDMN-tre", "MFL\nTTP"),
 x = c(-0.4, 0.3, -0.8),
 y = c(-0.6, 0.9, -0.1)
pca1_projn %>%
  ggplot(aes(colour=label)) +
  xlim(-1,1) + ylim(-1,1) +
  geom_vline(xintercept = 0, colour="grey") +
  geom_hline(yintercept = 0, colour="grey") +
  geom_segment(
   mapping = aes(x = 0, xend = xend,
                  y = 0, yend = yend),
   size=1,
   arrow = arrow(length = unit(0.2, "cm"))) +
  geom_text(
   mapping = aes(x = x,
                  y = y,
                  label = label),
   hjust=0, vjust=1, size=3.5) +
  theme_dab() + theme(legend.position = "none") +
  scale_colour_manual(values = c( "#1F968BFF", "#453781FF", "#b8627dff" )) +
  xlab("Correlation with PC1") +
  ylab("Correlation with PC2") -> g_pca1_cor
##########
```

```
#fit_pc1_ct <- brm(pc1 ~ mean_rpoB_Ct, data = pca1_coord)</pre>
#fit_pc1_ct_R2 <- bayes_R2(fit_pc1_ct, summary = TRUE)</pre>
\#fit\_pc1\_ct\_prob\_neg <- \ round((sum(posterior\_samples(fit\_pc1\_ct)\$b\_mean\_rpoB\_C < 0))/4000, \ 3)
#fit_pc1_dmn <- brm(pc1 ~ dmn_ml_log, data = pca1_coord)
#fit_pc1_dmn_R2 <- bayes_R2(fit_pc1_dmn, summary = TRUE)</pre>
\#fit_pc1_dmn_prob_pos \leftarrow round((sum(posterior_samples(fit_pc1_dmn)\$b_dmn_ml_log > 0))/4000, 3)
#fit pc1 ttp <- brm(pc1 ~ MFL TTP, data = pca1 coord)
#fit_pc1_ttp_R2 \leftarrow bayes_R2(fit_pc1_ttp, summary = TRUE)
\#fit_pc1\_ttp\_prob\_neg \leftarrow round((sum(posterior\_samples(fit_pc1\_ttp)\$b\_MFL\_TTP < 0))/4000, 3)
\#fit\_pc2\_ct \leftarrow brm(pc2 \sim mean\_rpoB\_Ct, data = pca1\_coord)
#fit_pc2_ct_R2 \leftarrow bayes_R2(fit_pc2_ct, summary = TRUE)
\#fit_pc2_ct_prob_neq \leftarrow round((sum(posterior_samples(fit_pc2_ct)\$b_mean_rpoB_C < 0))/4000, 3)
#fit_pc2_dmn <- brm(pc2 ~ dmn_ml_log, data = pca1_coord)</pre>
\#fit\_pc2\_dmn\_R2 \leftarrow bayes\_R2(fit\_pc2\_dmn, summary = TRUE)
\#fit_pc2_dmn_prob_pos \leftarrow round((sum(posterior_samples(fit_pc2_dmn)\$b_dmn_ml_log > 0))/4000, 3)
#fit pc2 ttp <- brm(pc2 ~ MFL TTP, data = pca1 coord)
#fit_pc2_ttp_R2 \leftarrow bayes_R2(fit_pc2_ttp, summary = TRUE)
\#fit_pc2\_ttp\_prob\_neg \leftarrow round((sum(posterior\_samples(fit_pc2\_ttp)\$b\_MFL\_TTP < 0))/4000, 3)
#c(fit_pc1_dmm_R2[1], fit_pc1_ttp_R2[1], fit_pc1_ct_R2[1])
#c(fit_pc1_ct_prob_neq, fit_pc1_dmn_prob_pos, fit_pc1_ttp_prob_neq)
#c(fit_pc2_dmm_R2[1], fit_pc2_ttp_R2[1], fit_pc2_ct_R2[1])
\#c(fit\_pc2\_ct\_prob\_neg, fit\_pc2\_dmn\_prob\_pos, fit\_pc2\_ttp\_prob\_neg)
#fit_pc1_outcome <- brm(pc1 ~ outcome, data = pca1_coord)</pre>
#fit_pc2_outcome <- brm(pc2 ~ outcome, data = pca1_coord)
##########
g_blds_dist
g_pca1_loadings + g_pca1_cor + g_pca1_pts +
  plot_annotation(tag_levels = "A") +
 plot_layout(nrow=1)
```

8 Agreement between methods

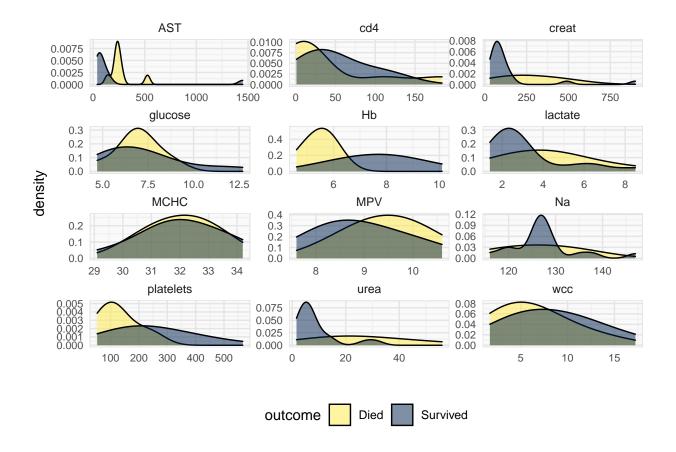


Figure 9: Patient blood results

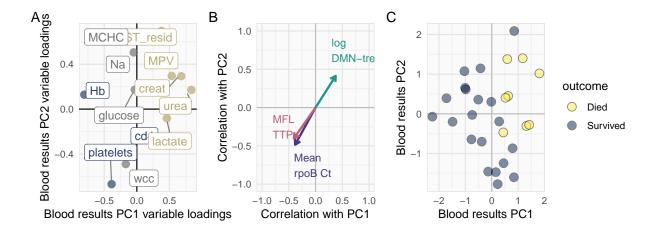


Figure 10: Patient blood results dimension reduction

```
fit_ttp_ct <- brm(ttp ~ ns(blood_mean_rpoB_Ct, df=3), data = quant_df_u)</pre>
fit_dmn_ttp <- brm(dmn_ml_log ~ ns(ttp, df=3), data = quant_df_u)</pre>
fit ct dmn <- brm(blood mean rpoB Ct ~ ns(dmn ml log, df=3), data = quant df u)
fit_ct_uct <- brm(blood_mean_rpoB_Ct ~ ns(urine_mean_rpoB_Ct, df=3), data = quant_df_u)</pre>
fit_dmn_uct <- brm(dmn_ml_log ~ ns(urine_mean_rpoB_Ct, df=3), data = quant_df_u)</pre>
fit_ttp_uct <- brm(ttp ~ ns(urine_mean_rpoB_Ct, df=3), data = quant_df_u)</pre>
r2 ttp ct <- as.numeric(round(bayes R2(fit ttp ct), 2))
r2_dmn_ttp <- as.numeric(round(bayes_R2(fit_dmn_ttp), 2))
r2_ct_dmn <- as.numeric(round(bayes_R2(fit_ct_dmn), 2))</pre>
r2_ct_uct <- as.numeric(round(bayes_R2(fit_ct_uct), 2))</pre>
fit_ttp_ct_df <- fitted(fit_ttp_ct,</pre>
       newdata = data.frame(
         blood_mean_rpoB_Ct = seq(20,37, by = 0.2))) \%
  as_tibble() %>%
  bind cols(
    data.frame(
      blood_mean_rpoB_Ct = seq(20,37, by = 0.2))) %>%
  select(blood_mean_rpoB_Ct, ttp_hat = Estimate, Q2.5, Q97.5)
fit_dmn_ttp_df <- fitted(fit_dmn_ttp,</pre>
       newdata = data.frame(ttp = seq(20,42, by = 0.2))) %>%
  as_tibble() %>%
  bind_cols(
    data.frame(ttp = seq(20,42, by = 0.2))) %>%
  select(ttp, dmn_ml_log_hat = Estimate, Q2.5, Q97.5)
fit_ct_dmn_df <- fitted(fit_ct_dmn,</pre>
       newdata = data.frame(dmn_ml_log = seq(0,10, by = 0.2))) %>%
  as_tibble() %>%
  bind cols(
    data.frame(dmn_ml_log = seq(0,10, by = 0.2))) %>%
  select(dmn_ml_log, blood_mean_rpoB_Ct_hat = Estimate, Q2.5, Q97.5)
fit_ct_uct_df <- fitted(fit_ct_uct,</pre>
       newdata = data.frame(
         urine_mean_rpoB_Ct = seq(19,37, by = 0.2))) %>%
  as tibble() %>%
  bind cols(
    data.frame(urine_mean_rpoB_Ct = seq(19,37, by = 0.2))) %>%
  select(urine_mean_rpoB_Ct, blood_mean_rpoB_Ct_hat = Estimate, Q2.5, Q97.5)
quant_df_u %>%
  ggplot(aes(dmn_ml_log, blood_mean_rpoB_Ct)) +
  geom_point(alpha=0.4, size=1.5,
                                    colour="#9E9677FF") +
  geom_line(data = fit_ct_dmn_df,
            aes(dmn_ml_log, blood_mean_rpoB_Ct_hat)) +
  geom_ribbon(
    data = fit_ct_dmn_df,
    mapping =
      aes(x=dmn_ml_log, ymin = Q2.5, ymax=Q97.5),
```

```
inherit.aes = FALSE,
    alpha=0.3) +
  theme minimal() +
  theme(legend.position = "none") +
  geom_text(x = 10, y = 38, parse=TRUE,
            hjust = 1, vjust = 1, size=3.5,
            label =
              paste0(
                "R^2==", r2_ct_dmn[1])) +
  geom_text(x = 10, y = 35, parse = TRUE,
            hjust = 1, vjust = 1, size=3.5,
            label =
              paste0(
                "(", r2_ct_dmn[3], "-", r2_ct_dmn[4], ")"
  xlab("Log DMN-tre bacilli/m1") + ylab("Blood mean rpoB Ct") -> g3
ggExtra::ggMarginal(g3, margins = "x",
                    type = "density",
                    fill="#1F968BFF",
                    alpha=0.25) -> g3
quant_df_u %>%
  ggplot(aes(ttp, dmn_ml_log)) +
  geom_point(alpha=0.4, size=1.5,
                                    colour="#9E9677FF") +
  geom_line(data = fit_dmn_ttp_df,
            aes(ttp, dmn_ml_log_hat)) +
  geom_ribbon(
    data = fit_dmn_ttp_df,
    mapping =
      aes(x=ttp, ymin = Q2.5, ymax=Q97.5),
    inherit.aes = FALSE,
    alpha=0.3) +
  theme minimal() +
  theme(legend.position = "none") +
  geom_text(x = 42, y = 15, parse = TRUE,
            hjust = 1, vjust = 1, size=3.5,
            label =
              paste0(
               "R^2==",r2_dmn_ttp[1])) +
  geom_text(x = 42, y = 12.5, parse = TRUE,
            hjust = 1, vjust = 1, size=3.5,
            label =
              paste0(
                "(", r2_dmn_ttp[3], "-", r2_dmn_ttp[4], ")")) +
  ylab("Log DMN-tre bacilli/ml") + xlab("MFL blood culture TTP") -> g1
ggExtra::ggMarginal(g1, margins = "x",
                    type = "density",
                    fill="#b8627dff", alpha=0.25) -> g1
quant_df_u %>%
```

```
ggplot(aes(blood_mean_rpoB_Ct, ttp)) +
  geom_point(alpha=0.4, size=1.5,
                                   colour="#9E9677FF") +
  geom_line(data = fit_ttp_ct_df,
            aes(blood_mean_rpoB_Ct, ttp_hat)) +
  geom_ribbon(
   data = fit_ttp_ct_df,
   mapping =
      aes(x=blood mean rpoB Ct, ymin = Q2.5, ymax=Q97.5),
    inherit.aes = FALSE,
    alpha=0.3) +
  theme_minimal() +
  geom_text(x = 37.5, y = 21, parse = TRUE,
            hjust = 1, vjust = 0, size=3.5,
            label =
              paste0(
                "R^2==", r2_ttp_ct[1])) +
  geom_text(x = 37.5, y = 17, parse = TRUE,
            hjust = 1, vjust = 0, size=3.5,
            label =
              paste0(
                "(", r2_ttp_ct[3], "-", r2_ttp_ct[4], ")"
   xlab("Blood mean rpoB Ct") + ylab("MFL blood culture TTP") -> g2
ggExtra::ggMarginal(g2, margins = "x",
                    type = "density",
                    fill="#453781FF", alpha=0.25) -> g2
quant_df_u %>%
  ggplot(aes(urine_mean_rpoB_Ct, blood_mean_rpoB_Ct)) +
  geom_point(alpha=0.4, size=1.5,
                                    colour="#9E9677FF") +
  geom_line(data = fit_ct_uct_df,
            aes(urine_mean_rpoB_Ct, blood_mean_rpoB_Ct_hat)) +
  geom_ribbon(
   data = fit_ct_uct_df,
   mapping =
      aes(x=urine_mean_rpoB_Ct, ymin = Q2.5, ymax=Q97.5),
   inherit.aes = FALSE,
   alpha=0.3) +
  theme minimal() +
  theme(legend.position = "none") +
  geom_text(x = 37, y = 25, parse=TRUE,
            hjust = 1, vjust = 1, size=3.5,
            label =
              paste0(
                "R^2==", r2_ct_uct[1])) +
  geom_text(x = 37, y = 22, parse = TRUE,
            hjust = 1, vjust = 1, size=3.5,
            label =
              paste0(
                "(", r2_ct_uct[3], "-", r2_ct_uct[4], ")"
  xlab("Urine mean rpoB Ct") + ylab("Blood mean rpoB Ct") -> g4
```

```
ggExtra::ggMarginal(g4, margins = "x",
                    type = "density",
                    fill="#f68f46ff",
                    alpha=0.25) \rightarrow g4
# grid.arrange(g1, g3, g2, g4, nrow=2)
#table(rowSums(qual[,3:6]=="Not available"))
qual %>%
  mutate(
    bld_xpert = na_if(bld_xpert, "Not available"),
    urn_xpert = na_if(urn_xpert, "Not available"),
    dmn_micro = na_if(dmn_micro, "Not available"),
    mfl_culture = na_if(mfl_culture, "Not available")
  ) %>%
  mutate(
    bld_xpert = as.numeric((bld_xpert=="M.tb detected")),
    urn_xpert = as.numeric((urn_xpert=="M.tb detected")),
    dmn_micro = as.numeric((dmn_micro=="M.tb detected")),
    mfl_culture = as.numeric((mfl_culture=="M.tb detected"))
  ) -> qual
u = qual$urn_xpert
b = qual$bld_xpert
d = qual$dmn_micro
m = qual$mfl_culture
k < -c(
  cohen.kappa(table(u,u))$k, cohen.kappa(table(u,b))$k, cohen.kappa(table(u,d))$k, cohen.kappa(table(u,d))$k,
  cohen.kappa(table(b,u))$k, cohen.kappa(table(b,b))$k, cohen.kappa(table(b,d))$k, cohen.kappa(table(b,d))$k
  cohen.kappa(table(d,u))$k, cohen.kappa(table(d,b))$k, cohen.kappa(table(d,d))$k, cohen.kappa(table(d,d))
  cohen.kappa(table(m,u))$k, cohen.kappa(table(m,b))$k, cohen.kappa(table(m,d))$k, cohen.kappa(table(m,
k <- matrix(k, nrow=4, byrow = TRUE)</pre>
rownames(k) <- c("Urine Xpert", "Blood Xpert-ultra", "DMN-tre micro.", "MFL blood culture")
colnames(k) <- c("Urine Xpert", "Blood Xpert-ultra", "DMN-tre micro.", "MFL blood culture")</pre>
updf <- as.data.frame(qual[,3:6])</pre>
UpSetR::upset(updf,
              sets = c("bld_xpert", "urn_xpert",
                        "dmn_micro", "mfl_culture"),
              order.by = "freq", matrix.color = "#332288",
              sets.bar.color = c("#CC6677", "#DDCC77",
                                  "#44AA99", "yellow"))
colfunc <- colorRampPalette(c("black", "white"))</pre>
pheatmap(k, display_numbers = TRUE, color = colfunc(10) )
```

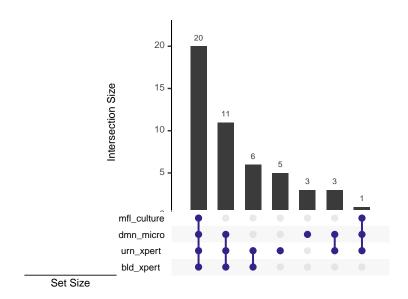


Figure 11: Agreemnet between qualitative results

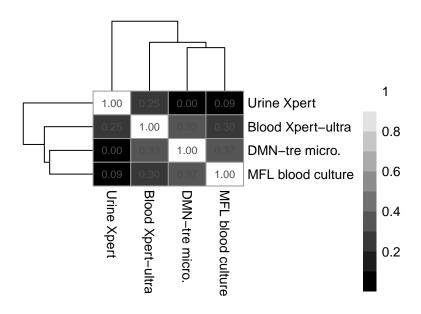


Figure 12: Agreemnet between qualitative results

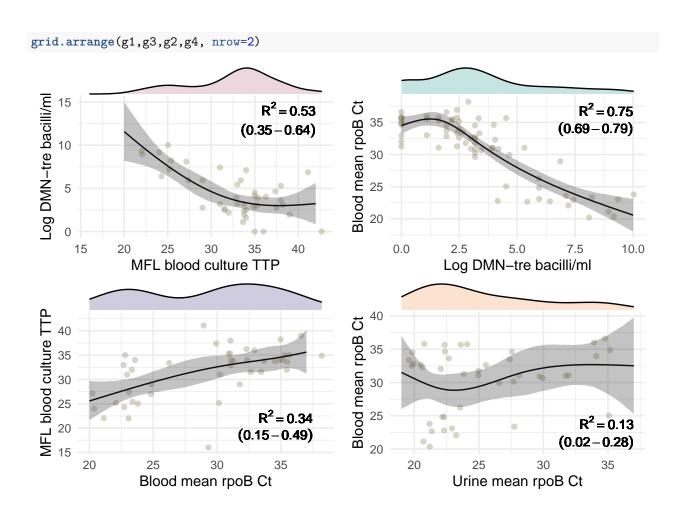


Figure 13: Correleation between quantitative measures of bacilliary load

9 Ordinal scaling data

```
mutate(
    rpoB1_CT = ifelse(rpoB1_CT==0, LOQ, rpoB1_CT),
    rpoB2_CT = ifelse(rpoB2_CT==0, LOQ, rpoB2_CT),
    rpoB3_CT = ifelse(rpoB3_CT==0, LOQ, rpoB3_CT),
    rpoB4_CT = ifelse(rpoB4_CT==0, LOQ, rpoB4_CT),
    IS1081_IS6110_CT = ifelse(IS1081_IS6110_CT==0, LOQ, IS1081_IS6110_CT),
    mean_ct = pmap_dbl(
      list(rpoB1 CT, rpoB2 CT, rpoB3 CT, rpoB4 CT, IS1081 IS6110 CT),
      ~mean(c(...))),
    mean ct =
      ifelse(result=="ERROR", NA, mean_ct),
    result =
      factor(result,
             levels = c("ERROR", "MTB NOT DETECTED",
                        "MTB DETECTED TRACE", "MTB DETECTED VERY LOW",
                        "MTB DETECTED LOW", "MTB DETECTED MEDIUM",
                        "MTB DETECTED HIGH")),
    ct_ordinal = as.integer(cut(-1*mean_ct, breaks = 10))) %>%
  select(sample_id, study_id, sample_type, timepoint,
         result, ct_ordinal, mean_ct,
         rpoB1_CT, rpoB2_CT, rpoB3_CT,
         rpoB4_CT, IS1081_IS6110_CT) -> gxp_ord
#### MFL TTP
mfl <- read csv("MFL.csv")</pre>
mfl$MFL[mfl$TTP<10 & !is.na(mfl$TTP)] # mixed (contam) growth but MTB was recovered...
## [1] "MTB" "MTB"
mfl$TTP[mfl$TTP<10] <- NA
# MFL quant results to long format with preseved sample types pellet v lysate
mfl %>%
  select(study id, timepoint, type, TTP, MFL) %>%
  mutate(
    mfl = str_replace(MFL,
                      "contam|lost_viability",
                      replacement = "Not available"),
    mfl = replace_na(mfl, "Not available"),
    mfl = str_replace(mfl, "MTB", replacement = "M.tb detected"),
    mfl = ifelse( is.na(TTP) & MFL == "MTB",
                       "Not available", mfl)) %>%
  select(-MFL) %>%
  pivot_wider(id_cols = c("study_id", "timepoint"),
              names from = "type",
              values_from = c("mfl", "TTP")) %>%
  rename all(tolower) -> quant mfl
# empirical LOQ for MFL = set as max observed ttp + 1
quant_mfl %>% select(ttp_lysate, ttp_pellet) %>%
  pivot_longer(1:2) %>% summarise(LOQ = max(value, na.rm = TRUE)+1) -> LOQ
LOQ <- as.numeric(LOQ$LOQ)
```

```
# scale the pellet and lystae ttps same
quant_mf12 <- quant_mf1</pre>
m_p_l <- lm(ttp_lysate ~ rcs(ttp_pellet,5), data=quant_mfl2)</pre>
quant_mfl2$ttp_lysate_imputed <- predict(m_p_1, newdata=data.frame(ttp_pellet = quant_mfl2$ttp_pellet))
quant mf12 %>%
 mutate(
   ttp =
      case_when(
  is.na(ttp_lysate) & is.na(ttp_lysate_imputed) ~ 999,
  !is.na(ttp_lysate) & is.na(ttp_lysate_imputed) ~ ttp_lysate,
  is.na(ttp_lysate) & !is.na(ttp_lysate_imputed) ~ ttp_lysate_imputed,
  !is.na(ttp_lysate) & is.na(ttp_lysate_imputed) ~ ttp_lysate,
  !is.na(ttp_lysate) & !is.na(ttp_lysate_imputed) ~ (ttp_lysate_imputed + ttp_lysate)/2),
      na_if(ttp, 999),
   ttp_ordinal =
      as.integer(cut(-1*ttp, 9))+1,
   ttp_ordinal =
      ifelse(is.na(ttp_ordinal) &
               (mfl_pellet=="negative" | mfl_lysate=="negative"),
                         1, ttp_ordinal)
  ) %>%
  select(study_id, timepoint, mfl_pellet, mfl_lysate,
         ttp, ttp_pellet, ttp_lysate, ttp_ordinal) -> mfl_ord
#### DMN
read_csv("DMN.csv") %>%
  dplyr::mutate(DMN_ml =
                  # FOV calculation for /ml
                  round((2850/3) * (bacilli/random_fields), 0),
                qualitative_result =
                  str_replace(qualitative_result,
                              pattern = "non-quantifiable positive",
                              replacement = "negative") ) -> dmn
dmn %>%
 mutate(dmn_ordinal = as.integer(cut(log(DMN_ml+1), 10))) -> dmn_ord
#### JOIN
dmn_ord %>% select(study_id, timepoint, dmn_ordinal) %>%
 left_join(
   gxp_ord %>% select(study_id, timepoint, ct_ordinal),
   by=c("study_id", "timepoint")
 left_join(
   mfl_ord %>% select(study_id, timepoint, ttp_ordinal),
   by=c("study_id", "timepoint")
  ) -> df_ord
```

```
df_ord %>%
  group_by(dmn_ordinal, ttp_ordinal) %>% count() %>%
  ggplot(aes(dmn_ordinal, ttp_ordinal, size=n, fill=n)) +
  geom_point(shape=21) +
  scale fill gradient(low = canva pal("Green fields")(4)[3],
                      high = canva_pal("Green fields")(4)[2]) +
  geom abline(a=0, b=1) +
  theme minimal() +
  theme(legend.position = "none") -> g1
df_ord %>%
  group_by(dmn_ordinal, ct_ordinal) %>% count() %>%
  ggplot(aes(dmn_ordinal, ct_ordinal, size=n, fill=n)) +
  geom_point(shape=21) +
  scale_fill_gradient(low = canva_pal("Green fields")(4)[3],
                      high = canva_pal("Green fields")(4)[2]) +
  geom_abline(a=0, b=1) +
  theme minimal() +
  theme(legend.position = "none") -> g2
df ord %>%
  group by(ct ordinal, ttp ordinal) %>% count() %>%
  ggplot(aes(ct_ordinal, ttp_ordinal, size=n, fill=n)) +
  geom point(shape=21) +
  scale_fill_gradient(low = canva_pal("Green fields")(4)[3],
                      high = canva_pal("Green fields")(4)[2]) +
  geom_abline(a=0, b=1) +
  theme minimal() +
  theme(legend.position = "none") -> g3
#grid.arrange(g1, g2, g3)
df ord %>%
  pivot_longer(3:5,
              names_to = "method",
               values_to = "bacilli") %>%
  mutate(
   method = str_replace_all(method,
                             pattern = " ordinal",
                             replacement = ""),
   timepoint = round(timepoint/24,2)) -> df_ord
df_ord %>% filter(method=="ct") %>%
  group_by(timepoint, bacilli) %>% count() %>%
  ungroup() %>% group_by(timepoint) %>% rename(obs = n) %>%
  drop_na() %>%
  add_tally(obs) %>%
  mutate(prob = obs/n,
         timepoint = str_c(timepoint, " days")) %>%
  ggplot(aes(bacilli, prob,
             fill=as.factor(timepoint),
             group=as.factor(timepoint))) +
  geom_bar(stat="identity", colour="black", alpha=0.5) +
```

```
facet_wrap(~timepoint, ncol=1) +
  theme_minimal() +
  scale_fill_manual(values = viridis_pal(option = "E")(6) ) +
  theme(legend.position = "none") + ylab("") +
  xlab("Bacilli quantification \n(ordinal)") +
  ggtitle("Xpert-ultra") -> g_gxp_ord
df ord %>% filter(method=="dmn") %>%
  group by(timepoint, bacilli) %>% count() %>%
  ungroup() %>% group_by(timepoint) %>% rename(obs = n) %>%
  drop_na() %>%
  add_tally(obs) %>%
  mutate(prob = obs/n,
         timepoint = str_c(timepoint, " days")) %>%
  ggplot(aes(bacilli, prob,
             fill=as.factor(timepoint),
             group=as.factor(timepoint))) +
  geom_bar(stat="identity", colour="black", alpha=0.5) +
  facet_wrap(~timepoint, ncol=1) +
  theme_minimal() +
  scale_fill_manual(values = viridis_pal(option = "E")(6) ) +
  theme(legend.position = "none") + ylab("") +
  xlab("Bacilli quantification \n(ordinal)") +
  ggtitle("DMNtre") -> g_dmn_ord
df ord %>% filter(method=="ttp") %>%
  group_by(timepoint, bacilli) %>% count() %>%
  ungroup() %>% group_by(timepoint) %>% rename(obs = n) %>%
  drop_na() %>%
  add_tally(obs) %>%
  mutate(prob = obs/n,
         timepoint = str_c(timepoint, " days")) %>%
  ggplot(aes(bacilli, prob,
             fill=as.factor(timepoint),
             group=as.factor(timepoint))) +
  geom_bar(stat="identity", colour="black", alpha=0.5) +
  facet_wrap(~timepoint, ncol=1) +
  theme minimal() +
  scale_fill_manual(values = viridis_pal(option = "E")(6) ) +
  theme(legend.position = "none") + ylab("") +
  xlab("Bacilli quantification \n(ordinal)") +
  ggtitle("MFL") -> g_mfl_ord
df ord %>%
  group_by(timepoint, bacilli) %>% count() %>%
  ungroup() %>% group_by(timepoint) %>% rename(obs = n) %>%
  drop_na() %>%
  add_tally(obs) %>%
  mutate(prob = obs/n,
         timepoint = str_c(timepoint, " days")) %>%
  ggplot(aes(bacilli, prob,
             group=as.factor(timepoint))) +
  geom_bar(stat="identity", fill="black", colour="black", alpha=0.8) +
```

```
facet_wrap(~timepoint, ncol=1) +
  theme minimal() +
  theme(legend.position = "none") + ylab("Proportion") +
  xlab("Bacilli quantification \n(ordinal)") +
  ggtitle("Aggregated")-> g_combined_ord
g1 + g2 + g3 +
  plot_layout(ncol=1)
 ttp_ordinal
                                                   00
                          2.5
                                                   5.0
                                                                           7.5
                                                                                                   10.0
                                                   dmn_ordinal
 ct_ordinal
                                                   8
                          2.5
                                                   5.0
                                                                           7.5
                                                                                                   10.0
                                                   dmn_ordinal
 tp_ordinal
                                                                                                    8
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                          2.5
                                                   5.0
                                                                           7.5
                                                                                                   10.0
                                                    ct_ordinal
```

Figure 14: Correlation of ordinal results by assay

10 Extracting data from KDHTB cohort to use as priors in ordinal regression model

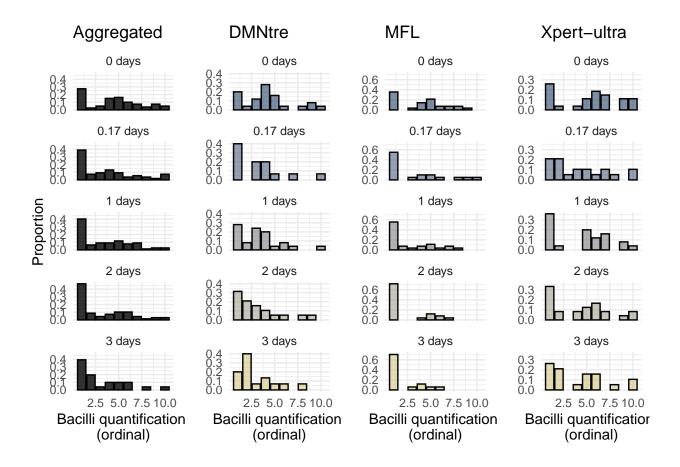


Figure 15: Ordinal results by time

```
rpoB1 = ifelse(rpoB1==0, LOQ, rpoB1),
   rpoB2 = ifelse(rpoB2==0, LOQ, rpoB2),
   rpoB3 = ifelse(rpoB3==0, LOQ, rpoB3),
   rpoB4 = ifelse(rpoB4==0, LOQ, rpoB4),
   IS1081_IS6110 = ifelse(IS1081_IS6110==0, LOQ, IS1081_IS6110),
   mean_ct = pmap_dbl(
     list(rpoB1, rpoB2, rpoB3, rpoB4, IS1081_IS6110),
      ~mean(c(...))),
    ct_ordinal = as.integer(cut(-1*mean_ct, breaks = 10)),
   died = as.numeric(outcome=="Died")
  ) %>%
  select(ct_ordinal, died) -> kdhtb
ggplot(kdhtb, aes(ct_ordinal, fill=as.factor(died))) +
  geom_histogram(binwidth = 1,
                 colour="black", alpha=0.7) +
  scale_fill_manual(values = viridis_pal(option="E")(8)[c(2,6)]) +
  facet_wrap(~died) +
  theme_dab() -> kdhtb_bldxpt_ordinal
kdhtb_fit <- brm(
  ct_ordinal ~ died,
  data = kdhtb,
  family = cumulative("logit"),
  control = list(adapt_delta = 0.97),
  seed = 140916,
  cores=2)
```

kdhtb_bldxpt_ordinal

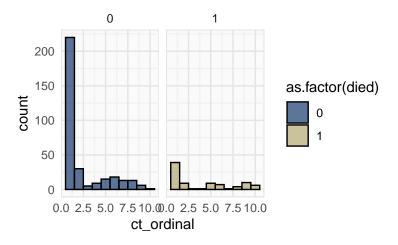


Figure 16: Blood Xpert-ultra Ct value distribution by outcome in KDHTB study

Giving these posterior distributions for parameters relating mortality to blood Xpert-ultra Ct value in KDHTB, to use to inform priors for ordinal regression model:

```
mean(posterior_samples(kdhtb_fit)$b_died)
```

```
sd(posterior_samples(kdhtb_fit)$b_died)
## [1] 0.2260973
```

Ordinal regression model relating blood bacilliary load dynamics to mortality

```
df_ord %>%
  left_join(pids, by = "study_id") %>%
  select(study_id = pid, timepoint, method, bacilli) -> df_ord
# (this is just a df to annotate plot):
oc2 <- oc %>% mutate(
  outcome = ifelse(died==1, "Died", "survived"),
 timepoint = 1,
  bacilli = ifelse(
    study_id=="pid3" | study_id == "pid8" | study_id == "pid10",
  ))
df_ord %>%
  mutate(study_id = factor(study_id,
                           levels = paste0("pid", 1:28))) %>%
  ggplot(aes(timepoint, bacilli)) +
  geom_point(aes(colour=method)) +
  geom_smooth(method = "lm", se=FALSE, aes(colour=method)) +
  geom_smooth(method = "lm", se=FALSE, colour="black") +
  facet_wrap(~study_id, nrow=7) +
  theme_minimal() +
  scale_colour_manual(values = viridis_pal(option = "D")(3) ) +
  geom_text(data = oc2,
            mapping = aes(label=outcome),
            colour="black", size=3) -> g_ord_study_id
rm(oc2)
g_ord_study_id
left_join(
 df_ord,
  by = "study id"
) -> df_ord
fit <- brm(</pre>
  bacilli ~ timepoint + died + timepoint:died + method + timepoint:method +
    (timepoint | study_id),
  data = df_ord,
  family = cumulative("logit"),
  prior = c(
    set prior("normal(1,0.5)", class = "b", coef = "died"),
    set_prior("normal(-0.5,1)", class = "b", coef = "timepoint"),
```

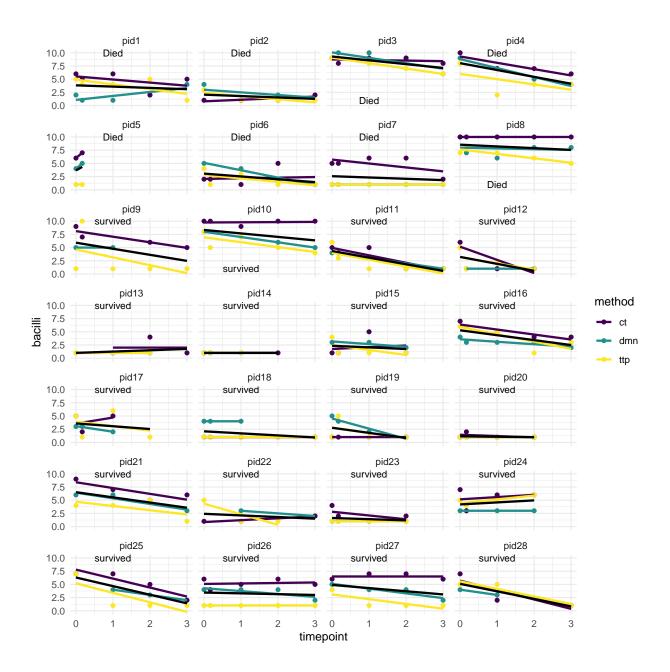


Figure 17: Ordinal data by time and patient, simiple linear fit

```
set_prior("normal(0,1)", class = "b", coef = "timepoint:died"),
    set_prior("normal(0,1)", class = "b", coef = "methoddmn"),
    set_prior("normal(0,1)", class = "b", coef = "methodttp"),
    set_prior("normal(0,2)", class = "b", coef = "timepoint:methoddmn"),
    set_prior("normal(0,2)", class = "b", coef = "timepoint:methodttp"),
    set_prior("student_t(3, 0, 2.5)", class = "sd",
              coef = "Intercept", group = "study_id"),
    set prior("student t(3, 0, 2.5)", class = "sd",
              coef = "timepoint", group = "study id")
  ),
  control = list(adapt_delta = 0.97),
  seed = 140916,
  iter = 8000, warmup = 2000, chains=2,
  cores=4, sample_prior = TRUE
bind_rows(
  hypothesis(fit, hypothesis = "timepoint < 0") $hypothesis,
  hypothesis(fit, hypothesis = "died > 0") $hypothesis,
  hypothesis(fit, hypothesis = "timepoint:died > 0") $hypothesis,
  hypothesis(fit, hypothesis = "methoddmn < 0")$hypothesis,
  hypothesis(fit, hypothesis = "methodttp < 0")$hypothesis,</pre>
  hypothesis(fit, hypothesis = "timepoint:methoddmn < 0") hypothesis,
  hypothesis(fit, hypothesis = "timepoint:methodttp < 0")$hypothesis</pre>
  as_tibble() %>% select(-Star, -Hypothesis) %>%
  mutate(
    `Hypothesis statement` = c(
      "Decrease in bacilli load over time on Rx",
      "Patients who died had higher bacilli load",
      "Patients who died had slower decrease in bacilli load over time on Rx",
      "DMN-tre observations of bacilli load were lower than Xpert-ultra",
      "Culture TTP observations of bacilli load were lower than Xpert-ultra",
      "DMN-tre observations of bacilli load declined faster than Xpert-ultra",
      "Culture TTP observations of bacilli load declined faster than Xpert-ultra"
   ),
    `coefficient (beta)` = c(
      "Time in days (slope)",
      "Died (intercept)",
      "Time * Died interaction (slope)",
      "DMN-tre (intercept)",
      "Culture-TTP (intercept)",
      "Time * DMN-tre interaction (slope)",
      "Time * Culture-TTP interaction (slope)"
   ),
   h1 = c("<0", ">0", ">0", "<0", "<0", "<0", "<0", "<0")
  ) %>%
  select(`coefficient (beta)`, h1, `Hypothesis statement`, everything()) -> h1df
h1df[,4:8] <- round(h1df[,4:8], 2)
h1df[,9] <- round(h1df[,9], 3)
```

```
max_iter = 1e3
posterior_samples(fit, subset = 1:max_iter) %>%
   b_timepoint, b_died, `b_timepoint:died`,
   b_methoddmn, b_methodttp,
    `b_timepoint:methoddmn`, `b_timepoint:methodttp`
  ) %>%
  pivot_longer(1:7,
               names_to = "coefficient",
               values_to = "posterior_draw") %>%
  mutate(
    coefficient = factor(
      coefficient,
      levels = c("b_timepoint", "b_died", "b_timepoint:died",
                 "b_methoddmn", "b_methodttp",
                 "b_timepoint:methoddmn", "b_timepoint:methodttp"),
      labels = c(
      "Time in days (slope)",
      "Died (intercept)",
      "Time * Died interaction (slope)",
      "DMN-tre (intercept)",
      "Culture-TTP (intercept)",
      "Time * DMN-tre interaction (slope)",
      "Time * Culture-TTP interaction (slope)"
  )) -> post_samples
annotate_df <- data.frame(</pre>
  coefficient = factor(
    c("b_timepoint", "b_died", "b_timepoint:died",
      "b_methoddmn", "b_methodttp",
      "b_timepoint:methoddmn", "b_timepoint:methodttp"),
   levels = c("b_timepoint", "b_died", "b_timepoint:died",
      "b_methoddmn", "b_methodttp",
      "b_timepoint:methoddmn", "b_timepoint:methodttp"),
   labels = c(
      "Time in days (slope)",
      "Died (intercept)",
      "Time * Died interaction (slope)",
      "DMN-tre (intercept)",
      "Culture-TTP (intercept)",
      "Time * DMN-tre interaction (slope)",
      "Time * Culture-TTP interaction (slope)"
  h1 = c("<0", ">0", ">0", "<0", "<0", "<0", "<0"),
  post_prob = signif(h1df$Post.Prob, 3),
  evid_ratio = formatC(h1df$Evid.Ratio, digits = 2),
  y1 = 4.5, y2=6, y3=8.5
```

11.1 Summary of model

```
fit
##
    Family: cumulative
     Links: mu = logit; disc = identity
##
## Formula: bacilli ~ timepoint + died + timepoint:died + method + timepoint:method + (timepoint | stud
##
      Data: df_ord (Number of observations: 330)
  Samples: 2 chains, each with iter = 8000; warmup = 2000; thin = 1;
##
            total post-warmup samples = 12000
##
## Group-Level Effects:
  ~study_id (Number of levels: 28)
##
                             Estimate Est.Error 1-95% CI u-95% CI Rhat
                                                      1.95
## sd(Intercept)
                                 2.71
                                            0.47
                                                               3.77 1.00
## sd(timepoint)
                                            0.19
                                                      0.01
                                                               0.69 1.00
                                 0.28
## cor(Intercept,timepoint)
                                            0.45
                                                     -0.89
                                                               0.84 1.00
                                -0.12
##
                             Bulk ESS Tail ESS
## sd(Intercept)
                                 3175
                                           5615
## sd(timepoint)
                                 2559
                                           5478
## cor(Intercept,timepoint)
                                 10335
                                           6476
## Population-Level Effects:
##
                        Estimate Est.Error 1-95% CI u-95% CI Rhat Bulk_ESS
## Intercept[1]
                           -2.87
                                       0.60
                                               -4.09
                                                         -1.74 1.00
                                                                         2434
## Intercept[2]
                           -2.20
                                       0.59
                                               -3.41
                                                         -1.10 1.00
                                                                         2419
## Intercept[3]
                           -1.69
                                       0.59
                                               -2.88
                                                         -0.59 1.00
                                                                         2391
## Intercept[4]
                                               -1.98
                           -0.79
                                       0.58
                                                          0.29 1.00
                                                                         2494
## Intercept[5]
                            0.40
                                       0.57
                                               -0.77
                                                          1.47 1.00
                                                                         2533
## Intercept[6]
                                                0.48
                                                          2.77 1.00
                            1.65
                                       0.58
                                                                         2698
## Intercept[7]
                            2.95
                                       0.62
                                                1.75
                                                          4.16 1.00
                                                                         3093
## Intercept[8]
                                       0.64
                                                2.51
                                                          5.03 1.00
                                                                         3287
                            3.76
## Intercept[9]
                            4.87
                                       0.68
                                                3.54
                                                          6.21 1.00
                                                                         3692
## timepoint
                                               -0.97
                                                         -0.20 1.00
                                                                         7647
                           -0.58
                                       0.20
## died
                                                                         6979
                            1.14
                                       0.46
                                                0.22
                                                          2.04 1.00
## methoddmn
                           -1.00
                                       0.36
                                               -1.70
                                                         -0.30 1.00
                                                                         8534
## methodttp
                           -1.32
                                       0.37
                                               -2.05
                                                         -0.62 1.00
                                                                         8888
                                               -0.20
## timepoint:died
                            0.29
                                       0.25
                                                          0.79 1.00
                                                                         9535
                                               -0.70
                                                                         7791
## timepoint:methoddmn
                           -0.25
                                       0.23
                                                          0.20 1.00
## timepoint:methodttp
                           -0.94
                                       0.26
                                               -1.46
                                                         -0.44 1.00
                                                                         8774
                        Tail_ESS
## Intercept[1]
                            4903
## Intercept[2]
                            4625
## Intercept[3]
                            4731
## Intercept[4]
                            4756
## Intercept[5]
                            4867
## Intercept[6]
                            5134
## Intercept[7]
                            5617
## Intercept[8]
                            5828
## Intercept[9]
                            6586
## timepoint
                            8112
## died
                            7922
## methoddmn
                            8519
## methodttp
                            9507
```

```
## timepoint:died
                           8285
                           7865
## timepoint:methoddmn
## timepoint:methodttp
                           8801
##
## Family Specific Parameters:
       Estimate Est.Error 1-95% CI u-95% CI Rhat Bulk ESS Tail ESS
            1.00
                      0.00
                               1.00
                                        1.00 1.00
## disc
##
## Samples were drawn using sampling(NUTS). For each parameter, Bulk_ESS
## and Tail_ESS are effective sample size measures, and Rhat is the potential
## scale reduction factor on split chains (at convergence, Rhat = 1).
```

11.2 Formal hypothesis testing and parameter posterior distributions

```
kable(hidf, caption = "Model parameters: posterior distribution and hypothesis tests", booktabs = T) %>
kable_styling(latex_options = c("striped", "hold_position", "scale_down"))
```

Table 1: Model parameters: posterior distribution and hypothesis tests

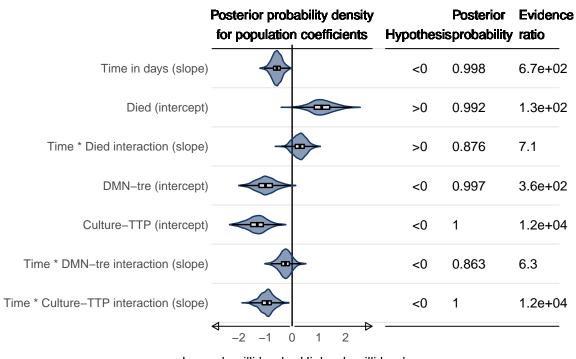
coefficient (beta)	h1	Hypothesis statement	Estimate	Est.Error	CI.Lower	CI.Upper	Evid.Ratio	Post.Prob
Time in days (slope)	<0	Decrease in bacilli load over time on Rx	-0.58	0.20	-0.90	-0.26	665.67	0.998
Died (intercept)	>0	Patients who died had higher bacilli load	1.14	0.46	0.38	1.88	132.33	0.992
Time * Died interaction (slope)	>0	Patients who died had slower decrease in bacilli load over time on Rx	0.29	0.25	-0.12	0.70	7.08	0.876
DMN-tre (intercept)	< 0	DMN-tre observations of bacilli load were lower than Xpert-ultra	-1.00	0.36	-1.59	-0.40	362.64	0.997
Culture-TTP (intercept)	<0	Culture TTP observations of bacilli load were lower than Xpert-ultra	-1.32	0.37	-1.93	-0.73	11999.00	1.000
Time * DMN-tre interaction (slope)	<0	DMN-tre observations of bacilli load declined faster than Xpert-ultra	-0.25	0.23	-0.62	0.13	6.29	0.863
Time * Culture-TTP interaction (slope)	<0	Culture TTP observations of bacilli load declined faster than Xpert-ultra	-0.94	0.26	-1.38	-0.52	11999.00	1.000

```
post_samples %>%
  ggplot(
    aes(fct_rev(coefficient), posterior_draw)
# ggtitle("Posterior probability density\nfor population coefficients") +
  theme_minimal() +
  theme(plot.margin = unit(c(3,3,3,1), "lines"),
        panel.grid = element_blank(),
        plot.title=element_text(size=10,face="bold", hjust=0)) +
  annotation custom(
        grob = linesGrob(gp = gpar(col="grey90")),
        ymin = -3, ymax = 10, xmin = 0.5, xmax = 0.5
    ) +
  annotation_custom(
        grob = linesGrob(gp = gpar(col="grey90")),
        ymin = -3, ymax = 10, xmin = 1.5, xmax = 1.5
    ) +
  annotation_custom(
        grob = linesGrob(gp = gpar(col="grey90")),
        ymin = -3, ymax = 10, xmin = 2.5, xmax = 2.5
    ) +
  annotation_custom(
        grob = linesGrob(gp = gpar(col="grey90")),
        ymin = -3, ymax = 10, xmin = 3.5, xmax = 3.5
    ) +
  annotation_custom(
        grob = linesGrob(gp = gpar(col="grey90")),
        ymin = -3, ymax = 10, xmin = 4.5, xmax = 4.5
```

```
) +
annotation_custom(
      grob = linesGrob(gp = gpar(col="grey90")),
      ymin = -3, ymax = 10, xmin = 5.5, xmax = 5.5
 ) +
annotation_custom(
      grob = linesGrob(gp = gpar(col="grey90")),
     ymin = -3, ymax = 10, xmin = 6.5, xmax = 6.5
 ) +
annotation_custom(
     grob = linesGrob(gp = gpar(col="grey90")),
     ymin = -3, ymax = 10, xmin = 7.5, xmax = 7.5
 ) +
annotation_custom(
      grob = linesGrob(),
      ymin = 3.5, ymax = 10, xmin = 0.4, xmax = 0.4
 ) +
annotation_custom(
      grob = linesGrob(),
      ymin = 3.5, ymax = 10, xmin = 7.5, xmax = 7.5
 ) +
annotation_custom(
     grob = linesGrob(),
     ymin = 3, ymax = -3, xmin = 7.5, xmax = 7.5
geom_hline(yintercept = 0) +
geom_violin(
 fill = viridis_pal(option="E")(8)[2],
 alpha=0.5,
 colour = viridis_pal(option="E")(8)[2]
geom_boxplot(colour = "black", fill="white", alpha=0.7,
             outlier.alpha = 0, width=0.1) +
ylab("") + xlab("") +
coord_flip(clip = "off") +
annotation_custom(
      grob = textGrob(label = "Higher bacilli load",
                      hjust = 0, gp = gpar(fontsize = 10)),
     ymin =0.3, ymax=0.3, xmin = -0.5, xmax=-0.5
 ) +
annotation_custom(
      grob = textGrob(label = "Lower bacilli load",
                      hjust = 1, gp = gpar(fontsize = 10)),
     ymin = -0.3, ymax = -0.3, xmin = -0.5, xmax = -0.5
 ) +
annotation_custom(
      grob = textGrob(label = "Estimate for coefficient (logit scale)",
                      gp = gpar(fontsize = 10, fontface="bold")),
     ymin = 0, ymax = 0, xmin = -1.5, xmax = -1.5
 ) +
annotation_custom(
      grob = linesGrob(
       arrow = arrow(type = "closed",
```

```
ends = "last",
                        length = unit(.2, "cm"))),
       ymin = 0.1, ymax=3, xmin = 0.4, xmax=0.4
   ) +
  annotation custom(
        grob = linesGrob(
          arrow = arrow(type = "closed",
                        ends = "first",
                        length = unit(.2, "cm"))),
       ymin = -0.1, ymax = -3, xmin = 0.4, xmax = 0.4
   ) +
  geom_text(
   data = annotate_df,
   aes(x = coefficient, y=y1, label = h1),
   hjust = 0, size=3.5
  ) +
  geom_text(
   data = annotate_df,
   aes(x = coefficient, y=y2, label = post_prob),
   hjust = 0, size=3.5
 ) +
  geom_text(
   data = annotate_df,
   aes(x = coefficient, y=y3, label = evid_ratio),
   hjust = 0, size=3.5
  ) + scale_y_continuous(breaks=c(-2,-1,0,1,2)) +
  geom_text(label = "Hypothesis", x=7.75, y=4, size=3.5,
            hjust=0.2, vjust=0) +
  geom_text(label = "Posterior\nprobability", x=7.75, y=6, size=3.5,
            hjust=0, vjust=0) +
  geom_text(label = "Evidence\nratio", x=7.75, y=8.5, size=3.5,
            hjust=0, vjust=0) +
  geom_text(
   label = "Posterior probability density\nfor population coefficients",
   x=7.75, y=0, size=3.5,
   hjust=0.5, vjust=0) -> g_coef
g_coef
```

11.3 Expected probabilities of specific ordinal values by time and assay



Lower bacilli load Higher bacilli load

Estimate for coefficient (logit scale)

Figure 18: Posterior distribution model parameters and hypothesis tests

```
gather(key = "bacilli") %>%
  mutate(
    timepoint = rep(nd$timepoint,10),
    died = rep(nd$died,10),
    method = rep(nd$method,10),
    method = case_when(
      method=="ct" ~ "Xpert-ultra",
     method=="dmn" ~ "DMN-tre",
     method=="ttp" ~ "MFL culture"
    ),
    bacilli = factor(bacilli,
                     levels = 10:1),
    outcome = ifelse(died==1, "Died", "Survived")
  ) %>%
  ggplot(
    aes(as.factor(timepoint), value, fill=bacilli)
  geom_bar(position="stack", stat = "identity",
           colour="grey80", width = 1, alpha=0.8, size=0.2) +
  theme_minimal() + theme(legend.position = "bottom") +
  scale_fill_viridis_d(option = "E",
                       direction = -1, begin = 0.1) +
  facet wrap(method~outcome, ncol = 2 ) +
  xlab("Time from start treatment (days)") +
  ylab("Expected proportion of patients in ordinal category") +
  labs(fill = "Ordinal\nScale") +
  # Change legend key size and key width
  legend.key.size = unit(0.4, "cm"),
  legend.key.width = unit(0.2, "cm"),
  strip.text.x = element_text( margin = margin( b = 0, t = 0) )
  ) -> g_expected_ordinal
# Expected probability of negative sample by 72 hours Rx
nd <- data.frame(</pre>
 timepoint = 3,
 died = rep(c(0,1), each=3),
  method = rep(c("dmn", "ct", "ttp"), 2)
max_iter = 1e3
fitted(fit,
       newdata=nd,
       summary = FALSE,
       re_formula = NA,
       subset = 1:max_iter)[,,1] %>%
  as_tibble() -> d3_pp_neg_wide
d3_pp_neg_wide %>%
  pivot_longer(1:nrow(nd),
```

```
names_to = "condition",
               values_to = "post_prob") %>%
  mutate(
    method = rep(nd$method, max_iter),
    died = rep(nd$died, max_iter),
    outcome = ifelse(died==1, "Died", "Survived")
  ) -> d3_pp_neg_long
d3_pp_neg_long %>%
  group_by(method, outcome) %>%
  summarise(
    median = median(post_prob),
    mad = mad(post_prob),
    q.025 = quantile(post_prob, 0.025),
    q.975 = quantile(post_prob, 0.975)
  ) -> d3_pp_neg_table
names(d3_pp_neg_wide) <- c("dmn_0", "ct_0", "ttp_0", "dmn_1", "ct_1", "ttp_1")</pre>
d3_pp_neg_wide %>%
  mutate(dmn_p = dmn_0>dmn_1,
         ct_p = ct_0>ct_1,
         ttp_p = ttp_0>ttp_1) %>%
  summarise(
    dmn_delta = sum(dmn_p)/length(dmn_p),
    ct_delta = sum(ct_p)/length(ct_p),
    ttp_delta = sum(ttp_p)/length(ttp_p)
  ) -> d3_pp_neg_delta
# Expected time to 50% probability sterilisation of blood
nd <- data.frame(</pre>
  timepoint = rep(seq(0.1,50, length.out = 500), 6),
  died = rep(c(0,1), each=1500),
 method = rep(c("dmn", "ct", "ttp"), each=500)
)
max_iter = 1e3
fitted(fit,
       newdata=nd,
       summary = FALSE,
       re_formula = NA,
       subset = 1:max_iter)[,,1] %>%
  as_tibble() %>%
  pivot_longer(1:nrow(nd),
               names_to = "condition",
               values_to = "post_prob") %>%
  mutate(
    iter = rep(1:max_iter, each=nrow(nd)),
    method = rep(nd$method, max_iter),
    died = rep(nd$died, max_iter),
    timepoint = rep(nd$timepoint, max_iter),
```

```
outcome = ifelse(died==1, "Died", "Survived")) %>%
  filter(post_prob >= 0.5) %>%
  select(-condition, -outcome) %>%
  group_by(iter, method, died) %>%
  arrange(post_prob, by_group=TRUE) %>%
  slice(n=1) -> time_to_50perc_neg
time_to_50perc_neg %>%
  ungroup() %>% group_by(method, died) %>%
  summarise(
   median = median(timepoint),
    `IQR lower` = quantile(timepoint, 0.25),
    IQR upper = quantile(timepoint, 0.75)
  ) -> tt50 table
time_to_50perc_neg %>%
  select(-post_prob) %>%
  pivot_wider(names_from = c("method", "died"),
              values_from = "timepoint" ) %>%
  mutate(dmn_p = dmn_0<dmn_1,</pre>
         ct_p = ct_0 < ct_1,
         ttp_p = ttp_0<ttp_1) %>%
  ungroup() %>%
  summarise(
   dmn_delta = sum(dmn_p, na.rm = T)/sum(!is.na(dmn_p)),
   ct_delta = sum(ct_p, na.rm = T)/sum(!is.na(ct_p)),
   ttp_delta = sum(ttp_p, na.rm = T)/sum(!is.na(ttp_p))
  ) -> tt50_delta_prob_table
```

g_expected_ordinal

Extrapolated median time (days) to 50% probability of negative sample (+ IQR), by assay and outcome status:

```
kable(tt50_table, caption = "Model estimated time in days to 50% probability of negative sample", bookt
   kable_styling(latex_options = c("striped", "hold_position"))
```

$\left\{ \text{begin} \left\{ \text{table} \right\} \right[!h]$

 $\label{tab:extrapolation for time to 50\% clearing BSI} Model estimated time in days to 50\% probability of negative sample}$

method	died	median	IQR lower	IQR upper
ct	0	4.8	4.00	6.1
ct	1	11.5	8.25	18.4
dmn	0	2.3	1.80	2.8
dmn	1	5.5	4.20	7.6
ttp	0	1.0	0.80	1.2
ttp	1	2.2	1.80	2.6

 $\ensuremath{\mbox{end}\{\ensuremath{\mbox{table}}\}}$

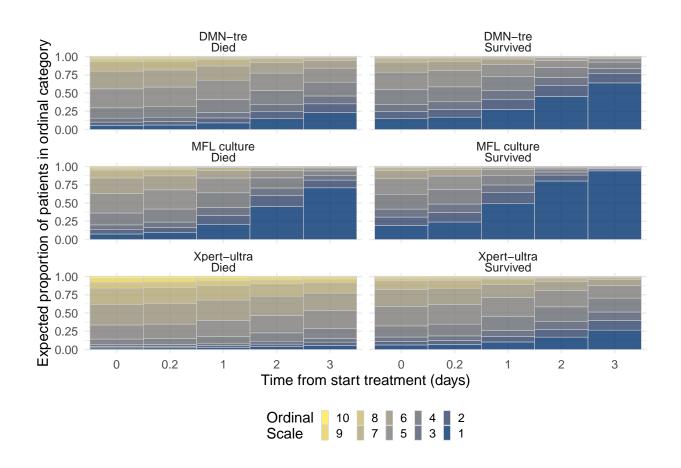


Figure 19: Expected proportions of patients in ordinal categories by time and assay

11.4 Prediction intervals for new patient

```
nd <- data.frame(</pre>
 timepoint = c(0, 0.167, 1, 2, 3),
 died = rep(c(0,1), each=5),
  study_id = 999,
 method = rep(c("dmn", "ct", "ttp"), each=10)
max_iter = 2e3
set.seed(140916)
posterior_predict(
  fit,
  newdata=nd,
  summary = FALSE,
  re_formula = bacilli ~ timepoint + died + timepoint:died +
    method + timepoint:method +
    (timepoint | study id),
  subset = 1:max_iter,
  allow_new_levels = TRUE,
  sample_new_levels = "gaussian",
  seed = 140916) %>%
  as tibble() %>%
  pivot_longer(1:nrow(nd),
               names_to = "condition",
               values_to = "bacilli") %>%
  mutate(
    timepoint = rep(nd$timepoint, max_iter),
    died = rep(nd$died, max_iter),
    method = rep(nd$method, max_iter)
  ) %>%
  select(-condition) %>%
  group_by(method, died, timepoint) %>%
  summarise(
    predicted bacilli = median(bacilli),
    predicted_q_l = quantile(bacilli, probs = 0.25),
    predicted_q_h = quantile(bacilli, probs = 0.75)
      ) %>%
  mutate(bacilli = predicted_bacilli,
         outcome = ifelse(died==1, "Died", "Survived"),
         method = case_when(
           method=="ct" ~ "Xpert-ultra",
           method=="dmn" ~ "DMN-tre",
           method=="ttp" ~ "MFL culture"
    )) -> pred_new_pt
###
ggplot() +
  geom_point(
   data = df_ord %>%
    mutate(
```

```
outcome = ifelse(died==1, "Died", "Survived"),
     method = case_when(
        method=="ct" ~ "Xpert-ultra",
        method=="dmn" ~ "DMN-tre",
        method=="ttp" ~ "MFL culture"
 )),
 aes(x=timepoint, y=bacilli, group=study_id, colour=method),
 position = position jitter(width=0.05, height=0.1),
 alpha=0.4, size=0.9
geom_line(
 data = df_ord %>% drop_na() %>%
   mutate(
     outcome = ifelse(died==1, "Died", "Survived"),
     method = case_when(
        method=="ct" ~ "Xpert-ultra",
        method=="dmn" ~ "DMN-tre",
        method=="ttp" ~ "MFL culture"
 aes(x=timepoint, y=bacilli, group=study_id, colour=method),
 size=0.5
) +
geom_line(
 data = pred_new_pt,
 aes(timepoint, bacilli),
 colour="black", size=1.1
geom_ribbon(
 data = pred_new_pt,
 mapping = aes(x=timepoint,
                ymin=predicted_q_l, ymax=predicted_q_h),
 alpha=0.6, colour="grey80", fill="grey"
facet_wrap(method~outcome, nrow=3) +
theme_dab() +
scale_colour_manual(values = viridis_pal(option = "D")(20)[c(16,3,9)]) +
scale_fill_manual(values = viridis_pal(option = "D")(20)[c(16,3,9)]) +
vlab("Bacilli ordinal scale") +
xlab("Time from start treatment (days)") +
theme(legend.position = "none",
     strip.text.x = element_text(
        margin = margin( b = 0, t = 0) )) -> g_pred_overlay_observed
```

g_pred_overlay_observed

11.5 Model diagnostics

```
post <- posterior_samples(fit, add_chain = T)

# rhats (chain convergence)
rhats <- rhat(fit)
mcmc_rhat(rhats) + yaxis_text(hjust = 1)</pre>
```

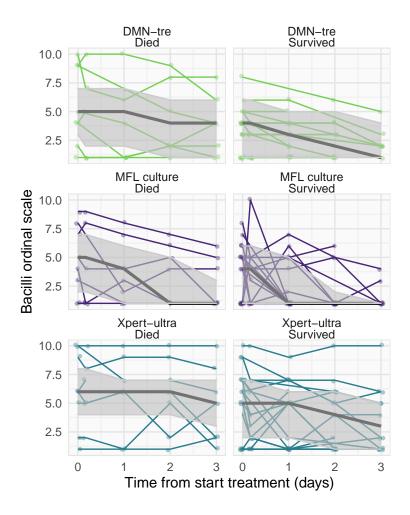


Figure 20: Model predictions for ordinal category by time, assay and outcome status, overlaid on observed data. Black line is median predicted value, shaded area is 50% prediction interval

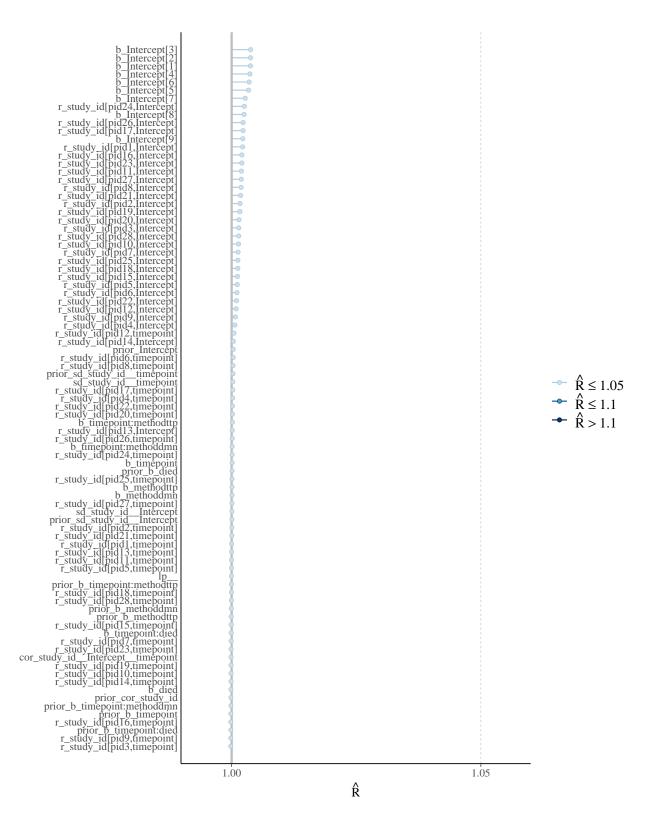


Figure 21: Rhats (chain convergence): none >1.05

```
ratios_cp <- neff_ratio(fit)
mcmc_neff(ratios_cp, size = 2)</pre>
```

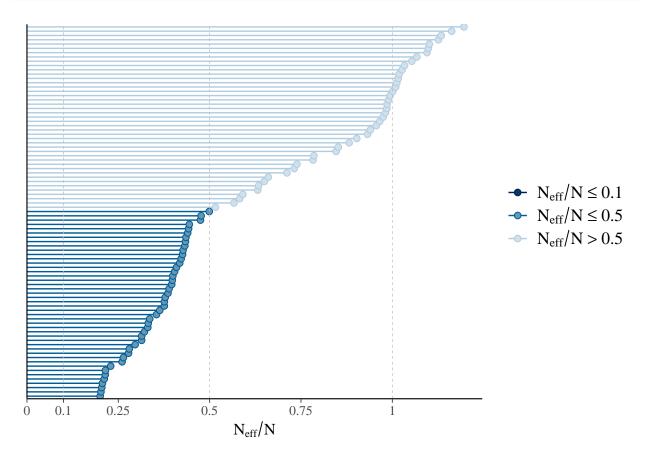


Figure 22: effective sample size (est independent draws): none <0.1

```
mcmc_plot(fit, type = "trace")

post %>%
    mcmc_rank_overlay(
    pars = vars(b_timepoint:cor_study_id__Intercept__timepoint)
    ) +
    labs(title = "MCMC chain (trank) plots") +
    coord_cartesian(ylim = c(250, 350))

# autocorrelation
#post %>%
    # mcmc_acf(
# pars = vars(b_timepoint:cor_study_id__Intercept__timepoint),
    lags = 8) # b_study_id... don't look great - but isn't that what we'd expect here?
```

11.6 Checking sensitivity to priors

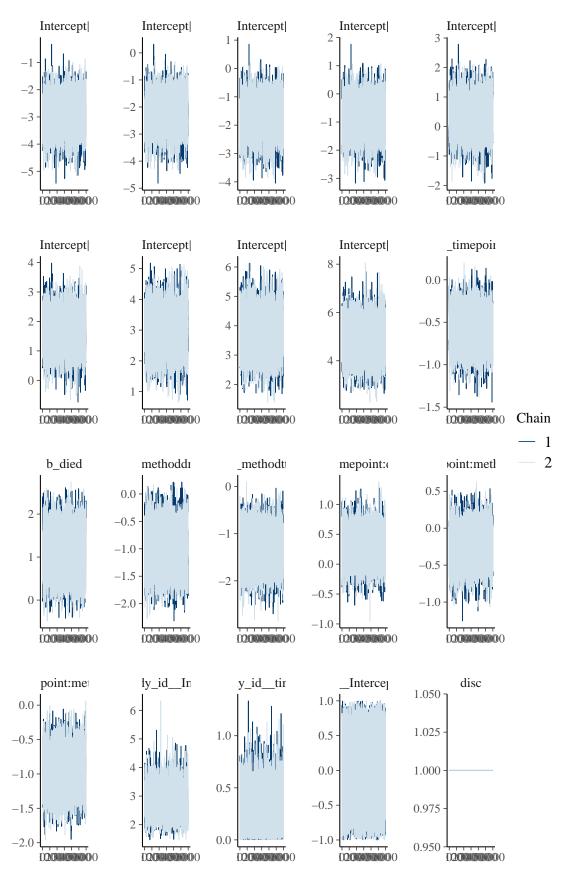


Figure 23: Trace plots (chain convergence): no divergences $61\,$

MCMC chain (trank) plots b_died b_timepoint $b_methoddmn$ b_methodttp 350 325 300 275 250 b_timepoint:died imepoint:methodd timepoint:method _study_id__Interce 350 325 Chain 300 275 250 0 2505000500000002500 0 250500050000002500 _study_id__timepc /_id__Intercept__1 350 325 300 275 250

Figure 24: Trank plots (chain convergence): no divergences $62\,$

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```
fit2 <- brm(
  bacilli ~ timepoint + died + timepoint:died + method + timepoint:method +
    (timepoint|study_id),
  data = df_ord,
  family = cumulative("logit"),
  prior = c(
    set_prior("normal(0,2)", class = "b", coef = "died"),
   set_prior("normal(0,2)", class = "b", coef = "timepoint"),
   set_prior("normal(0,2)", class = "b", coef = "timepoint:died"),
   set_prior("normal(0,2)", class = "b", coef = "methoddmn"),
    set_prior("normal(0,2)", class = "b", coef = "methodttp"),
   set_prior("normal(0,2)", class = "b", coef = "timepoint:methoddmn"),
    set_prior("normal(0,2)", class = "b", coef = "timepoint:methodttp"),
   set_prior("student_t(3, 0, 2.5)", class = "sd",
              coef = "Intercept", group = "study_id"),
    set_prior("student_t(3, 0, 2.5)", class = "sd",
              coef = "timepoint", group = "study_id")
  ),
  control = list(adapt delta = 0.97),
  seed = 140916,
  iter = 8000, warmup = 2000, chains=2,
  cores=4, sample_prior = TRUE
bind rows(
  hypothesis(fit2, hypothesis = "timepoint < 0" )$hypothesis,
  hypothesis(fit2, hypothesis = "died > 0") $hypothesis,
  hypothesis(fit2, hypothesis = "timepoint:died > 0") $hypothesis,
  hypothesis(fit2, hypothesis = "methoddmn < 0")$hypothesis,
  hypothesis(fit2, hypothesis = "methodttp < 0")$hypothesis,
  hypothesis(fit2, hypothesis = "timepoint:methoddmn < 0") $hypothesis,
  hypothesis(fit2, hypothesis = "timepoint:methodttp < 0")$hypothesis
) %>%
  as_tibble() %>% select(-Star, -Hypothesis) %>%
  mutate(
    `Hypothesis statement` = c(
      "Decrease in bacilli load over time on Rx",
      "Patients who died had higher bacilli load",
      "Patients who died had slower decrease in bacilli load over time on Rx",
      "DMN-tre observations of bacilli load were lower than Xpert-ultra",
      "Culture TTP observations of bacilli load were lower than Xpert-ultra",
      "DMN-tre observations of bacilli load declined faster than Xpert-ultra",
      "Culture TTP observations of bacilli load declined faster than Xpert-ultra"
    `coefficient (beta)` = c(
      "Time in days (slope)",
     "Died (intercept)",
      "Time * Died interaction (slope)",
      "DMN-tre (intercept)",
      "Culture-TTP (intercept)",
      "Time * DMN-tre interaction (slope)",
      "Time * Culture-TTP interaction (slope)"
```

```
h1 = c("<0", ">0", ">0", "<0", "<0", "<0", "<0")
  ) %>%
  select(`coefficient (beta)`, h1, `Hypothesis statement`, everything()) -> h1df
max_iter = 1e3
posterior_samples(fit2, subset = 1:max_iter) %>%
   b_timepoint, b_died, `b_timepoint:died`,
   b_methoddmn, b_methodttp,
    `b_timepoint:methoddmn`, `b_timepoint:methodttp`
  ) %>%
  pivot_longer(1:7,
               names_to = "coefficient",
               values_to = "posterior_draw") %>%
  mutate(
    coefficient = factor(
      coefficient,
      levels = c("b_timepoint", "b_died", "b_timepoint:died",
                 "b_methoddmn", "b_methodttp",
                 "b_timepoint:methoddmn", "b_timepoint:methodttp"),
      labels = c(
      "Time in days (slope)",
      "Died (intercept)",
      "Time * Died interaction (slope)",
      "DMN-tre (intercept)",
      "Culture-TTP (intercept)",
      "Time * DMN-tre interaction (slope)",
      "Time * Culture-TTP interaction (slope)"
  )) -> post_samples
annotate_df <- data.frame(</pre>
  coefficient = factor(
    c("b_timepoint", "b_died", "b_timepoint:died",
      "b_methoddmn", "b_methodttp",
      "b_timepoint:methoddmn", "b_timepoint:methodttp"),
   levels = c("b_timepoint", "b_died", "b_timepoint:died",
      "b_methoddmn", "b_methodttp",
      "b_timepoint:methoddmn", "b_timepoint:methodttp"),
   labels = c(
      "Time in days (slope)",
      "Died (intercept)",
      "Time * Died interaction (slope)",
      "DMN-tre (intercept)",
      "Culture-TTP (intercept)",
      "Time * DMN-tre interaction (slope)",
      "Time * Culture-TTP interaction (slope)"
  h1 = c("<0", ">0", ">0", "<0", "<0", "<0", "<0", "<0"),
  post_prob = signif(h1df$Post.Prob, 3),
  evid_ratio = formatC(h1df$Evid.Ratio, digits = 2),
```

```
y1 = 4.5, y2=6, y3=8.5
post_samples %>%
  ggplot(
    aes(fct_rev(coefficient), posterior_draw)
# ggtitle("Posterior probability density\nfor population coefficients") +
  theme_minimal() +
  theme(plot.margin = unit(c(3,3,3,1), "lines"),
        panel.grid = element_blank(),
        plot.title=element_text(size=10,face="bold", hjust=0)) +
  annotation_custom(
        grob = linesGrob(gp = gpar(col="grey90")),
        ymin = -3, ymax = 10, xmin = 0.5, xmax = 0.5
    ) +
  annotation_custom(
        grob = linesGrob(gp = gpar(col="grey90")),
        ymin = -3, ymax = 10, xmin = 1.5, xmax = 1.5
    ) +
  annotation_custom(
        grob = linesGrob(gp = gpar(col="grey90")),
        ymin = -3, ymax = 10, xmin = 2.5, xmax = 2.5
    ) +
  annotation_custom(
        grob = linesGrob(gp = gpar(col="grey90")),
        ymin = -3, ymax = 10, xmin = 3.5, xmax = 3.5
    ) +
  annotation_custom(
        grob = linesGrob(gp = gpar(col="grey90")),
        ymin = -3, ymax = 10, xmin = 4.5, xmax = 4.5
    ) +
  annotation_custom(
        grob = linesGrob(gp = gpar(col="grey90")),
        ymin = -3, ymax = 10, xmin = 5.5, xmax = 5.5
    ) +
  annotation_custom(
        grob = linesGrob(gp = gpar(col="grey90")),
        ymin = -3, ymax = 10, xmin = 6.5, xmax = 6.5
    ) +
  annotation_custom(
        grob = linesGrob(gp = gpar(col="grey90")),
        ymin = -3, ymax = 10, xmin = 7.5, xmax = 7.5
  annotation_custom(
        grob = linesGrob(),
        ymin = 3.5, ymax = 10, xmin = 0.4, xmax = 0.4
    ) +
  annotation_custom(
        grob = linesGrob(),
        ymin = 3.5, ymax = 10, xmin = 7.5, xmax = 7.5
```

```
annotation_custom(
     grob = linesGrob(),
      ymin = 3, ymax = -3, xmin = 7.5, xmax = 7.5
 ) +
geom_hline(yintercept = 0) +
geom_violin(
 fill = viridis_pal(option="E")(8)[2],
 alpha=0.5,
 colour = viridis_pal(option="E")(8)[2]
geom_boxplot(colour = "black", fill="white", alpha=0.7,
             outlier.alpha = 0, width=0.1) +
ylab("") + xlab("") +
coord_flip(clip = "off") +
annotation_custom(
      grob = textGrob(label = "Higher bacilli load",
                      hjust = 0, gp = gpar(fontsize = 10)),
     ymin = 0.3, ymax = 0.3, xmin = -0.5, xmax = -0.5
 ) +
annotation_custom(
      grob = textGrob(label = "Lower bacilli load",
                      hjust = 1, gp = gpar(fontsize = 10)),
     ymin = -0.3, ymax = -0.3, xmin = -0.5, xmax = -0.5
 ) +
annotation_custom(
      grob = textGrob(label = "Estimate for coefficient (logit scale)",
                      gp = gpar(fontsize = 10, fontface="bold")),
     ymin =0, ymax=0, xmin = -1.5, xmax=-1.5
annotation_custom(
      grob = linesGrob(
        arrow = arrow(type = "closed",
                      ends = "last",
                      length = unit(.2, "cm"))),
     ymin = 0.1, ymax=3, xmin = 0.4, xmax=0.4
 ) +
annotation_custom(
     grob = linesGrob(
        arrow = arrow(type = "closed",
                      ends = "first",
                      length = unit(.2, "cm"))),
     ymin = -0.1, ymax = -3, xmin = 0.4, xmax = 0.4
 ) +
geom_text(
 data = annotate_df,
 aes(x = coefficient, y=y1, label = h1),
 hjust = 0, size=3.5
geom_text(
 data = annotate_df,
 aes(x = coefficient, y=y2, label = post_prob),
 hjust = 0, size=3.5
```

12 Serial observations

(not included)

13 Bacilli lengths

```
files <- list.files(path = paste0(getwd(), "/bacilli_lengths"),</pre>
                      pattern = ".csv",
                      recursive = TRUE, full.names = TRUE)
bldf <- data.frame()</pre>
for(i in 1:length(files)){
  path <- files[i]</pre>
  temp_dat <- read.csv(path)</pre>
  temp_dat$id <- path</pre>
  bldf <- rbind(bldf, temp_dat)</pre>
rm(temp_dat)
bldf %>% as tibble() %>%
  mutate(
    id =
      str_replace(
        pattern = "C:/Users/David/OneDrive/PhD/manuscripts/serialsubstudy/wd/bacilli_lengths/",
        replacement = ""),
    id =
      str_replace(
        id,
```

```
pattern = ".csv",
        replacement = ""),
    id list = str split(id, pattern = "/"),
    study_id = map_chr(.x=id_list, 1),
    timepoint = as.numeric(map_chr(.x=id_list, 2))/24
  ) %>%
  select(study_id, timepoint, id, X, Y) %>%
  dplyr::group_by(study_id, timepoint, id) %>%
  dplyr::summarise(length = max(X),
                   log_length = log(length)) %>%
  filter(length < 12.5) -> bldf
bldf %>%
  ggplot(aes(length)) +
  geom_histogram(fill=viridis(8, option="E")[2],
                 colour="black", alpha=0.6,
                 binwidth = 0.2) +
  theme dab() +
  xlab(paste0("Bacilli length (", "\u03bc", "m)")) -> g_length_hist
# priors are based on Vijay et al. Front Microbiol 2017 https://doi.org/10.3389/fmicb.2017.02296
prior dist = rnorm(1e4,
                   mean = rnorm(1e4, 1.05, 0.175), # mean should be between 2 and 4 (non log scale)
                   sd = rnorm(1e4, 0.43, 0.06))
# hist(exp(prior_dist))
m_lengths <- brm(</pre>
  log_length ~ timepoint + (timepoint|study_id),
  data=bldf,
  prior = c(
    set_prior("normal(1.05,0.175)", class = "Intercept"),
    set_prior("normal(0.43,0.06)", class = "sigma")),
  control = list(adapt_delta = 0.97),
  seed = 140916,
  cores=4
max_iter = 1e3
nd = data.frame(
    study_id = rep(unique(bldf$study_id), each = 5),
    timepoint = rep(c(0,1/6,1,2,3), 10)
posterior_predict(
  m_lengths,
  newdata = nd,
  subset = 1:max_iter,
  seed = 140916) %>%
  as_tibble() %>%
  pivot_longer(1:nrow(nd)) %>%
    study_id = rep(nd$study_id, max_iter),
```

```
timepoint = rep(nd$timepoint, max_iter),
    iter = rep(1:max_iter, each = nrow(nd)),
    length_pred = exp(value)
  ) %>%
  select(iter, study_id, timepoint, length_pred) %>%
  ggplot(aes(as.factor(round(timepoint,2)), length_pred)) +
  geom_quasirandom(
    data=bldf,
    aes(x=as.factor(round(timepoint,2)), y=length),
    alpha=0.7, size = 0.5, colour = viridis(8, option="E")[2]
  geom_violin(alpha=0.2) +
  facet_wrap(~study_id, nrow=2) +
  theme_dab() +
  theme(panel.spacing = unit(0.2, "lines"),
        axis.text.x = element_text(size=7, angle=90, hjust=1, vjust=0.5)) +
  ylab(paste0("Bacilli length (", "\u03bc", "m)")) +
  xlab("Time from start treatment (days)") -> g_length_fit_data
max_iter = 4e3
nd = data.frame(
    study_id = "pidx",
    timepoint = seq(0,3, length.out = 20)
posterior_predict(
  m_lengths,
  newdata = nd,
  subset = 1:max_iter,
  re_formula = log_length ~ timepoint + (timepoint|study_id),
  allow_new_levels = TRUE,
  sample_new_levels = "gaussian",
  seed = 140916
  ) %>%
  as_tibble() %>%
  pivot_longer(1:nrow(nd)) %>%
  mutate(
    timepoint = rep(nd$timepoint, max_iter),
    iter = rep(1:max_iter, each = nrow(nd)),
    length_pred = exp(value)
  ) %>%
  select(iter, timepoint, length_pred) %>%
  group_by(timepoint) %>%
  summarise(
    pred_length = median(length_pred),
    pred_q0.025 = quantile(length_pred, probs = 0.025),
    pred_q0.975 = quantile(length_pred, probs = 0.975)
  ) %>%
  left_join(
    fitted(
      m_lengths, newdata = nd, summary = F,
```

```
re_formula = NA,
      subset = 1:max_iter,
      seed = 140916) %>%
      as tibble() %>%
      pivot_longer(1:nrow(nd)) %>%
      mutate(
        timepoint = rep(nd$timepoint, max_iter),
        iter = rep(1:max_iter, each = nrow(nd)),
        length_pred = exp(value)
        ) %>%
      select(iter, timepoint, length_pred) %>%
      group_by(timepoint) %>%
      summarise(
        fit_length = median(length_pred),
        fit_q0.025 = quantile(length_pred, probs = 0.025),
        fit_q0.975 = quantile(length_pred, probs = 0.975)
        ),
    by = "timepoint"
  ) -> m_lengths_fit_pred
m_lengths_fit_pred %>%
  ggplot(
    aes(x=timepoint)
  geom ribbon(
    aes(ymin=pred_q0.025, ymax=pred_q0.975),
    alpha=0.1, linetype=2,
    fill=viridis(8, option="E")[3],
    colour=viridis(8, option="E")[2]
  ) +
  geom_ribbon(
    aes(ymin=fit_q0.025, ymax=fit_q0.975),
    alpha=0.7,
   fill=viridis(8, option="E")[3],
   colour=viridis(8, option="E")[2]
  ) +
  geom_line(
    aes(y=fit_length)
  ) +
  theme_dab() +
  ylab(paste0("Predicted\nlength (", "\u03bc", "m)")) +
  xlab("Time from start\ntreatment (days)") -> g_lengths_fit_pred
```

(g_length_hist | g_lengths_fit_pred) / g_length_fit_data

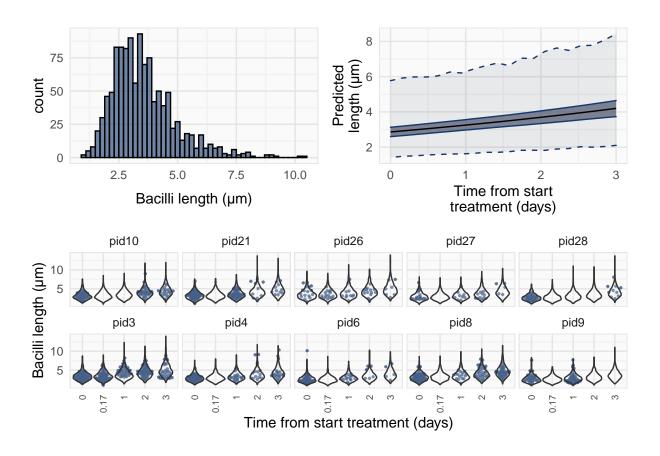


Figure 25: Bacilli length variation with time on treatment