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## Time-suppression test using a colorimetric probe (alamarBlue) that measures bacterial metabolic activity

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## **ABSTRACT**

We developed a time-suppression test using alamarBlue®, which will allow estimation of the cidal or static nature of antimicrobials very easily and quickly. As an example, the effects of vancomycin, linezolid, and daptomycin on a representative strain of *Staphylococcus aureus* were estimated.

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