Isolate MIC by disk diffusion test Polymyxin B (mg/L) Colistin (mg/L)

0.5

0.125

0.125

64

0.5

0.25

Table 4 Minimum inhibitory concentration (MIC) of polymyxin B and of colistin (polymyxin E) using disk diffusion method for the 10 Acinetobacter baumannii isolates

2	0.5	0.5
3	0.25	0.5
4	0.25	128
5	0.25	0.5
6	0.25	0.5

9 0.125 0.5 10 0.125 0.25

For polymyxins, in Acinetobacter spp., MIC ≥ 4 mg/L is considered resistant, MIC ≤ 2 is considered sensitive (Clinical and Laboratory Standards Institute guidelines [10])