Supporting Information

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Fig. S1. PLZF is not expressed by intestinal intraepithelial T cells. Intraepithelial lymphocytes were isolated from small intestine of WT and PLZF–/– mice, stained for surface expression of CD45, CD8a, CD8β, TCR-δ, TCRβ, intracellular expression of PLZF, and analyzed by FACS. Gates applied as indicated.



Fig. 52. Effects of PLZF deficiency on $V\gamma1+V\delta6.3+$ cells are cell-intrinsic. Lethally irradiated CD45.1/CD45.2 heterozygous B6 mice were cotransferred with T-cell-depleted bone marrow from wt (CD45.1) and PLZF-/- (CD45.2) in 1:1 ratio. After 5 weeks, animals were killed and analyzed. (*A*) Thymocytes were stained *ex vivo* with CD45.1, CD45.2, TCR $\gamma\delta$, $V\gamma1$, V $\delta6.3$, and PLZF antibodies and analyzed by FACS. Gated on wt (*Upper*) or PLZF-/- (*Lower*). Further gating is applied as indicated by arrows. (*B*) TCR $\gamma\delta$ cells were sorted from 3 pooled thymi of the chimeras and stimulated with PMA/ionomycin as described in *Material and Methods* (*Center* and *Right*) or left unstimulated (*Left*). Surface expression of CD45.1, CD45.2, V $\gamma1$, and V $\delta6.3$ and intracellular expression of IFN γ and IL-4 were analyzed. Gated on $V\gamma1+V\delta6.3+CD45.1+$ (*Center*) or $V\gamma1+V\delta6.3+CD45.2+$ (*Right*). (*C*) Thymocytes were stained *ex vivo* with CD45.1, CD45.2, TCR $\gamma\delta$, $V\gamma1$, V $\delta6.3$, CD44, and CD62L antibodies and analyzed by FACS. Gated on wt (*Left*) or PLZF-/- (*Right*) $V\gamma1+V\delta6.3+$ cells. Representative FACS plots from 1 of 2 independent experiments are shown.



Fig. S3. Reduced numbers of V γ 1+V δ 6.3+ cells in SAP-/- mice. Cells from thymi, spleens, and livers of wt and SAP-/- mice were counted, stained for TCR $\gamma\delta$, V γ 1+, and V δ 6.3+, and analyzed by flow cytometry. Representative FACS plots showing frequency of V γ 1+V δ 6.3+ cells among total TCR $\gamma\delta$ + cells (*A*) and absolute numbers of V γ 1+V δ 6.3+ cells (*B*) are shown. * and *** indicate statistical significance (*P* < 0.05 and *P* < 0.001, respectively) with an unpaired *t*-test.