

Figure S1. Correlative analysis of TGF- β 1 levels and frequency of CD4⁺Foxp3⁺ cells
The frequency of total Foxp3⁺ cells within the CD4⁺ population in the patient cohort correlated positively with plasma levels of TGF- β 1 ($r=0.6$, $p=0.02$).

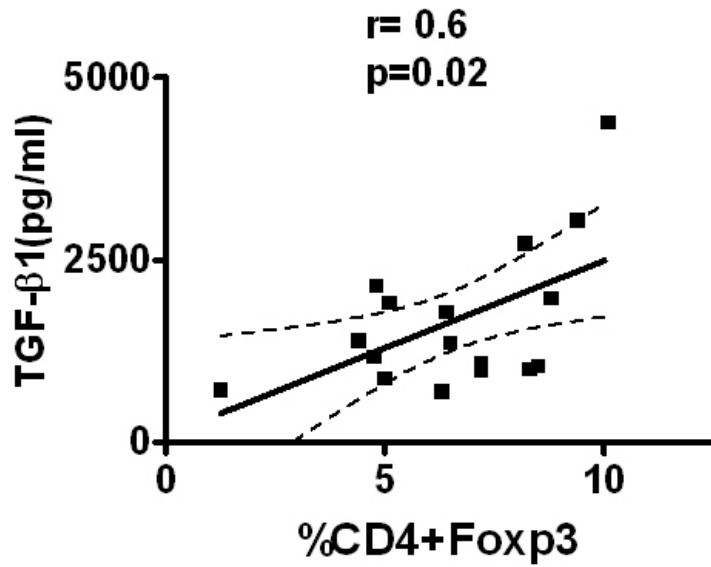


Figure S2

Proliferation (in cpm) of sorted CD4⁺CD25^{hi} Treg cells and effector CD4⁺CD25⁻ T cells alone or in combination at different ratios in the presence of plate-bound 0.1 μg/ml anti-CD3 antibodies and allogeneic accessory cells in patients before treatment (black bars, n=10) and in patient on treatment with thrombopoietic agents (white bars, n=9).

