

Supporting Information

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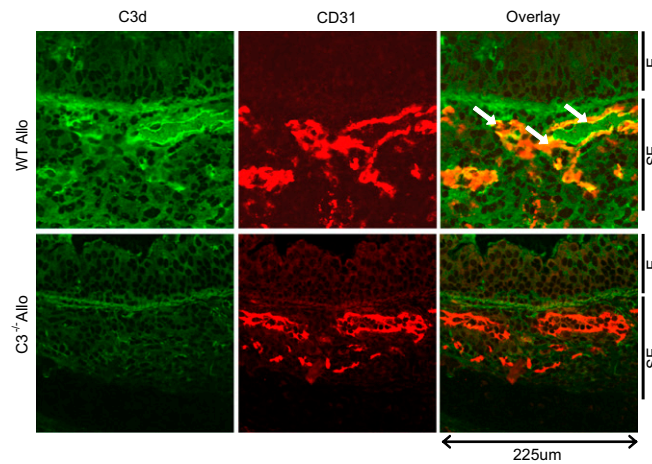


Fig. S1. Deposition of vascular complement component 3d (C3d) in orthotopic tracheal transplants in WT allograft (Allo) and C3^{-/-} Allo recipients. Representative images showing absence of colocalization of C3d on CD31⁺ [platelet endothelial cell adhesion molecule-1 (PECAM-1)] vascular endothelial cells (white arrows) on day 6 in allograft rejection in BALB/c→C57BL/6 C3^{-/-} grafts compared with BALB/c→C57BL/6 grafts. E, epithelial layer; SE, subepithelial area in tracheal sections. Original magnification, 40× (*n* = 4–6 per group).

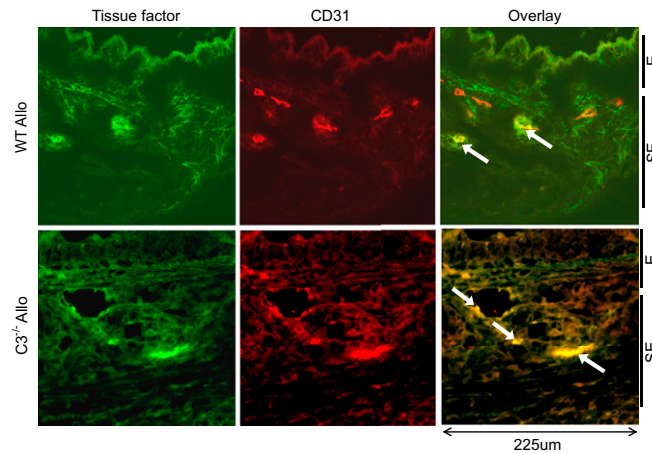


Fig. S2. Deposition of vascular tissue factor in orthotopic tracheal transplants in WT Allo and C3^{-/-} Allo recipients. Representative images showing colocalization of tissue factor on CD31⁺ vascular endothelial cells (white arrows) on day 6 in allograft rejection in BALB/c→C57BL/6 C3^{-/-} grafts compared with BALB/c→C57BL/6 grafts. E, epithelial layer; SE, subepithelial area in tracheal sections. Original magnification, 40× (*n* = 4–6 per group).

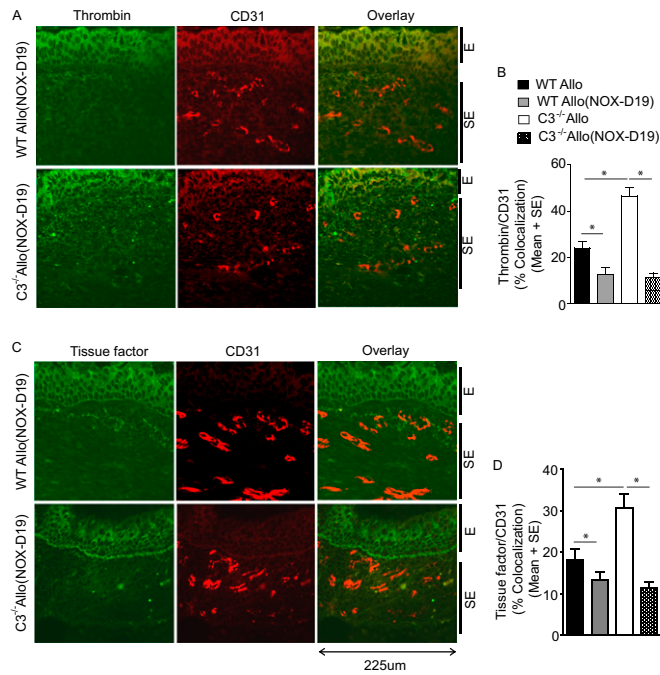


Fig. S3. Decreased vascular thrombin and tissue factor in WT Allo and C3^{-/-} Allo NOX-D19-treated allografts. (A) Representative images showing decreased colocalization of thrombin on CD31⁺ vascular endothelial cells on day 6 of allograft rejection. (B) Morphometric assessments of thrombin/CD31⁺ colocalization compared with WT Allo, C3^{-/-} Allo groups which were previously presented in Fig. 1B. (C) Representative images showing decreased colocalization of tissue factor on CD31⁺ vascular endothelial cells on day 6 of allograft rejection compared with WT Allo, C3^{-/-} Allo groups which were previously presented in Fig S2. (D) Morphometric assessments of tissue factor/CD31⁺ colocalization. Data are shown as means with SEM. **P* < 0.05. (*n* = 4–6 per group). E, epithelial layer; SE, subepithelial area in tracheal sections. Original magnification, 40× (*n* = 4–6 per group).

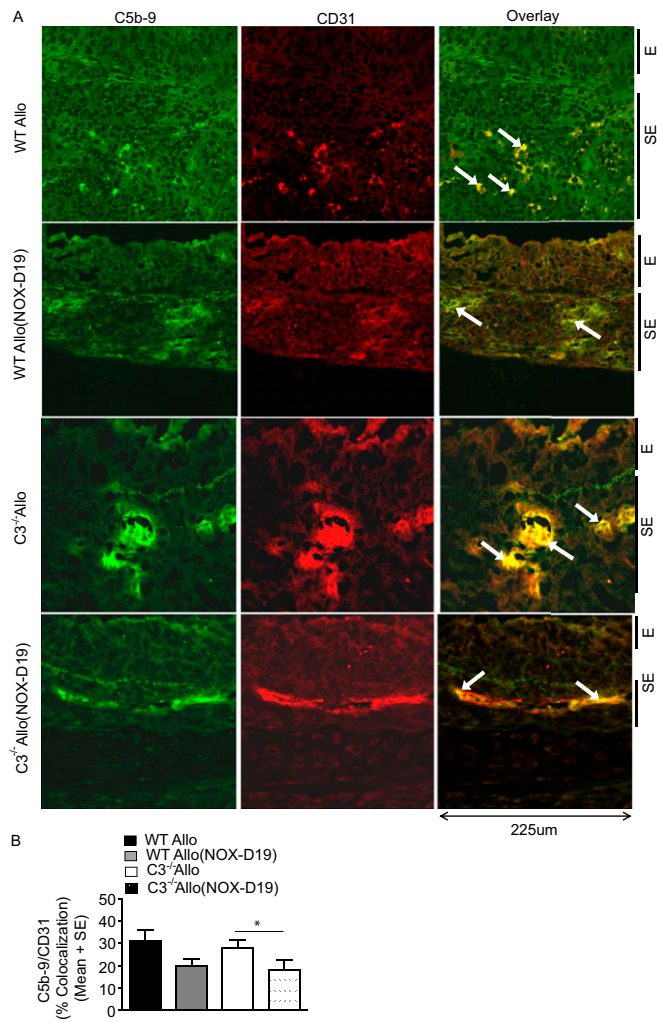


Fig. S4. Deposition of vascular C5b-9 in orthotopic tracheal transplants in C3^{-/-} and NOX-D19-treated allografts. (A) Representative images showing colocalization of C5b-9 on CD31⁺ vascular endothelial cells (white arrows) on day 6 of allograft rejection in BALB/c→C57BL/6 C3^{-/-} grafts compared with BALB/c→C57BL/6 grafts. (B) Morphometric assessments of C5b-9/CD31⁺ colocalization. E, epithelial layer; SE, subepithelial area in tracheal sections. Original magnification, 40× (*n* = 4–6 per group).

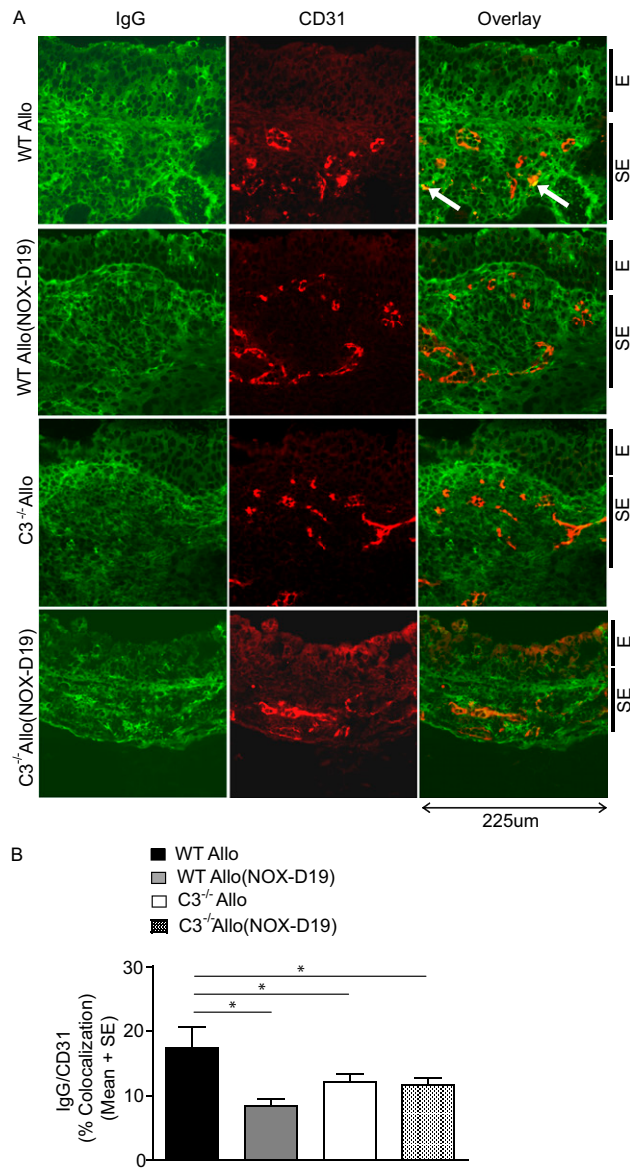


Fig. 55. Decreased vascular IgG in orthotopic tracheal transplants in C3^{-/-} and NOX-D19- treated allografts. **(A)** Representative images showing colocalization of IgG on CD31⁺ vascular endothelial cells (white arrows) on day 6 of allograft rejection in BALB/c→C57BL/6 C3^{-/-} grafts compared with BALB/c→C57BL/6 grafts. E, epithelial layer; SE, subepithelial area in tracheal sections. Original magnification, 40×. **(B)** Morphometric assessments of IgG/CD31⁺ colocalization. Data are shown as means with SEM. **P* < 0.05 (*n* = 4–6 per group).

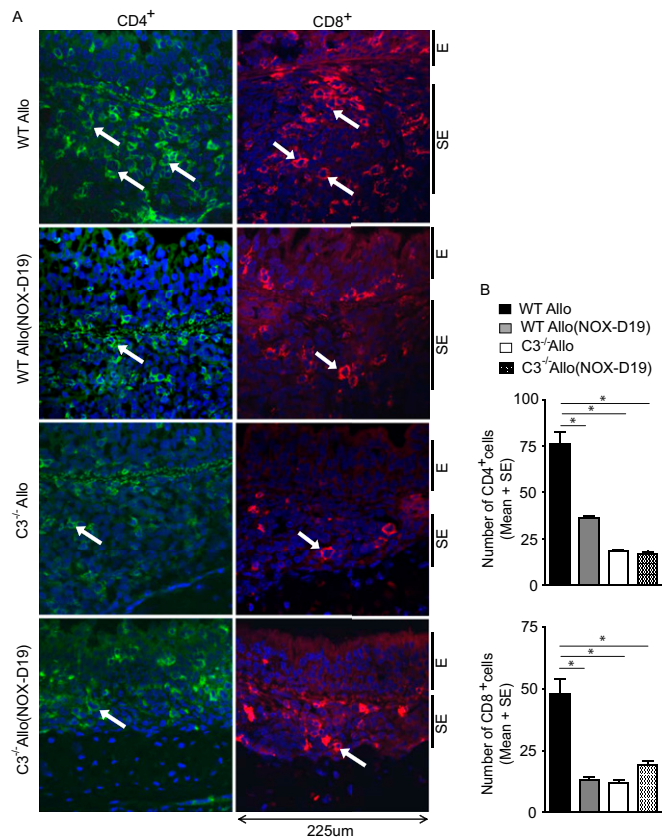


Fig. S6. (A) CD4⁺ and CD8⁺ T cells in orthotopic tracheal transplants in WT Allo, WT Allo (NOX-D19), C3^{-/-} Allo, and C3^{-/-} Allo (NOX-D19)-treated allografts. (White arrows shows the deposition of CD4⁺ or CD8⁺ cells on day 6). E, epithelial layer; SE, subepithelial area in tracheal sections. Original magnification, 40 \times . (B) Quantitative analysis of CD4⁺ and CD8⁺ cells in a given high power field. Data are shown as means with SEM. * $P < 0.05$ ($n = 4-6$ per group).

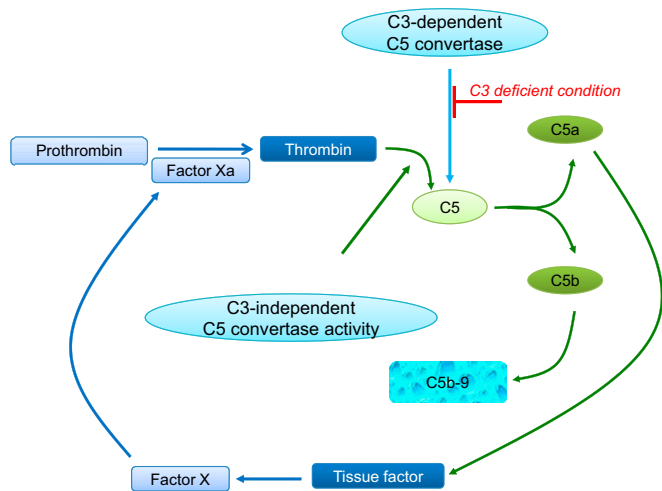


Fig. S7. Model illustrates how, during allograft rejection, increased C3-independent C5 convertase activity in C3-deficiency states may lead to increased production of C5a through production of thrombin and how generation of C5a could further contribute to a feed-forward amplification of this process.