SUPPLEMENTAL FIGURE LEGENDS

Supplemental Figure 1. CD4 T cell numbers from the brains and spinal cords of mice during EAE. (a,b) EAE was induced in WT and IFN γ -deficient mice by MOG immunization and the numbers of (a) CD4 T cells and (b) Tbetpositive CD4 T cells were enumerated from BR and SC on d20; data is cumulative of two independent experiments. (c,d) WT and STAT1-deficient mice (B6 genetic background) were immunized with MOG peptide and the numbers of (c) CD4 T cells and (d) Tbet-positive CD4 T cells were enumerated from BR and SC on d20. Data shown is from one experiment.

Supplemental Figure 2. IL-12 levels minimally impact the frequency of IL-17A-producing CD4 T cells. EAE was induced in WT and IL-12p35-deficient mice (a) without or (b) with anti-IFN γ treatment and the production of IL-17A in CD4 T cells was analyzed after restimulation with PMA/ionomycin by flow cytometry. Data are cumulative of two independent experiments; * p <0.05.













WT + α IFNγ mAb

▼ IL-12p35-/- + αIFNγ mAb

Table S1. Real-time PCR primer sets

Name	Sequence		
Tbet forward	5'-ACCAGAGCGGCAAGTGGG-3'		
Tbet reverse	5'-TGGACATATAAGCGGTTCCCT		
STAT4 forward	5'-CTGGGAGTAAAGGAAACGAG		
STAT4 reverse	5'-GCTGGTCTCTAGGTTAATGGT		
IL-12Rβ2 forward	5'-CCTCTTAACAGCACGTCCTGG		
IL-12Rβ2 reverse	5'-GGTCTCAGATCTCGCAGGTCA		
CXCR3 forward	5'-GAGTATGACGATTCTGCTGAG		
CXCR3 reverse	5'-CAGACCGAACGTGAAGACGA		
IL-18R forward	5'-TGCTTGTTCTCGCCTCTGTG-3		
IL-18R reverse	5'-ACCATCTGTTAGTGTCTCGTC		
IL-21 forward	5'-AAGATTCCTGAGGATCCGAGA		
IL-21 reverse	5'-GCATTCGTGAGCGTCTATAGT		
IL-23R forward	5'-GCCAAGAGAACCATTCCCGA-		
IL-23R reverse	5'-TCAGTGCTACAATCTTCAGAG		

CGGTTCCCTG-3 GAAACGAGG-3' GTTAATGGTG-3' CGTCCTGG-3' GCAGGTCA-3' CTGCTGAGG-3' GAAGACGAG-3' CTCTGTG-3' GTCTCGTCTC-3' GATCCGAGAAG-3' GTCTATAGTGTC-3' ATTCCCGA-3' CTTCAGAGGACA-3' 5'-CCGCTGAGAGGGCTTCAC-3' RORyt forward RORyt reverse 5'-TGCAGGAGTAGGCCACATTACA-3' IL-17A forward 5'-CTCCAGAAGGCCCTCAGACTAC-3' IL-17A reverse 5'-GGGTCTTCATTGCGGTGG-3' AHR forward 5'-CGCCTCCGGGACGCAGGTGG-3' 5'-AAAGAAGCTCTTGGCCCTCAG-3' AHR reverse Gata-3 forward 5'-CAGAACCGGCCCCTTATC-3' Gata-3 reverse 5'-CATTAGCGTTCCTCCTCCAGA-3' Foxp3 forward 5'-TTCATGCATCAGCTCTCCAC-3' Foxp3 reverse 5'-CTGGACACCCATTCCAGACT-3' IL-10 forward 5'-ATGAGTTTTTCCCTTATGGGGAC-3' 5'-GCTGGAAGTTGGACACCTCAA-3' IL-10 reverse β2M forward 5'-CCTGCAGAGTTAAGCATGCCAG-3' 5'-TGCTTGATCACATGTCTCGATCC-3' β2M reverse

Supplemental Table 1

Table S2. Encephalitogenicity in EAE induced mice deficient in various Th1-associated factors and WT mice as control.

	Incidence	Day on onset	Maximum score
WT ^a	66% (6/9)	16± 2.9	1.75± 1.26
STAT1-/-ª	89% (8/9)	12± 1.3	2.65± 1.50
WT⁵	100% (13/13)	12.2± 2.8	2.71± 0.77
IL-12p35-/- ^ь	100% (15/15)	13.9± 2.5	2.5± 1.20
WT ^ь +αIFNγ mAb	100% (5/5)	11.4± 1.1	1.65± 0.99
IL-12p35-/- ^ь + αIFNγ mAb	100% (7/7)	10.3± 1.8	3.25± 1.14

^aMice are in 129S6 background. ^bMice are in C57BL/6J background.

Supplemental Table 2