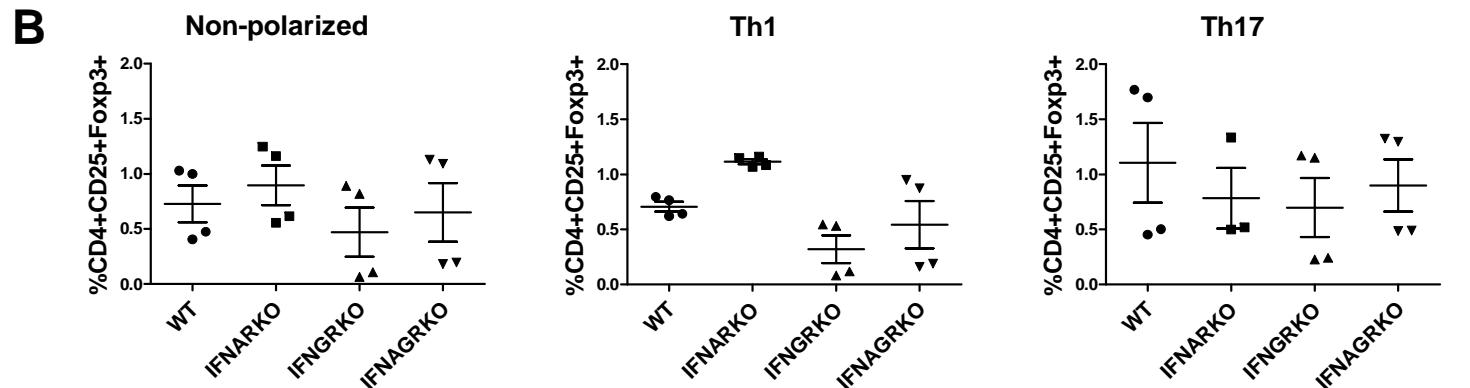
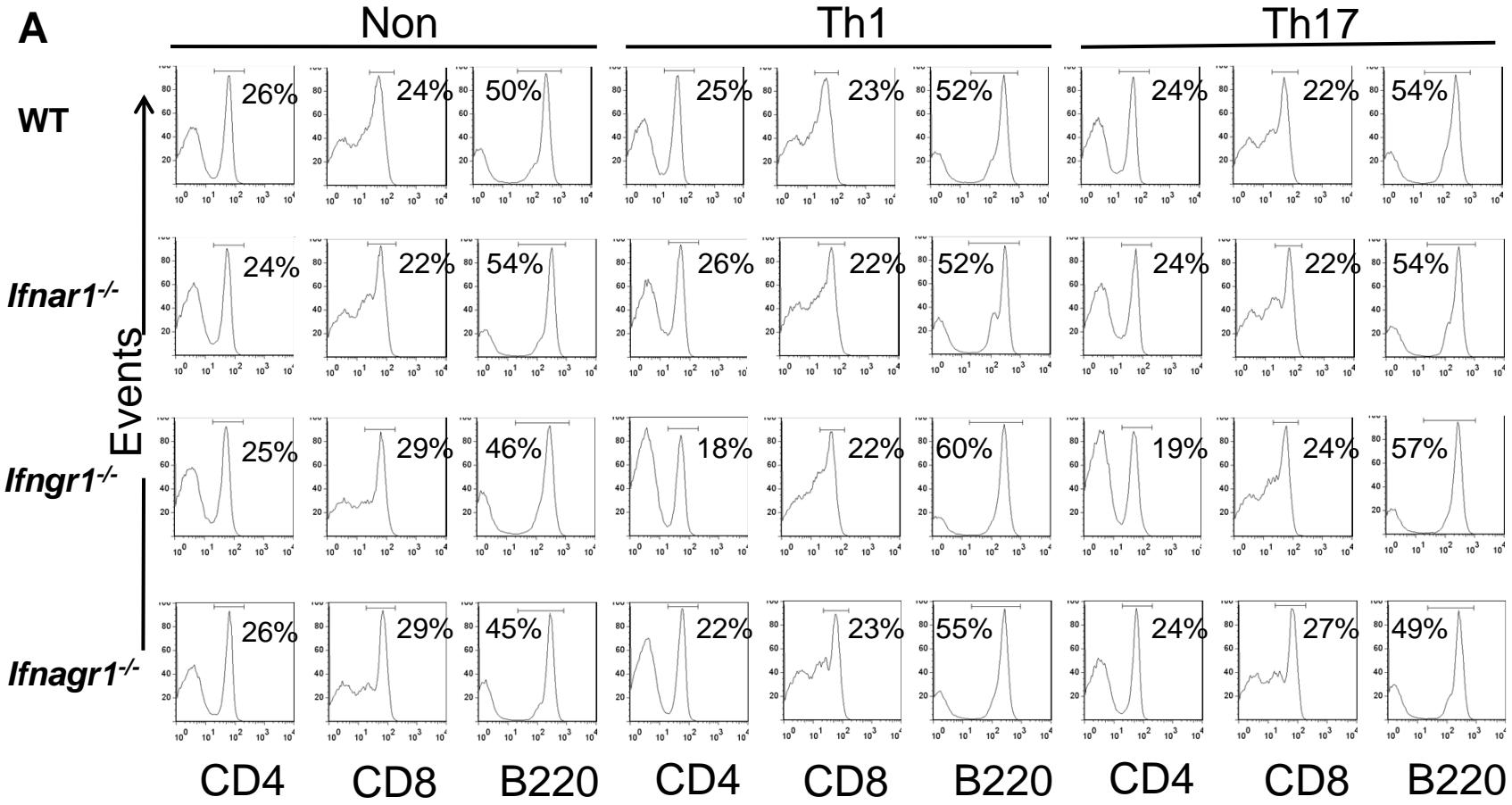


Supplemental Figure 1. Phenotypic composition of the donor population. Spleen and lymph node cells isolated from WT, *Ifnar1*^{-/-}, *Ifngr1*^{-/-} and *Ifnagr1*^{-/-} at 11 days after EAE induction were re-stimulated *in vitro* with MOGp under non-polarized (Non), Th1 polarizing (Th1) or Th17 polarizing (Th17) conditions. After 3 days of culture, the donor population was analyzed before transfer for (A) cells expressing CD4, CD8, B220, CD11b or CD11c by flow cytometry and (B) cells coexpressing CD4, CD25 and FoxP3 (Treg). Donor population did not contain CD11b⁺ and CD11c⁺ cells (data not shown). Percentage for each population is indicated in the histograms.

Supplemental Figure 2. Type I and type II IFNs set activation thresholds in the immune response. Classical EAE data shown in Fig. 1A and Fig. 8 re-analyzed to compare EAE induced by the different MOGp immunization dose in within each mouse line. Data are mean clinical scores \pm SEM, n=8-14 mice. Low dose is 50 μ g MOGp, standard dose is 150 μ g MOGp and high dose is 300 μ g MOGp. *** p<0.001 for standard dose vs low dose and standard dose vs high dose (WT) and ** p<0.01 for high dose vs standard dose and high dose vs low dose (*Ifngr1*^{-/-}) , one way Anova (Kruskall-Wallis) non-parametric test.

Supplemental Figure 3. The contribution of type I IFN signals to atypical EAE in IFNGR-deficient mice is dependent on MOGp immunization dose. Atypical EAE in mice immunized with 300 μ g MOGp – high dose (A) and 50 μ g MOGp – low dose (B). Data are mean clinical scores \pm SEM, n=8-14 mice. ** p<0.01 for low dose MOGp immunized *Ifngr1*^{-/-} vs *Ifnagr1*^{-/-}, non-parametric student's t-test (Mann-Whitney non-parametric t-test).



Supplemental Fig. 1

Supplemental table I – Statistical analysis of cytokine and chemokine levels in spinal cord (SC) and brain (cerebellum and brain stem)^a

Cytokine		SC		Brain	
		p	Significant ^b	p	Significant ^b
IFN- γ	WT	unimm	0.036	Yes	0.089
		<i>Ifnar1</i> ^{-/-}	0.252		0.295
		<i>Ifngr1</i> ^{-/-}	0.017	Yes	0.027 Yes
		<i>Ifnagr1</i> ^{-/-}	0.028	Yes	0.032 Yes
		<i>Ifnar1</i> ^{-/-}	0.036	Yes	0.056
	<i>Ifngr1</i> ^{-/-}	<i>Ifngr1</i> ^{-/-}	0.013	Yes	0.049 Yes
		<i>Ifnagr1</i> ^{-/-}	0.018	Yes	0.016 Yes
		unimm	0.005	Yes	0.045 Yes
		<i>Ifnagr1</i> ^{-/-}	0.490		0.302
		<i>Ifnagr1</i> ^{-/-}	0.005	Yes	0.006 Yes
IL-17	WT	unimm	<0.001	Yes	<0.001 Yes
		<i>Ifnar1</i> ^{-/-}	0.014	Yes	0.164
		<i>Ifngr1</i> ^{-/-}	0.006	Yes	0.010 Yes
		<i>Ifnagr1</i> ^{-/-}	0.002	Yes	0.022 Yes
		<i>Ifnar1</i> ^{-/-}	<0.001	Yes	0.004 Yes
	<i>Ifngr1</i> ^{-/-}	<i>Ifngr1</i> ^{-/-}	0.026	Yes	0.015 Yes
		<i>Ifnagr1</i> ^{-/-}	0.006	Yes	0.028 Yes
		unimm	0.001	Yes	0.002 Yes
		<i>Ifnagr1</i> ^{-/-}	0.153		0.317
		<i>Ifnagr1</i> ^{-/-}	<0.001	Yes	0.007 Yes
IL-13	WT	unimm	0.004	Yes	0.003 Yes
		<i>Ifnar1</i> ^{-/-}	0.189		0.007 Yes
		<i>Ifngr1</i> ^{-/-}	0.027	Yes	0.002 Yes
		<i>Ifnagr1</i> ^{-/-}	0.042	Yes	0.002 Yes
		<i>Ifnar1</i> ^{-/-}	0.024	Yes	0.365
	<i>Ifngr1</i> ^{-/-}	<i>Ifngr1</i> ^{-/-}	0.084		0.079
		<i>Ifnagr1</i> ^{-/-}	0.140		0.101
		unimm	0.096		0.240
		<i>Ifnagr1</i> ^{-/-}	0.128		0.178
		<i>Ifnagr1</i> ^{-/-}	0.023	Yes	0.274
G-CSF	WT	unimm	<0.001	Yes	<0.001 Yes
		<i>Ifnar1</i> ^{-/-}	0.038	Yes	0.474
		<i>Ifngr1</i> ^{-/-}	0.002	Yes	0.045 Yes
		<i>Ifnagr1</i> ^{-/-}	0.015	Yes	0.008 Yes
		<i>Ifnar1</i> ^{-/-}	0.002	Yes	0.026 Yes
	<i>Ifngr1</i> ^{-/-}	<i>Ifngr1</i> ^{-/-}	0.024	Yes	0.049 Yes
		<i>Ifnagr1</i> ^{-/-}	0.035	Yes	0.018 Yes
		unimm	<0.001	Yes	0.007 Yes
		<i>Ifnagr1</i> ^{-/-}	0.187		0.211
		<i>Ifnagr1</i> ^{-/-}	<0.001	Yes	<0.001 Yes

^a Students unpaired t-test was performed for all comparisons.

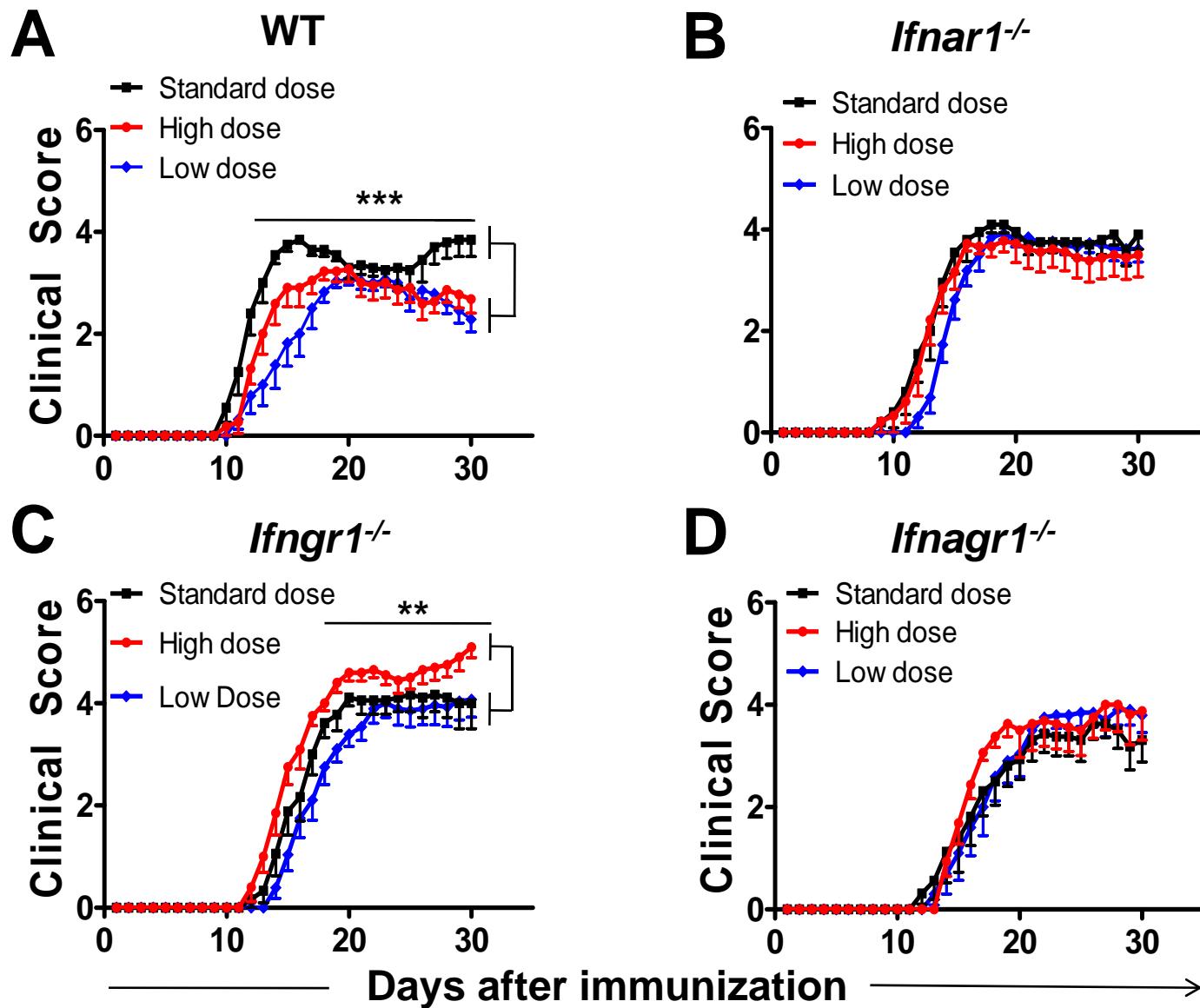
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Supplemental table I (continued) Statistical analysis of cytokine and chemokine levels in spinal cord (SC) and brain (cerebellum and brain stem)^a

Chemokine		SC		Brain	
		p	Significant ^b	p	Significant ^b
CXCL10	WT	unimm	0.023	Yes	0.004
		<i>Ifnar1</i> ^{-/-}	0.100	No	0.044
		<i>Ifngr1</i> ^{-/-}	0.039	Yes	0.026
		<i>Ifnagr1</i> ^{-/-}	0.035	Yes	0.020
		<i>Ifnar1</i> ^{-/-}	0.021	Yes	0.003
	<i>Ifnar1</i> ^{-/-}	<i>Ifngr1</i> ^{-/-}	0.046	Yes	0.050
		<i>Ifnagr1</i> ^{-/-}	0.033	Yes	0.017
		unimm	<0.001	Yes	<0.001
	<i>Ifngr1</i> ^{-/-}	<i>Ifnagr1</i> ^{-/-}	0.001	Yes	0.003
		<i>Ifnagr1</i> ^{-/-}	0.013	Yes	0.289
CXCL9	WT	unimm	<0.001	Yes	<0.001
		<i>Ifnar1</i> ^{-/-}	0.291	No	0.085
		<i>Ifngr1</i> ^{-/-}	<0.001	Yes	0.003
		<i>Ifnagr1</i> ^{-/-}	<0.001	Yes	0.003
		<i>Ifnar1</i> ^{-/-}	unimm	<0.001	Yes
	<i>Ifnar1</i> ^{-/-}	<i>Ifngr1</i> ^{-/-}	0.001	Yes	0.008
		<i>Ifnagr1</i> ^{-/-}	0.001	Yes	0.008
		unimm	0.104	No	0.171
	<i>Ifngr1</i> ^{-/-}	<i>Ifnagr1</i> ^{-/-}	0.107	No	0.248
		<i>Ifnagr1</i> ^{-/-}	0.350	No	0.461
CCL5	WT	unimm	0.002	Yes	<0.001
		<i>Ifnar1</i> ^{-/-}	0.197	No	0.471
		<i>Ifngr1</i> ^{-/-}	0.018	Yes	0.015
		<i>Ifnagr1</i> ^{-/-}	0.016	Yes	0.003
		<i>Ifnar1</i> ^{-/-}	unimm	<0.001	Yes
	<i>Ifnar1</i> ^{-/-}	<i>Ifngr1</i> ^{-/-}	0.008	Yes	0.048
		<i>Ifnagr1</i> ^{-/-}	0.007	Yes	0.016
		unimm	<0.001	Yes	0.065
	<i>Ifngr1</i> ^{-/-}	<i>Ifnagr1</i> ^{-/-}	0.139	No	0.083
		<i>Ifnagr1</i> ^{-/-}	0.002	Yes	0.376

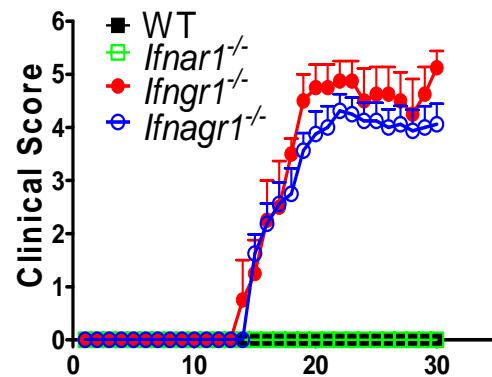
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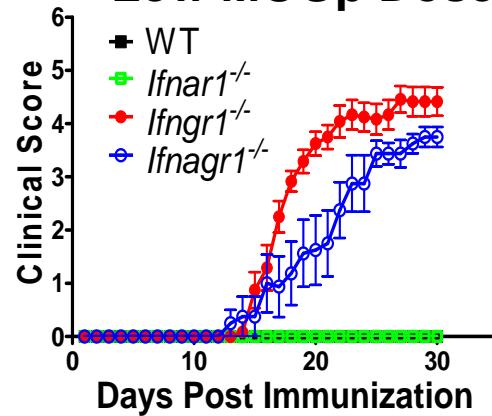


Supplemental Fig. 2

A High MOGp Dose



B Low MOGp Dose



Supplemental Fig. 3