

Supporting Information

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SI Materials and Methods

Gene Expression Quantification. mRNAs from isolated non-parenchymal cells (NPCs) were similarly purified as described in *Materials and Methods*. cDNA specific to *Bysl*, *Ccnd3*, *Frs3*, *Foxp4*, *Med20*, *Mocs1*, *Mdf1*, *Nfyb*, *P1cl2*, *Rftn1*, *Taf8*, *Tbc1d5*, *Tfeb*, and *Tomm6* expression was quantified using TaqMan Gene Expression Assays (Mm00479473_m1, Mm01612362_m1, Mm00460745_m1, Mm00466364_m1, Mm00498409_m1,

Mm01273749_m1, Mm00521984_m1, Mm00477820_m1, Mm01277344_m1, Mm01281622_m1, Mm01273585_m1, Mm00813934_m1, Mm00448968_m1, and Mm00481240_m1, respectively; Applied Biosystems). Endogenous control GAPDH (Mouse GAPD Endogenous Control; Applied Biosystems) was used in multiplex PCR reactions (Prism 7900HT; Applied Biosystems), and relative quantification was calculated using the $\Delta\Delta C_t$ method.

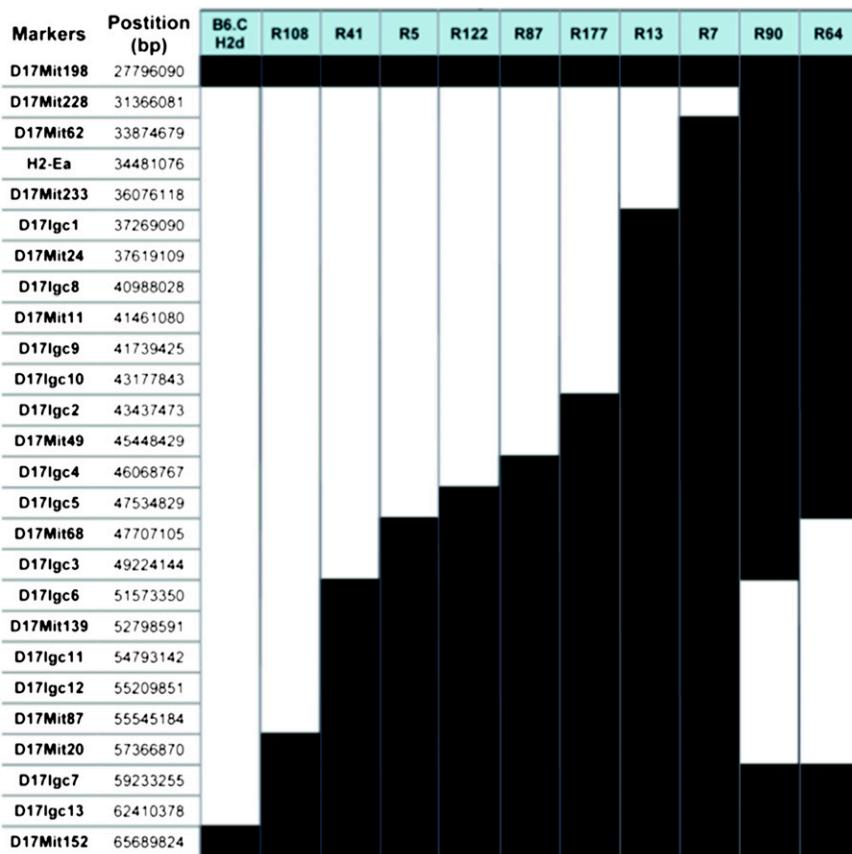


Fig. S1. Chromosome 17 genotype maps of 10 subcongenic lines selected from the B6.C-H2d × C57BL/6 backcross progeny using 24 polymorphic microsatellites. Genotypes of BALB/c origin are in white, and those of C57BL/6 are in black.

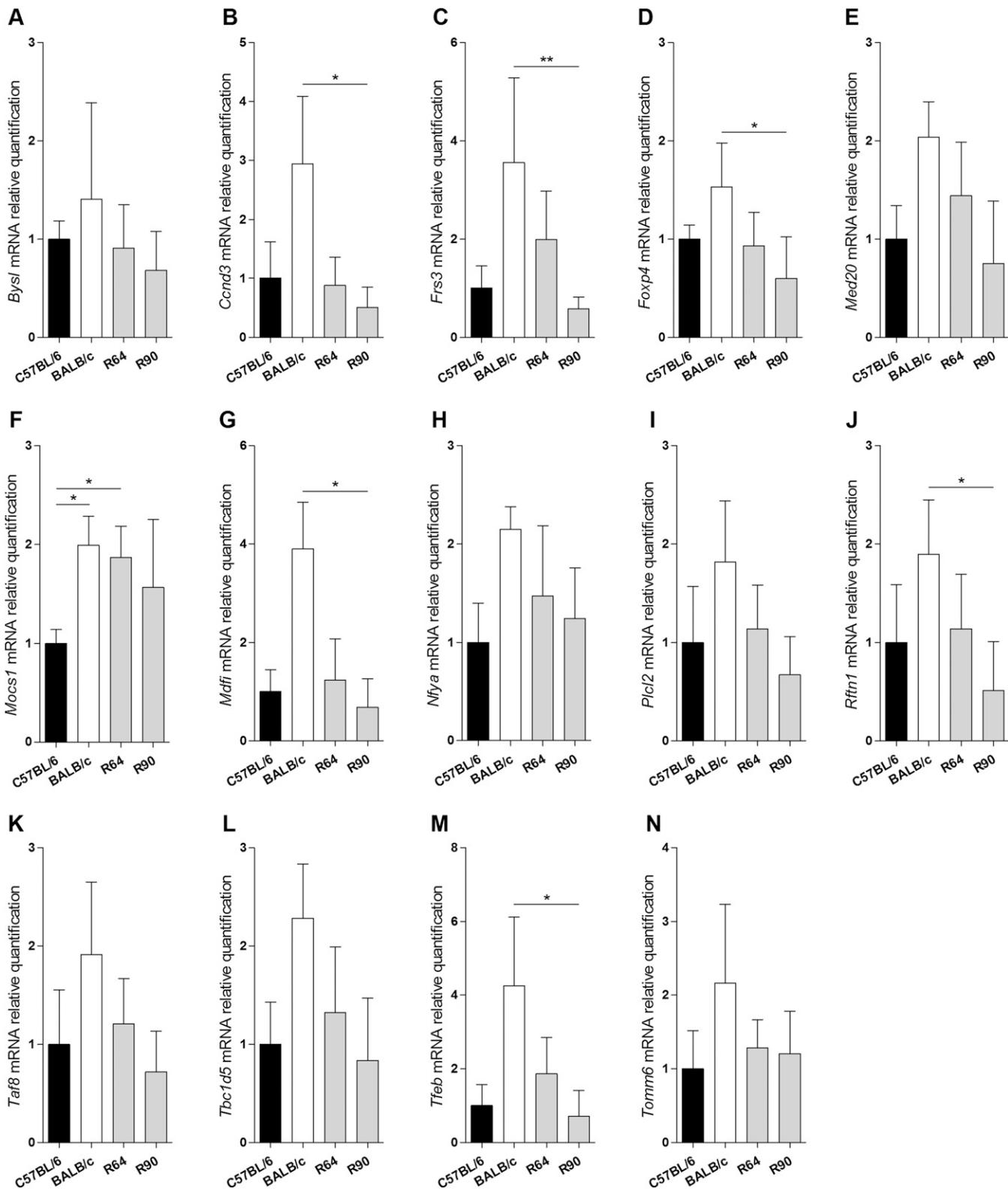


Fig. S2. NPC expression of non-TREM genes mapping within the *belr1* interval. mRNA of the indicated genes was quantified in NPCs isolated from non-infected R64, R90, and BALB/c mice relative to C57BL/6 mice (A, *Bysl*; B, *Ccnd3*; C, *Frs3*; D, *Foxp4*; E, *Med20*; F, *Mocs1*; G, *Mdfi*; H, *Nfyaa*; I, *Plcl2*; J, *Rftn1*; K, *Taf8*; L, *Tbc1d5*; M, *Tfcb*; N, *Tomm6*). Data are mean \pm SD; $n > 6$. * $P < 0.05$; ** $P < 0.01$. mRNA expression of indicated genes did not correlate with the liver stage resistance phenotype in the tested strains.

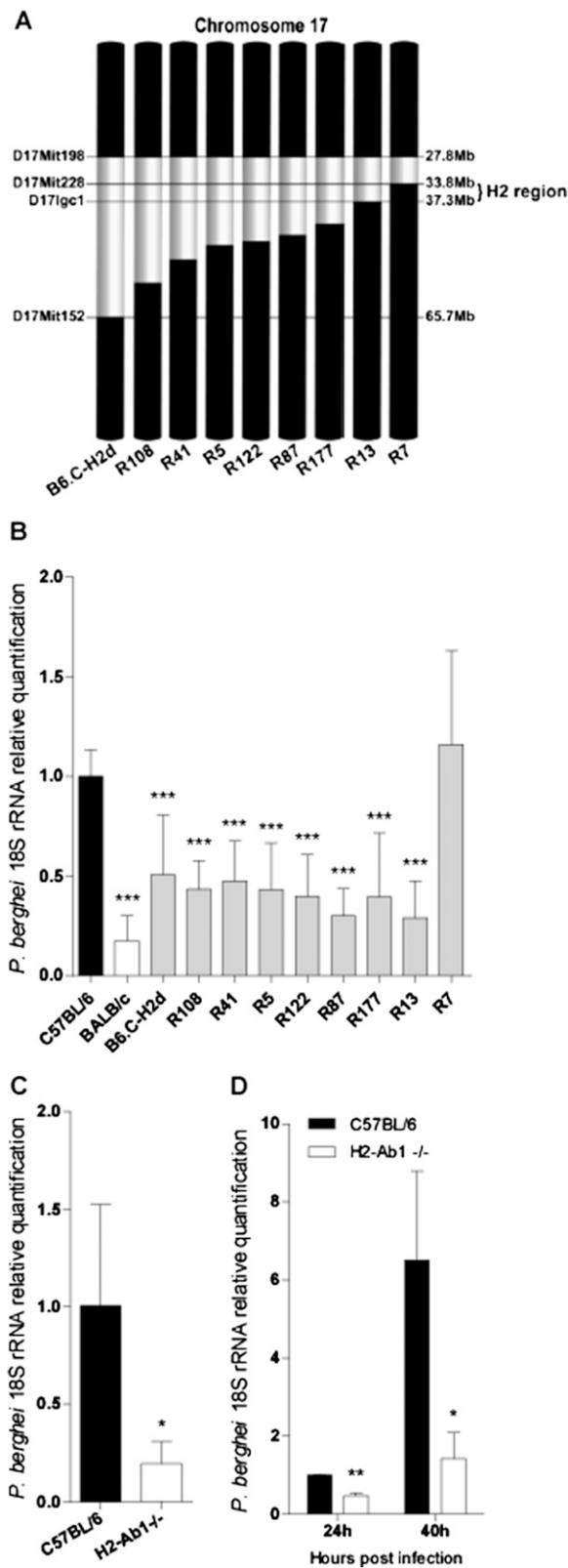


Fig. S3. The H2 region and class II genes contribute to malaria liver stage resistance. (A) Diagram representing the relative size of BALB/c-derived congenic regions (in white) in the B6.C-H2d strain and eight single recombinant subcongenic lines in the C57BL/6 background (in black). The R13 congenic region encompasses the H2 locus within 5.9 Mb. (B) Liver parasite burden in subcongenic lines at 40 h postinfection (p.i.) was ascertained as described in Fig. 1. Data are mean \pm SD; n = 10. (C) Liver parasite burden in H2-Ab1^{-/-} mice at 40 h p.i. Data are mean \pm SD. (D) Parasite yield in infected primary cultures of H2-Ab1^{-/-} deficient and C57BL/6 hepatocytes measured at 24 h and 40 h p.i. Data are mean \pm SD of triplicate cultures. *P < 0.05; **P ≤ 0.001; ***P < 0.0001.

Table S1. *belr1* gene content: Protein-coding genes encompassed in the interval D17lgc5-D17lgc6 on mouse chromosome 17

Gene symbol	Gene start, bp	Gene name
<i>Apobec2</i>	48,558,556	Apolipoprotein B mRNA editing enzyme, catalytic polypeptide 2
<i>Bysl</i>	47,736,280	Bystin-like
<i>Ccnd3</i>	47,642,000	Cyclin D3
<i>Dazl</i>	50,418,719	Deleted in azoospermia-like
<i>Daam2</i>	49,595,347	Dishevelled associated activator of morphogenesis 2
<i>Frs3</i>	47,825,979	Fibroblast growth factor receptor substrate 3
<i>Foxp4</i>	48,004,082	Forkhead box P4
<i>Guca1a</i>	47,531,509	Guanylate cyclase activator 1a (retina)
<i>Kif6</i>	49,754,461	Kinesin family member 6
<i>Lrfn2</i>	49,071,704	Leucine-rich repeat and fibronectin type III domain containing 2
<i>Med20</i>	47,748,531	Mediator complex subunit 20
<i>Mocs1</i>	49,567,687	Molybdenum cofactor synthesis 1
<i>Mdf1</i>	47,952,277	MyoD family inhibitor
<i>Nfyα</i>	48,526,210	Nuclear transcription factor-Y alpha
<i>Pcl2</i>	50,648,872	Phospholipase C-like 2
<i>Prickle4</i>	47,823,688	Prickle homolog 4 (<i>Drosophila</i>)
<i>Pgc</i>	47,863,791	Progastricsin (pepsinogen C)
<i>Rftn1</i>	50,131,582	Raftlin lipid raft linker 1
<i>Trem5</i>	48,262,555	Triggering receptor expressed on myeloid cells 5
<i>Trem4</i>	48,288,846	Triggering receptor expressed on myeloid cells 4
<i>Treml6</i>	48,455,466	Triggering receptor expressed on myeloid cells-like 6
<i>Taf8</i>	47,624,999	TAF8 RNA polymerase II, TATA box binding protein-associated factor 8
<i>Tbc1d5</i>	50,872,452	TBC1 domain family, member 5
<i>Tfeb</i>	47,873,979	Transcription factor EB
<i>Tomm6</i>	47,823,595	Translocase of outer mitochondrial membrane 6 homolog (yeast)
<i>Tspo2</i>	48,587,281	Translocator protein 2
<i>Trem1</i>	48,371,903	Triggering receptor expressed on myeloid cells 1
<i>Trem2</i>	48,485,726	Triggering receptor expressed on myeloid cells 2
<i>Trem3</i>	48,386,944	Triggering receptor expressed on myeloid cells 3
<i>Treml1</i>	48,499,241	Triggering receptor expressed on myeloid cells-like 1
<i>Treml2</i>	48,438,864	Triggering receptor expressed on myeloid cells-like 2
<i>Treml4</i>	48,403,659	Triggering receptor expressed on myeloid cells-like 4
<i>Usp49</i>	47,767,639	Ubiquitin specific peptidase 49
<i>Unc5cl</i>	48,594,226	Unc-5 homolog C (<i>C. elegans</i>)-like

Table S2. *belr1* fine mapping: Polymorphic microsatellite markers

Marker	Start position, bp	Fragment size*	Forward	Reverse
D17lgc1	37,269,090	132	GGGAGTGGGAATTCTTTATTTA	TGCTTCCTCTGGTGTCTGAA
D17lgc2	43,437,473	135	GCTCACTTTCTAGCATCCTC	GCCATGGAAAGTTATATGTC
D17lgc3	49,224,144	146	GATAAGTTGGAGTCAGGCCTAA	ACTTATTCACTCCTGAGCCTTG
D17lgc4	46,068,767	158	TAGGGCCTTGCCCTGTTAA	AGCTCACAAATCACCTGTAACCT
D17lgc5	47,534,829	120	TGAGATGTGAAATGGATTCCC	TCAACCTGGCTGTATAATGAGA
D17lgc6	51,573,350	139	ATACCCACACACAATTCCAT	GGGAAAGTATTGGTGATCAGAGA
D17lgc7	59,233,255	301	TATTTGCCAGCTCCAAGA	ACATGCCATTGGTGGGC
D17lgc8	40,988,028	134	CCAAAGCATGTTAGAGGTAAGACA	TGAAGCCAATAAACATCCTAGGTT
D17lgc9	41,739,425	116	TGTACAGTGTGTTGGTTGTCA	TGAAGGTATGAACACTCAAGCAA
D17lgc10	43,177,843	115	GAATCTGCTTGCTTGT	GGATTGGGTGAGATTCTAAACATT
D17lgc11	54,793,142	137	CTAAAGTTGTTGGGTGT	AGGGTGAATGAAATAAGTCCA
D17lgc12	55,209,851	128	CTAATTCTAAGGCGGGTTCTATC	TAAAGCACAAGGCAGGTATAGGA
D17lgc13	62,410,378	313	AAGTTGAGAGACTGGCTCAGA	TTCTGGTACTTAGGTTGGAG

*Referred to the C57BL/6 allele.