

Supporting Information

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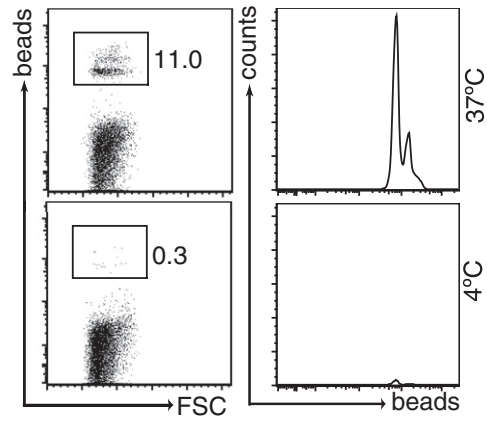


Fig. S1. Sort-purified ex vivo-isolated splenic NCR⁻ group 3 innate lymphoid cells (ILC3s) incubated for 6 h with red fluorescent latex beads at 37 °C or 4 °C.

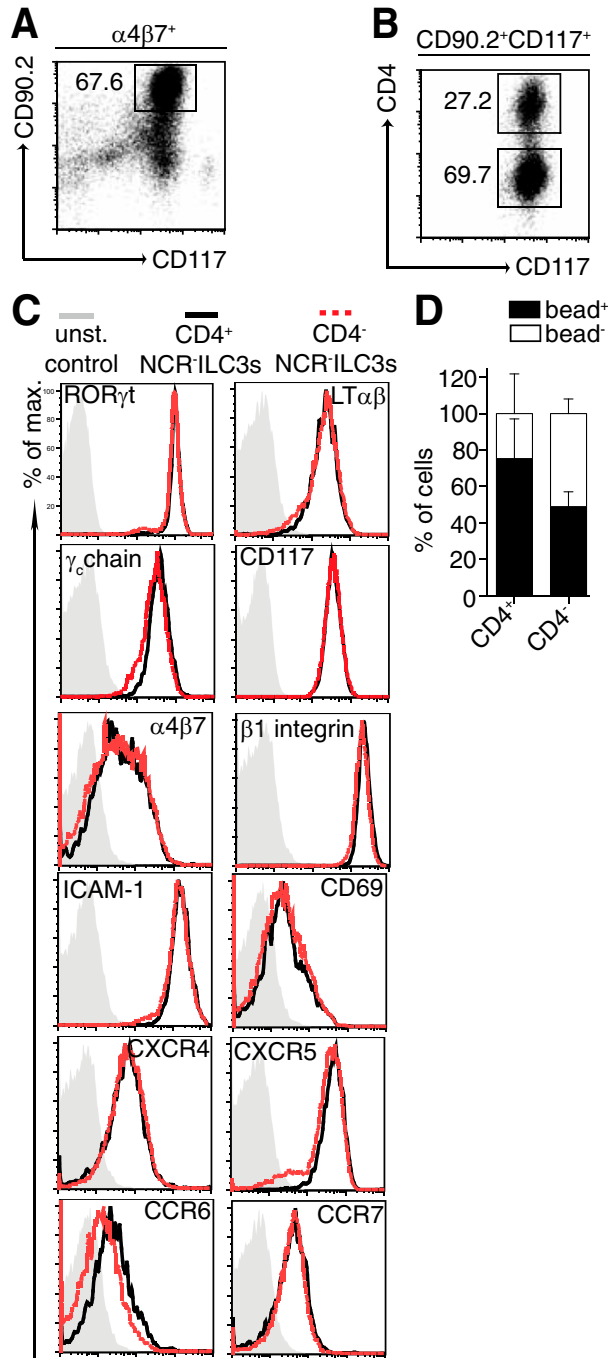


Fig. S2. (A and B) Phenotype of in vitro-generated NCR⁺ILC3s derived from $\alpha 4\beta 7^+$ fetal liver (FL) precursors. Representative plots are shown. (C) Representative histograms of ROR γ t, LT $\alpha\beta$, γ_c chain, CD117, $\alpha 4\beta 7$, $\beta 1$, ICAM1, CD69, CXCR4, CXCR5, CCR6, and CCR7 expression by $CD4^+$ and $CD4^-$ NCR⁺ILC3 subsets. (D) Percentage of bead⁺ and bead⁻ cells within $CD4^+$ and $CD4^-$ NCR⁺ILC3s after 6 h incubation with beads (mean values \pm SD). Data shown are representative of at least three independent experiments ($n = 3-5$).

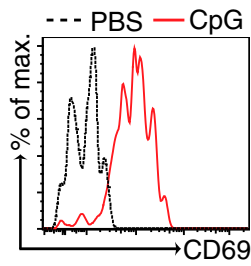


Fig. S3. CD69 expression of splenic NCR⁻ILC3s (lin⁻RORγt⁺CD117⁺CD4⁺) of WT mice 6 h after i.p. injection of CpG or PBS. Representative histogram of three independent experiments is shown.

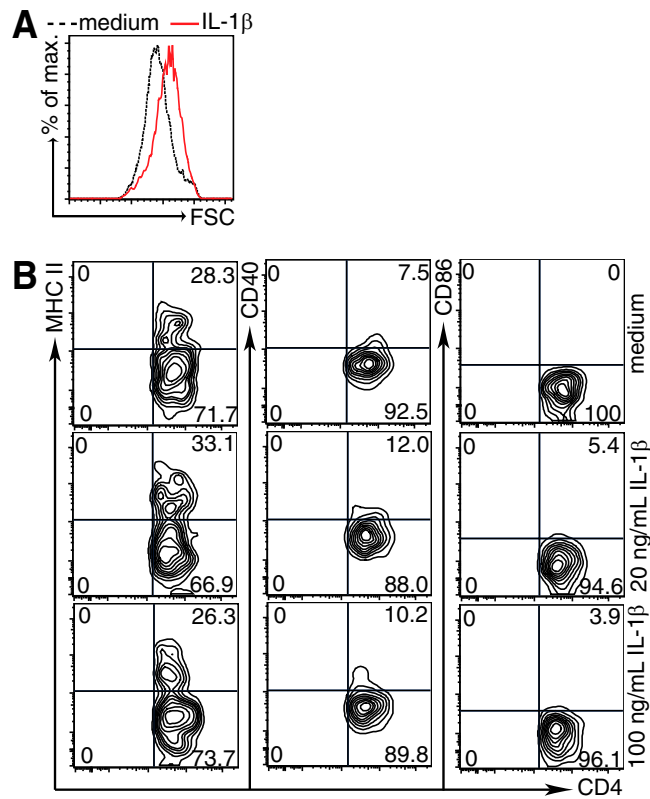


Fig. S4. (A) Representative histogram of forward scatter (FSC) level in lamina propria (LP) NCR⁻ILC3s of adult *Rag2*^{-/-} mice cultured for 48 h in the presence of IL-1β or in medium alone. (B) Expression of MHC class II, CD40, and CD86 by LP NCR⁻ILC3s (lin⁻RORγt⁺CD117⁺CD4⁺) cultured for 48 h in the presence of IL-1β or in medium alone. Data are representative of four independent experiments.

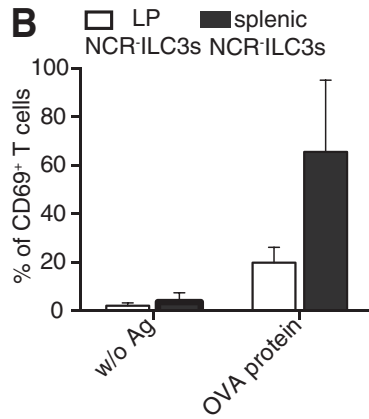
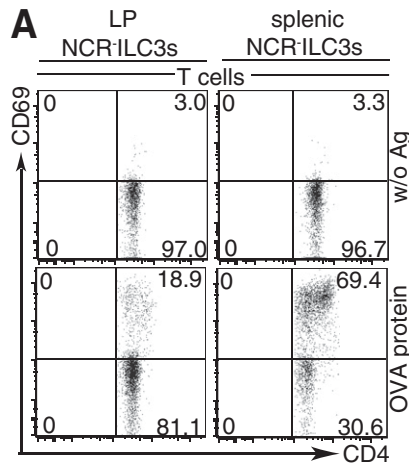


Fig. S5. (A) Naïve sort-purified CFSE-labeled OT-II^{tg} CD4⁺ T cells were cultured with IL-1β-activated splenic or LP NCR⁻ILC3s in the presence of ovalbumin (OVA) protein or medium alone [without antigen (Ag)]. Representative plots of CD69 expression by OT-II^{tg} CD4⁺ T cells 48–72 h later. Data are representative of four independent experiments. (B) Percentage of CD69⁺ OT-II^{tg} CD4⁺ T cells upon coculture with IL-1β-activated splenic or LP NCR⁻ILC3s in the presence or absence of OVA protein. Data are shown as mean values ± SD (four independent experiments).

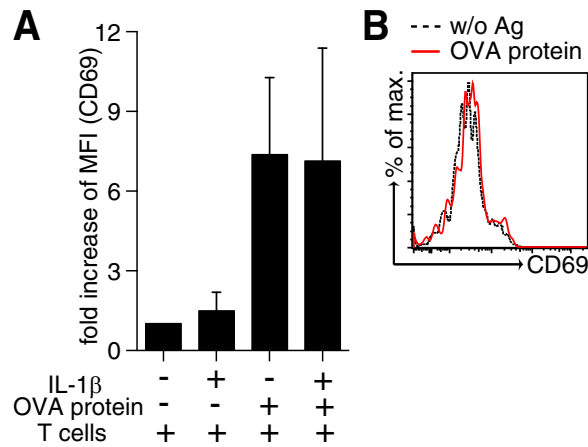


Fig. S6. (A) Fold increase of mean fluorescent intensity of CD69 expression by non- or IL-1β-activated (24 h) splenic NCR⁻ILC3s cocultured with CD4⁺ T cells in the presence or absence of OVA protein (48–72 h) compared with nonactivated NCR⁻ILC3s cocultured with CD4⁺ T cells in the absence of Ag. Data are shown as mean values ± SD (3–7 independent experiments). (B) Representative histogram of CD69 expression by nonactivated splenic NCR⁻ILC3s in the presence of OVA protein or in medium alone.