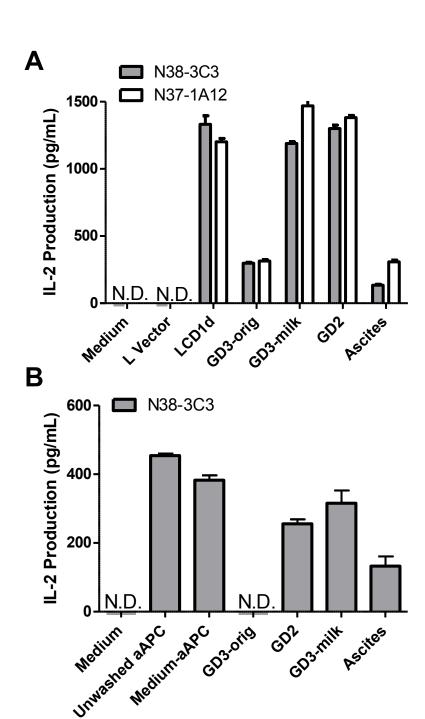
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Supplemental Figure 2. The source of GD3 impacts CD1d-mediated antigen presentation. (A) LCD1d cells were treated with GD3 from different sources for 4 hours, then washed extensively and cocultured with NKT cell hybridomas. IL-2 was measured, as an indication of NKT cell activation, by standard cytokine ELISA. (B) Pretreatment of $\alpha\text{-GalCer loaded aAPC}$ with GD3. $\alpha\text{-GalCer loaded aAPC}$ were incubated for 4hr with either medium, GD3, GD2, or ovarian cancer-associated ascites. The aAPC were washed extensively and then cocultured with a V α 14+ NKT cell hybridoma, N38-3C3. NKT cell recognition of CD1d was assessed by measuring IL-2 production in the supernatants by ELISA.