

# **Comprehensive validation of T- and B-cell deficiency in *rag1*-null zebrafish: Implication for the robust innate defense mechanisms of teleosts**

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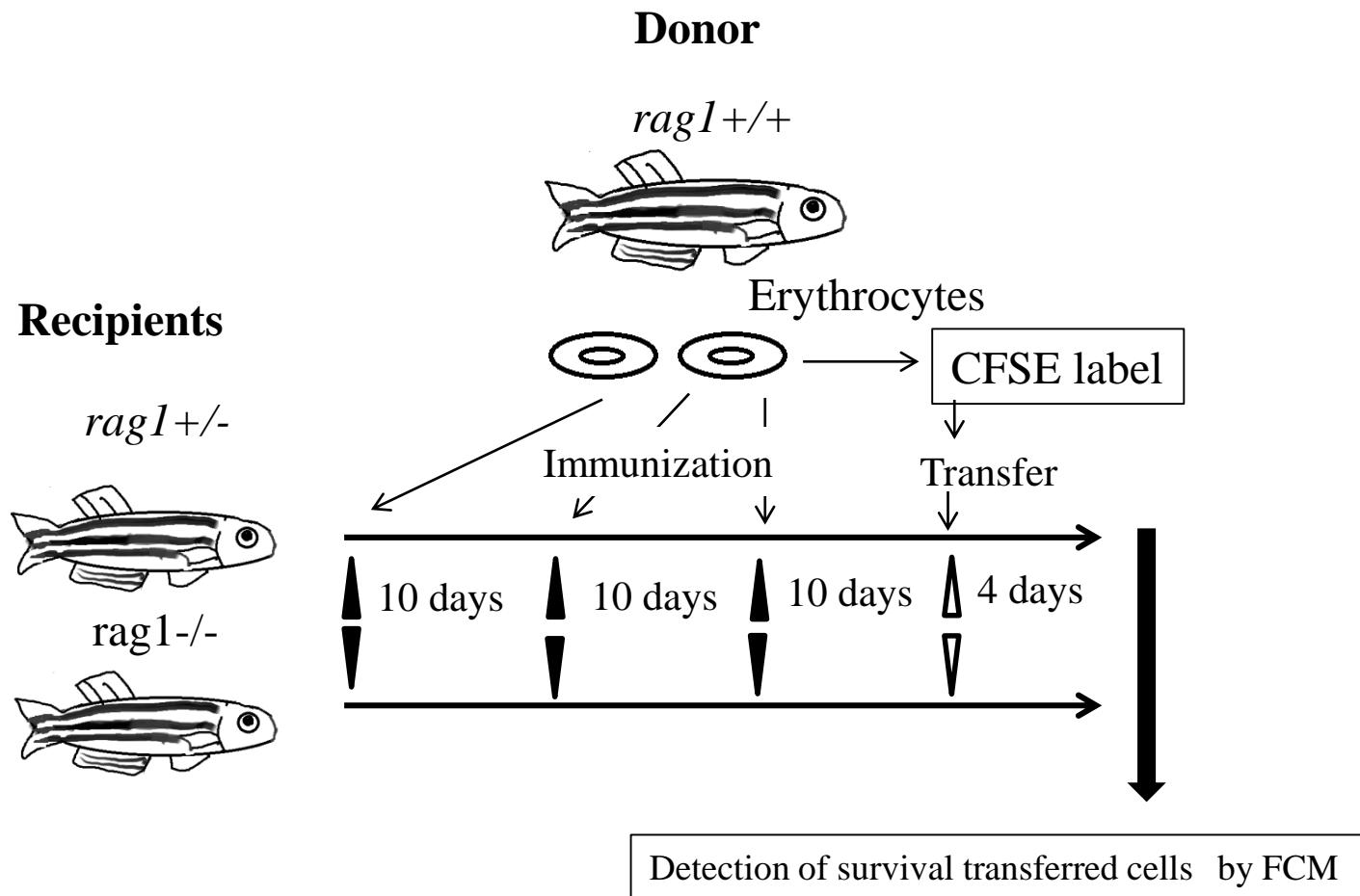
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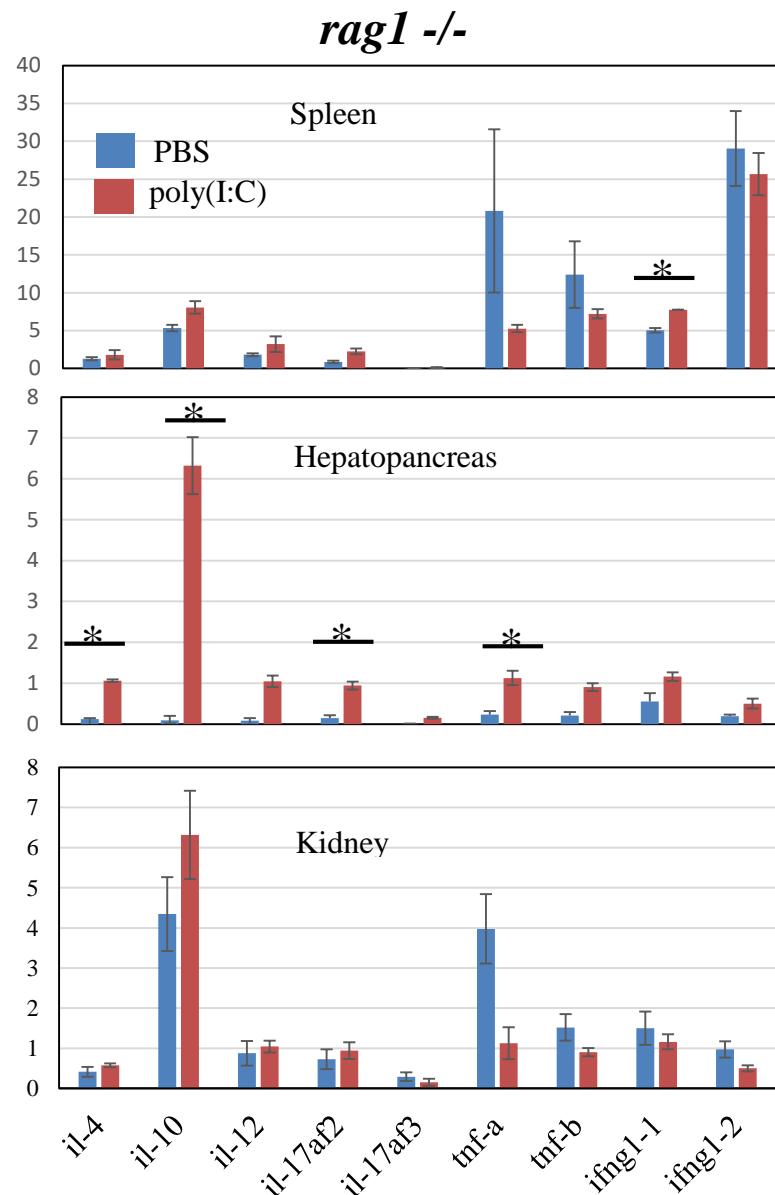
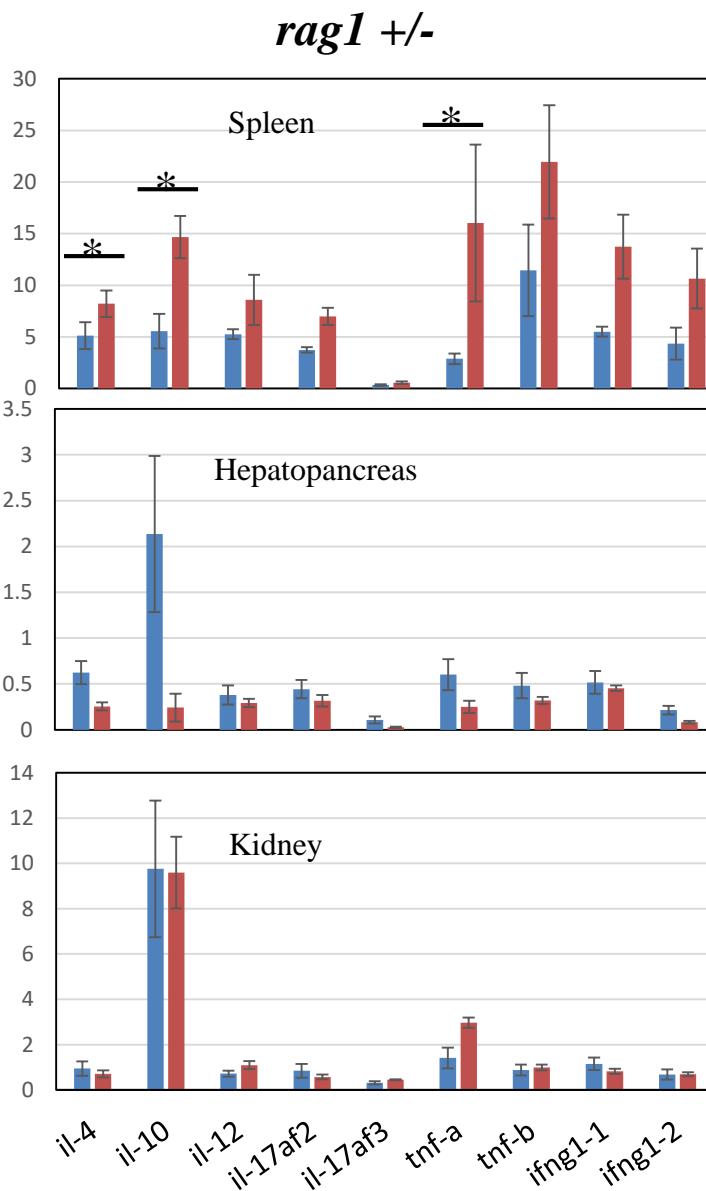
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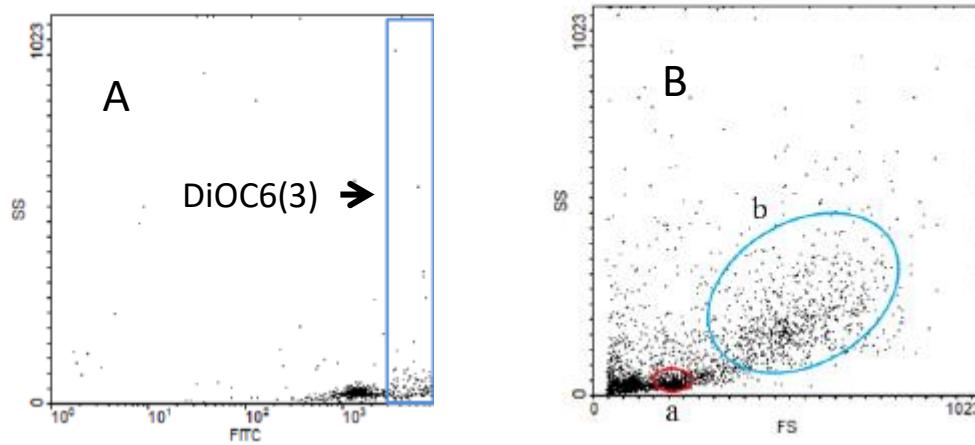


**Fig. S1.** Experimental scheme for the rejection of in vivo allogeneic erythrocytes in zebrafish. Black arrowheads indicate immunization with  $1.0 \times 10^6$  allogeneic erythrocytes. Open arrowheads indicated transplantation with  $1.0 \times 10^7$  5(6)-carboxyfluorescein diacetate *N*-succinimidyl ester (CFSE)-labeled allogeneic erythrocytes. Arrow indicates the collection of erythrocytes from the recipient and detection of CFSE-labeled erythrocytes by flow cytometry. Three pairs of donors and recipients were tested in each strain of fish.

Relative to EF1- $\alpha$



**Fig. S2.** Expression of cytokines in the spleen, hepatopancreas and kidney from *rag1*+/− and *rag1*−/− fish that were injected with PBS (blue) and poly(I:C) (red). Data from the three individual experiments are shown as the mean of relative value to EF1- $\alpha$ . Statistical comparisons between stimulated and control fish were made using an unpaired *t*-test. Asterisks indicate significant differences at  $P < 0.05$ .



**Fig. S3.** Representative scatter plots of kidney leukocytes from wildtype zebrafish in flow cytometry analysis. The blue rectangle gate indicates DiOC6(3)-positive cells (A). Forward scatter (FS) and side scatter (SS) analysis: Lymphocyte (a) and macrophage/neutrophil (b) gate (B).

Table S1 Primers for real time PCR.

Target genes	Primer sequences (5'→3')
IL-1 $\beta$	F: TTCCCCAAGTGCTGCTTATT R: AAGTTAAAACCGCTGGTCA
IL-4	F: AGTCACGCTGCTGATGAAGA R: AACTTGGTCTTGGGCTTTT
IL-10	F: ATAGGATGTTGCTGGGTTGG R: GTGGATGAAGTCCATTGTGC
IL-12	F: GCTGAAGGAGTGTTCCCTCAGT R: TGACATCATTCCTGTGCTCTC
IL-17AF2	F: CTGCACTGGGCTTCAAAGAT R: TCAATCTGAGGACGGAAAGG
IL-17AF3	F: TCTCTGTCGCCTTGGACATAC R: GTCCTCCTCACCGTCTTTG
TNF $\alpha$ 1	F: GCGCTTTCTGAATCCTACG R: TGCCCAGTCTGTCTCCTCT
TNF $\alpha$ 2	F: AAGCCAAACGAAGAAGGTCA R: AACCCATTTCAGCGATTGTC
IFN $\phi$ 1	F: ACGACAGAACATCTCTGAACCT R: GTCAGGACTAAAAACTTCAC
IFN $\gamma$ 1-1	F: TTCAGACAACCAGCGCATAC R: AACCCAATCCTTGCAAGC
IFN $\gamma$ 1-2	F: TGCAGAGCTCAGGACGTATG R: CTTTAGCCTGCCGTCTCTG
EF1 $\alpha$	F: AACAGCTGATCGTTGGAGTCAA R: TTGATGTATGCGCTGACTTCCT