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26 Supplementary Figure 1. CLSM 3D render of mouse hind leg muscle. Z-

- stack of a hind leg muscle slice from a IM rMVA-GFP injected mouse was
- obtained by CLSM. A 3D render of the maximum intensity projection was
- 29 generated using the Zen software. GPF = green. Nucleus = red.





Supplementary Figure 2. Gating strategy to define populations for 31 phenotypic analysis of GFP⁺ cells in the lungs of mice. Live cells were 32 33 gated followed by selection of non-lymphocytes and lymphocytes based on the forward / sideward scatter. Subsequently, CD3⁻CD19⁻NK1.1⁻ cells were 34 selected in the non-lymphocyte population. MHC class II⁺ CD11c⁺ cells were 35 defined as DC and Siglec-8⁺ CD11c⁻ were classified as eosinophils. Siglec-8⁺ 36 CD11c⁺ F4-80⁺ CD11b⁺ cells were identified as alveolar macrophages (AM). 37 Siglec-8-negative cells were further subdivided into a Ly6-G⁺ CD11b⁺ 38 neutrophil population and Ly6-G⁻CD11b⁺ F4-80⁺ interstitial macrophages (IM). 39

- 40 Following selection of lymphocytes in the forward / sideward scatterplot, CD3⁺
- 41 CD19⁻ NK1.1⁻ cells were selected and divided into CD4⁺ and CD8⁺ T-
- 42 lymphocytes. Furthermore, CD3⁻CD19⁻NK1.1⁺ cells were defined as NK cells
- 43 and $CD3^{-}CD19^{+}NK1.1^{-}$ cells were defined as B-lymphocytes.



Supplementary Figure 3. Gating strategy to detect GFP⁺ cells in ferret 45 tissues. (A) Example of detection of GFP⁺ cells in unstained single cell 46 suspensions from different ferret tissues. Detection of GFP⁺ cells in a sample 47 containing abundant GFP⁺ cells (panel 1, BAL left side after IT inoculation), 48 background level GFP⁺ cells (panel 2, ING-LN after IM injection) or no GFP⁺ 49 50 cells (panel 3, ING-LN after IT inoculation) is shown. (B-C) Gating strategy to define GFP⁺ DC-like, monocyte-like and lymphocyte-like cell populations in 51 52 ferret tissues. As an example, the gating strategy of BAL is shown after IM injection (B, negative control) or IT inoculation (C) with rMVA-GFP. First, 53 viable cells were gated followed by selection of single cells. Next, all GFP⁺ 54 cells were selected after which lymphocyte-like, monocyte-like or DC-like cell 55 populations were reversely gated in the scatter plot. Gate name and 56 percentage of events are indicated in each gate. 57



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59 Supplementary Figure 4. Droplet size characterization of rMVA-GFP

aerosol. rMVA-GFP was nebulized and several droplet fractions of increasing
size between 0.98 and 14.1μm in diameter were collected using a cascade
impactor. Cumulative distribution of rMVA-GFP particles across the range of
droplet diameters is shown.



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66 **Supplementary Figure 5. CLSM 3D render of macaque lung**. Z-stack was

- obtained of a lung slice from a macaque that received rMVA-GFP via AER
- inhalation. A 3D render of the maximum intensity projection was generated
- using Zen software. GPF = green. Nucleus = red.



Supplementary Figure 6. Gating strategy to detect GFP⁺ cells in macague tissues. 71 (A) Example of detection of GFP⁺ cells in unstained single cell suspensions from 72 different non-human primate tissues. Detection of GFP⁺ cells in a sample containing 73 abundant GFP⁺ cells (panel 1, BAL left side after AER inhalation), background level 74 GFP⁺ cells (panel 2, ING-LN after IM injection) or no GFP⁺ cells (panel 3, ING-LN after 75 IT inoculation) is shown. (**B**) Gating strategy to define populations for phenotypic 76 analysis of GFP⁺ cells in BAL of macaques. Viable cells were selected after which non-77 leukocyte (e.g. CD45⁻ epithelial cells) were gated. Viable cells were further discriminated 78 into lymphocytes and non-lymphocytes based on FSC / SSC plot. CD45⁺ cells outside 79 the lymphogate were selected in which the CD33⁺ monocytes were gated. The HLA-80

- ⁸¹ DR⁺ population was divided into Siglec-8⁺ CD16⁺ eosinophils, Siglec-8⁻ CD16⁺
- neutrophils and Siglec-8⁻ CD16⁻ non-granulocytes, which were further phenotyped into
- ⁸³ CD11b⁺ CD11c⁺ DC or CD11b⁺ CD11c⁻ AM. The CD45⁺ lymphocytes were divided into
- ⁸⁴ CD3⁺ T-lymphocytes, further discriminated into CD8⁺ cytotoxic T-lymphocytes (CTL)
- and CD8⁻ T helper (Th)-lymphocytes, and CD3⁻ HLA-DR⁺ B-lymphocytes. In this
- 86 example CD19 staining did not work, thus was not included in the analysis. Gate name
- 87 and percentage of events is indicated in each gate.