

Figure S4. The gating strategy using Flowjo program. The gating strategy was used to determine the frequency of the seven CD4⁺ or CD8⁺ T cell subsets, each expressing one of the possible combinations of IFN- γ , TNF- α and IL-17A. Splenocytes stimulated with MTBK_24820 were firstly gated for lymphocytes (SSC-A vs. FSC-A). The lymphocytes were further analyzed for CD4⁺/CD44⁺ and CD8⁺/CD44⁺ T cells. The gated CD4⁺/CD44⁺ or CD8⁺/CD44⁺ T cells expressing INF- γ were categorized into the cells expressing TNF- α and IL-17A.

