Supplemental Figure 1



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Supplemental Figure 1. Low frequency of Tregs in PBMC post-vaccine correlated with decreased serum PSA values. Nonlinear regression analysis by centered second order polynomial (quadratic) equation comparing best percentage PSA change on study vs. circulating Tregs (% of CD4) post-vaccine. Red triangles: castration-naïve prostate cancer patients (CNPC). Green squares: castrationsensitive prostate cancer patients (CSPC). Black circles: castration-resistant prostate cancer patients (CRPC).





Supplemental Figure 2. Low infiltration of CD4⁺ TILs correlated with high CD4⁺ circulating lymphocytes. (*a*) Regression analysis between CD4⁺ TILs post-vaccine and frequency of CD4⁺ T lymphocytes in PBMCs post-vaccine. Linear regression line is shown. (*b*) Regression analysis between CD4⁺ TILs pre-vaccine and ratio CD4⁺ lymphocytes vs. highly suppressive CTLA4⁺ Tregs in PBMCs post-vaccine. Patients were divided based on low or high CD4⁺ TILs pre-vaccine, having as a cutoff 0.25 x10⁻³ CD4⁺ TILs /µm². Power regression line and cutoff for CD4⁺ TILs high vs. low are shown. Red triangles: castration-naïve prostate cancer patients (CNPC). Green squares: castration-sensitive prostate cancer patients (CSPC). Black circles: castration-resistant prostate cancer patients (CRPC).

Supplemental Table 1: Study Schematic



Supplemental Table 2: Immune Subsets of PBMC Analyzed by Flow Cytometry

1 CD4+ 2 CD4⁺ CTLA-4⁺ 3 Central Memory CD4⁺= CD45RA⁻ CCR7⁺ 4 Effector Memory CD4⁺= CD45RA⁻ CCR7⁻ 5 Effector Memory CD4⁺ PD-1⁺ 6 Terminal (EMRA) CD4+= CD45RA+ CCR7-7 Naïve CD4+= CD45RA+ CCR7+ 8 Ratio CD4⁺ vs. CD8⁺ 9 CD8+ 10 CD8+ CTLA-4+ 11 CD8⁺ PD-1⁺ 12 CD8⁺Tim-3⁺ 13 Central Memory CD8+= CD45RA- CCR7+ 14 Effector Memory CD8+= CD45RA- CCR7-15 Terminal (EMRA) CD8+= CD45RA+ CCR7-16 Naïve CD8+= CD45RA+ CCR7+ 17 Tregs (% of CD4⁺)= CD4⁺ CD25⁺ FoxP3⁺ CD127⁻ 18 Treg CTLA-4+ 19 Ratio CD4⁺ vs. Treg 20 Ratio CD4⁺ vs. Treg CTLA-4⁺ 21 Ratio CD8⁺ vs. Treg 22 Ratio CD8⁺ vs. TregCTLA-4⁺ 23 NK cells= CD56⁺ CD3⁻ 24 NK Tim-3+ 25 NK CD16⁺ CD56^{br} 26 NK CD16⁺ CD56^{br} Tim-3⁺ 27 NK CD16⁺ CD56^{dim} 28 NK CD16⁺ CD56^{dim} Tim-3⁺ 29 NK CD16⁻ CD56^{br} 30 NK CD16⁺ CD56^{br} Tim-3⁺ 31 MDSC= CD33⁺ HLA-DR⁻ CD11b⁺

Supplemental Table 3: TIL Counts by Digital Immunohistochemistry

Patient	CD4 x10 ⁻³ /µm ²			CD8x10 ⁻³ /µm ²		
	pre	Post	Fold change	pre	post	Fold change
1	0.015	0.494	32.72	0.169	0.719	4.25
2	0.100	1.130	11.32	0.115	0.266	2.31
3	1.770	3.130	1.77	1.360	2.140	1.57
4	-	3.640	-	-	1.720	-
5	0.109	2.330	21.38	0.121	1.860	15.37
6	0.807	3.000	3.72	0.331	1.980	5.98
7	0.458	1.770	3.86	0.238	1.360	5.71
8	-	1.550	-	-	0.870	-
9	-	4.320	-	0.530	4.880	9.21
10	0.338	1.060	3.14	0.630	0.181	2.87
11	-	-	-	-	1.400	-
12	-	3.300	-	-	3.370	-
13	0.095	4.350	45.98	0.256	3.760	14.69
14	-	1.180	-	-	0.776	-
15	-	-	-	-	-	-
16	1.250	3.76	3.01	0.770	1.280	1.66
17	0.038	0.424	11.22	0.079	0.727	9.20
18	-	1.400	-	-	1.760	-
19	-	-	-	-	-	-
20	0.023	1.000	44.22	0.081	0.858	10.55
21	0.258	2.460	9.53	0.161	1.950	12.11
No.	12ª	18 ª	12 ^b	13ª	19 ^a	13 ^b

a: number of prostate biopsies analyzed by digital IHC.b: number of prostate biopsies for the analysis of prevs. post-vaccine comparison.