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2 **Electronic cigarettes disrupt lung lipid homeostasis and innate immunity**
3 **independent of nicotine**

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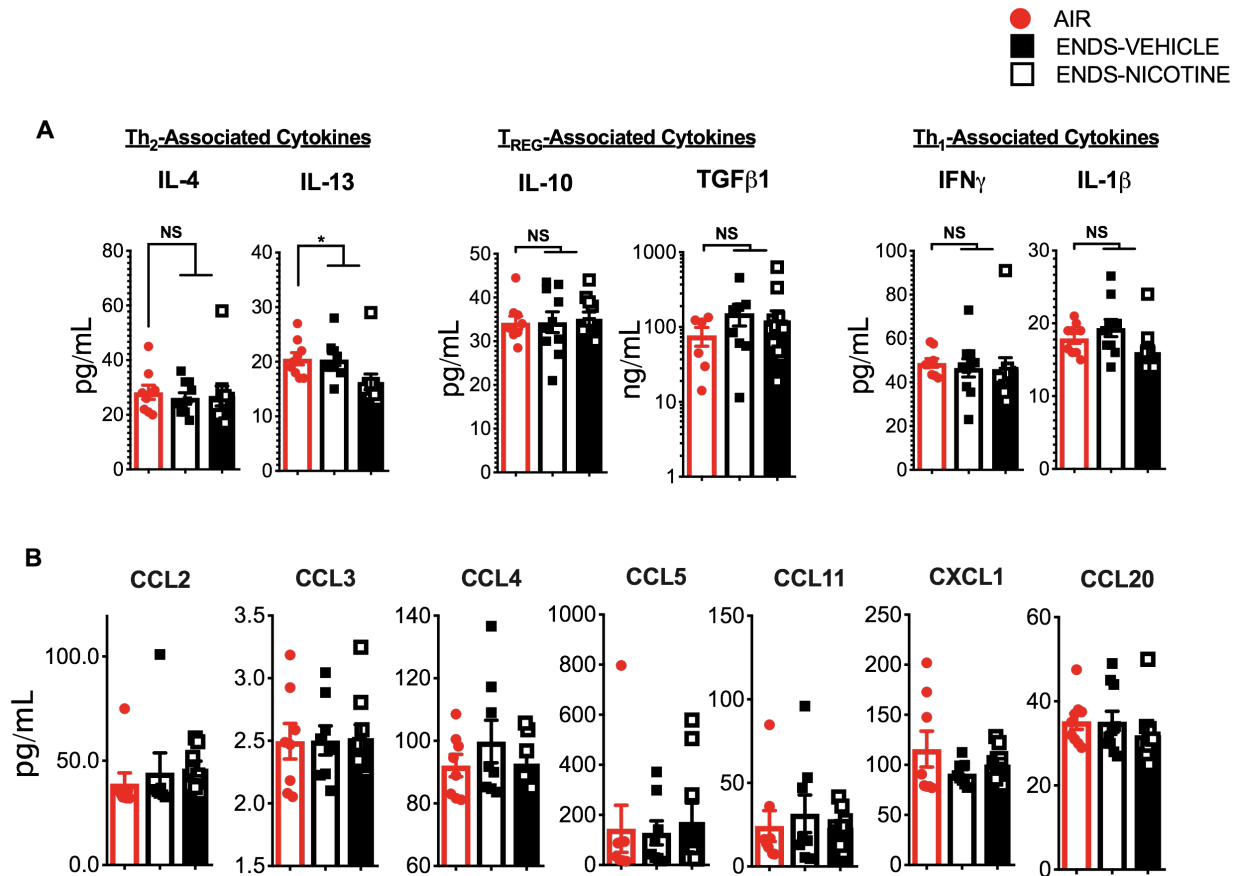
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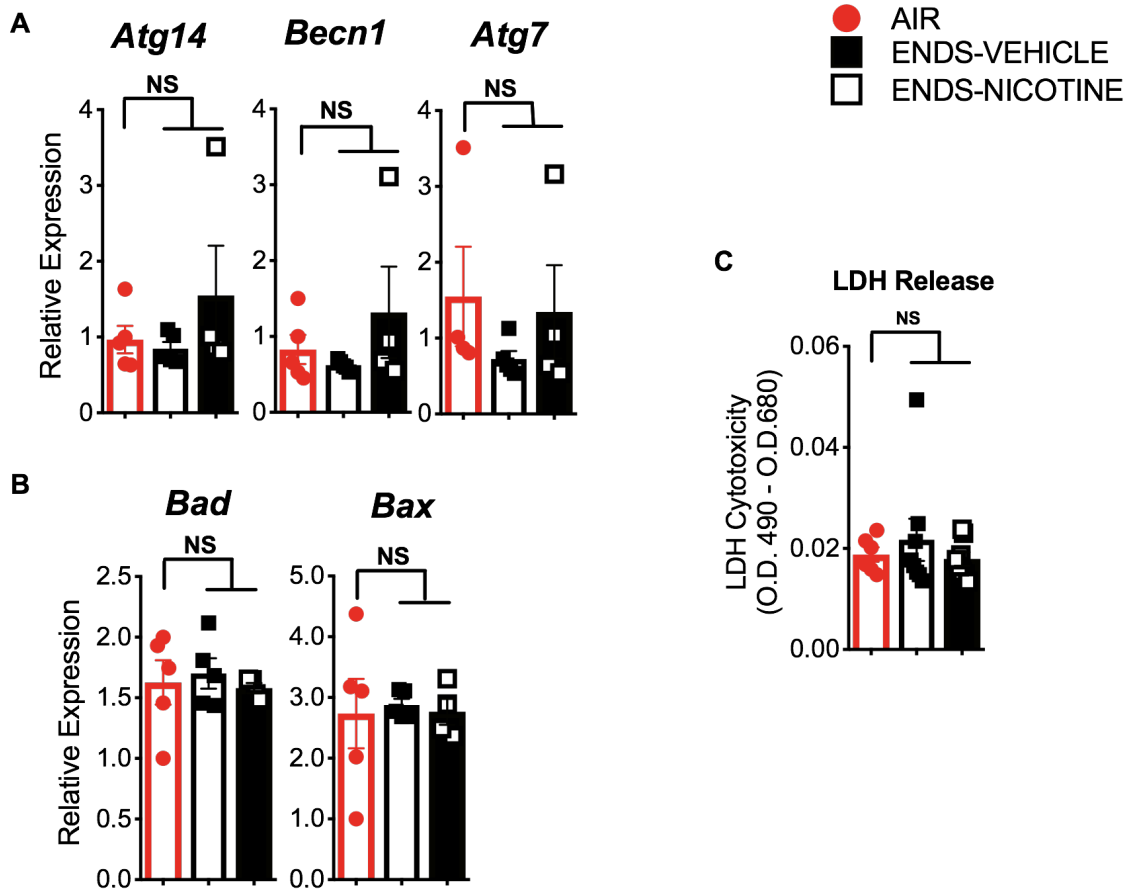
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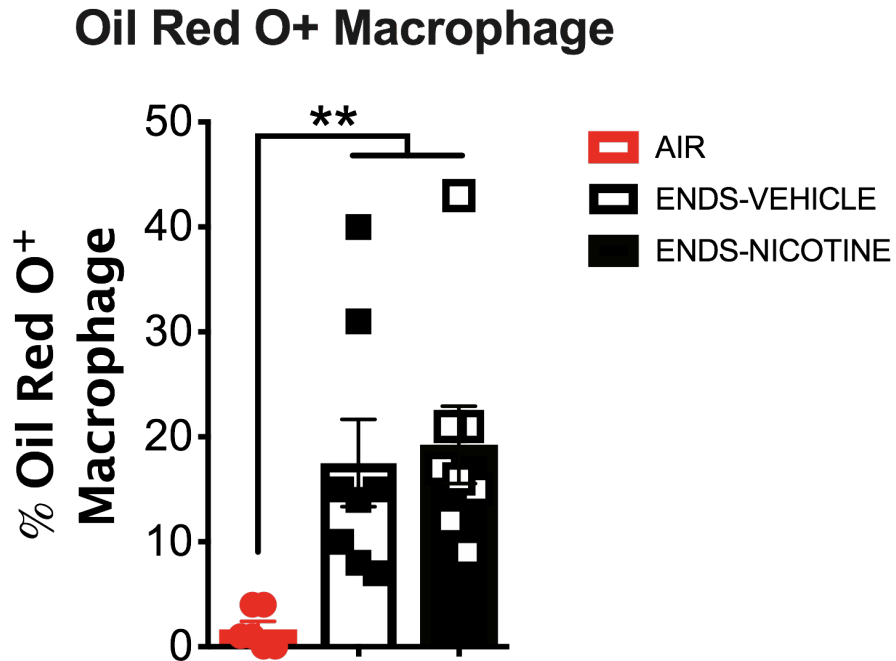


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 42 **Supplemental Figure 1. ENDS exposure does not encourage Th1, Th2, or Treg-associated cytokine**
 43 **or chemokine profiles in the lung.** (A) Representative multiplex cytokine analyses for IL-4, IL-13, IL-
 44 10, TGFβ1, IFNγ, and IL-1β from lung homogenate supernatant of mice exposed to AIR, ENDS-
 45 VEHICLE, or ENDS-NICOTINE for a 4-month period. The quantified results are expressed as means ±
 46 S.E.M. n=7 to 10 per group. Significance was determined by One-way ANOVA with a Bonferroni
 47 correction for multiple comparisons. (B) Representative multiplex chemokine analyses for CCL2, CCL3,
 48 CCL4, CCL5, CCL11, CXCL1, CCL20 from bronchoalveolar lavage supernatants of mice exposed to
 49 AIR, ENDS-VEHICLE, or ENDS-NICOTINE for a 4-month period. The quantified results are expressed
 50 as means ± S.E.M. n=7 to 10 per group.

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69 **Supplemental Figure 2. BAL cells from ENDS-exposed mice fail to show increases in markers of**
70 **apoptosis and autophagy.** (A) Representative gene expression analysis for autophagy mediators: *Atg7*,
71 *Atg14*, and *Beclin1*. cDNA was generated from RNA derived from cells pelleted from BAL fluid. The
72 quantified results are expressed as means \pm S.E.M. $n \geq 4$ per group. Significance was determined by One-
73 way ANOVA with a Bonferroni correction for multiple comparisons. (B) Representative gene expression
74 analysis for pro-apoptotic mediators: *Bad* and *Bax*. cDNA was generated from RNA derived from cells
75 pelleted from BAL fluid. The quantified results are expressed as means \pm S.E.M. $n = 4$ to 6 per group.
76 Significance was determined by One-way ANOVA with a Bonferroni correction for multiple
77 comparisons. (C) Representative cytotoxicity analysis using a colorimetric, lactate dehydrogenase release
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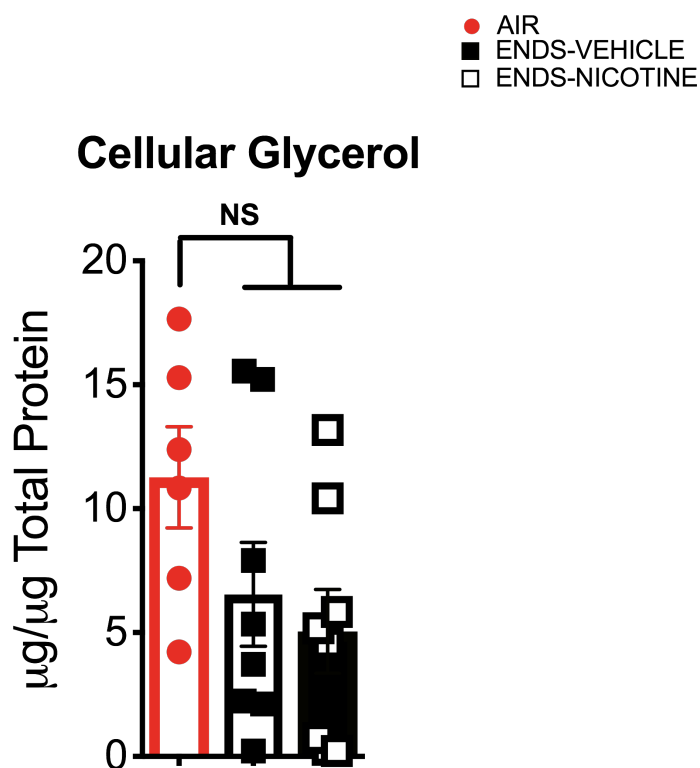


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88 **Supplemental Figure 3. BAL cells from ENDS-exposed mice exhibit significant Oil Red O positivity**
89 **following 4-month exposure.** Representative Oil Red O quantification of macrophages from cytopsin
90 preparations of bronchoalveolar lavage fluid from AIR, ENDS-VEHICLE, and ENDS-NICOTINE groups
91 exposed for a 4-month period. The quantified results are expressed in terms of mean % oil red o positive
92 macrophages \pm S.E.M. n=6 to 7 per group. Significance was determined by One-way ANOVA with a
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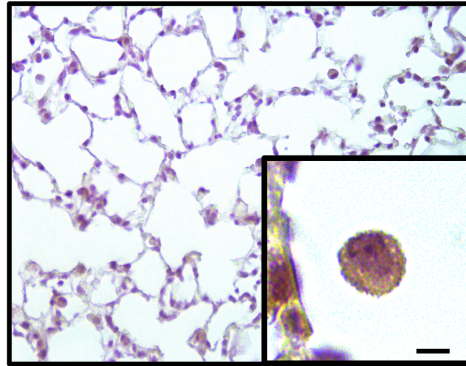
120 **Supplemental Figure 4. BAL cells from ENDS-exposed mice do not accumulate glycerol following**
121 **4-months of exposure.** Representative values acquired using a colorimetric detection assay for total
122 glycerol. The quantified results are expressed as means \pm S.E.M. n=6 or n=8 per group. Significance was
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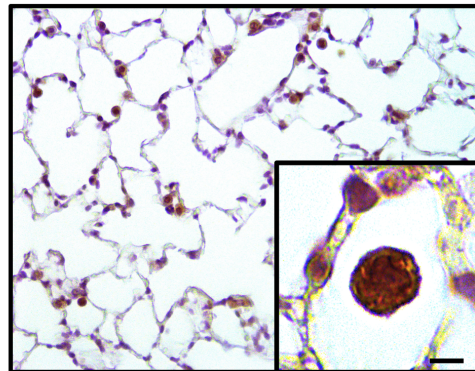
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Immunohistochemistry for mouse LAMP-1

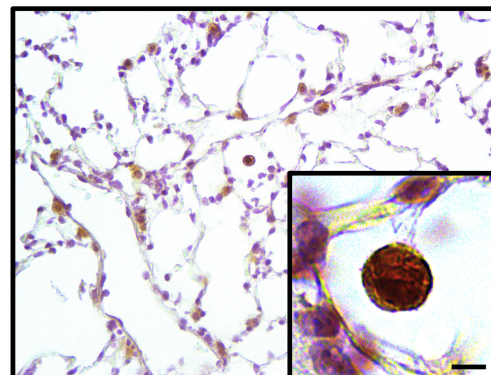
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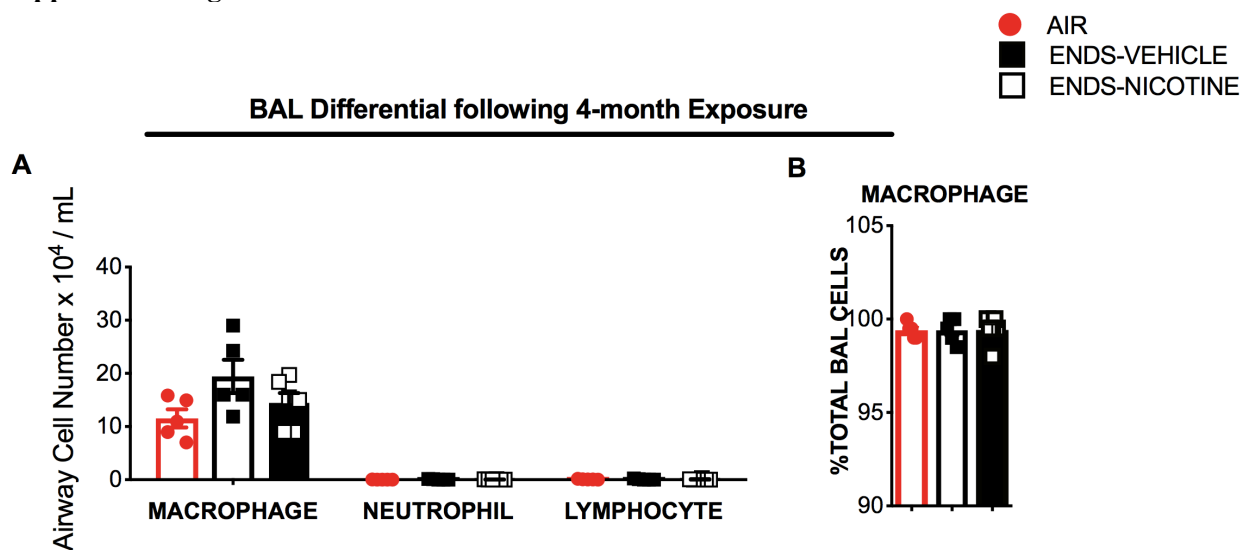


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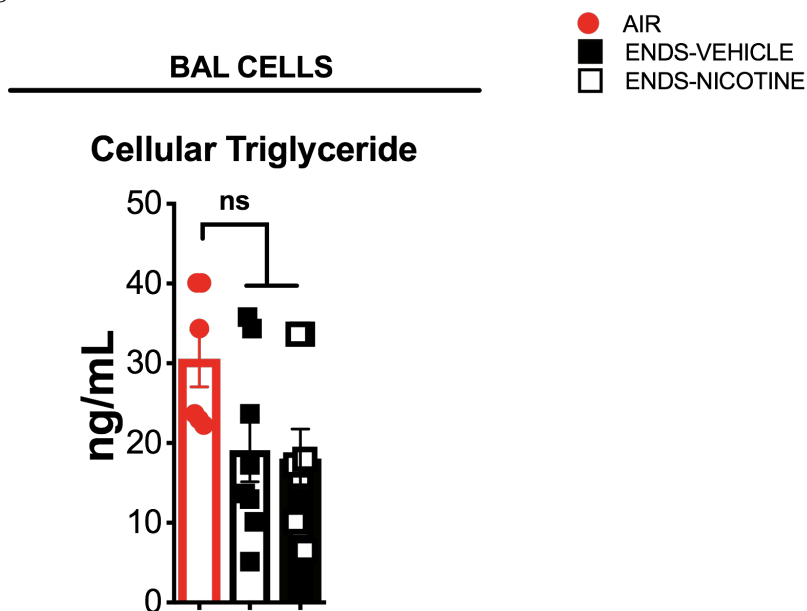


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146 **Supplemental Figure 5. ENDS-exposed mice demonstrate stronger staining for lysosomal associated**
147 **protein-1 (LAMP-1).** Representative micrographs of lung tissue from AIR, ENDS-Vehicle, and ENDS-
148 Nicotine exposed mice. Five- μ m slices of tissue were immunohistochemically stained for LAMP-1 and
149 subsequently counterstained with hematoxylin. Scale Bar: 20 μ m

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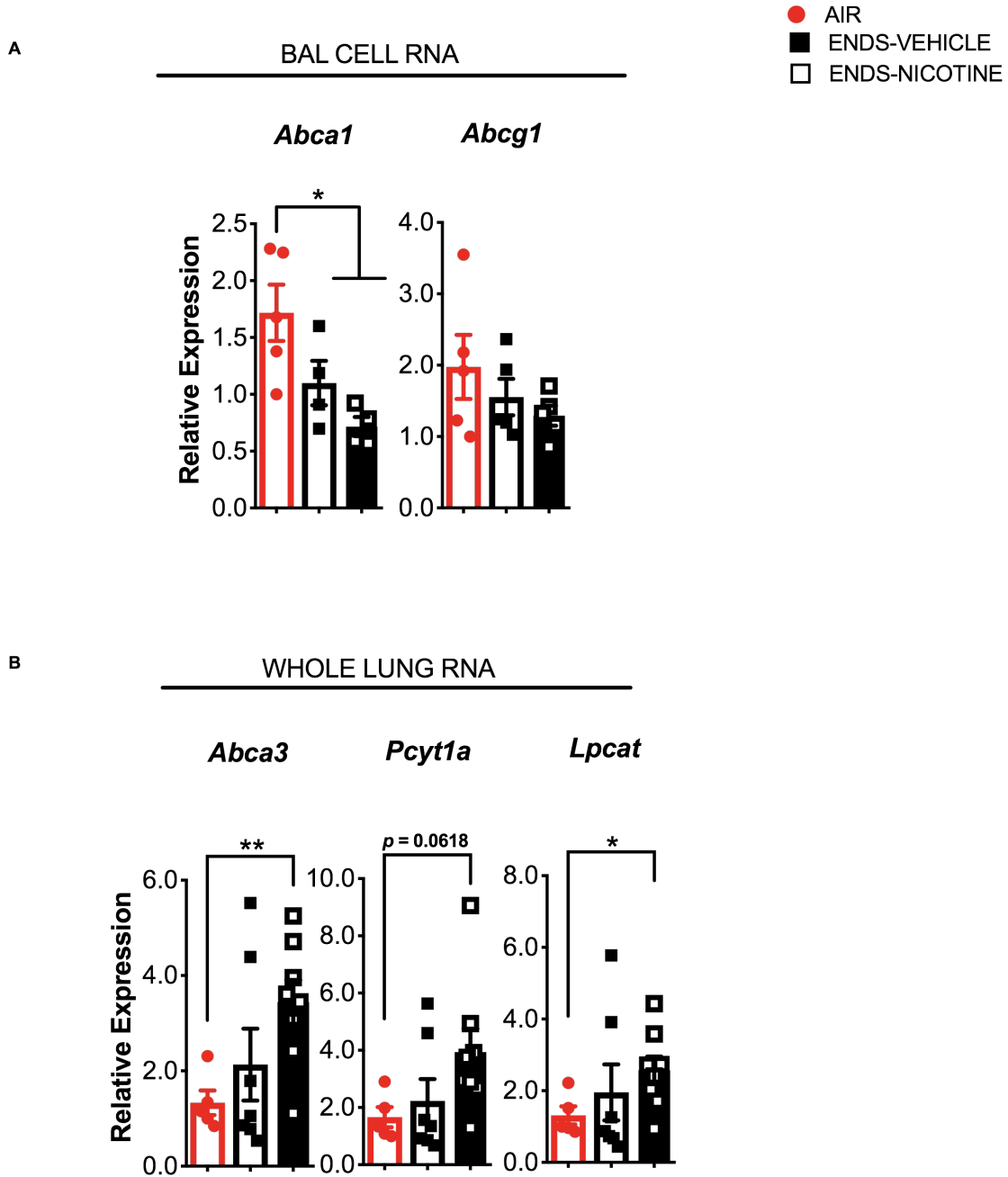


154 Supplemental Figure 6. BAL Cells from ENDS and Air-exposed are almost exclusively alveolar
 155 macrophages. (A) Differential bronchoalveolar lavage cell numbers for macrophages, neutrophils, and
 156 lymphocytes in the airway. n=5 per group. (B) Percentage of macrophage within the total BAL cell
 157 population. n=5 per group.
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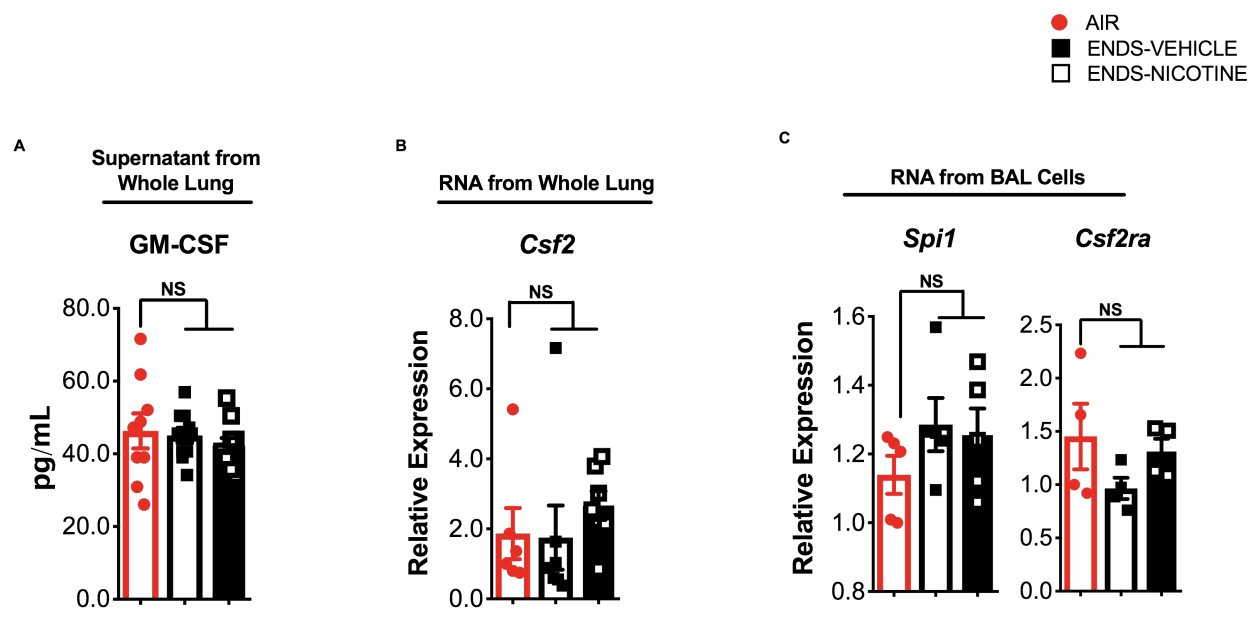
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192 **Supplemental Figure 7. Triglycerides are not significantly altered by ENDS exposure. (A)** Total
193 Triglyceride levels within BAL cells from mice exposed to AIR, ENDS-Vehicle, and ENDS-Nicotine for
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 225 **Supplemental Figure 8. ENDS exposure alters the synthesis and handling of lipids in epithelial and**
 226 **airway immune populations.** (A) Relative gene expression of lamellar body organizing protein,
 227 ABCA3, and phosphatidylcholine-modifying enzymes, PCYT1A (CCT α) and LPCAT. The quantified
 228 results are expressed as means \pm S.E.M. n=6 or 7 per group. Significance was determined by Student's *t*
 229 test. (B) Relative gene expression lipid efflux protein, ABCA1. The quantified results are expressed as
 230 means \pm S.E.M. n=6 or 7 per group. Significance was determined by One-way ANOVA with a
 231 Bonferroni correction for multiple comparisons. ** $P < 0.01$, * $P < 0.05$.

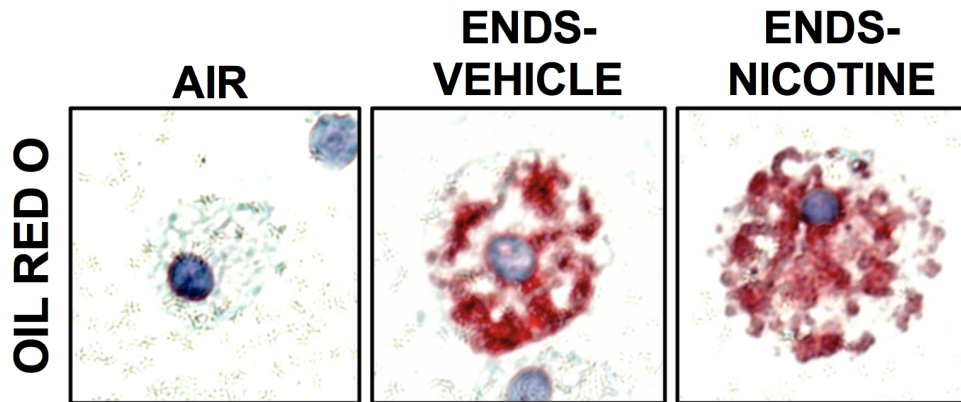
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 236 **Supplemental Figure 9. GM-CSF-related pathways are unaltered by ENDS exposure.** (A) Protein
 237 concentrations of GM-CSF from whole lung homogenate supernate. (B) Relative gene expression of GM-
 238 CSF's gene, *Csf2*, whole lung tissue. (C) Relative gene expression of GM-CSF receptor, *Csfra2*, and its
 239 downstream transcription factor, *Spi1* (PU.1). The quantified results are expressed as means \pm S.E.M. n=4
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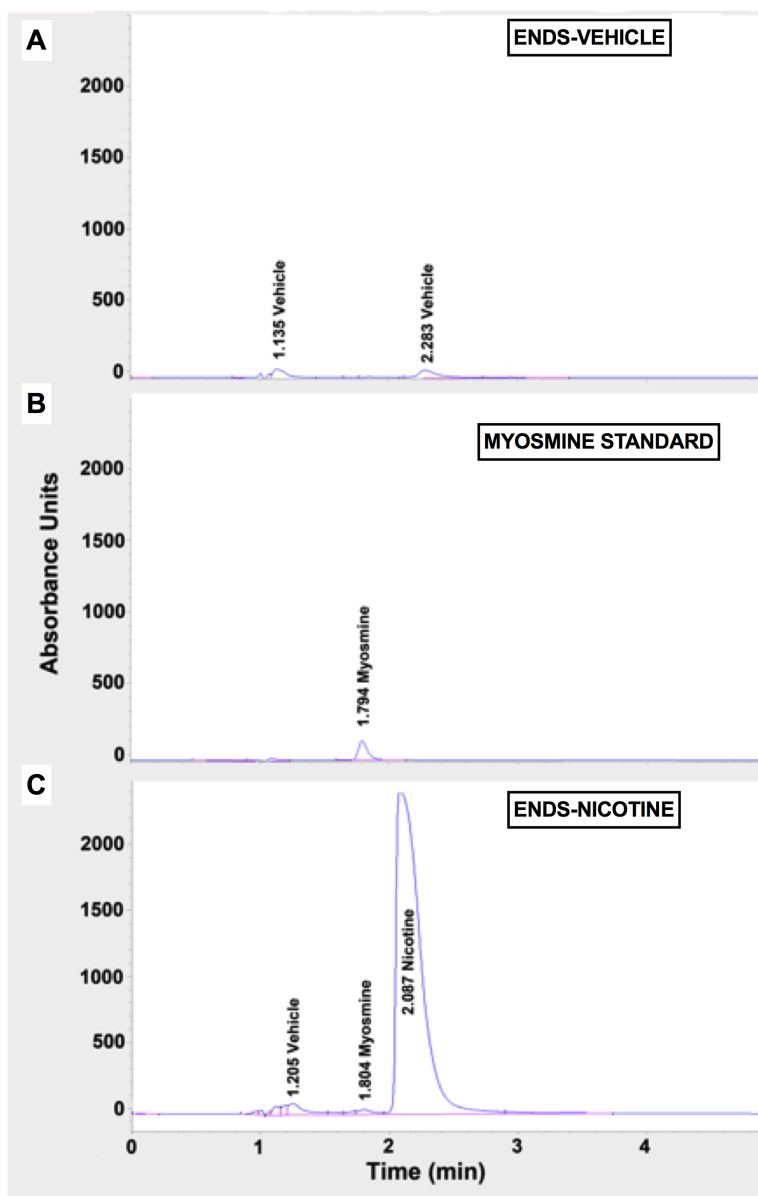
BAL Cytospin Preparations Following 2-Week Exposure



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268 **Supplemental Figure 10. Lipid deposition in ENDS-exposed alveolar macrophages at 2-weeks of**
269 **exposure.** Representative Oil Red O staining of cytopsin preparations of airway immune cells acquired
270 by bronchoalveolar lavage from mice exposed to AIR, ENDS-VEHICLE, or ENDS-NICOTINE for 2
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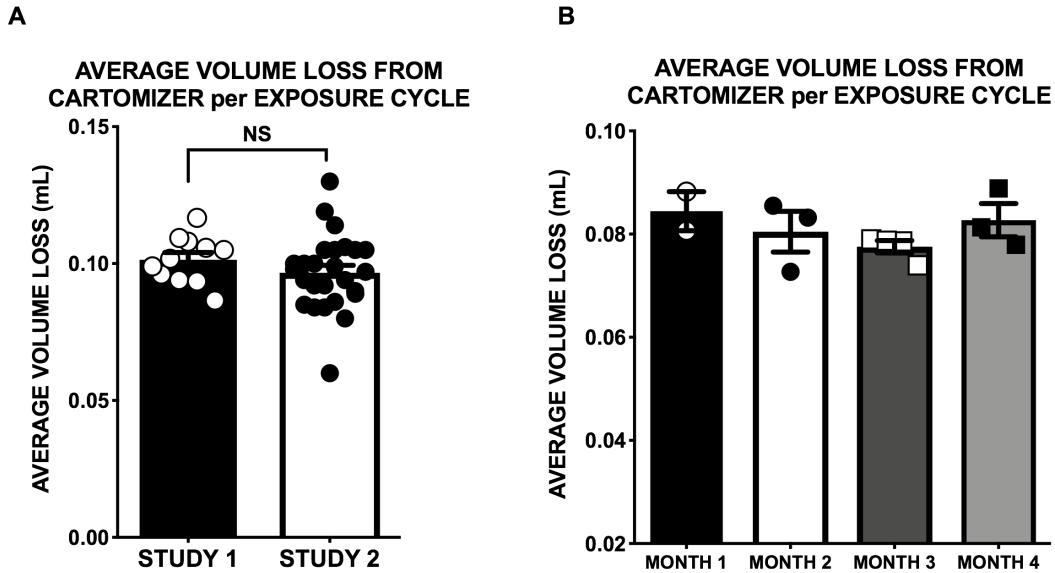


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303 Supplemental Figure 11. ENDS solutions did not contain anabasine or cotinine contaminants.

304 Concentration and purity of the ENDS liquids were confirmed by high performance liquid
305 chromatography (HPLC). Focus was placed on three major known contaminants, anabasine, myosmine
306 and cotinine. Standards for nicotine tartrate (Sigma-Aldrich), myosmine (Alfa Aesar), anabasine (Tocris
307 Biosciences), and cotinine (Alfa Aesar) were obtained from commercial vendors. (A) Only traces of the
308 vehicle solvents (PG/VG) were detected in the ENDS-Vehicle E-Juice used in our study. Cotinine,
309 myosmine, nicotine, or anabasine were not detected. (B) Mysomine standard used in the analyses. (C)
310 Traces of the vehicle solvents and mysomine (24 and 73 $\mu\text{g}/\text{ml}$, respectively) were detected along with
311 nicotine in the ENDS-Nicotine E-Juice used in our study. Cotinine and anabasine were not detected.
312 Analyses were performed on 2 E-Juice samples that were purchased at different time points from the
313 same E-Juice vendor.

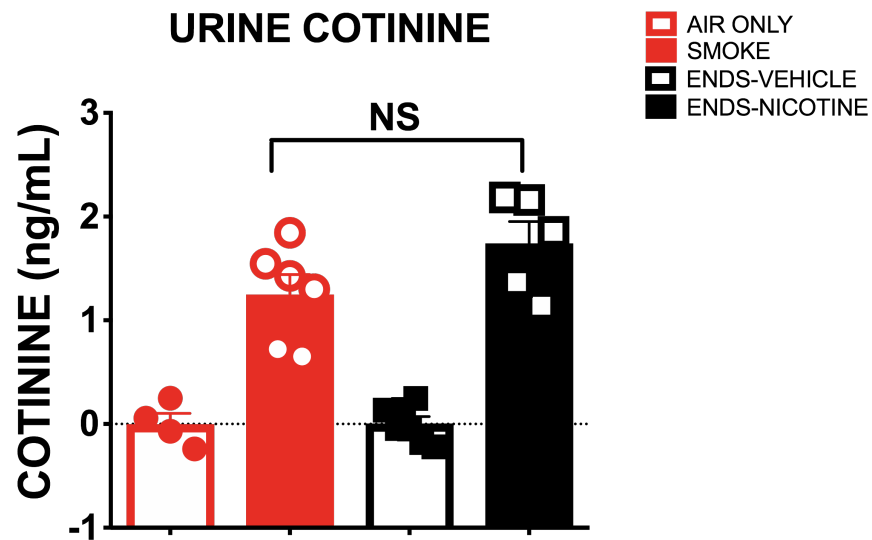
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317 **Supplemental Figure 12. E-Cigarette Analyses.** (A) Average volume loss of solvent (i.e. vapor
318 produced) from the ENDS device determined weekly for two independent studies demonstrates the
319 consistency of eCigarette from study to study. (B) Average volume loss of solvent (i.e., vapor produced)
320 from the ENDS device determined weekly across a 4-month study demonstrates consistent vapor
321 exposure throughout an independent study. The quantified results are expressed as means \pm S.E.M. n=2 to
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352 **Supplemental Figure 13. ENDS-Nicotine and Cigarette Smoke-exposed Mice receive equivalent**
353 **nicotine exposure.** Cotinine, a downstream metabolite and surrogate marker for nicotine, concentration
354 from the urine of mice exposed to AIR, SMOKE, ENDS-Vehicle, and ENDS-Nicotine, respectively, 18
355 hours following exposure. The quantified results are expressed as means \pm S.E.M. n=4 to 7 per group.
356 Significance was determined by the Student's *t* test.