## **Supplementary Figure 1**



### Supplemental Fig. 1. Characterization of Pim1 transgenic mice.

Immunoblot detection of Pim1 expression in the thymus (A) and LN (B). Whole thymocyte or LN cell lysates of indicated mice were probed for Pim1 and  $\beta$ -actin. Data are representative of three independent experiments. (C) DN thymocyte differentiation of c-Kit<sup>hi</sup>CD44<sup>+</sup> lineage marker negative (Lin-) thymocytes. Numbers in box indicate percentages of ETP (Early Thymic Progenitor) and DN2A and DN2B cells. Data are representative of two independent experiments with each two WT and two Pim1<sup>Tg</sup> mice.

(D) CD69 expression on freshly isolated LNT cells. Data are representative of eight independent experiments.
(E) Cytokine expression profiles of freshly isolated CD4<sup>+</sup> LNT cells. Intracellular IL-4 and IFNγ expression was assessed after 3 hrs of PMA + ionomycin stimulation in the presence of brefeldin A.

(**F**) Pro- and anti-apoptotic gene expression in WT and Pim1<sup>Tg</sup> CD4<sup>+</sup> LNT cells. Total RNA from purified CD4<sup>+</sup> LNT cells were reverse transcribed into cDNA and assessed for expression of the indicated genes by quantitative RT-PCR. Data were normalized to *Hprt* expression. Data are the summary of three independent experiments.

# **Supplementary Figure 2**



### Supplemental Fig. 2. T cell development in Pim1<sup>Tg</sup>γc<sup>KO</sup> mice.

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(A) Thymocyte profiles of WT,  $\gamma c^{KO}$ , and Bcl2<sup>Tg</sup> $\gamma c^{KO}$  mice. Contour plots show CD4/CD8 profiles of whole thymocytes. Data are representative of three independent experiments.

**(B)** TCR $\beta^{hi}$  mature thymocyte numbers and **(C)** TCR $\beta^+$  CD8SP thymocyte numbers in WT,  $\gamma c^{KO}$ , and Pim1<sup>Tg</sup> $\gamma c^{KO}$  mice. Data are mean +/- SEM of each 12 WT, 7  $\gamma c^{KO}$ , and 9 Pim1<sup>Tg</sup> $\gamma c^{KO}$  mice.

(D) CD4/CD8 ratio of mature SP thymocytes. Ratios were determined from TCR $\beta^{hi}$  gated thymocytes. Data are average +/- SEM of each 12 WT, 7  $\gamma c^{KO}$ , and 9 Pim1<sup>Tg</sup> $\gamma c^{KO}$  mice.

(E) NKT cell development in WT and Pim1<sup>Tg</sup> $_{\gamma}c^{KO}$  thymocytes. Total thymocytes were assessed for TCR $\beta$  expression and CD1d-tetramer staining to identify thymic NKT cells. Data are representative of two independent experiments.

(F)  $\gamma\delta$  T cell development in WT and Pim1<sup>Tg</sup> $\gamma$ c<sup>KO</sup> thymocytes. Total thymocytes were assessed for TCR $\beta$  and  $\gamma\delta$  TCR expression to identify thymic  $\gamma\delta$  T cells. Data are representative of two independent experiments.

## **Supplementary Figure 3**



#### Supplemental Fig. 3. LN T cell analysis of Pim1<sup>Tg</sup>γc<sup>KO</sup> mice

(A) LN T cell numbers in WT, γc<sup>KO</sup>, and Pim1<sup>Tg</sup>γc<sup>KO</sup> mice. Data are mean +/- SEM of 11 WT, 6 γc<sup>KO</sup>, and 8 Pim1<sup>Tg</sup>γc<sup>KO</sup> mice.

(B) Caspase-3 analysis on overnight cultured LN T cells from  $\gamma c^{KO}$  and Pim1<sup>Tg</sup> $\gamma c^{KO}$  mice. Data are representative of three independent experiments.

(C) Cell size of freshly isolated CD69 negative CD4<sup>+</sup> LNT cells. Data are representative of three independent experiments.

(D) Quantitative RT-PCR analysis of purified WT and Pim1<sup>Tg</sup> $\gamma c^{KO}$  CD8<sup>+</sup> LN T cells. CD8<sup>+</sup> T cells were electronically sorted from Pim1<sup>Tg</sup> $\gamma c^{KO}$  LN and analyzed for CD8 $\alpha$ , Runx3 and Runx1 mRNA expression. Data were normalized to *Hprt* (X1,000) and are the summary of two independent experiments.

(E) CD5 and CD40L expression on overnight TCR stimulated WT and Pim1<sup>Tg</sup>γc<sup>KO</sup> CD8<sup>+</sup> LN T cells. Data are representative of two independent experiments.