



## Supporting Information

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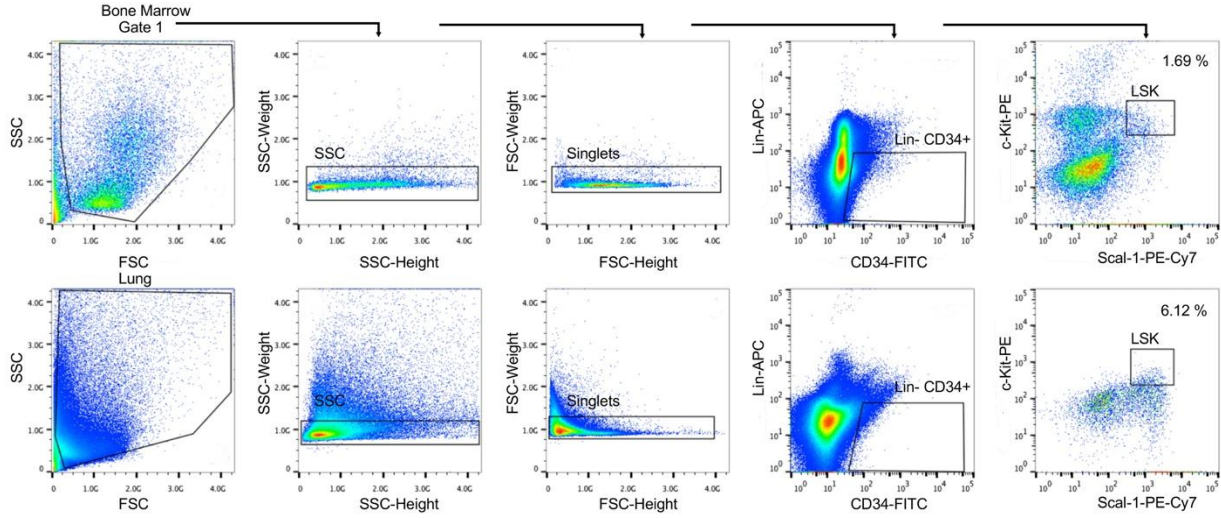
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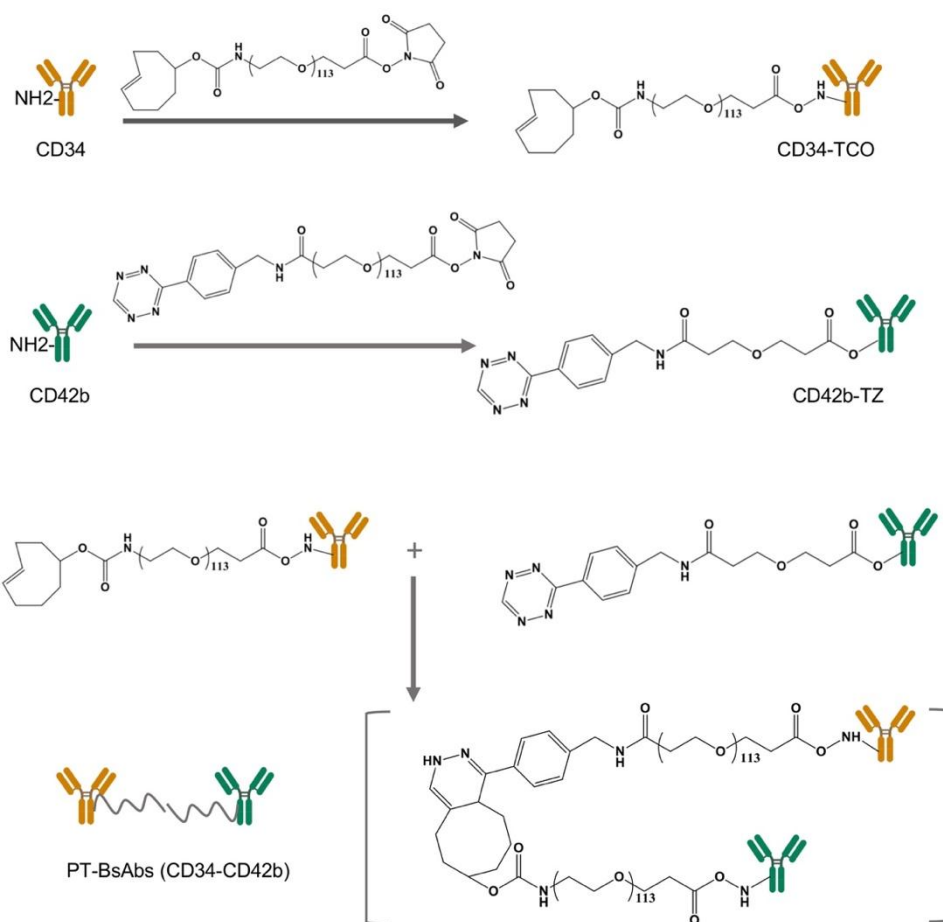
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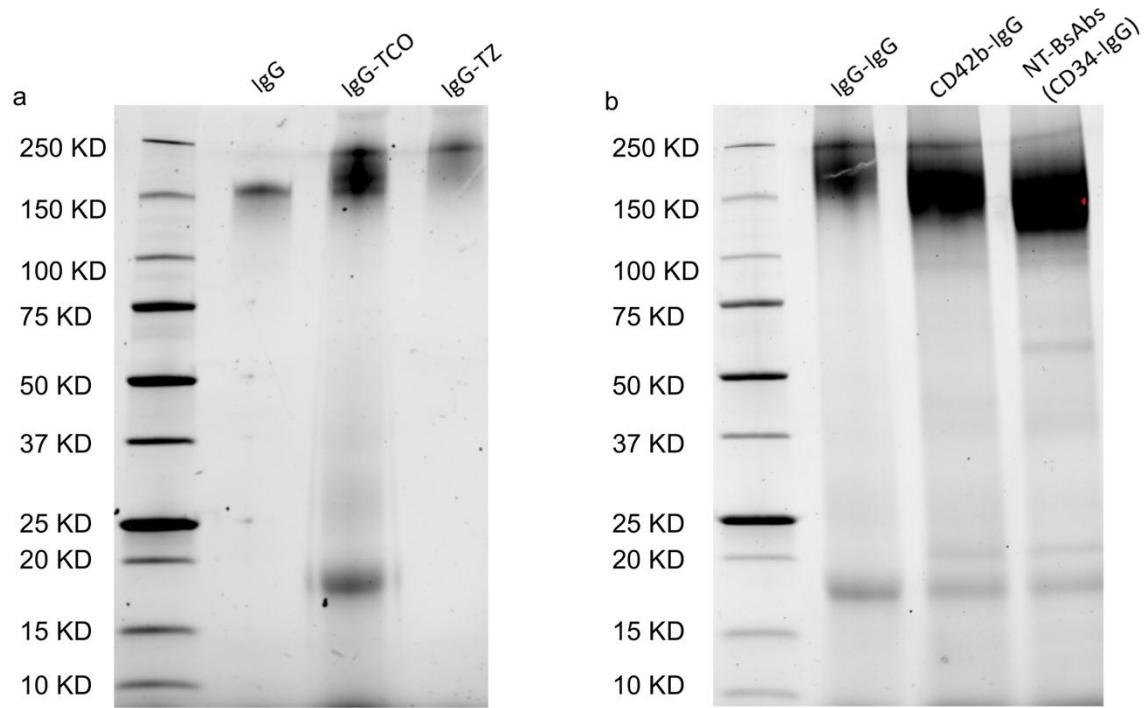
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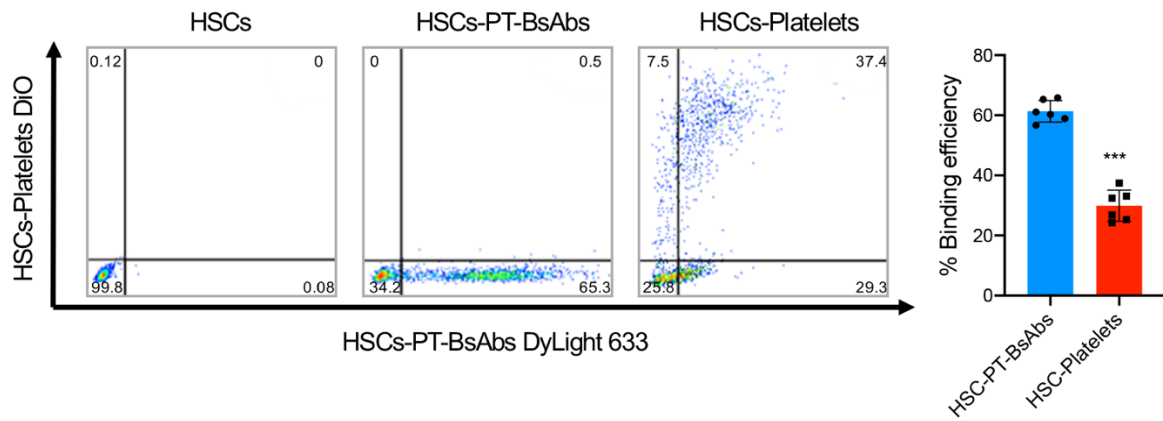
**Figure S1. The lung contains a significant amount of HSCs.** Representative flow cytometry dot plots showing the percentage of HSCs in the bone marrow and in the lungs. HSCs were identified as Lin<sup>-</sup>Sca-1<sup>+</sup>c-Kit<sup>+</sup>CD34<sup>+</sup>.



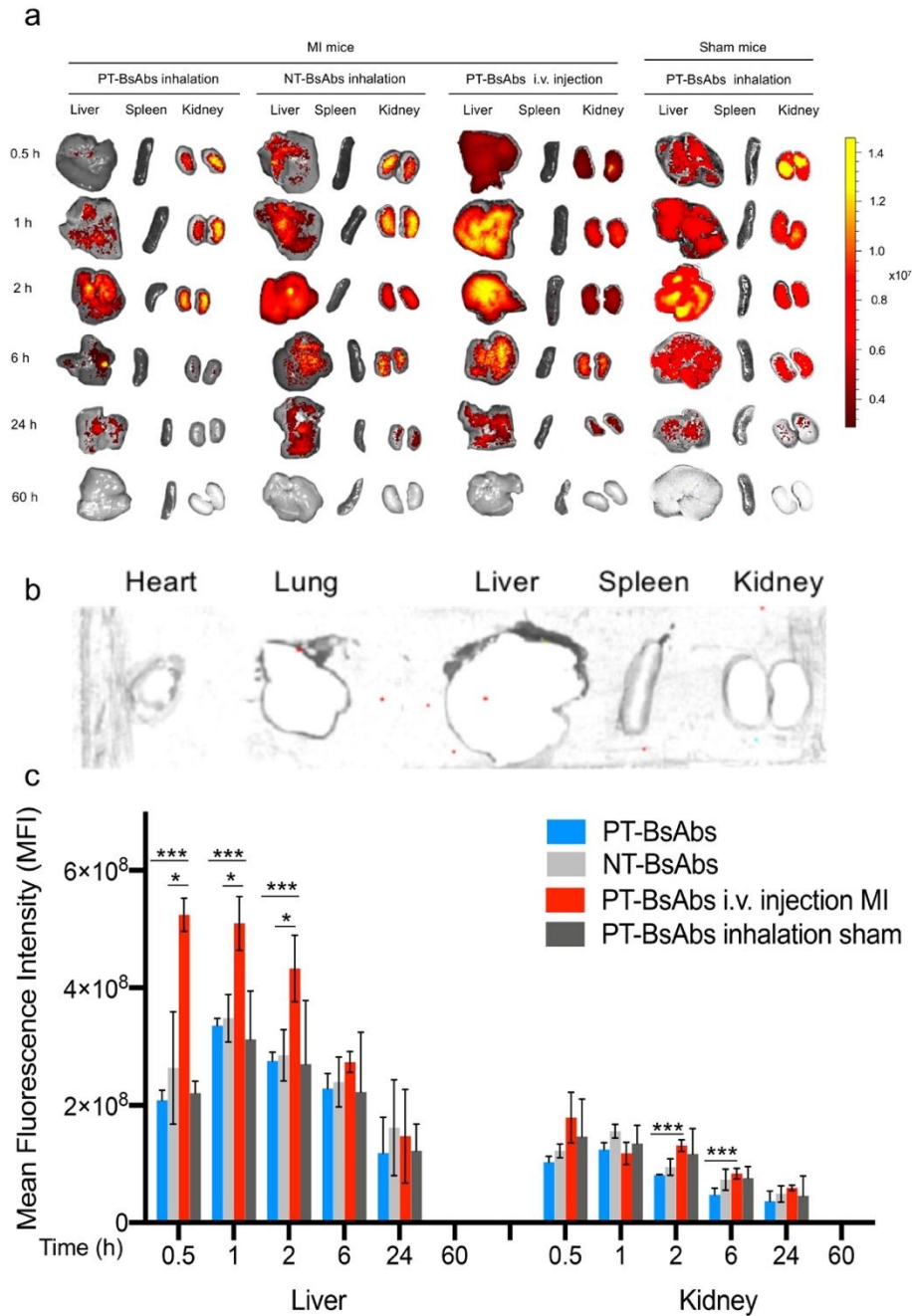
**Figure S2. Synthesis process of CD34-TCO, CD42b-TZ and PT-BsAbs (CD34-CD42b).**



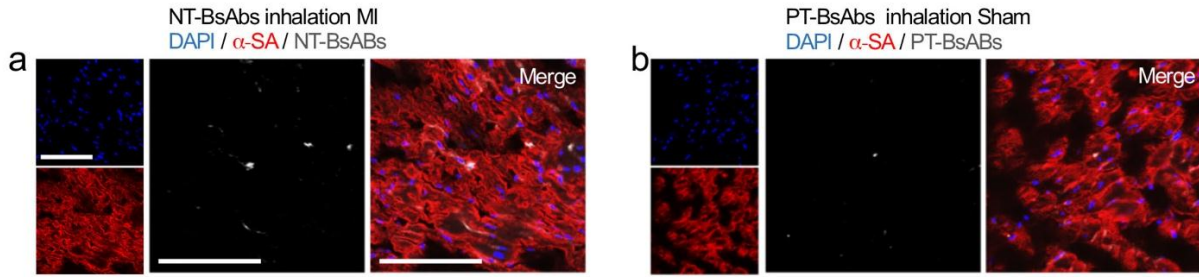
**Figure S3. SDS-PAGE results.** (a) SDS-PAGE of IgG and semi-products (IgG-TCO and IgG-TZ). (b) SDS-PAGE of synthesized IgG-IgG, CD42b-IgG and NT-BsAbs (CD34-IgG).



**Figure S4. Representative flow cytometry dot plots and quantitative results.** Plots indicating unlabeled HSCs (left), PT-BsAbs conjugated HSCs (middle), and HSC-Platelet (HSC-PLT) (right) (n=3). PT-BsAbs were pre-labeled with DyLight 633 while platelets were labeled with DiO.

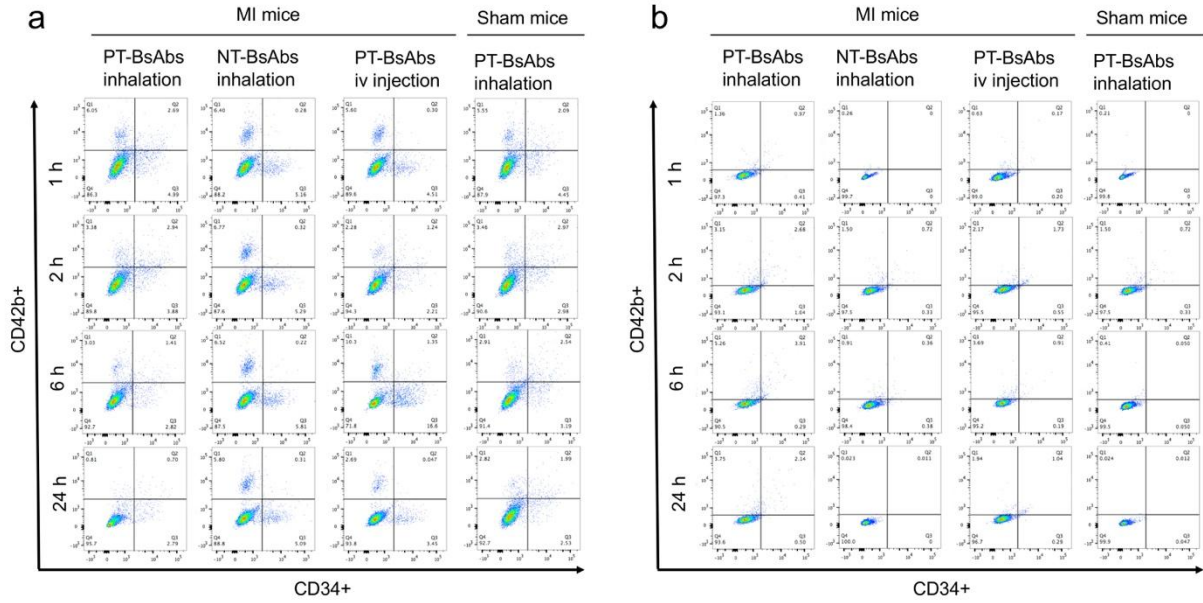


**Figure S5. Biodistribution of DyLight 633-labeled BsAbs in liver, spleen and kidney.** (a) *Ex vivo* imaging to evaluate the distribution of PT-BsAbs or NT-BsAbs after inhalation, PT-BsAbs after i.v. injection in MI mice, and PT-BsAbs after inhalation in sham mice at different time points. (b) *Ex vivo* imaging of main tissues without fluorescence labeling. (c) Time-course quantification of fluorescence signals from liver and kidney of mice treated with PT-BsAbs via different administrations and inhalant NT-BsAbs. N=3.



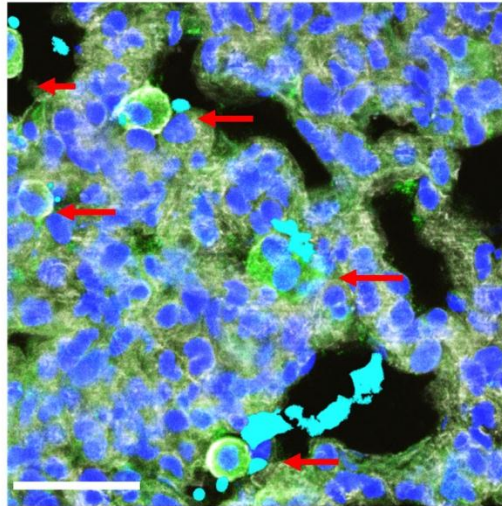
**Figure S6. Accumulation of NT-BsAbs or PT-BsAbs in the heart 6 h after treatment.** (a) Representative confocal images revealing the NT-BsAb retention in the MI heart 6 h after inhalation administration. (b) Representative confocal images revealing the PT-BsAb retention in the heart of sham mice 6 h after inhalation administration. Cardiomyocytes were stained with alpha sarcomeric actin ( $\alpha$ -SA) (red). Nuclei were stained with DAPI (blue). Scale bar, 200  $\mu$ m. NT-BsAbs or PT-BsAbs were pre-labeled with DyLight 633 (gray).



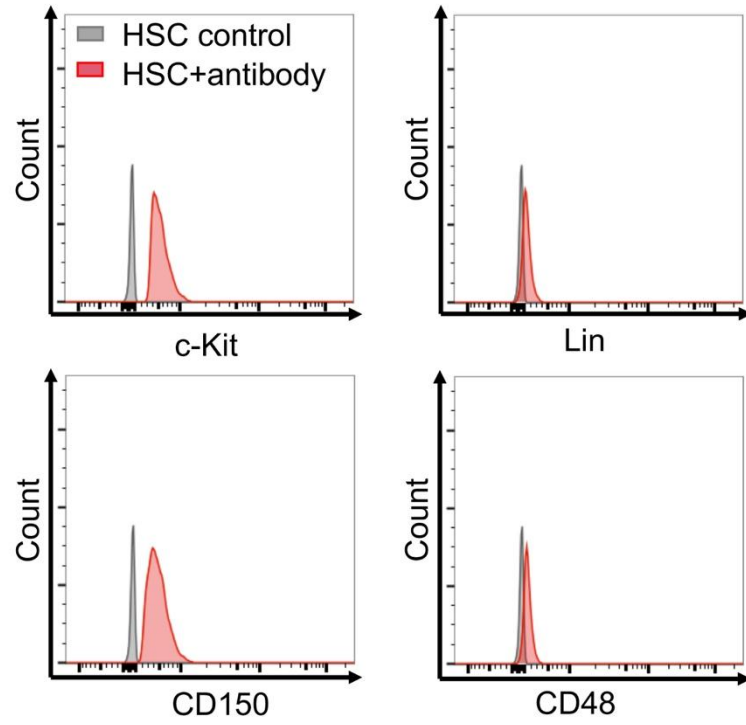


**Figure S7. Flow cytometry dot plots.** Flow cytometry results of platelet-conjugated HSCs ( $CD34^+CD42b^+$ ) in the lungs (a) and the heart (b). HSCs and platelets were individually stained with anti-CD34 antibodies and anti-CD42b antibodies, while PT-BsAbs and NT-BsAbs were pre-labeled with DyLight 633.

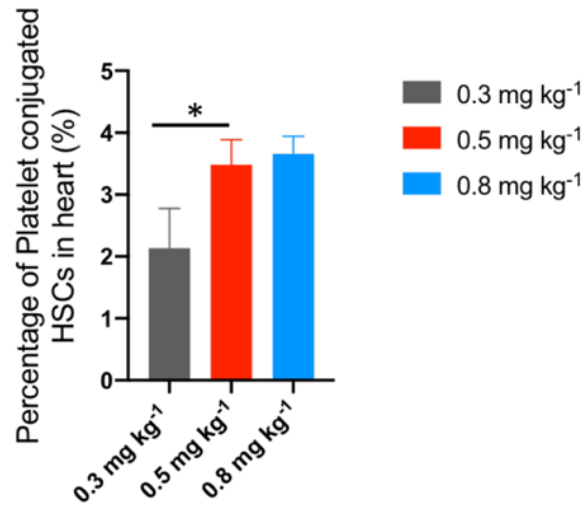
DAPI / Phalloidin / CD34 / PT-BsAbs



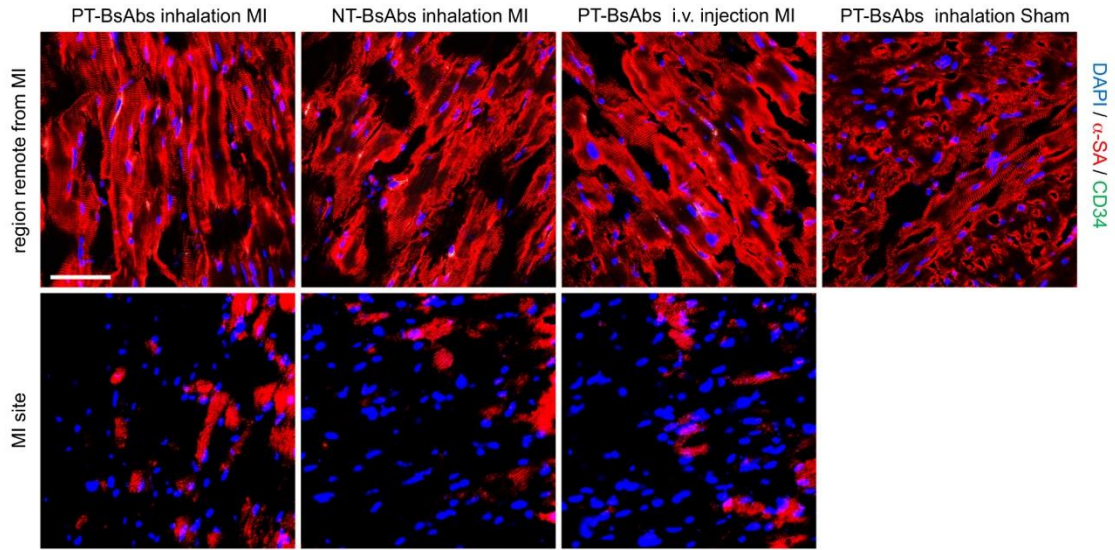
**Figure S8. Distribution of HSCs and PT-BsAbs in the lung.** Representative confocal images showing conjugation of inhaled PT-BsAbs with HSCs in the lungs of MI mice. Lung cells were stained with anti-Phalloidin antibodies (gray), HSCs were stained with anti-CD34 antibodies (green), nuclei were stained with DAPI (blue). PT-BsAbs were pre-labeled with DyLight 633 (cyan). Scale bar, 25  $\mu$ m. Red arrowhead indicated HSCs.



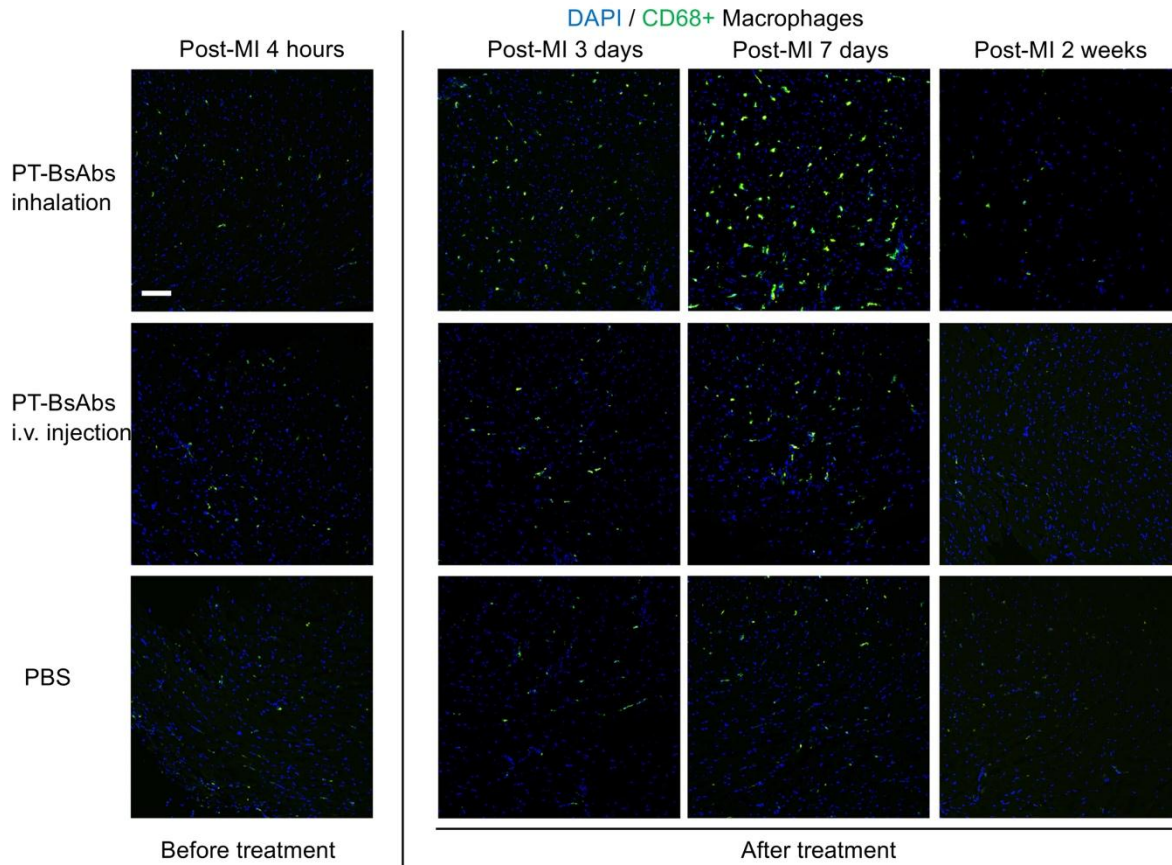
**Figure S9. Flow cytometry characterization of CD34<sup>+</sup>HSCs in the heart.**



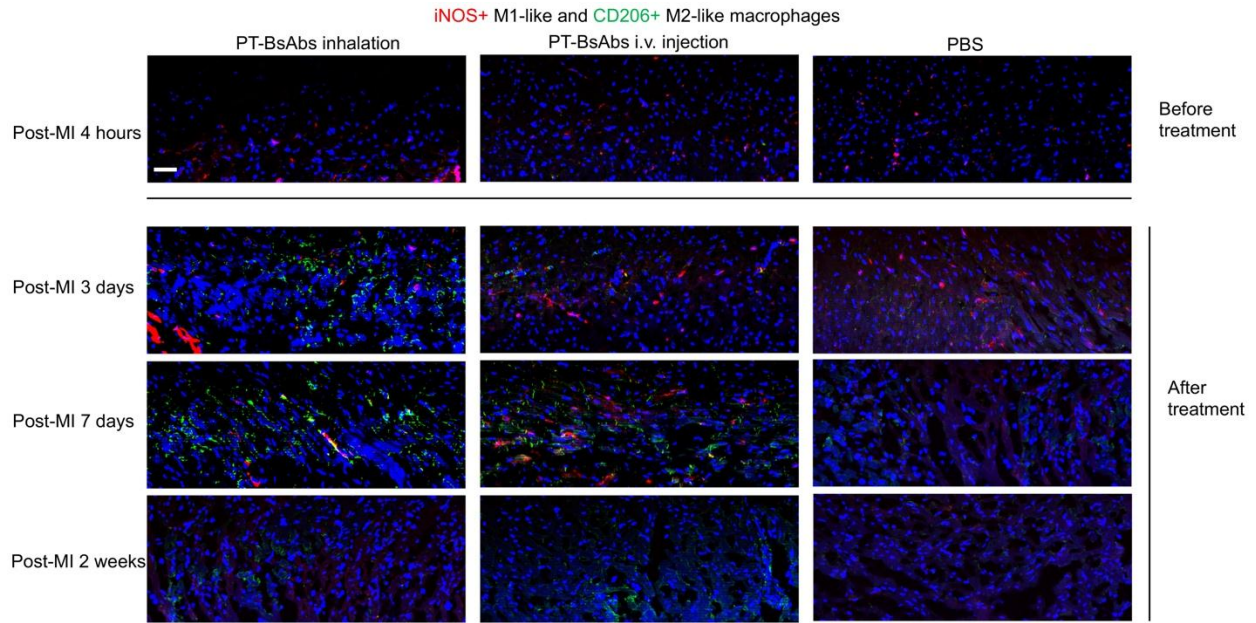
**Fig. S10.** Flow cytometry quantification results of platelet-conjugated HSCs (CD34<sup>+</sup>CD42b<sup>+</sup>) in the heart 6 h post inhalation of various doses of PT-BsAbs.



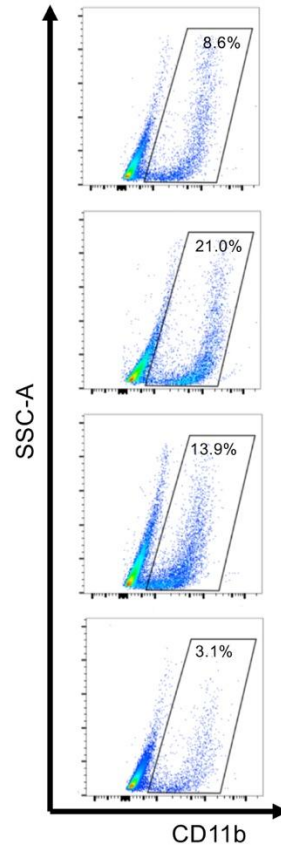
**Figure S11. Accumulation of HSCs in healthy and MI areas post-MI.** Cardiomyocytes were stained with alpha sarcomeric actin ( $\alpha$ -SA) (red). HSCs were stained with CD34 antibody (green). Nuclei were stained with DAPI (blue). Scale bar, 50  $\mu$ m.



**Figure S12. PT-BsAb inhalation increases overall macrophage numbers in the heart.** Accumulation of CD68<sup>+</sup> macrophages 4 h (before treatments), 3 days, 7 days and 14 days post MI (with treatments). Scale bar, 100  $\mu$ m.

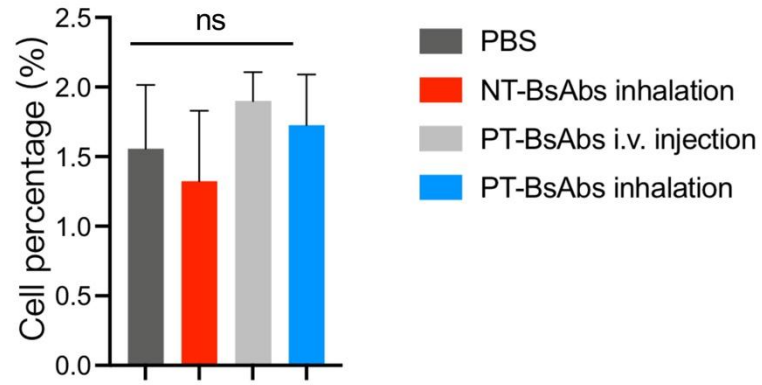


**Figure S13. PT-BsAb inhalation increases CD206<sup>+</sup> M2-like macrophage percentage and reduces iNOS<sup>+</sup> M1-like macrophage percentage in the heart.** Accumulation of CD206<sup>+</sup> macrophages and iNOS<sup>+</sup> macrophages at 4 h (before treatments), 3 days, 7 days and 14 days post MI (with treatments). Scale bar, 50  $\mu$ m.

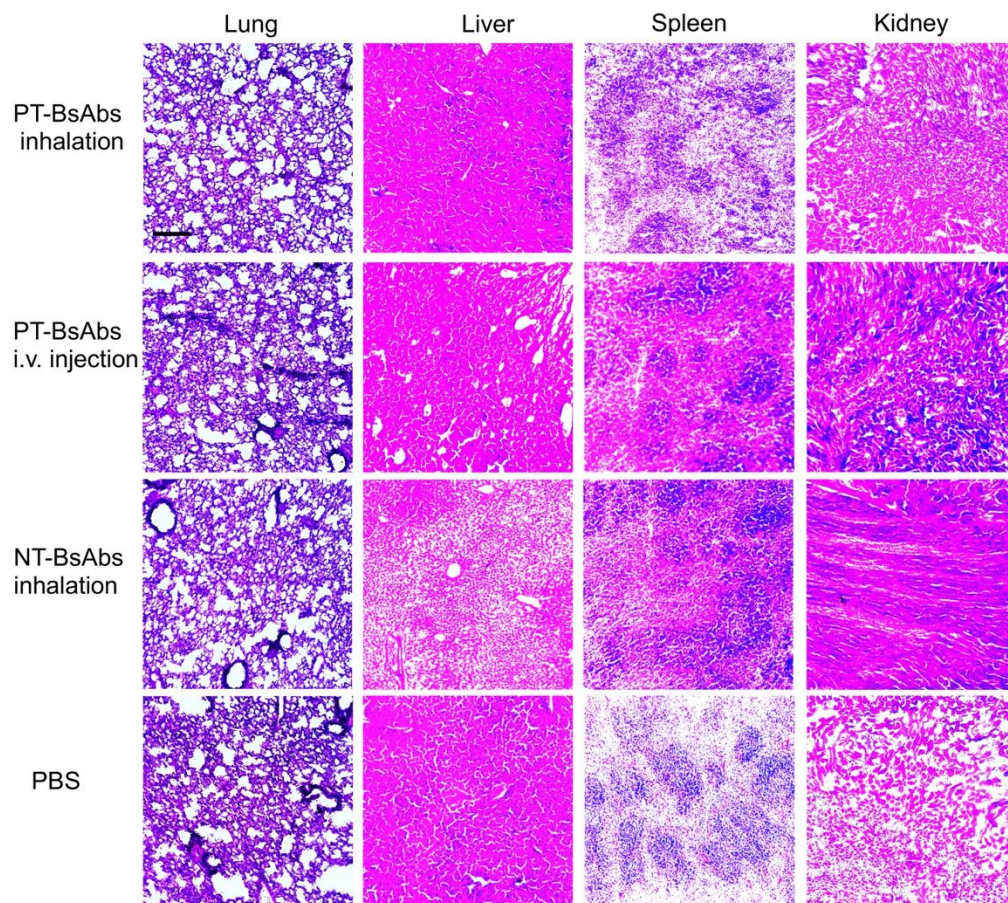


**Figure S14. Flow cytometry dot plots of the percentage of CD11b<sup>+</sup> cells 4 h post MI (before treatments) or at 3 days, 7 days and 14 days after PT-BsAb inhalation administration.**

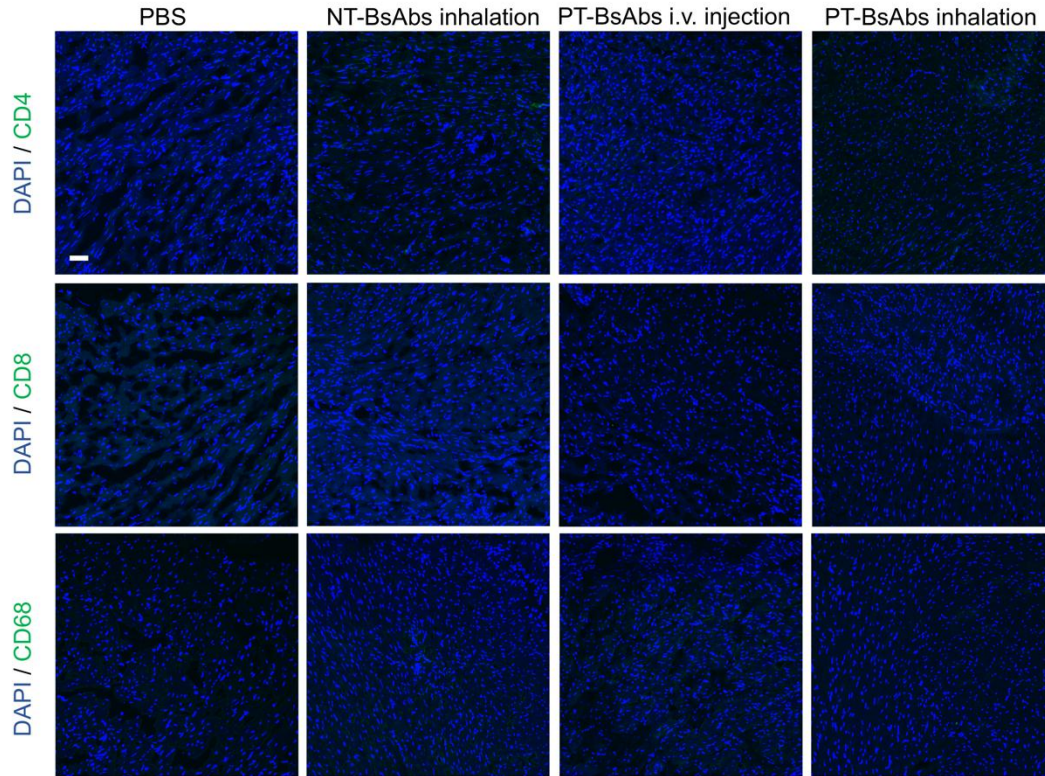




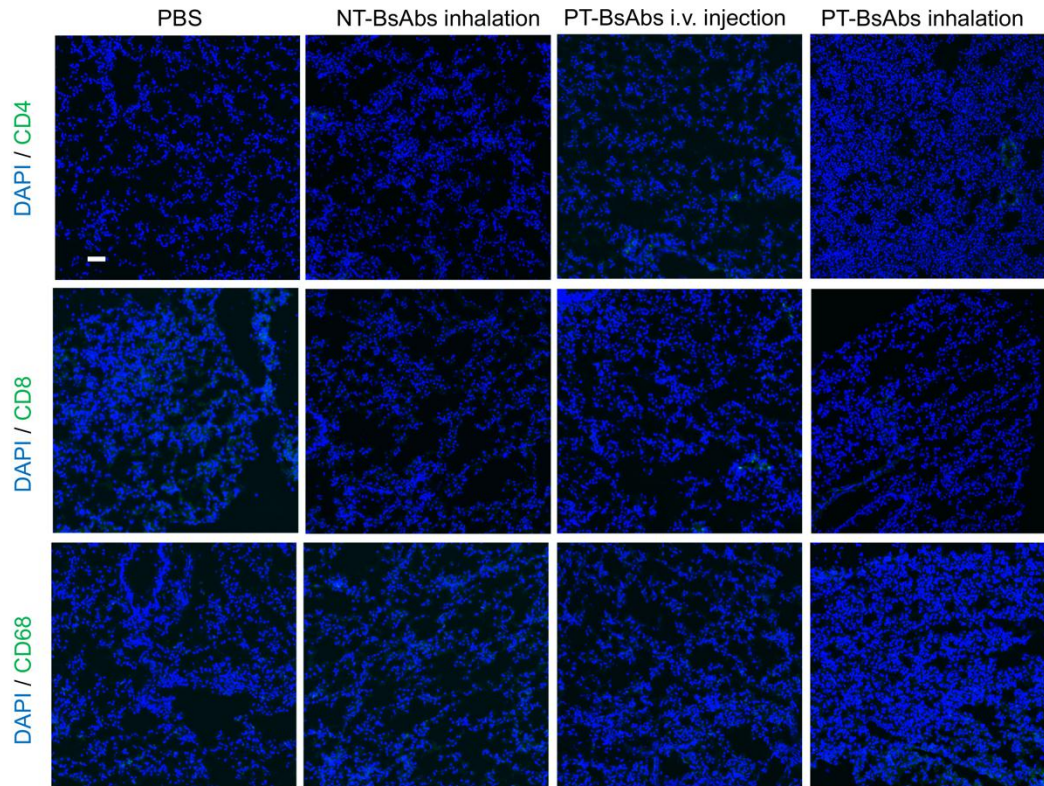
**Figure S15. Flow cytometry quantitation of neutrophil accumulation in the heart 7 days post MI in various groups. N=3.**



**Figure S16. H&E staining of main tissues except heart in mice 21 days after various treatments in MI mice.**  
Scale bar, 200  $\mu$ m.



**Figure S17. Presence of CD4<sup>+</sup> and CD8<sup>+</sup> T cells, and CD68<sup>+</sup> macrophages in the heart 21 days after various treatments.** Scale bar, 60  $\mu$ m.



**Figure S18.** Presence of CD4<sup>+</sup> and CD8<sup>+</sup> T cells, and CD68<sup>+</sup> macrophages in the lung 21 days after various treatments. Scale bar, 60  $\mu$ m.

**Table 1. Antibodies used in the study.**

<b>Antibodies</b>	<b>Company</b>	<b>Catalog #</b>	<b>Application</b>
Anti-Rat CD34	BD	BDB553731	BsAbs synthesis/IF
Anti-Mouse CD42b	Santa Cruz Biotechnology	Sc-59052	BsAbs synthesis/IF
Anti-Mouse IgG	Santa Cruz Biotechnology	Sc-2025	BsAbs synthesis
FITC Goat Anti-Rat CD34 antibody	eBioscience	11-0341-82	Cell experiment
FITC Goat Anti-Mouse CD42b antibody	eBioscience	11-0429-42	Cell experiment
Alexa Fluor® 594 Anti-Phalloidin	Abcam	ab176757	IF
Goat Anti-Rabbit vWF	Abcam	ab111713	IF
Goat Anti-Rabbit $\alpha$ -SA	Abcam	Ab72592	IF
Goat Anti-Rabbit ki67	Abcam	Ab15580	IF
Goat Anti-Rabbit Caspase-3	Abcam	Ab13847	IF
Goat Anti-Rabbit Cleaved PARP	Abcam	Ab32064	IF
Goat Anti-Rabbit $\alpha$ -SMA	Abcam	Ab5694	IF
Goat Anti-Rabbit CD68	Abcam	ab125212	IF
Goat Anti-Rabbit iNOS	Abcam	Ab15323	IF
Goat Anti-Mouse CD206	Abcam	Ab64693	IF
Goat Anti-Rabbit CD8	Abcam	Ab217344	IF
Goat Anti-Rabbit CD4	Abcam	Ab237722	IF
FITC Anti-Mouse F4/80	eBioscience	11-4801-82	Flow Cytometry
PE Anti-Mouse CD11b	eBioscience	12-0112-82	Flow Cytometry
PE/Cy7 Anti-Mouse CCR2	BioLegend	150611	Flow Cytometry
Alexa Fluor® 488 Goat Anti-Rabbit IgG H&L	Abcam	Ab150077	IF
Alexa Fluor® 647 Goat Anti-Mouse IgG H&L	Abcam	Ab150115	IF
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