1	Effect of anti-inflammatory treatment with AMD3100 and CX ₃ CR1 deficiency on GABA _A			
2	receptor subunit and GAD isoforms expression after stroke			
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 Table 1
 Sequences of gene specific primers and associated amplicon lengths

Gene	Forward $(5' \rightarrow 3')$	<u>Reverse $(5' \rightarrow 3')$</u>	Product
			<u>size (bp)</u>
<u>GAPDH</u>	TTCTCAAGCTCATTTCC	GGATAGGGCCTCTCTT	143
	TGGTATG	GCTCA	
<u>GABA(A)</u>	GTTCTCACCATGACCAC	GTTGGAGCTGCTGGTG	153
<u>α3</u>	CTT	TTT	
GABA(A)	CTCCCTGACACCTTCAT	GTACTTGGCGAGGTCC	153
<u>δ</u>	CGT	ATGT	
<u>GABA(A)</u>	GCCTTGATGACAGCCC	CATTGGCAACACAACC	174
<u>β3</u>	ТТТА	ACTC	
GAD67	GAACAACCATGGTGGG	GCCGATGATTCTGGTTC	166
	CTAC	TGT	
CXCR4	TCAGTGGCTGACCTCCT	CTTTTCAGCCAGCAGTT	222
	СТТ	TCC	



Supp. Figure 1 Western Blot of the GABA_A α3 subunit in the contralateral cortex of mice which underwent

23 sham surgery and stroke-mice of day 14 after PT regarding CX3CR1 deficiency. Corresponding band size

- 24 were 55kDa for α 3 subunit and 42kDA for β -actin.



32 **Supp. Figure 2** Western Blot of the GABA_A δ subunit in the contralateral cortex of mice which underwent 33 sham surgery and stroke-mice of day 14 after PT regarding CX3CR1 deficiency. Corresponding band sizes 34 were approximately 52kDa for δ subunit and 42kDA for β-actin. The comparison PT (wt/hz) VS PT (ko) was 35 repeated in a second Western Blot in order to confirm results.

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Supp. Figure 3 Western Blot of the GABA_A β3 subunit in the contralateral cortex of mice which underwent sham surgery and stroke-mice of day 14 after PT regarding CX3CR1 deficiency. (A) Comparison between contralateral cortex of sham and stroke mice and (B, C) comparison between wt/hz littermates and ko mice which underwent stroke. Corresponding band sizes were approximately 55kDa for β3 subunit and 42kDA for β-actin. The comparison PT (wt/hz) VS PT (ko) was repeated twice (B, C) in order to confirm results.

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Supp. Figure 4 Western Blot of GAD65 in stroke-mice of day 14 after PT in the contralateral cortex 51 regarding the effect of CX3CR1 deficiency. Comparison between wt/hz and ko stroke mice. Corresponding 52 band size were 65kDa for GAD65 and 42kDA for β-actin. No significant differences were observed with 53 Student's t test (p = 0.33).



Supp. Figure 5 Western Blot of CXCR4 in stroke-mice of day 14 after PT regarding the effect of AMD3100
treatment. (A) Comparison between ipsilateral cortex of sham and stroke mice and (B) comparison of
ipsilateral vs contralateral cortex of stroke mice. Corresponding band size were 32kDa for CXCR4 and
42kDA for β-actin.



Supp. Figure 6 Western Blot of GAD67 in the contralateral cortex of stroke-mice of day 14 after PT
 regarding the effect of AMD3100 treatment. (A) Comparison of sham vs PT and (B) comparison of stroke mice treated with saline or AMD3100. Corresponding band size were 67kDa for GAD67 and 42kDA for β actin.





Supp. Figure 7 Western Blot of GAD67 in the ipsilateral cortex of stroke-mice of day 14 after PT regarding
the effect of AMD3100 treatment. (A) Comparison of sham vs PT and (B) comparison of stroke-mice
treated with saline or AMD3100. Corresponding band size were 67kDa for GAD67 and 42kDA for β-actin.
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Supp. Figure 8 Western Blot of GAD65 in the contralateral cortex of stroke-mice of day 14 after PT
regarding the effect of AMD3100 treatment. (A) Comparison of sham vs PT and (B) comparison of strokemice treated with saline or AMD3100. Corresponding band size were 65kDa for GAD65 and 42kDA for βactin.
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Supp. Figure 9 Western Blot of GAD65 in the ipsilateral cortex of stroke-mice of day 14 after PT regarding
the effect of AMD3100 treatment. (A) Comparison of sham vs PT and (B) comparison of stroke-mice
treated with saline or AMD3100. Corresponding band size were 65kDa for GAD65 and 42kDA for β-actin.
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105 Supp. Figure 10. Comparison of mRNA levels between the two hemispheres under different 106 experimental conditions mRNA levels of the α 3 (A), the δ (B) and the β 3 (C) GABAA subunits in the 107 contralateral and ipsilateral cortex of mice. All data depicted are normalized to expression levels of

108 sham/naive mice and shown as a log2 fold-change. Bars represent the mean \pm S.E.M. Statistically 109 significant differences were observed through Two-Way ANOVA and *post-hoc* Sidak's Multiple 110 Comparisons (* p < 0.05, ** p < 0.005, **** p < 0.0001).