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B6 wild type left lung Sham (30 minutes) Sham (1 h)

B6 wild type left lung 30 minutes 1 h

Fig. 1. Shortened ischemia time also results in neutrophil infiltration that begins between 1 h and 3 h following reperfusion.

(A) Histology from C57/BL6 wild type mice exposed to shorter ischemia time (30min)

followed by reperfusion (3h) compared to matched mice exposed to the sham

procedure (Hematoxylin and Eosin staining, 10X and 40X magnifications). Images are

representative of 3-4 independent surgeries.

(B) Histology from C57/BL6 wild type mice at time points used in Figure 1B from text (30

minutes ischemia, 1 h reperfusion versus sham surgery).





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B6 wild type left lung 30 minutes 3 h

B6 TLR4 -/- left lung 30 minutes 3 h

Fig. 2. Toll like Receptor-4 (TLR4) -/- mice on C57/BL6 background are also

protected against ventilated lung Ischemia Reperfusion (I/R) injury.

C57BL/6 background TLR4 -/- mice and wild type matched controls underwent the lung

I/R surgery followed by 3h of reperfusion following which left lower lung samples were

analyzed by Hematoxylin and Eosin histopathology.

Images are representative of 3 independent experiments.



Fig. 3. Systemic clodronate liposome treatment results in depletion of splenic macrophages and pulmonary alveolar and interstitial macrophages.

Mice that were either pretreated with phosphate buffered saline (PBS) carrier (intravenous) or with clodronate liposomes (intravenous) were assessed by flow cytometry for macrophage depletion in their digested lungs and spleen using F4/80, CD11b and CD68 antibodies as indicated. Cells were permeabilized for CD68 staining (marking alveolar macrophages).

Data are representative of 2-3 independent experiments.

IgG – Immunoglobulin G isotype control antibody



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Fig. 4. immunofluorescence verifies CD11c+ cell depletion in CD11c-DTR mouse

lungs treated with diphtheria Toxin (DTx).

Verification of alveolar macrophage (CD11c+ cell) depletion following treatment with

DTx by immunofluorescence. CD11c-DTR mice with enhanced green fluorescent

protein (EGFP) driven by the CD11c promoter and treated with DTx or phosphate

buffered saline (PBS) (IP = intraperitoneally).