

Supplemental Material

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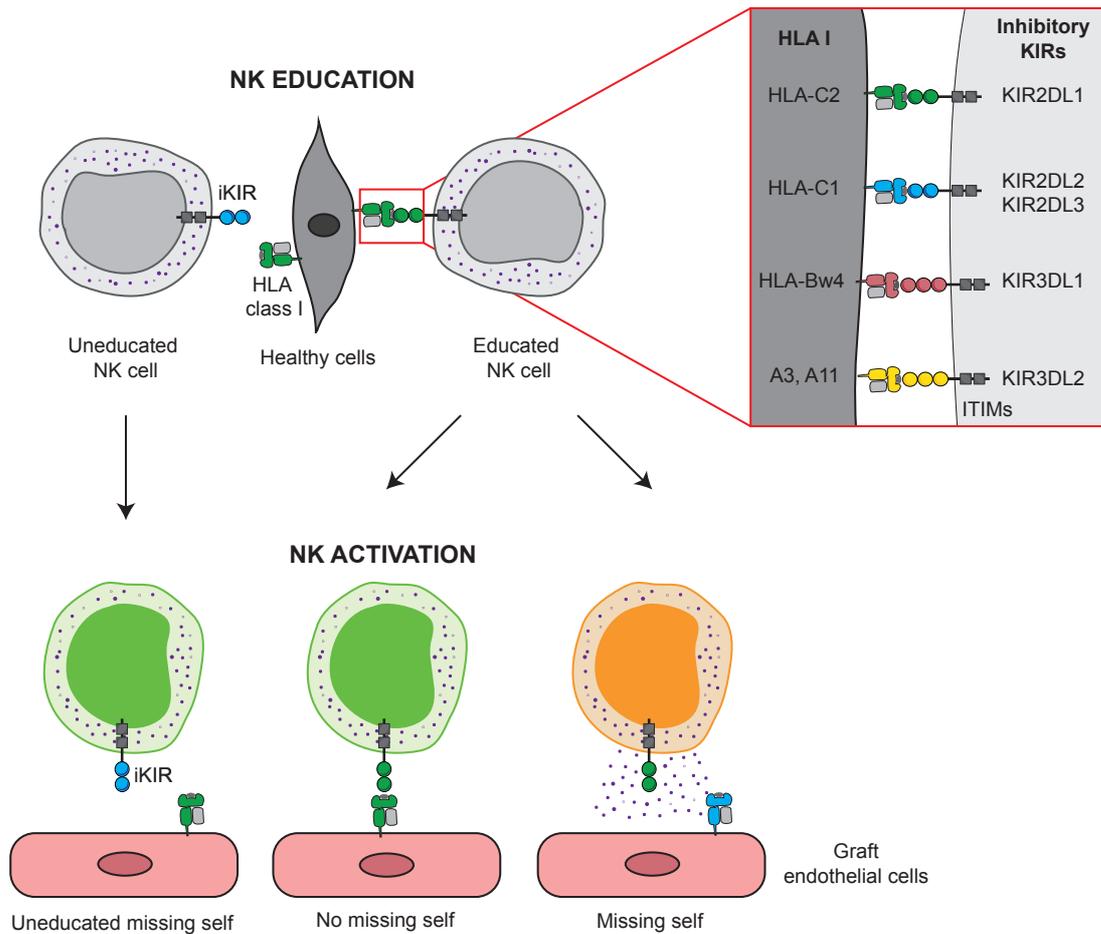
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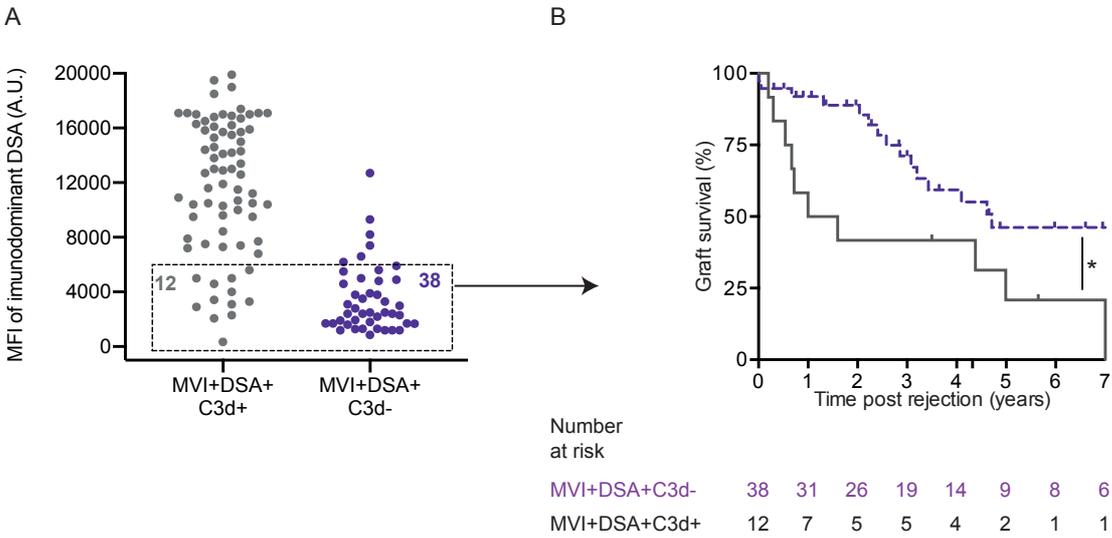


Schematic representation of the education process of NK cells and of the interactions between inhibitory KIR receptors on human NK cells and their ligands (upper). KIR2DL1 and KIR2DL2/3 recognise distinct HLA-C allotypes, called C2 or C1 based on polymorphisms at positions 77 and 80 in the $\alpha 1$ -domain of the HLA heavy chain. KIR3DL1 ligands are HLA A and B molecules that share the Bw4 epitope, and KIR3DL2 binds HLA-A3 and HLA-A11.

Schematic representation of the 3 distinct situations that can be encountered by circulating recipients' NK cells when contacting the vasculature of an allogeneic organ (lower): presence of a missing self for a ligand not expressed by recipients' NK cells (Uneducated missing self) (left panel), absence of missing self (No missing self)

(centre panel), or presence of a missing self for a ligand expressed by recipients' NK cells (Missing self) (right panel).

Supplemental Figure 2: Activation of complement in patients with similar MFI of immuno-dominant DSA

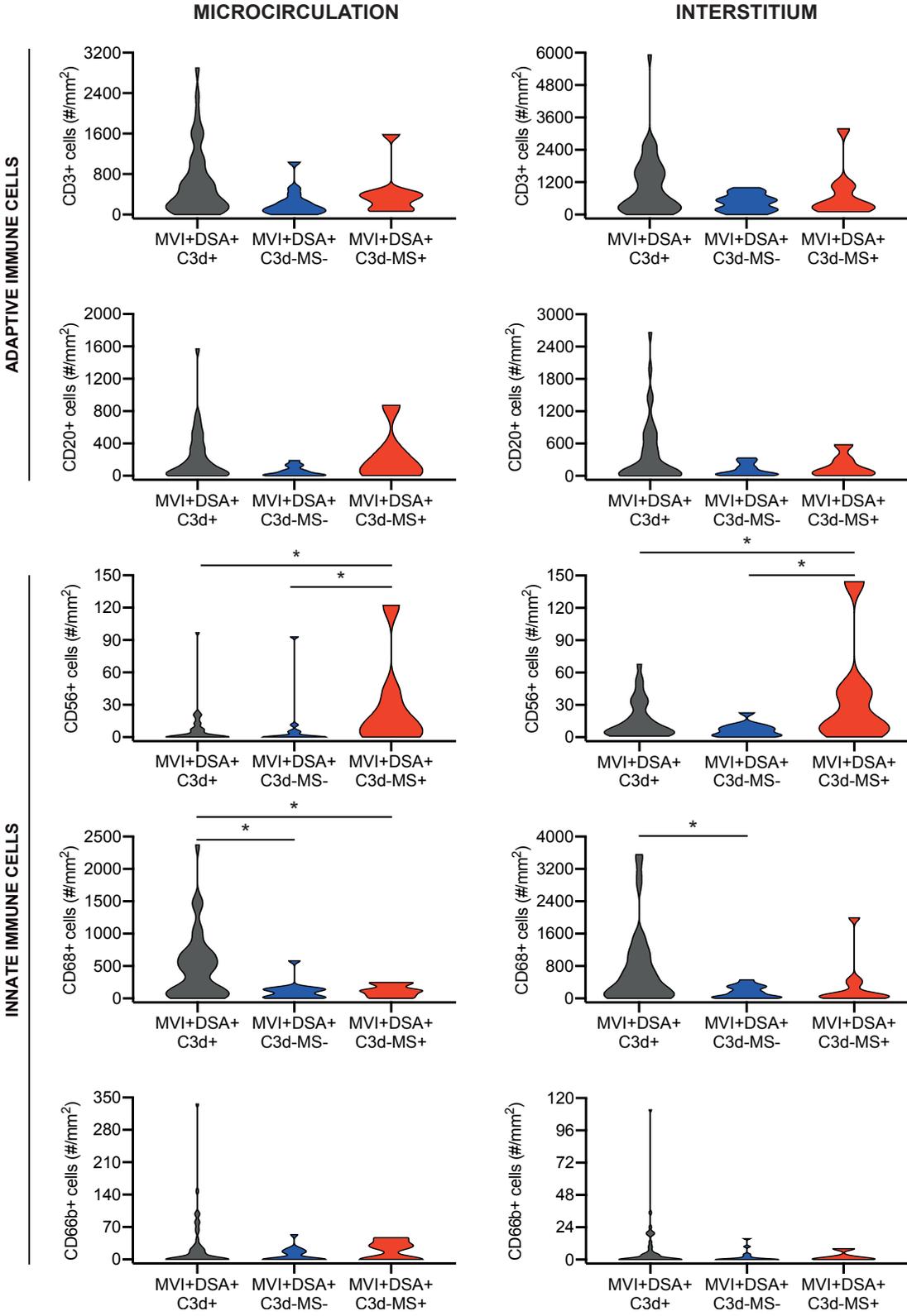


A. Titre of immunodominant DSA was assessed in solid phase assay. Distribution of this parameter is shown for the different groups.

B. Renal graft survival of MVI+DSA+C3d- (dashed purple line) and MVI+DSA+C3d+ (solid dark grey line) with similar MFI of immunodominant DSA were compared.

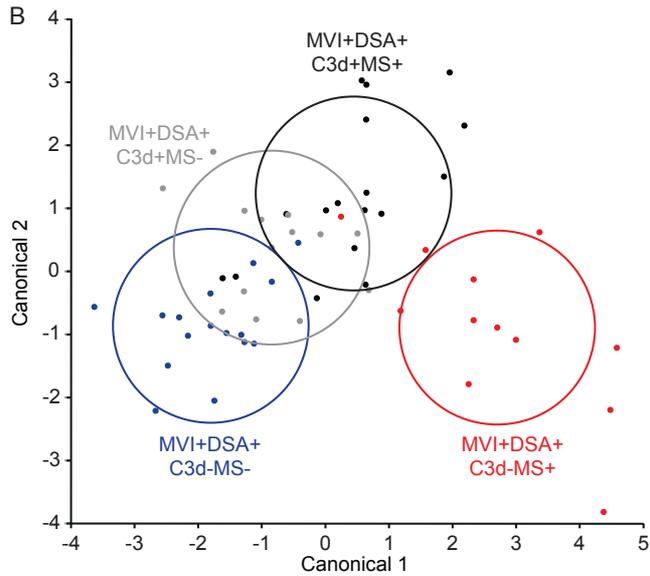
Supplemental Figure 3: Computer-assisted analysis of allograft inflammation

(CAGI): three groups analysis



Quantification of adaptive effectors (B cells [CD20+], and T cells [CD3+]) and innate effectors (NK cells [CD56+], macrophages [CD68+], and granulocytes [CD66b+]) in the microcirculation (glomeruli and peritubular capillaries) and the tubulo-interstitial compartment of renal allograft of patients with available biopsy material from MVI+DSA+C3d+ (n=61), MVI+DSA+C3d-MS- (n=17), and MVI+DSA+C3d-MS+ (n=13) groups using the Computer-assisted Analysis of Graft Inflammation (CAGI) method.

*p<0.05; One-way ANOVA.



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B. The scatter plot of the first two canonical discriminant function analysis for CAGI dataset is shown. Entropy $r^2 = 0.65$.