

SUPPLEMENTAL FIGURES

In-depth cross-validation of human and mouse CD4-specific minibodies for noninvasive PET imaging of CD4⁺ cells and response prediction to cancer immunotherapy

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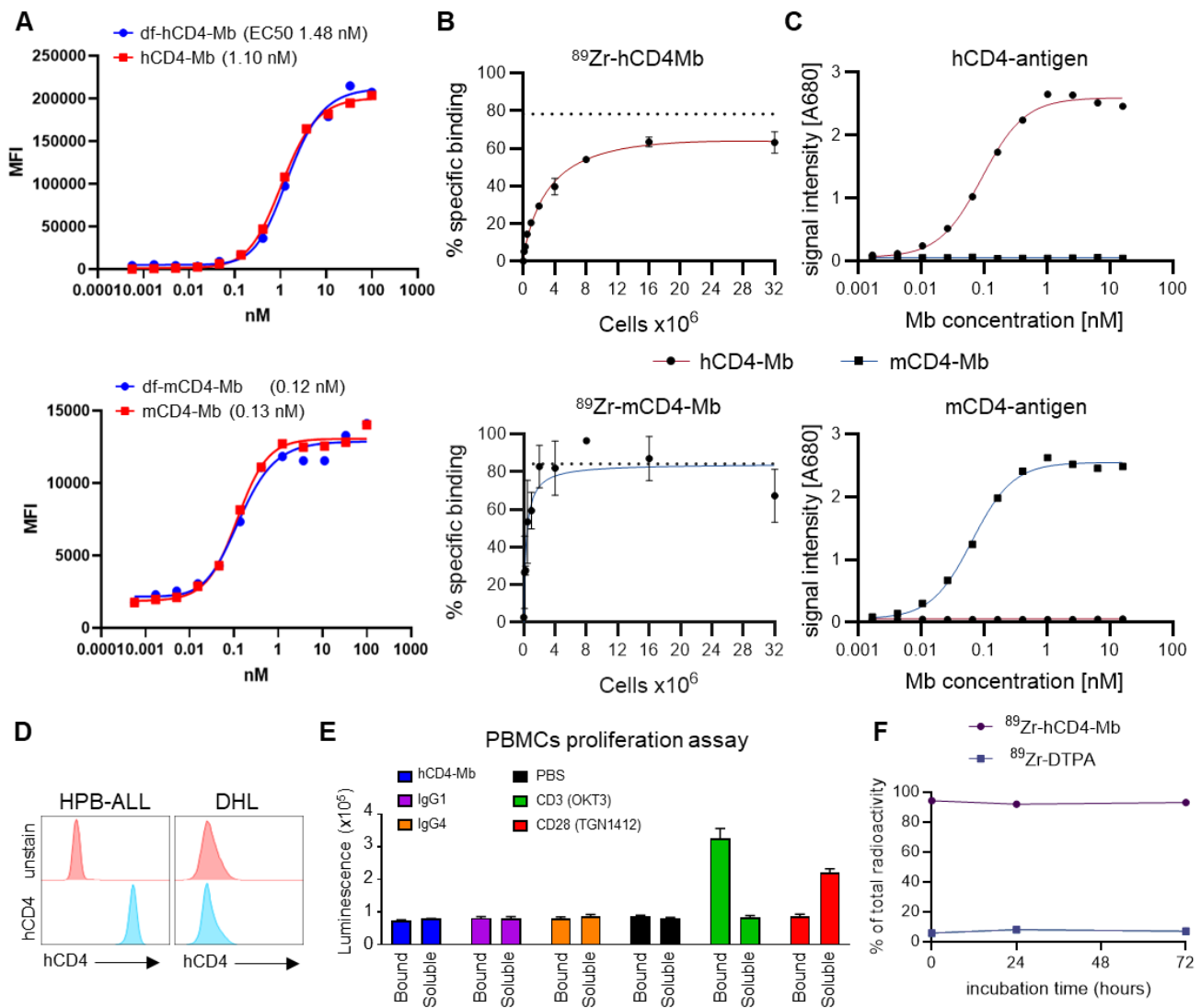


FIGURE S1 *In vitro* validation of ^{89}Zr -h/mCD4-Mbs. (A) Flow cytometry to determine the EC50 of h/mCD4-Mbs with and without dfo conjugation on hCD4 or mCD4-transfected NIH-3T3 cells. (B) Maximum binding (B_{max}) assay with 10 ng of ^{89}Zr -h/mCD4-Mb per well and increasing numbers of hCD4⁺ HPB-ALL cells or freshly isolated mCD4⁺ cells (triplicates). B_{max} was calculated by using a one-site specific nonlinear fitness model. For ^{89}Zr -mCD4-Mb, two values were excluded from the analysis. (C) ELISA of human CD4 (hCD4)-antigen and mouse CD4 (mCD4)-antigen with an increasing number of ^{89}Zr -h/mCD4-Mbs (D) Flow cytometry of hCD4 expression on HPB-ALL and DHL cell lines. (E) PBMC proliferation assay after plate coating or the addition of soluble antibodies (hCD4-Mb, IgG1, IgG4, CD3, or CD28) for 5 days. (F) % of total radioactivity measured by HPLC of ^{89}Zr -hCD4-Mb and free ^{89}Zr -DTPA at 0, 24, and 72 h after ^{89}Zr -hCD4-Mb incubation in mouse serum. The data are presented as mean \pm SD.

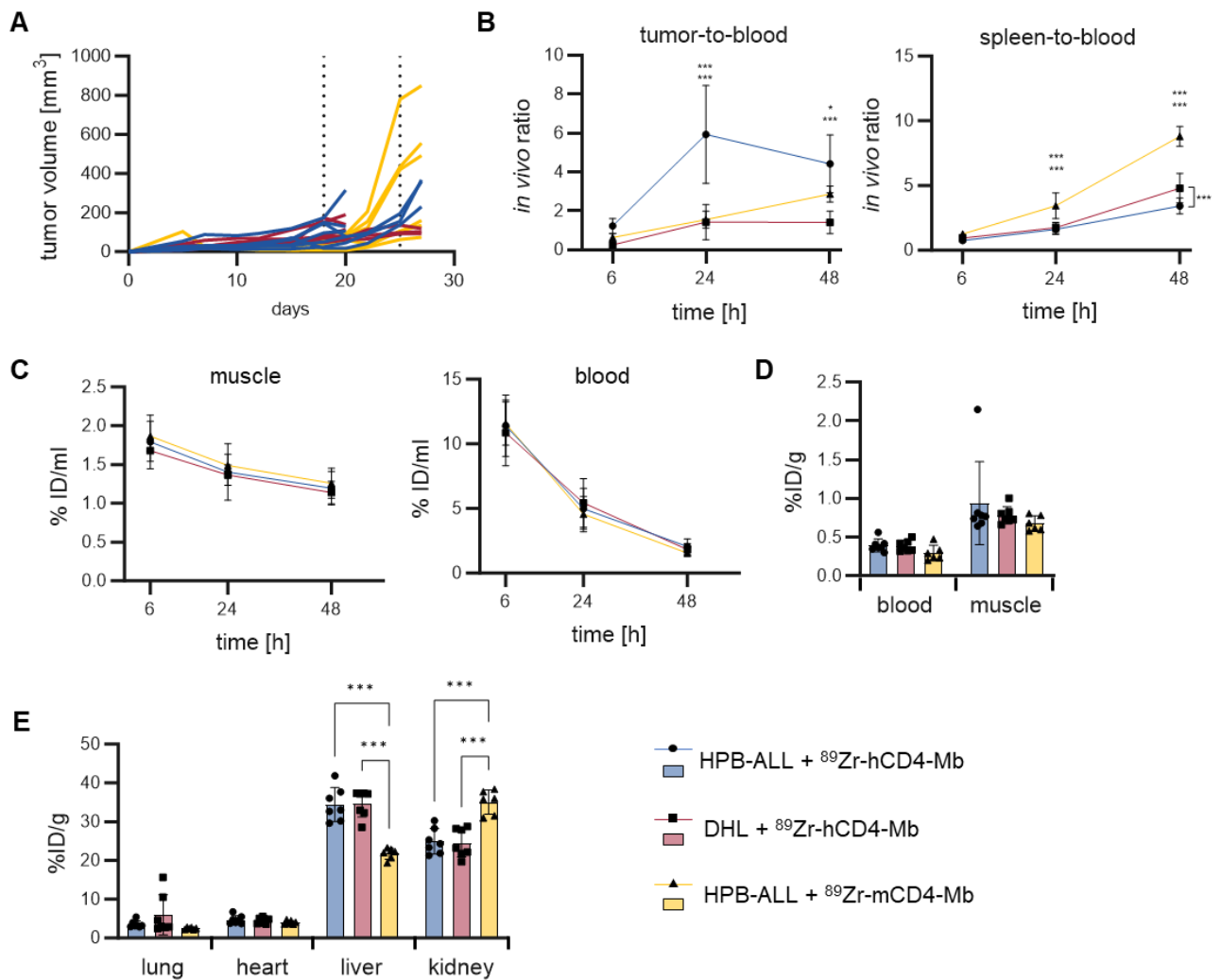


FIGURE S2 *In vivo* ⁸⁹Zr-hCD4-Mb and ⁸⁹Zr-mCD4-Mb binding to CD4⁺ cells in immunodeficient NSG mice. (A) Tumor growth of subcutaneously inoculated (hCD4⁺) HPB-ALL and (hCD4⁻) DHL tumors. Mice were acquired for PET/MRI when tumors reached a volume between 100 and 300 mm³ (Two separate cohorts, indicated by black dotted lines). (B) Tumor-to-blood and spleen-to-blood *in vivo* ⁸⁹Zr-CD4-Mb uptake ratios at 6, 24, and 48 h after tracer injection. (C) *In vivo* ⁸⁹Zr-CD4-Mb uptake in muscle and blood at 6, 24, and 48 h after tracer injection. (D,E) *Ex vivo* organ ⁸⁹Zr-CD4-Mb uptake 48 h after tracer injection measured by γ -counting. *P* values were calculated by two-way ANOVA (B, C) or ordinary one-way ANOVA (D, E) using Tukey's post-hoc test. **p* < 0.05, ****p* < 0.001.

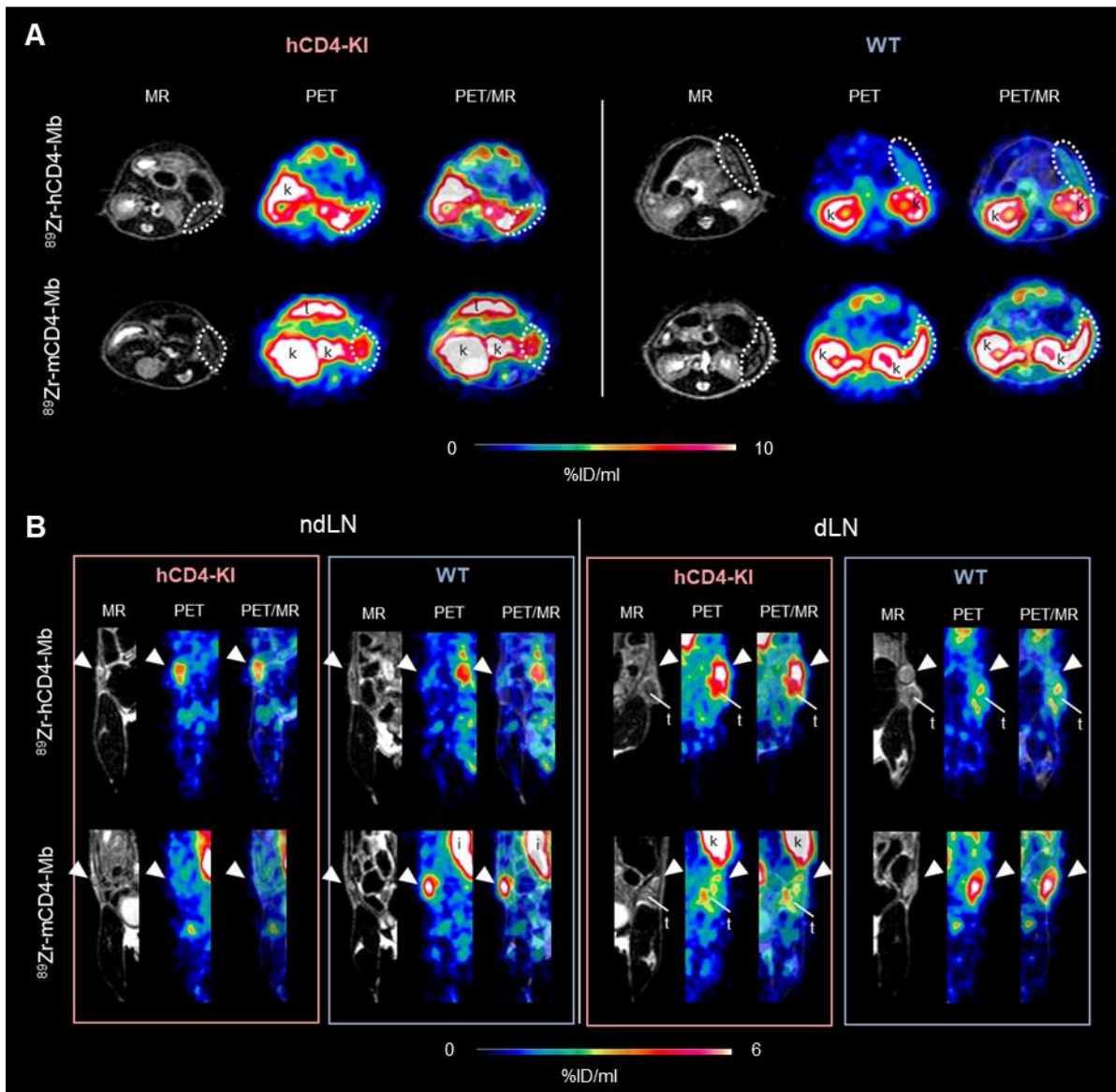
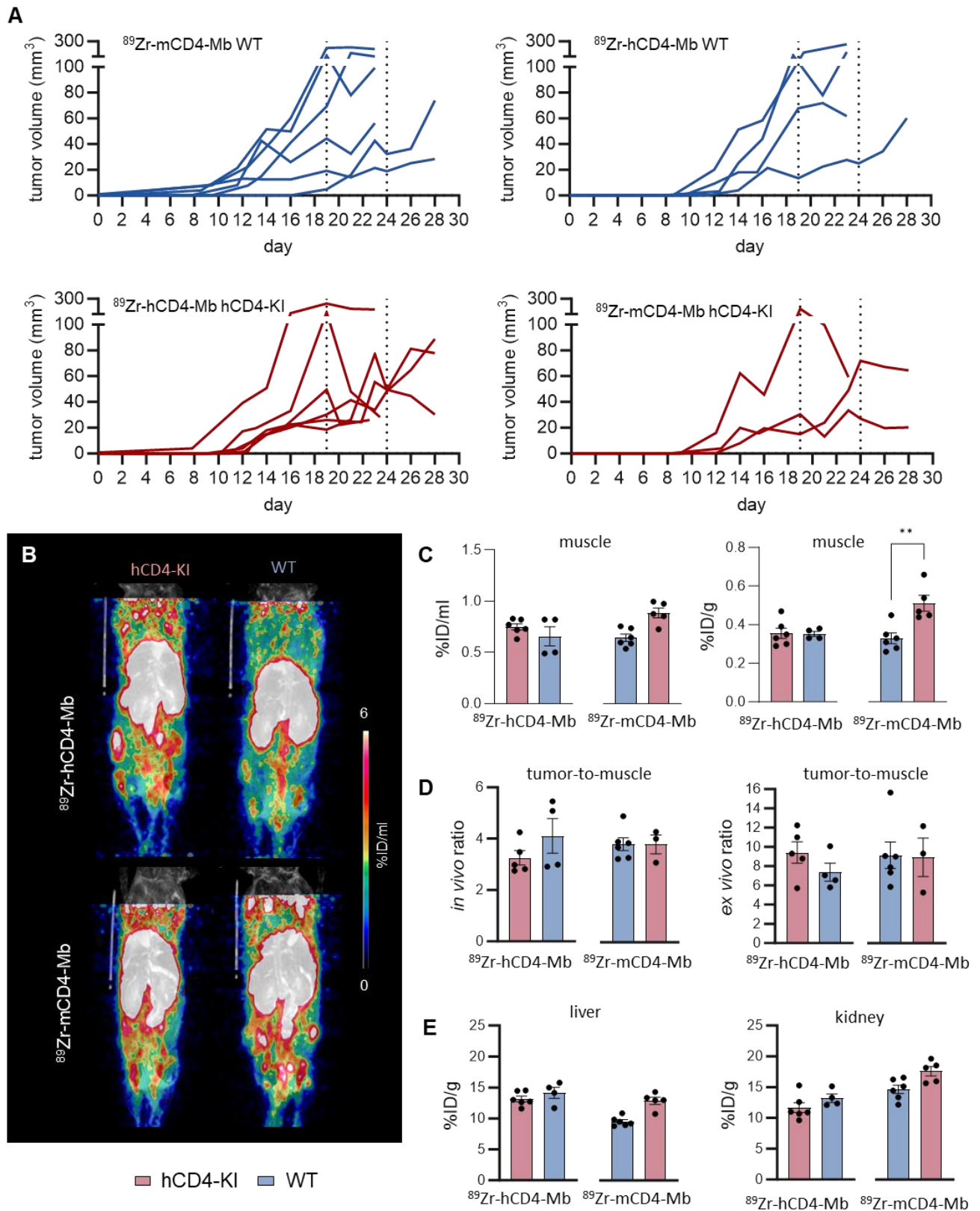


FIGURE S3 $^{89}\text{Zr-CD4-Mb}$ immunopET uptake in lymphatic organs of WT and hCD4-KI PyMT tumor-bearing mice. (A) Representative MR (left), PET (middle) and PET/MR (right) images of spleen (white-dotted circle) in hCD4-KI mice and WT mice injected with $^{89}\text{Zr-h/mCD4-Mb}$. (B) Representative MR (left), PET (center) and PET/MR (right) images of contralateral (non-draining, nd) and tumor-draining lymph nodes (dLN) (white triangle) in hCD4-KI mice and WT mice injected with $^{89}\text{Zr-h/mCD4-Mb}$.



by black dotted lines). (B) Representative *in vivo* mean intensity projections (MIPs) of ^{89}Zr -h/mCD4-Mb immunoPET/MRI. *In vivo* and *ex vivo* quantification of ^{89}Zr -h/mCD4-Mb (C) muscle uptake and (D) the tumor-to-muscle ratio. (E) *Ex vivo* ^{89}Zr -h/mCD4-Mb uptake quantification in the liver and kidneys. All the data represent the 48 h timepoint after tracer injection. *P* values were calculated by an unpaired t-test. ** $p < 0.01$.

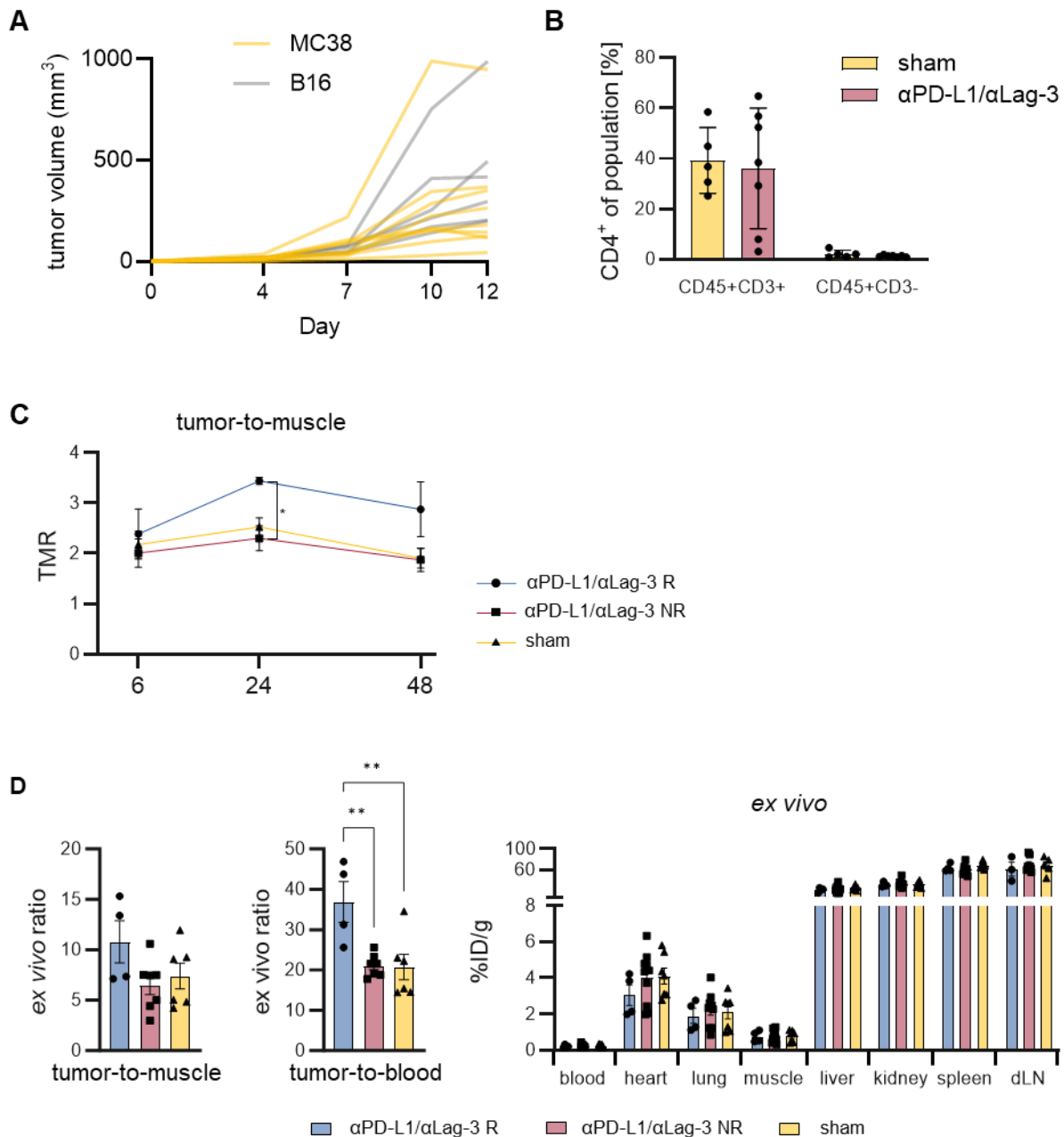


FIGURE S5 Monitoring of endogenous mCD4⁺ cell infiltrates in response to cancer ICI. (A) Tumor growth curves of MC38 and B16 tumors. (B) Flow cytometry characterization of CD4⁺ expression of myeloid cell infiltrates in sham-treated or α PD-L1/ α Lag3-treated MC38 tumors (C) *In vivo* tumor-to-muscle ⁸⁹Zr-mCD4-Mb uptake ratio at 6, 24, and 48 h after tracer injection into MC38 tumor-bearing mice treated with α PD-L1/ α Lag-3 mAbs 7 days before the first PET/MRI timepoint. (D) *Ex vivo* tumor-to-muscle and tumor-to-blood uptake ratios and organ biodistribution 48 h after tracer injection in MC38 tumor-bearing mice treated with α PD-L1/ α Lag-3 mAbs 7 days prior to the

first PET/MRI timepoint. *P* values were calculated by two-way ANOVA (B) using Tukey's post-hoc test. ***p* < 0.01.