CCR4⁺ skin-tropic phenotype as a feature of central memory CD8⁺ T cells in healthy subjects and psoriasis patients.

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Supplementary Information

Cohort	Ν	М	F	Age	PASI
PsO	24	18	6	45±13	12.2±4.8
Controls	21	11	10	40±11	NA

Age, PASI presented as mean ± SD.

Supplemental Table 1. Demographic Characteristics of Patients and Controls

Cell population (fraction)	Тсм	T _{EM}	p value
CCR4 ^{hi} CCR5 ⁻ (1)	77.01±17.00	22.86±17.03	<0.0001
CCR4 ^{int} CCR5 ⁻ (2)	55.56±26.00	44.31±26.02	0.4017
CCR4 ⁻ CCR5 ⁺ (4)	15.63±13.34	84.25±13.39	<0.0001
CCR4 ⁺ CCR5 ⁺ (5)	25.93±20.50	73.95±20.60	0.0004
CCR4 ^{hi} CXCR3 ⁻ (1)	74.39±14.38	25.51±14.39	<0.0001
CCR4 ⁻ CXCR3 ⁻ (3)	17.25±10.81	82.63±10.67	<0.0001
CCR4 ⁻ CXCR3 ⁺ (4)	29.38±14.19	70.51±14.25	<0.0001
CCR4 ⁺ CXCR3 ⁺ (5)	39.32±19.83	60.57±19.91	0.0376
CLA⁺CCR4 ^{hi} CXCR3⁻ (1)	66.46±20.20	33.30±20.15	0.0017
CLA ⁺ CCR4 ⁻ CXCR3 ⁻ (3)	31.21±18.51	68.81±18.13	0.0002
CLA ⁺ CCR4 ⁻ CXCR3 ⁺ (4)	36.23±8.61	63.54±8.57	<0.0001

Supplemental Table 2. Analysis of T_{CM} and T_{EM} cells in chemokines receptors

expressing subsets

The percentage of each fraction, reported in Figure 2 and Figure 3C, in T_{CM} and T_{EM} cells is shown in the table (n=10). p values were calculated using Unpaired t-test.

SUPPLEMENTAL FIGURES



PBMCs isolated from healthy donors were analyzed by flow cytometry.

Example of Fluorescence Minus One (FMO) staining. The axis scales for fluorescence are reported as log, the axis scales for SSC, FSC are reported as linear.



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Example of Isotype Control Staining. The axis scales for fluorescence are reported as log, the axis scales for FSC are reported as linear.



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Example of gating strategy. The axis scales for fluorescence are reported as log, the axis scales for SSC, FSC are reported as linear.



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Statistical analysis of the differences was performed by Mann-Whitney test. p values <0.05 were considered significant: **** p<0.0001.

(B) Mean values of the percentages of CCR4/CCR5 subpopulations among CD4⁺ T_{CM} and T_{EM} were shown in pie charts.



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Ccr4



Ccr5



Supplemental figure 7

Gene expression data for *Ccr4* and *Ccr5* in individual immune cell population using ImmGen DataBrowsers (<u>http://www.immgen.org/databrowser/index.html</u>). Gene expression analysis was performed in Human Immune cells (Garvan) data group. CD4



PBMCs isolated from patients with cutaneous psoriasis were stained for CD4 and CD8 lineage markers, memory T cell phenotype markers (CD45RA and CCR7) and for chemokine receptors CCR4, CCR5, CXCR3. Statistical analysis of the differences between T_{CM} and T_{EM} cells was performed by Mann-Whitney test. p values <0.05 were considered significant: ** p<0.01, *** p<0.001.