**Table S1.** Leucocytes in spleen from infected and non-infected WT, PMN-depleted and Genista mice. Cells were analyzed by flow cytometry at 8 and 15 days of infection using CD4+/CD44+, CD8+/CD44+, B220+/CD95+, and CD11b+/Ly6C+ cell markers. The percentages of cells found in each of the specified gates are indicated.

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| **Time** |  | **Cell markers**  |  | **Wild type**  |  | **Genista** |  | **PMN-depleted**  |
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| **8 days**  |   | CD4+/CD44+ |   | 37.3 ± 5.7  |   | 65.4 ± 5.8  |  | 59.3 ± 3.0  |  | 75.2 ± 5.7  |  | 41.3 ± 1.9 |  | 76.0 ± 7.4 |
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|   | CD8+/CD44+ |   | 40.3 ± 2.5  |   | 35.7 ± 4.5  |  | 81.0 ± 3.5  |  | 69.4 ± 4.5  |  | 35.2 ±3.3 |  | 49.0 ± 6.0 |
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|   | B220+/CD95+ |   | 0.6 ± 0.2  |   | 3.2 ± 0.7  |  | 2.1 ± 1.1  |  | 3.5 ± 1.0  |  | 0.8 ± 0.1 |  | 3.0 ± 0.6 |
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|   | CD11b+/Ly6C+ |   | 12.1 ± 1.1  |   | 49.4 ± 7.3  |  | 15.6 ± 5.3  |  | 77.2 ± 10.0  |  | 33.0 ± 8.5 |  | 80.0 ± 6.8 |
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| **15 days**  |   | CD4+/CD44+ |   | 19.8 ± 4.4  |   | ND  |  | 41.6 ± 6.1  |  | 69.2 ± 8.8  |  |  |  |  |
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|   | CD8+/CD44+ |   | 28.1 ± 3.9  |   | ND  |  | 64.8 ± 5.3  |  | 82.3 ± 6.5  |  |  |  |  |
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|   | B220+/CD95+ |   | 1.2 ± 0.2  |   | ND  |  | 3.4 ± 1.3  |  | 6.0 ± 3.8  |  |  |  |  |
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|   | CD11b+/Ly6C+ |   | 15.4 ± 1.8  |   | 13.3 ± 0.7  |  | 13.0 ± 2.1  |  | 66.0 ± 12.5  |  |  |  |  |