

Intracellular pathogens 1

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* Immunity to Intracellular pathogens

- recognised by TLR & NLR
- phagocytes & NK cells are main cells.
- intracellular bacteria activate NK cells:
 - ① induce expression of NK-cell activating ligand (on infected cell)
 - ② induce production of IL-12 + IL-15 which are NK-activating cytokines.
→ produced by dendritic cells & macrophages.

* major mechanism against intracellular bacteria → T cell mediated immunity.

- * NK cells have
 - activate protein tyrosine kinase PTK
 - activating receptors → recognise infected cells
 - inhibiting receptors → recognise healthy cells.
recognise (MHC I) → healthy cells
 - activate protein tyrosine phosphatase PTP

* NK can recognise cells without MHC I → recognition of missing self

- * NK have (FcγRIII) (CD16) receptors that recognize antibody-antigen complex.
allows NK to lyse cells through Antibody dependent cytotoxicity ADCC

- * NK in viral infection : - secretes IFNγ + TNFα
activates macrophages → activates NK tumor cell killing.

* L. Monocytogenes bacteria, phagocytosed by macrophages & may survive & escape into the cytoplasm.

- * $CD4^+$ respond to MHC II, produce $IFN-\gamma$ → activate phagocytes.
- * $CD8^+$ respond to MHC I, direct kill the infected cell.

- * innate immunity releases type 1 interferons in viral infections (early mediator)
 - ① activate transcription of proteins can produce antiviral state in the cell
genes confer on the cell a resistance to viral infections
 - ② cause sequestration of lymphocytes in lymph nodes
 - ③ increase cytotoxicity of NK + $CD8^+$
 - ④ upregulate expression of MHC-I

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TH1 produce IFN- γ , TNF, chemokines & cytokines.

regulates macrophage activation by contact mediated signals by CD40L-CD40

* Adaptive immune response to microbes that live inside the phagosome is mediated by TH1 cells.

TH2 mediate helminthic parasite infection
stimulate IgE by IL4 / activate eosinophils by IL-5
TH17 extracellular fungi & bacteria.
produce IL-17 $\rightarrow$ recruit leukocytes + neutrophils.

IFN- γ induce IgG
positive feedback
allergic
+ IL-13
CD4+

CD8⁺ $\rightarrow$ microbes that infect & replicate in the cytoplasm.

$\rightarrow$ may cause tissue damage called a delayed-type hypersensitivity

(DTH)

* T cells need to proliferate & differentiate into memory & effector cells that require - antigen recognition - costimulation - cytokines

* Costimulatory pathway of T cells activation.

* TNF stimulates migration of T cells (not naive)

CD28 $\sim$ B7-1 (CD80)
B7-2 (CD86)
on APCs

- T cell surface receptors
- includes inhibitory & activating receptors.

$\rightarrow$ inhibitory receptors include
① CTLA4
② PD-1

* most important cytokine and first released by T cells is IL-2
IL-2 stimulates survival, proliferation & differentiation of antigen-activated T cells

* CD8⁺ killer cells + NK $\rightarrow$ have granzymes + perforins

(autocrine growth factor)

* T regulatory cells express CD25, CD4, FOXP3

Mediators are inhibitory
① maintain tolerance, prevent autoimmunity & limit chronic inflammation
② limit beneficial response by suppressing cytokines & sterilizing immunity + limit anti-tumor immunity

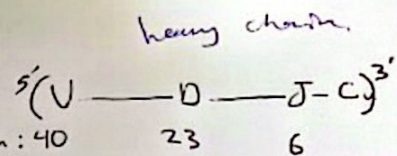
IL-10, TGF- β

IL-35

* fungal infections: mycoses

VDJ recombination 1

* Antigen receptor gene rearrangements:

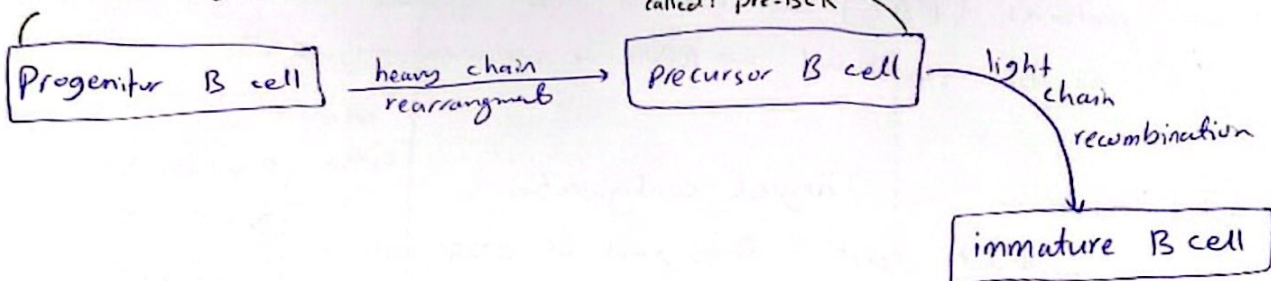


VDJ recombination:

① heavy chain rearrangement. (~~Antigen receptor~~)

First antigen receptor chain to be rearranged is Ig H gene

can make IgM Ab



* The heavy chain recombination: ① J & D recombination → bind each other bringing the C in close proximity.

② VDJ recombination → J, D will bind to V region bringing C_H more close

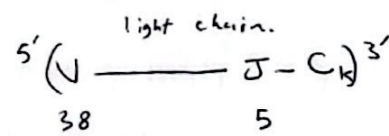
* The whole VDJC is RNA rn (transcription)

③ splicing to remove the introns → mRNA

④ This mRNA will be translated to heavy chain.

IgM have 4 constant regions, cuz heavy chain have 4

* The light chain recombination: VJ recombination
 ↳ No D segment.



• VJ then splicing then translation.

* There are hypervariable regions: Complementary-determining region (CDRs) ✓
 (HVRs)

There are 3 CDRs on both L & H chains. (7)(12 or 23)(9)

recombination signal sequence (RSS) consists of heptamer separated by 12 or 23 base pairs from a nonamer (9)

VDJ recombination 2

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* there are two ways to initiate the recombination:

① Deletion ② Inversion

↳ (hairpin loop configuration)

* hairpin loop is formed where you can see V & J parallel to each other.

- 12/23 are on the side can undergo recombination

- proteins (RAG) will cut off other segments allowing V & J to be recombined. $\rightarrow$ RNA $\rightarrow$ splicing $\rightarrow$ mRNA

② Inversion or Tangled configuration without deletion any part of DNA.

12 + 12 X

23 + 23 X

12 + 23 ✓

Proteins involved:

① In kappa chain: RAG1, RAG2 will bind the motifs of RSS

- will bind each other forming hairpin loop
- will cleave RSS motifs

② Ku70, Ku80 will bind J & V segments.

↳ initiate repair by forming loop (hairpin)

③ DNA protein kinase (Artemis) will open the loop formed by Ku

④ terminal deoxynucleotidyl transferase (TDT)

will add nucleotides to the segments. J & V randomly.

⑤ DNA ligase + XRCC4 will ligate the ends together. creating phosphodiester bonds.

Extracellular pathogens 1

immunity against Extracellular microbes

principle mechanisms:

① phagocytosis

phagocytes recognize bacteria that are bound to antibodies by Fc receptors.

- IgG1 + IgG3 → Fc receptors

phagocyte **FCGR1** receptor binds antibody coated particle lead to engulfment + phagocytosis.

all this increase production of:

phagocyte oxidase (respiratory burst)
inducible NO synthase (iNOS) - hydrolytic enzymes (kill large pathogens)

* antimicrobial peptides & - net positive charge (+) → cations.
get attracted to -ve charged

→ Defensins: small, produced by endothelial cells of mucosal surfaces & granule-containing leukocyte.

→ Cathecidines: - produced by neutrophils & barrier epithelia
- cleavage - cleaved to pose bactericidal & immunomodulatory functions.

* Primary ciliary dyskinesia → ① inherited ② impaired mucociliary clearance

hijacked by tumors to exert immunosuppression effect.

③ lead to repeated chest infections.

include CC, CXCL8 (IL-8)

- induce chemotaxis (migration)
- induce phagocytosis.

* chemokines: all chemokines are cytokines but not all cytokines are chemokines: chemokines are chemotaxis or chemoattractants.

① stimulate leukocyte movement

② regulate their migration (blood vessels)

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Extracellular pathogens 2

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6 chemokines receptors are: seven transmembrane, GTP binding
(GPCR)

LAD

* Leukocyte Adhesion deficiency - immunodeficiency disorder.

- defective B & T cells - leukocytes unable to migrate to site of infection
- inability to form pus - deficiency in LFA-1/Mac-1
- deficiency in glycoprotein 150/95 - mutation in CD18 glycoprotein impairs

* Macrophages & dendritic cells present antigens using MHC II
& activate T helper cell



* TLR on dendritic cells, activate their expression of
① antigens ② costimulatory molecules ③ cytokines that
are all needed for the activation of naïve T cells
into effector T cell

* Sepsis → severe systemic disseminated infection.

* two rare sequelae of streptococcal infections → produce antibodies
to attack the bacterial cell wall protein = M protein.
- Some of these antibodies may cross react with self antigens.

* **Superantigens** :- bacterial toxins - resemble conventional antigens

- can bind to T cell receptor TCR + MHC II
- non specific activation of T cells
- stimulate all T cells that express VB T cell receptor
- = conventional peptide antigens need binding to peptide binding cleft
although these superantigens can bind without it.