

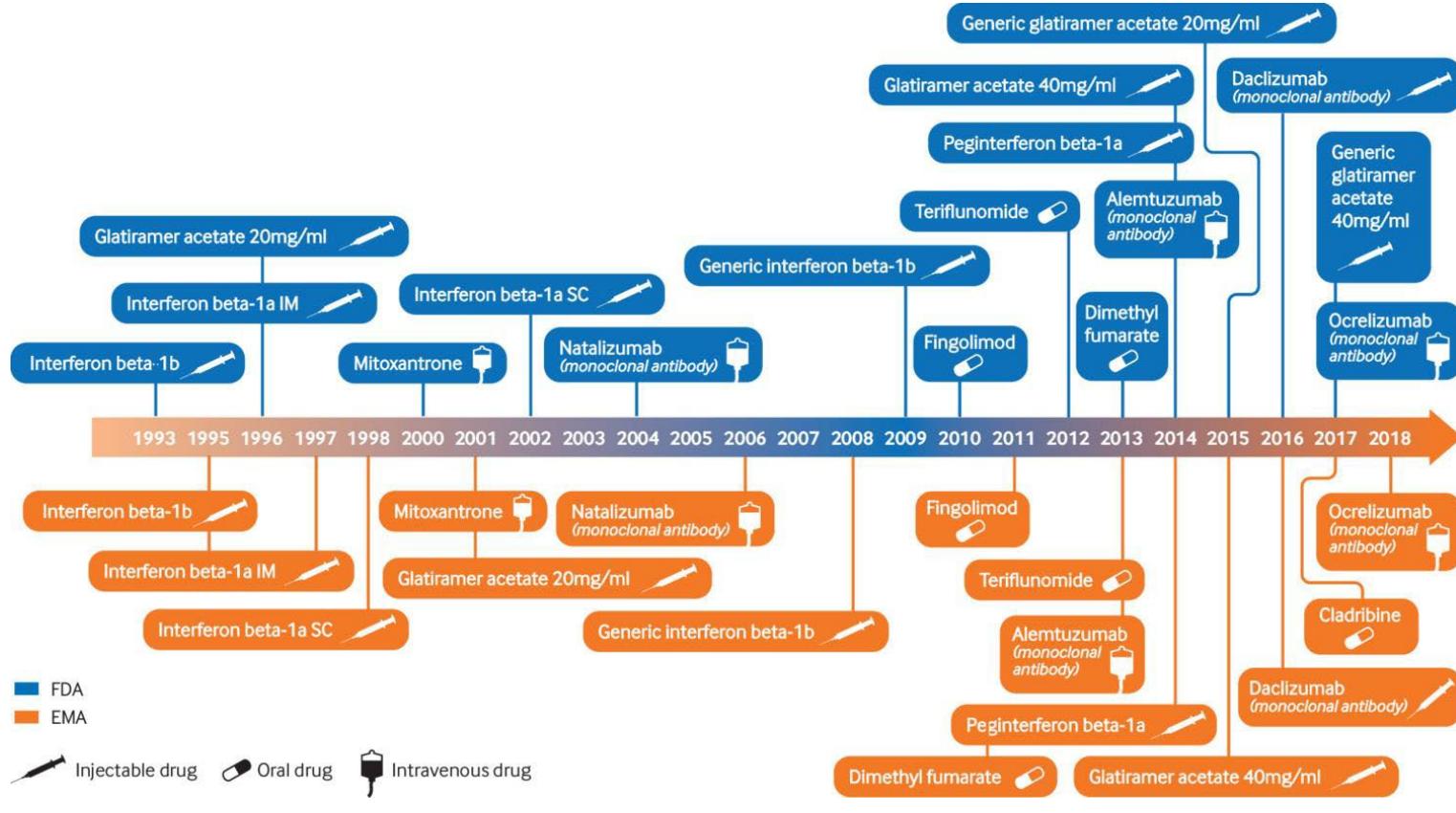
Improving delivery of MS treatments

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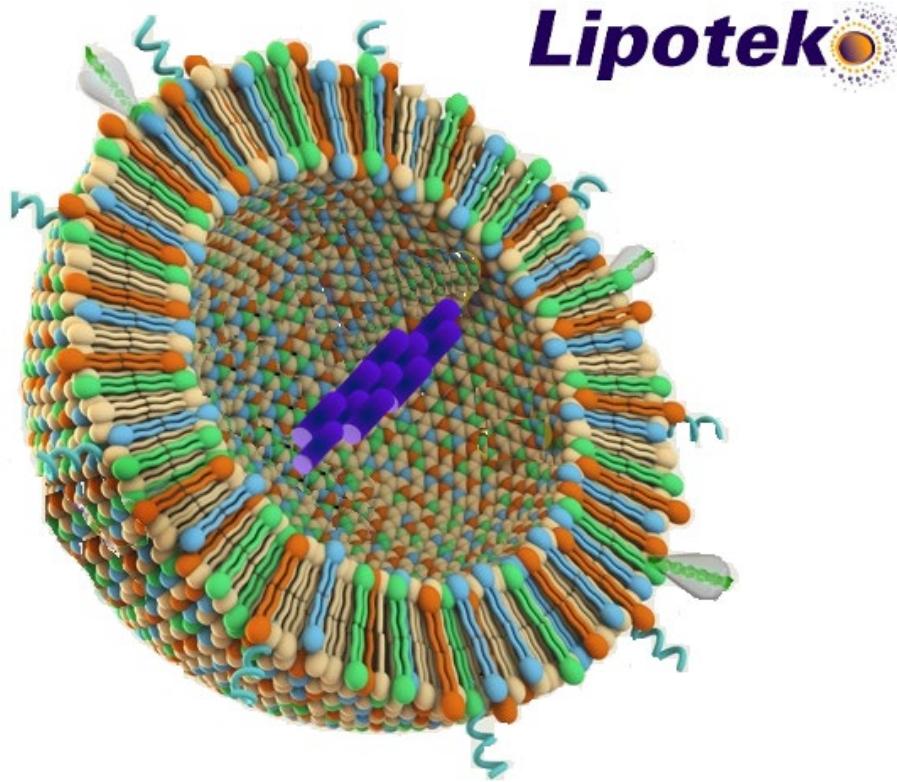


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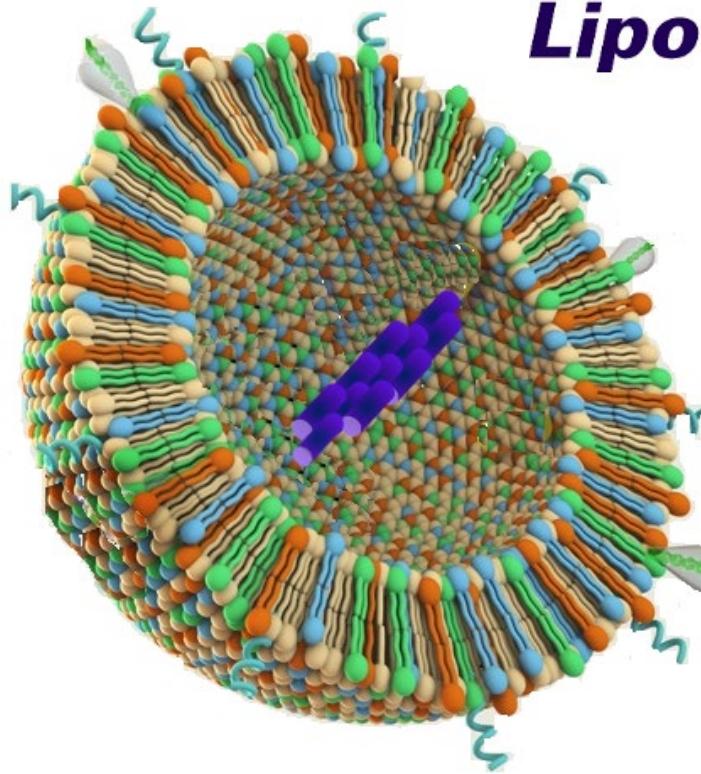
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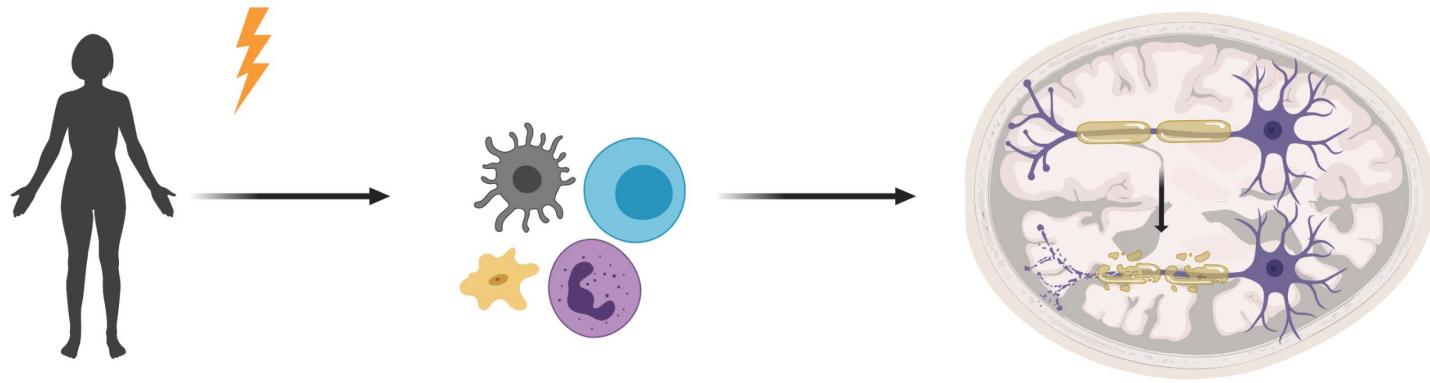


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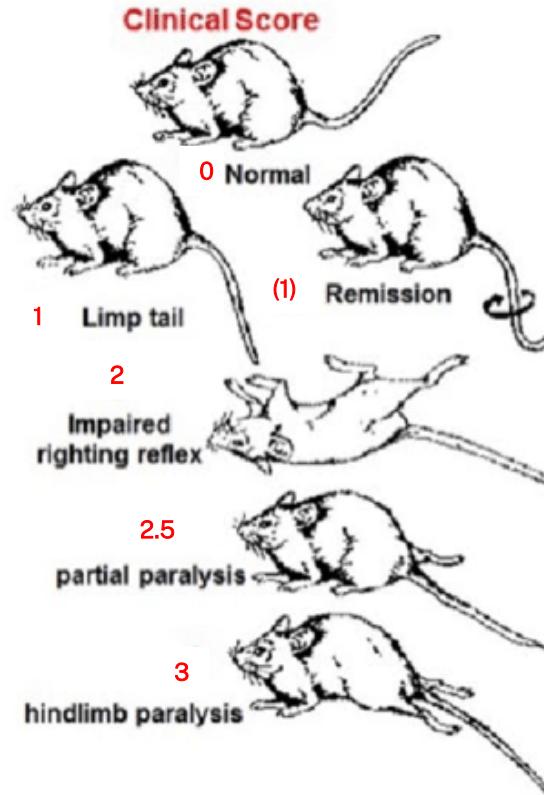
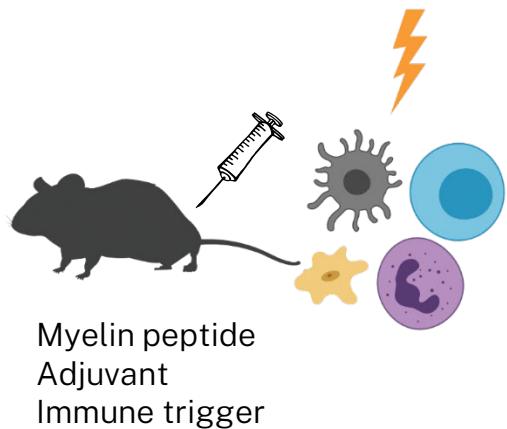


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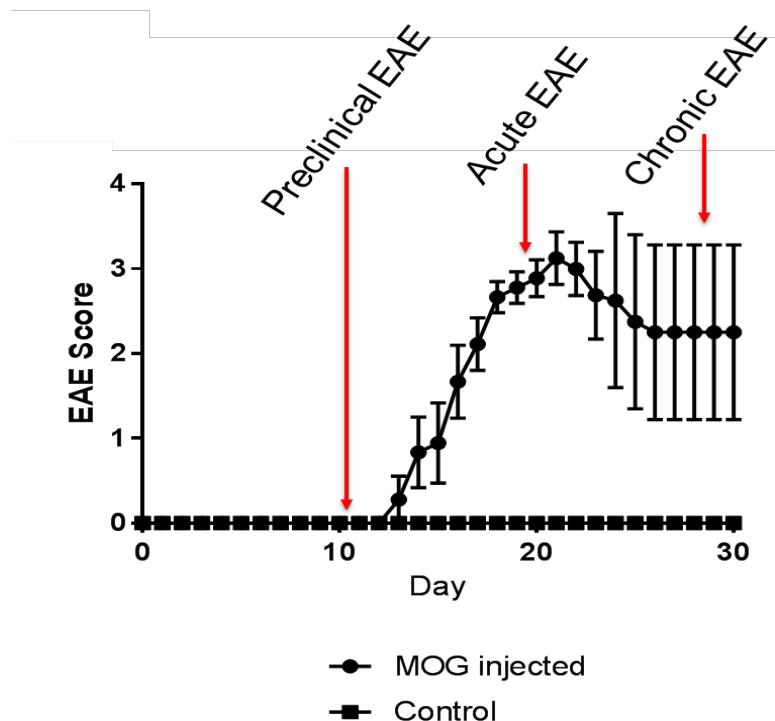
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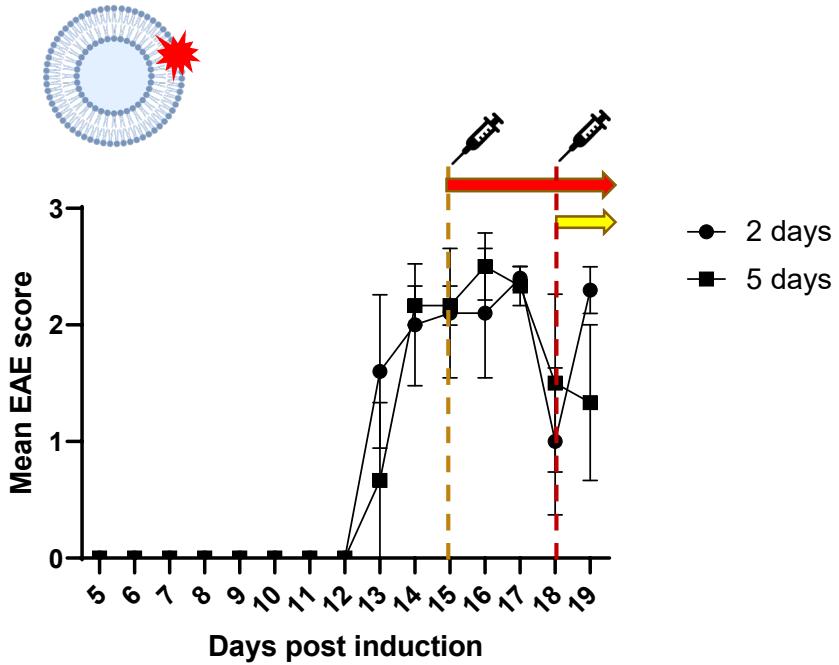
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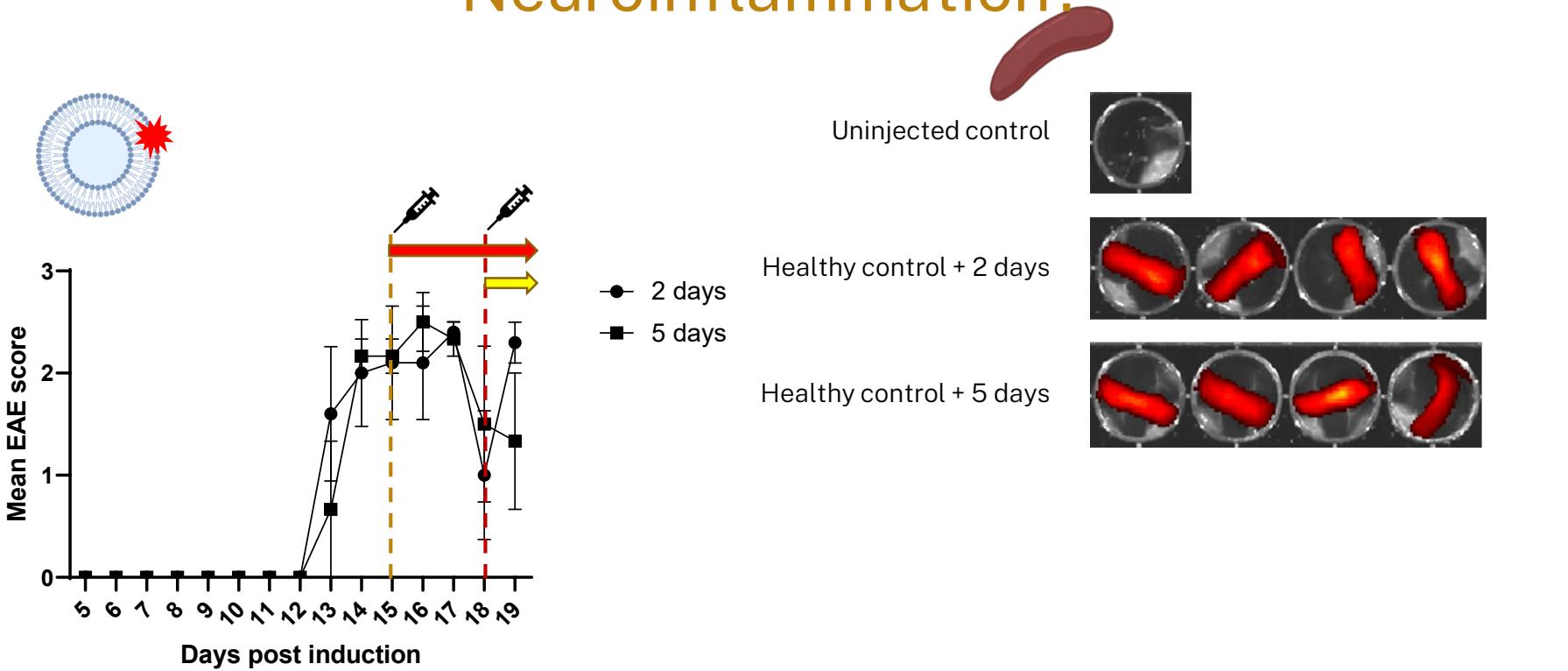
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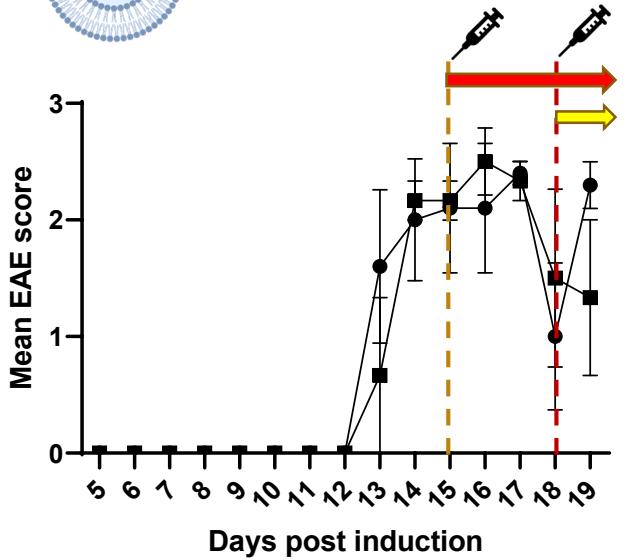
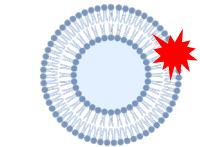
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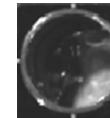
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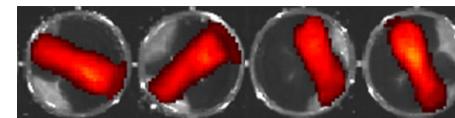
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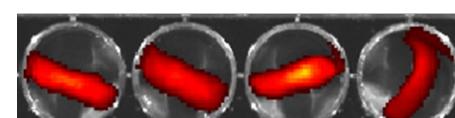
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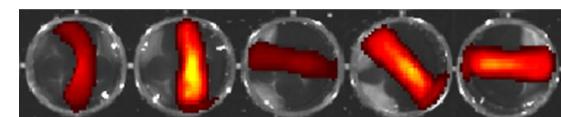
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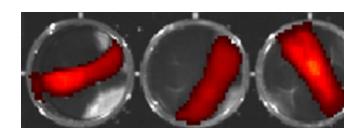
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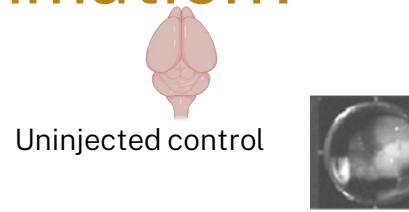
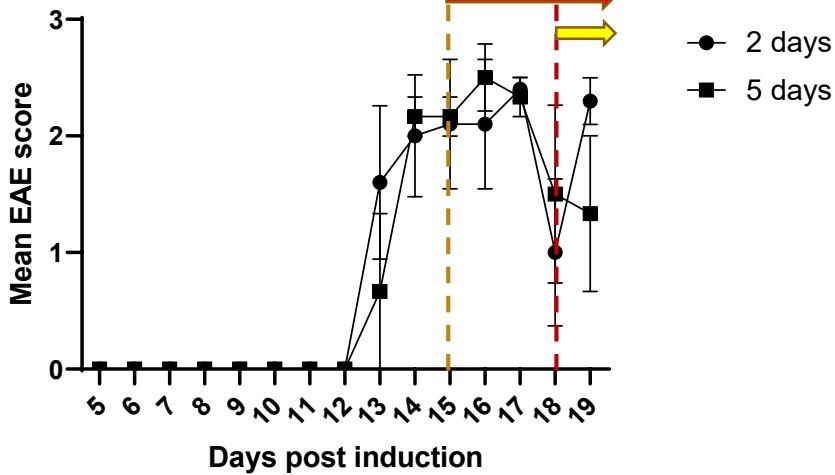
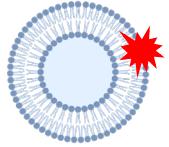
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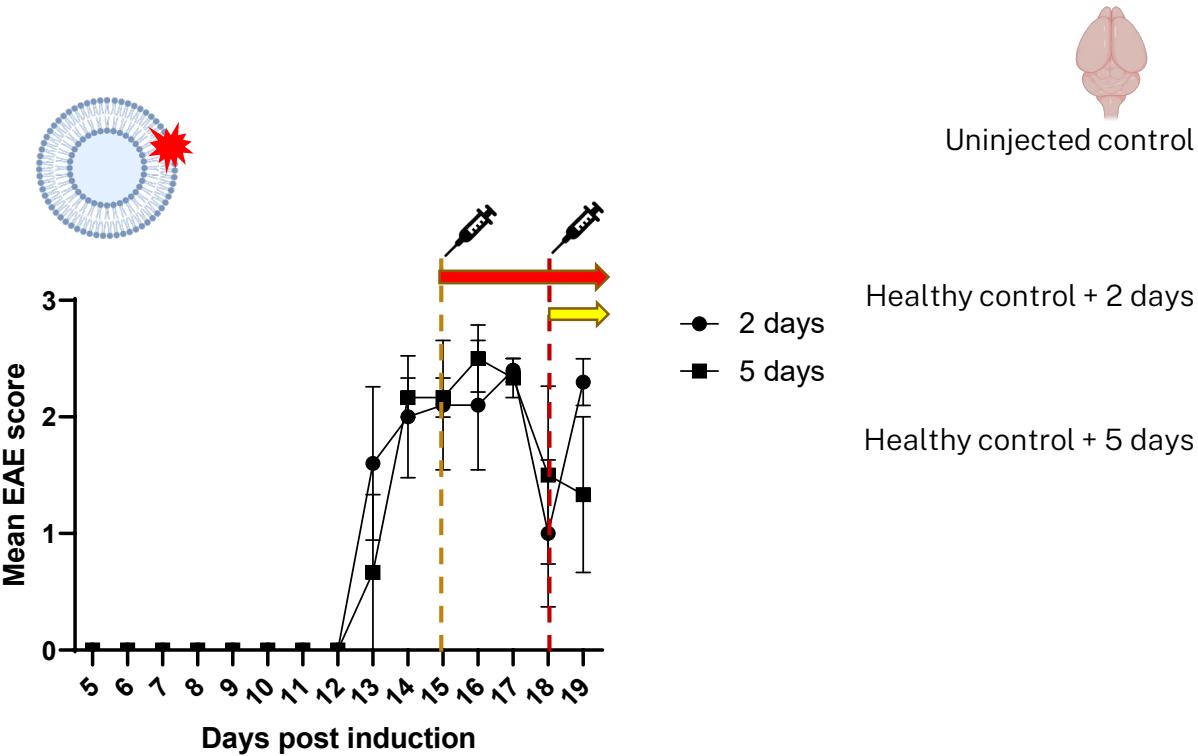
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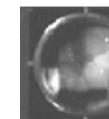
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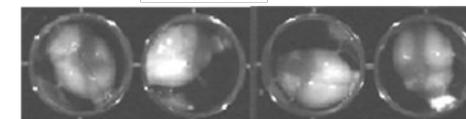
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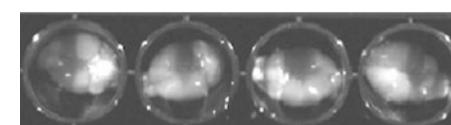
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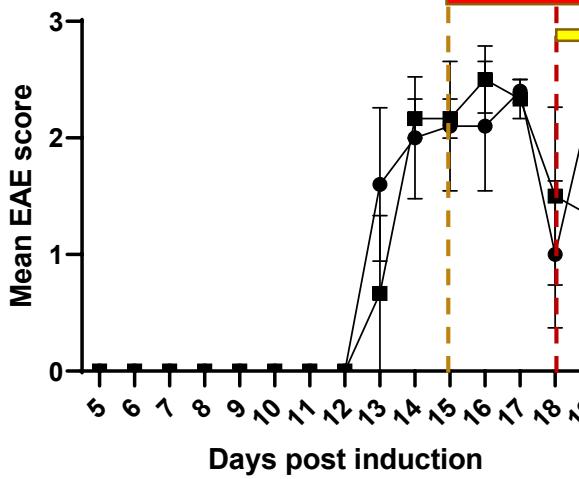
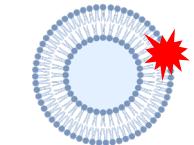
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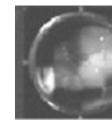
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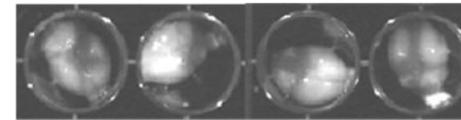
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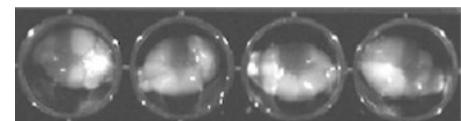
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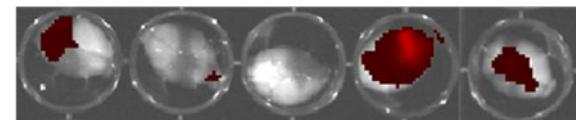
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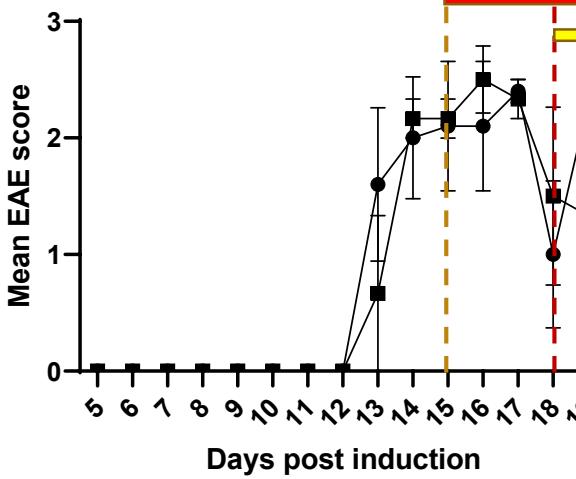
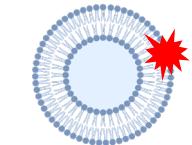
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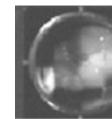
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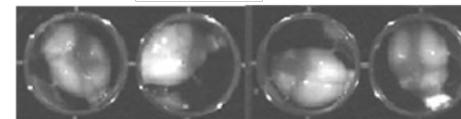
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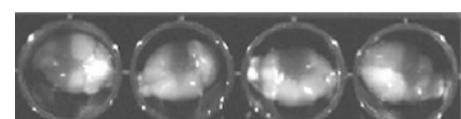
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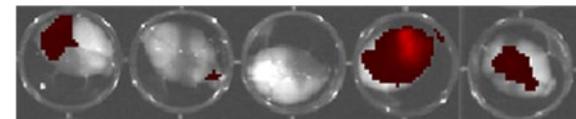
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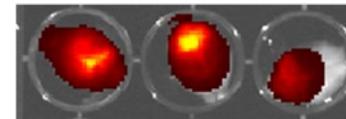
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Mitoxantrone (MTX) for MS

Anti-tumour
drug

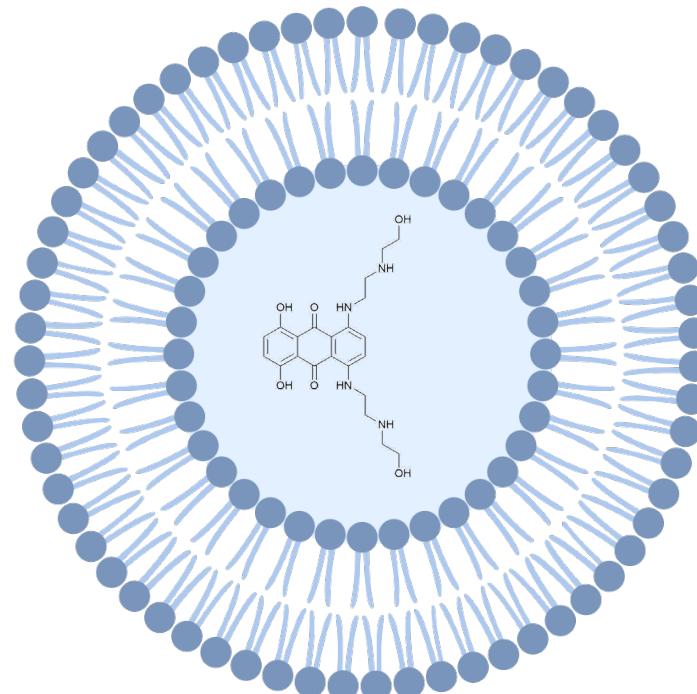


Established in
the EAE model



Found to be
effective in MS

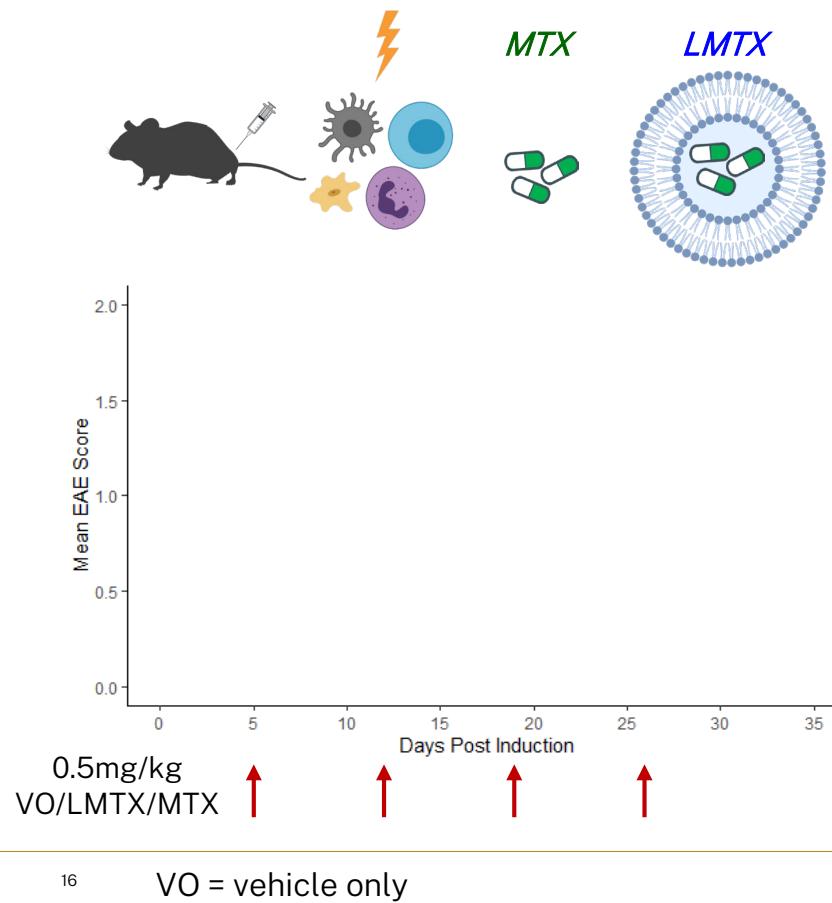
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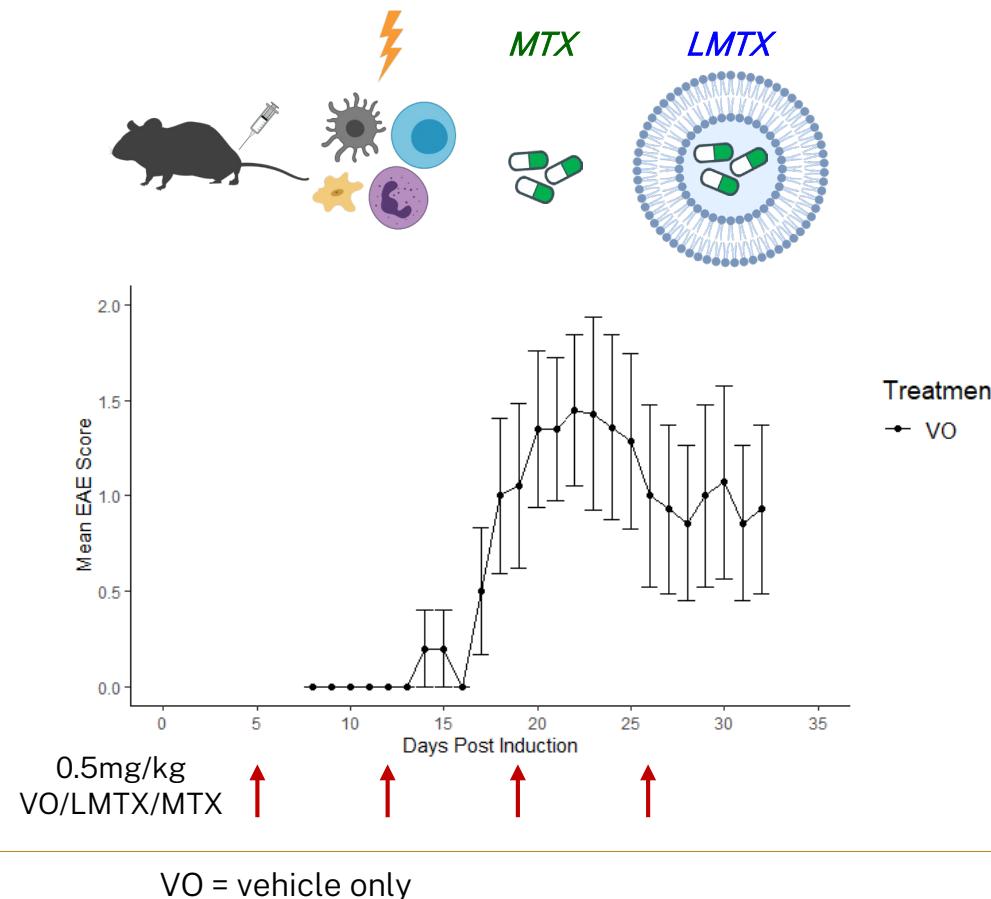
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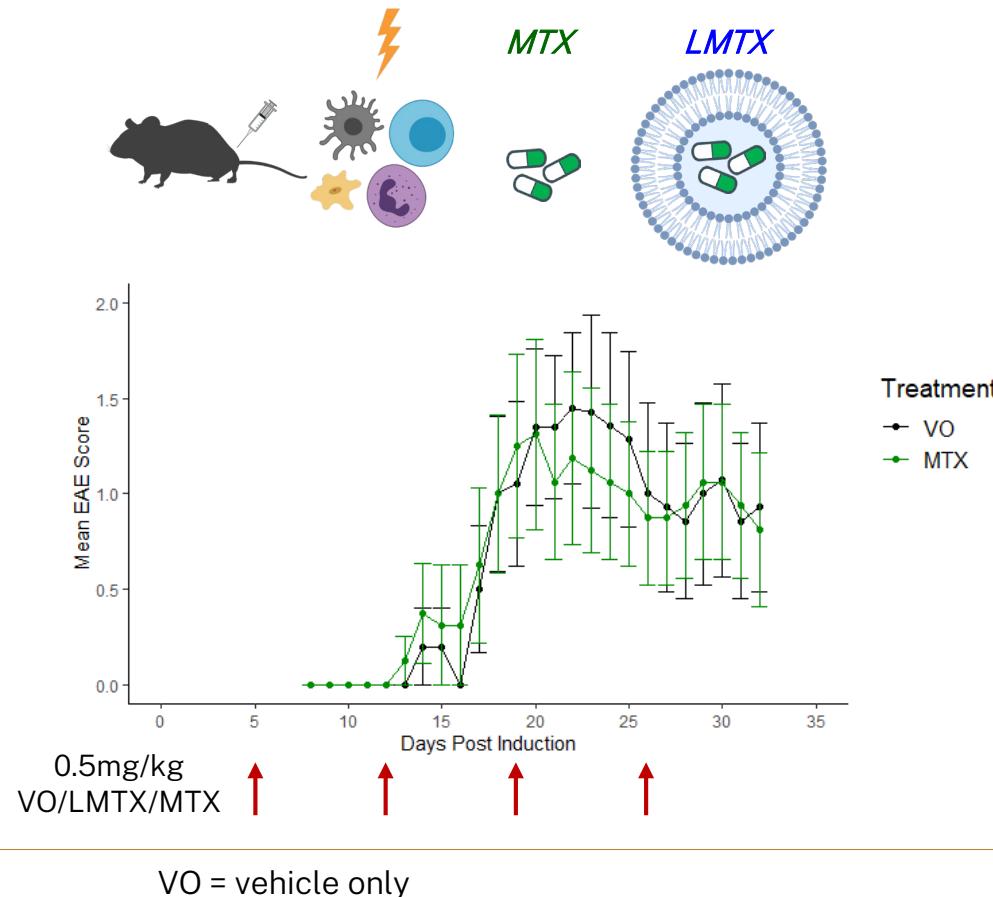
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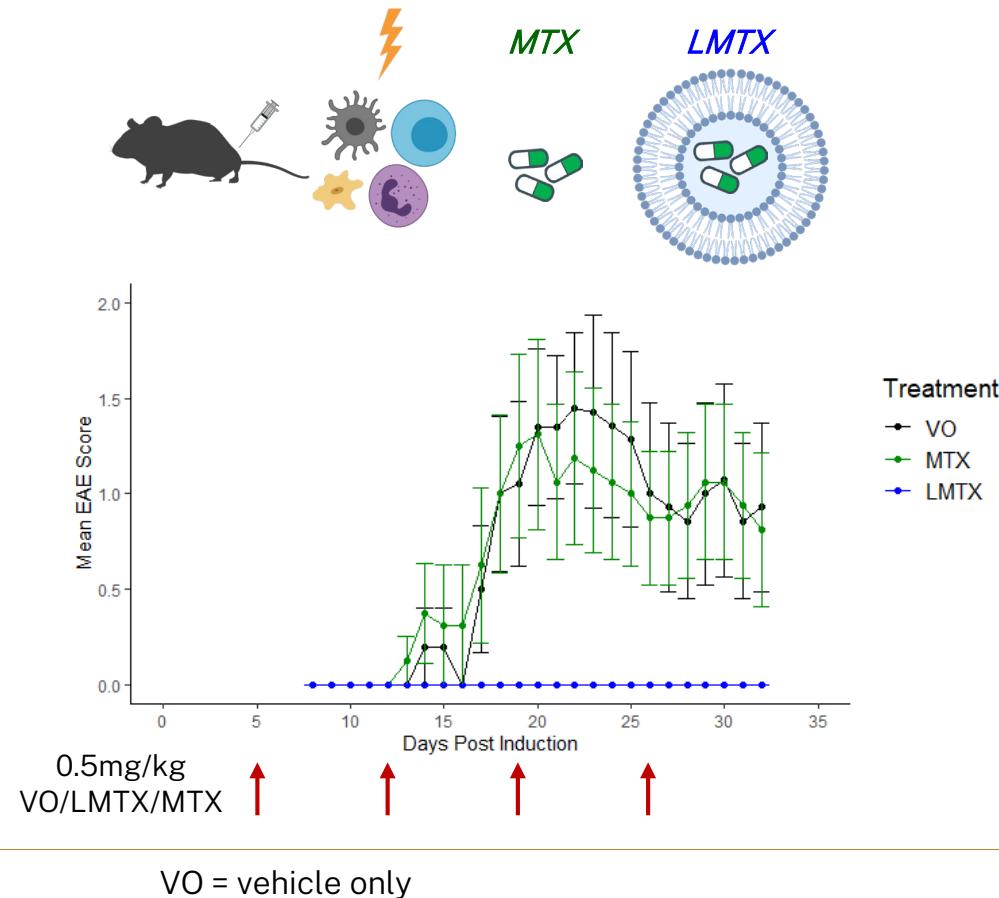


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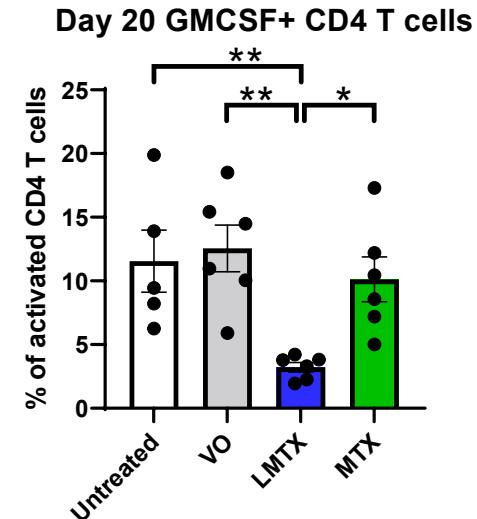
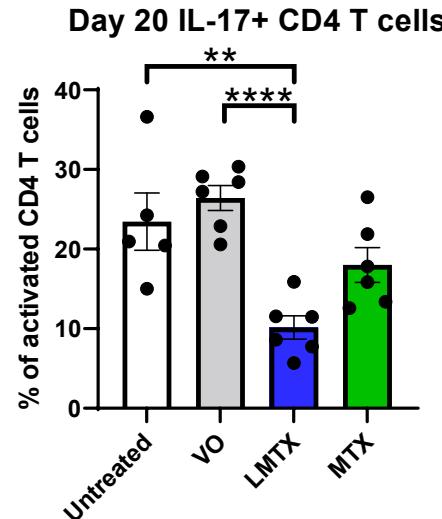
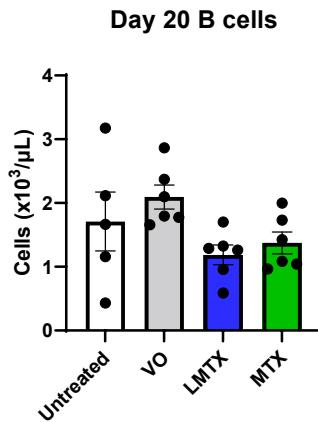
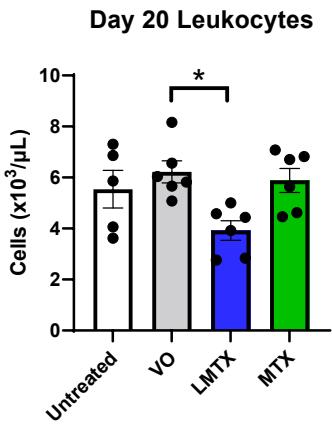
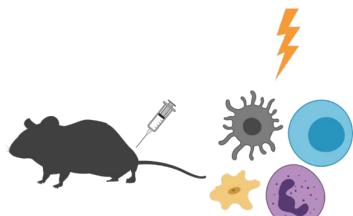


VO = vehicle only

Liposomal mitoxantrone (LMTX) in EAE



What immune cells are affected?



Summary:

- Liposomes accumulate to sites of inflammation
 - CNS
- MTX in liposomes effective at significantly lower doses

Significance:

- Potential therapeutic opportunities
 - More targeted delivery to site of inflammation
 - Much lower concentrations of drug needed
 - Reduction of side effects



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