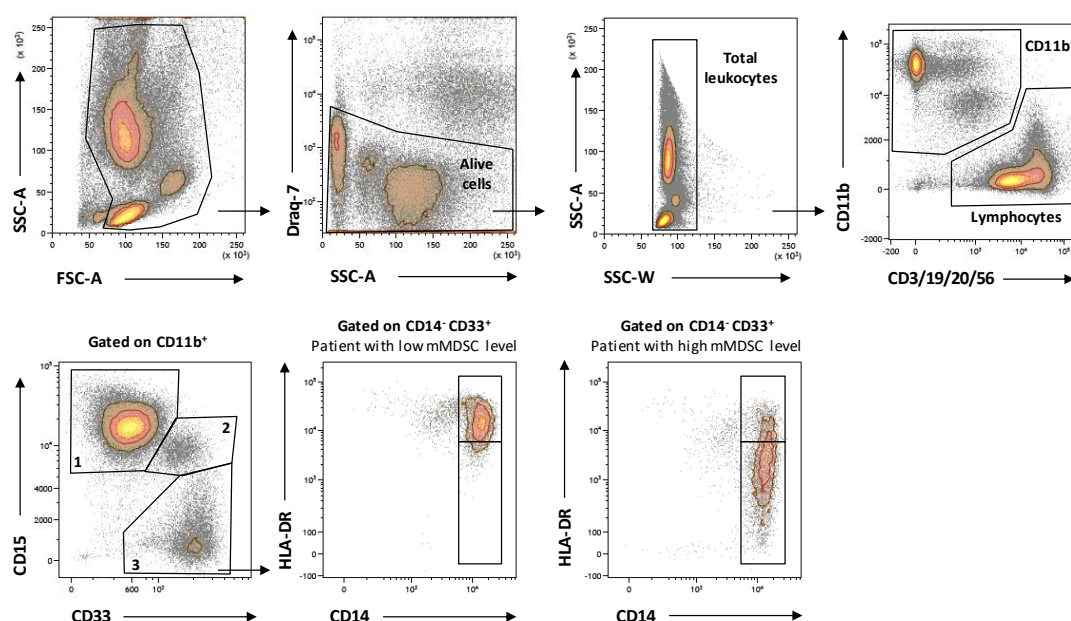


# Supplementary Materials: Baseline Splenic Volume as a Prognostic Biomarker of FOLFIRI Efficacy and a Surrogate Marker of MDSC Accumulation in Metastatic Colorectal Carcinoma

**Table S1.** Factors associated with overall survival using baseline splenic volume as a binary variable by multivariate Cox analyses.

| Variable                                            | HR    | 95%CI           | p-Value |
|-----------------------------------------------------|-------|-----------------|---------|
| Baseline splenic volume >180mL vs ≤180 mL           | 1.094 | [0.819 - 1.461] | 0.54    |
| Primary tumor resected yes vs no                    | 0.761 | [0.576 - 1.006] | 0.06    |
| Number of metastatic sites, >2 vs ≤2                | 1.743 | [1.272 - 2.389] | 0.01    |
| Baseline Alkaline Phosphatase, >300 U/L vs ≤300 U/L | 2.366 | [1.610 - 3.476] | <0.01   |
| Baseline Leukocytes, >10 G/L vs ≤10 G/L             | 1.500 | [1.070 - 2.103] | 0.02    |
| Baseline Platelets, >300 G/L vs ≤300 G/L            | 1.457 | [1.092 - 1.945] | 0.01    |

HR, hazard ratio; CI, confidence interval.



**Figure S1.** Identification of blood leukocyte subsets by flow cytometry. Singlet live blood CD11b<sup>+</sup> Lineage<sup>-</sup> (CD3/CD56/CD19/CD20) leukocytes were considered as myeloid cell and CD11b<sup>-</sup> Lineage<sup>+</sup> as total lymphocytes. Next, we identified (1) granulocytes as CD15<sup>+</sup> CD33<sup>-</sup>, (2) gMDSC as CD15<sup>+</sup> CD33<sup>+</sup>, and (3) monocytic cells as CD15<sup>-</sup> CD33<sup>+</sup>. mMDSC was considered as CD14<sup>+</sup> HLA-DR<sup>low/neg</sup> and mature monocytes as CD14<sup>+</sup> HLA-DR<sup>high</sup>. Representative dot plots of patients with high or low levels of mMDSC are shown.



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