

Homozygous *Smpd1* deficiency aggravates brain ischemia/ reperfusion injury by mechanisms involving polymorphonuclear neutrophils, whereas heterozygous *Smpd1* deficiency protects against mild focal cerebral ischemia

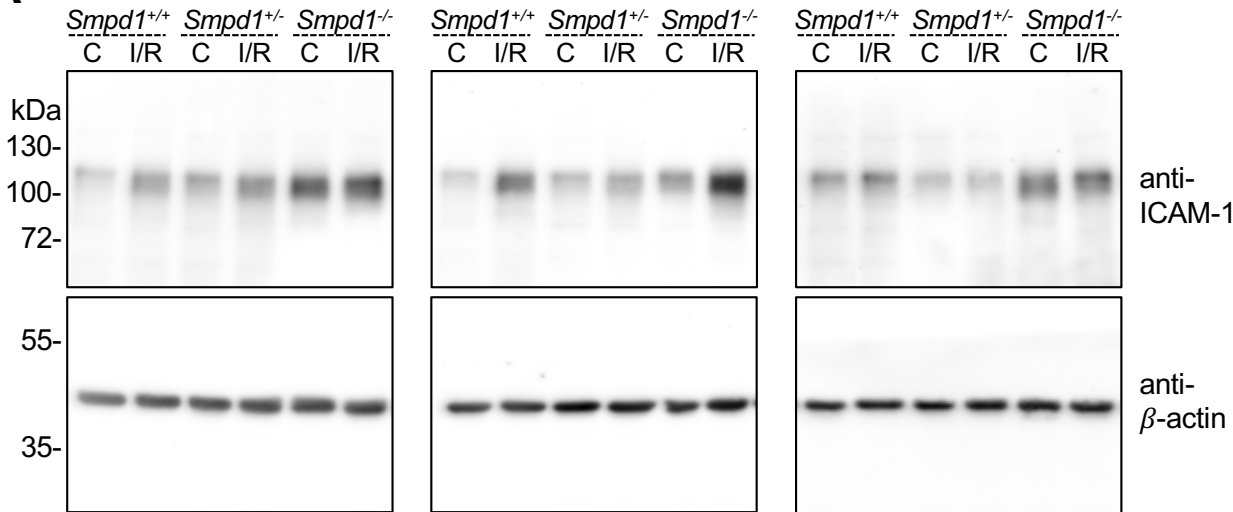
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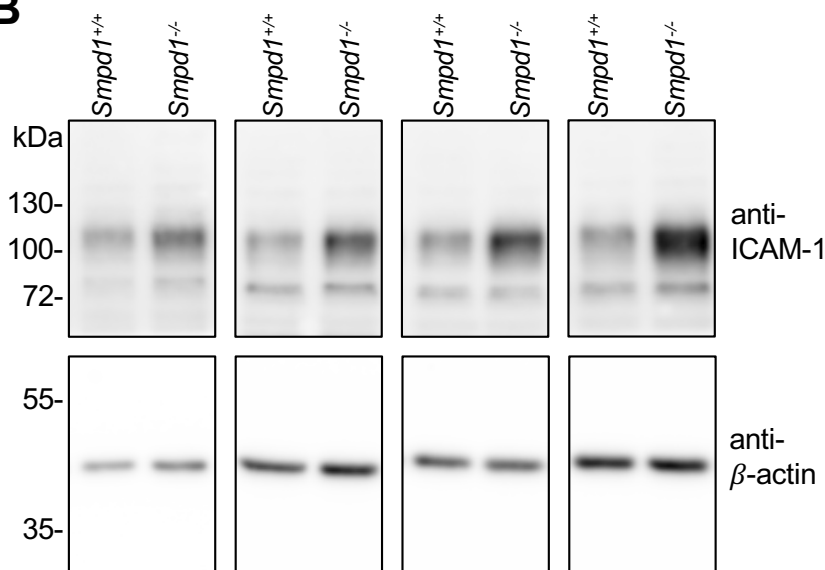
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## Supplementary Figure 5

**A**



**B**



### Supplementary Figure 5. Homozygous, but not heterozygous *Smpd1* deficiency

**increases ICAM-1 abundance on cerebral microvessels.** Complete Western blot membranes exhibiting ICAM-1 protein abundance (**A**) in the contralateral non-ischemic striatum (C) and the reperfused ischemic striatum (I/R) of 8-week-old male *Smpd1*<sup>+/+</sup>, *Smpd1*<sup>+/-</sup> or *Smpd1*<sup>-/-</sup> mice, which were exposed to 30 minutes of MCAO followed by animal sacrifice 24 hours after reperfusion and (**B**) in the striatum of 8-week-old male naive *Smpd1*<sup>+/+</sup>, *Smpd1*<sup>+/-</sup> or *Smpd1*<sup>-/-</sup> mice which had not been exposed to experimental interventions or anesthesia.  $\beta$ -actin blots, which were used as loading controls, are also shown. For the semiquantitative analysis of Western blots see **Figure 5** of the main manuscript.