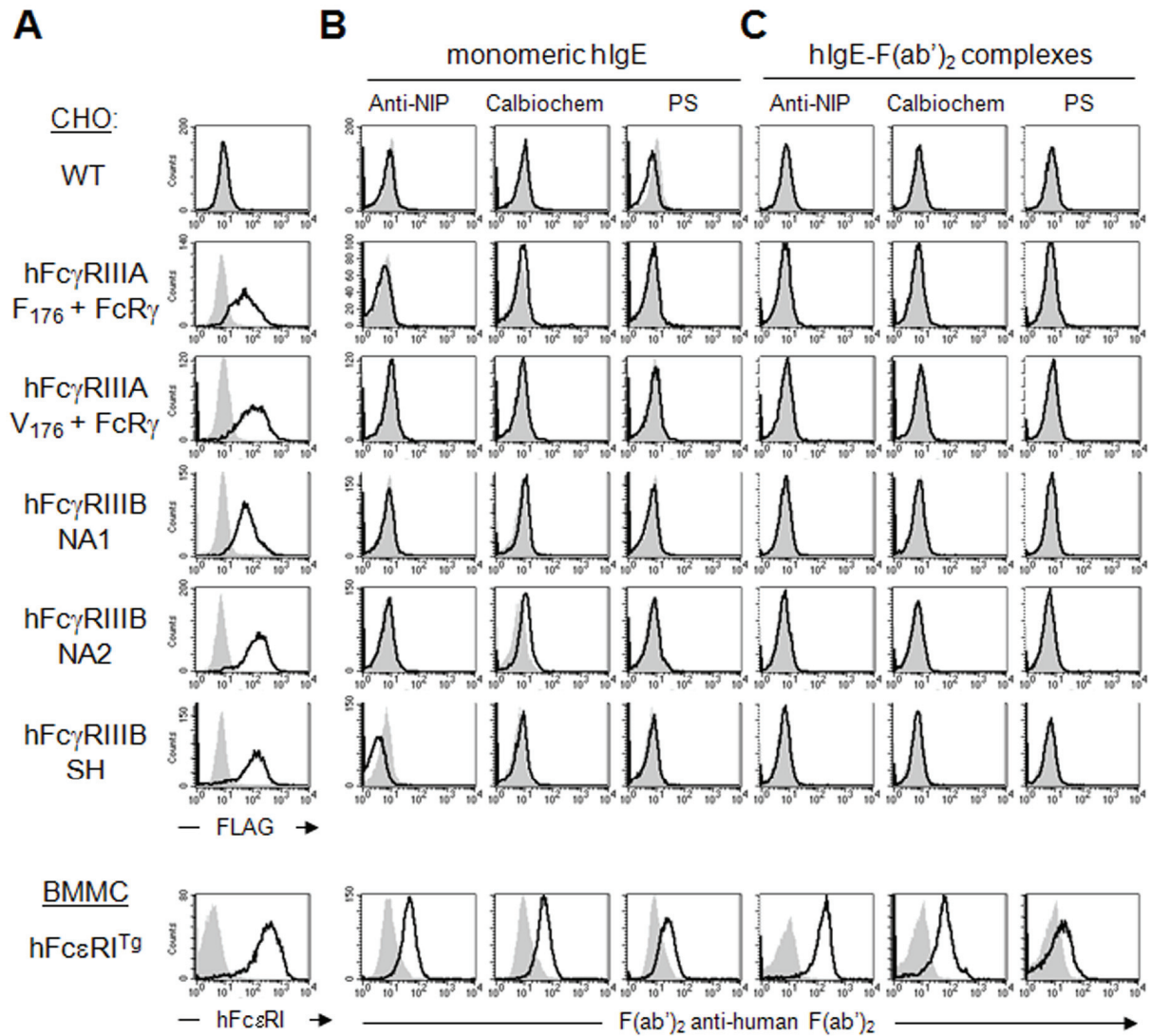
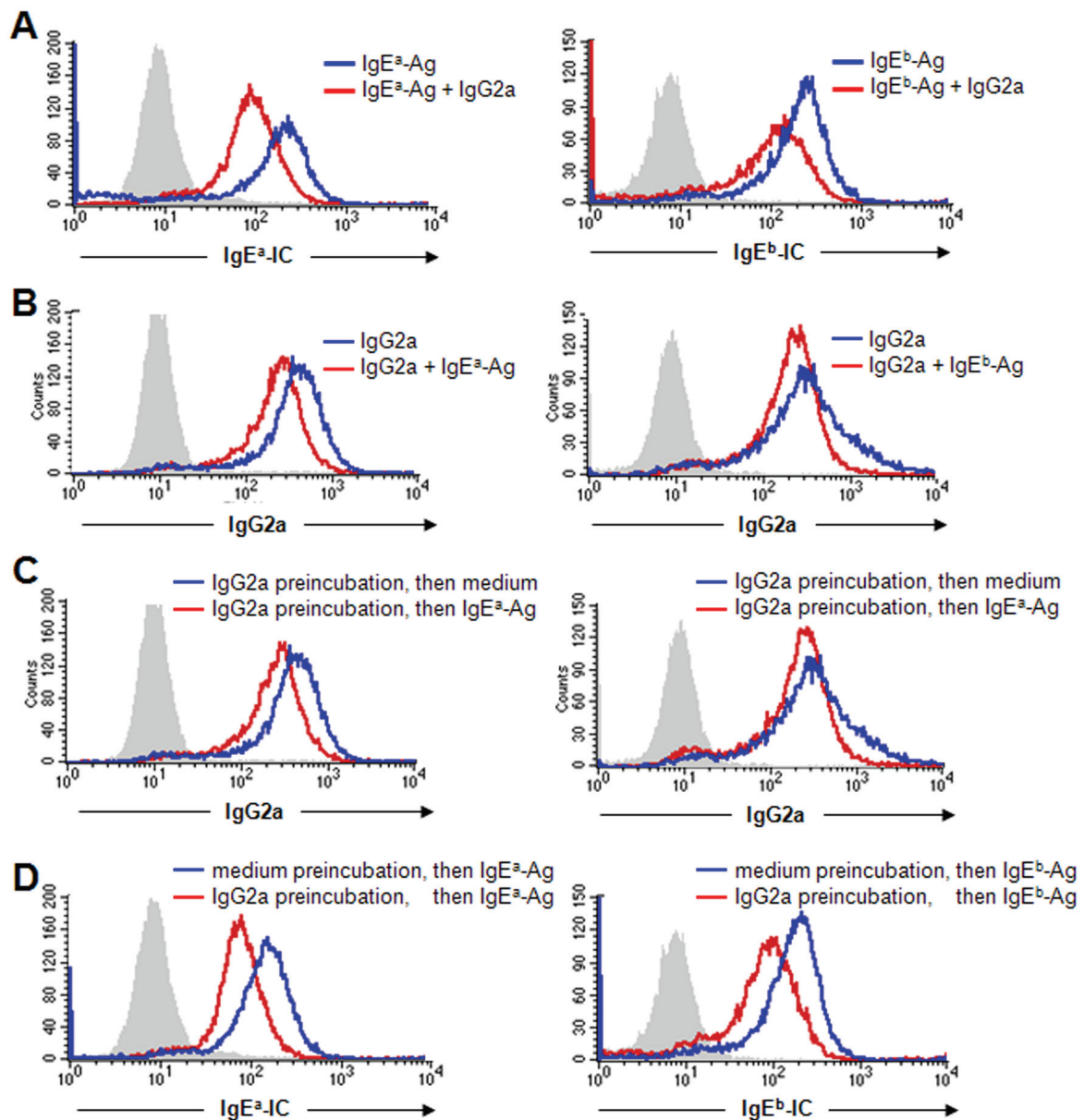


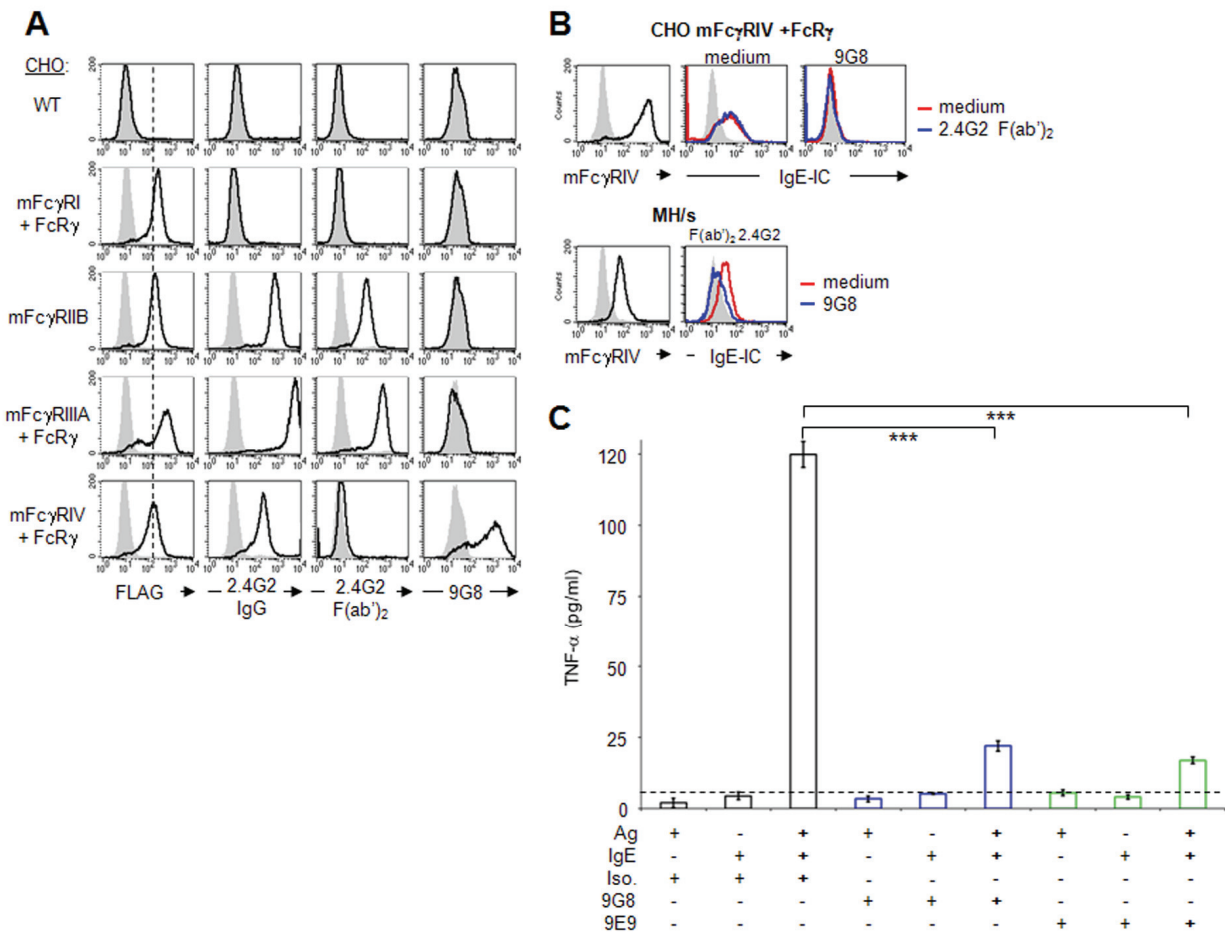
**Supplemental Figure 1.** Regulation histograms of IgE<sup>a</sup> (C38-2<sup>a</sup> and 27-74<sup>a</sup>) and IgE<sup>b</sup> (C48-2<sup>b</sup> and SPE-7<sup>b</sup>) indicating a homogeneous monomeric species only when ultracentrifuged. IgE solutions at 300  $\mu\text{g/ml}$  were analyzed by Dynamic Light Scattering at 833 nm. Arrows indicate monomeric IgEs. The relative proportion of signal due to aggregates in commercial IgE solutions are indicated in the figure.



**Supplemental Figure 2.** hFc $\gamma$ RIIIA and hFc $\gamma$ RIIIB do not bind human IgE. **(A)** Histograms show the binding of anti-FLAG mAb to FLAG-tagged Fc $\gamma$ R on CHO transfectants and the binding of anti-hFc $\epsilon$ RI mAb to hFc $\epsilon$ RI<sup>T9</sup>-BMMC. Solid gray histograms show the binding of isotype control. **(B, C)** Histograms show the binding of 30 $\mu$ g/ml 100,000g-ultracentrifuged monomeric human IgE (B) or 30 $\mu$ g/ml human IgE in complex with 16.7 $\mu$ g/ml PE-F(ab')<sub>2</sub> anti-human F(ab')<sub>2</sub> (C) to Fc $\gamma$ R<sup>+</sup>-CHO and to BMMC. Solid gray histograms show the binding of PE-F(ab')<sub>2</sub> anti-human F(ab')<sub>2</sub>. Identical data was obtained in two independent experiments.



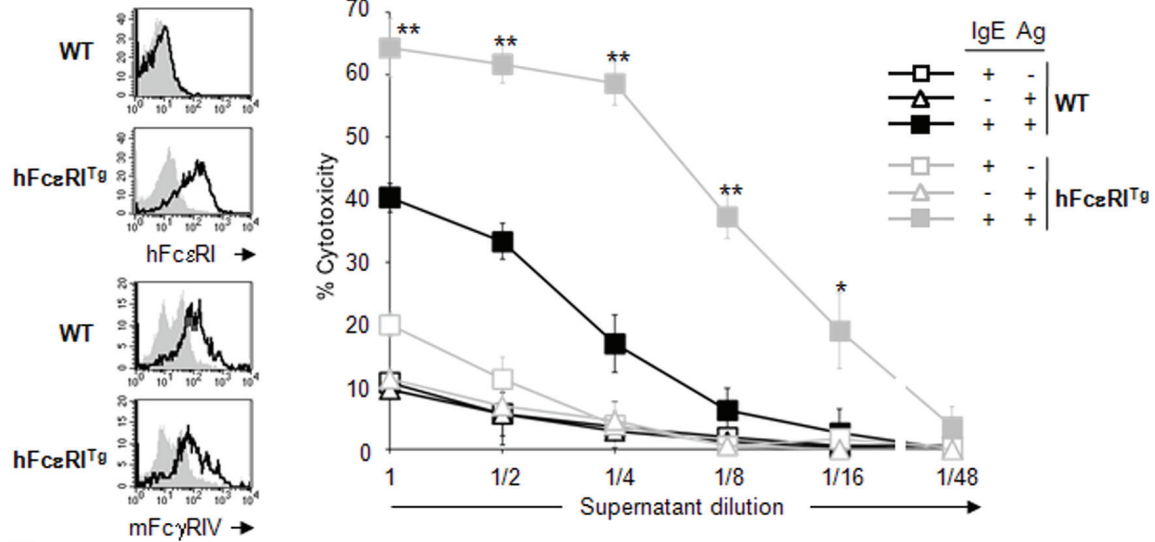
**Supplemental Figure 3.** IgE IC compete with IgG2a for mFc $\gamma$ RIV binding and displace mFc $\gamma$ RIV-bound IgG2a. (A, B) mFc $\gamma$ RIV<sup>+</sup>-CHO were incubated with a mixture of 30 $\mu$ g/ml IgG2a and IgE<sup>a</sup> IC (C38-2<sup>a</sup>, left panel) or IgE<sup>b</sup> IC (C48-2<sup>b</sup>, right panel). Histograms represent the binding of IgE IC (A) or IgG2a (B). (C, D) mFc $\gamma$ RIV<sup>+</sup>-CHO were preincubated with 30 $\mu$ g/ml of IgG2a, followed by an incubation with IgE<sup>a</sup> IC (C38-2<sup>a</sup>, left panel) or IgE<sup>b</sup> IC (C48-2<sup>b</sup>, right panel). Histograms represent the binding of IgG2a (C) or IgE IC (D). Solid grey histograms show the background binding of fluorescent reagents alone.



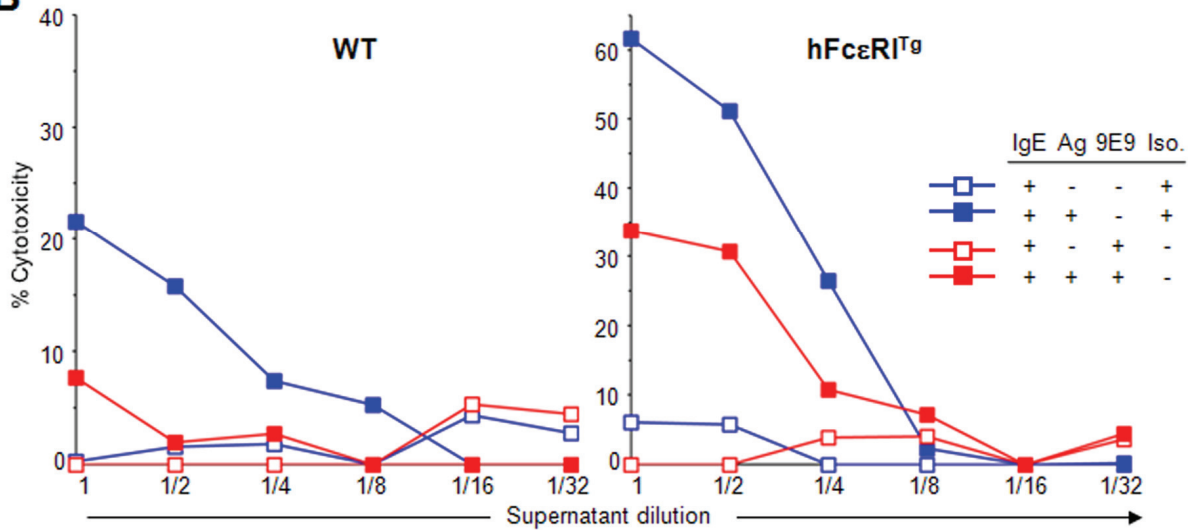
**Supplemental Figure 4.** mAbs 9G8 and 9E9, but not F(ab')<sub>2</sub> fragments of mAb 2.4G2, bind to mFcγRIV and block the binding of IgE IC. **(A)** Histograms show the binding of anti-FLAG mAb, of intact 2.4G2 IgG, of 2.4G2 F(ab')<sub>2</sub> fragments (2.5μg/ml) and of 9G8 mAb to FcγR<sup>+</sup>-CHO. Binding of 2.4G2 was revealed by anti-rat IgG staining. Binding of 9G8 was revealed by F(ab')<sub>2</sub> anti-Hamster IgG staining. Solid gray histograms show the background binding of fluorescent reagents alone. **(B)** Histograms show the binding of 9G8 or isotype control (solid gray histograms) to mFcγRIV<sup>+</sup>-CHO transfectants or MH-S cells. The same cells were pre-incubated with 10μg/ml 2.4G2 F(ab')<sub>2</sub> or without, in the presence of 10μg/ml 9G8 or without, as indicated. IgE<sup>b</sup> IC (C48-2<sup>b</sup>) binding was revealed by neutravidin staining. Solid gray histograms represent the binding of antigen alone. **(C)** MH-S cells were pre-incubated with 10μg/ml 9G8, 9E9 or Hamster IgG (Iso.) and assayed for TNF- $\alpha$  secretion following incubation on IgE-, Ag- or IgE<sup>b</sup> IC (C48-2<sup>b</sup>) by ELISA. All reagents were treated with Polymyxin B. Mean  $\pm$  SD of triplicates are represented. Significant differences between cells triggered by IgE+Ag are indicated (\*\*\*,  $p < 0.0001$ ; Student's  $t$  test).

### Thioglycolate-elicited peritoneal macrophages

**A**



**B**



**Supplemental Figure 5.** Both mFcγRIV and hFcεRI engagement by IgE IC induces TNF-α secretion by peritoneal macrophages. (A) Histograms show the binding of anti-hFcεRI or 9G8 mAb (black line) or isotype controls (solid gray) to thioglycolate-elicited peritoneal macrophages from indicated mice. The same cells were assayed for TNF-α secretion following incubation on IgE-, Ag- or IgE<sup>b</sup> IC (C48-2<sup>b</sup>)-coated wells. Mean ± SD of triplicates in the TNF-α bioassay are represented. Significant differences between cells from w.t. or hFcεRI<sup>Tg</sup> mice triggered by IgE+Ag are indicated (\*\*, p < 0.001; \*, p < 0.01; Student's *t* test). Data are representative of two independent experiments. (B) Indicated mice were injected intravenously with 9E9 or irrelevant hamster IgG (Iso.) 1 day before recovery of thioglycollate-elicited macrophages. The cells were assayed for TNF-α secretion following incubation on IgE-, Ag- or IgE<sup>b</sup> IC (C48-2<sup>b</sup>)-coated wells. All reagents were treated with Polymyxin B. Curves represent the percentage of cytotoxicity as a function of supernatant dilution.