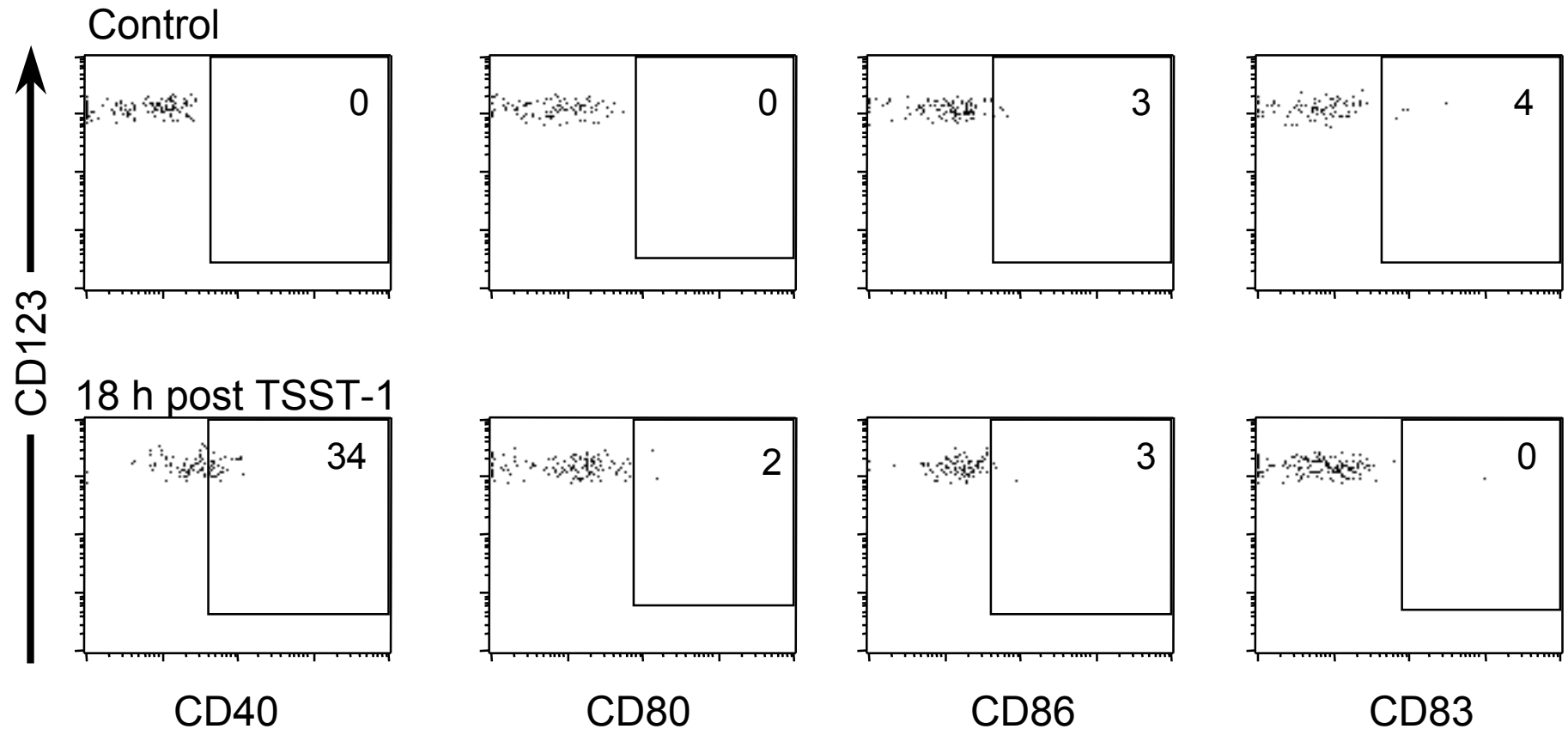


Supplementary Figure 4



Supplementary Figure 4. Spleen CD123⁺ human DC do not respond to TSST-1. Human CD123⁺ DC in the spleen of BLT mice were analyzed by gating lineage negative, HLA DR⁺⁺ and CD123⁺ cells for expression of activation (CD40, CD80 and CD86) and maturation (CD83) markers before (top) and after TSST-1 injection (bottom). CD123⁺ DC were not activated and did not mature in response to TSST-1.