

**S3 Fig.** Effect of estradiol and sex-associated difference during colitis progression in colonic tissues of each group sacrificed at week 2. Immunoblot analysis of G $\alpha$ 12- and G $\alpha$ 13-regulated proteins (A) and densitometry analysis (B). \*p < 0.05, .\*\*p < 0.01, and \*\*\*p < 0.001. M, male; F, female; AOM, azoxymethane; DSS, dextran sulfate sodium; estr, estradiol; PKC $\delta$ , protein kinase C $\delta$ ; GCLC, glutamate-cysteine ligase catalytic subunit; NLRP3, Nod-like receptor protein 3; IL, interleukin.