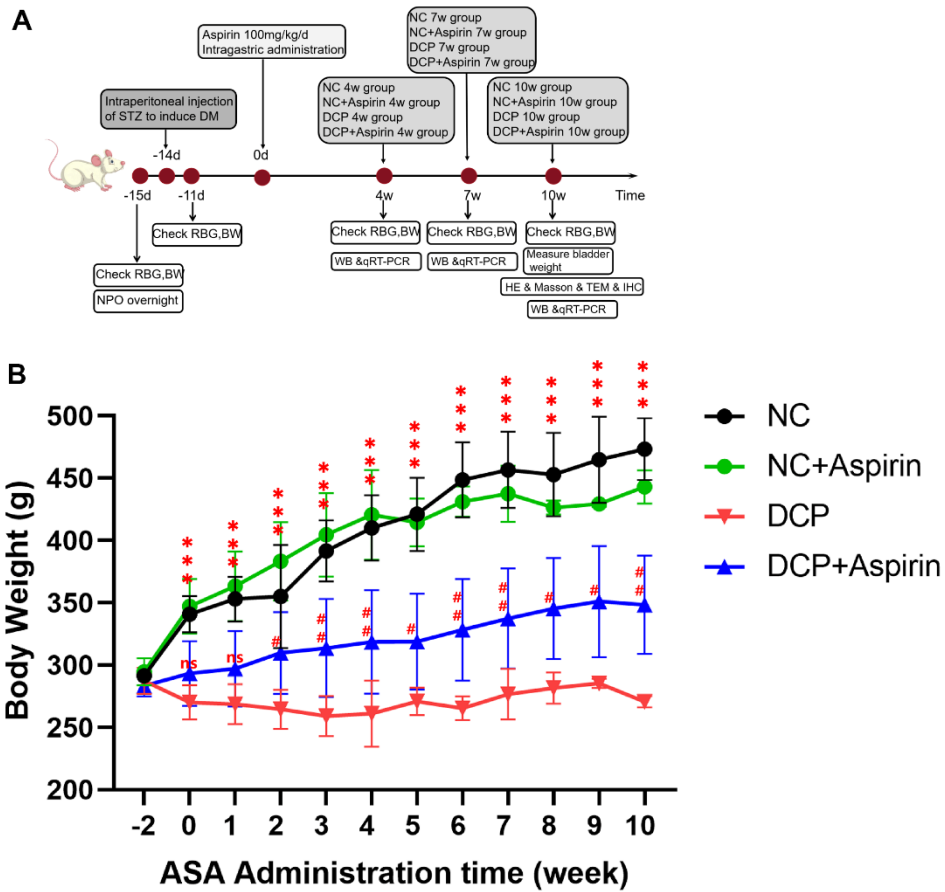


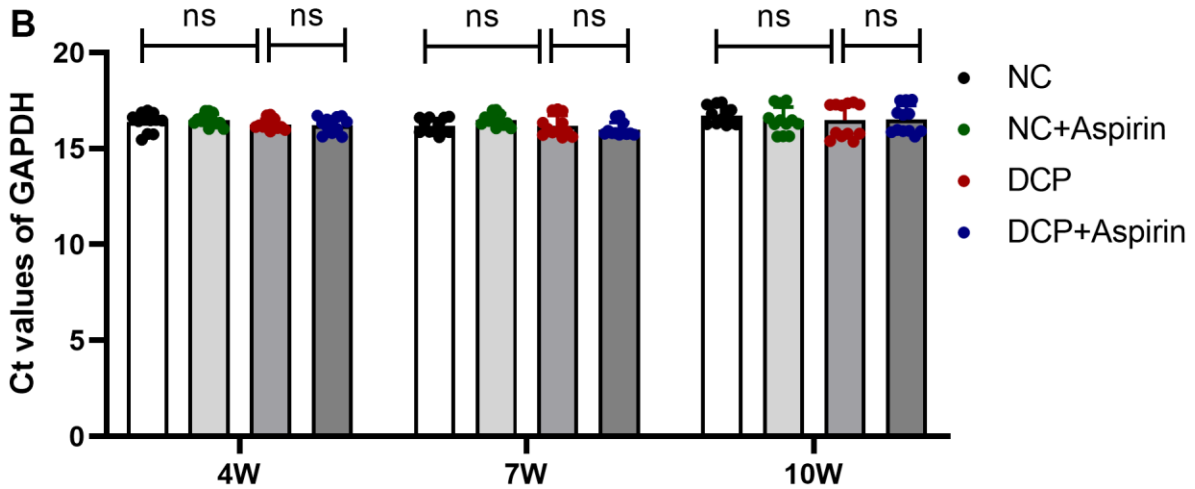
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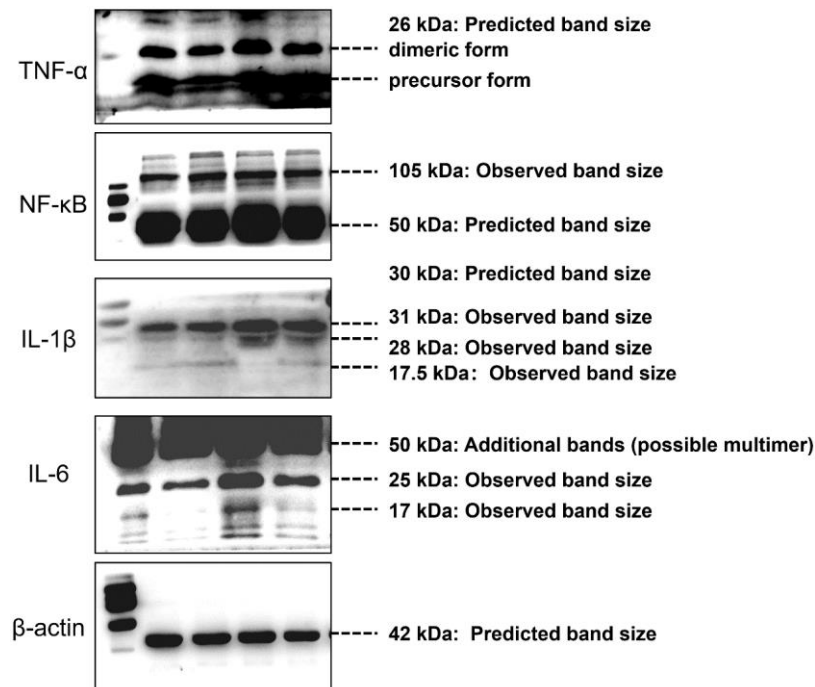
**Supplementary Figure 1.** (A) The detailed flowsheet of the experimental design (B) The line chart of body weight displays trend over time. Data were presented as mean ± SD. (ns, no significant; \*/#, P < 0.05; \*\*/###, P < 0.01; \*\*\*/####, P < 0.001; \*, NC vs DCP; #, DCP vs DCP+Aspirin).

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Groups (mean±SD)	4W	7W	10W
NC	16.39±0.49	16.17±0.39	16.72±0.46
NC+Aspirin	16.48±0.32	16.48±0.32	16.47±0.68
DCP	16.24±0.28	16.18±0.55	16.47±0.89
DCP+Aspirin	16.22±0.40	15.99±0.37	16.52±0.73



**Supplementary Figure 2. Stability of reference gene GAPDH in mRNA analysis of rat bladder.** (A) Ct values of GAPDH were presented as mean ± SD. (B) Statistical analysis of GAPDH expression. n=12. N=6. (ns, no significant; NC vs DCP; DCP vs DCP+Aspirin).



**Supplementary Figure 3. The original Western blot bands show a detailed characterization demonstrating the specificity of the antibody and the range of reactivity of the reagent in the assay.**