



Fig. S1. Inhibitor studies of $\beta 2$ -spectrin cleavage. (A) C-terminal V5-tagged $\beta 2$ -Spectrin-transfected Huh7 cells were treated with 10 mM acetaminophen for 48 h in the absence or presence of 10 μ M LY2019761, an inhibitor of TGF- β receptor I/II, and analyzed via Western blot using antibodies against the V5 epitope. (B) $\beta 2$ -Spectrin-transfected Huh7 cells were incubated with 100 pM TGF- β for 8 h in the absence or presence of 100 μ M Z-VAD-FMK, an inhibitor of pan-caspase. (C) $\beta 2$ -Spectrin-transfected COS7 cells were treated with 100 pM Z-VAD-FMK for 12 h. β -actin was used as the loading control.