



Fig. S2. Time course of the number of mast cells at tick-feeding sites during infestation

C57BL/6 mice were infested once or twice with ticks as in Fig. 1A. The number of mast cells at tick-feeding sites (mean \pm SEM, $n=3$ each) was counted at the indicated time points during the 1st (white circles) and 2nd (black circles) infestations. Data shown are representative of 2 independent experiments.