

Supplementary Materials: Combined Effect of Anticancer Agents and Cytochrome C Decorated Hybrid Nanoparticles for Liver Cancer Therapy

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Table S1. IC₅₀ values of drugs and drug combinations tested in HepG2 cell lines over 72 h.

	IC ₅₀ (drug) MTT	IC ₅₀ (drug-combination) MTT	IC ₅₀ (drug) Trypan blue	IC ₅₀ (drug-combination) Trypan blue
DOXRUBICIN				
24 h	NS	NS	NS	NS
Increase in cytotoxicity	-	-	-	-
48 h	1.6 ± 7.5 μM	0.1 ± 2.34 μM	1.46 ± 1.14 μM	0.09 ± 1.87 μM
Increase in cytotoxicity	-	15-fold	-	15.2-fold
72 h	0.1 ± 4.69 μM	0.009 ± 0.38 μM	0.27 ± 3.54 μM	0.002 ± 2.82 μM
Increase in cytotoxicity	-	10.1-fold	-	12.5-fold
PACLITAXEL				
24 h	NS	NS	NS	NS
48 h	NS	2.3 ± 2.09 nM	NS	1.60 ± 3.53 nM
Increase in cytotoxicity	-	Significant IC ₅₀	-	Significant IC ₅₀
72 h	32 ± 4.84 nM	1.7 ± 1.97 nM	35.72 ± 1.41 nM	0.18 ± 4.77 nM
Increase in cytotoxicity	-	17.8-fold	-	193-fold
OXALIPLATIN				
24 h	NS	NS	NS	NS
Increase in cytotoxicity	-	-	-	-
48 h	17 ± 1.56 μM	8 ± 4.63 μM	25.21 ± 2.82 μM	6.510 ± 1.41 μM
Increase in cytotoxicity	-	1.1-fold	-	2.8-fold
72 h	7.54 ± 3.06 μM	3 ± 1.03 μM	6.51 ± 2.79 μM	3.33 ± 3.72 μM
Increase in cytotoxicity	-	1.5-fold	-	1-fold
VINBLASTINE				
24 h	NS	NS	NS	NS
Increase in cytotoxicity	-	-	-	-
48 h	NS	0.01 ± 4.09 nM	NS	0.01 ± 1.88 nM
Increase in cytotoxicity	-	Significant IC ₅₀	-	Significant IC ₅₀
72 h	0.001 ± 2.04 nM	0.0001 ± 1.54 nM	0.02 ± 4.02 nM	0.001 ± 2.42 nM
Increase in cytotoxicity	-	9-fold	-	19-fold
VINCRISTINE				
24 h	NS	NS	NS	NS
Increase in cytotoxicity	-	-	-	-
48 h	NS	0.009 ± 3.56 nM	NS	0.001 ± 1.17 nM
Increase in cytotoxicity	-	Significant IC ₅₀	-	Significant IC ₅₀
72 h	0.003 ± 1.50 nM	0.0001 ± 8.51 nM	0.05 ± 3.39 nM	0.0001 ± 1.58 nM
Increase in cytotoxicity	-	29-fold	-	499-fold

Not significant (NS)

Table S2. IC₅₀ values of drugs and drug combinations tested in Huh-7D cell lines over 72 h.

	IC ₅₀ (drug) MTT	IC ₅₀ (drug-combination) (MTT)	IC ₅₀ (drug) Trypan blue	IC ₅₀ (drug-combination) Trypan blue
DOXORUBICIN				
24 h	3.79 ± 7.5 µM	2.16 ± 1.3 µM	4.744 ± 4.16 µM	3.338 ± 2.081 µM
Increase in cytotoxicity	-	0.75-fold	-	0.42-fold
48 h	2.11 ± 1.46 µM	0.58 ± 4.55 µM	2.949 ± 6.11 µM	1.903 ± 1.73 µM
Increase in cytotoxicity	-	2.6-fold	-	0.5-fold
72 h	1.7 ± 2.1 µM	0.61 ± 2.2 µM	1.631 ± 2.51 µM	0.6389 ± 2.64 µM
Increase in cytotoxicity	-	1.7-fold	-	1.6-fold
PACLITAXEL				
24 h	NS	NS	NS	NS
Increase in cytotoxicity	-	-	-	-
48 h	37.04 ± 1.63 nM	5.60 ± 2.88 nM	41.08 ± 1.52 nM	9.945 ± 3.60 nM
Increase in cytotoxicity	-	5.6-fold	-	3.13-fold
72 h	31.48 ± 7.48 nM	7.09 ± 2.80 nM	32.57 ± 3.21 nM	6.204 ± 2.51 nM
Increase in cytotoxicity	-	3.4-fold	-	4.2-fold
OXALIPLATIN				
24 h	NS	NS	NS	NS
Increase in cytotoxicity	-	-	-	-
48 h	17 ± 1.57 µM	1.06 ± 4.3 µM	23.58 ± 4.93 µM	8.49 ± 1.154 µM
Increase in cytotoxicity	-	15-fold	-	1.7-fold
72 h	15 ± 7.48 µM	0.37 ± 5.86 µM	16.83 ± 2.08 µM	2.135 ± 1.52 µM
Increase in cytotoxicity	-	39-fold	-	6.9-fold
VINBLASTINE				
24 h	NS	NS	NS	NS
Increase in cytotoxicity	-	-	-	-
48 h	0.029 ± 3.16 nM	0.003 ± 8.53 nM	0.049 ± 2.51 nM	0.004 ± 7.63 nM
Increase in cytotoxicity	-	8.6-fold	-	9-fold
72 h	0.003 ± 6.30 nM	0.0003 ± 5.39 nM	0.004 ± 3.05 nM	0.0003 ± 1.73 nM
Increase in cytotoxicity	-	9-fold	-	12-fold
VINCRISTINE				
24 h	NS	NS	NS	NS
Increase in cytotoxicity	-	-	-	-
48 h	0.03 ± 2.92 nM	0.001 ± 1.31 nM	0.012 ± 2.08 nM	0.006 ± 1.53 nM
Increase in cytotoxicity	-	29-fold	-	1-fold
72 h	0.002 ± 6.95 nM	0.0001 ± 9.53 nM	0.003 ± 3.60 nM	0.0002 ± 4.16 nM
Increase in cytotoxicity	-	19-fold	-	14-fold

Table S3. IC₅₀ values of drugs and drug combinations tested in SK-hep-1 cell lines over 72 h.

	IC ₅₀ (drug) MTT	IC ₅₀ (drug-combination) (MTT)	IC ₅₀ (drug) Trypan blue	IC ₅₀ (drug-combination) Trypan blue
DOXORUBICIN				
24 h	NS	NS	NS	NS
	-	-		
48 h	NS	2.38 ± 2.86 μM Significant IC ₅₀	NS	2.55 ± 3.88 μM Significant IC ₅₀
72 h	3 ± 4.34 μM	2.4 ± 1.21 μM 0.25-fold	4.034 ± 5.12 μM	2.14 ± 3.85 μM 0.88-fold
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PACLITAXEL				
24 h	NS	NS	NS	NS
48 h	NS	NS	NS	NS
72 h	NS	NS	NS	NS
OXALIPLATIN				
24 h	NS	NS	NS	NS
48 h	NS	NS	NS	NS
72 h	NS	NS	NS	NS
VINBLASTINE				
24 h	NS	NS	NS	NS
48 h	NS	NS	NS	NS
72 h	NS	NS	NS	NS
VINCRIStINE				
24 h	NS	NS	NS	NS
48 h	NS	NS	NS	NS
72 h	NS	NS	NS	NS

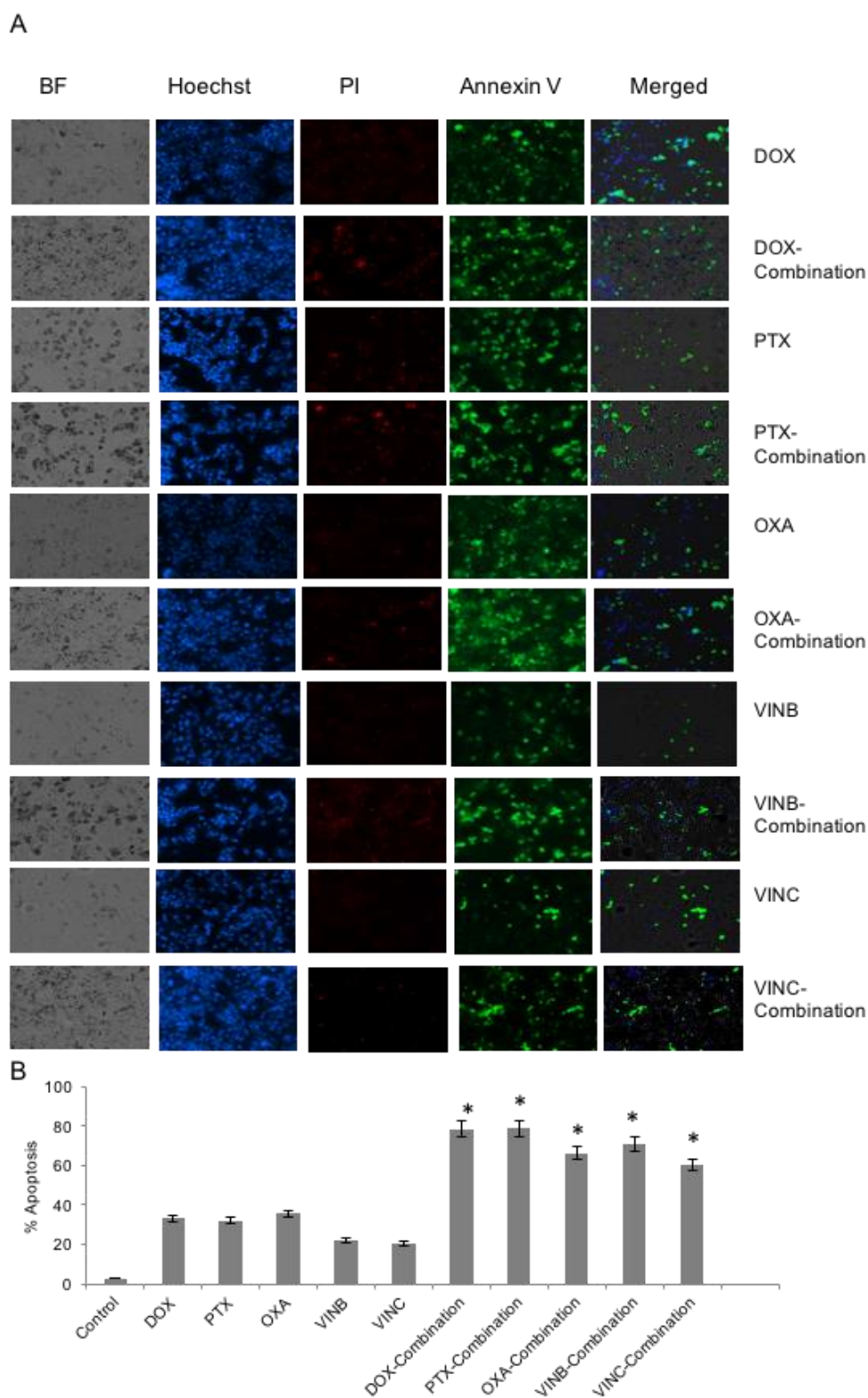


Figure S1. Apoptosis detection cells with Annexin V staining probe. Huh-7D cells treated with single drugs and in combination with HNP-c (hybrid nanoparticle with cytochrome C conjugated) demonstrated as **A**) images and **B**) quantitatively ($n = 3, \pm SD$). * denotes significance compared to single drug treatment ($p < 0.05$).

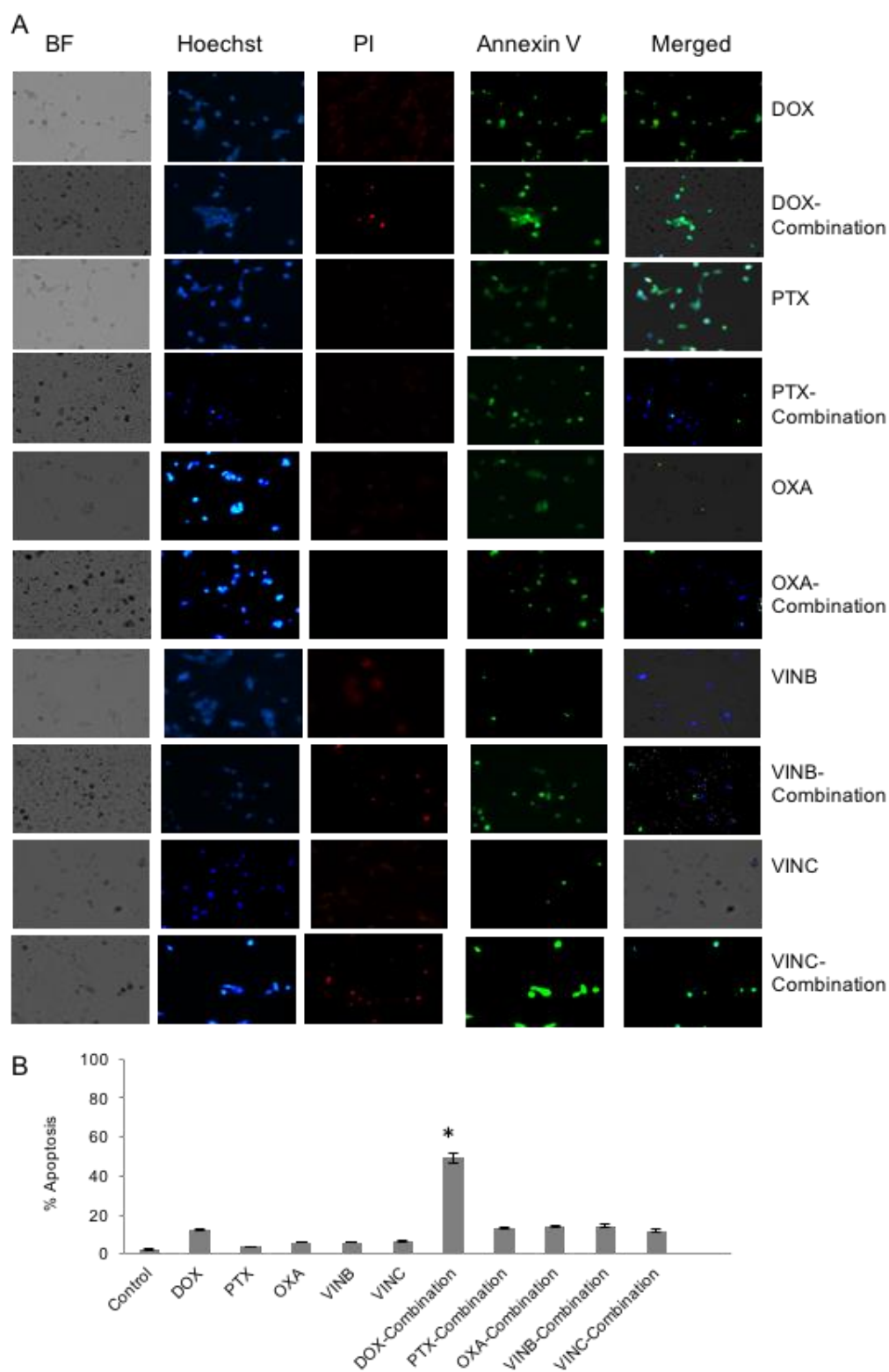


Figure S2. Apoptosis detection cells with Annexin V staining probe. SK-hep-1 cells treated with single drugs and in combination with HNP-c (hybrid nanoparticle with cytochrome C conjugated) demonstrated as **A**) images and **B**) quantitatively ($n = 3, \pm SD$). * denotes significance compared to single drug treatment ($p < 0.05$).