Supporting Information

Delivery of thrombolytic therapy using rod-shaped plant viral nanoparticles decreases risk of hemorrhage

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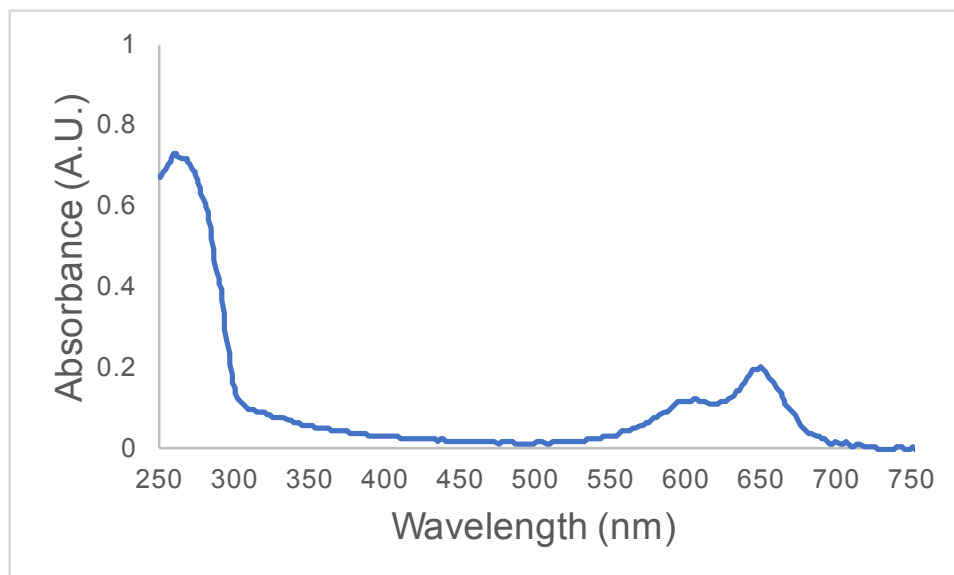*nsteinmetz@ucsd.edu

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Figure S1. UV-vis spectrum of TMV-tPA. Based on ratio between the absorbance at 646 nm (λ_{max} of sCy5) and 260 nm (λ_{max} of TMV), it is determined that 108.6 ± 11.8 sCy5 molecules were conjugated to one TMV particle on average.

Table S1. Densitometric analysis for the determination of tPA loading.

	Band density [AU]			Fitting equation	μg tPA / 20 μg TMV*	μg tPA / mg TMV	Number of tPA/TMV**
	tPA 1 μg	tPA 5 μg	TMVcp-tPA				
Batch 1	4890.12	21621.18	4965.09	y=0.0002*x	0.993	49.651	27.946
Batch 2	5733.46	23046.64	12838.65	y=0.0002*x	2.568	128.386	72.263
Batch 3	8599.41	28088.54	14702.71	y=0.0002*x	2.941	147.027	82.755
Batch 4	8659.19	23928.87	14377.45	y = 0.0003*x - 1.268	3.044	152.246	85.693
Batch 5	8070.77	23826.47	16351.43	y = 0.0003*x - 1.049	3.854	192.821	108.531
Batch 6	8070.77	23826.47	14494.36	y = 0.0003*x - 1.049	3.299	164.965	92.852
Batch 7	10188.02	19865.11	12712.88	y = 0.0004*x - 3.211	1.874	93.698	52.738
Batch 8	10188.02	19865.11	16761.13	y = 0.0004*x - 3.211	3.493	174.663	98.310
					Average		77.64
					SD		26.25

* calculated using the fitting equation
** calculated using MW_{tPA} = 57 kDa and MW_{TMV} = 39400 kDa