Supporting Information

Sorafenib and tetrakis (4-carboxyphenyl) porphyrin assembled nanoparticles for synergistic targeted chemotherapy and sonodynamic therapy of hepatocellular carcinoma

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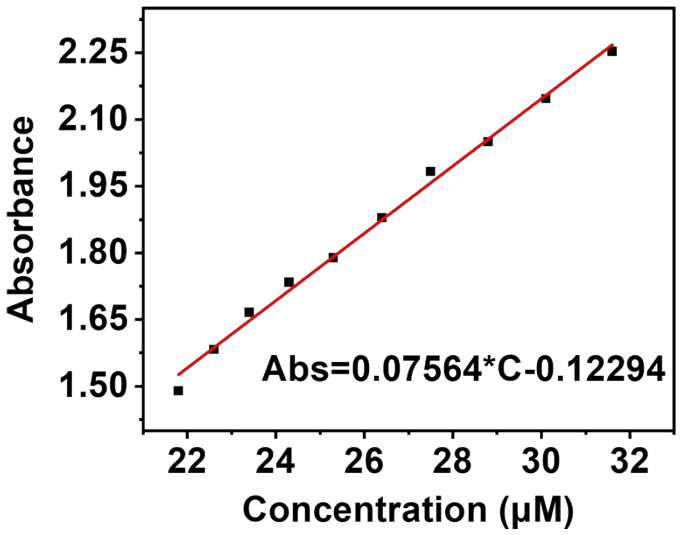

Fig. S1 The absorbance and concentration relationship of TCPP. (Abs represents absorbance of STP NPs, C represents the concentration of STP NPs)

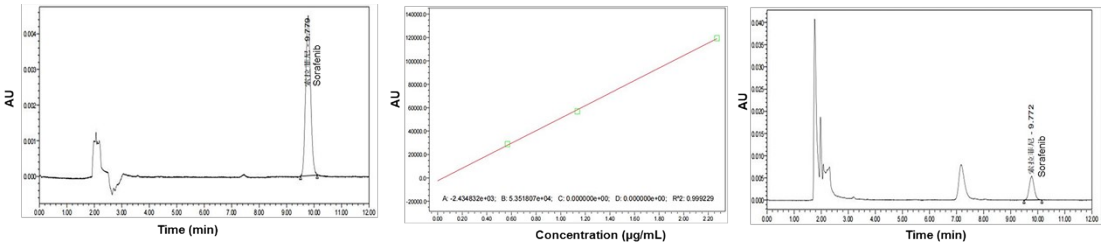

Fig. S2 High Performance Liquid Chromatography (HPLC) of STP NPs.

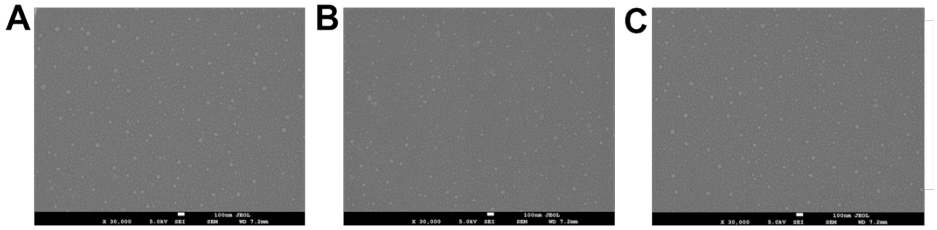

Fig. S3 SEM images of STP NPs at days 3 (A), 5 (B), and 7 (C).

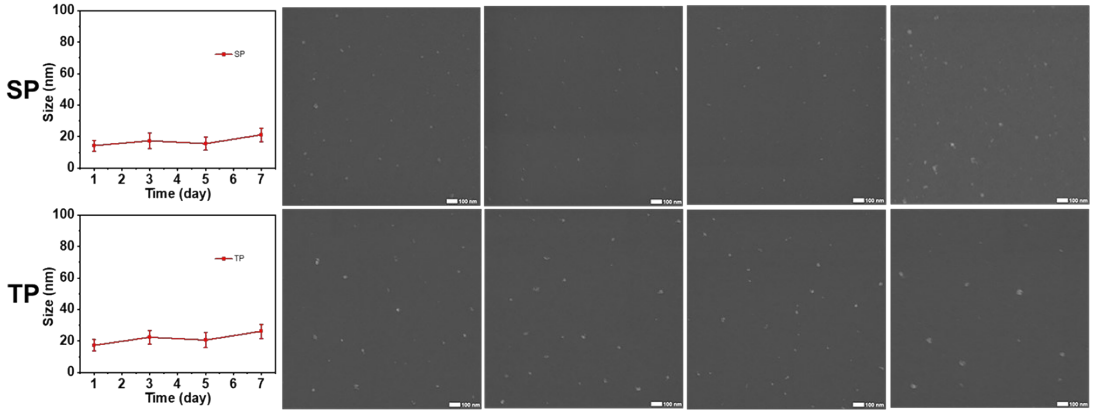

Fig. S4 Time-dependent particle size variation and SEM of SP NPs and TP NPs.

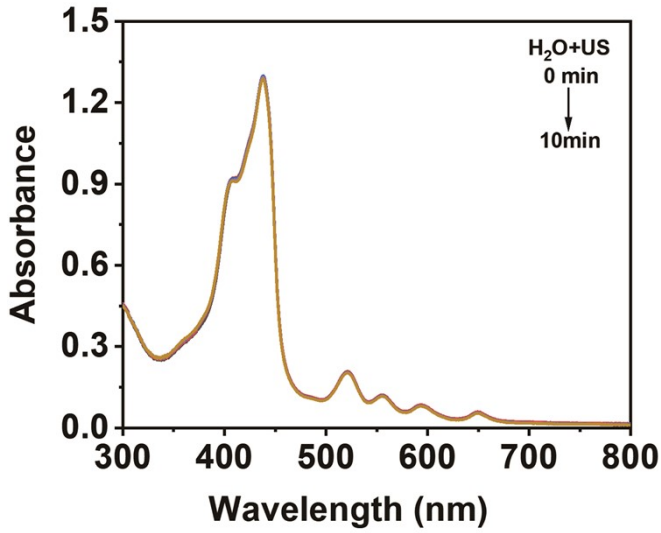

Fig. S5 UV-vis absorption spectra of STP NPs after US irradiation for different times.

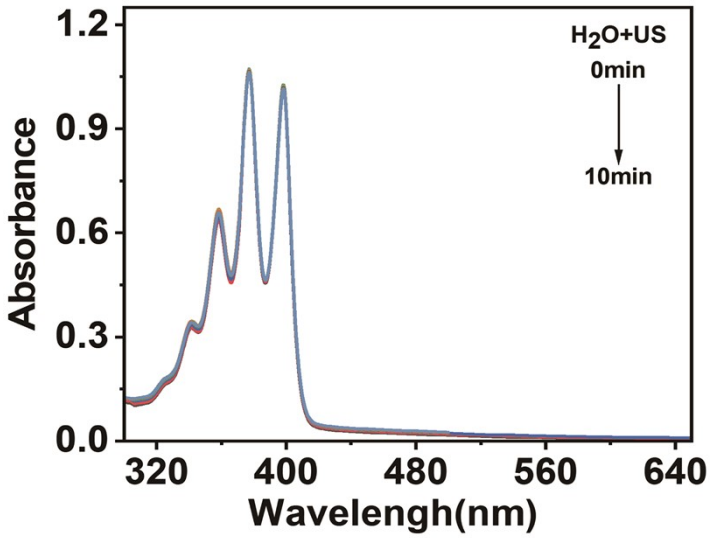

Fig. S6 UV-vis absorption spectra of ABDA-Na_2 in the absence of STP NPs after US irradiation for different times.

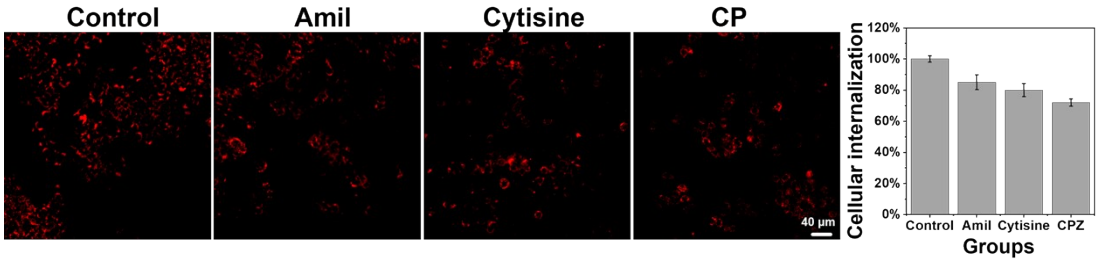

Fig. S7 Inverted microscope images displaying intracellular uptake of STP NPs (red fluorescence).

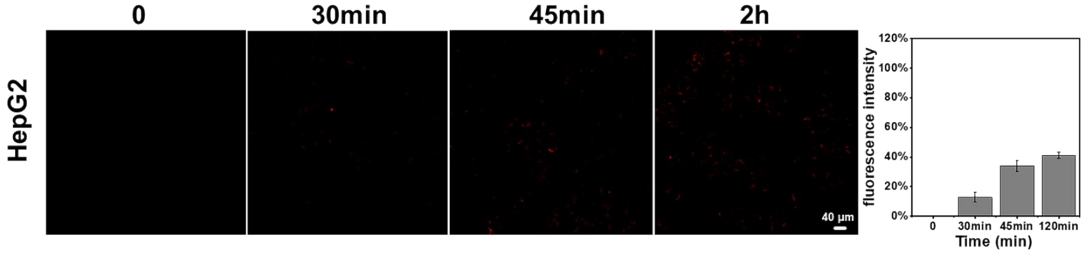

Fig. S8 Incubation time-dependent fluorescent images of HepG2 cells in the presence of SOR-TCPP@PEG NPs.

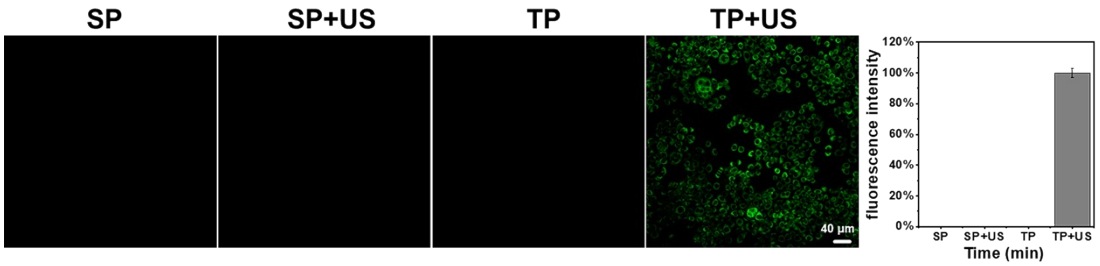

Fig. S9 Fluorescent images of O22-HepG2 cells under different treatments: SP, SP + US, TP, and TP + US.

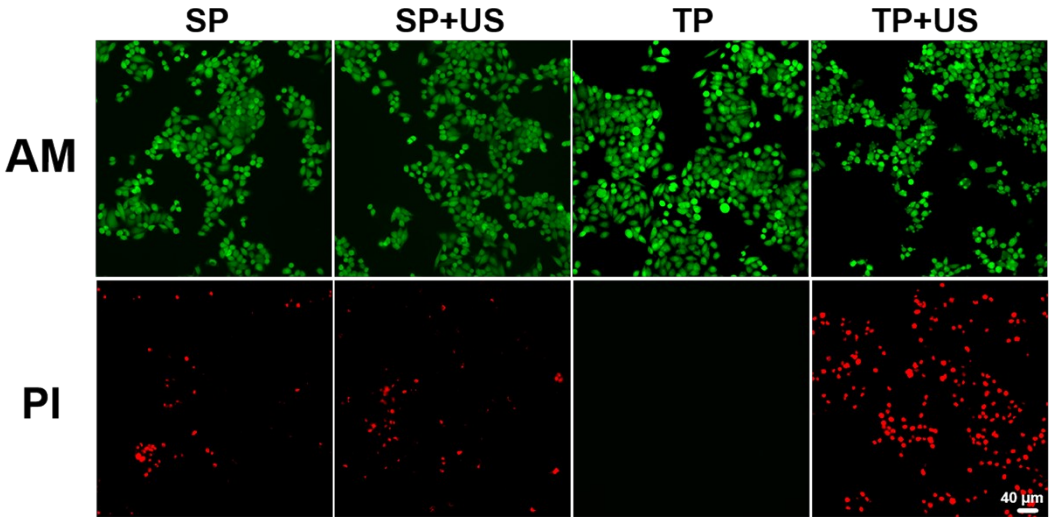

Fig. S10 Calcein-AM- and PI-stained HepG2 cells after different treatments: SP, SP + US, TP, and TP + US.

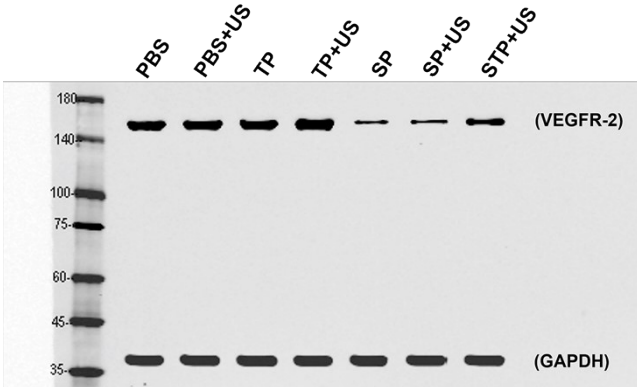

Fig. S11 The full gel and blot image of western blot.

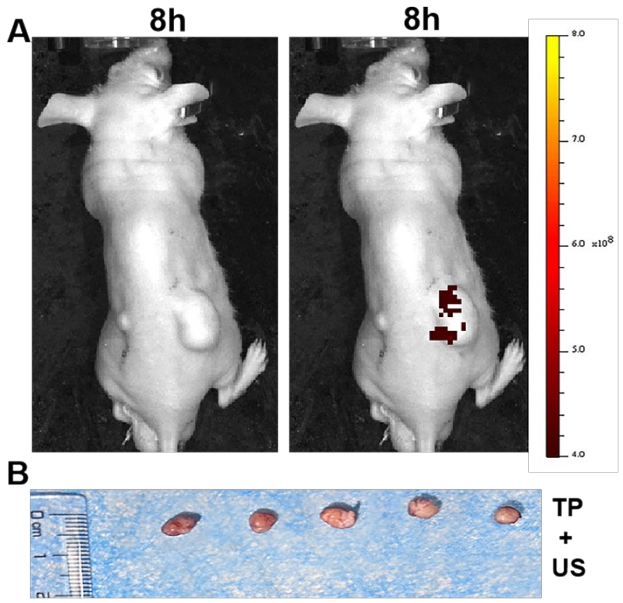

Fig. S12 (A) Fluorescence imaging of SOR-TCPP@PEG NPs within mouse tumor at 8 h. (B) Tumor photographs of nude mice were taken after TP + US treatments.

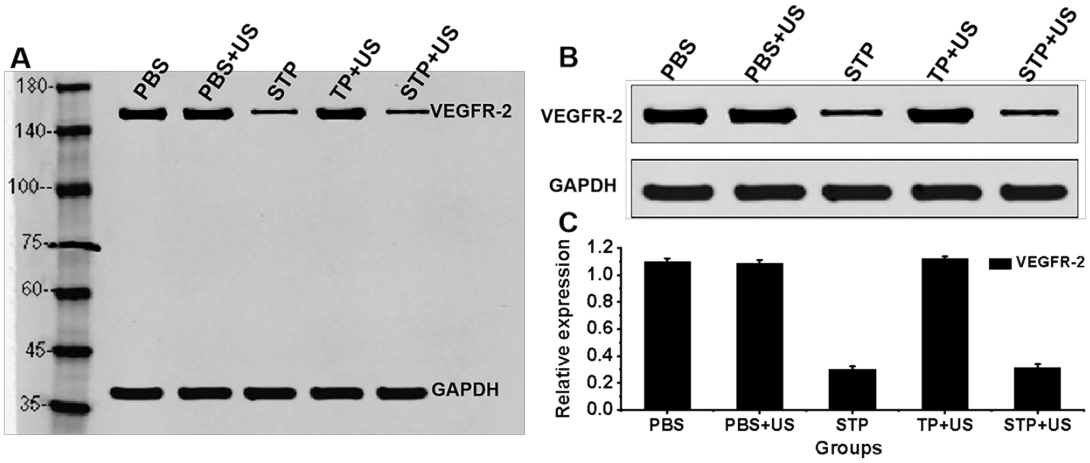

Fig. S13 Western blotting was used to analyze the expression of VEGFR-2 in tumor tissues after different treatments.