

Electronic Supplementary Information

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**Supramolecular Polymer Micelles Prepared by Steric Effect Tuned Self-assembly:
A New Strategy for Self-assembly**

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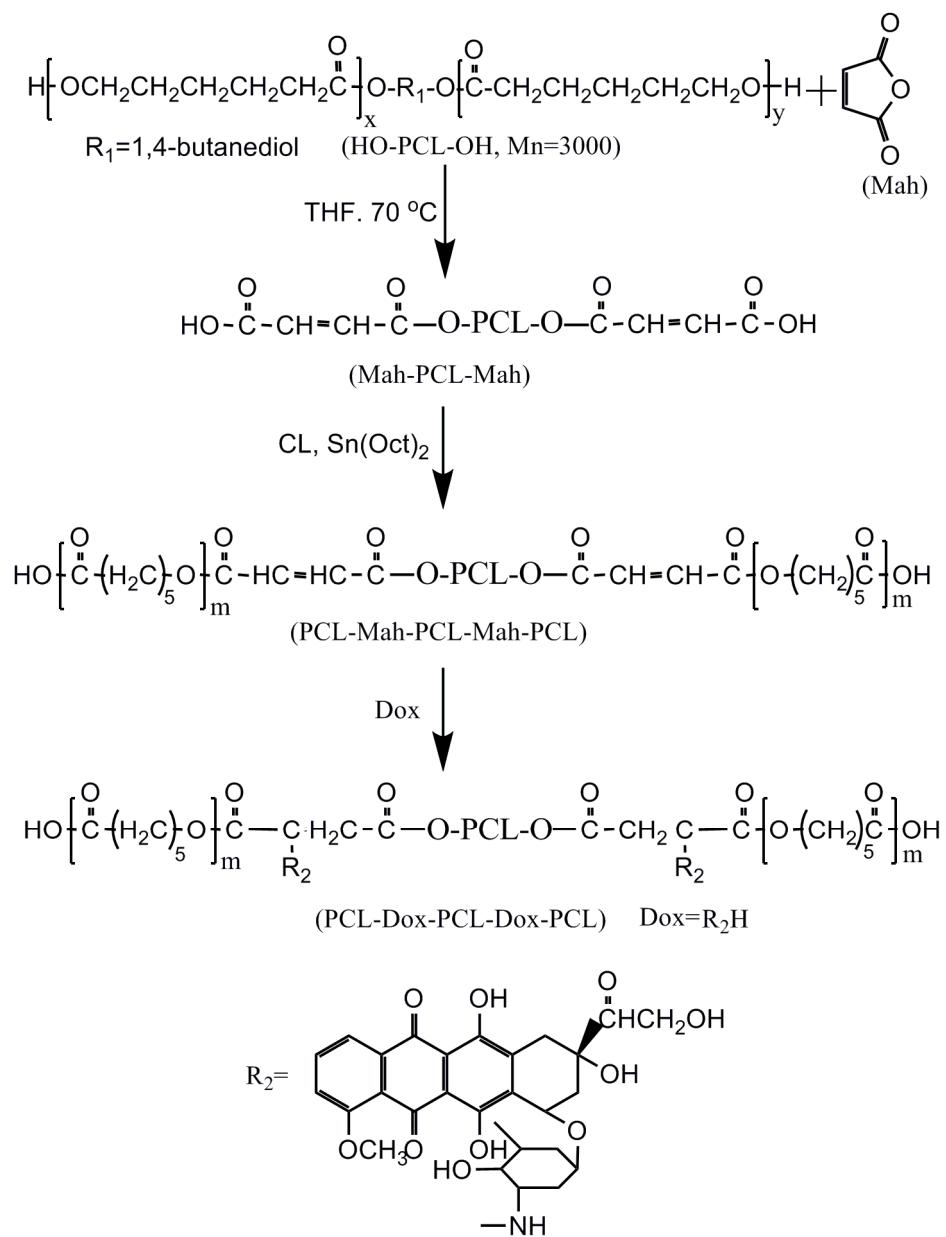
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Scheme S1. Synthesis of PCL-Dox-PCL-Dox-PCL.

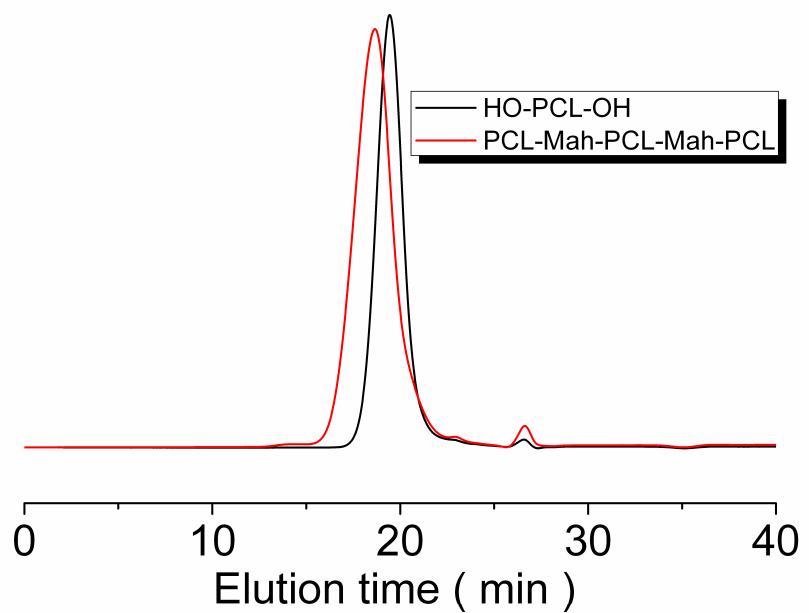
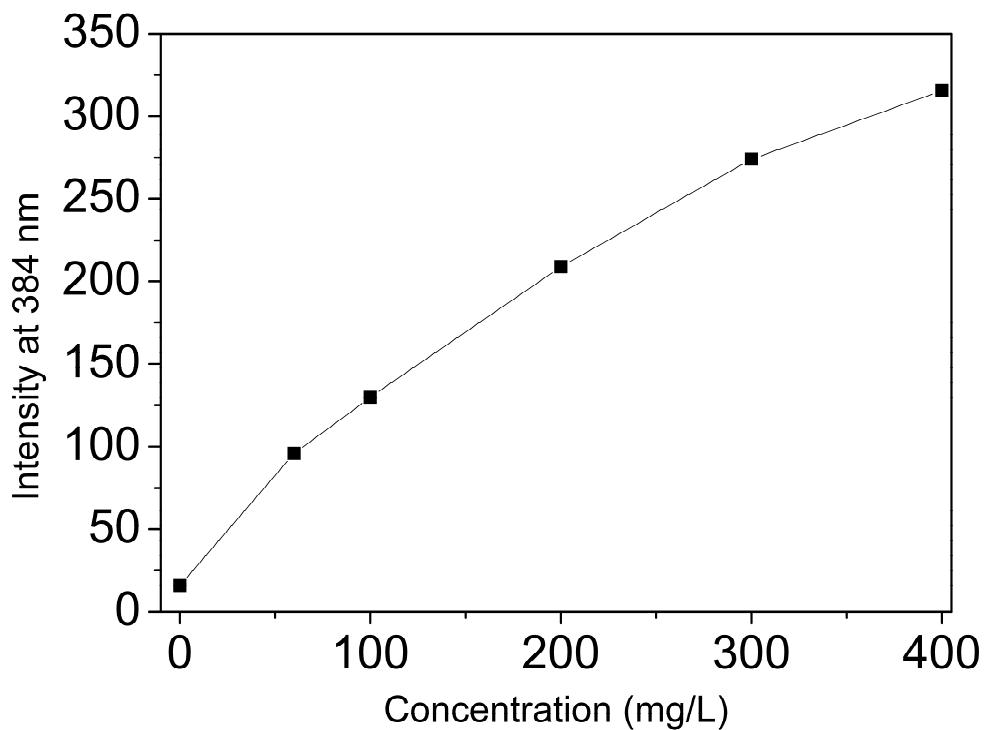


Figure S1: GPC traces of HO-PCL-OH and PCL-Mah-PCL-Mah-PCL.



5 Figure S2: Emission intensity of pyrene at 384 nm with different concentrations of freeze-dried α -CD/PCL-Dox-PCL-Dox-PCL SMPMs.

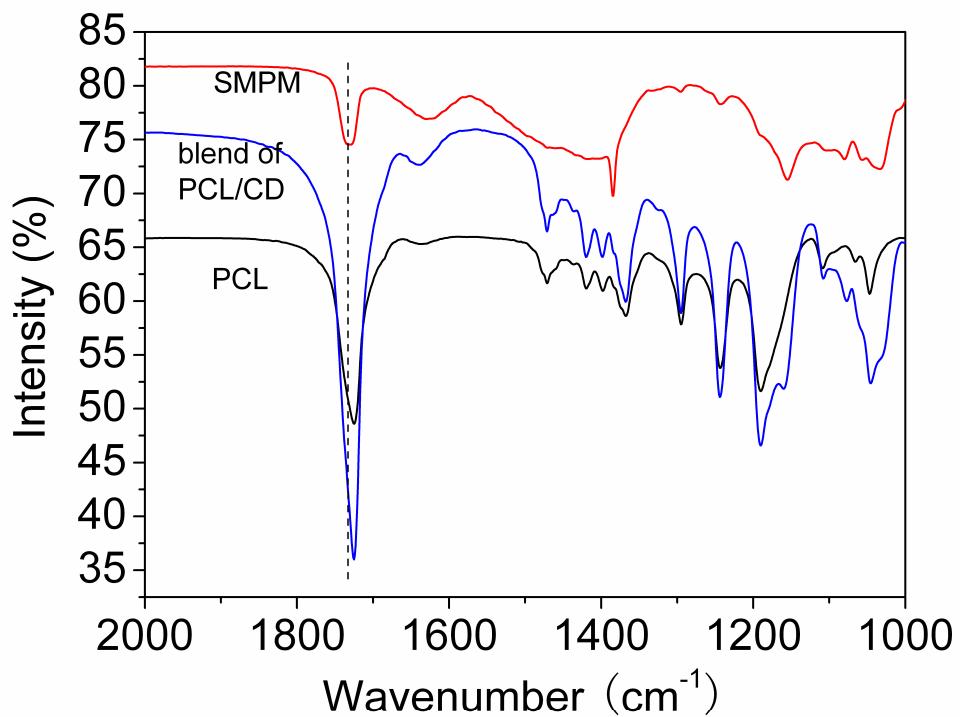


Figure S3: FT-IR spectra of SMPMs, PCL-Dox-PCL-Dox-PCL, and the blend of PCL-Dox-PCL-Dox-PCL and CD.

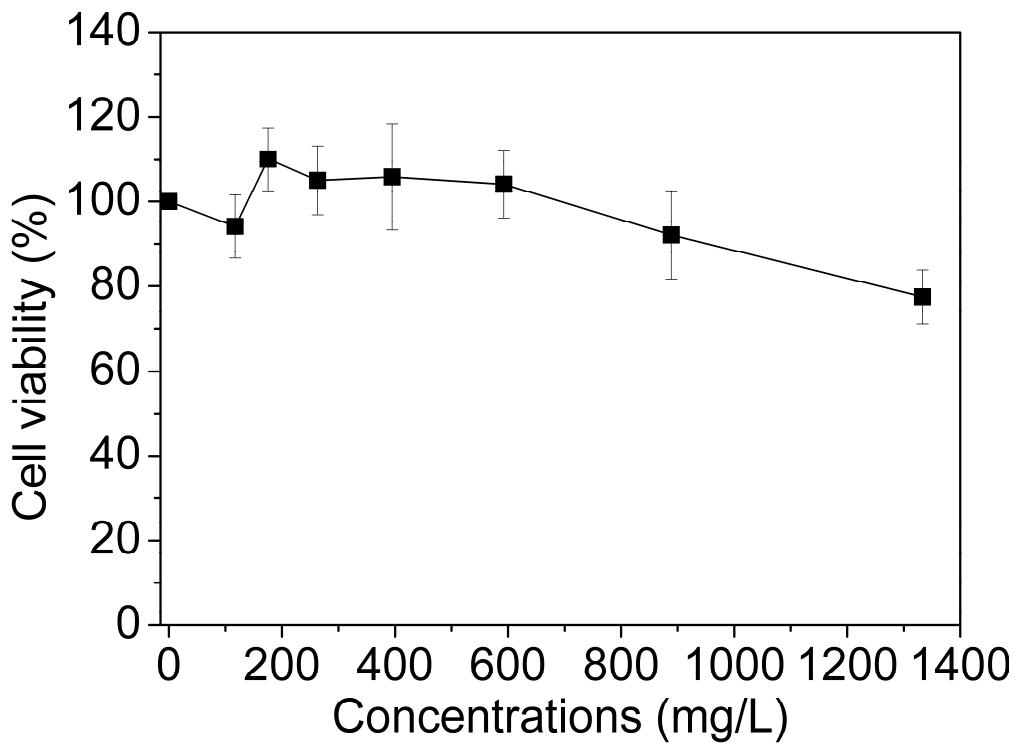


Figure S4: HepG2 cell viability as a function of the concentration of SMPMs.

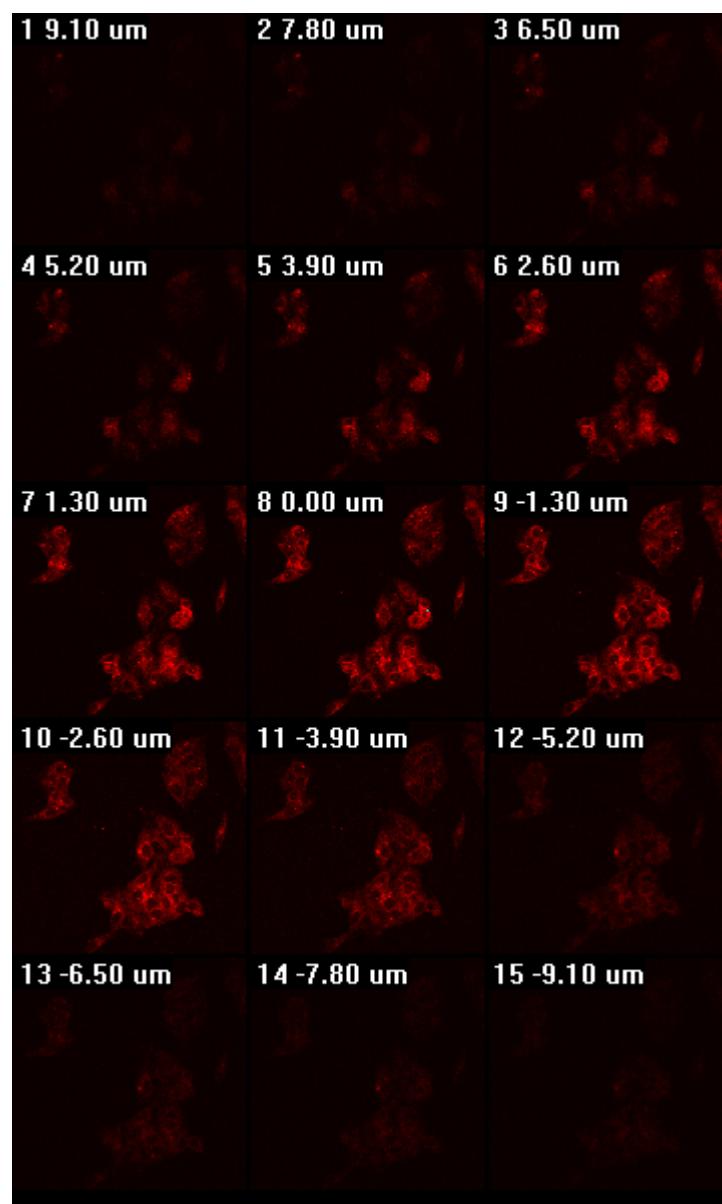


Figure S5. Typical Images of HepG2 cells cultured at 37 °C with SMPMs on z axis after excitation at 543 nm. (1-15: photos of cells obtained through laser line scanning)