

### Electronic Supplementary Information

Polymer modified magnetic-luminescent nanocomposites for combined optical imaging and magnetic fluid hyperthermia in cancer therapy: Analysis of Mn<sup>2+</sup> doping for enhanced heating effect, hemocompatibility and biocompatibility

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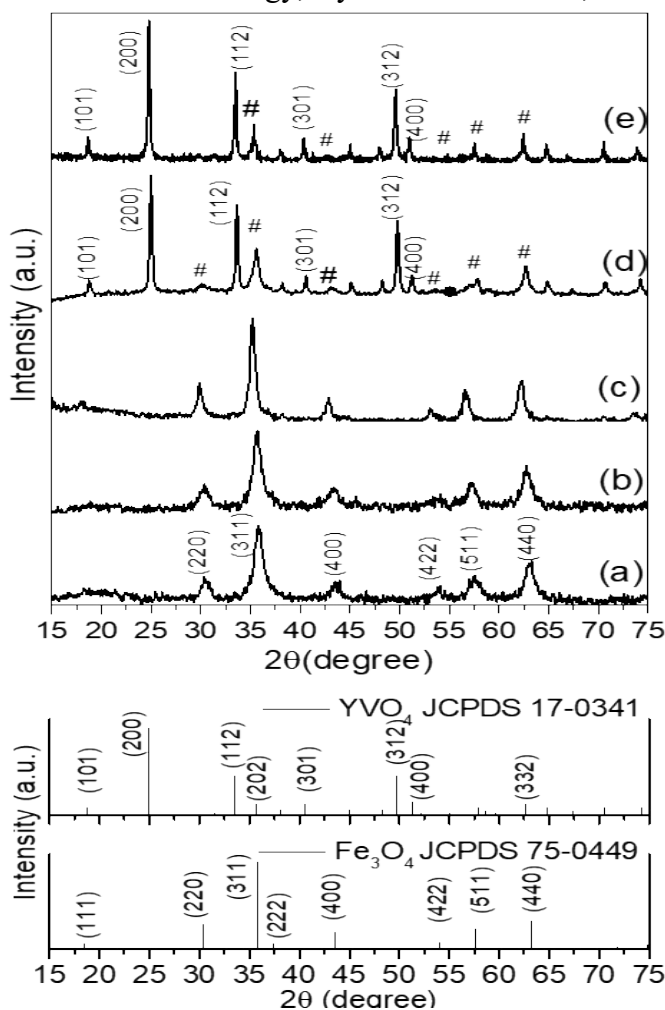


Figure S1. X-ray diffraction patterns of the samples: (a)  $\text{Fe}_3\text{O}_4$  (b)  $\text{Mn}_{0.2}\text{Fe}_{2.8}\text{O}_4$  (c)  $\text{Mn}_{0.5}\text{Fe}_{2.5}\text{O}_4$  (d)  $\text{Mn}_2\text{Dy} (\text{Mn}_{0.2}\text{Fe}_{2.8}\text{O}_4@(\text{Y,Dy})\text{VO}_4@ \text{Chitosan})$  nanocomposite and (e)  $\text{Mn}_5\text{Eu} (\text{Mn}_{0.5}\text{Fe}_{2.5}\text{O}_4@(\text{Y,Eu})\text{VO}_4@ \text{PEG})$  nanocomposite.

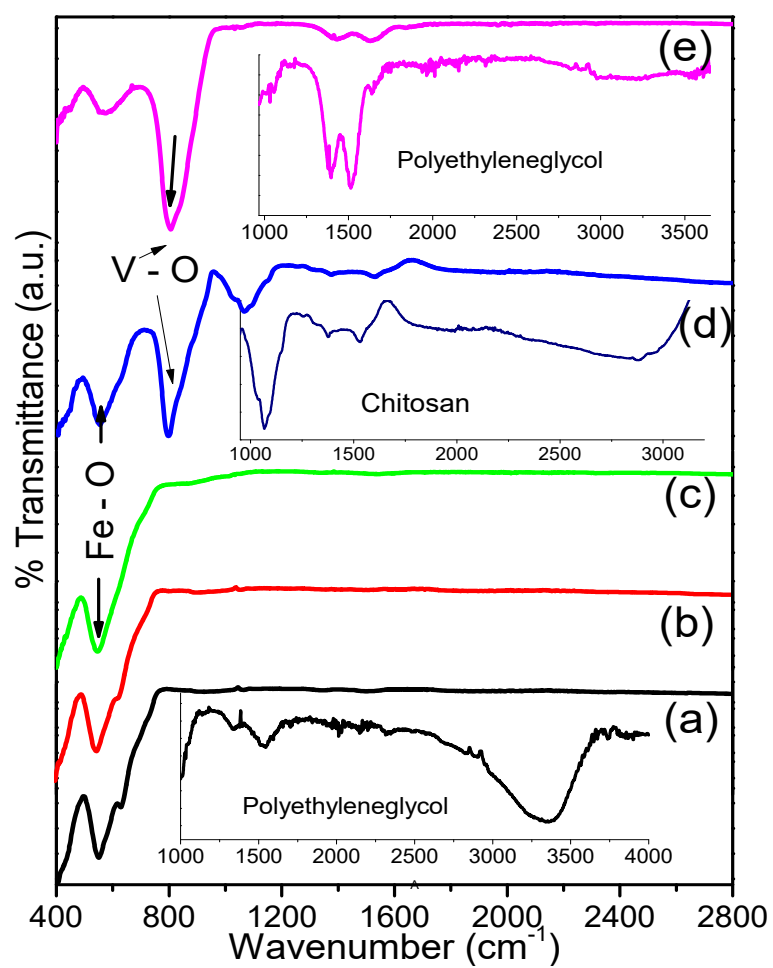


Figure S2. FT-infrared spectra of the samples: (a)  $\text{Fe}_3\text{O}_4$  (b)  $\text{Mn}_{0.2}\text{Fe}_{2.8}\text{O}_4$  (c)  $\text{Mn}_{0.5}\text{Fe}_{2.5}\text{O}_4$  (d)  $\text{Mn}_2\text{Dy}$  ( $\text{Mn}_{0.2}\text{Fe}_{2.8}\text{O}_4@(\text{Y},\text{Dy})\text{VO}_4@\text{Chitosan}$ ) and (e)  $\text{Mn}_5\text{Eu}$  ( $\text{Mn}_{0.5}\text{Fe}_{2.5}\text{O}_4@(\text{Y},\text{Eu})\text{VO}_4@\text{PEG}$ ).

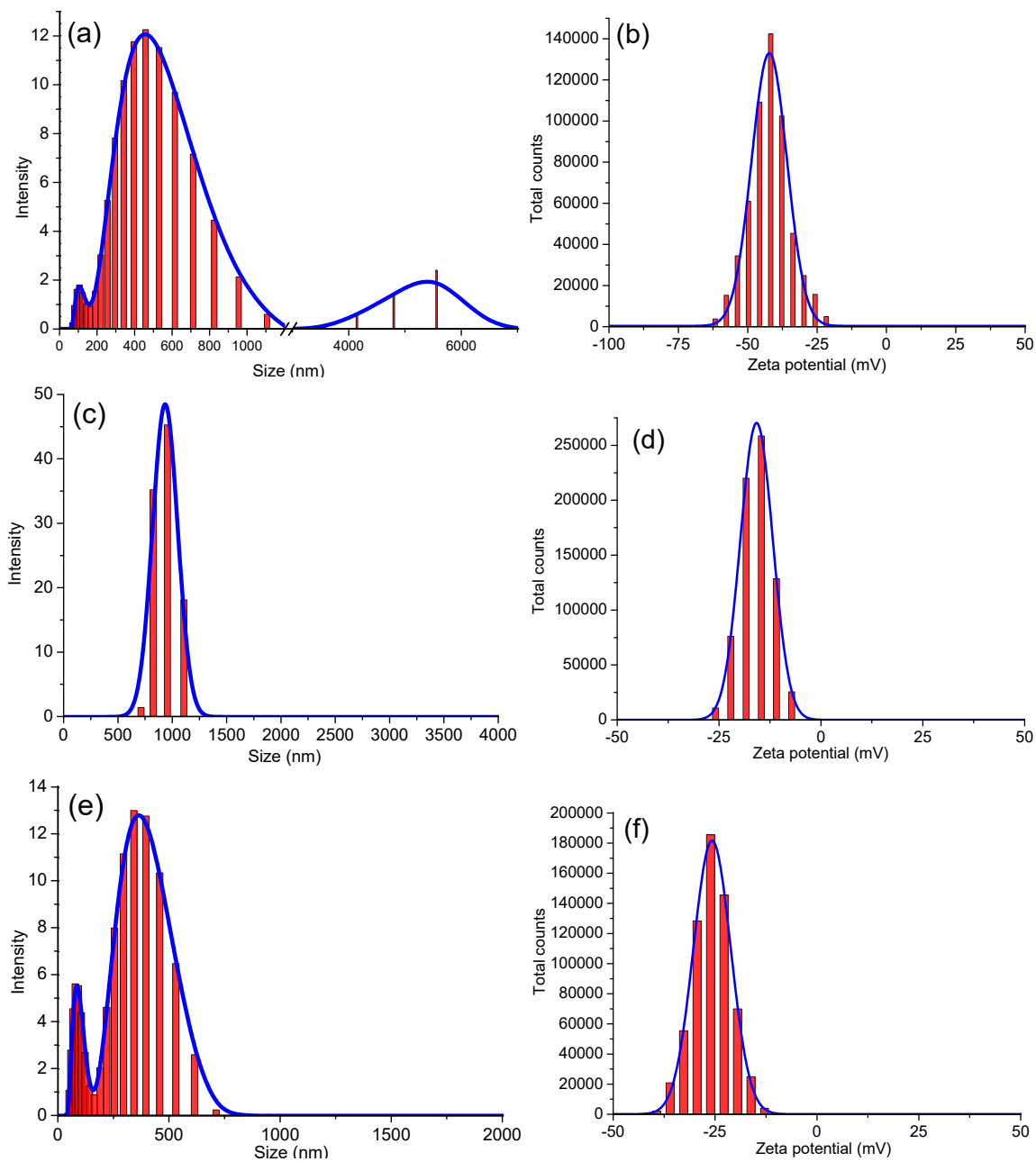


Figure S3. Hydrodynamic size distributions and zeta potentials of the nanoparticles: (a, b)  $\text{Fe}_3\text{O}_4$  (c, d)  $\text{Mn}_{0.2}\text{Fe}_{2.8}\text{O}_4$  (e, f)  $\text{Mn}_{0.5}\text{Fe}_{2.5}\text{O}_4$ .

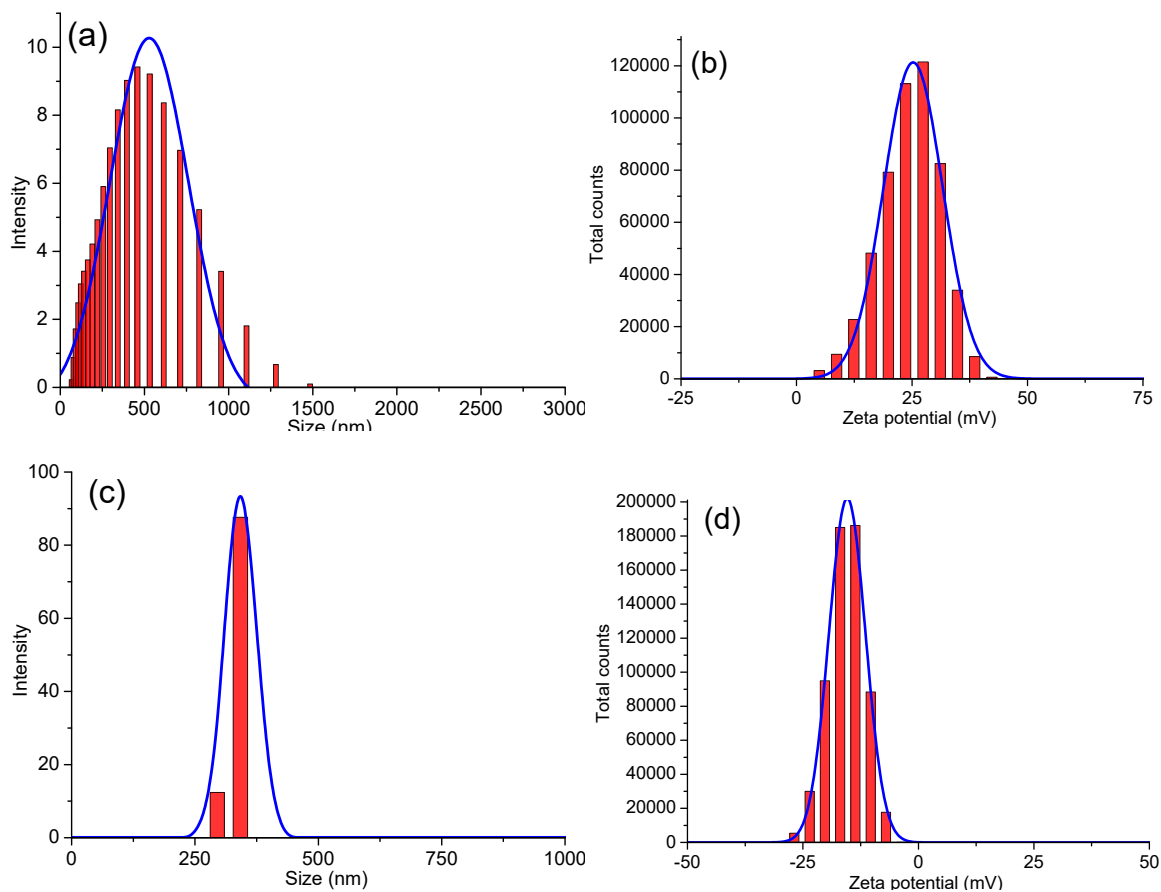


Figure S4. Hydrodynamic size distributions and zeta potentials of the nanocomposites: (a, b) Mn<sub>2</sub>Dy (Mn<sub>0.2</sub>Fe<sub>2.8</sub>O<sub>4</sub>@(Y,Dy)VO<sub>4</sub>@Chitosan) and (c, d) Mn<sub>5</sub>Eu (Mn<sub>0.5</sub>Fe<sub>2.5</sub>O<sub>4</sub>@(Y,Eu)VO<sub>4</sub>@PEG).

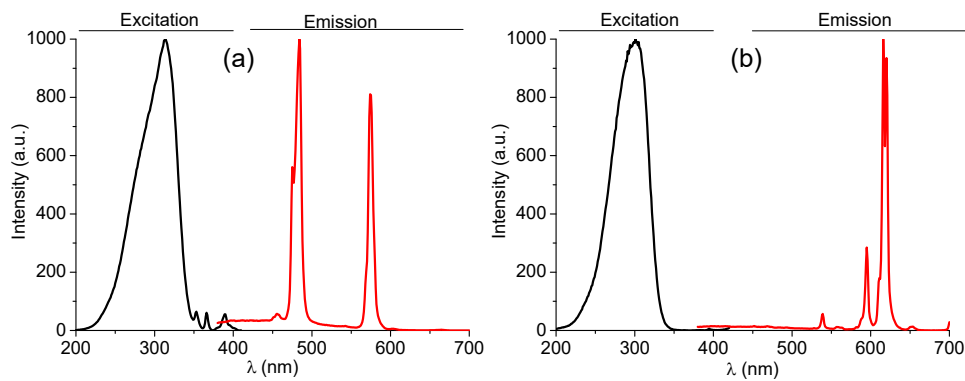


Figure S5. Luminescence excitation and emission spectra: (a) Mn<sub>2</sub>Dy (Mn<sub>0.2</sub>Fe<sub>2.8</sub>O<sub>4</sub>@(Y,Dy)VO<sub>4</sub>@Chitosan) and (b) Mn<sub>5</sub>Eu (Mn<sub>0.5</sub>Fe<sub>2.5</sub>O<sub>4</sub>@(Y,Eu)VO<sub>4</sub>@PEG) nanocomposites.

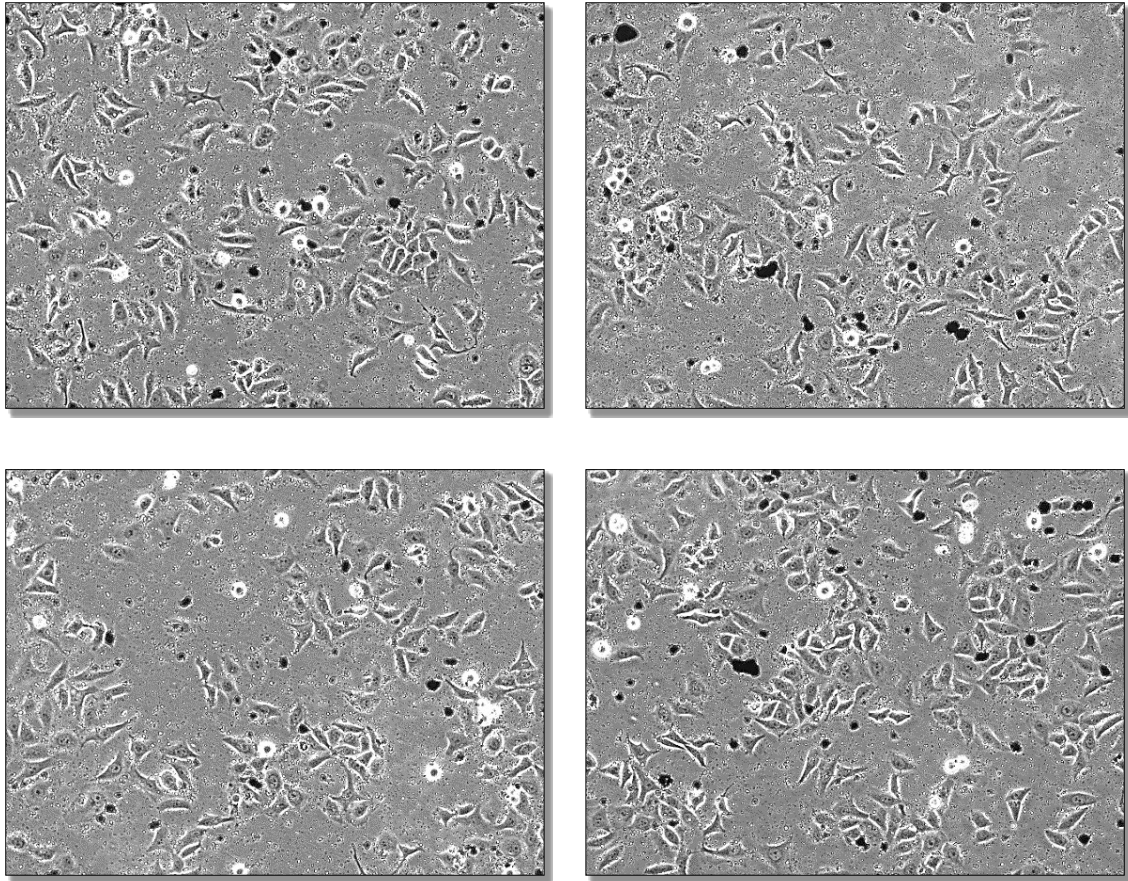


Figure S6. DIC images of the HeLa cell lines treated with  $\text{Mn}_{0.2}\text{Fe}_{2.8}\text{O}_4$  nanoparticles.

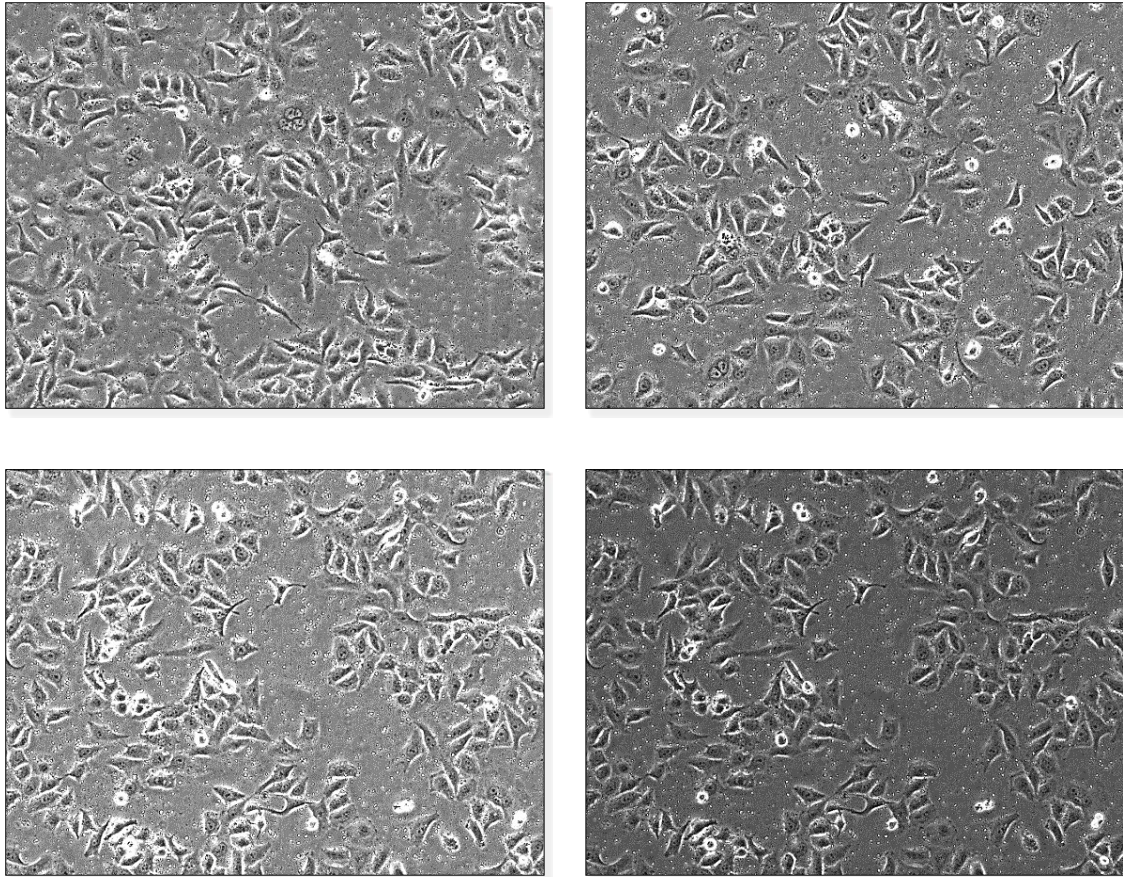


Figure S7. DIC images of the HeLa cell lines treated with  $\text{Mn}_{0.5}\text{Fe}_{2.5}\text{O}_4$  nanoparticles.

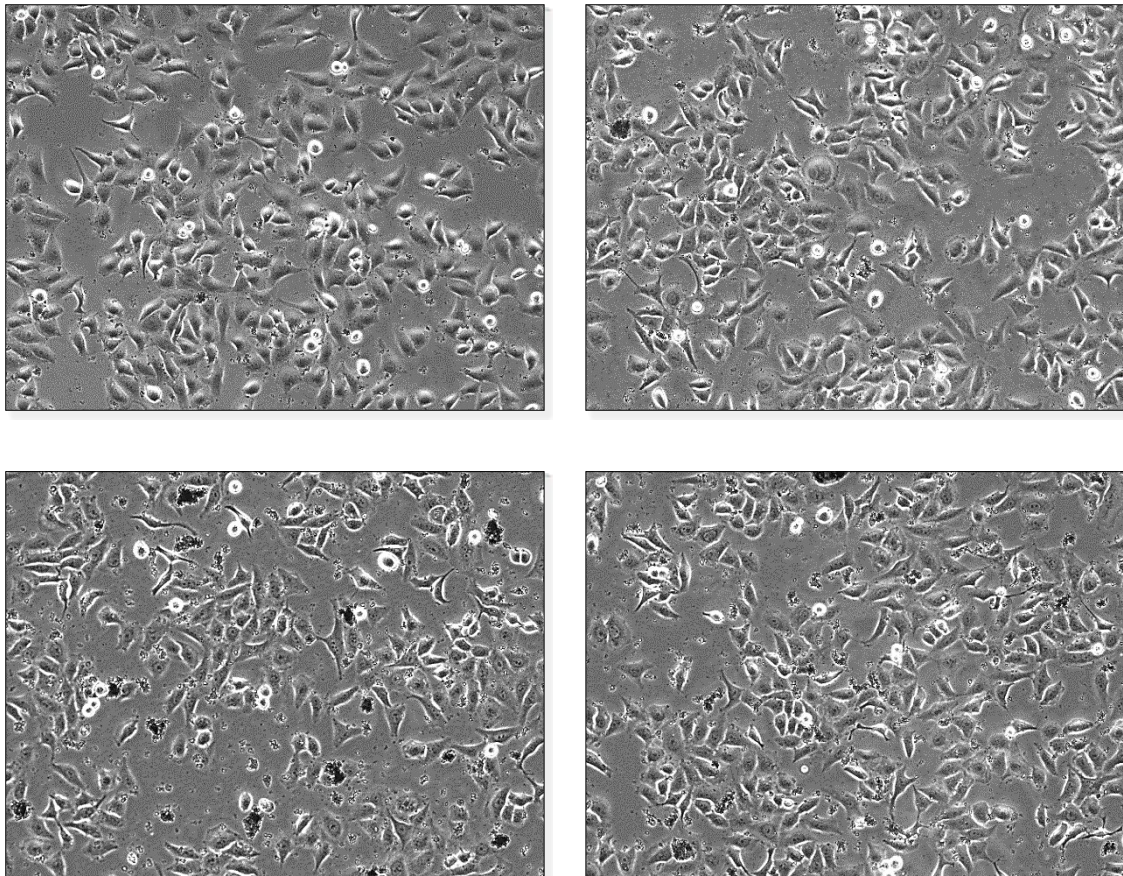


Figure S8. DIC images of the HeLa cell lines treated with Mn<sub>2</sub>Dy nanocomposite.

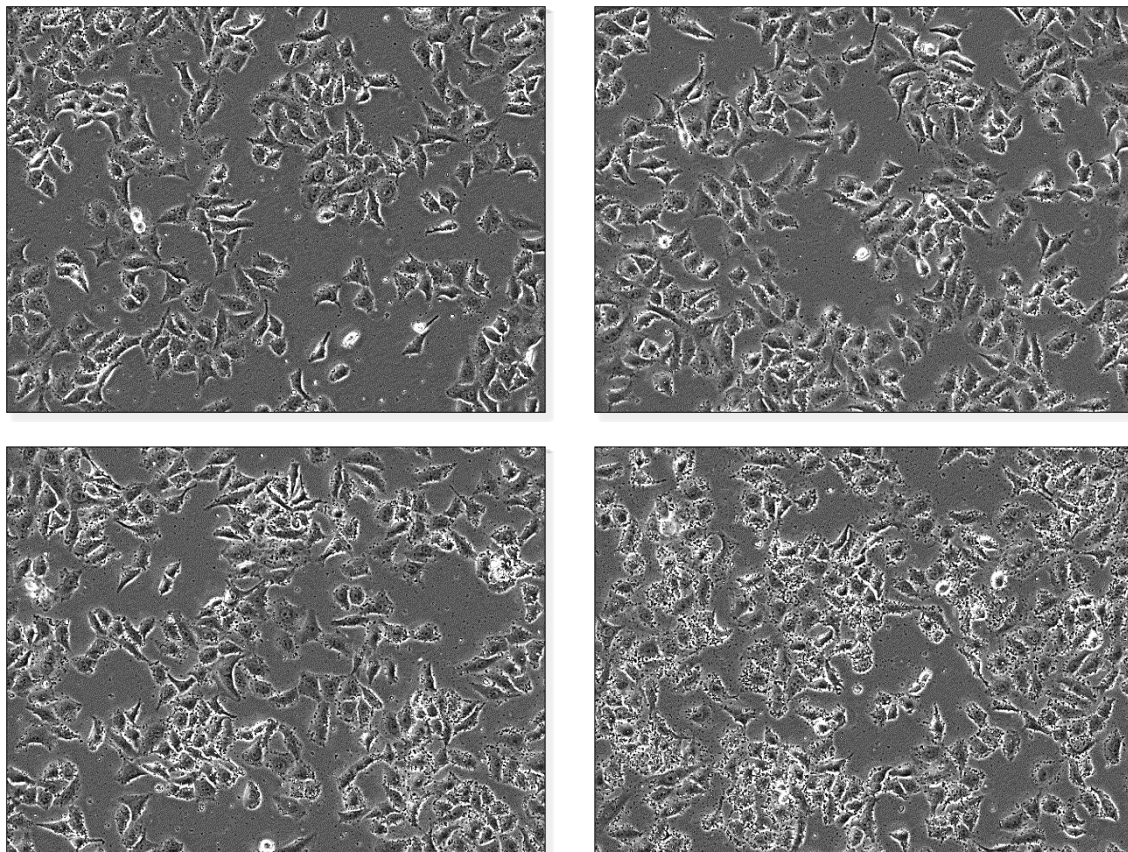


Figure S9. DIC images of the HeLa cell lines treated with Mn5Eu nanocomposite.