Supplementary Information

Zwitterionic polymer coated sorafenib-loaded Fe₃O₄ composite

nanoparticles induced ferroptosis for cancer therapy

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Figure S1. The Fourier transform infrared spectra of the PMPC, MNP, MNP-MPS and MNP@PMPC. The peak at 1722 cm⁻¹ belongs to C=O bonds. The peak at 590 cm⁻¹ belongs to Fe-O bond.



Figure S2. The (a) hydrodynamic diameter and (b) surface charge of MNP, MNP@PMPC and MNP@PMPC-SRF dispersed in water.



Figure S3. The hydrodynamic size and PDI of MNP@PMPC dissolved in water for different time.



Figure S4. The (a) absorbance and (b) standard curve of SRF in mixed solution of EtOH and H_2O (1:1 , v/v).



Figure S5. The degradation property of MNP dispersed in PBS at pH 5.0 and pH 7.4.



Figure S6. Cell viability of HCT-116 cells after 24 h incubation with (a) SRF or SRF + DFO and (b) MNP@PMPC-SRF or MNP@PMPC-SRF + DFO.



Figure S7. Flow cytometry analyses of LPO generation in HCT116 cells detected by C11-BODIPY.



Figure S8. Intracellular XcT and GPX4 expression of HCT116 cells treated with different formulations including control, MNP@PMPC, SRF, and MNP@PMPC-SRF (from left to right). Untreated HCT116 cells were taken as a control.



Figure S9. Blood biochemistry indices of hepatic and renal function after 24 h injection (alanine aminotransferase (ALT), aspartate aminotransferase (AST), alkaline phosphatase (ALP) (a) creatinine (CREA) and UREA (b)).



Figure S10. Whole blood panel analysis of nanoparticle-treated mice after 24 h injection. (a) HCT, hematocrit; (b) HGB, hemoglobin; (c) MCH, mean corpuscular hemoglobin; (d) MCHC, mean corpuscular hemoglobin concentration; (e) MCV, mean corpuscular volume; (f) PLT, platelets; (g) RBC, red blood cell; (h) RDW-SD, red blood distribution width; (i) WBC, white blood cell.



Figure S11. H&E-stained slices of major organs including heart, liver, spleen, lungs, and kidneys from each group. The scale bar was 50 µm.