

Supporting information

GE11 peptide-decorated acidity-responsive micelles for improved drug delivery and enhanced combination therapy of metastatic breast cancer

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Supplementary Fig. S1-S4 and Table S1-S2

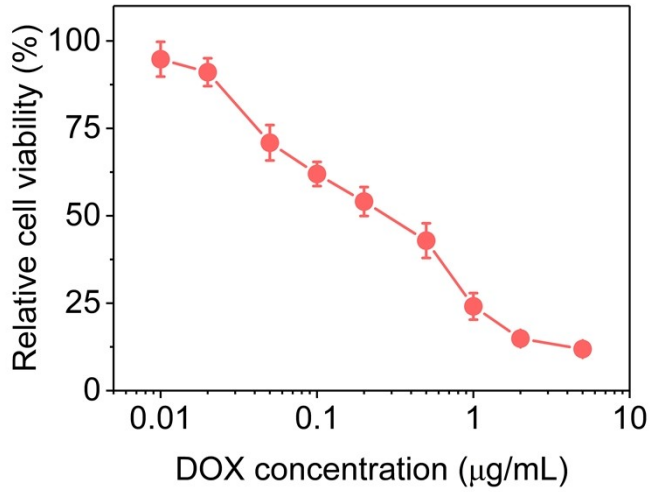


Fig. S1. *In vitro* cytotoxicity of free DOX combination with CEL at a mass ratio of 1/5 for 24 h.

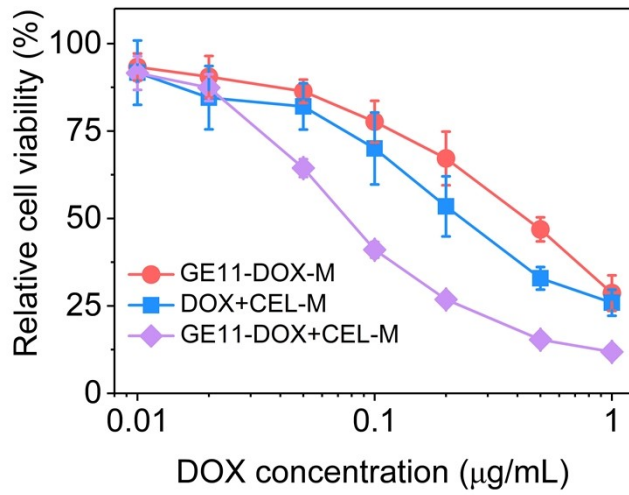


Fig. S2. Relative cell viability of 4T1 cells after treatment with the drug-loaded micelles for 48 h.

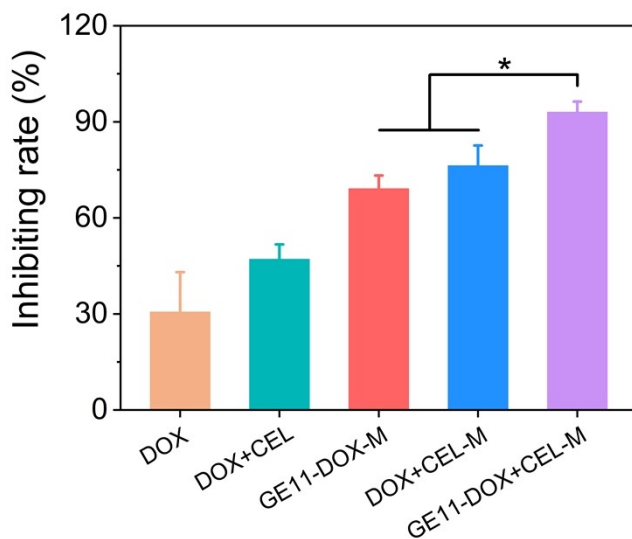


Fig. S3. Tumor inhibiting rate calculated by tumor volume.

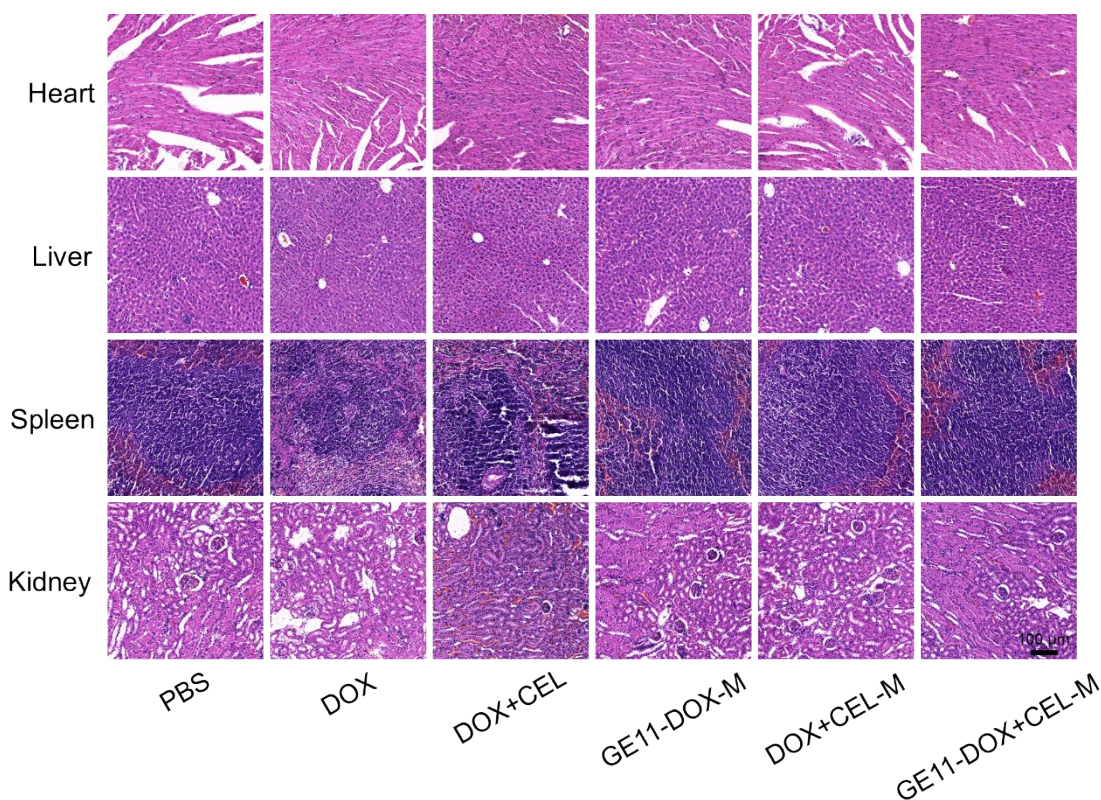


Fig. S4. Histopathological analysis of major organs in 4T1 tumor-bearing mice after different treatments.

Table S1. Properties of drug-loaded micelles.

Drug-loaded micelles	Size (D. nm)	PDI	LC of DOX (%)	LC of CEL (%)	EE of CEL (%)
GE11-DOX-M	81.3 ± 3.5	0.21 ± 0.03	6.7	—	—
DOX+CEL-M	92.5 ± 2.4	0.18 ± 0.02	5.3	28.4	83.1
GE11-DOX+CEL-M	100.6 ± 5.4	0.16 ± 0.03	4.3	23.2	71.9

Table S2. *In vitro* cytotoxicity of drug-loaded micelles against 4T1 cells for 24 h or 48 h.

Micelles	IC ₅₀ /DOX (µg/mL) (24 h)	IC ₅₀ /DOX (µg/mL) (48 h)
GE11-DOX-M	3.50 ± 0.07	0.45 ± 0.05
DOX+CEL-M	1.14 ± 0.05	0.26 ± 0.06
GE11-DOX+CEL-M	0.22 ± 0.03	0.07 ± 0.01