

Supporting Information for

## **Manganese-Zeolitic Imidazolate Frameworks-90 with High Blood Circulation Stability for MRI Guided Tumor Therapy**

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## **S1 Experimental**

### **S1.1 Materials and Regents**

Zn (CH<sub>3</sub>COOH)<sub>2</sub>·2H<sub>2</sub>O and imidazolate-2-carboxyaldehyde (2-ICA) were purchased from Infinity Scientific Co, Ltd (Beijing, China). Mn (CH<sub>3</sub>COOH)<sub>2</sub>, N, N-dimethylformamide (DMF), methanol (MeOH) were purchased from Aladdin Industrial Inc. (Shanghai, China). [Asn<sup>28</sup>, Pro<sup>30</sup>, Trp<sup>32</sup>]-NPY (25-36) (abbreviation: APT) (sequence: Arg-His-Tyr-Asn-Asn-Pro-Ile-Trp-Arg-Gln-Arg-Tyr) was synthesized by the NJPeptide Co, Ltd (Nanjing, China). CCK-8 testing box was purchased from Medchem Express (USA). DMEM medium, fetal bovine serum (FBS), penicillin and streptomycin were purchased from HyClone (USA). All products received without any purify. MCF-7 cell line got from Cell Bank of the Chinese Academy of Sciences (Shanghai, China).

### S1.2 Molecular Docking of APT to Y<sub>1</sub>R

The 3D structural model of Y<sub>1</sub> receptor (Y<sub>1</sub>R) was constructed as previously reported (PDB code: 5ZBH) [S1]. The structure of APT was derived from the NMR structure of neuropeptide Y (PDB code: 1RON) [S2], while the residues of neuropeptide Y were mutated to amino acid residues to get the structure of APT. Peptide docking of APT was completed using Rosetta's FlexPepDock application [S3]. The molecular dynamics simulation of APT to Y<sub>1</sub>R was further evaluated by the GROMACS program [S4].

### S1.3 Characterization of APT-Mn-ZIF-90/5-Fu

A particle size-zeta potential analyzer (Nano-ZS, Malvern, England) was used for the measurement of particle size and zeta potential of the APT-Mn-ZIF-90 in cell culture medium at room temperature. High-resolution transmission electron microscopy (HRTEM) images were recorded by a JEOL2100 (JEOL, Japan). The functional groups were investigated using fourier transform infrared spectroscopy (FT-IR) (Cary660 + 620, Agilent). The morphology was investigated through field emission scanning electron microscopy (FE-SEM) (S-4800, Hitachi), with a 10 kV acceleration voltage. The structural properties of samples were investigated by X-ray diffraction (XRD) using an X-ray powder diffractometer (XRD, D8 Discover, Bruker AXS). N<sub>2</sub> adsorption analysis was performed on the surface area and porosimetry instrument (ASAP 2020, Micromeritics) at 77 K. The concentration of Mn of samples was analyzed by ICP-OES (Optima 2100, Perkin-Elmer, USA).

### S1.4 Magnetic Resonance Imaging (MRI) Test *in vitro*

The *in vitro* relaxation time (T<sub>1</sub> and T<sub>2</sub>) of APT-Mn-ZIF-90 were measured on a 0.47 T Micro MR instrument at the frequency of 23.318 MHz (Niumag, Shanghai, China). The various Mn concentrations of APT-Mn-ZIF-90 samples in cell culture medium. Tw = 6000 ms. The slope of T<sub>1</sub> and T<sub>2</sub> were calculated by the value of longitudinal (r<sub>1</sub>) and transverse (r<sub>2</sub>) relativities against Mn concentrations. The T<sub>1</sub> MR images were acquired when TR = 200 ms, TE = 18.2 ms.

### S1.5 Cellular Uptake of APT-Mn-ZIF-90 *in vitro*

Before laser scanning confocal microscope (LSCM) investigation, the MCF-7 cells were incubated with RhB loaded Mn-ZIF-90 or APT-Mn-ZIF-90 nanoparticles for 24 h. After 8 h incubation, 1 μM rhodamine 123 as a mitochondria tracker was added and incubated for 15 min, then the cells were fixed by tissue fixative. The fluorescent images were taken by LSCM (EX 488nm, EM500-545 and 560-620 nm) (TCS SP5 II, Leica, Germany). To quantify the cellular uptake difference, the MCF-7 cells were treated with Mn-ZIF-90/RhB or APT-Mn-ZIF-90/RhB (RhB: 20 μg mL<sup>-1</sup>). The cells were removed from six-well plate after 8 h incubation and resuspended in PBS. Every 10000 cells were analysis by using flow cytometer analysis (FACSCalibur, BD, USA),

and the mean fluorescence intensity (MFI) of cells were calculated for comparison.

For the investigation of elements uptake in MCF-7 cells, X-ray fluorescence microscopy at Shanghai Synchrotron Radiation Facility (SSRF, Shanghai, China) was used as our group pervious reported [S5]. In general, the cells were grown on sterile Malay films for 24 h, and then were cultured with Mn-ZIF-90 and APT-Mn-ZIF-90 ( $100 \mu\text{g mL}^{-1}$ ) for 8 h. After fixing by tissue fixative and washed with pure water, the cells were tested. The hard X-rays BL15U beamline at SSR was also used to get distribution mapping of elements (Cl, Zn and Mn) at the condition of energy of the X-ray was 10 keV with the beam spot was  $0.5 \times 0.5 \mu\text{m}$  (step\*s)<sup>-1</sup>.

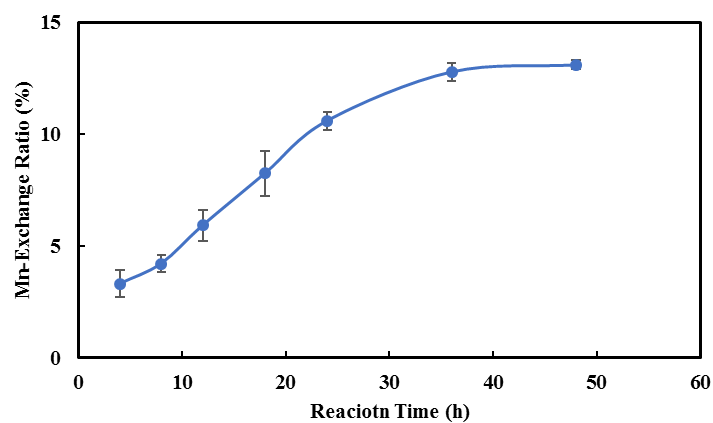
For the investigation of nanoparticles uptake in MCF-7 cells, soft X-ray fiber microscopy at University of Science and Technology of China (Hefei, China). Briefly, MCF-7 were incubated in 6-well-culture plates for 24 h at 37 °C with 5% CO<sub>2</sub>, then the medium was replaced by APT-Mn-ZIF-90 ( $100 \mu\text{g mL}^{-1}$ ) for 4 h. The cells were dissociated by 0.25% trypsin and centrifuged then dispersed in PBS. The solution was dropped on a nickel mesh. 3-D cell images were obtained at Soft X Suspected Microscopic Imaging Beam Station.

To quantitatively measure the content of Mn in MCF-7 cells, the cells were incubated with different concentration of Mn-ZIF-90 and APT-Mn-ZIF-90 solution for 4 h. After then, cells were collected and re-suspended in PBS ( $1 \times 10^5$  cells/ml) for ICP-OES (Optima 2100, Perkin-Elmer, USA).

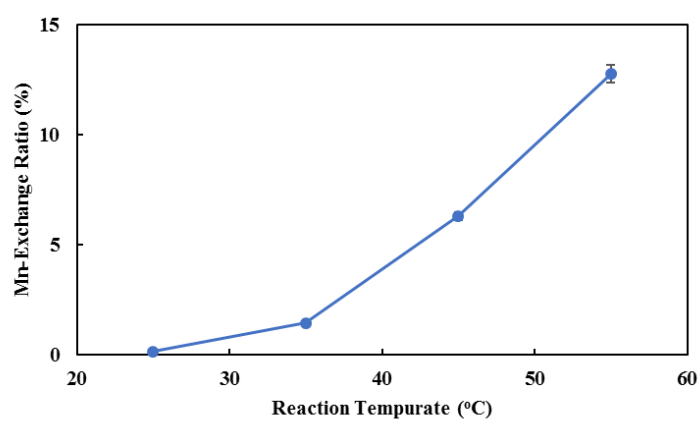
### **S1.6 Cell Cytotoxicity Assays**

10000 MCF-7 cells were seeded in a 96-well-culture plates for 24 h at 37 °C with 5% CO<sub>2</sub>. Then the cells were treated with different concentration of APT-Mn-ZIF-90 or free 5-Fu, Mn-ZIF-90/5-Fu and APT-Mn-ZIF-90/5-Fu in the 5-Fu concentration. After another 24 h, adding CCK-8 solution (10  $\mu\text{L}$ ) and for another 2 h incubation at 37 °C. The absorbance intensity every well was used by an automated plate reader (iMark (168-1130), Biorad, U.S.) at 450 nm. The data was processed according to our pervious reported [S6].

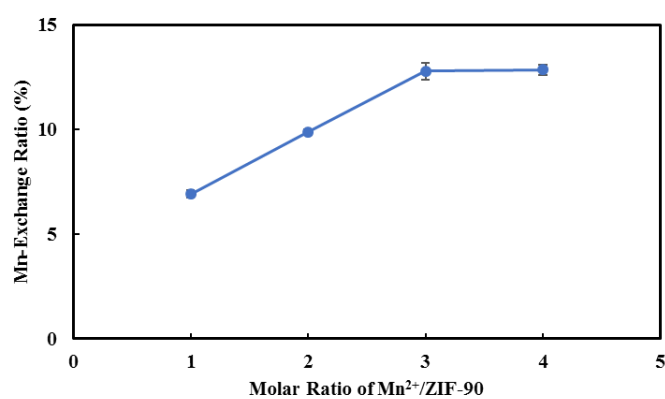
## **S2 Supplementary Figures and Tables**



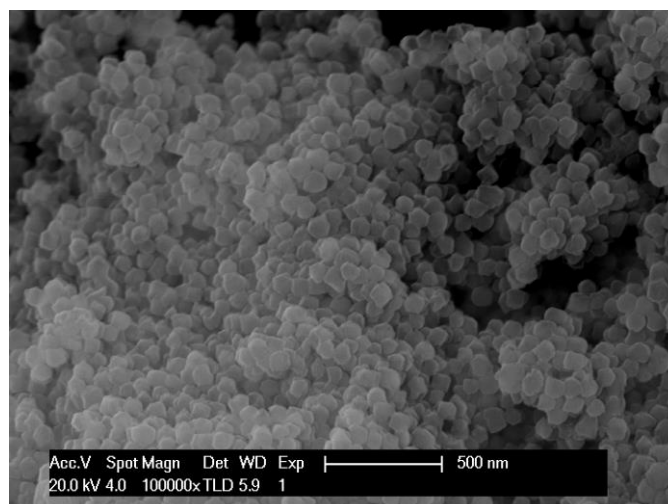
**Fig. S1** Mn-exchange ratio under different reaction time. The molar ratio of  $\text{Mn}^{2+}$  to ZIF-90 was 3, and the temperature was at 55 °C



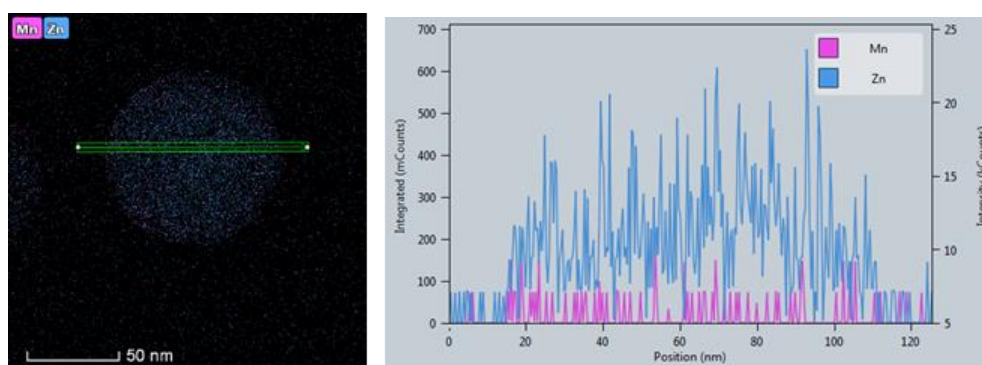
**Fig. S2** Mn-exchange ratio for different reaction temperate. The molar ratio of  $\text{Mn}^{2+}$  to ZIF-90 was 3, and the reaction time was 36 h



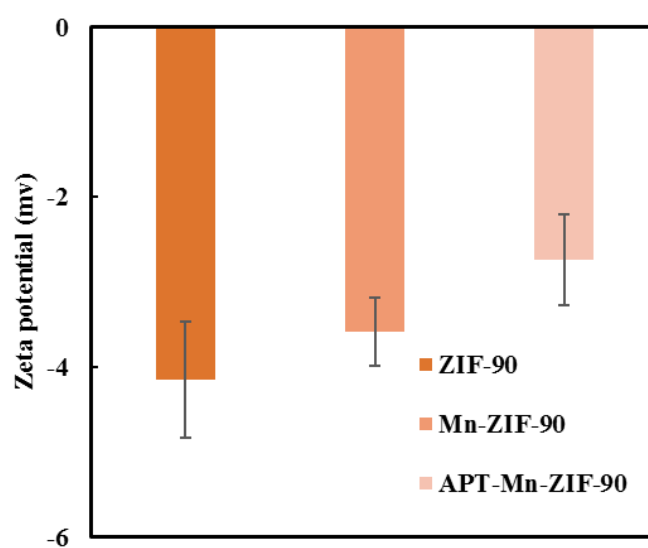
**Fig. S3** Mn-exchange ratio for different molar ratio of  $\text{Mn}^{2+}$  to ZIF-90. The reaction temperature was at 55 °C, and the reaction time was 36 h



**Fig. S4** SEM imaging of ZIF-90



**Fig. S5** Merge image of Zn and Mn and their element intensity



**Fig. S6** Zeta-potential of ZIF-90, Mn-ZIF-90, and APT-Mn-ZIF-90

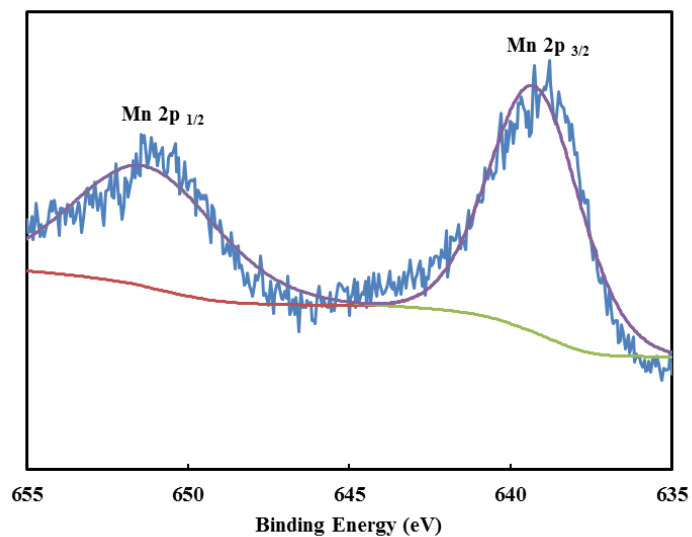


Fig. S7 Mn 2p XPS spectra of Mn-ZIF-90

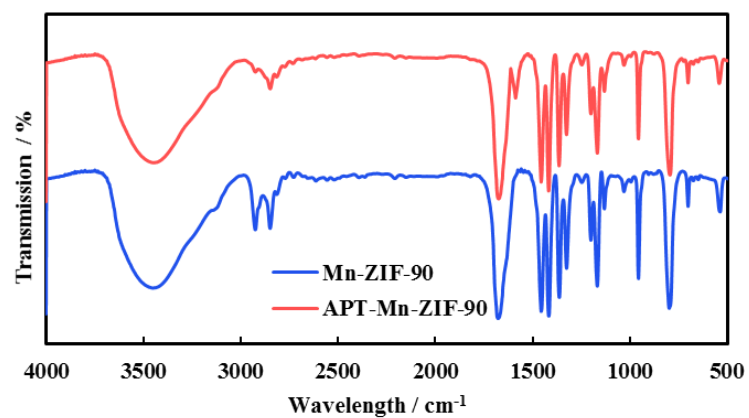


Fig. S8 FT-IR of Mn-ZIF-90 and APT-Mn-ZIF-90

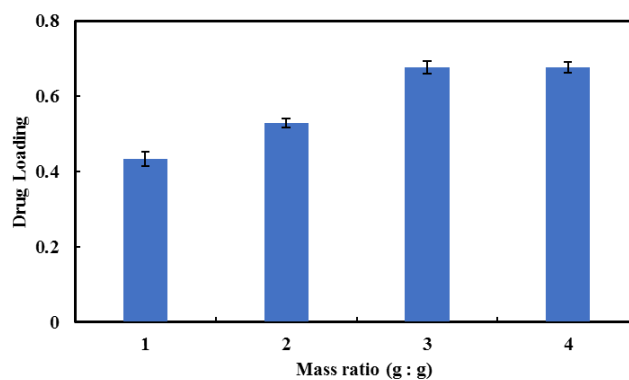
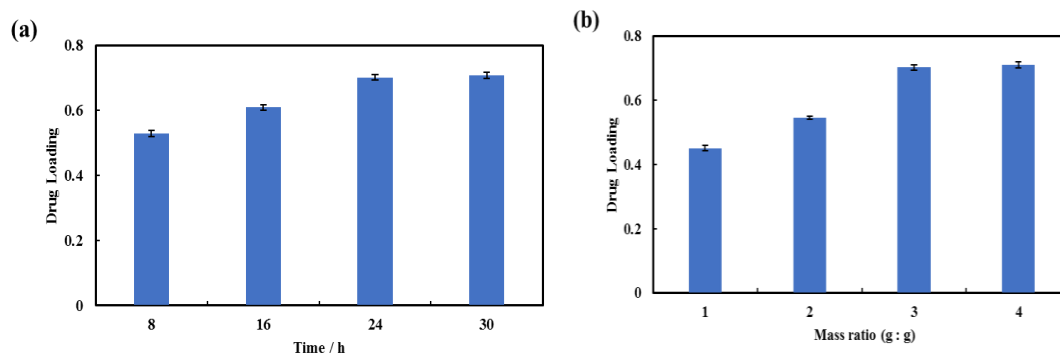
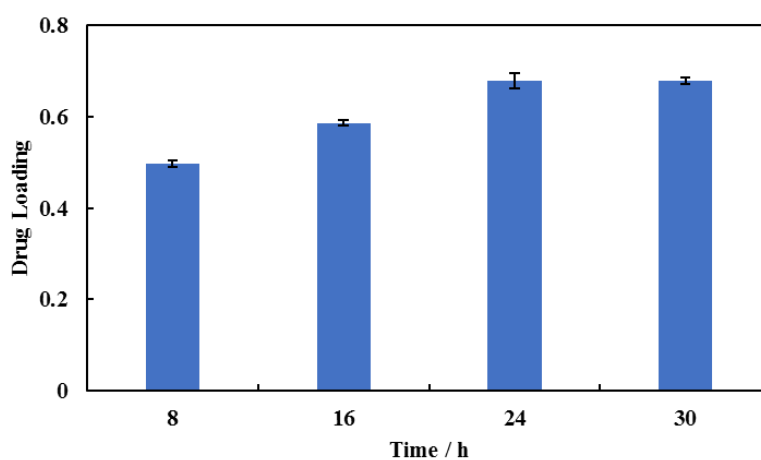


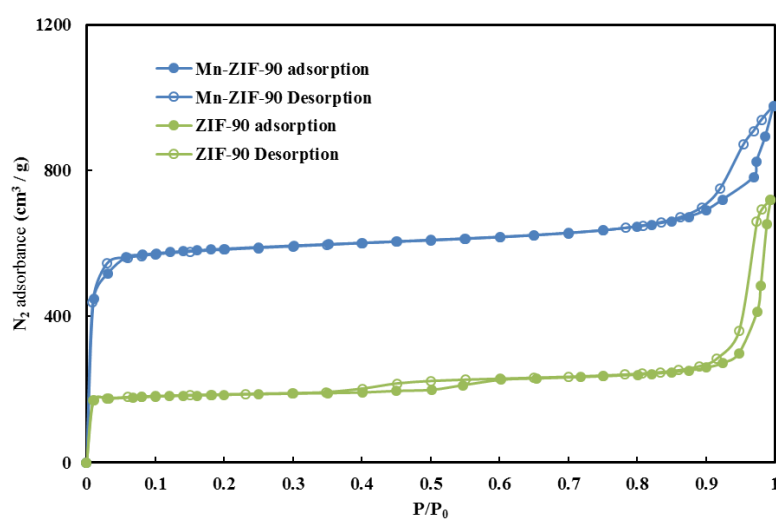
Fig. S9 Drug loading of APT-Mn-ZIF-90 at different mass ratio of 5-Fu to APT-Mn-ZIF-90



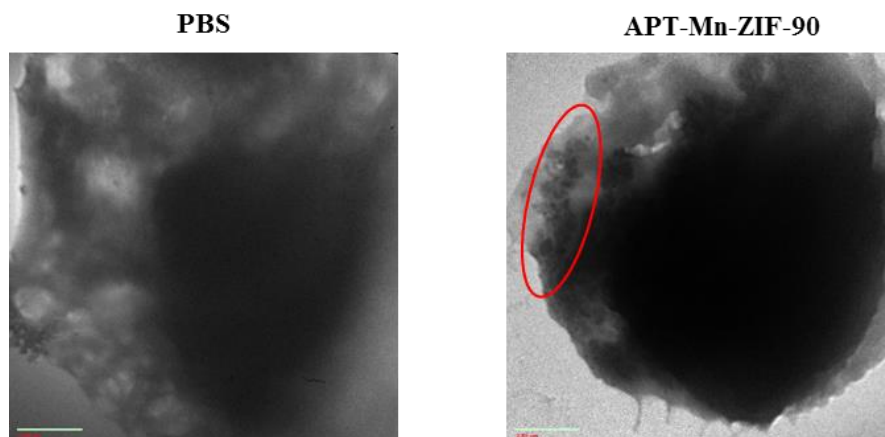
**Fig. S10** Drug loading of Mn-ZIF-90 at different **a** stirring time and **b** mass ratio of 5-Fu to Mn-ZIF-90



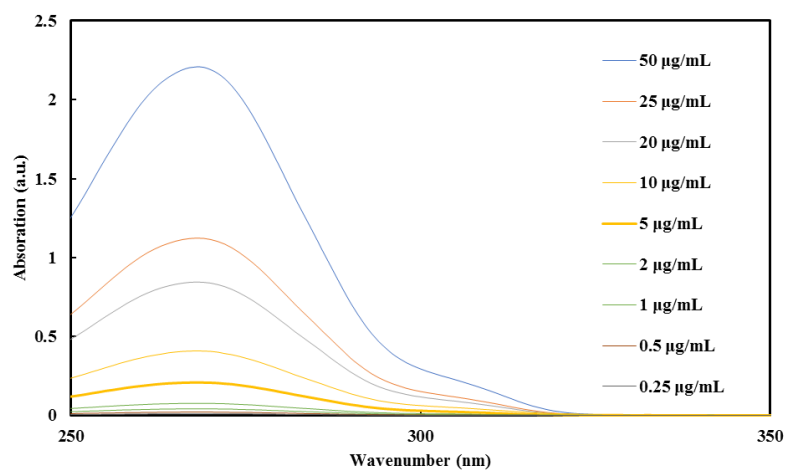
**Fig. S11** Drug loading of ZIF-90 at different stirring time



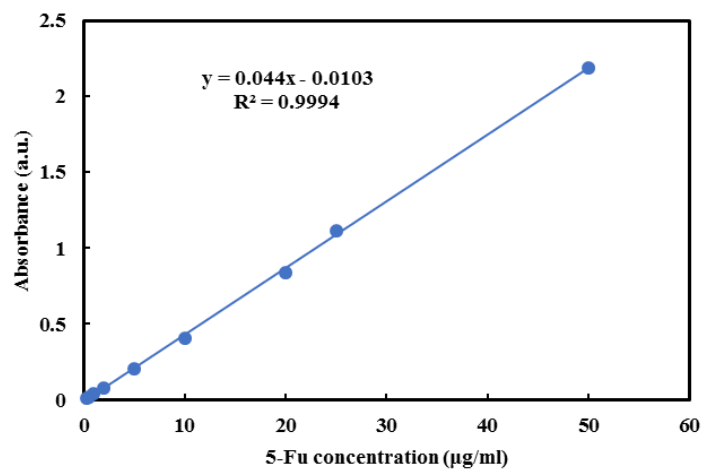
**Fig. S12**  $N_2$  adsorbance of ZIF-90 and Mn-ZIF-90



**Fig. S13** XFM images of cells treated by PBS and APT-Mn-ZIF-90 after 8 h

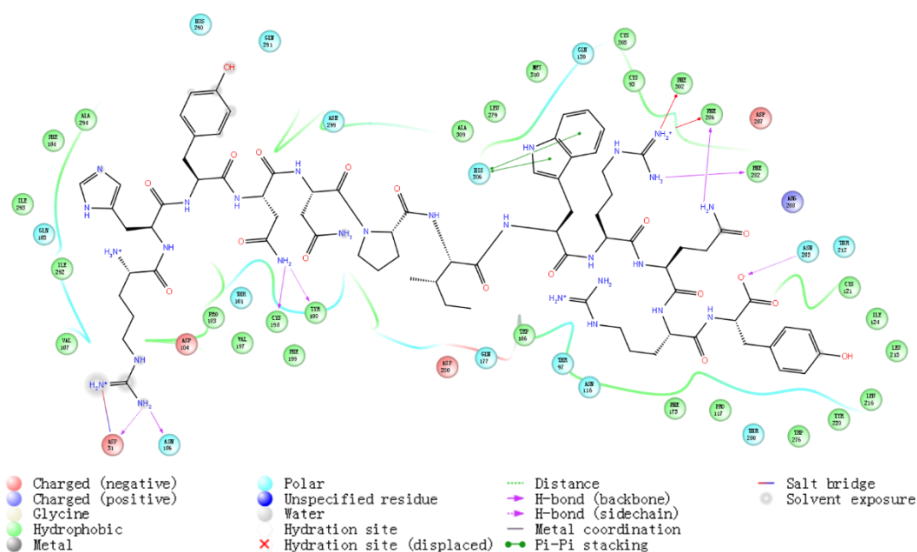


**Fig. S14** UV-Vis spectra of 5-Fu at different concentration

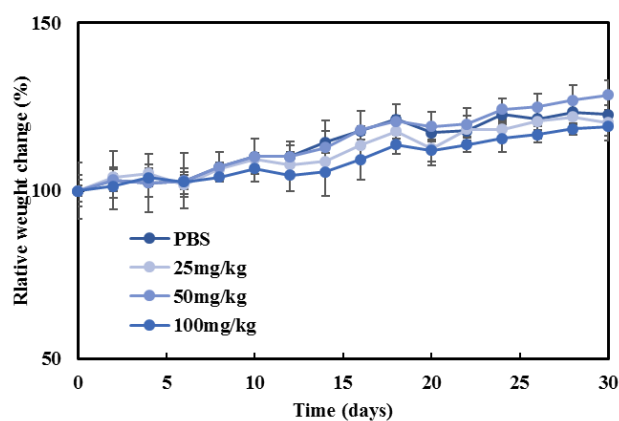


**Fig. S15** Standard curve of 5-Fu from UV-Vis spectra

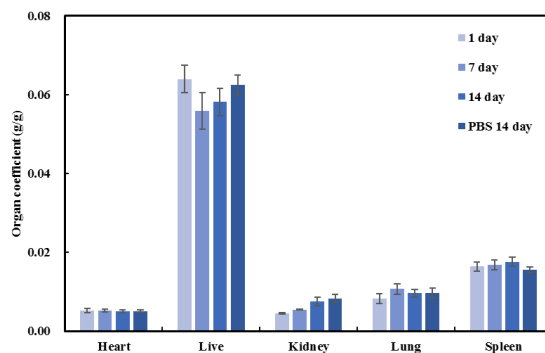




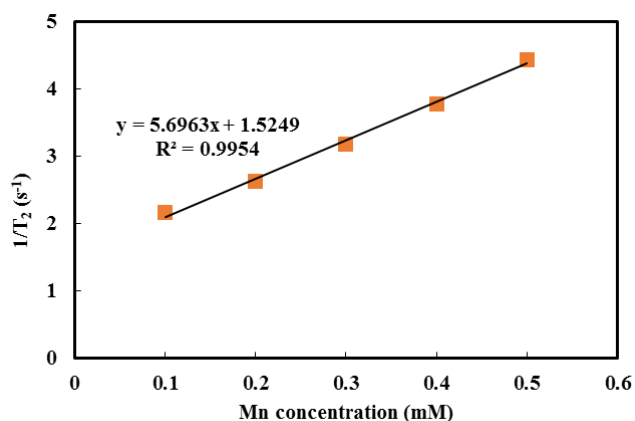
**Fig. S16** Schematic representation of the interactions between APT and Y<sub>1</sub>R. The residue of the Y<sub>1</sub>R was represented by spheres



**Fig. S17** The relative weight change of mice after i.v. injection of different dosage of APT-Mn-ZIF-90 after 30 days



**Fig. S18** Organ coefficients of Balb/C mice after i.v. injection of APT-Mn-ZIF-90 (50 mg kg<sup>-1</sup>) at different time



**Fig. S19** The slope of  $r_2$  value of APT-Mn-ZIF-90 at different concentration of Mn<sup>2+</sup>

**Table S1** Mn exchange ratio and yield of Mn-ZIF-90 at different condition

Sample No.	Reaction Time (h)	Reaction Temperature (°C)	Molar ratio of Mn <sup>2+</sup> to ZIF-90	Mn Exchange Ratio (%)	Yield (%)
1	4	55	3	3.32 ± 0.62	87.19 ± 1.89
2	8	55	3	4.21 ± 0.38	83.53 ± 3.16
3	12	55	3	5.91 ± 0.70	81.73 ± 4.28
4	18	55	3	8.24 ± 1.02	75.89 ± 3.49
5	24	55	3	10.59 ± 0.42	72.54 ± 4.15
6	36	55	3	12.78 ± 0.39	61.17 ± 3.14
7	48	55	3	13.10 ± 0.20	44.42 ± 2.41
8	36	25	3	0.14 ± 0.03	91.56 ± 2.49
9	36	35	3	1.44 ± 0.05	73.16 ± 4.12
10	36	45	3	6.30 ± 0.17	69.12 ± 1.28
11	36	65	3	N.A.	N.A. <sup>a</sup>
12	36	55	1	6.91 ± 0.18	72.46 ± 1.17
13	36	55	2	9.89 ± 0.13	70.13 ± 0.89
14	36	55	4	12.86 ± 0.24	54.12 ± 1.89

<sup>a</sup> N.A. No product was found (n=3)

**Table S2** Survival ratio of different nanoparticles at different given dosage

Nanoparticles	12.5	25	35	50	75	100
	mg kg <sup>-1</sup>	mg kg <sup>-1</sup>	mg kg <sup>-1</sup>	mg kg <sup>-1</sup>	mg kg <sup>-1</sup>	mg kg <sup>-1</sup>
ZIF-90	5/5	5/5	5/5	5/5	5/5	5/5
Mn-ZIF-90	5/5	5/5	5/5	5/5	5/5	5/5
APT-Mn-ZIF-90	5/5	5/5	5/5	5/5	5/5	5/5

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