

Supplementary Materials: Impact of PEGylated Liposomal Doxorubicin and Carboplatin Combination on Glioblastoma

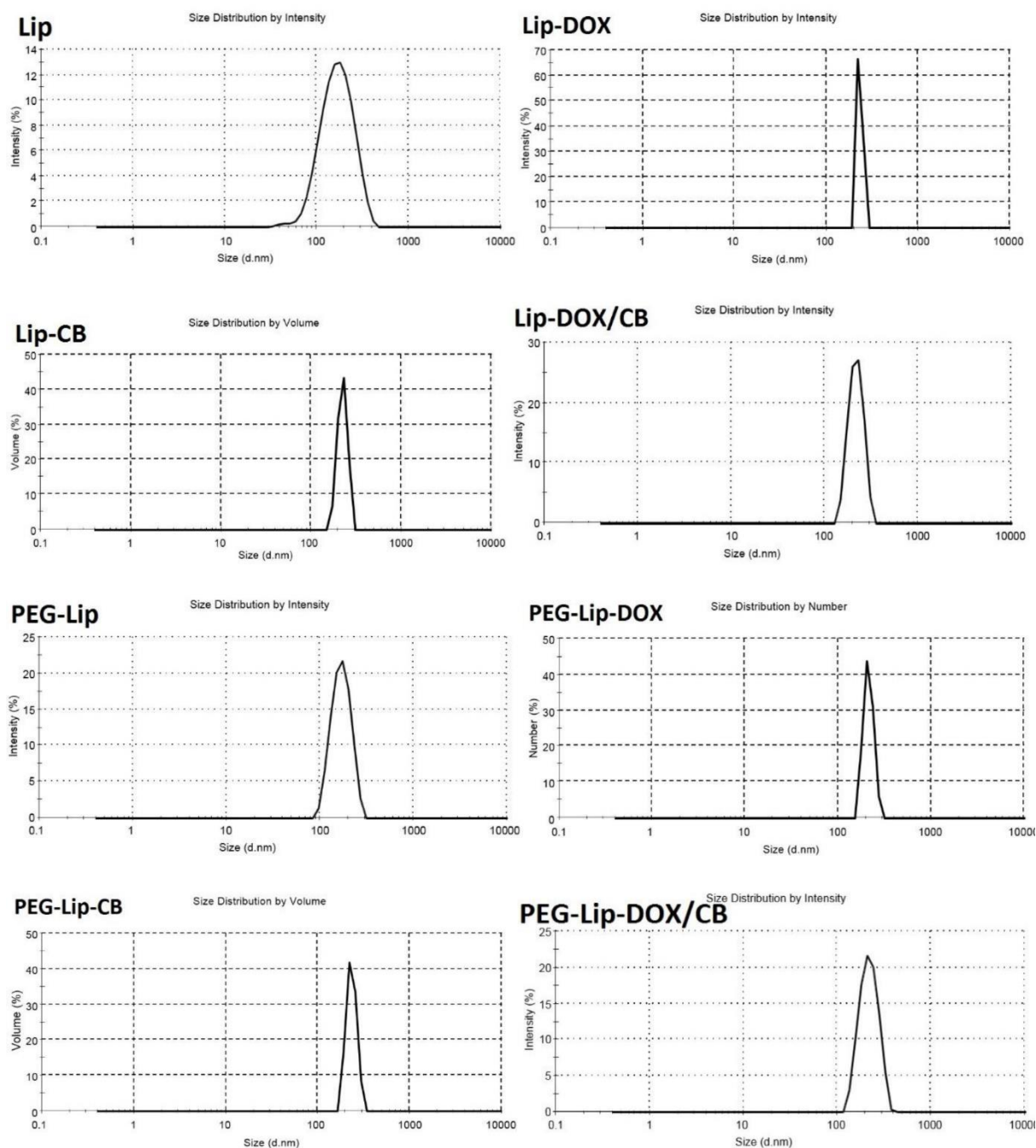


Figure S1. Size diagram, polydispersity index (PDI), and zeta potential values of Lip, Lip-DOX, Lip-CB, Lip-DOX/CB, PEG-Lip, PEG-Lip-DOX, PEG-Lip-CB, and PEG-Lip-DOX/CB.

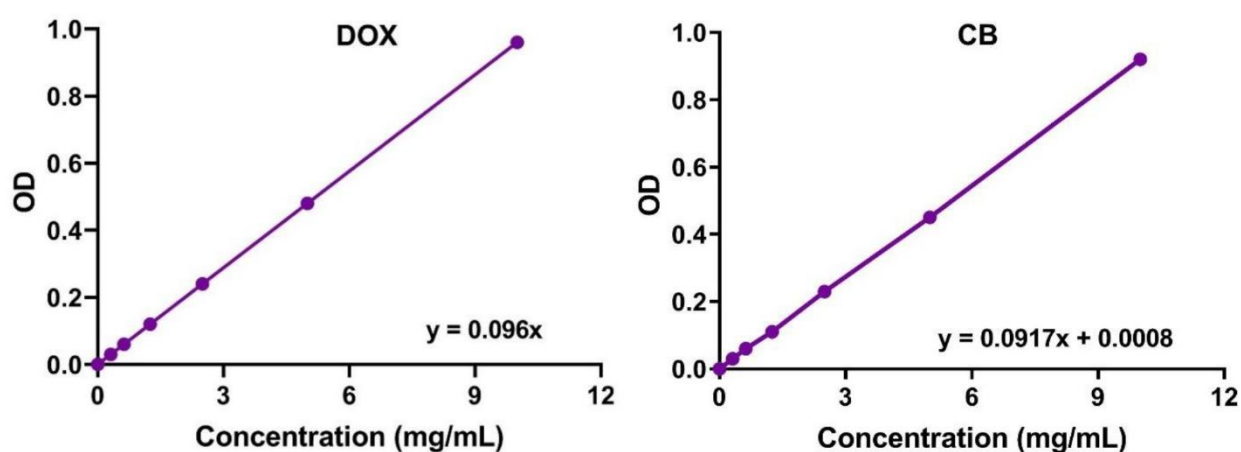


Figure S2. The standard curves (drug concentration vs. optical density (OD)) of DOX and CB, respectively.

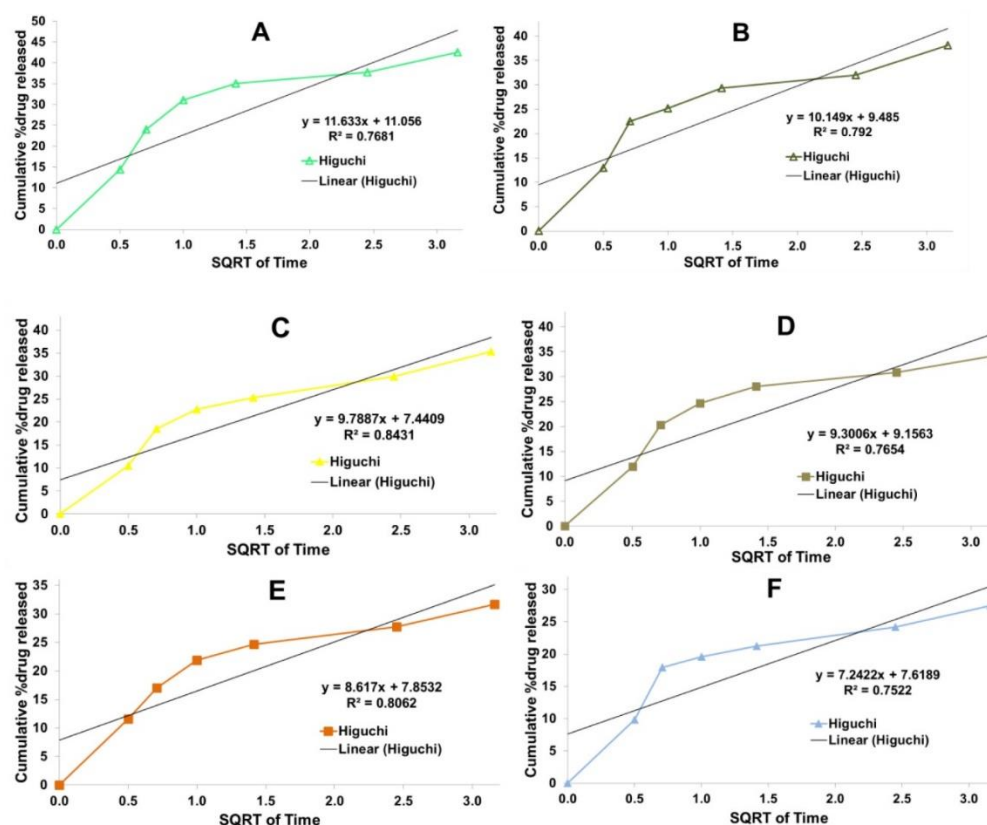


Figure S3. The Higuchi model of DOX and CB release from (A) Lip-DOX, (B) Lip-CB, (C) Lip-DOX/CB, (D) PEG-Lip-DOX, (E) PEG-Lip-CB, and (F) PEG-Lip-DOX/CB. Results are expressed as mean \pm SD of three independent experiments.

Figure S4. The stability of Lip-DOX, Lip-CB, Lip-DOX/CB, PEG-Lip-DOX, PEG-Lip-CB, and PEG-Lip-DOX/CB in fetal bovine serum (FBS) over 5 h at 37 °C. Data is expressed as mean \pm SD (n = 3).

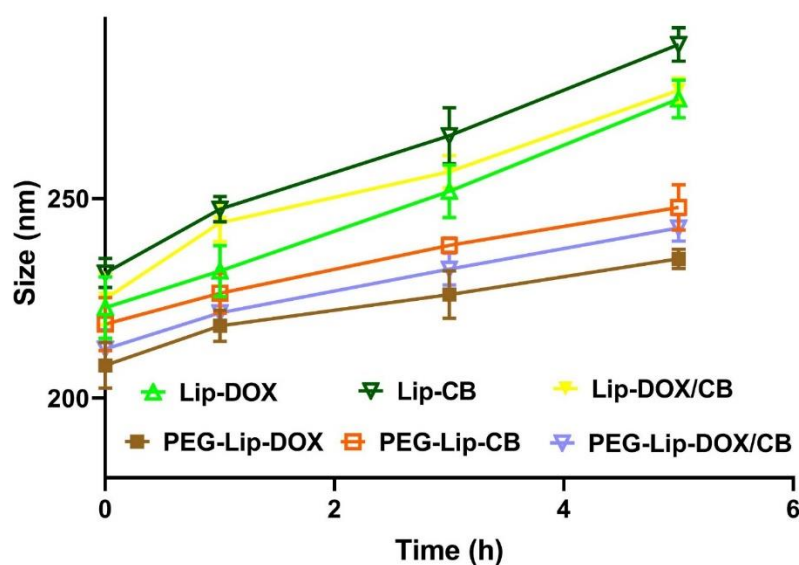



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Optimization of the doxorubicin, carboplatin-loaded polyethylene glycol (PEG)ylated liposome (PEG-Lip-DOX/CB) formulation

To optimize the preparation of PEG-Lip-DOX/CB, the formulation composition of liposome nanoparticles (Lip) was optimized in terms of size and polydispersity index (PDI) according to the different weight ratios of lecithin and cholesterol (Table S1). The optimized formulation was selected based on the minimum size and PDI [1, 2]. The optimized formulation with the minimum size and PDI values (Table S1, L3) was then optimized against three different concentrations of DSPE-PEG2000 (Table S2). For this purpose, the three concentrations of DSPE-PEG2000 were mixed with L3 separately, and the optimized concentration with the minimum size and PDI was selected to mix with the three different concentrations of the drugs to find the optimized formulation according to their encapsulation efficiency (EE%, Table S3).

Table S1. Formulation and optimization of non-PEGylated liposome nanoparticles (Lip) using various lecithin/cholesterol ratios.

Code	Lecithin/cholesterol ratio (w/w%)	Size (nm)	PDI
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L1	2.7:2	259.3 ± 12.8	0.337 ± 0.013
L2	2.7:1.5	231.1 ± 10.4	0.384 ± 0.018
L3	2.7:1	195 ± 9	0.368 ± 0.016
L4	5.4:2	289.4 ± 13.7	0.398 ± 0.016
L5	5.4:1.5	268.3 ± 11.4	0.378 ± 0.018
L6	5.4:1	232.3 ± 11.2	0.377 ± 0.019
L7	8.1:2	346.2 ± 15.9	0.463 ± 0.029
L8	8.1:1.5	311.8 ± 13.1	0.358 ± 0.026
L9	8.1:1	282.1 ± 12.2	0.351 ± 0.022

* PDI: Polydispersity index.

Table S2. Formulation and optimization of PEGylated liposome nanoparticles using various PEG/(lecithin + cholesterol) lipid ratios.

Code	DSPE-PEG2000/lipid ratios (w/w%)	Size (nm)	PDI
L3P1	0.25/4	219.2 ± 8.7	0.382 ± 0.018
L3P2	0.5/4	204.3 ± 7.7	0.361 ± 0.015
L3P3	1/4	180 ± 8	0.323 ± 0.016

Table S3. Formulation and optimization of drug-loaded PEGylated and non-PEGylated liposome nanoparticles using various DOX/CB concentrations.

Code	Drug (w/w%)	Size (nm)	PDI	EE%
L3C1	16.9	216.2 ± 9.4	0.333 ± 0.018	72
L3C2	23.3	231 ± 11.8	0.339 ± 0.017	76.1
L3C3	28.8	225 ± 11	0.262 ± 0.01	81.3
L3P3C1	16.9	198.2 ± 10.1	0.369 ± 0.017	73.4
L3P3C2	23.3	215.3 ± 11.4	0.249 ± 0.04	77.8
L3P3C3	28.8	212 ± 10	0.211 ± 0.01	83.9

* EE%: Encapsulation efficiency (%).

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Table S4. Measured values of cumulative % drug released, % drug remaining, square root time, log cumulative % drug remaining, log time, log cumulative % drug released, % drug released, cube root of % drug remaining (W_t) and W_0-W_t parameters to determine the drug release kinetics for Lip-DOX. W_0 and W_t are the initial and remaining amount of drug in the pharmaceutical dosage form at times 0 and t, respectively.

Time (hr)	cumulative % drug re- leased	% drug re- maining	Square root time	log Cumu % drug re- maining	log time	log Cumu % drug re- leased	% Drug re- leased	Cube Root of % drug Re- maining (W_t)	$W_0 - W_t$
0	0	100	0.0	2.0	0.0	0.0	100	4.6	0.0
0.25	14.4	85.6	0.5	1.9	-0.6	1.2	14.4	4.4	0.2
0.5	24	76	0.7	1.9	-0.3	1.4	9.6	4.2	0.4
1.0	31.1	68.9	1.0	1.8	0.0	1.5	7.1	4.1	0.5
2	35.	65.0	1.4	1.8	0.3	1.5	3.9	4.0	0.6
6	37.7	62.3	2.5	1.8	0.8	1.6	2.7	4.0	0.7
10	42.6	57.4	3.2	1.8	1.0	1.6	4.8	3.9	0.8

Table S5. Measured values of cumulative % drug released, % drug remaining, square root time, log cumulative % drug remaining, log time, log cumulative % drug released, % drug released, cube root of % drug remaining (W_t) and W_0-W_t parameters to determine the drug release kinetics for Lip-CB. W_0 and W_t are the initial and remaining amount of drug in the pharmaceutical dosage form at times 0 and t , respectively.

Time (hr)	cumulative % drug re-leased	% drug re-remaining	Square root time	log Cumu % drug re-remaining	log time	log Cumu % drug re-leased	% Drug re-leased	Cube Root of % drug Re-remaining (W_t)	W_0-W_t
0	0	100	0.0	2.0	0.0	0.0	100	4.6	0.0
0.25	13.0	87.0	0.5	1.9	-0.6	1.1	13.0	4.4	0.2
0.5	22.5	77.5	0.7	1.9	-0.3	1.4	9.5	4.3	0.4
1	25.2	74.8	1.0	1.9	0.0	1.4	2.7	4.2	0.4
2	29.3	70.7	1.4	1.8	0.3	1.5	4.2	4.1	0.5
6	32	68	2.5	1.8	0.8	1.5	2.7	4.1	0.6
10	38.1	61.9	3.2	1.8	1.0	1.6	6.1	4.0	0.7

Table S6. Measured values of cumulative % drug released, % drug remaining, square root time, log cumulative % drug remaining, log time, log cumulative % drug released, % drug released, cube root of % drug remaining (W_t) and W_0-W_t parameters to determine the drug release kinetics for Lip-DOX/CB. W_0 and W_t are the initial and remaining amount of drug in the pharmaceutical dosage form at times 0 and t , respectively.

Time (hr)	cumulative % drug re-leased	% drug re-remaining	Square root time	log Cumu % drug re-remaining	log time	log Cumu % drug re-leased	% Drug re-leased	Cube Root of % drug Re-remaining (W_t)	W_0-W_t
0	0	100	0.0	2.0	0.0	0.0	100	4.6	0.0
0.25	10.5	89.5	0.5	1.9	-0.6	1.0	10.5	4.5	0.2
0.5	18.6	81.4	0.7	1.9	-0.3	1.3	8.0	4.3	0.3
1	22.8	77.2	1.0	1.9	0.0	1.4	4.2	4.3	0.4
2	25.3	74.7	1.4	1.9	0.3	1.4	2.5	4.2	0.4
6	29.9	70.1	2.4	1.8	0.8	1.5	4.6	4.1	0.5
10	35.3	64.7	3.2	1.8	1.0	1.5	5.4	4.0	0.6

Table S7. Measured values of cumulative % drug released, % drug remaining, square root time, log cumulative % drug remaining, log time, log cumulative % drug released, % drug released, cube root of % drug remaining (W_t) and W_0-W_t parameters to determine the drug release kinetics for PEG-Lip-DOX. W_0 and W_t are the initial and remaining amount of drug in the pharmaceutical dosage form at times 0 and t , respectively.

Time (hr)	cumulative % drug re-leased	% drug re-remaining	Square root time	log Cumu % drug re-remaining	log time	log Cumu % drug re-leased	% Drug re-leased	Cube Root of % drug Re-remaining (W_t)	W_0-W_t
0	0	100	0.0	2.0	0.0	0.0	100	4.6	0.0
0.25	11.9	88.1	0.5	1.9	-0.6	1.1	11.9	4.4	0.2
0.5	20.3	79.7	0.7	1.9	-0.3	1.3	8.4	4.3	0.3
1	24.7	75.3	1.0	1.9	0.0	1.4	4.4	4.2	0.4
2	28.1	71.9	1.4	1.9	0.3	1.4	3.4	4.2	0.5
6	30.9	69.1	2.4	1.8	0.8	1.5	2.8	4.1	0.5
10	34.1	65.9	3.2	1.8	1.0	1.5	3.3	4.0	0.6

Table S8. Measured values of cumulative % drug released, % drug remaining, square root time, log cumulative % drug remaining, log time, log cumulative % drug released, % drug released, cube root of % drug remaining (W_t) and W_0-W_t parameters to determine the drug release kinetics for PEG-Lip-CB. W_0 and W_t are the initial and remaining amount of drug in the pharmaceutical dosage form at times 0 and t, respectively.

Time (hr)	cumulative % drug re-leased	% drug re-remaining	Square root time	log Cumu % drug re-remaining	log time	log Cumu % drug re-leased	% Drug re-leased	Cube Root of % drug Re-remaining (W_t)	W_0-W_t
0	0	100	0.0	2.0	0.0	0.0	100	4.6	0.0
0.25	11.6	88.4	0.5	1.9	-0.6	1.1	11.6	4.5	0.2
0.5	17	83	0.7	1.9	-0.3	1.2	5.4	4.4	0.3
1	21.9	78.1	1.0	1.9	0.0	1.3	4.9	4.3	0.4
2	24.6	75.4	1.4	1.9	0.3	1.4	2.7	4.2	0.4
6	27.8	72.2	2.4	1.9	0.8	1.4	3.1	4.2	0.5
10	31.7	68.3	3.2	1.8	1.0	1.5	3.9	4.1	0.6

Table S9. Measured values of cumulative % drug released, % drug remaining, square root time, log cumulative % drug remaining, log time, log cumulative % drug released, % drug released, cube root of % drug remaining (W_t) and W_0-W_t parameters to determine the drug release kinetics for PEG-Lip-DOX/CB. W_0 and W_t are the initial and remaining amount of drug in the pharmaceutical dosage form at times 0 and t, respectively.

Time (hr)	cumulative % drug re-leased	% drug re-remaining	Square root time	log Cumu % drug re-remaining	log time	log Cumu % drug re-leased	% Drug re-leased	Cube Root of % drug Re-remaining (W_t)	W_0-W_t
0	0	100	0.0	2.0	0.0	0.0	100	4.6	0.0
0.25	9.8	90.2	0.5	2.0	-0.6	1.0	9.8	4.5	0.2
0.5	17.9	82.1	0.7	1.9	-0.3	1.3	8.1	4.3	0.3
1	19.6	80.4	1.0	1.9	0.0	1.3	1.7	4.3	0.3
2	21.2	78.8	1.4	1.9	0.3	1.3	1.6	4.3	0.4
6	24.2	75.8	2.4	1.9	0.8	1.4	3	4.2	0.4
10	27.5	72.5	3.2	1.9	1.0	1.4	3.3	4.2	0.5