

# Supplementary Materials: A Colorimetric Sensor for the Highly Selective Detection of Sulfide and 1,4-Dithiothreitol Based on the *In Situ* Formation of Silver Nanoparticles Using Dopamine

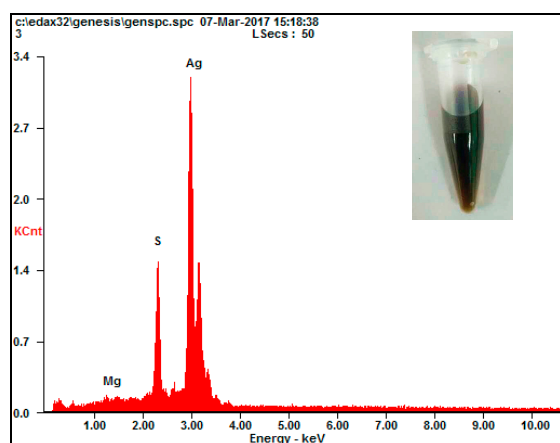
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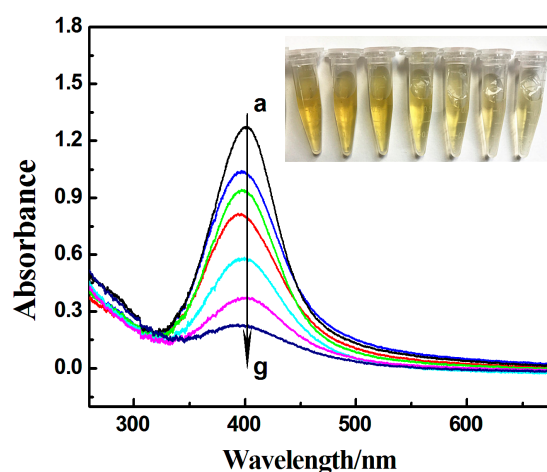
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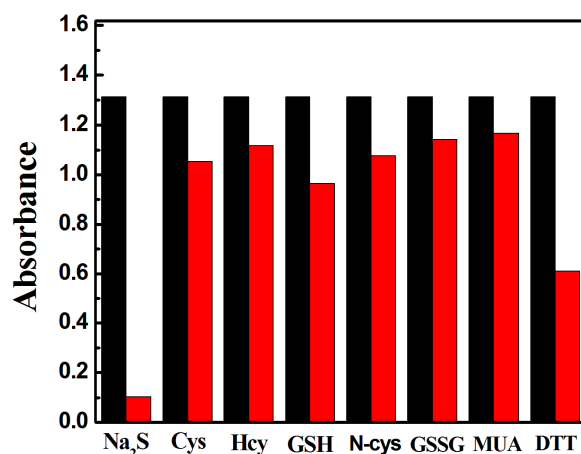
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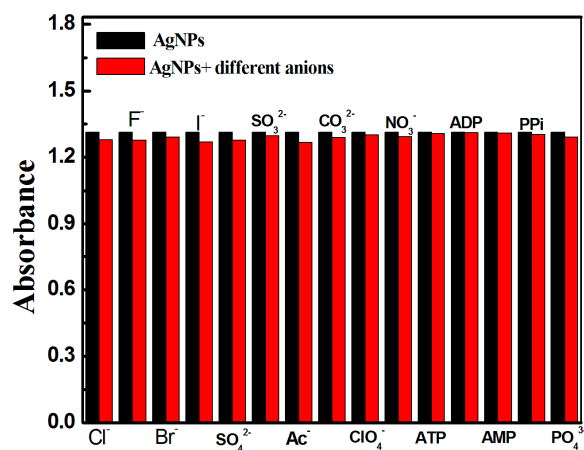
**Figure S1.** Energy dispersive X-ray spectroscopy (EDS) spectrum and photo of the mixture of 5 mM AgNO<sub>3</sub> and 5 mM Na<sub>2</sub>S.



**Figure S2.** UV-Vis absorption responses of AgNPs in the absence (curve a) and presence of different concentrations of GSH (from curve a to g: 0, 10, 15, 20, 30, 50, 100 μM). The color changes of AgNPs before (the first tube) and after the reaction with different concentrations of GSH (from curve a to h: 0, 10, 15, 20, 30, 50, 100 μM) for 24 h later.



**Figure S3.** UV-Vis absorption responses of AgNPs in the absence (black columns) and presence of different thiol compounds (red columns). The reaction time for S<sup>2-</sup> and DTT, 20 min. The reaction time for Cys, Hcy, GSH, GSSG, MUA, N-cys, 2 h.



**Figure S4.** UV-Vis absorption responses of AgNPs in the absence (black columns) and presence of various anions (red columns) in aqueous solution. The concentration of Cl<sup>-</sup>, NO<sub>3</sub><sup>-</sup>, PO<sub>4</sub><sup>3-</sup>, SO<sub>4</sub><sup>2-</sup>, 100 μM; ATP, AMP, ADP, PPI, ClO<sub>4</sub><sup>-</sup>, CH<sub>3</sub>CO<sub>2</sub><sup>-</sup>, CO<sub>3</sub><sup>2-</sup>, SO<sub>3</sub><sup>2-</sup>, 50 μM; F<sup>-</sup>, Br<sup>-</sup>, I<sup>-</sup>, 20 μM.