Fabrication of a Carbon Disulfide added Colloidal Gold

Colorimetric Sensor for the Rapid and On-site Detection of

Biogenic Amines

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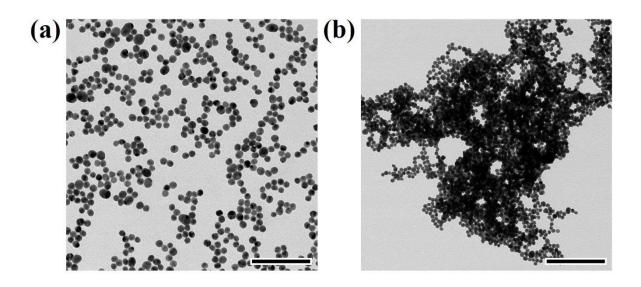


Figure S1. TEM images of colloidal gold nanoparticles **(a)** CS₂, and **(b)** mixture of CS₂ and BAs. Scale bars are 100.0 nm.

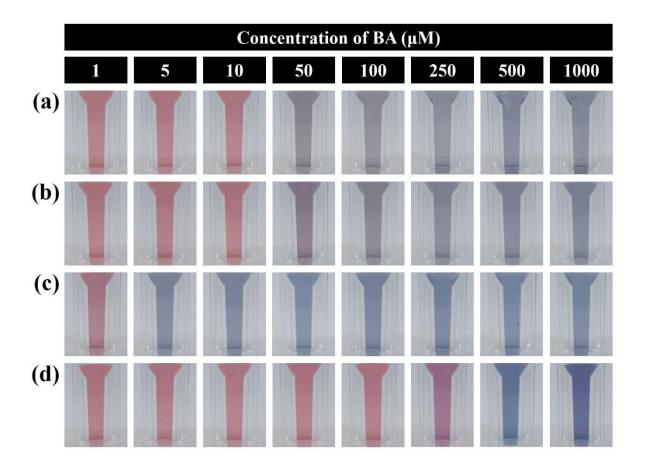


Figure S2. Visual analysis of colloidal gold nanoparticles-based colorimetric sensor for the detection of BAs **(a)** Cad, **(b)** Put, **(c)** Him, and **(d)** Trm, in the absence of CS₂.

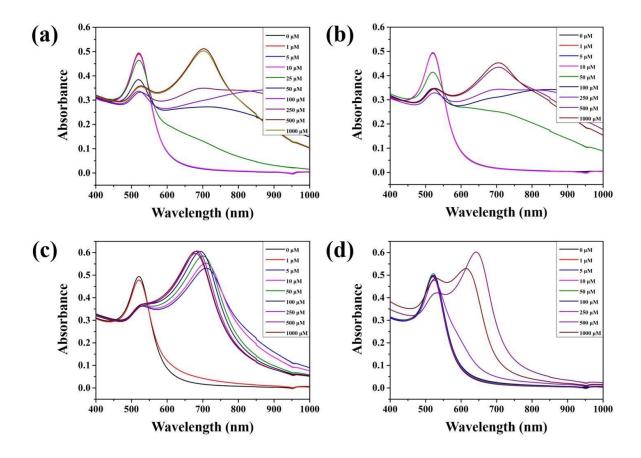


Figure S3. Changes in the plasmon spectrum of colloidal gold nanoparticles based colorimetric sensor for the detection of BAs **(a)** Cad, **(b)** Put, **(c)** Him, and **(d)** Trm, in the absence of CS₂.

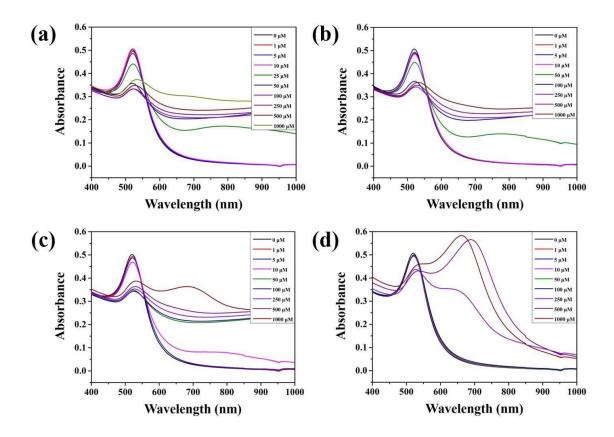


Figure S4. Changes in the plasmon spectrum of colloidal gold nanoparticles based colorimetric sensor for the detection of BAs (a) Cad, (b) Put, (c) Him, and (d) Trm, in the presence of CS₂.

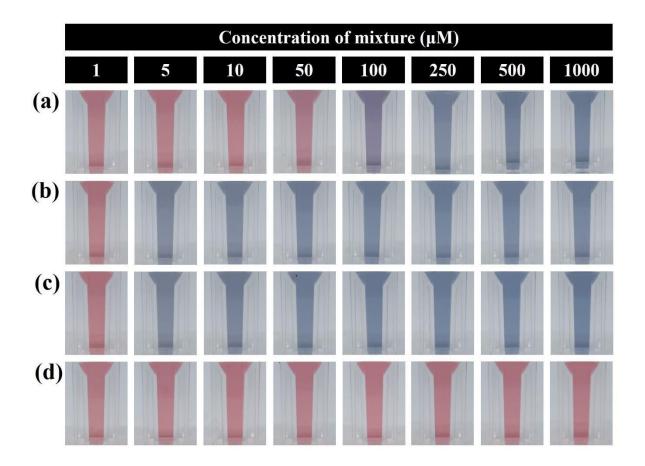


Figure S5. Visual analysis of colloidal gold nanoparticles based colorimetric sensor in the absence of CS₂ for the detection of mixed BAs; **(a)** Cad, Put, Trm, **(b)** Cad, Put, Him and **(c)**

Cad, Him, Trm; and **(d)** Visual analysis of the sensors reacted with different free amino acids (Arg, Lys, His and Glu) with various concentration.

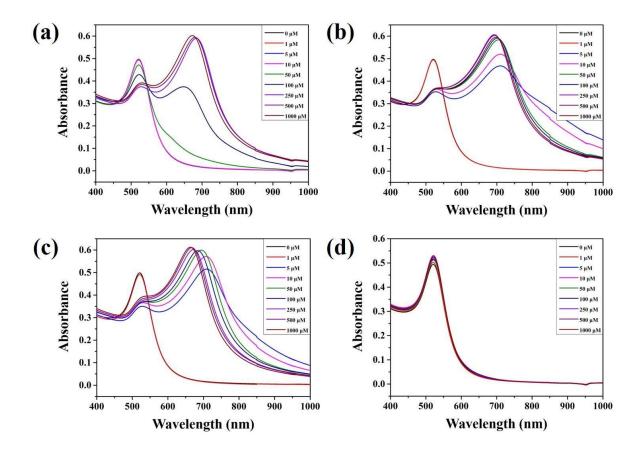


Figure S6. Change in the plasmon spectrum of colloidal gold based colorimetric sensor in the absence of CS₂, for the detection of mixed BAs **(a)** Cad, Put, Trm, **(b)** Cad, Put, Him and **(c)**

Cad, Him, Trm. **(d)** The change of plasmon spectrum with different free amino acids (Arg, Lys, His and Glu) under various concentrations.

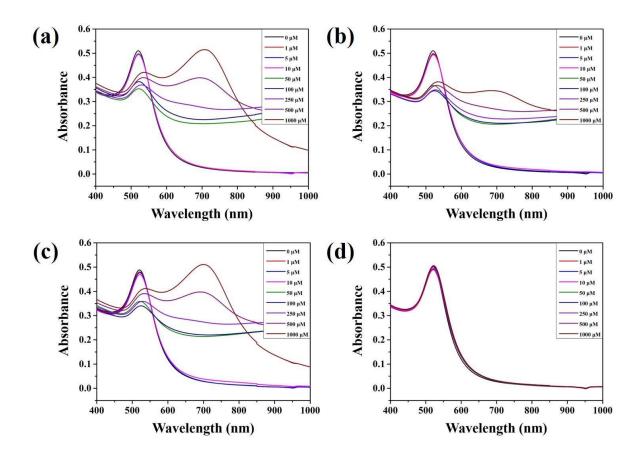


Figure S7. Changes in the plasmon spectrum of colloidal gold based colorimetric sensor in the presence of CS₂, for the detection of mixed BAs **(a)** Cad, Put, Trm, **(b)** Cad, Put, Him and **(c)**

Cad, Him, Trm. **(d)** The change of plasmon spectrum with multiple free amino acids (Arg, Lys, His and Glu) with various concentration.

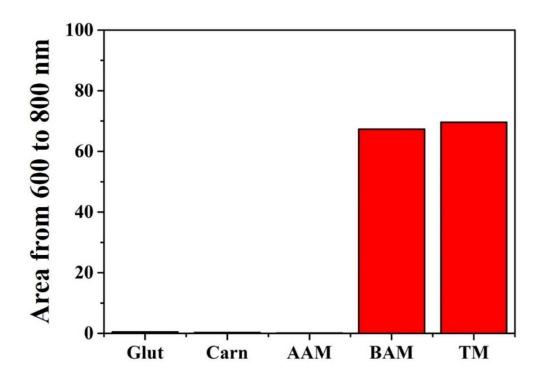


Figure S8. Selectivity of colorimetric sensor with various molecules such as small peptides

(glutathione; Glut, and carnosine; Carn), amino acids (AAM; Arg, Lys, His, Glu), BAs (BAM; Cad, Put, Trm, Him) and total mixtures of small peptides, amino acids and BAs (TM).

Table S1. Comparison of various methods for detection of BAs.

BA Mixtures (Cad, Put, Trm, Him)	Analytical technique	LOD (μM)	LOQ (μM)	Ref.	
Cad, Put, Trm	HPLC	5.0-30.0	10.0-60.0	[1]	ļ
Cad, Put, Trm, Him	HPLC	30.0-300.0	100.0-1000.0	[2]	
Him	ELISA	100.0	400.0	[3]	

I	Him	SPR	0.18	-	[4]
Cad, Put	t, Trm, Him	Colorimetric detection	50.0	100.0	This Work

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