

# Adaptation of a Bacterial Bioluminescent Assay to Monitor Bioeffects of Gold Nanoparticles

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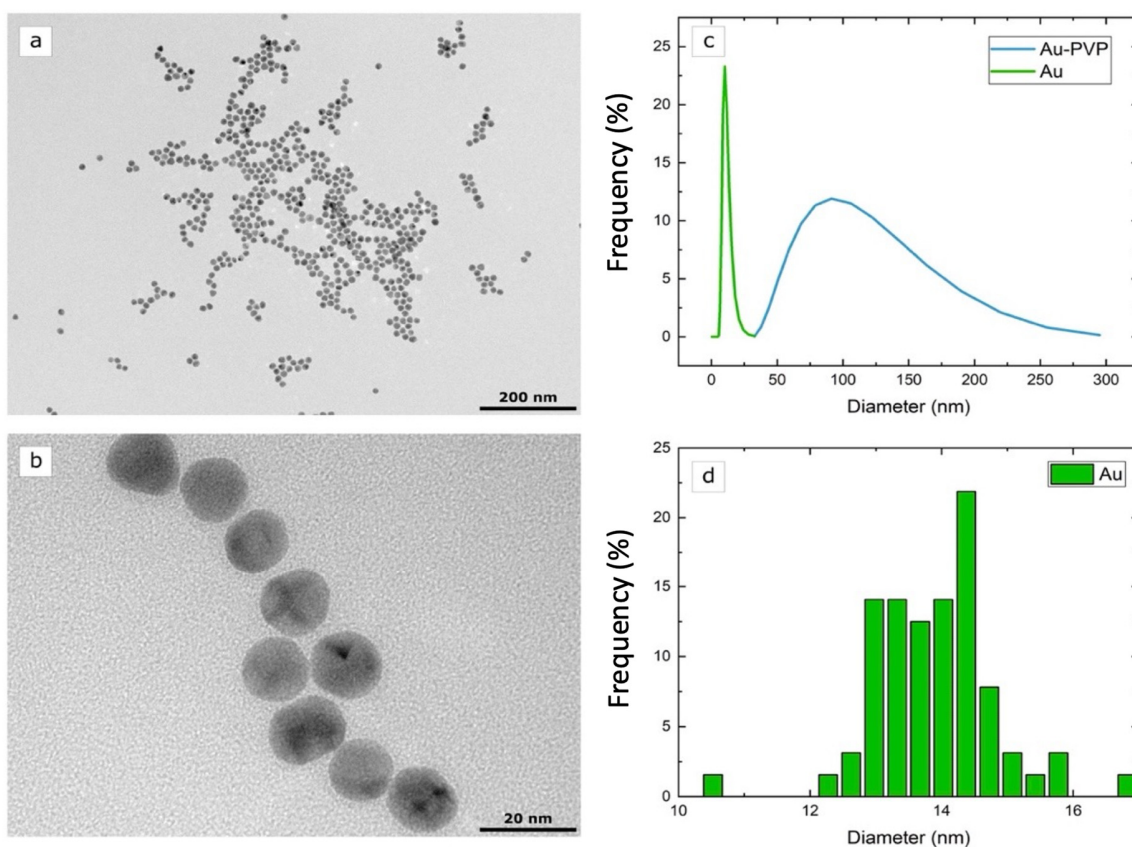
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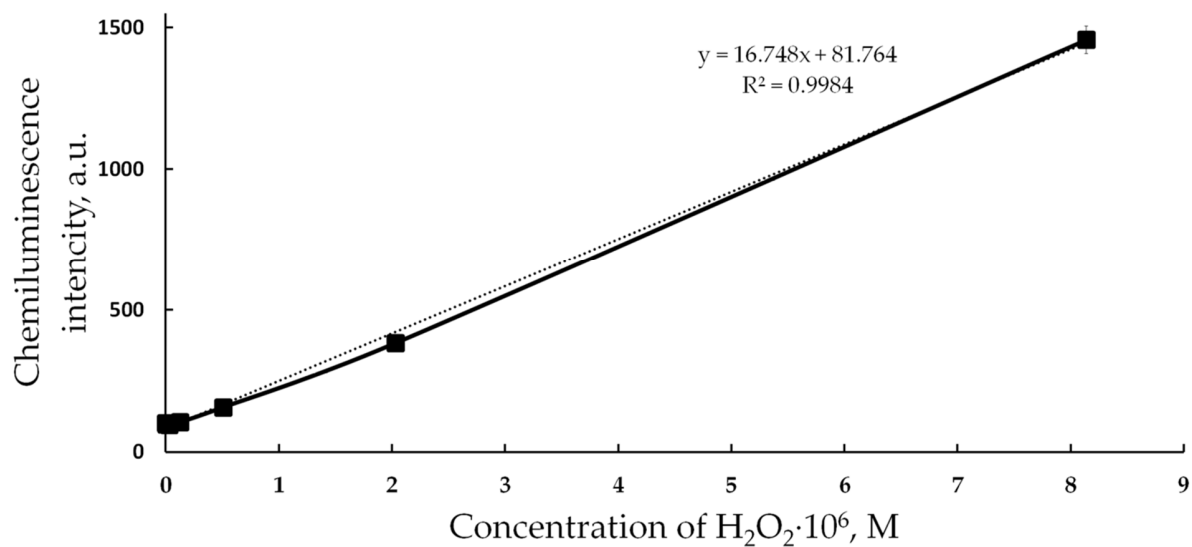
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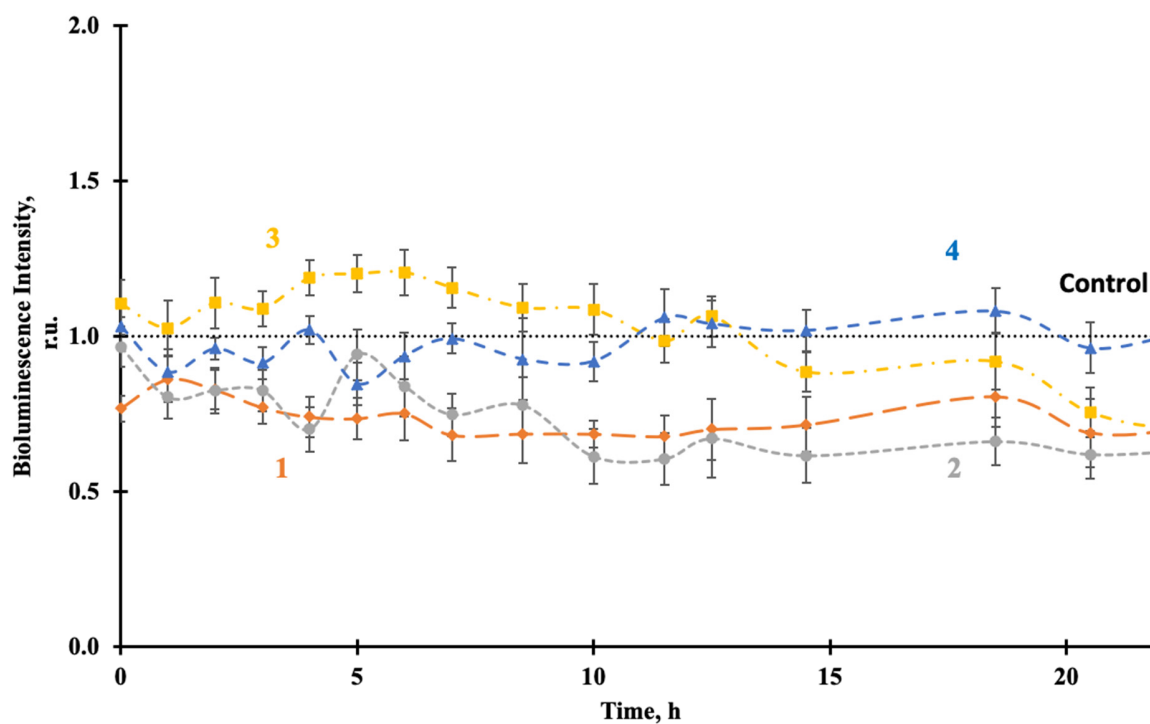
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**Figure S1.** Characterization of AuNPs by transmission electron microscopy (TEM) and dynamic light scattering (DLS). (a,b) TEM-images of the prepared Au nanoparticles and size distributions according to (c) TEM particle analysis and (d) Zetasizer analysis.



**Figure S2.** Calibration curve for chemiluminescence luminol method for ROS evaluation. Dependence of chemiluminescence intensity on concentration of  $\text{H}_2\text{O}_2$ . Dotted line: linear regression function. Solid line: experimental values.



**Figure S3.** Bioluminescence kinetics of bacteria sampled at exponential phase of growth (17 h) in the presence of AuNPs. Concentrations of AuNPs were: (1)  $10^{-3}$ , (2)  $10^{-4}$ , (3)  $10^{-5}$ , (4)  $10^{-6}$  g/L.