

# Tetrahedral DNA Framework-Programmed Electrochemical Biosensors with Gold Nanoparticles for Ultrasensitive Cell-Free DNA Detection

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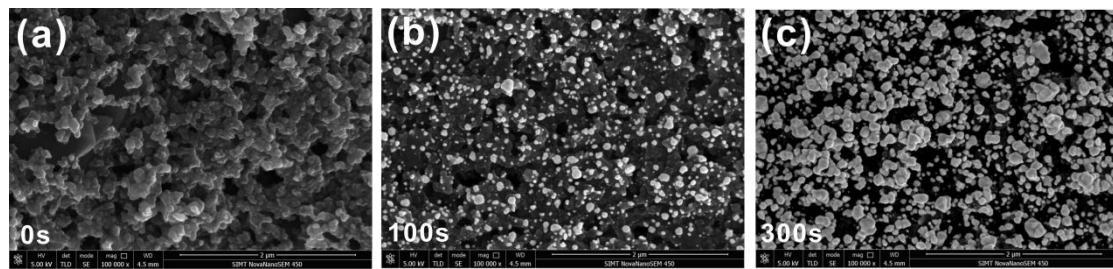
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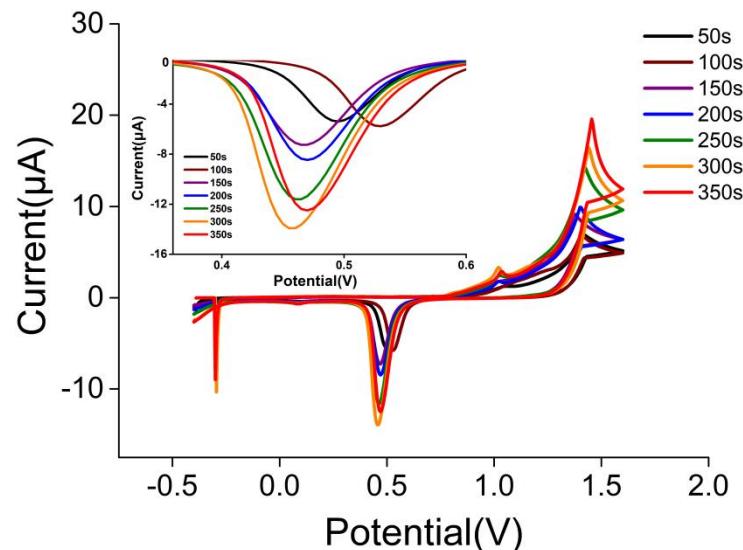
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**Table S1.** Sequences for oligonucleotide used in this work.

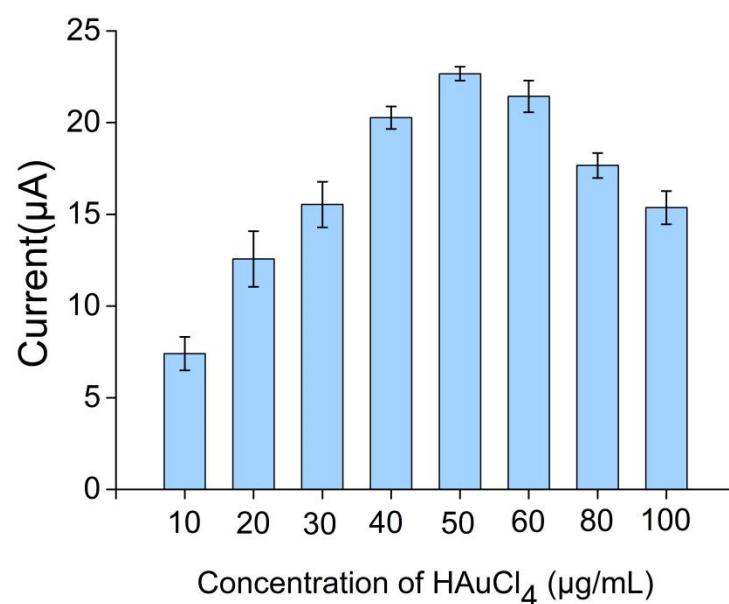
Name	Sequence (5'-3')
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C-7	SH-C6-CGCCTAAACAAGTGGAGACTGTG
D-7	SH-C6-AACGCTCACCACTTGAACACCTC
A-17-capture	ACATTCTAACGCTGAAACATTACAGCTTGTACACGAGAAGGCCATAGTATTTTTTTTGATTTCCTCCTTTGTTC
B-17	SH-C6-TATCACCAGGCAGTTGACAGTGTAGCAAGCTGAATAGATGCCAGGGTCCAATAC
C-17	SH-C6-TCAACTGCCTGGTGTATAAAACGACACTACCGTGGAAATCTACTATGGCGGCTCTTC
D-17	SH-C6-TTCAGACTTAGGAATGTGCTTCCCACGTAGTGTGTTGTATTGGACCCCTCGCAT
A-26-capture	GCCTGGAGATACATGCACATTACGGCTTCCCTATTAGAACGCTCAGGTGCGCTTGGTAAG TAGACGGGACCAGTCGCCATTGATTTCTCCTTTGTTC
	SH-C6-
B-26	CGCGCACCTGAGACCTCTAATAGGGTTGCGACAGTCGTTCAACTAGAACGCCCTTGGCTGTT CCGGGTGTGGCTCGTCGG
	SH-C6-
C-26	GGCCGAGGACTCCTGCTCCGCTGGGTTGGCGAACACTGGCCCGTCACTTACCGTTCCGACGA GCCACACCCGGAACAGCCC
	SH-C6-
D-26	GCCGTAATGTGCATGTATCTCCAGGCTTCCCGCAGCGAGCAGGAGTCCTCGGCCTTGGCATT CTAGTTGAACGACTGTGCG
Single capturer	SH-C6-GAGCGTTAGCTTTTTTTGATTTCCTCCTTTGTTC
Target-BRCA-1	TGGTAACAGTGTGAGGTTAACCGAACAAAAGGAAGAAAATC
BRCA-1-biotin	Biotin-GAACAAAAGGAAGAAAATC
H1-biotin	Biotin-CGTTAAACCTCACACTGTACCAAGTTGTGTTAACAGTGTGAGGT
H2-biotin	Biotin-TGGTAACAGTGTGAGGTTAACGACCTCACACTGTACCAACT



**Figure S1.** The SEM images of the bare SPCE (a) and SPGE with different deposition time: 100 s (b), 300 s (c). The scale value was 2  $\mu\text{m}$ .

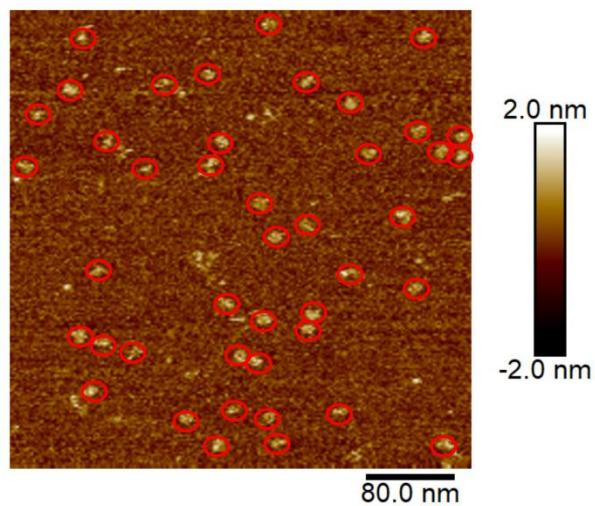


**Figure S2.** Investigation on the deposition time of  $\text{HAuCl}_4$ . The integral CVs results recorded for the Au NPs modified 16-SPCE in 0.5 M  $\text{H}_2\text{SO}_4$ , scan rate: 100 mV/s.

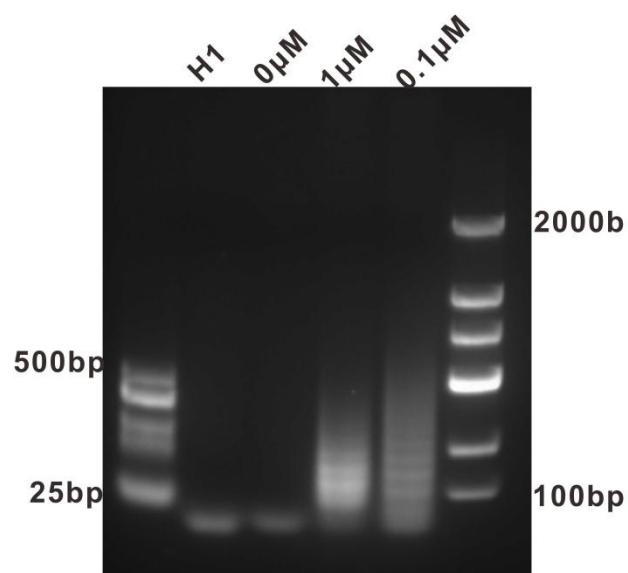


**Figure S3.** Investigation on the concentration of  $\text{HAuCl}_4$ . CVs results responded for 10, 20, 30, 40, 50, 60, 80, 100  $\mu\text{g}/\text{mL}$   $\text{HAuCl}_4$  solution. The Au NPs modified 16-SPCE was scanned in 0.5 M  $\text{H}_2\text{SO}_4$ .

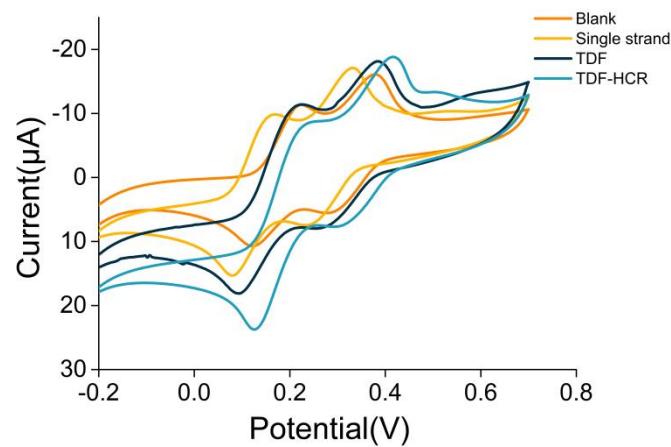
The electrodeposition time was 300 s. Error bars represented the SD of at least 3 independent experiments.



**Figure S4.** The structure characterization of TDF-17 by AFM. The average edge length of the TDF-17 measured was about 6.194 nm, which was close to the theoretical value (5.8 nm). Scale bar = 80nm.



**Figure S5.** Agarose gel electrophoresis image analysis for HCR. From left to right, lane1 and lane6, 20-bp and 2000-bp DNA ladder markers, respectively; Lane2, H1; Lane3, H1 + H2, without initiator; Lane4, H1 + H2 + initiator (1  $\mu$ M); Lane5, H1+H2+initiator (0.1  $\mu$ M).



**Figure S6.** Typical CV curves for different probes modified on SPGE at target concentration of 1 nM. It conducted at a scanning rate of 0.1 V/s ranging from -0.3 V to 0.7 V.