

## Supplementary Information

### A Novel Paper-based Colorimetry Device for the Determination of the Albumin to Creatinine Ratio

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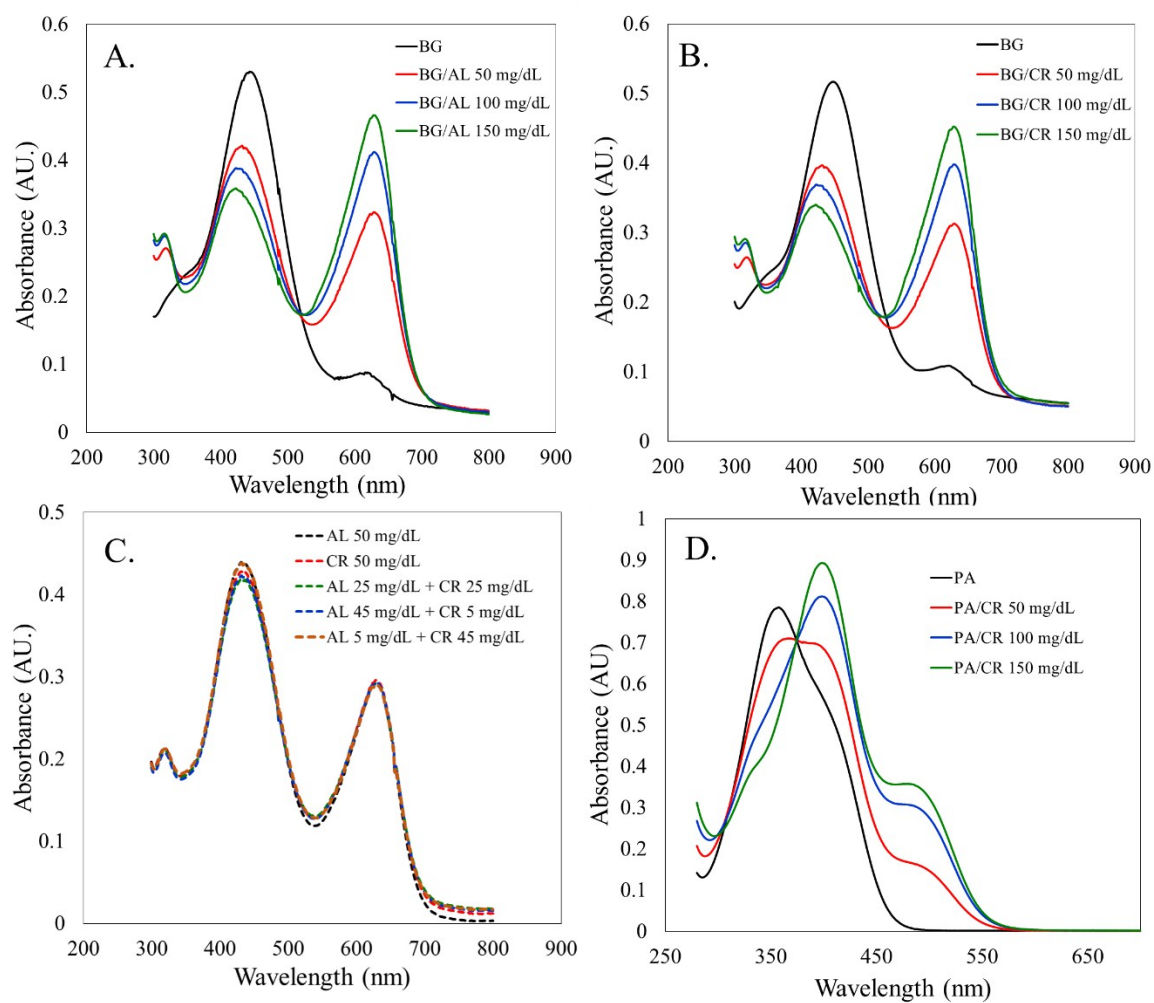
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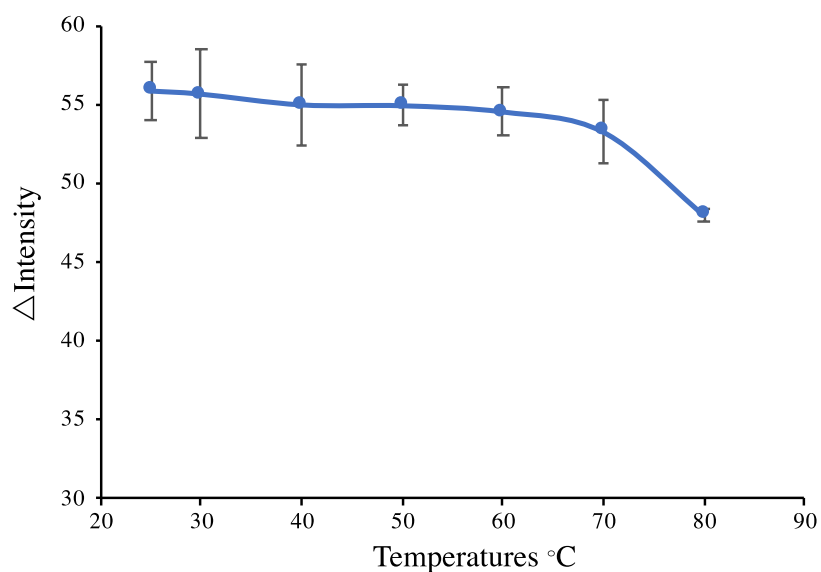
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**Figure S1** UV-vis spectra of the BG in PBS solution at pH 4 in with/without of AL (A), the BG in PBS solution at pH 4 in with/without of CR (B), the BG in PBS solution at pH 4 with AL, CR and AL+CR (C), and the PA in NaOH solution with/without of CR (D).



**Figure S2** The mean color intensity values on PADs for determination of AL using BG dye at difference time and temperature.

**Table S1** Comparisons of two measurement methods for determination of ACR in urinary samples (n=3)

Sample	Albumin to Creatinine ratio ( $\mu\text{g mg}^{-1}$ )	
	Proposed method	Standard method*
Urine 1	$20.16 \pm 2.2$	$19.59 \pm 1.2$
Urine 2	$26.84 \pm 3.2$	$22.76 \pm 2.5$
Urine 3	$26.81 \pm 2.4$	$23.31 \pm 1.7$

\* UV-Visible spectrophotometry