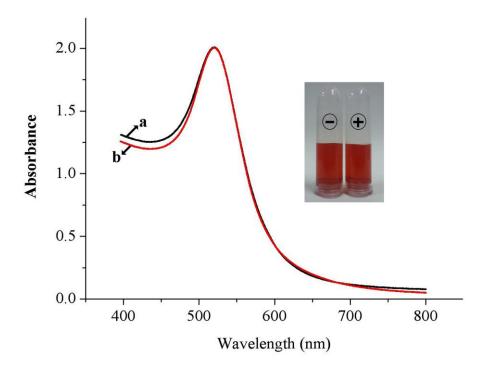


Effect of surface charge of PDDA-protected gold nanoparticles on the specificity and efficiency of DNA polymerase chain reaction

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**Figure S1.** UV-vis spectra of 5.5 nM PDDA-AuNPs positively charged and Na<sub>3</sub>Ct-AuNPs negatively charged. Inset: photographs of PDDA-AuNPs (right, corresponding to the line a in UV-vis spectra) and Na<sub>3</sub>Ct-AuNPs (left, corresponding to the line b in UV-vis spectra).