Electronic Supplementary Information

Determination of nitrite and glucose in water and human urine with light-up chromogenic response based on the expeditious oxidation of 3,3',5,5'-tetramethylbenzidine by peroxynitrous acid

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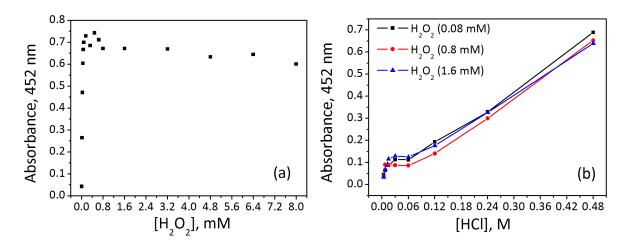


Fig. S1 Effects of (a) H_2O_2 and (b) HCl concentration on the oxidation of TMB (25 μ M). For (a), the HCl concentration was 0.48 M, and for (a) and (b), the NO_2^- concentration was both 10 μ M.

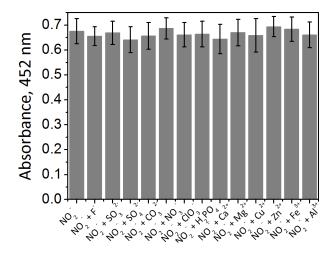


Fig. S2 Interference study of the TMB- H_2O_2 system by the addition of a mixture of nitrite and another ion. NO_2^- : 10 μ M, other anions: 1 mM, Ca^{2+} : 1 mM, and other cations: 0.1 mM.

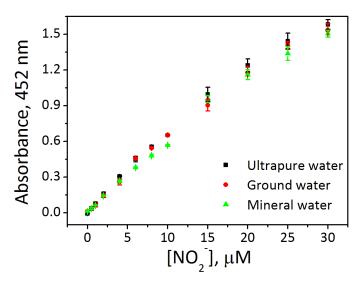


Fig. S3 The calibration curves for the nitrite assay in three water samples. The error bar represents the standard deviation of three measurements.

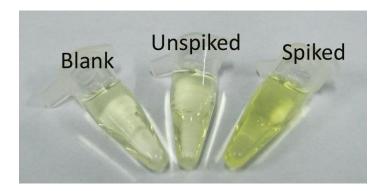


Fig. S4 Photographs for the determination of glucose in human urine.

Table S1 Results for the determination of nitrite in real samples.

Real samples	Detected/μM	Spiked/μM	Recovery/%	RSD/%
Ground water	No detection	8	95-103	< 5
Household tap water	No detection	8	95-103	< 5
Commercial mineral water	No detection	4 8	95-103	< 5
Human urine	No detection	8	95-103	< 5

All data are based on three measurements.