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Supporting Information for

Gold nanoparticles in aqueous solutions: influence of size and pH on hydrogen dissociative adsorption and Au(III) ions reduction

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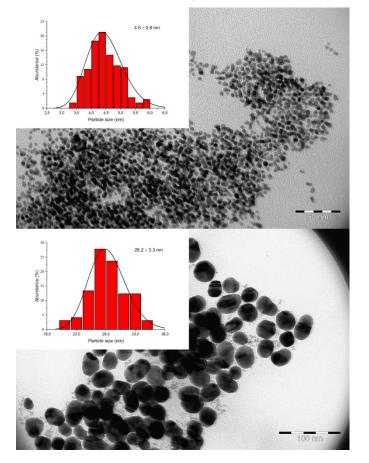


Fig. S1. TEM images and size distributions of the gold nanoparticles with different size.

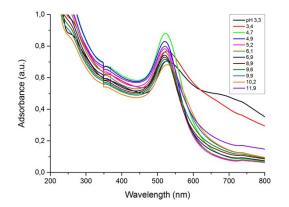


Fig. S2. Optical absorption spectra of gold nanoparticles with average size a 4.6 nm at various pH.

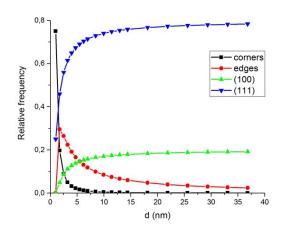


Fig. S3. Dependence of relative frequency of surface atoms upon diameter of gold dodecahedron.

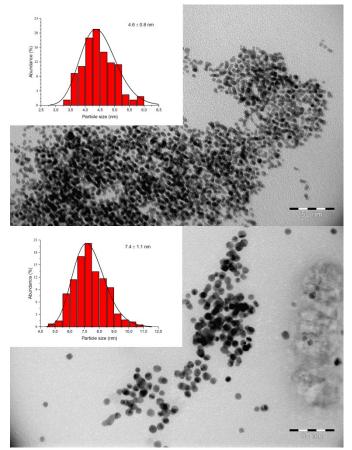


Fig. S4.TEM images and size distributions of gold nanoparticle before and after catalytic reaction.