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## **Electronic Information**

## Sensitive chemiluminescence determination method for 2,4,6trinitrotoluene based on catalytic activity of amine-capped gold nanoparticles

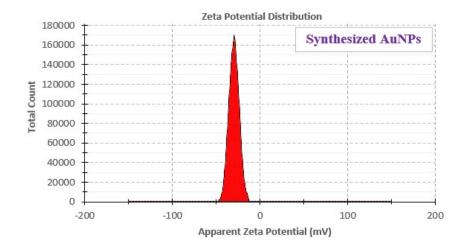
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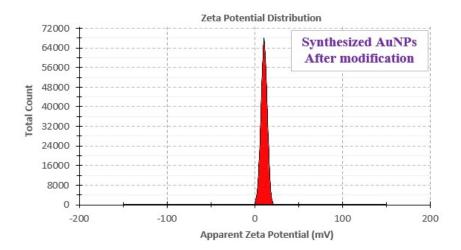


Figure S1. Zeta potential distribution for AuNPs before and after their modification with 1,2-ethylenediamine.

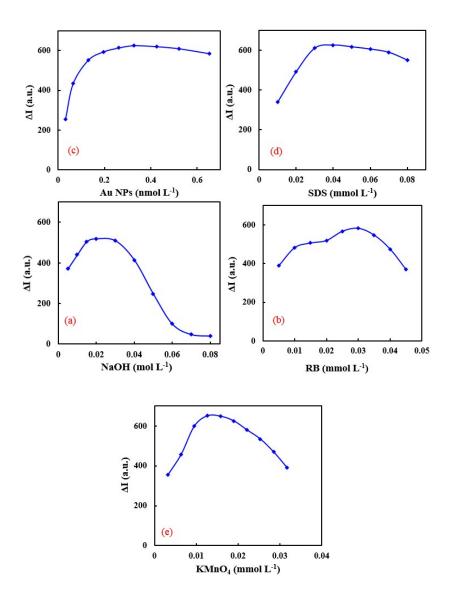


Figure S2. Effect of (a) concentration of NaOH (0.02 mmol  $L^{-1}$  RB, 0.04 mmol  $L^{-1}$  SDS, 0.019 mmol  $L^{-1}$  KMnO<sub>4</sub> and 400  $\mu$ L AuNPs); (b) concentration of RB (0.04 mmol  $L^{-1}$  SDS, 0.02 mmol  $L^{-1}$  NaOH, 0.019 mmol  $L^{-1}$  KMnO<sub>4</sub> and 400  $\mu$ L AuNPs); (c) amount of AuNPs (0.03 mmol  $L^{-1}$  RB, 0.04 mmol  $L^{-1}$  SDS, 0.02 mmol  $L^{-1}$  NaOH and 0.019 mmol  $L^{-1}$  KMnO<sub>4</sub>); (d) concentration of SDS (0.03 mmol  $L^{-1}$  RB, 0.02 mol  $L^{-1}$  NaOH, 0.019 mmol  $L^{-1}$  KMnO<sub>4</sub> and 1000  $\mu$ L AuNPs) and (e) concentration of KMnO<sub>4</sub> (0.03 mmol  $L^{-1}$  RB, 0.04 mmol  $L^{-1}$  SDS, 0.02 mmol  $L^{-1}$  NaOH and 1000  $\mu$ L AuNPs) on the CL intensity.