Supplementary information for

A new cerium iodate infrared nonlinear optical material with a large second-harmonic generation response

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