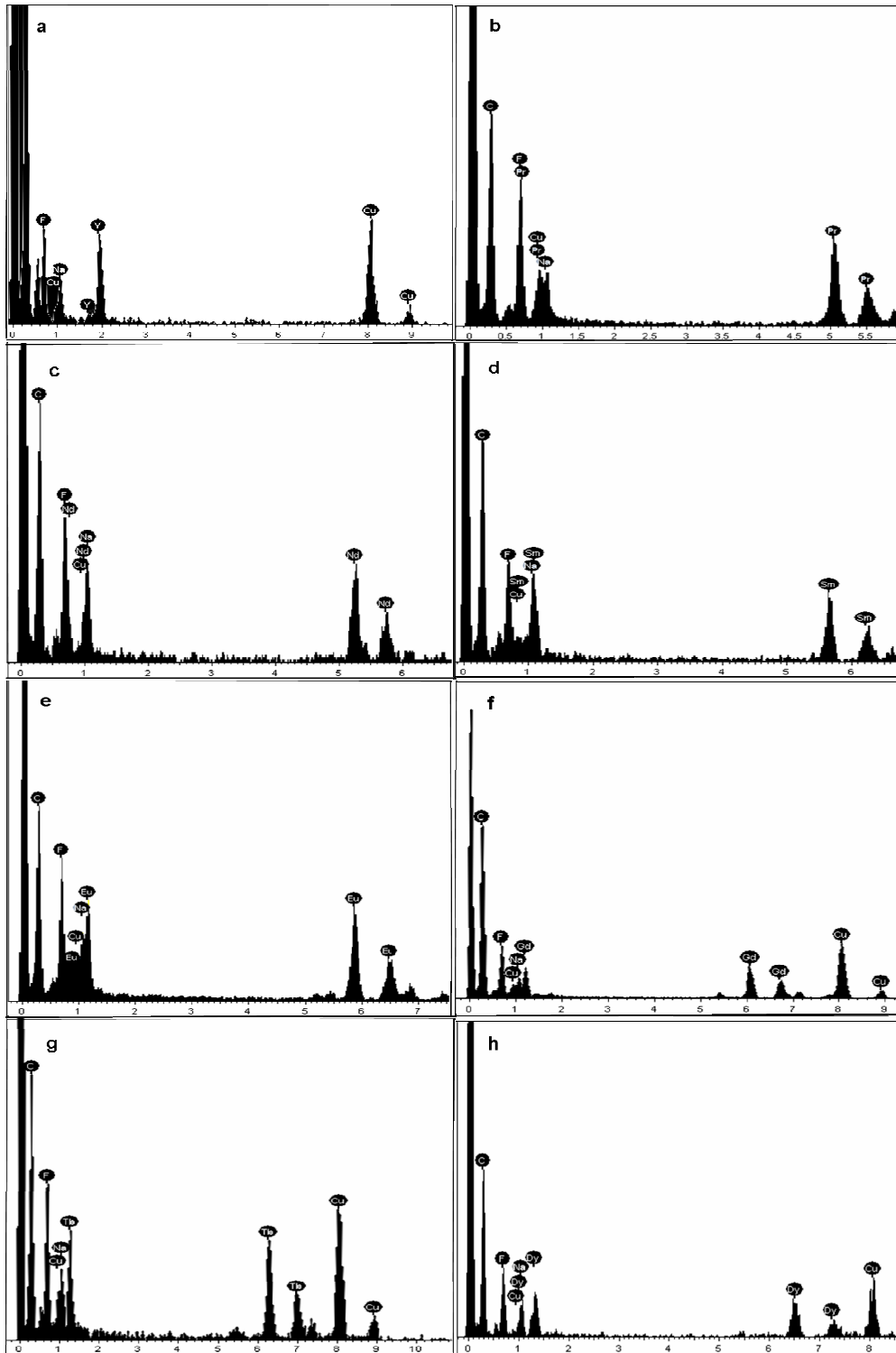


High Uniformity and Monodispersity of Sodium Rare-Earth Fluoride Nanocrystals: Controllable synthesis, Shape evolution, and Optical Properties

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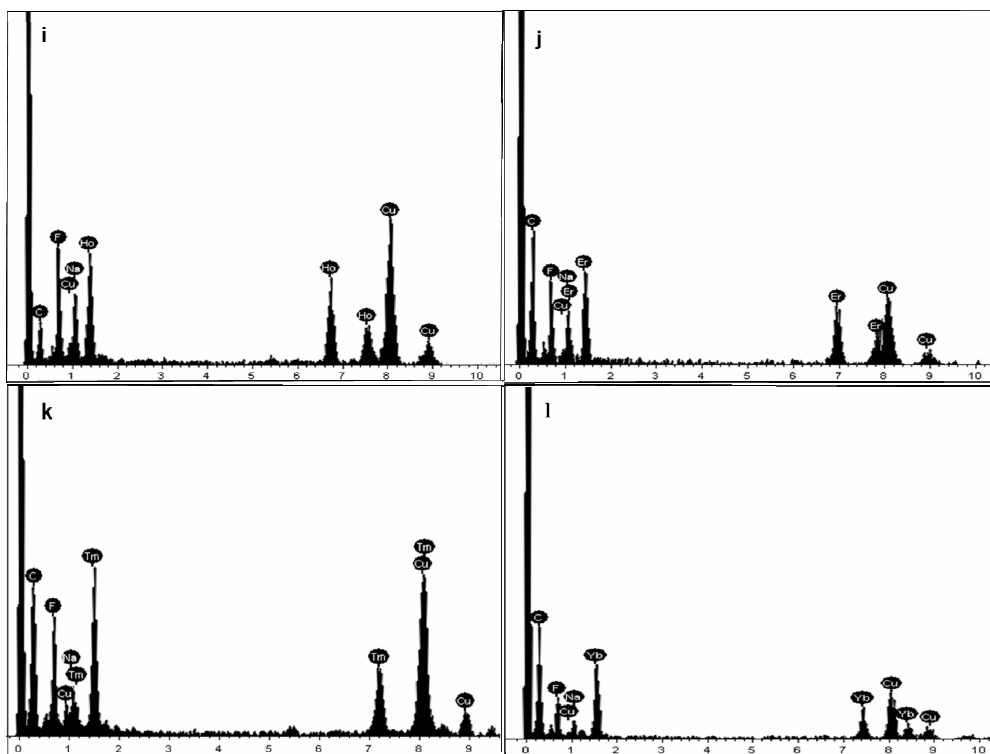


Figure S1. Energy dispersive X-ray spectroscopy analysis (EDS) of NaReF_4 nanocrystals: a) NaYF_4 , b) NaPrF_4 , c) NaNdF_4 , d) NaSmF_4 , e) NaEuF_4 , f) NaGdF_4 , g) NaTbF_4 , h) NaDyF_4 , i) NaHoF_4 , j) NaErF_4 , k) NaTmF_4 and l) NaYbF_4 .

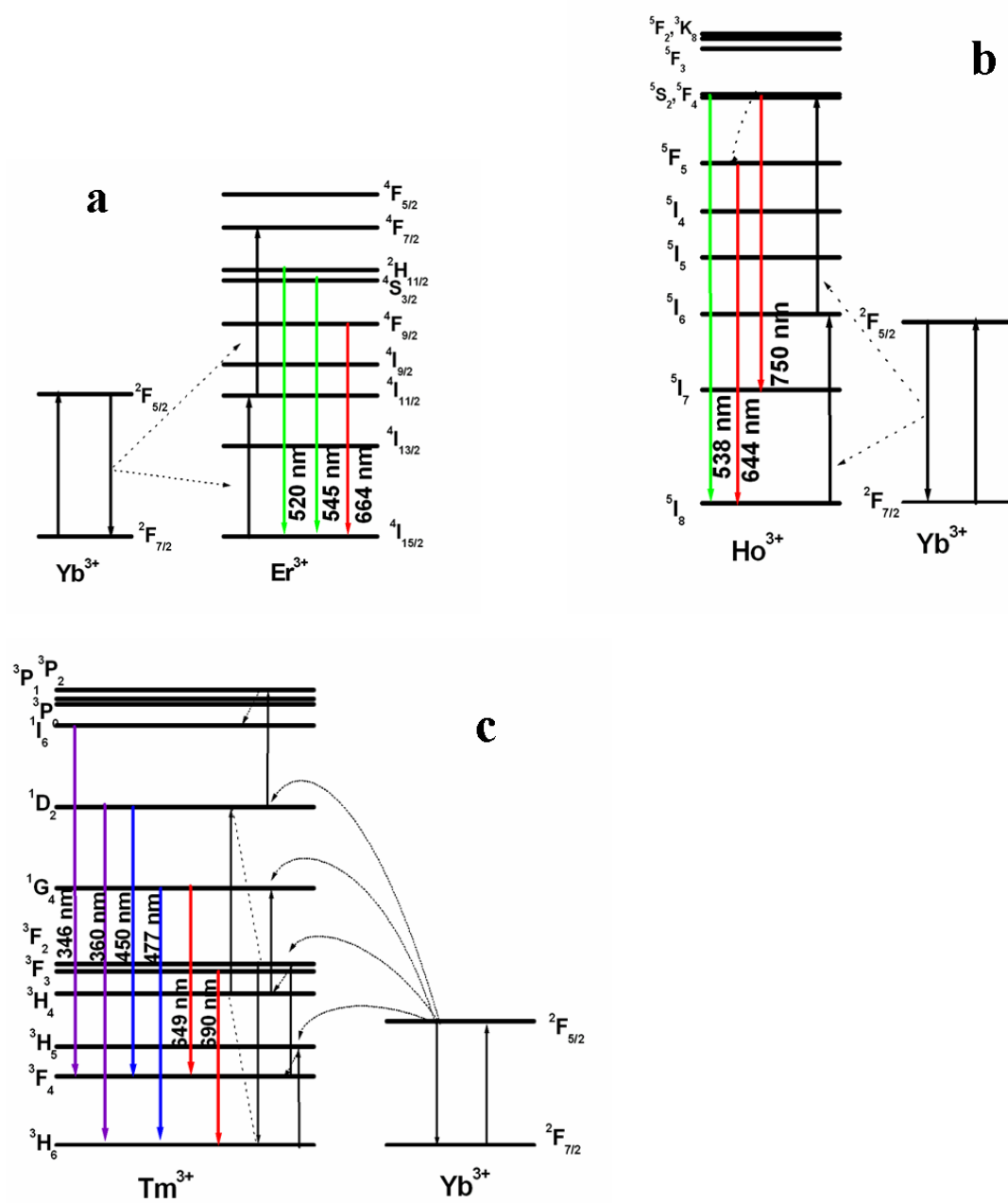


Figure S2. Simplified energy level diagrams of upconversion excitation for the Yb³⁺/Er³⁺ (a),

Yb³⁺/Ho³⁺ (b) and Yb³⁺/Tm³⁺ (c) systems.