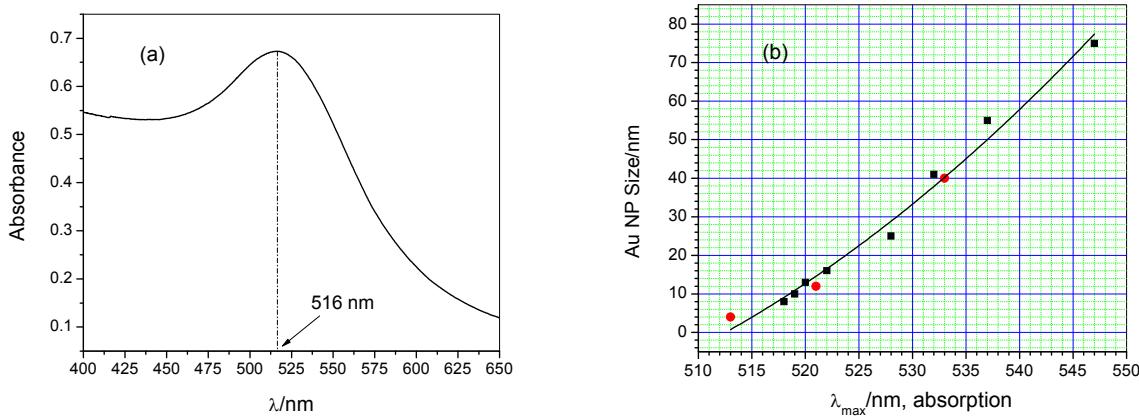


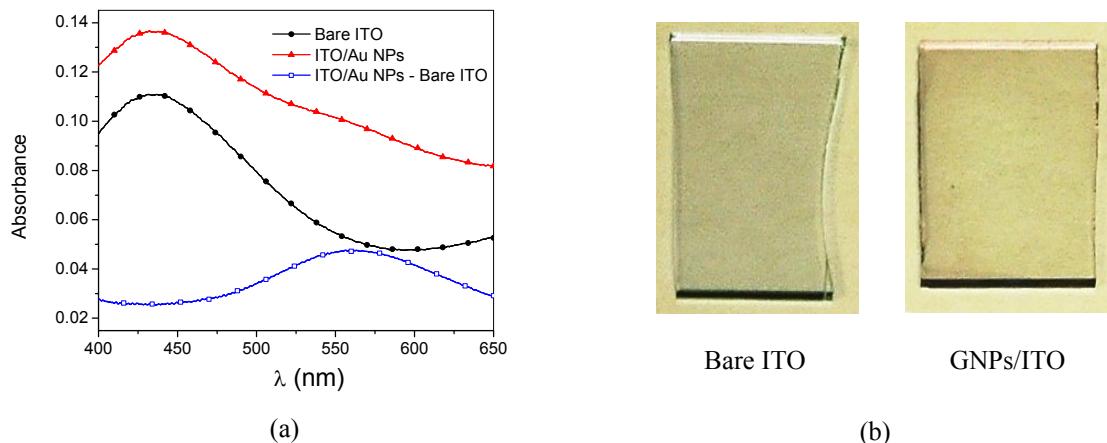
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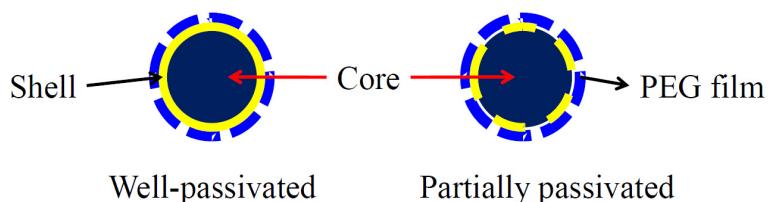
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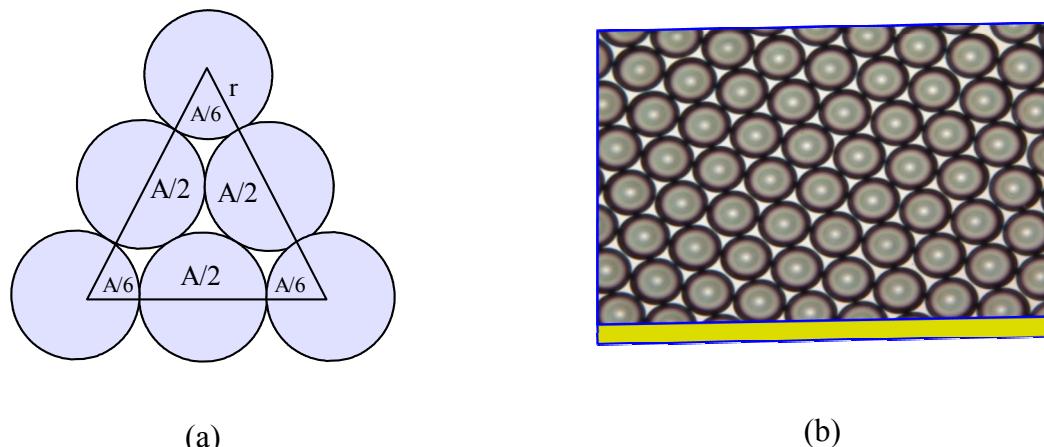
**Figure S1.** (a) UV-Visible spectra of Au NPs, (b) correlation between the Au NP size and the maximum absorption of UV-visible spectra of Au NPs.<sup>1,2</sup>



**Figure S2.** (a) UV-Visible spectra and (b) photographs of ITO electrodes before and after the immobilization of Au NPs.



**Figure S3.** Illustration of the passivation status of Qdot 625.



**Figure S4.** A close-packed plane: (a) illustration of the area calculation, (b) demonstration of MBs closely packed on the surface of a Au/CD electrode.

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