

Electronic Supplementary Information (ESI)

Mesoporous Silica-coated Gold Nanorods Loaded with Tetrazolyl Phthalocyanine as NIR Light-activated Nano-switch for Synergistic Photothermal and Photodynamic Inactivation of Antibiotic-resistant *Escherichia coli*

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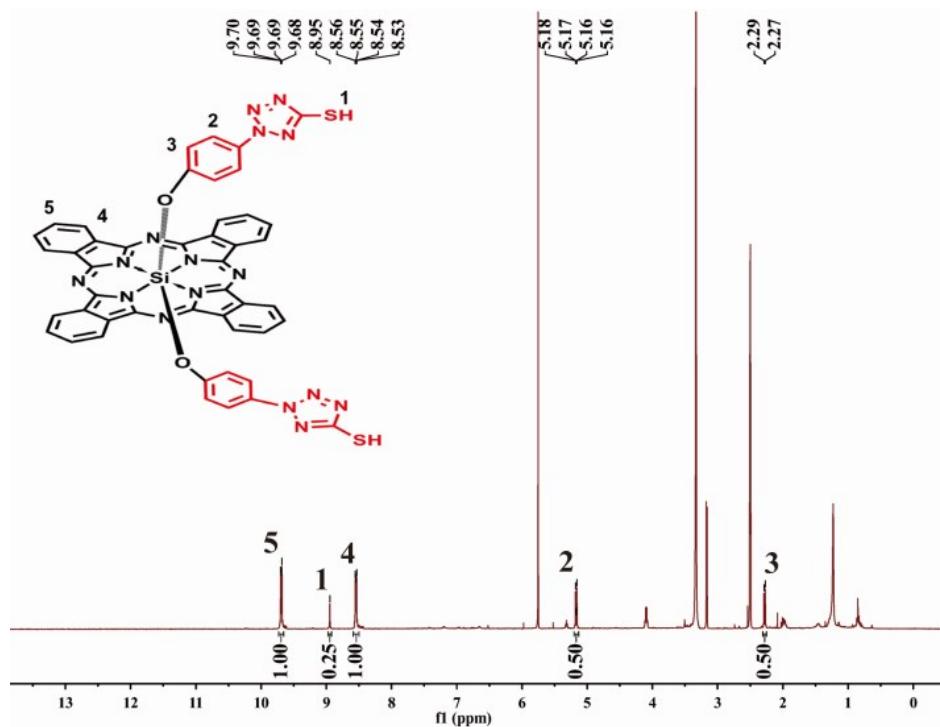


Fig. S1 ^1H NMR spectrum of Tet-SiPc (400 MHz, DMSO-d_6).

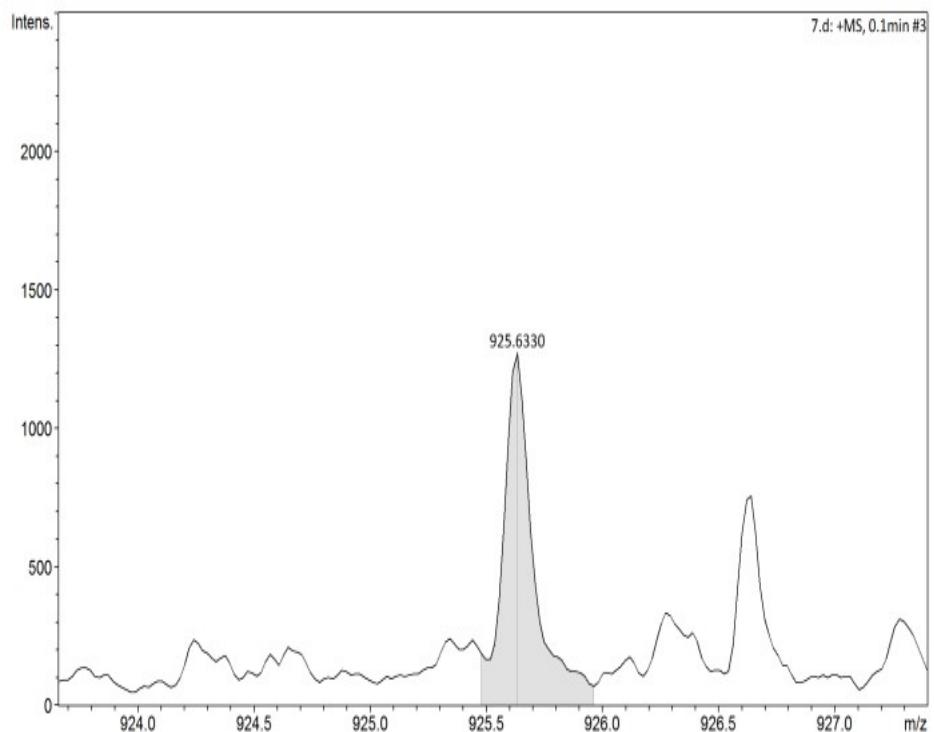


Fig. S2 ESI-MS spectrum of Tet-SiPc.

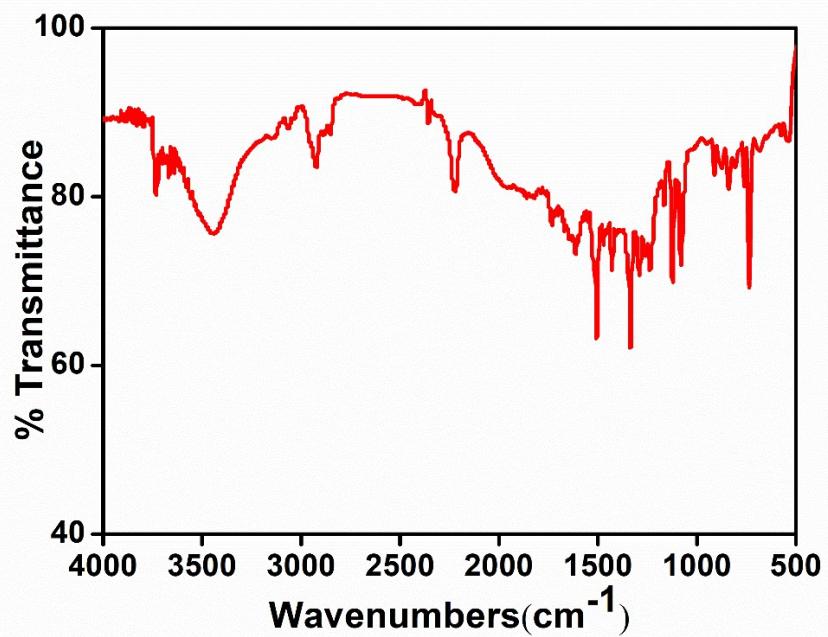


Fig. S3 FT-IR spectrum of Tet-SiPc

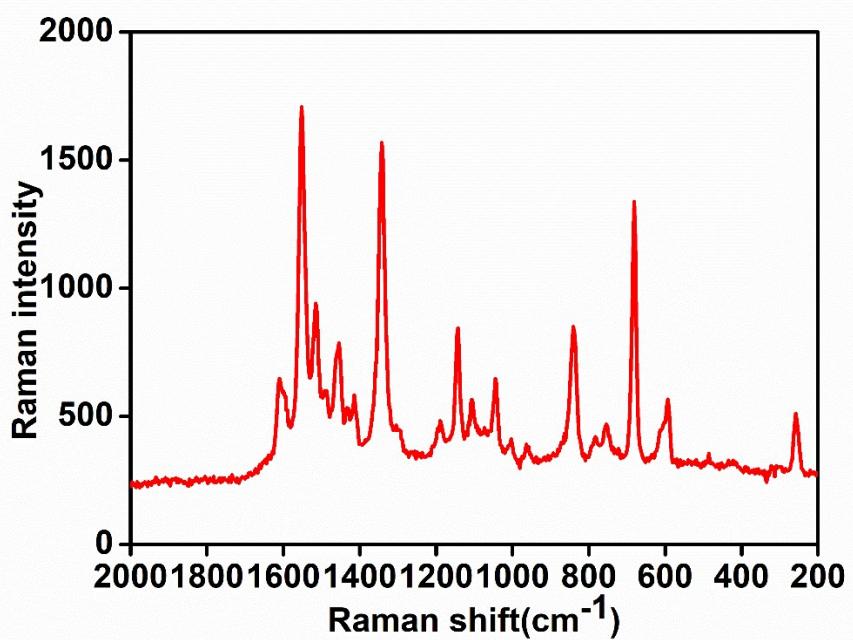


Fig. S4 Raman spectrum of Tet-SiPc.

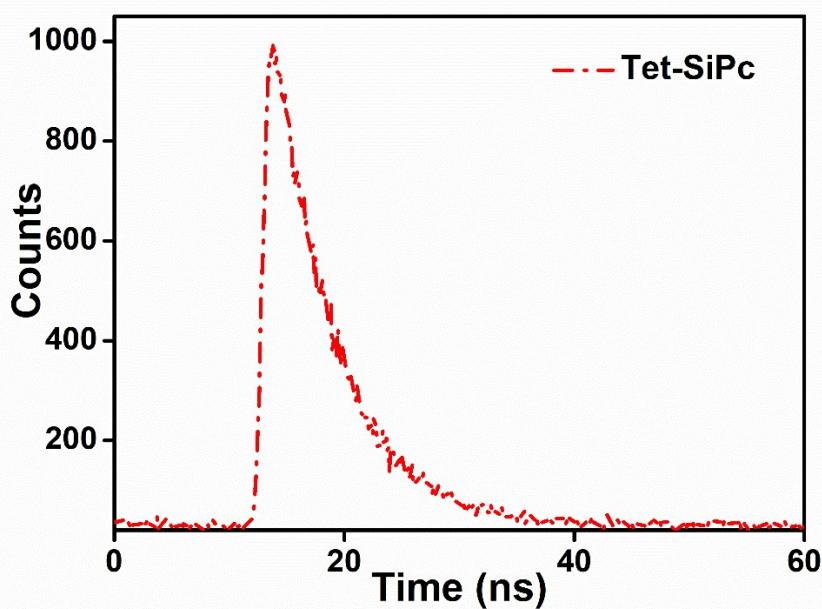


Fig. S5 Fluorescence decay curve of Tet-SiPc in DMSO ($\lambda_{\text{ex}}=405$ nm, $C_{\text{Tet-SiPc}}=1\times 10^{-5}$ mol/L).

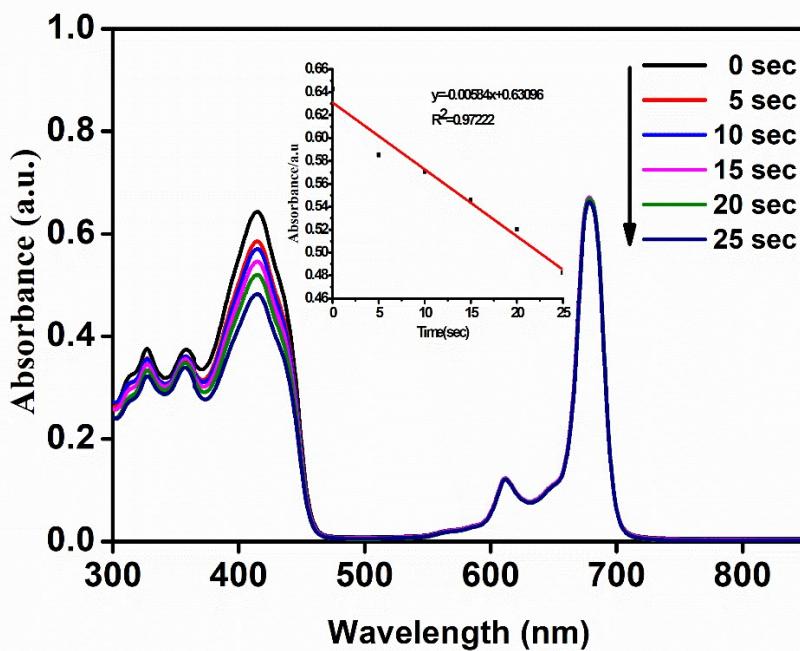


Fig. S6 Absorbance spectra of Tet-SiPc in DMSO using DPBF as a singlet oxygen quencher upon 670 nm laser irradiation for different duration ($C_{\text{Tet-SiPc}}=3\times 10^{-6}$ mol/L).

Table S1. Photophysical and photochemical properties of Tet-SiPc, AuNR, AuNR@SiO₂ and Tet-SiPc@AuNR@SiO₂

Compounds	Solvent	$\lambda_{Q\max}(\text{nm})$	Log ϵ	$\lambda_{\text{em}} (\text{nm})$	τ_s/ns	Φ_Δ^*	Φ_F^*
Tet-SiPc	DMSO	683	4.73	677	5.23	0.355	0.0522
AuNR	H ₂ O	801	---	---	---	---	---
AuNR@SiO ₂	H ₂ O	824	---	---	---	---	---
Tet-SiPc@AuNR@SiO ₂	H ₂ O	845	---	---	---	---	---

*n-ZnPc in DMSO ($\Phi_\Delta=0.67$, $\Phi_{F(\text{std})}=0.20$) was employed as the standard.

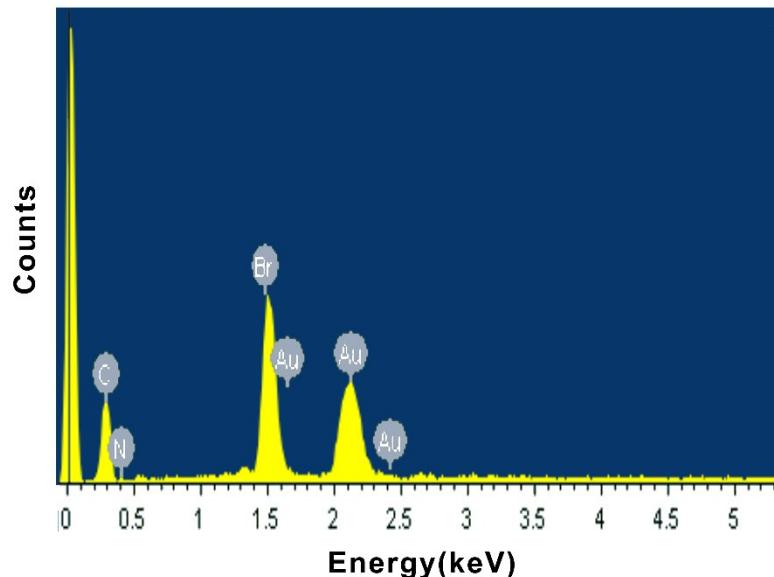


Fig. S7 EDX spectrum of AuNR. Elemental analysis was summarized in the following Table S2.

Table S2. EDX elemental analysis of AuNR.

Element	C	N	Br	Au
At %	91.19	1.58	5.82	1.41

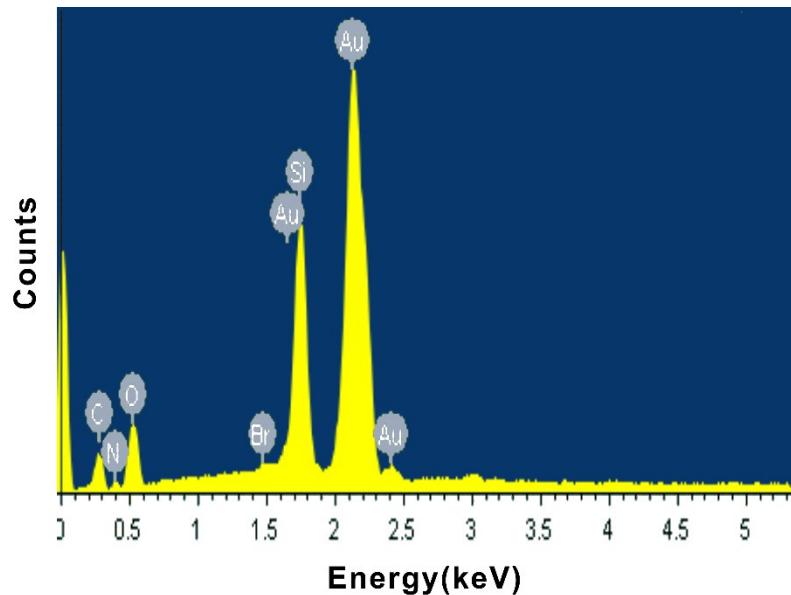


Fig. S8 EDX spectrum of AuNR@SiO₂. Elemental analysis was summarized in the following Table S3.

Table S3. EDX elemental analysis of AuNR@SiO₂.

Element	C	N	O	Si	Br	Au
At %	35.99	8.99	34.13	11.03	0.19	9.67

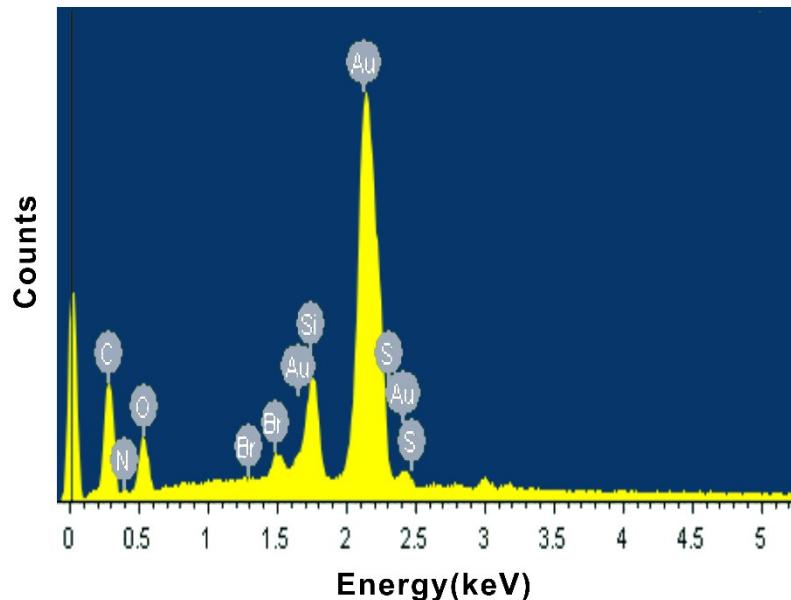


Fig. S9 EDX spectrum of Tet-SiPc@AuNR@SiO₂. Elemental analysis was summarized in the following Table S4.

Table S4. EDX elemental analysis of Tet-SiPc@AuNR@SiO₂.

Element	C	N	O	Si	S	Br	Au
At %	65.74	1.80	21.96	3.10	0.28	0.57	6.55

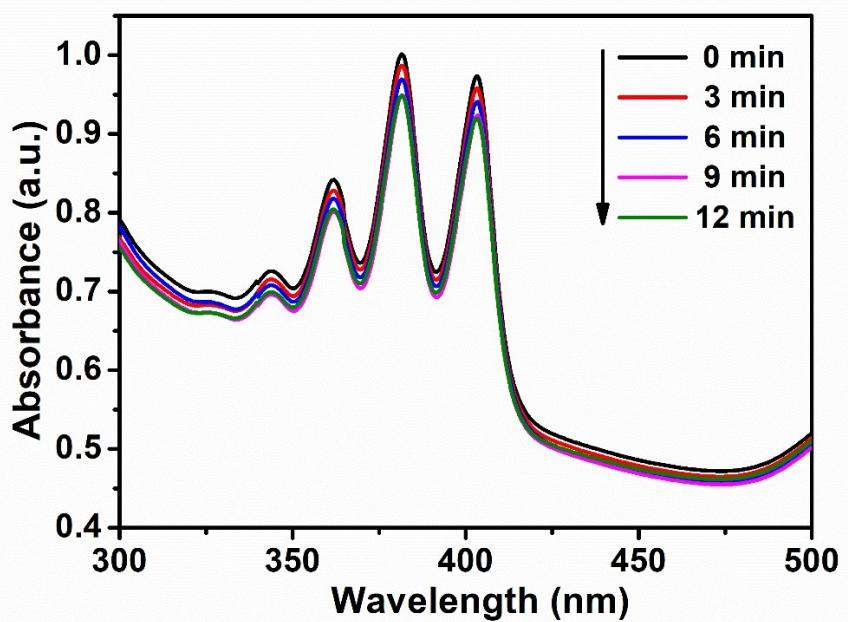


Fig. S10 Absorbance spectra of AuNR in water using ABDA as a singlet oxygen quencher upon 671 nm laser irradiation with a power density of 100 mW/cm^2 for different duration.

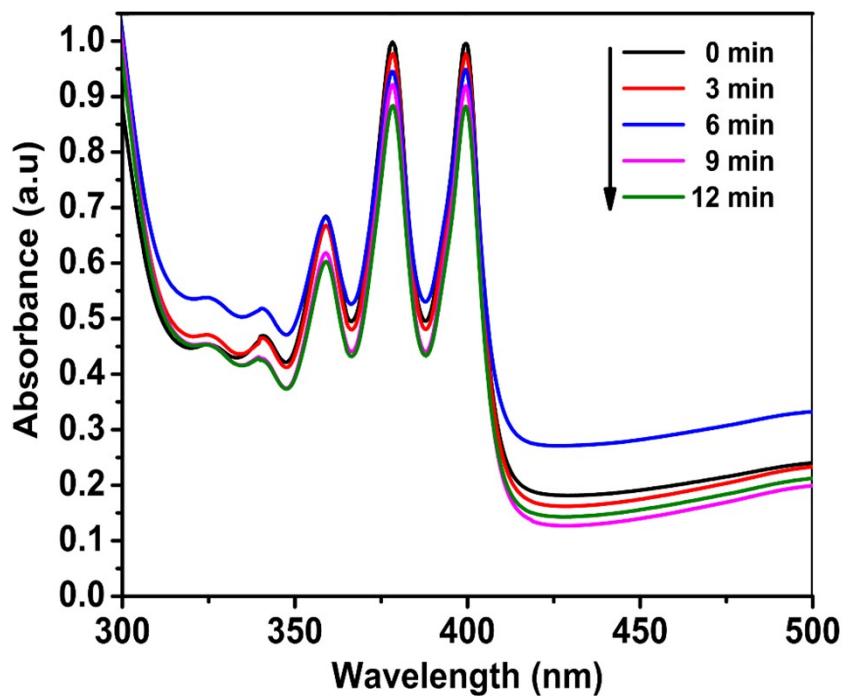


Fig. S11 Absorbance spectra of AuNR@SiO₂ in water using ABDA as a singlet oxygen quencher upon 671 nm laser irradiation with a power density of 100 mW/cm^2 for different duration.

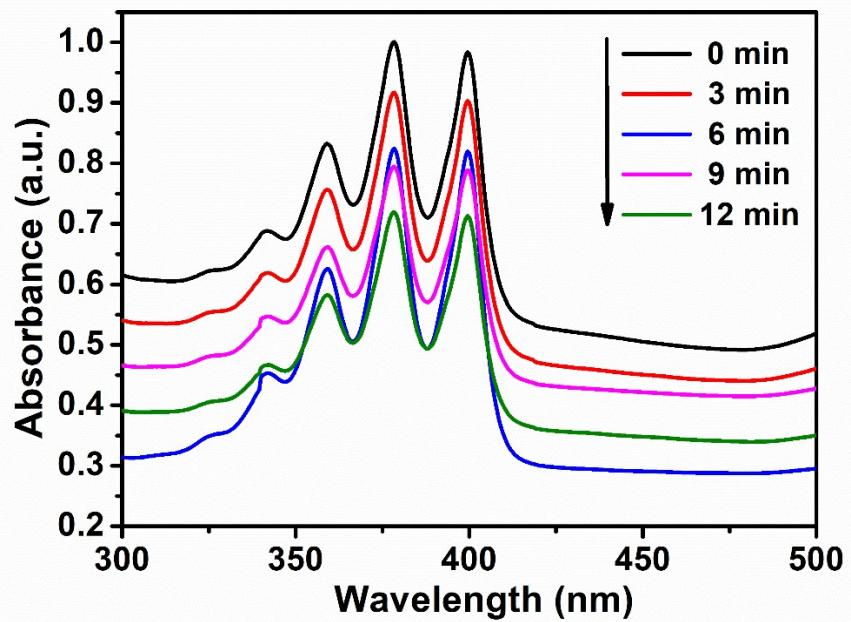


Fig. S12 Absorbance spectra of Tet-SiPc@AuNR@SiO₂ in water using ABDA as a singlet oxygen quencher upon 671 nm laser irradiation with a power density of 100 mW/cm² for different duration.