

Supporting Information

**Fabrication of bifunctional G-quadruplex-hemin DNAzymes for colorimetric detection of apurinic/apyrimidinic endonuclease 1 and microRNA-21**

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## 1. Optimization of incubation time.

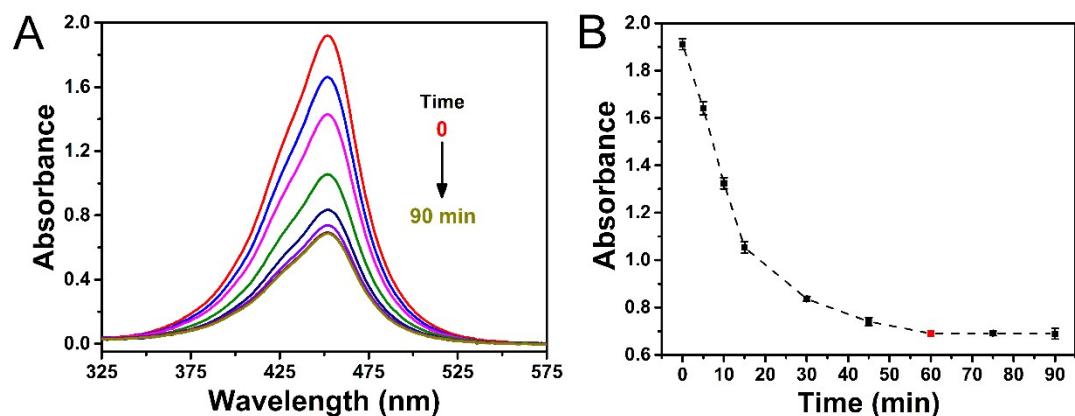


Figure S1. (A) UV-vis absorption spectra of G-DNAzymes in TMB-H<sub>2</sub>O<sub>2</sub> reaction system with different incubation time of APE1 from 0 to 90min. (B) A<sub>450 nm</sub> of UV-vis absorption spectra as a function of incubation time.

## 2. Comparison of different APE1 biosensors.

**Table S1. Comparison of analytical performances of different APE1 biosensors.**

Method	Probe	Linear range	Limit of detection	References
Electrochemistry	Au nanoparticles decorated graphene nanosheets	0.1 - 80 pg/mL	0.04 pg/mL	S1
Electrochemistry	Ni-Au nanochains	0.01 - 100 pg/mL	3.9 fg/mL	S2
Electrochemiluminescence	Ru (II) complex functionalized coil-like nanocomposite	0.001 - 1 pg/mL	0.3 fg/mL	S3
Fluorescence	Double-strand DNA binding dye	0.024 - 2 U/mL	0.024 U/mL	S4
Fluorescence	DNA tetrahedrons	5 - 80 pM	5 pM	S5
Fluorescence	Double-loop frayed-end chimeric fluorescent probe	0.1 - 5.0 U/mL	0.1 U/mL	S6
Colorimetry	G-DNAzyme	2.5 - 22.5 U/mL	1.8 U/mL	This work

### 3. Comparison of different miRNA-21 biosensors.

**Table S2. Comparison of analytical performances of different miRNA-21 biosensors.**

Method	Probe	Linear range	Limit of detection	References
Electrochemistry	Hairpin DNA immobilized on magnetic beads	2.5 fM - 25 nM	0.12 fM	S7
Electrochemiluminescence	DNA scissors	0.5 fM - 10 pM	0.17 fM	S8
Electrochemiluminescence	Copper nanoclusters	100 aM - 100 pM	19.05 aM	S9
Photoelectrochemistry	Bi <sub>2</sub> WO <sub>6</sub> @Bi <sub>2</sub> S <sub>3</sub> and alkaline phosphatase	1 fM - 1 nM	0.26 fM	S10
SERS	Au-decorated silicon nanowire arrays substrate	1.0 fM - 10.0 nM	0.34 fM	S11
Fluorescence	G-quadruplexes and silver nanoclusters	10 nM - 400 nM	0.45 nM	S12
Fluorescence	MoS <sub>2</sub> nanosheets	100 fM - 1 nM	75.6 aM	S13
Colorimetry	Hairpin DNA and gold nanoparticles	10 pM - 1 μM	0.89 pM	S14
Colorimetry	G-DNAzyme	100 fM - 10 nM	73 fM	This work

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