## Fluoride-assisted detection of glutathione by surface Ce<sup>3+</sup>/Ce<sup>4+</sup> engineered nanoceria

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**ESI 1:** Change in the colour (representative of oxidation states) of nanoceria synthesised via different routes after a treatment with  $H_2O_2$  and monitored for 21 days



ESI 2: Deconvoluted XPS spectrum of as synthesized a) CeO-RT, b) CeO-TH, and c) CeO-SC												
Peak	state	реак position	Let	у-кі	Leu	-тн	Let	.eU-SI CeU-IH-F		IH-F	CeU-SI-F	
			FWHM	Peak %	FWHM	Peak %	FWHM	Peak %	FWHM	Peak %	FWHM	Peak %
v	Ce <sup>4+</sup>	882	2.6	15.61	2.2	20.44	2.5	20.24	2.3	21.54	2.5	20.17
v''	Ce <sup>4+</sup>	888	5.6	0.28	3.7	13.55	3.9	11.03	3.8	13.22	4.1	11.68
v'''	Ce <sup>4+</sup>	898	2.6	4.15	1.9	18.75	2.4	17.33	1.9	18.61	2.4	17.3
u	Ce <sup>4+</sup>	901	2.1	7.49	1.93	13.65	2.1	11.86	2.0	12.88	2.4	12.46
u"	Ce <sup>4+</sup>	907	3.1	3.43	3.8	8.91	4.0	7.47	3.8	8.95	4.0	7.91
u'''	Ce <sup>4+</sup>	916	2.5	2.65	2.0	12.7	2.0	11.74	2.0	12.8	2.1	11.72
v <sup>0</sup>	Ce <sup>3+</sup>	880	2.5	3.42	2.5	0.83	2.9	2.65	2.7	1.32	2.5	2.69
v	Ce <sup>3+</sup>	884	3.4	37.44	2.5	6.75	2.7	10.16	2.5	6.06	2.4	8.85
u <sup>0</sup>	Ce <sup>3+</sup>	899	2.2	2.99	2.7	0.51	2.8	1.64	2.9	0.81	2.5	1.66
u'	Ce <sup>3+</sup>	903	3.4	22.55	2.6	3.9	2.6	5.87	2.4	3.81	2.7	5.56
Total Ce <sup>4+</sup> (%)			33	.61	88	.00	79.67		88.00		81.24	



ESI 4: a) Effect of fluoride ion on oxidation of TMB, b) Linear range of detection of fluoride ions within 1-10 ppm by CeO-SC



ESI 5: Enzyme kinetics representation for TMB through Lineweaver-Burk plot of a) CeO-TH, b) CeO-TH-F<sup>-</sup> (4 ppm), c) CeO-SC, d) CeO-SC-F<sup>-</sup> (4 ppm).

ESI 6: Zetapotential of fluoride treated and untreated CeO-RH, CeO-TH and CeO-SC nanoparticles

Samples	AVG (mV)	STD
CeO-RT	+44.2	0.9
CeO-RT-F	+42.0	1.1
CeO-TH	+43.0	1.6
CeO-TH-F	+42.0	0.6
CeO-SC	+42.8	0.3
CeO-SC-F	+38.0	1.3



**ESI 7:** a) Fluoride detection with spiking of known concentration in toothpaste solution and b) Comparison of data obtained from toothpaste solution (without spiking).