

Supplementary Material

Integrative plasmonics: optical multi-effects and acousto-electric-thermal fusion for biosensing, energy conversion, and photonic circuits

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Table S1. A summary of plasmon-enhanced sensing technologies.

| Technique | Mechanism | Key Features | Typical Applications | Performance | Ref. |
|---|--|--|--|--|-------|
| Plasmon-Based Refractive Index (RI) Sensing | Changes in the local refractive index alter plasmon resonance conditions | High sensitivity, label-free detection, real-time monitoring | Aptamer-functionalized gold nanodisc array for psa detection | 113 nm/RIU sensitivity and 1.49 ng/mL LOD | 1 |
| | | | Plasmonic nanohole array for exosome detection | - | 2, 3 |
| | | | Opto-microfluidic platform for sars-cov-2 antibody detection | 0.5 pM LOD | 4 |
| | | | Functionalized plasmonic metasurfaces for sars-cov-2 variant detection | Detection limit two orders of magnitude lower than commercial immunoassays | 5 |
| | | | Plasmonic-coupled optical microfiber for dopamine detection | Single-molecule detection | 6 |
| | | | Plasmonic bowtie nanantenna with a 3 nm gap for detection of 4-nitrophenol molecules | Detection of a trace amount (approximately 500 molecules) of aromatic thiol derivatives | 7 |
| SEIRA (Surface-Enhanced Infrared Absorption Spectroscopy) | Localized surface plasmon resonance (LSPR) enhances infrared absorption | Enhances molecular IR absorption signals (10^4 – 10^6 enhancement factor) | Multi-hotspot nanantenna combined with MOF-polymer enrichment membrane for CO ₂ gas detection | Low detection limit (ppb level) and high sensitivity (0.18%/ppm) | 8 |
| | | | Overcoupled plasmonic resonators for multianalyte detection | Detection of 13 analytes Sensitivity for PMMA is 7.25%/nm | 9, 10 |
| | | | Surface plasmon phonon polarization for dynamic monitoring of glucose enzymatic reactions | Accurately resolve overlapping vibration modes | 11 |
| | | | Multiresonant plasmonic nanoantenna integrated with artificial intelligence for VOC gas monitoring | Low LOD (IPA: 1.99 ppm, ethanol: 3.43 ppm, acetone: 9.82 ppm) and 100% classification accuracy for 125 VOC mixing ratios | 12 |
| | | | SERS artificial nose for high dimensionality fingerprinting | Differentiating multiple analytes using mildly selective self-assembled monolayers | 13 |
| SERS (Surface-Enhanced Raman Spectroscopy) | LSPR and electromagnetic enhancement boost Raman scattering | High signal-to-noise ratio, single-molecule detection (10^6 – 10^{14} enhancement factor) | Flexible plasmonic metasurface for sweat monitoring | Detection limit of 0.01 nM for mitoxantrone | 14 |
| | | | Wearable plasmonic paper-based microfluidics for continuous sweat analysis | Detection limit of 0.1 μM for uric acid | 15 |
| | | | In vivo plasmonic nanoprobes for | SERS EF of 2.9×10^7 and a signal-to- | 16 |

| | | | monitoring stress signaling molecules in plants | noise ratio of up to 64 | |
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| Surface Plasmon-Enhanced Chiral Spectroscopy | LSPR enhances circular dichroism (CD) or chiral Raman signals | Increases sensitivity of chiral molecule detection, enhances chiral optical response | Plasmonic planar chiral metamaterials for biomolecule detection | Characterization of picogram quantities of adsorbed molecules | ¹⁷ |
| | | | Achiral plasmonic nanostructures for inducing chiral responses | - | ¹⁸ |
| | | | Quadruple-resonance metasurface for glucose enantiomer detection | 0.26%/mm sensitivity and 0.03 mm LOD | ¹⁹ |
| | | | Infrared chiral plasmonic metamaterials for protein detection | Detection limit as low as ~23 zeptomolar | ²⁰ |
| | | | Patterned plasmonic sheets for terahertz circular dichroism spectroscopy | - | ²¹ |
| SEF (Surface-Enhanced Fluorescence) | LSPR enhances fluorescence signals, modifying fluorescence lifetime and quantum yield | Boosts fluorescence probe sensitivity, enables fluorescence lifetime control | Bowtie nanantenna for large-scale single-molecule fluorescence enhancement | Fluorescence enhancement of a single molecule by 1,340 times | ²² |
| | | | Single-molecule reaction detection using silver nanantenna thin films coupled with nanoporous cavity substrates | Single-molecule detection | ²³ |
| | | | Stacked plasmonic nanowell–nanopore biosensor for single-molecule fluorescence detection | 0.1 nM LOD | ²⁴ |
| | | | Silver decahedral nanoparticles for detecting lactoferrin in milk | 1.25 pM LOD | ²⁵ |
| | | | Framework gold nanoparticle structures for assessing SARS-CoV-2 nucleocapsid protein | 44 fg/mL sensitivity and 0.84 ag/mL LOD | ²⁶ |
| Nanospectroscopy via PIRET (Plasmon-Induced Resonance Energy Transfer) | Resonant energy transfer between plasmons and molecules improves spectral sensitivity | Non-radiative energy transfer, enhances spectral resolution | Conjugated metal-ligand complexes and single gold nanoparticle plasmonics for Cu ²⁺ detection | 1 nM LOD | ²⁷ |
| | | | Al disk metasurfaces for detecting multiple biomolecules | 4.48 μM sensitivity and 0.4 μg/mL LOD | ²⁸ |

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