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Highly sensitive electrochemical detection of hazardous 2,4-dinitrophenylhydrazine using MgCo-TiO₂/g-C₃N₄ heterostructure nanocomposites

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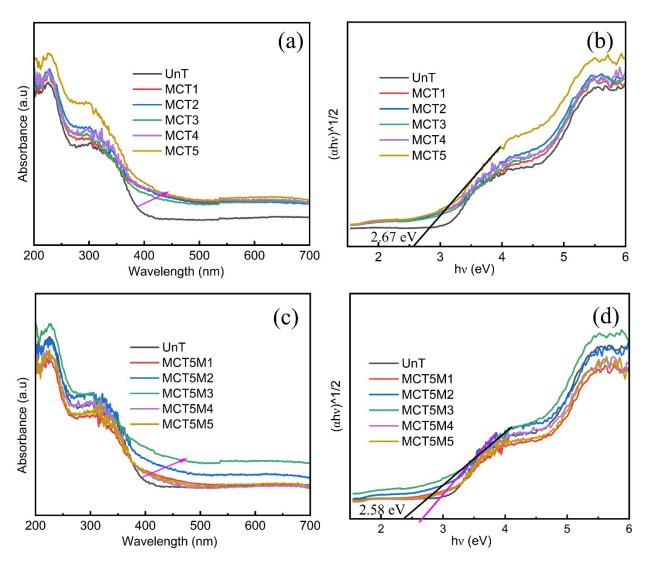


Fig. S1 UV-Vis DRS spectra for sol gel synthesized absorbance (a) and along with the square root of Kubelka–Munk functions (b) and microwave assisted sol gel synthesized materials (c) and along with the square root of Kubelka–Munk functions (d).

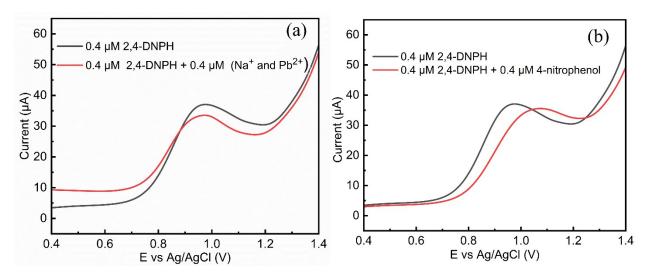


Fig. S2 LSV Voltammogram metals ions (Na⁺ and Pb²⁺) (a) and 4-nitrophenol(b) interferences in 0.4 μM 2,4-DNPH (pH 3) at scan 30 mV/s scan rate by MgCo-TiO₂/g-C₃N₄/GCE sensor.

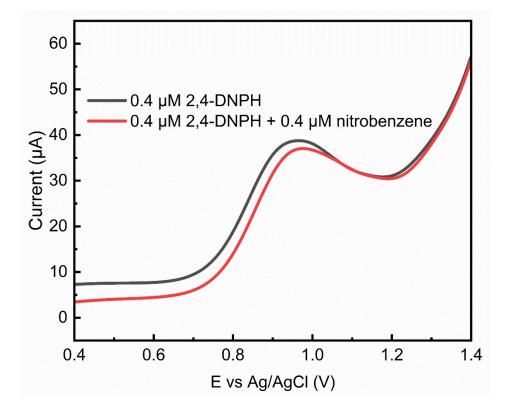


Fig.S3 LSV voltammogram 4-nitrobenzene interferences in 0.4 μ M 2,4-DNPH (pH 3) at scan 30 mV/s scan rate by MgCo-TiO₂/g-C₃N₄/GCE sensor.

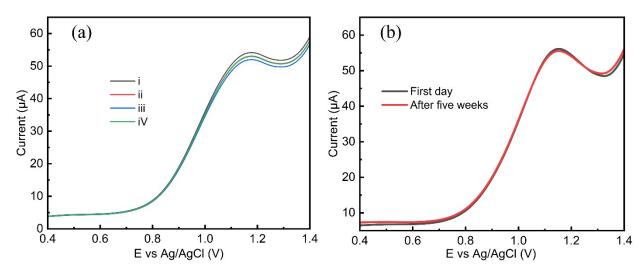


Fig.S4 LSV voltammogram of four consecutive measurements (a) and stability(b) in 0.4 μ M 2,4-DNPH (pH 3) at scan 30 mV/s scan rate by MgCo-TiO₂/g-C₃N₄/GCE sensor.