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Aqueous Synthesis of Silver Nanoparticles Immobilized on Cationic Cellulose Matrix and Their Catalytic and Antibacterial Activities

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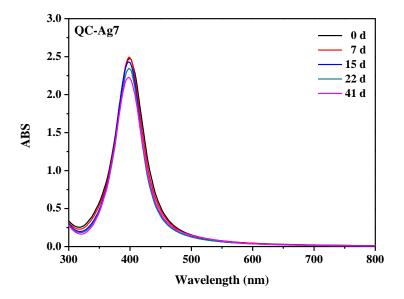


Fig. S1 Time dependence of the UV-Vis absorption spectra of the QC-Ag7 aqueous solutions.

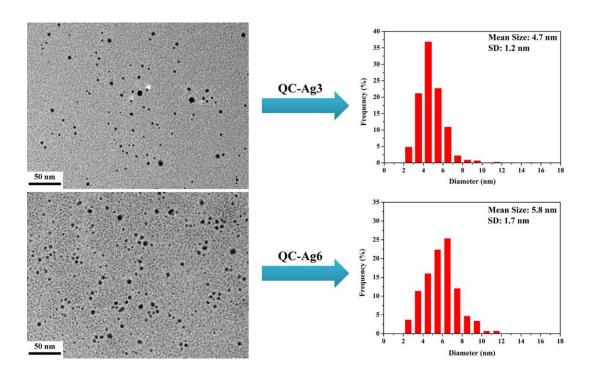


Fig. S2 TEM images (left, the scale bar is 100 nm) and size distribution histograms (right) of the redispersed QC-Ag NPs in distilled water.

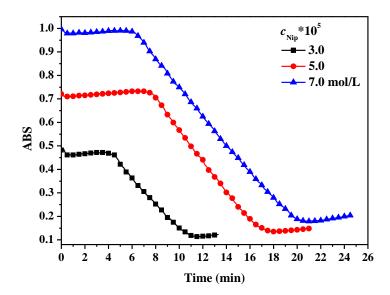


Fig. S3 Time dependence of the absorption of Nip at 400 nm at various initial Nip concentrations in the presence of QC-Ag7 NPs. ($c_{\text{Ag NPs}} = 3.7 \times 10^{-6} \text{ mol/L}$, $c_{\text{NaBH}_4} = 8 \times 10^{-3} \text{ mol/L}$)