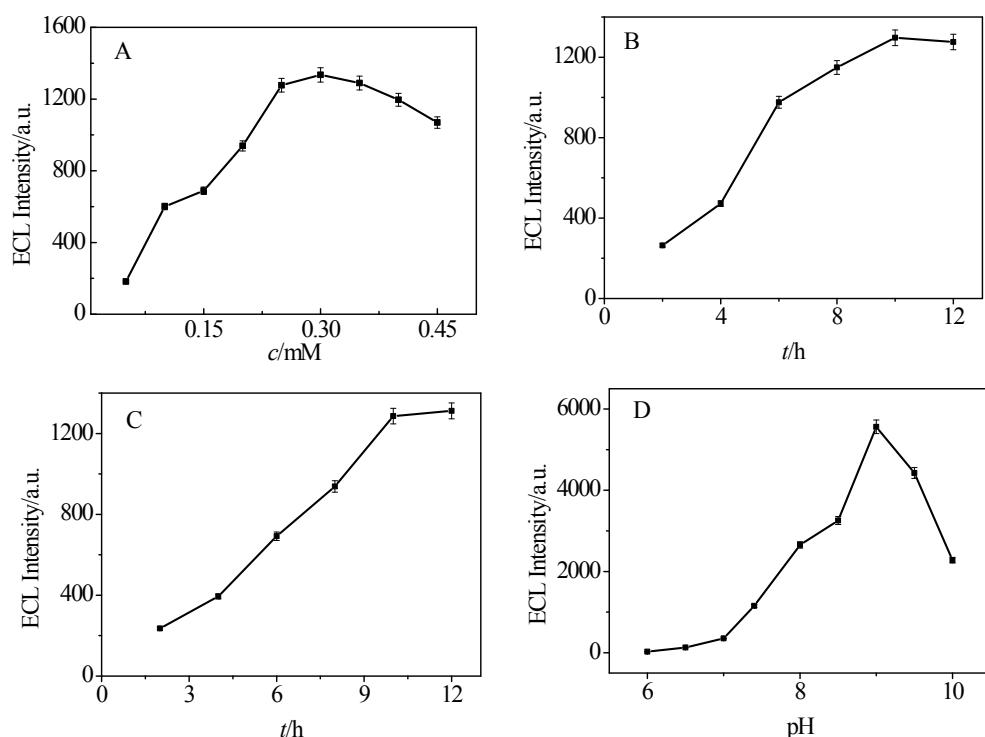


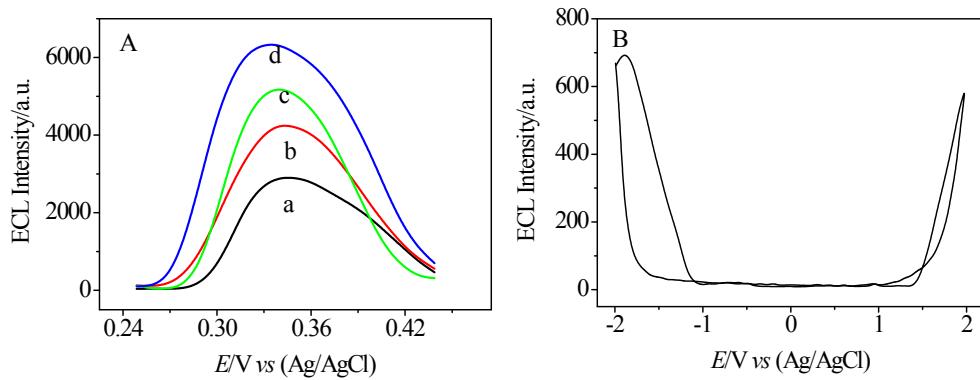
Supplementay information

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g-C<sub>3</sub>N<sub>4</sub>-hemin nanocomposite and hollow gold nanoparticles  
for the detection of lactate**

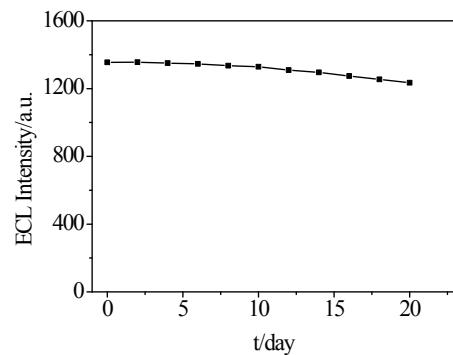
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**Fig. S1** Effect of (A) luminol concentration and the incubation time of (B) HGNPS and (D) LOX on the ECL response of the biosensor to 0.028 mM lactate in 0.10 M PBS (pH 7.4). (C) Effect of pH on the ECL response of the biosensor to 0.028 mM lactate in 0.10 M PBS. Scan rate: 0.50 V/s.



**Fig. S2** (A) ECL profiles of (a) bare GCE, (b) g-C<sub>3</sub>N<sub>4</sub>/GCE, (c) g-C<sub>3</sub>N<sub>4</sub>-hemin/GCE and (d) HGNPs/g-C<sub>3</sub>N<sub>4</sub>-hemin/GCE in 0.10 M PBS (pH 7.4) containing 0.30 mM luminol and 0.063 mM H<sub>2</sub>O<sub>2</sub>. (B) ECL responses of g-C<sub>3</sub>N<sub>4</sub>/GCE in 0.10 M pH 7.4 PBS under the scanning potential in the range of -2.0~ 2.0 V. Scan rate: 0.50 V/s.



**Fig. S3** Stability of the biosensor in the presence of 0.028 mM lactate in 0.10 M pH 7.4 PBS. Scan rate: 0.50 V/s.

**Table 1.** Comparison of different methods for the determination of lactate

Electrode materials	Determination method	Linear range (mM)	Detection limit (mM)	Reference
NADH/LDH/ Nano-CeO <sub>2</sub> /GCE	Amperometry	0.2–2		1
PDDA/LOD/ ZnO/MWCNTs	Amperometry	0.2–2.0	0.006	2
LOD/mucin/albumin hydrogel matrix	Amperometry	2×10 <sup>-3</sup> –1	8×10 <sup>-4</sup>	3
LOX/cupric oxide nanoparticles	Fluorimetry	8×10 <sup>-4</sup> –8×10 <sup>-2</sup>	4.5×10 <sup>-5</sup>	4

LOX/HGNPs	ECL	$1.7 \times 10^{-5}$ -0.50	$5.5 \times 10^{-6}$	This work
/g-C <sub>3</sub> N <sub>4</sub> -hemin/GCE				

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