

Supporting Information for:

**Imaging Guided Photothermal Therapy using iron oxide  
Loaded Poly(lactic acid) Microcapsules Coated with  
Graphene Oxide**

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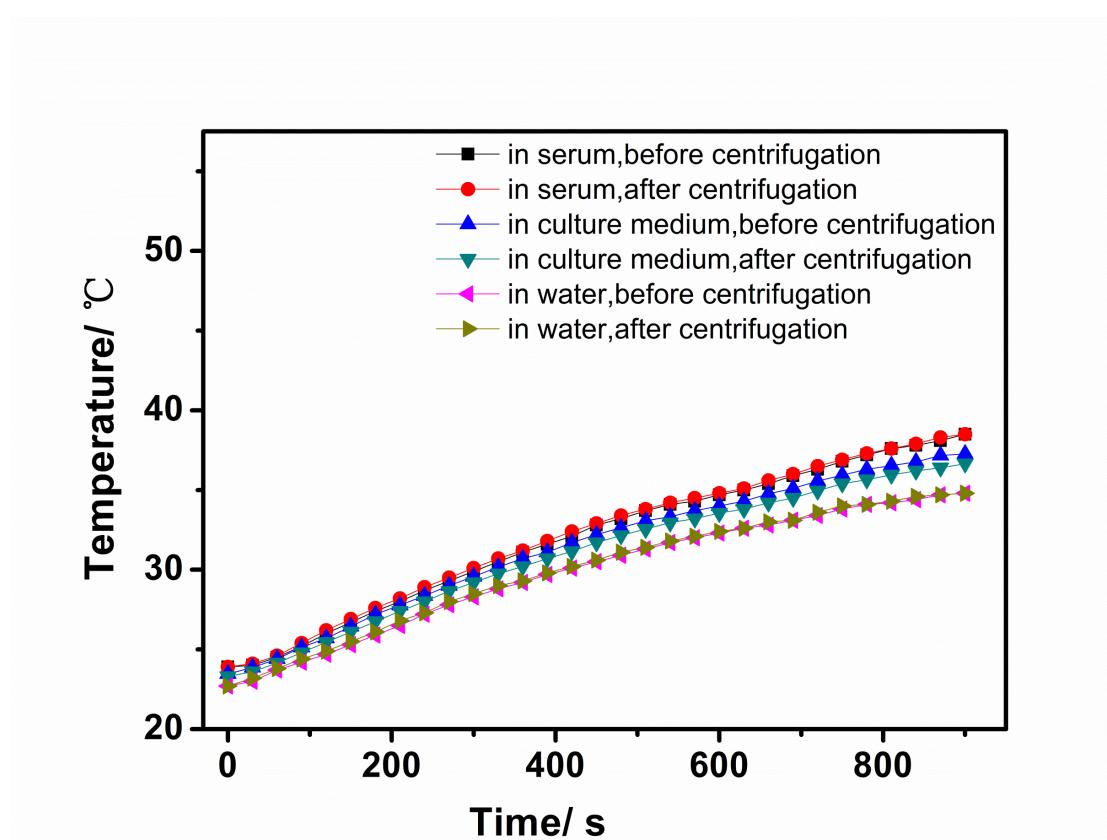
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**Fig. S1.** The pictures of IO@PLA/GO dissolved in serum (left), culture medium (middle)and water (right).



**Fig. S2.** Temperature changes of IO@PLA/GO microcapsules at the concentration of  $0.5 \text{ mg mL}^{-1}$  under NIR laser irradiation ( $808 \text{ nm}, 2 \text{ W cm}^{-2}$ ) in serum, culture medium and in water before and after centrifugation.

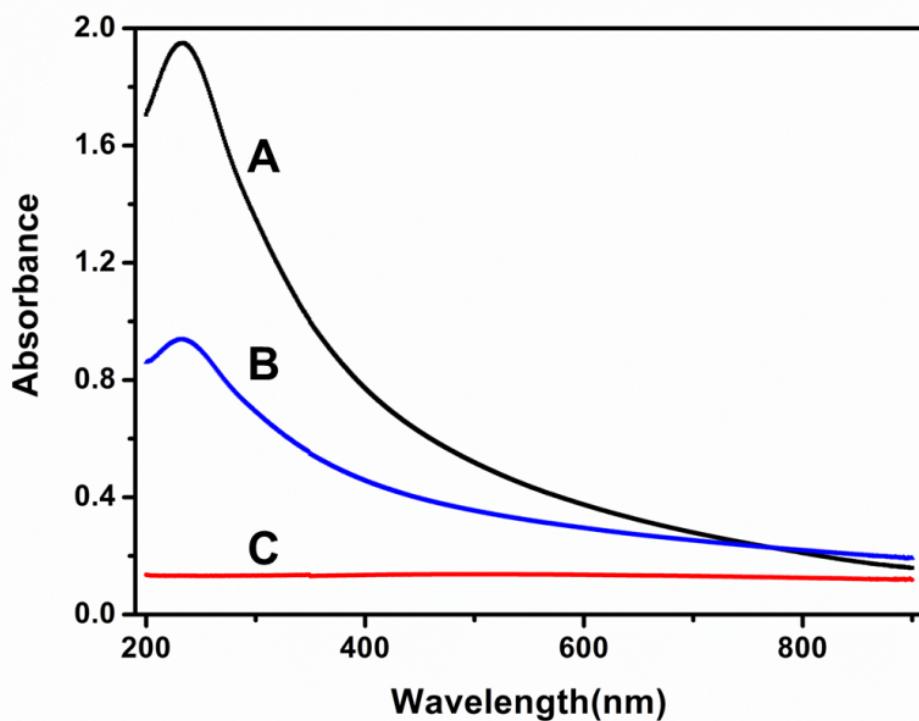


Fig. S3. UV-vis-NIR absorbance spectra of (A)GO ,(B) IO@PLA/GO ,(C) IO@PLA

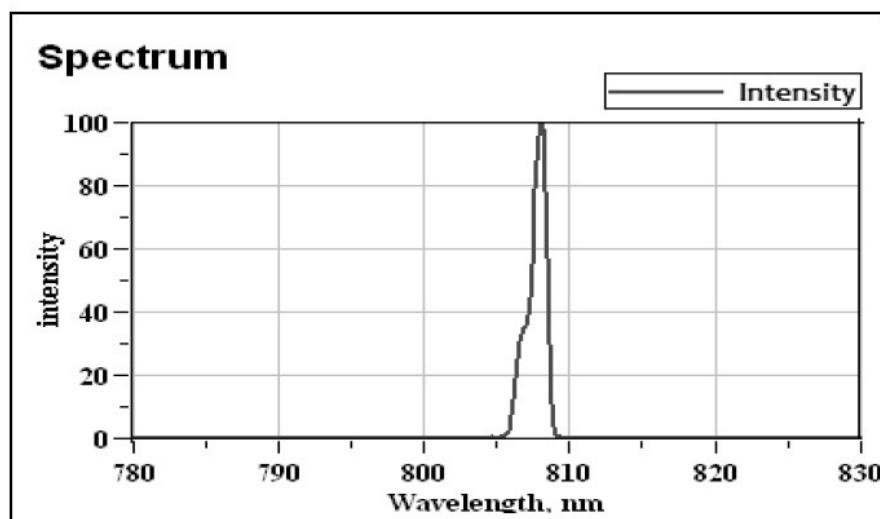


Fig. S4. The spectrum of the laser pulse