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Visible sensing of conformational transition in model silk peptides based on gold nanoparticles indicator

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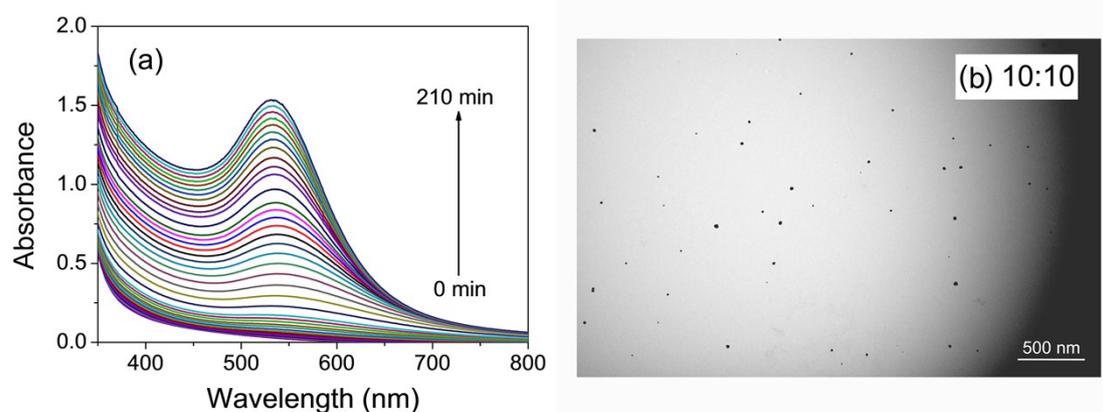
Fig. 1(a) The UV-Vis spectra of GY-14@Au NPs during the preparation process; (b)The TEM image of prepared GY-14@Au NPs.
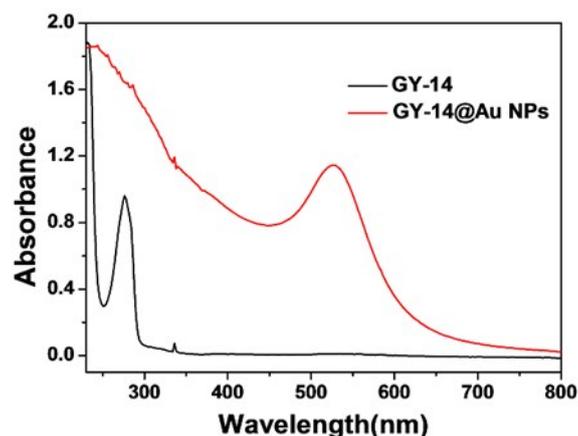
Fig. 2 The UV-Vis spectra of GY-14 before and after Au NPs reduction process.
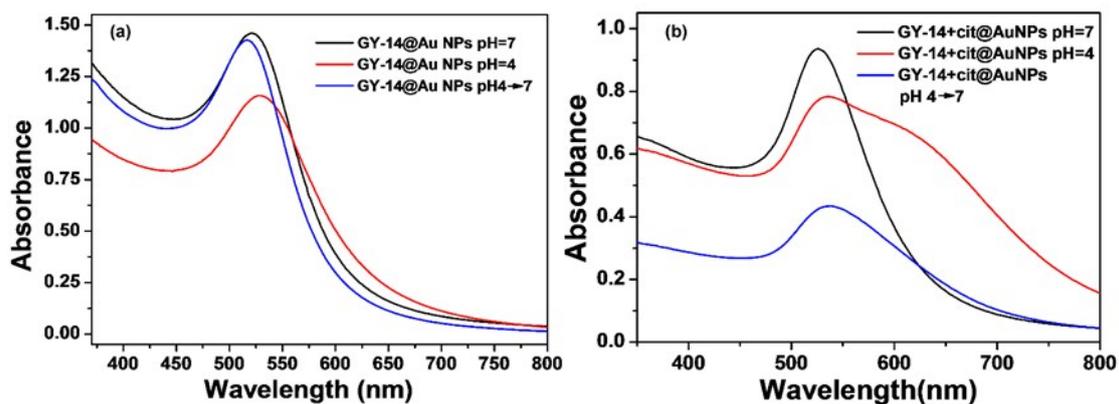
Fig. 3 The UV-Vis spectra of (a)GY-14@Au NPs and (b) GY-14+cit@Au NPs at different pH conditions.
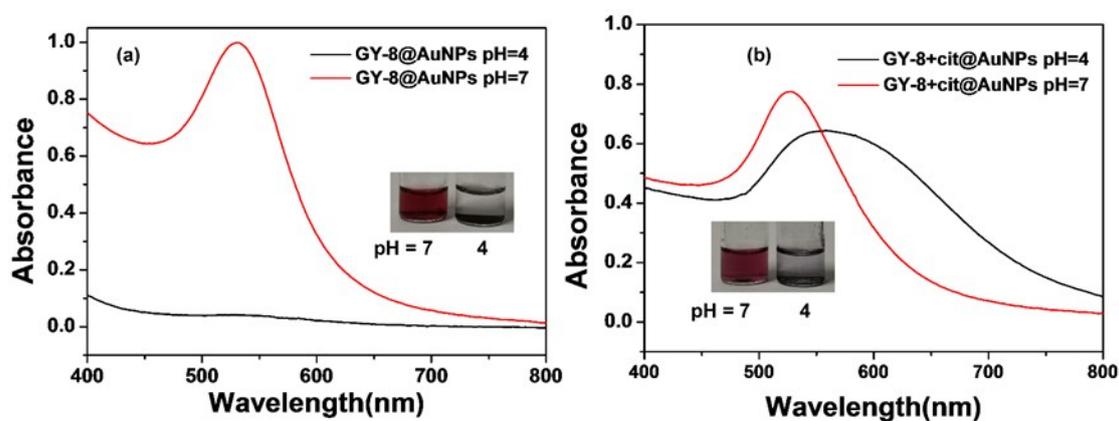
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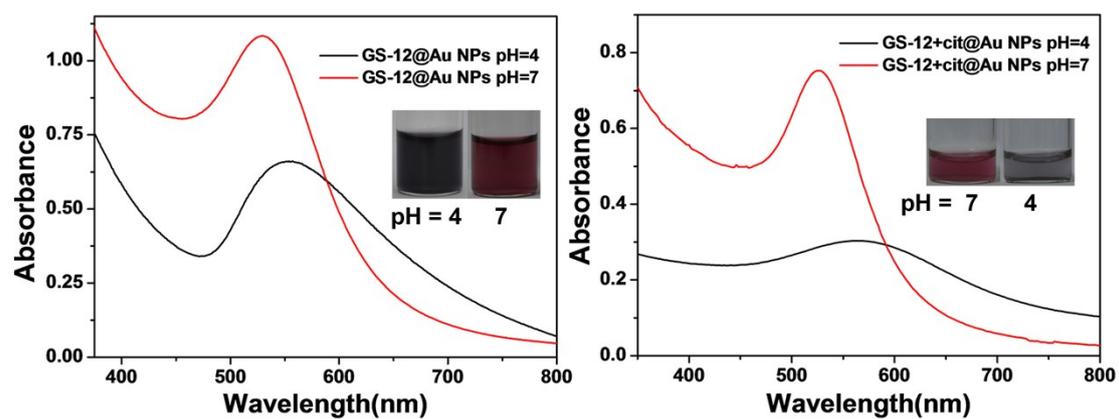
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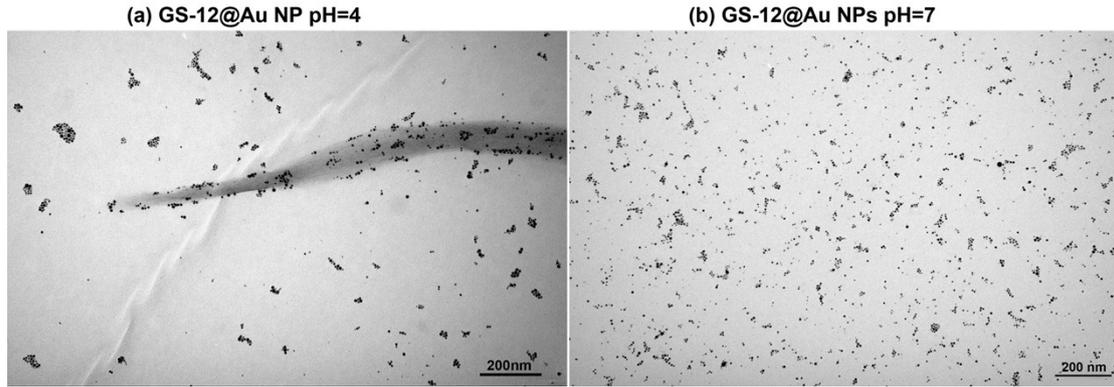
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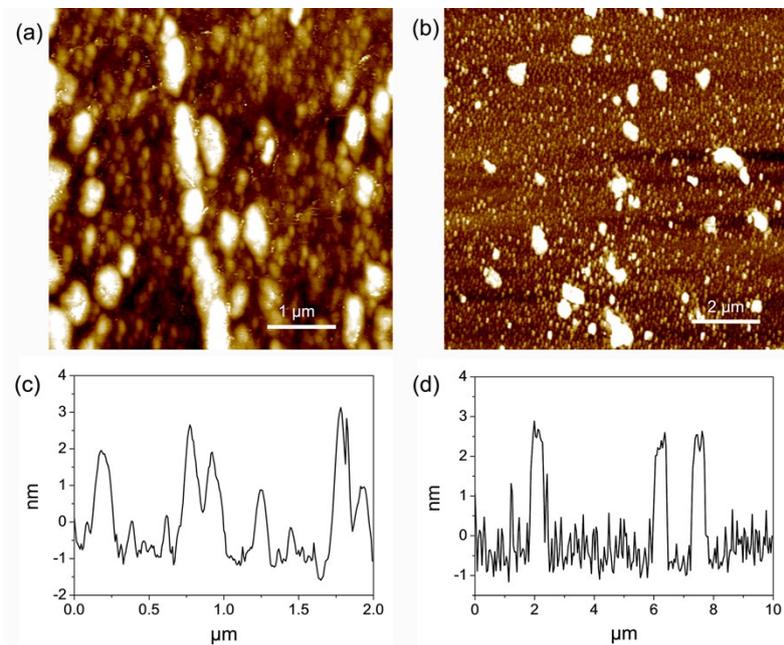
Fig.7 The AFM images and height analysis results of GY-14 at pH 4(a), (c) and pH 7(b), (d).
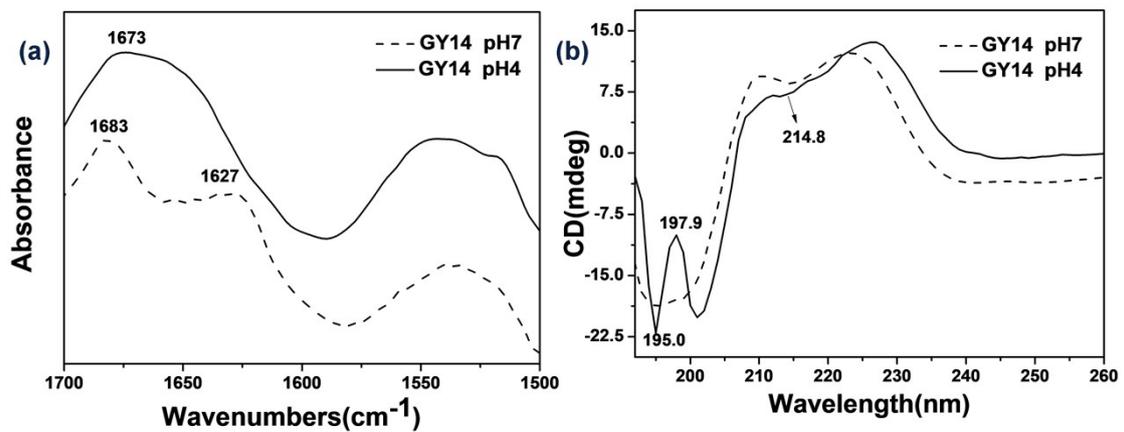
Fig.8 FTIR spectra (a) and CD spectra (b) of GY-14 at different pH conditions.
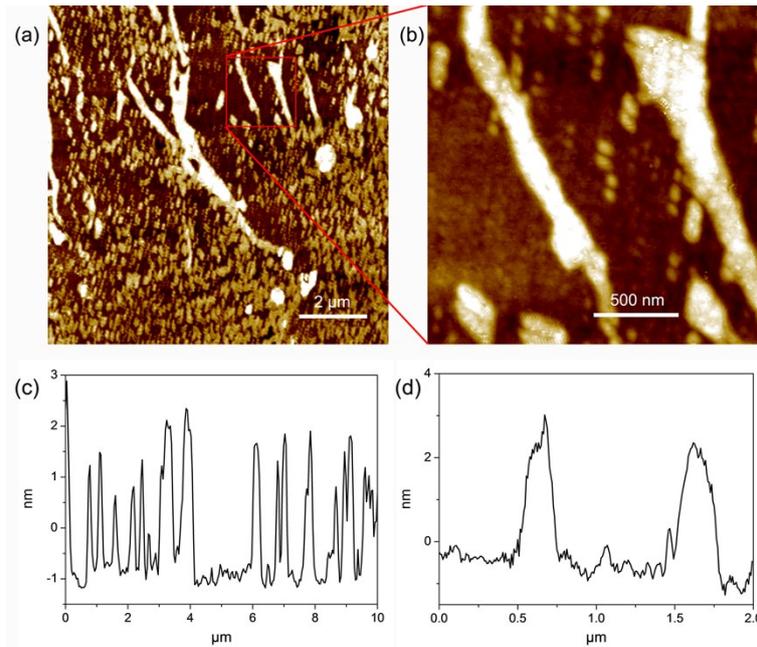
Fig.9 The AFM images and height analysis results of GY-14 with 10 mM Ca^{2+} ions (a), (c) and the magnified image (b), (d).
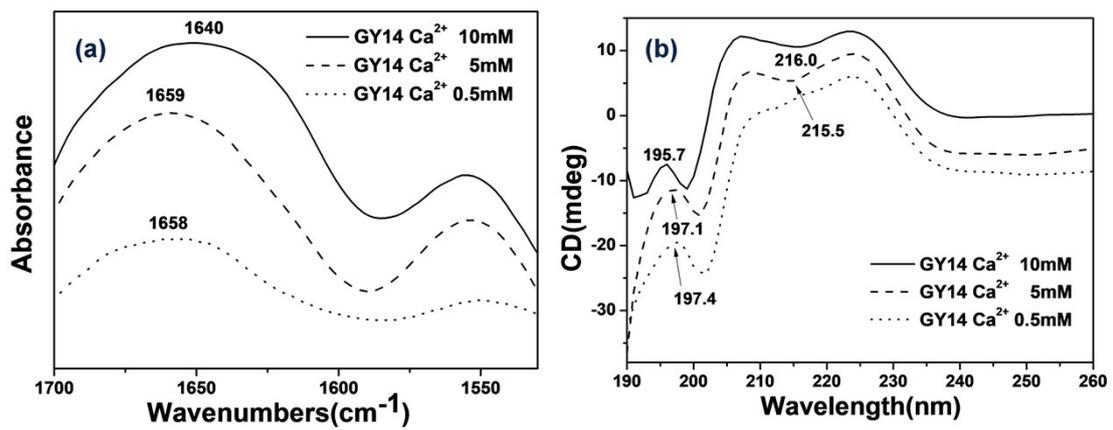
Fig.10 FTIR spectra (a) and CD spectra (b) of GY-14 with different concentration of Ca^{2+}.
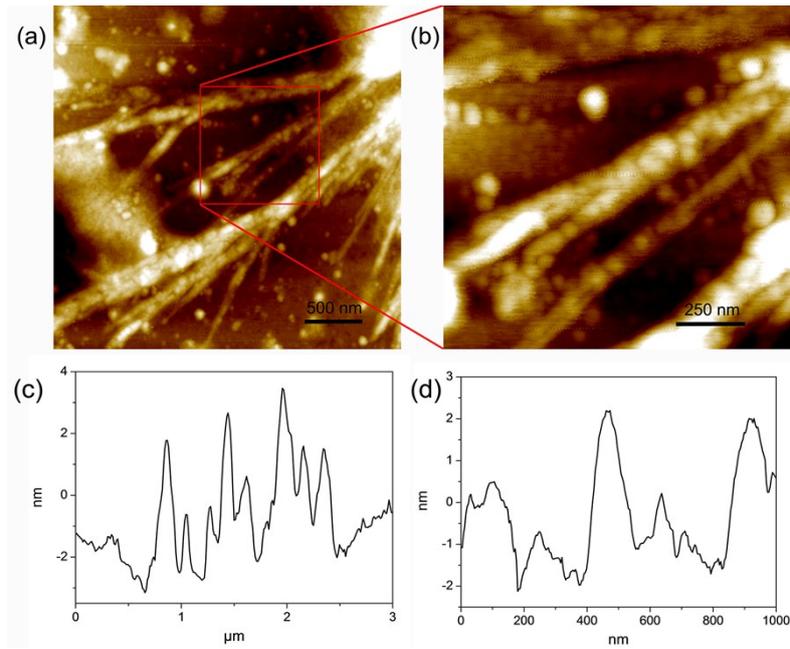
Fig.11 The AFM images and height analysis results of GY-14 induced by isopropanol solution (90%) (a), (c) and the magnified image (b), (d).