

Supplementary Information

Size-controlled Synthesis and Magnetic Properties of Copper Germanate Nanorods. Observation of Size-induced Quenching of the Spin-Peierls Transition

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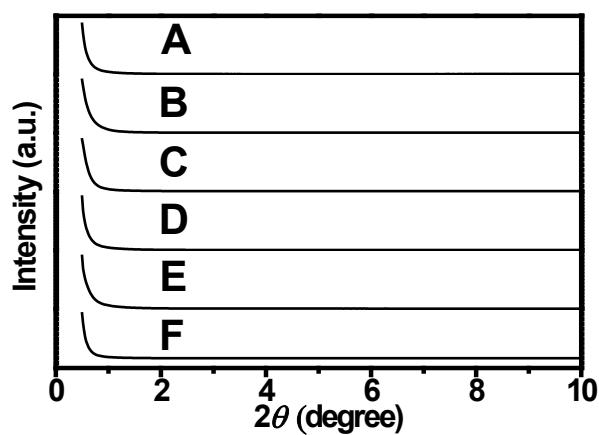


Fig. S1 Low-angle XRD patterns of the obtained CuGeO_3 materials: nanorods **A**, **B**, **C**, **D**, **E** and bulk **F**. No peaks were observed in low-angle XRD patterns.

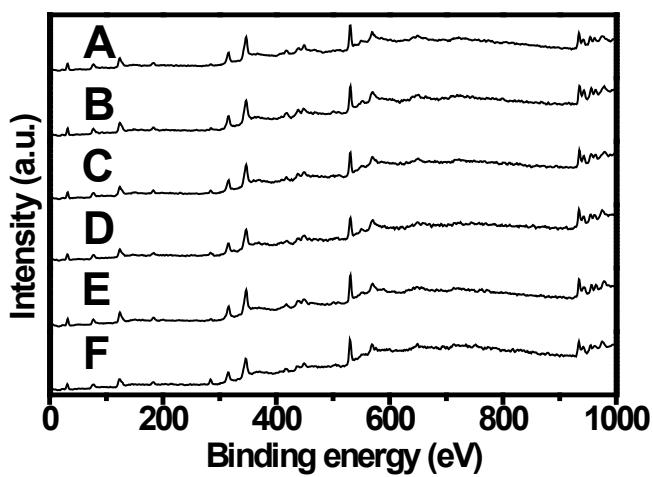


Fig. S2 XPS spectra of **A**, **B**, **C**, **D**, **E** and **F**.

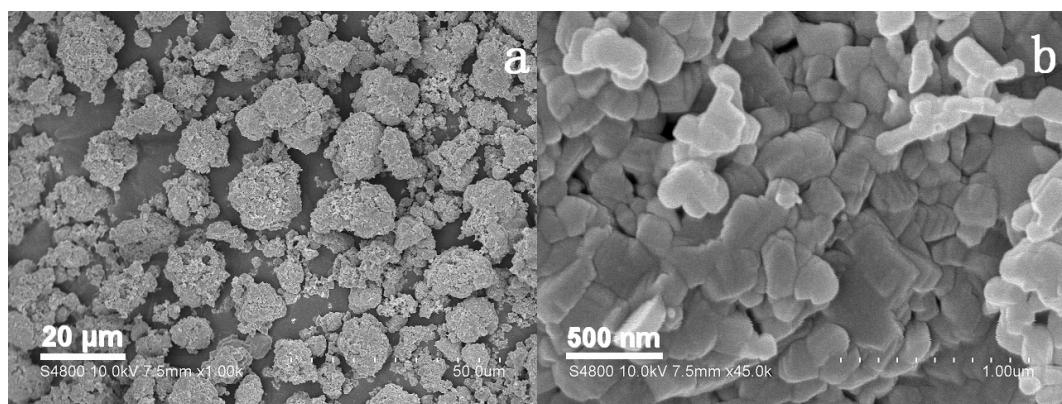
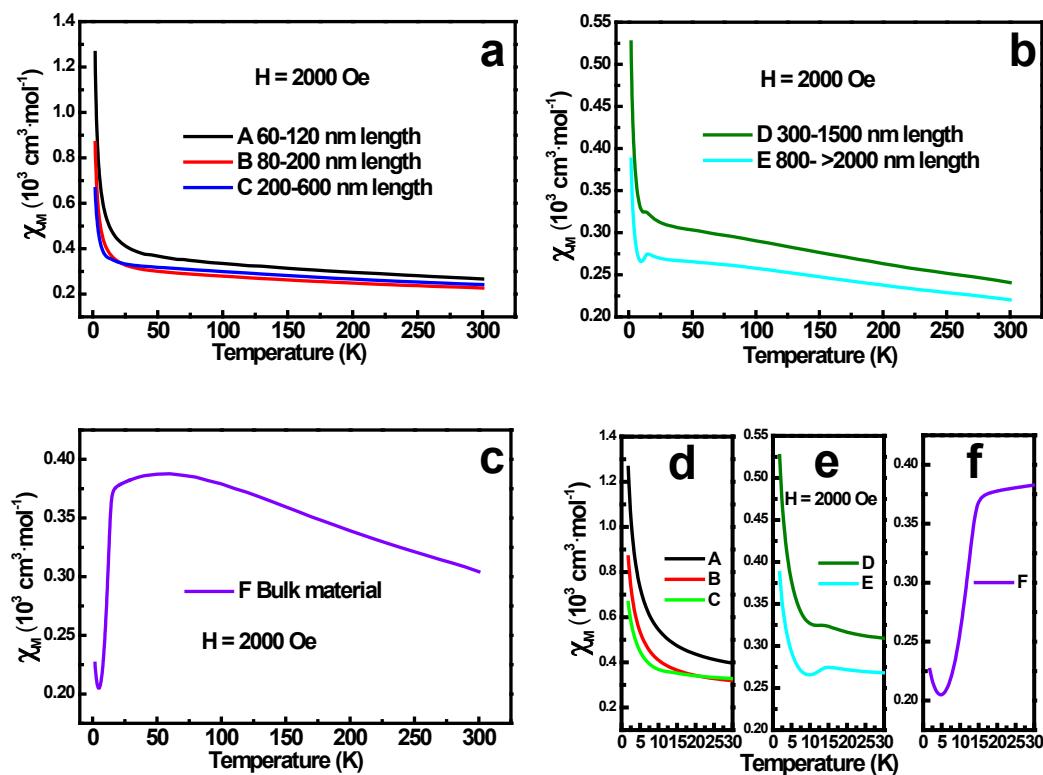


Fig. S3 SEM image of bulk CuGeO₃ F.



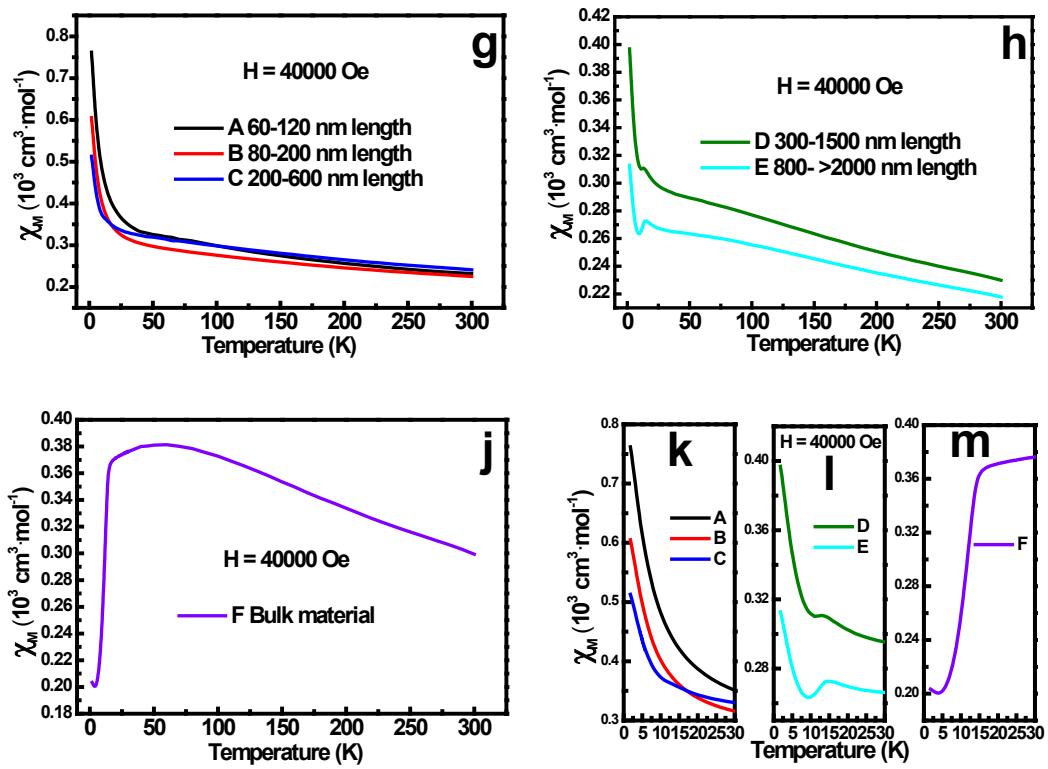


Fig. S4 Plots of the magnetic susceptibility of CuGeO₃ samples A, B, C, D, E and F, measured under H = 2000 Oe (a–f) or 40000 Oe (g–m) with a temperature range of 1.8–300 K or 1.8–30 K.