# **Electronic Supplementary Information**

# Orange-fluorescence carbon dots employed for the quantitative analysis of silver ion and glyphosine through the off-on mode

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## 1. Figures:

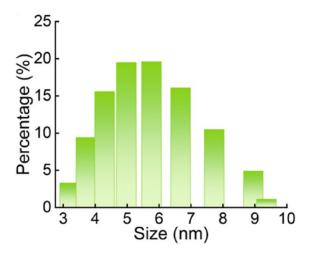
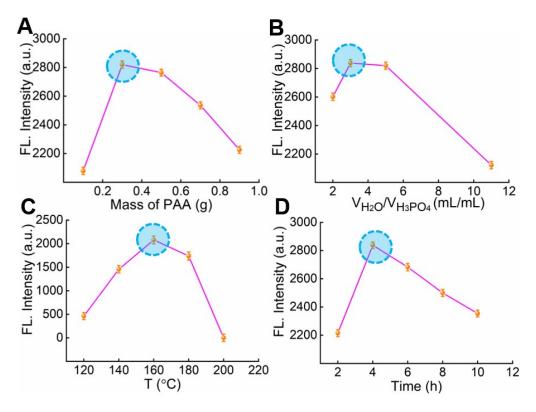


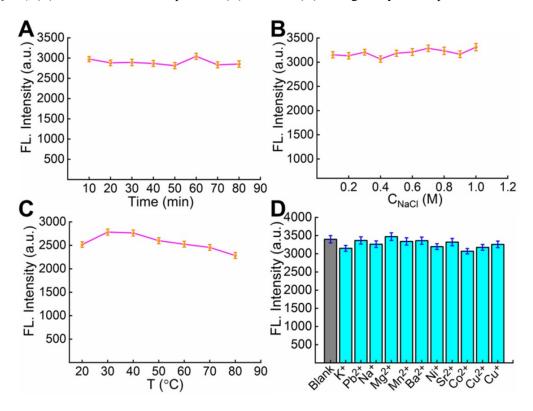
Figure S1. DLS analysis of CDs.

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**Figure S2.** Fluorescence intensity of CDs with different mass of PAA (A), varying ratio of  $H_2O_2$  to  $H_3PO_4$ , (B), various reaction temperature (C) and time (D) during the synthesis procedure.



**Figure S3.** Fluorescence intensity of the CDs prepared here towards different time (A), diverse concentrations of NaCl, (B), varying temperature (C) and ions (D).

# 2. Tables:

Table S1. Application of CDs detecting silver ion

Samples	Spiked	Found	Recovery	RSD (n=3, %)
	(10 <sup>-5</sup> M)	$(10^{-5} \text{ M})$	ratio %	
1	1.00	1.072	107.20	4.6
2	1.00	0.953	95.30	4.2
3	1.00	0.937	93.70	5.0

Table S2. Application of CDs detecting glyphosine

Samples	Spiked	Found	Recovery	RSD (n=3, %)
	$(10^{-5} \text{ M})$	$(10^{-5} \text{ M})$	ratio%	
1	1.00	1.123	112.30	4.2
2	1.00	1.045	104.50	3.9
3	1.00	0.966	96.60	4.7