

## Supporting Information

### **Resistance Driven H<sub>2</sub> Gas Sensor: High Entropy Alloy Nanoparticles decorated 2D MoS<sub>2</sub>**

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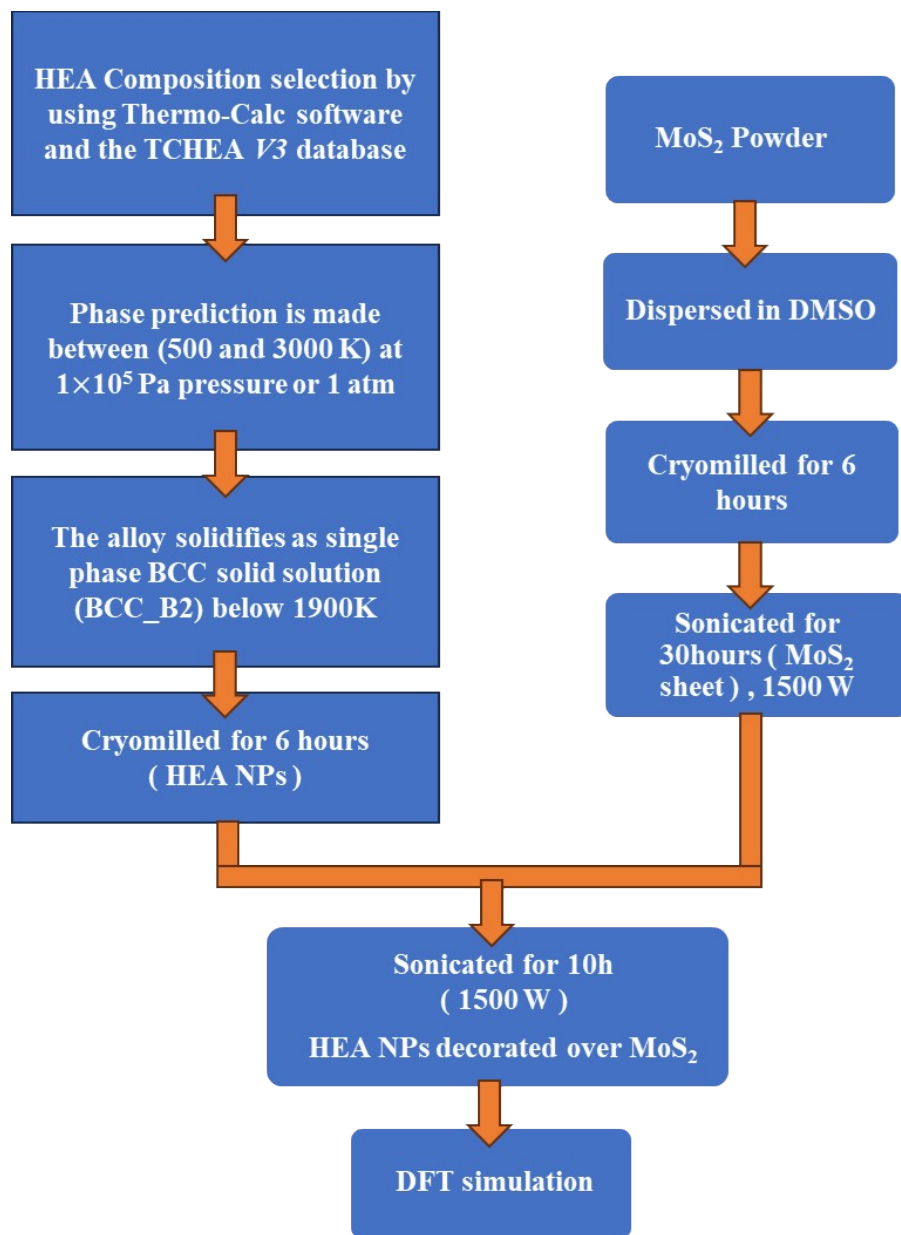
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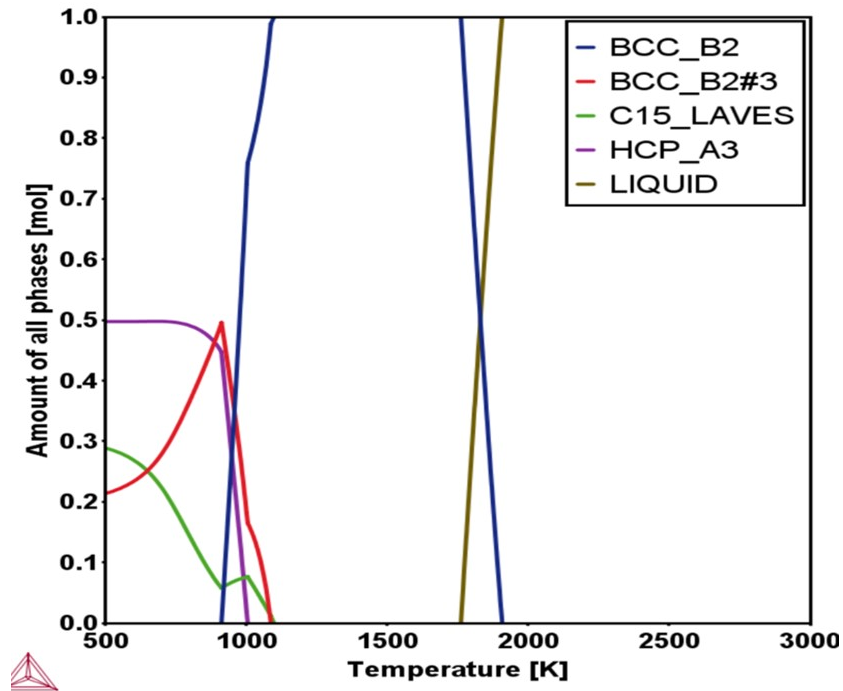
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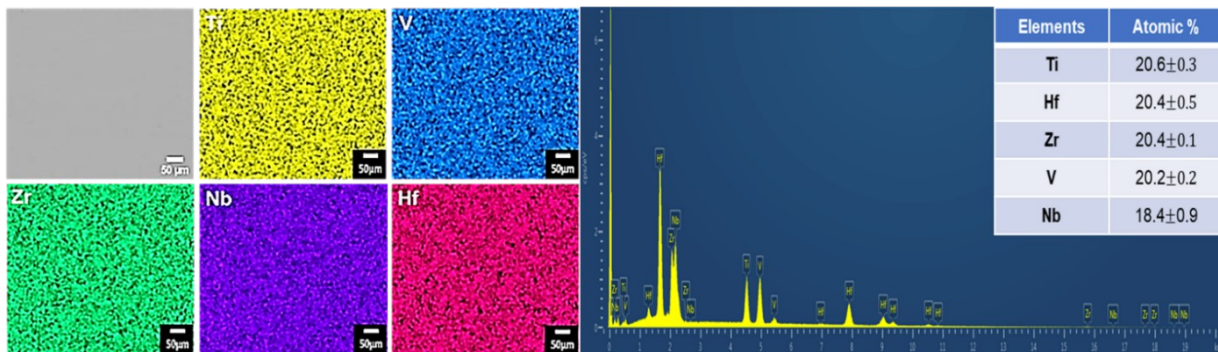


**Fig. S1** Materials design process and its accompanying consistent experimental methodology

Equilibrium fractions of the phases present in 1 mole of  $\text{Ti}_{20}\text{Zr}_{20}\text{V}_{20}\text{Nb}_{20}\text{Hf}_{20}$  HEA system were estimated using Thermo-Calc software and the TCHEA V3 database. The phase prediction is made between (500 and 3000 K) at 1 atm. The alloy solidifies as BCC solid solution (BCC\_B2) below 1900 K, as presented in Figure S2, and is stable down to 900K.



**Fig. S2** Equilibrium phase fraction of the  $\text{Ti}_{20}\text{Zr}_{20}\text{V}_{20}\text{Nb}_{20}\text{Hf}_{20}$  HEA as a function of temperature calculated using the TCHEA3 database.



**Fig. S3** Backscattered SEM micrograph and EDS mapping of homogenized  $\text{Ti}_{20}\text{Zr}_{20}\text{V}_{20}\text{Nb}_{20}\text{Hf}_{20}$  alloy.

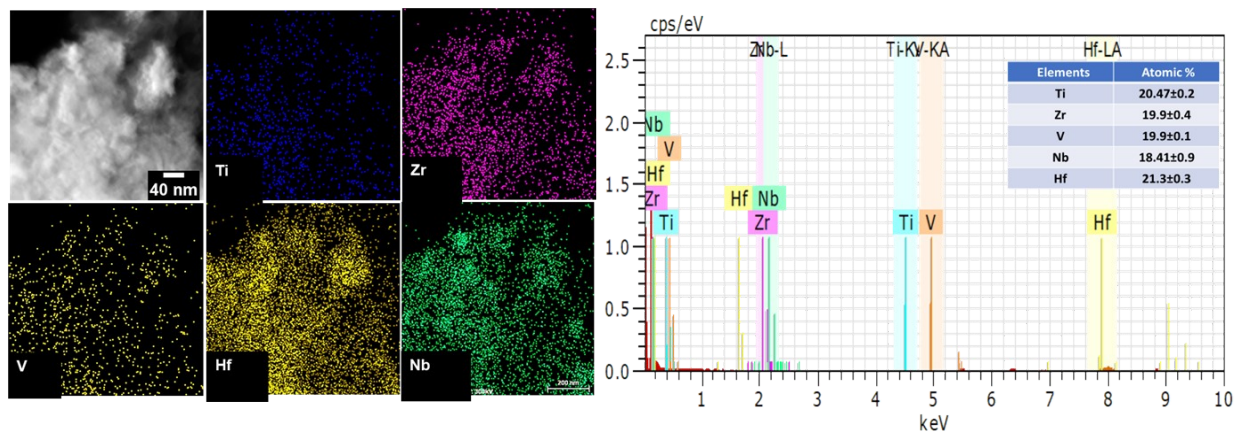


Fig. S4 EDS and Elemental mapping of HEA NPs.

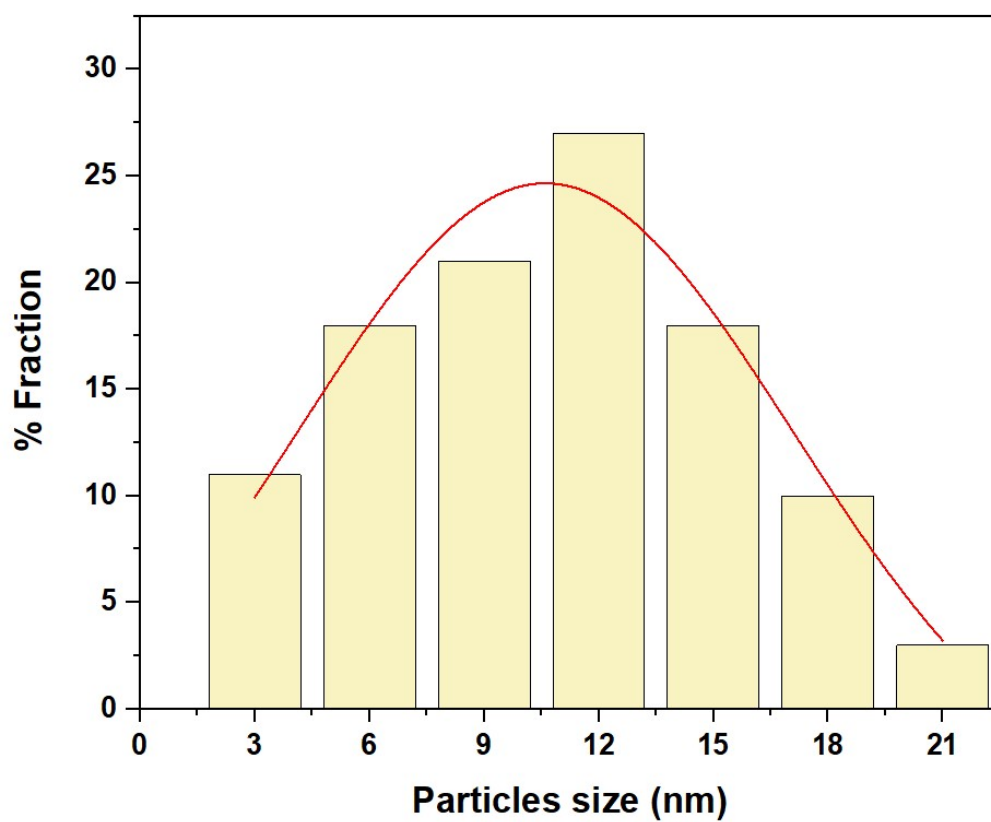


Fig.S5 Particle size distribution of HEA nanoparticles using TEM.