

## Supporting Information

### **A New Detection Mode for Gold Nanoparticles-Linked Immunosorbent Assay(GNLISA) Based on Clock Reaction: Instrument- and Enzyme-free Visual Quantitative Detection of Prostate-Specific Antigen(PSA)**

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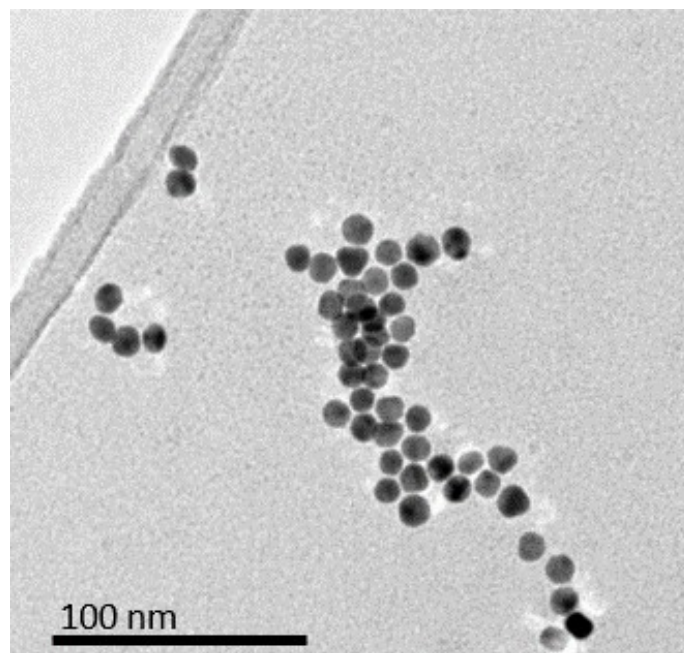


Fig. S1. TEM of the prepared AuNPs with an average size of *ca.* 13 nm

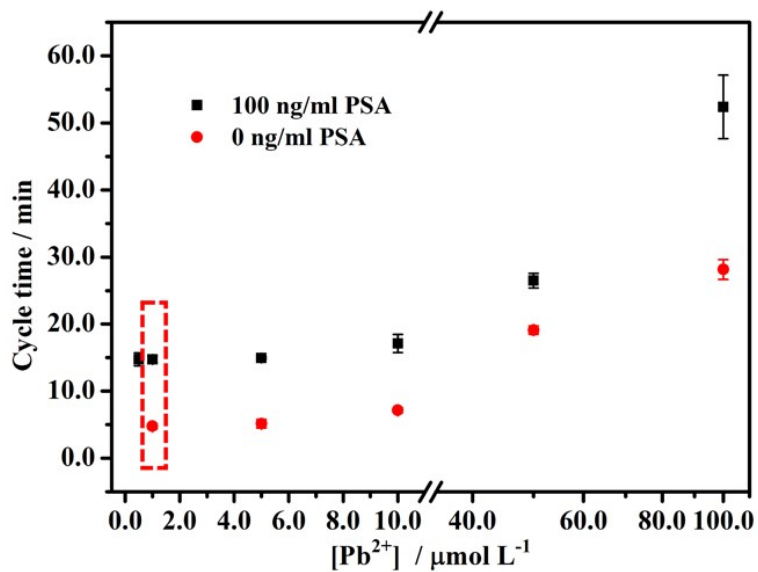


Fig. S2 The effect of Pb<sup>2+</sup> concentration on the cycle time. The conditions are 75 μL of pH 7.96 buffer (B-R buffer), 10 μL of different concentrations of Pb<sup>2+</sup>, 5 μL of 0.10 M CTAB, 10 μL of 0.10 M Na<sub>2</sub>S<sub>2</sub>O<sub>3</sub>, 3.5 μL of 0.450 mM MB<sup>+</sup>, 40.0 min of leaching time, 20 μL of ω = 1.0% NaBH<sub>4</sub>, and the temperature is at 22°C.

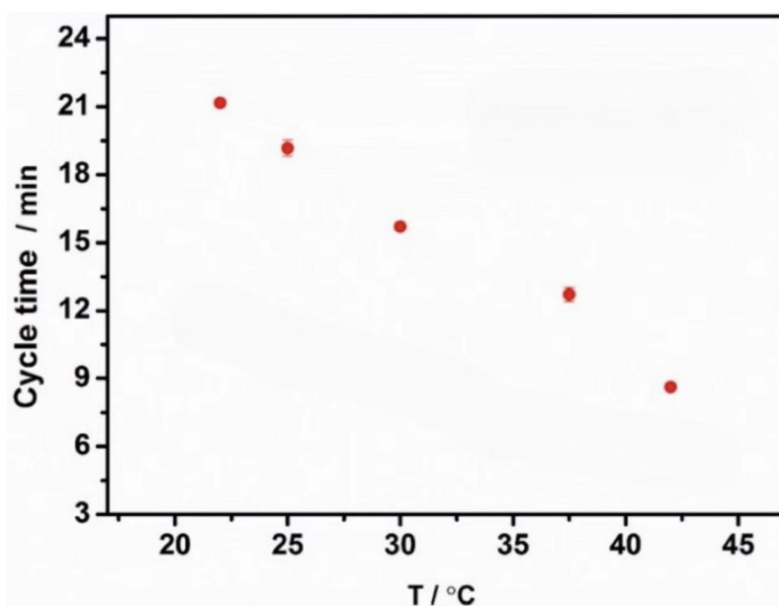


Fig. S3. The effect of the temperature on the cycle time.

Table S1. Cycle times of the blank experiment for different observers

Observer No.	Gender	Cycle time for the blank experiment (min)
1	M	6.3
2	M	6.4
3	F	6.8
4	F	6.8
One of the authors(TXW)	M	6.1

Table S2. Comparison with other colorimetric detection methods for PSA

Linear range (ng/ml)	LOD (ng/ml)	Instrument-free quantitative detection	Enzyme-free	Ref.
—	0.0001	No	Yes	1
0.01-20	0.009	No	No	2
0.1-100	0.02	No	Yes	3
0.001-1	0.001	No	Yes	4
0.25-2500	0.23	No	Yes	5
0.00001-0.1	0.0000011	No	Yes	6
42-900	2.3	No	Yes	7
0.1-5	0.03	No	Yes	8
0.01-2	0.00103	No	No	9
<b>1-100</b>	<b>0.96</b>	<b>Yes</b>	<b>Yes</b>	<b>this work</b>

Table S3. Cycle times for individual interferent alone (a to f) and PSA + interferent (g to m)

Sample	Cycle time (min)	Standard deviation
a:1000 ng/ml UA	5.9	0.2
b:1000 ng/ml glucose	5.8	0.1
c:1000 ng/ml AA	6.2	0.2
d:1000 ng/ml IgG	5.7	0.1
e:1000 ng/ml CEA	6.0	0.2
f:1000 ng/ml AFP	5.9	0.2
g:25 ng/ml PSA	13.4	0.1
h:1000 ng/ml UA + 25 ng/ml PSA	13.6	0.2
i:1000 ng/ml glucose + 25 ng/ml PSA	13.5	0.2
j:1000 ng/ml AA + 25 ng/ml PSA	13.3	0.3
k:1000 ng/ml IgG + 25 ng/ml PSA	13.4	0.5
l:1000 ng/ml CEA + 25 ng/ml PSA	13.4	0.4
m:1000 ng/ml AFP + 25 ng/ml PSA	13.9	0.2

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