

**Supplementary Information**

Supplementary Table 1 summarizes the label-free techniques for detecting atrazine. The primary label free methodology has been impedimetric/electrochemical impedance spectroscopy based detection.

**Supplementary Table 1:**

Reference Article #	Technique	Linear range	Limit of Detection	Platform realization time
1	DPV	0.05–0.5 ng/mL	0.016 ng/mL	> 19 h
2	DPV	0.04–0.6 ng/mL	0.018 ng/mL	> 2 h
3	SPR	0.5–15 ng/mL	0.7134 ng/mL	9 h
4	Conductometric	0.1–100 ng/mL	0.07 ng/mL	> 3 h
5	Impedimetric	0.5–30 ng/mL	0.5 ng/mL/0.1 ng/mL	> 16 h
6	DPV	0.05–1.5 ng/mL	0.011 ng/mL	1 h
This work	EIS	1 fg/mL to 10 ng/mL	1 fg/mL	5 minutes

DPV-Differential pulse voltammetry, SPR- surface plasmon resonance, EIS- Electrochemical impedance spectroscopy

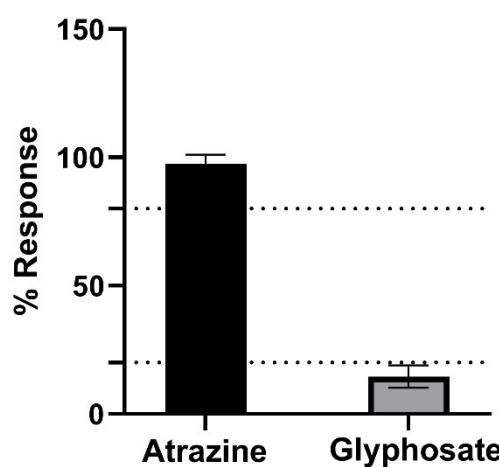


Fig. S1: presents the results of the specificity study, highlighting the sensor's response to Atrazine compared to a Glyphosate.

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