Supporting Information for

Affinity Purification of Angiotensin Converting Enzyme Inhibitory Peptides from Wakame (Undaria pinnatifida) Using Immobilized ACE on Magnetic Metal Organic Frameworks

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Comp	Comulas		ce	Langmuir surface		Pore volume	e Pore d	Pore diameter		
Samples		area (m ² g ⁻¹)		area (m ² g ⁻¹)		(cm ³ g ⁻¹)	(r	(nm)		
Fe ₃ O ₄ @ZIF-90		106.97		148.68		0.12	13	13.37		
Fe ₃ O ₄ @ZIF-90-ACE		51.87		73.04		0.09	12	2.35		
Table S2 . K_m and V_{max} of immobilized and free ACE.										
-	- Kinetio		\mathbb{R}^2	$R^2 K_m/mmol\cdot L^2$		/max/ mmol·min ⁻¹ catalytic effic		ytic efficienc		
Free ACE	y=0.0406x+0.0212		0.9892	1.962		46.296 23.596		23.596		
Immobilized ACI	mobilized ACE y=0.0486		0.9968	3.953		81.321		20.574		
Table S3. Purification of Angiotensin I-converting enzyme from pig lung.										
Purification step	step Total activ		Enzym	e recovery	Specif	fic activity (U/	mg) Pi	urification fo		
Homogenate	112.05		100.00			0.0021		1.0		
(NH4)2SO4 extract	75.13		67.05		0.0053			2.5		
Dialysis solution	sis solution 45.67		40.67			0.0102		4.9		

 $\textbf{Table S1.} Textural properties of Fe_{3}O_{4}@ZIF-90 \text{ and } Fe_{3}O_{4}@ZIF-90-ACE \text{ by the BJH model calculation.}$

 Table S4. Variance analysis of reaction rate-substrate concentration fitting using nonlinear regression analysis.

Items	Control	KNFL (192 μM)	KNFL (384 μM)		
R squared	0.989	0.986	0.989		
Sum of Squares	3008.161	1457.652	393.342		
Mean Squares	1504.08	728.826	196.671		
df	2	2	2		
<i>P</i> value	< 0.01	< 0.01	< 0.01		



Figure 1. XRD spectrum of Fe₃O₄@ZIF-90 and Fe₃O₄@ZIF-90-ACE by X-ray diffractometer (SmartLab, Rigaku Corporation, Japan).

Four distinct characteristic diffraction peaks at 2*θ*=35.6°,53.8°,57.6° and 62.8° of the Fe₃O₄@ZIF-90 matched well the structure of Fe₃O₄NPs (JCPDS No.19-0629).¹The peaks of ZIF-90 at 7.39°, 10.36°, 12.79°,14.71°, 16.45°, 18.01°, 22.19°, 24.64° and 26.72° were also observed on the Fe₃O₄@ZIF-90.² Howerver, the Fe₃O₄@ZIF-90-ACE had weak characteristic diffraction peaks of Fe₃O₄NPs at 30.6°, 53.8° and 62.8°. It was probably because that the impure protein of crude enzyme sample was absorbed on the surface of the Fe₃O₄@ZIF-90, hiding the peaks of Fe₃O₄NPs. Moreover, there was a slight change on the angles and peak strength, showing that the crystallinity of material were decreased on account of immobilized ACE.



Figure 2. (a) N₂ adsorption isotherms, (b) dV/dw (cm³/g·nm), (c) dV/dlog(w) (cm³/g) of Fe₃O₄@ZIF-90 and Fe₃O₄@ZIF-90-ACE using a Physical Absorption analyzer (ASAP2420, Micromeritics Co., Ltd., USA).

As shown in Fig.S2, it was found that the adorption–desorption isotherms was close to type-III isotherm according to the IPUAC classification. The significant decrease in the surface area and pore size was due to the crude ACE modification which fill the pore and restrict N₂ molecules from fully accessing the pores. The similar phenomenon was also reported in the post synthesis modification of ZIF-90.^{3,4}



Figure 3. UV-vis spectra of the materials by UV-2550.

As shown in Fig. S3, An UV absorption peak of ZIF-90 was observed on 287 nm and Fe₃O₄@ZIF-90 and M-ZIF-90-ACE all showed similar peaks. In contrast, there was no obvious UV absorption peak of Fe₃O₄ NPs was observed for Fe₃O₄ @ZIF-90 and Fe₃O₄@ZIF-90-ACE, indicating that the absorption peak of Fe₃O₄ was mainly suppressed by the framework of ZIF-90. From the UV–vis spectra, the Fe₃O₄ NPs was successfully encapsulated into the framework of ZIF-90.⁵







Figure 4. Effects of initial concentration of protein(a), pH (b), immobilization temperature (c) and immobilization time (d) on immobilized ACE.

ACE was immobilized onto Fe₃O₄@ZIF-90 nanoparticles through the Schiff base reaction.⁶ The optimum immobilization conditions were as follow: the protein concentration of ACE crude sample was 10.0 mg/mL, pH 8.0, temperature 45° C and the immobilization time was 2.0 h.





Figure 5. Optimum reaction pH (a) and Temperature (b), (c) Arrhenius plots to calculate activation energy (*E*_a) and (d) the Lineweaver-Burk plot of free and immobilized ACE.

Optimum pH was determined to be 8.3 for both free and immobilized ACE, indicating that the immobilization procedure did not cause any change to the optimum pH of free ACE (Fig. S5 (a)).⁷ The immobilization of ACE on Fe₃O₄@ZIF-90 increased the optimum temperature to 45°C (Fig. S5 (b)) as well as the range (35–50°C) of temperatures with relative activity >80%. While the optimum temperature of free ACE was 40°C, and >40% loss of relative activity was observed between 35°C and 50°C, it was shown that the immobilized ACE enhanced temperature resistance, possibly by increasing the stiffness of the protein structure, and preventing the unfolding of ACE at high temperatures.⁷

The linear plots of ln [relative activity] vs 1/T indicates that the reactions follow first order kinetics (Fig. S5 (c)). Furthermore, the *Ea* for the enzymatic reaction with the immobilized ACE was calculated to be 45.46 kJ/mol using the Arrhenius equation, while the Ea of free ACE was determined to be 35.71 kJ/mol. This demonstrates that a higher activation energy is required for the immobilized enzyme to form the enzyme-substrate complex compared with the free enzyme.⁸

As shown in Fig. S5 (d), the K_m of the immobilized ACE (3.953 mmol/L) was 2.0-fold higher than the K_m value of the free ACE (1.962 mmol/L) (Table 2), indicating a lower affinity of ACE on Fe₃O₄@ZIF-90 towards the substrate. Immobilization usually causes a rise in K_m due to partial dissociation of ACE subunits by covalent interaction, and steric hindrance of the active site by the support or due to diffusional limitation of the substrate.⁹



Figure 6. Chromatographic purification on a Zorbax SB C18 column of Wakame protein hydrolysate (WPH) (<5KD). Separation was performed with a linear gradient of acetonitrile in water containing 0.1% TFA (0–100% in 60min) at a flow rate of 1 mL/min.

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Figure 7. The co-elution RP-HPLC profile of a purified fraction (0.1mg/mL) and a synthesized peptide (0.1mg/mL). Separation was performed with a linear gradient of acetonitrile in water (containing 0.1% TFA) from 15% to 50% in 20 min at a flow rate of 0.5 mL/min.



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