

*Supporting Information*

# Plasmonic Nano Silver: An Efficient Colorimetric Sensor for the Selective Detection of Hg<sup>2+</sup> Ions in Real Samples

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## Table Caption

**Table S1.** Comparison of different methods using nanoparticles as a sensing probe for Hg<sup>+2</sup> determination.

S. No	Technique	Limit of detection(ppm)	Comments	Reference
1	Fluorometric sensing	0.2	Complicated sensing protocols	1
2	Microfluidic platform	0.19	Complex synthesis of highly sensitive probe	2
3	Fluorescence	0.58	Complicated synthesis process	3
4	Colorimetric Assay	0.2	Simple, low cost, quick and robust	Current study

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