RSC Advances



View Article Online

View Journal | View Issue

RETRACTION

Check for updates

Cite this: RSC Adv., 2025, 15, 568

Retraction: Rapid and selective detection of aluminum ion using 1,2,3-triazole-4,5-dicarboxylic acid-functionalized gold nanoparticle-based colorimetric sensor

Shengliang Zhao,^{ab} Liqiong Chen,^{*ac} Feiyan Liu,^a Yongyao Fan,^a Yiheng Liu,^a Yulai Han,^a Yunfei Hu,^a Jingyun Su^a and Chunyan Song^c

DOI: 10.1039/d4ra90132k

rsc.li/rsc-advances

Retraction of 'Rapid and selective detection of aluminum ion using 1,2,3-triazole-4,5-dicarboxylic acidfunctionalized gold nanoparticle-based colorimetric sensor' by Shengliang Zhao *et al., RSC Adv.,* 2021, **11**, 30635–30645, https://doi.org/10.1039/D1RA04834A.

The Royal Society of Chemistry, with the agreement of the authors, hereby wholly retracts this *RSC Advances* article due to errors in Fig. 3 and Scheme 1.

The TEM images in Fig. 3b and d have partial overlap. In Scheme 1 the vial for citrate-AuNPs and the vial for TADA-AuNPs are identical.

The authors state that these oversights were due to the shortcomings in data management in the laboratory and presentation in the manuscript, and they have requested retraction of this article.

The authors sincerely apologize for any confusion, inconvenience and negative impact to readers.

Given the significance of these concerns, the findings presented in this paper are no longer reliable.

Signed: Shengliang Zhao, Liqiong Chen, Feiyan Liu, Yongyao Fan, Yiheng Liu, Yulai Han, Yunfei Hu, Jingyun Su, Chunyan Song 12th December 2024

Retraction endorsed by Laura Fisher, Executive Editor, RSC Advances

^aCollege of New Materials and New Energies, Shenzhen Technology University, Shenzhen, Guangdong Province, China. E-mail: chenliqiong@sztu.edu.cn ^bCollege of Applied Technology, Shenzhen University, Nanshan District, Shenzhen, Guangdong Province, China ^cAnalysis and Testing Center, Shenzhen Technology University, Pingshan District, Shenzhen, Guangdong Province, China