

Paper as substrate



Paper can...

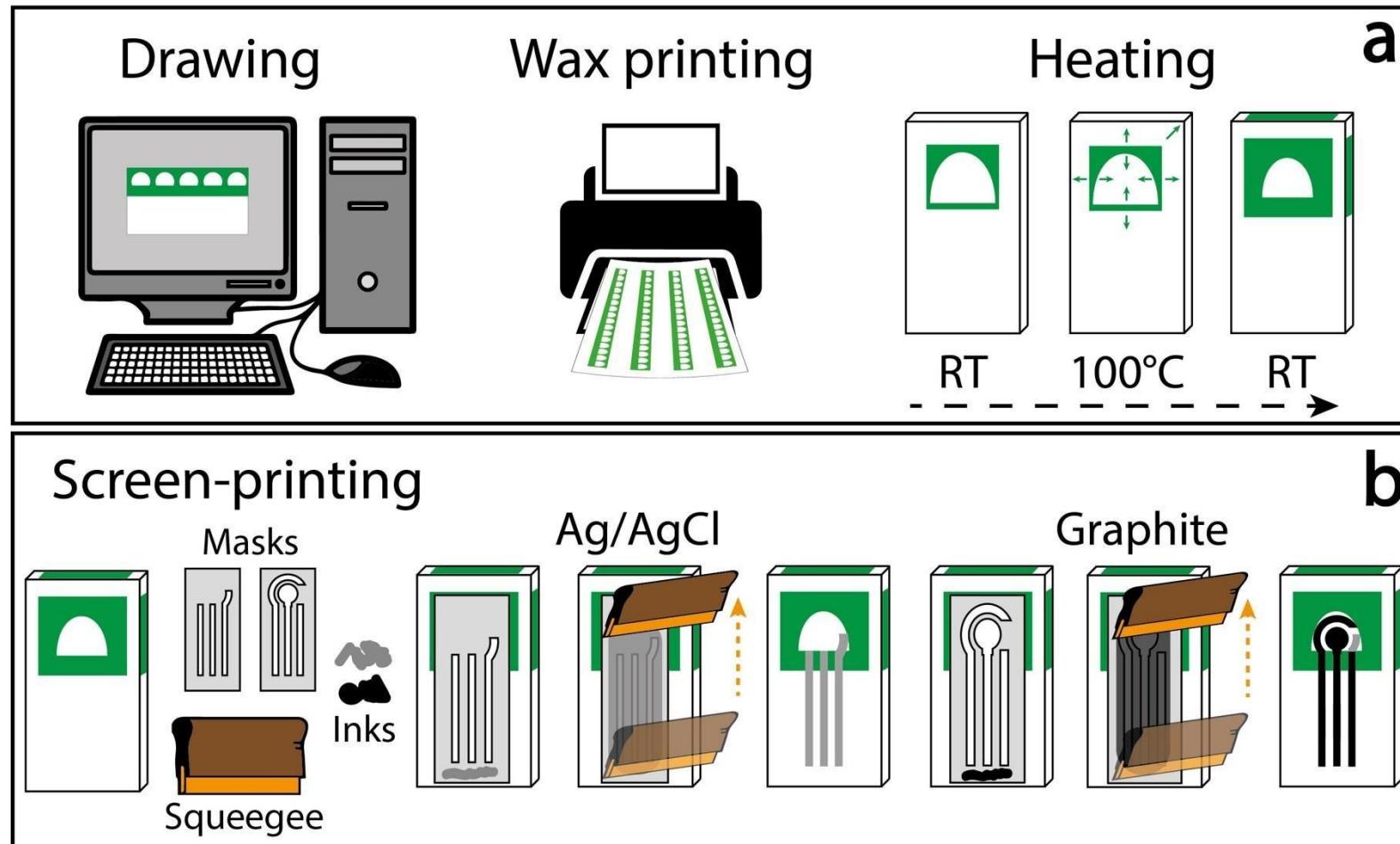
Store
Filter
React

Drawbacks...
Reagents diffusion...
Electrical noise! ☹

An hydrophobic
barrier
is needed...

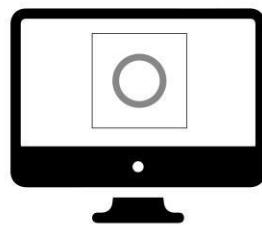
From Paper to E-Paper

Few and easy steps

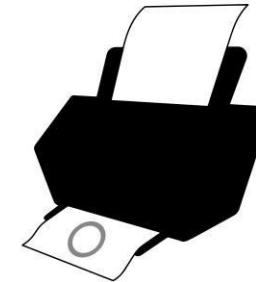


Hydrophilicity matters

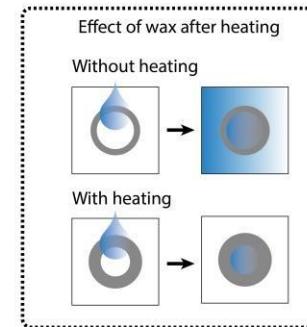
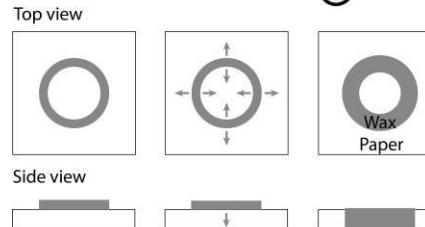
Drawing



Wax printing



Heating 100°C



... also the cost!

Costs of the components for producing one device (all the costs have to be intended in Euro).

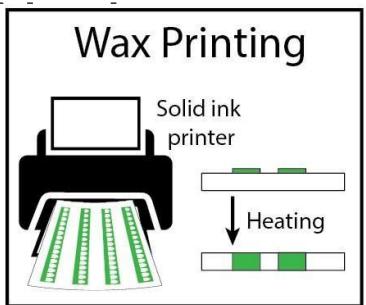
Substrate	Ag/AgCl ink	Carbon ink	Insulator	Substrate	Total cost	Saving ^c
Polyester	0.010	0.007	0.003 ^a	0.013	0.033	45%
Whatman #1			0.001 ^b	0.007	0.025	30%
Office paper			0.001 ^b	0.0001	0.018	/

^a Insulator ink.

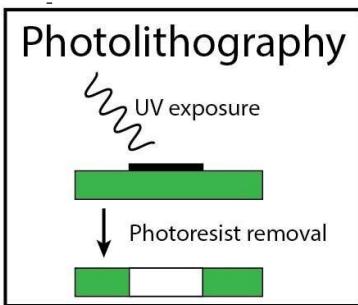
^b Wax.

^c Calculated as $1 - [\text{Office paper}/\text{Other}] \times 100$.

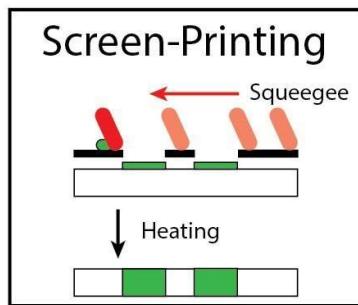
It depends on what you need and you have!



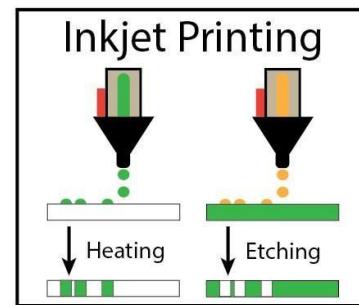
Sustainable
Low resolution



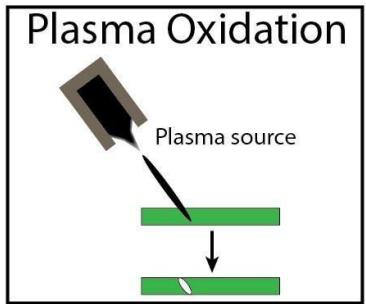
High resolution
Expensive



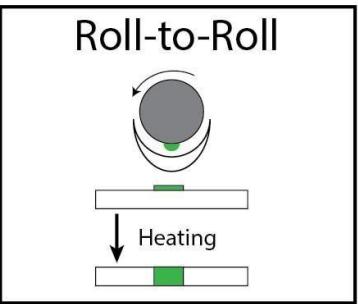
Easiness
Ad hoc masks



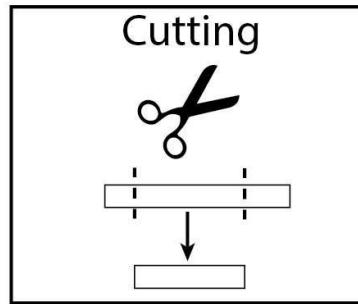
Reduced waste
Expensive printer



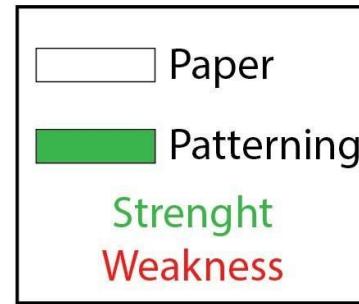
Cheap patterning
Hydrophobized paper



Mass scalable
Too many steps

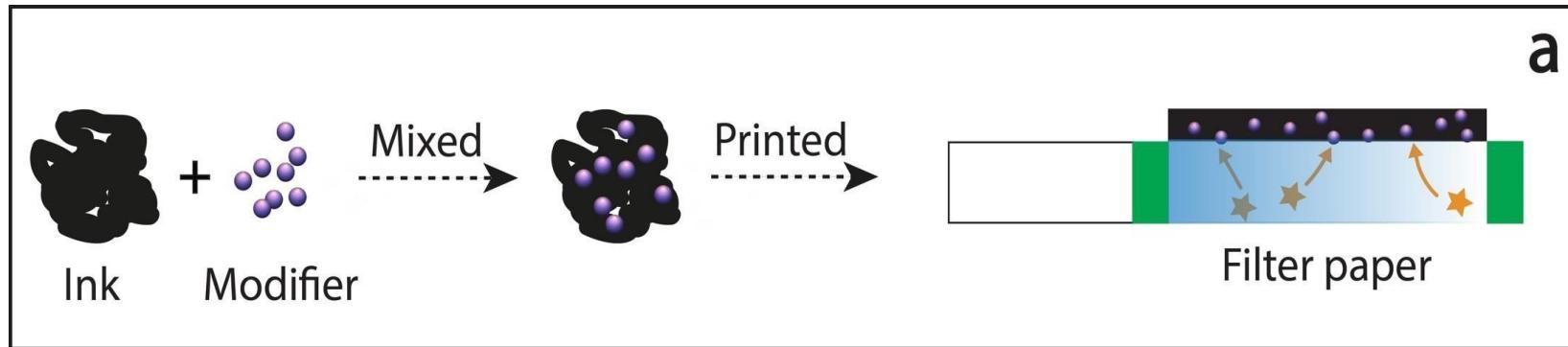


Low-cost
No channels

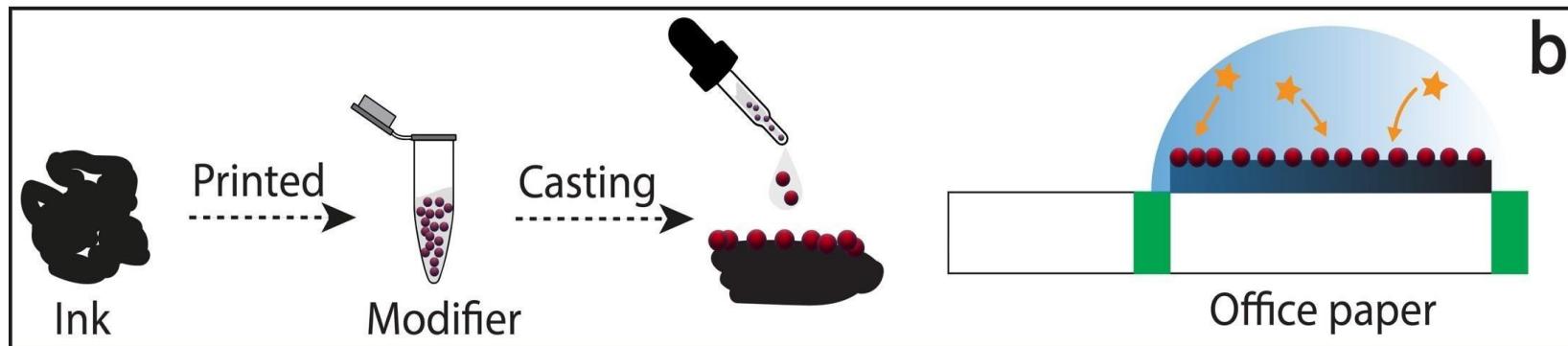


Which E-Paper?

Porous

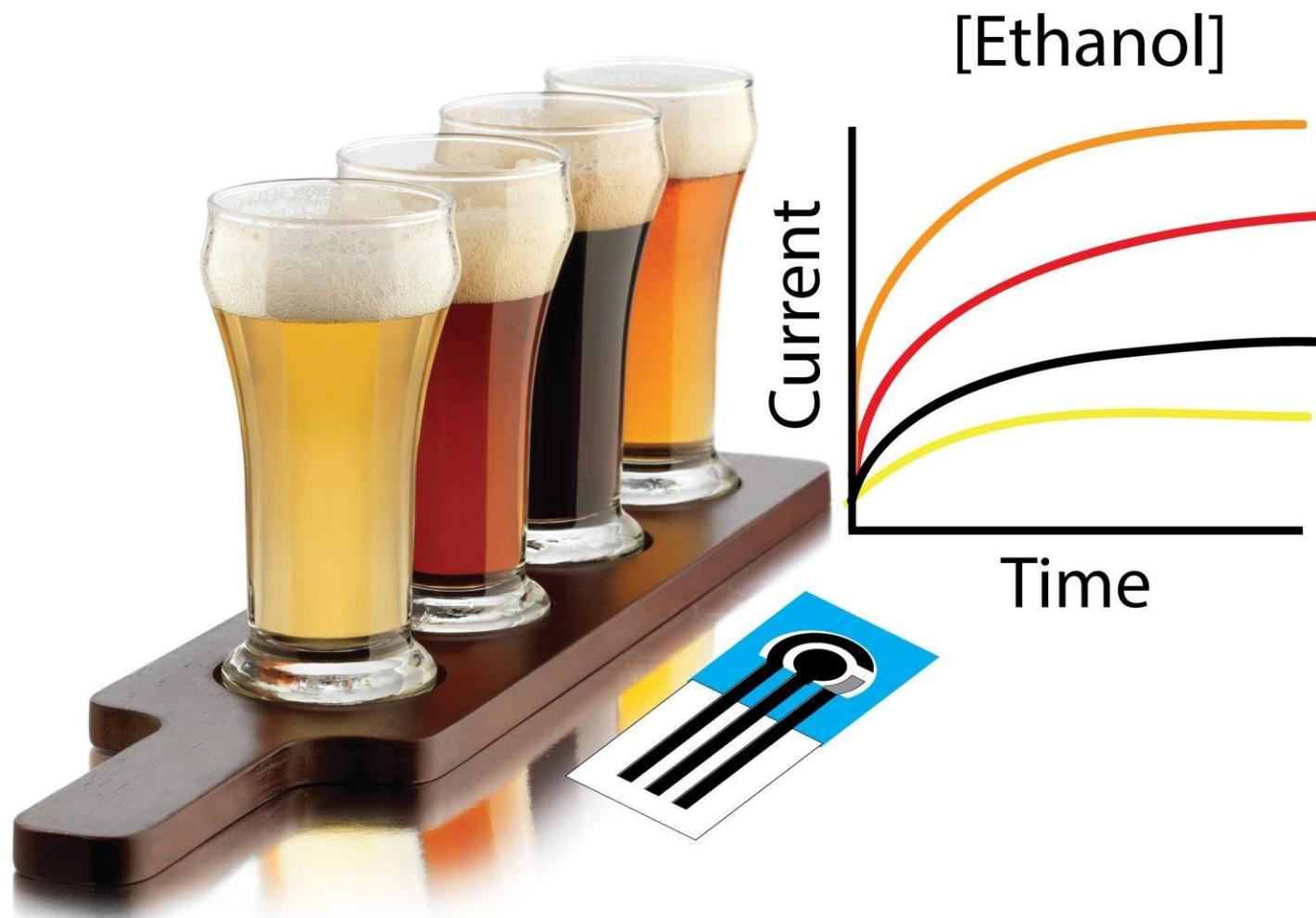


Non porous

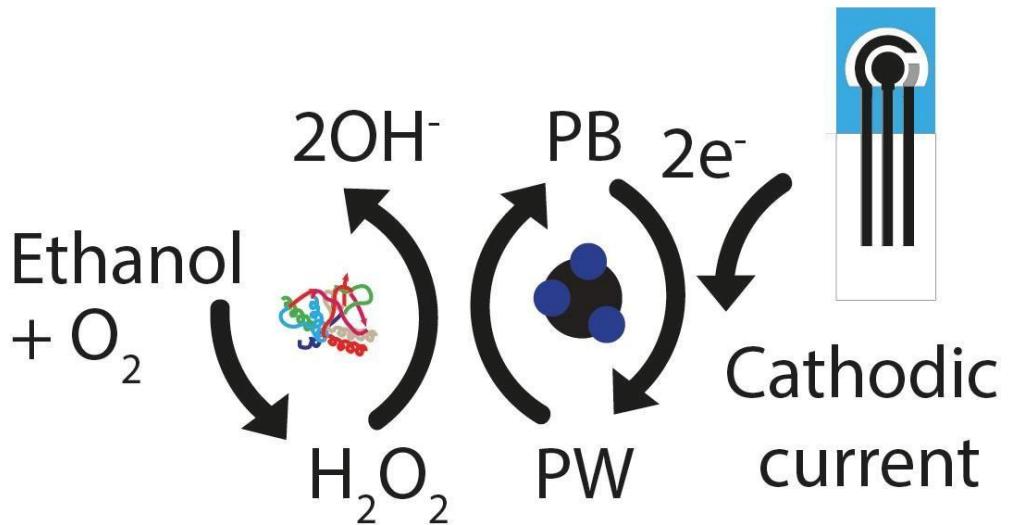


Anyway, paper is the substrate... we need to make these strips ad-hoc

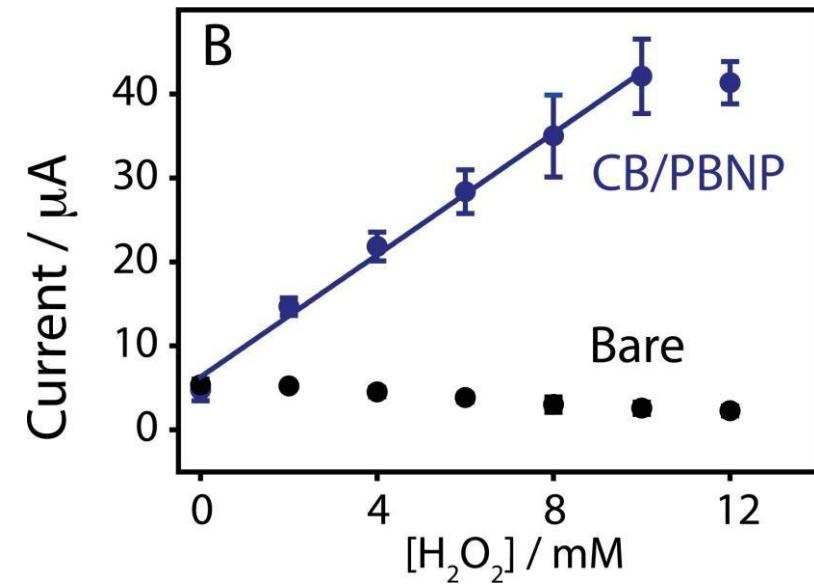
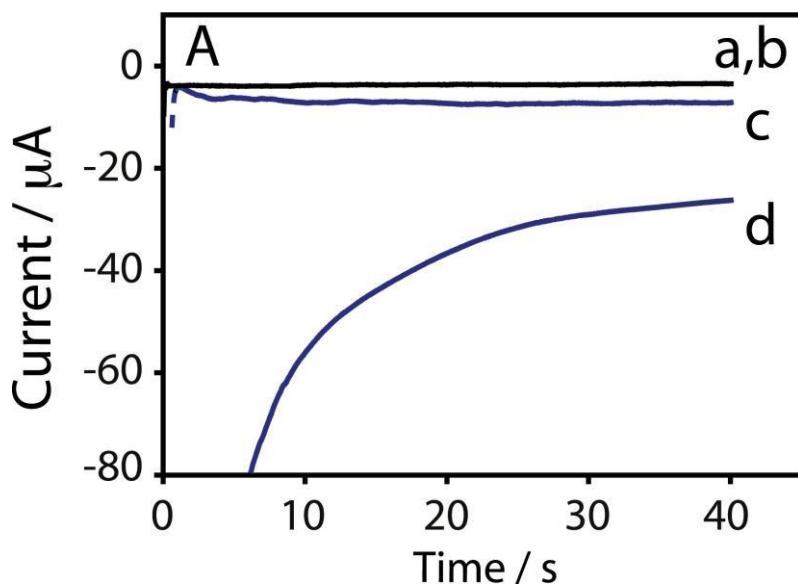
Office paper for ethanol



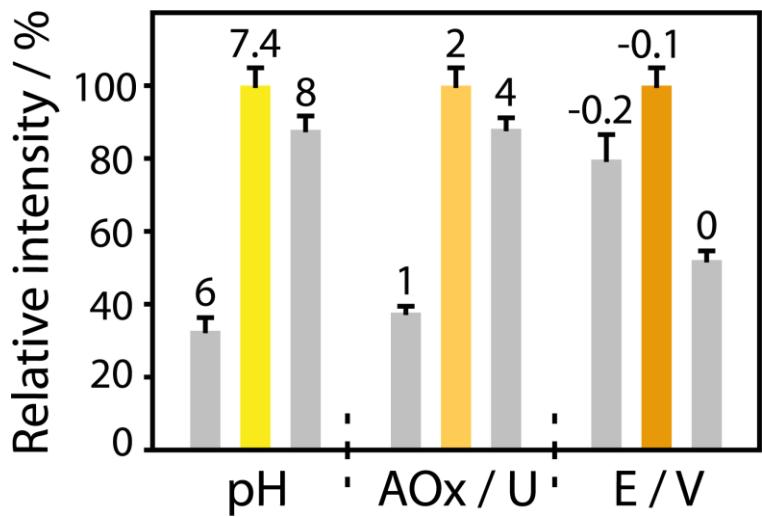
Detection mechanism



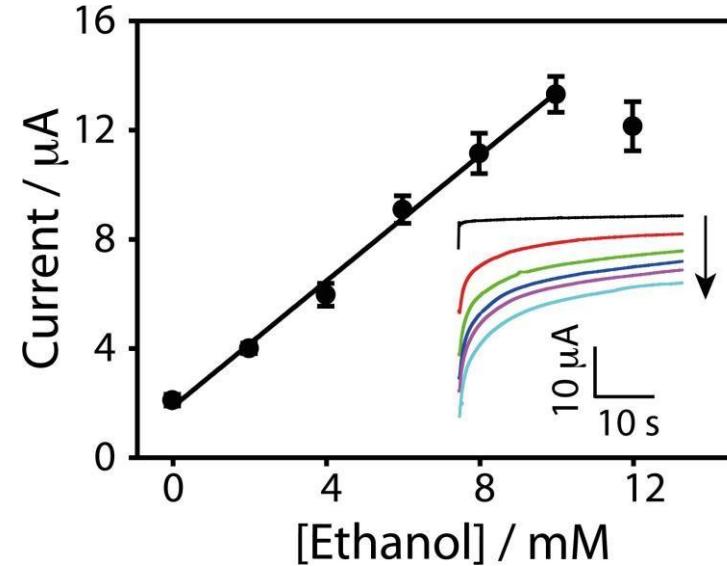
- Office paper
- Carbon Black
- Prussian Blue
- Alcohol oxidase



Optimization



Calibration curve



LOD = 0.5 mM

Linear range up to 10 mM

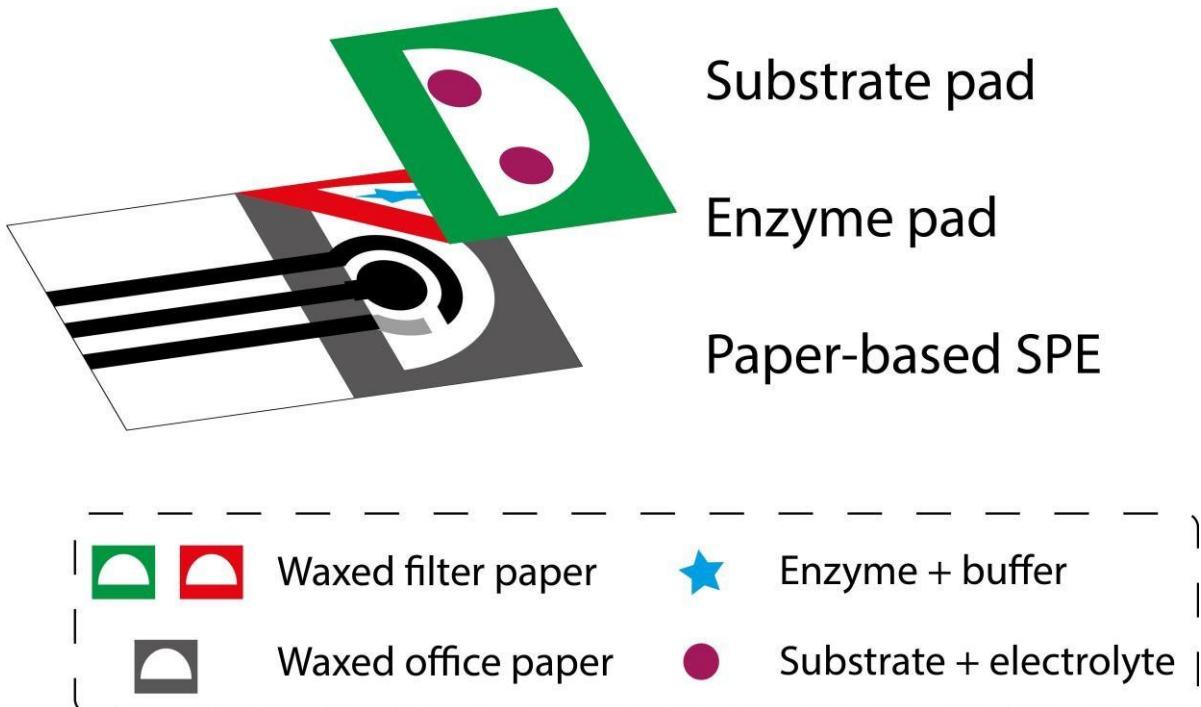
RSD = 8 %

Accordance with label

Detection of ethanol in commercial beers.				
Beer	Lager Best Bräu, Poland	Weiss Franziskaner, Germany	Pilsner Ceres, Denmark	Alcohol free Tourtel, Italy
Label [ethanol]/%vol (M)	4.7% (0.805 M)	5% (0.856 M)	4.6% (0.787 M)	<0.5% (0.086 M)
Found [ethanol]/%vol (M)	4.7 ± 0.4 (0.805 ± 0.075)	5.0 ± 0.4 (0.86 ± 0.07)	4.4 ± 0.2 (0.75 ± 0.04)	0.34 ± 0.03 (0.059 ± 0.004)
RSD/%	9.3	8.1	5.3	6.8

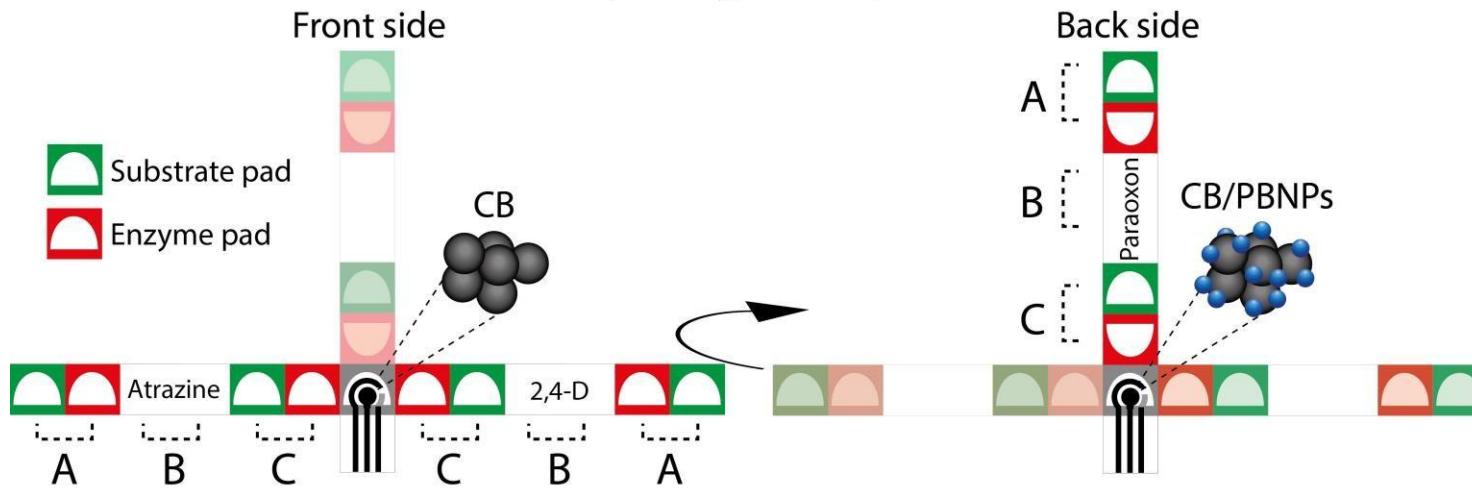
3-D paper origami for pesticides

Filter paper + office paper

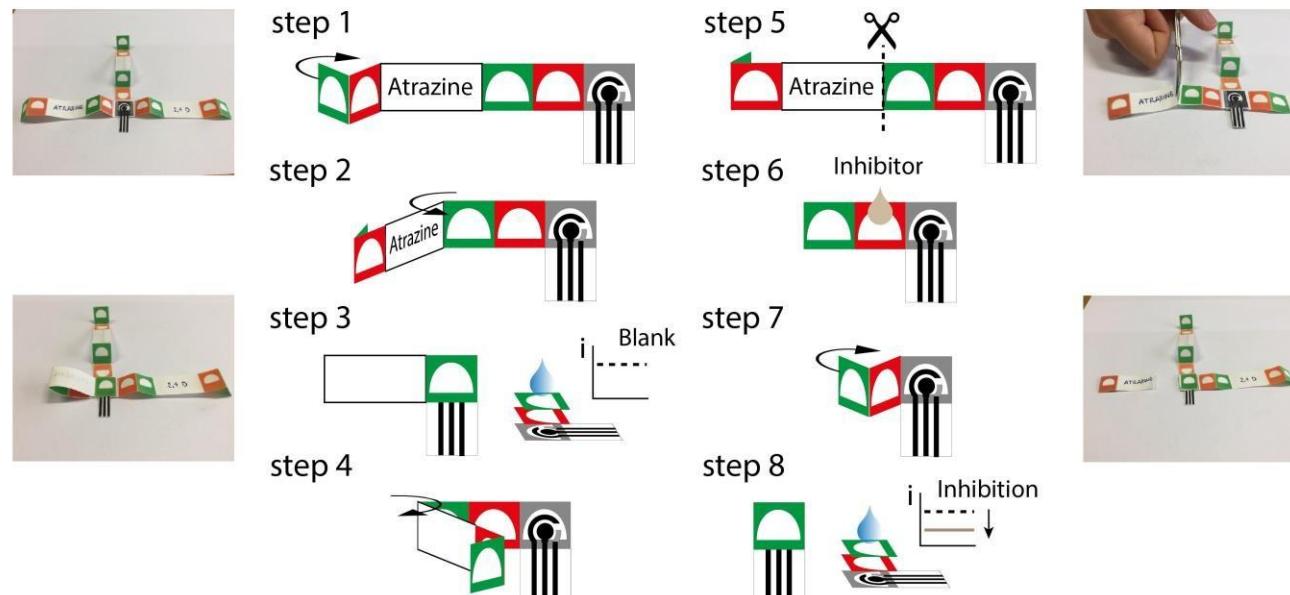


Paraoxon, 2,4-dichlorophenoxyacetic acid, and atrazine by inhibition of butyrylcholinesterase, alkaline phosphatase, and tyrosinase

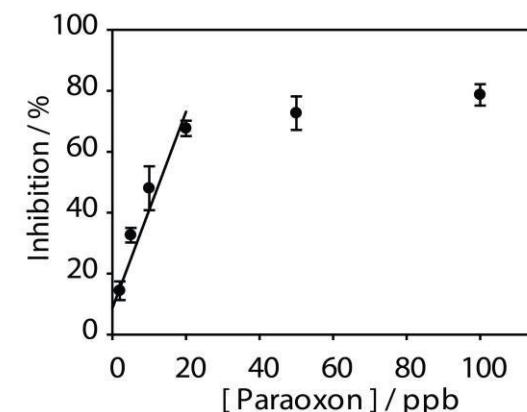
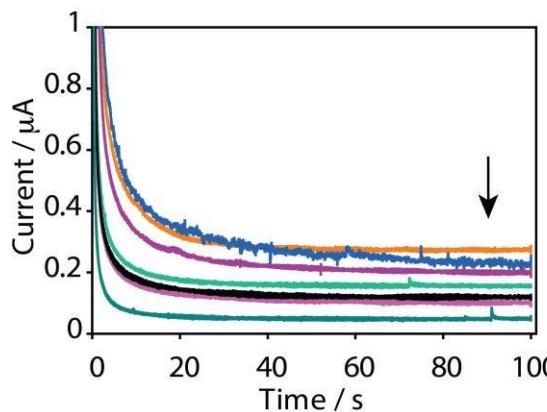
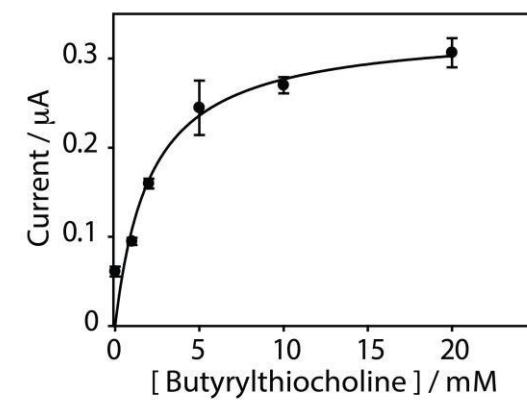
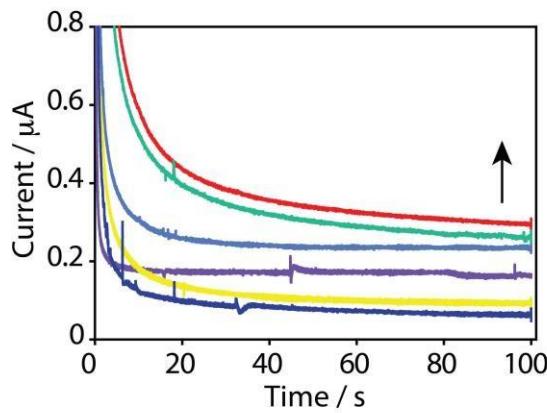
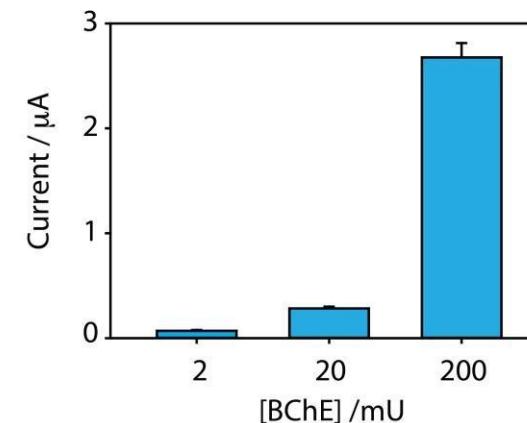
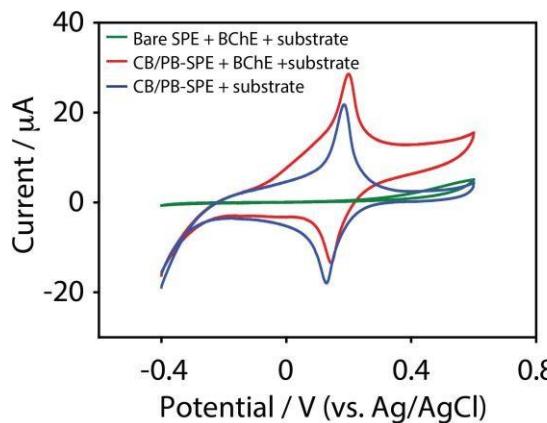
Configuration



Measurements, e.g. Atrazine



E.g. paraoxon detection



LOD = 2 ppb

Linear range up to 30 ppb

RSD = 11%

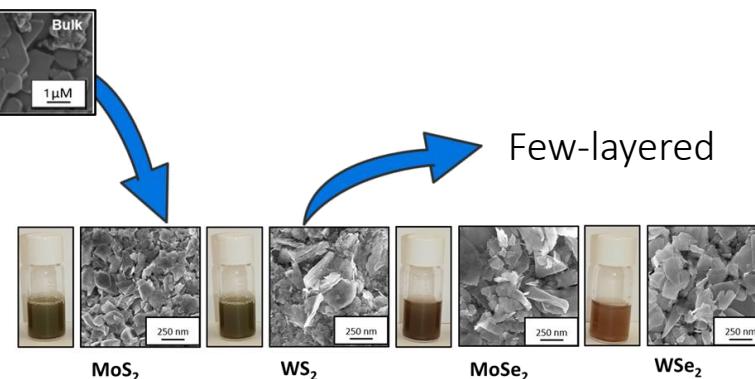
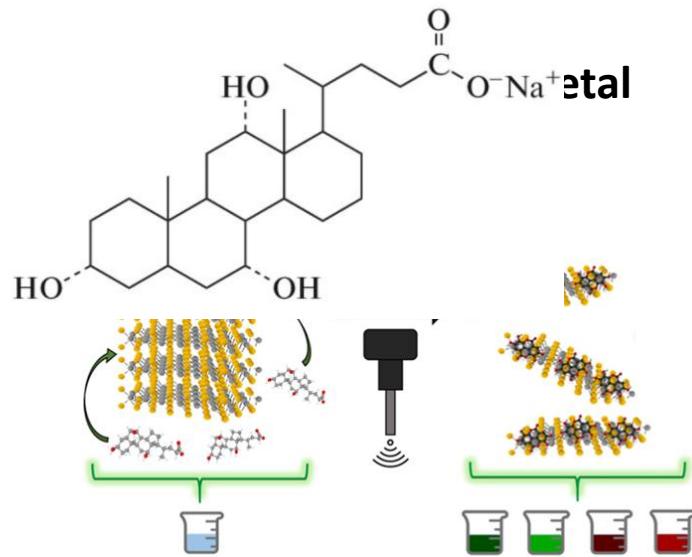
Real sample: River water

Linear up to 30 ppb

**Recoveries: 90 and 88%
(10 and 20 ppb)**

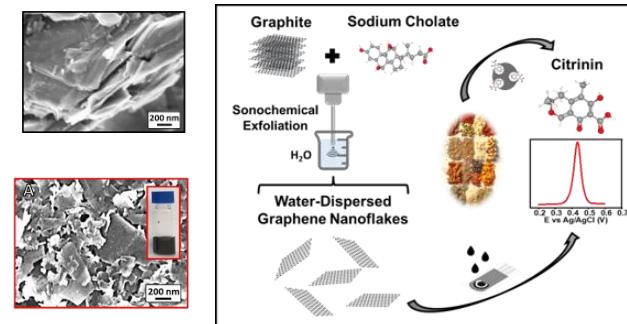
Green and sustainable production of nanomaterials

Sodium cholate as redox-inert exfoliating agent for nanomaterials synthesis/preparation in water



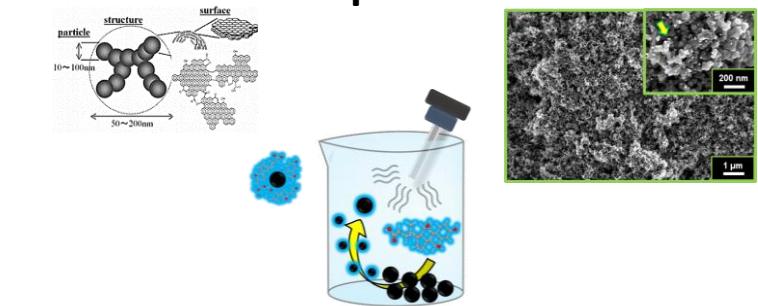
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2D Graphene nanoflakes



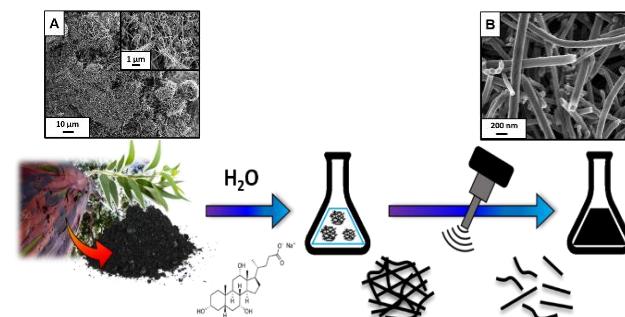
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1D Biochar nanofibers

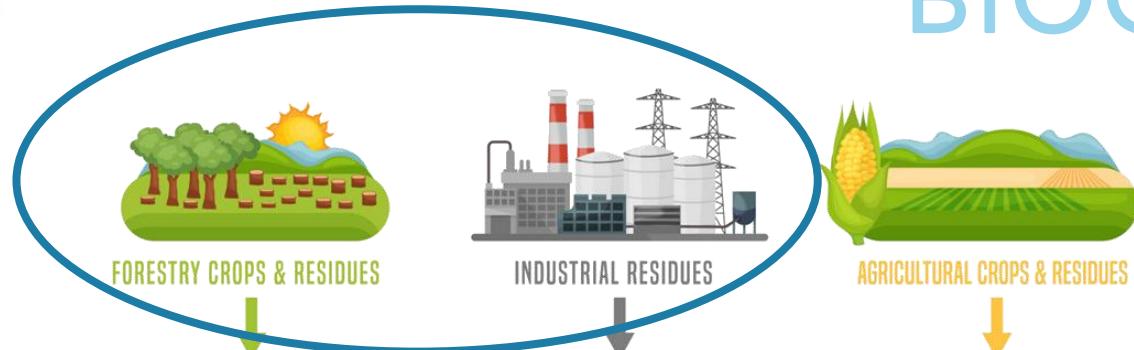


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Sodium cholate as E.A. and S.A.

Effective exfoliation/nanodispersion
NMs easily purifiable
NMs Stable
Low cost
Redox-inert

BIOCHAR



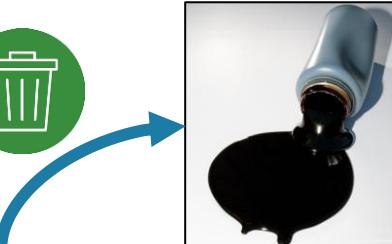
BIOMASS SOURCES



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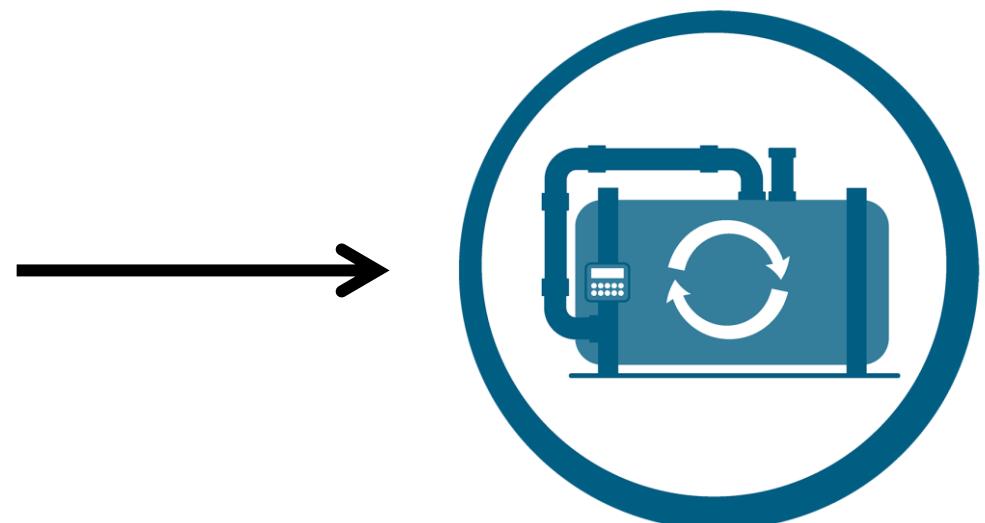


MUNICIPAL SOLID WASTE



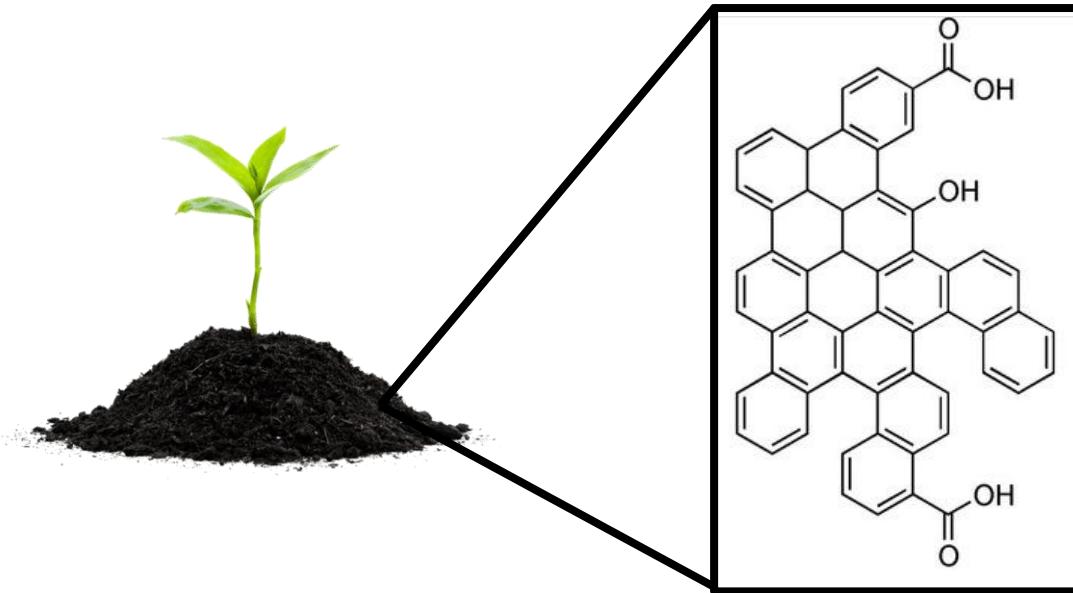
Black liquor

PAPER INDUSTRY

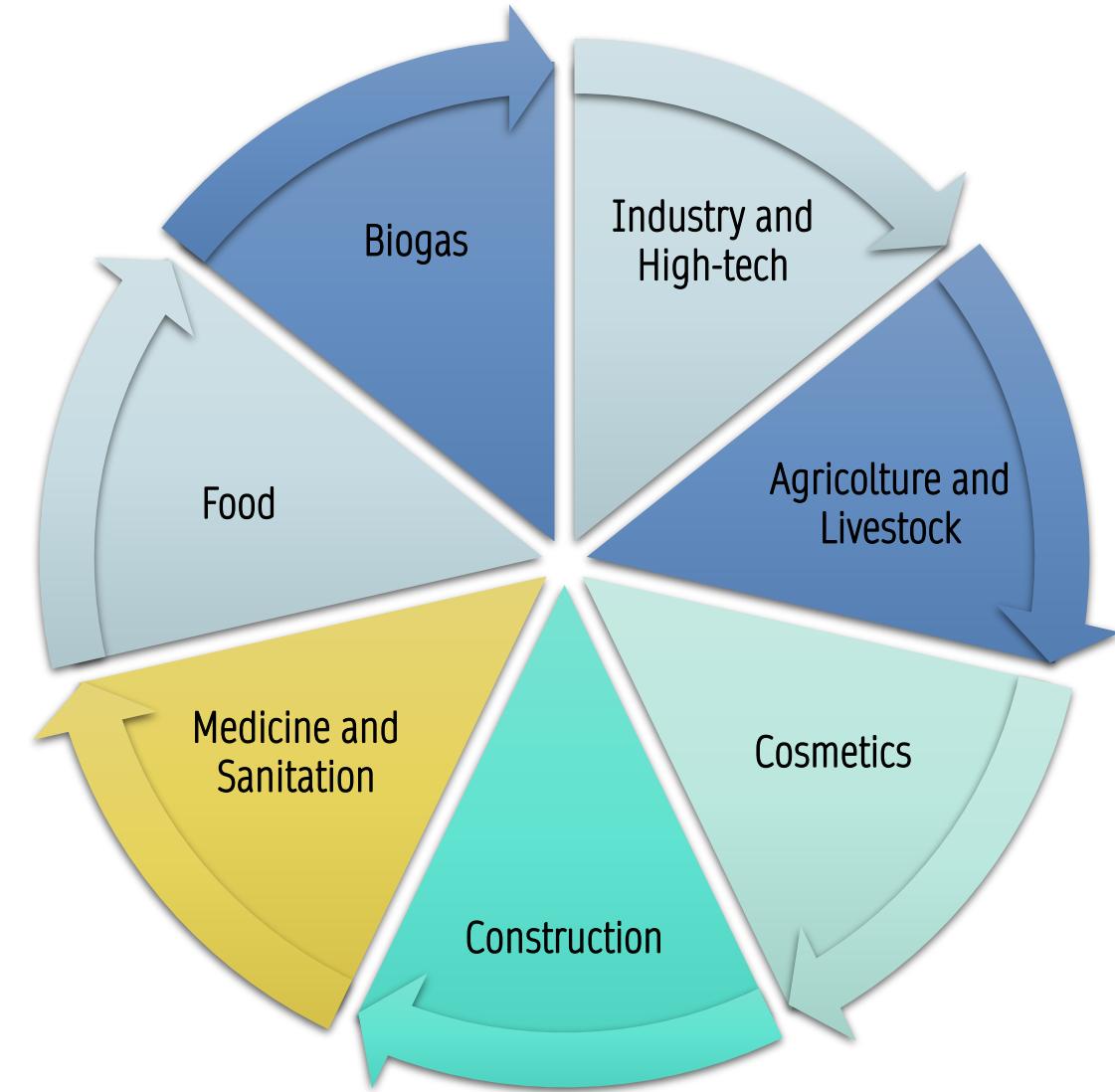


Pyrolysis
controlled temperature and atmosphere

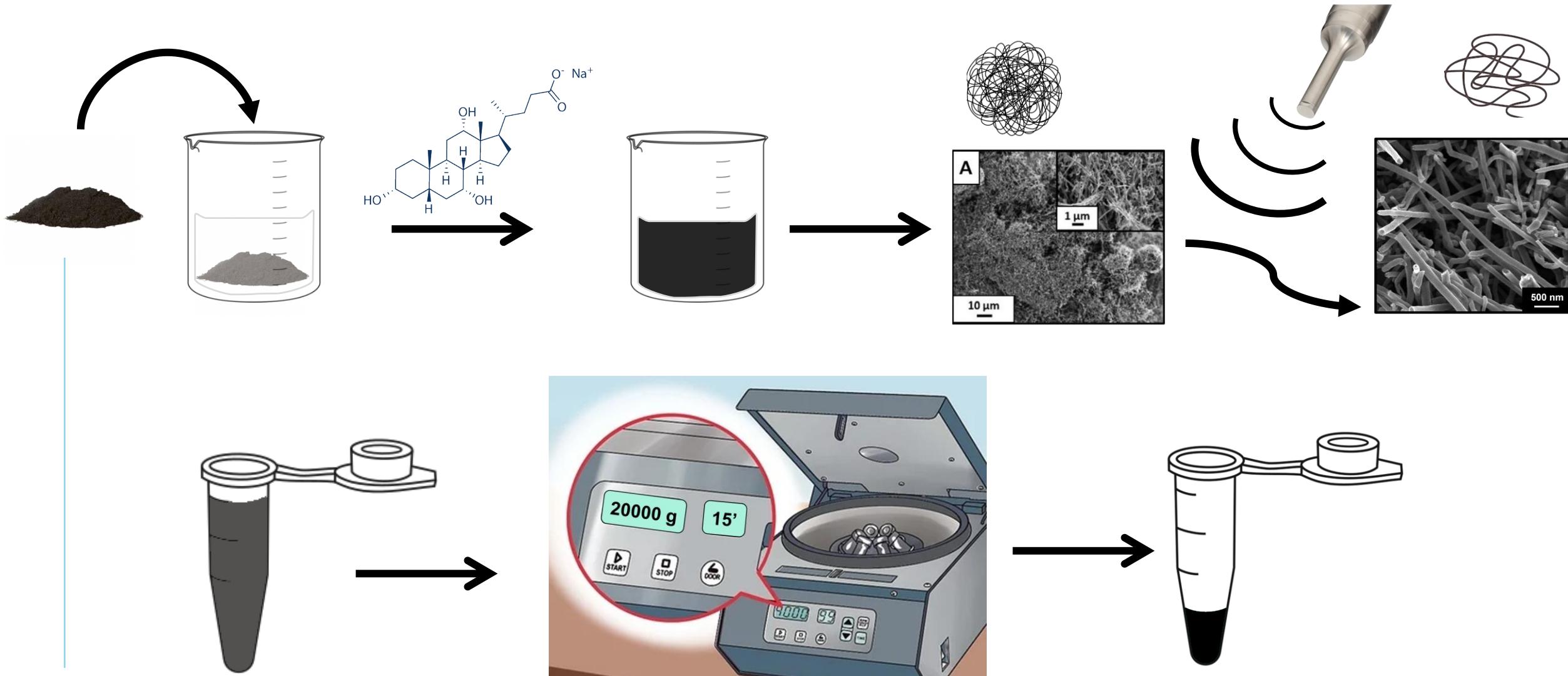
BIOCHAR



- Oxygen-rich functionalization, amorphous carbons, mostly hybridized sp^3 , and crystalline areas with sp^2 graphene-like conjugated carbons
- Large surface area, good stability, and properties similar to those of other carbon-based materials



BIOCHAR: WATER-PHASE ‘EXFOLIATION’



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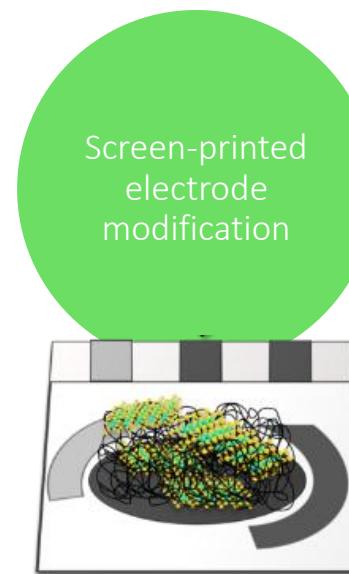


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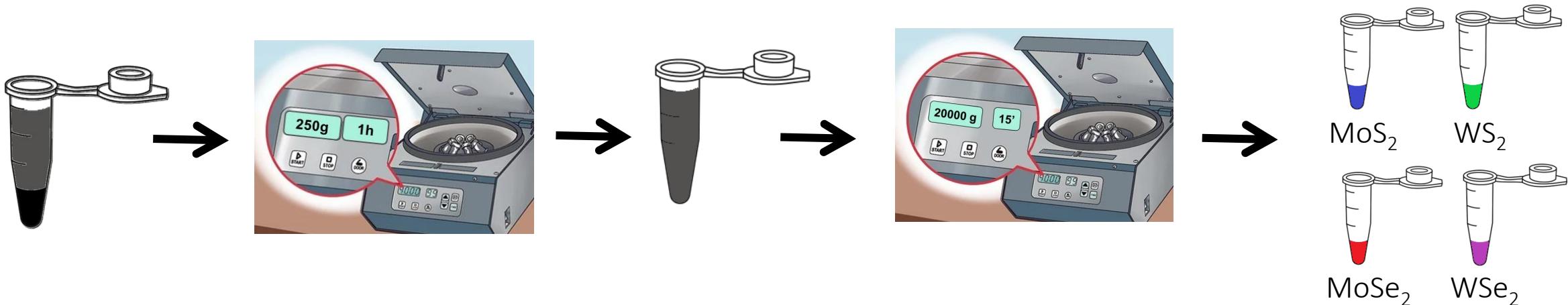
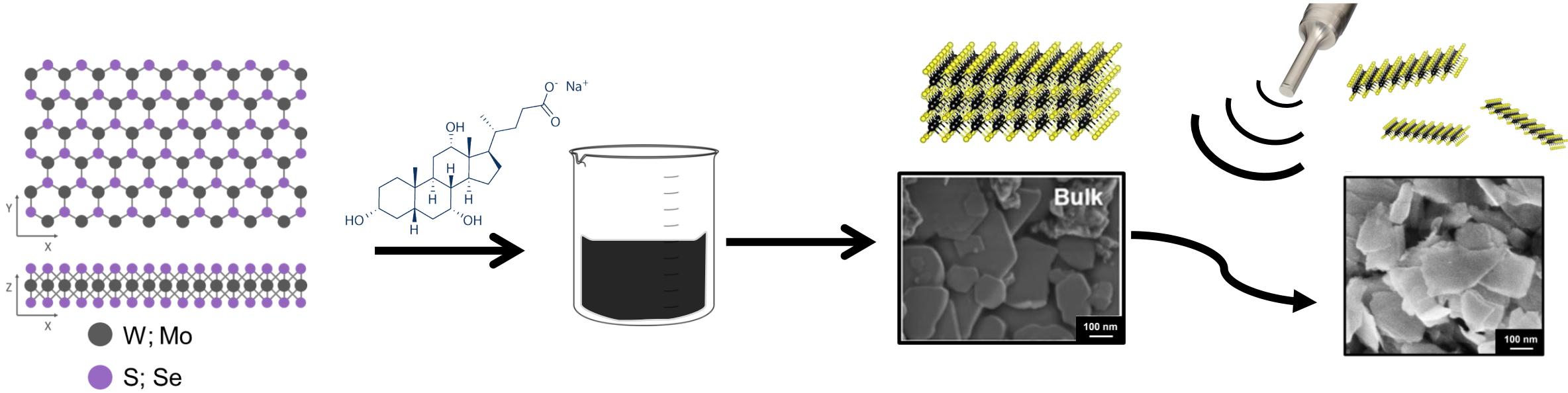


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Serotonin
Quercetin
Rutin

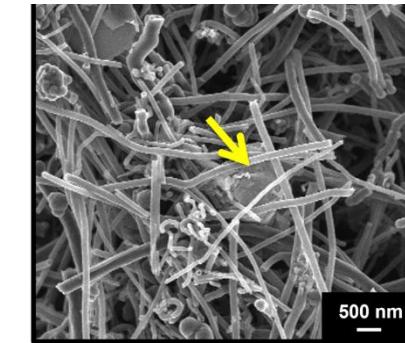
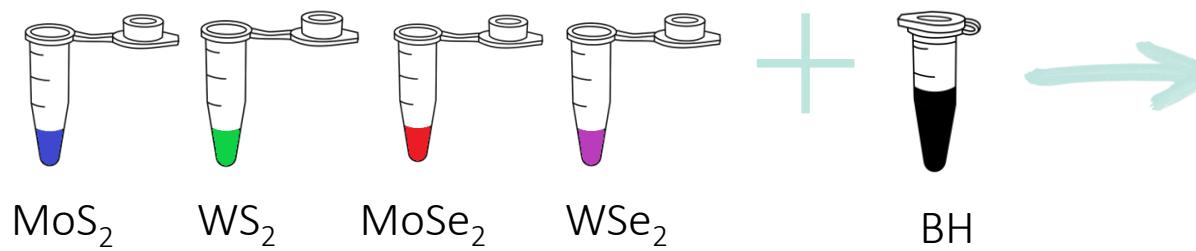
Food supplements, biological fluids and drugs



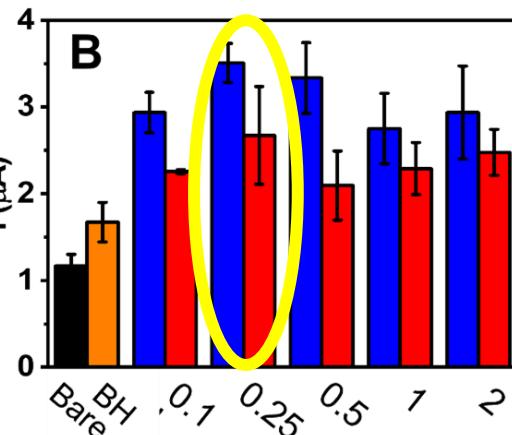
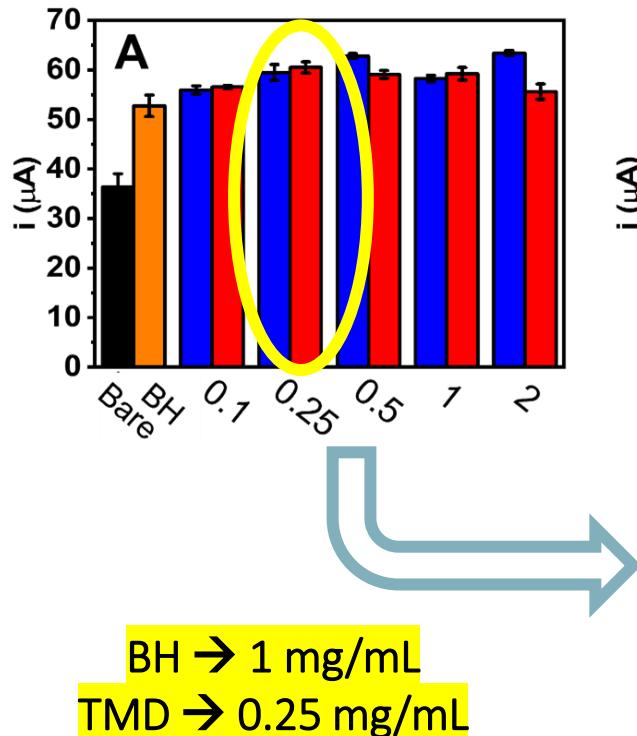
TMD: LIQUID-PHASE EXFOLIATION



Nanocomposites formation

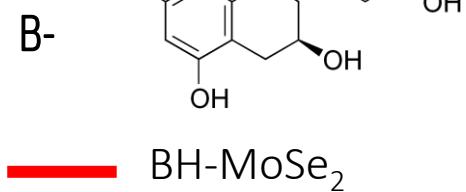
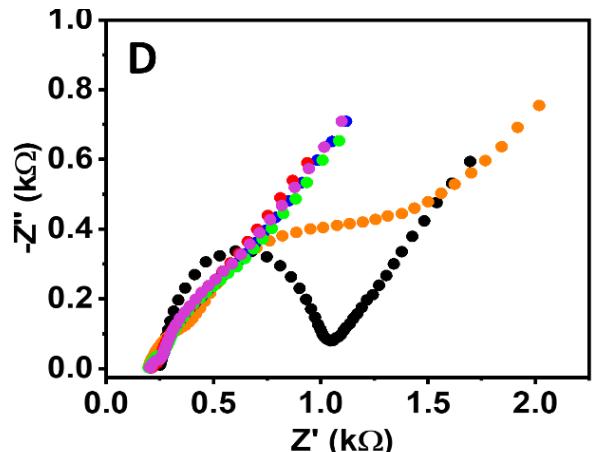
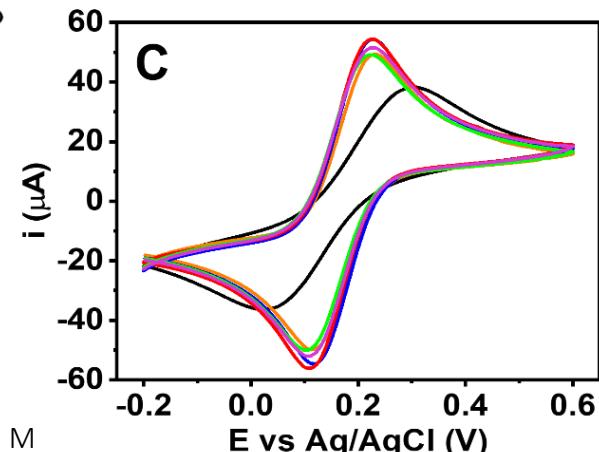


Four BH-TMDs NCs in water used to modify commercial screen-printed electrodes via drop-casting



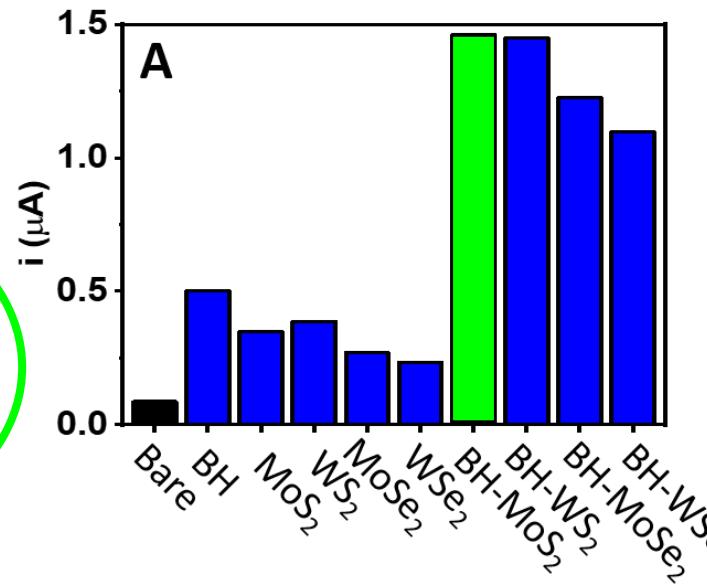
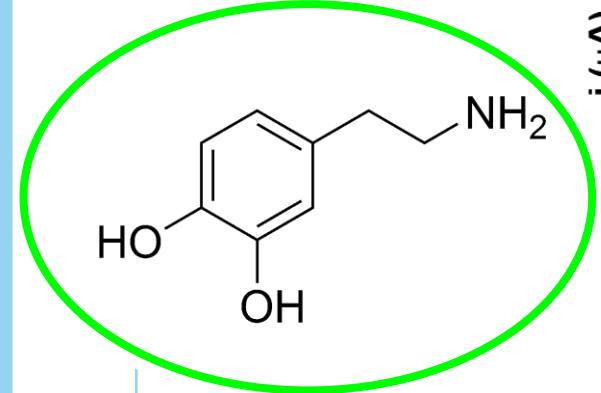
A, C, D- $[Fe(CN)_6]^{3-/4-}$

— BH-MoS₂

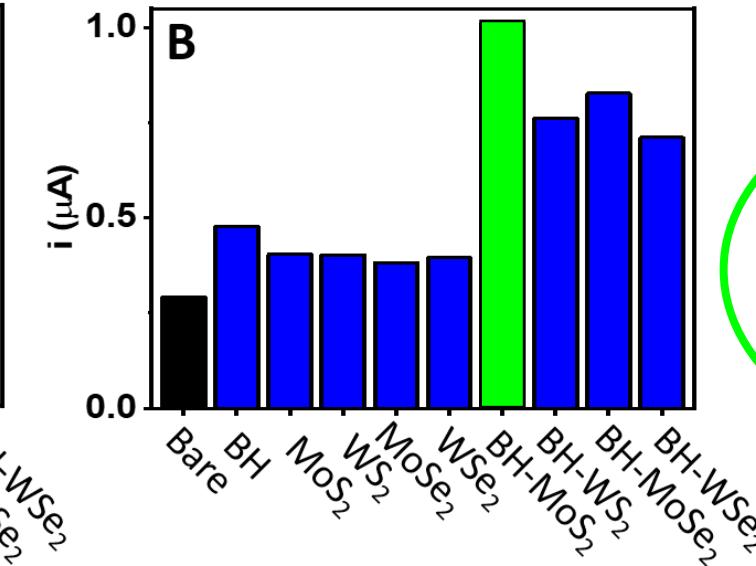
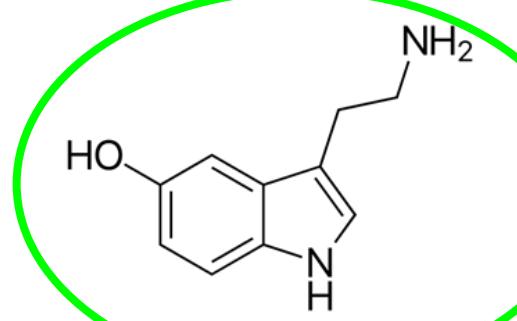


Electrosensing ability

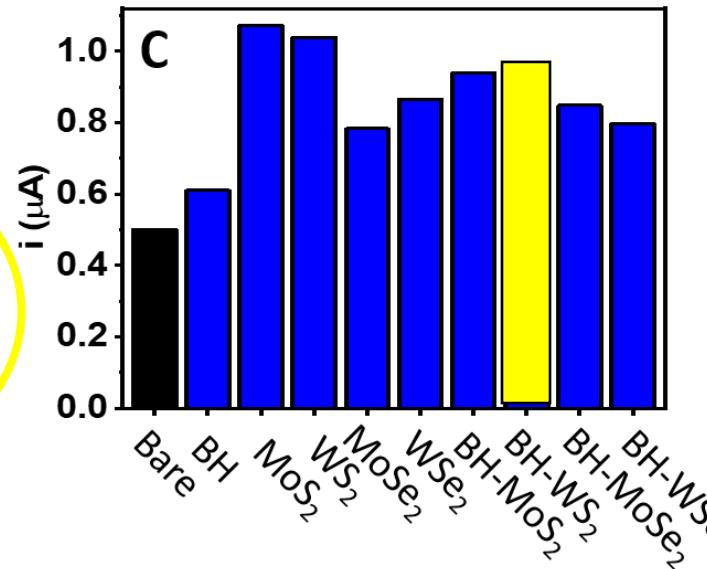
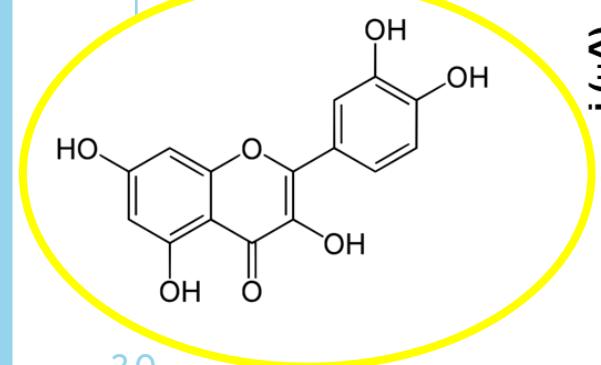
A DOPAMINE 5 μM



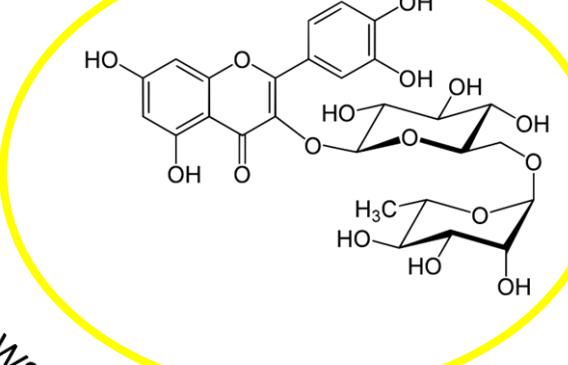
B SEROTONIN 10 μM



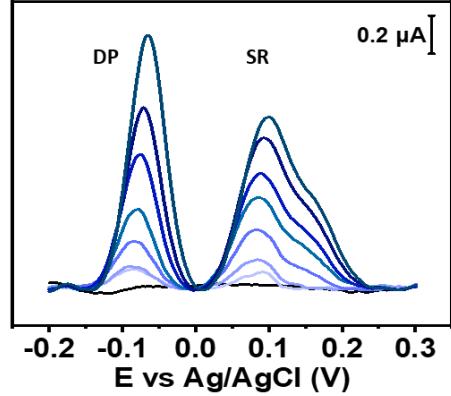
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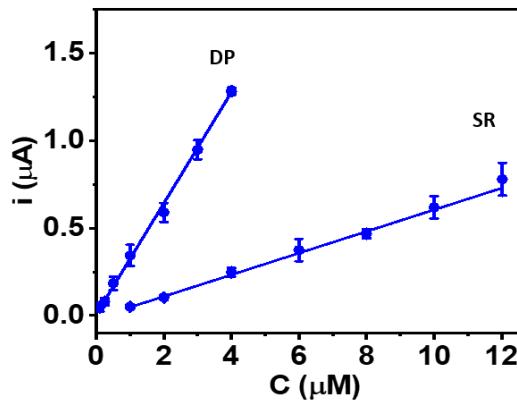
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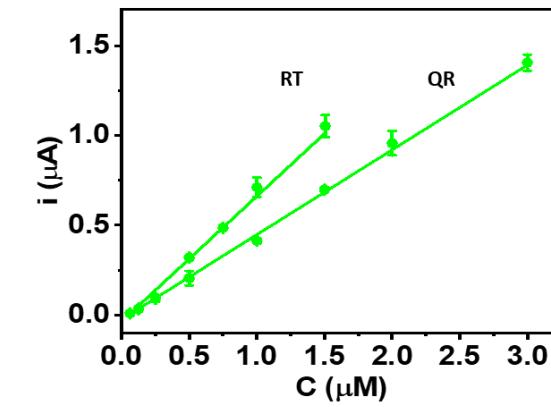
Calibration and sample analysis



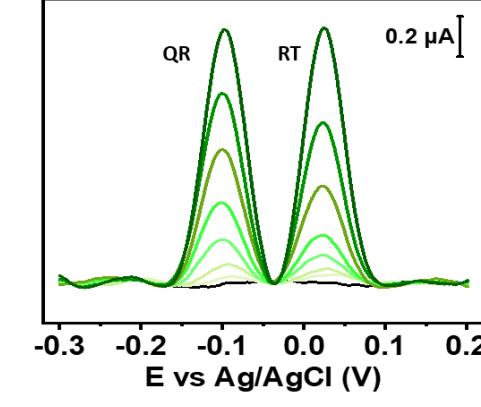
Dopamine
 LOD = 0.02 μM
 L.R. 0.1-4 μM
 RSD \leq 5% (n=3)



Serotonin
 LOD=0.21 μM
 L.R. 1-12 μM
 RSD \leq 5% (n=3)

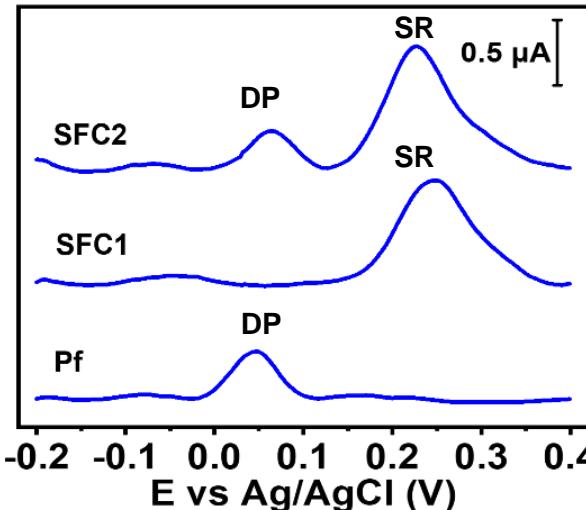
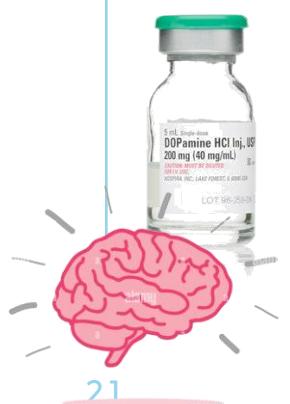


Quercetin
 LOD=0.03 μM
 L.R. 0.12-3 μM
 RSD \leq 4% (n=3)



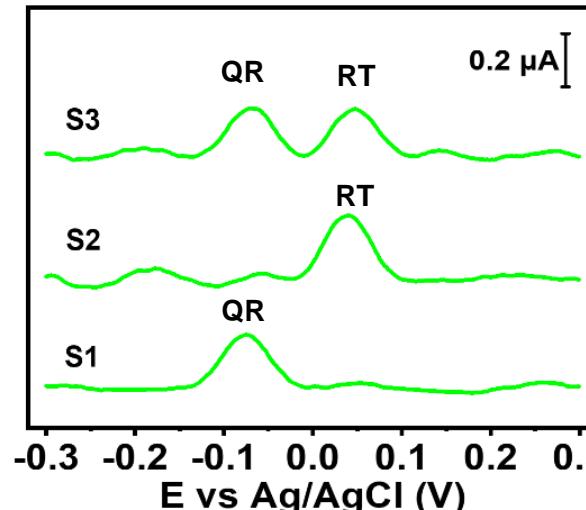
Rutin
 LOD=0.01 μM
 L.R. 0.06-1.5 μM
 RSD \leq 5% (n=3)

BH-MoS₂



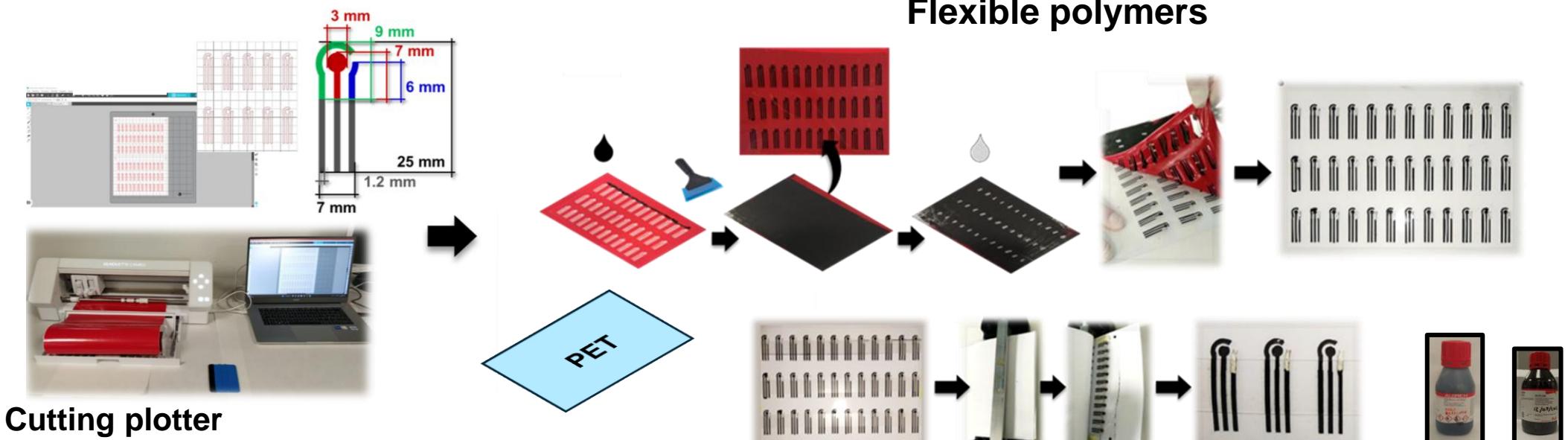
DOPAMINE
 Rec = 90-100%
SEROTONIN
 Rec = 96-102%
QUERCETIN
 Rec = 93-112%
RUTIN
 Rec = 90-102%
 RSD \leq 6% (n=3)

BH-WS₂

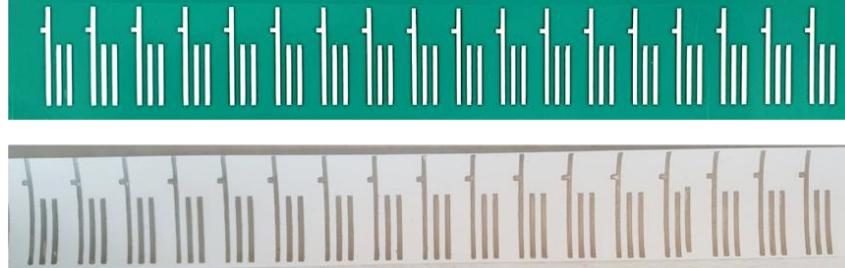


In House Sensors production

Stencil-printing manufacturing



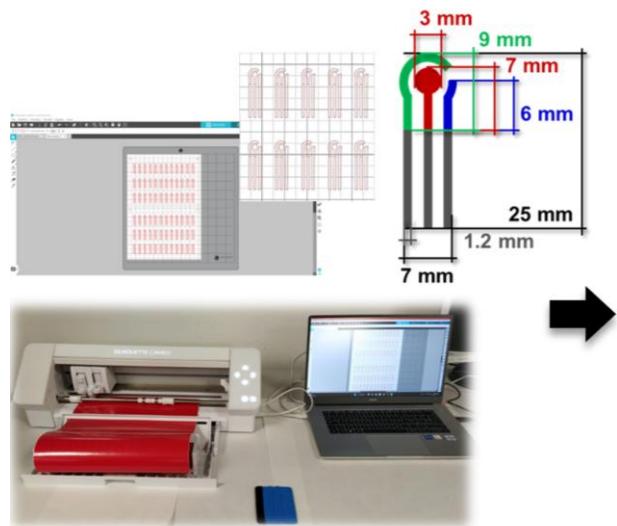
Nitrocellulose



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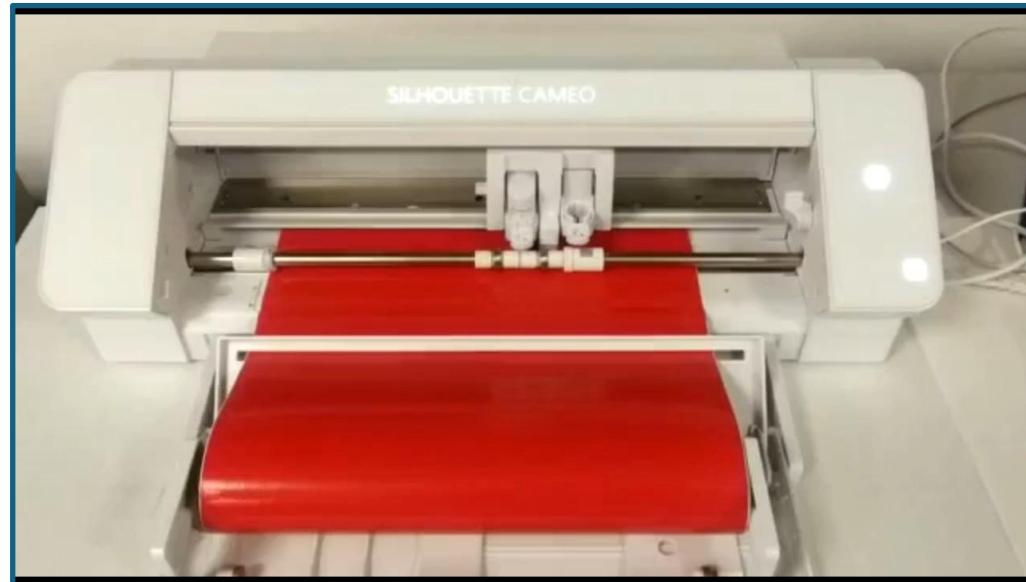


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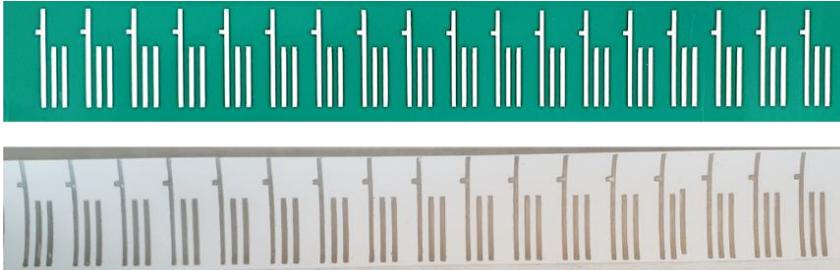


Cutting plotter

Flexible polymers



Nitrocellulose

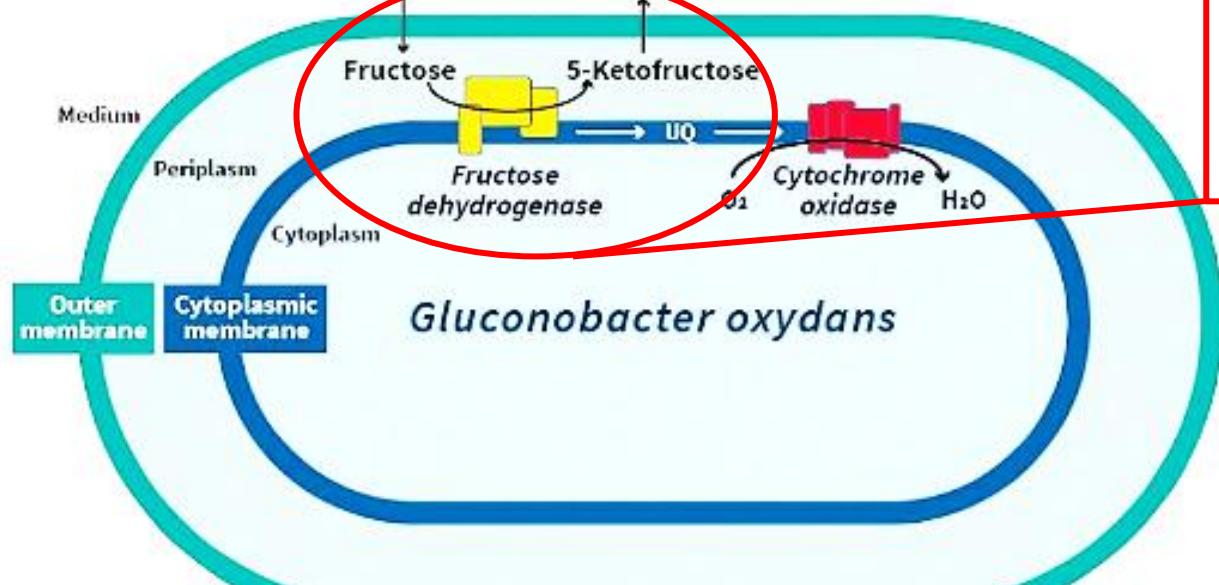


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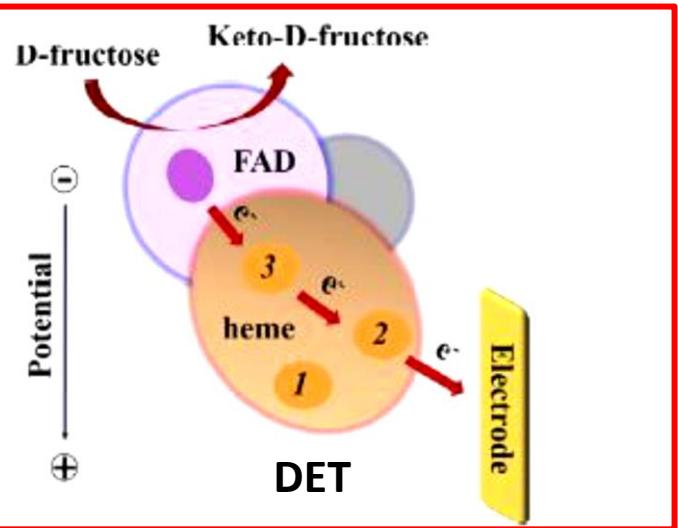


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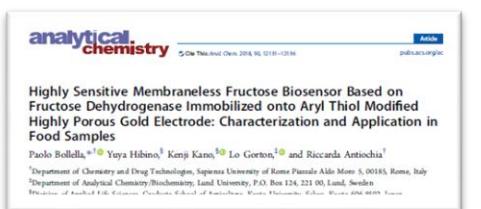
FRUCTOSE DEHYDROGENASE



Gluconobacter japonicus (native type EC 1.1.99.11 from NCBR 3260)



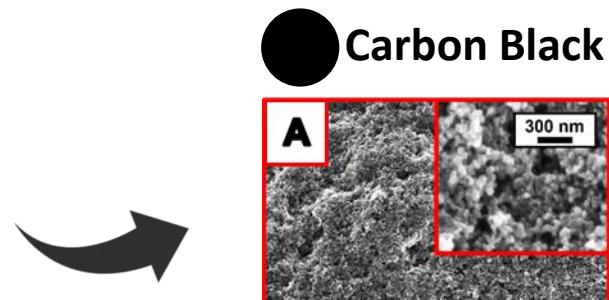
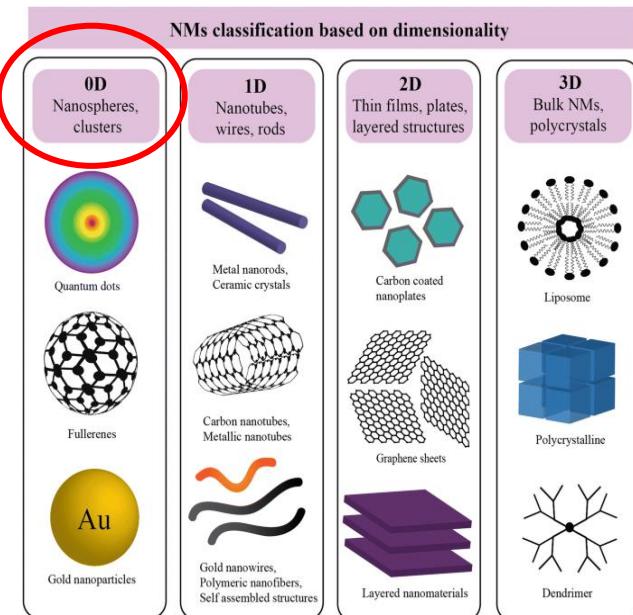
- Control the orientation of the enzyme.
- Spacers, cross-linkers, nanomaterials



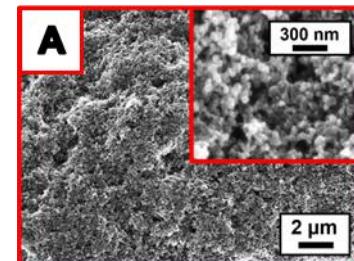
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NANOMATERIALS (NMs)

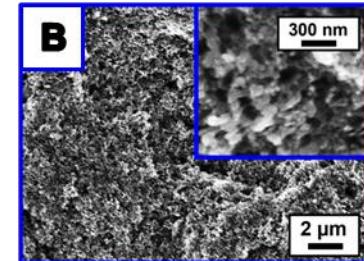
$1 \text{ nm} \leq \text{NMs} \leq 100 \text{ nm}$



Carbon Black

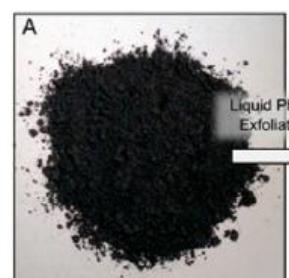


Mesoporous Carbon



LIQUID PHASE EXFOLIATION/DISPERSION (LPE/D)

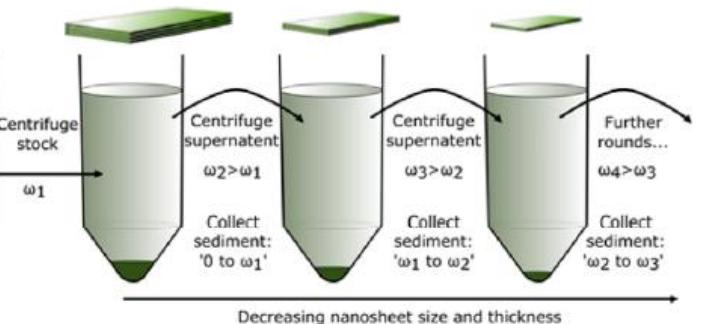
Breaking bulk material interaction



Stabilization: H₂O + Sodium Cholate



Purification



Collect sediment: ' ω_0 to ω_1 '

Collect sediment: ' ω_1 to ω_2 '

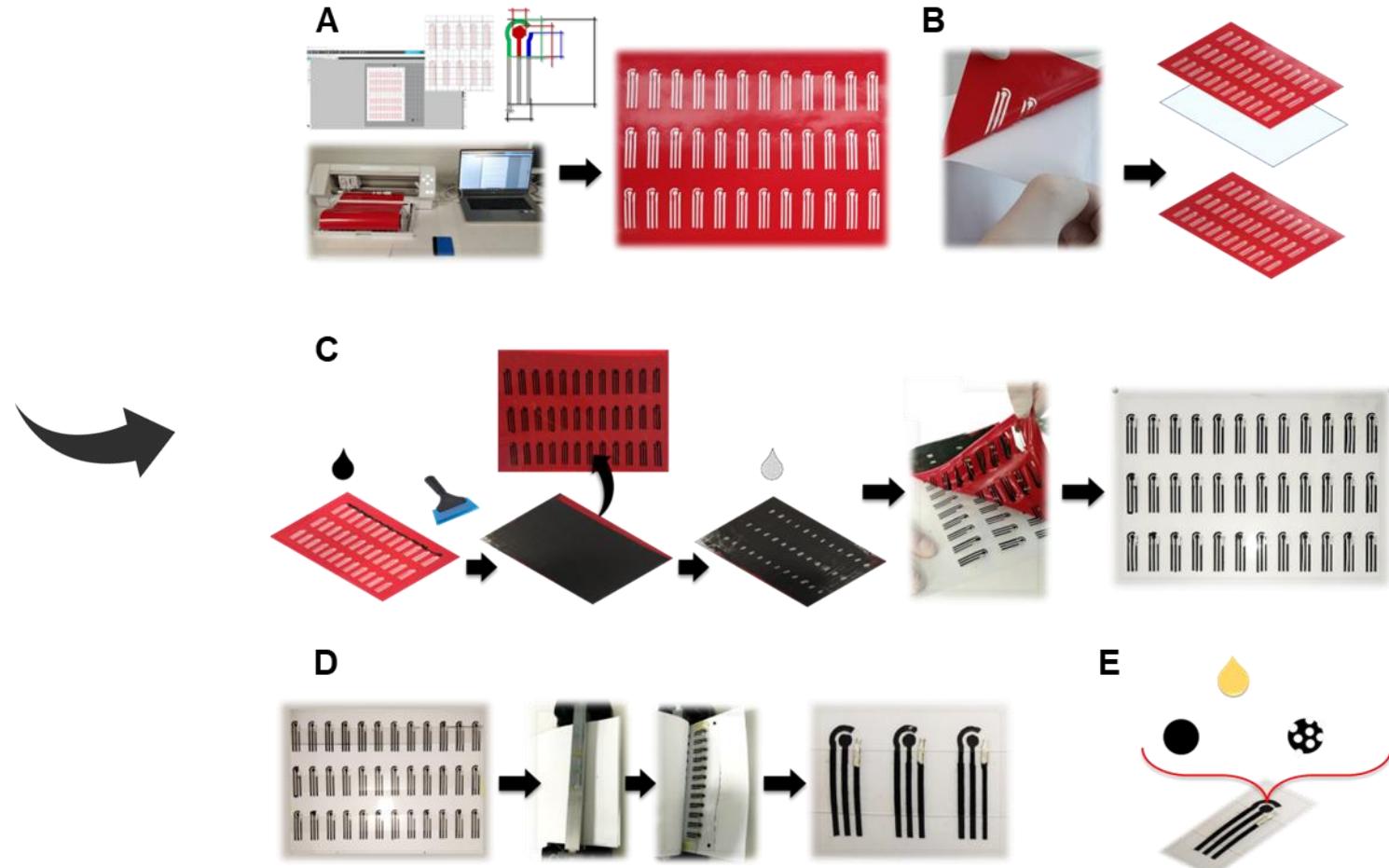
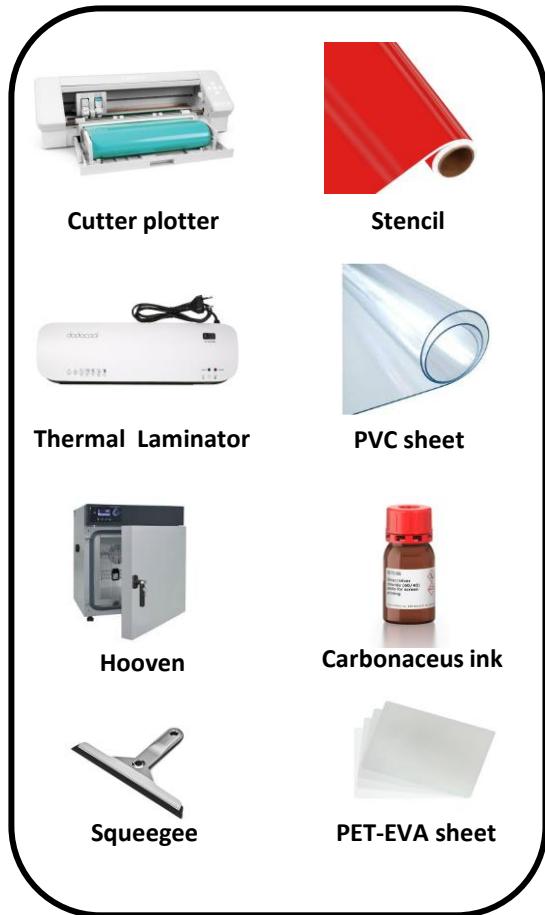
Collect sediment: ' ω_2 to ω_3 '

Collect sediment: ' ω_3 to ω_4 '

Collect sediment: ' ω_4 to ω_5 '

EXPERIMENTAL

SENSORS MANUFACTURING

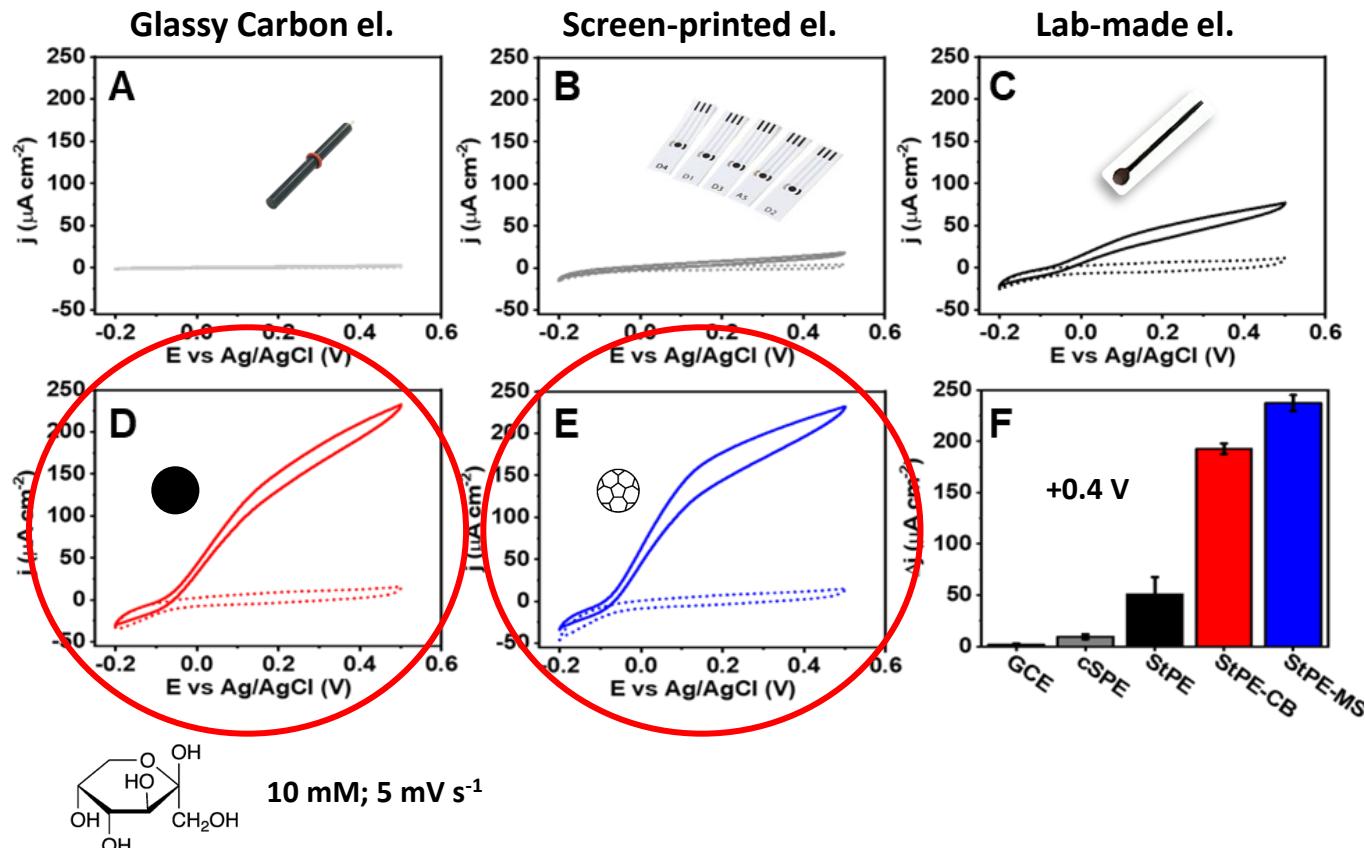


Sketch of the nano-StEPs biosensors manufacturing. (A) Stencil-printing mask design and production via cutting plotter engraving. (B) Stencil-mask peeling-off and alignment onto PVC substrate. (C) Stencil printing of electrode contacts with carbon ink and reference electrodes finalization with silver ink. (D) Electrodes contact insulation by thermal lamination. (E) Biosensor assembling via 0D-NMs and FDH modification.

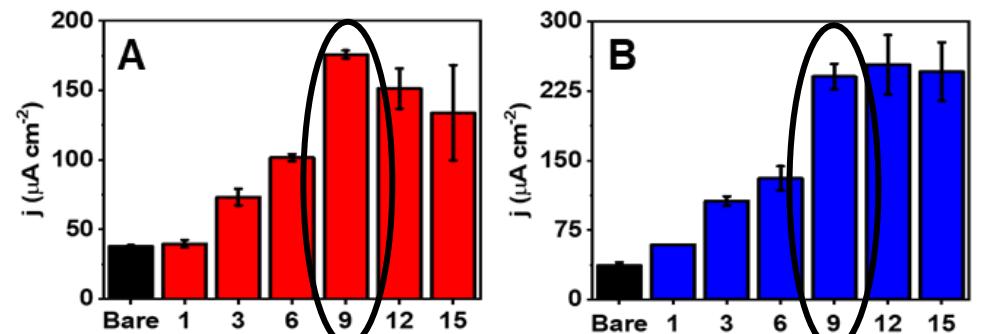
RESULTS

BIOCATALYTIC BEHAVIOR

Sensor comparison



0D-NMs amount optimization

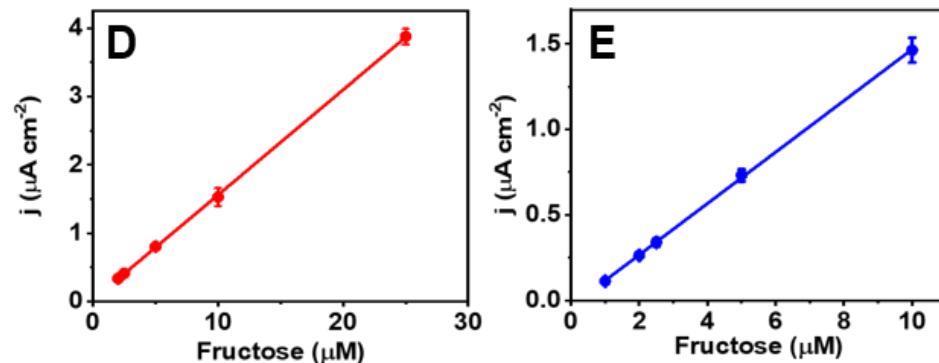
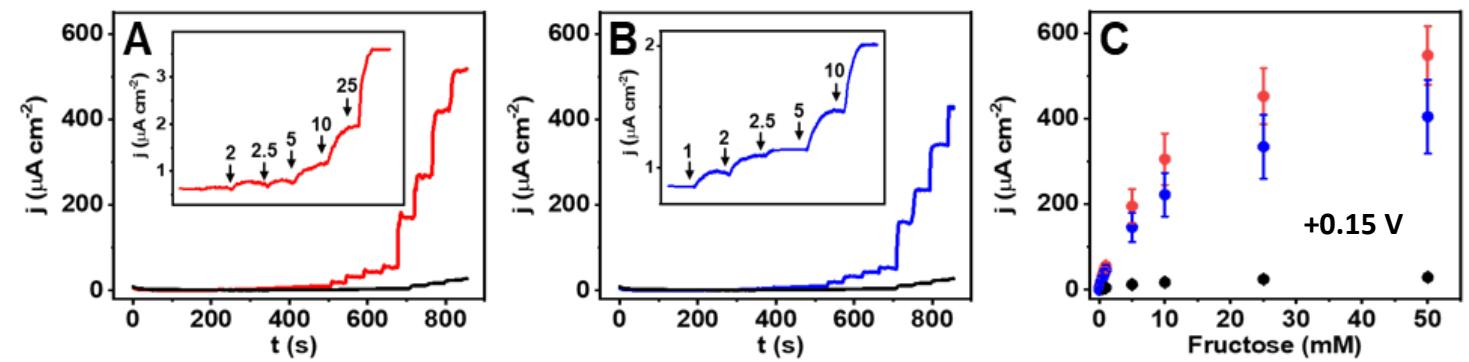


Catalytic current density at +0.4 V for increasing amounts of 0D-nanomaterials

RESULTS

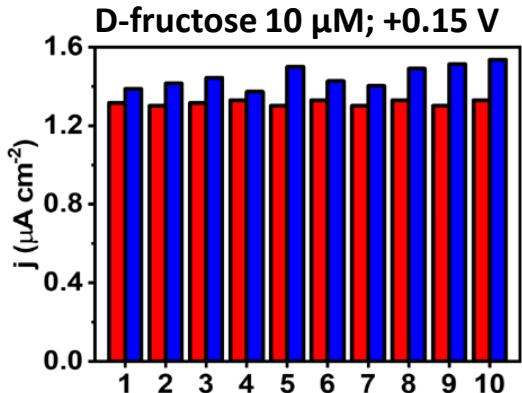
KINETIC AND ANALYTICAL PERFORMANCE

- K_m^{app} → **CB-SC**: 12.14 ± 0.32 mM
MS-SC: 11.87 ± 0.54 mM
- j_{max} → **CB-SC**: 677.1 ± 6.5 $\mu\text{A cm}^{-2}$
MS-SC: 496.5 ± 8.2 $\mu\text{A cm}^{-2}$
- Linear range → **CB-SC**: $1-10$ μM ($R^2=0.999$)
MS-SC: $2-25$ μM ($R^2=0.999$)
- LOD → **CB-SC**: 0.35 μM
MS-SC: 0.16 μM



RESULTS

REPEATABILITY AND REPRODUCIBILITY

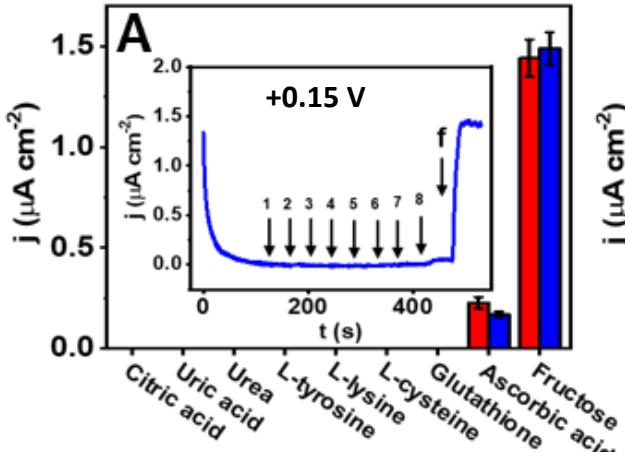


- **CB-SC**: RSD = 1.0 %
- **MS-SC**: RSD = 3.9 %

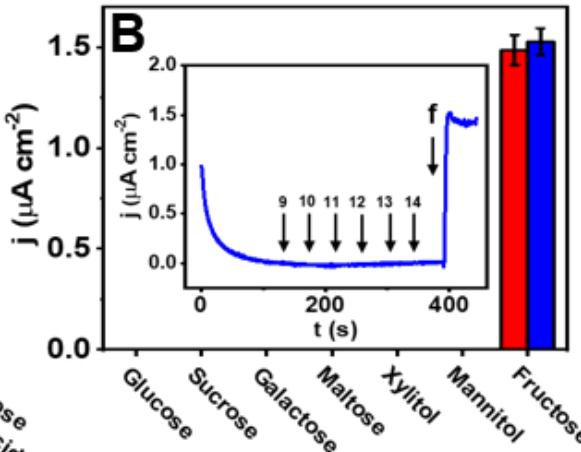
CB-SC slope: $0.153 \pm 0.003 \mu\text{A cm}^{-2} \mu\text{M}^{-1}$, RSD = 1.9 %
MS-SC slope: $0.150 \pm 0.006 \mu\text{A cm}^{-2} \mu\text{M}^{-1}$, RSD = 4.3 %

SELECTIVITY STUDY

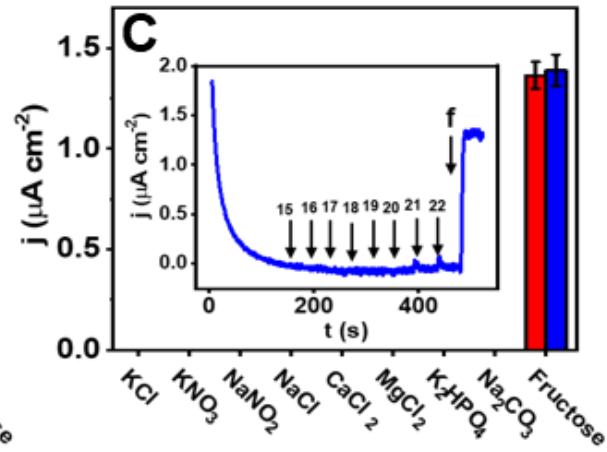
Organic compounds



Sugar



Electrolytes



(A) Organic compounds legend: 1 (100 μM citric acid), 2 (100 μM uric acid), 3 (1 mM urea), 4 (100 μM L-tyrosine), 5 (100 μM L-lysine), 6 (100 μM L-cysteine), 7 (100 μM glutathione), 8 (10 μM ascorbic acid). (B) Monosaccharides and disaccharides legend: 9 (1 mM D-glucose), 10 (1 mM sucrose), 11 (1 mM D-galactose), 12 (1 mM maltose), 13 (1 mM xylitol), 14 (1 mM Mannitol). (C) Electrolytes legend: 15 (1 mM KCl), 16 (1 mM KNO_3), 17 (1 mM NaNO_2), 18 (1 mM NaCl), 19 (1 mM CaCl_2), 20 (1 mM MgCl_2), 21 (1 mM K_2HPO_4), 22 (1 mM Na_2CO_3).

RESULTS

APPLICATION



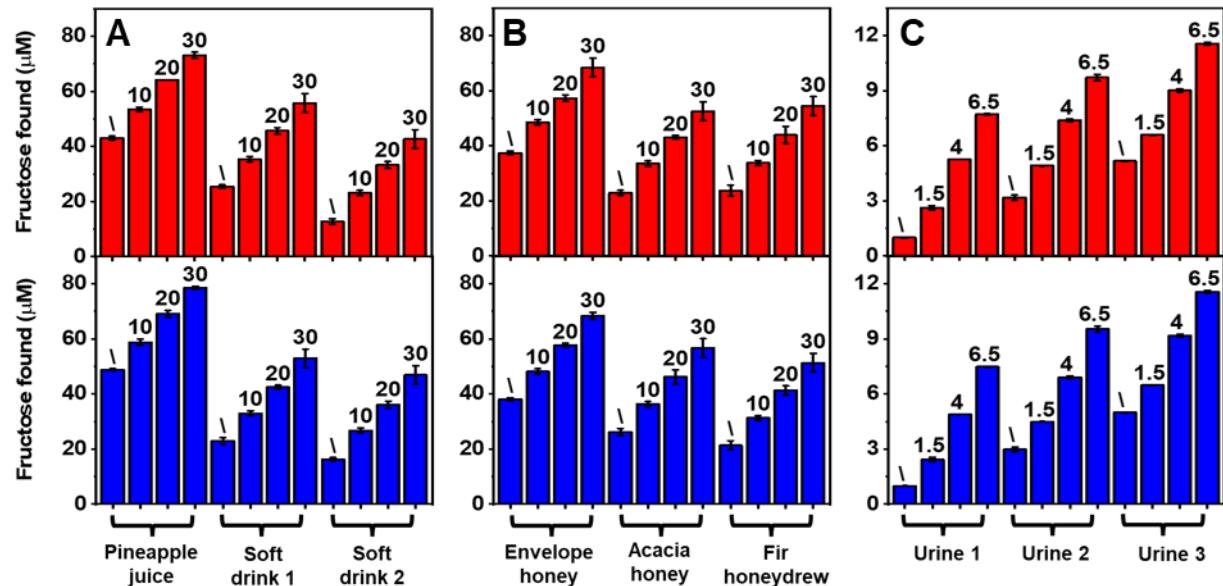
Honey



Beverage



Urine



CB-SC → Rec: 116.1% - 94.9%, RSD \leq 9%

MS-SC → Rec: 105.0% - 95.9%, RSD \leq 8%



FUNCTIONALISED NANOMATERIALS

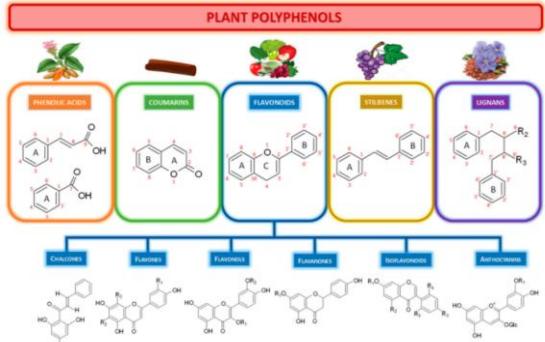
Phenolic compounds as redox-active exfoliating agent for nanomaterials synthesis/preparation in water

What about phenols/polyphenols as stabilizing agents?

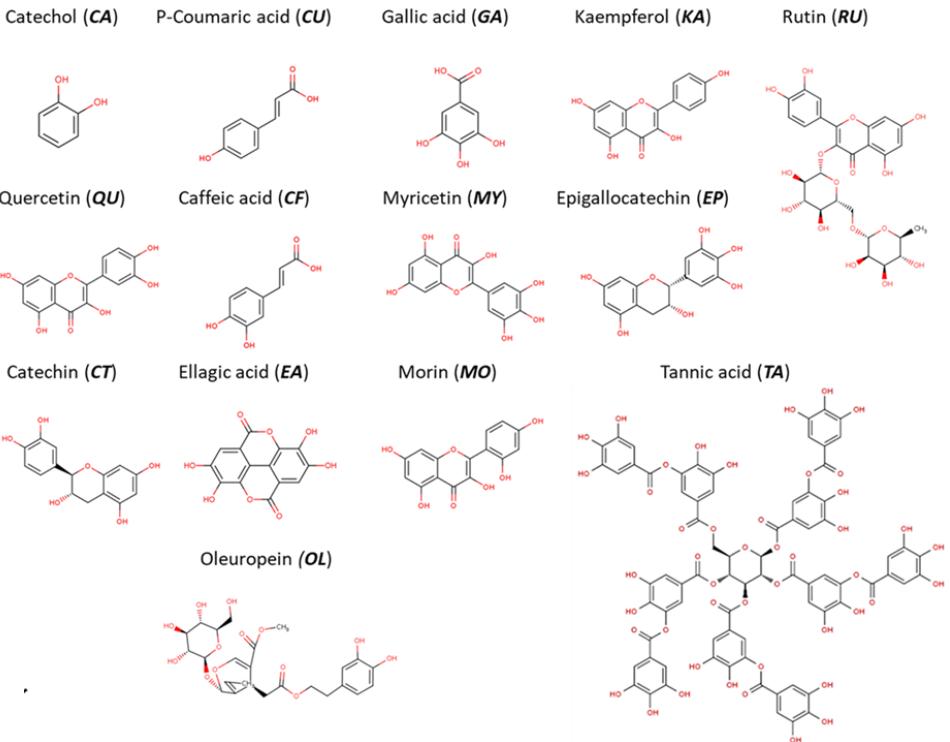


Phytochemicals toward Green (Bio)sensing

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(Poly)phenols investigated



Do they work as stabilizing agents?

Can they confer particular properties to NMSs?



Phenol based redox mediators in electroanalysis

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Phenolic compounds as electron shuttles for sustainable energy utilization

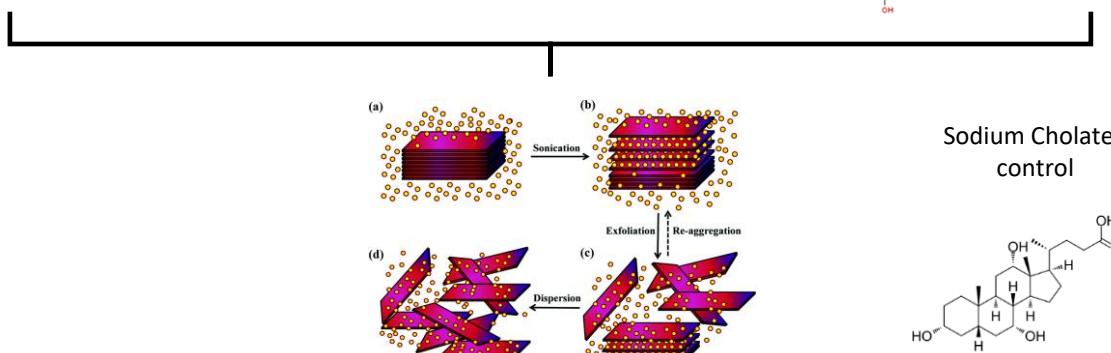
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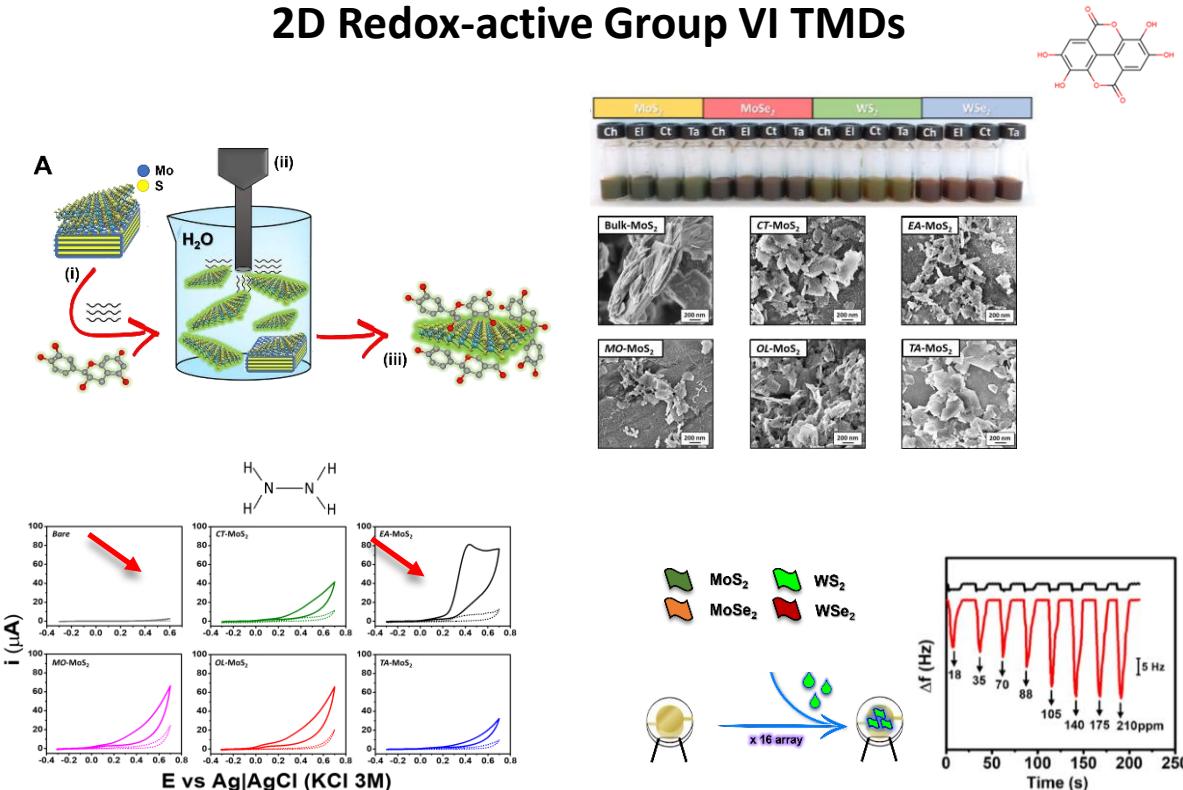
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Biotechnology for Biofuels



Phenolic compounds as redox-active exfoliation agents

2D Redox-active Group VI TMDs



Hydrazine

Dashed line: PPs-MoS₂ 0.1 M PB (pH 7);
 Solid line: PPs-MoS₂ in presence of 5 mM of N₂H₄;
 Scan rate: 25 mV s⁻¹;

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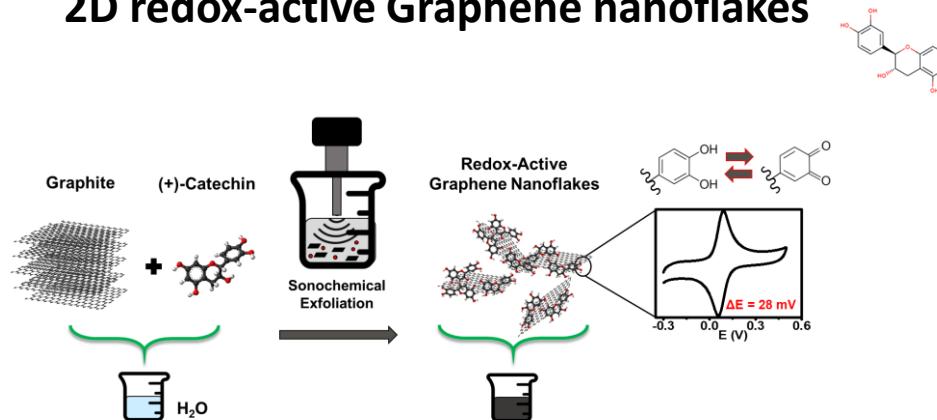
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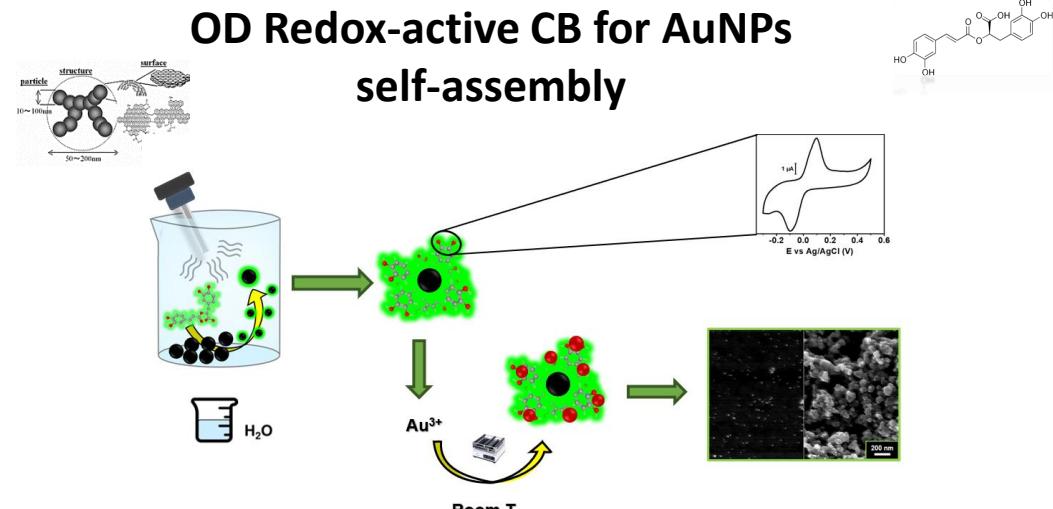
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2D redox-active Graphene nanoflakes



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OD Redox-active CB for AuNPs self-assembly



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An electronic nose based on 2D group VI transition metal dichalcogenides/organic compounds sensor array

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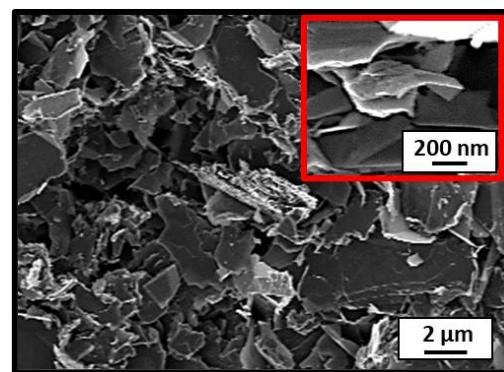
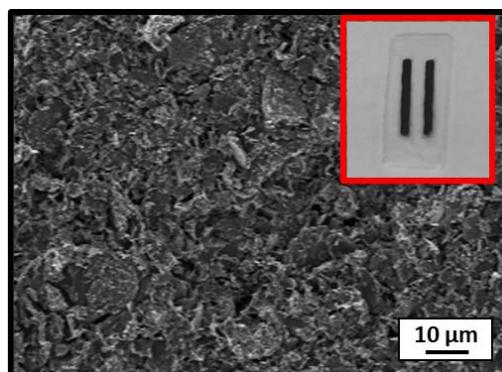
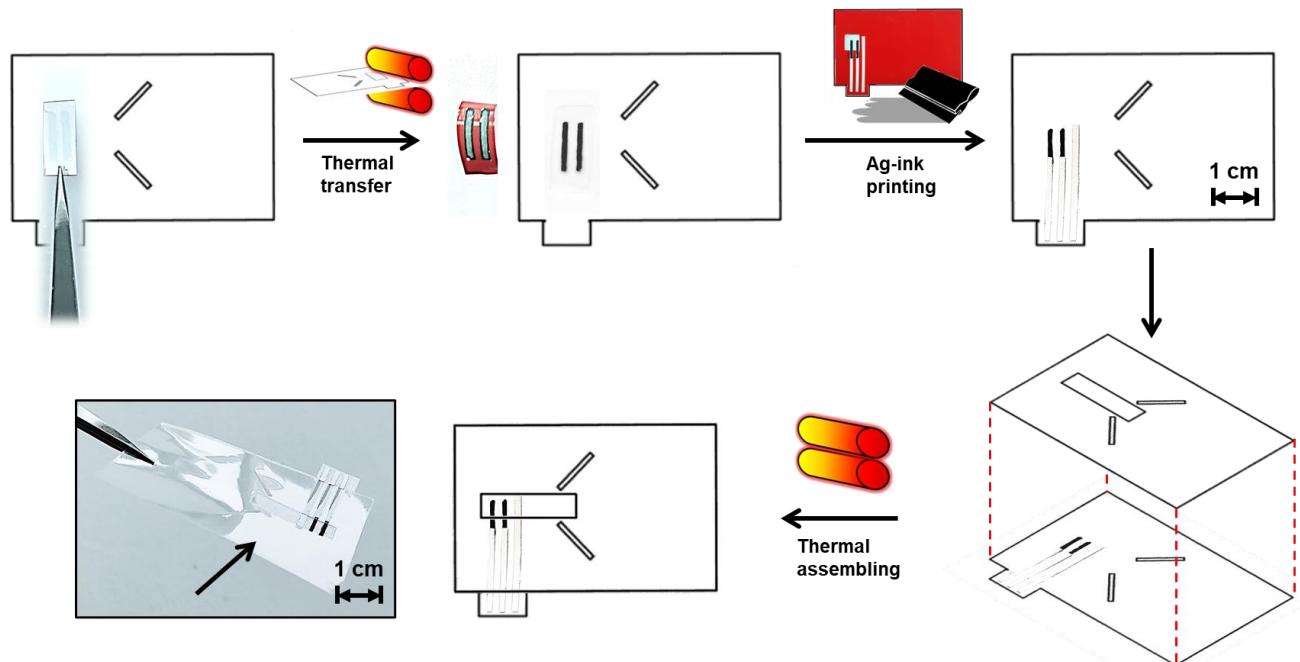
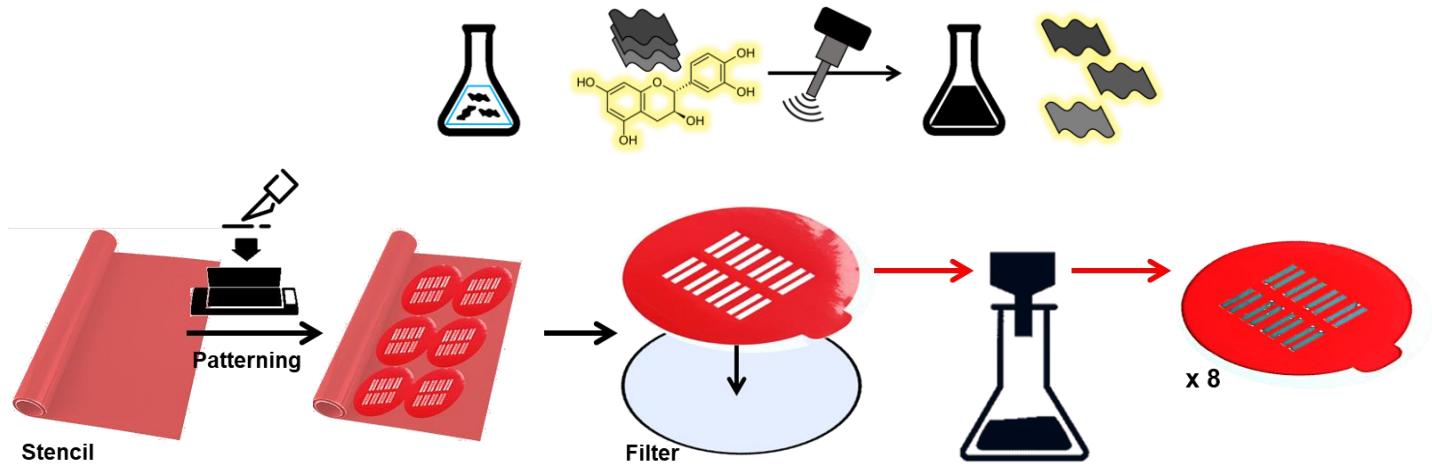
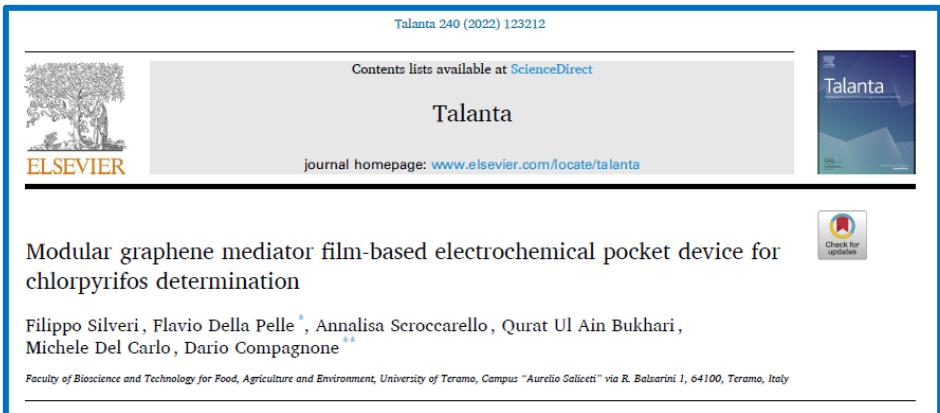
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Redox-graphene based device

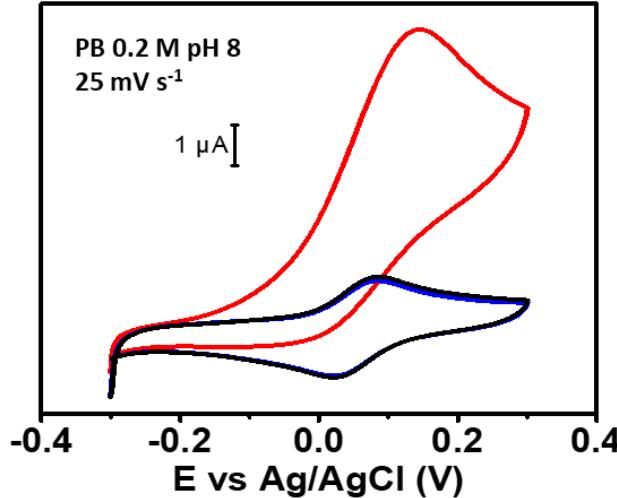
Device assembling



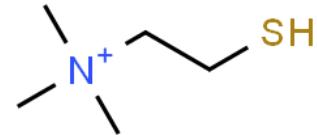
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Sensor development

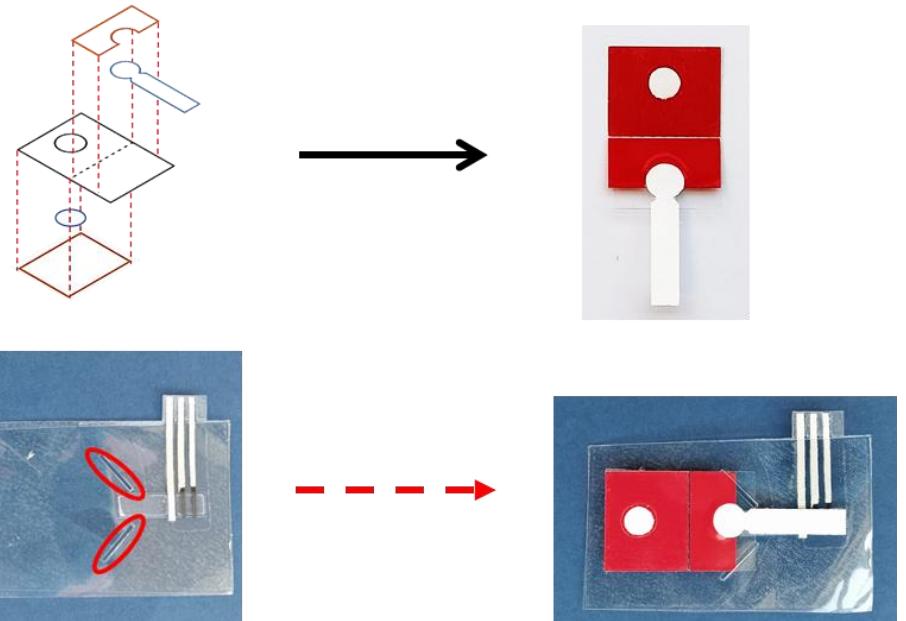
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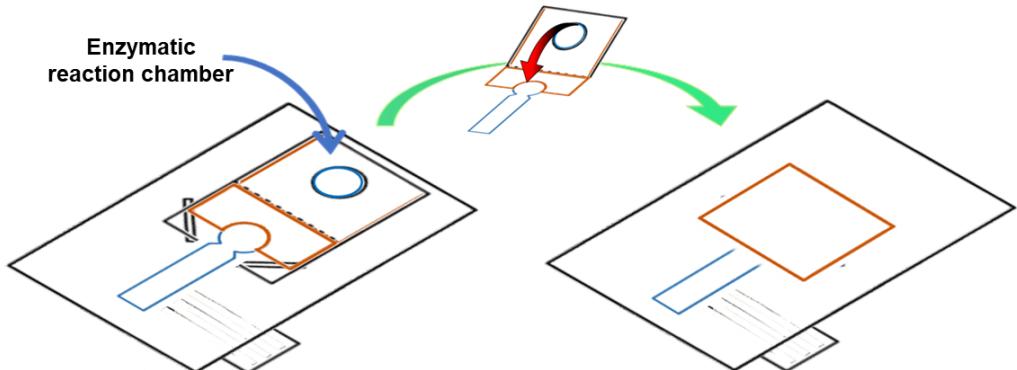
Thiocoline
2.5 mM



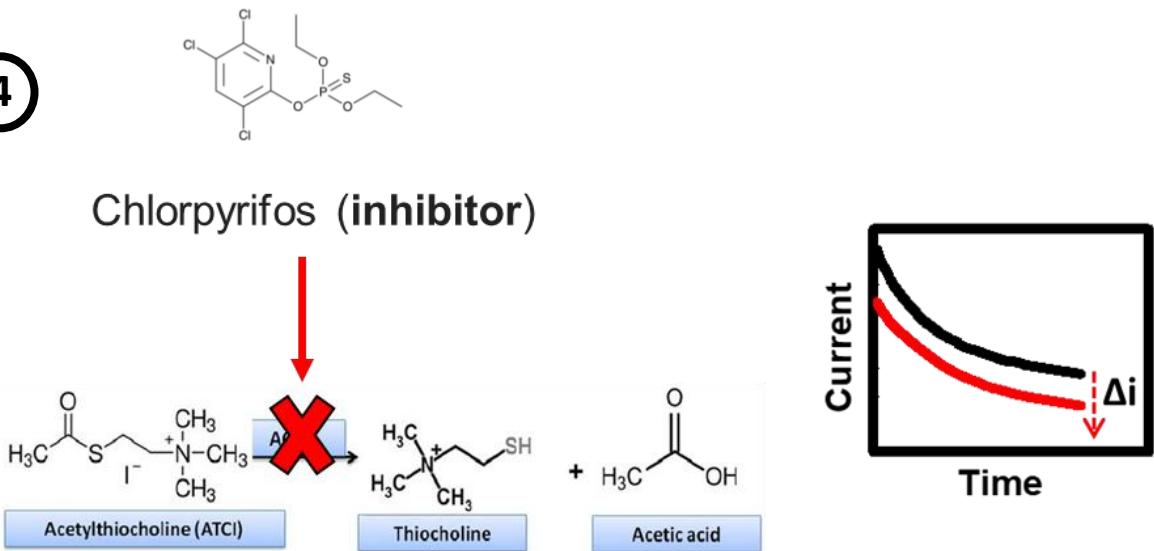
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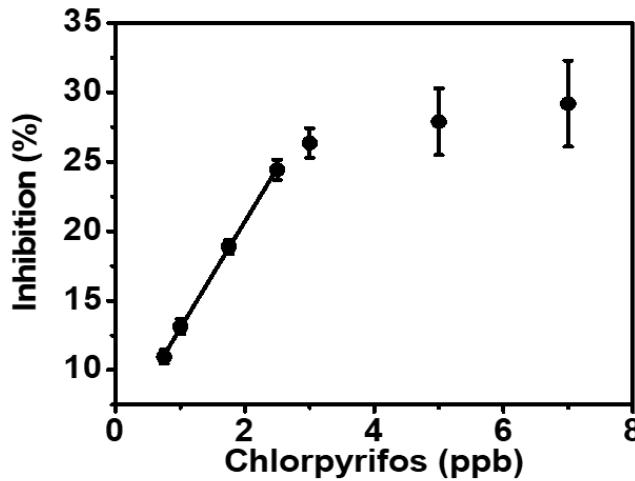
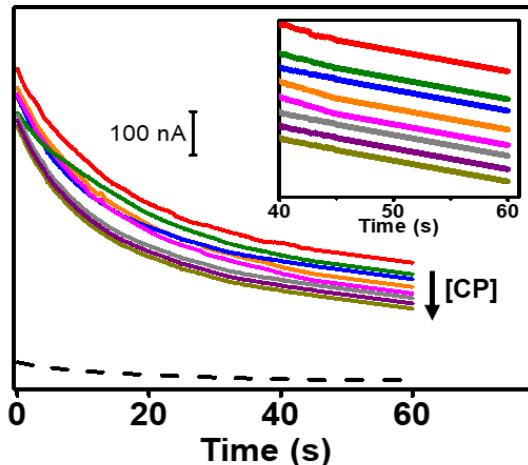


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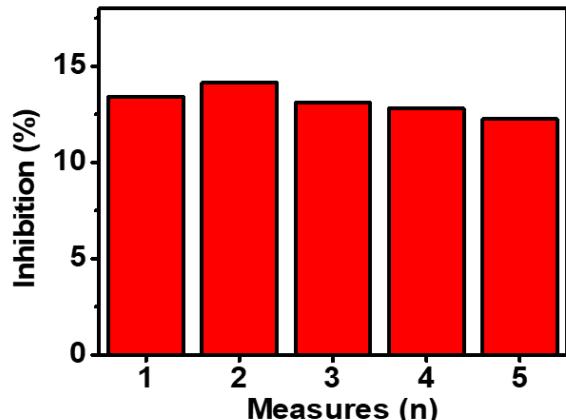
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Analytical performance



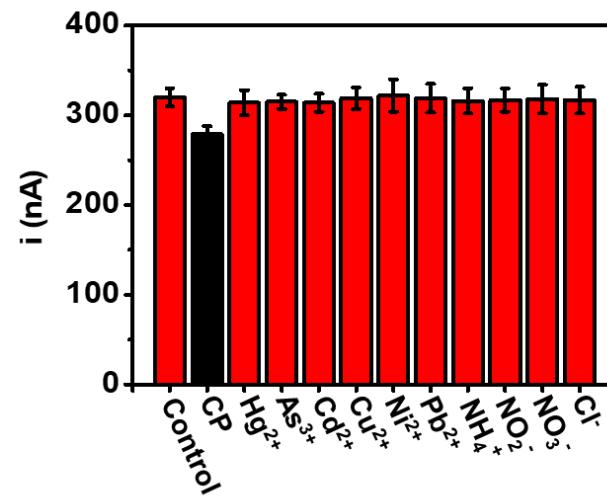
- LOD = 0.2 ppb (6.9 % of inhibition)
- L.R. = 0.7 – 2 ppb
- $I\% = 7.65[CP]+5.37$ ($R^2 = 0.9995$)
Slope = 7.65 ± 0.19
RSD = 2.5 % (n = 3)

Consecutive measures

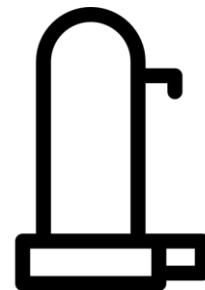


RSD = 5.4 % (n = 5)

Interference study



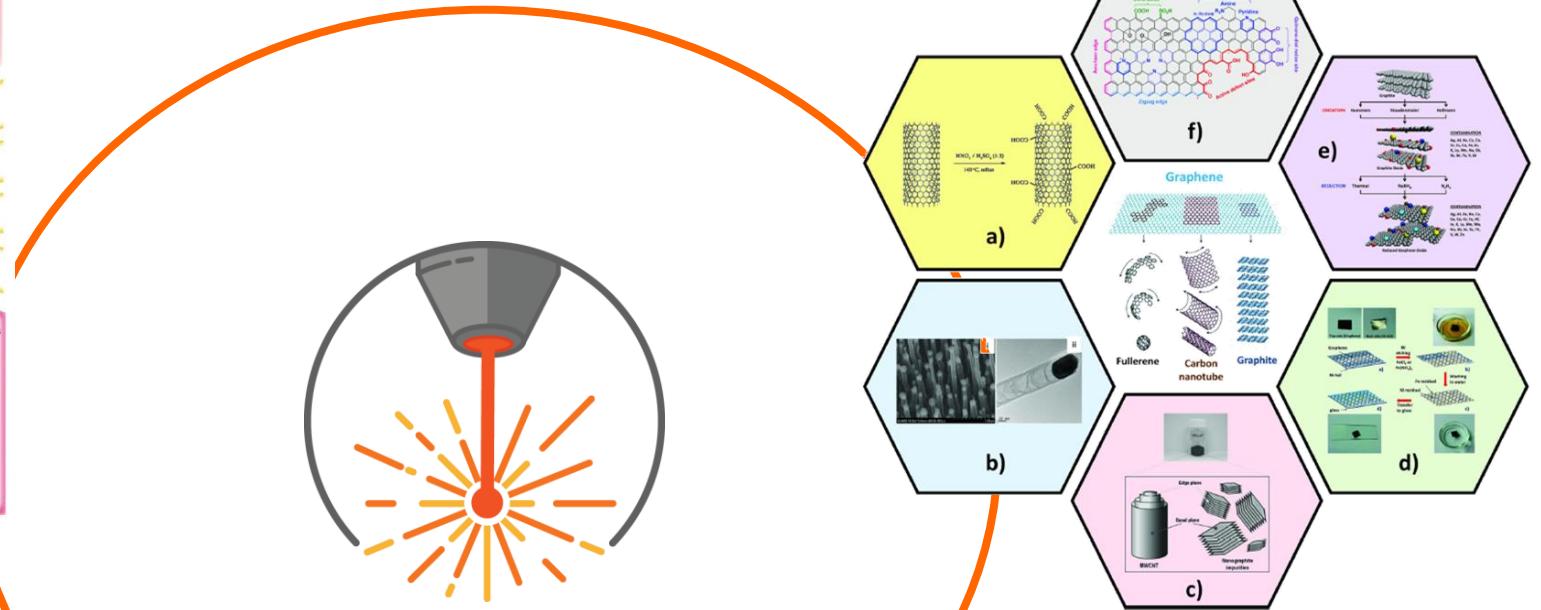
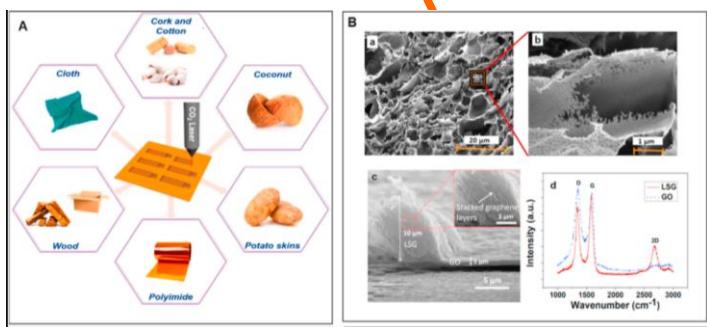
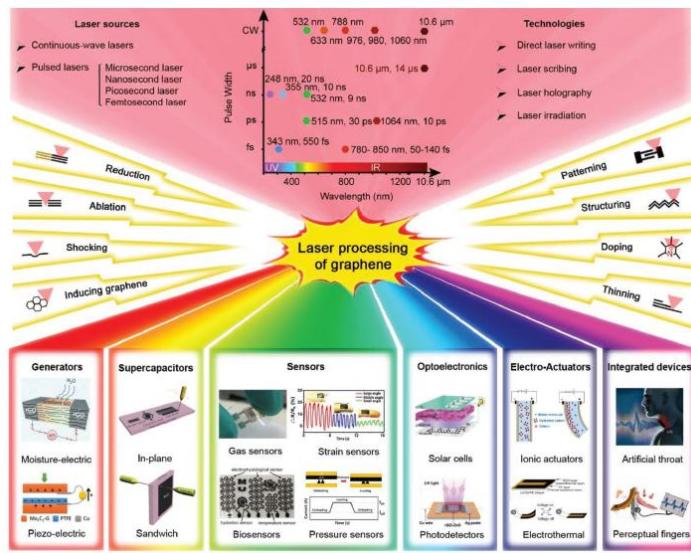
Samples analysis



River and well water

Recoveries: 94.0 – 113.0 %
RSD < 4.0 % (n = 3)

CO₂ laser-plotter for conductive nanostructured films formation



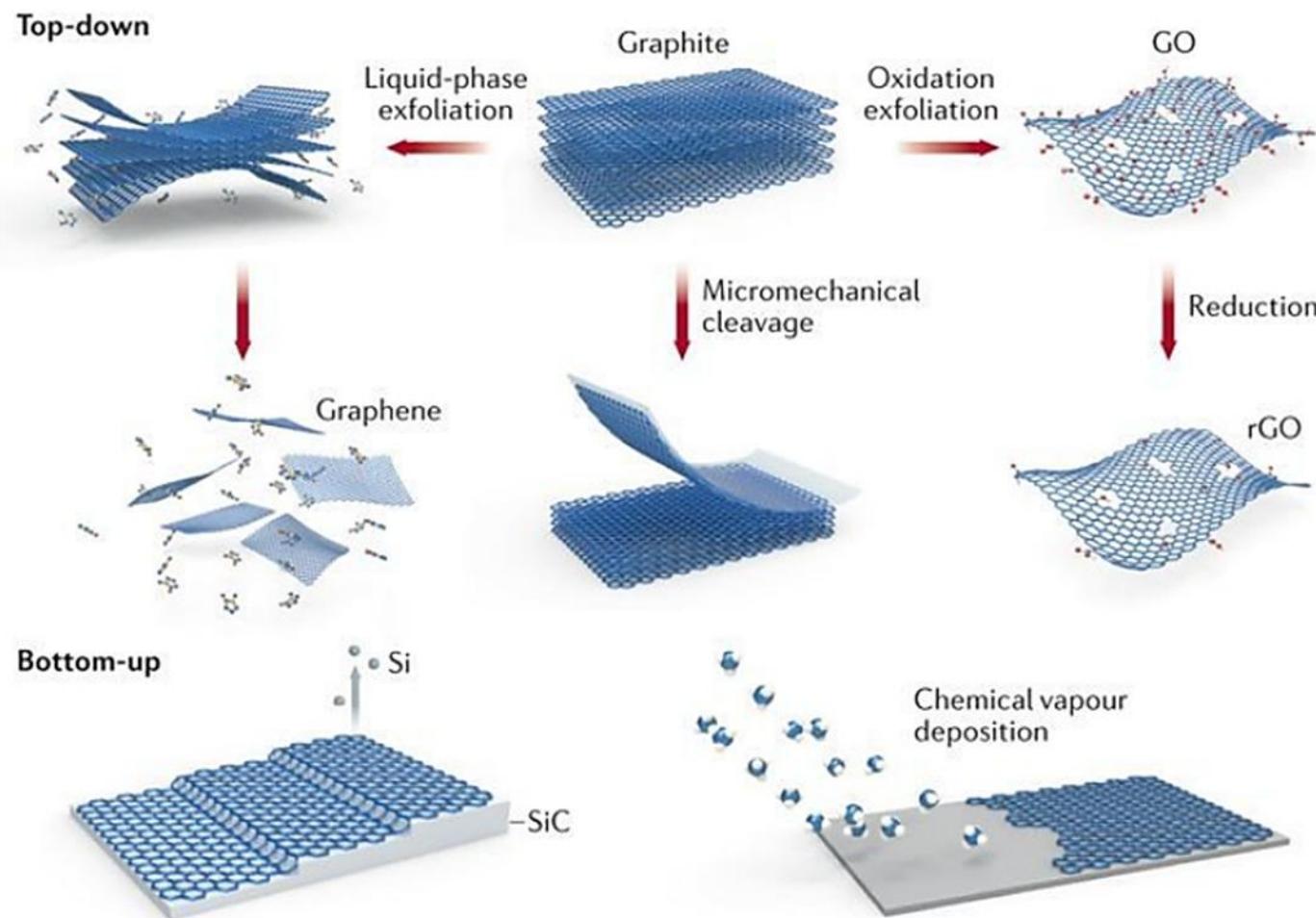
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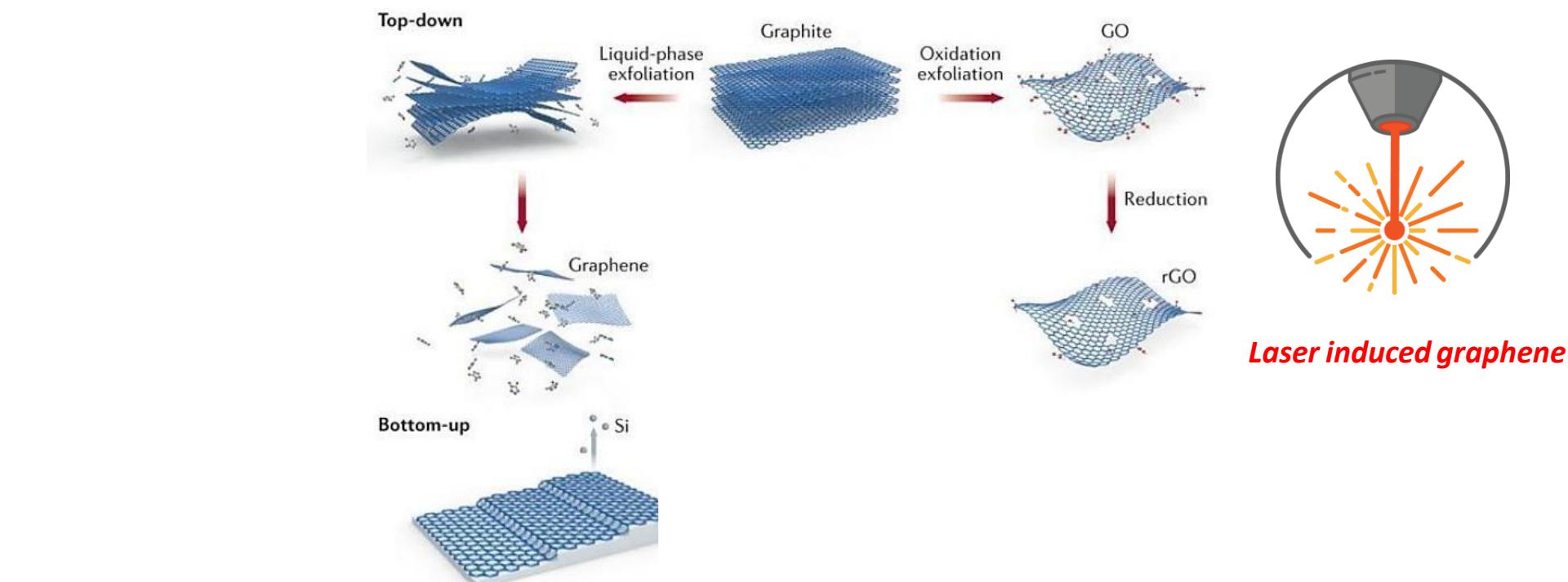
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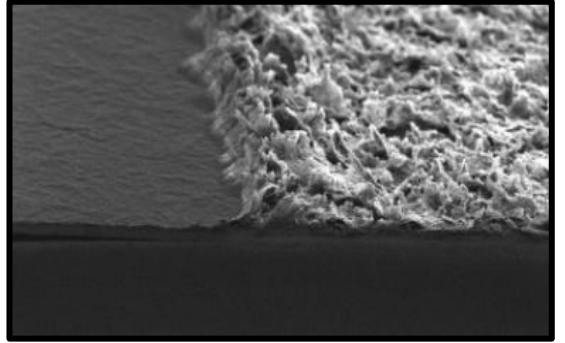
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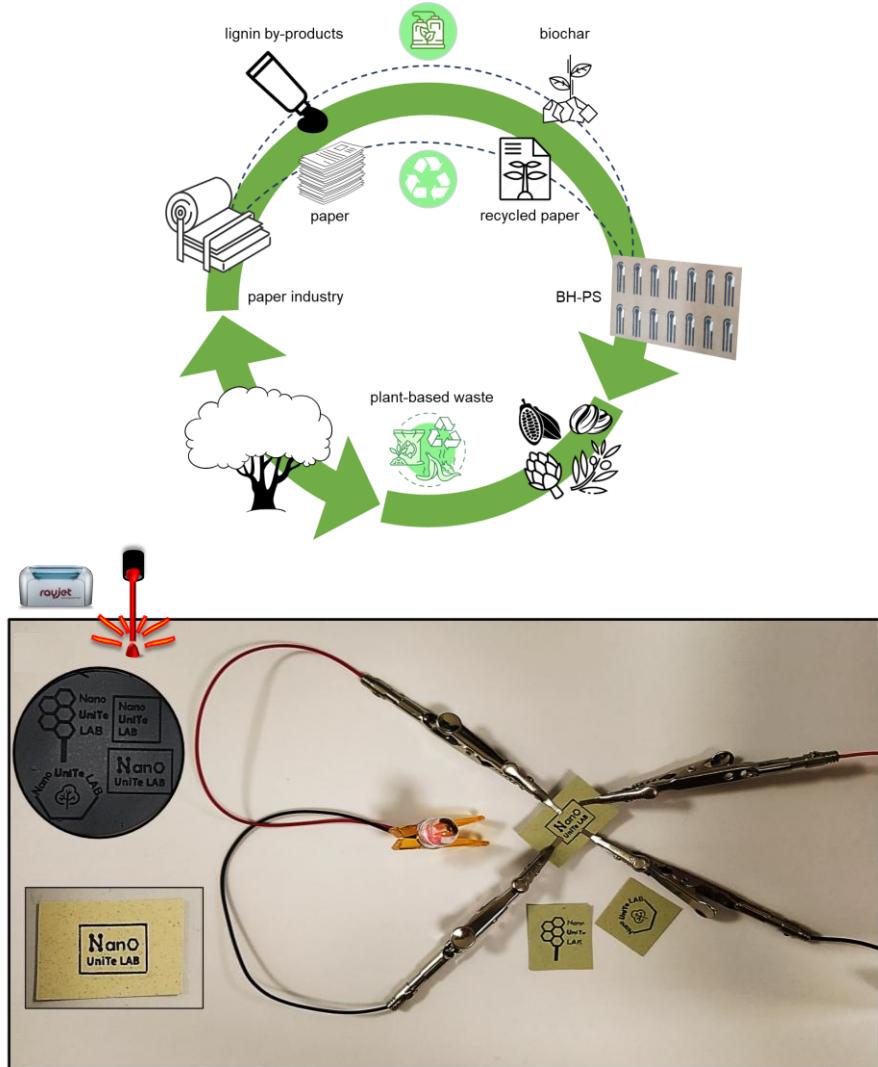
Graphene



Laser-induced rGO transferable conductive films



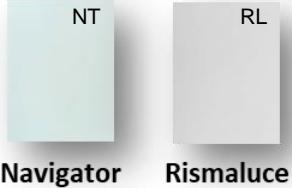
Recycled and by-products derived papers for L-rGO sensors



Cellulosic substrates



Office paper



Navigator Rismaluce

15% textile industry



Refit Cotton White Refit Wool Blue Remake Oyster

15% agro-industry by-product



Crush Cocoa Crush Cherries Crush Kiwi

75% bamboo 100% recycle



Free Tree Bamboo Cream Tokyo White

Laser-designed Paper/Graphene 3D pop-up for carbaryl analysis



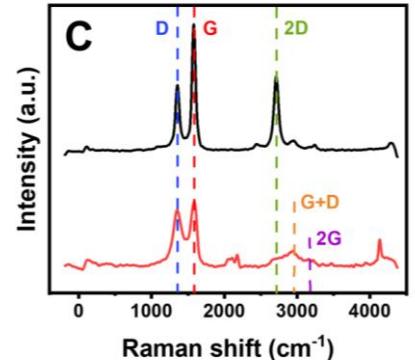
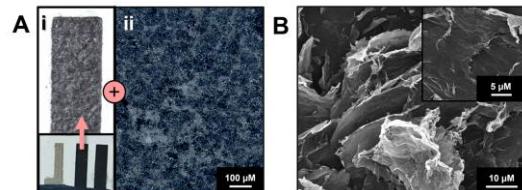
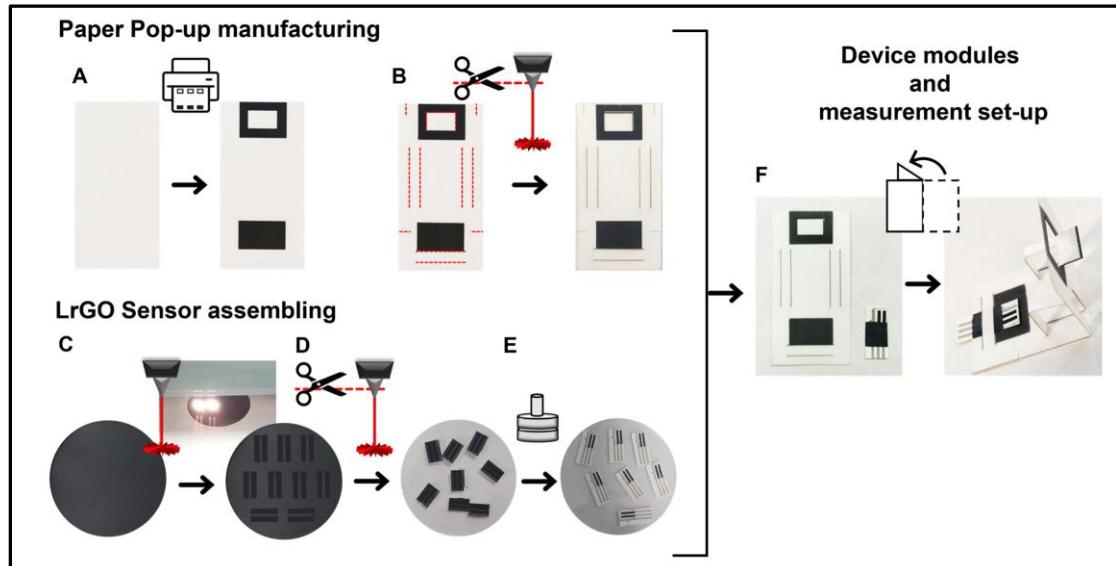
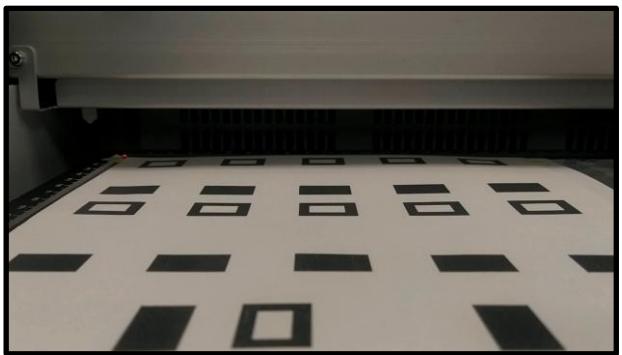
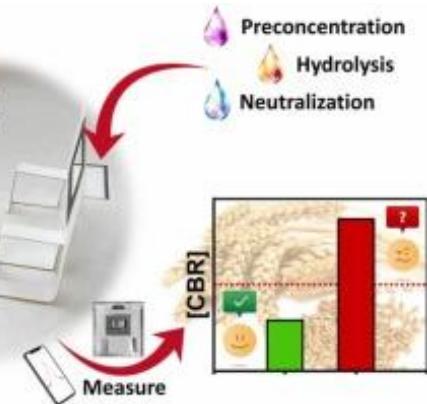
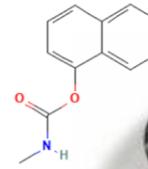
Integrated paper/graphene 3D pop-up device for the quantitative sensing of carbaryl

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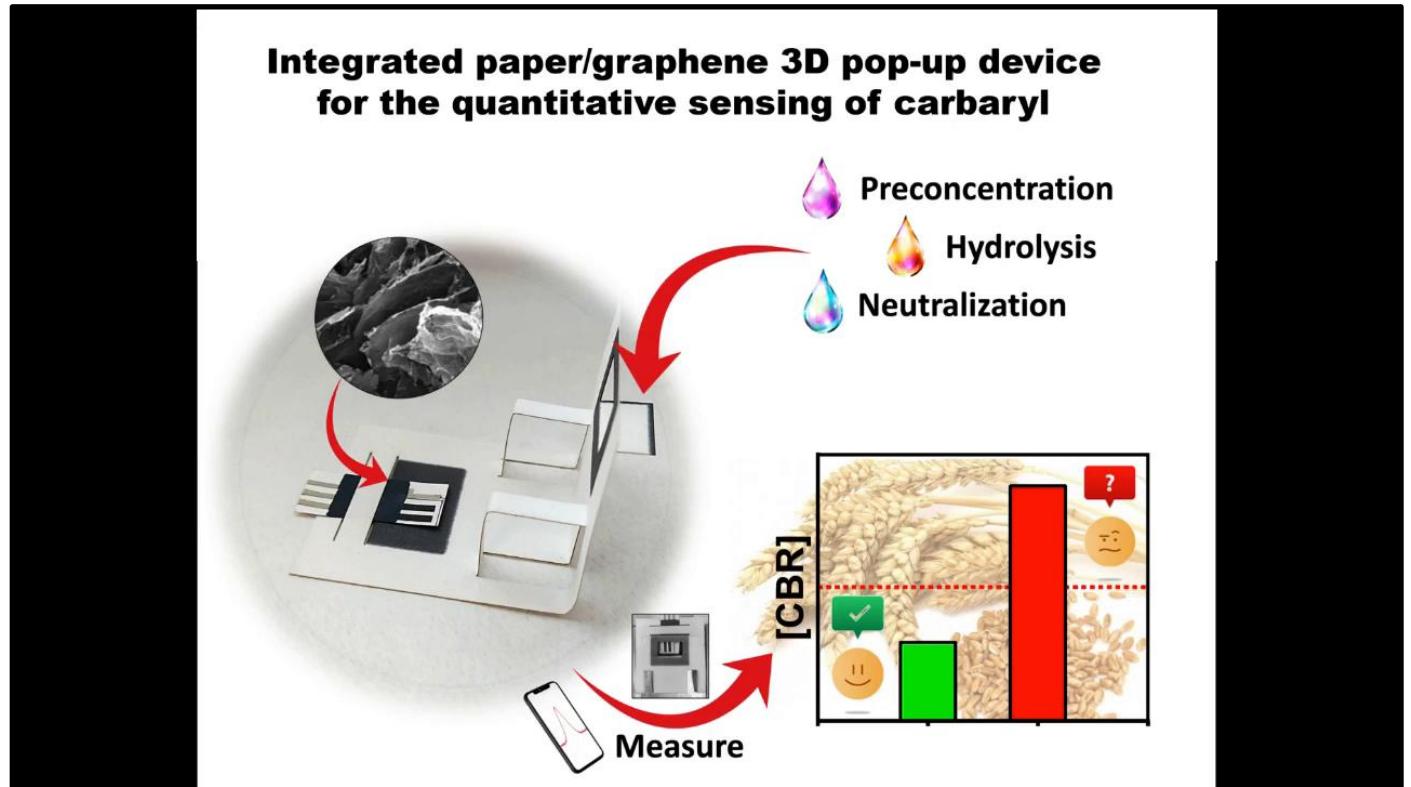
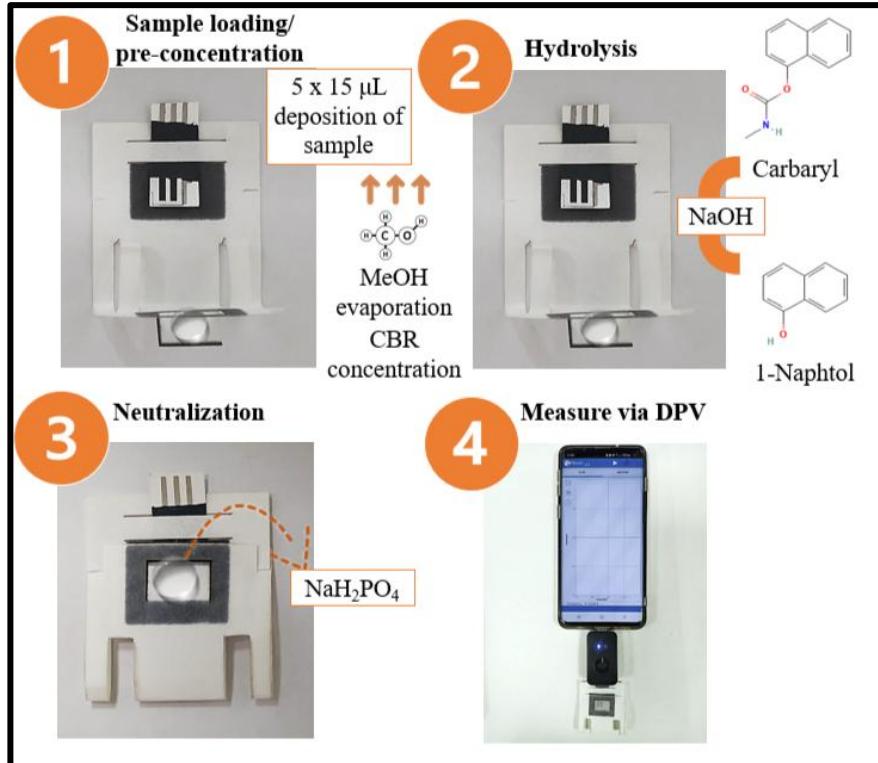


CARBARYL(CBR)



Laser-designed Paper/Graphene 3D pop-up for carbaryl analysis

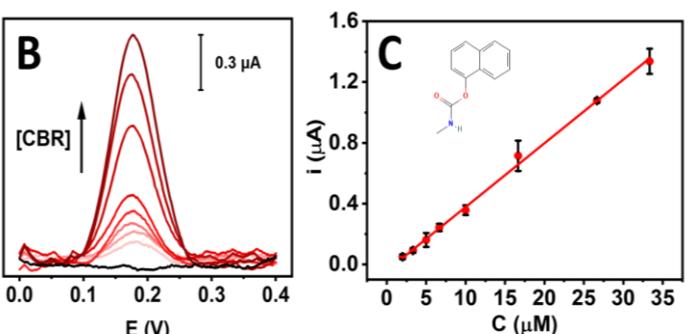
Assay format



LOD = 0.4 μM

L.R.: 1.5-33 μM ($R^2 = 0.995$)

Slope RSD = 8% ($n = 3$)



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Sample and interferences analysis



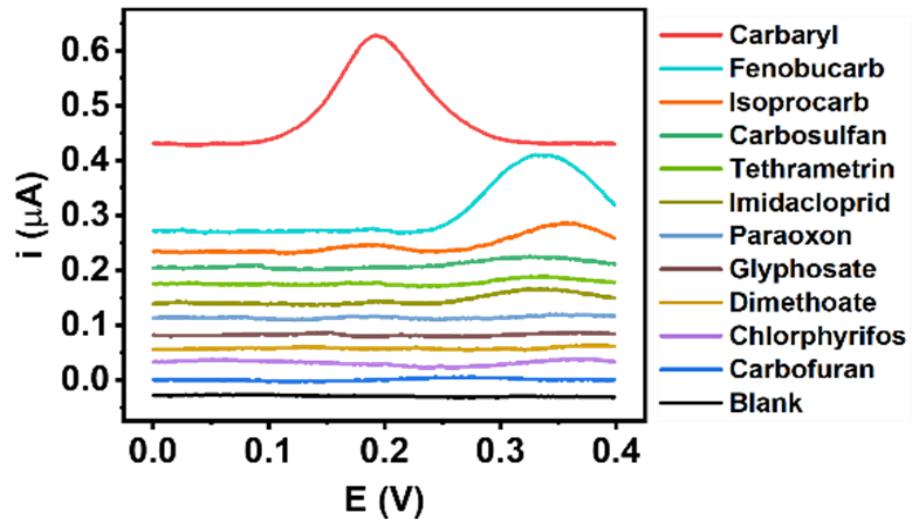
GRAINS SAMPLE ANALYSIS

5 g of grain extracted in 10 mL of methanol analyzed directly with the pop-up device

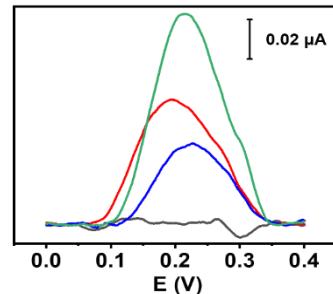
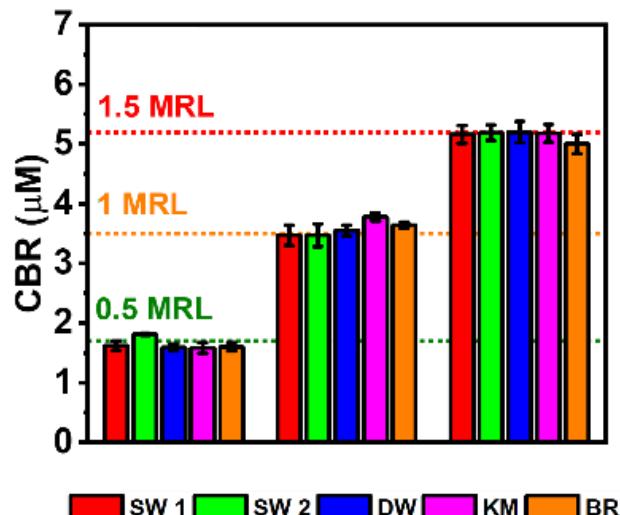


Minimum residue level
(MRL) 0.5 mg Kg^{-1}

Samples fortified at
0.5, **1** and **1.5** MRL value



- Soft wheat 1 (SW1)
- Soft wheat 2 (SW2)
- Durum wheat (DW)
- Kamut (KM)
- Barley (BR)



Rec: 93 – 108 %
RSD $\leq 6\%$ ($n = 3$)