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Supplementary Information

# Quadruplex Integrated DNA (QuID) Nanosensors for Monitoring Dopamine. *Sensors* 2015, *15*, 19912-19924

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## DNA sequences used to produce the nanosensor. All sequences are shown in the 5' to 3' direction.

## **Center Sequences**

ATCATACTAATCG<mark>CACGCATCACCAT</mark>AGCCTCCTCCTCGGGGGGG

GGGGGGTAAACTTTCCTAG

<mark>ATCATACTAATCG<mark>CACGCATCACCAT</mark>CTAGGAAAGTTTA<mark>GGGGGGG</mark> AAGGACCCCTAGC<mark>CCGCAGCGAACAT</mark></mark>

TTCAGTTTTTAACGGGGGGCCATGGTACCCTC

ATCATACTAATCG<mark>CACGCATCACCAT</mark>GAGGGTACCATGGGGGGGG

GGGGGGGGGTCTTTCTCCTG

<mark>ATCATACTAATCG<mark>CACGCATCACCAT</mark>CAGGAGAAAGACC</mark>GGGGGG GTTAAAAACTGAA<mark>ATGTTCGCTGCGG</mark>

Features

Complementary sticky ends for binding central pieces

CCGCAGCGAACAT ATGTTCGCTGCGG

Common sticky end to bind Layer 1



#### ATCATACTAATCG

**Guanine Quadruplex coupling region** 

GGGGGG Enzyme tethering region and complementary DNA sequence for enzyme attachment CACGCATCACCAT ATGGTGATGCGTG

Layer 1 Sequences

CGATTAGTATGAT TCAACTTTCCCTCCACGCATCACCAT GGGGGGGAGGGACGTCGCGT TCAACTTTCCCTCCACGCATCACCAT GGGGGGAGGGACGTCGCGT TCAACTTTCCCTCCACGCATCACCAT ACGCGACGTCCCCTGGGGGGGTAAGTTAGCATCA

Features

Complementary sticky ends for binding to center piece

**CGATTAGTATGAT** 

Common sticky end to bind Layer 2 TCAACTTTCCCTC

Guanine Quadruplex coupling region

GGGGGG Enzyme tethering region and complementary DNA sequence for enzyme attachment CACGCATCACCAT ATGGTGATGCGTG



Layer 2 Sequences

CACGCATCACCAT

#### Features

Complementary sticky ends for binding to Layer 1 GAGGGAAAGTTGA Common sticky end for additional binding ATAATTCAGCGAT Guanine Quadruplex coupling region GGGGGG Enzyme tethering region and complementary DNA sequence for enzyme attachment





**Figure S1.** Schematic description of QuID assembly. The Azido-PEG4 linker is first activated (**a**) and conjugated to tyrosinase with amine reactive chemistry (**b**); Next the DNA is attached to the linker by a copper-free click chemistry reaction (**c**); Separately, the DNA structure is assembled (**d**) and mixed with the enzyme conjugated DNA (**e**).



Figure S2. Reversibility of QuID phosphorescence (a) with corresponding images of the time points during perfusion (b).

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