



# The Dual Roles of Nano Zero-Valent Iron and Zinc Oxide in Antibiotics Resistance Genes (ARGs) SPREAD in Sediment

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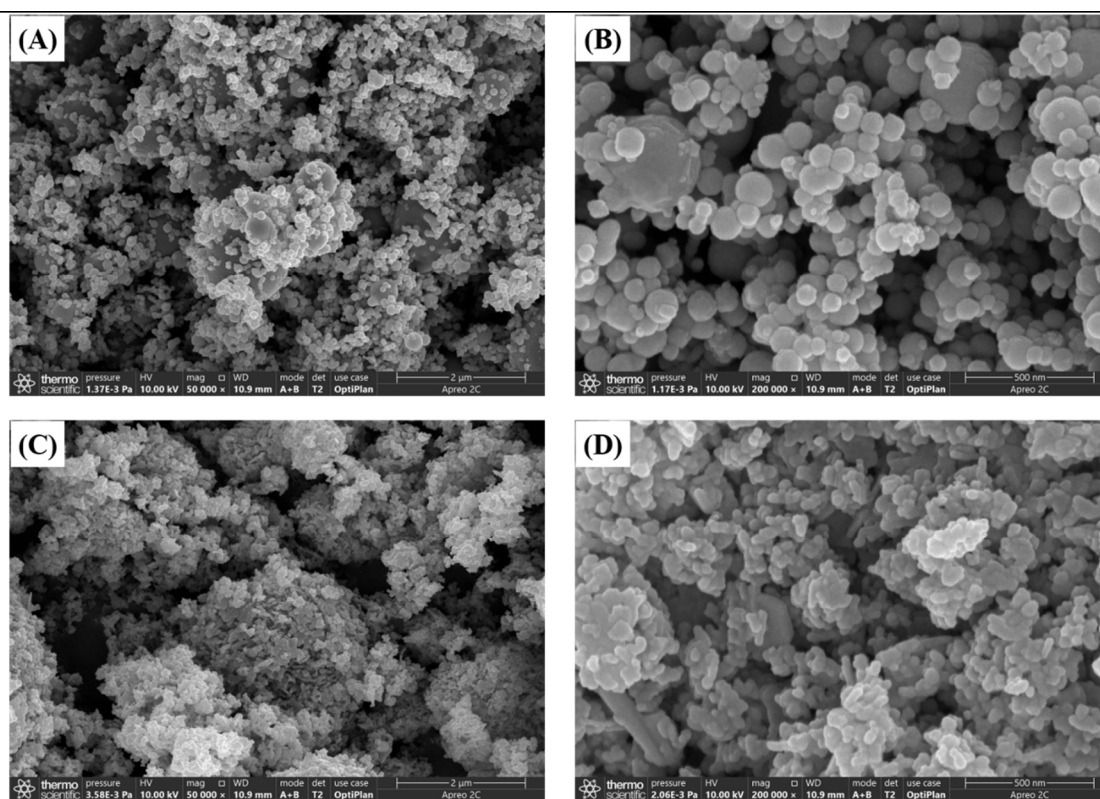
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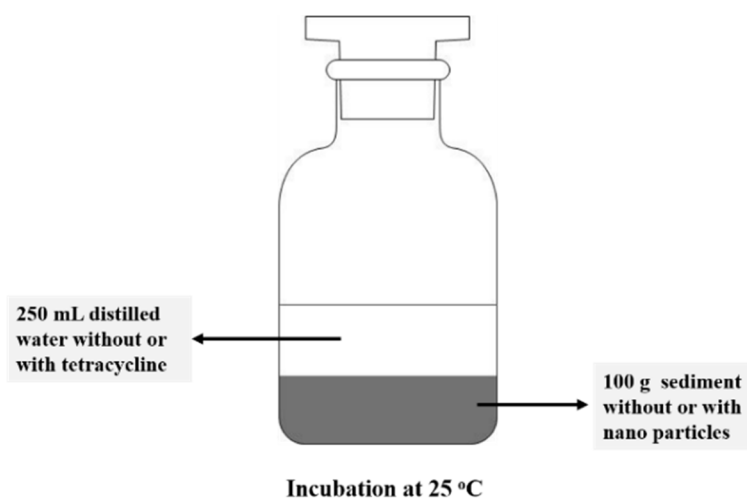
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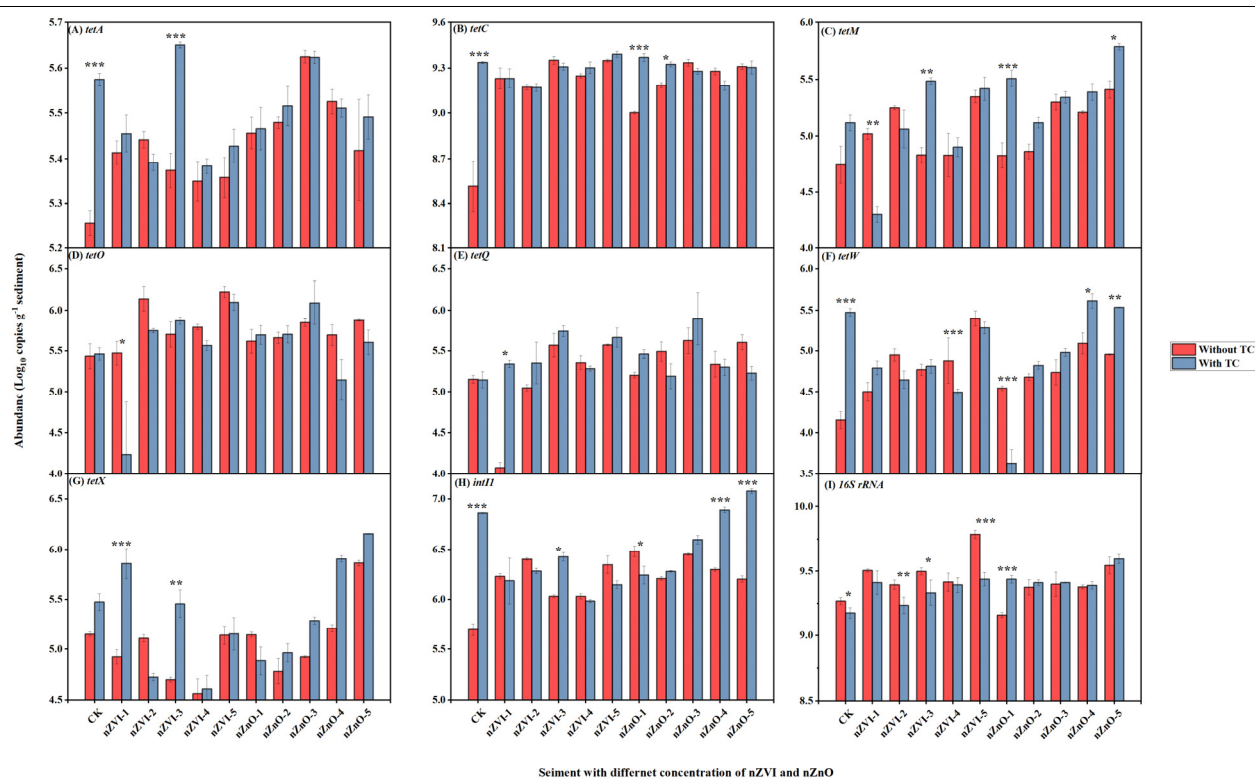
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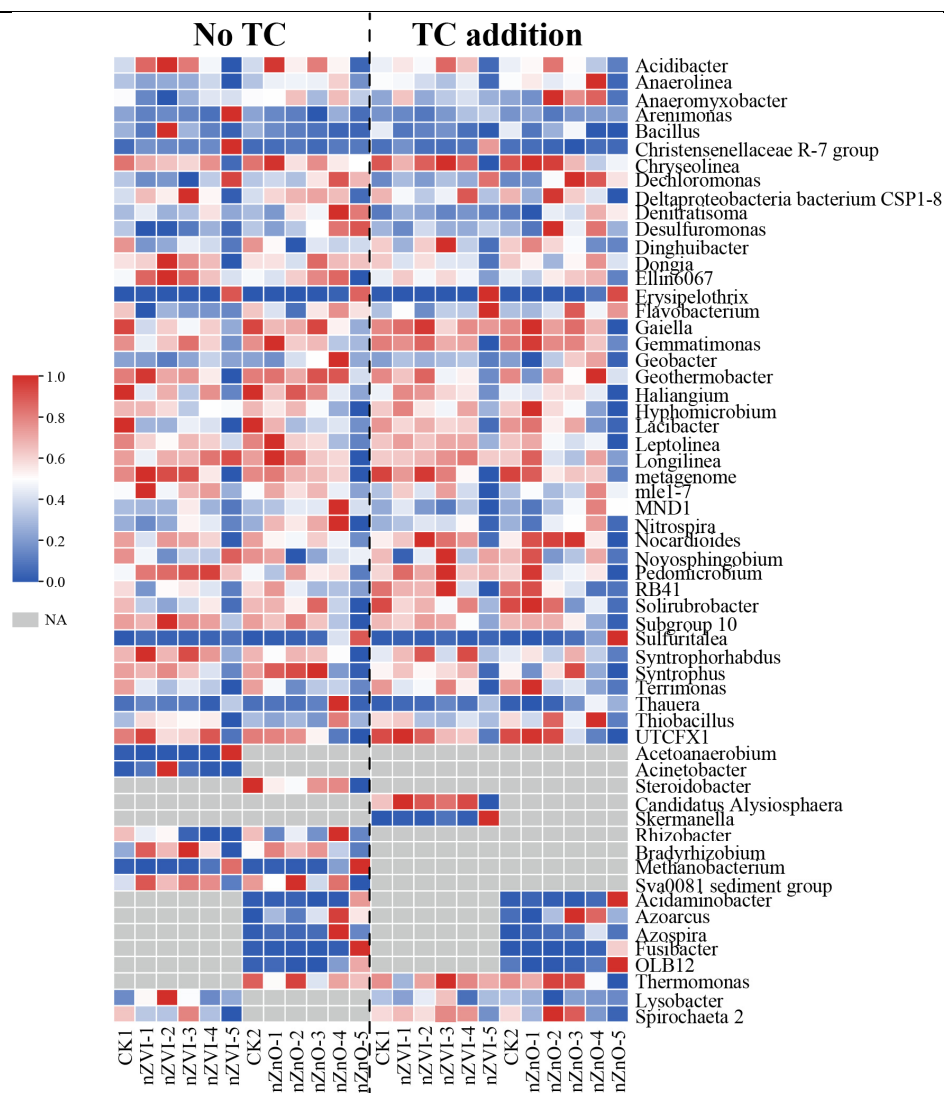
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**Table S1.** The soluble proportion of Zn and Fe from the nanoparticles (NPs) modified sediment after incubation.

| NPs modified sediment | Dissolved Zn (%) | NPs modified sediment | Dissolved Fe (%) |
|-----------------------|------------------|-----------------------|------------------|
| nZnO-3                | 0.003            | nZVI-3                | <0.001           |
| nZnO-5                | 0.001            | nZVI-5                | <0.001           |
| nZnO-3+TC             | 0.003            | nZVI-3+TC             | <0.001           |
| nZnO-5+TC             | 0.002            | nZVI-5+TC             | <0.001           |

**Table S2.** The primer, annealing temperature, and amplification size of the target genes in this study.

| Target gene  | Primer          | Sequence (5'-3')                            | Amplicon size (bp) | Annealing temperature (°C) | References                                       |
|--------------|-----------------|---|--------------------|----------------------------|--|
| <i>tetA</i>  | <i>tetA</i> -F  | GCTACATCCTGCTTGCCTTC                        | 210                | 60                         | Chen et al., 2013;<br>Wang et al., 2017<br>[1,2] |
|              | <i>tetA</i> -R  | CATAGATCGCCGTGAAGAGG                        |                    |                            |  |
| <i>tetC</i>  | <i>tetC</i> -F  | CTTGAGAGCCTTCAACCCAG                        | 418                | 63                         |  |
|              | <i>tetC</i> -R  | ATGGTCGTCATCTACCTGCC                        |                    |                            |  |
| <i>tetM</i>  | <i>tetM</i> -F  | ACAGAAAGCTTATTATATAAC                       | 171                | 55                         |  |
|              | <i>tetM</i> -R  | TGGCGTGTCTATGATGTTCAC                       |                    |                            |  |
| <i>tetO</i>  | <i>tetO</i> -F  | GATGGCATA-<br>CAGGCACAGACC                  | 172                | 57                         |  |
|              | <i>tetO</i> -R  | GCCCAACCTTTTGCTTCACTA                       |                    |                            |  |
| <i>tetQ</i>  | <i>tetQ</i> -F  | AGAATCTGCTGTTTGCCAGTG                       | 169                | 62                         |  |
|              | <i>tetQ</i> -R  | CGGAGTGTCAATGATATTGCA                       |                    |                            |  |
| <i>tetW</i>  | <i>tetW</i> -F  | GAGAGCCTGCTA-<br>TATGCCAGC                  | 168                | 60                         |  |
|              | <i>tetW</i> -R  | GGGCG-<br>TATCCACAATGTTAAC                  |                    |                            |  |
| <i>tetX</i>  | <i>tetX</i> -F  | AGCCTTACCAATGGGTG-<br>TAAA                  | 278                | 60                         |  |
|              | <i>TetX</i> -R  | TTCTTACCTTGGACATCCCCG                       |                    |                            |  |
| <i>intI1</i> | <i>intI1</i> -F | CCTCCCGCACGATGATC                           | 280                | 60                         |  |
|              | <i>intI1</i> -R | TCCACGCATCGTCAGGC                           |                    |                            |  |
| 16S rRNA     | 515-F<br>909-R  | GTGCCAGCMGCCGCGGTAA<br>CCCCGYCAATTCMTTTRAGT | 394                | 56                         |  |

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