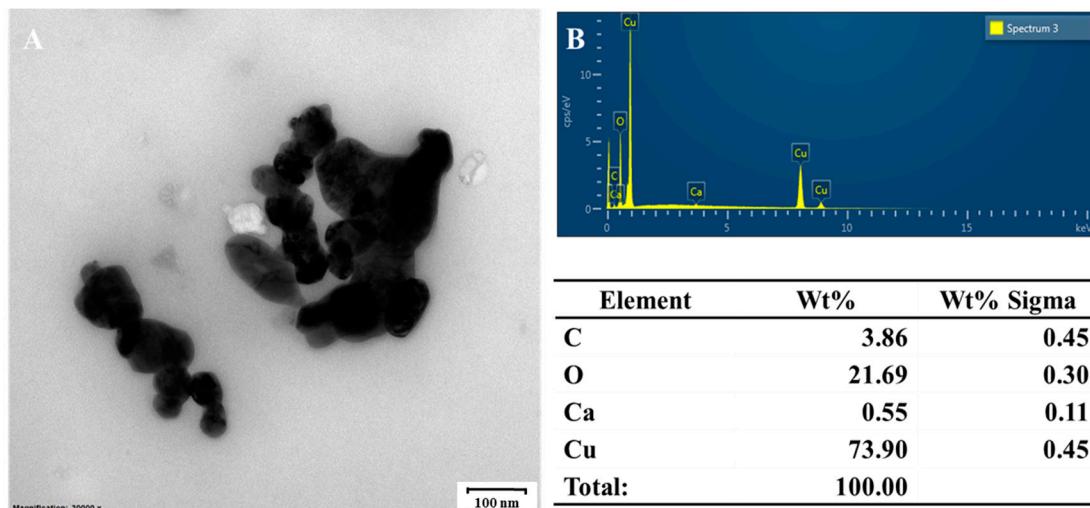


# Supplementary Materials

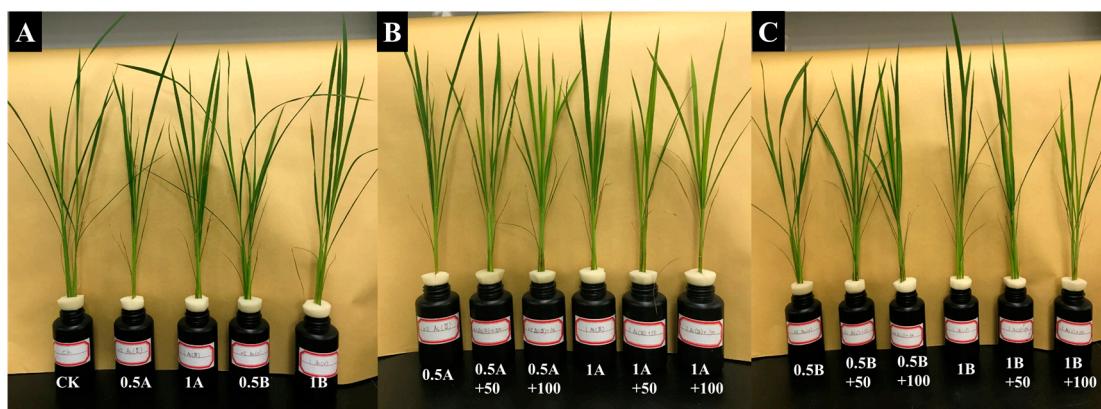
## Regulatory Mechanism of Copper Oxide Nanoparticles on Uptake of Different Species of Arsenic in Rice

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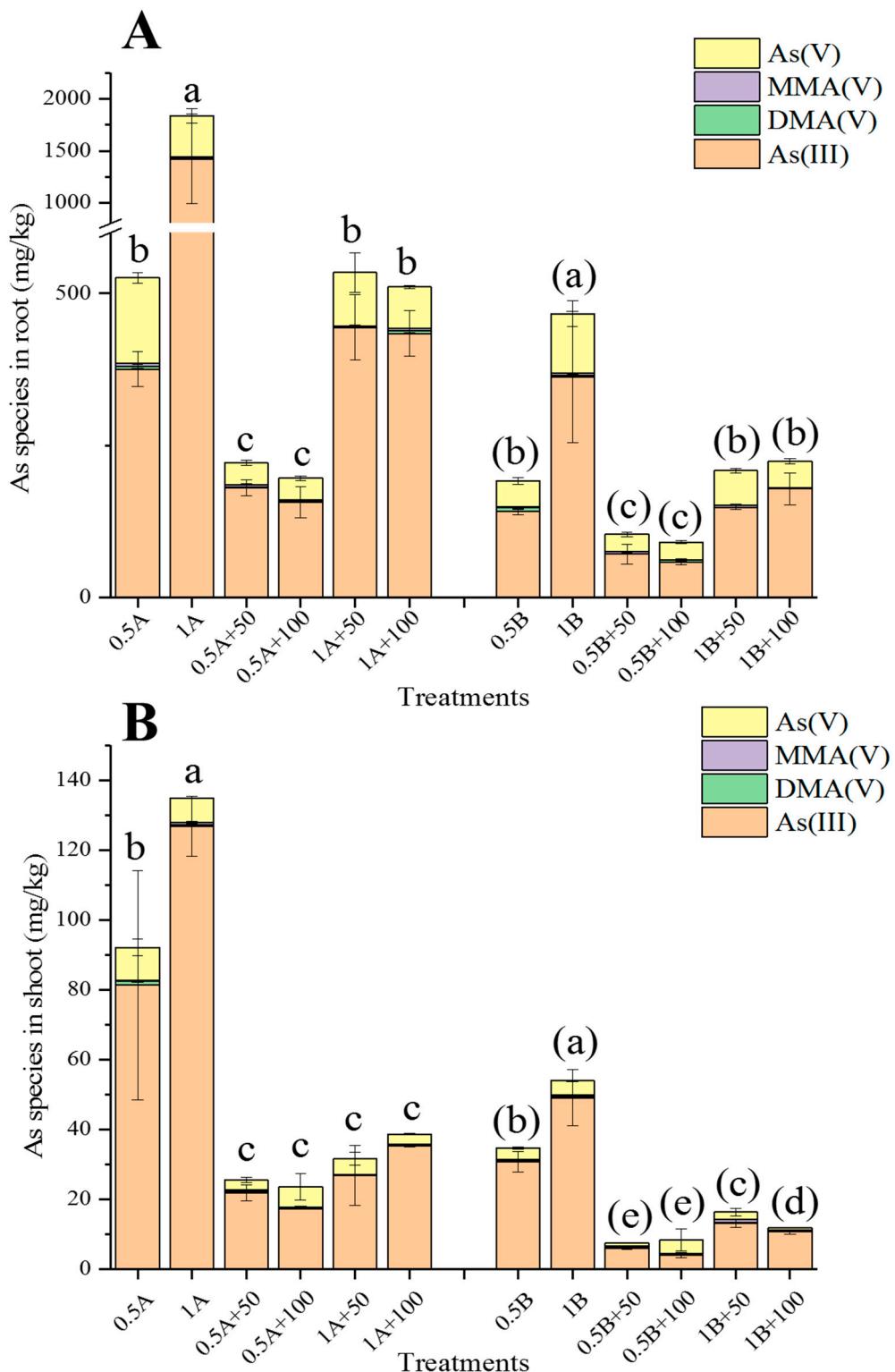
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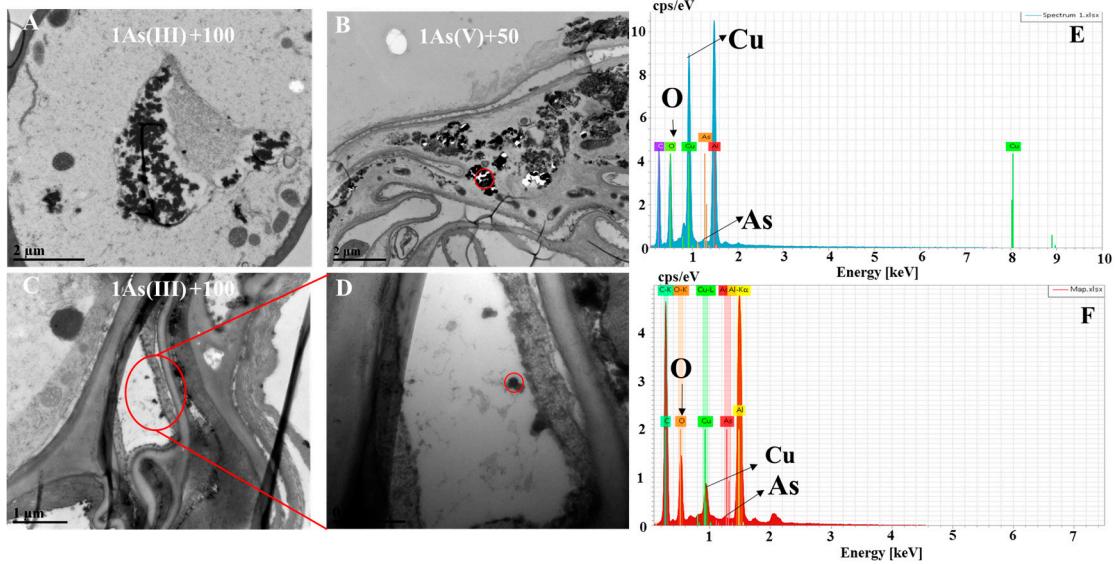
**Figure S1.** Morphology (A) and elemental composition (B) of CuO NPs.



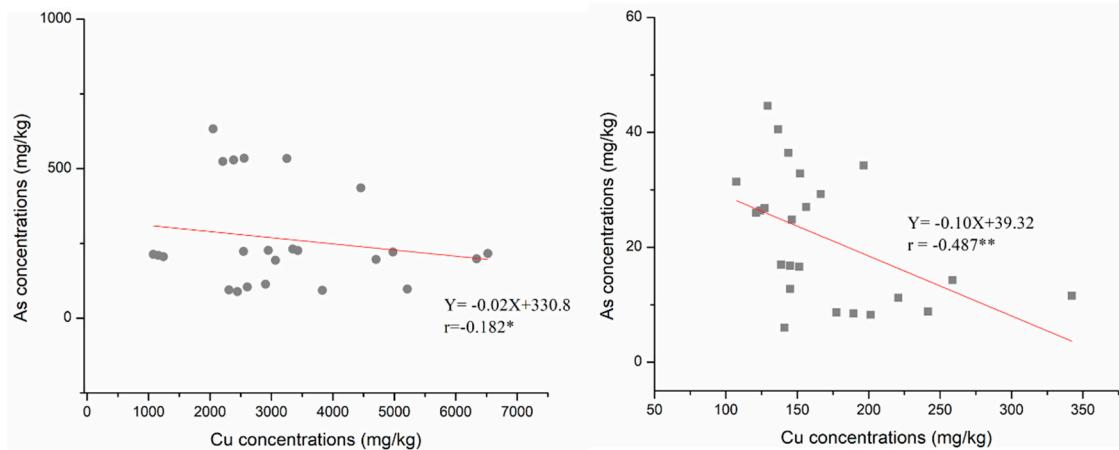
**Figure S2.** The culture system of rice seedlings in this study. (treatments from left to right in image (A) were CK, 0.5A, 1A, 0.5B and 1B, respectively; (B): 0.5A, 0.5A+50, 0.5A+100, 1A, 1A+50, 1A+100 treatments; (C): 0.5B, 0.5B+50, 0.5B+100, 1B, 1B+50, 1B+100 treatments.).



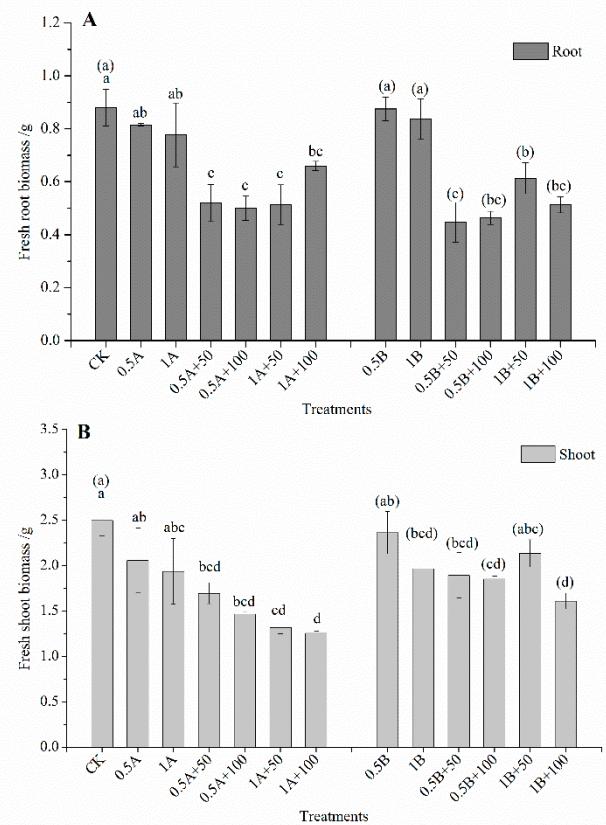
**Figure S3.** The concentrations and ratios of different species As in the roots (A) and shoots (B). Different lowercase letters indicate significant differences between different treatments ( $p < 0.05$ ).



**Figure S4.** TEM-EDS analysis of rice root under different treatments. **D** is the magnify view of **C**. **E** and **F** are the EDS spectrum of **B** and **D** respectively.



**Figure S5.** Pearson correlation between Cu and As concentration in rice root (**A**) and shoot (**B**).



**Figure S6.** Root and shoot biomass of rice. Different lowercase letters indicate significant differences between different treatments ( $p < 0.05$ ).

**Table S1** Primer sequences for q-PCR.

Function	Gene name	Primer	Sequence 5'→3'	References
Transport and efflux of As(III)	<i>OsNIP3;2</i>	Former	GTGGCAGTCGGAGCAACAATCAT	
		Reverse	CTTCTCCAGCTACAGCACCAAGTG	
	<i>Lsi1</i>	Former	ATCTACTCCTGGGCCAGT	Chen et al., 2017
		Reverse	AGGAGAGCTCTGGAGGAG	
	<i>Lsi2</i>	Former	ATCACCTCCCCAAGTTCC	
		Reverse	CAGCTCCCTCCAGTACATGC	
As accumulation	<i>OsNIP1;1</i>	Former	GGACTAGTATGGCAGGAGGTGACAACAA	
		Reverse	GGACTAGTTAGGTGGAGGAGTTCATCC	Cui et al., 2020
	<i>OsNIP3;3</i>	Former	GAAGATCTATGGAAGGGACAAGAGTGG	
		Reverse	GGACTAGTCTACAGCTTAATTGCAACAT	
Transport of As(V)	<i>OsPT4</i>	Former	TTCTGCTAGTGTACCAAACAAAATTACA	Cao et al., 2017
		Reverse	GTAAGTGGCATTATAATATCAACAGTAA	
	<i>OsPT1</i>	Former	CGCTTCCGTACGAGTGGTAGT	Wang et al., 2016
		Reverse	GGTTCTTCAAATCCAGGGAAA	
	<i>OsPT8</i>	Former	AGAAGGCAAAAGAAATGTGTGTTAAAT	
		Reverse	AAAATGTATTCTGTGCCAATTGCT	
Reduction of As(V)	<i>OsHAC1;1</i>	Former	TGAACAAGGCCATCTACAC	
		Reverse	GACGAGAACTGCTCCACAAA	Shi et al., 2016
	<i>OsHAC1;2</i>	Former	TAGCATCTGCCGATCTCATA	
		Reverse	GAGGTTTATTCAACCGCAAGG	
	<i>OsHAC4</i>	Former	TGGCTTCACTCTCGGCAA	Xu et al., 2017
		Reverse	CATTCTGAATCCCGCGTCCA	
Actin	<i>OsActin</i>	Former	CTTCATAGGAATGGAAGCTGCGGGTA	
		Reverse	CGACCACCTTGATCTCATGCTGCTA	

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**Table S2.** The two-way ANOVA and Tukey multiple range tests for the effects of As(III) + CuO NPs on the Cu and As concentrations in rice.

As(III)	CuO NPs	Cu-root	Cu-shoot	As-root	As-shoot
0	0	107.1±4.53 c <sup>(1)</sup>	33.74±0.99 c	ND <sup>(3)</sup>	ND
0.5	0	47.22±19.39 d	76.95±27.46 bc	525.5±41.3 b	105.0±19.5 a
1	0	9.39± 1.12 e	53.37±4.76 c	2112±203 a	136.9±8.12 b
0.5	50	4978±1546 a	124.1±2.91 ab	221.1±4.82 c	26.38±0.40 c
0.5	100	4703±1637 a	156.3±10.12 a	196.0±2.55 c	27.04±3.13 c
1	50	3253±1202 ab	152.0±44.6 a	534.2±98.7 b	32.82±1.41 c
1	100	2383±174 b	136.6±7.24 a	529.1±5.21 b	40.52±5.78 c
Source of variation		Cu-root	Cu-shoot	As-root	As-shoot
As		4.463 <sup>(2)</sup>	2.501	395.5**	219.3**
CuO NPs		31.43**	28.63**	238.5**	238.7**
As*CuO NPs		2.248	2.944	105.8**	13.36**

<sup>(1)</sup> Values are means ± SD (n = 3). Different lowercase letters following values in the same column indicate significant differences ( $P \leq 0.05$ ) between treatments.

<sup>(2)</sup> F-values for the As(III) treatment and CuO NPs treatment As(III)\*CuO NPs interaction. \* and \*\* indicate significant at  $P \leq 0.05$  and 0.01, respectively.

<sup>(3)</sup> Values are below detectable limit.

**Table S3.** The two-way ANOVA and Tukey multiple range tests for the effects of As(V) + CuO NPs on the Cu and As concentrations in rice.

As(V)	CuO NPs	Cu-root	Cu-shoot	As-root	As-shoot
0	0	107.1±4.53 <sup>(1)d</sup>	33.74±0.99 c	ND	ND
0.5	0	80.29±14.18 e	44.21±3.13 c	191.5±34.1 b	38.40±0.69 b
1	0	16.87±0.72 f	37.07±2.14 c	485.5±68.8 a	61.39±0.06 a
0.5	50	2607±298 ab	189.4±12.0 a	104.1±9.44 c	8.47±0.20 e
0.5	100	3830±138 a	241.6±100.6 a	93.02±4.31 c	8.79±2.79 e
1	50	1161±83 c	145.0±6.34 ab	209.6±3.86 b	16.78±0.19 c
1	100	2947±399 ab	208.1±57.9 a	227.0±3.98 b	12.73±1.55 d
Source of variation		Cu-root	Cu-shoot	As-root	As-shoot
As		4.622 <sup>(2)</sup>	0.948	215.2**	1830**
CuO NPs		54.10**	27.28**	75.18**	1911**
As*CuO NPs		2.338	0.282	17.94**	97.52**

<sup>(1)</sup> Values are means ± SD (n = 3). Different lowercase letters following values in the same column indicate significant differences ( $P \leq 0.05$ ) between treatments.

<sup>(2)</sup> F-values for the As(V) treatment and CuO NPs treatment As(V)\*CuO NPs interaction. \* and \*\* indicate significant at  $P \leq 0.05$  and 0.01, respectively.