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# Development of Fluorescent Aptasensors Based on G-Quadruplex Quenching Ability for Ochratoxin A and Potassium Ions Detection

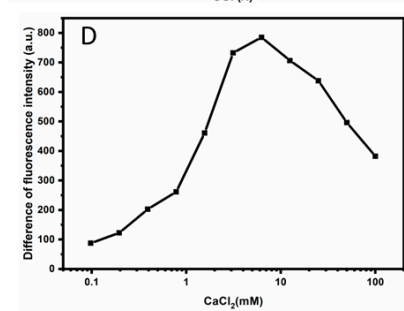
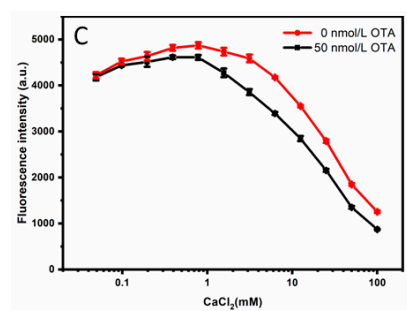
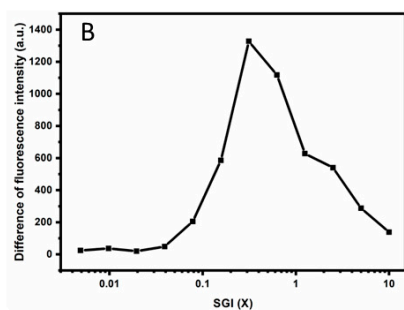
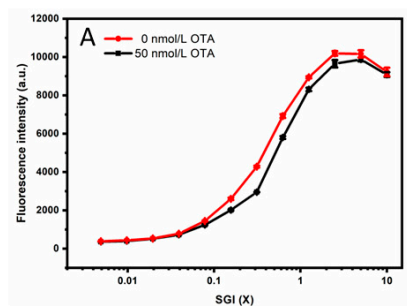
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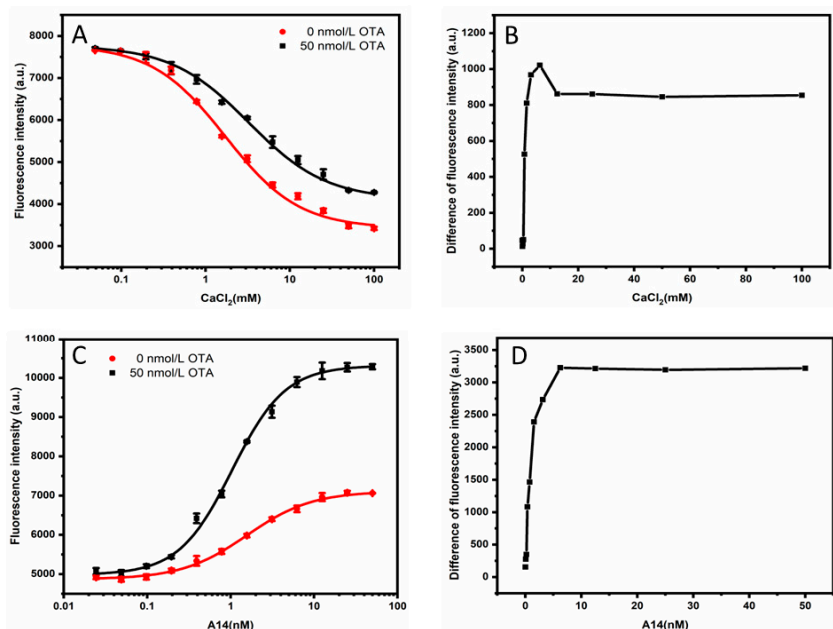
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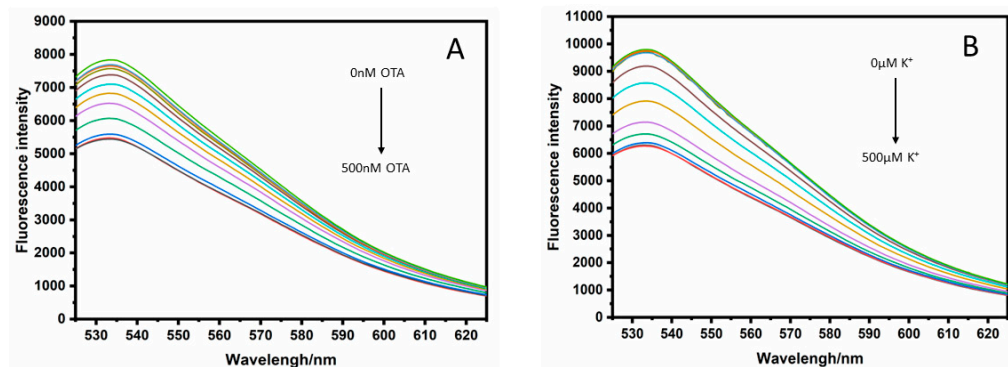


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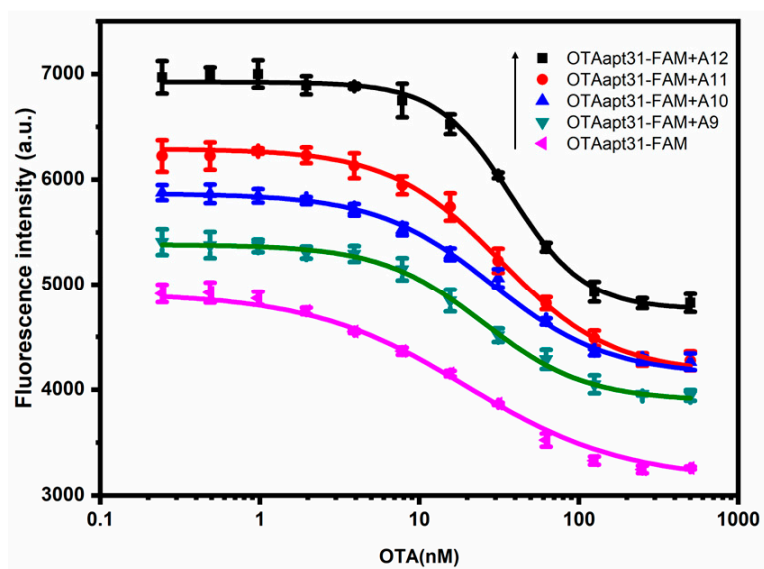
**Figure S1.** Optimization of the SGI and  $\text{Ca}^{2+}$  concentration. (A) Fluorescence intensity of different concentrations of SGI in the absence and presence of OTA. (B). The difference in fluorescence intensity from Figure S1A. (C). Fluorescence intensity for different concentrations of  $\text{Ca}^{2+}$  in the absence and presence of OTA. (D). The difference in fluorescence intensity from Figure S1C. OTAapt31 aptamer, and OTA concentration was 20 nmol/L and 50 nmol/L, respectively. The standard deviations of the three parallel experiments were indicated by error bars.



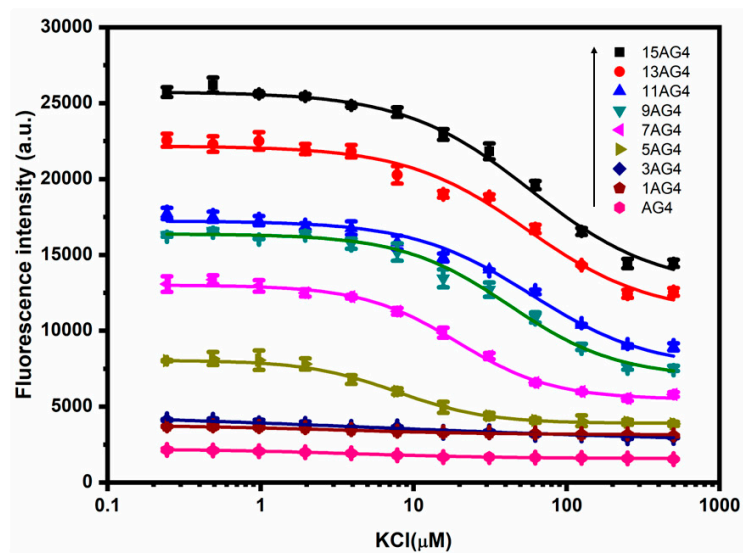
**Figure S2.** Optimization of  $\text{Ca}^{2+}$  and the complementary sequence (A14) concentration. (A). Fluorescence intensity of different concentrations of  $\text{Ca}^{2+}$  in the absence and presence of OTA. (B). The difference in fluorescence intensity from Figure S2A. (C). Fluorescence intensity for different concentrations of A14 in the absence and presence of OTA. (D). The difference in fluorescence intensity from Figure S2C. OTAapt31-FAM aptamer, and OTA concentration was 20 nmol/L and 50 nmol/L, respectively. The standard deviations of the three parallel experiments were indicated by error bars.



**Figure S3** (A) Fluorescence emission spectra of FAM labeled fluorescence antiparallel G-quadruplex with different concentrations of OTA (0, 0.48, 0.96, 1.95, 3.9, 7.8, 15.6, 31.2, 72.5, 125, 250, 500 nM), (B) Fluorescence emission spectra of FAM labeled fluorescence parallel G-quadruplex with different concentrations of K<sup>+</sup> (0, 0.48, 0.96, 1.95, 3.9, 7.8, 15.6, 31.2, 72.5, 125, 250, 500 μM). The concentration of 5AG4 aptamer was 20 nM.



**Figure S4** Fluorescence response curve of OTAapt31-FAM with different complementary sequence and different concentrations of OTA.



**Figure S5** Fluorescence response curve of different sequences of parallel G-quadruplexes (unlabeled) under different concentrations of  $K^+$ . The concentration of 5AG4 aptamer was 20 nM. The standard deviations of the three parallel experiments were indicated by error bars.

**Table S1** Sequences of the different constructs used in this study and their IC<sub>50</sub>

ID	Base sequence	IC <sub>50</sub> (nM)
G4	GGGTGGGTGGGTGGG	3.2
1AG4	<u>AG</u> GGTGGGTGGGTGGG <u>T</u>	4.1
3AG4	<u>AAAG</u> GGTGGGTGGGTGGG <u>ATT</u>	5.3
5AG4	<u>AAAAAG</u> GGTGGGTGGGTGGG <u>TTTT</u>	7.8
5AG4-FAM	<u>AAAAAG</u> GGTGGGTGGGTGGG <u>TTTT</u> -FAM	8.1
7AG4	<u>AAAAAAAG</u> GGTGGGTGGGTGGG <u>TTTTTT</u>	19.4
9AG4	<u>AAAAAAAAAG</u> GGTGGGTGGGTGGG <u>TTTTTTTT</u>	42.7
11AG4	<u>AAAAAAAAAAG</u> GGTGGGTGGGTGGG <u>TTTTTTTTTT</u>	58.1
13AG4	<u>AAAAAAAAAAAAAG</u> GGTGGGTGGGTGGG <u>TTTTTTTTTTTT</u>	58.6
15AG4	<u>AAAAAAAAAAAAAAG</u> GGTGGGTGGGTGGG <u>TTTTTTTTTTTTTT</u>	58.9
G4-C11	CCCACCCACCC	-
G4-C13	CCCACCCACCCAC	-
G4-C15	CCCACCCACCCACCC	-
OTAapt36	GATCGGGTGTGGGTGGCGTAAAGGGAGCATCGGACA	55.7
OTAapt31	<u>GAT</u> CGGGTGTGGGTGGCGTAAAGGGAGC <u>ATC</u>	20.6
OTAapt31-FAM	<u>GAT</u> CGGGTGTGGGTGGCGTAAAGGGAGC <u>ATC</u> -FAM	19.8
G31C	<u>GGAT</u> CGGGTGTGGGTGGCGTAAAGGGAGC <u>ATCC</u>	17.8
OTA-A9	ATGCTCCCT	-
OTA-A10	ATGCTCCCTT	-
OTA-A11	ATGCTCCCTTT	-
OTA-A12	ATGCTCCCTTTA	-

# The underlined portion can form a self-hybridizing duplex strand.

**Table S2** Comparison of different methods for OTA and K<sup>+</sup> Determination



Method	Principle	Target	Linear range	LOD	Ref.
Fluorescence	Graphene oxide (GO) and detachable nanoladders based biosensors	OTA	50-80nM	4.59 nM	[1]
Fluorescence	GQ-to-toxin energy transfer-based aptasensor	OTA	15-73.25nM	5 nM	[2]
Chemiluminescence	Magnetic microsphere (MBs) separated carrier-based aptasensor	OTA	0.25-50nM	0.1nM	[3]
Chemiluminescence	Forster resonance energy transfer (FRET)	OTA	0.25-250nM	0.55 nM	[4]
Colorimetry	G-quadruplex-hemin DNzyme gold nanorods (AuNRs) mediated aptasensor	OTA	10-200nM	10nM	[5]
Fluorescence	G-quadruplex quenching ability used for quenching fluorescence	OTA	0.19-15.63nM	0.19nM	This work
Fluorescence	G-quadruplex ligand fluorescence-based aptasensor	K <sup>+</sup>	0.5-10mM	0.5mM	[6]
Fluorescence	mitochondria-targeted fluorescent sensor	K <sup>+</sup>	0.5-5mM	0.5mM	[7]
Fluorescence	GQDs modified ionophore-based optical nanosensors	K <sup>+</sup>	3-1000μM	3μM	[8]
Chemiluminescence	a guanine chemiluminescence (CL) system	K <sup>+</sup>	30-1000μM	30nM	[9]
Colorimetry	crown ether modified Au NPs based sensor	K <sup>+</sup>	0-200μM	5.24μM	[10]
Fluorescence	G-quadruplex quenching ability used for quenching fluorescence	K <sup>+</sup>	0.24-15.63μM	0.24μM	This work

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