Supplementary Information

DNA Nanostructure-based Interfacial engineering for PCR-free ultrasensitive electrochemical analysis of microRNA

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Probe Name	Sequence (5'-3')	
Tetra-miR-21	ACATTCCTAAGTCTGAAACATTACAGCTTGCTACACGAGAAGAGCCGCCATAGTAAAA	
	AAAAAATCAACATCAG	
Tetra-let-7d	ACATTCCTAAGTCTGAAACATTACAGCTTGCTACACGAGAAGAGCCGCCATAGTAAAA	
	AAAAAAAACTATGCAA	
Tetra-miR-31	CATCTTGCCTAAAAAAAAAAAACATTCCTAAGTCTGAAACATTACAGCTTGCTACACGAG	
	AAGAGCCGCCATAGTA	
Tetra-B	$SH-C_6 TATCACCAGGCAGTTGACAGTGTAGCAAGCTGTAATAGATGCGAGGGTCCAATAC$	
Tetra-C	SH-C6-TCAACTGCCTGGTGATAAAACGACACTACGTGGGAATCTACTATGGCGGCTCTTC	
Tetra-D	SH-C ₆ -TTCAGACTTAGGAATGTGCTTCCCACGTAGTGTCGTTTGTATTGGACCCTCGCAT	
swRP-miR-21	TCTGATAAGCTA-BIOTIN'	
swRP-let-7d	CCTACTACCTCT-BIOTIN'	
swRP-miR-31	BIOTIN'-AGCTATGCCAG	
SH-ss-miR-21	SH-C ₆ -TAAATAAATATCAACATCAG	
miD-21	TAGCTTATCAGACTGATGTTGA	

Table S1. Synthetic Oligonucleotide Probes

miRBase ID	Sequence (5'-3')	Accession#
hsa-mirR-21	UAGCUUAUCAGACUGAUGUUGA	MIMAT0000076
hsa-miR-31	AGGCAAGAUGCUGGCAUAGCU	MIMAT0000089
hsa-let-7a	UGAGGUAGUAGGUUGUAUAGUU	MIMAT0000062
hsa-let-7b	UGAGGUAGUAGGUUGUGUGGUU	MIMAT0000063
hsa-let-7c	UGAGGUAGUAGGUUGUAUGGUU	MIMAT0000064
hsa-let-7d	AGAGGUAGUAGGUUGCAUAGUU	MIMAT0000065
hsa-let-7e	UGAGGUAGGAGGUUGUAUAGUU	MIMAT0000066
hsa-let-7f	UGAGGUAGUAGAUUGUAUAGUU	MIMAT0000067
hsa-let-7g	UGAGGUAGUAGUUUGUACAGUU	MIMAT0000414
hsa-let-7i	UGAGGUAGUAGUUUGUGCUGUU	MIMAT0000415
hsa-miR-98	UGAGGUAGUAAGUUGUAUUGUU	MIMAT0000096

Table S2. Sequences of mature human miRNAs



Figure S1. Effect of (A) hybridization temperature (of 1 nM miR-21 in 5hr hybridization) and (B) hybridization time (of 10 pM miR-21 hybridization at 10 $^{\circ}$ C) for tetrahedra-based EMRS. Error bars represent standard deviations for measurements taken from at least three independent experiments.



Figure S2. Comparison for detection of DNA and RNA with tetrahedra-based EMRS.



Figure S3. Amperometric curves (i-t) for EMRS with poly-HRP80 tested with miR-21 of ultralow concentrations (10 aM, 100 aM, 1 fM) and the blank solution. The data are shown in the inset of Fig. 4A.