SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION

Submillimetre Network Formation by Light-induced Hybridization of Zeptomole-level DNA

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Movie Legends:

Please see also the detail in the main text.

Movie S1. Simulation result of dynamics of probe nanoparticles (NPs) and complementary DNA under the self-consistently evaluated light-induced force (LIF) (corresponding to Figure 2b in the main text).

Movie S2. Simulation result of dynamics of probe NPs and mismatched DNA under the self-consistently evaluated LIF (corresponding to Figure 2c in the main text).

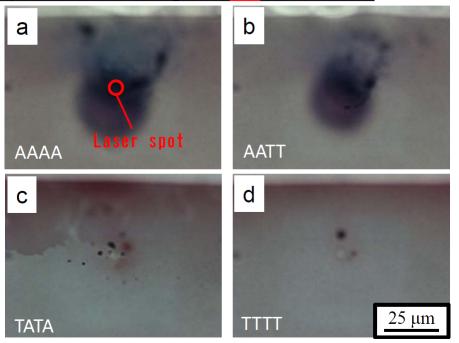
Movie S3. Real-time dynamics of probe NPs and complementary DNA (AAAA; 100 pM) under laser irradiation. Recording started at the same time as laser irradiation (corresponding to Figure 3a in the main text and Figure S1a).

Movie S4. Real-time dynamics of probe NPs and half-mismatched DNA (AATT; 100 pM) under laser irradiation. Recording started at the same time as laser irradiation (corresponding to Figure S1b).

Movie S5. Real-time dynamics of probe NPs and alternate-sequence DNA (TATA; 100 pM) under laser irradiation. Recording started at the same time as laser irradiation (corresponding to Figure S1c).

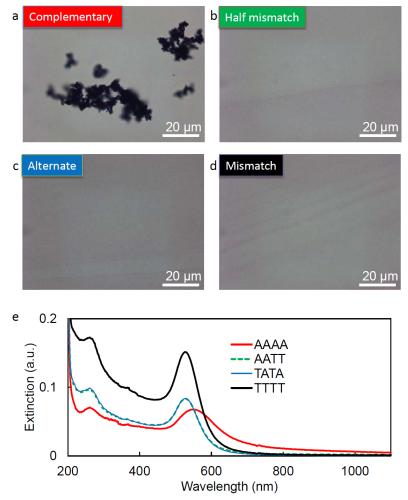
Movie S6. Real-time dynamics of probe NPs and mismatched DNA (TTTT; 100 pM) under laser irradiation. Recording started at the same time as laser irradiation (corresponding to Figure 3a in the main text and Figure S1d).

Supplementary Figures:



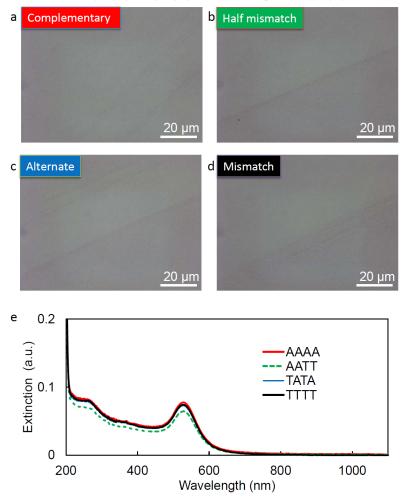
Optical transmission image after 30 s laser irradiation

Fig. S1. $\mathbf{a} - \mathbf{d}$, Optical transmission images at 30 s after laser irradiation for each sequence of target DNA and T-sequence probe NPs. Laser wavelength is 1064 nm, and input power 0.2 W at the laser source.



3' (10 μ L) + 5' (10 μ L) + 1 μ M Target DNA (10 μ L)

Fig. S2. a-d, Optical transmission images on the glass substrate of probe NPs 3 h after adding target DNA (1 μ M). **e,** Extinction spectra of probe NPs in suspension after adding target DNA, observed by UV-vis spectrometry in bulk suspension.



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Fig. S3. a-d, Optical transmission images of probe NPs on the glass substrate 3 h after adding target DNA (100 pM). **e,** Extinction spectra of probe NPs in suspension after adding target DNA.

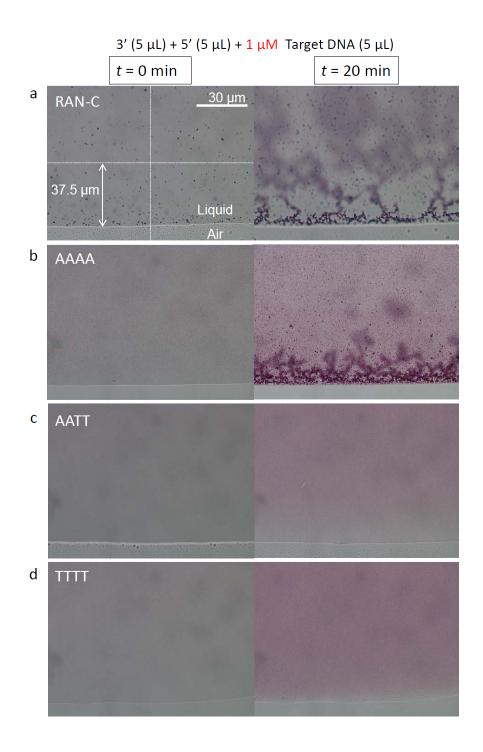


Fig. S4. a-d, Optical transmission images of dispersed liquid droplets of probe NPs near the air-liquid interface on the glass substrate 20 minutes after adding different target DNA (1 μ M).

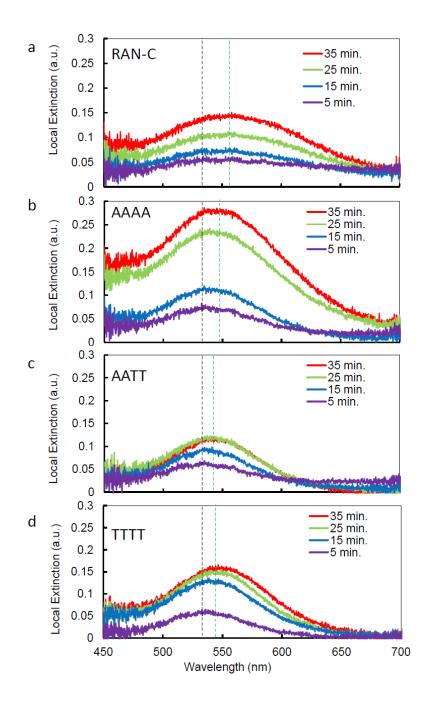


Fig. S5. a-d, Local extinction spectra of dispersed liquid droplets of probe NPs near the air-liquid interface after adding different target DNA (1 μ M), which corresponds to Fig. S4.

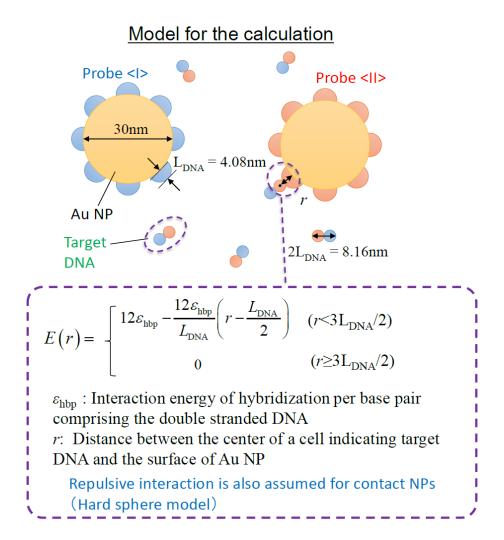


Fig. S6. Model for the calculation of optically accelerated hybridization of DNA on AuNPs.



Fig. S7. Photometric area for the observation of local extinction spectra.