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## 2 Phytosynthesis of palladium nanoclusters: An

## 3 efficient nanozyme for ultrasensitive and selective

## 4 detection of reactive oxygen species

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12 Table S1. Elemental compositions of PdNCs obtained with EDX analysis.

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Element	Line	k Factor	k Factor	Absorption	Wt%	Wt%	Atomic %
	Type		type	Correction		Sigma	
Cu	K series	1.233		0.50	28.39	0.33	39.90
Pd	L series	1.809		0.60	71.61	0.33	60.10
Total:					100.00		100.00

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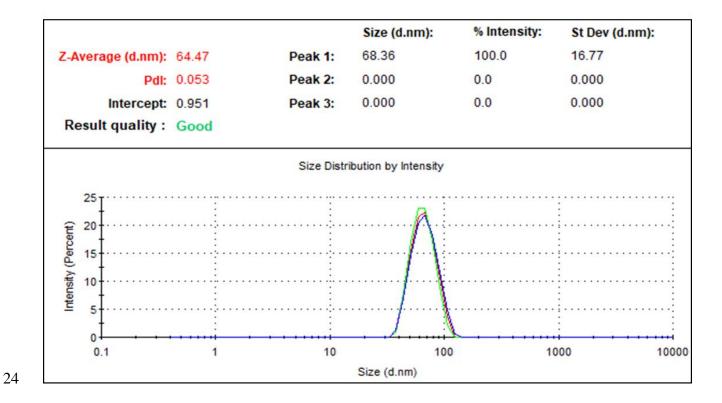


Figure S1. Size distribution profile of biosynthesized nanoclusters.

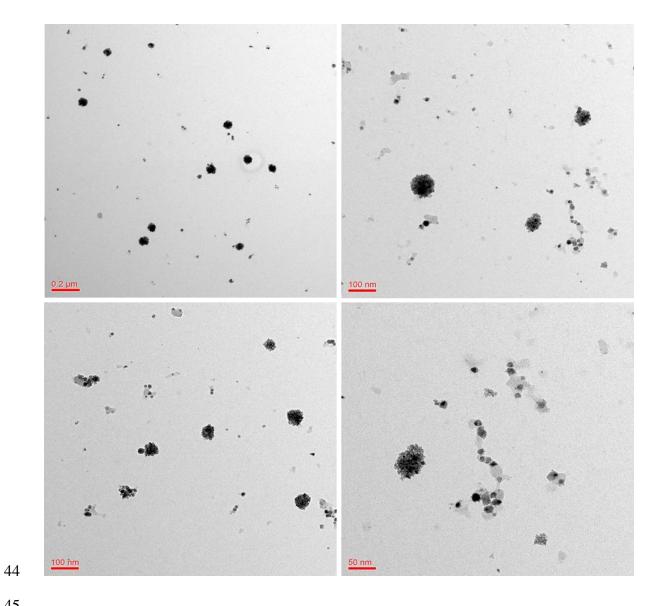


Figure S2. Various magnifications of TEM micrographs of PdNCs obtained after sonication of colloidal solution of nanoclusters for assessing their stability.

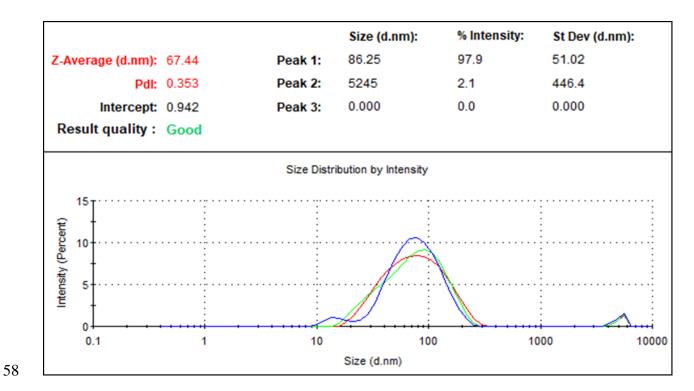
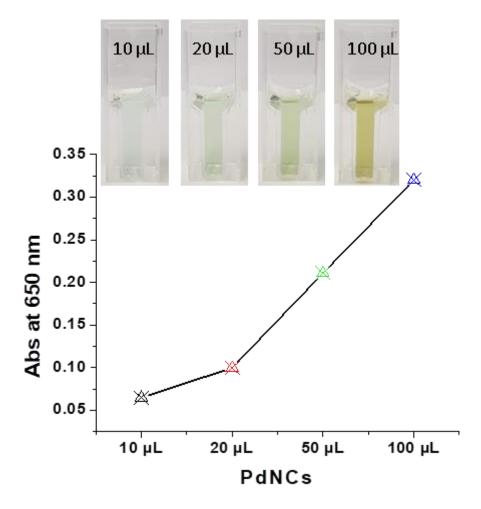


Figure S3. DLS obtained after sonication of colloidal solution of nanoclusters for assessing their stability.



**Figure S4.** Results for the control assay (without  $H_2O_2$ ) showing absorbance at 650 nm in response to the addition of varying amounts of as-synthesized nanoclusters. Inset cuvettes show impact of nanocluster concentration on intensity of color without  $H_2O_2$ .

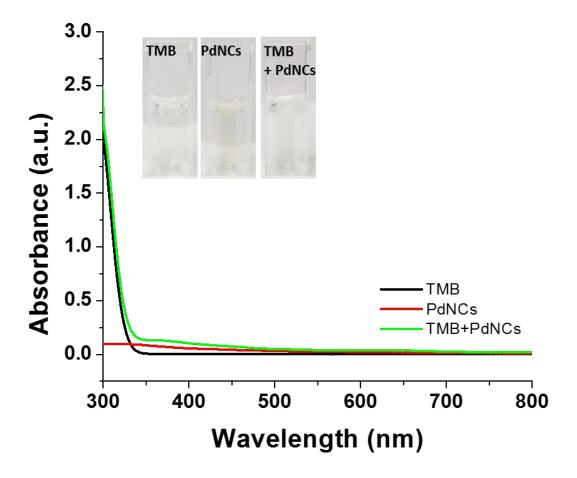


Figure S5. Absorbance spectra of 0.525 mM TMB, 10  $\mu$ L nanoclusters, and the combination of both; the inset cuvettes show the color.

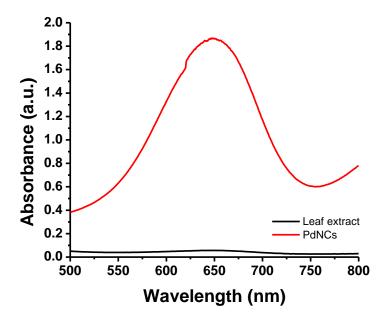


Figure S6. Comparative analysis for TMB oxidation between biosynthesized PdNCs and leaf extract.