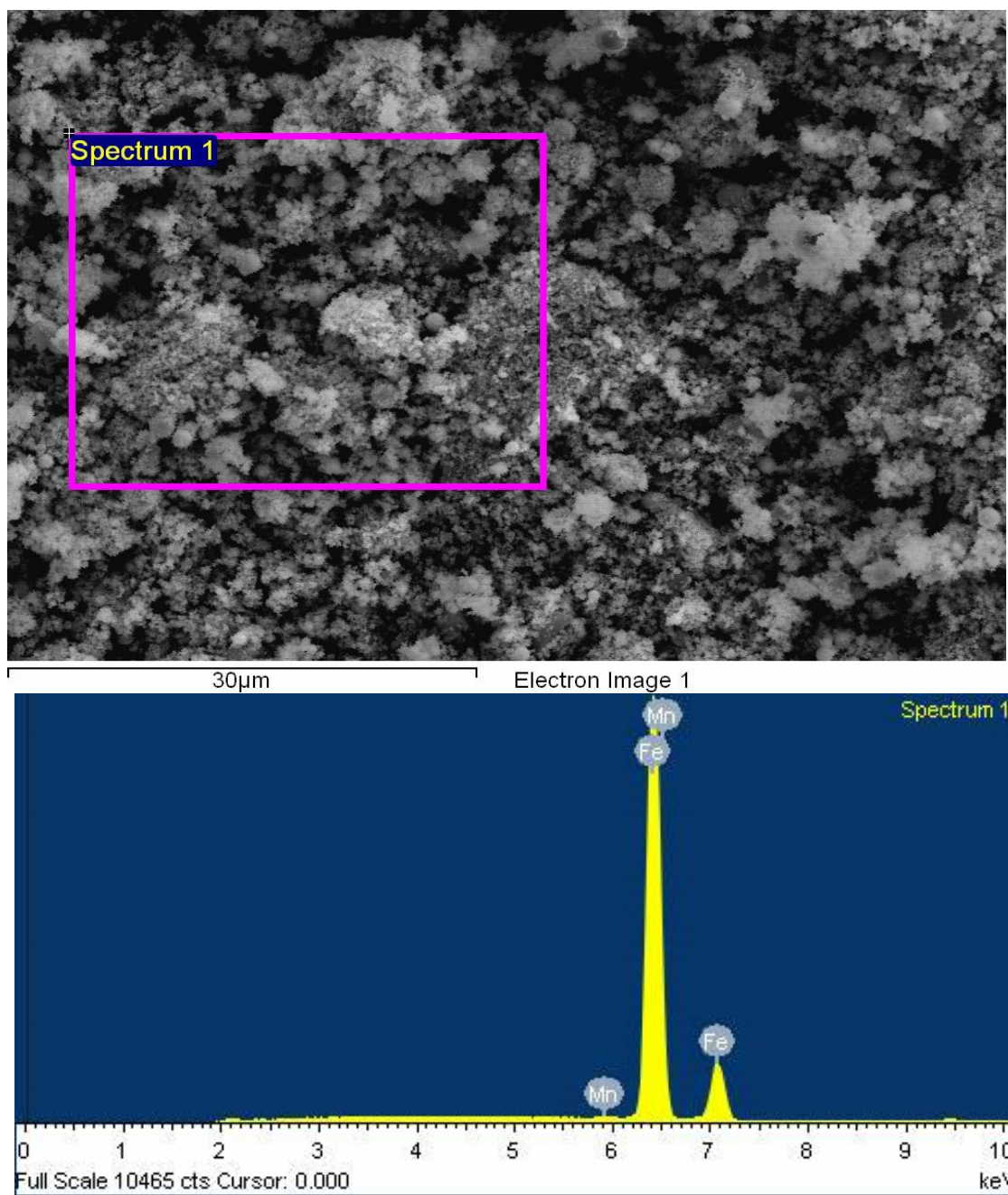


Supplementary Figure S1. Changes in colour of culture filtrate during extracellular synthesis of *Beuveria brongniartii* Fe⁰NPs (A) *B. brongniartii* conidial filtrate; (B) 1 mM Fe⁰; and (C) *B. brongniartii* Fe⁰NPs.



Supplementary Figure S2. Energy dispersive X-ray spectroscopy profile of *Beauveria brongniartii* Fe⁰NPs.