

# Bioactive Carboxymethyl Starch-Based Hydrogels Decorated with CuO Nanoparticles: Antioxidant and Antimicrobial Properties and Accelerated Wound Healing In Vivo

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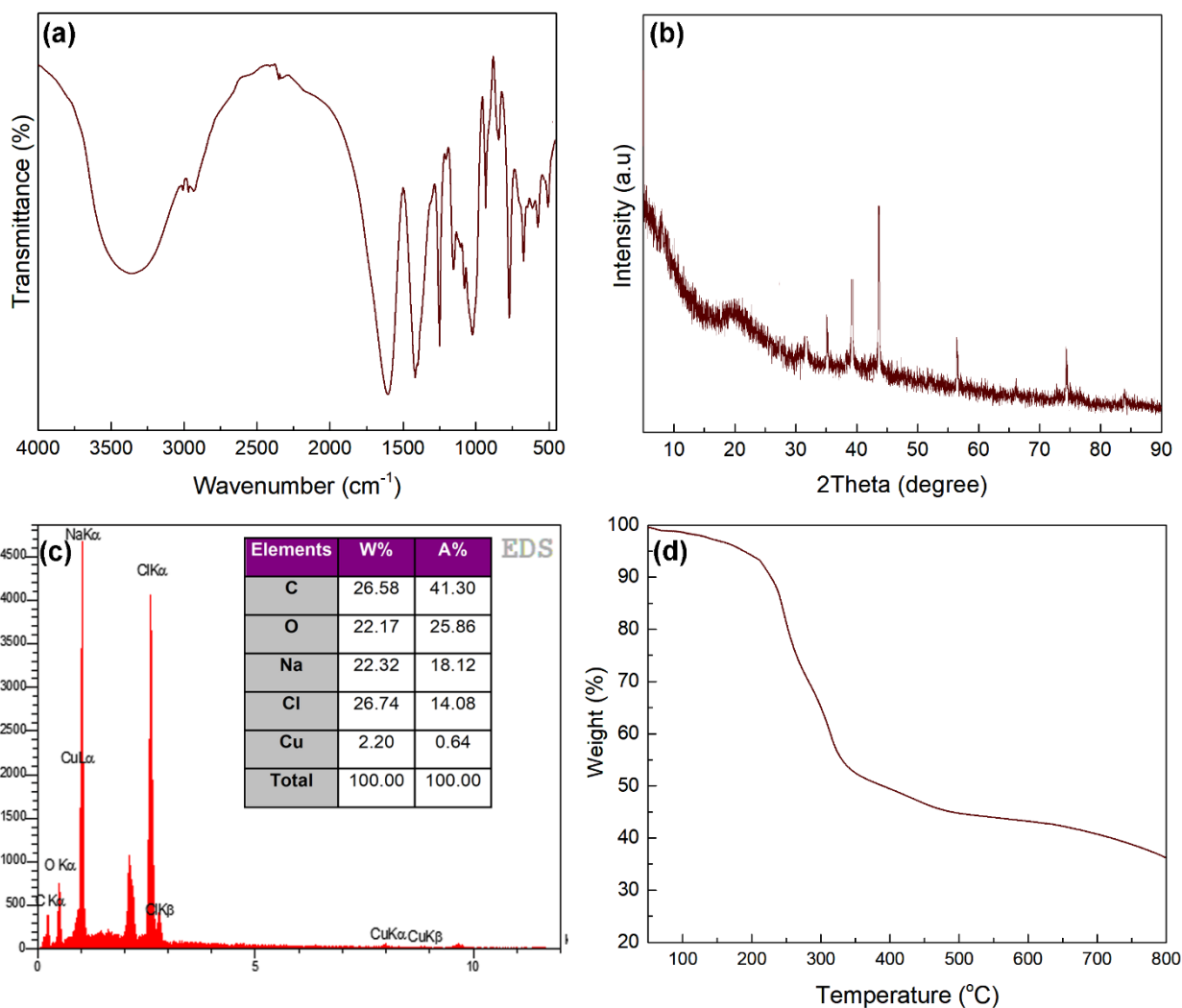


Figure S1. FTIR spectrum (a), XRD pattern (b), EDS spectrum (c), and TGA curve (d) of the CMS@4%CuO nanocomposite hydrogel.

**Table S1.** UV-vis data of antioxidant activities of CMS, CuO nanoparticles, CMS@2%CuO, and CMS@4%CuO nanocomposite hydrogels in methanolic DPPH· solution.  $A_b$ , the absorbance of DPPH solution at 517 nm;  $A_s$ , the absorbance of each sample in DPPH solution at 517 nm.

<b>Samples</b>	<b><math>A_b</math></b>	<b><math>A_s</math></b>	<b>DPPH %</b>
CMS	0.450	0.283	37
CuO nanoparticles	0.450	0.112	75
CMS@2%CuO	0.450	0.090	80
CMS@4%CuO	0.450	0.081	82