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One incorrect TEM image was chosen and used in Fig. 1. The updated Fig. 1 is provided below.

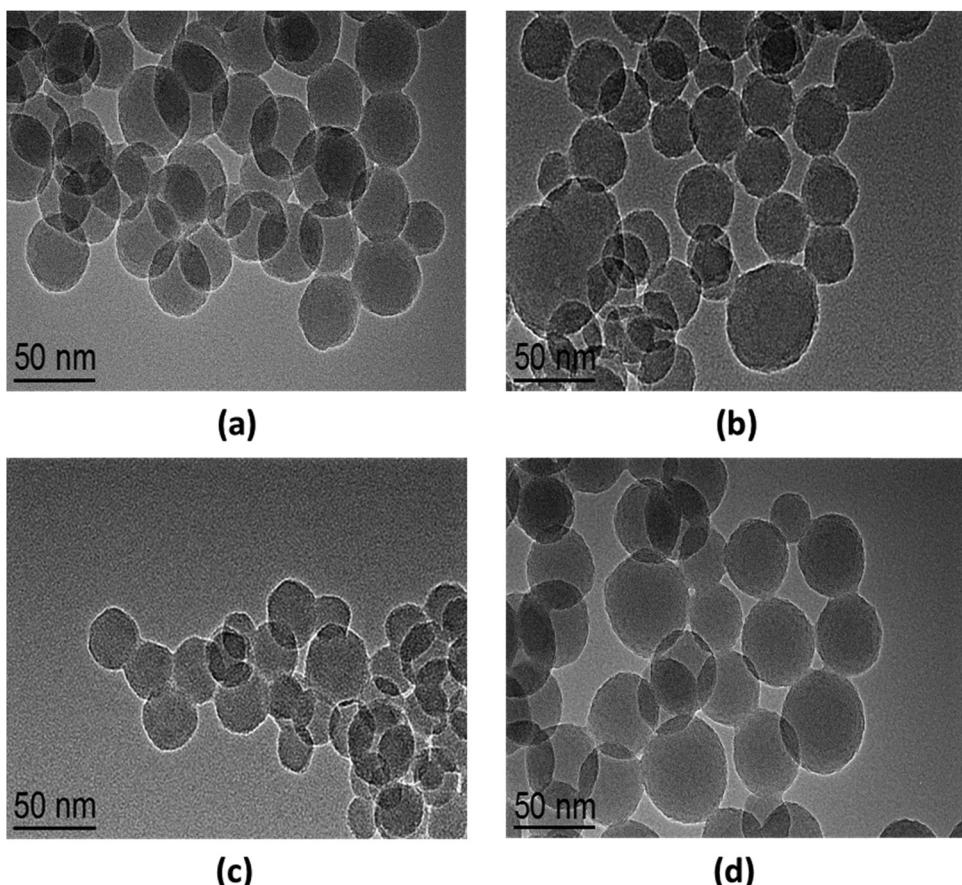


Fig. 1 TEM images of the FSNPs. (a) FSNP-1; (b) FSNP-2; (c) FSNP-3; (d) FSNP-4.

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