

Abbreviations

BF	B right F ield
DDA	D iscrete D ipole A pproximation
DF	D ark F ield
DMF	D i M ethyl F ormamide
DP	D iffraction P attern
EDS	E nergy D ispersive S pectroscopy
FWHM	F ull W idth H alf M aximum
HAADF	H igh A ngle A nnular D ark F ield
HDA	H exa D ecyl A mine
HRTEM	H igh R esolution T ransmission E lectron M icroscopy
LSPR	L ocalized S urface P lasmon R esonance
MA	M atching A ttachment
NBD	N ano B eam D iffraction
NPs	N anoparticles
NWs	N anowires
OA	O riented A ttachment
OR	O stwald R ipening
PVP	P oly V inyl P yrrolidone
RS	R ice S tarch
SAD	S electd A rea D iffraction
STEM	S canning T ransmission E lectron M icroscopy
TA	T winning A ttachment

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TEM	T ransmission E lectron M icroscopy
UV-Vis	U ltra V iolet V isible S pectroscopy
XRD	X -ray D iffraction