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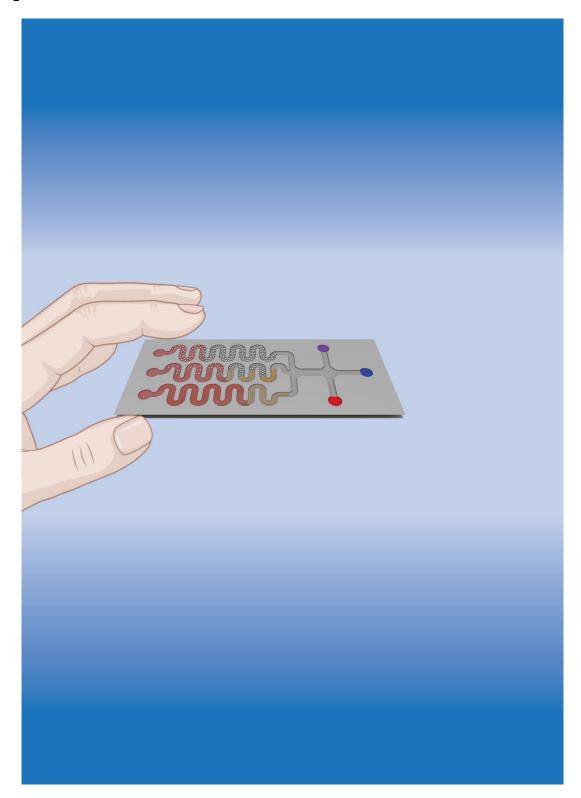
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Abstract

Microfluidic paper-based analytical devices (µPADs) have become promising tools offering various analytical applications for chemical, biological and diagnostic assays, especially as point-of-care (POC) testing devices. Development of µPADs provides better engineering of POC sensing and testing devices for reducing fabrication cost, increasing detection sensitivity, realizing a wild range of assay protocols and to the end promising toward high-throughput diagnostic screening devices. Herein, after we massively reviewed developments of µPADs especially for POC devices, we showed our own novel methods for fabrication of the comprehensive paper-based lab-on-a chips (LOCs) equipped with biosensors: electrochemical sensors (ECSs) and colorimetric sensors, and paper-based microfluidic devices: paper-based continuous-flow microfluidic devices (p-CMFs) and paper-based digital microfluidic devices (p-DMFs). The fabricated biosensors were successfully used to detect various diagnostic analytes such as glucose and methyl paraoxon (MPO) that are the critical clinical indicators for diabetes and nerve agent simulant, respectively. The fabricated microfluidic devices were used to handle fluid samples in programmable way and capable for usages of a wide range of analytical assay protocols both single-step and multiple-step assay. Our approaches opened an avenue for affordable µPADs for POC testing for medical screening especially for resourcelimited settings.

Keywords: microfluidic paper-based analytical devices; immunoassay; biomarkers; continuous-flow microfluidic device; digital microfluidic device; printing of nanomaterial ink; lab-on-a-chip

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- 4. Best Poster Award of The 10th International Meeting on Electrowetting 2016, Conference poster presentation, 2016.

Research Interests

- 1. Nanomaterial deposition by printing methods: Fabrication of paper-based electrochemical sensor/ Applied for detection of glucose that is indicator for diabetes diagnosis/ Low cost
- Microfluidic chip fabrication: Fabrication of paper-based digital microfluidic fabrication/ Biochip for point-of-care devices/ Applied for automation of biofluid sample handling/ Low cost
- 3. Microfluidic chip fabrication: Controllable microfluidic device/ Paper-based continueflow microfluidic devices/ Applied for control biofluid sample transportation without need external power source/ Capable for multi-step chemical and biological assays/ Detection of glucose and chemical warfare agent/ Detection of cancer markers.
- 4. Surface coating of high temperature stable polymer: Heat stable and glossy surface paper substrate for printing nanomaterial ink/ For printed flexible electronics

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PRESENTATIONS AND INVITED LECTURES

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- **1. Paper Presentation**, "Programmable paper-based microfluidic devices with printed patterns for analytical assays," Korean Chemical Society, October 2019.