

## **Supplementary material for:**

### **Antibacterial and antiviral effects of Ag, Cu, Zn metals, respective nanoparticles and filter materials thereof against coronavirus SARS-CoV-2 and influenza A virus**

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**Table S1.** Dynamic light scattering (DLS) for evaluation of nanoparticles in suspensions for producing filter materials.

Sample suspension	Time	NP	Solvent	% of polymer	Hydro-Dynamic size, nm	PDI
5%CuO_Ac:DMAc2:1	24 h	CuO	Ac:DMAc 2:1	-	254.5	0.3
17%CA_5%CuO_Ac:DMAc2:1	24 h	CuO	Ac:DMAc 2:1	17% CA	177.3	0.7
5%CuO_Ac:DMAc2:1	1 w	CuO	Ac:DMAc 2:1	-	221.8	0.3
17%CA_5%CuO_Ac:DMAc2:1	1 w	CuO	Ac:DMAc 2:1	17% CA	195.5	0.5
5%CuO-COOH_Ac:DMAc2:1	24 h	CuO-COOH	Ac:DMAc 2:1	-	3990.7	1.0
17%CA_5%CuO-COOH_Ac:DMAc2:1	24 h	CuO-COOH	Ac:DMAc 2:1	17% CA	320.4	0.4
5%CuO-COOH_Ac:DMAc2:1	1 w	CuO-COOH	Ac:DMAc 2:1	-	536.9	0.7
17%CA_5%CuO-COOH_Ac:DMAc2:1	1 w	CuO-COOH	Ac:DMAc 2:1	17% CA	258.8	0.3
5%CuO-NH <sub>2</sub> _Ac:DMAc2:1	24 h	CuO-NH <sub>2</sub>	Ac:DMAc 2:1	-	715.4	0.8
17%CA_5%CuO-NH <sub>2</sub> _Ac:DMAc2:1	24 h	CuO-NH <sub>2</sub>	Ac:DMAc 2:1	17% CA	144.0	0.2
5%CuO-NH <sub>2</sub> _Ac:DMAc2:1	1 w	CuO-NH <sub>2</sub>	Ac:DMAc 2:1	-	394.3	0.6
17%CA_5%CuO-NH <sub>2</sub> _Ac:DMAc2:1	1 w	CuO-NH <sub>2</sub>	Ac:DMAc 2:1	17% CA	248.4	0.1
5%CuO_Ac:DMAc3:1	24 h	CuO	Ac:DMAc 3:1	-	288.2	0.5
17%CA_5%CuO_Ac:DMAc3:1	24 h	CuO	Ac:DMAc 3:1	17% CA	189.9	0.1
5%CuO_Ac:DMAc3:1	1 w	CuO	Ac:DMAc 3:1	-	288.9	0.4
17%CA_5%CuO_Ac:DMAc3:1	1 w	CuO	Ac:DMAc 3:1	17% CA	201.3	0.1
5%CuO-COOH_Ac:DMAc3:1	24 h	CuO-COOH	Ac:DMAc 3:1	-	10712.0	0.6
17%CA_5%CuO-COOH_Ac:DMAc3:1	24 h	CuO-COOH	Ac:DMAc 3:1	17% CA	232.7	0.4
5%CuO-COOH_Ac:DMAc3:1	1 w	CuO-COOH	Ac:DMAc 3:1	-	822.3	0.8
17%CA_5%CuO-COOH_Ac:DMAc3:1	1 w	CuO-COOH	Ac:DMAc 3:1	17% CA	432.1	0.3
5%CuO-NH <sub>2</sub> _Ac:DMAc3:1	24 h	CuO-NH <sub>2</sub>	Ac:DMAc 3:1	-	492.0	0.7
17%CA_5%CuO-NH <sub>2</sub> _Ac:DMAc3:1	24 h	CuO-NH <sub>2</sub>	Ac:DMAc 3:1	17% CA	199.6	0.0
5%CuO-NH <sub>2</sub> _Ac:DMAc3:1	1 w	CuO-NH <sub>2</sub>	Ac:DMAc 3:1	-	424.5	0.6
17%CA_5%CuO-NH <sub>2</sub> _Ac:DMAc3:1	1 w	CuO-NH <sub>2</sub>	Ac:DMAc 3:1	17% CA	200.6	0.3

NP- nanoparticle

w- week

DMAc- dimethyl acetamide

Ac -Acetone

PDI- polydispersity index

CA- cellulose acetate

**Table S2.** Operating parameters for electrospinning of the filter materials.

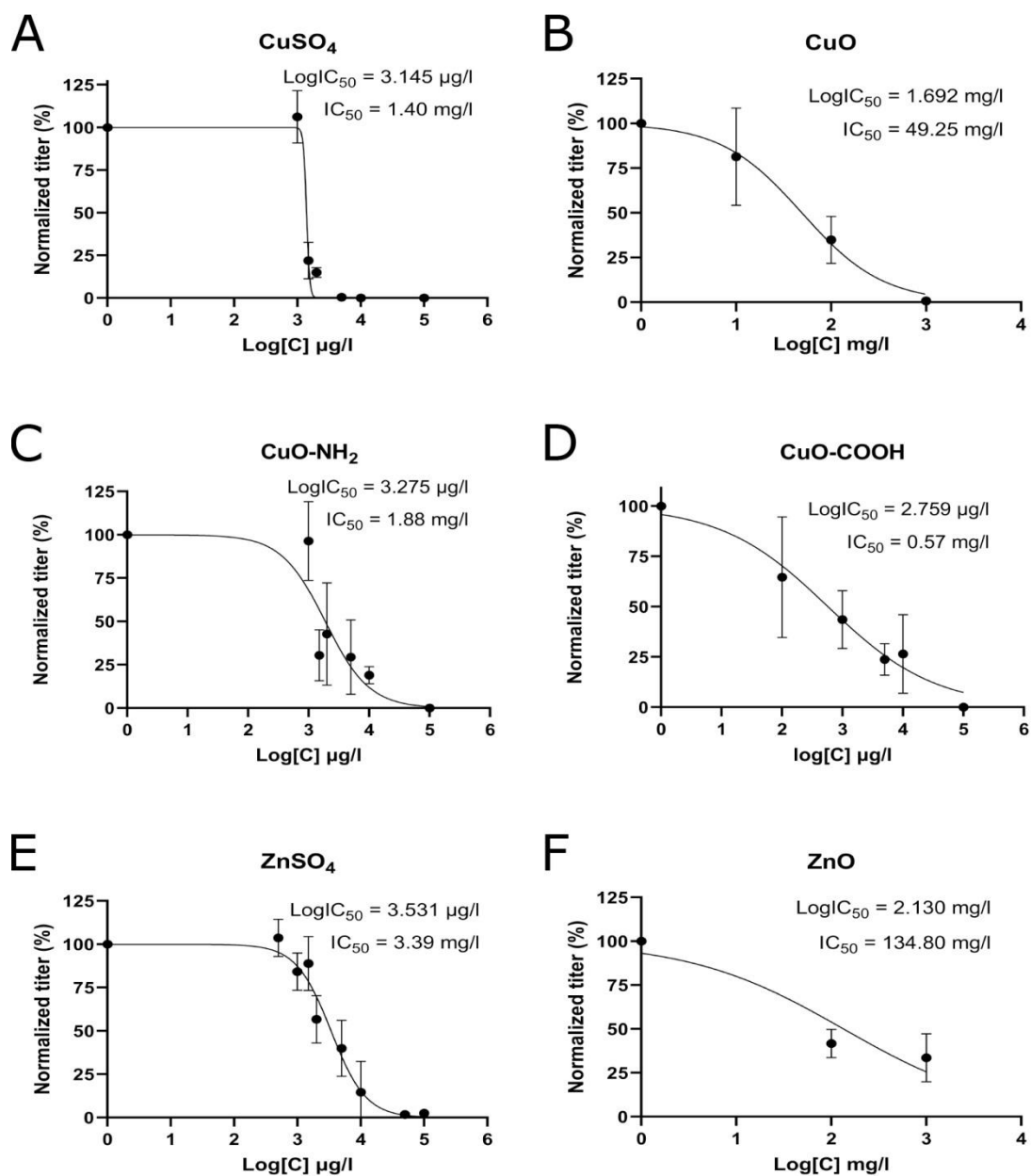
Samples	Additive concentration	Solvent system	Pumping rate	Needle diameter	Distance	Voltage
	(% w/w)		ml/h	mm	cm	kV
CA	-	Ac-DMAc (2:1)	0.6	0.4	15	10
CA_7.5%CuSO <sub>4</sub>	7.5	Ac-DMAc (2:1)	0.9	0.6	15	10
CA_10%CuO	10	Ac-DMAc (2:1)	0.4	0.4	15	10
CA_thymol	10	Ac-DMAc (2:1)	0.4	0.4	15	10
CA_thymol_7.5%CuSO <sub>4</sub>	10	Ac-DMAc (2:1)	0.4	0.4	15	10

**Table S3.** Physicochemical properties characterization of nanoparticles in suspensions.

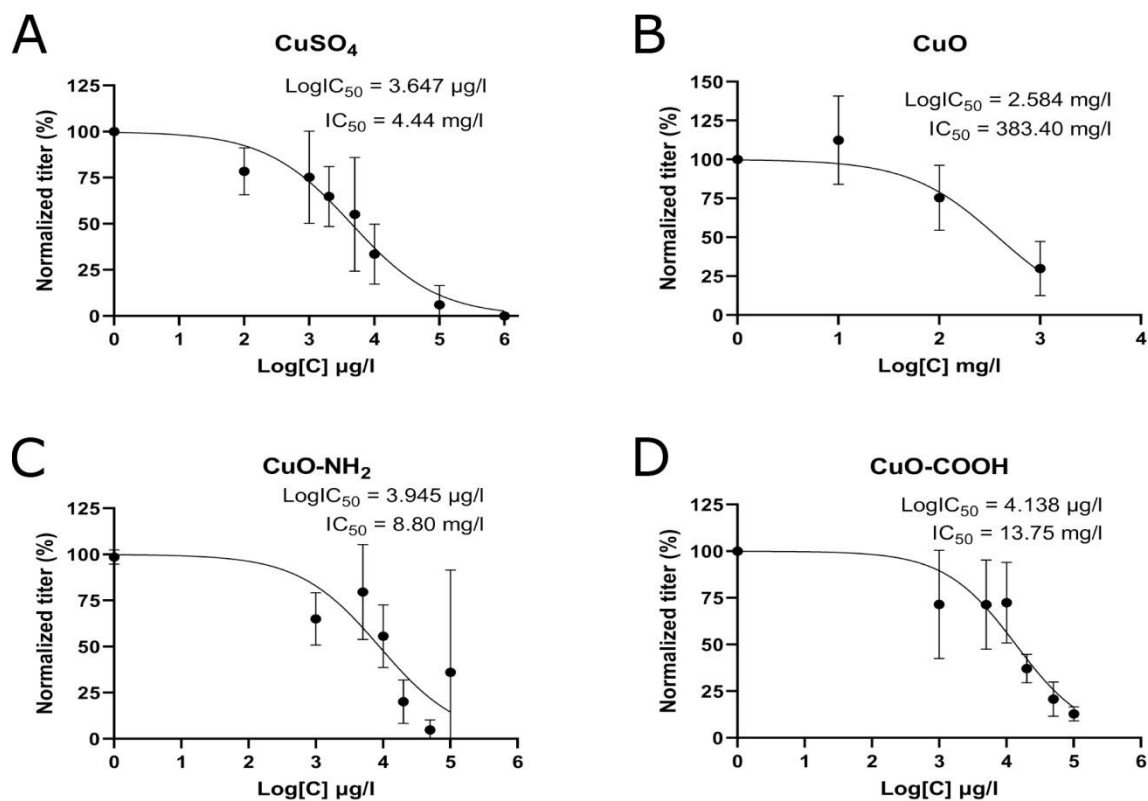
Metal-based NPs or metal salts	Primary size, nm	Hydrodynamic diameter (Dh) in MQ water, nm (PDI)	Dh in RPMI cell culture medium, nm (PDI)	Z-potential in MQ water, mV	Z-potential in RPMI cell culture medium, mV	Metal content, %	Dissolution after 24h in RPMI cell culture medium, %
CuO	15.9 ± 5.2*	237 ± 31 (0.25)*	204 ± 13 (0.45)*	27.5 ± 1.8*	- 10.8 ± 1.4*	76.8 ± 5.7*	103 ± 0.5*
CuO-NH <sub>2</sub>	6.9 ± 2.2*	733 ± 252 (0.24)*	936 ± 229 (0.67)*	25.8 ± 1.3*	- 8.9 ± 0.8*	46.2 ± 4.0*	99.3 ± 0.8
CuO-COOH	9.2 ± 2.5*	1124 ± 128 (0.35)*	303 ± 84 (0.70)*	- 12.0 ± 2.2*	- 10.2 ± 0.8*	33.6 ± 3.2*	98.9 ± 0.5
CuSO <sub>4</sub>	na	na	na	na	na	37.1 ± 4.5*	102.9 ± 0.3
Ag-col	12.5 ± 4**	45.88 ± 0.21 (0.261)	61.2 ± 0.47 (0.24)	-56.6 ± 1.91	-9.76 ± 0.84	83.0 ± 9.8	5.24 ± 0.41
nAg	85.7 ± 29.3	109.4 ± 1.3 (0.447)	156 ± 3.15 (0.403)	-27.7 ± 1.65	-10.49 ± 0.93	71.8 ± 12.0	1.1 ± 0.32
AgNO <sub>3</sub>	na	na	na	na	Na	70.2 ± 7.95	96.7 ± 6.3

\* Characterization of NPs has been done previously by *Kubo and al* (Kubo et al. 2020)

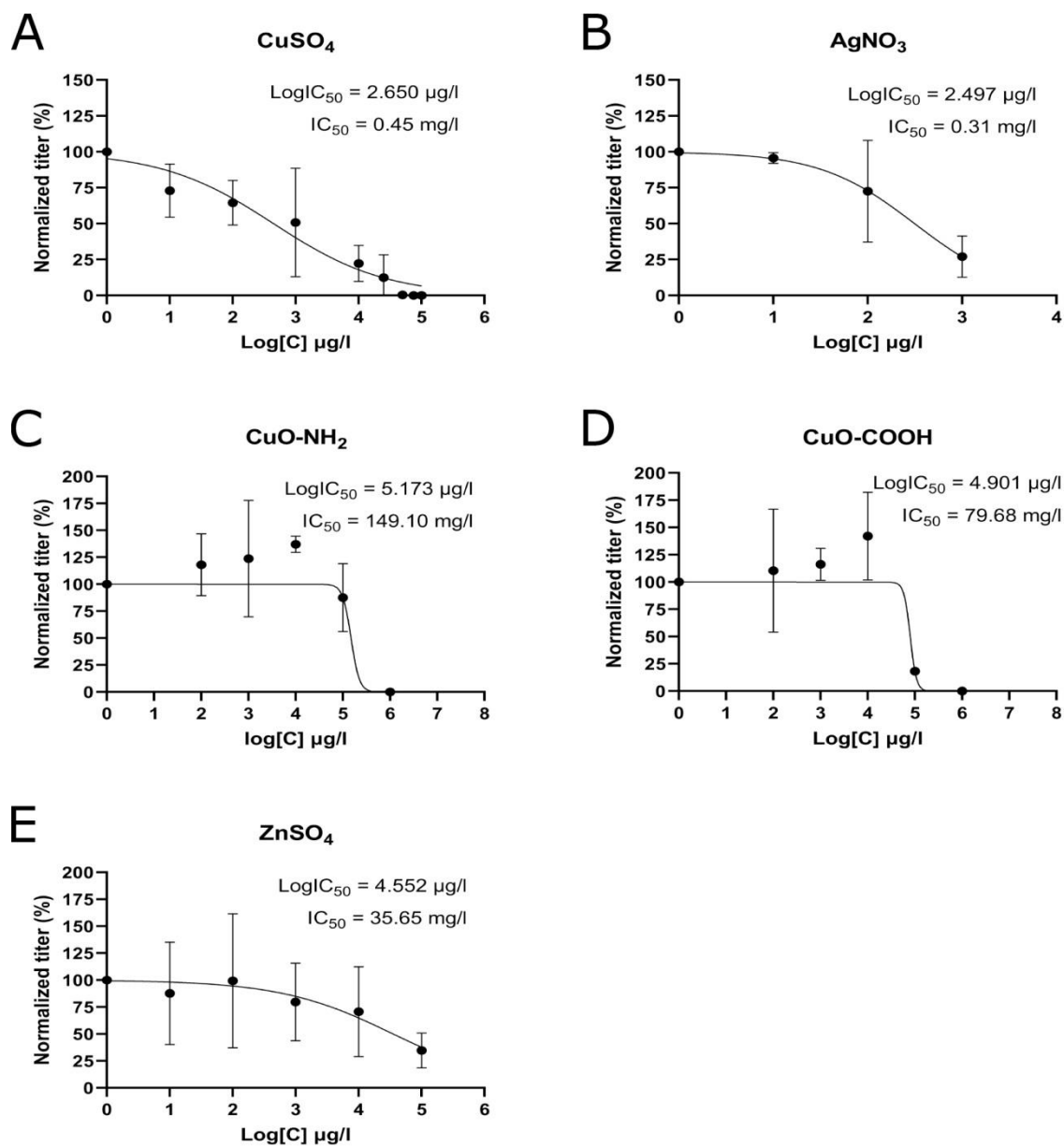
\*\* Characterization of NPs has been done previously by *Blinova and al* (Blinova et al. 2013)



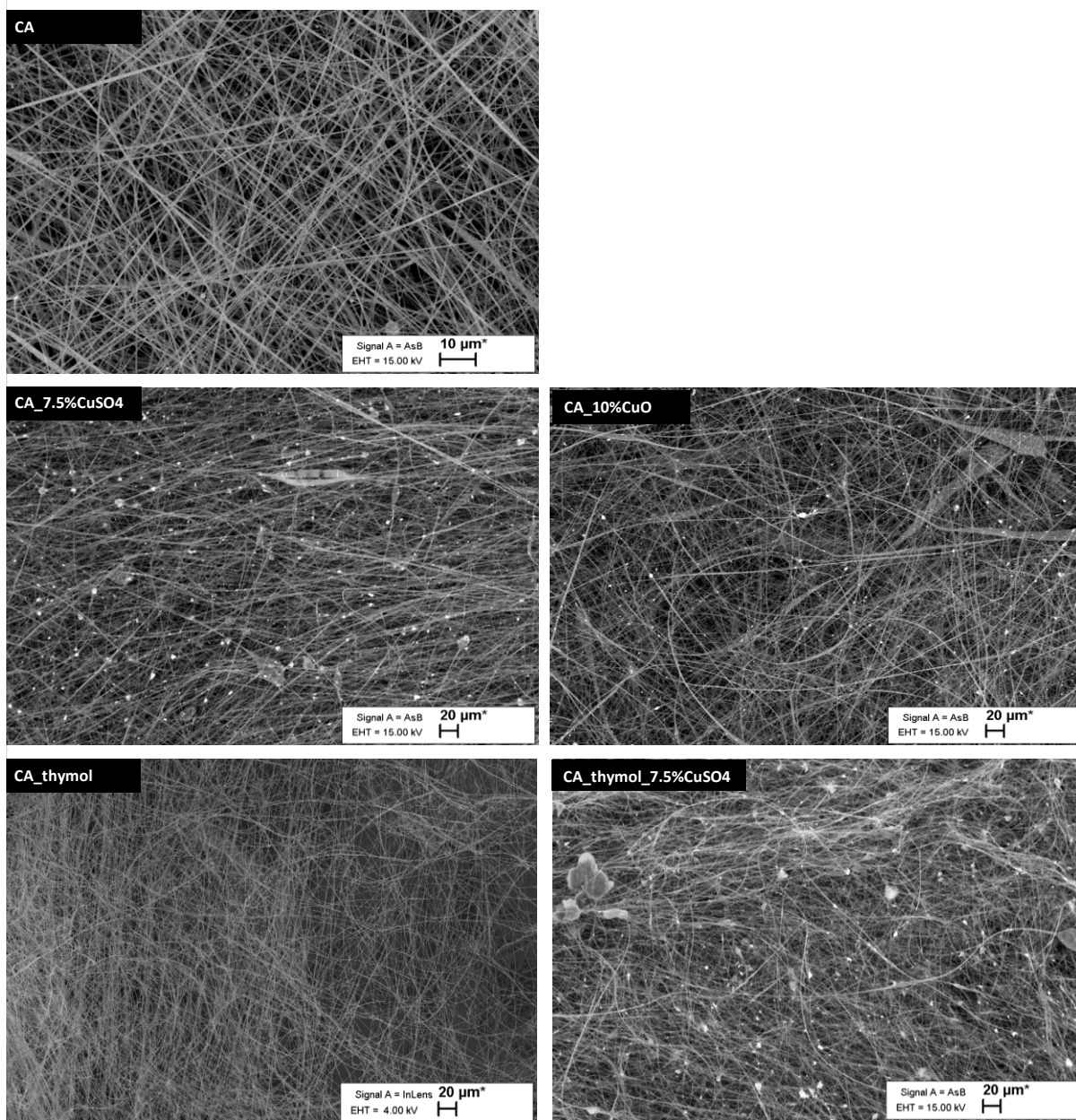
**Figure S1.** Antiviral properties of metal compounds against A/WSN/1933 (H1N1) virus in water suspensions. Note the differences in units (concentration of CuO and ZnO is shown in mg/l).



**Figure S2.** Antiviral properties of metal compounds against TGEV virus in water suspensions. Note the differences in units.



**Figure S3.** Antiviral properties of metal compounds against SARS-CoV-2 virus (Estonian strain 3049) in water suspensions.



**Figure S4.** Scanning electron micrograph of CA fibers.

### Literature for SM

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