ABSTRACT

Light curing is a medical device used to strengthen dental

fillings. Light curing produces visible light with a wavelength of

460-485 nm. Light Cure type is the light cure unit of the light emiting

diode (LED). This research was conducted to add intensity to the

light cure to facilitate the process of dentist work where the

composite resin hardening without requiring a long time. There are

two tests, the first test uses a timer function with a stopwatch

comparator.

The workings of this tool are very simple, namely by

illuminating the composite which is used to patch the cavities with

the intensity needed so as to maximize fillings of cavities. This

module has been compared with radiometry which has been

calibrated in BPFK Surabaya, and the biggest error is obtained is

2.1% and the smallest is 0.35%.

The results obtained from this study indicate that the

hardness of the solre-x type composite will begin to harden if the

intensity setting used is low with a setting of 40 seconds.

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