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ฟอสเฟตชนิดใหม่ (Photocatalytic activities of novel colored zinc borophosphate

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In this report, we demonstrated the catalytic activity of colored zinc borophosphate

glasses, specifically their photocatalytic activity. The catalytic activity of the colored zinc

borophosphate glasses was investigated using four different methods, including

photooxidation reactions, photoreduction reaction, antibacterial testing, and radical

polymerization. Novel colored zinc borophosphate glasses were synthesized by a

conventional melt-quenching technique at 1200 C. The obtained zinc borophosphate

glasses were white, purple and dark green, depending on the metal oxide colorants in the glass matrix. These colored zinc borophosphate glasses improved water dissolution,

which is an inherent limitation of pure phosphate glasses. Characterization of the glasses

was performed by X-ray diffraction (XRD), scanning electron microscopy (SEM), high-

resolution transmission electron microscopy (HRTEM), and Raman and UV-Visible

spectroscopy

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