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## Effect of 1,4-dihydroxyanthraquinone dye on the dispersion parameters of poly(methyl methacrylate) polymer composites

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## **ABSTRACT**

The casting approach was used to make films of poly methyl-methacrylate (PMMA) doped with varied weight percentages of 1,4-dihydroxyanthraquinone dye. These films were made on glass substrates at room temperature. Two different methods, including elemental analysis, FT-IR, and UV-Visible spectroscopies, were used in order to characterize the films that were created. The spectrum properties and the dispersion parameters of the dye-doped polymers have been examined with the help of spectrophotometric measurements. These experiments were performed in the wavelength range of (300-900) nm. According to the Wemple-Didomenico single oscillator model, many significant optical dispersion characteristics of the spectrum absorption have been identified. These include the dispersion energy,  $E_o$  the wavelength of the single oscillator,  $\lambda_o$  and the average value of oscillator strength,  $S_0$ . It was discovered that dye doping had an influence on each of these different factors.

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