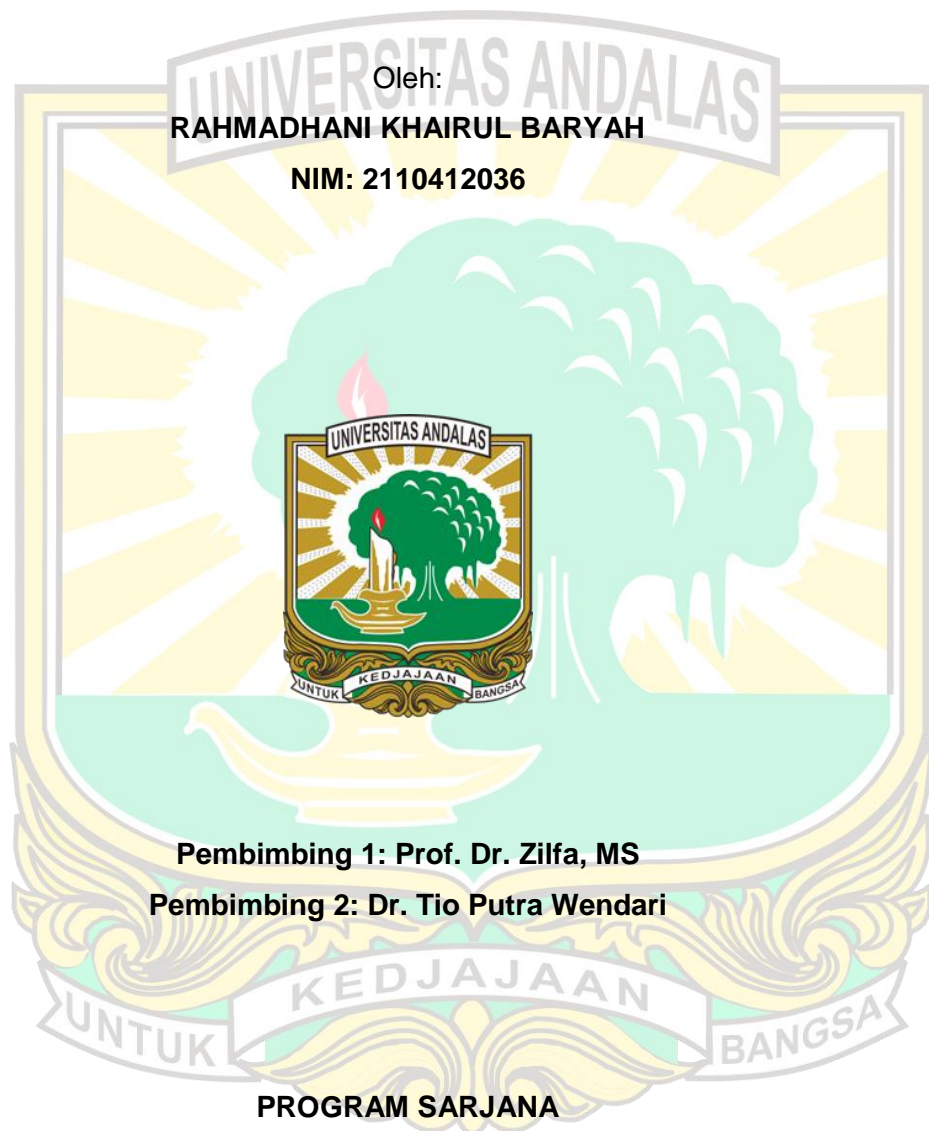


# **DEGRADASI RESIDU PESTISIDA KLORPIRIFOS PADA BUNCIS MENGUNAKAN KATALIS $\text{TiO}_2$ /ZEOLIT SECARA FOTOLISIS**

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## ABSTRACT

### PHOTOLYTIC DEGRADATION OF CHLORPYRIFOS PESTICIDE RESIDUES IN GREEN BEANS USING A $\text{TiO}_2$ /ZEOLIT CATALYST

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Pesticide residues such as chlorpyrifos in agricultural products are toxic to both human health and the environment. Titanium dioxide ( $\text{TiO}_2$ ) is a widely used photocatalyst for pollutant removal; however, its efficiency is limited due to its relatively low surface area. To enhance its photocatalytic performance, natural zeolit was employed to improve the effectiveness of  $\text{TiO}_2$ . Zeolit has a high surface area and strong adsorption capacity, and when combined with a photocatalyst, it can improve pollutant degradation efficiency through simultaneous adsorption and photocatalysis. This study aims to degrade chlorpyrifos pesticide residue on green beans using  $\text{TiO}_2$  supported by zeolit through a photolysis process. The  $\text{TiO}_2$ /zeolit catalyst was synthesized through activation and saturation of zeolit, followed by combination with  $\text{TiO}_2$ . Chlorpyrifos residues on green bean samples were analyzed using a UV-Vis spectrophotometer, while catalyst characterization was conducted using FTIR and XRD. The study also looked at the effects of photolysis time and catalyst dosage on degradation efficiency. The results showed that the degradation percentage of chlorpyrifos under UV light reached 72.88% with  $\text{TiO}_2$  and 30.17% with zeolit. The  $\text{TiO}_2$ /zeolit composite exhibited a significant improvement in degradation efficiency, reaching 98.82%, indicating an effective synergy between photolysis and adsorption. In the absence of UV irradiation, degradation was only 44.45%, confirming the essential role of UV light in activating  $\text{TiO}_2$  as a photocatalyst and enhancing the degradation of chlorpyrifos. The degradation of chlorpyrifos using  $\text{TiO}_2$ /zeolit followed first-order kinetics, where the reaction rate is directly proportional to the remaining chlorpyrifos concentration. FTIR analysis of the samples indicated successful degradation through the reduction of characteristic peak intensities. Furthermore, FTIR and XRD characterizations of the catalyst showed that the  $\text{TiO}_2$ /zeolit catalyst maintained its structural stability after the degradation process, allowing for potential reuse. This study shows that  $\text{TiO}_2$ /zeolit is effective for photocatalytic pesticide removal and may be applied in agricultural waste treatment.

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