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Abstract

Titanium hydride (TiH₂) has garnered considerable interest in biomedical applications, especially for dental implants, due to its cost-effectiveness, sinterability, and ability to decompose into fine titanium powder. This report evaluates the synthesis and microwave-assisted sintering of TiH₂ composites for potential dental applications. Employing hybrid microwave sintering (with SiC susceptors), the study outlines a significant reduction in processing time, improved densification, and enhanced mechanical properties. Using advanced characterization methods such as SEM, XRD, and microhardness testing, the report confirms refined grain structures and acceptable mechanical performance suitable for oral environments. The report consolidates experimental data and integrates scholarly insights, proposing a viable and advanced pathway for sintering TiH₂ for dental-grade biomaterials.

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