ABSTRACT

Health is a very important thing in people's lives. Heart as a vital organ in

the human body has a significant role in supporting the health of the human body.

Heart is one of the human organs that has a functions to pump the blood

throughout the body. Heart has a pulse that cannot be controlled. Heart rate is a

reflection of the mood and also our body fitness. From the heart rate can be

known our heart works, the diagnosis and medical tracking and other

abnormalities in the human body.

In this final project, designed a mobile application on the Android

smartphone that can detect our heart rate. This application is designed by using

Eclipse with digital image processing method of the fingers with and exploiting

the color fluctuations due the changes in blood volume in the fingers that were

captured by a camera of the Mobile Phone. This digital image color fluctuation of

the fingers can be used as a representation of a person's heart rate.

Based on the test results, the application successfully showing the number

of heart rate (Bpm) and has a error precentage 5.94%. Ideal time of measurement

of this application is 20 seconds. With this application is expected to be beneficial

for people who want constantly monitoring their condition whenever and

wherever they want.

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