Socioscientific Issues-based Guided-inquiry E-worksheet on Optical Instruments Topic

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ABSTRACT

Optical instruments are one of the physics topics still considered difficult to be taught in the learning process. This difficulty can be overcome by using learning media in the learning process. This study aimed to determine the feasibility of a guided-inquiry Electronic Student Worksheet based on SSI on the topic of optical instruments. The method used in this research is Research and Development (R&D) with 4D steps. At the define stage, it is done by studying literature and conducting short interviews with one physics teacher, design stage contains for lesson plans and electronic student worksheets; the development stage contains product validation activities by four experts and preliminary field testing by 23 students of class XI MIPA SMA Negeri 4 Yogyakarta, dissemination stage contains product distribution. The results of this study are 1) the SSI-based guided-inquiry Electronic Student Worksheet was developed by the objectives, context, and visual aspects, 2) the lesson plan and also the Electronic Student Worksheet are in the very valid category and can be used in the range of 93.75%-100%, and 3) The results of the preliminary field testing are in the valid category, with a range of 77.17%-79-35%. The conclusion is that the Product produced in this study was declared feasible. Hence, the implication of this research is that the resulting product can be used later by the teacher to help the learning process of the optical instrument topic.

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INTRODUCTION

Optical instruments are one of the topics of physics that have many applications in everyday life, e.g., in eyes, mirrors, and loupe. However, students still need help in the learning process, especially in understanding the concept of this material (Gurel et al., 2016; Kaniawati et al., 2020). In the context of learning physics on optical instruments, the difficulties experienced by students, i.e., in determining the magnification of optical instruments, explaining the process of image formation, explaining optical functions and processes in lenses, and confusion in understanding terms in optics (Suniati et al., 2013; Rokhmah et al., 2017; Tural, 2015).

The human eye material is one part of the optical instruments topic that students consider difficult. The eye is the only natural optical instrument. The topic of eye disorders is also something that is considered difficult for students because they cannot visualize the process of convex lenses and concave lenses helping someone who has eye disorders (Widiyatmoko & Shimizu, 2018; Jones & Zollman, 2014).

Factors that cause these difficulties can come from the complexity of the material concepts presented by the teacher, textbooks

that present convoluted material, and the language used in the learning process is difficult for students to understand (Ekici, 2016; Widiyatmoko & Shimizu, 2018), the learning process tends to dwell on calculations and mathematical formulas (Ramaila & Reddy, 2018), and students who cannot find out for themselves the various scientific processes that occur (Marusic & Slisco, 2014). This causes the need for various efforts to overcome the factors that cause difficulties in learning the topic of optical instruments.

Efforts can be made to create learning concepts that can accommodate the needs of students in the learning process on optical instrument topics. This can be done by using the guided-inquiry learning model. Guided inquiry learning involves students maximally in a systematic, logical, critical, and analytical investigation process (Haidir & Salim, 2012). The guided-inquiry learning model can increase students’ motivation to be more active in learning activities (Ginanjar, 2015). The involvement of students in learning makes it easier for students to build their knowledge, connect new concepts with the concepts they have and other related concepts, and apply the concepts they have with phenomena that occur in everyday life.

To be able to support the learning process with the guided-inquiry model, appropriate learning tools are needed. The learning tools that can be used are student worksheets based on a guided-inquiry learning model. Using student worksheets based on a guided-inquiry learning model will be useful to make students active, develop concepts, and train them to find and develop process skills (Muslimah, 2020).

The use of student worksheets has now been further developed electronically so that it is not only print-based. Electronic student worksheets are packaged digitally so that the display and use of student worksheets are more interactive and attractive (Yulaika et al., 2020).

The guided-inquiry electronic student worksheets are structured to facilitate the main investigation activity. This is done through a collaboration between the syntax of guided inquiry and Socioscientific Issues (SSI) content.

The SSI-based guided-inquiry electronic student worksheets present issues that students will investigate so that the use of context will improve students’ understanding of concepts. The issue in the student worksheet related to science and controversy highlights the application of moral and scientific reasoning to real-world situations (Sadler et al., 2007). The use of context in the physics learning process attempts to bridge the gap between abstract concepts and the realities of everyday life (Mahanani et al., 2019; Febriani et al., 2023).

The investigation process on the SSI-based guided-inquiry electronic student worksheets model requires additional media to assist the visualization process. This is because using visual media can more easily overcome students’ difficulties in understanding abstract science concepts (Yuniar et al., 2020). This will be done with the help of an interactive physics simulation.

Research by applying the guided-inquiry learning model to optical instrument materials has also been carried out by Rambe et al. (2019), which develops teaching materials based on guided-inquiry learning models assisted by crossword puzzles (TTS) on optical instrument materials for junior high school students. Other research is on developing digital student worksheets to improve learning outcomes on optical instrument materials (Al-hayati, 2019). Existing research still needs to be expanded beyond the development of guided inquiry-based worksheets. So far, guided-inquiry-based worksheets with a combination of SSI content on high school optical instrument materials have yet to be developed.

Combining the guided-inquiry electronic student worksheets with SSI-based content and the oPhysics-assisted investigation process is expected to help students in the physics learning process on optical instruments. Based on this, this study aimed
to determine the feasibility of the electronic student worksheets produced in the physics learning process on the topic of optical instruments.

METHOD
The research method used is Research and Development (R & D). The research and development steps used refer to Thiagarajan, i.e., 4D. This step was chosen because it refers to research by Noprinda et al. (2019) and Fitriyah et al. (2021) that has succeeded in developing similar products. The stages of the research can be seen in Figure 1.

![Figure 1. Research Stages](image)

The define stage contains activities to define the product being developed. This stage is carried out by studying literature and short interviews. The resource person in the interview was one physics teacher at SMA N 4 Yogyakarta. Interviews were conducted to obtain information about the constraints and needs in the physics learning process on optical instruments.

The design stage contains design activities for the product that has been determined. The design starts with the learning process plan (RPP). The RPP in this study was compiled concerning the guided-inquiry learning syntax by Nurdyansyah & Wahyuni (2016) with a description of the phases as follows: 1) identifying the problem, 2) asking questions, 3) planning an investigation, 4) collecting data/information and carry out investigations, 5) analyze data, 6) make conclusions, 7) communicate results. E-worksheet is designed based on the requirements for the preparation of the worksheet, namely 1) didactic requirements, 2) construction requirements, and 3) technical requirements (Indriyani, 2013). The research instrument was a validation questionnaire, and student responses were arranged based on four main aspects, namely 1) instructions, 2) content, 3) questions, and 4) appearance. This instrument is designed with a Likert-4 scale, and the number of statement items is 18 items.

The development stage contains the activities of making products based on the designs that have been made and testing the resulting products. E-worksheet was created using Microsoft Word and Adobe Illustrator software to make cover designs, headers, and footers. Product testing is carried out with expert product assessments and limited user trials. Product assessment by experts is carried out by four appraisers (validators) with specifications for three graduates of physics education and one doctoral graduate in physics. The limited trial was carried out in class XI MIPA SMA Negeri 4 Yogyakarta using a subject of 23 students. The trial was carried out in a blended learning method of 2 meetings with a duration of 90 minutes for each meeting. The reference data analysis used to process the results of expert and user assessments can be seen in Table 1.

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Dissemination, at this stage the finished guided-inquiry E-worksheet product is distributed to students and teachers at SMA N 4 Yogyakarta.
RESULTS AND DISCUSSION

Student worksheet Electronic guided inquiry based on SSI was developed by considering the objectives, context, and visual aspects. In the aspect of the Electronic Student Worksheet, it aims to guide students' learning process through guided inquiry. This causes the investigation process to be the main thing in this Electronic Student Worksheet. Even so, the Electronic Student Worksheet is divided into two main parts: the matching and investigation sections. This is because, in the matchmaking section, there are also investigating activities that students can carry out with the help of various literature (Kemp, 2018).

In the investigation section, SSI content began to appear. Selecting the right issues to be discussed in learning is key to implementing SSI (Hancock et al., 2019). This causes the issue raised in this research is “Two Years of Online Learning, Hundreds of Students in Bogor Experience Eye Disorders and Acute Myopia” (see Figure 3 (a,b)). That's because this content is related to the material of optical instruments, especially the human eye, and the disturbances that occur. In addition, this issue is controversial in the community. SSI content is the main problem students will investigate because the contextual issues/problems presented by students will be more motivated to conduct investigations in physics learning (Astalini et al., 2019).

Figure 2. The Display of the Matching Section for Electronic Student Worksheets

In terms of content, in the section on matching physics material, the topic of optical instruments used is all optical instruments in general (see Figure 2). This material is limited to the general definition of each optical instrument. It aims to give students initial knowledge about the general differences between various optical instruments.
Figure 3. (a, b) The Display of the Socioscientific Issue Section

The investigation process carried out by students on this Electronic Student Worksheet will be assisted by interactive physics simulations of oPhysics (see Figure 4). This is done so students can conduct investigations more realistically with the help of visual media (Yuniar et al., 2020). This investigative stage is carried out by establishing a hypothesis and then conducting an investigation using a simulation with the links provided and in various other literature. The main things investigated include the accommodation of the eye, eye disorders, and the process of correcting eye disorders by the lens. The final stage is to decide on the validity of the hypothesis made at the beginning and provide suggestions based on the results of the investigations that have been carried out.

The use of simulations by interactive physics simulations: oPhysics was chosen because it provides simulation of the required optical tools. In addition, developing student worksheets assisted by oPhysics still need to be developed. This is because most of the student's worksheet developments assisted by simulations mostly use PHET simulation as a medium that helps their student's worksheet. These developments include Bhakti & Napis (2018), who developed a guided-inquiry student worksheet on momentum and impulse material. Other studies have developed guided discovery learning student worksheets on Newton's Law material (Nurahman et al., 2019).

Figure 4. The Display of the Questions Section for Electronic Student Worksheets

The display on this Electronic Student Worksheet is made as attractive as possible. The object on the cover page has a picture of glasses (See Figure 5). This is due to connecting the objects on the cover and the studied physics content. In addition, headers and footers are also used in the content section and frames in certain sections. The attractive appearance of the Electronic Student Worksheet will stimulate students' interest in the learning process (Indriani et al., 2021).
The selection of the use of the Electronic Student Worksheet with various learning activities carried out in it is based on the results of interviews with supporting teachers and school conditions.

"Students in schools on average already have smartphones, and the learning process can be carried out in the computer laboratory to access the Electronic Student Worksheet and simulation assistance." - Teacher.

All students can access this Electronic Student Worksheet through Google Docs (Gdocs). This platform was chosen so all group members could share the blended learning process information. This platform supports student collaboration and discussion during learning (Andrew, 2019; Neumann & Kopcha, 2019). GDocs have also been proven to enable better engagement in learning compared to the use of the Learning Management System (Morse, 2021). Besides that, the use of Electronic Student Worksheets with GDocs is still rarely used because some other studies have developed it with 3D page flips (Hidayah et al., 2020), live worksheets (Teresa et al., 2022), and Google slides with Peardeck (Fatimah, 2022).

**Feasibility based on Media & Content Experts.** The content validity test was conducted on the lesson plan product and the Electronic Student Worksheet. This assessment was carried out by four validators of media and content physics experts (See Figure 6 (a,b)). Based on the results in Figure 6 (a), it can be seen that the assessment for lesson plan products ranges from 93.75%-100% and is in the range of 81-100%. Figure 6 (b) shows the results of the assessment for students’ worksheets ranging from 87.5%-100% and in the range of 81-100%. This causes the product produced in this study to be included in the very valid category and can be used without revision (Akbar, 2013). Even so, there are several inputs given by the validators to improve the product, including 1) How to write the number of lesson hours, and 2) it is necessary to pay attention to the arrangement of questions number 2 points b to d so that the intent of the questions is easier for students to understand.
Feasibility based on Preliminary Field Testing. The results of the preliminary field testing, derived from the responses of 23 user students, are shown in Figure 7. Based on these results, it is known that the response results are in the range of 61.00-80.00%. In the overall aspect (see Figure 7 "ALL"), which covers the entire learning process from design to worksheets, the general feasibility percentage is 79.35%. This means that it is in the valid category and can be used, but it needs to be revised.

The revisions made came from various inputs given, including Google Docs. If students are not carefully using them, they can shift various image features. This will then be overcome by making the images in Google Docs permanent so they stay the same if participants' students misclick and cause the image to be stacked or distorted. The teacher gives another revision of the process in the early part of learning at a tempo that is too fast. This makes the time allocation at the beginning of learning need to be added.

Based on the results of student worksheet Development, validation tests, and limited trials, it is known that the guided-inquiry Electronic Student Worksheet based on SSI on optical instruments is feasible. Various similar results were also obtained from developing other worksheets, such as in the study of Fadhila et al. (2018), who developed a physics worksheet. The results also stated that it was feasible to use a development process that considered the various components of a good worksheet based on the ability of the science process. The differences in the products produced by the research are based on students’ worksheet development. The worksheets were developed based on the ability to process science, while the worksheets in this paper were developed based on the collaboration of guided-inquiry learning models and SSI. The results of the other products are derived from the development of the research by Firdaus & Wilujeng (2018); the worksheets developed in this study were declared feasible to use with the development of worksheets only focusing on guided inquiry. Another development was by Al-Hayati (2019), which developed digital worksheets on optical instrument materials. The product resulting from this research is still limited to making student worksheets for digital optical devices without emphasizing the specifications of certain learning models and additional components in its development. Another product was developed by Budi et al. (2021), who developed a PHET simulation-assisted worksheet. The worksheet uses a different simulation platform from the one developed in this study and has not been integrated with a particular learning model.

Based on various comparisons with products developed in other studies, it is known that the novelty of this research is in the collaboration between guided-inquiry learning models and SSI content in the development of student worksheets on optical instrument materials. This collaboration is also supported by the use of oPhysics simulation software which helps the investigation process in the physics learning process for optical instrument materials and Gdocs in the student’s worksheet work process. The collaboration of these various components on this worksheet can help
students become more interested in the optical instrument physics learning process through the investigation activities presented. The collaboration process between students can occur through the Gdocs platform in accessing worksheets, the optical instrument physics learning process becomes more contextual with the social issues presented, and understanding the concepts in the physics of optical instruments becomes easier to obtain with simulation activities that show various processes more realistically. This indicates that the use of this worksheet can help the success of the physics learning process for optical instruments.

CONCLUSION
The guided-inquiry student worksheet electronic based on SSI on optical instruments produced in this study was declared feasible. This is based on a theoretical study of the development of the Electronic Student Worksheet, Feasibility based on media and content Experts, and Feasibility based on Preliminary Field Testing.

LIMITATION
This research is limited to developing student worksheets and preliminary field testing. This causes there to be no specific effectiveness test for certain abilities.

SUGGESTION
The suggestion that can be made based on this research is that further research is needed to test the effectiveness of using this Electronic Student Worksheet on certain ability variables in the physics learning process on the topic of optical instruments.

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