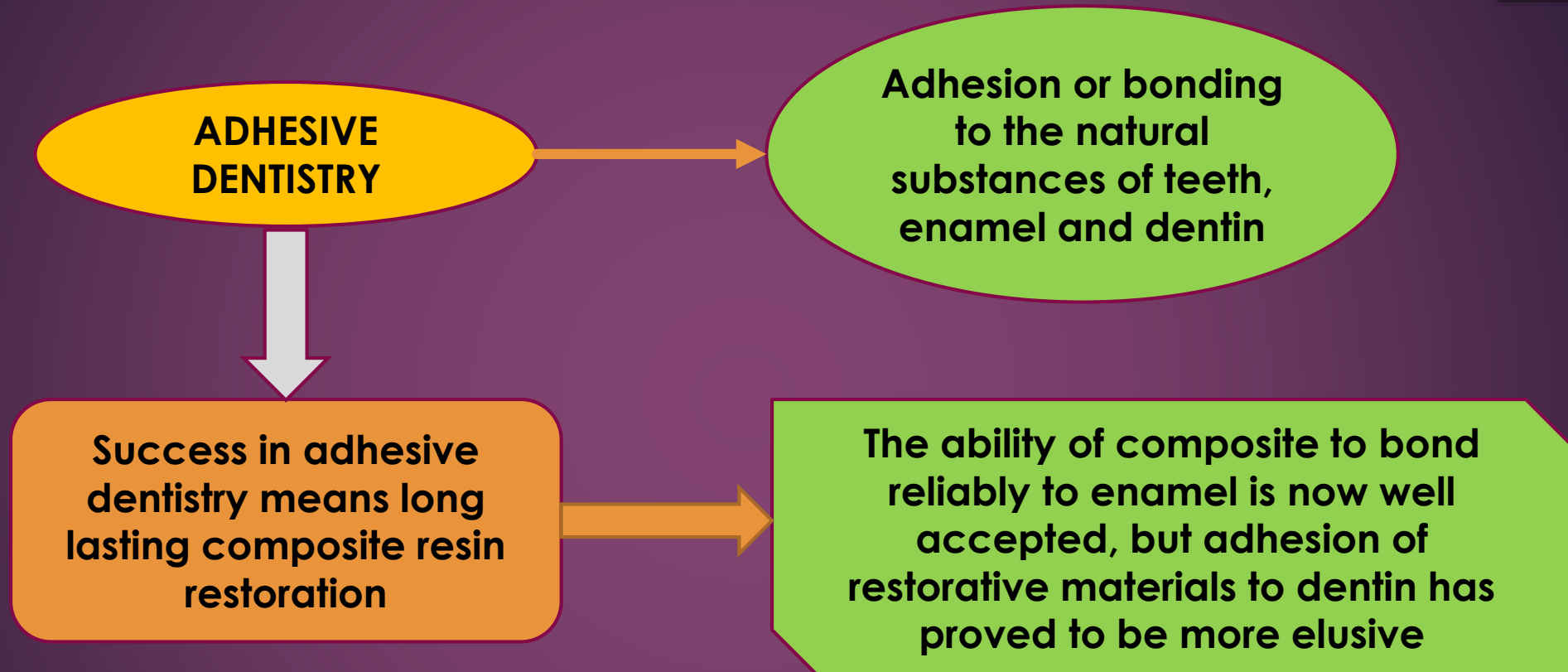




# ADHESIVE DENTISTRY AND COMPOSITE RESIN MATERIALS

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# PROBLEMS IN BONDING TO DENTIN

- ▶ Dentin is a dynamic tissue that shows changes due to ageing, caries or restorative procedures
- ▶ Dentinal tubules are filled with dentinal fluid which constantly flow outward from the pulp
- ▶ Dentin has a considerable amount of organic material and water
- ▶ Dentin is close to pulp, so different chemical used for bonding and etching may irritate the pulp

# HOW MATERIALS ADHESION TO ENAMEL AND DENTIN?

## Adhesive bonding to enamel

### ACID ETCHING



#### Benefits of acid etching

- Creating surface micro-irregularities
- Increases the bonding surface area
- Increase the surface free energy

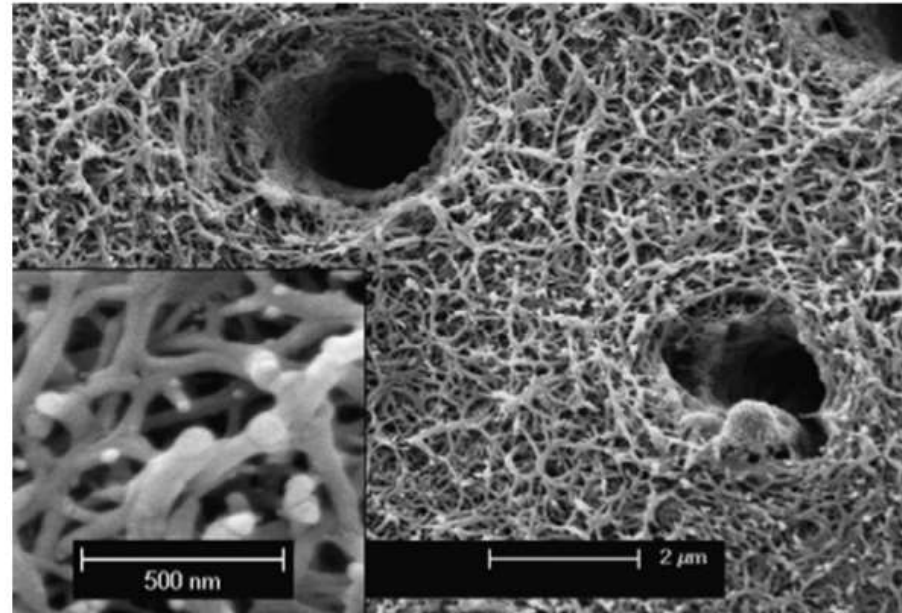
#### Types of acids to be used

- 30-50% phosphoric acid
- 10% maleic acid
- 2.5% nitric acid
- 18% hydrochloric acid

# ACID ETCHING TO ENAMEL



# ACID ETCHING TO DENTIN



**Fig. 1 - Scanning electron micrograph of acid-etched dentin showing two dentinal tubules containing remnants of peritubular dentin matrix. INSERT: High magnification of branching collagen fibrils (ca. 75 nm in diameter) separated by interfibrillar spaces that serve as channels for resin infiltrations during bonding. Reproduced from Pashley et al., Dent Mater 2011;27:1-16, with permission.**

# Adhesive bonding to dentin

## Chemical bonding

### Bonding to the HA ( $\text{Ca}^{2+}$ )

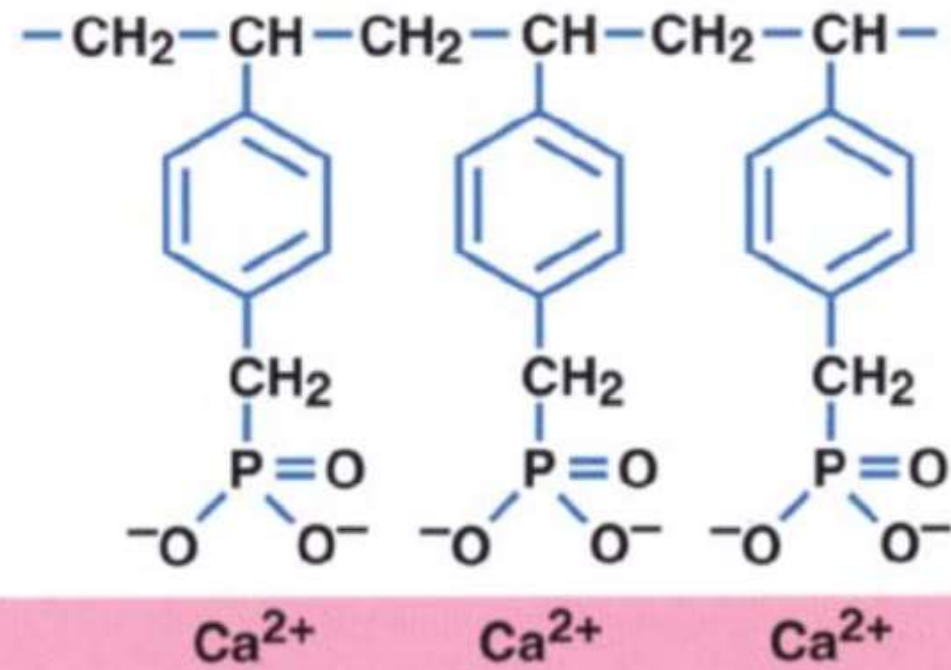
- NPG-GMA (N-phenyl glycine glycidil methacrylate)
- Polymerizing phosphates (glycerophosphoric acid dimethacrylate)
- Poly alkenoic acid (polycarboxilic acid)

### Bonding to collagen

- Glutaraldehyde reacts with collagen forming a charged compound that reacts with HEMA molecule
- 4-META (4-methoxy ethyl trimellitic anhydride) can be used as a potential coupling agent to collagen



# CHEMICAL BONDING TO DENTIN



Dentin adhesive

dentin

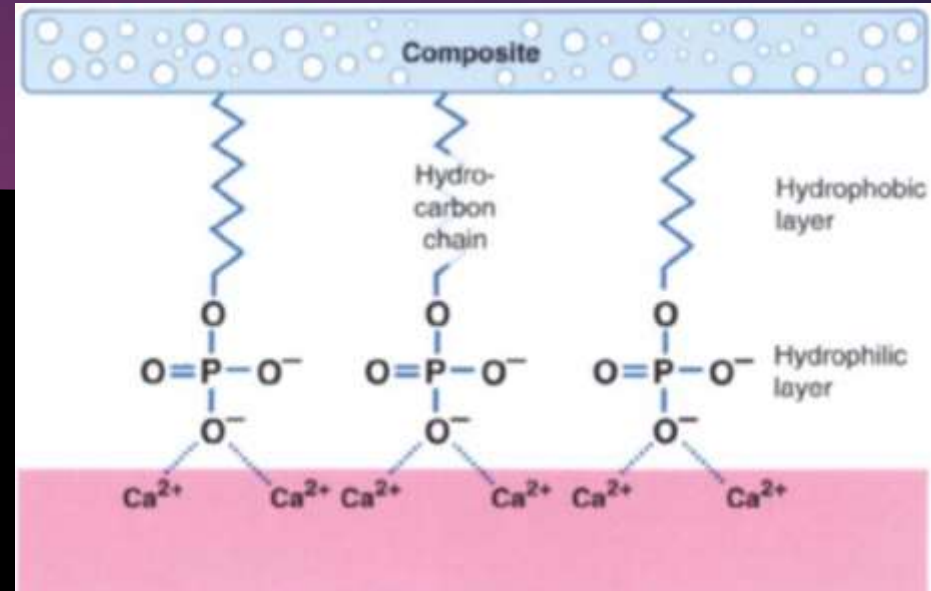
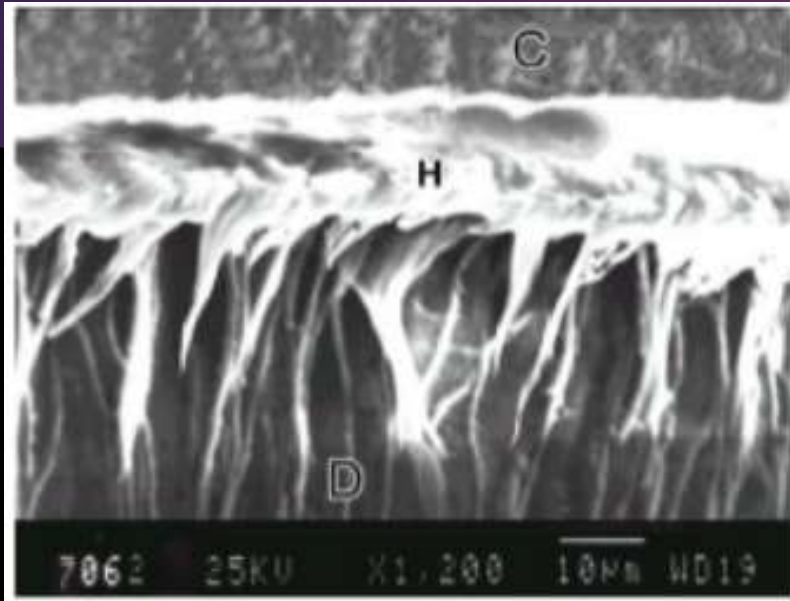


## **Micromechanical attachment**

Retention of resin adhesive could be achieved to irregular dentin surfaces (inter tubular dentin) and to the walls of opened dentinal tubules (intra tubular dentin)

## **Interpenetration attachment**

Hydrophilic resin adhesive is required to penetrate the wet collagen, ex: HEMA, PAA and NPG-GMA



Dentin bonding agent should have both hydrophilic and hydrophobic resin components

- the hydrophilic part is to displace the dentinal fluids and wet surface
- the hydrophobic part is responsible for bonding to composite filling

# Classification dentin adhesive

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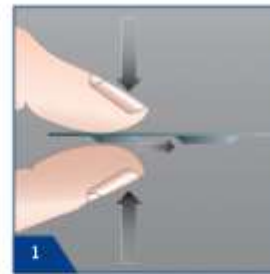


**Fig. 2:** Classification of contemporary adhesive into three-step total etch, two-step total-etch, two-step self-etch and the single-step self-etch systems. The two-step total-etch and the single-step self-etch adhesives may be considered as simplified adhesives in which hydrophilic resins are employed without an additional coating of comparatively more hydrophobic resins

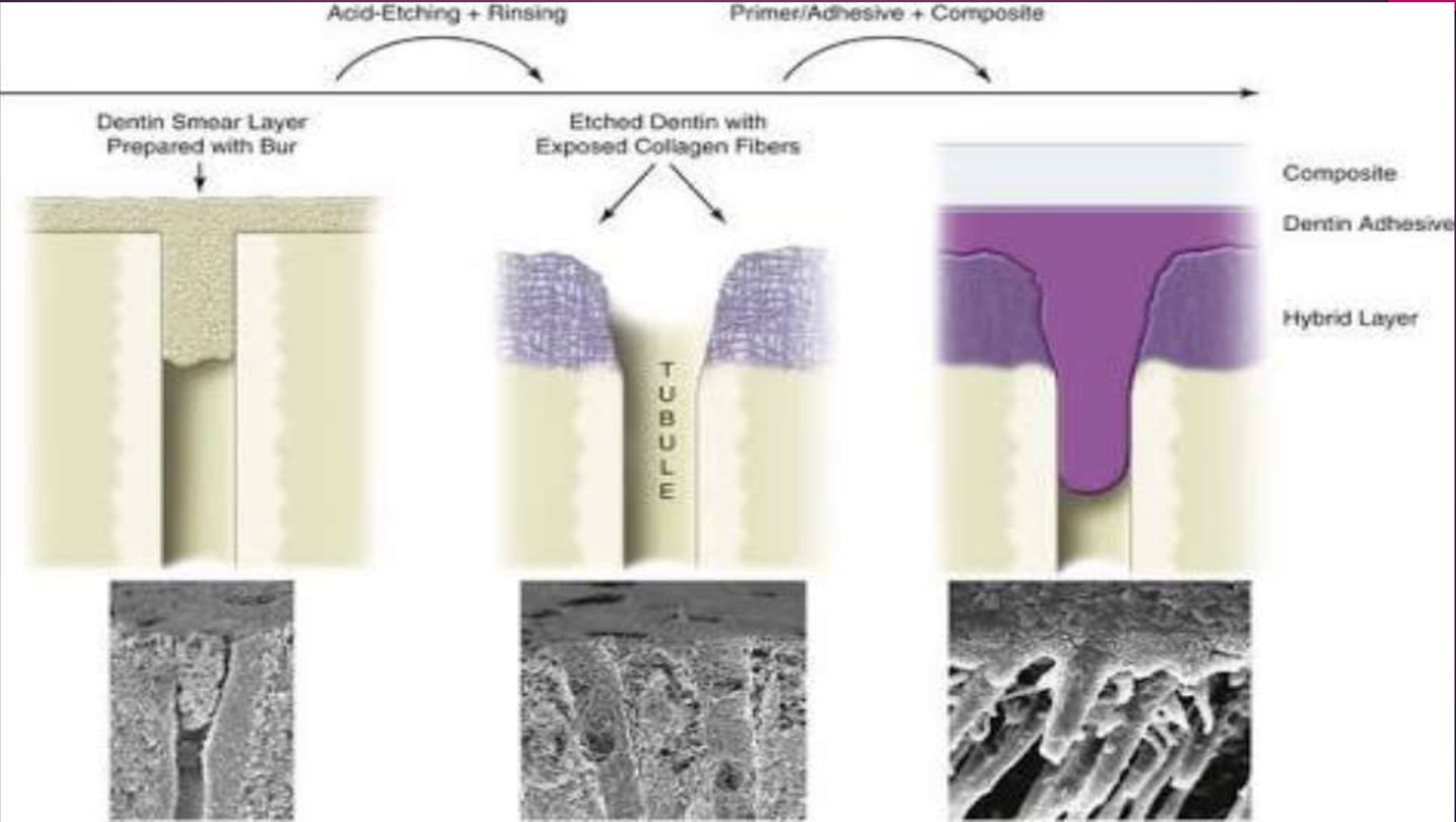
# 8<sup>th</sup> GENERATION DENTIN ADHESIVE



SIMPLY  
PRESS!  
SIMPLY  
BOND!

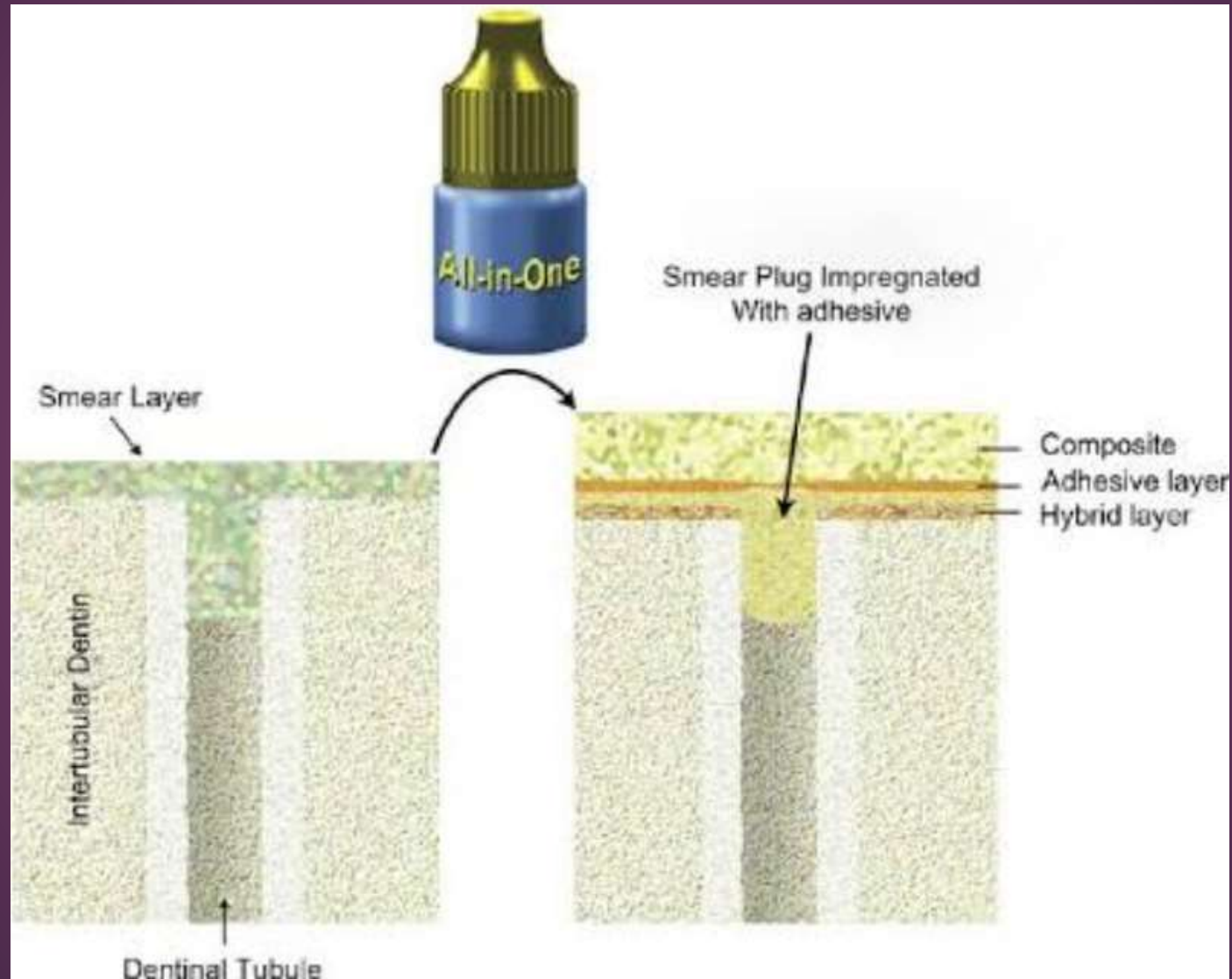


# TOTAL ETCH





# SELF ETCH



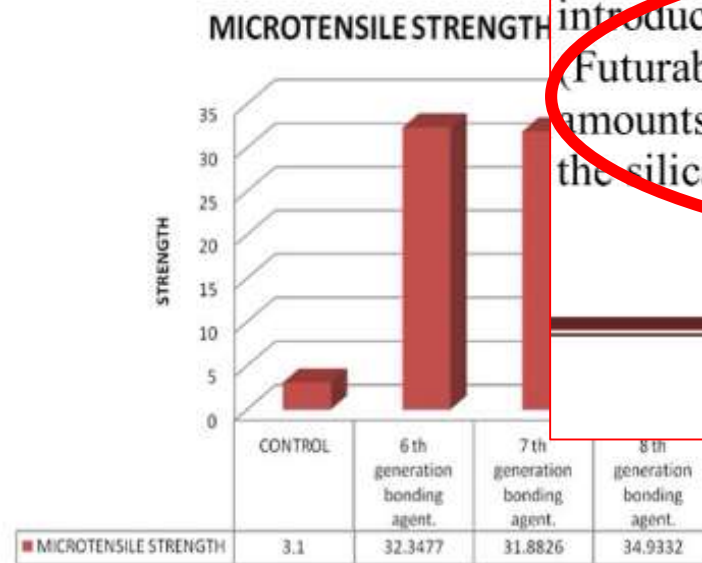
etch adhesive, Clearfil SE Bond showed slightly higher bond strength than Adper Easy One, the one step self adhesive. This may be due to the component 10-MDP (10-methacryloxydecyl dihydrogen phosphate) in the Clearfil SE Bond, which has the potential to bond chemically with the hydroxyapatite crystal.<sup>17</sup> In addition the one step self-etch adhesive systems generally have less cross-linking monomers. These cross-linking monomers provide most of

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Figure 3: Specimens obtained after hard tissue microtome sectioning

agent (Futurabond DC, Voco, Germany). The pH of all the adhesives used comes around the range of two and belonged to the mild self etch category. However difference in bond strengths was shown between these adhesives. The recently introduced eighth generation dentin bonding agent (Futurabond DC, Voco, Germany) contains significant amounts of highly functional nano sized cross linking agents, the silica particles and has the advantage of being dual cured.



Graph 1: Comparative evaluation of micro tensile bond strengths of sixth, seventh and eighth generation bonding agents





↓ Full text

**Microtensile bond strength of total-etch adhesives to caries-affected dentine**

Ceballos L, et al. J Dent Res 2003;82:1000-1006

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**METHODS:** Extracted carious human molars were ground to expose flat surfaces where the caries lesion was surrounded by normal dentine. Surfaces were bonded with either Prime & Bond NT, Scotchbond Multipurpose Plus, Clearfil SE Bond or Prompt L-Pop, according to manufacturers' recommendations. A resin composite was built up using resin composites (Clearfil AP-X). After storage in water (37 d

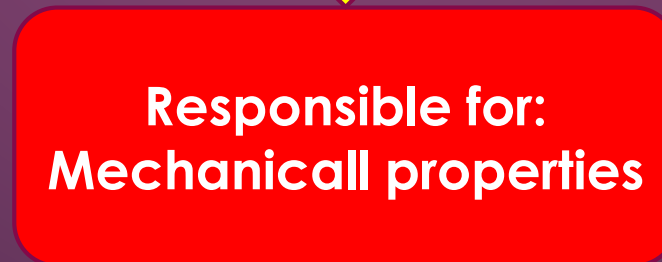
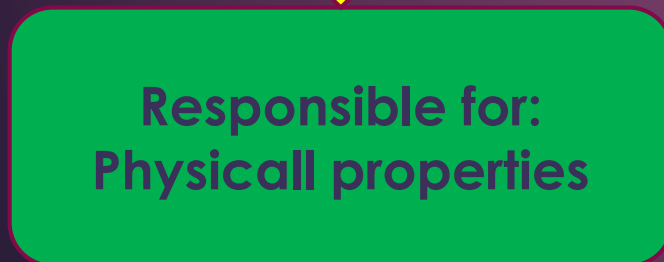
**CONCLUSIONS:** The total-etch adhesives evaluated produced higher bond strengths to normal and caries-affected dentine than self-etching systems. Laser fluorescence measurements discriminated caries-affected dentine from normal dentine, and were strongly correlated with KH. However, laser fluorescence and KH did not permit high correlations with resin-dentine bond strengths in caries-affected

# Composite

- ▶ Material with two or more distinct substances
  - ▶ Silica, glass, polymers
- ▶ Dental resin composite
  - ▶ soft organic-resin matrix
    - ▶ polymer
  - ▶ hard, inorganic-filler particles
    - ▶ Glass, silica
- ▶ Most frequently used
  - ▶ esthetic-restorative material

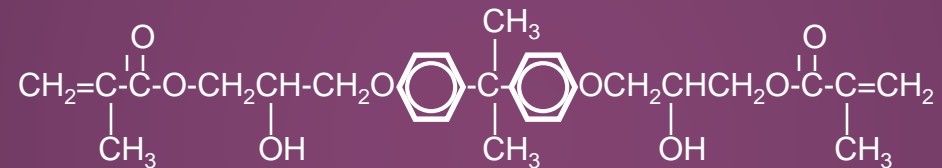


# COMPOSITION OF COMPOSITE RESIN

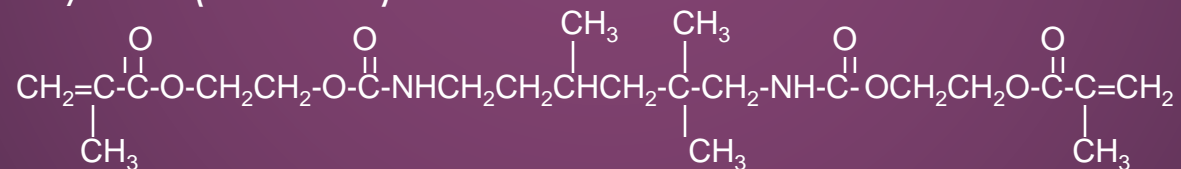


# RESIN MATRIX (MONOMER)

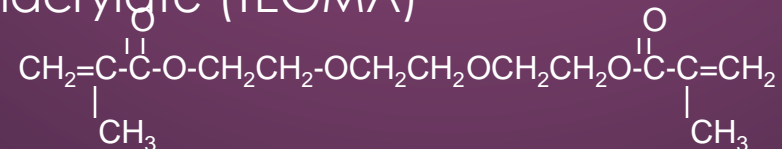
- ▶ Binds filler particles together
- ▶ Provides “workability”
- ▶ Typical monomers
  - ▶ Bisphenol A glycidyl methacrylate (Bis-GMA)



- ▶ Urethane dimethacrylate (UEDMA)

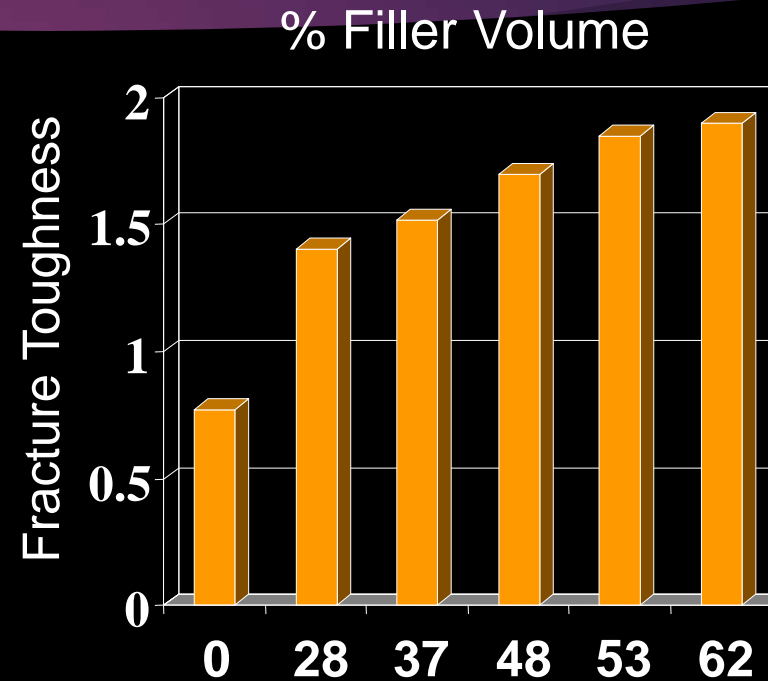


- ▶ Triethylene glycol dimethacrylate (TEGMA)



# Filler Particles

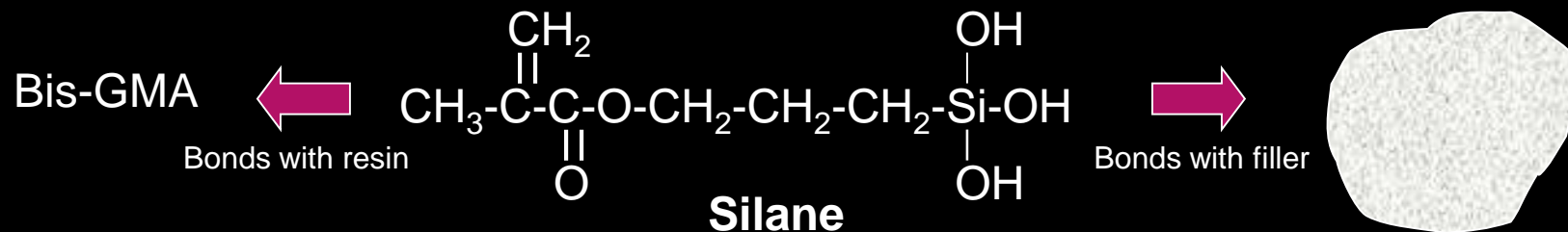
- ▶ Increase fillers, increase mechanical properties
  - ▶ strength
  - ▶ abrasion resistance
  - ▶ esthetics
  - ▶ handling
- ▶ 50 to 86 % by weight
- ▶ 35 to 71% by volume



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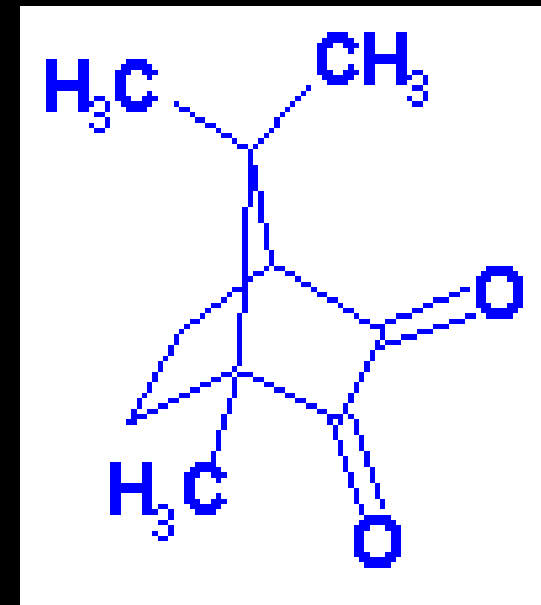
# Coupling Agent

- ▶ Chemical bond
  - ▶ filler particle - resin matrix
    - ▶ transfers stresses
- ▶ Organosilane (bifunctional molecule)
  - ▶ siloxane end bonds to hydroxyl groups on filler
  - ▶ methacrylate end polymerizes with resin



# Visible-Light Activation

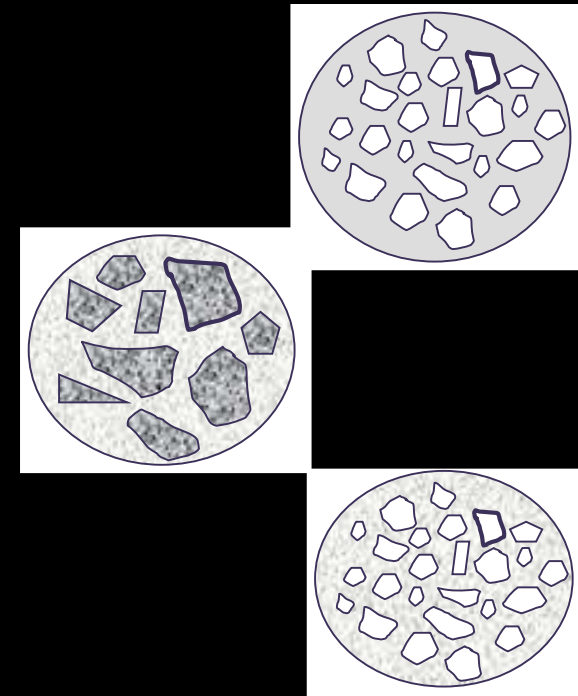
- ▶ Camphorquinone
  - ▶ most common photoinitiator
    - ▶ absorbs blue light
      - ▶ 400 - 500 nm range
- ▶ Initiator reacts with amine activator
- ▶ Forms free radicals
- ▶ Initiates addition polymerization





# Classification System

- ▶ Historical
- ▶ Chronological
- ▶ Based on particle size
  - ▶ traditional
  - ▶ microfilled
  - ▶ small particle
  - ▶ hybrid



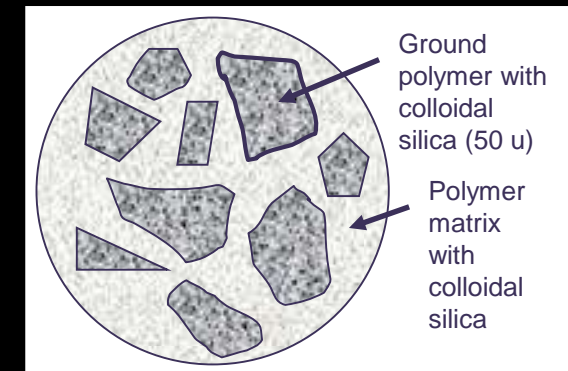
# Traditional (Macrofilled)

- ▶ Developed in the 1970s
- ▶ Filler: Crystalline quartz
  - ▶ produced by grinding or milling
  - ▶ large - 8 to 12 micron
- ▶ Difficult to polish
  - ▶ large particles prone to pluck
- ▶ Poor wear resistance
- ▶ Easy Fracture
- ▶ Examples: Adaptic, Concise
- ▶ Suitable for Class 1, 2



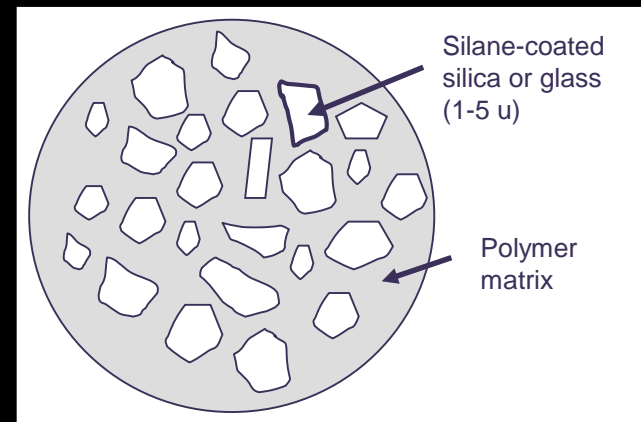
# Microfilled

- ▶ Better esthetics and polishability than macrofilled
- ▶ Tiny particles
  - ▶ 0.04 micron colloidal silica
  - ▶ increases viscosity
- ▶ Lower filler content
  - ▶ inferior properties
    - ▶ lacks coupling agent
    - ▶ lacks radiopacity
- ▶ Linear clinical wear pattern
- ▶ Suitable for Class 1,2



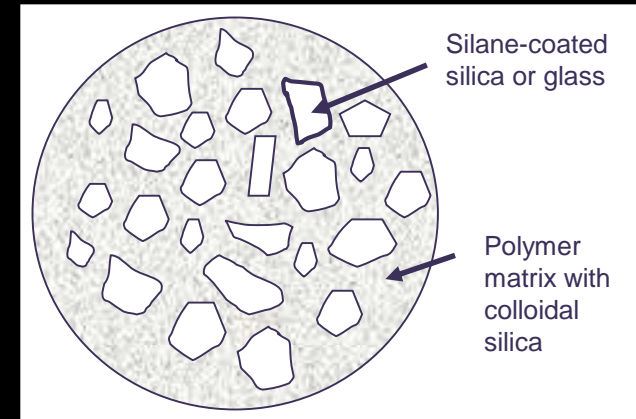
# Small Particle

- ▶ 1 - 5 micron heavy-metal glasses
- ▶ Fracture resistant
- ▶ Polishable to semi-gloss
- ▶ Suitable for Class 1 to 5
- ▶ Example: Prisma-Fil



# Hybrids

- ▶ Popular as “all-purpose”
  - ▶ microhybrids, microfilled hybrids
- ▶ 0.6 to 1 micron average particle size
  - ▶ distribution of particle sizes
    - ▶ maximizes filler loading
  - ▶ microfills added
    - ▶ improve handling
    - ▶ reduce stickiness



# Hybrids

- ▶ Strong
- ▶ Good esthetics
  - ▶ polishable
- ▶ Suitable
  - ▶ Class 1 to 5
- ▶ Multiple available



# Table of Properties

Property	Traditional	Microfilled	Small Particle	Hybrid
Compressive strength (MPa)	250-300	250-300	350-400	300-350
Tensile strength (MPa)	50-65	30-50	75-90	70-90
Elastic Modulus (GPa)	8-15	3-6	15-20	7-12
Coefficient of Thermal Expansion ( $10^{-6}/^{\circ}\text{C}$ )	25-35	50-60	19-26	30-40
Knoop Hardness	55	5-30	50-60	50-60



# Newer Classification System

- ▶ Based on particle size
  - ▶ megafill
    - ▶ 0.5 - 2 millimeters
  - ▶ macrofill
    - ▶ 10 - 100 microns
  - ▶ midifill
    - ▶ 1 - 10 microns
  - ▶ minifill
    - ▶ 0.1 - 1 microns
  - ▶ microfill
    - ▶ 0.01 - 0.1 microns
  - ▶ nanofill
    - ▶ 0.005-0.01 microns
- ▶ Most new systems
  - ▶ minifillers
- ▶ Newest trend
  - ▶ nanofillers

# Nanofill vs. Nanohybrid

- ▶ Nanofills
  - ▶ nanometer-sized particles throughout matrix
- ▶ Nanohybrids
  - ▶ nanometer-sized particles combined with more conventional filler technology

# Polymerization Shrinkage

- ▶ Significant role in restoration failure
  - ▶ gap formation
    - ▶ secondary caries formation
    - ▶ marginal leakage
    - ▶ post-operative sensitivity
- ▶ Counteract
  - ▶ lower shrinkage composites
  - ▶ incremental placement



