



iBOND Self Etch + + + + +

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Description

iBOND Self Etch is a light-curing, self-etching, one-component bonding agent (7th-generation) for use in combination with adhesive restorations. Separate conditioning (etching) of the enamel and dentin is not required; however, use of an additional etching gel on the enamel before application of *iBOND Self Etch* will not have a negative influence on the bond strength. *iBOND Self Etch* is indicated for bonding of direct light-cured composite restorations, indirect restorations (porcelain and composite inlays, onlays, veneer, crowns) in combination with a light-curing luting cement, and for sealing hypersensitive areas of teeth. Light curing time is 20 seconds. No refrigeration is required after the product is opened for first use. *iBOND Self Etch* is available in both 4-mL bottles and single-dose delivery. The bottle assortment kit contains one 4-mL bottle of *iBOND Self Etch*, 50 application tips, mixing well, pictorial card, and manufacturer's instructions. *iBOND Self Etch* bottle kit was evaluated by 26 consultants in 648 uses. It received a 96% clinical rating.

Suggested Retail Cost

- *iBOND® Self Etch* Bottle Assortment (1 x 4mL, 50 Application Tips) \$156.76
- *iBOND® Self Etch* Single Dose Assortment (50 Single Dose, 50 Application Tips) \$203.78



Consultants' Comments

- ◆ "Easy to dispense and use."
- ◆ "Viscosity was great – low film thickness."
- ◆ "The red bottle distinguishes *iBOND Self Etch* from the total-etch version in a green bottle."
- ◆ "Material comes out of bottle quickly."
- ◆ "There was a slight odor."

Product Features

Consultants reported that *iBOND Self Etch* was easy to dispense from the plastic bottle and apply to the tooth. The clinical procedure is easy to follow with a minimal number of steps. Most consultants commented that the 20-second curing time is too long for a bonding agent. The viscosity of the adhesive allows complete coating of tooth surfaces without running or pooling, with a low film thickness after air drying. Some consultants and patients noticed a slight odor from the acetone component of the adhesive. Thirty-five percent of consultants reported that the *iBOND Self Etch* was better than their current bonding agent and 62% reported it was equivalent. Eighty-one percent would switch to *iBOND Self Etch* and 96% would recommend it.

Clinical Tip

- ◆ Make sure to scrub the material on the enamel. ■