

*Restorative dentistry – aesthetics I.*

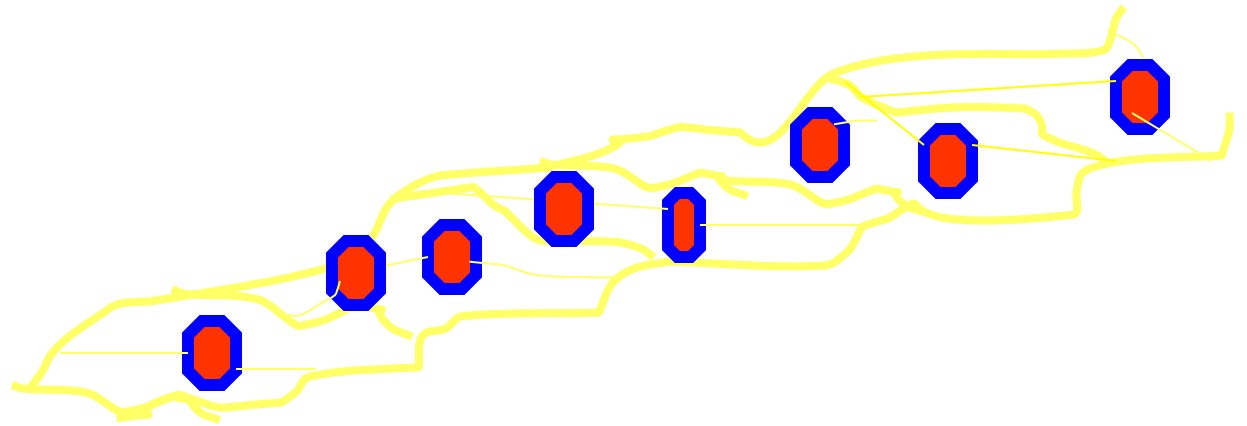
# Contemporary trends

- Minimally invasive approach
- Adhesive materials and techniques
  - direct composite restorations
  - indirect composite and ceramic restorations  
(luted adhesively )

# Composites

# Composites in dentistry

Chemically bonded mixture of organic matrix and inorganic fillers



**matrix** – transfers mechanical loading on inorganic fillers, protects the filler against moisture

**filler** - support of the material, carries the loading

**coupling agents**- enable the homogenous distribution of the filler in matrix

## **Composition - matrix**

- Bis GMA – Bowen's monomer
- (2,2-bis[4-(2hydroxy-3-metakryloyloxypropoxy)fenyl]propan)
- Bis DMA
- UDMA
- TEGMA /triethylenglykoldimethacrylate
- EGMA ethylenglykoldimethacrylate
- eBis –GMA
- HDMA hexandioldimethacrylate

## **Composition - matrix**

- Acid modified resins (compomers)
- Polysiloxa chains with polymerizable groups (ormocers)
- Silorans (ring opening monomers)

# Filler

- Milled quartz
- Aluminium silicate glass
- Silicon dioxide
- Prepolymer
- Complexes of microfiller (agglomerates)



# Macrofiller

- Particles  $\mu\text{m}$  or tenths of  $\mu\text{m}$

*Good mechanical resistance , abrasion resistance, bad polishability.*

# Microfiller

- Silicium dioxide (pyrogenous)
- Particles hundreths  $\mu\text{m}$

Less amount of filler. Lower mechanical resistance, good polishability.

# Microfiller in complex particles

- Prepolymer
- Agglomerates
- Higher amount of filler, good mechanical resistance, good polishability

# Nanoparticles

- Particles 10 nm and less
- Special technology, size, shape and binding to monomer

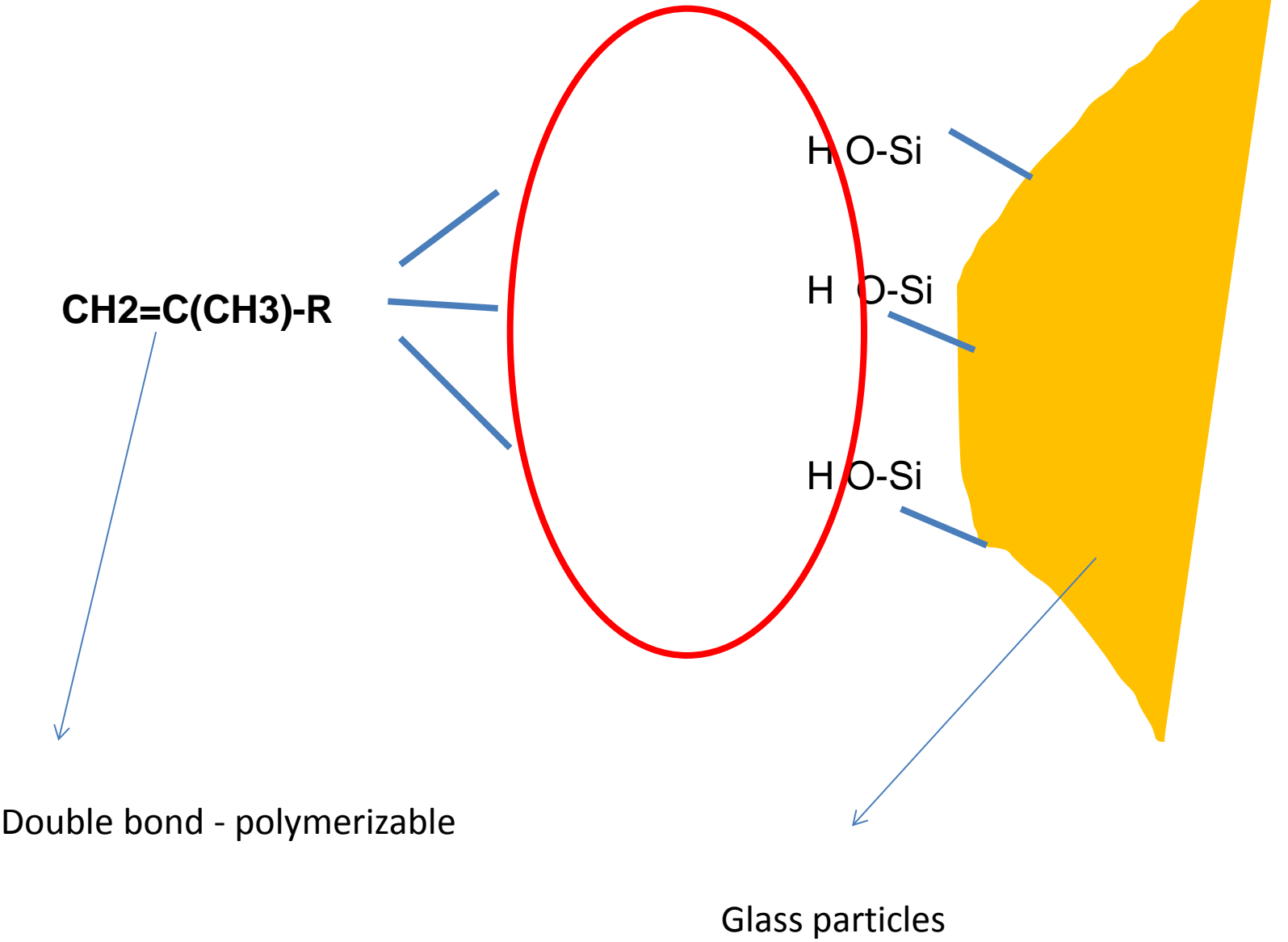
# Hybrid filler

- Macro particles + microparticles
- Macro particles + microparticles+ prepolymer
- macroparticles + microparticles + prepolymer + nanoparticles

# Coupling agent

G -methacryloxypropyltrimetoxysilan  
(A 174)

# Binding of the coupling agents to glass particles



Activator and initiator  
Pigments  
Fluorescents  
Absorbers of light  
Inhibitors



# Polymerization

- Selfcuring composites

Dibenzoylperoxide – tertiary amin

Low colour stability

# Light curing composites

- Initiator and sometimes also activator
  - Camphorchinon CQ
  - Phenylpropandion  
PPP
  - Trimethylbenzoylphosphinoxid TPO

# Camphorquinon - CQ

**Yellow colour**

**Activator:** etyl-4-(N,N'-dimetylamino)benzoát (4EDMAB), N,N'-dimetylaminoethylmetakrylát (DMAEMA)

**Light shades of composites: combination of CQ and other initiators.**

# Spectrum of absorption

Fotoiniciator	Spectrum o absorption (nm)	Maximum (nm)
CQ	440 - 500	470
PPD	380 – 430	400
TPO	350 - 410	380

# Bonding



# Adhesion

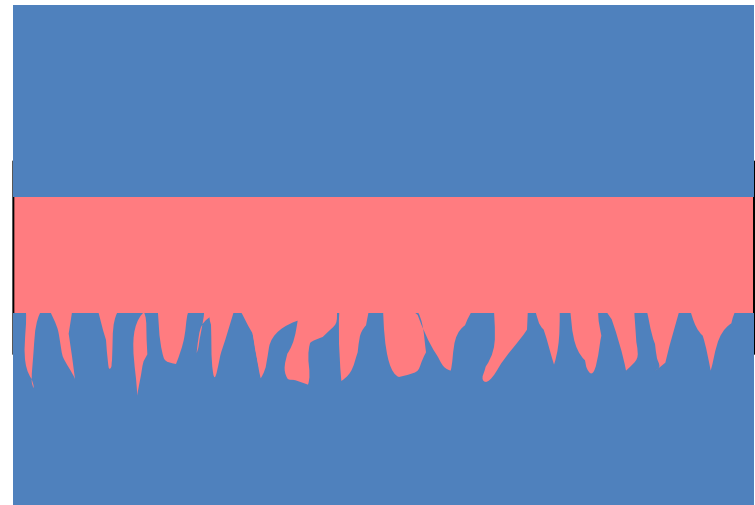
➤ **Mechanic**

➤ **Specific**

# Adhesion

***Mechanic***

***Irregularities of the surface***



# Adhesion

➤ **Specific**

**Physical**

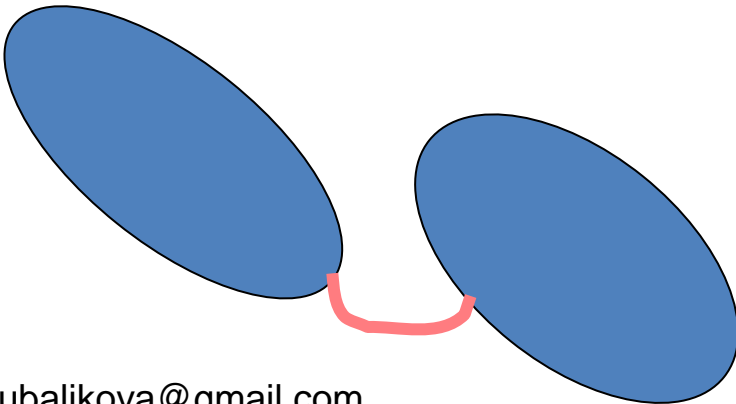
**Chemical**



# Adhesion

## ➤ Specific

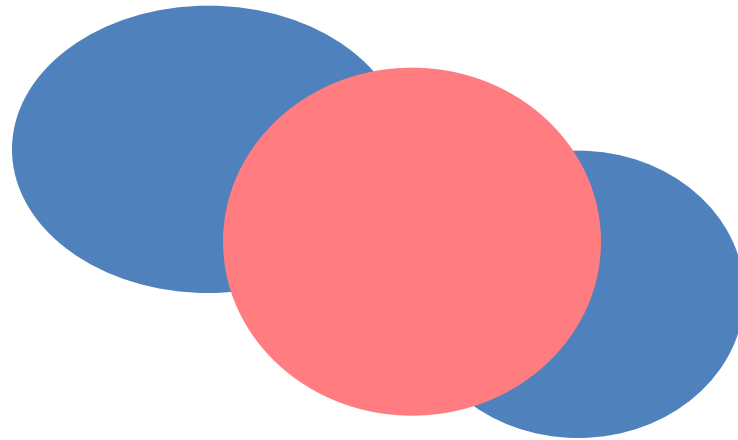
**Physical – intermolecular forces - Van der Waals, hydrogenium bridges**



# Adhesion

➤ **Specific**

**Chemical**



# Adhesion

- **Sandblasting**
- **Electrolytic**
- **Silanization**
- **Plazma coating**
- **Silanization**

# Adhesive preparation of surfaces

- Creates irregularities
- Increases surface energy

# Adhesion of dental materials

Composites - micromechanical

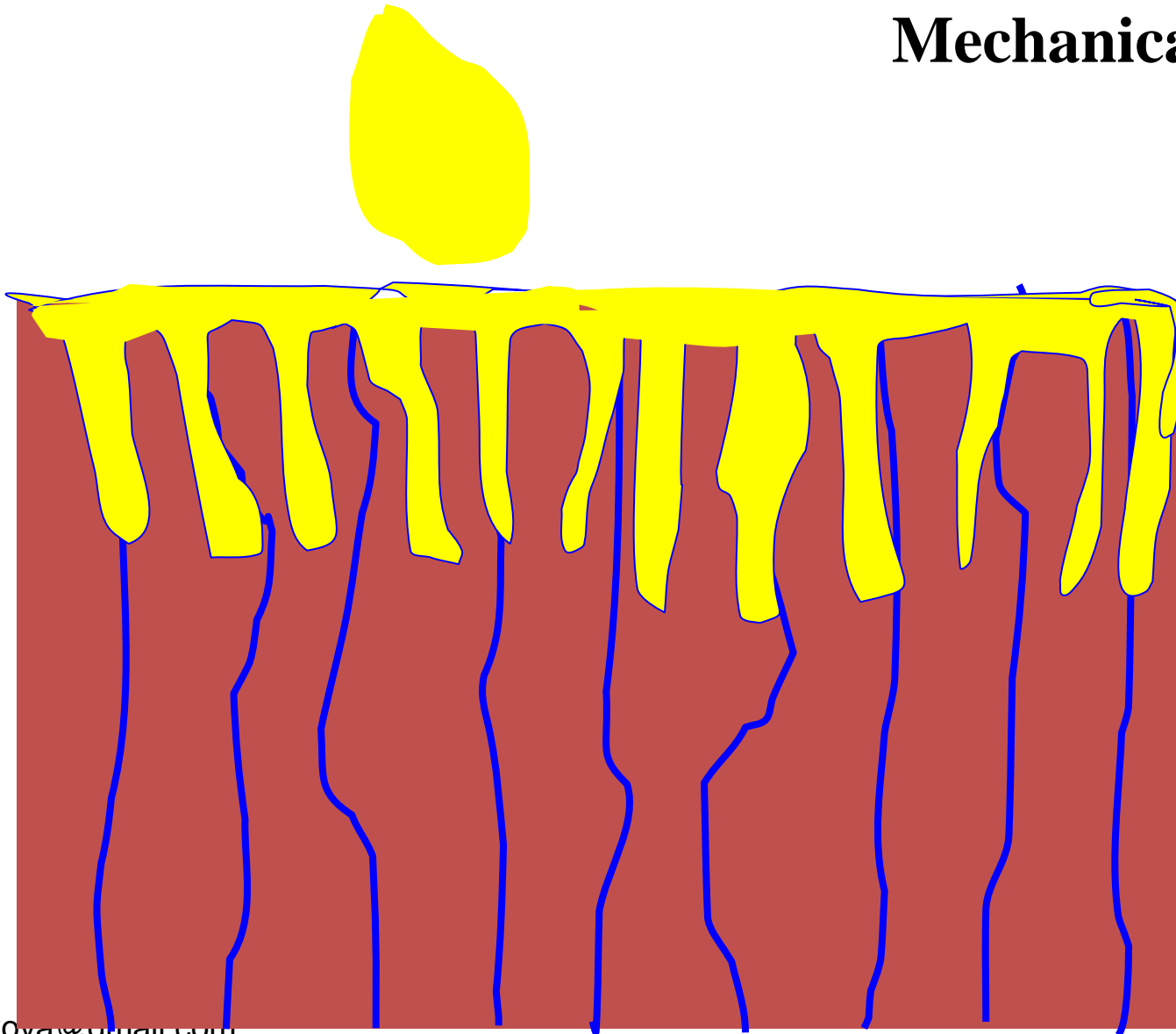
Adhesives – micromechanical, specific

Glassionomers - specific

# Composits

# Connection to enamel

**Mechanical**



# Adhesion to dentin

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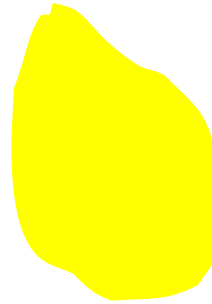
- o More water and organic substances in comp to enamel
- o Low surface energy
- o Tubular liquid
- o Connection with pulp chamber
- o Smear layer



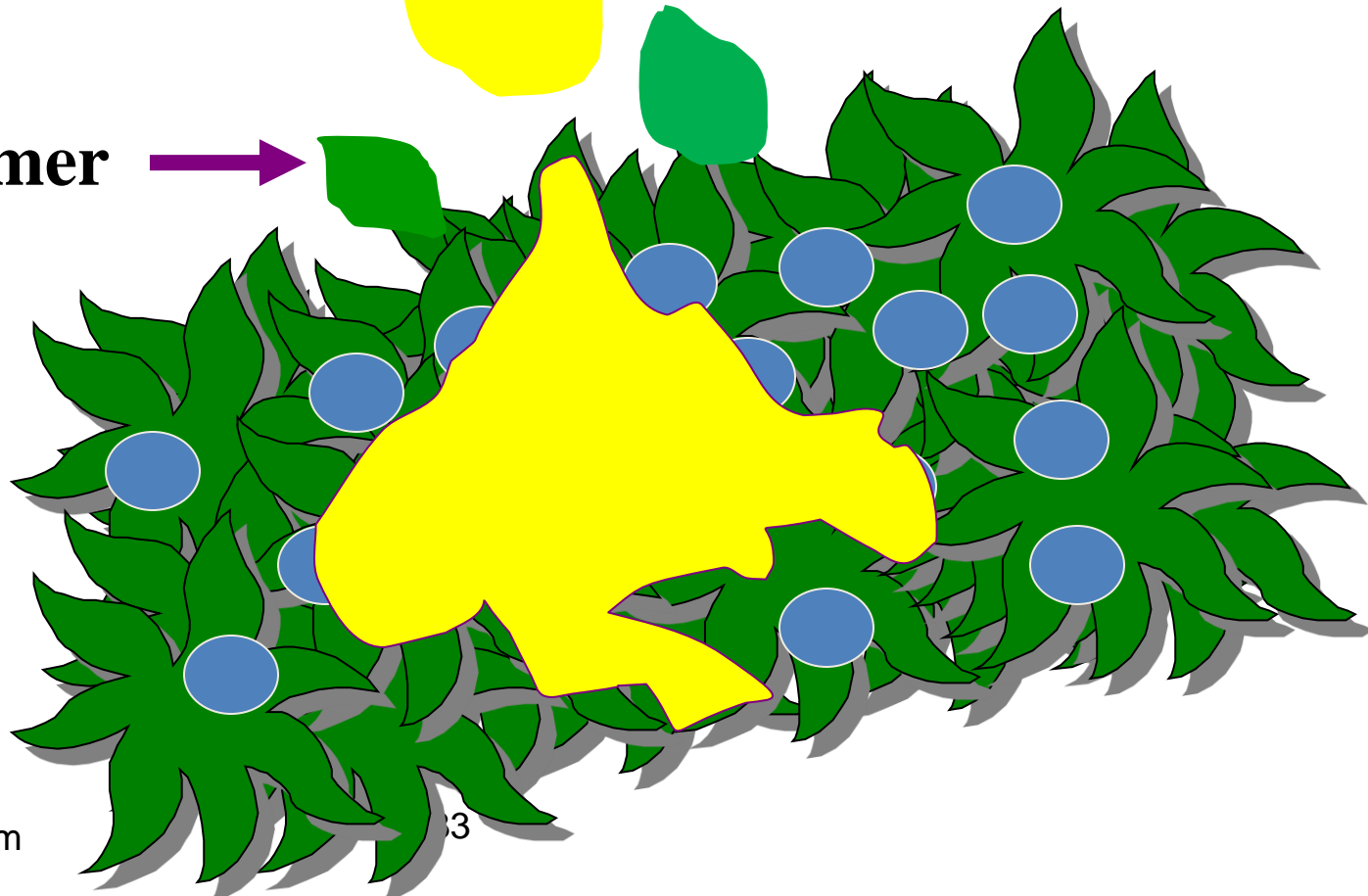
# Connection to dentin

# Mechanical

**bond**



**primer**



# BONDING AGENTS



## Generations

### 1st Generation: (1956)

- Glycerophosphoric acid
- DMA Resin
- Resin to tooth
- No longer used (poor clinical results: 1-3 MPa)

### 2nd Generation: (1970's)

- Unfilled Resin
- Bis-GMA or HEMA
- Ionic bond to calcium
- No longer used (weak bond strength, microleakage)

# Generations

## 3rd Generation: (1980's)

- Etch + Hydrophilic Primer + Unfilled Resin
- Partial removal and/or Modification of smear layer
- Resin did not penetrate through smear layer

## 4th Generation: (1982)

- Total Etch (Phosphoric Acid) + Primer + Adhesive
- Complete removal of smear layer
- “Wet bonding” (risk of being too wet or dry)
- Formation of hybrid layer and resin tags
- Good clinical results

## Generations

### 5th Generation: (1990's)

- Total Etch + Adhesive
- Hydrophilic monomers
- Formation of hybrid layer and resin tags

### 6th Generation: (late 1990's – 2000)

- Self-etching primer + Hydrophobic adhesive
- Partial removal of smear layer
- Chemical instability of primer

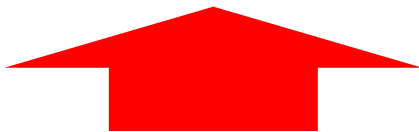
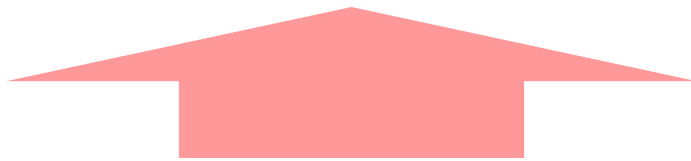
### 7th Generation: (2000's)

- One bottle
- Partial removal of smear layer
- Chemical instability

# Adhesive materials



- Connection without gap
- Less invasive preparation
- Less risk of secondary caries
- Higher resistance
- No problem with mercury



**Amalgam**



# Adhesive systems contain resin monomers

- 4-META
- HEMA
- TEGMA
- PENTA P
- 5-NMSA
- Bis-GMA



# Adhesive systems contain resin monomers

- Hydrophobic monomers - bond

*Works in enamel*

*Does not work in dentin without primer*

- Amphiphilic monomers – hydrophobic + hydrophilic part

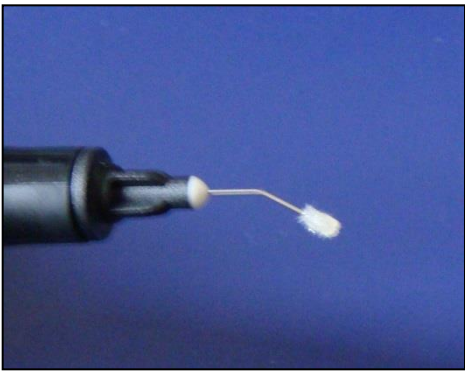
- primer

*Primer is necessary for dentin*

*If applied on enamel – residual of water can be removed*

# Dissolving agents

- Aceton
- Alcohol
- Water
- Watwer/alcohol



# Adhesives – classification acc to clinical steps

3- ERA	<b>Acid etching</b>	<b>Washing</b>	<b>Priming</b>	<b>Bonding</b>
2- ERA	<b>Acid etching</b>	<b>Washing</b>	<b>Priming a bonding</b>	
2- SEA	<b>Selfetching priming</b>			<b>Bonding</b>
1- SEA	<b>Selfetching bonding</b>			

# Adhesives

- Acid etching technique
- Selfetching adhesive systems

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- Acid etching technique

Etching

Washing

Priming Bonding

# Adhesives

- Selfetching adhesive systems

Priming

Bonding

Less bonding strength in comparison to acid etching technique

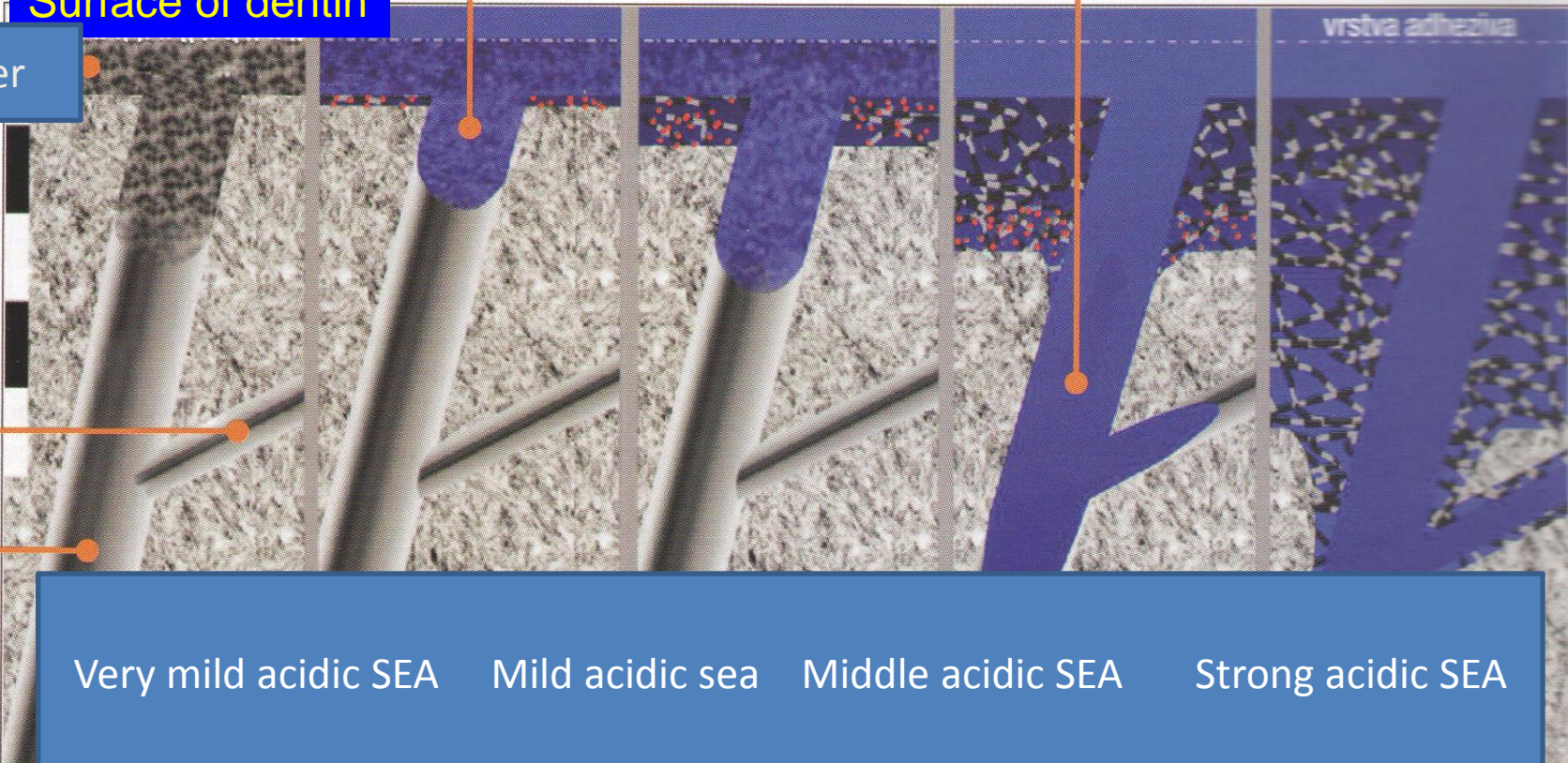
Smaer layer infiltrated with adhesive systém

Dentin tag

Surface of dentin

Smear layer

Lateral tubul  
Dentin tubul



Very mild acidic SEA    Mild acidic sea    Middle acidic SEA    Strong acidic SEA

pH primeru

≥ 2,5

≈ 2

≈ 1,5

< 1

≈ 100–300 nm

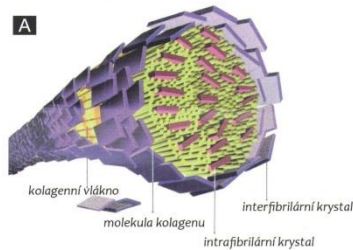
≈ 1 μm

1–2 μm

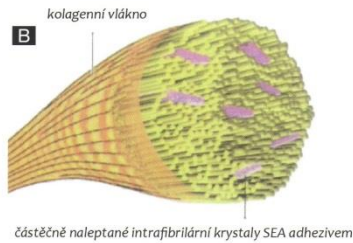
3–5 μm

Thickness of hybrid layer

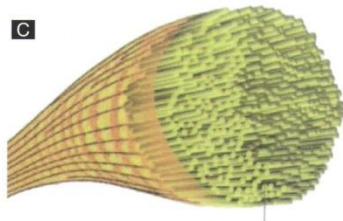
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Collagen fibers with mineral salts  
(peri and intra)



Collagen fibers with  
intrafibrillar crystals



Collagen fibers without any crystals  
*(risk of hydrolysis and degradation with metalloproteinases)*

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# Adhesives

- Active and passive bonding

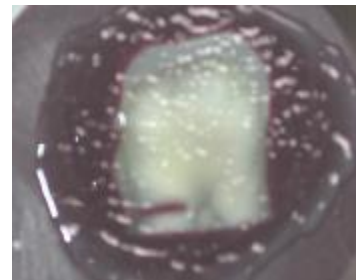
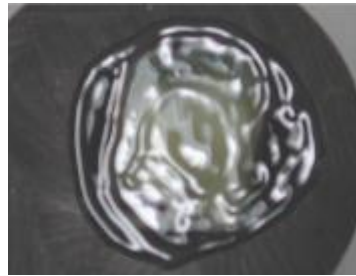
Active – rubbing with microbrush (SEA, dentin)

Passive – without any rubbing (ERA, enamel)

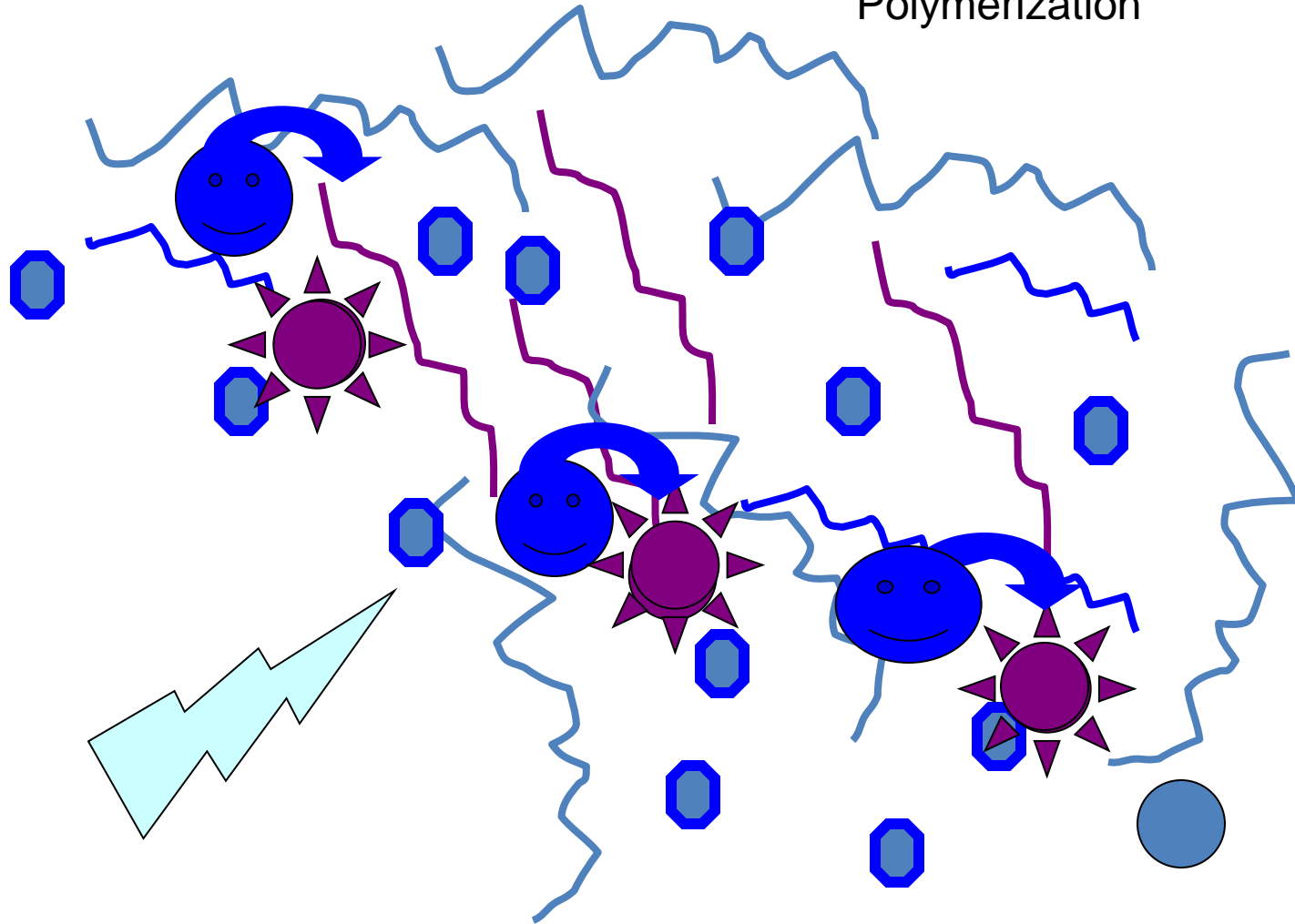
## Blow up

**Too thin layer does not allow complete conversion (polymerization) due to oxygen**

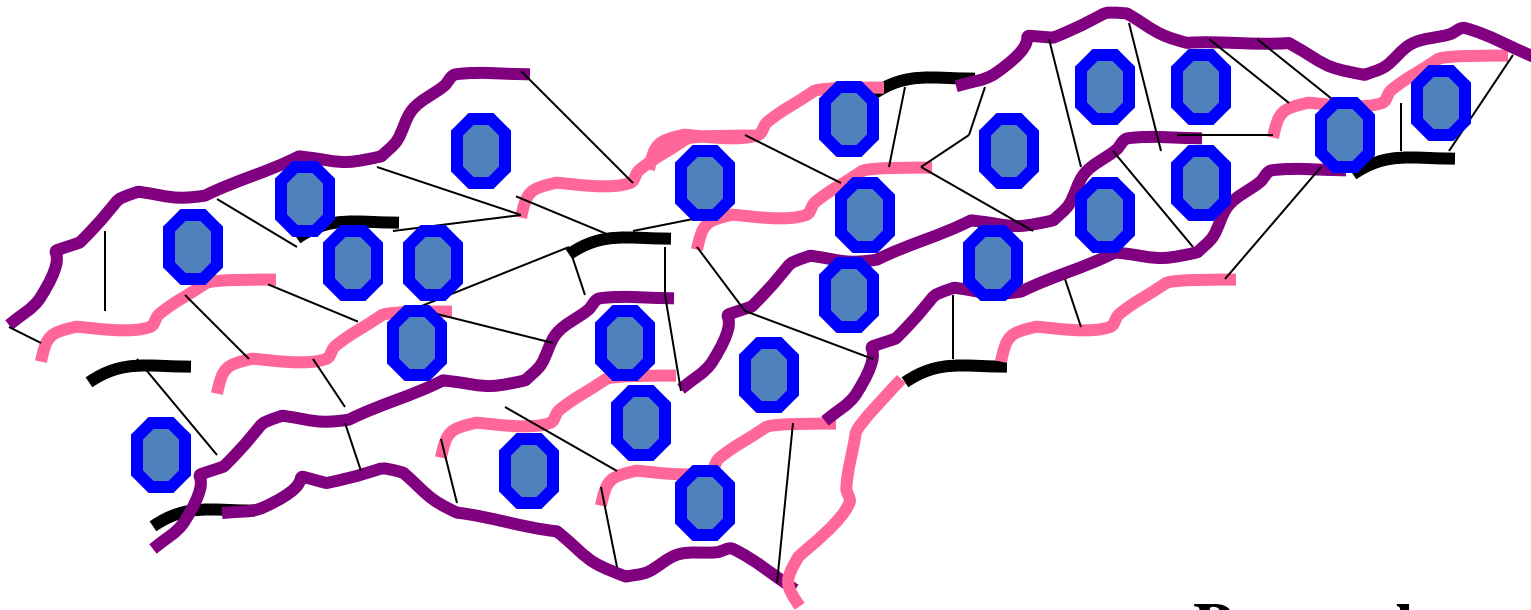
**Too thick layer can contain still dissolving agent.**



# Polymerization



# Polymer network

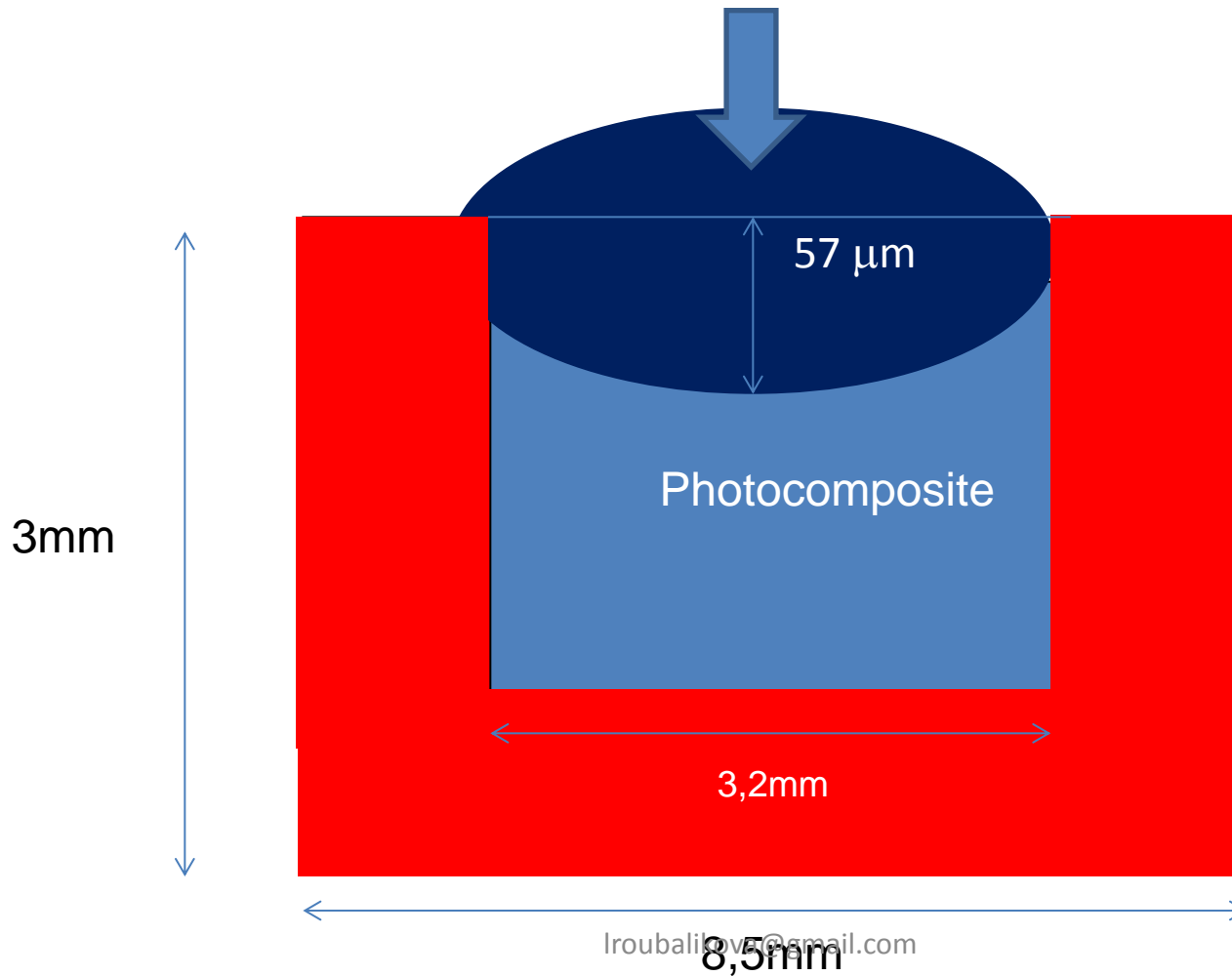


**Pre -gel**  
**Gel**  
**Post -gel**

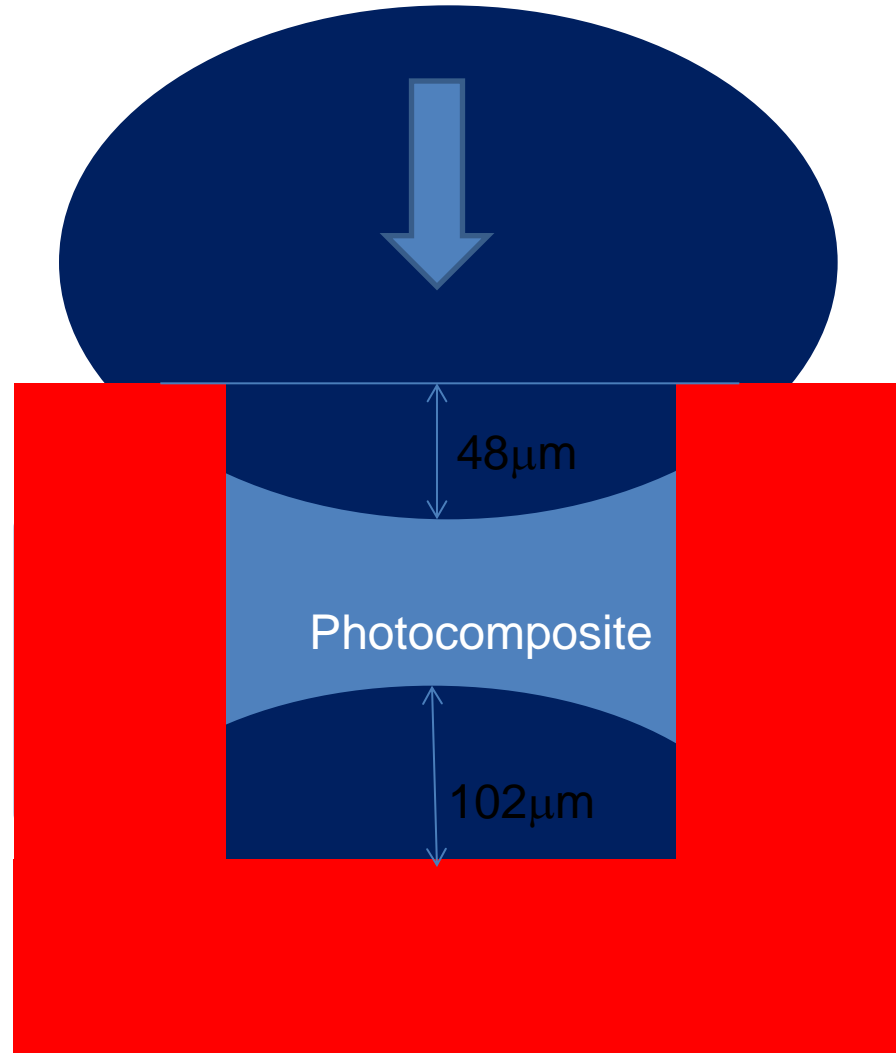
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## Principles of adhesion dentistry

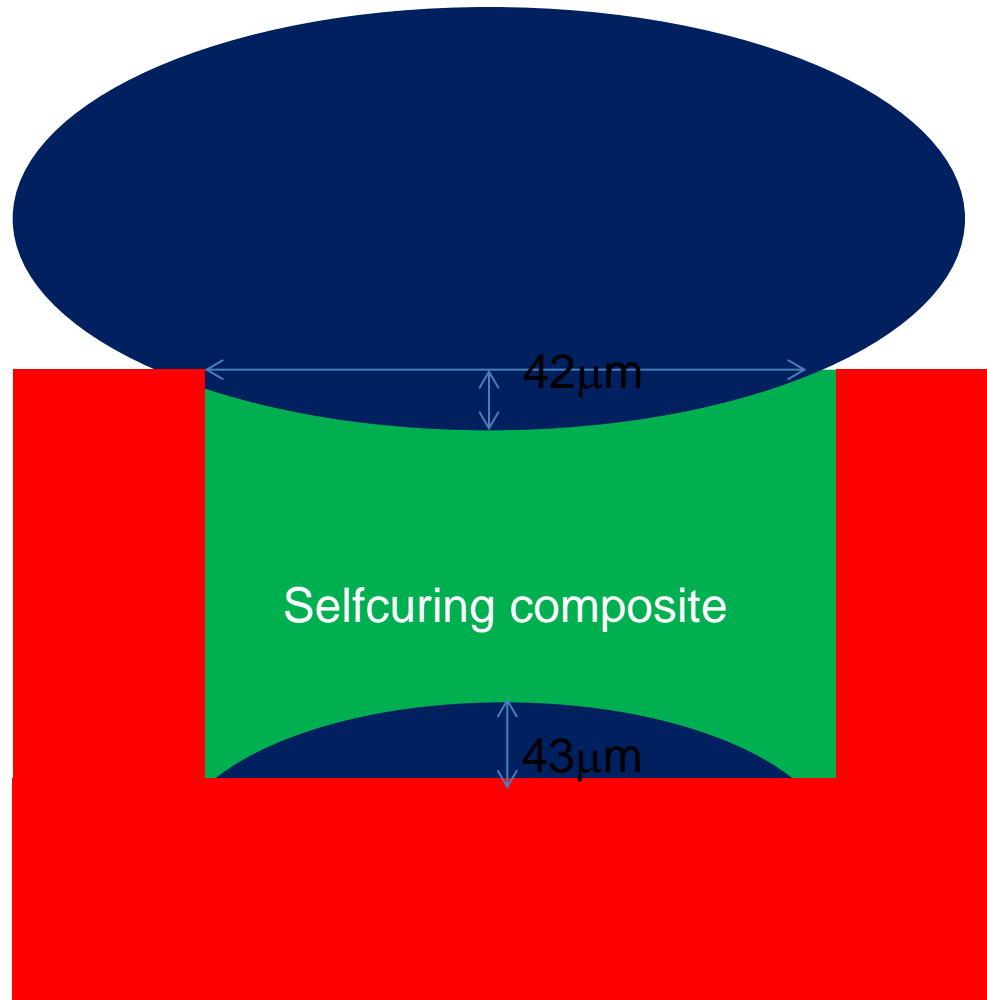
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# Polymerization strain and stress



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# Pregel phase

- The material is still soft, forces of polymerization shrinkage can release, deformation of the surface



# Gel point

- Material became hard

# Postgel phase

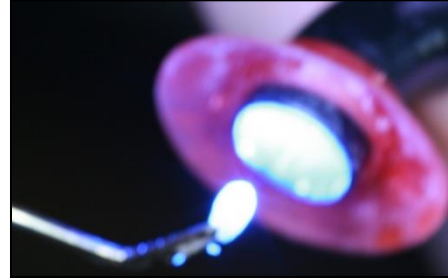
- Material is not soft, polymerization continues, due to polymerization shrinkage the polymerization stress occurs – forces on bonded surfaces can cause gaps or cracks.

- Selfcuring composites – longer pregel phase
- Photocomposites – Gel point comes earlier

# Forces of polymerization shrinkage depend on

- Composite material (content of filler)
- Geometry of the cavity (C-factor)
- Placement of the composite
- Mode of polymerization

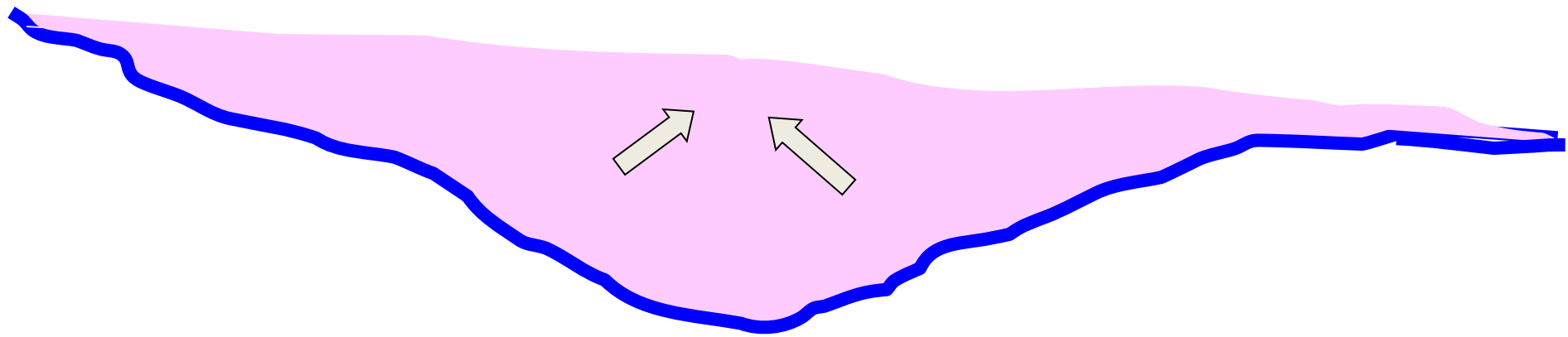
# Light curing



**Too short illumination, low output energy causes lower conversion of material, the risk of fracture is higher, material changes the colour.**

C – factor (Configuration factor)

**Surface of adhesion/free surface of the filling**



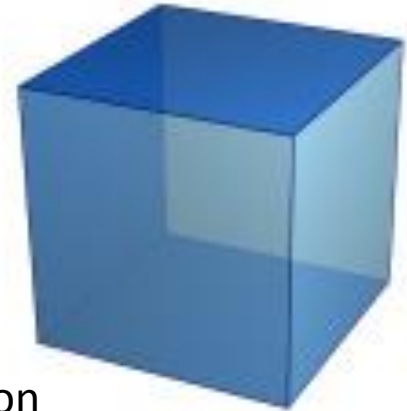
**1/1 and less is optimal**



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Big free surface – lower polymerization stress,  
The forces can easier release through free surface – its deformation

Forces of polymerization shrinkage  
depend on

- Composite material (content of filler)

Higher content of filler - lower  
shrinkage, higher polymerization stress.



# Mode of polymerization

- Longer pre gel phase – releasing of polymerization forces

Continual polymerization

Min. 500 mW/cm<sup>2</sup> 40 s



# 2 step polymerization

*10 s cca 140 mW/cm<sup>2</sup>*  *750 mW/cm<sup>2</sup> 30 s*



# Soft start

*Continuos increasing to 750 mW/cm<sup>2</sup>  
during 10 s and polymerization 30s*

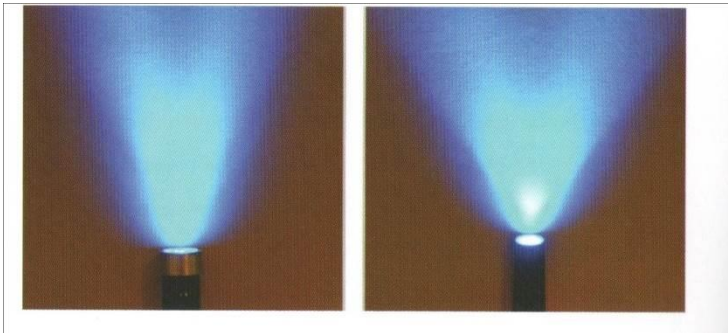


# step polymerization with interruption

*100 – 300 mW/cm<sup>2</sup> 3-5 s, přerušení na 3 min, pak polymerovat 750 mW/cm<sup>2</sup> po 30 s*



# Period of pre gel phase



Dentists polymerize mostly from the distance 4 mm – 10 mm. Diffusion of light. Soft start programm is not necessary.

# Polymerization units

Quartz tungsten  
halogen (QTH)

- Light emitting diode (LED)
- Plasma – arc (PAC)

- Energy and spectrum

# Polymerization units

Quartz tungsten  
halogen (QTH)

600 -800 mW/cm<sup>2</sup>

- Light emitting  
diode (LED)

1000 -1800 mW/cm<sup>2</sup>  
modré

50 – 100 mW/cm<sup>2</sup>  
fialové

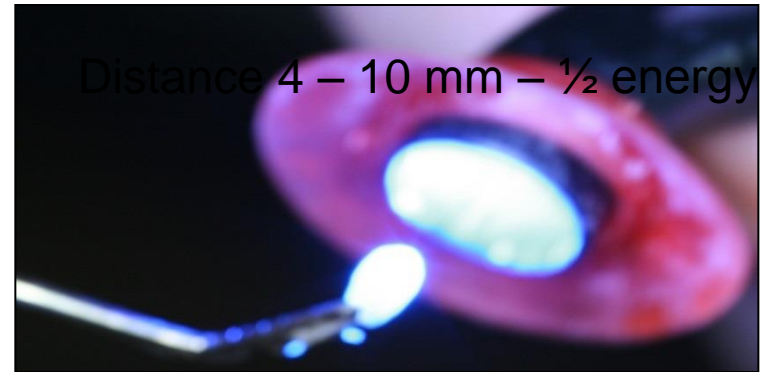
- Plasma – arc (PAC)

1500 - 2000mW/cm<sup>2</sup>



# Time of polymerization

- Recommended output power 12000 – 16000 mJ/cm<sup>2</sup>

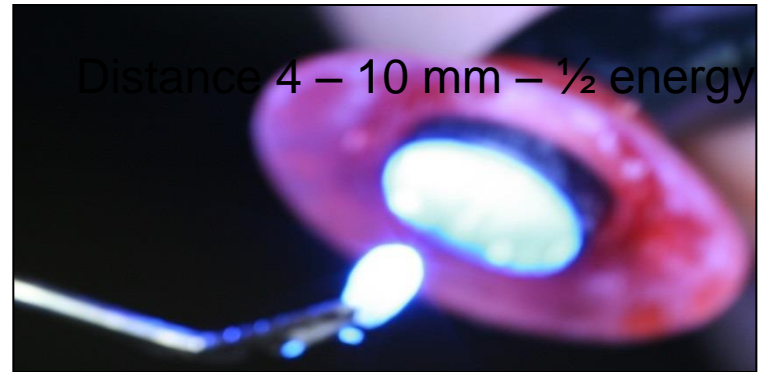


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Time of polymerization in s

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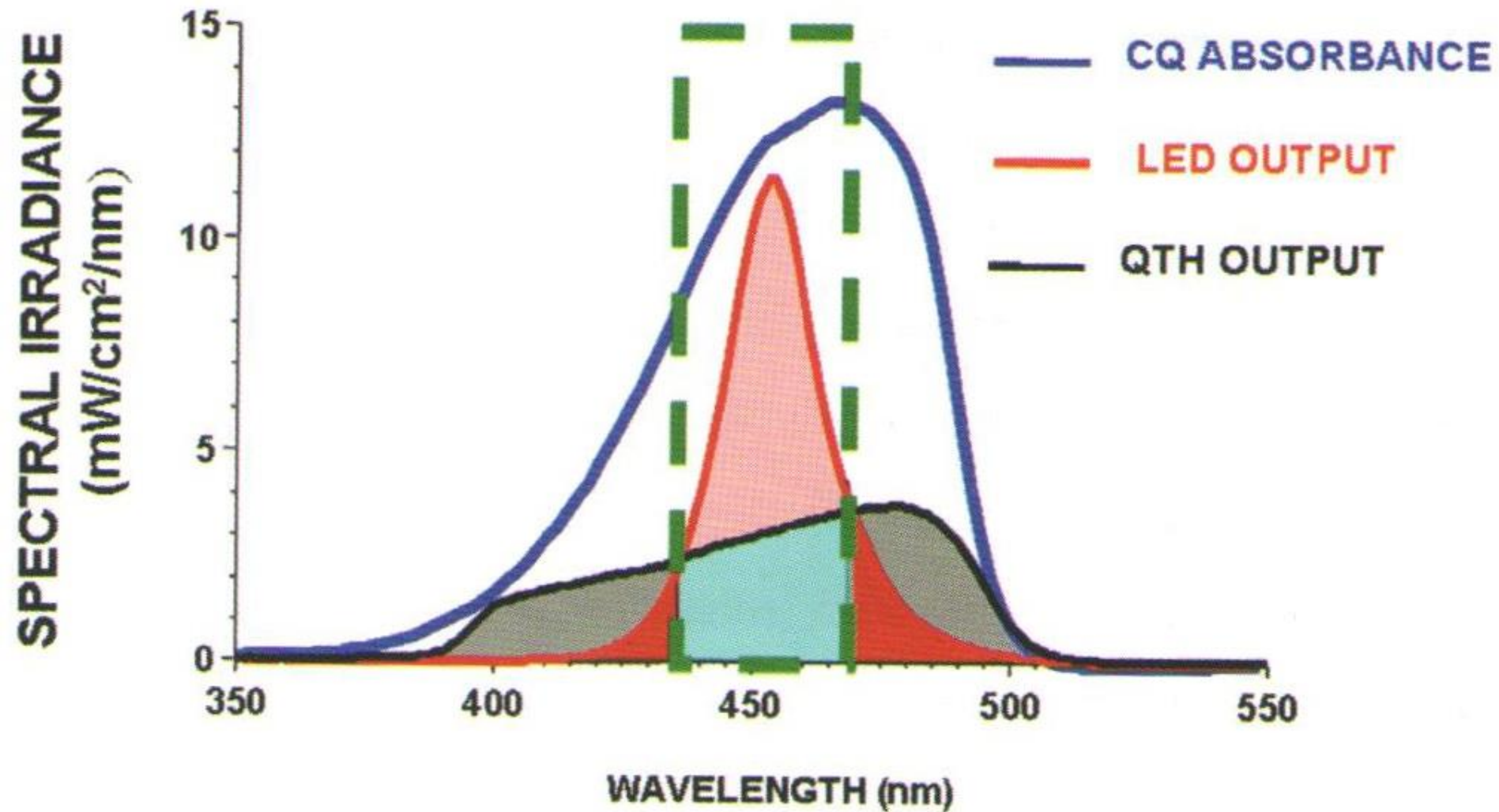
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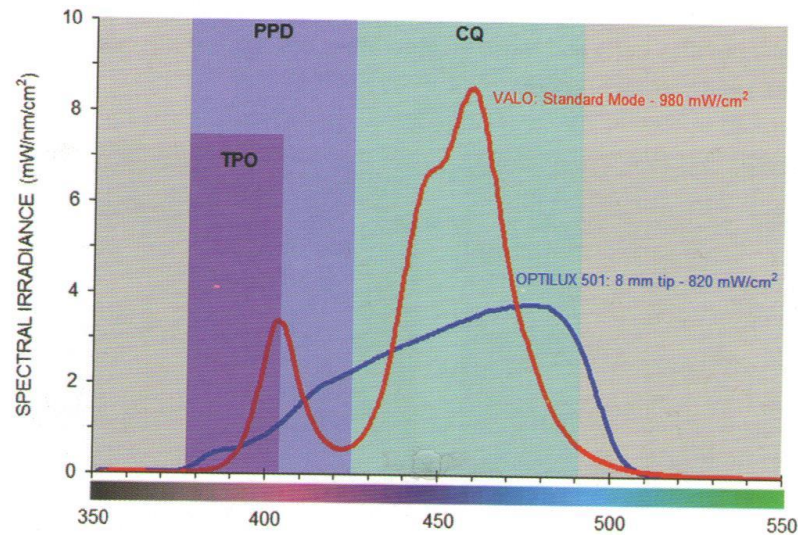
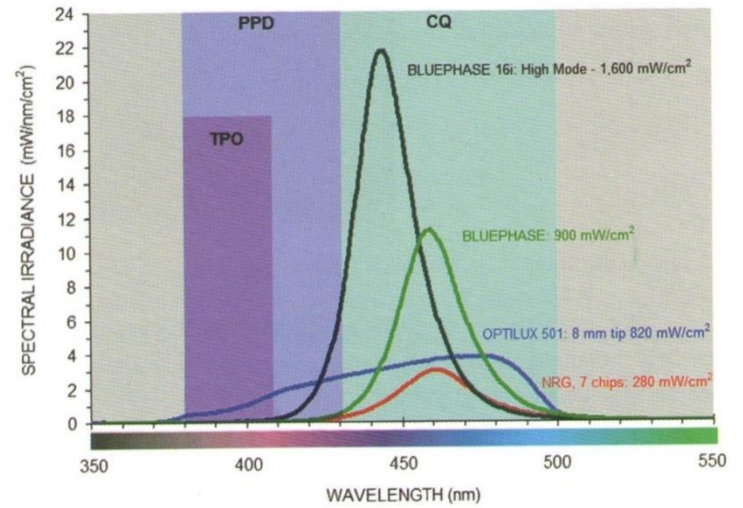
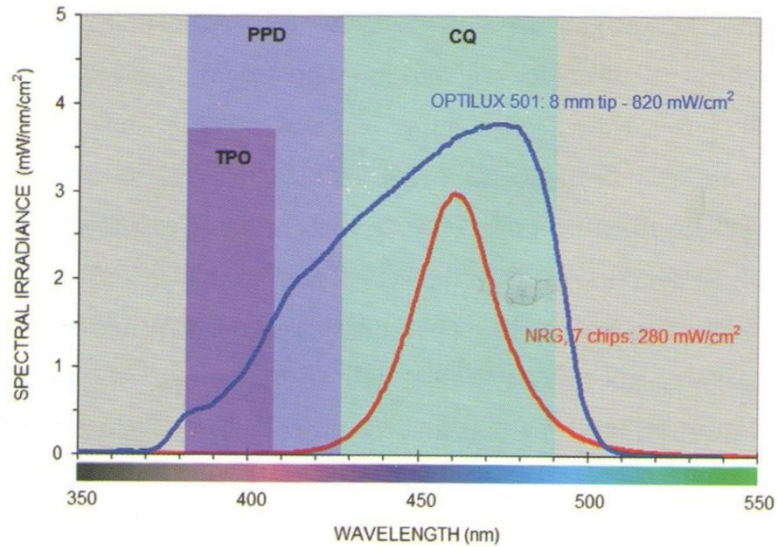
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# Photoinitiators – spectrum of absorption

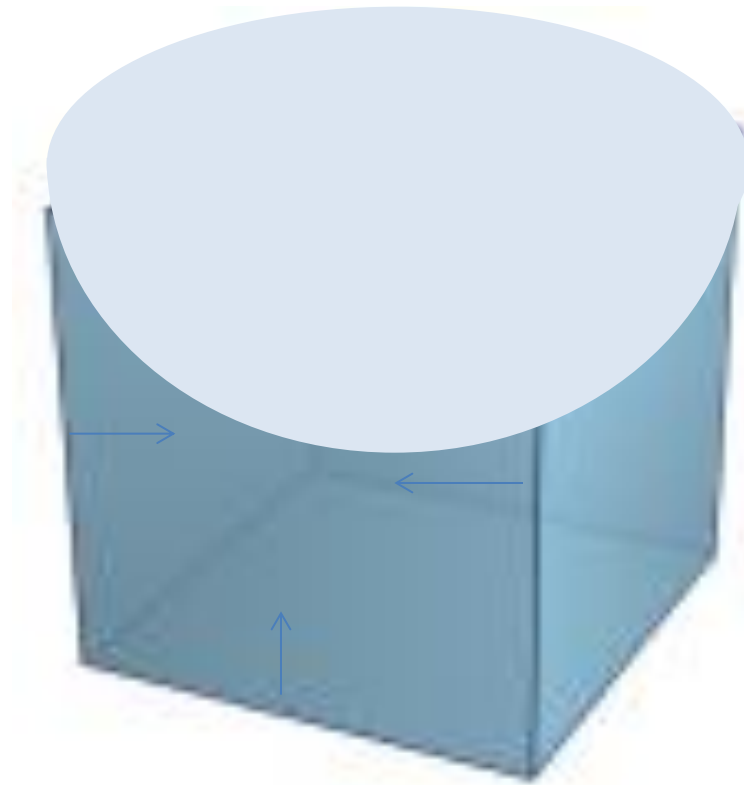
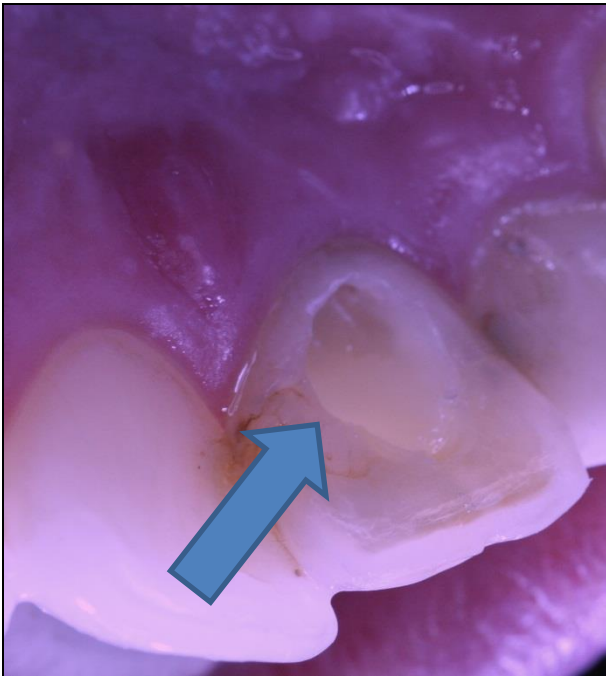
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# ABSORPTIVE REGION THAN FROM QTH LIGHT





# High C- faktor





# GAP in dentin, cracks in enamel

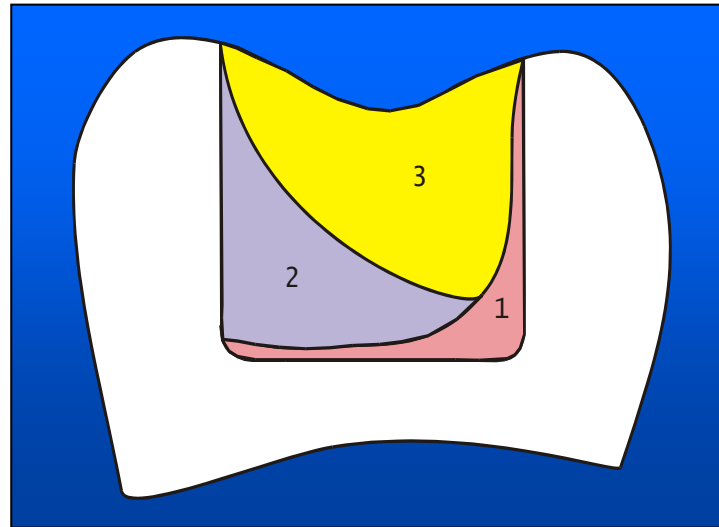


# Working with layers

- Incremental technique



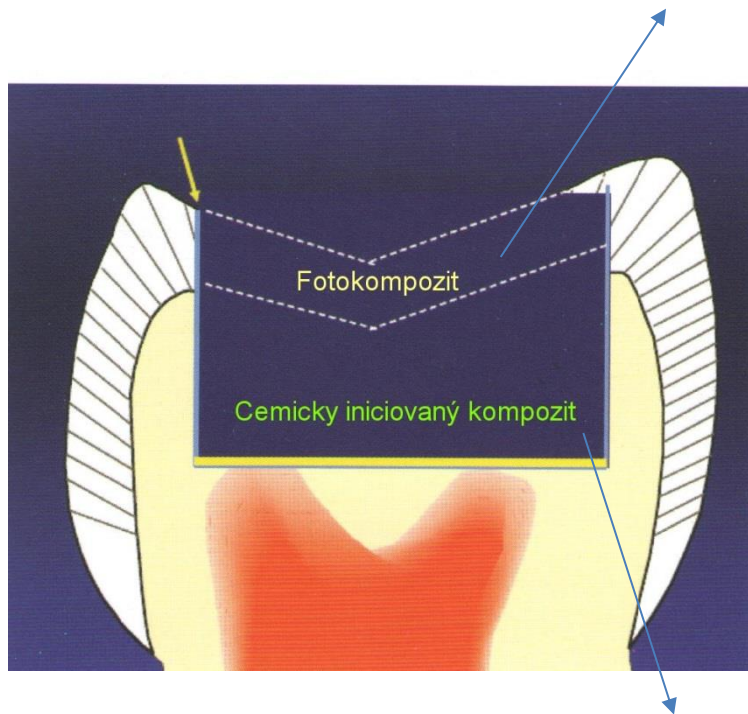
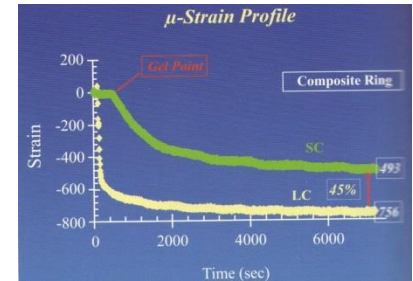
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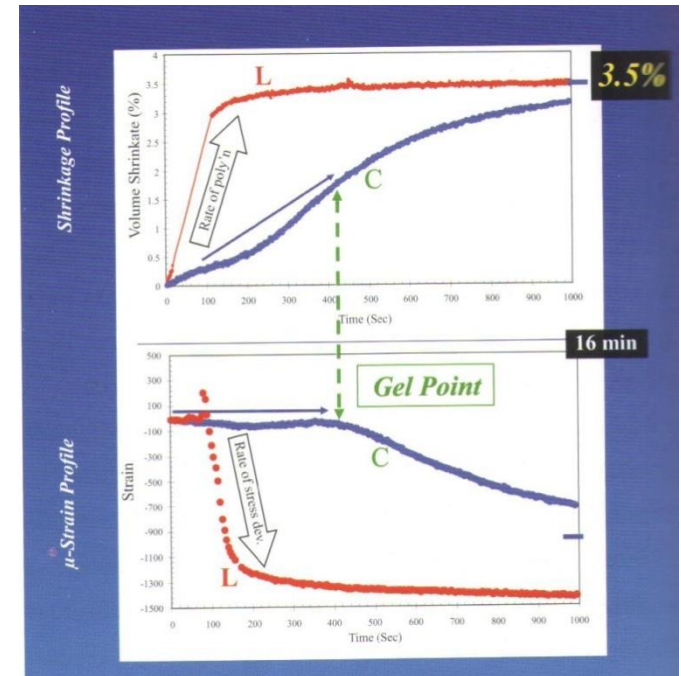
Free surface – as big as possible in each layer

# COMBINATION OF MATERIALS

Light curing composite



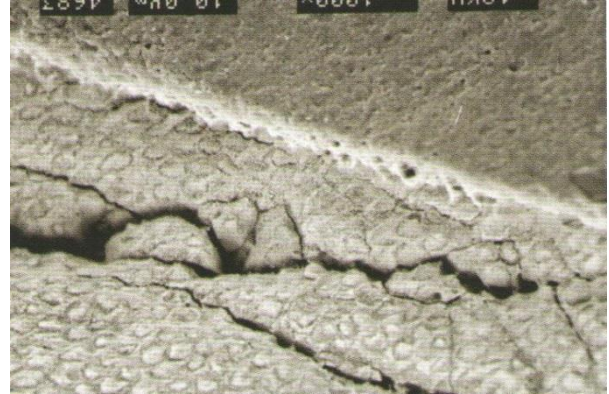
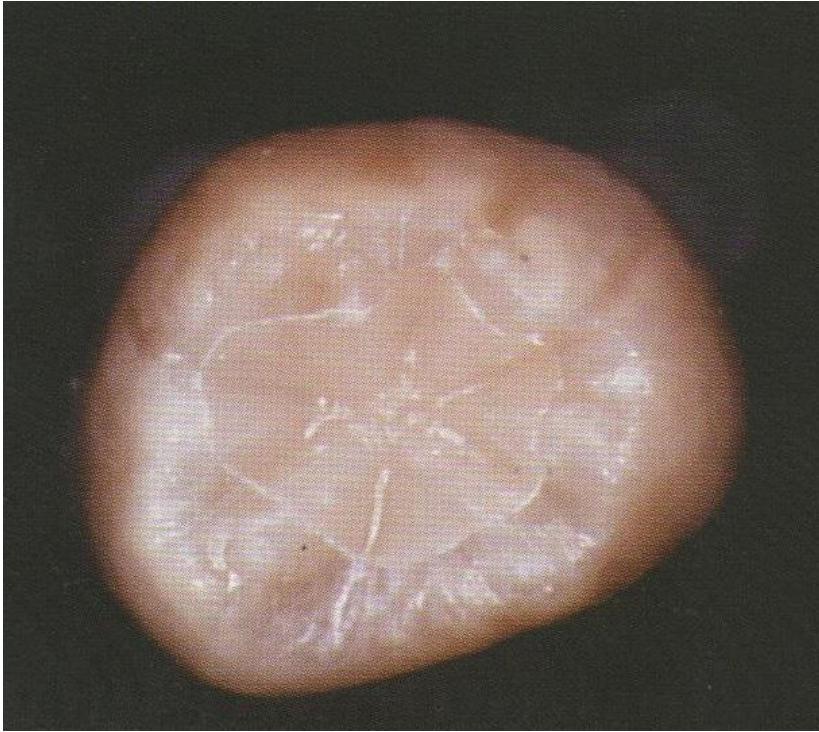
Selfcuring composite



# Glassionomer and composite

Sandwich technique  
GIC replaces lost dentin  
Composite replaces lost  
enamel

# Sealing of the filling



**FLOWABLES**

# Flowables indications

Filling of minicavities, pit and fissure sealing, tunnel

- Reparations
- Splinting
- Marginal adaptation
- Treatment of infractions
- Block out of undercuts

# Flowables

- Less amount of filler
  - Higher polymerization shrinkage
  - Lower modulus of elasticity
  - Lower polymerization stress
1. *generation nízký obsah plniva, malá mechanická odolnost*
  2. *generation: nanoparticles –higher amount of filler*

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# Bulk fill

Application in bulks, deep polymerization (4 – 5mm)

Heterogenous group

1. Flowables – SDR Flow (Dentsply), Venus Bulk Fill (Heraeus Kulzer), X-tra fill (VOCO), Filtek Bulk Fill (3M ESPE).
2. Packable composites (Tetric EvoCeram Bulk Fill (Ivoclar – Vivadent) a QuiXfill (Dentsply).
3. Sonic Fill (KaVo) – sonic activated composite

# Sonic Fill



Sonic activation – materials become Flowable.

# Bulk fill

- More translucent
- More photoinitiators
- Combination of materials (flowable bulk fill + hybrid composite)
- Packable composite + flowable on the bottom
- Sonic fill – combination with other materials is not necessary but useful.

# Bulk fill

- The problem of polymerization stress is not solved completely.
- Thinner layers than 4 mm recommended.