Prelude is a nanohybrid, light cured, self-etch or total-etch dental adhesive ideal for bonding to dentin, enamel, prepared canals, porcelain, composite, and metals. Its low film thickness of 5 microns does not interfere with the fit of indirect restorations.

- Compatible with all composites, composites and resin cements.
- MicroPrime G applied to etched or primed enamel and dentin surfaces prior to Adhesive application provides desensitization without diminishing the bond. Prelude in self-etch mode normally does not have sensitivity issues, however it still benefits from MicroPrime G’s antimicrobial action.
- Never mix Prelude components; use sequentially, drying in between applications.
- Adhesive Endodontic: place materials onto prepared canal walls with appropriate endodontic brushes. Do not use paper points.
- Eugenol will inhibit set. Sure Etch will remove residual eugenol.
- Avoid saliva and blood contamination.
- Shake Adhesive bottle well prior to first use to redisperse fillers after extended storage.
- Adhesion to self-cure or dual-cure cements requires Prelude Dual/Self-Cure Link. When Prelude Adhesive and Dual/Self-Cure Link are used with cements, Prelude will polymerize without light, making it self-cure.
**Total-Etch:**
1. Etch tooth surface for 10 sec with phosphoric acid etchant. Do not scrub. Rinse well. See below for preparation of other bonding surfaces.
2. Do not blow dry. Blot excess water with a new MicroBrush®, foam pellet or large paper point.
   • Continue at Step 3. (on next page)

**OR:**
**Self-Etch (no etchant required)**
1. Apply Primer to damp or dry enamel and dentin. Scrub for 10 sec with a MicroBrush®. Do not rinse.
2. Use an air syringe to gently evaporate the solvent. Surface need not remain shiny.
   • Continue at Step 3. (on next page)

**Preparation of Other Surfaces:**
First, air abrade all bonding surfaces of restorations being cemented or repaired using Danville’s MicroEtcher and 50 micron Aluminum Oxide.
Next, follow instruction related to surface type: Composites, Porcelain and Lithium Disilicate - Apply S-Bond according to its instructions and continue at Step 3 on next page.
Zirconia, Alumina, and Metals - Apply Z-Bond according to its instructions. Surface is ready for composite or cement.
Amalgam - Begin at Self-Etch Step 1, above.
Precious and Non-Precious Metals - Begin at Step 3 on next page. Tin-Plating of precious metal bonding surfaces improves bond strength.

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**Adhesive Application (Follow steps 1 and 2 on previous page and continue at step 3 below.):**
4. Evaporate solvent with gentle air stream. Increase air pressure to thin Adhesive.
5. Light Cure 10 sec. Light cure is optional when using Dual/Self-Cure Link with self-cure and dual-cure composites.

**For direct restorations:** Place composite (flowable preferred) or compomer restorative and light cure.

**For indirect restorations:** See “Preparation of Other Surfaces” on previous page. Follow instructions below for using Dual/Self-Cure Link on every surface where Adhesive has been applied.

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**Dual/Self-Cure Link for bonding self-cure and dual-cure composites and resin cement.**
• Dab Link liberally onto cured or uncured Adhesive using a MicroBrush®. Do not scrub.
• Evaporate solvent with air syringe.
• Apply self-cure or dual-cure composite.
• Initiator in self/dual-cured composites will cause Prelude to become dual-cure. Warning: Dual/Self-Cure Link may shorten the working time of some self-cure and dual-cure composites.

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Next, follow instruction related to surface type: Composites, Porcelain and Lithium Disilicate - Apply S-Bond according to its instructions and continue at Step 3 on next page.
Zirconia, Alumina, and Metals - Apply Z-Bond according to its instructions. Surface is ready for composite or cement.
Amalgam - Begin at Self-Etch Step 1, above.
Precious and Non-Precious Metals - Begin at Step 3 on next page. Tin-Plating of precious metal bonding surfaces improves bond strength.