### Protemp<sup>™</sup> 4

**Temporisation Material** 



# Whether shaken or stirred, it stays tough



# Ultimate toughness

#### Protemp<sup>™</sup> 4 – The innovative advancement of a successful product.

With Protemp<sup>™</sup> 4 Temporisation Material, 3M<sup>™</sup> ESPE<sup>™</sup> has set another milestone in temporary crown and bridge materials. 3M ESPE has applied its expertise in nanotechnology to create the first bis-acrylic composite with a new generation of sophisticated fillers for the fabrication of multiple-unit temporaries. The result is unparalleled achievements in strength, handling and aesthetics.



### Outstanding beauty

### The Protemp<sup>™</sup> Temporisation Family – The top-of-the-class solution in temporaries.

With Protemp<sup>™</sup> 4 Temporisation Material and Protemp<sup>™</sup> Crown Temporisation Material – the world's first, malleable and light-curable composite crown for single-unit temporaries – 3M ESPE now offers a complete line of temporisation materials. With Protemp<sup>™</sup> 4 you will experience the well-established high quality and easy handling of its predecessor Protemp<sup>™</sup> 3 Garant<sup>™</sup> – a more convenient and faster procedure to fabricate temporary restorations, with improved material properties.

Available in **6 different shades,** Protemp 4 temporisation material is the perfect choice for the fabrication of highly durable and aesthetic single- and multi-unit temporary restorations.

#### **Indications:**

- Crowns
- Bridges
- Inlays and onlays
- Veneers
- Long-term temporaries
- Implants

#### **Product benefits:**

- Reliably tough temporaries due to highest fracture resistance and better abrasion stability also suitable for long-term temporisation.
- Patient-pleasing aesthetics and a comfortable fit through a smooth surface, natural shine and fluorescence, high colour stability. Easy plaque removal to support gingival health.
- Easier and faster handling and fabrication due to the reduced smear layer and gloss without polishing or glazing.



In a one year clinical performance test the product demonstrated an excellent overall performance including high strength and outstanding aesthetics. It received a 5+ rating by THE DENTAL ADVISOR.

# Reliably strong temporaries

#### Strength through record-breaking toughness.

Patients constantly put their temporaries to the test. In vitro tests prove Protemp™ 4 Temporisation Material to be tougher than all other leading automix bis-acrylic temporisation materials. Using Protemp 4 material can help reduce the number of fractured temporaries and patient recalls.

- Unmatched fracture resistance and therefore less likely to break than other automix bis-acrylic temporisation materials
- Outstanding mechanical and compressive strength
- State-of-the-art marginal integrity and precision fit
- Suitable for long-term temporaries

#### Material toughness/fracture work (resistance of material to fracture)



In a test measuring material toughness, Protemp™ 4 Temporisation Material showed greater resistance to fracture than other tested temporisation materials.

Source: V. Babcic, R. Perry and G. Kugel, Tufts University, Boston, MA, U.S.A.,

#### Splendid aesthetics and improved patient comfort.

Your patients will enjoy the natural-looking polish, the smooth feel and the high overall wearing comfort of a temporary made with Protemp 4 temporisation material. Thanks to fluorescent pigments, Protemp 4 temporaries look naturally beautiful in various lighting conditions — even in challenging UV light.

Aside from a superior surface quality providing higher colour stability, even over the long term, the smooth surface supports gingival health during wear time since plaque can be easily cleaned away.

# Patient **comfort**

#### Fluoresence of a human tooth

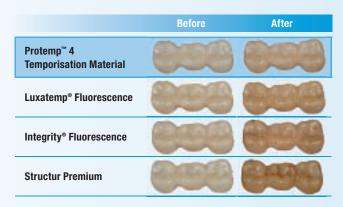


Protemp™ 4 Temporisation Material



Comparing the fluorescence of temporisation materials under ultraviolet light shows Protemp™ 4 Temporisation Material looks almost the same as natural teeth.

Source: 3M ESPE internal data



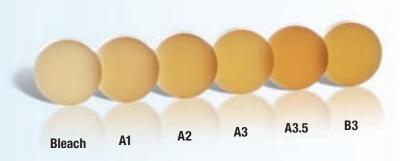
Coffee test: After three days immersed in coffee at 36° C, Protemp $^{\rm w}$ 4 Temporisation Material shows virtually no colour change.

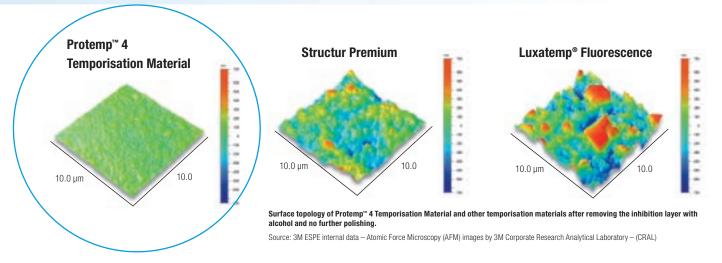
### **Brilliant results**

#### A faster procedure and brilliant results without polishing or glazing.

With easy-to-use Protemp™ 4 Temporisation Material you will experience a more convenient and even more time-saving procedure. Compared to competitive temporary materials, Protemp 4 material provides a much thinner smear layer that can easily be removed and therefore reduces your working time significantly.

NEW Shade A3.5 Enhanced Bleach Plus, 3M ESPE's unique nanotechnology ensures a smooth, glossy surface right from the beginning. To finish the temporary fabricated with Protemp 4 material, it simply needs to be cleaned with ethanol to achieve a brilliant and natural gloss in next to no time — without additional polishing or glazing.





"The four single temporary crowns which I inserted until now, were so easily done. Even individualization with thin margin survived excellently to the wearing time of 7–14 days. Also at removal, this thin margin did not crack as it usually happens with other materials." Dr. Riedl

"The material can be repaired very easily, especially because one can simply use readily available flowable (Filtek™ Flowable Restorative). No stock keeping of a special repair material is necessary anymore. The margin between Protemp™ 4 and the added material are hardly visible." Dr. Vetter

"Is easier to trim and finish, less smear layer than with Protemp™ 3 Garant™; is better removable from the tooth than Protemp™ 3 Garant™, surfaces can be worked out and polished well." Dr. Kustermann

"We are testing right now your Protemp" 4 and are totally enthusiastic. Use Snap so far. That is for sure no comparison at all." Dr. Menrath



#### **Protemp™ Crown Temporisation Material**

For single-unit temporaries experience also Protemp™ Crown Temporisation Material from 3M ESPE – the world's first preformed, malleable, self-supporting and light-curable composite crown. Protemp Crown temporisation material is trimmed and adapted using common dental instruments. This revolutionary, time-saving technique results in higher productivity for you.

**Product Information** 

technique card, instructions

Refills

**Protemp™ 4 Temporisation Material** 

Protemp™ 4 Temporisation Material Intro Kit - A2

1 cartridge – 50 ml, A2; 16 Garant™ mixing tips blue; 1 Garant™ Dispenser 10:1,

- Simple No matrix or impression, no hardware or mixing tips needed
- Fast Up to 50 % savings in time compared to conventional temporaries

Item No.

46953

- Strong Remarkable strength
- **Aesthetic** Produces a restoration of a natural tooth shade



#### **Ordering Information**



Protemp™ 4 Temporisation Material Intro Kit – A2 (46953)



Protemp™ 4 Temporisation Material Refill – A2 (46956)



46959 Protemp™ 4 Temporisation Material Refill - Bleach 1 cartridge – 50 ml, Bleach; 16 Garant™ mixing tips blue; instructions 46954 Protemp™ 4 Temporisation Material Refill - A1 1 cartridge – 50 ml, A1; 16 Garant™ mixing tips blue; instructions 46956 Protemp™ 4 Temporisation Material Refill - A2 1 cartridge – 50 ml, A2; 16 Garant™ mixing tips blue; instructions 46957 Protemp™ 4 Temporisation Material Refill - A3 1 cartridge - 50 ml, A3; 16 Garant™ mixing tips blue; instructions 46972 Protemp™ 4 Temporisation Material Refill - A3.5 1 cartridge – 50 ml, A3.5; 16 Garant™ mixing tips blue; instructions 46960 Protemp™ 4 Temporisation Material Refill – B3 1 cartridge - 50 ml, B3; 16 Garant™ mixing tips blue; instructions **Protemp™ Crown Temporisation Material** 50600 **Protemp™ Crown Temporisation Material Intro Kit** 42 Temporary Crowns; Crown Size Tools (2 bags of 10); instructions; Crown Drawer; Crown Drawer Labels; Temporary Crown Sizes: 6 × Molar Upper Large, 6 × Molar Upper Small,  $6 \times$  Molar Lower Large,  $6 \times$  Molar Lower Small;  $4 \times$  Bicuspid (Premolar) Upper Large, 4× Bicuspid (Premolar) Upper Small, 4× Bicuspid (Premolar) Lower; 3× Cuspid (Canine) Large, 3 × Cuspid (Canine) Small



Protemp™ Crown Temporisation Material Intro Kit (50600)

Protemp<sup>™</sup> 4 shades match Filtek<sup>™</sup> Supreme XTE Flowable Restoratives from 3M ESPE. For high-precision preliminary impressions we recommend Position™ Penta™ (Quick) VPS Alginate Replacement and the single-use Position™ Tray from 3M ESPE.



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