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### Article. A review of dentin adhesives in pediatric dentistry (pp. 80-9)

1. Which of the following dentin adhesive(s) require(s) a wet-bonding technique for application?
   - (a) Etch-and-rinse adhesive.
   - (b) Self-etch adhesive.
   - (c) All of the above.
   - (d) None of the above.

2. Which of the following is/are the problem(s) associated with the use of 1-step self-etch adhesive?
   - (a) Incomplete penetration of resin into demineralized dentin.
   - (b) Incomplete evaporation of water and solvent prior to polymerization.
   - (c) Over-etching of dentin.
   - (d) All of the above.

3. Which of the following dentin adhesive(s) show(s) the greatest bond strength to primary dentin?
   - (a) Three-step etch-and-rinse adhesive.
   - (b) Two-step etch-and-rinse adhesive.
   - (c) Two-step self-etch adhesive.
   - (d) One-step self-etch adhesive.

4. How can autodegradation of collagen in the bonded interface be prevented in 2-step etch-and-rinse adhesive?
   - (a) Application of chlorhexidine before acid etching.
   - (b) Double the acid etching time.
   - (c) Place an additional coat of bonding resin.
   - (d) Application of chlorhexidine after acid etching.

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