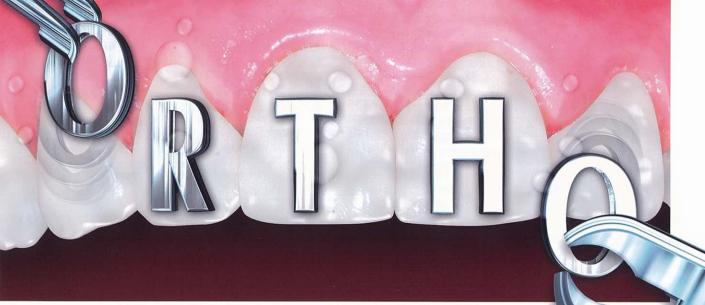
Easy on



Easy off

GC Fuji ORTHO

A Range of Glass Ionomer Cements for Orthodontic Bonding

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# The GC Fuji ORTHO range:

## The easier, safer alternative to composites



**Orthodontic bonding** cements should meet three key criteria: they should be easy to apply, they should attach brackets and bands onto the teeth securely throughout the treatment, and they should be easy to remove. But that's not all. Safety in use is just as important, so at each step the cement should not damage teeth, either during application, during the course of treatment or upon removal.

## Easy On... Secure and Safe... Easy Off

To overcome the problems related to the use of composite resin cements, GC, the world leader in glass ionomer technology, created resinreinforced glass ionomer cements especially for orthodontics. Both self-curing GC Fuji ORTHO and light-curing GC Fuji ORTHO LC are resin-réinforced glass ionomer cements that offer the bonding strength of composite resin with the ease of use and the long term safety of fluoridereleasing glass ionomer.

Now, to make orthodontic bonding of bands and appliances even easier and quicker, there is a new addition to the range. Self-curing GC Fuji ORTHO BAND is a resin-reinforced glass ionomer cement in a PASTE formulation which is presented in a unique Paste Pak dispenser. Compared to composite resins, the GC Fuji ORTHO range of cements has the following advantages:

### **EASY ON**

No acid etching so no damage to ename!
GC Fuji ORTHO cements have strong, intrinsic chemical adhesion to ename!. Acid etching is not required so there is no need to damage the teeth to gain strong adhesion. If extra bond strength is required, GC Cavity Conditioner is available which cleans and conditions without damaging ename!.



Bonds in a moist environment The chemical adhesion of the GC Fuji ORTHO cements actually needs a moist environment in which to work, so there is no need to waste time or materials trying to maintain a dry field.

#### **SECURE AND SAFE**

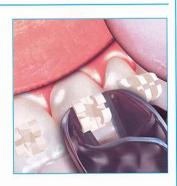
Sufficient bond strength, effectively maintained The bond strength of the resin-reinforced glass ionomer used in GC Fuji ORTHO cements is more than sufficient to retain brackets, bands and appliances. The naturally moist oral environment also helps to maintain its adhesive strength, ensuring they are attached securely throughout the duration of placement.



High fluoride release Ongoing fluoride release and uptake offers continued protection from demineralization through the course of treatment.

### **EASY OFF**

No damage to enamel, easy to clean away
Despite the impressive adhesive properties of GC Fuji ORTHO cements, proven in many clinical studies, band or brackets can easily be removed from the tooth surface when the treatment is completed. The enamel is not damaged and any residue is easily removed by polishing.



# GC Fuji ORTHO

- Self-curing resin-reinforced glass ionomer.
- Powder/liquid presentation.
- Bonds metal and porcelain brackets and bands as well as acrylic appliances.
- Takes only 30secs to mix.
   Working time 3mins.
- Setting time of between 5mins 30 secs to 7mins, during which levelling wires can be placed.

# GC Fuji ORTHO LC

- Light-cured resinreinforced glass ionomer.
- Bonds metal and porcelain brackets, as well as acrylic appliances and metal bands.
- Available in both powder/ liquid and capsules.
- Only 30secs to mix (10secs for capsules).
   Working time 3mins 15secs.
- Sets in just 20 to 40secs. Levelling wires can be inserted immediately after light curing.

# NEW GC Fuji ORTHO BAND Paste Pak

The latest addition to the range is GC Fuji ORTHO BAND the first orthodontic cement to be made available in the unique Paste Pak dispenser which improves even further the easy on, easy off benefits of using GC Fuji ORTHO cements.

- Self-curing resinreinforced glass ionomer.
- Bonds orthodontic bands and appliances that are retained with stainless steel crowns, such as Herbst or expansion appliances.
- Available as a PASTE in a special, replaceable double-barrelled cartridge called a Paste Pak that fits into its own unique dispenser to form a complete bonding system with faster and more accurate dispensing.
- Ensures that when mixed together, which takes just 15secs, they form a

cement with no air bubbles and of exactly the right consistency (film thickness of just  $3\mu$ ) for optimal workability and clinical performance.

- Working time is 3mins 30secs and setting time is 3mins.
- The final colour of the paste is 'blue' which makes identification of residual cement after debonding much easier and quicker.





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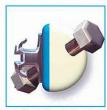




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BONDS IN MOISTURE



LONG-LASTING, SECURE BOND



HIGH FLUORIDE RELEASE



NO DAMAGE

EASY TO REMOVE



<b>Physical Properties</b>	Fuji Ortho LC	Fuji Ortho	Fuji ORTHO BAND Paste Pak
Powder/Liquid ratio or Paste/Paste ratio (g/g)	3.0/1.0	3.0/1.0	2.0/1.0
Working time (min. sec.)	3′15″	2′50″	3′30″
Net Setting time (min. sec.) (37°C)	Light Cure: 20s"	3′00″	3′00″
Consistency (mm)	30	29	29
Compressive strength (MPa) 24hr	214	156	110
Shear bond strength (MPa) Bovine enamel 24 hr	23	22	8
Film thickness	24	23	3
Source:	Internal data, GC Corporation		

### GC Fuji ORTHO LC



#### Powder/Liquid

Intro Pack:

15g powder, 6.8ml liquid and accessories

Refill: 40g powder/6.8ml liquid

**Capsules** 

50 capsules (mixed volume per capsule 0.10ml)

Accessories

GC Capsule Applier GC Cavity Conditioner 5.7ml liquid

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### GC Fuji ORTHO



### Powder/Liquid

Intro Pack:

40g powder, 2 x 6.8ml liquid and

accessories

Refill: 40g powder/6.8ml liquid

Accessories

GC Cavity Conditioner

5.7ml liquid

### GC Fuji ORTHO BAND Paste Pak



### Paste/Paste

Refill:

2 x 13.3g / 7.2 ml Paste Pak Cartridge with Mixing Pad

Accessories

Paste Pak Dispenser

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