# Comprehensive 3D Printer Settings for MD800 / MD600 Resin for Dental Models

MD800 Resin is specifically designed for creating precise dental models. Below is a simplified guideline for **MD800** / **MD600Resin** based on the given parameters, ensuring optimal results in terms of detail, adhesion, and print speed.

# General Recommendations for MD800 /MD600 Resin Settings

| Setting                         | MD800/ MD600 Resin<br>Setting | Notes  |
|---------------------------------|-------------------------------|--|
| Layer Height                    | 0.05 mm                       | Ideal for fine details in dental models.                             |
| Bottom Layer Count              | 4                             | Ensures strong adhesion to the build plate.                          |
| Exposure Time (Normal<br>Layer) | 2.5-4 seconds                 | Optimal exposure time for fine details while preventing over-curing. |
| Bottom Exposure Time            | 35 seconds                    | Sufficient time to ensure good adhesion for the bottom layers.       |
| Transition Layer Count          | 4                             | Smooth transition between bottom and normal layers.                  |
| Transition Type                 | Linear                        | A linear transition is ideal for consistent layer bonding.           |
| Transition Time<br>Decrement    | -                             | No decrement needed, a linear transition works fine.                 |
| Rest Time Before Lift           | -                             | No rest time before lifting helps speed up the printing process.     |
| Rest Time After Lift            | -                             | No rest time after lift to increase efficiency.                      |
| Rest Time After Retract         | -                             | No rest time after retract keeps the print process efficient.        |
| Bottom Lift Distance            | 3.0 mm                        | Standard bottom lift distance for good adhesion.                     |
| Lifting Distance                | 3.0 mm                        | Standard lifting distance to avoid print failure.                    |
| Bottom Retract Distance         | -                             | No specific bottom retract distance provided; default is 0.5mm.      |
| Retract Distance                | -                             | Retract distance is small to minimize resin leakage.                 |
| Bottom Lift Speed               | 90.0 mm/min                   | Slower lift speed ensures stable adhesion.                           |

| Setting              | MD800/ MD600 Resin<br>Setting | Notes   |
|----------------------|-------------------------------|---|
| Lifting Speed        | 250.0 mm/min                  | Standard lift speed to ensure proper movement between layers.       |
| Bottom Retract Speed | 25().() mm/min                | Faster retract speed for bottom layers helps prevent resin buildup. |
| Retract Speed        | 150.0 mm/min                  | Slower retract speed to reduce stringing and leaks.                 |

## **Key Differences and Considerations:**

### 1. Exposure Time (Normal Layer):

The 5.7 seconds exposure time for MD800/ MD600 Resin is ideal for preserving fine details while
preventing over-curing. This exposure time is slightly shorter than other resins, making it well-suited
for precision work.

### 2. Bottom Exposure Time:

 68.0 seconds of exposure for the bottom layers ensures a strong bond between the print and the build plate, preventing the print from detaching during the process.

# 3. Bottom Layer Count:

 The 6 bottom layers setting is typical for ensuring strong adhesion without overly thick or unnecessary bottom layers, which could impact print efficiency.

### 4. Transition Layer Count:

 The 4 transition layers work to seamlessly connect the bottom and regular layers, ensuring that there is no visible difference in the surface quality between the layers.

#### 5. Rest Time:

There is no rest time specified for before lift, after lift, or after retract, which helps speed up the printing process. However, if print failures are noticed, consider adding small rest times to give resin more time to cure.

### 6. Lift and Retract Distances:

- The **bottom lift distance (3.0 mm)** and **lifting distance (2.0 mm)** are set to typical values, ensuring smooth detachment between the print and the build plate.
- The retract distance is not specified, but a small retract distance (0.5 mm) is typical to avoid resin leakage during the process.

#### 7. Lift and Retract Speeds:

- o The **bottom lift speed (50.0 mm/min)** and **lifting speed (250.0 mm/min)** are standard for most printers. A slower **bottom lift speed** ensures stable adhesion and reduces print failures.
- The retract speed for both the bottom and normal layers is set to 250.0 mm/min (for bottom layers) and 60.0 mm/min (for regular retracts), which helps control resin flow and prevents stringing.

#### **Suggested Tweaks Based on Printer Models:**

- For Mono Screen Printers (e.g., Anycubic Mono X):
  - Consider reducing exposure time slightly (e.g., 5.0 seconds) if the prints appear overexposed due to the fast curing speed of these printers.
- For Larger Printers (e.g., Phrozen Sonic Mega 8K):
  - Bottom exposure time may need to be increased to 80-120 seconds to ensure adhesion, especially with larger build areas.

#### **Conclusion:**

The settings provided for MD800/ MD600 Resin are designed to optimize print quality while minimizing curing time. MD800 / MD600 Resin is great for creating highly detailed dental models, and these settings should help with consistency and quality. However, always test your settings on small prints to ensure the best possible results for your specific printer model and resin batch.