

# 3D-Printing-Expert Rapid Shape is now cooperating with dental manufacturer VOCO

Perfect solutions for a modern, digital and ambitious dentistry – these are the goals for the specialists of 3D-printing from Southern Germany as well as for the dentists from the far north. Rapid Shape and VOCO bundle their capabilities into a partnership to provide their customers with the highest level of flexibility when choosing work material. The scope of this cooperation, printers from Rapid Shape and 3D-printing material from VOCO, will be synchronize to mesh with each other to offer optimal print results.

Rapid Shape has benefitted from many years of experience in 3D printing and offers professional solutions specialized for the dental, hearing aid and other industrial markets. Recently, Rapid Shape has grown to be one of the top players in high-end dental laboratories, as well as in centralized production spaces. A validated workflow secures high quality output whilst the open-system allows for flexibility.

„The open-system is giving our customers the possibility to choose the right material for their use. VOCO is another high-quality material partner by our side, who is enlarging and enhancing our portfolio“, explains Andreas Schultheiss, Managing Director of Rapid Shape. „We are looking forward to the development work together with VOCO to provide more validated V-Print materials for our 3D-printer.“

For more than three decades, VOCO is known as an explorative dental company with a high competence in light curing plastics for restorative dentistry. VOCO is using their knowledge and experience in the segment of digital dentistry for a couple of years already and has successfully established numerous products worldwide; specially 3D-printing materials of the V-Print-family.

VOCO print materials are now certified for Rapid Shape 3D-printer. In the first release the V-Print splint, V-Print SG and V-Print model are available for the Rapid Shape 3D-printer of second and third generation, like the D20+, D30+, D20 II, D30 II and D40 II, right now. You can find a detailed list at [www.voco.dental/3dprintingpartners](http://www.voco.dental/3dprintingpartners)

Customers with a service contract can find the current rapidshape-Engine with new material parameter in the knowledge center at [www.kc.rapidshape.de](http://www.kc.rapidshape.de)

- V-Print splint is conducting the production of the transparent toothed rack with high flexibility as a Class IIa medical product.
- V-print SG is also accredited as a Class IIa medical product and therefore indexed for direct contact with wounds.
- V-Print model is a material for producing dental models with a high scratch resistance. It is suitable for Thermoforming and stays dimensionally accurate despite heat input.



## About Rapid Shape

Rapid Shape is a German company that specializes in the development and manufacture of high-end systems for additive printing. Rapid Shape has positioned itself as one of this industry's leaders through proprietary technology that has set new standards in speed, reliability and precision. Rapid Shape provides solutions for industrial, dental, hearing aid and jewellery markets. Precision, quality and cooperation with sales, material and technology partners distinguishes this company from its competitors. For further information about Rapid Shapes 3D-printer please visit [www.rapidshape.de](http://www.rapidshape.de)

## About VOCO

Modern dentistry requires dental products that offer the highest level of material quality and usability. Practical, efficient solutions are key. Here at VOCO that's exactly what we're about. We see ourselves as Dentalists – dental material specialists. This field is therefore our sole focus; we dedicate all our efforts to serving dentistry. As an independent, owner-managed family company we pursue this aim with integrity and efficiency, relying in the process on the expertise and commitment of our entire workforce.

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