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Subject: Binding posts vs 1/4 inch jack vs XLR vs Speakon

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I've looked at various amps at a similar price range, but they all have different speaker output connections. The GEMINI X4 has binding posts. The AC EURO has 1/4 jack and speakon. The QSC has XLR connections. I've heard binding posts can take really thick cable but have a risk of shorts for strands of wire. The 1/4 jack are standard but can't take thick wire. And the XLR and Speakon take thick wire but are expensive for the plugs. Which should I choose for my home studio, with the occasional disco elsewhere.