Subject: Re: Cleaning Connections on Equipment Posted by positron on Tue, 17 Jan 2023 19:32:08 GMT

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I have been using spray cleaner that leaves no residue. My tube sockets are gold plated, which seem to work nicely over the years.

I tried an experiment, some year or more ago, of fastening the speaker wires to the speaker jacks as an anchor, but soldering a wire directly from the speaker wires to the crossover, eliminating one physical pressure connection.

It is working fine as I found the bass was more consistent. Maybe my fingers are weak from age, but I found that tightening with a wrench improved the bass tautness, by increasing contact area due to surface irregularities, and is gas tight. (Of course I did not strip the threads.) Might be something worth trying.

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