

**The following article is Inspired by the work of LA8OKA  
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Original reference on:

[http://www.arcticpeak.com/radiopages/kenwood\\_ts-2000\\_12\\_khz\\_if\\_output.htm](http://www.arcticpeak.com/radiopages/kenwood_ts-2000_12_khz_if_output.htm)

**WARNING!**

Do not try this if you don't have experience on soldering small parts.  
Use only a soldering iron of max 30W.

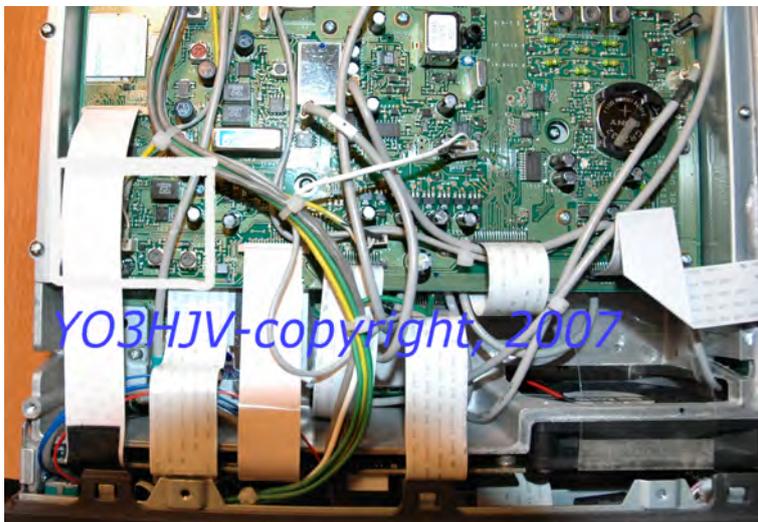
**Be prepared with:**

- Soldering iron 30W;
- Hot glue;
- Double sided adhesive tape;
- 0.1microF capacitor;
- Cable ties;
- 1 m of shielded audio cable;
- Philipps Screw-driver
- Tweezer.

**1. LOCALIZATION OF WORKING SECTOR**

Carefully remove the panels of the radio.

Place the radio with the upside down and the front to you.



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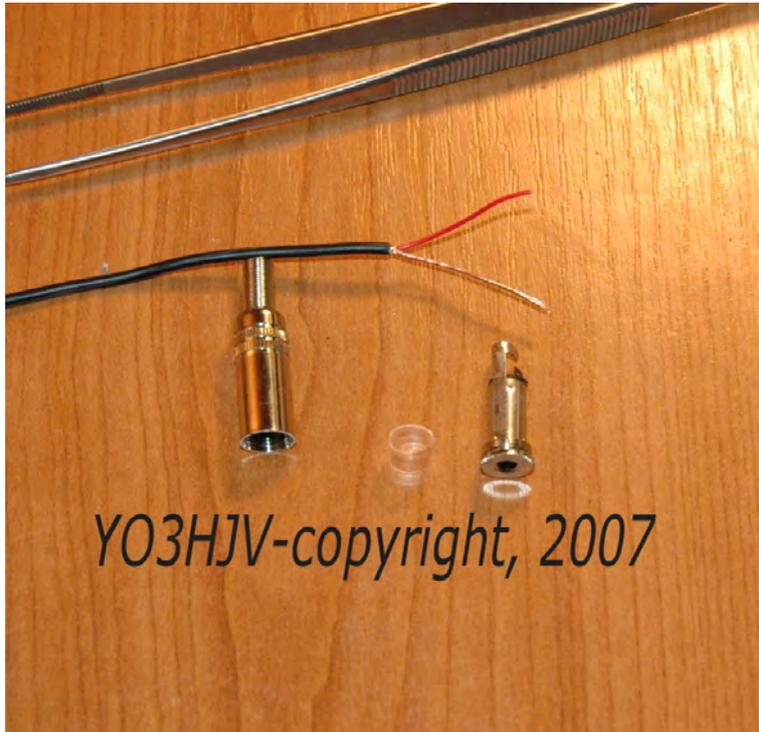


**2. PLACE A DOUBLE ADHESIVE TAPE.**  
Leave the protection foil on the tape.



**2. PREPARE THE PIGTAIL CABLE.**

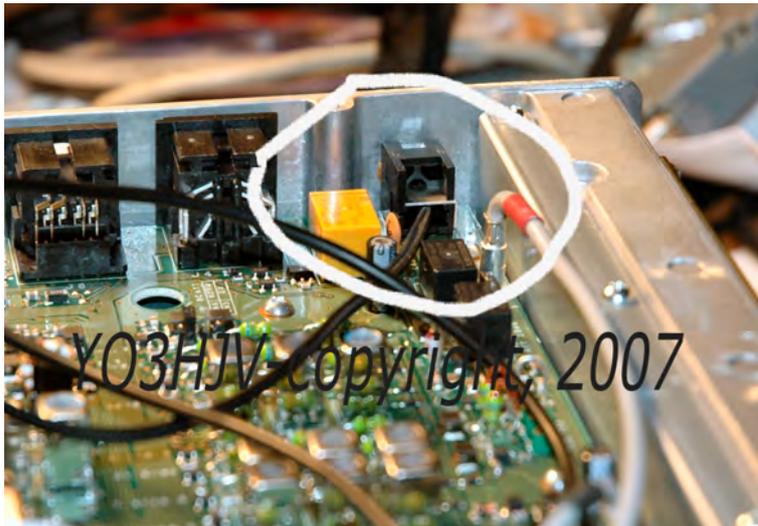
I decided to use a small stereo 3.5 mm female headphone connector.



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**3. USE THE RCA CONNECTOR TO ROUTE OUTSIDE THE PIGTAIL CABLE**

It's hard to find a opening to route the cable outside from the radio. I use the inner hole of the receiving HF antenna RCA.



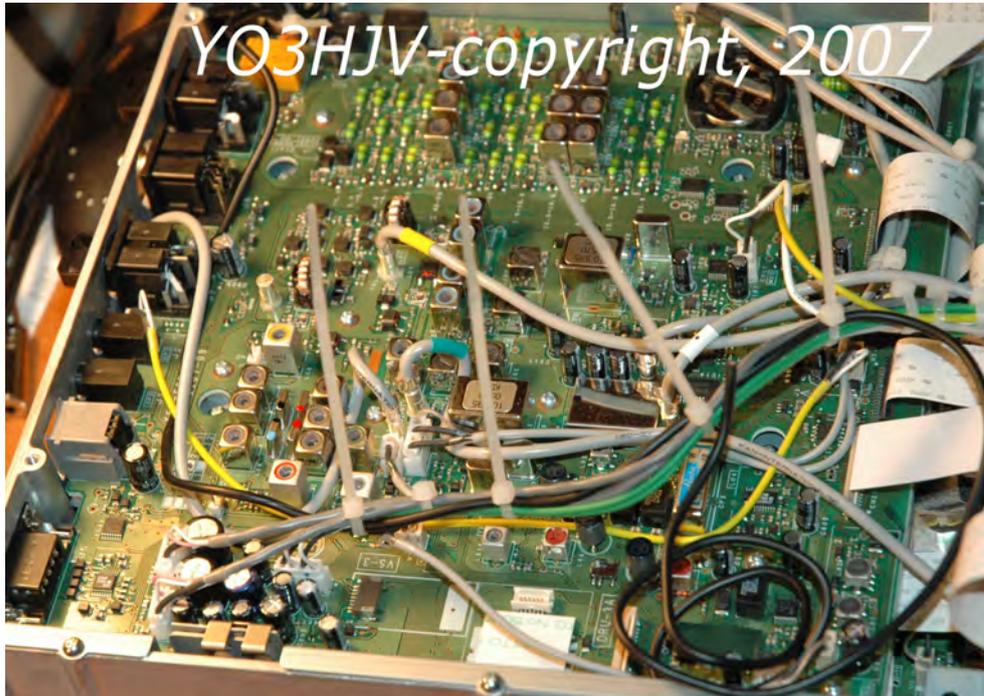
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**4. SOME RE-ROUTING WORK WITH THE CABLES INSIDE THE RADIO.**

I do some re-routing work on the cables because it looks to me that the cables put some mechanical stress on the radio components.

I used a few cable ties for this work

It is not necessary.



**5. MECHANICAL FIXING THE CABLE WITH SOME HOT GLUE.**

I fix the cable with hot glue.



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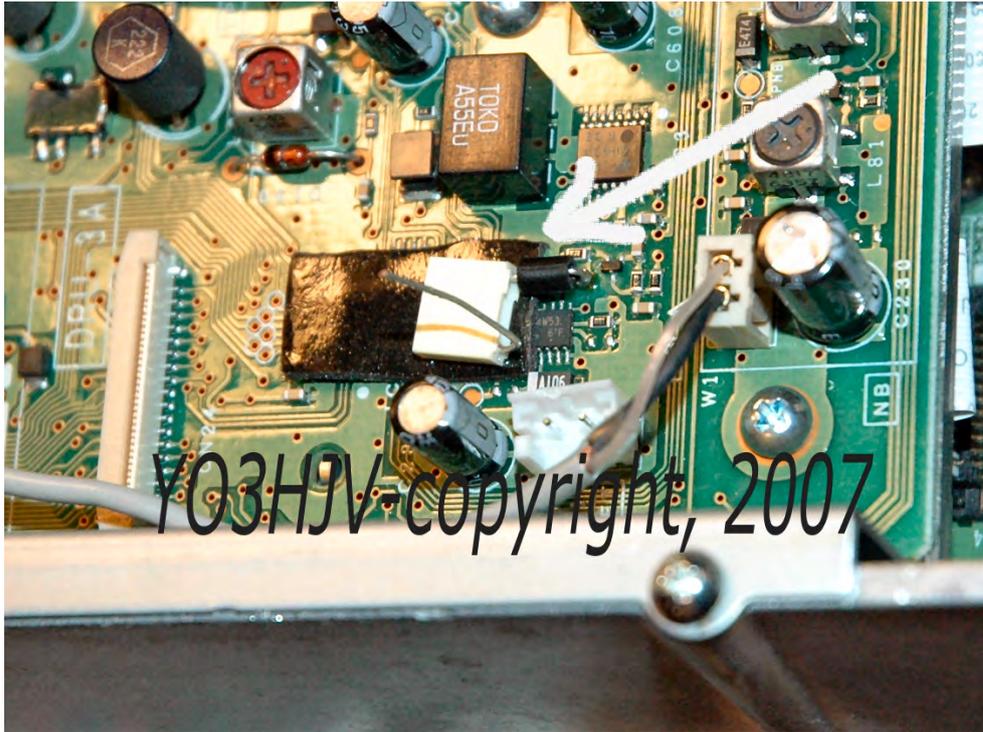


**6. PLACE THE CAPACITOR (0.1 microF) AS SHOWN, ON THE DOUBLE ADHESIVE TAPE.**

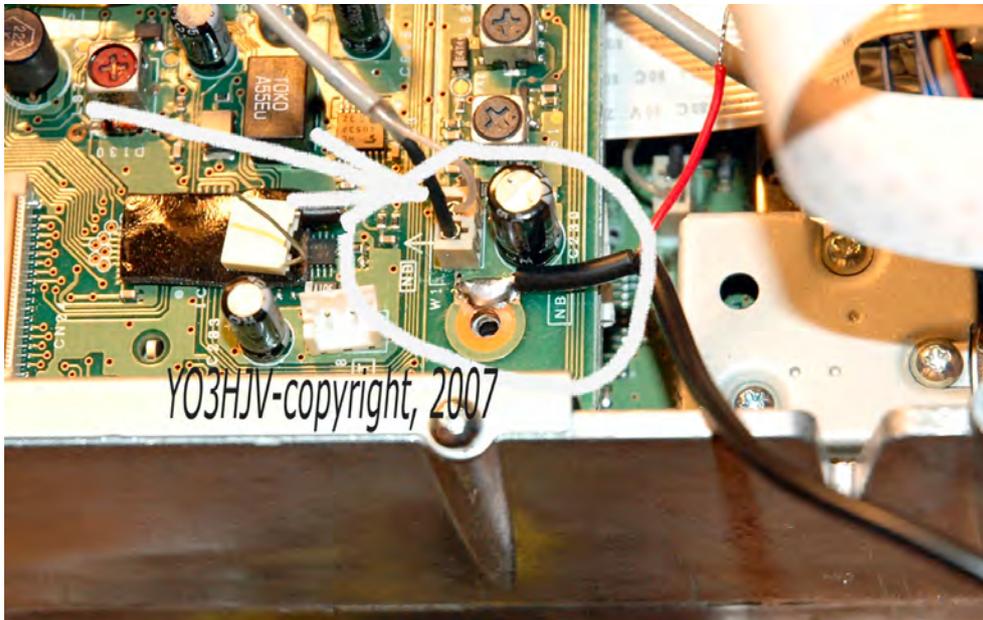
**But first, you have to do some preparations as shown.**



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**8. REMOVE THE SCREW, SOLDER THE GROUND OF THE PIGTAIL CABLE. CAREFUL NOT TO MELT THE CAPACITOR AND THE BOARD CONNECTOR.**



After this, put the screw back where it belongs.

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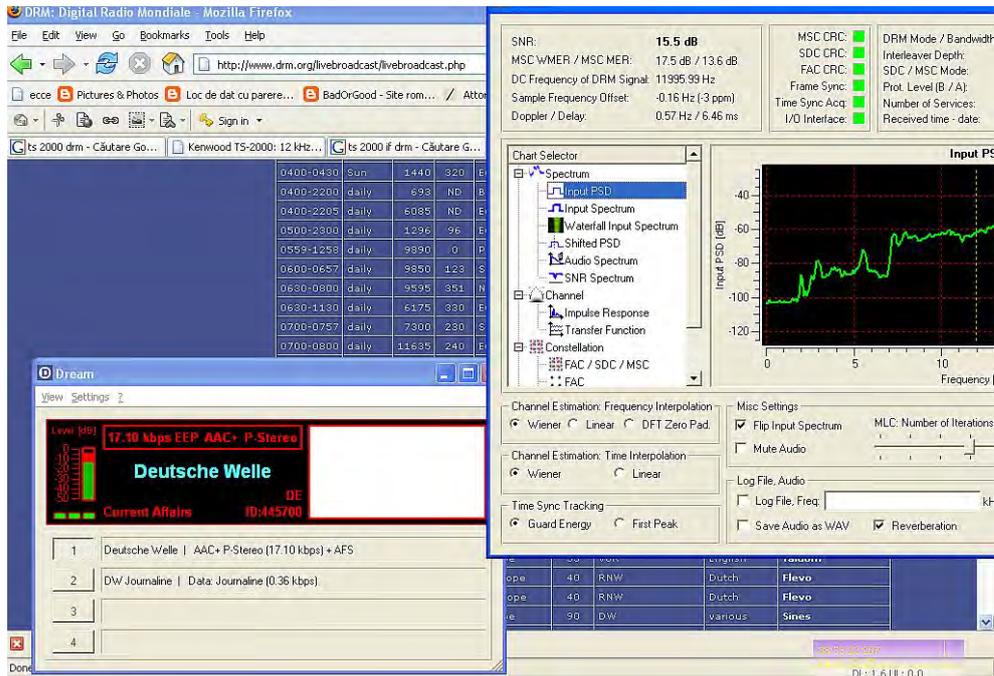
**9. SOLDER THE PIGTAIL CENTER CABLE ON THE CAPACITOR.**



**10. SOME MECHANICAL FIXING OF THE PIGTAIL CABLE WITH HOT GLUE.**



## 11. RECEIVE WHATEVER YOU WANT!



I use DREAM to receive the DRM Broadcast.

Use a shielded cable to the computer input. The level is sufficient to use LINE-IN of the sound board.

As Martin, LA8OKA said in his web page,

**Before you do this, please make sure you understands the consequences this modification or failure of this modification can lead to:**

- **The warranty of your TS-2000 will be void!**
- **You may damage your TS-2000 beyond repair!**
- **I will not accept any responsibilities or liabilities of what you or any other persons choose to do with your or anyone else's TS-2000 transceivers.**
- **If you have never done anything similar to this before: FORGET ABOUT IT!**
- **Working with electronics without paying close attention to safety may kill or seriously harm you or someone else!**
- **Make sure you know what you are doing!**