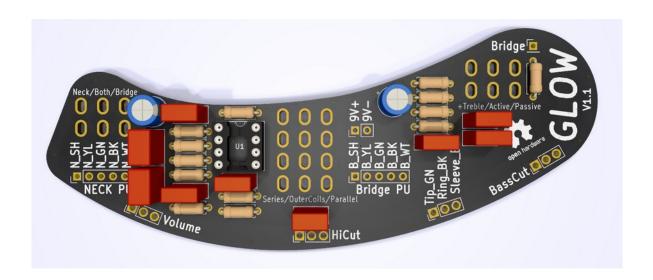
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Connection overview

PCB N_SH N_YL N_GN N_BK N_WT	Connect to Neck cavity shield Neck pickup upper coil start Neck pickup upper coil finish Neck pickup lower coil finish Neck pickup lower coil start	color black yellow green black white
B_SH B_YL B_GN B_BK B_WT	Bridge cavity shield Bridge pickup upper coil start Bridge pickup upper coil finish Bridge pickup lower coil finish Bridge pickup lower coil start	black yellow green black white
Tip_GN Ring_BK Sleeve_BK 9V+ 9V- Bridge	Audio jack tip Audio jack ring Audio jack sleeve Battery positive Battery negative Bridge ground	green black black red black black
Volume 1	Pot A250K / A500K pin 1	orange
Volume 2	Pot A250K / A500K pin 2	red
Volume 3	Pot A250K / A500K pin 3 + housing	brown
HiCut 1	Pot A250K / A500K housing	orange
HiCut 2	Pot A250K / A500K pin 2	red
HiCut 3	Pot A250K / A500K pin 3	brown
BassCut 1	Pot C500K / B500K pin 1	orange
BassCut 2	Pot C500K / B500K pin 2	red
BassCut 3	Pot C500K / B500K housing	brown

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PCB fit test



Illustration 1: remove knobs on all three pots. Unscrew the nuts of the three toggle switches and push toggle switches into the electronics compartment.

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Illustration 2: screw one nut on each of the smaller 2PDT switches

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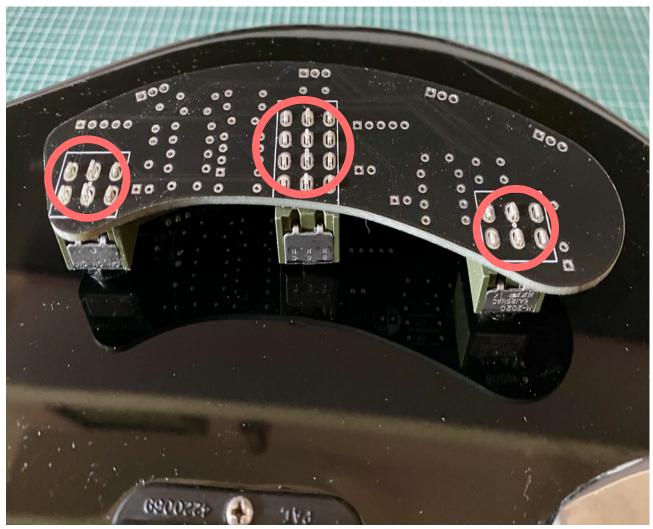


Illustration 4: arrange PCB on toggle switch pin, make sure the toggle switch pins align with corresponding PCB cutouts.

If it looks like picture above, GLOW will most likely fit your bass. I do not give any guarantee or take over any responsibility for any changes or damage you do to your bass. Please keep in mind that this is not a simple procedure or easy reversible modification. GLOW is provided as is, there is no warranty. You proceed on on you own risk.

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Assembly

switches

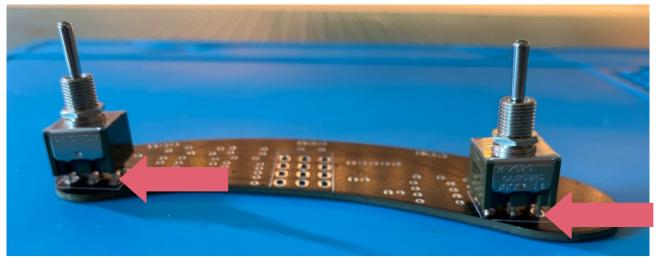


Illustration 5: Lay PCB on a flat surface, with "GLOW" logo and silkscreen prints to the bottom. Stick 2 x 2PDT toggle switches into cutouts on PCB. Solder a single connection to one of the pins on each toggle switch from the top with the **PCB still flat on the surface**. There should be a distance of about 2-3mm between switch bottom and PCB. After soldering, carefully bend the switch to a upright position, if needed.

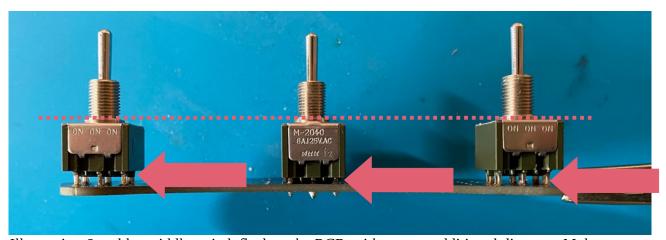


Illustration 6: solder middle switch flush to the PCB, withput any additional distance. Make sure the switches point up straight. Ideally the top surfaces of the switches align

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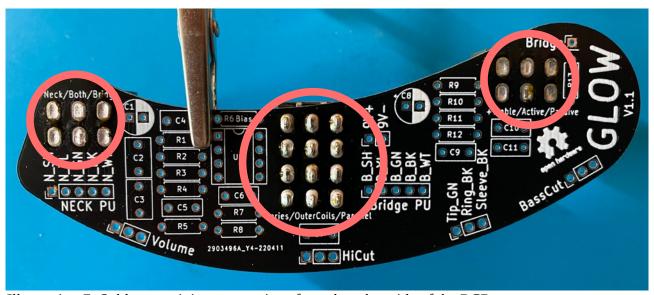
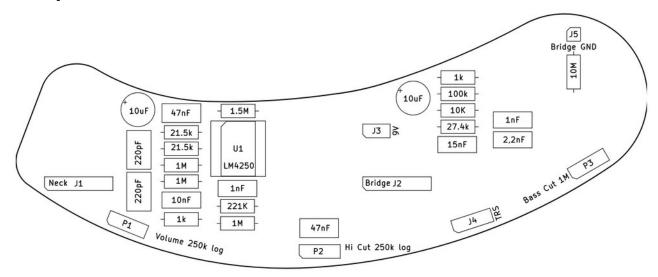


Illustration 7: Solder remaining connections from the other side of the PCB.

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Components



Solder smallest components first. Start with Resistors R1 to R13. Afterwards socket U1, solder capacitors C1 to C11 last.



Illustration 8: gently push op amp into socket U1, with indent pointing upwards

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V1.1 Fix

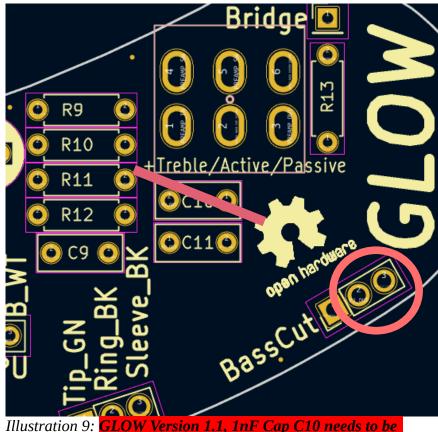


Illustration 9: GLOW Version 1.1, 1nF Cap C10 needs to be soldered to BassCut Pin 2 and 3



Illustration 10: solder C10 to alternate position BassCut 2,3. Connect wires afterwards.

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Pots

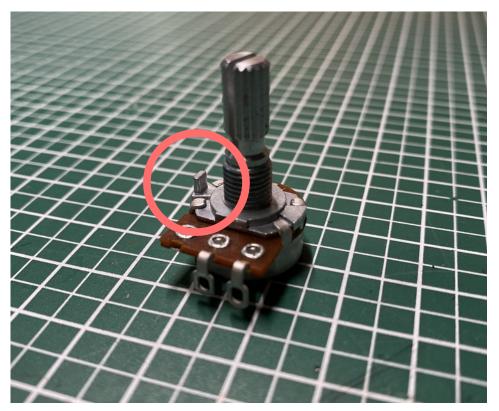
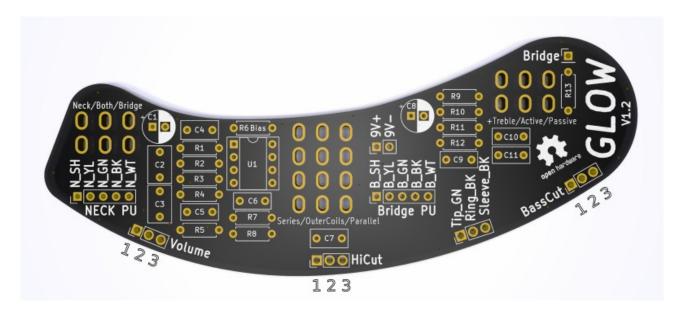




Illustration 11: use pliers to break of orientation pin

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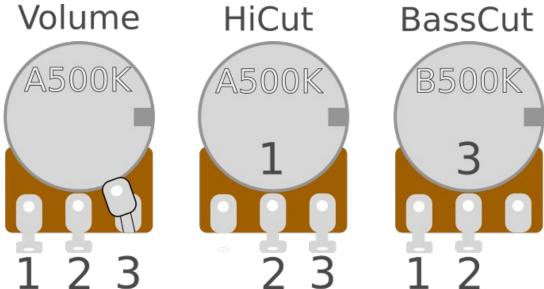


Illustration 12: Prepare pots as shown in image above. Prepare housing with sand paper to allow solder so bond to surface.

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Illustration 13: solder wires to pots. Twist wire as shown.

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Preparation

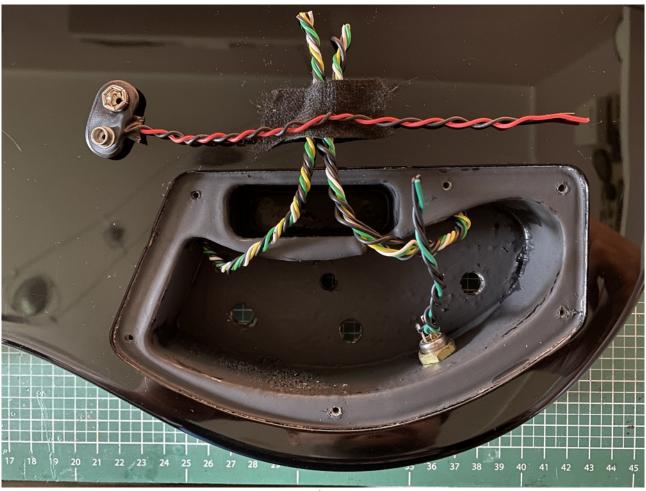


Illustration 14: remove toggle switches and pots from housing. Cut wires at appropriate lengths. Desolder black battery connector wire from audio jack, solder a black wire to (now unconnected) terminal on audio jack

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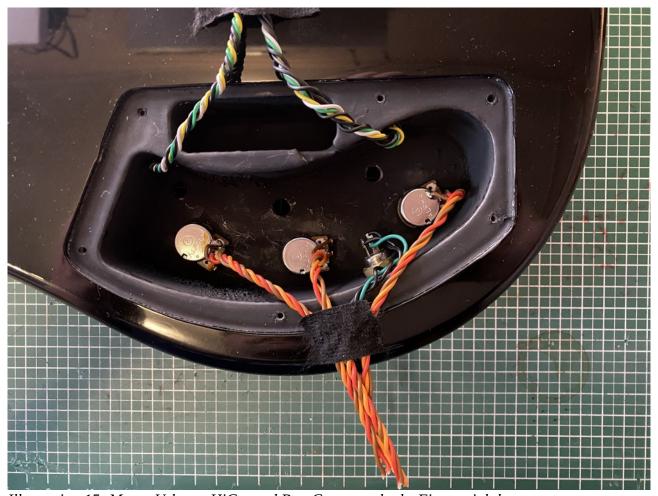


Illustration 15: Mount Volume, HiCut and BassCut pot to body. Fix nut tightly.

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Final assembly



Illustration 16: Firmly push GLOW toggle switches into holes. Put nuts on switch threads. Screw nuts tight. The PCB can be bend to a certain degree. Solder pot wires in order 1, 2, 3 starting from left. Solder all other wires to corresponding terminals on GLOW PCB.

Enjoy!