Tonerider Stratocaster Wiring

Thanks for purchasing a Tonerider Stratocaster Pickup. By far the easiest way to a trouble free installation is to carefully note down the solder points of your previous pickup before removal.

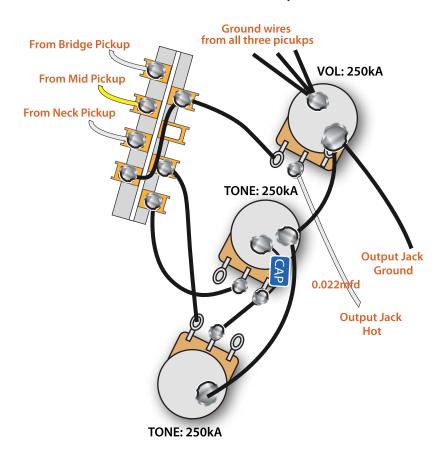
Polarity.

We follow the winding and polarity direction most common in the industry, to make it easier to mix our pickups with products from other manufacturers. All our Strat pickups are wound with the following polarity and winding direction:

- Neck and Bridge: South Pole Up / Clockwise Wind.
- Mid Pickup: North Pole Up / Counter-clockwise Wind

Wiring Overview:

The black wires represent electrical ground, and should be soldered to any ground point, most commonly the rear of the volume control pot. On the neck and bridge pickup, the white wire is the "hot" wire and should be connected to the correct lug on your five-way switch. Our middle pickups are "reverse-wound / reverse-polarity", and this is represented by a yellow "hot" wire, which should also be connected to the five-way switch.



Capacitor and Potentiometer Values

We design all our stratocaster pickups to perform with the most standard industry configurations - 250k Audio Pots and 0.047uf capacitors. A 0.02uf capacitor will roll off less high-end and is a good alternative.

