



Preventative Maintenance

Check the alignment of the crystal head contact springs and backing plate

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Purpose:

A common cause of erroneous crystal readings can be misalignment of the crystal contact strip backing plate, or incorrect adjustment of the copper contact strips.

Potential Hazards:



Caution when working at height
Be aware of coating debris inside the chamber
Wear gloves and suitable mask where appropriate



Tools Required:

2mm hex key

Cassette removal tool

1 Vent the chamber, open the chamber door and remove the crystal cassette front cover to reveal the crystal cassette inside.



2 Remove the crystal cassette to reveal the crystal contact spring plate



3 Visually inspect the crystal cassette contact springs for any sign of damage

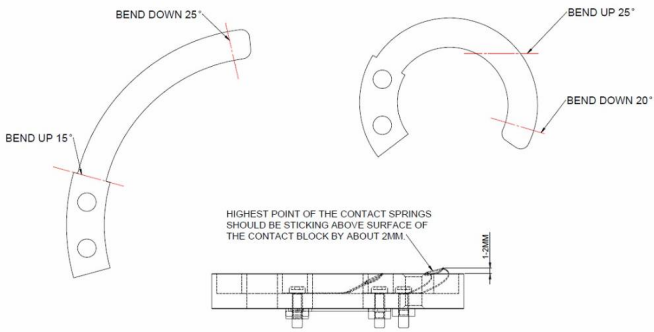
Each contact strip should have a single upward bend and also a downward kink at the end.

The spring shown in this picture has multiple bends and will not work correctly

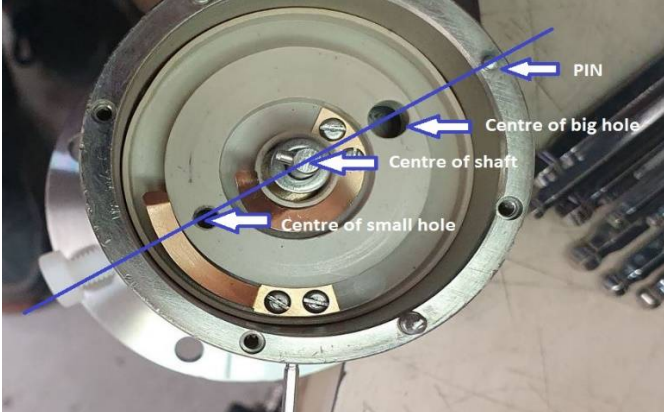


4 Correctly adjust the bend of the crystal contact strip.

Refit the contact strip backing plate into its recess evenly.



5 Correctly adjust the rotational alignment of the crystal spring backing plate and tighten the grub screws



6 Refit the crystal cassette and front cover. Press "new crystals" to cycle through the 6 crystal positions to ensure each has good crystal alignment and that there is activity on the sensor.

