

# Clearer Audio™

## **Silver-line 75 Digital Interconnect Installation / Care Instructions**

The Silver-line 75 Digital Interconnect is very delicate and must be handled with care to avoid damaging it.

When handling the interconnect ensure that you do not over-bend it as this will stress the central solid signal conductor and the multi-layer copper foil shielding. In addition, the interconnect has a natural bend angle. When bending the interconnect, do so very gently and slowly, and in keeping with the natural bend angle as much as possible.

The WBT 0110 Ag Pure Silver Signature nextgen 75Ω RCA plugs are also very delicate. Before you plug the Silver-line 75 Digital Interconnect into your components you need to unscrew the blue RCA housing: simply support the cable by the heatshrink and turn the housing clockwise a couple of turns. Then whilst supporting the RCA plug and the interconnect gently plug into the socket (try to keep the plug and interconnect as straight and parallel to each other as possible supporting both the interconnect and plug at all times and avoid any twisting). Once the RCA plugs are in position and fully home, support the interconnect and tighten the blue housing by turning anti-clockwise. It is important not to over-tighten the RCA plugs as this could damage them; they simply need to be finger tight to stop them from coming loose.

The Silver-line 75 Digital Interconnect is directional. The writing on the heatshrink on the cable goes from "left to right" and also has an arrow after "*Silver-line*" indicating directionality. The Silver-line 75 Digital Interconnect should be connected in this way; from "output to input" (i.e., from transport to DAC).

Please note that the Silver-line 75 Digital Interconnect sheathing is silver-plated and is therefore prone to oxidisation when exposed to air. Consequently, you may notice colour changes over time. This colour changing and oxidisation does not affect the shielding performance of the sheathing. However, you may wish to clean the sheathing to restore the shine. This can be done using a plain cotton cloth; do not use any kind of cleaning product as this could damage the sheathing or the interconnect as a whole.

Although the WBT 0110 Ag Pure Silver Signature nextgen RCA plugs are platinum plated to protect the silver from oxidisation and corrosion - as well as being treated with CAIG Gold and Shield - we recommend that you clean the RCA plugs (and sockets) every 6 months for optimum long-term performance. For best results use CAIG Gold and then CAIG Shield. If your RCA sockets are not plated then use CAIG DeoxIT then CAIG Shield.