Extra safety check for EHT probe I have one more suggestion to add to your safety precautions for using the EHT Stick (SILICON CHIP, April 2010): measure the loop resistance from the positive output lead

to the place where the earth lead is clipped on each time the probe is used and make sure that you return the meter back to the volts scale before measuring voltage. Although it is most unlikely that something will go open-circuit in this loop, it will be bad news if it does. Alex Brown.

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EHT probe for DMM, April 2010 This is a well-thought out article, especially the safety warnings. I would however suggest that the assembled PC board be coated in a suitable lacquer

before fitting the heatshrink sleeving. This will give long term protection from dust and humidity.

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