

# Re: Removing Scratches from CRTs

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On Sat, 14 May 2005 14:01:08 GMT, "Chris F." <[zappymanREMOVETHIS@xxxxxxxxxxxxx](mailto:zappymanREMOVETHIS@xxxxxxxxxxxxx)> wrote:

> The scratch on the Loewe is very shallow, not even deep enough to catch a  
> fingernail. Not a safety hazard considering that most CRT glass is about  
> 1/2" thick at the face.

As per recommendations from others try buffing with toothpaste or a metal polish like Brasso to get rid of as much of the visible scratch as possible. Then use an acrylic floor polish sold as Future Wax (or Future something, WalMart) to touch up the scratch . The acrylic will modify the optical properties, much like damping it with water will make the scratch invisible.

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◇ *From:* NSM

- *References:*

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- ◆ **[Re: Removing Scratches from CRTs](#)**  
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