Subject: Why does my mic keep cutting off? Posted by Bender on Mon, 27 Mar 2006 05:08:32 GMT

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Posted by Aaron Allen on Mon, 27 Mar 2006 05:12:46 GMT
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I've seen bad phantom power supplies do that. Could be a shorted XLR cable (jamming the phantom power to ground/low voltage) causing it to drop out as well, different problem/same effect. As well, I had a CAD condensor that does that when you hit it hard with sound, probably lousy design on that one... not likely on a C1, but worth mentioning.

Trouble shoot it down to the last variable using known good replacement equipment, and you'll find your culprit I bet.

AA

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