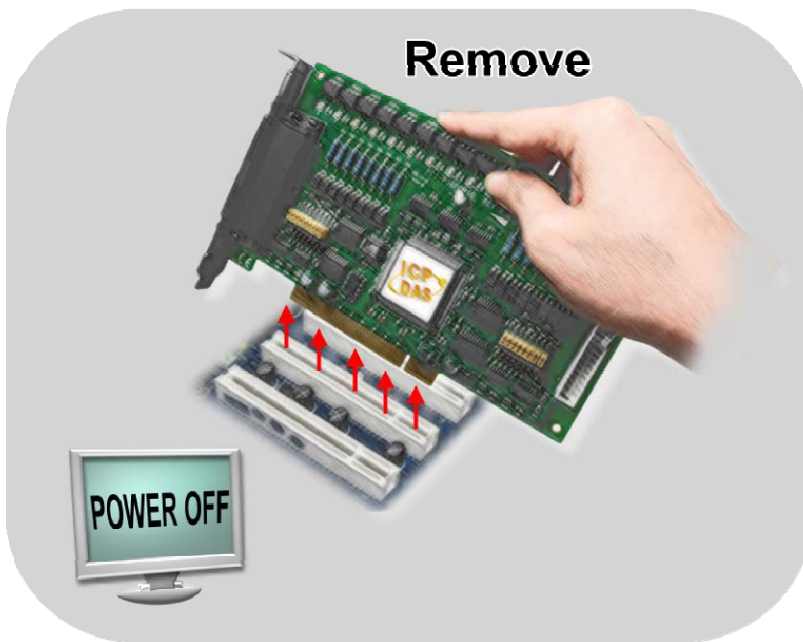


Q. How to clean the golden fingers of the PCI/ISA/PEX card?

Ans: The golden fingers can be oxidized and dusts residue after months or years that may cause the host PC can not find the PCI/ISA/PEX cards. Please follow these steps to clean the golden fingers:

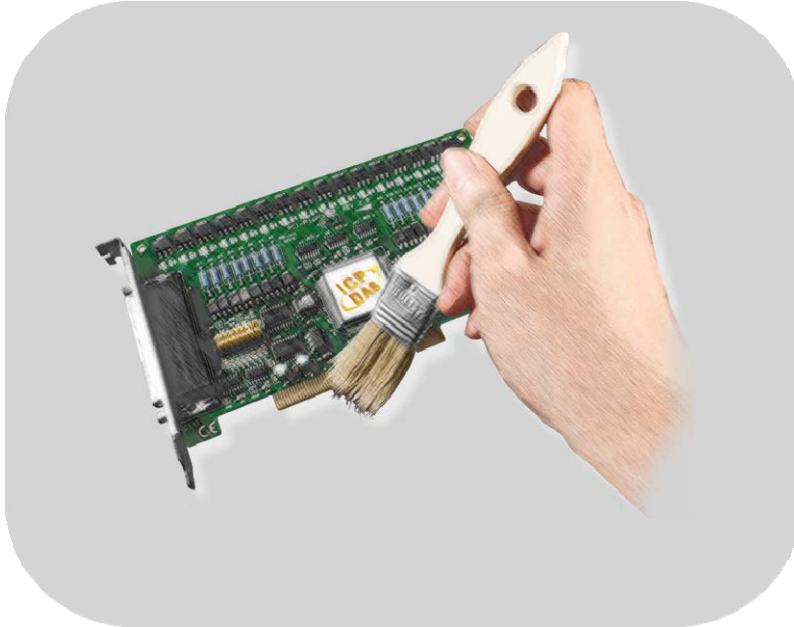
Step 1: Power off the host PC and remove the PCI/ISA/PEX card from PCI/ISA/PCI Express slot.



Step 2: Prepare the following tools: soft brush, soft rubber and silicone blower.

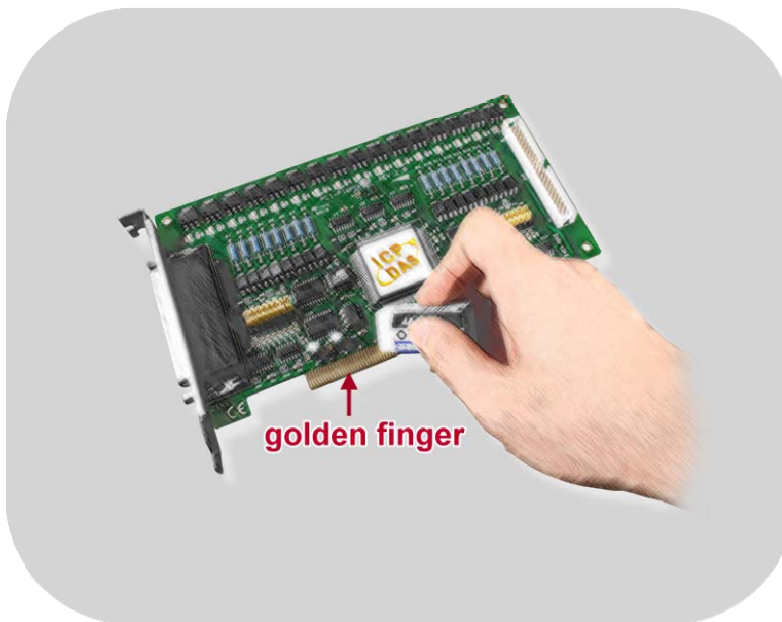


Step 3: Use a **soft brush** to clean the **dusts** on the PCI/ISA/PEX board.
(※ Use the same method to clean the back side of the card.)



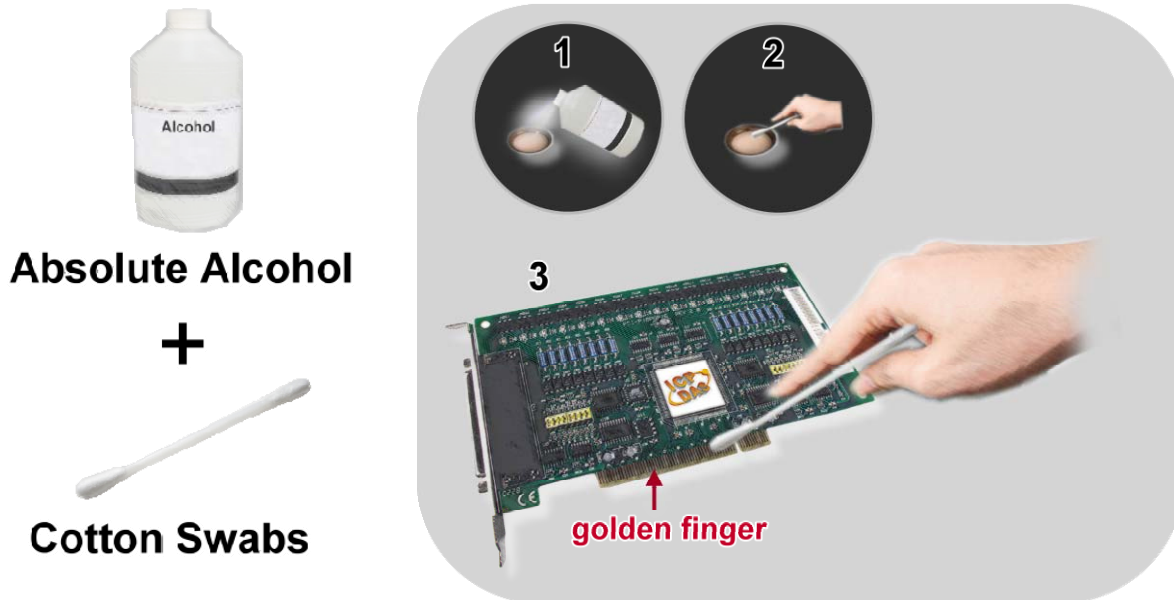
Note: Clean the board carefully when using soft brush.

Step 4: Use a **soft rubber** to clean the **golden finger** of the card
(※ Use the same method to clean the back side of the card.)

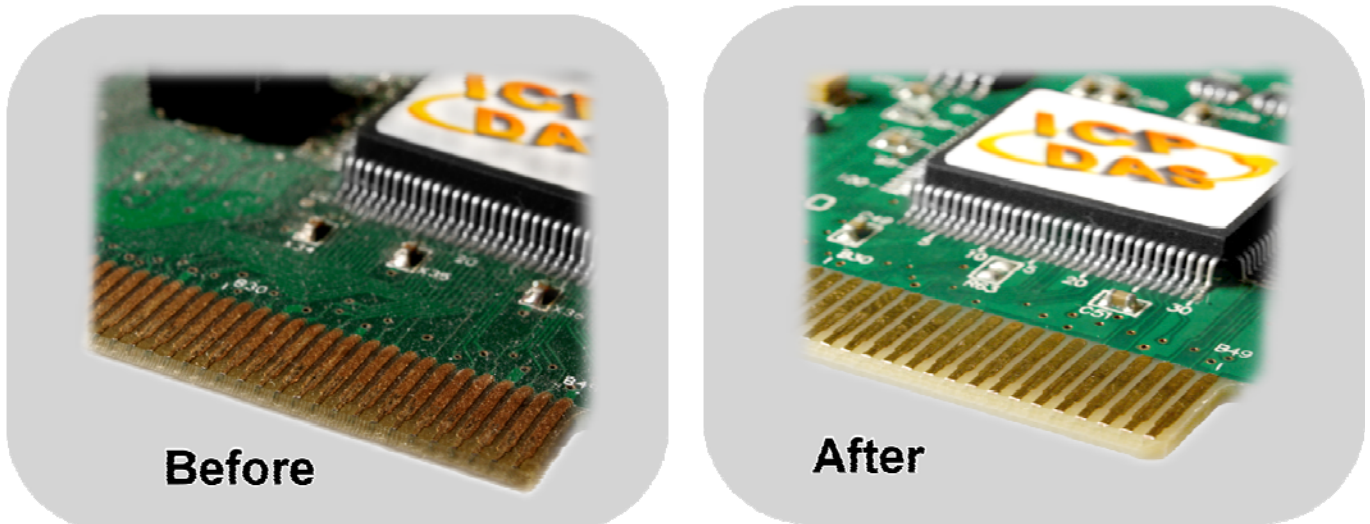


OR

You can use cotton swabs with absolute alcohol to clean the golden finger.



■ Result: The comparison of cleaning the golden fingers as follows:



Step 5: Use a silicone blower to clean dusts on the PCI/ISA/PCI Express slot.



Step 6: Insert PCI/ISA/PEX card into the PCI/ISA/PCI Express slot carefully, and then power on the host PC.

