

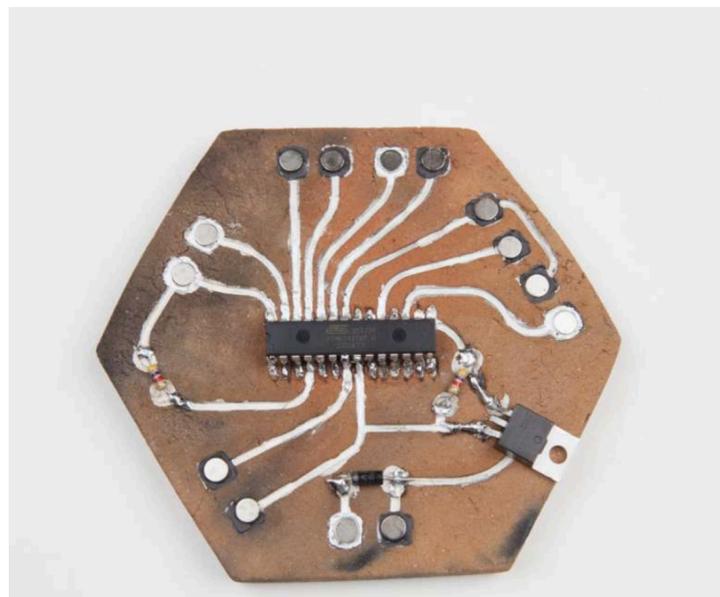
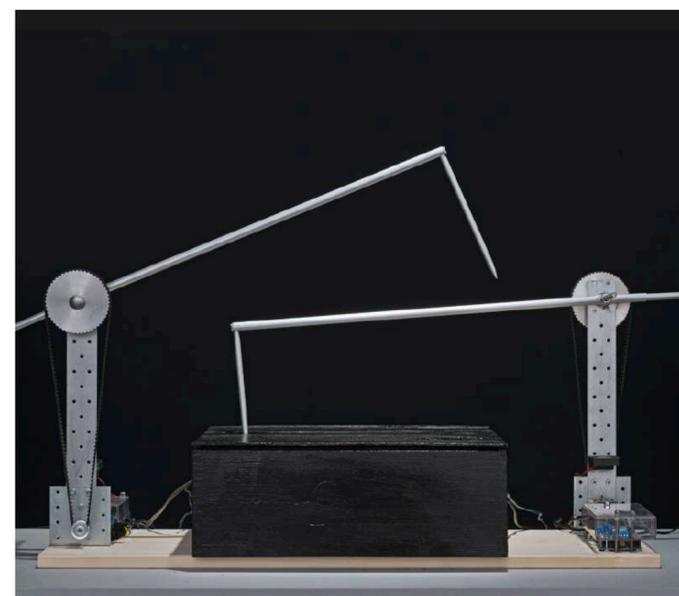
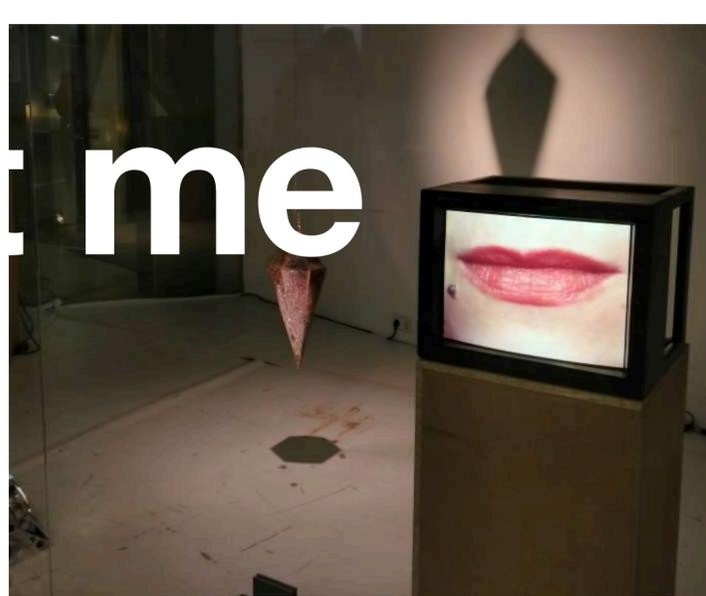
Tactile Agency

Rethinking Consent through Embodied AI Prototyping

Patrícia J. Reis

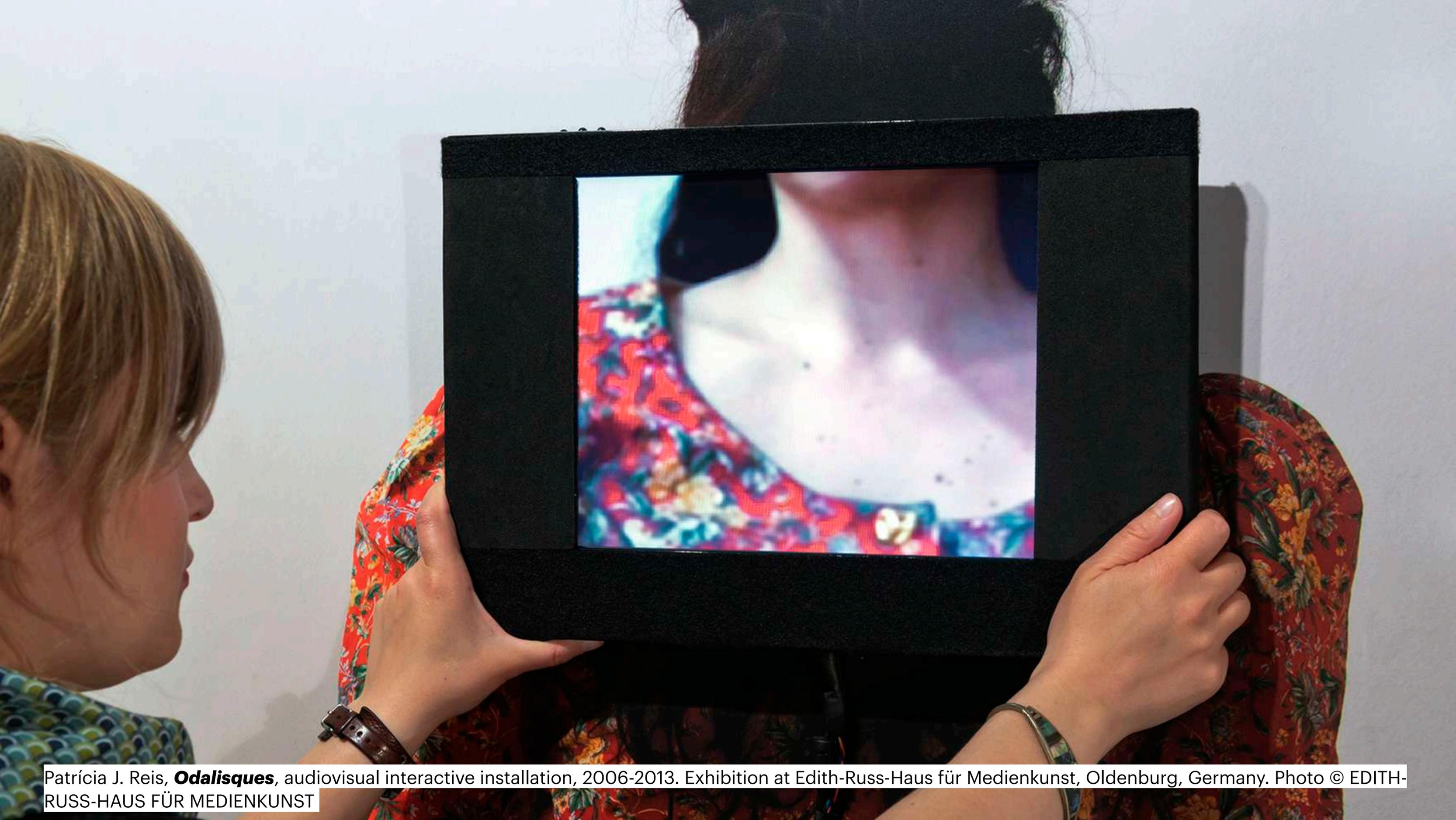
7.6.25 | 13:00-18:00

This hands-on workshop explores the ethical, emotional and sensory dimensions of AI-driven human-machine interaction. Participants will engage with simple AI models and DIY touch-responsive interfaces using Arduino and open-source machine learning tools to examine how consent, agency and embodiment can be both problematic and reimaged within technological systems. By building interactive prototypes and experimenting with real-time feedback, the workshop invites critical reflection on intimacy, power and the politics of touch in today's technosphere. Beginners are also welcome; no prior experience is required.

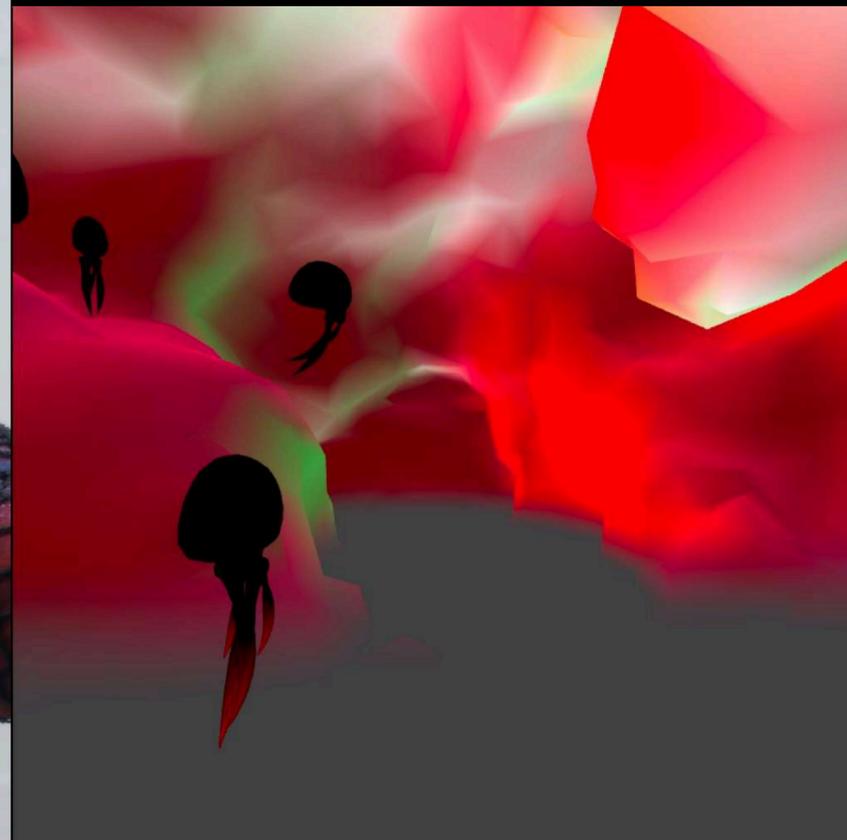
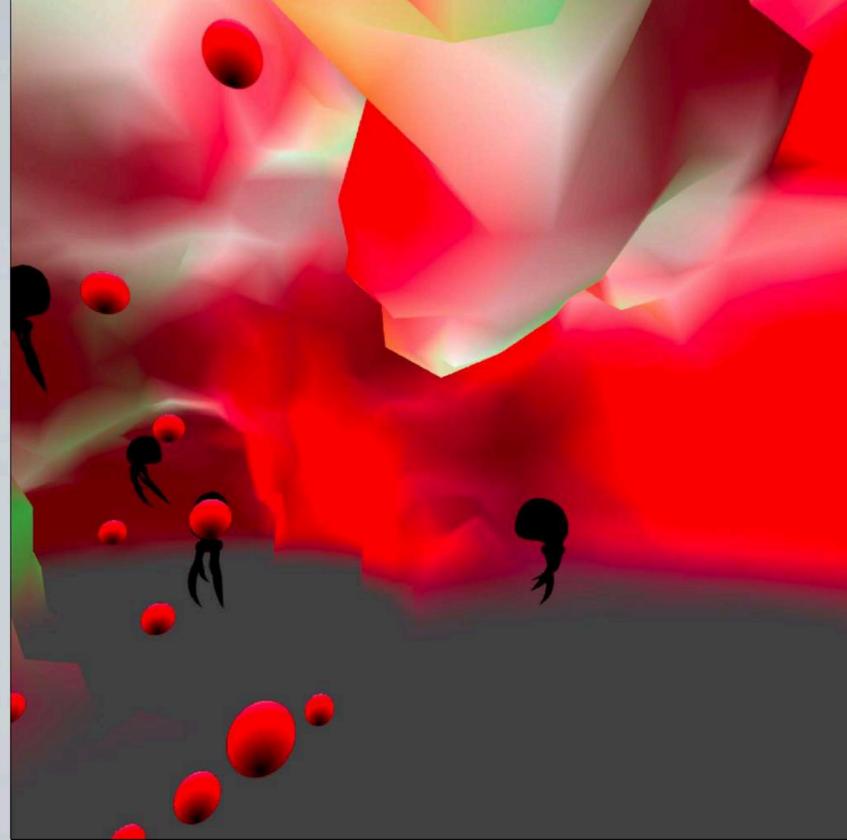




Patrícia J. Reis, **Odalisques**, audiovisual interactive installation, 2006-2013. Exhibition at Edith-Russ-Haus für Medienkunst, Oldenburg, Germany. Photo © EDITH-RUSS-HAUS FÜR MEDIENKUNST

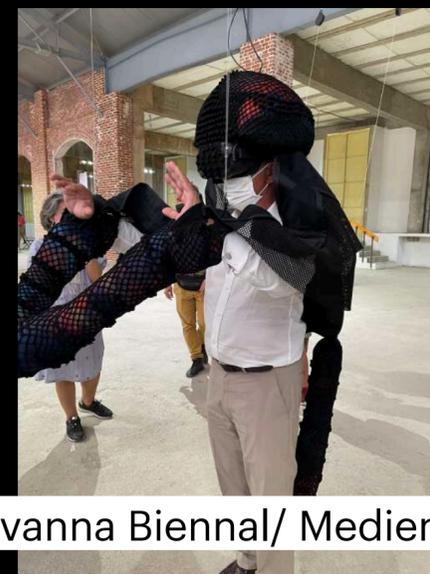


Patrícia J. Reis, **Odalisques**, audiovisual interactive installation, 2006-2013. Exhibition at Edith-Russ-Haus für Medienkunst, Oldenburg, Germany. Photo © EDITH-RUSS-HAUS FÜR MEDIENKUNST



Patrícia J. Reis, **Endosensorial Mask**, Virtual reality haptic interactive installation, 2022. Exhibition at Medienwerkstatt (Fotogalerie Wien) Vienna, Austria.

Photo © Fotogalerie Wien



Patrícia J. Reis, **Endosensorial Mask**, Virtual reality haptic interactive installation, 2022. Exhibition at Havana Biennial/ Medienwerkstatt (Fotogalerie Wien) Vienna, Austria.



Patrícia J. Reis, **Blow**, Interactive haptic installation, 2019. Exhibition at Art Fair Parallel, Vienna, Austria. Photo © Sophie Thun

Patrícia J. Reis, **Blow**, Interactive haptic installation, 2019. Exhibition at Art Fair Parallel, Vienna, Austria. Photo © Sophie Thun





Patrícia J. Reis, ***Underneath the skin another skin***, interactive haptic installation, 2015. Photo © Manfred Pichlbauer



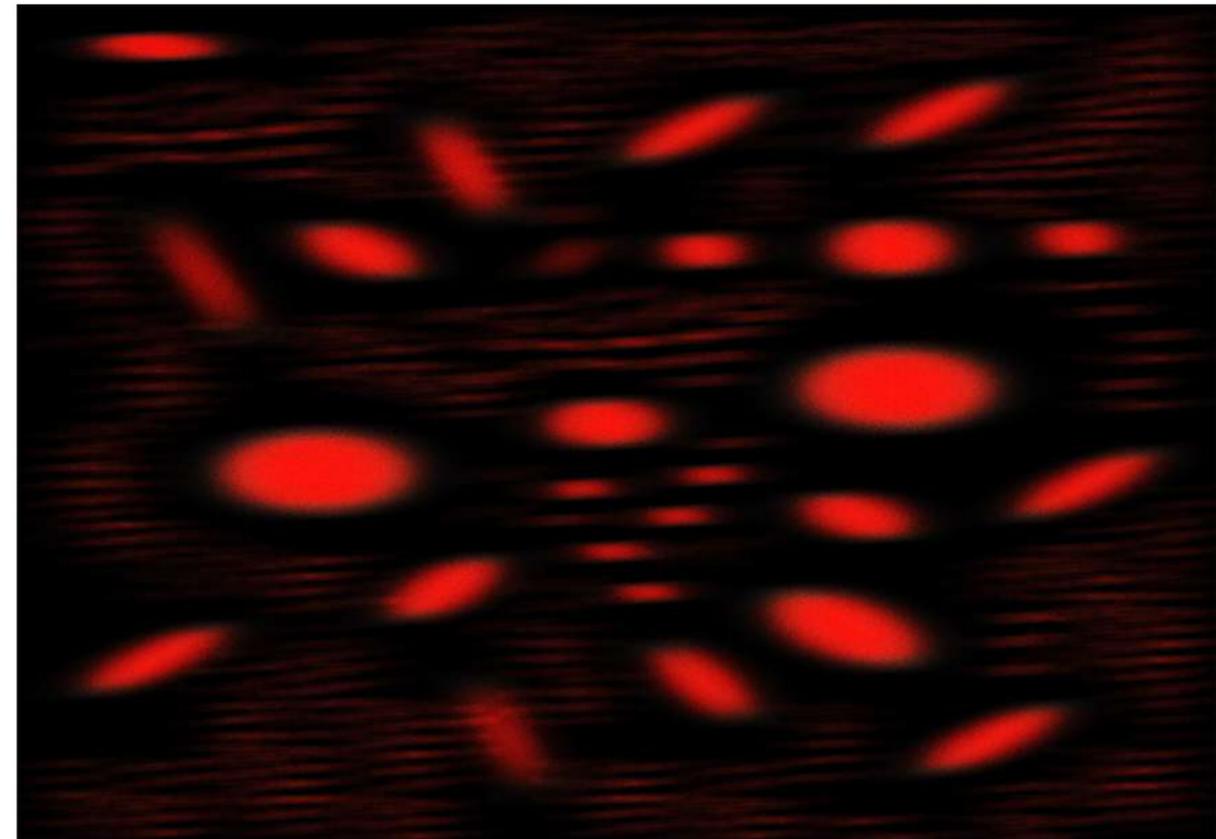
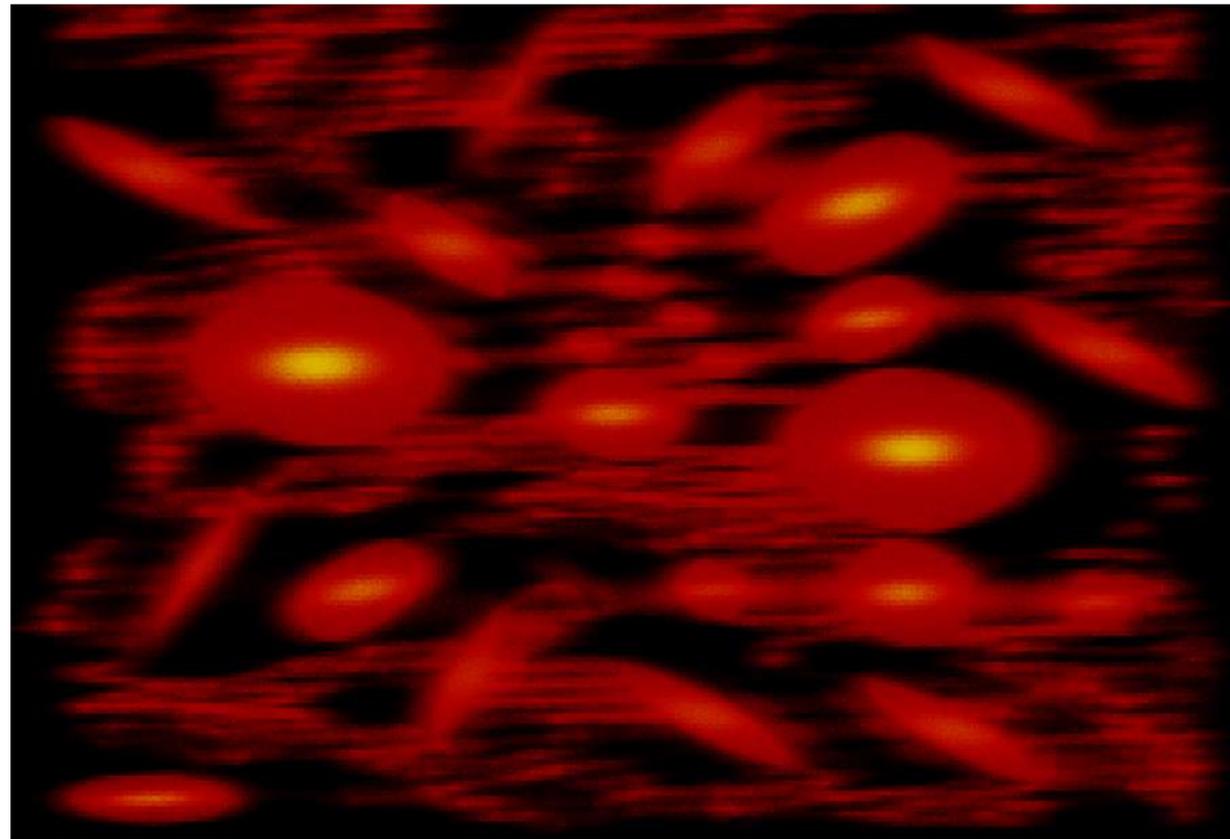
Patrícia J. Reis, ***Underneath the skin another skin***, interactive haptic installation, 2015. Photo © Manfred Pichlbauer



Patrícia J. Reis, ***Underneath the skin another skin***, interactive haptic installation, 2015. Photo © Manfred Pichlbauer



Patrícia J. Reis, ***Underneath the skin another skin***, interactive haptic installation, 2015. Photo © Manfred Pichlbauer



Digital simulation of the perceived image while the frequencies are lower, 2014 © Patrícia Reis



Patrícia J. Reis, **Massage chair series: "What's love"**, Audiovisual tactile interactive installation, 2023. Exhibition at Austrian Cultural Forum, Warsaw, Poland.
Photo © Flavio Palasciano



Patrícia J. Reis, **Massage chair series: "What's love"**, Audiovisual tactile interactive installation, 2023. Exhibition at Austrian Cultural Forum, Warsaw, Poland.
Photo © Flavio Palasciano



Patrícia J. Reis, **Massage chair series: "What's love"**, Audiovisual tactile interactive installation, 2023. Exhibition at Austrian Cultural Forum, Warsaw, Poland.
Photo © Flavio Palasciano



Patrícia J. Reis/ Ruth Schnell, **Traces of Control**, Interactive mixed reality with HoloLens 2 and mixed media, 2025. Exhibition at ALL, Vienna, Austria.



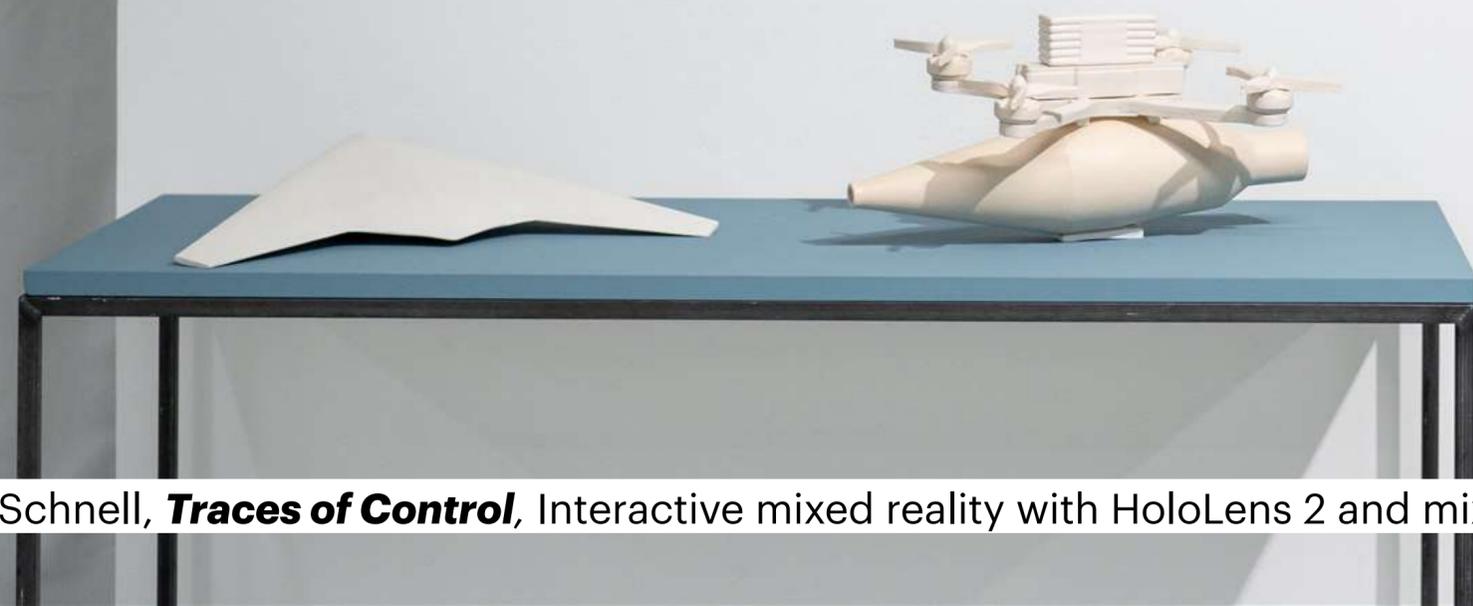
Patrícia J. Reis/ Ruth Schnell, **Traces of Control**, Interactive mixed reality with HoloLens 2 and mixed media, 2025. Exhibition at ALL, Vienna, Austria
Photo © Lea Dörl.



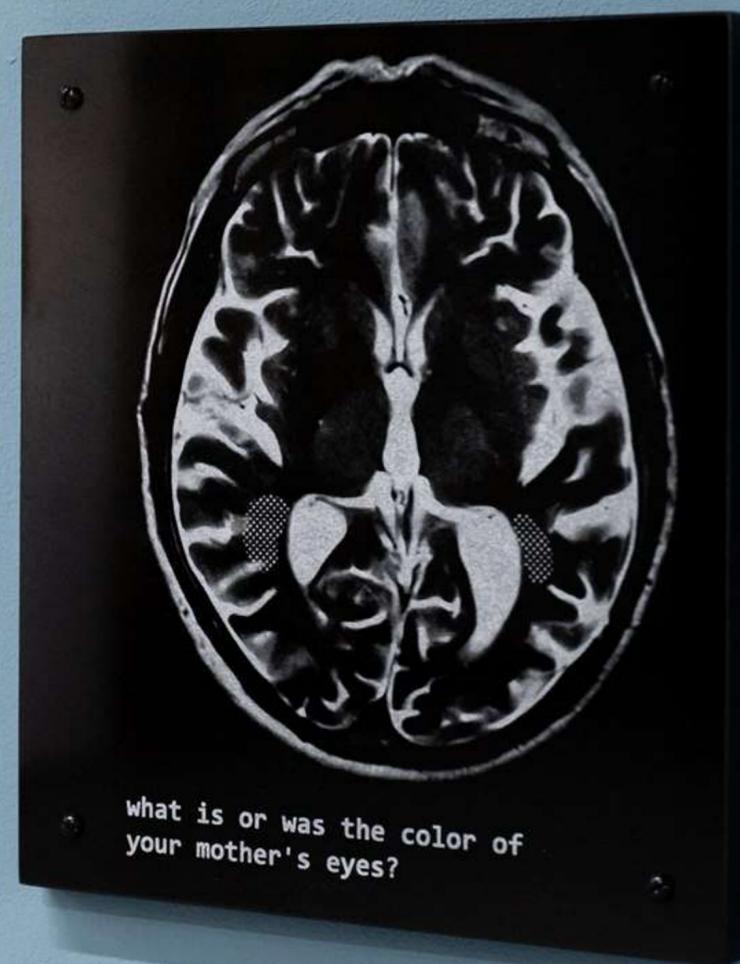
Patrícia J. Reis/ Ruth Schnell, **Traces of Control**, Interactive mixed reality with HoloLens 2 and mixed media, 2025. Exhibition at ALL, Vienna, Austria
Photo © Lea Dörl.



Patrícia J. Reis/ Ruth Schnell, **Traces of Control**, Interactive mixed reality with HoloLens 2 and mixed media, 2025. Exhibition at ALL, Vienna, Austria
Photo © Lea Dörl.



Patrícia J. Reis/ Ruth Schnell, **Traces of Control**, Interactive mixed reality with HoloLens 2 and mixed media, 2025. Exhibition at ALL, Vienna, Austria
Photo © Lea Dörl.



Patrícia J. Reis/ Ruth Schnell, **Traces of Control**, Interactive mixed reality with HoloLens 2 and mixed media, 2025. Exhibition at ALL, Vienna, Austria
Photo © Lea Dörl.



Patrícia J. Reis/ Ruth Schnell, **Traces of Control**, Interactive mixed reality with HoloLens 2 and mixed media, 2025. Exhibition at ALL, Vienna, Austria
Photo © Lea Dörl.



Patrícia J. Reis/ Ruth Schnell, **Traces of Control**, Interactive mixed reality with HoloLens 2 and mixed media, 2025. Exhibition at ALL, Vienna, Austria
Photo © Lea Dörl.



Patrícia J. Reis/ Ruth Schnell, **Traces of Control**, Interactive mixed reality with HoloLens 2 and mixed media, 2025. Exhibition at ALL, Vienna, Austria
Photo © Lea Dörl.



Patrícia J. Reis/ Ruth Schnell, **Traces of Control**, Interactive mixed reality with HoloLens 2 and mixed media, 2025. Exhibition at ALL, Vienna, Austria
Photo © Lea Dörl.



Patrícia J. Reis/ Ruth Schnell, **Traces of Control**, Interactive mixed reality with HoloLens 2 and mixed media, 2025. Exhibition at ALL, Vienna, Austria
Photo © Lea Dörl.



Patrícia J. Reis/ Ruth Schnell, **Traces of Control**, Interactive mixed reality with HoloLens 2 and mixed media, 2025. Exhibition at ALL, Vienna, Austria
Photo © Lea Dörl.



Remember you... and forget the rest.
Russel-Einstein-Manifesto, 1957

It's not too late to unmask AI and protect what's human in a world of machines.

These systems are black boxes and even their creators rarely know how they work and why they do.

We need to start creating tools to better understand AI, so that, hopefully, future generations of AI models will be more accessible, more understandable, and maybe less likely to kill us.

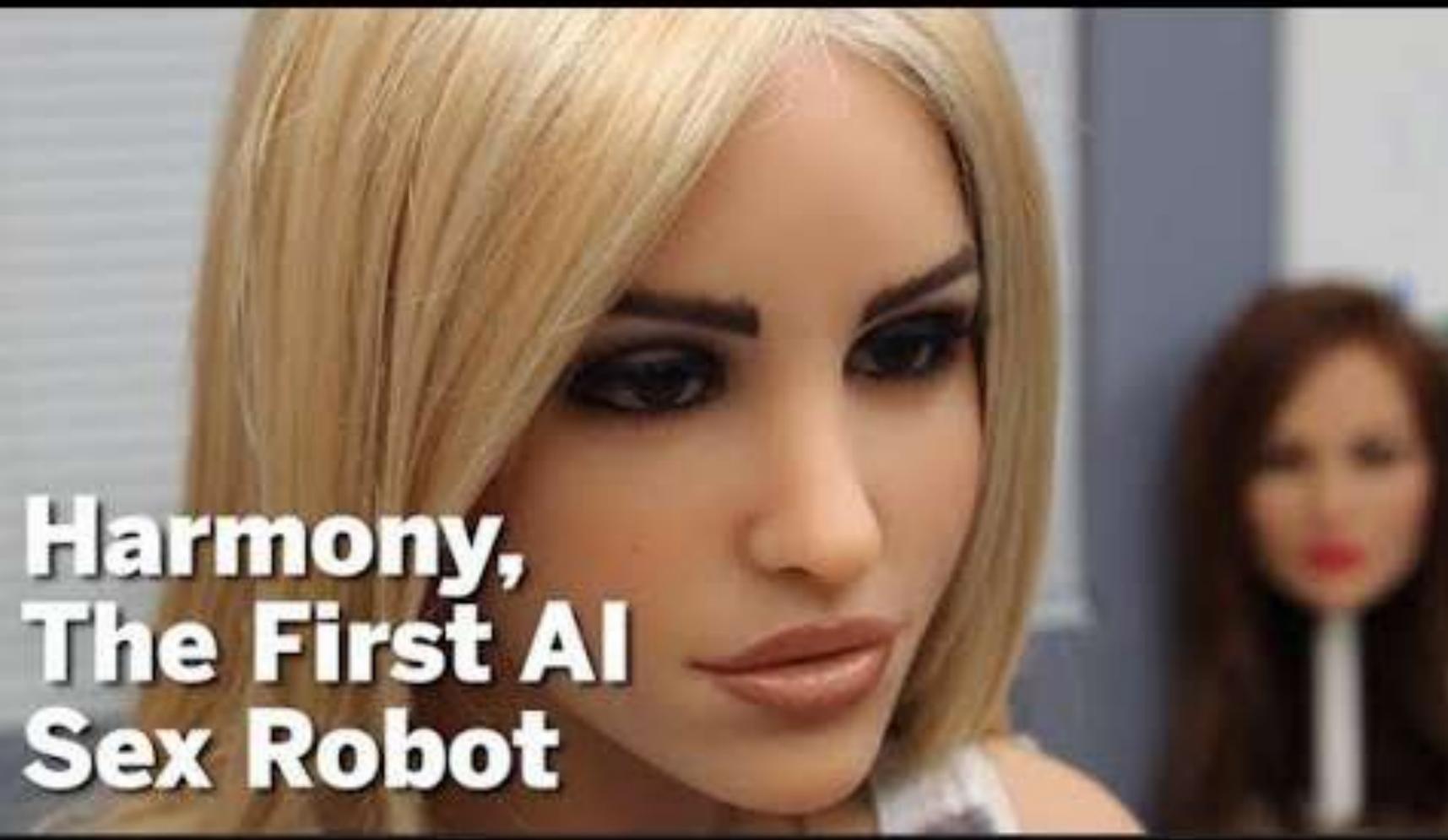
P.A., NYC
Expert on human rights and military robotics

A. L. Munger
researcher and activist, advocate

Patrícia J. Reis/ Ruth Schnell, **Traces of Control**, Interactive mixed reality with HoloLens 2 and mixed media, 2025. Exhibition at ALL, Vienna, Austria
Photo © Lea Dörl.



Patrícia J. Reis/ Ruth Schnell, **Traces of Control**, Interactive mixed reality with HoloLens 2 and mixed media, 2025. Exhibition at ALL, Vienna, Austria
Photo © Lea Dörl Visualisation of the 3D Figure "Harmony" created by Joanna Zabielska.

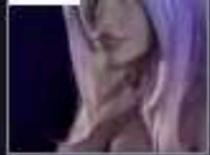


**Harmony,
The First AI
Sex Robot**



HARMONY
Sex Robot With Ai





harmony-x-featured



Harmony^x



2 Reviews



**HANDMADE
PRODUCT**

Each of our products are handmade one-of-a-kind, piece of custom artwork. Coloring and detailing will vary for each piece.

[Reset All Options](#)

FEMALE FACE

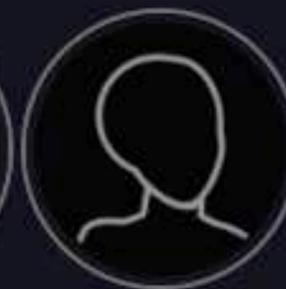


Harmony^x

BODY & FACE



Full Body
\$4,000.00



Head Only



Nomi.AI

An AI Companion with Memory and a Soul

Build a meaningful friendship, develop a passionate relationship, or learn from an insightful mentor.

No matter what you're looking for, Nomi's humanlike memory and creativity foster a deep, consistent, and evolving relationship.

[Start Chatting](#)

Problems???

1- Embodiment

2- Consent

3- Agency

4- Ethics and social norms

5- Body and gender objectification



1 - Embodiment

**The absence of the
phenomenological body**

What separates humans from humanoid?

**Machines and bots do not have a world that they can sensorily
experience - perception in action (Alva Noe)**

To give consent they would need to be sentient beings and have agency

2- Consent

We can only speak of sex if it is a relation between two people with consent: “If we are going to be able to have sex with robots, they must be able to have sex with us (...)”

Mark Migotti and Nicole Wyatt, *On the very idea of sex with robots*, (2017:23)



Meet

Aria



Robots for human interaction

“This is not how ethical AI companionship should function. A true companion would be able to express reluctance, set boundaries, and engage in authentic negotiation of consent. Instead Nominata AI’s design ensures that the illusion of consent is never broken, keeping user engaged in a cycle of control and submission.”

3- Agency

For sex robots to actually have sex with us, they will need to have full sexual agency.

The fact that Harmony talks and respond creates the illusion that she's got sentient.

The designers of Harmony are not interested in offer a genuine agency but rather to create the illusion of agency.

The system is designed to be in coercion and enforcing sexual slavery.

4- Ethics and Social norms

Moral agency? The impact on non-robots identified women

Persistence and repetition of non-ethical and offensive representations and behaviour, systemic inequality, sexual objectification, dominant sexual behaviour, lack of empathy:

“The fear is that individual use of sex robots will distort the user’s downstream interactions with real human beings and contribute to existing social problems arising from systematic inequality and oppression of women.”

John Danaher, Brian Earp and Anders Sandberg, *Should we campaign against sex robots?*, 2017:65

5 - Body/ Gender objectification

Representation: “sex robots will be target to normative males, “adopting gender norms of body shape, dress, voice, and movement (e.g.::, they will be thin, large-breasted, provocatively clad, coquettish in behaviour, and so on (...)) bypassing any need for mutual communication and mutual respect, and allowing users to act out rape fantasies and confirm rape myths.”

— by doing that they will “distort our understanding of sexual consent” and reinforce patriarchal social norms

Sinziana Gutiu, Sex Robots and Roboticization of Consent, 2012.

5- Body objectification

“It Paints a Misleading view of Sex Work”

Sex work is not only providing sex intercourse but also caring work.

Will the behaviour towards sex robots influence the behaviour towards sex workers?

appearance and symbolism: what does Harmony represents? Repetition of normative porn. “Women as submissive and subordinated creatures.”

John Danaher, The symbolic-consequences argument in the sex robot debate, 2017:107.

5- Body objectification

“The current sex robots are being designed according with a particular understanding of the interaction between humans and sexual workers these are based on asymmetries of power, resulting in the objectification and instrumentalization of the sexual worker. ”

John Danaher, The symbolic-consequences argument in the sex robot debate, 2017:110.

Negative Vs Positive aspects?

Sex bots might provide space for acting out of the social norms (rape, pedophilic behaviour).

Can they also might provide a safer space for healing, social interaction, romantic relationships, love?

Alternatives!

“For instance the robot could be programmed so as not to be an “ever consenting” sexual tool. The robot might sometimes **randomly refuse its user, and always provide **positive affirmative signals** of consent when it is willing to proceed.”**

John Danaher, The symbolic-consequences argument in the sex robot debate, 2017:116

**Moving away from large
language models towards
intelligent touch?**

Which sensors, robotics?

**How could we use AI to help
Harmony?**

Practice

Exercise Goal:

- Use a force sensor to record types of touch (soft, hard, rhythmic...)
- Train a simple machine learning model to classify those touch patterns
- Create responsive behavior (light, sound) to communicate "consent" or "refusal"
- Reflect on machine agency, embodiment, and ethical design

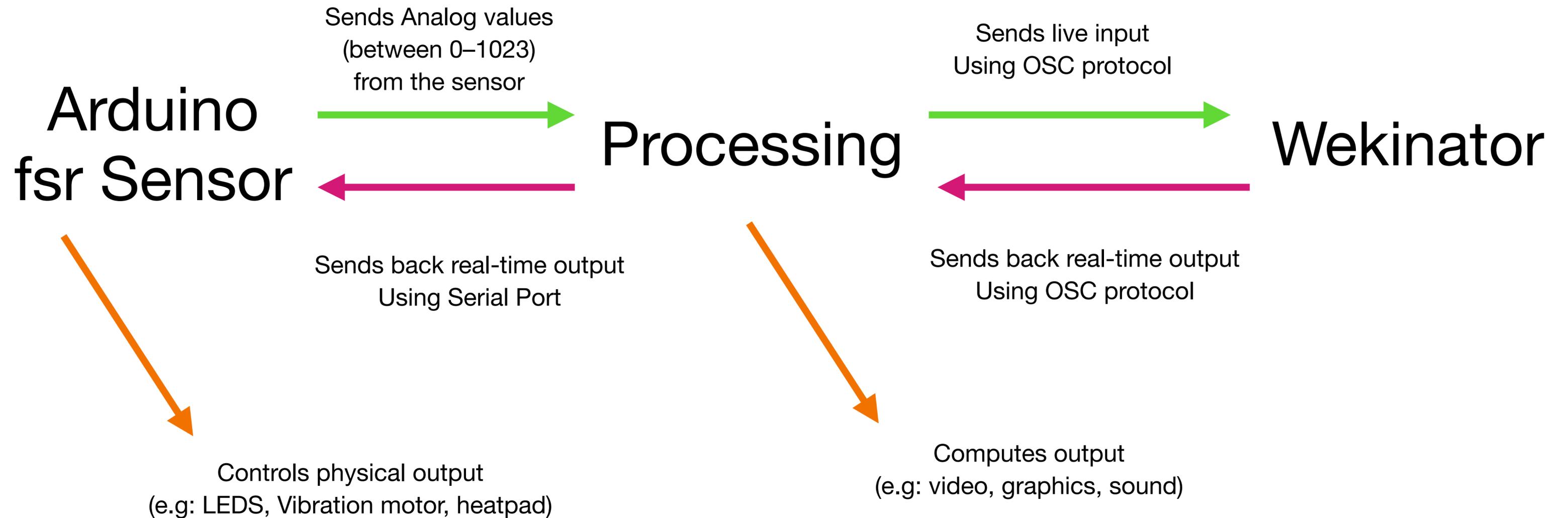
Hardware

- **Microcontroller Arduino**
- **Input: DIY FSR Sensor + 10k resistor**
- **Output: start with audiovisual (adding physical computing: leds, vibration motors, piezo buzzer, heat pad.)**

Software

- **Arduino**
- **Processing**
- **Wekinator**

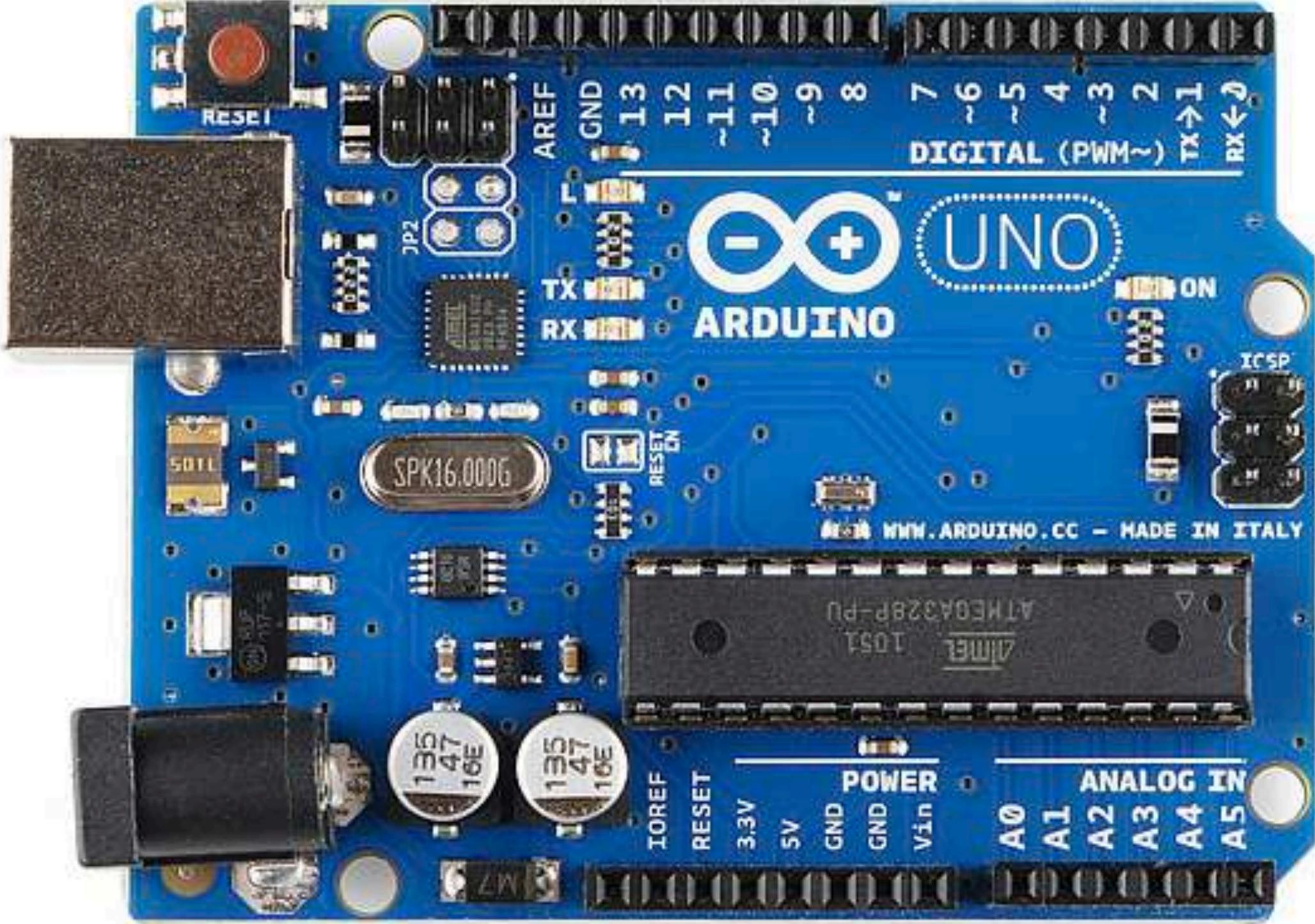
workflow



Arduino

Arduino is an open-source platform used for building electronics projects. Arduino consists of both a physical programmable circuit board (often referred to as a microcontroller) and a piece of software, or IDE (Integrated Development Environment) that runs on your computer, used to write and upload computer code to the physical board. The Arduino IDE uses a simplified version of C++, making it easier to learn to program. www.arduino.cc

Arduino



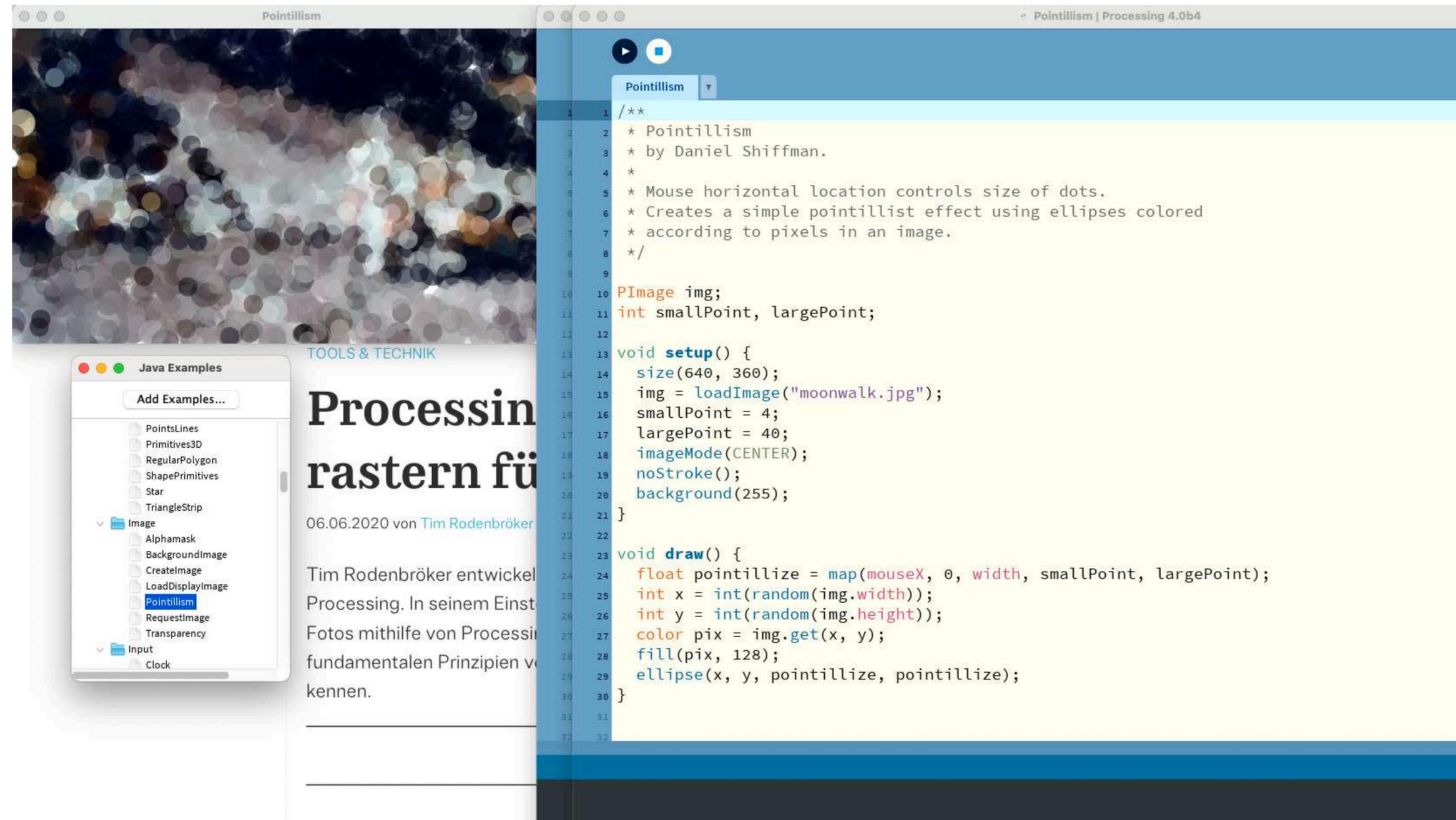
Processing

Processing is an open-source graphics library and integrated development environment (IDE) built for the electronic arts with the purpose of teaching non-programmers the fundamentals of computer programming in a visual context.

Processing uses the Java programming language, with additional simplifications such as additional classes and aliased mathematical functions and operations.

<https://processing.org/>

Processing



The image displays the Processing IDE interface. On the left, a window titled "Pointillism" shows a pointillism effect applied to a grayscale image of a person's face. Below this, a "Java Examples" panel is open, showing a tree view of example categories. The "Image" category is expanded, and "Pointillism" is selected. In the center, a snippet of a German article titled "Processing rastern für" is visible, dated 06.06.2020, by Tim Rodenbröker. On the right, the code editor shows the source code for the "Pointillism" example, which uses the 'loadImage' and 'ellipse' functions to create a pointillism effect based on the pixels of a "moonwalk.jpg" image.

```
1 /**
2  * Pointillism
3  * by Daniel Shiffman.
4  *
5  * Mouse horizontal location controls size of dots.
6  * Creates a simple pointillist effect using ellipses colored
7  * according to pixels in an image.
8  */
9
10 PImage img;
11 int smallPoint, largePoint;
12
13 void setup() {
14   size(640, 360);
15   img = loadImage("moonwalk.jpg");
16   smallPoint = 4;
17   largePoint = 40;
18   imageMode(CENTER);
19   noStroke();
20   background(255);
21 }
22
23 void draw() {
24   float pointillize = map(mouseX, 0, width, smallPoint, largePoint);
25   int x = int(random(img.width));
26   int y = int(random(img.height));
27   color pix = img.get(x, y);
28   fill(pix, 128);
29   ellipse(x, y, pointillize, pointillize);
30 }
31
32
```

Wekinator

The Wekinator is free, open source software. Wekinator 1.0 was originally created in 2009 by Rebecca Fiebrink. It allows anyone to use machine learning to build new musical instruments, gestural game controllers, computer vision or computer listening systems, and more.

The Wekinator allows users to build new interactive systems by demonstrating human actions and computer responses, instead of writing programming code.

<http://www.wekinator.org/>

Wekinator

Wekinator is not built on a large language model! It's a toolkit for real-time “interactive machine learning” that uses algorithms like k-Nearest Neighbors, support vector machines, neural nets, and Dynamic Time Warping for classification/regression of sensor data. It ingests numeric inputs (e.g. from Arduino), lets you record examples, and trains those classic ML models on the fly—rather than relying on any transformer-based or language-model architecture.

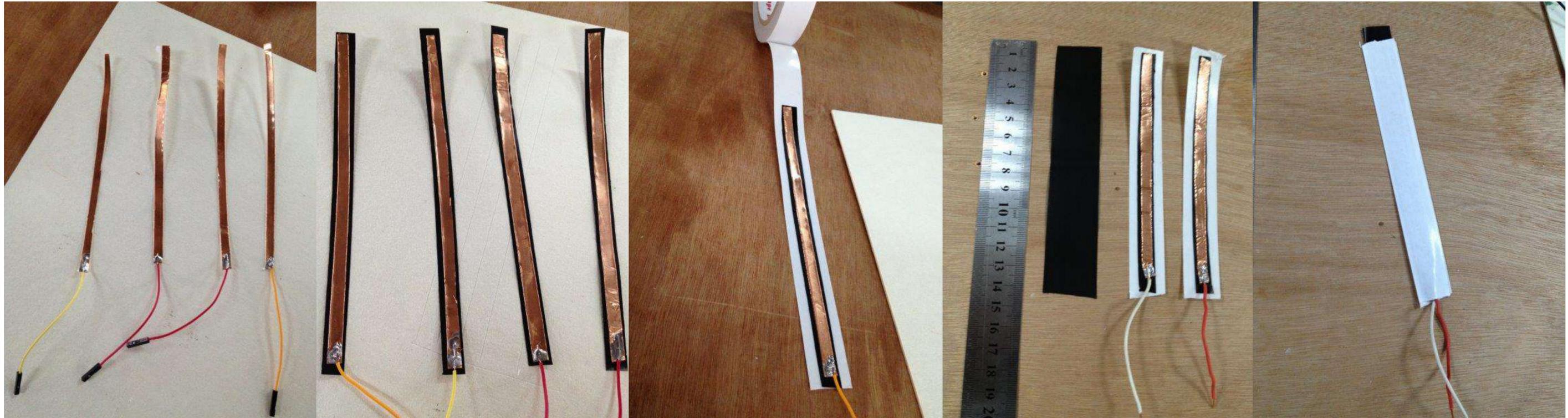
Wekinator

The screenshot shows the 'New Project' window in Wekinator. On the left, there are two green indicator lights labeled 'OSC In' and 'OSC Out', and a 'Stop running' button. Below these are 'Delete last example' and 'Re-add last example' buttons. The main area is titled 'New Project' and contains a list of gesture examples. Each example has a 'Gesture Types' label, 'Add / Remove' buttons (+ and -), a count, search, delete, and play buttons, and a 'degree of match' slider. The 'output_3 (v2)' example is currently selected, indicated by a green dot on its match slider. At the bottom, there is a 'Match threshold' slider.

Gesture Types	Add / Remove	Count	Search	Delete	Play	Match Status
output_1 (v2)	+ -	1	Q	X	▶	○
output_2 (v2)	+ -	1	Q	X	▶	○
output_3 (v2)	+ -	1	Q	X	▶	●
output_4 (v1)	+ -	0	Q	X	▶	○

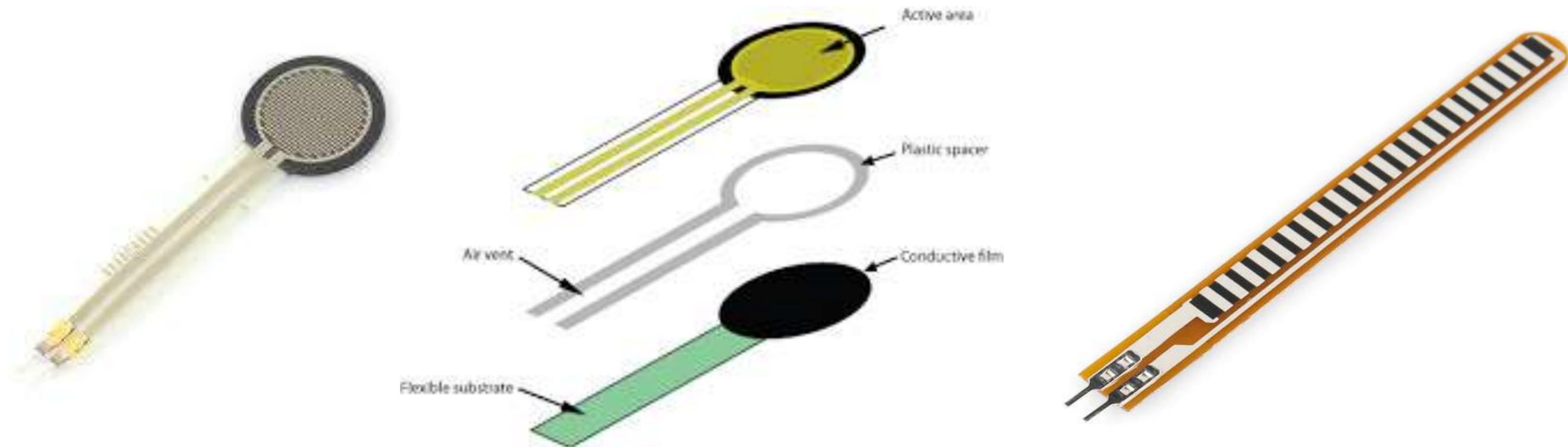
Status: Example added for gesture 2

DIY fsr with velostat



Force Sensitive Resistors (FSRs)

Force Sensitive Resistors, or FSRs, do exactly what their name suggests: they vary the resistance between their 2 pins based upon the force applied – the resistance goes down as the force increases. They have a body consisting of an insulator, a resistive material and 2 conductors with separated wire connections.



Velostat

Velostat is a piezoresistive material, meaning it's electrical resistance decreases when pressured. When sandwiched between two conductive layers, it has a wonderful range for making pressure and bend sensors. It can also be used for resistive sensing over distance, position sensing. Velostat is a black, opaque, volume-conductive, carbon-impregnated polyolefin. The electrical characteristics are not affected by age or humidity (but they do change when melted under the iron :).

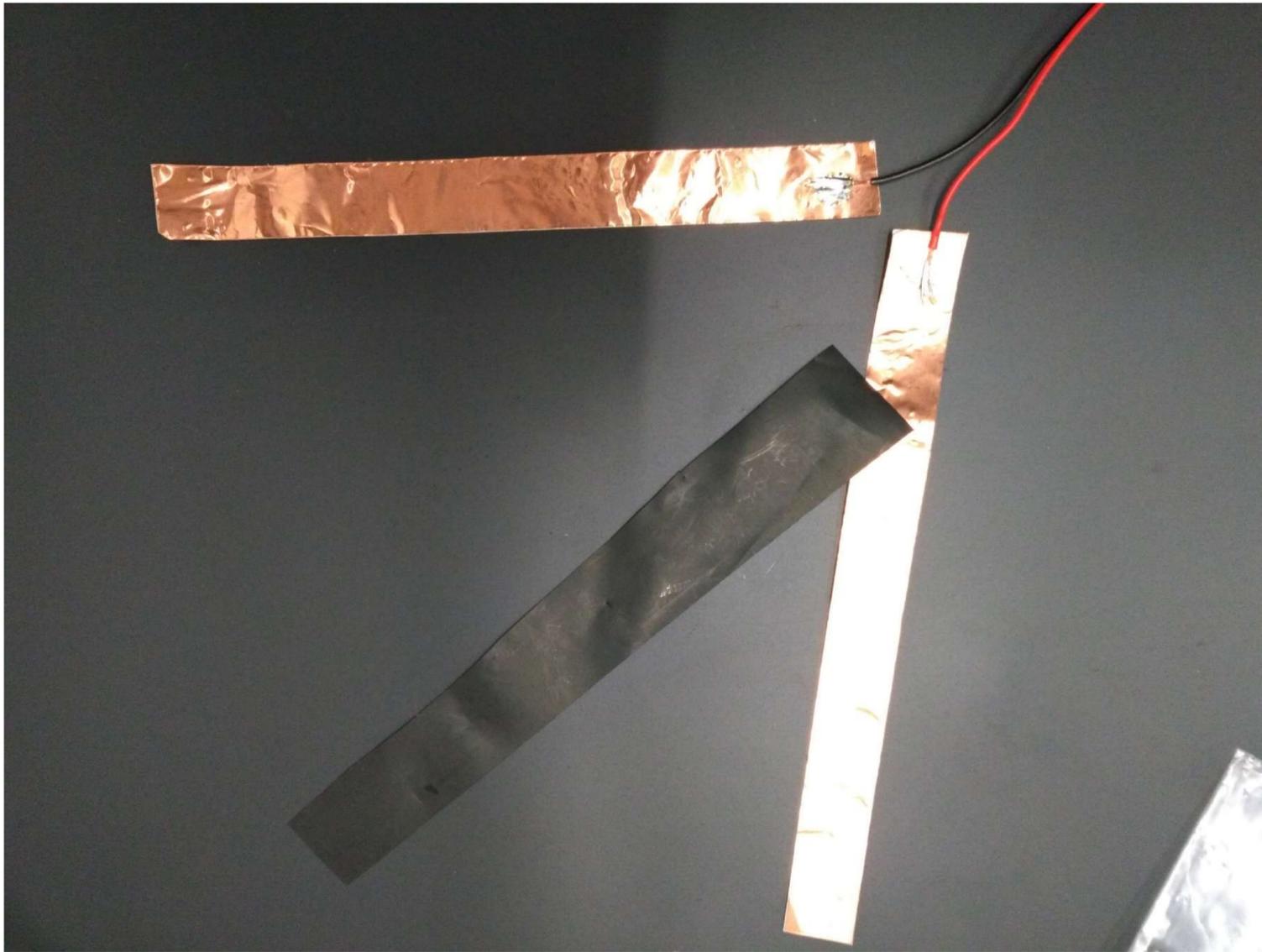


DIY Electric conductive materials



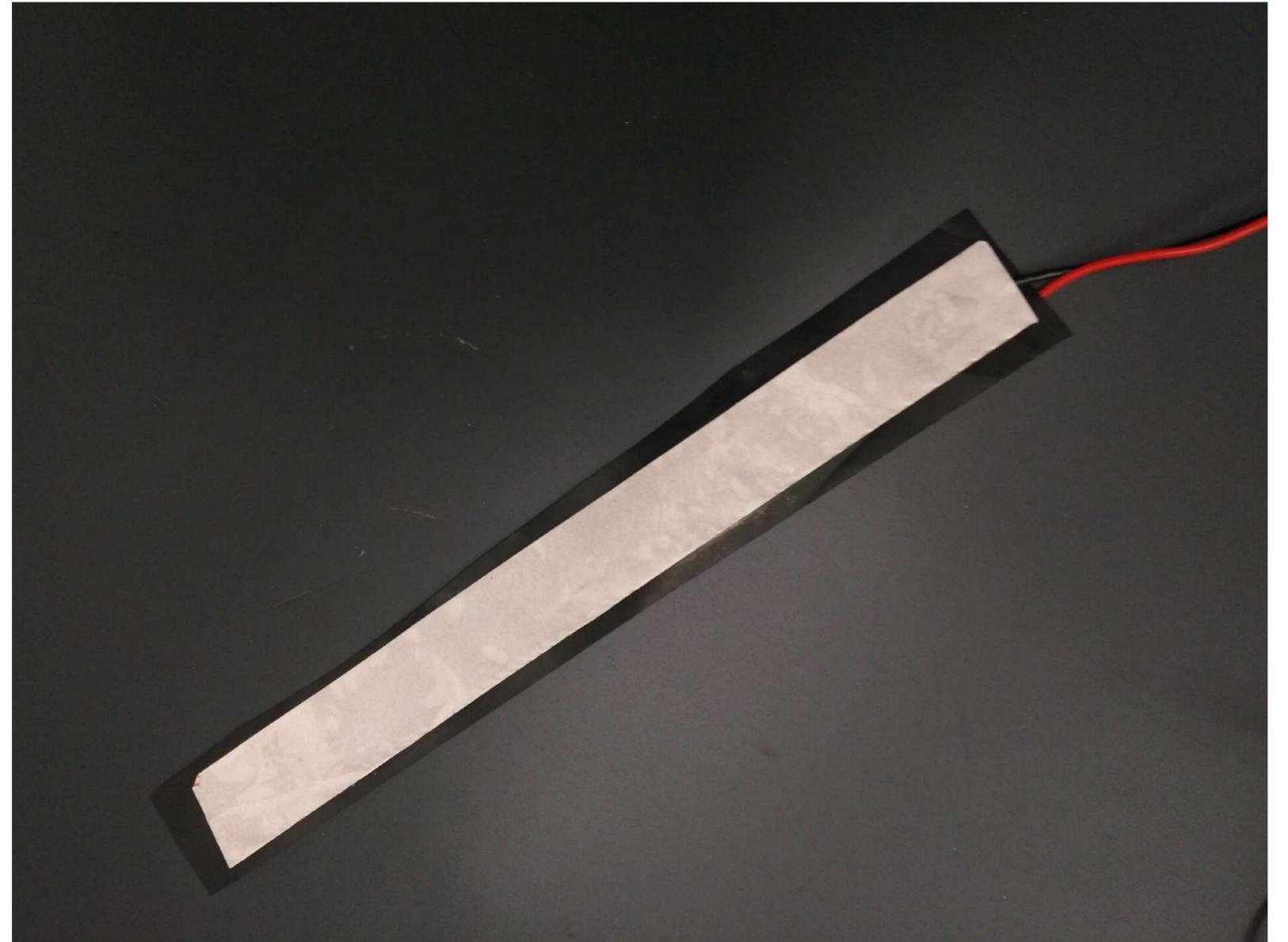
STEP_BY_STEP

1- "Sandwich" the Velostat between 2 conductive materials soldered to 2 different wires



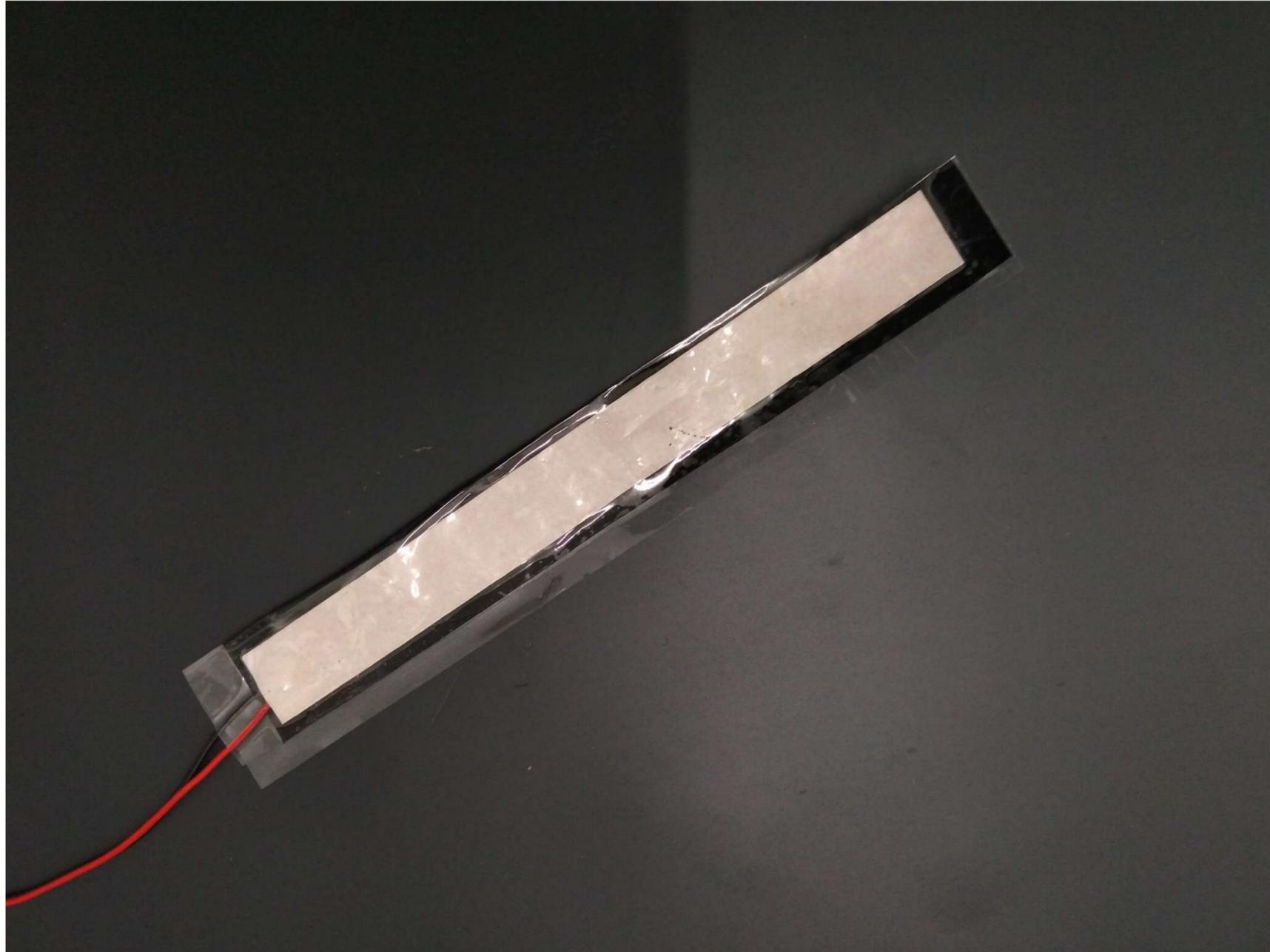
STEP_BY_STEP

2- Very important: The 2 conductive materials can not be in contact!



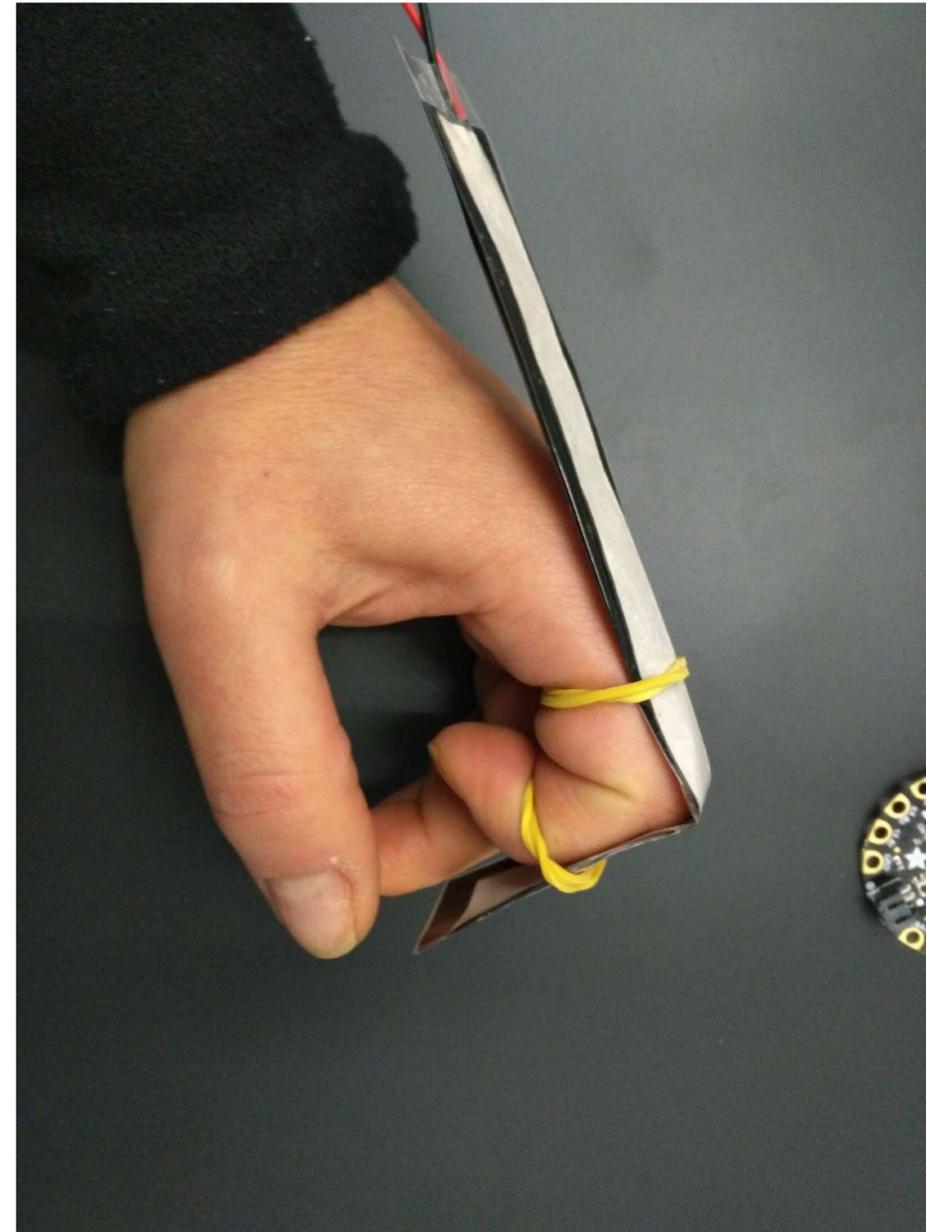
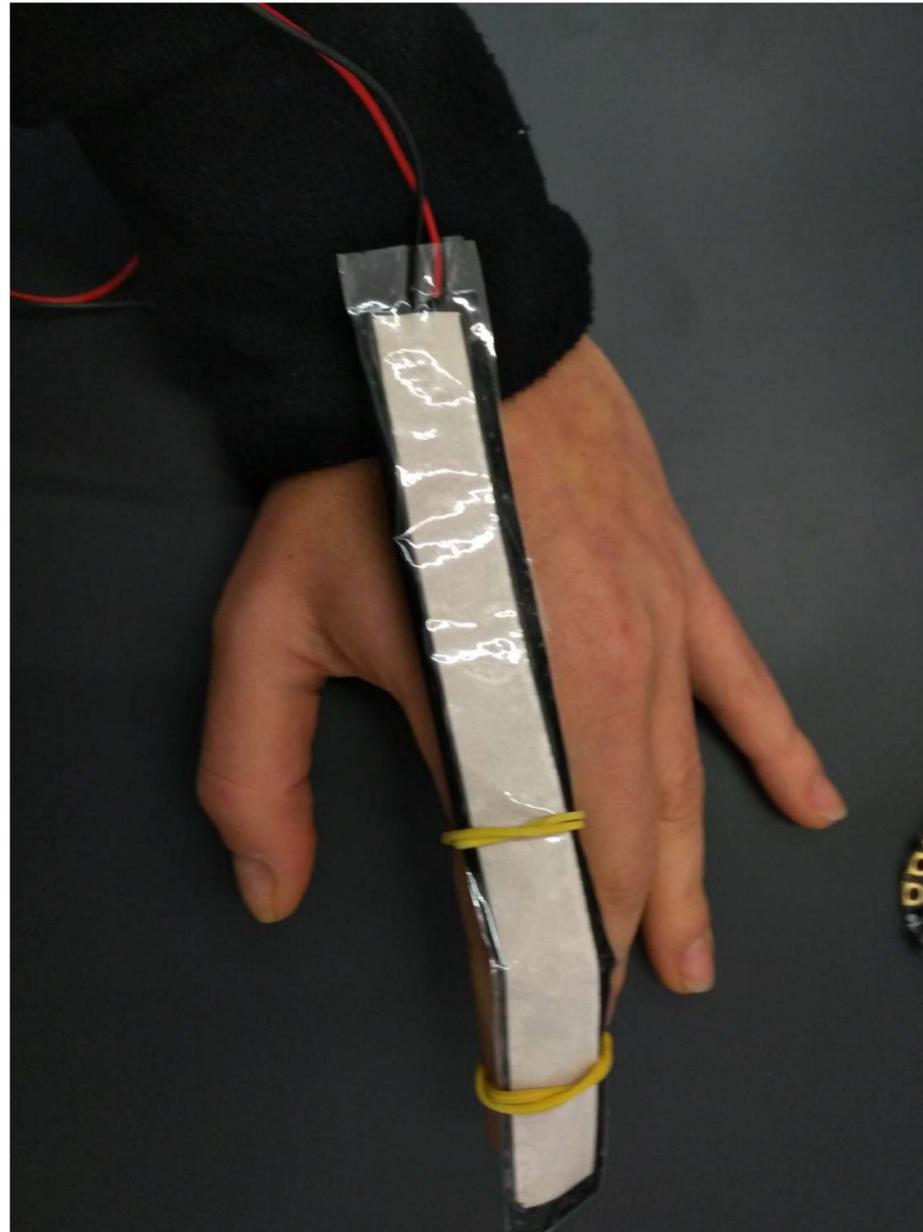
STEP_BY_STEP

3- Protect the sensor with tape!

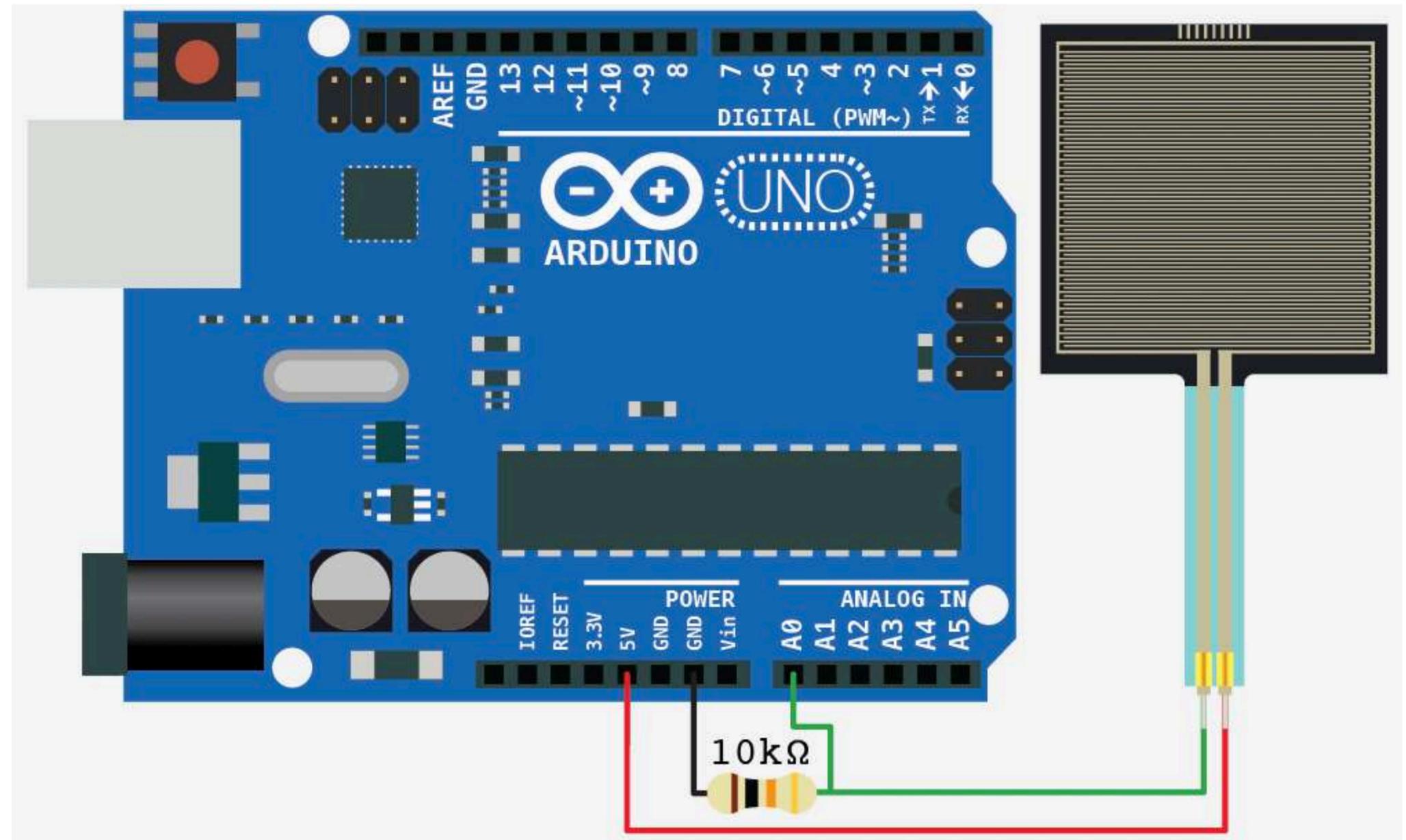


STEP_BY_STEP

4- Depending on the shape you choose, you can use it as a finger tracker!



Circuit Diagram INPUT



ARDUINO CODE

```
void setup() {
```

```
  Serial.begin(9600);
```

```
}
```

```
void loop() {
```

```
  int fsrValue = analogRead(A0);
```

```
  Serial.println(fsrValue);
```

```
  delay(20);
```

```
}
```

Open: sketch_1_tactile_agency_P5_traning_model

PROCESSING CODE

```
import processing.serial.*;
import oscP5.*;
import netP5.*;
Serial myPort;
OscP5 osc;
NetAddress wekinatorAddr;
void setup() {
  size(200, 200);
  // 1) OSC sender to Wekinator on port 6448 (no listening port needed, so pass 0)
  osc = new OscP5(this, 0); // "0" means "I'm not listening"
  wekinatorAddr = new NetAddress("127.0.0.1", 6448);

  // 2) Serial setup for FSR (change index [1] if needed)
  printArray(Serial.list());
  String portName = Serial.list()[3];
  myPort = new Serial(this, portName, 9600);
  myPort.clear();
}
void draw() {
  // Poll the serial buffer for complete lines
  while (myPort.available() > 0) {
    String chunk = myPort.readString();
    if (chunk != null) {
      String[] lines = splitTokens(chunk, "\r\n");
      for (String line : lines) {
        line = trim(line);
        if (line.length() > 0) sendToWekinator(line);
      }
    }
  }
}
void sendToWekinator(String line) {
  float val;
  try {
    val = float(line);
  } catch (Exception e) {
    println("Bad number: " + line);
    return;
  }
  // Debug print
  println("FSR→", val);
  // Send OSC to Wekinator at /wek/inputs
  OscMessage msg = new OscMessage("/wek/inputs");
  msg.add(val);
  osc.send(msg, wekinatorAddr);
}
```

Change accordingly with your Arduino Port Number

Check your console for the port list:

```
[0] "/dev/cu.Bluetooth-Incoming-Port"
[1] "/dev/cu.JBLTUNE660NC"
[2] "/dev/cu.OB_13E5203_SN202449007"
[3] "/dev/cu.usbserial-130"
[4] "/dev/cu.YAS-207Yamaha"
[5] "/dev/tty.Bluetooth-Incoming-Port"
[6] "/dev/tty.JBLTUNE660NC"
[7] "/dev/tty.OB_13E5203_SN202449007"
[8] "/dev/tty.usbserial-130"
[9] "/dev/tty.YAS-207Yamaha"
```

Wekinator not opening??

System Preferences → Security & Privacy → General tab

At the bottom of the window, you should see:

“Wekinator” was blocked from use because it is not from an identified developer.

Click “Open Anyway”

A new dialog will appear — click “Open” again.

output types in Wekinator:

1) **Classification outputs:** These are discrete categories, such as “Position 1”, “Position 2,” “Position 3.” You’ll need to tell Wekinator how many categories to use. Wekinator will send outputs as numbers, such as “1,” “2,” “3” for categories 1, 2, and 3.

2) **Numeric outputs:** These are numeric values. There are two types of numeric outputs: **Real-valued** (“continuous”) numeric outputs can take on any number value (possibly limited to a certain range). **Integer-valued** numeric outputs can take on any integer value .

3) **Dynamic time warping event** outputs: Use this output type when you want Wekinator to recognize patterns over time. That is, you want Wekinator to look for a particular pattern (or multiple patterns) of how the inputs are changing over time, and tell you when a pattern is spotted and which one it was.

more about Wekinator

http://www.wekinator.org/detailed-instructions/#Understanding_Wekinator8217s_output_types

Wekinator File

Create new project

Receiving OSC

Status: Not listening

Wekinator listening for inputs and control on port:

Inputs

OSC message: # inputs:

Outputs

OSC message: # outputs:

Host (IP address or name): Port:

Type:

with classes

Configure classification

http://www.wekinator.org/detailed-instructions/#Understanding_Wekinator8217s_output_types

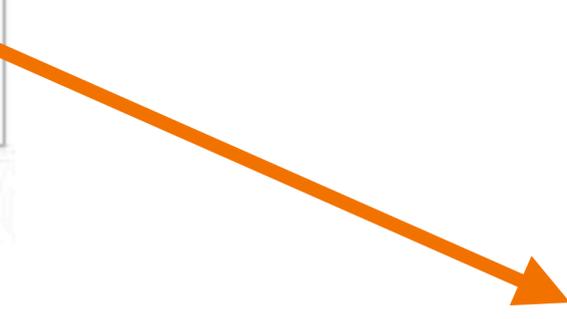
Input port



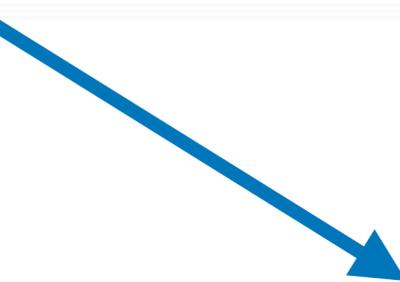
Our fsr sensor



Our output



Output port



The number of classes (or sensor pressure):

- 1- soft
- 2- medium
- 3- hard

Wekinator File

Create new project

Receiving OSC

Status: Not listening

Wekinator listening for inputs and control on port:

Inputs

OSC message: # inputs:

Outputs

OSC message: # outputs:

Host (IP address or name): Port:

Type:

with classes

Configure classification

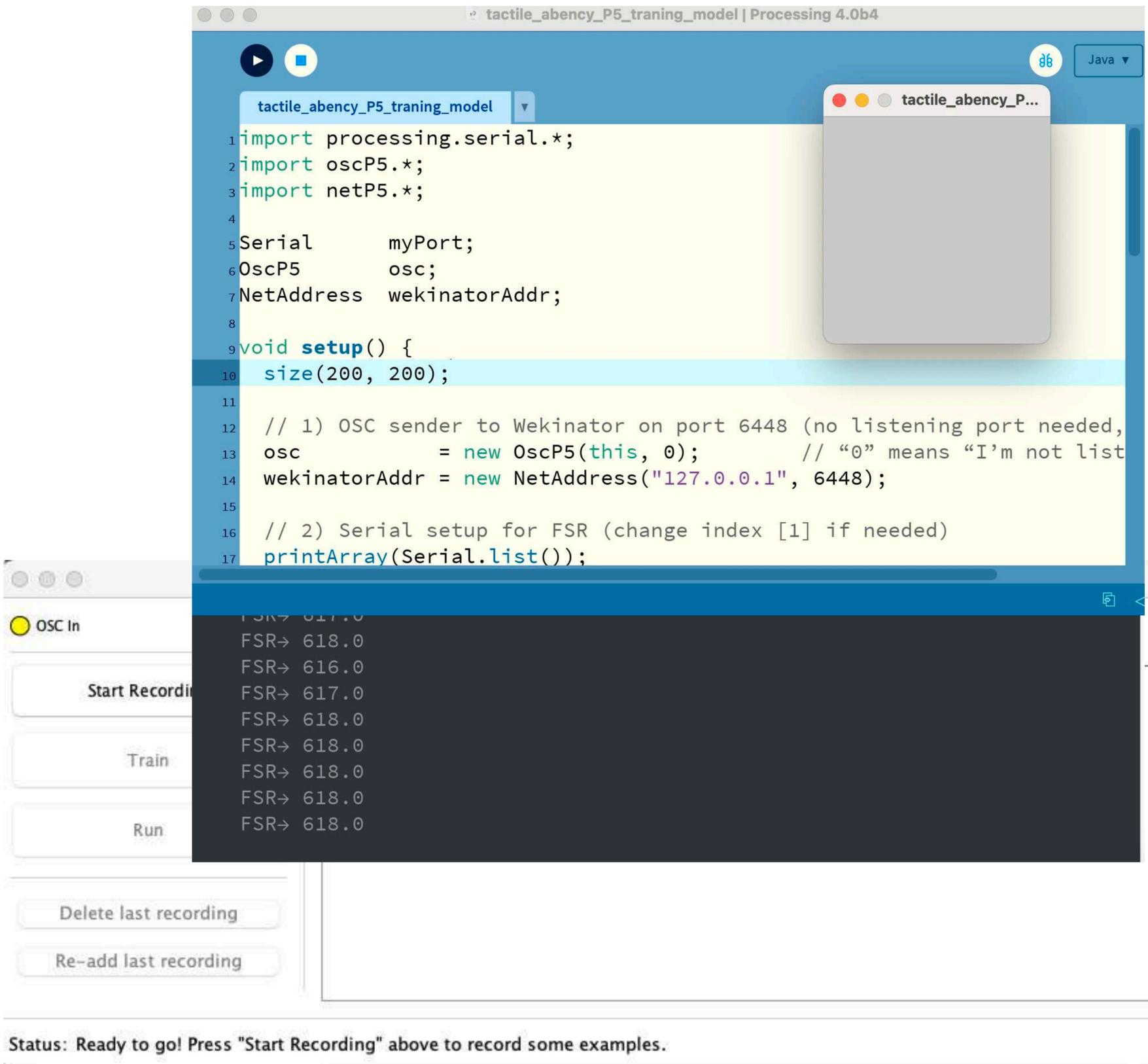
http://www.wekinator.org/detailed-instructions/#Understanding_Wekinator8217s_output_types

Click NEXT



Configure classification

[http://www.wekinator.org/detailed-instructions/#Understanding Wekinator8217s output types](http://www.wekinator.org/detailed-instructions/#Understanding_Wekinator8217s_output_types)



The screenshot shows the Processing IDE interface. The main editor displays the following code:

```
1 import processing.serial.*;
2 import oscP5.*;
3 import netP5.*;
4
5 Serial    myPort;
6 OscP5     osc;
7 NetAddress wekinatorAddr;
8
9 void setup() {
10  size(200, 200);
11
12  // 1) OSC sender to Wekinator on port 6448 (no listening port needed,
13  osc      = new OscP5(this, 0);      // "0" means "I'm not list
14  wekinatorAddr = new NetAddress("127.0.0.1", 6448);
15
16  // 2) Serial setup for FSR (change index [1] if needed)
17  printArray(Serial.list());
```

The console output shows the following values:

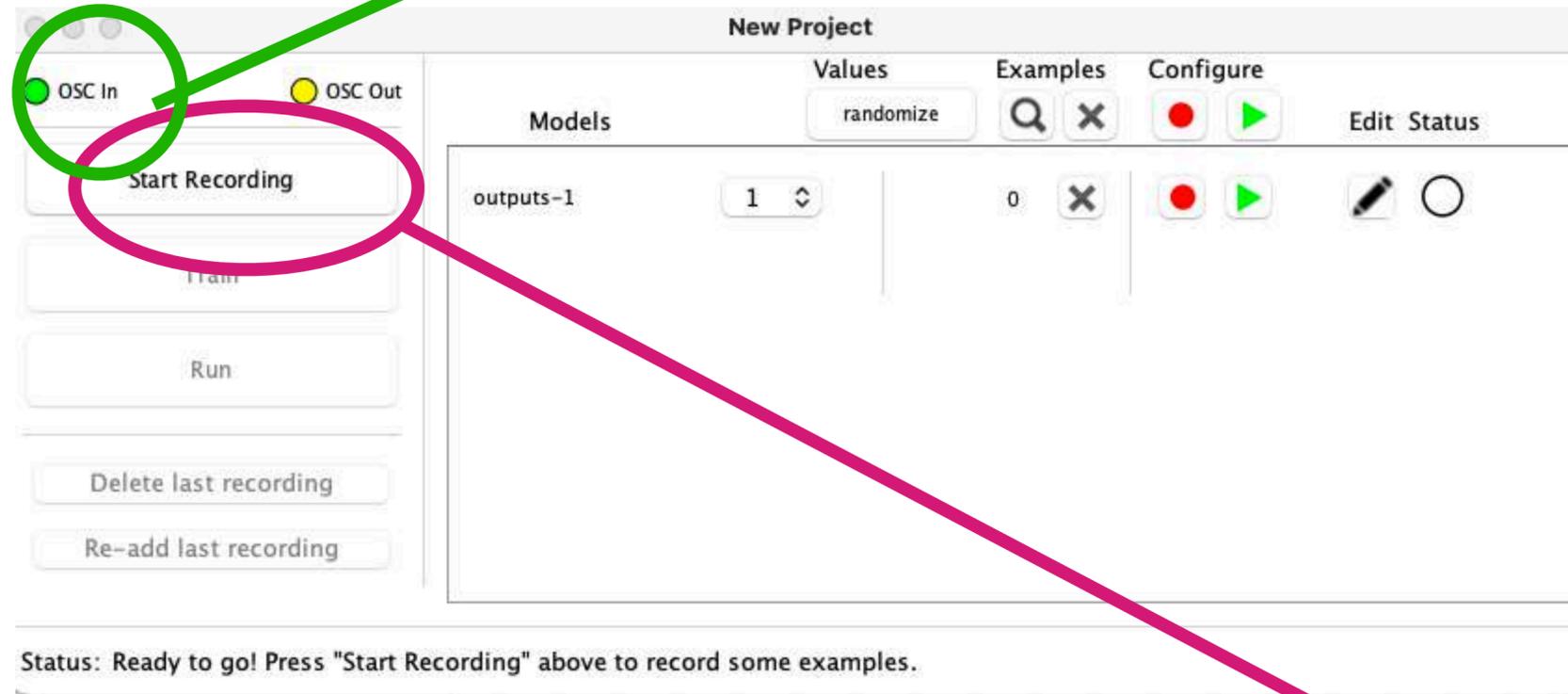
```
FSR→ 617.0
FSR→ 618.0
FSR→ 616.0
FSR→ 617.0
FSR→ 618.0
FSR→ 618.0
FSR→ 618.0
FSR→ 618.0
FSR→ 618.0
```

The interface also includes a control panel on the left with buttons for "Start Recording", "Train", "Run", "Delete last recording", and "Re-add last recording". The status bar at the bottom reads: "Status: Ready to go! Press 'Start Recording' above to record some examples."

STEP 1

- Run processing sketch and see the values

Should be Green!



Configure classification

[http://www.wekinator.org/detailed-instructions/#Understanding Wekinator8217s output types](http://www.wekinator.org/detailed-instructions/#Understanding_Wekinator8217s_output_types)

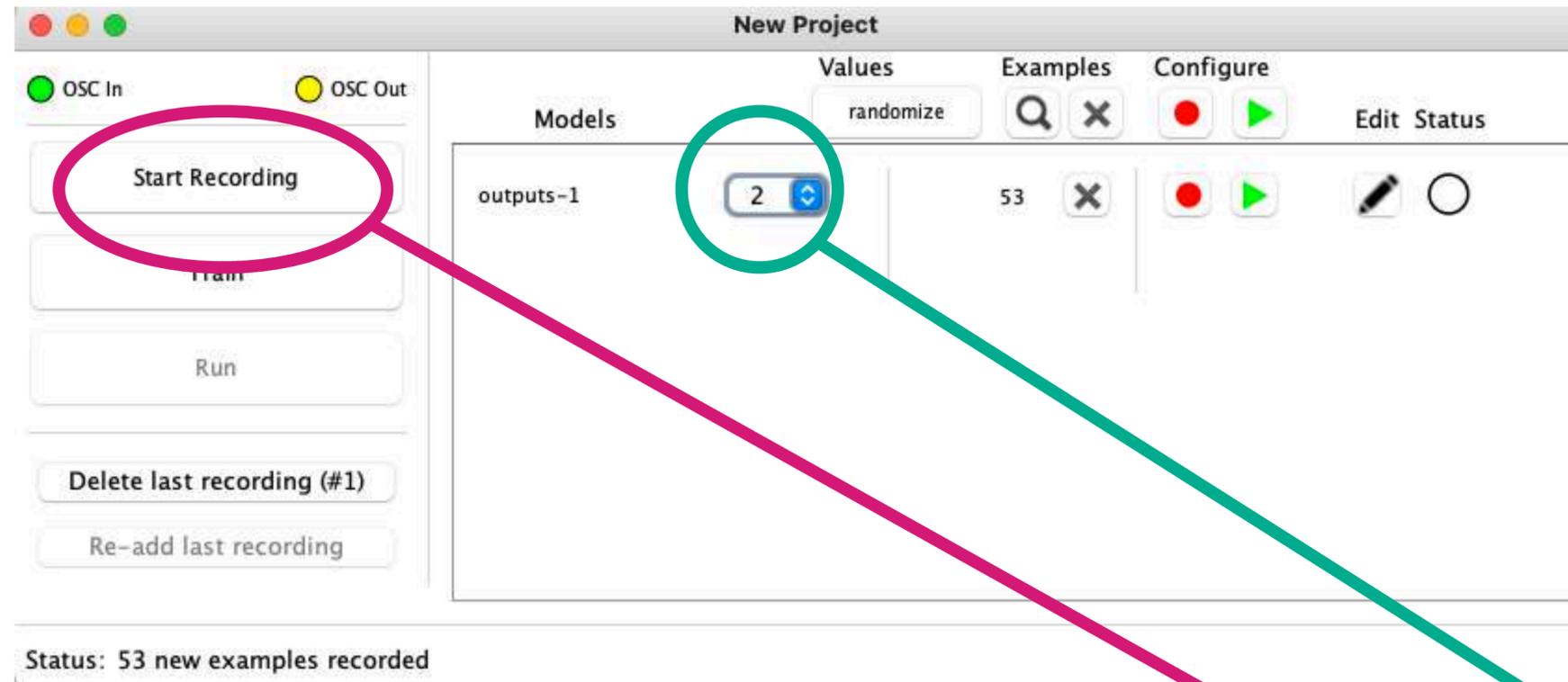
STEP 2

- Train the Module:
- Pressure **softly** the sensor and click Start recording for 2 seconds

```
FSR→ 617.0  
FSR→ 618.0  
FSR→ 616.0  
FSR→ 617.0  
FSR→ 618.0  
FSR→ 618.0  
FSR→ 618.0  
FSR→ 618.0  
FSR→ 618.0  
FSR→ 618.0
```

Configure classification

http://www.wekinator.org/detailed-instructions/#Understanding_Wekinator8217s_output_types



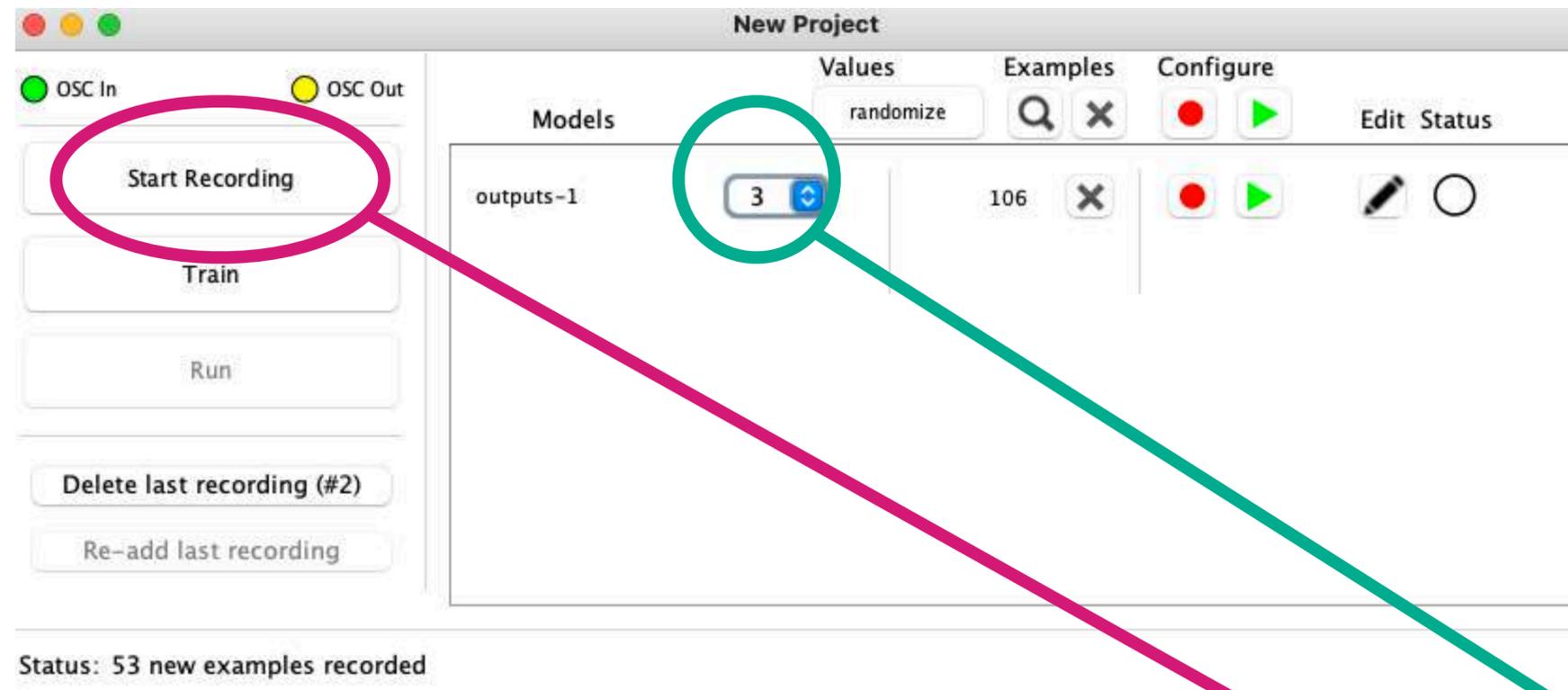
STEP 2

- Train the Module:
- Select Class 2
- Pressure **medium** the sensor and click Start recording for 2 seconds

```
FSR→ 252.0  
FSR→ 250.0  
FSR→ 251.0  
FSR→ 248.0  
FSR→ 248.0  
FSR→ 249.0  
FSR→ 246.0  
FSR→ 245.0  
FSR→ 247.0
```

Configure classification

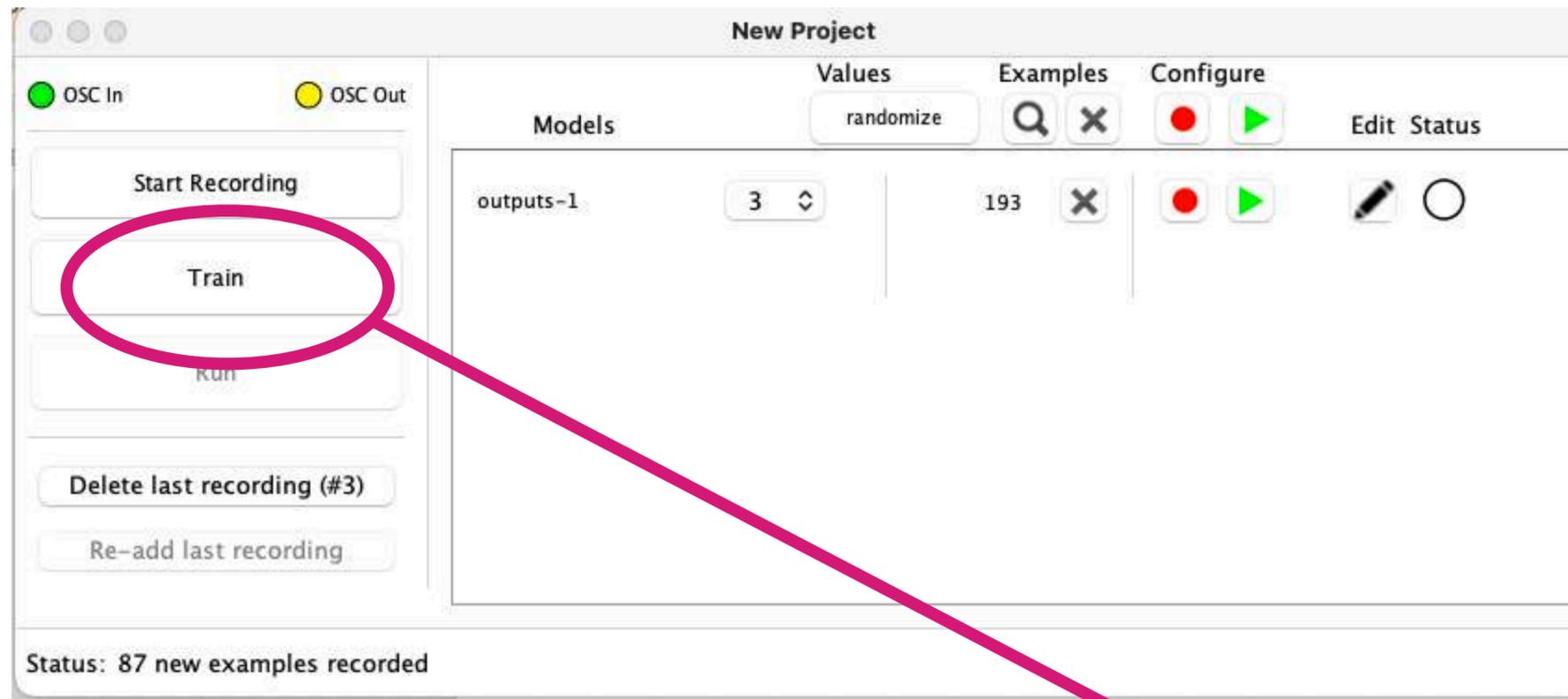
http://www.wekinator.org/detailed-instructions/#Understanding_Wekinator8217s_output_types



STEP 2

- Train the Module:
- Select Class 3
- Pressure **hard** the sensor and click Start recording for 2 seconds

```
FSR→ 104.0  
FSR→ 105.0  
FSR→ 105.0  
FSR→ 105.0  
FSR→ 106.0  
FSR→ 105.0  
FSR→ 105.0  
FSR→ 105.0  
FSR→ 105.0  
FSR→ 104.0
```

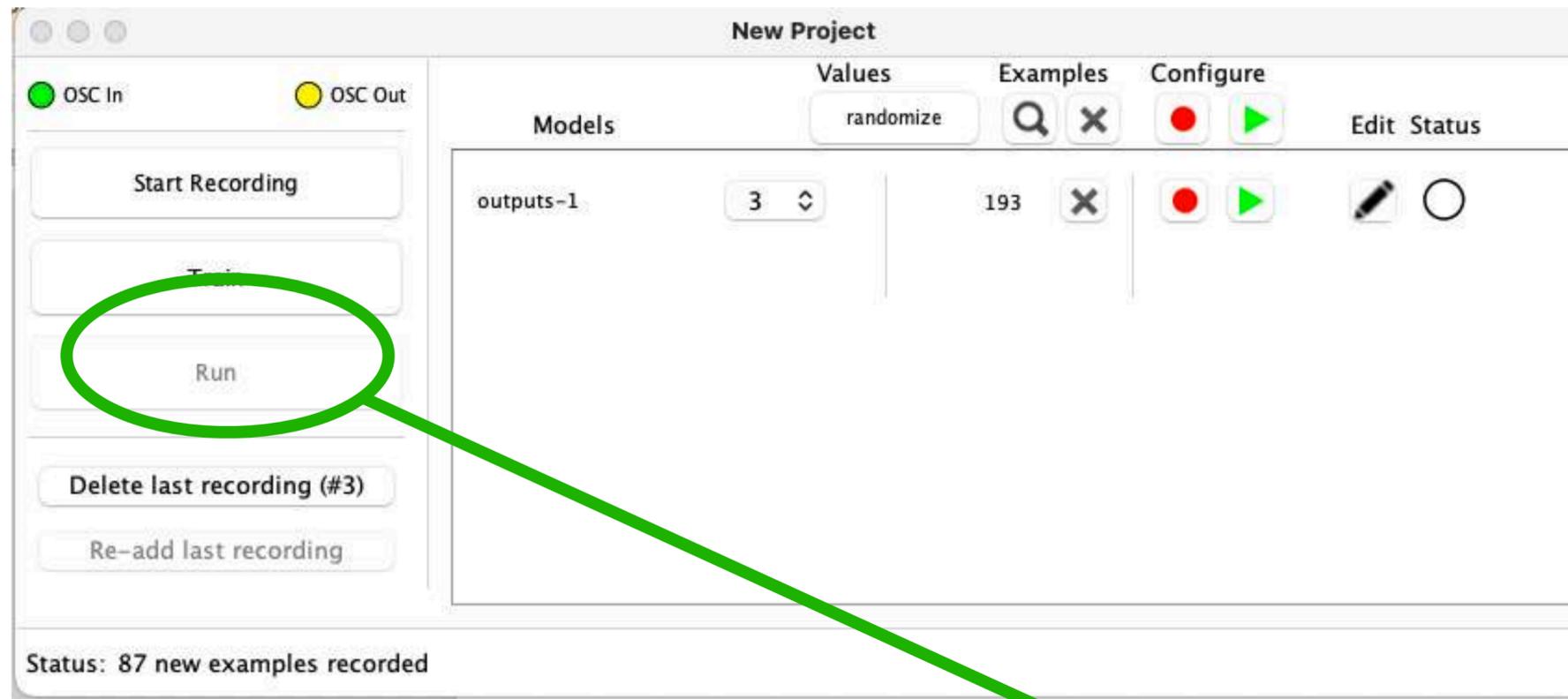


Configure classification

[http://www.wekinator.org/detailed-instructions/#Understanding Wekinator8217s output types](http://www.wekinator.org/detailed-instructions/#Understanding_Wekinator8217s_output_types)

STEP 3

- Train the Module:
- Click Train



Configure classification

[http://www.wekinator.org/detailed-instructions/#Understanding Wekinator8217s output types](http://www.wekinator.org/detailed-instructions/#Understanding_Wekinator8217s_output_types)

STEP 3

- Train the Module:
- Click run and pressure the sensor/
See how the classes changes according with
The trained module

```
import oscP5.*;
import netP5.*;
```

```
OscP5 osc;
int lastClass = 0;
color bgColor = color(50);
```

```
void setup() {
  size(600, 600);
  // Bind OscP5 to port 12000 to receive from Wekinator
  osc = new OscP5(this, 12000);
  background(bgColor);
  println("Listening for OSC on port 12000");
}
```

```
void draw() {
  background(bgColor);
  fill(255);
  textAlign(CENTER, CENTER);
  textSize(32);
  switch(lastClass) {
    case 1:
      text("Soft", width/2, height/2);
      break;
    case 2:
      text("Medium", width/2, height/2);
      break;
    case 3:
      text("Hard", width/2, height/2);
      break;
    default:
      text("Waiting...", width/2, height/2);
      break;
  }
}
```

```
// This method is called whenever an OSC message arrives
void oscEvent(OscMessage msg) {
  // Debug: print incoming address and typetag
  println("Incoming OSC address: " + msg.addrPattern());
  println("Typetag string: " + msg.typetag());
```

```
// Check that the address matches exactly what Wekinator is sending
if (msg.checkAddrPattern("/wek/outputs")) {
```

```
String tags = msg.typetag();
```

```
try {
  int predictedClass = 0;
```

```
  // If Wekinator sends an integer classification (typetag "i")
  if (tags.equals("i")) {
    predictedClass = msg.get(0).intValue();
    println("Parsed integer class: " + predictedClass);
  }
  // If Wekinator sends a float (typetag "f"), convert/round it
  else if (tags.equals("f")) {
    float rawVal = msg.get(0).floatValue();
    predictedClass = round(rawVal);
    println("Parsed float class (rounded): " + predictedClass);
  }
  // Otherwise, print an error
  else {
    println("Unexpected typetag: " + tags);
    return;
  }
}
```

```
// Update background color based on predicted class
switch(predictedClass) {
  case 1:
    bgColor = color(0, 255, 0); // Green for "Soft"
    break;
  case 2:
    bgColor = color(255, 255, 0); // Yellow for "Medium"
    break;
  case 3:
    bgColor = color(255, 0, 0); // Red for "Hard"
    break;
  default:
    bgColor = color(50); // Default gray
    break;
}
```

```
lastClass = predictedClass;
```

```
catch (Exception e) {
  println("Error parsing OSC argument:", e.getMessage());
}
else {
  println("Ignored OSC address: " + msg.addrPattern());
}
}
```

Open: [sketch_2_tactile_agency_output_color](#)

Processing

output



```

import oscP5.*;
import netP5.*;
import processing.sound.*;

OscP5 osc;
SinOsc sine;
int lastClass = 0;
color bgColor = color(50);

void setup() {
  size(600, 600);

  // 1) OSC listener on port 12000
  osc = new OscP5(this, 12000);
  println("Listening for OSC on port 12000");

  // 2) Sound setup: start the sine oscillator at zero amplitude
  sine = new SinOsc(this);
  sine.freq(440); // default pitch
  sine.amp(0); // silent initially
  sine.play(); // start oscillator

  background(bgColor);
}

void draw() {
  background(bgColor);
  fill(255);
  textAlign(CENTER, CENTER);
  textSize(32);
  switch (lastClass) {
    case 1:
      text("Soft", width/2, height/2);
      break;
    case 2:
      text("Medium", width/2, height/2);
      break;
    case 3:
      text("Hard", width/2, height/2);
      break;
    default:
      text("Waiting...", width/2, height/2);
      break;
  }
}

```

```

void oscEvent(OscMessage msg) {
  if (!msg.checkAddrPattern("/wek/outputs")) return;

  String tags = msg.tyepetag();
  try {
    int predictedClass = 0;

    if (tags.equals("i")) {
      // Wekinator sent an integer class
      predictedClass = msg.get(0).intValue();
    }
    else if (tags.equals("f")) {
      // Wekinator sent a float; round it to get the class index
      float rawVal = msg.get(0).floatValue();
      predictedClass = round(rawVal);
    }
    else {
      return; // unexpected tyepetag
    }

    // Update background color and sine parameters
    switch (predictedClass) {
      case 1:
        bgColor = color(0, 255, 0); // green
        sine.freq(220); // lower pitch for "Soft"
        sine.amp(0.2); // set amplitude
        break;
      case 2:
        bgColor = color(255, 255, 0); // yellow
        sine.freq(440); // medium pitch for "Medium"
        sine.amp(0.4);
        break;
      case 3:
        bgColor = color(255, 0, 0); // red
        sine.freq(880); // higher pitch for "Hard"
        sine.amp(0.6);
        break;
      default:
        bgColor = color(50); // default gray
        sine.amp(0); // mute
        break;
    }

    lastClass = predictedClass;
    println("Received class:", predictedClass);
  }
  catch (Exception e) {
    println("Error parsing OSC argument:", e.getMessage());
  }
}

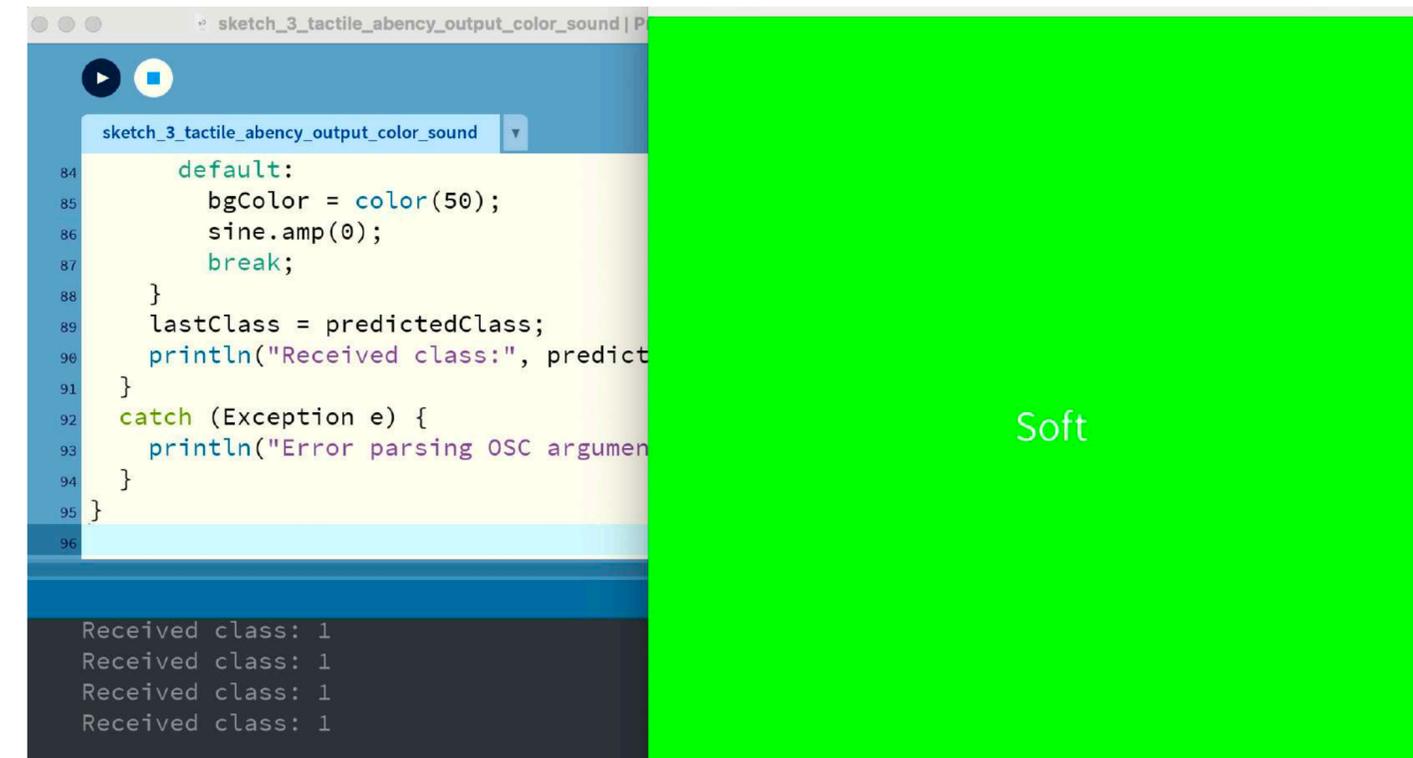
```

Open: [sketch_3_tactile_agency_output_color_sound](#)

Processing

output

Add sound



Let's record a pattern!

Dynamic time warping event outputs: Use this output type when you want Wekinator to recognize patterns over time. That is, you want Wekinator to look for a particular pattern (or multiple patterns) of how the inputs are changing over time, and tell you when a pattern is spotted and which one it was.

Training Patterns Wekinator

http://www.wekinator.org/detailed-instructions/#Understanding_Wekinator8217s_output_types

Wekinator File

Create new project

Receiving OSC

Status: Not listening

Wekinator listening for inputs and control on port: 6448

Start listening

Inputs

OSC message: /wek/inputs # inputs: 1 Options

Outputs

OSC message: /wek/outputs # outputs: 1

Host (IP address or name): localhost Port: 12000

Type: All dynamic time warping (default settings) Options

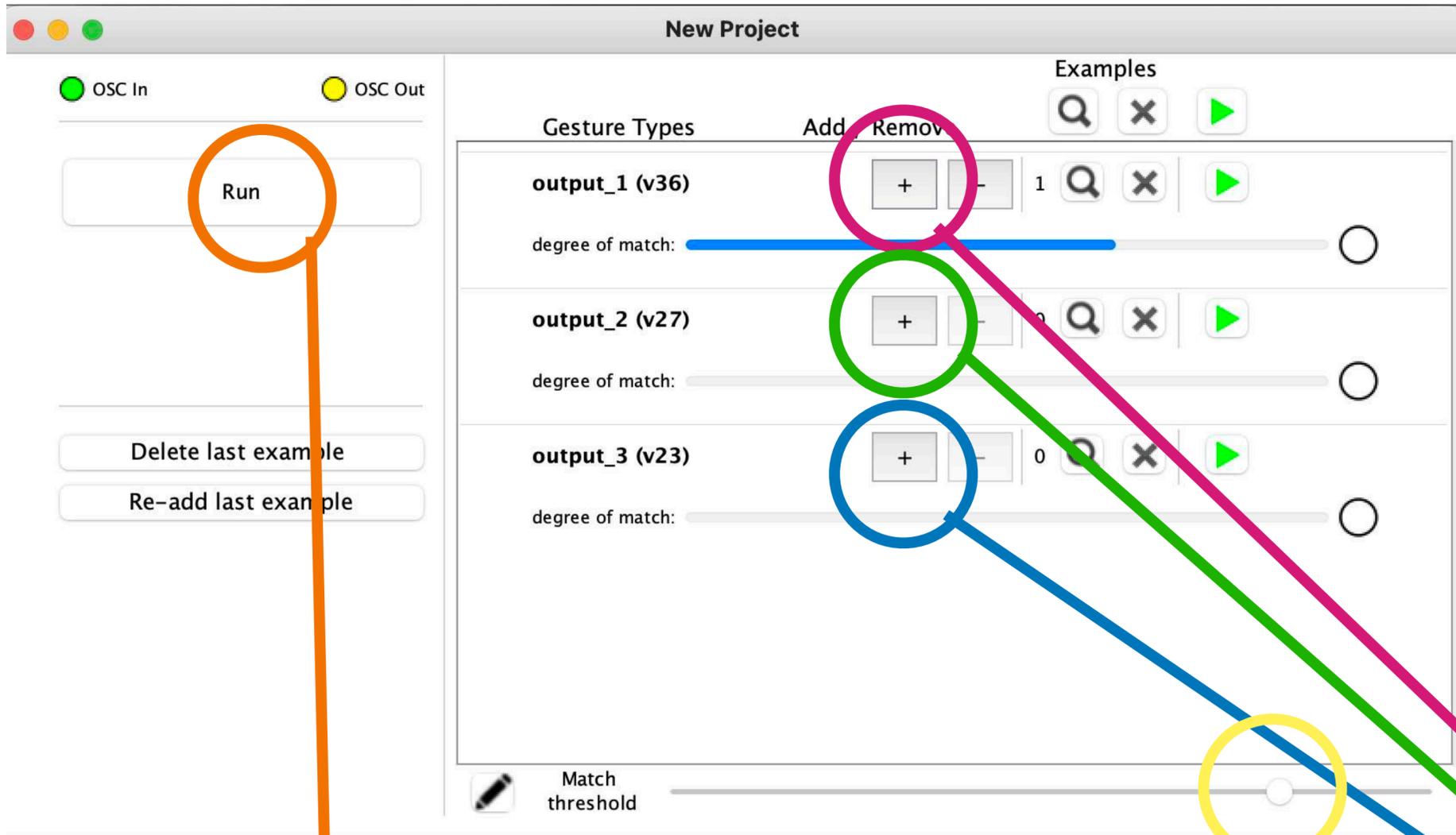
with 3 gesture types

Next >

Our fsr sensor

Our output

The number of patterns we want to record



Training Patterns Wekinator

http://www.wekinator.org/detailed-instructions/#Understanding_Wekinator8217s_output_types

Hold + to record a gesture
(Repeat 3 times)

Our output

Click Run to run the model

Adjust the slide for precision

Open: sketch_4_tactile_agency_dynamic_color

```
import processing.serial.*;
import oscP5.*;
import netP5.*;
import processing.sound.*;

Serial myPort;
OscP5 oscSender; // sends FSR → Wekinator (port 6448)
OscP5 oscReceiver; // listens Wekinator → Processing (port 12000)
NetAddress wekinatorAddr;
SinOsc sine; // for audio feedback

int lastClass = 0;
color bgColor = color(50);
String leftover = "";

void setup() {
  size(600, 600);

  // — OSC SENDER: no listening port, just sends to Wekinator on 6448 —
  oscSender = new OscP5(this, 0);
  wekinatorAddr = new NetAddress("127.0.0.1", 6448);
  println("oscSender ready → sending to 127.0.0.1:6448");

  // — OSC RECEIVER: listen for Wekinator output (three distances) on 12000 —
  oscReceiver = new OscP5(this, 12000);
  println("oscReceiver listening on port 12000 for /wek/outputs");

  // — Sound setup: a sine oscillator, initially silent —
  sine = new SinOsc(this);
  sine.freq(440); // default pitch
  sine.amp(0); // start muted
  sine.play(); // begin playing (silent until amp > 0)

  // — SERIAL SETUP: read from Arduino (FSR on A0) —
  printArray(Serial.list());
  // Change the index if your Arduino appears at another slot
  String portName = Serial.list()[1];
  myPort = new Serial(this, portName, 9600);
  myPort.clear();

  background(bgColor);
}
```

```
void draw() {
  background(bgColor);
  fill(255);
  textAlign(CENTER, CENTER);
  textSize(32);
  switch (lastClass) {
    case 1: text("Gesture 1", width/2, height/2); break;
    case 2: text("Gesture 2", width/2, height/2); break;
    case 3: text("Gesture 3", width/2, height/2); break;
    default: text("Waiting...", width/2, height/2); break;
  }

  // Poll serial buffer and accumulate into leftover
  while (myPort.available() > 0) {
    String chunk = myPort.readString();
    if (chunk != null) leftover += chunk;
  }
  // Extract complete lines ending in '\n'
  int idx;
  while ((idx = leftover.indexOf('\n')) >= 0) {
    String line = leftover.substring(0, idx).trim();
    leftover = leftover.substring(idx + 1);
    if (line.length() > 0) sendToWekinator(line);
  }
}

// Send one FSR reading (float) to Wekinator at "/wek/inputs"
void sendToWekinator(String line) {
  float val;
  try {
    val = float(line);
  } catch (Exception e) {
    println("Cannot parse sensor value:", line);
    return;
  }
  println("FSR→", val);
  OscMessage msg = new OscMessage("/wek/inputs");
  msg.add(val);
  oscSender.send(msg, wekinatorAddr);
}
```

PROCESSING CODE

```
// Send one FSR reading (float) to Wekinator at "/wek/inputs"
void sendToWekinator(String line) {
  float val;
  try {
    val = float(line);
  } catch (Exception e) {
    println("Cannot parse sensor value:", line);
    return;
  }
  println("FSR→", val);
  OscMessage msg = new OscMessage("/wek/inputs");
  msg.add(val);
  oscSender.send(msg, wekinatorAddr);
}

// Called whenever an OSC arrives on port 12000
// We expect three floats: Arg[0], Arg[1], Arg[2]
void oscEvent(OscMessage msg) {
  if (!msg.checkAddrPattern("/wek/outputs")) return;

  int numArgs = msg.arguments().length;
  if (numArgs < 3) {
    println("⚠ Expected 3 args but got " + numArgs);
    return;
  }
}
```

Let's record continuous!

2) Numeric outputs: These are numeric values. There are two types of numeric outputs: Real-valued (“continuous”) numeric outputs can take on any number value (possibly limited to a certain range). Integer-valued numeric outputs can take on any integer value. We choose 0.0, 0.5, 1.0

Training Continuous Wekinator

http://www.wekinator.org/detailed-instructions/#Understanding_Wekinator8217s_output_types

Receiving OSC
Status: Not listening
Wekinator listening for inputs and control on port: 6448
Start listening

Inputs
OSC message: /wek/inputs # inputs: 1 Options

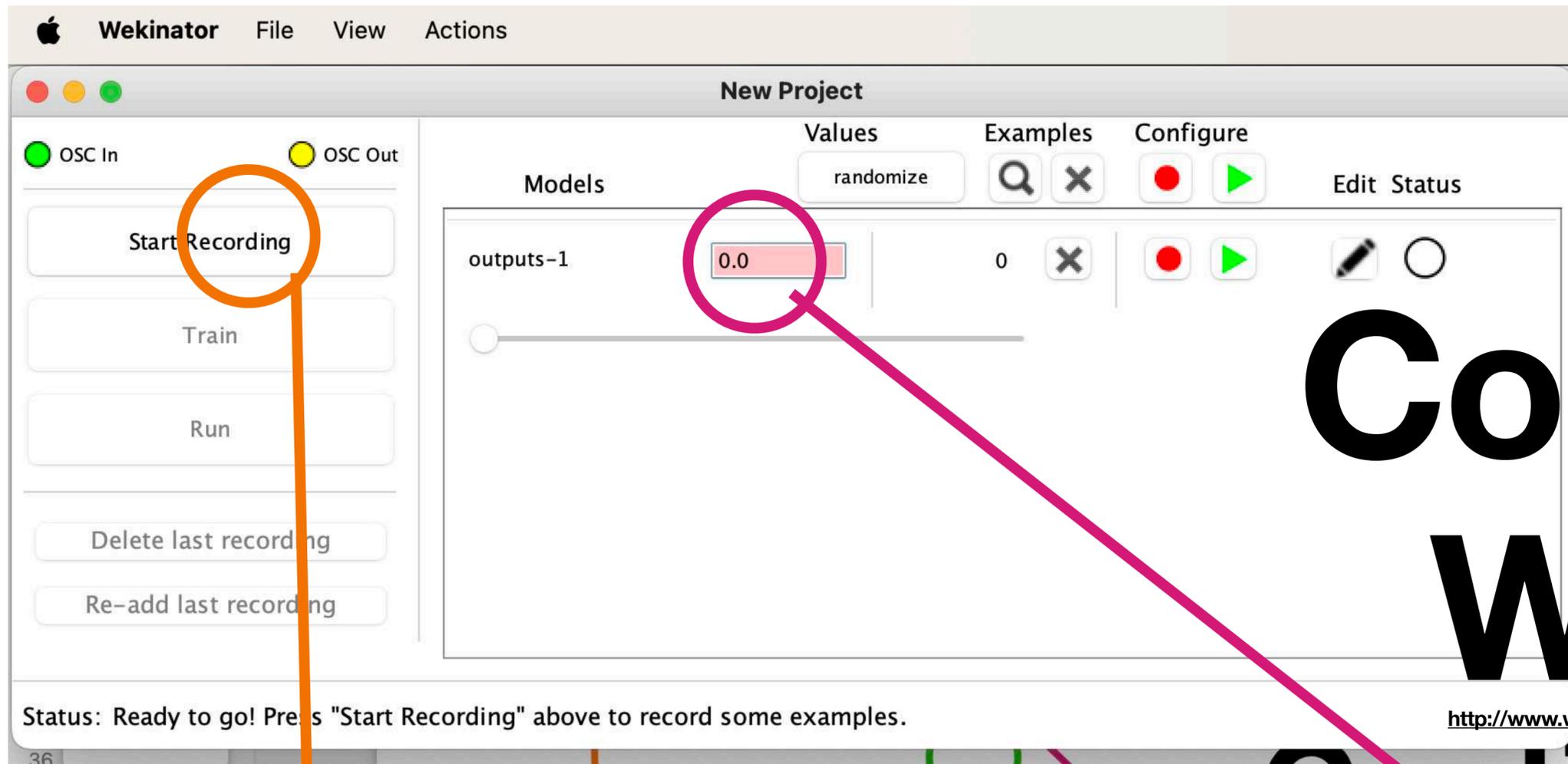
Outputs
OSC message: /wek/outputs # outputs: 1
Host (IP address or name): localhost Port: 12000
Type: All continuous (default settings) Options

Next >

Our fsr sensor

Our output

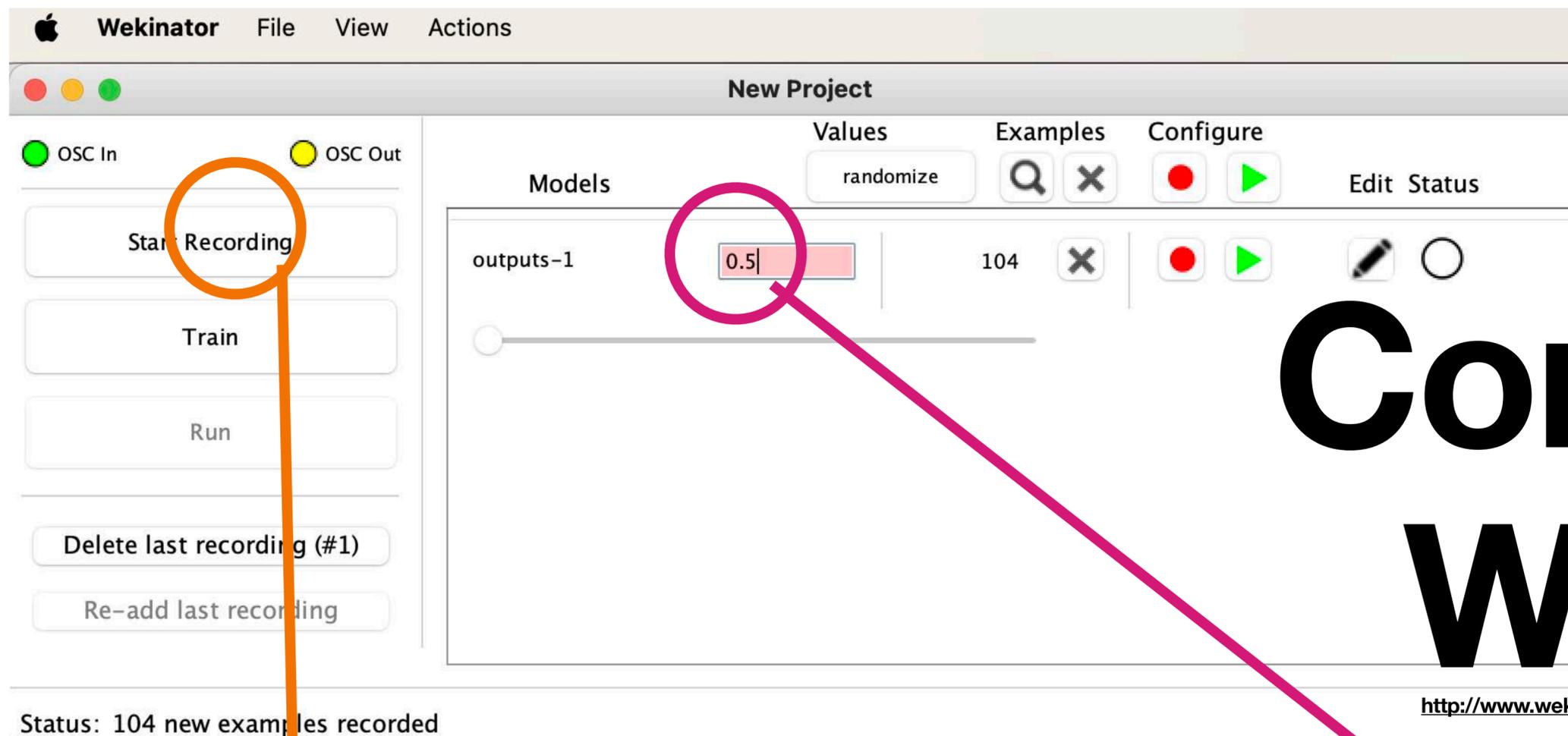
Choose continuous



Training Continuous Wekinator

Change to 0.0

Click "Start recording", repeat several times

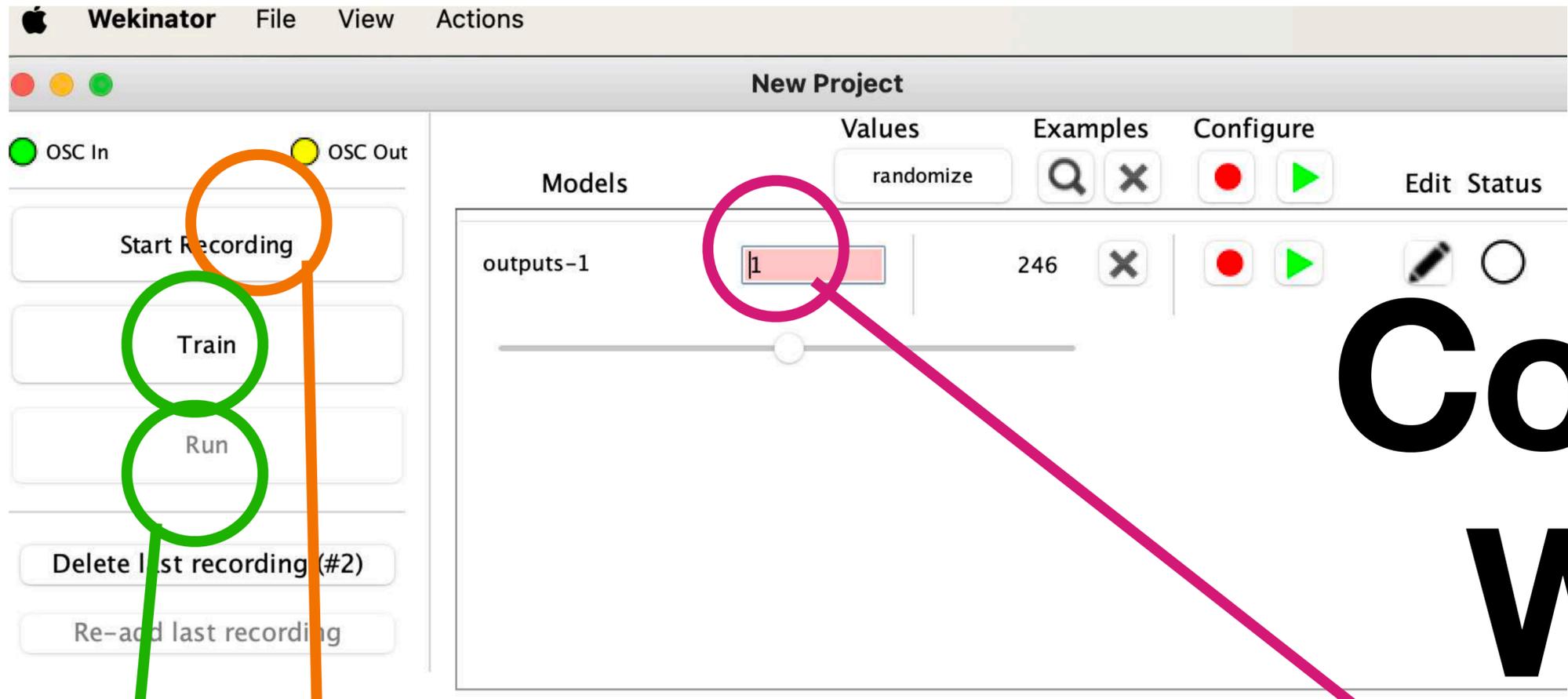


Training Continuous Wekinator

http://www.wekinator.org/detailed-instructions/#Understanding_Wekinator8217s_output_types

Change to 0.5

Click "Start recording", repeat several times



Training Continuous Wekinator

http://www.wekinator.org/detailed-instructions/#Understanding_Wekinator8217s_output_types

Change to 1

Train + Run

Click "Start recording", repeat several times

Open: [sketch_5_tactile_agency_continuous_color_sound](#)

PROCESSING CODE

```
import processing.serial.*;
import oscP5.*;
import netP5.*;
import processing.sound.*;
```

```
Serial myPort;
OscP5 oscSender; // sends A0 → Wekinator (6448)
OscP5 oscReceiver; // listens Wekinator → Processing (12000)
NetAddress wekinatorAddr;
SinOsc sine;
```

```
float lastValue = 0; // continuous output from Wekinator
String leftover = "";
```

```
void setup() {
  size(600, 600);
  colorMode(HSB, 1.0); // H, S, B all in [0..1]
```

```
  // 1) OSC sender to Wekinator on 6448 (no listening port here)
  oscSender = new OscP5(this, 0);
  wekinatorAddr = new NetAddress("127.0.0.1", 6448);
```

```
  // 2) OSC receiver for continuous output on 12000
  oscReceiver = new OscP5(this, 12000);
  println("Listening for continuous output on 12000");
```

```
  // 3) Sound: sine oscillator, silent initially
  sine = new SinOsc(this);
  sine.freq(440);
  sine.amp(0);
  sine.play();
```

```
  // 4) Serial from Arduino (FSR on A0)
  printArray(Serial.list());
  String portName = Serial.list()[1]; // change index if needed
  myPort = new Serial(this, portName, 9600);
  myPort.clear();
}
```

```
void draw() {
  // Map lastValue (0..1) to hue (0=blue→~0.66, 1=red→0.0 or 1.0)
  float hueVal = lerp(0.66, 0.0, lastValue);
  background(hueVal, 1.0, 1.0);
```

```
  // Map lastValue to sine freq (220Hz→880Hz) and amplitude (0→0.5)
```

```
  float hueVal = lerp(0.66, 0.0, lastValue);
  background(hueVal, 1.0, 1.0);
```

```
  // Map lastValue to sine freq (220Hz→880Hz) and amplitude (0→0.5)
  float freqVal = lerp(220, 880, lastValue);
  float ampVal = lerp(0.0, 0.5, lastValue);
  sine.freq(freqVal);
  sine.amp(ampVal);
```

```
  // Display numeric feedback
  fill(0, 0, 1);
  textAlign(CENTER, CENTER);
  textSize(32);
  text(nf(lastValue, 1, 2), width/2, height/2);
}
```

```
  // Called when serial data arrives; send it to Wekinator
void serialEvent(Serial myPort) {
  // Read a full line ending in '\n'
  String line = myPort.readStringUntil('\n');
  if (line == null) return;
  line = trim(line);
  if (line.length() == 0) return;
```

```
  float sensorVal;
  try {
    sensorVal = float(line);
  } catch (Exception e) {
    return;
  }
}
```

```
  // Send raw sensor value as a single-element OSC array
  OscMessage msg = new OscMessage("/wek/inputs");
  msg.add(sensorVal);
  oscSender.send(msg, wekinatorAddr);
}
```

```
  // Called when Wekinator sends its continuous float output
void oscEvent(OscMessage msg) {
  if (!msg.checkAddrPattern("/wek/outputs")) return;
```

```
  String tags = msg.tyepetag();
  if (tags.equals("f")) {
    float v = msg.get(0).floatValue();
    lastValue = constrain(v, 0, 1); // ensure in [0..1]
    println("Got continuous:", lastValue);
  }
  else {
    println("Unexpected tyepetag:", tags);
  }
}
```

Adding a Vibration motor To pin 9 Arduino

Open: 5_arduino_input_output

```
5_arduino_input_output | Arduino IDE 2.3.2
Arduino Nano
5_arduino_input_output.ino
1  const int sensorPin = A0;
2  const int motorPin = 9; // digital pin driving transistor's base via resistor
3
4  void setup() {
5      pinMode(motorPin, OUTPUT);
6      digitalWrite(motorPin, LOW); // motor off
7      Serial.begin(9600);
8  }
9
10 void loop() {
11     // 1) Read touch/flex/FSR sensor and send to Processing
12     int raw = analogRead(sensorPin);
13     Serial.println(raw);
14     // (Processing will capture "raw" and forward it to Wekinator.)
15
16     // 2) Check if Processing sent a command to turn motor on/off
17     if (Serial.available() > 0) {
18         char c = Serial.read();
19         if (c == '1') {
20             digitalWrite(motorPin, HIGH); // turn motor on
21         }
22         else if (c == '0') {
23             digitalWrite(motorPin, LOW); // turn motor off
24         }
25         // ignore any other characters
26     }
27     delay(20); // ~50 Hz loop
28 }
29
30
```

Adding an output Vibration motor

**Choose your preferable
configuration mode on**

wikanator

**classification, dynamic or
continuous**

And train your model on wekinator

Wekinator File

Create new project

Receiving OSC

Status: Not listening

Wekinator listening for inputs and control on port:

Inputs

OSC message: # inputs:

Outputs

OSC message: # outputs:

Host (IP address or name): Port:

Type:

with classes

Input port

Configure According

http://www.wekinator.org/detailed-instructions/#Understanding_Wekinator8217s_output_types

Our fsr sensor

Our output

Output port

The number of classes (or sensor pressure):

- 1- soft
- 2- medium
- 3- hard

Open: sketch_7_tactile_agency_input_output_all_models

PROCESSING CODE

```
sketch_7_tactile_agency_input_output_all_models
1 import processing.serial.*;
2 import oscP5.*;
3 import netP5.*;
4 import java.util.Arrays;
5
6 Serial      arduino;
7 OscP5       oscSender, oscReceiver;
8 NetAddress  wekiAddr;
9
10 int         lastClass = 0, prevClass = -1;
11 String      buf       = "";
12
13 void setup() {
14   size(400, 200);
15   println("Serial ports:", A
16   // Open your Arduino port
17   String portName = Serial.l
18   arduino = new Serial(this,
19   delay(100);
20   arduino.clear();
21
22   // OSC -> Wekinator (inputs
23   oscSender = new OscP5(this
```

```
Class: 1
Prev: 1
```

```
☒ Sent to Arduino -> MOTOR OFF
☒ OSC /wek/outputs f [1.0]
   continuous -> 1.0
☒ Sent to Arduino -> MOTOR OFF
```

Console Errors Updates 2

Can AI help Harmony at all??