



Scratch Programming

Lesson 2-3

Whack-a-mole Game III

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Review - Multiple Moles coming out



If we want to allow multiple moles coming out, we will have to make our moles into clones, and we don't need to use the real hole to track for random position anymore.



Review – Clones for Mole (Multiple spawn)

Script:

Each script in the grid is identical in structure, differing only in the coordinates for the 'go to x' and 'y' blocks. The coordinates for the nine holes are as follows:

Row	Column	X Coordinate	Y Coordinate
1	1	-132	86
1	2	0	86
1	3	132	86
2	1	-132	0
2	2	0	0
2	3	132	0
3	1	-132	-86
3	2	0	-86
3	3	132	-86

Each hole will have 1 mole, so we need to set up 9 moles (clone) running concurrently.

Then we add pick random from 1 to 4.5 seconds of waiting time for the interval of creating clone.



Review - Function of the mole (For Clone)

Script:



```
when I start as a clone
  go to front layer
  show
  switch costume to coming out
  wait 0.2 seconds
  switch costume to out
  wait 0.5 seconds
  switch costume to coming out
  wait 0.2 seconds
  delete this clone

when I start as a clone
  forever
    if mouse down? and touching color blue? then
      start sound Boing
      switch costume to hit
      change score by 1
      wait 0.5 seconds
      switch costume to coming out
      wait 0.2 seconds
      delete this clone
```

With every 1 to 4.5 seconds (randomly), the clones will spawn at all locations (different time interval for different holes).

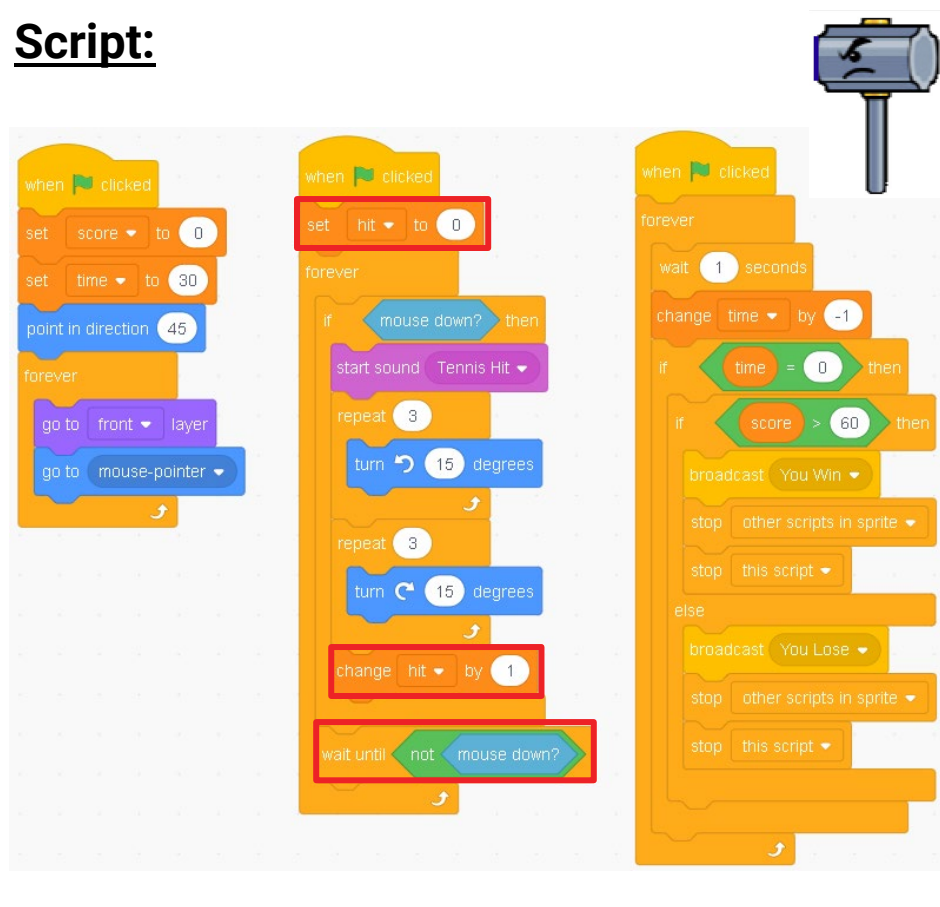
And when the clone is created (spawned), it will go to front layer and show itself, followed by coming out and going back to the hole.

When you hit the clone by hammer, it will delete the clone and add 1 point to the score.



Review - Measure Accuracy (Trace hit count)

Script:



Let's set up a new variable to trace the hit count (how many time you click and smash), I will call it "hit" over here.

Then let's set "hit = 0" at the start.

Once we click the mouse, it will turn the hammer for 45 degree counter-clockwise, then turn it back to original point. Then we change hit by 1 (this is counted as 1 hit).

Then I want to make sure that player won't holding the mouse down forever, so I will set a wait until mouse is up (not mouse down means mouse up), then the hitting action will be enabled again.

Review - Show the hit variable



Now let's show up the variable "hit" on the screen, and make a label (the "Hit: " word) on the left side of the readout.

So that we can see how many time we hit and how many score we get.

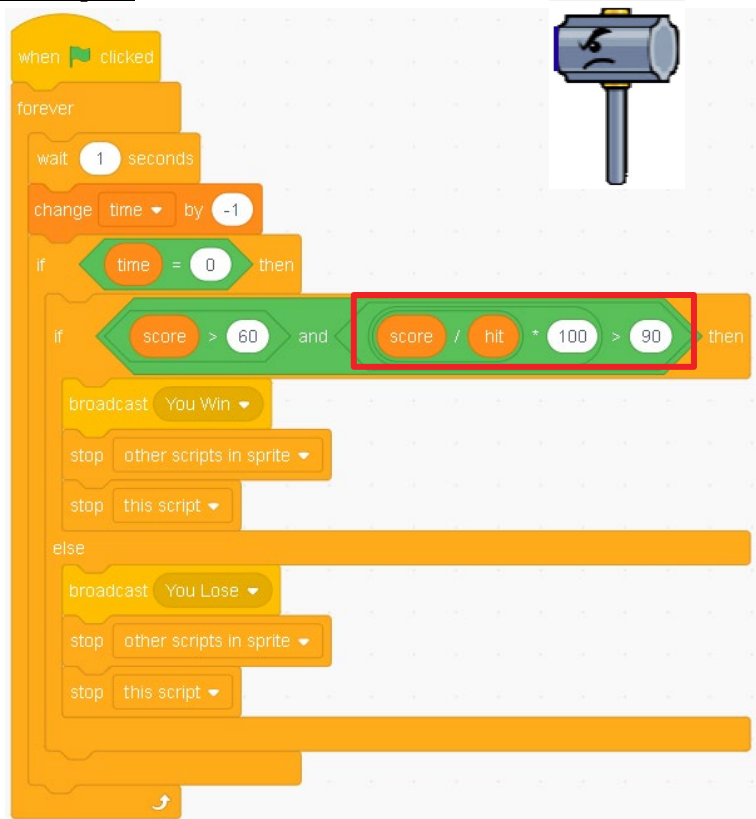
So the more you hit but less score you get means lower accuracy.

The closer the count of hit and the score, the more accurate you are.



Review - Calculate the Accuracy (Formula)

Script:



$$Accuracy = \frac{Score}{Hit} \times 100\%$$

Let's use this formula to calculate our accuracy.

$$(Score / hit) * 100 > 90$$

Mission 2-2 – Showing Result



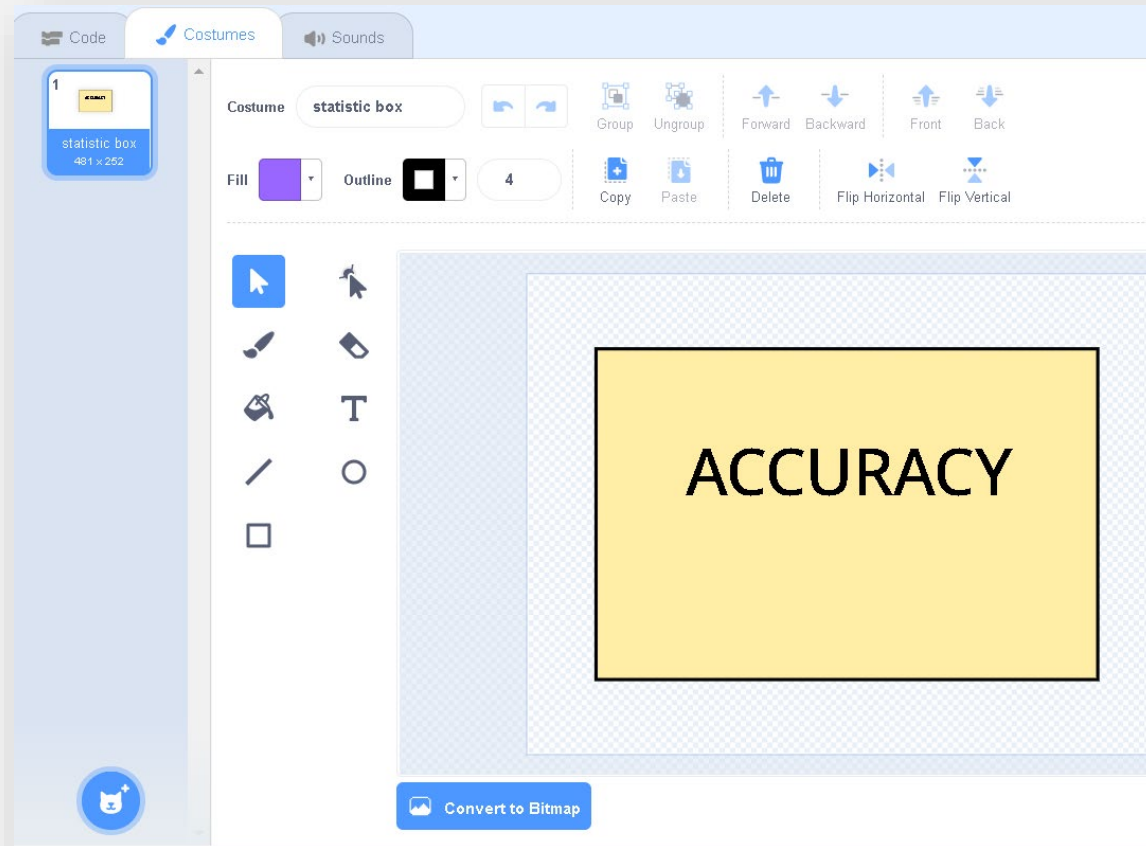
Let's show the accuracy at the end of the game, no matter you win or lose.

Can you try to do a retry button at the end too?

Player can click the retry button and start the game again.



Solution for Mission 2-2



Now we want to show the accuracy once the game is ended.

Let's draw a box to show the Accuracy.

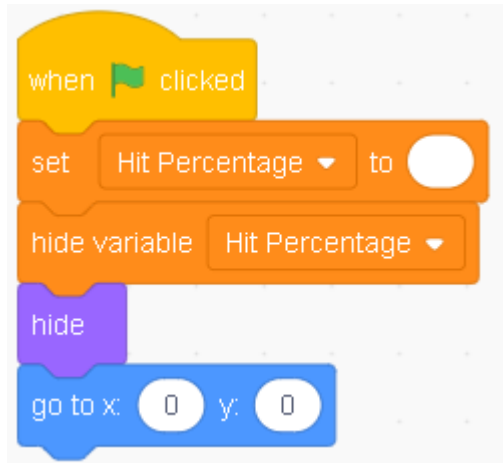
Then we need to set a variable for the accuracy (by using the formula of calculating accuracy).



Solution for Mission 2-2

Script:

ACCURACY



First thing we want the accuracy box to do is set a new variable called “Hit percentage”, and set it to “” (nothing) at start, and hide the variable.

We only want this box and the variable to show once our game ends.



Sequence of the Game



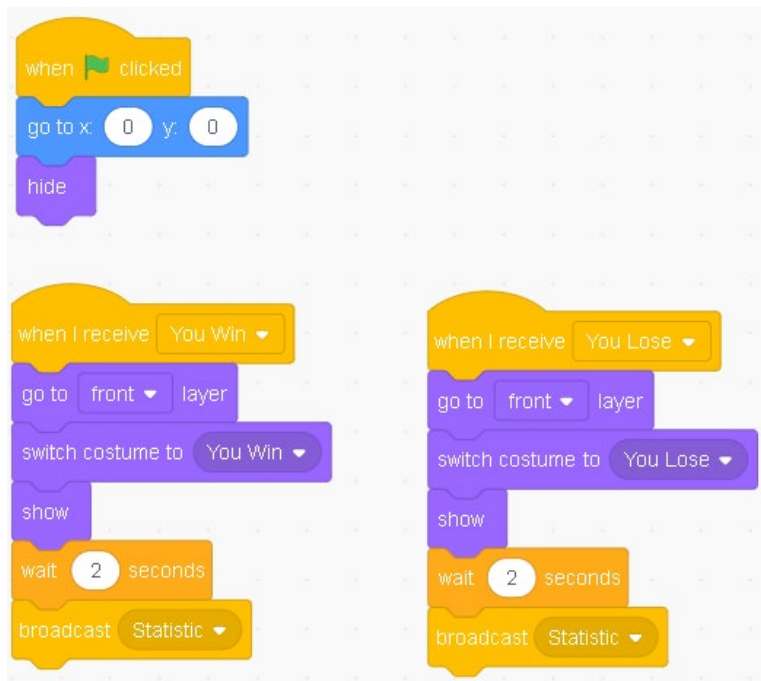
This will be the sequence of our game, which will show the Win or Lose first once game ends, then only show the accuracy box.



Rescript the Win & Lose

Script:

YOU WIN!



After showing “You Win” or “You Lose”, then we will show the accuracy box after 2 seconds.

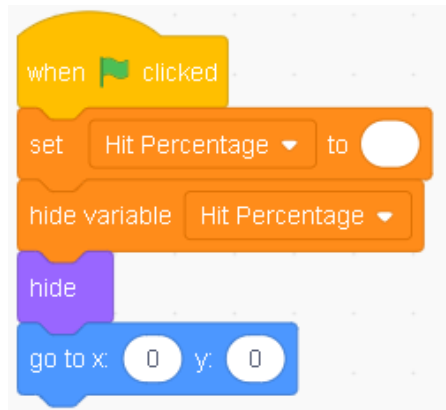
I will make a broadcast called “statistic” to call out the Accuracy box.



Accuracy Box

Script:

ACCURACY



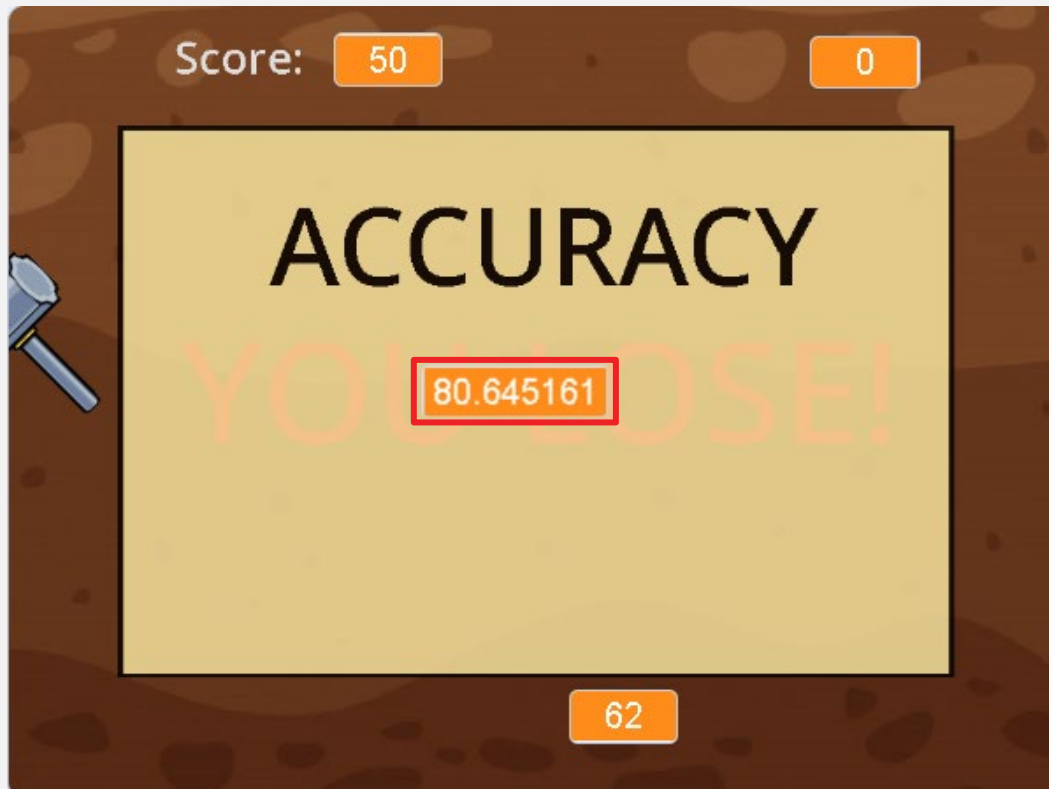
And here we need to calculate the Hit Percentage by using the formula:

$$(Accuracy = Score \div hit \times 100\%)$$

Then I will show the variable and make my box to the front layer with transparent effect 20%.



Accuracy Box – Decimal Place



By using the formula to calculate, you will see decimal place for the result in Accuracy.

Now we want to round this up and add “%” symbol after it.

$80.645161 \rightarrow 81\%$

And we have to use some operators to transform this.



Accuracy Box – Rounding up the number

Script:

```
when I receive Accuracy Box
  set Accuracy to round (score / hit * 100)
  show variable Accuracy
  show
  set ghost effect to 20
  go to front layer
```

Motion

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pick random 1 to 10

> 50

< 50

= 50

and

or

not

join apple banana

letter 1 of apple

length of apple

apple contains a ?

mod

round

Let's round this off and make it to integer (number without decimal point).



Accuracy Box – Concatenate with “%”

Script:

ACCURACY

when I receive Accuracy Box

set Accuracy to join round score / hit * 100 %

show variable Accuracy

show

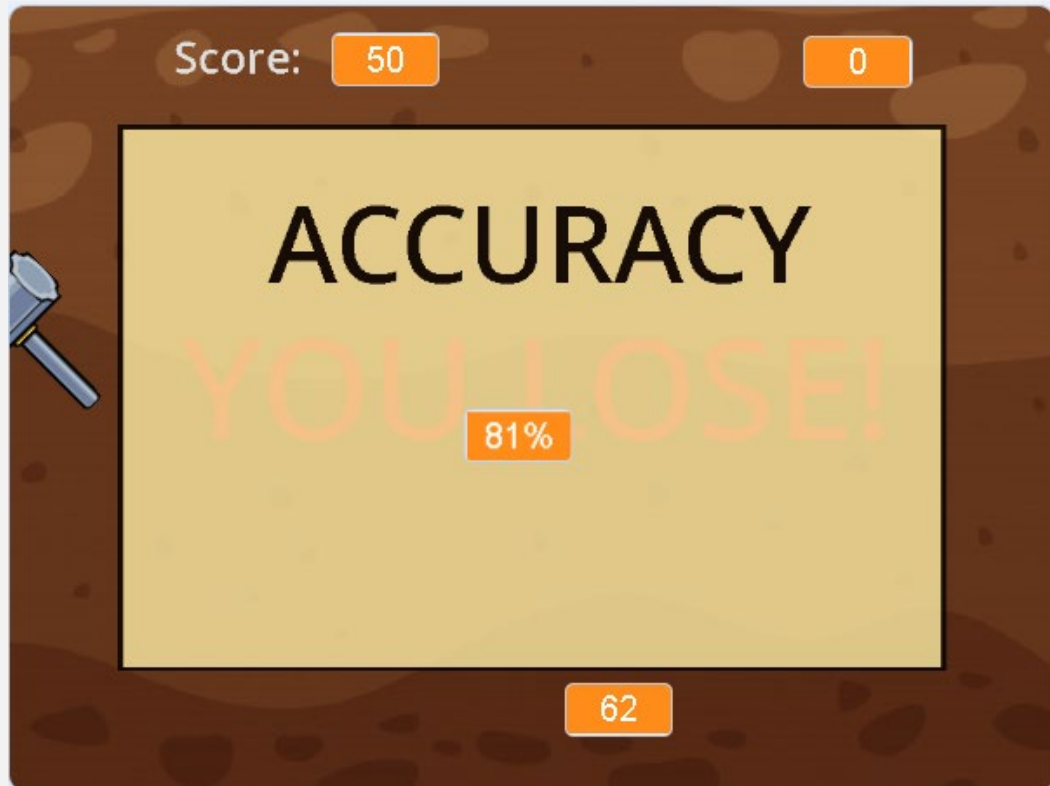
set ghost effect to 20

go to front layer

Let's use the join “_” “_”
to join the accuracy with
a “%” symbol.



Accuracy Box



You will get this outcome when you run the game.



Retry Button

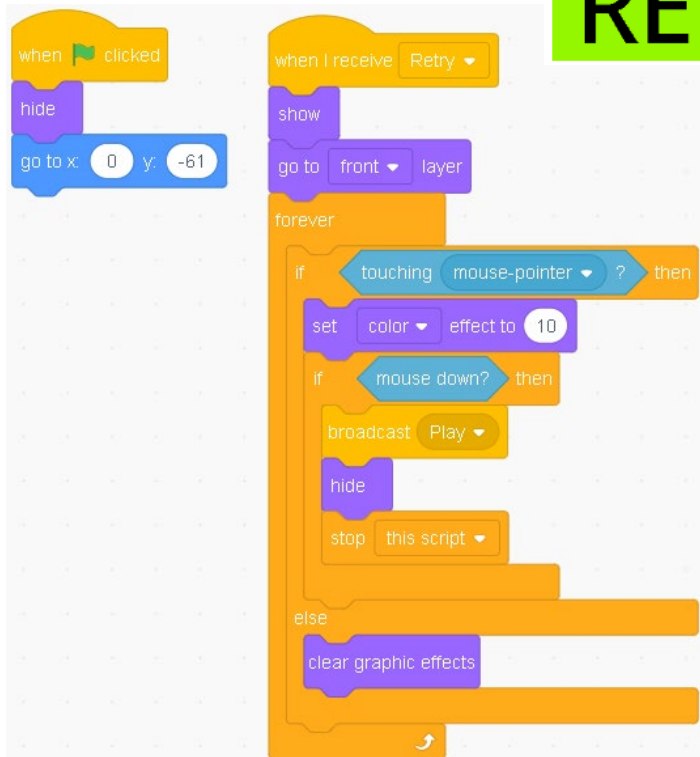


We also want to add a “Retry” button so that when player click this button, it’s going to restart the game.



Retry Button - Script

Script:



RETRY

Just create the Retry button using paint like how we created the “play” button for the menu page.

The script is similar to “Play” button, but it has to has a command to make it go to front.

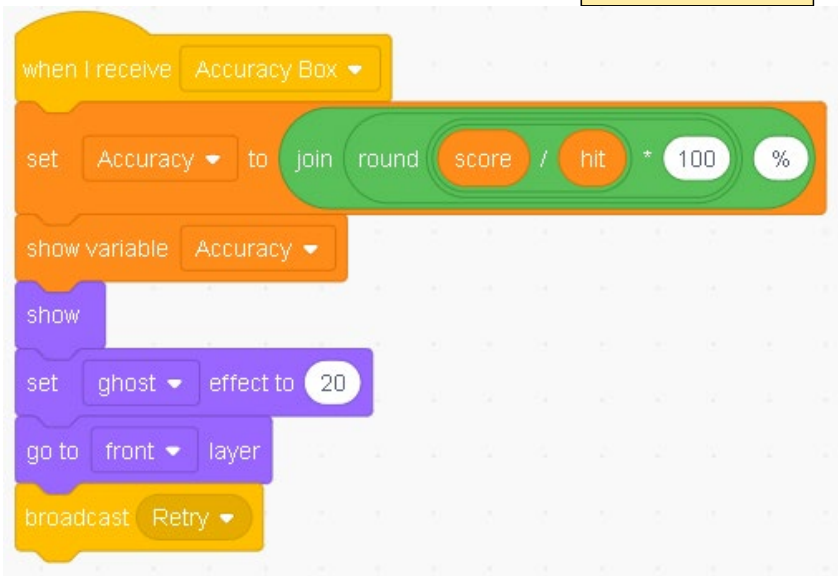
Then we will broadcast “Retry” after the accuracy box came out to call out the “Retry” button.



Accuracy Box – Broadcast Retry

Script:

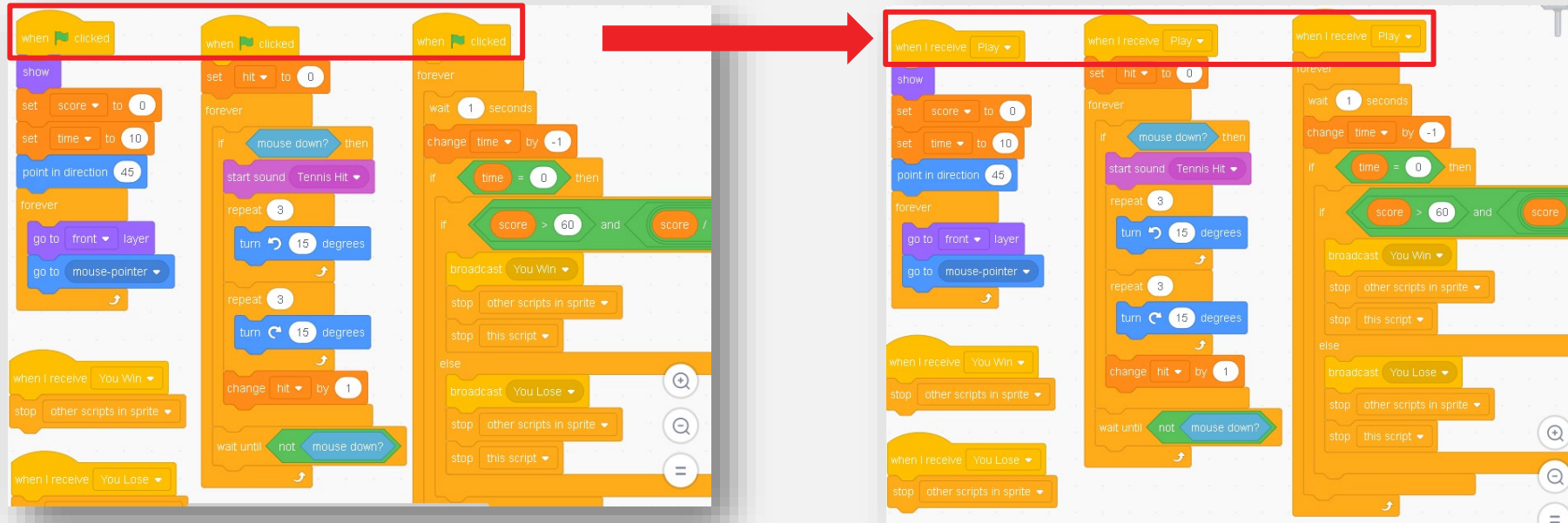
ACCURACY



Broadcast “Retry” at the end of the accuracy box.



Change all “Flag” to “Play” for starting blocks

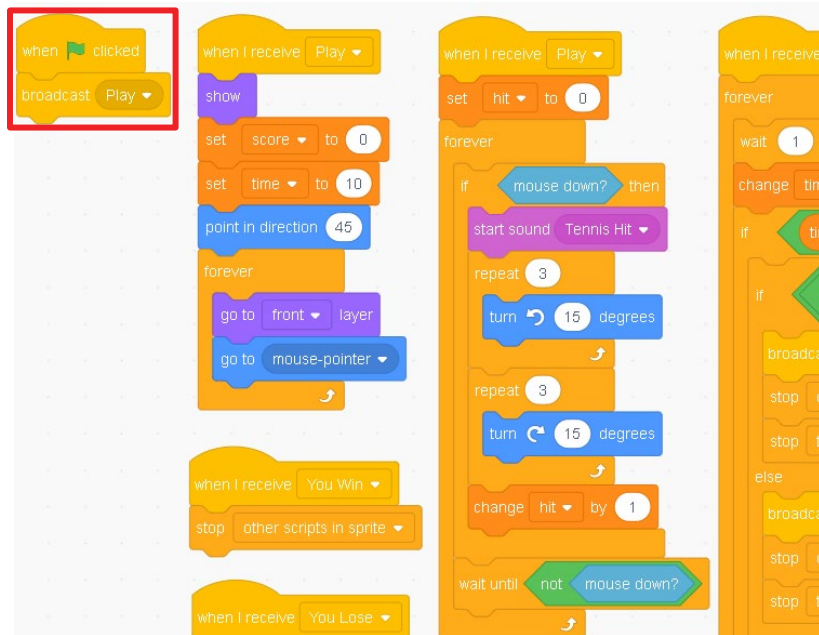


All of your starting blocks that are programmed with “When Flag clicked” should be changed to “When received Play”, including for your Hammer, Holes, Moles, Win & Lose broadcast, title, accuracy box and retry button.



Start with broadcast “Play”

Script:



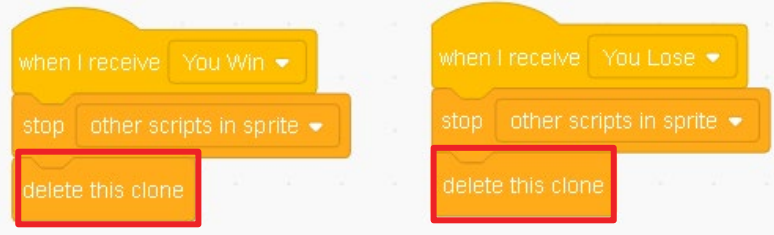
Remember to add 1 “When Flag Clicked”, then broadcast “Play”.

So everything can also restart once you clicked the “Flag”.



Delete the clones once game ended

Script:



As we are going to re-run the game once we click “Retry”, then we should delete all the clones once we received “You Win” or “You Lose”, otherwise you will create too many moles for every time you retry the game, and it will get you into trouble of PC lagging.



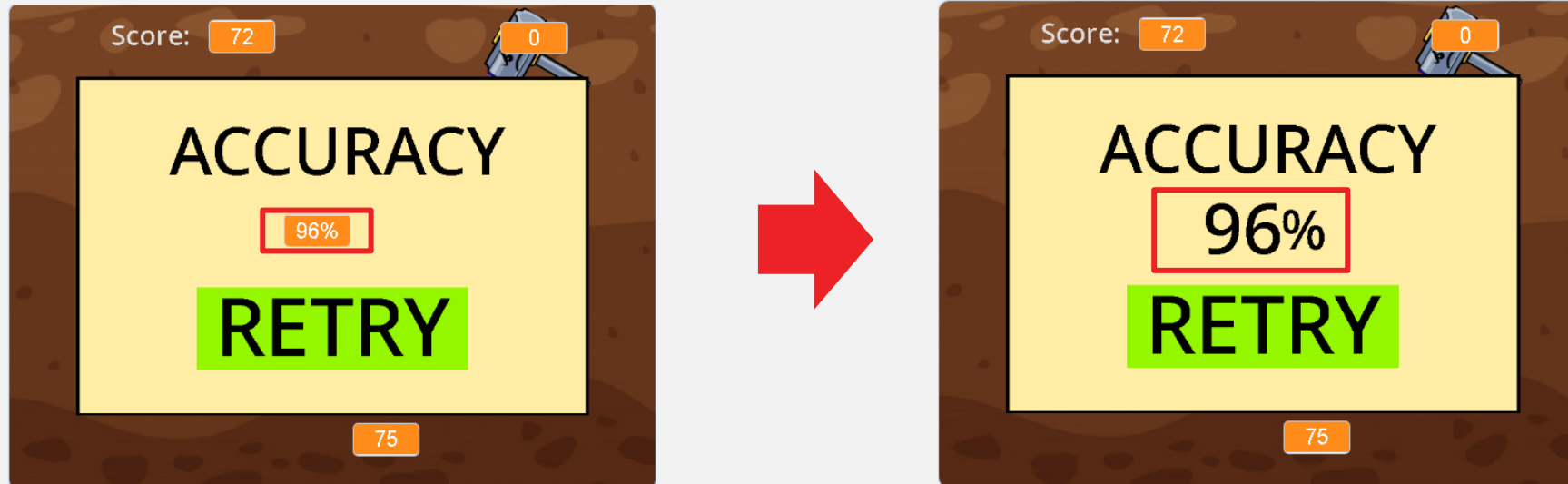
Rerun your game and try to win the game



Once every “When Flag Click” has been changed to “When Receive Play”, then you can rerun the game and try to win the game.



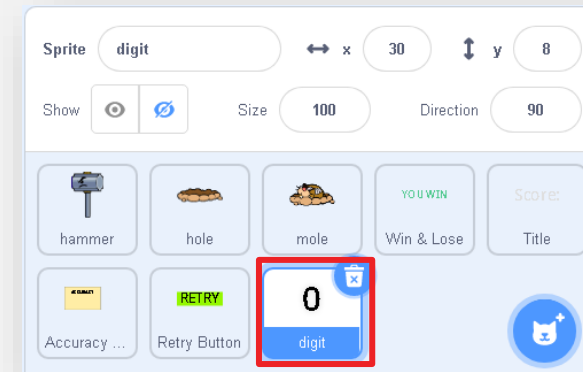
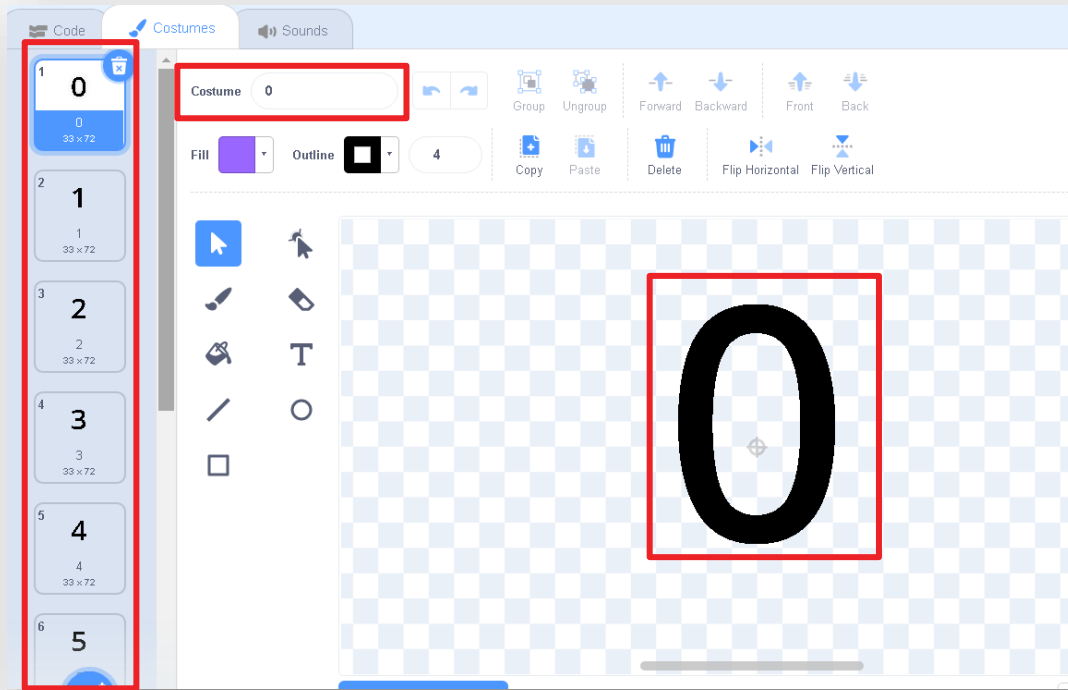
Use our own digit to show the variable



How do we use our customized digit for the accuracy or for the score?



Add new Sprite - Digit



Create a new sprite with paint and add in the costume from 0-9 and a “%” symbol. Then rename the costume to its own name.



Use our own digit to show the variable



Uncheck the accuracy variable to hide it, then adjust the position of the digit slightly to the right side in the middle.



Use our own digit to show the variable



Our digit display should be like left picture, so it has four position (left to right):

1st digit = (-60,8)

2nd digit = (-30,8)

3rd digit = (0,8)

4th digit (%) = (30,8)



Use our own digit to show the variable



Now we want to know when we should display 2 digits, 3 digits or 4 digits.

The possible value we will get in our accuracy is:

0% ~ 9% - 2 digits ("0" & "%")

10% ~ 99% - 3 digits ("1" & "0" & "%")

100% - 4 digits ("1" & "0" & "0" & "%")



Script - Digit

Script:



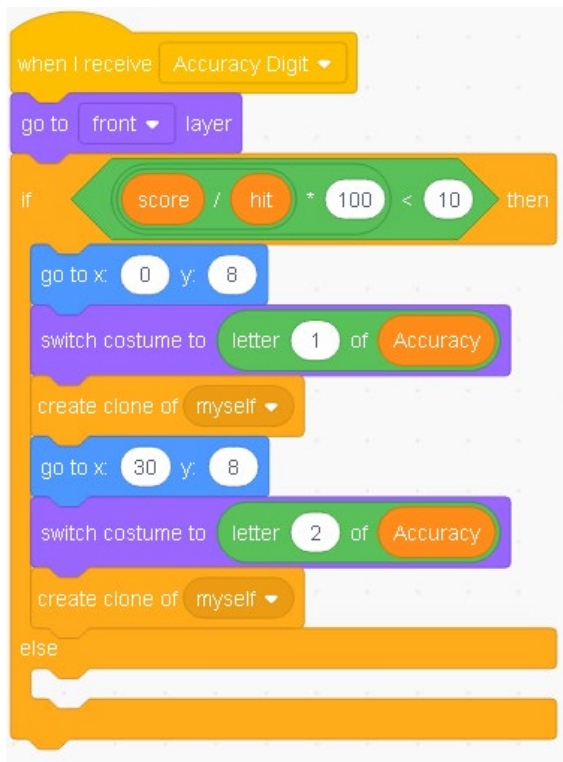
Of course digit will be hidden at the start (when received play).

And it will only show when the clone is created.



Script – Digit If-statement

Script:



0

I will create a new broadcast called “Accuracy Digit”, which will be broadcasted after the accuracy box is created.

Then we need to check how many digit will be used for showing the accuracy.

In previous slide, we know that it will only have 3 possibilities:

2 digits when accuracy < 10%

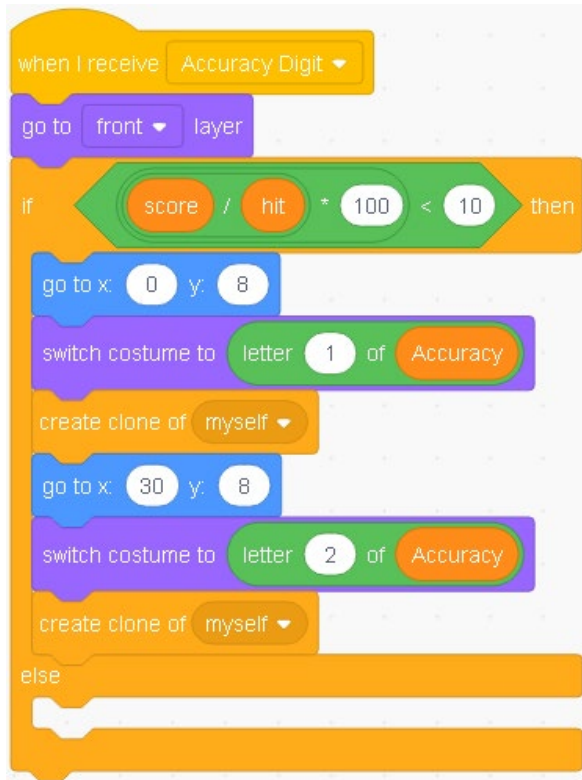
3 digits when accuracy = 10% - 99%

4 digits when accuracy = 100%

Script – Digit If-statement

Script:

0



Now we should give the script to do first checking, if accuracy is <10:

Then I will only show 2 digits at (0,8) and (30, 8).

Before I create 1st clone, I will switch my costume to the first letter of accuracy. Then switch to 2nd letter of my accuracy, then create clone.



Script – Digit If-statement explained



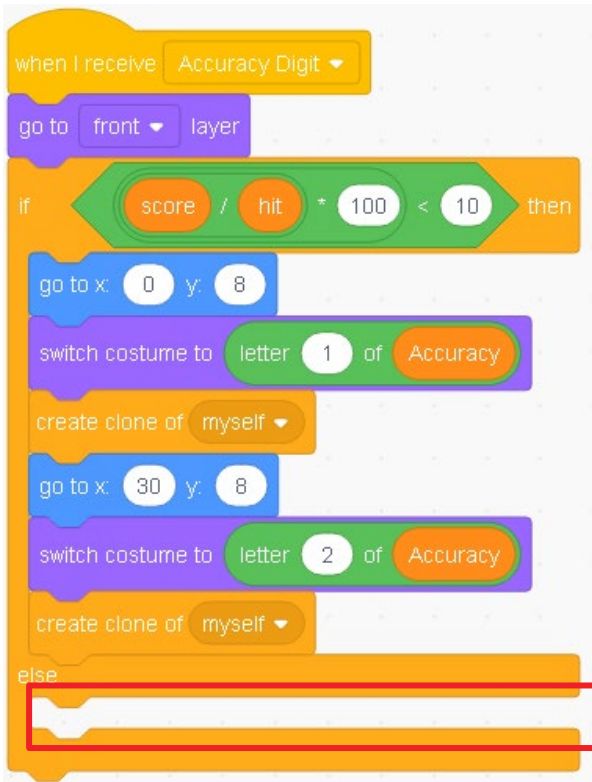
So if the accuracy checking shows it is lower than 10% (e.g, 8%), it will only create 2 clones for showing first letter "8" and 2nd letter "%".



Script – Digit If-statement

Script:

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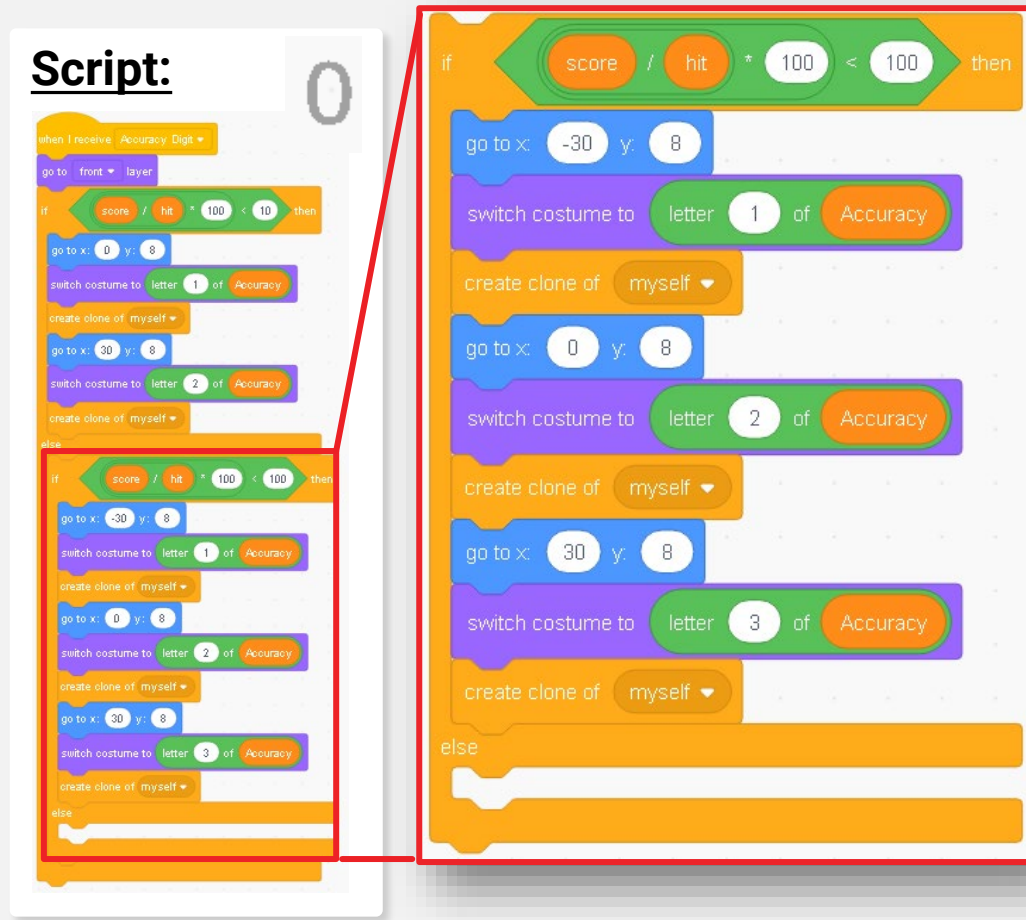


If the score is more than 9%, which is 10% or more, it will skip and go to else to do the 2nd checking.

So we will insert a condition to check if the accuracy is less than 100% to the red black area.



Script – Digit If-statement



So I will add a condition to check if the accuracy is less than 100%.

If yes, it should be fall under 10% - 99%, then we will create 3 clones for showing the accuracy with our digits.



Play the Game



Now you should have a accuracy box which shows your accuracy with customized digits once the game ends.



ASSIGNMENT *for*

Lesson 2-3



L2-3 – Mission

Try to set your Accuracy to digit instead of just using “show variable”.

Can you show your Score at the end of the game too?



You can direct message your teacher and ask your question through [Slack Robotene Community](#) or arrange a [One-to-One Consultation](#) with your teacher.



Any Questions?



Thank you :)