

# Al Extensions: Text to Speech try it (in production)



#### **GREEN**

• Fun, simple, expressive

#### **RED**

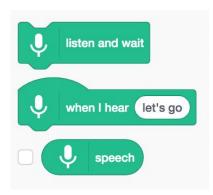
none?

#### **YELLOW**

- Lifelike voice sets high expectations, so may be disappointing if pronunciation or prosody is not what you expect
- Speaks many languages (23), but this is only about half of all languages supported by Scratch

## Al Extensions: Speech to Text cloud prototype (not working), local prototype

## Cloud version



## Local version



#### **GREEN**

Speech recognition is fun and magical

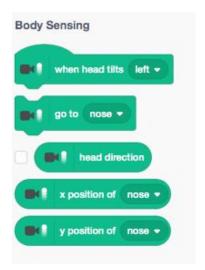
## **RED**

- Cloud version is super expensive, and there are privacy concerns
- Local version is English-only, and creating data sets in other languages is a major effort

#### **YELLOW**

 Does a small set of speech commands (local version) open up enough creative possibilities?

# Al Extensions: Body Sensing prototype













#### **GREEN**

- Great creative play!
- Simple

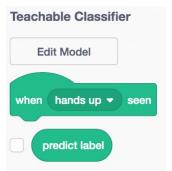
## **RED**

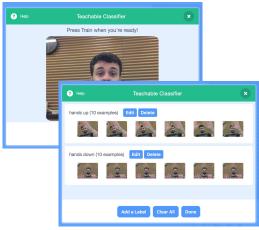
- Confused by multiple people
- Algorithmic Bias?
- Should be face only?

#### **YELLOW**

- More hat blocks?
  - Mouth opened/closed
  - Eyes opened/closed
- What to do about multiple people?

## Al Extensions Teachable Classifier prototype









#### **GREEN**

- Great creative play
- Learn about machine learning by training it!

### **RED**

- Algorithmic bias?
- Complicated to use
- Complicated to support
- No default behavior
- Probably not reusable or shareable

#### **YELLOW**

- Can we make it reusable? Shareable?
- Understandable?
- Should we add training using blocks?