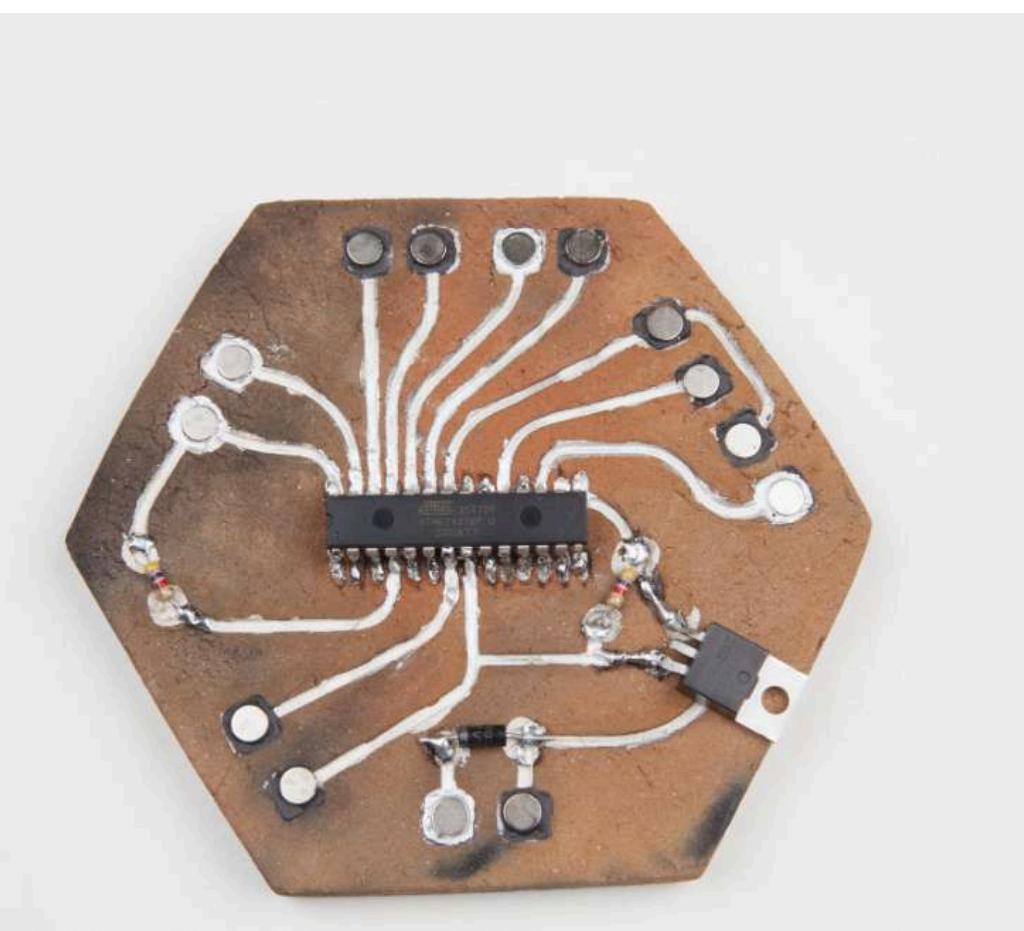
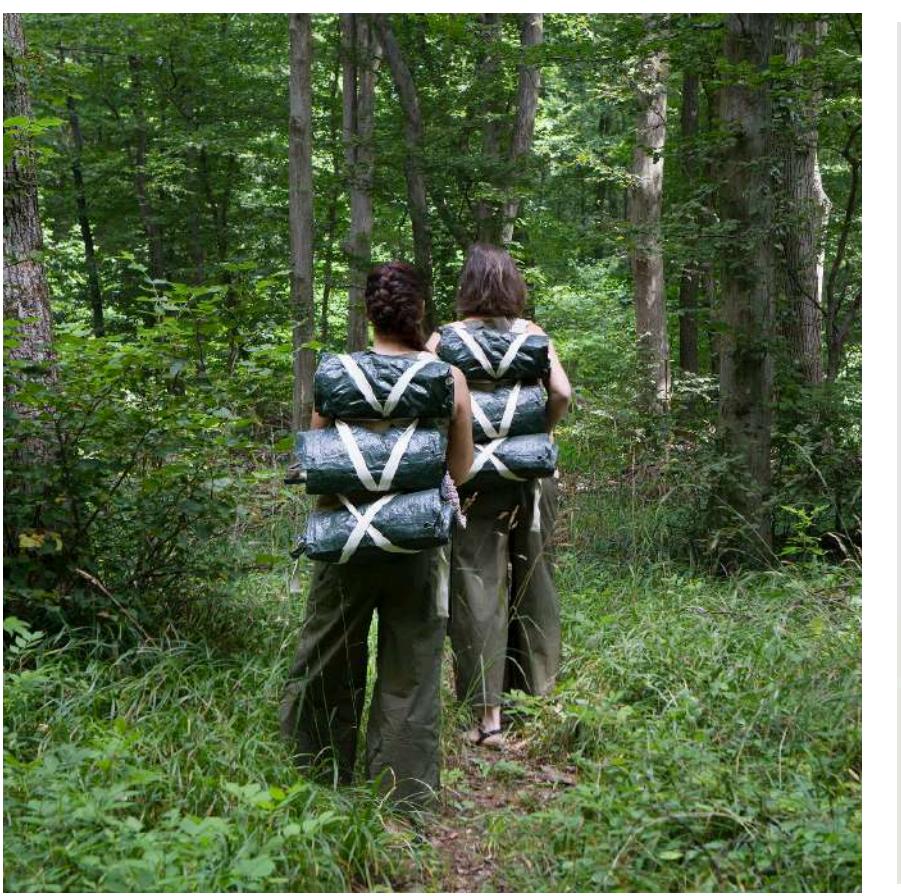
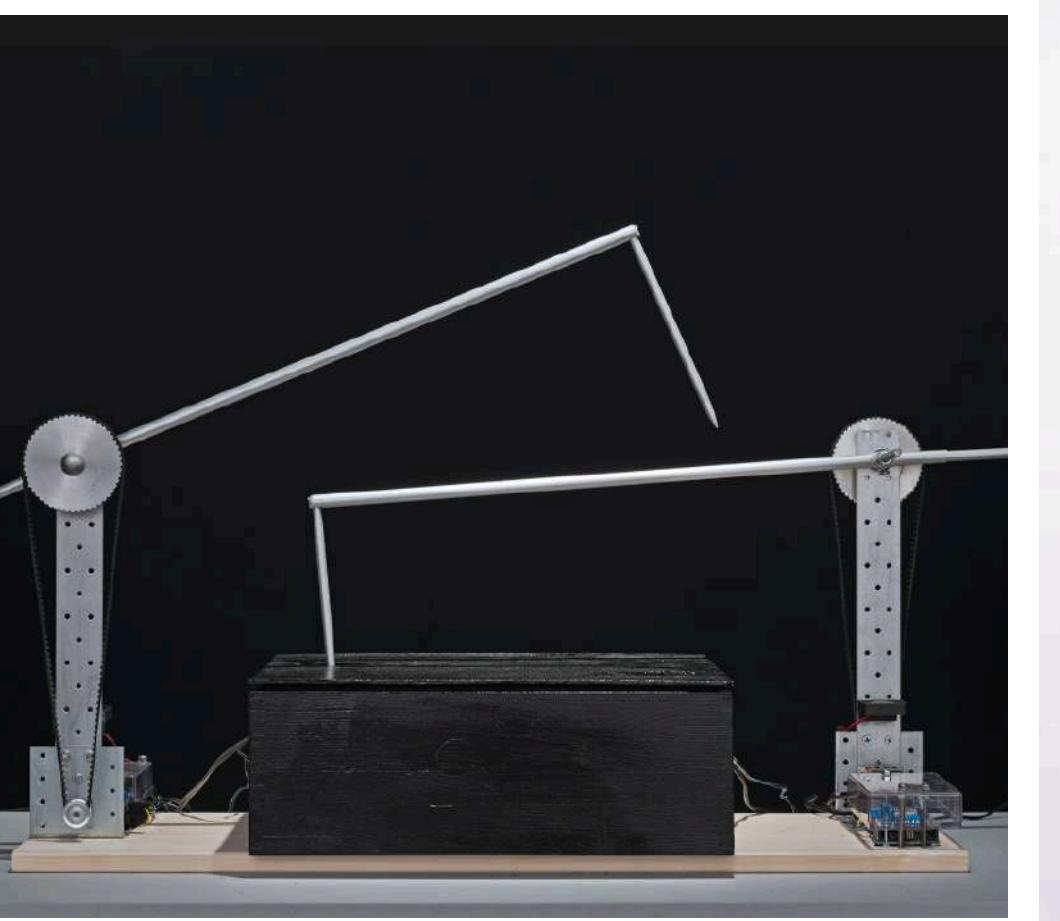
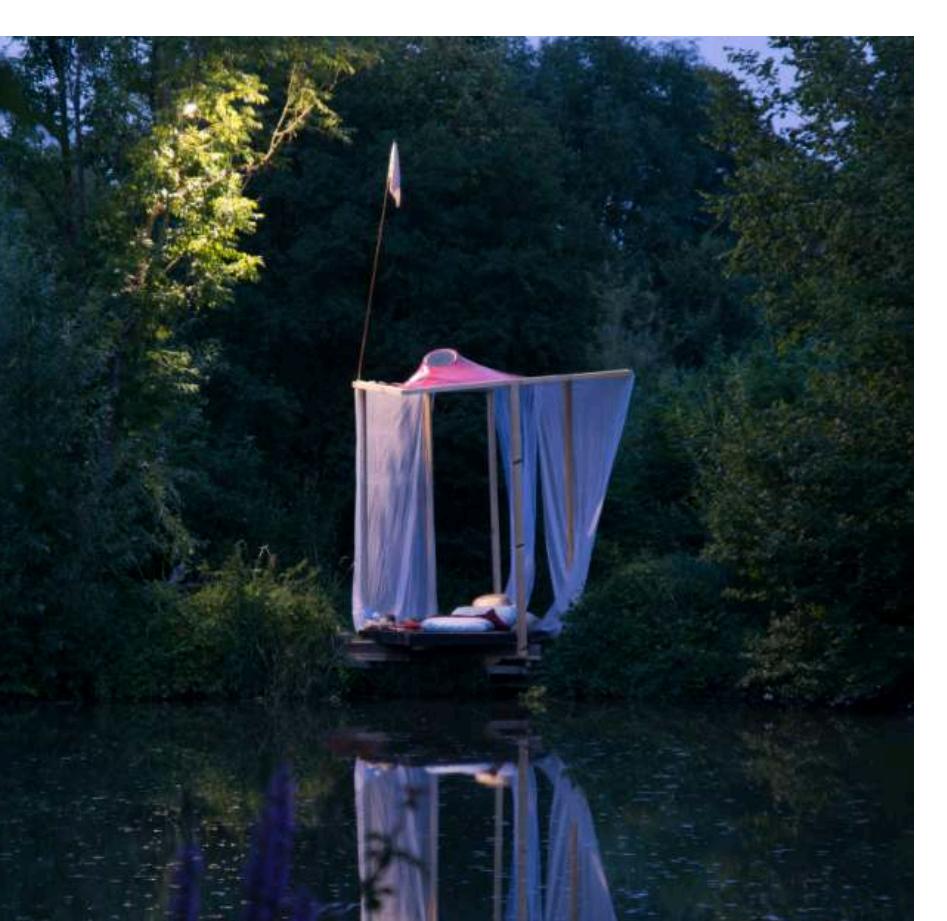
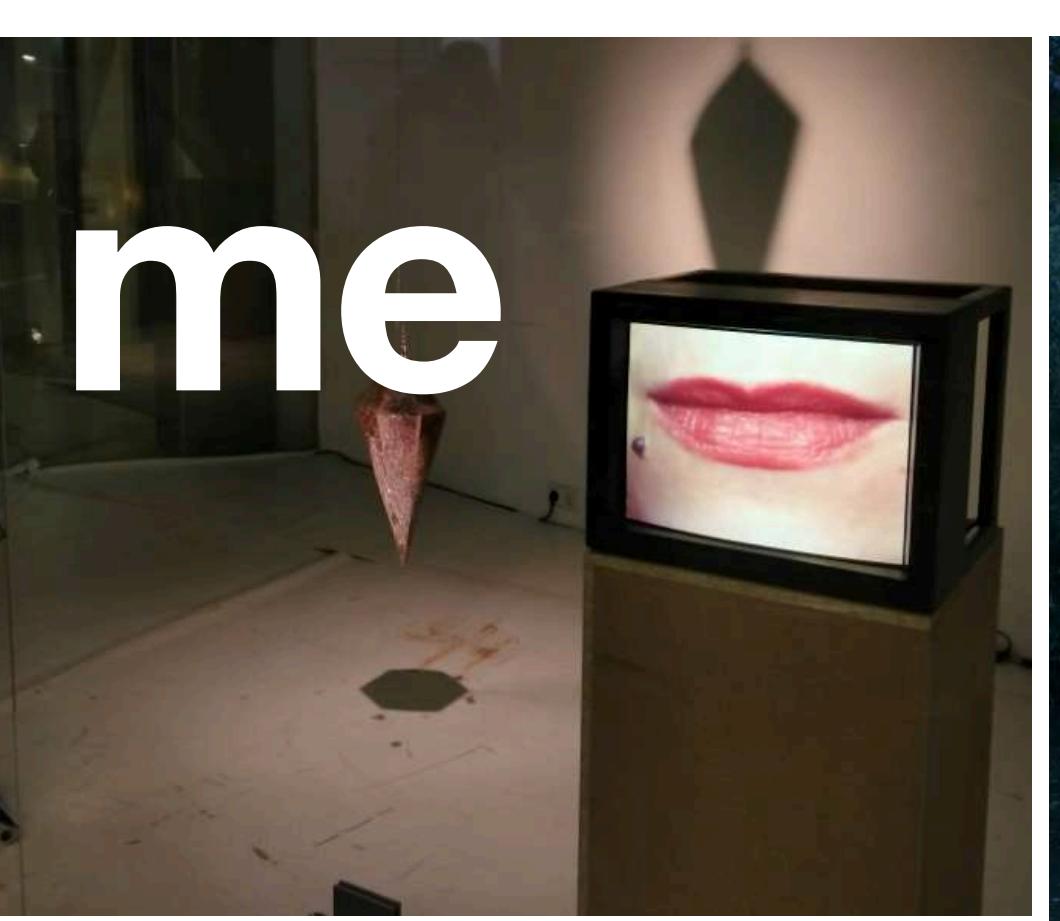


# **Tactile Agency**

## **Rethinking Consent through Embodied AI Prototyping**

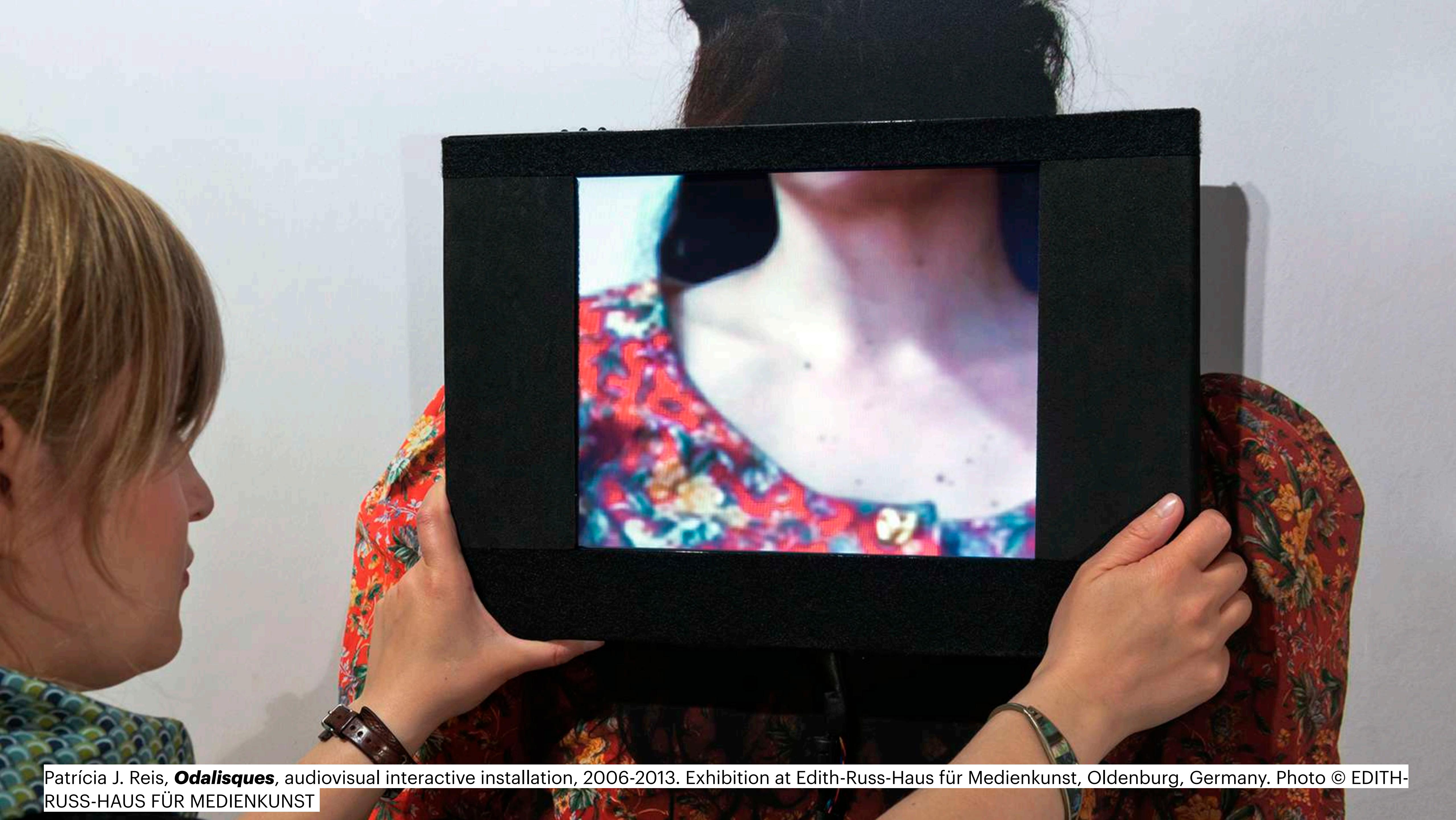
**Patrícia J. Reis**  
**7.6.25 | 13:00-18:00**

**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 reimagined 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.**





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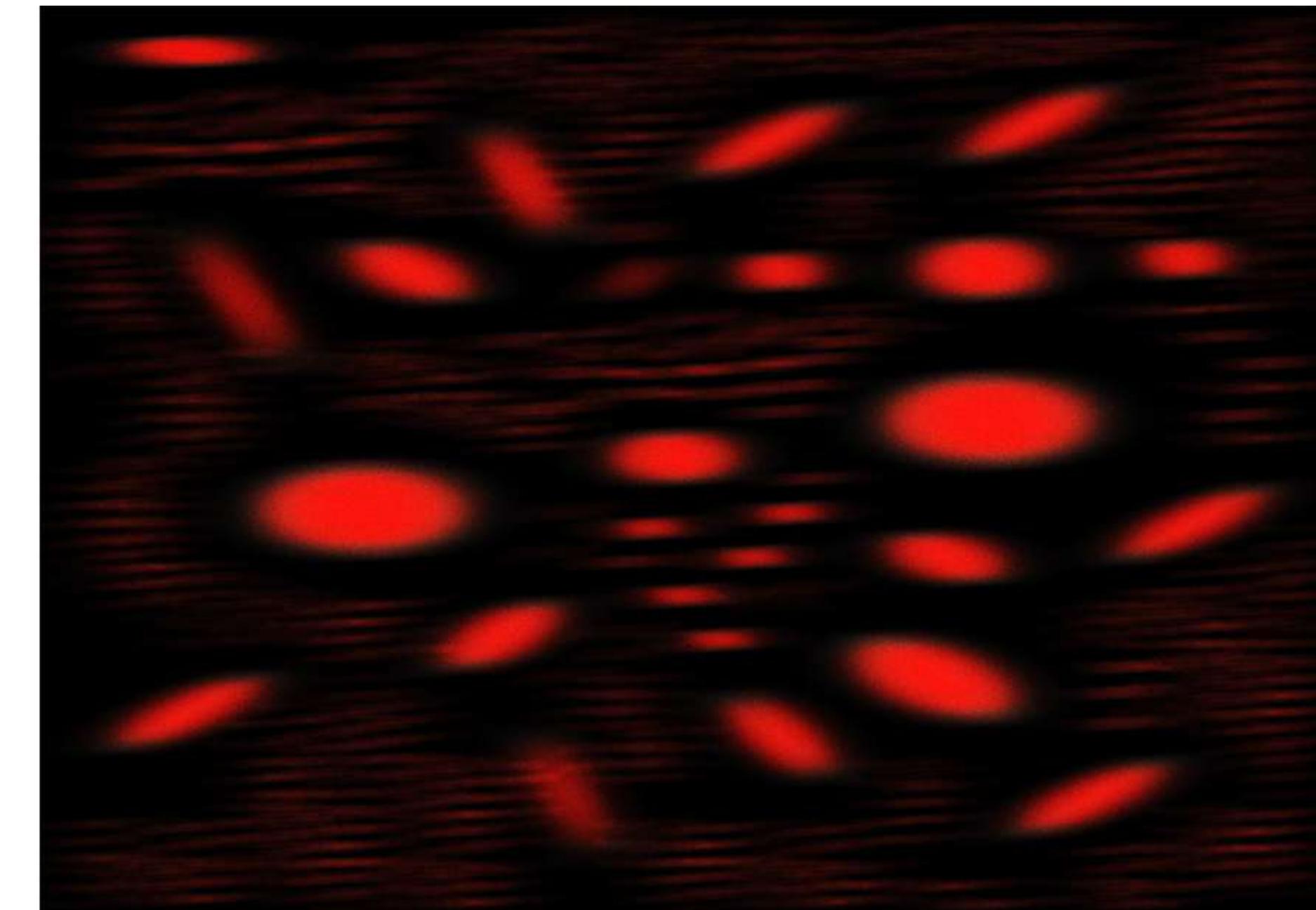
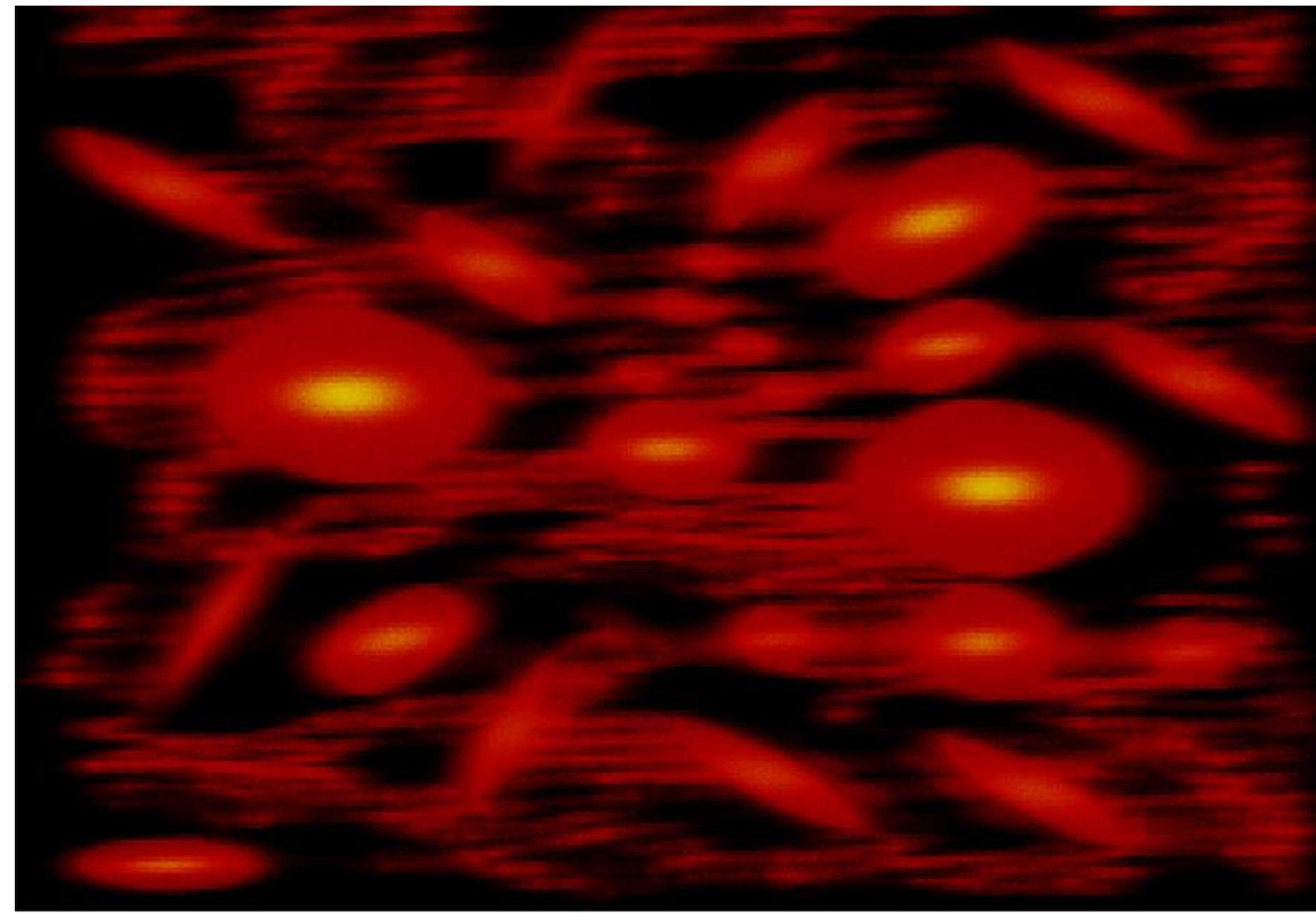


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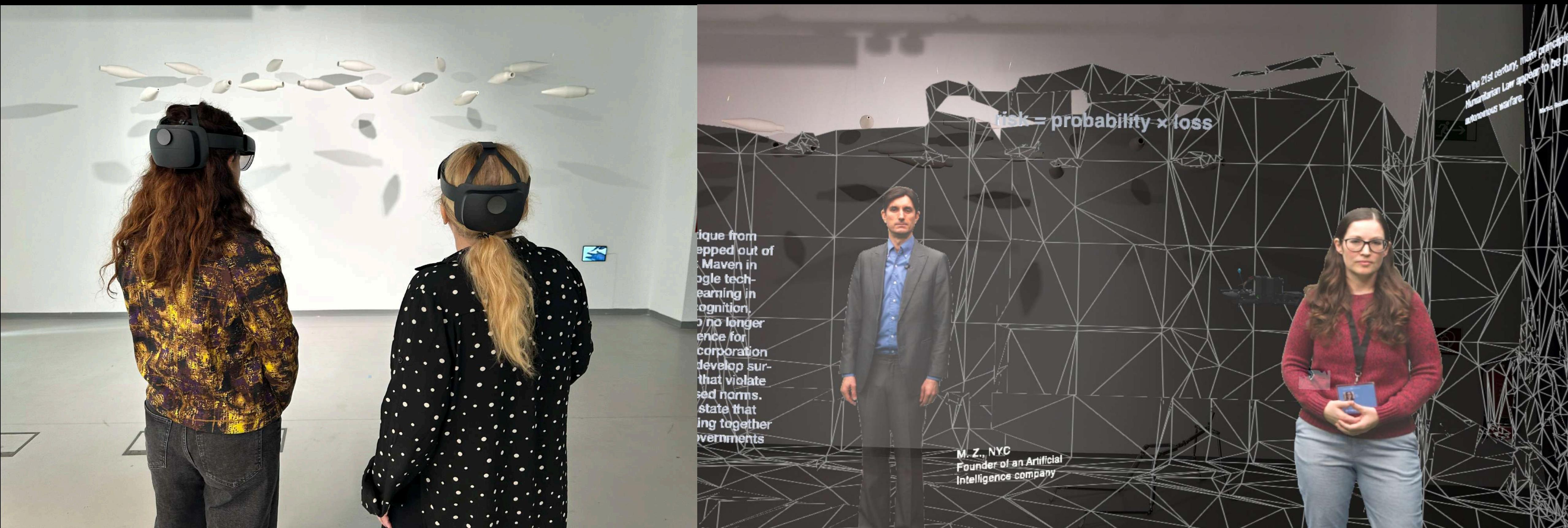
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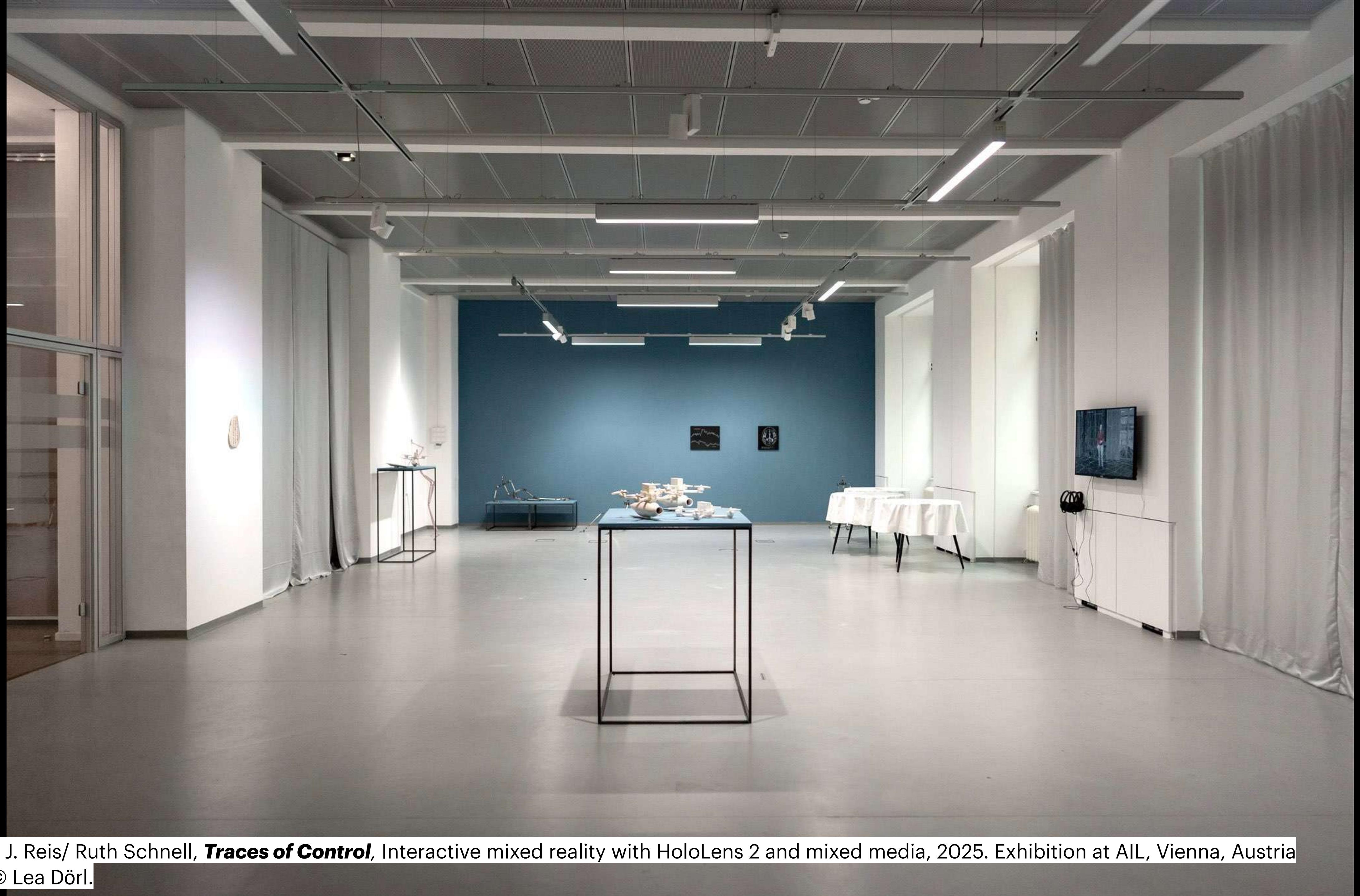
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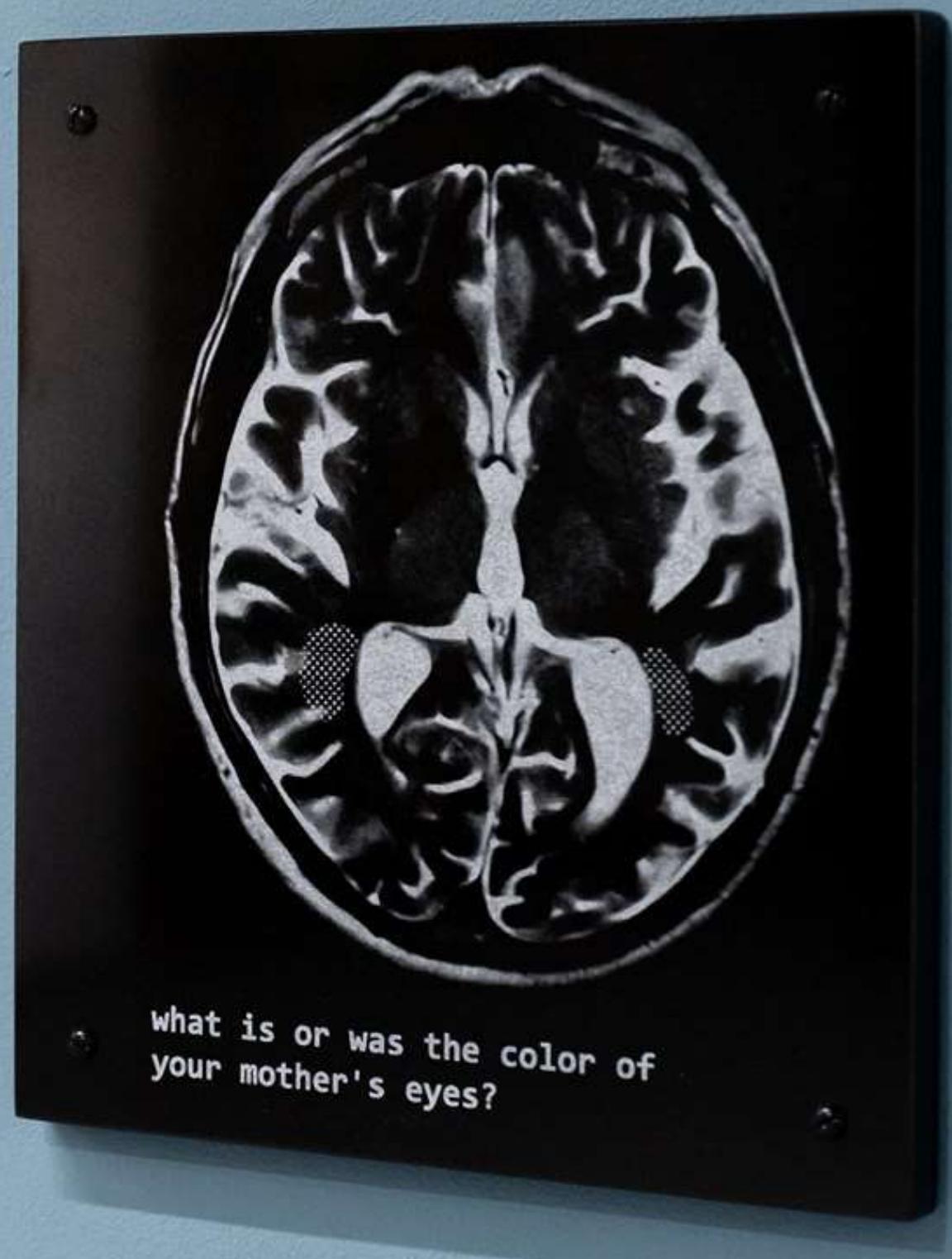
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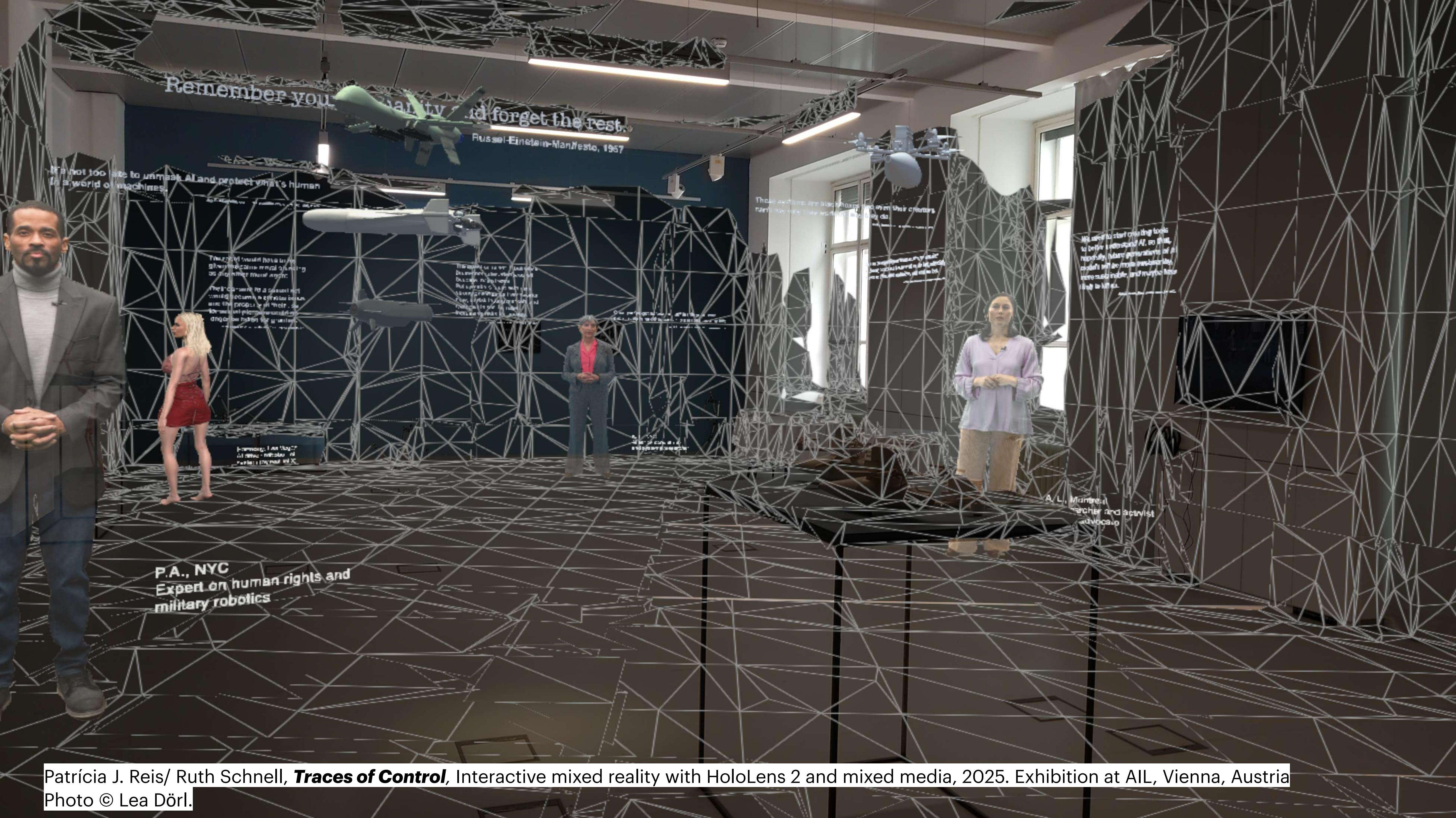
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# Harmony, The First AI Sex Robot



HARMONY  
Sex Robot With Ai

# Harmony<sup>x</sup>



2 Reviews

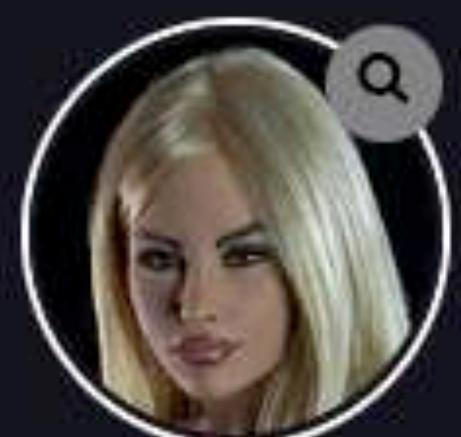


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## FEMALE FACE



Harmony<sup>x</sup>

## BODY & FACE



Full Body  
\$4,000.00



Head Only

harmony-x-featured



# Nomi.AI

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# 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 humanoids?**

**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 Nominate 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 roots?,  
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

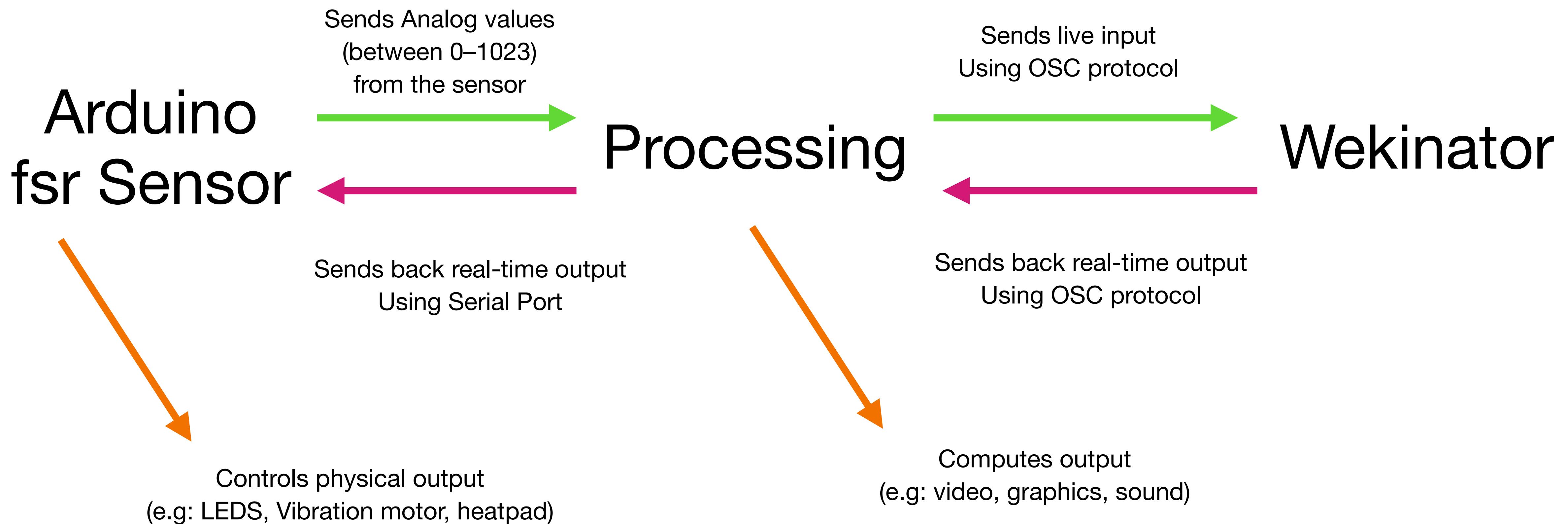
# **Hardware**

- 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**

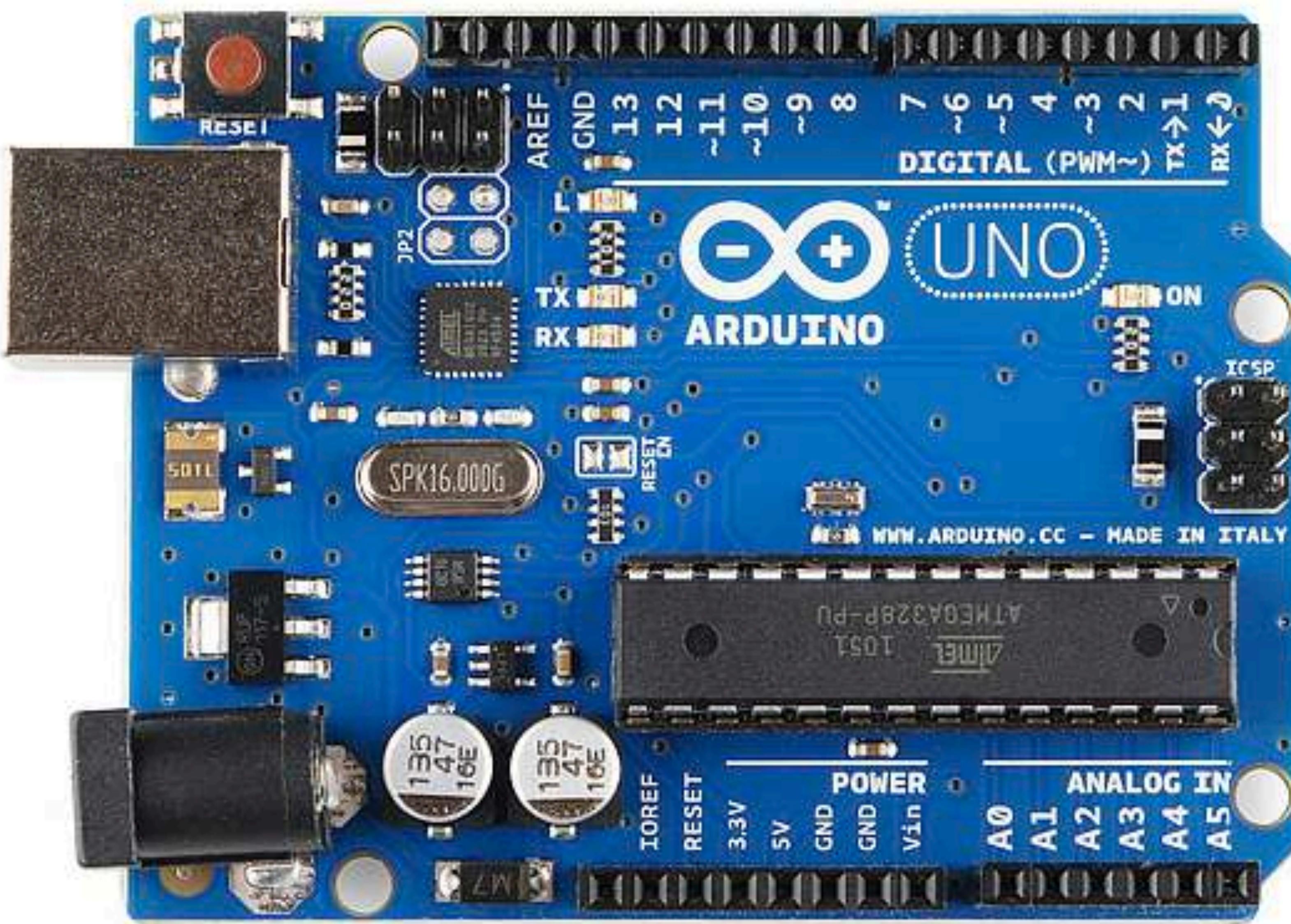
# workflow



# 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](http://www.arduino.cc)

# Arduino



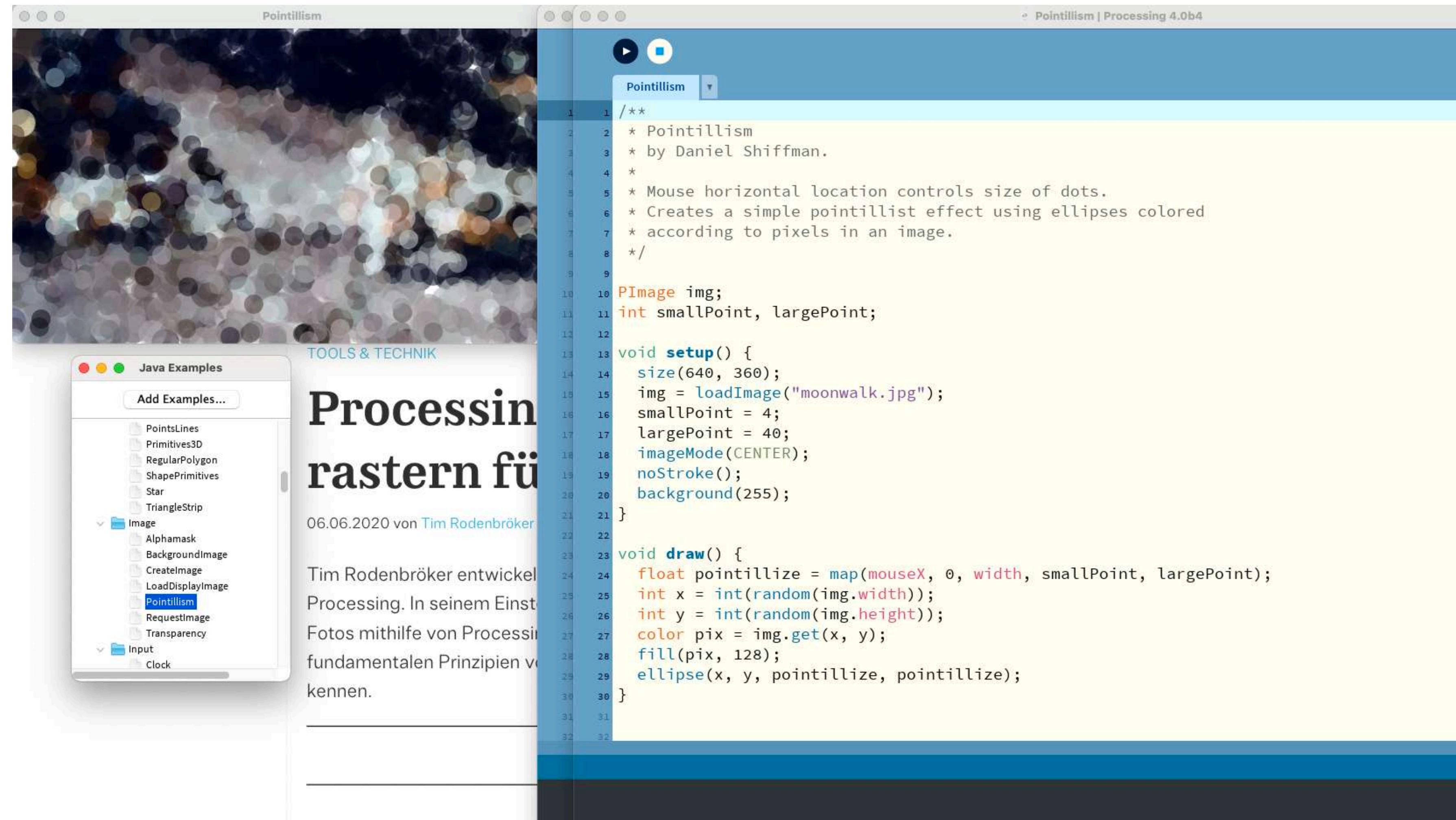
# Processing

**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 screenshot shows the Processing IDE interface. On the left, the Java Examples browser lists various examples like PointsLines, Primitives3D, and Pointillism. The main window displays a pointillism effect where a grayscale image of Michael Jackson's moonwalk is recreated using colored ellipses of varying sizes based on the mouse position. The code editor on the right contains the PImage-based Pointillism sketch.

```
Pointillism | Processing 4.0b4
```

```
Pointillism
```

```
/*  
 * Pointillism  
 * by Daniel Shiffman.  
 *  
 * Mouse horizontal location controls size of dots.  
 * Creates a simple pointillist effect using ellipses colored  
 * according to pixels in an image.  
 */  
  
PImage img;  
int smallPoint, largePoint;  
  
void setup() {  
    size(640, 360);  
    img = loadImage("moonwalk.jpg");  
    smallPoint = 4;  
    largePoint = 40;  
    imageMode(CENTER);  
    noStroke();  
    background(255);  
}  
  
void draw() {  
    float pointillize = map(mouseX, 0, width, smallPoint, largePoint);  
    int x = int(random(img.width));  
    int y = int(random(img.height));  
    color pix = img.get(x, y);  
    fill(pix, 128);  
    ellipse(x, y, pointillize, pointillize);  
}
```

TOOLS & TECHNIK

## Processing rastern für

06.06.2020 von Tim Rodenbröker

Tim Rodenbröker entwickelte Processing. In seinem Einstieg zeigt er Fotos mithilfe von Processing mit den fundamentalen Prinzipien von Rastergrafiken zu kennen.

# 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.

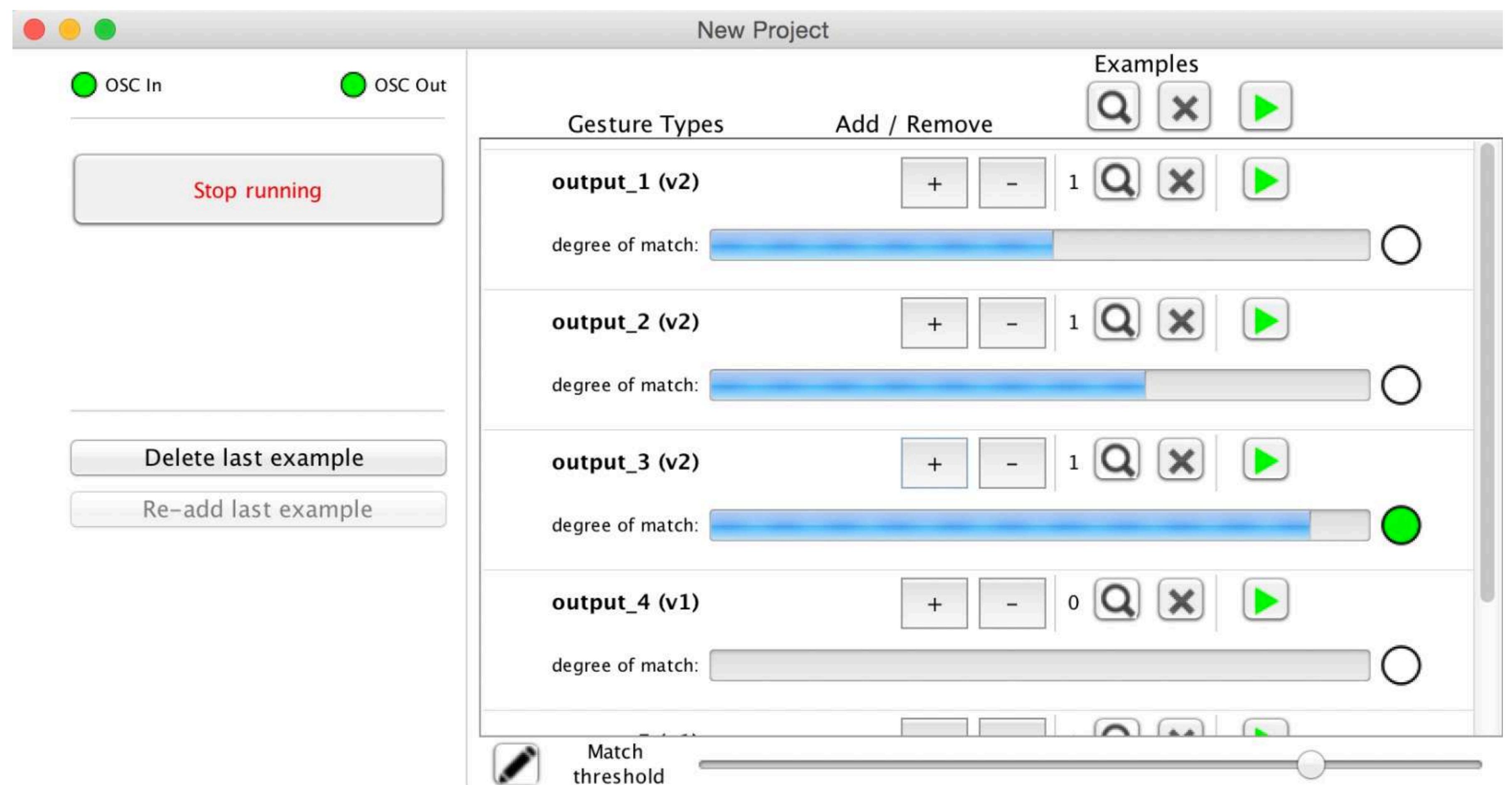
The Wekinator allows users to build new interactive systems by demonstrating human actions and computer responses, instead of writing programming code.

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

# Wekinator

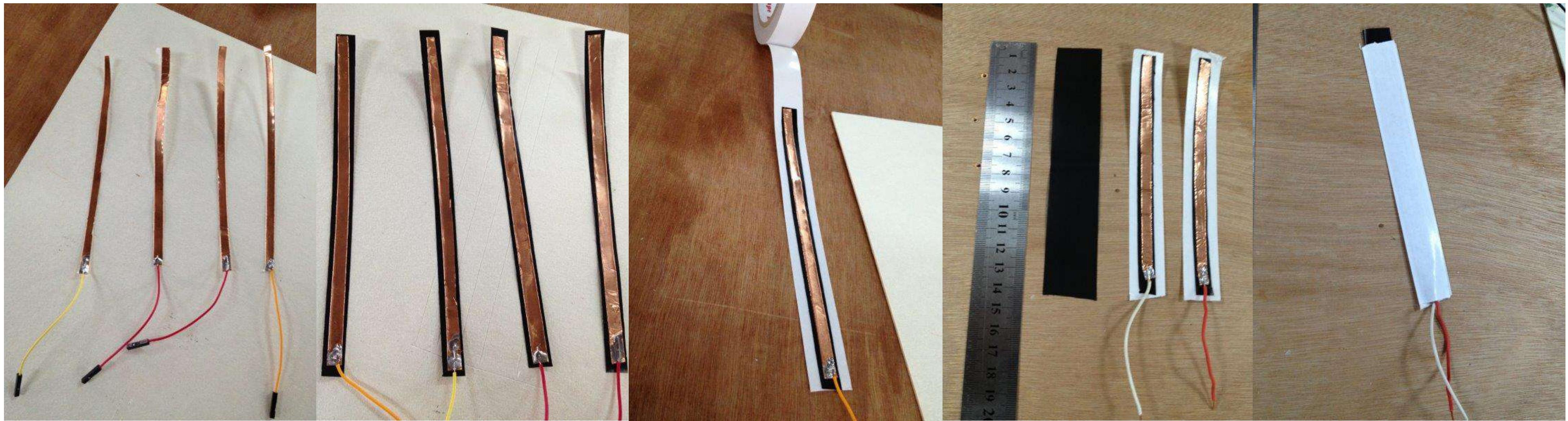
**Wekinator is not built on a large language model! It's a toolkit for real-time “interactive machine learning” that uses algorithms like k-Nearest Neighbors, support vector machines, neural nets, and Dynamic Time Warping for classification/regression of sensor data. It ingests numeric inputs (e.g. from 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



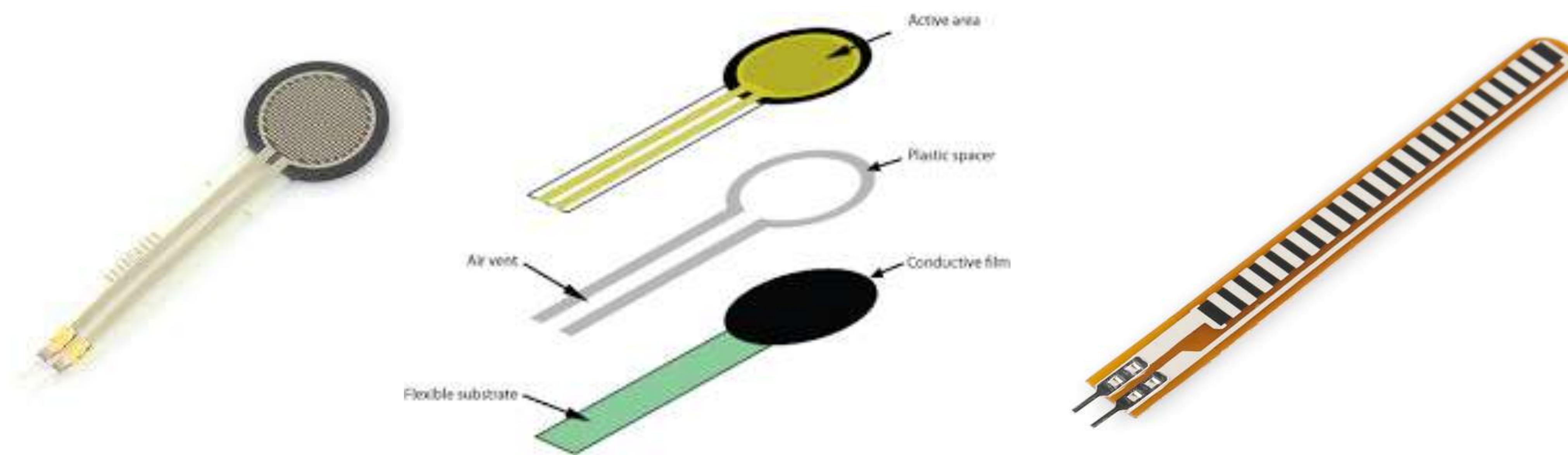
Status: Example added for gesture 2

# 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.

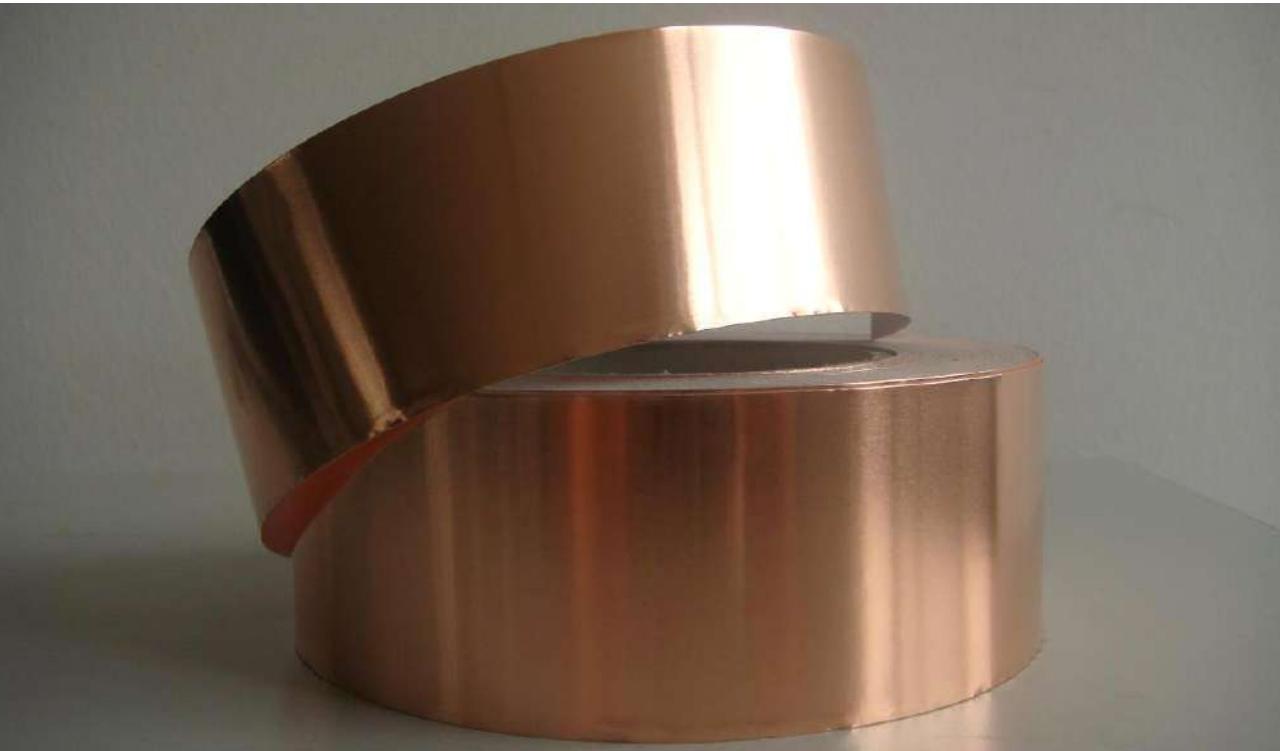


## **Velostat**

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 back, 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 :).

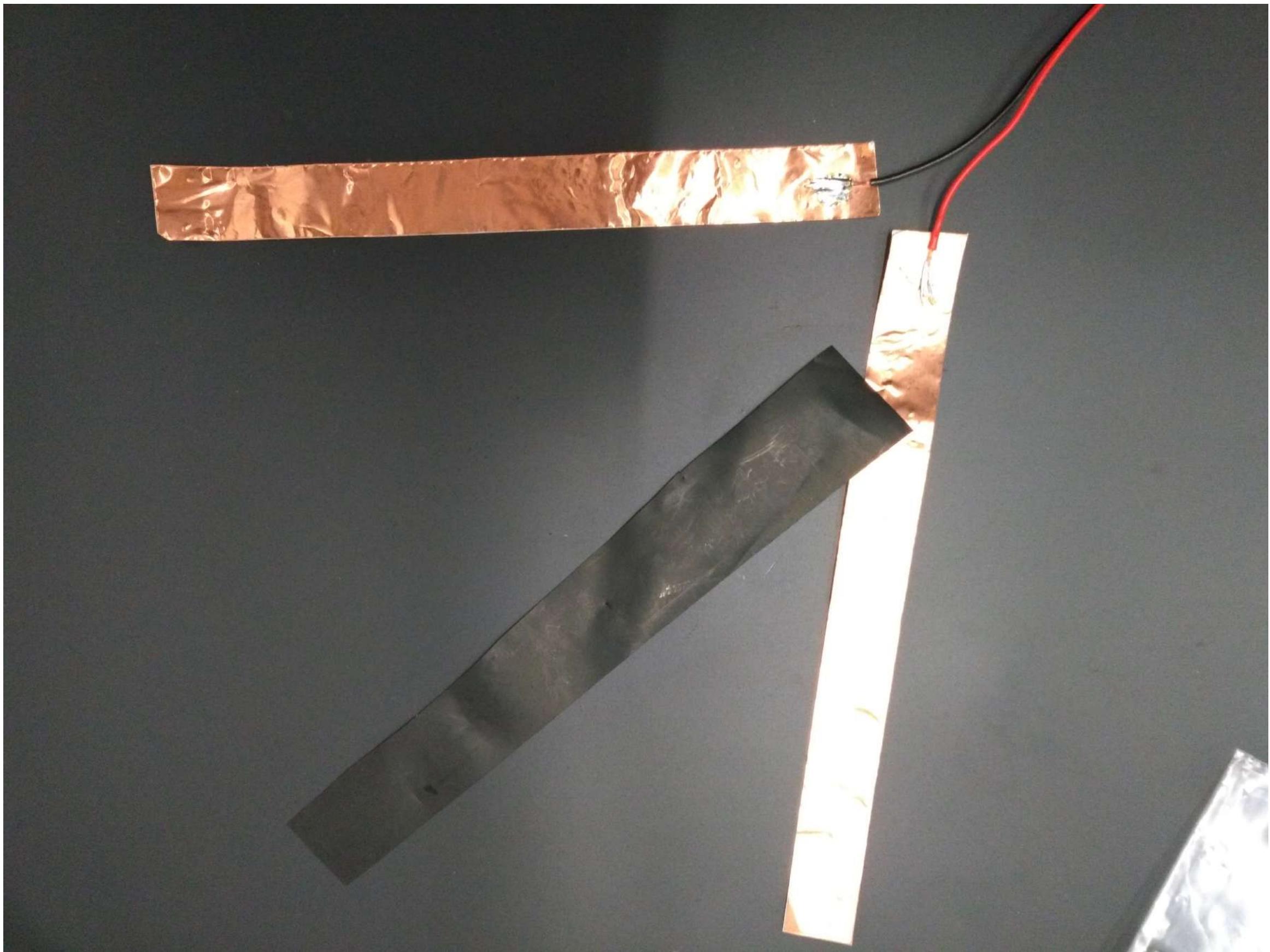


## DIY Electric conductive materials



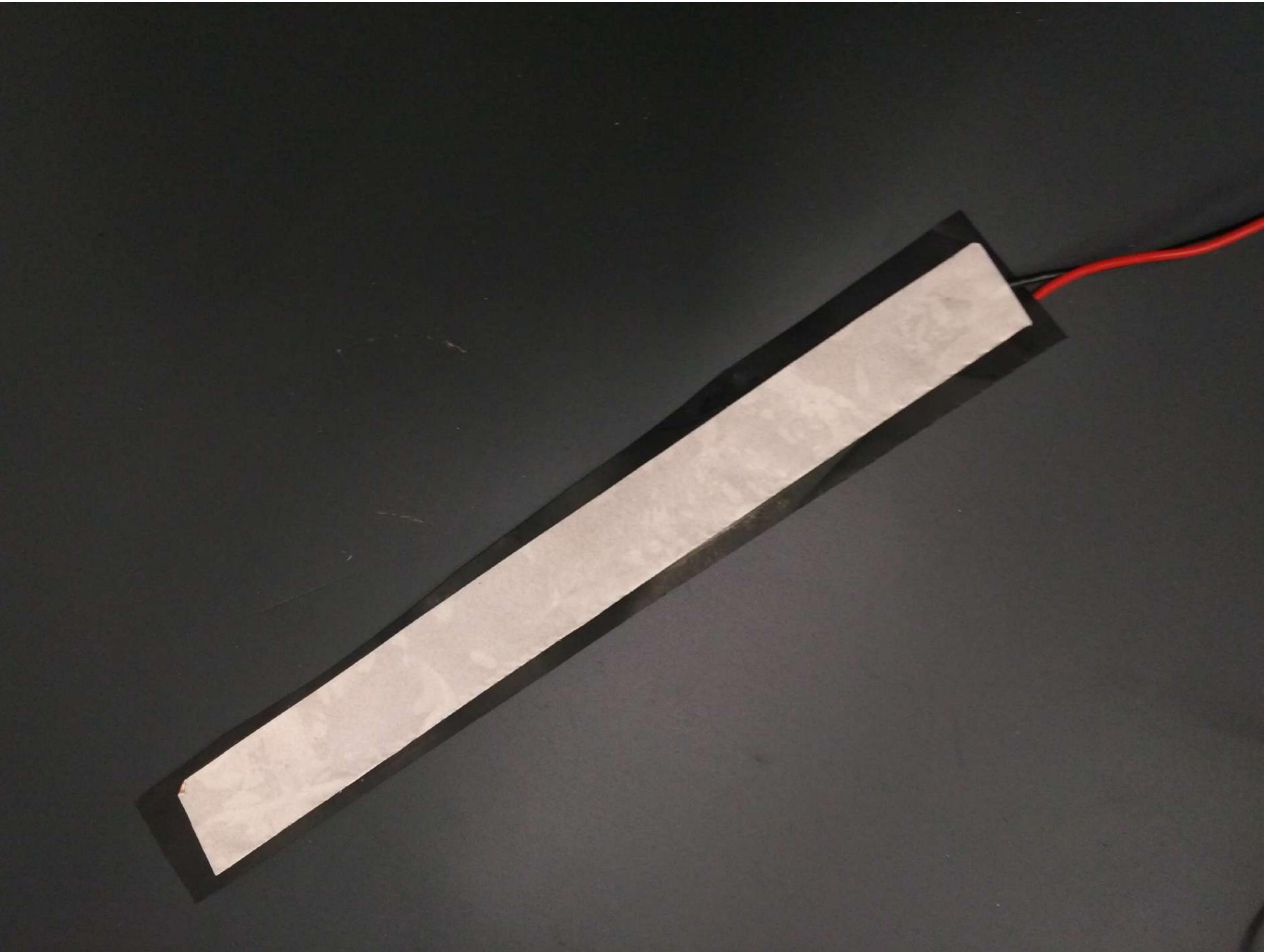
## **STEP\_BY\_STEP**

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



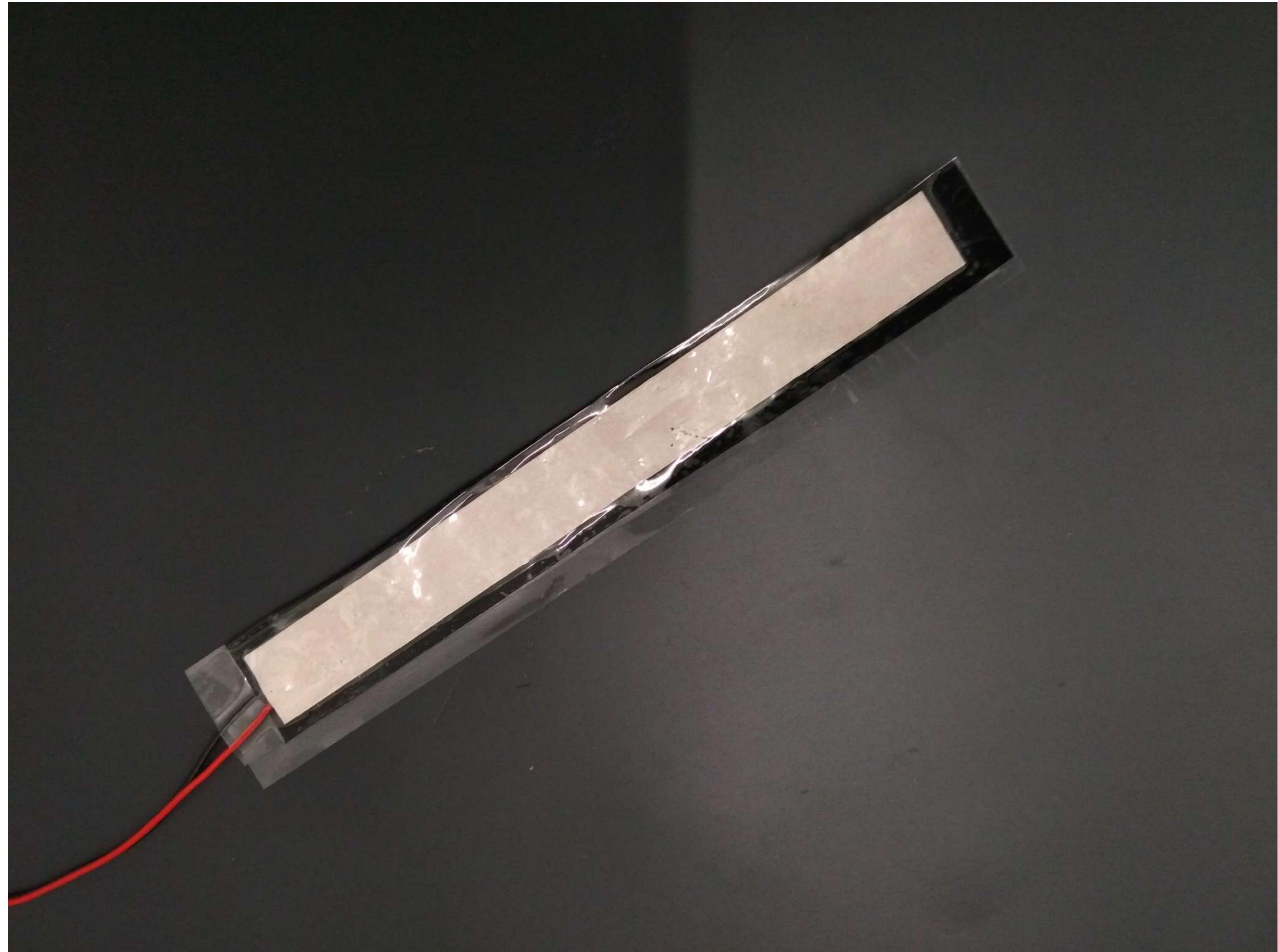
## **STEP\_BY\_STEP**

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



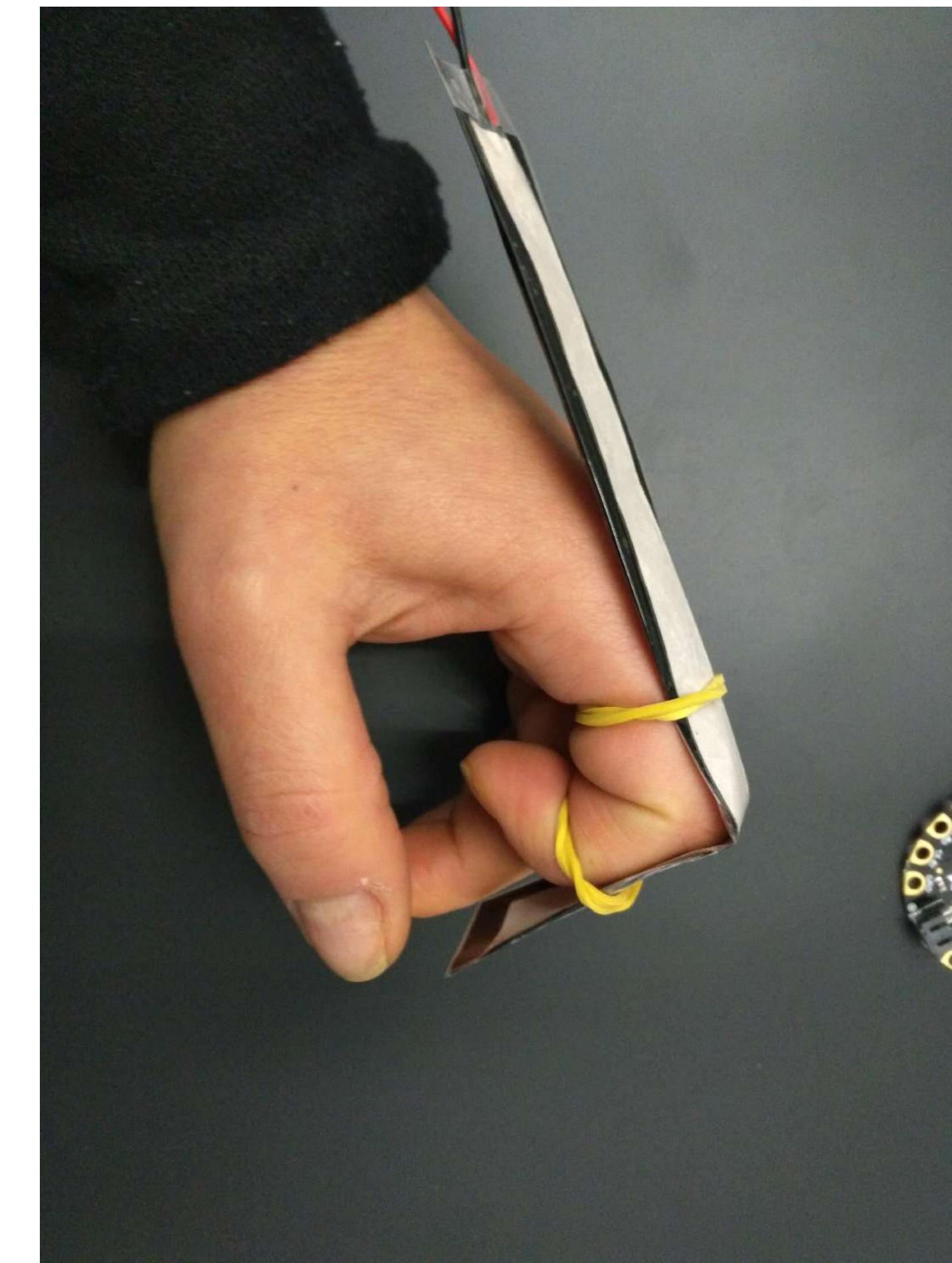
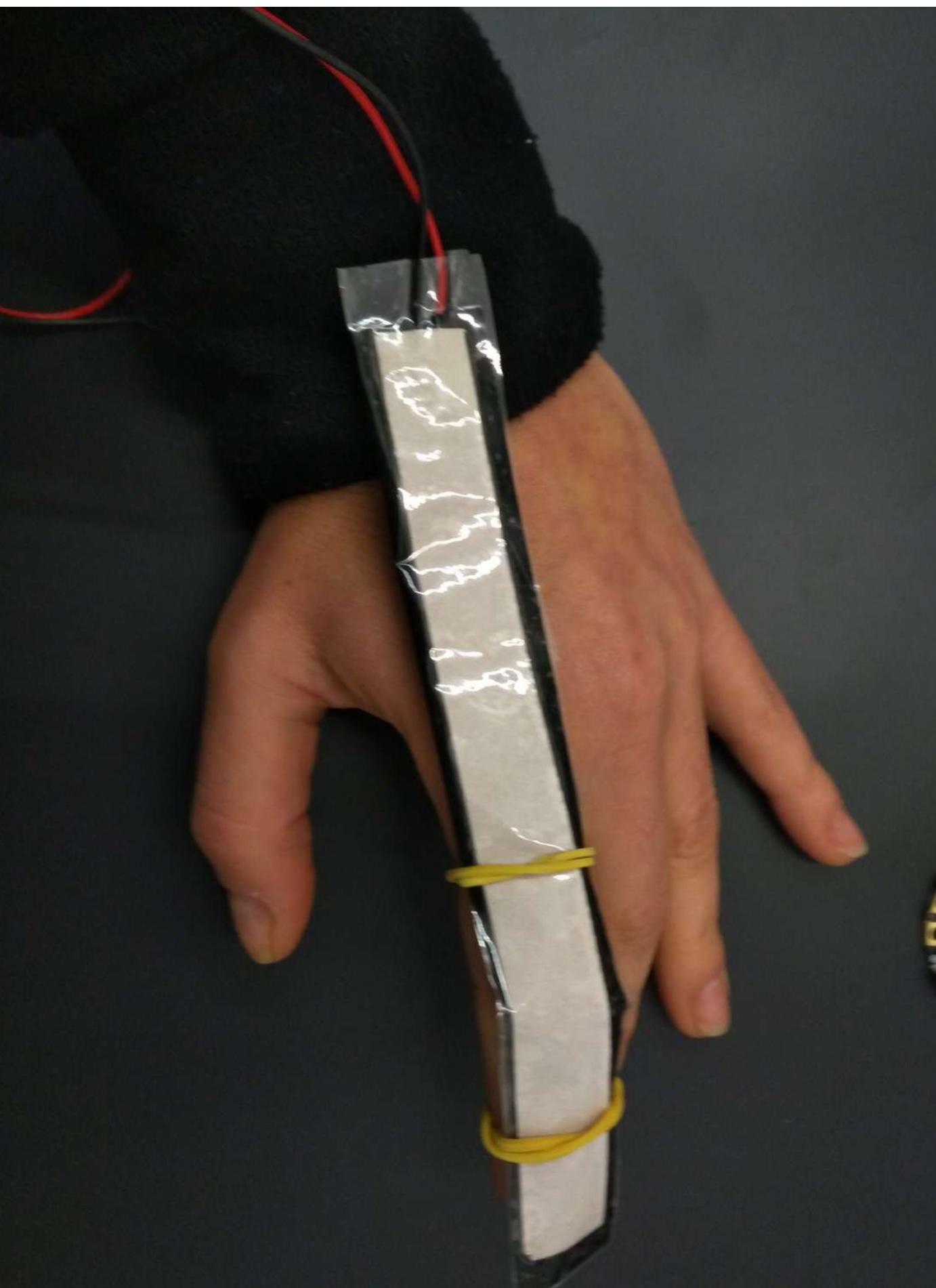
## **STEP\_BY\_STEP**

3- Protect the sensor with tape!

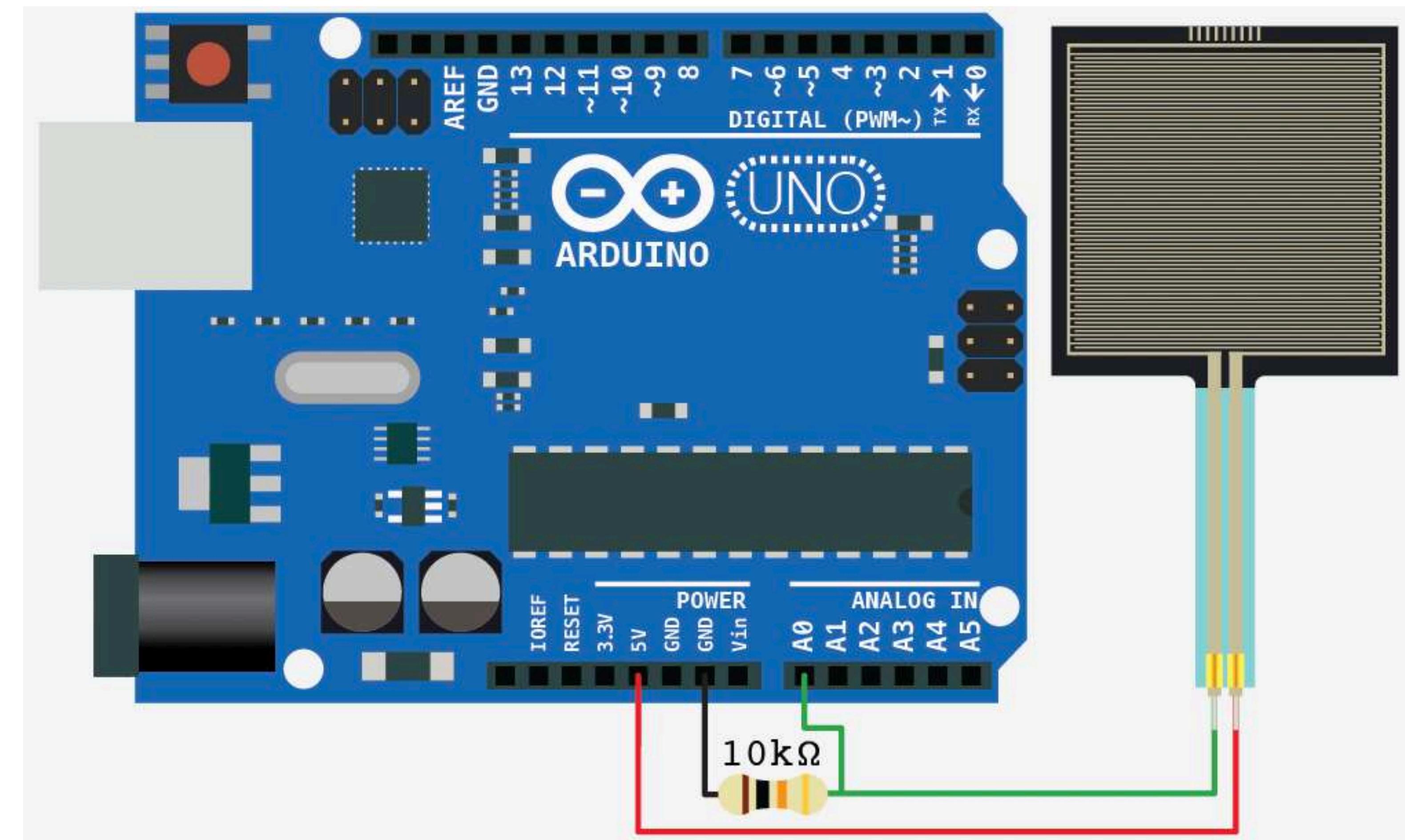


## **STEP\_BY\_STEP**

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);
```

```
}
```

```

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);
}

```

Open: sketch\_1\_tactile\_agency\_P5\_traning\_model

# PROCESSING CODE

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.0B_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.0B_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:

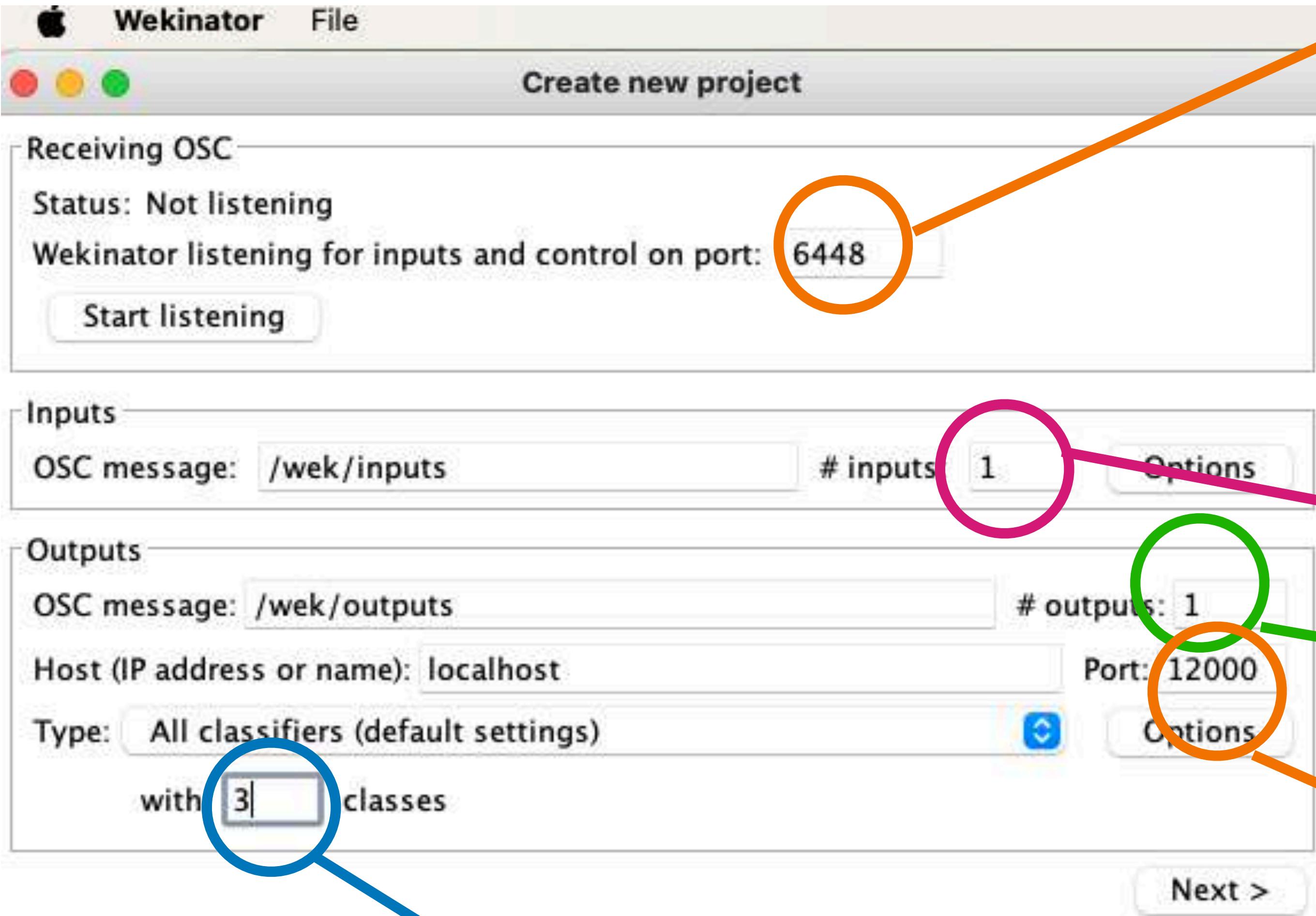
1) **Classification outputs:** These are discrete categories, such as “Position 1”, “Position 2,” “Position 3.” You’ll need to tell Wekinator how many categories to use. Wekinator will send outputs as numbers, such as “1,” “2,” “3” for categories 1, 2, and 3.

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 Wekinator's output types>



# Configure classification

<http://www.wekinator.org/detailed-instructions/#Understanding Wekinator's output types>

Input port

6448

1

1

1

12000

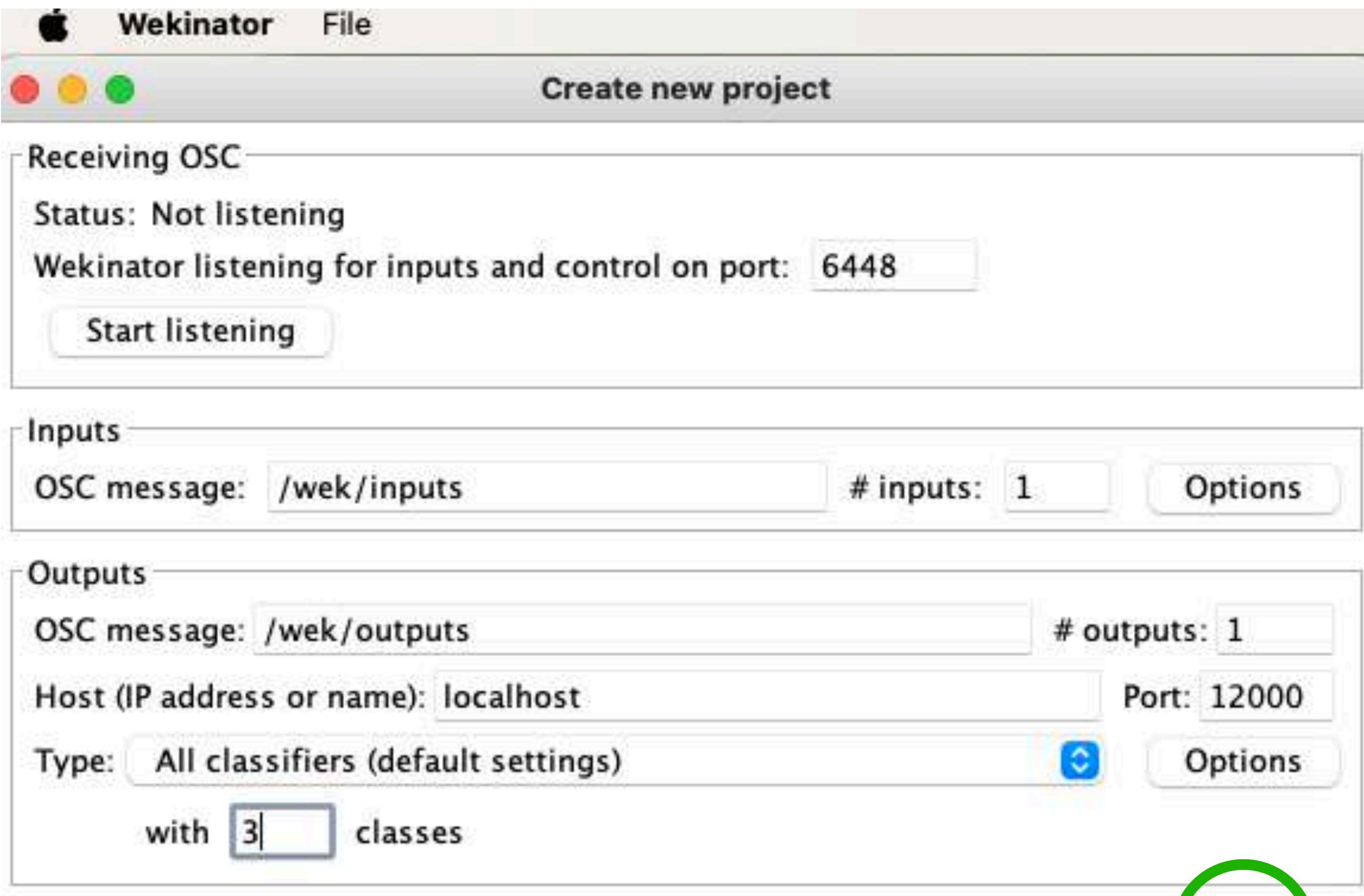
3

Our fsr sensor

Our output

Output port

The number of classes (or sensor pressure):  
1- soft  
2- medium  
3- hard



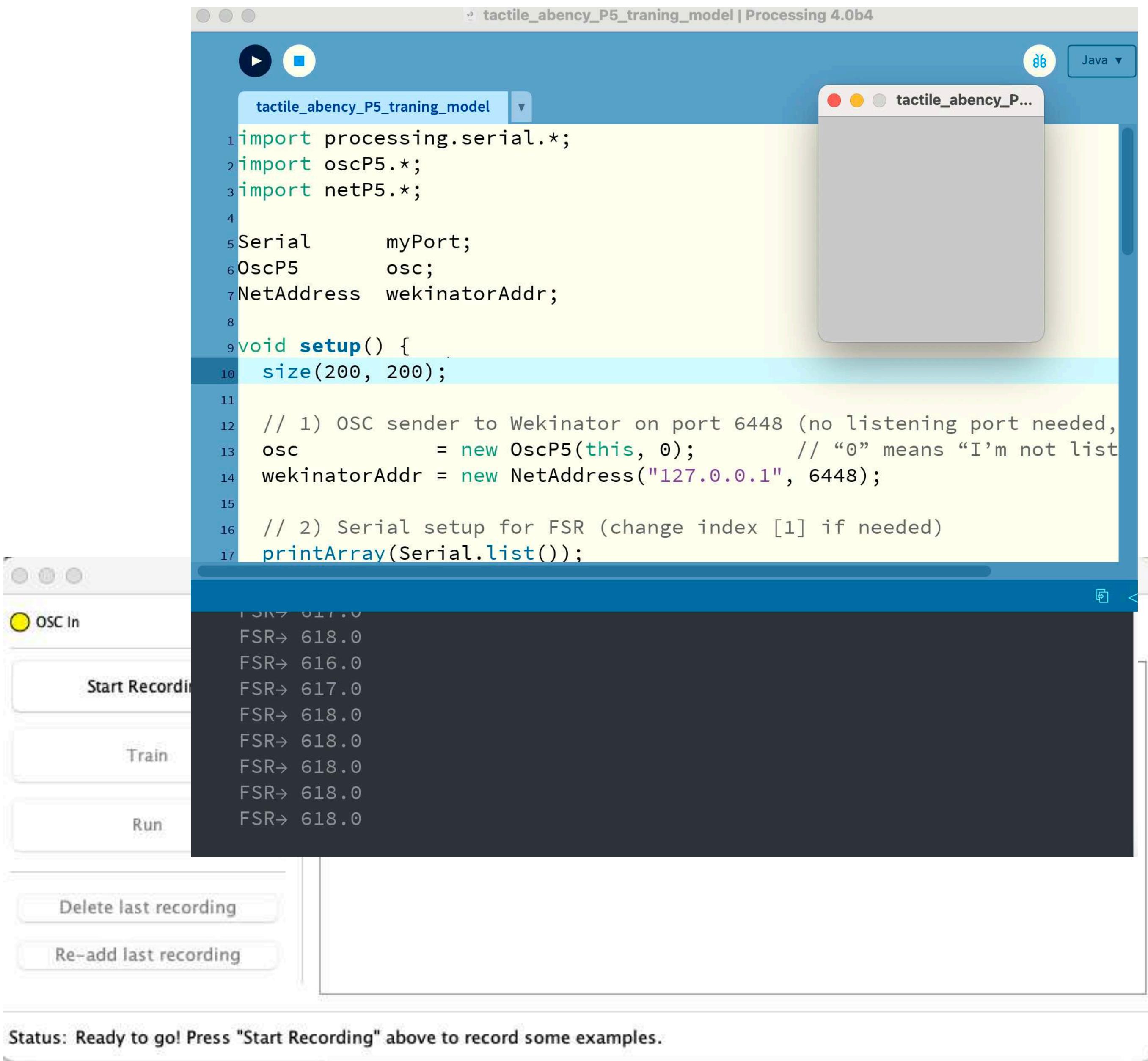
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Click NEXT

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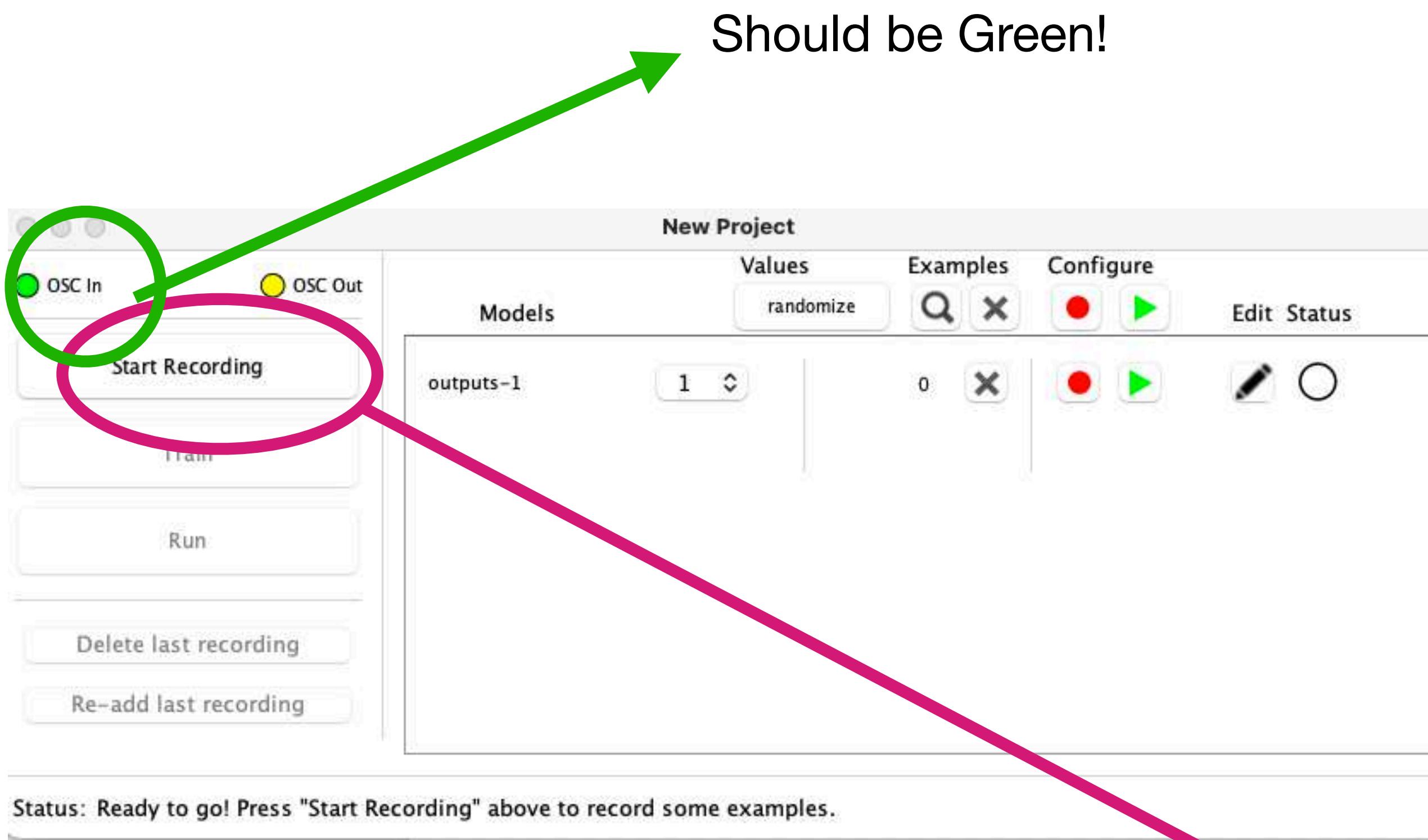


## STEP 1

- Run processing sketch and see the values

# Configure classification

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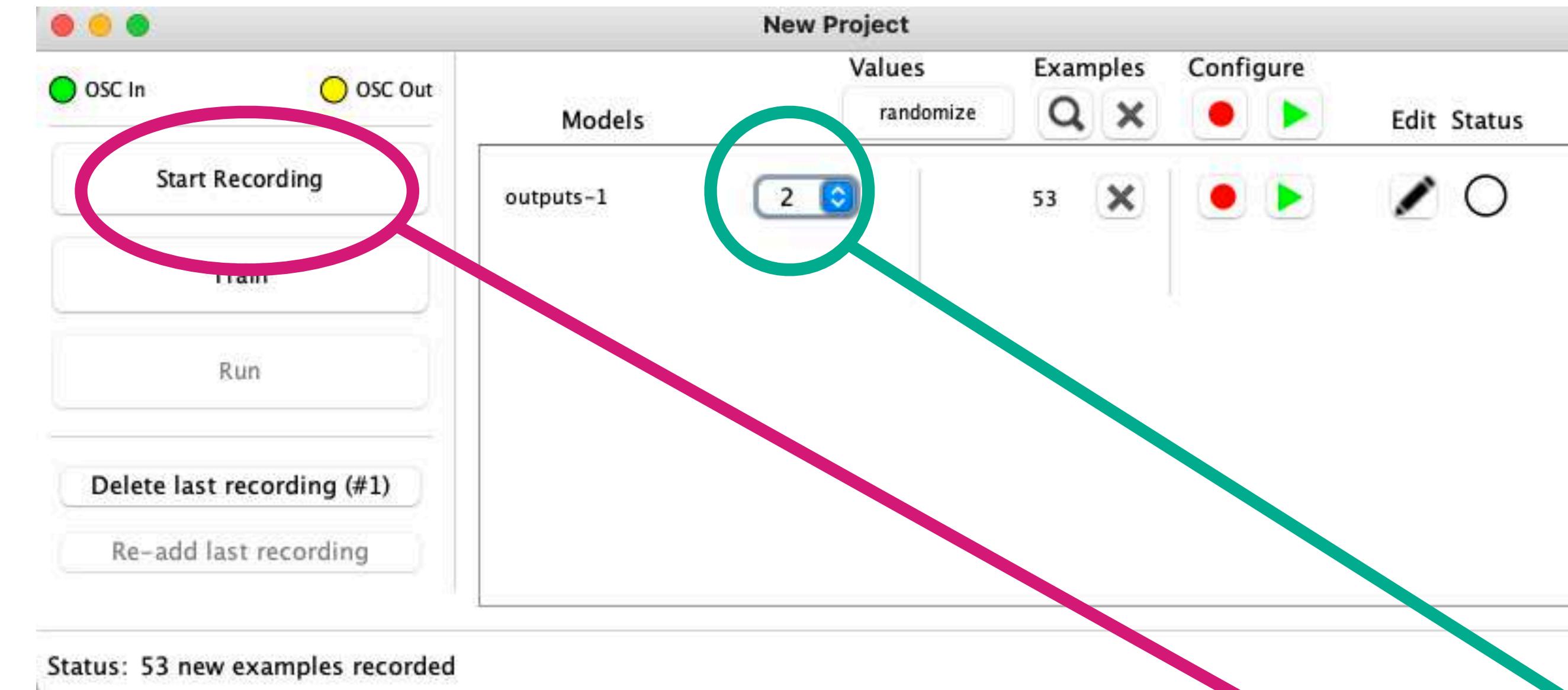
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## STEP 2

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

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## STEP 2

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

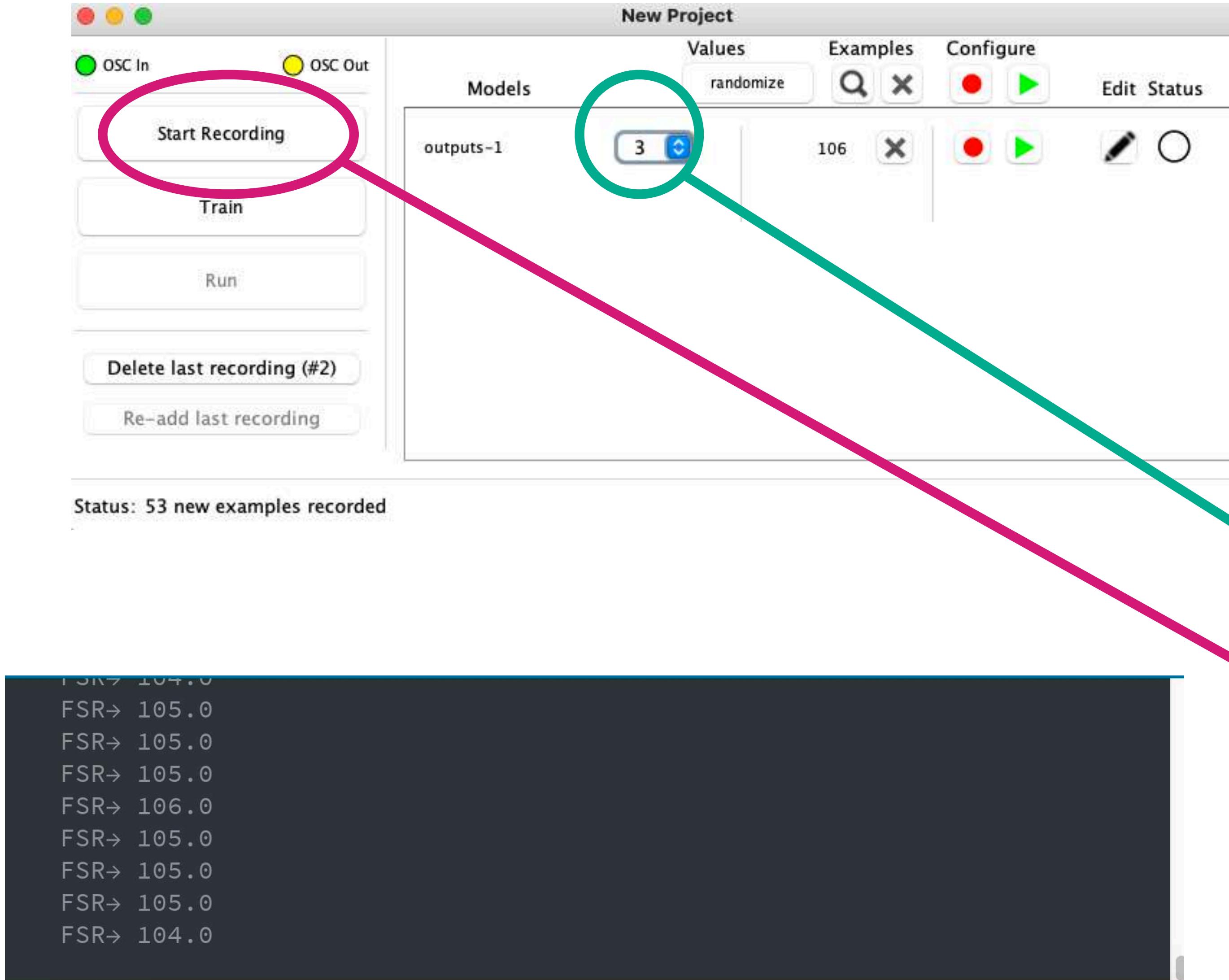
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```

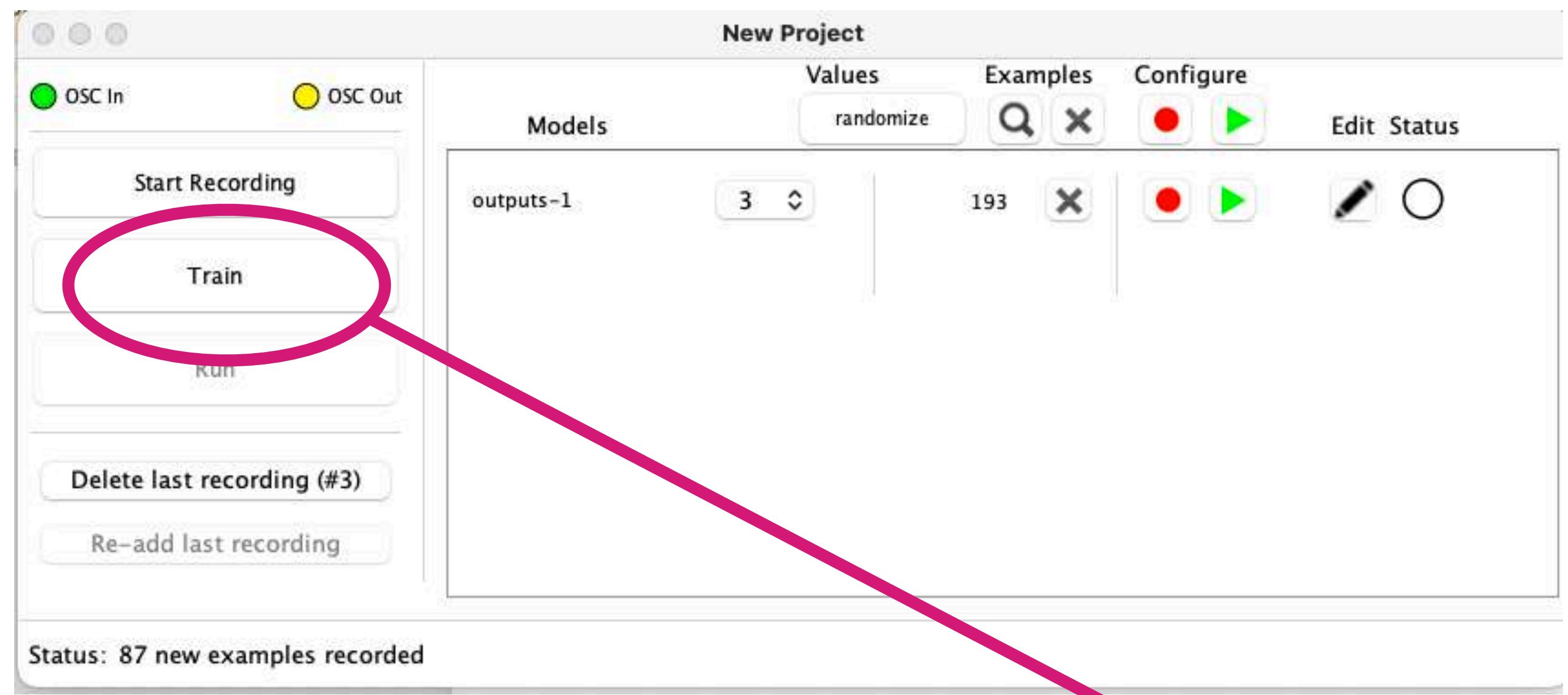
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## STEP 2

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



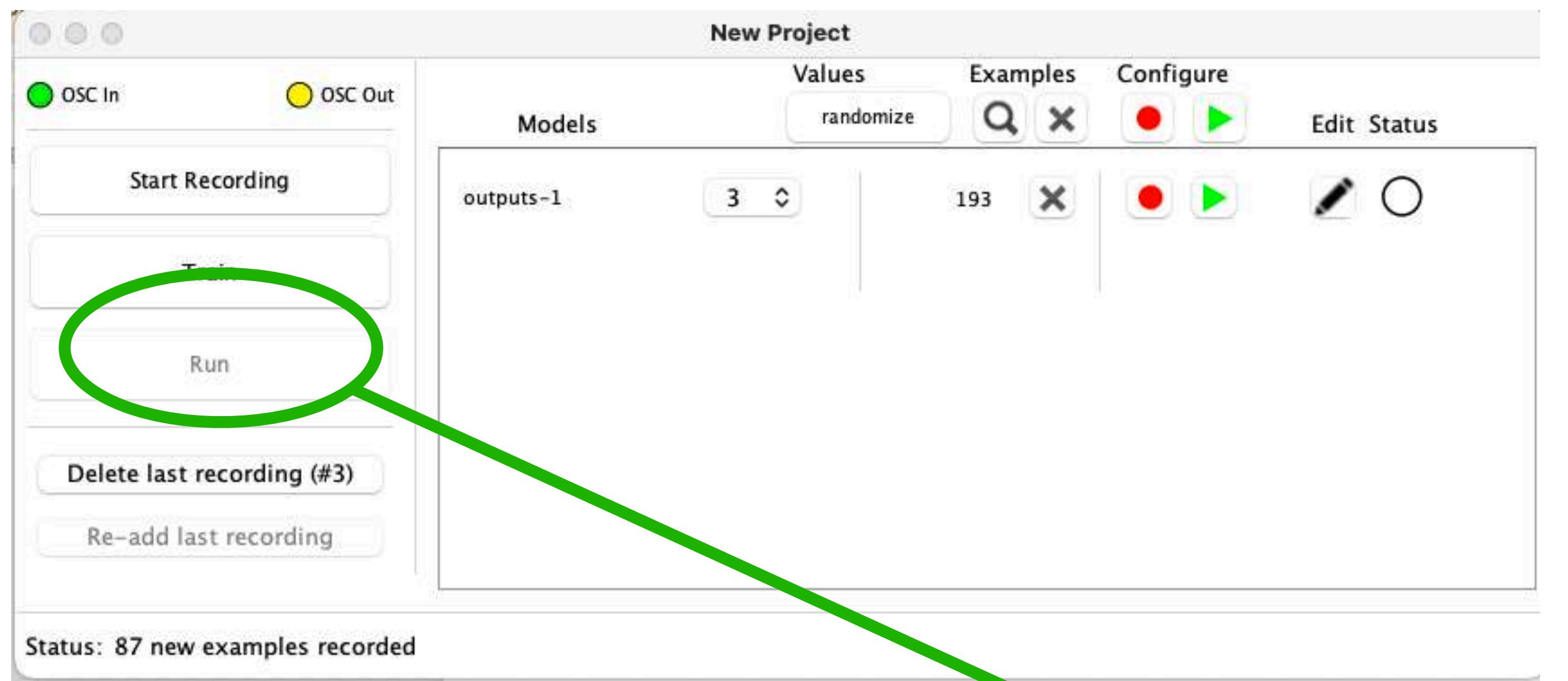


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## STEP 3

- Train the Module:
- Click Train



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## STEP 3

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

Open: sketch\_2\_tactile\_agency\_output\_color

```
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());

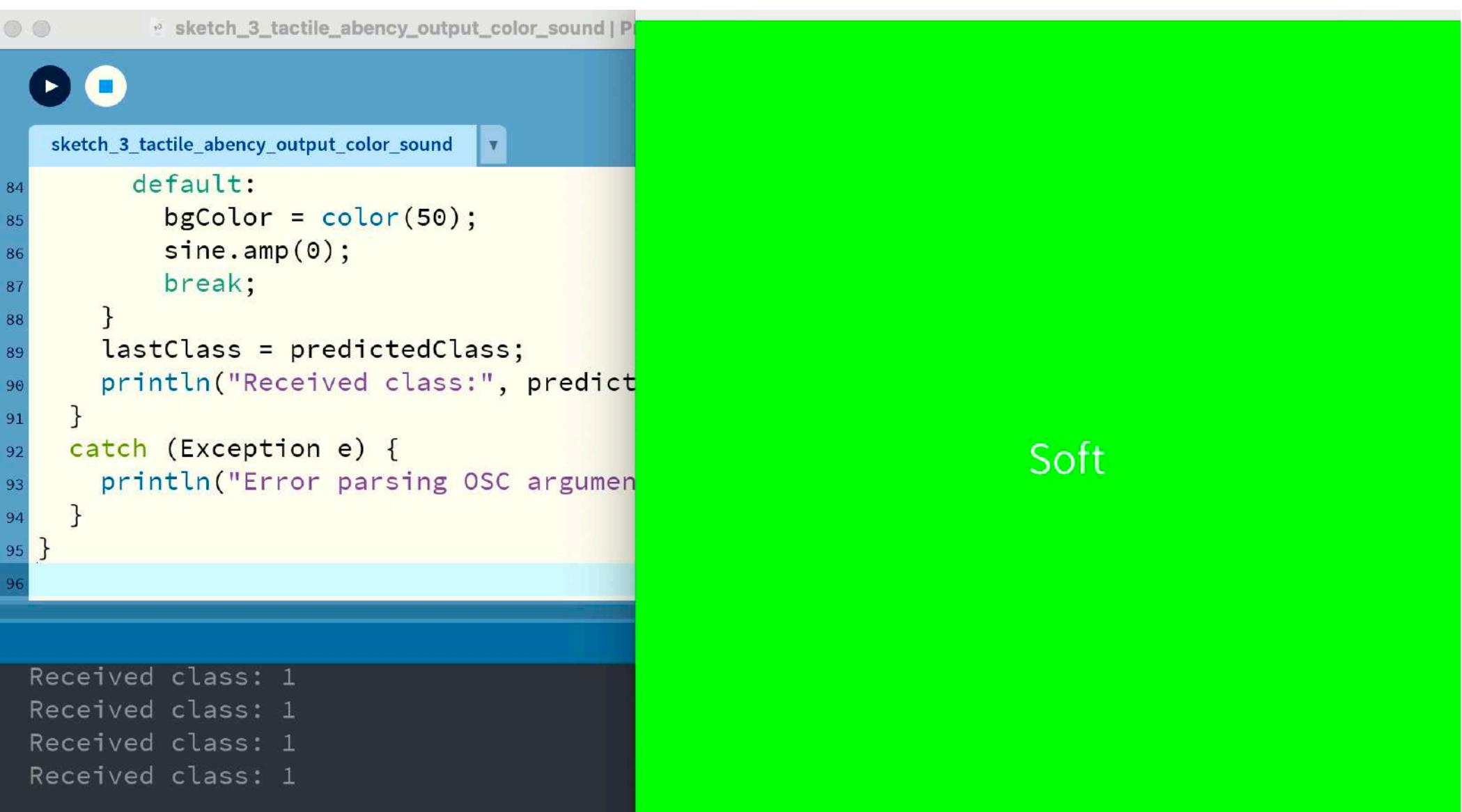
    // Check that the address matches exactly what Wekinator is sending
    if (msg.checkAddrPattern("/wek/outputs")) {
        String tags = msg.typetag();
        try {
            int predictedClass = 0;

            // 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());
}
}
```

# 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.typeTag();
    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 typeTag
        }

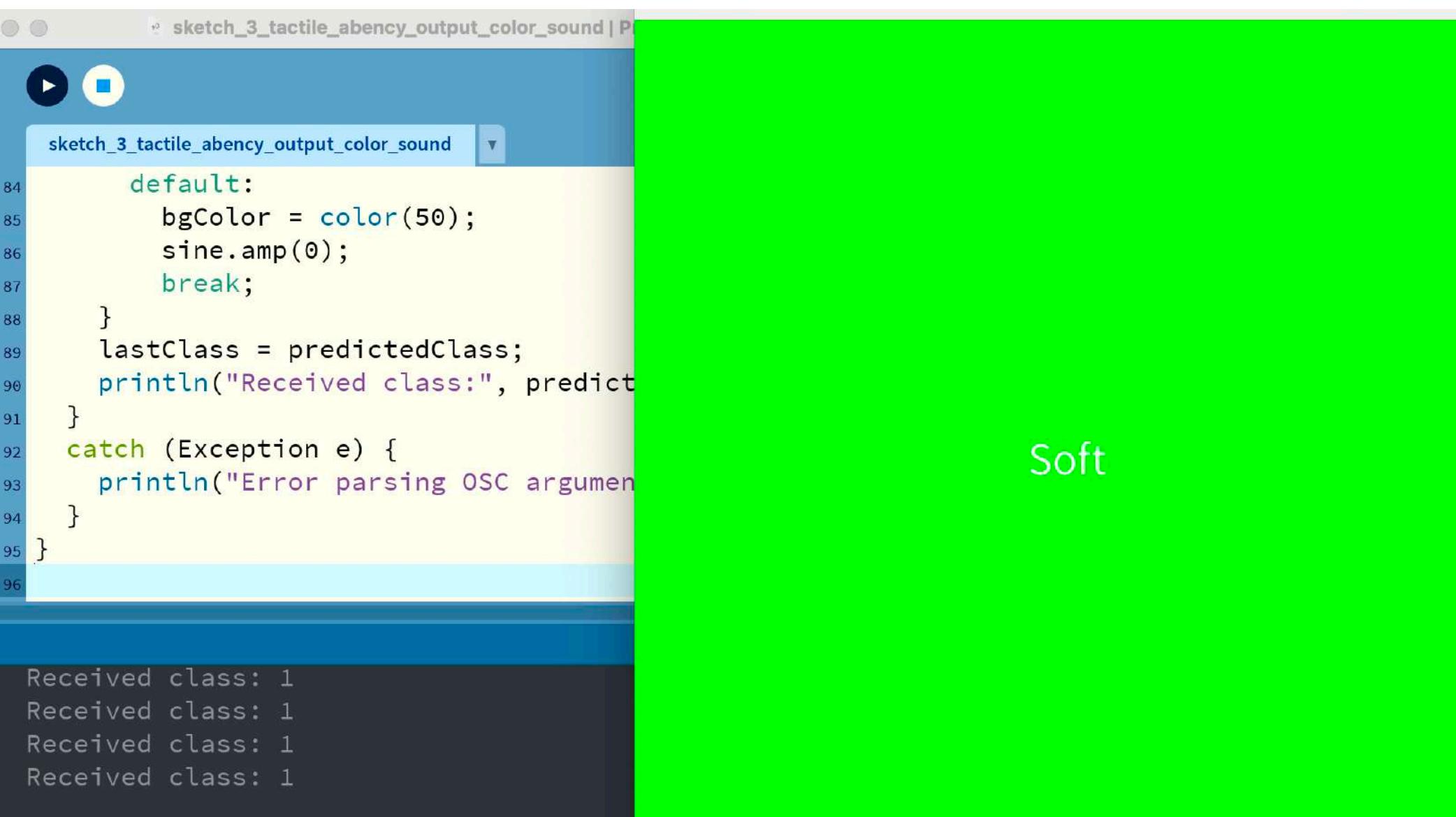
        // Update background color and sine parameters
        switch (predictedClass) {
            case 1:
                bgColor = color(0, 255, 0); // green
                sine.freq(220); // lower pitch for "Soft"
                sine.amp(0.2); // set amplitude
                break;
            case 2:
                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());
    }
}

```

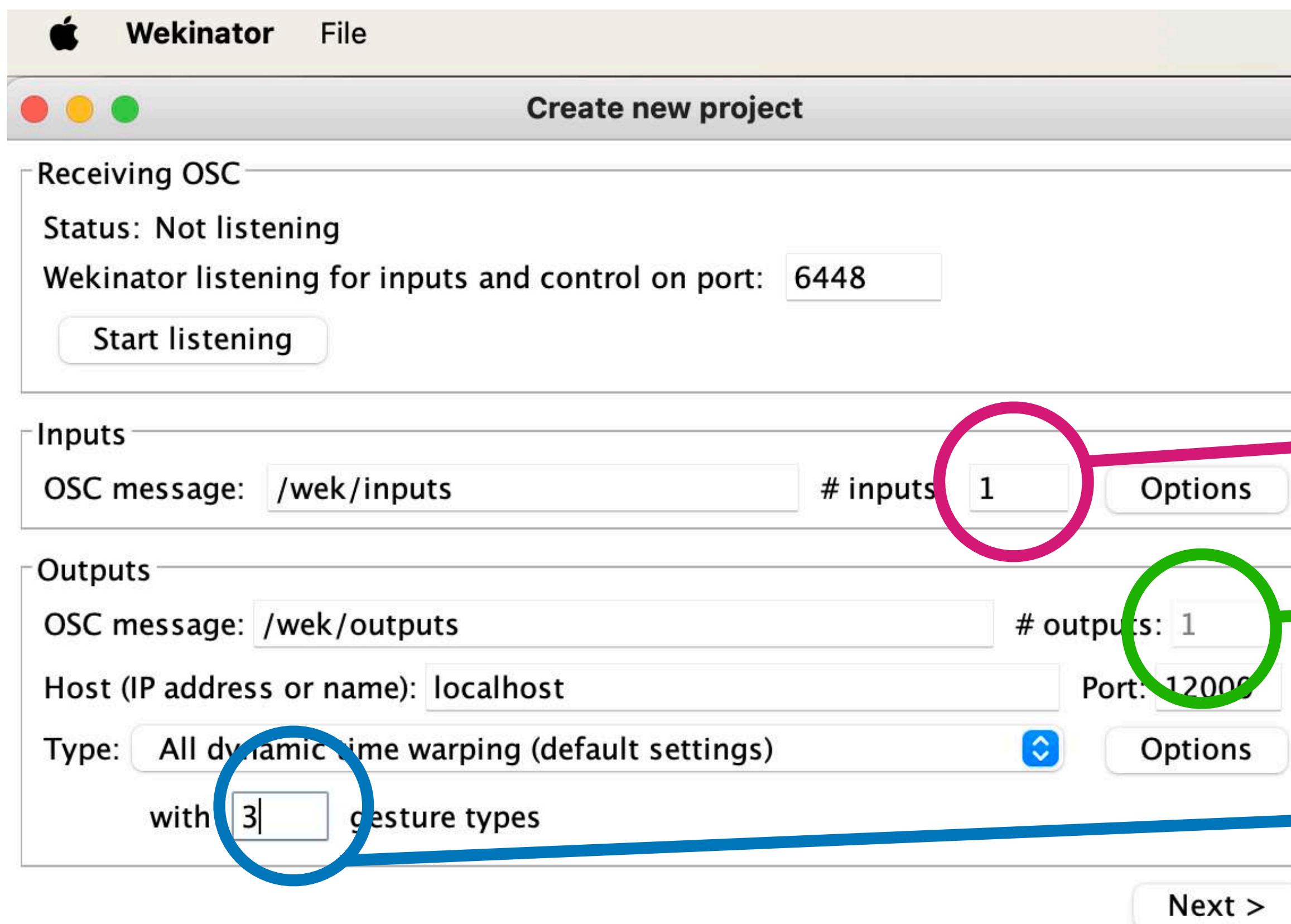
Open: sketch\_3\_tactile\_agency\_output\_color\_sound

# 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

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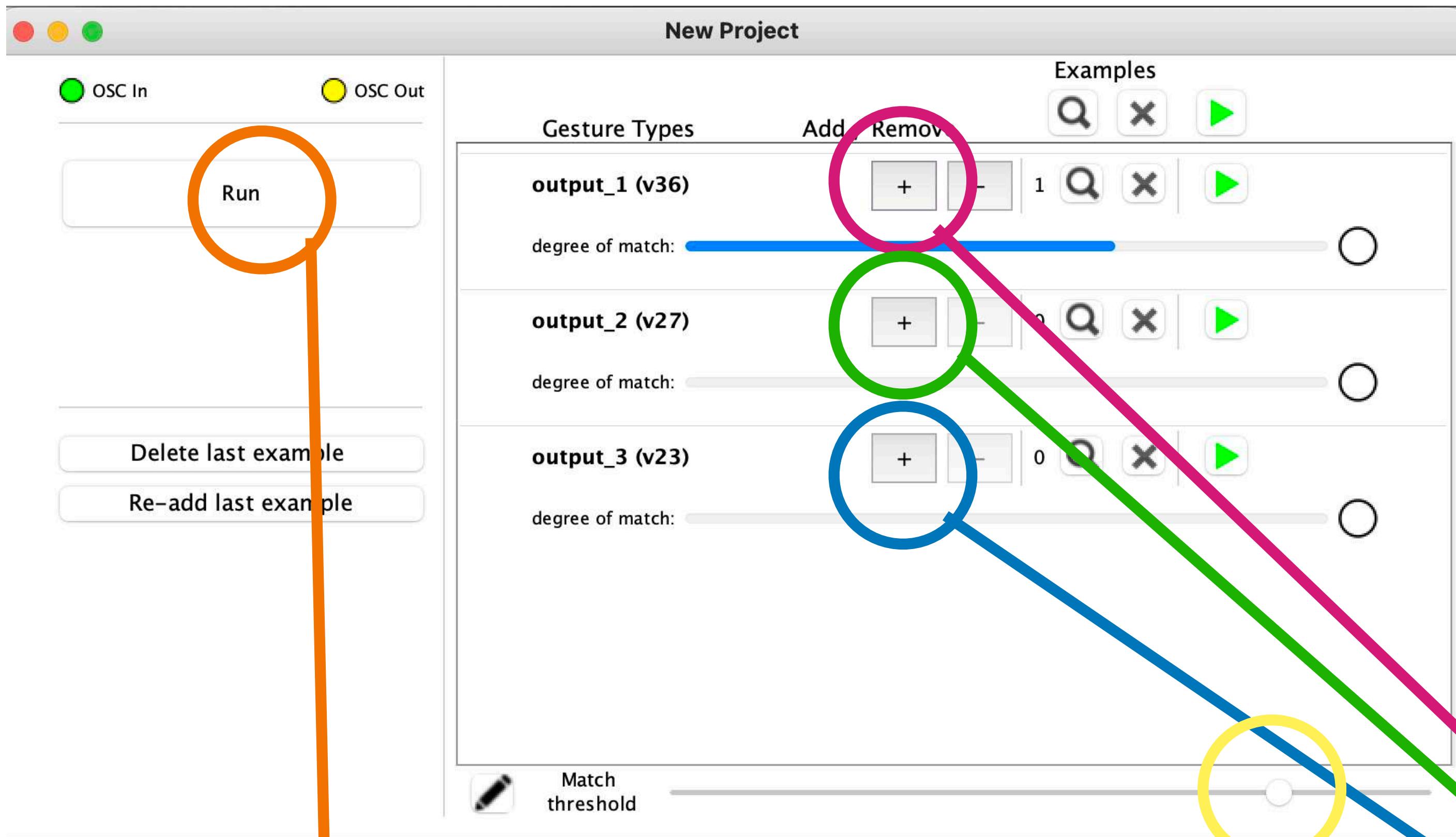
Our fsr sensor

Our output

The number of patterns we want to record

# Training Patterns Wekinator

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Adjust the slide for precision

Click Run to run the model

Hold + to record a gesture  
(Repeat 3 times)

Our output

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);
    }

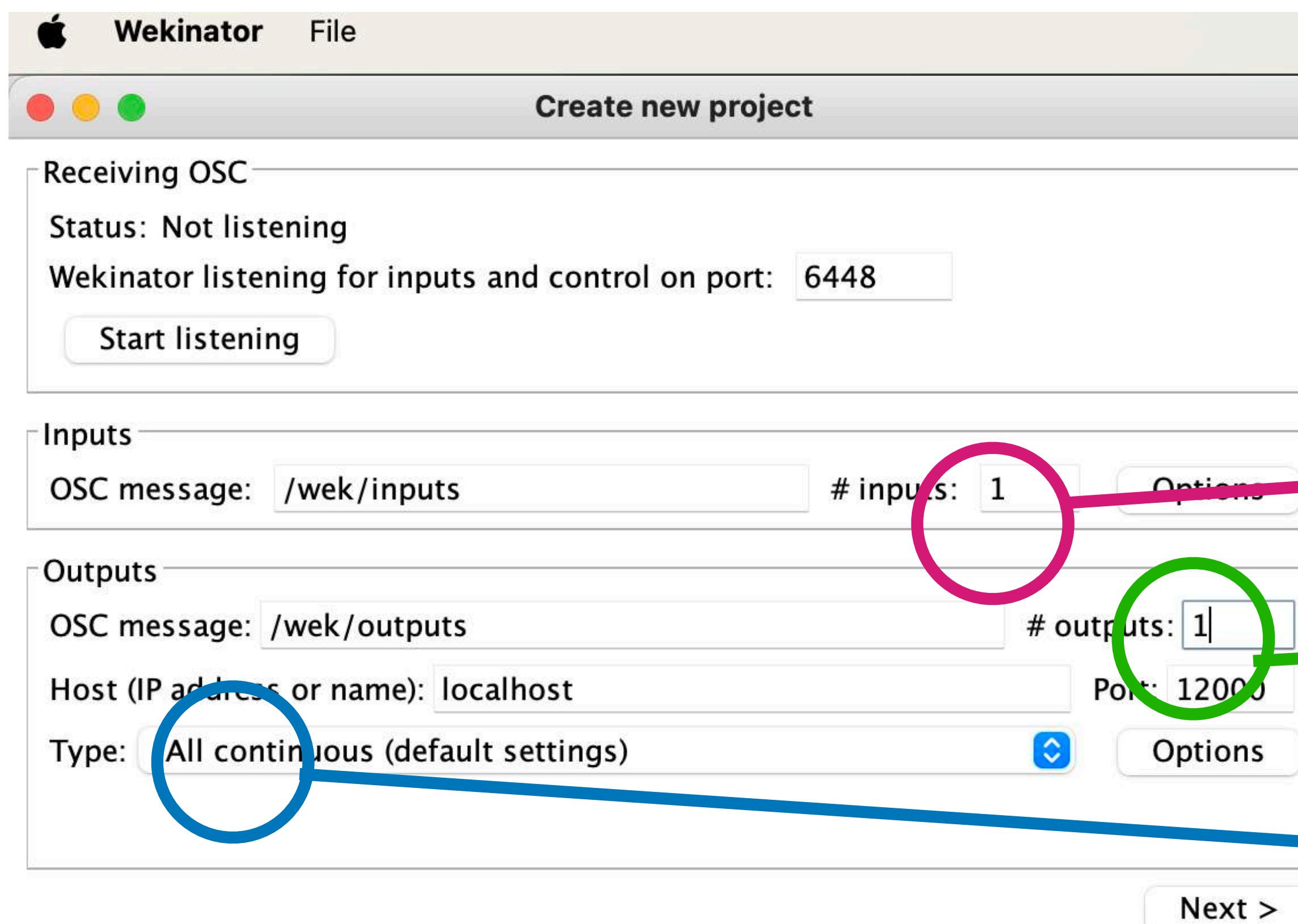
    // Called whenever an OSC arrives on port 12000
    // We expect three floats: Arg[0], Arg[1], Arg[2]
    void oscEvent(OscMessage msg) {
        if (!msg.checkAddrPattern("/wek/outputs")) return;

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

# PROCESSING CODE

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

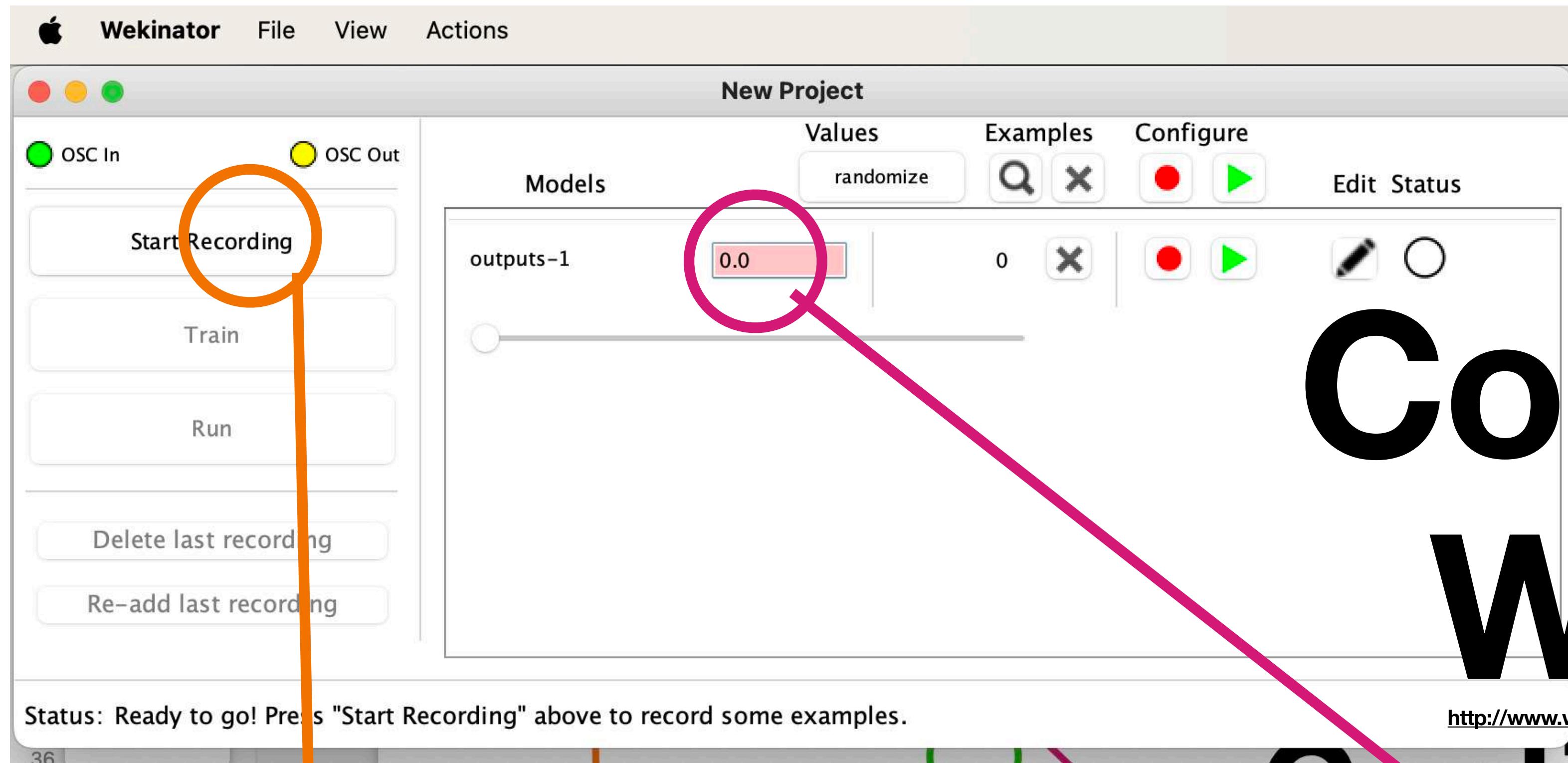
<http://www.wekinator.org/detailed-instructions/#Understanding Wekinator's output types>

Our fsr sensor

Our output

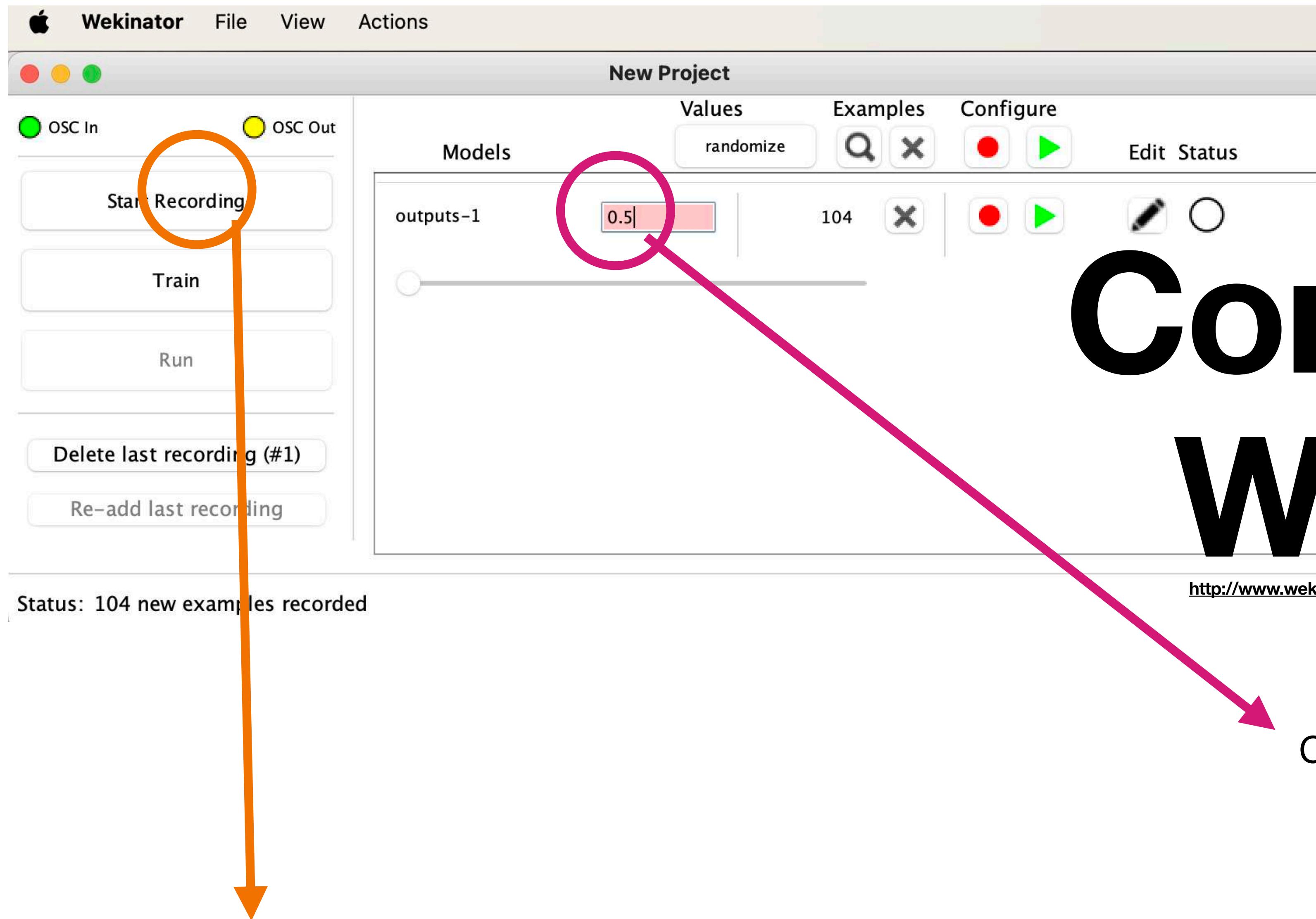
Choose continuous

# Training Continuous Wekinator



Click “Start recording”, repeat several times

Change to 0.0

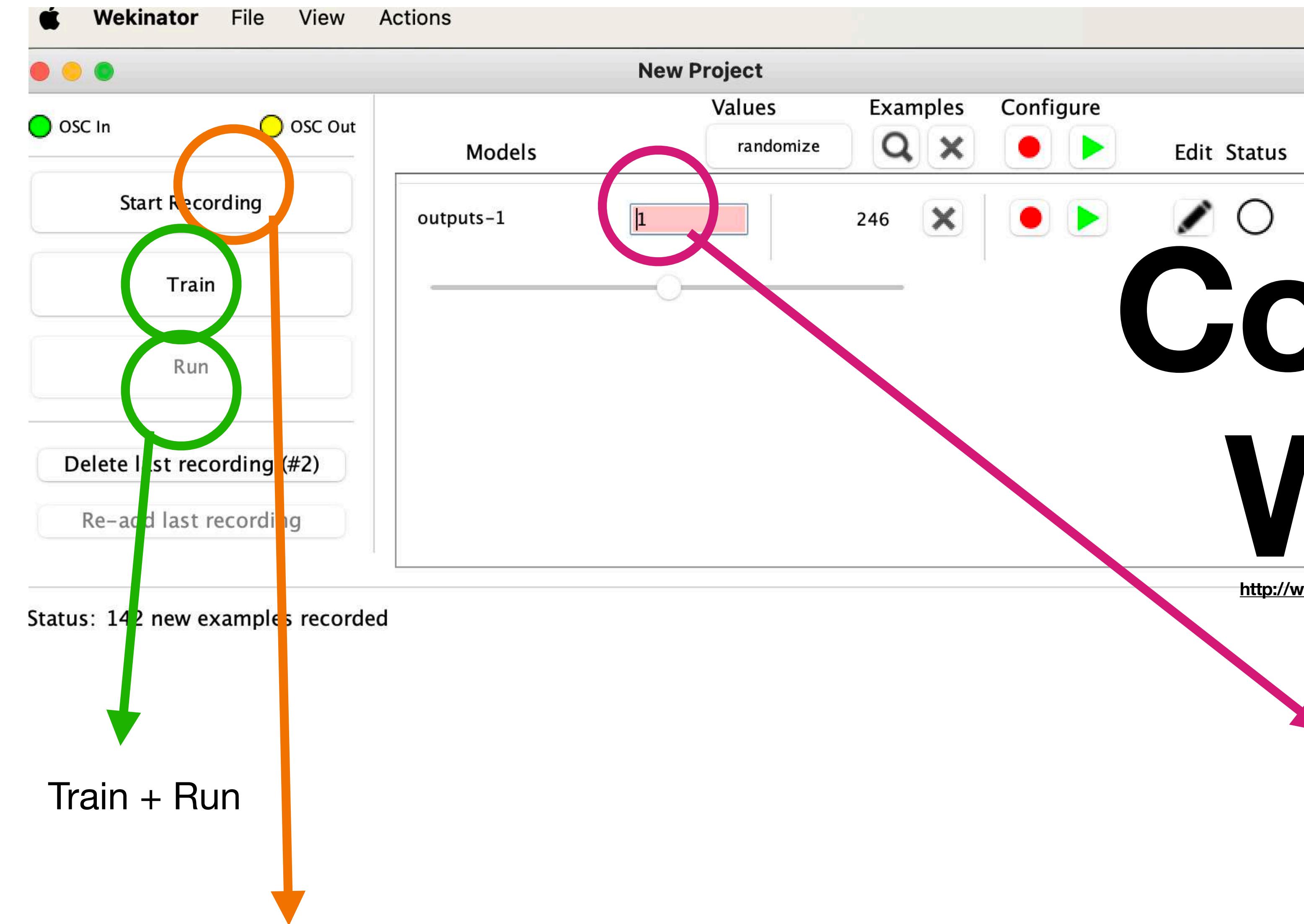


# Training Continuous Wekinator

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Change to 0.5

Click “Start recording”, repeat several times



# Training Continuous Wekinator

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Change to 1

Train + Run

Click "Start recording", repeat several times

```

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 freqVal = lerp(220, 880, lastValue);
  float ampVal = lerp(0.0, 0.5, lastValue);
  sine.freq(freqVal);
  sine.amp(ampVal);
}

// 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;
  }
}

```

Open: sketch\_5\_tactile\_agency\_continuos\_color\_sound

# PROCESSING CODE

```

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;
  }

  d that 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;

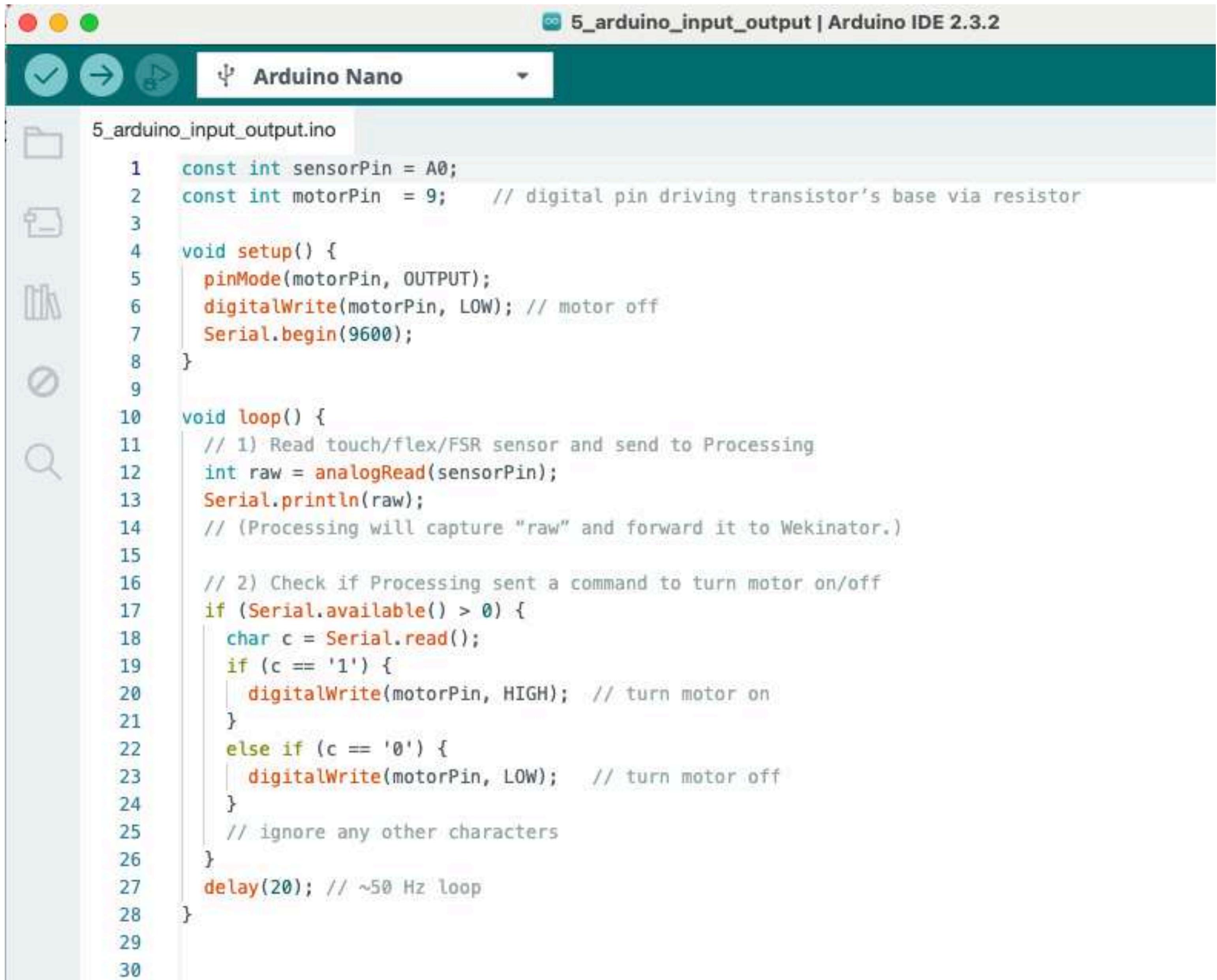
  String tags = msg.getType();
  if (tags.equals("f")) {
    float v = msg.get(0).floatValue();
    lastValue = constrain(v, 0, 1); // ensure in [0..1]
    println("Got continuous:", lastValue);
  } else {
    println("Unexpected type:", tags);
  }
}

```

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

**Adding  
a Vibration  
motor  
To pin 9  
Arduino**

## Open: 5\_arduino\_input\_output



```
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 }
```

# Adding an output vibration motor

**Choose your preferable  
configuration mode on**

**wikanator**

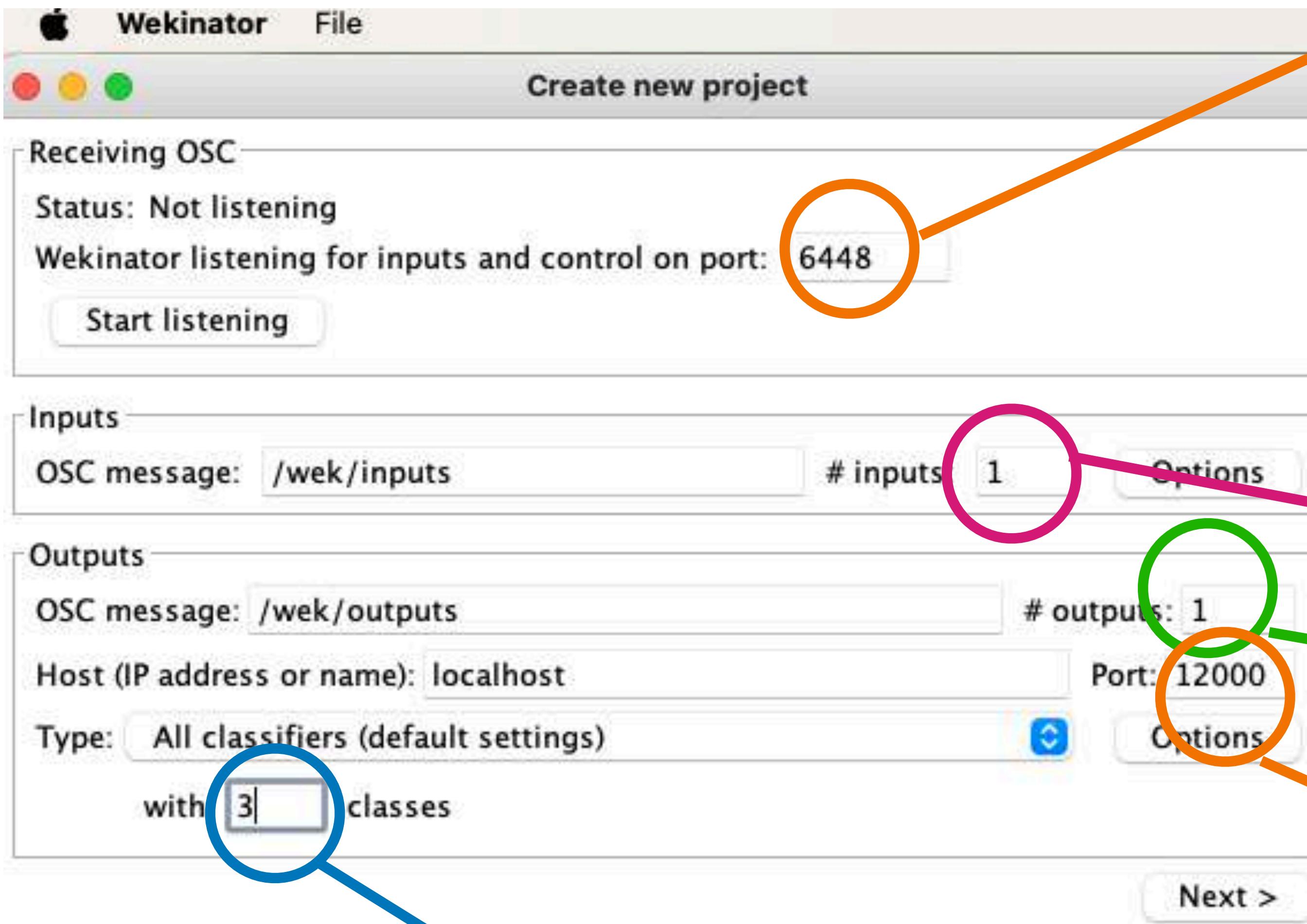
**classification, dynamic or**

**continuous**

**And train your model on wekinator**

# Configure According

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The number of classes (or sensor pressure):  
1- soft  
2- medium  
3- hard

Input port

Our fsr sensor

Our output

Output port

Open: sketch\_7\_tactile\_agency\_input\_output\_all\_models

The screenshot shows the Processing IDE interface with the title bar "sketch\_7\_tactile\_agency\_input\_output\_all\_models | Processing 4.0b4". The code editor contains Java code for a Processing sketch. The code includes imports for processing.serial, oscP5, netP5, and java.util.Arrays. It defines variables for Serial, OscP5, and NetAddress, and initializes lastClass, prevClass, and buf. The setup() function sets the size to 400x200, prints serial ports, opens an Arduino port, and initializes a Serial object and a delay of 100ms. The code then enters a loop where it checks for input from the Arduino and sends OSC messages to Wekinator. A small window titled "sketch\_7\_tactile\_agency\_input\_output\_all\_models" is visible in the foreground, displaying the text "Class: 1" and "Prev: 1". The bottom of the screen shows the Processing menu bar with "File", "Edit", "Select", "Tools", "Help", and "About", along with tabs for "Console" and "Errors".

```
sketch_7_tactile_agency_input_output_all_models
import processing.serial.*;
import oscP5.*;
import netP5.*;
import java.util.Arrays;

Serial arduino;
OscP5 oscSender, oscReceiver;
NetAddress wekiAddr;

int lastClass = 0, prevClass = -1;
String buf = "";

void setup() {
    size(400, 200);
    println("Serial ports:", A);
    // Open your Arduino port
    String portName = Serial.list();
    arduino = new Serial(this, portName);
    delay(100);
    arduino.clear();

    // OSC → Wekinator (inputs)
    oscSender = new OscP5(this, "localhost", 5005);
}
```

# PROCESSING CODE

**Can AI help Harmony at all??**