

SCRATCH Cat n' Mouse

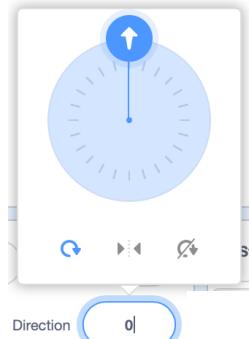


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Change the sprite angle to make it point and move in any direction.

- 1) **Create** a new Project and give it a name
- 2) In the **Sprite** section, choose a sprite. Look for the mouse. We look down on the mouse from above, and it has a little bit of movement. **Mouse-over** to see the mouse move.
- 3) Click on **Direction** in the sprite panel. You can change the **angle** of the mouse by dragging the arrow.



Angles are measured in degrees.

In Scratch, zero degrees points straight up.

Click on the **Code** tab. Add a **start** block and a **forever** loop.

- 4) Make the sprite **point towards** the mouse pointer. This changes the **angle**.
- 5) Each time round the loop the sprite is moved directly to the **mouse pointer** and changes into the **next costume** to animate it.



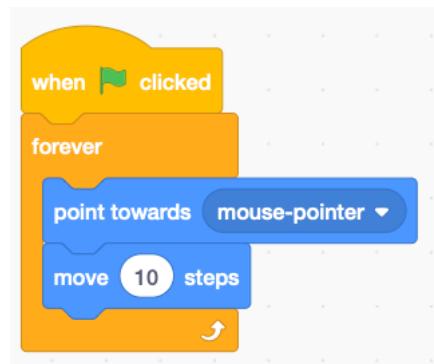
Mouse code

Does the mouse follow the mouse pointer?



- 6) Add a new cat sprite to chase the mouse. Select the cat seen from above.

- 7) Add code to the cat that runs towards the mouse. This needs to be in a **forever** loop and moves towards the **mouse pointer**. The number controls the speed - the bigger the number the faster it goes.



Cat code

Can you run circles around the cat?

*Remember to **Save** your code with a good name.*

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