

Scratch Card - Recorder

Activity Checklist

- Create two new lists (for all sprites). Call one of them **instrument** and the other **timing**.
- Create a new variable (for all sprites) called **recording**
- For each of your instruments (drum, piano, each sound sample etc.), you will need to add the following items to the **when I receive** block.

```
if recording = 1

add timer to timing a

add cat to instrument
```

Change the word "cat" in **add [cat] to [instrument v]** to match the name of the message used to play this sound.

```
when I receive drum

play drum (480 for (0.2) beats

if recording = 1

add timer to timing 0

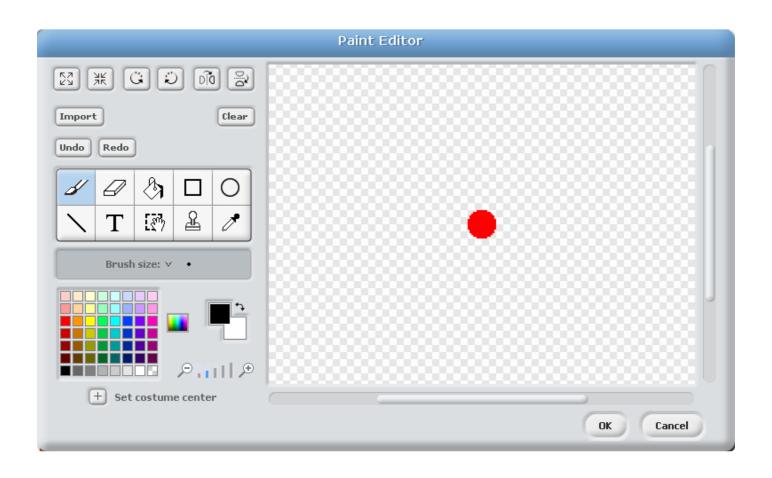
add cat to instrument 0

set size to (110) %

wait (0.1) secs

set size to (100) %
```

Draw a new sprite and give it a red circle costume. Name this sprite "Record".

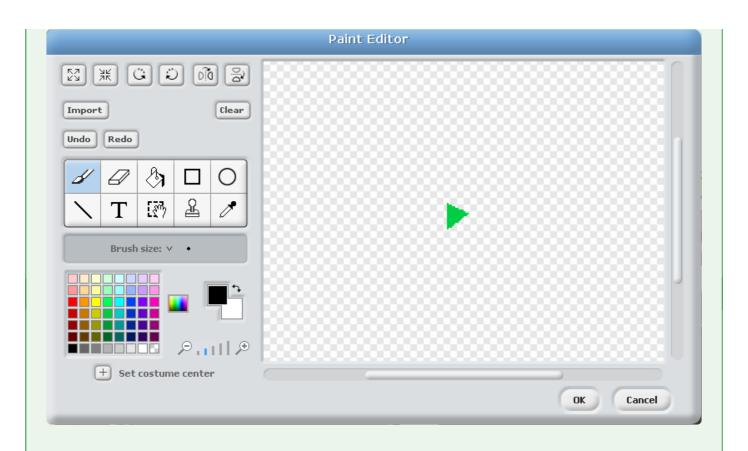


Create a script that sets **recording** to 1 and deletes all of **instrument** and **timing** when clicked.

▶ Test your project

Try clicking the record button. What happens when you play instruments?

Create another sprite and give it a costume in the shape of a green arrow. Call this "Play".



- Create a new variable called **index** for Play only.
- Now we need to make the playback actually do something. Add this script to "Play"

```
when Play clicked

set recording to 0

set index to 1

reset timer

forever

if item index of timing < timer

broadcast item index of instrument to the change index by 1

if index > length of timing to timer

stop script
```

Test your project

Press the green play button. what happens?

Now click the red record button and play some instruments. When you're done, press the green play button again. What happens?

Play some more instruments without pressing record. Then play the green play button again. What happens?

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