

CONTEM— PLATIO SUI

AN INSTALLATION EXPLORING THE IMPULSE TO CREATE

Amid the vast array of portfolio projects in China, many lack empathy toward pressing social issues.

In this experimental installation, I explored the abstract relationship between creative impulses and societal impact.

Meditation & Criticize



Artforum, Summer 2016

ARTFORUM featured "Art and Identity" as its theme, exploring topics such as immigration, feminism, and more—themes that are still rampant and clamorous in today's body of work. While some of the articles were quite engaging, they also attracted some criticism.



Jerry Saltz

Bravo—even to the over 425 pages in ads, the jargon-filled gobbley-gook, and the many great pieces.

At the same time...



Femminism!

MALE



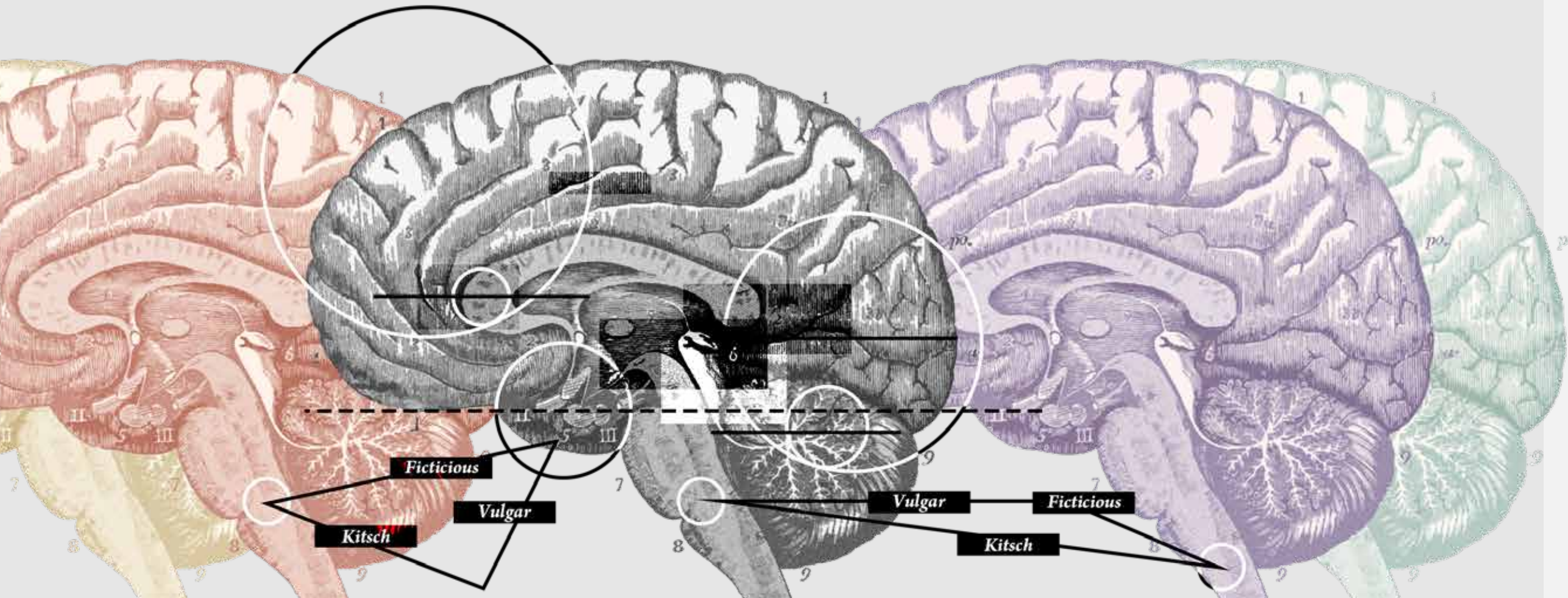
POVERTY!

Middle Class Students

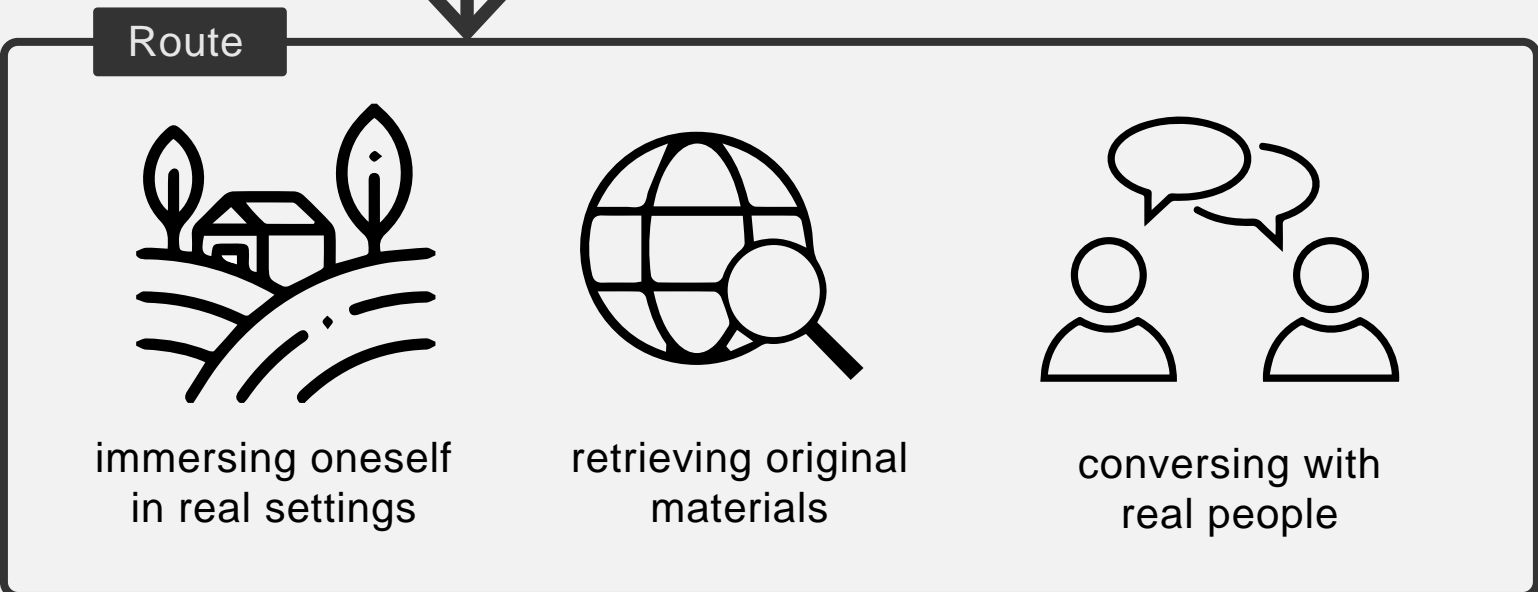


LGBTQ+!

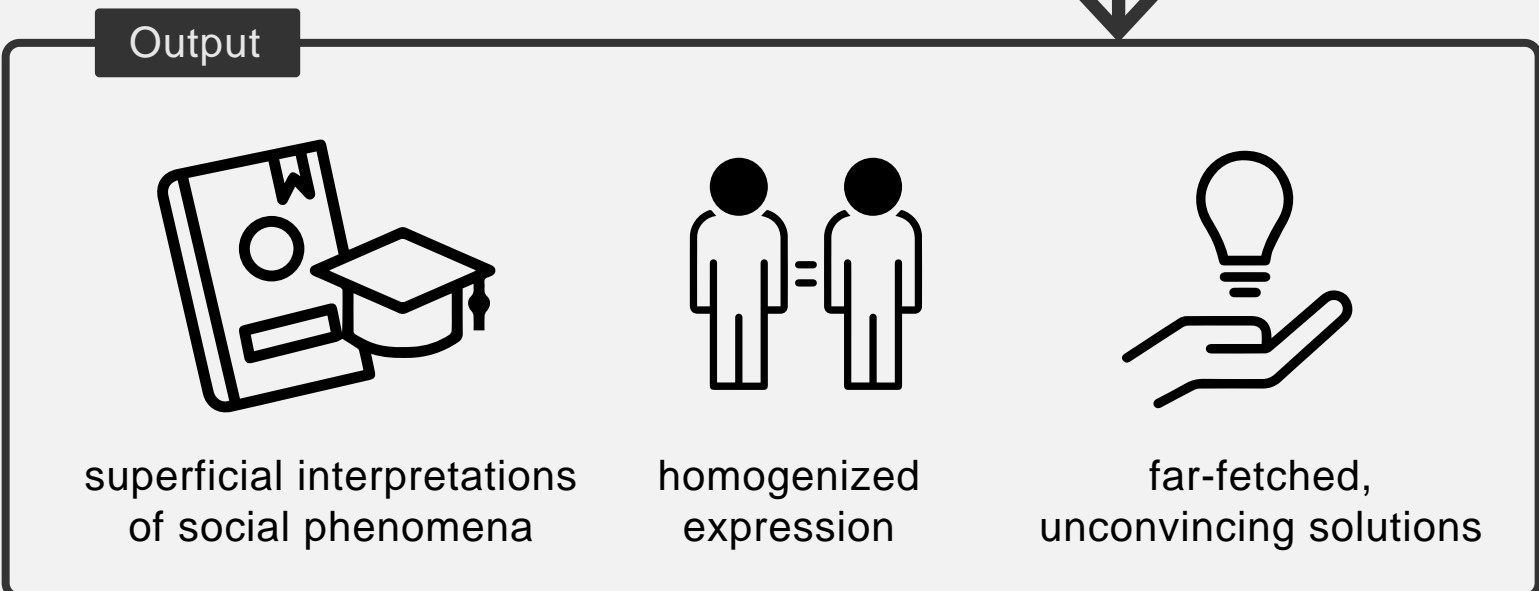
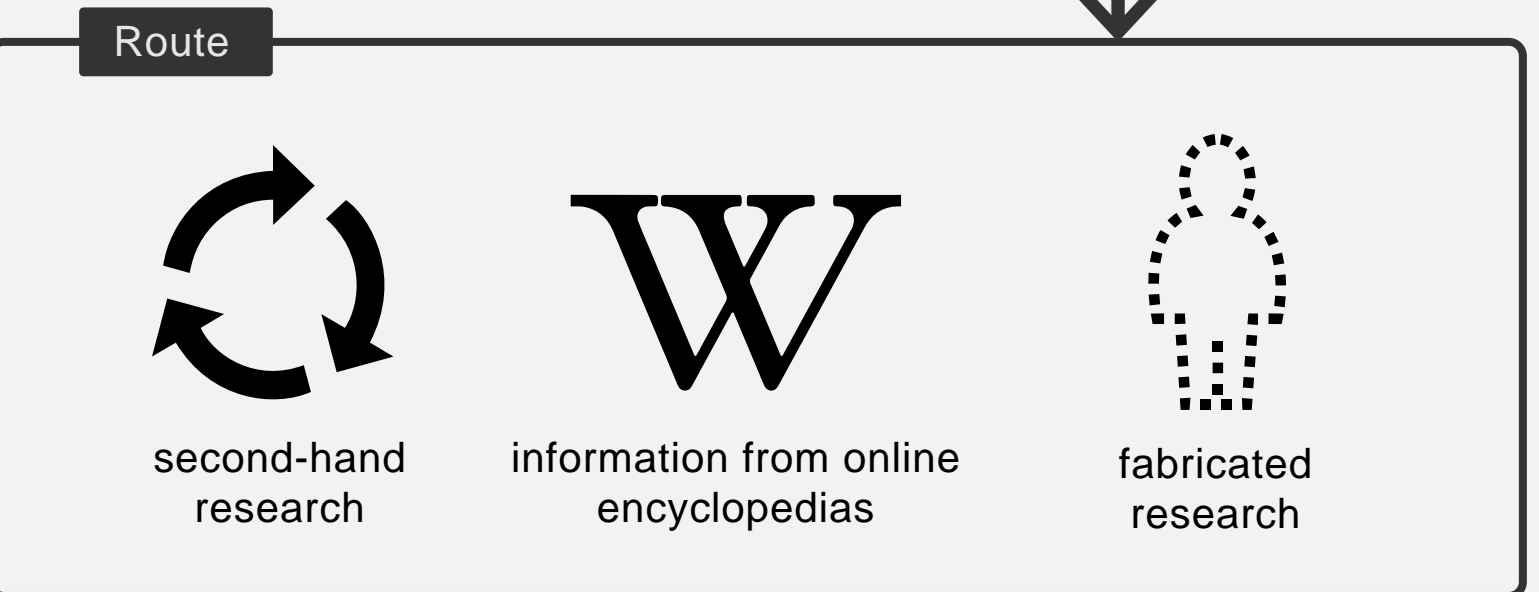
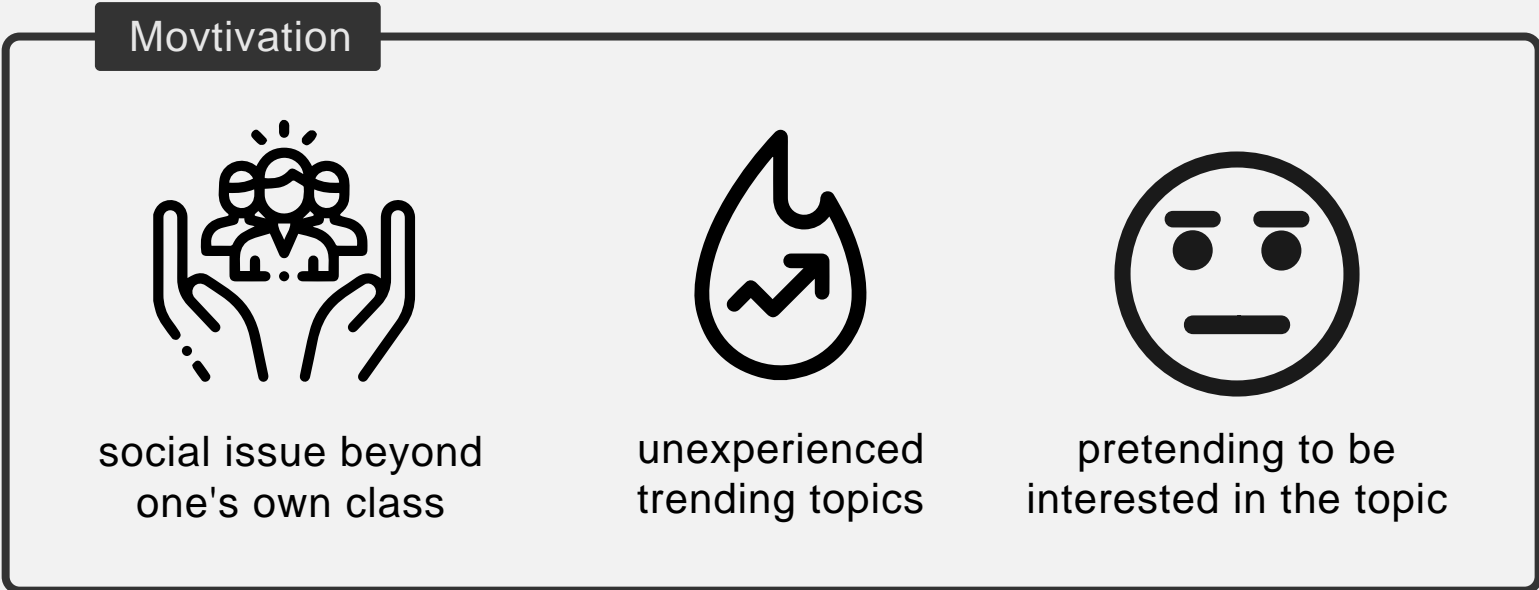
Cisgender



Ideal design path



The invasion of "hypocrisy"



REGRESSION OF TOPIC



k8 Hardy

I feel that my work is minimized by simple references to identity politics, so I'm hesitant to discuss!

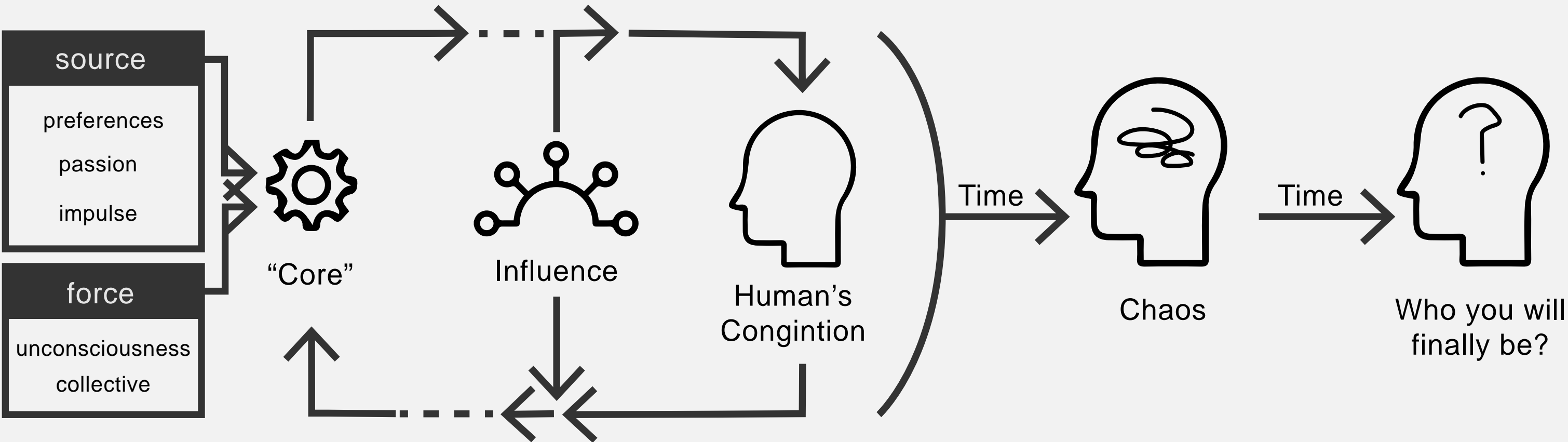


When you type in "feminism", how many pre-existing, portfolio-tailored topics can you find?

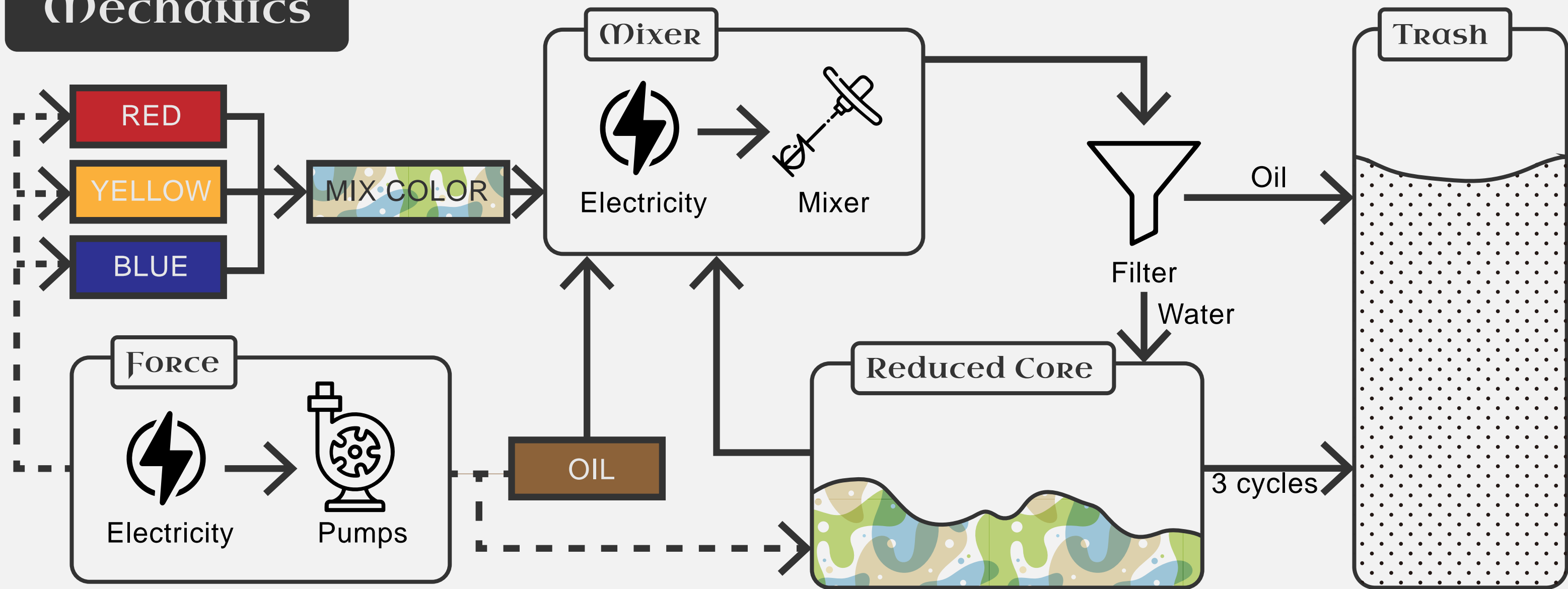


Generalization & Symbolism

Simulating



Mechanics



Symbolism

Core

Reduced cognition

- ideal
- faithful
- unconscious



Source

Basic composition

- pure
- singular
- natural



Congintion

Container of congintion

- transparent
- neutruul
- clean



Force

The driver

- mechanical
- invisible
- sensible



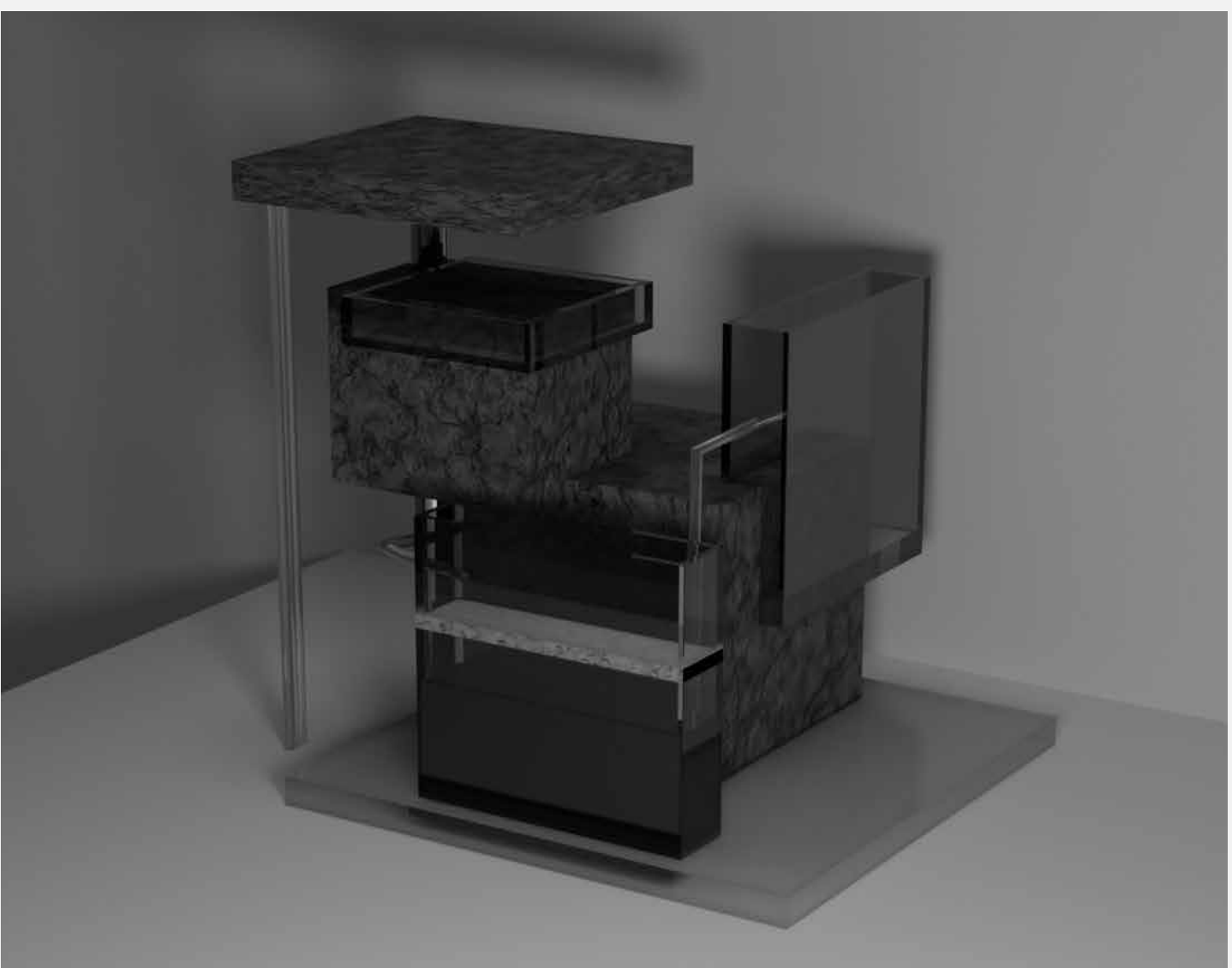
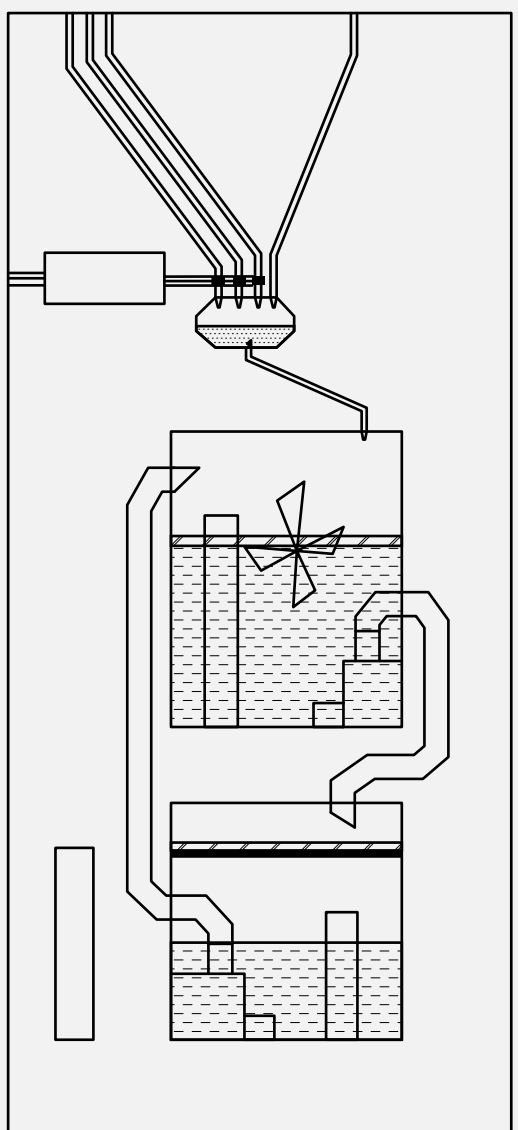
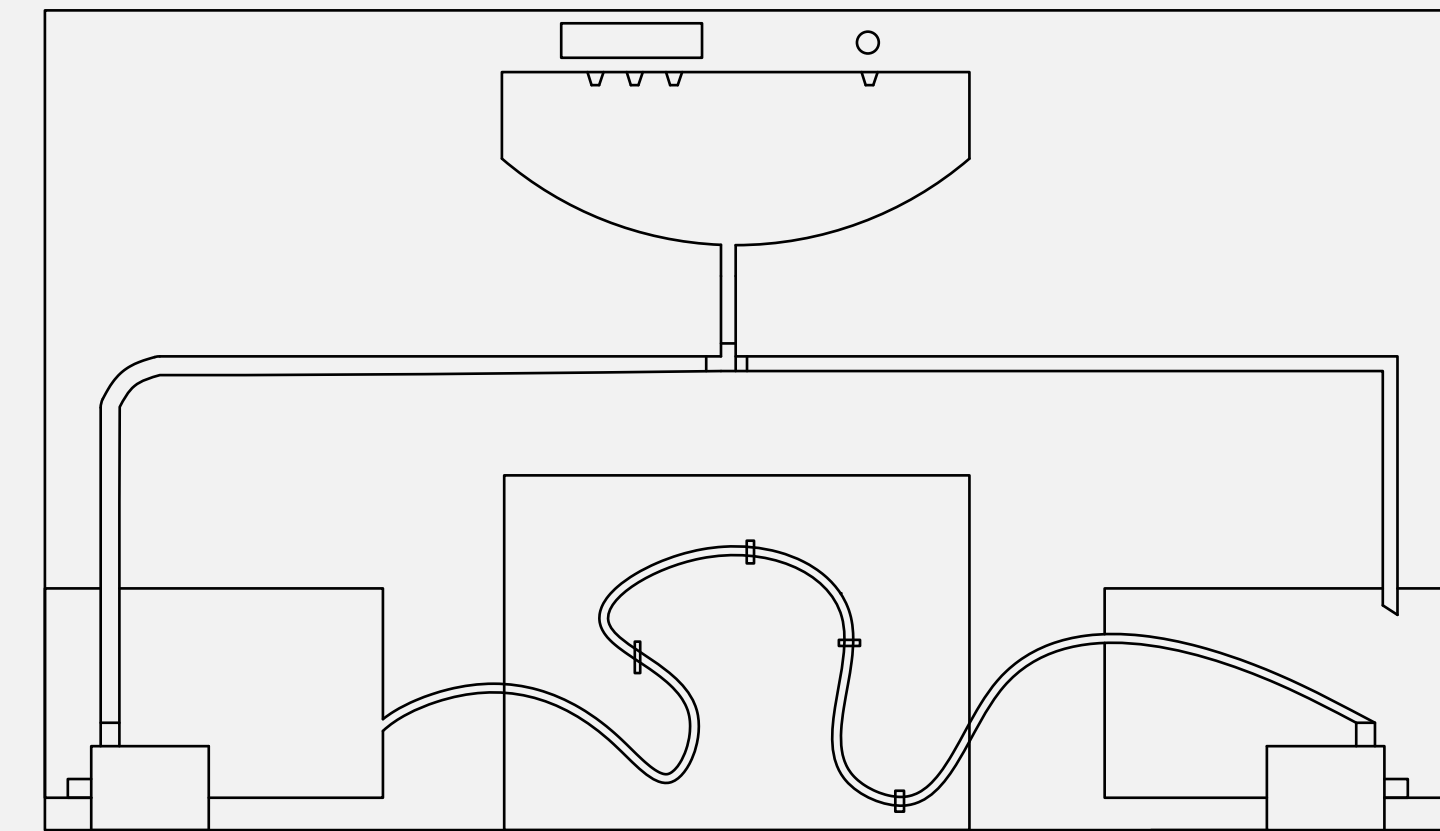
Influence

Medium for change

- lubricating
- fluid
- incompatible



Some Concept Plans



Prototype & Experiment

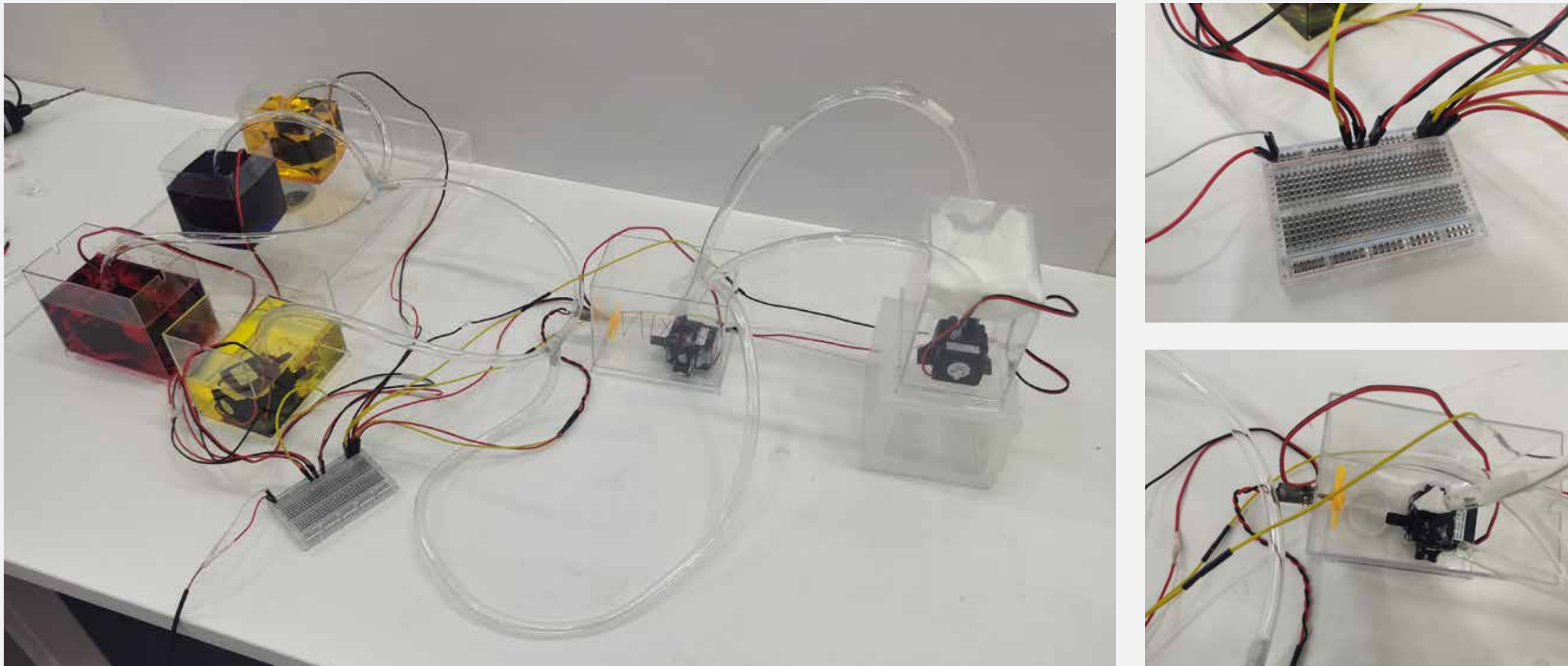
Material

The final output simulation is envisioned to be achieved through a basic prototype of a water pump and bathtub, for which the relevant components have been purchased.

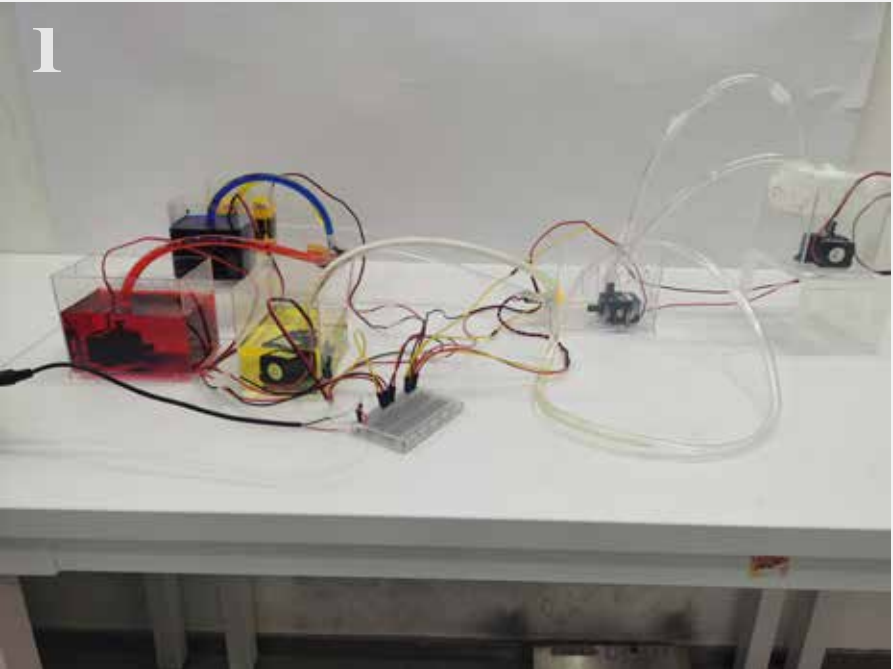


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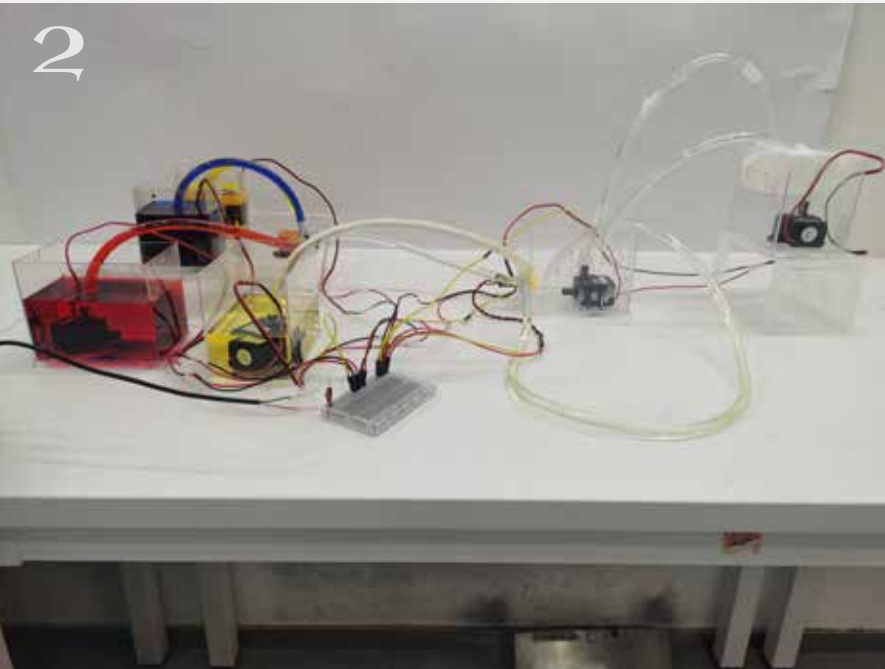
Due to technical limitations, the oil filtration part only uses oil filter cloth, so the final filtration effect is not entirely effective.



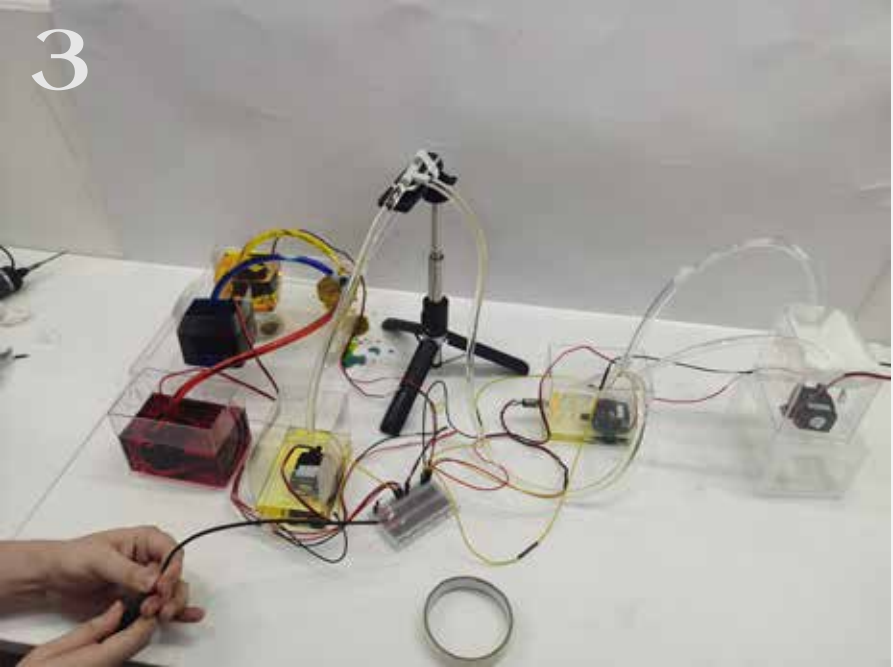
Experiment



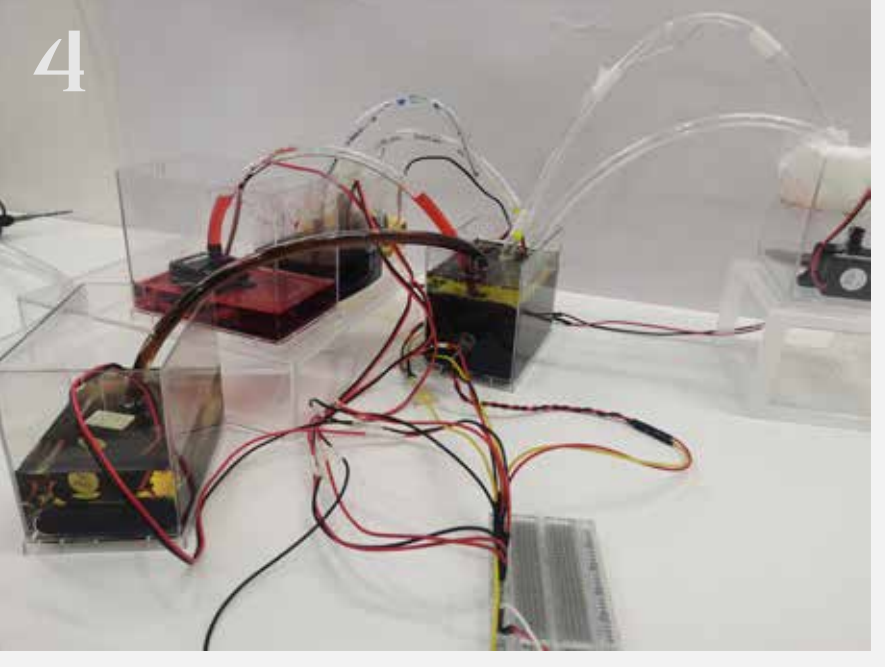
The initial experiment seemed to be worked.



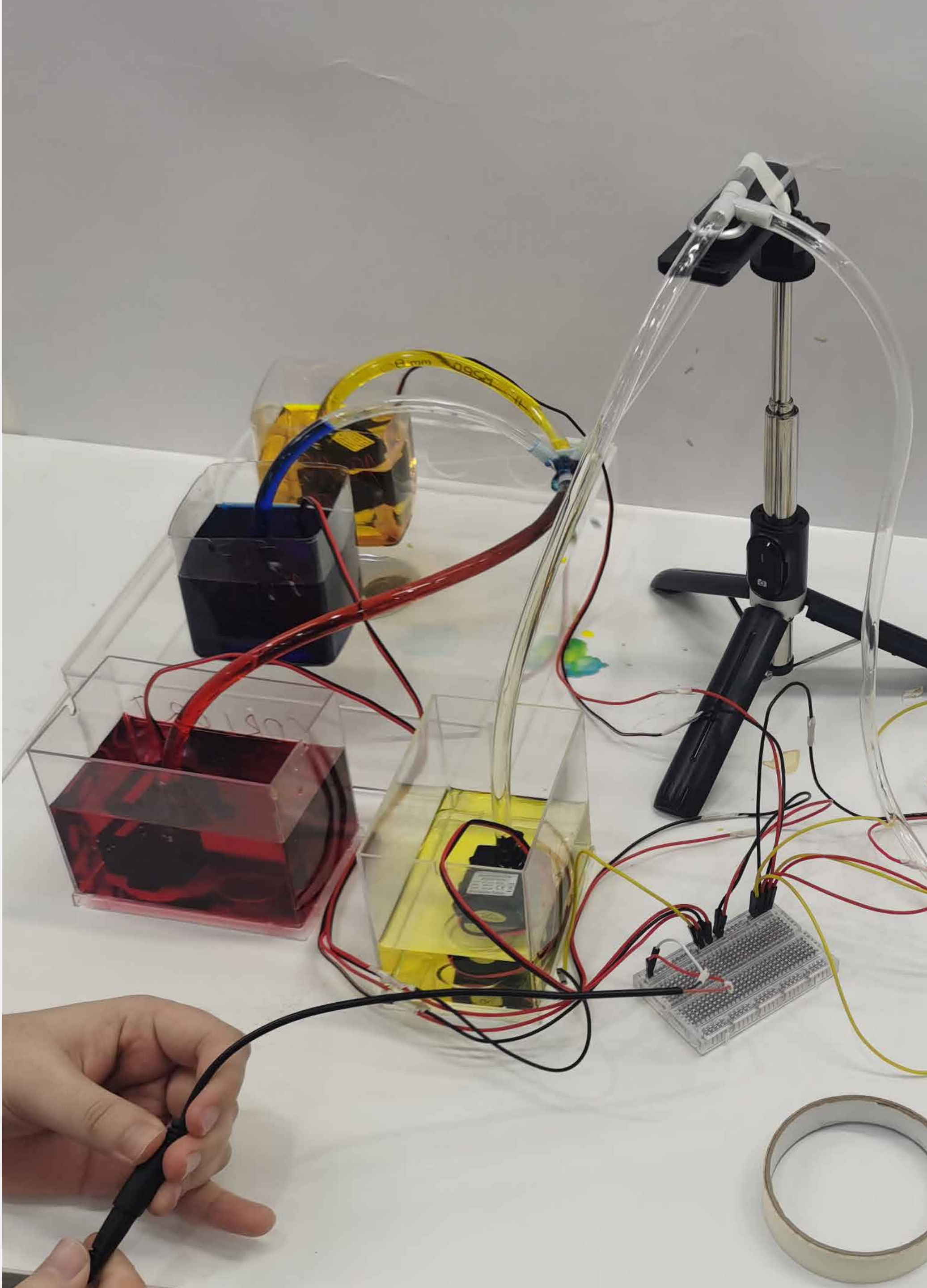
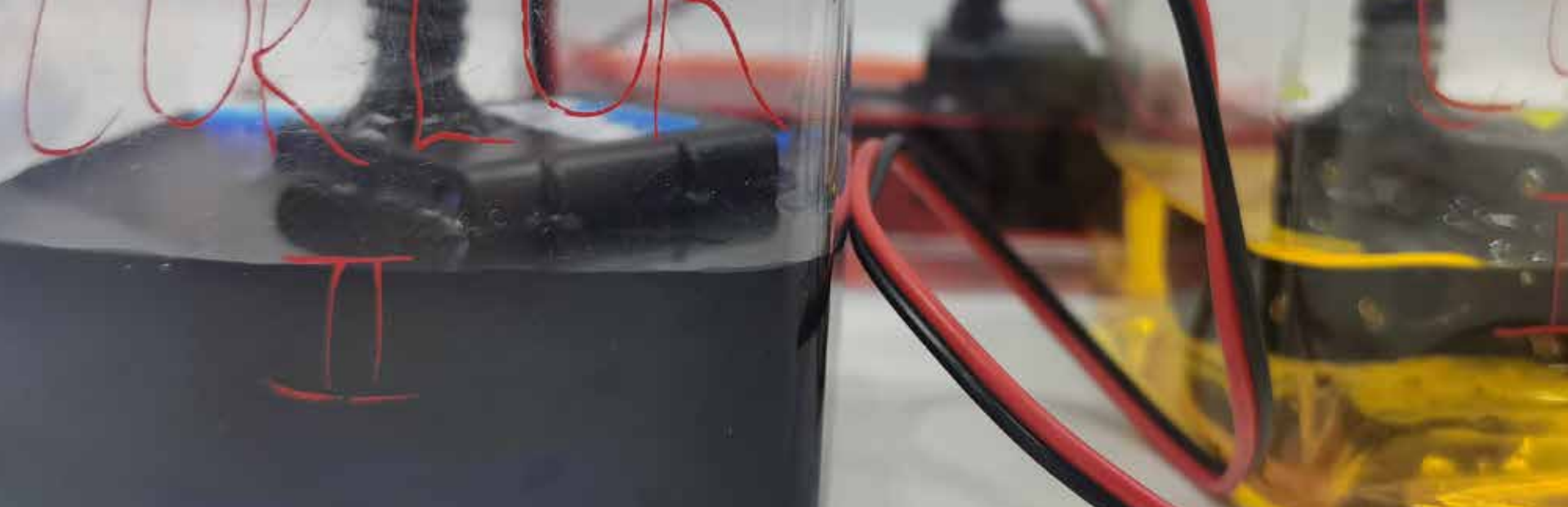
After a while I noticed that there was a leak.



I believe it was due to the water pressure, so I used supports to elevate the pipes, but still failed...

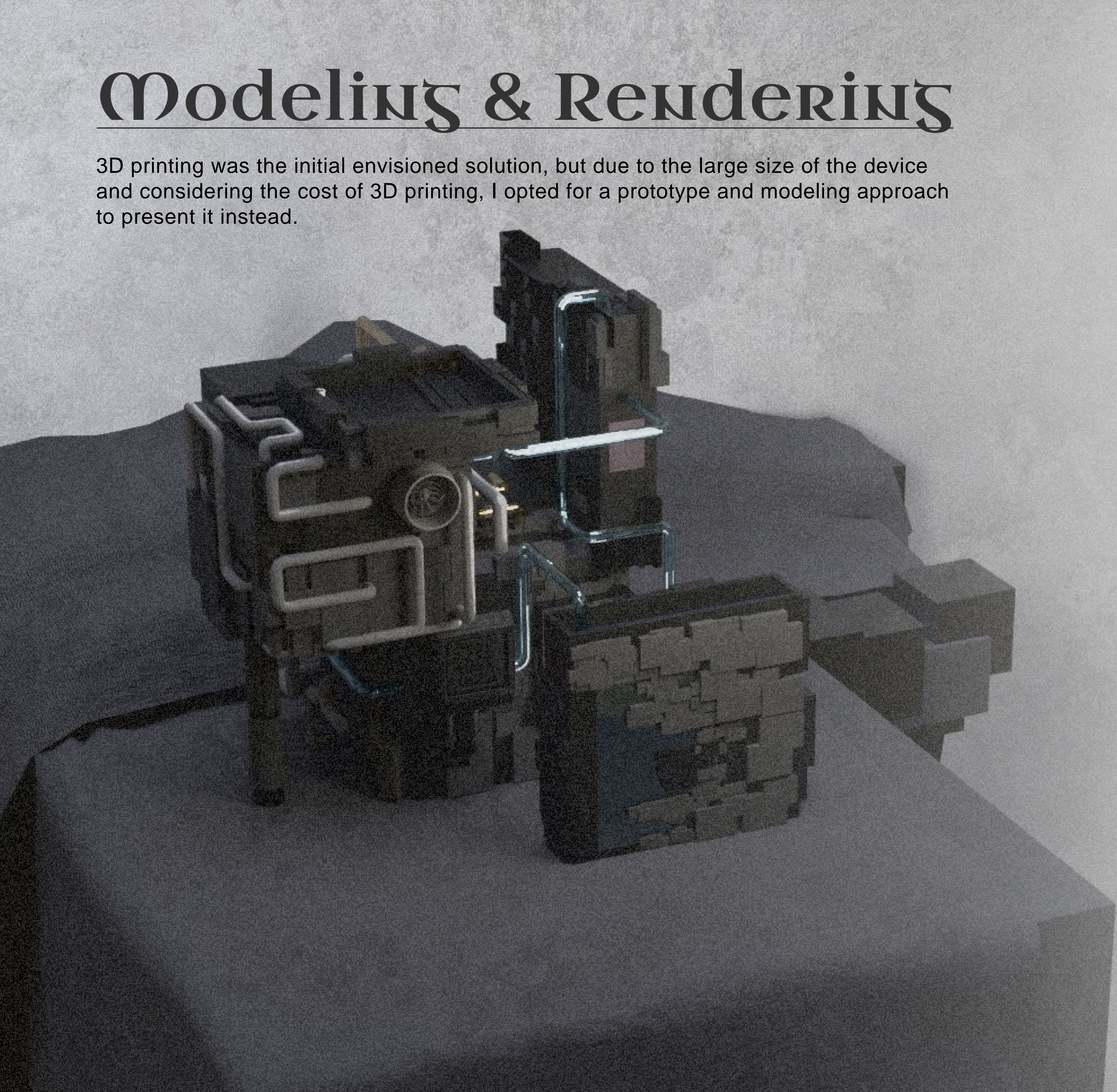


In the end, I abandoned the T-joint pipe and finally succeeded in getting the system to work.

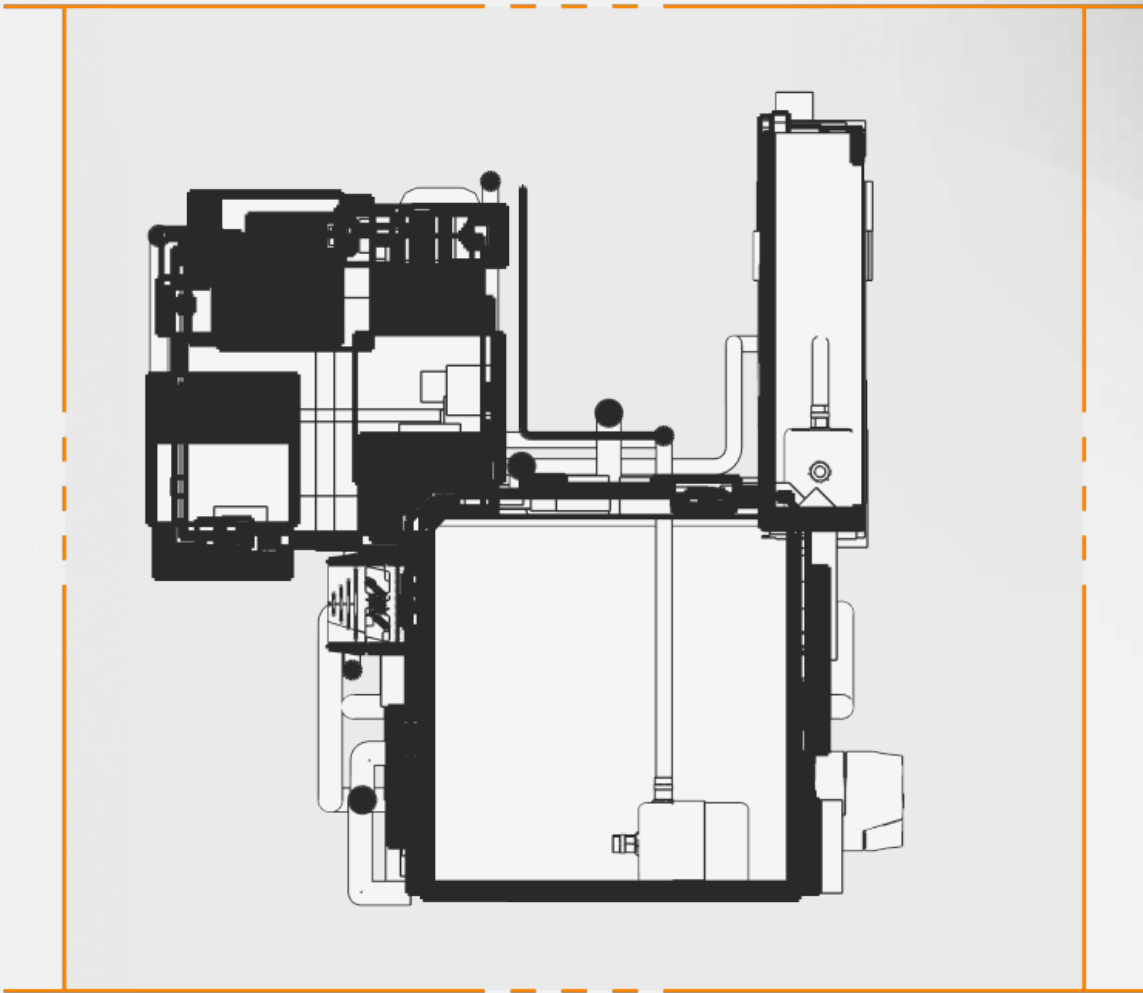
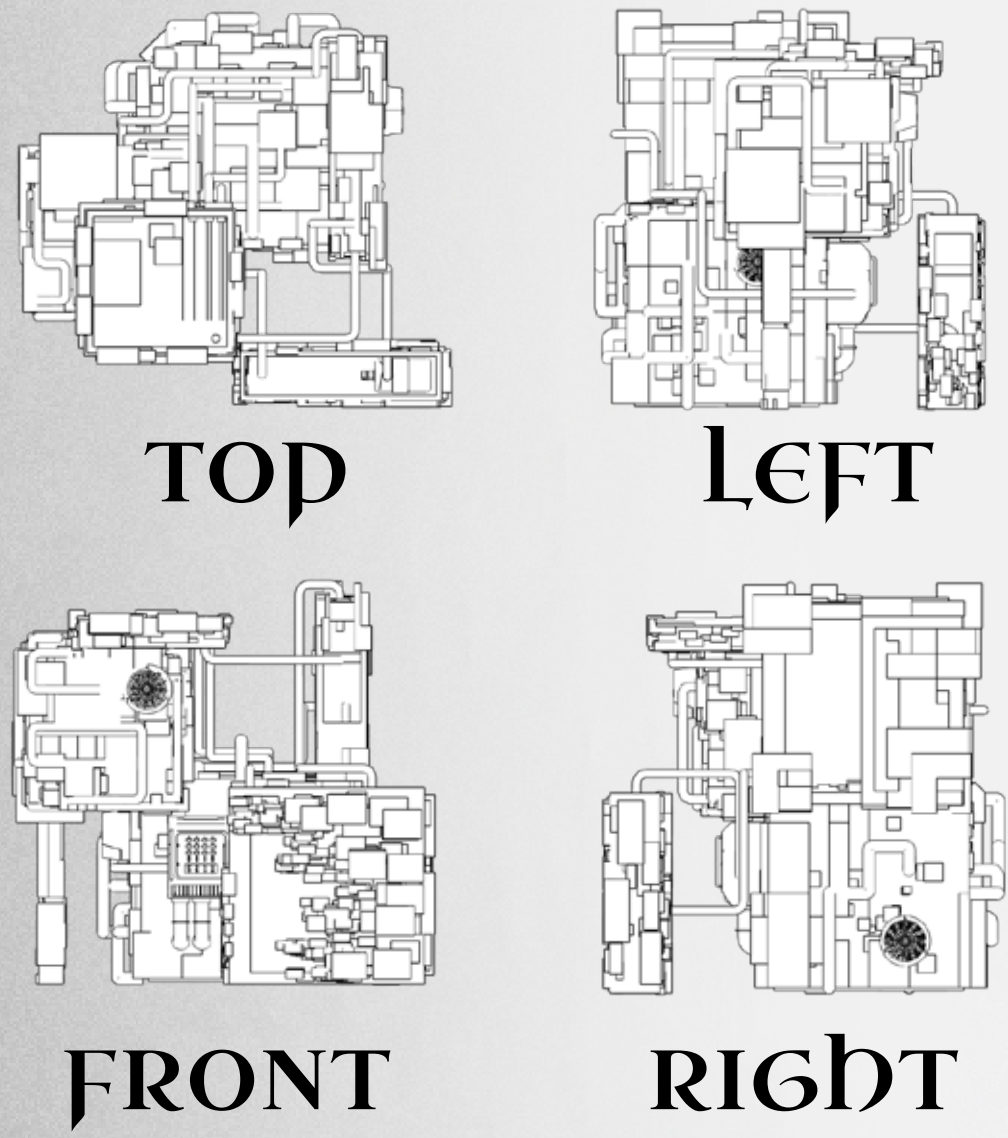


Modeling & Rendering

3D printing was the initial envisioned solution, but due to the large size of the device and considering the cost of 3D printing, I opted for a prototype and modeling approach to present it instead.

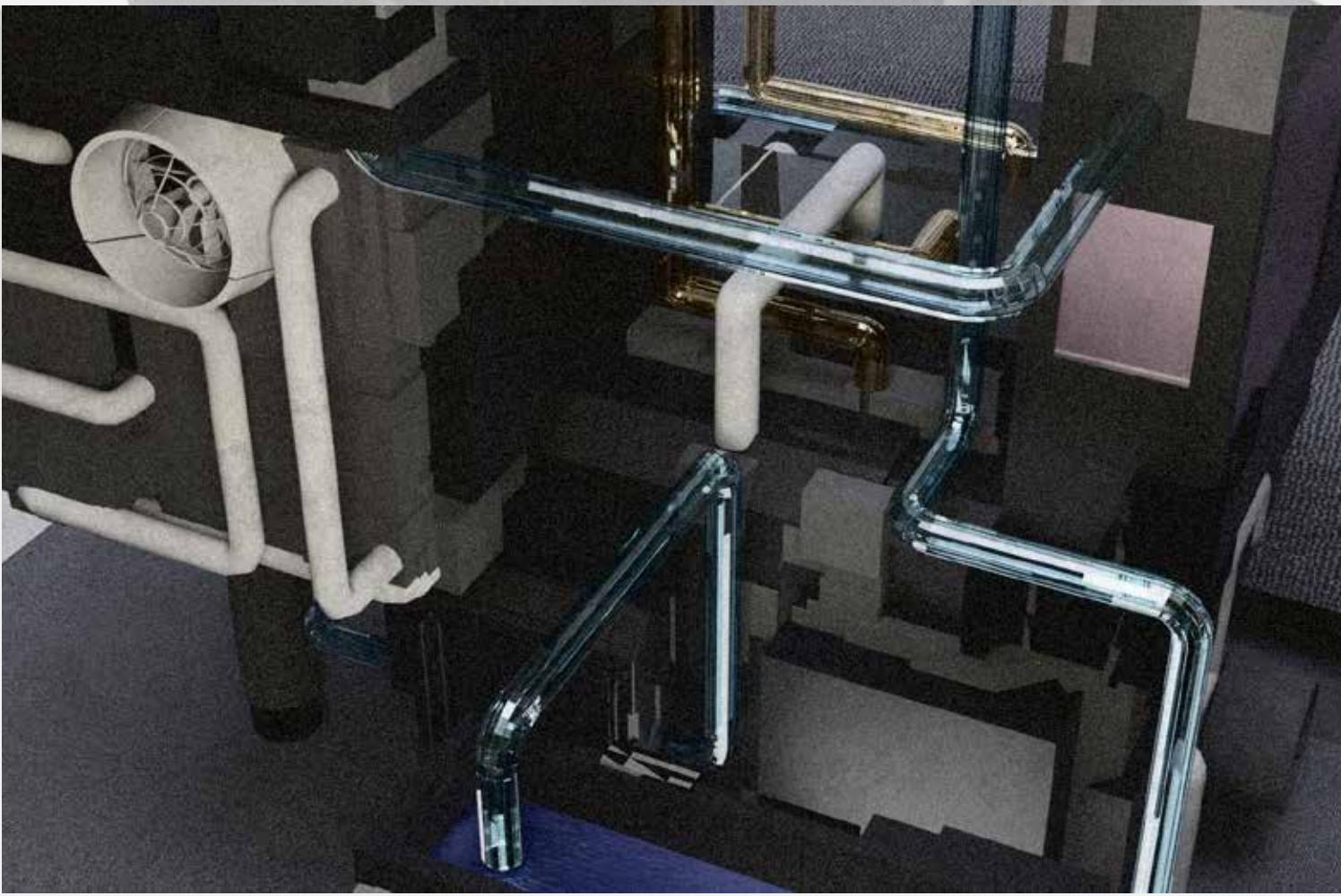


Three-View Drawings



FRONT CROSS-SECTION

Details Exhibition



Liquid Simulating

