**Welcome!**

Thank you for participating!

This experiment will take place in two phases.

In the first phase, you will make judgments about the area of rectangles.

We will explain the second phase after you complete the first phase.

Press ‘space’ to continue the instructions.

On each trial, you will see 3 rectangles and 3 circles as shown below.

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The rectangles and circles are labeled ‘1’, ‘2’, and ‘3’.

Rectangle 1 corresponds to circle1, and so on.

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Your job is to adjust each circle until it has the same area as the corresponding rectangle.

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For example, you would adjust circle 1 until the area of circle 1 matches the area of rectangle 1.

You then repeat this process for each circle.

You can adjust any circle on the screen at any time.

Press ‘space’ to continue the instructions.

You adjust the circles using mouse movements and the left mouse button.

When you’re done adjusting the circles, press the ‘submit’ button to continue to the next trial.

We’ll keep a running score of how close you are to the correct area and update you every so often.

Press ‘space’ to continue the instructions.

You will start with three practice trials.

These trials won’t count towards your score, but they will help you get you familiar with the task.

Press ‘space’ to continue the instructions.

If you have any questions, now is a good time to ask the experimenter.

Press ‘space’ to continue to the practice trials.