

WHAT IS SOFT ELECTRICITY?

Electricity is usually taught as something hard, sharp, untouched. *`◊

This zine suggests another way:

- ❖ that electricity can be approached softly,
- ❖ held gently,
- ❖ and understood through touch
- ❖ and care.

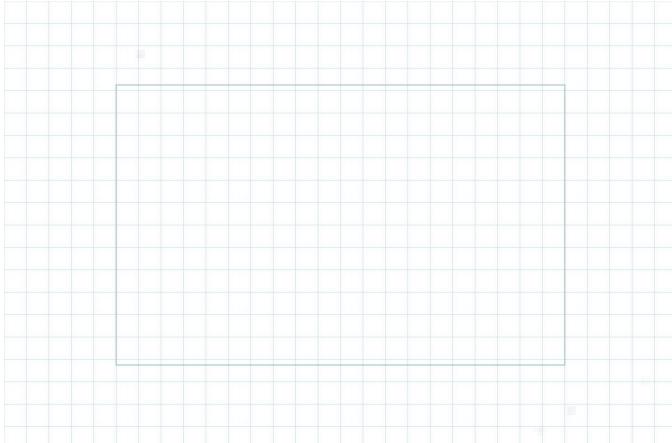
Soft electricity listens.
It responds to pressure, warmth,
hesitation, and breath.

This zine is a guide to those gestures. ツ

GESTURE 02: TRACE THE CURRENT

Touch both ends of the graphite line. Your body becomes a resistor. The LED shifts in brightness.

Resistance is not failure – it is texture. Every gesture alters the signal.



HOW TO MAKE A GENTLE TOUCH CIRCUIT

Steps:

01. Place two copper tape strips with a small gap.
02. Stick the LED so + and - align.
03. Add a coin cell with the + facing +.
04. Press gently to close the gap with your skin.
05. The LED glows in response.

TOUCH VOCABULARY: a map of soft electrical gestures

hover

soft press

long press



stroke/slide



pinch

squeeze