Physical Computing

Designing Physical Interactions for a Digital World

ARTS 370

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Wednesday 1:40PM – 5:30PM

Klapper 107

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Week 1-9

Week 1: What is Physical Computing?

Week 2: Introduction to Electronics

Week 3: Arduino, Hello World

Week 4: Analog Input and Output

Week 5: Digital and Analog Review

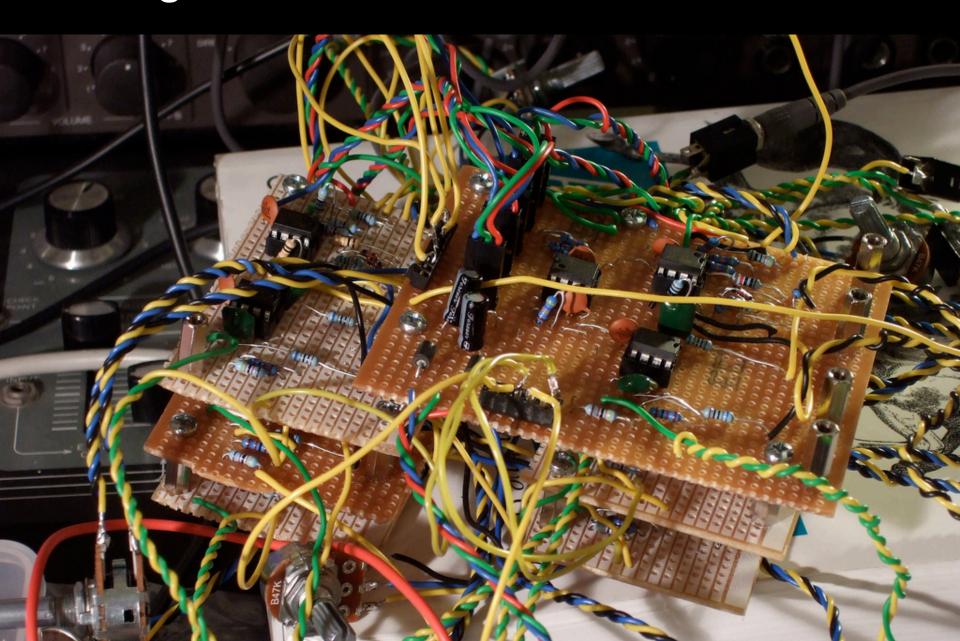
Week 6: Enclosures

Week 7: Serial Communication, Processing and p5.js

Week 8: Soldiering Workshop

Week 9: Midterm Presentation

Hiding This



User Interface and Enclosures



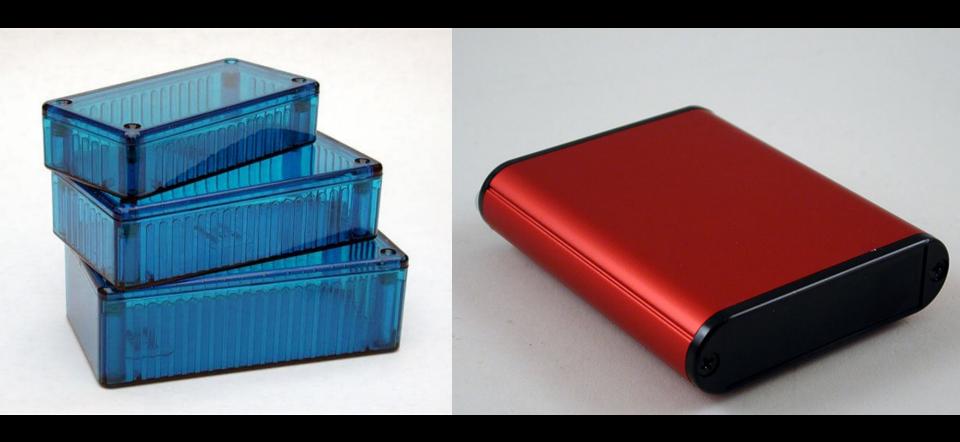




Enclosures for Prototypes

- Easy to open
- Easy to modify
- Easy to make multiples
- Cheap

Store Bought Enclosures



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Electrical Boxes



Hamster Ball



Guitar Pedal Case



Altoid Tins



Tin Cans



PVC Pipes



Old Toys





Build Your Own

LEGOs



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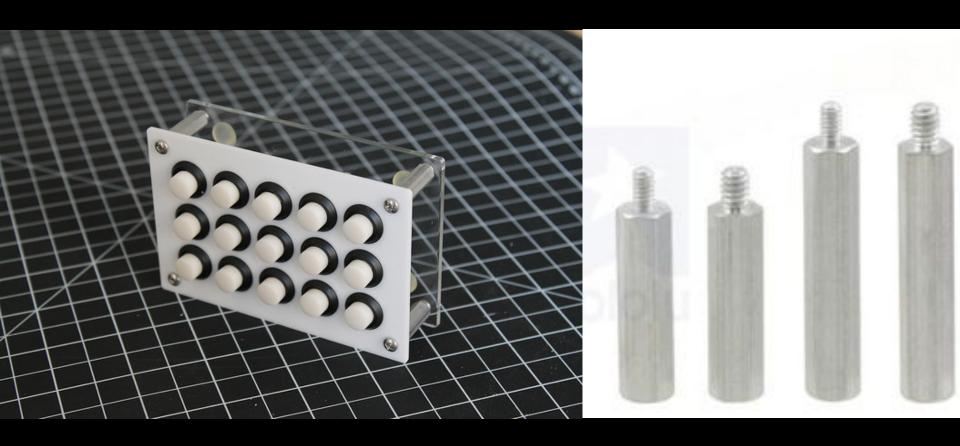
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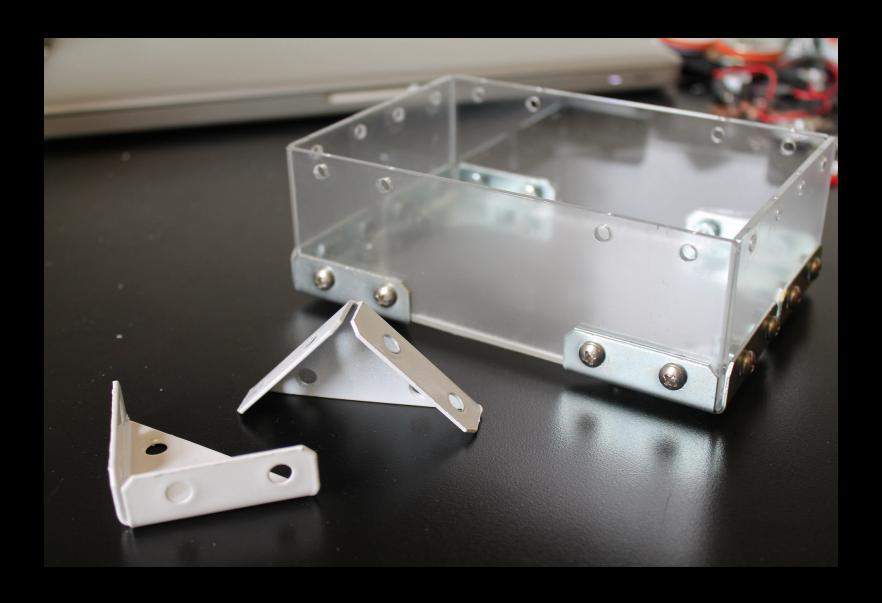
Laser Cut Enclosures



Standoffs



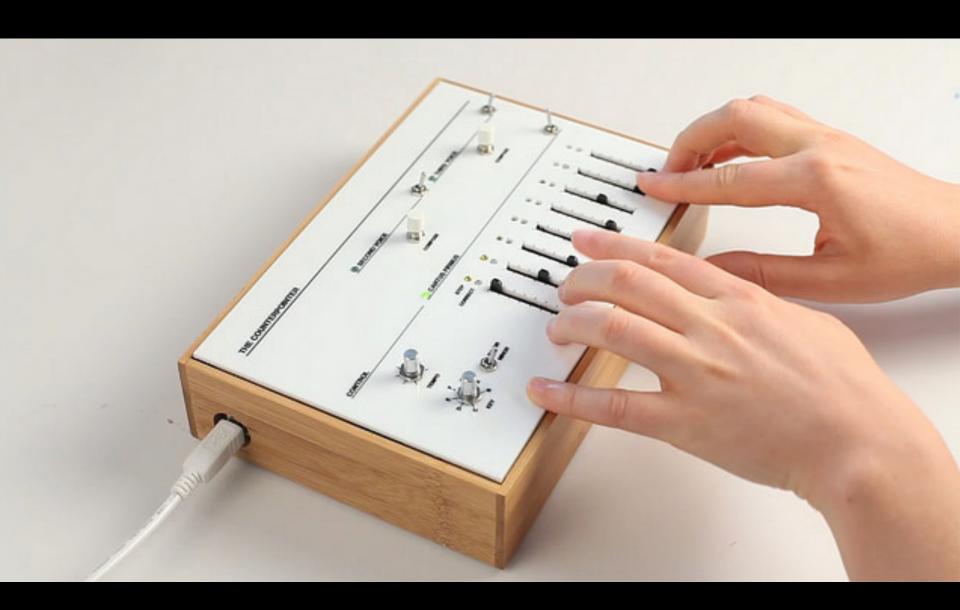
Corner Brackets



Stacked Material



Drawer Organizer + Laser Cut Top



Mason Jar + Laser Cut Top



3D Printed Enclosures



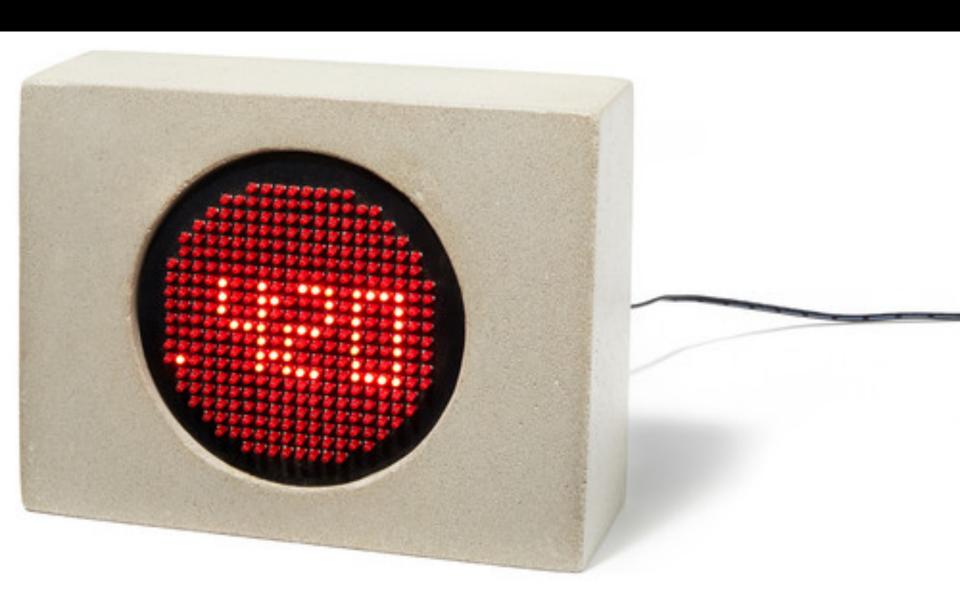
Wooden Enclosures

2x4 Enclosure



Cast Enclosures

Concrete



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Resin



Rubber Feet



Surface Mount Components



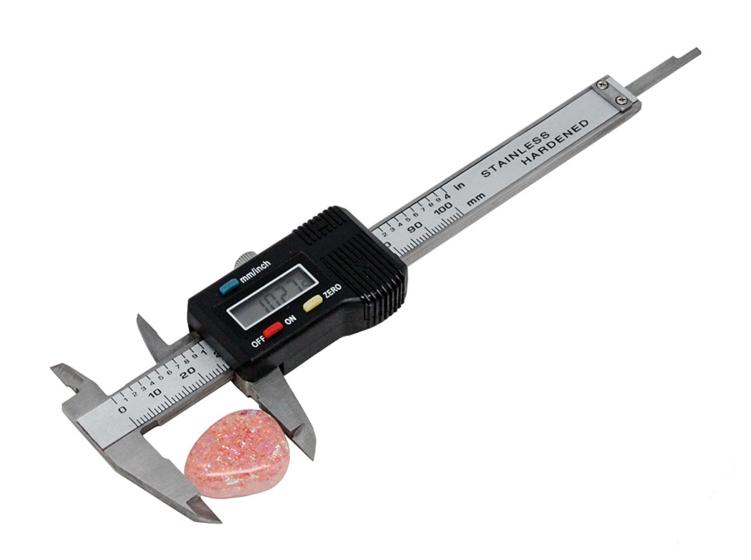






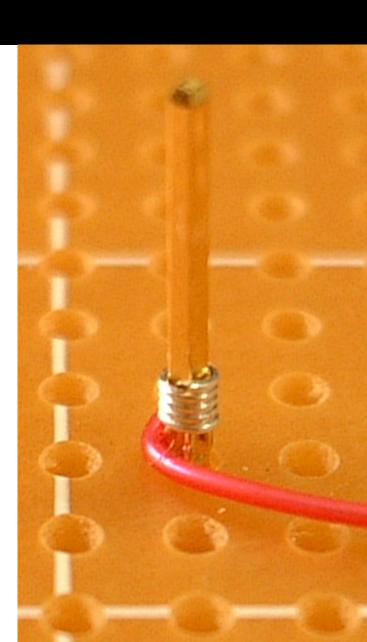


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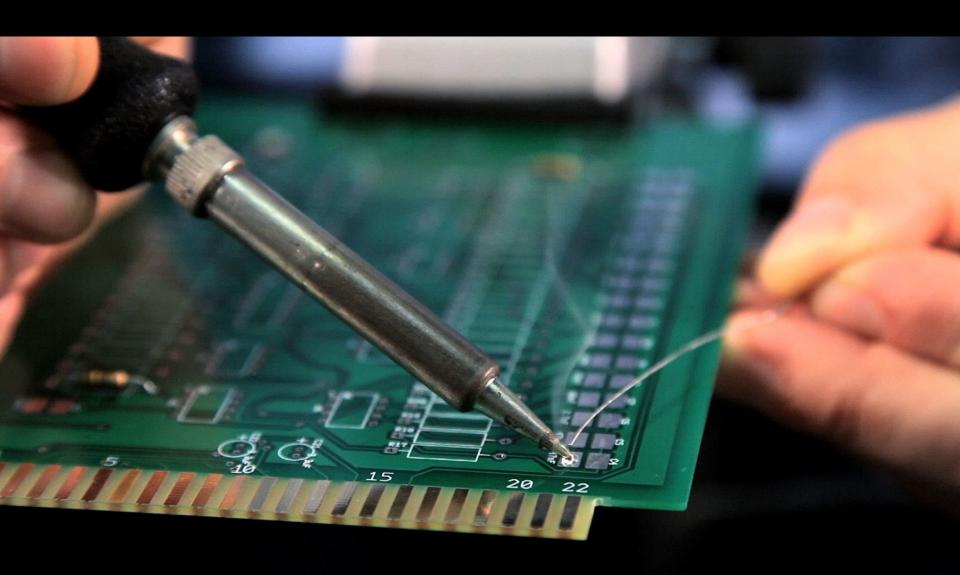


Wire Wrapping





Soldering



In Class/Homework

Start sketching out ideas for an enclosure and interface for your midterm project. Consider the materials you will be using to house your circuitry and how you will put it together.

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