

with((in)(out)) collaboration between 4 artists

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manifold exhibition

- group show at the pyramid art centre warrington
- the 4 artists plus magda stawarska-beavan



the piece

- sonic hemispheres
- projection mapping
- sensor based a/v changes in a gallery context
- unique experience in the gallery
- voyeur vs participant



sonic hemispheres

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- sound behaves very differently when your head is inside a hemisphere
- as you move your head around, the sound changes, as reflections become localised and amplified
- the transducer is attached to the hemisphere and acts as a speaker cone
- certain resonances are hugely amplified through the sonic characteristics of the hemispheres

the technology

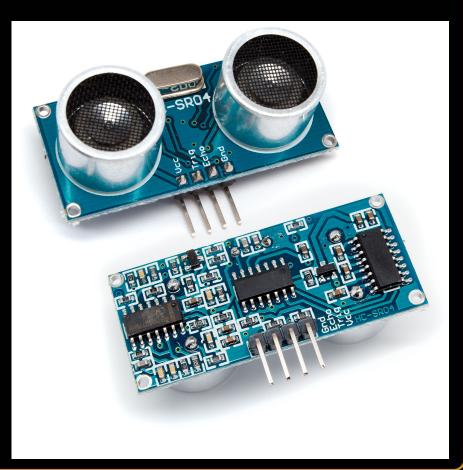
- passive infrared sensor (pir) detection sensors
- sonic hemispheres that have inbuilt transducers
- arduino microcontroller
- max-msp visual programming
- resolume projection mapping software



ultrasound sensors

- initially ultrasound range-finding sensors were used (the HC-SR04)
- the sensors proved to be too sensitive
- and needed smoother power than could be supplied over long cables

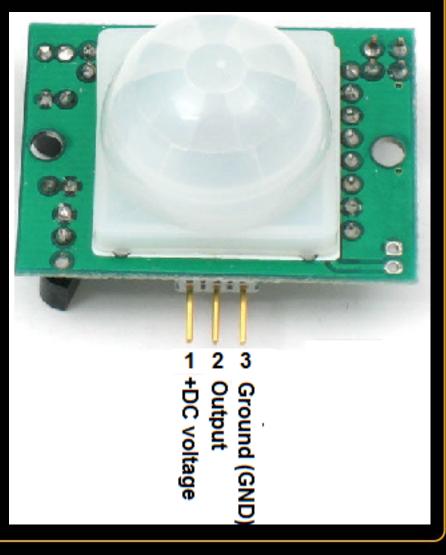




pir sensors

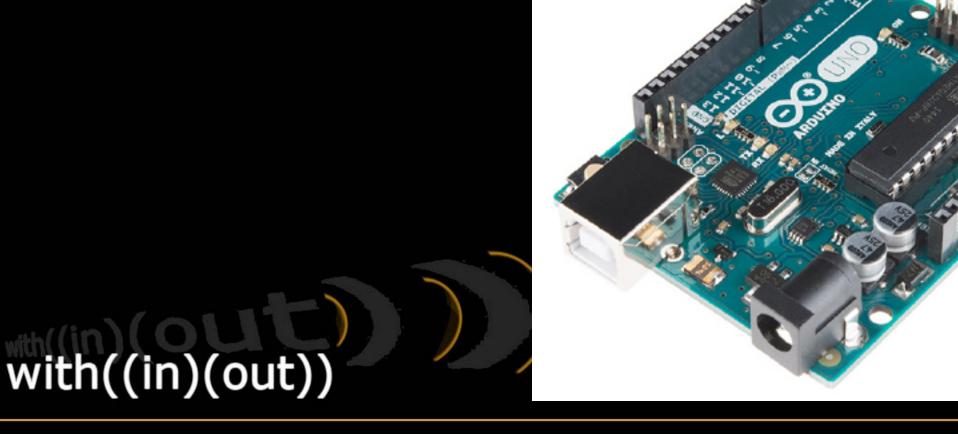
- sensors were changed to standard pir sensors
- low power and consistent
- and needed smoother power than could be supplied over long cables





arduino microcontroller

• 6 sensors connected to an arduino



surface transducers

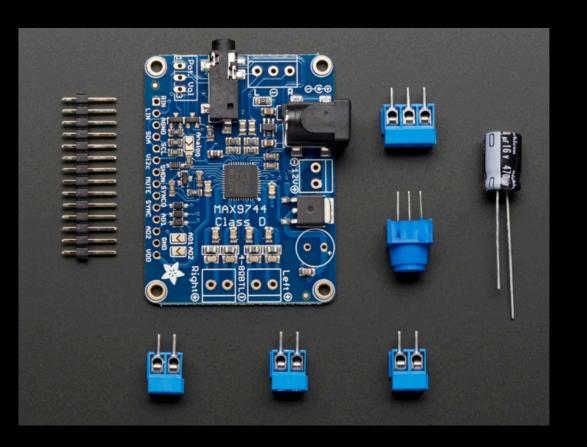
 transducers are connected directly to the hemispheres, thus making the hemisphere akin to a speaker cone





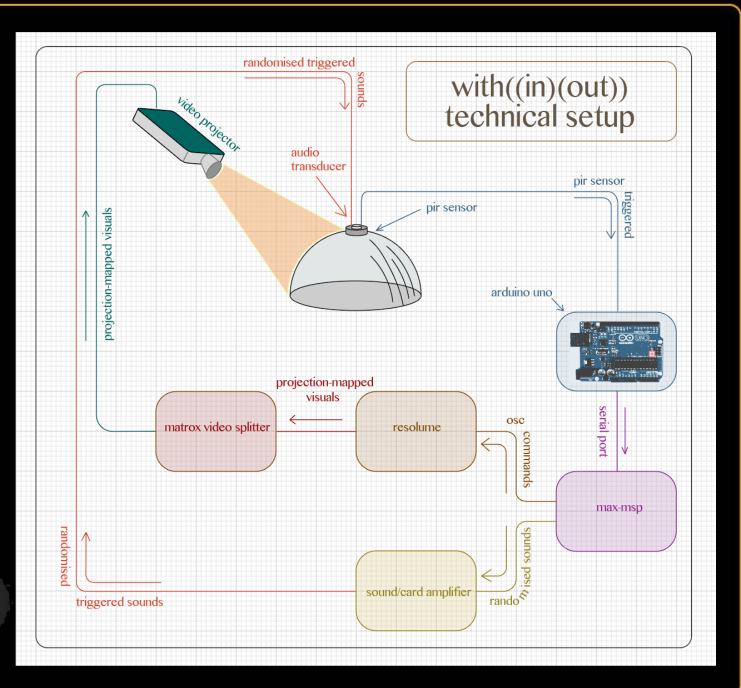
amplifiers

- 20w amplifiers
- digital or analogue (controls)





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setup

arduino code

manifold_sensor_multiple_pirs | Arduino 1.6.8 manifold_sensor_multiple_pirs user_main.c //input pins (for PIR sensors) int inputPin1 = 3; int inputPin2 = 4; int inputPin3 = 5; int inputPin4 = 6; int inputPin5 = 7; int inputPin6 = 8; // variables for reading the pin statuses int val1 = 0;int val2 = 2; int val3 = 4; int val4 = 6: int val5 = 8; int val6 = 10;void setup() { // declare sensor inputs pinMode(inputPin1, INPUT); pinMode(inputPin2, INPUT); pinMode(inputPin3, INPUT); pinMode(inputPin4, INPUT); pinMode(inputPin5, INPUT); pinMode(inputPin6, INPUT);

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manifold_sensor__multiple_pirs | Arduino 1.6.8 Ø manifold_sensor_multiple_pirs user_main.c //sensor 4 val4 = digitalRead(inputPin4); if (val4 == HIGH) { Serial.println("7"); } else if (val4 == LOW) { Serial.println("6"); delay(50); } //sensor5 val5 = digitalRead(inputPin5); if (val5 == HIGH) { Serial.println("9"); } else if (val5 == LOW) { Serial.println("8"); delay(50);} //sensor6 val6 = digitalRead(inputPin6); if (val6 == HIGH) { Serial.println("11"); } else if (val6 == LOW) { Serial.println("10"); delay(50); }

