

## TANGerINE cities

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harmonize urban sounds of the future  
through collaborative manipulation of sound objects inspired by  
cities of the present

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TANGerINE cities let users choose and elaborate sounds characterizing  
today's cities.

TANGerINE cube collects sound fragments of the present and reassemble  
them in order to create a harmonic sounds for the future.

TANGerINE cities is a mean of collective sound creation: a glimpse into  
the sound world of the future cities.

TANGerINE cities imagines a future where technological development will have aided the reduction of metropolitan  
acoustic pollution, as transforming all noises into harmonic soundscape.  
The collaborative nature of TANGerINE table let users compare face-to-face their ideas as they forecast how noises of  
future cities will sound like.

TANGerINE cities can use noises uploaded on the web by users who have  
recorded noises of their own sound worlds. Therefore TANGerINE  
platform provides a real tangible location within the virtual Social  
Networks.