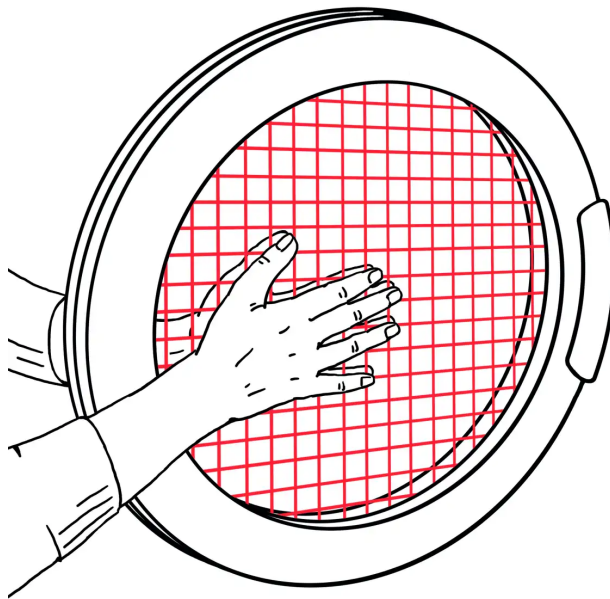


Velvet hands

How do your hands feel against the wire grid?



Touch the wire grid with both hands simultaneously with hands on opposite sides.

Gently press your hands together.

Slowly move your hands over the wire frame.

Try different wire grids.

Your hands feel surprisingly different: soft and velvety. This sensation is slightly different on the different wire grids.

The contrast between the sensation of feeling the hard metal grid structure and your soft skin at the same time triggers the perception that your skin is extremely soft but research has yet to explain why this happens.