



59. soap (bad acting or the art of destringing pigeons)

exhibition #3, Billytown, The Hague

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workperiod and presentation at Billytown, The Hague

Within this project, we conceived the space of Billytown as a rehearsal space. For six weeks there were 'rehearsal-sessions' that could be seen as as many performances: the boundary between rehearsal and performance was dissolved or remained ambiguous. We developed an ever-changing exhibition, searching for the space between practice and presentation. It was a space for collaborative making and dialogue. Whether these sessions would come to an actual 'end point' - and if so, how - was left open. However, we continually resumed things and brought them together to a 'state of affairs' during the final weekend.





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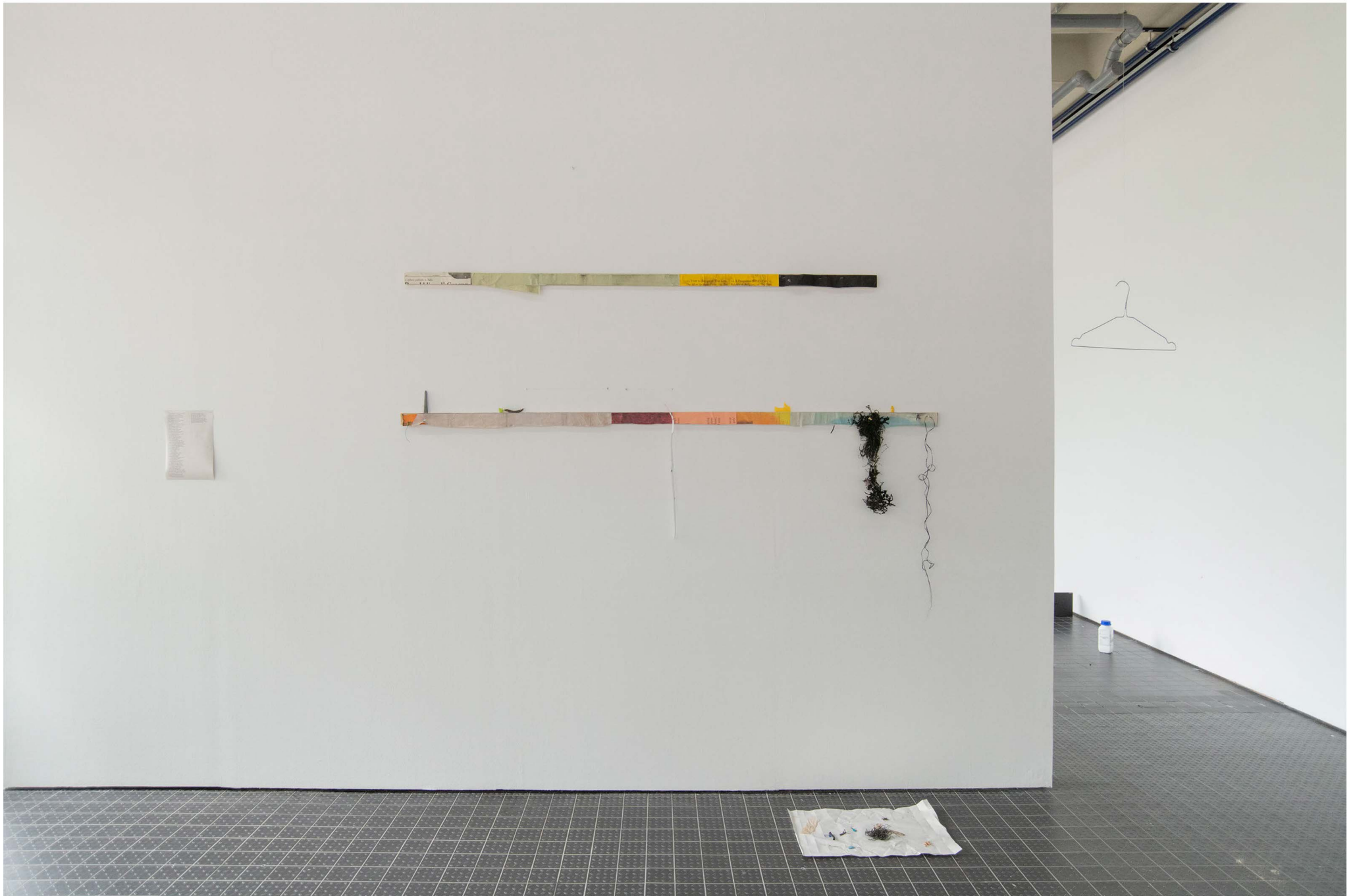
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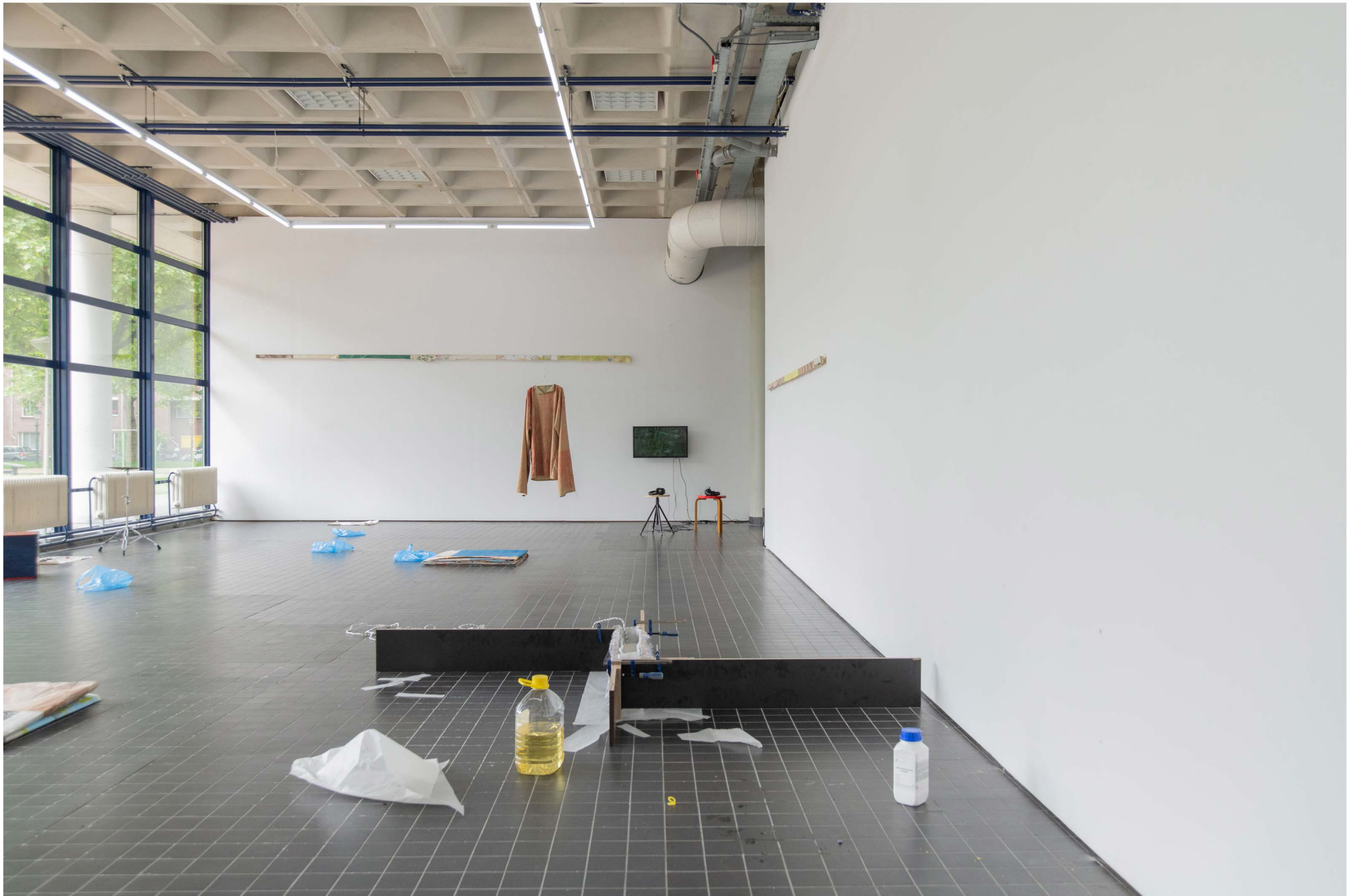
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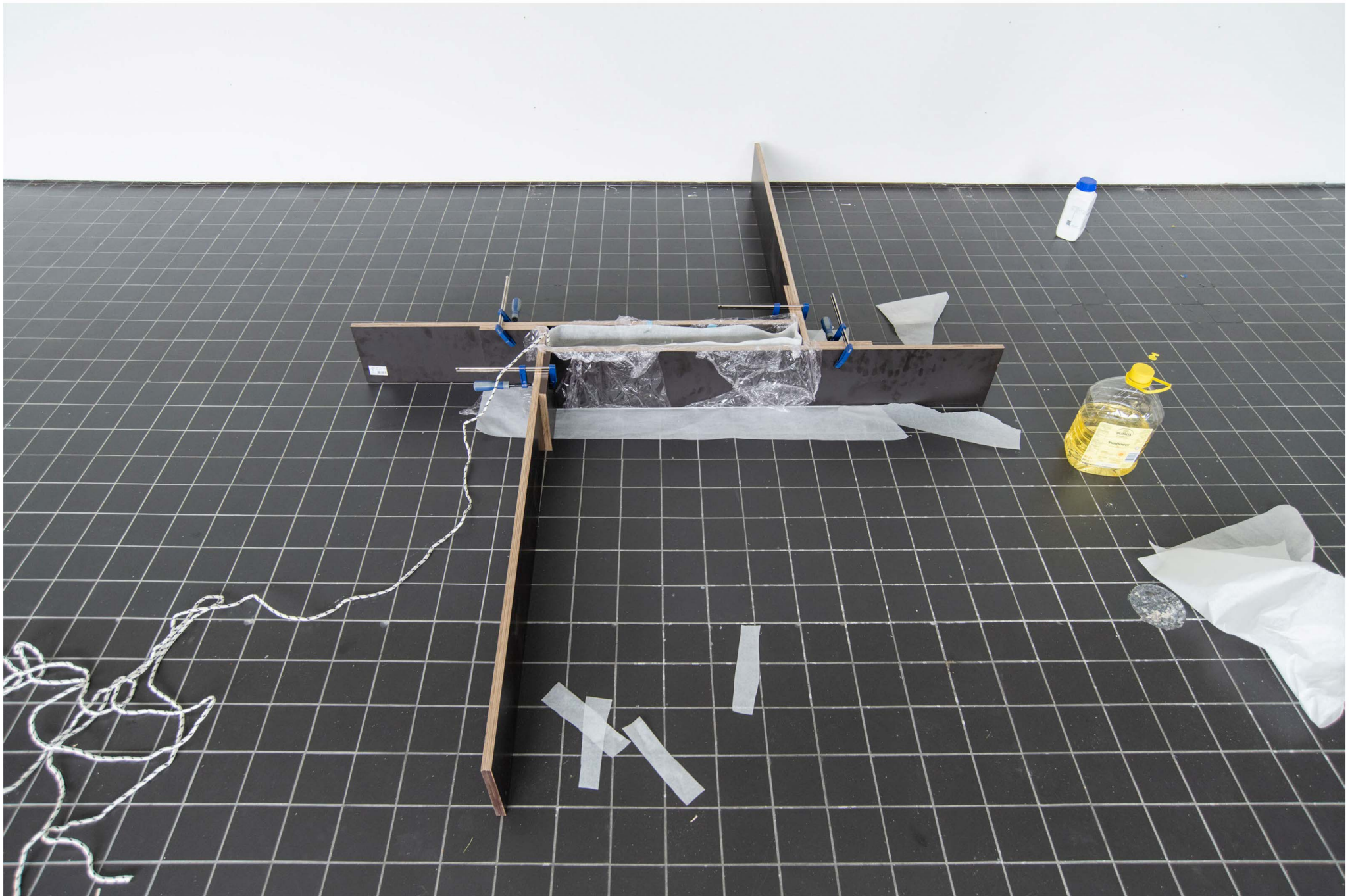
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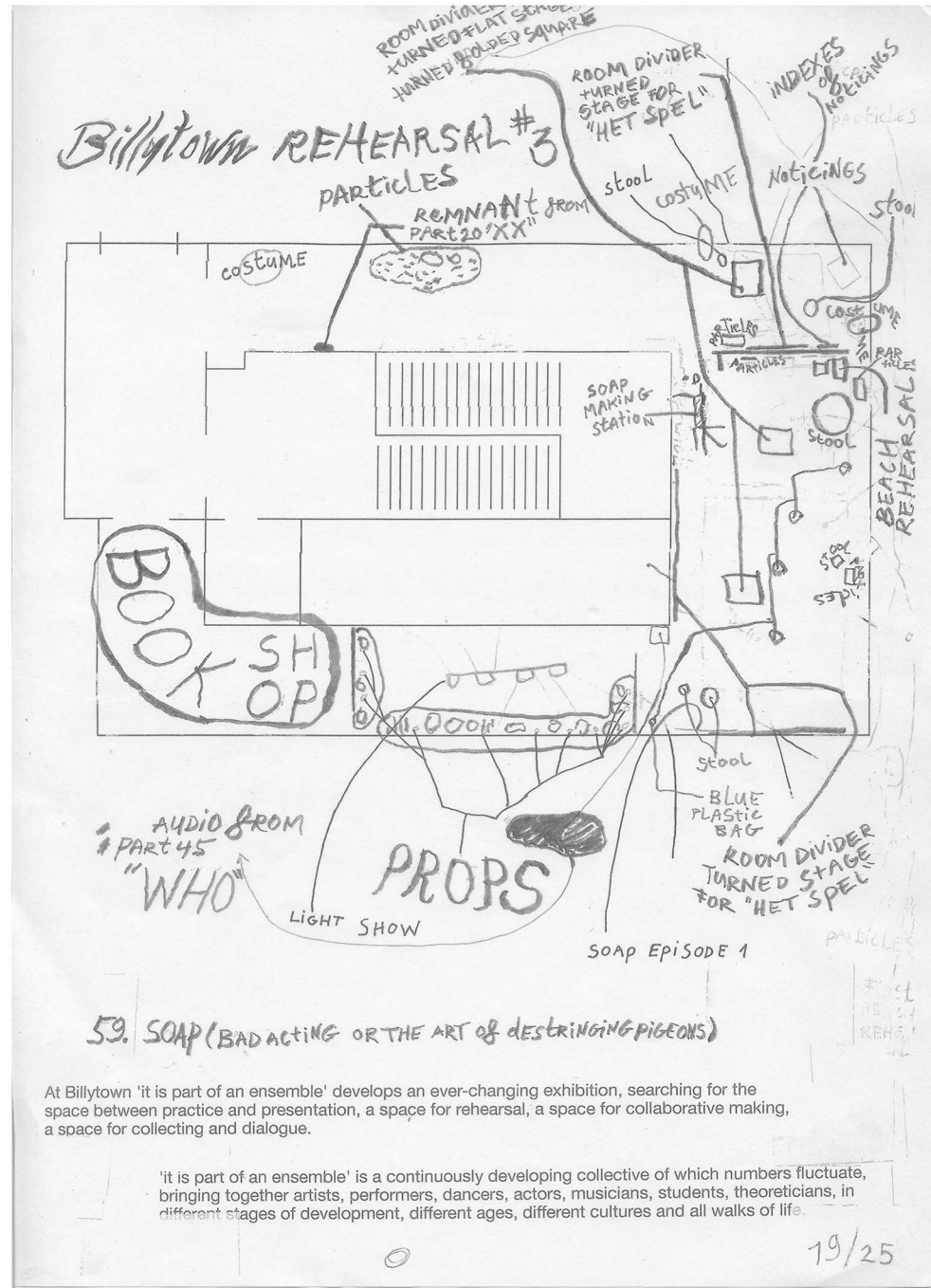
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At Billytown 'it is part of an ensemble' develops an ever-changing exhibition, searching for the space between practice and presentation, a space for rehearsal, a space for collaborative making, a space for collecting and dialogue.

'it is part of an ensemble' is a continuously developing collective of which numbers fluctuate, bringing together artists, performers, dancers, actors, musicians, students, theoreticians, in different stages of development, different ages, different cultures and all walks of life.

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59. soap (bad acting or the art of destringing pigeons), 2024 floorplan

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presentation and workperiod, Billytown, The Hague

For six weeks we did a residency/exhibition at Billytown, we made a series of presentations, episodes of soaps, we jammed, organized two dinners and destringed lots of pigeons.

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