Technology of art

- oil paints & marble

  Representation - more scientific than oil paint & marble

  Pass Christ - Andre Serrano 1987
  Photo of crucifix in jar of urine - but can't tell content from photo

  Is it art? Can be offensive & beautiful?
  Was it just done for shock/money? Does that matter?
  Can it be both? Wave or particle

Digital Technology

Amazon website
  Not art

The Venetian Daughter - online novel
  - also text & graphics, interactive

  Yes art! Only possible then digital technology

How do we know?

  Intent - to make money or not

What about knitting? Needlepoint

Decoration or graphic design vs art

Renaissance - Plague destroyed previous economy
  Mid 14th art
  Allowing independent ownership
  - Sciences start including optics
  - Linear oil & pigment

  Paintings are byzantine - still lifes & nudes