

BPCS Visual Evaluation

The purpose of this evaluation is to assess the effectiveness of modifications to the BPCS steganography algorithm. The evaluation should take no longer than 25 minutes to complete.

During the evaluation you will be asked to download a zipped folder of images. Following this, you will then make a judgement on which images contain payloads and which do not. This judgement will be based solely on looking at the image, the file type, file size or dimensions should not factor into your thinking. The order of images will be dictated to you by the evaluation conductor. After completion, a questionnaire regarding your experience will be presented to you to fill out. Importantly, it is the modifications themselves that are being evaluated here, not your own ability. Should you feel uncomfortable during participation, you may withdraw at any time, with your data then being promptly discarded.

1. Name

2. Email

3. Date

Example: 7 January 2019

4. I have read the above information and consent to taking part

Mark only one oval.

☐ Yes

☐ No

Payload
Detection

You will be instructed to view an image from the downloaded zipped folder. For the given image, if you feel there is a payload present, select "yes", otherwise select "no".

5. Image 1

Mark only one oval.

☐ Yes

☐ No

6. Image 2

Mark only one oval.

☐ Yes

☐ No

7. Image 3

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☐ Yes

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8. Image 4

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☐ Yes

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9. Image 5

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☐ Yes

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10. Image 6

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☐ Yes

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11. Image 7

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12. Image 8

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13. Image 9

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14. Image 10

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15. Image 11

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16. Image 12

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17. Image 13

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18. Image 14

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19. Image 15

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20. Image 16

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21. Image 17

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22. Image 18

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23. Image 19

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24. Image 20

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25. Image 21

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26. Image 22

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27. Image 23

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28. Image 24

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☐ Yes

☐ No

Questionnaire

This section details the questionnaire regarding your experience during the previous payload detection phase.

29. What strategy did you use for detection?

30. Did this strategy change over the course of the evaluation and if so, to what?

31. Did you find it easier to gauge the presence of a payload as the evaluation progressed?

32. Do you feel you would be able to categorise the images with payloads into the algorithm used?

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