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Step 1: Import CSV Data

(reference apolloMain_5 amd apolloMain_6 as example for data manipulation) biasData = readtable('user_choices.csv'); % Replace with the path to your data file disp('User bias data imported successfully.'); taskChoice_Data = readtable('user_choices.csv'); % Replace with the path to your data file disp('User task choice data imported successfully.');

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\label{local_potential} \textbf{robotChoice\_Data} = \textbf{readtable('G:\My Drive\myResearch\Research Experimentation\Apollo\apollo\ata\Bounding\_Overwatch\_Data\HumanData\_Bounding\_Overwatch - 20Split.csv'}
% Convert all column headers to lowercase
robotChoice_Data.Properties.VariableNames = lower(robotChoice_Data.Properties.VariableNames);
disp('User robot choice data imported successfully.');
% Randomly select 10 rows (or all rows if fewer than 10)
numRows = height(robotChoice_Data);
randomIndices = randperm(numRows, min(10, numRows));
robotChoice_Data = robotChoice_Data(randomIndices, :);
% Extract robot state attributes dynamically
robot states = struct();
attributeSuffixes = {'traversability', 'visibility'}; % No leading underscores
for i = 1:3
    for attr = attributeSuffixes
        csvColName = sprintf('robot%d_%s', i, attr{1});  % Matches CSV column names
        structFieldName = attr{1};  % Valid field name
        if ismember(csvColName, robotChoice_Data.Properties.VariableNames)
            robot_states.(['robot' num2str(i)]).(structFieldName) = robotChoice_Data.(csvColName);
            warning('Missing attribute column: %s', csvColName);
            robot_states.(['robot' num2str(i)]).(structFieldName) = NaN(height(robotChoice_Data), 1);
    end
% Extract choice data and other metadata
choices = robotChoice_Data.choice;
participant_ids = robotChoice_Data.id;
stake_types = robotChoice_Data.stakes;
time_spent = robotChoice_Data.timeelapsed;
```

User robot choice data imported successfully.

Step 2: R Bridge Implementation

```
disp('Initializing R bridge...');

% Configure paths
rscript_path = 'C:\Program Files\R\R-4.4.2\bin\x64\Rscript.exe';
r_script = 'G:\My Drive\myResearch\Research Experimentation\Apollo\apollo\example\DFT_Bounding_Overwatch.R';
csvFile = 'G:\My Drive\myResearch\Research Experimentation\Apollo\apollo\data\Bounding_Overwatch_Data\HumanData_Bounding_Overwatch - 80Split.csv';
outputDir = 'G:\My Drive\myResearch\Research Experimentation\Apollo\apollo\Output_BoundingOverwatch';

% Verify installations
if ~isfile(rscript_path)
    error('Rscript.exe not found at: %s', rscript_path);
elseif ~isfile(r_script)
    error('R script not found at: %s', r_script);
elseif ~isfile(csvFile)
    error('Input CSV not found at: %s', csvFile);
elseif ~isfolder(outputDir)
warning('Output folder does not exist, creating: %s', outputDir);
    mkdir(outputDir);
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end
% Execute R with JSON output
   % Use proper argument formatting
    cmd = sprintf(['"%s" "%s" ', ...
               '-i "%s" -o "%s"'], ...
               rscript_path, r_script, csvFile, outputDir);
[status,result] = system(cmd);
    if status == 0
        % Handle output path (whether directory or file)
        if isfolder(outputDir)
           jsonFile = fullfile(outputDir, 'DFT_output.json');
        else
            jsonFile = outputDir;
        end
        % Parse JSON output
        if exist(jsonFile, 'file')
           jsonText = fileread(jsonFile);
            params = jsondecode(jsonText);
            \% Extract parameters with validation
            %Boundedphi1, phi2 parameters
            %phi1 = max(0, validateParam(params, 'phi1', 0.5)); % Ensure non-negative
            \%phi2 = min(max(0, validateParam(params, 'phi2', 0.8)), 1); \% Constrain 0-1
            %Raw phi1, phi2 parameters
            phi1 = validateParam(params, 'phi1', 0.5);
            phi2 = validateParam(params, 'phi2', 0.8);
            tau = 1 + exp(validateParam(params, 'timesteps', 0.5));
            error_sd = min(max(0.1, validateParam(params, 'error_sd', 0.1)), 1); % still clip here
            % Extract attribute weights
            beta_weights = [
                params.b attr1;
                params.b_attr2;
                params.b_attr3;
                params.b_attr4
            % Get initial preferences from ASCs
            initial_P = [
                validateParam(params, 'asc_1', 0);
                validateParam(params, 'asc_2', 0);
                validateParam(params, 'asc_3', 0);
            1;
            disp('Estimated Parameters:');
            disp(['phi1: ', num2str(phi1)]);
disp(['phi2: ', num2str(phi2)]);
            disp(['tau: ', num2str(tau)]);
            disp(['error_sd: ', num2str(error_sd)]);
            disp('Initial Preferences (from ASCs):');
            disp(initial_P');
            error('R output file not found');
        end
    else
        error('R execution failed: %s', result);
    end
catch ME
   disp('Error during R execution:');
    disp(getReport(ME, 'extended'));
    [phi1, phi2, tau, error_sd] = getFallbackParams();
    beta_weights = [0.3; 0.2; 0.4; 0.5]; % Default weights
    initial_P = zeros(3,1); % Neutral initial preferences
end
```

Initializing R bridge...

Step 3: MDFT Formulation to Calculate Preference Dynamics

(MDFT calculations based on estimated parameters) Create M matrix from current trial's attributes C11-C14 are consequence attributes for Robot 1 C21-C24 are consequence attributes for Robot 2 C31-C34 are consequence attributes for Robot 3

```
for current_trial = 1:height(robotChoice_Data)
    num_attributes = 4;

M = [
    robotChoice_Data.c11(current_trial), robotChoice_Data.c12(current_trial), robotChoice_Data.c13(current_trial), robotChoice_Data.c14(current_trial);
    robotChoice_Data.c21(current_trial), robotChoice_Data.c22(current_trial), robotChoice_Data.c23(current_trial), robotChoice_Data.c24(current_trial);
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robotChoice_Data.c31(current_trial), robotChoice_Data.c32(current_trial), robotChoice_Data.c33(current_trial), robotChoice_Data.c34(current_trial)
    % Normalize M values by dividing by 2 and clamping to [0.01, 1]
    %M = M / 2;
    M = \max(0.01, \min(1, M));
    % --- Global Max Normalization ---
    global_max = max(robotChoice_Data{:, {'c11','c12','c13','c14','c21','c22','c23','c24','c31','c32','c33','c34'}}, [], 'all', 'omitnan');
    if ~isfinite(global_max) || global_max <= 0</pre>
       global_max = 1; % fallback in case of zero or NaN
    M = M / global_max;
                                    % Normalize by global max
    M = max(0.01, min(1, M));
                                  % Clamp to [0.01, 1]
    attributes = {'C1 - Easy Nav, Low Exposure', 'C2 - Hard Nav, Low Exposure', 'C3 - Easy Nav, High Exposure', 'C4 - Hard Nav, High Exposure'};
    beta = beta_weights ./ sum(abs(beta_weights));
    beta = beta';
    [E_P, V_P, choice_probs, P_tau] = calculateDFTdynamics(...
       phi1, phi2, tau, error_sd, beta, M, initial_P);
    % Display results for the trial
    disp('=== Trial Analysis ===');
    disp(['Trial: ', num2str(current_trial)]);
    disp(['Participant: ', num2str(participant_ids(current_trial))]);
    disp(['Actual Choice: Robot ', num2str(choices(current_trial))]);
    disp('M matrix (alternatives × attributes):');
    disp(array2table(M, ...
        'RowNames', {'Robot1', 'Robot2', 'Robot3'}, ...
        'VariableNames', attributes));
    disp('DFT Results:');
    disp(['E_P: ', num2str(E_P', '%.2f ')]);
    disp(['Choice probabilities: ', num2str(choice_probs', '%.3f ')]);
    [~, predicted_choice] = max(choice_probs);
    disp(['Predicted choice: Robot ', num2str(predicted_choice)]);
    disp(['Actual choice: Robot ', num2str(choices(current_trial))]);
    disp(' ');
    if predicted_choice == choices(current_trial)
       disp('√ Prediction matches actual choice');
    else
       disp('X Prediction differs from actual choice');
    % Plot evolution
    figure;
    plot(0:tau, P_tau);
    xlabel('Preference Step (\tau)');
    ylabel('Preference Strength');
    legend({'Robot1','Robot2','Robot3'});
    title(sprintf('Preference Evolution (Trial %d)', current_trial));
    grid on;
%% Step 4: Output Results
disp('Saving results to CSV...');
output_table = table(E_P, V_P, P_tau(end,:)', ...
                     'VariableNames', {'ExpectedPreference', 'VariancePreference', 'FinalPreferences'});
writetable(output_table, 'results.csv');
disp('Results saved successfully!');
%}
=== Trial Analysis ===
Trial: 1
Participant: 125802
Actual Choice: Robot 2
M matrix (alternatives \times attributes):
             C1 - Easy Nav, Low Exposure C2 - Hard Nav, Low Exposure C3 - Easy Nav, High Exposure C4 - Hard Nav, High Exposure
    Robot1
                       0.73652
                                                      0.38255
                                                                                     0.42763
                                                                                                                     0.073652
                       0.67866
                                                      0.39279
                                                                                      0.35374
                                                                                                                     0.067866
    Robot2
                       0.62569
                                                       0.3555
                                                                                      0.33276
                                                                                                                     0.062569
    Robot3
DFT Results:
E P: NaN NaN NaN
Choice probabilities: NaN NaN NaN
Predicted choice: Robot 1
Actual choice: Robot 2
X Prediction differs from actual choice
=== Trial Analysis ===
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Trial: 2

Robot1

Robot2

Robot3

0.77451

0.71033

0.72249

Participant: 141831

Actual Choice: Robot 1 M matrix (alternatives × attributes): C1 - Easy Nav, Low Exposure C2 - Hard Nav, Low Exposure C3 - Easy Nav, High Exposure C4 - Hard Nav, High Exposure Robot1 0.98097 0.53074 0.54833 0.098097 Robot2 0.98633 0.53699 0.54797 0.098633 Robot3 0.55743 0.54257 0.1 1 DET Results: E_P: NaN NaN NaN Choice probabilities: NaN NaN NaN Predicted choice: Robot 1 Actual choice: Robot 1 \checkmark Prediction matches actual choice === Trial Analysis === Trial: 3 Participant: 141831 Actual Choice: Robot 3 M matrix (alternatives × attributes): C1 - Easy Nav, Low Exposure C2 - Hard Nav, Low Exposure C3 - Easy Nav, High Exposure C4 - Hard Nav, High Exposure 0.7074 0.31062 0.46752 0.07074 Robot1 Robot2 0.45655 0.085165 0.85165 0.48026 Robot3 0.89827 0.50149 0.48661 0.089827 DFT Results: E_P: NaN NaN NaN Choice probabilities: NaN NaN NaN Predicted choice: Robot 1 Actual choice: Robot 3 X Prediction differs from actual choice === Trial Analysis === Trial: 4 Participant: 125802 Actual Choice: Robot 1 M matrix (alternatives × attributes): C1 - Easy Nav, Low Exposure C2 - Hard Nav, Low Exposure C3 - Easy Nav, High Exposure C4 - Hard Nav, High Exposure Robot1 0.71049 0.4078 0.37373 0.071049 0.71578 0.42155 0.3658 0.071578 Robot2 0.36063 0.065147 Robot3 0.65147 0.35598 DFT Results: E_P: NaN NaN NaN Choice probabilities: NaN NaN NaN Predicted choice: Robot 1 Actual choice: Robot 1 \checkmark Prediction matches actual choice === Trial Analysis === Trial: 5 Participant: 125802 Actual Choice: Robot 3 M matrix (alternatives × attributes): C1 - Easy Nav, Low Exposure C2 - Hard Nav, Low Exposure C3 - Easy Nav, High Exposure C4 - Hard Nav, High Exposure 0.77219 0.077219 Robot1 0.40174 0.44767 Robot2 0.90573 0.52439 0.47191 0.090573 Robot3 0.71866 0.3881 0.40242 0.071866 DFT Results: E P: NaN NaN NaN Choice probabilities: NaN NaN NaN Predicted choice: Robot 1 Actual choice: Robot 3 X Prediction differs from actual choice === Trial Analysis === Trial: 6 Participant: 125802 Actual Choice: Robot 3 M matrix (alternatives × attributes): C1 - Easy Nav, Low Exposure C2 - Hard Nav, Low Exposure C3 - Easy Nav, High Exposure C4 - Hard Nav, High Exposure

0.45938

0.43512

0.46139

0.39258

0.34624

0.33335

0.077451

0.071033

0.072249

DFT Results: E_P: NaN NaN NaN

Choice probabilities: NaN NaN NaN

Predicted choice: Robot 1 Actual choice: Robot 3

 $\ensuremath{\mathsf{X}}$ Prediction differs from actual choice

=== Trial Analysis ===

Trial: 7

Participant: 125802 Actual Choice: Robot 2

M matrix (alternatives × attributes):

C1 - Easy Nav, Low Exposure C2 - Hard Nav, Low Exposure C3 - Easy Nav, High Exposure C4 - Hard Nav, High Exposure

 Robot1
 0.81855
 0.53498
 0.36543
 0.081855

 Robot2
 0.81614
 0.51049
 0.38726
 0.081614

 Robot3
 0.88541
 0.54391
 0.43004
 0.088541

DFT Results:

E_P: NaN NaN NaN

Choice probabilities: NaN NaN NaN

Predicted choice: Robot 1 Actual choice: Robot 2

 $\ensuremath{\mathsf{X}}$ Prediction differs from actual choice

=== Trial Analysis === Trial: 8 Participant: 141831

Actual Choice: Robot 3

M matrix (alternatives × attributes):

C1 - Easy Nav, Low Exposure C2 - Hard Nav, Low Exposure C3 - Easy Nav, High Exposure C4 - Hard Nav, High Exposure

 Robot1
 0.77458
 0.43063
 0.4214
 0.077458

 Robot2
 0.77104
 0.4271
 0.42105
 0.077104

 Robot3
 0.7462
 0.43449
 0.38632
 0.07462

DFT Results: E_P: NaN NaN NaN

Choice probabilities: NaN NaN NaN

Predicted choice: Robot 1 Actual choice: Robot 3

X Prediction differs from actual choice

=== Trial Analysis ===

Trial: 9

Participant: 125802 Actual Choice: Robot 2

M matrix (alternatives \times attributes):

C1 - Easy Nav, Low Exposure C2 - Hard Nav, Low Exposure C3 - Easy Nav, High Exposure C4 - Hard Nav, High Exposure

Robot1 0.63317 0.3741 0.32239 0.063317 Robot2 0.70541 0.43618 0.33977 0.070541 Robot3 0.48233 0.18264 0.34793 0.048233

DFT Results:

E_P: NaN NaN NaN

Choice probabilities: NaN NaN NaN

Predicted choice: Robot 1 Actual choice: Robot 2

 ${\sf X}$ Prediction differs from actual choice

=== Trial Analysis ===

Trial: 10

Participant: 141831 Actual Choice: Robot 2

M matrix (alternatives × attributes):

C1 - Easy Nav, Low Exposure C2 - Hard Nav, Low Exposure C3 - Easy Nav, High Exposure C4 - Hard Nav, High Exposure

Robot1 0.83945 0.49501 0.42839 0.083945 Robot2 0.88087 0.51386 0.4551 0.088087 Robot3 0.76264 0.41819 0.4207 0.076264

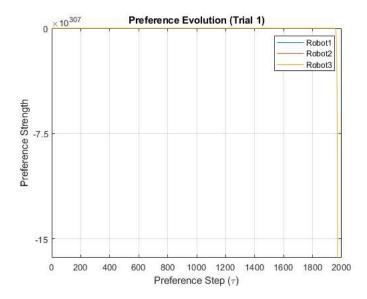
DFT Results:

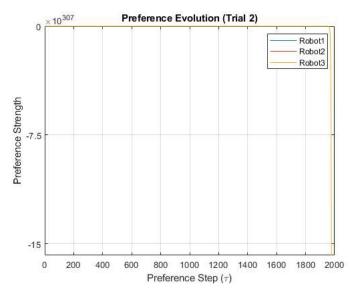
E_P: NaN NaN NaN

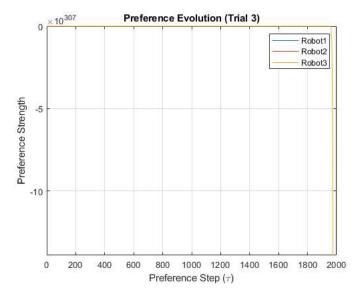
Choice probabilities: NaN NaN NaN

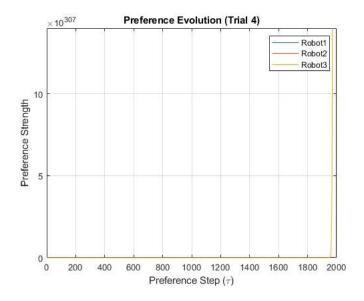
Predicted choice: Robot 1 Actual choice: Robot 2

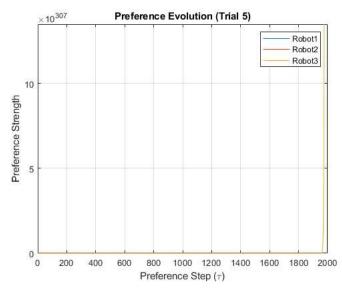
X Prediction differs from actual choice

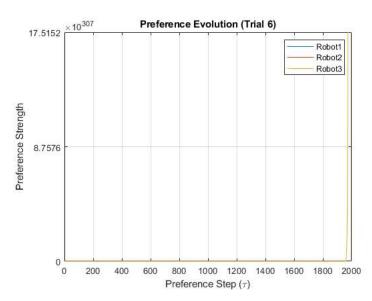


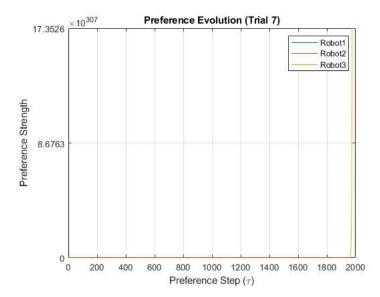


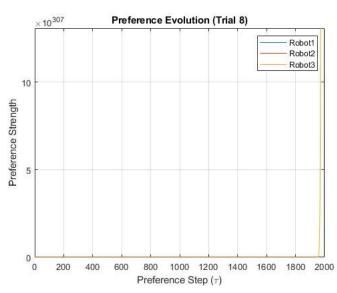


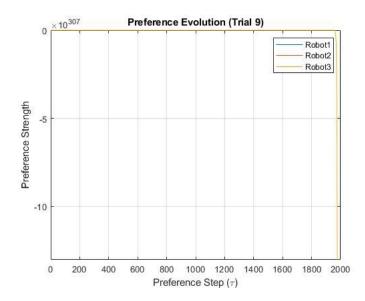


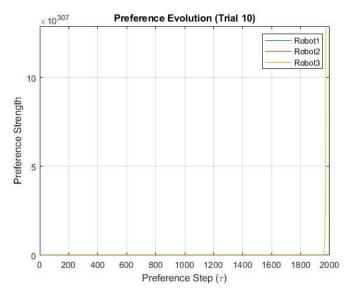












Helper Functions

```
function param = validateParam(params, name, default)
   if isfield(params, name) && isnumeric(params.(name))
        param = params.(name);
   else
        warning('Using default for %s', name);
        param = default;
   end
end

function [phi1, phi2, tau, error_sd] = getFallbackParams()
   phi1 = 0.5 + 0.1*randn();
   phi2 = 0.8 + 0.1*randn();
   tau = 10 + randi(5);
   error_sd = 0.1 + 0.05*rand();
   warning('Using randomized default parameters');
end
```