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SENSORIZAÇÃO E AMBIENTE

MESTRADO EM ENGENHARIA INFORMÁTICA, 1º ANO - Perfil SI



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Soft/Physical Sensors



- Soft Sensors – PC
 - Keyboard and Mouse
 - PC Usage
- Hands On





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Soft Sensors

PC



Ambient Intelligence

1. Data Acquisition

- Sensors
- Services
- Data processing

2. Reasoning

- Data Modeling
- Machine Learning
- Decision Models

3. Actuation

- Notifications
- Interactions
- Actions



Sensorization





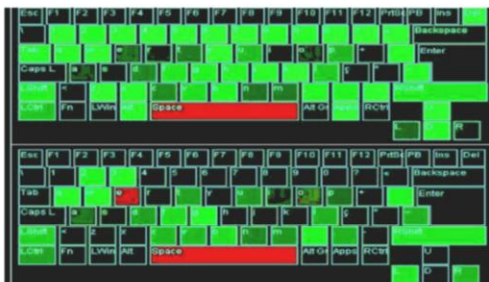
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Keyboard Dynamics KD



MD Mouse Dynamics

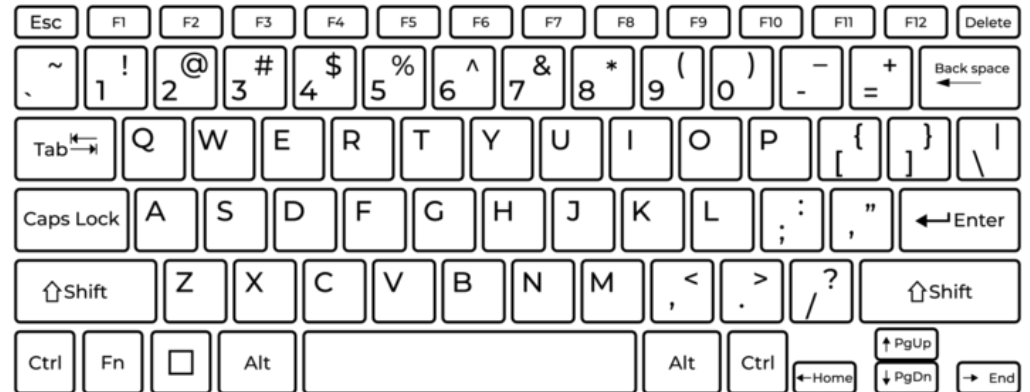


Behavioral
Biometrics



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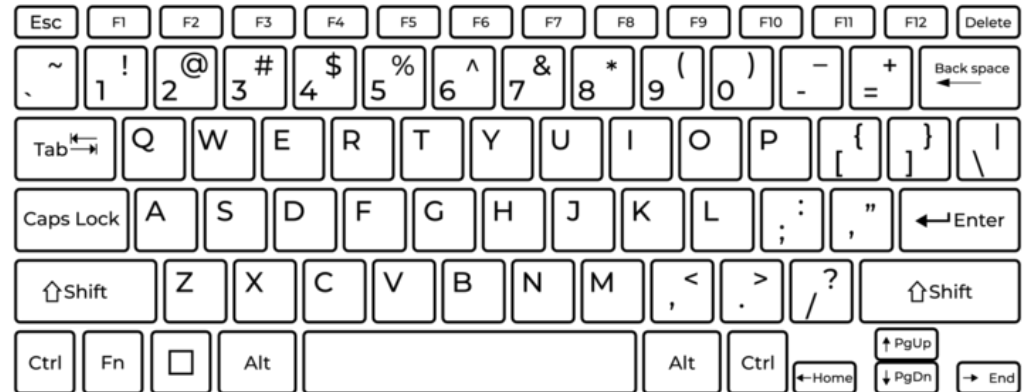
- Metrics based on **keystroke events**:





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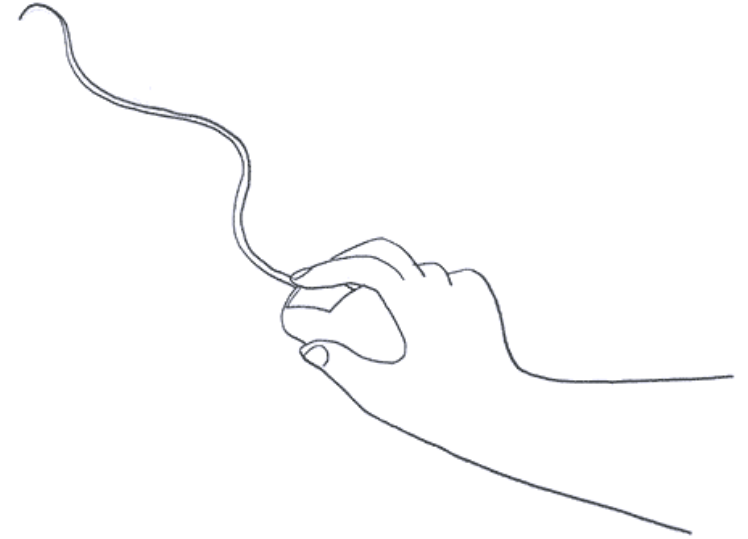
- Metrics based on **keystroke events**:
 - Total of pressed characters;
 - Top 5 of pressed characters;
 - Number of characters pressed per minute;
 - Number of times of a character was used;
 - Characters pressed in group (Left Hand, Right Hand and Space);
 - Etc.





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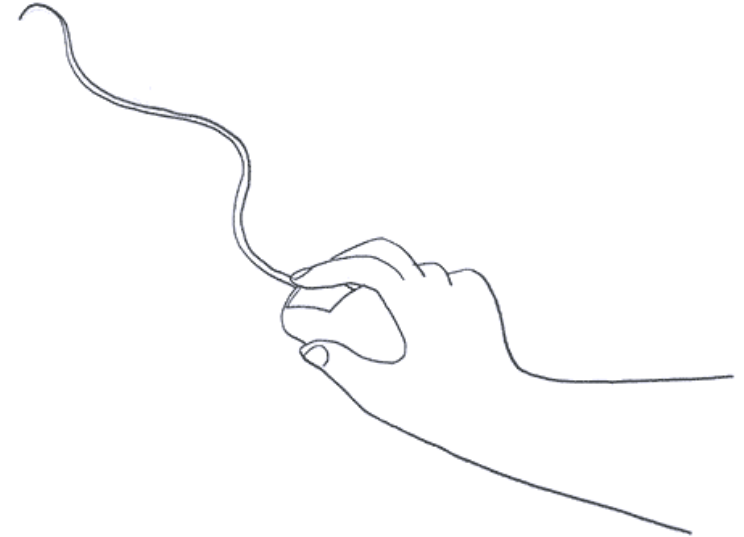
- Metrics based on **mouse movement** and **interaction**:





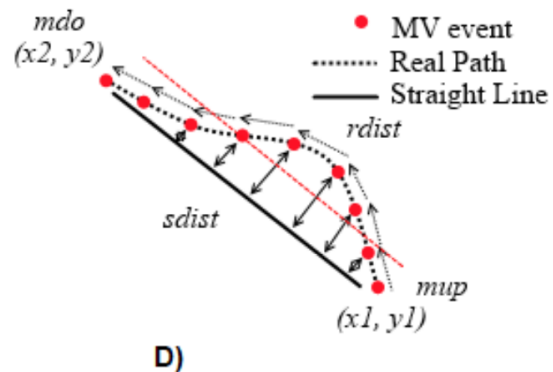
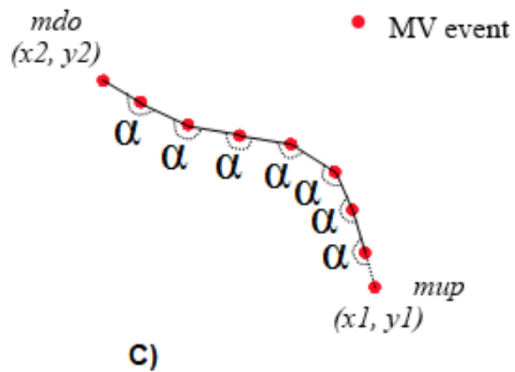
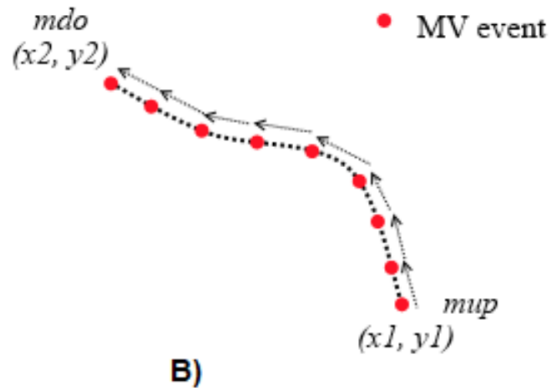
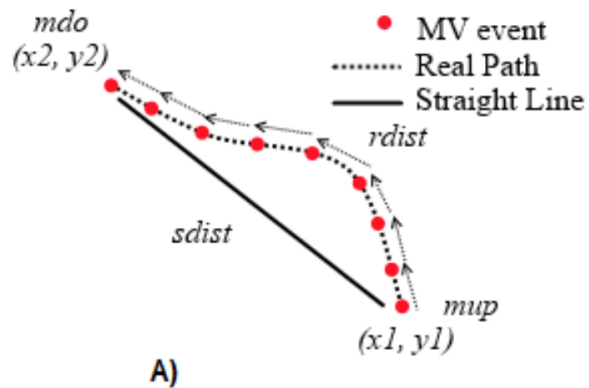
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- Metrics based on **mouse movement** and **interaction**:
 - Total distance traveled;
 - Mouse movement speed;
 - Average speed of mouse movements;
 - Number of clicks per second/minute;
 - Etc.





Soft Sensors





Keyboard and Mouse

- Requirements:
 - Python 3.10 or above
 - Framework to run Python code (prompt or IDE such as Anaconda/conda/VS Code/other)
 - Pynput library
 - `pip install pynput`
 - Math library for mouse movement analysis
- Useful links:
 - <https://pypi.org/project/pynput/>
 - <https://pynput.readthedocs.io/en/latest/>



Keyboard

```
from pynput import keyboard
```

```
#for keystroke
```

```
#detect key press
```

```
def on_press(key):
```

```
    try:
```

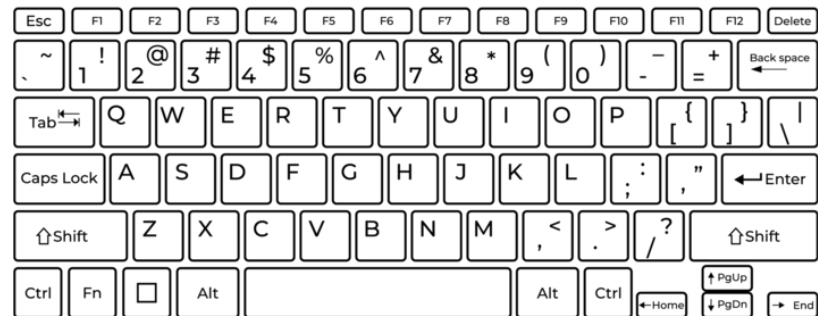
```
        print('alphanumeric key {0} pressed'.format(str(key.char)))
```

```
        log_data(datetime.now(), 'KeyPressed', str(key.char))
```

```
    except:
```

```
        print('special key {0} pressed'.format(str(key)))
```

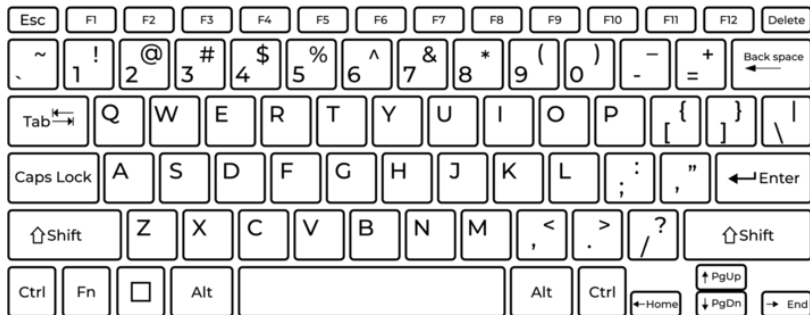
```
        log_data(datetime.now(), 'SpecialKeyPressed', str(key))
```





Keyboard

```
#detect key releases
def on_release(key):
    print('{0} released'.format(str(key)))
    if key == keyboard.Key.esc:
        try:
            log_data(datetime.now(), 'KeyReleased', str(key.char))
        except AttributeError:
            log_data(datetime.now(), 'KeyReleased', str(key))
#stop listener
print('Gracefully Stopping!')
return False
```





Keyboard

```
#collecting events
with keyboard.Listener(on_press=on_press, on_release=on_release) as listener:
    listener.join()
#in a non-blocking fashion
listener = keyboard.Listener(on_press=on_press, on_release=on_release)
listener.start()
```



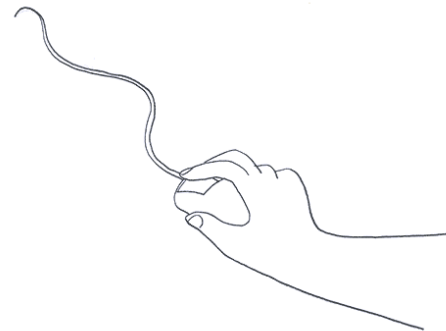


Mouse

```
from pynput import mouse                #for mouse movement

#detect mouse movement
def on_move(x, y):
    print('Pointer moved to {}'.format((x, y)))
    log_data(datetime.now(), 'MouseMove', str(x) + ',' + str(y))

#detect mouse scroll
def on_scroll(x, y, dx, dy):
    print('Mouse scrolled {} at {}'.format('down' if dy < 0 else 'up', (x, y)))
    log_data(datetime.now(), 'MouseScroll', str(x) + ',' + str(y) + ';' + str(dx) + ',' + str(dy))
```





Mouse

```
#detect mouse click
```

```
def on_click(x, y, button, pressed):  
    print('{0} at {1}'.format('Pressed' if pressed else 'Released', (x, y)))  
    log_data(datetime.now(), 'MouseClicked', str(button))  
    if not pressed:  
        #stop listener  
        print('Gracefully Stopping!')  
        return False
```

```
#collecting events
```

```
with mouse.Listener(on_move=on_move, on_click=on_click, on_scroll=on_scroll) as listener:
```

```
    listener.join()
```

```
#in a non-blocking fashion
```

```
listener = mouse.Listener(on_move=on_move, on_click=on_click, on_scroll=on_scroll)
```

```
listener.start()
```





Logging

- For each detection (keystroke or mouse movement):
 - Open a file, with the append flag:

```
f = open('logger.txt', 'a')
```
 - Write the detected event to the file:

```
f.write(str(timestamp) + '|' + event + '|' + value + '\n')
```
 - Close the file:

```
f.close()
```
- Import `datetime` and `math`





Logging

[TIMESTAMP] | [EVENT] | [VALUE]

2025-02-19 10:42:51 | KeyPressed | d

2025-02-19 10:42:51 | KeyPressed | k

2025-02-19 10:42:52 | KeyPressed | b

2025-02-19 10:42:52 | KeyPressed | g

2025-02-19 10:42:53 | MouseMovement | 794, -439

2025-02-19 10:42:53 | MouseMovement | 796, -439

2025-02-19 10:42:53 | MouseMovement | 799, -438

2025-02-19 10:42:54 | MouseClicked | left

...





PC Usage

- But more can be done. For example, what about network/cpu/memory usage?
- Requirements:
 - Psutil library:
`pip install psutil`
- `psutil` (*process and system utilities*) is a cross-platform library for retrieving information on running processes and system utilization (CPU, memory, disks, network, sensors) in Python
 - Useful mainly for system monitoring and profiling
 - Implements functionalities offered by classic UNIX command line tools such as `ps`, `top`, `iotop`, `lsof`, `netstat`, `ifconfig`, `free` and others



PC Usage

```
import psutil
...

CPU
...

print(f"CPU Times: {psutil.cpu_times()}")
print(f"CPU Count: {psutil.cpu_count()}")
print(f"Physical CPU Count: {psutil.cpu_count(logical=False)}")
print(f"CPU Stats: {psutil.cpu_stats()}")
print(f"CPU Frequency: {psutil.cpu_freq()}")

for x in range(3):
    print(f"CPU Usage: {psutil.cpu_percent(interval=1)}")
```



PC Usage

```
import psutil
'''
MEMORY
'''

print(f"Virtual Memory: {psutil.virtual_memory()}")
print(f"Swap Memory: {psutil.swap_memory()}")

'''
DISKS
'''

print(f"Partitions: {psutil.disk_partitions()}")
print(f"Disk usage (from /): {psutil.disk_usage('/')}")
```




PC Usage

```
import psutil
'''
NETWORK
'''

print(f"Addresses: {psutil.net_if_addrs()}")
print(f"Net stats: {psutil.net_if_stats()}")

'''
OTHER SENSORS
'''

try:
    print(f"Temperature: {psutil.sensors_temperatures()}")
    print(f"Fans: {psutil.sensors_fans()}")
except:
    print(f"Linux only!")

print(f"Battery: {psutil.sensors_battery()}")
```



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Hands On



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- **For even student numbers**

1. Collect **keyboard** data, create a log file with the collected data and calculate relevant metrics;
2. Send the raw data to a **feed** using Firebase.

- **For odd student numbers**

1. Collect **mouse** data, create a log file with the collected data and calculate relevant metrics;
2. Send the raw data to a **feed** using Firebase.