Experiment 14

Major: Computer Science

Year: Junior

Do you play music?

Not anymore, played piano – no music theory, writing songs

Do you like music?

Yes – Filler for think space. Rap, electronic, alternative, moody, depends on setting/mood

When you listen to music, what do you listen to the most?

First half of song is important, skips songs often

Are you good at remembering lyrics?

Yes, if he likes the songs

Song # / Notes

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| 1 | Liked the beat in the beginning, didn’t like the voice, wouldn’t seek it out but would listen on the way here |
| 2 | Smiled, liked when the song got a little heavier, liked the beat. Liked when the voice came in – 8 – didn’t like the lyrics too much, but felt he could jam out to the pace, music. Voice matched the music |
| 3 | Didn’t like the pace or tone, lyrics were cool even though in a different language |
| 4 | Made him happy, but main beat was little boring. Upbeat was really mellow, but not terribly interesting |
| 5 | Calming – very good beat, very good changes, voice was a little loud. Would add to a playlist |
| 6 | Smiled when distortion started on guitar, got heavier, Liked the beat, voice was different than he expected but matched the music |
| 7 | Slow, repetitive, felt he wasn’t going to like from beginning |
| 8 | Smiled at lyrics throughout song – Sounded familiar, liked the lyrics, instruments were good, had a good flow – good chorus |
| 9 | No words – imagined song on a specific playlist he has. Liked that it kept going. Would have listened to completion if in a working settign |
| 10 | Would add to a “tired” playlist – voice and piano were very in sync, |

General Notes:

Before starting: “Since I’ve never heard these songs before, I’ll probably listen to the whole thing to decide a rating”

Tended to like songs/parts of songs that were heavier, filled with distortion, heavy beat/bass