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1  /*
2  Auditory P300 Task
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4  %%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%
5  %%%%%%%%% Version History %%%%%%%%%
6  %%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%
7  - 06-10-2019; created by Chris Gill: created the backbone of the experiment
8  - 10-19-2019; edited by Alex He: changed the structure of the task, improved the
iteration code block
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from 1500-2000ms to 1500-2500ms, added 200ms delay during example tone
presentataion,
12
tones
13 - 01-19-2021; edited by Alex He: updated logfile naming and added auditory tone
repeat during instruction
14 10-05-2022; edited by Anthony Edgar: changed task to be compatible with c-pod.
15 %%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%
16
17 *IMPORTANT Note: Before beginning task set volume on Presentation Laptop to 70
18
19 */
20 #####
#####
21 # Header
22 scenario = "Auditory_P300";
23 active_buttons = 1;
24 button_codes = 11; #1 = spacebar
25 default_font = "Helvetica";
26 default_background_color = 127, 127, 127;
27 default_font_size = 40;
28 write_codes = true;
29 response_port_output = true;
30 default_output_port = 1;
31 pulse_width = 5;
32 #####
#####
33 #SDL
34 begin;
35
36 picture {} default;
37
38 #rest box
39 box { height = 1080; width = 1920; color = 127,127,127;} rest_box;
40
41 text { caption = "+"; font_size = 96; font_color = 255,255,255; } Crosshair_text;
42
43 #Sounds- these serve as placeholders, the actual sounds used are generated below
44 array {
45 sound {wavefile { filename = "standard_stereo.wav";}} standard_beep;
46 sound {wavefile { filename = "deviant_stereo.wav";}} oddball_beep;
47 } sounds;
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49
50 picture {
51 text {
52 caption = "INSTRUCTIONS:";
53 font_size = 44;
54 };
55 x = 0;y = 400;
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57     text {
58     caption =
59     "In this task you will hear a series of tones.
60     There are two different tones.
61
62     Every time you hear the following tone, press the space bar.";
63     font_size = 44;
64     text_align = align_left;
65     };
66     x = 0;y = 20;
67
68     text {
69     caption = "Press the space bar to hear the tone.";
70     font_size = 32;
71     };
72     x = 0;y = -400;
73 } instructions1;
74
75 picture {
76     text {
77     caption = "INSTRUCTIONS:";
78     font_size = 44;
79     };
80     x = 0;y = 400;
81
82     text {
83     caption =
84     "Every time you hear the following tone, don't press the space bar.
85     You don't need to make a response.";
86     font_size = 44;
87     text_align = align_left;
88     };
89     x = 0;y = 20;
90
91     text {
92     caption = "Press the space bar to hear the tone.";
93     font_size = 32;
94     };
95     x = 0;y = -400;
96 } instructions2;
97
98 picture {
99     text {
100     caption = "INSTRUCTIONS:";
101     font_size = 44;
102     };
103     x = 0;y = 400;
104
105     text {
106     caption =
107     "Now we will hear both tones again.
108     Pay attention and decide which tone you need to respond to:
109     is it the first tone or the second tone?";
110     font_size = 44;
111     text_align = align_left;
112     };
113     x = 0;y = 20;
114
115     text {
116     caption = "Press the space bar to hear the tones.";
117     font_size = 32;
118     };
119     x = 0;y = -400;
120 } instructions4;

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121
122 picture {
123     text {
124         caption = "INSTRUCTIONS:";
125         font_size = 44;
126     };
127     x = 0;y = 400;
128
129     text {
130         caption =
131         "Would you respond to the first tone or the second tone?";
132         font_size = 44;
133         text_align = align_left;
134     };
135     x = 0;y = 20;
136
137     text {
138         caption = "Press the space bar to continue.";
139         font_size = 32;
140     };
141     x = 0;y = -400;
142 } instructions5;
143
144 picture {
145     text {
146         caption = "INSTRUCTIONS:";
147         font_size = 44;
148     };
149     x = 0;y = 400;
150
151     text {
152         caption =
153         "Please perform this task with your eyes closed and try to respond
154         as quickly and accurately as possible.
155
156         At the halfway point of the task there will be a rest period. At
157         that time the experimenter will notify you that you can open your
158         eyes and take a short break.";
159         font_size = 44;
160         text_align = align_left;
161     };
162     x = 0;y = 20;
163
164     text {
165         caption = "Press the space bar to begin the task.";
166         font_size = 32;
167     };
168     x = 0;y = -400;
169 } instructions3;
170
171
172 picture {
173     box rest_box;
174     x = 0; y = 0;
175
176     text Crosshair_text;
177     x = 0; y = 0;
178 } background_pic;
179
180 #####
181 #####
182 #Trials
183 #Instructions

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184 trial {
185     trial_type = specific_response;
186     trial_duration = forever;
187     terminator_button = 1;
188     stimulus_event{
189         picture instructions1;
190         code = "Instruction 1";
191     };
192 }instructions_trial1;
193
194 trial {
195     trial_type = specific_response;
196     trial_duration = forever;
197     terminator_button = 1;
198     stimulus_event{
199         picture instructions2;
200         code = "Instruction 2";
201     };
202 }instructions_trial2;
203
204 trial {
205     trial_type = specific_response;
206     trial_duration = forever;
207     terminator_button = 1;
208     stimulus_event{
209         picture instructions3;
210         code = "Instruction 3";
211     };
212 }instructions_trial3;
213
214 trial {
215     trial_type = specific_response;
216     trial_duration = forever;
217     terminator_button = 1;
218     stimulus_event{
219         picture instructions4;
220         code = "Instruction 4";
221     };
222 }instructions_trial4;
223
224 trial {
225     trial_type = specific_response;
226     trial_duration = forever;
227     terminator_button = 1;
228     stimulus_event{
229         picture instructions5;
230         code = "Instruction 5";
231     };
232 }instructions_trial5;
233
234 trial {
235     trial_type = fixed;
236     trial_duration = 2000;
237     picture background_pic;
238     stimulus_event {
239         sound oddball_beep;
240         code = "Oddball example";
241     } dev_event2;
242 } oddball_trial_example;
243
244 trial {
245     trial_type = fixed;
246     trial_duration = 2000;
247     picture background_pic;

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248     stimulus_event {
249         sound standard_beep;
250         code = "Standard example";
251     } std_event2;
252 } standard_trial_example;
253
254 trial {
255     trial_type = fixed;
256     trial_duration = 2000;
257     picture background_pic;
258     stimulus_event {
259         sound standard_beep;
260         target_button = 1;
261         port_code = 2;
262         code = "Standard Tone";
263     } std_event;
264 } standard_trial;
265
266 trial {
267     trial_type = fixed;
268     trial_duration = 2000;
269     picture background_pic;
270     stimulus_event {
271         sound oddball_beep;
272         target_button = 1;
273         port_code = 3;
274         code = "Oddball Tone";
275     } dev_event;
276 } oddball_trial;
277
278 trial {
279     trial_type = fixed;
280     trial_duration = 2000;
281     stimulus_event {
282         picture background_pic;
283         code = "2s Blank";
284     } blank_event;
285 } blank_trial;
286
287 trial {
288     trial_type = correct_response;
289     trial_duration = forever;
290     stimulus_event {
291         picture {
292             box rest_box;
293             x = 0; y = 0;
294
295             text {
296                 caption = "Rest";
297                 font_size = 44;
298             };
299             x = 0; y = 120;
300
301             text {
302                 caption = "Press the space bar to begin Block 2.";
303                 font_size = 32;
304             };
305             x = 0; y = -300;
306
307         } rest_pic;
308         target_button = 1;
309         port_code = 4;
310         code = "Rest";
311     } rest_event;

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312 } rest_trial;
313
314 #####
315 #Begin PCL
316 begin_pcl;
317
318 #specifying output file
319 string logpath = logfile_directory;
320 string fn = logpath +logfile.subject()+"_P300.txt";
321 logfile.set_filename(logpath +logfile.subject() + "_P300_logfile.log");
322 output_file ofile1 = new output_file;
323 ofile1.open_append(fn);
324
325 ###Variables###
326 int num_blocks = 2;
327 int stim_per_block = 100;
328 int num_trials = 10;
329 int stim_per_trial = 10;
330 int STD_IDX = 1;
331 int DEV_IDX = 2;
332 int oddball;
333 int Trial_duration;
334
335 response_data my_response;
336 stimulus_data my_data;
337 int resp_button;
338 int RT;
339 int stim_onset;
340 int Correct_Resp;
341
342 ##Make Sounds##
343 array<sound> stim_snds[2];
344 # Initialize some values
345 double ramp_up_time = parameter_manager.get_double( "Generated Sound Rise Time" );
346 double ramp_down_time = parameter_manager.get_double( "Generated Sound Fall Time" );
347
348 # Make the rise/fall ramps
349 asg::line ramp_down = new asg::line( ramp_down_time, 1.0, 0.0 );
350 asg::line ramp_up = new asg::line( ramp_up_time, 0.0, 1.0 );
351
352 # Make the waveform data
353 double std_duration = parameter_manager.get_double( "Generated Sound Standard Duration" );
354 double dev_duration = parameter_manager.get_double( "Generated Sound Deviant Duration" );
355 asg::sine std_data = new asg::sine( std_duration, parameter_manager.get_double( "Generated Sound Standard Frequency" ), 0.0 );
356 asg::sine dev_data = new asg::sine( dev_duration, parameter_manager.get_double( "Generated Sound Deviant Frequency" ), 0.0 );
357 asg::waveform_data std_wf = new asg::waveform_data( std_data );
358 asg::waveform_data dev_wf = new asg::waveform_data( dev_data );
359
360 # Multiply by the rise/fall times
361 std_wf.multiply_segment( ramp_up, 0.0 );
362 std_wf.multiply_segment( ramp_down, std_wf.duration() - ramp_down_time );
363 dev_wf.multiply_segment( ramp_up, 0.0 );
364 dev_wf.multiply_segment( ramp_down, dev_wf.duration() - ramp_down_time );
365
366 # Now make the sound objects
367 stim_snds[STD_IDX] = new sound( new wavefile( std_wf, std_wf ) );
368 stim_snds[DEV_IDX] = new sound( new wavefile( dev_wf, dev_wf ) );
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370 # Set the attenuation on the sounds
371 begin
372     double std_atten = 1.0 - ( double( parameter_manager.get_int( "Standard Volume"
373 ) ) / 100.0 );
374     double dev_atten = 1.0 - ( double( parameter_manager.get_int( "Deviant Volume"
375 ) ) / 100.0 );
376     stim_snd[STD_IDX].set_attenuation( std_atten );
377     stim_snd[DEV_IDX].set_attenuation( dev_atten );
378 end;
379
380 std_event.set_stimulus(stim_snd[STD_IDX]);
381 dev_event.set_stimulus(stim_snd[DEV_IDX]);
382 std_event2.set_stimulus(stim_snd[STD_IDX]);
383 dev_event2.set_stimulus(stim_snd[DEV_IDX]);
384 #####
385 #####
386 #response_manager.set_port_output( false );
387 instructions_trial1.present();
388 #display_device.screenshot("1.png");
389 wait_interval(200);
390 oddball_trial_example.present();
391 instructions_trial2.present();
392 #display_device.screenshot("2.png");
393 wait_interval(200);
394 standard_trial_example.present();
395 instructions_trial4.present();
396 wait_interval(200);
397 oddball_trial_example.present();
398 standard_trial_example.present();
399 instructions_trial5.present();
400 instructions_trial3.present();
401 #display_device.screenshot("3.png");
402 #response_manager.set_port_output( true );
403
404 output_port port = output_port_manager.get_port( 1 );
405
406 #Setting column headers for output file
407 ofile1.print("Block\t" + "Stim\t" + "Onset\t" + "RT\t" + "Oddball\t" + "Correct\n"
408 );
409
410 loop int block = 1; int total_stim_count = 1; until block > num_blocks begin
411
412     if (block > 1) then
413         #response_manager.set_port_output( false );
414         rest_trial.present();
415         #response_manager.set_port_output( true );
416     end;
417
418     blank_trial.present();
419     wait_interval (100);
420     port.send_code(22);
421     wait_interval (100);
422
423     loop int trial_count = 1; until trial_count > num_trials begin #10 trials with
424     10 stimuli each (8 standard and 2 deviant/oddball)
425
426         array<int>stimuli_type[10] =
427         {0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,1,1};
428         stimuli_type.shuffle();
429
430         loop int stim_count = 1; until stim_count > stim_per_trial begin
431             Trial_duration = random(1500,2500);
432             if (stimuli_type[stim_count] == 1) then
433                 oddball_trial.set_duration(Trial_duration);

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429         oddball_trial.present();
430
431         #Saving data
432         my_data = stimulus_manager.last_stimulus_data();
433         my_response = response_manager.last_response_data();
434         RT = my_data.reaction_time();
435         stim_onset = my_data.time();
436         if (RT == 0) then
437             Correct_Resp = 0;
438         else
439             Correct_Resp = 1;
440         end;
441
442         ofile1.print(string(block) + "\t");
443         ofile1.print(string(total_stim_count) + "\t");
444         ofile1.print(string(stim_onset) + "\t");
445         ofile1.print(string(RT) + "\t");
446         ofile1.print("1" + "\t");
447         ofile1.print(string(Correct_Resp) + "\n");
448
449     else
450         standard_trial.set_duration(Trial_duration);
451         standard_trial.present();
452
453         #Saving data
454         my_data = stimulus_manager.last_stimulus_data();
455         my_response = response_manager.last_response_data();
456         RT = my_data.reaction_time();
457         stim_onset = my_data.time();
458         if (RT > 0) then
459             Correct_Resp = 0;
460         else
461             Correct_Resp = 1;
462         end;
463
464         ofile1.print(string(block) + "\t");
465         ofile1.print(string(total_stim_count) + "\t");
466         ofile1.print(string(stim_onset) + "\t");
467         ofile1.print(string(RT) + "\t");
468         ofile1.print("0" + "\t");
469         ofile1.print(string(Correct_Resp) + "\n");
470     end;
471     stim_count = stim_count + 1;
472     total_stim_count = total_stim_count + 1;
473 end;
474 trial_count = trial_count + 1;
475 end;
476 block = block + 1;
477
478     wait_interval (100);
479     port.send_code(23);
480 end;
481
482 #close output file
483 ofile1.close();
484

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