Info for Experiment 2

Overview of Files

The folder "Experiment 2" contains the following files:

analysis_Exp2.R: Analysis script that gives the main results reported in Zerweck et al. as output Contrast-rgb-in-candela_Exp2.txt: Table with measured contrast values in rgb and cd/m² Experiment2_directTask.dat: Contains the data for the direct task in Experiment 2
Experiment2_indirectTask.dat: Contains the data for the indirect task in Experiment 2
Info_Experiment2.pdf: Overview of Files and Description of variables used in Experiment 2
Iocal-lib_Exp2.R: Library with basic functions used in analysis_Exp2.R
analysis_Exp2_output.pdf: Output generated using source("analysis_Exp2.R")

Overview of Analyses

To call the main analysis in the programming language R, use:

source("analysis_Exp2.R").

An example of the output generated using R version 3.6.1 (2019-07-05) can be found in the file: analysis_Exp2_output.pdf

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Description of the column names used in Experiment 2

Refers to the files Experiment2_directTask.dat and Experiment2_indirectTask.dat

VP = subject ID Trial = trial number

Group = assignment of button presses

Task = Prac for Practice block, Exp for Experimental blocks,

Perc = direct task, RTTask = indirect task

Mask1/Mask2 = mask stimulus (random letter string)

Prime = prime stimulus (number out of 1,4,6,9 in arabic notation (A))

Target = target stimulus (see Prime)

Congruency = Incongruent (i.e. prime < 5 & target > 5 or vice versa),

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ResponseKey = key that the participant pressed in this trial ResponseTime = Normal (Indirect Task: 100 ms < RT < 1000 ms;

Direct Task: 100 ms < RT < 5000 ms)

ResponseError = correct key press vs erroneous key pressed
Confidence = only in the direct task: Slider from -100 to 100,

"How confident are you about your decision?"

RT.Matlab = reaction time as measured using Matlab-internal routines.

(Served as a control; not as precise as RT.Device → not used in our paper)

RT.Device = reaction times as measured using the Response PIXX buttons

(reported in our paper)

PrimeDuration = programmed presentation duration of the prime in frames

SOA = stimulus onset asynchrony
Contrast = prime contrast in rgb

Mask1Dur/Mask2Dur = measured presentation duration of masks in ms
PrimeDur = measured presentation duration of the prime in ms
TargetDur = measured presentation duration of the target in ms
TimingError = error tolerated in timing (+/- 10 ms); 0 = no timing error