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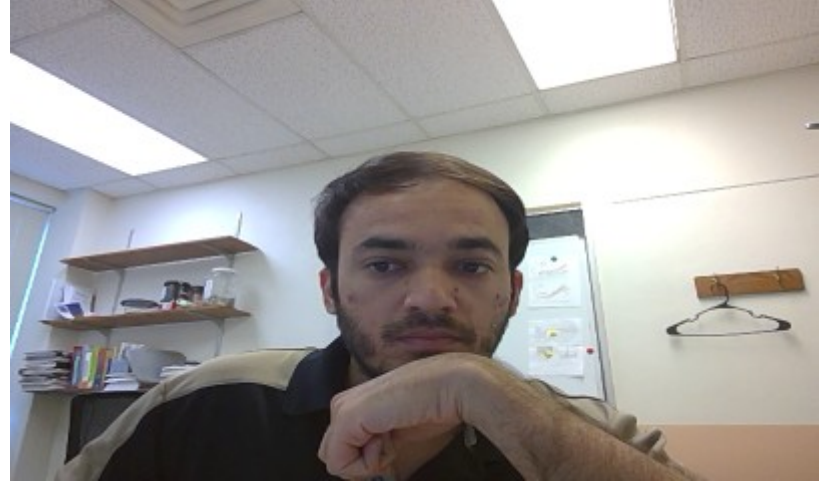
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0

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10

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What will be your's bonus amount (in dollars)?

1.5

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# Select bonus rate

As explained in the instructions, you will be paid 10 cents for every 100 points scored by some other participant. You can choose to transfer part of these 10 cents to the other participant who will work on a task for 10 minutes. Before you decide much you want to share with the other participant, you may input different numbers in the calculator below to see bonus amounts for yourself and the other participant.

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Now, how much do you want to transfer to the other participant for every 100 points scored by him/her?

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How many points do you expect the other participant to score in 10 minutes? (This information will not be shared with the other participant).

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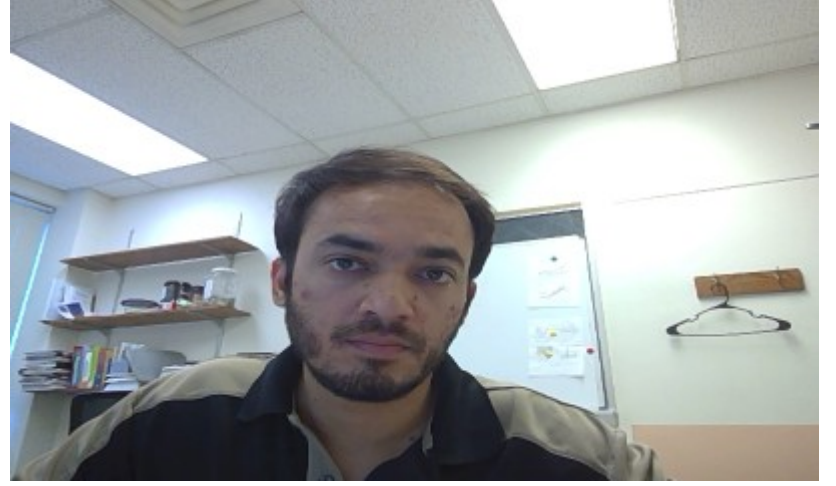
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The other participant could select **any rate between 0 cents and 10 cents for every 100 points scored** by you in the task. In the next screen you will see the bonus rate selected by the other participant and you will then work on a task for 10 minutes. While you will earn a bonus of  $x$  cents for every 100 points that you score, the other participant will receive  $(10-x)$  cents as a bonus for every 100 points scored by you.

The other participant did not know anything about your identity when he/she chose the bonus rate for you and will only observe the points scored by you after you have finished working on the task.

**To summarize, the other participant has selected a bonus rate between 0 and 10 cents for every 100 points scored by you. In the next screen you will see the bonus rate selected and you will then work on a button pressing task for 10 minutes. Bonus payments will be determined once you have finished working on the task.**

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- ☐ Select a bonus rate and work on a task.

2. Who has selected a bonus rate for you:

Some other participant ▼

3. What is the lowest bonus rate that could have been selected by the other participant (in cents)?

0

4. What is the maximum bonus rate that could have been selected by the other participant (in cents)?

10

5. Higher points in a task lead to higher bonus payment for both participants for a given bonus rates.

True ▼

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# Bonus Rate

Before you see the chosen bonus rate, select your guess here. This will not have any affect on the rate which is already chosen by the other participant:

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▼

View the selected bonus rate

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Before you see the chosen bonus rate, select your guess here. This will not have any affect on the rate which is already chosen by the other participant:

\$0.03

▼

The other participant has chosen a following bonus rate for you;

**Bonus Rate = \$0.03 per 100 points scored**

Now, when you are ready click next to start working on the button-pressing task for next 10 minutes. You are free to score as many points as you can.

Start the button-pressing task

# Task

Time left to complete this page: 9:34

Press 'a' then 'b'

Points: 106

Your Bonus Payout: \$ 0.03

Other Participant Bonus Payout: \$ 0.07

The other participant has chosen a bonus rate of \$0.03/100 points for you and \$0.07/100 points for himself/herself.

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# Experiment Finished

Thank you for participating in this experiment, Here is the summary of what happened in the experiment.

**Bonus Rate** = \$0.03 per 100 points scored

**Points Scored** = 106

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1.5

What will be the other participant's bonus amount (in dollars)?

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0.72

What will be the other participant's bonus amount (in dollars)?

1.28

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# Select bonus rate and reward decision

As explained in the instructions, you will be paid 10 cents for every 100 points scored by some other participant. You can choose to transfer part of these 10 cents to the other participant who will work on a task for 10 minutes. You will also decide if you want to reward the other participant for his/her performance in the task. Before you decide much you want to share with the other participant and whether you want to reward him/her, you may input different numbers in the calculator below to see bonus amounts for yourself and the other participant.

## Bonus Calculator

Bonus rate for other participant (per 100 points scored)	\$ <div>Select here ▾</div>
Your bonus rate (per 100 points scored)	\$ <div>Change bonus rate for ot</div>
Points Scored by the other participant	<div>Enter numeric value here</div>
Reward Other Participant	<div>Select ▾</div>
Your Bonus Amount	\$ <div>Enter points scored to se</div>
Other participant's Bonus Amount	\$ <div>Enter points scored to se</div>

Now, how much do you want to transfer to the other participant for every 100 points scored by him/her?

\$0.04

▾

How many points do you expect the other participant to score in 10 minutes? (This information will not be shared with the other participant).

800

How many points should the other participant score to get reward from you? (Enter 0 if you want to always reward the other participant, enter a really large number (such as 9999) if you don't want to reward the other participant.):

1000

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# Experiment Finished

Thank you for participating in this experiment, your bonus amount will be determined after the other participant has finished working on the task. Your bonus amount (if any) will be paid in 24 hours.



# Enter your information

Please enter the following information.

MTurk Worker ID:

Gender that you closely identify with:

- ☐ Male
- ☐ Female
- ☒ Other
- ☐ Prefer not to answer

Race that you closely identify with:

- ☐ American Indian or Alaskan Native
- ☐ Asian
- ☒ Black or African-American
- ☐ Native Hawaiian or other Pacific Islander
- ☐ White or Caucasian
- ☐ Other
- ☐ Prefer not to answer

How old are you:

- ☐ Under 18
- ☐ 18-24
- ☒ 25-30
- ☐ 31-40
- ☐ 41-50
- ☐ 51-64
- ☐ 65 or over
- ☐ Prefer not to answer

Highest education level reached:

- ☐ High School
- ☐ College
- ☒ Graduate School
- ☐ Other
- ☐ Prefer not to answer

Take a clearly visible picture of your face using your webcam. Make sure you follow the following guidelines when taking a photo;

1. Your head must face the camera directly with full face in view.
2. You must have a neutral facial expression or a natural smile, with both eyes open.
3. Taken in clothing normally worn on a daily basis.
4. Use a plain white or off-white background.

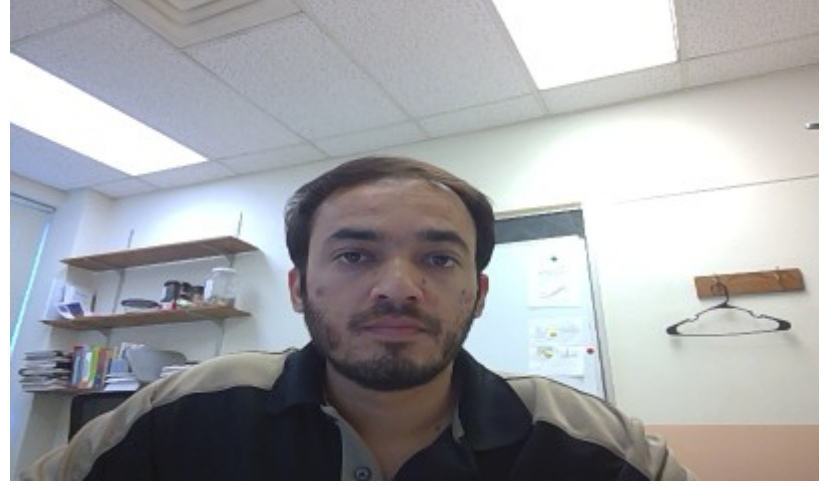
You can take multiple photos, click next when you are satisfied with the picture shown on the right. **Your HIT may NOT be approved if your photo does not meet one or more of the above guidelines.**





Take photo!

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# Instructions

Welcome to our economics experiment! Please read the following instructions very carefully.

Your task is to work on a simple button-pressing task for 10 minutes at **bonus rate selected by another participant** (details of button-pressing task are given below). Both you and the other participant will be paid 1 dollar just for participating in this study, you both can earn additional bonus amount depending on the decisions in this experiment. The bonuses will be paid in 24 hours.

The other participant could select **any rate between 0 cents and 10 cents for every 100 points scored** by you in the task. In the next screen you will see the bonus rate selected by the other participant and you will then work on a task for 10 minutes. While you will earn a bonus of  $x$  cents for every 100 points that you score, the other participant will receive  $(10-x)$  cents as a bonus for every 100 points scored by you.

After you have finished working for 10 minutes, **the other participant may decide to reward you** with additional ten percent of his/her earnings, based on how many points you scored in a task.

The other participant did not know anything about your identity when he/she chose the bonus rate for you and will only observe the points scored by you after you have finished working on the task.

**To summarize, the other participant has selected a bonus rate between 0 and 10 cents for every 100 points scored by you. In the next screen you will see the bonus rate selected and you will then work on a button-pressing task for 10 minutes. The other participant will decide whether to reward you with additional 10 percent of his bonus based on how many points you score in a task. Bonus payments will be determined once you have finished working on the task.**

## Description of the Task:

The object of the task is to alternately press the “a” and “b” buttons on the keyboard as quickly as possible for 10 minutes. Every time you successfully press the “a” and then the “b” button, you will receive a point. Note that points will only be rewarded when you alternate button pushes: just pressing the “a” or the “b” button without alternating between the two will not result in points. Buttons must be pressed by hand only (key-bindings or automated button-pushing programs/scripts cannot be used) or the task will not be approved. Feel free to score as many points as you can.

Make sure you understand the instructions before proceeding. The next screen will ask you questions to test your understanding of the experiment.

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# Control Questions

Please fix the errors in the form.

Answer the following questions before you can proceed with the experiment.

1. What are you supposed to do in this experiment?

- ☒ Work on a task for 10 minutes.
- ☐ Select a bonus rate for a person who will work on a task.
- ☐ Select a bonus rate and a reward decision for a person who will work on a task.
- ☐ Select a bonus rate and work on a task.

2. Who has selected a bonus rate for you:

Experimenters/Researchers ▾

That was incorrect, please reread the instructions and then try again.

3. What is the lowest bonus rate that could have been selected by the other participant (in cents)?

0

4. What is the maximum bonus rate that could have been selected by the other participant (in cents)?

10

5. Higher points in a task lead to higher bonus payment for both participants for a given bonus rates.

True ▾

6. Higher bonus rate for you means lower bonus rate for the other participant.

True ▾

7. The other participant may reward your effort depending on how many points you score on the task.

False ▾

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# Bonus Rate



Other Participant

Before you see the chosen bonus rate, select your guess here. This will not have any affect on the rate which is already chosen by the other participant:

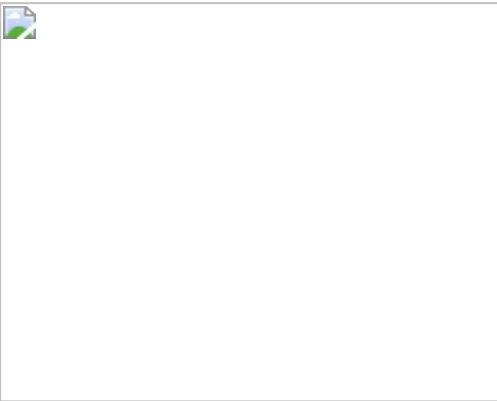
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▼

View the selected bonus rate

Debug info		
Vars for template		
image_path		'demographic_survey/photo41inge4p.jpg'
Basic info		
ID in group	2	
Group	1	
Round number	1	
Participant	P2	
Participant label		
Session code	9xf0f1da	

# Bonus Rate



## Other Participant

Before you see the chosen bonus rate, select your guess here. This will not have any affect on the rate which is already chosen by the other participant:

\$0.01 ▾

The other participant has chosen a following bonus rate for you;

**Bonus Rate = \$0.04 per 100 points scored**

Now, when you are ready click next to start working on the button-pressing task for next 10 minutes. You are free to score as many points as you can.

Start the button-pressing task

Debug info	
Vars for template	
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Basic info	
ID in group	2
Group	1
Round number	1
Participant	P2
Participant label	
Session code	9xf0f1da

# Task

Time left to complete this page: 9:52

Press 'a' then 'b'

Points: 0

Your Bonus Payout: \$

Other Participant Bonus Payout: \$

The other participant has chosen a bonus rate of \$0.04/100 points for you and \$0.06/100 points for himself/herself.

Next

Debug info	
Vars for template	
other_bonus	Currency(0.06)
Basic info	
ID in group	2
Group	1
Round number	1
Participant	P2
Participant label	
Session code	51fkf17o

# Experiment Finished

Thank you for participating in this experiment, Here is the summary of what happened in the experiment.

**Bonus Rate** = \$0.04 per 100 points scored

**Points Scored** = 0

**Reward** = 0

**Your Bonus Payout** = \$0.00

**Other Participant Bonus Payout** = \$0.00

Your bonus amount (if any) will be paid in 24 hours.

Debug info	
Vars for template	
reward	Currency(0.00)
Basic info	
ID in group	2
Group	1
Round number	1
Participant	P2
Participant label	
Session code	51fkf17o