Useful Tools for Open Data Sharing are also Useful Tools for Research

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Experience with MacSHAPA

Submariners



Challenges for Open Data Sharing

- Tools to control the flow of data from the lab, to the journal paper, and beyond
- Tools that will aggregate sampled data to form meaningful units at different levels of analysis; e.g., sampled eye data (240 hz) into eye fixations (≈ 10 to 5 hz) that can be combined with motor data (e.g., mouse clicks) and external events to form interactive routines (≈ 3 to 0.3 hz)
- High bandwidth data collection with well formatted records, easy to reuse documentation, and ability to address new questions after the data is collected
- Automated or semi-automated protocol analyses, which enable theory-based parsing of log files to form runnable cognitive models
- Visualizing and exploring data in terms of sequence, cooccurrence, and other patterns





Examples

- Submariners MacSHAPA example
- SANLab-CM Stochastic Analytic Network Laboratory for Cognitive Modeling
 - CogTool → SANLab
- ACT-PRO Action Protocol Analyzer
- EEG
- Measuring workload

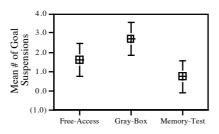


CogTool to SANLab

Demonstration of predicting the distribution of time taken by a skilled pilot to perform a routine task in the cockpit using CogTool and SANLab-CM

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Component	Variables	States	Description
context	context	complex/simple	The surrounding environment of the subject
profile	health	good/normal/bad	Personal information of the subject
	age	old /young	
	skill	strong/weak	
goal	goal	important/not important	The importance of successfully
			finishing the tasks to the subject
workload	workload	high/normal/low	
affective states	stress	positive/negative	
	fatigue	positive/negative	
	nervous	positive/negative	
physical	physical	high/normal/low	Physical state of the subject
physiological	physiological	high/normal/low	Physiological state of the subject
hehavior	hehavioral	normal/abnormal	
performance	performance	good/normal/bad	
eyelid movement	BF	high/normal/low	Blinking frequency
	AECS	fast/normal/slow	Average eye closure speed
pupil	PerSac	large/normal/small	Percentage of saccadic eve movement
	GazeDis	normal/abnormal	Gaze spatial distribution
	PerLPD	large/normal/small	Percentage of large pupil dilation
	PRV	large/normal/small	Pupil ratio variation
facial expression	facial	neutral, happiness,	
	expression	sadness, anger,	
		surprise, disgust, fear	
head movement	head movement	normal/abnormal	
ECG	ECG	normal/abnormal	Electrical pulse of the heart
mouse pressure	mouse pressure	high/normal/low	
response	response	fast/normal/slow	
accuracy	accuracy	good/normal/bad	
assistance	assistance	null/warning/alleviating	
		/intervening	
sensor	S	on/off	on: evidence is collected
			off no evidence is collected





