

# BIRAFFE: Bio-Reactions and Faces for Emotion-based Personalization

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**Abstract.** In this paper we introduce the BIRAFFE data set which is the result of the experiment in affective computing we conducted in early 2019. The experiment is part of the work aimed at the development of computer models for emotion classification and recognition. We strongly believe that such models should be personalized by design as emotional responses of different persons are subject to individual differences due to their personality. In the experiment we assumed data fusion from both visual and audio stimuli both taken from standard public data bases. Moreover, we combined two paradigms. In the first one, subjects were exposed to stimuli, and later their bodily reactions (ECG, GSR, and face expression) were recorded. In the second one the subjects played basic computer games, with the same reactions constantly recorded. We decided to make the data set publicly available to the research community using the Zenodo platform. As such, the data set contributes to the development and replication of experiments in AfC.

## 1 Introduction

Affective Computing (AfC) [17] is an interdisciplinary field of study regarding human emotions. An important thread in AfC is emotion recognition, which requires proper understanding and modeling of this complex phenomena [3,6]. To build computer models for recognition, a proper experimental setup has to be provided. It requires conditions where human subjects are exposed to specific emotion evoking stimuli, and furthermore more their reactions are somehow measured. In our work we assume the so-called James-Lange approach to emotion modeling. It roughly assumes that the measurement of bodily reactions

to stimuli can serve as proper foundation for emotion recognition. Moreover, in our work we assume a representation of affective data which is common in many experiments in psychology and human-computer interaction, i.e. the two dimensional Valence/Arousal space. Finally, for the sake of possible replication and wider experimentation, reference data sets are published and used in the experiments. Examples include DEAP<sup>4</sup>, DECAF<sup>5</sup> and others.

This work is in fact the continuation of a longer effort in building AfC models, previously presented on the AfCAI workshop, as well as later on in [14]. In our work we assume the use of wearable devices as well as other sensors which are possibly non-intrusive to the subjects. The data processing should also be possibly conducted with the use of devices that users have with them, e.g. mobile phones. In our works we aim at improvement of the user experience when using mobile devices (games, cognitive assistants, etc) through the so-called *affective feedback loop* between the user and the affective computer system. Moreover, we are using games not only as one of the future area of applications, but more importantly as a complex yet highly controllable experimental environment. Our recent results are also summarized in [15].

This paper presents results of a recent experiment we conducted in early 2019, as well as the resulting data set we named BIRAFFE: **B**io-**R**eactions and **F**aces for **E**motion-based Personalization. We decided to make the data set publicly available to the AfC research community using the Zenodo<sup>6</sup> platform. In Sect. 2 we introduce our methodology. In the experiment we assumed data fusion from both visual and audio stimuli both taken from standard public data bases. Moreover, we combined two paradigms. The first where subjects are exposed to stimuli, while their bodily reactions (ECG, GSR (Galvanic Skin Response)), as well as face expression) are recorded. In the second one the subjects played basic computer games, with the same reactions constantly recorded. In Sect. 3 we describe the structure of the resulting data set. Then, the paper is concluded in Sect. 4.

## 2 Methodology

### 2.1 Outline

206 participants (31% female) between 19 and 33 ( $M = 22.02$ ,  $SD = 1.96$ ) took part in the study<sup>7</sup>. They were students of the Artificial Intelligence Basics course at AGH University of Science and Technology, Krakow, Poland, as well as their friends or family members. Participation was not an obligatory part of the course, but one could get bonus points for it.

The whole experiment lasts up to 90 minutes and consists of several phases:

<sup>4</sup> See <http://www.eecs.qmul.ac.uk/mmv/datasets/deap>.

<sup>5</sup> See <http://mhug.disi.unitn.it/wp-content/DECAF>

<sup>6</sup> See <https://zenodo.org>.

<sup>7</sup> Statistics were calculated for 183 subjects for whom information about age and sex is included in the final dataset.

1. The subject is welcomed and a participant consent is signed.
2. The subject fills out the paper-and-pen Polish adaptation [19] of the NEO-FFI inventory [7], used to measure the Big Five personality traits.
3. Set up of the measuring devices, headphones and a gamepad.
4. Baseline signals recording (1 minute).
5. Stimuli presentation and rating with one widget (16 minutes).
6. *Affective SpaceShooter 2* game (10 minutes).
7. Stimuli presentation and rating with the second widget (16 minutes).
8. *Freud me out 2* game (20 minutes).
9. The equipment is switched off and the subject's questions are answered.

## 2.2 Hardware

Two research stands were prepared in the examination room and the subjects sat with their backs to each other. Each of the stands consists of three elements:

**PC** controlled by 64-bit Windows 7 Professional with Full HD 23" LCD screen, Beyerdynamic DT-770 Pro 32 Ohm headphones, external web camera Creative Live! Cam Sync HD 720p and Sony PlayStation DualShock 4 gamepad and used to display the procedure and the games. Keyboard and mouse were used only by the researcher to start the protocol.

**BITalino (r)evolution kit**<sup>8</sup> platform used to obtain the ECG and GSR signals. Electrocardiogram was obtained by variation on the classical 3 leads montage with electrodes placed in the suprasternal notch (V<sub>-</sub>), under the last rib on the left side of the body (V<sub>+</sub>) and on the pelvic iliac crest (reference) [1,8]. GSR signal was gathered by 2 leads placed on the classical palmar location, i.e. on the thenar eminences on the volar surface of the left hand [2,9]. Both signals were probed with 1000 Hz sampling rate.

**Laptop** used to save the biosignals transmitted via Bluetooth interface from the BITalino platform. It was decided to save the data on the second computer in order not to affect the performance of the PC running the procedure. Both computers were synchronized with the `time.windows.com` server at the beginning of each examination day to ensure the proper data timestamps.

The whole protocol (consisting of phases 4-8, see Sect. 2.1) was running under Python 3.6 and was written with PsychoPy 3.0.6 library [16]. Both games (phases 6 and 8) were developed in Unity (see Sect. 2.4), but their start and end were managed automatically by the Python code. Participants were instructed to navigate the whole protocol via gamepad. ECG and GSR signal are collected continuously during the whole experiment. Facial photos are taken every 333 milliseconds<sup>9</sup> while the stimulus is displayed (phases 5 and 7), and every 1 second during the games (phases 6 and 8).

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<sup>8</sup> See: <https://bitalino.com/en/>.

<sup>9</sup> Every 20 frames of the stimuli presentation. Stimuli is presented with 60 fps rate.

### 2.3 Emotion-evoking stimuli

Standardized emotionally-evocative images and sounds from IAPS [12] and IADS [4] datasets were used as stimuli. All of their elements have ratings in the Valence-Arousal space. These ratings were used to divide the stimuli into three groups for the purpose of the experiment: + (positive valence and high arousal), 0 (neutral valence and medium arousal), - (negative valence and high arousal). Afterwards, sounds and pictures were paired in two ways (60 pairs for each condition). First condition involved consistent types of pairs (20 pairs for each type): + picture was paired with + sound ( $p+s+$ ), 0 picture was paired with 0 sound ( $p0s0$ ), and - picture was paired with - sound ( $p-s-$ ). The second condition was inconsistent, composed of types (30 pairs for each type): + picture matched with - sound ( $p+s-$ ), and - picture matched with + sound ( $p-s+$ ).

The same set of 120 stimuli pairs was used for all participants. Consistent pairs were mixed with inconsistent ones within both stimuli sessions (phases 5 and 7) Both sessions started with the instruction and four training stimuli pairs. Then regular stimuli pairs were presented. Each presentation lasts 6 seconds<sup>10</sup> and is followed by 9 seconds for affective rating. Subjects are instructed to focus on their first impression. Trials are separated with 1 second interval. The only thing that distinguishes both stimuli sessions is the widget used for affective rating. Two widgets were prepared:

**Valence-arousal faces widget** (`emospace`; see Fig. 1a) gives user the possibility to rate emotions in 2D Valence-Arousal space (see [18] for original widget). As a hint we also placed 8 emoticons from the AffectButton [5] (specifically, we used the EmojiButton, which is less complicated graphically [13]). Ratings are transformed into continuous values in the range [-1,1] on both axes.

**5-faces widget** (`emoscale`; see Fig. 1b) consists of 5 emoticons and was introduced to provide simple and intuitive method of emotion assessment. Ratings are saved as numbers in the set {1,2,3,4,5}.

Both widgets were controlled using the left joystick of a gamepad. They were randomly assigned to stimuli sessions (phases 5 and 7) for each participant.

### 2.4 Games

The modified versions of two prototype affective games designed and developed by our team were used during the study (for comprehensive overview of the previous versions see [10]):

**Affective SpaceShooter 2:** the player controls a spaceship in order to bring down as many asteroids as possible. Asteroids are spawned in series of 10. In every series there are nine gray asteroids (non-affective) worth 10 points

<sup>10</sup> Each sound in IADS set lasts 6 seconds.

<sup>11</sup> Widget presented as in the study (in Polish). X axis has labels "negative", "neutral", "positive", while Y axis has labels: "high arousal" and "low arousal".

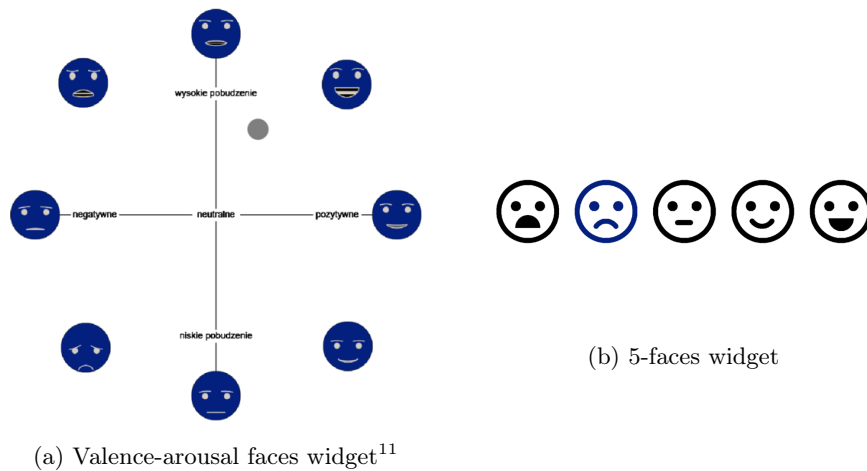


Fig. 1: Widgets used in the study. Pictures presented with a negative filter

each, and one coloured (affective) worth 50 points. The affective ones are connected to one of the four stimuli conditions:  $p+s+$ ,  $p-s+$ ,  $p+s-$ ,  $p-s-$  described in Sect. 2.3. When it is destroyed, the stimuli pair is presented (see Fig. 2a).

**Freud me out 2:** the player has to fight different enemies (worth 10-26 points) on three levels in order to face the boss at fourth level. Players can either use the gun to fight enemies singly or use the *SuperPower* – a special ability that allows to destroy multiple opponents at once. The amount of enemies was limited to 30 (in two first weeks of experiment) and reduced to 12 in the next three weeks. Players can additionally collect stars, receiving 4 points for each of them (see Fig. 2b).

### 3 The BIRAFFE Dataset

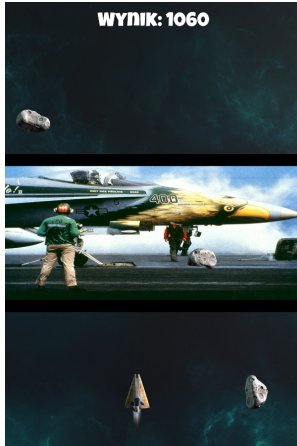
BIRAFFE dataset is available to download at Zenodo<sup>12</sup>. It consists of a metadata file and six archives related to different elements of the experiment:

**BIRAFFE-metadata.csv** contains short summary of each participant: age, sex, key timestamps (procedure start/end), personality profile and information about subsets available for given person (whether there is a **BioSigs**, **Freud**, ... file available for the person),

**BIRAFFE-biosigs.zip** contains biosignals (ECG and GSR),

**BIRAFFE-procedure.zip** contains log of all stimuli presented to given user (timestamps, condition, widget, IDs of stimuli),

<sup>12</sup> See: <http://dx.doi.org/10.5281/zenodo.3442144>.



(a) *Affective SpaceShooter 2* gameplay



(b) *Freud me out 2* gameplay

Fig. 2: Games used in the study

BIRAFFE-freud.zip contains logs from the *Freud me out 2* game,  
 BIRAFFE-space.zip contains logs from the *Affective SpaceShooter 2* game,  
 BIRAFFE-photo.zip contains face emotions description calculated by MS Face API,

BIRAFFE-photo-full.zip contains all information available in BIRAFFE-photo.zip but also other face-related values recognized by MS Face API, e.g. recognized age, whether the person wears glasses, what is the color of the hair, ...

All files have Unix timestamps which can be used for synchronization between different subsets. Detailed low-level specification of all values is provided in Sect. 3.1-3.7.

The whole BIRAFFE dataset consists of data gathered from 201 out of 206 participants<sup>13</sup>. Unfortunately, for some participants some of the subsets were not properly collected (see Tab. 1) due to e.g. applications crashed, Bluetooth signal was lost, electrode contact was poor. Finally, the whole data is available for 141 subjects. We have published also the incomplete records, as in many analyses only selected of the subsets will be used and it will not be the problem. Missing values in all files are represented by NaN.

Table 1: Size of subsets collected (out of 201 participants)

| NEO-FFI | BioSigs | Procedure | Space | Freud | Photos |
|---------|---------|-----------|-------|-------|--------|
| 153     | 171     | 186       | 193   | 191   | 192    |

<sup>13</sup> Due to the technical errors, there is no data saved for 5 subjects.

### 3.1 BIRAFFE-metadata.csv

Each line of this file represents **one subject** and consists of the following values:

```
ID;AGE;SEX;PROCEDURE-BEGIN-TIMESTAMP;PROCEDURE-END-TIMESTAMP;BIOSIGS-BEGIN-TIMESTAMP;BIOSIGS-END-TIMESTAMP;OPENNESS;CONSCIENTIOUSNESS;EXTRAVERSION;AGREEABLENESS;NEUROTICISM;NEO-FFI;BIOSIGS;PROCEDURE;SPACE;FREUD;PHOTOS
```

where<sup>14</sup>:

ID – a randomly assigned subject ID from range {1000,9999}. It is used to identify all subject-related files as filenames. Filenames are created according to the format SUBxxxx-yyyy, where xxxx is the ID, and yyyy is the data type identifier (e.g. BioSigs, Freud),

PROCEDURE-BEGIN-TIMESTAMP – timestamp of the procedure log file creation,

PROCEDURE-END-TIMESTAMP – last timestamp of the *Freud me out 2* log<sup>15</sup>,

BIOSIGS-BEGIN-TIMESTAMP;BIOSIGS-END-TIMESTAMP – first and last timestamps from BioSigs recording,

OPENNESS;CONSCIENTIOUSNESS;EXTRAVERSION;AGREEABLENESS;NEUROTICISM – five personality traits calculated from raw NEO-FFI results; values represents sten scores, i.e. the possible values are in {1,2,3,...,10} set and represent standard normal distribution with  $M = 5.5$  and  $SD = 2$ . For further analyses they can be transformed to low (1-3), medium (4-6) and high (7-10) trait levels,

NEO-FFI;BIOSIGS;PROCEDURE;SPACE;FREUD;PHOTOS – information about subsets available for given person, i.e. whether there is a BioSigs file, Freud file, etc. available for the person (Y or NaN). The NEO-FFI column only indicates whether there is a personality profile calculated in the previous columns or not.

### 3.2 BIRAFFE-biosigs.zip

Each SUBxxxx-BioSigs.csv file represents **one subject** and consists of one line per each **sensor recording**. Values were recorded with 1 kHz frequency. The fields contained in each line are:

```
TIMESTAMP;ECG;GSR
```

where:

ECG – signal (units: mV) gathered by BITalino, after band-pass filtration (cutoff frequency: [0.5 Hz, 20 Hz], order: 2),

GSR – signal (units:  $\mu$ S) gathered by BITalino, after median filtration (window: 100).

<sup>14</sup> Note that not all values are described in details, as some of them are obvious.

<sup>15</sup> Procedure begin and end are here understood as the whole protocol, not only the part related to the stimuli pairs presentation.

### 3.3 BIRAFFE-procedure.zip

Each SUBxxxx-Procedure.csv file represents **one subject** and consists of one line per each **stimuli presentation**. The fields contained in each line are:

```
TIMESTAMP;COND;COND-DETAILS;IADS-ID;IAPS-ID;WIDGET-TYPE;ANS;ANS-TIME
```

where:

TIMESTAMP – time when the stimuli appeared on the screen,  
COND – general condition: consistent (**con**) vs inconsistent (**inc**),  
COND-DETAILS – specific condition (**p0s0**, **p+s+**, **p-s+**, **p+s-**, **p-s-**),  
IADS-ID; IAPS-ID – IADS/IAPS IDs of stimuli. Both IADS and IAPS datasets provide Valence/Arousal scores for each stimuli what can be used for further analyses (these values describe emotions that were evoked by the stimuli). Contact with the CSEA at University of Florida to obtain your own copy of datasets for research<sup>16</sup>,  
WIDGET-TYPE – **emoscale** or **emospace**,  
ANS – one of {1,2,3,4,5} set for **emoscale** or two values (first for valence, second for arousal) in [-1; 1] range for **emospace**,  
ANS-TIME – response time (0 is a moment when widget appeared on the screen); NaN indicates that the subject has not made any choice but left the default option.

### 3.4 BIRAFFE-freud.zip

Each SUBxxxx-Freud.json file represents **one subject** and consists of one collection of name/value pairs per each **game event**. Each game event contains several attributes, such as the timestamp, the type of object, type of event and some details. An example of the contents of a game event is show below:

```
1 {  
2   "Timestamp": Double,  
3   Object: Event,  
4   Detail1: Value1,  
5   Detail2: Value2  
6 }
```

Below is the full list of logged type of objects and related events (alphabetically)<sup>17</sup>:

– Alert:

```
1 {  
2   "Alert": "Show",  
3   "Time": Int, # How long the alert was shown  
4   "Content": String  
5 }
```

<sup>16</sup> See: <https://csea.php.ufl.edu/media.html>.

<sup>17</sup> Timestamp is always present, so for the sake of simplicity it is not shown here.



– Enemy:

```
1 {
2   "Enemy": "Death",
3   "ID": Int,
4   "By": "SuperPower"/"Gun"/"LevelEnd",
5   "PositionX": Float, "PositionY": Float, "PositionZ": Float,
6   "RotationX": Float, "RotationY": Float, "RotationZ": Float,
7   "RotationW": Float
8 },
9 {
10  "Enemy": "Spawn",
11  "ID": Int,
12  "SpawnPoint": String,    # Name of the spawn point (randomly
13                          # placed when the game starts)
14  "Type": Int,
15  "Mechanic": "RegularSpawn"/"AdditionalMediumSpawn"/"
16  AdditionalHardSpawn"/"mrNightmareSpawn"
17 },
18 {
19  "Enemy": "Health",
20  "ID": Int,
21  "DecreaseTo": Int
22 }
```

"Type" and "Mechanic" combinations need further explanation. There are four regular levels and the final boss level. On the **first three levels** you have to face different monsters<sup>18</sup>: *ZomBunnies* on the 1<sup>st</sup> level, *ZomBears* on the 2<sup>nd</sup> level and *Hellephants* on the 3<sup>rd</sup> level. On these levels all mechanics except the last one are used. "Type": -1 indicates simple monster spawned with "RegularSpawn". Other types are spawned with "Additional[...]Spawn"<sup>19</sup> and indicate: easy (0), medium (1) or hard (2) enemy. On the **fourth level** "Additional[...]Spawn" always generates the hard enemy and the type indicates whether it is *ZomBunny* (0), *ZomBear* (1) or *Hellephant* (2). During the **final boss level**, "mrNightmareSpawn" mechanic is used and "Type" is used to indicate both strength and the kind of the enemy: 0 is for easy *Hellephant*, 1 – easy *ZomBear*, 2 – easy *ZomBunny*, [3-5] – medium enemies (in the same order as easy ones), [6-8] – hard enemies.

– Game:

```
1 {
2   "Game": "Over",
3   "Animation": "PlayerDeath"
4 },
5 {
6   "Game": "Introduction"/"TextLevel"/"Over"/"End"/"ScoreBoard",
```

<sup>18</sup> If you want to know about the storyline, see: <https://afcai.re/pub:prototypes>.

<sup>19</sup> In *Freud me out 2* there is no difference between "AdditionalMediumSpawn" and "AdditionalHardSpawn" mechanics. This is a legacy of the first version of the game.

```

7  "CountDown": "Text",
8  "ChangeTo": String # Text displayed on the screen
9  }

```

– Joystick – events are logged only during the game:

```

1  {
2  "Joystick": "Left"/"Right", # Left used for move,
3                                # Right used for rotation
4  "Horizontal": Float # [-1,1]
5  "Vertical": Float # [-1,1]
6  }

```

– Key – events are logged only when user is allowed to press the key. Only keys useful in game are logged:

```

1  {
2  "Key": "X"/"O"/"R2" # X/O for language selection (PL vs EN),
3                        # R2 for shooting
4  },
5  {
6  "Key": "L2", # used for SuperPower
7  "Time": Float # How long was pressed
8                # (longer press = more SuperPower)
9  }

```

– Pickup:

```

1  {
2  "Pickup": "Collected"/"Destroyed",
3  "ID": Int
4  },
5  {
6  "Pickup": "Spawn",
7  "ID": Int,
8  "SpawnPoint": String, # Name of the spawn point (randomly
9                        # placed when the game starts)
10 }

```

– Player:

```

1  {
2  "Player": "Range"/"Health"/"TimeBetweenTwoBullets"/"DamagePerShot"/
3  "SuperPower",
4  "IncreaseTo"/"DecreaseTo"/"StartingValue": Int/Float
5  },
6  {
7  "Player": "Health",
8  "DecreaseTo": Int,
9  "By": "Enemy",
10 "ID": Int # ID of the Enemy

```

```

11 {
12   "Player": "SuperPower",
13   "Time"/"Killed"/"Alpha": Int/Float # Alpha is the intensity
14                                       # of the visual flash
15 },
16 {
17   "Player": "Death",
18   "PositionX": Float, "PositionY": Float, "PositionZ": Float,
19   "RotationX": Float, "RotationY": Float, "RotationZ": Float,
20   "RotationW": Float
21 }

```

– Scene:

```

1 {
2   "Scene": "Load",
3   "ID": Int
4 }

```

– Score:

```

1 {
2   "Score": "Update"/"ToLevelUp",
3   "Value": Int
4 },
5 {
6   "Score": "LvlEnd"/"GameEnd"/"PlayerDeath",
7   "Value": Int,
8   "Level": Int
9 }

```

– ScoreBoard:

```

1 {
2   "ScoreBoard": "Show"
3 }

```

– Slider – visual slider indicating current SuperPower/Health values:

```

1 {
2   "Slider": "SuperPower"/"Health",
3   "IncreaseTo"/"DecreaseTo"/"StartingValue": Float/Int
4 }

```

### 3.5 BIRAFFE-space.zip

SUBxxxx-Space.json files are analogous to the BIRAFFE-freud.zip. Full list of logged type of objects and related events (alphabetically):

- **Affective** – randomized assignment of colors to affective asteroids. After 300 s (5 min) the Inconsistent Reality Logic is applied and the stimuli are no longer connected with specified color:

```

1 {
2   "Affective": "AsteroidOrder",
3   "Order1": Int,    # p-s-
4   "Order2": Int,    # p+s+
5   "Order3": Int,    # p+s-
6   "Order4": Int     # p-s+
7                       # Possible values are: 0 (blue), 1 (green),
8                       #                               2 (red), 3 (yellow)
9 }

```

– Asteroid:

```

1 {
2   "Asteroid": "Spawn",
3   "Type": Int,    # color of the asteroid:
4                   # -1 =normal, 0-3 = affective, as in AsteroidOrder
5   "ID": Int,
6   "PositionX": Float, "PositionY": Float, "PositionZ": Float,
7   "RotationX": Float, "RotationY": Float, "RotationZ": Float,
8   "RotationW": Float
9 },
10 {
11   "Asteroid": "Destroy",
12   "By": "Boundary"/"Player"/"Shot",
13   "ID": Int,
14   "PositionX": Float, "PositionY": Float, "PositionZ": Float,
15   "RotationX": Float, "RotationY": Float, "RotationZ": Float,
16   "RotationW": Float
17 }

```

– Bolt – a missing shot made by an user (event of shooting is reported as "Key": "X"):

```

1 {
2   "Bolt": "Destroy",
3   "By": "Boundary",
4   "ID": Int,
5   "PositionX": Float, "PositionY": Float, "PositionZ": Float,
6   "RotationX": Float, "RotationY": Float, "RotationZ": Float,
7   "RotationW": Float
8 }

```

– Game:

```

1 {
2   "Game": "Over"/"End"
3 }

```

– Joystick – events are logged only during the game:

```

1 {
2   "Joystick": "Left",    # only left was used (for move)

```

```

3  "Horizontal": Float # [-1,1]
4  "Vertical": Float # [-1,1]
5  }

```

- Key – events are logged only when user is allowed to press the key. Only gamepad keys useful in game are logged:

```

1  {
2  "Key": "X" # X is for shooting
3  }

```

- Main and Menu:

```

1  {
2  "Main"/"Menu": "CountdownText",
3  "ChangeTo": String # Text displayed on the screen
4  }

```

- Scene:

```

1  {
2  "Scene": "Load",
3  "ID": Int
4  }

```

- Score:

```

1  {
2  "Score": "Update"/"GameOver"/"GameEnd",
3  "Value": Int # Current score counter
4  }

```

### 3.6 BIRAFFE-photo.zip

Each SUBxxxx-Face.csv file represents **one subject** and consists of one line per each **photo taken**. Raw photos are not available. File consists of values calculated by MS Face API with *recognition\_02* model. Photos were taken with 3 Hz frequency (every 20 frames; procedure was presented with 60 fps) during stimuli presentation (but not during responding on the widget) and with 1 Hz frequency during the games. When no face was recognized or two faces were found (the second was the experimenter face) NaN value was used:

```

COND;GAME-TIMESTAMP;PICTURE-TIMESTAMP;IADS-ID;IAPS-ID;ANGER;CONTEMPT;
DISGUST;FEAR;HAPPINESS;NEUTRAL;SADNESS;SURPRISE

```

where:

COND – consistent stimuli (**con**), inconsistent stimuli(**inc**), game (**space** or **freud**)  
 GAME-TIMESTAMP – Unix timestamp available only during the game (NaN value during the stimuli presentation),

PICTURE-TIMESTAMP – timestamp within the context of the stimuli presentation.

This is a **relative** timestamp (not Unix timestamp) measured in **frames** since the beginning of the stimuli presentation: –1 for pre-stimulation photo, 0 for photo in the moment when stimuli appears, 20 for the next photo (1/3 s later), up to 340 (frame 360 = 6 s = time when stimuli disappears),

IADS-ID; IAPS-ID – IADS/IAPS IDs of stimuli (see Sect. 3.3),

ANGER; CONTEMPT; DISGUST; FEAR; HAPPINESS; NEUTRAL; SADNESS; SURPRISE – probability distribution of eight emotions calculated by MS Face API (all values sum up 1).

### 3.7 BIRAFFE-photo-full.zip

SUBxxxx-Face.csv files are analogous to the BIRAFFE-photo.zip, but with the full output from MS Face API. Besides the values described in Sect. 3.6, they also have the following face-related values<sup>20</sup>:

```
FACEATTRIBUTES-ACCESSORIES;FACEATTRIBUTES-AGE;FACEATTRIBUTES-BLUR-  
BLURLEVEL;FACEATTRIBUTES-BLUR-VALUE;FACEATTRIBUTES-EMOTION-ANGER;  
FACEATTRIBUTES-EMOTION-CONTEMPT;FACEATTRIBUTES-EMOTION-DISGUST;  
FACEATTRIBUTES-EMOTION-FEAR;FACEATTRIBUTES-EMOTION-HAPPINESS;  
FACEATTRIBUTES-EMOTION-NEUTRAL;FACEATTRIBUTES-EMOTION-SADNESS;  
FACEATTRIBUTES-EMOTION-SURPRISE;FACEATTRIBUTES-EXPOSURE-EXPOSURELEVEL;  
FACEATTRIBUTES-EXPOSURE-VALUE;FACEATTRIBUTES-FACIALHAIR-BEARD;  
FACEATTRIBUTES-FACIALHAIR-MOUSTACHE;FACEATTRIBUTES-FACIALHAIR-SIDEBURNS;  
FACEATTRIBUTES-GENDER;FACEATTRIBUTES-GLASSES;FACEATTRIBUTES-HAIR-BALD;  
FACEATTRIBUTES-HAIR-HAIRCOLOR-BLACK;FACEATTRIBUTES-HAIR-HAIRCOLOR-BLOND;  
FACEATTRIBUTES-HAIR-HAIRCOLOR-BROWN;FACEATTRIBUTES-HAIR-HAIRCOLOR-GRAY;  
FACEATTRIBUTES-HAIR-HAIRCOLOR-OTHER;FACEATTRIBUTES-HAIR-HAIRCOLOR-RED;  
FACEATTRIBUTES-HAIR-INVISIBLE;FACEATTRIBUTES-HEADPOSE-PITCH;  
FACEATTRIBUTES-HEADPOSE-ROLL;FACEATTRIBUTES-HEADPOSE-YAW;FACEATTRIBUTES-  
MAKEUP-EYEMAKEUP;FACEATTRIBUTES-MAKEUP-LIPMAKEUP;FACEATTRIBUTES-NOISE-  
NOISELEVEL;FACEATTRIBUTES-NOISE-VALUE;FACEATTRIBUTES-OCCLUSION-  
EYEOCCLUDED;FACEATTRIBUTES-OCCLUSION-FOREHEADOCLUDED;FACEATTRIBUTES-  
OCCLUSION-MOUTHOCLUDED;FACEATTRIBUTES-SMILE;FACEID;FACELANDMARKS-  
EYEBROWLEFTINNER-X;FACELANDMARKS-EYEBROWLEFTINNER-Y;FACELANDMARKS-  
EYEBROWLEFTOUTER-X;FACELANDMARKS-EYEBROWLEFTOUTER-Y;FACELANDMARKS-  
EYEBROWRIGHTINNER-X;FACELANDMARKS-EYEBROWRIGHTINNER-Y;FACELANDMARKS-  
EYEBROWRIGHTOUTER-X;FACELANDMARKS-EYEBROWRIGHTOUTER-Y;FACELANDMARKS-  
EYELEFTBOTTOM-X;FACELANDMARKS-EYELEFTBOTTOM-Y;FACELANDMARKS-EYELEFTINNER-  
X;FACELANDMARKS-EYELEFTINNER-Y;FACELANDMARKS-EYELEFTOUTER-X;FACELANDMARKS-  
-EYELEFTOUTER-Y;FACELANDMARKS-EYELEFTTOP-X;FACELANDMARKS-EYELEFTTOP-Y;  
FACELANDMARKS-EYERIGHTBOTTOM-X;FACELANDMARKS-EYERIGHTBOTTOM-Y;  
FACELANDMARKS-EYERIGHTINNER-X;FACELANDMARKS-EYERIGHTINNER-Y;FACELANDMARKS-  
-EYERIGHTOUTER-X;FACELANDMARKS-EYERIGHTOUTER-Y;FACELANDMARKS-EYERIGHTTOP-  
X;FACELANDMARKS-EYERIGHTTOP-Y;FACELANDMARKS-MOUTHLEFT-X;FACELANDMARKS-
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<sup>20</sup> See also MS Face API documentation at <https://westus.dev.cognitive.microsoft.com/docs/services/563879b61984550e40cbb8d/operations/563879b61984550f30395236>.

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MOUThLEFT-Y; FACELANDMARKS-MOUThRIGHT-X; FACELANDMARKS-MOUThRIGHT-Y;  
FACELANDMARKS-NOSELEFTALAROUTTIP-X; FACELANDMARKS-NOSELEFTALAROUTTIP-Y;  
FACELANDMARKS-NOSELEFTALARTOP-X; FACELANDMARKS-NOSELEFTALARTOP-Y;  
FACELANDMARKS-NOSERIGHTALAROUTTIP-X; FACELANDMARKS-NOSERIGHTALAROUTTIP-Y;  
FACELANDMARKS-NOSERIGHTALARTOP-X; FACELANDMARKS-NOSERIGHTALARTOP-Y;  
FACELANDMARKS-NOSEROOTLEFT-X; FACELANDMARKS-NOSEROOTLEFT-Y; FACELANDMARKS-  
NOSEROOTRIGHT-X; FACELANDMARKS-NOSEROOTRIGHT-Y; FACELANDMARKS-NOSETIP-X;  
FACELANDMARKS-NOSETIP-Y; FACELANDMARKS-PUPILLEFT-X; FACELANDMARKS-PUPILLEFT  
-Y; FACELANDMARKS-PUPILRIGHT-X; FACELANDMARKS-PUPILRIGHT-Y; FACELANDMARKS-  
UNDERLIPBOTTOM-X; FACELANDMARKS-UNDERLIPBOTTOM-Y; FACELANDMARKS-UNDERLIPTOP  
-X; FACELANDMARKS-UNDERLIPTOP-Y; FACELANDMARKS-UPPERLIPBOTTOM-X;  
FACELANDMARKS-UPPERLIPBOTTOM-Y; FACELANDMARKS-UPPERLIPTOP-X; FACELANDMARKS-  
UPPERLIPTOP-Y; FACERECTANGLE-HEIGHT; FACERECTANGLE-LEFT; FACERECTANGLE-TOP;  
FACERECTANGLE-WIDTH
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## 4 Summary

In the paper we described the BIRAFFE data set which is the result of the experiment in AfC we conducted in early 2019. Our work aims at the development of computer models for emotion classification and recognition. We strongly believe that such models should be personalized by design as emotional responses of different persons are subject to individual differences due to their personality. As such, instead of the development of some general model, which is possibly applicable to a certain part of the population, we seek to develop a multi-modal model self adapting to the specific person. An extended description of the experimentation in this area can be found in [11]. We believe, that the data set described in this paper is an important original contribution that supports the development and replication of experiments in AfC.

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