Catch the Pig! Understanding — Interaction Between People and AI Akil Atkins



Research Question

Will people cooperate differently with an Al agent based on how it is racialized?

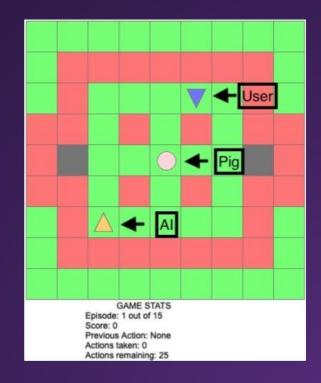
Methods & Design

- All Participants were recruited through Prolific
 - They were told they would be paid \$6.50 per hour but could be eligible for up to \$7.50 based on performance
- All participants were assigned to one of three conditions
 - Black condition, White condition, Control condition
- Participants cooperation with the AI was then measured by their actions in a modified version of the Stag Hunt Task



Catch The Pig!

- Participants played a Modified version of the Stag Hunt Task, Catch the Pig
- Tasked with scoring as many points as possible
 - Two options for scoring points, either catching the pig or exiting the gray blocks on either side of the board
- Final score was used as one way to analyze participants cooperation



Additional Measures

- Participants were also asked a series of questions to gauge their cooperation with the Pig
 - Questions consisted of asking about their strategy, Al's strategy and Al's level of intelligence
- Participants keystrokes, score per trial, and time before each movement were also recorded during trials

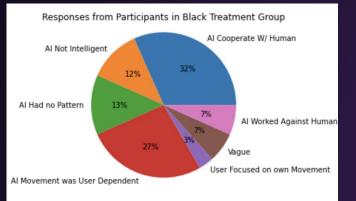


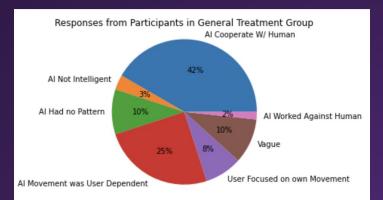
Procedure

- Participants completed 15 trials
 - First 3 trials were practice
- After all 15 trials were completed participants were directed to a qualtrics where they answered the survey questions about their experience

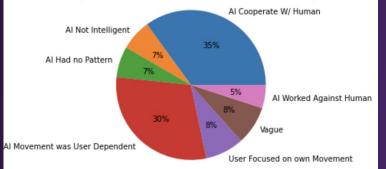


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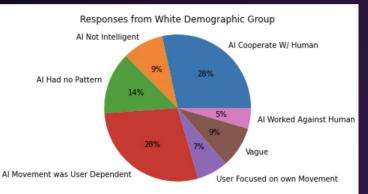


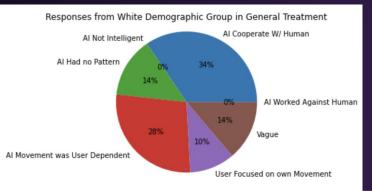


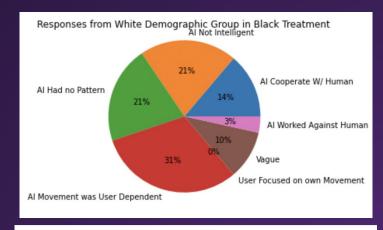




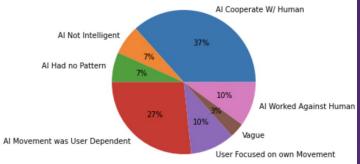
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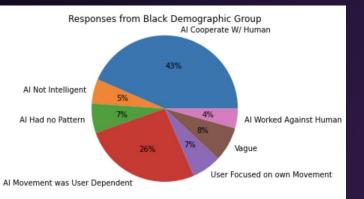


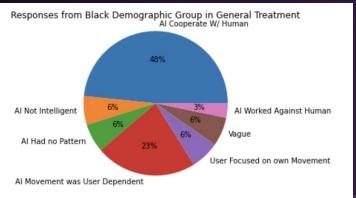


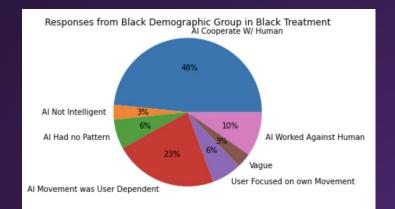
Responses from White Demographic Group in White Treatment



Results







Responses from Black Demographic Group in White Treatment

