

Presentation

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Background

Aging Problem

Aging...Older...Feeling bad...Afraid...Clumsy...Not swift...

Disturbing Facts

- Physical
 - age-related declines in motor skills (clumsy, not swift, easily tired and hurt...)
- Emotional
 - not energetic, feeling bad, easily upset...

Comparison

Young and old

Focus on

How the decline of cognitive and motor functionalities caused by aging impact the performance of older adults on target selection tasks on touch-screen devices?

Expectation

New design of accessible user interfaces for older adult users
Aims to enhance personal, professional and social activities of older adults, and people with disabilities.

Projects

- 2D–indirect input devices (mouse)
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Trajectory

- Leap Motion (Position, Angle, Range)
- Tablet

Measures

- Finger
spatial position (coordinates), velocity, accelerated velocity,
angle, time
- Tablet
intended position, actual position, re-entry, error, recovery
movements

Pre-trials & trials

Trajectory Prediction

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Analysis & Ideas

- An appropriate distance for two close target button
- Peripheral elements
- Respondent time – need confirmation? Trade-off between speed and accuracy
- Target verification strategy – zoom in? twinkle?

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Analysis & Ideas

- An appropriate size for one target button
- Different kinds of errors (compared with young adults– in the test, 20-25 years old) (slipping? missing? recovery?) – More slipping errors at xx%, Less re-Entry, More secondary smaller submovements(unintended)
- Hard to recover – add into feedback
- Without support, after a certain time muscle become weak – pressure – An appropriate number of constituent tasks selection (avoid too many steps) – joystick control

version 1.0 : Joystick

- Support the hands, not feeling tired so easily
- Less slipping or missing errors
- Hard to control (only up down left right)(hard to zoom in and out and click button)
- Takes a lot time
- Accurate and feeling controllable

version 2.0 : Maybe a ball ?

Ongoing...

Thanks

Thanks

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:-) Everyday Learning New Things

Brainstorming this morning, your dissertations, Stefanie's efficient workflow, ikea thing...

And...

Maybe can speak slowly...

Really happy to work with you and learn from you !