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Naïve and experienced honeybee foragers learn normally-configured flowers more easily than non-configured or highly-contrasted flowers

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The following files are included:

1) "Training_data.csv"

This file contains the raw data for each trial block (6 choices per trial block – 30 choices overall) during the conditioning phase of the experiment. The columns are as follows:

Bee_ID: ID of individual bee

Bee_type: A score of '1' is an experienced bee forager and a score of '2' is a naïve bee forager.

Group: A score of '1' is a bee trained on normally configured flowers, a score of '2' is a bee trained on scrambled flowers, a score of '3' is a bee trained on high-contrast flowers, and a score of '4' is a bee trained on asymmetrically scrambled flowers.

Trial block: Trial blocks 1-5.

Correct: The sum of correct choices per trial block.

Incorrect: The sum of incorrect choices per trial block.

2) "Test_data.csv"

This file contains the raw data for each test (20 choices each) during the conditioning phase of the experiment. The columns are as follows:

Bee_ID: ID of individual bee

Bee_type: A score of '1' is an experienced bee forager and a score of '2' is a naïve bee forager.

Group: A score of '1' is a bee trained on normally configured flowers, a score of '2' is a bee trained on scrambled flowers, a score of '3' is a bee trained on high-contrast flowers, and a score of '4' is a bee trained on asymmetrically scrambled flowers.

Score*100: The percentage of correct choices per bee.

Correct: The sum of correct choices.

Incorrect: The sum of incorrect choices.