Psy4320 – 2019 – evaluation guide

Item	Comments
Recoding- 3	- a functional loop that runs through and recodes events
	- the recoding is implemented without errors (i.e., the conditions are identified correctly)
	- the loop implements the recoding of the last trial without "index out of bounds" errors
Filter – 2	- proper function definition with parameter for the window width
	- moving average is implemented correctly
Re-referencing - 3	- correct function that uses the cell array to specify the channels for referencing
	- correct identification of channels from EEG.chanlocs
	- correct implementation of re-referencing
Epoching - 3	- function with parameters for the target event and the time window
	- correct identification of the time window from EEG.times
	- correct epoching
Artefact rejection - 2	- function that implements two optional procedures for rejection
	- the procedure is implemented correctly (e.g. absolute threshold, slope)
Baseline correction - 1	- basic function for the zero-meaning of EEG, based on a specified baseline (start-/end-time)
Averaging - 1	- either a function, or simply the averaging across epochs in the script.
Visualization - 1	- plotting of the ERPs as specified in the exam instructions
Script & documentation - 4	- a loop that goes through the subject data sets and does the preprocessing
	- without major errors or omissions
	- properly commented
	- 1 point for a short but help-/meaningful documentation

Subtotal 1 - 20	
EEG parameter extraction - 4	- function with channel and time input parameters
	- channel and time indices are extracted correctly
	- positive/negative peaks and peak amplitudes are correctly identified
Behavioral parameter	- script or function that computes each of the four parameters
extraction - 4	correctly
Script - 4	- a loop that goes through the subject data sets and does the parameter extraction
	- without major errors or omissions
	- properly commented
	- data across subjects are gathered in a table/matrix and written to an excel sheet
Subtotal - 12	
SPSS analysis of EEG - 6	- correct setup of the analysis for each of the 6 specified tests
SPSS analysis of Behavior - 2	- correct setup of the RT comparison and the correlation analysis
Documentation - 2	- a short summary of the interpretation of the results is provided
Subtotal - 10	
→ Max 42 points→ 21 points necessary	