

SCALE

QUESTIONNAIRE

Perception of urban parks' soundscape questionnaire

Date:

Location:

Start time:

End time:

Section 1

How old are you? ()

What is your gender?

1	_____	_____
2	_____	_____

☐ Male☐ Female

Do you have any companion with you during this visit?

1	_____	_____
2	_____	_____
3	_____	_____
4	_____	_____
5	_____	_____

☐ Alone☐ Two people☐ Three to five people☐ Small family☐ Big family

What is the highest level of education you have completed?

1	_____	_____
2	_____	_____
3	_____	_____
4	_____	_____
5	_____	_____
6	_____	_____
7	_____	_____
8	_____	_____
9	_____	_____

☐ Primary school☐ Secondary school☐ Secondary school graduate☐ Trade/technical/vocational college☐ Trade/technical/vocational college graduate☐ Some college☐ College graduate☐ Some postgraduate work☐ Post graduate degree

What is your occupational status?

1	_____	_____
2	_____	_____
3	_____	_____
4	_____	_____
5	_____	_____

☐ Employed☐ Unemployed☐ Retired☐ Student☐ Other

What is your monthly income? (RMB)

1	_____	_____
2	_____	_____
3	_____	_____
4	_____	_____
5	_____	_____

☐ <1000☐ 1000-4000☐ 4000-7000☐ 7000-10000☐ >10000

Where do you live for a long time ?

1	_____	_____
2	_____	_____

☐ Village☐ City

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Never

Occasionally

Moderately

Frequently

Always

What is your residential status?

☐ Local resident

☐ Tourist

☐ Other

What is the distance from your current residence to here?

☐ 0-500

☐ 500-1500

☐ 1500-3000

☐ 3000-4500

☐ >4500

How often do you visit this place?

☐ Rarely

☐ Several times in a year

☐ Once in a month

☐ Once in a week

☐ Twice or thrice in a week

☐ Everyday

How long have you been here?

☐ <30min

☐ 30min-1h

☐ 1-3h

☐ >3h

What kind of activities do you usually do here?

☐ Parent-child activities

☐ Fitness and health activities

☐ Sports and leisure activities

☐ Social activities

☐ Specialized activities

☐ Quiet activities

☐ Public participation activities

☐ Other

Section 2

What is the occurrence of birds sound in this place?

☐ Never

☐ Occasionally

☐ Moderately

☐ Frequently

☐ Always

(trigger)

How loud is this sound in this place?

☐ Very quiet

☐ Quiet

☐ Moderate

☐ Loud

☐ Very loud

Do you like this sound in this place?

☐ Very negative

☐ Negative

☐ Moderate

☐ Positive

☐ Very positive

Can you see the visual source of this sound at here?

☐ Yes

☐ No

What is the occurrence of insects sound in this place?

PL

1

Very quiet

2

Quiet

3

Moderate

4

Loud

5

Very loud

PR

1

Very negative

2

Negative

3

Moderate

4

Positive

5

Very positive

VS

1

Yes

2

No

☐ Never
 ☐ Occasionally
 ☐ Moderately
 ☐ Frequently
 ☐ Always

(trigger)

How loud is this sound in this place?

☐ Very quiet
 ☐ Quiet
 ☐ Moderate
 ☐ Loud
 ☐ Very loud

Do you like this sound in this place?

☐ Very negative
 ☐ Negative
 ☐ Moderate
 ☐ Positive
 ☐ Very positive

Can you see the visual source of this sound at here?

☐ Yes
 ☐ No

What is the occurrence of leaves rustling sound in this place?

☐ Never
 ☐ Occasionally
 ☐ Moderately
 ☐ Frequently
 ☐ Always

(trigger)

How loud is this sound in this place?

☐ Very quiet
 ☐ Quiet
 ☐ Moderate
 ☐ Loud
 ☐ Very loud

Do you like this sound in this place?

☐ Very negative
 ☐ Negative
 ☐ Moderate
 ☐ Positive
 ☐ Very positive

Can you see the visual source of this sound at here?

☐ Yes
 ☐ No

What is the occurrence of ducks sound in this place?

☐ Never
 ☐ Occasionally
 ☐ Moderately
 ☐ Frequently
 ☐ Always

(trigger)

How loud is this sound in this place?

☐ Very quiet
 ☐ Quiet
 ☐ Moderate
 ☐ Loud
 ☐ Very loud

Do you like this sound in this place?

☐ Very negative
 ☐ Negative
 ☐ Moderate
 ☐ Positive
 ☐ Very positive

Can you see the visual source of this sound at here?

☐ Yes
 ☐ No

What is the occurrence of dogs sound in this place?

☐ Never
 ☐ Occasionally
 ☐ Moderately
 ☐ Frequently
 ☐ Always

(trigger)

How loud is this sound in this place?

☐ Very quiet
 ☐ Quiet
 ☐ Moderate
 ☐ Loud
 ☐ Very loud

Do you like this sound in this place?

☐ Very negative
 ☐ Negative
 ☐ Moderate
 ☐ Positive
 ☐ Very positive

Can you see the visual source of this sound at here?

☐ Yes
 ☐ No

What is the occurrence of wind sound in this place?

☐ Never
 ☐ Occasionally
 ☐ Moderately
 ☐ Frequently
 ☐ Always

(trigger)

How loud is this sound in this place?

☐ Very quiet ☐ Quiet ☐ Moderate ☐ Loud ☐ Very loud

Do you like this sound in this place?

☐ Very negative ☐ Negative ☐ Moderate ☐ Positive ☐ Very positive

What is the **occurrence of water** sound in this place?

☐ Never ☐ Occasionally ☐ Moderately ☐ Frequently ☐ Always

(trigger)

How loud is this sound in this place?

☐ Very quiet ☐ Quiet ☐ Moderate ☐ Loud ☐ Very loud

Do you like this sound in this place?

☐ Very negative ☐ Negative ☐ Moderate ☐ Positive ☐ Very positive

Can you see the visual source of this sound at here?

☐ Yes ☐ No

What is the **occurrence of square dancing** sound in this place?

☐ Never ☐ Occasionally ☐ Moderately ☐ Frequently ☐ Always

(trigger)

How loud is this sound in this place?

☐ Very quiet ☐ Quiet ☐ Moderate ☐ Loud ☐ Very loud

Do you like this sound in this place?

☐ Very negative ☐ Negative ☐ Moderate ☐ Positive ☐ Very positive

Can you see the visual source of this sound at here?

☐ Yes ☐ No

What is the **occurrence of broadcast music** sound in this place?

☐ Never ☐ Occasionally ☐ Moderately ☐ Frequently ☐ Always

(trigger)

How loud is this sound in this place?

☐ Very quiet ☐ Quiet ☐ Moderate ☐ Loud ☐ Very loud

Do you like this sound in this place?

☐ Very negative ☐ Negative ☐ Moderate ☐ Positive ☐ Very positive

Can you see the visual source of this sound at here?

☐ Yes ☐ No

What is the **occurrence of singing** sound in this place?

☐ Never ☐ Occasionally ☐ Moderately ☐ Frequently ☐ Always

(trigger)

How loud is this sound in this place?

☐ Very quiet ☐ Quiet ☐ Moderate ☐ Loud ☐ Very loud

Do you like this sound in this place?

☐ Very negative ☐ Negative ☐ Moderate ☐ Positive ☐ Very positive

Can you see the visual source of this sound at here?

☐ Yes ☐ No

What is the occurrence of instrument sound in this place?

☐ Never ☐ Occasionally ☐ Moderately ☐ Frequently ☐ Always

(trigger)

How loud is this sound in this place?

☐ Very quiet ☐ Quiet ☐ Moderate ☐ Loud ☐ Very loud

Do you like this sound in this place?

☐ Very negative ☐ Negative ☐ Moderate ☐ Positive ☐ Very positive

Can you see the visual source of this sound at here?

☐ Yes ☐ No

What is the occurrence of lawn mowing sound in this place?

☐ Never ☐ Occasionally ☐ Moderately ☐ Frequently ☐ Always

(trigger)

How loud is this sound in this place?

☐ Very quiet ☐ Quiet ☐ Moderate ☐ Loud ☐ Very loud

Do you like this sound in this place?

☐ Very negative ☐ Negative ☐ Moderate ☐ Positive ☐ Very positive

Can you see the visual source of this sound at here?

☐ Yes ☐ No

What is the occurrence of construction sound in this place?

☐ Never ☐ Occasionally ☐ Moderately ☐ Frequently ☐ Always

(trigger)

How loud is this sound in this place?

☐ Very quiet ☐ Quiet ☐ Moderate ☐ Loud ☐ Very loud

Do you like this sound in this place?

☐ Very negative ☐ Negative ☐ Moderate ☐ Positive ☐ Very positive

Can you see the visual source of this sound at here?

☐ Yes ☐ No

What is the occurrence of engine sound in this place?

☐ Never ☐ Occasionally ☐ Moderately ☐ Frequently ☐ Always

(trigger)

How loud is this sound in this place?

☐ Very quiet ☐ Quiet ☐ Moderate ☐ Loud ☐ Very loud

Do you like this sound in this place?

☐ Very negative ☐ Negative ☐ Moderate ☐ Positive ☐ Very positive

Can you see the visual source of this sound at here?

☐ Yes ☐ No

What is the occurrence of bicycle riding sound in this place?

☐ Never ☐ Occasionally ☐ Moderately ☐ Frequently ☐ Always

(trigger)

How loud is this sound in this place?

☐ Very quiet ☐ Quiet ☐ Moderate ☐ Loud ☐ Very loud

Do you like this sound in this place?

☐ Very negative ☐ Negative ☐ Moderate ☐ Positive ☐ Very positive

Can you see the visual source of this sound at here?

☐ Yes ☐ No

What is the occurrence of surrounding speech in this place?

☐ Never ☐ Occasionally ☐ Moderately ☐ Frequently ☐ Always

(trigger)

How loud is this sound in this place?

☐ Very quiet ☐ Quiet ☐ Moderate ☐ Loud ☐ Very loud

Do you like this sound in this place?

☐ Very negative ☐ Negative ☐ Moderate ☐ Positive ☐ Very positive

Can you see the visual source of this sound at here?

☐ Yes ☐ No

What is the occurrence of playing children sound in this place?

☐ Never ☐ Occasionally ☐ Moderately ☐ Frequently ☐ Always

(trigger)

How loud is this sound in this place?

☐ Very quiet ☐ Quiet ☐ Moderate ☐ Loud ☐ Very loud

Do you like this sound in this place?

☐ Very negative ☐ Negative ☐ Moderate ☐ Positive ☐ Very positive

Can you see the visual source of this sound at here?

☐ Yes ☐ No

What is the occurrence of footsteps sound in this place?

☐ Never ☐ Occasionally ☐ Moderately ☐ Frequently ☐ Always

(trigger)

How loud is this sound in this place?

☐ Very quiet ☐ Quiet ☐ Moderate ☐ Loud ☐ Very loud

Do you like this sound in this place?

☐ Very negative ☐ Negative ☐ Moderate ☐ Positive ☐ Very positive

Can you see the visual source of this sound at here?

☐ Yes ☐ No

What is the occurrence of **diabolo** sound in this place?

☐ Never ☐ Occasionally ☐ Moderately ☐ Frequently ☐ Always

(trigger)

How loud is this sound in this place?

☐ Very quiet ☐ Quiet ☐ Moderate ☐ Loud ☐ Very loud

Do you like this sound in this place?

☐ Very negative ☐ Negative ☐ Moderate ☐ Positive ☐ Very positive

Can you see the visual source of this sound at here?

☐ Yes ☐ No

What is the occurrence of **train** sound in this place?

☐ Never ☐ Occasionally ☐ Moderately ☐ Frequently ☐ Always

(trigger)

How loud is this sound in this place?

☐ Very quiet ☐ Quiet ☐ Moderate ☐ Loud ☐ Very loud

Do you like this sound in this place?

☐ Very negative ☐ Negative ☐ Moderate ☐ Positive ☐ Very positive

Can you see the visual source of this sound at here?

☐ Yes ☐ No

What is the occurrence of **automobile** sound in this place?

☐ Never ☐ Occasionally ☐ Moderately ☐ Frequently ☐ Always

(trigger)

How loud is this sound in this place?

☐ Very quiet ☐ Quiet ☐ Moderate ☐ Loud ☐ Very loud

Do you like this sound in this place?

☐ Very negative ☐ Negative ☐ Moderate ☐ Positive ☐ Very positive

Can you see the visual source of this sound at here?

☐ Yes ☐ No

What is the occurrence of **motorbike** sound in this place?

☐ Never ☐ Occasionally ☐ Moderately ☐ Frequently ☐ Always

(trigger)

How loud is this sound in this place?

☐ Very quiet ☐ Quiet ☐ Moderate ☐ Loud ☐ Very loud

Do you like this sound in this place?

☐ Very negative ☐ Negative ☐ Moderate ☐ Positive ☐ Very positive

Can you see the visual source of this sound at here?

☐ Yes ☐ No

Section 3	
Are you satisfied with the overall sound environment in this place?	
1	<input type="radio"/> Very unsatisfied
2	<input type="radio"/> Unsatisfied
3	<input type="radio"/> Neither satisfied, nor unsatisfied
4	<input type="radio"/> Satisfied
5	<input type="radio"/> Very satisfied
What do you think of the loudness of this place?	
1	<input type="radio"/> Very low
2	<input type="radio"/> Low
3	<input type="radio"/> Moderately
4	<input type="radio"/> Loud
5	<input type="radio"/> Very loud
Do you think this sound environment annoyed?	
1	<input type="radio"/> Not annoyed at all
2	<input type="radio"/> Slightly annoyed
3	<input type="radio"/> Moderately annoyed
4	<input type="radio"/> Very annoyed
5	<input type="radio"/> Extremely annoyed

Figure S1. The questionnaire and each questions' scale

Table S1 Generalized linear model between each of the perception parameters of individual sounds and five dimensions of factors (Only when p value of factors showed significance, their corresponding model's number of observations and goodness of fit were reported).

		PO					PL					PR					VS				
		F1	F2	F3	F4	F5	F1	F2	F3	F4	F5	F1	F2	F3	F4	F5	F1	F2	F3	F4	F5
Natural sounds	Birds	No. of obs =2034 (1/df) Deviance =1.802 AIC=3.429					-					No. of obs =1559 (1/df) Deviance = 0.679 AIC=2.455					No. of obs =1558 (1/df) Deviance = 0.238 AIC=1.409				
		Coefficient										-0.123					0.097				
		Sig. (2-tailed)										0.000**					0.000**				
	Insects	No. of obs =2034 (1/df) Deviance =1.429 AIC=3.198					No. of obs =1011 (1/df) Deviance = 0.926 AIC=2.767					No. of obs =1009 (1/df) Deviance =1.078 AIC=2.919					No. of obs =1010 (1/df) Deviance = 0.167 AIC=1.057				
		Coefficient					0.248					-0.159 0.079					0.046				
		Sig. (2-tailed)					0.000**					0.000** 0.014*					0.002**				
	Dogs	No. of obs =2034 (1/df) Deviance = 0.665 AIC=2.433					No. of obs =546 (1/df) Deviance = 0.906 AIC= 2.751					No. of obs =545 (1/df) Deviance =1.140 AIC=2.980					-				
		Coefficient					-0.045					-0.207									
		Sig. (2-tailed)					0.012*					0.000**									

Ducks		No. of obs =2034 (1/df) Deviance = 0.605 AIC=2.338	-	No. of obs =195 (1/df) Deviance = 0.862 AIC=2.720	-
	Coefficient	0.035 0.054 0.042		-0.203 0.187	
	Sig. (2-tailed)	0.038* 0.002** 0.014*		0.022* 0.010*	
Leaves rustling		No. of obs =2034 (1/df) Deviance =1.557 AIC=3.283	No. of obs =1348 (1/df) Deviance = 0.869 AIC= 2.703	No. of obs =1344 (1/df) Deviance = 0.775 AIC=2.588	No. of obs =1328 (1/df) Deviance = 0.157 AIC= 0.993
	Coefficient	0.192 0.062 0.054	0.052 0.054	0.053	
	Sig. (2-tailed)	0.000** 0.025* 0.026*	0.025* 0.026*	0.000**	
		*		*	
Wind		No. of obs =2034 (1/df) Deviance =1.584 AIC=3.301	-	No. of obs =1305 (1/df) Deviance = 0.824 AIC=2.649	-
	Coefficient	0.135 -0.081		0.071	
	Sig. (2-tailed)	0.000** 0.003**		0.004**	
		*			
Water		No. of obs =2034 (1/df) Deviance =1.136 AIC=2.969	No. of obs =344 (1/df) Deviance =1.041 AIC=2.895	-	No. of obs =345 (1/df) Deviance = 0.085 AIC= 0.390
	Coefficient	0.094 0.078	0.192		-0.049
	Sig. (2-tailed)	0.000** 0.001**	0.006**		0.002*
		*			*
Mech Square dancing		No. of obs =2034 (1/df) Deviance =1.779	No. of obs =664 (1/df) Deviance =1.276	No. of obs =664 (1/df) Deviance =1.103	No. of obs =662 (1/df) Deviance = 0.149

Artificial sounds	Broadcast music		AIC=3.417				AIC=3.091				AIC=2.945				AIC= 0.943			
		Coefficient	-0.162				-0.132				-0.263 -0.166				0.066			
		Sig. (2-tailed)	0.000**				0.003**				0.000** 0.000**				0.000**			
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	Singing		No. of obs =2034				-				No. of obs =1306				No. of obs =1243			
			(1/df) Deviance =2.387								(1/df) Deviance = 0.947				(1/df) Deviance = 0.215			
			AIC=3.710								AIC=2.788				AIC=1.309			
		Coefficient	0.155								-0.054 -0.077				0.059			
	Instrument	Sig. (2-tailed)	0.000**								0.048* 0.004**				0.000**			
			*												*			
			No. of obs =2034				No. of obs =380				No. of obs =379				No. of obs =371			
			(1/df) Deviance =1.317				(1/df) Deviance =1.124				(1/df) Deviance =1.104				(1/df) Deviance = 0.132			
	Lawn mowing		AIC=3.116				AIC=2.970				AIC=2.952				AIC= 0.833			
		Coefficient	-0.155 -0.111 -0.058				-0.064 -0.122 -0.103				-0.164 -0.134				0.069			
		Sig. (2-tailed)	0.000** 0.000** 0.021*				0.011* 0.012* 0.048*				0.003* 0.015*				0.000**			
			* *								*				*			
	Artificial sounds		-				-				-				-			
		Coefficient																
		Sig. (2-tailed)																
	Lawn mowing		No. of obs =2034				No. of obs =117				-				-			
			(1/df) Deviance = 0.201				(1/df) Deviance =1.018											
			AIC=1.239				AIC=2.906											
	Artificial sounds	Coefficient	0.031 0.019 -0.023								-0.228							
		Sig. (2-tailed)	0.002** 0.049* 0.021*								0.028*							

Construction sound		No. of obs =2034 (1/df) Deviance = 0.981 AIC=2.822			-	No. of obs =528 (1/df) Deviance = 0.550 AIC=2.251			No. of obs =525 (1/df) Deviance = 0.207 AIC=1.276
	Coefficient	0.090	0.058			-0.088	0.095		
	Sig. (2-tailed)	0.000**	0.008**			0.004**	0.004**	0.007**	
Engine		No. of obs =2034 (1/df) Deviance = 0.534 AIC=2.215			-	No. of obs =180 (1/df) Deviance = 0.936 AIC=2.805			-
	Coefficient	0.035	0.038	0.044			-0.270		
	Sig. (2-tailed)	0.027*	0.017*	0.006**			0.000**		
Bicycle riding		No. of obs =2034 (1/df) Deviance = 0.783 AIC=2.596			-	No. of obs =548 (1/df) Deviance = 0.764 AIC=2.580			-
	Coefficient	0.070	-0.066	-0.047		-0.076			
	Sig. (2-tailed)	0.000**	0.001**	0.016*		0.030*			
Surrounding speech		No. of obs =2034 (1/df) Deviance =1.441 AIC=3.206			-	No. of obs =1943 (1/df) Deviance = 0.789 AIC=2.604			-
	Coefficient	0.210	-0.151	0.071		0.088	-0.096		
	Sig. (2-tailed)	0.000**	0.000**	0.007*		0.000**	0.000**		

Playing children		No. of obs =2034 (1/df) Deviance = 1.722 AIC=3.384			No. of obs =1560 (1/df) Deviance = 0.870 AIC=2.702		No. of obs =1561 (1/df) Deviance = 0.914 AIC=2.752			No. of obs =1550 (1/df) Deviance = 0.071 AIC= 0.208	
	Coefficient	0.273	0.068	-0.255	0.099	-0.095	-0.213	-0.102	-0.090		-0.013
	Sig. (2-tailed)	0.000**	0.019*	0.000**	0.000**	0.000**	0.000**	0.000**	0.000**		0.041*
		*		*	*	*	*	*	*		
Footsteps		No. of obs =2034 (1/df) Deviance =1.738 AIC=3.394			No. of obs =1602 (1/df) Deviance = 0.827 AIC=2.652		No. of obs =1603 (1/df) Deviance = 0.633 AIC=2.385			No. of obs =1591 (1/df) Deviance = 0.086 AIC= 0.397	
	Coefficient	0.231		-0.065		-0.051	-0.066	-0.148	-0.071		0.020
	Sig. (2-tailed)	0.000**		0.026*		0.027*	0.003*	0.000**	0.000**		0.010*
		*				*	*	*	*		
Diabolo		No. of obs =2034 (1/df) Deviance = 0.287 AIC=1.594			-		-			-	
	Coefficient	-0.053		0.041							0.040
	Sig. (2-tailed)	0.000**		0.000**							0.001**
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Train		No. of obs =2034 (1/df) Deviance = 0.456 AIC=2.057			-		No. of obs =177 (1/df) Deviance = 0.627 AIC=2.404			-	
	Coefficient	0.073	0.073	-0.054					-0.159		
	Sig. (2-tailed)	0.000**	0.000**	0.000**					0.008**		
		*	*	*							

Automobile		No. of obs =2034 (1/df) Deviance =2.056 AIC=3.561				No. of obs =823 (1/df) Deviance =1.051 AIC=2.895		No. of obs =822 (1/df) Deviance = 0.923 AIC=2.765		No. of obs =802 (1/df) Deviance = 0.166 AIC=1.051	
	Coefficient	-0.067	0.141	-0.146	-0.149	-0.121	0.085	-0.138	-0.174	0.043	
	Sig. (2-tailed)	0.035*	0.000**	0.000**	0.000**	0.001**	0.013*	0.000**	0.000**	0.005**	
		*		*	*			*	*		
Motorbike		No. of obs =2034 (1/df) Deviance = 0.526 AIC=2.199				No. of obs =269 (1/df) Deviance = 0.999 AIC=2.859		No. of obs =268 (1/df) Deviance = 0.820 AIC=2.661		-	
	Coefficient	-0.071	-0.056	-0.049	-0.035	-0.068	-0.167	-0.253	-0.125		
	Sig. (2-tailed)	0.000**	0.000**	0.002**	0.027*	0.000**	0.006**	0.000**	0.019*		
		*	*		*		*				

Notes: F1: Age and familiarity of site, F2: Educational and Economic condition, F3: Companion and type of recreational use, F4: Gender, F5: Length of Stay. Significant differences are marked with *(p < 0.05), ** (p< 0.01) and ***(p<0.001).