

Biological and Chronological Age

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Life expectancy in humans has risen by one year every four years over the last one and a half century. This extraordinary rise confronts us with numerous societal and scientific challenges. We do not understand well what influences this increased life expectancy. Are we simply aging slower, are we starting to age later, do we add more years at the end of our lives? By investigating the biological age using a biomarker (how old one looks) and comparing it to the chronological age we aim at these questions. The data is collected within a citizen science project and is waiting for you to be analysed.

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Welcome to AgeGuess!

A citizen science project on human biological and chronological age.

Do I look much older than I am?

Wow, that person looks really young, what is their real age?

You have wondered before, now you can get some answers!



What is AgeGuess?

AgeGuess is a simple on-line game in which you can post your photos, have other people guess your age, as well as guess the age of other users.

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The science behind AgeGuess

AgeGuess investigates the differences between perceived age (how old you look) and chronological age (your age) as a potential aging biomarker.

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What is aging?

Simply put, aging is the process of getting old, with death being its final outcome. Aging is deleterious and the likelihood to die increases with time.

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Do it for science!

AgeGuess is based on your participation. It relies on the users, the players, the citizen scientists. Spend time guessing. Upload photos. Guess some more.

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Rules of AgeGuess

We display photos without any transfer of copyright and keep all information confidential. By guessing you will earn points and compete with other users.

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The AgeGuess team

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