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The Influence of Music on Temporal Perceptions in an on-hold Waiting Situation

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Several experiments have shown that on-hold telephone **music** affects the estimation of projected time before hang-up. However, the cognitive mechanisms of this effect have not been investigated, although a separate series of studies have shown that **music** affects time perception. Therefore an experiment was carried out in which subjects had to wait on the telephone, with the on-hold message accompanied or not by **music**. Results show that compared with the control condition without **music**, the presence of **music** leads to: (1) an underestimation of time spent and (2) an over-estimation of projected time passed to hang-up.

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