Trial #148 — Recognition Potential Analysis

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Subject	AF • recorded 04/13/2026 18:48:35.897 • dataset Celebrities
Stimuli	501 images: 49 clear, 452 scrambled • 46 keypresses (47 matched to clear images, median RT 436 ms)
EDF file	AH_20260228_154342.edf
Alignment	photodiode on CH21 (positive and negative spikes, matched to every image); clock offset 9027 ms (EDF header would give 3812693897 ms); 513/501 images matched; drift -267 ppm; jitter 22.9 ms
Electrodes	noise after filtering — O1 282 µV, O2 356 µV, T5 381 µV, T6 13 µV ✓, P3 265 µV, P4 543 µV, Pz 356 µV, Cz 310 µV (✓ = used, threshold 50 µV)
Processing	60 Hz notch, 0.5–15 Hz bandpass, epochs -200 to 800 ms, baseline -200 to 0 ms, reject > 100 µV peak-to-peak

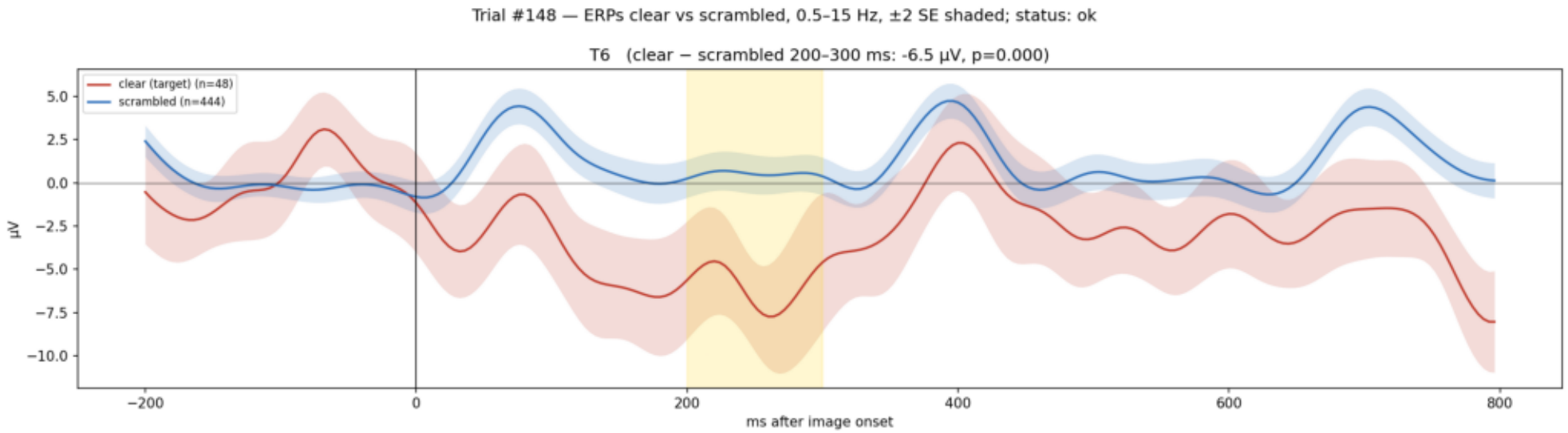
Clear − scrambled, 200–300 ms RP window

Channel	Epochs (clear / scrambled)	Mean difference	p (permutation, 2000)	Largest difference 150–350 ms
T6	**48 / 444**	**-6.48 µV**	**0.000**	**-8.2 µV @ 260 ms**

Bold = p < 0.05. Not corrected for testing several channels.

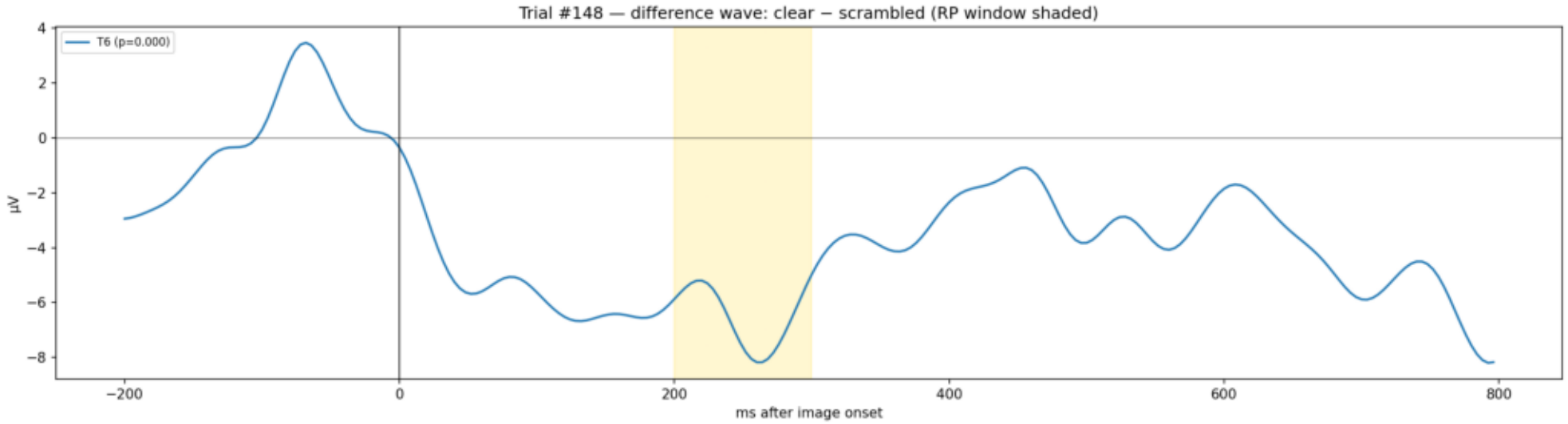
Event-related potentials: clear vs scrambled

The recognition potential (RP) appears about 200–300 ms after a recognisable (clear) image as a deflection that is absent for scrambled images; its sign depends on the reference. The RP window is shaded; bands are ±2 standard errors.



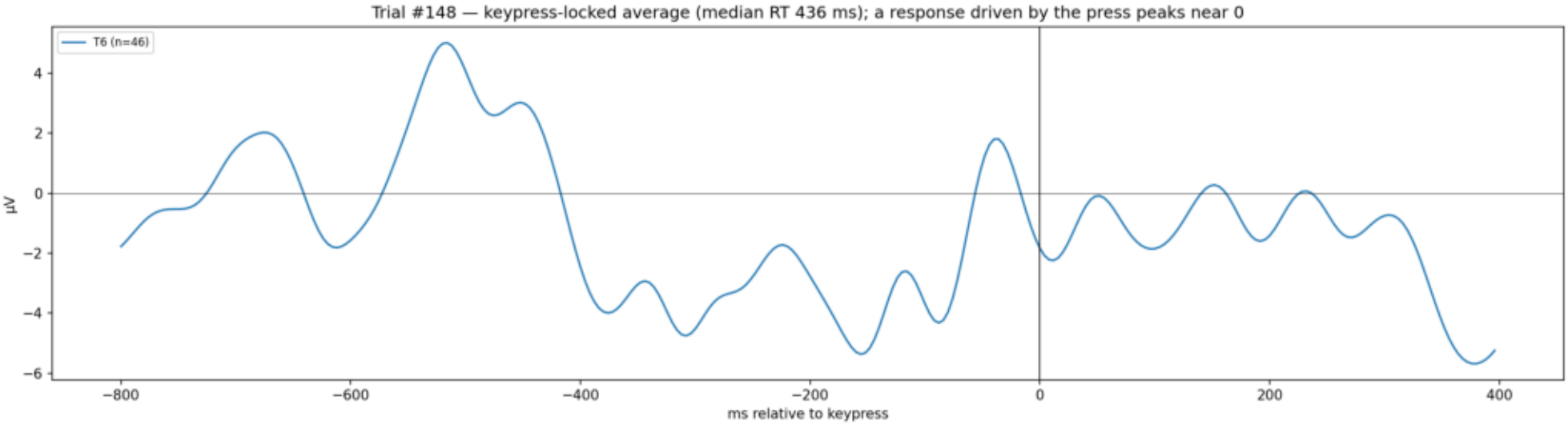
Difference wave (clear − scrambled)

Images arrive every ~330 ms, so each epoch also contains responses to neighbouring images. Subtracting the scrambled average removes that shared part and isolates the RP.



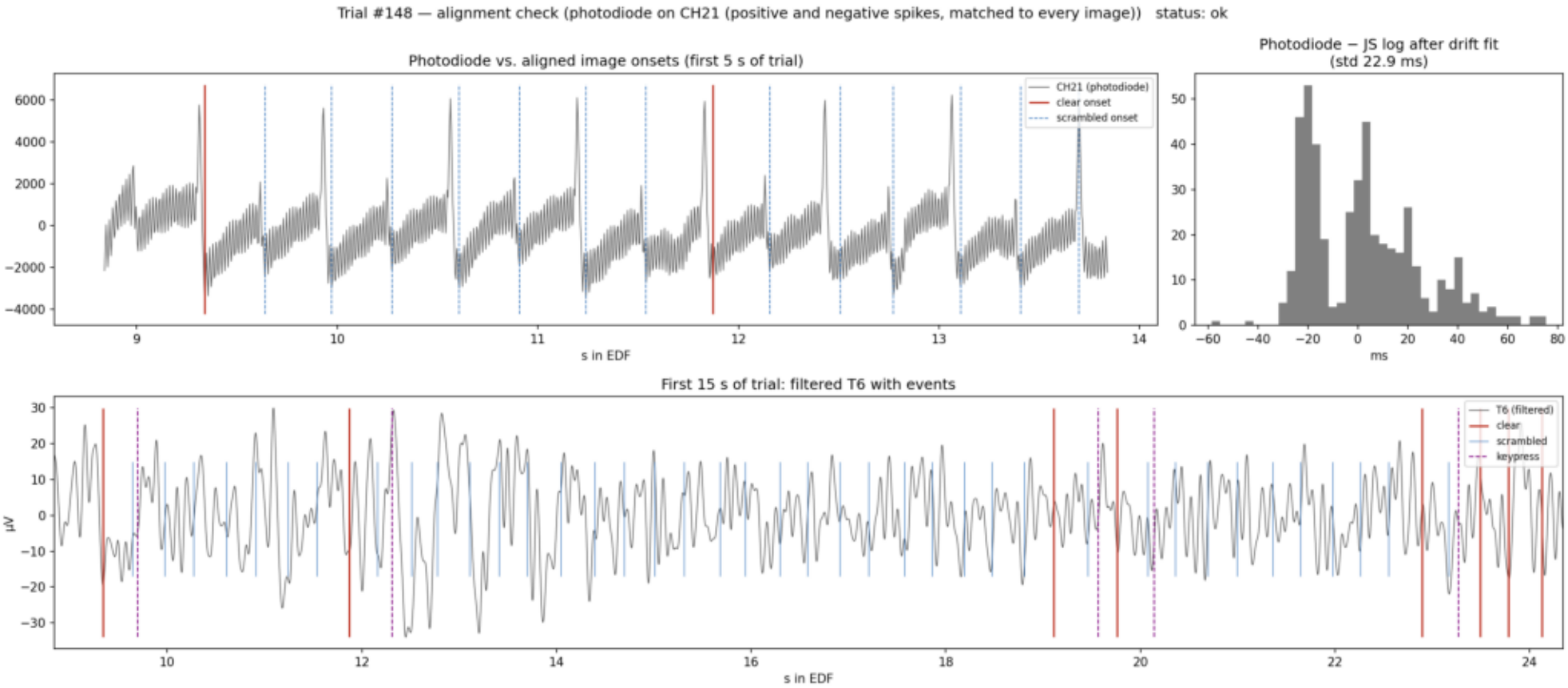
Keypress-locked average

Checks whether activity tied to the button press, rather than recognition, drives the difference between clear and scrambled images.



Alignment check and signal overview

Each image onset is snapped to its photodiode spike. Bottom: the first 15 s of the filtered signal with image onsets and keypresses.



Analysis log

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Trial #148 — subject AF, 04/13/2026 18:48:35.897
  EDF: /home/japhy/eegdata/media/trialData/AH_20260228_154342.edf
  250 Hz, 174 s; 501 images (49 clear, 452 scrambled); 46 presses
  alignment: photodiode on CH21 (positive and negative spikes, matched to every image)
    offset 9027 ms (EDF header says 3812693897); 88% of images matched (typical 16%); drift -267 ppm; jitter 22.9 ms
  electrode noise (µV): O1 282, O2 356, T5 381, T6 13, P3 265, P4 543, Pz 356, Cz 310
  using: T6
  47 of 49 clear images followed by a keypress (median RT 436 ms)
  T6: clear−scrambled 200–300 ms = -6.48 µV, p=0.000, peak -8.2 µV @ 260 ms
  status: ok
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