

Multimedia Appendix 2. Search terms for MEDLINE and EMBASE (March 30<sup>th</sup>, 2016).

MEDLINE

#1	"crowdsourcing"[MeSH Terms] OR crowdsource[tiab] OR crowdsourced[tiab] OR crowdsourcers[tiab] OR crowdsources[tiab] OR crowdsourcing[tiab] OR crowd-source[tiab] OR crowd-sourced[tiab] OR crowd-sourcing[tiab] OR crowdworker[tiab] OR crowdworkers[tiab] OR "crowd science"[tiab] OR "crowd-based"[tiab] OR crowds[tiab]	N= 949
#2	"Mechanical Turk"[tiab] OR "Mturk"[tiab] OR "crowdflower"[tiab] OR "foldit"[tiab]	N= 229
#3	"citizen science"[tiab] OR "citizen scientist"[tiab] OR "citizen scientists"[tiab]	N= 270
#4	Microtask[tiab] OR "online task"[tiab]	N= 19
#5	#1 OR #2 OR #3 OR #4	N= 1 363

EMBASE

#1	crowdsource OR crowdsourced OR crowdsourcers OR crowdsources OR 'crowdsourcing'/exp OR 'crowd source' OR 'crowd sourced' OR 'crowd sourcing'/exp OR crowdworker OR crowdworkers OR 'crowd science' OR 'crowd-based' OR crowds AND [embase]/lim	N = 705
#2	'mechanical turk' OR 'mturk' OR 'crowdflower' OR 'foldit' AND [embase]/lim	N = 164
#3	'citizen science' OR 'citizen scientist' OR 'citizen scientists' AND [embase]/lim	N = 177
#4	microtask OR 'online task' AND [embase]/lim	N= 12
#5	#1 OR #2 OR #3 OR #4	N= 991