

The **HEXACO personality model** is a comprehensive framework for measuring fundamental **human personality traits**, while the **Neurodivergent Scale for Interacting with Robots (NSIR)** is a specialized tool for measuring a **neurodivergent individual's subjective experience** and relationship quality with a social robot.

HEXACO Personality Model

- **Purpose:** The HEXACO model is a psychological model that measures six broad dimensions of human personality: Honesty-Humility (H), Emotionality (E), Extraversion (X), Agreeableness (A), Conscientiousness (C), and Openness to Experience (O).
- **Focus:** It assesses stable individual differences in general behavioral tendencies, thoughts, and feelings in human-human contexts.
- **Application:** It is used in general personality research to predict behavior, job performance, and mental health outcomes.

Neurodivergent Scale for Interacting with Robots (NSIR)

- **Purpose:** The NSIR is specifically designed to evaluate how neurodivergent users perceive the quality of a robot's social interaction.
- **Focus:** It measures the user's perception of the robot across three dimensions: **anthropomorphic connection/kinship, social comfort/trust, and safety.**
- **Application:** It is a user-centric evaluation tool for HRI design, used to ensure robots are perceived as inclusive, comfortable, and safe for a specific population.

Comparison Summary

Feature	HEXACO Model	NSIR
Type of Measure	Human personality traits	User perception of robot interaction
Focus of Measurement	The user's stable traits	The <i>quality</i> of the robot interaction

Context	Human-human interactions	Human-robot interactions
Relationship	HEXACO traits can <i>predict</i> NSIR scores	NSIR <i>evaluates</i> the outcome of interactions

The two scales are used together in research to understand *how* specific personality traits might influence *which* aspects of the human-robot interaction are most important or successful for neurodivergent individuals.

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