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Dear Rolf

Thankyou for your letter of 26 May. I am glad that my paper on 'Hue shifts....' is now on its way to being published.

You ask what are the most telling psychophysical or psychological experiments that prove the existence of a psychological opponent colour system.

I would say the fact that observers can scale hue very easily and reproducibly using four, and only four, hue names, red and green, and yellow and blue, the components of each of these two pairs of hues being mutually exclusive.

With best wishes,

yours sincerely,



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