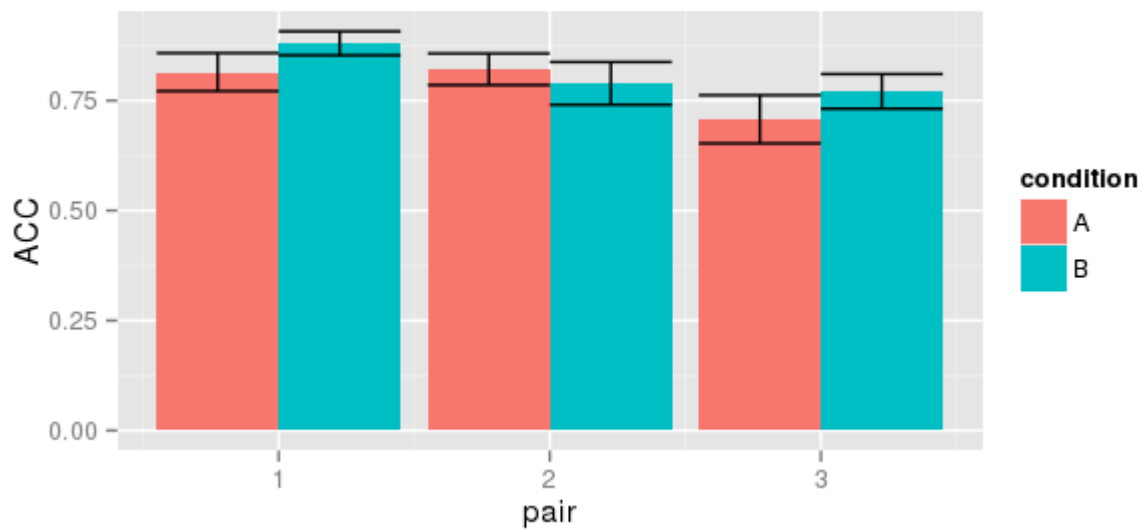


Cortex-data (script 01)

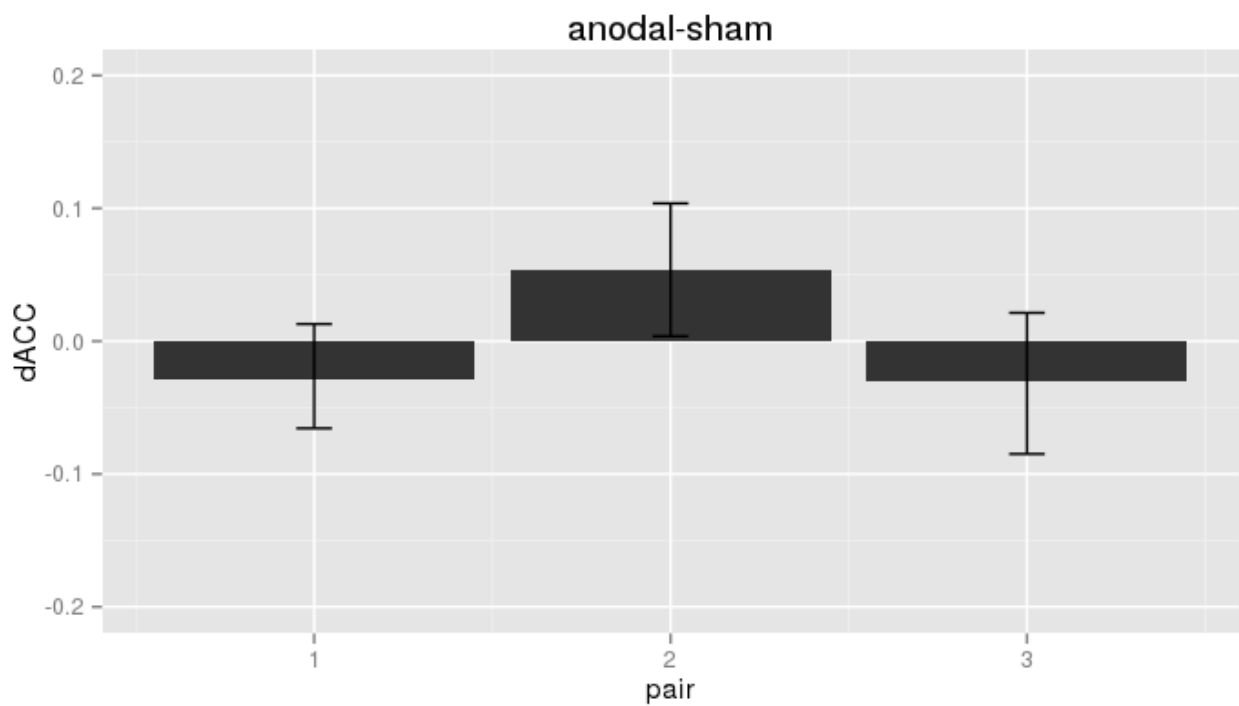
A=anodal

B=sham

Accuracy as function of pair and stimulation condition



repeated measures, so more informative to look at means of differences (error bars are confidence limits)



Logistic regression (we did not include this but should have):

Formula: $\text{ACC} \sim \text{scale}(\text{trial}) + \text{as.numeric}(\text{pair}) + \text{condition} + (1 \mid \text{subj})$

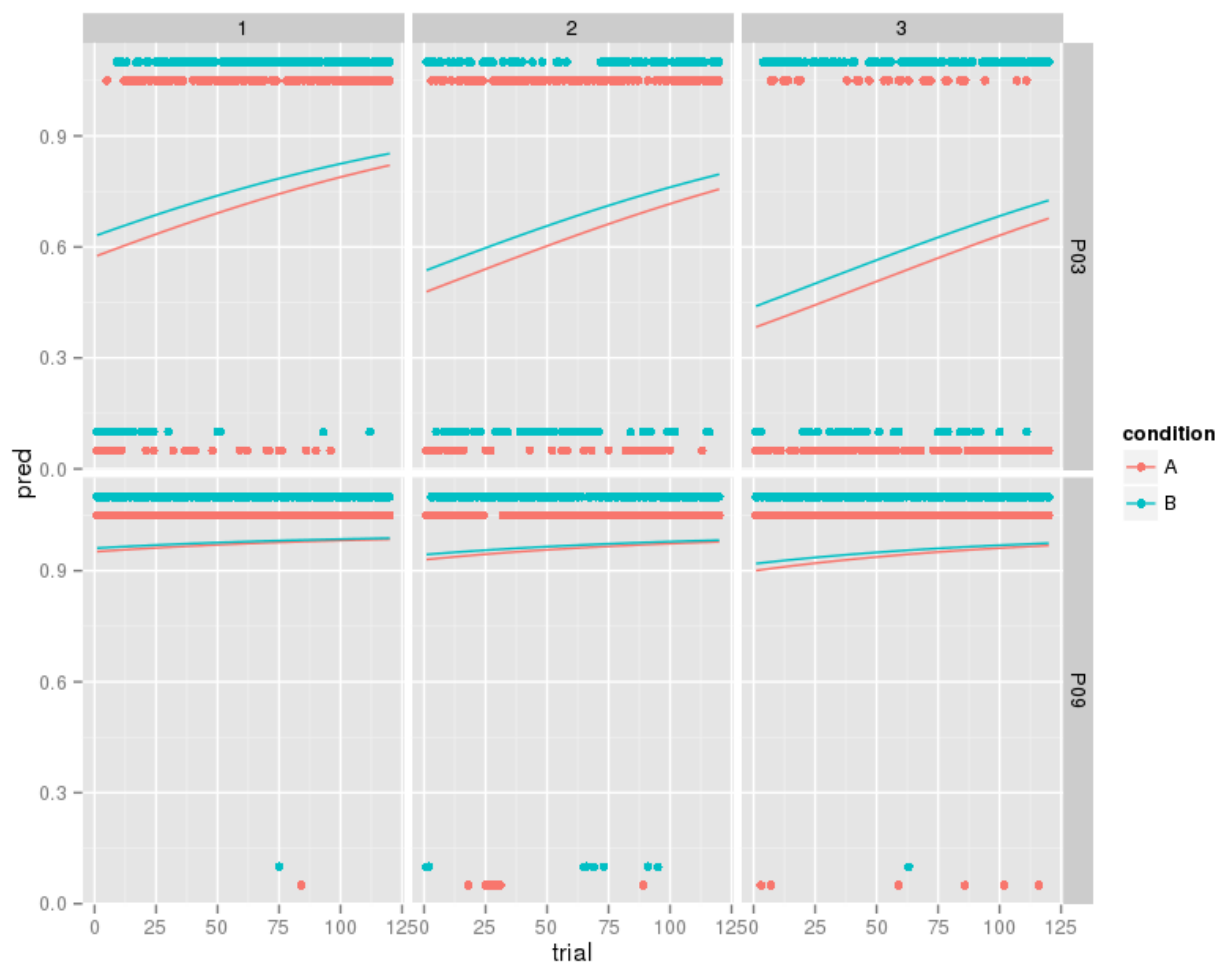
Fixed effects:

	Estimate	Std. Error	z value	Pr(> z)
(Intercept)	2.33403	0.24722	9.441	< 2e-16 ***
scale(trial)	0.35311	0.02565	13.767	< 2e-16 ***
as.numeric(pair)	-0.39035	0.03131	-12.468	< 2e-16 ***
conditionB	0.23278	0.05044	4.615	3.93e-06 ***

all the usual suspects: later trials are more accurate (learning), higher pair number associated with lower accuracy (difficulty).

In addition, sham has a positive effect (i.e., anodal performs worse).

Here an illustrative plot with data from two random subjects and model fit:



Reaction times do not appear to be influenced by stimulation (at least not the mean):

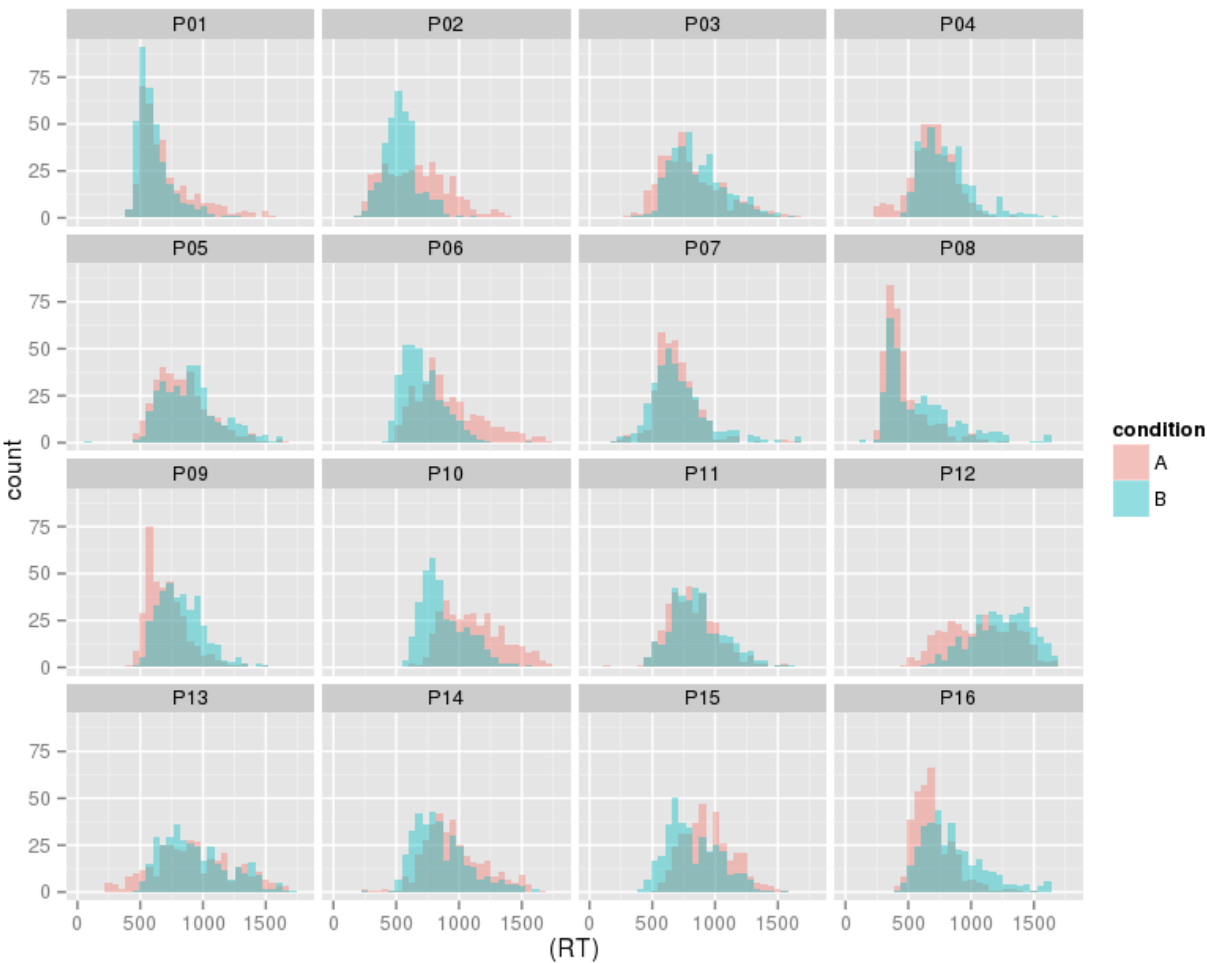
Formula: $(\text{RT}) \sim \text{scale}(\text{trial}) + \text{as.numeric}(\text{pair}) + \text{condition} + (1 \mid \text{subj})$

Fixed effects:

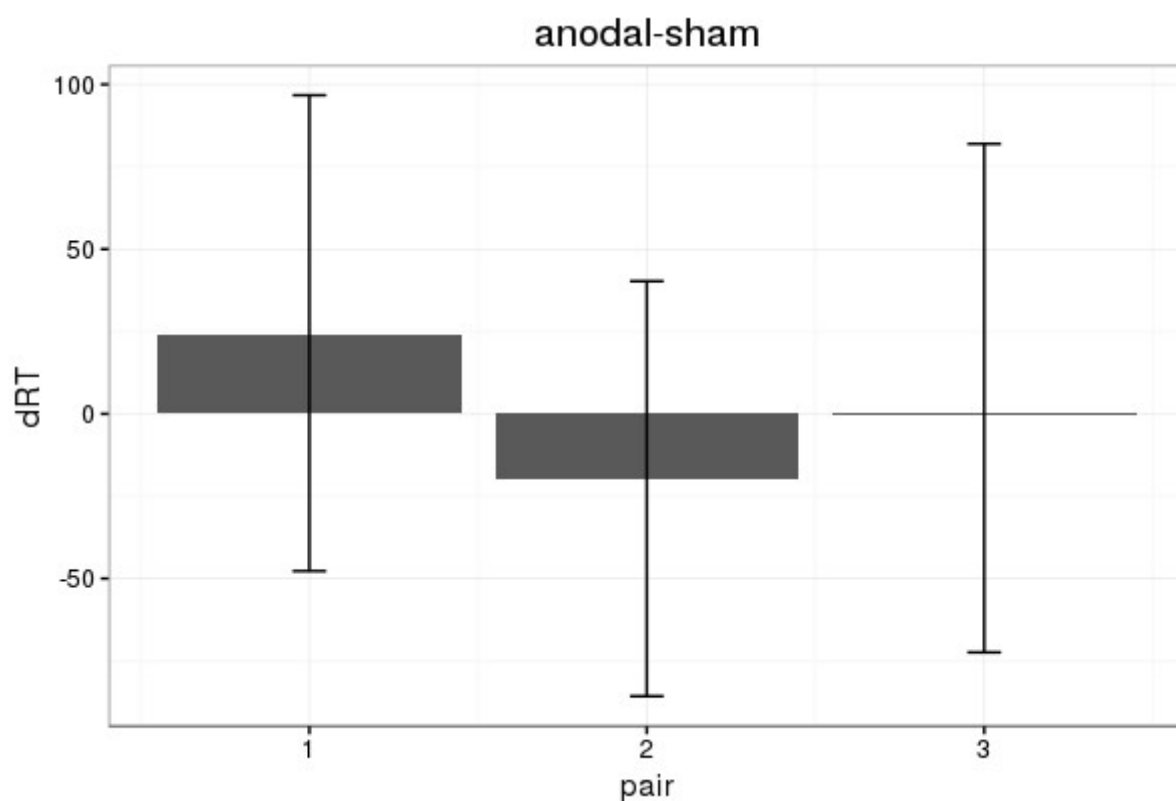
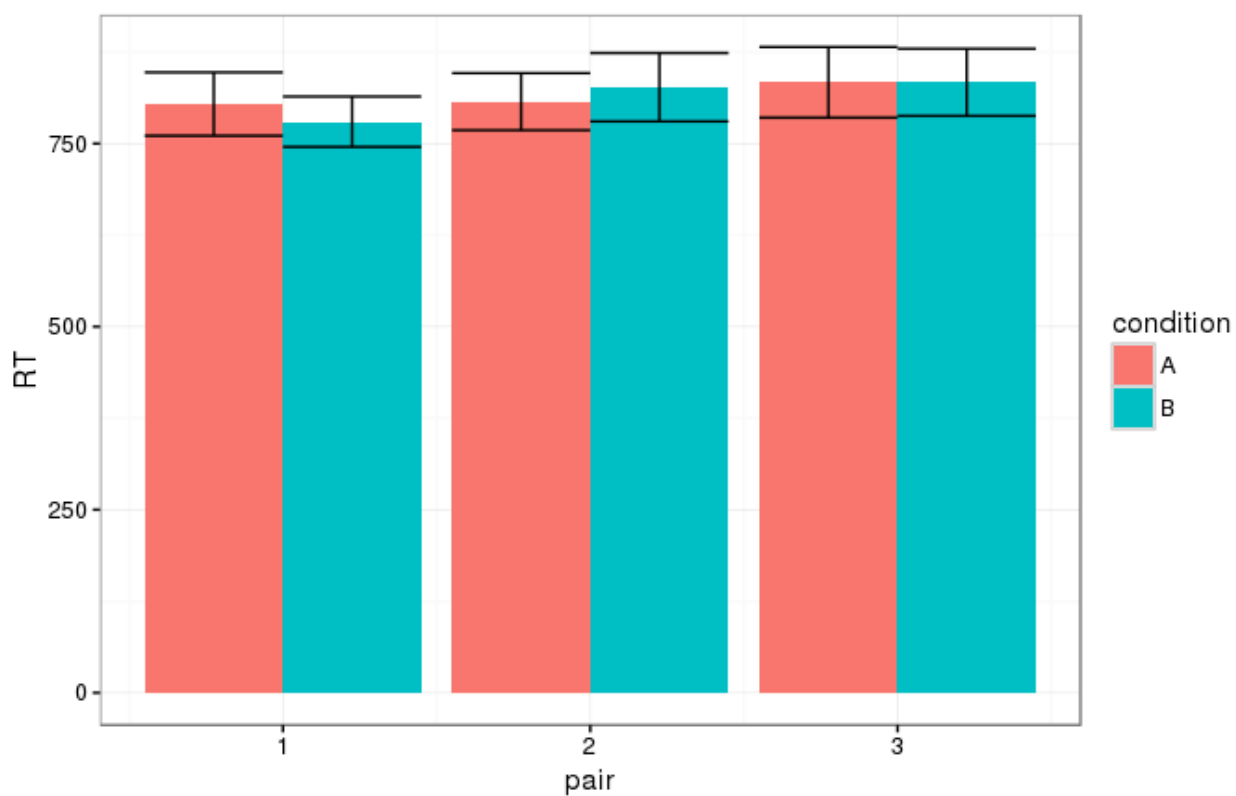
	Estimate	Std. Error	df	t value	Pr(> t)
(Intercept)	773.225	38.655	16.000	20.003	1.53e-12 ***
scale(trial)	-69.966	2.039	11380.000	-34.322	< 2e-16 ***
as.numeric(pair)	20.705	2.496	11380.000	8.295	< 2e-16 ***
conditionB	-1.711	4.077	11380.000	-0.420	0.675

but effect of learning and difficulty still there.

Possible that anodal stimulation results in more variable Rts, though:



RTs per pair



Formula: (RT) ~ scale(trial) + as.factor(pair) * condition + (1 | subj)

Fixed effects:

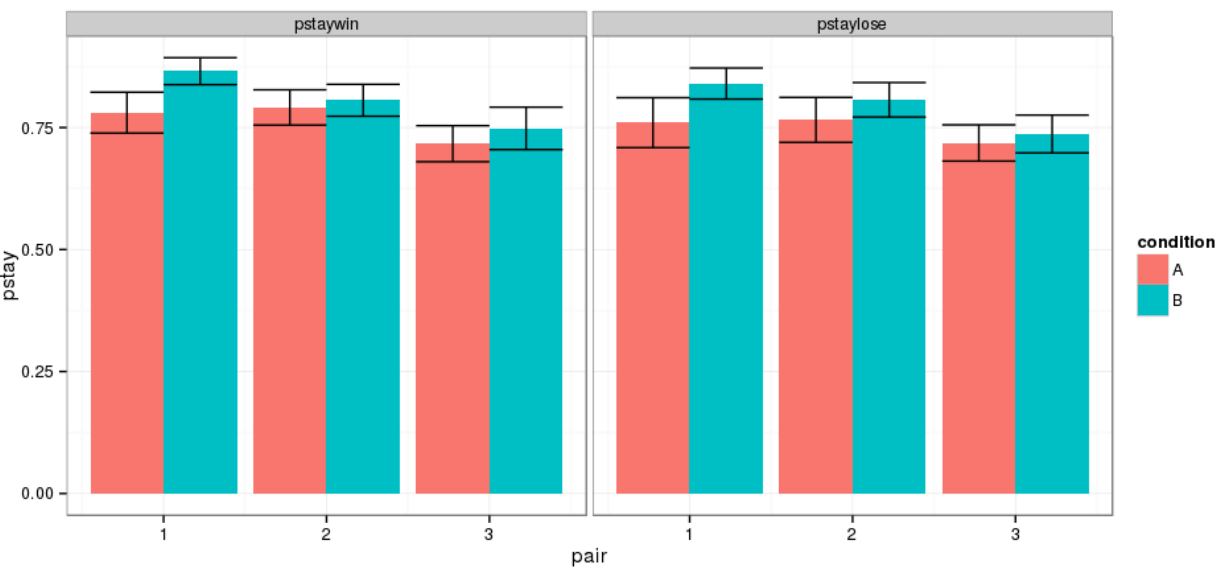
	Estimate	Std. Error	df	t value	Pr(> t)
(Intercept)	803.842	38.555	15.000	20.849	1.01e-12 ***
scale(trial)	-69.977	2.037	11364.000	-34.352	< 2e-16 ***
as.factor(pair)2	3.187	7.061	11364.000	0.451	0.651731

as.factor(pair)3	29.260	7.060	11364.000	4.144	3.43e-05	***
conditionB	-24.154	7.056	11364.000	-3.423	0.000621	***
as.factor(pair)2:conditionB	43.166	9.980	11364.000	4.325	1.54e-05	***
as.factor(pair)3:conditionB	24.200	9.977	11364.000	2.425	0.015305	*

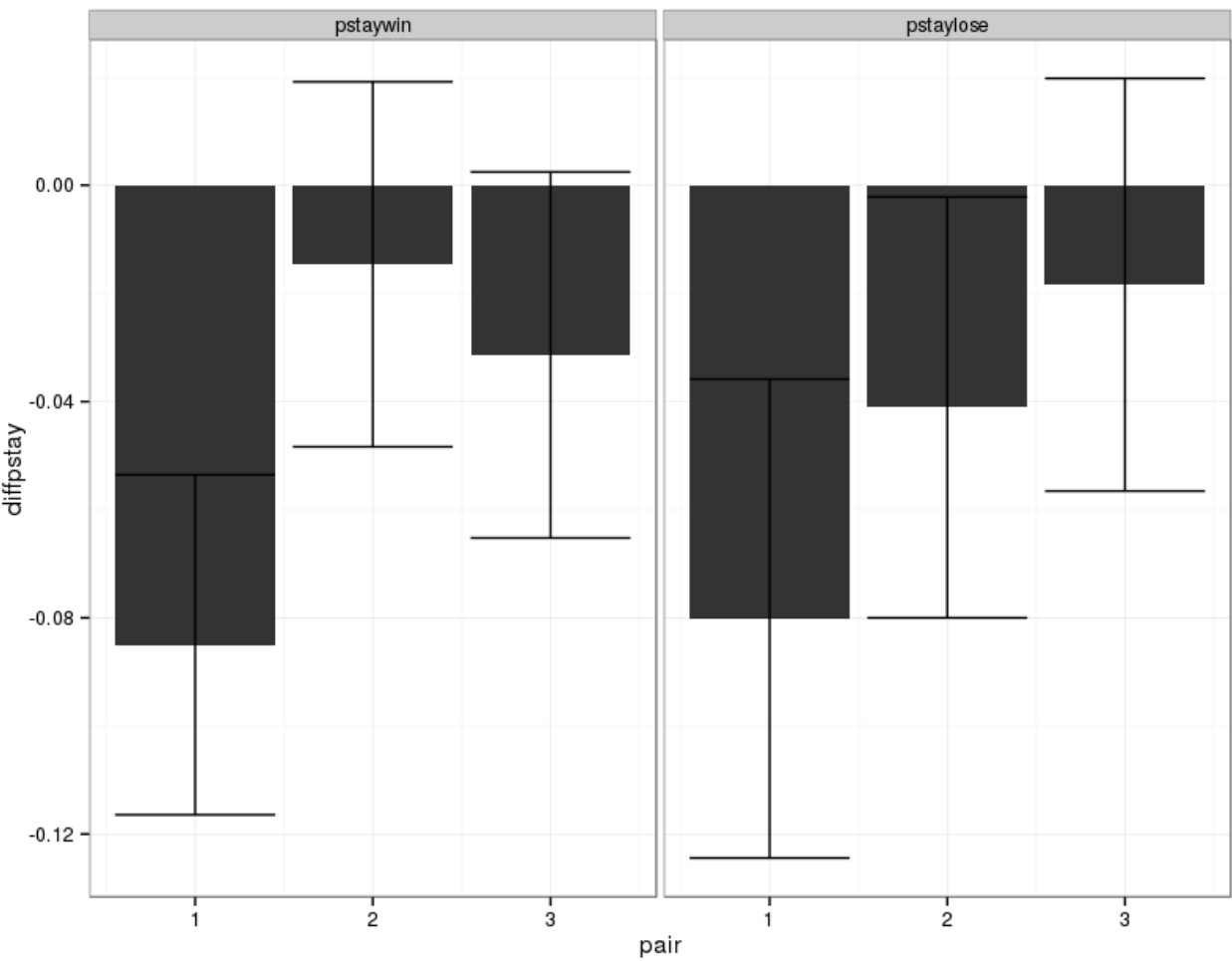
Interestingly, pair 2 is positively influenced by tDCS both in terms of ACC (more) and RT (faster) while the other pairs are impaired (hence the main effect).

P(stay|win) and p(stay|lose)

this reproduces table 2 from the paper (mean+SEM):



and the corresponding plot of differences (confidence limits), anodal-sham



Transfer phase

