# The P600 effect when singular gendered antecedents are co-indexed with (a) himself or herself (b) themselves

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This script, on the advice of reviewer 1, conducts an ANOVA examining the P600 PROST data with Referentiality and Gender as within variables. Gender Identity status will be examined as a post-hoc variable. Analysis 1 examines the data for antecedents that are co-indexed with *himself* or *herself*, while Analysis 2 examines the P600 effect when antecedents are co-indexed with *themselves* 

#### Define functions, set parameters and load

Define standard error of mean function

```
sem <- function(x) sd(x)/sqrt(length(x))</pre>
```

Before we begin, let's set some general parameters for ggplot2. We will set a general theme using the theme\_set() function. We will use the 'classic' theme which gives us clean white background rather than the default grey with white grid lines. We will position the legend at the top of the graph rather than at the right side which is the default.

Then we re-order factor levels for Referentiality

```
## [1] "Referential" "NonReferential"
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```

# Analysis 1: The P600 effect when antecedents are co-indexed with *himself* or *herself*

```
ezANOVA(data = prost_2022_singular
   , dv = diff_score
   , wid = SubjID
   , within = .(Referentiality, Gender_Status)
    , type = 3
   , return_aov = F
   )
```

```
## $ANOVA
##
                           Effect DFn DFd
                                                   F
## 2
                   Referentiality
                                           24.535367 1.629358e-05
                                                                       * 0.15971214
                    Gender_Status
                                     1
                                        37
                                            2.082389 1.574202e-01
                                                                         0.01556740
## 4 Referentiality:Gender_Status
                                    1
                                        37
                                            5.367258 2.615954e-02
                                                                       * 0.02768817
```

#### Condition Means for Analysis 1

The P600 effect when antecedents are co-indexed with himself or herself.

Significant Effects: Referentiality; Referentiality x Gender Status

Referentiality	Mean	SE	SD	Max	Min
Referential NonReferential	-0.34 1.03	0.16 0.20	1.42 1.78	4.15 6.52	-4.41 -3.33
Gender_Status	Mean	SE	SD	Max	Min
Gendered	0.54	0.23	1.97	6.52	-4.41
NonGendered	0.15	0.17	1.47	4.02	-3.33

Referentiality	Gender_Status	Mean	SE	SD	Max	Min
Referential	Gendered		0.26		_	-4.41
Referential NonReferential	NonGendered Gendered	-0.27 $1.49$	$0.19 \\ 0.30$		$2.54 \\ 6.52$	-2.50 -1.66
NonReferential	NonGendered	0.57	0.26	1.62	4.02	-3.33

#### Post-hoc tests for Analysis 1: Gender Status x Referentiality

The following chunk runs post-hoc tests for the 32-way " $Gender\ Status\ x\ Referentiality$ " Interaction "Some woman...himself" vs. "Mary...himself"

Table 4: Paired t-test: diff\_score by Referentiality

Test statistic	df	P value	Alternative hypothesis	mean difference
-4.833	37	2.36e-05 * * *	two.sided	-1.893

<sup>&</sup>quot;Someone...himself" vs. "The participant...himself"

Table 5: Paired t-test: diff\_score by Referentiality

Test statistic	df	P value	Alternative hypothesis	mean difference
-2.614	37	0.01286 *	two.sided	-0.8365

# "The participant...himself" vs. "Mary...himself" Referential

Table 6: Paired t-test: diff\_score by Gender\_Status

Test statistic	df	P value	Alternative hypothesis	mean difference
-0.3661	37	0.7164	two.sided	-0.1346

"Someone...himself" vs. "Some woman...himself"

### Non-Referential

Table 7: Paired t-test: diff\_score by Gender\_Status

Test statistic	df	P value	Alternative hypothesis	mean difference
2.688	37	0.01071 *	two.sided	0.9219

## Interaction Plots: Gender Status x Referentiality himself

Referential

# Gender Status by Referentiality Interaction 2 Voltage in microvolts some woman Voltage in microvolts 0 the participan Mary Referential NonReferential NonReferential Referential Referentiality Referentiality Gendered NonGendered Gendered · · · NonGendered 2 2 · Voltage in microvolts Voltage in microvolts Mary Gendered NonGendered Gendered NonGendered Gender\_Status Gender\_Status

Analysis 2: The P600 effect when antecedents are co-indexed with themselves

NonReferential

Referențial

- NonReferential

```
ezANOVA(data = prost_2022_plural
    , dv = diff_score
    , wid = SubjID
    , within = .(Referentiality, Gender_Status)
    , type = 3
    , return_aov = F
)
```

## \$ANOVA p p<.05 ## Effect DFn DFd F ges ## 2 Referentiality 1 37 5.3779903 0.02601998 \* 0.023704137 ## 3 Gender\_Status 1 37 0.5943946 0.44562042 0.003473303 ## 4 Referentiality:Gender\_Status 37 4.7394407 0.03593238 \* 0.044724472

#### Condition Means for Analysis 2

The P600 effect when antecedents are co-indexed with himself or herself.

Significant Effects: Referentiality; Referentiality x Gender Status

Referentiality	Mean	SE	SD	Max	Min
Referential NonReferential	$0.49 \\ 0.00$	0.19 0.18	1.66 1.60	4.45 3.52	-4.03 -4.29
Gender_Status	Mean	SE	SD	Max	Min
Gendered	0.34	0.18	1.56	4.45	-2.77

Referentiality	Gender_Status	Mean	SE	SD	Max	Min
Referential	Gendered	0.93	0.25	1.52	4.45	-2.35
Referential	${ m NonGendered}$	0.06	0.28	1.70	3.52	-4.03
NonReferential	Gendered	-0.25	0.23	1.40	3.52	-2.77
NonReferential	${ m NonGendered}$	0.25	0.29	1.76	3.18	-4.29

#### Post-hoc tests for Analysis 2: Gender Status x Referentiality

The following chunk runs post-hoc tests for the 3-way " $Group \ x \ Gender \ Status \ x \ Referentiality$ " Interaction

Table 11: Paired t-test: diff\_score by Referentiality

Test statistic	df	P value	Alternative hypothesis	mean difference
3.366	37	0.001787 * *	two.sided	1.174

<sup>&</sup>quot;Someone...themselves" vs. "The participant...themselves"

Table 12: Paired t-test: diff\_score by Referentiality

Test statistic	df	P value	Alternative hypothesis	mean difference
-0.4705	37	0.6407	two.sided	-0.191

<sup>&</sup>quot;Some woman...themselves" vs. "Mary...themselves"

# "The participant...themselves" vs. "Mary...themselves" Referential

Table 13: Paired t-test: diff\_score by Gender\_Status

Test statistic	df	P value	Alternative hypothesis	mean difference
2.157	37	0.03754 *	two.sided	0.8688

# "Someone...themselves" vs. "Some woman...themselves" Non-Referential

Table 14: Paired t-test: diff\_score by Gender\_Status

Test statistic	df	P value	Alternative hypothesis	mean difference
-1.277	37	0.2097	two.sided	-0.4963

#### Interaction Plots: Gender Status by Referentiality themselves Gender Status by Referentiality Interaction 1.5 1.5 Voltage in microvolts Voltage in microvolts 1.0 1.0 Mary 0.5 0.5 the participant 0.0 0.0 the participant some woman -0.5 -0.5 NonReferential NonReferential Referential Referential NonReferential Referentiality Referentiality Gendered NonGendered Gendered · · · NonGendered 1.5 1.5 Voltage in microvolts Voltage in microvolts Mary 1.0 1.0 Mar 0.5 0.5 0.0 0.0 some woman the participant -0.5 -0.5NonGendered Gendered NonGendered Gendered Gender\_Status Gender\_Status Referential NonReferential Referential - NonReferential