PretendPlay_Gesture_Analysis_ALLyears

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SETUP

load packages

```
## -- Attaching core tidyverse packages ----- tidyverse 2.0.0 --
## v dplyr
           1.1.4 v readr
                                    2.1.5
## v forcats 1.0.0
                        v stringr
                                    1.5.1
## v ggplot2 3.5.1
                                    3.2.1
                        v tibble
## v lubridate 1.9.4
                        v tidyr
                                    1.3.1
              1.0.4
## v purrr
## -- Conflicts ----- tidyverse_conflicts() --
## x dplyr::filter() masks stats::filter()
## x dplyr::lag()
                    masks stats::lag()
## i Use the conflicted package (<a href="http://conflicted.r-lib.org/">http://conflicted.r-lib.org/</a>) to force all conflicts to become error
## Loading required package: carData
##
##
## Attaching package: 'car'
##
##
## The following object is masked from 'package:dplyr':
##
##
      recode
##
##
## The following object is masked from 'package:purrr':
##
##
       some
##
##
## Attaching package: 'rstatix'
##
##
## The following objects are masked from 'package:effectsize':
##
       cohens_d, eta_squared
##
##
##
## The following object is masked from 'package:stats':
##
##
      filter
```

```
##
##
##
here() starts at /Users/kristenjohnson/KristenWorkingDirectory/Play_Narrative
##
## Registering fonts with R
```

Read in each dataset and add Year column

```
child_summary_H10 <- read_csv(here("PN_Datasets", "Pretend_Play", "CSVs_of_Combined_Data_PP", "child_summary_H10 <- read_csv(here("PN_Datasets", "Pretend_PP", "CSVs_of_Combined_Data_PP", "CSVs_of_Combined_Data_PP", "child_summary_H10 <- read_csv(here("PN_Datasets", "PRETEND_PP", "CSVs_of_Combined_Data_PP", "CSVs_of_C
## Rows: 28 Columns: 10
## -- Column specification --------
## Delimiter: ","
## chr (1): groupstatus
## dbl (8): participant_id, total_gestures, rep_gestures, total_pretend_episode...
## lgl (1): mlu_missing_flag
## i Use `spec()` to retrieve the full column specification for this data.
## i Specify the column types or set `show_col_types = FALSE` to quiet this message.
child_summary_H10$Year <- 10</pre>
child_summary_H8 <- read_csv(here("PN_Datasets", "Pretend_Play", "CSVs_of_Combined_Data_PP", "child_sum
## Rows: 23 Columns: 10
## -- Column specification --------
## Delimiter: ","
## chr (1): groupstatus
## dbl (8): participant_id, total_gestures, rep_gestures, total_pretend_episode...
## lgl (1): mlu_missing_flag
## i Use `spec()` to retrieve the full column specification for this data.
## i Specify the column types or set `show_col_types = FALSE` to quiet this message.
child_summary_H8$Year <- 8</pre>
child_summary_H7 <- read_csv(here("PN_Datasets", "Pretend_Play", "CSVs_of_Combined_Data_PP", "child_sum
## Rows: 29 Columns: 10
## -- Column specification ------
## Delimiter: ","
## chr (1): groupstatus
## dbl (8): participant_id, total_gestures, rep_gestures, total_pretend_episode...
## lgl (1): mlu_missing_flag
## i Use `spec()` to retrieve the full column specification for this data.
## i Specify the column types or set `show_col_types = FALSE` to quiet this message.
child summary H7$Year <- 7</pre>
```

Combine data across ALL THREE YEARS

```
# Combine all datasets into one data frame
pp_gesture_data_ALLyears <- bind_rows(child_summary_H10, child_summary_H8, child_summary_H7)</pre>
```

```
# View the combined dataset
head(pp_gesture_data_ALLyears)
## # A tibble: 6 x 11
    participant_id groupstatus total_gestures rep_gestures total_pretend_episodes
##
              <dbl> <chr>
                                          <dbl>
                                                       <dbl>
## 1
                 22 TD
                                             12
                                                                                 112
## 2
                 25 TD
                                              2
                                                           2
                                                                                  21
## 3
                 28 TD
                                              7
                                                           1
                                                                                  17
## 4
                 29 TD
                                            100
                                                          26
                                                                                 326
                 37 TD
## 5
                                              0
                                                           0
                                                                                   4
                                                           2
                                                                                  28
## 6
                 38 TD
                                             10
## # i 6 more variables: episodes_with_gesture <dbl>,
       prop_episodes_with_gesture <dbl>, prop_rep <dbl>, mlu <dbl>,
## #
       mlu_missing_flag <lgl>, Year <dbl>
```

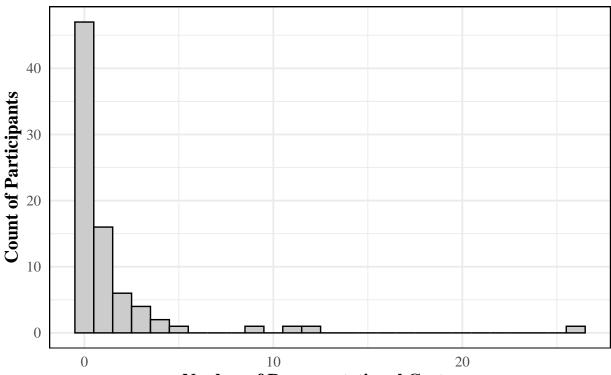
Check for Skewness

```
#Calculate skewness
skewness(pp_gesture_data_ALLyears$rep_gestures, na.rm = TRUE)
```

```
## [1] 4.82474
```

```
# Histogram of rep_gestures
ggplot(pp_gesture_data_ALLyears, aes(x = rep_gestures)) +
    geom_histogram(binwidth = 1, fill = "gray80", color = "black") +
    labs(
        title = "Distribution of Representational Gesture Counts",
        x = "Number of Representational Gestures",
        y = "Count of Participants"
    ) +
    theme_minimal(base_size = 14, base_family = "Times New Roman") +
    theme(
        panel.border = element_rect(color = "black", fill = NA),
        plot.title = element_text(face = "bold", hjust = 0.5),
        axis.title = element_text(face = "bold")
    )
```

Distribution of Representational Gesture Counts



Number of Representational Gestures

Correlations in Skewed Data ## Mann-Whitney U test on Rep Gestures (instead of ANOVA, bc highly skewed data)

```
# Step 1: Run the Mann-Whitney U test properly
mw_result <- wilcox.test(rep_gestures ~ groupstatus,</pre>
                          data = pp_gesture_data_ALLyears,
                          exact = FALSE)
# View the output if you want
print(mw_result)
##
   Wilcoxon rank sum test with continuity correction
## data: rep_gestures by groupstatus
## W = 508, p-value = 0.03643
\#\# alternative hypothesis: true location shift is not equal to 0
# Step 2: Calculate total N
n1 <- pp_gesture_data_ALLyears %>%
  filter(groupstatus == "TD") %>%
  nrow()
n2 <- pp_gesture_data_ALLyears %>%
  filter(groupstatus == "PL") %>%
  nrow()
N \leftarrow n1 + n2
```

```
# Step 3: Approximate Z from p-value
# p.value comes from mw_result
z approx <- qnorm(mw result$p.value / 2, lower.tail = FALSE)</pre>
# Step 4: Calculate r
r_effect_size <- z_approx / sqrt(N)</pre>
# Step 5: Print result
cat("Mann-Whitney U result: W =", mw_result$statistic,
    ", p =", signif(mw_result$p.value, 3),
    ", r =", round(r_effect_size, 2), "\n")
## Mann-Whitney U result: W = 508, p = 0.0364, r = 0.23
# get medians for reporting (due to skewness)
pp_gesture_data_ALLyears %>%
  group_by(groupstatus) %>%
  summarise(Median_RepGest = median(rep_gestures, na.rm = TRUE))
## # A tibble: 2 x 2
     groupstatus Median_RepGest
     <chr>
                          <dbl>
## 1 PL
                              0
## 2 TD
                              1
Mann-Whitney U test on Total Gestures
# Step 1: Run the Mann-Whitney U test properly
mw_result <- wilcox.test(total_gestures ~ groupstatus,</pre>
                         data = pp_gesture_data_ALLyears,
                         exact = FALSE)
# View the output if you want
print(mw_result)
##
## Wilcoxon rank sum test with continuity correction
## data: total_gestures by groupstatus
## W = 573, p-value = 0.2346
\#\# alternative hypothesis: true location shift is not equal to 0
# Step 2: Calculate total N
n1 <- pp_gesture_data_ALLyears %>%
 filter(groupstatus == "TD") %>%
  nrow()
n2 <- pp_gesture_data_ALLyears %>%
  filter(groupstatus == "PL") %>%
  nrow()
N \leftarrow n1 + n2
# Step 3: Approximate Z from p-value
```

p.value comes from mw_result

```
z_approx <- qnorm(mw_result$p.value / 2, lower.tail = FALSE)</pre>
# Step 4: Calculate r
r_effect_size <- z_approx / sqrt(N)</pre>
# Step 5: Print result
cat("Mann-Whitney U result: W =", mw_result$statistic,
    ", p =", signif(mw_result$p.value, 3),
    ", r =", round(r_effect_size, 2), "\n")
## Mann-Whitney U result: W = 573, p = 0.235, r = 0.13
# get medians for reporting (due to skewness)
pp_gesture_data_ALLyears %>%
  group_by(groupstatus) %>%
  summarise(Median_TotGest = median(total_gestures, na.rm = TRUE))
## # A tibble: 2 x 2
   groupstatus Median TotGest
                          <dbl>
##
   <chr>
## 1 PL
                              3
## 2 TD
                              6
Mann-Whitney U test on Proportion of Rep to Total Gesture
# Mann-Whitney U for proportion of representative gestures
wilcox.test(prop_rep ~ groupstatus,
            data = pp_gesture_data_ALLyears,
            exact = FALSE)
##
## Wilcoxon rank sum test with continuity correction
## data: prop_rep by groupstatus
## W = 277.5, p-value = 0.01072
## alternative hypothesis: true location shift is not equal to 0
# Calculate N
n1 <- pp_gesture_data_ALLyears %% filter(groupstatus == "TD") %>% nrow()
n2 <- pp_gesture_data_ALLyears %>% filter(groupstatus == "PL") %>% nrow()
```

mw_result_prop <- wilcox.test(prop_rep ~ groupstatus,</pre>

 $N \leftarrow n1 + n2$

Run Mann-Whitney test

APA Table of ALL Results

```
# Load packages
library(dplyr)
library(gt)
# Create tidy data frame
gesture_results <- tibble::tibble(</pre>
 Variable = c("Total Gestures", "Representative Gestures", "Proportion of Representative Gestures"),
 PL_Median = c(3, 0, 0.00),
 TD_{Median} = c(6, 1, 0.08),
 W = c(573, 508, 277.5),
 p = c(0.235, 0.036, 0.011),
 r = c(0.13, 0.23, 0.29)
) %>%
 mutate(
   sig = ifelse(p < 0.05, TRUE, FALSE),
   p_formatted = ifelse(p < .001, "< .001", sprintf("%.3f", p)),
   r_formatted = sprintf("%.2f", r)
# Build APA-style table: only bold p-values
gesture_results %>%
  select(Variable, PL_Median, TD_Median, W, p_formatted, r_formatted, sig) %>%
  rename(
    `Variable` = Variable,
   `Median (PL)` = PL_Median,
   `Median (TD)` = TD_Median,
   W = W
   `p` = p_formatted,
   `r` = r formatted
  ) %>%
  gt() %>%
  tab_header(
   title = md("**Table X**"),
   subtitle = md("_Mann-Whitney U Tests Comparing Gesture Measures Between Groups_")
  ) %>%
  tab_style(
```

Variable	Median (PL)	Median (TD)	W	р	r
Total Gestures	3.00	6.00	573.00	0.235	0.13
Representative Gestures	0.00	1.00	508.00	0.036	0.23
Proportion of Representative Gestures	0.00	0.08	277.50	0.011	0.29

Note. W = Wilcoxon rank sum test statistic. r = effect size (rank biserial correlation). Bolded p-values indicate p < .05.

```
style = cell_text(font = "Times New Roman"),
 locations = cells_body()
) %>%
tab_style(
  style = cell_text(weight = "bold"),
  locations = cells_body(
   columns = p, # Bold only p-values
   rows = sig == TRUE
) %>%
tab_source_note(
  source note = md("**Note.** W = Wilcoxon rank sum test statistic. r = effect size (rank biseria
fmt number(
  columns = c(`Median (PL)`, `Median (TD)`, `W`, `r`),
  decimals = 2
) %>%
cols align(
  align = "left", columns = "Variable"
cols_align(
 align = "center", columns = c(`Median (PL)`, `Median (TD)`, `W`, `p`, `r`)
) %>%
tab_options(
 table.font.size = "small",
 data_row.padding = px(2),
 table.align = "center",
  table.font.names = "Times New Roman"
cols_hide(columns = c(sig)) # Hide significance helper column
```

Means & SD's for ALL

```
# Load dplyr
library(dplyr)

# Assuming your gesture_results or full dataset is called pp_gesture_data_ALLyears or similar
# Here's the simple code:

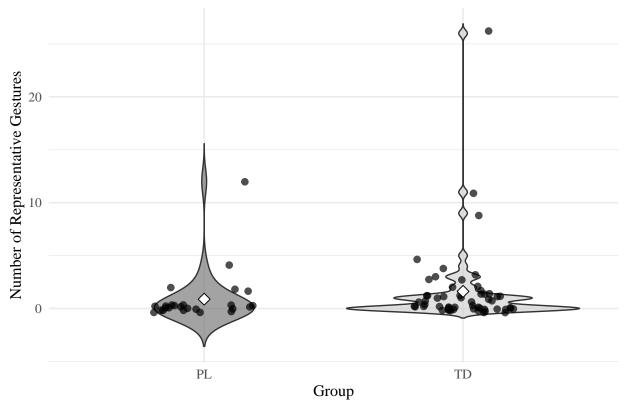
# Calculate means and SDs by group
gesture_summary_stats <- pp_gesture_data_ALLyears %>%
```

```
group_by(groupstatus) %>%
  summarize(
   Mean_Total_Gestures = mean(total_gestures, na.rm = TRUE),
   SD_Total_Gestures = sd(total_gestures, na.rm = TRUE),
   Mean_Rep_Gestures = mean(rep_gestures, na.rm = TRUE),
   SD_Rep_Gestures = sd(rep_gestures, na.rm = TRUE),
   Mean_Prop_Rep = mean(prop_rep, na.rm = TRUE),
   SD Prop Rep = sd(prop rep, na.rm = TRUE),
   n = n()
# View the summary
gesture_summary_stats
## # A tibble: 2 x 8
    groupstatus Mean_Total_Gestures SD_Total_Gestures Mean_Rep_Gestures
##
     <chr>
                               <dbl>
                                                  <dbl>
                                                                    <dbl>
## 1 PL
                                9.32
                                                   14.9
                                                                     0.88
## 2 TD
                               10.9
                                                   16.0
                                                                     1.62
## # i 4 more variables: SD_Rep_Gestures <dbl>, Mean_Prop_Rep <dbl>,
## # SD_Prop_Rep <dbl>, n <int>
```

Violin Plot of Representative Gestures X Group Status

```
# Load libraries
library(ggplot2)
library(dplyr)
# Simple violin + jitter plot of representative gestures by group
pp_gesture_data_ALLyears %>%
  ggplot(aes(x = groupstatus, y = rep_gestures, fill = groupstatus)) +
  geom_violin(trim = FALSE, alpha = 0.6) + # Violin for distribution
  geom_jitter(width = 0.2, size = 2, alpha = 0.7) + # Individual points
  stat_summary(fun = mean, geom = "point", shape = 23, size = 3, fill = "white", color = "black") + #
  labs(
   title = "Distribution of Representative Gestures During Pretend Play",
   x = "Group",
   y = "Number of Representative Gestures"
  ) +
  scale_fill_grey(start = 0.4, end = 0.8) + # Subtle grayscale if you want APA look
  theme_minimal(base_size = 12) +
  theme(
   legend.position = "none",
   text = element_text(family = "Times New Roman"),
   plot.title = element_text(hjust = 0.5, face = "bold")
```

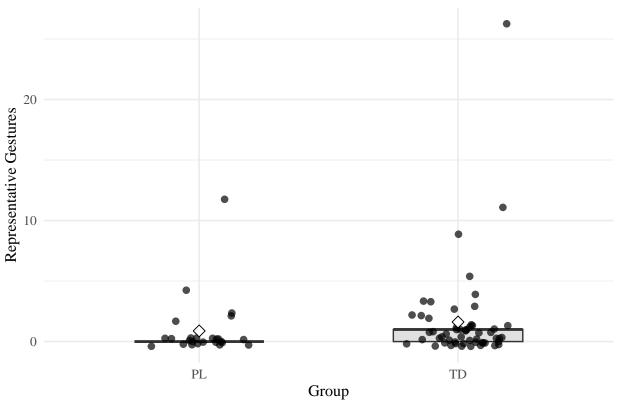
Distribution of Representative Gestures During Pretend Play



Box Plot of Representative Gestures X Group Status

```
# APA-style boxplot of representative gestures by group
pp_gesture_data_ALLyears %>%
  ggplot(aes(x = groupstatus, y = rep_gestures, fill = groupstatus)) +
  geom_boxplot(width = 0.5, outlier.shape = NA, alpha = 0.6) + # No outlier points (APA-style boxplots
  geom_jitter(width = 0.2, size = 2, alpha = 0.7) + # Add individual points
  stat_summary(fun = mean, geom = "point", shape = 23, size = 3, fill = "white", color = "black") + #
   title = "Number of Representative Gestures During Pretend Play",
   x = "Group",
   y = "Representative Gestures"
  scale_fill_grey(start = 0.4, end = 0.8) +
  theme_minimal(base_size = 12) +
  theme(
   legend.position = "none",
   text = element_text(family = "Times New Roman"),
   plot.title = element_text(hjust = 0.5, face = "bold")
  )
```

Number of Representative Gestures During Pretend Play



Bar Graph of Means for Poportion of Rep Gest

```
# Create clean bar graph of proportion of representative gestures
pp_gesture_data_ALLyears %>%
  ggplot(aes(x = groupstatus, y = prop_rep, fill = groupstatus)) +
  stat_summary(fun = mean, geom = "bar", width = 0.6, color = "black", alpha = 0.7) +
  stat summary(fun.data = mean se, geom = "errorbar", width = 0.2) +
 labs(
   title = NULL,
   x = "Group",
   y = "Proportion of Representative Gestures"
  scale_fill_grey(start = 0.4, end = 0.8) +
  scale_y_continuous(labels = scales::percent_format(accuracy = 1)) + # Display y-axis as percentages
  theme_minimal(base_size = 12) +
  theme(
   legend.position = "none",
   text = element_text(family = "Times New Roman"),
   axis.title.y = element_text(margin = margin(r = 10)),
   plot.title = element_text(hjust = 0.5, face = "bold")
## Warning: Removed 14 rows containing non-finite outside the scale range
## (`stat_summary()`).
```

Removed 14 rows containing non-finite outside the scale range

(`stat_summary()`).

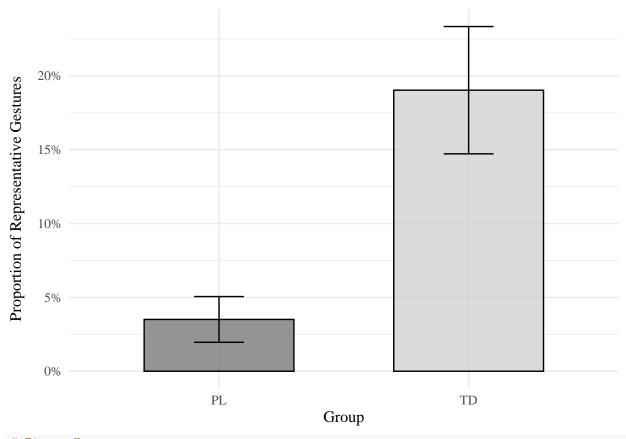


Figure X # Mean proportion of representative gestures during pretend play by group. Error bars represent ± 1 stan

OLD CODE

table opton 1

```
# Load required libraries
library(dplyr)
library(gt)
# Create a summary table manually (based on your results so far)
mann_whitney_summary <- tibble::tibble(</pre>
  Outcome = c(
    "Total Gestures",
    "Number of Representational Gestures",
    "Proportion of Representational Gestures"
  ),
  W = c(802, 867, 615.5),
  p = c(0.235, 0.036, 0.011),
  r = c(0.13, 0.23, 0.29)
# Clean up for APA formatting
mann_whitney_summary <- mann_whitney_summary %>%
 mutate(
```

```
p = ifelse(p < .001, "< .001", sprintf("%.3f", p)),</pre>
   r = sprintf("%.2f", r)
# Create the APA-style table
mann_whitney_summary %>%
 gt() %>%
 tab header(
   title = md("**Table X**"),
   subtitle = md("**Mann-Whitney U Test Results for Gesture Outcomes**")
  ) %>%
  cols_label(
   Outcome = "Outcome Variable",
   W = "W",
   p = "p"
   r = "Effect Size (r)"
  ) %>%
 tab_options(
   table.font.size = "small",
   table.align = "center",
   data_row.padding = px(2)
# Note. W = Wilcoxon rank-sum statistic (equivalent to Mann-Whitney U); r = effect size
```

table opton 2

```
# Load libraries
library(dplyr)
library(gt)
# Step 1: Create summary table
mann_whitney_summary <- tibble::tibble(</pre>
  Outcome = c(
    "Total Gestures",
    "Number of Representational Gestures",
    "Proportion of Representational Gestures"
  W = c(802, 867, 615.5),
  p_numeric = c(0.235, 0.036, 0.011),
 r = c(0.13, 0.23, 0.29)
# Step 2: Format nicely for APA
mann_whitney_summary <- mann_whitney_summary %>%
  mutate(
    p = ifelse(p_numeric < .001, "< .001", sprintf("%.3f", p_numeric)),
    r = sprintf("%.2f", r)
# Step 3: Build APA table with bolded significant rows
mann_whitney_summary %>%
  select(Outcome, W, p, r, p_numeric) %% # Keep p_numeric for bolding condition
gt() %>%
```

```
tab_header(
 title = md("**Table X**"),
 subtitle = md("**Mann-Whitney U Test Results for Gesture Outcomes**")
cols_label(
 Outcome = "Outcome Variable",
 W = "W",
 p = "p"
 r = "Effect Size (r)"
) %>%
tab_style(
 style = cell_text(weight = "bold"),
 locations = cells_body(
   rows = p_numeric < 0.05
 )
) %>%
tab_options(
 table.font.size = "small",
 table.align = "center",
 data_row.padding = px(2)
) %>%
cols_hide(columns = p_numeric) # Hide helper column p_numeric
```

old Mann-Whtiney for rep gest

```
# Mann-Whitney U Test (nonparametric equivalent to independent-samples t-test)
wilcox.test(rep_gestures ~ groupstatus, data = pp_gesture_data_ALLyears)
#report medians (which is preferred for nonparametric tests)
pp_gesture_data_ALLyears %>%
  group_by(groupstatus) %>%
  summarise(
    Median_RepGestures = median(rep_gestures, na.rm = TRUE),
    n = n()
  )
# Step 2a: Get N
n1 <- pp_gesture_data_ALLyears %>%
  filter(groupstatus == "TD") %>%
  nrow()
n2 <- pp_gesture_data_ALLyears %>%
  filter(groupstatus == "PL") %>%
  nrow()
N \leftarrow n1 + n2
# Step 2b: Approximate Z from p-value
# Two-tailed p-value, so divide by 2
z_approx <- qnorm(mw_result$p.value / 2, lower.tail = FALSE)</pre>
# Step 2c: Calculate r
r_effect_size <- z_approx / sqrt(N)</pre>
```

```
# Print it
r_effect_size
```

boxplot of rep gest

```
library(ggplot2)
ggplot(pp_gesture_data_ALLyears, aes(x = groupstatus, y = rep_gestures)) +
  # Boxplot
  geom_boxplot(fill = "gray80", color = "black", width = 0.6) +
  # Add individual data points
  geom_jitter(width = 0.1, height = 0, alpha = 0.5, size = 2) +
  # Labels
  labs(
   title = "Representational Gestures by Group Status",
   x = "Group Status",
   y = "Number of Representational Gestures"
  ) +
  # APA-style clean theme
  theme minimal(base size = 14, base family = "Times New Roman") +
  theme(
   panel.border = element_rect(color = "black", fill = NA, size = 0.8),
   panel.grid.major = element_blank(),
   panel.grid.minor = element_blank(),
   plot.title = element_text(face = "bold", hjust = 0.5),
   axis.title = element_text(face = "bold"),
   axis.text = element text(color = "black"),
   legend.position = "none"
```

split bar graph

```
# Create binary variable: 0 = No rep gesture, 1 = At least one rep gesture
pp_gesture_data_ALLyears <- pp_gesture_data_ALLyears %>%
    mutate(rep_gesture_present = if_else(rep_gestures > 0, 1, 0))

# Bar plot
ggplot(pp_gesture_data_ALLyears, aes(x = groupstatus, fill = factor(rep_gesture_present))) +
    geom_bar(position = "fill", color = "black") +
    scale_fill_manual(
    values = c("gray80", "black"),
    labels = c("Absent", "Present"),
    name = "Representational Gesture"
) +
labs(
    title = "Proportion of Children Producing Representational Gestures",
    x = "Group Status",
    y = "Proportion"
```

```
theme_minimal(base_size = 14, base_family = "Times New Roman") +
theme(
   panel.border = element_rect(color = "black", fill = NA),
   panel.grid.major = element_blank(),
   panel.grid.minor = element_blank(),
   plot.title = element_text(hjust = 0.5, face = "bold"),
   axis.title = element_text(face = "bold"),
   legend.position = "bottom"
)
#Figure 1. Proportion of children producing representational gestures during pretend play, by group sta
```

if want figure with individual measures

```
ggplot(pp_gesture_data_ALLyears, aes(x = groupstatus, y = rep_gestures)) +
  geom_jitter(width = 0.2, height = 0, alpha = 0.7, size = 2, color = "black") +
  labs(
    title = "Representational Gesture Counts by Group",
    x = "Group Status",
    y = "Number of Representational Gestures"
) +
  theme_minimal(base_size = 14, base_family = "Times New Roman") +
  theme(
    panel.border = element_rect(color = "black", fill = NA),
    panel.grid.major = element_blank(),
    panel.grid.minor = element_blank(),
    plot.title = element_text(face = "bold", hjust = 0.5),
    axis.title = element_text(face = "bold")
)

#Figure 2. Individual participant counts of representational gestures during pretend play, grouped by g
```

treat rep gestures as binary

```
# Make sure rep_gesture_present is coded 0/1 (binary)
pp_gesture_data_ALLyears <- pp_gesture_data_ALLyears %>%
    mutate(rep_gesture_present = if_else(rep_gestures > 0, 1, 0))

# Create a table
table_group_gesture <- table(pp_gesture_data_ALLyears$groupstatus, pp_gesture_data_ALLyears$rep_gesture
# Run chi-square test
chisq.test(table_group_gesture)</pre>
```

split bargraph

```
library(ggplot2)
library(dplyr)

# Make sure rep_gesture_present is binary (0 = Absent, 1 = Present)
pp_gesture_data_ALLyears <- pp_gesture_data_ALLyears %>%
    mutate(rep_gesture_present = if_else(rep_gestures > 0, 1, 0))
```

```
# Create the bar plot
ggplot(pp_gesture_data_ALLyears, aes(x = groupstatus, fill = factor(rep_gesture_present))) +
  geom bar(position = "fill", color = "black") +
  scale fill manual(
   values = c("gray80", "black"), # APA-style colors
   labels = c("Absent", "Present"), # Legend labels
   name = "Representational Gesture Presence"
  ) +
 labs(
   title = "Proportion of Children Producing Representational Gestures",
   x = "Group Status",
   y = "Proportion"
  ) +
  theme_minimal(base_size = 14, base_family = "Times New Roman") +
  theme(
   panel.border = element rect(color = "black", fill = NA),
   panel.grid.major = element_blank(),
   panel.grid.minor = element_blank(),
   plot.title = element_text(face = "bold", hjust = 0.5),
   axis.title = element_text(face = "bold"),
   legend.position = "bottom",
   axis.text = element_text(color = "black")
 )
```

1. Conduct ANOVAs for gestures & summarize results

```
# For total gestures
total_anova <- aov(total_gestures ~ groupstatus, pp_gesture_data_ALLyears)
cat("\nTotal gestures ANOVA:\n")
print(summary(total_anova))

# For representational gestures
rep_anova <- aov(rep_gestures ~ groupstatus, data = pp_gesture_data_ALLyears)
cat("\nRepresentational gestures ANOVA:\n")
print(summary(rep_anova))

# For proportion of representational gestures to total gestures
prop_rep_anova <- aov(prop_rep ~ groupstatus, data = pp_gesture_data_ALLyears)
cat("\nProportion of representational gestures ANOVA:\n")
print(summary(prop_rep_anova))</pre>
```

2. Calculate effect sizes

```
if(require(effectsize)) {
  cat("\nEffect sizes:\n")
  cat("Total gestures: ")
  print(eta_squared(total_anova))
```

3. Descriptive statistics by group

```
group_stats <- pp_gesture_data_ALLyears %>%
  group_by(groupstatus) %>%
  summarize(
    n = n(),
    total_mean = mean(total_gestures, na.rm = TRUE),
    total_sd = sd(total_gestures, na.rm = TRUE),
    rep_mean = mean(rep_gestures, na.rm = TRUE),
    rep_sd = sd(rep_gestures, na.rm = TRUE),
    prop_rep_mean = mean(prop_rep, na.rm = TRUE),
    prop_rep_sd = sd(prop_rep, na.rm = TRUE)
)

print("Descriptive statistics by group:")
print(group_stats)
```

4. Visualization of results

```
if(require(tidyverse)) {
  # Raw counts visualization
  counts_long <- pp_gesture_data_ALLyears %>%
    select(groupstatus, total_gestures, rep_gestures) %>%
    pivot_longer(cols = c(total_gestures, rep_gestures),
                names_to = "gesture_type",
                values_to = "count")
  p1 <- ggplot(counts_long, aes(x = gesture_type, y = count, fill = groupstatus)) +
    stat_summary(fun = mean, geom = "bar", position = position_dodge(0.9)) +
    stat_summary(fun.data = function(x) {
      data.frame(y = mean(x, na.rm = TRUE),
                ymin = mean(x, na.rm = TRUE) - sd(x, na.rm = TRUE)/sqrt(sum(!is.na(x))),
                ymax = mean(x, na.rm = TRUE) + sd(x, na.rm = TRUE)/sqrt(sum(!is.na(x))))
   }, geom = "errorbar", width = 0.2, position = position dodge(0.9)) +
   labs(title = "Mean Gesture Counts During Pretend Play by Group",
         x = "Gesture Type",
         y = "Mean Count",
        fill = "Group Status") +
    theme_minimal() +
```

```
scale_x_discrete(labels = c("total_gestures" = "Total",
                             "rep_gestures" = "Representational"))
print(p1)
# Proportions visualization
props_long <- pp_gesture_data_ALLyears %>%
  select(groupstatus, prop_rep) %>%
 pivot longer(cols = c(prop rep),
              names_to = "proportion_type",
              values_to = "proportion")
p2 <- ggplot(props_long, aes(x = proportion_type, y = proportion, fill = groupstatus)) +
 stat summary(fun = mean, geom = "bar", position = position dodge(0.9)) +
  stat_summary(fun.data = function(x) {
    data.frame(y = mean(x, na.rm = TRUE),
              ymin = mean(x, na.rm = TRUE) - sd(x, na.rm = TRUE)/sqrt(sum(!is.na(x))),
              ymax = mean(x, na.rm = TRUE) + sd(x, na.rm = TRUE)/sqrt(sum(!is.na(x))))
 }, geom = "errorbar", width = 0.2, position = position_dodge(0.9)) +
 labs(title = "Proportion of Gesture Types During Pretend Play by Group",
       x = "Proportion Type",
      y = "Mean Proportion",
      fill = "Group Status") +
 theme minimal() +
  scale_x_discrete(labels = c("prop_rep" = "Representational/Total")) +
  scale y continuous(labels = scales::percent)
print(p2)
```

5. Statistical tests to directly compare TD and BI groups

```
# t-tests for each variable (alternative to ANOVA with only two groups)
t_total <- t.test(total_gestures ~ groupstatus, data = pp_gesture_data_ALLyears)
t_rep <- t.test(rep_gestures ~ groupstatus, data = pp_gesture_data_ALLyears)
t_prop_rep <- t.test(prop_rep ~ groupstatus, data = pp_gesture_data_ALLyears)

cat("\nt-test results (direct comparison between groups):\n")
cat("\nTotal gestures:\n")
print(t_total)
cat("\nRepresentational gestures:\n")
print(t_rep)
cat("\nProportion representational:\n")
print(t_prop_rep)</pre>
```

6. Calculate Cohen's d effect sizes for t-tests with error handling

```
cat("\nCohen's d effect sizes:\n")

# Function to safely calculate Cohen's d
safe_cohens_d <- function(formula, data) {
  tryCatch({
    res <- cohens_d(formula, data = data)
    return(res)</pre>
```

```
}, error = function(e) {
    # Extract variable name from formula
   var_name <- as.character(formula)[2]</pre>
    # Get means by group
   means <- aggregate(formula, data = data, FUN = mean, na.rm = TRUE)</pre>
    sds <- aggregate(formula, data = data, FUN = sd, na.rm = TRUE)
   cat("Error calculating Cohen's d for", var name, ":\n")
    cat("Group means:", toString(means), "\n")
    cat("Group SDs:", toString(sds), "\n")
   cat("Error message:", e$message, "\n")
   return(NULL)
 })
}
# Apply the safe function to each variable
cat("\nTotal gestures:\n")
print(safe_cohens_d(total_gestures ~ groupstatus, data = pp_gesture_data_ALLyears))
cat("\nRepresentational gestures:\n")
print(safe_cohens_d(rep_gestures ~ groupstatus, data = pp_gesture_data_ALLyears))
cat("\nProportion representational:\n")
print(safe_cohens_d(prop_rep ~ groupstatus, data = pp_gesture_data_ALLyears))
```

Make APA-formatted data visualizations

```
if(require(tidyverse)) {
  # Set APA theme
  apa_theme <- theme_bw() +</pre>
   theme(
      panel.grid.major = element_blank(),
      panel.grid.minor = element_blank(),
      panel.border = element_rect(colour = "black", fill = NA),
      axis.text = element text(colour = "black", size = 12),
      axis.title = element_text(size = 12, face = "bold"),
      legend.title = element_text(size = 12, face = "bold"),
      legend.text = element_text(size = 12),
      legend.position = "bottom",
      legend.background = element_rect(fill = "white", colour = "black"),
     plot.title = element_text(size = 14, hjust = 0.5, face = "bold"),
      text = element_text(family = "Times New Roman")
   )
  # Raw counts visualization
  counts_long <- pp_gesture_data_ALLyears %>%
    select(groupstatus, total_gestures, rep_gestures) %>%
   pivot_longer(cols = c(total_gestures, rep_gestures),
                names_to = "gesture_type",
                values_to = "count")
  # Renaming GroupStatus labels to be more readable
  counts_long$groupstatus <- factor(counts_long$groupstatus,</pre>
```

```
levels = c("PL", "TD"),
                                labels = c("Perinatal Lesions", "Typically Developing"))
p1 <- ggplot(counts_long, aes(x = gesture_type, y = count, fill = groupstatus)) +
  stat_summary(fun = mean, geom = "bar", position = position_dodge(0.8),
              alpha = 0.8, color = "black", size = 0.2) +
  stat_summary(fun.data = function(x) {
    data.frame(y = mean(x, na.rm = TRUE),
              ymin = mean(x, na.rm = TRUE) - sd(x, na.rm = TRUE)/sqrt(sum(!is.na(x))),
              ymax = mean(x, na.rm = TRUE) + sd(x, na.rm = TRUE)/sqrt(sum(!is.na(x))))
 }, geom = "errorbar", width = 0.2, position = position_dodge(0.8)) +
 labs(title = "Figure 1",
       subtitle = "Mean Gesture Counts During Pretend Play by Group",
       x = "Gesture Type",
      y = "Mean Count",
      fill = "Group") +
  scale_x_discrete(labels = c("total_gestures" = "Total",
                             "rep_gestures" = "Representational")) +
  scale_fill_grey(start = 0.4, end = 0.8) +
  apa_theme +
 theme(plot.subtitle = element_text(size = 12, hjust = 0.5))
print(p1)
# Save high-resolution figure
ggsave("Figure_1_Gesture_Counts.tiff", p1, width = 7, height = 5, dpi = 300)
# Proportions visualization
props_long <- pp_gesture_data_ALLyears %>%
 select(groupstatus, prop_rep) %>%
 pivot_longer(cols = c(prop_rep),
              names_to = "proportion_type",
              values_to = "proportion")
# Renaming GroupStatus labels
props_long$groupstatus <- factor(props_long$groupstatus,</pre>
                                levels = c("PL", "TD"),
                                labels = c("Perinatal Lesions", "Typically Developing"))
p2 <- ggplot(props_long, aes(x = proportion_type, y = proportion, fill = groupstatus)) +
 stat_summary(fun = mean, geom = "bar", position = position_dodge(0.8),
              alpha = 0.8, color = "black", size = 0.2) +
  stat summary(fun.data = function(x) {
    data.frame(y = mean(x, na.rm = TRUE),
              ymin = mean(x, na.rm = TRUE) - sd(x, na.rm = TRUE)/sqrt(sum(!is.na(x))),
              ymax = mean(x, na.rm = TRUE) + sd(x, na.rm = TRUE)/sqrt(sum(!is.na(x))))
 }, geom = "errorbar", width = 0.2, position = position_dodge(0.8)) +
 labs(title = "Figure 2",
      subtitle = "Proportion of Gesture Types During Pretend Play by Group",
       x = "Proportion Type",
       y = "Mean Proportion",
      fill = "Group") +
  scale_x_discrete(labels = c("prop_rep" = "Representational/Total")) +
```

Is rep_gestures positively correlated with total_gestures (overall gestures produced during pretend play)?

```
cor.test(pp_gesture_data_ALLyears$rep_gestures, pp_gesture_data_ALLyears$total_gestures)
```

boxplot of representational gesture presence & narrative score

```
# First: recode rep_gestures as a factor for clean labeling
pp_gesture_data_ALLyears <- pp_gesture_data_ALLyears %>%
  mutate(rep_gesture_factor = factor(rep_gesture_present, levels = c(0,1), labels = c("Absent", "Presen
# Plot
ggplot(pp_gesture_data_ALLyears, aes(x = rep_gesture_factor, y = max_avg)) +
  geom_boxplot(fill = "gray80", color = "black") +
  stat_summary(fun = mean, geom = "point", size = 3, color = "black", position = position_dodge(width=0)
 labs(
   x = "Representational Gesture",
   y = "Narrative Structure Score",
   title = "Narrative Structure by Representational Gesture Presence"
  theme_minimal(base_size = 14, base_family = "Times New Roman") +
  theme(
   panel.border = element_rect(color = "black", fill = NA),
   panel.grid.major = element_blank(),
   panel.grid.minor = element_blank(),
   plot.title = element_text(hjust = 0.5, face = "bold"),
   axis.title = element_text(face = "bold")
library(ggplot2)
library(dplyr)
# Recode rep_gestures as a factor for clean group labels
pp_gesture_data_ALLyears <- pp_gesture_data_ALLyears %>%
 mutate(rep_gesture_factor = factor(rep_gesture_present, levels = c(0, 1),
                                     labels = c("Absent", "Present")))
# Bar graph with error bars (mean \pm SE)
ggplot(pp_gesture_data_ALLyears, aes(x = rep_gesture_factor, y = max_avg)) +
# Bar for mean narrative scores
```

```
stat_summary(fun = mean, geom = "bar", fill = "gray80", color = "black", width = 0.6) +
  # Error bars (± standard error)
  stat_summary(fun.data = mean_se, geom = "errorbar", width = 0.2, color = "black", size = 0.8) +
  # Points for individual data points (optional, adds transparency)
  geom_jitter(width = 0.1, height = 0, size = 2, alpha = 0.5) +
  # Labels
  labs(
   title = "Narrative Structure by Representational Gesture Presence",
   x = "Representational Gesture Presence",
    y = "Narrative Structure Score"
  ) +
  # APA-style theme
  theme_minimal(base_size = 14, base_family = "Times New Roman") +
  theme(
    panel.grid.major = element_blank(),
    panel.grid.minor = element_blank(),
    panel.border = element_rect(color = "black", fill = NA, size = 0.8),
    axis.line = element_line(color = "black"),
   plot.title = element_text(hjust = 0.5, face = "bold"),
   axis.title = element_text(face = "bold"),
    legend.position = "none"
  )
#Figure 1
#Mean narrative structure scores for children who did versus did not produce representational gestures
pp_gesture_data_ALLyears %>%
  group_by(rep_gesture_factor) %>%
  summarise(
    Mean_Narrative = mean(max_avg, na.rm = TRUE),
    SD_Narrative = sd(max_avg, na.rm = TRUE),
    n = n()
 )
# Identify participants with missing rep_gestures
pp_gesture_data_ALLyears %>%
  filter(is.na(rep_gestures)) %>%
  select(participant_id, total_gestures, rep_gestures, everything())
# List all unique values
unique(pp_gesture_data_ALLyears$rep_gestures)
# Find participants with rep_gestures not equal to 0 or 1
pp_gesture_data_ALLyears %>%
  filter(!(rep_gestures %in% c(0, 1))) %>%
  select(participant_id, rep_gestures)
```