gesture_statistics

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1 TIMIT Gestures Statistics

1.1 Load Db and Calculate Gestures

In [7]:
```
import timit_stats as tist
import gesture as ges
import os
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt

%pylab inline

trans_dir = "../USC-TIMIT/EMA/Data/M1/trans"
mat_dir = "../USC-TIMIT/EMA/Data/M1/mat"

gestures = {}

for fname in os.listdir(trans_dir):
    fname = os.path.splitext(fname)[0]
    t_fname = os.path.join(trans_dir, fname + ".trans")
    mat_fname = os.path.join(mat_dir, fname + ".mat")
    gest = tist.calc_gestures(mat_fname, t_fname,filter_critical_points=True, m=0.07)
    for g in gest:
        if g not in gestures:
            gestures[g] = ges.Gesture(g)
        gestures[g].extend(gest[g])
print "gestures calculation finished"
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Populating the interactive namespace from numpy and matplotlib


WARNING: pylab import has clobbered these variables: ['colors', 'e']
`%matplotlib` prevents importing * from pylab and numpy


gestures calculation finished
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1.2 Plot Gestures

In [8]:
```
from matplotlib.patches import Ellipse

articulators = ["LL", "UL", "TT", "TB", "TD", "JAW"]

cmap = plt.get_cmap('Set3')
colors = [cmap(i) for i in np.linspace(0, 1, len(articulators))]
for g_name, g in gestures.items():
    fig1, ax1 = plt.subplots(figsize=(20, 10))
    fig1.suptitle("Gesture \"{}\" (samples = {})".format(g_name, len(g.params["LL_x"]))
                  fontsize=20, fontweight='bold')
#     ax1.set_xlim(-50, 40)
#     ax1.set_ylim(-30, 30)
    ax1.grid(color='black', linestyle='-', linewidth=1, alpha=0.2)
#     img = plt.imread("vt_bg.jpg")
#     ax1.imshow(img, extent=[-100, 40, -70, 50], alpha=0.3)
    g_m = g.get_mean()
    g_v = g.get_variance()

    for i in range(len(articulators)):
        a = articulators[i]
        a_x = g.params[a+"_x"]
        a_y = g.params[a+"_y"]
        ax1.scatter(a_x, a_y, color=colors[i], alpha=0.5, label=a)
#         plot mean ellipse
        e = Ellipse(xy=[g_m[a+"_x"], g_m[a+"_y"]],
                    width=g_v[a+"_x"]/5, height=g_v[a+"_y"]/5, alpha=0.5)
        ax1.add_artist(e)
        plt.legend(loc='lower left')

    plt.show()
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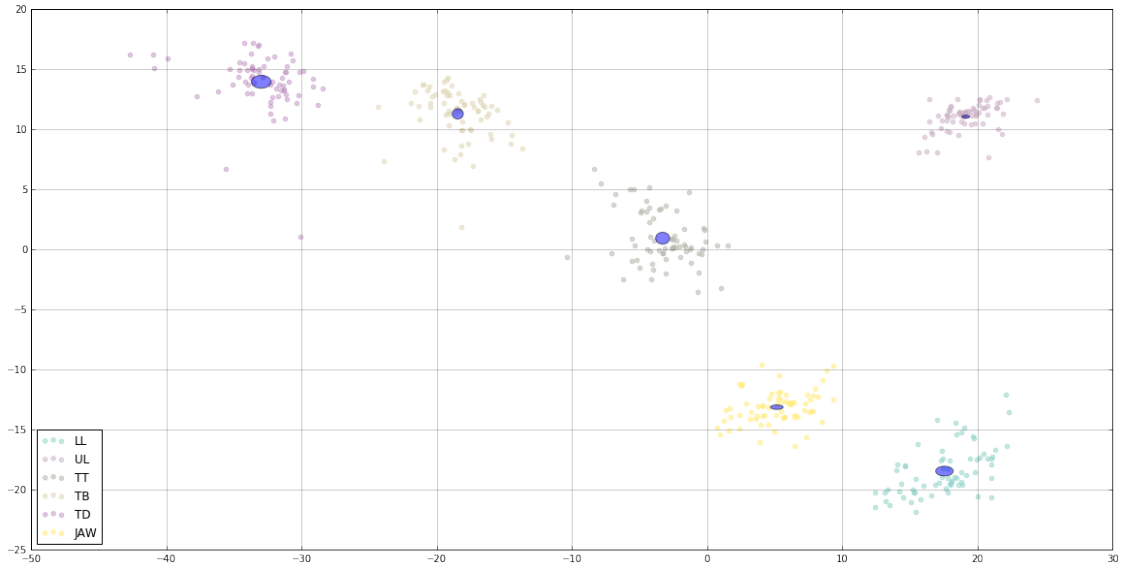
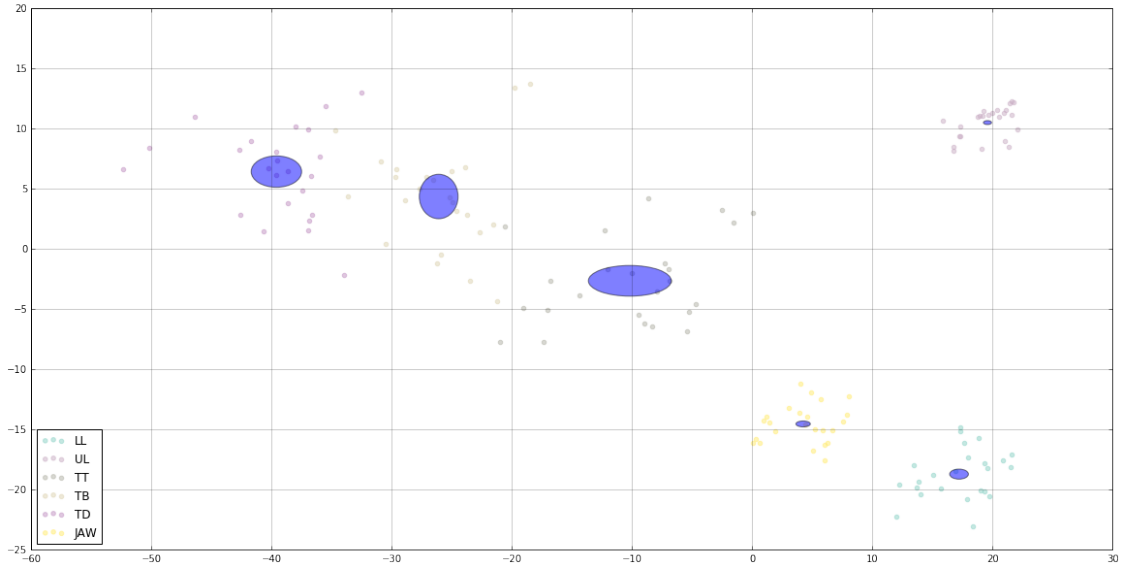
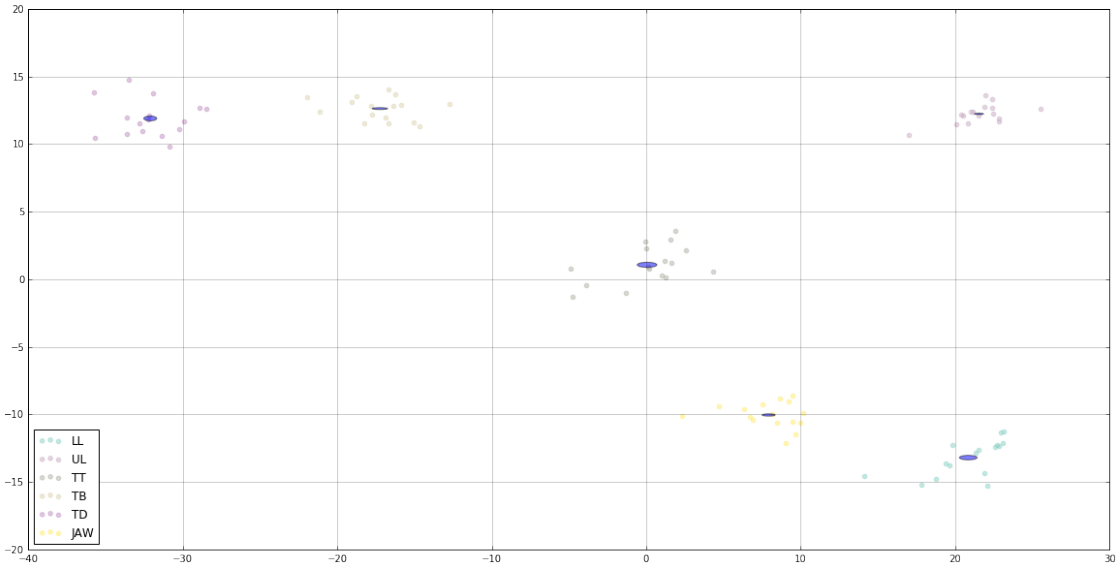
Gesture "iy" (samples = 69)



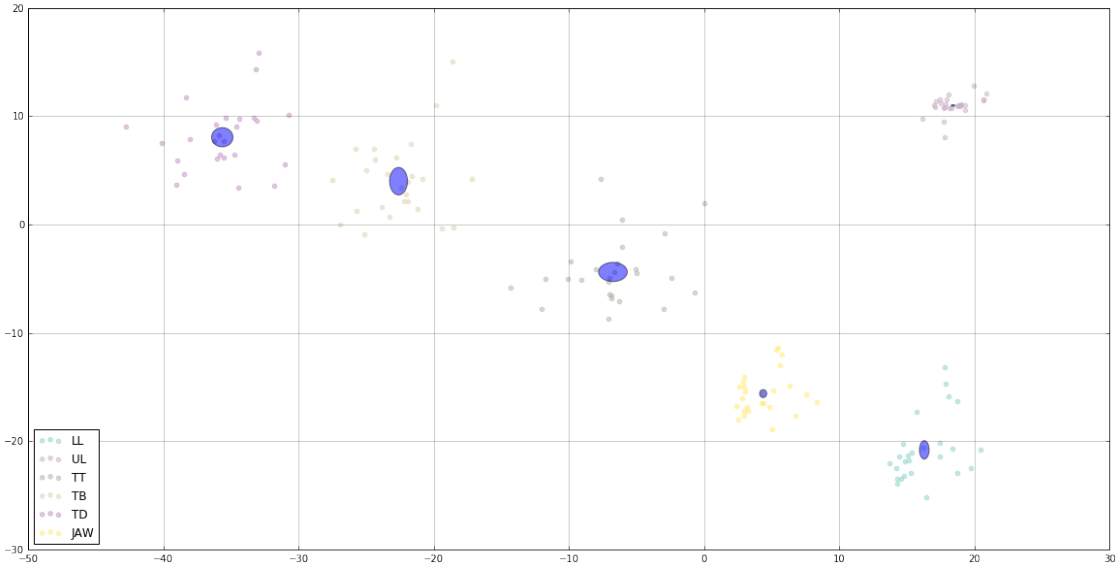
Gesture "aa" (samples = 24)



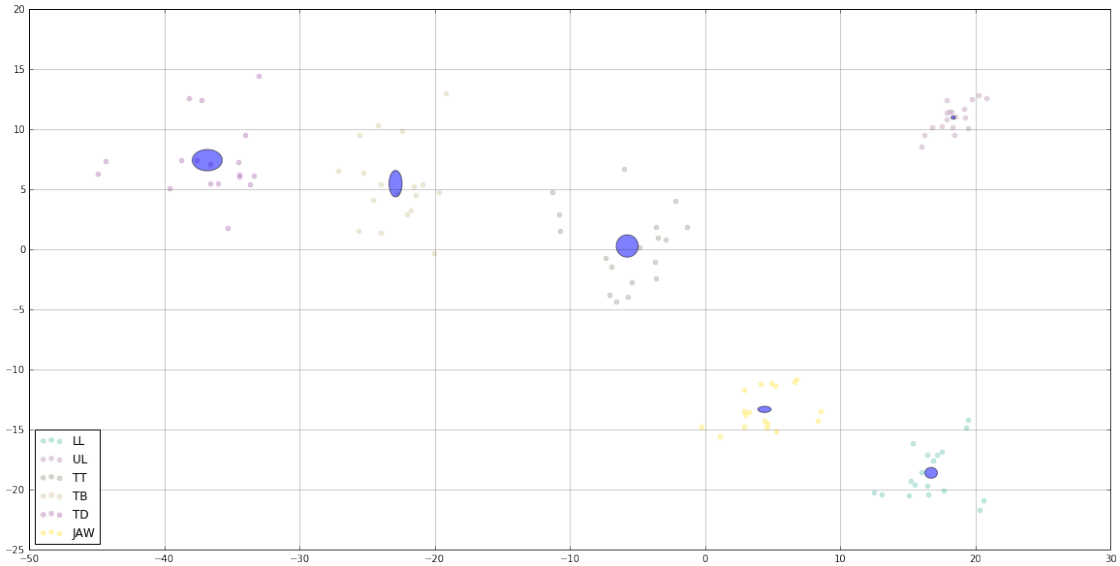
Gesture "ch" (samples = 16)



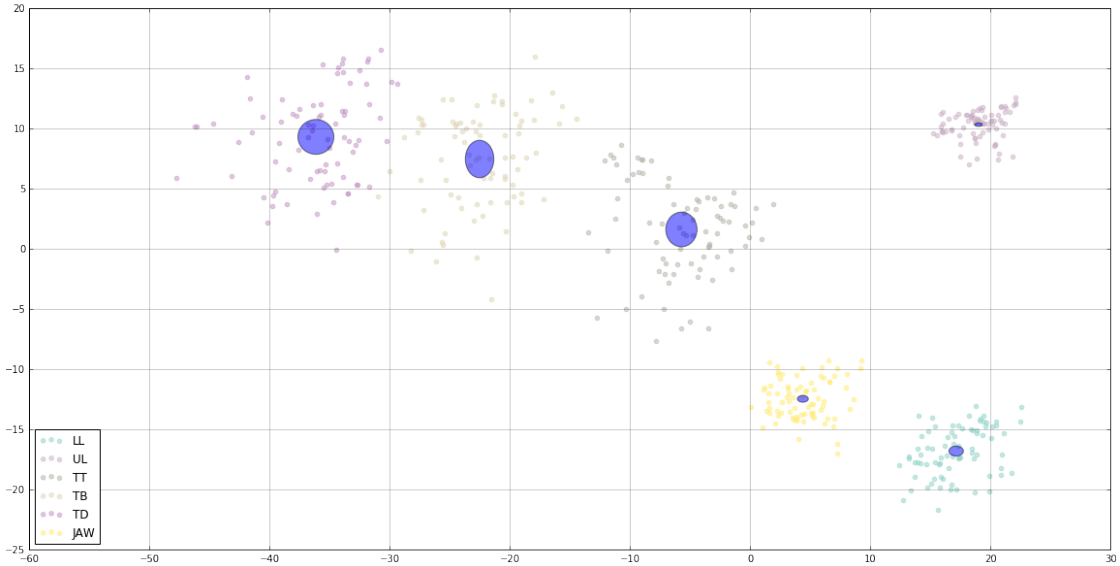
Gesture "ae" (samples = 26)



Gesture "eh" (samples = 18)



Gesture "ah" (samples = 79)



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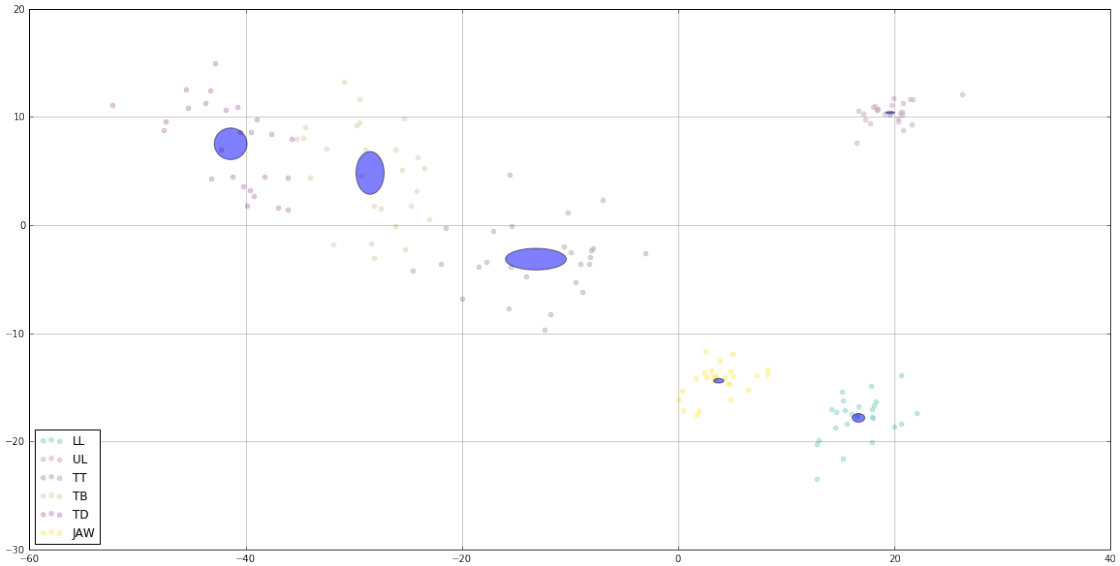
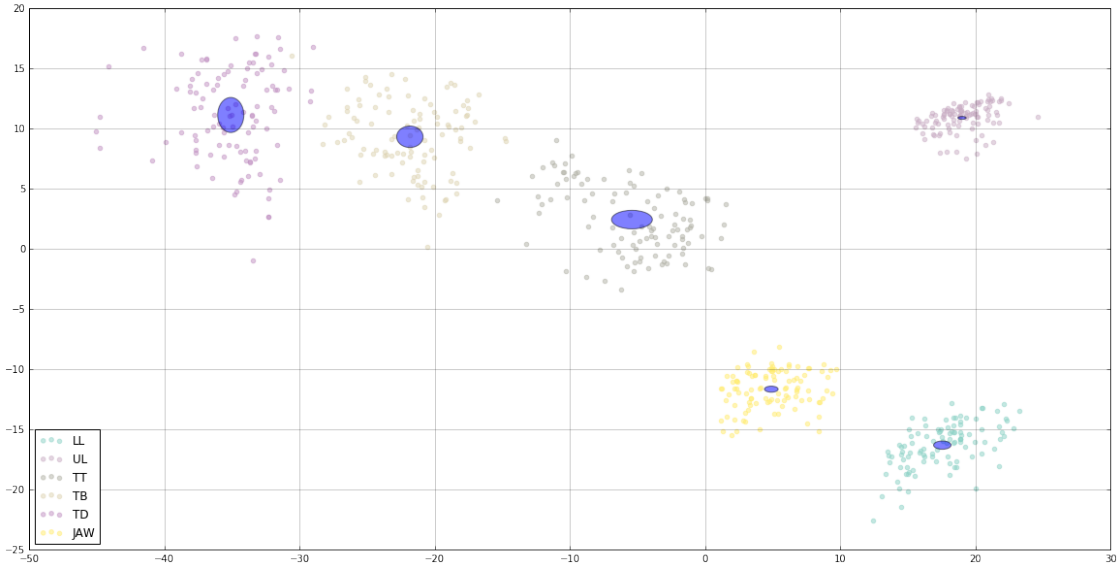
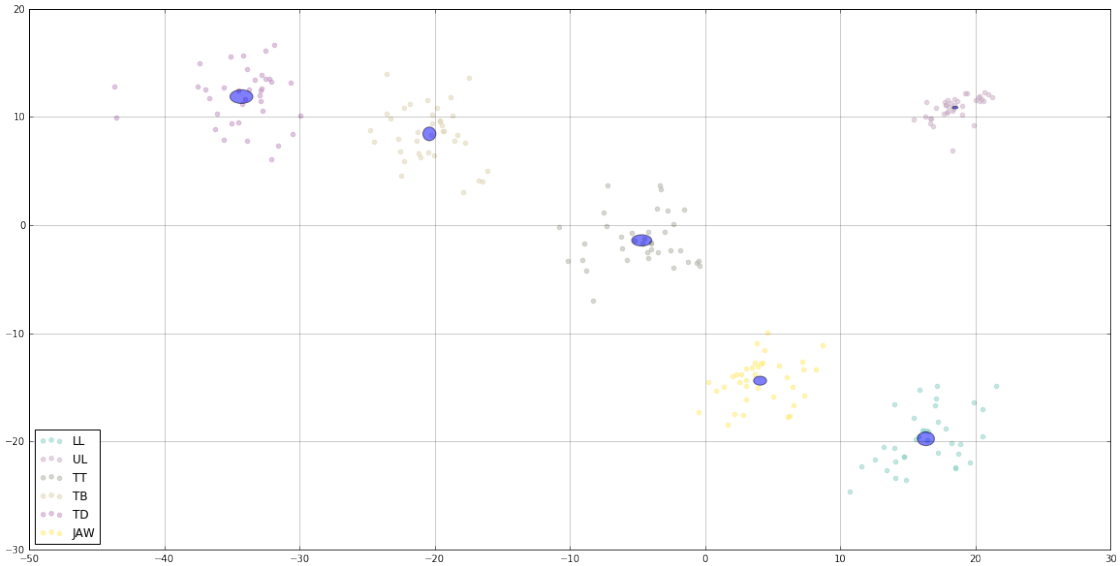


Gesture "ih" (samples = 104)



Gesture "ey" (samples = 37)



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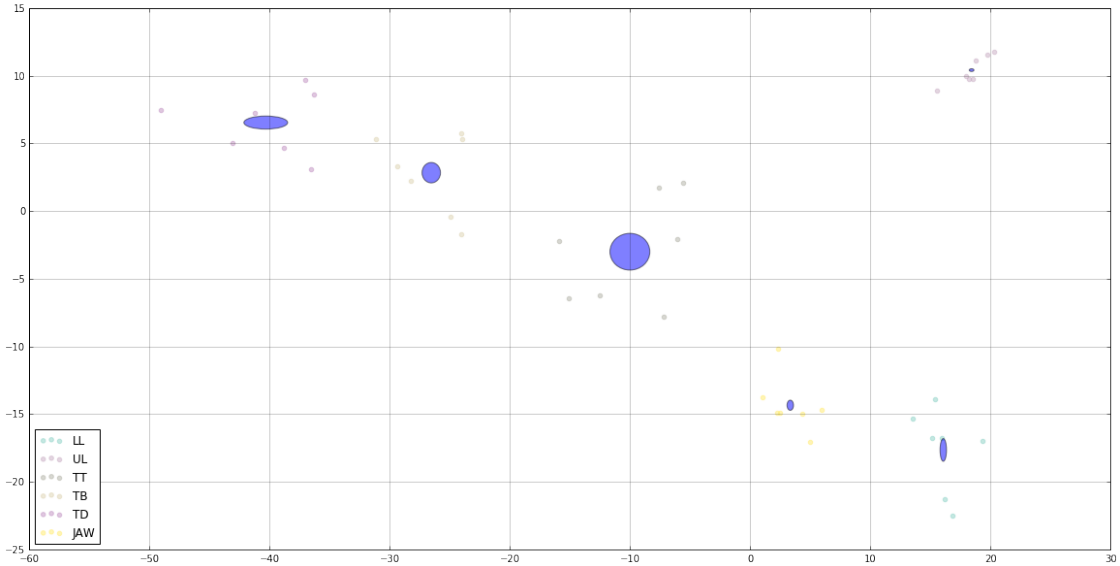

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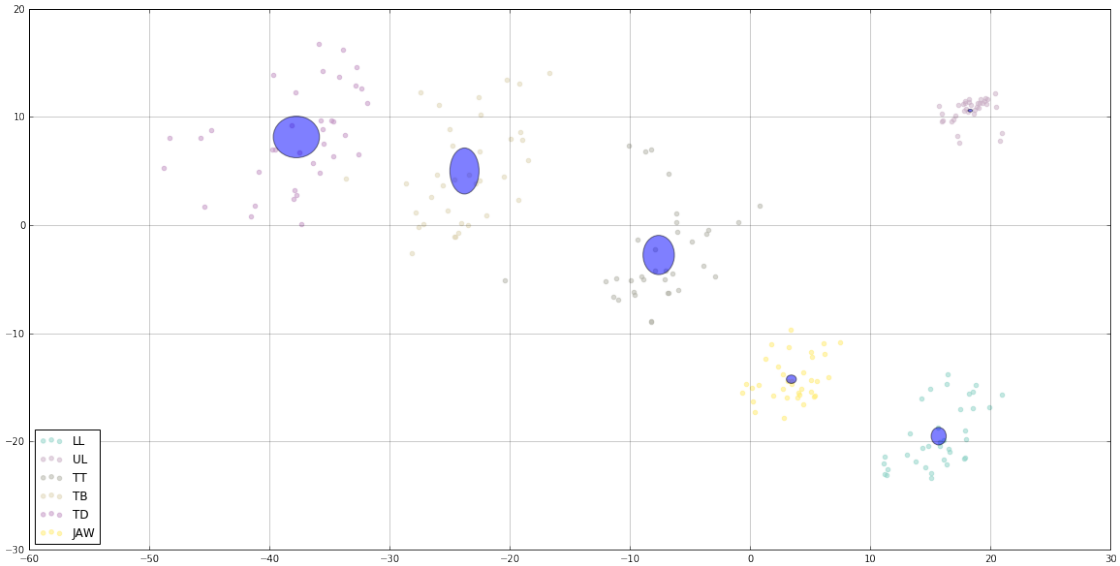
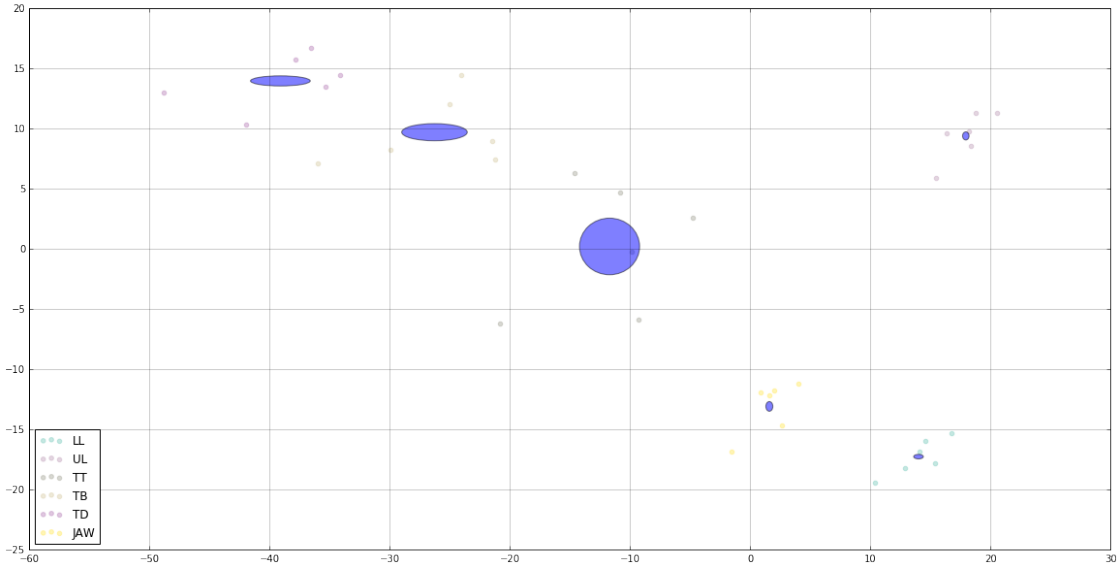


Gesture "uh" (samples = 6)



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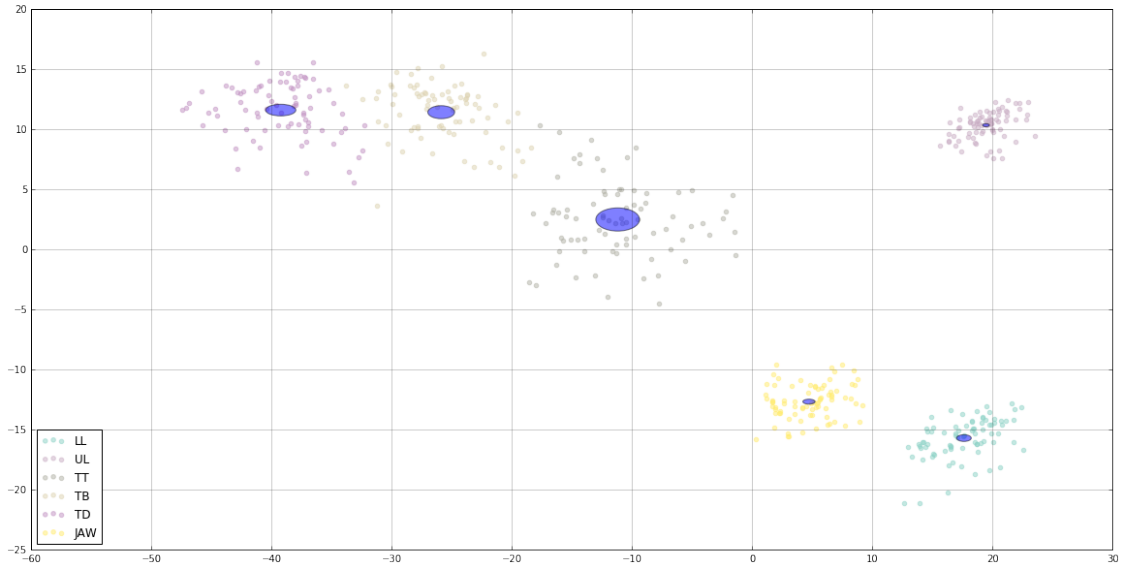

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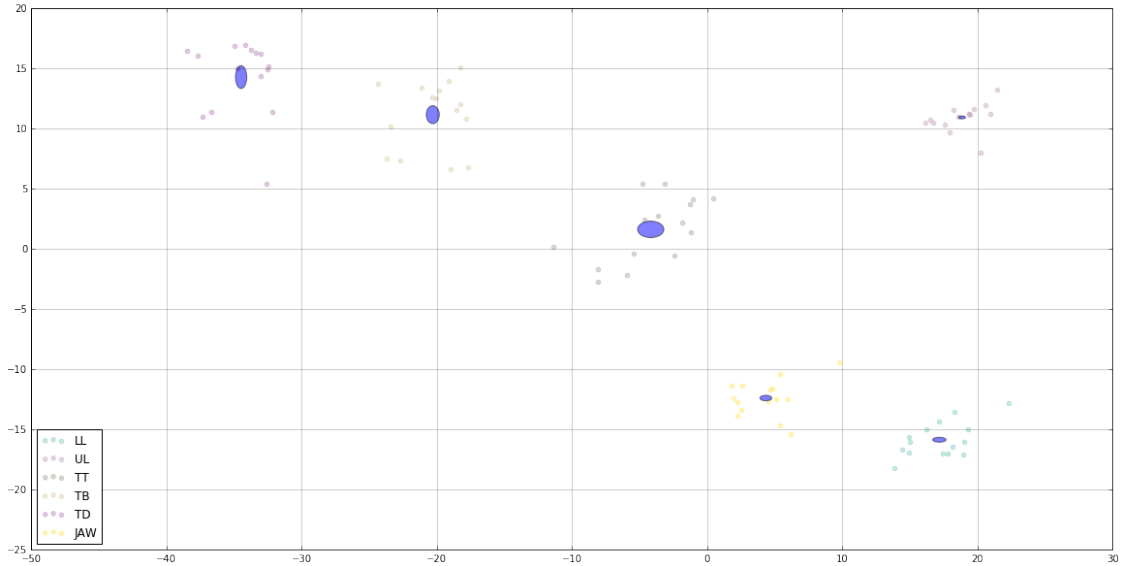

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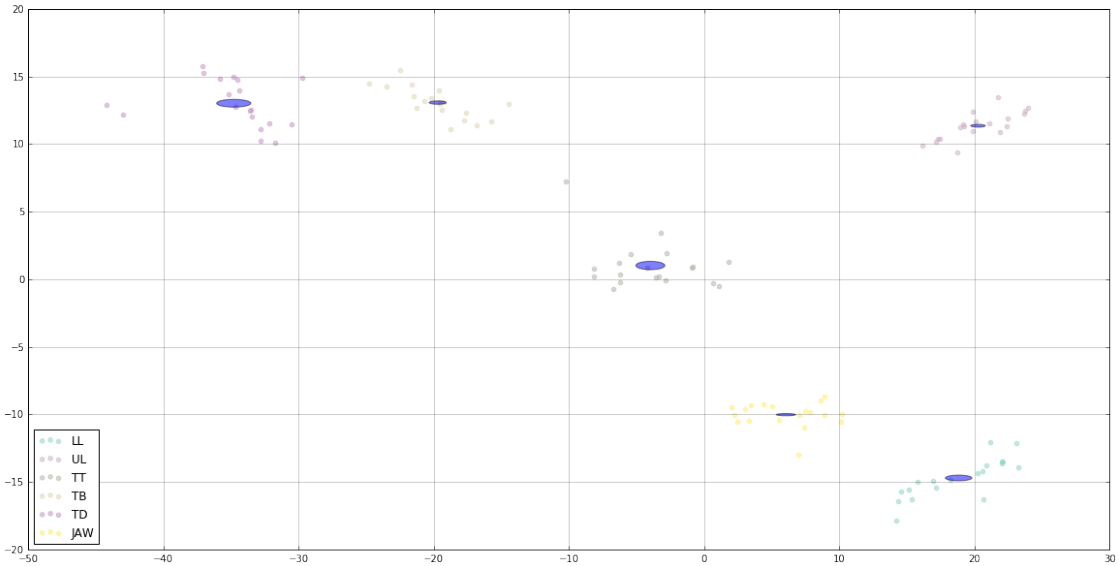
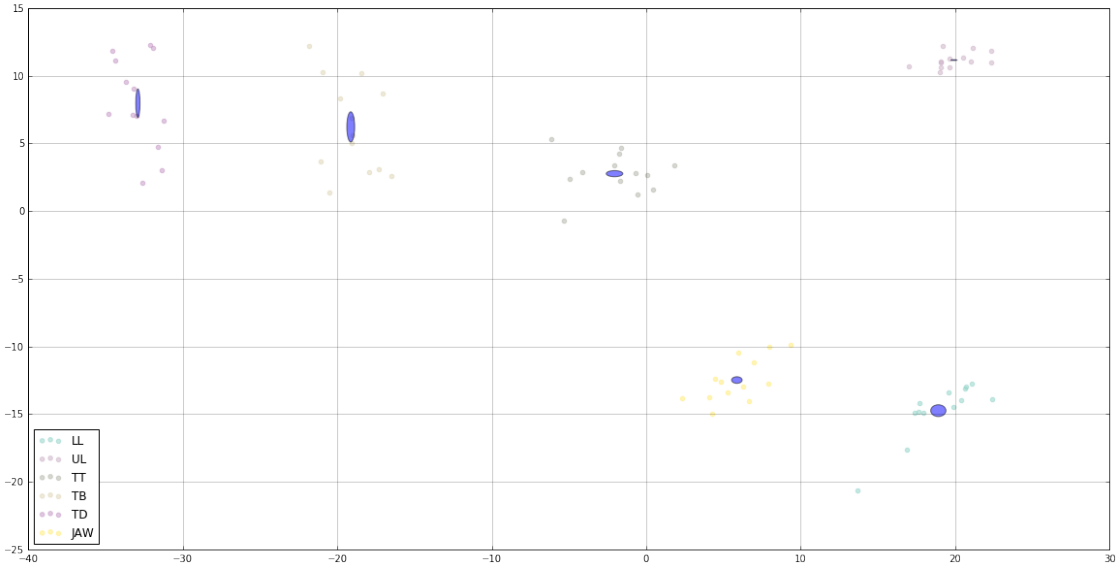


Gesture "th" (samples = 13)



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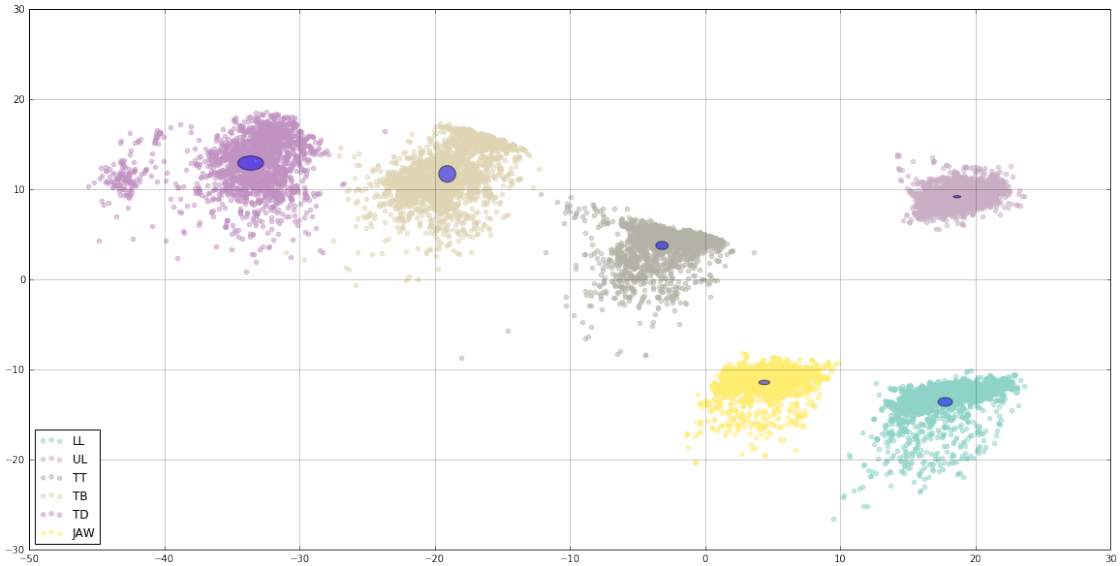
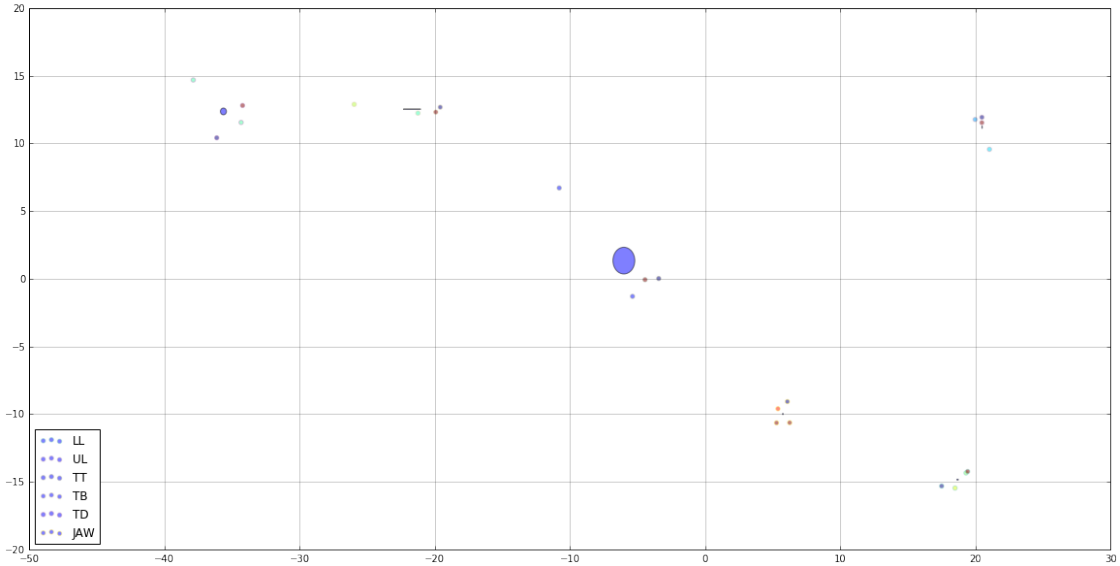


Gesture "zh" (samples = 4)



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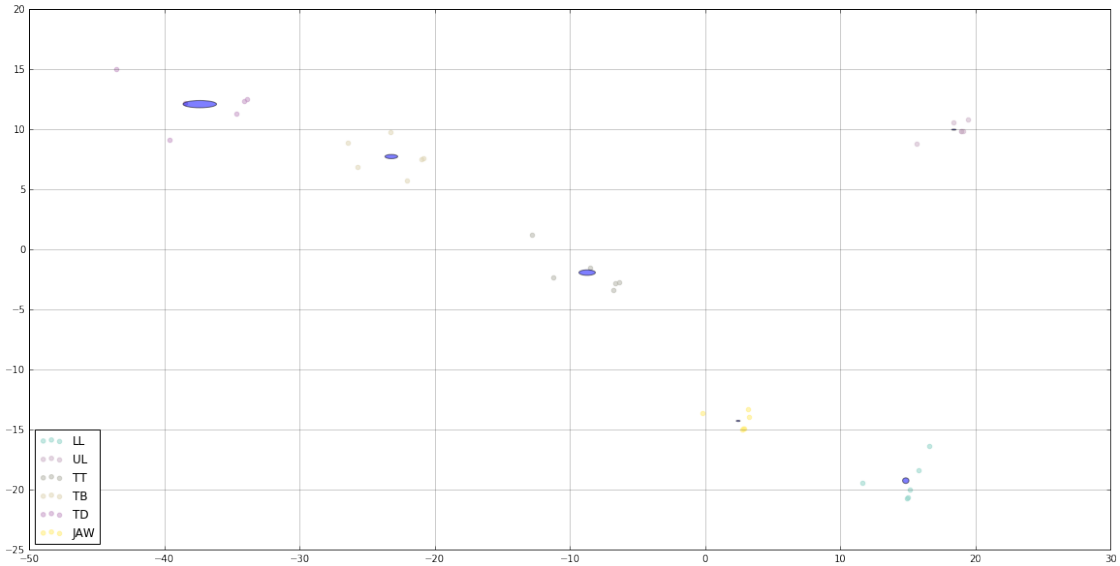
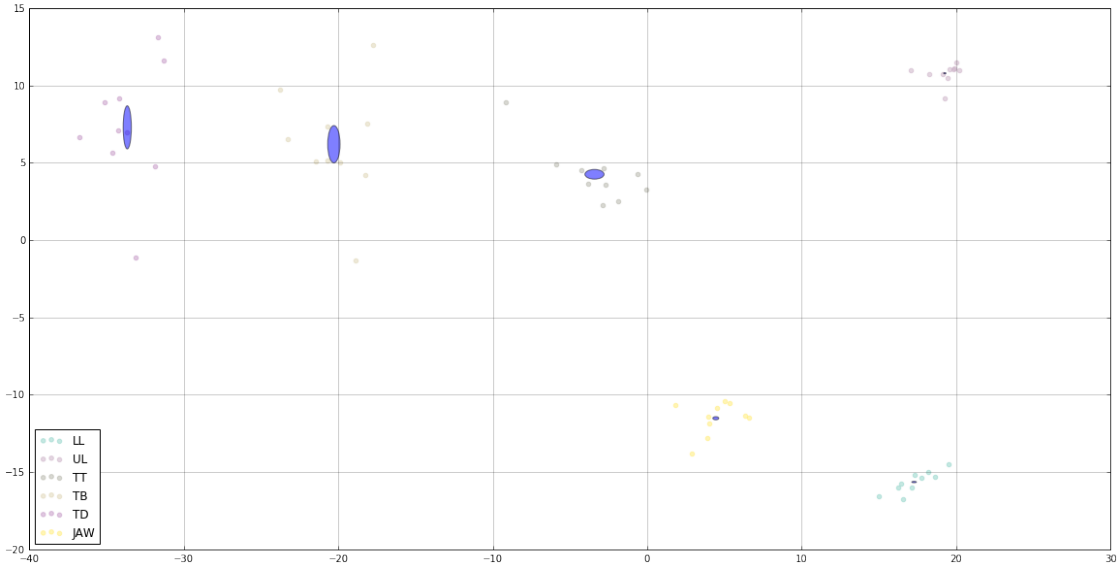


Gesture "dh" (samples = 10)



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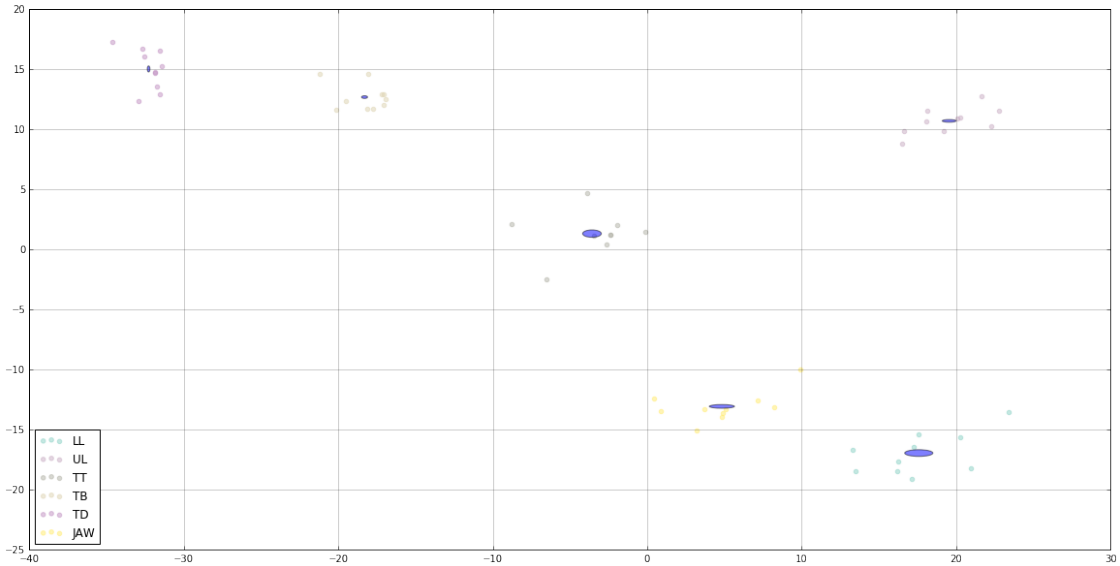

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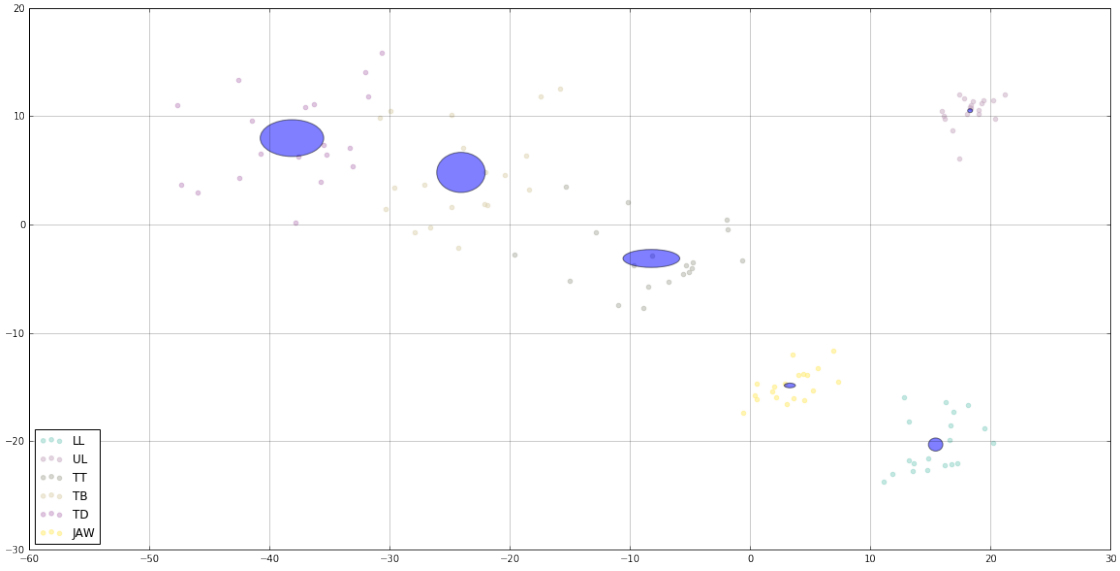

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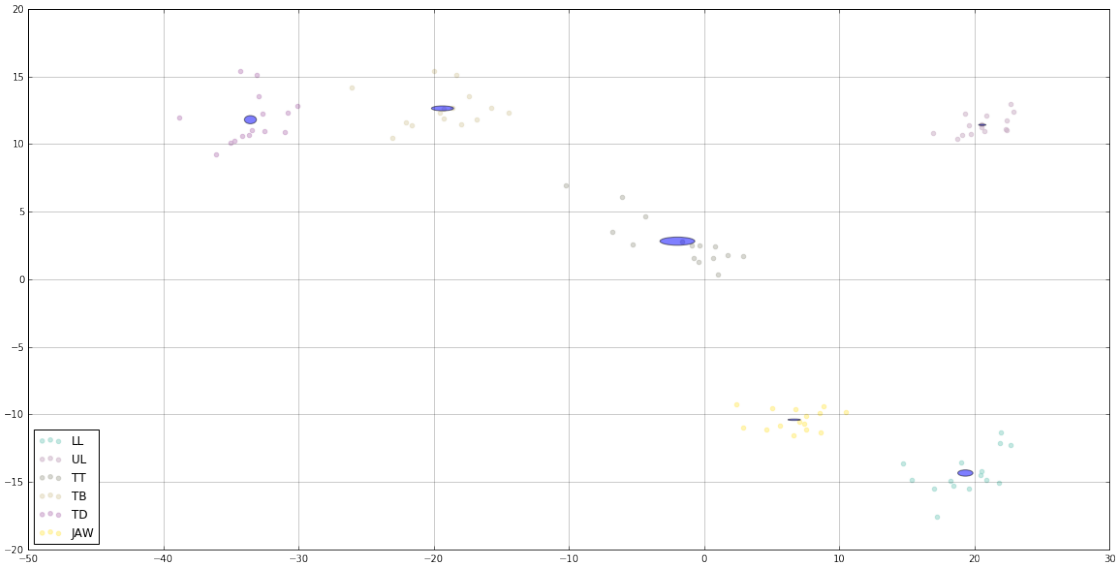
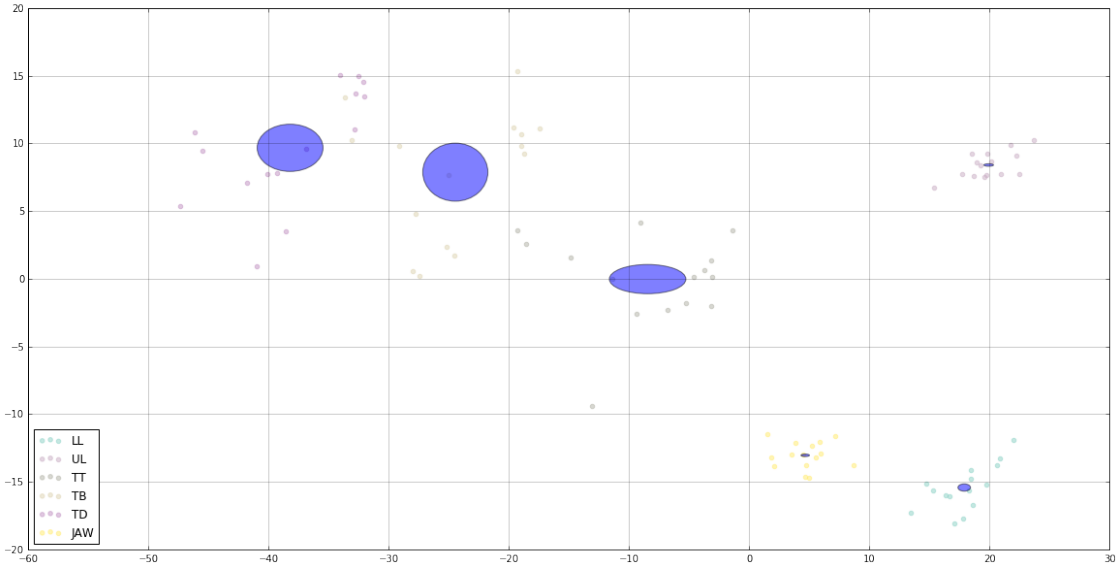
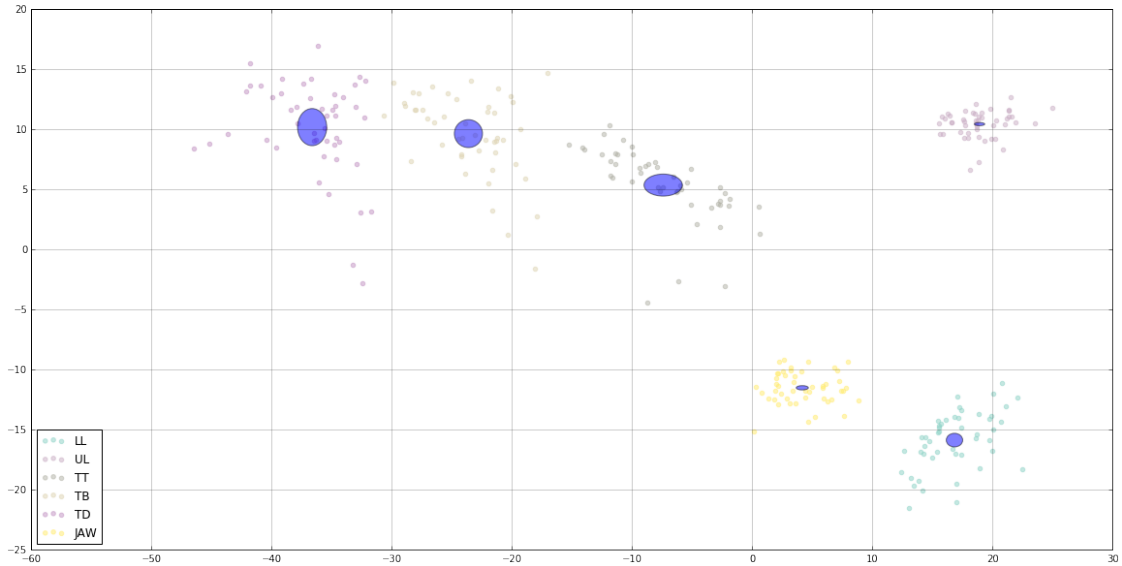


Gesture "b" (samples = 15)



Gesture "d" (samples = 48)



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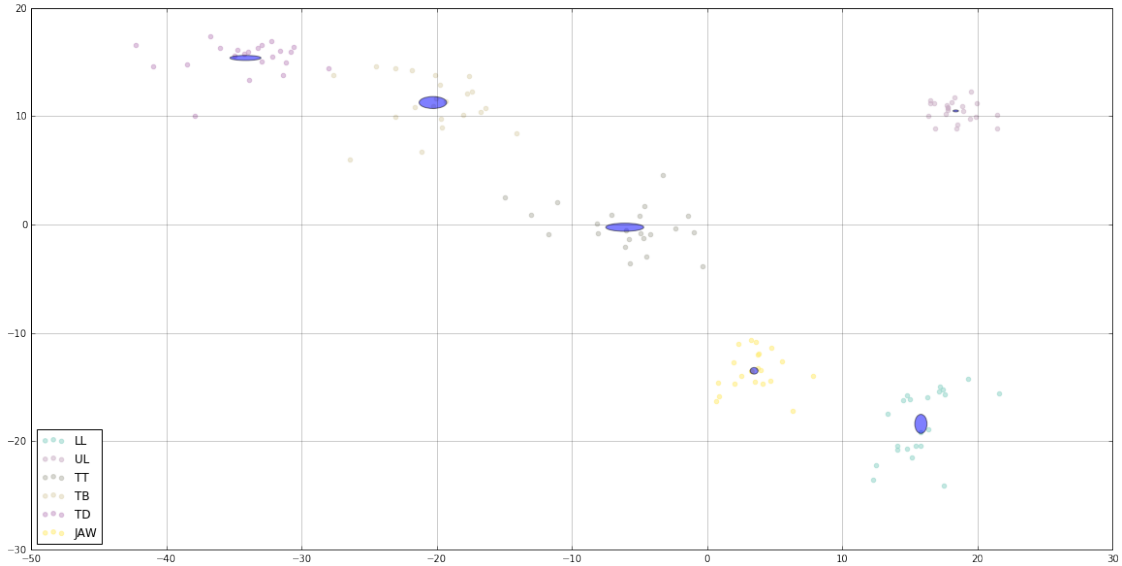
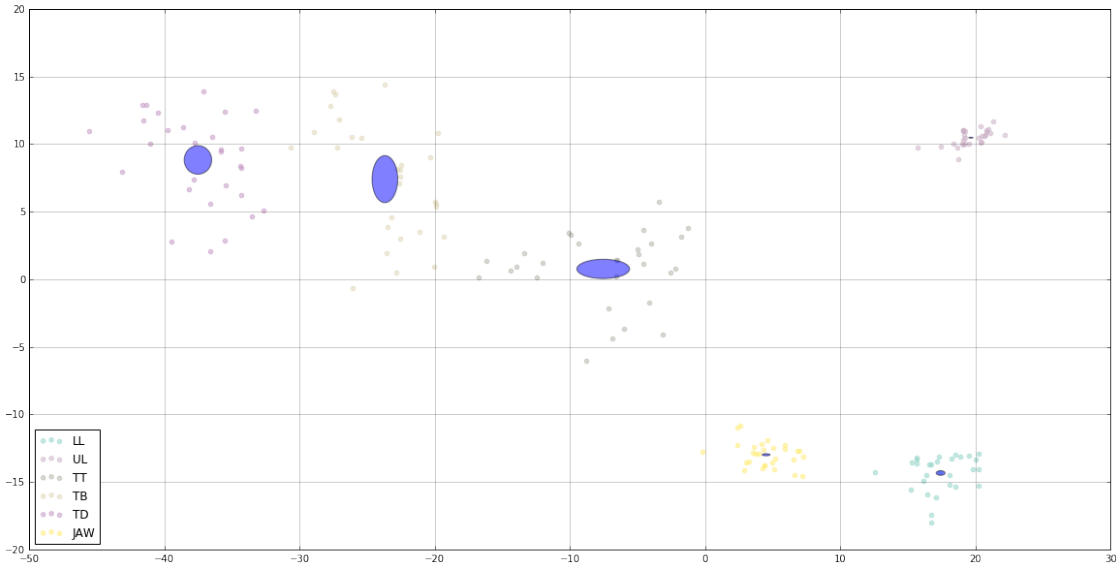
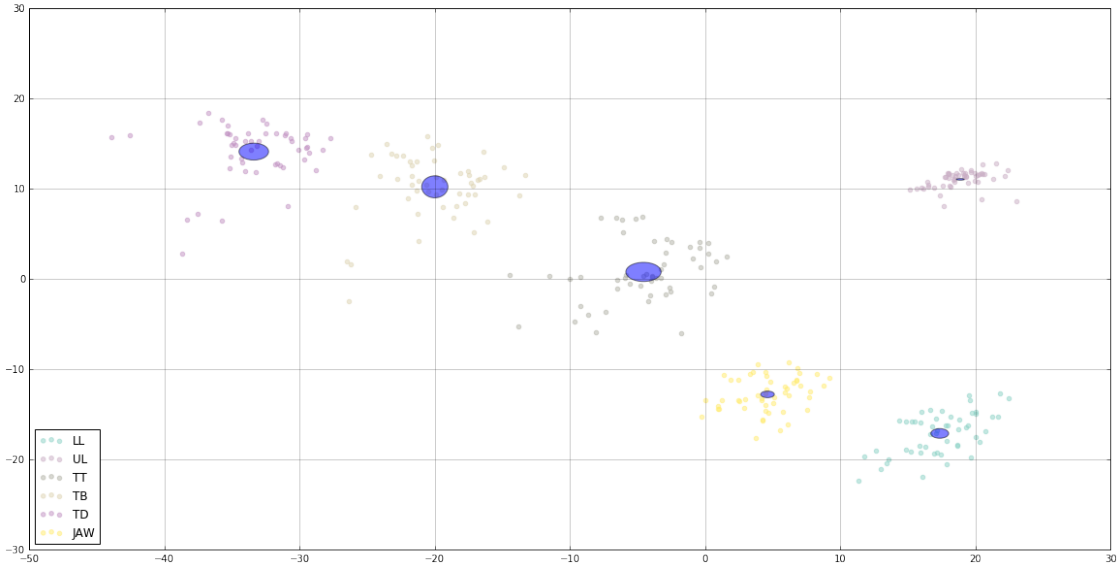
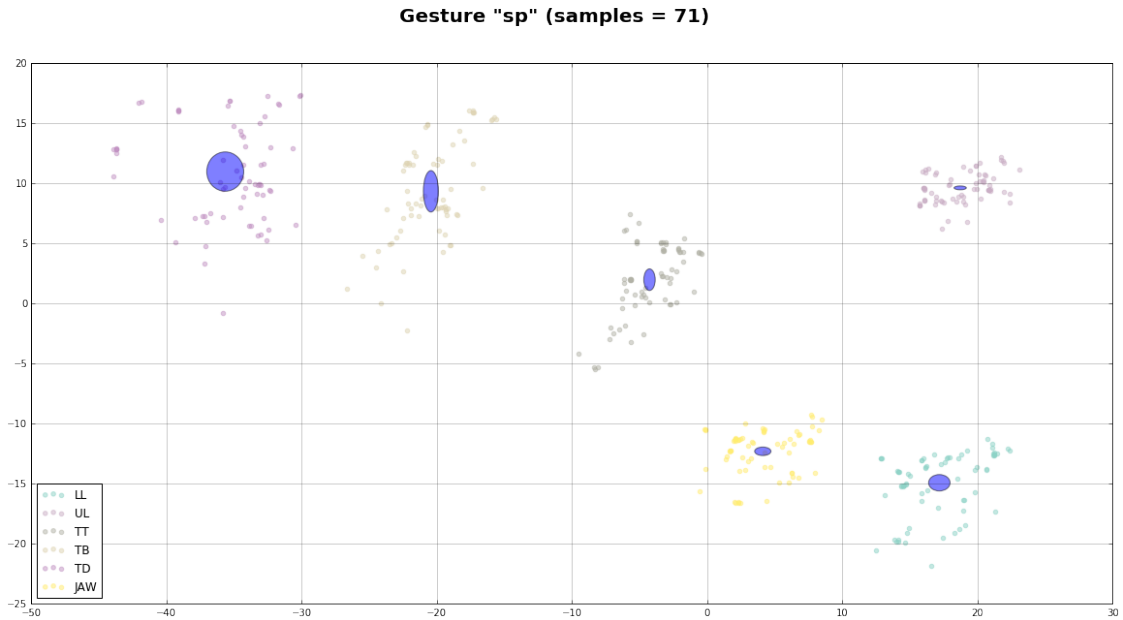


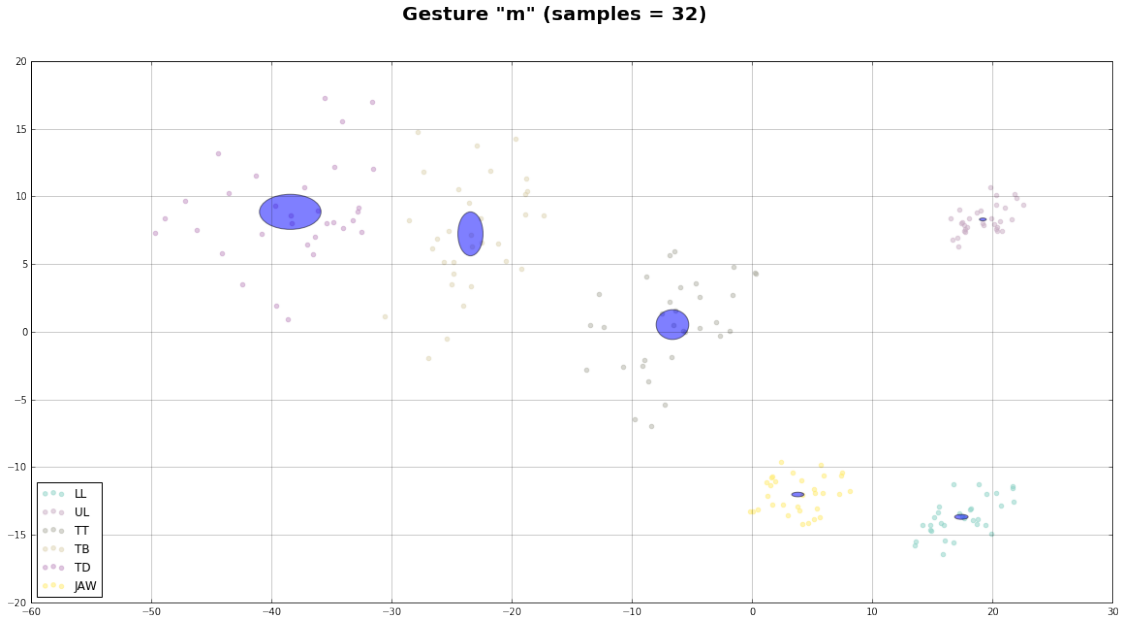
Gesture "f" (samples = 29)



Gesture "k" (samples = 52)




Gesture "sp" (samples = 71)
LL
UL
TT
TB
TD
JAW


Gesture "m" (samples = 32)
LL
UL
TT
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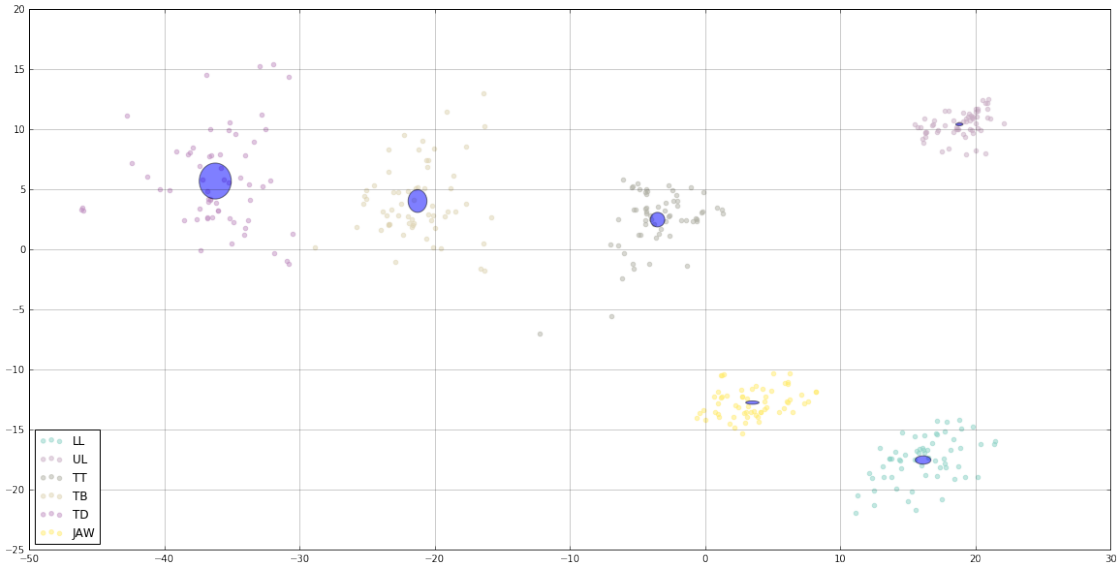
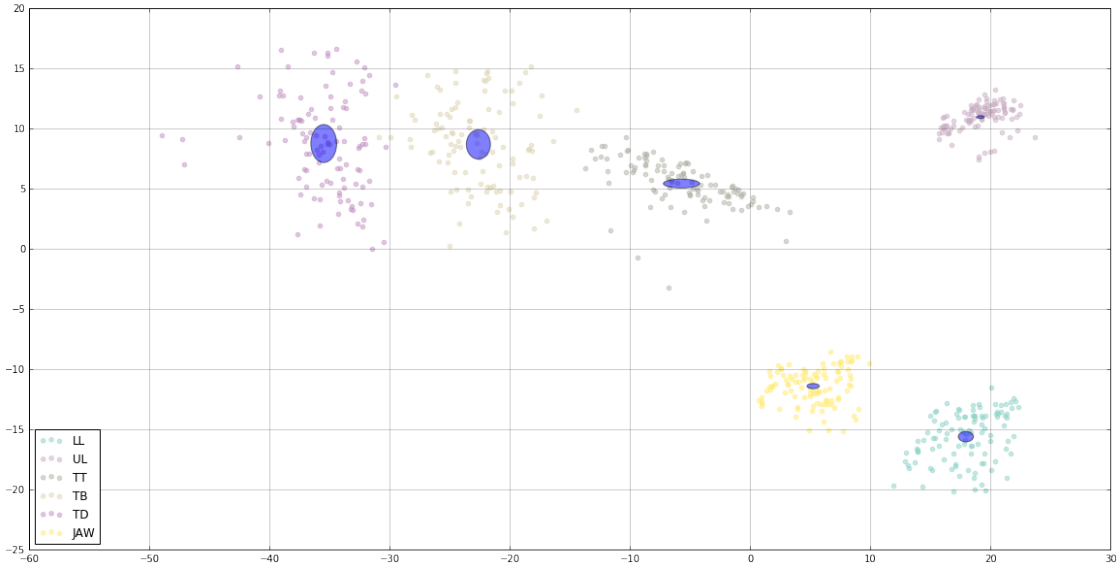
TD
JAW

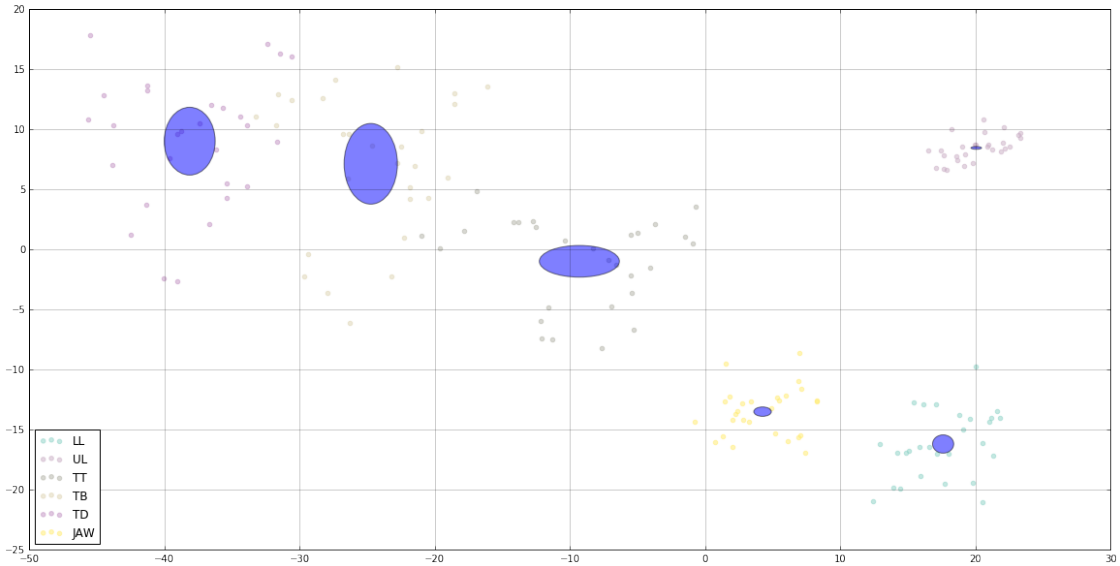
Gesture "l" (samples = 62)



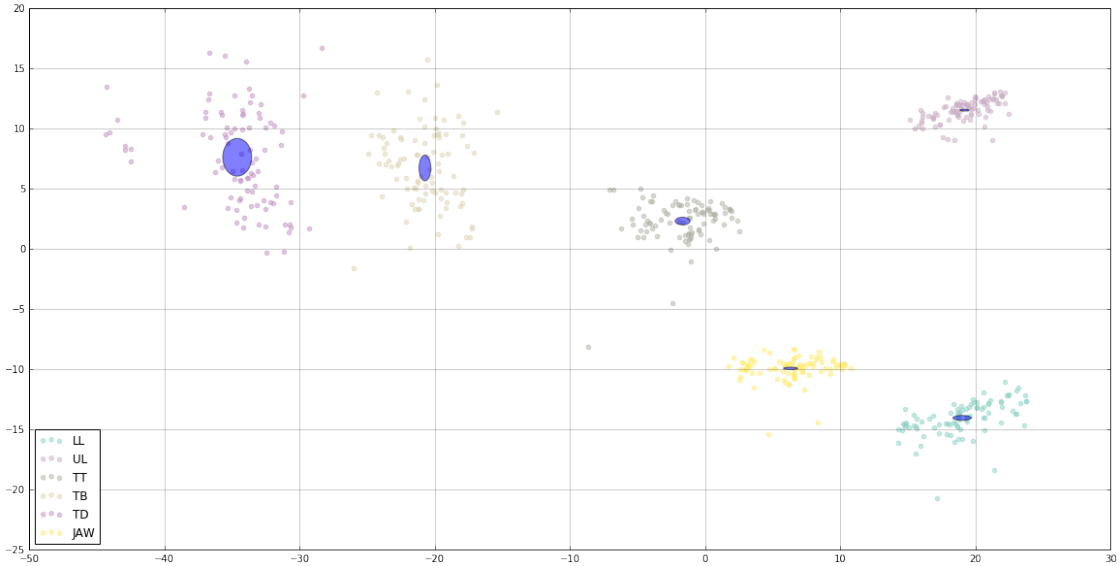
Gesture "n" (samples = 107)



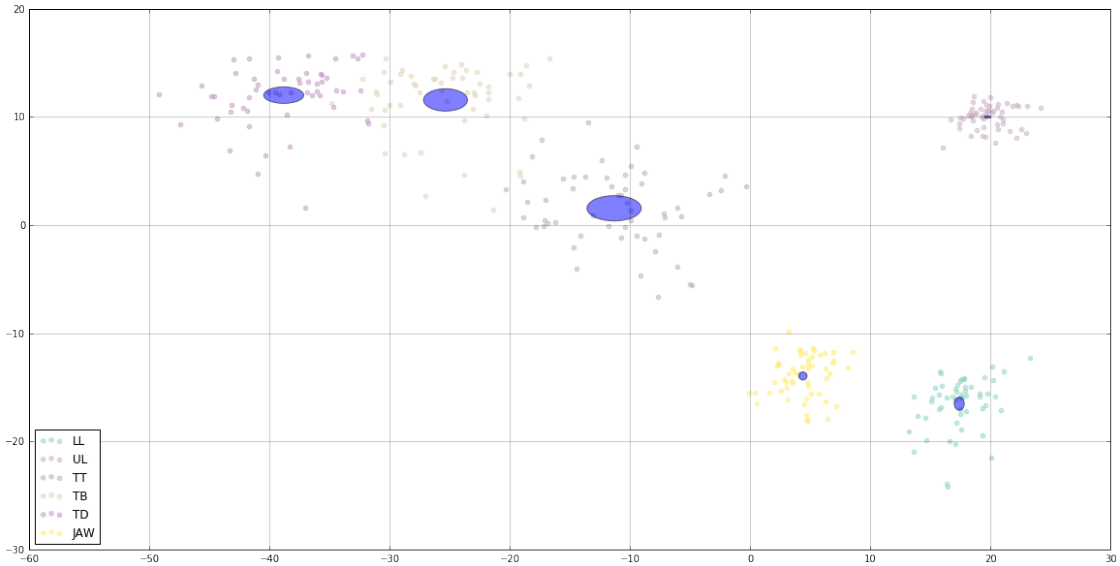
Gesture "p" (samples = 28)



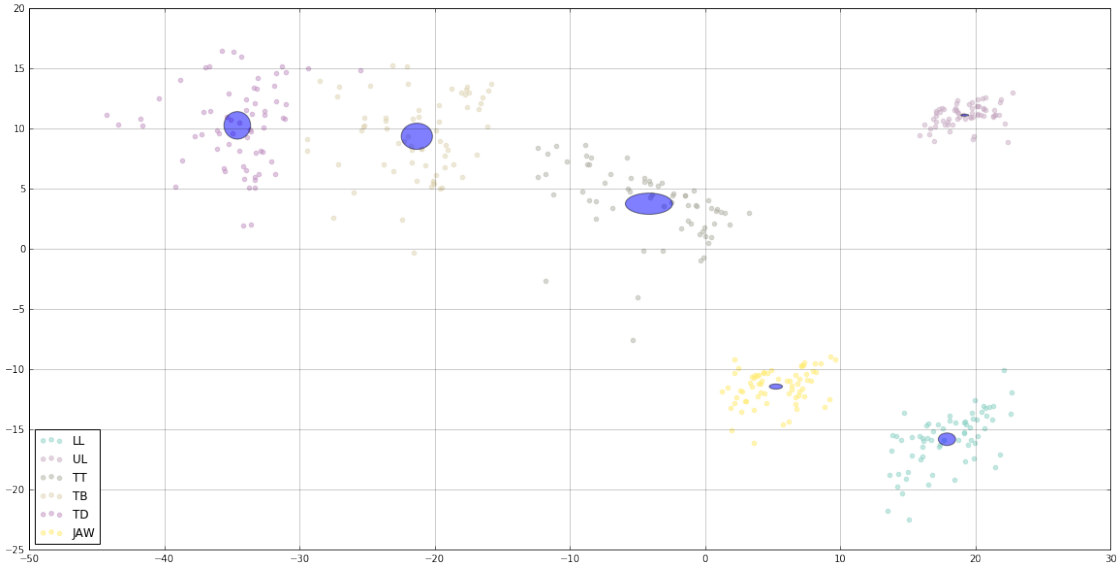
Gesture "s" (samples = 92)



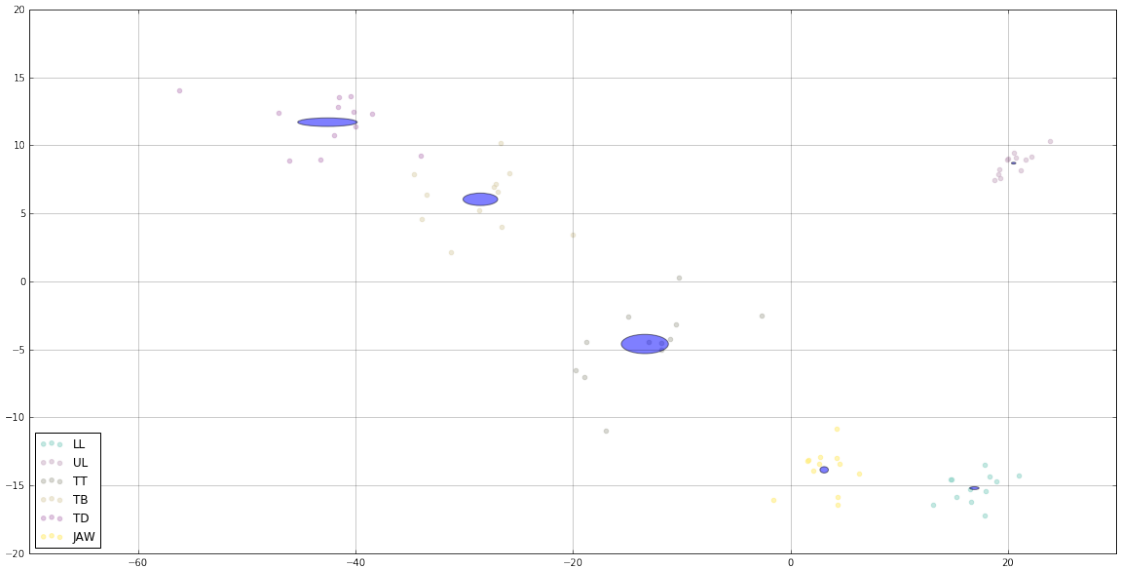
Gesture "r" (samples = 55)



Gesture "t" (samples = 67)



Gesture "w" (samples = 12)



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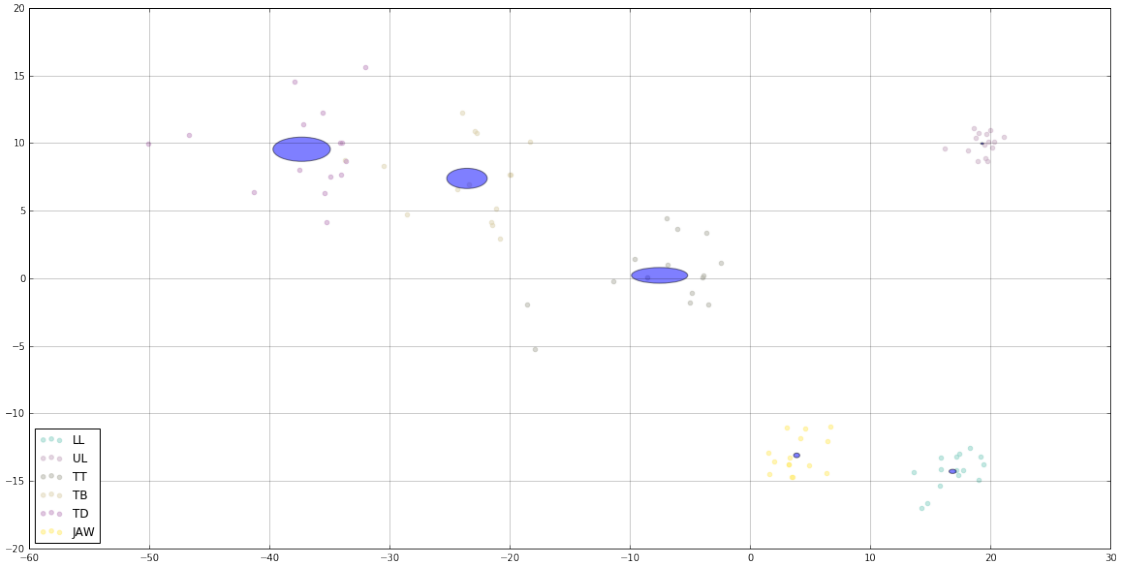
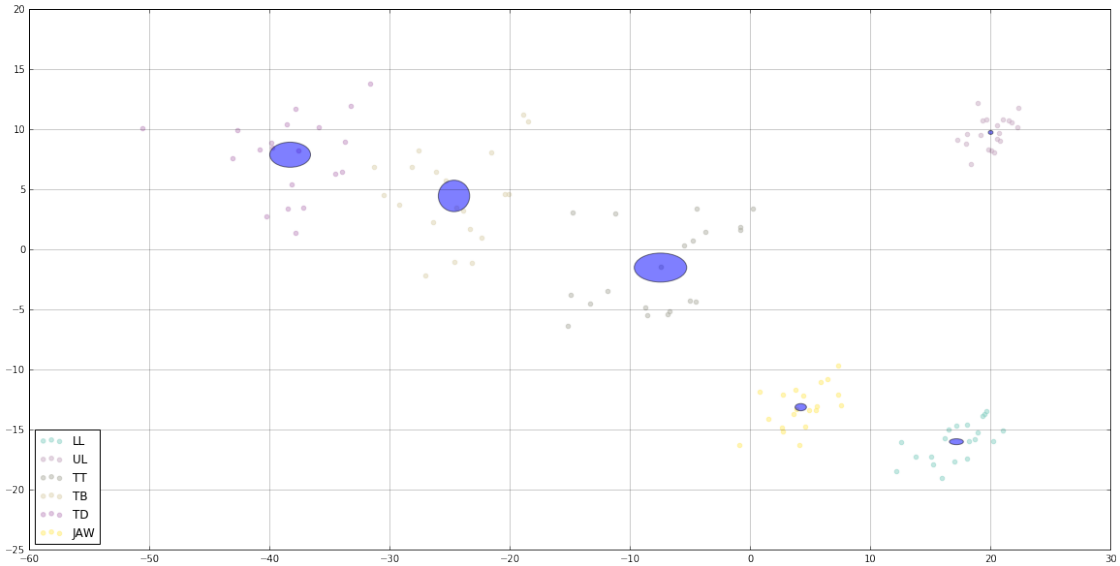


Gesture "ow" (samples = 20)



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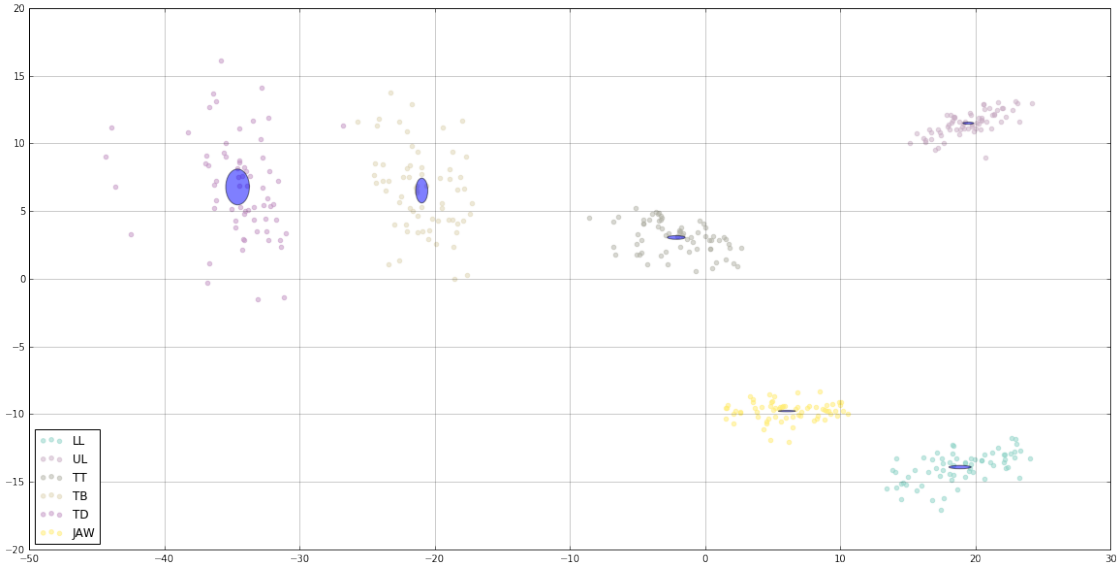

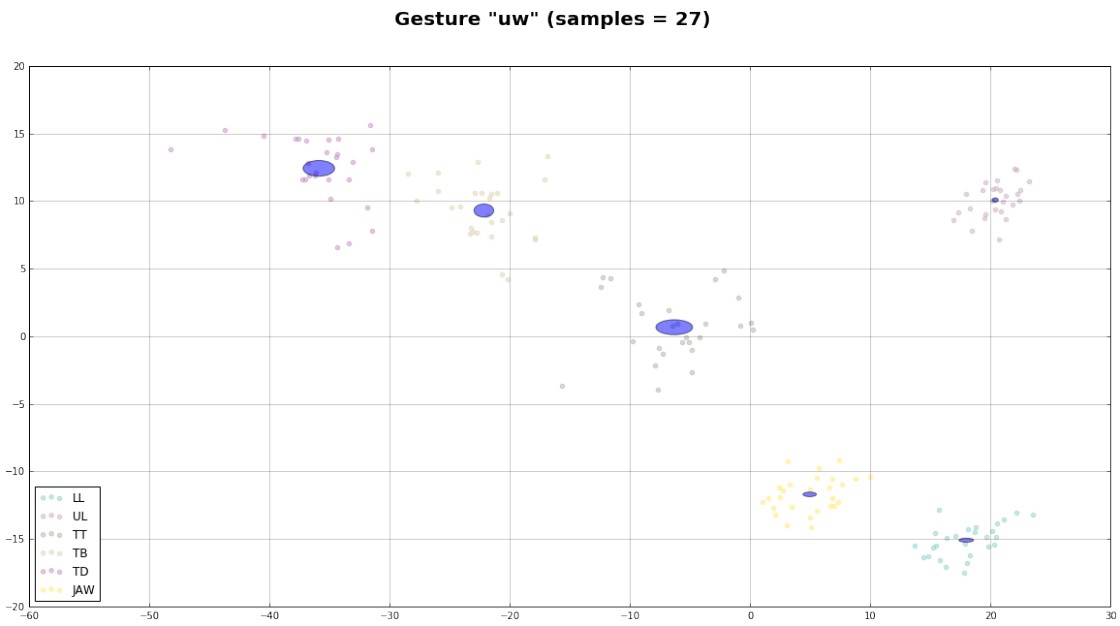

1.3 Normalize Gestures

In [9]:
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from matplotlib.patches import Ellipse

gestures, p_max, p_min = tist.normalize_gestures(gestures)

articulators = ["LL", "UL", "TT", "TB", "TD", "JAW"]

cmap = plt.get_cmap('Set3')
colors = [cmap(i) for i in np.linspace(0, 1, len(articulators))]
for g_name, g in gestures.items():
#     f, (ax1, ax2) = plt.subplots(1, 2, sharey=True)
    fig1, ax = plt.subplots(1, len(articulators), sharey=True, figsize=(20, 3))
    fig1.suptitle("Gesture \"{}\" (samples = {})".format(g_name,
                                                         len(g.params["LL_x"])),
                  fontsize=20, fontweight='bold')

    g_m = g.get_mean()
    g_v = g.get_variance()

    for i in range(len(articulators)):
        ax[i].grid(color='black', linestyle='-', linewidth=1, alpha=0.2)
        ax[i].set_xlim(0, 1)
        ax[i].set_ylim(0, 1)
        a = articulators[i]
        a_x = g.params[a+"_x"]
        a_y = g.params[a+"_y"]
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            ax[i].scatter(a_x, a_y, color=colors[i], alpha=0.5, label=a)
    #         plot mean ellipse
            e = Ellipse(xy=[g_m[a+"_x"], g_m[a+"_y"]],
                        width=g_v[a+"_x"]*10, height=g_v[a+"_y"]*10, alpha=0.5)
            ax[i].add_artist(e)
            ax[i].legend(loc='lower left')

        plt.show()
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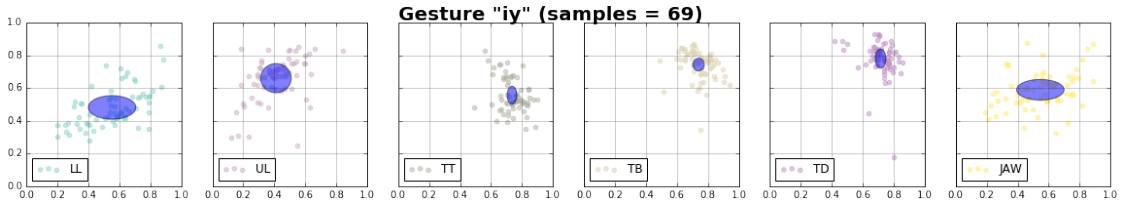

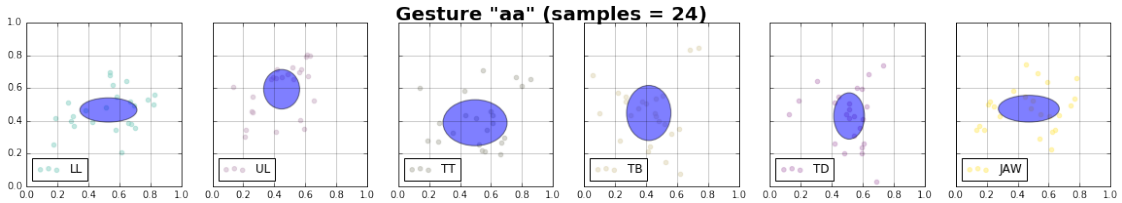

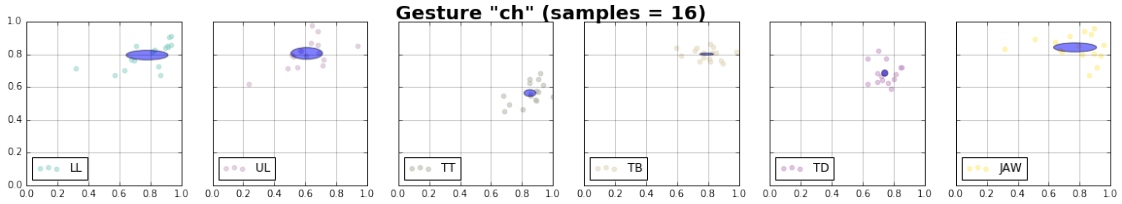

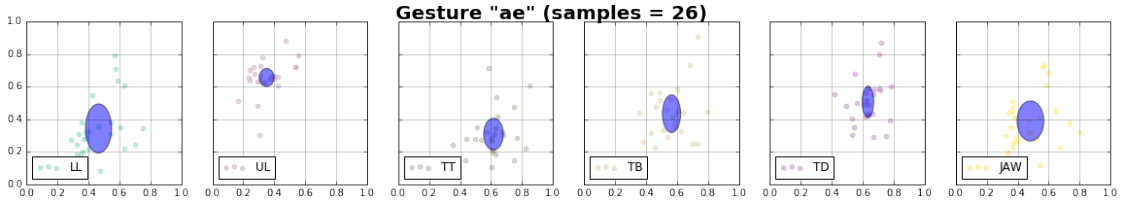

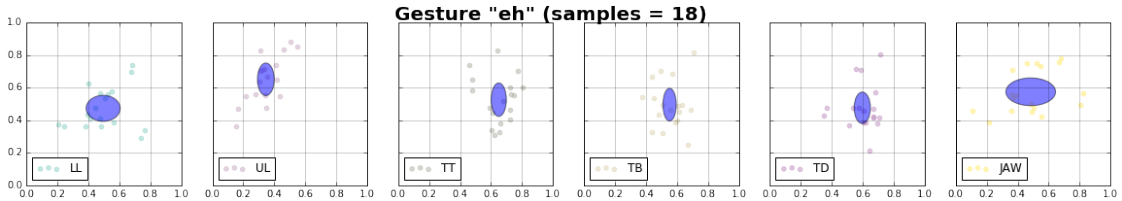
Gesture "eh" (samples = 18)
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TT
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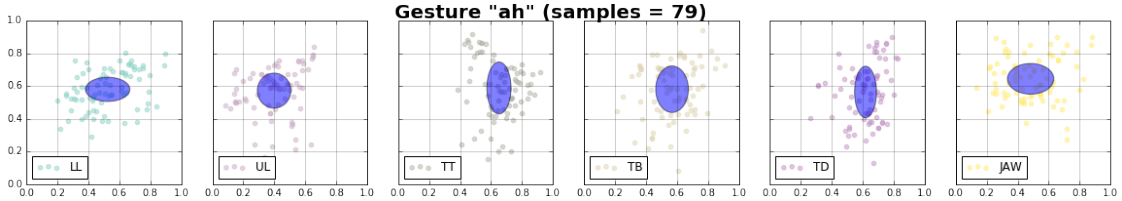
JAW


Gesture "ah" (samples = 79)
LL
UL
TT
TB
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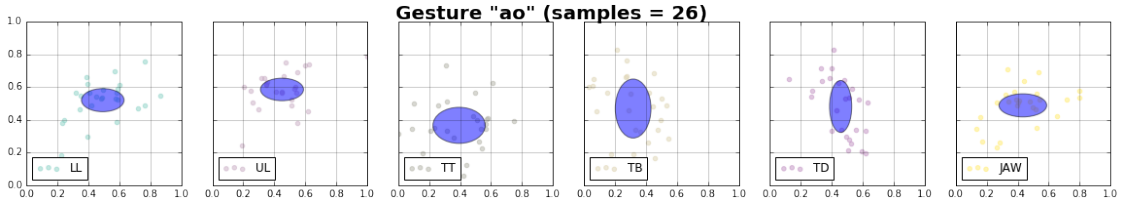
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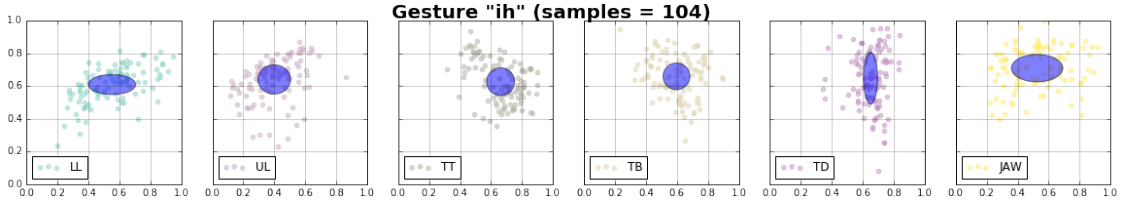
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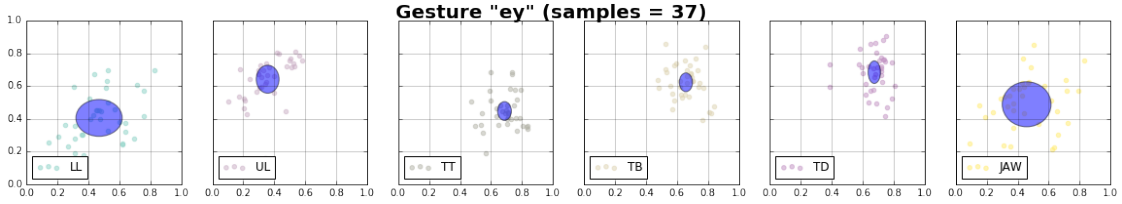
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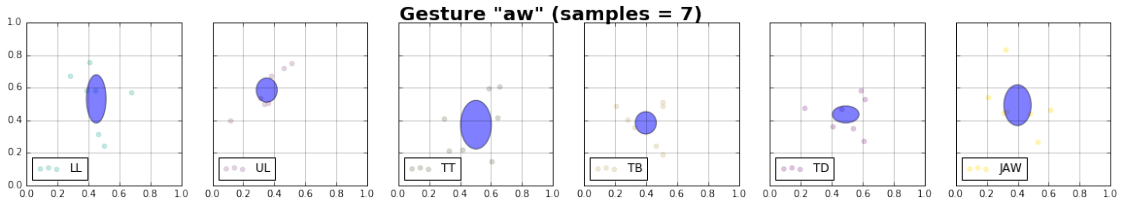
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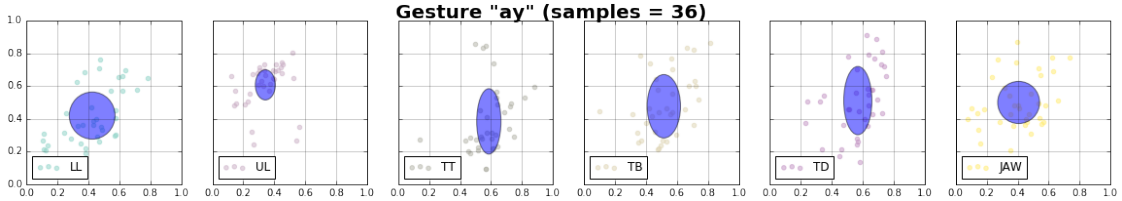
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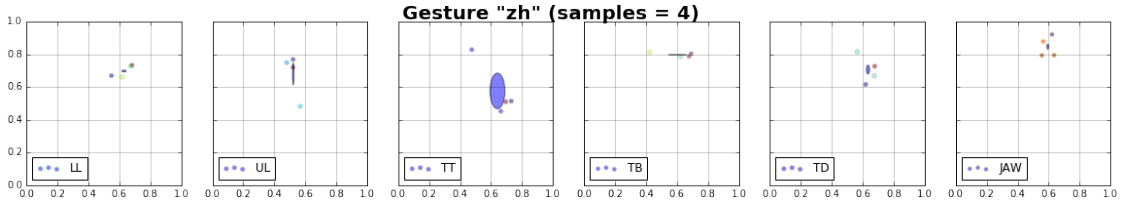
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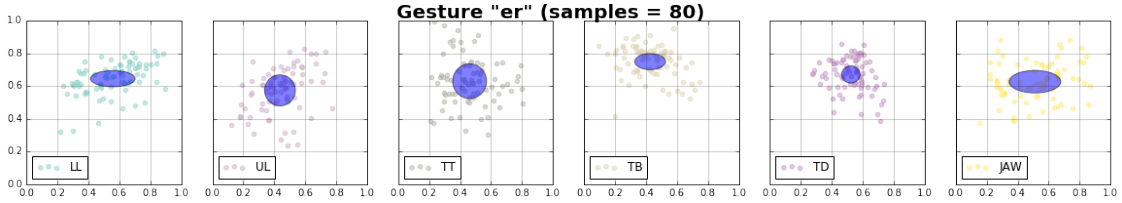
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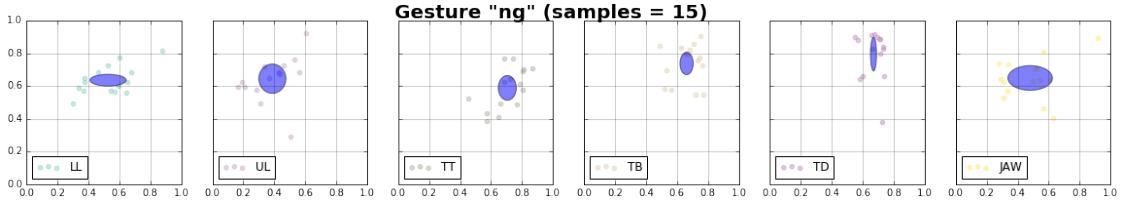
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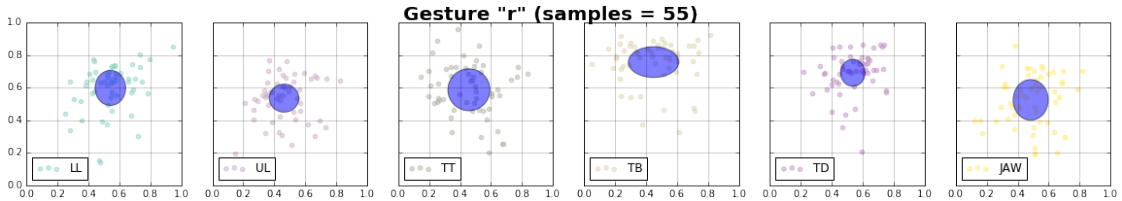
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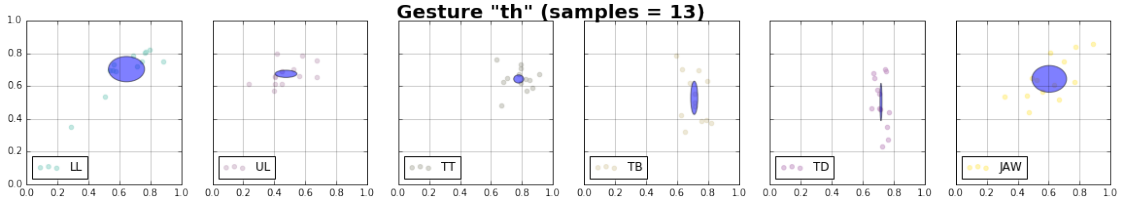
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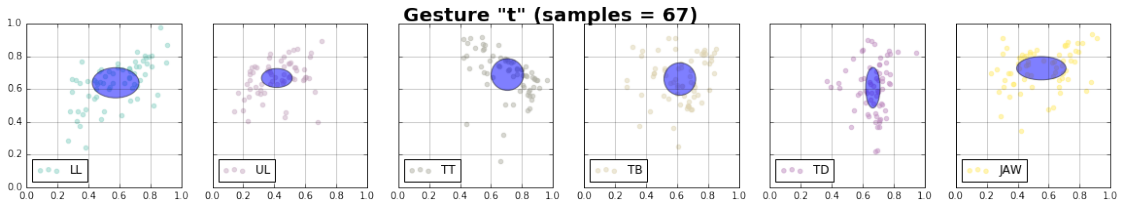
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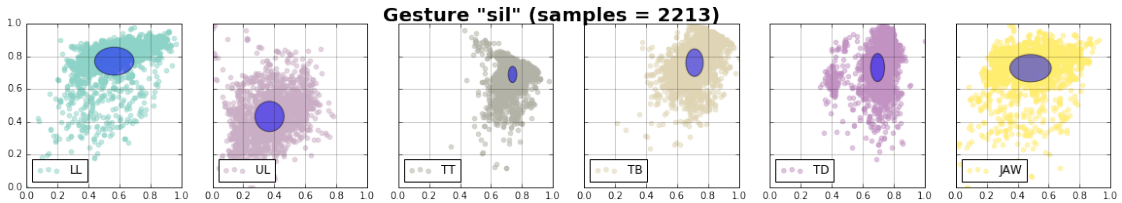
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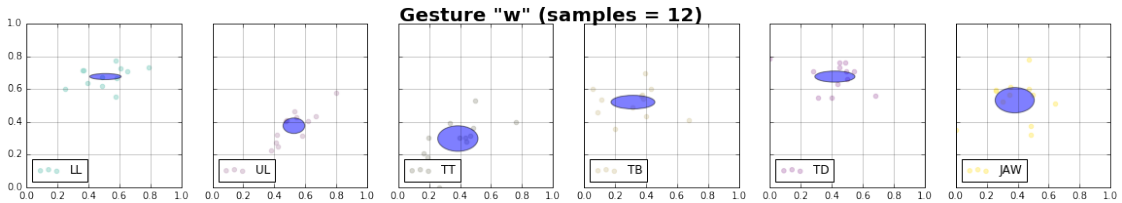
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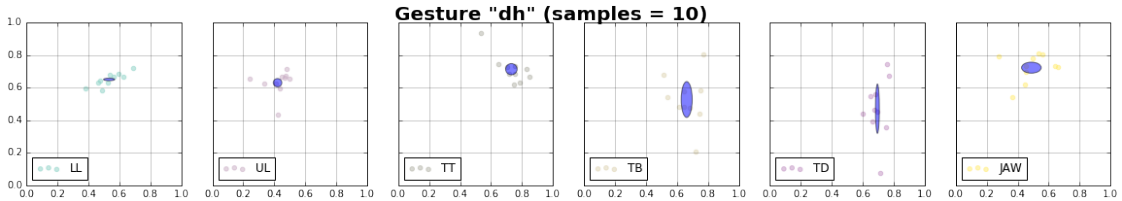
Gesture "dh" (samples = 10)
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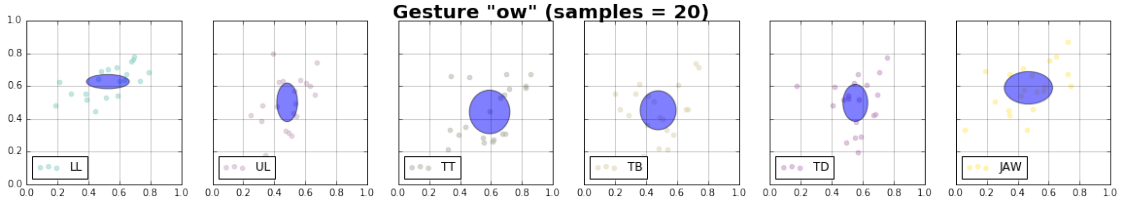
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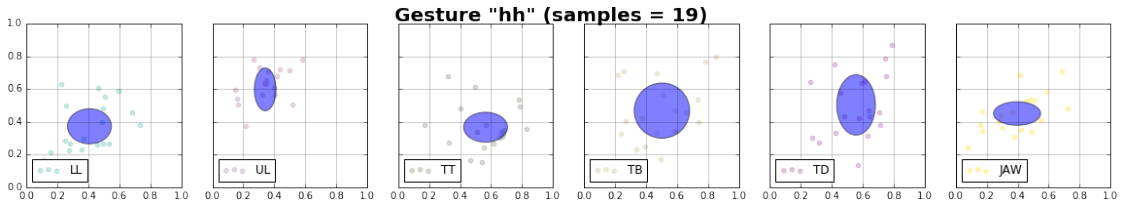
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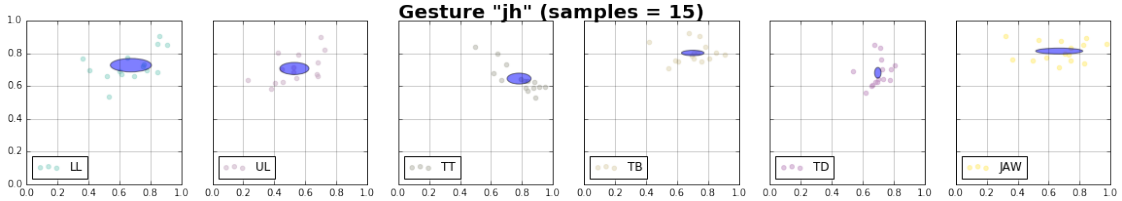
Gesture "jh" (samples = 15)
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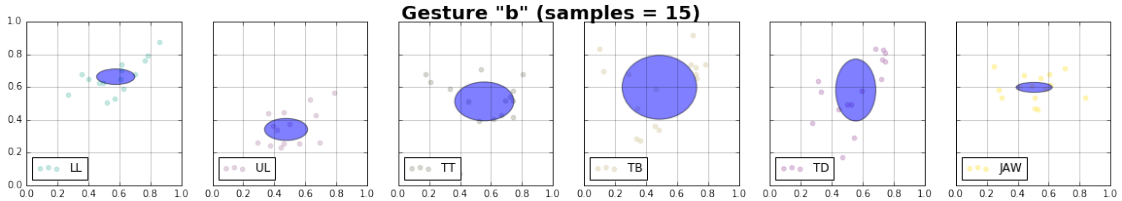
Gesture "b" (samples = 15)
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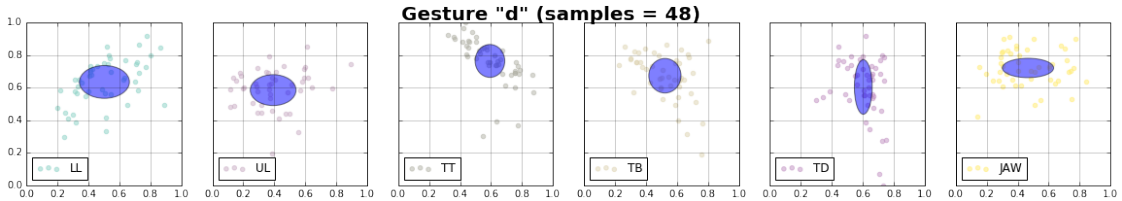
Gesture "d" (samples = 48)
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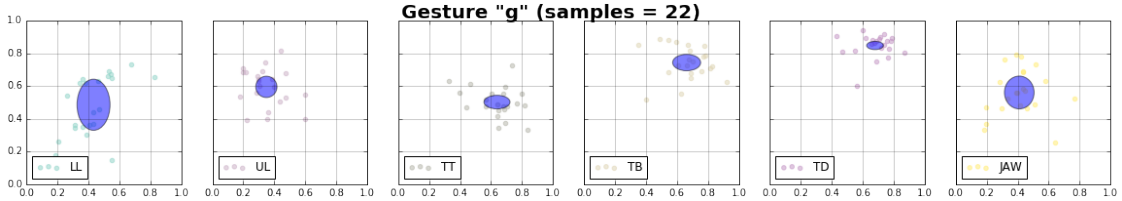
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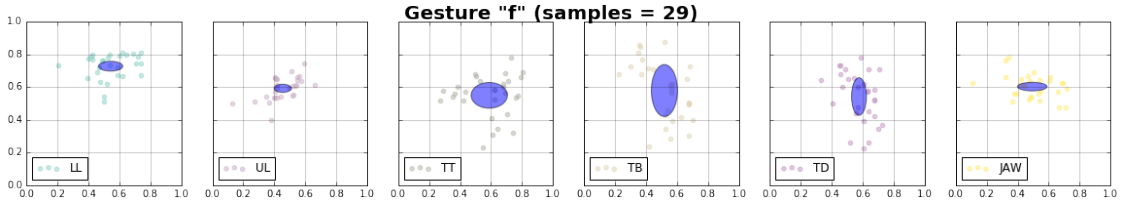
Gesture "f" (samples = 29)
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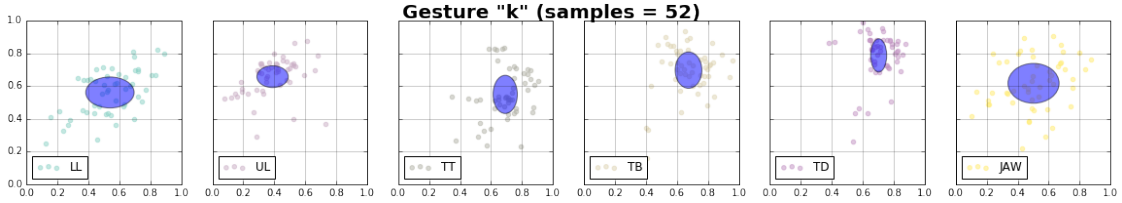
Gesture "k" (samples = 52)
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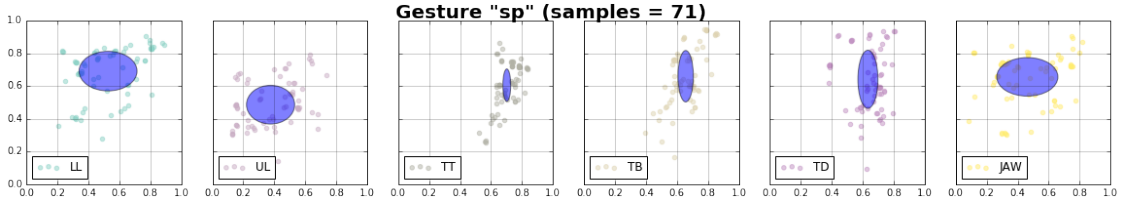
Gesture "sp" (samples = 71)
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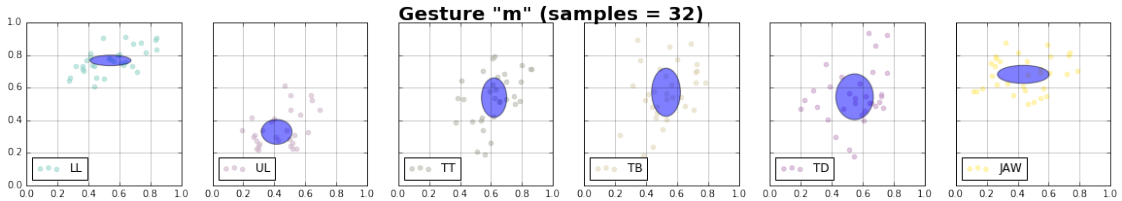
Gesture "m" (samples = 32)
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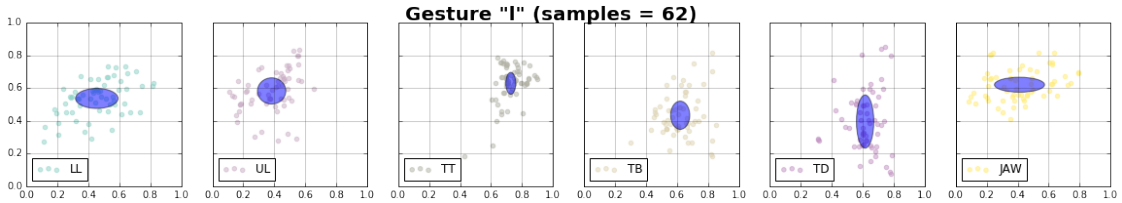
Gesture "l" (samples = 62)
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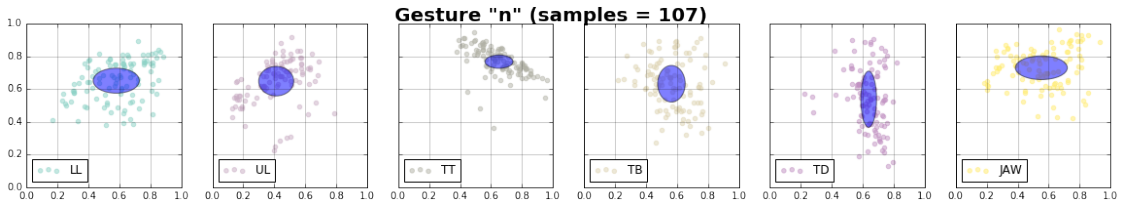
Gesture "n" (samples = 107)
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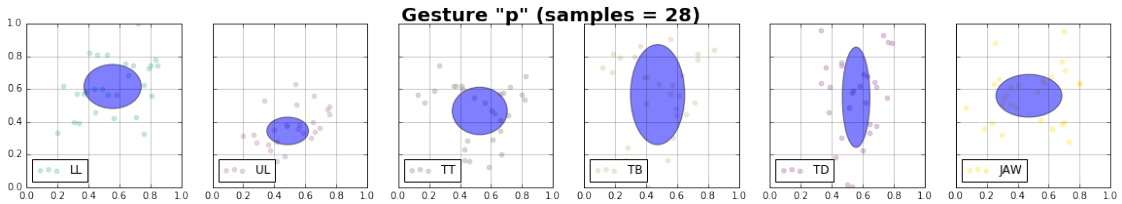
Gesture "p" (samples = 28)
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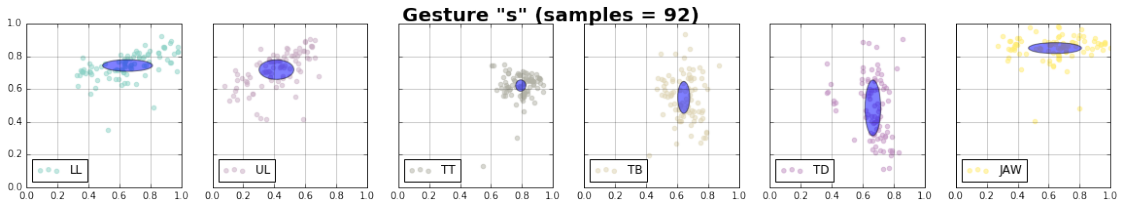
Gesture "s" (samples = 92)
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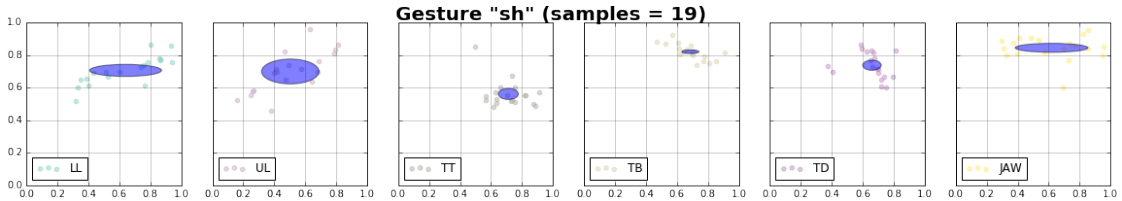
Gesture "sh" (samples = 19)
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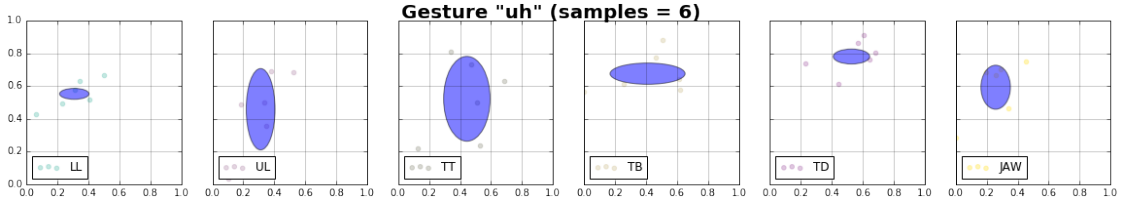
Gesture "uh" (samples = 6)
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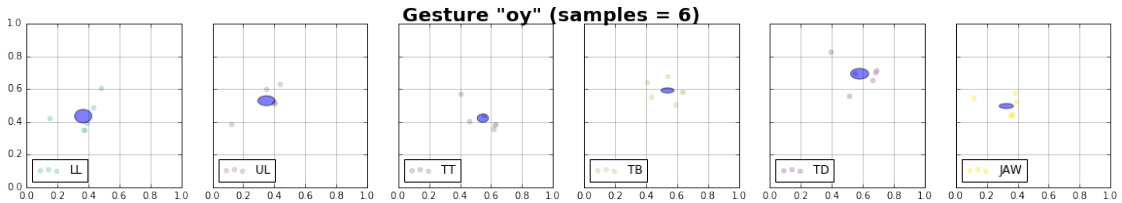
Gesture "oy" (samples = 6)
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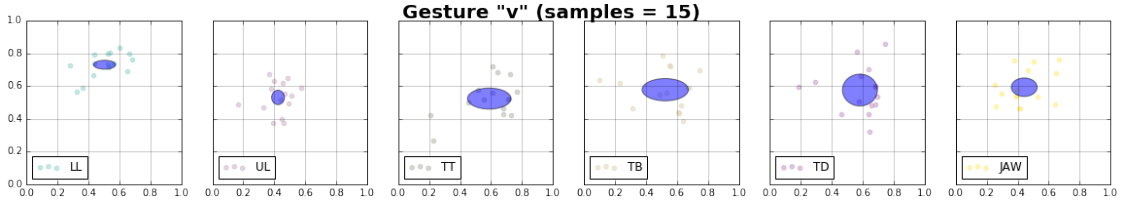
Gesture "v" (samples = 15)
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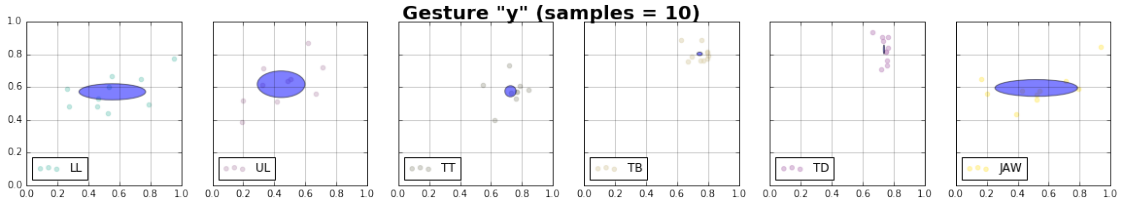
Gesture "y" (samples = 10)
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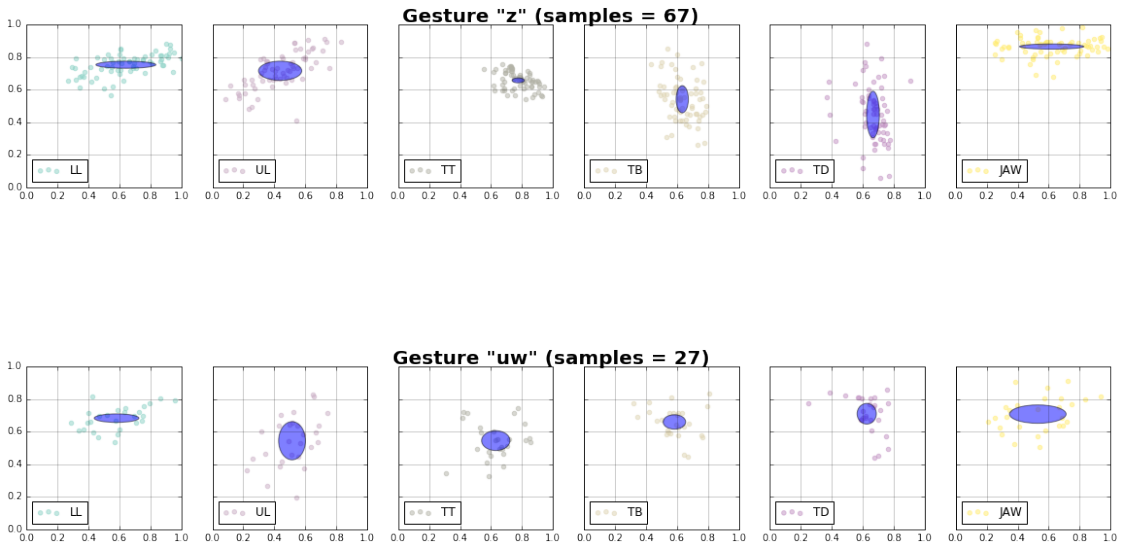

1.4 Variance analysis

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In [10]: # a stacked bar plot
         import numpy as np
         import matplotlib.pyplot as plt

         articulators = ["LL", "TT", "TB", "TD", "JAW"]
         domains=["_x", "_y"]
         param_names = [a+d for a in articulators for d in domains]
         ind = np.arange(len(gestures))
         gestures_norm = gestures
         means={}
         variances={}
         for p in param_names:
             means[p] = {}
             variances[p] = {}

         for g in gestures_norm:
             g_m = gestures_norm[g].get_mean()
             g_v = gestures_norm[g].get_variance()
             for p in param_names:
                 means[p][g] = g_m[p]*(p_max[p]-p_min[p]) + p_min[p]
                 variances[p][g] = g_v[p]

         print "Means and variances calculated succesfully"

         # plor variances
         fig1, ax = plt.subplots(figsize=(20, 10))
         cmap = plt.get_cmap('Set3')
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```
        colors = [cmap(i) for i in np.linspace(0, 1, len(param_names))]

        acc = [0]*len(gestures)
        for i in range(len(param_names)):
            p = param_names[i]
            plt.bar(ind, variances[p].values(), width=0.8, color=colors[i], bottom=acc, label=
            acc = [x + y for x,y in zip(variances[p].values(), acc)]
            legend()


        plt.ylabel('Variance')
        plt.title('Variance by gesture and parameter', fontsize=20, fontweight='bold')
        plt.xticks(np.arange(len(gestures)), gestures.keys())
        plt.autoscale()
        plt.show()
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Means and variances calculated succesfully
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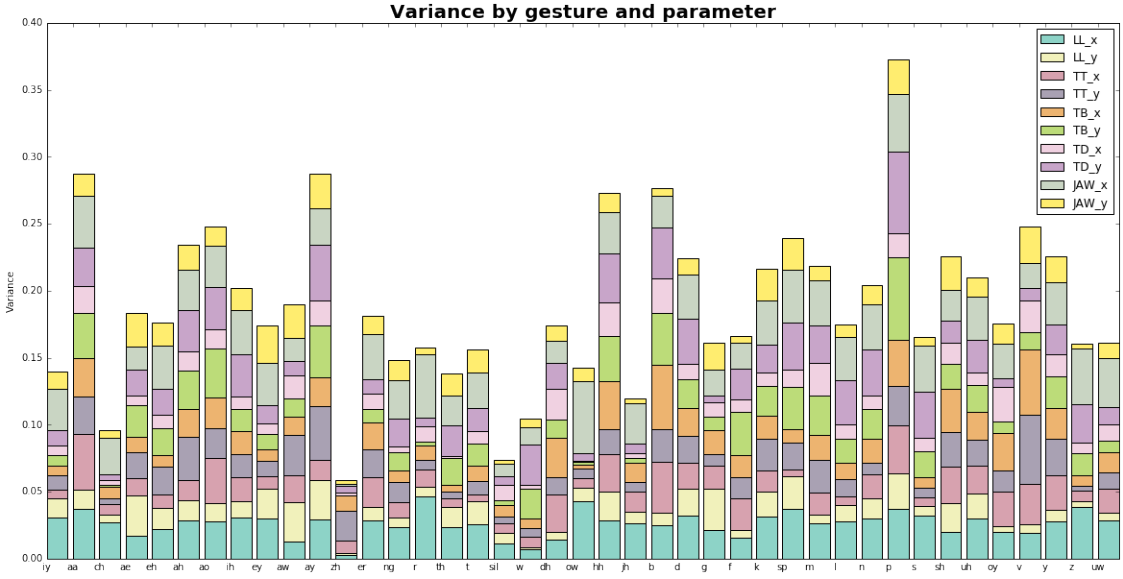

In [11]:
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        # plor variances
        fig1, ax = plt.subplots(figsize=(20, 10))
        cmap = plt.get_cmap('Set3')
        colors = [cmap(i) for i in np.linspace(0, 1, len(param_names))]

        acc1 = [0]*len(gestures)
        for i in range(len(param_names)):
            p = param_names[i]
            normed = [x/y for x,y in zip(variances[p].values(), acc)]
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        plt.bar(ind, normed, width=0.8, color=colors[i], bottom=acc1, label=p)
        acc1 = [x + y for x,y in zip(normed, acc1)]
        legend()

    plt.ylabel('K')
    plt.title('K(normed variance) by gesture and parameter', fontsize=20, fontweight='bold
    plt.xticks(np.arange(len(gestures)), gestures.keys())
    # plt.yticks(np.arange(0, 81, 10))
    # plt.legend((p1[0], p2[0]), ('Men', 'Women'))
    plt.autoscale()
    handles, labels = ax.get_legend_handles_labels()
    ax.legend(handles[::-1], labels[::-1], title='Line', loc='upper left')
    plt.show()
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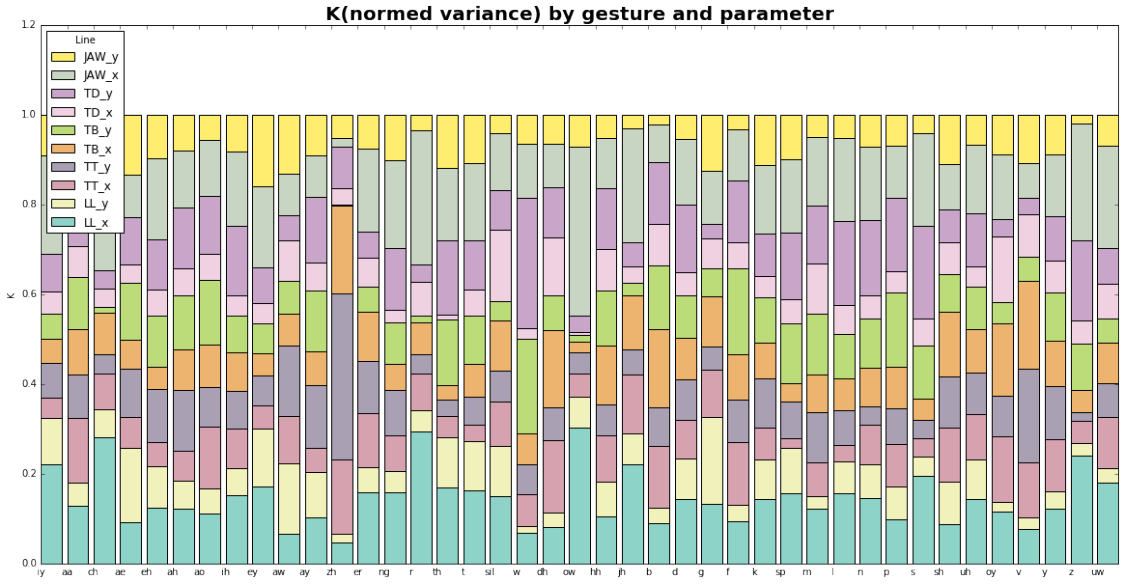

IMPORTANT: Do not normalize variance like this. Different sum of variances just means that some gestures demand more precise articulation than others.

1.5 Calc overall mean and variance for each parameter

In [12]:
```
gestures = {}

    overall_ges = ges.Gesture("overall")

    for fname in os.listdir(trans_dir):
        fname = os.path.splitext(fname)[0]
        t_fname = os.path.join(trans_dir, fname + ".trans")
        mat_fname = os.path.join(mat_dir, fname + ".mat")
        gest = tist.calc_gestures(mat_fname, t_fname, filter_critical_points=True, m=0.07
        for g in gest:
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        if g not in gestures:
            gestures[g] = ges.Gesture(g)
        gestures[g].extend(gest[g])
        overall_ges.extend(gest[g])

print "gestures calculation finished"

gestures_norm = gestures
means={}
variances={}
for p in param_names:
    means[p] = {}
    variances[p] = {}

for g in gestures_norm:
    g_m = gestures_norm[g].get_mean()
    g_v = gestures_norm[g].get_variance()
    for p in param_names:
        means[p][g] = g_m[p]*(p_max[p]-p_min[p]) + p_min[p]
        variances[p][g] = g_v[p]

print "Means and variances calculated succesfully"

overall_variance = overall_ges.get_variance()

# plot variances
fig1, ax = plt.subplots(figsize=(20, 10))
cmap = plt.get_cmap('Set3')
colors = [cmap(i) for i in np.linspace(0, 1, len(param_names))]

acc = [0]*len(gestures)
for i in range(len(param_names)):
    p = param_names[i]
    normed = [x/overall_variance[p] for x in variances[p].values()]
    plt.xticks(np.arange(len(gestures)),variances[p].values())
    plt.bar(ind, normed, width=0.8, color=colors[i], bottom=acc, label=p)
    acc = [x + y for x,y in zip(normed, acc)]
    legend()


plt.ylabel('Variance')
plt.title('Normalized Variance by gesture and parameter', fontsize=20, fontweight='bo
plt.xticks(np.arange(len(gestures)), gestures.keys())
handles, labels = ax.get_legend_handles_labels()
ax.legend(handles[::-1], labels[::-1], title='Line', loc='upper left')
plt.autoscale()
plt.show()
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gestures calculation finished
Means and variances calculated succesfully
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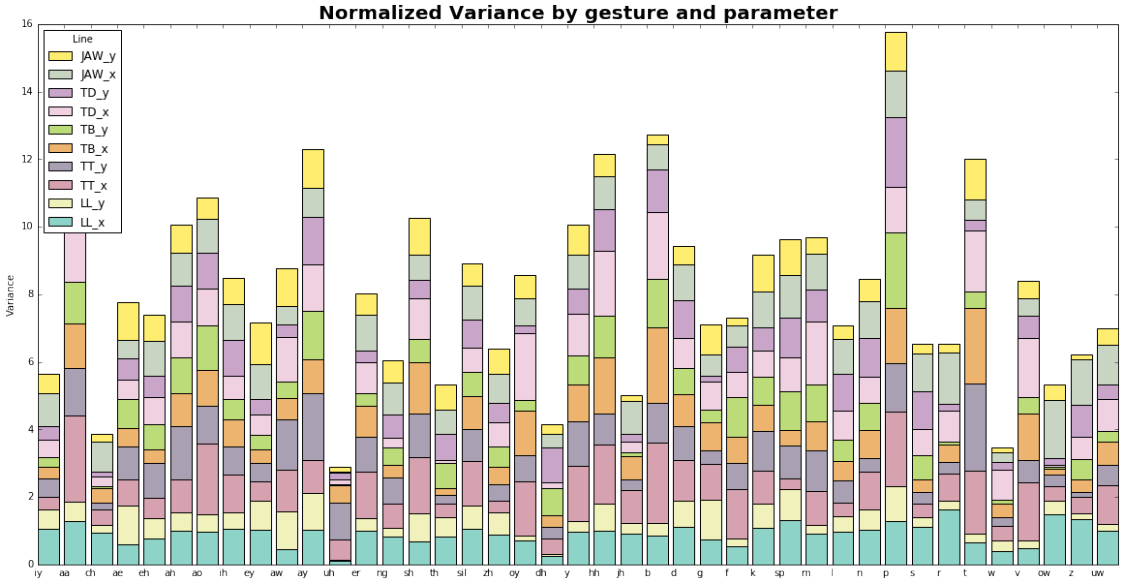

This is a really good graph. For each gesture, articulator with minimum variance is indeed the most important. At least in majority of cases. It is also notable that voiced consonants have less variance than unvoiced in general, though the distribution of variances for them look similar.

In [ ]: