

Analyses in Progress or Disregarded

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Overview

This document contains any other tests conducted that were disregarded. I put them here, just in case the need for them ever arises in the future.

Relate to: AnalysesSupp - Justification for pooling data across participants from all groups

4) Unsure tests/ Work in progress

Lastly, we conducted some extra tests to investigate the dataset further. First, if a relationship is considered spurious, one remedy would be to use a more robust correlation test, such that outliers will not affect the results. The Winsorized correlation test sets the values at the tails to a certain percentile value (20% is the default). We conducted the Winsorized correlation test for proprioception and aftereffects.

```
getRAEPropWinCorr()
```

```
## Call:
## wincor(x = dat$reachdeviation, y = dat$prop_recal)
##
## Robust correlation coefficient: -0.5343
## Test statistic: -5.9295
## p-value: 0
```

We found that the correlation becomes stronger ($r = -0.53$, $p = 0$). We did the same test for predictions and aftereffects.

```
getRAEPredWinCorr()
```

```
## Call:
## wincor(x = dat$reachdeviation, y = dat$pred_update)
##
## Robust correlation coefficient: -0.3572
## Test statistic: -3.5872
## p-value: 0.00074
```

We found that the correlation also becomes stronger ($r = -0.36$, $p = 0.0007$).

As a last test, we also tried to incorporate group in our model. Dummy coding is automatically implemented within R (using `model.matrix` will reveal contrasts created: `res <- model.matrix(~group, data = newdf)`). Given that an ANOVA is a special case of regression, we can just pull out the typical Anova table. Note that we used the `Anova()` function from the `car` package, as this automatically takes care of unbalanced designs.

```
getPropPredGroupGLM()
```

```
## Anova Table (Type II tests)
##
## Response: RAE
##           Sum Sq Df F value    Pr(>F)
## prop_recal  242.47  1  18.273 5.029e-05 ***
## pred_update  143.94  1  10.848  0.001449 **
## group       740.56  3  18.603 2.416e-09 ***
## Residuals   1114.63 84
## ---
## Signif. codes:  0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1

##
## Call:
## lm(formula = RAE ~ prop_recal + pred_update + group, data = newdf)
##
## Residuals:
##      Min       1Q   Median       3Q      Max
## -8.3023 -2.5615 -0.3836  2.8469  8.0510
##
## Coefficients:
##              Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)
## (Intercept)   9.60367    0.93417  10.280 < 2e-16 ***
## prop_recal   -0.30488    0.07132  -4.275 5.03e-05 ***
## pred_update   -0.41970    0.12743  -3.294  0.00145 **
## group30explicit -1.95543    1.15397  -1.695  0.09387 .
## groupcursorjump -3.25038    1.15409  -2.816  0.00605 **
## grouphandview  -7.80832    1.09067  -7.159 2.84e-10 ***
## ---
## Signif. codes:  0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
##
## Residual standard error: 3.643 on 84 degrees of freedom
## Multiple R-squared:  0.575, Adjusted R-squared:  0.5497
## F-statistic: 22.73 on 5 and 84 DF, p-value: 2.353e-14
```

We see that proprioception, predictions, and group are all significant, confirming the presence of a group effect. The second output table allows for the interpretation of contrasts for the group variable. Only the Hand View and Cursor Jump group are significant at alpha level = 0.05.