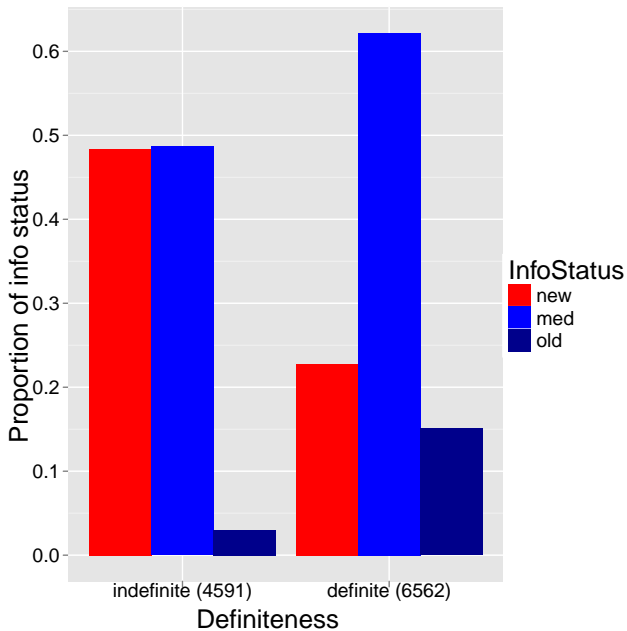


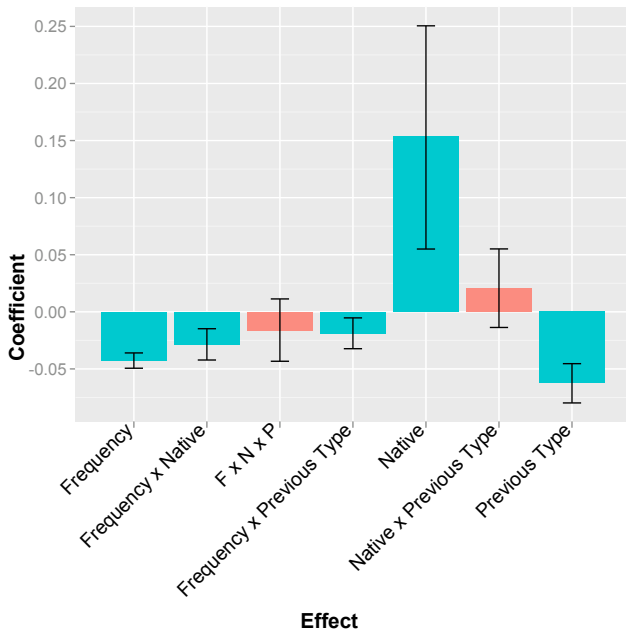
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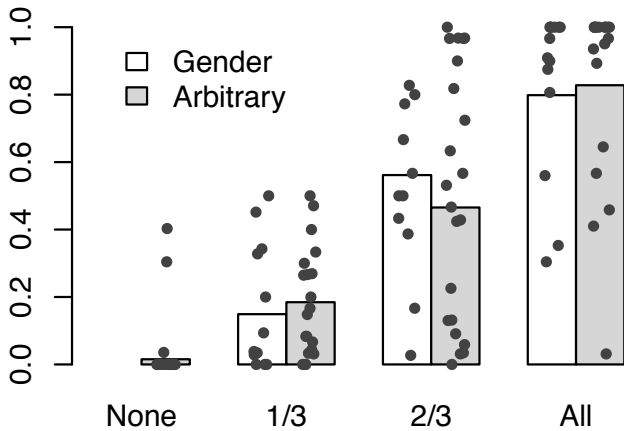
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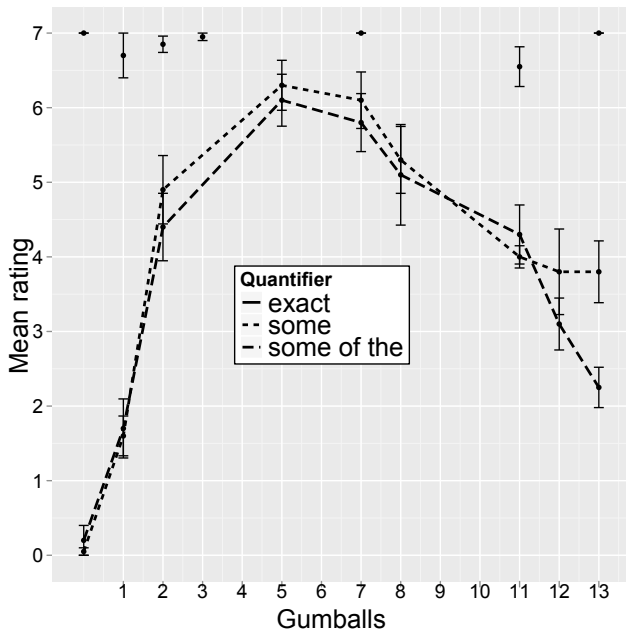
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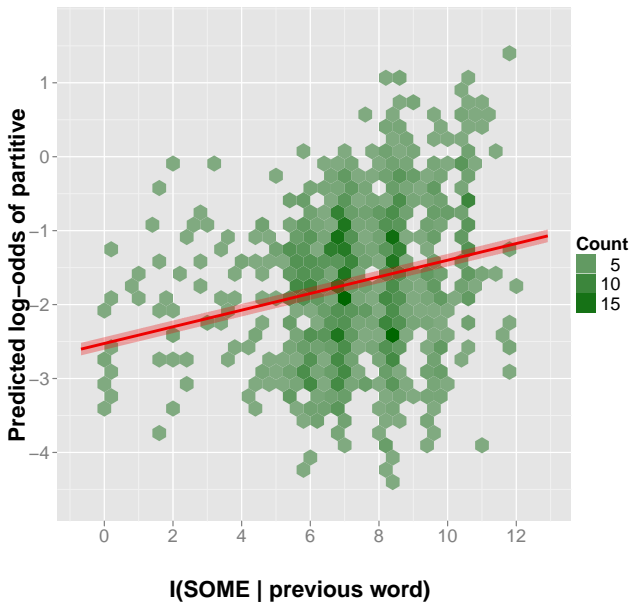
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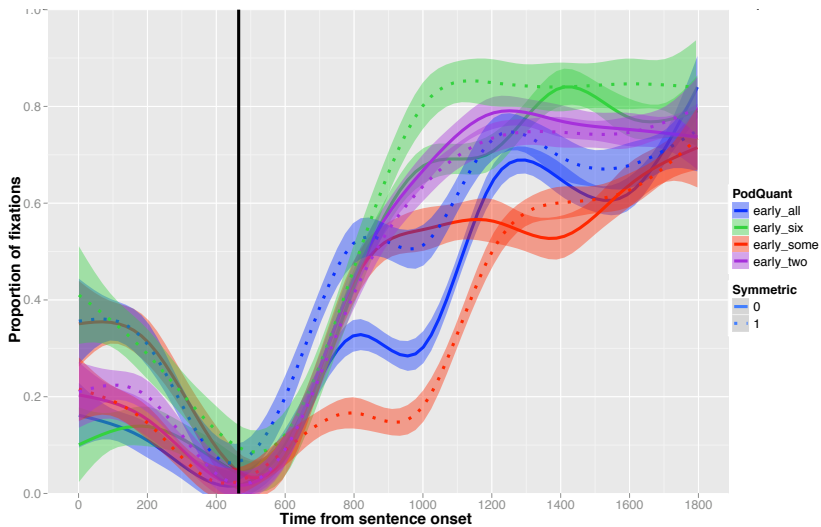












What's in a (gg)plot?

- ▶ data
- ▶ geoms (geometric objects)
- ▶ stats (optional data transformation)
- ▶ scales (mapping of values in data space to values in aesthetic space)
- ▶ coordinate system
- ▶ facets (conditioning specification)

Layers

- ▶ plots are organized in layers
- ▶ each layer has four components:
 - ▶ data and aesthetic mapping (controlled by scale)
 - ▶ statistical transformation
 - ▶ geometric object
 - ▶ position adjustment

Today

- ▶ histograms
- ▶ density curves
- ▶ scatterplots
- ▶ line plots
- ▶ barcharts

<http://had.co.nz/ggplot2/>