

Acoustics of fricatives in Nendaz Francoprovençal - Main analyses

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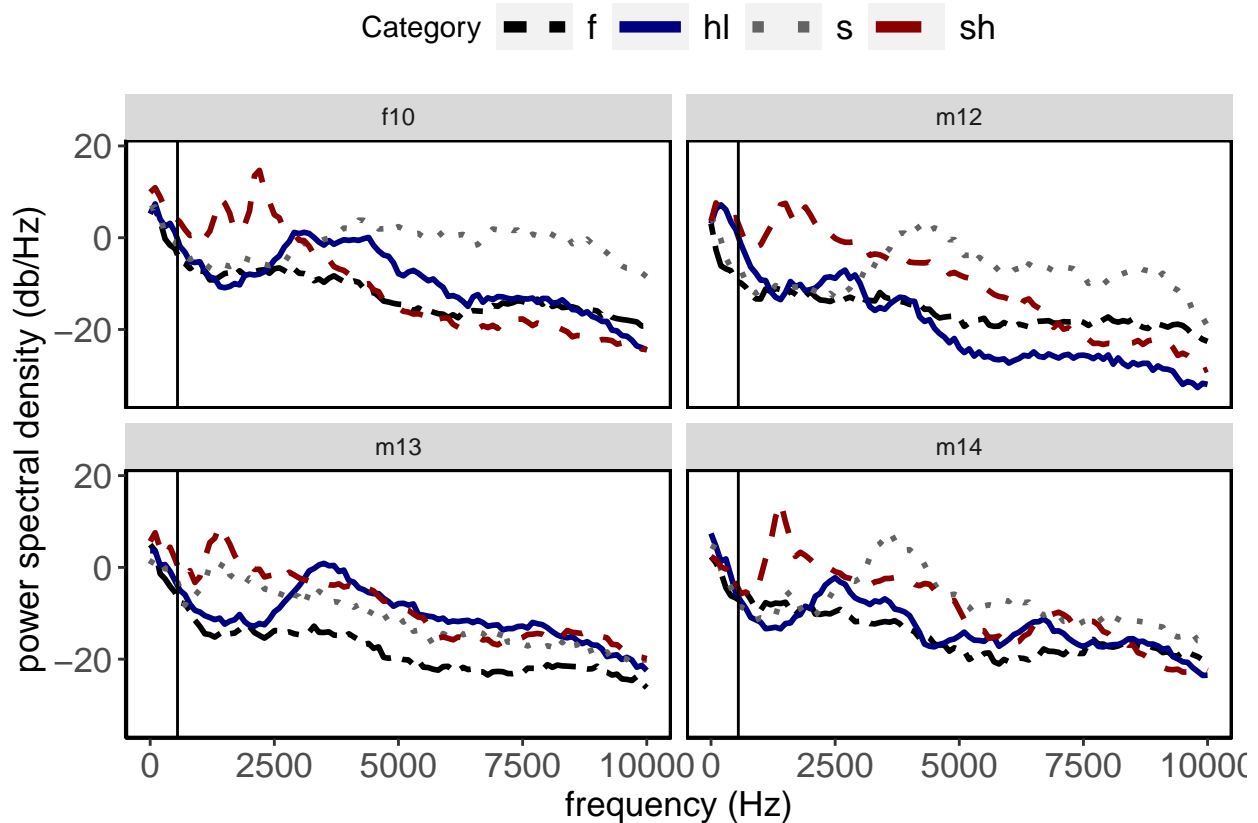
Part I: Distinguishing Fricative Category

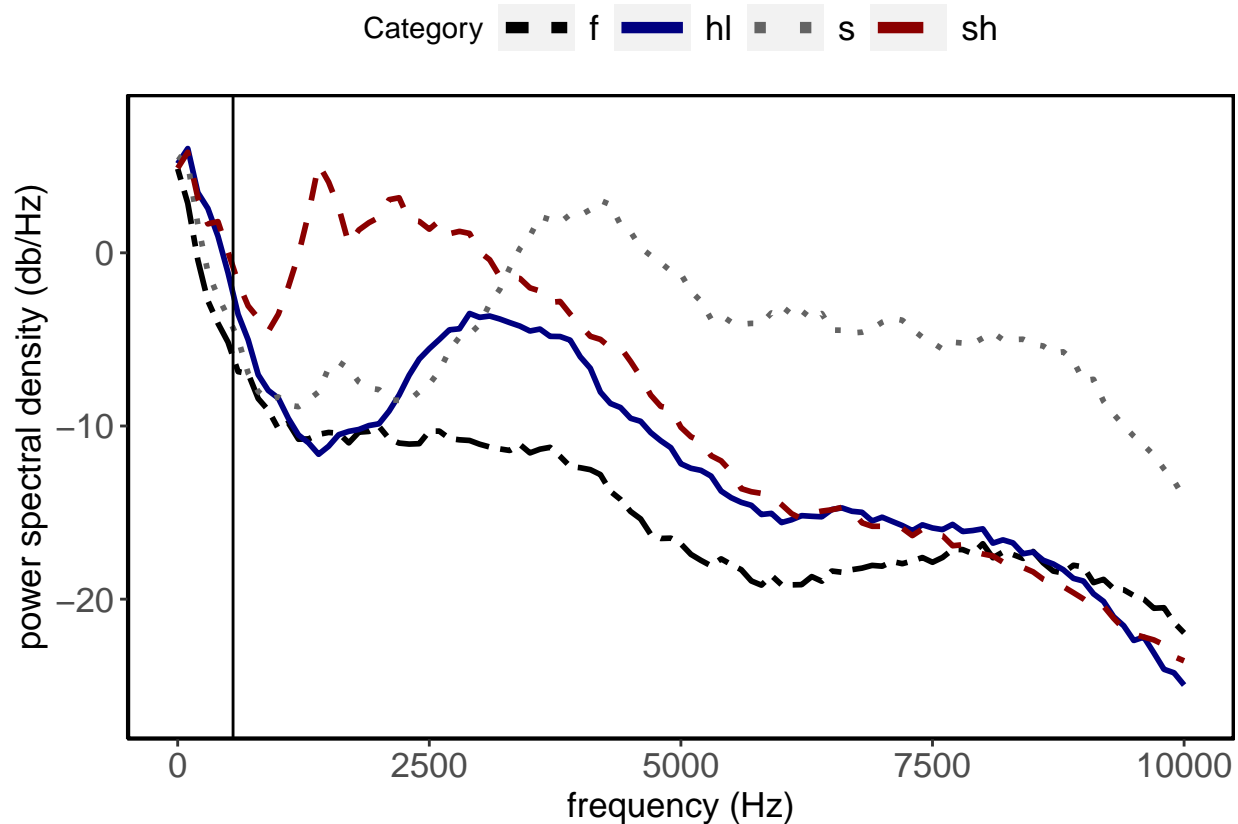
Spectral Analyses

We first present spectral analyses of fricatives taken from the middle 50% of the fricative segment (segmented in Praat).

LTAS plotting

First, we plot long-term average spectra (LTAS) for each fricative category for only **word-initial** tokens by speaker, then aggregated across speakers. This is the set of tokens submitted to statistical analyses below.





Spectral moments

Next, we examine the degree with fricatives are differentiated by **spectral peak location**, and **spectral moments**:

- **M1: average/center of gravity - COG**
- **M2: variance - standard deviation**
- **L3: skewness**
- **L4: kurtosis**

Spectral peak location and moments were extracted using Multitaper approach using a custom R script from Chodroff & Wilson (2014, 2019). Measurements were extracted from the middle 50% of the segmented fricative. Sound files were first band-pass filtered with a low cut-off of 550 Hz and a high cut-off of 10,000 Hz.

Spectral Peak location

```
##      foll
## seg   a aa
## f    24 18
## h    30  9
## s     8 19
## sh   13 29

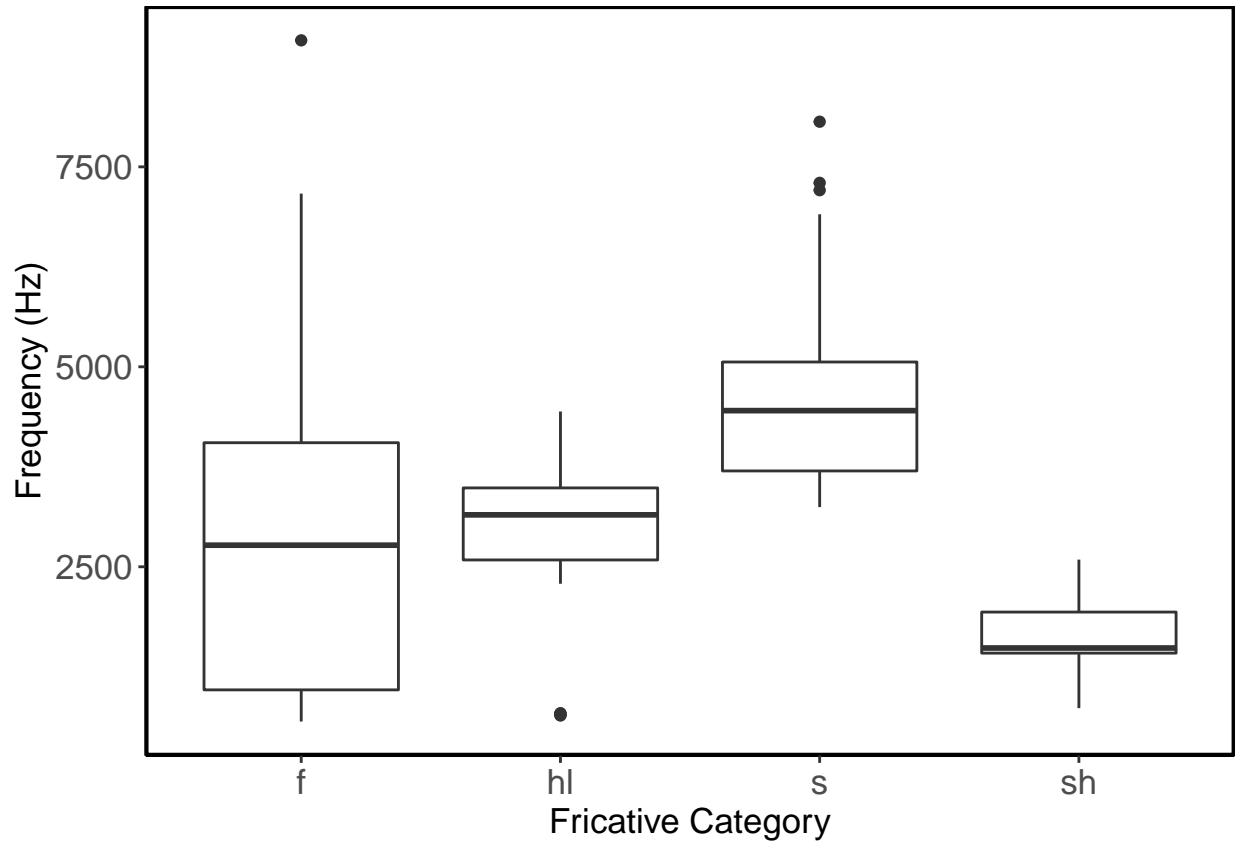
## , , spk = f10
##
##      foll
## seg   a aa
## f     9  3
## h     7  4
```

```

## s 4 7
## sh 3 6
##
## , , spk = m12
##
## foll
## seg a aa
## f 5 4
## h 6 0
## s 4 5
## sh 4 9
##
## , , spk = m13
##
## foll
## seg a aa
## f 6 8
## h 11 2
## s 0 0
## sh 3 6
##
## , , spk = m14
##
## foll
## seg a aa
## f 4 3
## h 6 3
## s 0 7
## sh 3 8

## # A tibble: 4 x 4
## seg mean sd n
## <fct> <dbl> <dbl> <int>
## 1 f 2818. 431. 4
## 2 h 2655. 391. 4
## 3 s 4591. 723. 3
## 4 sh 1667. 157. 4

```



Peak location measures were submitted to a LME with peak location as the DV and Segment (ref = /f/) as a fixed factor. Random intercepts for speaker and target word were also included. Models with more complex random effect structures did not converge. Significance of Segment was assessed using model comparison, and any post-hoc planned pairwise comparisons were conducted with bonferroni's correction.

```
#no word intercept - didn't converge
mod_peak <- lmer(peak ~ seg +
  (1|spk),
  data = mts2,
  control=lmerControl(optimizer="bobyqa"))
mod_peakNo <- lmer(peak ~ 1 +
  (1|spk),
  data = mts2,
  control=lmerControl(optimizer="bobyqa"))
anova(mod_peak, mod_peakNo)
```

```
## Data: mts2
## Models:
## mod_peakNo: peak ~ 1 + (1 | spk)
## mod_peak: peak ~ seg + (1 | spk)
##           Df    AIC    BIC logLik deviance Chisq Chi Df Pr(>Chisq)
## mod_peakNo 3 2654.2 2663.2 -1324.1  2648.2
## mod_peak   6 2584.1 2602.2 -1286.1  2572.1 76.083    3 < 2.2e-16 ***
## ---
## Signif. codes:  0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
```

```
summary(mod_peak)
```

```
## Linear mixed model fit by REML. t-tests use Satterthwaite's method [
## lmerModLmerTest]
## Formula: peak ~ seg + (1 | spk)
## Data: mts2
## Control: lmerControl(optimizer = "bobyqa")
##
## REML criterion at convergence: 2520.7
##
## Scaled residuals:
##   Min       1Q   Median       3Q      Max
## -1.9411 -0.4980  0.1010  0.3687  4.6487
##
## Random effects:
## Groups Name          Variance Std.Dev.
## spk    (Intercept) 131372   362.5
## Residual          1624039 1274.4
## Number of obs: 150, groups: spk, 4
##
## Fixed effects:
##              Estimate Std. Error      df t value Pr(>|t|)
## (Intercept)  2784.870    268.493    7.556 10.372 9.79e-06 ***
## segh         52.139     283.858   143.210  0.184 0.854524
## segs        2054.985    322.618   145.964  6.370 2.32e-09 ***
## segsh       -1121.749    280.410   144.385 -4.000 0.000101 ***
## ---
## Signif. codes:  0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
##
## Correlation of Fixed Effects:
##      (Intr) segh  segs
## segh -0.509
## segs -0.461  0.422
## segsh -0.525  0.486  0.448
```

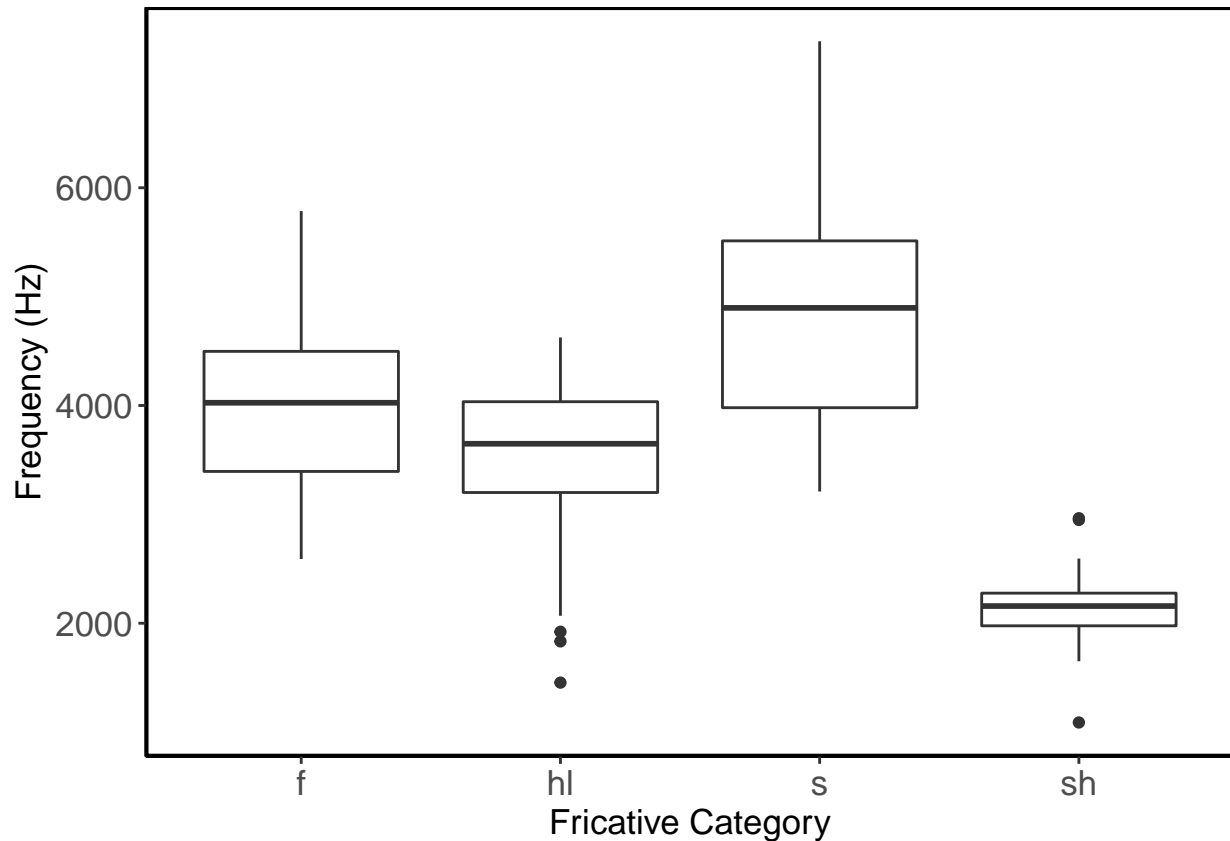
```
emmeans(mod_peak, pairwise ~ seg, adjust = "bonferroni")
```

```
## $emmeans
##   seg emmean SE    df lower.CL upper.CL
## f     2785 269  7.86    2163    3407
## h     2837 275  8.51    2210    3464
## s     4840 313 13.20    4165    5514
## sh    1663 268  7.83    1043    2283
##
## Degrees-of-freedom method: kenward-roger
## Confidence level used: 0.95
##
## $contrasts
##   contrast estimate SE    df t.ratio p.value
## f - h      -52.1 284 143 -0.184 1.0000
## f - s     -2055.0 327 146 -6.293 <.0001
## f - sh    1121.7 282 144  3.985 0.0006
## h - s     -2002.8 332 146 -6.035 <.0001
## h - sh    1173.9 287 145  4.086 0.0004
```

```
## s - sh      3176.7 321 145  9.902 <.0001
##
## Degrees-of-freedom method: kenward-roger
## P value adjustment: bonferroni method for 6 tests
```

M1: Spectral Mean/Center of gravity (COG)

```
## # A tibble: 4 x 4
##   seg   mean   sd    n
##   <fct> <dbl> <dbl> <int>
## 1 f     3995. 145.    4
## 2 h     3274.  65.2   4
## 3 s     4855. 526.    3
## 4 sh    2160.  96.5   4
```



COG measures were submitted to a LME with COG as the DV and Segment (ref = /f/) as a fixed factor. Random intercepts for speaker and target word were also included. Models with more complex random effect structures did not converge. Significance of Segment was assessed using model comparison, and any post-hoc planned pairwise comparisons were conducted with bonferroni's correction.

```
mod_cog <- lmer(cog ~ seg +
               (1|spk) + (1|word),
               data = mts2,
               control=lmerControl(optimizer="bobyqa"))

mod_cogNo <- lmer(cog ~ 1 +
                 (1|spk) + (1|word),
                 data = mts2,
```

```

control=lmerControl(optimizer="bobyqa"))

anova(mod_cog,mod_cogNo)

## Data: mts2
## Models:
## mod_cogNo: cog ~ 1 + (1 | spk) + (1 | word)
## mod_cog: cog ~ seg + (1 | spk) + (1 | word)
##      Df    AIC    BIC logLik deviance  Chisq Chi Df Pr(>Chisq)
## mod_cogNo  4 2446.0 2458.0 -1219.0  2438.0
## mod_cog    7 2423.3 2444.4 -1204.7  2409.3 28.663    3 2.636e-06 ***
## ---
## Signif. codes:  0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1

summary(mod_cog)

## Linear mixed model fit by REML. t-tests use Satterthwaite's method [
## lmerModLmerTest]
## Formula: cog ~ seg + (1 | spk) + (1 | word)
## Data: mts2
## Control: lmerControl(optimizer = "bobyqa")
##
## REML criterion at convergence: 2359.1
##
## Scaled residuals:
##      Min       1Q   Median       3Q      Max
## -2.55458 -0.53625  0.03379  0.47495  2.91714
##
## Random effects:
## Groups Name Variance Std.Dev.
## word (Intercept) 124021 352.2
## spk (Intercept) 63246 251.5
## Residual 489537 699.7
## Number of obs: 150, groups: word, 18; spk, 4
##
## Fixed effects:
## Estimate Std. Error df t value Pr(>|t|)
## (Intercept) 3860.768 239.945 7.597 16.090 3.83e-07 ***
## segh -425.423 289.721 5.637 -1.468 0.1955
## segs 1130.869 324.443 6.765 3.486 0.0108 *
## segsh -1708.308 310.409 4.691 -5.503 0.0033 **
## ---
## Signif. codes:  0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
##
## Correlation of Fixed Effects:
## (Intr) segh segs
## segh -0.598
## segs -0.536 0.435
## segsh -0.562 0.462 0.416

emmeans(mod_cog, pairwise ~ seg, adjust = "bonferroni")

## $emmeans
## seg emmean SE df lower.CL upper.CL
## f 3861 244 12.1 3329 4392

```

```

## h      3435 244 11.6      2902      3969
## s      4992 288 15.3      4380      5604
## sh     2152 266  9.9      1560      2745
##
## Degrees-of-freedom method: kenward-roger
## Confidence level used: 0.95
##
## $contrasts
## contrast estimate SE    df t.ratio p.value
## f - h           425 295 11.18  1.444  1.0000
## f - s          -1131 332 13.31 -3.401  0.0275
## f - sh          1708 314  9.37  5.439  0.0021
## h - s          -1556 335 12.90 -4.643  0.0028
## h - sh          1283 314  9.07  4.086  0.0161
## s - sh           2839 348 10.66  8.147  <.0001
##
## Degrees-of-freedom method: kenward-roger
## P value adjustment: bonferroni method for 6 tests

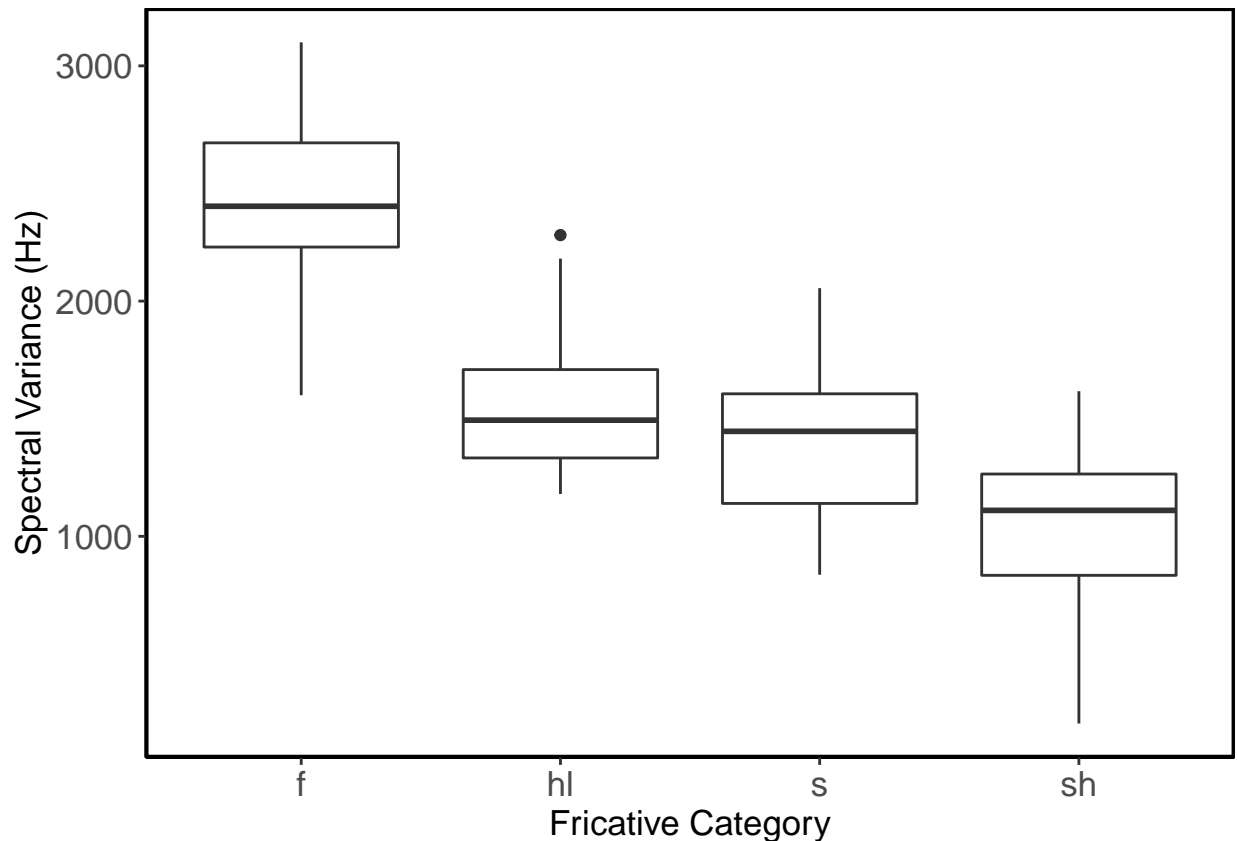
```

M2: Spectral variance (standard deviation)

```

## # A tibble: 4 x 4
##   seg    mean    sd    n
##   <fct> <dbl> <dbl> <int>
## 1 f      2435. 109.    4
## 2 h      1539.  60.2   4
## 3 s      1354.  71.6   3
## 4 sh     1036.  48.1   4

```

Spectral variance measures were submitted to a LME with spectral variance as the DV and Segment (ref = /f/) as a fixed factor. Random intercepts for speaker and target word were also included. Models with more complex random effect structures did not converge. Significance of Segment was assessed using model comparison, and any post-hoc planned pairwise comparisons were conducted with bonferroni's correction.

```
##No word intercept - didnt converge
mod_std <- lmer(specSD ~ seg +
  (1|spk) + (1|word),
  data = mts2,
  control=lmerControl(optimizer="bobyqa"))

mod_stdNoInt <- lmer(specSD ~ 1 +
  (1|spk) + (1|word),
  data = mts2,
  control=lmerControl(optimizer="bobyqa"))

anova(mod_std,mod_stdNoInt)
```

```
## Data: mts2
## Models:
## mod_stdNoInt: specSD ~ 1 + (1 | spk) + (1 | word)
## mod_std: specSD ~ seg + (1 | spk) + (1 | word)
##          Df    AIC    BIC logLik deviance Chisq Chi Df Pr(>Chisq)
## mod_stdNoInt  4 2221.7 2233.7 -1106.8  2213.7
## mod_std      7 2182.8 2203.9 -1084.4  2168.8 44.869    3 9.867e-10
##
## mod_stdNoInt
## mod_std      ***
```

```

## ---
## Signif. codes:  0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1

mod_stdNoFoll <- lmer(specSD ~ seg +
  (1|spk) + (1|word),
  data = mts2,
  control=lmerControl(optimizer="bobyqa"))

mod_stdNoSeg <- lmer(specSD ~ foll +
  (1|spk) + (1|word),
  data = mts2,
  control=lmerControl(optimizer="bobyqa"))

anova(mod_stdNoInt,mod_stdNoFoll)

## Data: mts2
## Models:
## mod_stdNoInt: specSD ~ 1 + (1 | spk) + (1 | word)
## mod_stdNoFoll: specSD ~ seg + (1 | spk) + (1 | word)
##           Df      AIC      BIC logLik deviance  Chisq Chi Df Pr(>Chisq)
## mod_stdNoInt  4 2221.7 2233.7 -1106.8  2213.7
## mod_stdNoFoll  7 2182.8 2203.9 -1084.4  2168.8 44.869      3 9.867e-10
##
## mod_stdNoInt
## mod_stdNoFoll ***
## ---
## Signif. codes:  0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1

anova(mod_stdNoInt,mod_stdNoSeg)

## Data: mts2
## Models:
## mod_stdNoInt: specSD ~ 1 + (1 | spk) + (1 | word)
## mod_stdNoSeg: specSD ~ foll + (1 | spk) + (1 | word)
##           Df      AIC      BIC logLik deviance  Chisq Chi Df Pr(>Chisq)
## mod_stdNoInt  4 2221.7 2233.7 -1106.8  2213.7
## mod_stdNoSeg  5 2223.6 2238.6 -1106.8  2213.6 0.0982      1 0.754

summary(mod_stdNoFoll)

## Linear mixed model fit by REML. t-tests use Satterthwaite's method [
## lmerModLmerTest]
## Formula: specSD ~ seg + (1 | spk) + (1 | word)
## Data: mts2
## Control: lmerControl(optimizer = "bobyqa")
##
## REML criterion at convergence: 2128.6
##
## Scaled residuals:
##      Min       1Q   Median       3Q      Max
## -2.29620 -0.57143 -0.00216  0.64642  2.09191
##
## Random effects:
## Groups   Name                Variance Std.Dev.
## word    (Intercept)           2978     54.57

```

```

## spk      (Intercept)   3375    58.09
## Residual          110382   332.24
## Number of obs: 150, groups:  word, 18; spk, 4
##
## Fixed effects:
##              Estimate Std. Error      df t value Pr(>|t|)
## (Intercept)  2404.065    65.979    6.331   36.44 1.35e-08 ***
## segh        -854.812    84.336    7.252  -10.14 1.54e-05 ***
## segs        -1018.977    96.189    6.656  -10.59 2.08e-05 ***
## segsh       -1373.754    85.239    5.312  -16.12 1.03e-05 ***
## ---
## Signif. codes:  0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
##
## Correlation of Fixed Effects:
##      (Intr) segh  segs
## segh -0.627
## segs -0.557  0.426
## segsh -0.626  0.484  0.434

```

```

emmeans(mod_stdNoFoll, pairwise ~ seg, adjust = "bonferroni")

```

```

## $emmeans
## seg emmean SE df lower.CL upper.CL
## f      2404 68.3 7.60    2245    2563
## h      1549 68.6 8.78    1393    1705
## s      1385 87.7 8.05    1183    1587
## sh     1030 69.2 5.81     860    1201
##
## Degrees-of-freedom method: kenward-roger
## Confidence level used: 0.95
##
## $contrasts
## contrast estimate SE df t.ratio p.value
## f - h          855 87.1 8.35  9.816 <.0001
## f - s          1019 103.7 7.72  9.824 0.0001
## f - sh         1374 88.4 6.14 15.545 <.0001
## h - s           164 104.8 8.21  1.567 0.9284
## h - sh          519 88.7 6.78  5.849 0.0043
## s - sh          355 103.6 6.31  3.425 0.0779
##
## Degrees-of-freedom method: kenward-roger
## P value adjustment: bonferroni method for 6 tests

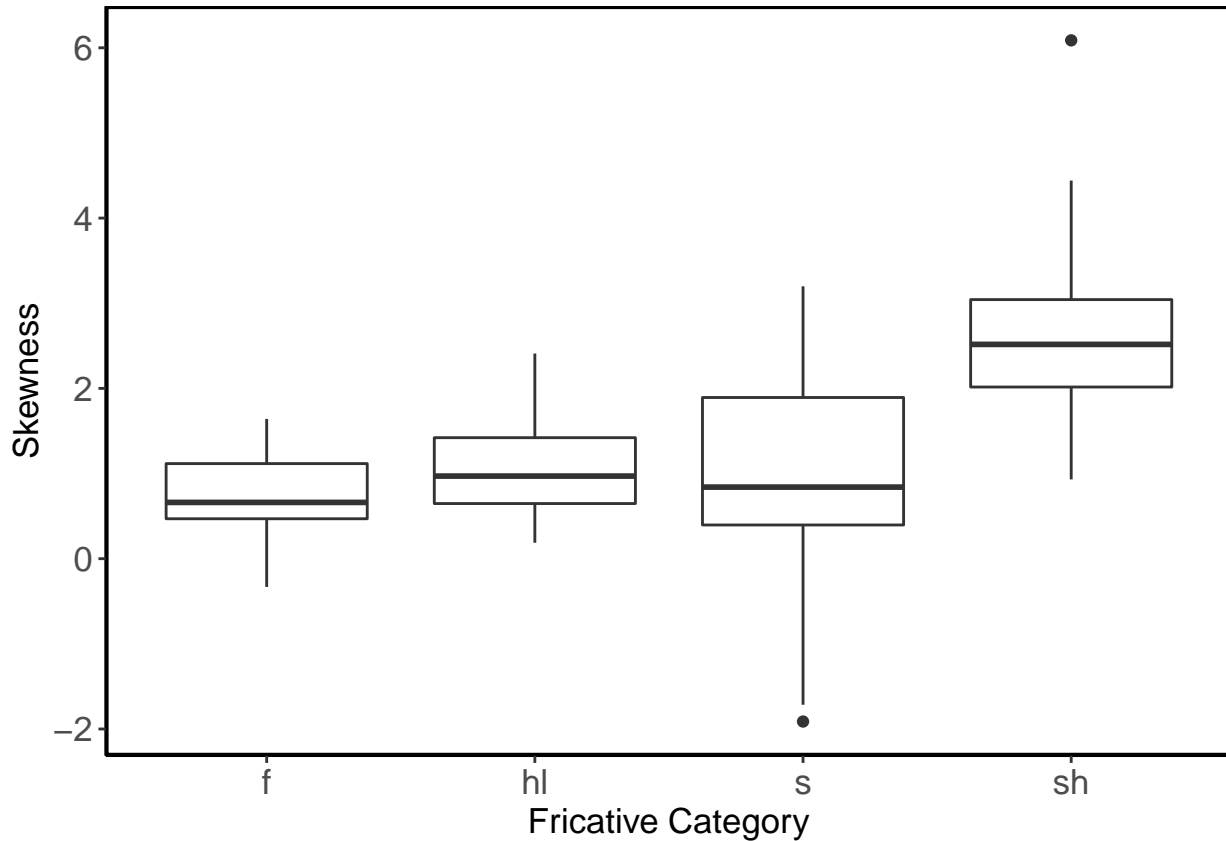
```

L3: Spectral skewness

```

## # A tibble: 4 x 4
##   seg mean sd n
##   <fct> <dbl> <dbl> <int>
## 1 f     0.764 0.0579 4
## 2 h     1.09 0.150 4
## 3 s     1.00 0.512 3
## 4 sh    2.60 0.387 4

```



Spectral skewness measures were submitted to a LME with skewness as the DV and Segment (ref = /f/) as a fixed factor. Random intercepts for speaker and target word were also included. Models with more complex random effect structures did not converge. Significance of Segment was assessed using model comparison, and any post-hoc planned pairwise comparisons were conducted with bonferroni's correction.

```
mod_skew <- lmer(skew ~ seg + foll + seg*foll +
                (1|spk) + (1|word),
                data = mts2)

mod_skewNoInt <- lmer(skew ~ seg + foll +
                     (1|spk) + (1|word),
                     data = mts2)

anova(mod_skew,mod_skewNoInt)

## Data: mts2
## Models:
## mod_skewNoInt: skew ~ seg + foll + (1 | spk) + (1 | word)
## mod_skew: skew ~ seg + foll + seg * foll + (1 | spk) + (1 | word)
##
##           Df    AIC    BIC logLik deviance  Chisq Chi Df Pr(>Chisq)
## mod_skewNoInt  8 390.73 414.82 -187.37   374.73
## mod_skew       11 394.20 427.32 -186.10   372.20  2.5286     3    0.4702

mod_skewNoFoll <- lmer(skew ~ seg +
                      (1|spk) + (1|word),
                      data = mts2)

mod_skewNoSeg <- lmer(skew ~ foll +
```

```

      (1|spk) + (1|word),
      data = mts2)

anova(mod_skewNoInt,mod_skewNoFoll)

## Data: mts2
## Models:
## mod_skewNoFoll: skew ~ seg + (1 | spk) + (1 | word)
## mod_skewNoInt: skew ~ seg + foll + (1 | spk) + (1 | word)
##           Df      AIC      BIC logLik deviance Chisq Chi Df Pr(>Chisq)
## mod_skewNoFoll  7 388.77 409.84 -187.38   374.77
## mod_skewNoInt   8 390.73 414.82 -187.37   374.73 0.0361     1    0.8493

anova(mod_skewNoInt,mod_skewNoSeg)

## Data: mts2
## Models:
## mod_skewNoSeg: skew ~ foll + (1 | spk) + (1 | word)
## mod_skewNoInt: skew ~ seg + foll + (1 | spk) + (1 | word)
##           Df      AIC      BIC logLik deviance Chisq Chi Df Pr(>Chisq)
## mod_skewNoSeg  5 404.92 419.97 -197.46   394.92
## mod_skewNoInt  8 390.73 414.82 -187.37   374.73 20.188     3 0.0001552
##
## mod_skewNoSeg
## mod_skewNoInt ***
## ---
## Signif. codes:  0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1

summary(mod_skewNoFoll)

## Linear mixed model fit by REML. t-tests use Satterthwaite's method [
## lmerModLmerTest]
## Formula: skew ~ seg + (1 | spk) + (1 | word)
## Data: mts2
##
## REML criterion at convergence: 379.3
##
## Scaled residuals:
##      Min       1Q   Median       3Q      Max
## -3.2913 -0.4689 -0.0222  0.5015  3.9451
##
## Random effects:
## Groups   Name                Variance Std.Dev.
## word     (Intercept)  0.14301  0.3782
## spk      (Intercept)  0.04649  0.2156
## Residual                    0.64176  0.8011
## Number of obs: 150, groups: word, 18; spk, 4
##
## Fixed effects:
##           Estimate Std. Error      df t value Pr(>|t|)
## (Intercept)  0.86496    0.24927  8.17999   3.470  0.00816 **
## segh         0.09757    0.31838  6.16496   0.306  0.76935
## segs        -0.08017    0.35739  7.36150  -0.224  0.82861
## segsh       1.79666    0.33980  5.10908   5.287  0.00302 **
## ---

```

```

## Signif. codes:  0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
##
## Correlation of Fixed Effects:
##      (Intr) segh  segs
## segh  -0.633
## segs  -0.567  0.436
## segsh -0.597  0.464  0.417
emmeans(mod_skewNoFoll, pairwise ~ seg, adjust = "bonferroni")

## $emmeans
##   seg emmean   SE    df lower.CL upper.CL
## f    0.865 0.254 12.38   0.313    1.42
## h    0.963 0.254 11.74   0.408    1.52
## s    0.785 0.306 15.17   0.133    1.44
## sh   2.662 0.277  9.27   2.038    3.29
##
## Degrees-of-freedom method: kenward-roger
## Confidence level used: 0.95
##
## $contrasts
##   contrast estimate   SE    df t.ratio p.value
## f - h      -0.0976 0.324 10.97  -0.301  1.0000
## f - s       0.0802 0.368 13.01   0.218  1.0000
## f - sh     -1.7967 0.344  9.14  -5.219  0.0031
## h - s       0.1777 0.370 12.66   0.480  1.0000
## h - sh     -1.6991 0.344  8.90  -4.941  0.0050
## s - sh     -1.8768 0.384 10.45  -4.894  0.0033
##
## Degrees-of-freedom method: kenward-roger
## P value adjustment: bonferroni method for 6 tests

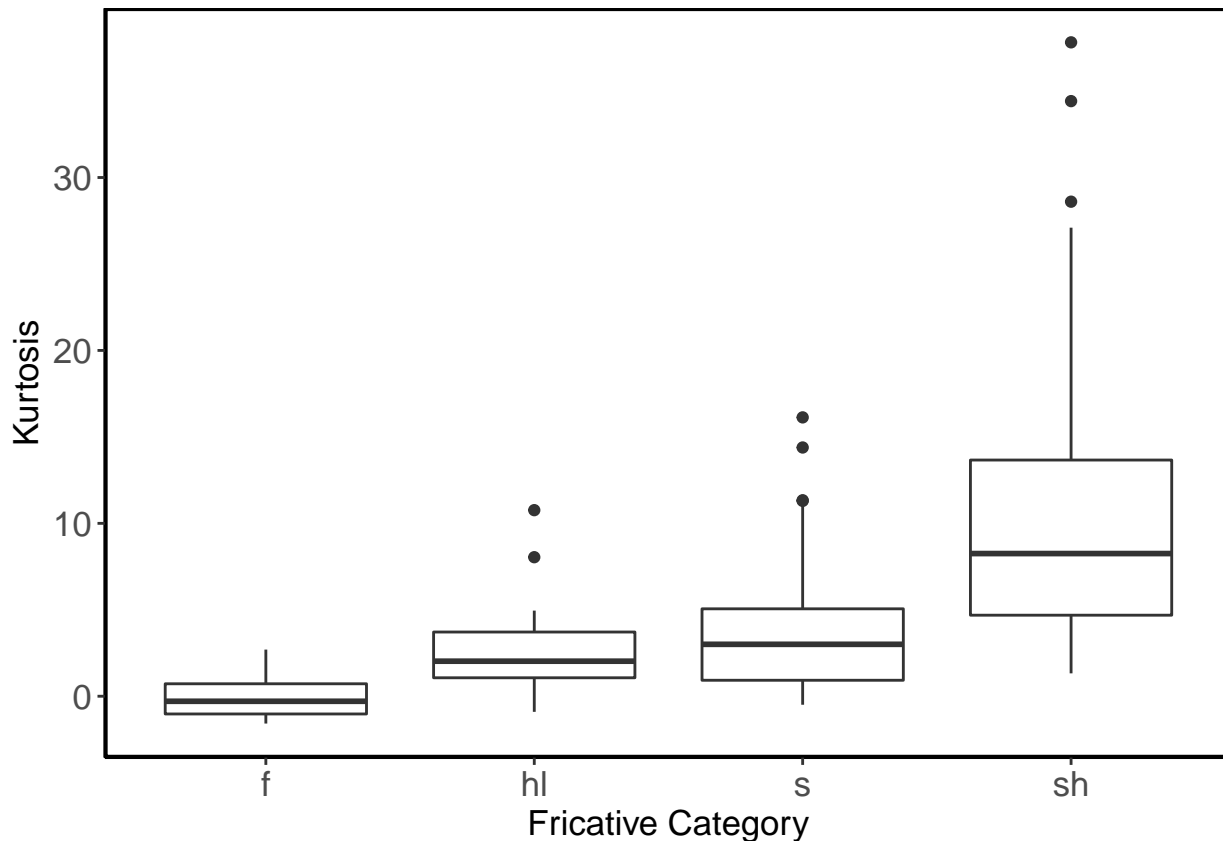
```

L4: Spectral kurtosis

```

## # A tibble: 4 x 4
##   seg    mean    sd    n
##   <fct> <dbl> <dbl> <int>
## 1 f      -0.0758 0.458    4
## 2 h       2.73  0.983    4
## 3 s       4.78  2.15    3
## 4 sh    19.5  28.9    4

```



Spectral kurtosis measures were submitted to a LME with kurtosis as the DV and Segment (ref = /f/) as a fixed factor. An initial model with both random intercepts for speaker and target word did not converge. The final model included just a random intercept for speaker. Significance of Segment was assessed using model comparison, and any post-hoc planned pairwise comparisons were conducted with bonferroni's correction.

```
mod_kurt <- lmer(kurt ~ seg + foll + seg*foll +
  (1|spk) + (1|word),
  data = mts2)
```

```
mod_kurtNoInt <- lmer(kurt ~ seg + foll +
  (1|spk) + (1|word),
  data = mts2)
```

```
anova(mod_kurt,mod_kurtNoInt)
```

```
## Data: mts2
```

```
## Models:
```

```
## mod_kurtNoInt: kurt ~ seg + foll + (1 | spk) + (1 | word)
```

```
## mod_kurt: kurt ~ seg + foll + seg * foll + (1 | spk) + (1 | word)
```

##	Df	AIC	BIC	logLik	deviance	Chisq	Chi Df	Pr(>Chisq)
## mod_kurtNoInt	8	1297.9	1322.0	-640.96	1281.9			
## mod_kurt	11	1301.7	1334.8	-639.87	1279.7	2.1904	3	0.5338

```
mod_kurtNoFoll <- lmer(kurt ~ seg +
  (1|spk) + (1|word),
  data = mts2)
```

```
mod_kurtNoSeg <- lmer(kurt ~ foll +
```

```

      (1|spk) + (1|word),
      data = mts2)

anova(mod_kurtNoInt,mod_kurtNoFoll)

## Data: mts2
## Models:
## mod_kurtNoFoll: kurt ~ seg + (1 | spk) + (1 | word)
## mod_kurtNoInt: kurt ~ seg + foll + (1 | spk) + (1 | word)
##           Df      AIC      BIC logLik deviance Chisq Chi Df Pr(>Chisq)
## mod_kurtNoFoll  7 1296.6 1317.7 -641.32  1282.6
## mod_kurtNoInt   8 1297.9 1322.0 -640.96  1281.9 0.7077      1    0.4002

anova(mod_kurtNoInt,mod_kurtNoSeg)

## Data: mts2
## Models:
## mod_kurtNoSeg: kurt ~ foll + (1 | spk) + (1 | word)
## mod_kurtNoInt: kurt ~ seg + foll + (1 | spk) + (1 | word)
##           Df      AIC      BIC logLik deviance Chisq Chi Df Pr(>Chisq)
## mod_kurtNoSeg  5 1301.3 1316.3 -645.65  1291.3
## mod_kurtNoInt  8 1297.9 1322.0 -640.96  1281.9 9.3662      3    0.0248 *
## ---
## Signif. codes:  0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1

summary(mod_kurtNoFoll)

## Linear mixed model fit by REML. t-tests use Satterthwaite's method [
## lmerModLmerTest]
## Formula: kurt ~ seg + (1 | spk) + (1 | word)
## Data: mts2
##
## REML criterion at convergence: 1262.2
##
## Scaled residuals:
##   Min      1Q  Median      3Q      Max
## -2.0106 -0.2944  0.0036  0.1323  9.5449
##
## Random effects:
##   Groups   Name      Variance Std.Dev.
##   word     (Intercept)  64.5      8.031
##   spk      (Intercept)  19.0      4.359
## Residual                    270.6    16.449
## Number of obs: 150, groups: word, 18; spk, 4
##
## Fixed effects:
##           Estimate Std. Error    df t value Pr(>|t|)
## (Intercept) -0.3157     5.1913 14.8141  -0.061  0.95232
## segh         2.5823     6.6778 13.6952   0.387  0.70492
## segs         2.7469     7.4824 16.1885   0.367  0.71829
## segsh        22.3389     7.1413 11.4810   3.128  0.00916 **
## ---
## Signif. codes:  0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
##
## Correlation of Fixed Effects:

```



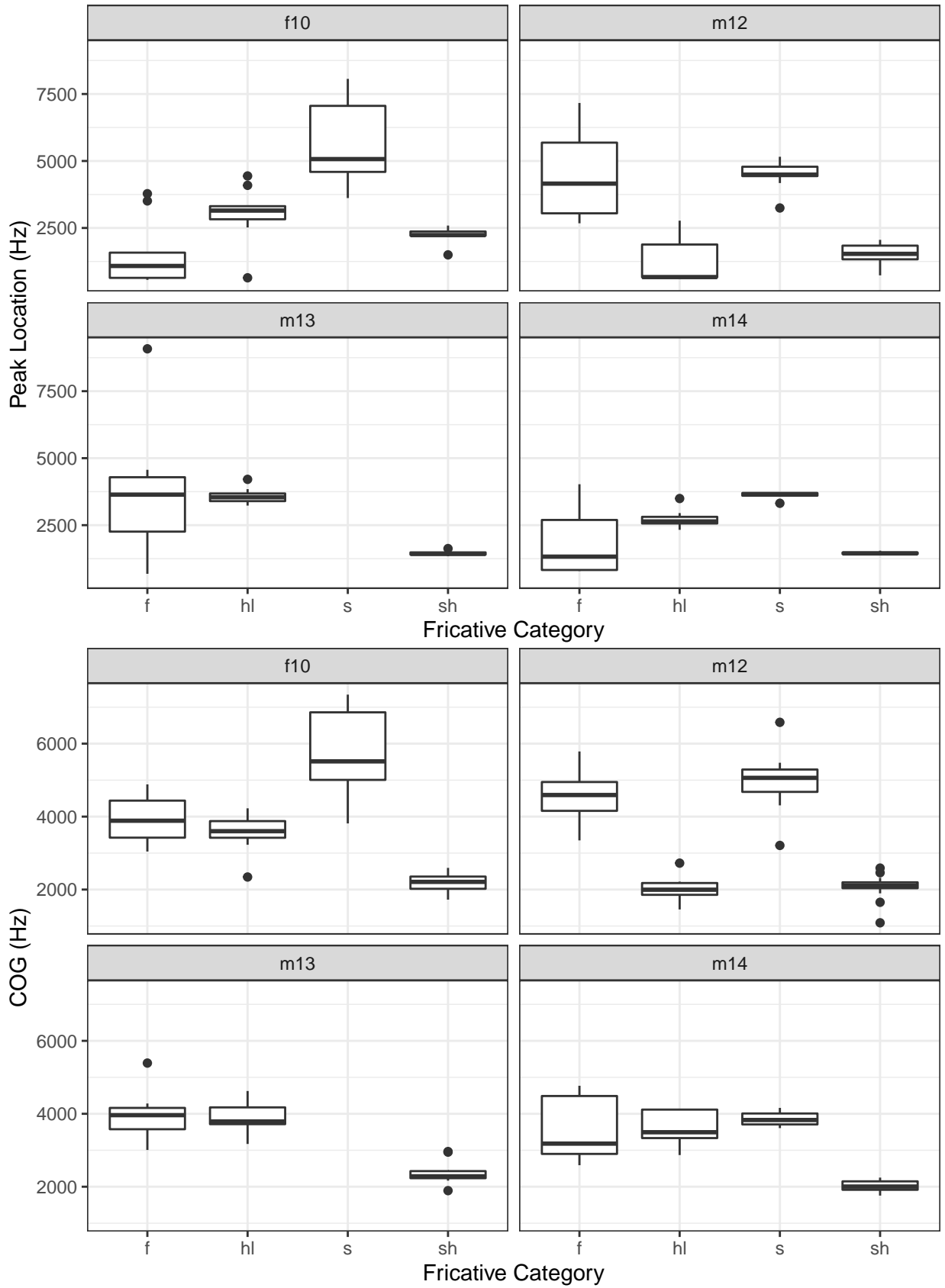
```

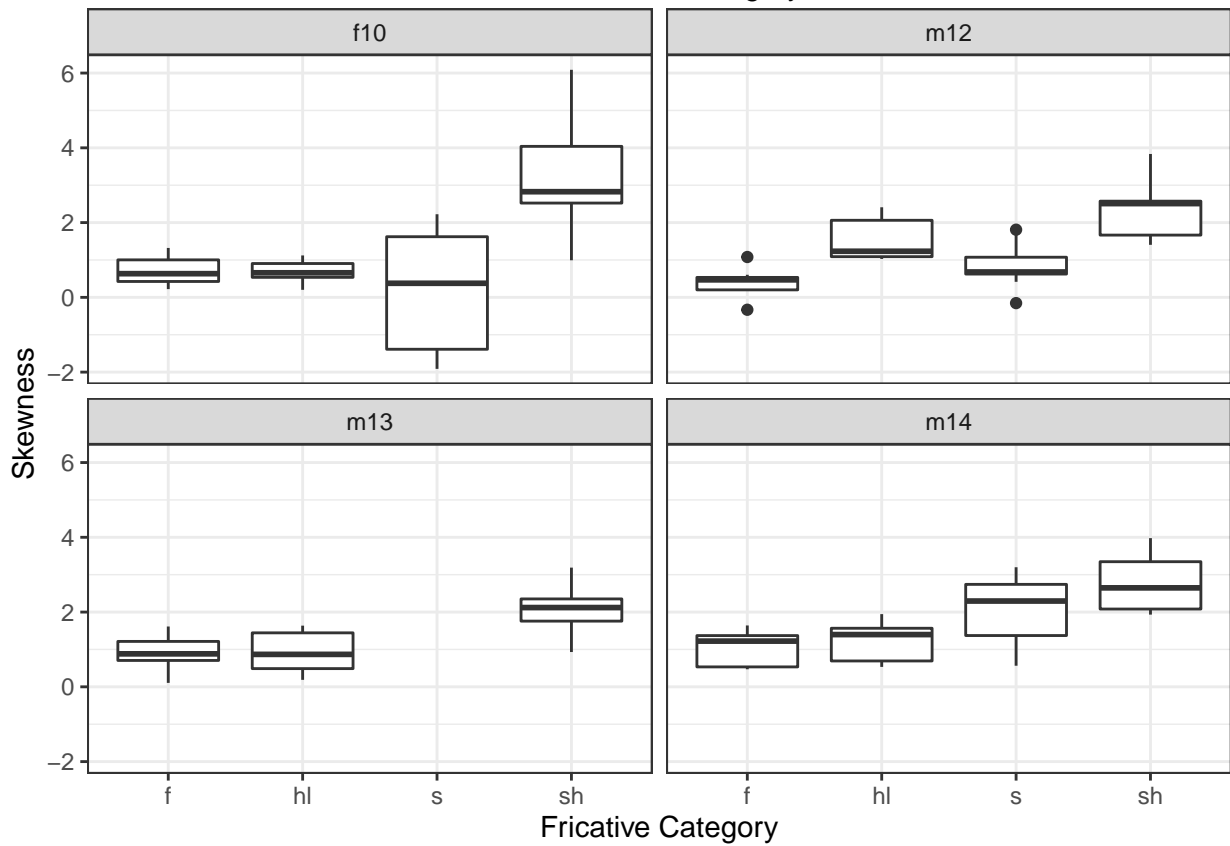
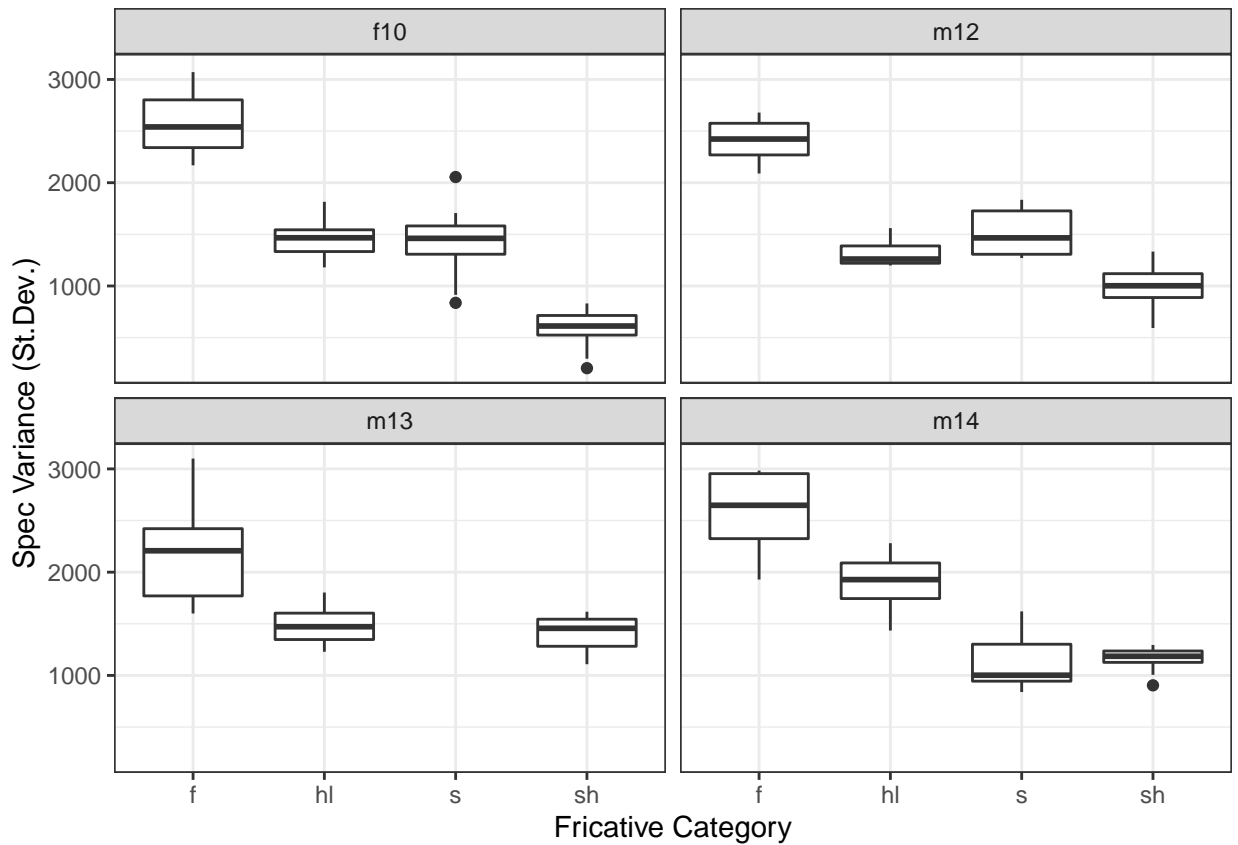
##      (Intr) segh  segs
## segh -0.637
## segs -0.571  0.436
## segsh -0.600  0.463  0.417
emmeans(mod_kurtNoFoll, pairwise ~ seg, adjust = "bonferroni")

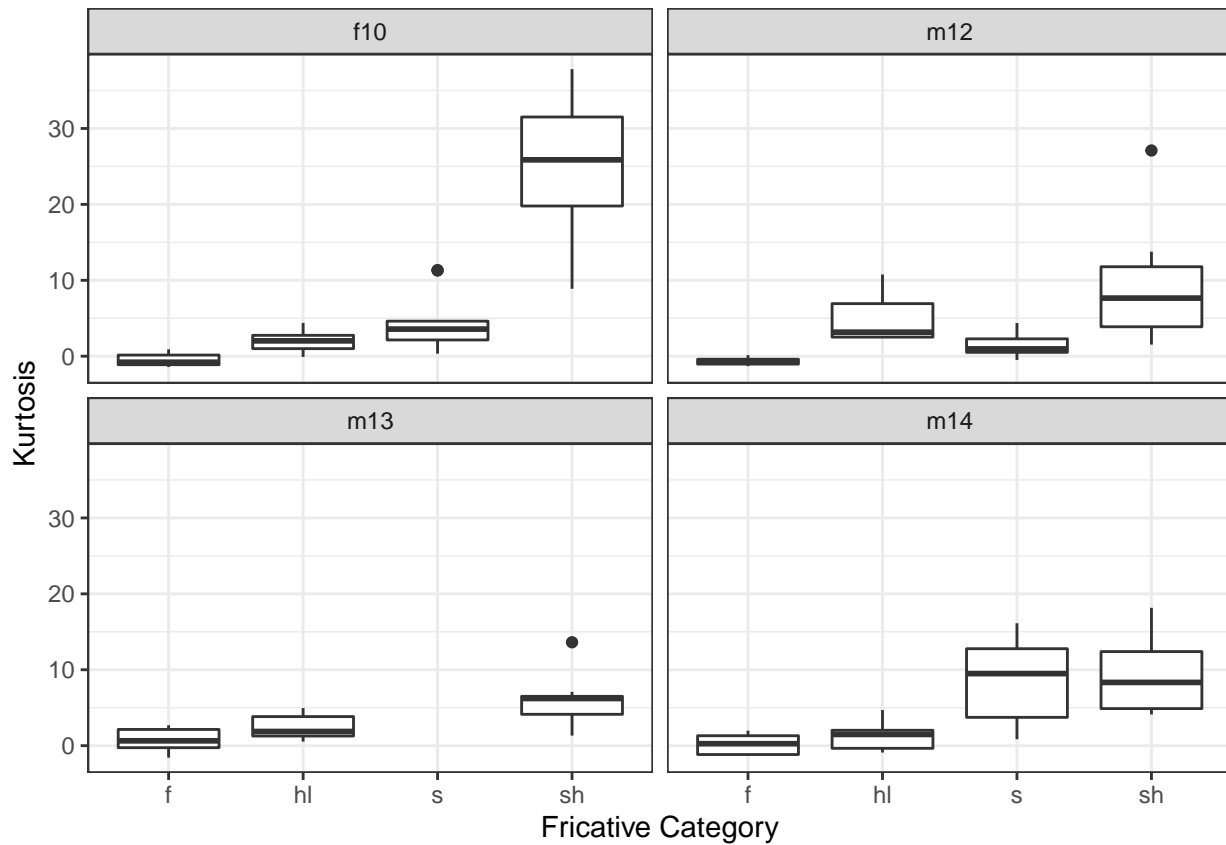
## $emmeans
## seg emmean SE df lower.CL upper.CL
## f -0.316 5.30 12.62 -11.79 11.2
## h 2.267 5.29 11.87 -9.27 13.8
## s 2.431 6.37 15.34 -11.12 16.0
## sh 22.023 5.80 9.34 8.98 35.1
##
## Degrees-of-freedom method: kenward-roger
## Confidence level used: 0.95
##
## $contrasts
## contrast estimate SE df t.ratio p.value
## f - h -2.582 6.80 11.09 -0.380 1.0000
## f - s -2.747 7.69 13.15 -0.357 1.0000
## f - sh -22.339 7.23 9.26 -3.089 0.0751
## h - s -0.165 7.75 12.76 -0.021 1.0000
## h - sh -19.757 7.23 8.99 -2.734 0.1385
## s - sh -19.592 8.04 10.56 -2.437 0.2031
##
## Degrees-of-freedom method: kenward-roger
## P value adjustment: bonferroni method for 6 tests

```

By speaker plots for all spectral measures







Formants

F1-F3 at onset

```
## # A tibble: 4 x 4
##   seg   mean   sd    n
##   <fct> <dbl> <dbl> <int>
## 1 f      589.  97.5    4
## 2 hl     567.  54.7    4
## 3 s      494.  23.5    3
## 4 sh     540.  28.6    4

## # A tibble: 4 x 4
##   seg   mean   sd    n
##   <fct> <dbl> <dbl> <int>
## 1 f     1190.  88.5    4
## 2 hl    1437. 118.    4
## 3 s     1454.  53.8    3
## 4 sh    1316.  77.4    4

## # A tibble: 4 x 4
##   seg   mean   sd    n
##   <fct> <dbl> <dbl> <int>
## 1 f     2679.  61.2    4
## 2 hl    2699. 135.    4
## 3 s     2893.  30.5    3
## 4 sh    2234.  37.5    4
```

Analysis of formants

```
## Data: dat_all
## Models:
## mod_f1NoInt: f1 ~ seg + foll + (1 | spk)
## mod_f1: f1 ~ seg + foll + seg * foll + (1 | spk)
##           Df      AIC      BIC logLik deviance Chisq Chi Df Pr(>Chisq)
## mod_f1NoInt  7 1861.3 1882.4 -923.67  1847.3
## mod_f1      10 1866.0 1896.1 -923.00  1846.0 1.3333    3    0.7212

## Data: dat_all
## Models:
## mod_f1NoFoll: f1 ~ seg + (1 | spk)
## mod_f1NoInt: f1 ~ seg + foll + (1 | spk)
##           Df      AIC      BIC logLik deviance Chisq Chi Df Pr(>Chisq)
## mod_f1NoFoll  6 1859.9 1877.9 -923.93  1847.9
## mod_f1NoInt  7 1861.3 1882.4 -923.67  1847.3 0.5362    1    0.464

## Data: dat_all
## Models:
## mod_f1NoSeg: f1 ~ foll + (1 | spk)
## mod_f1NoInt: f1 ~ seg + foll + (1 | spk)
##           Df      AIC      BIC logLik deviance Chisq Chi Df Pr(>Chisq)
## mod_f1NoSeg  4 1863.4 1875.5 -927.71  1855.4
## mod_f1NoInt  7 1861.3 1882.4 -923.67  1847.3 8.0926    3    0.04414 *
## ---
## Signif. codes:  0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1

## Linear mixed model fit by REML. t-tests use Satterthwaite's method [
## lmerModLmerTest]
## Formula: f1 ~ seg + (1 | spk)
## Data: dat_all
##
## REML criterion at convergence: 1814.6
##
## Scaled residuals:
##      Min       1Q   Median       3Q      Max
## -3.8624 -0.5165 -0.1054  0.4482  5.0615
##
## Random effects:
## Groups Name Variance Std.Dev.
## spk (Intercept) 4330 65.81
## Residual 12569 112.11
## Number of obs: 150, groups: spk, 4
##
## Fixed effects:
##           Estimate Std. Error    df t value Pr(>|t|)
## (Intercept) 587.727    37.249  4.211 15.778 6.63e-05 ***
## seghl      -17.080    24.982 143.096 -0.684 0.49529
## segs       -84.154    28.568 144.362 -2.946 0.00376 **
## segsh      -48.894    24.720 143.476 -1.978 0.04986 *
## ---
## Signif. codes:  0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
##
## Correlation of Fixed Effects:
##      (Intr) seghl segs
```

```

## seghl -0.323
## segs -0.293 0.419
## segsh -0.334 0.485 0.450

## $emmeans
## seg emmean SE df lower.CL upper.CL
## f 588 37.3 4.21 486 689
## hl 571 37.6 4.35 470 672
## s 504 39.8 5.43 404 603
## sh 539 37.2 4.19 437 640
##
## Degrees-of-freedom method: kenward-roger
## Confidence level used: 0.95
##
## $contrasts
## contrast estimate SE df t.ratio p.value
## f - hl 17.1 25.0 143 0.684 1.0000
## f - s 84.2 28.7 144 2.935 0.0233
## f - sh 48.9 24.7 143 1.976 0.3007
## hl - s 67.1 29.1 144 2.302 0.1367
## hl - sh 31.8 25.3 144 1.260 1.0000
## s - sh -35.3 28.2 144 -1.251 1.0000
##
## Degrees-of-freedom method: kenward-roger
## P value adjustment: bonferroni method for 6 tests

## Data: dat_all
## Models:
## mod_f2NoInt: f2 ~ seg + foll + (1 | spk) + (1 | word)
## mod_f2: f2 ~ seg + foll + seg * foll + (1 | spk) + (1 | word)
## Df AIC BIC logLik deviance Chisq Chi Df Pr(>Chisq)
## mod_f2NoInt 8 1999.6 2023.7 -991.78 1983.6
## mod_f2 11 2004.2 2037.3 -991.08 1982.2 1.4077 3 0.7037

## Data: dat_all
## Models:
## mod_f2NoFoll: f2 ~ seg + (1 | spk) + (1 | word)
## mod_f2NoInt: f2 ~ seg + foll + (1 | spk) + (1 | word)
## Df AIC BIC logLik deviance Chisq Chi Df Pr(>Chisq)
## mod_f2NoFoll 7 2007.0 2028.0 -996.47 1993.0
## mod_f2NoInt 8 1999.6 2023.7 -991.78 1983.6 9.3863 1 0.002186 **
## ---
## Signif. codes: 0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1

## Data: dat_all
## Models:
## mod_f2NoSeg: f2 ~ foll + (1 | spk) + (1 | word)
## mod_f2NoInt: f2 ~ seg + foll + (1 | spk) + (1 | word)
## Df AIC BIC logLik deviance Chisq Chi Df Pr(>Chisq)
## mod_f2NoSeg 5 2021.0 2036.1 -1005.51 2011.0
## mod_f2NoInt 8 1999.6 2023.7 -991.78 1983.6 27.468 3 4.697e-06
##
## mod_f2NoSeg
## mod_f2NoInt ***
## ---
## Signif. codes: 0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1

```

```

## Linear mixed model fit by REML. t-tests use Satterthwaite's method [
## lmerModLmerTest]
## Formula: f2 ~ seg + foll + (1 | spk) + (1 | word)
## Data: dat_all
##
## REML criterion at convergence: 1938
##
## Scaled residuals:
## Min 1Q Median 3Q Max
## -4.7190 -0.4822 0.0506 0.4618 4.6763
##
## Random effects:
## Groups Name Variance Std.Dev.
## word (Intercept) 0 0.0
## spk (Intercept) 10308 101.5
## Residual 31306 176.9
## Number of obs: 150, groups: word, 18; spk, 4
##
## Fixed effects:
## Estimate Std. Error df t value Pr(>|t|)
## (Intercept) 1238.57 59.37 4.82 20.863 6.53e-06 ***
## seghl 226.21 39.97 142.21 5.659 8.08e-08 ***
## segs 253.31 45.98 143.45 5.509 1.63e-07 ***
## segsh 144.21 39.87 142.51 3.617 0.000413 ***
## follaa -97.04 31.65 142.46 -3.066 0.002594 **
## ---
## Signif. codes: 0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
##
## Correlation of Fixed Effects:
## (Intr) seghl segs segsh
## seghl -0.353
## segs -0.239 0.372
## segsh -0.276 0.434 0.472
## follaa -0.231 0.164 -0.197 -0.206
## convergence code: 0
## boundary (singular) fit: see ?isSingular

## $emmeans
## seg emmean SE df lower.CL upper.CL
## f 1190 58.5 4.10 1029 1351
## hl 1416 59.5 4.44 1257 1575
## s 1443 64.6 5.10 1278 1608
## sh 1334 58.7 4.07 1173 1496
##
## Results are averaged over the levels of: foll
## Degrees-of-freedom method: kenward-roger
## Confidence level used: 0.95
##
## $contrasts
## contrast estimate SE df t.ratio p.value
## f - hl -226.2 41.6 6.69 -5.441 0.0067
## f - s -253.3 50.5 5.58 -5.013 0.0178
## f - sh -144.2 41.9 4.18 -3.443 0.1466
## hl - s -27.1 52.6 7.23 -0.515 1.0000

```

```

## h1 - sh      82.0 43.8 5.66  1.872  0.6800
## s - sh      109.1 48.7 3.88  2.240  0.5443
##
## Results are averaged over the levels of: foll
## Degrees-of-freedom method: kenward-roger
## P value adjustment: bonferroni method for 6 tests

## Data: dat_all
## Models:
## mod_f3NoInt: f3 ~ seg + foll + (1 | spk)
## mod_f3: f3 ~ seg + foll + seg * foll + (1 | spk)
##           Df      AIC      BIC logLik deviance Chisq Chi Df Pr(>Chisq)
## mod_f3NoInt  7 2008.0 2029.0 -996.99  1994.0
## mod_f3       10 2006.5 2036.6 -993.23  1986.5 7.5281      3  0.05684 .
## ---
## Signif. codes:  0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1

## Data: dat_all
## Models:
## mod_f3NoFoll: f3 ~ seg + (1 | spk)
## mod_f3NoInt: f3 ~ seg + foll + (1 | spk)
##           Df      AIC      BIC logLik deviance Chisq Chi Df Pr(>Chisq)
## mod_f3NoFoll  6 2007.5 2025.5 -997.72  1995.5
## mod_f3NoInt   7 2008.0 2029.0 -996.99  1994.0 1.4678      1  0.2257

## Data: dat_all
## Models:
## mod_f3NoSeg: f3 ~ foll + (1 | spk)
## mod_f3NoInt: f3 ~ seg + foll + (1 | spk)
##           Df      AIC      BIC logLik deviance Chisq Chi Df Pr(>Chisq)
## mod_f3NoSeg  4 2144.6 2156.7 -1068.31  2136.6
## mod_f3NoInt  7 2008.0 2029.0 -996.99  1994.0 142.64      3 < 2.2e-16
##
## mod_f3NoSeg
## mod_f3NoInt ***
## ---
## Signif. codes:  0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1

## Linear mixed model fit by REML. t-tests use Satterthwaite's method [
## lmerModLmerTest]
## Formula: f3 ~ seg + (1 | spk)
## Data: dat_all
##
## REML criterion at convergence: 1957.5
##
## Scaled residuals:
##      Min       1Q   Median       3Q      Max
## -6.1130 -0.4182  0.0229  0.5036  2.4252
##
## Random effects:
## Groups Name Variance Std.Dev.
## spk (Intercept) 28523 168.9
## Residual 32840 181.2
## Number of obs: 150, groups: spk, 4
##
## Fixed effects:

```



```

##           Estimate Std. Error      df t value Pr(>|t|)
## (Intercept) 2675.530    89.040    3.493  30.049 2.42e-05 ***
## seghl       38.205    40.385   143.051   0.946 0.345743
## segs       166.976    46.251   143.624   3.610 0.000422 ***
## segsh     -435.918    39.978   143.213 -10.904 < 2e-16 ***
## ---
## Signif. codes:  0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
##
## Correlation of Fixed Effects:
##      (Intr) seghl  segs
## seghl -0.218
## segs  -0.198  0.418
## segsh -0.226  0.485  0.450
##
## $emmeans
##   seg emmean  SE  df lower.CL upper.CL
## f      2676 89.0 3.48    2413    2938
## hl     2714 89.4 3.53    2452    2975
## s      2843 91.9 3.93    2586    3099
## sh     2240 89.0 3.47    1977    2502
##
## Degrees-of-freedom method: kenward-roger
## Confidence level used: 0.95
##
## $contrasts
##   contrast estimate  SE  df t.ratio p.value
## f - hl      -38.2 40.4 143  -0.946  1.0000
## f - s     -167.0 46.3 144  -3.605  0.0026
## f - sh     435.9 40.0 143  10.899 <.0001
## hl - s    -128.8 47.1 144  -2.735  0.0421
## hl - sh    474.1 40.8 143  11.617 <.0001
## s - sh     602.9 45.6 143  13.235 <.0001
##
## Degrees-of-freedom method: kenward-roger
## P value adjustment: bonferroni method for 6 tests

```

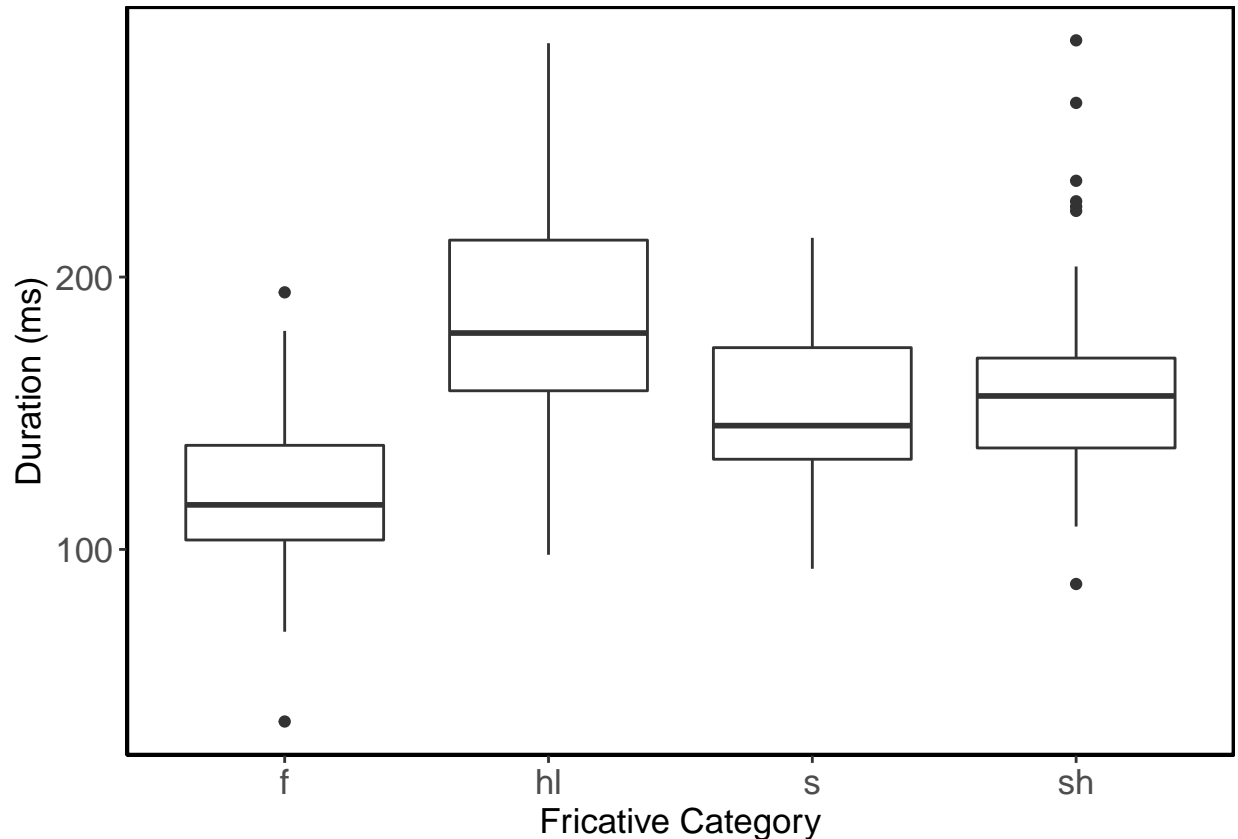
Duration

Next we turn to examine whether duration distinguishes amongst the four fricatives.

```

## # A tibble: 4 x 4
##   seg  mean  sd  n
##   <fct> <dbl> <dbl> <int>
## 1 f      122.  5.69  4
## 2 hl     181. 11.0  4
## 3 s      153.  6.66  3
## 4 sh     163. 15.8  4

```



Duration measures of fricatives were first log-transformed for analysis. These were then submitted to a LME with log-duration as the DV and Segment (ref = /f/) as a fixed factor. The final model included a random intercept for speaker and word. A more complex model did not converge. Significance of Segment was assessed using model comparison, and any post-hoc planned pairwise comparisons were conducted with bonferroni's correction.

```
dat_all$logDur <- log10(dat_all$totalDur)

mod_logDur <- lmer(logDur ~ seg + foll + seg*foll +
  (1|spk)+(1|word),
  data = dat_all)

mod_logDurNoInt <- lmer(logDur ~ seg + foll +
  (1|spk)+(1|word),
  data = dat_all)

anova(mod_logDur,mod_logDurNoInt)

## refitting model(s) with ML (instead of REML)

## Data: dat_all
## Models:
## mod_logDurNoInt: logDur ~ seg + foll + (1 | spk) + (1 | word)
## mod_logDur: logDur ~ seg + foll + seg * foll + (1 | spk) + (1 | word)
##           Df      AIC      BIC logLik deviance  Chisq Chi Df
## mod_logDurNoInt  8 -246.43 -222.35 131.22  -262.43
## mod_logDur      11 -247.28 -214.16 134.64  -269.28  6.8425    3
```

```

##                                Pr(>Chisq)
## mod_logDurNoInt
## mod_logDur          0.07709 .
## ---
## Signif. codes:  0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1

mod_logDurNoFoll <- lmer(logDur ~ seg +
                        (1|spk)+(1|word) ,
                        data = dat_all)

mod_logDurNoSeg <- lmer(logDur ~ foll +
                        (1|spk)+(1|word),
                        data = dat_all)

anova(mod_logDurNoInt,mod_logDurNoFoll)

## refitting model(s) with ML (instead of REML)
## Data: dat_all
## Models:
## mod_logDurNoFoll: logDur ~ seg + (1 | spk) + (1 | word)
## mod_logDurNoInt: logDur ~ seg + foll + (1 | spk) + (1 | word)
##           Df      AIC      BIC logLik deviance  Chisq Chi Df
## mod_logDurNoFoll  7 -248.31 -227.24 131.16  -262.31
## mod_logDurNoInt   8 -246.43 -222.35 131.22  -262.43 0.1203    1
##           Pr(>Chisq)
## mod_logDurNoFoll
## mod_logDurNoInt    0.7287

anova(mod_logDurNoInt,mod_logDurNoSeg)

## refitting model(s) with ML (instead of REML)
## Data: dat_all
## Models:
## mod_logDurNoSeg: logDur ~ foll + (1 | spk) + (1 | word)
## mod_logDurNoInt: logDur ~ seg + foll + (1 | spk) + (1 | word)
##           Df      AIC      BIC logLik deviance  Chisq Chi Df
## mod_logDurNoSeg   5 -235.48 -220.43 122.74  -245.48
## mod_logDurNoInt   8 -246.43 -222.35 131.22  -262.43 16.956    3
##           Pr(>Chisq)
## mod_logDurNoSeg
## mod_logDurNoInt   0.0007216 ***
## ---
## Signif. codes:  0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1

summary(mod_logDurNoFoll)

## Linear mixed model fit by REML. t-tests use Satterthwaite's method [
## lmerModLmerTest]
## Formula: logDur ~ seg + (1 | spk) + (1 | word)
## Data: dat_all
##
## REML criterion at convergence: -242.4
##
## Scaled residuals:
##      Min       1Q   Median       3Q      Max

```

```

## -3.04442 -0.61414 0.01085 0.62671 3.02273
##
## Random effects:
## Groups Name Variance Std.Dev.
## word (Intercept) 0.005644 0.07513
## spk (Intercept) 0.004052 0.06365
## Residual 0.008212 0.09062
## Number of obs: 150, groups: word, 18; spk, 4
##
## Fixed effects:
## Estimate Std. Error df t value Pr(>|t|)
## (Intercept) 2.01882 0.04909 6.19725 41.128 8.62e-09 ***
## seghl 0.21405 0.05366 3.44083 3.989 0.0218 *
## segs 0.18291 0.05857 3.91990 3.123 0.0364 *
## segsh 0.17144 0.05921 2.95528 2.896 0.0639 .
## ---
## Signif. codes: 0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
##
## Correlation of Fixed Effects:
## (Intr) seghl segs
## seghl -0.528
## segs -0.485 0.437
## segsh -0.481 0.438 0.403

```

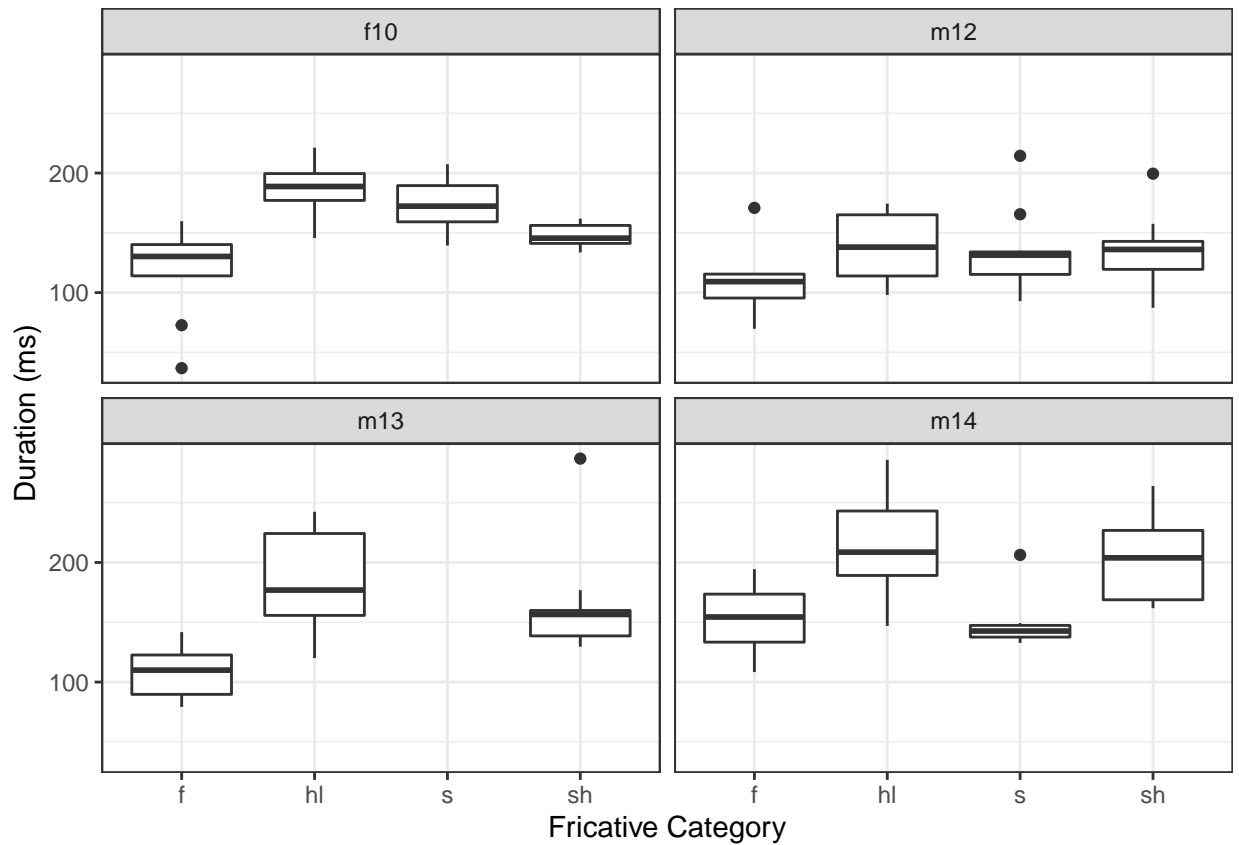
```
emmeans(mod_logDurNoFoll, pairwise ~ seg, adjust = "bonferroni")
```

```

## $emmeans
## seg emmean SE df lower.CL upper.CL
## f 2.02 0.0494 11.1 1.91 2.13
## hl 2.23 0.0503 11.0 2.12 2.34
## s 2.20 0.0555 14.0 2.08 2.32
## sh 2.19 0.0559 11.5 2.07 2.31
##
## Degrees-of-freedom method: kenward-roger
## Confidence level used: 0.95
##
## $contrasts
## contrast estimate SE df t.ratio p.value
## f - hl -0.2141 0.0541 12.9 -3.954 0.0101
## f - s -0.1829 0.0591 14.5 -3.095 0.0458
## f - sh -0.1714 0.0595 11.2 -2.881 0.0885
## hl - s 0.0311 0.0601 13.8 0.518 1.0000
## hl - sh 0.0426 0.0602 10.6 0.708 1.0000
## s - sh 0.0115 0.0646 11.8 0.177 1.0000
##
## Degrees-of-freedom method: kenward-roger
## P value adjustment: bonferroni method for 6 tests

```

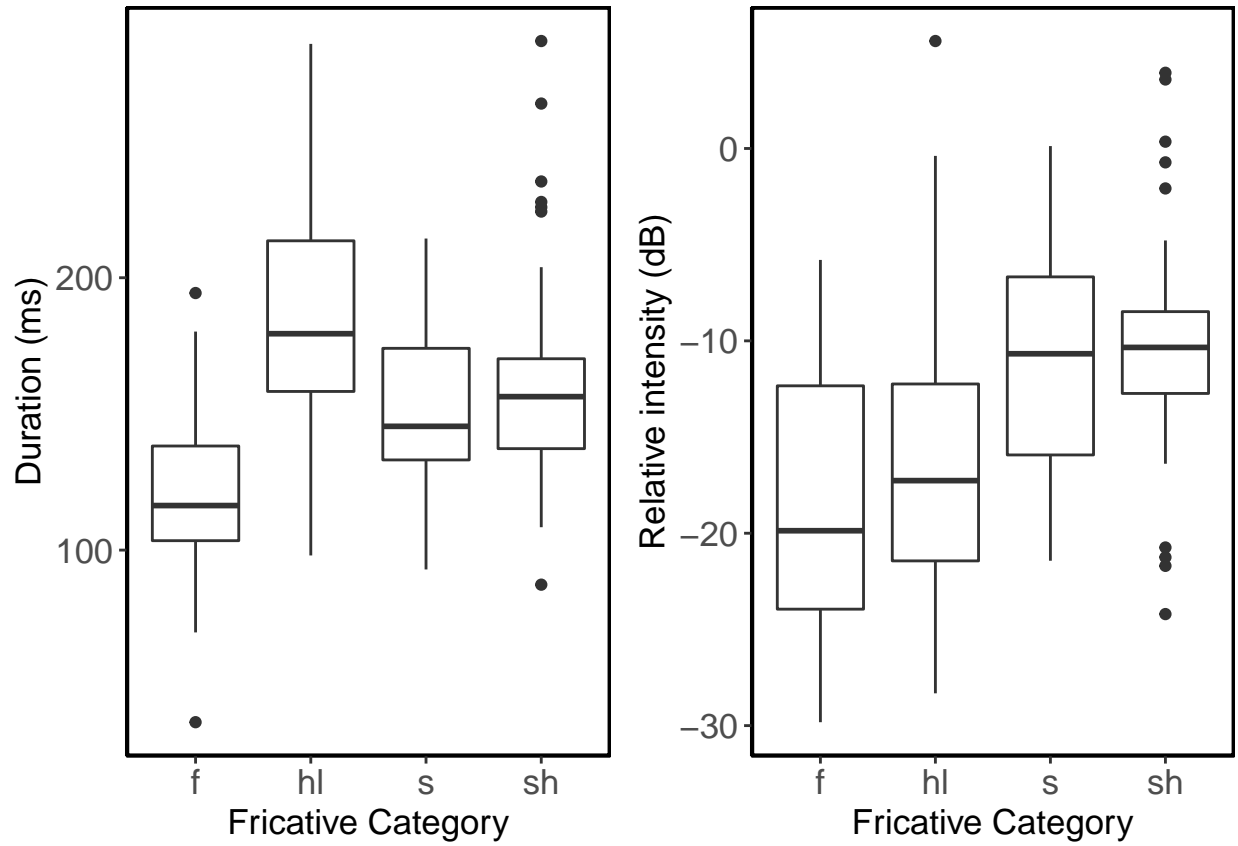
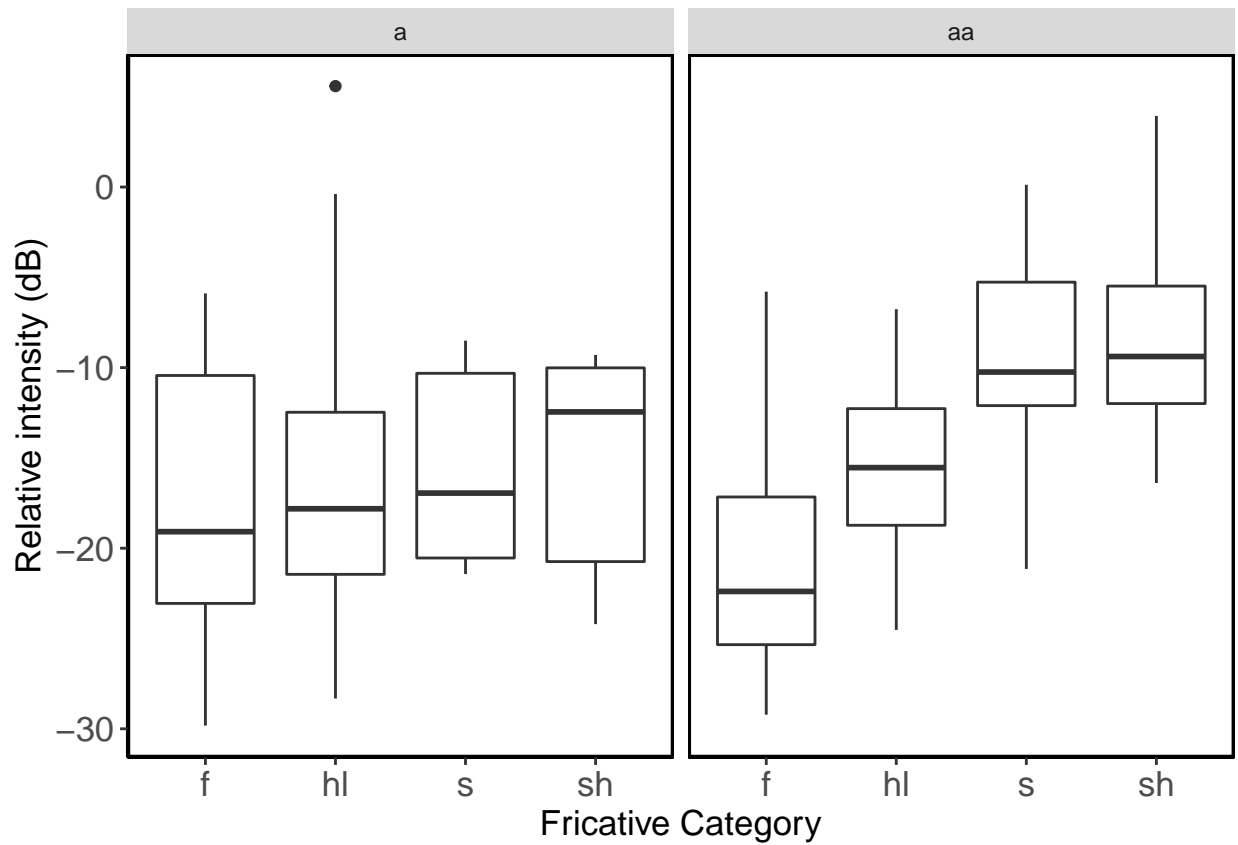
By speaker - plots



Relative intensity

The final measure we examine is relative intensity. Here we measure the difference in intensity measured from the middle 50% of the following vowel and the middle 50% of the fricative (ie. `int_Vowel - int_Fric`). A larger negative value indicates a larger drop in intensity between vowel and fricative.

```
## # A tibble: 4 x 4
##   seg  mean  sd    n
##   <fct> <dbl> <dbl> <int>
## 1 f      -18.2 0.571    4
## 2 hl     -15.1 2.03     4
## 3 s      -10.9 2.10     3
## 4 sh     -10.4 1.72     4
```



Relative intensity measures were submitted to a LME with relative intensity as the DV and Segment (ref = /f/) as a fixed factor. The final model included a random intercept for speaker and word. A more complex model did not converge. Significance of Segment was assessed using model comparison, and any post-hoc planned pairwise comparisons were conducted with bonferroni's correction.

```
mod_DiffAmp <- lmer(DiffAmp ~ seg + foll + seg*foll+
                    (1|spk)+(1|word),
                    data = dat_all)

mod_DiffAmpNoInt <- lmer(DiffAmp ~ seg + foll +
                         (1|spk)+(1|word),
                         data = dat_all)

anova(mod_DiffAmp,mod_DiffAmpNoInt)
```

```
## refitting model(s) with ML (instead of REML)

## Data: dat_all
## Models:
## mod_DiffAmpNoInt: DiffAmp ~ seg + foll + (1 | spk) + (1 | word)
## mod_DiffAmp: DiffAmp ~ seg + foll + seg * foll + (1 | spk) + (1 | word)
##           Df    AIC    BIC logLik deviance Chisq Chi Df
## mod_DiffAmpNoInt  8 980.98 1005.1 -482.49  964.98
## mod_DiffAmp      11 974.31 1007.4 -476.16  952.31 12.669    3
##           Pr(>Chisq)
## mod_DiffAmpNoInt
## mod_DiffAmp      0.005411 **
## ---
## Signif. codes:  0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
```

```
summary(mod_DiffAmp)
```

```
## Linear mixed model fit by REML. t-tests use Satterthwaite's method [
## lmerModLmerTest]
## Formula: DiffAmp ~ seg + foll + seg * foll + (1 | spk) + (1 | word)
## Data: dat_all
##
## REML criterion at convergence: 927.8
##
## Scaled residuals:
##      Min       1Q   Median       3Q      Max
## -2.56824 -0.63318 -0.04749  0.66333  2.96374
##
## Random effects:
## Groups   Name            Variance Std.Dev.
## word    (Intercept)    3.535    1.880
## spk     (Intercept)   12.721    3.567
## Residual                    31.527    5.615
## Number of obs: 150, groups: word, 18; spk, 4
##
## Fixed effects:
##           Estimate Std. Error    df t value Pr(>|t|)
## (Intercept)  -17.137     2.414   6.974  -7.099 0.000197 ***
## seghl         1.248     2.211   7.039   0.565 0.589851
## segs        -1.452     2.834  16.182  -0.512 0.615249
## segsh         2.347     2.936   5.175   0.799 0.459226
```

```

## follaa      -2.732      2.713   5.513  -1.007 0.356078
## seghl:follaa  3.174      4.112   6.072   0.772 0.469162
## segs:follaa  10.909     4.237   6.614   2.574 0.038609 *
## segsh:follaa  9.277      4.044   4.835   2.294 0.072069 .
## ---
## Signif. codes:  0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
##
## Correlation of Fixed Effects:
##              (Intr) seghl  segs   segsh  follaa  seghl:f  segs:fl
## seghl        -0.494
## segs          -0.382  0.408
## segsh         -0.374  0.406  0.317
## follaa        -0.404  0.445  0.337  0.333
## seghl:folla  0.268 -0.544 -0.222 -0.222 -0.667
## segs:follaa  0.255 -0.281 -0.661 -0.212 -0.640  0.430
## segsh:folla  0.271 -0.299 -0.227 -0.726 -0.672  0.449  0.431

```

```
emmeans(mod_DiffAmp, pairwise ~ seg | foll, adjust = "bonferroni")
```

```

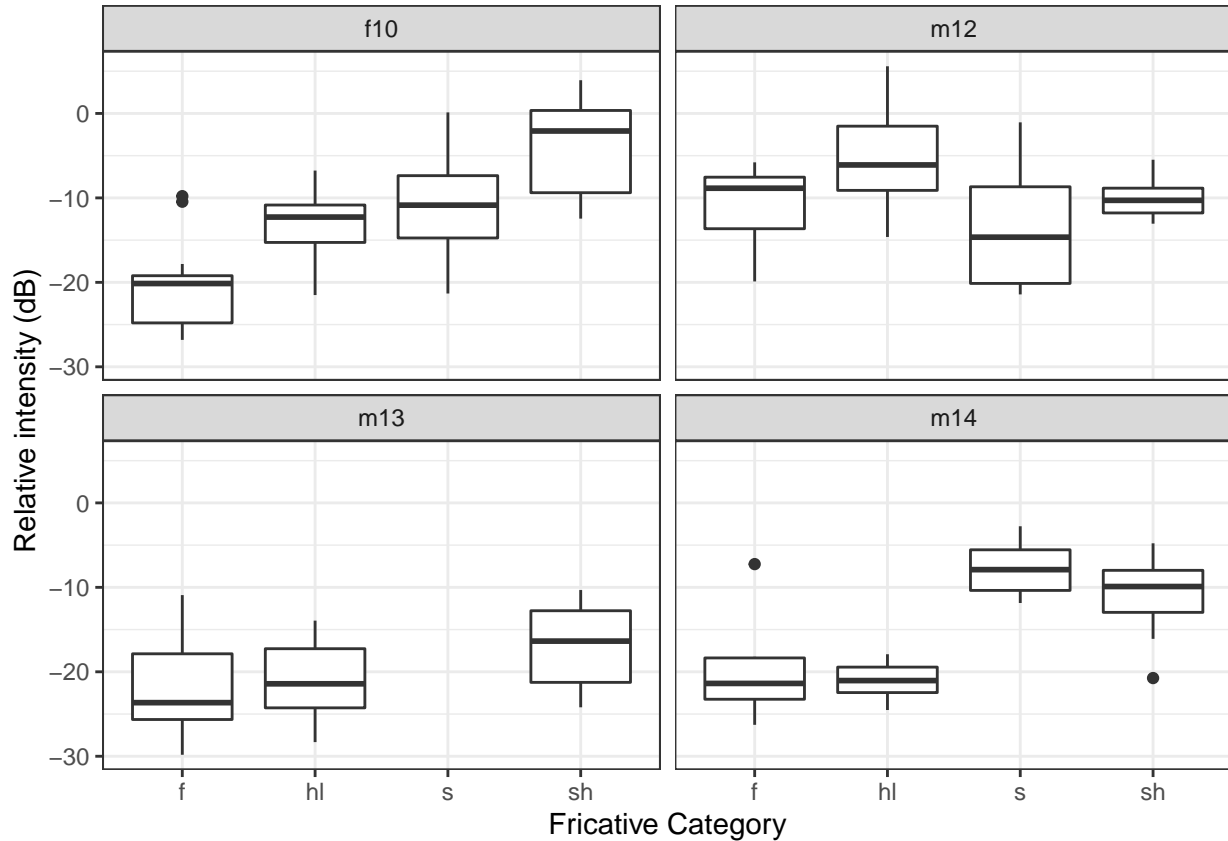
## $emmeans
## foll = a:
## seg emmean  SE    df lower.CL upper.CL
## f  -17.14 2.47  6.73   -23.0  -11.26
## hl -15.89 2.37  6.08   -21.7  -10.11
## s  -18.59 2.95 14.27   -24.9  -12.26
## sh -14.79 3.02  6.03   -22.2   -7.40
##
## foll = aa:
## seg emmean  SE    df lower.CL upper.CL
## f  -19.87 2.91  6.37   -26.9  -12.86
## hl -15.45 3.21  7.67   -22.9   -7.98
## s  -10.41 2.91  5.14   -17.8   -2.99
## sh   -8.25 2.51  5.84   -14.4   -2.05
##
## Degrees-of-freedom method: kenward-roger
## Confidence level used: 0.95
##
## $contrasts
## foll = a:
## contrast estimate  SE    df t.ratio p.value
## f - hl          -1.25 2.30  5.63 -0.542  1.0000
## f - s            1.45 2.89 13.13  0.502  1.0000
## f - sh          -2.35 2.98  4.13 -0.788  1.0000
## hl - s           2.70 2.85 13.23  0.948  1.0000
## hl - sh         -1.10 2.90  3.93 -0.379  1.0000
## s - sh          -3.80 3.39  7.07 -1.122  1.0000
##
## foll = aa:
## contrast estimate  SE    df t.ratio p.value
## f - hl          -4.42 3.53  4.50 -1.251  1.0000
## f - s           -9.46 3.27  3.27 -2.894  0.3397
## f - sh         -11.62 2.90  3.61 -4.006  0.1175
## hl - s          -5.03 3.52  3.81 -1.432  1.0000
## hl - sh         -7.20 3.20  4.49 -2.250  0.4823
## s - sh          -2.17 2.90  2.96 -0.748  1.0000

```



```
##
## Degrees-of-freedom method: kenward-roger
## P value adjustment: bonferroni method for 6 tests
```

By-speaker plots



Part II: Exploring lateral fricative in more detail

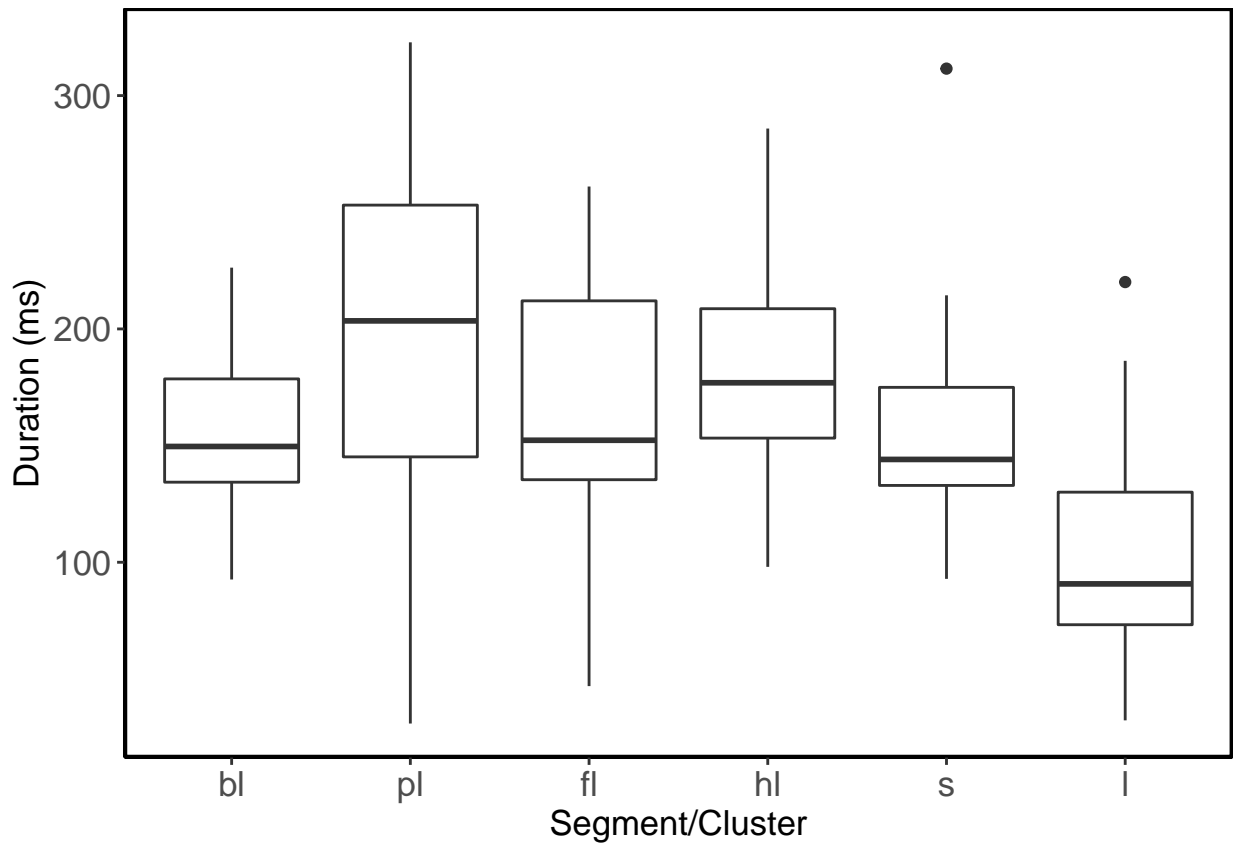
Duration of lateral fricative vs. other lateral clusters.

```
##      foll
## target a aa e o
##      bl 14 9 0 0
##      fl 32 0 0 0
##      hl 30 9 4 2
##      l  38 0 0 0
##      pl 21 13 0 0
##      s  11 19 0 0
##
## , , spk = f10
##
##      foll
## target a aa e o
##      bl  5 4 0 0
##      fl 17 0 0 0
##      hl  7 4 0 2
##      l 10 0 0 0
```

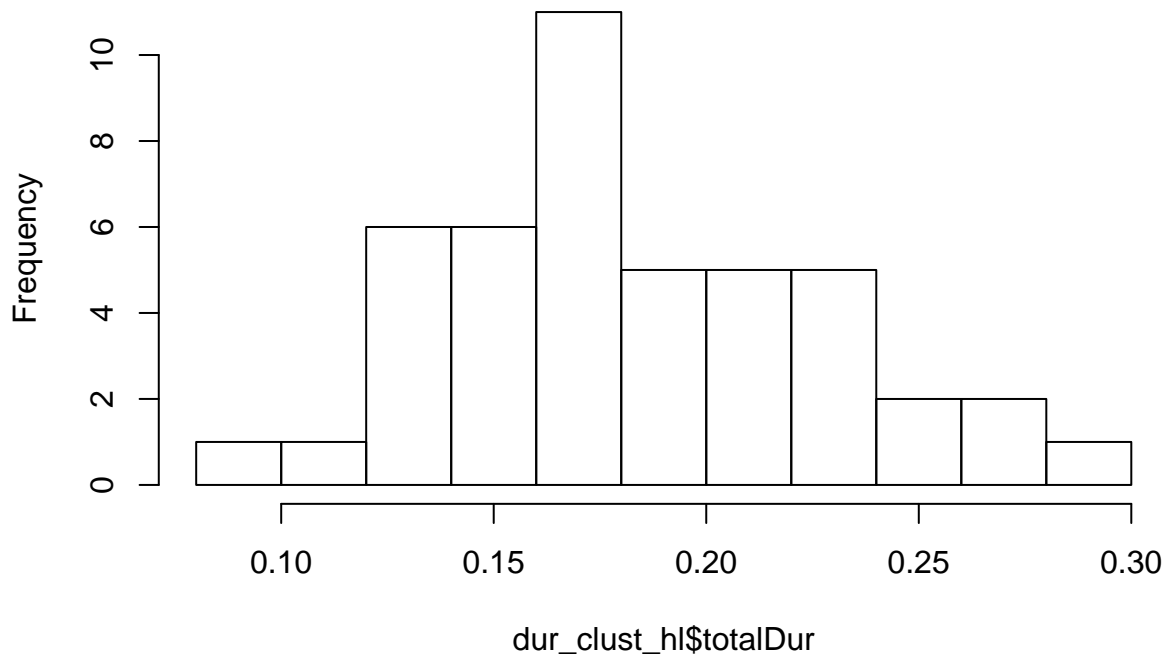
```

##    pl  6  2  0  0
##    s   4  7  0  0
##
## , , spk = m12
##
##      foll
## target  a aa  e  o
##    bl   2  5  0  0
##    fl   8  0  0  0
##    hl   6  0  2  0
##    l    8  0  0  0
##    pl   1  6  0  0
##    s    4  5  0  0
##
## , , spk = m13
##
##      foll
## target  a aa  e  o
##    bl   4  0  0  0
##    fl   4  0  0  0
##    hl  11  2  2  0
##    l    8  0  0  0
##    pl   7  2  0  0
##    s    3  0  0  0
##
## , , spk = m14
##
##      foll
## target  a aa  e  o
##    bl   3  0  0  0
##    fl   3  0  0  0
##    hl   6  3  0  0
##    l   12  0  0  0
##    pl   7  3  0  0
##    s    0  7  0  0

```



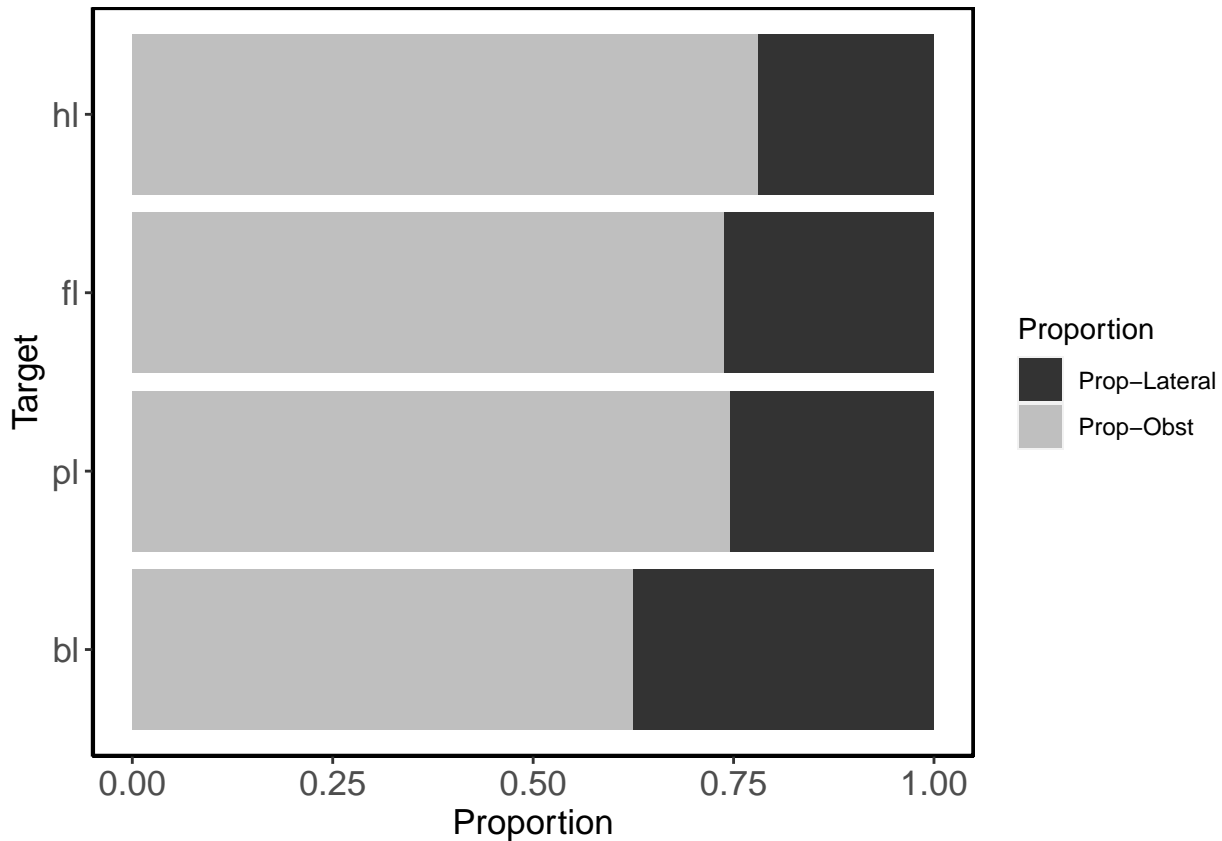
Histogram of dur_clust_h\$totalDur

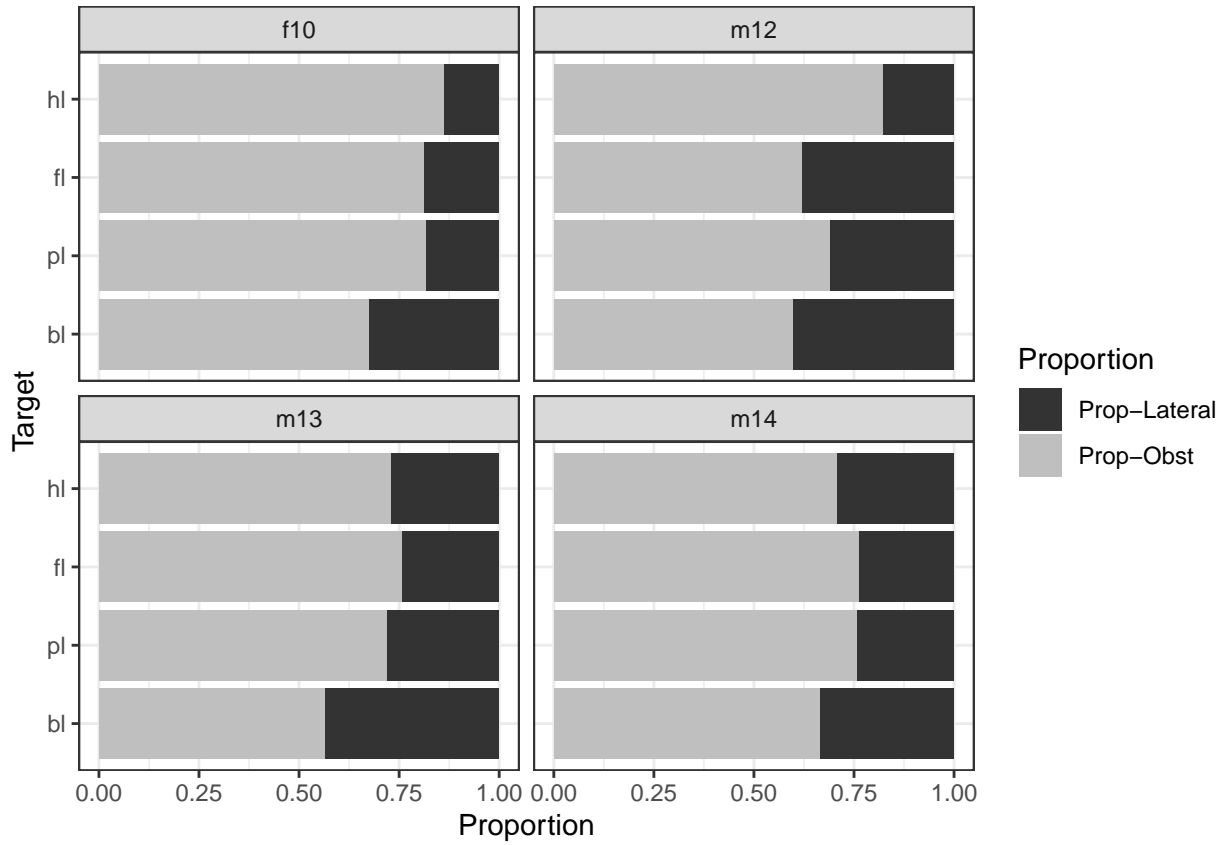


Proportion of pre-voicing

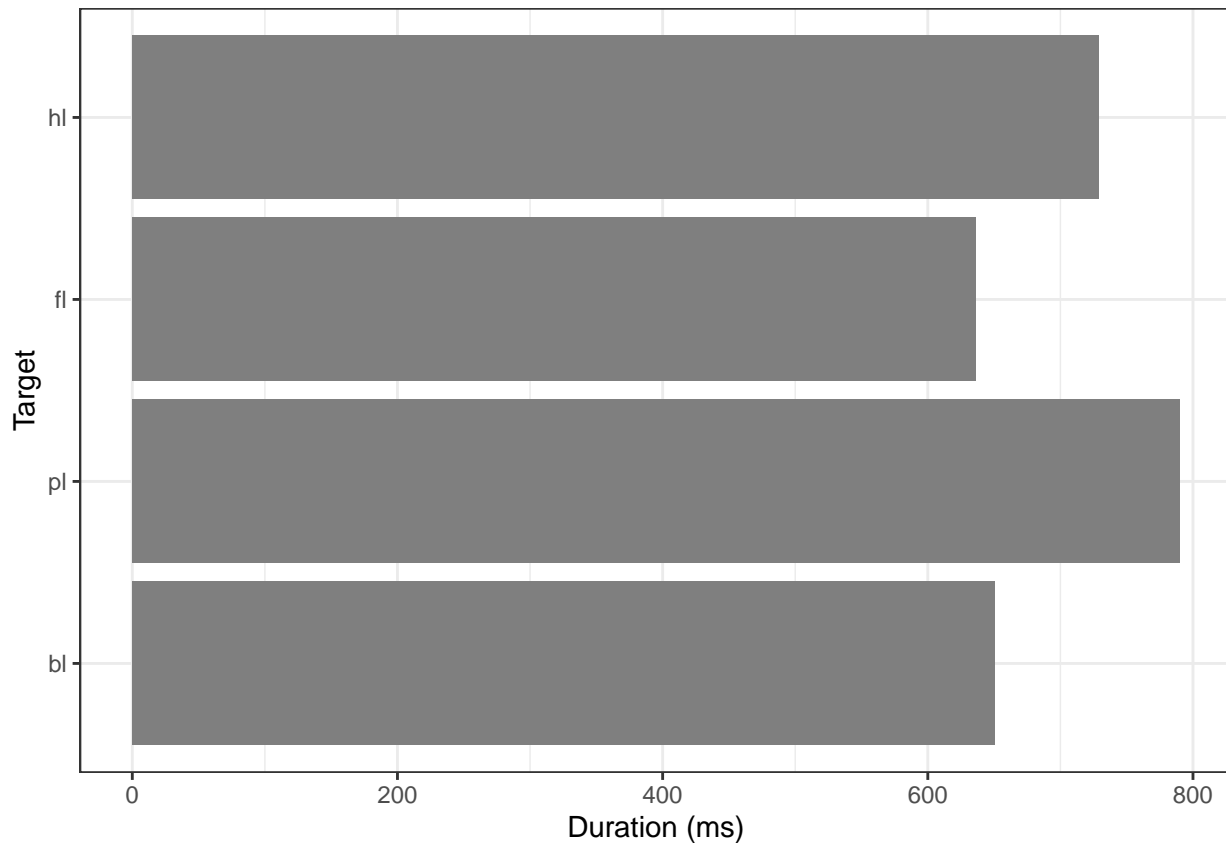
The following plots show the proportion of pre-voicing in lateral clusters and the lateral fricative. We also plot the raw values (duration in ms.) below.

```
## # A tibble: 12 x 5
## # Groups:   target [6]
##   target prop   mean.dur sd.dur n.dur
##   <fct> <chr>     <dbl> <dbl> <int>
## 1 bl    propLat    37.0  8.30  23
## 2 bl    propObst   63.0  8.30  23
## 3 fl    propLat    24.8 15.6  32
## 4 fl    propObst   75.2 15.6  32
## 5 hl    propLat    20.0 10.3  63
## 6 hl    propObst   80.0 10.3  63
## 7 l     propLat   100    0    38
## 8 l     propObst    0    0    38
## 9 pl    propLat    25.4 15.5  34
## 10 pl   propObst   74.6 15.5  34
## 11 s    propLat    0    0    47
## 12 s    propObst  100    0    47
```





```
## # A tibble: 8 x 5
## # Groups:   target [4]
##   target prop   mean.dur sd.dur n.dur
##   <fct> <chr>     <dbl> <dbl> <int>
## 1 bl     latDur    0.0571 0.0143   23
## 2 bl     obstDur   0.0995 0.0287   23
## 3 fl     latDur    0.0385 0.0182   32
## 4 fl     obstDur   0.129  0.0530   32
## 5 hl     latDur    0.0418 0.0222   45
## 6 hl     obstDur   0.141  0.0317   45
## 7 pl     latDur    0.0469 0.0178   34
## 8 pl     obstDur   0.156  0.0591   34
```

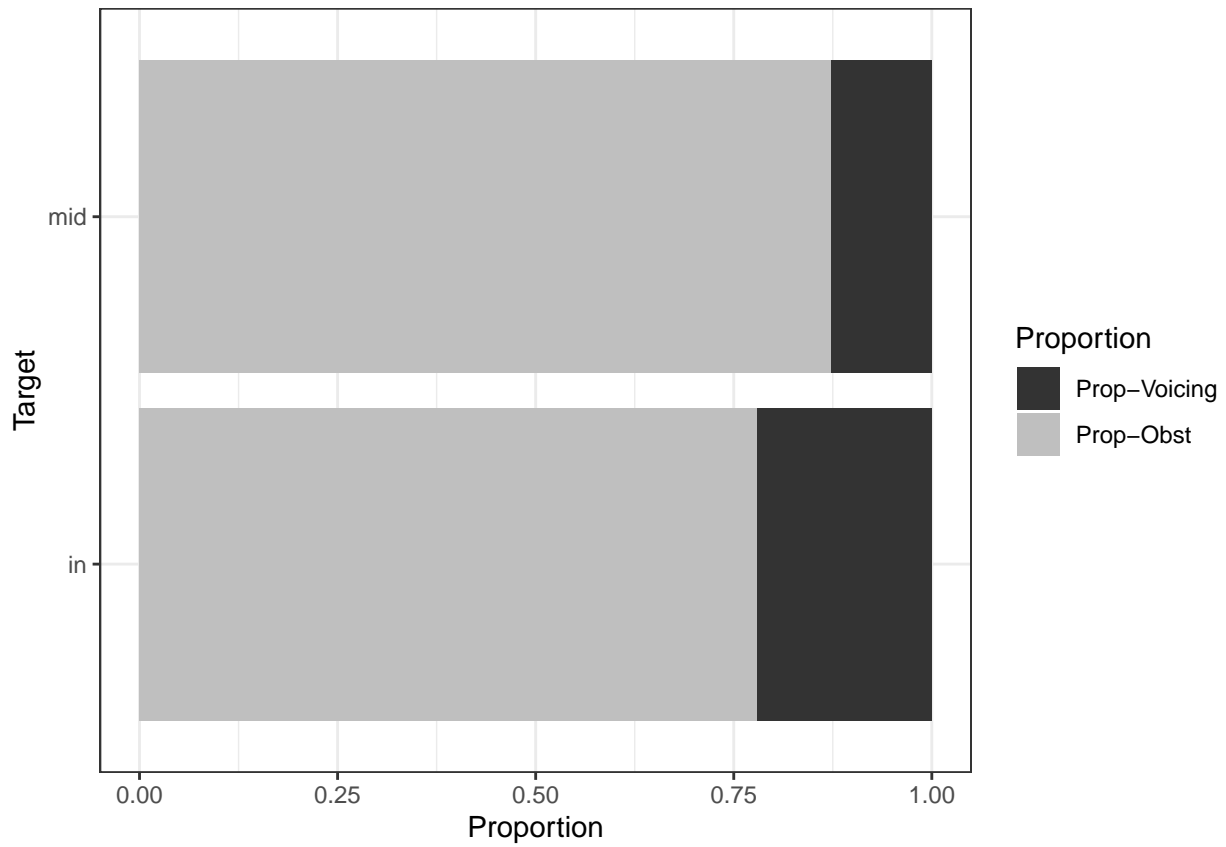


Possible positional effects

We examine whether the rate of pre-voicing and proportion of pre-voicing differ by position for the lateral fricative. Here the number of medial tokens is small, so this represents an exploratory analysis.

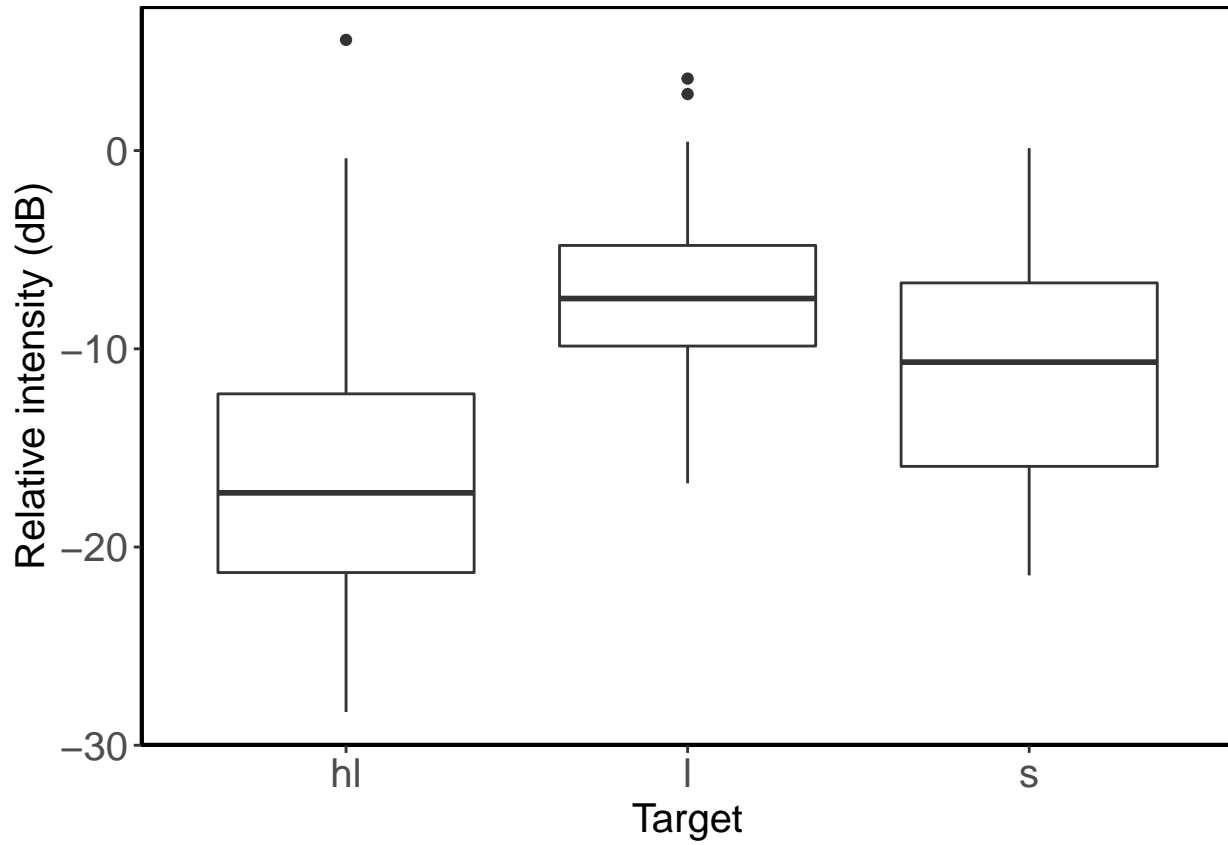
```
## pos N Y prop
## 1 in 2 43 0.9555556
## 2 mid 6 12 0.6666667

## # A tibble: 4 x 5
## # Groups:   pos [2]
## pos prop mean.dur sd.dur n.dur
## <fct> <chr> <dbl> <dbl> <int>
## 1 in propLat 22.1 8.73 45
## 2 in propObst 77.9 8.73 45
## 3 mid propLat 15.0 12.2 18
## 4 mid propObst 85.0 12.2 18
```



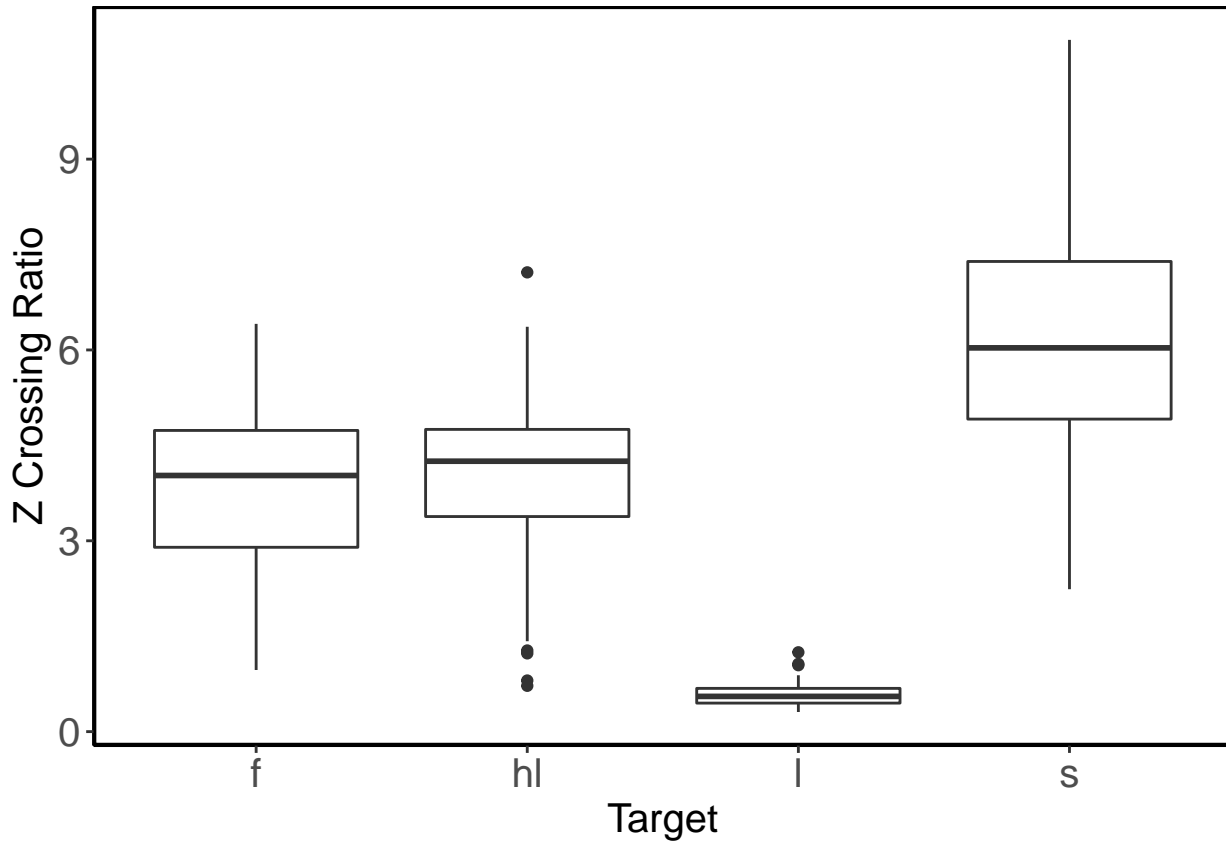
Relative Intensity

Next, we compare the relative intensity of the lateral fricative against /l/ and /s/.



Zero-crossings

Finally, we compare the zero-crossing ratios of the lateral fricative against /l/ and /s/.



```
## Data: z_crs
## Models:
## mod_zC_noT: zRatio ~ 1 + (1 | spk) + (1 | word)
## mod_zC: zRatio ~ target + (1 | spk) + (1 | word)
##           Df   AIC   BIC logLik deviance Chisq Chi Df Pr(>Chisq)
## mod_zC_noT  4 553.53 565.80 -272.76  545.53
## mod_zC      7 523.26 544.74 -254.63  509.26 36.265    3 6.582e-08 ***
## ---
## Signif. codes:  0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1

## Linear mixed model fit by REML. t-tests use Satterthwaite's method [
## lmerModLmerTest]
## Formula: zRatio ~ target + (1 | spk) + (1 | word)
##   Data: z_crs
##
## REML criterion at convergence: 508.8
##
## Scaled residuals:
##      Min       1Q   Median       3Q      Max
## -2.27730 -0.56774 -0.02068  0.53228  3.05782
##
## Random effects:
##   Groups   Name                Variance Std.Dev.
##   word     (Intercept)  0.4994   0.7067
##   spk      (Intercept)  0.4845   0.6961
##   Residual                    1.1678   1.0807
## Number of obs: 159, groups:  word, 23; spk, 4
```

```

##
## Fixed effects:
##           Estimate Std. Error      df t value Pr(>|t|)
## (Intercept)  3.6948    0.4741  8.0976   7.793 4.93e-05 ***
## targethl     0.2296    0.4618 15.0271   0.497 0.626285
## targetl     -3.1623    0.5193 13.1674  -6.090 3.64e-05 ***
## targets      2.2351    0.5417 15.0951   4.126 0.000887 ***
## ---
## Signif. codes:  0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
##
## Correlation of Fixed Effects:
##           (Intr) trgthl targetl
## targethl -0.469
## targetl  -0.424  0.429
## targets  -0.401  0.407  0.366
##
## $emmeans
##   target emmean   SE    df lower.CL upper.CL
## f        3.695 0.476  8.14     2.60     4.79
## hl       3.924 0.484  8.54     2.82     5.03
## l        0.533 0.536 10.75    -0.65     1.71
## s        5.930 0.562 12.62     4.71     7.15
##
## Degrees-of-freedom method: kenward-roger
## Confidence level used: 0.95
##
## $contrasts
##   contrast estimate   SE    df t.ratio p.value
## f - hl      -0.23 0.465 17.4  -0.493  1.0000
## f - l       3.16 0.523 15.3   6.050  0.0001
## f - s      -2.24 0.546 17.5  -4.093  0.0043
## hl - l     3.39 0.530 15.0   6.405  0.0001
## hl - s    -2.01 0.555 17.3  -3.615  0.0125
## l - s     -5.40 0.602 15.5  -8.972  <.0001
##
## Degrees-of-freedom method: kenward-roger
## P value adjustment: bonferroni method for 6 tests

```