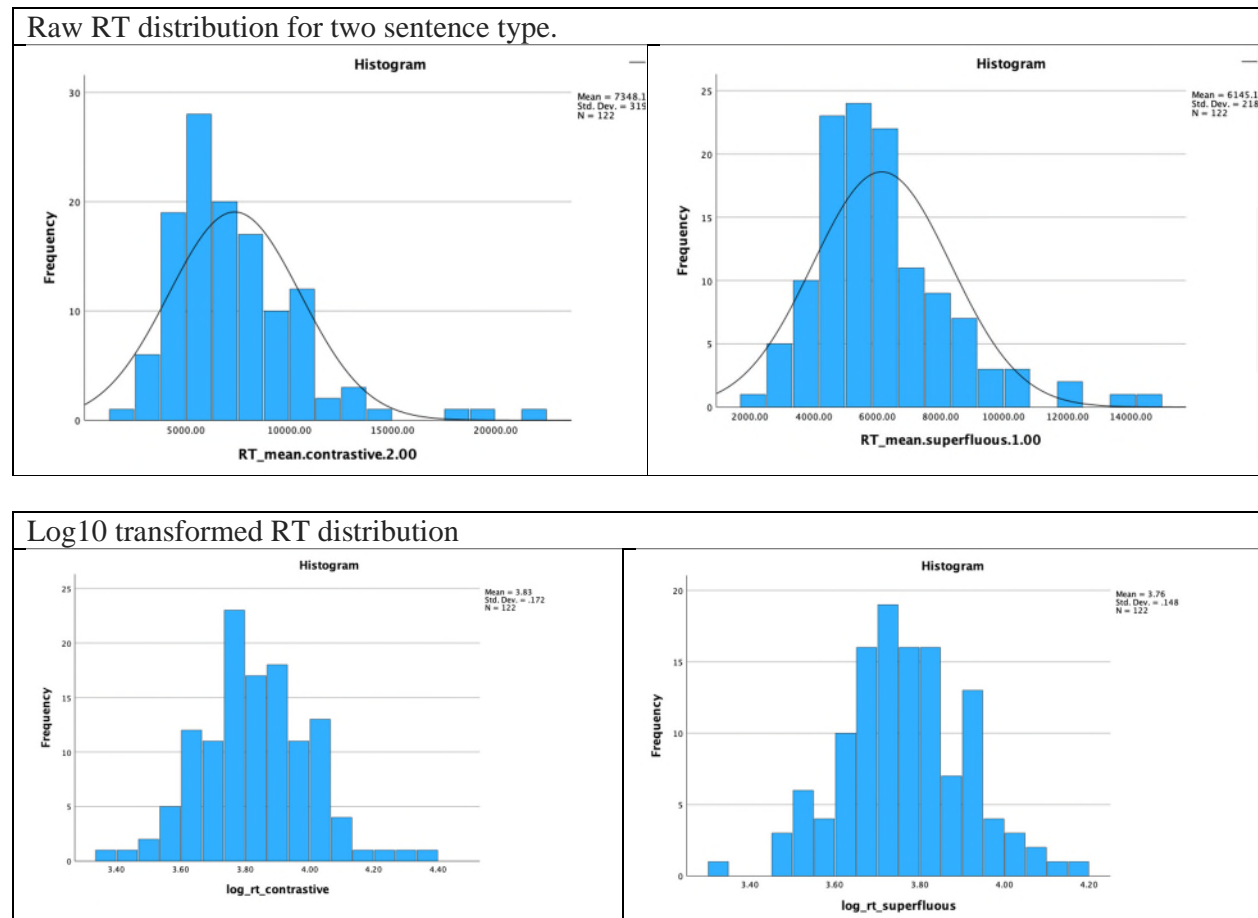


Supplemental Material S1. RT analysis.

Raw RT was used for the analysis. Transformation was done to address potential skewness of RT. However, the results from the log-transformed data did not differ from those obtained with the raw RT. Below is the distribution of RT and statistical analysis results.



Paired *t*-tests were conducted on the RT for two types of sentences, and the results remained consistent in terms of interpretation both with and without the data transformation.

Paired Samples Test									
		Paired Differences				Significance			
		Mean	Std. Deviation	Std. Error Mean	95% Confidence Interval of the Difference	t	df	One-Sided p	Two-Sided p
					Lower	Upper			
Pair 1	log_rt_contrastive – log_rt_superfluuous	.06812	.06663	.00603	.05617	.08006	11.292	121	<.001
Pair 2	RT_mean.contrastive.2.00 – RT_mean.superfluuous.1.00	1202.98361	1469.97021	133.08485	939.50704	1466.46017	9.039	121	<.001