



Figure 1. Scatter plot and mean, as well as the mean +/- 95% confidence interval (to the right of each scatter plot), for three simulated groups, in arbitrary units of “benefit”. The mean in each group was 3, 4, or 5 units, with a variance of 1 in each case. Standard parametric t-test comparisons yielded:

Con vs Old: $p > 0.09$

Old vs Young: $p > 0.11$

Con vs Young: $p < 0.002$