

Supplementary material.

Table 1. Descriptive analysis of sociodemographic data (n = 23). To evaluate the homogeneity of the different variables between groups. Independent Student's t-test was used for quantitative variables (mean \pm standard deviation) and Pearson's χ^2 for categorical variables (number of subjects and percentage).

Variables	Bi-RP-tDCS group (n = 13)	Sham group (n = 10)	p-value
Quantitative			
Age	26.8 \pm 5.3	23 \pm 1.3	0.025
Sleep Quality	4 \pm 2.1	6.7 \pm 2.9	0.026
Physical activity	8485.2 \pm 5620.3	6220.4 \pm 3939.2	0.337
Edinburgh Inventory	19.8 \pm 3.9	18.6 \pm 3.3	0.760
Qualitative			
Gender			
- Women	5	8	0.046
- Man	8	2	
Educational level			
- High school	3	0	0.103
- University	10	10	

Table 2. Motor learning during bi-RP-tDCS. (mean \pm S.D) n =23 for fine motor dexterity and n = 20 for gross motor dexterity.

Motor Dexterity		Group	Basal condition	Post first training	Post training	Post 5 days without training	Linear Mixed Model					
							Time		Group		Time*Group	
							F	p-value	F	p-value	F	p-value
Fine n = 23	Unimanual	Bi-RP-tDCS	16.9 \pm 1.3	18.7 \pm 1.6	20.6 \pm 1.6	20.4 \pm 1.4	30.9	<0.001	5.8	0.018	.4	.765
		Placebo	16.5 \pm 1.7	18.7 \pm 1.7	19.7 \pm 1.7	19.3 \pm 1.2						
	Bimanual	Bi-RP-tDCS	13 \pm 1	13.6 \pm 0.9	14.2 \pm 0.9	14.5 \pm 1.2	9.9	<0.001	0.9	0.353	.4	.790
		Placebo	12.7 \pm 1.4	13.7 \pm 1.6	14.3 \pm 1.8	14.4 \pm 1.3						
Gross n = 20	Unimanual	Bi-RP-tDCS	62.4 \pm 4.6	56.9 \pm 3.3	55.6 \pm 3.9	55.8 \pm 4.1	11.6	<0.001	4.8	0.032	.2	.879
		Placebo	63.2 \pm 4.5	60.8 \pm 4	58.4 \pm 3.6	57.3 \pm 3.9						
	Bimanual	Bi-RP-tDCS	46.9 \pm 2.4	41.4 \pm 2	40 \pm 1.4	38.8 \pm 2.3	34.5	<0.001	11.3	0.001	.2	.884
		Placebo	49.5 \pm 4.8	43.6 \pm 3.9	42 \pm 3.5	41 \pm 2.8						

Table 3. Motor training and bi-RP-tDCS effects on grip strength (mean \pm SD), n = 23.

Variable	Group	Basal condition	Post first training	Post training	Post 5 days without training	Linear Mixed Model					
						Time		Group		Time*Group	
						F	p-value	F	p-value	F	p-value

Grip strength	Bi-RP-tDCS	31.6 ± 8.6	33.1 ± 8.6	34.2 ± 9.7	35.2 ± 9.7	.2	.921	5.7	0.019	.1	.947
	Placebo	27.5 ± 9.6	29.2 ± 10.5	29.9 ± 11.8	28.9 ± 9.2						

Table 4. Training and bi-RP-tDCS effects on sensory variables (mean ± SD), n = 23.

Sensory thresholds	Group	Basal condition	Post first training	Post training	Post 5 days without training	Linear Mixed Model					
						Time		Group		Time*Group	
						F	p-value	F	p-value	F	p-value
Two-point discrimination	Bi-RP-tDCS	12.7 ± 6.4	11.7 ± 6.3	11.5 ± 4.9	10.7 ± 6.5						
	Placebo	11.8 ± 5.5	11.3 ± 6	8.8 ± 4.5	8.8 ± 5.7	1.6	.184	2.3	0.132	.2	.882
Mechanical detection	Bi-RP-tDCS	.027 ± .012	.026 ± .011	.029 ± .014	.033 ± .014						
	Placebo	.024 ± .01	.027 ± .017	.028 ± .016	.023 ± .012	.1	.959	1.3	0.265	.5	.668
Thenar pressure pain	Bi-RP-tDCS	5.9 ± 1.9	5.9 ± 2	5.9 ± 1.8	6.4 ± 1.7						
	Placebo	5.6 ± 1.7	5.4 ± 1.5	5.3 ± 1.7	5.6 ± 1.6	.3	.840	2.2	0.137	.1	.951
Bone pressure pain	Bi-RP-tDCS	7.2 ± 3	6.8 ± 2.9	7.7 ± 2.6	7.8 ± 2.8						
	Placebo	6.9 ± 2.3	7.2 ± 2.9	7.1 ± 2.8	7.9 ± 3.4	.2	.884	0.001	0.982	.3	.851

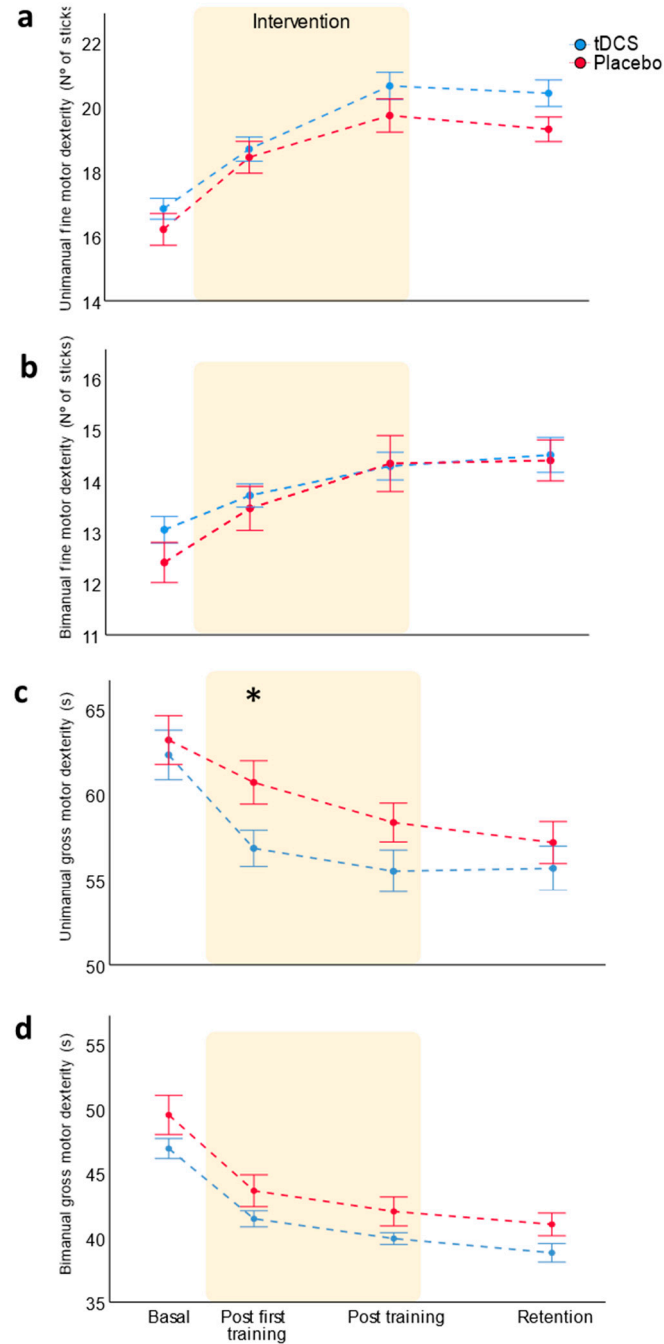


Figure S1. Bi-RP-tDCS effects on motor learning training. This figure shows the temporal evolution of the different motor dexterity variables assessed along days: (a) unimanual and (b) bimanual fine motor dexterity (n = 23); (c) unimanual and (d) bimanual gross motor dexterity (n = 20). The data representation shows mean \pm SEM.

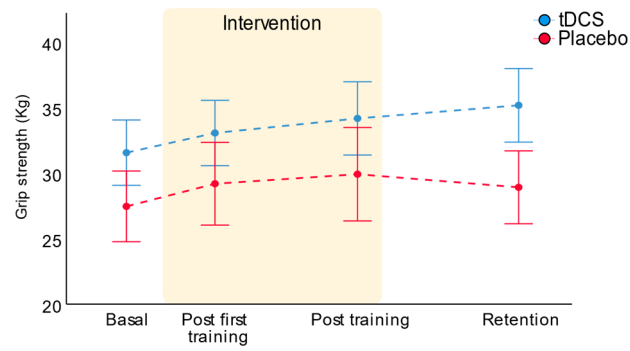


Figure S2. Bi-RP-tDCS effects on grip strength (n = 23).

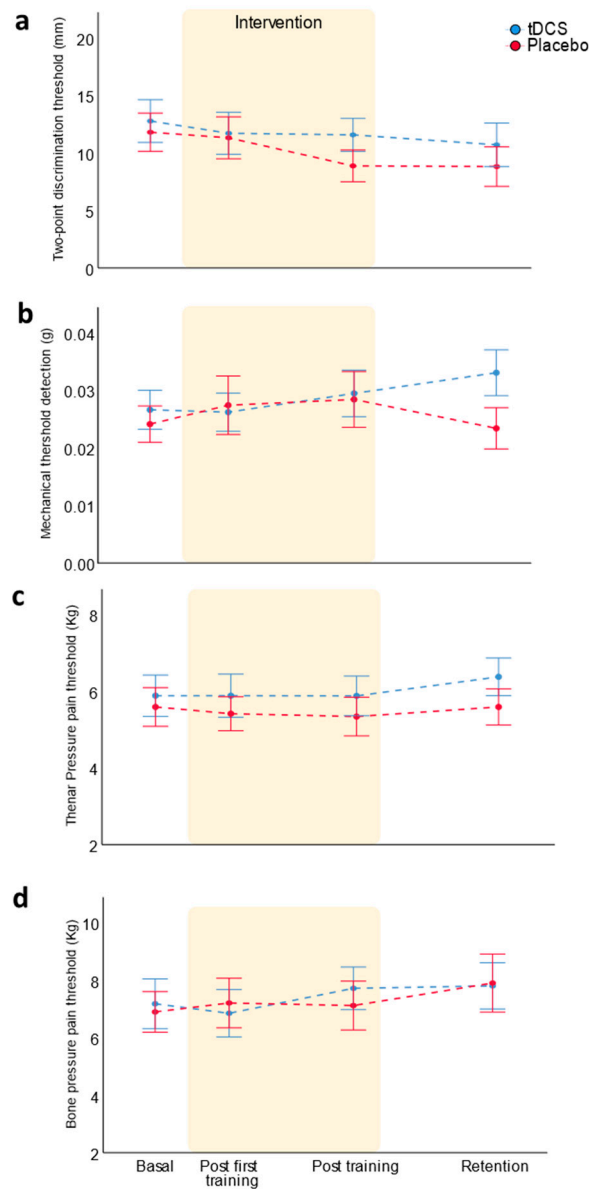


Figure S3. Bi-RP-tDCS and training effects on hand sensitivity along days (n = 23). (a) two-point discrimination; (b) mechanical detection threshold; (c) pressure pain threshold in the thenar eminence; (d) pain pressure pain threshold in the diaphysis of the second metacarpal bone. The data representation shows mean \pm SEM.