MAIN WINDOW
Main menu offers file and edit operations

VIDEO WINDOW

ELEMENT WINDOW
Describes currently active track or set and shows attributes of selected element

linked elements are highlighted on the board as well as in the element window (user-defined color-coding)

slow motion slider
controls video playback speed

specification *used by current annotation*

current time and frame in video

video controls *playback with frame-by-frame control*

zoom *zoom in/out of annotation board*

track *contains track elements*

active track *is highlighted blue*

group *contains tracks or other groups*

track element controls *jump to first/previous/next/last element of the active track*

record line (green) *used to mark the start position of a new element (end position marked by playback line)*

ANNOTATION BOARD
Displays all tracks and groups in time-alignment; color-coded elements can be inserted and modified here

playback line (red) *current position in the video*

PRAAT pitch/intensity *can be imported and displayed in a track*

audio waveform

timeline *seconds and frames (ticks)*

Welcome to Anvil 3.6 !
Loading video: IV50, 384x288, FrameRate=25
Video frame rate: 25.0
Audio format: LINEAR, 22050.0 Hz, 8-bit, Mono
Duration: 03:43:92 (5597 frames)
Open first player

File Edit View Tools Bookmarks ?

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Current specification:
D:\Research\anvil-spec\littgua2.xml

03:08:76 **modified!**

frame 4719

Video: lq1-7-reich.avi

Annotation: lq1-7-reich.anvil

gesture
compound
phrase
phase
posture
lling
trl2
trl
praat
wave
take

03:06   03:07   03:08   03:09   03:10   03:11

übersetzen
ich   spüre   den, poetischen   Stil
den, ich bei
Rivas
aa   aus, die Berührun

prep   beats   prep   hold   stroke   hold   prep   stroke   ho
metaphoric, heat, 2H   iconic smash, 2H   emblem, so-what, 2H

Track: gesture.phrase

Track: gesture.phrase
Referenced track: gesture phrase
Time: 03:07:63 - 03:10:27 (66 frames)

Attributes
category: iconic
iconic type: smash
handedness: 2H
cooc: Rivas
function: emblematic
timing: direct

Comment
compare with lq1-8 at 0:28

start   edit   end   cut   extend   del

Anvil Quick Reference

Aim	Steps	Explanation
Create an annotation	File > Open	Open a video file (AVI or MOV).
	File > New annotation	Anvil will ask you to enter the path to your specification.
	Enter track elements	**Place the red line at the beginning of the new element and press "start" in the Element Window. Then, place the red line at the end and press "end". Anvil will ask you to specify the element's attributes.**
Modify track elements	Delete or edit	Select a track element and press "del" or "edit" in the **Element Window**.
	Change size	Place red line to where you want the left/right border of an element be moved. Then press "cut" or "extend" in the **Element Window**.
Change layout	Edit > Options...	Having changed the position and size of the windows, press "Take over" in the line "Window layout". Anvil will preserve the new layout. To go back to standard layout, select "Reset".
Search	Edit > Search active track	In the upcoming window you can add search criteria in the form of attribute values.
Import PRAAT files	File > Open	Anvil can read three types of PRAAT Short text files: (a) TextGrid files contain annotations, (b) PitchTier files contain pitch and (c) IntensityTier files contain intensity.
Bookmarks	Bookmarks > Add bookmark	Places bookmark at position of the red line. The bookmark will appear in the "Bookmarks" menu and can be clicked to return to this point.
View options	View > Video size	Video size can be set to different percentages. Anvil will re-size other windows respectively (unless layout is user-defined!)
	View > Show comment	If switched off, the free-form track element comments will not be shown in the **Element Window**.
	Collapsing groups	Groups can be collapsed to make the annotation more readable by double-clicking on the group or selecting **View > Groups > ...**
Java version	? > Info	Displays versions of your operating system, Java and JMF.
Create project	Tools > Project Tool	Starts Project Tool which is good for browsing and searching a number of annotations.
	Add annotation files	Add annotation files in the Project Tool by pressing "add" and then save the project with **File > Save**.
	Search all annotations	Now you can search all annotations of the project using **Edit > Find track elements**.