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Figure 1. Comparison of the cross-curricular competencies in the post-test between teaching methods: traditional and PBL.

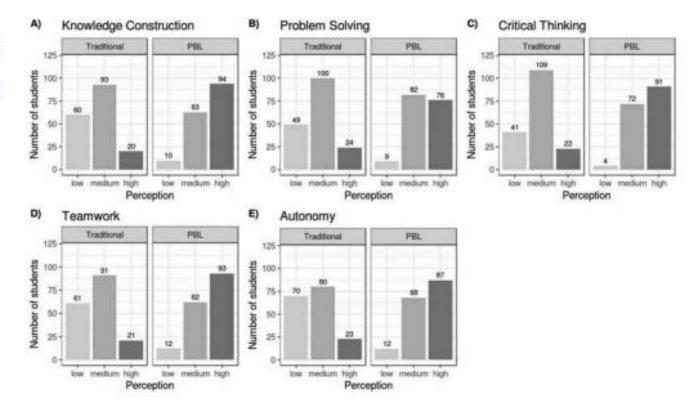


Figure 2. Scores (partials) comparison according to the teaching methods: traditional and PBL.

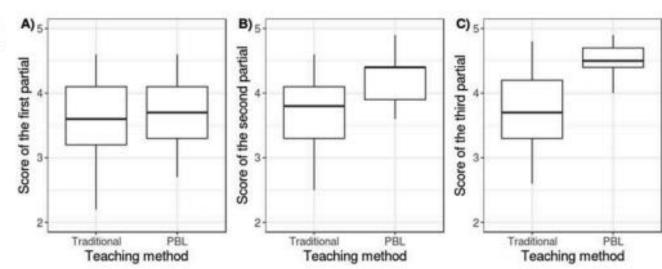
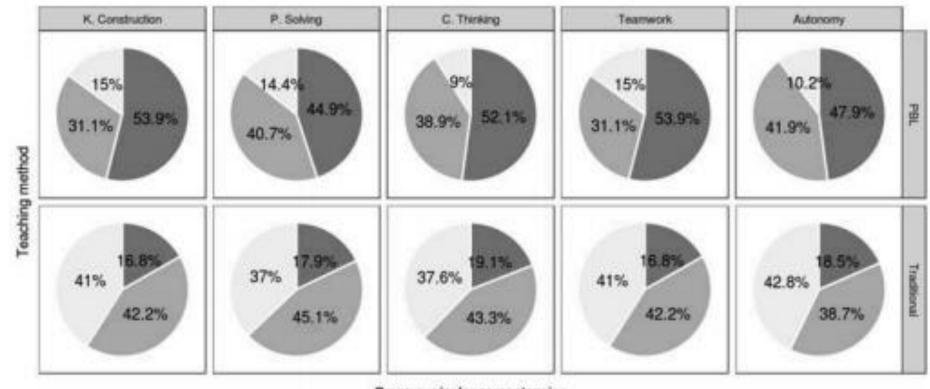


Figure 3. Change in the perception of the pre-test to post-test in each cross-curricular competencies according to the teaching method: PBL (n = 167) and traditional (n = 173).



Cross-curricular competencies

Change Negative Equal Positive

|   | Chi-square | Df | Significance<br>asymptote<br>(bilateral) |
|---|------------|----|--|
| Do you understand the theories of Economic<br>Development?  | 43.574     | 2  | <0.05                                    |
| Can you analyse the benefits and disadvantages of<br>a country's potential economic decisions through<br>cost-benefit analysis?                     | 19.936     | 2  | <0.05                                    |
| Can you demonstrate your knowledge of the fundamental and technical concepts of development economics through qualitative and quantitative methods? | .080       | 2  | 0.583                                    |
| Do you understand the process of economic development from multiple theoretical approaches?   | 6.069      | 2  | <0.05                                    |
| Can you apply the different measures of poverty and inequality within a local context?  | 2.907      | 2  | 0.234                                    |

Figure 4. Questions related to accomplishment of course objectives.

