The Items in Each of the 4-Item IPIP Scales Measuring Constructs Similar to Those in the 30 NEO-PI-R Facet Scales (Johnson, 2014)

N1: ANXIETY(Alpha = .78)

+ keyed Worry about things.

Fear for the worst.

Am afraid of many things.

Get stressed out easily.

N2: ANGER (.87)

+ keyed Get angry easily.

Get irritated easily.

Lose my temper.

- Am not easily annoyed.

N3: DEPRESSION (.85)

+ keyed Often feel blue.

Dislike myself.

Am often down in the dumps.

Feel comfortable with myself.

N4: SELF-CONSCIOUSNESS (.70)

+ keyed Find it difficult to approach others.

Am afraid to draw attention to myself.

Only feel comfortable with friends.

– Am not bothered by difficult social situations.

N5: IMMODERATION (.69)

Go on binges.

keyed

Rarely overindulge.

Easily resist temptations.

Am able to control my cravings.

N6: VULNERABILITY (.76)

+ keyed Panic easily.

Become overwhelmed by events.

Feel that I'm unable to deal with things.

- Remain calm under pressure.

E1: FRIENDLINESS (.81)

+ keyed Make friends easily.

Feel comfortable around people.

Avoid contacts with others.

Keep others at a distance.

E2: GREGARIOUSNESS (.79)

+ keyed Love large parties.

Talk to a lot of different people at parties.

Prefer to be alone.

Avoid crowds.

E3: ASSERTIVENESS (.85)

+ keyed Take charge.

Try to lead others.

Take control of things.

Wait for others to lead the way.

E4: ACTIVITY LEVEL (.69)

+ keyed Am always busy.

Am always on the go.

Do a lot in my spare time.

- Like to take it easy.

E5: EXCITEMENT-SEEKING (.73)

+ keyed Love excitement.

Seek adventure.

Enjoy being reckless.

Act wild and crazy.

E6: CHEERFULNESS (.79)

+ keyed Radiate joy.

Have a lot of fun.

Love life.

Look at the bright side of life.

O1: IMAGINATION (.74)

+ keyed Have a vivid imagination.

Enjoy wild flights of fantasy.

Love to daydream.

Like to get lost in thought.

O2: ARTISTIC INTERESTS (.74)

+ keved Believe in the importance of art.

See beauty in things that others might not notice.

boyed Do not like poetry.

Do not enjoy going to art museums.

O3: EMOTIONALITY (.65)

+ keyed Experience my emotions intensely.

Feel others' emotions.

Rarely notice my emotional reactions.

Don't understand people who get emotional.

O4: ADVENTUROUSNESS (.70)

+ keyed Prefer variety to routine.

Prefer to stick with things that I know.

Dislike changes.

Am attached to conventional ways.

O5: INTELLECT (.73)

+ keyed Love to read challenging material.

Avoid philosophical discussions.

Have difficulty understanding abstract ideas. Am not interested in theoretical discussions.

O6: LIBERALISM (.63)

+ keved Tend to vote for liberal political candidates.

Believe that there is no absolute right and wrong.

 Tend to vote for conservative political keyed candidates.

Believe that we should be tough on crime.

A1: TRUST (.85)

+ Trust others.

Believe that others have good intentions.

Trust what people say.

keyed Distrust people.

A2: MORALITY (.74)

Use others for my own ends.

Cheat to get ahead.

Take advantage of others.

Obstruct others' plans.

A3: ALTRUISM (.73)

+ keyed Am concerned about others.

Love to help others.

Am indifferent to the feelings of others.

Take no time for others.

A4: COOPERATION (.71)

Love a good fight.

Yell at people.

Insult people.

Get back at others.

A5: MODESTY (.73)

Believe that I am better than others.

Think highly of myself.

Have a high opinion of myself.

Boast about my virtues.

A6: SYMPATHY (.72)

+ keved Sympathize with the homeless.

Feel sympathy for those who are worse off than myself.

Am not interested in other people's problems.

Try not to think about the needy.

C1: SELF-EFFICACY (.77)

keved Complete tasks successfully.

Excel in what I do.

Handle tasks smoothly.

Know how to get things done.

C2: ORDERLINESS (.83)

+ keyed Like to tidy up.

 Often forget to put things back in their proper keyed place.

Leave a mess in my room.

Leave my belongings around.

C3: DUTIFULNESS (.67)

+ keyed Keep my promises.

Tell the truth.

– keyed Break rules.

Break my promises.

C4: ACHIEVEMENT-STRIVING (.79)

+ beyond Do more than what's expected of me.

Work hard.

Put little time and effort into my work.

Do just enough work to get by.

C5: SELF-DISCIPLINE (.71)

+ keyed Am always prepared.

Carry out my plans.

– keyed Waste my time.

Have difficulty starting tasks.

C6: CAUTIOUSNESS (.88)

- Jump into things without thinking.

Make rash decisions.

Rush into things.

Act without thinking.

Johnson, J. A. (2014). Measuring thirty facets of the Five Factor Model with a 120-item public domain inventory: Development of the IPIP-NEO-120. *Journal of Research in Personality*, 51, 78-89.

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