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This R Markdown document details the code used to generate the figures and graphs for a study on the impact of intrinsic variables on parental care coordination in wandering albatrosses. It covers the creation of the models used to extract regression lines and the creation of the figures themselves. it is strongly recommended that this R markdown document be viewed alongside the R markdown document for the main study results for added context.

The setup code is featured below. This includes importing the required raw data for the graphs.

### **Model Creation**

Different versions of the models used in the papers main body must be created in order to extract the regression lines used in the graphs. This model examines the effects of intrinsic variables on the individual foraging trip duration and coordination strength exhibited by breeding wandering albatrosses. As some variables are presented scaled while other are

presented in their original units, two versions of each model must be computed: incubation (scaled and unscaled) and brooding (scaled and unscaled). Thus four models (plus their associated model averaging steps) are outlined below.

Altogether, these models and their model averaging steps will take between 12 and 24 hours to run.

### Incubation models

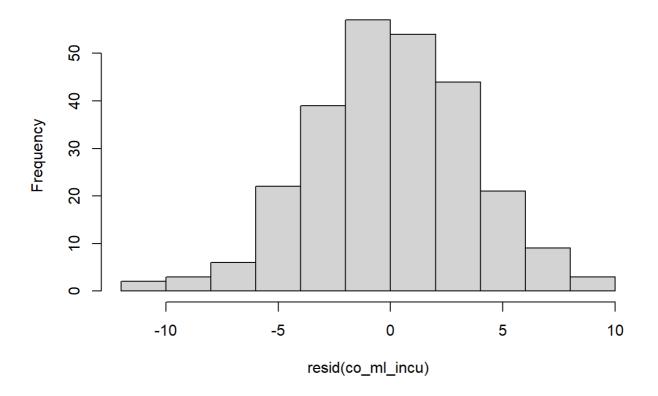
Below is the code for the model and model averaging using unscaled variables for the incubation subset. The model averaged object produced at the end will be used in the graphs.

```
# run the incubation model without scaled variables to get p_age regression line
co_ml_incu_r<- lmer(no_hours_sqrt ~</pre>
                       sex +
                       pers +
                      p_pers+
                      age+
                       age_sq +
                       p_age+
                      p_age_sq+
                      NumDays+
                      new_part+
                       ppb_ave_diff+
                       age:pers+
                      age_sq:pers+
                       age:ppb_ave_diff+
                      age_sq:ppb_ave_diff+
                       pers:ppb ave diff+
                      new_part:ppb_ave_diff+
                      p_age:p_pers+
                      p_age_sq:p_pers+
                      p_age:ppb_ave_diff+
                      p_age_sq:ppb_ave_diff+
                      p_pers:ppb_ave_diff+
                      p_pers:sex+
                      pers:sex+
                       (1|cycle) + (1+ppb ave diff|cycle pair),
                    data = incu_new2, na.action=na.fail, REML=FALSE,
                    control=lmerControl (optimizer="optimx",optCtrl=list(method=
         'nlminb')))
summary(co_ml_incu_r)
# dredging to create model set
# linking age variables with their quadratic counterpart so either both or neithe
         r are retained
dr_cmin_r<-dredge(co_ml_incu_r, subset = (dc(age, age_sq) &&</pre>
                                             dc(p_age, p_age_sq) &&
                                             dc(age_sq, age) &&
                                             dc(p_age_sq, p_age)))
dr_cmin_r # view full model list
# confidence set creation
sub_m1_incu_r<-subset(dr_cmin_r, delta<2) ##subsets models delta >2
# remove nested models
nest_m1_incur <- subset(sub_m1_incu_r, !nested(.)) # removes nested models</pre>
#model averaging this object is used to get the regression line
modavm1_incur<-model.avg(nest_m1_incur, delta<2, fit = TRUE, revised.var = TRUE)</pre>
```

Below is the code for the model and model averaging using scaled variables for the incubation subset. This is the same model used in the paper's main body. The model averaged object produced at the end will be used in the graphs.

```
# run original, scaled incu model
co_ml_incu<- lmer(no_hours_sqrt ~</pre>
                    sex +
                    pers_sc +
                    p_pers_sc+
                    age_sc +
                    age_sq_sc +
                    p_age_sc+
                    p_age_sq_sc+
                    num_days_sc+
                    new_part+
                    ppb_ave_diff_sc+
                    age_sc:pers_sc+
                    age_sq_sc:pers_sc+
                    age_sc:ppb_ave_diff_sc+
                    age_sq_sc:ppb_ave_diff_sc+
                    pers_sc:ppb_ave_diff_sc+
                    new_part:ppb_ave_diff_sc+
                    p_age_sc:p_pers_sc+
                    p_age_sq_sc:p_pers_sc+
                    p_age_sc:ppb_ave_diff_sc+
                    p_age_sq_sc:ppb_ave_diff_sc+
                    p_pers_sc:ppb_ave_diff_sc+
                    p_pers_sc:sex+
                    pers_sc:sex +
                    (1|cycle) + (1+ppb_ave_diff_sc|cycle_pair),
                  data = incu_new2, na.action=na.fail, REML=FALSE,
                  control=lmerControl (optimizer="optimx",optCtrl=list(method='nl
         minb')))
summary(co_ml_incu)
hist(resid(co_ml_incu))
```

#### Histogram of resid(co\_ml\_incu)

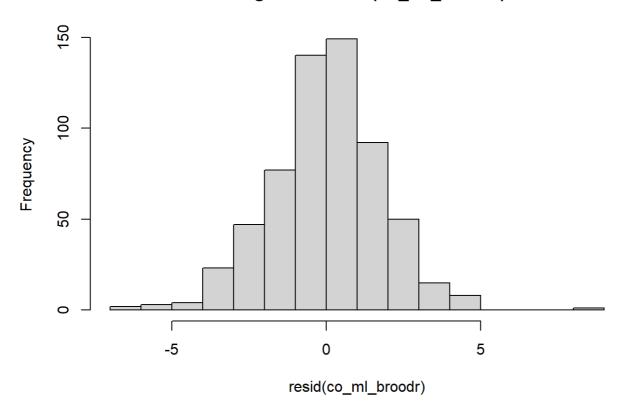


### Brooding models

Below is the code for the model and model averaging using unscaled variables for the brooding subset. The model averaged object produced at the end will be used in the graphs.

```
# run unscaled brooding model
co_ml_broodr<- lmer(no_hours_sqrt ~</pre>
                     sex +
                     pers +
                     p_pers+
                     age_sq+
                     age +
                     p_age+
                     p_age_sq+
                     NumDays+
                     new_part+
                     ppb_ave_diff+
                     age:pers+
                     age_sq:pers+
                     age:ppb_ave_diff+
                     age_sq:ppb_ave_diff+
                     pers:ppb_ave_diff+
                     new_part:ppb_ave_diff+
                     p_age:p_pers_sc+
                     p_age_sq:p_pers+
                     p_age:ppb_ave_diff+
                     p_age_sq:ppb_ave_diff+
                     p_pers:ppb_ave_diff+
                     p_pers:sex +
                     pers:sex +
                     (1|cycle) + (1+ppb_ave_diff_sc|cycle_pair),
                   data = brood_new2, na.action=na.fail, REML=FALSE,
                   control=lmerControl (optimizer="optimx",optCtrl=list(method='n
         lminb')))
summary(co_ml_broodr)
hist(resid(co_ml_broodr))
```

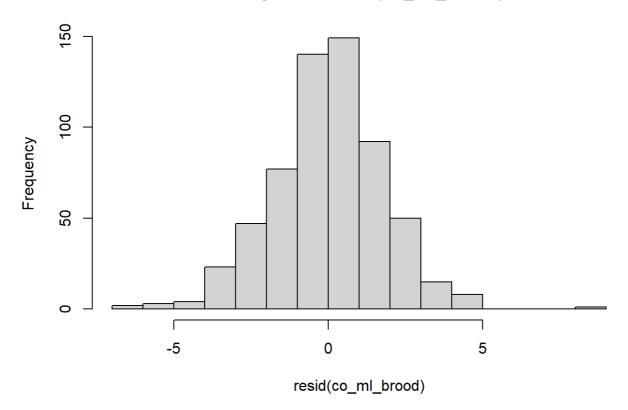
#### Histogram of resid(co\_ml\_broodr)



Below is the code for the model and model averaging using scaled variables for the brooding subset. This is the same model used in the paper's main body. The model averaged object produced at the end will be used in the graphs.

```
# run original brooding model
co_ml_brood<- lmer(no_hours_sqrt ~</pre>
                     sex +
                     pers_sc +
                     p_pers_sc+
                     age_sc +
                     age_sq_sc +
                     p_age_sc+
                     p_age_sq_sc+
                     num_days_sc+
                     new_part+
                     ppb_ave_diff_sc+
                     age_sc:pers_sc+
                     age_sq_sc:pers_sc+
                     age_sc:ppb_ave_diff_sc+
                     age_sq_sc:ppb_ave_diff_sc+
                     pers_sc:ppb_ave_diff_sc+
                     new_part:ppb_ave_diff_sc+
                     p_age_sc:p_pers_sc+
                     p_age_sq_sc:p_pers_sc+
                     p_age_sc:ppb_ave_diff_sc+
                     p_age_sq_sc:ppb_ave_diff_sc+
                     p_pers_sc:ppb_ave_diff_sc+
                     p_pers_sc:sex +
                     pers_sc:sex +
                     (1|cycle) + (1+ppb_ave_diff_sc|cycle_pair),
                   data = brood_new2, na.action=na.fail, REML=FALSE,
                   control=lmerControl (optimizer="optimx",optCtrl=list(method='n
         lminb')))
summary(co_ml_brood)
hist(resid(co_ml_brood))
```

#### Histogram of resid(co\_ml\_brood)



## Figure 1

### Figure 1A: Partner boldness and trip duration

This graph illustrates the impact of partner boldness on individual trip duration.

First the regression line for partner boldness from the SCALED incubation model is extracted. Boldness score is always presented scaled.

```
#y axis = individual trip duration / no hours, x axis = scaled pers score
#(to match other pers graphs), regression line taken from scaled model

# extract regression line
mA_in<-summary(modavm1_incu)
ppers_dat <- plot_model(mA_in, type = "pred", terms = c("p_pers_sc"))</pre>
```

## Error: Confidence intervals could not be computed.

```
ppers_dat<- data.frame(ppers_dat$data)

## knitr 1a-sqrt
# non-square root data for plotting
ppers_dat_unsqr<- data.frame(x=ppers_dat$x, predicted=ppers_dat$predicted^2)</pre>
```

Then the regression line data is squared so it matches the raw data

Finally Figure 1A is produced using ggplot2 and the raw data.

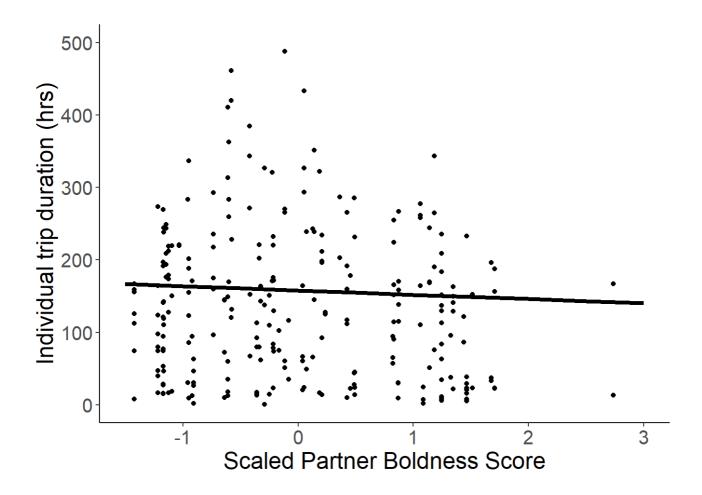


Figure 1B: Partner age and trip duration

This graph illustrates the impact of partner age on individual trip duration.

First the regression line for partner age from the UNSCALED incubation model is extracted. Age is presented unscaled for clarity.

```
# x axis = partner age, y axis = individual trip duration, incubation only,
#regression line taken from unscaled model to match x axis

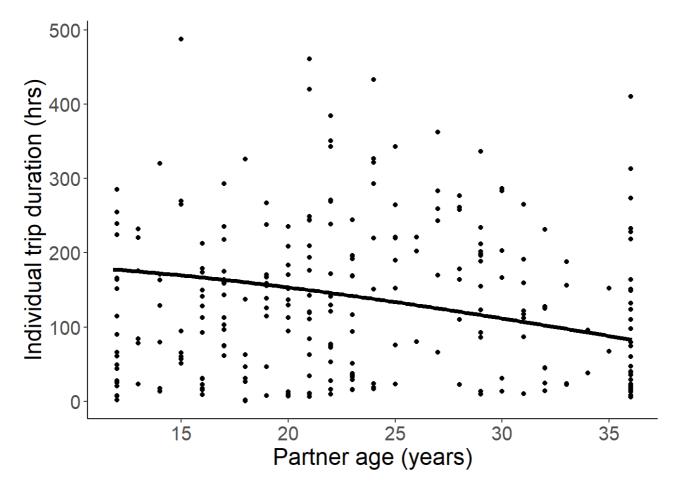
# extract regression line
mA_inr<-summary(modavm1_incur)
age_dat <- plot_model(mA_inr, type = "pred", terms = c("p_age_sq"))</pre>
```

## Error: Confidence intervals could not be computed.

```
age_dat<- data.frame(age_dat$data)
```

As before, the regression line is squared to account for the transformed response variable in the original model.

The graph is produced using ggplot and the raw data.



Figures 1A and 1 B are combined outside R and labeled as they appear in the paper's main body.

## Figure 2A, B & C

This graph compares the effects of female, male and partner boldness on trip duration during brooding. The three regression lines are extracted individually and used to produce three graphs which are combined together outside R. All these graph used the scaled brooding model.

The regression lines are extracted. Initially the male and female regression lines are extracted together

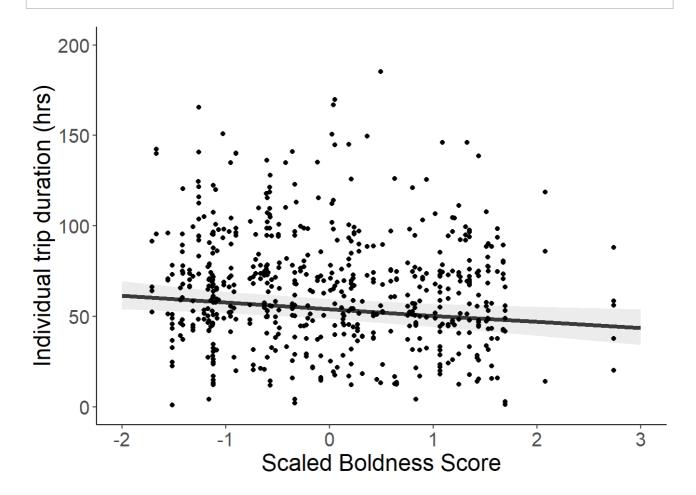
The data are squared.

The male and female regression lines are separated.

```
# male and female data are subsetted
brpers_unsqr$group<- as.factor(brpers_unsqr$group)
brpers_unsqr_males<-subset(brpers_unsqr, group == "Male")
brpers_unsqr_females<-subset(brpers_unsqr, group == "Female")</pre>
```

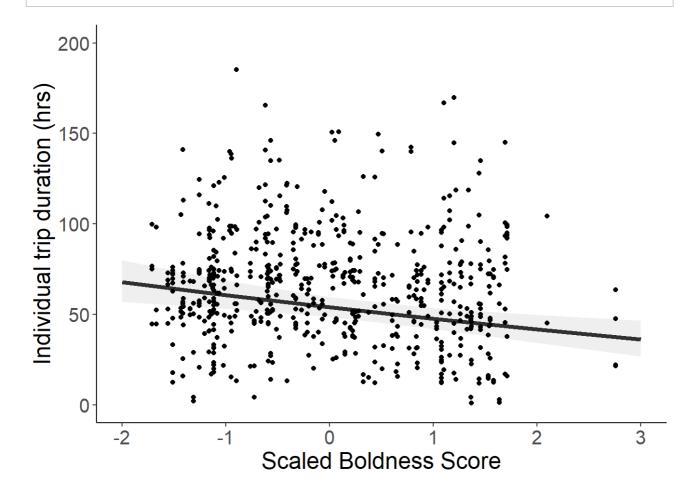
Three graphs are produced. As per the figure heading in the paper's body, the axes are limited to exclude one outlier for clarity. This results in a warning message. The graphs are combined and labeled outside of R for inclusion in the paper.

## Warning: Removed 1 rows containing missing values (geom\_point).



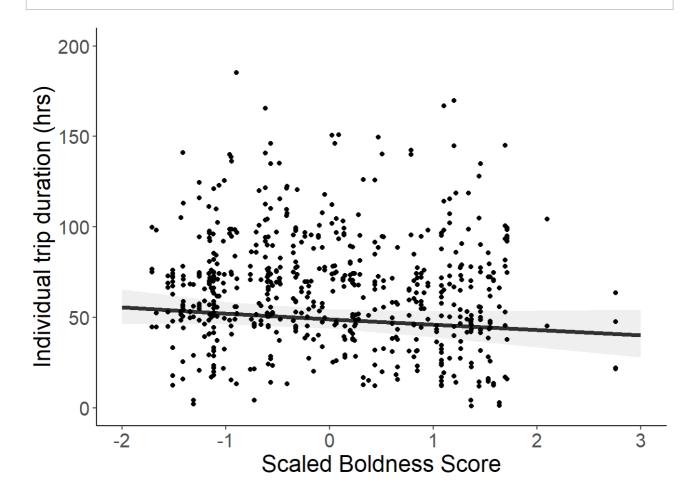
```
#females
pers_graph_f < -ggplot(aes(x = x, y = predicted), data = brpers_unsqr) + # regressio
         n line for pers variable
 geom\_line(aes(x = x, y = predicted), data = brpers\_unsqr\_females, size =1.5, co
         lour = "black") +# regression line for female variable
 geom_ribbon (fill= "grey", alpha=0.25,data = brpers_unsqr_females, aes(ymin=ci
         l,ymax=cih))+
 geom_point(aes(x = pers_sc, y = no_hours), data = brood_new2) +
 theme_bw(base_size =15) +
 xlab("Scaled Boldness Score")+
 ylab("Individual trip duration (hrs)")+
 ylim (0, 200) +
 theme_classic()+
 theme(axis.text = element_text(size = 15))+
 theme(axis.title= element_text(size=18))
pers_graph_f
```

## Warning: Removed 1 rows containing missing values (geom\_point).



```
#males
pers_graph_m < -ggplot(aes(x = x, y = predicted), data = brpers_unsqr) + regressio
         n line for pers variable
 geom_line(aes(x = x, y = predicted), data = brpers_unsqr_males, size =1.5, colo
         ur = "black") +
 geom_ribbon (fill= "grey", alpha=0.25,data = brpers_unsqr_males, aes(ymin=cil,y
         max=cih))+
 geom_point(aes(x = pers_sc, y = no_hours), data = brood_new2) +
 theme_bw(base_size =15) +
 xlab("Scaled Boldness Score")+
 ylab("Individual trip duration (hrs)")+
 ylim (0, 200) +
 theme_classic()+
 theme(axis.text = element_text(size = 15))+
 theme(axis.title= element_text(size=18))
pers_graph_m
```

## Warning: Removed 1 rows containing missing values (geom\_point).



## Figure 3A & B

This graph demonstrates the relationship between individual trip duration and partner's previous trip duration, which is indicative of coordination strength within the population. This code uses the unscaled version of both the incubation and brooding models.

The regression lines for partners previous trip duration are extracted individually from the incubation and brooding models.

## Error: Confidence intervals could not be computed.

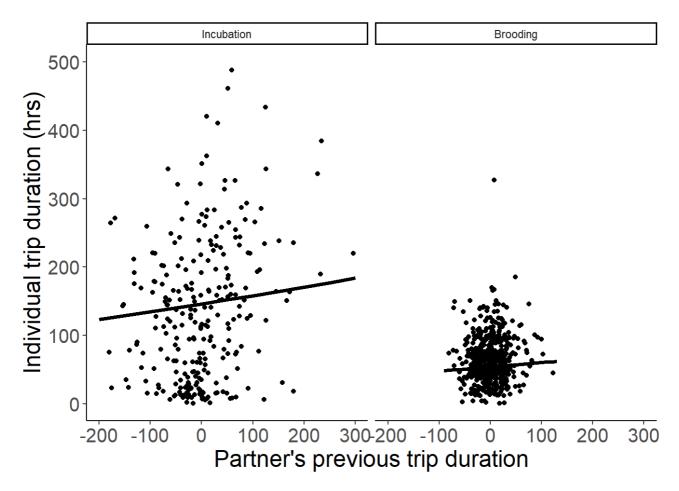
This code starts the process of making incubation and brooding appear in a logical order in the graph (with incubation on the left). if this portion of the code is run multiple times the graph will appear with all data points under 'brooding'.

As before, the dependent variable is squared to account for its previous transformation.

```
# Compute the non-square-rooted data for plotting
inDatr.unsqr<- data.frame(x=inDat$x, predicted=inDat$predicted^2)
brDatsq.unsqr<- data.frame(x=brDatsq$x, predicted=brDatsq$predicted^2)</pre>
```

This code finishes the process of labeling the data so they appear in a logical order.

The final graph is produced using the raw data and ggplot. Some aesthetic edits (e.g. adding A & B) are added outside R.



All aspects of the three graphs have now been created.