

Supplementary Materials: Table 1 with annotations

Each theoretical premise in Table 1 is based on previously published literature. In most cases there are many examples of each claim – our goal here is not to present an exhaustive list of all work that has made these claims, but to provide notable examples.

Table 1b. *Premises of past and present research on the AMP and their logical conclusions, with annotated references*

	Research question/issue			
	Implicitness		Mechanism	Validity
	Awareness	Intentionality		
1. Common theoretical premises	AMP effects are implicit in the sense of unaware ^{1, 2} -	AMP effects are implicit in the sense of unintentional ³ -	AMP effects are mediated by misattribution ⁴ Misattribution only occurs in the absence of awareness ⁶	The AMP effect is a valid measure of evaluations ⁵ -
2. Premises based on previous work	Previous literature on the AMP effect's unawareness contains many statistical, methodological, and conceptual issues that weaken its conclusions ⁷	Previous literature on the AMP effect's unintentionality contains many statistical, methodological, and conceptual issues that weaken its conclusions ⁷	-	-
3. Premises derived from the current work	Our results suggest that AMP effects are driven by awareness	-	Our results suggest that AMP effects are driven by awareness	AMP effects demonstrate structural invalidity in the majority of participants (i.e., when influence-awareness is not high)
Logical conclusions	The AMP effect is not implicit in the sense of unaware	There is no clear evidence to suggest that the AMP is implicit in the sense of unintentional	The AMP effect is not mediated by misattribution	The AMP effect is not a structurally-valid measure of evaluations for the majority of individuals

Notes: Premises and conclusions are arranged vertically in columns, so that conclusions follow from the premises above them.

¹ Bar-Anan & Nosek (2012): “the effect of attitudes in the AMP *depends* on people’s unawareness of that effect” (p. 1195)

² Payne et al. (2005): “We suspect that if participants recognized that their judgment on any given trial was being influenced by the prime, they would be able to correct by simply giving the opposite response . . . the effect was difficult to control because participants did not believe they were experiencing it.” (p. 291)

³ Payne et al. (2005): “Those evaluations that bias performance nonetheless are taken to reflect automatic (i.e., unintentional) influences of attitudes.” (p.278)

⁴ Payne & Lundberg (2014): “The evidence to date suggests that misattribution is the best supported mechanism by which primes influence responses in the AMP.” (p.667)

⁵ This is tacitly endorsed by any paper which uses the AMP to study a domain on the assumption that it is a valid measure of attitudes, stereotypes, identities, etc. (agnostic to its implicitness), for example with race (Payne et al., 2005; Ditonto, Lau, & Sears, 2013; although see Teige-Mocigemba, Becker, Sherman, Reichardt, & Klauer, 2017), gender (Ye & Gawronski, 2018), sexuality (Imhoff, Schmidt, Bernhardt, Dierksmeier, & Banse, 2011), political beliefs (Payne et al., 2005; Kalmoe & Piston, 2013), or many clinically relevant behaviours such as eating disorders, non-suicidal self-injury, alcoholism, anxiety, depressive symptoms, or physical abuse of children (Fox et al., 2018; Görden, Joormann, Hiller, & Witthöft, 2015; Jasper & Witthöft, 2013; McCarthy, Skowronski, Crouch, & Milner, 2017; Smith, Forrest, Velkoff, Ribeiro, & Franklin, 2018; Zerhouni, Bègue, Comiran, & Wiers, 2018; for a recent review see Payne & Lundberg, 2014).

⁶ Payne et al. (2005): “Only if the participant is unable to separate his or her reaction to the [prime] from his or her reaction to the symbol will any misattribution occur” (p.278; see also footnote 2).

⁷ See the introduction section of our article.