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1 Description of file

Analyses – including data cleaning, descriptive statistics, and power estimates – for this project were documented using a series of RMarkdown (.Rmd) files. This document aggregates all files, in the order in which they are meant to be run, into a single RMarkdown file and compiles the output into a single PDF. Those interested in reproducing this document should do the following:

- Check that LaTex has been installed on their machine.
- Create an RStudio project to store the data and scripts included on this OSF page.
- Download the supplementary workspace (scripts and data) as they are organized on the OSF page specifically this means including data in a folder called "deidentified data" and scripts in a folder called "scripts." These folders should be saved in the RStudio project directory.
- Check that the file called renv.lock is downloaded and located in the RStudio project folder. This contains a snapshot of the packages and their versions used in this project.

1.1 Reproducibility

In an effort to facilitate the reproducibility of our findings, we have used the renv package to document the packages and versions used in this study and to allow others to recreate our working environment. We recommend the following steps to set up your environment before attempting to run any of the code on your local machine:

- 1. Use R Version 4.2.3. There are several ways to change the version of R active. We found RSwitch to be the easiest method for toggling between versions of R (only available for Mac).
- 2. Install the renv package and then run the function renv::restore. This will read the contained renv.lock file to identify which packages (and versions) are necessary for this project, download the required package version from CRAN and install it on your machine.

These two steps should ensure that our code reproduces results identical those reported in our manuscript in supplemental files.

2 Cleaning

The current section documents the data cleaning process.

2.1 Workspace

```
library(here) # for working with files
library(tidyverse) # for cleaning
library(janitor) # for variable names
library(stringi) # for generating random strings
library(glmmTMB) # for multilevel modeling
library(broom) # for presenting results
library(sjPlot) # for figures
library(ggpubr) # for prettier plots
library(kableExtra) # for nicer tables
library(stringdist) # for scoring memory task
library(papaja) # for pretty numbers
library(psych) # for correlation tests
library(broom.mixed) # for tidying multilevel models
```

2.2 Change participant ID values

Before we begin, we create new versions of each data_t1 file that can be shared for purposes of reproducibility. These data_t1 files do not include variables that contain potentially identifying meta-data_t1 (e.g., IP address, latitude and longitude). Importantly, we also replace all Prolific ID values with new, random strings, to prevent the possibility that these participants are later identified. We also fix an error that can be introduced through Qualtrics, specifically that all or parts of the text string "Value will be set from panel or URL" is sometimes entered into the text box for ID. Prolific ID values are always 24 characters long and start with a number – we search for strings that meet this criteria.

(We note that the code chunks in this subsection are turned off in the RMarkdown file - eval = F - as readers will not be able to run these chunks.)

```
-response_id,
            -external_reference,
            -distribution channel,
           -user_language,
            -starts_with("recipient"),
            -starts_with("location"),
            -starts_with("meta_info"),
            -prolific_pid)
  data_obj = data_obj %>%
    mutate(proid = str_extract(proid, "\\d([[:alnum:]]{23})"))
  return(data_obj)
data_t1 <- load_data("data/data_t1.rds")</pre>
data_2A <- load_data("data/data_2A.rds")</pre>
data_2B <- load_data("data/data_2B.rds")</pre>
data_2C <- load_data("data/data_2C.rds")</pre>
data_2D <- load_data("data/data_2D.rds")</pre>
```

2.3 Manually update entries

Several participants notified us of mistaken answers after completing the survey. We fix those entries here.

```
data_t1$sex[data_t1$proid == "63b7d7a4ab0b515649d4f4de"] = "Female"
data_t1$devicetype[data_t1$proid == "60da4f9aa1ced7efeecca18a"] = "Tablet (for example, iPad, Galaxy Taddata_t1$inaccurate_responses[data_t1$proid == "60da4f9aa1ced7efeecca18a"] = "No"
```

2.4 Deidentify data – only run after data collection is complete

We identify all unique participant IDs. For each, we generate a new string, Then we replace the original ID values with the new strings.

```
data_2B$proid[data_2B$proid == original_id[i]] <- new_id[i]
data_2C$proid[data_2C$proid == original_id[i]] <- new_id[i]
data_2D$proid[data_2D$proid == original_id[i]] <- new_id[i]
}</pre>
```

We end by saving each data_t1 frame as new .csv files, to be uploaded to OSF and shared for reproduction.

```
write_csv(data_t1, file = here("deidentified data/data_time1.csv"))
write_csv(data_2A, file = here("deidentified data/data_time2_A.csv"))
write_csv(data_2B, file = here("deidentified data/data_time2_B.csv"))
write_csv(data_2C, file = here("deidentified data/data_time2_C.csv"))
write_csv(data_2D, file = here("deidentified data/data_time2_D.csv"))

data_t1 <- read_csv(here("deidentified data/data_time1.csv"))
data_2A <- read_csv(here("deidentified data/data_time2_A.csv"))
data_2B <- read_csv(here("deidentified data/data_time2_B.csv"))
data_2C <- read_csv(here("deidentified data/data_time2_C.csv"))
data_2D <- read_csv(here("deidentified data/data_time2_D.csv"))</pre>
```

2.5 Time 1

We rename several columns, in order to facilitate the use of regular expressions later. Specifically, we remove the underscores (_) in the columns pertaining to broad-mindedness and self-disciplined.

```
names(data_t1) = str_replace(names(data_t1), "broad_mind", "broadmind")
names(data_t1) = str_replace(names(data_t1), "self_disciplind", "self_disciplined")
```

We can also remove the meta-data (timing, etc) around two attention check adjectives, "human" and "asleep".

2.5.1 Recode personality item responses to numeric

We recode the responses to personality items, which we downloaded as text strings. We chose to use text strings as opposed to numbers to avoid any possibility that the Qualtrics-set coding was incorrect. We start this process by identifying the personality items (p_items) using regular expressions. All personality items take a format like outgoing_a or helpful_b_2; that is, they start with the adjective, followed by a letter indicating with which condition or item format the adjective was presented, and sometimes they are followed by a 2, indicating it was the second time the participant saw the adjective. We can represent this pattern using regular expressions.

```
p_items = str_extract(names(data_t1), "^[[:alpha:]]*_[abcd](_2)?$")
p_items = p_items[!is.na(p_items)]
personality_items = select(data_t1, proid, all_of(p_items))
```

Next, we write a simple function to recode values. We find the case_when function to be the most clear method of communicating the recoding process when moving from string to numeric.

```
recode_p = function(x){
    y = case_when(
        x == "Very inaccurate" ~ 1,
        x == "Moderately inaccurate" ~ 2,
        x == "Slightly inaccurate" ~ 3,
        x == "Slightly accurate" ~ 4,
        x == "Moderately accurate" ~ 5,
        x == "Very accurate" ~ 6,
        TRUE ~ NA_real_)
    return(y)
}
```

Finally, we apply this function to all personality items.

```
personality_items = personality_items %>%
    # apply to all variables except proid
mutate(across(!c(proid), recode_p))
```

Now we merge the recoded values back into the data_t1.

```
# remove personality items from data file
data_t1 = select(data_t1, -all_of(p_items))
# merge in recoded personality items
data_t1 = full_join(data_t1, personality_items)
```

2.5.2 Drop bots and inattentive participants

2.5.2.1 Based on ID Recall that when preparing the data files for sharing, we replaced all Prolific IDs with random strings. A consequence of this cleaning is that any ID entered that did not have a string meeting the Prolific ID format requirements (24 character, starting with a number) was replaced with NA. To remove these bots, we can simply filter out missing ID values.

We removed 0 participants without valid Prolific IDs. (This likely occurred based on sharing of the survey link among Prolific users.)

```
data_t1 = data_t1 %>%
  filter(english %in% c("Well", "Very well (fluent/native)"))
```

- 2.5.2.2 Based on language We removed 1 participants that do not speak english well or very well.
- 2.5.2.3 Based on inattentive responding We expect to exclude any participant who has an average response of 4 ("slightly agree") or greater to the attention check items. Two items from the Inattentive and Deviant Responding Inventory for Adjectives (IDRIA) scale (Kay & Saucier, in prep) have been included here, in part to help evaluate the extent of inattentive responding but also to consider the effect of item wording on these items. The two items used here (i.e., "Asleep", "Human") were chosen to be as inconspicuous as possible, so as to not to inflate item response duration. The frequency item (i.e., "human") will be reverse-scored, so that higher scores on both the infrequency and frequency items reflect greater inattentive responding. Figure S1 shows the distribution of average responses to attention check items.

```
in_average = data_t1 %>%
  # reverse score human
mutate(across(matches("^human"), ~(.x*-1)+7)) %>%
  # select id and attention check items
select(proid, matches("^human"), matches("^asleep")) %>%
gather(item, response, -proid) %>%
filter(!is.na(response)) %>%
group_by(proid) %>%
summarise(avg = mean(response)) %>%
mutate(
  remove = case_when(
   avg >= 4 ~ "Remove",
   TRUE ~ "Keep"))
```

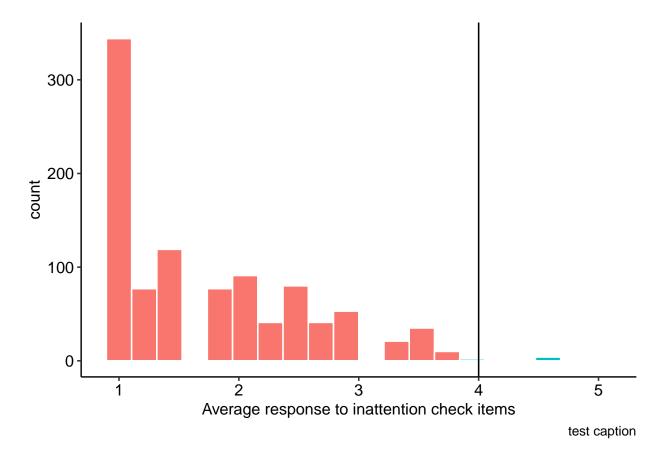


Figure S1: Average response to inattention check items

We remove 8 participants whose responses suggest inattention.

```
data_t1 = data_t1 %>%
  full_join(select(in_average, proid, remove)) %>%
  filter(remove != "Remove") %>%
  select(-remove)
```

2.5.2.4 Based on patterns We remove any participant who provides the same response to over half of the items (21 or more items) from a given block in a row.

To proceed, first we create a data frame containing just the responses to personality items in the first block.

```
# first, identify unique adjectives, in order
adjectives = p_items %>%
    str_remove_all("_.") %>%
    unique()

# extract block 1 questions using regular expressions
# these follow the personality item format described above, but never end with 2
block1 = data_t1 %>%
    select(proid, matches("^[[:alpha:]]+_[abcd]$"))
```

Next, we rename the variables. Instead of variable names identifying the specific adjective (e.g., outgoing_a), we need variable names which indicate the order in which the adjective was seen by the participant (e.g., trait01_a). This will help us determine patterns by item order, rather than adjective content. Participants all saw adjectives in the same order (i.e., all participants, regardless of condition, saw outgoing first).

We use gather and spread to quickly combine columns measuring the same trait. That is, instead of having columns trait01_a, trait01_b, trait01_c, and trait01_d, we now have a single column called trait01.

```
block1 = block1 %>%
  gather(item, response, -proid) %>%
  filter(!is.na(response)) %>%
  separate(item, into = c("item", "format")) %>%
  select(-format) %>%
  spread(item, response)
```

To count the number of runs, we loop through participants and, within participant, loop through columns. Within participant, we create an object called run. If a response to a personality item is the same as the participant's response to the previous item, we increase the value of run by 1. If this new value is the largest run value for that participant, it becomes the value of an object called maxrun. If the participant gives a new response, run is reset to 0. We record the maxrun value for each partipant in a variable called block1_runs.

```
block1_runs = numeric(length = nrow(block1))

for(i in 1:nrow(block1)){
   run = 0
   maxrun = 0
   for(j in 3:ncol(block1)){
      if(block1[i,j] == block1[i, j-1]){
       run = run+1
   }
}
```

```
if(run > maxrun) maxrun = run
} else{ run = 0}
}
block1_runs[i] = maxrun
}
#add to data_t1 frame
block1$block1_runs = block1_runs
```

Here we repeat the process described above with Block 2 data.

```
# extract block 2 questions
block2 = data_t1 %>%
  select(proid, matches("^[[:alpha:]]+_[abcd]_2$"))
#rename variables
n = 0
for(i in adjectives){
 n = n+1
  names(block2) = str_replace(names(block2), i, paste0("trait", str_pad(n, 2, pad = "0")))
block2 = block2 %>%
  gather(item, response, -proid) %>%
  filter(!is.na(response)) %>%
  mutate(item = str_remove(item, "_2")) %>%
  separate(item, into = c("item", "format")) %>%
  select(-format) %>%
  spread(item, response)
block2_runs = numeric(length = nrow(block2))
#identify max run for each participant
for(i in 1:nrow(block2)){
  run = 0
  maxrun = 0
  for(j in 3:ncol(block2)){
    if(block2[i,j] == block2[i, j-1]){
      run = run+1
      if(run > maxrun) maxrun = run
      } else{ run = 0}
  block2_runs[i] = maxrun
#add to data_t1 frame
block2$block2_runs = block2_runs
```

We combine the variables holding the maximum runs into a single data frame. We will remove participants if their maximum run in either block was greater than or equal to 21. See Figure S2 for a visualization of the spread and associations between run lengths across participants.

```
#combine results
runs_data = block1 %>%
  select(proid, block1_runs) %>%
  full_join(select(block2, proid, block2_runs)) %>%
  mutate(
   remove = case_when(
     block1_runs >= 21 ~ "Remove",
     block2_runs >= 21 ~ "Remove",
     TRUE ~ "Keep"
   ))
```

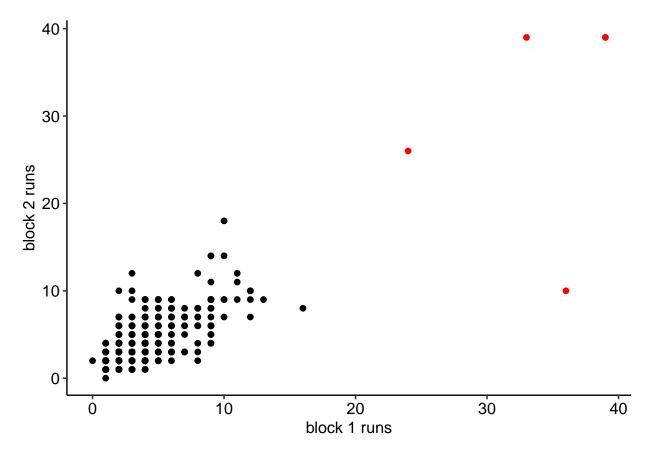


Figure S2: Maximum number of same consecutive responses in personality blocks.

There were 5 participants who provided the same answer 21 or more times in a row. These participants were removed from the analyses.

```
data_t1 = data_t1 %>%
  full_join(select(runs_data, proid, remove)) %>%
  filter(remove != "Remove") %>%
  select(-remove)
rm(runs_data)
```

2.5.2.5 Based on average time to respond to personality items First, select just the timing of the personality items. We do this by searching for specific strings: "t_[someword] [a or b or c or d] (maybe 2_)_page_submit."

```
timing_data = data_t1 %>%
select(proid, matches("t_[[:alpha:]]*_[abcd](_2)?_page_submit"))
```

Next we gather into long form and remove missing timing values

```
timing_data = timing_data %>%
  gather(variable, timing, -proid) %>%
  filter(!is.na(timing))
```

To check, each participant should have the same number of responses: 76.

```
timing_data %>%
  group_by(proid) %>%
  count() %>%
  ungroup() %>%
  summarise(min(n), max(n))

## # A tibble: 1 x 2
## 'min(n)' 'max(n)'
```

Excellent! Now we calculate the average response time per item for each participant. We mark a participant for removal if their average time is less than 1 second or greater than 30. See Figure S3 for a distribution of average response time.

```
timing_data = timing_data %>%
  group_by(proid) %>%
  summarise(m_time = mean(timing)) %>%
  mutate(remove = case_when(
    m_time < 1 ~ "Remove",
    m_time > 30 ~ "Remove",
    TRUE ~ "Keep"
))
```

```
data_t1 = inner_join(data_t1, filter(timing_data, remove == "Keep")) %>%
select(-remove)
```

Based on timing, we removed 9 participants.

##

1

<int>

76

<int>

76

We create a variable which indicates the Block 1 condition of each participant. This is used in two places: first, in recruiting participants at Time 2 (participants are given the same format at Time 2 as they received in Block 1), and second, in selecting the correct items during the test-retest analyses.

```
data_t1 = data_t1 %>%
  mutate(condition = case_when(
  !is.na(outgoing_a) ~ "A",
  !is.na(outgoing_b) ~ "B",
  !is.na(outgoing_c) ~ "C",
  !is.na(outgoing_d) ~ "D",
))
```

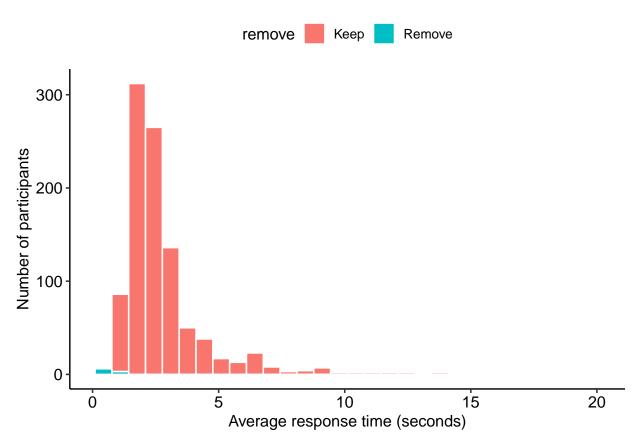


Figure S3: Distribution of average time to respond to personality items.

At this point, we'll extract the Prolific ID numbers. These participants will be eligible to take the survey at Time 2.

```
data_t1 %>%
  select(proid, condition) %>%
  write_csv(file = here("data/elligible_proid.csv"))
```

2.6 Time 2

```
data_2 = data_2A %>%
full_join(data_2B) %>%
full_join(data_2C) %>%
full_join(data_2D)
```

Rename the following columns.

We rename several columns, in order to facilitate the use of regular expressions later. Specifically, we remove the underscores () in the columns pertaining to broad-mindedness and self-disciplined.

```
names(data_2) = str_replace(names(data_2), "broad_mind", "broadmind")
names(data_2) = str_replace(names(data_2), "self_disciplind", "selfdisciplined")
```

We can also remove the meta-data (timing, etc) around two attention check adjectives, "human" and "asleep".

2.6.1 Recode personality item responses to numeric

We recode the responses to personality items, which we downloaded as text strings. Here, all items end with $_3$ and sometimes with $\verb"i."$

```
p_items_2 = str_extract(names(data_2), "^[[:alpha:]]*_[abcd]_3(i)?$")
p_items_2 = p_items_2[!is.na(p_items_2)]

personality_items_2 = select(data_2, proid, all_of(p_items_2))
```

We apply the recoding function to all personality items.

```
personality_items_2 = personality_items_2 %>%
  mutate(
    across(!c(proid), recode_p))
```

Now we merge this back into the data_2.

```
data_2 = select(data_2, -all_of(p_items_2))
data_2 = full_join(data_2, personality_items_2)
```

2.6.2 Drop bots and inattentive participants

This code recreates the steps outlined in detail above for Time 1. Please refer to the descriptions above for justification and explaination of the code presented here.

2.6.2.1 Based on ID We also check that the ID in time 2 matches an ID in time 1.

```
data_2 = data_2 %>%
filter(proid %in% data_t1$proid)
```

We removed 2 participants without valid Prolific IDs.

2.6.2.2 Based on inattentive responding Participants who respond positively to the adjective *asleep* or negatively to the word *human* are assumed to be inattentive. We filter out participants whose average response to these two items is greater than or equal to 4 (see Figure S4 for the distribution).

```
in_average = data_2 %>%

# reverse score human

mutate(across(matches("^human"), ~(.x*-1)+7)) %>%

# select id and attention check items
select(proid, matches("^human"), matches("^asleep")) %>%
gather(item, response, -proid) %>%
filter(!is.na(response)) %>%
group_by(proid) %>%
summarise(avg = mean(response)) %>%
mutate(
   remove = case_when(
    avg >= 4 ~ "Remove",
    TRUE ~ "Keep"))
```

We remove 7 participants whose responses suggest inattention.

```
data_2 = data_2 %>%
full_join(select(in_average, proid, remove)) %>%
filter(remove != "Remove") %>%
select(-remove)
```

2.6.2.3 Based on patterns We remove any participant who provides the same response to over half of the items (21 or more items) from a given block in a row. The distribution of runs in Time 2 is depicted in Figure S5.

```
# first, identify unique adjectives, in order
adjectives = p_items_2 %>%
    str_remove_all("_.") %>%
    unique()
```

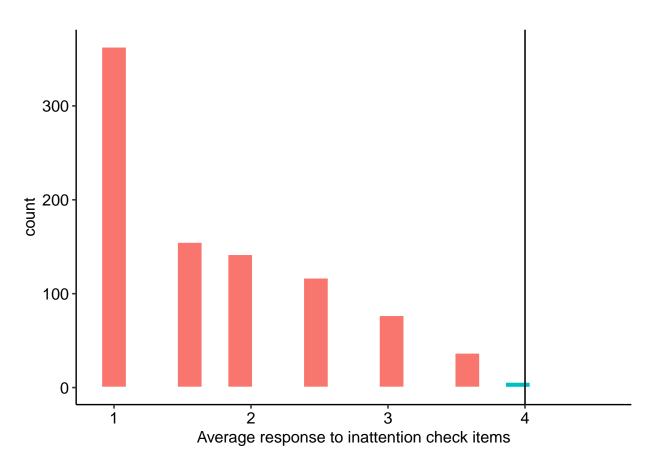


Figure S4: Average response to inattention check items

```
# extract block 3 questions
block3 = data_2 %>%
  select(proid, all_of(p_items_2))
#rename variables
n = 0
for(i in adjectives){
 n = n+1
 names(block3) = str_replace(names(block3), i, paste0("trait", str_pad(n, 2, pad = "0")))
}
block3 = block3 %>%
  gather(item, response, -proid) %>%
  filter(!is.na(response)) %>%
  mutate(item = str_remove(item, "_3(i)?$")) %>%
  separate(item, into = c("item", "format")) %>%
  select(-format) %>%
  spread(item, response)
block3_runs = numeric(length = nrow(block3))
for(i in 1:nrow(block3)){
  run = 0
  maxrun = 0
  for(j in 3:ncol(block3)){
   if(block3[i,j] == block3[i, j-1]){
      run = run+1
      if(run > maxrun) maxrun = run
      } else{ run = 0}
  block3_runs[i] = maxrun
#add to data 2 frame
block3$block3_runs = block3_runs
#combine results
runs_data_2 = block3 %>%
  select(proid, block3_runs) %>%
```

```
#combine results
runs_data_2 = block3 %>%
    select(proid, block3_runs) %>%
    mutate(
    remove = case_when(
        block3_runs >= 21 ~ "Remove",
        TRUE ~ "Keep"
    ))
```

There were 0 participants who provided the same answer 21 or more times in a row. These participants were removed from the analyses.

```
data_2 = data_2 %>%
  full_join(select(runs_data_2, proid, remove)) %>%
  filter(remove != "Remove") %>%
  select(-remove)
```

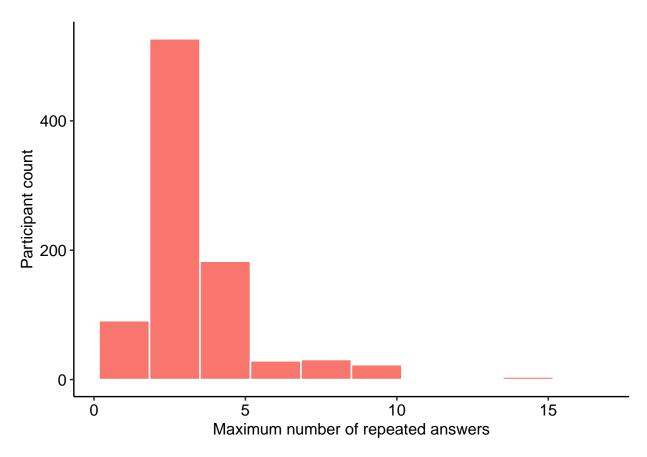


Figure S5: Maximum number of same consecutive responses in personality block 3.

```
rm(runs_data_2)
```

2.6.2.4 Based on average time to respond to personality items Participants who take too little (< 1 second) or too long (greater than 30 seconds) on average to answer each personality item are excluded. See Figure S6 for the distribution of average response time per item.

```
timing_data_2 = data_2 %>%
  select(proid, matches("t_[[:alpha:]]*_[abcd]_3(i)?_page_submit"))

timing_data_2 = timing_data_2 %>%
  gather(variable, timing, -proid) %>%
  filter(!is.na(timing))
```

To check, each participant should have the same number of responses: 33.

```
timing_data_2 %>%
  group_by(proid) %>%
  count() %>%
  ungroup() %>%
 summarise(min(n), max(n))
## # A tibble: 1 x 2
     'min(n)' 'max(n)'
##
##
        <int>
                 <int>
                    38
## 1
           37
timing_data_2 = timing_data_2 %>%
  group_by(proid) %>%
  summarise(m_time = mean(timing)) %>%
 mutate(remove = case_when(
   m_time < 1 ~ "Remove",</pre>
    m_time > 30 ~ "Remove",
    TRUE ~ "Keep"
 ))
```

```
data_2 = inner_join(data_2, filter(timing_data_2, remove == "Keep")) %>%
    select(-remove)
```

Based on timing, we removed 8 participants.

2.6.3 Merge all datasets together

We merge the Time 1 and Time 2 datasets together here.

```
data_2 = data_2 %>%
  select(proid, start_date2, duration_in_seconds2, very_delayed_recall, contains("_3")) %>%
  mutate(time2 = "yes") #indicates participant in time 2

data = data_t1 %>% full_join(data_2)
```

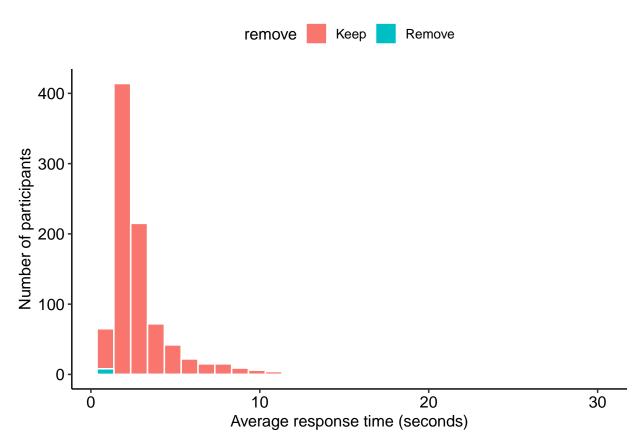


Figure S6: Distribution of average time to respond to personality items in Block 3.

2.7 All data

2.7.1 Reverse score personality items

The following items are (typically) negatively correlated with the others: reckless, moody, worrying, nervous, careless, impulsive. We reverse-score them to ease interpretation of associations and means in the later sections. In short, all traits will be scored such that larger numbers are indicative of the more socially desirable end of the spectrum.

```
data = data %>%
 mutate(
   across(matches("^reckless"),
                                      (.x*-1)+7),
                                      (.x*-1)+7)
   across(matches("^moody"),
   across(matches("^worrying"),
                                      (.x*-1)+7),
   across(matches("^nervous"),
                                      (.x*-1)+7),
   across(matches("^careless"),
                                      (.x*-1)+7),
   across(matches("^impulsive"),
                                      (.x*-1)+7),
   across(matches("^quiet"),
                                      (.x*-1)+7),
   across(matches("^unsympathetic"), ~(.x*-1)+7),
   across(matches("^uncreative"),
                                      (.x*-1)+7),
   across(matches("^shy"),
                                      (.x*-1)+7),
   across(matches("^cold"),
                                      (.x*-1)+7),
   across(matches("^unintellectual"), ~(.x*-1)+7))
```

We also create a vector noting the items that are reverse scored. We use this later in tables, to help identify patterns when looking at analyses within-adjective. We use this object elsewhere in the analyses.

```
reverse = c("reckless", "moody", "worrying", "nervous", "careless", "impulsive")
```

2.7.2 Score memory task

Now we score the memory task. We start by creating vectors of the correct responses.

Next we convert all responses to lowercase. Then we break the string of responses into a vector containing many strings.

```
data = data %>%
  mutate(
    across(matches("recall"),tolower), # convert to lower
    #replace carriage return with space
```

2.7.2.1 Immediate recall Now we use the amatch function in the stringdist package to look for exact (or close) matches to the target words. This function returns for each word either the position of the key in which you can find the target word or NA to indicate the word or a close match does not exist in the string.

```
distance = 1 #maximum distance between target word and correct response
data = data %>%
  mutate(
    memory1 = map(recall1, ~sapply(., amatch, correct1, maxDist = distance)),
    memory2 = map(recall2, ~sapply(., amatch, correct2, maxDist = distance)),
    memory3 = map(recall3, ~sapply(., amatch, correct3, maxDist = distance)),
    memory4 = map(recall4, ~sapply(., amatch, correct4, maxDist = distance))
    )
```

We count the number of correct answers. This gets complicated; in lieu of writing out a paragraph explanation, we have opted for in-text comments to orient those interested in following the code.

```
data = data %>%
  mutate(
    across(starts_with("memory"),
      #replace position with 1
      ~map(., sapply, FUN = function(x) ifelse(x > 0, 1, 0))),
    across(starts with("recall"),
           # are there non-missing values in the original response?
           ~map_dbl(.,
                    .f = function(x) sum(!is.na(x))),
           .names = "{.col} miss"),
    across(starts with("memory"),
      #replace position with 1
      # count the number of correct answers
      ~map_dbl(., sum, na.rm=T))) %>%
  mutate(
    memory1 = case_when(
      # if there were no responses, make the answer NA
      recall1_miss == 0 ~ NA_real_,
      # otherwise, the number of correct guesses
      TRUE ~ memory1),
   memory2 = case_when(
```

```
recall2_miss == 0 ~ NA_real_,
   TRUE ~ memory2),
memory3 = case_when(
   recall3_miss == 0 ~ NA_real_,
   TRUE ~ memory3),
memory4 = case_when(
   recall4_miss == 0 ~ NA_real_,
   TRUE ~ memory4)) %>%
# no longer need the missing count variables
select(-ends_with("miss"))
```

Finally, we want to go from 4 columns (one for each recall test), to two: one that has the number of correct responses, and one that indicates which version they saw.

```
data = data %>%
  select(proid, starts_with("memory")) %>%
  gather(mem_condition, memory, -proid) %>%
  filter(!is.na(memory)) %>%
  mutate(mem_condition = str_remove(mem_condition, "memory")) %>%
  full_join(data)
```

To demonstrate the accuracy of the code, here we present a random subset of participants' raw responses and their assigned memory score.

```
#from memory condition 1
data %>%
  filter(mem_condition == 1) %>%
  select(recall1, memory) %>%
  sample_n(3) %>%
 mutate(recall1 = map_chr(recall1, paste, collapse = ", "))
## # A tibble: 3 x 2
##
    recall1
                                                                       memory
##
     <chr>>
                                                                        <dbl>
## 1 book, child, hotel, paper, king, gold, tree, river
                                                                            8
## 2 gold, book, child, king, hotel, paper, river, tree, skin
                                                                            9
## 3 tree, river, paper, book, child, skin, market, hotel, king, gold
                                                                           10
#from memory condition 2
data %>%
  filter(mem condition == 2) %>%
 select(recall2, memory) %>%
 sample n(3) %>%
 mutate(recall2 = map_chr(recall2, paste, collapse = ", "))
## # A tibble: 3 x 2
##
    recall2
                                                       memory
##
     <chr>>
                                                        <dbl>
## 1 butter, college, earth, sky, dollar, home
                                                            6
## 2 butter, college, earth, home, machine, wife, sky
                                                            7
## 3 butter, college, dollar, home, wife, ocean, sky
```

Table S1: Memory responses by condition

Condition	Mean	SD	Min	Max	N
1	6.84	2.05	0	10	245
2	6.42	1.87	1	10	241
3	6.78	2.03	0	10	245
4	7.00	1.85	2	10	244

```
#from memory condition 3
data %>%
  filter(mem_condition == 3) %>%
  select(recall3, memory) %>%
  sample_n(3) %>%
  mutate(recall3 = map_chr(recall3, paste, collapse = ", "))
## # A tibble: 3 x 2
##
     recall3
                                                       memory
##
     <chr>
                                                        <dbl>
## 1 blood, girl, engine, woman
## 2 blood, corner, girl, shoes, women, rocks, valley
                                                            7
## 3 woman, valley, blood, house, girl, rock
#from memory condition 4
data %>%
  filter(mem_condition == 4) %>%
  select(recall4, memory) %>%
  sample_n(3) %>%
 mutate(recall4 = map_chr(recall4, paste, collapse = ", "))
## # A tibble: 3 x 2
##
    recall4
                                                                        memory
     <chr>>
                                                                          <dbl>
##
## 1 baby, church, doctor, palace, sea, water
                                                                             6
## 2 baby, church, doctor, fire, garden, sea, village, table, water
                                                                             9
## 3 baby, doctor, church, fire, garden, palace, water, table, village
```

Participants remember on average 6.76 words correctly (SD = 1.96).

2.7.2.2 Delayed recall A challenge with the delayed recall task is identifying the memory condition that participants were assigned to, but this is made easier by the work done above. The following code mainly reproduces the steps used for scoring the immediate memory recall task. The main difference is that we have a single column containing all responses (delayed_recall), regardless of which memory condition participants were assigned to. We score this response against all four answer keys, then select the maximum (best) score.

```
mem2 = data %>%
  select(proid, mem_condition, delayed_recall) %>%
  mutate(newid = 1:nrow(.))
```

```
mem2 = mem2 \%
  mutate(
   delayed_recall1 = map(delayed_recall, ~sapply(., amatch, correct1, maxDist = distance)),
   delayed_recall2 = map(delayed_recall, ~sapply(., amatch, correct2, maxDist = distance)),
   delayed_recall3 = map(delayed_recall, ~sapply(., amatch, correct3, maxDist = distance)),
   delayed_recall4 = map(delayed_recall, ~sapply(., amatch, correct4, maxDist = distance))
   ) %>%
  gather(variable, delayed memory, delayed recall1:delayed recall4)
mem2 = mem2 \%
  mutate(
      delayed_memory = map(delayed_memory, sapply,
                 FUN = function(x) ifelse(x >0, 1, 0)),
      # count the number of correct answers
      delayed_memory = map_dbl(delayed_memory, sum, na.rm=T))
mem2 = mem2 \%
  group_by(proid) %>%
  filter(delayed_memory == max(delayed_memory)) %>%
  filter(row_number() == 1 ) %>%
  select(-delayed_recall, -variable, -newid)
data = inner_join(data, mem2)
```

Participants remember on average 5.78 words correctly after 5-10 minutes (SD = 2.29).

2.7.2.3 Very-delayed recall Finally, we score the memory challenge posed at Time 2. Like scoring the delayed recall task, we have a single column containing responses from all participants, regardless of the original memory condition.

```
mem3 = data %>%
  filter(time2 == "yes") %>%
  select(proid, mem_condition, very_delayed_recall) %>%
  mutate(newid = 1:nrow(.))
mem3 = mem3 \%>\%
  mutate(
    very_delayed_recall1 = map(very_delayed_recall, ~sapply(., amatch, correct1, maxDist = distance)),
    very delayed recall2 = map(very delayed recall, ~sapply(., amatch, correct2, maxDist = distance)),
    very_delayed_recall3 = map(very_delayed_recall, ~sapply(., amatch, correct3, maxDist = distance)),
    very_delayed_recall4 = map(very_delayed_recall, ~sapply(., amatch, correct4, maxDist = distance))
  gather(variable, very_delayed_memory, very_delayed_recall1:very_delayed_recall4)
mem3 = mem3 \%
  mutate(
      very_delayed_memory = map(very_delayed_memory, sapply,
                  FUN = function(x) ifelse(x > 0, 1, 0)),
      # count the number of correct answers
      very_delayed_memory = map_dbl(very_delayed_memory, sum, na.rm=T))
mem3 = mem3 \%
```

```
group_by(proid) %>%
filter(very_delayed_memory == max(very_delayed_memory)) %>%
filter(row_number() == 1 ) %>%
select(-very_delayed_recall, -variable, -newid)

data = full_join(data, mem3)
```

Participants remember on average 1.62 words correctly (SD = 1.75).

2.7.2.4 Correlations Figure S7 displays the univariate and bivariate distributions of the memory scores and the bivariate correlations. In general, there was good spread in the immediate recall and delayed (10 minute) recall variables. Few participants remembered any of the words after two weeks.

```
select(matches("memory$")) %>%
  corr.test
## Call:corr.test(x = .)
## Correlation matrix
##
                       memory delayed_memory very_delayed_memory
## memory
                          1.00
                                         0.81
                                                              0.38
## delayed_memory
                          0.81
                                         1.00
                                                              0.46
## very_delayed_memory
                          0.38
                                         0.46
                                                              1.00
## Sample Size
##
                       memory delayed_memory very_delayed_memory
## memory
                           975
                                          975
## delayed_memory
                           975
                                          975
                                                               883
## very delayed memory
                           883
                                          883
                                                               883
## Probability values (Entries above the diagonal are adjusted for multiple tests.)
##
                       memory delayed_memory very_delayed_memory
                             0
                                            0
## memory
                                                                 0
## delayed memory
                             0
                                            0
                                                                 0
                             0
                                            0
                                                                 0
## very_delayed_memory
##
  To see confidence intervals of the correlations, print with the short=FALSE option
```

2.7.3 Change labels of device variable

Longer labels were provided to participants for clarity. However, we will use shorter labels in our analyses and figures.

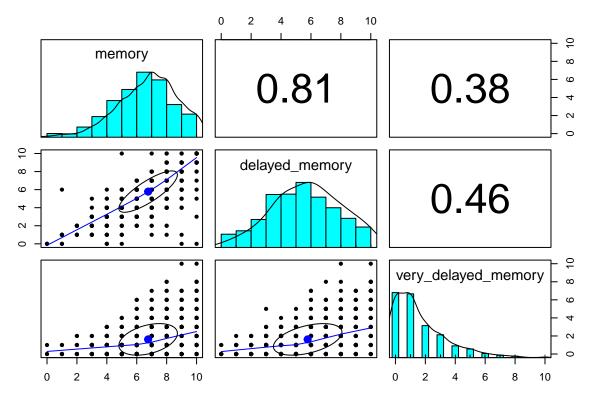


Figure S7: Distributions of memory scores across booth time points.

2.7.4 Reorder demographic categories

We set the order of ordinal demographic variables, which helps generate more interpretable figures and tables.

```
data = data %>%
  mutate(edu = factor(edu,
                      levels = c(
                        "Less than 12 years",
                        "High school graduate/GED",
                        "Currently in college/university",
                        "Some college/university, but did not graduate",
                        "Associate degree (2 year)",
                         "College/university degree (4 year)",
                         "Currently in graduate or professional school",
                        "Graduate or professional school degree"))) %>%
  mutate(hhinc = str_remove(hhinc, " a year"),
         hhinc = str_replace_all(hhinc, ",000", "K"),
         hhinc = str_replace_all(hhinc, " to ", "-"),
         hhinc = str_replace_all(hhinc, "less than", "<"),</pre>
         hhinc = str_replace_all(hhinc, "more than", ">"))%>%
  mutate(hhinc = factor(hhinc,
                        levels = c(
                           "< $20,000",
                           "$20K-$40K",
                           "$40K-$60K",
                           "$60K-$80K",
```

```
"$80K-$100K",
"$100K-$120K",
"$120K-$150K",
"$150K-$200K",
"$200K-$250K",
"$250K-$350K",
"$350K-$500K",
">$500K"
```

2.7.5 Long-form dataset

We need one dataset that contains the responses to and timing of the personality items in long form. This will be used for nearly all the statistical models, which will nest items within person. To create this, we first select the responses to the items of different formats. For this set of analyses, we use data collected in both Block 1 and Block 2 – that is, each participant saw the same format for every item during Block 1, but a random format for each item in Block 2.

These variable names have one of four formats: [trait]_[abcd] (for example, talkative_a), [trait]_[abcd]_2 (for example, talkative_a_2), [trait]_[abcd]_3 (e.g., talkative_a_3), or [trait]_[abcd]_3i (e.g., talkative_a_3i). We search for these items using regular expressions.

```
item_responses = str_subset(
  names(data),
  "^([[:alpha:]])+_[abcd](_2)?(_3)?(i)?$"
)
```

Similarly, we'll need to know how long it took participants to respond to these items. These variable names have one of four formats listed above followed by the string page_submit. We search for these items using regular expressions.

```
item_timing = str_subset(
  names(data),
  "t_([[:alpha:]])+_[abcd](_2)?(_3)?(i)?_page_submit$")
```

We extract just the participant IDs, delayed memory, and these variables.

```
items_df = data %>%
    select(proid, condition, time2,
        memory, delayed_memory, very_delayed_memory,
        devicetype,
        all_of(item_responses), all_of(item_timing))
```

Next we reshape these data into long form. This requires several steps. We'll need to identify whether each value is a response or timing; we can use the presence of the string t_ for this. Next, we'll identify the block based on whether the string contains _2 or _3. We also identify whether it ends with i, indicating the item in block 3 started with "I". Then, we identify the condition based on which letter (a, b, c, or d) follows an underscore. Throughout, we'll strip the item string of extraneous information until we're left with only the adjective assessed. Finally, we'll use spread to create separate columns for the response and the timing variables.

```
items_df = items_df %>%
  gather(item, value, all_of(item_responses), all_of(item_timing)) %>%
  filter(!is.na(value)) %>%
  # identify whether timing or response
  mutate(variable = ifelse(str_detect(item, "^t_"), "timing", "response"),
         item = str remove(item, "^t "),
         item = str_remove(item, "_page_submit$")) %>%
  #identify block
  mutate(
   block = case when(
     str_detect(item, "_2") ~ "2",
     str_detect(item, "_3") ~ "3",
     TRUE ~ "1"),
   item = str_remove(item, "_[23]")) %>%
  # identify presence of "I"
  mutate(i = case_when(
    str_detect(item, "i$") ~ "Present",
   TRUE ~ "Absent"),
   item = str_remove(item, "i$")) %>%
  separate(item, into = c("item", "format")) %>%
  spread(variable, value)
```

2.7.5.1 Remove 'human' and 'asleep' We also remove responses to the adjectives "human" and "asleep", as these are not personality items per-se and included for the purpose of attention checks.

```
items_df = items_df %>%
filter(item != "human") %>%
filter(item != "asleep")
```

2.7.5.2 Label formatting conditions We give labels to the formats, to clarify interpretations and aid table and figure construction.

2.7.5.3 Identify Big Five mini markers Big Five Mini Markers (BF-MM) are used only for the yeasaying analyses. We identify these adjectives here so that we can appropriately filter them in or out at each stage of analysis.

2.7.5.4 Transform seconds The variable seconds appears to have a very severe right skew (see Figure S8). We log-transform this variable for later analyses.

```
items_df = items_df %>%
  mutate(seconds_log = log(timing))

range(items_df$timing, na.rm=T)

## [1]  0.000 751.823

range(items_df$seconds_log, na.rm=T)
```

[1] -Inf 6.622501

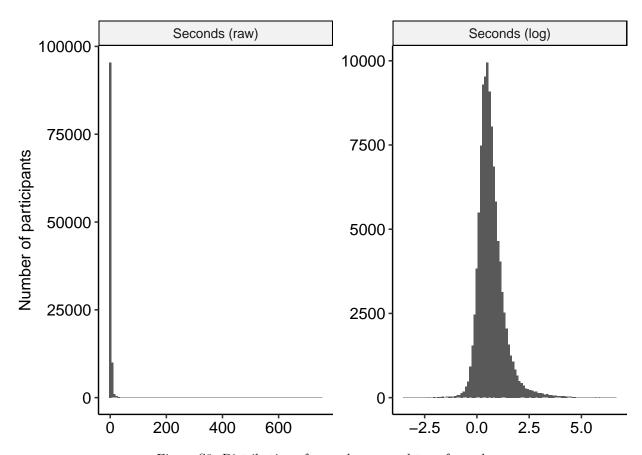


Figure S8: Distribution of seconds, raw and transformed.

2.8 Enjoyment

Finally, in the first wave of data collection, we poll participants about their enjoyment of the study and experience of taking the survey. We extract those columns, along with the condition assigned in Block 1, for later analyses.

```
enjoy_df = data_t1 %>%
  select(proid, condition, devicetype, enjoy_responding, well_designed_study) %>%
  # convert responses to numeric
  mutate(
```

```
format = tolower(condition),
  format = factor(format,
                    levels = c("a", "b", "c", "d"),
                    labels = c("Adjective\n0nly",
                                 "Am\nAdjective",
                                 "Tend to be\nAdjective",
                                 "Am someone\nwho tends to be\nAdjective")),
  across(
    c(enjoy_responding, well_designed_study),
    ~case_when(
      . == "Very inaccurate"
       . == "Moderately inaccurate" ~ 2,
      . == "Slightly inaccurate" ~ 3,
. == "Slightly accurate" ~ 4,
      . == "Moderately accurate" ~ 5,
. == "Very accurate" ~ 6,
      TRUE ~ NA_real_
    )
  )
) %>%
filter(proid %in% items_df$proid)
```

2.9 Save files

```
# check if folder exists. if not create it
if (!file.exists(here("objects/"))){
    dir.create(here("objects/"))
}
save(reverse, file = here("objects/reverse_vector.Rds"))
save(bfmm, file = here("objects/bfmm.Rds"))
save(data, file = here("objects/cleaned_data.Rds"))
save(items_df, file = here("objects/items_df.Rds"))
save(enjoy_df, file = here("objects/enjoy_df.Rds"))
```

3 Descriptives

Participants (N = 975; 48.92% female) were, on average, 37.14 years old (SD = 14.51, minimum = 18, maximum = 84; see Figure S9A for the full distribution). A majority (66.67%) of participants identified as White only, and 10.36% identify as Black only; Figure S9B shows the other response options and frequencies. See Figure S9C for the distribution of education, and S9D for the distribution of household income.

3.1 Time

How much time elapsed between assessments?

```
data = data %>%
  mutate(difference = as.numeric(start_date2-start_date))
summary(data$difference)
```

```
## Min. 1st Qu. Median Mean 3rd Qu. Max. NA's
## 11.84 11.93 11.99 12.43 12.23 39.36 92
```

How long did it take participants to complete the Time 1 survey?

```
summary(data$duration_in_seconds/60)
```

```
## Min. 1st Qu. Median Mean 3rd Qu. Max.
## 4.833 8.633 10.683 12.500 14.092 54.383
```

How long did it take participants to complete the Time 2 survey?

```
summary(data$duration_in_seconds2/60)
```

```
## Min. 1st Qu. Median Mean 3rd Qu. Max. NA's ## 1.367 2.467 3.217 4.317 4.658 34.633 92
```

3.2 Personality by block and format

See Table S2 for the descriptive statistics of each format by block.

See Table S3 for the descriptive statistics of each item and format in Block 1 (Time 1).

See Table S4 for the descriptive statistics of each item and format in Block 2 (Time 1).

See Table S5 for the descriptive statistics of each item and format in Block 3 (Time 2).

3.3 Response by format

In Table S6 we show the proportion of participants within condition who gave a specific response. Note that we only use blocks 1 and 2, as these are the blocks used for the primary analyses (expected response, extreme responding, and yea-saying).

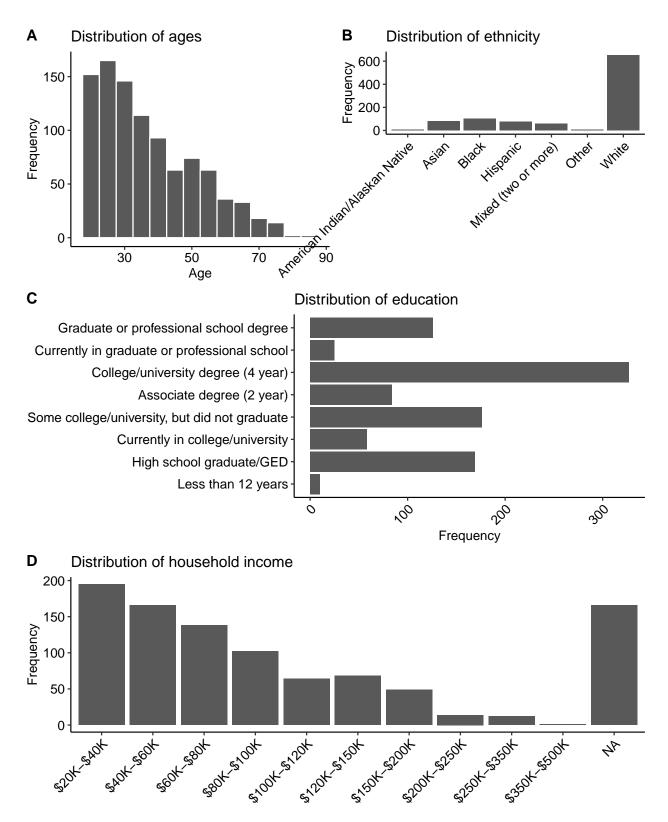


Figure S9: Distributions of key demographics across the entire sample

Table S2: Descriptives of responses by format and block

Block	Format	M	SD	Median	N (responses)	N (participants)
1	Adjective Only	4.40	1.39	5	9196	242
1	Am Adjective	4.40	1.39	5	9082	239
1	Tend to be Adjective	4.29	1.39	5	9424	248
1	Am someone who tends to be Adjective	4.34	1.41	5	9348	246
2	Adjective Only	4.37	1.39	5	9271	975
2	Am Adjective	4.39	1.41	5	9262	975
2	Tend to be Adjective	4.38	1.41	5	9252	975
2	Am someone who tends to be Adjective	4.35	1.44	5	9265	975
3	Adjective Only	4.42	1.38	5	8360	220
3	Am Adjective	4.44	1.39	5	8246	217
3	Tend to be Adjective	4.29	1.42	5	8398	221
3	Am someone who tends to be Adjective	4.33	1.39	5	8550	225

 $\label{thm:continuous} \mbox{Table S3: Descriptives of responses to Block 1 by format and item. We report means and standard deviations. }$

item	Adjective Only	Am Adjective	Tend to be Adjective	Am someone who tends to be Adjective
active	4.21 (1.24)	4.20 (1.23)	4.00 (1.29)	4.04 (1.30)
adventurous	4.15 (1.40)	4.01 (1.30)	3.94 (1.33)	4.09 (1.29)
broadminded	4.73 (1.05)	4.67 (1.10)	4.69 (1.02)	4.62 (1.11)
calm	4.60 (1.18)	4.49 (1.23)	4.46 (1.13)	4.44 (1.23)
careless	4.62 (1.29)	4.66 (1.26)	4.46 (1.33)	4.64 (1.22)
caring cautious cold creative curious	4.99 (0.96)	5.08 (0.92)	4.85 (1.01)	4.94 (1.05)
	4.64 (1.02)	4.62 (1.11)	4.68 (1.03)	4.67 (0.94)
	4.60 (1.36)	4.60 (1.28)	4.28 (1.36)	4.43 (1.33)
	4.57 (1.26)	4.68 (1.17)	4.56 (1.30)	4.65 (1.32)
	5.00 (0.89)	5.10 (0.79)	4.98 (0.98)	4.97 (1.00)
friendly hardworking helpful imaginative impulsive	4.95 (1.01)	4.90 (1.03)	4.75 (1.05)	4.90 (1.03)
	4.86 (1.08)	4.95 (1.02)	4.76 (1.18)	4.76 (1.20)
	4.98 (0.94)	4.98 (0.98)	4.92 (0.94)	4.95 (1.02)
	4.71 (1.21)	4.96 (1.04)	4.77 (1.22)	4.85 (1.21)
	3.96 (1.36)	3.92 (1.43)	4.05 (1.34)	3.98 (1.38)
intelligent	5.14 (0.88)	5.08 (0.84)	5.04 (0.87)	5.02 (0.94)
lively	4.05 (1.26)	3.98 (1.26)	3.83 (1.33)	3.88 (1.26)
moody	3.81 (1.50)	3.75 (1.43)	3.59 (1.42)	3.73 (1.48)
nervous	3.53 (1.60)	3.44 (1.60)	3.19 (1.52)	3.15 (1.60)
organized	4.27 (1.35)	4.26 (1.41)	4.24 (1.40)	4.37 (1.30)
outgoing	3.36 (1.60)	3.35 (1.59)	3.18 (1.52)	3.26 (1.52)
quiet	2.61 (1.37)	2.69 (1.48)	2.64 (1.39)	2.60 (1.38)
reckless	4.88 (1.13)	4.77 (1.29)	4.64 (1.25)	4.74 (1.25)
relaxed	4.32 (1.15)	4.24 (1.23)	4.29 (1.13)	4.10 (1.25)
responsible	4.97 (1.02)	4.97 (0.95)	4.89 (1.09)	4.84 (1.10)
selfdisciplined	4.62 (1.22)	4.59 (1.21)	4.44 (1.28)	4.51 (1.22)
shy	3.24 (1.63)	3.13 (1.59)	3.10 (1.52)	2.98 (1.50)
softhearted	4.64 (1.24)	4.76 (1.11)	4.62 (1.15)	4.70 (1.26)
sophisticated	3.77 (1.34)	3.85 (1.27)	3.75 (1.25)	3.77 (1.29)
sympathetic	4.90 (1.05)	4.93 (1.06)	4.73 (1.05)	4.89 (1.03)
talkative	3.40 (1.54)	3.51 (1.50)	3.46 (1.53)	3.41 (1.58)
thorough	4.74 (1.03)	4.79 (0.96)	4.73 (0.93)	4.73 (1.07)
thrifty	4.43 (1.28)	4.24 (1.27)	4.41 (1.31)	4.52 (1.17)
uncreative	4.77 (1.35)	4.91 (1.21)	4.72 (1.37)	4.89 (1.33)
unintellectual	5.29 (0.95)	5.26 (0.98)	5.06 (1.07)	5.17 (1.05)
unsympathetic	4.92 (1.24)	5.09 (1.08)	4.77 (1.29)	4.91 (1.23)
warm	4.78 (1.06)	4.72 (1.12)	4.56 (1.10)	4.67 (1.14)
worrying	3.29 (1.57)	3.18 (1.63)	3.05 (1.51)	3.02 (1.58)

 $\label{thm:continuous} \mbox{Table S4: Descriptives of responses to Block 2 by format and item. We report means and standard deviations. }$

item	Adjective Only	Am Adjective	Tend to be Adjective	Am someone who tends to be Adjective
active	4.14 (1.20)	4.05 (1.41)	4.07 (1.25)	3.95 (1.43)
adventurous	4.04(1.30)	4.03(1.41)	4.00(1.31)	4.00(1.44)
broadminded	4.53(1.17)	4.81(1.14)	4.81 (0.99)	4.59(1.17)
calm	4.58(1.02)	4.49(1.15)	4.50(1.23)	4.35 (1.33)
careless	4.55 (1.26)	4.68 (1.32)	4.62(1.29)	4.59(1.34)
caring	4.87(1.04)	4.99(1.07)	4.91 (1.04)	4.91 (1.14)
cautious	4.65 (0.96)	4.60 (0.98)	4.58 (1.06)	$4.70 \ (1.02)$
cold	4.62(1.33)	4.35(1.44)	4.60 (1.36)	4.62 (1.40)
creative	4.69(1.25)	4.67(1.26)	4.66 (1.23)	$4.74 \ (1.27)$
curious	$4.96 \ (0.87)$	5.00 (0.90)	5.03(0.96)	$4.90\ (1.02)$
friendly	4.74 (1.06)	4.89(1.02)	4.90(0.98)	4.93 (1.05)
hardworking	4.86 (1.14)	4.87(1.16)	4.77(1.18)	$4.80 \ (1.16)$
helpful	4.97(0.95)	5.08(0.94)	4.98(0.97)	4.95 (1.01)
imaginative	4.82(1.23)	4.74(1.14)	4.80(1.25)	4.87(1.17)
impulsive	3.95 (1.46)	4.15 (1.34)	$4.13 \ (1.36)$	4.25 (1.49)
intelligent	5.02(0.96)	4.99(0.86)	5.06 (1.01)	5.17 (0.98)
lively	3.87(1.31)	3.98(1.30)	3.78(1.35)	3.85(1.27)
moody	3.70(1.51)	3.71(1.50)	3.76(1.55)	3.80(1.51)
nervous	3.39(1.61)	3.21(1.60)	3.36(1.61)	$3.30\ (1.55)$
organized	4.36 (1.30)	4.40 (1.32)	4.45 (1.31)	$4.34\ (1.39)$
outgoing	3.47(1.63)	3.54(1.61)	$3.31\ (1.59)$	$3.36 \ (1.65)$
quiet	2.65 (1.39)	2.62(1.43)	2.73(1.35)	2.76 (1.46)
reckless	4.79(1.21)	4.75(1.36)	4.56(1.40)	4.90(1.23)
relaxed	4.35(1.17)	4.35(1.14)	4.09(1.29)	4.17(1.30)
responsible	4.94 (1.03)	4.89(1.08)	4.95 (0.97)	4.72(1.19)
selfdisciplined	4.67(1.19)	4.63(1.21)	4.58 (1.22)	4.49 (1.26)
shy	3.07(1.59)	3.16(1.59)	3.12(1.59)	3.05 (1.61)
softhearted	4.74(1.16)	4.74(1.14)	4.71(1.22)	4.74(1.16)
sophisticated	3.81(1.32)	3.89(1.36)	3.88(1.40)	3.76(1.32)
sympathetic	4.82(1.02)	4.84(1.14)	4.84 (1.13)	$4.91\ (1.05)$
talkative	3.37(1.60)	3.56(1.53)	3.40 (1.48)	$3.39\ (1.59)$
thorough	4.85(1.03)	4.73(1.04)	4.72(1.05)	4.73 (0.94)
thrifty	4.47(1.28)	4.46(1.32)	$4.41 \ (1.26)$	4.36 (1.31)
uncreative	4.84 (1.25)	4.80(1.34)	4.78(1.39)	4.89(1.37)
unintellectual	$5.21\ (1.05)$	5.20(1.03)	5.23(1.07)	5.09(1.17)
unsympathetic	4.96(1.21)	4.92(1.15)	4.98 (1.18)	4.86 (1.26)
warm	4.71 (1.09)	4.71 (1.17)	4.69 (1.11)	4.64 (1.12)
worrying	3.21(1.49)	3.31(1.59)	3.45(1.71)	3.08(1.62)

Table S5: Descriptives of items to Block 3 by format. We report means and standard deviations.

item	Adjective Only	Am Adjective	Tend to be Adjective	Am someone who tends to be Adjective
active	4.14 (1.20)	4.05 (1.41)	4.07 (1.25)	3.95 (1.43)
adventurous	4.04(1.30)	4.03(1.41)	4.00(1.31)	4.00(1.44)
broadminded	4.53(1.17)	4.81(1.14)	4.81 (0.99)	4.59(1.17)
calm	4.58(1.02)	4.49(1.15)	4.50(1.23)	4.35(1.33)
careless	4.55 (1.26)	4.68(1.32)	4.62(1.29)	4.59(1.34)
caring	4.87(1.04)	4.99(1.07)	4.91 (1.04)	4.91 (1.14)
cautious	4.65 (0.96)	4.60 (0.98)	4.58 (1.06)	4.70(1.02)
cold	4.62(1.33)	4.35 (1.44)	4.60 (1.36)	4.62 (1.40)
creative	4.69(1.25)	4.67(1.26)	4.66 (1.23)	4.74(1.27)
curious	$4.96 \ (0.87)$	5.00 (0.90)	5.03 (0.96)	$4.90\ (1.02)$
friendly	4.74 (1.06)	4.89(1.02)	4.90 (0.98)	4.93 (1.05)
hardworking	4.86(1.14)	4.87(1.16)	4.77(1.18)	$4.80 \ (1.16)$
helpful	4.97(0.95)	5.08(0.94)	4.98 (0.97)	4.95 (1.01)
imaginative	4.82(1.23)	4.74(1.14)	4.80 (1.25)	4.87 (1.17)
impulsive	3.95 (1.46)	4.15 (1.34)	$4.13 \ (1.36)$	4.25 (1.49)
intelligent	5.02(0.96)	4.99(0.86)	5.06(1.01)	5.17 (0.98)
lively	3.87(1.31)	3.98(1.30)	3.78(1.35)	3.85(1.27)
moody	3.70(1.51)	3.71(1.50)	3.76 (1.55)	$3.80 \ (1.51)$
nervous	3.39(1.61)	3.21(1.60)	3.36(1.61)	$3.30 \ (1.55)$
organized	4.36 (1.30)	4.40 (1.32)	4.45 (1.31)	$4.34\ (1.39)$
outgoing	3.47(1.63)	3.54(1.61)	$3.31\ (1.59)$	$3.36 \ (1.65)$
quiet	2.65 (1.39)	2.62(1.43)	2.73(1.35)	$2.76 \ (1.46)$
reckless	4.79(1.21)	4.75 (1.36)	4.56 (1.40)	4.90(1.23)
relaxed	4.35 (1.17)	4.35(1.14)	4.09(1.29)	4.17 (1.30)
responsible	4.94 (1.03)	4.89(1.08)	4.95 (0.97)	4.72(1.19)
selfdisciplined	4.67(1.19)	4.63(1.21)	4.58 (1.22)	4.49 (1.26)
shy	3.07(1.59)	3.16(1.59)	3.12(1.59)	3.05 (1.61)
softhearted	4.74(1.16)	4.74(1.14)	4.71(1.22)	4.74(1.16)
sophisticated	3.81(1.32)	3.89(1.36)	3.88(1.40)	3.76(1.32)
sympathetic	4.82 (1.02)	4.84(1.14)	4.84 (1.13)	$4.91\ (1.05)$
talkative	3.37(1.60)	3.56 (1.53)	3.40(1.48)	3.39 (1.59)
thorough	4.85 (1.03)	4.73(1.04)	4.72(1.05)	$4.73 \ (0.94)$
thrifty	4.47(1.28)	4.46(1.32)	4.41 (1.26)	4.36 (1.31)
uncreative	4.84 (1.25)	4.80(1.34)	4.78(1.39)	4.89(1.37)
unintellectual	$5.21\ (1.05)$	$5.20\ (1.03)$	5.23(1.07)	5.09 (1.17)
unsympathetic	4.96 (1.21)	4.92(1.15)	4.98 (1.18)	4.86 (1.26)
warm	4.71(1.09)	4.71(1.17)	4.69(1.11)	$4.64 \ (1.12)$
worrying	$3.21\ (1.49)$	$3.31\ (1.59)$	3.45 (1.71)	$3.08\ (1.62)$

Table S6: Proportion (out of 100) of response within condition by resposne option. These are calculated using Blocks 1 and 2.

response	Adjective Only	Am Adjective	Tend to be Adjective	Am someone who tends to be Adjective
1	3.66	3.90	3.99	4.34
2	6.63	6.46	7.24	7.09
3	12.29	11.58	12.14	12.27
4	22.30	22.87	23.56	22.41
5	31.67	30.95	30.58	29.98
6	23.44	24.23	22.49	23.91

4 Does item format affect response style?

The primary aims of this study are to evaluate the effects of item wording in online, self-report personality assessment. Specifically, we intend to consider the extent to which incremental wording changes may influence differences in participant response style. These wording changes will include a progression from using (1) trait-descriptive adjectives by themselves, (2) with the linking verb "to be" (Am...), (3) with the additional verb "to tend" (Tend to be...), and (4) with the pronoun "someone" (Am someone who tends to be...).

In this section, we test the impact of item format on three components of response style:

- 1. Expected (average) response
- 2. Likelihood of extreme responding
- 3. Nay-saying

For these analyses, we use data from Blocks 1 and 2.

As a reminder, the (numeric) range of options for items was 1-6. Some items are reverse-scored. Those items are reckless, moody, worrying, nervous, careless, impulsive. For the majority of the analyses in this section, we use only the items included in the MIDI scales (i.e., we exclude items included from the Big Five Mini Markers – these are only tested in analyses related to acquiescent responding, below).

4.1 Deviations from preregistration

We switched out our plotting function from using the sjPlot package to using the marginaleffects package – to calculated the average predicted value for each group – and plotting those using ggplot2. We found that these estimates better accounted for the sample size and nesting in the multilevel models.

4.2 Expected response

We used a multilevel model. Our primary predictor was format. We use data from all three blocks; as a consequence, each person contributes either two or three data points for each of the trait descriptive adjectives. Thus, we nest responses within participant to account for this dependency. This is equivalent to a repeated measures ANOVA. However, in this omnibus model, we include responses to all trait adjectives. Thus, we must also account for adjective-specific contributions to variability. Finally, we include a random term for block. This is not hypothesized to account for significant variability, but we include this term in the event that block contributes significantly to ratings.

We use the aov function to calculate the amount of variability in response due to format.

```
mod.expected = items_df %>%
  filter(block %in% c(1,2)) %>%
  filter(!(item %in% bfmm)) %>%
  glmmTMB(response~format + (1|item) + (1|proid) + (1|block),
                 data = .)
tidy(aov(mod.expected))
## # A tibble: 5 x 6
## term df
                      sumsq meansq statistic p.value
            <dbl>
    <chr>
                      <dbl> <dbl> <dbl>
                                                 <dbl>
                      39.7 13.2
                                     10.9 0.000000381
               3
## 1 format
               30 17922. 597.
## 2 item
                       21.7 17.8 0
3.20 3.20 2.64 1
33. 1 5
                                    492. 0
## 2 10em 30 17922. 597.
## 3 proid 974 21100. 21.7
## 4 block 1 3.20 3.20
                                      2.64 0.104
## 5 Residuals 59441 72163. 1.21
items_fb1 = items_df %>%
  filter(block %in% c(1,2)) %>%
  filter(!(item %in% bfmm)) %>%
  select(format, response)
effectsize::hedges_g(
  response~format,
  data = filter(items_fb1, format %in% c("Adjective\nOnly", "Am\nAdjective"))
## Hedges' g | 95% CI
## -8.70e-03 | [-0.03, 0.01]
## - Estimated using pooled SD.
effectsize::hedges_g(
  response~format,
  data = filter(items_fb1, format %in% c("Adjective\nOnly", "Tend to be\nAdjective"))
)
## Hedges' g | 95% CI
## -----
## 0.04 | [0.02, 0.06]
##
## - Estimated using pooled SD.
effectsize::hedges_g(
  response~format,
  data = filter(items_fb1, format %in% c("Adjective\nOnly", "Am someone\nwho tends to be\nAdjective"))
## Hedges' g |
                  95% CI
## -----
```

```
| [0.00, 0.05]
## 0.03
##
## - Estimated using pooled SD.
effectsize::hedges_g(
 response~format,
 data = filter(items_fb1, format %in% c("Am\nAdjective", "Tend to be\nAdjective"))
## Hedges' g | 95% CI
## 0.05
          [0.02, 0.07]
##
## - Estimated using pooled SD.
effectsize::hedges_g(
 response~format,
 data = filter(items_fb1, format %in% c("Am\nAdjective", "Am someone\nwho tends to be\nAdjective"))
## Hedges' g |
## -----
        [0.01, 0.06]
## 0.04
##
## - Estimated using pooled SD.
effectsize::hedges_g(
 response~format,
 data = filter(items_fb1, format %in% c("Tend to be\nAdjective", "Am someone\nwho tends to be\nAdjecti
## Hedges' g |
                   95% CI
          | [-0.03, 0.01]
## -0.01
```

Item format was associated with participants' expected responses to personality items (F(3.00, 59, 441.00) = 10.89, p = <.001). See Figure S10 for a visualization of this effect. In addition, Figure S11 shows the full distribution of responses across format. We note too that expected responses varied as a function of item (F(30.00, 59, 441.00) = 492.09, p = <.001) but not block (F(1.00, 59, 441.00) = 2.64, p = .104).

4.2.1 One model for each adjective

- Estimated using pooled SD.

##

We repeat this analysis separately for each trait.

```
mod_by_item = items_df %>%
filter(block %in% c(1,2)) %>%
filter(!(item %in% bfmm)) %>%
group_by(item) %>%
nest() %>%
```

Expected response

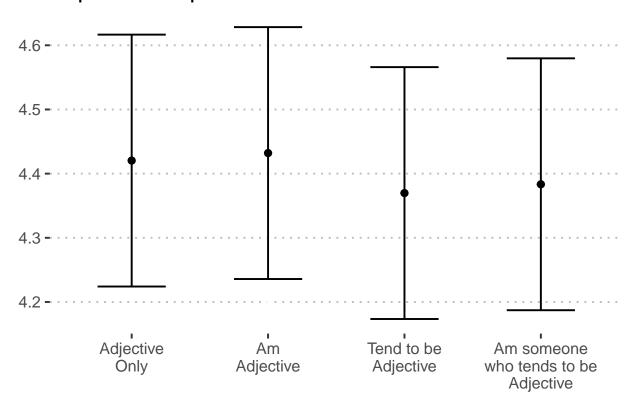


Figure S10: Predicted response on personality items by condition.

Distribution of responses by format

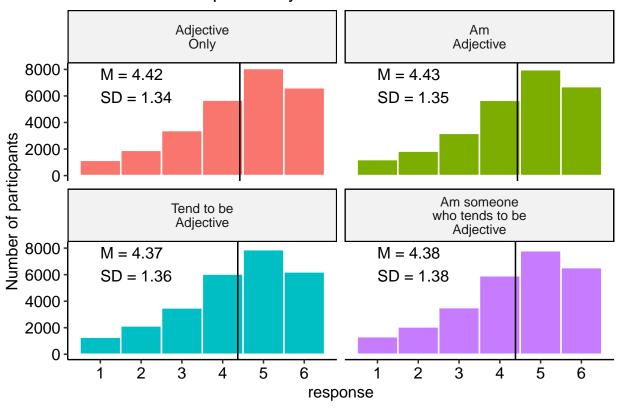


Figure S11: Distribution of responses by category.

Table S7: Format effects on expected response by item.

Item	Reverse Scored?	SS	MS	df1	df2	F	raw	adj
active	N	9.86	3.29	3	971	14.37	< .001	< .001
adventurous	N	3.99	1.33	3	971	5.32	.001	.018
broadminded	N	8.52	2.84	3	971	12.39	< .001	< .001
calm	N	9.06	3.02	3	971	9.16	< .001	< .001
caring	N	6.21	2.07	3	971	9.39	< .001	< .001
cautious	N	1.27	0.42	3	971	1.14	.333	.666
creative	N	2.39	0.80	3	971	4.19	.006	.065
curious	N	3.45	1.15	3	971	4.90	.002	.028
friendly	N	2.82	0.94	3	971	4.80	.003	.030
hardworking	N	6.70	2.23	3	971	11.06	< .001	< .001
helpful	N	2.24	0.75	3	971	4.09	.007	.067
imaginative	N	3.23	1.08	3	971	5.00	.002	.027
intelligent	N	1.09	0.36	3	971	2.76	.041	.206
lively	N	9.40	3.13	3	971	10.40	< .001	< .001
organized	N	0.40	0.13	3	971	0.60	.617	.666
outgoing	N	12.85	4.28	3	971	15.89	< .001	< .001
responsible	N	8.79	2.93	3	971	14.49	< .001	< .001
selfdisciplined	N	7.71	2.57	3	971	10.79	< .001	< .001
softhearted	N	1.82	0.61	3	971	2.76	.041	.206
sophisticated	N	2.80	0.93	3	971	3.10	.026	.156
sympathetic	N	3.89	1.30	3	971	5.83	< .001	.010
talkative	N	6.92	2.31	3	971	5.61	< .001	.013
thorough	N	1.54	0.51	3	971	2.26	.080	.241
$\operatorname{thrifty}$	N	3.15	1.05	3	971	3.59	.013	.120
warm	N	4.46	1.49	3	971	8.15	< .001	< .001
careless	Y	4.58	1.53	3	971	3.31	.019	.154
impulsive	Y	7.41	2.47	3	971	6.65	< .001	.003
moody	Y	2.28	0.76	3	971	3.32	.019	.154
nervous	Y	15.03	5.01	3	971	14.66	< .001	< .001
reckless	Y	16.87	5.62	3	971	18.79	< .001	< .001
worrying	Y	14.25	4.75	3	971	14.35	< .001	< .001

We apply a Holm correction to the p-values extracted from these analyses, to adjust for the number of tests conducted. We present results in Table S7, which is organized by whether items were reverse-coded prior to analysis.

4.2.2 Pairwise t-tests for significant ANOVAs

When format was a significant predictor of expected response for an item (using the un-adjusted p-value here), we follow up with pairwise comparisons of format. Here we identify the items which meet this criteria.

In the manuscript proper, we will only report the results for items in which format was significant, even after applying the Holm correction.

Differences in means and significance are shown in Table S8. These are also plotted in Figure S12.

```
sig_item = summary_by_item %>%
 filter(p.value < .05)
sig_item = sig_item$item
sig_item
##
   [1] "outgoing"
                           "helpful"
                                             "reckless"
                                                                "moody"
   [5] "friendly"
                           "warm"
                                             "worrying"
                                                                "responsible"
##
## [9] "lively"
                           "caring"
                                             "nervous"
                                                                "creative"
## [13] "hardworking"
                          "imaginative"
                                                                "calm"
                                             "softhearted"
## [17] "selfdisciplined" "intelligent"
                                             "curious"
                                                                "active"
## [21] "careless"
                           "broadminded"
                                             "impulsive"
                                                                "sympathetic"
## [25] "talkative"
                           "sophisticated"
                                             "adventurous"
                                                                "thrifty"
pairwise_response = mod_by_item %>%
  #only significant items
  filter(item %in% sig_item) %>%
  #use marginaleffects package to calculate format means and run pairwise comparisons
  mutate(
    means = map(mod,
                avg_predictions,
                variables = "format"),
    comp = map(mod,
               avg_comparisons,
               variables = list(format = "pairwise")))
```

```
pairwise_response %>%
  select(item, comp) %>%
  unnest(cols = c(comp)) %>%
  mutate(estimate = printnum(estimate),
         estimate = case_when(
           p.value < .001 ~ paste0(estimate, "***"),
           p.value < .01 ~ pasteO(estimate, "**"),</pre>
           p.value < .05 ~ pasteO(estimate, "*"),</pre>
           TRUE ~ estimate
         )) %>%
  mutate(
    contrast = str_replace(contrast, "Adjective\nOnly", "A"),
   contrast = str_replace(contrast, "Am\nAdjective", "B"),
   contrast = str_replace(contrast, "Tend to be\nAdjective", "C"),
   contrast = str_replace(contrast, "Am someone\nwho tends to be\nAdjective", "D"),
    contrast = str_remove_all(contrast, " ")
  ) %>%
  select(item, contrast, estimate) %>%
  pivot_wider(names_from = contrast, values_from = estimate) %>%
  kable(booktabs = T,
        caption = "Pairwise differences of means by format. A = Adjective only. B = Am Adjective. C = T
  kable_styling()
```

Table S8: Pairwise differences of means by format. A = Adjective only. B = Am Adjective. C = Tend to be Adjective. D = Am someone who tends to be Adjective. * p < .05, ** p < .01, *** p < .001

:4	D 4	D 4	D D	D.C	C 4	C D
item	B-A	D-A	D-B	D-C	C-A	С-В
outgoing	-0.02	-0.10*	-0.08	0.00	-0.10*	-0.08
helpful	0.01	0.04	0.02	-0.03	0.07	0.06
reckless	-0.01	0.00	0.01	0.07	-0.07	-0.06
moody	0.06	0.02	-0.03	0.04	-0.01	-0.07
friendly	-0.01	-0.01	0.00	0.02	-0.02	-0.01
warm	-0.02	-0.01	0.02	0.01	-0.02	0.01
worrying	0.04	-0.04	-0.08	-0.05	0.02	-0.02
responsible	0.00	-0.12**	-0.12**	-0.12**	0.00	0.00
lively	0.08	-0.10*	-0.18***	-0.04	-0.05	-0.14**
caring	0.05	0.00	-0.05	0.02	-0.02	-0.07
nervous	-0.06	-0.11*	-0.05	-0.02	-0.09	-0.03
creative	0.00	-0.06	-0.06	0.00	-0.06	-0.06
hardworking	0.04	-0.03	-0.07	-0.01	-0.02	-0.06
imaginative	0.04	0.01	-0.03	-0.03	0.04	0.00
softhearted	0.05	0.02	-0.03	-0.02	0.03	-0.01
calm	-0.07	-0.11*	-0.04	-0.09	-0.02	0.05
selfdisciplined	-0.01	-0.10*	-0.10*	-0.09*	-0.01	-0.01
intelligent	-0.02	0.01	0.02	-0.01	0.01	0.03
curious	0.04	-0.01	-0.06	-0.02	0.01	-0.04
active	0.01	-0.04	-0.05	-0.03	-0.01	-0.02
careless	-0.03	0.03	0.07	0.05	-0.02	0.02
broadminded	0.04	0.04	0.01	0.01	0.03	-0.01
impulsive	0.10	0.08	-0.02	-0.06	0.14**	0.04
sympathetic	0.00	0.04	0.05	0.05	-0.01	-0.01
talkative	0.07	-0.01	-0.08	-0.02	0.01	-0.06
sophisticated	0.04	-0.01	-0.05	-0.01	0.00	-0.04
adventurous	0.00	-0.05	-0.05	0.00	-0.05	-0.05
thrifty	0.02	0.02	-0.01	0.02	-0.01	-0.03

```
pairwise_response %>%
  select(item, means) %>%
  unnest(cols = c(means)) %>%
  mutate(format = case when(
   format == "Adjective\nOnly" ~ 1,
   format == "Am\nAdjective" ~ 2,
   format == "Tend to be\nAdjective" ~ 3,
   format == "Am someone\nwho tends to be\nAdjective" ~ 4)) %>%
  ggplot(aes(x = format, y = estimate)) +
  geom_point(stat = "identity") +
  geom_line(alpha = .3) +
  geom_errorbar(aes(ymin = conf.low, ymax = conf.high), width = .3) +
  scale_x_continuous(breaks = c(1:4), labels= c("A","B","C","D")) +
  labs(x = NULL, y = "Expected response") +
  facet_wrap(~item) +
  theme_pubr()
```

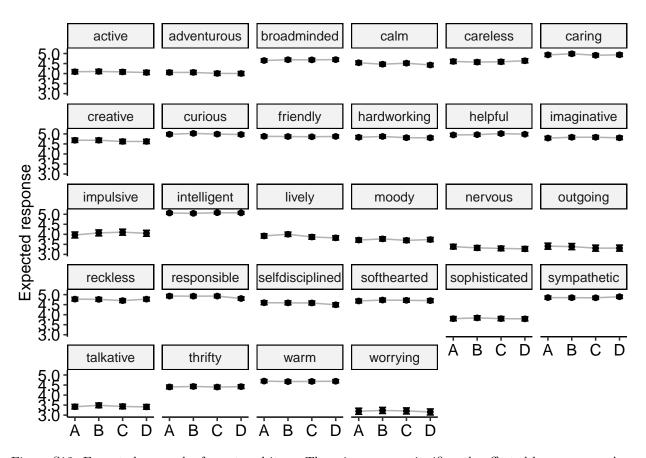


Figure S12: Expected means by format and item. These items were significantly affected by response. A = Adjective only. B = Am Adjective. C = Tend to be Adjective. D = Am someone who tends to be Adjective.

4.3 Extreme responding

We define *extreme responding* as answering either a 1 (Very inaccurate) or a 6 (Very accurate). To model likelihood of extreme responding by format, we use logistic regression.

```
items_df = items_df %>%
  mutate(extreme = case_when(
   response == 1 ~ 1,
   response == 6 \sim 1,
   TRUE ~ 0
))
extreme items = items df %>%
 filter(block %in% c(1,2)) %>%
 filter(!(item %in% bfmm))
mod.extreme = extreme items %>%
  glmmTMB(extreme~format + (1|proid) + (1|item) + (1|block),
         data = .,
         family = "binomial")
tidy(aov(mod.extreme))
## # A tibble: 5 x 6
##
   term df
                     sumsq meansq statistic
                                               p.value
##
   <chr>
             <dbl>
                     <dbl> <dbl> <dbl>
                                               <dbl>
## 1 format
               3 3.28 1.09
                                      7.29 6.92e- 5
## 2 proid
              974 2899.
                                     19.9 0
                             2.98
## 3 item
                 30 243.
                             8.10
                                      54.1
                                            1.47e-318
## 4 block
                 1
                       1.97 1.97
                                      13.2
                                            2.84e- 4
## 5 Residuals 59441 8901.
                             0.150
                                      NA
                                            NA
Item format was associated with extreme responding to personality items (F(3.00, 59, 441.00) = 7.29, p = <
.001). See Figure S13 for a visualization of this effect. We note too that extreme responding varied as a
function of item (F(974.00, 59, 441.00) = 19.88, p = < .001) and block (F(1.00, 59, 441.00) = 13.18, p = < .001)
.001).
effectsize::hedges_g(
 extreme~format,
 data = filter(extreme_items, format %in% c("Adjective\nOnly", "Am\nAdjective"))
)
## Hedges' g | 95% CI
## -----
## -0.02 | [-0.05, 0.00]
##
## - Estimated using pooled SD.
effectsize::hedges_g(
  extreme~format,
  data = filter(extreme_items, format %in% c("Adjective\nOnly", "Tend to be\nAdjective"))
)
## Hedges' g |
                     95% CI
## -----
## 0.01
           [-0.01, 0.04]
```

- Estimated using pooled SD.

```
effectsize::hedges_g(
 extreme~format,
 data = filter(extreme_items, format %in% c("Adjective\nOnly", "Am someone\nwho tends to be\nAdjective
## Hedges' g | 95% CI
## -0.03 | [-0.05, 0.00]
##
## - Estimated using pooled SD.
effectsize::hedges_g(
 extreme~format,
 data = filter(extreme_items, format %in% c("Am\nAdjective", "Tend to be\nAdjective"))
## Hedges' g | 95% CI
## -----
## 0.04 | [0.01, 0.06]
## - Estimated using pooled SD.
effectsize::hedges_g(
 extreme~format,
 data = filter(extreme_items, format %in% c("Am\nAdjective", "Am someone\nwho tends to be\nAdjective")
## Hedges' g |
                  95% CI
## -2.48e-03 | [-0.03, 0.02]
## - Estimated using pooled SD.
effectsize::hedges_g(
 extreme~format,
 data = filter(extreme_items, format %in% c("Tend to be\nAdjective", "Am someone\nwho tends to be\nAdj
## Hedges' g | 95% CI
## -0.04
          [-0.06, -0.02]
## - Estimated using pooled SD.
```

4.3.1 One model for each adjective

We repeat this analysis separately for each trait.

```
mod_by_item_ex = items_df %>%
filter(block %in% c(1,2)) %>%
filter(!(item %in% bfmm)) %>%
```

Likelihood of extreme responding

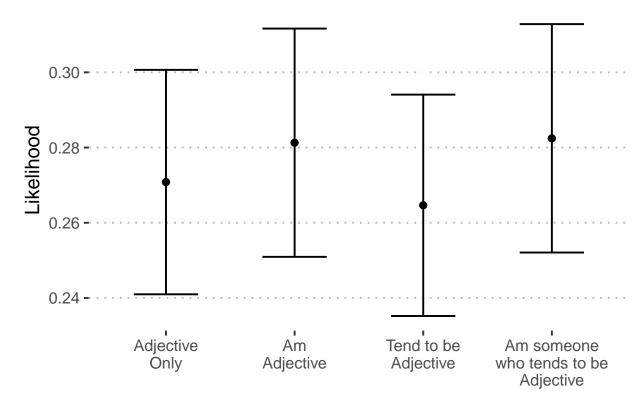


Figure S13: Predicted response on personality items by condition.

Table S9: Format effects on extreme response by item.

Item	Reverse Scored?	SS	MS	df	df2	F	raw	adj
active	N	0.49	0.16	3	971	4.29	.005	.098
adventurous	N	0.56	0.19	3	971	3.74	.011	.197
broadminded	N	0.91	0.30	3	971	6.33	< .001	.007
calm	N	0.10	0.03	3	971	0.53	.663	> .999
caring	N	1.91	0.64	3	971	10.25	< .001	< .001
cautious	N	0.11	0.04	3	971	0.57	.634	> .999
creative	N	1.15	0.38	3	971	7.96	< .001	< .001
curious	N	0.45	0.15	3	971	2.65	.048	.714
friendly	N	0.67	0.22	3	971	3.51	.015	.238
hardworking	N	0.44	0.15	3	971	2.65	.048	.714
helpful	N	0.90	0.30	3	971	4.95	.002	.041
imaginative	N	1.19	0.40	3	971	7.11	< .001	.003
intelligent	N	0.99	0.33	3	971	6.87	< .001	.003
lively	N	0.15	0.05	3	971	1.05	.370	> .999
organized	N	0.08	0.03	3	971	0.56	.639	> .999
outgoing	N	0.05	0.02	3	971	0.38	.770	> .999
responsible	N	0.38	0.13	3	971	2.01	.111	.998
selfdisciplined	N	0.46	0.15	3	971	2.53	.056	.726
softhearted	N	0.41	0.14	3	971	2.11	.097	.974
sophisticated	N	0.02	0.01	3	971	0.12	.950	> .999
sympathetic	N	1.00	0.33	3	971	5.98	< .001	.011
talkative	N	0.85	0.28	3	971	5.10	.002	.035
thorough	N	0.40	0.13	3	971	2.45	.062	.745
thrifty	N	0.14	0.05	3	971	1.14	.332	> .999
warm	N	0.75	0.25	3	971	5.48	< .001	.022
careless	Y	0.76	0.25	3	971	3.67	.012	.204
impulsive	Y	1.35	0.45	3	971	7.01	< .001	.003
moody	Y	0.33	0.11	3	971	2.38	.068	.749
nervous	Y	0.32	0.11	3	971	1.86	.135	> .999
reckless	Y	1.56	0.52	3	971	8.08	< .001	< .001
worrying	Y	1.12	0.37	3	971	8.19	< .001	< .001

We apply a Holm correction to the p-values extracted from these analyses, to adjust for the number of tests conducted. We present results in Table S9, which is organized by whether items were reverse-coded prior to analysis.

4.3.2 Pairwise t-tests for significant ANOVAs

When format was a significant predictor of extreme responding for an item (using the un-adjusted p-value here), we follow up with pairwise comparisons of format. Here we identify the items which meet this criteria. In the manuscript proper, we will only report the results for items in which format was significant, even after applying the Holm correction.

```
sig_item_ex = summary_by_item_ex %>%
  filter(p.value < .05)
sig_item_ex = sig_item_ex$item
sig_item_ex
    [1] "helpful"
                       "reckless"
                                     "friendly"
                                                    "warm"
                                                                  "worrying"
    [6] "caring"
                      "creative"
                                     "hardworking" "imaginative" "intelligent"
## [11] "curious"
                      "active"
                                     "careless"
                                                    "broadminded" "impulsive"
## [16] "sympathetic" "talkative"
                                     "adventurous"
```

Then we create models for each adjective. We use the emmeans package to perform pairwise comparisons, again with a Holm correction on the p-values. We also plot the means and 95% confidence intervals of each mean. Likelihood differences are shown in Table S10 and likelihood estimates are in Figure S14.

```
pairwise_response_ex %>%
  select(item, comp) %>%
  unnest(cols = c(comp)) %>%
  mutate(estimate = printnum(estimate),
         estimate = case_when(
           p.value < .001 ~ paste0(estimate, "***"),</pre>
           p.value < .01 ~ paste0(estimate, "**"),
           p.value < .05 ~ pasteO(estimate, "*"),</pre>
           TRUE ~ estimate
         )) %>%
  mutate(
    contrast = str_replace(contrast, "Adjective\nOnly", "A"),
    contrast = str_replace(contrast, "Am\nAdjective", "B"),
    contrast = str_replace(contrast, "Tend to be\nAdjective", "C"),
    contrast = str replace(contrast, "Am someone\nwho tends to be\nAdjective", "D"),
    contrast = str remove all(contrast, " ")
 ) %>%
```

Table S10: Pairwise differences in likelihood of extreme responding by format. A = Adjective only. B = Am Adjective. C = Tend to be Adjective. D = Am someone who tends to be Adjective. * p < .05, ** p < .01, *** p < .001

item	B-A	D-A	D-B	D-C	C-A	С-В
helpful	0.03	0.02	0.00	0.00	0.02	0.00
reckless	0.02	0.03*	0.01	0.04*	0.00	-0.02
friendly	-0.01	0.01	0.02	0.01	0.00	0.01
warm worrying	$0.01 \\ 0.02$	-0.02 0.02	-0.03 0.00	-0.01 0.00	$0.00 \\ 0.01$	-0.01 0.00
caring creative hardworking imaginative intelligent	0.02	0.03*	0.01	0.02	0.02	0.00
	0.03*	0.02	-0.01	0.02	0.00	-0.02
	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.01	-0.01	0.00
	-0.01	0.01	0.02	0.01	0.00	0.01
	-0.01	0.00	0.01	0.00	0.00	0.01
curious active careless broadminded impulsive	0.02	0.02	0.00	0.01	0.01	-0.02
	0.01	0.02	0.01	0.02	0.00	-0.01
	0.01	0.03	0.01	0.00	0.02	0.01
	0.03	0.01	-0.02	-0.01	0.01	-0.01
	0.03	0.05**	0.03	0.03	0.03	0.00
sympathetic	0.03	0.03	0.00	0.00	0.03	0.00
talkative	-0.02	0.02	0.04*	0.01	0.01	0.03
adventurous	0.02	0.05**	0.02	0.04*	0.01	-0.01

```
pairwise_response_ex %>%
  select(item, means) %>%
  unnest(cols = c(means)) %>%
  mutate(format = case_when(
    format == "Adjective\nOnly" ~ 1,
    format == "Am\nAdjective" ~ 2,
    format == "Tend to be\nAdjective" ~ 3,
    format == "Am someone\nwho tends to be\nAdjective" ~ 4)) %>%
  ggplot(aes(x = format, y = estimate)) +
  geom_point(stat = "identity") +
  geom_line(alpha = .3) +
  geom_errorbar(aes(ymin = conf.low, ymax = conf.high), width = .3) +
  scale_x_continuous(breaks = c(1:4), labels= c("A", "B", "C", "D")) +
  labs(x = NULL, y = "Probability of extreme response") +
  facet_wrap(~item) +
  theme pubr()
```

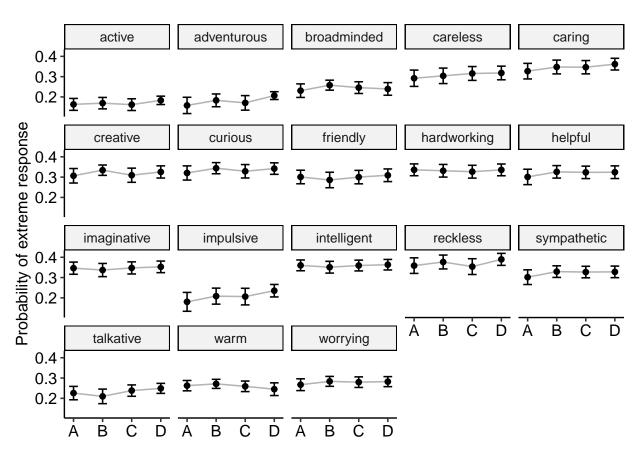


Figure S14: Extreme responding by format and item. These items were significantly affected by response. A = Adjective only. B = Am Adjective. C = Tend to be Adjective. D = Am someone who tends to be Adjective.

4.4 Acquiescent responding

We define acquiescent responding as answering "somewhat accurate" (4), "accurate" (5), or "very accurate" (6) to an item. To model likelihood of acquiescent responding by format, we use logistic regression. As a reminder, we reverse-scored socially desirable items during the cleaning stage. For those items, responses coded as 1, 2, or 3 represent agreement (accurate). Therefore, we code values 1, 2, and 3 as acquiescent responding for reverse-scored items, and values 4, 5, and 6 as acquiescent responding for all other items.

For these analyses, we only used a set of matched pairs of adjectives to create balanced subsets of positively and negatively keyed items.

```
items_df = items_df %>%
mutate(
    yeasaying = case_when(
    item %in% reverse & response %in% c(1:3) ~ 1,
    !(item %in% reverse) & response %in% c(4:6) ~ 1,
    TRUE ~ 0
))
```

```
## # A tibble: 5 x 6
    term df
                     sumsq meansq statistic
                                              p.value
##
##
    <chr>
            <dbl>
                     <dbl>
                            <dbl>
                                      <dbl>
                                                <dbl>
## 1 format
             3
                    0.857
                            0.286
                                      1.96 1.18e- 1
              974 552.
                                      3.89
                                            1.63e-305
## 2 proid
                            0.567
## 3 item
               19 2434.
                         128.
                                    879.
                                            0
## 4 block
               1
                    0.0563 0.0563
                                     0.386 5.34e- 1
## 5 Residuals 38002 5537.
                            0.146
                                     NΑ
                                           NΑ
```

Item format was unassociated with acquiescent responding (F(3.00, 38, 002.00) = 1.96, p = .118). See Figure S15 for a visualization of this effect. We note too that acquiescent responding varied as a function of item (F(974.00, 38, 002.00) = 3.89, p = < .001) and block (F(1.00, 38, 002.00) = 0.39, p = .534).

```
effectsize::hedges_g(
  yeasaying~format,
  data = filter(yeasaying_df, format %in% c("Adjective\nOnly", "Am\nAdjective"))
)
```

```
## Hedges' g | 95% CI
```

```
## -5.99e-03 | [-0.03, 0.02]
##
## - Estimated using pooled SD.
effectsize::hedges_g(
 yeasaying~format,
 data = filter(yeasaying_df, format %in% c("Adjective\nOnly", "Tend to be\nAdjective"))
## Hedges' g | 95% CI
## -----
## 0.02 | [-0.01, 0.04]
## - Estimated using pooled SD.
effectsize::hedges_g(
 yeasaying~format,
 data = filter(yeasaying_df, format %in% c("Adjective\nOnly", "Am someone\nwho tends to be\nAdjective"
## Hedges' g | 95% CI
## -----
## 0.02 | [-0.01, 0.05]
## - Estimated using pooled SD.
effectsize::hedges_g(
 yeasaying~format,
 data = filter(yeasaying_df, format %in% c("Am\nAdjective", "Tend to be\nAdjective"))
## Hedges' g | 95% CI
## 0.02 | [-0.01, 0.05]
## - Estimated using pooled SD.
effectsize::hedges_g(
 yeasaying~format,
 data = filter(yeasaying_df, format %in% c("Am\nAdjective", "Am someone\nwho tends to be\nAdjective"))
## Hedges' g | 95% CI
## -----
## 0.02 | [-0.01, 0.05]
## - Estimated using pooled SD.
effectsize::hedges_g(
 yeasaying~format,
 data = filter(yeasaying_df, format %in% c("Tend to be\nAdjective", "Am someone\nwho tends to be\nAdje
```

```
## Hedges' g | 95% CI
## ------
## 9.24e-04 | [-0.03, 0.03]
##
## - Estimated using pooled SD.
```

Likelihood of acquiescent responding

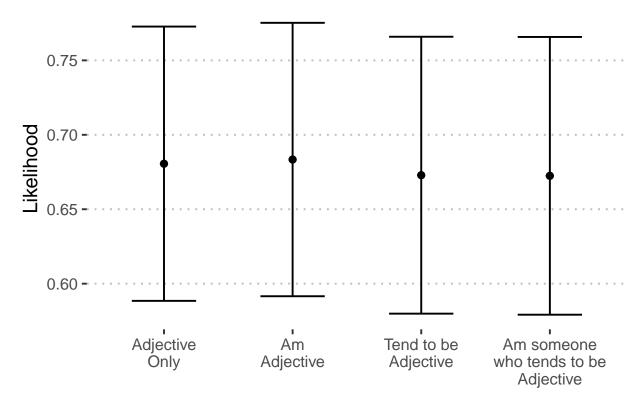


Figure S15: Likelihood of acquiescent responding to personality items by condition.

4.4.1 One model for each adjective

We repeat this analysis separately for each trait.

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Table SIII	Hormat effects	on acquirescent	responding by item
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Item	Reverse Scored?	SS	MS	df	df2	F	raw	adj
calm	N	0.74	0.25	3	1853	5.07	.002	.017
cautious	N	0.21	0.07	3	1853	1.35	.256	.769
cold	N	1.37	0.46	3	1853	7.37	< .001	.001
creative	N	0.07	0.02	3	1853	0.66	.575	> .999
intelligent	N	0.11	0.04	3	1853	2.06	.103	.451
outgoing	N	2.59	0.86	3	1853	14.73	< .001	< .001
quiet	N	0.12	0.04	3	1853	0.70	.553	> .999
relaxed	N	1.28	0.43	3	1853	6.68	< .001	.003
responsible	N	0.42	0.14	3	1853	4.47	.004	.035
shy	N	1.86	0.62	3	1853	10.70	< .001	< .001
sympathetic	N	0.51	0.17	3	1853	6.29	< .001	.004
talkative	N	0.56	0.19	3	1853	2.49	.058	.350
uncreative	N	0.43	0.14	3	1853	2.64	.048	.336
unintellectual	N	0.26	0.09	3	1853	2.16	.090	.451
unsympathetic	N	1.22	0.41	3	1853	7.48	< .001	< .001
warm	N	0.57	0.19	3	1853	5.16	.001	.016
careless	Y	0.75	0.25	3	1853	3.40	.017	.138
nervous	Y	1.17	0.39	3	1853	6.42	< .001	.004
reckless	Y	2.22	0.74	3	1853	14.24	< .001	< .001
worrying	Y	1.18	0.39	3	1853	6.21	< .001	.004

We apply a Holm correction to the p-values extracted from these analyses, to adjust for the number of tests conducted. We present results in Table S11, which is organized by whether items were reverse-coded prior to analysis.

4.4.2 Pairwise t-tests for significant ANOVAs

"cold"

[13] "shy"

When format was a significant predictor of acquiescent responding for an item (using the un-adjusted p-value here), we follow up with pairwise comparisons of format. Here we identify the items which meet this criteria. In the manuscript proper, we will only report the results for items in which format was significant, even after applying the Holm correction.

```
sig_item_ya = summary_by_item_ya %>%
  filter(p.value < .05)

sig_item_ya = sig_item_ya$item
sig_item_ya

## [1] "outgoing" "reckless" "warm" "worrying"
## [5] "responsible" "nervous" "calm" "careless"
## [9] "sympathetic" "unsympathetic" "relaxed" "uncreative"</pre>
```

Then we create models for each adjective. We use the marginaleffectss package to perform pairwise comparisonss. We also plot the means and 95% confidence intervals of each mean. Likelihood differences are shown in Table S10 and likelihood estimates are in Figure S14.

```
pairwise_response_ya = mod_by_item_ya %>%
  #only significant items
  filter(item %in% sig_item_ya) %>%
  #use marginaleffects package to calculate format means and run pairwise comparisons
  mutate(
   means = map(mod,
                avg_predictions,
                variables = "format",
                type = "response"),
    comp = map(mod,
               avg_comparisons,
               variables = list(format = "pairwise"),
               type = "response"))
pairwise_response_ya %>%
  select(item, comp) %>%
  unnest(cols = c(comp)) %>%
  mutate(estimate = printnum(estimate),
         estimate = case when(
           p.value < .001 ~ paste0(estimate, "***"),</pre>
           p.value < .01 ~ pasteO(estimate, "**"),</pre>
           p.value < .05 ~ pasteO(estimate, "*"),</pre>
           TRUE ~ estimate
         )) %>%
  mutate(
    contrast = str_replace(contrast, "Adjective\nOnly", "A"),
    contrast = str_replace(contrast, "Am\nAdjective", "B"),
   contrast = str_replace(contrast, "Tend to be\nAdjective", "C"),
   contrast = str replace(contrast, "Am someone\nwho tends to be\nAdjective", "D"),
   contrast = str_remove_all(contrast, " ")
  select(item, contrast, estimate) %>%
  pivot_wider(names_from = contrast, values_from = estimate) %>%
  kable(booktabs = T,
        caption = "Pairwise differences in likelihood of acquiescent responding by format. A = Adjectiv
  kable_styling()
pairwise_response_ya %>%
  select(item, means) %>%
  unnest(cols = c(means)) %>%
  mutate(format = case_when(
   format == "Adjective\nOnly" ~ 1,
   format == "Am\nAdjective" ~ 2,
   format == "Tend to be\nAdjective" ~ 3,
   format == "Am someone\nwho tends to be\nAdjective" ~ 4)) %>%
  ggplot(aes(x = format, y = estimate)) +
  geom_point(stat = "identity") +
  geom_line(alpha = .3) +
  geom_errorbar(aes(ymin = conf.low, ymax = conf.high), width = .3) +
  scale_x_continuous(breaks = c(1:4), labels= c("A","B","C","D")) +
  labs(x = NULL, y = "Probability of yeasaying") +
  facet_wrap(~item) +
 theme_pubr()
```

Table S12: Pairwise differences in likelihood of acquiescent responding by format. A = Adjective only. B = Am Adjective. C = Tend to be Adjective. D = Am someone who tends to be Adjective. * p < .05, *** p < .01, *** p < .001

item	В-А	D-A	D-B	D-C	C-A	С-В
outgoing reckless	$0.00 \\ 0.03$	-0.04 0.03	-0.04 0.00	-0.01 0.01	-0.03 0.02	-0.03 -0.01
warm	-0.01	-0.01	0.00	0.01	-0.02	0.00
worrying responsible	-0.02 -0.02	0.00 -0.03**	0.03 -0.01	0.00 -0.02*	0.00 -0.01	$0.03 \\ 0.01$
nervous	0.00	0.02	0.03	0.00	0.03	0.03
calm careless	-0.01 0.01	-0.03* 0.01	-0.02 0.00	-0.01 0.00	-0.02 0.01	-0.01 0.00
sympathetic	-0.02	0.00	0.02	0.02	-0.02	0.00
unsympathetic relaxed	0.02 0.03*	0.00	-0.02 -0.05**	0.01	-0.02 0.00	-0.04** -0.04*
uncreative	0.03	-0.01	-0.03*	-0.01	-0.02	-0.04
$_{ m cold}$	0.00 -0.03*	0.00 -0.02	$0.00 \\ 0.02$	$0.03 \\ 0.01$	-0.03* -0.03	-0.03* 0.00

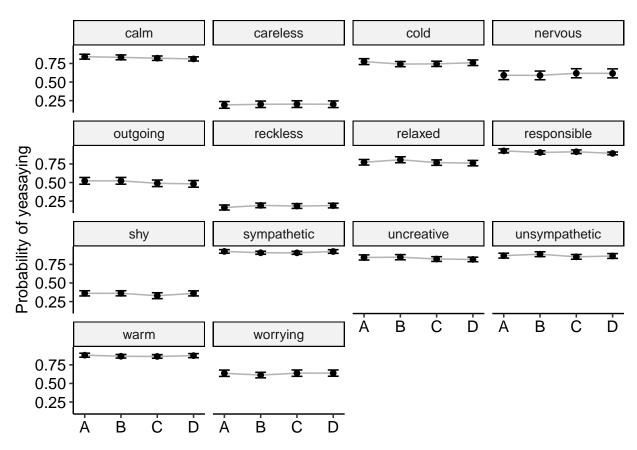
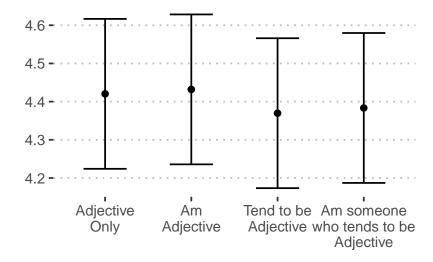


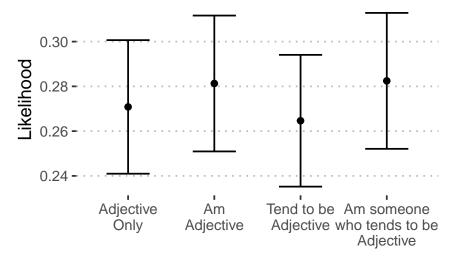
Figure S16: Acquiescent responding by format and item. These items were significantly affected by response. A = Adjective only. B = Am Adjective. C = Tend to be Adjective. D = Am someone who tends to be Adjective.

4.5 All tests

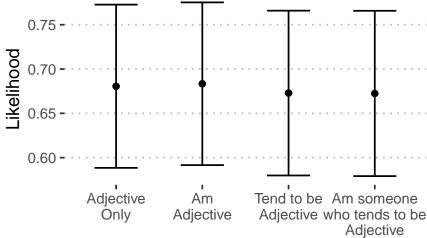
A Expected response



B Likelihood of extreme responding



C Likelihood of acquiescent responding



4.6 Effect of including "I" on expected response

Finally, we test whether the inclusion of the word "I" impacts item response (e.g. "I am outgoing"). We used two multilevel models, nesting response within participant to account for dependence. Our primary predictors are format and also the presence of the word "I". Because we have no specific rationale for how or why "I" would impact responses, we test both the partialled main effect of "I" as well as the interaction with format. Here, we use data from Blocks 1 and 3. Results are presented in Figure S17 and the full distribution of responses by format and "i" are presented in Figure ??.

```
items_13 = items_df %>%
  filter(block %in% c("1","3")) %>%
  filter(condition != "A") %>%
  filter(time2 == "yes")
items_13$format = as.character(items_13$format)
mod.format_b3_1 = glmmTMB(response~format + i + (1|proid) + (1|block),
                  data = items_13)
tidy(aov(mod.format_b3_1))
## # A tibble: 5 x 6
##
     term
                  df
                         sumsq meansq statistic
                                                   p.value
##
     <chr>>
               <dbl>
                         <dbl> <dbl>
                                           <dbl>
                                                     <dbl>
## 1 format
                   2
                                81.3
                                          49.5
                                                  3.50e-22
                       163.
## 2 i
                   1
                         0.631 0.631
                                           0.384 5.36e- 1
## 3 proid
                 660 16756.
                                25.4
                                          15.4
                                                  0
## 4 block
                         0.972 0.972
                                           0.591 4.42e- 1
                   1
## 5 Residuals 49723 81778.
                                1.64
                                                 NA
                                          NA
mod.format_b3_2 = glmmTMB(response~format*i + (1|proid) + (1|block),
                  data = items 13)
tidy(aov(mod.format_b3_2))
## # A tibble: 6 x 6
##
     term
                  df
                         sumsq meansq statistic
                                                   p.value
##
     <chr>>
               <dbl>
                         <dbl> <dbl>
                                           <dbl>
                                                     <dbl>
                                          49.5
                                                  3.51e-22
## 1 format
                   2
                       163.
                                81.3
## 2 i
                   1
                         0.631 0.631
                                           0.384
                                                  5.36e- 1
## 3 proid
                 660 16756.
                                25.4
                                          15.4
                                                  0
## 4 block
                   1
                         0.972 0.972
                                           0.591
                                                  4.42e- 1
                         0.910 0.455
                                           0.277 7.58e- 1
## 5 format:i
                   2
## 6 Residuals 49721 81777.
                                 1.64
                                          NA
                                                 NΑ
```

4.6.1 One model for each adjective

Additive effects of I (controlling for format) are summarized in Table S61. Tests of the interaction of I with format (for each item) are summarized in Table S62.

```
mod_by_item_i1 = items_13 %>%
  group_by(item) %>%
  nest() %>%
```

Average responses by item formatting (Block 1 and Block 3)

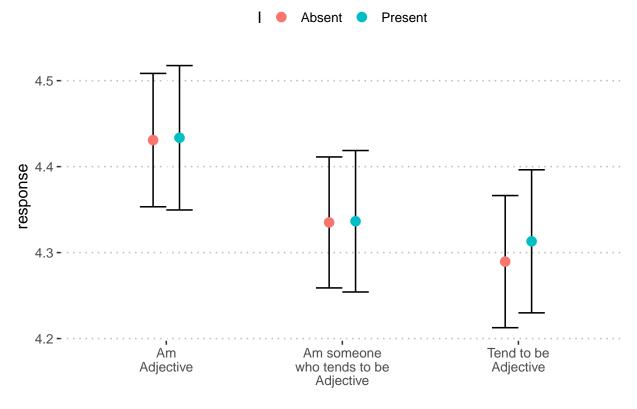


Figure S17: Predicted response on personality items by condition, using only Block 1 data.

```
mutate(mod = map(data, ~glmmTMB(response~format+i + (1|proid), data = .))) %>%
  mutate(aov = map(mod, aov)) %>%
  ungroup()
summary_by_item_i1 = mod_by_item_i1 %>%
  mutate(tidy = map(aov, broom::tidy)) %>%
  select(item, tidy) %>%
  unnest(cols = c(tidy)) %>%
  filter(term == "i") %>%
  mutate(reverse = case when(
    item %in% reverse ~ "Y",
   TRUE ~ "N"
  )) %>%
  mutate(p.adj = p.adjust(p.value, method = "holm"))
mod_by_item_i2 = items_13 %>%
  group_by(item) %>%
  nest() %>%
  mutate(mod = map(data, ~glmmTMB(response~format*i + (1|proid), data = .))) %>%
  mutate(aov = map(mod, aov)) %>%
  ungroup()
Here we identify the specific items with significant differences.
sig_item_b3 = summary_by_item_i2 %>%
  filter(p.value < .05)</pre>
sig_item_b3 = sig_item_b3$item
sig_item_b3
## [1] "creative"
                       "sophisticated" "adventurous"
                                                        "thrifty"
adjective_response_i = function(adjective){
  model = items_13 %>%
    filter(item == adjective) %>%
    filter(condition != "A") %>%
    glmmTMB(response~format*i + (1|proid), data = .)
  plot = avg_predictions(model, variables = c("format", "i")) %>%
    ggplot(aes(x = format, y = estimate, group = i)) +
    geom_point(aes(color = i),
               position = position_dodge(.3),
               size = 3) +
    geom_errorbar(
      aes(ymin = conf.low, ymax = conf.high),
```

position = position_dodge(.3),

width = .3) +

x = NULL,
y = "seconds",

labs(

Table S13: Additive effect of I on expected response for each item

item	reverse	sumsq	meansq	df	statistic	p.value	p.adj
active	N	0.53	0.53	1	1.28	.258	> .999
adventurous	N	1.89	1.89	1	4.18	.041	> .999
broadminded	N	0.00	0.00	1	0.00	.990	> .999
calm	N	0.00	0.00	1	0.00 0.22	.641	> .999
caring	N	0.03 0.21	0.03 0.21	1	0.22 0.68	.411	> .999
caring							
cautious	N	0.04	0.04	1	0.07	.785	> .999
cold	N	2.40	2.40	1	4.45	.035	.952
creative	N	0.20	0.20	1	0.79	.375	> .999
curious	N	0.22	0.22	1	0.64	.425	> .999
friendly	N	0.35	0.35	1	1.47	.225	> .999
hardworking	N	0.38	0.38	1	1.40	.238	> .999
helpful	N	0.00	0.00	1	0.00	.944	> .999
imaginative	N	0.54	0.54	1	2.22	.137	> .999
intelligent	N	2.21	2.21	1	8.36	.004	.135
lively	N	2.02	2.02	1	5.38	.021	.599
organized	N	1.80	1.80	1	6.18	.013	.394
outgoing	N	0.05	0.05	1	0.15	.697	> .999
quiet	N	3.51	3.51	1	7.05	.008	.252
relaxed	N	0.77	0.77	1	1.71	.192	> .999
responsible	N	6.88	6.88	1	21.77	< .001	< .001
selfdisciplined	N	1.66	1.66	1	4.78	.029	.814
shy	N	0.72	0.72	1	1.64	.200	> .999
softhearted	N	0.38	0.38	1	1.19	.276	> .999
sophisticated	N	0.02	0.02	1	0.05	.817	> .999
sympathetic	N	2.93	2.93	1	10.80	.001	.040
<u> </u>							
talkative	N	0.38	0.38	1	0.72	.396	> .999
thorough	N	1.35	1.35	1	3.76	.053	> .999
thrifty	N	0.69	0.69	1	1.45	.229	> .999
uncreative	N	1.75	1.75	1	3.92	.048	> .999
unintellectual	N	0.33	0.33	1	0.69	.405	> .999
unsympathetic	N	0.22	0.22	1	0.48	.488	> .999
warm	N	0.02	0.02	1	0.08	.780	> .999
careless	Y	4.76	4.76	1	8.73	.003	.114
impulsive	Y	6.03	6.03	1	10.63	.001	.042
moody	Y	3.16	3.16	1	8.26	.004	.138
nervous	Y	1.27	1.27	1	2.54	.112	> .999
reckless	Y	0.48	0.48	1	1.17	.280	> .999
worrying	Y	3.52	3.52	1	7.96	.005	.157

Table S14: Interaction of I with format on expected response for each item

item	reverse	sumsq	meansq	df	statistic	p.value	p.adj
active	N	0.03	0.01	2	0.03	.966	> .999
adventurous	N	3.81	1.90	2	4.24	.015	.546
broadminded	N	0.09	0.05	2	0.11	.893	> .999
calm	N	1.03	0.52	2	1.22	.295	> .999
caring	N	0.00	0.00	2	0.00	.996	> .999
cautious	N	1.52	0.76	2	1.57	.208	> .999
cold	N	0.06	0.03	2	0.06	.944	> .999
creative	N	2.08	1.04	2	4.13	.017	.595
curious	N	0.74	0.37	2	1.05	.350	> .999
friendly	N	0.40	0.20	2	0.84	.434	> .999
hardworking	N	0.28	0.14	2	0.52	.596	> .999
helpful	N	0.28	0.14	2	0.57	.566	> .999
imaginative	N	0.01	0.01	2	0.02	.979	> .999
intelligent	N	1.16	0.58	2	2.21	.111	> .999
lively	N	0.40	0.20	2	0.53	.591	> .999
organized	N	0.65	0.33	2	1.12	.326	> .999
outgoing	N	0.40	0.20	2	0.61	.544	> .999
quiet	N	0.49	0.25	2	0.50	.609	> .999
relaxed	N	0.18	0.09	2	0.20	.820	> .999
responsible	N	0.66	0.33	2	1.05	.350	> .999
selfdisciplined	N	0.29	0.15	2	0.42	.658	> .999
shy	N	0.06	0.03	2	0.07	.929	> .999
softhearted	N	0.09	0.05	2	0.15	.864	> .999
sophisticated	N	3.54	1.77	2	3.94	.020	.699
sympathetic	N	0.65	0.32	2	1.20	.303	> .999
talkative	N	0.71	0.36	2	0.67	.513	> .999
thorough	N	0.10	0.05	2	0.13	.874	> .999
thrifty	N	8.72	4.36	2	9.44	< .001	.003
uncreative	N	0.06	0.03	2	0.07	.934	> .999
unintellectual	N	0.75	0.37	2	0.79	.454	> .999
unsympathetic	N	0.10	0.05	2	0.10	.901	> .999
warm	N	0.07	0.03	2	0.11	.895	> .999
careless	Y	0.40	0.20	2	0.37	.691	> .999
impulsive	Y	2.98	1.49	2	2.64	.072	> .999
moody	Y	0.43	0.21	2	0.56	.571	> .999
nervous	Y	1.96	0.98	2	1.97	.141	> .999
reckless	Y	0.02	0.01	2	0.03	.972	> .999
worrying	Y	0.46	0.23	2	0.52	.594	> .999

```
title = paste0("Expected response to ", str_to_sentence(adjective))) +
    theme_pubclean()

return(plot)
}
```

```
adjective_response_i("creative")
```

Expected response to Creative

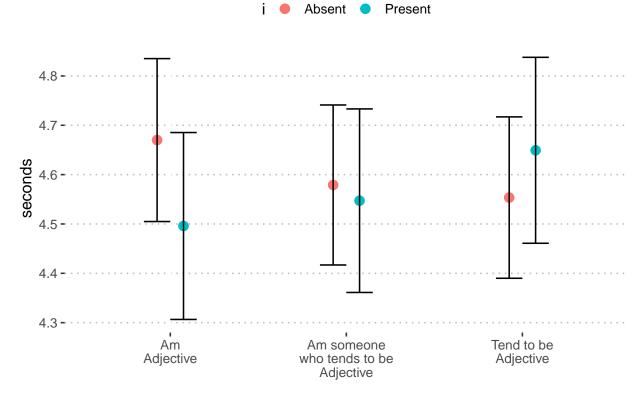


Figure S18: Expected response to "creative" by format and inclusion of i (blocks 1 and 3)

4.6.1.1 Creative

```
adjective_response_i("sophisticated")
```

4.6.1.2 Sophisticated

Expected response to Sophisticated

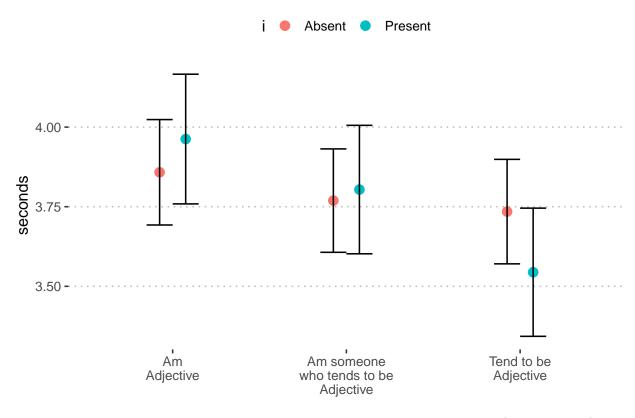


Figure S19: Expected response to "sophisticated" by format and inclusion of i (blocks 1 and 3)



Expected response to Adventurous

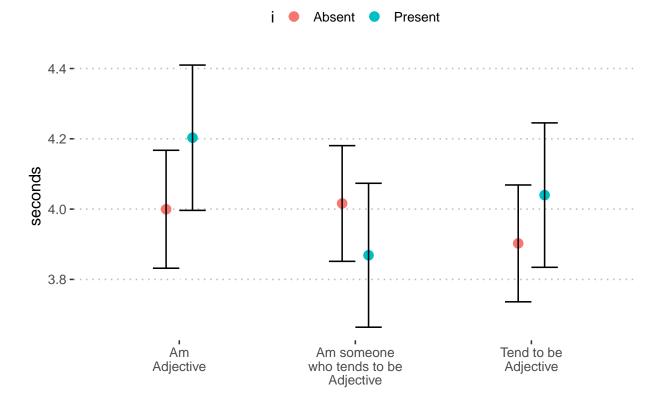


Figure S20: Expected response to "adventurous" by format and inclusion of i (blocks 1 and 3)

4.6.1.3 Adventurous

```
adjective_response_i("thrifty")
```

4.6.1.4 Thrifty

Expected response to Thrifty

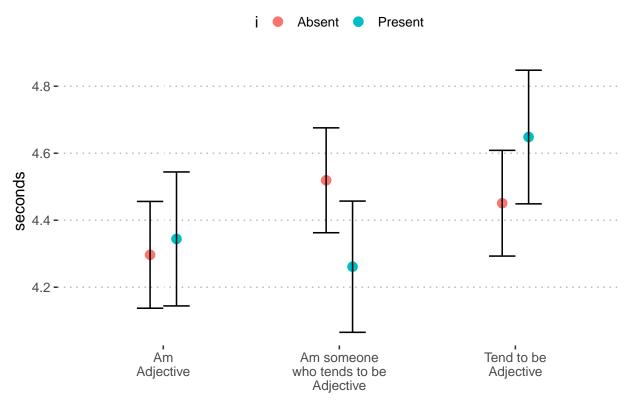


Figure S21: Expected response to "thrifty" by format and inclusion of i (blocks 1 and 3)

5 Does the internal consistency and reliability of Big Five traits vary by item wording?

We calculate and report Cronbach's alpha for all formats using data from Blocks 1 and 2. This will include both the average split-half reliability, as well as the 95% confidence interval. Differences in internal consistency will be considered statistically significant if the confidence intervals of two formats do not overlap. We will also show the distribution of all possible split halves for each of the four formats.

We start by creating a wide-format of the dataset using only the Block 1 data.

```
items_wide = items_df %>%
  # only blocks 1 and 2
filter(block %in% c(1,2)) %>%
  #only need these variables
select(proid, block, condition, item, response) %>%
  # to wide form
spread(item, response)
```

Next, we identify the items associated with each trait. These come from the Health and Retirement Study Psychosocial and Lifestyle Questionnaire 2006-2016 user guide, which can be found at this link.

5.1 Calculate Cronbach's alpha for each format

We start by grouping data by condition and then nesting, to create separate data frames for each of the four formats.

```
format_data = items_wide %>%
  group_by(condition) %>%
  nest() %>%
  ungroup()
```

Next we create separate datasets for each of the five personality traits.

```
format_data = format_data %>%
  mutate(
    data_Extra = map(data, ~select(.x, all_of(Extra))),
    data_Agree = map(data, ~select(.x, all_of(Agree))),
    data_Consc = map(data, ~select(.x, all_of(Consc))),
    data_Neuro = map(data, ~select(.x, all_of(Neuro))),
    data_Openn = map(data, ~select(.x, all_of(Openn)))
)
```

We gather these datasets into a single column, for ease of use.

Table S15: Cronbach's alpha across format and trait.

label	A	В	С	D
Extraversion (5 descriptors)	0.80 [0.77, 0.82]	0.82 [0.80, 0.85]	0.84 [0.82, 0.86]	0.81 [0.78, 0.83]
Agreeableness (5 descriptors)	0.90 [0.89, 0.91]	0.90 [0.88, 0.91]	0.90 [0.88, 0.91]	0.92 [0.91, 0.93]
Conscientiousness (10 descriptors)	0.83 [0.80, 0.85]	0.85 [0.82, 0.87]	0.80 [0.78, 0.83]	0.84 [0.81, 0.86]
Neuroticism (4 descriptors)	0.83 [0.81, 0.86]	0.86 [0.84, 0.88]	0.82 [0.79, 0.84]	0.83 [0.81, 0.86]
Openness (7 descriptors)	0.76 [0.72, 0.79]	0.68 [0.64, 0.73]	0.77 [0.73, 0.80]	0.72 [0.68, 0.76]

```
format_data = format_data %>%
  select(-data) %>%
  gather(variable, data, starts_with("data")) %>%
  mutate(variable = str_remove(variable, "data_"))
```

Next we apply the alpha and omega functions to the datasets. We do not need to use the check.keys function, as items were reverse-scored during the cleaning process.

```
format_data = format_data %>%
  mutate(
   nvar = map_dbl(data, ncol),
   alpha = map(data, psych::alpha),
   omega = map(data, psych::omega, plot = F))
```

5.2 Alpha

We extract the estimated confidence intervals. The final summary of results is presented in Table S15 and Figure S22.

5.3 Split-half reliability

Alpha is the average split-half reliability; given space, it can be useful to report the distribution of all split-half reliability estimates. We use the **splitHalf** function to calculate those. We use smoothed correlation matrices here because when developing code on the pilot data, we had non-positive definite correlation matrices. See Figure S23 for these distributions.

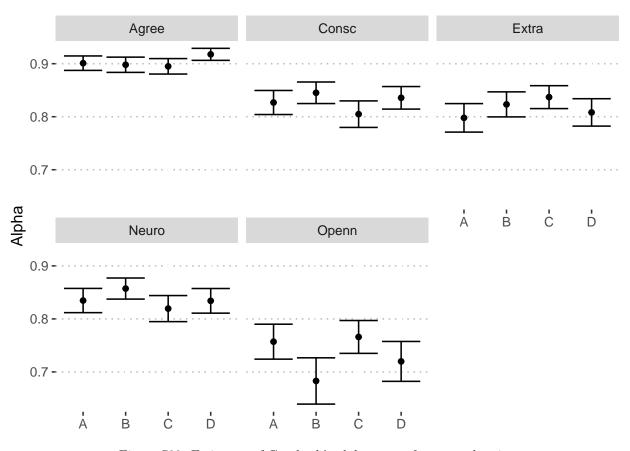


Figure S22: Estimates of Cronbach's alpha across format and trait.

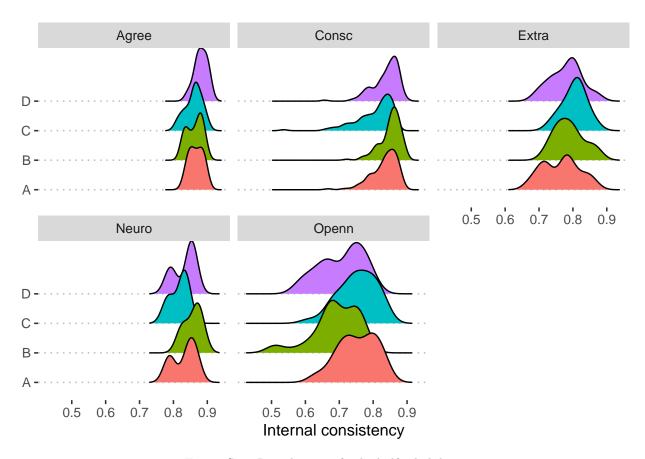


Figure S23: Distribution of split-half reliabilities

Table S16: Omega hierarchical across format and trait.

label	A	В	С	D
Extraversion (5 descriptors)	0.75	0.76	0.77	0.75
Agreeableness (5 descriptors)	0.89	0.82	0.82	0.88
Conscientiousness (10 descriptors)	0.67	0.65	0.54	0.55
Neuroticism (4 descriptors)	0.80	0.84	0.81	0.79
Openness (7 descriptors)	0.62	0.56	0.66	0.53

5.4 Omega

We extract the estimated confidence intervals. The final summary of results is presented in Table S15 and Figure S22.

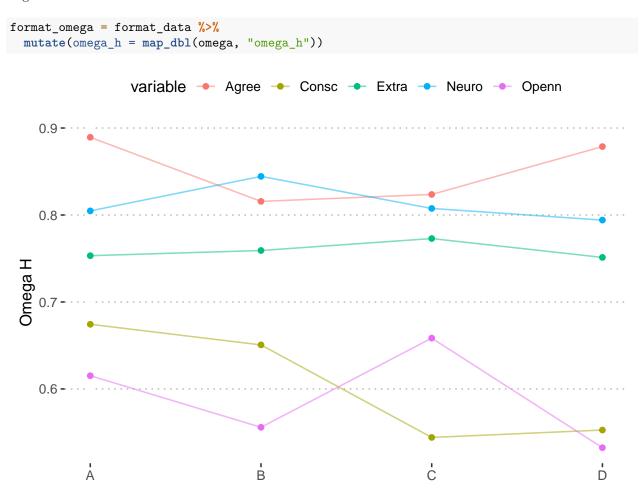


Figure S24: Estimates of omega hierarchical across format and trait.

6 Does the test-retest reliability of personality items change as a function of item wording?

We also evaluated test-retest reliability within formats (within session and over two weeks); we expecte slightly higher test-retest reliability for item wording formats that are more specific – formats #3 and #4 above vs the use of adjectives alone. However, we found that test-retest reliability did not differ as a function of item format.

We also considered the effect of performance on the word recall task on retest reliability.

The data structure needed for these analyses is in wide-format. That is, we require one column for each time point. In addition, we hope to examine reliability *within* format, which requires selecting only the response options which match the original, Block 1, assessment.

We standardize responses within each block – this allows us to use a regression framework yet interpret the slopes as correlations.

```
items_matchb1 = items_matchb1 %>%
mutate(across(
    starts_with("block"), ~(.-mean(., na.rm=T))/sd(., na.rm = T)
))
```

We also standardize the memory scores for ease of interpretation.

```
items_matchb1 = items_matchb1 %>%
  mutate(across(
    ends_with("memory"), ~(.-mean(., na.rm=T))/sd(., na.rm = T)
))
```

6.1 Test-retest reliability (all items pooled)

To estimate the reliability coefficients, we use a multilevel model, predicting the latter block from the earlier one. These models nest responses within participant, allowing us to estimate standard errors which account for the dependency of scores. Results are shown in Table S17.

```
tr_mod1_b1b2 = glmmTMB(block_2 ~ block_1 + (1 | proid), data = items_matchb1)
tr_mod1_b1b3 = glmmTMB(block_3 ~ block_1 + (1 | proid), data = items_matchb1)
```

Table S17: Test-retest estimates from multilevel models

Assessments	Slope coefficient
Block 1 - Block 2	0.85 [0.84, 0.86]
Block 1 - Block 3	0.78 [0.77, 0.79]

Table S18: Effect of memory on test-retest

Term	Interpretation	Block 1 - Block 2	Block 1 - Block 3
block_1	Test-retest at average memory	0.85 [0.84, 0.86]	0.78 [0.77, 0.79]
block_1:memory	Change in test-retest by increase in memory	0.03 [0.02, 0.04]	0.01 [0.00, 0.02]
memory	Effect of memory on response	0.01 [0.00, 0.03]	0.01 [-0.01, 0.02]

6.2 Test-retest reliability (all items pooled, moderated by memory)

Here we fit models moderated by memory – that is, perhaps the test-retest coefficient is affected by the memory of the participant. Results are shown in Table S18

We also extract the simple slopes estimates of these models, which allow us to more explicitly identify and compare the test-retest correlations.

6.2.1 Block 1/Block 2

```
## $emtrends
   delayed_memory block_1.trend
                                     SE df asymp.LCL asymp.UCL
##
               -1
                       0.821 0.00745 Inf
                                                0.807
                                                           0.836
##
                0
                          0.854 0.00534 Inf
                                                 0.843
                                                           0.864
##
                          0.886 0.00749 Inf
                                                 0.872
                                                           0.901
##
## Confidence level used: 0.95
##
## $contrasts
##
  contrast
                                         estimate
                                                       SE df z.ratio p.value
   (delayed_memory-1) - delayed_memory0 -0.0324 0.00522 Inf -6.206 <.0001
```

```
## (delayed_memory-1) - delayed_memory1 -0.0648 0.01040 Inf -6.206 <.0001
## delayed_memory0 - delayed_memory1 -0.0324 0.00522 Inf -6.206 <.0001
##
## P value adjustment: tukey method for comparing a family of 3 estimates</pre>
```

6.2.2 Block 1/Block 3

p.value 0.0015

0.0015

##

##

```
mem_list = list(very_delayed_memory = c(-1,0,1))
emtrends(tr_mod2_b1b3,
         pairwise~very_delayed_memory,
         var = "block_1",
         at = mem_list)
## $emtrends
    very delayed memory block 1.trend
                                           SE df asymp.LCL asymp.UCL
##
                     -1
                                0.770 0.00477 Inf
                                                      0.760
                                                                 0.779
                                                                 0.788
##
                      0
                                0.781 0.00340 Inf
                                                       0.775
##
                      1
                                0.793 0.00474 Inf
                                                      0.784
                                                                 0.802
##
## Confidence level used: 0.95
##
## $contrasts
## contrast
                                                                  SE df z.ratio
                                                    estimate
   (very_delayed_memory-1) - very_delayed_memory0 -0.0115 0.00332 Inf -3.463
##
```

-3.463

-0.0115 0.00332 Inf -3.463

0.0015
##
P value adjustment: tukey method for comparing a family of 3 estimates

(very_delayed_memory-1) - very_delayed_memory1 -0.0230 0.00665 Inf

6.3 Test-retest reliability (all items pooled, by format)

very_delayed_memory0 - very_delayed_memory1

We fit these same models, except now we moderate by format, to determine whether the test-retest reliability differs as a function of item wording.

```
##
                    block 1 condition
                                         proid block_1:condition Residuals
                                                   0.422 2008.689
## Sum of Squares 6896.958
                                0.836 324.094
## Deg. of Freedom
                                    3
                                           971
                                                               3
                                                                      8253
##
## Residual standard error: 0.4933447
## 3 out of 982 effects not estimable
## Estimated effects may be unbalanced
## 27818 observations deleted due to missingness
aov(tr_mod3_b1b3)
## Call:
##
      aov(formula = tr_mod3_b1b3)
##
## Terms:
##
                                           proid block_1:condition Residuals
                     block_1 condition
## Sum of Squares 21651.611
                                 7.361 1062.946
                                                            1.640 10829.442
## Deg. of Freedom
                                     3
                                             879
                                                                 3
                                                                       32667
                           1
##
## Residual standard error: 0.5757692
## 3 out of 890 effects not estimable
## Estimated effects may be unbalanced
## 3496 observations deleted due to missingness
```

We also extract the simple slopes estimates of these models, which allow us to more explicitly identify and compare the test-retest correlations.

6.3.1 Block 1/Block 2

```
emtrends(tr_mod3_b1b2, pairwise ~ condition, var = "block_1")
```

```
## $emtrends
##
     condition
                                             block 1.trend
                                                               SE df asymp.LCL
## Adjective\nOnly
                                                     0.852 0.0107 Inf
                                                                           0.831
                                                                           0.827
## Am\nAdjective
                                                     0.848 0.0108 Inf
## Am someone\nwho tends to be\nAdjective
                                                     0.865 0.0104 Inf
                                                                           0.844
##
  Tend to be\nAdjective
                                                     0.848 0.0105 Inf
                                                                           0.828
##
    asymp.UCL
##
        0.873
##
        0.869
##
        0.885
##
        0.869
##
## Confidence level used: 0.95
##
## $contrasts
##
      contrast
                                                                       estimate
    {\tt Adjective} \verb| nOnly - Am \verb| nAdjective |
                                                                       0.004793
## Adjective\nOnly - Am someone\nwho tends to be\nAdjective
                                                                      -0.012283
## Adjective\nOnly - Tend to be\nAdjective
                                                                       0.004220
## Am\nAdjective - Am someone\nwho tends to be\nAdjective
                                                                      -0.017076
```

```
Am\nAdjective - Tend to be\nAdjective
                                                                   -0.000573
   Am someone\nwho tends to be\nAdjective - Tend to be\nAdjective 0.016503
##
       SE df z.ratio p.value
##
   0.0152 Inf
                0.316 0.9891
##
##
   0.0149 Inf
               -0.827
                       0.8419
##
  0.0150 Inf
                0.282 0.9922
  0.0149 Inf
               -1.143
                       0.6628
## 0.0151 Inf
               -0.038 1.0000
## 0.0147 Inf
                 1.120 0.6772
##
## P value adjustment: tukey method for comparing a family of 4 estimates
```

6.3.2 Block 1/Block 3

```
emtrends(tr_mod3_b1b3, pairwise ~ condition, var = "block_1")
## $emtrends
##
     condition
                                                                  df asymp.LCL
                                           block_1.trend
                                                               SE
  Adjective\nOnly
                                                    0.785 0.00676 Inf
                                                                          0.772
                                                    0.791 0.00678 Inf
                                                                          0.777
  Am\nAdjective
##
  Am someone\nwho tends to be\nAdjective
##
                                                    0.778 0.00661 Inf
                                                                          0.765
                                                    0.772 0.00682 Inf
##
   Tend to be\nAdjective
                                                                          0.758
##
   asymp.UCL
##
        0.798
##
        0.804
##
        0.791
##
        0.785
##
  Confidence level used: 0.95
##
##
## $contrasts
##
      contrast
                                                                    estimate
##
   Adjective\nOnly - Am\nAdjective
                                                                    -0.00581
  Adjective\nOnly - Am someone\nwho tends to be\nAdjective
                                                                     0.00729
  Adjective\nOnly - Tend to be\nAdjective
                                                                     0.01309
   Am\nAdjective - Am someone\nwho tends to be\nAdjective
##
                                                                     0.01310
##
   Am\nAdjective - Tend to be\nAdjective
                                                                     0.01890
   Am someone\nwho tends to be\nAdjective - Tend to be\nAdjective 0.00580
##
         SE df z.ratio p.value
##
   0.00956 Inf
                -0.608 0.9296
##
  0.00944 Inf
                  0.773 0.8668
## 0.00958 Inf
                  1.366 0.5206
## 0.00945 Inf
                  1.386 0.5080
## 0.00959 Inf
                  1.970
                         0.1995
##
  0.00948 Inf
                  0.612 0.9284
##
## P value adjustment: tukey method for comparing a family of 4 estimates
```

6.4 Test-retest reliability (items separated, by format)

To assess test-retest reliability for each item, we can rely on more simple correlation analyses, as each participant only contributed one response to each item in each block. We first not the sample size coverage

for these comparisons:

```
items_matchb1 %>%
  group_by(item, condition) %>%
  count() %>%
  ungroup() %>%
  full_join(expand_grid(item = unique(items_matchb1$item),
                        condition = unique(items_matchb1$condition))) %>%
  mutate(n = ifelse(is.na(n), 0, n)) %>%
  summarise(
   min = min(n),
    \max = \max(n),
   mean = mean(n),
   median = median(n)
## # A tibble: 1 x 4
##
      min
           max mean median
##
     <int> <int> <dbl> <dbl>
           248 244.
## 1
      239
                          244
items_cors = items_matchb1 %>%
  select(item, condition, contains("block")) %>%
  group_by(item, condition) %>%
 nest() %>%
  mutate(cors = map(data, psych::corr.test, use = "pairwise"),
         cors = map(cors, print, short = F),
         cors = map(cors, ~.x %>% mutate(comp = rownames(.)))) %>%
  select(item, condition, cors) %>%
  unnest(cols = c(cors))
```

The test-retest correlations of each item-format combination are presented in Table S19. We also visualize these correlations in Figure S25,

Table S19: Test-retest correlations for each item and condition.

		Adject	ive Only	Am A	djective	Tend	d to be	Am son	meone who tends to be
Item	Reverse scored?	5 min	2 weeks	5 min	2 weeks	5 min	2 weeks	5 min	2 weeks
active	N	0.79	0.73	0.87	0.77	0.89	0.71	0.86	0.78
adventurous	N	0.91	0.79	0.82	0.76	0.89	0.67	0.88	0.79
broadminded	N	0.83	0.68	0.78	0.63	0.80	0.67	0.77	0.67
calm	N	0.85	0.74	0.80	0.74	0.76	0.62	0.81	0.74
caring	N	0.78	0.76	0.65	0.72	0.77	0.64	0.85	0.72
cautious	N	0.57	0.54	0.53	0.56	0.73	0.51	0.72	0.58
cold	N	0.93	0.76	0.72	0.72	0.95	0.68	0.90	0.70
creative	N	0.75	0.82	0.84	0.80	0.90	0.86	0.85	0.87
curious	N	0.76	0.66	0.69	0.57	0.87	0.62	0.44	0.59
friendly	N	0.71	0.81	0.87	0.71	0.73	0.79	0.84	0.79
hardworking	N	0.83	0.78	0.89	0.76	0.88	0.79	0.86	0.81
helpful	N	0.77	0.65	0.89	0.80	0.74	0.70	0.88	0.74
imaginative	N	0.80	0.80	0.87	0.79	0.82	0.84	0.91	0.83
intelligent	N	0.84	0.83	0.84	0.71	0.86	0.64	0.84	0.71
lively	N	0.86	0.75	0.83	0.81	0.83	0.74	0.79	0.75
organized	N	0.85	0.87	0.93	0.86	0.83	0.82	0.89	0.83
outgoing	N	0.90	0.89	0.91	0.90	0.84	0.85	0.84	0.84
quiet	N	0.93	0.83	0.81	0.80	0.88	0.69	0.68	0.73
relaxed	N	0.85	0.69	0.78	0.75	0.60	0.61	0.83	0.70
responsible	N	0.77	0.78	0.79	0.76	0.82	0.68	0.71	0.75
selfdisciplined	N	0.76	0.81	0.76	0.75	0.89	0.75	0.77	0.80
shy	N	0.85	0.85	0.96	0.85	0.91	0.80	0.94	0.78
softhearted	N	0.78	0.79	0.85	0.77	0.88	0.77	0.87	0.78
sophisticated	N	0.88	0.75	0.80	0.76	0.88	0.68	0.80	0.75
sympathetic	N	0.80	0.75	0.65	0.74	0.79	0.79	0.85	0.72
talkative	N	0.90	0.81	0.86	0.76	0.83	0.80	0.87	0.75
thorough	N	0.79	0.64	0.78	0.65	0.81	0.61	0.81	0.70
thrifty	N	0.86	0.74	0.81	0.79	0.90	0.62	0.80	0.69
uncreative	N	0.82	0.71	0.53	0.74	0.77	0.74	0.70	0.81
unintellectual	N	0.87	0.71	0.57	0.63	0.63	0.51	0.62	0.59
unsympathetic	N	0.72	0.55	0.51	0.73	0.84	0.63	0.80	0.73
warm	N	0.81	0.77	0.90	0.79	0.87	0.73	0.92	0.75
careless	Y	0.62	0.65	0.77	0.68	0.86	0.61	0.85	0.72
impulsive	Y	0.78	0.66	0.82	0.74	0.78	0.68	0.92	0.71
moody	Y	0.93	0.88	0.89	0.83	0.97	0.81	0.89	0.82
nervous	Y	0.88	0.83	0.85	0.80	0.91	0.83	0.97	0.78
reckless	Y	0.85	0.76	0.86	0.81	0.82	0.71	0.83	0.72
worrying	Y	0.81	0.84	0.89	0.83	0.89	0.83	0.88	0.80

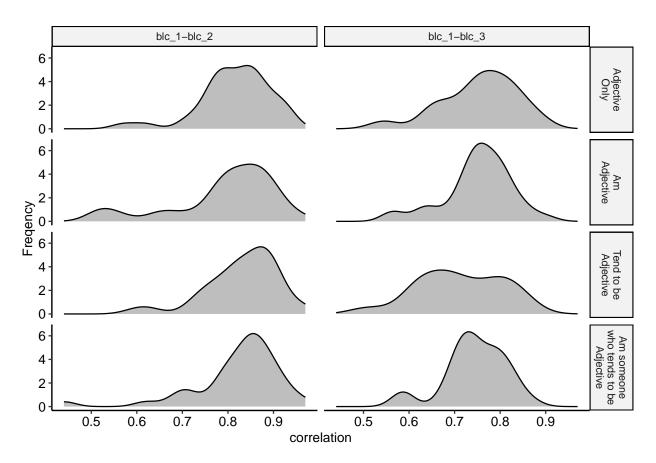


Figure S25: Test-retest correlations of specific items across word format.

7 How does format affect timing of responses?

7.1 Effect of format on timing (Blocks 1 and 2 data)

We used a multilevel model, nesting log-seconds within participant to account for dependence. Our primary predictor was format. Here, we use only Blocks 1 and 2 as data. Results are depicted in Figure S26. The full distribution of timing (in log-seconds) is shown in Figure S27. Tests of pairwise comparisons are shown in Table S20.

```
item_block12 = filter(items_df, block %in% c("1", "2")) %>%
 filter(!is.infinite(seconds_log)) # this was added post pre-registration
mod.format_b1 = glmmTMB(seconds_log~format + (1|block) + (1|proid),
                 data = item_block12)
tidy(aov(mod.format_b1))
## # A tibble: 4 x 6
##
           df sumsq meansq statistic
    term
                                               p.value
##
    <chr>
              <dbl>
                     <dbl>
                            <dbl>
                                   <dbl>
                                                 <dbl>
## 1 format
              3
                    405. 135.
                                       453.
                                             1.16e-291
## 2 block
                  1
                      69.3 69.3
                                       233. 1.70e- 52
## 3 proid
              974 8030.
                             8.24
                                       27.7 0
## 4 Residuals 73111 21768.
                             0.298
                                        NA
                                            NA
effectsize::hedges_g(
 seconds_log ~ format,
 data = filter(item block12, format %in% c("Adjective\nOnly", "Am\nAdjective"))
## Hedges' g |
                     95% CI
## -----
         | [-0.08, -0.04]
## -0.06
## - Estimated using pooled SD.
effectsize::hedges_g(
 seconds_log ~ format,
 data = filter(item_block12, format %in% c("Adjective\nOnly", "Tend to be\nAdjective")))
## Hedges' g |
## -----
           [-0.13, -0.09]
## -0.11
##
## - Estimated using pooled SD.
effectsize::hedges_g(
 seconds_log ~ format,
 data = filter(item_block12, format %in% c("Adjective\nOnly", "Am someone\nwho tends to be\nAdjective"
```

Table S20: Pairwise comparisons of timing (log-seconds) across format

contrast	estimate	std.error	statistic	p.value	conf.low	con
Am Adjective - Adjective Only	0.02	0.01	2.63	.009	0.00	0.0
Am someone who tends to be Adjective - Adjective Only	0.22	0.01	34.40	< .001	0.21	0.24
Am someone who tends to be Adjective - Am Adjective	0.21	0.01	31.81	< .001	0.19	0.22
Am someone who tends to be Adjective - Tend to be Adjective	0.16	0.01	24.79	< .001	0.15	0.1°
Tend to be Adjective - Adjective Only	0.06	0.01	9.67	< .001	0.05	0.0
Tend to be Adjective - Am Adjective	0.05	0.01	7.05	< .001	0.03	0.0

```
## Hedges' g |
                    95% CI
## -0.31
           | [-0.33, -0.29]
## - Estimated using pooled SD.
effectsize::hedges_g(
 seconds_log ~ format,
 data = filter(item_block12, format %in% c("Am\nAdjective", "Tend to be\nAdjective")))
## Hedges' g |
                     95% CI
## -----
## -0.04
          [-0.06, -0.02]
##
## - Estimated using pooled SD.
effectsize::hedges_g(
 seconds_log ~ format,
 data = filter(item_block12, format %in% c("Am\nAdjective", "Am someone\nwho tends to be\nAdjective"))
## Hedges' g |
                    95% CI
## -0.24
            | [-0.26, -0.22]
## - Estimated using pooled SD.
effectsize::hedges_g(
 seconds_log ~ format,
 data = filter(item_block12, format %in% c("Tend to be\nAdjective", "Am someone\nwho tends to be\nAdje
## Hedges' g |
                    95% CI
```

| [-0.22, -0.18]

- Estimated using pooled SD.

-0.20

##

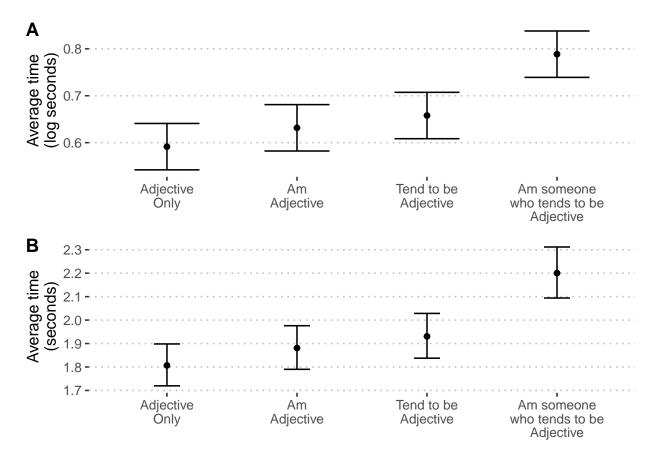


Figure S26: Predictions by condition, using only Block 1 data. Figure A shows log seconds, Figure B shows raw seconds.

Distribution of log-seconds by format (Block 1 data)

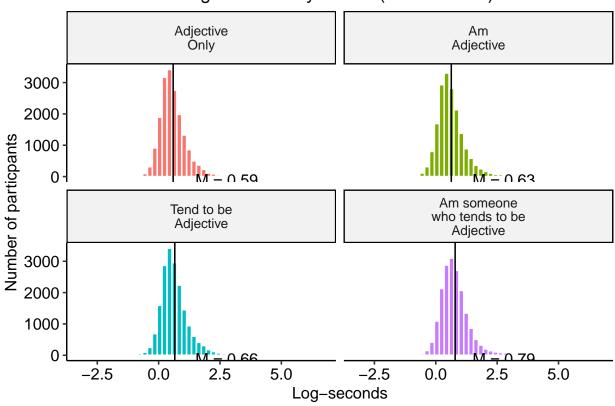


Figure S27: Distribution of time by category, blocks 1 and 2 $\,$

7.1.1 One model for each adjective

We can also repeat this analysis separately for each trait. Results are shown in Table S21.

```
mod_by_item_b1 = item_block12 %>%
  group_by(item) %>%
  nest() %>%
  mutate(mod = map(data, ~lm(seconds_log~format, data = .))) %>%
  mutate(aov = map(mod, anova)) %>%
  ungroup()
```

7.1.2 Pairwise t-tests for significant ANOVAs

Here we identify the specific items with significant differences.

```
sig_item_b1 = summary_by_item_b1 %>%
filter(p.value < .05)

sig_item_b1 = sig_item_b1$item
sig_item_b1</pre>
```

```
"reckless"
##
   [1] "outgoing"
                           "helpful"
                                                                "moody"
   [5] "organized"
                           "friendly"
                                             "warm"
                                                                "worrying"
## [9] "responsible"
                           "lively"
                                             "caring"
                                                                "nervous"
## [13] "creative"
                           "hardworking"
                                             "imaginative"
                                                                "softhearted"
## [17] "calm"
                           "selfdisciplined" "intelligent"
                                                                "curious"
## [21] "active"
                           "careless"
                                             "broadminded"
                                                                "impulsive"
## [25] "sympathetic"
                                                                "sophisticated"
                           "cautious"
                                             "talkative"
## [29] "adventurous"
                           "thorough"
                                             "thrifty"
                                                                "quiet"
## [33] "unsympathetic"
                           "relaxed"
                                                                "shy"
                                             "uncreative"
## [37] "cold"
                           "unintellectual"
```

Then we create models for each adjective. We use the marginal effects package to perform pairwise comparisons, again with a Holm correction on the p-values. We also plot the means and 95% confidence intervals of each mean.

Table S21: Format effects on log-seconds by item (blocks 1 and 2) $\,$

Item	Reverse Scored?	SS	MS	df	F	raw	adj
active	N	12.22	4.07	3	11.30	< .001	< .001
adventurous	N	13.86	4.62	3	11.83	< .001	< .001
broadminded	N	5.22	1.74	3	4.42	.004	.013
calm	N	12.22	4.07	3	9.76	< .001	< .001
caring	N	6.96	2.32	3	6.59	< .001	.002
cautious	N	4.35	1.45	3	3.38	.018	.018
cold	N	5.25	1.75	3	4.77	.003	.013
creative	N	10.68	3.56	3	9.67	< .001	< .001
curious	N	9.61	3.20	3	8.04	< .001	< .001
friendly	N	20.00	6.67	3	17.37	< .001	< .001
hardworking	N	11.34	3.78	3	10.12	< .001	< .001
helpful	N	29.68	9.89	3	28.79	< .001	< .001
imaginative	N	13.44	4.48	3	11.39	< .001	< .001
intelligent	N	11.47	3.82	3	10.45	< .001	< .001
lively	N	7.42	2.47	3	5.33	.001	.007
organized	N	21.24	7.08	3	17.85	< .001	< .001
outgoing	N	18.39	6.13	3	13.54	< .001	< .001
quiet	N	7.62	2.54	3	6.94	< .001	.001
relaxed	N	9.20	3.07	3	7.13	< .001	.001
responsible	N	24.42	8.14	3	18.75	< .001	< .001
selfdisciplined	N	13.97	4.66	3	10.62	< .001	< .001
shy	N	6.13	2.04	3	6.10	< .001	.003
softhearted	N	10.64	3.55	3	8.74	< .001	< .001
sophisticated	N	5.62	1.87	3	4.43	.004	.013
sympathetic	N	7.17	2.39	3	6.44	< .001	.002
talkative	N	9.25	3.08	3	8.38	< .001	< .001
thorough	N	11.86	3.95	3	9.55	< .001	< .001
thrifty	N	6.35	2.12	3	4.65	.003	.013
uncreative	N	9.65	3.22	3	9.63	< .001	< .001
unintellectual	N	12.55	4.18	3	10.63	< .001	< .001
unsympathetic	N	7.61	2.54	3	6.86	< .001	.001
warm	N	26.59	8.86	3	21.87	< .001	< .001
careless	Y	7.64	2.55	3	7.17	< .001	.001
impulsive	Y	9.27	3.09	3	7.98	< .001	< .001
moody	Y	19.62	6.54	3	19.76	< .001	< .001
nervous	Y	10.34	3.45	3	8.73	< .001	< .001
reckless	Y	19.53	6.51	3	18.85	< .001	< .001
worrying	Y	8.92	2.97	3	8.49	< .001	< .001

Table S22: Differences in log-seconds to active by format (blocks 1 and 2)

					95%	CI
Contrast	Mean Diff	SE	\mathbf{Z}	p	low	high
Am Adjective - Adjective Only	0.02	0.04	0.55	.583	-0.05	0.10
Am someone who tends to be Adjective - Adjective Only	0.19	0.04	5.04	< .001	0.12	0.27
Am someone who tends to be Adjective - Am Adjective	0.17	0.04	4.47	< .001	0.10	0.25
Am someone who tends to be Adjective - Tend to be Adjective	0.06	0.04	1.68	.187	-0.01	0.14
Tend to be Adjective - Adjective Only	0.13	0.04	3.38	.003	0.05	0.20
Tend to be Adjective - Am Adjective	0.11	0.04	2.82	.015	0.03	0.18

```
adjective,
                  "by format (blocks 1 and 2)")
  plot = avg_predictions(model, variables = "format") %>%
    mutate(across(where(is.numeric), exp)) %>%
    ggplot(aes(x = format, y = estimate)) +
    geom_point() +
    geom_errorbar(aes(ymin = conf.low, ymax = conf.high), width = .3) +
    labs(
     x = NULL
      y = "seconds",
      title = paste0("Average response time to ", str_to_sentence(adjective))) +
    theme_pubclean()
  return(list(
    comp = comp,
    caption = caption,
    plot = plot
  ))
}
```

7.1.3 Active

Tests of the pairwise comparisons for this item are shown in Table S22 and means are shown in Figure S28.

```
active_model = adjective_timing("active")
```

7.1.4 Adventurous

Tests of the pairwise comparisons for this item are shown in Table S23 and means are shown in Figure S29.

```
adventurous_model = adjective_timing("adventurous")
```

7.1.5 Broadminded

Tests of the pairwise comparisons for this item are shown in Table S24 and means are shown in Figure S30.

Average response time to Active

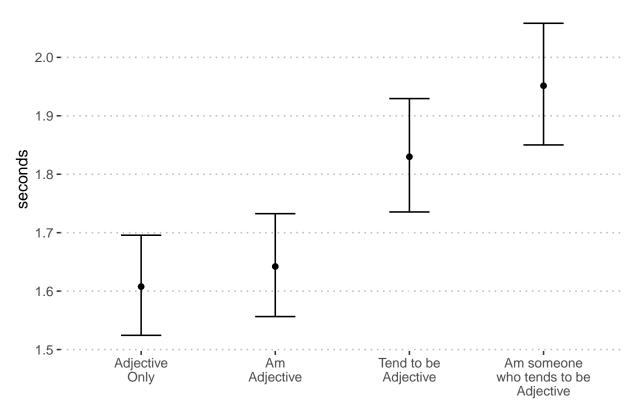


Figure S28: Average seconds to respond to "active" by format (blocks 1 and 2).

Table S23: Differences in log-seconds to adventurous by format (blocks 1 and 2)

					95%	CI
Contrast	Mean Diff	SE	\mathbf{z}	p	low	high
Am Adjective - Adjective Only	0.05	0.04	1.26	.307	-0.03	0.13
Am someone who tends to be Adjective - Adjective Only	0.23	0.04	5.66	< .001	0.15	0.31
Am someone who tends to be Adjective - Am Adjective	0.18	0.04	4.39	< .001	0.10	0.25
Am someone who tends to be Adjective - Tend to be Adjective	0.12	0.04	2.98	.011	0.04	0.20
Tend to be Adjective - Adjective Only	0.11	0.04	2.69	.021	0.03	0.19
Tend to be Adjective - Am Adjective	0.06	0.04	1.43	.307	-0.02	0.14

Average response time to Adventurous

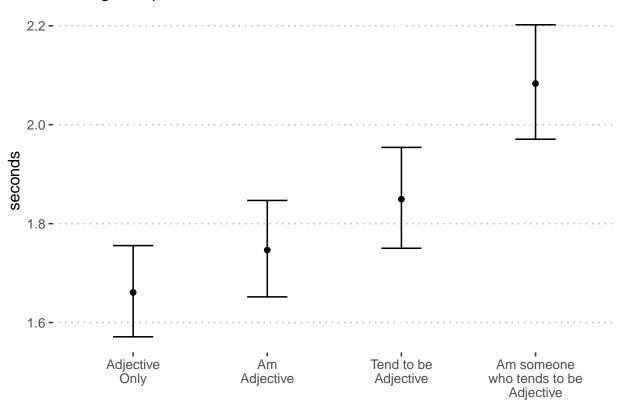


Figure S29: Average seconds to respond to "adventurous" by format (blocks 1 and 2)

Table S24: Differences in log-seconds to broadminded by format (blocks 1 and 2)

					95%	CI
Contrast	Mean Diff	SE	\mathbf{z}	p	low	high
Am Adjective - Adjective Only	0.02	0.04	0.38	> .999	-0.06	0.09
Am someone who tends to be Adjective - Adjective Only	0.13	0.04	3.31	.006	0.05	0.21
Am someone who tends to be Adjective - Am Adjective	0.12	0.04	2.92	.017	0.04	0.20
Am someone who tends to be Adjective - Tend to be Adjective	0.09	0.04	2.36	.072	0.02	0.17
Tend to be Adjective - Adjective Only	0.04	0.04	0.95	> .999	-0.04	0.12
Tend to be Adjective - Am Adjective	0.02	0.04	0.57	> .999	-0.06	0.10

broadminded_model = adjective_timing("broadminded")

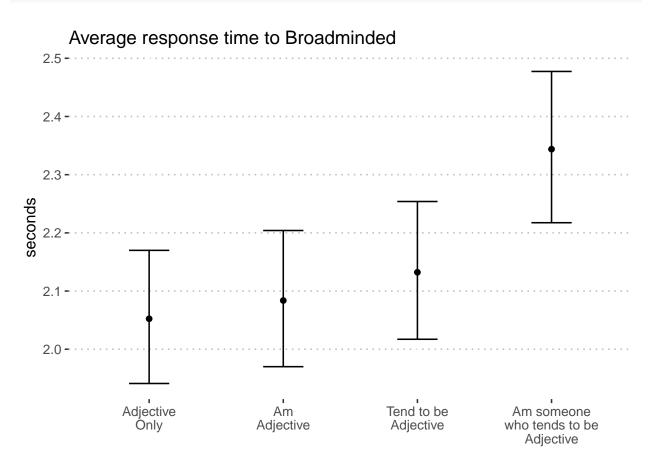


Figure S30: Average log-seconds to "broadminded" by format (blocks 1 and 2)

7.1.6 Calm

Tests of the pairwise comparisons for this item are shown in Table S25 and means are shown in Figure S31.

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calm_model = adjective_timing("calm")
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Table S25: Differences in log-seconds to calm by format (blocks 1 and 2)

					95%	CI
Contrast	Mean Diff	SE	\mathbf{z}	p	low	high
Am Adjective - Adjective Only Am someone who tends to be Adjective - Adjective Only	0.06 0.22	0.04 0.04	1.48 5.21	.278 < .001	-0.02 0.13	0.14 0.30
Am someone who tends to be Adjective - Am Adjective Am someone who tends to be Adjective - Tend to be Adjective Tend to be Adjective - Adjective Only	$0.15 \\ 0.14 \\ 0.07$	$0.04 \\ 0.04 \\ 0.04$	3.74 3.51 1.72	< .001 .002 .258	0.07 0.06 -0.01	0.24 0.23 0.15
Tend to be Adjective - Am Adjective	0.01	0.04	0.24	.814	-0.07	0.09

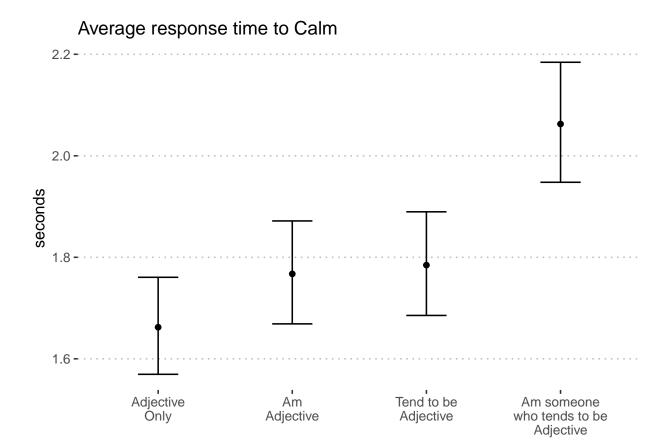


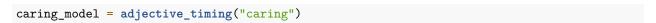
Figure S31: Average log-seconds to "calm" by format (blocks 1 and 2) $\,$

Table S26: Differences in log-seconds to caring by format (blocks 1 and 2)

					95%	CI
Contrast	Mean Diff	SE	\mathbf{z}	p	low	high
Am Adjective - Adjective Only	0.00	0.04	-0.13	.897	-0.08	0.07
Am someone who tends to be Adjective - Adjective Only	0.14	0.04	3.79	< .001	0.07	0.22
Am someone who tends to be Adjective - Am Adjective	0.15	0.04	3.91	< .001	0.07	0.22
Am someone who tends to be Adjective - Tend to be Adjective	0.10	0.04	2.60	.038	0.02	0.17
Tend to be Adjective - Adjective Only	0.05	0.04	1.20	.552	-0.03	0.12
Tend to be Adjective - Am Adjective	0.05	0.04	1.33	.552	-0.02	0.12

7.1.7 Caring

Tests of the pairwise comparisons for this item are shown in Table S26 and means are shown in Figure S32.



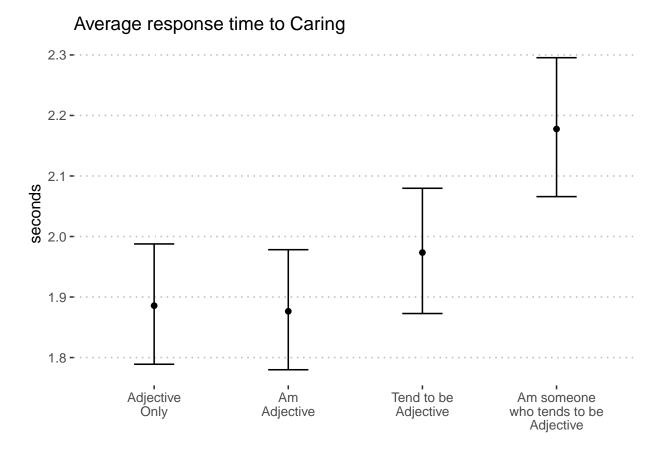


Figure S32: Average log-seconds to "caring" by format (blocks 1 and 2)

7.1.8 Cautious

Tests of the pairwise comparisons for this item are shown in Table S33 and means are shown in Figure S39.

Table S27: Differences in log-seconds to cautious by format (blocks 1 and 2)

					95%	ć CI
Contrast	Mean Diff	SE	\mathbf{z}	p	low	high
Am Adjective - Adjective Only	0.02	0.04	0.57	> .999	-0.06	0.11
Am someone who tends to be Adjective - Adjective Only	0.12	0.04	2.97	.018	0.04	0.21
Am someone who tends to be Adjective - Am Adjective	0.10	0.04	2.39	.083	0.02	0.18
Am someone who tends to be Adjective - Tend to be Adjective	0.09	0.04	2.14	.130	0.01	0.17
Tend to be Adjective - Adjective Only	0.04	0.04	0.84	> .999	-0.05	0.12
Tend to be Adjective - Am Adjective	0.01	0.04	0.27	> .999	-0.07	0.09

cautious_model = adjective_timing("cautious")

Average response time to Cautious

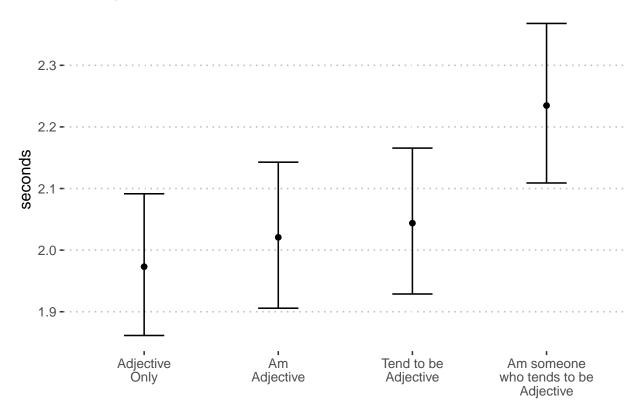


Figure S33: Average log-seconds to "cautious" by format (blocks 1 and 2)

7.1.9 Cold

Tests of the pairwise comparisons for this item are shown in Table S28 and means are shown in Figure S34.

cold_model = adjective_timing("cold")

Table S28: Differences in log-seconds to cold by format (blocks 1 and 2)

					95%	CI
Contrast	Mean Diff	SE	\mathbf{z}	p	low	high
Am Adjective - Adjective Only	0.06	0.04	1.62	.314	-0.01	0.14
Am someone who tends to be Adjective - Adjective Only	0.14	0.04	3.64	.002	0.07	0.22
Am someone who tends to be Adjective - Am Adjective	0.08	0.04	2.00	.181	0.00	0.15
Am someone who tends to be Adjective - Tend to be Adjective	0.10	0.04	2.70	.035	0.03	0.18
Tend to be Adjective - Adjective Only	0.04	0.04	0.95	.687	-0.04	0.11
Tend to be Adjective - Am Adjective	-0.03	0.04	-0.68	.687	-0.10	0.05

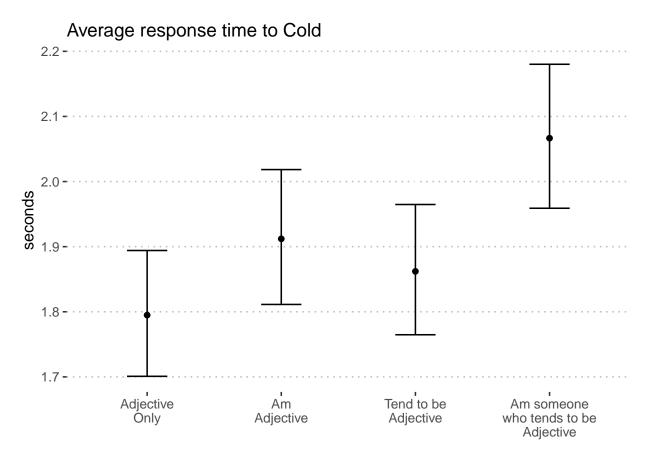


Figure S34: Average log-seconds to "cold" by format (blocks 1 and 2)

Table S29: Differences in log-seconds to creative by format (blocks 1 and 2)

					95%	CI
Contrast	Mean Diff	SE	\mathbf{z}	p	low	high
Am Adjective - Adjective Only	0.06	0.04	1.42	.309	-0.02	0.13
Am someone who tends to be Adjective - Adjective Only	0.20	0.04	5.18	< .001	0.13	0.28
Am someone who tends to be Adjective - Am Adjective	0.15	0.04	3.74	< .001	0.07	0.22
Am someone who tends to be Adjective - Tend to be Adjective	0.13	0.04	3.44	.002	0.06	0.21
Tend to be Adjective - Adjective Only	0.07	0.04	1.76	.235	-0.01	0.14
Tend to be Adjective - Am Adjective	0.01	0.04	0.33	.744	-0.06	0.09

7.1.10 Creative

Tests of the pairwise comparisons for this item are shown in Table S29 and means are shown in Figure S35.

creative_model = adjective_timing("creative")

Average response time to Creative

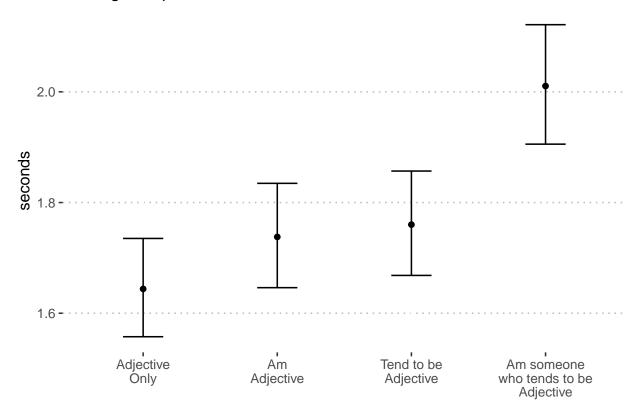


Figure S35: Average log-seconds to "creative" by format (blocks 1 and 2)

7.1.11 Curious

Tests of the pairwise comparisons for this item are shown in Table S30 and means are shown in Figure S36.

Table S30: Differences in log-seconds to curious by format (blocks 1 and 2)

					95%	CI
Contrast	Mean Diff	SE	\mathbf{z}	p	low	high
Am Adjective - Adjective Only	0.03	0.04	0.67	> .999	-0.05	0.11
Am someone who tends to be Adjective - Adjective Only	0.18	0.04	4.52	< .001	0.10	0.26
Am someone who tends to be Adjective - Am Adjective	0.16	0.04	3.85	< .001	0.08	0.24
Am someone who tends to be Adjective - Tend to be Adjective	0.13	0.04	3.20	.006	0.05	0.21
Tend to be Adjective - Adjective Only	0.05	0.04	1.34	.537	-0.02	0.13
Tend to be Adjective - Am Adjective	0.03	0.04	0.67	> .999	-0.05	0.11

curious_model = adjective_timing("curious")

Average response time to Curious

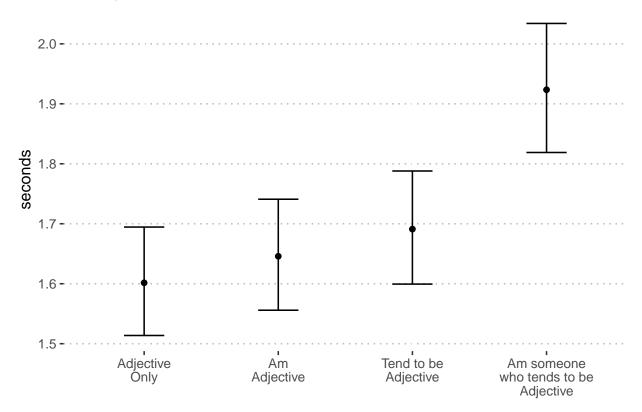


Figure S36: Average log-seconds to "curious" by format (blocks 1 and 2)

7.1.12 Friendly

Tests of the pairwise comparisons for this item are shown in Table S31 and means are shown in Figure S37.

friendly_model = adjective_timing("friendly")

Table S31: Differences in log-seconds to friendly by format (blocks 1 and 2)

					95%	CI
Contrast	Mean Diff	SE	\mathbf{Z}	p	low	high
Am Adjective - Adjective Only	0.02	0.04	0.61	> .999	-0.05	0.10
Am someone who tends to be Adjective - Adjective Only	0.25	0.04	6.32	< .001	0.17	0.33
Am someone who tends to be Adjective - Am Adjective	0.23	0.04	5.71	< .001	0.15	0.30
Am someone who tends to be Adjective - Tend to be Adjective	0.22	0.04	5.50	< .001	0.14	0.29
Tend to be Adjective - Adjective Only	0.03	0.04	0.84	> .999	-0.04	0.11
Tend to be Adjective - Am Adjective	0.01	0.04	0.23	> .999	-0.07	0.09

Average response time to Friendly

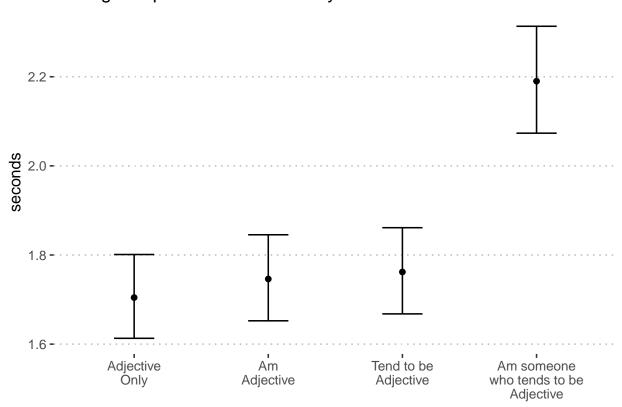


Figure S37: Average log-seconds to "friendly" by format (blocks 1 and 2) $\,$

Table S32: Differences in log-seconds to hardworking by format (blocks 1 and 2)

					95%	CI
Contrast	Mean Diff	SE	\mathbf{z}	p	low	high
Am Adjective - Adjective Only	-0.02	0.04	-0.57	> .999	-0.10	0.05
Am someone who tends to be Adjective - Adjective Only	0.17	0.04	4.42	< .001	0.10	0.25
Am someone who tends to be Adjective - Am Adjective	0.20	0.04	4.97	< .001	0.12	0.27
Am someone who tends to be Adjective - Tend to be Adjective	0.15	0.04	3.79	< .001	0.07	0.22
Tend to be Adjective - Adjective Only	0.02	0.04	0.63	> .999	-0.05	0.10
Tend to be Adjective - Am Adjective	0.05	0.04	1.20	.695	-0.03	0.12

7.1.13 Hardworking

Tests of the pairwise comparisons for this item are shown in Table S32 and means are shown in Figure S38.

hardworking_model = adjective_timing("hardworking")

Average response time to Hardworking

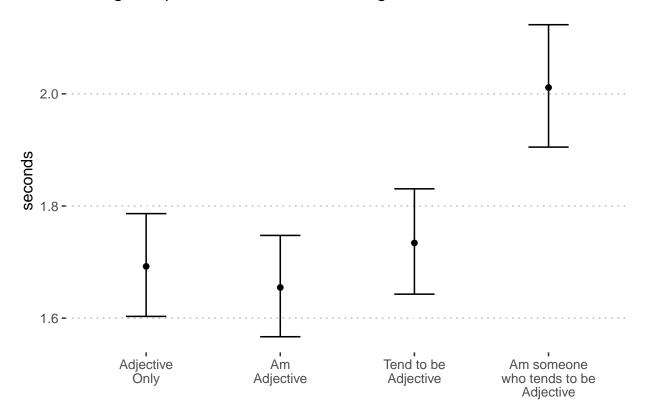


Figure S38: Average log-seconds to "hardworking" by format (blocks 1 and 2)

7.1.14 Helpful

Tests of the pairwise comparisons for this item are shown in Table S33 and means are shown in Figure S39.

Table S33: Differences in log-seconds to helpful by format (blocks 1 and 2)

					95%	CI
Contrast	Mean Diff	SE	\mathbf{z}	p	low	high
Am Adjective - Adjective Only	0.05	0.04	1.38	.169	-0.02	0.13
Am someone who tends to be Adjective - Adjective Only	0.33	0.04	8.65	< .001	0.25	0.40
Am someone who tends to be Adjective - Am Adjective	0.27	0.04	7.25	< .001	0.20	0.35
Am someone who tends to be Adjective - Tend to be Adjective	0.19	0.04	5.11	< .001	0.12	0.26
Tend to be Adjective - Adjective Only	0.13	0.04	3.58	.001	0.06	0.21
Tend to be Adjective - Am Adjective	0.08	0.04	2.18	.058	0.01	0.16

helpful_model = adjective_timing("helpful")

Average response time to Helpful



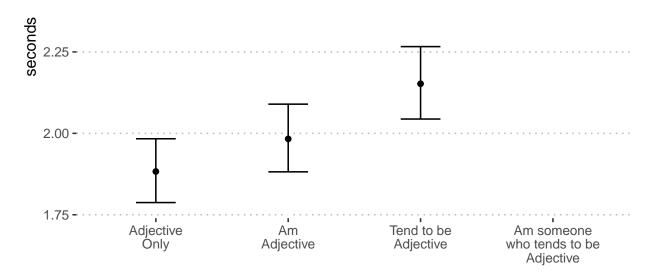


Figure S39: Average log-seconds to "helpful" by format (blocks 1 and 2)

7.1.15 Imaginative

Tests of the pairwise comparisons for this item are shown in Table S34 and means are shown in Figure S40.

imaginative_model = adjective_timing("imaginative")

Table S34: Differences in log-seconds to imaginative by format (blocks 1 and 2)

					95%	CI
Contrast	Mean Diff	SE	\mathbf{Z}	p	low	high
Am Adjective - Adjective Only	0.05	0.04	1.31	.379	-0.03	0.13
Am someone who tends to be Adjective - Adjective Only	0.22	0.04	5.59	< .001	0.15	0.30
Am someone who tends to be Adjective - Am Adjective	0.17	0.04	4.28	< .001	0.09	0.25
Am someone who tends to be Adjective - Tend to be Adjective	0.13	0.04	3.33	.003	0.06	0.21
Tend to be Adjective - Adjective Only	0.09	0.04	2.27	.069	0.01	0.17
Tend to be Adjective - Am Adjective	0.04	0.04	0.96	.379	-0.04	0.12

Average response time to Imaginative

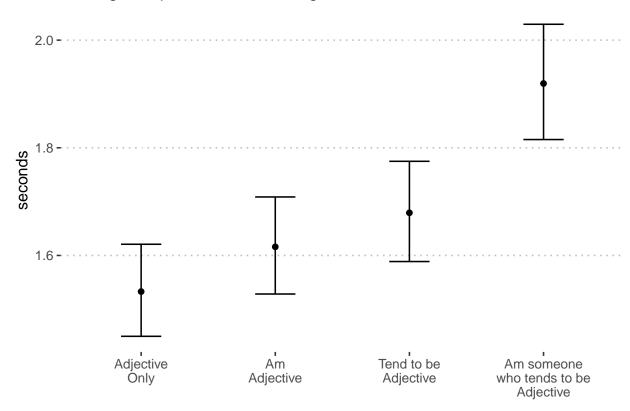


Figure S40: Average log-seconds to "imaginative" by format (blocks 1 and 2)

Table S35: Differences in log-seconds to intelligent by format (blocks 1 and 2)

					95%	CI
Contrast	Mean Diff	SE	\mathbf{z}	p	low	high
Am Adjective - Adjective Only	0.07	0.04	1.81	.141	-0.01	0.15
Am someone who tends to be Adjective - Adjective Only	0.21	0.04	5.48	< .001	0.14	0.29
Am someone who tends to be Adjective - Am Adjective	0.14	0.04	3.66	.001	0.07	0.22
Am someone who tends to be Adjective - Tend to be Adjective	0.10	0.04	2.72	.021	0.03	0.18
Tend to be Adjective - Adjective Only	0.11	0.04	2.79	.021	0.03	0.18
Tend to be Adjective - Am Adjective	0.04	0.04	0.96	.336	-0.04	0.11

7.1.16 Intelligent

Tests of the pairwise comparisons for this item are shown in Table S35 and means are shown in Figure S41.

intelligent_model = adjective_timing("intelligent")

Average response time to Intelligent

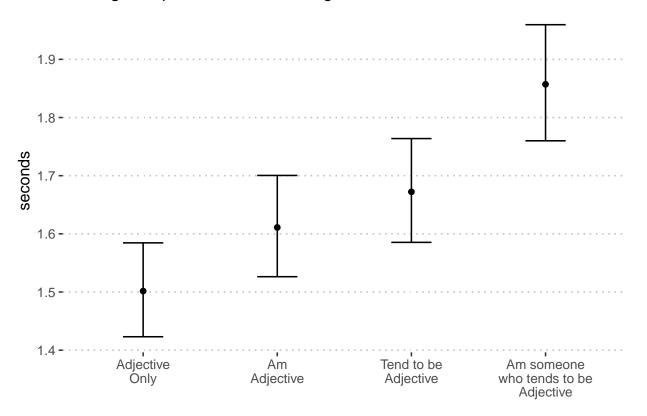


Figure S41: Average log-seconds to "intelligent" by format (blocks 1 and 2)

7.1.17 Lively

Tests of the pairwise comparisons for this item are shown in Table S36 and means are shown in Figure S42.

Table S36: Differences in log-seconds to lively by format (blocks 1 and 2)

					95%	CI
Contrast	Mean Diff	SE	\mathbf{z}	p	low	high
Am Adjective - Adjective Only	0.04	0.04	0.86	.785	-0.05	0.12
Am someone who tends to be Adjective - Adjective Only	0.17	0.04	3.81	< .001	0.08	0.25
Am someone who tends to be Adjective - Am Adjective	0.13	0.04	2.95	.016	0.04	0.21
Am someone who tends to be Adjective - Tend to be Adjective	0.10	0.04	2.25	.099	0.01	0.18
Tend to be Adjective - Adjective Only	0.07	0.04	1.57	.351	-0.02	0.15
Tend to be Adjective - Am Adjective	0.03	0.04	0.71	.785	-0.05	0.12

lively_model = adjective_timing("lively")

Average response time to Lively

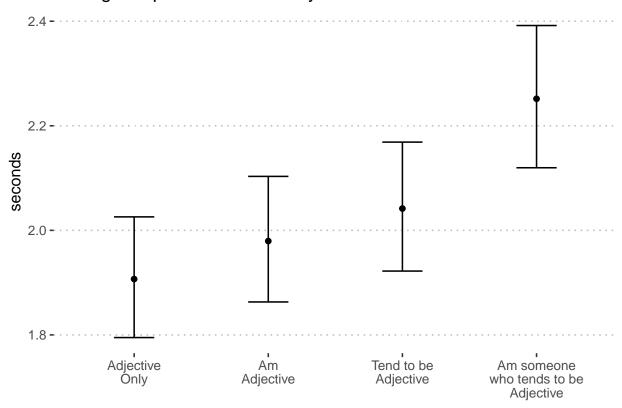


Figure S42: Average log-seconds to "lively" by format (blocks 1 and 2)

7.1.18 Organized

Tests of the pairwise comparisons for this item are shown in Table S37 and means are shown in Figure S43.

organized_model = adjective_timing("organized")

Table S37: Differences in log-seconds to organized by format (blocks 1 and 2)

					95%	CI
Contrast	Mean Diff	SE	\mathbf{z}	p	low	high
Am Adjective - Adjective Only	0.05	0.04	1.28	.403	-0.03	0.13
Am someone who tends to be Adjective - Adjective Only	0.28	0.04	6.83	< .001	0.20	0.35
Am someone who tends to be Adjective - Am Adjective	0.22	0.04	5.53	< .001	0.14	0.30
Am someone who tends to be Adjective - Tend to be Adjective	0.19	0.04	4.85	< .001	0.12	0.27
Tend to be Adjective - Adjective Only	0.08	0.04	1.99	.140	0.00	0.16
Tend to be Adjective - Am Adjective	0.03	0.04	0.71	.480	-0.05	0.11

Average response time to Organized

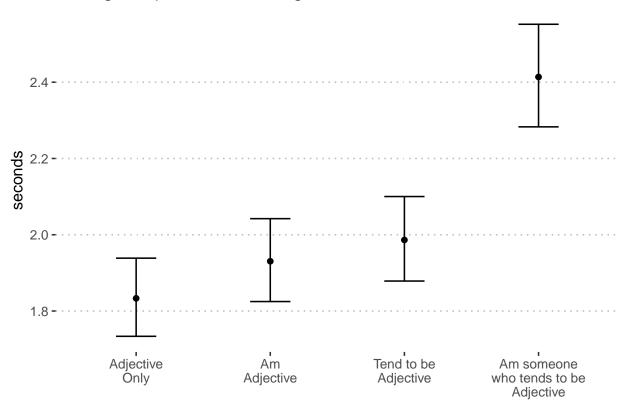


Figure S43: Average log-seconds to "organized" by format (blocks 1 and 2) $\,$

Table S38: Differences in log-seconds to outgoing by format (blocks 1 and 2)

					95%	CI
Contrast	Mean Diff	SE	\mathbf{z}	p	low	high
Am Adjective - Adjective Only	0.01	0.04	0.18	.861	-0.08	0.09
Am someone who tends to be Adjective - Adjective Only	0.24	0.04	5.60	< .001	0.16	0.33
Am someone who tends to be Adjective - Am Adjective	0.23	0.04	5.41	< .001	0.15	0.32
Am someone who tends to be Adjective - Tend to be Adjective	0.17	0.04	3.91	< .001	0.08	0.25
Tend to be Adjective - Adjective Only	0.07	0.04	1.71	.264	-0.01	0.16
Tend to be Adjective - Am Adjective	0.07	0.04	1.53	.264	-0.02	0.15

7.1.19 Outgoing

Tests of the pairwise comparisons for this item are shown in Table S38 and means are shown in Figure S44.

outgoing_model = adjective_timing("outgoing")

Average response time to Outgoing

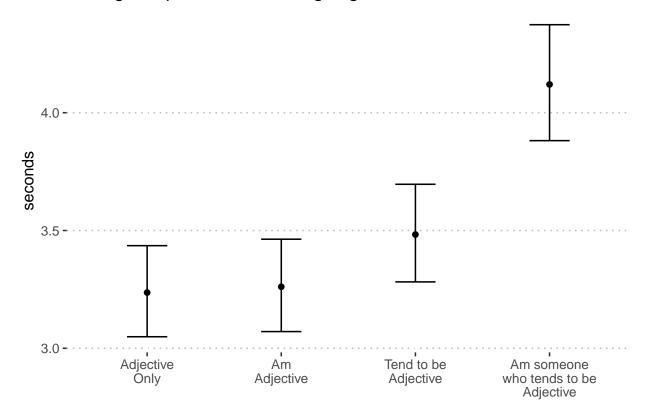


Figure S44: Average log-seconds to "outgoing" by format (blocks 1 and 2)

7.1.20 Quiet

Tests of the pairwise comparisons for this item are shown in Table S39 and means are shown in Figure S45.

Table S39: Differences in log-seconds to quiet by format (blocks 1 and 2)

					95%	CI
Contrast	Mean Diff	SE	\mathbf{z}	p	low	high
Am Adjective - Adjective Only	0.04	0.04	1.11	.796	-0.03	0.12
Am someone who tends to be Adjective - Adjective Only	0.16	0.04	4.24	< .001	0.09	0.24
Am someone who tends to be Adjective - Am Adjective	0.12	0.04	3.12	.007	0.04	0.20
Am someone who tends to be Adjective - Tend to be Adjective	0.13	0.04	3.44	.003	0.06	0.21
Tend to be Adjective - Adjective Only	0.03	0.04	0.81	.841	-0.04	0.11
Tend to be Adjective - Am Adjective	-0.01	0.04	-0.31	.841	-0.09	0.06

quiet_model = adjective_timing("quiet")

Average response time to Quiet

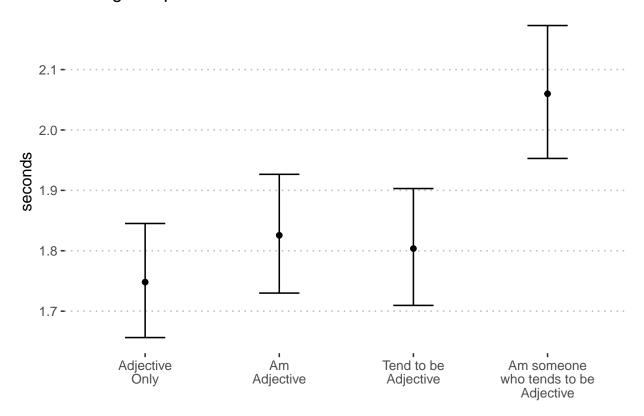


Figure S45: Average log-seconds to "quiet" by format (blocks 1 and 2)

7.1.21 Relaxed

Tests of the pairwise comparisons for this item are shown in Table S40 and means are shown in Figure S46.

relaxed_model = adjective_timing("relaxed")

Table S40: Differences in log-seconds to relaxed by format (blocks 1 and 2)

					95%	CI
Contrast	Mean Diff	SE	\mathbf{z}	p	low	high
Am Adjective - Adjective Only	0.09	0.04	2.08	.113	0.01	0.17
Am someone who tends to be Adjective - Adjective Only	0.19	0.04	4.58	< .001	0.11	0.27
Am someone who tends to be Adjective - Am Adjective	0.10	0.04	2.48	.052	0.02	0.19
Am someone who tends to be Adjective - Tend to be Adjective	0.12	0.04	2.87	.021	0.04	0.20
Tend to be Adjective - Adjective Only	0.07	0.04	1.71	.173	-0.01	0.15
Tend to be Adjective - Am Adjective	-0.02	0.04	-0.37	.709	-0.10	0.07

Average response time to Relaxed

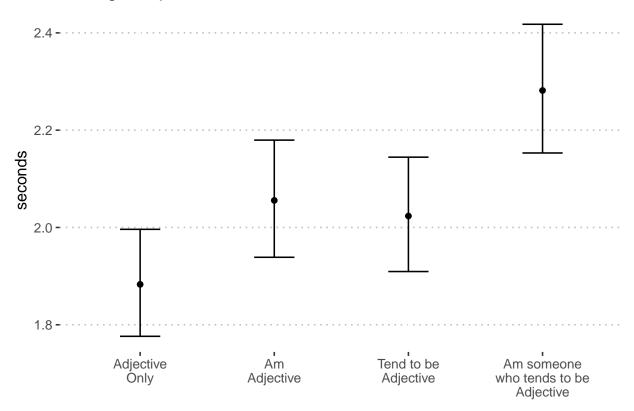


Figure S46: Average log-seconds to "relaxed" by format (blocks 1 and 2) $\,$

Table S41: Differences in log-seconds to responsible by format (blocks 1 and 2)

					95%	CI
Contrast	Mean Diff	SE	\mathbf{z}	p	low	high
Am Adjective - Adjective Only	0.00	0.04	0.01	.992	-0.08	0.08
Am someone who tends to be Adjective - Adjective Only	0.27	0.04	6.43	< .001	0.19	0.35
Am someone who tends to be Adjective - Am Adjective	0.27	0.04	6.41	< .001	0.19	0.35
Am someone who tends to be Adjective - Tend to be Adjective	0.22	0.04	5.13	< .001	0.13	0.30
Tend to be Adjective - Adjective Only	0.06	0.04	1.32	.562	-0.03	0.14
Tend to be Adjective - Am Adjective	0.06	0.04	1.31	.562	-0.03	0.14

7.1.22 Responsible

Tests of the pairwise comparisons for this item are shown in Table S41 and means are shown in Figure S47.

responsible_model = adjective_timing("responsible")

Average response time to Responsible

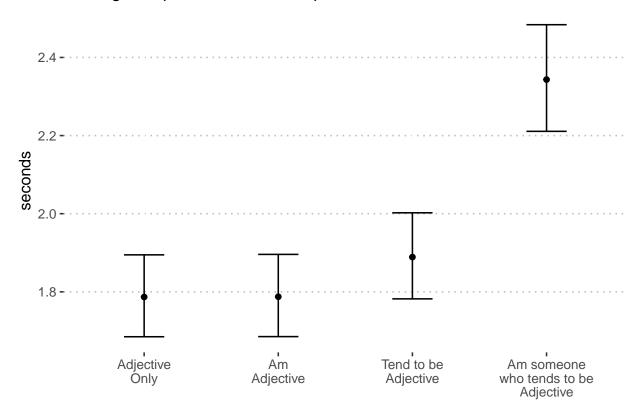


Figure S47: Average log-seconds to "responsible" by format (blocks 1 and 2)

7.1.23 Self-disciplined

Tests of the pairwise comparisons for this item are shown in Table S42 and means are shown in Figure S48.

Table S42: Differences in log-seconds to selfdisciplined by format (blocks 1 and 2)

					95%	CI
Contrast	Mean Diff	SE	\mathbf{z}	p	low	high
Am Adjective - Adjective Only	0.08	0.04	1.92	.110	0.00	0.17
Am someone who tends to be Adjective - Adjective Only	0.24	0.04	5.55	< .001	0.15	0.32
Am someone who tends to be Adjective - Am Adjective	0.15	0.04	3.61	.002	0.07	0.24
Am someone who tends to be Adjective - Tend to be Adjective	0.14	0.04	3.33	.004	0.06	0.22
Tend to be Adjective - Adjective Only	0.10	0.04	2.25	.074	0.01	0.18
Tend to be Adjective - Am Adjective	0.01	0.04	0.31	.756	-0.07	0.10

selfdisciplined_model = adjective_timing("selfdisciplined")

Average response time to Selfdisciplined

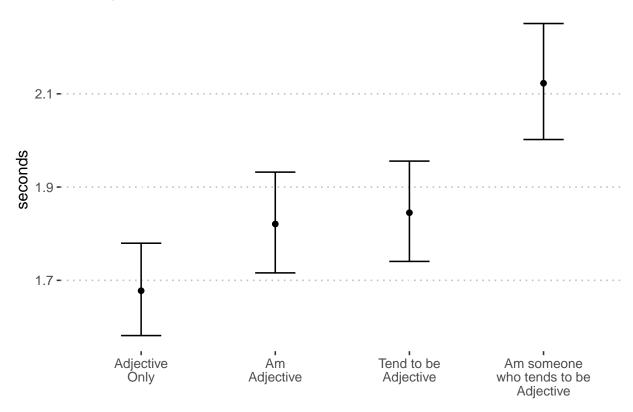


Figure S48: Average log-seconds to "selfdisciplined" by format (blocks 1 and 2)

7.1.24 Shy

Tests of the pairwise comparisons for this item are shown in Table S43 and means are shown in Figure S49.

```
shy_model = adjective_timing("shy")
```

Table S43: Differences in log-seconds to shy by format (blocks 1 and 2)

					95%	CI
Contrast	Mean Diff	SE	\mathbf{z}	p	low	high
Am Adjective - Adjective Only	0.05	0.04	1.33	.370	-0.02	0.12
Am someone who tends to be Adjective - Adjective Only	0.13	0.04	3.54	.002	0.06	0.20
Am someone who tends to be Adjective - Am Adjective	0.08	0.04	2.20	.111	0.01	0.15
Am someone who tends to be Adjective - Tend to be Adjective	0.14	0.04	3.83	< .001	0.07	0.21
Tend to be Adjective - Adjective Only	-0.01	0.04	-0.28	.780	-0.08	0.06
Tend to be Adjective - Am Adjective	-0.06	0.04	-1.61	.323	-0.13	0.01

Average response time to Shy

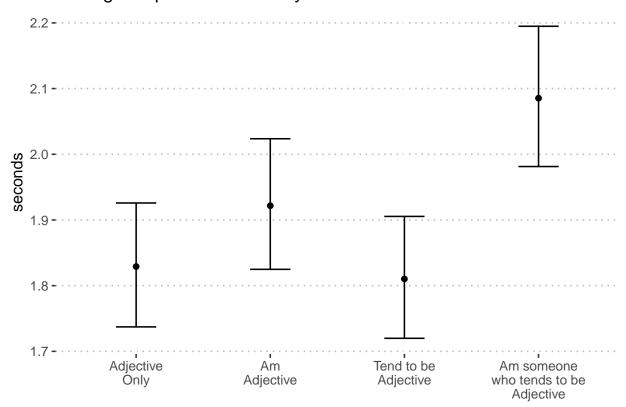


Figure S49: Average log-seconds to "shy" by format (blocks 1 and 2)

Table S44: Differences in log-seconds to softhearted by format (blocks 1 and 2)

					95%	CI
Contrast	Mean Diff	SE	\mathbf{z}	p	low	high
Am Adjective - Adjective Only	-0.04	0.04	-1.01	.622	-0.12	0.04
Am someone who tends to be Adjective - Adjective Only	0.16	0.04	3.84	< .001	0.08	0.24
Am someone who tends to be Adjective - Am Adjective	0.20	0.04	4.84	< .001	0.12	0.28
Am someone who tends to be Adjective - Tend to be Adjective	0.13	0.04	3.16	.006	0.05	0.21
Tend to be Adjective - Adjective Only	0.03	0.04	0.68	.622	-0.05	0.11
Tend to be Adjective - Am Adjective	0.07	0.04	1.69	.271	-0.01	0.15

7.1.25 Soft-hearted

Tests of the pairwise comparisons for this item are shown in Table S44 and means are shown in Figure S50.



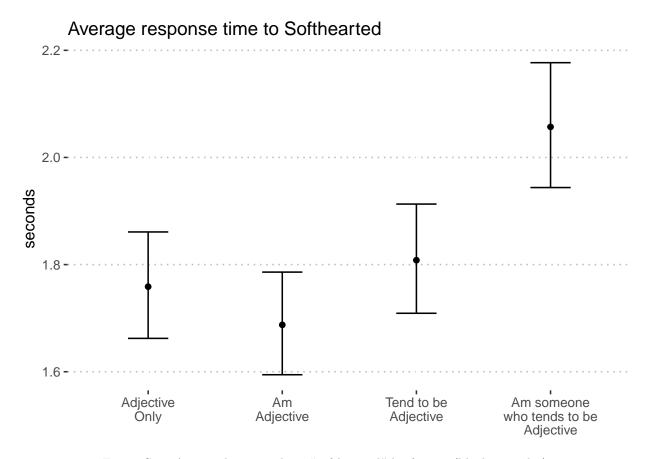


Figure S50: Average log-seconds to "softhearted" by format (blocks 1 and 2)

7.1.26 Sophisticated

Tests of the pairwise comparisons for this item are shown in Table S45 and means are shown in Figure S51.

Table S45: Differences in log-seconds to sophisticated by format (blocks 1 and 2)

					95%	CI
Contrast	Mean Diff	SE	\mathbf{z}	p	low	high
Am Adjective - Adjective Only	0.06	0.04	1.53	.382	-0.02	0.15
Am someone who tends to be Adjective - Adjective Only	0.14	0.04	3.44	.004	0.06	0.22
Am someone who tends to be Adjective - Am Adjective	0.08	0.04	1.91	.226	0.00	0.16
Am someone who tends to be Adjective - Tend to be Adjective	0.03	0.04	0.80	.537	-0.05	0.11
Tend to be Adjective - Adjective Only	0.11	0.04	2.64	.042	0.03	0.19
Tend to be Adjective - Am Adjective	0.05	0.04	1.11	.537	-0.04	0.13

sophisticated_model = adjective_timing("sophisticated")

Average response time to Sophisticated

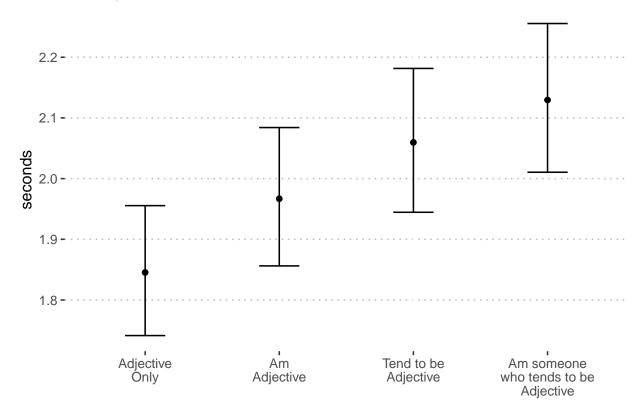


Figure S51: Average log-seconds to "sophisticated" by format (blocks 1 and 2)

7.1.27 Sympathetic

Tests of the pairwise comparisons for this item are shown in Table S46 and means are shown in Figure S52.

```
sympathetic_model = adjective_timing("sympathetic")
```

Table S46: Differences in log-seconds to sympathetic by format (blocks 1 and 2)

					95%	CI
Contrast	Mean Diff	SE	\mathbf{z}	p	low	high
Am Adjective - Adjective Only	0.01	0.04	0.19	.851	-0.07	0.08
Am someone who tends to be Adjective - Adjective Only	0.15	0.04	3.80	< .001	0.07	0.23
Am someone who tends to be Adjective - Am Adjective	0.14	0.04	3.62	.001	0.06	0.22
Am someone who tends to be Adjective - Tend to be Adjective	0.07	0.04	1.70	.177	-0.01	0.14
Tend to be Adjective - Adjective Only	0.08	0.04	2.12	.137	0.01	0.16
Tend to be Adjective - Am Adjective	0.08	0.04	1.93	.160	0.00	0.15

Average response time to Sympathetic

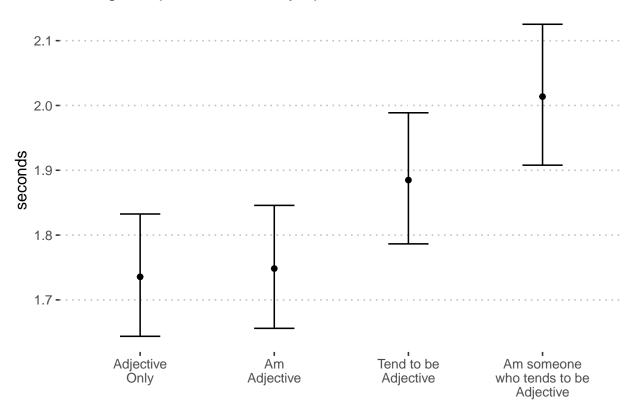


Figure S52: Average log-seconds to "sympathetic" by format (blocks 1 and 2) $\,$

Table S47: Differences in log-seconds to talkative by format (blocks 1 and 2)

					95%	CI
Contrast	Mean Diff	SE	\mathbf{z}	p	low	high
Am Adjective - Adjective Only	0.01	0.04	0.33	.740	-0.06	0.09
Am someone who tends to be Adjective - Adjective Only	0.17	0.04	4.50	< .001	0.10	0.25
Am someone who tends to be Adjective - Am Adjective	0.16	0.04	4.16	< .001	0.09	0.24
Am someone who tends to be Adjective - Tend to be Adjective	0.10	0.04	2.70	.028	0.03	0.18
Tend to be Adjective - Adjective Only	0.07	0.04	1.80	.214	-0.01	0.15
Tend to be Adjective - Am Adjective	0.06	0.04	1.47	.283	-0.02	0.13

7.1.28 Talkative

Tests of the pairwise comparisons for this item are shown in Table S47 and means are shown in Figure S53.

talkative_model = adjective_timing("talkative")

Average response time to Talkative

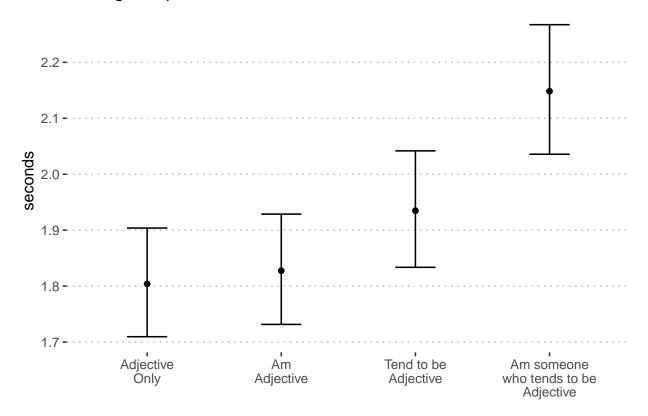


Figure S53: Average log-seconds to "talkative" by format (blocks 1 and 2)

7.1.29 Thorough

Tests of the pairwise comparisons for this item are shown in Table S48 and means are shown in Figure S54.

Table S48: Differences in log-seconds to thorough by format (blocks 1 and 2)

					95%	CI
Contrast	Mean Diff	SE	\mathbf{z}	p	low	high
Am Adjective - Adjective Only	0.04	0.04	0.94	.693	-0.04	0.12
Am someone who tends to be Adjective - Adjective Only	0.21	0.04	5.03	< .001	0.13	0.29
Am someone who tends to be Adjective - Am Adjective	0.17	0.04	4.07	< .001	0.09	0.25
Am someone who tends to be Adjective - Tend to be Adjective	0.14	0.04	3.31	.004	0.06	0.22
Tend to be Adjective - Adjective Only	0.07	0.04	1.72	.256	-0.01	0.15
Tend to be Adjective - Am Adjective	0.03	0.04	0.77	.693	-0.05	0.11

thorough_model = adjective_timing("thorough")

Average response time to Thorough

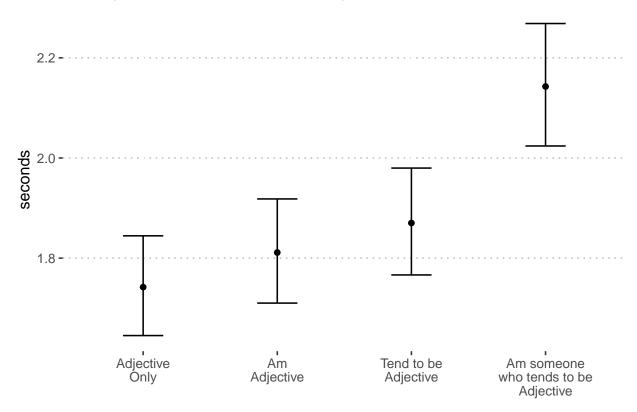


Figure S54: Average log-seconds to "thorough" by format (blocks 1 and 2)

7.1.30 Thrifty

Tests of the pairwise comparisons for this item are shown in Table S49 and means are shown in Figure S55.

```
thrifty_model = adjective_timing("thrifty")
```

Table S49: Differences in log-seconds to thrifty by format (blocks 1 and 2)

					95%	CI
Contrast	Mean Diff	SE	\mathbf{z}	p	low	high
Am Adjective - Adjective Only	0.09	0.04	2.07	.156	0.00	0.18
Am someone who tends to be Adjective - Adjective Only	0.16	0.04	3.66	.001	0.07	0.24
Am someone who tends to be Adjective - Am Adjective	0.07	0.04	1.57	.350	-0.02	0.15
Am someone who tends to be Adjective - Tend to be Adjective	0.10	0.04	2.30	.107	0.01	0.18
Tend to be Adjective - Adjective Only	0.06	0.04	1.38	.350	-0.02	0.14
Tend to be Adjective - Am Adjective	-0.03	0.04	-0.70	.482	-0.12	0.05

Average response time to Thrifty

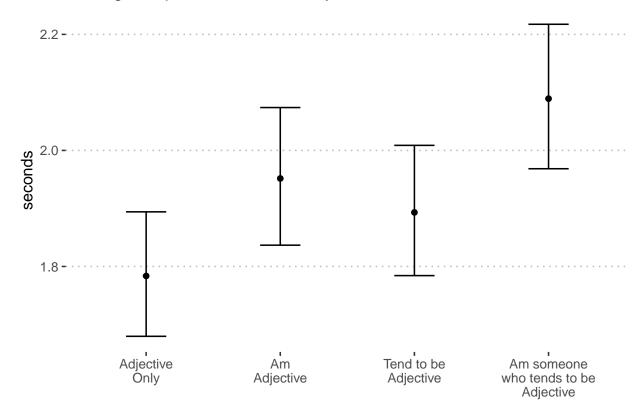


Figure S55: Average log-seconds to "thrifty" by format (blocks 1 and 2) $\,$

Table S50: Differences in log-seconds to uncreative by format (blocks 1 and 2)

					95%	CI
Contrast	Mean Diff	SE	\mathbf{z}	p	low	high
Am Adjective - Adjective Only	0.08	0.04	2.22	.053	0.01	0.16
Am someone who tends to be Adjective - Adjective Only	0.20	0.04	5.33	< .001	0.12	0.27
Am someone who tends to be Adjective - Am Adjective	0.11	0.04	3.09	.010	0.04	0.19
Am someone who tends to be Adjective - Tend to be Adjective	0.09	0.04	2.40	.050	0.02	0.16
Tend to be Adjective - Adjective Only	0.11	0.04	2.95	.013	0.04	0.18
Tend to be Adjective - Am Adjective	0.03	0.04	0.71	.477	-0.05	0.10

7.1.31 Uncreative

Tests of the pairwise comparisons for this item are shown in Table S50 and means are shown in Figure S56.

uncreative_model = adjective_timing("uncreative")

Average response time to Uncreative

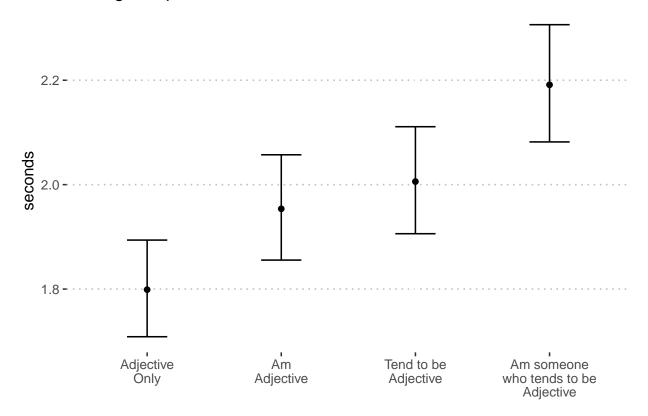


Figure S56: Average log-seconds to "uncreative" by format (blocks 1 and 2)

7.1.32 Unintellectual

Tests of the pairwise comparisons for this item are shown in Table S51 and means are shown in Figure S57.

Table S51: Differences in log-seconds to unintellectual by format (blocks 1 and 2)

					95%	CI
Contrast	Mean Diff	SE	\mathbf{z}	p	low	high
Am Adjective - Adjective Only	0.14	0.04	3.58	.002	0.07	0.22
Am someone who tends to be Adjective - Adjective Only	0.22	0.04	5.56	< .001	0.14	0.30
Am someone who tends to be Adjective - Am Adjective	0.08	0.04	1.96	.099	0.00	0.16
Am someone who tends to be Adjective - Tend to be Adjective	0.09	0.04	2.19	.085	0.01	0.17
Tend to be Adjective - Adjective Only	0.14	0.04	3.37	.003	0.06	0.21
Tend to be Adjective - Am Adjective	-0.01	0.04	-0.22	.823	-0.09	0.07

unintellectual_model = adjective_timing("unintellectual")

Average response time to Unintellectual

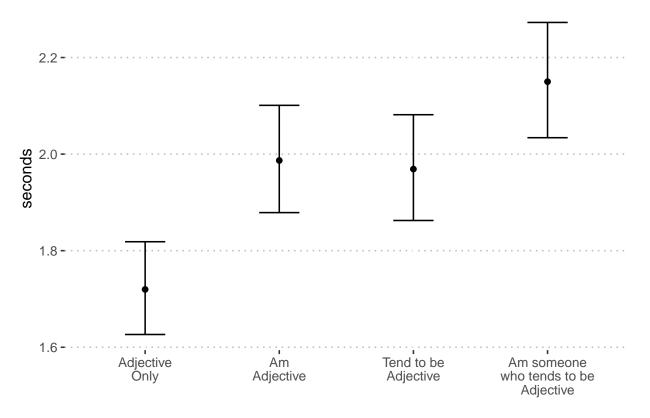


Figure S57: Average log-seconds to "unintellectual" by format (blocks 1 and 2)

7.1.33 Unsympathetic

Tests of the pairwise comparisons for this item are shown in Table S52 and means are shown in Figure S58.

unsympathetic_model = adjective_timing("unsympathetic")

Table S52: Differences in log-seconds to unsympathetic by format (blocks 1 and 2)

					95%	CI
Contrast	Mean Diff	SE	\mathbf{z}	p	low	high
Am Adjective - Adjective Only	0.04	0.04	1.02	.619	-0.04	0.12
Am someone who tends to be Adjective - Adjective Only	0.17	0.04	4.30	< .001	0.09	0.24
Am someone who tends to be Adjective - Am Adjective	0.13	0.04	3.29	.005	0.05	0.20
Am someone who tends to be Adjective - Tend to be Adjective	0.12	0.04	2.99	.011	0.04	0.19
Tend to be Adjective - Adjective Only	0.05	0.04	1.33	.549	-0.02	0.13
Tend to be Adjective - Am Adjective	0.01	0.04	0.31	.755	-0.06	0.09

Average response time to Unsympathetic

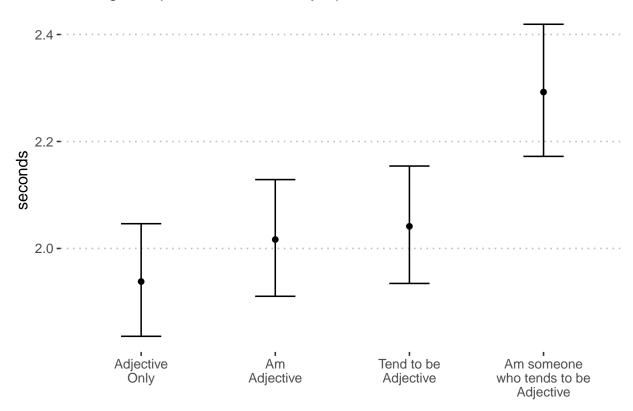


Figure S58: Average log-seconds to "unsympathetic" by format (blocks 1 and 2)

Table S53: Differences in log-seconds to warm by format (blocks 1 and 2)

					95%	CI
Contrast	Mean Diff	SE	\mathbf{z}	p	low	high
Am Adjective - Adjective Only	0.15	0.04	3.55	< .001	0.07	0.23
Am someone who tends to be Adjective - Adjective Only	0.33	0.04	8.06	< .001	0.25	0.41
Am someone who tends to be Adjective - Am Adjective	0.18	0.04	4.47	< .001	0.10	0.26
Am someone who tends to be Adjective - Tend to be Adjective	0.15	0.04	3.70	< .001	0.07	0.23
Tend to be Adjective - Adjective Only	0.18	0.04	4.37	< .001	0.10	0.26
Tend to be Adjective - Am Adjective	0.03	0.04	0.80	.426	-0.05	0.11

7.1.34 Warm

Tests of the pairwise comparisons for this item are shown in Table S53 and means are shown in Figure S59.

warm_model = adjective_timing("warm")

Average response time to Warm

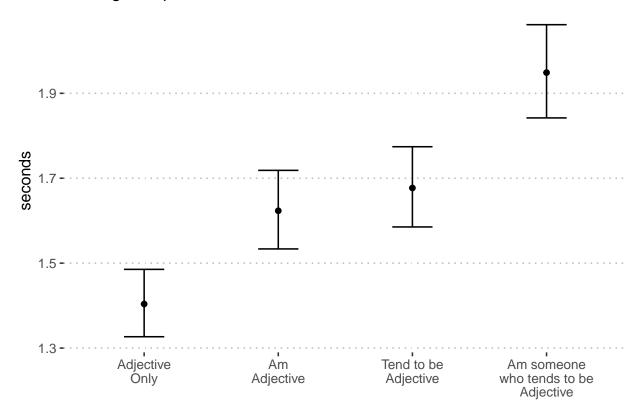


Figure S59: Average log-seconds to "warm" by format (blocks 1 and 2)

7.1.35 Careless

Tests of the pairwise comparisons for this item are shown in Table S54 and means are shown in Figure S60.

Table S54: Differences in log-seconds to careless by format (blocks 1 and 2)

					95%	CI
Contrast	Mean Diff	SE	\mathbf{z}	p	low	high
Am Adjective - Adjective Only	0.05	0.04	1.28	.604	-0.03	0.12
Am someone who tends to be Adjective - Adjective Only	0.17	0.04	4.39	< .001	0.09	0.24
Am someone who tends to be Adjective - Am Adjective	0.12	0.04	3.11	.007	0.04	0.19
Am someone who tends to be Adjective - Tend to be Adjective	0.13	0.04	3.34	.004	0.05	0.20
Tend to be Adjective - Adjective Only	0.04	0.04	1.06	.604	-0.03	0.12
Tend to be Adjective - Am Adjective	-0.01	0.04	-0.22	.827	-0.08	0.07

careless_model = adjective_timing("careless")

Average response time to Careless

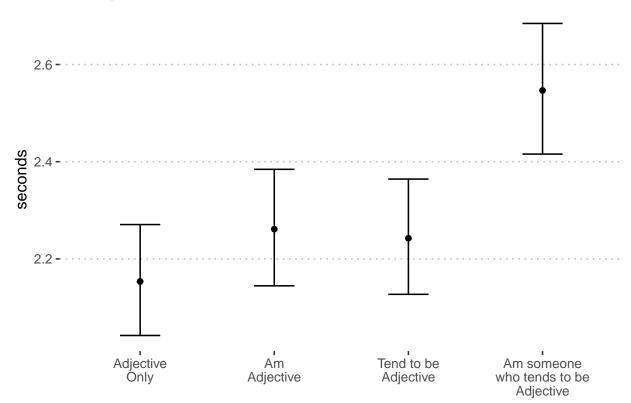


Figure S60: Average log-seconds to "careless" by format (blocks 1 and 2)

7.1.36 Impulsive

Tests of the pairwise comparisons for this item are shown in Table S55 and means are shown in Figure S61.

```
impulsive_model = adjective_timing("impulsive")
```

Table S55: Differences in log-seconds to impulsive by format (blocks 1 and 2)

					95%	CI
Contrast	Mean Diff	SE	\mathbf{Z}	p	low	high
Am Adjective - Adjective Only	0.01	0.04	0.13	.900	-0.07	0.08
Am someone who tends to be Adjective - Adjective Only	0.17	0.04	4.28	< .001	0.09	0.25
Am someone who tends to be Adjective - Am Adjective	0.17	0.04	4.15	< .001	0.09	0.24
Am someone who tends to be Adjective - Tend to be Adjective	0.13	0.04	3.19	.006	0.05	0.20
Tend to be Adjective - Adjective Only	0.04	0.04	1.10	.812	-0.03	0.12
Tend to be Adjective - Am Adjective	0.04	0.04	0.97	.812	-0.04	0.12

Average response time to Impulsive

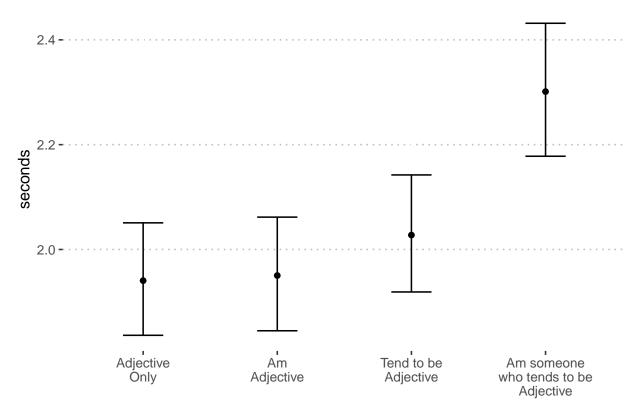


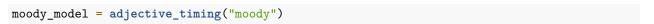
Figure S61: Average log-seconds to "impulsive" by format (blocks 1 and 2)

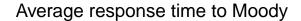
Table S56: Differences in log-seconds to moody by format (blocks 1 and 2)

					95% CI		
Contrast	Mean Diff	SE	\mathbf{z}	p	low	high	
Am Adjective - Adjective Only	0.02	0.04	0.62	.618	-0.05	0.10	
Am someone who tends to be Adjective - Adjective Only	0.25	0.04	6.89	< .001	0.18	0.33	
Am someone who tends to be Adjective - Am Adjective	0.23	0.04	6.25	< .001	0.16	0.30	
Am someone who tends to be Adjective - Tend to be Adjective	0.19	0.04	5.26	< .001	0.12	0.26	
Tend to be Adjective - Adjective Only	0.06	0.04	1.64	.303	-0.01	0.13	
Tend to be Adjective - Am Adjective	0.04	0.04	1.02	.618	-0.03	0.11	

7.1.37 Moody

Tests of the pairwise comparisons for this item are shown in Table S56 and means are shown in Figure S62.





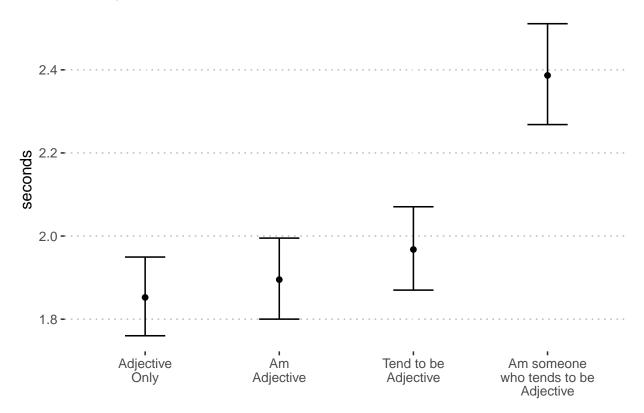


Figure S62: Average log-seconds to "moody" by format (blocks 1 and 2)

7.1.38 Nervous

Tests of the pairwise comparisons for this item are shown in Table S57 and means are shown in Figure S63.

Table S57: Differences in log-seconds to nervous by format (blocks 1 and 2)

					95% CI		
Contrast	Mean Diff	SE	\mathbf{z}	p	low	high	
Am Adjective - Adjective Only	-0.01	0.04	-0.32	> .999	-0.09	0.07	
Am someone who tends to be Adjective - Adjective Only	0.16	0.04	4.00	< .001	0.08	0.24	
Am someone who tends to be Adjective - Am Adjective	0.17	0.04	4.31	< .001	0.09	0.25	
Am someone who tends to be Adjective - Tend to be Adjective	0.17	0.04	4.20	< .001	0.09	0.25	
Tend to be Adjective - Adjective Only	-0.01	0.04	-0.19	> .999	-0.09	0.07	
Tend to be Adjective - Am Adjective	0.01	0.04	0.13	> .999	-0.07	0.08	

nervous_model = adjective_timing("nervous")

Average response time to Nervous

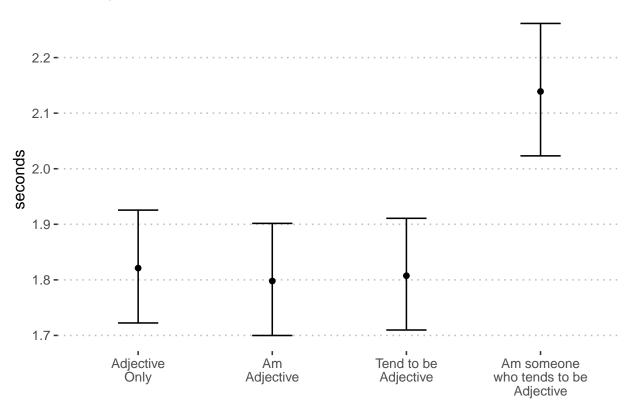


Figure S63: Average log-seconds to "nervous" by format (blocks 1 and 2)

7.1.39 Reckless

Tests of the pairwise comparisons for this item are shown in Table S58 and means are shown in Figure S64.

reckless_model = adjective_timing("reckless")

Table S58: Differences in log-seconds to reckless by format (blocks 1 and 2)

					95%	CI
Contrast	Mean Diff	SE	\mathbf{z}	p	low	high
Am Adjective - Adjective Only	-0.01	0.04	-0.22	> .999	-0.08	0.07
Am someone who tends to be Adjective - Adjective Only	0.23	0.04	6.08	< .001	0.16	0.30
Am someone who tends to be Adjective - Am Adjective	0.24	0.04	6.30	< .001	0.16	0.31
Am someone who tends to be Adjective - Tend to be Adjective	0.23	0.04	6.02	< .001	0.15	0.30
Tend to be Adjective - Adjective Only	0.00	0.04	0.07	> .999	-0.07	0.08
Tend to be Adjective - Am Adjective	0.01	0.04	0.30	> .999	-0.06	0.08

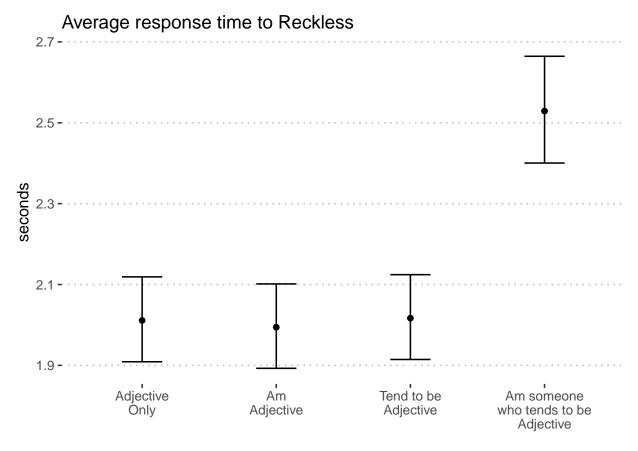


Figure S64: Average log-seconds to "reckless" by format (blocks 1 and 2)

Table S59: Differences in log-seconds to worrying by format (blocks 1 and 2)

					95% CI			
Contrast	Mean Diff	SE	\mathbf{z}	p	low	high		
Am Adjective - Adjective Only	0.04	0.04	1.09	.604	-0.03	0.12		
Am someone who tends to be Adjective - Adjective Only	0.18	0.04	4.75	< .001	0.11	0.25		
Am someone who tends to be Adjective - Am Adjective	0.14	0.04	3.65	.001	0.06	0.21		
Am someone who tends to be Adjective - Tend to be Adjective	0.13	0.04	3.47	.002	0.06	0.21		
Tend to be Adjective - Adjective Only	0.05	0.04	1.28	.604	-0.03	0.12		
Tend to be Adjective - Am Adjective	0.01	0.04	0.18	.854	-0.07	0.08		

7.1.40 Worrying

Tests of the pairwise comparisons for this item are shown in Table S59 and means are shown in Figure S65.

worrying_model = adjective_timing("worrying")

Average response time to Worrying

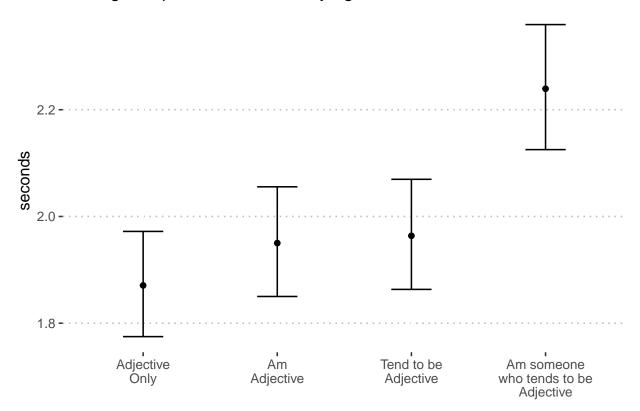


Figure S65: Average log-seconds to "worrying" by format (blocks 1 and 2)

7.2 Inclusion of "I" (Blocks 1 and 3)

We used a multilevel model, nesting response within participant to account for dependence. Our primary predictors are format and also the presence of the word "I". Here, we use data from blocks 1 and 3. Results are depicted in Figure S66.

```
items_13 = items_df %>%
  filter(block %in% c("1","3")) %>%
  filter(condition != "A") %>%
  filter(time2 == "yes") %>%
  filter(!is.infinite(seconds_log))
items_13$format = relevel(factor(items_13$format), ref = "Am\nAdjective")
mod.format_b3_1 = glmmTMB(seconds_log~format + i + (1|proid) + (1|block),
                  data = items_13)
tidy(aov(mod.format_b3_1)) %>%
 mutate(p.value = papaja::printp(p.value))
## # A tibble: 5 x 6
                         sumsq meansq statistic p.value
##
     term
                  df
##
     <chr>>
               <dbl>
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                                                 "< .001"
## 1 format
                   2
                        42.9
                                21.5
                                          60.7
## 2 i
                   1
                         2.28
                                2.28
                                           6.46 ".011"
## 3 proid
                 660
                      5542.
                                8.40
                                          23.8
                                                 "< .001"
                                           0.675 ".411"
## 4 block
                   1
                         0.238 0.238
## 5 Residuals 49611 17536.
                                0.353
                                          NA
mod.format_b3_2 = glmmTMB(seconds_log~format*i + (1|proid) + (1|block),
                  data = items_13)
tidy(aov(mod.format_b3_2)) %>%
  mutate(p.value = papaja::printp(p.value))
## # A tibble: 6 x 6
##
     term
                  df
                         sumsq meansq statistic p.value
##
     <chr>>
               <dbl>
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                                           <dbl> <chr>
                                                 "< .001"
                   2
                        42.9
                                21.5
                                          60.7
## 1 format
## 2 i
                   1
                         2.28
                                2.28
                                           6.46
                                                 ".011"
                 660
                                          23.8
                                                 "< .001"
## 3 proid
                      5542.
                                8.40
                                           0.675 ".411"
## 4 block
                   1
                         0.238 0.238
                   2
                                           7.43 "< .001"
## 5 format:i
                         5.25
                                 2.63
## 6 Residuals 49609 17530.
                                 0.353
effectsize::hedges_g(
  seconds_log ~ i,
  data = items_13
)
## Hedges' g |
                     95% CI
## -----
## 0.02
             [0.00, 0.04]
## - Estimated using pooled SD.
```

Average response time by item formatting (Block 1 and Block 3)

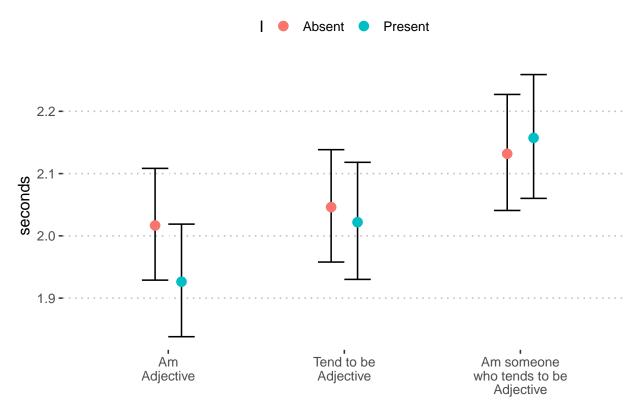


Figure S66: Predicted log-seconds on personality items by condition and I, using Block 1 and Block 3 data.

Table S60: Estimated seconds by format and inclusion of I (blocks 1 and 3)

format	i	estimate	conf.low	conf.high
Am Adjective	Absent	2.02	1.93	2.11
Am Adjective	Present	1.93	1.84	2.02
Tend to be Adjective	Absent	2.05	1.96	2.14
Tend to be Adjective	Present	2.02	1.93	2.12
Am someone who tends to be Adjective	Absent	2.13	2.04	2.23
Am someone who tends to be Adjective	Present	2.16	2.06	2.26

Next, we calculate present the average time per condition.

```
second_est |>
  select(format, i, estimate, conf.low, conf.high) |>
  mutate(across(where(is.numeric), printnum)) |>
  kable(
    bookdown=T,
    caption = "Estimated seconds by format and inclusion of I (blocks 1 and 3)"
) |>
    kable_styling()
```

7.2.1 One model for each adjective

Additive effects of I (controlling for format) are summarized in Table S61. Tests of the interaction of I with format (for each item) are summarized in Table S62.

```
mod_by_item_i1 = items_13 %>%
  group_by(item) %>%
  nest() %>%
  mutate(mod = map(data, ~glmmTMB(seconds_log~format+i + (1|proid), data = .))) %>%
  mutate(aov = map(mod, aov)) %>%
  ungroup()
```

```
summary_by_item_i1 = mod_by_item_i1 %>%
  mutate(tidy = map(aov, broom::tidy)) %>%
  select(item, tidy) %>%
  unnest(cols = c(tidy)) %>%
  filter(term == "i") %>%
  mutate(reverse = case_when(
    item %in% reverse ~ "Y",
    TRUE ~ "N"
  )) %>%
  mutate(p.adj = p.adjust(p.value, method = "holm"))
```

```
mod_by_item_i2 = items_13 %>%
  group_by(item) %>%
  nest() %>%
  mutate(mod = map(data, ~glmmTMB(seconds_log~format*i + (1|proid), data = .))) %>%
  mutate(aov = map(mod, aov)) %>%
  ungroup()
```

Table S61: Additive effect of I on timing for each item

item	reverse	sumsq	meansq	df	statistic	p.value	p.adj
active	N	0.73	0.73	1	2.12	.146	> .999
adventurous	N	0.18	0.18	1	0.51	.477	> .999
broadminded	N	0.17	0.17	1	0.51	.475	> .999
calm	N	0.09	0.09	1	0.27	.602	> .999
caring	N	0.01	0.01	1	0.04	.845	> .999
cautious	N	0.06	0.06	1	0.14	.708	> .999
cold	N	0.38	0.38	1	1.21	.271	> .999
creative	N	0.06	0.06	1	0.17	.683	> .999
curious	N	0.42	0.42	1	1.22	.270	> .999
friendly	N	0.01	0.01	1	0.02	.885	> .999
hardworking	N	0.10	0.10	1	0.35	.556	> .999
helpful	N	1.37	1.37	1	5.90	.015	.540
imaginative	N	0.01	0.01	1	0.04	.851	> .999
intelligent	N	0.30	0.30	1	0.85	.358	> .999
lively	N	0.02	0.02	1	0.06	.809	> .999
organized	N	0.83	0.83	1	2.74	.098	> .999
outgoing	N	3.23	3.23	1	11.62	< .001	.026
quiet	N	0.14	0.14	1	0.52	.470	> .999
relaxed	N	0.56	0.56	1	1.82	.178	> .999
responsible	N	0.53	0.53	1	1.45	.229	> .999
selfdisciplined	N	1.46	1.46	1	4.54	.034	> .999
shy	N	0.07	0.07	1	0.22	.642	> .999
softhearted	N	0.02	0.02	1	0.05	.827	> .999
sophisticated	N	0.68	0.68	1	2.00	.158	> .999
sympathetic	N	0.16	0.16	1	0.56	.453	> .999
talkative	N	0.02	0.02	1	0.07	.797	> .999
thorough	N	0.76	0.76	1	2.37	.124	> .999
thrifty	N	0.25	0.25	1	0.79	.376	> .999
uncreative	N	0.07	0.07	1	0.20	.653	> .999
unintellectual	N	0.33	0.33	1	0.98	.322	> .999
unsympathetic	N	0.26	0.26	1	0.97	.326	> .999
warm	N	0.00	0.00	1	0.01	.931	> .999
careless	Y	0.13	0.13	1	0.49	.485	> .999
impulsive	Y	0.30	0.30	1	0.77	.380	> .999
moody	Y	1.66	1.66	1	6.70	.010	.365
nervous	Y	0.63	0.63	1	2.02	.156	> .999
reckless	Y	1.79	1.79	1	6.46	.011	.406
worrying	Y	0.00	0.00	1	0.01	.926	> .999

Table S62: Interaction of I with format on timing for each item

item	reverse	sumsq	meansq	df	statistic	p.value	p.adj
active	N	1.42	0.71	2	2.08	.126	> .999
adventurous	N	1.02	0.51	2	1.46	.234	> .999
broadminded	N	0.31	0.15	2	0.46	.631	> .999
calm	N	1.03	0.51	2	1.64	.194	> .999
caring	N	1.03	0.51	2	1.94	.144	> .999
cautious	N	1.83	0.91	2	2.13	.119	> .999
cold	N	0.04	0.02	2	0.07	.937	> .999
creative	N	0.13	0.07	2	0.18	.834	> .999
curious	N	1.29	0.64	2	1.85	.157	> .999
friendly	N	1.01	0.51	2	1.55	.214	> .999
hardworking	N	0.14	0.07	2	0.25	.779	> .999
helpful	N	1.18	0.59	2	2.54	.080	> .999
imaginative	N	0.45	0.23	2	0.69	.501	> .999
intelligent	N	1.69	0.85	2	2.42	.090	> .999
lively	N	1.92	0.96	2	2.56	.078	> .999
organized	N	0.77	0.39	2	1.28	.280	> .999
outgoing	N	0.01	0.00	2	0.01	.989	> .999
quiet	N	0.02	0.01	2	0.04	.956	> .999
relaxed	N	0.16	0.08	2	0.27	.766	> .999
responsible	N	0.29	0.15	2	0.40	.673	> .999
selfdisciplined	N	0.52	0.26	2	0.81	.443	> .999
shy	N	1.65	0.82	2	2.44	.088	> .999
softhearted	N	0.42	0.21	2	0.55	.579	> .999
sophisticated	N	0.15	0.07	2	0.22	.803	> .999
sympathetic	N	0.43	0.22	2	0.75	.474	> .999
talkative	N	0.01	0.00	2	0.02	.985	> .999
thorough	N	0.27	0.13	2	0.42	.659	> .999
thrifty	N	0.06	0.03	2	0.10	.905	> .999
uncreative	N	0.50	0.25	2	0.77	.463	> .999
unintellectual	N	1.26	0.63	2	1.87	.155	> .999
unsympathetic	N	1.17	0.58	2	2.22	.110	> .999
warm	N	0.21	0.11	2	0.31	.734	> .999
careless	Y	2.21	1.11	2	4.05	.018	.676
impulsive	Y	0.00	0.00	2	0.00	.997	> .999
moody	Y	0.05	0.03	2	0.11	.898	> .999
nervous	Y	1.88	0.94	2	3.05	.048	> .999
reckless	Y	0.97	0.49	2	1.76	.173	> .999
worrying	Y	0.64	0.32	2	1.13	.325	> .999

Here we identify the specific items with significant differences.

```
sig_item_b3 = summary_by_item_i2 %>%
filter(p.value < .05)

sig_item_b3 = sig_item_b3$item
sig_item_b3</pre>
```

[1] "nervous" "careless"

```
adjective_timing_i = function(adjective){
 model = items_13 %>%
   filter(item == adjective) %>%
   filter(condition != "A") %>%
   glmmTMB(seconds_log~format*i + (1|proid), data = .)
 plot = avg_predictions(model, variables = c("format", "i")) %>%
   mutate(across(where(is.numeric), exp)) %>%
   ggplot(aes(x = format, y = estimate, group = i)) +
    geom_point(aes(color = i),
              position = position_dodge(.3),
              size = 3) +
   geom_errorbar(
      aes(ymin = conf.low, ymax = conf.high),
              position = position_dodge(.3),
     width = .3) +
   labs(
     x = NULL
     y = "seconds",
     title = paste0("Average response time to ", str_to_sentence(adjective))) +
   theme_pubclean()
 return(plot)
```

7.2.2 Nervous

```
adjective_timing_i("nervous")
```

7.2.3 Careless

```
adjective_timing_i("careless")
```

Average response time to Nervous

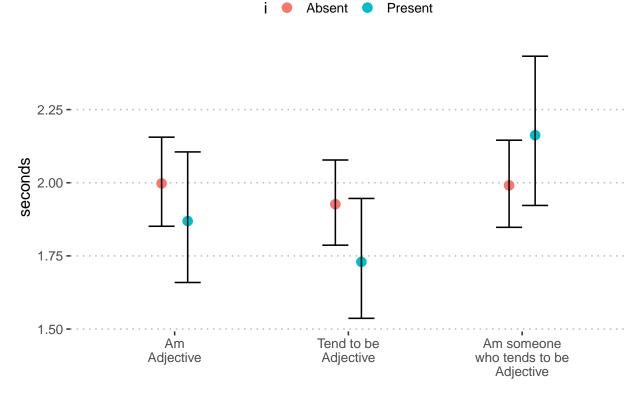


Figure S67: Average seconds to "nervous" by format and inclusion of i (blocks 1 and 3)

Average response time to Careless

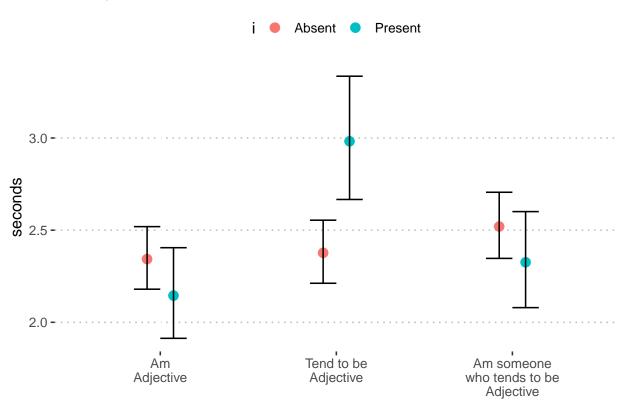


Figure S68: Average seconds to "careless" by format and inclusion of i (blocks 1 and 3)

8 How does format affect participants' subjective experience?

These analyses test whether item format affects participants' subjective experiences of participating in personality surveys.

8.1 Enjoyment

First, we test whether participants enjoyed their experience as a function of format. The item participants rated was:

"Overall, I am enjoying responding to the present survey."

```
mod_enjoy_1 = lm(enjoy_responding ~ format, data = enjoy_df)
car::Anova(mod_enjoy_1)
## Anova Table (Type II tests)
##
## Response: enjoy_responding
##
            Sum Sq Df F value Pr(>F)
             5.21 3 1.6494 0.1764
## Residuals 1022.53 971
effectsize::hedges g(
 enjoy_responding ~ format,
  data = filter(enjoy_df, format %in% c("Adjective\nOnly", "Am\nAdjective")
))
## Hedges' g | 95% CI
## -----
## -0.11 | [-0.29, 0.07]
##
## - Estimated using pooled SD.
effectsize::hedges_g(
  enjoy_responding ~ format,
 data = filter(enjoy_df, format %in% c("Adjective\nOnly", "Tend to be\nAdjective")))
## Hedges' g |
                  95% CI
          | [-0.21, 0.14]
## -0.04
## - Estimated using pooled SD.
effectsize::hedges_g(
  enjoy_responding ~ format,
  data = filter(enjoy_df, format %in% c("Adjective\nOnly", "Am someone\nwho tends to be\nAdjective")
## Hedges' g | 95% CI
## -----
## -0.18 | [-0.36, 0.00]
## - Estimated using pooled SD.
```

```
effectsize::hedges_g(
  enjoy_responding ~ format,
  data = filter(enjoy_df, format %in% c("Am\nAdjective", "Tend to be\nAdjective")
## Hedges' g |
                      95% CI
## -----
## 0.08 | [-0.10, 0.26]
## - Estimated using pooled SD.
effectsize::hedges_g(
 enjoy_responding ~ format,
 data = filter(enjoy_df, format %in% c("Am\nAdjective", "Am someone\nwho tends to be\nAdjective")
))
                      95% CI
## Hedges' g |
## -0.07
           | [-0.25, 0.11]
## - Estimated using pooled SD.
effectsize::hedges_g(
 enjoy_responding ~ format,
 data = filter(enjoy_df, format %in% c("Tend to be\nAdjective", "Am someone\nwho tends to be\nAdjective")
))
## Hedges' g | 95% CI
## -0.15 | [-0.33, 0.02]
##
## - Estimated using pooled SD.
Participants did not vary in their enjoyment of the survey as a function of item format. See ??.
plot_model(mod_enjoy_1, type = "pred", show.data = T, jitter = T)$format +
 labs(x = NULL,
     title = NULL,
      y = "Average enjoyment")
## NULL
We also test whether this is a function of device type and the interaction of device type with format.
mod_enjoy_2 = lm(enjoy_responding ~ devicetype, data = enjoy_df)
car::Anova(mod_enjoy_2)
## Anova Table (Type II tests)
##
## Response: enjoy_responding
              Sum Sq Df F value Pr(>F)
##
                2.97 2 1.4074 0.2453
## devicetype
## Residuals 1024.77 972
```

Participants did not enjoy differently by device type.

```
mod_enjoy_3 = lm(enjoy_responding ~ format*devicetype, data = enjoy_df)
car::Anova(mod_enjoy_3, type = "3")
## Anova Table (Type III tests)
##
## Response: enjoy responding
                                                       Pr(>F)
##
                     Sum Sq Df
                                  F value
## (Intercept)
                             1 4016.2580 < 0.0000000000000000 ***
                     4228.5
## format
                        5.5
                              3
                                  1.7313
                                                       0.1589
## devicetype
                        4.0
                            2
                                   1.9136
                                                       0.1481
## format:devicetype
                        5.6
                              6
                                   0.8803
                                                       0.5087
## Residuals
                    1013.9 963
## ---
## Signif. codes: 0 '*** 0.001 '** 0.01 '* 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
```

The relationship of item format to enjoyment did not vary as a function of device type.

8.2 Perception of survey design

Next, we test whether participants viewed the survey differently as a function of format. The item participants rated was:

"Overall, I think the present survey is well designed."

Participants did not vary in their perception of the survey as a function of device type. See ??.

NULL

We also test whether this is a function of device type and the interaction of devicetype with format.

```
mod_design_2 = lm(well_designed_study ~ devicetype, data = enjoy_df)
car::Anova(mod_design_2)
```

```
## Anova Table (Type II tests)
##
## Response: well designed study
              Sum Sq Df F value Pr(>F)
## devicetype
               4.73
                       2 3.1071 0.04518 *
## Residuals 739.81 972
## ---
## Signif. codes: 0 '*** 0.001 '** 0.01 '* 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' 1
Participants did perceive the design of the study differently by format. We explore this more here:
emmeans(mod_design_2, pairwise~"devicetype", adjust = "none")
## $emmeans
## devicetype
                                                                  emmean
                                                                             SE df
## Desktop or laptop computer
                                                                   5.20 0.0322 972
## Mobile
                                                                   5.36 0.0615 972
   Tablet (for example, iPad, Galaxy Tablet, Amazon Fire, etc.)
                                                                   5.08 0.1420 972
##
  lower.CL upper.CL
##
        5.14
                 5.27
##
        5.24
                 5.48
                 5.36
##
        4.80
##
## Confidence level used: 0.95
##
## $contrasts
## contrast
## Desktop or laptop computer - Mobile
## Desktop or laptop computer - Tablet (for example, iPad, Galaxy Tablet, Amazon Fire, etc.)
## Mobile - Tablet (for example, iPad, Galaxy Tablet, Amazon Fire, etc.)
##
                 SE df t.ratio p.value
   estimate
##
      -0.156 0.0694 972 -2.243 0.0251
      0.123 0.1450 972
                          0.851 0.3950
##
##
      0.279 0.1540 972
                        1.810 0.0707
emmeans(mod_design_2, pairwise~"devicetype", adjust = "holm")
## $emmeans
## devicetype
                                                                  emmean
                                                                             SE df
## Desktop or laptop computer
                                                                   5.20 0.0322 972
                                                                   5.36 0.0615 972
## Tablet (for example, iPad, Galaxy Tablet, Amazon Fire, etc.)
                                                                   5.08 0.1420 972
##
   lower.CL upper.CL
       5.14
                 5.27
##
##
       5.24
                 5.48
        4.80
                 5.36
##
##
## Confidence level used: 0.95
##
## $contrasts
## contrast
## Desktop or laptop computer - Mobile
```

```
Desktop or laptop computer - Tablet (for example, iPad, Galaxy Tablet, Amazon Fire, etc.)
   Mobile - Tablet (for example, iPad, Galaxy Tablet, Amazon Fire, etc.)
##
   estimate
                 SE df t.ratio p.value
##
      -0.156 0.0694 972 -2.243 0.0753
##
##
      0.123 0.1450 972
                          0.851 0.3950
      0.279 0.1540 972
                          1.810 0.1413
##
##
## P value adjustment: holm method for 3 tests
```

Participants perceive the design to be better on mobile devices than on desktop or laptop computers; however, after correcting for multiple comparisons, this effect is no longer significant.

```
mod_design_3 = lm(well_designed_study ~ format*devicetype, data = enjoy_df)
car::Anova(mod_design_3, type = "3")
```

```
## Anova Table (Type III tests)
##
## Response: well_designed_study
##
                     Sum Sq Df
                                   F value
                                                        Pr(>F)
                              1 6182.4022 <0.0000000000000000 ***
## (Intercept)
                     4718.2
## format
                                    0.7901
                        1.8
                              3
                                                        0.4995
## devicetype
                        0.9
                              2
                                    0.5640
                                                        0.5691
## format:devicetype
                        1.9
                              6
                                    0.4124
                                                        0.8711
## Residuals
                      734.9 963
## ---
## Signif. codes: 0 '*** 0.001 '** 0.01 '* 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
```

The relationship of item format to survey design enjoyment did not vary as a function of device type.

9 Power analysis

We conduct power analyses for the research question, "Does item format influence expected response to personality items?" by powering a balanced one-way analysis of variance. This model assumes no individual differences in response, thereby providing a more conservative estimate of the sample size needed.

```
# calculate each individual's average response
means = item_block1 %>%
  group_by(proid, condition) %>%
  summarise(response = mean(response)) %>%
  ungroup()
# calculate mean and variance for each condition
means = means %>%
  group_by(condition) %>%
  summarise(m = mean(response),
            v = var(response),
            n = n()
# calculate ewighted variance
weighted var = means %>%
  mutate(newv = v*(n-1)) \%>\%
  select(newv, n) %>%
  colSums()
weighted_var = weighted_var[[1]]/(weighted_var[[2]]-4)
# enter information into power function
power.anova.test(groups = 4,
                 between.var = var(means$m),
                 within.var = weighted_var,
                 power = .9,
                 sig.level = .05)
```

```
##
##
        Balanced one-way analysis of variance power calculation
##
            groups = 4
##
                 n = 135.3274
##
##
       between.var = 0.009118785
##
        within.var = 0.2593392
##
         sig.level = 0.05
##
             power = 0.9
##
## NOTE: n is number in each group
```

This analysis suggests that 136 participants are needed in each condition to achieve 90% power for the differences in means found in the pilot data. To be safe, we plan to recruit 250 participants per condition.

10 R version and packages

All data cleaning and analyses were completed using R version 4.5.1 (2025-06-13) (Great Square Root). Below we list the packages (and versions) used in these analyses.

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