

Explanation of variables

date: date the participant completed experiment

time: time the participant completed the experiment

condition: control, sudden, constant (as described in methods)

DGkept: amount player kept for self in a \$10 dictator game

age: participant's age in years

sex: 0 = male, 1 = female

The following variables were responses to questions included as distractor tasks and were not analyzed.

RWA: Right Wing Authoritarianism score

Extra, agree, consc, stab, open: Big 5 personality index scores

Rather: would you rather be the divider (0) or recipient (1)

Feet/inches: self-report height

Pounds: self-report weight

Howhungry: self-report hunger level (1-7)

Hrssinceeating: hours since last eating

Howthirsty: self-report thirst level (1-7)

Howtired: self-report fatigue (1-7)

Morning person: "I am a morning person" (1 – strong disagree... 7 strong agree)

Hrsexercise: hours of exercise per week

Inrelationship: 0 = single, 1 = in relationship

Employhrs: hours/week employment

Sibno: number of siblings (all kinds, i.e. full, half, adopted, step)

Momage, dadage: age of parents

Parentstogether: Are your parents still together? 0 = no, 1 = yes

Parentshowlong: if parents still together, how long have they been together

Religiousdevotion: how devoted are you to your religion? 0 = no religion. 1 = not at all ... 7 = very devoted.

Politicalpref: 1 = very conservative ... 7 = very liberal