

Supplemental Materials

Rank-Order Stability of Mate Standard Subscales [Full Sample]

	r_{12}	r_{13}	r_{14}	r_{23}	r_{24}	r_{34}	Means		
							9 months	18 months	27 months
Attractiveness/Vitality	.63*** [.57, .71]	.64*** [.57, .73]	.54*** [.45, .64]	.70*** [.63, .76]	.66*** [.61, .74]	.64*** [.56, .72]	.66 _a	.65 _a	.54 _b
Status/Resources	.69*** [.64, .78]	.68*** [.64, .78]	.60*** [.54, .70]	.74*** [.67, .79]	.67*** [.62, .77]	.69*** [.64, .77]	.71 _a	.68 _{ab}	.60 _b
Warmth/Trustworthiness	.52*** [.46, .64]	.57*** [.45, .64]	.51*** [.41, .60]	.56*** [.53, .70]	.50*** [.44, .62]	.64*** [.56, .70]	.57 _a	.54 _a	.51 _a
<i>N</i>	365	374	374	316	308	320			

Note. Bracketed numbers are values for the 95% confidence interval. Correlations with different subscripts indicate a significant difference between the coefficients at $p < .05$.

*** $p < .001$.

Mean-Level Stability of Mate Standard Subscales [Full Sample]

	Mean(<i>SD</i>)			
	T1	T2	T3	T4
Physical Attractiveness/Vitality	6.68(1.23) [6.56, 6.80]	6.96(1.31) [6.81, 7.10]	6.83(1.28) [6.70, 6.96]	6.88(1.26) [6.75, 7.00]
Status/Resources	7.22(1.31) [7.10, 7.34]	7.45(1.33) [7.30, 7.58]	7.36(1.26) [7.23, 7.49]	7.43(1.29) [7.29, 7.57]
Warmth/Trustworthiness	8.09(0.95) [8.00, 8.18]	8.42(1.02) [8.31, 8.54]	8.37(0.93) [8.27, 8.47]	8.40(0.98) [8.30, 8.50]
<i>N</i>	453	365	374	374

Note. Bracketed numbers are values for the 95% confidence interval.

Ipsative (Profile) Stability of Mate Standards [Full Sample]

	Mean(<i>SD</i>)					
	r_{q12}	r_{q13}	r_{q14}	r_{q23}	r_{q24}	r_{q34}
Profile Similarity	.60(.23) [.58, .64]	.61(.21) [.60, .65]	.59(.23) [.57, .63]	.62(.22) [.60, .65]	.61(.22) [.59, .64]	.63(.21) [.60, .66]
<i>N</i>	361	371	368	312	300	314

Note. Bracketed numbers are values for the 95% confidence interval.

Individual-Level Stability of Mate Standards Subscales (Multilevel Growth Models – Full Sample)

	Attractiveness/Vitality		Status/Resources		Warmth/Trustworthiness	
	Model 1	Model 2	Model 1	Model 2	Model 1	Model 2
Fixed Effects						
Intercept	6.74(0.06)*** [6.63, 6.85]	6.70(0.06)*** [6.59, 6.82]	7.26(0.06)*** [7.14, 7.38]	7.23(0.06)*** [7.11, 7.35]	8.16(0.04)*** [8.08, 8.25]	8.11(0.05)*** [8.02, 8.20]
Linear slope	0.01(.002)*** [0.004, 0.01]	0.02(0.01)*** [0.01, 0.03]	0.01(.002)*** [0.005, 0.01]	0.02(0.01)** [0.01, 0.04]	0.01(.002)*** [0.008, 0.01]	0.03(0.01)*** [0.02, 0.04]
Quadratic slope		-.001(.0002)* [-.001, -.0001]		-.0004(.0002) ⁺ [-.001, .0001]		-.001(.0002)*** [-.001, -.0004]
Random Effects						
Intercept	1.02(0.10)*** [0.84, 1.23]	1.02(0.10)*** [0.85, 1.23]	1.25(0.11)*** [1.05, 1.48]	1.25(0.11)*** [1.05, 1.48]	0.51(0.06)*** [0.44, 0.71]	0.52(0.06)*** [0.42, 0.64]
Linear slope	.0003(.0001)* [.0001, .0008]	.0003(.0001)* [.0001, .0007]	.0004(.0001)** [.0002, .0008]	.0004(.0001)** [.0002, .0008]	.0001(.0001) [.00002, .0006]	.0001(.0001) [.00003, .0005]
Intercept & linear slope	-0.002(0.003) [-.007, .004]	-0.002(0.003) [-.008, .003]	-0.01(0.003)* [-0.01, -0.001]	-0.01(0.003)* [-0.01, -0.001]	-0.001(0.002) [-0.004, 0.003]	-0.001(0.002) [-0.004, 0.003]
-2LL	4511.54	4506.25	4440.48	4437.48	3867.91	3851.70
PRV	8.6%	9.3%	13.2%	13.6%	7.6%	9.6%
$\Delta \chi^2(df)$	5.29(1), $p = .02$		3.00(1), $p = .08$		16.21(1), $p < .001$	

Note. Unstandardized estimates are presented with standard errors in parentheses. Model 1 is the unconditional linear growth model and Model 2 is the unconditional quadratic growth model. Bracketed numbers are values for the 95% confidence interval. PRV = proportional reduction in variance in comparison to the intercept-only model (see Raudenbush & Bryk, 2002).

* $p < .05$. ** $p < .01$. *** $p < .001$.

Tests of Proposed Moderators on Rank-Order, Mean-Level, Individual-Level, and Ipsative Stability [Full Sample]

Moderator	Rank-Order			Mean-Level			Individual-Level			Ipsative
	Attract	Status	Warmth	Attract	Status	Warmth	Attract	Status	Warmth	
Age	.004(.004)	.01(.004)⁺	.002(.004)	-.001(.01)	.001(.01)	.005(.004)	.0003(.002)	.0002(.002)	-.0001(.002)	.01(.002)**
Mate Value Δ	-.27(.07)***	-.13(.07)⁺	-.12(.07)	.39(.08)***	.25(.08)**	.25(.07)***	.006(.002)**	.004(.002)*	.005(.002)**	-.04(.03)
Mate Availability Δ	-.03(.04)	-.03(.04)	.02(.05)	.07(.06)	-.02(.05)	-.06(.04)	.003(.002)	.002(.002)	.001(.002)	-.02(.02)
Gender	.02(.10)	-.25(.09)**	-.04(.10)	-.002(.12)	.40(.12)**	.12(.10)	.003(.004)	-.003(.004)	-.002(.004)	-.01(.04)

Note. For rank-order and individual-level stability, the unstandardized estimates for the interaction term are presented with standard errors in parentheses. Mean-level and ipsative values reflect the unstandardized estimate and standard error of the moderator in the hierarchical linear and simple linear regressions, respectively. Given a lack of equivalency, we did not test the number of positive and negative relationship events as moderators of stability within the full sample.

⁺ $p < .10$. * $p < .05$. ** $p < .01$. *** $p < .001$.