**Supporting information.**

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**S2 Table. Factor Analyses of four measurement models of the Ruminative Thought Style Questionnaire in Study 2.**

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|  | AIC/BIC | χ2 | df | CFI | TLI | RMSEA | 90% CI | SRMR |
| Model 1 | 22927.011/  23153.110 | 886.192 | 170 | .689 | .653 | .115 | .11-.12 | .084 |
| Model 2 | 16665.819/  16850.467 | 225.810 | 86 | .917 | .899 | .071 | .06-08 | .061 |
| Model 3 | 21198.533/  21466.084 | 365.921 | 138 | .899 | .874 | .072 | .06-.08 | .057 |
| Model 4 | 21074.542/  21538.045 | 169.632 | 86 | .963 | .926 | .055 | .04-.07 | .025 |

Model 1= One factor CFA; Model 2= Second-order four factor CFA; Model 3= bifactor CFA; Model 4= bifactor ESEM; AIC, Akaike Information Criteria; χ2, chi-square test statistic; df, degree of freedom; CFI, Comparative Fit Index; TLI, Tucker-Lewis Index; RMSEA, Root Mean Squared Error of Approximation; CI, confidence interval; SRMR, Standardized Root Mean Square Residual.