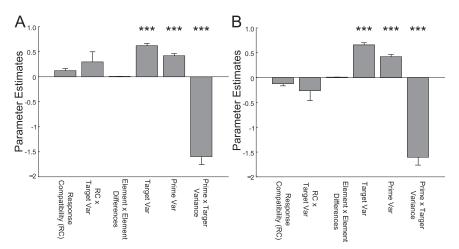
## **Supporting Information**

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**Fig. S1.** Parameter estimates from a regression of prime and target statistics on response times, with additional response compatibility regressors included. Data from Exp. 1. All error bars show SEM. (*A*) Parameter estimates for (*i*) response compatibility measure (RC), defined as the absolute difference between the sum of feature values for prime and target arrays ( $|\Sigma P_{1-8} - T_{1-8}|$ ), and (*ii*) its interaction with target variance, alongside (*iii*) the summed element by element difference (as shown individually in Fig. 2*B*), (*iv*) target variance, (*v*) prime variance, and (*vi*) the interaction between prime and target variance. (*B*) As for *A*, with RC defined instead as the sum of the prime and target feature values ( $|\Sigma P_{1-8} + T_{1-8}|$ ).

Table S1.	Effect of	prime and	target statistics

Variable	DOF	F value	P value
Exp. 1			
Tvar	1, 39	76.9	<0.001***
Pvar	1, 39	5.24	0.028*
Tvar $ imes$ Pvar	1, 39	27.5	<0.001***
Exp. 2, variance			
Tvar	1, 38	37.8	<0.001***
Pvar	1, 38	1.27	0.267
Tvar $ imes$ Pvar	1, 38	5.03	0.031*
Exp. 2, mean			
Tmean	1, 38	63.6	<0.001***
Pmean	1, 38	0.04	0.841
$Tmean \times Pmean$	1, 38	0.20	0.661

Exp. 1. ANOVA with two factors [prime variance (Pvar) or target variance (Tvar)], each with two levels (high/low). \*P < 0.05, \*\*P < 0.01, or \*\*\*P < 0.001. Exp. 2. ANOVA with two factors (prime/target variance or prime/target mean distance from category boundary), each with two levels (high/low). DOF, degrees of freedom.

Table S2. Effect of prime-target intervals (PTI)
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Variable	DOF	F value	P value
Tvar	1, 78	105	<0.001***
Pvar	1, 78	6.37	0.014*
Pvar  imes Tvar	1, 78	26.2	<0.001***
PTI	2, 121	16.7	<0.001***
PTI  imes Tvar	2, 153	1.31	0.273
$PTI \times Pvar$	2, 155	0.80	0.450
$\text{PTI} \times \text{Pvar} \times \text{Tvar}$	2, 147	1.97	0.146

Exps. 1 and 2. ANOVA with three factors: prime/target variance and PTI duration. Prime and target variance had two levels (high/low) and PTI had three levels (100, 200, or 500 ms). \*P < 0.05, \*\*P < 0.01, or \*\*\*P < 0.001.

Table S3. Effect of category congruence on reaction times (RTs): Data collapsed across all PTI conditions (Exp. 3 omitted, because it is identical to Table S5)

Variable	DOF	F value	P value
Exp. 1			
Tvar	1, 39	78.3	<0.001***
Switch	1, 39	23.0	<0.001***
Tvar $ imes$ Switch	1, 39	0.48	0.492
Pvar	1, 39	4.82	0.034*
Pvar $ imes$ Switch	1, 39	16.5	<0.001***
Pvar $ imes$ Tvar	1, 39	27.1	<0.001***
Pvar $ imes$ Tvar $ imes$ Switch	1, 39	9.42	0.004**
Exp. 2			
Tvar	1, 38	38.3	<0.001***
Switch	1, 38	20.9	<0.001***
Tvar $ imes$ Switch	1, 38	0.02	0.893
Pvar	1, 38	0.99	0.326
Pvar $ imes$ Switch	1, 38	6.81	0.013*
Pvar $ imes$ Tvar	1, 38	5.03	0.031*
Pvar $ imes$ Tvar $ imes$ Switch	1, 38	11.2	0.002**

Exp. 1. ANOVA with three factors (prime/target variance and category congruence: switch), each with two levels (high/low or switch/stay). Exp. 2. ANOVA with three factors (prime/target variance and category congruence: switch), each with two levels (high/low or switch/stay. \*P < 0.05, \*\*P < 0.01, or \*\*\*P < 0.001.

Table S4. Regression analyses for prime  $\times$  target variance interaction, for switch and stay trials

	Switch	Stay
Overall	t <sub>(92)</sub> = 1.38, <i>P</i> < 0.09	<i>t</i> <sub>(92)</sub> = 7.66, <i>P</i> < 0.001***
Exp. 1	$t_{(39)} = 1.44, P < 0.08$	t <sub>(39)</sub> = 6.15, P < 0.001***
Exp. 2	t <sub>(38)</sub> = 1.22, P < 0.884	t <sub>(38)</sub> = 3.54, P < 0.001***
Exp. 3	$t_{(13)} = 2.24, P < 0.021*$	$t_{(13)} = 3.91, P < 0.001***$

Data collapsed across all PTI conditions. \*P < 0.05, \*\*P < 0.01, or \*\*\*P < 0.001.

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Variable	DOF	F value	P value
Exp. 1			
Tvar	1, 39	67.1	<0.001***
Switch	1, 39	32.3	<0.001***
Tvar*Switch	1, 39	1.23	0.275
Pvar	1, 39	2.63	0.113
Pvar $ imes$ Switch	1, 39	13.6	<0.001***
Pvar $ imes$ Tvar	1, 39	30.1	<0.001***
Pvar $ imes$ Tvar $ imes$ Switch	1, 39	5.74	0.022*
Exp. 2			
Tvar	1, 38	32.4	<0.001***
Switch	1, 38	24.6	<0.001***
Tvar $ imes$ Switch	1, 38	0.01	0.993
Pvar	1, 38	1.07	0.308
Pvar $ imes$ Switch	1, 38	2.18	0.148
Pvar $ imes$ Tvar	1, 38	4.59	0.039*
Pvar $ imes$ Tvar $ imes$ Switch	1, 38	9.05	0.005**
Exp. 3			
Tvar	1, 13	18.9	0.001***
Switch	1, 13	2.52	0.137
Tvar $ imes$ Switch	1, 13	1.98	0.183
Pvar	1, 13	8.64	0.011*
Pvar $\times$ Switch	1, 13	2.52	0.136
Pvar $ imes$ Tvar	1, 13	13.7	0.003**
Pvar $ imes$ Tvar $ imes$ Switch	1, 13	3.90	0.070

 Table S5.
 Effect of category congruence on RTs: 100- and 200-ms

 PTI conditions

Exp. 1. ANOVA with three factors (prime/target variance and category congruence: switch), each with two levels (high/low or switch/stay). Exp. 2. ANOVA with three factors (prime/target variance and category congruence: switch), each with two levels (high/low or switch/stay). Exp. 3. ANOVA with three factors (prime/target variance and category congruence: switch), each with two levels (high/low or switch/stay). \*P < 0.05, \*\*P < 0.01, or \*\*\*P < 0.001.

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