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Abstract: The present work examines how relative income effects marriage in the most representative EU countries. It emplys a panel data for the EU that spans the period 2000-2018 to test this hypothesis. The paper it reveals that young men are more likely to wed if they feel affluent relative to the level of their material aspirations.

Key words: relative income, marriage, EU, Easterlin method.