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Methodological Implications and Analysis of Categorical Data
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Table 1: Taxonomy of models for qualitative data*

- I. Latent Attribute Models
1. Latent structure models
 - Latent class model - Lazarsfeld & Henry (1968)
 - Latent class with response error - Goodman (1974)
 - Dayton & MacReady (1980)
 2. Scalability models
 - Scalogram analysis - Guttman (1950)
 - Probabilistic scale analysis - Proctor (1970)
 - Multiple scale analysis - Mokken (1971)
 - Bi- and Multiform scales - Goodman (1975)
 - Probabilistic validation - Dayton & MacReady (1976)
 - Order analysis - Krus et al. (1976)
 - Scaling of order hypothesis - Davison (1979, 1980)
 - Probabilistic unfolding - Coombs & Smith (1973)
 - Quasi Independence model - Goodman (1975)
 - ...
- Latent trait models
- Rasch model - Rasch (1966); Fischer (1974)
 - Normative ogive model - Lord & Novick (1968)
 - Three parametric logistic model - Birnbaum (1968)
 - Logistic change model - Fischer (1976)
 - ...
4. Factor analysis models
 - FA for dichotomous variables - Muthen (1978); Christofferson (1975)
 - Monotonicity analysis - Bentler (1970)
- II. Prediction Models
1. Dichotomous regression model
 - Logit model - Grizzle, Starmer & Koch (1969)
 2. Structural equation models
 - Lisrel V - Jöreskog & Sörbom (1981)
 - PLS - Wold (1979)
 3. Cross-classification with errors models
 - Prediction analysis - Hildebrand et al. (1977)
 - Fitting cross-classification - Thomas (1977)
 - Matching model - Hubert (1979)
 4. Multidimensional contingency table with Partial Least Squares (PLS)
 - Wold & Bertholet (1983)

Table 1 (continued):

III. Multinomial Response Models

1. Log-linear model - Goodman (1972); Bishop et al. (1975); Haberman (1978/79)
2. Analysis of correspondence - Benzécri (1973); Linder & Berchtold (1982)
3. Dual scaling for categorial data - Nishisato (1980)

* Note: This taxonomy of models was initiated by Bentler (1980) and has been expanded by the present authors.-

Table 6: Analysis of longitudinal samples by the Dayton & MacReady model.
 (Table entries are probabilities for model fit)

		<u>Models</u>		
		Guttman-structure	Model A	Model B
Grade:	Sample:			
1	2.1	< .005	.005	.000
2	2.2	< .005	< .005	.30**
3	2.3	< .005	.23**	.25**
4	2.4	< .005	< .005	.17**

** Fit

Table 7: Multiple contingency table. Cell entries are frequencies of observed pattern. This table serves as input data for the analysis with log-linear model (frequencies in brackets are set as structural zeros for quasi-independence model) and the Prediction analysis by Hildebrand et al. (1977). (Frequencies in brackets are substantive cells, the other ones are error cells)

Phases during/after pregnancy

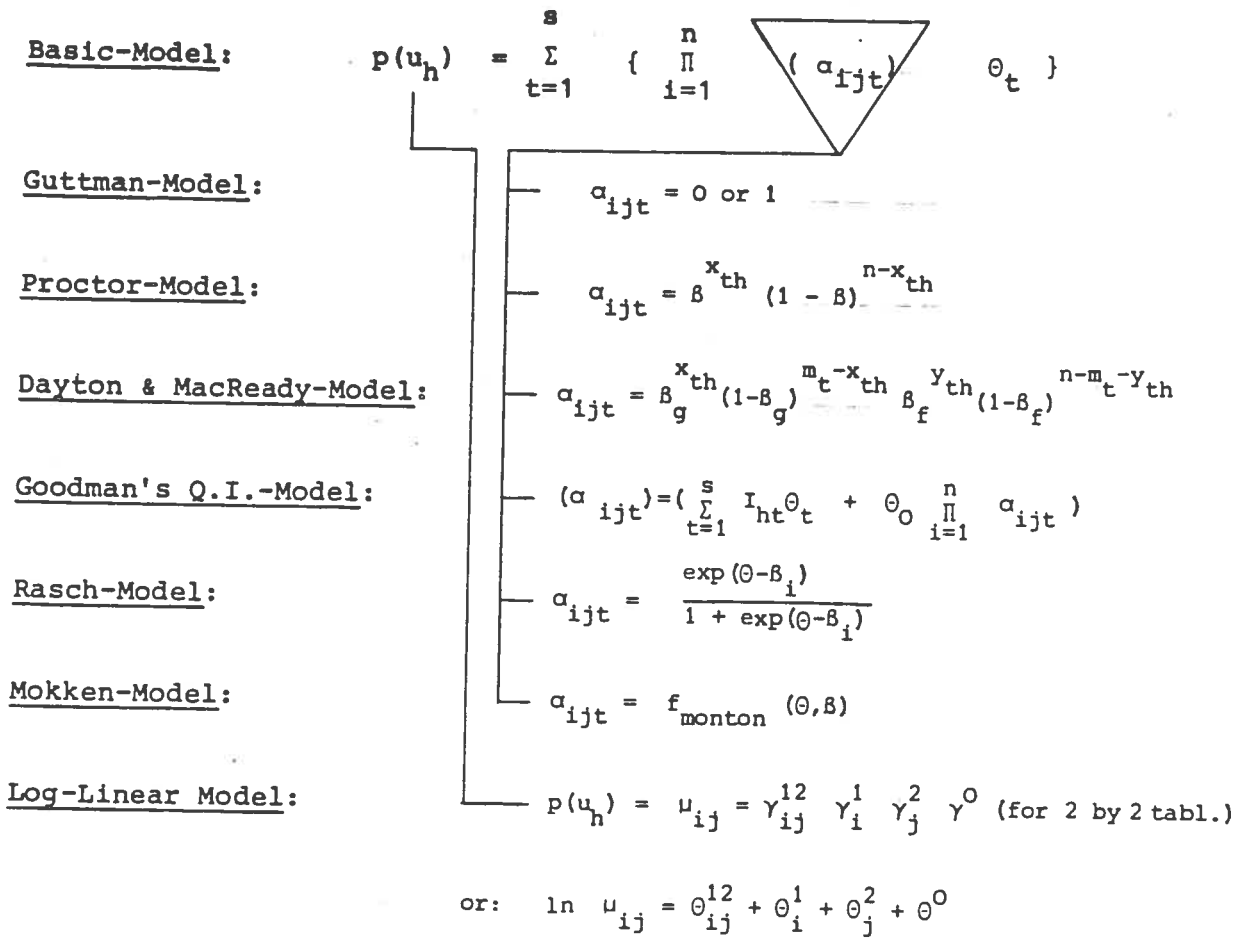
		(..00)	(..10)	(..01)	(..11)
Phases before pregnancy	(00..)	(1)	1	0	(2)
	(01..)	0	0	0	0
	(10..)	(5)	1	1	3
	(11..)	(4)	(10)	2	(15)

Table 8: Models and results of hypothetical structures tested for independence by log-linear models (Option: Quasi-independence model)

Model	Patterns as structural zeros	Chi ²	df	p
1	0000; 1111 Concept-attainment-model)	15.99	9	.07
2	0000; 1000; 1100; 1110; 1111; (Guttman-structure)	6.02	6	.42**
3	as model 2 but including pattern 0011	4.20	5	.52**

**substantial fit

Table 9: Taxonomy and formal integration of several scaling models (also see table 1 for comparison)



- u_h - the observed response pattern
- v_t - the expected (theoretical, "a priori") resp. pattern
- $\alpha_{ijt} = p(u_h/v_t)$ - the recruitment probability
- $i = 1 \dots n$ - the items
- $j = 1 \dots k$ - the response alternatives
- $t = 1 \dots s$ - the latent classes
- β_g - the "guessing" parameter
- β_f - the "forgetting" parameter
- m_t - number of zero codes in v_t
- x_{th} - number of "1" codes in u_h , when expecting "0" in v_t
- y_{th} - number of "0" codes in u_h , when expecting "1" in v_t
- θ - latent variable; subject parameter in RASCH-Model
- β_i - latent itemparameter
- I_{ht} - indication-parameter: 1, if $u_h = v_t$ and 0, if $u_h \neq v_t$

Figure 1 a/b: Examples of a "uniform-" and "biform-scale".

(a)

Item :			
1	2	3	4
(1	1	1	1)
(1	1	1	0)
(1	1	0	0)
(1	0	0	0)
(0	0	0	0)

(b)

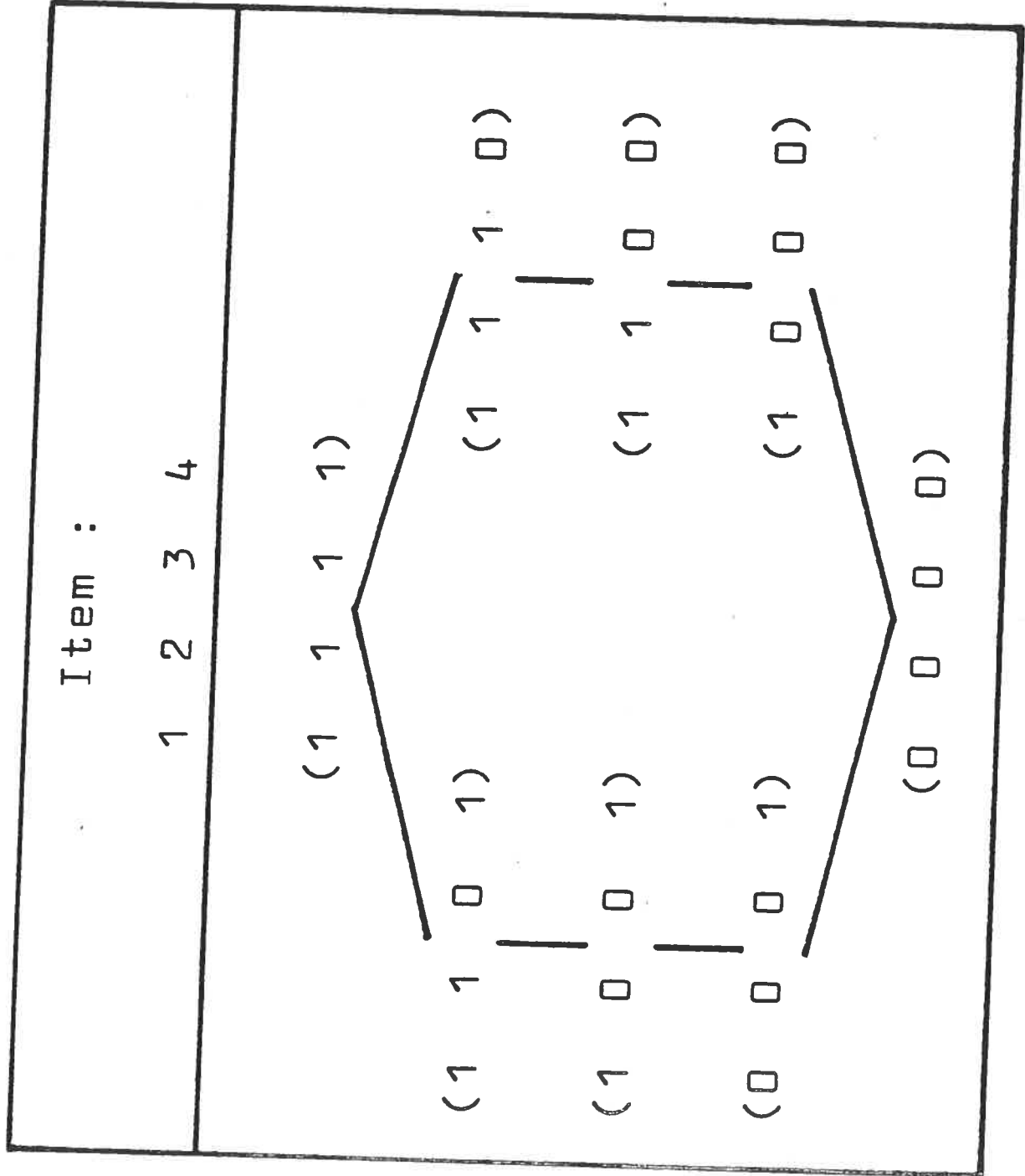
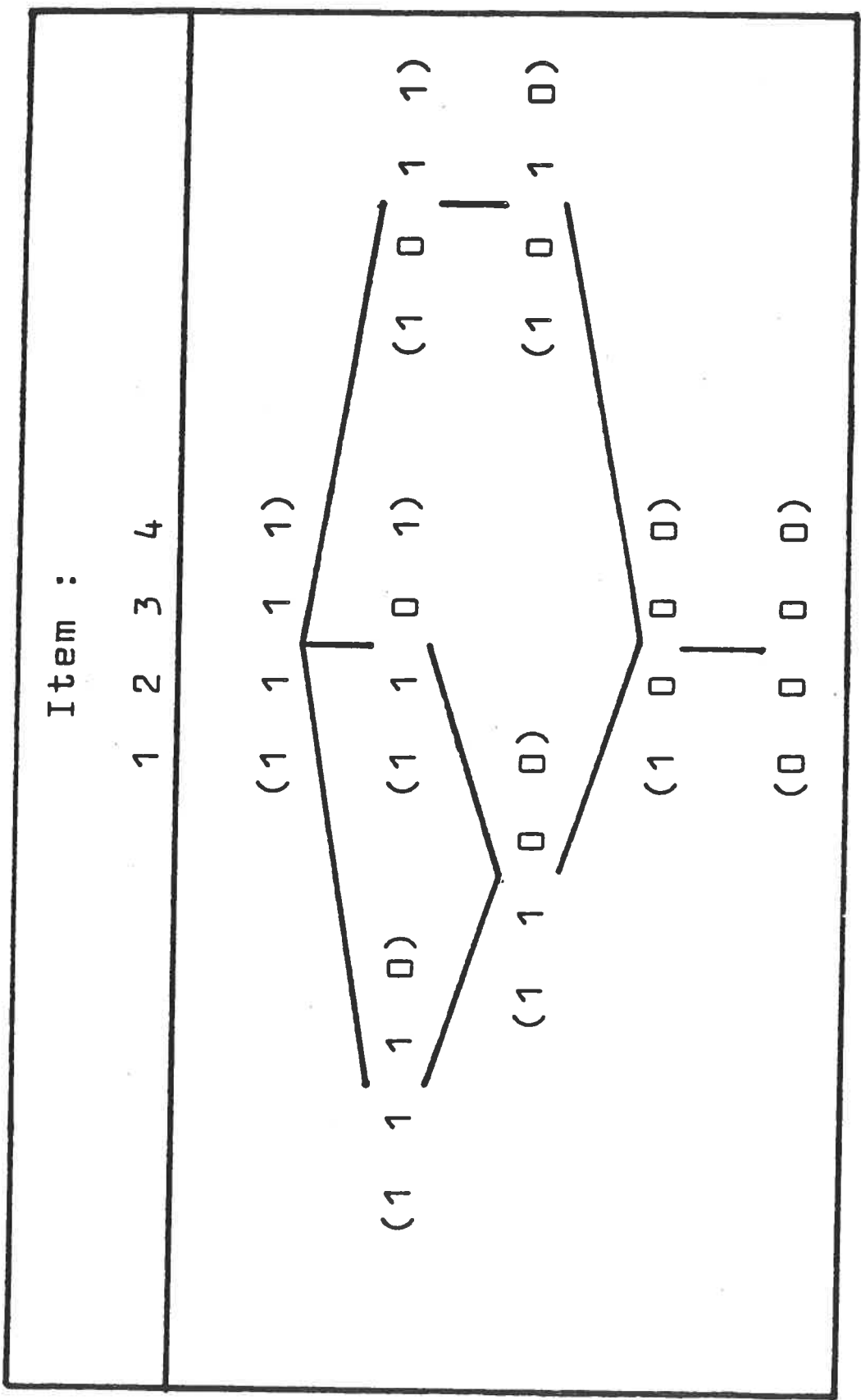


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(c)



(d)

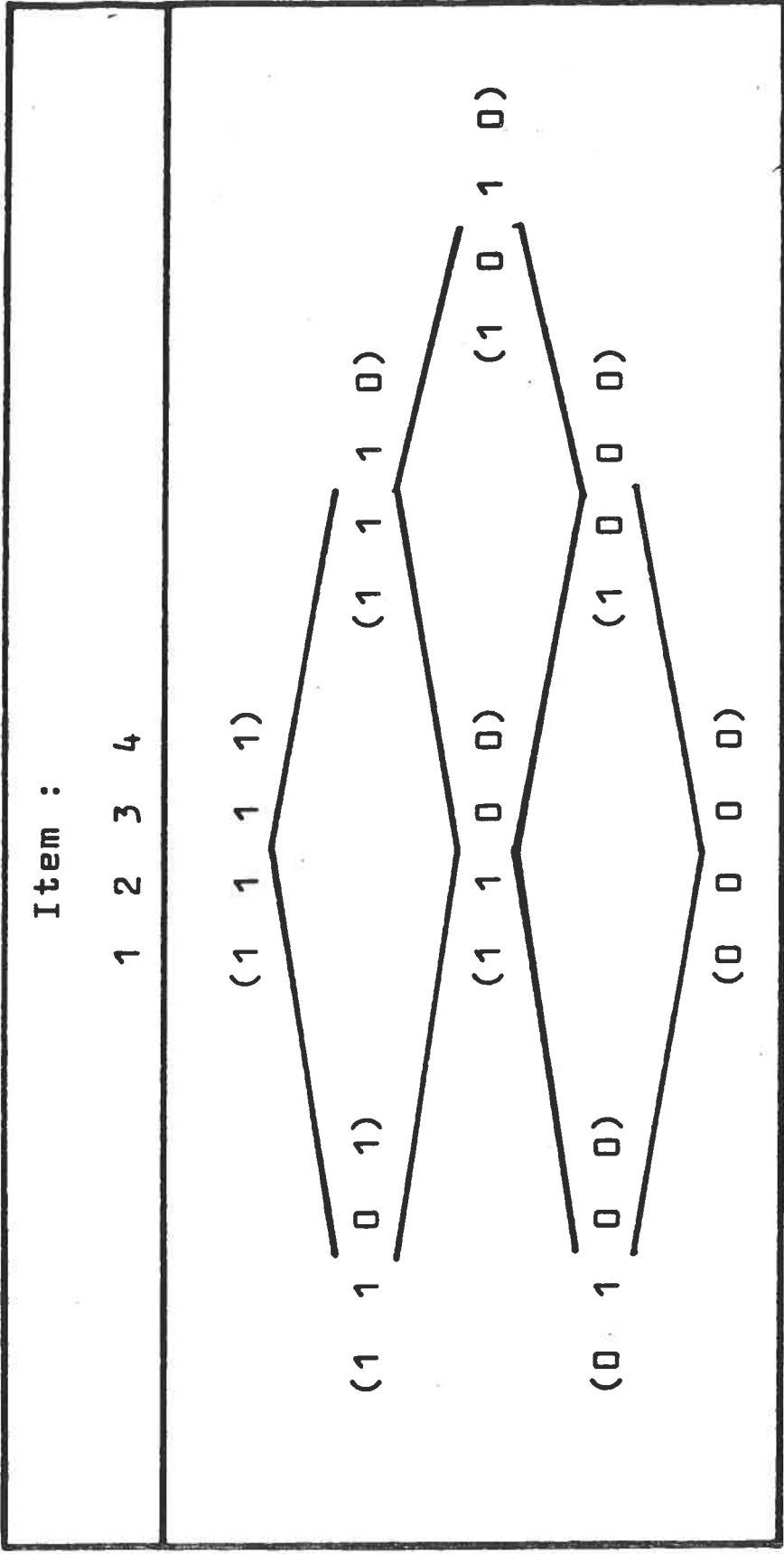


Figure 1e: Example of a symmetric diamond structure (see Shye, 1978, p. 274)

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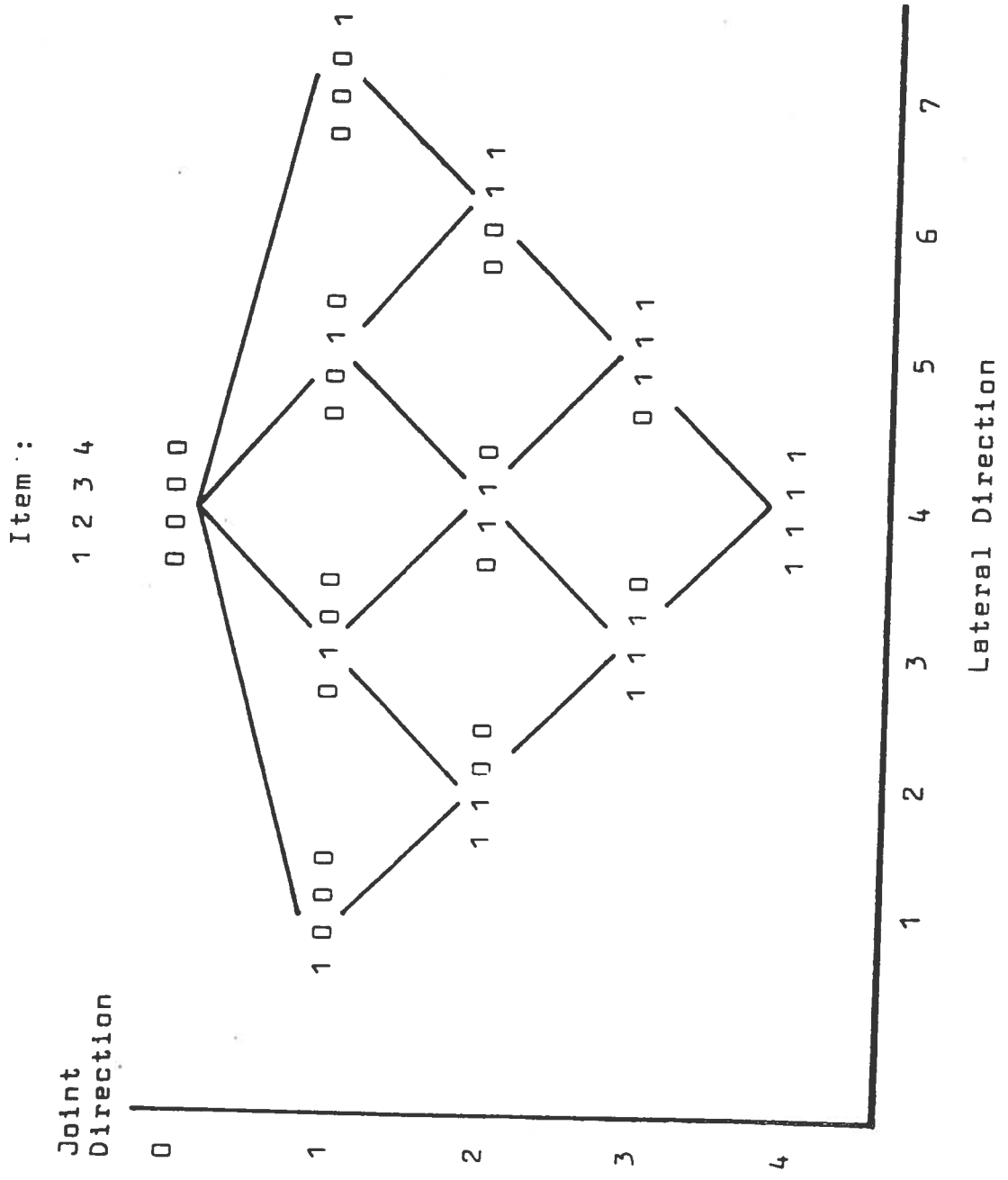


Figure 2: a) Model of a "cognitive-two-way-process"

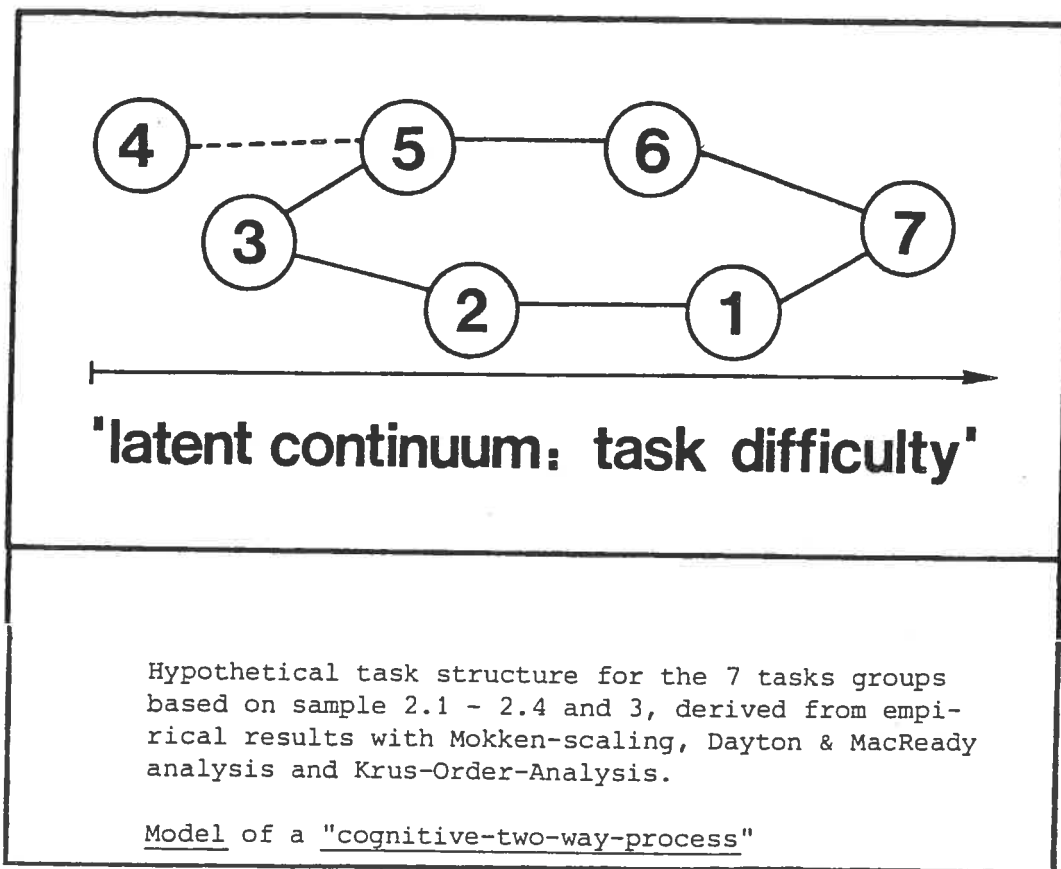


Figure 2: b) Investigated samples for invariance tasks groups

Sample 2.1:	N = 45	children	primary	school	age	5.8 - 7.1
Sample 2.2:	N = 45	"	"	"	age	15 months later
Sample 2.3:	N = 45	"	"	"	age	3rd grade
Sample 2.4:	N = 45	"	"	"	age	4th grade
Sample 3 :	N = 34	children	"Montessori-school"			3rd grade
Sample 4 :	N = 203 (116+87)	children				age 4-7 (Table 3)

Figure 2: c) Analyzed model structures for sample 4 (N = 203)

(2c)


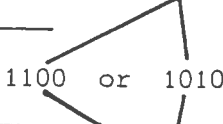
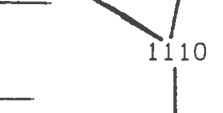

Analyzed models for sample 4 (N = 203)						
	Item:	3	2	1	5	6
Concept- Attainment Model		0	0	0	0	0
		1	1	1	1	1
Guttman-Structure		0	0	0	0	0
		1	0	0	0	0
		1	1	0	0	0
		1	1	1	0	0
		1	1	1	1	0
		1	1	1	1	1
Reduced-Two-Way-Biform-Model		0	0	0	0	0
		1	0	0	0	0
		1	1	0	0	0
		1	1	1	0	0
		1	0	0	1	0
		1	0	0	1	1
		1	1	1	1	1
Diamond-Structure Model		0	0	0	0	0
		1	0	0	0	0
		0	1	0	0	0
		1	1	0	0	0
		0	0	1	0	0
		0	1	1	0	0
		1	1	1	0	0
		0	0	0	1	0
		0	0	1	1	0
		0	1	1	1	0
		1	1	1	1	0
		0	0	0	0	1
		0	0	0	1	1
		0	0	1	1	1
		0	1	1	1	1
		1	1	1	1	1

Figure 2: d) Analyzed model structures for longitudinal sample (N = 45)

(2d)

Analyzed models for longitudinal samples 2.1 to 2.4 (N = 45)	
No. of possible patterns: 64	
No. of observed patterns: 12	
Item: 1 2 3 5 6 7	
Guttman-Structure	<pre> 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 0 0 0 0 0 1 1 0 0 0 1 1 1 0 0 0 1 1 1 1 0 1 1 1 1 1 1 </pre>
Biform-Structure	Biform-Structure with patterns omitting task 3
Item: 1 2 3 5 6 7	Item: 1 2 3 5 6 7
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Figure 3: Design for "aggregated group development"

Dependent variable: True patterns in terms of a hypothetical structure	Independent variable: times of measurement		
	T ₁	T ₂	T ₃
(1) 	33	5	0
(2) 	21	25	14
(3) 	3	10	24
(4) 	0	10	9
(5)	0	4	5
(6) Residual patterns	2	5	6

Total N: 59 59 59

DEL = -0.02 Variance-DEL = 0.00176

N = 176

Z = -0.52 p = 0.698

Rule Unknown = 0.656

Rule Known = 0.670

Figure 4: Design assessing "individual development"

Structure:		Independent Variable Time 1					Total N
		000	100	110	111	Residuals	
Dependent variable Time 2	000	5 I	0 R ₁	0 R ₂	0 R ₃	0	5
	100	18 D ₁	7 I	0 R ₁	0 R ₂	0	25
	110	5 D ₂	10 D ₁	3 I	0 R ₁	2	20
	111	2 D ₃	2 D ₂	0 D ₁	0 I	0	4
	Residuals	3	2	0	0	0	5
Total N		33	21	3	0	2	59

DEL = 0.31

Variance-DEL = 0.0154

I: Identity

N = 59

R_i: stage of regression

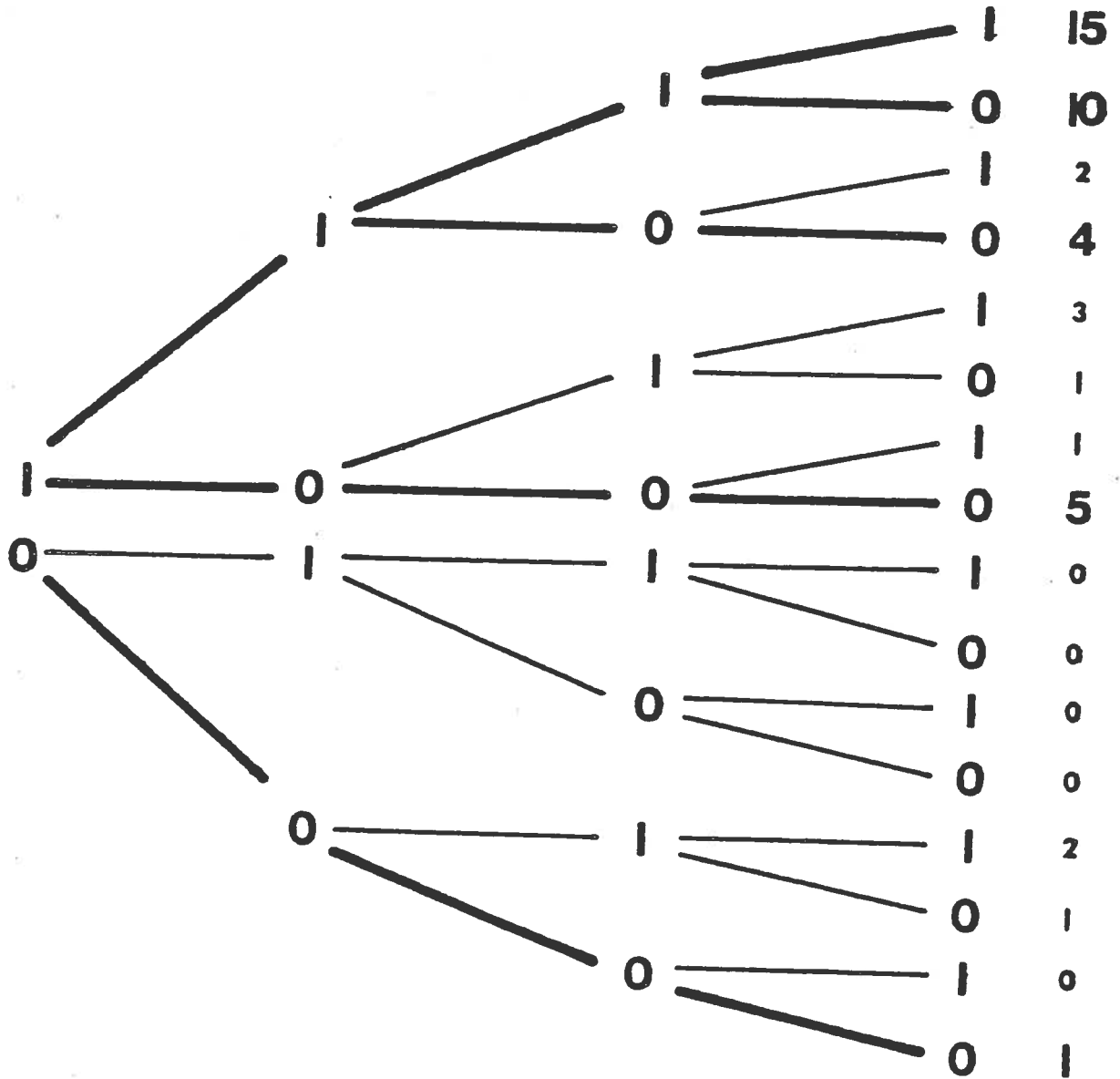
Z = 2.49 p = .006

D_i: stage of development

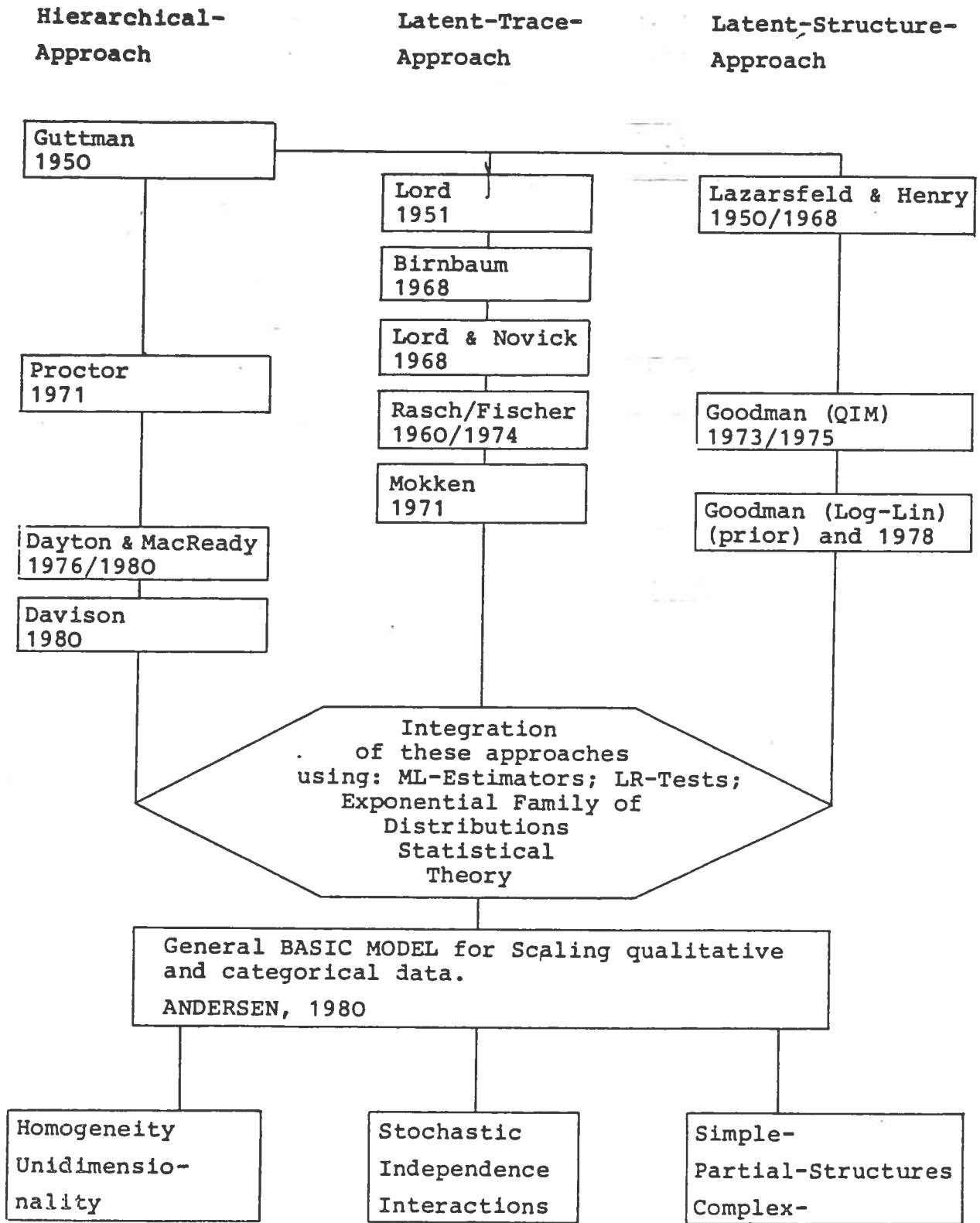
Rule Unknown = 0.172

Rule Known = 0.119

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Figur 8: Sources and traditions of scaling and latent structure models



Fields of methodological applications