

Complete bibliography of the publications of Egon Brunswik

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His doctoral "fathers" ("Doktorvater" is a typical German expression) were the famous Vienna professors Karl Bühler and Moritz Schlick.

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The position of psychology within the exact sciences

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Abstract: Twelve variations of a graphic, crudely schematized human figure, about half of them involving changes of facial appearance besides those of stature were presented to 58 students using the method of paired comparison. Among the six apparent characteristics tested, greatest agreement among the subjects was found for "good-lookingness," followed in declining order by "age," "energy", "likeability", "happiness", "intelligence." In approximately the same order there is an increase in the relative influence of the face, although even for the last two of these qualities, apparent happiness and apparent intelligence, significant differences can be found for pairs differing only in stature and not in facial proportion. Besides the general tendency to perceive as more intelligent the standard medium figure, men seem to rate athletic more intelligent than leptosomatic figures with little emphasis on height, women are more intelligent than short figures with little emphasis on breadth. For such qualities as happy, good-looking, and energetic, however, women seem to be favorably impressed also by breadth. An example of the tendency toward ambivalent effects is shown by the addition of spectacles to the standard face which increases apparent intelligence and decreases good-lookingness of the figure. (15 min. slides)

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Abstract: A subject was asked to give intuitive as well as critical estimates -- each in different attitudes -- of the extension of an object most conspicuous to him at the moment. The conditions included indoor and outdoor situations representative of the activities pursued during a normal day. The material comprises a total of 180 of such situations. Objective measurements of the objects as well as of their distances from the eye were also obtained, showing approximately normal distributions. Almost perfect correlations between measured and estimated sizes were found, indicating the presence of perceptual size-constancy in an unbiased sample of "natural" test situations.

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Abstract: A sample of 93 frontal objects of various sizes and distances representative of perceptual situations in everyday life was secured by obtaining from a subject, at irregular intervals during normal activities, reports of the incidental perceptual contents. Immediate perceptual estimates (as well as critical ones) of object-size (distal stimulus), visual angle (proximal, "retinal," stimulus), and of distance were given by both subject and experimenter. The latter also secured the corresponding objective measures. The sizes range from a few mm. to more than 100 m. and show a normal distribution when plotted logarithmically, and the distances range from 25 cm, to about 1500 m.

Perceptual estimates show, on the whole, much better agreement with the corresponding stimulus variable when this variable is distant object-size (indicating good perceptual size-constancy), or when it is distance, than when it is proximal size (supporting evidence against the "constancy-hypothesis"). Various correlations computed between the estimates and the environmental variables after elimination of the environmental correlation between object-size and retinal size are between .95 and 1.00 in the case of object-size and of distance, and between 0 and .7 when retinal size is involved, with good agreement between the coefficients representing the perceptual achievements of the two observers. Averages of errors follow a similar pattern.

The generality of further findings of laboratory experimentation, such as the comparative overestimation of near objects (perceptual compromise between distal and proximal size), and the improvement of estimates by shifting from the purely perceptual to the critically controlled attitudes was also demonstrated by our random sample of size estimates. There also is some indication of the relative independence of the distance functionally "taken into consideration" in the establishment of size-constancy, and the explicit

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