

IQ tests



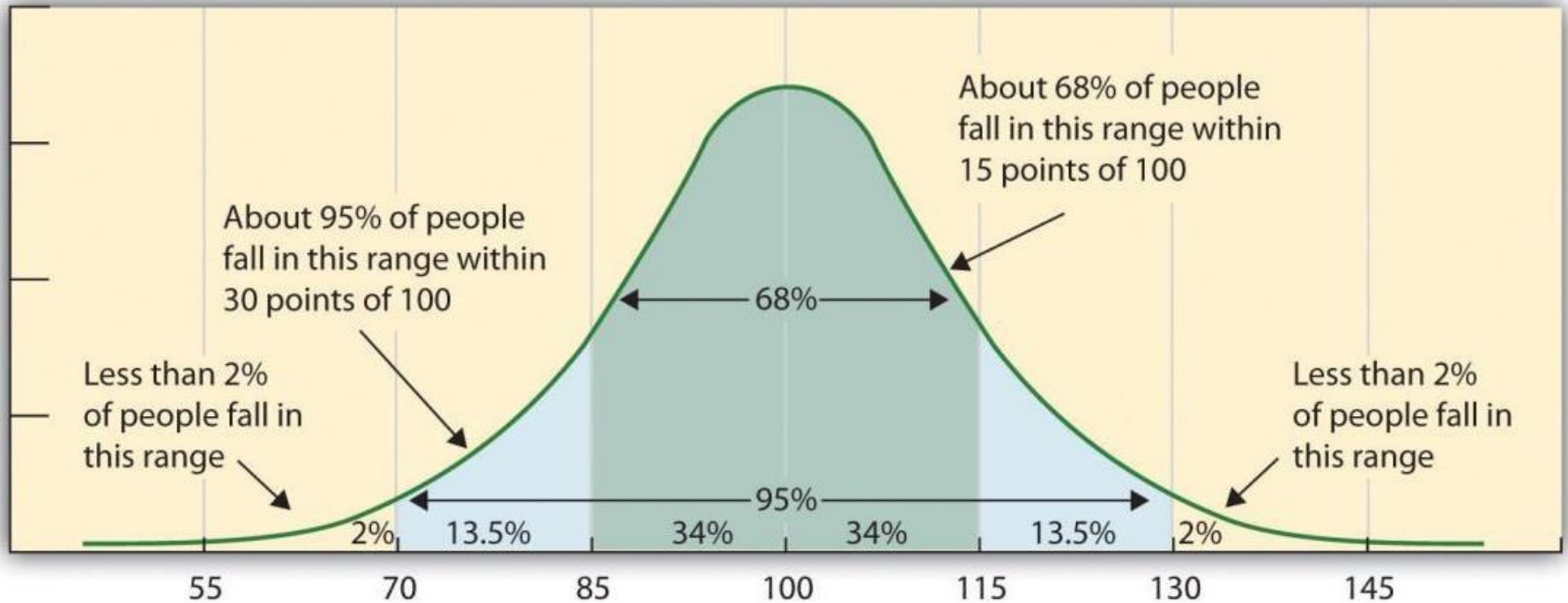
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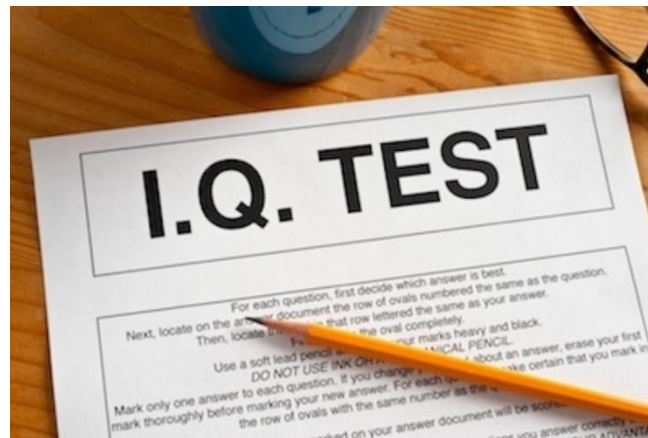
70-130: « normal » IQ

>130: high IQ

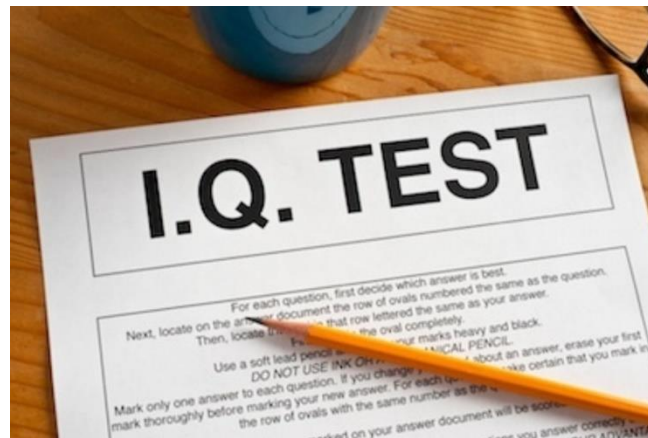
<70: intellectual deficiency

Intellectual disability

Severity Category	Approximate Percent Distribution of Cases by Severity	DSM-IV Criteria (severity levels were based only on IQ categories)	DSM-5 Criteria (severity classified on the basis of daily skills)	AAIDD Criteria (severity classified on the basis of intensity of support needed)
Mild	85%	Approximate IQ range <u>50–69</u>	<u>Can live independently</u> with minimum levels of support.	Intermittent support needed during transitions or periods of uncertainty.
Moderate	10%	Approximate IQ range <u>36–49</u>	Independent living may be achieved <u>with moderate levels of support</u> , such as those available in group homes.	Limited support needed in daily situations.
Severe	3.5%	Approximate IQ range <u>20–35</u>	Requires <u>daily assistance</u> with self-care activities and safety supervision.	Extensive support needed for daily activities.
Profound	1.5%	<u>IQ <20</u>	Requires <u>24-hour care</u> .	Pervasive support needed for every aspect of daily routines.



- **WPPSI (2y6m – 7y3m):**
Wechsler Preschool and Primary Scale of Intelligence
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> 2016: WISC-V
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WISC-V: 5 index scores

- Verbal comprehension index (VCI)
 - Visual spatial index (VSI)
 - Fluid reasoning index (FRI)
 - Working memory index (WMI)
 - Processing speed index (PSI)
- Perceptual reasoning index (PRI) in WISC-IV



Full Scale

Verbal Comprehension

Similarities
Vocabulary
Information
Comprehension

Visual Spatial

Block Design
Visual Puzzles

Fluid Reasoning

Matrix Reasoning
Figure Weights
Picture Concepts
Arithmetic

Working Memory

Digit Span
Picture Span
Letter-Number
Sequencing

Processing Speed

Coding
Symbol Search
Cancellation

Primary Index Scales

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Ancillary Index Scales

Quantitative Reasoning

Figure Weights
Arithmetic

Auditory Working Memory

Digit Span
Letter-Number
Sequencing

Nonverbal

Block Design
Visual Puzzles
Matrix Reasoning
Figure Weights
Picture Span
Coding

General Ability

Similarities
Vocabulary
Block Design
Matrix Reasoning
Figure Weights

Cognitive Proficiency

Digit Span
Picture Span
Coding
Symbol Search

Complementary Index Scales

Naming Speed

Naming Speed Literacy
Naming Speed Quantity

Symbol Translation

Immediate Symbol Translation
Delayed Symbol Translation
Recognition Symbol Translation

Storage and Retrieval

Naming Speed Index
Symbol Translation Index



Figure 1.1 Test Framework for the WISC-V

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- 7 obligatory subtests (60-70')
- 9 facultative subtests

Verbal Comprehension Index (VCI)

- This score measures the child's ability to **verbalize** meaningful concepts, to understand **verbal information**, and **express himself using words**.
- ✓ **Vocabulary** : give definition of words
ex: give the definition of « shirk/se dérober/ontlopen »
- ✓ **Similarities**: find the link between two words
ex: find the link between « socks/chaussettes/soken » and « skirt/jupe/rok »
- ✓ **Information** (« general culture », ex: what is a thermometer?)
- ✓ **Comprehension** (ex: why a child may not drive a car?)

Verbal Comprehension Index (VCI)

Word
knowledge
acquisition

Information
retrieval

Ability to
reason and
solve verbal
problems

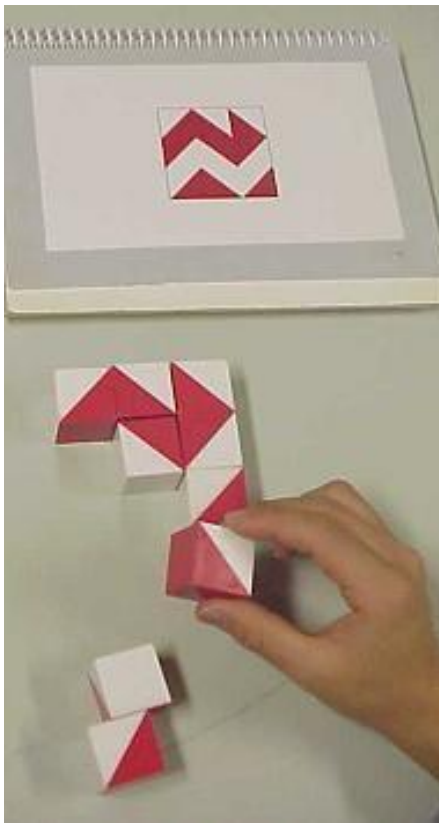
Communication
of knowledge

« cristallized intelligence »
(based on knowledge/education)

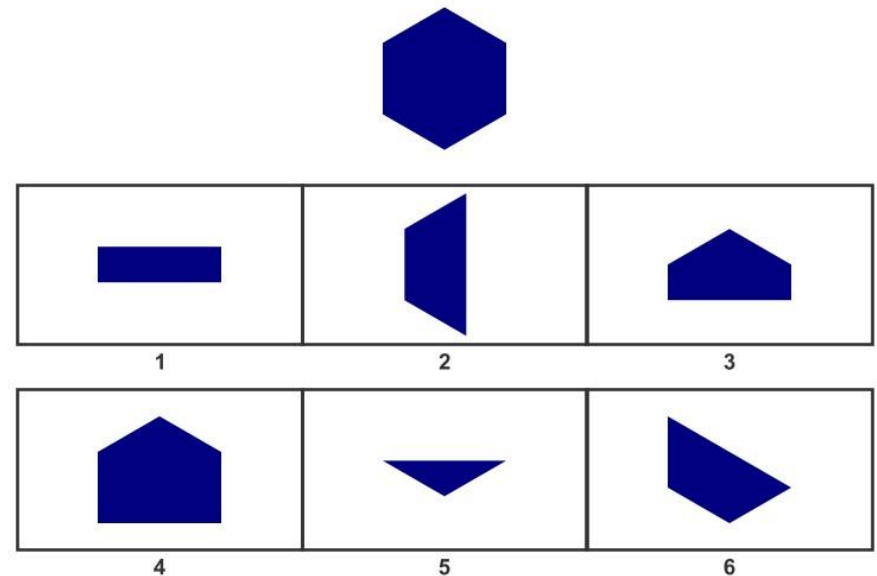
Visual Spatial Index (VSI)

- This score measures the child's ability to evaluate **visual** details and to understand **visuospatial** relationships to construct geometric designs from a model.

✓ **Block design:**
reproduce an image with blocks



✓ Visual puzzles:
Choose the pieces to form the image



Visual spatial Index (VSI)

Visual spatial reasoning

Integration and synthesis of part-whole relationships

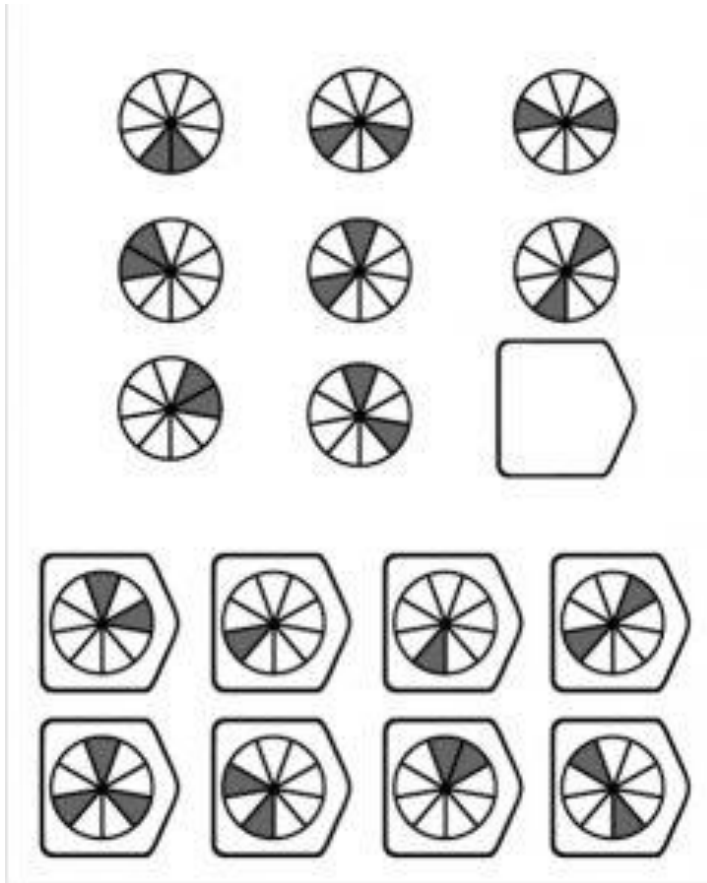
Attentiveness to visual detail

Visuo-motor integration

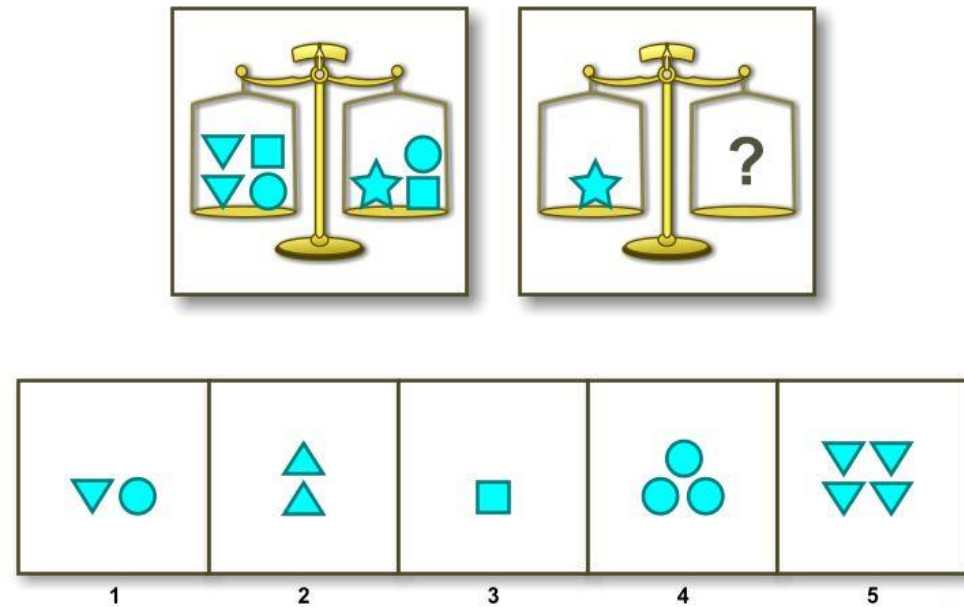
Fluid Reasoning Index (FRI)

- This score measures a child's ability to detect the underlying conceptual relationship among visual objects and use reasoning to identify and apply rules.

✓ **Matrix reasoning** :
find the next image

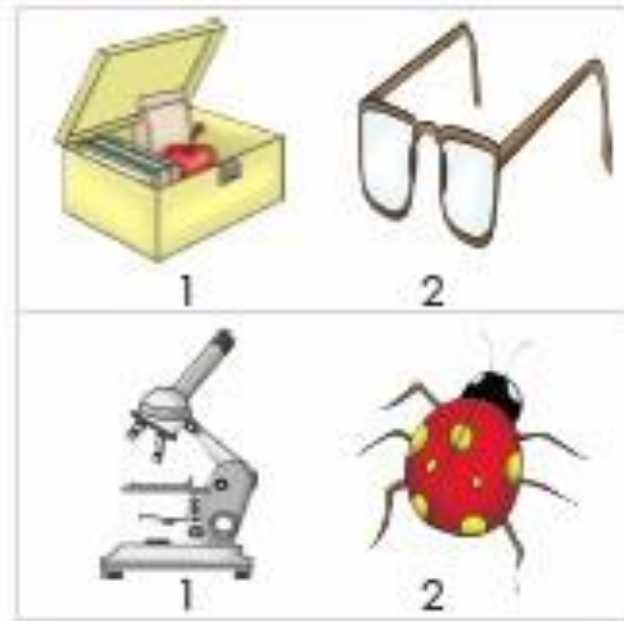


✓ **Figure weights**:
equilibrate the balance



Fluid Reasoning Index (FRI)

- ✓ Picture concepts: point a single picture in each row, pictures must share common characteristics



- ✓ Arithmetic: oral mathematical problems

"the grocer sells 3 boxes of apples in the morning, 12 boxes in the afternoon, and a customer buys him a box just before closing. How many cases did he sell today?"

Fluid Reasoning Index (FRI)

Inductive
and
quantitative
reasoning

Broad visual
intelligence

Simultaneous
processing

Abstract
thinking

« fluid intelligence »
(not based on knowledge, non-verbal)

Working Memory Index (WMI)

- This score measures a child's ability to register, maintain, and manipulate visual and auditory information in conscious awareness.
 - ✓ **Digit span**: memorise 5 digits (given orally, 1 digit per second) and reproduce them
 - In the forward order
 - In the backward order
 - In the sequential order
 - ✓ **Picture span**: *point to the pictures in the order I showed you*



- ✓ **Letter-number sequencing**: *sequences of numbers and letters*

Working Memory Index (WMI)

Attention

Concentration

Mental control

Visual and
auditory
memory

Processing Speed Index (PSI)

➤ This score measures the child's speed and accuracy of visual identification, decision-making, and decision implementation.

✓ Coding:

reproduce coding signs in a limited timing

1	2	3	4	5
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5	4	4	3	4	2	2	2	5	5	5	3	1	5	5
1	1	2	1	5	4	4	4	2	1	3	5	5	1	5
4	3	1	3	1	3	4	3	1	3	2	5	4	3	4

✓ Symbol search

Processing Speed Index (PSI)

Short-term
visual
memory

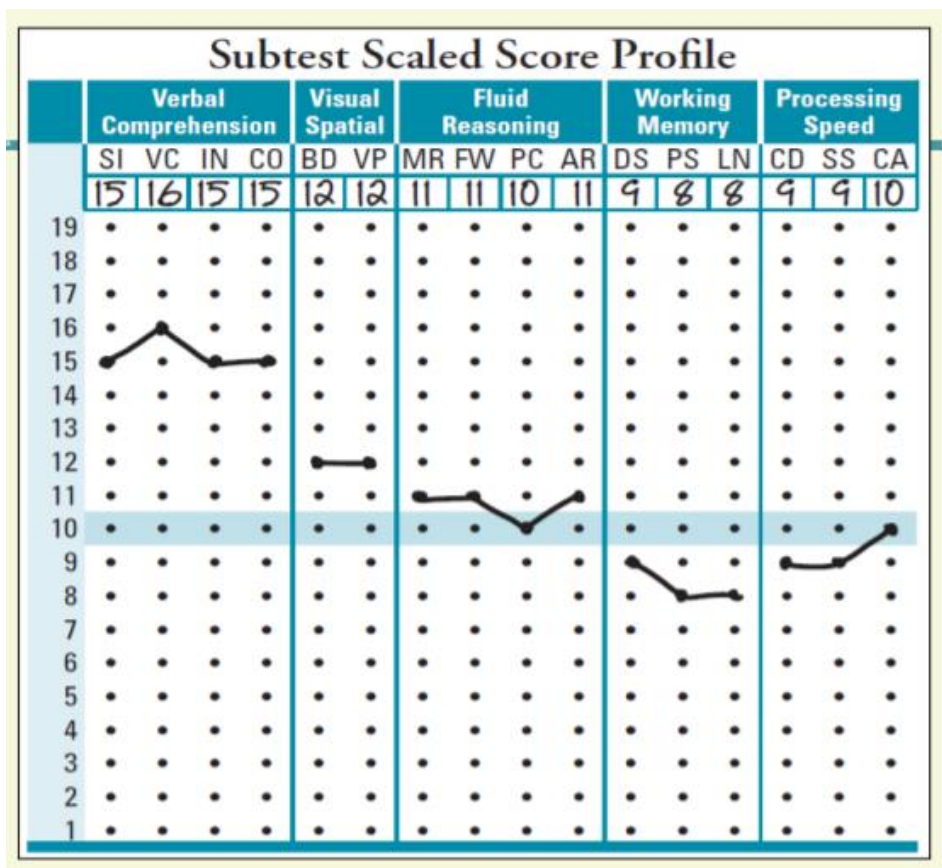
Visuo-motor
coordination

Visual
discrimination

Visual
scanning

WISC-V: scores calculation

- Subtests: cotation 1-19



1-6: deficit

7: low

8-12: normal range

13: high

14-19: very high

- 5 primary index score calculation

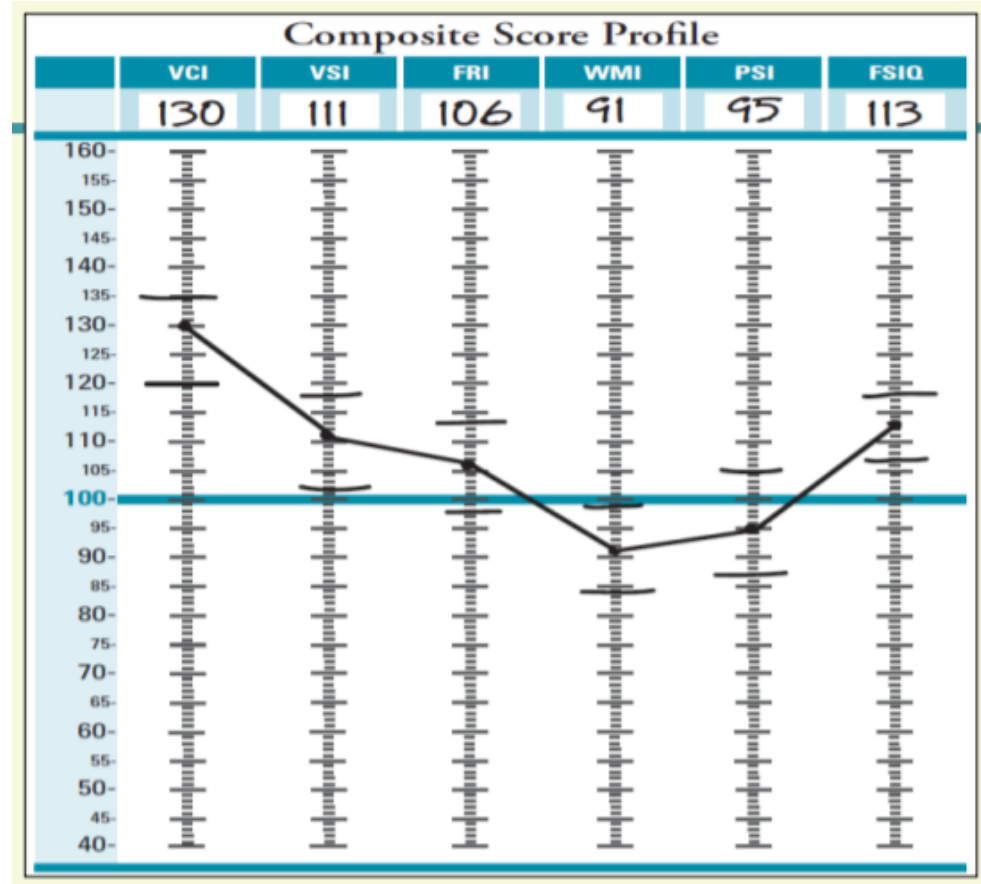
Reference tables with « 100 » being the average score for age-matching children

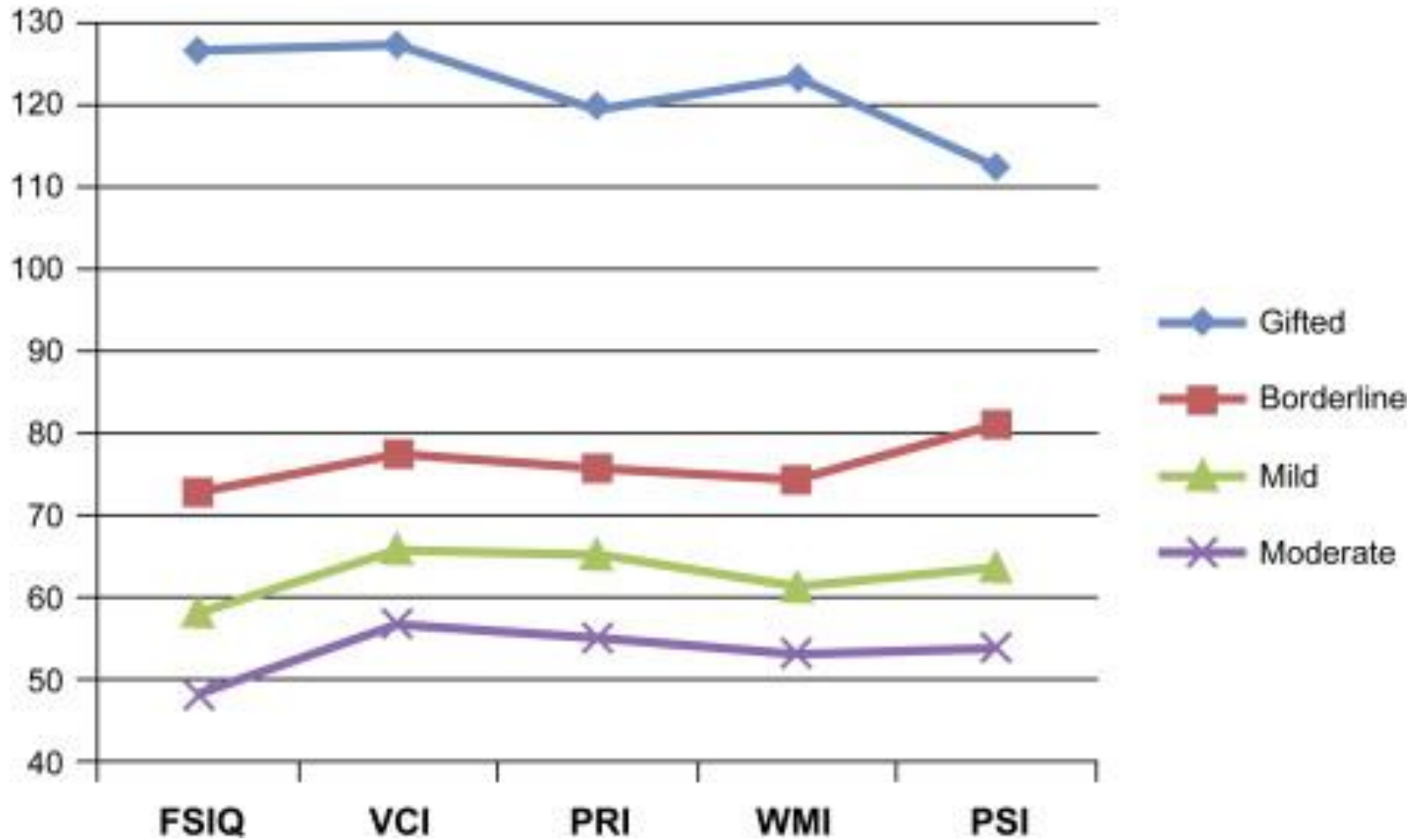
WISC-V: scores calculation

➤ FSIQ (Full Scale IQ): Composite score profile

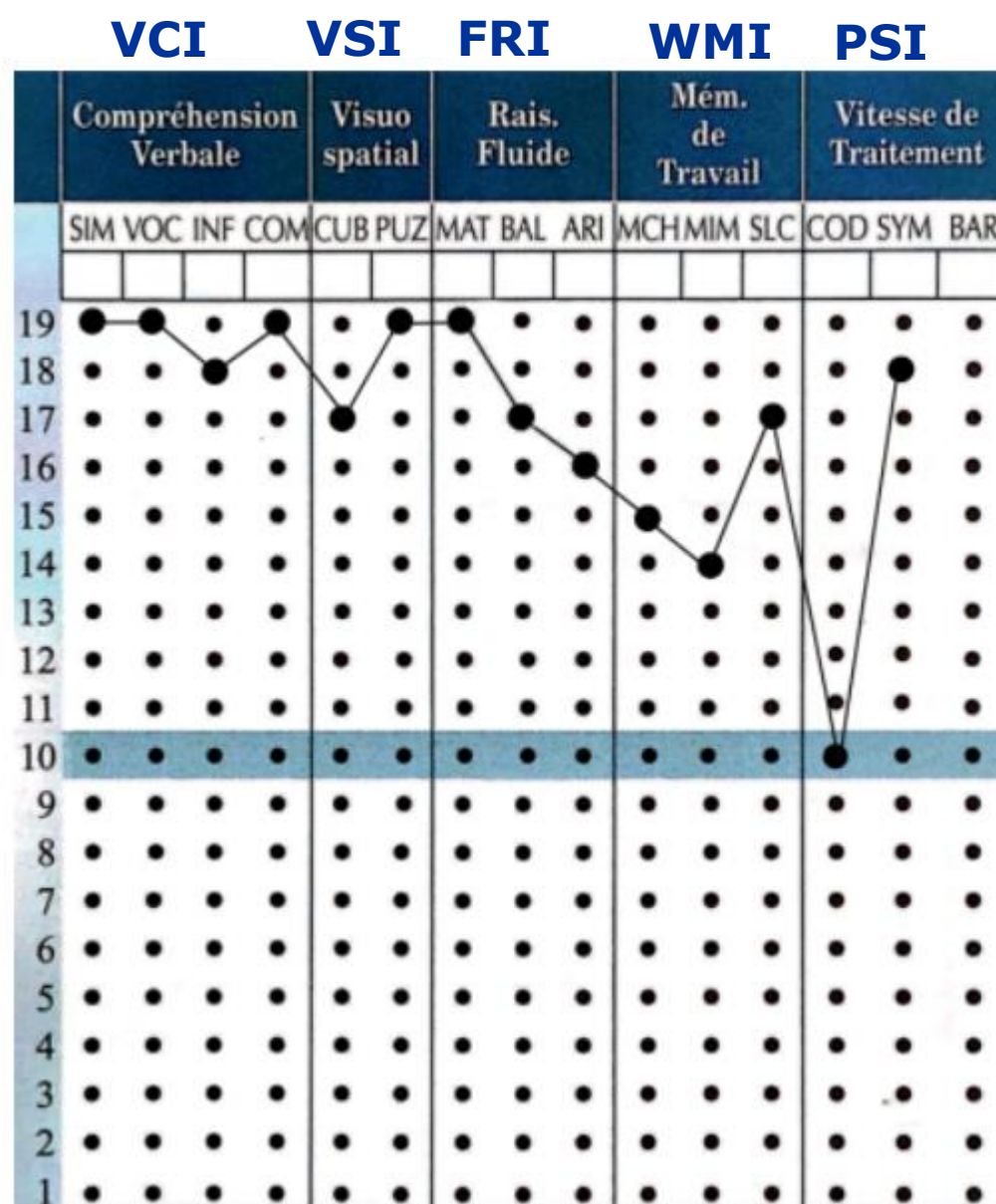
Important remarks:

1. Total IQ \neq addition/average of the 5 index scores (VCI, FRI > VSI, WMI, PSI)
2. Total IQ not valid if heterogeneous profile (> 15 points between 2 index scores)

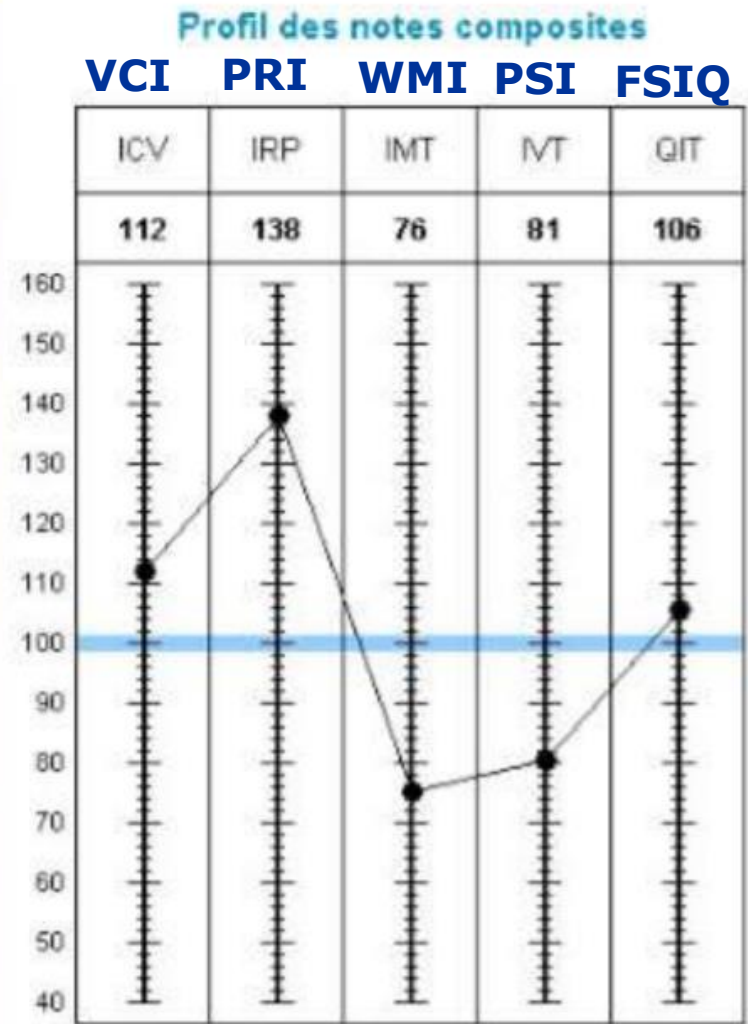
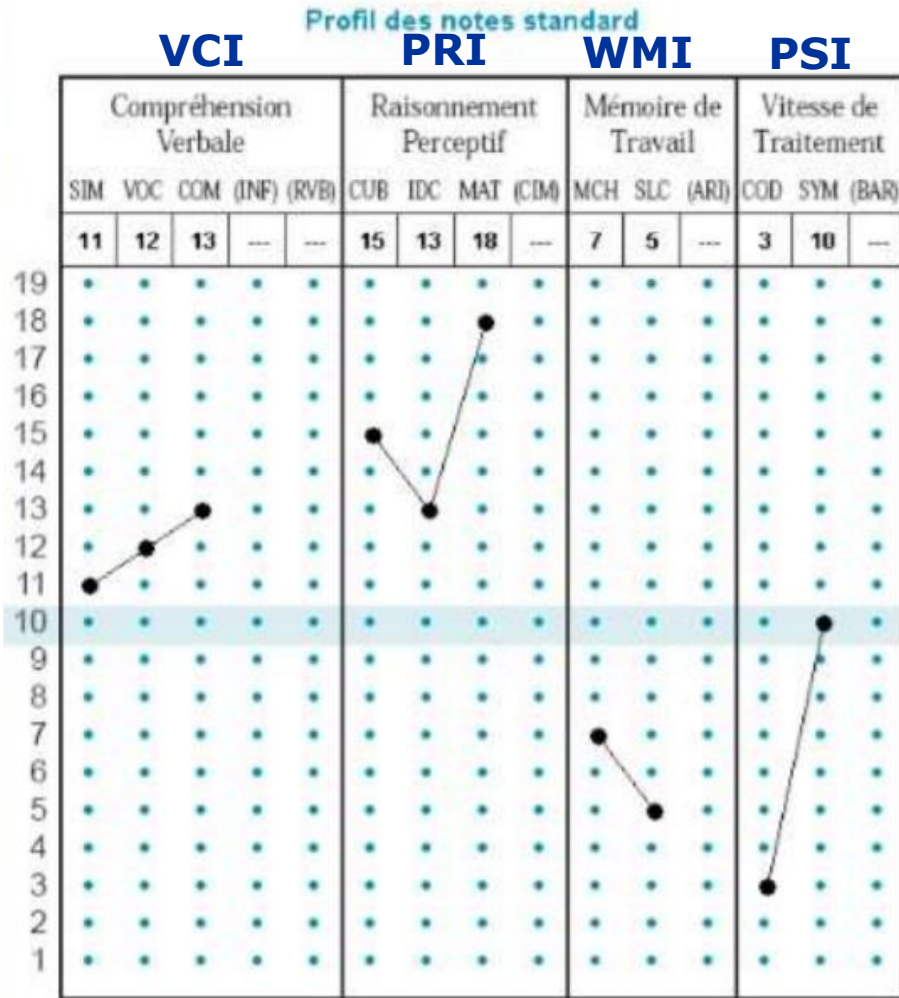




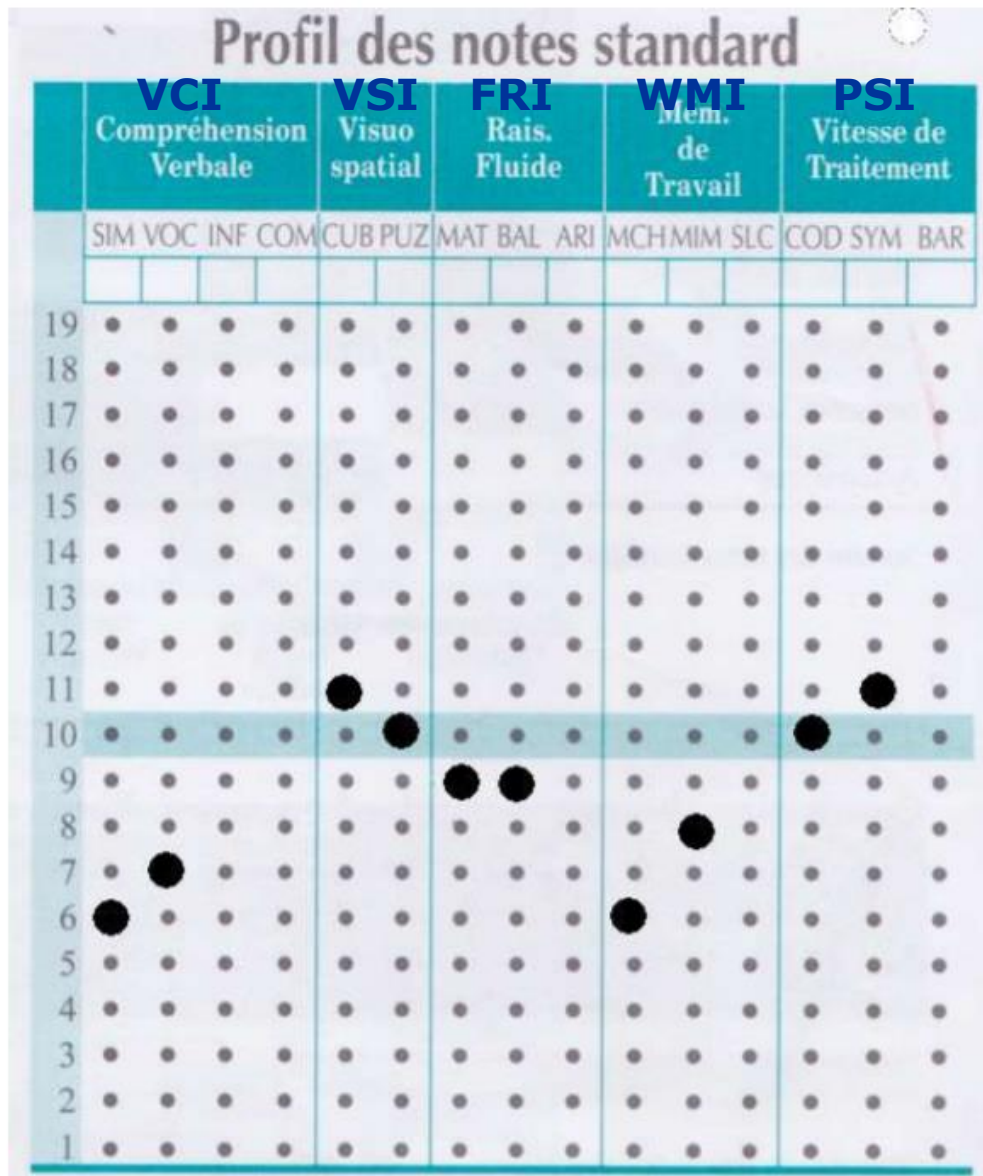
Intellectual deficiency profile



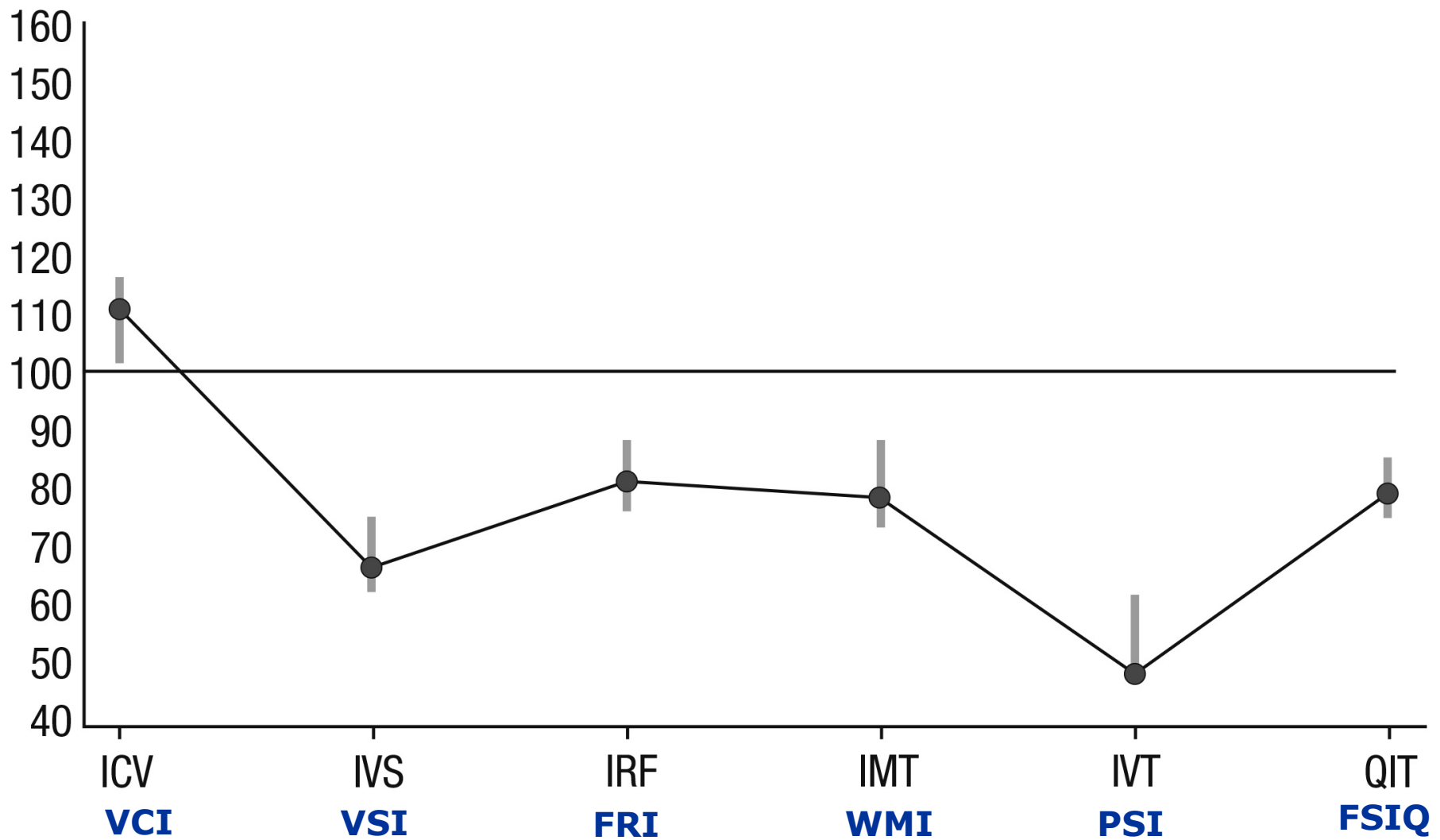
High intellectual potential profile



ADHD (attention-deficit hyperactivity disorder)



Langage disorder (dysphasia, dyslexia)



Visuo-spatial dyspraxia

➤ WNV (4y – 21y11m)

Wechsler Nonverbal scale of ability

Non verbal scale used in case of autism spectrum disorders, traumatic brain injury, speech impairment, hearing problems, non-native speaking patients,...

Two-subtest battery (10-20 minutes)

Ages 4-7

Matrices

Recognition

Ages 8-21

Matrices

Spatial span

Four-subtest battery (30-45 minutes)

Ages 4-7

Matrices

Coding

Object assembly

Recognition

Ages 8-21

Matrices

Coding

Spatial span

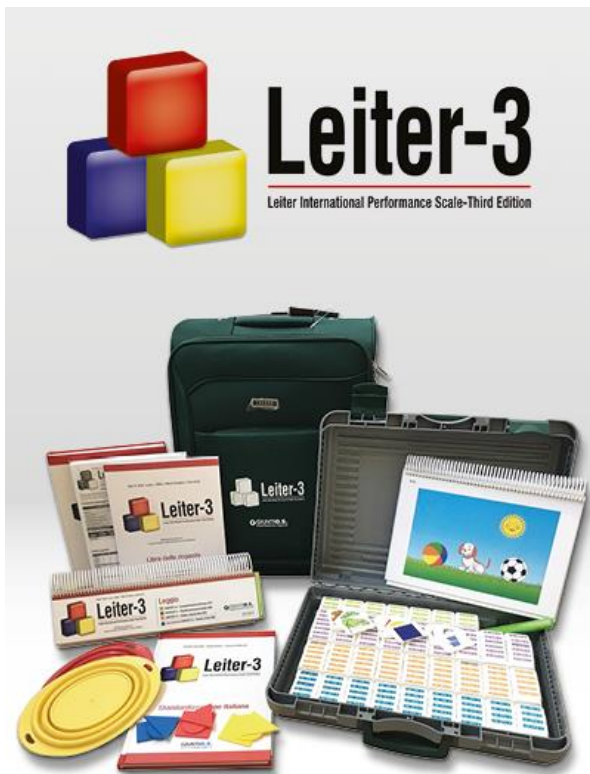
Picture arrangement



➤ **Leiter test (2y – 18y, also > 18y):**
Leiter International Performance Scale

Non verbal scale, only performance scale based on memory and nonverbal reasoning.

Used in case of autism spectrum disorders, traumatic brain injury, speech impairment, hearing problems, non native speaking patients, ...



4 domains

- *fluid intelligence*
- *visualization*
- *memory*
- *attention*

Thank you for your attention!

