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Equation Models

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Examples

Table 16.1: Observed Correlations for the Ability and Aspiration Example

```
CORR <- matrix(c(1.00,0.00,0.00,0.00,0.00,0.00,
                 0.73,1.00,0.00,0.00,0.00,0.00,
                 0.70,0.68,1.00,0.00,0.00,0.00,
                 0.58,0.61,0.57,1.00,0.00,0.00,
                 0.46,0.43,0.40,0.37,1.00,0.00,
                 0.56,0.52,0.48,0.41,0.72,1.00),
               ncol = 6, byrow = TRUE)
varNames <- c("SCA", "PPE", "PTE", "PFE", "EA", "CP")
dimnames(CORR) <- list(varNames, varNames)
CORR
```

```
##      SCA  PPE  PTE  PFE  EA  CP
## SCA 1.00 0.00 0.00 0.00 0.00 0
## PPE 0.73 1.00 0.00 0.00 0.00 0
## PTE 0.70 0.68 1.00 0.00 0.00 0
## PFE 0.58 0.61 0.57 1.00 0.00 0
## EA  0.46 0.43 0.40 0.37 1.00 0
## CP  0.56 0.52 0.48 0.41 0.72 1
```

Figure 16.1

```
#install.packages("sem")
#install.packages("semPlot")
library(sem)
library(semPlot)

AAModel <- specifyModel(text = "
  Ability    -> SCA,          lambda[1], NA
  Ability    -> PPE,          lambda[2], NA
  Ability    -> PTE,          lambda[3], NA
  Ability    -> PFE,          lambda[4], NA
  Aspiration -> EA,           lambda[5], NA
  Aspiration -> CP,           lambda[6], NA
  Ability    <-> Aspiration, rho,      NA
  SCA        <-> SCA,          u[1],    NA
  PPE        <-> PPE,          u[2],    NA
  PTE        <-> PTE,          u[3],    NA
  PFE        <-> PFE,          u[4],    NA
  EA         <-> EA,           u[5],    NA
  CP         <-> CP,           u[6],    NA
  Ability    <-> Ability,      NA,      1
  Aspiration <-> Aspiration, NA,      1
")

## NOTE: it is generally simpler to use specifyEquations() or cfa()
##       see ?specifyEquations

options(fit.indices = c("CFI", "NNFI", "RMSEA", "SRMR")) # (NNFI = TLI)

AAsem <- sem(AAModel, CORR, N = 556)

semPaths(AAsem, # filetype = "pdf", filename = "AAModel-KV",
  what = "path", whatLabels = "name", style = "lisrel", layout = "tree2",
  intercepts = FALSE, residuals = TRUE, thresholds = FALSE, reorder = FALSE,
  rotation = 1, nCharNodes = 0, nCharEdges = 0,
  sizeMan = 8, sizeLat = 20, sizeMan2 = 6, sizeLat2 = 10,
  manifests = varNames, latents = c("Ability", "Aspiration"),
  residScale = 12, as.expression = c("edges", "nodes"), centerLevels = FALSE,
  edge.label.cex = 1.2, esize = 2.5, label.scale = TRUE, curvePivot = TRUE,
  curvePivotShape = 0.67, edge.label.position = 0.67, width = 6, height = 2.5)
```

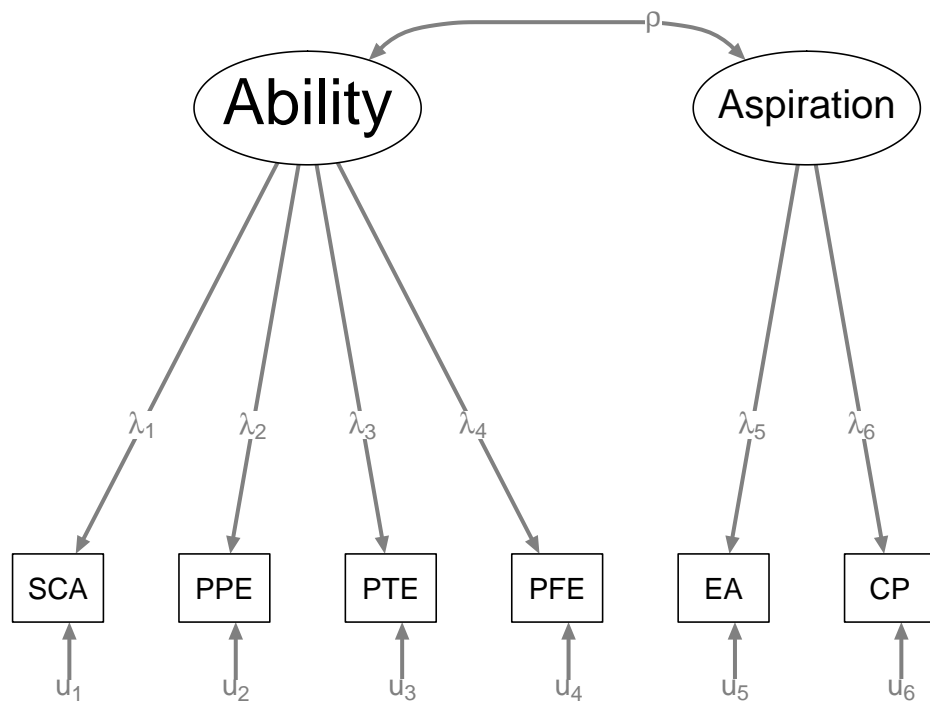


Table 16.2

```
summary(AAsem)
```

```
##
## Model Chisquare = 9.255732 Df = 8 Pr(>Chisq) = 0.3211842
## RMSEA index = 0.01681733 90% CI: (NA, 0.05432054)
## Tucker-Lewis NNFI = 0.9987042
## Bentler CFI = 0.9993089
## SRMR = 0.01201145
##
## Normalized Residuals
##      Min.      1st Qu.      Median      Mean      3rd Qu.      Max.
## -0.4409685 -0.1870306 -0.0000018 -0.0130992  0.2107128  0.5333068
##
## R-square for Endogenous Variables
##      SCA      PPE      PTE      PFE      EA      CP
## 0.7451 0.7213 0.6482 0.4834 0.6008 0.8629
##
## Parameter Estimates
##      Estimate Std Error z value Pr(>|z|)
## lambda[1] 0.8632049 0.03514508 24.561188 3.284552e-133
## lambda[2] 0.8493226 0.03545022 23.958178 7.593661e-127
## lambda[3] 0.8050861 0.03640470 22.114892 2.272503e-108
## lambda[4] 0.6952671 0.03863370 17.996387 2.079489e-72
## lambda[5] 0.7750850 0.04035675 19.205834 3.307658e-82
## lambda[6] 0.9289304 0.03940959 23.571177 7.615270e-123
## rho      0.6663697 0.03095414 21.527645 8.578257e-103
## u[1]      0.2548772 0.02336722 10.907470 1.061704e-27
## u[2]      0.2786512 0.02412754 11.549097 7.460043e-31
## u[3]      0.3518366 0.02691875 13.070321 4.865973e-39
## u[4]      0.5166036 0.03472534 14.876847 4.659431e-50
## u[5]      0.3992432 0.03819583 10.452535 1.426604e-25
## u[6]      0.1370884 0.04350459 3.151126 1.626425e-03
##
## lambda[1] SCA <--- Ability
## lambda[2] PPE <--- Ability
## lambda[3] PTE <--- Ability
## lambda[4] PFE <--- Ability
## lambda[5] EA <--- Aspiration
## lambda[6] CP <--- Aspiration
## rho      Aspiration <--> Ability
## u[1]      SCA <--> SCA
## u[2]      PPE <--> PPE
## u[3]      PTE <--> PTE
## u[4]      PFE <--> PFE
## u[5]      EA <--> EA
## u[6]      CP <--> CP
##
## Iterations = 29
```

Figure 16.2: Path diagram for the drug usage model

Revisiting the drug usage example introduced in **Chapter 13**:

```

DRUGcorr <- matrix(c(
  1.0,rep(0,12),
  0.447,1.0,rep(0,11),
  0.422,0.619,1.0,rep(0,10),
  0.436,0.604,0.583,1.0,rep(0,9),
  0.114,0.068,0.053,0.115,1.0,rep(0,8),
  0.203,0.146,0.139,0.256,0.349,1.0,rep(0,7),
  0.091,0.103,0.110,0.122,0.209,0.221,1.0,rep(0,6),
  0.082,0.063,0.066,0.097,0.321,0.355,0.201,1.0,rep(0,5),
  0.513,0.445,0.365,0.482,0.186,0.316,0.150,0.154,1.0,rep(0,4),
  0.304,0.318,0.240,0.368,0.303,0.377,0.163,0.219,0.534,1.0,rep(0,3),
  0.245,0.203,0.183,0.255,0.272,0.323,0.310,0.288,0.301,0.302,1.0,rep(0,2),
  0.101,0.088,0.074,0.139,0.279,0.367,0.232,0.320,0.204,0.368,0.340,1.0,0.0,
  0.245,0.199,0.184,0.293,0.278,0.545,0.232,0.314,0.394,0.467,0.392,0.511,1.0), ncol=13, byrow=T)
DRUGnames <- c("Cigs", "Beer", "Wine", "Liqr", "Cocn", "Tran", "Drug", "Hern",
               "Marj", "Hash", "Inhl", "Hall", "Amph")
dimnames(DRUGcorr) <- list(DRUGnames, DRUGnames)
DRUGcorr <- DRUGcorr + t(DRUGcorr)
diag(DRUGcorr) <- diag(DRUGcorr) - 1
DRUGcorr

```

```

##      Cigs Beer Wine Liqr Cocn Tran Drug Hern Marj Hash Inhl
## Cigs 1.000 0.447 0.422 0.436 0.114 0.203 0.091 0.082 0.513 0.304 0.245
## Beer 0.447 1.000 0.619 0.604 0.068 0.146 0.103 0.063 0.445 0.318 0.203
## Wine 0.422 0.619 1.000 0.583 0.053 0.139 0.110 0.066 0.365 0.240 0.183
## Liqr 0.436 0.604 0.583 1.000 0.115 0.256 0.122 0.097 0.482 0.368 0.255
## Cocn 0.114 0.068 0.053 0.115 1.000 0.349 0.209 0.321 0.186 0.303 0.272
## Tran 0.203 0.146 0.139 0.256 0.349 1.000 0.221 0.355 0.316 0.377 0.323
## Drug 0.091 0.103 0.110 0.122 0.209 0.221 1.000 0.201 0.150 0.163 0.310
## Hern 0.082 0.063 0.066 0.097 0.321 0.355 0.201 1.000 0.154 0.219 0.288
## Marj 0.513 0.445 0.365 0.482 0.186 0.316 0.150 0.154 1.000 0.534 0.301
## Hash 0.304 0.318 0.240 0.368 0.303 0.377 0.163 0.219 0.534 1.000 0.302
## Inhl 0.245 0.203 0.183 0.255 0.272 0.323 0.310 0.288 0.301 0.302 1.000
## Hall 0.101 0.088 0.074 0.139 0.279 0.367 0.232 0.320 0.204 0.368 0.340
## Amph 0.245 0.199 0.184 0.293 0.278 0.545 0.232 0.314 0.394 0.467 0.392
##      Hall Amph
## Cigs 0.101 0.245
## Beer 0.088 0.199
## Wine 0.074 0.184
## Liqr 0.139 0.293
## Cocn 0.279 0.278
## Tran 0.367 0.545
## Drug 0.232 0.232
## Hern 0.320 0.314
## Marj 0.204 0.394
## Hash 0.368 0.467
## Inhl 0.340 0.392
## Hall 1.000 0.511
## Amph 0.511 1.000

```

```

DRUGmodel <-specifyModel(text = "

Alcohol    -> Cigs,    lambda[1],NA
Cannabis   -> Cigs,    lambda[2],NA
Alcohol    -> Beer,    lambda[3],NA
Alcohol    -> Wine,    lambda[4],NA
Cannabis   -> Wine,    lambda[5],NA
Alcohol    -> Liqr,    lambda[6],NA
HardDrug   -> Liqr,    lambda[7],NA
HardDrug   -> Cocn,    lambda[8],NA
HardDrug   -> Tran,    lambda[9],NA
HardDrug   -> Drug,    lambda[10],NA
HardDrug   -> Hern,    lambda[11],NA
Cannabis   -> Marj,    lambda[12],NA
Cannabis   -> Hash,    lambda[13],NA
HardDrug   -> Hash,    lambda[14],NA
HardDrug   -> Inhl,    lambda[15],NA
HardDrug   -> Hall,    lambda[16],NA
HardDrug   -> Amph,    lambda[17],NA


Cigs        <-> Cigs,    u[1],NA
Beer        <-> Beer,    u[2],NA
Wine        <-> Wine,    u[3],NA
Liqr        <-> Liqr,    u[4],NA
Cocn        <-> Cocn,    u[5],NA
Tran        <-> Tran,    u[6],NA
Drug        <-> Drug,    u[7],NA
Hern        <-> Hern,    u[8],NA
Marj        <-> Marj,    u[9],NA
Hash        <-> Hash,    u[10],NA
Inhl        <-> Inhl,    u[11],NA
Hall        <-> Hall,    u[12],NA
Amph        <-> Amph,    u[13],NA


Alcohol     <-> Cannabis, rho[1],NA
Alcohol     <-> HardDrug, rho[2],NA
Cannabis    <-> HardDrug, rho[3],NA


Alcohol     <-> Alcohol, NA,1
Cannabis    <-> Cannabis,NA,1
HardDrug    <-> HardDrug,NA,1

")

## NOTE: it is generally simpler to use specifyEquations() or cfa()
##       see ?specifyEquations

options(fit.indices = c("CFI", "NNFI", "RMSEA", "SRMR")) # (NNFI = TLI)

DRUGsem <- sem(DRUGmodel, DRUGcorr, N = 1634)

```

```
semPaths(DRUGsem, # filetype = "pdf", filename = "DRUGmodel-KV",
  what = "path", whatLabels = "hide",
  style = "lisrel", layout = "tree2",
  residuals = TRUE, rotation = 2, nCharNodes = 0,
  sizeMan = 8, sizeLat = 10, sizeMan2 = 4, sizeLat2 = 10,
  esize = 2, label.cex = 0.75, label.scale = FALSE, width = 6, height = 5)
```

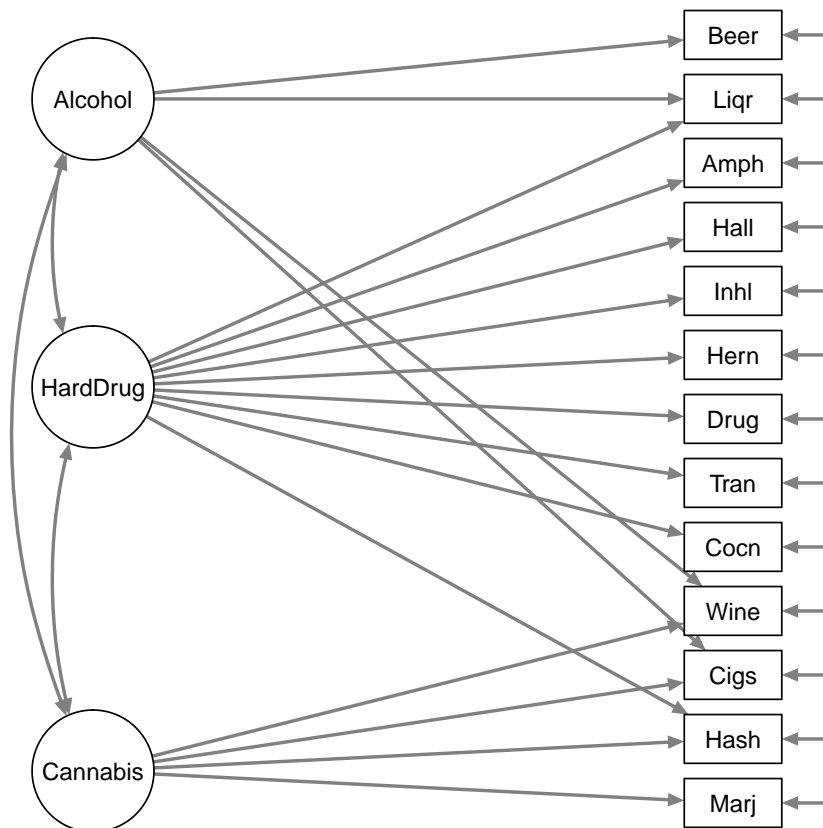


Table 16.3

summary(DRUGsem)

```
##
## Model Chisquare = 323.3541 Df = 58 Pr(>Chisq) = 1.676805e-38
## RMSEA index = 0.05293048 90% CI: (0.04738096, 0.05863211)
## Tucker-Lewis NNFI = 0.9453964
## Bentler CFI = 0.9593974
## SRMR = 0.03899979
##
## Normalized Residuals
##      Min.    1st Qu.    Median      Mean    3rd Qu.      Max.
## -3.031458 -0.884693 -0.000004 -0.021815  0.998363  4.576743
##
## R-square for Endogenous Variables
## Cigs Beer Wine Liqr Cocn Tran Drug Hern Marj Hash
## 0.3888 0.6264 0.6215 0.5922 0.2159 0.4562 0.1285 0.2265 0.8320 0.4531
## Inhl Hall Amph
## 0.2948 0.3823 0.5828
##
## Parameter Estimates
##      Estimate Std Error z value Pr(>|z|)
## lambda[1] 0.3580610 0.03449894 10.378898 3.093248e-25
## lambda[2] 0.3317505 0.03527140 9.405651 5.170904e-21
## lambda[3] 0.7914844 0.02260160 35.018962 1.157714e-268
## lambda[4] 0.8759572 0.03759170 23.301881 4.242807e-120
## lambda[5] -0.1522411 0.03659116 -4.160598 3.174149e-05
## lambda[6] 0.7222173 0.02354662 30.671802 1.353388e-206
## lambda[7] 0.1226893 0.02265514 5.415519 6.111133e-08
## lambda[8] 0.4646768 0.02572690 18.061903 6.359149e-73
## lambda[9] 0.6754614 0.02397020 28.179212 1.051469e-174
## lambda[10] 0.3584240 0.02637142 13.591383 4.504847e-42
## lambda[11] 0.4759180 0.02564863 18.555299 7.389575e-77
## lambda[12] 0.9121178 0.03045556 29.949139 4.514959e-197
## lambda[13] 0.3955832 0.02960491 13.362081 1.007085e-40
## lambda[14] 0.3817698 0.02923025 13.060776 5.516293e-39
## lambda[15] 0.5429839 0.02514237 21.596370 1.942958e-103
## lambda[16] 0.6182726 0.02449908 25.236559 1.590899e-140
## lambda[17] 0.7633843 0.02313045 33.003443 7.249129e-239
## u[1] 0.6112369 0.02367015 25.823114 4.878528e-147
## u[2] 0.3735526 0.01992742 18.745656 2.100659e-78
## u[3] 0.3784784 0.02357593 16.053595 5.394692e-58
## u[4] 0.4078314 0.01911408 21.336701 5.182466e-101
## u[5] 0.7840758 0.02920268 26.849444 8.561618e-159
## u[6] 0.5437528 0.02341101 23.226369 2.465982e-119
## u[7] 0.8715324 0.03151476 27.654733 2.447978e-168
## u[8] 0.7735019 0.02892760 26.739240 1.647200e-157
## u[9] 0.1680413 0.04394465 3.823931 1.313404e-04
## u[10] 0.5469320 0.02223445 24.598408 1.313719e-133
## u[11] 0.7051680 0.02718073 25.943676 2.143063e-148
## u[12] 0.6177393 0.02505445 24.655873 3.183322e-134
## u[13] 0.4172447 0.02118572 19.694615 2.398122e-86
## rho[1] 0.6334751 0.02712849 23.350911 1.349094e-120
```

```

## rho[2]      0.3132784 0.02933063 10.680931 1.250110e-26
## rho[3]      0.4993778 0.02711226 18.418889 9.268602e-76
##
## lambda[1]   Cigs <--- Alcohol
## lambda[2]   Cigs <--- Cannabis
## lambda[3]   Beer <--- Alcohol
## lambda[4]   Wine <--- Alcohol
## lambda[5]   Wine <--- Cannabis
## lambda[6]   Liqr <--- Alcohol
## lambda[7]   Liqr <--- HardDrug
## lambda[8]   Cocn <--- HardDrug
## lambda[9]   Tran <--- HardDrug
## lambda[10]  Drug <--- HardDrug
## lambda[11]  Hern <--- HardDrug
## lambda[12]  Marj <--- Cannabis
## lambda[13]  Hash <--- Cannabis
## lambda[14]  Hash <--- HardDrug
## lambda[15]  Inhl <--- HardDrug
## lambda[16]  Hall <--- HardDrug
## lambda[17]  Amph <--- HardDrug
## u[1]        Cigs <--> Cigs
## u[2]        Beer <--> Beer
## u[3]        Wine <--> Wine
## u[4]        Liqr <--> Liqr
## u[5]        Cocn <--> Cocn
## u[6]        Tran <--> Tran
## u[7]        Drug <--> Drug
## u[8]        Hern <--> Hern
## u[9]        Marj <--> Marj
## u[10]       Hash <--> Hash
## u[11]       Inhl <--> Inhl
## u[12]       Hall <--> Hall
## u[13]       Amph <--> Amph
## rho[1]      Cannabis <--> Alcohol
## rho[2]      HardDrug <--> Alcohol
## rho[3]      HardDrug <--> Cannabis
##
## Iterations = 34

```

Figure 16.3: Corrogram for the Systems Intelligence data

Source of data: Törmänen, J., Hämäläinen, R. P. and Saarinen, E. (2016). Systems Intelligence inventory. *The Learning Organization*, 23, 218–231. (The data and parts of the R code by *Juha Törmänen* are used below with kind permission from the authors.)

See also:

- Saarinen, E. and Hämäläinen, R. P. (2004). Systems intelligence: Connecting engineering thinking with human sensitivity. In *Systems Intelligence—Discovering a Hidden Competence in Human Action and Organizational Life* (eds. R. P. Hämäläinen and E. Saarinen). Helsinki University of Technology, Research Reports A88. <http://sal.aalto.fi/publications/pdf/files/systemsintelligence2004.pdf>.
- Hämäläinen, R. P., Jones, R. and Saarinen, E. (2014). *Being Better Better: Living with Systems Intelligence*. Aalto University Publications Crossover 4/2014, http://systemsintelligence.aalto.fi/being_better_better/.

```
# Set seed to remove effect of random generator
set.seed(42)

# Load data (sidata.tsv contains renamed answer columns with names si1-si32)
si_cfa <- list()
si_cfa$data <- read.table("data/sidata.tsv", header = TRUE, sep = '\t')
si_cfa$dataset <- si_cfa$data$set

# SI model answers for the 32 items
si_cfa$answers <- si_cfa$data[, 10:41]

head(si_cfa$answers)
```

```
##      si1 si2 si3 si17 si13 si14 si15 si18 si25 si5 si26 si6 si27 si28 si7 si18
## 1      4  5  4      5      3  4      4  3      4  4      5  4      4  3  4      4
## 2      4  4  4      4      6  5      5  5      3  4      4  4      3  3  4      4
## 3      4  4  5      5      4  5      5  4      4  4      4  6      4  3  4      4
## 4      4  5  4      4      4  4      3  5      3  5      4  5      4  5  5      3
## 5      5  5  5      5      3  5      4  5      5  5      3  5      3  4  5      4
## 6      3  5  4      6      4  4      4  5      5  5      5  6      4  5  4      5
##      si20 si21 si9 si10 si11 si22 si8 si23 si19 si16 si29 si30 si12 si24 si31
## 1      4      5  3      3      4      3  6      4      5      4      4      1      1      6      4
## 2      5      3  3      3      NA      4      3      4      5      5      4      2      3      3      4
## 3      6      5  3      5      4      5      5      3      4      4      4      3      3      4      3
## 4      4      5  1      5      1      5      5      5      5      4      4      1      0      5      4
## 5      5      3  2      5      2      3      4      4      5      4      4      2      1      5      5
## 6      6      4  3      6      3      4      4      4      5      5      5      3      3      5      5
##      si32
## 1      4
## 2      4
## 3      3
## 4      5
## 5      4
## 6      5
```

```

#install.packages("corrplot")
library(corrplot)

## corrplot 0.84 loaded

mcor <- cor(si_cfa$answers, use = "complete.obs")
# Add leading zeros to var names for the "alphabet" option of corrplot:
rownames(mcor) <- c("si01", "si02", "si03", "si17", "si13", "si14", "si15", "si04",
                    "si25", "si05", "si26", "si06", "si27", "si28", "si07", "si18",
                    "si20", "si21", "si09", "si10", "si11", "si22", "si08", "si23",
                    "si19", "si16", "si29", "si30", "si12", "si24", "si31", "si32")
colnames(mcor) <- rownames(mcor)
corrplot(mcor, method = "shade", order = "alphabet",
         tl.cex = 0.7, tl.col = "black", tl.srt = 45)

```

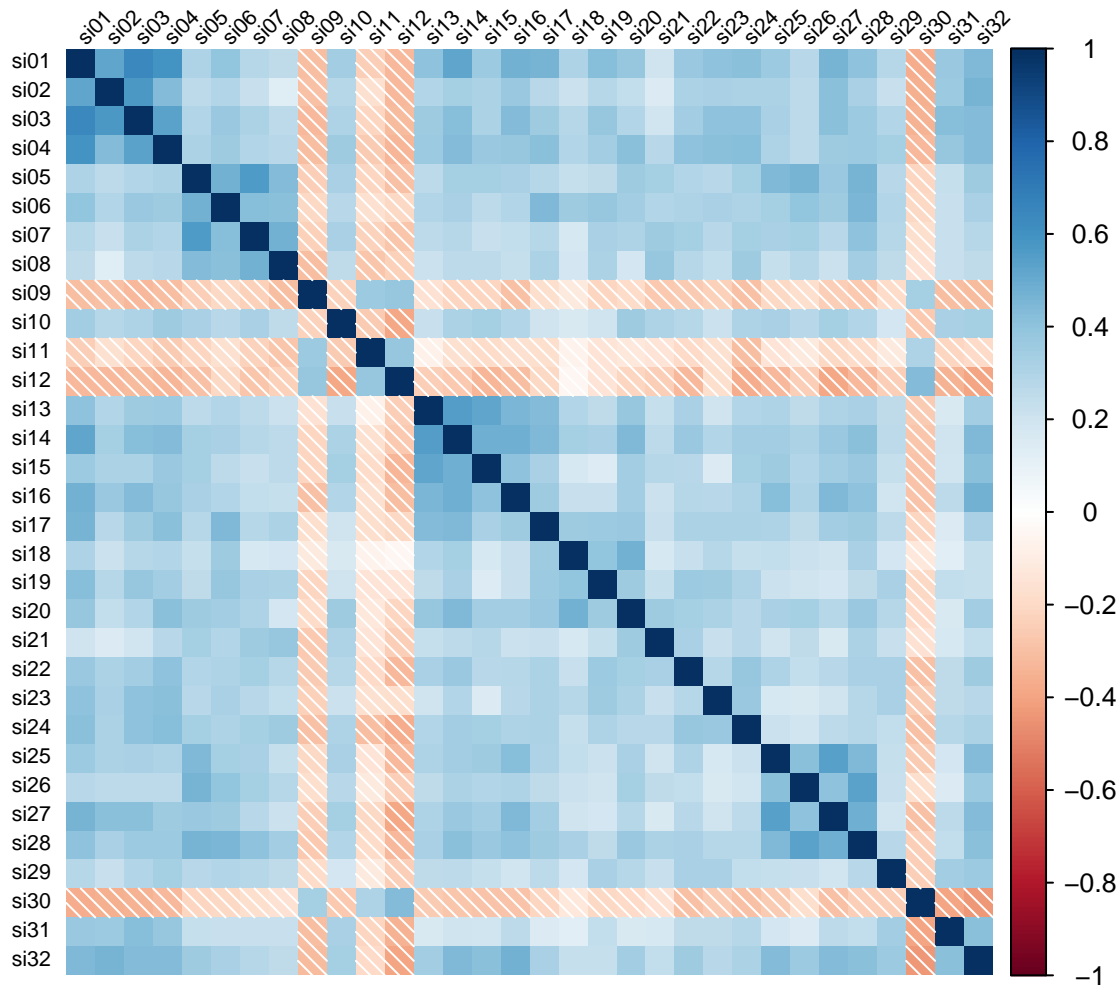


Figure 16.4

```
# DATA: Validation dataset rows with no missing data (N=815):
si_cfa$data.validation <- si_cfa$data[rowSums(is.na(si_cfa$answers)) == 0 &
                                     si_cfa$dataset == 'validation', ]

# MODEL: Eight factors, free loadings:
# Free weight model: Each item is explained by one factor, factors have unit variance
# In total 8*4 loadings + 7*8/2 factor covariances + 8*4 item variances = 92 parameters

model.8free <- specifyEquations(text = "

si1  = a1(1)*PER
si2  = a2(1)*PER
si3  = a3(1)*PER
si4  = a4(1)*PER

si5  = a5(1)*ATT
si6  = a6(1)*ATT
si7  = a7(1)*ATT
si8  = a8(1)*ATT

# ATD factor starting values coded negatively here; othersize sem has trouble converging
si9  = a9(1)*ATD
si10 = a10(-1)*ATD
si11 = a11(1)*ATD
si12 = a12(1)*ATD

si13 = a13(1)*DIS
si14 = a14(1)*DIS
si15 = a15(1)*DIS
si16 = a16(1)*DIS

si17 = a17(1)*REF
si18 = a18(1)*REF
si19 = a19(1)*REF
si20 = a20(1)*REF

si21 = a21(1)*WIS
si22 = a22(1)*WIS
si23 = a23(1)*WIS
si24 = a24(1)*WIS

si25 = a25(1)*ENG
si26 = a26(1)*ENG
si27 = a27(1)*ENG
si28 = a28(1)*ENG

si29 = a29(1)*EFF
si30 = a30(-1)*EFF
si31 = a31(1)*EFF
si32 = a32(1)*EFF
```

```

V(PER) = 1
V(ATT) = 1
V(ATD) = 1
V(DIS) = 1
V(REF) = 1
V(WIS) = 1
V(ENG) = 1
V(EFF) = 1

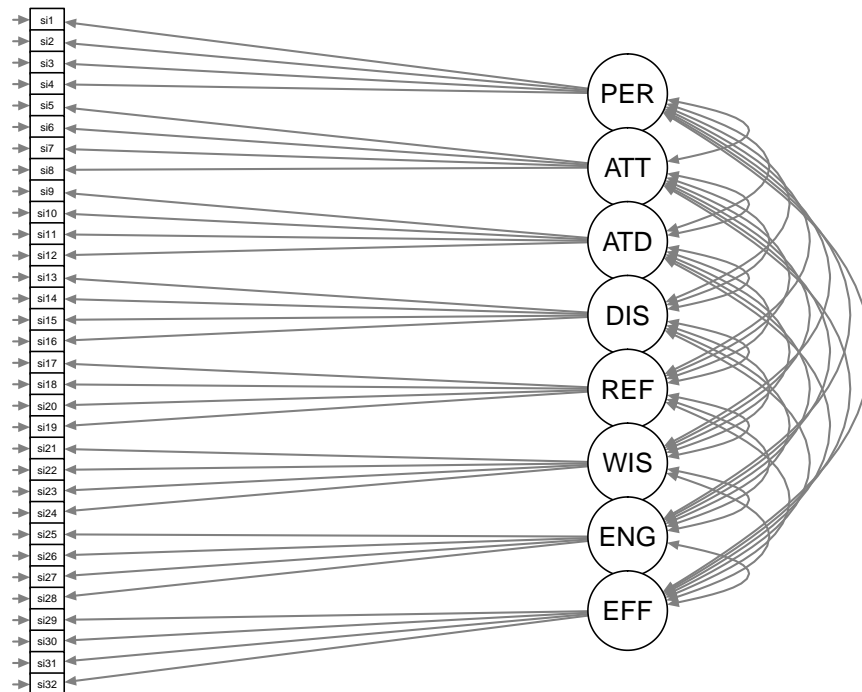
", covs = "PER,ATT,ATD,DIS,REF,WIS,ENG,EFF")

## NOTE: adding 32 variances to the model
options(fit.indices = c("SRMR", "CFI", "RMSEA"))

res.8free <- sem(model = model.8free, data = si_cfa$data.validation, objective = objectiveGLS)
# summary(res.8free) outputs CFI = 0.951, RMSEA = 0.048, SRMR = 0.068

semPaths(res.8free, # filetype = "pdf", filename = "SImodel-KV",
  what = "path", whatLabels = "hide", style = "lisrel",
  residuals = TRUE, curve = 3.2, rotation = 4, nCharNodes = 0,
  sizeLat = 7, sizeMan = 3, sizeMan2 = 2, esize = 1.3, mar = c(3, 8, 3, 15))

```



```
summary(res.8free)
```

```
##
## Model Chisquare = 1256.666 Df = 436 Pr(>Chisq) = 1.484832e-80
## RMSEA index = 0.04808702 90% CI: (NA, NA)
## Bentler CFI = 0.9507248
## SRMR = 0.06815243
##
## Normalized Residuals
## Min. 1st Qu. Median Mean 3rd Qu. Max.
## -3.9692 -0.5851 0.3119 0.4389 1.4955 5.0806
##
## R-square for Endogenous Variables
## si1 si2 si3 si4 si5 si6 si7 si8 si9 si10
## 0.6853 0.4683 0.6063 0.5770 0.5986 0.4679 0.5216 0.4154 0.3048 0.3812
## si11 si12 si13 si14 si15 si16 si17 si18 si19 si20
## 0.2329 0.4948 0.5226 0.5683 0.4666 0.4705 0.4399 0.3281 0.3864 0.5134
## si21 si22 si23 si24 si25 si26 si27 si28 si29 si30
## 0.3039 0.3875 0.3102 0.4414 0.4525 0.4340 0.5544 0.5727 0.3177 0.4029
## si31 si32
## 0.3903 0.5908
##
## Parameter Estimates
## Estimate Std Error z value Pr(>|z|)
## a1 0.6685600 0.03242847 20.616450 1.953814e-94 si1 <--- PER
## a2 0.5176584 0.03255797 15.899592 6.377848e-57 si2 <--- PER
## a3 0.5503226 0.02912131 18.897592 1.193777e-79 si3 <--- PER
## a4 0.6639999 0.03216349 20.644522 1.093385e-94 si4 <--- PER
## a5 0.7199893 0.03731261 19.296137 5.787753e-83 si5 <--- ATT
## a6 0.5830731 0.03756700 15.520887 2.505649e-54 si6 <--- ATT
## a7 0.6052763 0.03284806 18.426547 8.045792e-76 si7 <--- ATT
## a8 0.4726956 0.03702206 12.767945 2.476041e-37 si8 <--- ATT
## a9 0.5539789 0.04804567 11.530257 9.286654e-31 si9 <--- ATD
## a10 -0.5988248 0.04408796 -13.582504 5.085730e-42 si10 <--- ATD
## a11 0.5207716 0.05559112 9.367892 7.399543e-21 si11 <--- ATD
## a12 0.7809641 0.05014166 15.575156 1.073899e-54 si12 <--- ATD
## a13 0.7076282 0.04249851 16.650660 2.992851e-62 si13 <--- DIS
## a14 0.7079806 0.03510499 20.167519 1.888795e-90 si14 <--- DIS
## a15 0.6562514 0.04315793 15.205813 3.235861e-52 si15 <--- DIS
## a16 0.6307662 0.04019476 15.692747 1.695563e-55 si16 <--- DIS
## a17 0.5489697 0.03795019 14.465532 2.000525e-47 si17 <--- REF
## a18 0.5322472 0.04663205 11.413762 3.569486e-30 si18 <--- REF
## a19 0.4752247 0.03977588 11.947560 6.685971e-33 si19 <--- REF
## a20 0.7397153 0.04971787 14.878259 4.562140e-50 si20 <--- REF
## a21 0.5196336 0.04772932 10.887095 1.328092e-27 si21 <--- WIS
## a22 0.5626853 0.03632400 15.490729 4.007202e-54 si22 <--- WIS
## a23 0.4487358 0.03665690 12.241511 1.865266e-34 si23 <--- WIS
## a24 0.6262280 0.03834655 16.330752 5.964490e-60 si24 <--- WIS
## a25 0.6894555 0.04596920 14.998207 7.542925e-51 si25 <--- ENG
## a26 0.6236446 0.03980360 15.668046 2.501507e-55 si26 <--- ENG
## a27 0.7692516 0.04325956 17.782232 9.703919e-71 si27 <--- ENG
## a28 0.6896095 0.03461536 19.922065 2.619637e-88 si28 <--- ENG
## a29 0.4938007 0.04166490 11.851720 2.108191e-32 si29 <--- EFF
## a30 -0.6660330 0.04612172 -14.440766 2.866367e-47 si30 <--- EFF
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## a31      0.4733875 0.03523098 13.436683 3.685926e-41 si31 <--- EFF
## a32      0.7197076 0.03831885 18.782075 1.058611e-78 si32 <--- EFF
## C[PER,ATT] 0.6762624 0.03215036 21.034367 3.179857e-98 ATT <--> PER
## C[PER,ATD] -0.7810532 0.03194689 -24.448492 5.221765e-132 ATD <--> PER
## C[PER,DIS] 0.8358883 0.02263808 36.923990 1.904974e-298 DIS <--> PER
## C[PER,REF] 0.8386651 0.02640626 31.760091 2.303946e-221 REF <--> PER
## C[PER,WIS] 0.8864440 0.02456816 36.081004 4.504133e-285 WIS <--> PER
## C[PER,ENG] 0.7638040 0.02683644 28.461447 3.516906e-178 ENG <--> PER
## C[PER,EFF] 0.8161309 0.02419588 33.730154 2.089629e-249 EFF <--> PER
## C[ATT,ATD] -0.7987056 0.03383097 -23.608712 3.136551e-123 ATD <--> ATT
## C[ATT,DIS] 0.7021611 0.03129715 22.435302 1.780974e-111 DIS <--> ATT
## C[ATT,REF] 0.7505247 0.03420019 21.945047 9.656894e-107 REF <--> ATT
## C[ATT,WIS] 0.8241651 0.03052199 27.002334 1.387521e-160 WIS <--> ATT
## C[ATT,ENG] 0.8679997 0.02244717 38.668562 0.000000e+00 ENG <--> ATT
## C[ATT,EFF] 0.7144656 0.03309641 21.587405 2.358938e-103 EFF <--> ATT
## C[ATD,DIS] -0.7679736 0.03658449 -20.991782 7.796705e-98 DIS <--> ATD
## C[ATD,REF] -0.7656555 0.04034199 -18.979119 2.538162e-80 REF <--> ATD
## C[ATD,WIS] -0.8709160 0.03342931 -26.052468 1.261453e-149 WIS <--> ATD
## C[ATD,ENG] -0.8200374 0.03157837 -25.968327 1.129124e-148 ENG <--> ATD
## C[ATD,EFF] -0.8454915 0.03057594 -27.652180 2.627332e-168 EFF <--> ATD
## C[DIS,REF] 0.8317475 0.02898892 28.691912 4.813321e-181 REF <--> DIS
## C[DIS,WIS] 0.7894968 0.03083435 25.604454 1.360900e-144 WIS <--> DIS
## C[DIS,ENG] 0.7614736 0.02868166 26.549150 2.626927e-155 ENG <--> DIS
## C[DIS,EFF] 0.7731367 0.03071951 25.167615 9.066424e-140 EFF <--> DIS
## C[REF,WIS] 0.8840439 0.02962020 29.845978 9.899816e-196 WIS <--> REF
## C[REF,ENG] 0.7464520 0.03291526 22.677990 7.388787e-114 ENG <--> REF
## C[REF,EFF] 0.7541803 0.03521238 21.418043 9.072026e-102 EFF <--> REF
## C[WIS,ENG] 0.7958373 0.03200873 24.863133 1.864692e-136 ENG <--> WIS
## C[WIS,EFF] 0.8044019 0.03138961 25.626374 7.755361e-145 EFF <--> WIS
## C[ENG,EFF] 0.7464017 0.03060912 24.384941 2.470795e-131 EFF <--> ENG
## V[si1]    0.2052307 0.01510102 13.590525 4.557998e-42 si1 <--> si1
## V[si2]    0.3042285 0.01850548 16.439912 9.906310e-61 si2 <--> si2
## V[si3]    0.1966617 0.01289154 15.255091 1.522818e-52 si3 <--> si3
## V[si4]    0.3232391 0.02100144 15.391286 1.872739e-53 si4 <--> si4
## V[si5]    0.3475479 0.02503211 13.884081 7.910845e-44 si5 <--> si5
## V[si6]    0.3865663 0.02473449 15.628634 4.646611e-55 si6 <--> si6
## V[si7]    0.3359755 0.02189731 15.343234 3.931117e-53 si7 <--> si7
## V[si8]    0.3145093 0.02064421 15.234745 2.079377e-52 si8 <--> si8
## V[si9]    0.6999811 0.04189340 16.708624 1.134231e-62 si9 <--> si9
## V[si10]   0.5820615 0.03774915 15.419196 1.216088e-53 si10 <--> si10
## V[si11]   0.8933729 0.05247718 17.024026 5.449204e-65 si11 <--> si11
## V[si12]   0.6227930 0.04302111 14.476450 1.706870e-47 si12 <--> si12
## V[si13]   0.4573467 0.03065546 14.918931 2.482176e-50 si13 <--> si13
## V[si14]   0.3807060 0.02525753 15.072966 2.439107e-51 si14 <--> si14
## V[si15]   0.4924139 0.03225694 15.265361 1.301064e-52 si15 <--> si15
## V[si16]   0.4477171 0.02885971 15.513568 2.808320e-54 si16 <--> si16
## V[si17]   0.3836756 0.02518243 15.235849 2.044538e-52 si17 <--> si17
## V[si18]   0.5800615 0.03521116 16.473796 5.660387e-61 si18 <--> si18
## V[si19]   0.3585894 0.02326245 15.414943 1.298846e-53 si19 <--> si19
## V[si20]   0.5187093 0.03803427 13.637944 2.381815e-42 si20 <--> si20
## V[si21]   0.6185608 0.03814391 16.216502 3.855328e-59 si21 <--> si21
## V[si22]   0.5003786 0.02999815 16.680314 1.822588e-62 si22 <--> si22
## V[si23]   0.4477391 0.02610443 17.151840 6.089339e-66 si23 <--> si23
## V[si24]   0.4962187 0.03089210 16.062965 4.638357e-58 si24 <--> si24

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## V[si25]      0.5751351 0.03580959 16.060923 4.793616e-58 si25 <--> si25
## V[si26]      0.5072077 0.03030312 16.737804 6.950558e-63 si26 <--> si26
## V[si27]      0.4756047 0.03209640 14.818008 1.120579e-49 si27 <--> si27
## V[si28]      0.3548095 0.02422488 14.646492 1.418532e-48 si28 <--> si28
## V[si29]      0.5235896 0.03232428 16.198028 5.207018e-59 si29 <--> si29
## V[si30]      0.6575266 0.04082600 16.105584 2.330882e-58 si30 <--> si30
## V[si31]      0.3500031 0.02195291 15.943356 3.168708e-57 si31 <--> si31
## V[si32]      0.3587271 0.02777209 12.916819 3.617910e-38 si32 <--> si32
##
## Iterations = 84

```

Figure 16.5: Path diagram for the hypothesized structural equation model for job satisfaction data

Source of data: Kline, R. B. (2016). *Principles and Practice of Structural Equation Modeling*, 4th edition. Guilford Press, New York.

```
# Modified from https://www.guilford.com/add/kline/houghton-lavaan.r

# Fully latent model of thought strategies and job satisfaction

#install.packages("lavaan")
library(lavaan)

## This is lavaan 0.6-3

## lavaan is BETA software! Please report any bugs.

##
## Attaching package: 'lavaan'

## The following objects are masked from 'package:sem':
##
##      cfa, sem

# Input the correlations in lower diagonal form
houghtonLower.cor <- '
1.000
.668 1.000
.635 .599 1.000
.263 .261 .164 1.000
.290 .315 .247 .486 1.000
.207 .245 .231 .251 .449 1.000
-.206 -.182 -.195 -.309 -.266 -.142 1.000
-.280 -.241 -.238 -.344 -.305 -.230 .753 1.000
-.258 -.244 -.185 -.255 -.255 -.215 .554 .587 1.000
.080 .096 .094 -.017 .151 .141 -.074 -.111 .016 1.000
.061 .028 -.035 -.058 -.051 -.003 -.040 -.040 -.018 .284 1.000
.113 .174 .059 .063 .138 .044 -.119 -.073 -.084 .563 .379 1.000 '

# Name the variables and convert to full correlation matrix
# KV: change names of manifest and factor variables (more according to the article diagram):

houghtonFull.cor <- getCov(houghtonLower.cor,
  names = c("JW1","JW2","JW3", "UF1","UF2","FOR", "DA1","DA2","DA3", "EBA","ST","MI"))

# add the standard deviations and convert to covariances
houghtonFull.cov <- cor2cov(houghtonFull.cor,
  sds = c(0.939, 1.017, 0.937, 0.562, 0.760, 0.524, 0.585, 0.609, 0.731, 0.711, 1.124, 1.001))
houghtonFull.cov
```

##	JW1	JW2	JW3	UF1	UF2
## JW1	0.88172100	0.63791528	0.55870031	0.138789834	0.20695560
## JW2	0.63791528	1.03428900	0.57080447	0.149175594	0.24346980
## JW3	0.55870031	0.57080447	0.87796900	0.086361416	0.17589364
## UF1	0.13878983	0.14917559	0.08636142	0.315844000	0.20758032
## UF2	0.20695560	0.24346980	0.17589364	0.207580320	0.57760000

```

## FOR  0.10185145  0.13056246  0.11341823  0.073916488  0.17880976
## DA1 -0.11315889 -0.10827999 -0.10688828 -0.101589930 -0.11826360
## DA2 -0.16011828 -0.14926407 -0.13581065 -0.117736752 -0.14116620
## DA3 -0.17709352 -0.18139619 -0.12671520 -0.104759610 -0.14166780
## EBA  0.05341032  0.06941635  0.06262346 -0.006792894  0.08159436
## ST   0.06438160  0.03200702 -0.03686158 -0.036637904 -0.04356624
## MI   0.10621311  0.17713496  0.05533828  0.035441406  0.10498488
##           FOR           DA1           DA2           DA3           EBA
## JW1  0.101851452 -0.11315889 -0.16011828 -0.177093522  0.053410320
## JW2  0.130562460 -0.10827999 -0.14926407 -0.181396188  0.069416352
## JW3  0.113418228 -0.10688828 -0.13581065 -0.126715195  0.062623458
## UF1  0.073916488 -0.10158993 -0.11773675 -0.104759610 -0.006792894
## UF2  0.178809760 -0.11826360 -0.14116620 -0.141667800  0.081594360
## FOR  0.274576000 -0.04352868 -0.07339668 -0.082354460  0.052531524
## DA1 -0.043528680  0.34222500  0.26826754  0.236909790 -0.030779190
## DA2 -0.073396680  0.26826754  0.37088100  0.261320073 -0.048062889
## DA3 -0.082354460  0.23690979  0.26132007  0.534361000  0.008315856
## EBA  0.052531524 -0.03077919 -0.04806289  0.008315856  0.505521000
## ST  -0.001766928 -0.02630160 -0.02738064 -0.014789592  0.226962576
## MI   0.023079056 -0.06968461 -0.04450146 -0.061465404  0.400693293
##           ST           MI
## JW1  0.064381596  0.10621311
## JW2  0.032007024  0.17713496
## JW3 -0.036861580  0.05533828
## UF1 -0.036637904  0.03544141
## UF2 -0.043566240  0.10498488
## FOR -0.001766928  0.02307906
## DA1 -0.026301600 -0.06968461
## DA2 -0.027380640 -0.04450146
## DA3 -0.014789592 -0.06146540
## EBA  0.226962576  0.40069329
## ST   1.263376000  0.42642200
## MI   0.426421996  1.00200100

```

Specify SEM (with Lavaan notation):

```

JSmodel <- '

# measurement part
CTS =~ EBA + ST + MI
DTP =~ DA1 + DA2 + DA3
SWB =~ UF1 + UF2 + FOR
JS =~ JW1 + JW2 + JW3

# error covariance
UF1 ~~ FOR

# structural part
DTP ~ CTS
SWB ~ CTS + DTP
JS ~ CTS + DTP + SWB
'

options(fit.indices = c("CFI", "NNFI", "RMSEA", "SRMR")) # (NNFI = TLI)

```

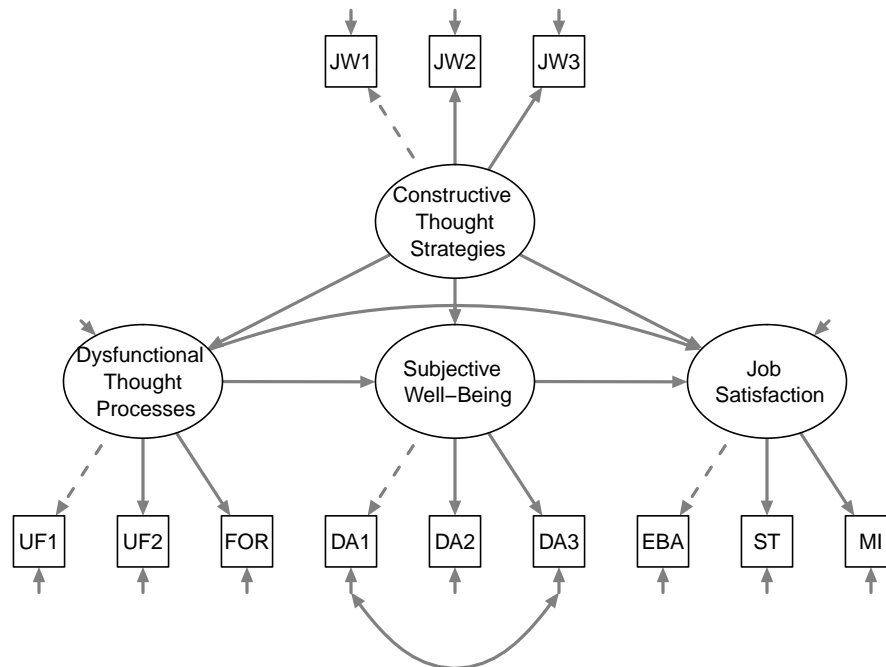
```

# fit JSmodel to data
JSsem <- sem(JSmodel, sample.cov = houghtonFull.cov, sample.nobs = 263)

longLabels = c("JW1", "JW2", "JW3", "UF1", "UF2", "FOR", "DA1", "DA2", "DA3", "EBA", "ST", "MI",
               "Constructive \n Thought \n Strategies",
               "Dysfunctional \n Thought \n Processes",
               "Subjective \n Well-Being",
               "Job \n Satisfaction")

semPaths(JSsem, # filetype = "pdf", filename = "JSmodel-KV",
          what = "path", whatLabels = "hide", style = "lisrel", layout = "tree2",
          residuals = TRUE, nodeLabels = longLabels, nCharNodes = 0,
          sizeMan = 4.5, sizeLat = 14, sizeLat2 = 10,
          esize = 2, label.cex = 0.7, label.scale = FALSE, width = 6, height = 5)

```



```

summary(JSsem, fit.measures = TRUE, standardized = TRUE, rsquare = TRUE)

```

```

## lavaan 0.6-3 ended normally after 48 iterations
##
## Optimization method          NLMINB
## Number of free parameters    31
##
## Number of observations       263
##
## Estimator                    ML
## Model Fit Test Statistic     56.662

```

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## Degrees of freedom          47
## P-value (Chi-square)       0.158
##
## Model test baseline model:
##
## Minimum Function Test Statistic    1087.490
## Degrees of freedom                66
## P-value                          0.000
##
## User model versus baseline model:
##
## Comparative Fit Index (CFI)        0.991
## Tucker-Lewis Index (TLI)          0.987
##
## Loglikelihood and Information Criteria:
##
## Loglikelihood user model (H0)      -3121.267
## Loglikelihood unrestricted model (H1) -3092.936
##
## Number of free parameters          31
## Akaike (AIC)                     6304.534
## Bayesian (BIC)                    6415.270
## Sample-size adjusted Bayesian (BIC) 6316.985
##
## Root Mean Square Error of Approximation:
##
## RMSEA                            0.028
## 90 Percent Confidence Interval    0.000 0.052
## P-value RMSEA <= 0.05            0.936
##
## Standardized Root Mean Square Residual:
##
## SRMR                            0.037
##
## Parameter Estimates:
##
## Information                      Expected
## Information saturated (h1) model  Structured
## Standard Errors                   Standard
##
## Latent Variables:
##      Estimate Std.Err z-value P(>|z|) Std.lv Std.all
## CTS =~
##   EBA          1.000
##   ST           1.056    0.178    5.922    0.000    0.486    0.433
##   MI           1.890    0.331    5.717    0.000    0.870    0.870
## DTP =~
##   DA1          1.000
##   DA2          1.133    0.080   14.105    0.000    0.549    0.904
##   DA3          0.993    0.089   11.175    0.000    0.481    0.660
## SWB =~
##   UF1          1.000
##   UF2          1.490    0.219    6.799    0.000    0.561    0.739
##   FOR          0.821    0.126    6.535    0.000    0.309    0.591

```

```

## JS =~
## JW1      1.000      0.786      0.839
## JW2      1.035      0.081      12.770      0.000      0.814      0.802
## JW3      0.891      0.073      12.145      0.000      0.700      0.749
##
## Regressions:
##           Estimate Std.Err z-value P(>|z|) Std.lv Std.all
## DTP ~
## CTS      -0.131      0.078      -1.681      0.093      -0.124      -0.124
## SWB ~
## CTS       0.067      0.061      1.096      0.273      0.082      0.082
## DTP      -0.365      0.064      -5.664      0.000      -0.470      -0.470
## JS ~
## CTS       0.160      0.120      1.331      0.183      0.093      0.093
## DTP      -0.242      0.130      -1.863      0.063      -0.149      -0.149
## SWB       0.797      0.202      3.946      0.000      0.382      0.382
##
## Covariances:
##           Estimate Std.Err z-value P(>|z|) Std.lv Std.all
## .UF1 ~~
## .FOR      -0.043      0.018      -2.390      0.017      -0.043      -0.243
##
## Variances:
##           Estimate Std.Err z-value P(>|z|) Std.lv Std.all
## .EBA       0.292      0.043      6.862      0.000      0.292      0.580
## .ST        1.022      0.097     10.496      0.000      1.022      0.812
## .MI        0.242      0.123      1.965      0.049      0.242      0.242
## .DA1       0.106      0.016      6.783      0.000      0.106      0.311
## .DA2       0.068      0.017      3.975      0.000      0.068      0.183
## .DA3       0.300      0.029     10.186      0.000      0.300      0.564
## .UF1       0.173      0.025      6.877      0.000      0.173      0.550
## .UF2       0.261      0.044      5.970      0.000      0.261      0.453
## .FOR       0.178      0.022      8.133      0.000      0.178      0.651
## .JW1       0.260      0.042      6.231      0.000      0.260      0.297
## .JW2       0.368      0.050      7.394      0.000      0.368      0.357
## .JW3       0.384      0.044      8.692      0.000      0.384      0.439
## CTS        0.212      0.049      4.285      0.000      1.000      1.000
## .DTP       0.231      0.031      7.579      0.000      0.985      0.985
## .SWB       0.108      0.025      4.398      0.000      0.763      0.763
## .JS        0.467      0.066      7.063      0.000      0.755      0.755
##
## R-Square:
##           Estimate
## EBA        0.420
## ST         0.188
## MI         0.758
## DA1        0.689
## DA2        0.817
## DA3        0.436
## UF1        0.450
## UF2        0.547
## FOR        0.349
## JW1        0.703
## JW2        0.643

```

##	JW3	0.561
##	DTP	0.015
##	SWB	0.237
##	JS	0.245