



FIGURE 7.1 Life-Span Research on Two Categories of Human Intelligence: Fluid Mechanics versus Crystallized Pragmatics (top section defines the categories; bottom section illustrates the postulated life-span trajectories)

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