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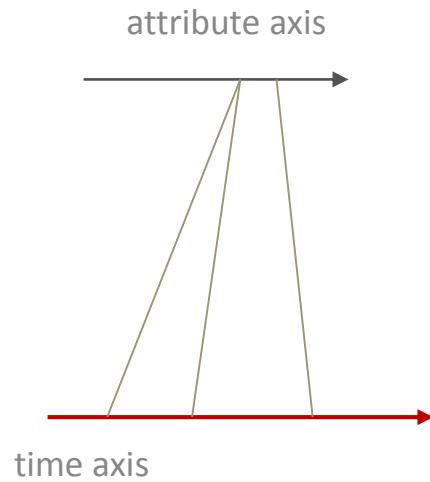
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Appliqué à une relecture de la classification de l'architecture de Dmochowski

Zbigniew Dmochowski  
*The architecture of Poland / an historical survey, (1956).*

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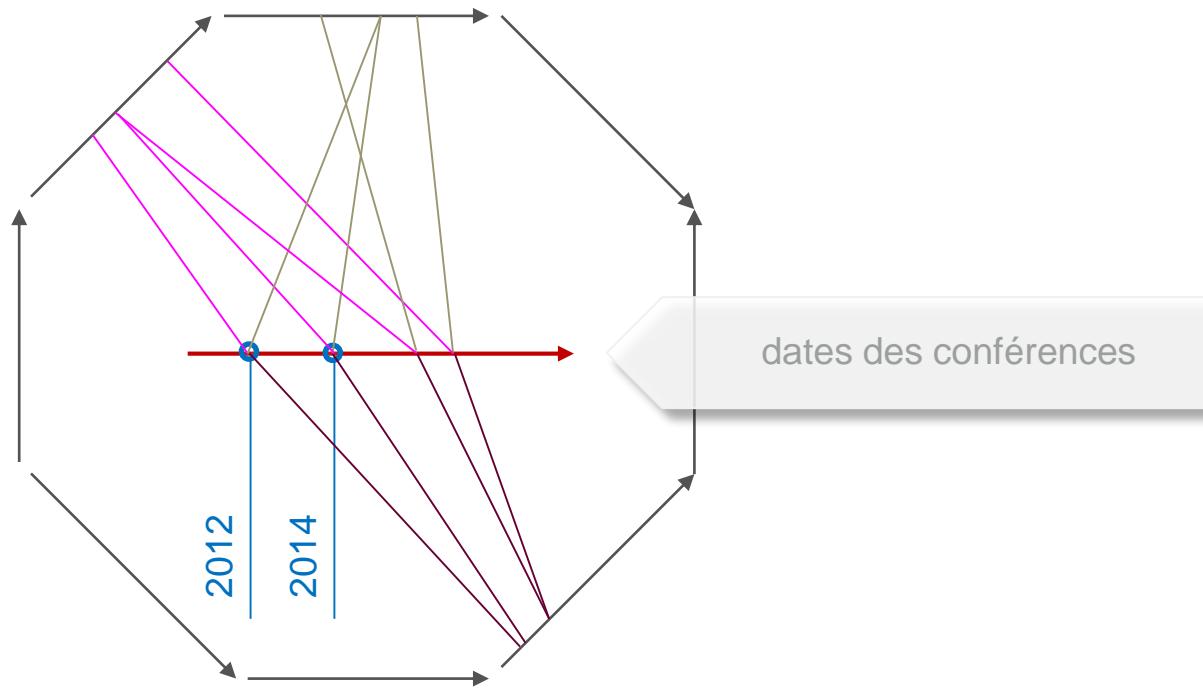
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Le principe

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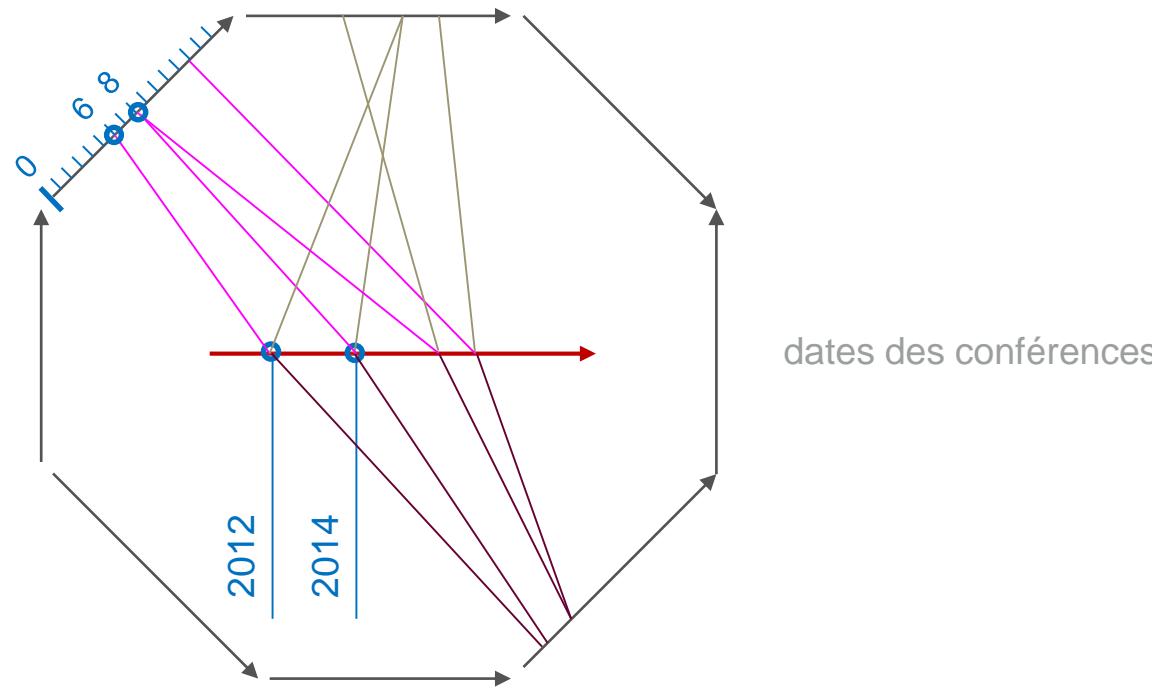


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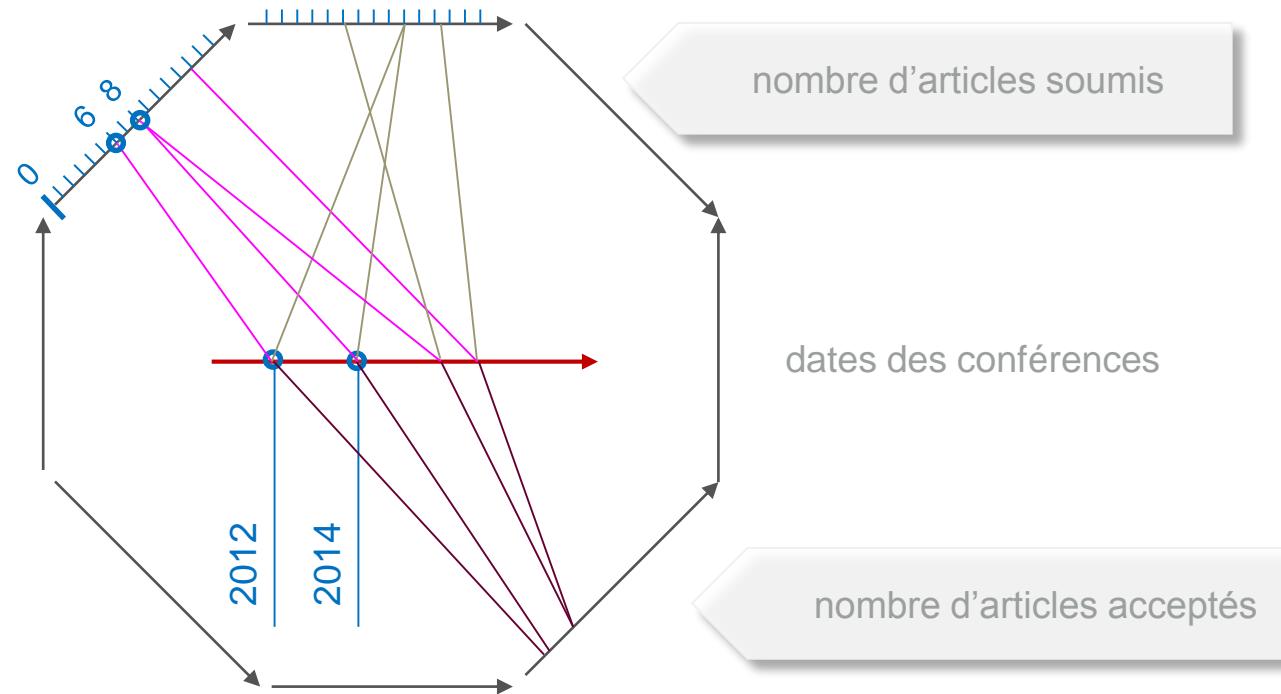
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## TimeWheel appliqu   la classification Dmochowski (50  difices religieux  tiqu s Roman/Gothique)

the source: Z. Dmochowski, "The architecture of Poland – an historical survey" published by The Polish research centre, London 1956

the objective: show the development of architecture within the Polish state from the 10th to the 19th century

Not only a survey, a classification.  
But very little indications on the division lines used.

Some hints given in the introduction:

"... the book divides the material (the edifices) according to style, but the distinctions should not be pressed too far ...".

"... It is a great help, in studying the history of architecture of any country, to know something of its political [...] background ..."

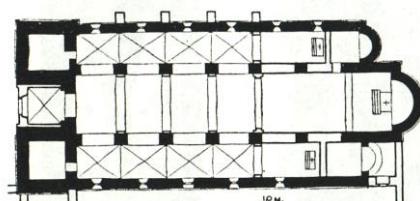
"... architecture, which of all the arts is the most socially conditioned ..."

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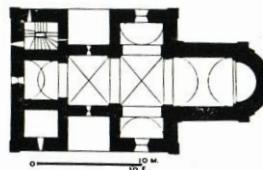
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## A survey, a classification of individual edifices.



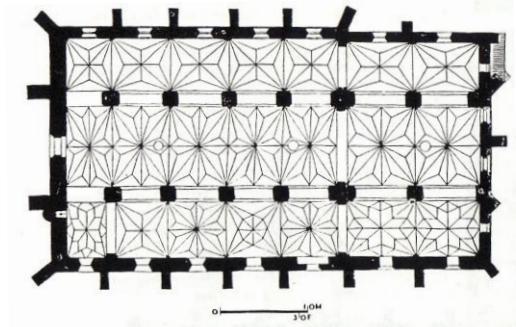
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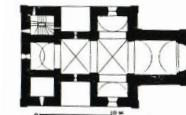


Plans from Dmochowski's book  
Images from Wikipedia

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> First step of the classification : styles as the main division line

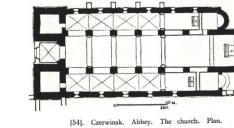
Romanesque



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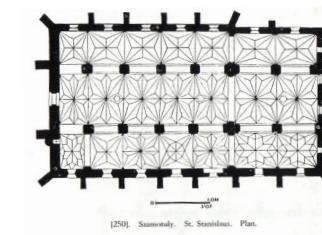


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Gothic



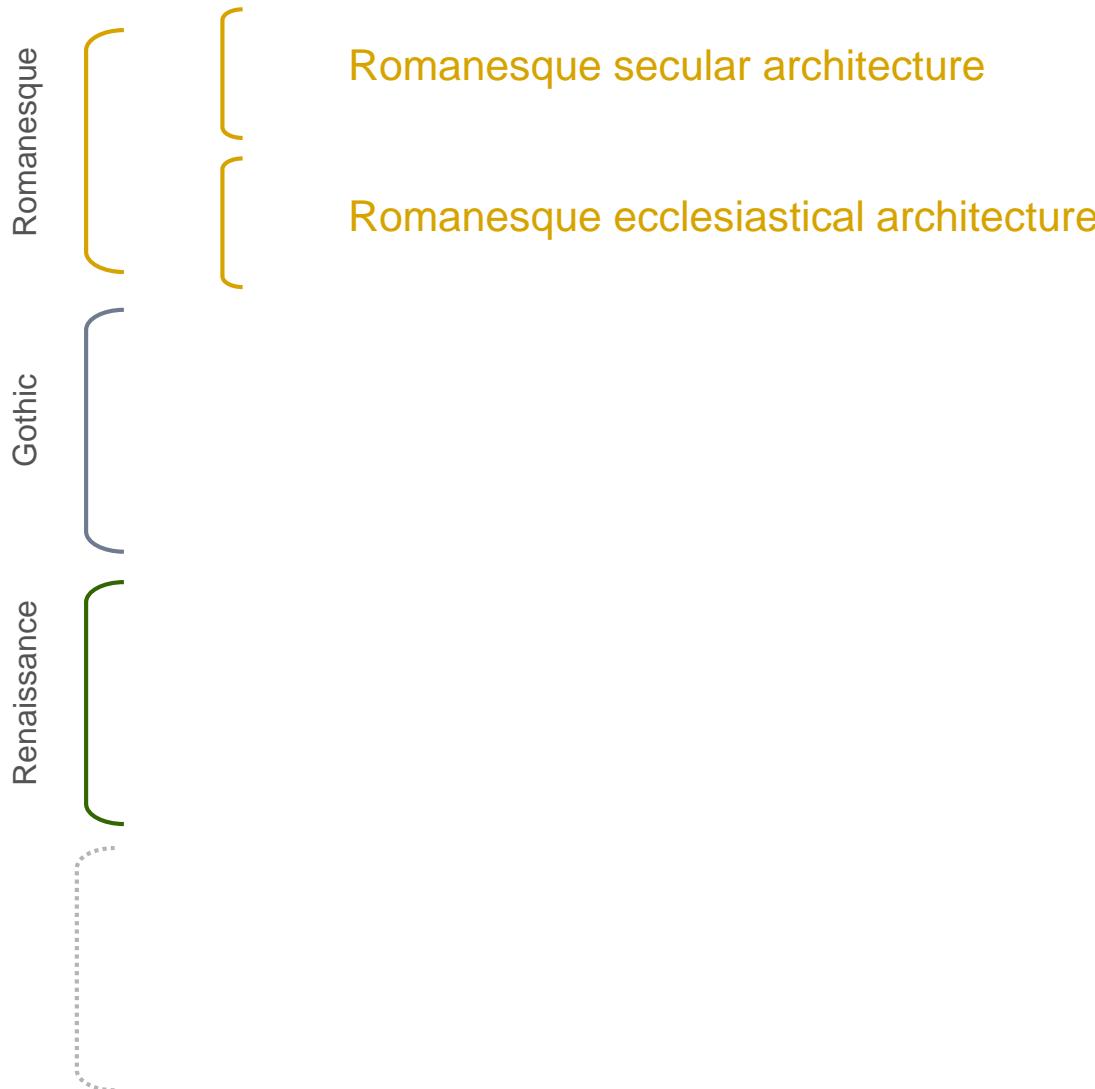
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Renaissance



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> Second step : use / destination



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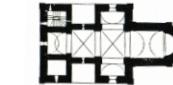
> Third step : a classification by general architectural composition / choices

Romanesque

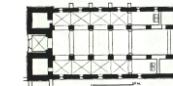
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Renaissance

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Group 3: Basilican churches without transept



Group 4: Single cell circular churches

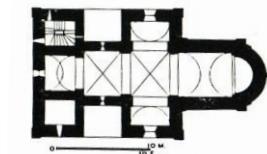
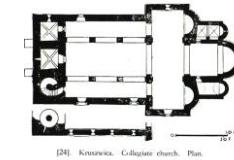
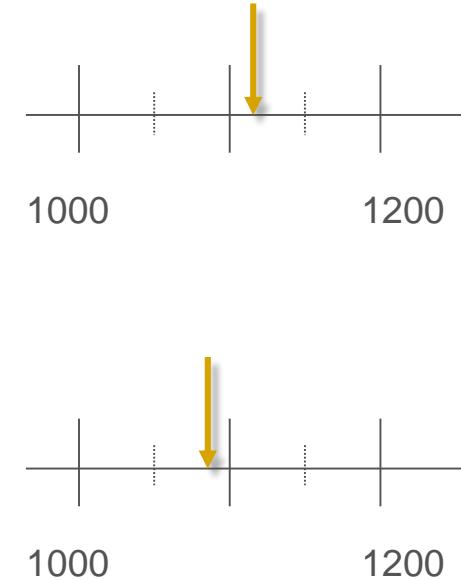
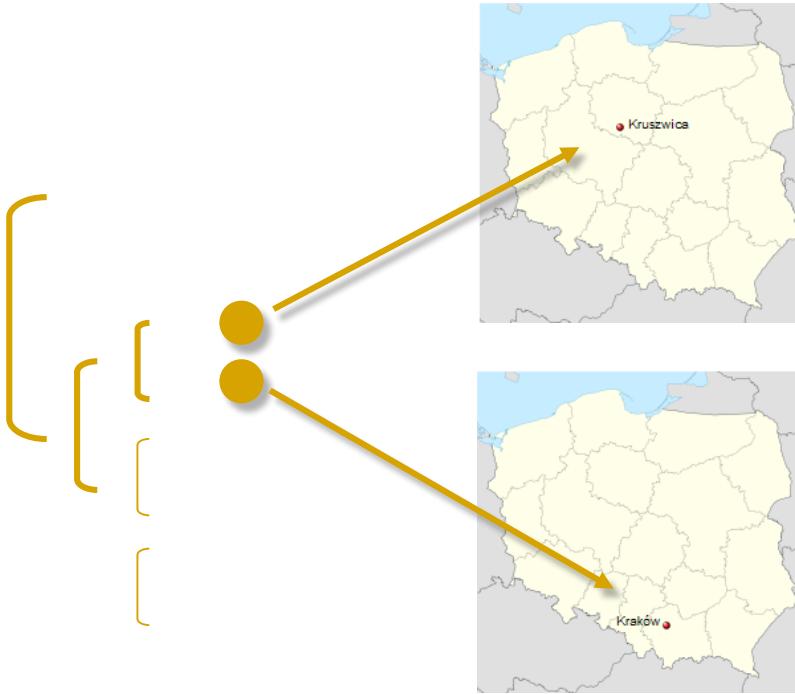


Each group is a chapter inside  
which several edifices are  
described.

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- > Another, underlying step : space and time, not used as division lines, but present in the author's introduction

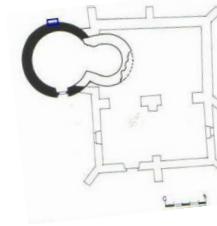
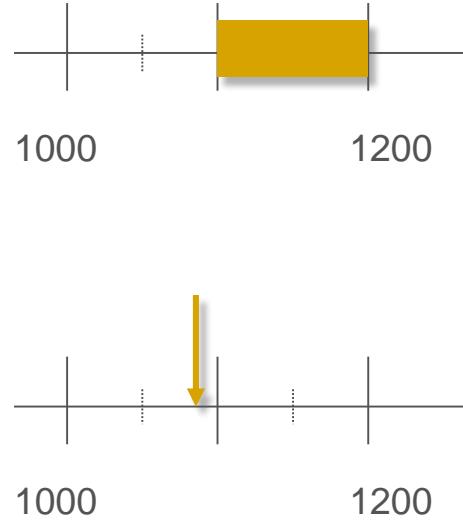
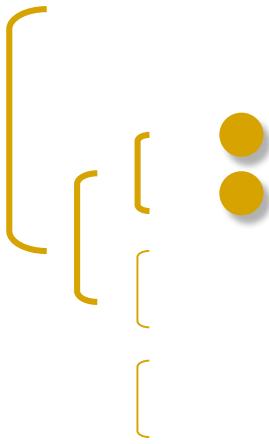
Romanesque / ecclesiastical architecture  
Group 2: Basilican churches with transept



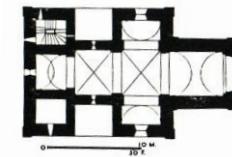
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However indications given by Z. Dmochowski are heterogeneous:



12<sup>th</sup> century



1086

Romanesque / ecclesiastical architecture  
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The variability differs from group to group.

## TimeWheel appliqu  ´ la classification Dmochowski

Our goal:

not an exhaustive analysis of the survey, or of Polish architecture,  
but more like a proof feasibility experiment.

The experiment was carried out on a subset : 50 edifices, 2 styles (Romanesque /Gothic) 10 groups, time and space , plus a subjective selection of features – step 5.

Romanesque ecclesiastical architecture

Group 2: basilican churches with transept



Group 3: basilican churches without transept



Group 4: single cell circular churches



Group 5: single cell rectangular cell

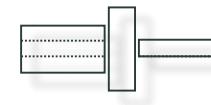


Group 6: Cistercian churches and monasteries



Gothic ecclesiastical architecture

Group 9: early churches of the mendicant /preaching orders



Group 10: basilican churches



Group 11: Three nave hall churches



Group 12: Double-nave hall churches



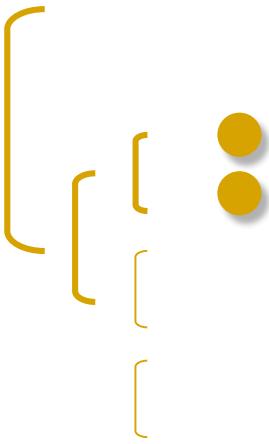
Group 13: Single-nave hall churches



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- > A fifth step – an interpretation step: architectural features, corresponding to heterogeneous variables

Romanesque / ecclesiastical architecture  
Group 2: Basilican churches with transept

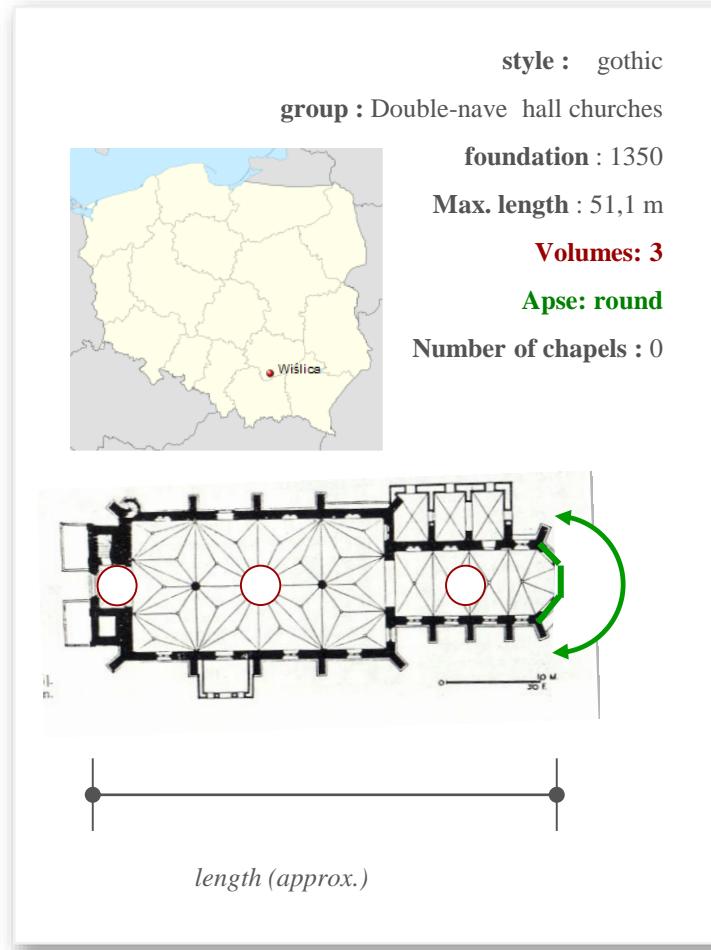


- length *float or integer*
- shape of the apse *lexical scale*
- number of chapels *numerical scale*
- number of interior volumes *numerical scale*

Indications not systematically present in the Dmochowski's survey.

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## Eight variables to combine : an example

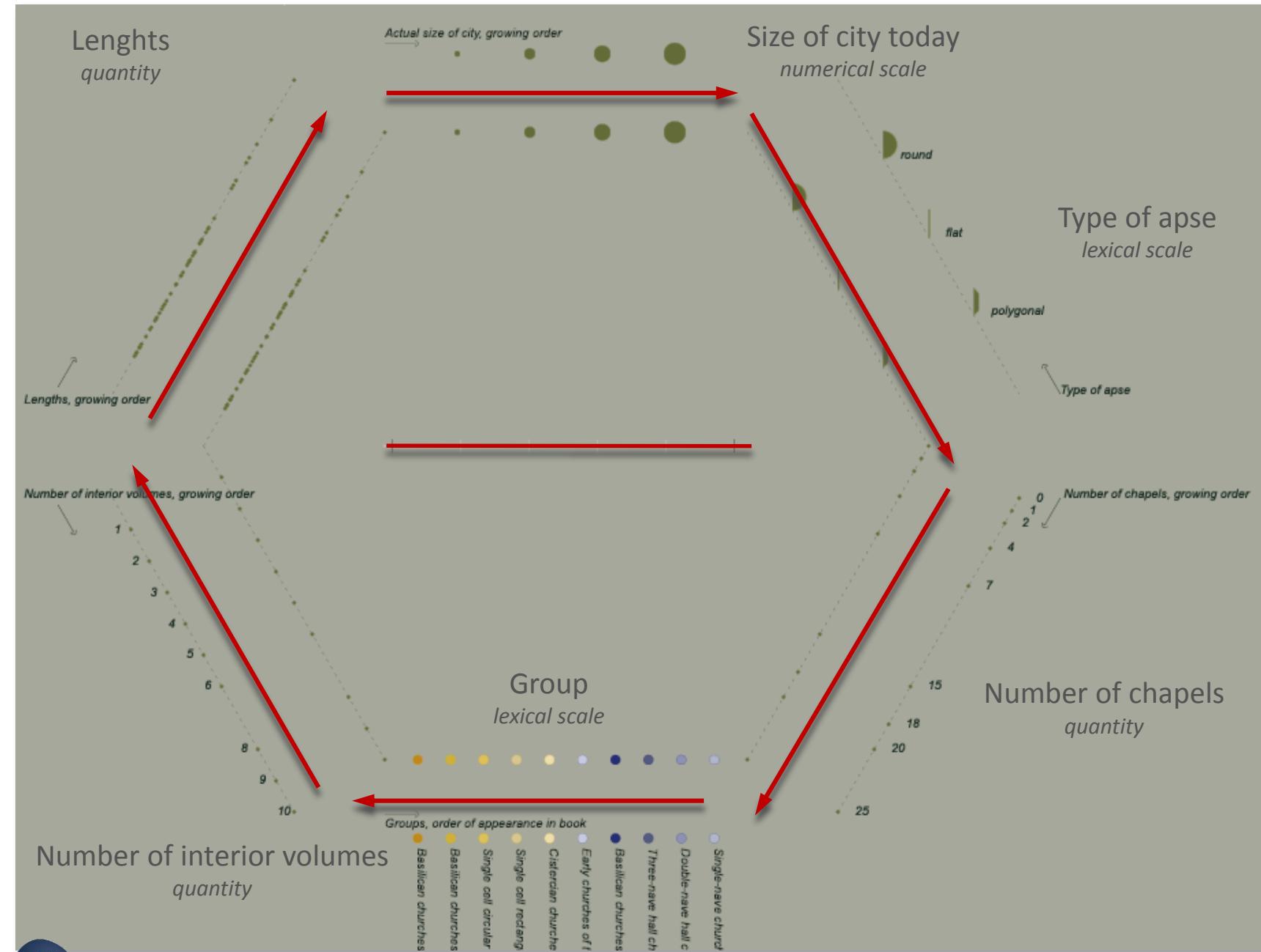


- style
- group
- foundation date
- localisation (2D coordinates)
- length
- shape of the apse
- number of chapels
- number of interior volumes



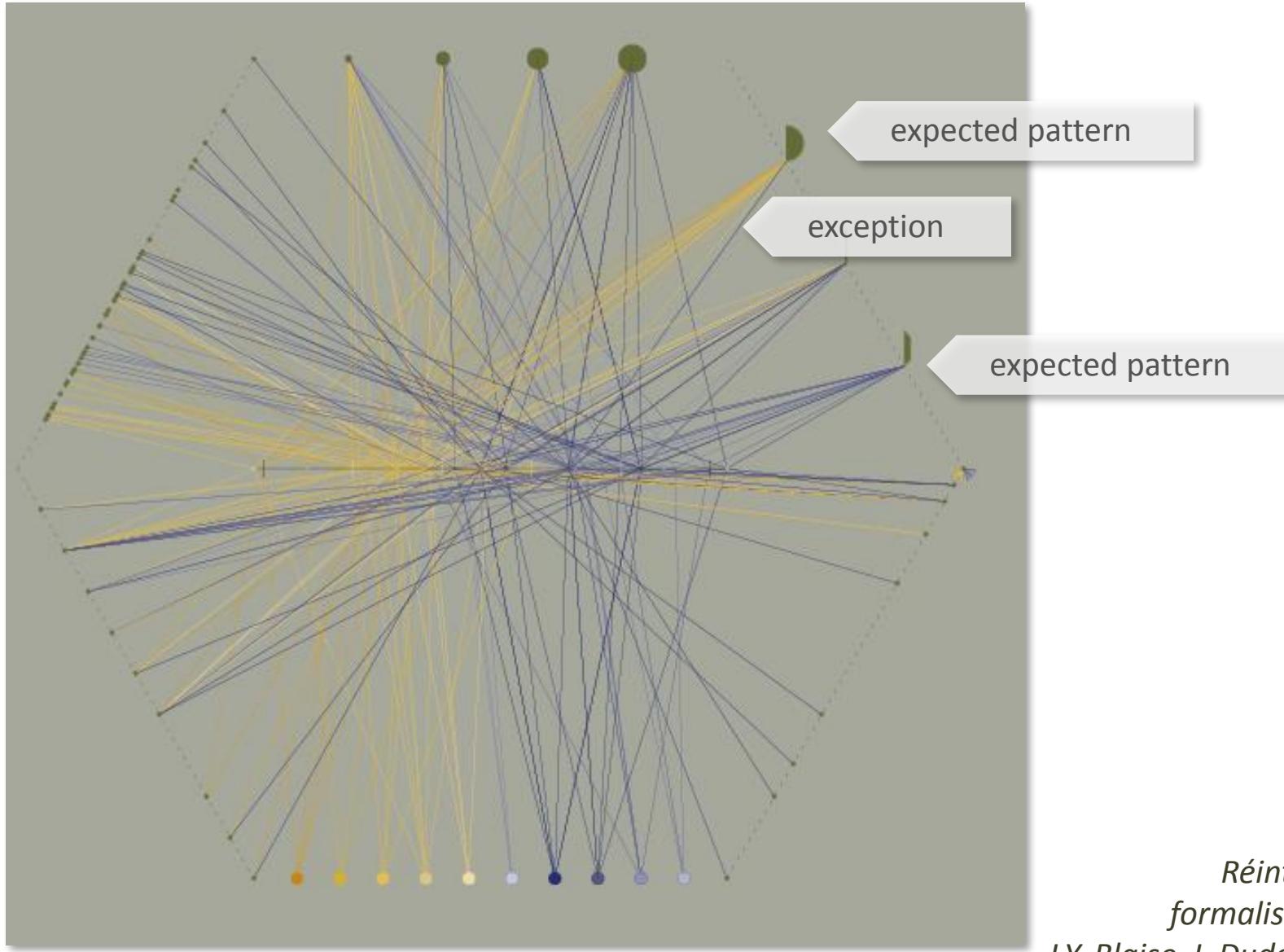
Each of the 50 edifices is represented by a series of connections between the time axis and the attributes axes

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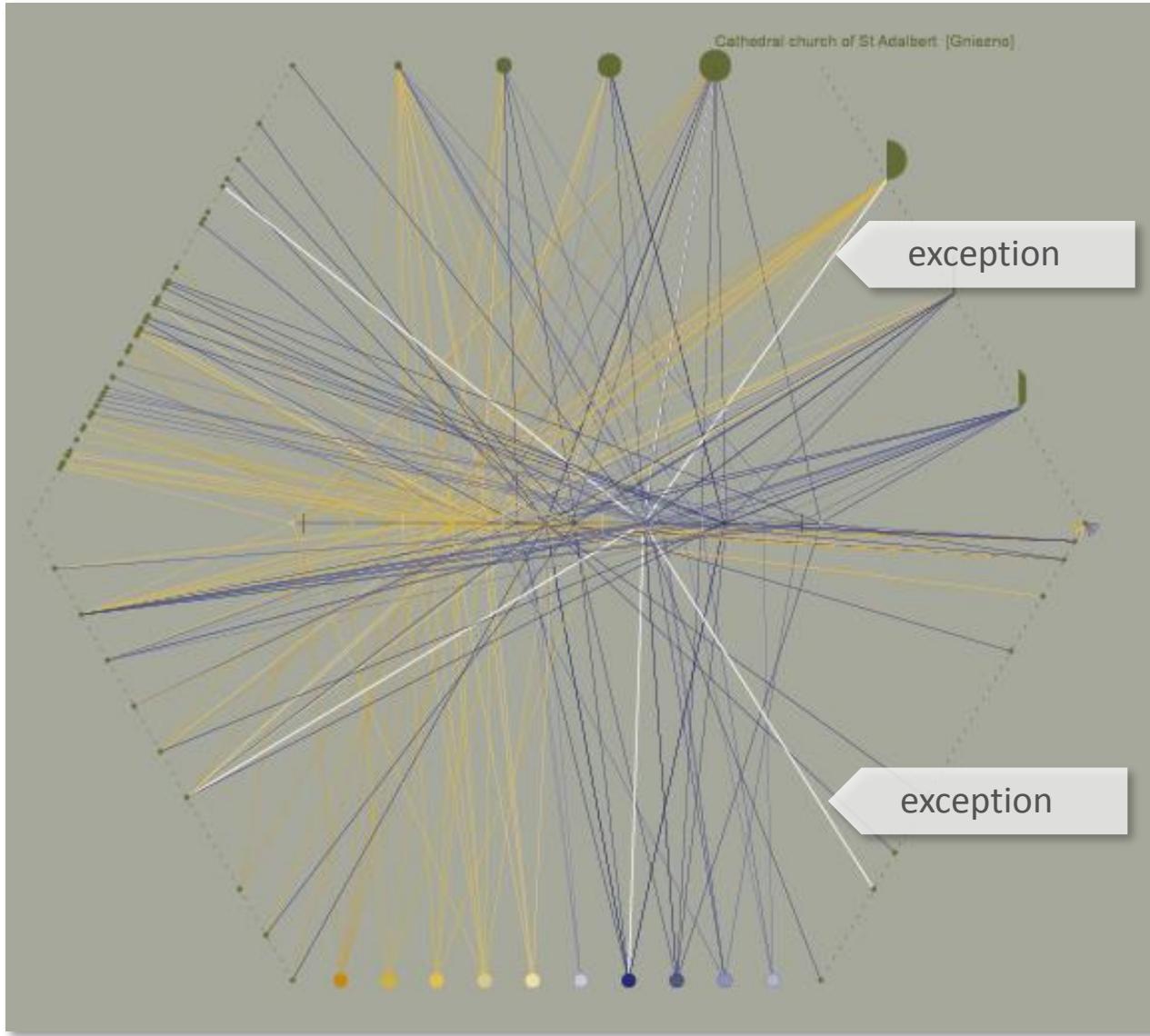


Dmochowski's classification is time-oriented



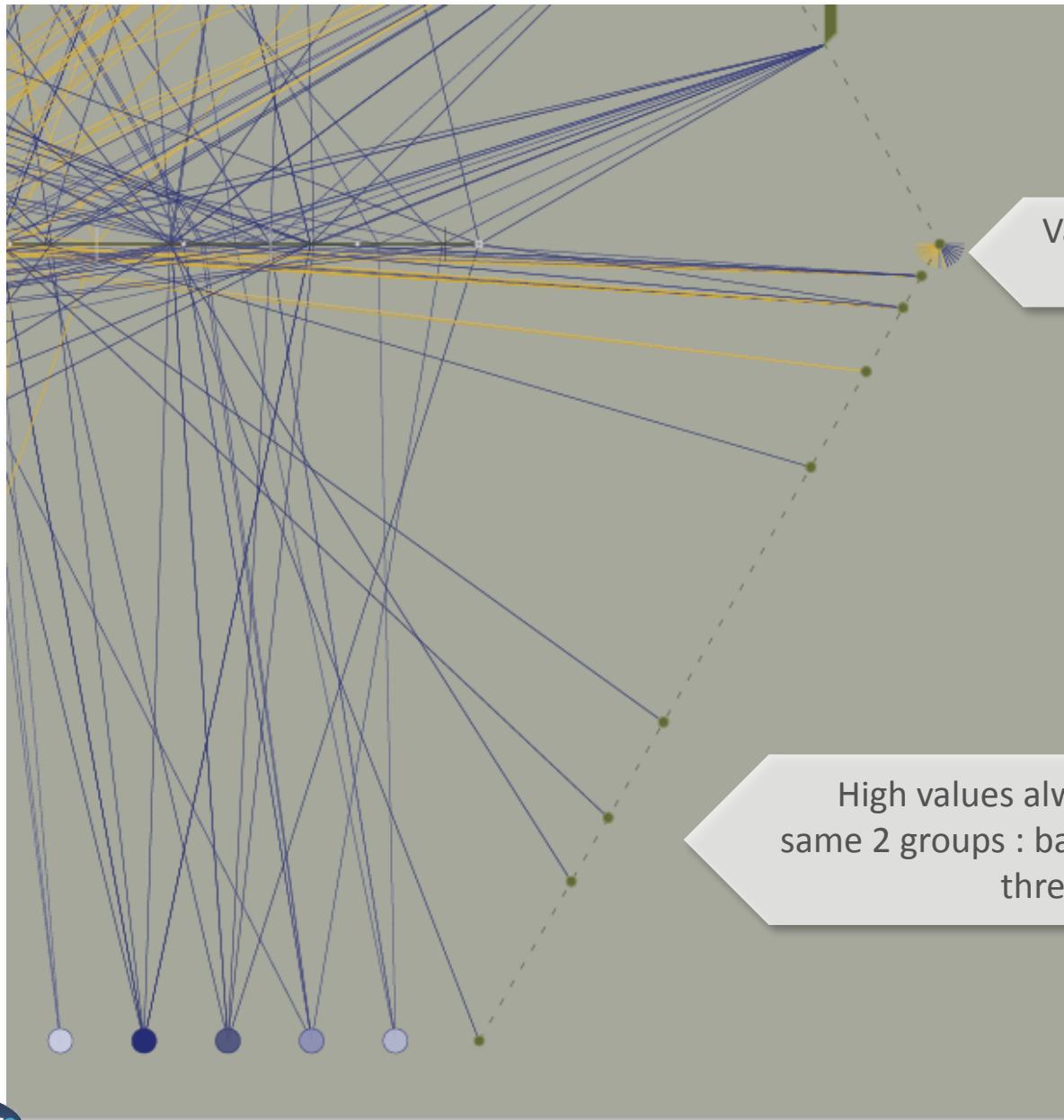
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Number of chapels

Value “zero” occurs almost in every group and style

The formalism helps analysing the value of a given variable (here number of chapels) over the whole collection.

High values always occur inside the same 2 groups : basilican churches and three-nave hall churches

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