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"The success of the Jeffreys-Bullen travel time tables was due in large part to Jeffreys' consistent use of sound statistical methods."

Hudson (1981)

"Jeffreys ... attention to scientific method and statistical detail has been one of the main forces through which Seismology has attained its present level of precision."

Bullen and Bolt (1985)

"The uncertainty is as important a part of the result as the estimate itself. ... An estimate without a standard error is practically meaningless."