

STARS and STRIPES

SURVEY 55

JANUARY 1945

Origin: G-1, ETOUSA

Purpose: Determine preferences for materials in Stars and Stripes, Tomorrow, Warweek and Army Talks, to provide information for further planning of the policies of these publications.

Cleared:

Problem Area: 2419 men interviewed

Production Data: Marginal runs completed in 7½ hours.

Reports Published: E-107, "Soldier Opinion of The Stars and Stripes."  
E-110, "Soldier Opinion of Warweek."  
E-111, "Soldier Opinion of Tomorrow."

Action Taken: Memorandums, covering the findings, were sent to editors of all editions

Appended Data: Questionnaires  
Marginals

5-203A

SURVEY 55 A  
STARS and STRIPES

Cols. 1 & 2 - Unit designation  
Cols. 3, 4 & 5 - Schedule number

Cols. 1-2-3-4-5	1-2-3-4-5	No.	Unit
1 1 0 2 1	1 1 0 4 0	20	QM Co. 533 QM Gr. 555 Bn.
1 2 0 0 1	1 2 0 3 0	30	QM Co.
1 5 0 0 1	1 5 0 4 1	41	361st Engr.
1 6 0 0 1	1 6 0 4 9	49	E-514 Engr. (Depot)
1 7 0 0 1	1 7 0 5 0	50	76th Ordnance Bn.
2 0 0 0 1	2 0 0 2 9	29	290-297 MP Co.
2 5 0 0 1	2 5 0 2 5	25	Signal Service (15 companies)
3 1 0 0 1	3 1 0 4 4	44	Medical (7 Conv. Hosp.)
5 1 0 0 1	5 1 0 4 9	49	Rifle Co. (3) 30 Regt. 3rd. Div.
5 2 0 0 1	5 2 0 1 5	15	Rifle Co. 1st. Bn. 15th Inf. 3rd Div.
5 3 0 0 1	5 3 0 2 5	25	Rifle Co. Co. C, 7th Regt. 3rd Div.
5 4 0 0 1	5 4 0 4 6	46	393rd Inf. Regt. (Cross section) 99th Div.
5 5 0 0 1	5 5 0 5 0	50	394th Inf. Regt. (Cross section) 99th Div.
5 6 0 0 1	5 6 0 4 9	49	395th Inf. Regt. (Cross section) 99th Div.
6 0 0 0 1	6 0 0 0 7	7	Hq. Co. 7th Inf. Regt. 3rd. Div.
6 1 0 0 1	6 1 0 2 0	20	A.T. 30 Regt. 3rd. Div.
6 2 0 0 1	6 2 0 2 2	22	Cannon Co. 30 Regt. 3rd. Div.
7 1 0 0 1	7 1 3 2 5	325	Ground Forces - Hospital (7)
7 2 0 0 1	7 2 1 3 0	130	Ground Forces - Reinf. Depot (19th)
8 1 0 0 1	8 1 0 9 2	92	322nd Bomber Gp. 9th Air Force
8 2 0 0 1	8 2 1 1 0	110	344th Bomber Gp. 9th Air Force

1228

Coding was started on S-55-A and 55-B Mon 19 Feb. 1945. 55-A and 55-B were coded and checked on 19 and 20 Feb. On Wed. 21 Feb. all but one man switched to coding and checking S-55-A. 1228 schedules of 55-A were coded and checked (some checked col. for col. and others checked at random) by 1730 hrs. Friday 23 Feb. During the coding and checking period cards were being punched at MRJ, Ordn, and the office with the available hand punchers. The punching, checking, and counting ended Sat. 24 Feb. (Approximately 150 man hrs, to code, check and punch 1228 schedules.)

The marginal runs were started at 1630 hrs. Sat. 24 Feb and were completed at 1200 hrs. Sun. 25 Feb. (Approximately 7½ man hrs. to complete marginals).

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SURVEY 55-B  
WEEK & ARMY T.I.M.S

ls. 1 & 2 - Unit designation  
ls. 3, 4 & 5 - Schedule number

ls.	1-2-3-4-5	1-2-3-4-5	No.	UNIT
	1 1 0 0 1	1 1 0 2 0	20	1st Co. 533 MI Gr. 555 Bn.
	1 2 0 3 1	1 2 0 6 3	33	2nd Co. " " " "
	1 5 0 4 2	1 5 0 8 4	43	361st Engrs. Spec. Serv Regt.
	1 6 0 5 2	1 6 0 8 1	30	E-514 Engrs. (Depot)
	1 7 0 5 1	1 7 0 9 9	49	76th Ordnance Bn.
	2 0 0 3 0	2 0 0 5 5	26	290-297 MP Co.
	2 5 0 2 6	2 5 0 5 0	25	Signal Serv. (15 Companies)
	3 1 0 4 9	3 1 0 9 6	48	Medical (7th Conv. Hosp.)
	5 1 0 5 2	5 1 0 8 4	33	Rifle Co. (3) 30 Regt. 3rd Div.
	5 2 0 1 6	5 2 0 3 0	15	" " 1st Bn, 15th Inf Regt. 3rd Div.
	5 3 0 2 7	5 3 0 5 4	28	" " Co. C 7th Regt. 3rd Div.
	5 4 0 4 9	5 4 0 9 6	48	393rd Inf. Regt. (Cross-section) 99th Div.
	5 5 0 5 1	5 5 1 0 0	50	394th " " (Cross-section) 99th Div.
	5 6 0 5 0	5 6 0 9 6	47	395th " " (Cross-section) 99th Div.
	6 0 0 0 3	6 0 0 1 4	7	Hq. Co. 7th Inf. Regt. 3rd Div.
	6 1 0 2 1	6 1 0 4 2	22	A.T. 30 Inf. Regt. 3rd Div.
	6 2 0 2 4	6 2 0 4 4	21	Cannon Co. 30 Regt. 3rd Div.
	7 1 3 3 3	7 1 6 4 0	303	Ground Forces-Hospital (7th)
	7 2 1 3 3	7 2 2 7 5	138	" " Reinf. Depot (19th)
	8 1 0 9 4	8 1 1 7 4	81	322nd Bomber Gp. 9th Air Force
	8 2 1 1 2	8 2 2 3 5	124	344th " " 9th Air Force
			<u>1191</u>	

A total of approximately 140 man hrs to code, check and punch 1191 schedules of 55-B

Final runs were made on Friday 2 Mar.

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\*\*\*FI18 PRINT OF HEADER LABELS:

VOL1B024240

NIH=BTHSDA

HDR1AMS203B.CLEAN B0242400010246 87041 000000000000IBM OS/VS 370  
HDR2F072000008040TOHP002 /GO A B 60154

\*\*\*FI21 CURRENT DATA SET NUMBER IS - 00246

\*\*\*WT2 BLOCK 1, RECORD 1, RECORD 1 IN ENTIRE FILE, RECORD SIZE

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\*\*\*WT2 BLOCK 1, RECORD 2, RECORD 2 IN ENTIRE FILE, RECORD SIZE

220300012130582198 \*

\*\*\*WT2 BLOCK 1, RECORD 3, RECORD 3 IN ENTIRE FILE, RECORD SIZE

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\*\*\*WT2 BLOCK 1, RECORD 4, RECORD 4 IN ENTIRE FILE, RECORD SIZE

220300022130582143 \*

\*\*\*WT2 BLOCK 1, RECORD 5, RECORD 5 IN ENTIRE FILE, RECORD SIZE

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\*\*\*RE5 5 RECORDS PRINTED, 0 RECORDS COPIED IN THIS PHASE.

\*\*\*FI23 PRINT OF TRAILER LABELS:

EOF1AMS203B.CLEAN B0242400010246 87041 000000000027IBM OS/VS 370  
EOF2F072000008040TOHP002 /GO A B 60154

\*\*\*FI29 BLOCK COUNT IN EOF1 LABEL DOES NOT MATCH RECORDED BLOCK COUNT. THIS MAY BE DUE TO SKIPS, OR BACKSPACES.

80 . } 1 legend record  
80 . } (From 20/1/7)