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(OFFICERS' MISCELLANEOUS STUDY, S-86)

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ABSTRACT

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Series: "Officers' Miscellaneous Study" (S-
86; December 1943). [machine-readable data
file]/ Collected by the Army Research
Branch: the Roper Center [producer] 1977; the
National Archives and Records Administration
(NARA) [distributor]

PROVENANCE: One in a series of empirical studies converted to
tape from punch cards by the Roper Center in 1977. The
data and documentation are copies, created from data
collected by the Army Research Branch between 1942-
1955. Due to factors such as age and military
reorganizations, the records are no longer complete.

TYPE OF FILE: Microdata with numeric codes. Units of observation
are white company grade line and staff officers.

UNIVERSE DESCRIPTION: Some officers in the US Army (this is not
a representative cross-section sample of all US Army
officers.

GEOGRAPHIC COVERAGE: ASF, AGF and AAF installations in the
continental United States.

SUBJECT MATTER DESCRIPTION: A study to discover officers'
attitudes toward the Army Orientation program and to
collect data on the following: branch preference and
attitude toward other branches, Army adjustment, desire
for combat, longevity of the war, attitude toward the
Army's utilization of experience, training and skills,
foreign policy attitudes, opinion of enlisted men's
attitudes, interest in postwar education and postwar
Army careers, the postwar political situation and
demobilization choices.

The survey includes a sample of white company grade

line and staff officers from regular units in 5 ASF and AGF and 3 AAF installations in the US. This sample also includes UTC and RTC officers from Camp Crowder. There is a sub-sample which is a cross-section of 3 (the 66th, 75th and 77th Infantry) Divisions. The sub-sample was drawn from the total sample and is distinguishable in the electronic documentation.

TECHNICAL DESCRIPTION:

FILE STRUCTURE: non-hierarchical, fixed length.
FILE SIZE: 1059 total cases with two card image records per case (see agency abstract).

SORT SEQUENCE: arranged by card number, thereunder by survey number, thereunder by ballot number (last is a Roper Center designation).

RELATED REFERENCE MATERIALS: See NARA general documentation for the American Soldier Series.

RELATED PUBLICATIONS: See list of related publications and agency documentation described in the NARA general documentation folder for the American Soldier Series.

See specifically, Reports B-91, B-95 and B-100, found in RG 330, Records of the Office of the Secretary of Defense, E-94, "Research Reports."

RELATED MACHINE-READABLE MATERIALS: See the list of "Army Research Surveys (1942-1945) Available in Machine-readable Format at the National Archives" in the NARA general documentation folder for the American Soldier Series.

See specifically, Officers' Orientation Study (S-85) and Enlisted Mens' Miscellaneous Study (S-87) in the list of surveys.

DESCRIPTORS: WORLD WAR II, US ARMY (MORALE, TRAINING, ORIENTATION, ADJUSTMENT, IDENTIFICATION WITH, ENLISTED MEN, OFFICERS, DISCIPLINE), POSTWAR CAREER/EDUCATION, POSTWAR POLITICAL PROFILE, COMBAT, RULES, ENEMIES, ALLIES, OFFICER TRAINING.

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OFFICERS' ATTITUDE STUDY

5-86

1. PURPOSE

To find out officers' attitudes toward the Army Orientation program and to collect attitude data on the following areas:

- (a) Branch preference and attitudes toward every other branch.
- (b) Attitude toward the Army utilization of experience, training and skills.
- (c) Army adjustment.
- (d) Desire for combat.
- (e) Longevity of the war.
- (f) Internationalism-Isolationism attitudes.
- (g) Opinion of Enlisted Man's attitudes.
- (h) Demobilization choices.
- (i) Interest in Post-war Education.
- (j) Interest in Post-war Army career.

2. DATE OF ADMINISTRATION

December, 1943

3. SAMPLE

A sample of 1,059 white company grade line and staff officers from regular units in 5 ASF and AGF and 3 AAF installations in Continental United States. Includes UTC and ERC officers from one camp (Crowder).

A sub-sample which is a cross-section of 3 Divisions (the 66th, 75th, and 77th Infantry Divisions) was derived from the over-all sample. This sample can be separated from the total by sorting out the "X's" in Col. 80.

Note: The total sample is not a representative cross-section sample of the Army.

4. SCALES AND MEASURES

- (a) Cross-section group punched "X" in Col. 80 of Cards I and II combined and Card III.

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- (b) Post-war Army (Qs. 81-83) on bottom half of Col. 7 of Card III.
- (c) Types of Responses to Post-war Foreign Policy Items (1st scoring) on Col. 71 of Card III.
- (d) Post-war Foreign Policy Items (2nd scoring) on Col. 80 of Card III.

5. ANALYSIS MATERIALS AVAILABLE

- (a) Field notes
- (b) Questionnaires (1,099)
- (c) Two sets of IBM Punch Cards:
 - (1) One set labeled Officers' Miscellaneous Study - S-86, Card I and Card II combined, containing:
 - (a) Camp, outfit, serial number and efficiency rating (Cols. 1-6)
 - (b) Questions 1-69 (Cols. 7-74)
 - (c) Cross-section gang punched "X" in Col. 80
 - (2) One set labeled Officers' Miscellaneous Study - S-86, Card III, containing:
 - (a) Camp, outfit, serial number and efficiency rating (Cols. 1-6)
 - (b) Questions 70-100 (Cols. 7-48)
 - (c) Scale scores and gang punches:
 - 1) Cross-section gang punched "X" in Col. 80
 - 2) Post-war Army (Bottom half of Col. 7)
 - 3) Types of Responses to Post-war Foreign Policy Items (1st scoring) on Col. 71
 - 4) Post-war Foreign Policy Items (2nd scoring) on Col. 80
- (d) A serialization scheme which indicates how to separate the cards into camps, outfits, and officers' various efficiency ratings.
- (e) Gang punch schemes showing how each of the scores was arrived at and indicating in which column of the card the scale score has been punched.
- (f) Editing and coding instructions.
- (g) A copy of the questionnaire with the marginal distribution for every question and the column number of each question indicated with the set of cards on which it can be found.
- (h) Photostat copies of the scale pictures.

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B-95 **Opinions and Information about the Army Orientation Course.**

B-100 Opinions of Enlisted Men in the United States and in Two Overseas Theaters, and Opinions of Line Officers of Company Grade, in the United States on Post-war Compulsory Military Training.

1. The first step in the process of identifying and evaluating potential risks is to conduct a thorough review of the project's objectives, scope, and timeline. This involves understanding the project's goals, the resources available, and the constraints that may affect the project's progress.

2. The following information was obtained from records maintained by the FBI:

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Intermittent contact - isolation

Attaches to the U.S. relations with Africa in Africa

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VALIDATION NOTES
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AMS86.CLEAN (AMS0086.CDBK)

The raw data for this study is available in a single dataset (AMS86.CLEAN), and the documentation is available in another dataset (AMS0086.CDBK). Marginal distributions are available in the documentation dataset.

The documentation dataset does not have codes for questions 15, 21-35, 41, 55, 66-69, 97. Nor are codes available for the Postwar Foreign Policy Items Score (column 45 of the second card image record) or the serial identification number (columns 49-50 of the second card image record). There are no codes or data for the open response questions.

Otherwise, the data and documentation look all right with hand validation. Frequencies should be obtained to confirm the number of cases. Consult original documentation located in the Military Reference Division (NNRM) for additional information.

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