

S-213

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SAMPLING INFORMATION

Purpose
Date of administration

CODING AND EDITING INSTRUCTION

Code sheets
Code book with added codes and columns

MARGINAL BOOK

Marginals
Percentages
Combined question numbers
Combined column numbers

IBM INFORMATION

Gang punches

SCALOGRAM ANALYSIS

Scales and scores
Photostat scale pictures

OTHER INFORMATION

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GENERAL MORALE INDICES

S-213

1. PURPOSE

This is a follow-up study on S-181 (Morale Indices Study). The morale index questions are principally those from S-181. Responses on these questions were used as a further measure of morale attitudes of ASF operating personnel (Station Complement), to provide trend indices from S-181, and to compare work efficiency attitudes with morale. The data was analyzed by major commands (ASF, AGF & AAF) and, within each command, by returnees vs. non-returnees. The particular area stressed was the attitude of returnees (as compared with non-returnees) toward conversion, retraining, and further service. In this particular area comparisons were also made with S-157 (Reassignment Study).

NOTE: Certain areas in S-213 are the same as those in S-214. These are: Job satisfaction, Retraining, Neuropsychiatric and personal adjustment items, 5 of the morale indices items. The samples of both these studies can be combined for analysis of these areas.

2. DATE OF ADMINISTRATION

May, 1945

3. SAMPLE

There are three samples included in this study.

- (a) A total sample of 4,963 White and Negro enlisted men from 31 ASF, AGF and AAF installations. Returnees and ZI men are included; also instructors and trainees, and operating overhead troops.
- (b) The second sample consists of combining the total sample of S-213 with the total sample of S-214. Certain questions (see Note under PURPOSE) are the same in both studies. This yields a total sample of 5,597 White and Negro enlisted men.
- (c) The third sample is an Army cross-section sample of White enlisted troops selected from the total sample of S-213 and including all of the total sample of S-214. It has 2,561 cases.

4. SCALES AND SCORES

- (a) Job Satisfaction (Qs. 13-15) punched in Col. 74.
- (b) Gang punches:
 - (1) White cross-section sample of S-213 and S-214 punched "X" in Col. 1.
 - (2) Operating overhead, ASF troops, punched "X" in Col. 2.
 - (3) Negro units, punched "X" in Col. 3.

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(c) Neuropsychiatric Score punched in Col. 80.

(d) NEUROPSYCHIATRIC SCORE PUNCHED IN COLS 72-73 (8 ITEMS)

5. ANALYSIS MATERIALS AVAILABLE

(a) Field notes and sampling instructions.

(b) Questionnaires (4,963).

(c) One set of IBM Punch cards labeled General Morale Indices, S-213, Total Sample, containing:

(1) Camp, Outfit, Race, Cross-section and Operating overhead identification and serial number. (Cols.1-6).

(2) Questions 1-63 (Cols. 7-79).

(3) Scales and Scores (Cols. 74 and 80).

(d) A serialization scheme which shows how to separate the cards into camps, outfits, Race, Operating overhead and cross-section sample.

(e) Editing instructions.

(f) A copy of the questionnaire containing the marginal distribution for each question and with the column number for each question indicated.

(g) Gang punch schemes showing how each of the two scale scores was arrived at.

(h) Photostat copy of the job satisfaction scale.

6. STUDY ANALYSTS

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7. REPORTS

C-124 Comparative Morale Attitudes of Men in Army Service Forces
in Continental United States.

8. NOTE

See also S-181 and S-214.

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