

S-150 (ES-35)

9th Air Force...Medium & Light Bombers

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BOMBER CREWS

SURVEY 35 JULY 1944

Origin:

Purpose: Survey of attitudes of Bomber crews towards Combat flying and rest facilities and effects on crews of number and frequency of missions flown.

Cleared: Chief of Staff, 9th Air Force.

<u>Problem Areas:</u>	Job satisfaction	Promotions
	Higher headquarters	Rest and time-off
	Efficiency	Training
	Confidence in ship	Recreation
	Combat flying	Post-war plans

Field Data: Total of 1935 questionnaires - 602 officers and 704 enlisted men from medium bomber crews, and 247 officers and 382 enlisted men from light bomber crews.

Production Data: Punch cards sent to Washington 6 Nov 1944 with codes.

Reports Published:

- E-65, "Attitudes of Medium Bomber Crews Toward Combat Flying"
- E-66, "Attitudes of Light Bomber Crews Toward Combat Flying"
- E-67, "Effects on Medium Bombardment Crews of Number and Frequency of Missions Flown"
- E-68, "Effects on Light Bombardment Crews of Number and Frequency of Missions Flown"
- E-69, "Attitudes of Medium Bomber Crews Toward Time-Off, Rest, and Base Facilities"
- E-70, "Attitudes of Light Bomber Crews Toward Time-Off, Rest, and Base Facilities"
- E-71, "What Medium Bomber Crews Say About Their Pre-Combat Training"
- E-72, "What Light Bomber Crews Say About Their Pre-Combat Training"
- E-73, "Attitudes of Medium Bomber Crews Towards Their Jobs and Their Planes"
- E-74, "Attitudes of Light Bomber Crews Toward Their Jobs and Their Planes"
- ES-35, "Summary -- Memo to CG, Ninth Air Force, subject Research Findings and Recommendations"
- E-75, "What Officers in the Ninth Air Force Say About Staying in the Army After the War"
- E-76, "What Enlisted Men in the Ninth Air Force Say About Staying in the Army After the War"

Action Taken: Not known

Appended Material: Questionnaire  
Codes

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VALIDATION NOTES

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AMS150.CLEAN (AMS0150.CDBK):

There are a total of 1935 cases in this version of the study, however, the number of officers and enlisted men indicated here is slightly different than the number indicated in the original agency abstract. Marginals are available in the documentation dataset (AMS0150.CDBK). Codes are not available for questions 10a, 29a, 32a, 33a, 34c, and 64. There does not appear to be any other significant problems with the data.

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