

ART 5.5.2.3 Prepare Historical Reports of Military Operations

Provide well-researched studies and analyses, accurate historical information, institutional memory, historical perspective, and input to lessons learned to support commanders and staffs in problem solving and decisionmaking. (FM 1-20) (Center of Military History)

NO.	Scale	Measure
01	Yes/No	Echelon headquarters had a history program that provided studies and analyses, accurate historical information, institutional memory, and historical perspectives to its constituent commanders and staffs to support problem solving and decisionmaking.
02	Yes/No	Echelon headquarters exercised staff supervision over subordinate unit and organizational history programs and activities, including biennial staff assistance visits to subordinate command history offices and review and evaluation of the professional historical credentials and qualifications of all candidates for command historian positions in subordinate commands.
03	Yes/No	Historian prepared historical reports supported leader development.
04	Yes/No	Command historian assisted in the planning and preparation of historical reports, including the command report.
05	Yes/No	Short historical studies of immediate use to the command were prepared to provide insights concerning special tactics, techniques, and battlefield improvisations.
06	Time	Required to establish command historical programs to include monographs, doctrinal and special studies, histories, documentary collections, oral history interviews, and studies on topics and events of historical significance to the command and the Army.
07	Time	To prepare historical manuscripts for publication.
08	Time	To respond to historical inquiries from within or external to the supported unit.
09	Time	Required to perform instruction or teaching duties in military history when assigned to a service school.

10	Percent	Of available historian resources devoted toward performing instruction or teaching in military history.
11	Number	Of doctrinal and special studies prepared.
12	Number	Of biennial staff assistance visits to subordinate command history offices.
13	Number	Of oral history interviews.
14	Number	Of historical inquiries for which a response was prepared.
15	Number	Of monographs prepared on selected operations, battles, activities, or problems.

Supporting Collective Tasks:

Task No.	Title	Proponent	Echelon
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