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This is the Annotated Cumulative Codebook: Standard Cross-Cultural Sample

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This codebook provides a self-contained system for labeling and interpreting the codes on societies in the Standard Cross-Cultural Sample, as published in the *World Cultures Electronic Journal*. The sequential variable numbers assigned to variables are used consistently throughout the journal. Code numbers, labels, and variable names are edited for consistency and clarity within the cumulative database. This codebook is intended to be as useful, if not more so, for cross-cultural comparisons with microcomputers than the articles in which the codes were originally published. The coded data are also edited, and occasionally corrected after a rereading of the original ethnographic materials, always in a way that remains as close as possible to the original intent and definitions of the authors.

1. CODES

The codebook identifies a set of codes by an abbreviated substantive title of the book or article in which the codes were first published, and provides an exact reference to the original source. The name of the computer datafile for the set of codes is given. The Cumulative Number and Name is given for every variable in each datafile. Under each variable are found several rows containing frequency, code number, and descriptor information. (1) On the left is the number of societies in the Standard Cross-Cultural Sample that have as a characteristic the descriptive label to the right. These frequencies, including missing data, always sum to the sample size of 186. These are the univariate marginal frequencies of the variables, and they can be checked against the MARGINALS option (#17) in the MAPTAB program (*World Cultures* Volume 1, Number 3, Supplement) for particular variables. (2) Second is a code number corresponding to the descriptive label. (3) On the right is the descriptive label. Each variable is a set of mutually exclusive categories, so that if sufficient information is available, a given society is assigned to one of the categories or descriptive labels. This is the CODE NUMBER assigned to the society. There are, for example, seven (7) societies under variable 1 with no intercommunity trade.

Headings for this format appear at the top of each page when this file is printed with PC-Write, which is distributed with the Journal. For programmers using the codebook as a formatted file (as does MAPTAB) the variable number appears in cols. 1-4, frequencies in 5-7, code numbers in 11-12, and Labels beginning in col. 16.

A different format is used when there is a series of variables that use the same code categories. Here, all of the variable names occur first, and are repeated in columns to the right of the code categories. The Code Numbers and Labels appear but once, followed by the number of cases in each category for each of the variables in the columns. See variables 93-148 for examples.

2. ANNOTATIONS: RELIABILITY AND VALIDITY

This edition begins the annotation of information on reliability and validity of codes. Statements or evidence presented by authors are cited, and tests of reliability or validity using codes from different studies reported. The editors of the *World Cultures* journal have appointed a Blue Ribbon Variables committee, headed by J. M. W. Whiting, to survey the high quality variables. One of their first tasks will be the compilation of judgments or references about reliability and validity. This is an ongoing effort. Contributions to this end are welcome.

3. BIBLIOGRAPHY OF CODED STUDIES USING THE STANDARD SAMPLE

The initial sample design, several codes, and suggested primary and secondary authorities, as well as the pinpointing of the best described social units in time and space, are found in: Murdock, George P., and Douglas R. White. 1969. Standard Cross-Cultural Sample. *Ethnology* 8:329-369.

Under the entries in this bibliography are listed the name of the datafile containing coded data from this study, the issue of *World Cultures* in which the codes are published, and the variable numbers of the codes in the cumulative codebook.

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