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Survey of Research on Sino-Soviet Bloc Population and Manpower

Gaps in Intelligence

Progress to Date

I. CRITICAL DEFICIENCIES

A. Productivity of Labor

(Most of the current studies completed or planned by the member agencies are still directed toward estimating basic data on labor force. Only a few studies estimating labor productivity have been possible so far. Important gaps on labor input and output impede the planning and completion of studies on this deficiency. The intelligence community in the past has concentrated on labor force in the USSR, but recently has accumulated data pertaining to the European Satellites, and is now also conducting a major effort on Communist China.)

A. 1. Studies Completed in FY 1959

- Census - The Labor Force of East Germany, 1933-57
Producer's Cooperatives in the Soviet Union
Electric Power Consumption in the USSR, 1955
Manpower Utilization in the Soviet Automobile Industry
- OACSI - Various Military Manpower Studies
- State - NIS 20, Chapter IV, Section 44, Albania - Manpower
- CIA - Labor Supply and Employment in Hungary, 1949-56
Economic Implications of the Reorganization of Education in the USSR
Labor Supply and Employment in Poland, 1950-56
Forced Labor in the USSR, 1953-57
- Labor - "Revitalization of Production Conferences in the Soviet Union", Monthly Labor Review, Dec 1958
Occupational Health Services in the Soviet Union

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I. CRITICAL DEFICIENCIES	
A. <u>Productivity of Labor</u> (Continued)	2. <u>Studies in Progress in FY 1960</u>
	<u>Census - The Labor Force of the Soviet Zone of Germany</u> <u>The Labor Force of Bulgaria</u> <u>The Labor Force of Czechoslovakia</u> <u>The Labor Force of Rumania</u> <u>Labor Force and Employment in the USSR</u> <u>Non-Agricultural Employment in Mainland China</u> <u>Soviet Logging Industry</u> <u>Estimates of Soviet Industrial Employment,</u> <u>1933-55</u> <u>Specialized Manpower and its Utilization in</u> <u>the USSR</u> <u>The Soviet Statistical System: Labor Force</u> <u>Records and Reports</u> <u>The Soviet Statistical System: Production</u> <u>Records and Reports</u>
	OASSI - (Additional projects on military manpower)
	State - NIS 14, Chapter IV, Section 44, <u>Poland--Manpower</u>

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Area of Intelligence

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CRITICAL DEFICIENCIES

1. Productivity of Labor (Continued)

2. Studies in Progress in FY 1960 (Continued)

CIA - Distribution of the Soviet Labor Force
Labor Productivity in the USSR
The Labor Force of Communist China
An Appraisal of Current Programs for the Allocation of Manpower in Soviet Industry
Manpower in Communist China

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I. CRITICAL DEFICIENCIES (Continued)	
B. <u>Population and Manpower Resources of Regional Urban Areas</u>	B. 1. <u>Studies Completed in FY 1959</u>
(Official publication of Handbooks on the national economies of the various republics, oblasts, and krays in the USSR have added materially to estimates of population and manpower of regional and urban areas for the USSR, but great gaps still remain. Materials on the European Satellites and Communist China are still inadequate. Materials on North Vietnam and North Korea are scarce and of low quality.)	Census - <u>The Population of Hungary Projections of the Population of Hungary, 1958-76</u> <u>Soviet Population Distribution Study Projections of the Population of Bulgaria, 1959-76</u>
	LC - <u>Political and Population Survey</u> (A series of 159 studies is planned, covering major political sub-divisions of the USSR; 69 have been completed, 14 in FY 1959.) <u>Target Data Inventory</u> (one section of this annually revised inventory includes population estimates for each urban target area.) <u>The 1958 Annual Estimates of Political and Demographic Composition of the Sino-Soviet Bloc</u> (data on the population of cities and administrative divisions, as well as over-all data on population and labor force by country.)
	State - NIS 18, Chapter IV, Section 41, <u>Czechoslovakia-- Population</u>

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<u>I. CRITICAL DEFICIENCIES</u>	
B. <u>Population and Manpower Resources of Regional and Urban Areas</u> (Continued)	2. <u>Studies in Progress in FY 1960</u>
	Census - <u>Population Estimates and Projections for Selected Countries, 1957-62</u> <u>Projections of the Population of the Soviet Zone of Germany, 1959-76</u> <u>Projections of the Population of Czechoslovakia, 1959-1976</u> <u>European Satellite Population Distribution Study</u>
	IA - 1960 editions of the reports in B. 1. above.
	CIA - <u>Trends in World Population and Their Implications for World Politics (10.2222)</u> <u>Economic Effects of Intra-German Migration (between East and West Germany)</u>

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II. OTHER IMPORTANT PROBLEMS

A. Analysis of Soviet Population Censuses

(The census of population conducted by the Soviet government in January 1959 is expected to result in the release of a great amount of data, especially on the age and sex distribution of population and on the labor force in the USSR. A major effort is currently being made, principally in the Census Bureau's Foreign Manpower Research Office to be prepared for study of the Soviet census results. AIR and CIA are providing major support in this effort.)

B. Analysis of Chinese Population Data

(The Census Bureau, supported principally by AIR, is currently beginning a major effort on analysis of available data on China. Great gaps of information are still apparent.)

A. 1. Studies Completed in FY 1959

Census - 1959 Census of Population of the USSR: Methodology and Plans
The U.S.S.R. Census of Population, 1939: Organization and Methodology
Estimates and Projections of the Soviet Population, 1950 to 1976

2. Studies in Progress in FY 1960

Census - Population Registers in the USSR

B. 1. Studies Completed in FY 1959

CIA - Controls on Population Growth in Communist China

2. Studies in Progress in FY 1960

Census - The Urban Population of Mainland China
Estimates and Projections of the Population of Mainland China (1953 to 1975)
Size, Composition and Growth of the Population of Mainland China
Framework for Analysis of Expected 1959 USSR Census Results