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Mental Measurements Yearbook and *Tests in Print*

A Guide to the Descriptive Entries

Entry Number: The number cited in all indexes when referring to this test.

Title: Test titles are printed in boldface type; secondary or series titles are set off from main titles by colon.

Population: A description of the groups for which the test is intended.

Administration: Individual or group administration is indicated.

Distribution: This is noted only for tests that are put on a special market by the publisher.

Special Editions: Various types of special editions are listed here.

Author: All test authors' names are reported, exactly as printed on the test materials.

Cross References: For tests that have been previously listed in a Buros publication, cross references to the reviews, excerpts, and references will be noted here. "9:1410," for example, refers to test 1410 in the *Ninth Mental Measurements Yearbook*; "T4:3010" refers to test 3010 in *Tests in Print IV*.

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The Hypothetical Test: Reading.
Purpose: Designed to "measure achievement in reading."
Population: Grades 9-12.
Publication Dates: 1989—1994.
Acronym: HYPE.
Scores, 3: Vocabulary, Comprehension, and Total.
Administration: Individual or group.
Forms, 3: Survey, Abbreviated, Complete Battery.
Restricted Distribution: Distribution of Survey Form restricted to school principals.
Price Data, 1995: $70 per complete kit including 100 tests, scoring key, and manual ('94, 120 pages); $9 per scoring key; $32 per manual.
Special Editions: Braille edition available.
Time: 50(60) minutes.
Comments: May be self-scored.
Author: Jane J. Doe.
Publisher: Hypothetical Tests, Inc.
Cross References: See T4:3010 (2 references); for reviews by John Roe and Robert Smith of an earlier edition, see 9:1410 (6 references).

Purpose: A brief, clear statement describing the purpose of the test; often these are quotations from the test manual.

Publication Date: The inclusive range of publication dates.

Acronym: Acronym by which the test may be commonly known.

Scores: The number of explicit scores is presented along with the descriptions of what they are intended to measure.

Forms: All available forms, parts, and levels are listed.

Price Data: Price information is reported for test packages, answer sheets, accessories, and specimen sets.

Time: This is the amount of time to take, and administer, the test. The first number is the actual working time examinees are allowed, and the second (parenthesized) number is the total time needed to administer the test.

Comments: Special notations and comments.

Publisher: The publisher's full address can be found in the Publishers Directory and Index.

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