

Combat Exposure Scale

Please circle the number above the answer that best describes your experience.

- 1) Did you ever go on combat patrols or have other dangerous duty?
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| 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |
| No | 1-3 times | 4-12 times | 13-50 times | 51+ times |

- 2) Were you ever under enemy fire?
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| 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |
| Never | <1 month | 1-3 months | 4-6 months | 7+ months |

- 3) Were you ever surrounded by the enemy?
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| 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |
| No | 1-2 times | 3-12 times | 13-25 times | 26+ times |

- 4) What percentage of the soldiers in your unit were killed (KIA), wounded or missing in action (MIA)?
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| 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |
| None | 1-25% | 26-50% | 51-75% | 76% or more |

- 5) How often did you fire rounds at the enemy?
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| 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |
| Never | 1-2 times | 3-12 times | 13-50 times | 51+ times |

- 6) How often did you see someone hit by incoming or outgoing rounds?
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| Never | 1-2 times | 3-12 times | 13-50 times | 51+ times |

- 7) How often were you in danger of being injured or killed (i.e., being pinned down, overrun, ambushed, near miss, etc.)?
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