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Advancement Handbook for Quartermaster

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PREFACE

The purpose of the Advancement Handbook is to help you focus your preparation for Navywide advancement-in-rating examinations. The bibliographies (BIBs) together with this handbook form a comprehensive examination study package. Since this handbook provides skill and knowledge components for each paygrade of the Quartermaster rating, it helps you concentrate your study on those areas that may be tested. This feature will help you get the most out of your study time.

Each page in Parts 1 through 4 of this Advancement Handbook presents general skill areas, specific skill areas, the knowledge factors associated with each skill area, the pertinent references that address each skill, and the subject areas that may be covered on the examination. The skill statements describe the skills you are expected to perform for each paygrade. The skill statements are cumulative; that is, you are responsible for the skills for the paygrade you are competing for, your present paygrade, and all paygrades below.

Although this handbook is very comprehensive, it cannot cover all the tasks performed in the rating. As a result, the advancement examinations may contain questions more detailed than described in the “*Exam Expectations*” section of the skill areas.

Remember that advancement competition is keen, so your keys to advancement include not only comprehensive advancement examination study but also sustained superior performance.

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Part 1

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<p>General QM <i>Skill Area</i></p>	<p>Navigation</p>
<p><i>A skill</i> you are expected to perform from the General Skill Area above:</p>	<p>Determine ranges</p>
<p><i>Knowledge</i> you should have to perform this skill:</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • State the components of a typical surface radar set and describe how radar works • Discuss the proper selection of radar targets and taking ranges in the proper order • State the procedure for obtaining a radar range
<p><i>References</i> you should study to gain the knowledge you need to perform this skill:</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Quartermaster, NAVEDTRA 12120
<p><i>Exam Expectations.</i> These are subject areas you should know to help you answer exam questions correctly:</p>	<p>You can expect questions on identifying and describing the components of a radar set and obtaining ranges by navigational radar.</p>