A NEW METHOD OF PROBABILITY SAMPLING IN THE FIELD OF EDUCATION (Abstract)

Philip Desind, U. S. Office of Education

In this paper is described a method for converting a two stage sample plan to a one stage design. At the same time the proposed method which is based upon the frequency of the letters of last names, permits maximization of the primary units for a given size sample of secondary units. This method is highly advantageous since the administration of setting up the design by the respondents is simple.