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Dear Professor Rhine,

Thanks for your letter of August 8th.

(*) I have read through the appendix to Chapter II and cannot see what ground there is for objection against the general use of the ratio $\frac{D}{p.e.}$ as you have done. With respect to obtaining a combined probability, from the probabilities obtained in a number of separate tests of significance, you might find it worthwhile to compare what you have done with the method I suggest in Section 21.4, page 97 of the fourth edition of my "Statistical Methods". I forget which edition it first appeared in. I should judge that your method somewhat exaggerated the significance of the combined result, but not to a sufficient amount to effect your conclusions.

Yours sincerely,

[* J.B. Rhine Extra-Sensory Perception]