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No new members this time. DXM deadline **Monday @ 6 PM.**

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***** IRCA Mexican Log, 20th Edition (Winter 2015) *** NOW AVAILABLE *****

The **IRCA MEXICAN LOG** lists all AM stations in Mexico by frequency, including call letters, state, city, day/night power, slogans, schedule in UTC/GMT, formats, networks and notes. The call letter index gives call, frequency, city and state. The city index (listed by state, then city) includes frequency, call and day/night power. The transmitter site index (listed by state, then city) tabulates the latitude and longitude of transmitter sites. This is an indispensable reference for anyone who hears Mexican radio stations. Size is 8 1/2" x 11".

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2016 IRCA-NRC-WTFDA-DecalcoMania CONVENTION NEWS

The IRCA will join the members of the NRC, WTFDA, and DecalcoMania on September 9-11 2016 in Kansas City MO and other DXers in AM, FM or TV. It will be held at the Hyatt Place Kansas City Airport, 7600 NW 97TH Terrace.

Information on registration will be made available starting in January. Rates are \$99.00 per night for 1 to 3 persons per room plus taxes and fees. Plan to arrive on Thursday for 3 nights and ends on Sunday noon. Free airport transfers and breakfast each morning. Registration: \$55 per person which includes a free Friday evening pizza party and Saturday evening banquet. Checks made payable to NATIONAL RADIO CLUB and sent to ERNEST J WESOLOWSKI, 13312 Westwood Lane, Omaha NE 68144-3543. Please mention which clubs you belong to for club treasury info. Dale Hamm W5LN and Ernie are your host. 73's neerniew@yahoo.com

FIRST CALL FOR PAPERS/TALKS: SHARING YOUR IDEAS

Have you had some fun DX experiences you'd like to share with the rest of the club members? Ideas for new techniques or antenna-design? Thoughts about ways to make the hobby even better?

The Kansas City joint DX Convention will be a good place to do that. We're thinking about restructuring our "tech talks" programs, to include less-formal presentations with the longer 'papers.'

If you don't have enough for a full-blown talk, we'd still like to hear your ideas, so consider this your first opportunity to express your interest in doing so. Regardless of the length of your comments, we can support your presentation with full audio and video playback as well as slide projection.

Please let me know if you have some DX-related ideas you'd like to contribute!

Mark Durenberger – Mark4@durenberger.com

DXtreme Reception Log X

DXtreme Software has released a new version of **DXtreme Reception Log X**, which lets users log stations throughout the radio spectrum and make use of advanced features that can make their radio and television monitoring experience more enjoyable. For more information, visit www.dxtreme.com or contact Bob Raymond at bobraymond@dxtreme.com.

CALENDAR READY TO ADORN ENGINEERS' WALLS EVERYWHERE

It started as a lark in 2002. Scott Fybush, the publisher of NorthEast Radio Watch, had so many tower photos that he launched a new feature, "Tower Site of the Week." Its readers suggested a calendar highlighting tower photos.

The 2016 calendars cost \$19 each (\$20.55 including sales tax for New York State residents) plus **\$3.50 shipping** first class or **\$6.50 Priority Mail**, and can be purchased by check (payable to "Fybush Media") or money order to 92 Bonnie Brae Avenue, Rochester NY 14618, or at www.fybush.com.



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Column Deadlines: Saturdays

DATE OF COLUMN: November 21, **Column data span:** November 7-21 2015, Data courtesy of Stationintel.com, FCC database and member contributions

CALL CHANGES

FREQ	OLD CALL	CITY OF LICENSE	NEW CALL
1340	KADI	Springfield, MO	KICK

FORMAT, SLOGAN AND SILENT STATUS CHANGES

FREQ	CALL	CITY OF LICENSE	NEW INFORMATION
590	WROW	Albany, NY	old slogan: "Magic 590", new: "Magic 590 AM/100.5 FM"
630	KIDD	Monterey, CA	was silent, now classical, adds slogan: "K-Mozart"
700	WCNF	Dothan, AL	now silent
990	WLEE	Richmond, VA	was news/talk, now black gospel, old slogan: "News Talk 990", new: "Rejoice 990"
1220	KQMG	Independence, MO	was silent, now classic hits, adds slogan "Brite 95.3"
1300	WRDZ	La Grange, IL	now silent
1340	KWXY	Cathedral City, CA	was adult standards, now talk
1340	WALL	Middletown, NY	was regional Mexican, now classic hits, old slogan: "Fierro 1340/1390 AM", new: "WALL Radio"
1380	WTOB	Winston-Salem, NC	was classic hits, now Spanish
1400	KTNM	Tucumcari, NM	deletes unknown secondary format
1420	WRSR	St Albans, VT	now silent
1440	KPTO	Pocatello, ID	now silent
1470	WCFJ	Chicago Heights, IL	now silent
1490	KDRS	Paragould, AR	was hot adult contemporary, adds Westwood One Rock 2.0, old slogan: "Jill Radio", new: "I Rock 103.9"

1490	WTIQ	Manistique, MI	was oldies, now classic country, old slogan: "Cruisin' 1490", new: "The Maverick 1490"
1490	KWOK	Aberdeen, WA	was ESPN Radio, now Fox Sports Radio, old slogan: "ESPN Radio 1490", new: "Fox Sports 1490 AM"
1540	KENT	Enterprise, NV	new CP, now on air?
1540	KTGG	Spring Arbor, MI	was contemporary Christian, now religious teaching. old slogan: "The Message", new: "Strong Tower Radio"
1540	WREJ	Richmond, VA	now silent
1590	WBHN	Bryson City, NC	was silent now Westwood One Real Country, adds slogan: "Real Country"

MEMBER CONTRIBUTIONS

Dave Gordon of Morgan Hill CA adds the following item dated 11/11/15 re KIDD-630 Monterey CA format change:

Classical music format. The station is now owned by Saul Levine. The station is probably simulcasting Saul's other classical music stations. I haven't heard the ID yet.

Russ Edmunds of Philadelphia PA adds the following item dated 11/10/15:

WALL-1340 NY is still //WEOK-1340, so the format and slogan listed for WEOK will also apply to WALL.

WELL, INTERVIEWED FOR A JOB ON FRIDAY 11/20 AND GOT AN OFFER THE VERY SAME EVENING!! I'll be working at Innovim in Silver Spring MD doing NOAA radiosonde work and a hefty raise to boot!! Planned start date is 12/7/15, talking over with my current work Monday 11/23. Wow, what a great Thanksgiving gift! 5 days till Thanksgiving, 6 days till Black Friday, I'll hold off on shopping due to saving money just in case. Hope your DX is good. Looks like KC convention won out over San Jose by 1 vote, I lived in San Jose most of my life so a bit disappointed, but I'm sure KC will put on a good convention. 73's. **Bob Wien**



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WDXR DEADLINES: Nov 27, Dec 4, Dec 11, Dec 18, Dec 25, Jan 1, Jan 8, Jan 15 and Jan 22. Please use Eastern Local Time.

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- 770 KCBC **CA**, Manteca heard 11/17 at 0900 with "KCBC 770." (BB-AZ)
- KTTH **WA**, Seattle heard 11/17 at 0845 with several ads for Seattle with area code (206) way under KKOB. (BB-AZ)
- 870 KJMP **CO**, Pierce heard 11/14 at 0815 with "KJMP" then oldies. (BB-AZ)
- 910 KPOF **CO**, Denver heard 11/15 at 1840 with "You're listening to AM 91, The Point of Faith" way on top of KGME. (BB-AZ)
- 920 KLMR **CO**, Lamar heard 11/18 at 1932 with "KLMR The Giant of the High Plains" then weather report. (BB-AZ)
- 930 KSEI **ID**, Pocatello heard 11/15 at 2257 with "KSEI AM and 106.7." (BB-AZ)
- KFLB **TX**, Odessa heard 11/15 at 2100 with "KFLB Family Life Radio." (BB-AZ)
- 950 KCAP **MT**, Helena heard 11/19 at 0833 with "KCAP Helena Morning News." (BB-AZ)
- 1000 KCEO **CA**, Vista 11/19 weak at 0800 with "Immaculate Heart Radio KCEO, Vista, San Diego." (NJ-AZ)
- 1060 KDYL **UT**, South Salt Lake heard 11/20 at 0800 with "This is KDYL 1060 Salt Lake City, Utah." (BB-AZ)
- 1080 KSSL **UT**, Price 11/12 mixing with KRLD 1959 with "KSSL Price, The Castle is Rockin'" ID. (JCJ-AZ)
- 1120 KZSJ **CA**, San Martin 11/18 mixing with KANN 1959 with "KZSJ San Martin" ID in English during Vietnamese programming. New for me. (JCJ-AZ)
- KPNW **OR**, Eugene 11/20 0800 Fair with ID "Newsradio 11-20 KPNW" into WW1 "First Light." Only my 3rd Oregon station heard from AZ. (NJ-AZ)
- KTXW **TX**, Manor 11/19 0800 ID "Your home for Baylor Bears football, KTXW..." into SRN News. (NJ-AZ)
- 1280 KFRN **CA**, Long Beach 11/19 over KZNS 2359 with "KFRN Long Beach" ID. (JCJ-AZ)
- 1290 KOWB **WY**, Laramie heard 11/13 at 2100 with "KOWB" then news. (BB-AZ)
- 1300 KAPL **OR**, Phoenix heard 11/14 at 1950 with "KAPL" then at 1955 "Good News Radio." (BB-AZ)
- 1330 KNSS **KS**, Wichita heard 11/19 at 1923 with "KNSS 1330." (BB-AZ)
- 1360 KBUY **NM**, Ruidoso heard 11/15 at 0800 with "KBUY." (BB-AZ)
- 1550 KKOV **WA**, Vancouver heard 11/16 at 1900 with "KKOV." (BB-AZ)
- 1570 KPRO **CA**, Riverside 11/15 alone on 1570, no XERF. 1100 out of news with KPRO Riverside ID. New for me. (JCJ-AZ)
- 1580 KGAL **OR**, Lebanon 11/13 at 1852 with ad for Albany, Oregon then "KGAL" at 1854. (BB-AZ)

The next WDXR deadline is Black Friday (November 27)! – Nancy 11/20 1800



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 Grundig Sat 800 and whip

DOWN THE DIAL

- 880 KRVN **NE**, Lexington. 11/13 good signal over KLRG in WIJR null. 1748 noted with spots for Lexington and Grand Island. [EB-MO]
- 890 WHJA **MS**, Laurel. 11-12 2355 with Gospel music, "Gospel 890" slogans. Signal way over WLS. [SP-WI]
- 940 KVSH **NE**, Valentine. 11-12 1933 with sports talk, mentioned "across Nebraska." Huskers promos and ag spots. [SP-WI]
- 1070 WAPI **AL**, Birmingham. 11/13 fair to poor signal, mixing with WFLI, WDIA and KHMO. 1731 noted with calls, traffic report, local spots and University of Alabama-Birmingham sports promo. [EB-MO]
- 1080 WWNL **PA**, Pittsburgh. 11-13 0010 with Christian program that was parallel to their online stream. Strong signal. [SP-WI]
- 1150 WJBO **LA**, Baton Rouge. 11/14 good signal over WJRD. 1745 with local spots, morning show promo, "News radio11-50 WJBO" ID into a Rush Limbaugh repeat. [EB-MO]
- 1170 KJXX **MO**, Jackson. 11/14 good signal over KFAQ. 1646 noted with Christmas music, "Enjoy your favorite Christmas songs on 92-three, The Dove" ID. [EB-MO]
- 1200 WAMB **TN**, Nashville. 11/14 good to fair signal over WRTO. 1635 noted with high school football playoff PBP. [EB-MO]
- 1240 WSBC **IL**, Chicago. 11/16 fair signal, atop the frequency. 2157 noted with Blues music program, "This is Access Radio 12-40 WSBC Chicago" legal ID at 2200. [EB-MO]
- 1290 CFRW **MB**, Winnipeg. 11/16 fair signal over WIRL. 2221 noted with Winnipeg Jets hockey PBP. The Jets were playing in St Louis that night. [EB-MO]
- 1360 WIXI **AL**, Jasper. 11/14 good to poor signal, mixing with WMOB, WSAI. 1715 noted with R&B Oldies format, local spots, "WJLD, the Heartbeat of the City" ID. [EB-MO]
- 1380 WWMI **FL**, Saint Petersburg. 11/18 fair to poor signal over KLIZ, WLRM. 2334 noted with pop music format, "Radio Disney" ID. [EB-MO]

- 1400 KFRU **MO**, Columbia. 11/18 fair to poor signal, mixing with WGIL, KWYN and other stations. 2243 noted with calls into The Jim Bohannon Show. [EB-MO]
 1410 WHLN **KY**, Harlan. 11/13 fair signal over WIHM, WIZM. 1650 noted with Adult Contemporary format and calls. [EB-MO]
 1430 WYMC **KY**, Mayfield. 11/18 fair to poor signal, mixing with other stations; local KZQZ off. 0220 noted with call letters, Web site mentioned in promo and local spots. [EB-MO]
 1460 WKAM **IN**, Goshen. 11-17 2120 Spanish ballads, local spots mentioning Goshen. [SP-WI]
 1510 KIFG **IA**, Iowa Falls. 11-13 2130 Hawkeye Basketball promos, into game, Iowa spots. WLAC nulled. A good Iowa night. NEW. [SP-WI]
 1560 WMRO **TN**, Gallatin. 11/14 good signal over KTUI, KGOW. 1645 noted with Adult Contemporary format, "Magic 15-60" ID. This is the 110th AM station noted from the Volunteer State. [EB-MO]

50 / 25 YEARS AGO

50 years ago November 24 1964 issue of IRCA's "DX Monitor" ... **Frank Merrill**'s first report mentioned he was behind on letters due to homework ... **Park Barton** logged KETO-1590-Seattle from Troy, Alabama. // 25 years ago November 29 1989 "DX Monitor" ... **Nick Hall-Patch** of Victoria BC celebrated Harold Beverage's birthday on 10/14-15 in Pembina Forks, Alberta with numerous Beverage antennas along with **Don Moman**, **Mick Delmage**, **Nigel Pimblett**, and **Larry Shewchuk**.

OPEN MIKE

Thanksgiving and Black Friday are upon us. This column was typed 11-20-15. 73, John



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TUNING THE DIALS THIS ISSUE:

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 (JJR-MI) **John J. Rieger**, L'Anse MI
 Grundig Satellit 750, stock antenna, Terk AM 1000 loop
 (PS-ON) **Paul Snider**, Welland ON, Canada
 ICOM IC-R75, Pixel RF Pro-18 loop, MFJ-1020C antenna tuner

ACROSS THE DIAL

- 670 KHGZ **AR**, Glenwood – 11/13 0712 noted with "98-9 and Caddo Country 670 AM" ID into a Classic Country format. A poor signal with no sign of WSCR. (JJR-MI)
 790 KXXX **KS**, Colby – 11/14 0725 noted with ads for Colby Dodge and a jewelry store in downtown Colby into a Classic Country format. A poor signal was noted; alone on the channel. (JJR-MI)
 920 WMNI **OH**, Columbus – 11/12 2340 noted with an Adult Standards format, "Memories... WMNI" ID at 2347. A poor to very poor signal was noted, mixing with unidentified Oldies and Spanish stations. (PS-ON)
 1040 WYSL **NY**, Avon – 11/12 2259 noted with talk format, "News Power 1040, News/Talk 92.1" ID at the top of the hour into news. A poor signal was noted mixing with an unidentified Spanish station in WHO null. (PS-ON)
 1070 WTWK **NY**, Plattsburgh – 11/11 2340 and 11/12 0106 assumed, as I heard no ID. WTWK is not supposed to be on this time of night and it's the only Bloomberg Radio station on 1070. Noted with a talk show talking about Italian-Americans, Bloomberg Radio News Break, ad for Staples, Web site promo before returning to the talk show. Also noted in the next break: an ad for the University of Mount Olive, promo for a Christmas event on November 13, 14 and 15 in Newburgh (?) before PSAs on highway traffic and recycling. There were lots of mentions of Bloomberg Radio and Bloomberg Radio-dot-com, et cetera, during the time I was listening. A fair signal was noted at times, but mostly poor mixing with WNCT and an unknown Spanish language station; no sign of CHOK. (PS-ON)
 1190 KQQZ **MO**, De Soto – 11/11 2318 noted with a Country format, "The all new KQQZ" ID at 2331, ad for Adriana's on the Hill in Saint Louis, promos for the Saint Clair County Freedom Coalition and "The Grim Reaper of Radio on the all new KQQZ", followed by a "KQQZ" jingle. A fair to poor signal was noted, mixing with WOWO and WLIB. (PS-ON) ("The Grim Reaper of Radio" refers to talk show host Bob Romanik; his show is simulcast on KZQZ 1430 – eb)
 1230 KDIX **ND**, Dickinson – 11/12 0722 noted with DJ mentioning "Buffalo Springfield, 'For What It's Worth' on KDIX" into local ad before the signal was lost. A poor signal was noted. (JJR-MI)
 1240 CJCS **ON**, Stratford – 11/14 2049 noted with "More Than a Feeling" by Boston, then "CJCS Weather for Stratford... high of 10" (that's 50 F – eb) into more Oldies, such as "Born to Be Alive" by Patrick Hernandez, "And When I Die" by Blood, Sweat and Tears. A "1240 CJCS" ID was noted before going into "Don't Stop Believin'" by Journey. "This is CJCS Stratford; another hour of the greatest hits..." legal ID at 2100 before the signal was lost. A poor signal was noted; a new log at L'Anse. (JJR-MI)
 WHBU **IN**, Anderson – 11/12 2136 noted with "WHBU" ID. A poor signal but kind of muddy, though over other stations in the mess. Noted in South Milwaukee WI; a new log in L'Anse. (JJR-MI)
 1260 WPNW **MI**, Zeeland – 11/9 2259 noted with Christian talk, "1260 WPNW Zeeland/Grand Rapids" legal ID at 2300 into news. A very poor signal was noted, mixing with WSKO and other stations. (PS-ON)
 1300 WGTJ **NY**, Rensselaer – 11/9 2231 noted with news, weather forecast, "Talk 1300" non-IDs into the John Batchelor program with talk on the Kristallnacht in 1938 in Germany. A fair to poor signal was noted, mixing with WJZ and a few others; confirmed via monitoring of Internet stream. (PS-ON)
 1320 WKAN **IL**, Kankakee – 11/1 0019 noted with a talk format, "1320 WKAN" ID at 0021, into talk show about transgender folk, equality and other related subjects. Later, a "Talk Radio 1320" ID was noted in a promo, followed by local ads, more promos, PSA for Veterans Care-dot-org into a Primary Care ad. A fair to poor signal was noted, mixing with WJAS, a possible CJMR and other stations. (PS-ON)
 1360 WYOS **NY**, Binghamton – 11/11 2228 listening to a jumble of stations when I heard a clear ID by a female announcer at 2231: "...on 1360 WYOS" before fading back into the mess. A very poor signal was noted, mixing with a possible WSAI, an unidentified Gospel station and other stations. (PS-ON)
 1370 WVLY **WV**, Moundsville – 11/8 2243 noted with weather forecast for that evening and the following morning, "on WVLY and WVLY-dot-com" ID at 2244 before the next act of "The Twilight Zone". A poor to very poor signal was noted, mixing with WTAB and a few other stations. This was confirmed by monitoring the station's Internet stream on Tune-In Radio. (PS-ON)
 1380 WWMI **FL**, Saint Petersburg – 11/14 2320 assumed this is the only Radio Disney station on 1380. Noted with a pop music format, Radio Disney promo with plenty of Radio Disney mentions, into more music; the playlist included "Baby!" by Isaac Elliot. The signal was soon lost to the mess. A fair to very poor signal was noted, mixing with CKPC and an unknown Spanish station. (PS-ON)
 1390 WFBL **NY**, Syracuse – 10/31 2358 noted with local ads, "This is Central New York Talk Radio, 1390 WFBL Syracuse, WMCR 1600 Oneida, New York" legal ID at Midnight. A fair to poor signal was noted, mixing with WXAT and other stations. (PS-ON)
 1400 WRDB **WI**, Reedsburg – 11/12 0710 noted with two mentions of Reedsburg in a newscast. A very poor signal was noted in the mess; a rare catch at L'Anse. (JJR-MI)
 1410 KWYO **WY**, Sheridan – 11/14 0740 noted with nice, clear "KWYO" ID as KRWB faded, into a Classic Country format. A poor signal was noted. (JJR-MI)
 1510 WWBC **FL**, Cocoa – 11/11 0636 noted with "...W264AS Melbourne, West Palm Bay" mention by a male announcer. The signal was noted mixing with WLAC, WLKR, WMEX and WFAI. (KK-VA)
 WMEX **MA**, Boston – 11/11 0536 noted with mention of "Saturdays from 4:00 to 5:00 p.m. on 1510 WMEX" by a male announcer. The signal was noted mixing with WLAC, WLKR, WWBC and WFAI. (KK-VA) (Too bad they can't use the "Whimex" slogan from the '60s! – eb)
 WFAI **NJ**, Salem – 11/10 0651 noted with a "Faith 1510 AM WFAI" ID by a male announcer. The signal was noted mixing with WLAC, WLKR, WMEX and WWBC. (KK-VA)
 1540 WNWR **PA**, Philadelphia – 11/11 0645 noted with "Good morning and welcome to another broadcasting day; you're listening to AM 1540 WNWR Philadelphia" sign-on announcement by a male announcer. The signal was noted mixing with ZNS1, CHIN, KXEL and two unidentified vocal music stations. (KK-VA)

- 1580 KOKB **OK**, Blackwell – 11/12 1859 noted with "Triple Play Sports Radio" mention, local ad and legal ID at 1902. A poor, weak signal was noted with no sign of CKDO. (JJR-MI)
- 1660 WQLR **MI**, Kalamazoo – 11/6 2232 noted with sports talk, Fox Sports Radio promos, local promo at 2234 mentioning Kalamazoo-dot-com multiple times. A poor signal was noted, mixing with WWRU and other stations. (PS-ON)

UNIDENTIFIED

- 1510 11/11 0730 noted with Morse Code "***TAOSNE" was sent twice. What is this? The signal was noted mixing with WLAX, WLKR, WFAI, WMEX and WWBC. (KK-VA)
- 1540 11/11 0712 noted with what sounded like: "You're listening to... Original City, WIBC"? by a male announcer. The signal was noted mixing with ZNS1, WNWR, CHIN, KXEL and two unidentified vocal music stations. (KK-VA)
- 1560 11/12 1729 noted with NBC Sports Radio, phone number given as xxx-323-4NBC, "Sports radio 1560" ID before fading. It's possible that this station could be KEBC Del City, OK, but that one is listed as "The Franchise"; NBC Sports Radio affiliate list is of no help. With KOKB 1580 and KYAL 1550 in, could it be KEBC? Only affiliate to my knowledge; signal was lost in L'Anse. (JJR-MI) (John, the only "Sports Radio 1560" I can think of is KGOW Bellaire TX, but they're on Yahoo! Sports Radio – eb)

EDITOR'S NOTES

A big welcome to Paul from north of the border! Welland, for you mapheads, is located north of the northern shore of Lake Erie near Saint Catharines. Contribute your DX often! Thanks to Kraig and John for their logs this week. To our members south of the border, Happy Thanksgiving! 73 and good DX from NØUIH



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Deadline Monday 1201 PM PLT. All times UTC/GMT.

TRANS-PACIFIC DX ROUNDUP

- 603 **CHINA**, Hulun Buir? Female-male Chinese speech at poor to fair level at 1505 11/23 (headphones recommended)
<https://app.box.com/s/ndhz7zk2ifn17svthe2f1fa8gb05agku>. (GDB-WA)
- 603 **REP KOREA**, HLSA, Seoul, KBS2. Female vocal music at a fair level at 1433 11/18; strongest of the second-tier Asians
<https://app.box.com/s/0b85bdugkb17z8js84ppu8edw6svmp9>. KBS2 network's deep-voiced male in a fair-level monolog //558 at 1440
<https://app.box.com/s/xj9riefge069wszgxv1cillhesg5pn21>. (GDB-WA)
- 1566 **REP KOREA**, HLAZ, Jeju, FEBC. 1330 11/23. (RCN-BC)
- 1593 **CHINA**, Changzhou, CNR1. Chinese female speech //1377 at very good level in and out at 1506 11/22; best signals of the season
<https://app.box.com/s/o9opa201rivlkbkj1lq5tqgn09xrn87xp>. (GDB-WA)

ODDS & ENDS

For those interested in how many of our local pests can cross the "big pond," a group of Japanese DXers in Kyoto has posted a Google map of all their TP receptions of North, Central and South American stations (103 total) received from 1994 to 2015. This was first posted on a Japanese Facebook group.
https://www.google.com/maps/d/viewer?mid=zqDBFLWFDm0.kmFqjf_0NTaA. 73, Gary DeBock

THANKS TO THESE REPORTERS

- GDB-WA **GARY DeBOCK**, Puyallup WA
 7.5" loopstick CCrane Skywave Ultralight, 15" FSL antenna
- RCN-BC **R COLIN NEWELL**, Victoria BC
 Primary receiver – Drake R8 – Antenna N/NW Flag (45' long X 27' high) with Wellbrook FLG100 head – terminated with a home-brew VACTROL (variable resistance termination – usually set around 900 ohms) for some pretty impressive front to back. 2nd receiver: AOR 7030+ and a Wellbrook ALA100M 12' loop in APPLE tree at around 6' above ground.



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Deadline – Sunday Midnight Central Time.

***** PAN-AMERICAN DX *****

- 1140 **MÉXICO** XEMR, Monterrey, NL. NOV 15 2200 – National anthem of Mexico sung by large chorus, ID by man after, "en Monterrey Neuvo Leon". Very good on RF-2200. [Barton-AZ]
- 1630 **MÉXICO** XEUT, Tijuana, BC. NOV 16 1445 – Current events programming in Spanish. Good after local sunrise here. Long deep fades, but hanging in on Grundig Satellit portable. [Barton-AZ]

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73, Brandon



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- 2485 **AUSTRALIA** ABC Northern Territory, Katherine, JUN 16 1110 – Man and Woman in current events type show , Fair but under a lot of T-Storm type static. [Barton-AZ]
- 2850 **DPR KOREA** KCBS, Pyongyang. NOV 15 1130 – Long talk by woman in Korean. Fair/poor. [Barton-AZ]
- 3250 **DPR KOREA** Voice of Korea, Pyongyang. NOV 15 1145 – Man and woman in Japanese; patriotic music after the hour. Fair with some T-storm static. [Barton-AZ]
- 3320 **DPR KOREA** Pyongyang BS, Pyoangyang. NOV 15 1350 – Woman in (listed) Korean to all male military chorus. Fair/good; choppy. [Barton-AZ]
- 3925 **JAPAN** Radio Nikkei 1, Chiba-Nagara. NOV 15 1310 – Male presenter in Japanese with Japanese pop vocals. Good. [Barton-AZ]
- 3945 **JAPAN** Radio Nikkei 2, Chiba-Nagara. NOV 14 1130 – 1980s pop vocal music. Fair/good. [Barton-AZ]
- 4055 **GUATEMALA** Radio Verdad, Chiquimula. NOV 17 1140 – Piano, male vocalist with gospel hymns. Went to Christmas choir on the hour without ID. (ID came a little after the hour). [Barton-AZ]

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