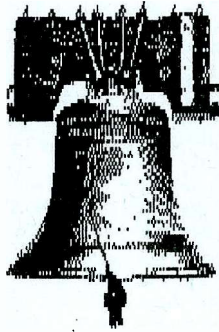


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**JULY 1992**

## GREETINGS FROM WHEELING

Hello to all and welcome to summer! We just had one of those typical wild Chicago storms the other day with tree limbs falling everywhere and massive power outages. With all of the wind damage and flooding, I'm glad that I don't have two things: a basement or an outdoor antenna!

I hope that <sup>go Bulls!</sup> you are having a good summer DX season. This always seems like a good time to catch up on program listening and sending out a batch of reception reports to the old favorite stations just to let them know you're still out there. With summer storms like this one and the increased daylight hours, it makes me think wistfully about those late December afternoons when you can pull in all that great African DX on the 60 meter band. Of course, the snow, slush and subzero windchill leaves a lot to be desired, so enjoy the warm sun and look for different ways to amuse yourself on the bands!

This has been a great month for contributions, so without further ado . . .

## DEUTSCHE WELLE PHASES OUT FULL DATA QSL CARDS

via DW direct

In honor of their 30th anniversary on the airwaves (or was it the reunification?), Deutsche Welle was issuing full data QSLs last year that specified transmitter sites. I sent off a number of reports and picked up veries on all of their German sites as well as Antigua and Malta. So this year I decided to improve my African country count by sending in a report on the Rwanda site. I got a great looking, no data card and the following form letter:

"The number of reception reports to be confirmed by QSL-cards has been and is increasing continuously. This leads to an ever increasing amount of work to be done by the members of our Radio Frequency Department.

"In order to be able to deal with the requests for verification more promptly and thus to shorten the waiting period for our listeners, we do not state the following data on our cards: time, frequency, date and location of transmitter. In this connection, we would like to point out that we cannot accept any pre-prepared cards, since such special measure would question our regulation."

This is really a shame, since I don't know of too many people that have QSLed Radiodiffusion de la République Rwandaise lately. I hope that the VOA doesn't follow DW's lead and decide to drop their policy of verifying specific relay sites. I still have some left to QSL!

## NEW AWR RELAY SITES IN RUSSIA

from 5/92 AWR Current via Don Weber

By now, many of you have heard about the three new sites that AWR is using in Russia. Here's the full scoop direct from the station itself:

"All three of the new transmitters have an output of 200 kw. The Samara station will be used for reaching Northern Europe. The second at Ekaterinoburg will be used to broadcast into Central Europe, and the third based in Moscow will be used to reach Southern Europe. The Novosibirsk Station already in operation is presently being used to reach Eastern countries like West China, Myanmar, India, Uzbekistan and Pakistan. AWR's expansion into Russia can be attributed to the political and economical changes under way in the new CIS. Presently there is a great need in the Republics for hard Western currency. State owned shortwave stations that before were used for state propaganda and the jamming of Western transmissions have suddenly found themselves out of a job. So, AWR is able to rent their facilities for a very reasonable price."

The story goes on to discuss the problems they are encountering with a shortage of programming in the new languages, the unreliable mail system and the need to purchase new studios and equipment. A benefit to using the Russian sites is that it is cheaper than broadcasting from Italy and Portugal and allows them to reach a wider audience. The future of these broadcasts, however, will rely on the political situation in Russia as well as the cost of renting the transmitters. For now, anyway, it opens up a new world of service for them and more challenges for the DXer!

**DON'T MISS THE EXCITING  
DXPERIENCE TRIVIA CONTEST  
ON PAGE 3!  
ENTER FOR SEMI-VALUABLE  
PRIZES!**



### JULY HOLIDAYS

From Federal Express via Don Weber

This month's Islamic holiday is the Muslim New Year, called the First of Moharem or Hegira. It will be celebrated on or about July 2nd, and if you're keeping score at home, it is the year 1413 H. This refers to the number of years passed since Mohammed's escape from a murder plot in 622 A.D. I know the numbers don't add up, but you can do the rest of the research yourself! Anyway, on with the international parade . . .

- Algeria** - Independence Day, 5
- Argentina** - Independence Day, 9
- Bahamas** - Independence Day, 10
- Belgium** - Nat'l Holiday, 21
- Botswana** - President's Day, 20
- Canada** - Canada Day & Memorial Day, 1
- Colombia** - Independence Day, 20
- France** - Bastille Day, 14
- Ghana** - Republic Day, 1
- Malawi** - Republic Day, 6
- Peru** - Independence Day, 28-29
- Rwanda** - Independence Day, 1
- South Korea** - Constitution Day, 17
- Venezuela** - Independence Day, 5

Lots of Independence Days this month. Is it the July heat that causes a nation of dissenters to rise up or is it just coincidence? Sounds like a good topic for a doctoral thesis . . .

### PIRATE RADIO IN SAN FRANCISCO

from The Bay Guardian, 5/13/92 via Henry Mensch

Henry sent along a very interesting article from a local paper (which looks to be one of those interesting, left-of-center weeklies that all good cities have) that talks about "guerilla broadcasters" taking to the airwaves in San Francisco. It seems that a founder of Japan's Free Radio movement, Tetsuo Kogawa, has helped to spread the use of low-wattage, unlicensed FM transmitters to provide more localized programming in the Bay Area.

"Political activists started some of these stations to promote their views, avant-garde musicians used others to broadcast tapes ignored by mainstream radio, groups of housewives organized stations to discuss neighborhood issues. These stations, Kogawa said, are the modern equivalent of the leaflet or newsletter, grassroots communication for

the electronic age."

Kogawa's station, KXXX Mission District Radio, will operate on about 89.9 MHz on Sunday evenings from 9 to 11 p.m. from a different household each week.

I know this is always a controversial issue in the hobby, but the article is quite interesting. There is another feature in the issue about the movement in Japan as well as a schematic for building your own FM transmitter. Just attach a cassette player with a built-in mike, a crude antenna, and you're on the air! Of course, you're also on the FCC hit list at the same time . . .

### NEW RADIO COUNTRIES

from 6/92 RBSWC DX News via Don Weber

In an article in the Radio Budapest listener's newsletter, the topic of new radio countries has been brought up:

"The *landlist committee* of the European DX Council has recently tried to bring orderliness to this very chaotic area. The newly formed independent republics on the territory of the former Soviet Union have all become 'autonomous radio countries' . . ."

The thirteen new countries are: Belarus, Moldavia, Russia and Ukraine (Europe), Armenia, Azerbaidzsan, Georgia, Kazachstan, Kirghizistan, Nakhichevan, Tadzsikistan, Turkmenistan and Uzbekhistan (Asia). Estonia, Latvia and Lithuania have already been considered separate countries.

The EDXC does not, however, recognize as separate countries those regions not acknowledged by the UN such as Slovenia or Erithrea.

What I would like to know, is do we have any specific policies from ANARC or any other stateside council? Does anybody have any comments on this? Our own SPEEDX list is based on the ITU list in the WRTH, but that won't be updated for quite some time. How about some input, loyal readers?

### HELP WANTED

via RN's Media Network 6/5/92

Many of you may remember DW's Montserrat relay site being destroyed by Hurricane Hugo in 1989. Well, the station is being rebuilt and has been testing as Radio Antilles on 930 kHz. Their staff is incomplete, however, as they are looking for a station manager. Anybody qualified should apply to: R. Antilles, P.O. Box 35, Montserrat, West Indies.



### QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS

Dave Thompson wrote in with a question about the sunspot cycle and how it effects shortwave radio reception. Well, I did a little bit of research and found a very helpful article in the 1992 World Radio TV Handbook. Look on page 34 for a feature entitled "Solar Activity 1992" by Mike Bird. It includes plenty of charts and technical info, but the most interesting graph shows the intensities of sunspot cycles 17-22, or 1935 to the present. Let me see if I can offer an oversimplification that might be of help.

The number of sunspots increases and decreases in a roughly eleven year cycle. The more sunspots there are, the more ultraviolet radiation there is. This effects our earth's ionosphere by strengthening it and increasing the "maximum usable frequency." This is the highest frequency that can be reflected back to earth instead of into space. In the low part of a cycle, this can be 15-17 MHz. In a peak, it can go up to the 25 MHz band. This is why broadcasters seldom use these frequencies except at the height of a cycle.

Another effect of increased sunspot activity is an increase in solar disturbances such as flares and coronal holes. These can cause virtual blackouts on the shortwave bands, a lowering of the MUF or simply poorer conditions for DXing. Depending on the type of disturbance, the effects can last minutes, hours or days.

What does Mr. Bird predict for 1992? "The average sunspot number for 12/91 will be around 120 and a year later it will have dropped to 65! If this happens it will mean that the electron content of the ionosphere and the all important MUF will decline during 1992." He goes on to predict that the "solar minimum" will occur in mid 1996. That means we will enter the 21st century with great "DXing weather!"

If you would like more info about this topic, I highly recommend A Propagation Primer by Kent Willis. Available from the SPEEDX Supermarket (see back cover) for \$1.50 (\$1.25 for full members), it gives details about how to predict the daily changes in solar activity and reception by listening to the fore-

casts on WWV at 18 minutes past the hour.

I hope this sheds some light on a technical and confusing subject!

By the way, Dave Thompson says he does most of his listening in the daytime and would like to hear from others with similar schedules offering tips and advice. Maybe someone would like to write in about various equipment for taping late night broadcasts or share some ideas? Send your thoughts to me or contact Dave directly at 923 18th Street, Golden CO 80401.

### DXPERIENCE TRIVIA CONTEST!

I have been receiving a lot of cool stickers, pennants and other stuff from some very generous SPEEDXers that I would like to give away. In order to do that, I am going to have

## TIPS FOR DXING

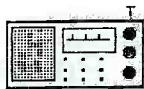
a little contest to see how well you know your arcane and generally useless shortwave trivia. All you have to do is send in the answers to the following questions on a postcard. The first two correct re-

sponses will be awarded a bundle of these goodies. I have had them appraised by the accountants of Dewey, Cheetham & Howe, and they are valued at the princely sum of \$2.53. So, here are this month's questions:

1. What international broadcaster uses the tune "Luegid vo Bårg und Tal" for its interval signal?
2. What international broadcaster uses the post office box number 9516?
3. What Arabic station identifies itself with "Huna'amman, Idha'atu-l-mamlaka al-urduniyya al-hashimiyya?"
4. In how many different countries does the VOA have relay stations (incl. medium wave)?
5. The following excerpt is taken from which international broadcaster's program schedule? Hint: it's not the Voice of Greece!  
ΕΛΛΗΝΙΚΟΣ Ενωρωτη Ο Ελληνικός Κηρονξ  
Θα μεταδιδεται το πρωτο και το τριτο  
Σαββατο καθε μησοξ στις 2200 (ωρα  
Γκρηνονιτζ) στην συχνοτητα 15665 kHz.

So get out that WRTH or PWBR and start digging for those answers. I hope to have my mailbox flooded with entries, so you'd better be quick about it!





## Page Four

### CONTEST WINNERS

Oops! We somehow never got around to announcing the winners of our SPEEDX Spring DX Contest. Call it a little bit of confused communication on our parts, but anyway, our t-shirt winners are:

25-50 Countries:  
**WILLIAM FLYNN (OR)**

51-75 Countries  
**RICHARD LEMKE (Canada)**

76+ Countries  
**RANDY MINNEHAN (OH)**

Congrats to the winners, and thanks to all who participated!

### RADIO BUDAPEST CONTEST

from 6/92 RBSWC DX News via Don Weber  
Dennis Herner, who passed away last October, was the very first DX editor for RB and produced their DX programs from 1957 to 1991. In order to commemorate this long reign of service to the shortwave community, RB is announcing the "Dennis Herner Memorial Contest."

Although there is not much time left to enter (the contest will end on 7/15 at 0000 UTC), all you need to do is send in reception reports of any full length RB broadcast. These must include language, date, time, frequency, SINPO and program details. Each report will receive one point, and prizes will go to the top 12 participants. In addition, all contestants will receive a Memorial Certificate of Merit.

Send your entries postmarked by 8/1 to: "Dennis Herner Memorial Contest, 1992," H-1800, Hungary.

### RNZI T-SHIRTS FOR SALE

via John Carson (our own T-shirt salesman!)

John sends word that you can have your own Radio New Zealand International shirt featuring the Pacific logo of RNZI and the

station name in English and Maori printed in black and gold on white. They are made of Hanes cotton interlock material and come in S, M, OS, XOS, XXOS and XXXOS sizes (36", 38", 40", 42", 44" and 46" chest sizes). The best part is that they are only \$20! Payment can be made by personal or bank checks or even Mastercard or Visa. Order from: RNZI Enterprises, P.O. Box 2092, Wellington, New Zealand.

### HCJB MERCHANDISE

via John Carson

Not to be outdone, HCJB has an entire line of specialty items featuring their logo. Besides the requisite T-shirt (\$7), you can get baseball caps, travel alarms, key chains, coffee mugs, pens, pocket knives, desk portfolios and more ranging from a 25¢ sticker to a \$20 briefcase. All of these items are available from HCJB Public Relations, P.O. Box 553000, Opa Locka, FL 33055-0401. You can even call in your order at (305) 624-4252 and have them bill you for your purchase.

So what's next—Radio Sofia bathrobes? Maybe a Popeil Pocket Fisherman with the Radio Ulan Bator logo emblazoned across the handle?

### CHICAGO AREA DX CLUB

SPEEDXer Ed Stroh recently sent me the May edition of DX Chicago, the monthly bulletin of the Chicago Area DX Club. Ed is the new President-Publisher, and they are looking for new members who live within a 150 mile radius of the Windy City <sup>go Bulls!</sup> It seems like a real nice group of people who enjoy local get-togethers as much as they enjoy DXing. If you would like more info, contact Ed at CADX, 53 Arrowhead Drive, Thornton, IL 60476. As always, let him know where you got the message!

Thanks to all for a great month! Don't forget to enter the DXperience trivia contest, and I'll see ya in August!—DB

### THE SPEEDX CLASSIFIED ADS

**FOR SALE:** Japan Radio NRD-525 with matching NVA-88 speaker. Fine condition. \$650 or best offer. Contact: Greg Fischer, 1518 Madison St., LaCrosse, WI 54601 or call (608) 782-3328.

**FOR SALE:** Scanners: Various Bearcats, Lafayettes and Fanons from \$50 to \$140. Realistic Patrolman Pro-2B tunable VHF hi/lo, \$60. Realistic Astro 8, \$100. Unused Belden #9913 RG-8U low loss 50 Ω coax, 50' for \$35, 100' for \$70. Tripp-Light #PR-10, 10 amp DC power supply (never used) \$80. Escort radar detector, mint, \$150. Sony Watchman w/3" x 3" screen, mint, \$100. All reasonable offers including trades will be considered. James L. Richardson, (303) 933-2195 or (303) 972-4313 (FAX).

# Portables on Parade

## The SPEEDX Receiver Review Column

edited by

**Don Brewer**

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REALISTIC DX-342  
BY BOB FRASER, MA

Radio Shack's latest shortwave receiver is the DX-342. It is not to be found in their catalog. (A Radio Shack manager here in Kansas City just received her first DX-342 [around June 1] and had not been able to put it on the shelf - ed.) The DX-342 is the same as the Sangean MS-101.

I had been looking for a tiny SW receiver to carry about. I usually get to work about 0700 UTC with the result that I have trouble staying awake after 0000 UTC and miss the prime time SW broadcasts. I had gone to smaller sets, first the Sony ICF-2003, then the similar sized but less expensive Radio Shack DX-370, but both proved somewhat clumsy. The DX-342 seems to fit the bill.

Slightly larger than an audio cassette, it is a 9-band analog receiver powered by two AA batteries and costing about \$70. Besides the usual FM band, AM covers from 530 to 1710 kHz, and SW is the 49, 41, 31, 25, 22, 19, and 16 meter bands. There are three push bars on the bottom of the front: FM, AM/SW (each with a red LED), and Power. Above power bar is a green LED for tuning and a red LED for stereo. FM is received in stereo only with earphones. A slider on the radio's top selects the AM and SW bands - it has an indicator on the top of the front with tiny 1/16th inch high figures. On the left side is a thumbwheel volume control, a stereo-mono switch for FM (is this needed?) [yes! weak FM signals are quieter in mono. ed.] On the right side is the tuning knob and the tiniest power lock switch I have ever seen (good idea). The 32-inch telescoping whip antenna swivels but does not rotate. The DX-342 comes only with a manual and padded pouch with velcro clamps. This pouch can hold the radio and manual, and I can slip in reduced photocopies of Dan Sampson's frequency lists.

How does it perform? I would say "adequately." Its sensitivity and dynamic range are only fair and the audio, particularly for music, is poor. So far, I haven't noticed too many images on the SW bands. But what would you expect for such a tiny, inexpensive radio anyway? I have found that prices seem to tell how a radio performs; those in a similar price range act the same.

Despite this, I was able to listen to Australia on 9580 kHz with no trouble at all. I was at one end of a 40 foot long room while the radio was on the windowsill at the other end. However, I had to hold the radio to hear New Zealand on 9700; it was barely audible when the radio sat alone. I have also noticed this on fainter stations - Israel and Turkey, for instance. The building I work in has much metal in its construction; also a number of electronic gadgets (most of which are off at the time), so there are quite a number of "radio shadows." In fact, no portable radio of any type performs well in the building where I work. Comparing the DX-342 with the DX-370, the '342 is slightly weaker. But then it is almost half the price of the '370.

I would not recommend it (or any other non-digital radio) to first time SWLers. But I am quite pleased by the DX-342 since I listen only to the powerhouses. Frequency read-out is quite accurate, too. And the earphones restore the missing bass of the tiny speaker. Yes, it is worth the price.

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Has anyone bought DAK's new DMR-3000 direct access shortwave portable? I would welcome a review of this receiver, as well as any other receiver, new, old, or whatever. Let me hear from you. --- 73, Don.

# ANTENNA TUNERS

by  
John Plimmer

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Reprinted from  
THE SOUTH AFRICAN SHORTWAVE LISTENER  
June 1992

Many of you keep asking us about antenna tuners, so Francois Steyn and I decided to do final and definitive technical evaluation tests on these items. So we selected two of the best we could lay our hands on: A Yaesu FRT-7700 and a solid and well-made Japanese Global antenna coupler AT-1000.

The information provided with the Yaesu is sparse, mentioning only that it will provide the proper impedance matching for the receiver. It consists of a tuning capacitor and a matching system.

The Global is much larger and more impressive looking, built along well-known and conventional lines, very similar to the American Grove tuner. It describes it as follows: Exclusive coils sparsely wound on a large bobbin of 25mm diameter to attain high Q characteristics for a wide frequency range. The coupler circuit employs the Pi-matching method and the unit incorporates two large variable air-ganged capacitors of high quality.

Both units claim to match 5 to 600 ohm impedance to 50 ohms. So far, all very impressive (and expensive, about R350 in our money)! Well, how do they perform?

We tried them both first on my 17-meter Windom longwire antenna, fitted with the FS Electronics 4-to-1 matching transformer. The result, MW right thru to the 25 MHz range on the Kenwood R-5000 tabletop receiver: The Yaesu degraded the signal slightly, or at best there was no improvement; and the Global lost 2 dB right throughout.

So, disappointed, we decided to disconnect the matching transformer from the Windom and run the wire straight to the antenna tuners: In other words, just like a straightforward longwire. Result: The same, no improvement with the Yaesu and the 2 dB loss on the global.

We tried again, this time we rigged a short 15-meter longwire very simply, from the set to the nearest tree. Result this time: Still no improvement worth mentioning on the Yaesu and the 2 dB loss on the Global.

Now we dismantled both of the tuners and carefully checked and tested them for any faults. None! They both appeared to be working perfectly!

So we conclude that there is no benefit to be had at all using them with a tabletop communications receiver.

Then we took the tuners and tried them out on the Sony ICF-2001D, which is prone to overload and blow the front end if you use it with a longwire on the Highveld, due to the dry Highveld air and the high static buildups resulting.

The Sony overloaded just the same as if it was being used without the two antenna tuning devices. Also, they degraded the signals even more than was on the case on the tabletop receiver.

Back to the drawing boards!! We now connected the Sony 7-meter longwire supplied with the radio. Again, no improvement worth mentioning. The other big claim of these antenna tuning devices is that they eliminate front end overloading. Not so in the case of the 2001D. Once the wire is longer than 7 meters, it starts overloading as usual. By the time you have hooked on up to 25 meters of longwire, the overloading is severe and neither of these two well-made devices could improve matters much.

We conclude that these antenna tuning devices are a waste of money if you have a high-quality set and a good antenna system.



# WHAT'S ON

ENGLISH BROADCAST TO NORTH AMERICA



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We've made it half way through the year of '92. I hope you're having an agreeable year like I am. I'm enjoying my new job as systems operator at Ashley Furniture and over the next few months I will be getting more responsibilities as if I'm not busy now!

Ashley Furniture is a pretty good sized company. We have plants in Arcadia & Whitehall, WI, and also Taiwan. I guess I should listen to the Voice of Free China more! We have warehouses in Pamona & Pt. Richmond, CA and in New Jersey. I think we have a showroom somewhere in North Carolina, too. Ashley makes for the most part bedroom furniture but also makes entertainment centers, dining & cocktail tables, chairs and more. We're probably best known for the Millennium line. Millennium is a special polyester finishing process that was born in Italy. Is it time to tune in the Dead Lady? I think not.

Enough about me and where I work, let's get back to the business at hand and open the pages of London Calling to see the BBC has to offer during July. If you would like to subscribe to London Calling: The subscription price is £12 (US \$20, Can \$25). Write to Rosemarie Reid at London Calling, P.O. Box 76S, Bush House, Strand, London, England, WC2B 4PH.

Martin Redfern starts a new 15 minute 13-part series where he looks out into the cosmos on *Journey To The Centre Of The Universe*, starting Monday June 6 at 0415 repeat 0915 and Wednesday 1515.

In *Hallowed Ground*, Professor John Bowker explores the religious memory and experience in the world's religions recorded in history in a 6-part series starting Monday July 6 at 2315 repeat Tuesday 0445 and 0930.

CHANGES ENTERED MAY 15-JUNE 18, 1992

UTC Time	Station	Notes	Frequencies
0000-0045	R. Sofia, Bulgaria	---	15250; 11770; 11660
0000-0100	R. Ukraine	---	17690; 17605; 15560; 15190; 12000; 11950; 11770; 9870; 9785; 9685; 9640; 7340; 7240; 7195; 6145; 6055
0000-0200	WCSN, U.S.A.	---	9850
0130-0155	R. Finland	---	15185; 11755
0200-0300	R. Budapest, Hung.	---	15220; 11910; 9835; 6110
0200-0400	WCSN, U.S.A.	---	9350
0230-0300	R. Tirana, Albania	---	11825 or 11820; 9580
0250-0310	Vatican R.	---	9605; 7305
0300-0330	R. Czechoslovakia	---	11990; 9810; 7345
0300-0430	R. Sofia, Bulgaria	---	15160; 11720; 9850
0330-0400	R. Tirana, Albania	---	11825 or 11820; 9580
0400-0600	WSHB, U.S.A.	---	13760; occ. 9870; 9455; occ. 9350
0400-0800	WCSN, U.S.A.	---	9840
0800-1000	WCSN, U.S.A.	---	11705
0800-1000	WSHB, U.S.A.	---	13615
1125-1150	R. Finland	M-F	15400
1130-1155	BRT, Belgium	Su	17555
1230-1255	R. Finland	M-F	17880; 15400
1300-1325	BRT, Belgium	M-Sa	17555
1300-1400	R. Finland	Sa-Su	17880; 15400
1300-1500	R. Beijing, China	---	11855
1330-1400	R. Finland	M-F	17880; 15400
1400-1600	WCSN, U.S.A.	---	15665
1800-2000	WSHB, U.S.A.	---	17510
2000-2200	WCSN, U.S.A.	---	15665
2000-2200	WSHB, U.S.A.	---	17555; 17510
2145-2315	R. Sofia, Bulgaria	---	15250; 11770; 11660
2200-2400	V. of UAE	---	17855; 15305; 13605
2300-2330	R. Vilnius, Lithuania.	---	15580; 13645; 11780; 10344USB; 9710

RELAYS--An-Antigua, B-Bonaire, Br-Brazil, Bu-Bulgaria, By-Bethany, Cu-Havana, D-DeLano, F-Singapore, Gu-French Guiana, Hk-Hong Kong, Ma-Malta, Mi-Mali, S-Sackville, Sp-Spain, Wh-WHRI, Wy-WYFR



## SHORTWAVE TO GO!

News and information from the  
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Welcome to the column for this month! With an extra week to work with this month I was able to pack quite a few more very interesting DX items into the column. It may take a bit longer to go through but the "quality" extra information included makes it well worth the effort!

This is the BBS REPORT for June 1992

ACTIVE USERS (Having called within the last 30 days) . . . . .	139
TOTAL CALLS ANSWERED BY THE BBS . . . . .	337
TOTAL DOWNLOADS MADE . . . . .	365
NEW FILES ADDED . . . . .	34
TOTAL FILES ON BBS . . . . .	185

\* DX News heard from various DX programs in the month of June 1992 Edited by Dale Vanderpoel of the SHORTWAVE PARADISE BBS in Ft. Lauderdale, Florida, USA, and distributed via the BBS. First edited Sunday May 24th; Last update Sunday June 21st

### WESTERN HEMISPHERE

**Voice of America:** was testing "VCP" (Variable Carrier Power) from June 18th to July 6th from 0300-0430 UTC on 6035, 11835 (EG to Africa) They were shifting between this "VCP", and full power but didn't tell you when they were in one mode or the other. They ask for reception reports from those transmissions wanting to know especially about any difference in audio. The VOA will respond with a special QSL card explaining what "VCP" is and the tests. (RNMN, 6/18)

**WRNO:** as of Sat. July 11th, *Glenn Hauser's World of Radio* will begin new and changed air times, due to the fact that WRNO has sold *WoR's* 0000 UTC Sun. time slot. *WoR* will now air Sat. 2200 UTC on 15420 (a new airing) then 0200 UTC Sun. 7355 (replacing 0000 UTC) and continues it's airing at 2030 UTC Sun. on 15420. (Glenn Hauser, WOR #648)

**WWCR:** now has on a temporary repeat of *Signals* airing Sun afternoon at 2135 UTC on 15690. (Glenn Hauser, WOR #648)

**WWCR:** WOR via WWCR, Nashville has been reported heard by some in Europe Sun 1000 UTC on 15690, Still on Fri 2115-17535 MHz, Sun 0305-7435 MHz, and Mon 2045-15690 MHz. (WOR #647)

**WJCR, Kentucky, USA:** as per an interview given to H.C.J.B.'s Ken McHarg, WJCR is planning to start another transmitter on 7460 to S. America. (DXPL, 6/20)

**R. Miami Int'l (WRMI):** has been allocated a frequency by the FCC for testing. The frequency assigned is 9955. WRMI hopes to start testing on this frequency in the 3rd quarter of this year. (RNMN, 5/21)

**KNLS, Alaska:** picked up in NY State at 1351 UTC on 11580 with a Bible study in the book of Proverbs, ID announced EG at 0800 + 1300 UTC s/off at 1358. Also heard on 7365 at Q852 UTC with s/off at 0858 UTC. (Jim Clair, DXPL, 6/20)

**CKZN, St. Johns, Newfoundland:** heard in NY on 6160 MHz at 2349 UTC with a relay of CBNA, St. Anthony, pop music, CBC news, and sports at the top of the hour. (Jim Clair, DXPL, 6/20)

**R. Havana, Cuba:** now has EG to Eur. 2000-2100 UTC on 17705, and to Afr. on 17815, Again at 2200-2300 UTC on 11705 to Eur., and 9620 to the Carib (BRT RadioWorld, 6/6) **RHC** will begin an experimental "Worldwide" single sideband weekend service in EG on UTC Sat and Sun (Fri + Sat night local days in NA) on 13660 from 0000-0200 UTC both Sat + Sun from a transmitter site in Havana. (Arnie Coro, RHC, 6/20)

- TGNA, R. Cultural, Guatemala:** heard on 3300 Mhz at 0044 UTC in SP with religious programming, signals were good. (DXPL, 5/30)
- TGTZ, R. Tezulutan, Coban, Guatemala:** heard on 3370, 4835 at 1055 UTC. (Arthur Cushen, RNMN, 6/4)
- RFPI:** WOR via RFPI changes one of its times after July 1st, will be on Sat. 1800 UTC w/repeat Sun. 0200 UTC, unchanged are the times at Sun 2300 UTC, Tue 1900 UTC, and Fri 2000 UTC, repeats are 8 hours later (WOR #647)
- La Voz de Guaviare, Colombia:** was received on 6035 at 1120 UTC in SP with pop music, ID, and mention of the RCN Network. (DXPL, 5/30)
- CARACOL, Colombia:** Surprisingly heard this S. American station in Belgium on 5075 w/parallel of 6150 after 0000 UTC. (BRT RadioWorld, 6/13)
- R. Rumbos, Caracas, Venezuela:** received with a fair signal on 9660 at 0430 UTC with music, and talk in SP (Judy McGarry, DXPL, 5/30)
- La Voz Del Río Tarqui, Cuenca, Ecuador:** received on 3285 in SP at 0935 UTC with music and ID. (DXPL, 5/30)
- La Voz de los Caras, Ecuador:** heard on 4795 at 0406 UTC with the "Remembrances" Latin music program. Station does not use shortwave all the time but most usually uses 4795 on Saturday nights so it would be the best time to catch it. (Rich McVicar, DXPL, 6/20)
- R. del Pacifico, Peru:** received reactivated frequency of 4974 at 0120 w/pop music and announcements. (Dave Valko, DXPL, 6/13)
- R. Tacna, Peru:** back on the air in SP, heard at 1133 UTC on 9505 Mhz. (DX Party Line, 5/23)
- R. Andahuaylas, Peru:** noted on 4839 with an ID at 2210 UTC. (DX Party Line, 5/23)
- R. Union, Peru:** was heard on 6115 at 0450 UTC in SP. They had on ads, an ID, and into latin music, signals were good. (GG. Ritell, DXPL, 6/6) heard 6115 at 2134 UTC with good signals. (Pedro Torre, DXPL, 6/20)
- R. Ondas Del Sur, Peru:** noted on 5068 Mhz at 0115 UTC w/pop music, announcements, ID. (Dave Valko, DXPL, 6/13)
- R. Huancabamba, Peru:** received in Guayquil, Ecuador on 6281 at 2150 UTC with the program "Life and Health". Signals good. (Pedro Torre, DXPL, 6/20)
- R. Ondas del Mío, Peru:** heard this Peruvian on 6803 MHz at 2130 UTC again with good signals. (Pedro Torre, DXPL, 6/20)
- R. Sensacion, Peru:** was heard on 6896 MHz at 2130 UTC with the program "Sports Panorama" (Pedro Torre, DXPL, 6/20)
- R. Satellite, Peru:** received in SP at 0335 UTC on 6725 MHz. (Pedro Torre, DXPL, 6/20)
- R. Alto Huallaga, Peru:** a fairly new station on 5445 at 1220 playing much music. (Ken McHarg, DXPL, 6/20)
- R. Maria Auxiliadora Montero, Bolivia:** heard recently on 4975 in SP at 0045 UTC with pop music, and a clear ID. (DX Party Line, 5/23)
- R. Juan Ventitres, Bolivia:** on the "out of band" frequency of 4964 heard from 2300-0000 s/off in SP. (DX Party Line, 5/23)
- R. Santa Ana, Bolivia:** received in SP at 2300 UTC on 4648 Mhz. (DX Party Line, 5/23)
- R. Fides, Bolivia:** on 6155 at 0540 UTC with the "Dedication" pgm (Rich McVicar, DXPL, 6/20)
- R. Santa Cruz:** heard pop music and some folk music on 6135 at 0938 UTC in SP with ID. (Marie Lamb, DXPL, 6/20)
- R. Nacional, Paraguay:** was on in SP at 2150 UTC on 9735 with sports, ads, and ID, signals were fair. (DXPL, 5/30)
- R. Esperanza, Chile:** heard in SP on 6088 around 2349 UTC (Hans Johnson, World of Radio #644) Heard prayer requests, music at 0610 UTC on 6089. (Rich McVicar, DXPL, 6/20)
- R. Santa Maria, Chile:** has been reported on 6029 at 0018 (Hans Johnson, World of Radio #644)
- R. Nacional, Buenos Aires, Argentina:** picked up on 6060 in SP at 0926 UTC heard talk, ID also mentioned parallel frequency of 870 mw; signals were fair to good. (DXPL, 5/30)
- R. Nacional, Argentina:** in SP at 2200 UTC on 26299 MHz (announced 807mw) Glenn Hauser's WOR reported R. El Mundo on 26099, and R. Del Plata on 26139. Argentina has taken off service on 6060 MHz (transmitters too old and costly to fix) Broadcasts are being rebroadcast over military transmitters to serve Argentina troops in Antarctica. The frequency of 15780 is another one to watch for on the weekends from Argentina. (RNMN, 6/18)

**La Voz De Artigas, Uruguay:** was heard with good signals on 6075 Mhz. at 2120 UTC, also heard at 0100 s/on to 0200 s/off in SP, PT, + EG on 6075. (DX Party Line, 5/23)

**Radiobras:** Glenn Hauser heard Radiobras on a morning transmission from 1200-1320 UTC Jun. 3rd on 15445 to NA, and 15265 to Eur. (WOR #646) Received on 15445 from 1200-1320 UTC in EG with Brazilian pop music + "Brazilian Panorama" program. Signal good but sometimes covered over by FEBA, Seychelles. 11745, 15265 also announced but not heard in TX. (GG. Ritell, DXPL, 6/6)

**R. Integracao, Brazil:** heard at 1215 UTC on 4765 with music. (Ken McHarg, DXPL, 6/20)

## EUROPE

**R. Netherlands:** is shifting one of its frequencies due to interference now changing 17605 to new 17610 to Asia from 1330-1625 UTC. (RNMN 5/28)

**BRT Int'l:** as of Sat Jun. 13th, UN peacekeeping forces from Belgium stationed in Yugoslavia will have their own broadcast. BRT will use 11695 from 1700-1755 in Flem and FR. (BRT RadioWorld, 6/6)

**RTBF, Belgium:** Shortwave broadcasts from this station, representing the country's French-speaking community, have now ceased. (BRT via Mike Barraclough, 6/92 WDXC Contact)

**AWR Europe:** has changed times for its DX program from DSWCI, now on at 0615 Sun. 7205, and 0945 Sun 7230 Mhz. (WOR #644)

**RAI Uno, Italy:** (relay of IT home service) now heard from 0800-1700 on 15525 MHz. This is better heard in Belgium than is the Intl Shortwave service of RAI. (Eugene DeBerg, BRT RadioWorld, 6/20)

**Voice Of Europe, Italy:** was found broadcasting on 13666 Mhz at 0020 UTC w/pop music, announcements, and ID, address given. (Brian Alexander, DXPL, 6/13)

**Voice Of The Mediterranean, Malta:** noted in EG at 0600 UTC on 9765 signals were good but heavy interference from RFI on 9760. (Jim Clary, DXPL, 6/6)

**R. France Int'l (via Hungary relay):** in FR to Africa 0500-0600 UTC on 11850, from 0500-0800 UTC on 15530, from 0600-0800 UTC on 17690, and from 1600-1800 UTC using 15460 Mhz. (WOR #645)

**R. Budapest:** heard on summer frequency of 15220 at 0200 UTC w/parallels 11910, 9835. (15220 replaces 6110) (Norman Blakely, WOR #647)

**Polish Radio, Warsaw:** Here is their summer schedule in EG.

1200-1255	11815, 9525, 7145, 6135, 1503 mw
1500-1555	11840, 9525, 7285
1700-1755	9525, 7270
1930-2025	9525, 7270, 7145, 6135, 6095, 1503 mw (WOR #645)

**R. Slovenia:** is starting a program for tourists in EG, GM, + IT starting May 27th at 0735 UTC on 918 MW (100kw) with a repeat at 2230 UTC. (BRT RadioWorld 5/23)

**Croatian Radio, Zagreb:** heard in EG 2103-2109 UTC on 1 mw, and 5 sw frequencies, 1134mw, 6210, 13640, 7240, 9830, + 5085. (Eugene DeBerg, BRT RadioWorld, 6/20) Has appeared on a new frequency in the tropical band, that frequency is 5085 broadcasting at 1830 UTC and again at 0445 the parallel is 6210. (WOR #645) Noted on 6210 + 9830 at 0330 UTC (Rich Mc Vicar, DXPL, 6/13) **Croatian Radio** has been reported broadcasting on a new freq. of 5085 Mhz, plus the regular frequencies still heard on 6210, 9830, + 21480. (Andy Sennitt, RNMN, 6/11)

**Albania:** Wolfgang Buschel reports that the German AGDX club has had QSL cards printed for Radio Tirana and sent them to the station via the German-Albanian Friendship Society. The station has no paper to print QSL's or schedules. (WOR via Mike Barraclough, 6/92 WDXC Contact)

**Voice of Greece:** 10 minute EG news bulletins from Greece are broadcast at the following times:

0130 UTC	9395, 9420, 11645	1235 UTC	15630, 15650, 17515
0340 UTC	9395, 9420, 11645	1530 UTC	15630, 15650, 17525
0840 UTC	15650	1840 UTC	15630, 17525
1040 UTC	15630, 17525		(Eugene DeBerg, BRT RadioWorld, 6/20)

## THE CIS AND FORMER SOVIETS

- AWR Europe:** a new broadcast heard at 1620 UTC in EG, *Your Story Hour* on 15125 till 1630 UTC relayed via R. Moscow. Checked for start time at 1600 UTC. AWR has also hired 15125 for a daily broadcast in EG for 30 min. at 0430 UTC.
- AWR, Russia:** found on 15125 at s/on 1600 UTC, into Swedish programming at 1630. (Ed Chilock, DXPL, 6/13))
- R. Shark:** a new Russian station heard on 5780 MHz in RU 0600-1900 UTC daily, and Mon-Sat 0200-0600 UTC also on 5780. (BBCM, WOR #647)
- R. Space:** heard s/on at 1400 UTC on 12075 with EG ID then into much RU programming, and RU pop music. (David Martin via OZ DX, Australia; DXPL, 6/6)
- R. Galaxy:** now on 11880 (ex 9880) from 1900-2200 UTC in RU. w/EG announcements. (Andy Sennitt, RNMN, 6/11) Heard as a result of RNMN tip on 11880 at 2100 UTC in RU. (Rich McVicar, DXPL, 6/13)
- R. Pamyat:** was hearing them on 12030 at 1414 UTC with an ID, then into RU programming. (Ed Chilock, DXPL, 6/13)
- New Wave Radio Station:** on 17760 at 1600 with s/on ID in EG + RU pop music program, some EG announcements, s/off at 1659 UTC. (Rich McVicar, DXPL, 6/20)
- R. Ukraine:** heard at 0000 UTC with NEW frequencies of 11520, 15355, 7250, 12040, 12070, 12330 + 7195 (7195 was the only freq to be announced) (Marie Lamb, DXPL, 6/20)
- R. Alma Ata:** has EG programming from 2030-2100 UTC on 3955, 5035, 5260. (BRT RadioWorld, 6/6) Has been reported being heard on the frequency of 21490 1830-1900 UTC Friday + Saturday only, and daily 2030-2100 UTC on 17605. (Andy Sennitt, RNMN, 6/11) **R. Alma Ata** received in New Zealand on 5035 at 2030 UTC with an ID, frequencies given in EG, music. (Dennis Rodway, DXPL, 6/20)
- R. Tashkent:** EG at 1200-1230 and 1330-1400 UTC on new frequency 17815 still on parallels 15640, 9750, 7325. (BRT RadioWorld, 6/13)
- R. Vilnius, Lithuania:** is now being heard in EG to NA from 2300-2330 UTC on 15580, 13645, 11780 + 9710 plus an USB feeder frequency of 10344. (11780 has been reported as the best) They are being heard in EUR at 2130-2200 UTC on 9710, 9675, + MW also in EG.
- R. Centras:** heard from 0700-0800 UTC in EG, GM, ESP on 9710 at 50kw. (BRT RadioWorld, 6/6)
- R. Riga, Latvia:** has on GM M-F 2035-2040 UTC on 1350mw and 5935; EG is from 0600-0630 UTC (Sun only) on 5935 Mhz, 1730-1800 UTC (Sat. only) on 5935, and M-F 2030-2035 UTC on 1350mw and 5935. (BRT RadioWorld, 6/6)
- Georgian Radio:** heard at s/off 0600 UTC in EG on 11805. (DXPL, 5/23)
- R. Georgia:** carries EG 2030-2100 UTC, and RU 2100-2130 UTC on 11760. (BRT RadioWorld, 6/6)

## AFRICA

- ERTT, Tunisia:** heard from 1200-1245 UTC in AR on 17500, 21535 with good signals. (Jim Clary, DXPL, 6/6)
- Voice of Ethiopia:** received in EG on 7165 Mhz at 1515 UTC with a time check, commentary, signals fair, parallel to 9560. (Leigh Morris via OZ DX, Australia; DXPL, 6/6)
- CRTV, Cameroon:** received at 0502 UTC on 5010 with a news program and into music, signals good. (Jim Clary, DXPL, 6/6)
- KBC, Kenya:** received on 4934 at 0405 UTC w/news, sports. (Rich Mc Vicar, DXPL, 6/13)
- R. Nacional, Equatorial Guinea:** was received on 5003 at 0500 UTC with an ID at 0520 UTC from Bata. (Arthur Cushen, RNMN, 6/4)
- R. Africa:** was received on the frequency of 7190 in EG from 2215-2301 s/off with rig. programming. (Brian Alexander, WOR #646)
- Central African Republic:** RTC was received on 5034 at 2246 UTC with EG pop music but announcements were in FR. Talk, ID, s/off at 2258 UTC. (said to be the best time to ID this station) (Jim Clark, DXPL, 5/30)
- La Voix du Zaïre:** received from their site in Lubumbasi on 7203 from 0400-0500 UTC, and again after 1700 UTC. (WOR #648)



**R. Nacional Angola:** a list of broadcast times and frequencies by site.

Luanda 3376 1900-2200 UTC  
Benguela 6155 Close at 2203, parallel to 5041  
Lobito 7151 Opens at 0600 UTC (WPR #648)

**R. Mocambique:** picked up on 4929 from 0530-0600 UTC, and heard irregular on 3210 from 0300-0400 UTC. (WOR #648)

**VOA Relay, Botswana:** has moved frequencies to 15445 from 1600-1800 UTC. (RNMN, 5/21)

**LNBS, Lesotho:** was received on 6111, 7109 MHz at 0600 UTC. (WOR #648)

**Capital Radio, South Africa:** is now being heard on the frequency 7149 from their transmitter site in Umtata in EG 0445-1530 UTC. (WOR #648)

**R. Comoros:** now heard on 3330 but mixing with R. Rwanda on the same frequency from 0300-0500 UTC. (WOR #648)

**RTM, Madagascar:** is inactive on 3288 but heard on 3231, and parallel 5009 from 0300-0500 UTC, also heard on 6135 and parallel to 9689 from 0500. (WOR #648)

## ASIA/OCEANIA

**R. Kuwait:** EG from 1800-2100 UTC on 13620. AR is at 2100 UTC also 13620 (DXPL, 5/30)

**UAE, R. Dubai:** on in EG 1030-1100 UTC on 13675, 15320, 15435, 21605 again at 1600-1645 UTC on 11795, 13675, 15320, 15400 (DXPL, 5/30)

**Yemen:** heard both locations s/on in AR. Al-Hishwah on 7190 at 0300 and San'a on 9779.74 at 0301 UTC. (Brian Alexander, WOR #646)

**R. Iraq Int'l:** new frequencies have been reported. Now heard on 15050 with a parallel of 17740 at 0110 in AR, and on 6560 at 0127 UTC in KUR. (WOR #644) 4600 has changed to new 4750 in AR after 1500 to 1900 UTC (Victor Goonetilleke, RNMN, 5/28) **R. Iraq Int'l** on 1300-1600 UTC in EG (maybe for Eur + ME) 15250 MHz. (BBCM, VIA WOR #647)

**Voice Of the Kurdistan Revolution:** has an EG transmission from 1530-1540 UTC on 6761 (announced repeat at 0330 UTC) (BBCM via WOR #647)

**VOIRI, Iran:** heard at 1030 UTC on 11715, 11910, 11930, 11790, + 9525. Heard again at 1830 UTC on 15260 + 9022 in EG. (WOR #645) Has a change of one frequency, 15315 now on in SP at 0030, also heard broadcasting in EG at 2330 UTC on the same 15315 plus the parallels of 15260 + 9022. (Andy Sennitt, RNMN, 6/11)

**Flag of Freedom Radio, anti-Iran:** broadcasting from Cairo, heard 0328 UTC with an ID on 11470, and parallels 9250, 15565. (Brian Alexander)

**AIR, India:** EG is now at the following times with non-overlapping times

1000-1100 UTC	21735, 17895, 17387, 15050
1330-1500 UTC	15120, 11760, 9665
1745-1945 UTC	15080, 11935, 11860, 11620, 9950, 7412
2045-2230 UTC	15265, 11710, 11620, 9950, 9910, 7412
2245-0045 UTC	17830, 15145, 15110, 11785, 11745, 9910 (Kevin Kline)

(Kevin Kline via WOR #647)

**Voice of Independent Kashmir:** is now back on 6300 (ex.6285) It is best heard from 1630-1730 UTC on 6300 and parallel 4080 Mhz. (Victor Goonetilleke, RNMN, 5/28)

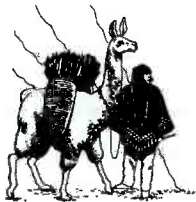
**FEBA, Seychelles:** Now has two EG programs running at the same time to South Asia. A religious broadcast goes out at 1500-1540 UTC on 11690, while a second program called "NETWORK"(consisting of news, and current affairs) airs M-S on 9810, + 15330 from 1500-1800 UTC. FEBA's Media program is now on Tue. at 1530 UTC

**R. Korea, Seoul:** has retired its evening broadcast to NAmerica now on in EG from 0030-0130 UTC on 15575. (Glenn Hauser)

**R. Japan:** new frequencies via Skelton and Gabon relays as of July 1st \* (Skelton) 0500-0600 UTC on 9695, 9770 0700-0800 UTC on 9670, 9770 2300-0000 UTC on 6025, 6160 To Eur. \* (Gabon) 1500-1600 UTC on 15355 2100-2200 UTC on 11735. The 1900, and 2300 UTC services from Gabon will no longer be in use because of the new service via Skelton, England.

**R. Tampa, Japan:** was on 9595 heard at 1042 UTC in JP with news, music, and an ID. (Jim Clark, DXPL, 5/30)

- FEBC, Philippines:** heard at s/on 2359 UTC in EG on 15450 (Jim Clark, DXPL, 5/30) They have adjusted their frequency at 0900, now on 11690 in EG with news at 0930, and a DX program *DX Dial* Sun. at 0915 UTC. (Arthur Cushen, RNMN, 6/4)
- R. Thailand:** remained "on the air" thru the recent crisis in Thailand. Heard domestic service on 6070 from 1100-1600 UTC. Their external service is on 9655 but, is poor from 0900-1430 due to R. Australia being on 9655 (switching from 9475) after 1430 UTC it is good. 1500-1600 UTC is in Thai (not listed in WRTH '92) parallel of 4830 has improved. EG heard from 0030-0145 UTC on 9655. (Victor Goonetilleke, RNMN, 5/28)
- R. Television Malaysia:** RTM heard on 4950 Mhz at 1400 UTC in EG with news and an ID, signals fair. (Judy McGarry, DXPL, 5/30)
- RTM, Malaysia:** had a program of "Big Band music" on at 1110 UTC on the frequency of 7295 with other music from 30's, 40's, + 50's. Second program heard on 7160 at 1130 UTC. (Ken McHarg, DXPL, 6/20)
- Radio One, Singapore:** received in Quito on 11940 MHz at 1156 UTC was hearing music, then an ID. (Ken McHarg)
- RRI, Indonesia:** heard in IN on 3360 at 0746 with strong signals. (David Martin via OZ DX, Australia, DXPL, 6/6)
- Voice Of Indonesia:** noted on 11752 at 0215 UTC, excellent signals. (David Martin via OZ DX, Australia, DXPL, 6/6)
- R. Suara Kasih Agung, Jayapura, Indonesia:** found on 4881 Mhz at 1130 UTC w/music in INDO, closing at 1159 UTC. (Ed Chilock, DXPL, 6/13)
- R. New Ireland:** heard on 3905 Mhz in Pidgin w/country music at 1030 UTC (Ed Chilock, DXPL, 6/13)
- SIBC, Solomon Islands:** heard an ID in Pidgin + EG on 9540 at 0901 UTC an ID, pop music. (Jim Clair, DXPL, 6/20)
- R. Australia:** heard in FR in Belgium 0000-0030 UTC on 17715 w/ parallel frequencies being 17795, 21740, 15240, 15365, 11880, + 11720. (BRT RadioWorld, 6/13)
- R. G'day:** heard 1100-1500, and 1800-2100 UTC on 11400 2kw, again from 0000-0200 UTC on 15040, and from 0600-0900 they can be found again on 11400 Mhz. (Arthur Cushen, RNMN, 6/4)
- R. New Zealand Int'l:** is now using 9700 MHz for s/on 1 hour earlier, or now at 0658 UTC. (But, due to drought and energy shortage in New Zealand, RNZI has been forced to s/off much earlier, now at 1130 UT from the former 1210 UTC.)
- KHBN, Palau:** has been reported still on 9830 heard from 1055-1214 UTC in CH with an EG ID power is 5kw. (via David Clark, DXPL, 5/23) Now being heard in Europe around 1500 UTC on 9830. (Power is now up to 40kw, full power of 100 kw should be up within a week.) (RNMN, 5/28) Glenn Hauser has heard this station with presumed higher power (possibly up to the 100kw) on 9830 in CH with EG announcements at 1335 UTC to past 1430. (WOR #646) Now hearing them at 1200 UTC on 9830 with short EG announcements asking for reports, heard till around 1600 UTC s/off. Another frequency 11980 is blocked by R. Moscow. (Arthur Cushen, RNMN, 6/4) Heard in CH at 1152 UTC on 9830 MHz EG ID at 1202 UTC (Rich Mc Vicar, DXPL, 6/13)
- KHBI, Saipan:** is now back on 15665 from 18-2000 UTC in EG meaning they have abandoned 13840 at that same time. (BRT RadioWorld, 6/6)



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## ALASKA

- 7365 0800 **KNLS:** EE: "Chariots" IS; ID visit to Hawaiian hula festival; look at Amish life (444 52/4 Wakefield-IA)  
11580 1345 **KNLS:** EE: ID; "Muskrat Love" sung by The Captain & Tennille (433 5/17 Hankison-KS)

## ANTIGUA

- 5975 2200 **BBC:** EE: ID; into new from the World Service of the BBC (555 5/10 Babin-MW)  
6085 0300 **DW:** EE: German & international news; German musical program "Deutsch Worum Nicht"; German lang lesson (555 5/31 Card RI)  
9640 0458 **BBC:** EE: IS; ID w/sign on anmts; news inc UN Security Council rules on the withdrawal of Serbs in Bosnia-Herzegovina (444 5/16 Brewer-KS)  
9670 0535 **DW:** EE: Larry Wayne's Diary inc feature on how men age as compared to women (444 6/1 Carson-OK)  
9690 0600 **DW:** GG: W reads news in GG (444 5/10 Findlater-CA)  
15220 1358 **BBC:** EE: The British Gov't puts out an advisory to British Nationals in Thailand during the anti-government demonstrations and crackdown (454 5/20 Lukas-NY)  
17840 1613 **BBC:** EE: News about Britain inc heavy rain causes flooding in London; US military base closing in Scotland; 1615\* (333 5/30 Brown-IL) @ 1421 in EE w/"Outlook" w/interview w/Joan Rivers-Auntie Beeb is slumming today! (333 6/2 Westenhaver-PQ) (It could have been worse--at least it wasn't Gerald, Oprah, or Donahue!--ed)

## ANTILLES

- 6165 0028 **RN:** EE: IS; ID; news inc NATO agrees to take on a new peace keeping role (444 6/24 Brown-IL)  
9515 0845 **TWR:** PP: Religious prog for children (444 5/3 Meinhardt IL)  
11835 0030 **RN:** EE: News inc Israel boycotts an Arab peace meeting; fighting continues in Bosnia (444 5/10 Findlater-CA)  
11885 0705 **TWR:** PP: News about the spreading of cholera in Brazil (444 5/12 Meinhardt-IL)  
11895 0749 **RN:** EE: "Newsline" w/tribut to Marlene Dietrich (343 5/7 Westenhaver-PQ)  
15560 2200 **RN:** PP: ID; anncr w/prog of variety of Lat Am music inc "El Condor Pasa, Cielito Linda & The Mexican Hat Dance--2225\* (333 5/11 Findlater-CA)  
21515 1800 **RN:** EE: M answering letters from listeners and playing musical requests (333 5/10 Findlater-CL)  
21590 1930 **RN:** EE: "Happy Station" prog (454 5/24 Fraser-MA) @ 1952 in EE w/"Media Network" w/an unfavorable review of the Grundig Satellite 700. Don't buy it. The Lowe HF-150 is the better buy in the same price range (454 5/7 Lukas-NY)

## BOLIVIA

- 5005 2349 **R. Libertad(t):** SS: Rustic vocals in SS until apparent s/off routine w/out N/W @ 0002. Definite bits of SS, but no chance for an ID (252 5/3 D'Angelo-PA)

## BRAZIL

- 3325 1115 **R. Tupi:** PP: M singing to the accompaniment of steel drums inc nice steel drum solo; ID @ 1118 by M; ments of Guarulhos; fade out by 1130 (222 5/30 Murray-OR)  
4914.9 0154 **R. Anhanguera:** PP: Music played by a Brazilian group (322 5/25 Bishop-NY) @ 0215 in PP w/clear ID by M; long talks in PP w/segments of music; complete IDs inc freqy bands. (322 5/11 Flynn-OR)  
4955 0214 **R. Marajoara:** PP: Music sung by a group; talks by M anncr into more Lat Am music (333 5/25 Bishop-NY)  
4985 0206 **R. Brasil Central:** PP: M singing a Brazilian song in PP (322 5/27 Bishop-NY)  
5045 0600 **R. Cultura do Parã:** PP: Ments of Belém; anncr w/upbeat Brazilian music (222 5/11 Findlater-CL)

11730 0158 SRI: EE: ID; IS; prog notes; into news inc report about the fighting in Yugoslavia (222 5/10 Brown-IL)  
 11780 0000 R. Nacional da Amazônia: PP: Pumped up DJ w/prog of Brazilian music inc telephone requests--remarkably good signal! (444 5/26 Findlater-CA)  
 11805 0800 R. Globo: PP: Full ID & into "Radio Globo Noticias" (322 5/13 Millard-TX)  
 11815 0805 R. Brasil Central: PP: Many ment of Brazil & Goiânia (333 5/13 Millard-TX)  
 17730 0000 SRI: EE: ID; news inc report about riots in Thailand; UN troops withdraw from Bosnia (555 5/22 Findlater-CA)

CANADA

5965 1101 R. Austria Int'l: GG: W reading news--@ 1103 shifted back to regularly scheduled BBC World Service relay--another switching error in Sackville! (343 5/9 Westenhaber-PQ)  
 6070 0915 CFRX: EE: ID for Shortwave service inc ment that ODXA handles QSL requests on behalf of the station (323 4/9 Millard TX) @ 0925 in EE with "The Business Report" (443 5/5 Neff-FL) @ 0025 in EE w/call-in prog discussing the subject of dating (433 5/23 Brown-IL)  
 6129.8 0650 CHNX: EE: Ads for a supermarket and a promo for diamond jewelry; into oldies rock & roll music (343 5/24 Wakefield IA)  
 6160 0658 CKZU: EE: ID as "Coast to Coast, this is CBC Radio" into prog of jazz music (444 5/24 Wakefield-IA)  
 9515 1630 BBC: EE: Alistair Cook's "Letter from America" inc the satellite rescue & Pres Bush's reelection chances (554 5/17 Fraser)  
 9590 2215 BBC: EE: "Seeing Stars" w/a visit to the International Observatory in the Canary Islands (555 5/3 Fraser-MA)  
 9625 1305 CCNQS: EE: CBC news and sports (222 5/30 Hankison-KS) @ 0204 in EE w/a sports report inc news about the Montreal Expos (333 5/1 Carson-OK) @ 0110 in EE w/a report on a Priest's effort to assist the homeless in San Francisco (333 5/18 Brown-IL)  
 9635 1208 RCI: EE: News inc Canada could be heading for a record agricultural harvest (433 5/13 Brown-IL)  
 9755 2305 RCI: EE: "Innovation Canada" including National Forestry Week (555 5/17 Fraser-MA)  
 11715 1034 R. Korea: EE: News that N. Korea kidnaps S. Koreans to staff clandestine radio stations (444 5/24 Wakefield-IA)  
 11840 0441 R. Beijing: EE: Talks abt the age of 60 being the retirement age for most men; college courses are offered for retirees in many areas (433 5/20 Hart-MN)  
 15250 1825 RCI: EE: "Spectrum" inc interviews concerning the situation in Yugoslavia (433 5/13 Brown-IL)  
 15305 1602 RCI: EE: News inc Canada is willing to sell nuclear safety technology to Russia; records now indicate that 8,000 people died from radiation at Chernobyl (433 5/30 Brown-IL)  
 15325 1907 RCI: EE: Special Broadcast for Canadian Forces troops in Yugoslavia (444 5/20 Brown-IL)

COLOMBIA

4865.1 0129 LV del Cinaruco: SS: Prog of Lat Am music (322 5/25 Bishop NY)  
 4884.9 0132 Ondas del Meta: SS: Non-stop Lat Am including vocals (322 5/25 Bishop-NY)  
 4895 0730 LV del Río Arauca: SS: News; pop and ranchera music; TCs (252 5/21 Meinhardt-IL)  
 5075.1 0240 Caracol-Bogotá: SS: Talks in SS w/ments of Colombia; news @ 0259 (333 5/23 Hart-MN) @ 0425 in SS w/network news read by M w/periodic Caracol jingles & IDs; //6150 kHz (454 5/31 D'Angelo-PA) @ 0045 in SS w/disc among at least 3 men; ad string inc lottery; ID as "Caracol Colombia" w/ment of medium wave 810 kHz in Bogotá (333 5/30 Westenhaber-PQ)  
 6150 0325 Caracol-Neiva: SS: Discussion about 3 decades of Colombian music (333 5/2 Meinhardt-IL)  
 11822 2300 R. Nacional: SS: DJ host a prog of upbeat Lat Am music (333 5/14 Findlater-CA)  
 17870 0205 R. Nacional: SS: EZL Latin Am favourites (some with Hammond Organ à la WINB) @ 0227 ID for RNC's stereo network (343 5/27 Westenhaber-PQ)

COSTA RICA

5030 2235 AWR: EE: Religious prog //9725.1 kHz; ID (232 6/4 Thornton-NJ) (Presumably they are using the old Impacto transmitters which were also on this freqy, but they must be running at reduced power--R. Impacto had a powerhouse signal, designed to



- compete both in kilowatts and ideology with Cuba's R. Rebelde on nearby 5025 kHz. This signal is nowhere near as strong! ed)
- 7375 0508 **RFPI**: EE: Talks about violence against women and changing the patriarchal system in Costa Rica (433 5/13 Hart-MN) @ 0320 w/"World of Radio" into "RFPI Mailbag" (544 5/6 Carson OK)
- 9725 1308 **AWR**: EE: Chatty comments about events in Costa Rica (454 5/10 Neff-FL) @ 2343 in EE w/religious prog for children "Your Story Hour" (434 5/9 Carson-OK)
- 15030 0125 **RFPI**: EE: RCI & R. Japan plan a 27 hour broadcast on tropical rainforest situation (333 5/30 Neff-FL) @ 0600 in EE w/interview w/woman about her experience in college contending with multiculturalism and compulsory "political correctness" requirements (444 5/10 Findlater-CA)
- 21466.6 2312 **RFPI**: GG/EE: Talks in GG about banana exports; report on UN activities; into EE @ 2330 w/station ID; then women's news prog "WINGS" (243 5/26 Westenhaver-PQ) @ 2200 in EE w/news & cmnty on political and economic situation in El Salvador re the FMLN rebels (333 5/22 Findlater-CA)

#### CUBA

- 3366 1004 **R. Rebelde**: SS: Prog of hot dance music; powerhouse signal! (444 5/25 Wakefield-IA)
- 5025 1120 **R. Rebelde**: SS: Prog of pop vocal music (242 5/10 Meinhardt IL)
- 11710 0105 **R. Moscow**: EE: News inc ment of mining disaster in "New Scotland, Canada" (Gee, is that anywhere near Nova Scotia?) (343 5/11 Westenhaver-PQ)
- 11720 2300 **RHC**: SS: M anncr reads news w/ments of Croatia, Serbia & Gorbachev visiting the US (333 5/12 Findlater-CA)
- 11760 0645 **RHC**: "DXers Unlimited" w/a discussion about DXpeditions (444 5/6 Millard-TX)
- 11875 0046 **RHC**: SS: Lots of reports of Copa Libertadores football championship inc a live feed from Paraguay (242 5/11 Westenhaver)
- 11970 0303 **RHC**: EE: News that Cuba is taking in Haitian boat people while the US is sending them back (444 5/29 Westenhaver-PQ)
- 13700 0431 **RHC**: News that UN will announce an emergency plan for southern Africa; ID; sports news (444 5/26 Brown-IL)

#### ECUADOR

- 4679.6 0236 **R. Nacional Espejo**: SS: M DJ gives call sign and station name & address into drama (433 5/26 Bishop-NY)
- 4795 0416 **LV de los Caras**: SS: M anncr hosting "música romántica" prog; talks followed by more romantic vocal music (444 5/9 D'Angelo)
- 4920 0439 **R. Quito**: SS: Music--from Andean to classical; ID as "La Voz de la Capital" (322 5/12 Foster-NC)
- 5012 0915 **Radiofónicas Escuelas Populares**: SS: Full ID into prog of Andean music (333 5/20 Millard-TX)
- 5020 0255 **LV del Upano**: SS: Religious talks by W accompanied by organ music; ID as "Radio Difusora Católica Cultural" s/off w/anmts & w/out NA (353 5/13 D'Angelo-PA)
- 5062 0307 **R. Progreso**: SS Vocal music & talk; ID @ 0316; choral NA @ 0318 (353 5/13 D'Angelo-PA)
- 9745 0100 **HCJB**: EE: "Ham Radio Today" on using RDF to locate stolen cars (Lojack system) (454 5/21 Fraser-MA)
- 9675 1145 **HCJB**: SS: Report on today's presidential elections in Ecuador (444 5/16 Meinhardt-IL)
- 11925 0540 **HCJB**: EE: "DX Partyline" w/a report by Mark Irwin from Birmingham News that the Eternal Word TV Network will put shortwave station WENW on the air in 12/92 near Birmingham, AL using 4 500 KW transmitters, to be the most powerful operation licensed by the FCC (555 5/17 Brewer-KS)
- 15155 0426 **HCJB**: EE: Prog about salvation through Jesus Christ (555 5/20 Rude-WI)
- 15270 2130 **HCJB**: EE: ID; "The World Today" (444 5/22 Dome-TX)
- 15350 1736 **R. Nacional del Ecuador**: (via HCJB) SS: Prog of Latin Am vocals & short talks by W (333 5/25 D'Angelo-PA)
- 17790 1910 **HCJB**: EE: Tuning tips and DX news via "DX Partyline" (323 5/23 Saarikko-NY)
- 21455u 0738 **HCJB**: EE: M anncr reading news about South America (333 5/25 Berri-CA) @ 1921 in EE w/musical selections and cmnty abt the Venezuelan telephone system (555 5/7 Levison-PA)

#### FRENCH GUIANA

- 9675 0900 **R. Japan**: PP: News inc the Prime Minister of Thailand resigns (444 5/24 Meinhardt-IL)
- 11680 0415 **R. Beijing**: EE: ID; "Current Affairs" w/item on Chinese exploring the Pacific Ocean floor to mine manganese nodules (343

5/25 Westenhaver-PQ)  
 15325 0300 R. Japan: EE: Leaders will discuss nuclear arms in Munich in July (444 5/28 Brown-IL)  
 17620 2230 RFI: PP: IDs; news about Gov Clinton; NA of USA; tx abt Pres Bush (555 5/19 Robinson-TN)  
 17860 1310 RFI: SS: News inc political scandals & presidential campaigns in Italy (444 5/14 Meinhardt-IL)

GUATEMALA

3300 0125 R. Cultural: EE: Religious program featuring light Gospel music (433 5/18 Bishop-NY)  
 4825 0148 R. Mam: Vern: Talk by W; into music (322 5/18 Bishop NY)  
 4834v 0156 R. Tezulutlán: SS: M w/talks which sounded like a Catholic Mass (322 5/18 Bishop-NY)

HONDURAS

4820 0409 LV Evangélica: SS: Preacher w/religious sermon (333 5/10 Newbury NE) @ 0142 in SS prog of praise & worship hosted by M & W (343 5/18 Bishop-NY)

MEXICO

6185 0405 R. Educación: SS: Prog of cool jazz music (434 5/12 Foster NC) @ 0700 in SS w/radio drama about the true history of the conquest of New Spain by Bernal Diaz del Castillo (454 5/6 Meinhardt-IL) @ 0510 in SS w/tribute to the music of Marlene Deitrich inc song from "The Blue Angel" movie (433 5/11 Brown-IL)

PARAGUAY

9735 0950 R. Nacional: SS: Instrumental music; TCs; "En la Republica del Paraguay" prog (444 5/24 Wakefield-IA) @ 2315 in SS w/ID; fútbol news; ads; telephone interview (444 5/29 Brown-IL)  
 11945 2302 R. Encarnación: SS: W reading the news; ID @ 0000 (453 5/11 Newbury-NE)

PERU

4914.6 0353 R. Cora: SS: Tango & rumba music into cabaret music from the 1920s & 1930s (222 5/11 Foster-NC)  
 6115 0633 R. Unión: SS: M hosts a prog of Lat Am pop music w/a good variety of styles late on a Saturday night; infrequent IDs (343 5/24 Wakefield-IA)

PIRATES, CLANDESTINES & UNIDS

6300 0308 R. Venceremos: SS: Interesting blend of music inc Santana & local Lat Am music; ID followed by s/off anmts w/out NA 0317\* (252 5/22 D'Angelo-PA)  
 7340 0324 LV del CID: SS: Nice Afro-Cuban vocals; ID; into talks @ 0330; //79941.6 (242 5/10 Westenhaver-PQ)  
 7415 0430 WEED: EE: Rock music; IDs; anncd as broadcasting from the "great southwest" (323 5/3 Flynn-OR)  
 7415 0505 Jolly Roger Radio: EE: Comedy skits, some music--station is more professional than WEED (344 5/3 Flynn-OR)  
 7415u 0005 CBOR: EE: ID; Watts telephone #; talks about drinking; rap music; anncd 100 watts power (444 5/16 Karcheski-MA)  
 7419 0239 R. Anarchy: EE: IDs & "test transmissiion" anmt; rock music (242 4/30 Flynn-OR)  
 15050 0030 R. Patria Libre: SS: Romantic Lat Am vocal music; ID w/ments of 49 meter band; brief march music theme & talks (242 4/30 Flynn-OR)

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

5920 0930 WWCR: EE: Dr. Gene Scott w/sermon "Astro Babble" (554 5/5 Neff-FL)  
 7315 0350 WHRI: EE: ID; address; music by group "Legacy" (555 5/26 Brown-IL) @ 0840 in EE w/relig prog & ID; into Christian disco-beat and pop songs (444 5/23 Westenhaver-PQ)  
 7355 0100 WRNO: EE: "American Dissident Voices" prog (434 5/10 Carson-OK) @ 0050 in SS w/"Radio Miami International" prog w/news abt Cuban Independence Party calling for mass peaceful protest in Cuba on July 26, 1992 (444 5/26 Meinhardt-IL)  
 7405 0340 VOA: EE: A description of the desperate situation in Mozambique brought about by prolonged drought (444 5/26 Brown IL)  
 7435 0251 WWCR: EE: "Scriptures for America" w/themes quite similar to WRNO's "American Dissident Voices" (444 5/10 Westenhaver PQ)  
 7490 0245 WJCR: EE: Program of Gospel music (444 5/14 Bagozzi-CA) @ 1020 in EE with Gospel music & ID (444 5/9 Neff-FL) @ 0039 in

EE w/prog of M & W anncrs reading listēner's letters (333 5/10 Foster-NC)

9465 0405 **WMLK:** EE: Elder Jacob O Meyer with a sermon on Noah's Ark (444 5/11 Millard-TX) @ 0633 in EE w/sermon from Elder Meyer on the subject of adultery--poor modulation (242 5/25 Wakefield)

9590 0203 **BBC:** EE: A report on the political upheaval in Thailand (444 5/25 Brown-IL)

9775 0152 **VOA:** EE: "Report to the Americas" w/obituary of the inventor of the Margarita--no they didn't play Jimmy Buffet-hi! (your tax dollars at work) (444 5/16 Westenhaver-PQ) @ 0110 in EE w/"Report to Lat Am" w/various news item & commentaries (555 5/15 Fraser-MA)

9840 0625 **WCSN:** EE: Report on the "E" light, which is operated by radio (544 6/2 Carson-OK)

11740 2330 **VOA:** EP: "VOA para Brasil; news about Boris Yeltsin (555 5/15 Robinson-TN)

11915 1154 **VOA:** EE: Prog about man's place in the universe (444 5/9 Neff-FL)

13665 1540 **WCSN:** EE: "Letterbox" prog with a question about Radio Earth International (555 5/19 Brown-IL)

13760 2000 **WHRI:** EE: Prog of Christian rock music (554 5/28 Neff FL) @ 1818 in EE w/live coverage of the Indianapolis 500 race w/some ads replaced by PSAs & relig messages (454 5/24 Westenhaver PQ)

13840nf 2330 **WCSN:** EE: "Letterbox" prog preceded by ID & news (333 5/26 Dome-TX)

14945 0435 **WJCR:** EE: Religious program (333 5/20 Rude-WI) (Must be a spur-ious signal this is not a harmonic--ed)

15295 1912 **WJNB:** EE: Prog of traditional Gospel music (433 5/17 Carson OK)

15690 2115 **WWCR:** EE: Glenn Hauser's "World of Radio" #644 (433 5/22 Carson-OK)

17800 1815 **VOA:** "Focus" prog about corruption and debts of the last Soviet officials (553 5/19 Fraser-MA)

**VENEZUELA**

4830 1000 **R. Táchira:** SS: Ad for Banco de Venezuela; music preceded by anncr saying "Radio Táchira presenta" (545 5/20 Robinson-TN) @ 0153 in SS w/M anncr w/talks that sounded to me like a Catholic Mass (433 5/18 Bishop-NY)

4841v 0200 **R. Valera:** SS: M w/full ID @ 0200; into Lat Am music (433 5/18 Bishop-NY)

4940 0207 **R. Continental:** SS: Vocal music by group; canned ID into more vocal music (433 5/25 Bishop-NY)

4970 0203 **R. Rumbos:** SS: Prog of Lat Am music (222 5/27 Bishop-NY)

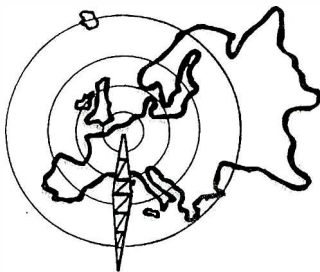
4980 0900 **Écos del Torbes:** SS: Sign on music inc Caribbean pop & "country" (343 5/22 Meinhardt-IL)

9660 2200 **R. Rumbos:** SS: M anncr w/prog of upbeat Lat Am music (222 5/11 Findlater-CA) @ 1000 in SS w/sign on w/relig messages; regional music; travel program for Venezuelan tourists (242 5/31 Meinhardt-IL) @ 0832 in SS w/local songs; casual IDs; ad for buying Mom a purse for Mother's Day; what are they doing on all night? (343 5/7 Westenhaver-PQ)

FILL THAT GAP! Sometime early in June the FCC sent a Notice of Apparant Liability to the individual they say was operating pirate radio station Radio USA. Announcer "Mr. Blue Sky" a/k/a Andrew Yoder received an assessment of fines in the amount of \$17,500. Mr. Yoder, who is involved in the publication of THE ACE bulletin, which is devoted exclusively to pirate and clandestine station loggings and information, has denied the charges and has said that he will contest the matter. Whether or not Mr. Yoder is "Mr Blue Sky" it should be obvious to SPEEDXers that while listening to pirate stations may be entertaining to some of us, operating a pirate station is serious stuff, and unless you have as much money as US Presidential candidate H. Ross Perot, you ought to give the idea serious thought before you go on the air...while on the subject, though some of the pirate transmissions are rather juvenile, there are a number of people who are licensed amateurs operating on 14313 kHz USB who are really a bunch of chuckleheads, who truly offend others with their childish behavior. I wish to FCC would spend more time trying to track down these frequency abusers. It might be a better use of their time if they really want to "clean up" the bands...my cable television system lets me watch baseball games of both the White Sox and Cubs from Chicago. I feel very sorry for everyone who must listen to Harry Caray and Ken Harrelson describing the games. Now I know why Chicago is called the Windy City...until next month remember to have fun with your radio!

73s and good DX *dem*

# EUROPE



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Hello from the sunny, wet and hot Jersey shore! As I'm writing this I've not seen a schedule yet for Radio Japan via Skelton, UK. So I've included a copy of the obsolete June testing schedule for reference, anyway. Also this month I guess I got carried away with my own opinions. Sorry, I'm not really that bad. Speaking of my opinions, remember my comment on the management of Radio Sweden vs Swiss Radio Int'l? Well check out the number of loggings for each the past few months. You'll see what I was getting at. Enough said!

## ALBANIA

### Radio Tirana

11818.5\*0230 RT: EE: //9579.9(343)S/on routine; news; press review; ballad; @0241: interview w/chairman of Albanian consumers Association. (Now there's something to consume?!)(343 5/30 Westenhaver-PQ)  
11825 0250 RT: EE: Reading listener's letters. (444 4/21 Millard-TX)

## AUSTRIA

### Radio Austria Int'l

6015 0535 ORF: EE: Negative opinion on US execution of convicted killer, Coleman (444 5/23 Meinhardt-IL)  
0635 ORF: EE: "Austrian Sortwave Panorama" w/DX catches & recorded segments from R. Galatica, Blue Danube Radio and others. (343 4/27 Meinhardt-IL)  
9875 0153 ORF: EE: "Report from Austria" (544 5/20 Bishop-NY)  
0200 ORF: EE: News about Turkey's call on the UN security council. (444 5/9 Millard-TX)  
13730 0130 ORF: EE: News & comment on international relief organizations. (444 5/17 Levison-PA)  
17730 1139 ORF: EE: "ASWP" w/Glenn Hauser's report on MW expansion into the 1610-1700 kHz band. No sign of 13730 for ENA. When will they choose a better frequency?? (242 5/17 Westenhaver-PQ)  
21490 1048 ORF: EE: "ASWP" w/Glenn Hauser's recordings of clandestine Radio 16 December & Radio Patria Libre. (343 5/17 WW-PQ)

## BELGIUM

### Belgische Radio en Televisie

9930 2330 BRT: EE: Int'l & domestic news, commentary on abortion issue; Economic news for the week & "P.O.Box 26" (444 5/14 Card-RI)  
11695 0632 BRT: EE: News of Zaire to close all commercial banks; at 0639: "Radio World" on Libyan Radio (433 4/18 Carson-OK)  
Bill Westenhaver mentions That RTBF is off the air again! -BC

## BULGARIA

### Radio Sofia

11720 0434 RS: EE: Agriculture report & discussion of forest management. (343 4/17 Carson-OK)  
2203 RS: EE: Comment on a proposed Black Sea nations common market. (454 5/18 Fraser-MA)  
15330 1807 RS: EE: Nat'l anthem & selections by Chopin. Heavy QRM from RCI-15325. (333 5/7 Dome-TX)  
17780 \*1155 RS: Bulgarian: IS to 1200; s/on anmts by woman & man w/news on Yugoslavia. (333 5/24 Wakefield-IA)

## CROATIA

### Croatian Radio Zagreb

6210 0023 CR: Croatian: Non-stop music: jazz/soul/reggae/ballads, mostly inst'l/EE; time pips at 0100(2 & 1); "Hrvatski Radio Studio Zagreb" ID. No sign of 7240/9830. (343 5/29 Westenhaver-PQ)  
9830 0000 CR: Croatian: News & ID followed by pop mx. (333 4/27 Millard)

## CZECHOSLOVAKIA

### Radio Czechoslovakia

7345 0300 RC: EE: News, commentary, press review & "DX Special". (333 5/14 Bagozzi-CA)(555 4/30 Babin-MA)  
0358 RC: EE: 2nd transmission under new name. (434 6/2 Carson-OK)  
11990 0700 RC: FF: IS, ID & woman w/news in brief; music interludes. (222 5/19 Findlater-CA)  
15355 0400 RC: EE: //13715(111); IS, ID, freq anmt & nx. (221 6/24 BC-NJ)



**EURO-PIRATE**

6221 0252 DLR: ??: (Tenetative) Rock & pop; talk by man in unid language.  
(ID per ANARC SWL NET, 24 May)(222 2/24 Karcheski-MA)

**FINLAND**Radio Finland

11755 0130 RF: EE: "Northern Report" - the Finnish president comments on a purchase of F18s. (322 5/18 Brown-IL)  
15400 1237 RF: EE: Transportation report says costs will go up in the next century; temperature is 24 degs in Helsinki. (333 5/28 Brown)

**FRANCE**Radio France Int'l

12005 0329 RFI: FF: Report on the high cost of living in Buenos Aires; at 0331: ID/news/sports/press review. (343 5/29 Westenhover-PQ)  
17620 1600 RFI: EE: ID, news - Nigerian town is calm after 300 are killed in ethnic riots. (333 5/19 Brown-IL)  
17650 1433 RFI: EE: "Counterpoint" about Cambodia and the problem of land-mines scattered around the country killing innocent victims. (252 5/27 Lukas-NY)  
21645 1320 RFI: SS: Press review about sexual harassment in France. (444 4/30 Meinhardt-IL)

**GERMANY**Deutsche Welle Voice of America

3995 0130 DW: GG: Woman w/talk & man w/freq anmts. (332 5/18 Bishop-NY)  
7265 0537 Sudwestfunk: GG: Rock n roll programme w/Bob Seger's "Fire in the Sky" (333 4/14 Millard)  
9670 0515 DW: EE: Reading listener's mail. (555 5/24 Rude-WI)  
9690 0715 DW: GG: Talk on computers & software, then news headlines. (454 5/12 Meinhardt-IL)  
11865 0140 DW: EE: Report on bands of armed Albanians roaming the Greek border; ID & "Sports Report" on soccer. (333 5/18 Brown-IL)  
13610 0135 DW: EE: Talk about the "Black Market" between Germany & Poland. (333 5/18 Dome-TX)  
13780 2135 DW: EE: "Science & Technology", description of space shuttle's satellite rescue & report on transplants. (333 5/24 Brown-IL)  
15360 2120 DW: EE: ID & European press review on the political problems in Italy and Baker's comments on Yugoslavia. (433 5/27 Brown)  
17865 0500 VOA: AA: Man w/ID and news. (333 5/24 Findlater-CA)  
21570 0800 VOA: EE: Man w/news. (333 5/17 Findlater-CA)

**GREECE**Voice of America Voice of Greece

9715 0330 VOA-Rhodes: AA: //5965(poor); VOA jingles & mx. (211 6/24 BC)  
11595 2135 RS Macedonia: Greek: Greek mx & requests (322 4/0 Millard-TX)  
11645 2300 VOG: Greek/EE: ID, folk music/vocals; EE mx @2335 on minority rights, Armenia, & national unity. (545 5/15 Robinson-TN)  
15205 0545 VOA-Kavalla: EE: Discussion of foreign students attending a graduate school in the US. (322 4/8 Millard-TX)  
17705 0600 VOA-Kavalla: AA: ID & news by man. Poor. (222 5/16 Findlater)  
21695 1800 VOA-Kavalla: AA: //21535; woman w/news. (222 5/26 Findlater)

**HUNGARY**Radio Budapest Radio France Int'l

9835 0200 RB: EE: ID & news, about the Hungarian socialist party, and creation of capitalism. (555 5/15 Robinson-TN)  
0242 RB: EE: Comments on freedom of expression in Hungary & a pastry shop in Budapest. (434 5/29 Levinson-PA)  
11910 \*0158 RB: EE: IS, ID, news & political commentary. (444 5/6 Carson)  
15220 0220 RB: EE: "History Makers" w/talk about golden age of Hungarian history. (444 6/6 Miller-GA) I've checked this freq daily for about 2 weeks, but no luck! It may have been a test. -BC  
15460 1655 RFI: FF: French pops to fill to 1700; ID, anmts & news to 1705; the into "Panorama". Site per RFI's sked. (343 5/31 WW-PQ)

**RADIO FRANCE INT'L relays via HUNGARY**

0500-0600 utc on 11850 kHz  
0500-0800 on 15530  
0600-0800 on 17690  
1600-1800 on 15460

All programmes in FF

(from WW-PQ)

**ICELAND**Icelandic National Broadcasting Service

13855 \*1411 INBS: Icelandic: //15770; Sudden s/on catches soprano in mid-scream; @1413 woman w/news. (343 5/24 Wakefield-IA)  
2005 INBS: Icelandic: News, interviews & anmts of Reykaviak. (333 4/5 Millard-TX)  
15770 1948 INBS: Icelandic: Interview & news program. (333 5/22 Dome-TX)

**ITALY** Italian Radio Relay Service Radiotelevisione Italiano  
 7125 0458 **IRRS:** EE: IS, ID & address followed by religious programming.  
 (322 4/14 Millard-TX) **IRRS** may be going off, get it now! BC  
 9575 2047 **RAI:** SS: IS to 2051, then s/on routine & anmts by man, this  
 broadcast to Europe, followed by news. Barely readable w/unid  
 co-ch interference and nasty splash de 9580-Spain in AA.  
 (322 5/28 Westenhaver-PQ)  
 11800 0100 **RAI:** EE: IS, ID & news of the Italian elections, 12 ballots  
 and no one has emerged on top. (433 5/20 Brown-IL)  
 News of Italy's American cup racing yacht losing to the US.  
 (544 5/16 Fraser-MA) (343 4/30 Babin-MA)  
 \*0305 **RAI:** SS: Man w/news and Spanish guitar music program to 0325\*.  
 (333 5/20 Findlater-CA)  
 15330 0330 **RAI:** RR: IS to 0331 and man w/ID & sked (as far I could tell,  
 this frequency was announced), then news; Splash de NHK-15325.  
 (333 5/28 Westenhaver-PQ)

**LUXEMBOURG** Radio Luxembourg  
 15350 0305 **RTL:** EE: Jingle IDs & rock music. (333 5/20 Millard-TX)  
 Jingle: "Music at the speed of light, the greatest hits by  
 satellite, Radio Luxembourg". (343 5/6 Westenhaver-PQ)  
 0435 **RTL:** EE: Pop music & ID: "Saturday night is home of the world's  
 biggest party on Radio Luxembourg". (433 5/15 Hart-MN)  
 0724 **RTL:** EE: Lots of IDs & rock music. (232 5/26 Carson-OK)

**MONACO** Trans World Radio  
 6230 0344 **TWR:** GG: IS to 0345, then anmt: "Sie horen ...uber Trans World  
 Radio Monte Carlo"; followed w/program of short talks & hymns.  
 (242 5/28 Westenhaver-PQ)  
 9480 0632 **TWR:** EE: IS to 0635 s/on & into "Wake Up". (444 6/2 Carson-OK)  
 IS, ID & "Wake Up" program. (444 5/6 Millard-TX)

**NETHERLANDS** Radio Netherlands  
 6020 0050 **RN:** EE: "Newsline" (455 4/30 Babin-MA)  
 9590 0407 **RN-Bonaire:** EE: Talk about pulsars & astronomer's fascination  
 with them, using lighthouse analogy. (444 5/12 Hart-MN)  
 11835 0051 **RN-Bonaire:** EE: "Media Network" (444 5/8 Dome-TX) (555 Rude-WI)  
 15150 1452 **RN-Madagascar:** "research File" (433 5/14 Carson-OK)  
 17605 1552 **RN:** EE: "Media Network" (222 5/14 Carson-OK) NOW on 17610 -BC  
 17610nf 1602 **RN:** EE: "Media Network" w/the usual talk about the decline of  
 shortwave listening and the increase in satellite services.  
 (322 6/18 Colyard-NJ) Where is my soap box? Jonathon, I  
 don't listen to shortwave for the services! I listen for the  
 chance to hear something I don't normally hear on my AM/FM or  
 cable. I tune for things that my government or big business  
 don't want me to listen to. I don't want to pay some greedy  
 media executive money just to hear what they've programmed for  
 me. Freedom of choice, that's what it's called! And if any-  
 body out there thinks that Radio Netherlands going strictly to  
 satellite would be a great loss, think again! Trust me, if  
 the big power houses move off shortwave, the more good DX we  
 DXers will enjoy. Obviously, JM was never a true DXer or he  
 wouldn't keep pushing this garbage. BC  
 17895 2233 **RN:** Dutch: //13700, 11715; World news then Dutch equivalent of  
 "Newsline" w/report on Yugoslavia. (444 5/5 Westenhaver-PQ)  
 21480 1340 **RN:** Dutch: //17580, 13700, 11955(Madagascar); Pop music & ID.  
 (242 5/24 Wakefield-IA)  
 21665 1347 **RN:** EE: "Newsline" & into "Media Network" about early radio.  
 (333 4/23 Carson-OK)

**RADIO NETHERLANDS** English service frequency usage  
 0030-0125 to central & east North America 6165-B, 6020-F, 11835-B\*  
 0030-0325 to South Asia 13700-F, 9890-M, 11655-M  
 0330-0425 to North America west 6165-B, 9590-B  
 0730-0825 to N.Zealand/Australia 9630-B  
 0730-1025 to N.Zealand/Australia 11895-B  
 0930-1025 to N.Zealand/Australia 9720-B  
 1230-1325 to Europe 9855-F  
 1330-1625 to South Asia 17610-F  
 1330-1525 to South Asia 21665-F  
 1430-1625 to South & East Asia 9890-M, 15150-M  
 1530-1625 to South Asia 17580-F  
 1730-1925 to South, East & Central Africa 6020-M, 9605-M, 21515-B  
 1730-2025 to West Africa 21590-B  
 1930-2025 to West Africa 17605-B

-B = Bonaire -F = Flevu -M = Madagascar \* = ssb

**NORWAY**

Radio Norway Int'l

11795 2304 RNI: EE: Report of pirate attacks on Norwegian shipping. (444 5/16 Neff-FL)  
 2359 RNI: EE: IS, ID, news; a Norwegian fairy tale & "Listener's Corner". (433 5/24 Brown-IL) 4th Sunday of the month. -BC  
 17755 0700 RNI: Norwegian: //11740, 9590; ID & Woman with news; poor. (222 5/26 Findlater)  
 21595 0800 RNI: Norwegian: Man w/news; poor. (222 5/16 Findlater-CA)  
 21705 1900 RNI: EE: Woman w/news & report on status of Norwegian exports: protection, new markets, etc; the first heat wave of the year. (222 5/16 Findlater-CA)

**POLAND**

Polish Radio Warsaw

9525 2014 PRW: EE: Sunday: "What We Said"; This use to be on Saturday at this time. (222 6/21 BC) @2000: Tues: Program of listener's letters ("Postbox" or "DX Program") (211 6/23 BC) @1945: Wed: "Chopin in Britian" & other cultural stuff. (233 6/24 BC)  
 Not many loggings for PRW the last few months. Their daily programs usually play on the 2nd & 4th broadcasts of the day, repeated on the 1st & 3rd broadcasts the next day. -BC

**PORTUGAL**

Radio Portugal Radio Canada RFE/RL

9600 0012 Radio Renascenca: PP: IS (melody played on bells), ID, anmt & intro mx(sounds familiar), into domestic news. (322 6/24 BC)  
 9635 0300 VOA: RR: ID & man w/news; 0400\*. (222 5/25 Findlater-CA)  
 9705 0225 RDP: PP/EE: Light Portugese rock music; @0230: EE ID and news. (333 5/7 Newbury-NE)  
 \*0230 RDP: EE: ID & program notes, news. (333 5/11 Brown-IL)  
 9760 2148 VOA-Gloria: EE: Report on Bush and the Rio conference; then a report on a Russian Mars probe. (333 5/27 Brown-IL)  
 11725 2100 RFE/RL-Maxoqueira: Romanian: "Radio Europa Libera" ID and man w/news; 2155\*. (333 5/22 Findlater-CA)  
 11770 \*0200 RFE/RL-Gloria: Turkman: Man w/ID & news(ID undecipherable) with mention of Tashkent, Sarajevo & UN. (333 5/19 Findlater-CA)  
 11840 0247 RDP: EE: DX program w/tips on QSLing Latin Americans & Q-codes; 0300\*; QRM de UNID Slavik station. (232 5/30 Westenhaver-PQ)  
 11905 0410 RCI: EE: //9650(333); "Spectrum" w/Jim Craig; Both freqs had Deutsche Welle in Czech/Slovak @0430. (242 5/29 Westenhaver)  
 15215 \*0600 RFE/RL-Gloria: Romanian: ID & man w/news. (333 5/20 Findlater)  
 15235 2000 VOA-Gloria: Polish: Slow speed nx & talk. (222 5/23 Findlater)

**ROMANIA**

Radio Romania Int'l

9570 0403 RRI: EE: News on Romanian political parties. (323 5/14 Bagozzi) //11940; News by woman about Romania. (333 5/6 Newbury-NE)  
 11830 0127 RRI: Romanian: IS, ID & intrumental mx. (323 5/8 Dome-TX)  
 0200 RRI: EE: ID & talk about the Romanian school of mathematics & the Balkan Mathematic Olympiad. (545 5/15 Robinson-TN)  
 11940 2150 RRI: EE: "DX Mailbag" w/listener's comments & tlk about short-wave club magazines recently received. (433 6/6 Miller-GA)  
 15250 2200 RRI: PP: Radio magazine "Sabado des de Radio Romania Int'l", w/news, music & talk. (545 5/16 Robinson-TN)  
 17815 2200 RRI: PP: Program "Estudio do Sabado" w/songs, talk on Moldova, & Romanian pavillion @ Expo 92, 2228\*. (342 5/30 Westenhaver)

**RADIO ROMANIA INT'L in English**

To N.America	0200-0300	utc	11940, 11830, 9570, 9510, 6155, 5990	kHz
" "	0400-0430		11940, 11830, 9570, 9510, 6155, 5990	
Africa	0530-0600		21665, 17790, 17745, 17720, 15380, 15340	
Europe	0630-		15365, 11940, 9665, 7225 - NEWS	
Pacific	0645-0715		21665, 17805, 17720, 15335, 11940, 11810	
Europe	1300-1400		17850, 17720, 15365, 11940	
Asia	1430-1530		17720, 15335, 11775	
Africa	1730-1800		17745, 15340	
Europe	1900-2000		11940, 9750, 9690, 7145, 5955	
" "	2100-2200		11940, 9750, 9690, 7145, 5955	

**SPAIN**

Radio Exterior de Espana Spanish National Radio

9530 0035 SNR: EE: Report on Spain's part in the Euro space program; heavy QRM de Moscow. (422 4/30 Babin-MA) @0045: "Art & Music", "Edge 92", report about the 3rd annual visual and performing arts show. (555 5/9 Fraser-MA)  
 0544 SNR: EE: Picasso's "Guernica" to be moved. (454 5/23 Meinhardt)  
 \*2358 SNR: EE: IS, ID, program notes & news. (422 5/25 Brown-IL)  
 9760 0456 REE: SS: //9650(433); to Australia: IS to 0458 then frequency anmt, ID & into chat by announcer who will retire after this day; co-ch QRM de BBC in Slovak. (343 5/31 Westenhaver-PQ)

**SPAIN** Radio Exterior de Espana continued  
 12035 0910 REE: SS: Report on violence in LA, San Francisco, & Atlanta following the Rodney King verdict. (444 5/1 Meinhardt-IL)  
 15445 1950 REE: SS: //12035(242); "Tablero Deportivo" w/football scores, pools & results; interview with a Real Madrid player; @2000: TC/ID/news. (443 5/31 Westenhaver-PQ)  
 17890 1053 REE: SS: to Mideast; //17845(444); Talk on Spanish ham, Rioja wine & other deli stuff; ID/freq anmt @1058\*. (343 5/6 WW-PQ)

**SWEDEN** Radio Sweden  
 11730 0120 RS: EE: Program on unemployment in Sweden. (343 4/30 Babin-MA)  
 17870 1518 RS: EE: //21500(232); "Media Scan" on proposed women's radio station; then sports quiz, win prizes! (344 5/26 Westenhaver)  
 21500 1510 RS: EE: "Horizon" about the environment. (343 4/30 Meinhardt)

**SWITZERLAND** Swiss Radio Int'l  
 6135 0355 SRI: EE: //13635(444); IS, ID & news. (444 5/11 Brown-IL)  
 6165 0426 SRI: EE/FF: //13635(544) "Switzerland in Focus" anmt, and into French @0430; covered by R. Netherlands (322 4/17 Carson-OK)  
 9650 \*0158 SRI: EE: //9885(444), 12035(444); IS/ID/news. (544 5/16 Brown)  
 9810 2200 SRI: EE: News & "Dateline". (333 5/27 Brown-IL)  
 9885 0000 SRI: EE: to C/S America; "Rhythm Makers" w/bluegrass music Swiss style & Bill Monroe. (454 5/25 Lukas-NY)  
 "Dateline" farmers worry about Switzerland joining EC. (444 5/28 Saarikko-NY)(555 5/9 Rude-WI)  
 13635 2007 SRI: EE: News into information ON the ICRC. (454 5/28 Neff-FL)  
 15430 1658 SRI: EE: IS, ID, news & "Dateline". (322 5/25 Brown-IL)  
 17565 0600 SRI: EE: News of the satellite retrieval and then "Grapevine" w/listener's letters. (444 5/16 Findlater-CA)  
 17635 1700 SRI: EE: IS, ID & anmt "to Near East and Africa", then world news read by man. (453 5/20 Fraser-MA)

**UNITED KINGDOM** British Broadcasting Corp Voice of America  
 6160 2300 NHK: EE: //11735; News & "Magazine" program. (221 6/3 BC-NJ) Interestingly this freq had RCI programming @2200 ut. ?? -BC  
 7125 0345 VOA: Serbian: ID & woman w/news; rtty QRM. (222 5/26 Findlater)  
 9915 0437 BBC: Finnish: Current affairs reports and press review with EE inserts; closing w/"Lontoosa... BBC"; 0444\*. (343 5/29 WW-PQ)  
 11790 0302 Radio Canada Int'l-Skelton: FF: RCI news and environment talk; co-ch QRM de Ukrainian Radio. (322 5/27 Westenhaver-PQ)  
 12095 0054 BBC: EE: "Counterpoint" quiz show. (444 4/27 Millard-TX)  
 15070 2024 BBC: EE: ID, then "Words of Faith" with a Jewish leader from Scotland. (333 5/23 Brewer-KS)(333 5/22 Brown-IL)  
 2337 BBC: EE: "Off The Wall" (444 5/9 Carson-OK)  
 15430 2005 BBC: Turkish: "Burasi BBC Londra" ID; then reports on fighting in Sarajevo(w/EE correspondent's reports). (343 5/22 WW-PQ)  
 21570 1543 VOA: Armenian: a piece on JFK (75th birthday); news briefs & a VOA editorial; off abruptly @1559. (343 5/29 Westenhaver)

June test schedule for RADIO JAPAN via Skelton relays  
 0400-0600 utc on 9695, 9770 kHz  
 0600-0900 on 9670, 9770  
 1930-2130 on 6025  
 2130-2200 on 6110  
 2200-0030 on 6025, 6160 (tnx WW-PQ)

**VATICAN CITY** Vatican Radio  
 7305 0250 VR: EE: //9605(444); IS, ID & the programme "A Room With a View of the Vatican" & talk about LA riots. (333 6/19 Brown-IL)  
 9605 0144 VR: SS: IS & into religious teaching program. (434 6/1 Carson)  
 15090 0500 VR: EE: Program on world health problems (353 5/14 Bagozzi-CA)  
 1730 VR: EE: African Service; ID & gospel reading (333 5/30 Brown)  
 15120 0800 VR: ??: IS, ID; Liturgical Mass & hymns. (222 5.24 Findlater)  
 17730 0500 VR: EE: ID & news on the environment. (333 5/27 Brown-IL)  
 17865 1545 VR: EE: IS & ID anmt over sitar music; then weekly programme on miracles of Jesus; news @1555. (232 5/26 Westenhaver-PQ)

**YUGOSLAVIA** Radio Yugoslavia  
 11735 2110 RY: EE: News & comment on Serbia & Bosnia. (333 5/20 Millard)  
 11835 \*2300 RY: SS: Man w/ID and news. (222 5/22 Findlater-CA)  
 11870 0030 RY: EE: News of conflict (222 5/17 Findlater)(444 5/20 Brown) @0050: Int'l arts competition in Yugoslavia; a commercial & "sports Roundup". (444 4/27 Millard-TX) Commercial for what? @0058: sign off and into Portuguese. (555 4/30 Babin-MA)  
 0130 RY: EE: News of Yugoslav army & Bosnia. (232 5/8 Bagozzi-CA) @0145: "Ecology Report" (434 6/1 Carson-OK)



# The Commonwealth

Loggings and Information for The Commonwealth of  
Independent States, Estonia, Latvia and Lithuania

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CIS		Radio Moscow	Radio Ukraine	Radio Tashkent	Radio Yerevan
5930	0125	RT-Tashkent (W):	EE: pgm on new Christian Democratic Party (444 4/30 Babin-MA)		
7240	0050	RU-Kharkov (W):	EE: pgm on Christian church in the Ukraine (333 4/30 Babin-MA)		
7295	0030	RM:	EE: nx w/ ID (343 4/30 Babin-MA)		
9530	0035	RM:	EE: classical mx pgm, QRM de Spain (322 4/30 Babin-MA)		
9810	1335	RM-Khabarovsk (W):	RR: part of Beethoven violin concerto (545 5/6 Newbury-NE)		
11520	0019	RU:	EE: vocal mx, cmtry on Ukrainian independence (434 5/5 Levison-PA) (Either a new freq. or another mixing product - anyone know for sure? -ed)		
11675	0433	RM-Chita (W):	EE: pgm on Russian bluegrass singer, sandwiched btw RFI on 11670 and Beijing on 11680 (232 5/28 Westenhaver-QU)		
11710	2200	RM:	EE: ID, M nx, M/W w/ dramatic play by Tolstoy (333 5/26 Findlater-CA)		
11790	0030	RU:	EE: "Ukraine Today" - rpts on Crimea, budget, relations w/ Canada and Academy of Talented Youth (444 5/21 Fraser-MA)		
11840	1010	RM:	EE: biography of Russian author Konstantin Porostopsky (454 5/31 Meinhardt-IL)		
11880	0319	RM:	EE: Spanish foreign minister visits Moscow (333 4/23 Carson-OK)		
11880	2030	R. Galaxy:	RR/EE: RR rock mx w/ EE ID's and announcements, ID/freq. @ 2038 and ment that R. Galaxy broadcasts 2100-2400 UTC daily (444 6/8 Minnehan-OH)		
11885	0500	RM:	EE: ID, W nx - UN security council imposes oil embargo on Serbia, Yeltsin announces what he wants from western industrial nations (333 6/1 Findlater-CA)		
11980	0303	RU:	Ukrainian: M nx to 0310, M/W current affairs items, many ments of Ukraine but no positive ID,    11790 (333 5/29 Westenhaver-QU)		
12040	2321	RM:	FF: DX pgm w/ interview of head of RM monitoring svc (444 5/16 Westenhaver-QU)		
12040	0006	RU:	EE: US oilman visit to help develop oil fields, tik w/ Japan, ID (433 5/5 Hart-MN)		
12060	2341	RM:	FF: "Business Club" pgm, closing anmt @ 2358 (444 5/14 Westenhaver-QU)		
12070	0030	RM:	PP: ID, M/W dialog,    12060 (333 6/1 Findlater-CA)		
13605	0650	New Wave Radio:	RR/EE: ID w/ address & description of station (444 5/6 Millard-TX)		
13665	1900	RM:	EE: ID, W nx, "Russian Folk Song Melodies", M more nx @ 2000 (333 5/20 Findlater-CA)		
15125	1657	Adventist World Radio-Kuybishev:	EE: end of choral mx followed by "This is Adventist World Radio" ID, into RR (333 5/25 D'Angelo-PA)		
15225	1400	RM-Vinnitsa (W):	EE: ID, nx - Yeltsin visits Siberia to check on economic reforms (252 5/27 Lukas-NY)		
15245	0830	RM:	EE: ID, M nx - Baker wants all countries to boycott Serbia, classical mx pgm (333 5/26 Findlater-CA)		
15315	2335	Golos Rossiye:	RR: W Moscow TC, pgm of non-stop Russian ballads, IS @ 2359, Kremlin bells, ID/anmt and into nx (434 6/1 Westenhaver-QU)		
15355	0004	RU:	EE: nx items, mx, station ID @ 0010 (323 5/26 Levison-PA) (Westenhaver-QU)		
15375	1917	RM:	EE: "Science & Engineering" question time (233 5/17 Carson-OK)		
15415	0800	RM:	EE: ID, M nx - 1000's of Bosnian refugees flee to neighboring countries (333 5/23 Findlater-CA)		
15460	1200	RT:	EE: ID, nx of Yeltsin, commonwealth, agricultural development (545 5/20 Robinson-TN)		
15480	1200	RM:	EE: W nx, "Focus on Asia & the Pacific" w/ item on Indian fears of Chinese nuclear tests (242 5/28 Westenhaver-QU)		
15485	2240	RM:	EE: Russian fairy tale, ID @ 2258 (444 5/22 Dome-TX) (Westenhaver-QU)		
15485	1916	RM:	AA: 2 M short tiks w/ mx bridges btw, "Idha'atu al-Mosko" in passing, @ 1930 W hosts pgm of pop songs (343 5/31 Westenhaver-QU)		
15485p	1358	RU:	Ukrainian: non-stop EE pops to 1429, dead air, TC @ 1430 using "hodina" for "hours" (RR uses "chasov"), brief M tik, into classical piano mx played by Zoltan Kocsis (343 5/30 Westenhaver-QU)		
15490	2032	RM-Vinnitsa (W):	FF: RR pop song, ID @ 2036, into pgm "Business Club" (433 5/14 Westenhaver-QU)		
15500	2025	RM-Armavir (W):	EE: "News & Views", nx briefs @ 2030, "Folk Box" (333 5/14 Westenhaver-QU)		
15560	0135	RM:	EE: pgm of folk mx w/ cmtry btw selections (444 5/24 Levison-PA)		
15570	0000	RU:	EE: ID, nx of armed forces in Ukraine (545 5/19 Robinson-TN)		
17575	2040	RM:	FF: ID, pgm "Au rendez-vous des amis" w/ tik about gold (444 5/31 Westenhaver-QU)		
17580	0000	RM:	SS: ID, M nx,    17660 (222 6/1 Findlater-CA) (Westenhaver-QU)		
17590	1134	RM-Kenga (W):	EE: promo for RM Transcription Service,		

17660/17675/17810/17830 (242 5/17 Westenhaver-QU)  
 17595 0600 RM: FF: ID, M nx - ments Yugoslavia, Serbia, Bosnia, || 17580 (333 5/16 Findlater-CA)  
 17600 1202 R. Atlantika: RR: rock mx, "vy slushaete Radiostantsiya Atlantika iz Murmanska" ID @ 1207, more mx to 1215, ID and interview pgm, || 17760 (243 5/5 Westenhaver-QU)  
 17640 0300 RM: EE: ID, M nx - Bush position on upcoming global ecological conclave in Rio (333 5/16 Findlater-CA)  
 17660 1552 RM-Moscow (W): FF: "L'Heure pour les jeunes" pgm giving addresses for pen pals, || 17575 (444 5/14 Westenhaver-QU)  
 17680 0300 RM: SS: ID, M nx, M/W dialog (333 5/23 Findlater-CA)  
 17685 0345 RM: EE: pgm on RR classical mx, || 17605/17640/17650/17735/17850/17870 (243 5/15 Westenhaver-QU)  
 17695 2027 RM: EE: cmtry on N. Korea production of nuclear material, ID @ 2030 (333 5/15 Brewer-KS) (Westenhaver-QU)  
 17735 2336 RM: EE: piece on Larissa Grigorieva, 2359\* (333 5/6 Westenhaver-QU)  
 17740 0030 RM: EE: pgm on value of ruble, QRM de R. Iraq in AA (432 5/24 Babin-MA)  
 17760 1800 RM: RR: IS, ID, M nx, ment of Yeltsin (333 5/16 Findlater-CA)  
 17870 0700 RM: EE: ID, M nx - arsenal explosion in Vladivostok, Serbs attack Sarajevo (333 5/17 Findlater-CA)  
 17890 0100 RM-Kiev (W): EE: ID, Gorbachev talks w/ US congress (333 5/16 Findlater-CA)  
 21515 0138 RM: EE: "Jazz Show" w/ interview, || 21690 (242 5/16 Westenhaver-QU)  
 21785 1204 RM-Armavir (W): EE: nx to 1209, ad for selling time on RM, "Focus on Asia & the Pacific" (434 5/21 Westenhaver-QU)

**Lithuania Radio Vilnius**

11780 2312 RV: EE: supermarkets & currency discussed (444 6/6 Carson-OK) (Westenhaver-QU)

**Schedules, Etc.**

AWR Russia schedule to Europe (all 250 kw):

0230-0330	11785	Arabic to Russia	1530-1600	9775	Romanian
0330-0430	11900	Yugoslavian & Romanian	1600-1630	15125	English
0430-0530	15125	English & German	1630-1700	15125	Swedish
0530-0600	12010	Polish	1700-1800	15125	Russian
0600-0630	11775	Arabic	1800-1900	7310	Russian
1400-1500	9775	Italian	1900-1930	7310	German
1500-1530	9775	Yugoslavian	1930-2000	7310	Polish

[WOR #646 via A. Quagliari via ANARC BBS]

Radio Vilnius announced that as of May 4th, they would be in English 2130-2200 on 666, 9675 and 9710; 2300-2330 on 11780 13645 and 15580. They have also been heard on 10344USB presumably feeding their programmes to Far East transmitter sites. R. Vilnius gave up the use of a transmitter in the Ukraine which would cost them 1.5 million roubles a year for rent. They used for the March-May period transmitters in Krasnodar on 9530, Moldova on 11860, Petropavlovsk-Kamchatsky on 17605, Khabarovsk on 17690. This costs 2 million roubles a year rental, another 1 million roubles to get the programmes to the transmitters.

[Euronews via USEnet]

A fairly low turnout this month, but again some good quality loggings make up for it. I have an incredible amount of schedule information and station news this month (the above is just a sample!), including a complete J92 RMWS English schedule and a fairly complete J92 schedule for all other RM languages plus local broadcasters! I have sent these along to our esteemed publisher along with the regular column pages in case there is room to print them. I also received a long list of local broadcasters from Bob Fraser that was compiled by Alexey Osipov (Leningrad DX Club). If you would like a copy of any of these lists, send me 2 first class stamps and I will send them to you.

Until next time... -Jason



# "ONDA CORTA"

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Dear friends: Here are some logs obtained recently, all on 24 and 25 May. Receiver: NRD-525.  
Antenna: Longwire, 20 meters. All languages Spanish unless noted.

- 3285.34 1025 **La Voz del Río Tarqui, Cuenca, Ecuador** Mx, ads, ID as "R. Tarqui" at 1040 by anrr.
- 3477.88v 0102 **R. Padilla, Padilla, Bolivia** ID as "Radio Padilla anuncia la hora..." anncr talks about the station now having problems in controls; folk mx, good signal.
- 4552.53 1041 **R. Trópical, Trinidad, Bolivia** Mx, talks by M anncr; heard again at 2312 w/ messages and lots of ads about Trinidad City; at 2331 ID as "Radio Trópical en su sintonía."
- 4719.85 0023 **R. Abaroa, Riberalta, Bolivia** Musical salutations; no ID heard, but mentions of Riberalta.
- 4800.86 0149 **R. Onda Azul, Puno, Peru** Mx & ID at 0149 as "A través de Onda Azul hemos presentado: Un día como hoy," salutations.
- 4965.00 2333 **R. Juan 23, San Ignacio de Velasco, Bolivia** Educational pgm; ID at 2340 by M anncr as "Transmite Juan 23, la radio desde el corazón y jardín de la mesopotamia..."
- 6029.69 1217 **R. Santa María, Coyhaique, Chile** News program *Primera Plana* from Radio Chilena, Santiago, directly through this station. At 1220 ID as "R. Chilena presentó Primera Plana," at 1221 ID as "En su sintonía R. Santa María, la radio del vicariato apostólico de Aysen, desde la ciudad de Coyhaique, capital de la Undécima región del General Carlos Ibañez del Campo," ads. Also IDs as "Somos Santa María, su radio preferida."
- 6300.04 0002 **R. Venceremos, Morazan, El Salvador** Now as an official station: Musical pgm, salutations, and comments about the FMLN as a political party from 23 May; revolutionary songs, ads with calls about entering in the Academia de Seguridad Pública-Policía Nacional; also they are asking on the air, wanting a house for the definitive studios of RV in El Salvador. ID's as "Radio Venceremos" and also as "RV." Also heard mx by Phil Collins, s/off 0158 hrs.

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**BYELORUSS:** **Radio Byeloruss** in Byelorussian  
To Europe: 1830 UTC on 7420, 2130-2200 on 5960, 7420  
To North America: 2330-2400 on 9530, 17605, 17690

**Radio Minsk** in German

1830-1900 Wed/Sat on 5960, 6010, 6090, 7420

Programme **Die Antwort** (in German) via Radio Minsk

1930-2100 Sun on 5960, 6010, 6090, 7420

Address: Die Antwort, Post Box 767, CH-1701 Ereiburg, Switzerland

**Radio Mogilev**

0300 w/Republican 1st programme; 0330, 1500 local programmes on 5430

**RUSSIA:** **Radio Radonezh, Moscow**

Daily in Russian: 1130-1330 on 11675; 1500-1700 on 9450.

Address: ul. Pyatnitskaya, 25; 113326 Moscow.

**Radio Sharp, Ufa**

Independent station, daily in Russian: 0300-1900 on 5780.

Address: pr. Oktjbrj, 56/1; Ufa-54; 450054 Bashkortostan

**Radio Trek, Ekaterinburg:** daily in Russian, 1600-1800 on 6910.

Address: Box 932; 620063 Ekaterinburg. Tel. 29-43-76 and 51-60-18.

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(Dates/Times in UTC - Freq. in kHz - Deadline the 12<sup>th</sup>)

When conditions allow, be sure to give more than just a quick listen to the African domestic broadcasters- you never know what you'll hear. So far this year, rebellious troops have occupied the national radio in Congo (Jan. 15) and Niger (Feb. 27-March 1) to press their demands. Togo, Sierra Leone, and Mauritania (among others) could experience coups at any time. So give these broadcasters a good listen- it could pay off!

## ALGERIA

9535 2100 RTV Algerienne: AA: Nx in AA (322 5/10 Babin-MA)

## ASCENSION ISLAND

9560 2245 BBC: PP: ID as Brazilian svc, financial nx, then long commentary on development problems (sounded worthy but boring- just like DW!)- some QSB (343 5/28 Westenhaver-PQ)  
11750 2215 BBC: EE: "Nx About Britain"- a rpt about England & the politics of the EEC (333 5/15 Brown-IL)  
15190 1030 BBC: EE: "Two Cheers for May"- OK, but I preferred "Double Exposure"'s piece on the meeting of "Butch Gorby & the Brain-Dead Kid" (242 5/28 Westenhaver-PQ)  
15390 0330 BBC: SS: Big Ben chimes, world nx headlines, items on international coffee markets- faint co-channel RCI in AA via Wertachtal (343 5/27 Westenhaver-PQ)  
15400 2120 BBC: EE: ID, then rpt on the near collapse of national health care in Nicaragua (444 5/26 Brewer-KS) Human rights delegation says that last year was one of the worst in Egypt (333 5/20 Brown-IL)  
17810 0927 VOA: SS: Yankee Doodle, EE IDs, then ID in SS, nx leading with Bush return from Latin American trip- fading in & out, but got stronger around local sunrise- by 1030 recheck, //21490 was also heard (242 6/15 ed.)  
17880 2030 VOA: HA: ID, M w/nx in Hausa (333 5/25 Findlater-CA)

## BENIN

4870 0457 ORTB: FF: Drum IS, NA, M w/ID in FF, M singing in FF, nx (433 5/20 Hart-MN) 2200 ID in FF (323 5/8 Babin-MA)

## BOTSWANA

9885 0500 VOA: EE: ID, M w/nx (222 5/24 Findlater-CA)  
15375 0615 VOA: FF: Brief hilife mx bridges, mixed w/W cmtry about environmental summit in Rio (343 6/15 ed.)  
15495 2005 VOA: EE: End of nx, ID as African svc (233 5/10 Babin-MA)  
15600 0500 VOA: EE: ID, W w/nx, M w/item about international competition in the "Chemistry Olympiad" to be held in US this year (333 5/24 Findlater-CA)

## CAMEROON

4795 2200 CRTV-Douala: FF: Nx in FF, then ID (332 5/20 Babin-MA)  
4850 0531 CRTV-Yaounde: EE: Local nx- government forecasts upturn in Cameroon economy (242 6/15 ed.)

## CHAD

4904.5 0505 RN Tchadienne: FF: M w/nx, ID (333 5/10 Babin-MA)

## CONGO

4765 2324 R. Congo: FF: Name change? Cont hilife vocals until 2356 M ID "ici R Congo...station nationale de la Radiodiffusion et Television...Brazzaville", followed by W w/freq/times, concluded s/off w/NA, 2359\* (454 5/30 D'Angelo-PA) DJ w/local & European pop mx (232 5/10 Babin-MA)

## EGYPT

11980 0727 VO Arabs: AA: M & W w/dramatic dialouge, AA instrumental bridge mx, M ID @bottom of hour, more mx (242 5/15 ed.)



12050 0716 R. Cairo: AA: Home sev relay, M tik leading into western-  
influenced AA vocal mx- great signal, but modulation so low  
I really had to crank up the volume (444 5/15 ed.)

#### EQUATORIAL GUINEA

7190 2139 R. Africa: EE: M preacher says the Sinner's Prayer, back to  
the sermon & mx (432 5/24 Bishop-NY)

#### GABON

9580 2029 ANO: FF: Afropops/soul mix (the usual good stuff) w/M DJ  
chat, finally an ID @2053, awful co-channel QRM de Spain in  
AA (322 5/28 Westenhaver-PQ)  
9645 0358 RJ: JJ: IS w/JJ/FF IDs, TP for 0400, W ID, into nx- bad  
splash de DW-9640 in AA (222 5/28 Westenhaver-PQ)  
15355 0555 RJ: II/GG: W in II w/listener essays about spring, ID  
@0559:51, into GG w/out TP- W w/ID/freqs/nx- weak but clear  
w/ slight QRM (243 5/31 Westenhaver-PQ)  
15475 1551 ANO: FF: Nice Afr instrumentals until 1600 ID & commencement  
of sports coverage (454 5/31 D'Angelo-PA) American & FF  
rap, ID (333 5/30 Brown-IL)  
17630 1445 ANO: FF: Brief nx item, ID, pop mx (333 5/17 Hankison-KS) ID  
& nx (444 5/1 Millard-TX)  
21575 0800 RJ: JJ: ID, group chatter, poor (222 5/17 Findlater-CA)

#### GHANA

3366 2205 GBC-2: EE/VN: End of nx in EE, then pop mx in VN- very weak,  
used USB to log (222 5/20 Babin-MA)  
4915 0645 GBC-1: EE: M w/local nx (222 5/1 Millard-TX)

#### GUINEA

7215 0600 RTV Guineenne: FF: S/on, M tik in FF (no ID understood),  
call to prayer @0602, Afr mx, ID x2 @0637, signal greatly  
improved about 0640 //9650 which was barely audible in sea  
of QRM (333 5/20 Hart-MN) M & W tik in FF, some local mx in  
VN (222 5/12 Findlater-CA) Typical Afr mx along with some  
AA style mx (444 5/3 Millard-TX)

#### IVORY COAST

7215 0500 RTV Ivoirienne: FF: ID "R Ivoirienne", heavy QRM de station  
in EE (322 5/10 Babin-MA)

#### LESOTHO

3255 0256 BRG: EE: Opens w/Bow Bells IS, M gives local ID & freqs,  
then London ID & into world nx- UTE QRM (232 4/30 Flynn-QR)  
6190 0530 BRC: EE: "Newline", BROWS ID (333 5/10 Babin-MA)  
11940 0725 BRC: EE: Jesse Jackson interviewed about LA riots (323 5/6  
Millard-TX)

#### LIBERIA

7275 0650 ELBC: EE: Marching mx, ID w/freq. TC, into nx (333 5/1  
Millard-TX)

#### LIBYA

15235 2205 R. Jamahiriya: AA: M DJ w/local mx (433 5/8 Babin-MA)  
17725 0300 R. Jamahiriya: AA: Continuous chanting w/M & W dialouge &  
some AA vocals //15235 (333 5/26 Findlater-CA) @1555 in RR:  
W tik/anmt, 1559-1755 (!) M tik w/occ Beethoven 9th bridges  
(both "Ode to Joy"/"Huntly-Brinkley" bits) & reverential  
ments Muammar Qadafi, then dead air to 1800, W anmt "Gover-  
nit Golos Libyski..." & ments E Eur countries (incl "Soviet-  
sky Soyuz, so old tape?) w/balking EZL mx, dead air 1805-  
1810, joined AA pgm in progress w/ID @ 1817- The RR pgm was  
the ultimate in "Talking Head" radio! (333 5/5 Westenhaver-  
PQ) [No wonder you couldn't tear yourself away- you don't  
hear the Big M lauded in RR every day!- ed.]

#### MADAGASCAR

5010 0502 RTV Malagasy: VN: Drum IS, then 0502 ID "RTV Malagasy" (333  
5/9 Babin-MA) [Nice one, Robert!]  
11655 2015 RN: FF: End of nx, ID (333 5/10 Babin-MA)  
15150 1435 RN: EE: Nx in EE (433 5/12 Nesbury-NE) [Welcome!] Discussion  
of death penalty in US (434 5/24 Carson-OK)

17580 1041 RN: DT: Pgm on passenger trains, w/EE song "Takin' the Train" used for bridge mx (343 6/15 ed.)

**MALI**

4783 0630 RTV Malienne: FF: M anmts, nx w/ments of Bamako, ID (333 5/1 Millard-TX) @2300 w/ID, then two M w/nx (333 5/8 Babin-MA)

4834 2210 RTV Malienne: FF: DJ w/local & FF mx (333 5/18 Babin-MA)

9770 0020 RE: EE: W DJ w/pgm of CC mx, ID (443 5/24 Babin-MA)

11790 \*2300 RE: SS: IS, ID, M w/nx to "Latino Americana", M & W dialouge (333 5/24 Findlater-CA)

**MAURITANIA**

4845 0635 ORTM: FF: Anmt in FF followed by chanting (333 5/1 Millard-TX)

**MOROCCO**

9575 0706 R. Medi Un: AA: End of nx headlines, M w/ID, pop mx in AA, sounded like trad ME instrumental mx played on an electric guitar w/western style vocals (242 6/15 ed.)

15334.5 2310 RTV Marocaine: AA: End of nx in AA- 500 Hz on the low side, measured on two receivers (333 5/8 Babin-MA)

17595 1449 RTV Marocaine: FF: Light pop mx (454 5/6 Newbury-NE)

17895 2138 VOA: EE: Economic nx- India arrests labor leaders to pre-empt strike, role of economic differences in the breakup up Yugoslavia //15205 (444 6/15 ed.)

**NAMIBIA**

3290 0507 R. Namibia: EE: End of nx, ID (332 5/8 Babin-MA)

**NIGERIA**

4770 0515 R. Nigeria-Kaduna: EE: Nigerian & Kuwaiti officials meet (333 5/20 Millard-TX)

6050 2140 R. Nigeria-Ibadan: EE: M DJ w/local Afr pop mx- heavy QRM de station in FF (322 5/10 Babin-MA)

7255 0457 VON: EE: Usual s/on, "Morning Flight", a music magazine (343 5/8 Neff-FL) Prayers, then W DJ w/rlg choral mx, ID (444 5/10 Babin-MA) Nigerian nx (333 5/1 Millard-TX) S/on w/ID & sked, "Morning Flight" (433 5/20 Hart-MN) "Voice Scope" nx magazine pgm (444 6/1 Carson-OK)

**RWANDA**

15270 2157 DW: GG: IS, relay site anmt in FF, W w/ID, into nx- German hostages in Lebanon to be freed (433 6/15 ed.)

17800 1100 DW: EE: German & international nx (333 5/17 Card-RI)

17860 2215 DW: GG: Nx in GG ends w/ID (333 5/8 Babin-MA)

**SENEGAL**

4890 0640 ORT de Senegal: FF: Anmt w/ID, mx (333 5/1 Millard-TX)

**SEYCHELLES**

15420 0510 BBC: EE: End of BBCWS nx (232 5/10 Babin-MA)

17885 0409 BBC: EE: "Newsdesk"- Clinton wins three more primaries, referendum to establish new territory of Nunavut passes in Canad's NWT (242 5/6 Westenhover-PQ)

**SOUTH AFRICA**

3215 0345 R. Orange: EE/AK: Light mx pgm hosted by M DJ (222 5/19 Hankison-KS)

4810 0420 R. Orion: AK: Local mx, M & F ancrs w/many ments S Afr (322 5/1 Millard-TX) @2345 in EE w/pop mx show, solid ID (344 5/29 Babin-MA)

7230 0505 R. RSA: FF: W w/nx to 0512, long Afropop cut, 0520 ID/freqs- no sign of listed //s 11860, 15365- Bloody ham QRM! (232 5/31 Westenhover-PQ)

7270 0200 R. RSA: EE: M w/nx, pop mx pgm- freq ham QRM (222 5/16 Findlater-CA) Nx w/Peter Finn & Kathy Fitch, ID/chat- poor copy w/ARO QRM & 7265 splash, but finally heard this one (232 5/30 Westenhover-PQ)

9550 2043 R. RSA: FF: W hosting pop mx pgm, rpt on study by World Health Org, W back w/nx headlines & ID/sked, guitar mx & bit of IS to 2054\* (343 6/1 Westenhover-PQ)

9630 0522 R. Orange: EE: American pop mx, ID (333 5/10 Babin-MA)

9695 0440 R. RSA: EE: Afr mx, ID, "Sports RSA" w/soccer & interview with S Afr boxer (322 5/22 Brown-IL) W w/nx, pop mx pgm //5960 (333 5/20 Findlater-CA)

11920 0530 R. RSA: PP: Brief M/W tlc, song "The Power of Love", 0537 ID as "R RSA, a voz do Africa do Sul", quiet jazz instrumentals- splash de HCJB-11925 (333 5/31 Westenhaver-PQ)

15220 0615 R. RSA: EE: Instructions on "How to Build a Chicken Coop" [I've got to start taping these things- ed.] (333 5/12 Millard-TX) M w/nx & pop mx pgm, 0650 Afr nx headlines, 0655\* (333 5/17 Findlater-CA) "R RSA's weekly quiz show" (nx quiz w/Wallace Baird/Colin Jackson/Kathy Fitch and assorted noisemakers [hammers and saws, no doubt- ed.], fading in a bit (242 5/31 Westenhaver-PQ)

15230 0510 R. RSA: EE: Nx in EE, ID (? 5/9 Babin-MA)

SWAZILAND

7200 0500 TWR: EE: ID, M w/rig tlc, hymns //7255, 11740 (222 5/16 Findlater-CA)

TOGO

5047 0530 RTV Togolaise: FF: IS, choral NA, ID, ments "Togolaise" (222 5/20 Millard-TX) @2305 w/ID, short nx, then FF & EE pop mx (333 5/8 Babin-MA)

TUNISIA

11550 0415 RTV Tunisienne: AA: AA mx, M & W anmts w/string mx in background, 0436 two M w/drama or dramatic readings, 0455 M w/freqs & sked (544 6/14 Evans-TN) Interview pgm (343 5/6 Millard-TX) W DJ w/local mx, clear ID (232 5/9 Babin-MA)

17500 0823 RTV Tunisienne: AA: Phone conversation between two W, lots of laughter, into traditional mx (343 6/15 ed.)

ZAIRE

7100 2200 Iv du Zaire: FF: ID, then into mx (332 5/24 Bishop-NY)

RADIO JAPAN VIA MOYABI  
July 1- September 5

Freq	Time (UTC)	Language	Target
7180	1715-1745	Swahili	AF
9645	0400-0500	EE/JJ	EUR/ME/AF
11735	2100-2300	EE/JJ	EUR/ME/AF
15355	0500-0530	RR	EUR
15355	0530-0545	Swedish	EUR
15355	0545-0600	Italian	EUR
15355	0600-0630	GG	EUR
15355	0630-0700	FF	EUR
15355	1500-1600	EE/JJ	EUR/ME/AFR
15375	2000-2015	Swedish	EUR
15375	2015-2030	Italian	EUR
15375	2030-2100	SS	EUR
21575	0700-0900	EE/JJ	EUR/ME/AFR
21635	0000-0030	EE/JJ	S AM
21640	0800-0900	EE/JJ	EUR/ME/AFR
21700	1600-1700	EE/JJ	EUR/ME/AFR

**DX News:** Ethiopia- VO Broad Masses of Eritrea has been noted operating on 7490 kHz between 0327-0414 (Lynn Hollerman/SW Echo). Seychelles- FEBA is currently broadcasting parallel services in EE. Religious programming can be heard on 11690 from 1500-1540. A second program, "Network", consists of news and current affairs items, and is broadcast Mon-Sat on 9810 & 15330 from 1500-1800 (Media Network/Reid Kelly/SW Echo). Of note- The election of John Oyegun as governor of Edo state in Nigeria was nullified owing to an illegal broadcast on his behalf. Nosakhare Isenhure, the Chief Priest of the Benin Kingdom, contrary to election law, took to the air on the Benin City radio. Not only did he ask listeners not to vote for Mr. Oyegun's opponent, he threatened that the curse of the Oba of Benin, "on whose behalf he spoke", would be unleashed on voters who did otherwise (African Concord).



# ASIA/OCEANIA

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Deadline: 12th  
Dates/Times: UTC  
Frequencies: KHz

I'd thought perhaps that July's column would be a skimpy one, because of the early May geomagnetic storms. Nevertheless, there's still a good turnout, for which I'd like to thank all contributors. Let's get right down to business, shall we?

<u>AUSTRALIA</u>		<u>VLM Brisbane</u>	<u>Radio Australia</u>	<u>VWV Wanneroo</u>
4920	1140	<u>VLM</u> : EE: Sports nx (232 5/19 Hankison-KS)		
6020	0835	<u>RA</u> : EE: Nx of aftermath of Rodney King verdict (333 5/2 Meinhardt-IL)		
9475	0950	<u>RA</u> : EE: Profile of Qantas; which site is this? (333 5/6 Millard-TX) (I'm not sure, Thomas, but it's gone.-ed.)		
9510nf	0953	<u>RA</u> : EE/CG: String of fill mx/promos, //9580; @ 1000 ID and into CC w/ID routine and EE lesson; apparently ex-9655, ex-9475, ex-9470 (232 6/13 ed.)		
9560	1315	<u>RA</u> : CC: Rock mx; ID; M tlk at length (433 5/17 Hankison-KS)		
9580	1030	<u>RA</u> : EE: "Fine Music Australia" featuring the W.A. Symphony (554 5/24 Fraser-MA) (Is Barry Seeber still hosting this?) (Also logged by Hart-MN, Carson-OK, Brown-IL)		
9610	1036	<u>VWV9</u> : EE: Political organizers working among aborigines to promote native rights/control of resources; bad QSB (232 5/22 Wakefield-IA)		
9655	1058	<u>RA</u> : EE: IS to 1100; then EE nx; //9580; apparently this is replaced by 9510 (242 5/25 ed.)		
9710	1135	<u>RA</u> : EE: Tlk abt acid rain/global warming (333 5/13 Brown-IL)		
9770	*0900	<u>RA</u> : IN: IS/ID; then M nx; //15530 (222 5/10 Findlater-CA) @ 1100 w/ID and M nx (242 6/13 ed.)		
11800	1315	<u>RA</u> : EE: Regional sports nx; tlk of farm subsidy reform (233 5/25 Saarikko-NY) @ 1503 w/world nx (333 5/22 Brown-IL)		
11910	2300	<u>RA</u> : IN: Brief nx; W/M dialogue; pop mx px (222 5/13 Findlater)		
15240	0449	<u>RA</u> : EE: Slim Dusty song "Things Are Not the Same on the Land" (333 5/13 Poster-NC) (Slim Dusty--RA's equivalent to Julie London-HI!) @ 0507 w/world nx; mx (544 6/1 Carson-OK)		
15365	0131	<u>RA</u> : EE: Wx rpt; then country mx (222 5/18 Levison-PA)		
15425	0805	<u>VWV15</u> : EE: Australian nx/sports/wx; "ABC News" ID (333 5/25 Berrl-CA) @ 0730 w/W.A. nx; heavy QRMoscow (322 5/13 Millard-TX)		
17565	1600	<u>RA</u> : EE: "Int'l Rpt" on the LA riots (252 5/1 Lukas-NY) @ 1600 w/nx/sports; then country mx (333 5/26 Findlater-CA)		
21590nf?	0153	<u>RA</u> : EE: Light mx; Barry Seeber long frq anmt/px preview/chat; "Int'l Rpt" @ 0200; //21740 was booming in (242 6/18 ed.)		
<u>CHINA</u>		<u>Central People's Best Stn</u>	<u>Radio Beijing</u>	
3280	1155	<u>VO FUJIANG</u> : CC: M/W anmts; px of CC cl mx w/anmts; @ 1229 "Pujiang" ID twice; nx to 1240 fade-out; much CW QRM (322 5/4 Murray-OR)		
4875	1335	<u>VO JINLING</u> : CC: Px of songs w/M/W ancrs; @ 1400 TP; "Jinling" ID by W; W nx w/ments Shanghai (322 5/2 Murray-OR) @ 1250 w/M/W conversation (212 5/17 Hankison-KS)		
4950	1319	<u>XILINGOL</u> PBS: CC: M/W anmts; CC opera; 1330-1332 M/W tlk; then "Xilingol" ID; QRM de Pujian PBS (322 6/2 Murray-OR)		
4990	1250	<u>HUNAN</u> PBS: CC: CC opera/inst mx; 1300-1315 M/W tlk w/mnt ments Hunan/Changsha (322 5/2 Murray-OR) (t) @ 1340 w/EE lesson in progress; no ID hrd (142 5/11 Flynn-OR)		
6940.1	1145	<u>YUNNAN</u> PBS: CC/EE: CC tlk w/mnt ments Yunnan/Kunming;... @ 1204 "Yunnan" ID; @ 1205 M EE anmt on "New English programme" ment "saddened by war in India"; back to CC (222 6/2 Murray-OR)		



## CHINA continued...

7110 1145 XIZANG PBS: CC/TIBETAN: M/W w/CC lesson; @ 1153 M tlk in (p) Tibetan; @ 1155 "Xizang" ID 3 times; 1156\* (233 6/5 Murray)  
 7280 0900 VO THE STRAIT: CC: M long speech (222 5/11 Findlater-CA)  
 11000 1341 (p)TAIWAN-2: CC: Long M harangue; brief W tlk; inst mx bit; back to M/W dialogue (222 5/25 Wakefield-IA)  
 11500 1904 RB: GG: Listeners' letters w/question abt how women live in China (455 5/18 Willers-SWITZERLAND)  
 11590 1130 HAIXIA-1: CC: Inst CC mx w/M DJ; //7280 was mixing w/ARO's (333 5/24 Wakefield-IA)  
 15710 2200 TAIWAN-1: CC: W tlk and CC mx (222 5/26 Findlater-CA)  
 17855nf?\*1200 RB: CANTONESE: IS: M/W opening ID's; W anmts; M nx; quite strong today (343 5/17 ed.)

GUAMKTWR KSDA

9870 1410 KTWR: CC: W tlk; morse-type bridge to excited W tlk; M introduces choir w/hymn; //11700 (343 5/25 Wakefield-IA)  
 11980 0900 KSDA: CC: ID; M sermon and hymns (333 5/25 Findlater-CA)

HONG KONGBBC WS relay

11820 1410 BBC: EE: Px on adolescence/puberty (333 5/17 Hankison-KS)  
 17830 2327 BBC: EE: "Music Review" w/review of book on Mozart (333 5/14 Brown-IL) @ 2300 w/ID/nx (332 5/12 Newbury-NE) (Welcome!)  
 21715 0515 BBC: EE: End of News about Britain (242 5/9 Babin-MA) @ 0205 w/"Newsdesk"; clear channel but much QRN (232 5/16 ed.)

INDIAAll India Radio

4760.2 0135 R. KASHMIR LEH: ??: M/W tlks (221 5/27 Bishop-NY) (Since you didn't mention an ID, I would call this tentative.-ed.)  
 10330 1311 (t)AIR: ??: Sub-continent vocal; national theme mx; brief M anmt @ 1315\* (343 5/2 Flynn-OR)  
 11620 2200 AIR: EE: Nx to 2210; cmty on tourism in India (323 5/5 Miller-GA) (Also logged in EE by Babin-MA and in HINDI by Willers-SW)  
 15050 1045 AIR: EE: Profile of lcl musicians (333 5/13 Millard-TX)  
 15250 1137 AIR: EE: Nx feed w/items of regional interest, e.g. train service slowed in Bangalore; no positive ID; 1140\* (222 5/24 Wakefield-IA)  
 17387 1142 AIR: TAMIL: Lots of great vocal mx w/M DJ; //15275 15335 17850 (343 5/24 Wakefield-IA)

INDONESIARadio Republik Indonesia

4753 1330 RRI UJUNG PANDANG: IN: Px of contemporary IN mx (433 5/14 Bagozzi-CA)  
 5256 1335 (t)RRI SILBOGA: IN: W ancr; national-type vcls; then seemed Muslim mx w/woodwinds; then gamelan mx (332 5/1 Flynn-OR)

IRANVoice of the Islamic Republic of Iran

9022 0032 VOIRI: SS: W nx headlines; then into Qur'an (422 5/25 Wakefield)  
 15260 0430 VOIRI: TK: W/M dialogue w/intermittent Qur'an and AA-type mx interludes (222 5/8 Findlater-CA)

IRAQRadio Iraq International

6560.3 1856 RII: KURDISH: Kurdish mx; 3 double/1long TP; then nx (444 5/19 Willers-SWITZERLAND)  
 15210 2140 RII: EE: Nx; cmty abt "Zionist entity aggression"; Eurhythmic theme mx (333 6/7 Miller-GA)  
 15340 0108 RII: AA: OC: @ 0112 recheck found Qur'an; @ 0115 M ID; lute mx bridge; then W ID/tlk (344 6/17 ed.)  
 15445 0305 RII: AA: W anmt w/ID; "Rocky" theme mx; another ID and into AA vol; wasn't on this frq @ 0230; buzz on xmtr/overmod audio --like VO Nigeria; noted this date only (444 6/6 ed.)  
 17740 0000 RII: AA: W long chanting-like vcls; poor (222 5/13 Findlater-CA) @ 0025 w/M ancr and AA vcls; great sig but heavy QRMoscow (433 5/24 Babin-MA)

ISRAELKol Israel Reshet Bet relay

11587 \*1700 KI: EE: ID; mx of Israeli elections; wx; 1715\* (555 5/18 Willers-SW) @ 2131 w/nx (433 5/20 Bishop-NY)  
 11605 2130 KI: EE: Nx of Palestinian refugees... "Shalom from Jerusalem" (545 5/16 Robinson-TN)  
 17575 1906 KI: EE: Rpt on water shortage in Israel; some co-channel Moscow QRM (444 5/15 Fraser-MA)

JAPANNihon SW Besting Radio Japan

3377.5 1253 (t)NHK OSAKA: JJ/??: Lang lesson in progress but couldn't ID lang; 3 plus 1 TP @ 1300\*; listed as 500 W feeder (132 5/6 Flynn-OR)

9595 1245 NSB: JJ: W presenting some excellent jazz (423 5/30 Hankison)

15230 0200 RJ: JJ: ID; M nx; over/under co-channel Cuba (333 5/18 Findlater-CA)

17765 0300 RJ: CC: W nx; //17835 (222 5/12 Findlater-CA)

17825 0300 RJ: EE: Nx of EEC trade reforms (333 5/21 Brown-IL)

JORDANRadio Jordan

9560 2200 RJ: AA: Mix of AA vcls/M short tlks; full ID's @ 2214/2220; @ 2229 brief ID anmt and off without NA (444 5/31 ed.)

KIRIBATIRadio Kiribati

14918 0700 RK: EE: ID; M nx and M long speech; some native mx; poor but better in USB (222 6/3 Findlater-CA)

KOREA, D. P. R.Radio Pyongyang

6576 1105 RP: EE: "Great Leader" praises a new coal mine (444 5/13 Millard-TX)

9325 1045 RP: RR: M ID; long tlk w/ments of--who else?--Kim Il-Sung; 7/9345 11335 (222 5/24 Wakefield-IA) @ \*1700 in EE w/ID; nx of Thai PM/Chinese dissidents (333 5/13 Findlater-CA) (They actually had some REAL nx!-ed.) @ 1716 w/cmt; ID; "terrible QRM from a UFO!" (322 5/18 Willers-SW) (I always knew RP was pretty spacey, but....-hi!-ed.)

9650 2100 RP: JJ: M long political speech ment Kim Il-Sung; //11780 (333 5/13 Findlater-CA)

13730 2000 RP: SS: W/M nx; political speech (222 5/20 Findlater-CA)

KOREA, REPUBLIC OFRadio Korea

9750 1211 RK: EE: IS to 1215; ID/skcd/anmts; M nx; @ 1235 "Seoul Calling" (444 5/12 Murray-OR)

15575 1800 RK: GG: ID/W nx; into FP @ 1815 (222 5/19 Findlater-CA)

KUWAITRadio Kuwait

13620 1955 -RK: EE: Pop mx px; ID @ 1800 (544 5/7 Neff-PL) (Also logged by Babin-MA, Findlater-CA, Willers-SWITZERLAND)

15505 2225 RK: AA: M tlk; then AA mx (444 5/8 Babin-MA)

21675 1720 RK: AA: M nx--Kuwait mentioned a lot; //11990 was SIO 444 (555 5/19 Willers-SWITZERLAND)

LAOSNational Radio of Laos

6130 1336 (t)NRL: LAO: National mx; M ancr--modulation stronger on speech; brief cl mx theme; no ID hrd (333 5/3 Flynn-OR)

LEBANONWings of Hope

11530 2355 WOH: EE: S/off anmts by M; then Lebanese NA; 0000\* (353 5/14 D'Angelo-PA) (Also noted in EE by Babin-MA, Millard-TX, and in an unid EEur lang by Findlater-CA)

MALAYSIARadio Television Malaysia

4950 1400 RTM KUCHING: EE: Nx w/item on Malaysian Airlines fare increase (433 5/14 Bagozzi-CA)

4970 1228 RTM KOTA KINABALU: MALAY: Islamic rlg px; ID @ 1241; px of songs w/W ancr; @ 1300 prayers to crowd (222 5/22 Murray-OR)

MARIANA ISLANDSKHBI KPBS

9425 1300 KHBI: EE: ID; Monitor Radio nx (433 5/17 Hankison-KS)

11650 1350 KPBS: RR: Px of RR folk mx; //11665 also good (333 5/17 Hankison-KS)

13840nf 2300 KHBI: EE: Panel discussion on sports/technology and Japanese school hours; nx @ 2330 (333 5/16 Findlater-CA)

15665 1813 KHBI: EE: "This is Monitor Radio" ID and nx; excellent reception! (355 5/19 Willers-SWITZERLAND)

MONGOLIARadio Ulan Bator

12015 1223 RUB: EE: Bits of mx; ID's "This is Mongolian Radio"/"Radio Ulan Bator in Mongolia"; nx brief on Bosnia; ID/address @ 1229\* (322 5/30 Murray-OR)

NEW ZEALAND RNZI was logged in EE on: 9700 by Brewer-KS, Brown-IL, Fraser-MA, ed.; on 17770 by Babin-MA, Brown-IL, Flynn-OR (Yes, Bill, "Travel Pacific" alternates w/"Mailbag."), Hart-MN, Millard-TX, Neff-FL, ed.

PAKISTAN

Radio Pakistan

11570 1842 RP: URDU: Lcl mx; short cmty; ID: //15550 (455 5/14 Willers-SW) (t) @ 2040 in EE w/px on problems in Punjab; best in LSB to avoid buzz-saw jamming! (312 5/10 Babin-MA) (A new EE best to Europe, after the 1930-2030 PF?-ed.)  
21520 2046 RP: URDU/EE: Urdu love songs; @ 1052 2M/1W chat w/some nx Briefs; W anmt; "typewriter song"; TP for 1100 w/"Pakistan Standard Time" ment; W EE ID/nx (242 5/17 ed.)

PALAU

KHBN--Voice of Hope

9830 1343 KHBN: CC/EE: Intense drama in CC; hymns; EE/CC ID's spelling out Palau; not too strong! (233 5/4 Flynn-OR) @ 1050 w/rfg vcls to 1100; "You are listening to the Voice of Hope for all Asia...High Adventure Ministries...please write..."; (p) CC ID; back to vcls @ 1105 (252 5/26 D'Angelo-PA) (Nice to welcome a new country to the column!)

PAPUA NEW GUINEA

2410 1133 (t)R. ENGA: PD: M tlk; interesting tribal singing/chanting w/no instruments; no ID hrd (222 5/30 Murray-OR)  
3205 0958 (p)R. WEST SEPIK: PD: W tlk intro to inst steel guitar mx; @ 1000 M nx but ID lost in hash (222 5/20 Wakefield-IA)  
3220 1222 R. MOROBE: PD: M hosting px of varied mx--rock/country/folk, even "El Condor Pasa"; "Kundu" ID @ 1256; PNG NA @ 1300\* (232 5/9 Murray-OR)  
3275 1202 R. SOUTHERN HIGHLANDS: PD/EE: Choral singing w/harp/piano; @ 1225 "This is Muruk" and light jazz; @ 1241 "Karai bilong Muruk"...1301\* (222 5/24 Murray-OR)  
3315 0932 R. MANUS: EE/PD: W EE tlk abt Bougainville situation; then PD tlk; EE ID and back to PD (232 5/20 Wakefield-IA)  
3335 1229 R. EAST SEPIK: PD/EE: M hosts choral mx px; @ 1233 "Sepik R." EE ID; PD tlk...1304\* (222 5/23 Murray-OR)  
3385 1236 R. EAST NEW BRITAIN: PD/EE: Choral singing; @ 1239 PD ID "Tavuvur"; choral/country mx...@ 1258 EE ID; 1300\* (333 5/30 Murray-OR) @ 0950 w/long PD tlk to nx @ 1000 w/ments of SPac locales; ID (343 5/19 Wakefield-IA)  
3905 1007 R. NEW IRELAND: PD: M hosting px of country mx (mainly Aussie); good when not overridden by ARO QRM (322 5/19 Wakefield-IA) @ 1255 w/W hosting country mx; ID @ 1301 (333 5/9 Murray-OR)

PHILIPPINES

VOA relay Far East Best Corp

9760 1335 VOA: EE: Special EE nx (423 5/17 Hankison-KS)  
11930 0800 VOA: RR/EE: EE lesson for RR speakers; //15150 15410 17865 (333 5/10 Findlater-CA)  
11995 1900 VOA: EE: Nx; "Voices of Africa" w/interview w/Kenyan political activist (333 5/23 Findlater-CA)  
15410 \*0800 VOA: RR: ID; W nx w/lots abt Bosnia/Sarajevo (333 5/20 Findlater)  
15450 0035 (T)FEB: EE: End of nx; weak (t) ID (231 5/24 Babin-MA)  
17705 2100 VOA: KK: ID; M nx; //15215 (333 5/26 Findlater-CA)  
17735 2100 VOA: EE: W nx; co-channel QRMoscow under (333 5/25 Findlater)

SAUDI ARABIA

Broadcasting Service of the Kingdom of Saudi Arabia

9885 2150 BSKSA: AA: AA radio play (433 5/10 Babin-MA)  
15060 \*0400 BSKSA: TK: IS; ID; into Qur'an (555 5/14 Millard-TX)  
21505 1420 BSKSA: AA: W ID "...manlakah al-Aribiya al-Saudiyah"; inst mx; then (p) radio play (444 5/24 Wakefield-IA)  
21670 0800 BSKSA: AA: Continuous Qur'an; //21495 (222 5/11 Findlater-CA) (Per sked in DXLD#36, this is the Holy Qur'an px.-ed.)

SINGAPORE

BBC relay Singapore Best Corp

9740 1335 BBC: EE: "Newshour" on Philippine elections (433 5/17 Hankison)  
11940 1243 SBC: EE: Songs by the Supremes; ID as "Radio 1" (333 5/14 Bagozzi-CA)  
15360 0808 BBC: EE: M world nx; //15400 (Ascension) (232 5/25 Berri-CA)  
17830 0748 BBC: EE: Tlk abt development in India funded by the World Bank; //17790 (Ascension/Oman) (343 5/25 Berri-CA) (Of course, this frq is via Hong Kong at other times.-ed.)

SOLOMON ISLANDSSolomon Islands Best Corp

5020 0941 SIBC: EE: W tlk; country song; full ID @ 0952...@ 1004 re-check found mx, not RA nx as listed in WRTH (222 5/20 Wakefield-IA)

SYRWARadio Damascus

12085 2144 RD: EE: "Listeners Overseas" px w/reception rpts; AA mx; requests for rpts/questions (333 5/6 Miller-GA) @ 1846 in GG w/AA mx; "Hier 1st Radio Damascus"; cnty (555 5/19 Willers-SWITZERLAND)

15095 2120 RD: EE: Long tirade on World Bank; ID (343 5/10 Babin-MA) @ 2032 w/cnty on Israeli treatment of Palestinians (333 5/15 Brown-IL) @ 2110 w/ID/nx; "Press Issues Today" and political px (333 5/21 Miller-GA)

TAIWANCentral Best System Family Radio relay

7105 0800 CBS: CC: W tlks; px of CC mx (222 5/16 Findlater-CA)

9280 1105 FR: CC: Peppy hymns, including a whistling segment; standard FR bridge mx; into M Bible study (242 5/22 Wakefield-IA)

TURKEYVoice of Turkey

9445 0303 VOT: EE: Nx; description of this year's contest; "Outlook" on visit of Bulgarian PM (322 5/16 Brown-IL) @ 0345 w/TK mx to s/off (433 5/16 Neff-FL) (Not quite psychic!) also @ 0345 w/TK mx (343 5/7 Bagozzi-CA)

11895 2220 VOT: EE: End of px on Turkish legends; ID (343 5/8 Babin-MA) @ 0045 in TK w/TK disco-beat mx; @ 0055 W frq anmt/ID; // 9445 was better (242 6/18 ed.)

UNITED ARAB EMIRATESVO UAE Abu Dhabi UAE Radio Dubai

13605 2200 VOUAE: EE: Drama "Jerusalem: City of Heaven" (545 5/19 Robinson-TN) @ 2229 w/story from AA folk legends (454 5/8 Babin-MA)

13675 1800 RD: AA: M tlk; then into Qur'an (222 5/20 Findlater-CA)

15305 2320 VOUAE: EE: Px on women's rights in Islam (444 5/24 Saarikko-NY)

15400 0340 RD: EE: Px on travels to Mecca in the 1300's (433 5/16 Neff-FL)

17855 2325 VOUAE: EE: Comments on Mideast/Libya; heavy QRN (424 5/6 Dome-TX) @ 2331 w/tlk on human rights in Islam (433 5/14 Foster-NC) @ 2200 w/px preview; Qur'an (433 6/7 Miller-GA)

21605 1600 RD: EE: Cnty on Islam...nx @ 1630; remarkably good signal; 1640\* (444 5/26 Findlater-CA)

VIETNAMVoice of Vietnam

10059 1340 (t)VOV: ??: W singing Oriental song; M ancr (111 5/17 Hankison-KS) (This should have been a HS relay.-ed.)

15009.2 1916 VOV: EE: "Welcome to Vietnam" px w/tourist tips (444 5/18 Willers-SWITZERLAND) @ 1000 w/nx and mx (333 5/20 Millard-TX)

There was a report on the 6/18 "Media Network" (which showed up on packet nets days before that) that RNZI is now going off at 1130\*, rather than the usual 1206\* or so. It turns out that the reason is because of drought. Most of NZ's electricity comes from hydro power, and with very low levels in the reservoirs, there's a scheme in effect to cut NZ's hydro consumption by 10%, hence the reduction in RNZI's best time. There's been quite a bit on the RNZI nx lately about the drought, but from the way Jonathan Marks expressed surprise when doing the item, it's obvious that he doesn't listen to RNZI. The frequency, of course, is 9700 kHz.

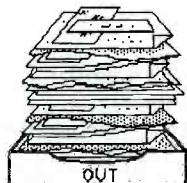
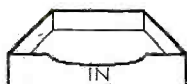
That's about it for this month. I wonder what the mails will bring for next month's column? Maybe, if we're lucky, we'll get another virtuoso PNG showing from Kevin and Paul. If you, like me, aren't hearing PNG, send in what you've got from A/O-land and help fill up the space, eh? So long for now!

73-Bill



# QSL REPORT

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## AFRICA

**Ascension Island BBC:** 21660 f/d cd 62 ds \$1 rp rpt EE v/s Andrew Marsden (Robinson, Ut.)  
**Botswana VOA:** 15445 f/d cd (map of VOA Botswana site) 23 ds rpt EE (Willers, Switzerland); **R Botswana:** 4830 cd (herdsboy milking cow) 870 ds \$1 rp rpt EE (Willers, Switzerland); **VOA:** 7265 f/d cd 75 ds rpt EE (Humenyk, Ont.); **VOA:** 7265 f/d cd (Africa cd "50 Years of Broadcasting to the World") 16 ds rpt EE (Brown, Il.); **VOA:** 11940 f/d cd (transmitters, sked) 162 ds (1 f/up) (Hart, Mn.); **VOA:** 11940 f/d cd (Botswana cd, calendar) 38 ds (6 f/up) rpt EE (Millard, Tx.); **R Botswana:** 7255 f/d cd (boy milking cow) 40 ds \$1 rpt EE v/s Ted Makgergenene (Millard, Tx.)  
**Egypt R Cairo:** 9475 f/d cd (3rd serial- 1st scene, sked, newspaper- "The Egyptian Gazette") 61 ds (1 f/up) rpt EE (Hart, Mn.)  
**Equatorial Guinea R Africa 2000:** 6910 f/d cd (Station bldg., letter) 333 ds rpt SS v/s Teodora Silochi Thompson (Franco, Spain)  
**Mali R Beijing:** 15130 f/d cd (silk figurines, goodies) 31 ds rpt EE (Robinson, Ut.)  
**Morocco RTM:** 17595 f/d cd (folder) 570 ds (2 f/up) tape \$1 rpt EE v/s Tanane M'nammed Jamal Eddine (Willers, Switzerland)  
**Senegal ORTS:** 4890 f/d cd (logo, sticker) 31 ds \$1 rpt EE (Millard, Tx.)  
**Swaziland TWR:** 5965 f/d cd (sked, sticker) 47 ds \$1 rpt EE v/s Carol Tatow (Millard, Tx.)

## ASIA/OCEANIA

**Australia R Australia:** 13605 f/d ltr 93 ds rpt EE (Franco, Spain); **VLW6:** 6140 f/d cd (map of stations, stickers) 76 ds rpt EE (Franco, Spain)  
**Bahrain Bahrain B/C:** 9746 cd (logo, map) 129 ds 1 IRC rpt EE (Flynn, Or.)  
**China Fujian PBS:** 4975 p/d cd (painting of mother and baby in Emperor's court) 47 ds \$2 rp rpt EE (Murray, Or.) (welcome to the column Kevin-MW)  
**Cyprus CBC:** 9770 f/d cd (transmitter site) 50 ds \$1 rpt EE v/s Allisair(?) (Millard, Tx.)  
**Guam KSDA:** 11980 f/d cd (20th Anniversary) 42 ds \$1 rp rpt EE (Robinson, Ut.)  
**India AIR:** 9910, 11620 f/d cd (sked, forms) 93 ds rpt EE (D'Angelo, Pa.)  
**Iran Voice of the Islamic Republic of Iran:** 9022 f/d cd (report form, calendar, Echo of Islam magazine) 31 ds rpt EE (Robinson, Tn.); **VOIRI:** 9022 p/d cd (Ayatollah cd, sked, magazine, calendar) 84 ds rpt EE (Bagozzi, Ca.); **VOIRI:** 9022 p/d cd (Ayatollah, calendar, sked, magazine) 30 ds \$1 rpt EE (Millard, Tx.)  
**Israel Kol Israel:** 9435 f/d cd 69 ds (Gaharan, La.); **KI:** 11587 f/d cd (logo) 36 ds rpt EE (Humenyk, Ont.); **KI:** 11587 f/d cd (7 language QSL) 47 ds rpt EE (Bishop, N.Y.); **KI:** 15650 f/d cd (7 language QSL) 36 ds rpt EE (Bishop, N.Y.); **KI:** 7465 f/d cd (sked) 37 ds rpt EE/HH (Gossett, Ky.)  
**Japan R Japan:** 17810 f/d cd (cd with streamers) 67 ds rpt EE (Brown, Il.); **RJ:** 21575 f/d cd (house photo, sked) 75 ds rpt EE (Willers, Switzerland); **RJ:** 15325 f/d cd (Shirakawa village, sked) 83 ds rpt EE v/s Hishikawa (Gossett, Ky.)  
**Kiribati R Korea:** 14917 f/d cd (racing cars) 45 ds \$1 rpt EE v/s Trakaago (Millard, Tx.)  
**Korea, D.P.R. R Pyongyang:** 6576 f/d cd (scenery, pennant, book) 430 ds rpt EE (Robinson, Ut.) (via Japan)  
**Korea, Republic of R Korea:** 9750 f/d cd 49 ds (Gaharan, La.); **RK:** 15575 f/d cd (hourglass drum dance) 28 ds rpt EE (Bishop, N.Y.)  
**Mariana Islands KFBS:** 9670 f/d cd (station photo) 127 ds rpt EE (Franco, Spain) (heard in Tanzania)  
**New Zealand RNZI:** 9700 p/d cd (sports, sked, tourist info) 30 ds \$1 rp rpt EE (Bagozzi, Ca.)  
**Philippines VOA:** 15305 f/d cd (White House) 69 ds rpt EE (Humenyk, Ont.); **R Philippines:** 21580 f/d cd (logo) 24 ds \$1 rpt EE (Millard, Tx.)  
**Singapore Singapore B/C Corp:** 5052 f/d cd ("Greeting from Singapore" and city skyline, ltr) 27 ds 2 IRCs rpt EE v/s Lee Wai Meng (Murray, Or.)  
**Sri Lanka R Japan:** 9535 f/d cd (Iris garden) 35 ds rpt EE v/s K. Hiskikawa (Robinson, Ut.); **VOA:** 15250 f/d cd (Mt. Rushmore, calendar) 39 ds rpt EE (Millard, Tx.); **R Japan:** 11840 f/d cd (swan, sked, sticker, newspaper) 49 ds rpt EE (Millard, Tx.)

**Syria R Damascus:** 12085 f/d cd (map) 153 ds (1 f/up) \$2 rp rpt EE (Willers, Switzerland); **Syrian R:** 15095 f/dc d (logo, sked, newspaper, sticker, pennant) 68 ds rpt EE (Gossett, Ky.)  
**Taiwan Voice of Free China:** 9680 f/d cd (art) 15 ds rpt EE (Bagozzi, Ca.); **V of Asia:** 7445 f/d cd (bridge) 20 ds rpt EE (Millard, Tx.)  
**Thailand R Thailand:** 9655 f/d cd (block of Thai stamps, flag, note) 540 ds (2 f/up) \$1 rp rpt EE (Willers, Switzerland)  
**Turkey VOT:** 9465 f/d cd (vases, sked, flag) 31 ds rpt EE (Willers, Switzerland); **VOT:** 9445 f/d cd (fishing village) 32 ds rpt EE (Humenyk, Ont.)

#### COMMONWEALTH OF INDEPENDENT STATES

**Lithuania R Centras:** 9710 f/d cd (St. Anne's church and Bernadine Monastery, ltr, station info) 185 ds rp 2 IRCs rpt EE (D'Angelo, Pa.); **R Vilnius:** 17605 f/d cd (amber, sked) 59 ds rpt EE (Gossett, Ky.)  
**Russia RM:** 21785 f/d cd 44 ds (Gaharan, La.); **R Rossii:** 15750, 15630 f/d ppc (station info) 138 ds rpt EE (D'Angelo, Pa.); **RM:** 5415 n/d cd ("Friendship House", sked) 59 ds rpt EE (Gossett, Ky.); **RM:** 11840 n/d cd ("Friendship House") 59 ds rpt EE (Gossett, Ky.); **AHR:** 11855 f/d cd (20th Anniversary, pennant, sticker, sked) 32 ds \$1 rpt EE (Millard, Tx.)  
**Ukraine R Kiev:** 11790 f/d cd (logo, sked) 180 ds \$1 rpt EE (Millard, Tx.)

#### EUROPE

**Austria R Austria Intl:** 9875 f/d cd (report forms Narcissos Festival) 32 ds rpt EE (Humenyk, Ont.); **RAI:** 9875 f/d cd (Narcissos Festival) 35 ds rpt EE (Bishop, N.Y.); **RAI:** 13730 f/d cd (older Tirol cd) 35 ds rpt EE (Bishop, N.Y.); **RAI:** 9875 f/d cd (curlers) 28 ds rpt EE (Gossett, Ky.)  
**Belgium BRT:** 21810 f/d cd (Pouibus portrait) 40 ds rpt EE (Robinson, Ut.); **BRT:** 9925 f/d cd (Godshuizen Hospice, sked, sticker, newsletter) 55 ds rpt EE (Gossett, Ky.); **BRT:** 9930 f/d cd (Gent) 30 ds rpt EE (Millard, Tx.)  
**Bulgaria R Sofia:** p/d cd rpt EE (Humenyk, Ont.); **RS:** p/d cd (plaza, info, sked) 93 ds rpt EE (Gossett, Ky.)  
**Czechoslovakia R Prague:** 7345 f/d cd (Tyl Theatre) 24 ds rpt EE (Bagozzi, Ca.)  
**France R France Intl:** 11670 f/d cd (Notre Dame, sked) 264 ds rpt SS (Meinhardt, Il.)  
**Germany Deutsche Welle:** 6085 n/d cd (unification cd, magazine) 65 ds v/s Gerd Serge(?) (Flynn, Or.); **DW:** n/d cd (logo) 79 ds rpt EE (Gossett, Ky.); **RCI:** 15215 f/d cd ("Canada Council", sticker, sked, pennant) 23 ds rpt EE v/s Bill Westenhaver (Millard, Tx.); **Sudwestfunk:** 7265 f/d cd (sunset) 42 ds rpt EE (Millard, Tx.)  
**Hungary R Budapest:** 9835 f/d cd (national costume) 31-63 ds rpt EE (Humenyk, Ont.)  
**Italy Italian R Relay Svc:** 9815 f/d cd (cd #9/92, La Scala etching) 142 ds ms rpt EE (Flynn, Or.); **IRRS:** 7215 f/d cd (Royale Theatre in Milan) 41 ds \$1 rpt EE v/s Burt (Millard, Tx.)  
**Netherlands R Netherlands:** 15570 f/d cd (spacecraft) 36 ds rpt EE (Gossett, Ky.)  
**Romania R Romania Intl:** 11940 f/d cd (folk costume, sked) 146 ds rpt EE (Willers, Switzerland)  
**Spain REE:** f/d cd (Madrid Planetarium, flag, sked) 56 ds rpt EE (Willers, Switzerland); **REE:** 17755 f/d cd (Madrid Planetarium) 54 ds rpt SS (Humenyk, Ont.)  
**Sweden R Sweden Intl:** 17870 f/d cd (Stockholm skyline) 82 ds rpt EE (Brown, Il.); **RSI:** 11705, 9695 f/d cd (Dratningholms Slott, logs) 46 ds rpt EE (Gossett, Ky.)  
**Switzerland SRI:** 21770 f/d cd (UN European HQ) 23 ds rpt EE (Humenyk, Ont.); **SRI:** 12035 f/d cd (antenna, sked) 30 ds rpt EE (Bagozzi, Ca.)  
**UK VOA:** 17895 f/d cd (Manhattan skyline) 100 ds rpt EE (Humenyk, Ont.)  
**Vatican R Vatican:** 11625 f/d cd (Vatican gardens, Eagle Fountain, new FM antenna) 43 ds rpt EE (Brown, Il.)

#### WESTERN HEMISPHERE

**Alaska KNLS:** 7355 f/d cd (map, sked, newsletter, pennant) 16 ds rpt EE (Gossett, Ky.)  
**Bolivia R Santa Cruz:** 6135 f/d cd (letter, pennant) 48 ds \$1 rpt SS v/s Padre Victor Blajot, S.I.) (Flynn, Or.)  
**Canada RCI:** 13650 f/d cd (35th Anniversary) 15 ds rpt EE v/s Bill Westenhaver (Willers, Switzerland) (+ \$100 to W. Westenhaver as reported by S. Willers!! <g>); **CFRX:** 6005 f/d cd (drawing of Montreal, letter, sticker, program guide) 210 ds rpt EE (Franco, Spain); **CKZU:** 6160 f/d cd 157 ds rpt EE (Franco, Spain); **R Austria Intl:** 6015 f/d cd (Narcissos Festival) 17 ds rpt EE (Brown, Il.); **CKZN:** 6160 f/d cd (map) 36 ds \$1 (returned) rpt EE v/s S. Williams (Millard, Tx.)  
**Costa Rica RFPi:** 21465 f/d cd (logo) 80 ds \$1 rpt EE v/s James Latham (Robinson, Ut.); **Faro del Caribe:** 5055 f/d cd (drawing and religious message, letter) 257

ds rpt SS v/s Juan Jacinto Ochoa F. (Franco, Spain); **R Reloj**: 4832 f/d cd (logo, map) 257 ds rpt SS v/s Francisco Barahona (Franco, Spain)

**Cuba R Moscow**: 6045 f/d cd (Lenin Monument) 52 ds \$1 rpt EE (Lueck, Wi.)  
**Dominican Republic R Barahona Intl**: 4930 p/d ltr (stickers) 692 ds rpt SS

(Franco, Spain)

**Ecuador HCJB**: 15270 f/d cd (HCJB antennas, sked) 20 ds \$1 rp rpt EE (Willers, Switzerland); **HCJB**: 17790 f/d cd (girl and Inca ruins, letter, sked) 67 ds rpt SS v/s Elen Volkhardt (Franco, Spain); **HCJB**: 15155 f/d cd (1983-C "Communications in Ecuador") 30 ds ms rpt EE (Brown, Il.); **HCJB**: 15155 f/d cd (1983-D "Communications in Ecuador") 30 ds ms rpt EE (Brown, Il.); **HCJB**: 15155 f/d cd (1992-B 8 year old in "Octavaleño" cloths) 61 ds rp rpt EE v/s Glen Volkhardt (Bishop, N.Y.); **HCJB**: 11925 f/d cd (studio photos, religious info) 18 ds ms rpt EE v/s Glen Volkhardt (Meinhardt, Il.); **HCJB**: 15270 p/d cd (12 year old from Calderon, Ecuador, sked) 30 ds rp rpt SS v/s Glen Volkhardt (Meinhardt, Il.); **HCJB**: 9745 f/d cd (boy) 28 ds rpt EE (Gossett, Ky.); **R Nacional**: 15350 f/d cd (Mt. Chimborazo) 45 ds rpt EE (Millard, Tx.); **HCJB**: 15155 f/d cd (leaping llamas) 35 ds rpt EE v/s Rich McVicar/John Adams (Millard, Tx.)

**Netherlands Antilles THR**: 15345 f/d cd (paper QSL clipped to picture of Nina) 17 ds (Gaharan, La.); **R Netherlands**: 11835 f/d cd (solar eclipse, sticker, sked) 31 ds rpt EE (Humenyk, Ont.); **RN**: 6020 f/d cd (European Space Agency cd 3 of 5) 18 ds rpt SS (Franco, Spain)

**US WNCR**: 7435 f/d cd (Globe and Stars) 118 ds ms rp rpt EE (Robinson, Ut.) (for "Signals" program); **VOA**: 15410, 15580 f/d cd (Mt. Rushmore, Jefferson Memorial) 40-46 ds rpt EE (Humenyk, Ont.); **WHRI**: 7315 f/d cd (logo) 220 ds ms rpt EE v/s Loren Holycross (Bishop, N.Y.); **WHRI**: 13730 f/d cd (logo, sked, forms) 98 ds ms rpt EE v/s Loren Holycross (Bishop, N.Y.); **WJCR**: 7490 f/d cd (logo, ltr, goodies) 22 ds ms rpt EE v/s Gerri/Don Powell (Bishop, N.Y.); **R Miami Intl**: 7355 f/d cd (Central America and Caribbean map, sked) 13 ds rpt SS v/s Jeff White (Meinhardt, Il.); **WHRI**: 9495 p/d cd (logo, sked) 150 ds rpt EE v/s Loren Holycross (Meinhardt, Il.); **WJCR**: 7490 f/d cd (logo, sticker, ltr) 10 ds rpt EE v/s Gerri Powell (Millard, Tx.)

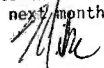
#### PIRATES

**Canada CSIC**: 7413 f/d cd (torture chamber for DOC and FCC, station info) 39 ds rp rpt EE v/s Rambo (D'Angelo, Pa.); **CSIC**: f/d cd ("FCC" scene, signs of stress, ltr, info) 150 ds \$1 rpt EE v/s Rambo (Karcheski, Pa.)  
**US Voice of Stench**: 7416 f/d cd (ltr) 79 ds rp rpt EE (D'Angelo, Pa.); **WLIS**: 7413 f/d cd (Ian McFarland) 38 ds rp rpt EE v/s Charles Poltz (D'Angelo, Pa.); **Action R**: 7415.8 f/d cd ("Republic of Nebraska", ltr, info, political brochure) 229 ds ms rpt EE v/s A.J. Michaels (Karcheski, Ma.)

#### UTES

**Antarctica R Nacional Arcangel**: 15476 f/d cd (B&W LRA36 "Penguin Landscape" cd) 165 ds 1 IRC rpt EE v/s Cristian Omar Guida (Karcheski, Ma.)  
**Australia VNG**: 8638, 16000 f/d cd (transmitter, opening ceremony, info) 26 ds 1 IRC rpt EE v/s C.A. (Millard, Tx.)  
**Canada CHU**: 14670 p/d cd ("Toronto 1879: Sanford Fleming Unveiling World Time Zones", folder) 33 ds (Fanderys, Oh.);  
**China BPM**: 10000 f/d cd (logo) 22 ds 1 IRC (Fanderys, Oh.)  
**Iceland Ríkisutvarpid**: 15855 f/d cd (Reykjavik Center) 26 ds \$1 rpt EE (Millard, Tx.)  
**Italy Rome Medical R**: 17105 p/d cd (info) 22 ds ms rpt EE v/s Nino Rizzo, M.D. (Lueck, Wi.)  
**Japan JJJ**: 8000 f/d cd (transmitter site) 26 ds rpt EE (Millard, Tx.)  
**South Africa ZRQ/ZSd**: 8606 f/d cd (Navcomcen cd) 89 ds (2 f/up) rp rpt EE (Lueck, Wi.)  
**Taiwan BSF**: f/d cd (#1130, "Dr. Sun Yat-sen Memorial Hall", station info) 35 ds \$1 rp (Fanderys, Oh.)  
**Uruguay CWA/ Cerrito R**: 17230 f/d cd 64 ds rpt SS (Lueck, Wi.)

A REALLY great turnout this month. I'm also impressed with some of the stations you're hearing. In fact I'm envious. I'd like to thank Bill Westenhaver for the skeds and goodies packets he's sent. They are appreciated. As many of you might have heard, Andy Yoder got a visit from the FCC and has been fined \$17,500 for allegedly operating Radio USA. Andy has reported that he does not plan on paying the fine. If anyone knows of any organized efforts to help Andy, let me know so that I can spread the word. Andy has contributed a lot to the hobby and to making ACE a good club. Keep those reports coming. Until next month.





# Trash & Treasure



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Another year and another TROPICAL BANDS SURVEY (this one is the twentieth edition) is available from the Danish Shortwave Clubs International. As last year, the SURVEY is edited by Julian Anderson, a very active DXer from the Argentine. It is available directly from the DSWOI for nine (9) IRCs airmail or eight (8) IRCs seamount; the address is c/o treasurer Bent Nielsen, Betty Nansen Alle 49, I. tv., DK-2000 Frederiksberg, Denmark. If you listen to or search out the tropical bands, you know the value of this survey and even at full price for IRCs, that price is still cheap.

Here's one more shortwave enthusiast with an offer of a cassette tape of radio and tv bits and pieces from his country--the offer is from CLEMENTE MONGES, Post Office Box 1116, Barquisimeto 3001A, Venezuela. His price is ten (10) IRCs or \$6.00US but he asks that the funds be sent via registered mail which should increase the price by about double. I guess this is a gamble whatever way we might go for it.

For a much safer way of receiving our music, there is an outfit in New York City which has a catalog of twenty-one full pages of CDs, cassettes, LPs and videos offering music from almost any and every country of the world. Write them or telephone them and ask for a catalog. The company is WORLD MUSIC INSTITUTE with an address of 49 West 27th Street, Suite 810, New York, New York 10001. The telephone number is 212-545-7536 and the FAX number is 212-889-2771. They advertise "now over 1500 titles" and some of their offers are "Music from Tibesti" from Chad, "Traditional Music" from Burundi, "Folk Songs of Nepal" and "Polyphonies (panpipes) of the Solomon Islands".

From Suriname, Ravin Sewdien is back with another of his excellent compilations. His prior QSL SURVEY effort, in 1991, had details for verifying stations in 162 shortwave broadcast countries. This new, second edition is a few pages smaller but very complete. The price is fourteen (14) IRCs or \$7.00US directly from RAVINDRANATH G SEWDIEN, Bechaniestraat 58, Paramaribo, Suriname.

"TnT" gave you Andy Yoder and the available pirate t-shirts which you could receive from him. If you are interested in pirate radio, you might check with the drop box address for a list of pirate station cassette programs which are also available for \$5.00 each. Included are tapes from Radio USA, Voice of Laryngitis, Radio Garbanzo and a Russian pirate, Romantic Space Radio---and there is a whole bunch more. Send a SASE (and maybe a couple extra loose stamps, also) to the maildrop at Post Office Box 109, Blue Ridge Summit, Pennsylvania 17214 and ask for information about the cassettes.

With a change of "pirate station" to "piratenstationen", how about jumping to Europe for information on stations there. HANS-JOACHIM KOCH of Zeppelinstrasse 52, D/W-6457 Maintal 1, Federal Republic of Germany offers information on those European pirates. A letter with a few IRCs for return postage will give you all his details as to cost and services offered. This should include regularly printed information in list form, "Free-Radio-News", as well as GSI listings, addresses of the piratenstationen and, apparently, a special logbook detail.

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Oh, am I behind in answering some of your letters and notes--way behind to be exact. You've had my apologies before but I think I would have to multiply those apologies just to come up even. While I'm behind in my actions, that mailbox, you know her, that mean little Audrey 2 is still demanding more incoming mail. Hey, if you can give me something to keep her happy, some filler for this page, some thoughts plus or minus about this page, anything to help "TnT" from line to line, perhaps she'll stop biting at my hand each time I reach in. Each day, I take out the mail and then I count my fingers. So far, I've been fast enough I still have enough of those digits left I can type this page. HELP!

# JULY SPEEDX UTILITY LOGS

<u>Frequency</u>	<u>Mode</u>	<u>UTC</u>	<u>Callsign</u>	<u>Station/Remarks/Contributor</u>
3860.3	LSB	0200	W3NAN	Goddard Space Flt Cntr, MD, USA/NASA Shuttle Audio/Babin-MA
4423.0	USB	2205	WOM	Pensuco Radio, FLA/wkng QE II Cunard Liner/Koch-OH
5000.0	AM	0040	YVTO	Caracas, VEN/time signal station/Babin-MA
5000.0	AM	0045	LOL	Buenos Aires, ARG/time signal station/Babin-MA
6315.0	RTTY	0100	GKE3	Portishead, UK/EE tfc Tariff Rates in SITOR-A/Babin-MA
6421.7	CW	0152	FFL3	St. Lys Radio, FR/marker/Dome-TX
6676.0	USB	1200		Sydney VOLMET, AUSTR/fit wx info/Lish-FLA
6738.0	USB	0301		ARCHITECT, UK/coded wx/McKee-NC
6768.8	RTTY	0330	RFLIA	FF Ft de France, MRT/Ry's & ID ARQ-E 96/173/Babin-MA
6862.0	USB	0157		UNID Caribbean IS?/missionary in EE tfc, mentioned Bluefield/McKee-NC
7626.2	RTTY	0300	TZH	ASECNA Bamako, MALI/Ry's & ID tape 50/360/Babin-MA
7690.0	RTTY	0422	TUH	ASECNA Abidjan, Cd'IV/Ry's 50/425/Berri-CA
7919.0	USB	1830		'Table Tennis'/US Military wkng others/Halligey-UK
8080.0	FAX	2330	NAM	USN Norfolk, USA/wx maps 120/576/Card-RI
8429.5	CW	0315	IDR4	Italian Naval, Rome, ITA/marker/Babin-MA
8494.0	FAX	0850	NPM	USN Pearl Harbor, HI, USA/PAC wx maps 120/576/Berri-CA
8660.5	CW	0108	UJQ7	Kiev Radio, UKR/marker/Karcheski-MA
8677.5	RTTY	0305	URD	St. Petersburg, RUS/SITOR-A marker/Babin-MA
8764.0	USB	2345	NOJ	COMMSTA Kodiak, AK, USA/Trying USCG Cutter Roanoke Is. No Joy, Koch-III
8828.0	USB	2325	KVM70	VOLMET Honolulu, HI, USA/wx and flight info/Koch-III
8837.0	USB	0255		LDOC El Al Air, ISR/mix of Hebrew and EE/McKee-NC
8855.0	USB	0050		LDOC Bogota, COL/wkng American Airlines 900 w/fit info/Koch-III
8964.0	USB	0115	AGA2	Hickam AFB, HI, USA/wkng MAC 70029/Koch-III
8984.0	USB	2144	Rescue 860	USAF Medivac wkng USCG COMMSTA Miami/Schulsinger-OH
8984.0	USB	2000		COMMSTA Miami/wkng Rescue 2122/2133 flts (CG HU-25 Guardian Jets) over Dominican Rep/Schulsinger-OH
8984.0	USB	1625	NRCB	USCG Cutter Eagle wkng COMMSTA Boston/(The Eagle is a tall ship which is used as a Coast Guard Academy training vessel)/Schulsinger-OH
8984.0	USB	0046	Rescue 6515	USCG San Juan, PR, USA/wkng USCG 1712 for vessel 'FREDERICK CHOPIN'/Karcheski-MA
8991.0	USB	0522	LA1	UNID Tactical Call/req radio check/Rude-WI
9025.0	USB	1400		'Masterpiece'/US Military wkng others/Halligey-UK
9325.0	USB	2333	SB	UNID Numbers Sta/GG 'SB sounded like a callsign, then a tune repeated'/Lukas-NY
10214.7	RTTY	0010	HZN48	Jeddah Meteo, SAUD/coded wx 100/790/Babin-MA
10250.0	USB	0020		UNID (possible IAWG92 Freq)/numerous SS mil comms w/Columbian References/Babin-MA
10805.0	RTTY	0025	LOL	NA Buenos Aires, ARG/SS Nx 75/804/Babin-MA
10893.3	RTTY	0030	LRB39	Buenos Aires, ARG/SS Nx 50/835/Babin-MA
11012.2	RTTY	0010	ETD	Addis Ababa, ETH/coded tfc w/ID 50/345/Babin-MA
11039.1	RTTY	0035	DDH9	Hamburg Meteo, GER/Ry's & ID tape 50/380/Babin-MA
11176.0	USB	0157	AHF-4	Albrook AFB, PANAMA/wkng Hobby 26 w/fone patch/McKee-NC
11234.0	USB	2224		AIR FORCE 3716 requesting fone patch/Rude-WI
11246.0	USB	1320	MAC68207	Fit wkng MacDill AFB/wx info, advised this fit was a C-5/Koch-III
12563.0	RTTY	0010	UJGN	SovShip NIS:AKADEMIK KARPINSKIY wkng Moscow 50/170/Berri-CA
12563.5	RTTY	2258	UJEP	SovShip RTMS:KURSKAYA DUGA wkng URY 50/170/Berri-CA
12564.0	RTTY	0025	UNVS	SovShip TKH:KRASNOE SELO wkng St. Petersburg 50/170/Berri-CA
12566.5	RTTY	0258	UQSD	SovShip TR:AMURSKIY ZALIV wkng Sevastopol 50/170/Berri-CA
12570.5	RTTY	2240	ULQC	SovShip TM:PAVEL BATOV wkng Kalliningrad 50/170/Berri-CA
12594.0	CW	2309	CLS	Havana, CUBA/SS warning about guerilla activity/Dome-Tx
12609.3	RTTY	2330	WLO	Mobile Radio, USA/EE Econ nx SITOR-B/Card-RI
12752.0	CW	2342	OST	Oostende, BEL/marker/Fine-MD
12799.5	CW	0118	PCH51	Scheveningen Radio, NED/marker/Karcheski-MA
12803.0	CW	2326	TAH	Istanbul, TURK/marker/Fine-MD
12977.0	CW	0004	ICB	Genoa, ITA/marker/Fine-MD
13055.0	CW	0623	UJQ7	Kiev Radio, UKR/marker/Rude-WI
13201.0	USB	0935	MAC40601	Fit wkng Tule AFB, Greenland/fit info/Koch-III
13333.0	USB	0942		SPEEDBIRD 18 wkng LDOC London/radio chks, fit info/Koch-III



13440.0	RTTY	0428	YZJ5	TANJUG Belgrade, YUGO/EE nx 50/425/Berri-CA
13550.0	FAX	0435	ZKLF	Aukland Meteo, NZEL/SPAC prg chart 120/576/Berri-CA
13974.0	USB	0120	NNNONPA	Palmer Station, ANTARC/MARS Tfc (nice catch!)/Karcheski-MA
13997.5	USB	1711	AAR4USE	MARS Ft. McClellan, ALA, USA/Special Event: 50th Anniv. of Women's Army Corps (WAC)/Lukas-NY
14441.5	USB	0045	NN0CZI	USS Merrimack (Fleet Oiler)/MARS Tfc/Karcheski-MA
14546.5	RTTY	0820		MFA Rome(?), ITA/SITOR-A 100/170 daily/Halligey-UK
14686.0	USB	1240	KC2XKG	Atlas, USA/calling A/C 820 on chnl PAPA/McKee-NC
15000.0	AM	0031	WWVH	Honolulu, HI, USA/time signal station/Babin-MA
15777.7	RTTY	1920	KAWN	AFS Offut AFB, NEB, USA/coded wx 75/850/Dome-TX
15850.0	RTTY	1730		SRI Geneva, SWIT/EE Nx 50/170/Card-RI
16324.9	RTTY	0931	RFTJ	FF Dakar, SEN/ARQ-E3 48/409 w/Controle de Voie/Hall-RSA
16327.8	RTTY	1745		MFA Cairo, EGY/SITOR-A w/Synch Pulses/Hall-RSA
16348.0	RTTY	1723	CLN530	PL Havana, CUBA/SS nx 50/425/Karcheski-MA
16785.0	RTTY	2250	UETZ	SovShip MB0131:ZAVOLZHYE wkng Murmansk 50/170/Berri-CA
16810.5	RTTY	0210	FFT81	St.Lys, FR/marker in SITOR-A/Babin-MA
16822.5	RTTY	0200	HPP	Panama Radio, PAN/EE tfc list in SITOR-B/Babin-MA
16969.0	CW	0028	FUF	FNaval Ft de France, MRT/marker/Fine-MD
17005.0	CW	2213	HKB	Barranquilla Radio, COL/marker/Fine-MD
17052.0	CW	0445	JNA	Tokyo Radio, JAP/marker/Rude-WI
17190.0	CW	0002	LSA	Boca Radio, ARG/marker/Fine-MD
17197.6	RTTY	1712	LOR	Puerto Belgrano, ARG/Arg Navy Baudot 96/417 w/5grps/Hall-RSA
17284.0	USB	1855	CUL	Lisbon, PORT/PP fone tfc/Lish-FLA
17341.0	USB	1934	SVN6	Athens, GRC/Greek fone tfc/Lish-FLA
17347.0	USB	1925	PCG61	Schevenengen, NED/Dutch ID & Tfc/Lish-FLA
17456.8	RTTY	1705	KD	MFA Cairo, EGY/tfc to African Emb in SITOR-A/Hall-RSA
17583.5	FAX	1645	AOK	USN Rota, SPA/wx chart 120/576/Hall-RSA
17632.3	RTTY	1640	SUU	Cairo Meteo, EGY/coded wx 75/355/Hall_RSA
18171.0	USB	1518	KC2XKG	Atlas, USA/wkng A/C 454on Chnl SI (23402.5)/McKee-NC
18427.0	RTTY	2000		PL Havana, CUBA/SS nx about Cuba 50/485/Card-RI
19031.6	RTTY	1207	ACC60	MARS Heidelberg, GER/wkng AE1USA Packet 300/Hall-RSA
19091.7	RTTY	1150		MFA Jakarta, INDO/EE & Indo Nx 50/389/Hall-RSA
19101.9	RTTY	1147	RFLI	FF Ft de France, MRT/lding ARQ-E3 192/376/Hall-RSA
19117.5	RTTY	1142		MFA Jakarta, INDO/Indo tfc in SITOR-A/Hall-RSA
19171.3	RTTY	1226	CNM85X.11	MAP Rabat, MOROC/Asia Svc EE Nx 50/408/Hall-RSA
19704.2	RTTY	1625		UNID/5 lgrps 75/500 (Int'l DSC Freq?)/Hall-RSA
19731.8	RTTY	1619	PCW/1	MFA Den Haag, NED/tfc fm "DAF/ZF" to Maputo SITOR-A/Hall-RSA
19860.4	RTTY	1610	MTO (ex-GYA)	RN London, UK/"DE MTO LF STATES A2/8/9DI" 75/832/Hall-RSA
19865.7	RTTY	1606	YZJ4	TANJUG Belgrade, YUGO/RYS & ID tape 50/389/Hall-RSA
20325.3	RTTY	1101	RFLIG	FF Cayenne, FRGU/lding ARQ-E3 96/849/Hall-RSA
20348.4	RTTY	1037		UNID/tunes and synchs to ARQ-M2 96/337/Hall-RSA
20385.1	RTTY	1530	RFFIA	FF Paris, FR/heavy tfc 5lgrps to RFFXI 75/389/Hall-RSA
20630.0	CW	1400	CLP5	MFAAlgiers, ALG/Cuban Emb. w/tfcto CLP1 (Havana)/Halligey-UK
20734.1	RTTY	1240		UNID/Garbled EE, probably UN Geneva SITOR-A/Hall-RSA
20919.5	RTTY	1118	SAM	MFA Stockholm, SWE/5lgrps SWED-ARQ 100/375/Hall-RSA
20987.0	RTTY	1458	SAM	MFA Stockholm, SWE/Swed emb tfc SWED-ARQ 100/378/Hall-RSA
21122.1	RTTY	1229	YB1 BBS	ASIANET, Bandung, INDO/Ham Net Packet 300/Hall-RSA
22356.0	RTTY	1125	EWAK	SovShip POLYARNIRUG/wkng Murmansk 50/170/Hall-RSA
22358.0	RTTY	1150		SovShip STAKHANOVS/wkng Moscow Agents 50/170/Hall-RSA
22363.6	RTTY	1210	URWR	SovShip TR AKTARSKIJ LIMAN/wkng Kaliningrad 50/170/Hall-RSA
22394.0	RTTY	1125		SAfrican Naval Wx Svc/(Hydrosan) 75/170/Hall-RSA
22395.1	RTTY	1216	UBHU	SovShip EFIM GORBENKO/wkng Novorossisk 50/170/Hall-RSA
22424.0	RTTY	1126	XSQ	Guangzhou Radio, PRC/ID tape SITOR-A/Hall-RSA
22501.1	RTTY	1148	UFN	Novorossisk, UKR/RYS, ID, & Wx 50/170/Hall-RSA
22544.1	CW	1827	FUM	FNaval Tahiti, OCE/marker/Dome-TX
22685.6	RTTY	1148	EVEN	SovShip TR KALININGRADSKIY BEREG/wkng Kaliningrad 50/170/Hall-RSA
22780.0	USB	1900	EHY	Madrid, SPA/SS fone tfc/Lish-FLA
22795.0	USB	1920	XDA	Mexico City, MEX/SS fone tfc/Lish-FLA
22807.0	USB	1922	PPR	Rio de Janiero, BRAZ/PP fone tfc w/22111.0/Lish-FLA
22905.7	RTTY	1512	DMK	MFA Bonn, GER/wkng Santiago, CHL ARQ-E 96/173/Hall-RSA
23142.0	USB	1613		LDOC Portishead, UK/wkng UNID A/C very weak/McKee-NC
23406.7	USB	2212		UNID/NASA Shuttle Preps (not listed in NASA Freqs)/McKee-NC

Well, thats it for another month. Keep the loggings and info coming! 73 and CUN30,

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News and Reports from the World of Non-broadcast Shortwave Radio  
.....Deadline for articles and loggings the 12th of each month.....

July is here and the world of utilities continues to turn! Despite summer's reputation (in the northern hemisphere) as a no man's land for DXing, it seems that you all are managing good results in your monitoring.

This month we have a review of Bob Ing's new *Canadian Military Radio Frequency Guide* and also a review of a new audio tape from Interbooks in Scotland. There is also quite a bit of news and, as always, a bumper crop of ute loggings. Lets get on with it!

## INTERPOL ANYONE?

For those of you who are interested in INTERPOL shortwave frequencies, Mark Burkart sent some along via the SW Echo BBS. Most of the transmissions I have monitored have been in SITOR-A, although some of you might pick up a SSB signal.

### INTERPOL Frequency List (HF)

4632.5	11538.0
4837.5	12224.5
5208.0	13520.0
5305.0	13820.0
6792.0	14287.0
6905.0	14607.0
7401.0	14817.0
7532.0	14827.0
8038.0	15684.0
8006.5	18190.0
9200.0	18380.0
9285.0	19130.0
10295.0	10390.0

(all frequencies in kHz)

## DEA SELSCANS

Tom McKee has been a busy guy over the past month. He checks in with a report on the Selscan network used in the U.S. 'war on drugs'. I'll let Tom fill us in.

"I have spent some time on trying to

make some sense of the 'selscan' network used by the drug war agents (US DEA). I think this is the USCS radio system, but it might also be used by the DEA, USCG and others involved in the anti-drug effort.

"Early in May I plugged every anti-drug frequency I had every heard into my receiver. As it scanned I locked out the frequencies which had the selscan pulse bursts on them. After a few of these scanning sessions at different times of the day over a several day period I put all of the frequencies which had show selscan activity on them into the receiver in ascending frequency order.

"Late in the day (22:00UTC) I could hear selscan activity on all of the frequencies discovered. I tried to follow the scanning pulses from lowest to highest channel as the selscan radios stepped through the programmed channels. Several frequencies were not in the sequence and these turned out to be FAA frequencies. (The FAA uses a similar selscan radio system, but I haven't yet been able to sequence the channels.)

"The end result is the list which follows. The pulse bursts moved smoothly from channel to channel indicating that there were no missing frequencies. However, the list starts with 7527.0 kHz which is the lowest frequency where I could hear sequenced selscan activity. It's difficult for me to believe that some lower frequencies are not included in the scanning sequence, but I couldn't find them. I have also heard voice and/or scrambled voice activity on many of these frequencies. Note that this is not a complete anti-drug frequency list. I have also heard drug related traffic on several other frequencies as well."

The following is Tom's listing from lowest to highest frequency. The channel designators are given when known:

## ANTI-DRUG SELSCAN FREQUENCY LIST

Frequency (kHz)	Channel Designator
7527.0	ZB
8912.0	YC
10242.0	TA
11494.0	VF
13907.0	???
15867.0	ZE
18594.0	VC
20890.0	???
23214.0	???
25350.0	???

Tom also requests any information on the lower frequencies in this sequence and any of the missing channel designators. He also points us to an excellent article on the subject in the May 1992 issue of *QST* magazine.

## AUTOSPEC REVIVAL?

by Robert Hall

Autospec is an emission mode which was reportedly used by the Republic of South Africa's Government Agencies but is now said to be no longer in use. I wonder if this last is true?

There are no decoders for Autospec that I know of except the WAVECOM W4010 and Hoka Code3. Certainly, I have seen no loggings of Autospec in any publications in recent years and so it seems to be dead! Or is it?

Six months ago I logged Gough Island Meteo (ZOE) on 17102.6 kHz running in ARQ-M2 mode (96/120), but on the *SPACE LED only!* The transmission to Pretoria, RSA was a bit garbled but some words in Afrikaans were legible. Now in my April 1992 loggings I have noted two more frequencies with precisely similar characteristics: 5586.7 kHz at 0459 UTC and 19196.7 kHz at 1207 UTC, both running ARQ-M2 96 baud and tuning to Space only. Moreover, the emission sounds were exactly similar and, again, some brief Afrikaans words came up on the screen.

I am an old-timer in age, but a very young-timer in the DX world. I thought that some of you real old-time DXers might be interested in these unusual signals, and the fact that the Universal M-7000 does decode-albeit in a strange way. And, I wonder, *IS IT AUTOSPEC??*

Thanks for that interesting article, Robert. If anyone has had a similar experience, or can explain Robert's intercept, please pass that info along.

## JULY UTILITY NEWS

Geoff Halligey of Wales, UK, provides us an answer to Michael Fanderys' question regarding the current status of time stations EBC and OLB5. It appears that both have now ceased operations. Sorry Mike.

Geoff also asks for our help. He would like to get hold of a complete USAF Base callsign list. His *CFL* contains most of them, but he hasn't been able to locate a complete list. As an example, Vandenberg AFB's callsign has never been officially reported, according to Geoff. If anyone can help us out with this listing, I know Geoff (and your ute editor as well!) would be grateful.

*Grove Enterprises* of Brasstown, NC, USA, have just come out with the long awaited *International Callsign Directory*, by Gayle Van Horn. Perhaps that book will have an answer for Geoff as to AFB callsigns somewhere in its 250+ pages! The book claims to be the most comprehensive list of tactical callsigns and their identifications ever published for shortwave and scanner listeners. I'll give a full review in a future column, but if you can't wait, the book is now available from Grove for \$24.95 US. Tell them *SPEEDX* sent you!

Speaking of new products, the new *SPEEDX Utility Station List* should be coming out fairly soon. Paul Lannuier has been compiling this list from columns over the past year as well as updating the 'old' *SUSL*. Stay tuned.

Paul also sent me a copy of a great article on the new amateur mode, *CLOVER*. The article is *MUST* reading for anyone interested in this new mode. It is written by Bill Henry K9GWT and Ray Petit W7GHH, both who work for HAL Communications Corp. in Urbana, Illinois. The full reference is: *"HF Radio Data Communication: CW to Clover"*, *Communications Quarterly*, Spring 1992, pp. 11-24.

HAL Communications is currently marketing the only *CLOVER* modem, the PCI-4000/PC-Clover. This IBM PC-AT plug-in circuit board and software package both transmits and receives the new mode. I'd like to hear if anyone has any experience with the mode. Looks like we will have another mode to play with in the very near future!

Finally, I'd like to get your feedback on whether the stuff you find in this column every month is what you want to read or not. I would like to run more SSB stuff, but frankly, its not my specialty and I don't

receive much from you guys to include except for SSB loggings (which I DO try to include!). Even if you aren't able to write articles for us, at least give me some ideas of the kinds of things you would LIKE to read-I can usually get someone knowledgeable on the subject to contribute! Remember—here at Ute World Central WE AIM TO PLEASE!

Special Offer for July:  
We still have some copies of  
David Ross' CFARS Listings.  
In addition, Robert Hall has  
kindly compiled a full page of  
AR2-E3 loggings for us.  
BOTH can be yours for a  
CASE! This is great stuff!

### Product Review:

## AUDIO GUIDE TO THE SOUNDS OF SHORTWAVE

When one tries to list the audio tape packages available to the utility monitor, only two come to mind. Klingenfus' *Modulation Types* tape and now a new audio tape from INTERPRODUCTS of Scotland, *Audio Guide to the Sounds of Shortwave*. While at first it may appear that these would be competing products, they focus on different audiences. In fact, they actually complement each other.

The *Audio Guide* contains 31 of the most commonly heard transmission sounds on shortwave today. It includes many of the basic RTTY modes, CW, and FAX, but its REAL strength is in the SSB encryption systems it provides. That's right, this tape lets you hear the differences between U.S., NATO, and USSR Air Force and Army voice encryption systems! As far as I know, this is the ONLY tape which does this.

Another unique feature of this cassette is that it gives examples of two of the most common NATO military modems currently in use—Link 14 (codename "BEAVER"), and Link 11 (codename "ALLIGATOR").

Also included in this package is a useful list of the principle users for each mode on the tape. After listening to this intriguing tape, I can recommend it to all SPEEDXers as a good and informative resource. It can be purchased from INTERPRODUCTS, S52, 8 Abbot Street, Perth PH2 0EB, Scotland for £8.25 plus £1.00 for overseas airmail shipping.

### Book Review:

## THE CANADIAN MILITARY RADIO FREQUENCY GUIDE

by Robert S. Ing

In summing up Robert Ing's newest edition of the *Canadian Military Radio Frequency Guide (3rd edition)* one word comes to mind—COMPREHENSIVE. Ing has compiled from official sources the most comprehensive listings of frequencies and callsigns of the Canadian Military ever.

Ing focuses on frequency coverage from 50 kHz to 500 MHz, as well as callsigns from all branches of the Canadian Military.

I was particularly impressed with his vast coverage of the CFARS networks. He also covers the Canadian side of NORAD, NATO, United Nations Multinational Forces, Canadian Coast Guard, as well as the 'traditional' Armed Forces. Ing even covers the CANFORS ONE flight frequencies (the Canadian equivalent of the U.S. AIR FORCE ONE).

The book also contains a very clear and concise section explaining tone and tone burst transmissions which are used.

Of course, since many of you may know Bob Ing from his monthly "Scanning VHF/UHF" column in *DX Ontario*, you might suspect that much of the book contains frequencies and systems which are above the shortwave coverage of this column. It does. By doing this the author provides us with a much more complete picture of the scope and nature of the Canadian Military.

Other useful features included in this book include the Master Callsign List, which includes all Canadian Military stations (both mobile and fixed service); the complete Canadian Maritime Military Vessel Callsign Index, which provides a legend for the pendant numbers found on Canadian ships and a listing of every ship in the Canadian military and Coast Guard; a complete listing of QSL addresses for every Canadian Military Base; and a good section of sources for further reading.

As you can see, there is a lot to this 66-page book. I'm glad I have a copy of this book, and I can enthusiastically recommend it to all Utility World readers.

You can get your own copy for CAN\$16.95/US\$13.95 plus postage directly from Robert S. Ing, P.O. Box 378-Postal Station O, Toronto, Ontario, Canada M4A 2N9.

Now on to the loggings!



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David Gossett	KY ATS-808	2	Mike Schulsinger	OH	2
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Columns from last month: All of them.

Columns from this month: All of them.

Columns from before that: All of them.



Please welcome our new contributors...

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Thank you all for contributing! If we see your names here often enough, you get to be Full Members of **SPEEDX!** Speaking of which, we probably have some, but, due to Tim the Printer's impending vacation, I have to get this entire bulletin thrown together tonight (which happens to be Thursday) instead of waiting until the weekend. I had time to enter all the contributors, and I guarantee there aren't more than 2,000 mistakes in this list...but the new Full Members will have to wait until next month. The good news out of all this is that you should be getting this issue a couple of days early; Tim's turning into a pumpkin at the end of work Wednesday, and says he'll have the bulletin ready by then.

Uhhh...where's some filler? I'm outta here....

## RADIO AUSTRALIA NEW PROGRAM LINEUP (VALID JUNE 1992)

### Sunday

**Lane's Company**- 0930, 1130, 1330, 1530, 1730, & 1930; **At Your Request**- 1030, 1230, 1430, 1830, & 2030; **Sportsworld**- 0300-0730 (w/Rugby League match of the day) 21775, 21740, 21525, 15240, 11880, 11720 MHz; **Sports Report**- 1313, 1630

### Monday

**Innovations**- 0930, 1330, 1530, 1730, & 1930; **World Of Country Music**- 1030, 1430, 1830, & 2030; **This Australia**- 1130; **Soundabout**- 1230; **Sports Report**- 1313, 1630

### Tuesday

**Communicator**- 0930, 1130, 1530, 1730, & 1930; **Jazz Notes**- 1030, 1430, 1830, & 2030; **Soundabout**- 1230; **Sports Report**- 1313; **This Australia**- 1330

### Wednesday

**One World**- 0930, 1130, 1330, 1730, & 1930; **Blacktracker**- 1030, 1430, 1830, & 2030 (Aboriginal traditional, country, and rock music, mostly rock, and mostly pretty awful, though check it out for yourself and don't ever take my opinions too seriously -ej); **Soundabout**- 1230 (Rock and roll, and mostly a bloody disaster -ej); **Sports Report**- 1313, 1630; **This Australia**- 1530

### Thursday

**Science File**- 0930, 1130, 1330, 1530, & 1730; **Australian Country Style**- 1030, 1430, 1830, & 2030 (can I say something nice? This one is pretty good); **Soundabout**- 1230; **Sports Report**- 1313; **This Australia**- 1730

### Friday

**Business Weekly**- 0930, 1130, 1330, 1530, 1730, & 1930; **Fine Music Australia**- 1030, 1430, 1830, & 2030 (this I gotta hear...); **Soundabout**- 1230; **Sports Report**- 1313

### Saturday

**Parliament Program**- 0930, 1130, 1330, 1530, 1730 (ex-Ring the Bells); **Music Deli**- 1030, 1230, 1430, 1830, & 2030; **This Australia**- 1930; **Sportsworld**- 0200-0730 (w/AFL match of the day) 21775, 21740, 21525, 15240, 11880, 11720 MHz; **Pacific Women**- 0313, 0513, 0713

Another goodie from Shortwave Paradise...wasn't that better than listening to me mouth off for a page? See you next month, I guess....

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