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# THE DXPERIENCE

Your column of notes, news and views of what's happening in the exciting world of shortwave radio!



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## GREETINGS FROM WHEELING

Here it is, summertime already! Time for lots o' QRN down in those tropical bands, precious few hours o' nighttime and plenty o' storms to knock down your latest antenna set up. But do I care? Of course not—summer is a great time to be a teacher! I might even have time for my radio and finishing up my graphic logging software.

By the way, when you get frustrated trying to pull IDs out of the static, why not sit down and drop me a line? I could always use good articles, opinions, memories, etc. during the

lean summer months. I also have a fun new contest this month that will challenge our QSLers out there, so check out page four and get your entries in!

**LATE BREAKING NEWS:** Welcome back to WWCR! As reported on *World of Radio* #695, they returned to the air with test transmissions on 15685 and 7435 kHz a few days ago. Congratulations on a speedy recovery (although I understand there is still a lot to be done). And, uh, no hard feelings about the remarks, right?

## RADIO SHIP NOT VOICE OF HOPE OR WHRI

from High Adventure Ministries

Neither High Adventure Ministries nor World Harvest Radio International is operating a broadcast station on a ship near Java, officials of both organizations said. This British pirate radio fan paper *Caroline Movement News* was one of several hobby publications carrying such a story this winter. The stories alleged that the two U.S. religious broadcasters had jointly backed an unofficial station which transmitted on medium wave, FM, and shortwave.

"We are not involved" in any ship station project, said Joe Hill, operations manager for Le Sea Broadcasting Corporation, licensee of WHRI. "The only thing we are involved in [for

Asia] is the Asian shortwave station we are building in Hawaii."

"We are not doing anything with WHRI, and we are not doing anything on a boat," said John Tayloe, Executive Vice President of High Adventure Ministries. "It's a good rumor, and we like it, but that's all." He said High Adventure Ministries' current plans for Asia include the expansion of its shortwave station KHBN on the Pacific Island of Palau.

*How do these rumors start? By the way, I heard that the BBC is going to drop all English programming soon. Remember, you heard it here first!*

## MAJOR LEAGUE SIGNALS

from *The Charlotte Observer*, 4/16/93 via James Feeley

Jim forwarded this article from his local paper for those unenlightened who didn't know that after dark, you can actually hear AM stations at a distance of several hundred miles! This is something all of us are aware of, but this article is very good, explaining how to go about listening to baseball games from all over the East and Midwest. If you have not seen a recent listing of where to catch your favorite team, here are the stations that the article mentions (all are clear channel)

Oops—did I accidentally hit the Ⓜ-B keys and highlight one of the teams? Anyway, if you can fill out my list with the other 17 teams, drop me a line. Remember, the stations must be 50 kw, clear channel broadcasters to be of much use.

|                       |      |      |
|-----------------------|------|------|
| New York Mets         | WFAN | 660  |
| Chicago White Sox     | WMAQ | 670  |
| Boston Red Sox        | WRKO | 680  |
| Cincinnati Reds       | WLW  | 700  |
| <b>Chicago Cubs</b>   | WGN  | 720  |
| Detroit Tigers        | WJR  | 760  |
| New York Yankees      | WABC | 770  |
| Pittsburgh Pirates    | KDKA | 1020 |
| Baltimore Orioles     | WBAL | 1090 |
| St. Louis Cardinals   | KMOX | 1120 |
| Philadelphia Phillies | WOGL | 1210 |

Take me out to the ball game!



### CRI HAS NEW LOGO

from *The Messenger*, 5-6/93

China Radio International now has a new logo to match its new name. The logo combines an image of radio waves beaming out from the letters "CRI" and rising above the Great Wall. Each wave represents one of the five continents they broadcast to. The



design also compares CRI to a rising morning sun. The design is a result of a six-month search that included 10,858 entries. The final choice combines the artwork of two professional designers, Qin Xiayu of Wuxi, East China, and Wang Xiangguo of Beijing.

### POLICY GROUP RECOMMENDS INTERNATIONAL BROADCAST CHANGES

*Radio World*, 4/28/93 via John Carson

The U.S. Advisory Commission on Public Diplomacy has forwarded to President Clinton a report urging several changes in the government-run international broadcasting. I'll highlight some of them:

- Consolidate all broadcasting under the U.S. Information Agency.
- Reduce VOA shortwave and look into AM, FM and satellite to meet the needs of the targeted listeners.
- Reduce the number of languages on VOA.
- Terminate the construction of the Israel relay site.
- Pursue the installation of AM and shortwave transmitters in Kuwait.
- Phase out RFE/RL.
- Use an expanded VOA Asian service instead of a separate Radio Free Asia.

This is all pretty much what we've been hearing all along, but when it's in an official, 64-page report, it seems so much more important.

### THE FIGHT TO SAVE RFE/RL

via John Carson

John sent me a xeroxed leaflet from a group called "Freedom House." Its headline is, "Invest in freedom—Save Radio Free Europe, Radio Liberty." There are a number of quotes from newspaper editorials supporting the work of these stations followed by the remarks below:

"The turmoil in the former Soviet bloc proves that democracy does not come easily to peoples once ruled by tyranny. Repressive forces threaten them and our hopes for a more peaceful world.

"Yet some would retire two of America's most successful, cost-effective weapons in the fight for freedom—Radio Free Europe and Radio Liberty. They say that these radios are relics of the Cold War. They are wrong.

"The free radios are more important than ever. They alone broadcast in-depth, unbiased reporting on events in those troubled lands to the peoples whose fates are at stake. They have a credibility and an audience no other broadcaster has.

"The free flow of information is the lifeblood of democracy. Without it, freedom perishes. What Americans fail to understand is how far these countries are from enjoying an independent media.

"Silence is the ally of the demagogue. Just look at the former Yugoslavia. A brutal war, fueled by propaganda, bigotry and scare tactics. Ethnic cleansing. Recently Polish President Lech Walesa declared, 'If RFE had broadcast all these years to Yugoslavia, we would not have the bloodshed there today.'

"President Clinton is right in urging help for Russia's beleaguered democrats. Yet penny-wise, pound foolish bureaucrats would sack a vital tool in the struggle to secure democracy.

"RFE/RL helped raze the Berlin Wall. They can help keep tyranny from making a comeback. Join the impressive company working to save RFE and RL."

If you support this cause, call them at (800) 289-8880. Now being a member of Generation X (we, the lost souls of the seventies and



### RFE/RL (cont.)

eighties), I haven't really put a lot of thought into this one way or the other, but I know a political issue when I see it. Therefore, I would love to hear any opposing views, such as our cities are war zones, the kids can't read, and we're spending money to bring "freedom" to the countless underprivileged in Eastern

Europe? Maybe we can get a nice, angry diatribe going (as long as it doesn't split us into two clubs, YRDX—the Young Republican DXers and AESWC—the Anti-Establishment Shortwave Club.) Then again, maybe next month I'll get a lot more mail, and I can avoid this kind of stuff altogether!

### NEW FOR ANTENNA ENTHUSIASTS

Grove Enterprises has just published *The Antenna Handbook: A Guide to Understanding and Designing Antenna Systems* by W. Clem Small. This 112-page book contains "simple, high performance projects from Small's *Monitoring Times* antenna column and new material as well." Topics include wide frequency coverage, direction finding, low profile and high gain antennas. It is \$12.95 from Grove at P.O. Box 98, Brasstown, NC 28902-0098 or call (704) 837-9200.

You might also be interested in this . . . DWM Enterprises has available the "Tiny-Tenna," an all-band active antenna for LW,

MW, SW, VHF and UHF bands. It runs on a 9-volt battery or adaptor (not included) and uses a 7' segment of insulated wire connected to a 1 1/2" square circuit board that attaches to the receiver. There are "no fancy cabinets, knobs, bells or whistles to help drive the cost way up." There is a short review of it in Larry Miller's "what's new" column in the April '93 *Monitoring Times*, although it does not provide any technical info. Anyone interested in giving it a try can order it for \$19.95 + \$3 s/h from DWM Enterprises, 1709 N. West Avenue, Suite 103, Jackson, MI 49202 or call (517) 563-9022.

### INFOBITS

#### from various DX programs

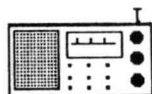
- Tristan Radio, long the most sought-after DX catch on 3290, is officially off the air. They now broadcast only on 93.5 FM with 15 watts on MWF, 4:30 - 6:00 pm and Sun, 10-12 am, local time. This was confirmed by letter from the station. (RNMN, 5/6)
- The Space Environment Service Center in Boulder released a long term prediction on 4/13 about the current sunspot cycle. The low will be in early 1997, with the peak occurring in 2000 or 2001 and coming in slightly lower than the double peak in 1989/91. The range of the smooth solar flux will be 74 to 200, while

the smooth sunspot numbers will go from 10 in 1996 to 130 in 2000. (WOR #692)

- Don Moore is looking for clean audio tapes of important events such as coups, the fall of communism in Europe, the Gulf War, etc. He will be teaching a college class about shortwave listening and would like recorded examples to play for his students. Contact him at 11434 140th Street, Davenport, IA 52804. (WOR #693)
- KWHR (WHRI's planned sister station in Hawaii) is now accepting applications for transmitter engineers. (WOR #695)



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## Page Four

### THE MAY DXPERIENCE CONTEST

No takers yet, so try your luck again. The contest was too involved to reprint, so check last month's bulletin, and give it a shot!

### JUNE HOLIDAYS

from **Federal Express via Don Weber**

Welcome back to our somewhat monthly holidays column! Whenever Don gets this list from Fed Ex early enough, he passes it along to me. You can use this info in personalizing your greetings on correspondence with stations.

We begin with the Muslim observance of **Id-al-Adha**. Although spelled several different ways, it is celebrated around June 1 in the following countries: **Algeria, Bangladesh, Benin, Cameroon, Chad, Djibouti, Ethiopia, Gabon, Gambia, Indonesia, Iran, Jordan, Kenya, Kuwait, Lebanon, Mauritania, Morocco, Nigeria, Oman, Pakistan, Qatar, Saudi Arabia, Sierra Leone, Sri Lanka, Sudan, Tanzania, Tunisia, United Arab Emirates and Yemen**. The Muslim New Year is listed as **Hegira 1414**, observed on the 21st in many of the same countries.

The Christian holiday of **Corpus Christi**, June 10, will be celebrated in **Austria, Bolivia, Brazil, Chile, Costa Rica, Dominican Republic, Equatorial Guinea, Germany, Haiti, Switzerland and Venezuela**. In addition, we have the following:

- Djibouti** - Independence Day, 27
- Estonia** - Victory Day, 23
- Ghana** - Revolution, 4
- Iceland** - National Day, 17
- Philippines** - Independence Day, 12
- Russia** - Declaration of Independence, 12
- South Korea** - Memorial Day, 6
- Zaire** - Independence Day, 30

Good to hear from you again, Don!

### JUNE DXPERIENCE CONTEST

Well, here we go with another exciting contest. This one is for a great assortment of prizes:

- WBET 1460 AM Hurrigan Tracking Chart
- Voice of Turkey pennant
- Radio Veronica pirate ship sticker
- an old Radio **Peking** sticker
- a somewhat dated copy of the "World BC Stn Address Book"
- two other cool RadioVeronica stickers
- a festive Radio Capital (Milan) sticker
- an NHK "Crosscurrents" fan
- and the motherlode: several VOA stickers! (unavailable to us Yanks!)

All of these lovely and hardly valuable prizes will go to the first person who sends me a xerox of the info portion of **six, full-data QSLs dated June 1st, 1993 or later**. You must have one each from **North America, South America, Europe, Africa, Asia and the Pacific**. This should get you thinking about reliable verifiers who send full data cards quickly. Have fun with it! This contest will go for at least a couple of months, I assume, but get started now!

I guess I ran a little short this month (obviously). Keep those cards and letters coming in, and we can fill this space a little more usefully next time! Until then, 73s from the great Midwest! go cubs

--DB

### SPEEDX CLASSIFIED ADS

**WANTED:** Heathkit catalogs. Contact: Bob Coburn, 4 Tinkham Lane, Londonderry, NH 03053 or call (603) 432-2615.

**WANTED:** National SW-54 general coverage receiver (ca. 1951) in (almost) any condition. Also Zenith Royal 500 portable AM "Long Distance" radios, preferably in working condition, but will consider "dead" ones for parts. Contact Mike Fanderys, 5618 Velma Avenue, Parma, OH 44129-1529 or call (216) 661-2443 btwn 9 am and 11 pm EDT (no collect).

## SHORTWAVE TO GO!

News and information from the  
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Hello! Welcome to the column for June 1993. Thanks to all who contributed (either directly, or indirectly). It is by such research that we are able to continue to edit, and present this to you. We have quite a lot of up-to-date material available for your use. The time and effort of those contributors is very much appreciated on this end! Please keep up the fine work! Now on to the stuff that you are all waiting for, shortwave schedule and DX information, Enjoy!

**Radio Havana, Cuba:** is broadcasting to the Caribbean and to Europe, in English from 2200 to 2300 UTC and in French from 2300 to 2400 UTC, and that's on 13660 kHz in USB and on 6180 kHz.

Eugene points out that the frequency of 13660 kHz is not mentioned in the English-language broadcast. At Eugene's QTH in Antwerp the frequency of 6180 kHz is useless until approx 2330 UTC, because of interference from Radio Nacional da Amazonia of Brasilia. Just a reminder: French from 2000 to 2100 and English from 2100 to 2200 to Europe and Africa is on the new frequency of 17760 kHz. Also, Radio Habana has changed a freq for a transmission in Spanish to Europe. Eugene now hears the station from 2000 to 2200 UTC on 17705 kHz instead of 15430 kHz. It should be stressed that Radio Habana seems to have difficulties with power supply for the transmitters. (RVI RadioWorld)

**Dominican Republic:** 6205 **Radio Quisqueya** is the correct name, this has been widely reported as R. Estrella. Address: P. O. Box 135-2, Santo Domingo. (Santiago San Gil via SWN, Denmark, via GIB, **Onda Corta**, Abril 1993)

**Bolivia:** News from *Relámpago DX* by Takayuki Inoue Nozaki, a very good Japanese friend traveling by South America, sends us the following info, all heard in March:

3200.3 **R. 9 de Abril**, Pulacayo, **RF**, 0014-0030\*, ID as "Desde Pulacayo...transmite 9 de April pensando en nuestro territorio nacional, transmitiendo la voz del trabajador industrial, operando en 3200 kcs en banda internacional de 93 metros, Pulacayo, Potosí, Rep. de Bolivia."

3280 **R. Chaco**, Yacuiba, **inactive**. 3300 **R. Charcas**, Monteagudo, seemingly **inactive**.

3340.2 **R. Viloco**, Mina Viloco, \*1000-1300\* and \*2300-0100\* in March, this CP station is operated by "Sindicato de Trabajadores Mineras de Viloco."

3340.1 **R. 27 de Diciembre**, Villamontes, **inactive** due to old tubes.

3370.5 **R. Florida**, Samaipata, not heard. 3380.3 **R. Cumbre**, Tazna, **inactive** for long time.

3390.3 **R. Emisoras Camargo**, Camargo, heard pgm "Recordar es Vivar" w/ romantic ballads, regularly heard 2200-0200 in March.

3757v **R. Emisoras 20 de Diciembre**, Culpina, **inactive**; Takayuki couldn't trace any information about this station.

3754.3 **R. 20 de Septiembre**, Bermejo, seemingly **inactive**; not heard in Tarija/Villamontes/Yacuiba. 3884.9 **R. Entrerrianas**, Entre Rios, Takayuki transited the town of Entre Rios but nobody knew the station in the town.

4183.4 **R. 11 de Octubre**, 2330-0200\*, confirmed ID at 2332 as "En los studios de Radio 11 de Octubre, son Las 7 y 32," then into nonstop romantic ballads.

4211 **R. Perla del Oriente**, Roboré, seemingly **inactive**.

4409.1 **R. Eco**, Reyes, 0031-0050. IDs as "Radio Ecoooooo!"

4420.7 **R. Santa Rosa**, hrd 0052-0120.

4449.9 **R. Estación Frontera**, Cobija, regularly heard \*1000-0100\*, former sign off 2400.

4472.5 **R. Movima**, \*1100 w folk pgm "Feliz Amanecer," also heard on 13/3 0202\*.

4530.1 **R. Hitachi**, Guayaramerín, regularly heard in March, s/on at \*1000.

4552.4 **Radiodif. Trópico**, Trinidad, sked 1000-1200/1600-1830/2230-0100 (Sat-2400, Sun-2330)

4599.7 **R. Emisoras Villamontes**, Villamontes, sked 0900-1730/1900-2400 (Sun 0900-1730 only).

Owner/director: Gerardo Rocabado Galarza. QTH: Avenida Méndez Arcos 156, Villamontes, Departamento de Tarija.

4600 **R. Perla del Acre**, Cobija, sked 0900-0300 (Sun 1000-0100).

4625.7 **Radiodifusora Machupo**, San Ramón, sked 2000-0200v.

4649.2 **R. Santa Ana**, 1001-1020, s/on with folk music.

4681.4 **Paititi Radiodifusión**, Guayaramerin, s/on \*1000v.  
 4939.3 **R. Norte**, Montero, hrd in Tokyo 1012-1030, 29/3, w/ folk, cumbias, salutations.  
 5505.1 **R. 2 de Febrero**, Rurrenabaque, 2355-0120 w/ pgm "Mensajes Musicales."  
 5934.5 **LV del Trópico**, 1211-1220, pgm "Correo del Trópico," also hrd at \*0952 30/3 in Tokyo.  
 5953.8 **R. Pio XII**, regularly heard at \*1000, s/on w/ "El Madrugador" in Aymará.  
 5964 **R. Nacional Huanuni**, s/on \*0900 as usual.  
 6194.5 **R. Metropolitana**, La Paz, sked 0900-0300 (Sun 0100)  
 All this info provided by Takayuki through Daniel Camporini, very fine work Taka, hi! (GIB, **Onda Corta**, Numero 66, Abril 1993.)

- U. K.:** Radio Japan is no longer the only station in the Far East to make use of the BBC facilities at Skelton. From the first of May Radio Korea, Seoul, is swapping transmitters with the BBC World Service. This is the schedule, according to the DX editor of the Korean broadcasts of Radio Japan: the BBC will use a transmitter at Kimjae for a broadcast in English from 1300 to 1400 UTC on 9640 kHz, and in Chinese from 2200 to 2300 on 9525 kHz. Radio Korea, for its part will use the Skelton relay for a programme in English from 2000 to 2100 and in French from 2100 to 2145, both transmissions on 6035 kHz. German is from 2145 to 2230 on 6030 kHz. In the coming days we'll learn more about the transmissions of Radio Korea, that is, those coming directly from South Korea.
- Yugoslavia:** Radio Yugoslavia retimed its western Europe English language releases for summer time to 1830 and 2100 UT. At 2100 7200 is apparently dropped (not announced and not heard); 9505 and 6100 are announced and both outlets heard. The carrier dropped before all the frequencies for 1830 were announced; only 6100 made it out of the transmitter. (Tom Sundstrom)
- Croatia:** Croatian Radio with an English newsbulletin at 2103 UTC on new 5920 kHz (ex 6145) //9830 and weaker 13830 kHz. Nothing heard on or around 5020 kHz. (Marc Visser)
- Greece:** Voice of Greece with English to Australia between 2240-2250 UTC on 11645 kHz (although also announcing 7450 & 9425 kHz, nothing heard on these two frequencies). (Marc Visser)
- Russia:** in contrary to a report from Arthur T. Cushen on Media Network on 8th May, AWR Russia is still heard here between 1300-1400 UTC on 11855 kHz and thus not between 1200-1300 on 11835 kHz (Radio Moscow is heard there at that time). Didn't check the other frequencies and times yet ... (Marc Visser)
- Ukraine:** R Ukraine's frequency announcement for the 21 UT Eu release does not correspond to reality. Whereas the station announces 4825, 6070, 6090, 7195, 7240, 9550, 9640 I only hear them on two of the announced frequencies. I hear 15195, 9685, 7240, 7150 and 6090. Here in NJ, 15195 is the best. (Tom Sundstrom)
- Armenia:** Radio Yerevan in English noticed between 2145-2200 UTC on 9450, 11920 & 11960 kHz (the latter two frequencies with very low modulation). Also 2245-2300 UTC on 11920, 11945 & 15385 kHz. A week ago Herman Boel heard them also in English at 1845 UTC on 4810 kHz, although I checked and heard nothing on May 3rd there ?!. There is an English transmission also between 2345-0000 UTC, but I was unable to trace them (can anybody help?). (Marc Visser)
- Georgian Radio, Tbilisi:** can be heard in English at 0830-0900 and 1530-1600 on 11920 kHz. German is transmitted at 0600, 0900 and 1600 on 11910 kHz and at 1800 on 11760 kHz. (CJO, 24/4/93, via Jan Nieuwenhuis)
- Radio Baku, Azerbaijan:** has English at 1700-1800 on 15240 kHz. (CJO, 24/4/93, via Jan Nieuwenhuis)
- Radio Alma Ata, Kazakhstan:** is transmitting in English at 1700-1735 on 5035, 5260, 5960 and 15270 kHz and at 1835-1905 on 17605 and 17910 kHz. (CJO, 24/4/93, via Jan Nieuwenhuis)
- Voice of the Resistance of the Black Cockerel ("VORGAN"):** [Portuguese: A Voz da Resistencia do Galo Negro], Jamba (Angola). This station, broadcasting on behalf of the UNITA movement led by Jonas Savimbi, has transmissions in Portuguese at 0445-0845 on 6045 and 9700 kHz, 1045-1440 on 7290 and 11830 kHz and from 1630-2345 on 6035 and 7100 kHz. Irregular programmes in English and French are being transmitted at 2125-2150 and 2150-2215. (BBCM, 26/3/93)
- Libya:** As the dragnet of United Nations sanctions against Libya grows closer and tighter, the nation's broadcasters continue to face a mounting dilemma of vanishing spare parts and a national radio service that chugs on against all odds. But for how long? The UN ban on flights to and from the North African nation has resulted in a catastrophic situation where broadcasters and engineers have had to stretch their wits to keep the national radio network functioning. The first sight of helplessness have started to show with the closure of various relay stations around the vast desert country.  
 According to one prominent Tripoli broadcaster, "Certain technical needs in broadcasting cannot

wait for the slow—and so far unbanned—sea links to deliver the goods." In fact, it is known that shuttle services between Libya and various neighboring countries, particularly the island nation of Malta, have helped Libyan broadcasters to stay on the air, but the fabric seems to have started fraying. A production center on Malta has enabled the Libyans to maintain a regular flow of information to stations in Tripoli and Benghazi, the two major cities. It may end up as the only Libyan radio source in good working condition unless there are drastic changes in the UN stand over the Lockerbie case.

And as if the UN embargo was not enough of a headache, Libyan authorities recently decided to close their land borders for three days, hinting they may remain shut for much longer. The official Libyan news agency, JANA, said the closure was in reaction to the UN sanctions: "The move may lead to crossings being closed permanently," it said. JANA added that the measure was taken because of the "enormous human and material losses incurred by the Libyan Arab people." The sanctions, it reported, were a major contributing factor in the death of Justice Minister Ibrahim Mohammed Bakkar, who died in a traffic accident while returning by road from a meeting in Tunisia, and also played a part in the Libyan airliner crash last December in which 157 people of various nationalities died.

Libya insists that the embargo has starved it of spare parts for civil aircraft and other national needs, one of which, undoubtedly, is its radio and TV service. With the country's land borders with Chad, Egypt, Tunisia, Niger, and the Sudan open and closed according to the regime's whims, the future for Libyan broadcasters cannot be described as heartening. "A lot has already started depending on us," said one Libyan radio broadcaster, though it is doubtful if the nation's stations can suffice as a national service. "We produce a good selection of programmes here, but the day when these can no longer be transmitted may not be too far." (RadioWorld via Jack Fitzsimmons via WDXC Contact)

**Radio Algiers, Algeria:** can be heard in English at 1900-2000 on 9535, 15205 and 17745 kHz. (CJO, 24/4/93, via Jan Nieuwenhuis)

**Algeria:** Radio Algiers announces English 1900-2000 UTC on 1422, 9535, 15205 & 17745 kHz. I only hear 9535, 11715 (unmentioned) and 17745 kHz. (Marc Vissers)

**National Radio Of the S(aharan) D(emocratic) R(epublic)** [Arabic: Al-Idha'at al-Wataniyah li al-Jumhuriyah al-Arabiyyah as-Sahrawiyyah], -; this station which opposes the Moroccan policy on Western Sahara has currently been observed on 1544 and 11520 kHz at 1700-2400 with programmes in Arabic. (BBCM, 16/4/93, via Jan Nieuwenhuis)

**U.A.E.:** Radio of the UAE, Abu Dhabi with English to North America now 2200-0000 UTC on 11885, 15305 & 15315 kHz (ex 9770, 11710 & 11885) (Marc Vissers)

On the third of April we told you that **Radio Iraq International** was carrying a programme in English from 2200 to 2400 UTC on 11810 kHz. This programme is now going out one hour earlier, so now from 2100 to 2300 on 11810 kHz. Eugene thinks the second hour of the transmission is of more interest than the first one, in that there is more talk and less music. From 2200 until 2220 there's news and commentary. Although the programme is announced as being in English, there are sometimes bulletins in other languages as well. On certain days and during the last half hour of transmission, Baghdad carries short slots of about 4 minutes in Spanish, German and French, in that order. (RVI RadioWorld) Radio Iraq International, Baghdad, on 11810 kHz. The programme in English, with bits in other languages on certain days, between 2100 and 2300UTC. (RVI RadioWorld)

**Radio G'day International:** will be celebrating its first birthday over Easter with broadcasts going out on Good Friday April 9th. Times will be 0800-1000 & 2000 - 2200 UTC. The frequency will be either 11500 or 11480 kHz. All I can say is that folks in the Pacific and the USA will have their best ever chance of hearing us. Reports can be sent to BP 130, 92504, Rueil, Cedex, FRANCE. 73's CC. (Claude Crowe, Radio G'day International)

**Pakistan:** Radio Pakistan in English to Europe 1700-1800 UTC on 11570 & 15550 kHz (ex 9418 & 11570) (I did not check the other English transmissions yet) (Marc Vissers) Changed also 2 frequencies between 1600-1700 UTC, now to Middle East on 11570, 13590v, 15555v & 15675 (ex 17540), all heard and to East-Africa on 15515 (ex 17725) & 17725 kHz, all heard except 17725 kHz, which was probably too weak at that time. (Marc Vissers)

As far as **Radio Japan** is concerned, the station has already rescheduled its transmissions via Skelton in the UK and Moyabi in Gabon, although this was only due on May 2. Now from Skelton as follows, and checked by Eugene Gebruers: English from 0500 to 0600 UTC on 6085 and 7230 kHz. The DX programme, Media Round Up is broadcast on Sundays between 0530 and 0554 UTC. English from 0700 to 0800 and German from 0800 to 0830 are both on 6050 kHz (new frequency) and on 7230 kHz. The programme in French is transmitted from Skelton between 2130 and 2200 on 6060 kHz, and finally, a last transmission in English from 2300 to 2400 on 6060 and 6125 kHz. The programme in German which used to be broadcast via Skelton from



2100 to 2130 is now coming our way from Gabon from 2000 to 2030 on 15380 kHz.

**China:** China Radio International on 9480 in an unknown language to an unknown target at 2200-2255 dominates R Moscow World Service for most of the hour (especially toward the end of the hour). No sign of Armenia/R Yerevan on 9480 (or 11980), which is what I was looking for. (Tom Sundstrom)

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**Estonia:** There's a new private station on the air in a suburb of the Estonian capital, Tallinn. Called Nomme Radio, it operates on 1602 kHz, with just 10 watts of power. (BBCMS via SCDX) There were major changes in Estonian Radio on May 1st. Frequencies broadcasting Estonian Radio's first channel were taken over by a new commercial channel called Radio 2. This will form part of the state radio, even though it will be financially independent. Programming includes 4 hours a day of VOA Europe. The first channel now uses the "Vikerraadio" frequencies. The third channel is being seriously cut. For the time being, rebroadcasts from Radio Liberty, Radio Free Europe, Voice of America, Deutsche Welle, the BBC, and Radio Sweden will continue on this channel. (BBCMS via SCDX)

**Ex-Yugoslavia:** A new radio station is on the air in the ex-Yugoslavia area. The station is called "Radio Brod". It operates 24 hours a day with a power of 50 kW on 720 kHz where it has already been heard in Scandinavia during night-time. Radio Brod is located on a ship anchored in the Adrian Sea some miles off the ex-Yugoslavian coast. The station is owned and operated by journalists who are tired of the boring and biased propaganda broadcast by the many official radio stations of the ex-Yugoslavia. Radio Brod has been financed by an important donation from the EC. (JM) This radio has been launched with the help of (among others) French organisations called "Droit de parole" (which means Right of Speech) and France-Libertes (founded by the French president's wife Danielle Mitterand). Their addresses are: Droit de Parole, 18 rue Clavel, F-75019 Paris 19 and France-Libertes, 1 place Trocadero et 11 novembre, F-75016 Paris 16. (Philippe Lievrouw via JM)

**Ireland:** The Irish pirate station calling itself Radio Caroline has been heard on 3940 kHz, in parallel with the regular 6295 kHz. This station is heard weekends. (Andy Linton via SCDX)

**Lithuania:** Radio Baltic International, a joint project of Lithuanian and British companies aimed at broadcasting Radio Luxembourg type programs to Scandinavia, has been given permission to put a 200 kW transmitter on 684 kHz. Broadcasts were supposed to begin by July. But a station spokesman says a dispute with local farmers over compensation for crops damaged by construction has delayed the start until November, 1993. There is also confusion over a reported remark from the head of the British company involved that the station would use digital AM stereo, which the Lithuanians believe could interfere with their own stations. (Radio Vilnius via BBCMS via SCDX) This station is very shadowy. The AM stereo suggestion is strange, considering no one in Scandinavia has equipment to receive this mode. Not only has there been no publicity for the station within the proposed target area, but Sweden's own first commercial radio stations will be appearing by July. If Radio Baltic International isn't on the air first, there won't be any audience to speak of. (SCDX)

**Russia:** The Voice of Abkhazia has been heard on 7305 kHz at 1730-1800. It identifies as "Apsua Radio" (Abkhaz Radio), apparently broadcasting to the separatists in the breakaway Georgian region on Abkhazia. The broadcasts appear to be in Abkhazian except for a news summary in Turkish at around 1750. At around 1800 the transmission switches to Radio Moscow's Arabic Service. (BBCMS via SCDX, via Risto Kotalampi)

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- 0000-0025 --- R. Nederland 6165, 6020 *F 0000 Research File (cont.), Sa 0000 Documentary (cont.)*
- 0000-0027 --- R. Prague, Czech. 11990, 7345, 5930
- 0000-0030 --- BBC, U.K. 15070, 12095, 9915, 9590, 7325, 6175, 5975 *Daily 0000 Newsdesk*
- 0000-0030 M R. Norway Int'l 9675
- 0000-0030 --- Swiss R. Int'l 17730, 12035, 9885, 9650, 6135
- 0000-0045 --- R. Bulgaria 15330, 11720
- 0000-0100 --- China R. Int'l 11715, 9770
- 0000-0100 --- R. Havana Cuba 6010
- 0000-0100 --- R. Moscow, Russia 11840, 11805
- 0000-0100 --- R. Ukraine Int'l 9640, 9600, 7240, 7150
- 0000-0100 --- VOA, U.S.A. 15205, 15120, 11580, 9775, 7405, 5995
- 0000-0100 --- VOA, U.S.A. 11695, 9455, 6130
- 0000-0100 --- WRCR, U.S.A. 15610
- 0000-0200 --- R. Abu Dhabi, UAE 9505
- 0000-0200 --- REE, Spain 9530
- 0000-0200 --- WSHB, U.S.A. 13760, 5850
- 0000-0200 --- WRCR, U.S.A. 13845
- 0000-0400 --- WRNO, U.S.A. 7355 *Su 0200 World of Radio*
- 0000-0500 --- WRCR, U.S.A. 7435 *M 0000 World of Radio, Su 0300 World of Radio*
- 0000-0800 --- WHRI, U.S.A. 9495 *Tu-F 0600 DX Daily*
- 0000-1300 --- WHRI, U.S.A. 7315 *Tu-Sa 0133 DX Daily, Tu-F 0600 DX Daily*
- 0030-0100 --- R. Yugoslavia 11870, 9580
- 0030-0125 --- R. Nederland 11835 USB, 6165, 6020 *M 0030 Happy Station, Tu 0050 Research File, Th 0050 Documentary, F 0050 Media Network, Su 0050 Sounds Interesting*
- 0030-0130 --- R. Korea, S. Korea 15575
- 0030-0230 --- BBC, U.K. 12095, 9915, 9590, 7325, 6175, 5975 *Th 0030 Features, F 0030 Classical Features, M 0100 Features, Tu-Sa 0105 Outlook, W 0130 Features, Th 0130 Waveguide, daily 0200 Newsdesk*
- 0030-0230 --- HCJB, Ecuador 15155, 9745 *Su 0040 DX Party Line, Tu-Sa 0030 Studio 9, M 0040 Saludos Amigos, Th 0100 Ham Radio Today*
- 0100-0120 --- RAI, Italy 11800, 9575
- 0100-0130 Tu-Sa R. Canada Int'l 11940, 11845, 9535 *Tu-Sa 0100 Spectrum*
- 0100-0130 M R. Norway Int'l 9560
- 0100-0130 --- R. Prague, Czech. 9580, 7345, 5930
- 0100-0130 --- Slovak R., Slovakia 9810, 7310, 5930
- 0100-0150 --- DW, Germany 15105, 13770, 13610, 11865, 11810, 9765, 9700, 9565, 6145, 6085, 6040 *Tu-Sa 0100 European Journal, M 0130 Larry's Random Selection*
- 0100-0200 --- R. Canada Int'l 9755, 5960 *Tu-Sa 0100 Spectrum, Su 0100 Innovation Canada, Su 0130 Earth Watch, M 0130 Mailbag*
- 0100-0200 Su-M R. Canada Int'l 11940, 11845, 9535 *Su 0100 Innovation Canada, Su 0130 Earth Watch, M 0130 Mailbag*
- 0100-0200 --- R. Havana Cuba 9665, 6010 *Su 0130 DXers Unlimited, W 0145 DXers Unlimited*
- 0100-0200 Gen R. Japan 5960
- 0100-0200 --- VOA, U.S.A. 15205, 15120, 11580, 9775, 9455, 7405, 6130, 5995 *Su 0110 Communications World, Tu-Sa 0110 Report to the Americas, M 0110 New Horizons*
- 0100-0800 --- WRCR, U.S.A. 5810
- 0130-0140 --- V. of Greece 11645, 9420, 9395
- 0130-0155 --- R. Finland 15185, 11755
- 0130-0200 --- R. Austria Int'l 9880, 9870, 6015
- 0130-0200 --- R. Tirana, Albania 11840, 9580
- 0130-0200 --- R. Yugoslavia 9580
- 0200-0230 M R. Norway Int'l 11925, 9560
- 0200-0230 --- R. Sweden 11705, 9695 *W 0210 Sweden Calling DXers (1st/3rd Tu)*
- 0200-0230 --- SRI, Switzerland 12035, 9885, 9650, 6135
- 0200-0230 Tu-Sa VOA, U.S.A. 15205, 15120, 11580, 9775, 7405, 5995 *Tu-Sa 0210 Report to the Americas*
- 0200-0300 Tu-Sa R. Argentina Ext. 11710
- 0200-0300 --- R. Budapest, Hung. 15220 (M-Sa), 11910, 9835, 6110 (Su)
- 0200-0300 Tu-Sa R. Canada Int'l 11940, 11845, 9755, 9535, 6120 *Tu-Sa 0200 As It Happens*
- 0200-0300 --- R. Romania Int'l 11940, 11830, 9570, 9510, 6155
- 0200-0300 --- VOFC, Taiwan 15345, 11740, 9680, 5950
- 0200-0330 --- R. Cairo, Egypt 11865, 9475
- 0200-0330 --- R. Havana Cuba 9665, 6010
- 0200-0400 --- WSHB, U.S.A. 13760, 5850
- 0200-1200 --- WRCR, U.S.A. 5935
- 0230-0300 Tu-Sa R. Portugal 11840, 9705, 9600, 9570
- 0230-0300 --- R. Tirana, Albania 11840, 9580
- 0230-0330 --- BBC, U.K. 12095, 9915, 7325, 6175, 5975 *Su 0230 Features, M 0230 Composer of the Month*
- 0230-0500 --- HCJB, Ecuador 15155, 9745 *Su 0240 DX Party Line, Tu-Sa 0230 Studio 9, M 0240 Saludos Amigos, Th 0300 Ham Radio Today, Su 0330 Musical Mailbag*

0250-0310 --- Vatican R. 9605, 7305  
 0300-0330 Reg R. Japan 21610, 17825, 15325  
 0300-0330 --- R. Prague, Czech. 11990, 9810, 7345  
 0300-0350 --- DW, Germany 15205, 13790, 13770, 13610, 11890, 11810, 9700, 9640, 6145, 6085  
*Tu-Sa 0300 European Journal, M 0330 Larry's Random Selection*  
 0300-0400 --- China R. Int'l 11715, 9770, 9690  
 0300-0400 Gen R. Japan 15230  
 0300-0400 --- V. of Turkey 9445  
 0300-0400 --- VOA, U.S.A. 9885, 9575, 7405, 7280, 7265, 6065  
 0300-0400 --- VOFC, Taiwan 15345, 9680, 5950  
 0300-0430 --- R. Bulgaria 11765, 9850  
 0330-0400 --- R. Austria Int'l 9870, 6015  
 0330-0400 --- R. Dubai, U.A.E. 17890, 15400, 13675, 11945  
 0330-0400 --- R. Havana Cuba 6010 *Su 0330 DXers Unlimited, W 0345 DXers Unlimited*  
 0330-0425 --- R. Nederland 9590, 6165 *M 0330 Happy Station, Tu 0350 Research File, Th 0350 Documentary, F 0350 Media Network, Su 0350 Sounds Interesting*  
 0330-0430 --- BBC, U.K. 12095, 5975 *W 0330 Discovery, M 0415 Features, W 0415 Waveguide, Sa 0415 Features*  
 0340-0350 --- V. of Greece 11645, 9420, 9395  
 0400-0415 --- kol Israel 9435  
 0400-0430 M R. Norway Int'l 11865, 9560  
 0400-0430 --- R. Prague, Czech. 11990, 9810, 7345, 5930  
 0400-0430 --- R. Romania Int'l 11940, 11830, 9570, 9510, 6155  
 0400-0430 --- SRI, Switzerland 12035, 9885, 9860, 6135  
 0400-0430 --- VOA, U.S.A. 9885, 9575, 7405, 7280, 7265, 6155, 6065  
 0400-0500 --- China R. Int'l 11680  
 0400-0500 --- R. Havana Cuba 6180, 6010  
 0400-0600 --- WSHB, U.S.A. 13760, 9455  
 0430-0500 --- BBC, U.K. 5975 *Tu 0445 Features*  
 0430-0500 --- VOA, U.S.A. 9575, 7405, 7280, 7265  
 0500-0530 M-F R. Canada Int'l 17840, 11775, 9750, 7295, 6150, 6050  
 0500-0550 --- DW, Germany 13610, 11705, 9670, 9605, 9515, 6130, 5960 *Tu-Sa 0500 European Journal, M 0530 Larry's Random Selection*  
 0500-0600 --- China R. Int'l 11840  
 0500-0600 Gen R. Japan 17825, 15230, 9725  
 0500-0600 --- REE, Spain 9530  
 0500-0600 --- VOA, U.S.A. 15600, 12080, 9575, 7405, 6035  
 0500-0700 --- HCJB, Ecuador 11925 *Tu-Sa 0500 Studio 9, Su 0510 DX Party Line, M 0510 Saludos Amigos, Th 0530 Ham Radio Today, 0600 Su Musical Mailbag*  
 0500-0700 --- R. Havana Cuba 9510 *Su 0530 DXers Unlimited, W 0545 DXers Unlimited*  
 0500-0700 --- WACR, U.S.A. 7435  
 0500-0730 --- BBC, U.K. 9640, 5975 *daily 0500 Newshour, Tu-Sa 0615 The World Today, Su 0615 Letter from America, M 0630 Features, daily 0700 Newsdesk*  
 0530-0600 --- R. Austria Int'l 6015  
 0600-0630 --- Swiss R. Int'l 21770, 17565, 15430  
 0600-0700 --- R. Korea, S. Korea 15115, 11945, 7275  
 0600-0700 --- VOA, U.S.A. 15600, 12080, 11925, 9575, 9530, 7405, 6035  
 0600-0800 --- WSHB, U.S.A. 9870, 9840, 9455  
 0630-0700 --- R. Austria Int'l 6015  
 0700-0800 --- VOFC, Taiwan 5950  
 0700-1000 --- WACR, U.S.A. 12160 *Su 0700 World of Radio*  
 0700-1205 --- R. New Zealand Int'l 9700  
 0730-0825 --- R. Nederland 11895, 9630 *Su 0730 Happy Station, M 0750 Research File, W 0750 Documentary, Th 0750 Media Network, Sa 0750 Sounds Interesting*  
 0800-1000 --- WHRI, U.S.A. 7355  
 0800-1000 --- WSHB, U.S.A. 13615, 9455  
 0800-1100 --- WACR, U.S.A. 5810 *Sa 0930 World of Radio*  
 0800-1200 --- R. Australia 9580 *Daily 0900 International Report, F 0830 Fine Music Australia, M 0930 Innovations, Th 0930 Science File, Daily 1000 International Report, F 1030 Fine Music Australia, M 1130 Innovations, Tu 1130 Science File*  
 0830-0925 --- R. Nederland 11895 *Th 0850 Research File, F 0850 Documentary*  
 0900-0930 --- Swiss R. Int'l 21770, 17670, 13685, 9560  
 0930-1025 --- R. Nederland 15470, 12065, 11895, 9720 *Su 0930 Happy Station, M 0950 Research File, W 0950 Documentary, Th 0950 Media Network, Sa 0950 Sounds Interesting*  
 1000-1030 --- kol Israel 17545  
 1000-1100 Gen R. Japan 6120  
 1000-1100 --- R. Moscow, Russia 17780, 17775, 17760, 17595, 15490, 15355, 15350, 15225, 15140, 15125, 13650, 12070, 12020  
 1000-1100 Su WHRI, U.S.A. 7355  
 1000-1200 --- VOA, U.S.A. 15120, 11915, 9590, 7405  
 1000-1200 --- WSHB, U.S.A. 9495, 9455  
 1000-1300 M-Sa WHRI, U.S.A. 9890  
 1000-1500 --- WACR, U.S.A. 15685 *Tu 1130 World of Radio, M 1230 World of Radio*  
 1030-1100 1000? R. Korea, S. Korea 11715  
 1030-1125 --- R. Nederland 15470, 12065 *Th 1050 Research File, F 1050 Documentary*  
 1100-1130 --- Swiss R. Int'l 21770, 17670, 15505, 13635

1100-1155 --- R. Pyongyang, N.K. 11335, 9977, 6576, 6056  
 1100-1200 --- BBC, U.K. 15220, 9740, 9515, 6195, 5965 *daily 1100 Newdesk, M 1130 Composer of the Month*  
 1100-1200 --- R. Moscow, Russia 21785, 17875, 17815, 17780, 17760, 17755, 17735, 17675, 17670, 17570, 15540, 15420, 15405, 15355, 15280, 15130, 15155, 15125, 13650, 11765  
 1100-1300 Su WHRI, U.S.A. 11790  
 1100-1900 --- WJCR, U.S.A. 15610  
 1130-1150 M-F R. Finland 15400, 11735  
 1130-1155 Su Vlaanderen I., Belg. 15530  
 1130-1200 --- R. Austria Int'l 13730  
 1130-1200 --- R. Yugoslavia 21605  
 1130-1225 --- R. Nederland 9860, 9855, 5955 *Su 1130 Happy Station, M 1150 Research File, W 1150 Documentary, Th 1150 Media Network, Sa 1150 Sounds Interesting*  
 1130-1430 --- HCJB, Ecuador 17890, 15115, 11925  
 1200-1300 --- BBC, U.K. 15220, 9740, 9515, 6195 *W 1215 New Ideas, F 1215 Features, W 1235 Features*  
 1200-1300 --- China R. Int'l 15210  
 1200-1300 M-F R. Canada Int'l 17820, 11855, 9635 *M-F 1200 As It Happens, M-F 1230 Spectrum, Sa 1230 Innovation Canada, Su 1230 Mailbag*  
 1200-1300 --- R. Moscow, Russia 21785, 17815, 17765, 17760, 17675, 17670, 17645, 17570, 15540, 15480, 15440, 15355, 15290, 15280, 15155, 11785, 11765  
 1200-1320 --- R. Nacional, Brazil 15445  
 1200-1400 --- WSHB, U.S.A. 13760, 9495  
 1200-1600 --- R. Australia 9580 *Daily 1200 International Report, F 1230 Fine Music Australia, M 1330 Innovation, Th 1330 Science File, Daily 1400 International Report, F 1430 Fine Music Australia, M 1530 Innovation, Th 1530 Science File, Daily 1600 International Report*  
 1200-2400 --- WJCR, U.S.A. 13845  
 1215-1315 --- R. Korea, S. Korea 9750  
 1230-1245 --- V. of Greece 17515, 15650, 15635  
 1230-1255 M-F R. Finland 21550, 15400  
 1230-1300 --- R. France Int'l 21645, 15365, 15195, 15155, 11670, 9805  
 1230-1325 --- R. Nederland 9860, 9855, 5955 *Th 1250 Research File, F 1250 Documentary*  
 1300-1325 Su-Th kol Israel 17590, 17575, 15640, 11603, 11587  
 1300-1325 M-Sa Vlaanderen I., Belg. 15530  
 1300-1330 --- Swiss R. Int'l 21770, 17670, 15505, 13635, 11690, 7480  
 1300-1400 --- BBC, U.K. 15220, 11820, 9740, 9515, 6195 *daily 1300 Newshour*  
 1300-1400 Sa-Su R. Finland 21550, 15400  
 1300-1400 --- R. Moscow, Russia 21785, 17760, 15335, 15290, 15280, 15225  
 1300-1400 --- WHRI, U.S.A. 11790  
 1300-1500 --- China R. Int'l 7405  
 1300-1600 Su R. Canada Int'l 17820, 11955 *Su 1300 Sunday Morning*  
 1300-1600 Su WHRI, U.S.A. 9465  
 1300-1700 M-Sa WHRI, U.S.A. 9465 *Sa 1400 DX Daily*  
 1330-1400 --- R. Canada Int'l 21710 (M-Sa), 21455, 17895 (M-Sa), 17820 (M-Sa), 15325, 15315, 11935 *M-F 1330 Spectrum, Sa 1330 Innovation Canada*  
 1330-1400 M-F R. Finland 21550, 15400  
 1330-1425 --- R. Nederland 17610, 15145, 13700, 9890 *Su 1330 Happy Station, M 1350 Research File, W 1350 Documentary, Th 1350 Media Network, Sa 1350 Sounds Interesting*  
 1400-1430 --- BBC, U.K. 17840, 9515, 6195 *Su 1401 Features, M-F 1405 Outlook*  
 1400-1455 --- R. Pyongyang, N.K. 15230, 13760, 9630  
 1400-1500 Sa-Su BBC, U.K. 11820, 9740 *Su 1401 Features*  
 1400-1500 --- R. France Int'l 17695, 17650, 15405, 11910  
 1400-1500 Gen R. Japan 11865, 11735 *M-F 1415 Spectrum*  
 1400-1500 --- R. Moscow, Russia 21785, 17760, 15480, 15320, 15290, 15225, 15140, 15125, 11665, 11705  
 1400-1600 --- WSHB, U.S.A. 13760  
 1400-1800 --- WHRI, U.S.A. 15105 *Sa 1400 DX Daily*  
 1400-1900 --- WRNO, U.S.A. 15420  
 1430-1500 --- BBC, U.K. 17840, 9515  
 1430-1525 --- R. Nederland 17610, 15150, 13770, 9890 *Th 1450 Research File, F 1450 Documentary*  
 1500-1515 --- BBC, U.K. 17840, 15260, 9740, 9515  
 1500-1530 --- R. Sweden 21500, 15240 *Tu 1510 Sweden Calling DXers (1st/3rd)*  
 1500-1530 --- Swiss R. Int'l 21770, 17670, 15505, 13635  
 1500-1600 Gen R. Japan 11865  
 1500-1600 --- R. Moscow, Russia 17765, 17760, 17580, 15290  
 1500-2000 --- WJCR, U.S.A. 15685  
 1515-1615 --- BBC, U.K. 17840, 15260, 9515 *Su 1515 Concert Hall, M 1515 Features, W 1515 Features*  
 1530-1540 --- V. of Greece 17525, 15650, 15630  
 1530-1625 --- R. Nederland 17610, 15150, 13700, 9890 *Su 1530 Happy Station, M 1550 Research File, W 1550 Documentary, Th 1550 Media Network, Sa 1550 Sounds Interesting*  
 1600-1700 --- R. France Int'l 17850, 17795, 17620, 15530, 12015, 11705, 6175  
 1600-1700 --- R. Moscow, Russia 17760, 17700, 15290, 11705, 9880 *Sa 1610 Music & Musicians*

1600-1700 --- VOA, U.S.A. 17895, 15445, 15255, 13710, 11995, 11920 *Daily 1600 Nightline Africa*

1600-1700 Su WHIRI, U.S.A. 13760

1615-1745 --- BBC, U.K. 15260, 9515 *Su 1615 Features, M 1615 New Ideas, F 1615 Science in Action, M 1635 Features, M-F 1645 The World Today, Su 1645 Letter from America, Tu 1715 Composer of the Month, F 1715 Classical Feature*

1630-1800 --- HCJB, Ecuador 17790, 15270 *M-F 1630 Studio 9, W 1700 Ham Radio Today*

1700-1715 --- kol Israel 15640, 11675, 11587

1700-1730 --- Swiss R. Int'l 21770, 17635, 15430, 13635

1700-1800 Gen R. Japan 11865

1700-1800 --- R. Moscow, Russia 17760, 15395, 15385, 15290, 15180, 12065, 11960, 11705, 9880

1700-1800 --- VOA, U.S.A. 17895, 15445, 13710, 11995, 11920 *M-F 1700 African Panorama*

1730-1825 --- R. Nederland 21590, 21515, 7120, 6020 *Su 1730 Happy Station, W 1750 Documentary, Th 1750 Media Network*

1730-2100 --- R. Kuwait 13620

1800-1900 --- R. Moscow, Russia 17760, 15385, 15290, 12015, 11770, 11630, 9880

1800-1900 --- VOA, U.S.A. 17895, 17800, 15580, 15410, 13710, 11995, 11920 *M-F Africa World Tonight*

1800-2000 --- WSHB, U.S.A. 17510, 15665

1800-2300 --- WHIRI, U.S.A. 17830

1830-1900 --- Swiss R. Int'l 15270, 9655, 6065

1830-1925 --- R. Nederland 21590, 21515, 7120, 6020 *Th 1850 Research File, Sa 1850 Sounds Interesting*

1900-1930 --- kol Israel 15650, 15640, 11675, 11603, 11587

1900-1930 Gen R. Japan 11865

1900-1930 Su R. Norway Int'l 15365

1900-2000 --- R. Moscow, Russia 17760, 12015, 11770, 11760, 11630, 9880, 9610

1900-2000 --- VOA, U.S.A. 17895, 17800, 15580, 15495, 15410, 13710, 11995, 11920 *M-F 1900 African Panorama, Su 1910 Newslines*

1900-2300 --- WRNO, U.S.A. 15420 *Su 2030 World of Radio, Sa 2030 World of Radio*

1900-2400 --- WWCN, U.S.A. 15610 *Sa 2030 World of Radio*

1930-2025 --- R. Nederland 21590, 17605 *USB Su 1930 Happy Station, M 1950 Research File, W 1950 Documentary, Th 1950 Media Network*

2000-2030 --- Swiss R. Int'l 15505, 13635, 12035, 9885

2000-2030 --- VOA, U.S.A. 21485, 17895, 17800, 15580, 15495, 15410, 15160, 13710, 11720 *Daily 2000 Nightline Africa*

2000-2100 --- BBC, U.K. 5975 *M-F 2015 The World Today, F 2030 Science in Action*

2000-2100 --- R. Moscow, Russia 15355, 15290, 11770, 11760, 11675, 11630

2000-2200 --- WSHB, U.S.A. 17555, 17510, 15665

2000-2400 --- WWCN, U.S.A. 15685 *F 2115 World of Radio, Su 2300 World of Radio*

2005-2105 --- R. Damascus, Syria 15095, 12085

2030-2100 --- VOA, U.S.A. 21485, 17895, 17800, 15580, 15495, 15410, 13710

2030-2130 --- R. Canada Int'l 17875, 17850, 17820, 15325, 13670, 13650, 7235, 5995 *M-F 2030 Spectrum, Sa 2030 Innovation Canada, Sa 2100 Earth Watch, Su 2100 Mailbag*

2100-2130 Su R. Norway Int'l 15165

2100-2200 --- BBC, U.K. 15070, 9590, 5975 *daily 2100 Newshour*

2100-2200 --- R. Moscow, Russia 15355, 15290, 11760, 9880, 9820, 9610, 9480

2100-2200 --- VOA, U.S.A. 21485, 17895, 17800, 15580, 15495, 15410, 13710 *Sa 2110 New Horizons, Su 2110 New Horizons*

2100-2300 --- R. Abu Dhabi, UAE 11885, 11710, 9605

2110-2210 --- R. Damascus, Syria 15095, 12085

2130-2200 --- HCJB, Ecuador 17790, 15270 *Sa 2130 Musical Mailbag*

2130-2200 --- kol Israel 17575, 15650, 15640, 11675, 11603, 11587

2145-2315 --- R. Bulgaria 15330, 11720

2200-2230 --- R. Canada Int'l 15305, 13670, 11875, 11730, 11705, 9755, 7195, 5995, 5960 *M-F 2200 The World at Six, Sa 2200 Innovation Canada*

2200-2230 --- Swiss R. Int'l 15570, 12035, 9885, 9810

2200-2300 --- BBC, U.K. 15070, 9590, 5975 *Su 2230 Letter from America*

2200-2300 --- R. Moscow, Russia 21690, 17570, 17560, 15290, 11750, 9815, 9480

2200-2300 --- V. of Turkey 9445

2200-2400 --- WSHB, U.S.A. 17555, 9465

2230-2300 Sa-Su R. Canada Int'l 13670, 9755, 7195, 5995, 5960 *Sa 2230 Earth Watch, Su 2230 Mailbag*

2230-2400 M-F R. Canada Int'l 13670, 9755, 7195, 5995, 5960 *M-F 2230 As It Happens*

2300-2330 Su R. Norway Int'l 11795, 9655

2300-2330 M-F R. Vilnius, Lithuan. 11750

2300-2355 --- R. Pyongyang, N.K. 13650, 11700

2300-2400 --- BBC, U.K. 15070, 12095, 9590, 6175, 5975 *M 2315 Features, Tu 2315 International Recital*

2300-2400 Sa-Su R. Canada Int'l 15325, 13670, 11940, 9775, 7195, 5995, 5960

2300-2400 --- R. Moscow, Russia 21690, 21625, 17570, 17560, 11975, 11805, 11840, 9815, 9480

2300-2400 --- WHIRI, U.S.A. 9495

2300-2400 --- WRNO, U.S.A. 7355

2330-2355 --- Vlaanderen I., Belg. 9930

2330-2400 --- R. Nederland 6165, 6020 *Th 2350 Research File, F 2350 Documentary*

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| 0300-0400 | 6065  | 7265  | 7280  | 7405  | 9575  | 9885  |       |             |
| 0400-0430 | 6065  | 6155  | 7265  | 7280  | 7405  | 9575  | 9885  |             |
| 0430-0500 | 7265  | 7280  | 7405  | 9575  |       |       |       |             |
| 0500-0600 | 6035  | 7405  | 9575  | 12080 | 15600 |       |       |             |
| 0600-0700 | 6035  | 7405  | 9530  | 9575  | 11925 | 12080 | 15600 |             |
| 1600-1700 | 11920 | 11995 | 13710 | 15225 | 15445 | 17895 |       |             |
| 1700-1730 | 11920 | 11995 | 13710 | 15445 | 17895 |       |       |             |
| 1730-1800 | 11920 | 11995 | 13710 | 15445 | 17895 |       |       |             |
| 1800-1900 | 11920 | 11995 | 13710 | 15410 | 15580 | 17800 | 17895 |             |
| 1900-2000 | 11920 | 11995 | 13710 | 15410 | 15495 | 15580 | 17800 | 17895       |
| 2000-2030 | 11720 | 13710 | 15160 | 15410 | 15495 | 15580 | 17800 | 17895 21485 |
| 2030-2100 | 13710 | 15410 | 15495 | 15580 | 17800 | 17895 | 21485 |             |
| 2100-2130 | 13710 | 15410 | 15495 | 15580 | 17800 | 17895 | 21485 |             |
| 2130-2200 | 13710 | 15410 | 15495 | 15580 | 17800 | 17895 | 21485 |             |

ENGLISH to the Caribbean and the American Republics  
 (Caribbean program)

|           |      |      |       |       |                    |       |       |       |
|-----------|------|------|-------|-------|--------------------|-------|-------|-------|
| 0000-0100 | 6130 | 9455 | 11695 |       |                    |       |       |       |
| 0000-0030 | 5995 | 7405 | 9775  | 11580 | 15120              | 15205 |       |       |
| 0030-0100 | 5995 | 7405 | 9775  | 11580 | 15120              | 15205 |       |       |
| 0100-0200 | 5995 | 6130 | 7405  | 9455  | 9775               | 11580 | 15120 | 15205 |
| 1000-1100 | 7405 | 9590 | 11915 | 15120 | (to the Caribbean) |       |       |       |
| 1100-1200 | 7405 | 9590 | 11915 | 15120 | (to the Caribbean) |       |       |       |

ENGLISH to East Asia, Southeast Asia, Pacific  
 p - primarily to the Pacific region

|            |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |
|------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| 1000-1100p | 5985  | 11720 | 15425 |       |       |       |       |       |
| 1100-1200  | 5985  | 6110  | 9760  | 11720 | 15160 | 15425 |       |       |
| 1200-1230  | 6110  | 9760  | 11715 | 15160 | 15425 |       |       |       |
| 1230-1330  | 6110  | 9760  | 11715 | 15160 | 15425 |       |       |       |
| 1330-1400  | 6110  | 9760  | 15160 | 15425 |       |       |       |       |
| 1400-1500  | 6110  | 9760  | 15160 | 15425 |       |       |       |       |
| 1900-2000p | 9525  | 11870 | 15180 |       |       |       |       |       |
| 2100-2200p | 11870 | 15185 | 17735 |       |       |       |       |       |
| 2200-2400  | 7215  | 9770  | 11760 | 15185 | 15290 | 15305 | 17735 | 17820 |
| 0000-0030  | 7215  | 9770  | 11760 | 15185 | 15290 | 17735 | 17820 |       |
| 0030-0100  | 7215  | 9770  | 11760 | 15185 | 15290 | 17735 | 17820 |       |

ENGLISH to Middle East, North Africa, Europe  
 v - VOA Europe programs

|           |         |       |       |          |          |          |          |         |
|-----------|---------|-------|-------|----------|----------|----------|----------|---------|
| 0400-0430 | 5995    | 6040  | 6140  | 7170     | 7200     | 11965    | 15205    | (6873L) |
| 0430-0600 | 3980    | 5995  | 6040  | 6140     | 7170     | 7200     | 11965    | 15205   |
|           | (6873L) |       |       |          |          |          |          |         |
| 0600-0700 | 3980    | 5995  | 6005  | 6040     | 6060     | 6095     | 6140     | 7170    |
|           | 7325    | 11805 | 11965 | (6873L)  |          |          |          |         |
| 1500-1600 | 9700    | 15205 | 15255 | (19379L) |          |          |          |         |
| 1600-1630 | 9700    | 15205 | 15255 | (19379L) |          |          |          |         |
| 1630-1700 | 6040    | 9700  | 15205 | 15245    | 15255    | 17735    | (19379L) |         |
| 1700-1800 | 6040    | 9700  | 9760  | 15205    | 15255    | (19379L) |          |         |
| 1800-1900 | 3980    | 6040  | 9700  | 9760     | 15205    | (19379L) |          |         |
| 1900-2000 | 3980    | 6040  | 9700  | 9760     | 15205    | (19379L) |          |         |
| 2000-2100 | 6040    | 9700  | 9760  | 15205    | (19379L) |          |          |         |
| 2100-2200 | 6040    | 9700  | 9760  | 11960    | 15205    | (19379L) |          |         |

x = not Sunday

ENGLISH to South Asia

|           |      |      |       |       |       |       |       |         |
|-----------|------|------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|---------|
| 0100-0300 | 7115 | 7205 | 11705 | 15160 | 15250 | 17740 | 21550 | (7651U) |
| 1400-1500 | 6110 | 7125 | 9645  | 9760  | 15255 | 15395 |       |         |
| 1500-1700 | 6110 | 7125 | 9645  | 9700  | 9760  | 15255 | 15395 |         |
| 1700-1800 | 6110 | 7125 | 9645  | 9700  | 15255 | 15395 |       |         |



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## ALASKA 9615

- 1313 **KNLS:** EE: After catching end of feature talk I heard Debbie Boone's "You Light Up My Life"; IDs w/QTH; followed by portion of a Harry Truman speech & Bible reading (343 4/4 D'Angelo PA)

## ANTIGUA

- 6040 0100 **DW:** EE: International news; "Nickelodeon" music program; into GG language program (555 4/18 Card-RI)  
6160 0930 **DW:** EE: ID; report on the World Health Organization and it's upcoming elections (444 5/4 Brown-IL)  
9590 0215 **BBC:** EE: News inc nuns at Auschwitz are told to leave their convent; Cuba has serious problems with food shortages (444 4/14 Brown-IL)  
9640 0735 **BBC:** EE: A report on British coal; an interview about the government of Prime Minister John Major (444 4/10 Brown-IL)  
9700 0300 **DW:** EE: ID; news inc no incidents reported in the UN "no-fly" zone; Japan will change it's policy towards Russia (555 4/13 Brown-IL)

## ANTILLES

- 6165 0013 **RN:** EE: "Happy Station" (in the wrong time slot) playing a piece by the Montréal Jubilation Gospel Choir; Pete & guest (David Swatling) were campier than ever! (343 4/12 Westenhaber-PQ) (Over the past several weeks, RN has sometimes been reversing the order of "East of Edam" & "Happy Station" in the 2330-0130 time slot on local Sunday evenings--ed)  
9590 0327 **RN:** EE: News inc Bosnia asks for the arms embargo to be lifted (544 4/1 Brown-IL)  
9720 0337 **RN:** EE: News inc trade w/China has expanded to 1 billion guilders; report on Germany's politics (444 5/4 Brown-IL)  
11930 0322 **TWR:** EE: "Focus on the Family" w/letters about the "Madonna" show; "Insight for Living" (444 4/26 Brown-IL)  
17605 2013 **RN:** EE: An interesting report on the history of the Mafia in Sicily; this b'cast beamed to Africa (444 4/16 Bellovich FL)  
21515 1853 **RN:** EE: "Sounds Interesting" prog inc dwarf tossing; male strippers & other forms of night club entertainment in The Netherlands (444 4/24 Bellovich-FL) (Are you sure you weren't listening to "East of Edam? hi!-ed)  
21515 1833 **RN:** EE: News abt Serbia inc Croatia & Bosnia will try to unify their rule; Pope appeals for an end to the fighting (444 4/11 Brown-IL)  
21590 1930 **RN:** EE: "Happy Station" w/a special program for Easter (554 4/11 Fraser-M4)

## ARGENTINA

- 6060 0958 **R. Nacional:** SS: Music, time pips; ID & some DJ banter (333 4/24 Johnson-IL)  
11710 0210 **RAE:** EE: Local news; Argentine folk music; back to news @ 0219; more music (433 4/15 Pataczek-IL) @ 0202 in SS w/"Radio Nacional presente"; ID; ments of Buenos Aires; fútbol game; full RAE ID at top of prog (444 4/18 Bryant-UT)  
15345 0008 **RAE:** SS: Multi-lingual IDs repeatedly broadcast; program began @ 0010 (444 4/22 Johnson-IL)

## BOLIVIA

- 4441.2 0021 **R. Santa Rosa:** SS: Lat Am pop & ballad music; promos, jingles & ID; slogans w/QTH @ 0100 (pr 4/26 Clar-NY)  
4552.5 0021 **R. Trópico:** SS: M leading rosary recitation or prayer service brief music to 0028\* (pr 4/13 Clar-NY)  
4649 0011 **R. Santa Ana:** SS: Talks; echo ID w/promos & slogans into vocal music inc pops & ballads (pr 4/19 Clar-NY)  
4875 1028 **R. La Cruz del Sur:(t)** SS: M speaking over Andean music; no ID heard (232 4/24 Johnson-IL)  
6135 1008 **R. Santa Cruz:** SS: ID repeated over snappy Latin American

- 6155 0115 R. Fides: SS: Pres relay of sports play-by-play; chimes; IDs w/slogans; bank & Volkswagon ads (pr 4/15 Clar-NY)
- 6194.5 0050 R. Metropolitana: SS: Local news; anmts & comunicados; ments of La Paz & "nuevo Boliviana" (pr-fr 4/15 Clar-NY)

#### BRAZIL

- 4885 0057 R. Clube do Pará: PP: 2 annrcs w/pres play-by-play of fútbol game (322 4/13 Bishop-OH)
- 4955 0119 R. Marajoara: PP: M annrc w/rapid talks (433 4/13 Bishop OH)
- 5930 0831 R. Guarujá: PP: ID; TCs & country ballad music (333 4/10 Bryant-UT)
- 6040.4 0835 R. Clube Paranaense: PP: Brief news & anmts; ads w/phone numbers & jingles; ID w/freqy anmts (pr-fr 4/14 Clar-NY)
- 6090 0922 R. Bandeirantes: PP: Joking morning DJs; IDs ads (444 4/10 Bryant-UT)
- 6135 2329 R. Aparecida: PP: IDs slogans; prog of Brazilian pops & ballad music (pr-fr 4/4 Clar-NY)
- 6180 0903 R. Nacional da Amazônia: PP: ID; into "Alborada Brasileira" morning show w/chaty DJ & bouncy music (343 4/8 Westenhaver)
- 9505 2336 R. Record: PP: Fútbol cmnty (but no goooool); break for ads & promos w/clear ID (242 4/27 Westenhaver-PQ)
- 9645 2255 R. Bandeirantes: PP: "A Voz do Brasil" ads & promos; casual IDs; then into sports cmnty (333 4/27 Westenhaver-PQ)
- 9675 0117 R. Cancão Nova: PP: EZL music & brief religious talks; carted ID @ 0129 in FF! w/callsigns & freqys; then back to the same-old same old in PP (242 4/6 Westenhaver-PQ)
- 11730 2300 R. Nacional da Amazônia: PP: Nationwide prog of b'casts for the three sides in the 4/21 referendum: Monarchists/Presidentialists/Ministerialists each had 10 minutes--good stuff (344 4/10 Westenhaver-PQ)
- 11815 0810 R. Brasil Central: PP: M w/intoduction to vocal/rock/folk music; ments of "Goiania"; more music (pr 4/19 Famularo Japan)
- 11830 127 R. Anhanguera: PP: Full ID w/call letters & freqys; mildly boring Brasoballad; Elton John's "Sacrifice" (333 4/9 Westenhaver-PQ)
- 11925.4 0230 R. Bandeirantes: PP: A couple of ads & promos; IDs & into "Jornal da Amanhã" (232 4/24 Westenhaver-PQ)
- 17815 2350 R. Cultura: PP: Carmen Maranda style music (343 4/20 Johnson-IL)

#### CANADA

- 5960 2300 RCI: EE: "As it Happens" w/report on Nancy Drew Convention; report on conflict between French Canadians & native Indians (555 4/22 Fraser-MA)
- 5975 2315 BBC: EE: Music Review" w/news & views on the music scene (555 4/22 Fraser-MA)
- 6005 2223 CFCX: EE: ID as "News/Talk 600" followed by Montreal traffic report--a new format (333 4/1 Fanderys-OH)
- 6070 0312 CFRX: EE: Comedy skits about embalming fluid & getting rich w/Lucille Ball (332 4/24 Neff-FL)
- 6120 0255 RCI: EE: Al Simmons & friends playing pots, pans, flour sifter, egg beater & microwave. Wish I'd heard the whole prog! (543 4/17 Thompson-CA)
- 6120 1115 R. Japan: EE: "Hello from Tokyo" w/features on counterfeit money, retirement life, acupuncture (555 4/18 Fraser-MA) in EE @ 1138 w/"Hello from Tokyo" w/koto music requested by Betsy Robinson (454 4/11 Westenhaver-PQ)
- 6150 0506 Canadian Forces Network/RCI: EE: News, weather & sports hosted by André Courey; into "The Wojtek Gwiazda Report" (232 4/29 Westenhaver-PQ)
- 6160 0810 CKZU: EE: Extremely interesting cutting-edge alternative & progressive music prog--much better than anything I hear locally (444 4/10 Bryant-UT)
- 9515 1603 BBC: EE: News inc clash between communists and police in Moscow (444 5/1 Brown-IL)
- 11715 1037 R. Korea: EE: News of R. Korea relay via Skelton, UK to begin transmitting in May (554 4/18 Neff-FL)
- 15400 1400 R. Japan: EE: World news (544 4/17 Neff-FL)

#### COLOMBIA

- 4785 1005 Ecos del Combeima: SS: Morning prog of music & talks; station & "Super Radio" IDs; anmts (fr-gd 4/7 Clar-NY)
- 4836 0256 R. Buenaventura: SS: Lively Lat vocals with series of IDs & ments of CARACOL during ID break (333 4/19 D'Angelo-PI)



4895 0104 LV del Río Arauca: SS: Loud talking by two M annrcs (322 4/13 Bishop-OH)  
 4976 1045 Ondas del Orteguzaza: SS: Possible telephone conversations; TCs; pop music; slogans (fr 4/7 Clar-NY)  
 5075 0300 CARACOL-Bogotá: SS: ID; news abt Colombia; //810 kHz medium wave which was also audible here (343 4/27 Froemming-AZ)  
 5569.7 1036 R. Nueva Vida: SS: M annrc speaking over bridge music (242 4/24 Johnson-IL)  
 5975 1008 R. Macarena: SS: Lat Am ballad music; IDs; ments of "Villavicencio" (fr-pr 4/13 Clar-NY)  
 6116.5 2345 LV del Llano: SS: Anmts of local events; interview clip w/some local personality (333 4/5 Westenhaver-PQ)  
 6150 0814 CARACOL-Bogotá: SS: Prog of Columbian music; CARACOL ID (333 4/10 Bryant-UT)  
 6170 1017 LV de la Selva: SS: Lat Am pop music; brief talks & anmts; local IDs; "CARACOL" promos (pr-fr 4/7 Clar-NY)

#### COSTA RICA

5055 1013 Faro del Caribe: SS: M w/very long prayer; Id w/background music (444 4/11 Bryant-UT)  
 9645 030 Faro del Caribe: EE: Canned religious message; ID; into another religious prog (222 4/14 Bryant-UT)  
 13750 0514 AWR: SS: Inspirational song; ID w/list of freqys used by AWR Costa Rica; "La Voz de la Esperanza" (343 4/29 Westenhaver)  
 15030.8 2130 RFPI: EE: ID as "Global Community Radio, Radio for Peace Int'l" into "Second Chance" prog (343 4/20 Johnson-IL)  
 21465 1838 RFPI: EE: "R. Neg Mawon" prog w/'Focus on Haiti' feature (fr 4/16 Clar-NY)

#### CUBA

3365 0259 R. Rebelde: SS: ID; talks abt medical supplies imported to Cuba from the US (343 4/28 Froemming-AZ)  
 5025 0235 R. Rebelde: SS: M annrc w/cmnty abt "fútbol" game (455 4/16 Bellovich-FL)  
 6010 0025 RHC: EE: "Spotlight on the Americas"--the US accuses Cuba of drug trafficking (554 4/15 Fraser-MA)  
 9510 0459 RHC: EE: S/on anmts; news; ID @ 0507 (??? 4/3 Goetsch-PA)  
 13650nf 0041 RHC: SS: Piece abt planned increase in Spanish tourists visiting Cuba; per Arnie Coro this is beamed to Chicago SS 0000-0200, EE 0200-0430 (343 5/4 Westenhaver-PQ)  
 17760nf 2131 RHC: EE: "DXers Unlimited" w/talks abt VFOs & a late start to the tropo DX season (444 4/10 Westanhaver-PQ)

#### ECUADOR

3220 0414 HCJB: SS: Religious prog w/M reading a sermon (343 4/16 Johnson-IL)  
 3279.8 1058 LV del Napo: SS: M w/clear ID; into very basic Easter music (333 4/11 Bryant-UT)  
 4770 0235 R. Centinela del Sur: SS: Mix of Lat Am pop vocal music inc romantic songs; ID (353 4/18 D'Angelo-PA)  
 4850.6 0052 R. Luz y Vida:(p): SS: Lat Am music mixed in w/much QRN; no actual ID heard (221 4/13 Bishop-NY)  
 4960.8 0154 R. Federación:(t): SS: Lat Am music; no ID heard (322 4/13 Bishop-NY)  
 5020 0235 R. Católica: SS: Prog of non-descript talks w/short flute music segments; ID w/sign off anmts @ 0256 followed by choral NA (444 4/15 D'Angelo-PA) (I'm guessing that this is a nf replacing 5030 kHz--ed)  
 5049.8 1012 R. Jesús del Gran Poder: SS: M w/ID; Easter greetings; relig music--very strong signal (454 4/11 Bryant-JT)  
 5097 0230 HCJB: EE: Live broadcast from the Andean Mountains to study condors (454 4/2 Bagozzi-CA)  
 15115 1359 HCJB: EE: Stories about great Christians (555 4/26 Bishop OH)  
 17790 1940 HCJB: EE: "DX Partyline" w/low cost station promo ideas (544 4/17 Neff-FL)  
 21480 1630 HCJB: EE: "Studio 9" prog w/cmnty abt electronic surveillance (444 4/9 Langlois-FL)  
 21455u 1900 HCJB: EE: News; "DX Partyline" (444 4/3 Newbury-NE)

#### FRENCH GUIANA

11670 0545 RFI: SS: Talks inc "former Yugoslavian Republic of Macedonia" joins UN; inst'l music 0558\* (fr 4/7 Famularo-Japan)  
 13625 0304 RFI: PP: World news; French press commentary on the suicide of ex-Prime Minister Bérégovoy (343 5/4 Westenhaver-PQ)  
 13685 0200 CRI: SS: S/on routine--still using "Zast is Red" rather than

the trumpet call new used in the EE service; prog preview (343 4/9 Westenhaver-PQ)

15325 0308 R. Japan: EE: News inc election reform bill will be produced in Japan; dollar continues to fall against the yen (555 4/12 Brown-IL)

#### GUATEMALA

3300 0216 R. Cultural: SS: Lat Am music (322 4/25 Bishop-OH)  
3324.8 1104 R. Maya: SS/Vern: M anncr w/clear ID "R. Maya desde Barillas"; light Lat Am instrumentals; talks in an Indian LL (433 4/11 Bryant-UT) @ 1054 in SS w/slow tempo Lat Am music (433 4/13 Johnson-IL)  
3380 1112 R. Chortis: SS: M w/ID; ments of QTH; Lat Am accordion music (333 4/11 Bryant-UT)  
4835 0038 R. Tezulutlán: SS: 2 M involved in a conversation (433 4/13 Bishop-OH)  
5955.4 0934 R. Cultural: SS: Light Lat Am vocal music; ID; earlier s/on than listed in WRTH, but //3300 kHz (444 4/12 Bryant-UT)

#### HONDURAS

4820.2 0045 LV Evangélica: SS: 2 anncrs in discussion (433 4/13 Bishop OH)

#### MEXICO

6010 1004 R. Mil: SS: "R. Mil" ID; ments of Mexico, then soft jazz & ballad music (343 4/24 Johnson-IL) On 6009.9 kHz in SS w/por & folk music; ID; annc'd as transmitting from Mexico City (444 4/19 Bryant-UT)  
6185 0512 R. Educación: SS: Lots of non-stop Lat Am music (433 4/22 Johnson-TN) @ 1050 in SS w/ 1800's sounding SS choral piece; "Relax" by Frankie Goes to Hollywood; ID inc ments of both SW & MW freqys (243 4/8 Westenhaver-PQ)

#### NICARAGUA

5770 2302 R. Miskut: SS: Mainly talks until a number of vocal selections were played w/a M chattering between songs; ID @ 2335; 0005\* (3534/26 D'Angelo-PQ) @ 2345 in SS/Miskito w/talks, anmts & ments of Managua; 0000\* w/pres NA (fair 4/20 Clar-NY)

#### PARAGUAY

9735 2259 R. Nacional: SS: ID w/freqy anmt (343 4/20 Johnson-IL)

#### PERU

4795 1015 R. Atlántida: SS: M anncr w/ID into interesting Andean music (333 4/24 Johnson-IL)  
4810.2 1019 R. San Martín: SS: Upbeat Lat Am music inc female vocals (333 4/24 Johnson-IL)  
4825 1035 LV de la Selva: SS: TCs, promos/slogans; IDs & ads; into morning prog inc advice & instructions (pr-fr 4/7 Clar NY)  
4890 0242 R. Chota: SS: Nice prog of huaynos w/lots of flutes and yipping!; good ID @ 0318\* w/out NA (232 4/20 D'Angelo-PA)  
4914.5 0445 R. Cora: SS: ID; lively Lat Am instrumentals; ments of Peru (444 4/11 Bryant-UT)  
4825.8 1032 R. Cobriza:(t) SS: Very weak; 2 M reading in SS; no ID heard (231 4/12 Johnson-IL)  
4835 1052 R. Trópica: SS: M w/ID; ads ments of Tarapota (333 4/12 Bryant-UT)  
4990.6 0455 R. Ancash: SS: Loud music w/lots of screams in the background; M w/ID over the music (333 4/11 Bryant-UT)  
4995.8 1019 R. Andina: SS: M anncr w/lively highlands music; ID; Easter anmts (433 4/11 Bryant-UT)  
5082.5 1020 R. Mundo: SS: M w/talks; signal too weak to pick out any details (242 4/12 Johnson-IL)  
5097 0638 R. Eco: SS: S. American music inc native instrumentals; ID @ 0700; NA (454 4/6 Newbury-NE)  
5131 0356 R. Vision: SS: Lat Am music; "R. Vision" ID (finally!) (343 4/15 Johnson-IL)  
6724.3 0105 R. Satélite: SS: M host w/communicados; Lat Am music; ID w/freqy given; ments of Santa Cruz (fr 4/13 Clar-NY)  
6754.7 0118 R. La Merced: SS: Talks inc pres telephone numbers or addresses; IDs inc slogans (pr 4/13 Clar-NY)  
6803.5 0047 Ondas del Río Mayo: SS: Possible political speech w/ments of various Peruvian towns; IDs; Andean flutes (fr 4/13 Clar NY)

#### PIRATES CLANDESTINES & UNIDs

5840 0041 R. Patria Libre: SS: Freq ments of 'economica'; ID w/slogans;

patriotic music (pr 4/10 Clar-NY)  
 7412u 0143 North Jersey Coast Radio: EE: Pop music; annnc'd as b'casting from "The Boardwalk at Asbury Park, NJ" (222 4/18 Fisher MA)  
 7412.8 2232 CSIC: EE: Clucking chicken theme song followed by ID by "Pirate Rambo" (353 4/24 D'Angelo-PA)  
 7415 2250 WMAD: EE: G. Hostwriter talked about broadcasting (444 4/10 Pasquale-PA)  
 7415 0300 Secret Mountain Laboratory: EE: Helium heads just say "no tanks"; music by Joni Mitchell (433 4/10 Pasquale-PA)  
 7420 2203 The Fox Pirate: EE: Sly Boots hosting prog of by Devon 2 (433 4/10 Pasquale-PA)  
 7420 0108 Ground Level Network: EE: M annncr w/health news; ID; 0117\* (333 4/18 Fisher-MA)  
 9941 0505 LV del CID: SS: Talks in SS; ID & s/off (344 4/1 Babin MA)  
 9965 0200 R. Caiman: SS: ID in SS @ 0200 (4/2 Babin-MA)

#### UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

5975 1059 BBC: SS: IS A "servicio latinoamericano de la BBC de Londres" into news magazine. Via Bethany (344 4/14 Westenhaber-PQ)  
 7315 0130 WHRI: EE: Rock-a-billy tent revival song (554 4/18 Neff FL) @ 0200 in EE w/"Scriptures for America" w/an outstanding interview w/a reporter covering the Randy Weaver trial in Idaho (444 4/14 Bagozzi-CA) @ 0100 in EE/Croat: w/"Croatian Radio, Zagreb" prog w/talks of the extinction of the Muslim community due to the aggression of "Serbo-Nazis" (333 4/15 Pasquale-PA)  
 7355 0029 WRNO: SS: "Pueblo Libre" prog inc Cuban patriotic song; talks by M abt Cuba & Castro (Goetsch-PA) @ 0000 in SS "La Voz del MRR" prog w/talks abt the Cuban economy (Goetsch-PA)  
 7425 2301 WEWN: EE: Continuous "Salve Regina" IS w/IDs--another transmitter test? (444 4/7 Westenhaber-PQ)  
 7490 0250 WJCR: EE: Prog of Southern Gospel music; daytime freqy is 13595 kHz (444 4/1 Bagozzi-CA)  
 7500 1145 KTBN: EE: Religious talks; ID as "KTBN, PO Box A, Station A Santa Ana, CA"; freqy info, music (322 4/11 Ashimori-Japan)  
 7520 0358 WEWN: Czech: W/ID; into W reading scriptures in Czech (454 4/29 Thompson-CA) @ 0238 in unknown lang w/Catholic teachings (Goetsch-PA)  
 9370 2250 WEWN: GG: ID in GG @ 2254; then EE anmt that 9370 is going off--retune to 17510 kHz for Mandarin @ 2300 (455 4/14 Westenhaber-PQ)  
 9455 0725 WSHB: EE: Religious talks; Christian Science Monitor ID "Letterbox" prog; WWSB ID & freqy info; 0755\* (343 4/15 Ashimori-Japan)  
 9495 1142 WSHB: EE: Christian Science Monitor prog w/report on the 30th anniversary of the Kenner Easy-Bake Oven (454 4/27 Westenhaber-PQ) (Do you think running this feature was a half-baked idea? ed)  
 11715 1447 KJES: EE: M w/phrases repeated by W; soft vocal music; child w/ID; QTH given (353 4/4 D'Angelo-PA)  
 13595 1723 WJCR: EE: Gospel music; ID; more music (343 4/19 Thompson CA @ 1615 in EE w/"World's Greatest Music" (444 4/3 Langlois FL)  
 13740 2015 WEWN: EE: Easy listening music (444 4/6 Langlois-FL)  
 13760 2044 WHRI: EE: ID; then into music & sermon (333 4/14 Bishop OH)  
 15235 2320 VOA: EE: Interview w/former baseball player Hank Aaron (555 4/17 Neff-FL)  
 15725 0320 KCBI: EE: ID as "You are Listening to International Broadcast station, KCBI, Dallas, TX" (242 4/22 Johnson-IL)

#### VENEZUELA

4830 0230 R. Táchira: SS: Talks about crime problems in Caracas (343 4/28 Froemming-AZ) @ 0018 in SS w/Lat Am music & talks by M annncr (322 4/13 Bishop-OH)  
 4970 0245 R. Rumbos: SS: Lat Am music; many IDs (444 4/28 Froemming AZ) @ 0245 in SS w/"doorbell" music used as bridge in news items; into more Lat Am music (4/26 Newbury-NE)  
 4980 0315 Ecos del Torbes: SS: ID & talks about local Venezuelan health problems; then some music (343 4/28 Froemming-AZ)  
 9659.4 0617 R. Rumbos:(p) SS: Afro-Cuban style songs; no ID heard, but who else could it be? (242 4/15 Westenhaber-PQ)

Fill that Gap! Loggings from Daniel Camporini's Radio Panorama, from Argentina, include the following: from PERU on 4800 kHz @ 0235 R. Onda Azul. On 4839 kHz until 0200\* R. Andahuaylas. From BOLIVIA on 4980 kHz @ 0150 R. Minería. On 4924 kHz @ 1025 R. San Miguel. On 5005 kHz @ 0157 R. Libertad...I'm sure you all know by now that WOCR is back on the air...until next month, remember to have fun with your radio! 73s and good DX

# EUROPE



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## AUSTRIA

### Radio Austria Int'l

- 9870 0145 ORF: EE: Listener's letter remembers trip to Austria. (544 4/18 Neff-FL)  
0146 ORF: EE: "Postbox" hosted by Nigel Jones, read a letter from SPEEDXer John Bellovich, who says he likes their E. European coverage; signal noisy. (343 4/25 Westenhaver-PQ)  
9880 \*0130 ORF: EE: Woman with ID and news; much QRM from DW on 9885. (412 4/18 Bellovich-FL)  
13730 \*2130 ORF: EE: Man with news and "Postbox"; heard my name mentioned, and a request for more Austrian history. (433 4/24 Bellovich)

## BELGIUM

### Radio Vlaanderen Int'l

- 9930 2330 RVI: EE: News headlines, press review, and "Radio World" with Frans Vossen; then "tourism" with Dominique. (555 4/17 Card)  
15530 1316 RVI: EE: "Radio World on Brussels Calling", then a feature on a Belgian coastal city. (343 4/24 Johnson-IL)

## BULGARIA

### Radio Sofia

- 11720 2045 RSB: EE: "You are listening to Radio Bulgaria's 'Women Now'." (444 4/15 Johnson-IL)  
\*2100 RSB: FF: IS and news by man. (222 4/11 Hankison-KS)  
2200 RSB: EE: Talk on "famous Bulgarian boxing school" and Union of Bulgarian Artists. (555 5/1 Robinson-TN)  
2205 RSB: EE: Editorial on removing Bulgaria's UN peacekeeping force from Cambodia. (554 4/21 Fraser-MA)  
13670 1815 RSB: EE: Woman with commentary on Vietnam and Cambodia; then into the "DX Program" @1845. (444 4/9 Langlois-FL)  
\*1900 RSB: FF: "Vous ecoutez Radio Bulgaria" and sked; news, weather and exchange rates; "Radio Sofia" ID and into magazine pgm; then "Radio Sofia Int'l" ID. Confusion reigns supreme - hil! (344 4/23 Westenhaver-PQ)  
15330 2000 RSB: EE: About 30 min of Bulgarian news. (didn't know they had so much news!) (444 4/12 Newbury-NE)  
2015 RSB: EE: "Radio Bulgaria" ID; report on UN/NATO closing the air space over Bosnia. (543 4/12 Fraser-MA)

## CROATIA

### Croatian Radio, Zagreb

- 9830 2104 CR: English: //13830; 4 to 6 minutes of English news, then into Croatian news and comment. (121 5/19 Colyard-NJ)  
13830 1456 CR: Croatian: Man/woman talk; English folk music. No ID, so this is tentative, but who else? (333 5/10 Bryant-UT)

## CZECH REPUBLIC

### Radio Prague

- 5930 0315 RP: EE: "Calling All Listeners" with the DX program "DX Special". (444 4/22 Potaczek-IL)  
2355 RP: EE: IS and multi-lingual ID's; then into news and comment. (242 4/21 Johnson-IL)  
5980 0302 Radio Ropa Info: GG: ID, address and "Blueberry Hill" by Fats Domino; then ID, address and another piece of music; and so on and so on. (Tnx to Media Network tip on this) (333 5/23 BC)  
7345 0020 RP: EE: Talk on the Czech military and Czech pop music. (444 4/23 Potaczek-IL)  
0313 RP: EE: Commentary on German minority in the Czech Republic. (433 4/23 Johnson-IL)  
15355 1035 RP: EE: "Encore" with Libor Kubik playing excerpts of classical music from the Czech "Supraphon" CD label; played a live recording of Janacek's Sonata "l.X.1905". Terrific program! They should market these CDs over the radio. (222 5/15 BC-NJ)  
15605 1510 RP: EE: //17535(121); "Observer" with a new presenter talking about using the transit system in Prague and getting lost late at night in Prague. (333 5/11 BC-NJ)

**FINLAND**Radio Finland

15185 0205 RF: EE: "Capital Coffeebreak" with chatty woman talking about summer festivals in Finland; including a tango festival in Serijoki, with 70,000 people expected. (343 4/28 WW-PQ)  
 15400 1310 RF: EE: Interview with female impersonator. (What a drag! Hi!) (343 4/24 Johnson-IL) 1300 ut only on the weekends. -BC  
 15440 1352 RF: EE: Finnish language lessons. (554 4/17 Neff-FL)  
 15440 1830 RF: EE: "Compass North" with news and features. (333 5/21 BC)

**FRANCE**Radio France Int'l

17620 1600 RFI: EE: Man with ID and world news. (444 4/3 Langlois-FL)  
 2100 RFI: FF: Rock and pop music program. (555 5/4 Robinson-TN)

**GERMANY**Deutsche Welle      Voice of America

6075 0145 DW: GG: Music and commentary on Mozart. (33443 4/26 Newbury)  
 6145 0142 DW: EE: Larry Wayne's "Random Selection": a 5 story chocolate museum is being built in Cologne (Book my ticket!). German site ID @0150\*. (343 5/3 Westenhaver-PQ)  
 7265 2340 Sudwestfunk: GG: Pop music; nearly buried under tons of QRM. (222 4/21 Johnson-IL)  
 9700 0125 DW: EE: Discussion on AIDS. (444 4/8 Levison-PA)  
 0140 DW: EE: Larry Wayne's "Random Selection: Loose horses close the "Autobahn" for 6 hours. (333 4/18 Brown-IL)  
 11835 1525 VOA: Uzbek: Discussion on US/Russia summit in Vancouver. (333 4/3 Hankison-KS)  
 15305 1923 VOA: Arabic: Man with news and talk on Warren Christopher. (444 4/10 Bryant-UT)

**GREECE**Voice of Greece

9420 0132 VOG: EE: ID, news with items on Yugoslavia and Macedonia. (343 3/26 Johnson-IL)  
 15630 1530 VOG: EE: to NAM: "This is Athens.. it's 1830 utc in Athens..", then news and music. (555 5/2 Robinson-TN)

**HUNGARY**Radio Budapest

6110 0220 RB: EE: Musical request: "Where Are You Going My Darling?". (433 4/18 Brown-PA)  
 9835 0000 RB: Hungarian: news and comment on Budapest and Bosnia; sports. (555 5/1 Robinson-TN)  
 0200 RB: EE: Talk on trade union movement in Hungary today; then a jazz recording "Avalon". (545 5/1 Robinson-TN)  
 11910 0204 RB: EE: //9835; News and commentary. (444 4/7 Levison-PA)  
 15220 0212 RB: EE: Commentary for improved rights for Hungarians living in Romania; ID for "Newsroom Magazine" @0215; VOFC/WYFR-15215 splash. (343 4/28 Westenhaver-PQ)

**ICELAND**Icelandic National Broadcasting Service

13855 2010 INBS: Icelandic: //15770; Two men talking with one on a remote; Best reception of this station ever! (344 4/24 Bryant-UT)

**ITALY**Radiotelevisione Italiano

9575 0100 RAI: EE: S/on into news; heavily interfered with by RDP-9570. (211 5/14 Hankison-KS)  
 11800 0100 RAI: EE: ID and news: the Lira opens higher with formation of a new government, and peace talks continue. (333 4/29 Brown)  
 15245 0217 RAI: II: Piece on Italian history: 16th century stuff, with relations between Catholic church and Jews; folk ballad music between pieces. (343 4/28 Westenhaver-PQ)  
 21560 1846 RAI: II: to Canada/CAM/Caribbean: //15330, 17880; Italian pops; s/off @1854, and IS to 1858\*; back @1900 with IS & pop music. (243 4/29 Westenhaver-PQ)

**MALTA**Deutsche Welle

21650 1251 DW: CC: German lessons for Chinese speakers (based on "Deutsch warum nicht"); @1318: ID/frq anmt and address in Beijing; site ID in English @1320\*; splash de RFI-21645. (242 4/6 WW-PQ)

**MONOCO**Trans World Radio

9480 0710 TWR: EE: "Search For Truth"; inspirational music and message on "Romans XI"; ID @0715. (433 4/29 Hankison-KS)

**NETHERLANDS**Radio Netherlands

6165 2330 RN: EE: "temperature tomorrow 55 deg F". (555 5/4 Robinson-TN)  
 21515 1906 RN: EE: "Airtime Africa" with contest on democracy for Africa. (453 4/9 Fraser-MA)

**NORWAY**   Radio Denmark                 Radio Norway Int'l

7215   0500   RNI: Norwegian: English ID and IS. (322 4/22 Johnson-IL)  
9560   0205   RNI: EE: Report on Norway and its South African policy.  
(333 5/2 Brown-IL)

15180   1433   Voice of Democratic Burma: Burmese: Long talks, patriotic  
sounding music; under co-ch BBC in AA. (4/12 Clar-NY)

15220   \*1800   RNI: Norwegian: IS and English ID; into Norwegian ID,  
freq anmt and news. (443 4/10 Bryant-UT)

15335   1300   RNI: Norwegian: English ID @1309 and news in Norwegian.  
(555 5/2 Robinson-TN)

          1430   RD: Danish: IS followed by bi-lingual IDs and into news.  
(433 4/10 Hankison-KS)

**PORTUGAL**   Radio Portugal                 Radio Canada Int'l                 RFE/RL

9570   0100   RDP: PP: Music, ID; wonderful signal. (555 4/14 Hankison)  
9570   0140   RDP: EE: "Portugal in sports" on World Cup soccer.  
(322 4/28 Brown-IL)

          0147   RDP: EE: //9705(333); Tourist program on visit to town of  
Viana do Castelo in the Minho region. (433 4/13 WW-PQ)

9705   0142   RDP: EE: "Spotlight on Portugal" on painting of Prince  
Henry and an art exhibition. (333 4/29 Brown-IL)

9725   0548   RFE-Maxoqueira: Romanian: Woman with report on Macedonia and  
other aspects of the situation in ex-Yugoslavia; very strong,  
blocking KJ via Sackville. (444 4/29 Westenhaver-PQ)

21455   1341   Radio Canada Int'l: "Spectrum" with Jim Craig and with Craig  
McLean's weekly business report on Ontario's finances being  
in bad shape; very faint co-ch QRM. (242 4/6 Westenhaver-PQ)

21655   1843   RDP: PP: //17745; Two women with a discussion on Spike Lee and  
films, then a review of "Malcolm X" and some clarinet music.  
(333 4/11 Bryant-UT)

21745   1839   RFE-Gloria: Bulgarian: Woman with news headlines; clear "Radio  
Svoboda" ID. (454 4/11 Bryant-UT)

**ROMANIA**   Radio Romania Int'l

7195   2118   RRI: EE: Talk on Romania's trade relations with the rest of  
Europe. (343 4/5 Westenhaver-PQ)

7225   2310   Radio Romania Actualitati(1st program): Romanian: (Thanks to  
"Media Network" for tip on this one also); "Top 10" music  
request program, with phone-ins and playing some pretty hard  
western rock. 6 pips and ID @0100. (333 5/22 Colyard-NJ)

9570   0225   RRI: EE: Music feature and "Letterbox"; commentary on health  
care in Romania. QRM de jammer; greatly reduced on LSB.  
(333 4/2 Bagozzi-CA) So who is Jamming this freq at 0200? BC

9690   2100   RRI: EE: ID and music; panflute solo; then into "DX Mailbag".  
(444 5/1 Robinson-TN)

11830   0214   RRI: EE: ID and comments on health care. (444 4/8 Levison-PA)

**SLOVAKIA**   Radio Prague                 Radio Slovakia Int'l

5930   \*0059   RSI: EE: IS, ID, freq sked and news; then an Easter message,  
interview and features; 0127\*. (f-g 4/10 Clar-NY)

          0127   RSI-Rimavska Sobota: EE: "You are listening to Radio Slovakia  
Int'l."; QRM de WWCOR-5935(before fire). (322 4/2 Fanderys-OH)

          0203   RSI: FF: //9810; Woman with "Ici la telecommunication Slovau"  
ID and talk about parks near Bratislava; 0227\*; this was a  
satellite hop ahead of 9810. (343 5/3 Westenhaver-PQ)

11990   0020   RP-Rimavska Sobota: EE: "Stamp Corner". (333 4/2 Fanderys-OH)

**SPAIN**   Radio Exterior de Espana                 Spanish National Radio

9530   0059   SNR: EE: Guitar music , ID and news; prisoners rioting in  
Guatamala. (433 4/11 Brown-IL)

15110            REE: SS: News about Bosnian Serbs, King Jaun Carlos and Monica  
Seles. (555 5/3 Robinson-TN)

17890   1935   REE: SS: //17845, 17870; Live sports. (454 4/10 Bryant-UT)

**SWEDEN**   Radio Sweden

9695   0211   RS: EE: ID and editorials from the Swedish press on Serbian  
sanctions; "Money Matters" with a report on Airline mergers.  
(444 4/28 Brown-IL)

21500   1508   RS: EE: Economic problems create psychological problems in  
children; "In Touch With Stockholm". (333 4/29 Bryant-UT)

**SWITZERLAND**   Swiss Radio Int'l

6135   2102   SRI: EE: News on Israel and a report on Swiss agriculture  
subsidies. (333 4/27 Brown-IL)

9650   0200   SRI: News: IRA says a cease fire is out of the question.  
(444 4/25 Brown-IL)

## SWITZERLAND

Swiss Radio Int'l

continued

13635 2015 SRI: EE: Commentary on bank problems. (444 4/6 Langlois-FL)  
 21820 \*1454 SRI: EE: IS, ID "This is Swiss Radio Int'l", woman with freq  
 announcements and into news. (243 4/29 Bryant-UT)  
 1512 SRI: EE: Report on farmer's income and comments on Burma and  
 Africa; signal lost @1526. (434 4/27 Levison-PA)

## UNITED KINGDOM

British Broadcasting Corp Radio Japan

5960 0415 RJ: JJ: Man with talk; @0419 Radio Japan ID and freqs; no  
 sign of listed //6030 via Skelton. (242 4/29 Westenhaber-PQ)  
 6050 0506 Canadian Forces Network RCI relay: EE: //7295; Andre Courey  
 with news, sports and weather (for Lahr/Baden-Soellingen); ID  
 for CFN and "The Wojtek Gwiazda Report". (242 4/29 WW-PQ)  
 6140 0555 Voice Of America: EE: Discussion on new Robert DeNiro film.  
 (333 4/22 Millard-TX)  
 7195 2300 Radio Canada Int'l: EE: "As It Happens". (222 4/9 Hankison-KS)  
 7230 0500 RJ: EE: ID and 1400 hrs JST time check; then news; nice and  
 clear. (344 4/29 Westenhaber-PQ)  
 7295 0530 Canadian Forces Network RCI relay: FF: News, sports and Wx  
 for Canada/bases in Germany; Michael Marmen with report on a  
 maple syrup grower sending supplies of syrup to the troops in  
 ex Yugoslavia. (343 4/29 Westenhaber-PQ)  
 9410 \*2000 BBC: EE: "Newshour" on the violence in South Africa after the  
 assassination of Hani. (434 4/14 Bellovich-FL)  
 2205 BBC: EE: ID and news: UN suspends aid flights into Sarajavo.  
 (333 4/10 Brown-IL)  
 9915 0235 BBC: EE: Report on WHO and their politics. (333 4/27 Brown-IL)  
 2045 BBC-Eng: EE: //9635(Cyprus); "Pop Words" on Michael Jackson's  
 "Give into Me". This program used to be on Wednesdays, now  
 on Saturdays following "Professor Grammar". (444 5/22 BC-NJ)  
 2239 BBC: EE: "Jazz For The Asking": John Bellowich requested piece  
 by Memphis Slim, and dedicated it to me!!! (Didn't know this  
 would be on, a fluke that I heard it) (343 4/10 Westenhaber)  
 12095 2030 BBC: EE: Talk on "Hollywood's Violent World of Films" critical  
 of "Rambo" and "Thelma & Louise". (444 5/4 Robinson-TN)  
 2040 BBC: EE: Report on the new books "Ghosts" & "A Lonely Devil".  
 (454 4/22 Fraser-MA)  
 15070 1930 BBC: EE: "Seven Seas" on seminar about safety and reliability  
 at sea. (554 4/8 Fraser-MA)  
 15340 2100 BBC: EE: News on fighting in Bosnia. (242 4/20 Johnson-IL)

## VATICAN CITY

Vatican Radio

7305 0250 VR: EE: Excerpts of comments by the Pope on preaching the  
 gospel. (343 4/22 Johnson-IL)  
 11625 0320 VR: EE: African Service; Story of the Pope's trip to Albania.  
 (344 4/23 Ptaczek-IL)  
 17525 1355 VR: EE: //15070(222); "On The Air" with Veronica answering  
 listener's questions and letters; one listener requested  
 some frequencies to hear VR in North America in English.  
 "To N.Am at 0250 on 7305, 9605 & 11620; To W.Eur at 1950 on  
 5882 & 7250; and repeated at 0500 on 7250 & 6245; To Aus at  
 2245 on 9600 and 11830.". Strange list! (222 5/23 BC-NJ)

## YUGOSLAVIA

Radio Yugoslavia

9505 2104 RY: EE: News: Radio Sarajavo says tensions are rising; then  
 commentary on the peace talks. (433 4/10 Brown-IL)  
 2115 RY: EE: Talk on effect of economic sanctions on Yugoslav  
 health care, i.e. lack of drugs/medical supplies; nice clear  
 signal. (344 4/5 Westenhaber-PQ)  
 9580 0030 RY: EE: News on the Vance-Owen peace plan for resolving the  
 conflict. (434 4/23 Potaczek-IL)  
 0050 RY: EE: Comment on the fighting in Bosnia. (433 4/23 Johnson)  
 0155 RY: EE: Sports, Yugoslavia is still allowed to participate in  
 European sporting events. (322 4/28 Brown-IL)  
 9720 2130 RY: EE: to SEAsia/Aust; News, comment and repeat of the 2100  
 programming; clear but not very strong. I stumbled on this  
 while listening to Vilnius on 9710 @2130. (121 5/15 BC-NJ)  
 11870 \*0300 RY: EE: //9580(433); S/on anmt and long newscast on Bosnian  
 peace settlement signing; @0049: "Bridges of Humanity" on  
 IRCA medical aid in Bosnia; 0057\*. (333 5/3 Westenhaber-PQ)

I'm looking for input to improve this column. Should I keep listing  
 program info or go to a single line logging format? Maybe we should include  
 the day of the week (UTC or local?) with the logging. Please let me know!  
 Any suggestions you may have can be sent along with your loggings. Thanks!

73. *Bud*



## THE COMMONWEALTH

Armenia Belarus Kazakhstan Kirghizstan  
Moldova Russia Tadzikstan Turkmenistan  
Ukraine Uzbekistan  
(non-CIS) Azerbaijan Estonia Georgia  
Latvia Lithuania

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Another full month of loggings (I got plenty or practice typing "Westenhaver" this month!!!). Oh, and I didn't get an R 8 or R-5000 for my birthday, but remember Father's Day is just around the corner!!! (Remember all the 41 meter band loggings a couple of months ago?? Only one this month!!! Summer is here!!!)

### COMMONWEALTH

- 4040 1200 **R MOSCOW** RR: RM IS, 5+1 time pips, M w/ID, mx, nx (333 4/11 Bryant-UT) It's good to hear from you again, Michael!!!
- 4940 0110 **R MOSCOW** EE: End of news, ID of RMWS (111 4/7 Hankison-KS) I agree Richard!! Nice catch!!! Let us know when you get your QSL!!!
- 5260 0026 **(p) KAZAKH RADIO** Kazakh (p): Stringed mx to 0030, then M w/brief tx--presumed ID and anmts, back into inst mx; ute QRM (poor 4/19 Clar-NY)
- 5015 1240 **PRIMORSK RADIO** RR: Opera vocals, two M talking, ID (333 4/12 Bryant-UT) Good logging Michael!
- 6045 1014 **(Q) RADIO POLIS** RR: Definite RR, perhaps Polis, although it has been reported off; mainly talks w/short mx segments; pop mx px, possible ID's at 1020, 1100. 5+1 time pips at 1100; nx (333 4/3 D'Angelo-PA) Interesting logging, Richard!
- 7320 0845 **MAGADAN RADIO** RR: Opera mx M and W w/tx // 5940 (433 4/20 Bryant-UT)
- 9480 0111 **R MOSCOW** EE: "Commonwealth Update"; nx at 0130 then Karl Yegorov's jazz show; some splash from R. Cairo (232 4/10 Westenhaver-PQ)
- 9530 1040 **R ROSSII via Arman** RR: W/M chats w/lots of mx bits--a couple of ads at 1051??? Time pips at 1100; //9600, no sign or 7320 today (242 4/25 Westenhaver-PQ)
- 9665 0422 **R MOSCOW** SS: Px abt upcoming anniversary over Nazi Germany; incl song by Red Army Chorus; QRM from RHC-9655 + Rumbos het (333 4/29 Westenhaver-PQ)
- 9715 1530 **R TASHKENT** EE: S/on followed by nx (222 4/11 Hankison-KS)
- 9750 0500 **R MOSCOW** EE: W world nx, plans to shift RR exports from armaments to industrial goods; no sign of RCI, which should be here now (333 4/1 Westenhaver-PQ)
- 9750 0434 **RAUM SHINRIKYO** EE: The Master singing "The Hymn To The Holy Heaven"--not the song billed in the sked(is the key word here "billed"? br)(333 5/3 Westenhaver-PQ)
- 9795 0800 **R MOSCOW** RR: IS, bells, M w/ID and W w/nx abt Yeltsin (444 4/10 Bryant-UT)
- 9880 2200 **CHINA R INT'L via CIS** EE: S/on w/brief trumpet call and ID (NOT "East Is Red"!!!); M w/nx abt Vancouver Summit; bad 9885 splash (SRI & BSKSA mixing) (heaven help us when those two mix!!!!-br) (232 4/3 Westenhaver-PQ)
- 11630 1807 **R MOSCOW** EE: M w/nx, serious fighting breaks out in Kabul, ID(333 4/10 Bryant-UT)
- 11665 0320 **R MOSCOW** EE: Commentary abt Bosnia (242 4/23 Johnson-IL)
- 11675 2013 **R MOSCOW** EE: W w/commentary abt Yeltsin speech (444 4/14 Bellovich-FL)
- 11730 2306 **R MOSCOW** SS: Nx; ID, and px abt upcoming film festival (343 4/3 Westenhaver-PQ)
- 11750 2225 **R MOSCOW** EE: "Commonwealth Update", local nx (544 4/8 Fraser-MA)
- 11760 2110 **R MOSCOW** EE: "Focus On Aisia And The Pacific" (343 4/20 Johnson-IL) @2205 in FF M w/world nx; "Panorama de la semaine" (344 5/2 Westenhaver-PQ)
- 11770 1825 **R MOSCOW** EE: "Commonwealth Update" (333 4/20 Johnson-IL) @1804 Nx abt voting, Yeltsin:"Commonwealth Update" (Semi-Psychic!!!) (333 4/26 Levison-PA)
- 11780 2232 **R UKRAINE** Ukrainian: W w/talk many ments of Ukr.Prime Minister; ID "Radio Ukraina", more talk(333 4/22 Westenhaver-PQ)
- 11790 0005 **R MOSCOW** EE: World nx, "New Market" mentions that the "survival wage" in CIS is 8000 rubles/month--and a meal at McDonalds can cost half that!!! (433 5/3 Westenhaver-PQ) @0530 RR pop mx (433 5/1 Potaczeic-IL)
- 11805 2355 **R MOSCOW** EE: Ad for "West Russian Investment Company" w/fax #; light inst mx (333 4/3 Westenhaver-PQ) @0958 S/on, Kremlin bells, nx headlines, and nx in detail (fr-gd 4/4 Goetsche-PA)
- 11880 1900 **R GALAXY** EE: Om w/ pop mx (333 4/3 Langlois-FL)
- 12005 1901 **R MOSCOW** EE: W w/ID, nx, 1st item abt Yeltsin (333 4/11 Bryant-UT)
- 12025 0305 **R NEDERLAND** EE: "Media Network" (via Kazakh Republic) (222 4/2 Millard-TX)
- 12050 1840 **R MOSCOW** EE: Small business operation, px abt economic concerns: economists ready to talk abt problems, but gov't won't listen (some things are the same no matter where in the world you reside!!!!-br) (555 4/25 Newbury-NE)



- 12065 1105 **R NEDERLAND** EE: "Research File", promo fro "East of Edam", ID, address and phone #, s/off. //15470(454) (454 4/15 Ashimori-JP) (Tsunaki, I hope you are feeling better now!!! Best wishes for a quick recovery!!! br)
- 15135 1822 **R UKRAINE** Ukrainian: Interview bites w/President Leonid Kravchuk, @ 1826 ments "Golos Ukraina", Ukr pop mx //15375, 17725 (343 4/2 Westenhaver-PQ)
- 15180 2200 **R MOSCOW** EE: YL w/RR and world nx, good coverage (444 5/6 Valentine-CA)
- 15195 ??? **R UKRAINE** EE: ID, nx abt Ukrainian Parliament, state power (444 4/14 Robinson-TN)
- 15225 1451 **R MOSCOW** EE: "Timelines" & EE pop songs; this freq off 1459\*; // 15280, 15290, 15355 (242 4/10 Westenhaver-PQ)
- 15280 1507 **R MOSCOW** FF: M nx; ID; px "De Vendredi a Vendredi" (From Friday to Friday", which is a Mideast current affairs review (343 4/3 Westenhaver-PQ)
- 15285 1515 **R MOSCOW** EE: Px available from RM Transcription Service (333 4/18 Neff-FL)
- 15290 1808 **R MOSCOW** EE: M nx, then "Commonwealth Update" w/review of Moscow press; //15355 (333) (343 4/2 Westenhaver-PQ) @1530 M, ID, px abt "Monetary Funds in Russia" (444 4/3 Langlois-FL)
- 15355 1230 **R MOSCOW** EE: Nx in brief; px "Your Top Tune" (vote on your favorite RR pop song)-didn't know this show was still on!!! (It is, but now they play "golden oldies"! HI-br) //15155, 15225, 15280, 15290 (343 4/3 Westenhaver-PQ) @1522 ID, px "Focus On Asia & The Pacific" w/px abt organized crime in Hong Kong (444 4/13 Bellovich-FL)
- 15375 2034 **R UKRAINE** GG: Youth px "Spektrum" abt Ukr. schools; ID (333 4/2 Westenhaver-PQ)
- 15385 1419 **R UKRAINE** Ukrainian: Tlk w/several phone interviews; W annmt @ 1437 ment "Studio Radio Ukraina" // 15135 (243 4/10 Westenhaver-PQ)
- 15425 2330 **R MOSCOW** EE: Nx, folk mx of the Tartars and Bashkirs (454 4/9 Bagozzi-CA)
- 15475 0148 **R MOSCOW** SS: M ancr (w/almost a Brazilian accent) w px of Lat Am nx & current affairs (343 4/28 Westenhaver-PQ)
- 15475 2159 **R UKRAIN** Ukrainian: IS on "Bandura" w/ID by female ann.(232 3/31 Fanderys-OH)
- 15490 2220 **R MOSCOW** PP (to Brazil): Px "R.Moscu International inform e comenta" w/items on ethnic conflicts in Georgia //15475 (444 5/2 Westenhaver-PQ)
- 15580 0250 **R YEREVAN** EE: Nx, ID w/ address (34323 4/12 Newbury-NE)
- 15580 1915 **R MOSCOW** EE: ID and letters, underneath VOA-Greensboro(433 4/10 Bryant-UT)
- 17645 1200 **R MOSCOW** EE: ID, nx of RR Orthodox Church, ment "Palace, ballet, Nijinsky..." (545 4/11 Robinson-TN) (How are you liking your new radio, Betsy???)br)
- 17580 1430 **R MOSCOW** EE: Nx in brief, then a RMWS Transcription Service infomercial //17595 (322 4/3 Westenhaver-PQ)
- 17725 2125 **R UKRAINE** EE: W talk abt Ukrainian national symbols on "Roots" px, ID's by W, into fold mx, audio hum (444 4/24 Bryant-UT)
- 17760 1938 **R MOSCOW** EE: "Timelines"--Robert & Estelle tlk abt Moscow Metro--they played that old Kingston trio song abt "Charlie on the MTA" (Remember that one??) (Yep, am I showing my age???)br) S/off @1959 (444 5/2 Westenhaver-PQ)
- 17780 1803 **R MOSCOW** EE: Nx, ID, tlk/cmtly on situation in Zaire; @1816 interview with children's film director Roch Demers // 17815 (343 4/6 Westenhaver-PQ)
- 17815 1350 **R MOSCOW** AA: M reading poetry (?) over piano mx; ID "Idha'at al-Mosco"; M "Huna Mosco" ID & into W nx (444 4/3 Westenhaver-PQ)
- 17815 1751 **R MOSCOW** Afrikaans: Tlks on RR relations w/South Africa & Pakistan; ment Afrikaans best @1900 SAfr time (1700 UTC)//15525,17815 (343 4/6 Westenhaver-PQ)
- 17860 0207 **R MOSCOW** EE: M world nx, into "Mailbag" (242 4/30 Westenhaver-PQ)
- 17885 1745 **R MOSCOW** FF: Weekly px "Moscou-Paris" (242 4/6 Westenhaver-PQ)
- 21465 1245 **R MOSCOW** EE: Solo piano mx cuts, W announcer (333 4/6 Westenhaver-PQ)
- 21575 1238 **R MOSCOW** Indonesian: RR folk mx, ID "R. Moscovaa siaran Indonesia", M tlks (343 4/3 Westenhaver-PQ)
- 21625 2300 **R MOSCOW** EE: ID, nx abt draft of new RR Constitution (242 4/29 Westenhaver-PQ)
- 21670 0505 **UNIVERSITY NETWORK** EE: Usual Dr. Gene Scott tlk; this freq replaces 21845 (343 4/11 Ahimori-JP) (Congrats on the verie Tsunaakil! I'm still waiting!br)
- 21750 1222 **R MOSCOW** EE: "Focus On Asia & The Pacific" w/rpts of Canadian police battling Hong Kong triads, & tiger poaching in India //21465,21785 (243 4/3 Westenhaver-PQ)
- LITHUANIA**
- 11750 2205 **R VILNIUS** EE: "Sports Roundup"; piece abt church mx in Vilnius; clear channel but QSB/QRN (343 4/2 Westenhaver-PQ)

Until next month **HAVE FUN. ENJOY YOUR RADIO. LIVE LIFE!!!**

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# AFRICA

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Summer starts early this month, it seems. Contributions were way down - I guess we all opted for the great outdoors over the radio. But there's plenty of good stuff, anyway, some really fine loggings. Enjoy!

## ALGERIA

- 9535 2150 R. Algiers: AA: Exotic AA mx- strong carrier, weak audio (333 4/1 Johnson-IL)  
17745 1905 R. Algiers: EE: Interview w/Health Minister, Algerian pops, "Hotel California", //9535 (323 4/17 Pasquale-PA)

## ANGOLA

- 7245 2331 R. Nacional de Angola: PP: Political tlk, nx headlines w/ments of situation in Abidjan, TCs, IDs, lots of QRM (pr-fr 4/7 Clar-NY)

## ASCENSION ISLAND

- 11750 2214 BBC: EE: Long M tlk about the role of Islam in Indonesian society (333 4/21 ed.)  
15260 2000 BBC: EE: W w/intl nx- Turkish president threatens to intervene on side of Azerbaijan against Armenia, into "Words of Faith" rlg pgm (444 4/14 Bellovich-FL)  
15400 2105 BBC: EE: Rpt on referendum in Russia, US may use force against Serbs (444 4/26 Brown-IL)  
21490 1513 BBC: Somali: M & W w/nx, ID "BBC to Somaliland", single IS note & carrier off @1514 (444 4/29 Bryant-UT)

## BENIN

- 4870 2259 ORTB: FF/EE: M ancw w/end of xmsn anmt (232 4/1 Fanderys-OH)  
5025 0611 ORTB-Parakou: FF: M ancw tlks over indigenous mx (vocals & drums) (242 3/29 Johnson-IL)

## BOTSWANA

- 3356 0314 R. Botswana: VN: Soft western pop/country mx (Whitney Houston), hammered by UTE QRM but easily audible in LSB (321 4/22 Johnson-IL)  
7280 0327 VOA: EE: "Daybreak Africa" w/report on the controversy over gays in the military- heard under co-channel RFI- // weaker 7265 (323 5/4 ed.)  
15495 1925 VOA: EE: "Newslines", ID, rpt on OPEC (333 4/12 Brown-IL)  
15625 2142 VOA: FF: US poised to recognize Angola (232 5/20 ed.)

## BURKINA FASO

- 4815 0554 RTV Burkina: FF: Afropop tune, ID, into nx (232 4/14 ed.)

## CAMEROON

- 5010 0515 CRTV-Garoua: EE: M w/nx, UTE QRM (322 4/2 Fanderys-OH)

## CHAD

- 4904.5 0446 RN Tchadienne: FF: Hilife mx (343 4/22 Johnson-IL)

## CONGO

- 4765 0418 RTV Congolaise: FF: Very smooth M DJ w/nice mix of hilife & pop mx, couple of off-hand IDs, longer tlk towards top of hour & into nx (322 5/19 ed.)

## EGYPT

- 9475 0209 R. Cairo: EE: "Questions & Answers"- a description of the new marketplace, mx (433 5/1 Brown-IL)  
9900 0156 R. Cairo: AA: Traditional AA vocal mx to just past top of hour, then W w/ID & nx- lots of crosstalk (222 4/14 ed.)

**GABON**

- 4777 2125 RTV Gabonaise: FF: Continuous Afro drumming & shouts to 2138, almost inaudible W t/k, more mx (pr+ 4/15 Famularo-JP) M w/(p) nx, ment of Madagascar, promo/anmt, pops (incl B. Streisand), IDs, s/off anmt, IS into NA, 2302\*, QRN (pr-fr 4/6 Clar-NY)
- 11925 2202 RJ (p): JJ/EE: Non-stop IS w/JJ & EE IDs, continued past 2217, when I tuned out- this freq should have gone off 2200\*- did somebody fall asleep at Moyabi? Splash de R. Marti-11930 (322 4/23 Westenhaver-PQ)
- 12025 1904 RPI: FF: M w/nx, mx- //15300 via France (343 4/11 Bryant-UT)
- 12035 2200 SRI: EE: IS, s/on w/freq anmt, nx (444 4/4 Hankison-KS)
- 15380 2000 RJ: GG: One high TP, W w/"Hier ist R. Japan" anmt, she read nx to 2010, then chatty magazine pgm w/items on Osaka culinary delights & April 1 being beginning of school & business years (322 4/4 Westenhaver-PQ)
- 15475 1815 ANO: FF: Hilife mx, nx @1830 (444 4/16 Johnson-IL)

**GHANA**

- 4915 0530 GBC-1: EE: Local mx- harmony vocal group w/no accompaniment (332 4/18 Potaczek-IL) [Joe is returning to SPEEDX after an absence of "...about 15 years..."- welcome back!] Amnt "This is the nx coming to you from the GBC" (343 4/3 Johnson-IL) ID, M w/nx, local item about new industry (333 4/17 Bryant-UT) @2255 w/nx- Prime Minister sworn in as new president, choral mx, ID, TC, sermon (222 5/1 Brown-IL)

**GUINEA**

- 7125 2330 RTV Guineenne: FF: Pgm of regional mx frequently interrupted by M ancr (222 4/13 Hankison-KS)

**KENYA**

- 4935 0155 KBC: EE: IS & ID repeatedly played (242 4/23 Johnson-IL)

**LESOTHO**

- 6190 0339 BBC: EE: "This Week in Africa" feature, ID, IS/theme mx, TPs into world nx, //3255 (pr 4/17 Clar-NY)
- 11940 1410 BBC: EE: Discussion of Russian & American space pgms (333 4/15 Millard-TX)

**LIBYA**

- 15235 2000 VO Great Homeland: AA: Snatches of loud AA mx between short anmts (343 4/25 Johnson-IL)

**MADAGASCAR**

- 7285 2322 RN: Indonesian: ID w/freq anmts, 2325\* (222 4/9 Hankison-KS)
- 15150 1325 RN: EE: IS, Easter greeting, TC, 2+1 pips @ half hour, ment of S Asian target area, nx (343 4/12 Bryant-UT) "Media Network" (333 4/15 Millard-TX)

**MALI**

- 5995 \*0555 RTV Malienne: FF: Guitar IS, NA, W w/ID, M w/freqs, into pop mx bridge, then M w/nx- //4783 (433 4/17 Bryant-UT)
- 9770 0130 CRI: CC: Long M (p) political dialogue w/many ments of London & Hong Kong //11715 (433 4/17 ed.)
- 11715 0027 CRI: EE: Data base use in China, rpt on accupuncture (454 4/15 Hankison-KS)

**MAURITANIA**

- 4845 2300 ORTM: AA: M w/nx, ment of Washington (433 4/5 Bishop-OH) Prayer, s/off anmt followed by NA, 0100\* (333 4/7 Hankison-KS) @0715: M w/t/k, ID, very primitive sounding instrumentals, consistently much later & stronger than other 60M Africans (454 4/24 Bryant-UT)

**MOROCCO**

- 15105 2138 RTV Marocaine: AA: Really hot Moroccan mx, heavy on the percussion, almost jazzy, brief W t/k between selections- heard under DW/Antigua, //15335 (222 4/29 ed.)
- 15205 2131 VOA: EE: Clinton calls for European action in Bosnia- co-channel QRM de Algeria (322 5/7 ed.)

- 15335 1847 RTV Marocaine: AA: W AA vocal, 1854 W anmt w/"...al-maghrebiya", speaking clock for 1855, prayer, W anmt & light inst version of "At the Copa", speaking clock for 1900, then ruined by \*1900 of RL-15340- //15345 (343 4/3 Westenhaver-PQ)
- NAMIBIA**  
3290 0302 R. Namibia: VN: Slow pop ballads, EZL mx (242 4/22 Johnson)
- NIGER**  
5020 0615 La Voix du Sahel: VN: Very odd mx- exotic wind instrument w/vocals (242 3/29 Johnson-IL)
- NIGERIA**  
4770 0440 RN-Kaduna: EE: Nx feature w/hokey bridge mx (242 4/22 Johnson-IL)  
6050 1753 RN-Ibadan: EE: Qur'an recitation into pgm of Afropops/tribal mx/reggae hosted by M ancr, slight co-channel QRM de BBC, improving signal @1815\* (pr-fr 4/6 Famularo-JP) Pop mx pgm to 2259, "5+1" TPs followed by "It's midnight on R Nigeria, Ibadan", then M w/nx- signal lost during nxcast- clear until 2300 QRM on 6055 (353 4/18 D'Angelo-PA) Afr tribal mx to M w/brief VN tlk, then W in EE w/ID "This is RN, Ibadan" into Afr/Intl nx, TC, s/off anmt, NA to 2306\*, adjacent QRM (pr-fr 4/7 Clar-NY)  
6090 2218 RN-Kaduna: Hausa: Tribal singing accompanied by drums, M tlk w/2230 ID "R Nigeria, Kaduna"- not //4770 which was playing oldies- clear of QRM until R Bandeirantes began to fade in & eventually overtake RN (454 4/18 D'Angelo-PA)  
7255 0450 VON: EE: Bells, drums, NA, ID w/pgm anmts, song naming all African nations (444 4/3 Newbury-NE) Locla nx, mx- big, big signal! (544 4/18 Potaczek-IL) M w/long list of upcoming pgms, ID, Easter greetings (444 4/11 Bryant-UT) @2209 in Hausa w/(p) national nx (433 4/20 Johnson-IL) Regional mx, NA, 2259\* (444 4/13 Hankison-KS)
- RWANDA**  
6055 1740 R. de la Republique Rwandaise: Kinyarwanda/FF: Brief bits of hilife, marching band + Afro-style a capella between M & W tlks, w/constant mentions of "Ru-wanda", 1800 (p) ID, lite mx to 1805 FF ID & M w/nx- hrd Czech R. IS underneath (fr+ 4/2 Famularo-JP) [nice one, Ralph!]  
15270 2202 DW: GG: Serbs proclaim ceasefire in Bosnia (343 5/18 ed.)
- SENEGAL**  
7168.4 2352 ORT du Senegal (p): VN/FF: M "rap" in VN w/local drums (like 50s "beat" stuff), brief W vocal, 0000-0003 M in FF w/Afrnx items, mix of W Afr mx & VN tlk to 0101\* - heavy QSB/QRN/ARO QRM meant no ID possible (232 4/5 Westenhaver)
- SEYCHELLES**  
11730 0203 BBC: EE: "Newsdesk" w/lots on debate over military intervention in Bosnia-Hercegovina (242 4/30 Westenhaver-PQ)
- SIERRA LEONE**  
3316 0619 SLBS: EE: Reggae style mx, older pops ("Baby, It's a Wild World") (242 3/29 Johnson-IL)
- SOUTH AFRICA**  
9695 0406 CA: EE: Nx of rampaging Masai tribesmen in Kenya- QTH: Box 91313 Auckland Park 2006 RSA (444 4/15 Bagozzi-CA) W ID anmt ment this //11745 (which per sked s/on \*0500), M nx update in city-item format leading w/death of Zambian natl football team in plane crash (343 4/29 Westenhaver-PQ)  
17710 0633 CA: EE: M w/nx in city-item format, 0636 ID cart "Channel Africa, produced by Africans for Africans about Africa", then Louis Armstrong mx (242 4/29 Westenhaver-PQ)
- SUDAN**  
9165 0330 R. Omdurman: AA: Text w/many ments of Sudan, interesting bridge mx, drums & vocals w/chorus "Allah, Allah, Allah!", later mx w/sea bird sounds, //7200 (343 4/21 Johnson-IL)

SWAZILAND

3200 0411 TWR: ??: Spiritual mx selections, unsure of language (343 4/21 Johnson-IL)  
 7215 0451 TWR: EE: "Bible College by Radio", gave QTH in Malawi (333 4/22 Johnson-IL)

TOGO

5047 0608 RTV Togolaise: FF: Excited DJ, ID "Radiodiffusion-Television Togolaise" (333 4/17 Bryant-UT) @0000 w/NA & off (433 4/21 Johnson-IL)

TUNISIA

7475 2309 RTV Tunisienne: AA: W w/nx to 2316, closing nx theme, brief M ID anmt, Qur'an to 2325, quick anmt & into oud mx bits w/M tlk, abrupt off 2327\* (242 4/7 Westenhaver-PQ) Lots of AA mx (242 4/21 Johnson-IL)  
 12005 2145 RTV Tunisienne: AA: Long slow mx selections, mournful M vocals, brief W anmts (433 4/28 ed.)

VOICE OF AMERICA  
 ASCENSION AND TANGIER SCHEDULE

| Freq  | SB | Time(GMT) | Site | kW  | Azimuth | Lang | Target Area | Days  |
|-------|----|-----------|------|-----|---------|------|-------------|-------|
| 6005  |    | 0600-0700 | TAN  | 100 | 078     | ENGL | Naf         |       |
| 6150  |    | 0300-0330 | TAN  | 100 | 060     | BULG | Eur         |       |
| 6150  |    | 0330-0400 | TAN  | 100 | 044     | CZEC | Eur         |       |
| 6150  |    | 0400-0500 | TAN  | 100 | 044     | UKRA | Eur         |       |
| 6150  |    | 0730-0800 | TAN  | 100 | 078     | ARAB | Naf         |       |
| 6155  |    | 0400-0430 | ASC  | 250 | 070     | ENGL | Afr         |       |
| 7255  |    | 2100-2300 | TAN  | 100 | 044     | POLI | Eur         |       |
| 9505  |    | 0300-0330 | TAN  | 100 | 060     | BULG | Eur         |       |
| 9505  |    | 0330-0345 | TAN  | 100 | 060     | ROMA | Eur         |       |
| 9505  |    | 0345-0400 | TAN  | 100 | 060     | SERB | Eur         |       |
| 9530  |    | 0330-0400 | TAN  | 100 | 060     | CZEC | Eur         |       |
| 9530  |    | 0400-0430 | TAN  | 100 | 044     | SLVK | Eur         |       |
| 9530  |    | 0430-0500 | TAN  | 100 | 044     | HUNG | Eur         |       |
| 9585  |    | 0345-0400 | TAN  | 100 | 033     | 213  | ESTO        | Eur   |
| 9585  |    | 0400-0430 | TAN  | 100 | 060     | ALBA | Eur         |       |
| 9615  |    | 0500-0530 | TAN  | 100 | 060     | SLVN | Eur         |       |
| 11720 |    | 2000-2030 | ASC  | 250 | 027     | ENGL | Afr         |       |
| 11730 |    | 2130-2200 | ASC  | 250 | 027     | FREN | Waf         |       |
| 11925 |    | 2000-2100 | TAN  | 35  | 044     | UKRA | Eur         |       |
| 15130 |    | 0530-0600 | TAN  | 100 | 060     | SERB | Eur         |       |
| 15160 |    | 2000-2030 | ASC  | 250 | 100     | ENGL | Afr         |       |
| 15170 |    | 1900-1930 | TAN  | 100 | 033     | 213  | LATV        | Eur   |
| 15170 |    | 1930-2000 | TAN  | 100 | 033     | 213  | LITH        | Eur   |
| 15205 |    | 1700-1900 | TAN  | 35  | 078     | ENGL | Eur         |       |
| 15205 |    | 1700-2200 | TAN  | 100 | 044     | ENGL | Eur         |       |
| 15225 |    | 1600-1700 | ASC  | 250 | 102     | ENGL | Afr         |       |
| 15245 |    | 1630-1700 | TAN  | 100 | 044     | ENGL | Eur         |       |
| 15280 |    | 1600-1700 | TAN  | 100 | 060     | ALBA | Eur         |       |
| 15280 |    | 1700-1830 | TAN  | 100 | 060     | ROMA | Eur         |       |
| 15280 |    | 1830-1930 | TAN  | 100 | 060     | BULG | Eur         |       |
| 15280 |    | 1930-2000 | TAN  | 100 | 060     | SERB | Eur         |       |
| 15280 |    | 2000-2045 | TAN  | 100 | 060     | CROA | Eur         |       |
| 15390 |    | 1600-1700 | TAN  | 35  | 060     | ALBA | Eur         |       |
| 17705 |    | 1830-1930 | TAN  | 35  | 060     | BULG | Eur         |       |
| 17705 |    | 1930-2000 | TAN  | 35  | 060     | SERB | Eur         |       |
| 17705 |    | 2000-2045 | TAN  | 35  | 060     | CROA | Eur         |       |
| 17735 |    | 1630-1700 | TAN  | 35  | 060     | ENGL | Eur         |       |
| 17735 |    | 1700-1830 | TAN  | 35  | 060     | ROMA | Eur         |       |
| 17755 |    | 2030-2100 | ASC  | 250 | 055     | HAUS | Afr         | MO-FR |
| 17755 |    | 2030-2100 | ASC  | 250 | 055     | FREN | Afr         | SA-SU |
| 17770 |    | 1800-1830 | TAN  | 35  | 060     | GREE | ME          |       |
| 17830 |    | 1200-1300 | ASC  | 250 | 245     | SPAN | SA          |       |
| 17830 |    | 1300-1400 | ASC  | 250 | 245     | SPAN | SA          | SA-SU |
| 17875 |    | 1700-1800 | TAN  | 35  | 044     | SLVK | Eur         |       |
| 17895 |    | 1600-2200 | TAN  | 35  | 170     | ENGL | N&W Afr     |       |
| 21490 |    | 1200-1300 | ASC  | 250 | 245     | SPAN | SA          |       |
| 21490 |    | 1300-1400 | ASC  | 250 | 245     | SPAN | SA          | SA-SU |



# ASIA/OCEANIA

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With only four pages this month, it's a real "slash-and-cram" column. (More next month, including Steve Willers' latest "holiday snaps" from Bali.) Here's what came to the top of the pile.

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**AUSTRALIA** VLW Wanneroo VLQ Brisbane Radio Australia  
 2310 1058 VL8A ALICE SPRINGS: EE: M ancr w/Aboriginal mx; very weak (231 4/22 Johnson-IL)  
 2325 1331 VL8T TENNANT CREEK: EE: ABC nx to 1335; IS/ID; soft rock mx; //VL8A-2310 was much weaker (353 4/12 Thompson-CA)  
 9610 1115 VLW9: EE: Sports incl horse racing results; ID's/promos; into pop mx (??? 4/8 Clar-NY)  
 9660 0711 VLQ9: EE: Cricket nx (333 4/4 Berri-CA) @ 0747 w/interview abt the world's record for standing upside down (233 4/10 Brown-IL) @ 1250 w/country mx; ID @ 1300 (322 4/10 Hankison)  
 15240 0456 RA: EE: Pop mx; nx @ 0500 (454 4/20 Potaczek-IL) [Welcome!]  
 15425 0750 VLW15: EE: ABC ID; interview w/athlete (343 4/20 Bryant-UT) [Welcome back, Mike!] @ 0650 w/song "Send in the Clowns" (??? 4/22 Millard-TX) @ 0300 w/ID/local nx; then mx (242 4/29 Froemming-AZ) [Thanks for the photos, Gary!]

**CHINA** China Radio Int'l RCI relay VO the Strait  
 4020 1155 CRI: KK: W vocal mx w/M ancr; //5965 (433 4/11 Bryant-UT)  
 4815 1248 CRI: (1)MONGOLIAN: M tlk; into very strange-sounding vcls; //5145, 5850 (332 4/12 Bryant-UT)  
 4990 1440 (t)HUNAN PBS: CC: Trad CC opera mx (333 4/15 Bagozzi-CA) @ 1233 w/screeching W vcls (live?); ;no ID (444 4/12 Bryant-UT)  
 5800 1410 XINJIANG PBS: ??: Haunting vcl/inst mx; W ID @ 1415; RTTY QRM (333 4/11 Murray-OR) [Lang most likely Uighur.]  
 7150 1629 RCI: EE: IS: FF/EE ID's; nx/CDN wx/sports; "Spectrum" on Canada's economic recovery (444 4/14 Ashimori-JPN)  
 7405of 1517 CRI: EE: Current affairs px (343 4/30 Froemming-AZ) [Now moved up to 11855 for the summer.]  
 9655of \*1200 CRI: EE: ID's; nx abt China; Mongolian nationality song (545 4/18 Robinson-TN) [Now up on 15210 for the summer.]  
 11515 1010 CRI: JJ: W teaching a song; //9855 (444 4/12 Bryant-UT)  
 11590 1015 HAIXIA-1: CC: M/W tlks; //7280 (333 4/12 Bryant-UT)  
 12110 1220 CRI: EE: M/W Asian nx; ID/IS; off 1225\* (222 4/12 Bryant-UT) [This px should have some Tagalog in it, as well as EE.]

**FRENCH POLYNESIA** RFO Tahiti  
 6135.3 0740 RFO: TAHITIAN: Island vcls & French folk mx; //11826.8 & 15169.1 (333 4/24 Bryant-UT)  
 11826.8 0200 RFO: FF: M ID; px of pop mx (242 4/29 Froemming-AZ) @ 0837 w/songs & Tahitian tlk; ID @ 0900 (gd 4/4 Goetsch-PA)  
 15168 0756 RFO: FF: Bob Marley songs w/FF DJ; "15168 is the lowest I've seen this one drift" (232 4/20 Bryant-UT) @ 0728 w/South Pacific mx/songs w/FF anmts (fr-pr 4/23 Famularo-JPN) [This one's been moving around a lot lately--note Mike Bryant's log, for example; also, Mike Fanderys-OH noted them on 15175 as late as 3/30.]

**GUAM** KTWR KSDA  
 11665 0839 KTWR: (1)HAKKA: W rlg message; "Amazing Grace" played on Oriental instruments (454 4/10 Bryant-UT)  
 11805 0931 KTWR: EE: "Telling the Truth" rlg px; KTWR ID & message (gd 4/4 Goetsch-PA)  
 11980 \*1600 KSDA: EE: S/on routine; into "Music Scrapbook" w/pieces by J.S. Bach (443 4/14 Ashimori-JPN)  
 13720 0839 KSDA: CC: W w/rlg message; gospel mx (433 4/20 Bryant-UT)

INDIA

- 3295 1710 (p)AIR: HINDI: Non-stop Indian mx/songs to 1758; M/W anmt & suddenly off; PWBR '91 listed AIR Delhi on this frq (pr-fr 4/3 Famularo-JPN)
- 9565 \*1215 AIR: (1)TIBETAN: M s/on routine; nx; //7412 (222 4/12 Bryant)
- 9700 1321 AIR: (1)SINHALA: Subcontinent vclds; very strong though fading rapidly; //15020 barely audible (444 4/12 Bryant-UT)

INDONESIARadio Republik Indonesia

- 3306 1258 RRI DILI: IN: M t1k; into SCI; @ 1300 "RRI" ID & (p) nx; noisy conditions (pr+ 4/23 Famularo-JPN)
- 3325 1354 RRI PALANGKARAYA: IN: Nice IN inst mx; RRI IS @ 1359 (332 4/12 Thompson-CA)
- 3375 1438 RRI MEDAN: IN: Indopops w/occ M remark; @ 1458 ID/SCI; @ 1500 RRI nx (fr 4/2 Famularo-JPN)
- 3959.8 1329 RRI PALU: IN: Indopops w/W ID @ 1341 (222 4/27 Murray-OR)
- 4863.7 1225 RRI AMBON: IN: Indopops (232 4/1 Johnson-IL) on 4863.8 @ 1139 w/W ID; light inst mx (333 4/12 Bryant-UT)
- 5256 1129 RRI SIBOLGA: IN: Qur'an followed by AA-style songs; no anmts till RRI ID @ 1158; some ute QRM (pr-fr 4/6 Famularo-JPN)
- 6070 1205 RRI JAYAPURA: IN: Jakarta nx w/ID "Radio Republik Indonesia siaran dari Jakarta"; into Indopops (433 4/11 Ashimori-JPN)
- 9680 1410 RRI JAKARTA: IN: Country vocals in IN; M w/probable ID--clear ment of Indonesia (444 4/12 Bryant-UT)

IRANVoice of the Islamic Republic of Iran

- 9022 0035 VOIRI: EE: Nx; ID; into lcl mx; barely usable acct QRM (221 4/25 Potaczek-IL) @ 0150 in SS w/long cmt y w/mni ments of Estados Unidos ("bad press perhaps?") (333 4/27 Johnson-IL)

IRAQRadio Iraq International

- 15230 1300 RII: EE: Good EE ID; then into Qur'an (323 4/24 Pasquale-PA)

JAPANNihon SW Bcst Radio Japan RCI relay

- 6115 0820 NSB: JJ: M t1k in JJ; //3945; QRM de R. Unión, Perú (433 4/10 Bryant-UT)
- 9595 1405 NSB: JJ: ID; long-winded M t1k (232 5/1 Hankison-KS) @ 1530 w/ID; mx px; //6055 (242) (343 4/30 Froemming-AZ)
- 9660 1259 RCI: EE: S/off anmt w/ID & address; under VLQ9 (211 4/10 Hankison-KS)
- 11875 0939 RJ: SS: W ID & t1k abt the Japanese wine industry; slight QSB; //9675 via Montsinéry was better (243 4/4 ed.)
- 15195 1230 RCI: EE: W ID/frqs; "Hello, I'm Jim Craig..." & he read nx; finally logged after a month of trying! (242 4/28 ed.)

KOREA, D.P.R.Radio Pyongyang

- 11335 1100 RP: EE: Nx of miracles brought about by the Great Leader Kim Il-Sung (333 4/24 Pasquale-PA)
- 13785 1742 RP: EE: ID; sked for all EE bcsts; anthem (333 4/10 Bryant)
- 15160h 1100 RP: JJ: IS/ID/anthem; usual nx abt support & praise from abroad for Kim & Son; 2nd harmonic of 7580; "sometimes louder than co-channel VOA EE"(424 4/11 Ashimori-JPN)

KOREA, REPUBLIC OFRadio Korea

- 7550 2233 RK: EE: ID/address; then song & M/W t1k (??? 4/2 Goetsch-PA)
- 9560nf? 1100 RK: ID's; nx of Hong Kong situation (555 4/7 Robinson-TN)

KUWAITRadio Kuwait

- 9840 2320 (t)RK: AA: Exotic mx mixed w/short comments--more than one ment of Iran (444 4/21 Johnson-IL) [They are here now, Tim.]
- 13620 1945 RK: EE: W hosting some really bad rap mx; into Qur'an (444 4/3 Langlois-FL) [An unholy mix of programming!]

LEBANONWings of Hope

- 11530 1448 WOH: EE: Rlg px--no ID but Dr. Scott positively ID'd (211 4/3 Hankison-KS) @ 0316 w/sermon on the laws of God (242 4/23 Johnson-IL) @ 1435 w/Dr. Gene Scott's University Network; EE "Wings of Hope" ID @ 1459 (333 4/27 Ashimori-JPN)

MALAYSIARadio Television Malaysia

- 5005.2 1145 RTM SARAWAK: IBAN: M ID; instrumental mx; //4895, 7270 & 6060 (333 4/12 Bryant-UT)
- 7295 1204 RTM: EE: W "Radio Four" ID; rap mx; gave local call-in numbers (343 4/12 Bryant-UT)

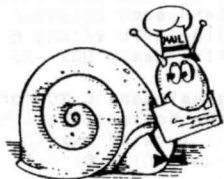
MARIANA ISLANDSKHBI

- 9425 1342 KHBI: EE: "Letterbox" px on foster children; ID; blurb for "Curtain Call" [since cancelled, along w/several other good features]; "Sanctuary" rlg reading...1355\* (443 4/20 Thompson-CA)

MARIANA ISLANDS continued...9530 1400 KHBI: EE: KHBI ID; px preview; into nx (322 5/1 Hankison-KS)MONGOLIARadio Ulan Bator13780 1500 RUB: EE: ID & nx px; much QRM de DW (212 4/29 Froemming-AZ)PAKISTANRadio Pakistan11570 1850 RP: ??: Qur'an in AA; W EE ID; chanting mx w/lcl instruments; then M tlks; modulation not too clear; 1st time logged (44343 4/12 Newbury-NE)PAPUA NEW GUINEA3205 1048 R. WEST SEPIK: PD: Canned stn ID "bilong Sandaun"; then rlg mx (433 4/11 Bryant-UT) @ 1100 w/PD tlc w/EE words mixed in; later ragtime piano mx (232 4/29 Johnson-IL)3220 1125 R. MOROBE: PD: Mix of regional & pop mx; address given @ 1133 (242 4/15 Hankison-KS)3260 1052 (t)R. MADANG: PD: M w/slow tlc; rlg mx; no clear ID but 100% sure abt the language (333 4/11 Bryant-UT)3275 1055 R. SOUTHERN HIGHLANDS: PD: TC for "6 minutes till 9"; hymn "Leaning on the Everlasting Arm" (322 4/11 Bryant-UT) @ 1120 w/2 M in phone conversation (242 4/13 Johnson-IL)3315 1100 R. MANUS: PD/EE: Pop mx; M ID/TC; M EE Christian reading w/log drumming (333 4/11 Bryant-UT) @ 1055 w/choral Island mx (242 4/22 Johnson-IL)3335 1110 R. EAST SEPIK: PD: Nx w/ment of PNG; QRM de CHU (222 4/29 Johnson-IL) @ 1050 w/W reading story abt Jesus; choral rlg mx (333 4/11 Bryant-UT)3345 1115 (p)R. NORTHERN: PD: Country & western-style mx (232 4/13 Johnson-IL) [Did you get an ID, Tim?]3385 1115 R. EAST NEW BRITAIN: PD: PD tlc w/spattering of clear EE words; also ments of Solomon Is. (232 4/29 Johnson-IL)3905 1042 R. NEW IRELAND: PD: Easter religious service; heavy ARO QRM (333 4/11 Bryant-UT)4890 0847 NBC PORT MORESBY: EE: M cmty abt Cambodia, ID; TC (333 4/12 Bryant-UT) [It seems you certainly didn't overdose on chocolate bunnies, Mike!]PHILIPPINESRadio Veritas Asia Far East Bcst CorpVOA relay Radyo Pilipinas9555 1355 RVA: (1)HINDI: W & M w/multiple ID's w/ments of both Manila and Quezon City (444 4/12 Bryant-UT) @ 1342 w/M/W alternate tlks w/mx bridges; @ 1355 sitar/vocal number; W frqs/ID (533 4/13 Thompson-CA)11730 0000 RVA: SINHALA: IS w/EE/Sinhala ID's; Sri Lankan mx; rlg tlc (444 4/29 Ashimori-JPN)11995 1434 FEBC: EE: W w/South Asian nx; ID as "FEBC International" (444 4/12 Bryant-UT)15140 1502 RVA: TAGALOG: Mx; ID "Ito po ang Filipino Service ng Radio Veritas Asia"; EE Bible reading...1602\*; "WRTH lists this 1505-1535 but px extended to 1 hr Sat/Sun only. 15140 is the only frq (17800 listed in WRTH not actually used.)" (434 4/4 Ashimori-JPN) [Thanks for the info, Tsunaaki!]15150 \*0800 VOA: RR: "Yankee Doodle"; EE ID; RR ID & world nx (good 4/19 Famularo-JPN)15195 \*1300 VOA: KK: Crash start (prob to avoid RCI/Yamata) w/time bong; EE ID/lang anmt; into KK w/M sked; M/W nx; by 1310 this was down to SIO 242 & sinking fast (343 4/28 ed.)15570 \*1531 RVA: EE/URDU: Loop tape of soft inst mx & EE ID anmt ment upcoming Urdu bcst @ 1535, which lasted until 1602\* (343 4/25 D'Angelo-PA)17840 1730 RP: TAGALOG: ID "Ito ang Filipino Service ng Radyo Pilipinas"; s/on routine; "Balita at iba pa" ("News Updates"); //15190 (322), 21455 (242) (443 4/24 Ashimori-JPN)21580 0230 RP: EE: Mx w/out anmt for first 35 mins (brownout?); then ID; "Voice of Democracy" px (ment plans to reduce Manila's brownouts to 6 hrs/day--now 9-10 hrs/day!) read by Evelyn Agato (who's also QSL signer) (454 4/14 Ashimori-JPN)SINGAPOREBBC relay Singapore Bcst Corp9605 1059 BBC: IN: IS & Big Ben chimes; Purcell trumpet fanfare; ID anmt & into nx; under WYFR in SS (322 4/25 ed.)9634.8 1021 SBC: CC: Lots of tlc & giggling; ads w/background mx; pop mx; very strong (454 4/12 Bryant-UT)15340 \*0300 BBC: EE: IS: ID & brief sked info; into EE lesson w/M & W tlks (333 4/24 Bryant-UT)







# QSL REPORT

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## AFRICA

- ANGOLA RN de Angola: 7245 f/d Logo cd, 1tr in 127 ds, 3IRCs, 1 f/up rpt PP, v/s-Cesar A.B. da Silva.(Hankison-KS)
- GABON RFI-Moyabi: 12025 f/d Place des Vosges cd. in 38 ds. rpt FF. (Brame-IL)
- LESOTHO LNBS: 4800 p/d Flag cd. in 4 months for \$1.(Millard-TX)
- MAURITANIA ORTM: 4845 f/d Map cd. in 173 ds for \$2, FF rpt, aft 7th rpt.(Evans-TN)...(congrats on #170, Jim! ed.); same in 45 ds, EE rpt, \$1.(Stine-MD); same in 82 ds, EE/FF rpt, 3 IRCS.(Hankison-KS); same in 38 ds, FF rpt.(Humenyk-ON)
- MOROCCO VOA-Tangiers: 15205 f/d "Rocky Mts."cd. in 259 ds, aft. f/up v/s-John Vodenik.(Hankison-KS)
- S. AFRICA Channel Africa: 15430 f/d cd, magazine in 36 ds.(Brame-IL)  
Radio Orion: 4810 f/d "Table Mt."cd, sked in 65 ds for ms, v/s-Kathy Otto. (Levison-PA)
- SUDAN R. Omdurman: 7200 f/d 1tr in 195 ds, \$2 r/p rpt EE. v/s-Mohd. Elmahdi Khalil. (Evans-TN)
- SWAZILAND TWR: 3200 f/d folder (Station, map, TWR info.) cd in 95 ds for \$1 & 2 IRCS, v/s-Mrs. L. Stavropoules.(Stine-MD)
- ZAMBIA ZNBC: 4910 f/d Logo cd in 68 ds \$1,rpt EE, v/s-Noble C. Makungu.(Millard-TX)

## ASIA

- CHINA RCI-Xian: 9535 f/d "Int'l Yr. CDN. Music" cd in 23 ds. v/s-Bill Westenhaver. (Hankison-KS)  
China R. Int'l: 11715 f/d Rooster cd, ornament, stickers in 25 ds for ms/Ircs. (Levison-PA)
- CYPRUS CBC: 7125 f/d "B'cast Center" cd in 20 ds for IRC (Brame-IL); same in 24 ds. (Humenyk-ON)
- HONG KONG BBC: 15280 f/d cd in 21 ds for \$1 (Brame-IL)
- INDIA AIR-Allgarh: 15120 f/d "fort" cd in 35 ds for 3 IRCS(Hankinson-KS)
- INDONESIA RRI-Manado: 3215 f/d pfc in 22 ds for ms, f/up rpt Indonesian (D'Angelo-PA)
- IRAN VoIRI: 11790 f/d "Shrine-Hazrate" cd, sked, magazine in 40 ds. v/s-M. Mohamadadeh (Robinson-TN)
- ISRAEL Kol Israel: 11587 f/d cd, sked in 71 ds. (Pasquale-PA)
- JAPAN R. Japan: 9535 n/d "flowers/chopsticks" cd in 72 ds.(Brame-IL); 15340 f/d "dancers on chessboard" cd, sked in 39 ds.(Bellovich-FL)  
RCI-Yamata: 11705 f/d "Int'l Yr. CDN. Music" cd in 15 ds. v/s-Bill Westenhaver (Humenyk-ON); 9660 f/d "'73 World DX Friendship" cd in 14 ds. v/s-B.W. (Hankison-KS)
- JORDAN R.Jordan: 9560 f/d cd, sked, decal in 10 wks, \$1 r/p. v/s-Jawad Zada, Director (Clar-NY)
- KUWAIT R. Kuwait: 13620 f/d cd, sked, calendar, decal in 1 Yr.(after 15 years and 100 reports!) (Millard-TX)
- PHILIPPINES FEBC: 15450 f/d "Jeepney" cd, 1tr in 15 mos. for 3 IRCS & 3 f/ups. v/s-Martin Lind, QSL Sec'y.(Clar-NY)  
Radio Filipinas: Freq? (21580? ed.)f/d cd in 14 ds for 2 IRCS. v/s-Evelyn S. Agato (Ashimori-JPN)
- SAUDI ARABIA BSKSA: 9870 f/d logo cd in 48 ds via regst. mail. v/s-Suliman A. Al Samnan (Brame-IL)
- SINGAPORE BBC: 11955 f/d cd. in 21 ds for ms (Lueck-WI)
- S. KOREA KBS: 15575 ?/d "Dong-bak Sae Bird" cd, sked in 75 ds(Bishop-OH)
- TAIWAN (ROC) WYFR: Freq? f/d "20th Anniv./Staff" cd in 35 ds for IRC (Ashimori-JPN)
- THAILAND VOA: 11785 f/d "Test Transmission" cd in 6 wks. v/s-John Vodenik (Clar-NY); same "Map of Asia" cd in 58 ds(Fisher-MA)
- TURKEY VoT: 9445 f/d "Treasure chest" cd, sked, decal in 62 ds (Humenyk-ON)

COMMONWEALTH/NON-C.I.S.

BELARUS R. Minsk: 17690 f/d "Park in Minsk" cd in 144 ds(Humenyk-ON)  
KAZAKHSTAN R. Netherlands: 7305 f/d "CIS Relay" cd in 5 wks. for  
2 IRCs (Clar-NY)  
UZBEKISTAN R. Tashkent: 15470 f/d Map cd, ppc in 54 ds (Pasquale-PA)

EUROPE

AUSTRIA RAI: 9875 f/d ltr, sked in 18 ds. (Bellovich-FL); 9870 f/d  
ltr in 21 ds. (Humenyk-ON)  
BELGIUM RVI: 15540 f/d "H. Bosch painting" cd in 80 ds.(Humenyk-ON)  
BULGARIA R. Moscow-Sofia: 7115 f/d "Kremlin by River" cd, sked, ms  
in 20 ds for IRCs/ms. (Levison-PA)  
HUNGARY R. Budapest: 9835 f/d "costume" cd, pennant in 30 ds(Robinson-  
TN); 11910 f/d "Mezoko Veso Costume" cd in 31 ds(Humenyk-ON)  
ITALY RAI: 11800 f/d "Berini" cd in 415 ds.(Brown-IL); RTV Italia:  
7275,9575,9710,11800,21515 f/d "Paintings/St. Teresa" cd(s). in  
421-490 ds.(Humenyk-ON)  
PORTUGAL VOA-Gloria: 9760 f/d "Yellowstone Falls" folder/cd in 57 ds  
(via Orlando, FL) (Brown-IL)  
ROMANIA RRI: 6155 "Hunedoara Costume" f/d cd, ltr, sked in 105 ds.  
(Fanderys-OH)  
SLOVAKIA R. Prague: 5930 f/d "Fauna & Flora" cd,info in 45 ds for 3  
IRCs. (Hankinson-KS)  
R. Slovakia Int'l: 5930 f/d "R. Bratislava Bldg."cd for 1st  
day English B'cast via Rimavská Sobota tx. in 40 ds. for an  
IRC. (Fanderys-OH); same + ltr.,sked. in 58 days, v/s-Ph.Dr.  
Karol Palkovic, Ch. Ed. (D'Angelo-PA); same in 4 wks. for  
\$1 r/p. (Fisher-MA); same in 28 ds.(Humenyk-ON)  
SPAIN SNR: 9530 f/d "Madrid/Sevilla/Barcelona '92" cd, decal in 206  
ds. (Brame-IL); R. Liberty: 9520(?) f/d "Tx in Spain" cd in 17  
ds. (Humenyk-ON)  
SWEDEN R. Sweden: 17870 f/d "Nature scene" cd in 54 ds.(Brown-IL)  
SWITZERLAND Red Cross B'casting: 9885 f/d Logo cd in 31 ds for 2 IRCs  
(Brown-IL)  
U.K. VOA-Wooferton: 7170 f/d "Yellowstone Falls" cd in 51 ds aft. f/up  
to Bethany (total 272 ds). v/s-John Vodenik.(Hankinson-KS)

NORTH AMERICA

COSTA RICA Unesco Radio via RFPI: 15031 f/d cd, ltr in ? ds. for ms  
rpt FF via Unesco addr. in Paris, France (Lueck-WI)  
DOMINICAN REPUBLIC R. Quisqueya: 6205 ltr. in 111 ds for \$1, rpt SS,  
v/s-Lic. Gregory Costellanos Ruano(D'Angelo-PA)  
HONDURAS HRVC: 4820 f/d cd in 15 ds for ms (returned),rpt SS, v/s-  
Esther Duran Mendoza (Lueck-WI)  
NETHERLANDS ANTILLES TWR: 9535 f/d card in 31 ds for 2 IRCs(Brown-IL)  
USA KJES: 11715 f/d cd in 16 ds for \$1.v/s-Michael Reuteangr.(Millard  
-TX); KVOH: 17775 f/d "Tx/map" cd in 98 ds for ms. v/s-David  
Laufer.(Hankinson-KS); WCSN: 9350 f/d Tx site cd in 38 ds (Humenyk  
-ON); WEWN: 9355 f/d "angel" cd, sked, ltr. in 6 wks. for \$1.  
v/s-Wm. Steltmeier (Clar-NY); WFLA: 25870 p/d logo cd in 18 ds.  
for ms (Brame-IL); WMLK: 9465 p/d ltr. in 42 ds for ms. v/s-Elder  
Jacob Meyer. (Hankinson-KS)

OCEANIA

AUSTRALIA ABC Perth: VLW6 Wanneroo 6140 f/d "Tx map"cd in 50 ds for  
\$1 r/p (Fanderys-OH); RA: 7260 f/d ltr.(Carnarvon) in 32  
ds.(Brame-IL); 17795 f/d ltr.(Shepparton) in 25 ds.(Humenyk  
-ON); 11715 f/d ltr. in 51 ds. (Humenyk-ON)  
NEW ZEALAND RNZI: 9700 f/d "Lake Matheson" cd. in 35 ds for 3 IRCs.  
(Brown-IL); same "Bay of Islands" cd, sked, decal, tour-  
ist info in 54 ds for \$1.(Fanderys-OH); 17770 f/d cd in  
65 ds.(Humenyk-ON)  
NORTHERN MARIANAS KHBI: 9530 f/d Antenna cd in 60 ds.(Brame-IL)  
PAPUA NEW GUINEA NBC (P2T4): 4890 f/d "PNG/NBC map" cd in 80 ds.  
for \$1.(Fanderys-OH)

SOUTH AMERICA

BRAZIL Radiobras: 15445 f/d "paper" cd, decal in 72 ds.v/s-Christina.  
(Pasquale-PA)  
BOLIVIA R. Juan XXIII: 4965 f/d cd. in 30 ds aft. f/up, SS rpt. total  
165 ds. 3 IRCs.v/s-Elias Cortezon.(Hankison-KS)  
ECUADOR HCJB: 15155 f/d "Agoyan Falls" cd, goodies in 34 ds for ms.  
v/s-Glen Volkhardt, Dir. B'casting.(Bishop-NY)  
PERU R. Naylamp: 4300 p/d cd + f/d pfc in 29 ds for SS rpt., \$1 r/p.  
v/s-Dr. Juan José Grandez Vargas, Dir. Gerente.(D'Angelo-PA)  
VENEZUELA R. Nacional: 9540 f/d cd in 134 ds.(Humenyk-ON)

(Cousin Vinny calls 'em)...UTES (ha! ha! ed.)

CANADA Gander: (Aero) 13270 pfc cd/ltr. in 171 ds for SASE(Baker-OH)  
CHILE CBV: Time Sig. 8677 f/d "Playa Ancha" cd in 32 ds.(Fanderys-OH)  
ETHIOPIA Addis Ababa: (Aero) 11300 f/d pfc in 27 ds. SASE.(Baker-OH)  
GERMANY Luebeck: (Naval ship) 6779 f/d pfc/ltr. in 29 ds.SASE(Baker-OH)  
Wilhelmshaven (Naval) 6779 f/d pfc/cd in 31 ds.SASE(Baker-OH)  
ICELAND (Aero) Reykjavik: 8891 f/d pfc/cd in 82 ds. SASE(Baker-OH)  
KENYA Nairobi (AERO): 11300 pfc/ltr in 24 ds. ms/SASE (Baker-OH)  
MEXICO Fair Princess (cruise ship): 4110 pfc/fd cd in 22 ds (Baker-OH)  
USCG Pt. Stuart: 5696 f/d pfc in 10 ds. SASE (Baker-OH)  
NEW ZEALAND Auckland (Aero): 8867 f/d ltr.pfc in 34 ds.SASE (Baker-OH)  
SOMALIA USS W H Standley (MARS): 14441.5 f/d pfc in 65 ds.(Baker-OH)  
S.AFRICA ZSC-Capetown (Maritime): 8690 f/d ltr. in 125 ds.(Lueck-WI)  
SWITZERLAND HEC-Berne (Maritime): 22404 f/d cd. in 20 ds. (Lueck-WI)  
U.K. HMS Alacrity (Naval ship): 16363 f/d pfc in 67 ds. SASE(Baker-OH)  
HMS Nottingham (warship): 16363 f/d pfc in 34 ds. SASE (Baker-OH)  
USA MS Ecstasy(Cruise ship): 4114 f/d pfc in 21 ds. SASE (Baker-OH)  
USCG Borinquen: 5696 f/d pfc cd in 15 ds. SASE (Baker-OH)  
USCG Dallas: (MARS) 14441.5 f/d pfc cd. in 33 ds. SASE (Baker-OH)  
USCG GRP San Diego: 5696 f/d pfc cd. in 11 ds. SASE (Baker-OH)  
USCG Dauntless (MARS): 14441.5 f/d pfc in 26 ds. SASE (Baker-OH)  
USCGC Pt. Estero: 5320 f/d pfc cd. in 18 ds. SASE (Baker-OH)  
USCGC Seneca (MARS): 14441.5 f/d pfc cd in 45 ds. SASE (Baker-OH)  
USS Camden (MARS): 14441.5 f/d pfc cd. in ? ds. SASE (Baker-OH)  
USS Hayler (MARS): 14441.5 f/d pfc ltr. in 188 ds. SASE (Baker-OH)  
USS Oliver H. Perry: 2670 f/d ltr. pfc in 11 ds. SASE (Baker-OH)  
USS Pensacola: 9950 f/d pfc cd. in 34 ds. SASE (Baker-OH)  
USS T.C. Hart: 14441.5 f/d pfc cd in 30 ds. SASE (Baker-OH)  
USS Yellowstone (MARS): 14441.5 f/d pfc cd in 24 ds. SASE (Baker-OH)  
Honolulu (VOLMET): 23332 f/d ltr. ms via Fax in 95 ds.(Lueck-WI)  
USS Constellation: 4835 f/d ppc 18 ds SASE (Braun-VA); USS Guam:  
14470 f/d ppc 21 ds SASE (Braun-VA); USS Maryland: 7535 n/d ppc  
20 ds SASE (Braun-VA); USS Mississippi: 5320 f/d ppc 34 ds SASE  
(Braun-VA); USS Oldendorf: 13528.5 f/d ppc 27 ds SASE(Braun-VA)  
USS Puget Sound: 14818.5 p/d ppc 24 ds SASE (Braun-VA); USS San  
Jacinto: 7535 f/d ppc,ltr,decal 17 ds SASE (Braun-VA)(Whew! ed.)

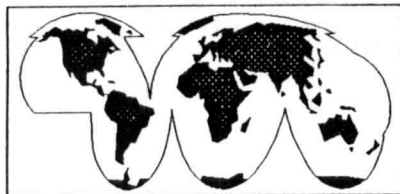
PIRATES & CLANDESTINE

R. Azteca: 7416 f/d "Frog" cd # 42 in 21 ds. v/s-Bram Stoker(D'Angelo)  
Secret Mt. Lab.: 7415 f/d "Anniv." sheet, info/A.C.E. in 18 ds(Pasquale)  
WSKY: 7415 f/d "Jack Daniels bottle" cd, ltr. in 79 ds(Pasquale)  
Hit Parade R.: 7415 f/d cd for \$1 v/s-Dale Dorman in 24 ds(Pasquale)  
XEROX-R. Duplicado: 7415 f/d cd pic. of v/s-Bart Sambo, QSL #3(Fisher-MA)  
Radyo Neg Mawon via RFPi-Costa Rica: 15030 f/d pfc in 111 ds. for SASE  
v/s-Jean Jean-Pierre. (D'Angelo-PA)

...What a large # of utility QSLs!! Rich Baker's Mailbox must've been  
STUFFED lately! Well, now to introduce myself...Shortwave has been a  
part of our family since my father bought his NATIONAL SW-54, back in  
the early '50s. We didn't have a TV until 1958! It became a hobby to  
me in late 1986. Subsequently, my first QSL was from Deutsche Welle.  
But, after talking with local DXers/SWLs, I learned other stations QSLed  
too! Since 1989, I've QSLed over 100 Tx. sites and about 75 Countries  
to date...so I'm still learning-somewhat of a novice! I hope to combine  
what Ray Forsgren & Mike Wolfson's format were and a little bit of my  
own ideas too. Let me know what you think...for replies send SASE please.

73s, 55s, & Best of QSLing,

*Mike*



# UTILITIES

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## AERO

- 5505 **Shannon Aeradio:** Volmet Ireland 0136 4/14 USB fair (wx report for European cities, thunderstorm QRN) (Ross, Ont.)
- 5700 **MacDill AFB:** USAF US 0610 US wkg no id stn on poss duplex setup) (Baker, Oh.)
- 5718 **Victoria Search:** 0340 USB (wkg Rescue 111, then Res 456 re no id SAR) (Baker, Oh.)
- 6676 **Sydney Aeroradio:** Volmet Australia 0800 USB (id, wx for Sydney, Perth, others) (Baker, Oh.); **VLS:** Volmet Sydney Australia 1433 4/27 USB good (av wx, ID) (Thompson, Ca.)
- 6679 **Honolulu Aeroradio:** Volmet Hi US 0805 USB (w/aviation wx SF, LA, Seattle, others, w/ID) (Baker, Oh.); **KVM70:** Volmet Honolulu Hi US 1435 4/27 USB fair (av wx for WCNA) (Thompson, Ca.)
- 6683 **AF2:** Air Force 2 0503 USB (wkg Andy, pp to Crown, re advance team) (Baker, Oh.); **AF1:** Air Force 1 1648 USB (wkg Andrews AFB pp, Crown re advance office details at Little Rock) (Baker, Oh.)
- 6697 **Habitat NAS:** Moffet Field, Ca. US 0320 USB (wkg "04", then I4X clg B7H) (Baker, Oh.)
- 6715 **Buffalo 78:** 0540 USB (clg Moffet Rescue) (Baker, Oh.)
- 6730 **Sky Slope:** 0312 USB (clg Moon Dust, Mud Bear w/Sky Slope, radio test) (Baker, Oh.)
- 6738 **Lajes Global:** USAF GCCS 0423 USB (wkg Reach 40645, pp Ramstein AFB Op's) (Baker, Oh.); **Thule GHFC:** Greenland 0802 USB (clg Navy RX489, RX489 clg Thule, could not hear other) (Baker, Oh.)
- 8861 **Dakar ATC:** Senegal 0150 4/14 USB fair (wkg KLM 790 (flight data, SELCAL "DJBG") (Ross, Ont.)
- 8879 **Dar-es-Salaam ATC:** Tanzania 2314 3/23 USB fair (wkg Beira Mozambique ATC w/flight data) (Ross, Ont.); **Dar-es-Salaam ATC:** 0251 3/24 USB fair (wkg Aeroflot 3985, flight level 37,000, SELCAL "RAHP")
- 8894 **Algiers ATC:** Algeria 0056 3/22 USB fair (wkg Speedbird 074, estimated NSL at 0155, SELCAL "EFDL") (Ross, Ont.)
- 8903 **N'djamena ATC:** Chad 0035 3/22 USB fair (wkg Speedbird 57, flight level 33,000) (Ross, Ont.); **Luanda ATC:** Angola 0233 4/11 USB fair (flight data) (Ross, Ont.); **Niamey ATC:** Niger 0043 4/21 fair (Flight data) (Ross, Ont.); **Niamey ATC:** Niger 0055 3/22 USB fair (wkg Speedbird 074, QSYed to 8894 to contact Algiers) (Ross, Ont.)
- 8951 **Tokyo ACC:** Japan 1452 4/27 USB fair (wkg Express 014/012) (Thompson, Ca.)
- 8970 **Anderson AFB:** USAF 1457 4/27 USB good (coded message) (Thompson, Ca.)
- 9006 **Tiger 305:** 1930 USB (clg Trenton Military) (Baker, Oh.)
- 11176 **Ascension AFB:** Ascension Island 0246 4/2 USB good (wkg SAM 681 w/pp to Andrews AFB) (Ross, Ont.); **GCCS:** 1628 USB (radio check w/Allbrook field Panama) (Bellovich, Fl.); **AFEB:** USAF McDi11 AFB Fl. US 0351 4/29 USB fair (wkg MacClellan re spare parts) (Thompson, Ca.)
- 11201 **NMF:** USCG CommSta Boston 1912 USB (w/Rankon Avionics, for radio ck) (Baker, Oh.)
- 11205 **NASA:** ARIA 7 1715 USB (w/ARIA 1 (Advanced Range Instrumentation A/C), adv 1st motion time was 17:14:36) (Baker, Oh.)
- 11300 **Entebbe ATC:** Uganda 0205 4/2 USB fair (wkg Cairo ATC w/flight data) (Ross, Ont.)
- 11306 **Lima Radio:** LD0C Peru 0046 USB (wkg American flight, SELCAL "JKLR", United 63) (Baker, Oh.)
- 11460 **Andrews AFB:** US 2053 4/20 LSB fair (wkg Zero One) (Ross, Ont.)
- 12267 **EQPP:** NO ID 2041 (clg Apia Radio) (Baker, Oh.)
- 13282 **KVM70:** Volmet Honolulu Hi US 1853 4/29 USB fair (av wx, ID) (Thompson, Ca.)
- 13306 **New York ATC:** US 2127 3/14 USB good (wkg Reach 8 Romeo Hotel, destination Bermuda w/rpt of hole in windshield, no emergency, descending from 20,000 to 18,000, to 10,000 ft., air speed of 300 knots, position rpt of 36 d 07 m North 55 d 45 m West, via tip from ODXA member Barry Williams) (Ross, Ont.)
- 15015 **Reach 32741:** USAF GCCS 1903 USB (wkg Ascension Global pp, Hilda Meteo) (Baker, Oh.)
- 17975 **Offutt GHFC:** USAF SAC 2228 USB (w/Sky King EAM.//11176//8967) (Baker, Oh.)

- 20390 **Ascension Radio:** Ascension Island 3/25 USB fair to good (wkg RIOT 2 (C-141) inbound to Ascension, ETA 0100, advised to keep mess hall open, departed Antigua 1925, message passed to Cape Radio, secondary daytime NASA freq., primary freq. 10780) (Ross, Ont.)
- 21946 **Speedbird 225:** 1722 4/11 USB fair (calling Speedbird London--no reply) (Ross, Ont.)

#### CW

- 5908 **BMB:** Taipei Taiwan 1506 4/27 CW (coded wx) (Blair, Ca.) (welcome Art-MW)
- 6397 **JMC:** CQ Marker Tokyo Japan 1418 4/27 CW fair (CQ de JMC loop) (Thompson, Ca.)
- 6430(v) **VIB:** CQ Marker Brisbane Australia 1250 4/27 CW good (CQ VIB 2/3/4/5/6 loop) (Thompson, Ca.)
- 6432 **DZZ:** Manila Pippines 1452 4/27 CW (de DZZ QRA) (Blair, Ca.)
- 6463.5 **VIA:** V Marker Adelaide Australia 1258 4/27 CW poor (VVV VIA 3 K loop, QRM w/FUM) (Thompson, Ca.)
- 8421.5 **9AR:** Rijeka Croatia 0230 5/6 CW (9AR marker) (Blair, Ca.)
- 8445 **PKC:** Palembang Indonesia 1321 4/25 CW (CQ de PKC) (Blair, Ca.)
- 8487 **XSG:** Shanghai China 1359 4/25 CW (CQ de XSG) (Blair, Ca.)
- 8502 **XSG3:** CQ Marker Shanghai China 1557 4/29 CW good (CQ XSG loop) (Thompson, Ca.)
- 8511 **XSW2:** CQ Marker Taichung Taiwan 1615 4/27 CW poor (CQ de XSW2 QSX loop) (Thompson, Ca.); **XSM2:** Kaoshiung Taiwan 1351 4/25 CW (CQ de XSG2 QSX) (Blair, Ca.)
- 8526 **JMC4:** Tokyo Japan 1519 4/24 CW (coded wx) (Blair, Ca.)
- 8577 **HLO:** Seoul S. Korea 1438 4/25 CW (CQ de HLO) (Blair, Ca.)
- 10200 **MKK:** London UK 0100 4/26 ISB 454 (QUICK BROWN FOX tape) (Card, R.I.)
- 10220 **MKD:** Meteo Akrotiri Cyprus 0100 4/22 ISB 454 (QUICK BROWN FOX tape) (Card, R.I.)
- 10855 **GXQ:** London UK 0000 4/27 ISB 555 (QUICK BROWN FOX tape) (Card, R.I.)
- 12583 **HPP:** Panama 0421 5/5 CW (HPP maritex) (Blair, Ca.)
- 12700 **XSQ:** Guangzhou China 1515 4/26 CW (CQ de XSQ) (Blair, Ca.)
- 12923 **HLW2:** CQ Marker Seoul S. Korea 1720 4/27 CW fair (CQ de HLW2 QSX loop) (Thompson, Ca.)
- 12935 **HLG:** CQ Marker Seoul S. Korea 1722 4/27 CW fair (CQ de HLG QSX loop) (Thompson, Ca.)
- 16966.5 **9VG58:** CQ Marker Shanghai China 1607 4/29 CW poor (CQ de 9VG58 loop) (Thompson, Ca.)
- 16976 **NMN:** CQ Marker USCG Portsmouth Va. US 1603 4/29 CW good (CQ de NMN w/hrs/freqs) (Thompson, Ca.)
- 17096 **YPS-80:** Time Signal Hong Kong Royal Observatory 2355 4/11 CW 322 (Fanderys, Oh.)
- 17146 **NRV:** CQ Marker USCG Barrigada Guam 1734 4/29 CW good (CQ de NRV QRU? QSP AMVER QSX 8/16 MHZ CH 3/4/7 QRV? de NRV3 K loop) (Thompson, Ca.)
- 17230(v) **9VG58:** CQ Marker Shanghai China 1747 4/19 CW poor (CQ de 9VG58 loop) (Thompson, Ca.)

#### MARINE

- 2670 **NMRT:** USCG Greater Antilles Section 0312 USB ("CG San Juan", PR, w/warnings of naval firing exercises & notice to mariners) (Baker, Oh); **NMB:** USCG Charleston SC US 0420 USB (wx, NTM's) (Baker, Oh)
- 2716 **AUTUC:** Harvey Ranger 0403 USB (Autuc Op's-Atlantic Underwater Test & Evaluation Center re 2400 (local) position ck) (Baker, Oh)
- 3120 **Cape Radio:** 0426 USB (Comms ck's, King 1, USS Underwood (FFG-36), NGWU, and P-0-B-T"?) prior to launch of STS-56) (Baker, Oh.)
- 3187 **THI-705:** Liberty Star 0325 USB (NASA Booster recovery ship w/Cape Radio, then "BRD", Booster Recovery Director, re no id ship in area, unable to hail by radio. Was in support of STS-56) (Baker, Oh)
- 4384 **ELGH6:** Regal Princess 0236 USB (4384/4092, wkg WOO for R/T tfc.) (Baker, Oh.)
- 4387 **WOO:** AT&T Station NJ US 0400 USB (w/traffic list) (Baker, Oh)
- 4402 **C6CP:** Viking Serenade 0422 USB (4402/4110, wkg KMI for R/T tfc) (Baker, Oh.)
- 4405 **ELGH6:** Regal Princess 0405 USB (4405/4113, wkg WOM for R/T tfc) (Baker, Oh.)
- 4408 **VCS:** CCG Halifax Radio Canada 0205 USB (w/marine synopsis for the maritime//6513//8785) (Baker, Oh.)
- 4410 **WLO:** 0800 USB (traffic list) (Baker, Oh.)
- 4411 **HAP8301:** Canadian Commander 0531 USB (4411/4119, wkg WLO for R/T tfc) (Baker, Oh.)

4426 **HRPZ:** USCGC Papaw (WLB-308) 0434 USB (4426/4134, w/NMG, re RTTY freq 3209) (Baker, Oh.)

5180 **Freedom Star:** 0806 USB (w/no id station) (Baker, Oh.); **THI-705:** Liberty Star 0310 USB (NASA booster recovery ship w/Cape Radio, then "BRD") (Baker, Oh.)

5190 **NGWU:** USS Underwood (FFG-36) 0552 USB (c1g Cape 1, Cape Radio, in support of STS-56) (Baker, Oh.)

5320 **NMK:** Cape May USCG Station 0006 USB (c1g USCGC Hornbeam) (Baker, Oh.); **NMG:** CommSta New Orleans 1447 USB (w/USCGC Cushing (WPB-1321), NOFR, pp, D-8 Op's) (Baker, Oh.)

5692 **NOT:** USCG Traverse City Air Mi. US 0046 USB (w/kg CG 6010 for op's normal) (Baker, Oh.)

5696 **NOR:** USCG Grp San Diego Ca. US 0229 USB (w/kg USCGC Citrus re no id SAR) (Baker, Oh.); **NICB:** USCGC Forward (WMEC-911) 0230 USB (w/kg Res 1720 re a dead in water vessel) (Baker, Oh.); **NRPQ:** USCGC Citrus (WMEC-300) 0235 (w/kg USCGC Point Stuart (WPB-82358) re same) (Baker, Oh.); **NRPX:** CAMSPAC San Francisco Cal. US0304 USB (w/kg USCGC Buttonwood (WLB-306)) (Baker, Oh.); **RAM 25:** 0320 USB (calling "any CommSta" for tx ck, Miami, NMA, ansvs) (Baker, Oh.)

6501 **WZJG:** American Astronaut 0233 USB (psg AMVER tfc to MNM) (Baker, Oh.); **NMG:** CommSta New Orleans US 0328 USB (6501/6200, w/kg USCGC Padre (WPB-1328), NDCX re HF DL freq 6961.0) (Baker, Oh.); **NMC:** CAMSPAC San Francisco Ca. US 0523 USB (6501/6200, w/kg V9V re chg in "zap 2" HF DL freq to 2610) (Baker, Oh.)

6513 **NROS:** USCGC Spencer (WMEC-905) 2309 USB (w/kg NMF) (Baker, Oh.)

6686 **Golf 1 XRAY:** US Navy US 0000 3/15 USB (Operation ABLE MANNER- Haitian Refugee operation) (Ross, Ont.); **USSCGC Courageous and USCGC Campbell:** 1100 USB (w/kg CGU re boarding of M/V Nautica (Braun, Va.) (Welcome Tim-MW)

7535 **Norfolk Pierside:** 1215 USB (clearing Norfolk SESEF-no reply) (Braun, Va.); **USS John Paul Jones:** 1118 USB (Testing all modes w/Norfolk SESEF) (Braun, Va.); **Norfolk SESEF:** Va. US 1510 USB (w/kg u/i ship (weak) w/QSY 9050 & 12930(?)) (Baker, Oh.); **NJFK:** USS John F. Kennedy (CV-67) 1533 USB (w/kg Norfolk SESEF for xmitr tests) (Baker, Oh.); **USN Philadelphia Naval Ship Yard:** Pa. US 1547 USB (w/Norfolk SESEF for radio test) (Baker, Oh.); **NADH:** USS Saturn (T-AFS-10) 1702 USB (w/kg SESEF for xmitr tests) (Baker, Oh.); **NO ID:** 1747 USB (using tac call "In Port Navy Unit" testing xmitrs) (Baker, Oh.); **NJSP:** USS Scott (DDG-995) 1757 USB (w/Norfolk SESEF) (Baker, Oh.)

7536 **Alpha 55:** 1642 USB (w/Alpha 1 adv cleared to come up on deck, will need to start close to hanger, poss USN) (Baker, Oh.)

8240 **NBNW:** USCGC Sitkinak (WPB-1329) 0749 USB (8240/8764 w/NMG re RTTY freq) (Baker, Oh.); **NRDC:** USCGC Campbell (WMEC-909) 1400 USB (8240/8764, w/NMN for long count & QSY 13125 for pp) (Baker, Oh.); **NJJP:** USCGC Reliance (WMEC-615) 1538 USB (8240/8764, w/NMN re RTTY msg) (Baker, Oh.); **NHMC:** USCGC Harriet Lane (WMEC-903) 1558 USB (8240/8764, w/pp thru MNM to USCGC Cowslip (WLB-277)) (Baker, Oh.); **NRCB:** USCGC Eagle (WIX-327) 1843 USB (8240/8764, CG training "tall" ship, w/NMF) (Baker, Oh.); **NROS:** USCGC Spencer (WMEC-905) 1856 USB (8240/8764, w/NMN re mail for cutter at Cape Cod) (Baker, Oh.)

8719 **USS Dauntless:** 1230 USB (w/kg Miami regarding M/V Barbara) (Braun, Va.); **NKXR:** USS Powhatan (T-ATF-166) 0021 USB (c1g CONSUPRON 8 (Little Creek, VA) (Baker, Oh.); **NXSF:** USS Edenton (ATS-1) 1527 USB (c1g CONSUPRON 8 to 1534, then w/US Hoist (ARS-40), NTWX for radio ck) (Baker, Oh.); **NTWX:** USS Hoist (ARS-40) 1949 USB (w/CONSUPRON 8) (Baker, Oh.); **NADQ:** USS Grasp (ARS-51), NADQ c1g CONSUPRON 8, then "any sta this net") (Baker, Oh.)

8722 **SVN:** Athens Greece 0125 USB (w/ch marker, YL/Greek) (Baker, Oh.); **DTUU:** Po Kang 11(?) 0440 USB (8722/8198, w/kg WOM for pp to Korea) (Baker, Oh.)

8731 **ELBM9:** Tropocali, 0249 USB (8731/8207, w/kg WOM w/R/T tfc) (Baker, Oh.); **PJCH:** Nieuw Amsterdam 0431 USB (8731/8207, w/kg WOM w/R/T tfc) (Baker, Oh.)

8740 **Dreamward:** 2051 USB (8740/8216, concluding tfc w/WOO) (Baker, Oh.)

8743 **KMI:** 0440 USB (8743/8219, w/kg u/i ves DTFA for R/T tfc) (Baker, Oh.)

8746 **Odyssey:** 0415 USB (8746/8222, w/kg WOM for R/T tfc) (Baker, Oh.)

8749 **TAN:** Istanbul Radio Turkey 0320 USB (8749/8225, w/kg ves Hyundai for R/T tfc) (Baker, Oh.); **TAN:** Istanbul Radio Turkey 0407 USB (8749/8225 u/i ves wkg Istanbul Radio, ves had been c1g "Istanbul Radio" on 8225) (Baker, Oh.)

8758 **ELOV5:** Venus 0150 USB (8758/8234, w/kg WOM for R/T tfc holding for ship) (Baker, Oh.); **NRDW:** USS DeWert (FFG-45) 0239 USB (w/kg WOM for attempted R/T call. QSY ch. 810/412) (Baker, Oh.); **S.S. Ocean Breeze:** 0308 USB

(R/T call w/WOM) (Baker, Oh.); **LNP3**: Song of Norway 0319 USB (8758/8207, R/T t/c w/WOM) (Baker, Oh.)

8764 **NMG**: COMMSTA New Orleans La. US 0310 USB (8764/8240, u/i Cleveron(?) Air re contact w/distressed ves on VHF, adv of number of SS spkng F/V likely will assist in area) (Baker, Oh.); **NKVQ**: CommSta New Orleans La. US 0534 USB (8764/8240, w/USCGC Nantucket (WPB-1316), re HFDL freq) (Baker, Oh.); **NMC**: CAMSPAC San Francisco Cal. US 0611 USB (8240/8764, wkg N6G on 8240 re "CARTT" secure FRTT freq 9125) (Baker, Oh.)

8782 **PJCH**: M/S Nieuw Amsterdam 0247 USB (8782/8258, wkg KMI w/R/T t/c) (Baker, Oh.); **C6CN2**: Westward 0505 USB ( 8782/8258 R/T t/c w/KMI) (Baker, Oh.)

8794 **WLC**: Rogers City Radio Mi US 1847 USB (wkg Kaye E. Barker and James R. Barker w/position and stores info) (Baker, Oh.); **WLC**: Rogers City Radio Mi US 2048 USB (giving MAYFOR b/cast for the Great Lakes to 2100) (Baker, Oh.)

8806 **FFL41**: St. Lys Radio, France 0304 USB (w/traffic list) (Baker, Oh.)

8809 **Jupiter**: 0204 USB (8809/8285 wkg WOM for R/T t/c) (Baker, Oh.); **Dreamward**: 0252 (8285/8809 wkg WOM for R/T t/c) (Baker, Oh.); **ELNC5**: Ecstasy 0305 USB (8285/8809 wkg WOM for R/T t/c) (Baker, Oh.); **PJCO**: Noordam 0337 USB (8809/8285 wkg WOM for R/T t/c) (Baker, Oh.); **C6KP**: Festival 0357 USB (8809/8285 wkg WOM for R/T t/c) (Baker, Oh.)

8934 **CG1716**: Coast Guard US 1339 USB (HC-130 w/NMN, pp Miami Op's, re divert & ck report of poss sinking ves, also had EPIRB on 121.5) (Baker, Oh.); **CG1716**: Coast Guard US 1830 USB (HC-130 relaying to NMN, that Res 6575 (HH-65A) has lost electrical system, enrt to assist him, rept has sited "75", headed towards land) (Baker, Oh.)

11189 **NO ID**: 1220 USB (various ships' locations in Caribbean to 6RR) (Braun, Va.)

13089 **NRPX**: USCGC Buttonwood (WLB-306) 0238 USB (13089/12242 w/NMG re HFDL freq, can not go secure) (Baker, Oh.); **NKVQ**: USCGC Nantucket (WPB-1316) 1642 USB (w/NMG re FRTT msg) (Baker, Oh.); **NICB**: USCGC Forward, (WMEC-911) 1818 USB (13089/12242 wkg NMN, pp Dist. 2 Op's) (Baker, Oh.); **BOAE**: 1935 USB (13089/12242 wkg CAMSPAC San Francisco for SITOP freqs, 8424.3(Shore)/8384.3(Ship) given) (Baker, Oh.); **NOBP**: USCGC Mariposa (WLB-397) 2259 USB (w/NMG re HFDL freq (9332)/Baker, Oh.)

13104 **EHY**: Madrid Radio Spain 1802 USB (traffic list) (Baker, Oh.)

13155 **YOO**: 1828 4/29 USB fair (wkg India 6 Sierra off Mexico) (Thompson, Ca.)

17242 **WOM**: Pensuco Radio Fl. US 1700 USB (traffic list) (Baker, Oh.)

17245 **KMI**: Dixon Radio San Francisco Ca. US 0225 USB (wkg Sun Young(?) 818) (Baker, Oh.); **HMS Chaser**: (P-282) 1552 USB (17245/16363 wkg Portishead (GKT62) for R/T t/c) (Baker, Oh.); **GCDG**: HMS Ark Royal (R-07) 1706 USB (17245/16363 wkg GKT62) (Baker, Oh.); **GPBA**: HMS Hecla (A-133) 1818 USB (17245/16363 wkg GKT62) (Baker, Oh.); **GVUK**: HMS Southampton (D-90) 1841 USB (17245/16363 wkg GKT62) (Baker, Oh.); **GDKG**: HMS Coventry (F-98) 1908 USB (17245/16363 wkg GKT62) (Baker, Oh.)

17272 **NSBR**: Samuel B. Roberts (FFG-58) 1910 USB (17272/16390 wkg HOM for R/T t/c) (Baker, Oh.)

#### PHONE

2716 **NO ID**: 2300 USB (Cape Radio (?), relay of WWHL-1350 Cocoa Beach, Fl.) (Braun, Va.)

3860.3 **W33NAN**: Goddard Amateur Radio 0509 LSB (w/re-b/cast of launch of STS-56, w/lift-off at 0529) (Baker, Oh.)

5310 **3 Alpha 5**: 0348 USB (passing msg to u/i station, unk U.S. Military) (Baker, Oh.)

5726 **NO ID**: 0150 4/22 very good (time pips in synch with WWV, no ID, off at 0155) (Ross, Ont.) (the 8th edition of Farrell's CFL has McMurdo Base Antarctica on this frequency-MW)

6798 **NO ID**: 1233 USB (2 men discussing comm links and switch to data channel) (Braun, Va.)

6905 **NO ID**: 0234 USB (relay of "MIX-96" Tampa/St Petersburg, Fl.) (Braun, Va.)

7600 **HD210A**: Time Signal Guayaquil Ecuador 049 4/2 444 (yl w/SS ann.) (Fanderys, Oh.)

8188.5 **NO ID**: 1215 USB (Romeo wkg Foxtrot/Papa/Juliet w/ rx checks and interogation of tracks) (Braun, Va.) (Farrell's has 8188.0 listed as ship station 30-MW)

10780 **Cape Radio**: 1235 USB (radio checks w/Fox 09, USS Thomas Gates, USS Doyle) (Braun, Va.)

20192 **NASA Mission Control Center**: Houston Tx US 1741 4/9 LSB very good (wkg STS-56 through TDRS satellite, over India at time, // 7185) (Ross, Ont.)



## RTTY/FAX

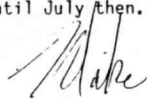
- 6324 **MCC:** Chatham Radio Ha. US 2250 4/17 SITOR B 555 (svc list, subscription info) (Card, R.I.)
- 6496.4 **CFH:** Meteo Canada 0100 4/18 850/75 555 (wx w/code groups & text) (Card, R.I.)
- 6835 **GFL22:** Meteo Brachnell UK 0020 4/18 400/50 (5 letter groups, 5 numbers) (Card, R.I.)
- 7625.8 **TZH:** ASENCA Bamako Mali 2250 4/19 425/50 fair ("RYRY.. DE TZH" tape) (Ross, Ont.)
- 8425 **KLB:** Seattle Wa. US 0235 5/6 SITOR B (traffic list) (Blair, Ca.)
- 10216 **HZN46:** Meteo Jeddah Saudia Arabia 0045 4/22 800/100 454 (5 letter groups) (Card, R.I.)
- 10757.4 **CNM 39.1X:** MAP Rabat Morocco 2038 4/21 400/50 good (MAP w/SS nx) (Ross, Ont.)
- 10805 **LOR:** Buenos Aries Argentina 0110 4/27 850/75 454 (press releases,nx) (Card, R.I.)
- 10980 **RDD79:** Meteo Moscow Russia 2345 4/27 FAX 576/90 444 (N. Pacific/Siberia) (Card, R.I.)
- 12441.6 **5YE:** Nairobi Meteo Kenya 2059 4/2 850/75 fair ("RYRY.. DE 5YE" tape) (Ross, Ont.)
- 12579 **NRV:** Barrigada Guam 1528 4/24 SITOR B (wx) (Blair, Ca.)
- 12693 **ZRQ5:** Cape Town S. Africa 1507 4/26 170/75 (wx in Africaans) (Blair,Ca.)
- 12905.8 **MTQ:** Royal Navy Rosynth Scotland 2218 4/19 850/75 good (2 number 1 letter groups w/ID tape) (Ross, Ont.)
- 13372.7 **5YD:** Nairobi Meteo Kenya 0112 4/29 230/50 good (RYRY DE 5YD tape) (Ross, Ont.)
- 13580 **HMF36:** KCNA Pyongyang N. Korea 2118 4/29 240/50 fair ("QRA DE HMF36/HMF52 FREQ 13580/11476 KHZ K.C.N.A. PYONGYANG") (Ross, Ont.)
- 13780 **HMF35:** KCNA Pyongyang N. Korea 1500 4/27 200/50 (EE nx) (Blair, Ca.)
- 14441.5 **Many Call signs:** MARS different hours (many ships MARS stns) (Baker, Oh.)
- 14452 **HMF57:** KCNA Pyongyang N. Korea 1329 4/24 250/50 fair (ATCC w/FF nx) (Ross, Ont.)
- 14467.9 **KRN:** 1746 3/27 500/50 good (Cuban Embassy (?), "KRN KRN KRN 1/274 RYRY 4646" loop, 5 letter groups) (Ross, Ont.)
- 14726 **NO ID:** 2227 3/11 500/75 very good (DFZG (?) MFA Belgrade Serbia, 5 letter groups) (Ross, Ont.)
- 14824.5 **CLP1:** MFA Havana Cuba 2105 4/12 500/50 good (message to CLP22 Cuban Embassy Hanoi Vietnam) (Ross, Ont.)
- 14859.5 **CLP1:** MFA Havana Cuba 2145 3/12 500/50 good (EE message) (Ross, Ont.)
- 15544 **BZS25:** XINHUA Beijing China 1513 4/29 425/75 (EE nx) (Blair, Ca.)
- 15633 **HMF26:** KCNA Pyongyang N. Korea 0424 4/27 200/50 (EE nx) (Blair, Ca.)
- 15655.1 **NO ID:** 1349 4/9 300/50 fair (EE nx) (Ross, Ont.) (Farrell's shows Morocco MAP CNM65 on 15655 at 400/50 w/EE news from 1200-1400-MW)
- 15827.7 **NO ID:** 2330 3/5 SITOR A 170/100 fair (SELCAL "QUXB", 5 letter groups, mentions of EDONAYARTER and COPIA FUERNAVPA. CDO.) (Ross, Ont.)
- 16077.4 **FDY:** French Air Force Orleans France 0017 4/29 400/50 good (RYRY...TEST DE FDY...FDYFDY... Le BRICK...1234567890 0987654321" tape) (Ross, Ont.)
- 16117 **6VK 317:** Dakar Senegal 1253 4/9 300/50 fair (PANA African EE nx) (Ross, Ont.)
- 16136.1 **BZR66:** XINHUA Beijing China 1257 4/9 365/75 fair (EE nx) (Ross, Ont.)
- 16265 **9VF206:** ANSA Singapore 1642 4/26 850/50 (RYS etc.) (Blair, Ca.)
- 16806.5 **NRV:** Barrigada Guam 2330 5/3 SITOR B (wx) (Blair, Ca.)
- 16834.5 **HNU:** Slide11 La. US 2215 4/23 SITOR B (wx) (Blair, Ca.)
- 18016.7 **MFA:** Cairo Egypt 1836 4/17 SITOR B 170/100 fair (ATU-80 AA traffic) (Ross, Ont.)
- 18055 **DFZG:** MFA Belgrade Yugoslavia 1417 4/24 400/75 fair (TANJUNG w/EE nx) (Ross, Ont.)
- 18173.4 **STK:** Khartoum Sudan 2248 4/28 850/50 ("RYRY DE STK" tape) (Ross, Ont.)
- 18195.6 **CLP1:** MFA Havana Cuba 2115 4/19 500/50 good (5 letter groups to Cuban Embassy Brazzaville Congo) (Ross, Ont.)
- 18741 **CLP1:** MFA Havana Cuba 2054 4/29 500/75 good (5 letter groups) (Ross, Ont.)
- 18891.8 **CLP1:** MFA Havana Cuba 2014 4/21 500/50 good (message to CLP28 Cuban Embassy Lusaka Zambia from Castro to Robert Mugabe w/thanks for congrats and good wishes re reelection as Pres of Cuba) (Ross, Ont.)
- 18895 **CLP1:** MFA Havana Cuba 2124 3/12 500/50 (SS telex to CLP44- Cuban Embassy Harare Zimbabwe) (Ross, Ont.)
- 18895.2 **CLP1:** MFA Havana Cuba 2059 4/27 500/75 very good (Minrex SS bulletin) (Ross, Ont.)
- 19024.5 **CLP1:** MFA Havana Cuba 1814 3/27 good 500/50 (5 letter groups to CLP18- Cuban Embassy Dar-es-Salaam Tanzania) (Ross, Ont.)

19074.7 CLP1: MFA Havana Cuba 1801 3/20 500/50 good (5 letter groups) (Ross, Ont.)  
 19087 CLP1: MFA Havana Cuba 2058 4/13 1020/50 good (telex traffic to African embassies) (Ross, Ont.)  
 19125.8 CLP1: MFA Havana Cuba 2127 3/17 500/50 good (5 letter groups to CLP28-Cuban Embassy Lusaka Zambia) (Ross, Ont.)  
 19330.1 CLP1: MFA Havana Cuba 1830 4/17 500/50 good (5 letter groups to Cuban Embassy Dar-es-Salaam Tanzania) (Ross, Ont.)  
 19612.1 CLP1: MFA Havana Cuba 2017 4/20 500/50 good (5 letter groups) (Ross, Ont.)  
 19821.5 4UN: UNO Geneva Switzerland 1409 4/9 SITOR A 170/100 fair-good (EE nx re refugees in Harbel Liberia) (Ross, Ont.)  
 19865.5 DFZG: MFA Belgrade Yugoslavia 1305 4/20 400/50 fair (TANJUNG w/SS news) (Ross, Ont.)  
 19980 9BC33: IRNA Halaghehdarreh Iran 1529 4/24 320/50 fair (w/EE nx) (Ross, Ont.)  
 19981.6 CLP1: MFA Havana 1731 4/9 500/50 good (5 letters, SS messages) (Ross, Ont.)  
 20085 ISX20: ANSA Rome Italy 1422 4/24 400/50 poor-fair (SS nx) (Ross, Ont.)  
 20131.8 DFZG: MFA Belgrade Yugoslavia 1436 4/9 400/75 fair (TANJUNG w/EE nx) (Ross, Ont.)  
 20139.5 CLP1: MFA Havana Cuba 1801 3/20 500/50 good (5 letter groups) (Ross, Ont.)  
 20140 YBU: 2201 3/11 500/75 good (Cuban Embassy (?), "RYRY SGSG YBU QRU SK" loop) (Ross, Ont.)  
 20156.5 NO ID: 1436 4/9 SITOR A 170/100 fair (stn sending SELCAL "VYQX") (Ross, Ont.)  
 20238 PWN33: Brazilian Navy Stn 1713 3/27 680/75 fair (Metar wx forecast, calling "PWRU" w/RYRY tape) (Ross, Ont.)  
 20401.8 YMMI: Venezuelan Navy Maracaibo Venezuela 2041 4/14 850/75 good (SS traffic to HDN Ecuadorian Navy Quito Ecuador) (Ross, Ont.)  
 20412 NBA: US Navy Balboa Panama 2121 4/29 850/75 good (confidential SS message to HDN Ecuadorian Navy Quito Ecuador) (Ross, Ont.)  
 20554 RFLIG: French Forces Cayenne French Guiana 2030 4/14 ARQ-E 170/72 good ("LXI" identifier "RYRY... Voyez le brick...ten count" tape to RFFXCC French Forces France) (Ross, Ont.)  
 20560 5AQ88: JANA Tripoli Libya 1616 4/24 310/50 fair (EE nx) (Ross, Ont.)  
 20628.4 CLP27: Cuban Embassy Pyongyang N. Korea 1635 4/24 500/75 fair (Minrex SS bulletin, 5 letter groups) (Ross, Ont.)  
 20807 FDY: French Air Force Orleans France 1622 3/27 260/50 fair ("RYRY LE Brick" loop) (Ross, Ont.)  
 20834.2 CLP19: Cuban Embassy Brazzaville Congo 2021 3/27 500/50 (5 letter groups) (Ross, Ont.)  
 20850.1 CLP1: MFA Havana Cuba 1724 4/9 850/50 good (PRENSA Minrex bulletin) (Ross, Ont.)  
 20992 CLP55: Cuban Embassy Georgetown Guyana 1444 3/27 500/75 good (5 letter groups into RYRY tape) (Ross, Ont.)  
 20996.1 NO ID: 1422 3/21 170/50 fair to poor (possible CLP55 Cuban Embassy in Georgetown, Guyana, msg from Georgetown, Guyana requesting tender for long list of medical supplies to go to Ministry of Health Brickdam, Georgetown, signal faded) (Ross, Ont.)  
 23045 CLP1: MFA Havana Cuba 1648 4/9 500/50 fair (SS messages) (Ross, Ont.)  
 23084.1 CLP1: MFA Havana Cuba 2153 3/23 500/50 good (SS traffic) (Ross, Ont.)

A couple of loggings list 9VG in Shanghai. All of my references show them in Singapore, does anyone have any other info??

In addition to 6686 USB Dave Ross also reports "ABLE MANNER" (Haitian Refugee Operation) traffic on 5399.3, 5400, 5403, 6236, and 8972.

That's it for this month. I was really overwhelmed by the input. Thanks one and all, my fingers will never be the same. It was such a great turn out, Eddie and Don gave me a sixth page to work with, thanks guys. I'm working to make the loggings as complete as possible to show service, location, etc. The more you include, the more I can pass on. Given the room, I'd like to be able to include some frequency lists and info I've culled from the ANARC BBS. By the way if you have a computer and modem the board is well worth getting on. The phone number is: 913-345-1978. For example, I've got a list of UN frequencies being used in Bosnia, a list of maps etc from AXM Radio in Australia, a list of INTERPOL frequencies and more. If I have the room I'll run them. Until July then...





## UTILITY NOTES

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Greetings fellow SPEEDX members! Just a little background on myself: I live here in Austintown, Ohio, a suburb of Youngstown. I am married to a VERY understanding wife, and have two sons.

I have been involved with shortwave radio since 1969, and started out in the SWBC bands. After an absence, I jumped back into the hobby with both feet. Last year I added an Icom R-71, and this year hope to add a decoder for CW/RTTY/FAX work. I switched to "Utility Stations" several years ago, becoming fascinated with Coast Guard, Navy and marine band comms. However, any UTE station is "fair game". I hope to continue to keep Harold Woering busy adding to my SPEEDX awards. Harold says he feels like the Maytag repairman with us UTE types, so I encourage you all to apply for your hard earned SPEEDX UTE awards. (OK Harold, send me my \$5.00).

In January of this year, I was able to start a SWL Sig (Special Interest Group) on the Youngstown Free Net system, and continue as "Sysop" there. I invite my fellow Speedx members to check in at the SWL Sig, via Internet at yfn.ysu.edu, or 192.55.234.27, at the login prompt type "visitor". I can also be reached at the "snail" address or Internet address listed at the top.

**Warning:** I do not pretend in any way to be an "expert" in the utility field. But the main benefit of being a Speedx member is to share with and learn from others, so that we further enjoy our hobby. So with that in mind, and encouragement from Chuck Yarbrough, I volunteered to help. Utility Notes was the result. I hope to be bringing you information on the various utility stations, including military stations. I also hope to give a tip of the 'ol SWL hat each month to a Utility Station that has gone above and beyond the "call of duty". So without further delay, let's get to some information:

### U. S. Navy

\* The USS Saipan ARG (Amphibious Ready Group) has relieved the USS Guam ARG in the Mediterranean. The USS Saipan ARG consists of Norfolk-based amphibious assault ship USS Saipan (LHA 2), amphibious transport dock USS Ponce (LPD 15) and the Little Creek-based dock landing ship USS Pensacola (LSD 38).

\* The USS Tripoli ARG, including; USS Tripoli (LPH-10), USS Juneau (LPD-10), and USS Rushmore (LSD-47), has returned to the U.S. after a five-month deployment in Operation Restore Hope, off Somalia.

\* The USS LaSalle (AGF-3) departed the Arabian Gulf in April to return to the U.S. for an overhaul. Since 1972, the ship has returned to the U.S. only 1 other time, 11 years ago.

\* U.S. and Korean forces recently conducted Exercise Team Spirit '93, an annual 10-day exercise conducted off the coast and on the shores of the Republic of South Korea. Navy units that participated included: USS Blue Ridge (LCC 19); USS Independence (CV 62); USS Belleau Wood (LHA 3); USS Bunker Hill (CG 52); USS San Bernadino (LST 1189); USS Germantown (LSD-42); USS Dubuque (LPD 8); USNS Andrew J. Higgins (TAO-190); and the USS Brunswick (ATS 3).

\* U.S. Navy ships also recently participated in GULFEX XVII, an exercise designed to sharpen the USN's ability to work with other navies in support of peace in the Arabian Gulf. USN ships included the destroyer USS Hewitt (DD 966), guided missile frigate USS Samuel B. Roberts (FFG 58) and supply ship USNS Pecos (T-AO-197), as well as ships from Britain, France and Russia. Carrier Airwing 15 from USS Kitty Hawk (CV 63) also took part by flying as aggressors in an air defense exercise.

\* For those wanting to keep an updated list, the U.S. Navy recently christened the guided missile destroyer Laboon (DDG 58). Laboon is the eighth of twenty-six Arleigh Burke class ships authorized to be built. The Arleigh Burke class will replace the older Adams and Farragut classes of guided missile destroyers. Laboon is 567 feet in length, has a beam of 55 feet and displaces approximately 9,500 tons fully loaded.

\* Also commissioned was the nuclear-powered attack submarine USS Montpelier (SSN 765). Montpelier is the fifty-second Los Angeles class nuclear-powered submarine delivered. Sixty-two are

authorized to be built. Montpelier is 360 feet in length, has a beam of 33 feet and displaces approximately 6,900 tons submerged.

\* Two other ships recently commissioned were the USS Monsoon (PC-4), and the USS Typhoon (PC-5). Both are coastal patrol ships, and are the fourth and fifth ships of the 13 ship Cyclone Class scheduled to be commissioned. Now, if only we had these ships' international callsigns...

\* The USS Alexander Hamilton (SSBN 617) was decommissioned Feb. 23, ending its 30-year Navy career.

\* Also recently decommissioned was the USS Prairie (AD-15), which had been the oldest ship in commission. Prairie was in service 53 years.

\* The Guided missile frigate USS Stephen W. Groves (FFG 29) shifted home port's from Mayport, Fla., to Pascagoula, Miss., Jan. 27, 1993. Watch for a change in the FPO address.

\* Another situation that will mean an increase in military/MARS communications is the "high-level multinational efforts to initiate successful peace in former Yugoslavia". Several Sixth Fleet ships are ready and on station in the Adriatic. Naval forces on the scene include elements of the USS John F. Kennedy Battle Group and the USS Guam Mediterranean Amphibious Ready Group (MARG). The cruiser USS Gettysburg (CG 64) and amphibious ships USS Guam (LPH 9), USS Austin (LPD 4), USS Gunston Hall (LSD 44), USS La Moure County (LST-1194) and USS Sumner (LST 1181) are operating in the Adriatic in support of Operation Provide Promise, a humanitarian relief mission into the former Yugoslavia. The frigate USS McInerney (FFG 8) is on station in the Adriatic conducting Maritime Guard operations as part of NATO's Standing Naval Force Mediterranean (STANAVFORMED), an allied naval force that is enforcing U.N. sanctions against the former Yugoslavia. Many of the U.S. Navy ships listed in all the Navy information presented above have been heard quite often on USN MARS over the last month.

#### U. S. Air Force

\* Wing transfers: The 510th Fighter Squadron has completed transferring aircraft from RAF Bentwaters, England, to Spangdahlem, Germany. This complete's the transition of the 510th Fighter Squadron from Bentwaters, which is closing this year. The 510th FS will now have its full compliment of 18 A-10 and six OA-10 aircraft.

Spangdahlem's 52nd Fighter Wing received its first operational A-10s from Bentwaters in October and has been receiving aircraft from England about every two weeks during the transition. The 52nd FW will inactivate when Spangdahlem is redesignated the 20th Fighter Wing Jan. 4. The 20th FW is currently assigned to RAF Upper Heyford, England, but its flying mission there is scheduled to end by Dec. 31. The 20th FW is scheduled to operate three squadrons of F-16s and one A-10 squadron making it the largest flying operation in USAFE.

\* The F-117 stealth fighter teamed up with the 8th Fighter Wing at Kunsan AB for Team Spirit '93. Several F-117s from the 416th Fighter Squadron at Holloman AFB, N.M., along with about 90 members of the 49th Fighter Wing, deployed to Korea for a chance to define their capabilities in a different area.

USN/USAF information from official and news sources, including press releases by the Department of Defense, the Navy News Service, and Air Force News.

#### U. S. Coast Guard

\* Cutter Blackhaw (WLB-390), long a fixture in San Francisco Bay, has been decommissioned. Blackhaw's replacement, the USCGC Buttonwood (WLB-306), NRPX, was monitored last month as it made its way west. Comms started out with CommSta New Orleans, NMG, and now are with CAMSPAC San Francisco, so apparently Buttonwood is now on station.

\* A reminder that if you don't have Communications Station Miami, NMA, in your log books, or QSL'ed yet, times running out. The station was totally destroyed during Hurricane Andrew. The decision has been made to close the facility sometime this year.

\* Mike Schulsinger, Springfield, Ohio, sent me an extensive list of USCG aircraft information he has compiled. It's four pages of aircraft numbers, type, model and "homeplates" as the CG calls its home bases. I'm going to ponder the best way to pass all this info on to everyone. Mike also provides a great idea for USCG "do-it-yourself" QSL cards. He discovered that the U.S. Government Printing Office has a set of 12 Coast Guard postcards. A set includes a HC-130H, HH-3F, HH-65, HU-25A, and a selection of cutters and boats. The price is \$1.50 per set. Stock number is 050-012-00288-6, and the telephone number is (202) 783-3238 (8-4 Eastern time). MasterCard or Visa accepted. It's a great idea for QSL'ing Coast Guard aircraft or cutters. Thanks, Mike.

### Marine Stations/Non-Military Ships

\* German maritime coastal station Norddiech Radio has long been noted for their no-QSL policy. Well, they're back in the QSL business, and with their own QSL card. The card shows their antenna transmitting site.

\* Maritime coastal station KFS, San Francisco Radio, is reported in the May 93 *PopComm* as planning to cease operations in 1993. In fact, they may already be off the air. I'd be interested in knowing if anyone has monitored any of the scheduled broadcasts from KFS.

\* Those who take up Russ Hill's offer of his list of Great Lakes ships, made in his article "Listening To The Lakers" (*Monitoring Times*, May 1993), will want to place 52c postage on the SASE. It turns out his list is more pages than he thought!

### Aero

\* Gander Radio, Canada, have dropped the Family "D" frequencies they were using. In their place they are now using the Family "F" frequencies of 3476.0, 6622.0, 8831.0, and 13291.0 Khz, USB. This is in addition to the Family A, B and C frequencies which remain in use. The VOLMET frequencies of 3485.0, 6604.0, 10051.0, and 13270.0 Khz, remain unchanged.

### Cambridge Bay ICAO Flight Service Station, Canada

The following information is from a QSL letter from Mr. Chris Strube, Flight Service Station Manager of Cambridge Bay.

Cambridge Bay ICAO Flight Service Station is operated by the Canadian Government and is located above the Arctic Circle, at 69.06N, 105.08W. It is the most northerly ICAO station providing coverage to the Canadian Arctic. The station monitors the ICAO Delta family frequencies: 2971, 4675, 8891 and 11279 Khz, USB.

The primary function of Cambridge Bay, as an ICAO member station, is to assist aircraft crossing the Canadian north by relaying flight safety messages to the responsible Area Control Centers, and to the aircraft operating agencies. To ensure adequate coverage during HF blackouts, other ICAO stations in the same network monitor similar frequencies. These other family stations, which extend from Europe to western North America, are: Gander (Newfoundland, Canada); Iqualuit (N.W.T. Canada); Churchill (Manitoba, Canada); Reykjavik (Iceland); Bodo (Norway); and Shannon (Ireland). A group of VHF and HF frequencies are also operated to provide services to aircraft flying to and from Cambridge Bay airport.

To provide these services, the staff consists of seven Flight Service Specialists, located at the facility. The staff finds the work very interesting, and many days it keeps them "very busy".

The ICAO HF transmitters in use at Cambridge Bay are 5,000 Watt Air Comm 1330's, which transmit on a 50 ohm folded dipole.

Cambridge Bay has a population of approximately 1,200 people, of which 80% are Inuit, [Eskimo]. It is the regional headquarters for the central Canadian Arctic Region of the Government of the Northwest Territories. Most jobs, except government positions are seasonal, causing an influx of southern Canadians in the warmer summer months. Temperatures in the summer average +10 Celsius; winter temperatures go as low as -50 Celsius. Wildlife in the area consist of Caribou, Muskox, Arctic White Fox, Red Fox, Ermine and Lemmings. Inhabiting their waters are Arctic Char, Lake Trout, Cod, Seals, and a few "unidentified" types of fish.

Cambridge Bay is serviced by five Boeing 737 flights, and three Hawker-Siddeley 748 flights per week, connecting them with Edmonton, Alberta and Yellowknife, N.W.T.

Mr. Strube concludes that they welcome QSL requests. Make sure you include a PFC, as they have no local QSL card, and I always include a SASE with mint stamps attached. The address is: Cambridge Bay ICAO Flight Service Station, Transport Canada Area Station Manager, Bag Service 500, Cambridge Bay, N.W.T., X0E OCO, Canada.

I would like to thank Chris Strube, for his informative letter on Cambridge Bay.

### Tip of the Ole SWL Hat

This month's tip of the SWL hat goes to coastal station Norddiech Radio, for changing their policy and providing SWL's with a unique QSL card. The time taken from their daily business is appreciated by SWL's everywhere.

If you've had a Utility Station go out of there way for you, let me know about it. Maybe they'll get the Speedx UTE tip of the ole SWL hat.

That's all she wrote for this month, folks, see you next time. I hope you enjoy *Utility Notes*.

# Membership Corner

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Welcome to Membership Corner once again. I'm finishing up this column a bit early this month, as I will be out of town on a business trip when the normal deadline rolls around. Also, there may not be a M.C. column in the July issue, as I will be on vacation most of the month of June. I will be bringing my radio with me, so I might be able to get some listening in for once, hi! Below is the latest contributor table.

| Name               | Sta | Receiver  | Cr | YTD | Name                | Sta | Receiver | Cr | YTD |
|--------------------|-----|-----------|----|-----|---------------------|-----|----------|----|-----|
| Tsunaaki Ashimori  | JPN |           | 3  | 6   | Stanley Kiselyov    | UKR | DX-440   |    | 3   |
| Robert Babin       | MA  | NRD-535   | 5  | 12  | Phil Kyburz         | CO  | DX-440   | 1  | 13  |
| Steven Bagozzi     | CA  | Drake 2-B | 5  | 28  | Harold Langlois     | FL  |          | 5  | 17  |
| Richard Baker      | OH  | IC-R71A   | 1  | 4   | Richard Lemke       | AB  | IC-R71A  | 1  | 2   |
| John Bellovich     | FL  | ICF-2010  | 8  | 43  | Harold Levison      | PA  | R-8      | 3  | 27  |
| Jason Berri        | CA  | R-2000    | 1  | 7   | William Lueck       | WI  | SW-7800  | 1  | 5   |
| Julianna Bickus    | VA  | ATS-803A  |    | 26  | Hank Lukas          | NY  | ICF-2010 | 1  | 32  |
| Steve Biczak       | NJ  | ICF-2010  |    | 15  | William McGuire     | MD  |          | 1  | 6   |
| Forrest Bishop     | OH  | ICF-SW77  | 5  | 25  | Thomas Millard      | TX  | R-5000   | 5  | 23  |
| Arthur Blair       | CA  |           |    | 2   | John Miller         | GA  | ICF-2010 |    | 1   |
| Daniel Brame       | IL  | ATS-808   | 1  | 3   | Kevin Murray        | OR  | R-8      |    | 12  |
| Don Brewer         | KS  | ICF-2010  | 1  | 6   | George Neff         | FL  | RF-2600  | 3  | 7   |
| Edward Brown III   | IL  | ICF-6800W | 1  | 16  | Ed Newbury          | NE  | R-8      | 5  | 26  |
| John Brown         | OK  |           | 1  | 2   | Benton Owsley       | CA  | NRD-525  |    | 16  |
| John Brugliera     | VT  |           |    | 12  | Dale Park           | HI  | R-5000   |    | 1   |
| Peter Card         | RI  | NRD-515   | 1  | 14  | Denis Pasquale      | PA  |          | 1  | 14  |
| John S. Carson Jr. | OK  | NRD-525   |    | 4   | Adrian Peterson     | IN  |          | 1  | 1   |
| Ed Cichorek        | NJ  | R-5000    |    | 2   | Nigel Pimblett      | AB  | R-5000   |    | 2   |
| Jim Clar           | NY  | R-8       | 7  | 32  | Joe Potaczek        | IL  | R-1000   | 5  | 5   |
| Bob Colyard        | NJ  | R-2000    | 1  | 6   | Betsy Robinson      | TN  | R-8      | 3  | 27  |
| Richard D'Angelo   | PA  | IC-R71A   | 5  | 29  | Bruce Robinson      | UT  | DX-440   |    | 6   |
| Robert Dettling    | IL  |           |    | 3   | Don Rontanini       | FL  | FRG-7    |    | 8   |
| Greg Dome          | TX  | R-2000    |    | 23  | Larry Saarikko      | NY  |          | 1  | 1   |
| Steve Evanchuck    | OH  | ICF-2010  |    | 4   | Daniel Sampson      | WI  | ICF-2010 |    | 2   |
| Jim Evans          | TN  | IC-R71A   | 1  | 8   | Mike Schulsinger    | OH  |          |    | 4   |
| Ralph Famularo     | JPN | R-5000    | 2  | 17  | Woody Seymour, Jr.  | NC  | SPR-4    |    | 1   |
| Mike Fanderys      | OH  | ATS-803A  | 6  | 10  | John Sill           | MA  |          |    | 1   |
| John Findlater     | CA  | FRG-7700  |    | 6   | Michael Stine       | MD  | R-8      | 2  | 15  |
| John Fisher        | MA  | R-2000    | 2  | 12  | Kenji Takeuchi      | JPN | R-2000   |    | 1   |
| William Flynn      | OR  |           |    | 8   | Fred Theobald       | FL  |          |    | 9   |
| Robert Foster      | NC  | ICF-2010  |    | 2   | Peggy Thompson      | CA  | FRG-7    | 3  | 17  |
| Robert Fraser      | MA  | DX-370    | 8  | 33  | Don Thornton        | NJ  | NRD-525  |    | 1   |
| Gary W. Froemming  | AZ  | R-5000    |    | 3   | Paul Wakefield      | IA  | ICF-2010 |    | 8   |
| Steve George       | MA  | R-5000    |    | 13  | Andy Wallace        | MA  | IC-R71A  |    | 12  |
| Mikell Goetsch     | PA  | NRD-535   | 2  | 4   | Charles Washburn    | ME  | R-8      |    | 3   |
| Richard Hankison   | KS  | R-5000    | 2  | 13  | R. C. Watts         | KY  |          | 1  | 4   |
| Mike Hardester     | NC  | IC-R70    |    | 10  | Don Weber           | OH  |          |    |     |
| Gerald Hart        | MN  | NRD-535   |    | 20  | William Westenhaver | PQ  | ICF-2010 | 5  | 23  |
| Mark Humenyk       | ON  | D-2935    | 2  | 10  | Steven Willers      | SUI | NRD-525  |    | 6   |
| Tim Johnson        | IL  | R-5000    | 5  | 29  | Alden C. Wires Jr.  | GA  |          |    | 2   |
| David Jones        | TN  |           |    | 1   | Mike Wolfson        | OH  | R-5000   |    | 19  |

I haven't received any member profiles yet, but a few people have expressed interest. If you want to send a profile, but either don't have a picture or don't want your picture printed, go ahead and send it anyway.

Thanks to everyone for your contributions and continued support of SPEEDX. I guess that's it for this month, see you next time. ~Jason

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