

WESTERN SPOTLIGHT

TEXAS

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- 550 KCRS Midland, U4 5000/1000.
 Heard at 0745 with KOY nulled. (Small)
- 550 KTSA San Antonio, U2 5000/5000.
 Heard at 0000 with KOY nulled. (Small)
 + On ET & occasionally on MM to Chicago. V/q. (Kramer)
 + Nighttime regular to NW FL. Noted w/SS one Saturday morning. (Thomas)
 + Heard once with KARI off on a MM. (Hall-Patch)
 + Hrd fairly often during KSD's MM SP w/WKRC nulled. V/q. (Lazar)
 + Infrequent under the jumble after KOAC's nightly 0310 s/off. (Hardy)
- 560 KLVI Beaumont, U2 5000/5000.
 Was hrd several times on MM's when WIND had a regular MM SP. However, WIND seems to be NSP now, making this one difficult. Sent a v/f. (Lazar)
 + A pest when WIND is off & occ. in WIND null. V/l. (Kramer)
 + Reg. nights to NW FL. C&w the last time I checked. (Thomas)
 + Hrd once through the mess at SRS. (Mittman)
 + Hrd at 0500 with KLZ and KSFO. (Small)
- 570 WFAA Dallas-Fort Worth, U4 5000/5000, CBS.
 Fair during rare KLAC SP's. Last hrd in '78 w/Larry King (don't think they still carry him). (Mittman)
 + Regular nights to NW FL w/mostly talk. (Thomas)
 + Heard at 0645 with KLAC. (Small)
 + News/talk. Occasionally during week; frequent on MM. V/q. (Kramer)
 + Heard several times on MM's w/QRM from WAXX & WKBN. Talk format. V/l. (Lazar)
- 590 KLBJ Austin, U2 5000/1000, CBS-Mutual.
 Once at SSS. (Kramer)
 + Heard once at SSS. V/l. (Lazar)
- 600 KROD El Paso, U2 5000/5000, CBS.
 Used to be a regular on MM w/WMT off about five years ago. (Kramer)
 + Hrd at SRS w/KOGO off on a rare SP. (Mittman)
 + On top of channel nightly. (Small)
- 600 KTBB Tyler, U2 1000/1000.
 Once on ET & rare nights. (Kramer)
- 610 KILT Houston, U4 5000/5000.
 Difficult here w/KFRC and KRKE. Best at SSS. (Small)
 + Reg. nights to NW FL w/many others. (Thomas)
- 620 KWFT Wichita Falls, U2 5000/5000, CBS.
 Once on MM w/KGW off & CKCK nulled. (Hall-Patch)
 + O/u CKCK during rare KGW SP's. (Portzer)
 + Very rare, but hrd more than once on MM after 0500 s/on, mixing w/CKCK/KTAR, if KGW takes one of its infrequent MM SP's (which it does 2 or 3 MM's per year). Unlikely if KGW on. (Hardy)
 + Hrd once back in the good old days of 1974 when WTMJ had a nightly SP. Hrd on SRS on a SM when WTMJ did not s/on until 0800. V/l. (Lazar)
 + Hrd at 0500 with KTAR nulled. (Small)
 + Frequent in WTMJ null. V/ppc. (Kramer)
- 630 KMAC San Antonio, U4 5000/5000.
 In most nights in null of KHOW. (Small)
- 650 KIKK Pasadena, D1 250.
 Once at SRS. (Kramer)
 + Irreg. to NW FL at SRS w/WSM nulled. "65-Kick." (Thomas)
- 660 KSKY Dallas, D1 10000.
 Heard once on an ET. (Wein)
 + Occasionally at SSS & SRS. V/l. (Kramer)
 + Easy at s/on. (Small)
 + Heard from time to time at SSS. Religious format. (Lazar)
- 680 KKYX San Antonio, U2 50000/10000, UPI.
 Nightly to NW FL w/WMP5 nulled. C&w. (Thomas)
 + Can be hrd at SSS before KNBR becomes strong. (Small)
 + A couple of times at SR pattern change w/KNBR nulled--if possible. (Hall-Patch)
 + Heard a couple of times at SSS. V/l. (Lazar)
 + Rare evenings & occ. at SSS. V/l. (Kramer)
- 690 KHEY El Paso, U4 10000/10000, Ai.
 Heard once after CBF s/off w/CMBC nulled & w/XETRA QRM. (Lazar)
 + Best at SSS before XETRA comes in. (Small)
 + On old f/c & occ. MM's. V/l. (Kramer)
 + Fair w/XETRA off. C&w format; "K-Hay" slogans. (Mittman)
 + Once weakly w/0700 s/on. XETRA and CBU both off. (Hall-Patch)
 + Once w/KNBR and XETRA off last Dec. (I assume you mean Dec. of 1978? -SMM) (Wien)
- 690 KPET Lamesa, U1 250/250.
 Occ. at SRS after CBF/CMBC fade out. V/ppc. (Kramer)
- 710 KGNC Amarillo, U4 10000/10000, CBS.
 Once at SRS to NW FL. Cont. rx at the time. (Thomas)
 + Best at SSS, with KERE nulled. (Small)
 + Once u/KMPC, no chance w/KFIA NSP. (Wein)
 + A regular on MM's w/KMPC's OC nulled. Can sometimes even be hrd while KMPC is on RS. Sent a v/q. (Mittman)
- 730 KKDA Grand Prairie, D3 5000.
 Occasionally at SSS. V/f. (Kramer)
- 740 KTRH Houston, U4 50000/50000, CBS-Mutual.
 Used to be common MM's w/KCBS off, after KTRH's 0500 MM s/on. CBX, of course, is not AN. KCBS switched to a SM SP in fall 1979, so KTRH should be in AN Sun., mixing w/others. Not all that strong here. (Hardy)
 + Dominates SM's w/KCBS off. Format is nx/talk (tele-talk AN). Off MM 0100-0400. (Portzer)
 + Dominant nights. Carries Larry King. V/q. (Kramer)
 + Fairly regular after 0500 s/on MM if KCBS off. When KCBS is off SM, KTRH is usually dominant. (Hall-Patch)
 + Can be hrd most nights after CBL s/off w/good signals. Has Larry King Show AN. Sent nice v/q. (Lazar)
 + Common on SM's after s/on, w/KCBS off. (Wein)
 + Fair w/KCBS off or nulled, sometimes QRM'ed by KRMG (if on). (Mittman)
 + Nightly to NW FL w/others. (Thomas)
 + Mostly u/KRMG when KCBS off. (Small)
- 740 KCMC Texarkana, U3 1000/1000, Mutual.
 Irregular to NW FL on MM w/KTRH off. (Thomas)
 + Used to be alone on MM when KCBS, KRMG, and KTRH off. (Small)
 + Once on MM several years back. (Kramer)
 + Can be occasionally heard on MM's during KRMG/KTRH SP, but is usually quite weak. (Lazar)
- 790 KULF Houston, U4 5000/5000.
 Heard one MM on an ET. (Portzer)
 + Through KABC with local NSP KCEE off. (Small)
 + Once briefly on a MM. Very weak in KABC null w/CFCW QRM. May have been a test. Not likely now that KGMI is NSP again. (Hall-Patch)
 + Nightly to NW FL atop others. (Thomas)
 + Occasionally nights & SSS. V/l. (Kramer)
- 790 KFYO Lubbock, U4 5000/1000, CBS.
 Hrd several times on SRS. V/l. (Lazar)
 + Occ. nights and frequently SRS. V/l. (Kramer)
 + With KABC nulled and KCEE off. (Small)
- 800 KDDD Dumas, D1 250.
 On DX test in 1974 and once at SSS. V/l. (Kramer)
 + Heard testing w/XEROK off. (Small)

- 810 KBSN Crane, D1 1000. (Ex-970 kHz.)
Rel. Once to IL at SSS during good TX cx. V/1. (Kramer)
- 820 WBAP Fort Worth-Dallas, U1 50000/50000, NBC.
In nightly w/strong signal. (See additional comments at end of column. -SMM) (Hardy)
+ Excellent every night. V/q. (Lazar)
+ In nightly w/C&W mx. Easiest Texan here. NSP; off about two MM's a year. (Portzer)
+ 365 days a year pest. (Small)
+ Occ. through KGO-810 slop. (Wien)
+ A pest nights. V/q. (Kramer)
+ An all-night regular. V/q. (Mittman)
+ Regular nights, rare days to NW FL. (Thomas)
+ Regular AN. Occasional Latin QRM. (Hall-Patch)
- 850 KEYH Houston, D3 10000.
To WI a couple of times at SSS. V/1. (Lazar)
+ SS programming. Frequent o/u KFUO at SSS. (Kramer)
- 860 KSFA Nacogdoches, D1 1000, Mutual.
Once to IL at s/off. V/1. (Kramer)
- 860 KONO San Antonio, U2 5000/1000, Mutual.
Has been hrd at SSS. V/q. (Lazar)
+ Pop mx. Frequently to IL after CJBC s/off. V/q. (Kramer)
+ Rare MM's w/KTAC-850 QRM. (Portzer)
+ Occasionally later on MM w/LPRT QRM. (Hall-Patch)
+ Hrd at 0745 w/KOAM nulled and XEMO off. (Small)
+ Nightly to NW FL. Pop mx. (Thomas)
+ Mixes w/KOAM after XEMO's 0430a s/off. Best on MM's w/KTRB also off. (Mittman)
- 870 KJIM Fort Worth, D1 250.
Heard at s/on through weakening WWL. (Small)
- 900 KFLP Floydada, D1 250.
Heard just after s/on with XEW nulled. (Small)
+ Noted at SRS w/XEW & other QRM. Sent a fast v/1, and then another one (a different signer) six months later! (Mittman)
- 910 KNAF Fredericksburg, D1 1000.
Heard in midsummer at s/on with KRIO. (Small)
- 910 KRIO McAllen, U4 5000/5000.
Heard at 0650 with KJJJ nulled. (Small)
- 910 KIKM Sherman, U3 1000/1000.
Heard at 0530 with XEAO and KJJJ off. (Small)
+ Pop mx. A pest when KGLC off. V/1. (Kramer)
+ Has been heard a couple of times late at night. (Lazar)
- 920 KELP El Paso, U2 1000/500.
Once w/KORK, KOLO, and KNEW all off at the same time. (Wien)
+ A couple of times through KORK with KHJ-930 off. (Mittman)
+ Heard once or twice, before KITN went NSP. (Portzer)
+ A regular with KORK, KOLO, and KQEO nulled. (Small)
+ Hrd twice on MM's several years back when 920 was fairly clear. (Kramer)
- 920 KYXX Odessa, U2 1000/500.
Spur noted on 873 kHz. w/C&W mx. and "K-Y-double X" jingle last July. (Mittman)
- 920 KTLW Texas City, D1 1000, AP.
A frequent SRS visitor. V/1. (Kramer)
- 930 KDET Center, D1 1000.
Hrd once at s/on and twice at s/off. V/1. (Kramer)
- 930 KCCW Terrell Hills, U2 5000/1000. (Ex-KITE.)
Occasionally to NW FL MM's. (Thomas)
+ C&W. Once at SSS. (Kramer)
- 940 KIXZ Amarillo, U4 5000/1000, AP.
Made it years back when KFRE had a MM SP. Still possible if KFRE ever off. QRM also from CJIB. (Hardy)
+ Once on a MM with KFRE off and CJIB nulled. (Hall-Patch)
+ Has made it to WI at SSS. (Lazar)
- + Rare. Possible only when KJR-950/KPRE-940 are off. (Portzer)
+ Top 40. A pest at SSS. (Kramer)
+ "Big KIXZ Radio." Heard only if local NSP KMGX is off. (Small)
- 940 KTON Belton, D3 1000.
On ET and frequently at SSS. V/1. (Kramer)
- 940 KADO Texarkana, D1 2500, Ae.
Once at SSS when they were 1000 watts. (Kramer)
+ Has been heard at SSS. (Lazar)
- 950 KPRC Houston, U2 5000/5000, NBC.
Once to NW FL at SSS on Beverage. (Thomas)
+ A pest at SSS & SRS when WJPC comes on late. Occasionally nights through WWJ. V/q. (Kramer)
+ Off 0300-0600 daily. Hrd one MM w/KJR et al off. (Portzer)
+ Heard at SSS once with fair signal. V/q. (Lazar)
- 950 KSEL Lubbock, U4 5000/500, UPI.
Very rare. Made it here one MM in 1976 with both KJR & XEGM off. XEGM is usually off MM's 0500-0600; if KJR is off too, it's possible, but with fair-to-nil signals. (Hardy) (Note: last Aug. XEGM began an all-night EE disco show after 0300, & w/it went NSP. Since returning from their Dec.-Feb. "SP," their disco program seems to be defunct, but they still seem to be NSP. -SMM)
+ Fair, but QRM'ed by KIMN/KJR/XEFA/XEYJ/XEORF (until 0300), w/XEGM off. Sent a v/1, FM cm, & promo material. (Mittman)
+ Heard at 0530 with XEGM and KIMN nulled. (Small)
+ Heard poorly at SSS. (Lazar)
+ One night during severe aurora. (Kramer)
- 960 KIMP Mt. Pleasant, D1 1000.
Once at SSS. (Kramer)
- 960 KGKL San Angelo, U2 5000/1000, Ac.
Pop mx. One night during aurora. (Kramer)
+ Heard at 0600 with KARZ nulled. (Small)
+ Heard once at SSS with good signals. (Lazar)
- 970 KNOK Fort Worth, D1 1000.
Hrd a couple of times at SSS with fair signals. (Lazar)
+ Once at SSS. V/ppc. (Kramer)
- 990 KTRM Beaumont, U3 1000/1000, Ai.
Heard one MM in 1974. (Portzer)
+ Heard in null of XET, with KTKT off. (Small)
+ Once on MM, briefly above crud. (Hall-Patch)
+ C&W. One MM in WNOX null. V/1. (Kramer)
+ Regular nights to NW FL in WNOX null. (Thomas)
- 990 KNIN Wichita Falls, U4 10000/1000, Ac.
Heard through KTKT carrier at 0545. (Small)
+ Hrd one MM at s/on (0630). "K-nine" ID's. Pop mx. (Portzer)
+ Hrd fairly often at SSS w/good signals. V/1. (Lazar)
- 1010 KDJW Amarillo, U3 5000/500, Ai.
Briefly o/XEHL one SM. Apparent SR power boost. (Hall-Patch)
+ Heard once at SSS w/fair to good signals. (Lazar)
+ Occ. u/KXEG w/good cx to TX. (Wien)
+ Sometimes hrd MM's around 0700 w/KXEG/XEHL & all the other crud. (Portzer)
+ Possible at sunrise on day mode. I hrd it before the advent of NSP KXEG, but KDJW's signal should be strong enough to override the weak 250-watt KXEG signal, I predict. (Hardy)
+ Can be heard here daily. (Small)
+ Their C&W mx used to be noted at SRS, but not since KXEG went fulltime and NSP. (Mittman)
- 1030 KCTA Corpus Christi, L1 50000/50000.
Signs on w/50 kw nondir. AT BOSTON SUNRISE!! (See IRCA Almanac, pp. 44-45, for KCTA s/on & s/off times.) This provides an xlnr. skywave signal for several hrs each morning. Best time has been MM w/KTWO off till 0730. KCTA is strong enough to be audible under KTWO other mornings. (Hardy)
+ Reg. to NW FL at SSS. Religious. (Thomas)
+ Rel. SSS & SRS. Hours: Boston sunrise - LSS. V/q. (Kramer)
+ Easy at s/on with KTWO nulled. (Small)
+ Good every MM before KTWO s/on. SS & EE religion. (Portzer)
+ In nightly at s/on o/u KTWO. (Wien)

- 32-7-5
- 1330 KINE Kingsville, D1 1000.
Occasionally at SSS. V/l. (Kramer)
+ On f/c, with KFH & KFAC nulled. (Small)
- 1330 KVKM Monahans, U2 5000/1000, Ac.
In well at s/on, with KFH. (Small)
+ Hrd once or twice at s/on before KUPL went NSP. (Portzer)
+ Used to be common in KFAC null. Now not hrd since KHYT went fulltime. (Mittman)
- 1330 KZAK Tyler, D1 1000.
Occ. at s/on in WEAU/WPRZ null. V/l. (Kramer)
- 1340 KSET El Paso, U1 1000/250, Mutual.
Usually on top of channel. (Small)
- 1340 KLBK Lubbock, U1 1000/250, Ac.
Hrd at 0330, w/XEAA nulled. (Small)
- 1340 KPDN Pampa, U1 1000/250, Mutual.
On test in graveyard QRM. (Small)
+ Makes it occ. on their r/c. V/ppc. (Kramer)
- 1340 KOLE Port Arthur, U1 1000/250, Ac.
Hrd a couple times in 1975 on MM's both while testing and while on RS. V/l. (Lazar)
- 1350 KCAR Clarksville, D1 500.
A SRS & SSS pest. Gets out real well. V/l. (Kramer)
- 1350 KTXJ Jasper, D1 1000.
Once on an old f/c. V/l. (Kramer)
+ Heard on f/c. (Not on latest f/c list.) (Portzer)
- 1350 KCOR San Antonio, U2 5000/5000.
SS programming. Once at SSS & one night. (Kramer)
+ SS format. Hrd rarely, only when KRLC is off. (Portzer)
+ Heard EE ID between SS records at 0430. (Small)
- 1360 KQIZ Amarillo, D1 500, Mutual.
Once at s/off. (Kramer)
- 1360 KBUK Baytown, U4 1000/1000.
Irreg. to NW FL at SSS in WSAI null. (Thomas)
- 1360 KRYS Corpus Christi, U1 1000/1000, Ai.
Very occasionally on MM's. (Hall-Patch)
+ Heard from time to time on MM's during WGEE SP & w/WSAI nulled. (Lazar)
+ Rare MM's. (Portzer)
+ Used to dominate nights when WBAY (now WGEE) went off every night. Now hrd at SSS & in aurora. V/l. (Kramer)
+ At 0345 w/KXOL nulled. (Small)
- 1360 KXOL Fort Worth, U2 5000/1000.
Battles w/KGB for channel. (Small)
+ Audible most MM's with KGB et al. (Portzer)
+ Very occasionally on MM's. (Hall-Patch)
+ C&W mx. Once at SSS & one night. (Kramer)
- 1370 KPRO Longview, U2 1000/1000, Ai.
Can occ. be pulled out from u/WSPD during the early morning hours. (Lazar)
+ At s/on, under KPOS, from MM SP. (Small)
+ Once at SSS. (Kramer)
+ Occasionally to NW FL during WCOA SP. (Thomas)
- 1370 KPOS Post, D1 1000.
Hrd a couple of MM's in the early 70's before KEEN/CHPQ went NSP. (Portzer)
+ Easy at s/on. (Small)
- 1380 KBWD Brownwood, U1 1000/500, Ac.
Sometimes hrd around 0600-0700 if KRKO is off (not very often). (Portzer)
+ Easy at s/on. (Small)
- 1380 KTSM El Paso, U1 5000/500, CBS-Mutual-NBC.
Sometimes hrd w/KRKO off. (Portzer)
+ Fairly regular on top w/KTOM. (Small)
+ Fair through KTOM/KGER-1390 slop til 0200 s/off. (Mittman)
- 1380 KMUL Muleshoe, D1 1000.
Hrd on RS at 0700 in heavy QRM. (Small) (Love that city's name, hi! -SMM)
- 1390 KBEC Waxahachie, D3 500.
At 0700 on RS w/KCRC and KENN. (Small)
- 1400 KUNO Corpus Christi, U1 1000/250.
Hrd a couple of MM's in early 70's on RS. Not likely w/several WC stns now NSP. Had SS & "Cah-Uno" ID's back then. (Portzer)
- 1400 KGVV Greenville, U1 1000/250.
Used to come in regularly on old f/c. V/l. (Kramer)
- 1400 KIUN Pecos, U1 1000/250.
Hrd on f/c. (Wien)
+ Heard one MM in 1969 at s/on. (Portzer)
+ At s/on w/KVOY & KVEG. (Small)
- 1400 KEYE Perryton, U1 1000/250.
In RS at 0730 & heavy QRM. (Small)
- 1400 KVOP Plainview, U1 1000/250.
On f/c; KVEG nulled. (Small)
+ Hrd once on f/c. (Not on latest f/c list.) (Portzer)
- 1400 KDWT Stamford, SH1 1000/250.
ID popped out of mess early one evening. (Mittman)
+ Hrd one MM in 1971 at s/on. Fat chance these days. (Portzer)
- 1410 KBUD Athens, D1 1000.
Hrd consecutive s/ons for this and KBAN on same morning. (Small)
+ Once on ET & occasionally at SSS. V/l. (Kramer)
- 1410 KBAN Bowie, D3 500.
(Same comments as for KBUD above.) (Small)
- 1410 KXIT Dalhart, D1 500.
In RS at 0800. (Small)
+ Occasionally on old f/c. V/l. (Kramer)
- 1410 KKYR Marshall, D3 500. (Ex-KDOX.)
Occasionally at SSS. V/l for KDOX. Hasn't veried on KKYR call letters. (Kramer)
- 1410 KRIG Odessa, U2 1000/1000.
A regular on this "open" channel. (Small) (Bite your tongue, or everyone will go NSP, hi. -SMM)
+ Occ. nights at s/off. Came in strong many times. V/l. (Kramer)
+ Rock mx. Hrd during very rare (once every year or two or three...) CFUN SP's. (Portzer)
- 1410 KNAL Victoria, U2 500/500, Mutual.
Once on r/c w/cw ID's. V/l. (Kramer)
+ Hrd once w/fair signals at SSS. (Lazar)

+ Occasionally pushing past CKDA-1220 crud nights. (Hall-Patch)
 + In nightly (off MM only). (Hardy)
 + Regular w/KEZY-1190 slop. (Mittman)
 + A pest. V/l. (Kramer)
 + Easy to hear any night. V/f. (Lazar)
 + A pest, except when they have basketball. (Small)

1220 KZEE Weatherford, D1 500.
 Once at SSS. V/l. (Kramer)
 + At s/on with XEB nulled. (Small)

1230 KNUZ Houston, U1 1000/250, Ai.
 Once to Chicago during severe aurora. (Kramer)

1230 KERV Kerrville, U1 1000/250.
 Heard on late (0200) with tornado advisory. (Small)

1230 KOZA Odessa, U1 1000/250.
 Heard on f/c with KX0. (Small)
 + Heard on r/c. (Kramer)

1230 KGRO Pampa, U1 1000/250, Ae.
 Once on ET. (Kramer)

1240 KVLV Alpine, U1 1000/250, Mutual.
 Heard on f/c with KSON. (Small)

1250 KPAC Fort Arthur, U2 5000/1000, CBS-Mutual.
 Heard at 0600 under WREN. (Small)
 + Occasionally at SSS. V/l. (Kramer)
 + Heard once or twice after MM s/on w/KYAC off. (Portzer)

1250 KUKA San Antonio, D1 1000.
 SS, "R. Kuka" ID's. Hrd once w/KYAC (then KTW) off. (Portzer)
 + "R. Kuka" in SS during test; WREN nulled. (Small)

1250 KIKZ Seminole, D1 1000.
 Common almost any morning before KTMS s/on. Can even be hrd fairly well on 370 watt P.S.A. (Mittman)
 + Once on SRS through WREN. (Wien)
 + Heard on RS after s/on, with WREN. (Small)

1260 KSPL Diboll, D1 1000.
 Heard once or twice on MM's a few years ago w/KYAC (then KTW) off. Tougher now w/GFRN NSP. (Portzer)
 + Heard once poorly at SSS. (Lazar)

1260 KPFO Falfurrias, D1 500.
 Heard on DX test. V/l. (Kramer)

1260 KIXY San Angelo, D1 1000. (Ex-KWFR)
 (Same comments as for KSPL above.) (Portzer)
 + Once on old f/c. V/ppc. (Kramer)
 + On f/c. (Small)

1260 KTAE Taylor, D1 1000.
 (Same comments as for KSPL above.) (Portzer)
 + At s/on with KYA & KGBX. (Small)
 + Twice at SSS. V/l. (Kramer)

1260 KTUE Tulia, D1 1000.
 SS programming. Once at SSS. Did not answer my reception report. (Kramer)
 + S/on 30 minutes after KTAE same morning. (Small)

1270 KFJZ Fort Worth, U3 5000/5000, UPI.
 A regular, strongest on channel. (Small)
 + Was a MM regular before KCOK went AN MM. (Portzer) (@#%\$-SMM)
 + Was common on MM's w/1270 open, KCOK now NSP so that's another frequency gone to pot. (Wien)
 + Hrd once w/KFRN-1280 off, & also once poorly w/KFRN on. Is probably next to impossible now w/KCOK NSP. (Mittman)
 + Used to be a pest a few years back before WWCA/WXYZ/WHBF went NSP. Very rare now. V/q. (Kramer)
 + Heard in 1975 and 1977 on MM's back in the days before WHBF went NSP. (Lazar)
 + Irreg. nights to NW FL. (Thomas)
 + Sometimes fair-to-poor MM's through CHWK OC. (I think KFJZ is off part of MM now, so would have to be after KFJZ s/on MM.) (Hardy)

1270 KEPS Eagle Pass, D1 1000.
 Heard one MM at s/on. (Portzer)

1280 KNIT Abilene, D1 500. (Currently KEAN.)
 Heard once on f/c. (Not on latest f/c list.) (Portzer)

1290 KWGH Big Lake, D1 1000.
 Local NSP KCUB off; heard at 0710. (Small)

1290 KRGV Weslaco, U2 5000/5000.
 Logged w/KWGH (above) at same time. (Small)
 + Sometimes hrd MM's around 0600-0700 (before KGVO s/on). Possible here only w/KMPS-1300 off (a rarity). (Portzer)
 + Once at 0300 s/on MM. (Hall-Patch)

1290 KTRN Wichita Falls, U2 5000/1000.
 (Same comments as for KRGV above.) (Portzer)
 + Heard at SSS and in evening during severe aurora. Had to send follow-up report w/ppc to get verie. (Lazar)
 + Frequently at SSS, and one night. (Kramer)

1300 KVET Austin, U4 5000/1000.
 Rare nights, usually during aurora. V/l. (Kramer)
 + Heard at 0545 with KCUB splash. (Small)

1300 KKAS Silsbee, D1 500.
 Once at s/on through WTAQ OC. (Kramer)

1310 KZIP Amarillo, D1 1000, Ae.
 Twice at SRS & once at SSS. C&W. V/ppc. (Kramer)

1310 KAAM Dallas, U2 5000/5000. (Ex-WRR.)
 NSP. SSS & most nights. (Kramer)
 + Occasionally on MM. "K-double A-M." (Hall-Patch)
 + A regular, strongest on channel. (Small)
 + Irreg. to NW FL as old WRR. Not yet logged as KAAM. (Thomas)
 + Have only hrd this stn once--just after the call change. Muchos QRM. (Mittman)
 + Was regular for years on MM when it was WRR. Unfortunately, KDIA/KLIX/KEIN are all AN MM now, so it's difficult now. (Hardy)
 + Can be hrd often on MM's during WIBA SP mixing w/WIFE/CKOY. (Lazar)
 + A few times in 1310 mess w/KDIA off; not hrd since call change. (Wien)
 + "K-double A-M," sometimes hrd MM's w/assorted QRM. (Portzer)

1310 KOYL Odessa, D1 1000, Ac-Ae.
 One of my strangest DX catches! Last Oct. I was going over an old tape I had made approx. 1 year earlier, when suddenly out popped a "Coil" ment and a "K-O-Y-L" SID! (Mittman)
 + At 0800 through KAAM & KQXE (Granted KZZP.-SMM). (Small)

1310 KBUC San Antonio, D3 5000, Ai.
 On test with KAAM nulled. (Small)

1320 KVMC Colorado City, D1 1000.
 At s/on with KCPX and KXYZ. (Small)

1320 KXYZ Houston, U2 5000/5000, Ae.
 Regular, strongest on channel with KCPX. (Small)
 + Nightly to NW FL. Noted recently w/UPI Audio news and "Your constant Christian companion" slogan. (Thomas)
 + Very occasionally MM if CHQM off and KCPX nulled. (Hall-Patch)
 + Heard occasionally at night w/heavy QRM. Sent me a v/f promising a v/q to come later, but it never came. (Lazar)
 + I think they're C&W now, but they change formats so often, it's hard to keep up with it. Occasionally nights through WKTQ, WILS. (Kramer)
 + Once or twice w/KCPX off. Once u/KCPX. KGNR now AN; makes things a bit more difficult. (Wien)
 + Rare here w/CHQM NSP. Heard once in 1975 good o/KCPX w/CHQM off. (Hardy)

1330 KMIL Cameron, D1 500.
 Once at s/off. V/l. (Kramer)

1330 KSWA Graham, D1 500, Mutual.
 Once at s/off. V/l. (Kramer)

+ Operates Boston sunrise to LSS. Easy to hear at either sunrise or sunset. Religious format. V/f. (Lazar)
 + (Limited time.) Fairly regular after s/on at Boston SR time, MM when KTWO is off. (Hall-Patch)

1040 KPBC Dallas, D1 1000, UPI.
 Once at SSS. (Kramer)
 + Irreg. to NW FL at SRS after WHO fade. (Thomas)

1050 KIXS Killeen, D1 250.
 Poor once at SSS. (Kramer)

1050 KCAS Slaton, D1 250, Ai.
 Weak once at SSS during aurora. Heard same day as KIXS. (Kramer)
 + Heard at 0730 through XEG. (Small)

1060 KAMA El Paso, D1 10000.
 Heard one MM on f/c (not listed on latest f/c list). (Portzer)
 + Heard on f/c. (Wien)
 + Nancy heard their r/c in 1974, even w/KPAY/CFCN both on. Never hrd on RS although theoretically possible if El Paso sunrise occurs before KPAY's 0800 MM s/on. If someone could arrange a MM ET (w/KPAY SP 0300-0800), KAMA might get out well through CFCN (NSP). (Hardy)
 + Used to come in good on old f/c. (Kramer)
 + Heard at s/off (in Spanish). (Small)
 + Heard s/off in EE & SS under KNX-1070. (Mittman)

1060 KHYM Gilmer, D1 10000, Mutual.
 Heard once poorly at SSS. (Lazar)
 + S/on, with KKKQ, KPAY, and WNOE. (Small)
 + Rel. Heard at SRS, SSS, and ET. V/l. (Kramer)

1060 KCLT Lockhart, D3 250.
 Heard s/on with former KHRB call. (Small)

1070 KOPY Alice, U2 1000/1000, Mutual.
 Heard at 0545 while trying for KENR (KNX off). (Small)
 + Once to NW FL at SSS. (Thomas)

1070 KENR Houston, U3 10000/5000.
 Through HJCG in KNX SP. (Small)

1070 KWEL Midland, D1 1000, Ai.
 Heard weak several times at s/off. (Kramer)

In addition to the above and future tips, Bill Hardy also sends along some comments about reception of the strong Texans from his home in the Pacific Northwest:

"Most consistent here: WBAP-820 and WOAI-1200. They (plus WWL-870) are the strongest U.S. I-A clears here, except for closer KSL-1160 and KFI-640. WBAP, WOAI, and WWL are much more consistent here than WCCO-830 and WHO-1040, despite comparable air milage. (Believe WWL is U3 though. -SMM) The Texans and WWL are in with semi-local quality on good cx nights when WCCO and WHO are just fair. On nights when WBAP and WOAI are weaker, WCCO and WHO usually aren't in at all. So the Texans and WWL are much more reliable here. (Strong signals from KGO-810 and KEX-1190 tend to cover up WBAP and WOAI on less selective, inexpensive rx's most of the time.)"



1080 KRLD Dallas, U2 50000/50000, Ai-Mutual.
 Occasionally w/KWJJ evenings if CFAK-1070 splat not too bad. (Hall-Patch)
 + Sunday mornings w/KWJJ off, & u/KWJJ many evenings, especially when KWJJ breaks its regular C&W format for paid religion late evenings til midnight. (Hardy)
 + A pest with WTIC. (Kramer)
 + Heard easily at night and at SSS. Sometimes WTIC QRM is a problem, but other times KRLD comes in clear. V/q. (Lazar)
 + Fair evenings with KNX-1070 somewhat nulled. (Mittman)
 + Dominates SM's w/KWJJ off; sometimes hrd other nights w/KWJJ nulled. (Portzer)
 + Nightly pest year round. (Small)
 + Regular nights to NW FL. (Thomas)
 + Most common Texan. Nightly in KWJJ null after KSCO s/off, o/u KSCO when they're on. KSCO has a horrendous signal here at night! (Wien)

1090 KACO Bellville, D1 250, Mutual.
 Heard on DX test. V/l. (Kramer)

1090 KKYN Plainview, D1 1000, Ai.
 Heard once in 1975 on emergency broadcast on a MM due to tornado warning. V/l. (Lazar)
 + Heard on DX test and once at SSS. V/l. (Kramer)

1110 KDRY Alamo Heights, D1 1000.
 Occasionally at SSS. V/l. (Kramer)

1120 KCLE Cleburne, D1 250.
 Heard at 0800 through KMOX and XETR. (Small)

1130 KWBY Edna, D3 10000.
 Heard at s/on under KWKH. (Small)

1130 YBGH Memphis, D3 1000.
 Heard at 0800 through KWKH. (Small)

1140 KORC Mineral Wells, D1 250.
 Heard at 0630 with KRAK nulled. (Small)
 + Once to IL at SRS on 4.6 watt PSA power. (Kramer) (Excellent catch, Robert! -SMM)

1150 WTAW College Station, U2 1000/500.
 Heard on 1976 IRCA DX test, with XERM and KIIS. (Small)
 + Frequently at SRS & aurora nights. C&W. V/l. (Kramer)

1150 KCCT Corpus Christi, D3 1000.
 Heard on old f/c. V/l. (Kramer)

1150 KISO El Paso, D1 1000, Ae. (Ex-KIZZ)
 Heard with both calls on old f/c, v/l's from both. (Kramer)

1150 KOLJ Quanah, D1 500.
 C&W. Once at SRS. Didn't answer my report. (Kramer)

1190 KLIF Dallas, U4 50000/5000, Ae.
 Sometimes heard SM's with KEX off. Sends a v/q. (Portzer)
 + Sometimes in weak Sun. during KEX weekly SP 0500-0800. (Hardy)
 + Heard fairly often during WOWO MM SP w/variable reception quality. Also possible to hear at SSS. (Lazar)
 + R&R. NSP. A pest MM's & SSS; occasionally through WOWO nights. V/l. (Kramer)
 + Regular pest here. (Small)
 + Heard once with KEZY off on a rare SP. (Mittman)
 + Regular nights to NW FL. (Thomas)

1200 WOAI San Antonio, U1 50000/50000, CBS-NBC.
 Regular nights, once during day to NW FL. (Thomas)
 + Nightly through KLOK-1170 slop. (Wein)

- 1420 KLPB Lubbock, D1 500. (Granted U2 500/500.)
At s/on in EE (some SS programming). (Small)
- 1420 KLUF Lufkin, U2 1000/1000. (Granted U2 5000/1000.)
At s/on. (Small)
+ Once at SSS after change to night pattern. (Don't know why they weren't in on ND.) V/l. (Kramer)
- 1420 KGNB New Braunfels, D1 1000.
Once at s/off. (Kramer)
- 1420 KPEP San Angelo, D1 1000.
At s/on with KTJS and XEF carrier. (Small)
- 1430 KSTB Breckenridge, D1 1000, Mutual.
Once at s/off. (Kramer)
- 1430 KCOH Houston, D1 1000.
Occasionally at SSS. C&W mx. (Kramer)
- 1440 KPUR Amarillo, U2 5000/1000.
Good to SoCal w/rock mx with KPRO off. (Mittman)
+ Occ. on MM's through KUHL w/KARM slop and KNTA off. (Wien)
+ Occ. under CFCP OC after local midnight. (Hall-Patch)
+ An infrequent visitor various nights, depending on whether CFCP/KMED are maintaining AN skeds (which they add & drop from time to time). Mixes with KEWI/KUHL when in; all are very weak. (Hardy)
+ Rock mx, NSP; dominates MM's. Also hrd many weekday mornings, except when KMED or CFCP decide to go AN. A pest. (Portzer)
+ Top 40. On r/c and occasionally at SSS. V/l. (Kramer)
+ At 0615 with KEWI. (Small)
- 1440 KEYS Corpus Christi, U2 1000/1000.
At 0130 in RS under KPRO. (Small)
- 1440 KDNT Denton, U4 5000/500.
Occ. nights, especially during aurora. C&W mx. V/l. (Kramer)
- 1440 KETX Livingston, D1 5000.
Occasionally at SSS. V/l. (Kramer)
+ At 0730 with good ID out of jumble. (Small)
- 1450 KAYC Beaumont, U1 1000/250.
Top 40, NSP. Occ. nights after WVON vacated frequency (until WFMT came on). (Kramer)
- 1450 KMBL Junction, U1 1000/250.
Heard twice on MM's in Spring of 1969 around 0700. Probably hopeless these days..... (Portzer)
- 1450 KSNY Snyder, U1 1000/250.
Hrd a couple of times on MM's around 0700 in the late 60's. Still possible if about 6 NSP'ers (KEED, KEYY, KEST, et al) are all off at the same time. (Don't hold your breath...) (Portzer)
+ At s/on 0630. (Small)
- 1460 KBRZ Freeport, D1 500.
C&W mx. Occasionally at SSS. (Kramer)
- 1460 KLLL Lubbock, D1 1000, Mutual.
At 0700 with KDON nulled. (Small)
- 1460 WACO Waco, U2 1000/1000, Ac.
Top 40. Occasionally when KSO and WBNS go off. (Kramer)
+ Through KDON during reported SP. (Small)
+ Was a pest after 0630 s/on MM's in the late 60's/early 70's. Not hrd in recent years with KMWX and KDON now NSP. (Portzer)
- 1470 KRBC Abilene, U2 5000/1000, Ac.
MOR mx. Occ. SSS & evenings through WMBD. V/l. (Kramer)
+ Hrd occasionally MM's 0600-0800. (Portzer)
+ In RS at 0745 with KNDE (now KXOA. -SMM) nulled. (Small)
+ Once noted through CJVB OC after local midnight. (Hall-Patch)
+ Once or twice on SRS. (Wien)
- 1470 KDHN Dimmitt, D3 500, Ae.
Heard on ET / f/c. (Wien)
+ In RS shortly after s/on. (Small)
+ Hrd occ. around 0700 s/on MM's before CJVB came on. (Portzer)
- 1470 KWRD Henderson, D1 500.
Heard once on f/c. (Portzer)
+ Once on r/c several years ago. V/l. (Kramer)
- 1480 KBOX Dallas, U4 5000/1000.
Good on 1975 MM's when frequency was wide open. Now blocked by KVAN. Still possible if KVAN ever off (and KRED also off, as on MM's). (Hardy)
+ Occasionally MM before KVAN went NSP. (Hall-Patch)
+ Best on channel, with KWIZ. (Small)
+ Once or twice with everyone, including KWIZ, off. (Wien)
+ Rare MM's through assorted QRM. (Portzer)
+ Hrd 1/29/79 with C&W mx and "K-Box" slogans. KWIZ off, possibly because earlier that day (at SSS) their XR was struck by lightning! (Mittman)
- 1480 KAPE San Antonio, D3 500, Ac.
On test, with KWIZ. (Small)
- 1490 KNON Austin, U1 1000/250.
Hrd one MM in early 70's. Not possible now with CJPR/KRNR AN MM's. (Portzer)
- 1490 KIBL Beeville, U1 1000/250.
At s/on with local NSP KAIR off. (Small)
- 1490 KDOK Tyler, U1 1000/250.
Once atop the GY to NW FL, early eve. Top 40. (Thomas)
- 1500 KBBG Merkel, D1 250.
Occasionally at s/off. (Kramer)
- 1500 KTXO Sherman, D3 1000.
Fairly regular at SSS during fall and winter. V/ppc. (Kramer)
- 1510 KCTX Childress, D1 250.
Heard once or twice around 0700. Should still be possible MM's with KGA off. (Portzer)
- 1510 KMOO Mineola, D1 500.
(Same comments as for KCTX above.) (Portzer)
+ Once at SSS. (Kramer)
- 1510 KCAW Port Arthur, D1 1000. (See note below. -SMM)
Often at SSS. (Kramer)
- KYKR Port Arthur, D1 1000.
At SSS. C&W mx. V/ppc. (Kramer)
+ Once to NW FL at SSS w/NLAC nulled. (Thomas)
+ (Same comments as for KCTX above.) (Portzer)
(Note: KYKR is currently KEAM Nederland, D3 5000 and requests D3 10000. -SMM)
- 1510 KROB Robstown, D1 500.
Rare at SSS. (Kramer)
+ At s/on, with KGA and KSOM (Currently KNSE. -SMM). (Small)
- 1510 KSTV Stephenville, D1 250. (Great name for a town, hi! -SMM)
Once at s/off. (Kramer)
+ At 0615, with KDKO and KGA. (Small)
+ (Same comments as for KCTX above.) (Portzer)
- 1530 KGTTN Georgetown, D1 1000.
Fairly regular at SSS. V/l. (Kramer)
+ Heard at s/on, with KFBK on. (Small)
+ Hrd one or two AM's around s/on. Best time to try today is MM with KFBK off. (Portzer)
- 1530 KGBT Harlingen, U6 50000/10000.
"R. Panamericana" at s/on under WCKY. (Small)
+ SS programming. Occ. at SSS. (Kramer)
+ SS format beamed into Mexico. (The opposite of XETRA/XEPRS, etc.) Hrd rarely at 0600 s/on with KFBK off. (Portzer)

1530 KAWS Hemphill, D1 1000.
Occasionally at s/off in winter. (Kramer)

1530 KCLR Ralls, D1 5000.
Good at s/on over nulled KFBK. (Small)
+ Heard on DX test in 1967. (Portzer)
+ A SSS regular and hrd once on 192 watt PSA power at SRS. (??
NRC lists their PSA as 235 watts; 1000 watts during CH1 -SMM)
V/l. (Kramer)

1540 KBUY Port Worth, U4 50000/10000. (See note below. -SMM)
Occ. at SSS and one night during aurora. V/l. (Kramer)
+ Noted as KBUY a couple of times when KZAM off. (Hall-Patch)
KRXV Once on ET. (Wien)
+ Occasionally at SSS. (Kramer)
+ Noted now and then on MM (KZLA off) with MOR/btfl mx. Espe-
cially strong at SRS. (Mittman)
+ Regular in null of KZLA. (Small)
+ Regular nights to NW FL. (Thomas)
+ Hrd a few times on MM's before KZAM went NSP. (Portzer)
(Note: KRXV (ex-KBUY) is currently KMZK, and has been granted
KTIA; i.e., KBUY/KRXV/KMZK/KTIA! -SMM)

1540 KGBC Galveston, U2 1000/250, Ai.
Has made it past KXEL a couple of times at SSS with fair sig-
nals. V/l. (Lazar)
+ MOR mx. Most days at SSS & occ. nights in KXEL null. V/ppc.
(Kramer)

1550 KHBJ Canyon, D1 1000. (Ex-KCAN.)
At s/on as KCAN with KRGO and KKJO. (Small)
+ R & R. A regular at SSS during aurora. (Kramer)

1550 KCOM Comanche, D1 250.
Once at SSS during aurora. V/l. (Kramer)

1550 KWBC Navasota, D1 250.
MOR/EZL. To IL at SSS during aurora. V/l. (Kramer)

1560 KCAD Abilene, D1 500. (Currently KBER.)
Heard on ET. (Kramer)
+ Heard 8/24/78 with U.P.I. news and MOR mx. (Mittman)
+ Heard a few times around 0700-0730. (Portzer)
KBER At s/on; good with no sign of KKA. (Small)
+ Pop mx. Occasionally at SSS. (Kramer)

1560 KEGG Daingerfield, D1 1000.
Loud in NW FL on DX test. (Thomas)
+ Heard twice on ET. V/l. (Kramer)

1560 KGUL Port Lavaca, D1 500.
Heard once at SSS during aurora. (Kramer)
+ At s/on with KPMC off. (Small)

1570 KZOL Farwell, D1 250.
At s/on under XERP. (Small)

1570 KVLG LaGrange, D3 250.
Fairly often at SSS. V/l. (Kramer)

1570 KTER Terrell, D1 250.
A SSS regular. C&W mx. V/ppc. (Kramer)

1580 KIRT Mission, D1 1000.
Occasionally at SSS. (Kramer)

1580 KTLU Rusk, D1 500.
Once on r/c. V/l. (Kramer)

1580 KWED Seguin, D1 1000, Mutual.
Btfl mx. A SSS pest. V/l. (Kramer)
+ At s/on, just ahead of KDAY, with KRZI. (Small)
+ Has been heard several times at SSS w/poor to fair signals.
(Lazar)

1580 KRZI Waco, U4 1000/250.
Hrd faintly a couple of times w/KDAY off MM. KNIX may cover
now. (Hall-Patch)
+ Regular; on top when KDAY off. (Small)
+ Hrd a few times here with KDAY off. (Portzer)
+ One of the few fulltimers on 1580, they've been hrd infrequent-
ly during KDAY's MM 0500-0700 SP. Very weak when in. (Hardy)

+ Used to be hrd from time to time on MM's KDAY off, usu-
ally QRM'ed by KLOU. Hasn't been hrd since KNIX went full-
time. (Mittman)

+ Has been heard several times after CBJ s/off. At times has
had fairly good signal. (Lazar)

+ Top 40. NSP. Suddenly appeared as dominant on 1580 in 1977,
then disappeared. Now hrd occasionally. Did not verify.
(Kramer)

1580 KGAP Gainesville, D1 250.
Made it to WI once at SSS w/fair signal. (Lazar)

1590 KGAS Carthage, D1 1000, Ae. (Granted D1 2500.)
Once at s/off. (Kramer)

1590 KERC Eastland, D1 500.
At s/on, under KWEY and KBBQ. (Small)

1590 KINT El Paso, D1 1000. (Granted KKOL.)
At s/on with KBBQ. (Small)

1590 KYOK Houston, U2 5000/5000.
NSP. To Chicago during aurora several times. Black program-
ming/soul mx. V/l. (Kramer)
+ Irregular to NW FL nights. (Thomas)
+ Heard just before KEND in RS through KBBQ. (Small)

1590 KEND Lubbock, U4 1000/1000.
Heard just after KYOK in RS through KBBQ. (Small)
+ Sometimes heard with local KZOK off (½ dozen times per year),
and KLIV/KBBQ nulled. (Portzer)
+ Lucky to snare this one on a rare KLIV SP on a weekday; KLIV
signed on 10 sec. after KEND s/on, but enough for a report,
and veried! (Wien)
+ Fair most nights with KBBQ/KLIV nulled out. (Mittman)
+ NSP. To Chicago during aurora (when KYOK in), and occ. other
nights through WAKR. V/l. (Kramer)

1590 KIKN Sinton, U4 1000/500, Ae.
In RS at 0630 under KBBQ. (Small)
+ C&W mx. To Chicago one night during aurora. (Kramer)

1600 KBBB Borger, D1 5000, Mutual.
Heard once in WI at SSS with fair signal. (Lazar)
+ To IL on ET and a SSS regular. V/l. (Kramer)
+ In RS at 0645, with KWOW and KLAK. (Small)
+ Heard in November of 1978 at SRS with jingle and C&W mx.
(Mittman)

1600 KEWS Cuero, D1 500.
Once at SSS during aurora. (Kramer)

1600 KAYL McKinney, D3 5000.
To IL at SRS & SSS. V/l. (Kramer)
+ Heard once on f/c. (Portzer)
KXVI McKinney-Plano, D3 5000. (Granted U4 5000/1000.)
A SSS regular. (Kramer)

1600 KOGT Orange, U2 1000/1000, Ae. (Granted U4 5000/1000.)
Once at SSS, just after pattern change. Answered report
with CM's, but no verie. (Kramer)

1610 KON247 Houston, low power (under 10 watts).
TIS station operated by Houston Intercontinental Airport.
Used mainly for parting information, etc. (Portzer) (Fantastic
catch, Bruce!!! -SMM) (Hrd only when at Houston Airport, hi.bp.)

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Wheew! 485 tips later we come to the end of the Texas column -- radio
wise, the most populated state in North America (and possibly the world)!