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**EIC Notes**

New member: **W. Curt Deegan** - Boca Raton, FL... welcome and report often... pb

**ATTENTION: Members that pay dues with Paypal and don't include the Paypal \$1 fee.** Your membership will be prorated 1 issue to cover the fee. I've had a few more people not include that fee; I know it's not much, but over time, if we let it go, we'll regret it! - Lynn Hollerman.

**DX Tests - Les Rayburn**

<b>Daily</b>	<b>0255-0305</b>	<b>1220</b>	<b>WRIB</b>	<b>Providence RI</b>	<b>(Healy)</b>
<b>12/11/04</b>	<b>0001-0130</b>	<b>990</b>	<b>WNTP</b>	<b>Philadelphia PA</b>	<b>(Tetro)</b>
<b>1/ 8/05</b>	<b>0001-0130</b>	<b>560</b>	<b>WFIL</b>	<b>Philadelphia PA</b>	<b>(Tetro)</b>

Daily, from 2:55am-3:05am EST - WRIB-1220 - Providence, RI. Craig Healy reports that the long running DX test at WRIB 1220 in Providence, RI continues to run daily from 02:55AM EST until 03:05AM EST. WRIB automatically switches to daytime power and pattern (1KW ND) during the top of the hour.

Reception reports (with return postage) may be sent to:

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OR

**WWW: <http://www.wrpb.com>**

(Arranged by **Craig Healy**, NG1U and AM-DX.COM.)

With thanks to Rene and Paul, below are complete details including time, date, programming, and QSL info.

**WNTP 990khz TEST.** Date: December 11, 2004 (Late Friday night into Saturday morning). Time: 00:01 - 01:30 EST. Modes of Operation: 00:01 - 00:30 50KW Daytime Directional Pattern. 00:31 - 01:00 5KW Non-Directional. 01:00 - 01:30 Off Air to allow DXers in our region of the country to DX other stations on 990 kHz. Programming: Morse IDs, Voice IDs, Tones, Marching Band Music - Stars and Stripes Forever, Washington Post March, Liberty Bell March (the old Monty Python Theme)

**WFIL 560khz TEST.** Date: January 8, 2005 (Late Friday night into Saturday morning). Time: 00:01 - 01:30 EST. Modes of Operation: 00:01 - 00:30 7.1KW Daytime Directional Pattern. 00:31 - 01:00 2.5KW Non-Directional. 01:00 - 01:30 Off Air to allow DXers in our region of the country to DX other stations on 560 kHz. Programming: Morse IDs, Voice IDs, Tones, Marching Band Music - Stars and Stripes Forever, Washington Post March, Liberty Bell March (the old Monty Python Theme)

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Mr. Tetro will be sending out newly designed QSL Cards for each station with a special label/stamp on the reverse side noting the special DX Test to those who respond.



**MIDWEST FALL DX GTG**

This year the Midwest fall DX GTG will be held at Springfield MO. DATE- Friday Nov 12-Sunday Nov 14 2004. PLACE- Budget Inn 2455 N Glenstone Springfield MO. Phone number 417-866-7400. Exit 80 I-44, South about 3/4 of a mile on west side of street. Across from North Town Mall. Very reasonable price, close to eating places, shopping, etc. It is only 35 miles from Branson, some may want to extend their trip to take in a few shows. Andy Williams and others, also many country stars.

Possible tours of KTOZ AM 1060 the all volunteer station, the only station located on Rt 66. Also FM College station KSMU 91.1 where DXer Randy Stewart is Music director, and Public TV station KOZK Ch21.

Bring your veries, logs, and other DX equipment. See how reception is from the Ozarks.

Since this is an informal GTG all DX gatherings will take place in Motel Rooms, and nearby Restaurants. For more information contact **John Tudenham** at 417 624 8058, or [w0jrp@earthlink.net](mailto:w0jrp@earthlink.net).

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- 550 KRAI CO, Craig 10/29 2357 country music, ID at the hour as "You're listening to 55 Country, KRAI Craig, your station for great country music," then into CNN news. (NP-AB)
  - 590 KQNT WA, Spokane 11/11 0857 with traffic, weather and ID. (BB-AZ)
  - 650 KSTE CA, Rancho Cordoba 10/30 0900 just heard the "Rancho Cordoba-Sacramento" part of the ID at the hour under KGAB. (NP-AB)  
+11/6 2034 The Troubleshooter program, ABC news at 2100, Talk 6-50 slogan. Fair signal over XETNT. (MF-CA)
  - KGAB WY, Orchard Valley 10/30 0900 promo for the various features on "... AM 650, KGAB" at the hour. (NP-AB)  
+11/11 1832 with ID "KGAB" and way under KMTI. (BB-AZ)
  - 660 KZTU OR, Junction City 11/8 0842 noted format change from talk to Spanish, slogan "La X." Wide variety of music styles played. Along with ID and slogan, also mentioned was 1450 KOPT Eugene, Springfield. (DP-OR)
  - 670 KLTT CO, Commerce City 11/11 2017 with "The Gospel Truth" and ID "KLT" at 2031. (BB-AZ)
  - 730 KBSU ID, Boise 10/30 1000 s/on over KULE with list of stations from across U.S. (NP-AB)
  - KSVN UT, Ogden 10/30 2050 Mexican music, great signal until 0100 when they apparently went to night power and the signal dropped way off just prior to bilingual ID "Esta es La Mexicana, KSVN. This is KSVN Ogden-Salt Lake City." (NP-AB)
  - 740 KBRT CA, Avalon 11/8 1945 closing announcements by woman, giving the slogan "K-Bright, AM 740" and inviting listeners to tune in the next morning. Then formal s/off announcement by man giving call, power, etc. (NP-AB)
  - 870 WWL LA, New Orleans 10/29 2307 list of sponsors, ID as "The Big 870, WWL, the sports giant..." (NP-AB)
  - 890 KDXU UT, St. George 10/29 2020 ID as "Newstalk 890 KDXU" during high school football coverage. (NP-AB)
  - 930 KLCY MT, Missoula 10/29 2033 ID by a man as "The unforgettable Classy 930, KLCY," NOS music. (NP-AB)
  - 940 KIXZ TX, Amarillo 11/7 1833 mixing with KNNZ, with mention of Amarillo and ID as "Newsradio 940, KIXZ," back to Money Talk program. (NP-AB)
  - KNNZ UT, Cedar City 11/7 1834 PSA, then ID as "Newsradio 940, KNNZ." (NP-AB)
  - 990 KRKS CO, Denver 11/11 1840 with tax info and ID at 2017 "KRKS.com." (BB-AZ)

1000 KKIM NM, Albuquerque 11/8 0826 fair, over KOMO which may have been weakened by aurora, "KKIM, Kingdom keepers in ministry." New and first catch under KOMO. (DP-OR)  
 KOMO WA, Seattle 11/6 0753 with ID "KOMO 1000 news" traffic report and weather. (BB-AZ)

1070 CBA NB, Moncton 11/6 0258 "CBC Overnight" program with BBC World Service programming, then into CBC news at 0800. Apart from KNX, also seemed to be QRM from another CBC station (CBUU??). (NP-AB)

1130 KQNA AZ, Prescott Valley 11/8 1923 ads for restaurant in Prescott Valley, and local car rental company, then entertainment news. Best I've ever heard this one. (NP-AB)  
 KRDU CA, Dinuba 11/8 1930 heard through KQNA with ID "... hearing the word, KRDU, 1130," ad for home equity loans, then into "Back to God Hour." (NP-AB)

1230 KKEE OR, Astoria 10/31 0959 ad for restaurant in Seaview then into ESPN programming, with "KKEE Astoria" ID under KQWZ. (NP-AB)  
 CJNL BC, Merritt 11/5 1000 "NL Update at 6:00," over KKEE, local weather after news, then promo for Merritt hockey coverage. (NP-AB)

1250 KNEU UT, Roosevelt 11/7 1825 promo for Thanksgiving contest, "It's turkey time here on 1250 KNEU," into country music. (NP-AB)  
 KWSU WA, Pullman 10/29 2159 ID as "Listener supported Northwest Public Radio, KWSU AM 1250, Pullman-Moscow," then gave number to call for schedule. (NP-AB)

1340 KIKO AZ, Miami 11/5 2224 ID "KIKO" and weather. (BB-AZ)  
 1390 KJOX WA, Yakima 10/29 2049 promo for local football play-by-play on "1390 AM sports radio KJOX," ESPN spot. (NP-AB)

1400 KRPL ID, Moscow 11/5 0902 came up over KJDY with "1400, KRPL" ID, then into song from the 60's. (NP-AB)  
 KSPT ID, Sand Point 11/5 0922 "News, talk, sports 1400 KSPT" ID, back to Daybreak USA program. (NP-AB)

KBCK MT, Deer Lodge 11/5 0932 call ID, weather, community announcements. (NP-AB)  
 1410 KWYO WY, Sheridan 11/6 1835 with "Cowboy Trivia Question" and ID. (BB-AZ)  
 1450 KOBE NM, Las Cruces 11/8 1956 talk program with David Horowitz, insurance ad, ID as "AM 1450, KOBE Las Cruces..." into USA radio news. New catch. (NP-AB)  
 KOPT OR, Eugene 11/10 0445 stunting all night long with weird tones and beats. ID's and promos for Air America spaced about a minute apart. "In a matter of minutes, Eugene-Springfield radio will change forever." It did the following morning at 9am LT. (DP-OR)

1510 KMZT CA, Piedmont 11/10 0241 poor under KGA, "Oldies 1510" playing 50's-70's music. New. (DP-OR)

1590 KKZZ CA, Ventura 11/8 2055 NOS music, simple "KKZZ" ID. After the hour heard several ID's mentioning KKZZ and Ventura before going into CNN news. (NP-AB)

1600 KGST CA, Fresno 11/10 0226 poor, Spanish music under KEED. (DP-OR)  
 1660 KTIQ CA, Merced 11/10 0222 fair, Spanish announcer ID'ing in English "KTIQ Merced," then slogan "Radiovisa, ahora." Last heard as "The Ticket." (DP-OR)

#### HELP WITH UNID

700 UNID GH-OR UNID in Vol. 42, #9 is indeed KXLX as he heard, from Airway Heights, WA. I heard them recently with the same old radio shows. (NP-AB)

Thanks to our reporters this week. Nancy 11/12 2100

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#### DOWN THE DIAL

620 KMKI TX, Plano. 11-10. Tentative. 21:22 Radio Disney programming. No ID. [PAL-MN]  
 640 WWLS OK, Moore. 11-7 poor. 05:24 with ID, contest rules, "WWLS The Sports Animal" slogan. Not as common as it once was here. [JJR-WI]

680 CFTR ON, Toronto. 11-9 good over WJCE. 11-9 with weather, local news, promo, frequent "6-80 News" slogans. [EB-MO]  
 KFEQ MO, St. Joseph. 10-24 fair over WJCE. 02:36 with local spots, Midnight Trucking Network programming. [EB-MO]

730 WJMT WI, Merrill. 11-6 poor, alone. Never heard at night! 18:30 with weather, ID. [JJR-WI]  
 790 WXXA KY, Louisville. 11-7 fair, rare here. 07:00 with ID into Sunday morning public service program. [JJR-WI]

810 WSJC MS, Magee. 11-1 good to poor over WGY. 20:20 with Christian teaching, scripture readings, PSA, promo, legal ID. [EB-MO]  
 900 WKDW VA, Staunton. 11-6 poor, no usual CHML. 18:27 with calls, older country music format. [JJR-WI]

930 WBCK MI, Battle Creek. 10-29 fair to poor with others. 22:20 with end of high school football game. "News, talk 9-30 WBCK" slogan and local spots. [EB-MO]  
 950 KXJK AR, Forrester City. 10-29 good to poor mix with WWJ, KKFN. 22:15 with local spots, high school football game. [EB-MO]

960 KMA IA, Shenandoah. 10-28 fair with others. 22:24 local spots, sports report. [EB-MO]  
 990 KMSR TX, Farmersville. 10-31 good in CBW null. 22:09 with "Your Health Matters" program that was interrupted for an EAS alert on flash flooding in the area. [EB-MO]

1070 CHOK ON, Sarnia. 10-31 good through WIBC, WDLA. 01:51 with local spots, ID, oldies format. [EB-MO]

1080 KRLD TX, Dallas. 11-11 excellent signal, all alone. 22:03 with call letters, Dallas news, weather. "Mike Gallagher Show." [NJ-MT]

1150 WJRD AL, Tuscaloosa. 11-8 good over WJBO. 02:39 with ID, promo for ABC 33/40, news simulcast (WCFT and WJSU), adult standards format. [EB-MO]

1230 KYVA NM, Gallup. 11-9 fair over others. No sign of KHDN (40 miles from here). 22:00 with "KYVA Gallup, New Mexico" legal ID into country music. [NJ-MT]

1240 KANE LA, New Iberia. 11-8 good to poor over others. 00:45 with "cane radio 12-40" slogan. Mention of Louisiana, Zydeco music. [EB-MO]

1260 WPNW MI, Zeeland. 11-7 poor, rare despite being across the lake. 06:41 with ID, CHR format. [JJR-WI]  
 +11-8 fair to poor through WSDZ. 23:34 with calls in promo. [EB-MO]

1290 WNBN MS, Meridian. 11-8 fair to poor with KKAR, WWFS. 22:10 with Urban Gospel music, concert promo mentioned a group from Columbus, MS. [EB-MO]

1310 KOKX IA, Keokuk. 11-6 fair, no WIBA. 17:40 with ID, NOS format. [JJR-WI]  
 1340 KTMP UT, Heber City. 11-11 very good and all alone. 17:39 with "Classic Country KTMP" ID into country music. [NJ-MT]

1350 KCAR TX, Clarksville. 11-10. 20:17 with country format, "KCAR AM 13-50 The greatest hits from the prime time of country music are here on KCAR." New. [PAL-MN]

1370 KJCE TX, Rollingwood. 11-11. 17:47 with Sean Hannity, local spots, traffic report. New logging for me. [PAL-MN]

1380 KXCA OK, Lawton. 11-10. 20:12 with OK Sooners basketball. New. [PAL-MN]  
 1390 WRIG WI, Schofield. 11-1 good to fair over WTJS, slop from WSLG-1380. 17:10 with Westwood One Adult Standards format. "Big Rig 13-90 WRIG" slogan. [EB-MO]

1400 KWYN AR, Wynne. 11-8 fair to poor with WGIL, KFRU, others. 02:03 with mention of eastern Arkansas. [EB-MO]

1410 KNTX TX, Bowie. 11-10. 19:30 with "Here's your weather from AM 14-10 KNTX." New logging for me. [PAL-MN]

1420 KTJS OK, Hobart. 11-10. 20:08 with local spots into OK Sooners basketball. [PAL-MN]  
 1430 WOWW TN, Germantown. Tentative. 11-11. 17:58 with Radio Disney programming, No ID heard. This is the only Disney on 1430. New logging. [PAL-MN]

1440 CKJR AB, Wetaskiwin. 11-6. 19:00 with ID into Broadcast News. [NJ-MT]  
 1450 KIRX MO, Kirksville. 11-9. 05:06 with "News, talk, and great oldies KIRX" and "Kirksville loves great oldies" slogans. New for me. [PAL-MN]

KOBE NM, Las Cruces. 11-12 poor through others. 21:00 with "KOBE Las Cruces" legal ID. Thanks to Nigel for the tip! [NJ-MT]

WBYU LA, New Orleans. 11-8 poked through mess, fair to poor. 01:20 with Radio Disney mention and dance music. [EB-MO]

WROX MS, Clarksdale. 11-8 fair to poor. 01:28 with calls. [EB-MO]

1460 KTFW TX, Burleson. 11-11. 18:04 local spots and mentions of KTFW. New. [PAL-MN]  
 1470 KWSL IA, Sioux City. 11-1 good to fair in WMBD null. 22:08 with jingle ID, oldies. [EB-MO]  
 1500 KSTP MN, St. Paul. 11-7 good. 16:50 with talk on auto racing. "AM 15-hundred KSTP" slogan, local spots. [EB-MO]

1520 KOKC OK, Oklahoma City. 11-9 good in KRHW null. 00:32 noted with spot for OK Dodge dealers, "News, talk 15-20 KOKC" slogan. [EB-MO]  
 1630 KKGM TX, Fort worth. 10-24 good to fair mix with KCJJ. 22:23 with Southern Gospel music, promos, "AM 16-30 KKGM" slogan. [EB-MO]  
 1690 WWAA GA, Avondale Estates. 11-9 good to fair over WRLL. 00:49 with PSA for Georgia National Guard, promos for CNN News, AI Franken Show. Progressive talk program. [EB-MO]

### 25 YEARS AGO

November 17, 1979 issue of IRCA's "DX Monitor" ... **Bruce Portzer** of Seattle, WA received veries from HLDA-1566 and BBC-882 ... **W. George Elliott** of Kelowna, BC logged WJR for state number 17 ... **Robert Wien** of San Jose, CA logged JOUB 747 ... **Jef Jaisun** of Kirkland, WA spent time on 1360 and 1250 while locals were off the air. He logged WTAE 1250 as a result ... **Art Peterson** of Richmond, CA hates the new booklet format. It's a mess to fumble through pages to find anything and there is no useful manner to store back issues.

### OPEN MIKE

Nice turn out this week. It looks like the new DX season is heating up. So are the standings in the IRCA Letterama contest! Have you joined this years contest yet? This column was typed 11-13-04. 73, John

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### LOGGINGS

560	PA	WFIL	Philadelphia	11/05 1807	ID; into Religious pgm.	(WM-MD)
		TX	KCVI	Beaumont	11/12 2355 Sports Talk; call-ins; Texas scores.	(RCW-KY)
930	FL	WFXJ	Jacksonville	11/09 2300	SS talk; Good , "Radio Progresso."	(IEN-GA)
940	GA	WMAC	Macon	11/11 1753	Hannity promo; ABC news.	(RCW-KY)
1000	AL	WNSI	Robertsdale	11/02 0700	Poor with s/on o/WMVP.	(LF-FL)
	FL	WYBT	Blountstown	11/02 2100	Fair w/ H.S. F.B. ID as WPHK 102.7. Should be daytime. Cheating??? Also at 2200 & 2300.	(LF-FL)
	OK	KTOK	Oklahoma City	11/13 2300	"here in Ok."; Promo for pgm "Sunday afternoon 5 to 6 here on 1000 KTOK" Mixing with WMVP and WNSI.	(LF-FL)
1100	GA	WCGA	Woodbine	11/13 1805	News w/ sign off Good "Newstalk 1100 WCGA.	(IEN-GA)
1150	TN	WCRK	Morristown	11/05 1933	H.S. Football; local ments.	(WM-MD)
1170	OK	KFAQ	Tulsa	11/13 1815	Sports call in; Hrd 1/4 hr drop; Very good, but dropped off to a weak signal at 1815 "KFAQ."	(IEN-GA)
1190	NY	WLIB	New York	11/05 1750	Air America Network; ID.	(WM-MD)
1210	AL	WQLS	Ozark	11/12 2235	H.S. F.B Decent most of the time; but good at times and subject to fading. S/off @ 2237 "America's greatest Gospel station, AM 1210."	(IEN-GA)
1280	IN	WGBF	Evansville	11/05 2025	Local ads; H.S. Football.	(WM-MD)
1360	OH	WCKY	Cincinnati	11/11 1900	Sports news pgm; Decent but faded. "The Official Bengals Station 1360 Homer WCKY."	(IEN-GA)
1460	FL	WZNZ	Jacksonville	11/13 1830	NCAA scores; Good w/slight fading "Jacksonville ESPN 1460."	(IEN-GA)
1470	GA	WRGA	Rome	11/13 1835	UGA F.B. buried in the slop. Weak "News-talk 1470 WRGA."	(IEN-GA)

1540 LA KGLA Greta 11/07 0700 Fair with s/on in EE then SS. New. (LF-FL)  
 NC WOGR Charlotte 2259 w/multiple ID "Word net - WOGR Charlotte, WGAS Gastonia; WOGR FM Salisbury; W???? (translator) Harrisburg and WABE Williamsburg" UI show as daytime. Must have signed off hrd s/on at 0700 11/08. (LF-FL)

### UN-IDEN

600/670/710 ??? 11/08 2305 An unplugged version of Hotel CA then into SS talk. Decent on 600; Good on 670; Very good on 710. (IEN-GA)

That's a wrap for this week. Just got a new Grundig SAT800. Looks like it might be a nice rcvr. More on it, later as I get time to use it. All my DX time of late has been with the auto logger. Thanks to RCW, William, and Ira this week.... Deadline for next Saturday is firm. We leave Sunday (11-21) for a week in Key West. Maybe some DX time??? Best to you all: FRESH 11/14 1300...

## DX WORLDWIDE - EAST

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Welcome to another DXWW-East!

### \*\*\* TRANS-ATLANTIC DX \*\*\*

549	ALGERIA	Chaîne 1, Les Trembles, NOV 2 0021	- man in Arabic; good, surpassing the strength of the WDDZ/WDEV/CHLN jumble on 550. [Connelly*B-MA]
612	MOROCCO	RTM A, Sebaa-Aioum, NOV 2 0023	- // 207 with woman in Arabic talking over background music; fair. [Connelly*B-MA]
747	NETHERLANDS	Flevoland, NOV 2 0024	- woman in Dutch; to fair peak. [Connelly*B-MA]
756	GERMANY	DeutschlandRadio, Braunschweig & Ravensburg, NOV 2 0019	- // 1422 with soul/blues vocal; to good peak. [Connelly*B-MA]
765	SWITZERLAND	RSR, Sottens, NOV 2 0025	- "Moonshadow" by Cat Stevens; good. [Connelly*B-MA]
774	SPAIN	RNE R.1 synchros, NOV 2 0025	- man & woman in Spanish; fair, through WABC slop. [Connelly*B-MA]
873	SPAIN	SER synchros, NOV 2 0034	- Spanish teletalk; over others. [Connelly*B-MA]
999	SPAIN	COPE, Madrid, NOV 2 0031	- two men with fast Spanish newstalk; loud. [Connelly*B-MA]
1089	UNITED KINGDOM	TalkSport synchros, NOV 2 0003	- collage including interspersed TalkSport ID's and excerpts of play-by-play announcing, this was followed by mentions of fixtures in Manchester City and Norwich; to good peak. [Connelly*B-MA]
1116	SPAIN	SER synchros, NOV 2 0004	- news in Spanish; loud. [Connelly*B-MA]
1206	FRANCE	Bordeaux, NOV 2 0013	- lounge-jazz female vocal; very good. [Connelly*B-MA]
1215	UNITED KINGDOM	Virgin R. synchros, NOV 2 0012	- good with "Hotel California" by the Eagles. [Connelly*B-MA]
1314	NORWAY	NRK, Kvitsoy, NOV 1 2352	- "Close to You" by the Carpenters, then man & woman in Norwegian; good.
		+ NOV 2 0037	- good with Garth Brooks song. [Connelly*B-MA]
1377	FRANCE	Lille, NOV 2 0014	- // 1206 with female jazz vocal; fair. [Connelly*B-MA]
1422	GERMANY	DeutschlandRadio, Heusweiler, NOV 2 0019	- // 756 with blues vocal; fair. [Connelly*B-MA]
1521	SAUDI ARABIA	BSKSA, Duba, NOV 2 0015	- Arabic telephone interview. [Connelly*B-MA]
1548	UNITED KINGDOM	BBC R. Bristol, Bristol-Mangotsfield, NOV 2 0018	- // 198 with talkshow. [Connelly*B-MA]

### \*\*\* PAN-AMERICAN DX \*\*\*

530	TURKS & CAICOS	R. Vision Cristiana Internacional, South Caicos, NOV 11 0031	- Spanish preaching; good. [Connelly*B-MA]
570	CUBA	R. Reloj, NOV 11 0030	- Spanish news with ticks on the second and beeps on the minute; over WMCA/WSYR. [Connelly*B-MA]
760	COLOMBIA	RCN, HJAJ, Barranquilla, NOV 11 0028	- RCN and Barranquilla mentions; dominant. [Connelly*B-MA]
1180	CUBA	R. Rebelde, Villa Maria, NOV 11 0035	- news mentioned Instituto Cubano; nearly alone on channel, no WHAM. [Connelly*B-MA]
1540	BAHAMAS	ZNS1, Nassau, NOV 11 0033	- Caribbean English talk mentioning Freeport and other local places; evenly mixed with WDCD during auroral conditions. [Connelly*B-MA]

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Antenna system: dual-feedline Flag: 5 m x 10.6 m; Receiver: Drake R8A, Superphaser-2 phasing unit.

That's all for this week. 73, Brandon.

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DEADLINES: Sundays

**Gerry Thomas, 3635 Chastain Way, Pensacola, Florida 32504 radioplus@bellsouth.net**

Greetings from Pensacola, Florida, where God's wrath has hit us squarely in the face. As some of you may know, Pensacola was savagely hit by Hurricane Ivan several weeks ago resulting in catastrophic damage to the area. My family and I survived fine but our property, including the Radio Plus+ facilities, suffered damages in excess of \$10,000. Every external antenna at Radio Plus+ was destroyed as well as some of the RF testing equipment; some components also suffered water damage. The towers of every radio station in town (with the exception of WUWF-FM) were down by the storm, as were the facilities of the two local television stations. The local police and other public service organizations had to abandon their trunking and repeater systems (which were destroyed) and had very limited comms with their point-to-point equipment. Of course, all power to the city was also out all of which provided a rare opportunity for DX. Unfortunately, the situation was such that very little time was spent at the dials...somehow the tragedy of the circumstances didn't really lend itself to hobby pursuits. Life is now approaching normalcy for much of the population but the recovery is far from over. Hundreds of businesses and residences were totally destroyed and numerous apartment complexes and condos have been condemned. Among the businesses that were destroyed were my local suppliers of plexiglass loop housings and screenprinting. Unfortunately, the screenprinter had a run of loop cabinets to screen print in his building when it collapsed; I am unaware of where those cabinets now are or their condition. Both business owners have decided not to rebuild and are now out of business. This has resulted in an additional delay in the resumption of Quantum Loop sales; I'm hoping to begin shipping loops again by late November (there is a waiting list, however) provided I can get more cabinets in and find a new screenprinter. The only major product I am presently shipping is the Quantum Phaser; details are available at [www.dxttools.com](http://www.dxttools.com). On the local scene, a new AM station is now on the air; it's WNRP-1620, ID's as "AM 16-20" and its slogan is "Classic Country." Some nights it broadcasts Pensacola Ice Pilots hockey games. I hope this finds you all in good health and that you enjoy some great DX sessions. I also deeply appreciate your continued support of Radio Plus+ products and your understanding during these challenging times. 73...Gerry

**Richard Evans, 7416 Hearthstone Way, Indianapolis, Indiana 46227-7923**

Two things on my mind. First, I was probably the last one to hear it, but I was surprised to hear English on 560 last weekend. Even more shocking was that they were giving traffic details for Chicago. Looks as though WIND-560 is no longer SS but EE. They called themselves "News Talk Chicago" (or "Chicago News Talk". It's one of the two. I've hear so much in the past seven days...) The second thing is that the Northern Lights acted up over the weekend. I caught a mention on one of the reflector boards I am on that a woman in Nebraska was able to see the Lights. I mentioned it Sunday morning to a woman I know where I work part-time. I know she had spent three years in Alaska while her husband was career military and her reaction was "WOW! I felt the same way. Even spelled it backwards, hi. I finally picked up my third country that I have bothered to ID. ZNS1 in Nassau. If there was any doubts when I first heard them, it was taken care of Saturday night when I heard a listing of different church addresses in Nassau. I nailed eight new stations from 0600 11/12 thru 0500 11/13, plus another at 1755 on the 13th. I caught my second station on 1490 when I heard WHOC-1490 in Philadelphia, Miss. Not bad when my normal station there is in Richmond, Indiana. On 1340, I caught WLOK-1340 in Memphis. My normal is in Muncie, Indiana. Also a rock solid signal from WKWF-1600, in strong past my local on 1590. On SSS Sat. evening, I had a sports station mixing with WSAI-1530 but I wasn't able to pull out an ID before they faded out. I also had traces of someone under WLAC on 1510, but again, I couldn't tell who they were. 73.



**2004-2005 DX CONTESTS**

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Standings as of November 15, 2004

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2. Paul Swearingen	150	7. Bill Block	26
3. Bill Nittler	104	8. John C. Johnson	7
4. Nancy Johnson*	87	9. Mike Sanburn	5
5. Nigel Pimblett	52		

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**SPECIAL FEATURE – Compiled by Chuck Hutton**

**GRAYLAND 2004 FALL DXPEDITION (continued)**

- 1205.98 **CHINA** Yanji, Yanbian RGD, Oct 16 1146 - Presumed, with Korean talk at 1146. This has been noted off-frequency before. Fair level on peaks. Also heard Oct 17 at 1217 with a strong level of Korean language. (Atkins-WA)
- 1206 **CHINA** CNR Korean Service Yanji, Oct 15 0938 - Noted here throughout the DXpedition, usually at moderate level. Korean lang. only. (Bryant-WA)
- + 1141 10/17 Korean talk strong. Strong w/folk melody 1305. (bp)
- 1215 **CHINA** CNR 7, Guangdong Province, Oct 15 1157 - This station serves the New Economic Zone of Shenzhen, as well as Canton, Hongkong and Macao and is a very 'with-it' western-style station with commercials, etc. The long ID at 1200 UTC contained quite a few EE words, including 'AM' an 'FM' along with 'WWW' etc. Heard sporadically throughout DXpedition, sometimes at moderate levels. (Bryant-WA)
- + Oct 15 1210 - Probably this with definite commercial sound; mentions of 'Coca Cola' and 'radio' by male and female announcers in Chinese; CC pop music. Not CNR 2, as SW parallels were not parallel 1215. Tuned back to 1215 at 1255, and heard mentions of 'Guangdong' region at 1259:26, and a deep-voiced, pitch-lowered 'Enjoy the radio...' announcement or promo by male in English. Fair at tune-in, but very good by 1255. On Oct 16, CNR7 in again with Chinese pop music and talk. (Atkins-WA)
- + 1210 15 Oct. Commercial CC pop mx, sounders etc; "Voice of Old China" sounds more like "new commercial Asia". (NHP-WA)
- + 1140 10/16 man & woman in Chinese. Strong w/pop music, man & woman in Chinese. (bp)
- 1224 **JAPAN** Kanazawa, JOJK. 1425 16 Oct. Man talking JJ //594 nil-fair. (NHP-WA)
- 1242 **JAPAN** JOLF Tokyo, Oct 15 1220 - Noted in passing with JJ pops show at good level. Heard all three AMs of DXpedition. (Bryant-WA)
- 1251t **CHINA** Chinese Unid, Oct 15 1255 - Woman talking in standard CC continuously until 1259, then one minute of open air followed by 4+1 CNR time pips. Was unable to find a SW // Qinghai?? (Bryant-WA)
- + 1045 10/17 unknown station w/Chinese talk, fair 1100 w/man & woman talking, pips in background possibly from another station, then talk using Mexican Hat Dance as background(!) Woman spoke across ToH 1200 (pips in background), then traditional Chinese music, a second Chinese station in background. (bp)
- 1251 **RUSSIA** Ussuriysk, VoR. 1241 15 Oct. Tentatively this /w/CC talk by man, but no //6145; 7305 had CC but was not //1251. No ID at 1500. Noted many other times, but no success with parallels. (NHP-WA)
- 1278 **JAPAN** JOFR Fukuoka, Oct 15 1222 - Noted in passing with JJ pops show. Fair to poor level. (Bryant-WA)
- + 1439 10/16 fair-good //1287. (bp)
- 1287 **JAPAN** JOHR Sapporo, Oct 15 0940 - Noted here throughout the DXpedition. Sometimes at spectacular levels. The usual informal JJ talk and pop tunes. (Bryant-WA)
- +t 1134 15 Oct. JJ talk by woman; by 1136 there was an internet address given by man as part of an ad? (NHP-WA)
- + HBC, Oct 15 1408 - Male and female talk, parallel to 1368. Excellent signal. Still in with fair-good audio at 1650. (Atkins-WA)
- 1296 **JAPAN** 1519 10/16, phone talk //594 fair-good. (bp)

- 1305 **SOUTH KOREA** HLSV, Uijin, Oct 15 0949 - Good at times in KK throughout the morning. (Bryant-WA)  
+ 1620 10/16, audible most of the night, still there //3930. Teletalk //3930 1234 10/17. (bp)  
+ 1638 16 Oct. Briefly fair w/KK talk by man //3930; poor-fair. (NHP-WA)
- 1322.9 **CHINA** Govorit Pekin, Oct 15 1356 - China's FS in Russian noted here all three mornings of DXpedition. Was on channel on 10/16 & 10/17. Was // to 963Khz. (Bryant-WA)  
+ CRI. 1407 15 Oct. Woman in RR //963. (NHP-WA)
- 1323 **CHINA** CRI, 1556 10/16, strong ending Russian program, then Chinese music o/loud growl. Loud in Russian 1111 10/17 o/unid talk. (bp)
- 1332 **AUSTRALIA** 0938 10/16 unid oldies music & ad in Aussie English. Probably unneeded 4BU. (bp)
- 1332 **JAPAN** JOSF Nagoya, Oct 15 1105 - Hoping for Philippines here, but language turned out to be Japanese. Most likely JOSF at 50 kw, as the other JJ on frequency is only 0.1 kw. Fair-good at peaks. Still hanging in with poor-fair audio at 1651. (Atkins-WA)  
+ Oct 15 1106 - Noted in passing with a pop music show. Good throughout the night. (Bryant-WA)  
+ 1234 10/16, good w/ads & Tokai Radio ID/ (bp)
- 1359 **CHINA** CNR1 Unkn. Loc, Oct 15 1450 - Heard here with general CC talk programming. //5030, but with a distinct satellite delay. Generally fair level only. At Top of Hour, there were clear mentions of 'VVVVV dot' followed by a URL in standard CC and 'e-mail' also followed by an address in standard Chinese. That sure sounded strangely satisfying to this old Cold Warrior. (Bryant-WA)  
+ 1506 10/16 poor in splat //6030. (bp)  
+ 1514 15 Oct. Woman in CC //5030, then man, o/u splash. (NHP-WA)
- 1368 **JAPAN** NHK1, 1233 10/16, fair //594. (bp)  
+ 1455 10/16 piano music //594 o/u unid talk. (bp)  
+ 1555 10/16 2 stations still audible, woman //594 NHK, ads //1287. (bp)
- 1377 **CHINA** CNR1, Oct 15 1310 - Heard here at good level swamping the NHK2 signal. Man talking continuously. // to 5040. Heard also late on 17th. Refer to 1593//828 log. (Bryant-WA)  
+ 1323 15 Oct. CNR1 //6030 two men in CC slightly delayed from 6030. (NHP-WA)
- 1377 **JAPAN** NHK2 Synchros, Oct 16 1249 - Heard here intermittently throughout the DXpedition. Sometimes at very good levels. (Bryant-WA)  
+ 1402 10/16, English news //1386 fair. (bp)
- 1386 **JAPAN** NHK2, 1232 10/16 Japanese talk good. (bp)  
+ NHK2, Oct 16 1238 - Female announcer speaking in Japanese, parallel to 747, 774, and 828. Good level. One of four possible 10-kw NHK2 stations on 1386. At 1641 retune, I caught the music box sign-off music for NHK2 stations at a fair level. (Atkins-WA)  
+ Oct 16 1250 - Heard here intermittently throughout the DXpedition. Sometimes at very good levels. (Bryant-WA)  
+ 1640 16 Oct. s/off w/anthem and music box, pretty poor in splash, but amazing so late; several 10 kw to choose from. (NHP-WA)  
+ 1640-Oct 16 4 10kw stations to choose from with their sign-off procedures. Unfortunately, the initial speech portion was in the mud, then faded up nicely for the music box ending. (Salmaniw-WA)
- 1386 **TAIWAN** Hsinchu, BED87. 1430 15 Oct. Musical interlude then more EE lessons //1539; mixing w/NHK2. (NHP-WA)
- 1395t **CHINA** seemingly CC at 1150 on 10/15, a good China morning. 5 low and 1 high pips on the the hour, but I was not able to pull an ID as the signal was poor and the slop was not. (Hutton)
- 1404 **JAPAN** JOQL Kushiro fair 1348 10/16 in a mix, parallel 1287 making for an easy ID. (Hutton)  
+ HBC Hokkaido, Oct 16 1400 - This noted at good level with multiple IDs as 'HBC' at TOH. Was clearly parallel to HBC key station JOHR, Sapporo. (Bryant-WA)
- 1413 **JAPAN** JOIF Fukuoka, Oct 15 1235 - Heard here at poor level with JJ discussion by ladies. (Bryant-WA)  
+ 1336 15 Oct. Man and woman in JJ //1197 which was excellent. (All night Nippon program) (NHP-WA)  
+ Oct 16 1243 - Tentative, with Japanese sports (baseball?), possibly parallel a very weak Japanese station on 1485. Also possibly parallel the NHK1 baseball game on 594. Poor level. (Atkins-WA)  
+ 1501 16 Oct. Woman and man in JJ //1440; nil-fair. (NHP-WA)
- 1413 **UNID** 0958 10/16 fair-poor unusual female vocal, sounded middle eastern, possibly the Aussie SBS station. (bp)
- 1422 **JAPAN** JORF Yokohama, Oct 15 1012 - Heard with JJ talk here at fair level underneath an unid off-channel signal on 1422.1. (Bryant-WA)
- + 1400 16 Oct. JJ talk by man leading to a single tone on hour, can't dig out an ID; poor-good. (NHP-WA)
- 1440 **JAPAN** Sapporo, JOWF. 1148 15 Oct. JJ talk by man and woman; dominant. (NHP-WA)  
+ 1231 10/16, Japanese talk dominant. Way atop freq 1330 10/16 w/STV Radio ID. Still dominant 1602. (bp)  
+ Oct 16 1257 - Noted here with Japanese sporting event (basu baru?) at good level. This formerly exotic logging was pretty much available at will throughout the DXpedition. (Bryant-WA)
- 1449 **JAPAN** JOQM HBC Abashiri, Oct 16 1407 - This noted at fair level with pops and talk program similar to 'All-Night Nippon.' Was clearly parallel to HBC key station JOHR, Sapporo. (Bryant-WA)  
+ poor 1412 10/16 but I just punched 1287 into VFO B and voila, a parallel for an easy ID. (Hutton)
- 1458 **CHINA** Nei Menggu, 1412 10/17, Mongolian talk //4785 fair. Very good at 1527 recheck, stronger than 4785 SW! (bp)  
+ fair 1414 10/17 pleasantly on top and quite easily parallel 4785 for a surprise log. Thanks to Bruce Portzer for checking the SW parallel after noting an unid language here. (Hutton)  
+ RGD Baotou?, Oct 17 1452 - Noted here with mixed programming of music and talk at fair level // 4785 kHz. (Bryant-WA)
- 1475 **MALAYSIA** Kota Kinabalu, RTM. 1236 16 Oct. Just a beefy carrier; at 1301, noted singing and woman in Tagalog. (NHP-WA)  
+ This propaganda station in Tagalog noted here in audio only briefly at fair to good level. Remains off-channel. (Bryant-WA)
- 1494t **CHINA** woman in seeming CC but without hearing the standard "guangbo dientai" ID I am lost and helpless. 1253 10/15. (Hutton)
- 1494 **JAPAN** 1442 10/16 fair in KWOK splat //1350/1287, then faded under someone w/Eagles song. (bp)
- 1494 **UNID** mix of two stns 1243 10/15, one seemed Japanese and the other I can not be sure about. A tough channel that rarely yields audio at Grayland. (Hutton)  
+ two in a weak mix 1418 10/16, one of which may have been // 1287 but was just too weak to even imagine being sure. (Hutton)
- 1503 **JAPAN** Akita, JOUK. 1355 16 Oct. Fast talking JJ man //594 nil-good. (NHP-WA)
- 1503 **JAPAN** NHK2 Synchros, Oct 15 0955 - These were the usual, but not only, dominant throughout the DXpedition. Usually at fair level. //774, etc. (Bryant-WA)
- 1503 **MICRONESIA** V6AJ Kosrae, Oct 17 0913 - Fair signal of island music at 0913; male announcer in island language 0926. Island choral music at 1040 retune, but unfortunately the signal faded for good before the 1100 sign-off time. Last August at Grayland I was able to catch a V6AJ callsign at 1100\* sign-off. (Atkins-WA)  
+ 0917 10/17 good mx for a while. (Hutton)  
+ 1044-Oct 17 Sudden fade up to good levels with islands music. Very enjoyable early Sunday listening. Weak Korean or Japanese cochannel just audible, but V6AJ dominates nicely. No luck on the other Micronesian on 1449 yet. Faded away by 10:50. (Salmaniw-WA)  
+ 0921 10/17 loud w/chorale island music. (bp)
- +t 1022 17 Oct. Woman in unID language after island mx nil-fair. (NHP-WA)
- 1521 **JAPAN** NHK2 synchros. 1455 15 Oct. Woman in JJ, followed by stringed mx //774. (NHP-WA)  
+ 1326 10/16 classical music fair in splatter //774/1152. (bp)  
+ 1328 16 Oct. Lively light opera mx poor-fair. (NHP-WA)  
+ fair-poor the big guy on 774 1330 10/16. (Hutton)
- 1530 **CHINA** unid 1537 10/16 way under KFBK but clearly Chinese. (Hutton)
- 1530 **unID**. 1545 16 Oct. Woman talking JJ, under somewhat phased KFBK poor-fair. (NHP-WA)
- 1539 **TAIWAN** BCC Information Network, Tainan, Oct 15 1420 - English lessons, with discussion and comments on the subject of mortgages and home buying, by man and woman announcers. Into Chinese language 1424 and music in the background. 'Worship Jesus Now' hymn 1426. Noted parallel frequencies of 1062, 1386 and 1467 with discussion about computers in schools and education by two men in English. Warnings about emails and spam 1438. Good level when not in a deep fade. (Atkins-WA)  
+ BED78. 1420 15 Oct. EE lessons on buying a house, interspersed w/CC. (NHP-WA)  
+t an English discussion program (not the NHK2 style language lesson) and I seem to recall that Taiwan is known to carry EE. 1444 10/15. (Hutton)
- 1548 **AUSTRALIA** 4QD Emerald, Oct 16 1302 - ABC Hourly News heard here at fair level only. (Bryant-WA)
- 1557 **AUSTRALIA** 2SM Taree one of only a few DU's and it was in only because WYFR Taiwan was not in yet, 1004 10/16. Had 2SM's country music show. (Hutton)
- 1557 **TAIWAN** WYFR Family Radio, Kouhu, Oct 15 1015 - Noted here at moderate levels throughout the night, with CC Christian programming. (Bryant-WA)

- + 1339 17 Oct. Seemed to be a CC broadcast, with vocal mx, but not //WYFR Mandarin broadcasts on SW 7250. 1512 16 Oct had slow EE religious discussion, not able to find // 6280 was EE but not this. (NHP-WA)
- + 1528 10/17, WYFR probably the one w/religion in American English. (bp)
- 1566 **SOUTH KOREA** HLAZ Cheju Island, Oct 15 1016 - Heard at studio quality S-9+30 during peak times and always at an excellent level. Christian FEBC programming in various Asian langs. (Bryant-WA)
- + Oct 15 1239 - Excellent signal with presumed sermon in Japanese. Background audience sounds, etc. Beautiful Chinese language signal at 1500 retune, listenable in wide bandwidth S-AM mode. (Atkins-WA)
- + 1636 15 Oct. Back after its pattern change at 1630, fair signal, vocal mx. (NHP-WA)
- + 1422 10/15 xInt as usual and just for fun I was messing around with the wide filters (6 kHz) in the Drake. Didn't matter – there still was no interference and the signal was still awesome. (Hutton)
- + 1225 10/17, quite loud 35db/S9, in Japanese. (bp)
- 1575 **JAPAN** AFN Japan Misawa stations (3 at 1 kw each) apparently the source of English 1440 10/15 with ads for Microsoft products (Word 2003, etc). (Hutton)
- +pOct 16 1504 - Almost certainly this 800 watter with EE pops records and EE PSAs, over/under VOA Thailand. This one at northern tip of Honshu most likely rather than 200 watter at Sasebo Navy Base in southern Japan. First time for me to hear the network that was my life-line when we lived near Tokyo 25 years ago. (Bryant-WA)
- + Oct 16 1530 - Heavy rock music, very strong at times, over/under VOA Bangkok's News in Special English. VOA dominated 1532-1535, then the music station began to strengthen again to challenge Thailand. (Atkins-WA)
- + 1537-Oct 16 Great clash between VOA Thailand (at 1000 kw) with news in special English and AFN Japan with 3 stations listed at 250, 600 and 1000 watts. The latter (presumed) had non-stop rock music, occasionally coming up to very decent levels. At 15:40 there was some talk, but not at a level that I could be certain of the contents. I thought that I had heard an AFN ID at 15:30. Will need to check the MD. At 15:42 there was definitely English noted under VOA. (Salmaniw-WA)
- +t 1107 10/17 R&B music atop freq. (bp)
- 1575 **THAILAND** VOA Ayuthaya , Oct 15 1017 - Heard throughout the DXpedition, often at good to excellent level, with usual VOA Asian programming. News in Special EE was particularly interesting... and how DO you explain the US presidential race, anyway??? (Bryant-WA)
- + Oct 15 1242 - Noted this regular in passing, with powerful signal in possible Vietnamese. At 1505 retune, noted news in special English by male announcer. On Oct 17, VOA 'News Now' in English was heard at a good level at 1202, and at 1400 with 'VOA' ID and mentions of UN Secretary General Kofi Anan in Vietnamese or other language. (Atkins-WA)
- + 1259 16 Oct. "welcome to Voice of America special English; good-fair. (NHP-WA)
- + 1501 10/16 VOA News Now in English good o/another station in American English (probably AFN). News Now good 1218 w/talk about HIV. (bp)
- + 1200-Oct 17 Strong reception with VOA news now program. (Salmaniw-WA)
- 1575 **unID** 1532 16 Oct. Rock mx o/VoA, possibly AFN synthros in Japan; fair. (NHP-WA)
- 1584 **CHINA** unid sometimes rising up out of the growl on the channel 1432 10/15. (Hutton)
- + 1105 10/17 Chinese talk fair atop channel. (bp)
- + unid 1557 10/16 with Chinese-ish classical mx, pips and ID at top of the hour but I can't make it out. (Hutton)
- 1584 **JAPAN** NHK1 big handful of 100 watt stations nicely parallel 594 1429 10/16. If only I could get a local ID. (Hutton)
- 1584 **PALAU** (assumed) with fair pop mx 1430 10/15. Songs almost always lead right into the next song and the songs are a mix of US r&b, reggae standards, an Oriental pop song, and???? (Hutton)
- 1584.02 **unID**. 1505 15 Oct. Possible Palau w/ pop mx. (NHP-WA)
- 1593 **CHINA** CNR1, Oct 15 1315 - Heard swamping usual dominant NHK2 Synthros with CC talk. //5040. (Bryant-WA)
- + 1324 15 Oct. //6030 w/two men in CC, slightly delayed from 6030. (NHP-WA)
- + Oct 15 1540 - Chinese opera music heard here, and parallel to 6030. Fair to good signal level. (Atkins-WA)
- + 1208 10/16 Chinese talk o/Japan. (bp)
- + Oct 17 1420 - Dreamy, Chinese orchestral music on vibra harp parallel to 1134, 5030 and 6030, in place of the possible Russian language station heard on 1593 earlier in the evening. Fair level, but reception made tougher by unid. Japanese station on the frequency. (Atkins-WA)
- + Oct 17 1420 - This surfaced from the 1593 furball, clearly //5060 and 6030. Later, after NHK2 sign-off at 1500, this noted //CNR1 1377 and, until 1510, //828 (probable Beijing News Station.) All at fair level only. (Bryant-WA)
- 1593 **JAPAN** NHK2 Synthros, Oct 16 1251 - Heard here intermittently throughout the DXpedition. Sometimes at very good levels. (Bryant-WA)
- + 1319 10/16, weather, local ID I think for JOQB (need to replay minidisc). (bp)
- 1593t **RUSSIA** Russkoe Radio Angarsk, Oct 17 1317 - Three signals were present on 1593: the NHK2 synthros, CNR1 and what sounded clearly RR which dominated for several minutes 1315-1320. The only relevant PAL listing is Angarsk. Tentative this at fair level. (Bryant-WA)
- +t Oct 17 1320 - Very tentative, with poss. Russian language beneath NHK2 Japanese (JOTB/JOQB). The Russian male speaker occasionally challenged the Japanese station for strongest on the frequency, but mostly it lurked in the background. (Atkins-WA)
- 1593 **TAIWAN** 1016 10/17 poor but parallel 738 and 1143, only 1 kw! (Hutton)
- 1602 **JAPAN** NHK2 synthros. 1404 15 Oct. Woman in EE rx //774. (NHP-WA)
- + 1229 10/16 Japanese talk //1593. (bp)
- 1611 **AUSTRALIA** 1014 10/16 pop music, "Radio 2" ID fair-poor. (bp)
- 1611 **unID** 1128 16 Oct. Light pop mx, poor in murk; no ID across the hour. Carriers also noted 1629 1665 1683.3 1701.1. (NHP-WA)
- 2959.95 **INDONESIA** RPDT Manggarai 1317-Oct 16 Powerful signal at times, but with deep fading as we approach local dawn. Some Western music, and a fair amount of dead air between selections. Brief talk. I did hear 'Makassar' earlier, but no IDs as yet. Guy Atkins and I tried for about 2 hours in July, never to hear an ID, but reception is much better today. Long monologues by the same OM, with brief musical interludes. At 1350, I noted the same Indonesian vocal on 4790 RRI Fak Fak, as here, but not in parallel. A coincidence, I assume, as there were different announcers afterwards. Another announcer came on after this... a woman with a very penetrating voice, with announcements. Very commonly heard in the South Pacific. Likely person to person messages, as they were repeated twice. Often at armchair level! Still going strong at 14:12! Many names heard like Anton, Katerina, Marta, etc. Mentioned Makassar and Bali at 14:13. I'm sure I heard 'Riverside' a few times too. Finally finished at 14:23, with EZL filler, and then a more lively piece at 14:23:45. More long monologue by the same YL announcer, and then into a C&W song at 14:32:30. Call in at 14:34 with mention of Manggarai. More static crashes noted as we approach dawn. Caller again mentioned Manggarai, and then back to the same C&W song. Another caller at 14:39 with immediate mention of Manggarai. Someone within the motel switched on a TV at 1442 spoiling the signal during fades. Big fade up at 14:50 barelling through the TVI. Again faded up at 14:58. Love Ambon at 1500 without any apparent announcements, and a big increase in noise, but carrier seems off by 1503. (Salmaniw-WA)
- 2960 **INDONESIA**, RPDT2 Manggarai, Oct 16 1310 - Male announcer in Indonesian with a monotone delivery at tune-in. Many mentions of Indonesia. Soft Indonesian pop music 1352 (same artist & song as on 4790, but not parallel, just a coincidence). Female announcer 1356 reading a long list of items twice-- likely personal ads, with mentions of various Indo cities like Fak Fak and Manggarai. No ID at top of hour, but continued messages. Announcement by a different woman (I think) 1423 with mentions of Kalimantan, and into orchestral music. More messages to 1432 jaunty (almost country western) music bracketing a male phone caller or reporter 1434; multiple mentions of Manggarai 1439-1441. Lagu romantik tune at 1450 and pop music 1457. Love Ambon sign-off music noted at 1459:45, and sign-off 1501\* without break-in announcement or ID. Signal initially fair at 1310, but improved to good later-- except for some TV harmonics QRM. A short clip of Manggarai can be heard here: [http://www.guyatkins.com/files/RPDT2\\_Manggarai\\_16\\_Oct\\_2004\\_1358.mp3](http://www.guyatkins.com/files/RPDT2_Manggarai_16_Oct_2004_1358.mp3). (Atkins-WA)
- 3223 **INDIA**, AIR Shimla, Oct 16 1338 - Tentative. Very weak signal of Hindi talk which seemed parallel to 4840. (Atkins-WA)
- 3905 **PAPUA NEW GUINEA**, R. New Ireland, Oct 17 1250 - Melanesian pops at tune-in; male announcer in Pidgin with phone interview or caller at 1255; more PNG pop music 1256. Announcer at top of hour with frequent mentions of 'program'. Radio New Ireland ID at 1205 and 'come up long 9:05' time check, and then off at 1306\*. Very good signal. (Atkins-WA)
- + 1300-Oct 17 Great reception from this old friend with typical western oldie EZL instrumental music following a male announcer in Tok Pisin. Good to very good reception. Again mention about National Service, Sunday night, and 3905, meters, and 5 kw, studios... Radio New Ireland mentioned. Off the air shortly after without NA, and carrier off. Nice to hear them again. I'm sure he said 5 kw, as opposed to listed 10, but I'll have to confirm the MD recording to be sure. (Salmaniw-WA)
- 3960.95 **INDONESIA**, RRI Palu, Oct 16 1320 - Presumed, with a strong signal of Indonesian male announcer and phoned-in news or other brief segments by male reporter. (Atkins-WA)
- 3976 **INDONESIA** 1557-, RRI Pontianak Oct 15 Strong S7 to S9 signal with Koran recitation. Off without announcements at 1605. (Salmaniw-WA)
- 4604.86 **INDONESIA** RRI Serui, 1306-Oct 16 Excellent reception of network news in Bahasa Indonesia. Business news at 1306. USB spoiled by a ute. At 1309, the talking continued

- under music! I heard this several times after the TOH. Stopped a minute later. Mentions of Malaysia, 'bomba'. C & W music again over the YL at 13:13. When rechecked at 1316, no music again. (Salmaniw-WA)
- 4750 **INDONESIA** 1356-, RRI Makassar Oct 17 Armchair copy of this powerful Indonesian. I should have a very good MD over the ToH. Call to prayer just before. Ramadan has started I believe. Mentions of kHz at 1506. Lovely ID for RRI Makassar at 1506:30. (see MD2-3). (Salmaniw-WA)
- 4790 **INDONESIA** RRI Fak Fak, 1338-Oct 16 Superb armchair level with EZL music. Very nice! Interesting how all Indo stations have that somewhat muffled audio. Very characteristic. Off sometime before 13:58 recheck. Will listen to the MD. (Salmaniw-WA)
- 4840 **INDIA** AIR Mumbai, 1359-Oct 17 Good reception with talk in presumed Hindi. Some CW interference on USB. (Salmaniw-WA)
- 4910t **ZAMBIA** ZNBC, Oct 16 1624 - Tentative. Noted faint scraps of African music and talk here, at Lusaka sunset, two hours past Grayland sunrise. Announcement or ID by woman at 1730. Only audible on the NW Beverage, because it was the quietest antenna. A strong het was also heard on R. Christian Voice's frequency of 4965. (Atkins-WA)
- 4960 **PAPUA NEW GUINEA** Catholic Radio Network, Oct 16 1347 - Continuous soft EZL music, Christian contemporary music, and instrumental versions of hymns from 1347 to 1507 uninterrupted by announcers or IDs. I reviewed a recording of this and could not find anything but nonstop music. Presumed CRN due to the programming; excellent signal strength-- 4960 continued until well past sunrise before fade out. (Atkins-WA)
- + 1415-Oct 16 While monitoring 2960 Manggarei, I've been watching 4960 in the background, with a very nice strong signal. It's being recorded, so I'll have a review on my way home from Grayland tomorrow. (Salmaniw-WA)
- 5019.90 **SOLOMON ISLANDS** SIBC, 1539-Oct 15 Good reception at 0845 local time! with BBCWS news relay. Surprisingly strong for almost 1 1/2 hours after sunrise. (Salmaniw-WA)
- 5020 **SOLOMON ISLANDS** SIBC Honiara, Oct 17 1048 - Very good signal with hymns in Pidgin; Sermon by man in English, reading Bible verse (in English & Pidgin) about the unjust judge who granted a widow's request. Male announcer 1100 with sign-off announcements, ID, and mentions of returning to the air at 6 o'clock tomorrow. Further announcements and AM & SW frequencies given by woman, and into Solomons national anthem 1103. Brief pause, then BBC relay began. (Atkins-WA)
- 5102 **KASHMIR** Voice of Freedom of Jammu and Kashmir, 1417-Oct 16 Using my second receiver, I noted a decent signal on 5102.0, and assume the clandestine Jammu and Kashmir station. Only USB is useable, as there was a ute on LSB and CODAR as well spoiling the show. (Salmaniw-WA)
- 7260 **THAILAND** R. Thailand, Oct 16 1057 - While monitoring R. Vanuatu towards their 1100\* sign-off, R. Thailand's interval signal began at 1058. At 1100, a male announcer indicated 'This is Radio Thailand's Foreign Service broadcasting from Bangkok... The following program is in Vietnamese.' Good signal with Vanuatu underneath until Vanuatu's national anthem and sign-off. (Atkins-WA)
- 7260.11 **VANUATU** R. Vanuatu, Oct 15 0950 - Reggae song 'Africa Unite' at tune-in; pop music, then female announcer with R. Vanuatu ID at 0957. Good to very good signal. (Atkins-WA)
- 7260.13 **VANUATU** Radio Vanuatu, 1038-Oct 16 Strong reception, so obviously back to their previous reception, measuring S9+10 to 20 with lovely south seas music in Bislama. A live concert from the sounds of things, with brief intro by a Male between selections. Should propagate much further afield! Spoiled by Radio Thailand coming on at 11:00. Still relatively strong, however and still going at 11:05. Into NA shortly after and then OC. (Salmaniw-WA)
- 9960 **ARMENIA** Voice of Armenia, 1805-Oct 16 Fair reception of French programming, and into same old IS, and into German at 1806. Into presumed news. Many mentions of Armenia. English is scheduled at 18:25. Only able to use LSB, since USB is destroyed by utility. (Salmaniw-WA)
- 11720 **PHILIPPINES** Radio Filipinas, 1731-Oct 16 Crash start after open carrier and very short orchestral piece into Tagalog, without any ID that I could hear. Very good reception with parallels of 15190 and 17720 also heard weakly. (Salmaniw-WA)
- 11900 **CHINA** CRI, 1701-Oct 16 Very powerful English news transmission re Vladimir Putin's visit to China. During fades, RCI's DRM broadcast can be clearly heard grinding in the background. (Salmaniw-WA)
- 11960 **MALI** Radio Mali, 1712-Oct 16 Very strong reception with Arabic speaker, well over 2 cochannels (BBC in Albanian and CRI in Russian listed). I'm surprised how well this station has been received over the years about the same time (up to their sign-off at the TOH). Not commonly reported. Must take the cake for boring programming, however. Same male announcer droning on and on and on. Not a single musical break. Must be lecturing or something. He was cut-off in mid sentence and followed the canned sign-off announcement in French, which itself was yanked a few seconds after 1800. (Salmaniw-WA)

- 13865 **ICELAND** Iceland Radio, 1756-Oct 16 Violin piece from 1755 tune-in until talk by YL over phone quality audio a few minutes later. All in Icelandic, of course. Fair to good at times. (Salmaniw-WA)
- 17635 **FRANCE** Voice of Africa, Tripoli Libya, 1734-Oct 15 English programming with thickly accented male discussing Libyan issues. Relatively easy to follow due to the speaker's care to enunciate each vowel. 'The leader of the revolution'... 'Libyan people'. 'The British prime minister, Tony Blair has sent a message... about cooperation between the Jamahiriya and Britain'. At 17:43 concluded with 'this is the end of the news?'. Thank you for listening.' Immediately into French. Fair at times. (Salmaniw-WA)

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## PROS

### INDIANA PACERS 2004-2005

930 WHON Centerville, IN  
1070 WIBC Indianapolis, IN  
1230 WSAL Logansport, IN  
1240 WHBU Anderson, IN  
1300 BWOW Terre Haute, IN  
1330 WTRE Greensburg, IN  
1340 WBIW Bedford, IN  
1340 WXFN Muncie, IN  
1390 WZZB Seymour, IN  
1410 WLAS Lafayette, IN  
1440 WPGW Portland, IN  
1450 WAVG Jeffersonville, IN  
1460 WNV1 North Vernon, IN  
1550 WMDH New Castle, IN  
1580 WCNB Connersville, IN  
1590 WRCY Mt. Vernon, IN

92.7 WZBD Berne, IN  
94.3 WKWH Rushville, IN  
94.3 WREB Greencastle, IN  
94.9 WYNG Mount Carmel, IL  
95.3 WNDI Sullivan, IN  
96.7 WORX Madison, IN  
96.9 WKLO Hardinsburg, IN  
98.3 WZZY Winchester, IN  
102.9 WYGB Edinburgh, IN  
103.3 WAXL Santa Claus, IN  
106.3 WCDQ Crawfordsville, IN  
106.5 WWBL Washington, IN  
106.7 WYFX Mt. Vernon, IN  
107.7 WMRS Monticello, IN

### LOS ANGELES CLIPPERS

690 XETRA Tijuana, BCN  
1020 KTNQ Los Angeles, CA (Spanish)

1150 KXTA Los Angeles, CA

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Broadcast Crew: Joel Meyers & Mychal Thompson. Fernando Gonzalez & "Pepe" Mantilla, in Spanish. # = Spanish

570 KLAC Los Angeles, CA (Flagship)  
610 KAVL Lancaster, CA  
910 KOXR Oxnard, CA #  
920 KPSI Palm Springs, CA  
1040 KURS San Diego, CA #  
1220 KWKU Pomona, CA #  
1230 KXO El Centro, CA  
1230 KYVA Gallup, NM  
1240 KLOA Ridgecrest, CA  
1310 KIQQ Barstow, CA #  
1330 KWKW Los Angeles, CA # (Flagship)  
1340 KRLV Las Vegas, NV #  
1340 KTLK Santa Barbara, CA

1350 KTDD San Bernardino, CA  
1400 KKJL San Luis Obispo, CA  
1410 KERN Bakersfield, CA  
1430 KFIG Fresno, CA  
1460 KENO Las Vegas, NV  
1480 KSBQ Santa Maria, CA #  
1490 KICO Calexico, CA #  
1490 KMET Banning, CA  
1490 KWAC Bakersfield, CA #  
1520 KVTA Port Hueneme, CA  
1600 KGST Fresno, CA #

94.1 KBKY Merced, CA

### MILWAUKEE BUCKS

570 WMAM Marinette, WI  
580 WKTY La Crosse, WI  
620 WTMJ Milwaukee, WI (Flagship)  
940 WFAW Fort Atkinson, WI  
960 WTCH Shawano, WI  
1070 WTSO Madison, WI  
1230 WCLO Janesville, WI

1240 WJMC Rice Lake, WI  
1240 WOMT Manitowoc, WI  
1260 WEKZ Monroe, WI  
1380 WTJK South Beloit, IL  
1390 WRIG Schofield, WI  
1400 WATW Ashland, WI  
1400 WBIZ Eau Claire, WI

1400 WRDB Reedsburg, WI  
 1450 KFIZ Fond du Lac, WI  
 1450 WDLB Marshfield, WI  
 92.7 WDUX Waupaca, WI

**COLLEGE**

**AUBURN UNIVERSITY BASKETBALL**

570 WAXX Gadsden, AL  
 690 WJOX Birmingham, AL  
 740 WMSP Montgomery, AL  
 990 WEIS Centre, AL  
 1230 WRJX Jackson, AL  
 1240 WULA Eufaula, AL  
 1250 WHNY McComb, MS  
 1250 WZOB Fort Payne, AL  
 1310 WHEP Foley, AL  
 1330 WZCT Scottsboro, AL  
 1390 WHMA Anniston, AL  
 1460 WHAL Columbus, GA  
 1470 WIJK Evergreen, AL  
 1490 WAJF Decatur, AL  
 1490 WHBB Selma, AL  
 1550 WLOR Huntsville, AL  
 1570 WCRL Oneonta, AL

92.1 WKUL Cullman, AL

**BOWLING GREEN STATE UNIVERSITY FALCON BASKETBALL**

1220 WHK Cleveland, OH  
 1230 WCWA Toledo, OH  
 1350 WCSM Celina, OH  
 1450 WLEC Sandusky, OH  
 1600 WTTF Tiffin, OH

96.7 WCSM Celina, OH  
 99.1 WFRO Fremont, OH

**CLEMLSON UNIVERSITY MEN'S BASKETBALL**

# = Selected games.

970 WJMX Florence, SC  
 1050 WIQB Conway, SC  
 1230 WOIC Columbia, SC  
 1240 WDXY Sumter, SC  
 1240 WKDK Newberry, SC #  
 1340 WQSC Charleston, SC  
 1340 WRHI Rock Hill, SC  
 1400 WGTN Georgetown, SC  
 1410 WPCC Clinton, SC #  
 1590 WCAM Camden, SC

**CLEMLSON UNIVERSITY WOMEN'S BASKETBALL**

# = Selected games.

1240 WKDK Newberry, SC #  
 1410 WPCC Clinton, SC #

**FLORIDA STATE UNIVERSITY BASKETBALL**

660 WORL Altamonte Springs, FL  
 790 WAXY South Miami, FL  
 830 WPAZ Miami, FL  
 960 WGRO Lake City, FL  
 1010 WBZZ Seffner, FL (?)  
 1250 WQHL Live Oak, FL  
 1270 WNLS Tallahassee, FL (?)  
 1290 WPCF Panama City, FL  
 1320 WAMR Venice, FL  
 1320 WJGR Jacksonville, FL

93.9 WDOR Sturgeon Bay, WI  
 94.3 WQPC Prairie du Chien, WI  
 107.3 WNXR Iron River, WI  
 107.5 WDUZ Brillion, WI

92.3 WLWI Montgomery, AL  
 92.7 WJBB Haleyville, AL  
 93.3 WPGG Evergreen, AL  
 94.3 WQZX Greenville, AL  
 94.5 WHNB Jackson, AL  
 95.9 WTWX Guntersville, AL  
 96.7 WMXA Opelika, AL  
 97.5 WZLM Goodwater, AL  
 97.7 WEZZ Clanton, AL  
 97.7 WKLD Oneonta, AL  
 100.1 WDXX Selma, AL  
 101.7 WTOT Graceville, FL  
 102.3 WELR Roanoke, AL  
 103.7 WAAO Andalusia, AL  
 105.1 WPFL Century, FL  
 105.5 WNXP Bay Minette, AL  
 106.5 WZNJ Demopolis, AL

105.3 WBUK Ottawa, OH  
 105.7 WZOM Defiance, OH  
 107.1 WDOH Delphos, OH  
 107.5 WZRZ Fort Shawnee, OH (Women's Basketball)  
 107.7 WPFZ North Baltimore, OH (Women's Basketball)

1630 WRDW Augusta, GA

92.1 WBHC Hampton, SC  
 93.7 WXJY Georgetown, SC  
 93.9 WJXY Conway, SC  
 94.1 WHZQ Cross Hill, SC  
 102.7 WPUB Camden, SC #  
 104.9 WCCP Clemson, SC  
 105.3 WAGI Gaffney, SC

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1330 WEBY Milton, FL  
 1340 WTAN Clearwater, FL  
 1350 WDCF Dade City, FL  
 1370 WOCA Ocala, FL  
 1380 WELE Ormond Beach, FL  
 1400 WBAU Fort Walton Beach, FL (?)  
 1400 WZHR Zephyrhills, FL  
 1420 WAOC St. Augustine, FL  
 1430 WLKF Lakeland, FL  
 1480 WFLN Arcadia, FL (?)

1480 WVOI Marco Island, FL  
 1530 WENG Englewood, FL  
 1580 WSRF Fort Lauderdale, FL

93.5 WBGF Belle Glade, FL

**OKLAHOMA STATE UNIVERSITY BASKETBALL**

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780 KSPI Stillwater, OK  
 1210 KGYN Guymon, OK  
 1230 WBBZ Ponca City, OK  
 1240 KADS Elk City, OK  
 1350 KTLQ Tahlequah, OK  
 1400 KWON Bartlesville, OK  
 1420 KTJS Hobart, OK  
 1430 KTBZ Tulsa, OK  
 1450 KWHW Altus, OK  
 1550 K MAD Madill, OK  
 1570 KTAT Frederick, OK  
 1580 KOKB Blackwell, OK

92.1 KMZE Woodward, OK  
 93.7 KSPI Stillwater, OK



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