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Lots of DX in this one... so pay attention!! Sorry folks... looks like I did a little too much "scrunching" with the Technical Column pictures last time, so here's the link to the article with easier to read pictures: <http://www3.telus.net/7dxr/article/nallR8.pdf>.

IRCA Slogans List (fanfare!!!)

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BROADCAST TEST COORDINATOR – DX TESTS

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Tests are off to slow start this season, but we're working hard to arrange more. To start us off, we've got a Western test and a rare simultaneous test from two stations!

Daily	0300-0305	1620	WNAR	Lansdale PA	(David McCrork)
Sun 12/ 5/05	0106-0115	1700	KKLF	Richardson TX	(Bill Hale)
Sun 12/11/05	0000-0100	990	WNTP	Philadelphia PA	(Rene' Tetro)
Sun 12/11/05	0000-0100	560	WFLI	Philadelphia PA	(Rene' Tetro)

WNAR 1620 KHZ Lansdale, PA is still conducting a DAILY DX TEST at 0300 ELT. The test consists of code ID's between 0300 and 0305 and will continue until further notice. Reception reports with RETURN POSTAGE can be sent to **David McCrork**, WNAR-AM, Box 18, Tylersport PA 18971-0018. WNAR operates with a power of 100 MILLIWATTS! (The station was heard almost 5 miles from Lansdale on a recent trip to the area so it does get out very well).

PS: Web page at www.wnar-am.com has full station info.

KKLF 1700khz Richardson, TX DX Test. Date(s): December 3-4, 05 (**Late Saturday-Sunday Morning**) Time: 0006-0015AM CST (0606-0615 UTC) 9 Minute long Test Modes of Operation: 1KW Non-Directional Programming: Morse Code superimposed over regular programming.

Notes: Station prefers to receive reports via e-mail. If you wish to send a snail mail QSL request, please include an SASE.

Station notes that as the same audio is available on KLIF 570 kHz, no verification without audible proof of reception of a 1700. Please include an MP3 file with e-mails, or a CD/Cassette with snail mail reception reports.

Reception reports via e-mail only:

Hue Beavers hbeavers@dfwradio.com

Special thanks to Bill Hale of the NRC for helping to arrange this test, and to Hue Beavers and the staff/management of KKLF for this rare X-Band test!

WNTP 990khz Philadelphia, PA DX Test, **WFLI 560khz Philadelphia, PA** DX Test. Date(s): December 10-11, 05 (**Late Saturday-Sunday Morning**) Time: Midnight EST-0100 EST (0500-0600 UTC) Modes of Operation: 1st Half Hour: WNTP 50KW DA-D/WFLI 7.1KW DA-D, 2nd Half Hour: WNTP 2.5kW NDA/WFIL 2.5kW NDA

Programming: Morse Code ID's, Sweep Tones, Voice Announcements.

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Notes: A simultaneous DX Test from two stations! CE Rene' Tetro is very interested in hearing what differences listeners notice during the NDA period of the test when both stations will be running the identical power levels from the same tower site.

Reception reports should go to:

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All standard mail reports should go to:

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Thanks to Rene' Tetro and the staffs of WNTP/WFIL for arranging this test!

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OF SPECIAL INTEREST

- 1240 KRDM **OR**, Redmond 11/14 1921 atop with local ads, mentions of Central Oregon and a merchant on Highway 97 in Redmond. Lost in hash, but back a few minutes later with syndicated talk. Atop 1934 with ad for Mid-Oregon Credit Center and more mentions of Redmond. QRM from ESPN stations KQEN/KTIX both also in Oregon. Brand new & new for me too. (DKK-CA)
- 550 KBOW **MT**, Butte 11/12 0400 with good ID while atop KOAC/KUZZ, ESPN Sports. (DKK-CA)
- 570 KCFJ **CA**, Alturas 11/11 1943 with adult standards and "AM 570 KCFJ" ID. (DR-OR)
- 580 CKUA **AB**, Edmonton 11/15 1555 very good at S9 with end of program and ID "Serving Alberta with the CKUA Alberta Network and worldwide on the internet at ckua.com Dominant. (PM-OR)
- 610 CKYL **AB**, Peace River 11/7 0055 C&W music in a 3-way with KONA and unID Gospel talker. Man said "YL Country." Weak and choppy with R-390A on E-W wire. New. (GH-OR)
- 620 KJOL **CO**, Grand Junction 11/16 2059 end of religious program, with ID's. (SR-OR)
- 640 KFI **CA**, Los Angeles 10/30 0359 ID "KFI Los Angeles, more simulating talk radio... KFI news on the hour, on the half hour and when it breaks" into news, time check, traffic report, outro "KFI is the talk station with the most frequent traffic reports." Fair. (5P-HI)
- KGWV **MT**, Belgrade 10/30 1925-2000+ with talk over/under KFI. (DKK-CA)

+11/15 a usual visitor most of the year all day, but very good signals with relig. program at 1457, ID at 1459:50 "This is KGVW Belgrade Montana" into SRN news. (PM-OR)

650 KENI AK, Anchorage 11/10 0206 poor with mention of KENI by female into Anchorage and South Central Alaska weather forecast. (DR-OR)

+11/11 0200-0205 atop with very good signal (even over my horrid buzz) with ABC news, ID 0206. Had been heard by Mike Hawkins and I on Mike's car radio at 0130 with even better signal. (DKK-CA)

CKOM SK, Saskatoon 11/8 0100 talk with ID in a whirl with KSTE & CISL. Fair to poor and choppy. Been a while since I've heard this one! (GH-OR)

680 KKGR MT, E. Helena 11/16 1053 good, no KNBR. Local ads, "68 KGR" into oldies, Beach Boys. (DP-OR)

700 WLW OH, Cincinnati 11/16 2032 "Newsradio WLW" ID at end of news. (SR-OR)

KXLX WA, Airway Heights 11/12 0404 atop all with ESPN Sports and ads for Spokane area merchants. (DKK-CA)

720 WGN IL, Chicago 11/16 2022 fadeup with talk show, several ID's. (SR-OR)

730 KULE WA, Ephrata 11/8 0105 ESPN sports talk with fair signal for a few minutes. Last heard 10/31/04. R-390A on E-W wire. (GH-OR)

740 CBX AB, Edmonton 11/6 9226 fair to good signal with blues program, "You are tuned to Canada's home for the blues. CBC Radio 1." (DR-OR)

CHWO ON, Toronto 11/16 2003 fadeup of "Toronto's AM 740" ID. (SR-OR)

750 KXL OR, Portland 11/4 0859 ID under KHVG after listening to the tape, "KXL 24-hour traffic center" and "Radio 7-50 KXL," weather followed. (MF-CA)

760 KKZN CO, Thornton 11/6 0349 with Air America "AM 760 Boulder's progressive talk." Poor to fair. (DR-OR)

WJR MI, Detroit 11/16 1953 fadeup with "Newstalk 760 WJR" ID. (SR-OR)

780 WBBM IL, Chicago 11/15 1943 brief fadeup with several ID's. (SR-OR)

790 CFCW AB, Camrose 11/14 0005 female gave weather report and ID into country music. Fair signal but choppy on R-390A with E-W wire. (GH-OR)

820 KUTR UT, Taylorsville 11/2 1905-1917 looping ENE over bad buzz with talk program covering women's abuse and a dozen other unrelated subjects. Ended with how to buy I-Bonds. Gone after 1917. Heard the next evening at the same time. New. (DKK-CA)

+11/16 1056 fair with time check, ads with local Utah mall locations. No call heard, just "AM 820." New. (DP-OR)

830 (KHVH) HI, Honolulu 11/14 0607 noted off air; unID talk station and Spanish station (KMXE-CA?) noted. Heard at 0629 retune briefly back on with carrier and some audio. (5P-HI)

870 KFLD WA, Pasco 11/10 0306 with "Newsradio 870 KFLD" into Coast to Coast AM. (DR-OR)

880 KJJR MT, Whitefish 11/3 1859 noted atop with ads for Kalispell and Whitefish. CID 1600, gone at power cut. (DKK-CA)

KRVN NE, Lexington 11/16 2330 end of "Back to the Bible" program, then ID. (SR-OR)

KCMX OR, Phoenix 11/9 0100 ID and news, Clark Howard Show. Fair signal alone with no KWIP, KIXI, etc. Not often heard. SP-600 on N-S wire. (GH-OR)

890 KDJQ ID, Meridian 11/6-11/7 station didn't power down after sunset, running 50kw non-directional day authorization all night. (MR-UT)

WLS IL, Chicago 11/16 0231 "890 WLS" multiple ID's, weather forecast. (SR-OR)

KDXU UT, St. George since 11/1 station has been running illegally, 10kw non-directional day authorization all night. (MR-UT)

CJDC BC, Dawson Creek 11/11 2200 "C-J-D-C" ID into Country music, fair. (DR-OR)

900 CKBI SK, Prince Albert 11/11 2223 "You are listening to country 900 CKBI," poor to fair. (DR-OR)

960 (KQKE) CA, Oakland 11/8-9-10 noted all three days off between at least 0200-0400. (DKK-CA)

CFAC AB, Calgary 11/8-9-10 like a local with WSPN Sports. Very, very loud solid signal. Only other thing I heard thru them was someone with weird country style music on 11/9, looping NE. (DKK-CA)

?CFAC?+11/9 0656 promos for various ESPN Family shows, faded out but returned with "SportsCenter." Very poor. (5P-HI)

970 ?KGET? CA, Bakersfield 11/7 2202 Fox News Radio, promo for "The Talk Station," ID missed, very poor. (5P-HI)

1010 KSIR CO, Brush 11/12 0955 with "Cowboy Corner" and ID, way under KXXT. (BB-AZ)

1080 KSLL UT, Price 11/13 0828 with mellow pop vocals, ID "AM 10-80 KSLL memories." Sounded like KASL! (MF-CA)

1100 KFAX CA, San Francisco 11/6 0658 ending "Hour of Decision, woman with ID "This is KFAX 11 hundred San Francisco, Oakland, San Jose, the Bay Area's..." with show preview and mention of website, SRN news. Fair to good. (5P-HI)

1170 KFAQ OK, Tulsa 11/14 2352 ads, "Talk Radio 11-70 KFAQ" under Spanish station. (MF-CA)

1220 CJRB MB, Boissevain 11/17 0216 fair briefly above CHSC with ID, ending a program "You've been listening to... on CJRB, Radio 12-20," into classical music. Soon lost behind CHSC again. (PM-OR)

1220 CHSC ON, St. Catharines 11/17 0125 very good at S9+ with old rock, "12-20 CHSC" into "We Didn't Start the Fire" by Billy Joel. (PM-OR)

1250 KHIL AZ, Willcox 11/4 2057 country music, top of hour ID "You're listening to southwest Arizona's classic country favorite, KHIL AM 12-50 and KWCS FM Willcox Arizona" followed by AP news and ads. (MF-CA)

1300 KROP CA, Brawley 11/18 0246 with C&W format, ad for car dealership and ID as "Real Country KROP." (BP-CA)

KKML CO, Colorado Springs 11/12 2128 heard with ID "The Sports Animal KKML." (BB-AZ)

KLER ID, Orofino 11/13 0100 in the clear with country music and ID. Soon overtaken by KAPL which usually dominates. Heard only occasionally. R-388 on N-S- wire. (GH-OR)

1310 KZXR WA, Prosser 11/2 0301-0310+ with ESPN cutting thru local KMKY nicely at times. 11/4 ESPN Sports 0220-0240. Break ending with KZXR ID 0240 after temp given as 36 degrees. New call. (DKK-CA)

1320 KXRO WA, Aberdeen 11/14 1943 under KCTC with local weather, several KXRO mentions, trivia question etc. 1945 more KXRO calls heard before changing pattern. KFNZ-UT took their place by 1947. First time logging from California (48 years). Did log and QSL from Iowa in 1951. (DKK-CA)

CHMB BC, Vancouver 11/6 0325-0335 in/out with KCTC & KFNZ with Chinese programming. Man/woman talking over slow melodic music. First time heard with these calls. (DKK-CA)

1330 KWLO IA, Waterloo 11/1 0349 fair in jumble with Perry Como song "Magic Moments," ID "Stars 1330. (PM-OR)

WLOL MN, Minneapolis 11/17 good on top off & on with "Relevant Radio" ID's and announcements for church services in St. Paul. ID at 0359:30 "Listener supported Relevant Radio for the Twin Cities, AM 1330, WLOL Minneapolis, St. Paul." (PM-OR)

KLBO TX, Monahans 11/17 good at times over WLOL with old rock with "KLBO Monahans" ID at 0345. (PM-OR)

1480 KPHX AZ, Phoenix 11/7 1840 atop this early with "All Comedy Radio." KPHX ID at 1903. Has been heard every time I've listened at SSS lately. Why? (DKK-CA)

1490 KICO CA, Calexico 11/12 1849 Spanish sports, top of hour ID "This is KICO 14-90 AM Calexico." GY #40. (MF-CA)

1520 KOKC OK, Oklahoma City 11/18 0650 fair over/under KGDD Spanish with local news & ads, "...more powerful... 1520 KOKC." (DP-OR)

1540 KMPC CA, Los Angeles 11/18 0610 good with Sporting News Radio programming. (DP-OR)

KXPA WA, Bellevue 11/18 0639 good, rising up with "Seattle's Multi-cultural Radio Station, KXPA-AM 1540," back into non-stop ranchera music. (DP-OR)

1630 KRND WY, Fox Farm 10/31 0300 with "La Grand D" atop with XEUT off early. Spanish format. (DKK-CA)

1640 KDZR OR, Lake Oswego 11/5 2022 Radio Disney in KDIA null, no ID but they're the only one on 1640. (MF-CA)

1700 KBGG IA, Des Moines 11/5 0320-0330 with XEPE briefly silent (OC on), talk mixing with KVSNN. (DKK-CA)

HELP WITH UNID

1550 KUAZ AZ, Tucson carries NPR and is heard here in Mission Viejo in the mornings. This is Rene's unID. (MF-CA)

UNID

1220 UNID 11/17 0218 station in the jumble that sounded French, but too much QRM from CHSC to tell much more. CKSM is listed there with FF talk, but too buried to catch any details. (PM-OR)

1330 UNID 11/17 0335 religious station under WLOL with "Life in the Word" with Joyce Meiers. WVHI? Soon faded into the jumble. (PM-OR)

1380 UNID 11/11 0130 female announcer "Treasure Valley's..." really weak and out there with oldies and possible "The Crew" ID. Help! SP-600 on N-S- wire. (GH-OR)

1520 UNID 11/9 2204 Spanish romantica music noted, very poor with heavy local QRM. KMPG-CA? (5P-HI)

This week we welcome two new WDXR reporters, Steve and Dan. We hope that you will report to the column often. It looks like Oregon is becoming a great DX location. Nancy 11/18 2100

CENTRAL DX ROUNDUP

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DOWN THE DIAL

1210 KHAT WY, Laramie. 11-15 good along with an uID SS. 20:00 with "12-10 AM KHAT Laramie. Serving all of south east Wyoming" into Fox Sports report. [NJ-MT]

25 YEARS AGO

November 29, 1980 issue of IRCA's "DX Monitor" ... **W. George Elliott** of Kelowna, BC told about his new girl friend Lynn and his new Yaesu FRG-7000 ... **Thomas F. Butas** of Memphis, TN said he bought an Yaesu FRG-7 ... **Gary Larson** of Burbank, CA discussed the many carrier current stations on 830 in the Los Angeles area.

OPEN MIKE

Nancy and I hope all of you have a nice Thanksgiving. This column was typed 11-20-05. 73, John

EASTERN DX ROUNDUP

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STARS OF THE WEEK

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LOGGINGS

- 560 ON CFOS Owen Sound 11/08 1800 ID. (WM-MD)
- MD WFRB Frostburg 11/18 1700 Oldies, TOH ID into News. Decent steady signal above the splatter from WDUN on 550 in Gainesville, GA. "WFRB" 560
- 580 NC WSKS West Jefferson 11/18 1705 State and local news. Good, steady signal above a mix of stations. "...on WSKS". (IEN-GA)
- 630 TX KSLR San Antonio 11/16 2244 Religious programming addiction. Good, steady signal on top of a choppy mix of stations in the null of WMAL in Washington, D.C. "...on 630, KSLR". (IEN-GA)
- 640 FL WVLG Wildwood 11/13 0052 Standards and Oldies. Decent, steady sig above the mix. "Music through the night on AM 640 WVLG". (IEN-GA)
- 680 WV WCAW Charleston 77/08 1730 S. GSPL mx hrd; ID. (WM-MD)
- 690 AL WJOX Birmingham 11/07 1727 Local ads; Sports Talk. (WM-MD)
- 820 OH WOSU Columbus 11/07 1720 "All Things Considered"; NPR; ID. (WM-MD)
- 850 AL WXJC Birmingham 11/10 1715 Station Promo; ID. (WM-MD)
- 910 IA WSUI Sioux City 11-16 2330 fair w/NPR. (rce-IN)
- OH WLTP Marietta 11/12 1640 NASCAR Busch Series Race on MRN. Dominant signal in a mix of a few other stations. "...910, WLTP Marietta". (IEN-GA)
- VA WWWR Roanoke 11-13 1730 and later with the Roanoke Valley Vipers hockey game. (rce-IN)
- 960 GA WRFC Athens 11-18 0702 fair w/ESPN sports, mentions of University of GA Bulldogs. (rce-IN)
- ON CFFX Kingston 11-15 2000 and later, apparently the station with "Oldies 960" slogans and carrying Toronto Maple Leafs hockey with ments of AM 640 Toronto network. (rce-IN)
- 970 AL WERH Hamilton 11-16 1728-1730 local spots and mentions of Franklin and Marion counties, also northwest Alabama, ID, Good. (rce-IN)
- 1050 TN WFAM Augusta 11-18 0628 poor w/religion. (rce-IN)
- 1060 TN WQMV Waverly 11-18 0624 fair/good u/KYW coming out of rel. pgm carried on the "QSE" network. (rce-IN)
- 1070 IN WIBC Indianapolis 0843 ID. (WB-OH)
- 1070 AL WAPI Birmingham 11/14 1722 Sean Hannity show buried in the mix. "...on 1070, WAPI". (IEN-GA)
- 1110 OH WGNZ Fairborn 0728 C&W mx. (WB-OH)
- 1130 OH WEDI Eaton 0720. (WB-OH)
- 1140 AL WBXR Hazel Green 11/14 1629 Religious programming. Decent signal. "...the Family Altar here on WBXR". (IEN-GA)
- VA WXLZ Saint Paul 11/14 1618 Country music. Decent signal. "Another country classic on 107.3, WXLZ". (IEN-GA)
- VA WRVA Richmond 0715 ID; Sports. (WB-OH)
- 1170 WV WWVA Wheeling 0659 ID. (WB-OH)

- 1180 NY WHAM Rochester 0658 ID Rush L Update. (WB-OH)
 - 1200 TX WOAI San Antonio 0653 ID; News. (WB-OH)
 - 1220 NC WENC Whiteville 11/14 1701 Religious programming (Prayer Line). Decent, steady signal. "Power 1220". (IEN-GA)
 - NC WFWL Camden 11/14 2335 Country music fading in and out of the mix along with a 1/4-hour drop. "1220, WFWL". (IEN-GA)
 - TN WCPH Etowah 11/15 0735 Standards. Decent, steady signal. "The Music of Your Life on AM 1220, WCPH, Etowah, TN". (IEN-GA)
 - 1280 PA WHVR Hanover 11/12 1635 Classic country. Dominant signal (S9) in the mix. "...on 1280, WHVR". (IEN-GA)
 - 1290 VA WDZY Colonial Heights 11/18 0801 Radio Disney fare. Decent steady signal above the morning static. "AM 1290, WDZY, Colonial Heights Richmond". (IEN-GA)
 - 1330 SC WYRD Greenville 11/12 2346 "NewsRadio 1330". // 950 ID "WORD". (WM-MD)
 - 1350 OH WTOU Akron 11/10 2159 "Air America Akron". (WM-MD)
 - 1360 OH WWOW Conneaut 11-17 1615-1635 fair w/oldies over WSAI Cincinnati "The new true oldies channel". (rce-IN)
 - 1430 VA WDIC Clinchco 11/12 1752 Country music. Good, steady signal on top of the evening static. "Stereo 1430, WDIC". (IEN-GA)
 - 1480 OH WHBC Canton 11/12 1627 Ohio State football postgame show. Good, steady signal (100/S9). "Ohio State Football on 1480 WHBC". (IEN-GA)
 - 1590 MS WZRZ Jackson 11/15 2314 Gospel music buried in the mix along with a 1/4-drop that came through nicely. "1590, WZRZ". (IEN-GA)
 - 1690 GA WSWK Avondale Estates 11/07 1735 Wx; "Air America Atlanta". (WM-MD)
- UN-IDENT**
- 1200 ?? ???? 11/12 "Sports Radio 1200" "Fox Sports. (WM-MD)

HAPPY THANKSGIVING TO YOU ALL!!!! Thanks to Ira, Rick, William AND welcome to William Beeman this week. Best to you all.... More next week.....0900 11-23-05

DX WORLDWIDE – WEST / TROPICAL BAND DX

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Greetings everyone,

PAN-AMERICAN DX ROUNDUP

- 530 **TURKS & CAICOS** at 0445 in SS 11/14. Signal good at times, then fades badly. Signal comes in better when tuned to 529.30 kHz. (DV-WA)
 - 535 **GRENADA**, heard at 0700 11/18 with snippets of audio. (CN-BC)
+ Also noted 0555 11/18 with fade ups, live internet stream, is not in sync but close. Thanks to Colin Newell for the tip. Nice accented EE spoken, ads and jingles. (SR-OR) (This one has not been reported on the WC for a number of years. Maybe cx or a tx fix? PM)
 - 670 **CUBA**, Radio Rebelde 11/15 0944 weak u/KBOI with SS talk //710. Hrd using a portable Sony SW-35 barefoot. (DR-OR)
 - 710 **CUBA**, Radio Rebelde, 11/15 0917 man speaking SS rapidly u/KIRO Seattle with clear mention of "Radio Rebelde" and time check. Also noted //670 although much weaker u/KBOI. Heard using postable Sony SW-35 barefoot. (NR-OR)
- (Good catches Dan. These also are rare to hear on the WC. PM)

QSLs

- 963 **P.R. CHINA**, China Radio International, sent QSL card in 56d for CD report. No v/s, but the QSL card & letter were in Russian, as I heard the Russian Service. P.R.China QSL #35. (PM-OR)
- 1125 **PHILIPPINES**, Legazpi City, DWAS, sent no detail letter in 46d for CD report. The manager asked me questions, so I will reply and try to get somewhat of a QSL. Address: DWAS, PO Box 78, Legazpi City, Philippines 4500. letter signed by: Benjamin P. Munoz. Station Manager. (PM-OR)

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Newfoundland DXpedition #15, November 4-14, 2005

SUMMARY

Since it usually takes many months to complete a full and detailed report (necessitated by the need to review dozens of cassette tapes), we offer this initial summary to whet the appetite of those who would like to get an early report on our doings in Newfoundland the week of November 4 to 14. Please note that the items reported below are subject to correction following review of tapes.

The 2005 Newfoundland DXpedition is now completed, with Jean Burnell of Halifax NS (NOV 4-14), John Fisher of Kingston ON (NOV 8-14) and Jim Renfrew of Byron NY (NOV 7-14) having been the participants. As many as five radios were in use: Drakes R8, R8A, R8B, and an ICOM R71A. For the second year the location was the Round Cove Bed and Breakfast in Cappahayden, a short distance from the location that had been used until 2002. Cappahayden is about an hour's drive south of St. John's. The proprietors are very friendly, and we have the full use of a finished basement for DXing. One serious problem was some sort of power line buzz that would strike for a few minutes or even hours at a time. We suspect that this is related to salt spray on the lines and connectors. A day of rain seemed to cure the worst of it. At our previous Cappahayden location the local power lines were further from the house, but here the power lines run between the house and the shoreline where the antenna wires run. There were two wires, the "northern wire" aimed at Europe, and the "southern wire" aimed at South America, along with splitters and amplifiers.

Reception conditions were dramatically different from 2004 when major auroral conditions prevailed. In 2004 conditions were excellent to Africa and South America because Europe was almost completely blocked. In 2005 nearly the opposite conditions were experienced, with good east-west propagation throughout the week. Please note that the word "good" needs some interpretation. At Cappahayden there are typically TA signals on nearly every frequency from around 2:00 PM until 7:00 AM Newfoundland time, so "good" means that all of the signals that can normally be heard were heard. But it was not "excellent" in that there were only a few far eastern receptions and sub-Saharan Africa was almost completely absent. What was most striking was the absence of deep south receptions. Even with quiet atmospheric conditions, just a few of the Brazilian and Argentine regulars were in evidence, unlike previous years when a slew of signals are available from sunset in Brazil until dawn in Colombia. Jean noted that this was the first DXpedition in which he was unable to log at least one new Brazilian station.

Even so, with lots of patience and observation there were a number of real gems noted:

- 810 **MACEDONIA** Makedonska Radio, Skopje, NOV 10 1900 - strong signal with Balkan music, then a full ID at the top of the hour "Makedonska Radio - Radio Makedonia".
- 846 **RUSSIA?** Radio Radonezh, Noginsk, NOV 10 1942 - long talk in Russian, struggling to get through Ireland 846, at 1950 bells between news items, faded before the top of the hour. Tentative.
- 860 **CUBA** Radio Reloj, Baracoa, NOV 14 0328 - not a new station for us, but unusual because instead of the normal "RR" in code, there were chimes instead. All the other Reloj outlets heard used code.
- 1000 **USA** KOMO, Seattle, NOV 12 1019 - nice "KOMO Radio 1000" heard through WMVP. We've never heard anything this far west before.
- 1020 **VENEZUELA** R. Continente Calendario, Maracaibo, NOV 14 0257 - a DXer's dream of a full five minutes of IDs, following a classical music program.
- 1035 **ESTONIA** Tartu Family Radio, Tartu, NOV 10 2135 - light music program.
- 1125 **RUSSIA** Radio Orfey, St. Petersburg, NOV 10 1937 - Russian language with classical music, parallel to 1161. This represented the beginning of a good run on Russian stations during the next two hours.
- 1161 **RUSSIA** Radio Orfey, Volgograd NOV 10 1937 - Russian language with classical music, parallel to 1125.
- 1170 **UAE** Radio Sawa, al-Dhabbaya, NOV 8 2018, easily heard through Voice of Russia.
- 1188 **RUSSIA** Deutsche Welle, St. Petersburg, NOV 10 2018 - "Hier ist Volna" ID heard at 2030, parallel 6180 kHz German program. Listed at 10 kW.
- 1197 **LESOTHO** Family Radio, Maseru, NOV 7 2234 - the unmistakable voice of Harold Camping.
- 1341 **HUNGARY** Magyar Katolikus Radio, Szolnok, NOV 10 0352 - music program, led into a program from Vatican Radio at 0410.
- 1350 **LATVIA** Radio Tatras International, Kuldiga, NOV 8 2028 - strong dance music, a few IDs as "Tatras" or "RTI".
- 1377 **ARMENIA** TWR, Gavar, NOV 10 1910 - noted with a TWR Interval Signal, parallel to the previously logged TWR 864 from Armenia.
- 1385.9 **GUINEA** Radio Rurale, Labé, NOV 8 2115 - stood out as one of the few heard from Africa, a strong signal.
- 1386 **LITHUANIA** Radio Baltic Waves, Sitkunai, NOV 10 2155 - with Chinese lessons for a Russian audience.

- 1386 **KENYA** KBC, Maralal, NOV 12 0215 - steady signal with music and announcements.
- 1413 **UNID SITE** Voice of Russia, NOV 10 2001 - very strong in Bulgarian, parallel to 6000 kHz. This seems to have replaced the 1467 Grigoriopol transmission. We wondered if this might be Pristina in Kosovo?
- 1440 **RUSSIA** Radio France International, St. Petersburg, NOV 10 2035 - French program parallel to 7315 kHz, weak under Luxembourg which was not using DRM at the time. This one listed as 10 kW.
- 1494 **CORSICA** Radio Bleue, Bastia, NOV 7 2131 - France-Inter was once the sole program heard on this frequency, but now there are two programs here: Radio Bleue and France Info. Radio Bleue is from Corsica.
- 1494 **RUSSIA** TWR, St. Petersburg, NOV 10 2042 - program in Norwegian, interval signal heard at 2058.
- 1539 **DJIBOUTI** RTVD, Djibouti, NOV 7 1942 // 4780 shortwave.
- 1548 **SRI LANKA** Deutsche Welle, Trincomalee, NOV 12 1730 - at this early hour German language was quickly paralleled to 9545 shortwave. The signal was gone around 1750. This may be the highlight of the DXpedition, as Sri Lanka has not been heard here before.
- 1557 **LITHUANIA** Radio Baltic Waves, Kaunas/Sitkunai, with China Radio International in Russian, NOV 8 1815.
- 1557 **UAE** Radio Asia, Ras al Khaimah, NOV 13 1842 - heard though out the week with Middle Eastern music under France and Radio Baltic Waves, an ID announcement was finally heard at this time.
- 1575 **UAE** R. Farda, al-Dhabbiya, NOV 7 2028.
- 1700 **MEXICO** XEKT, Tecate BCN, NOV 12 1034 - in the post sunrise hour we found a series of English ads and announcements for the San Diego area, along with a muffled mention of call letters. This occurred shortly after the KOMO 1000 reception noted above.

The most fruitful times for MW DXing were afternoon and early evening, and then again in the hour before and after sunrise.

Some suspected Greek and Serbian pirates were noted on 1627 and 1639.87 on NOV 13 between 2045 and 2145.

DRM signals were noted on 1440 and 1530 kHz, producing a heavy buzz. Fortunately, from such a far distance, there was not much interference to adjacent channels.

After about 2000 UTC, with the absence of any new targets, we usually shifted to shortwave. We found Greenland 3815 on NOV 8 2133-2212, with Greenlandic and Danish talk. As far as we know this is the first North American reception of this station. We also noted nearly all the Indian regional stations on the 90 and 60 meter band, with the exception of AIR Gangtok. All of these sign on between 2355 and 0100. They were in every night we looked for them. An RRI station on 4925 from Sumatra was noted, too. Coalition Forces Radio operates in International Waters on 9133 usb, with Middle Eastern music and announcements, but an ID could not be found when we listened to this station on November 11th, 0127-0300. John and Jean enjoyed spotting various European pirates, while Jim dug around in the longwave band looking for beacons. During the sunrise listening period there were numerous domestic stations logged for the first time.

Watch for our complete report in months to come. (via IRCA eGroup – pb)

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DEADLINES: Sundays

Deadlines: Sundays

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It's been some time since I've sent something in so I thought I would share some of my recent achievements. In October I heard my first TPs with reports to JOUB-774 and HLAZ-1566. I also heard faint audio on JOIB-747 but not enough to report or count. I hit California number 150 heard in October and total number 300 heard in November. Nancy talked me into joining in on the 2005 Contest so I'll be working on that as time permits. I hope it helps me increase my totals. 28 new reports and a few follow ups have yielded 9 new veries since the beginning of September. I've been looking into putting a EWE antenna up and I think it will happen in the future. I have room to put one facing NW with 10'-60'-10'dimensions. I just need to put up a pole of some type at the far end. Happy Turkey Day to all. Martin

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

Still climbing up the heard ladder, with 614 now. WERH-970 became my 25th Alabama heard here. Haven't heard them since I was up in Gary, so it's been close to 30 years or even more since the last time I nailed them. I went thru my overall log the other night to see if there were any stations I had heard in my other 7 logs but not here in Indy. Turned out to be none. I did get one of my more wanted, which was WWOW-1360 in Conneaut, Ohio, northeast of Cleveland. It was in over a very poor WSAI in Cincinnati, which is only 100 miles down the Interstate from here. I have been sitting more in the 900-990 range of channels lately and finding stuff I need. Martin, you should enjoy being in the

contests. I remember the one back in 1969-70 when I was in Gary and it seemed like Richard Wood out in Hawaii was hearing every station I heard. I know, because the veries I was getting from the stations were telling me about it, hi. That included at least one graveyarders in South Dakota. That's it for this week. Have a great Thanksgiving. I will be working both Wed. and Thursday nights at the store. 73.

HEARING IT THROUGH THE GRAPEVINE

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Greetings fellow IRCAN's and welcome to another edition of "Hearing It Through The Grapevine." This one features 820 kHz and the State of Texas. Let's see what our members have heard recently and over the years.

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Drake R8B, Kiwa Loop

Featured frequency of 820 kHz:

XEMVS BCN Mexicali SS Radio Lobo. A few times.
KORC OR Waldport Local The voice of South Lincoln County. Local.
WBAP TX Dallas/Fort Worth News Talk. Several times a year.
KGNW WA Seattle Seattles Christian Talk. Loud.

Featured State of Texas:

620 KMKI Plano Radio Disney. Caught in 1998.
740 KTRH Houston News Talk. Nx Radio 740.
820 WBAP Dallas/Fort Worth- News Talk. The News and Talk of Texas.
890 KVOZ Del Mar Hills SS La Cadena Cristiana.
1080 KRLD Dallas News/Talk Nx Radio 1080.
1200 WOAI San Antonio News News Radio 1200. Regular/Seasonal.
1530 KZNX Creedmore Sports The Twins ESPN.
1540 KZMP Fort Worth SS Radio Tri-Color –La Mexicanisima - Radio Ayo.
1630 KNAX Fort Worth SS Radio Vida.
1650 KBIV El Paso Classic Hit Country. Current status not known.
1700 KVNS Brownsville Oldies. ex KQXX.
1700 KTBK Sherman Sports The Ticket ESPN. Current status not known.

Patrick Martin, Seaside, Oregon

Featured frequency of 820 kHz:

KCBF-Fairbanks AK WFAA-Dallas TX CHAM-Hamilton ONT
WOSU-Columbus OH WBAP-Ft. Worth TX
KORC-Waldport OR KGNW-Seattle WA

Featured State of Texas:

550	KTSA	San Antonio	1965	1190	KLUV	Dallas	2001
560	KLVI	Beaumont	1996 DX Test	1190	KFXR	Dallas	2003
570	WFAA	Dallas	1965	1200	WOAI	San Antonio	1967
620	KAAM	Plano	1997 DX Test	1210	KUBR	San Juan	1990
690	KPET	Lamesa	1990	1250	KZEP	San Antonio	1993
720	KSAH	Universal City	1993	1300	KLAR	Laredo	1983
740	KTRH	Houston	1982	1310	WRR	Dallas	1965
750	KAMA	El Paso	2000	1310	KAAM	Dallas	1993 DX Test
820	WFAA	Dallas	1966	1320	KXYZ	Houston	1970
820	WBAP	Ft. Worth	1968	1330	KLBO	Monahans	2005
860	KONO	San Antonio	1970	1350	KCOR	San Antonio	1965
920	KELP	El Paso	1970 DX Test	1360	KXOL	Ft. Worth	1968
940	KIXZ	Amarillo	1984	1370	KOKE	Austin	1969 DX Test
1010	KDJW	Amarillo	1983	1380	KTSM	El Paso	2000
1030	KCTA	Corpus Christi	1985	1440	KPUR	Amarillo	1984
1070	KKHT	Houston	2001	1460	WACO	Waco	1993
1080	KRLD	Dallas	1981	1470	KDHN	Dimmitt	1983
1090	KKYN	Plainview	2000	1470	KRBC	Abilene	1983
1180	KGOL	Humble	1999	1470	KFQX	Abilene	1985
1190	KLIF	Dallas	1983	1480	KLVL	Pasadena	1998
1190	KUII	Dallas	1992	1480	KBOX	Dallas	1970
1190	KGBS	Dallas	1994	1480	KCMZ	Dallas	1992
1190	KJOI	Dallas	2000	1480	KRMT	Dallas	1995

1510	KROB	Robstown	2003	1620	WPAM217	Channelview	1994 TIS: 10 watts
1530	KZNX	Creedmoor	2005	1630	KNAX	Ft. Worth	2001
1530	KGBT	Harlington	2005	1640	WQO767	DFW '97 TIS:	At airport 60 watts
1530	KNBO	New Boston	1969	1650	KBIV	El Paso	2001
1550	KZRK	Canyon	1999	1660	KRZI	Waco	1999
1560	KTXZ	W. Lake Hills	1998	1670	WHI392	Midlothian	1998 Ip TIS 3.5 watts, operated by Midlothian Fire Dept.
1580	KRZI	Waco	1995	1680	WQO767	DFW '97 TIS:	At Airport 60 watts
1590	KYOK	Houston	1995	1700	KQXX	Brownsville	1999
1590	KEAS	Eastland	1995	1700	KVNS	Brownsville	2004
1590	KELP	El Paso	2000	1700	KDSX	Denton	1999 (DX Test)
1590	KEND	Lubbock	1985	1700	KTBK	Sherman	1999
1590	KLLL	Lubbock	1990				
1600	KSSA	Cockrell Hill	1990				
1600	KRVA	Cockrell Hill	1995				
1610	KALT	Atlanta	2001				
1620	WTAW	College Station	1999				

Mike Hardester, Jacksonville, NC

LEGEND:

C/S City State Date Hrd My QTH

Featured frequency of 820 kHz:

820 WBAP Fort Worth TX 1968-12-08 Modesto, CA
820 WGGM Chester VA 1996 Jacksonville, NC

Featured State of Texas:

550 KTSA San Antonio TX 1976-03-07 Caldwell, TX
590 KLBJ Austin TX 1976-03-07 Caldwell, TX
650 KIKK Pasadena TX 1976-03-07 Caldwell, TX
680 KKYX San Antonio TX 1976-03-07 Caldwell, TX
710 KGNC Amarillo TX 1979-12-24 San Diego, CA
740 KTRH Houston TX 1970-05-11 Modesto, CA
790 KULF Houston TX 1971-12-20 Modesto, CA
820 WFAA Dallas TX 1969-09-29 Modesto, CA
820 WBAP Fort Worth TX 1968-12-08 Modesto, CA
860 KONO San Antonio TX 1970-12-28 Modesto, CA
920 KELP El Paso TX 1971-01-18 Modesto, CA
940 KIXZ Amarillo TX 1969-03-24 Modesto, CA
1010 KDJW Amarillo TX 1970-02-22 Modesto, CA
1010 KKIK Waco TX 1976-03-07 Caldwell, TX
1080 KRLD Dallas TX 1969-04-28 Modesto, CA
1100 KON247 Houston TX 1979-07-09 Houston, TX
1150 WTAW Bryan TX 1976-03-09 Caldwell, TX
1190 KLIF Dallas TX 1971-03-28 Modesto, CA
1200 WOAI San Antonio TX 1969-01-16 Modesto, CA
1200 WOAI San Antonio TX 1990-00-00 Jacksonville, NC
1240 KTAM Bryan TX 1976-03-06 Caldwell, TX
1270 KFJZ Ft. Worth TX 1979-07-09 San Diego, CA
1380 KTSM El Paso TX 1979-07-09 San Diego, CA
1440 KPUR Amarillo TX 1972-02-29 Modesto, CA
1610 KON247 Houston TX 1979-07-09 Houston, TX

Dale Park, Honolulu, Hawaii

From Hawaii:

Featured frequency of 820 kHz:

WBAP TX Fort Worth Once at night when KHVH-830 was off

Featured State of Texas:

630 KSJL San Antonio Once at night 820 WBAP Fort Worth Once at night when
740 KTRH Houston Twice at night KHVH-830 was off

From Evanston, IL (1987-88):

Featured frequency of 820 kHz:

WAIT IL Chicago Local daytimer (station recently returned to these call letters)
WBAP TX Fort Worth Regular at night

Featured State of Texas:

740 KTRH Houston Occasional at night 820 WBAP Fort Worth Regular at night

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Martin Foltz, Mission Viejo CA
Hammarlund HQ-180A & Collins 51J-2 with 1 foot air core loop

Featured frequency of 820 kHz:

WBAP Fort Worth, TX VF XEYX Mexicali, BC

Featured State of Texas:

750 KAMA El Paso 1200 WOAI San Antonio VQ
820 WBAP Fort Worth VF 1650 KBIV El Paso VL
1080 KRLD Dallas 1700 KVNS Brownsville VL

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Dennis Vroom, Vancouver, WA

Fada 1937, HQ 180, CC radio, 75' long wire. California 1960's Washington 2004

Featured frequency of 820 kHz:

WBAP Fort Worth TX 1966 KGNW Seattle WA 2004

Featured State of Texas:

680 KBAT San Antonio 1966 1030 KTCA Corpus Christi 1968
740 KTRH Houston 1968 1080 KRLD Dallas 1966
820 WBAP Fort Worth 1966 1120 WOAI San Antonio 1968
940 KIXZ Amarillo 1968

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Mike Hawkins, Campbell, CA

Past Equipment includes: Stewart-Warner R390A, Collins R388, Yaesu FRG-7, Radio Shack DX-394, Grundig S350, multiple clock radios, multiple car radios, 1936 RCA console (don't know model right now) 1938 Philco console (don't know model right now).

Featured frequency of 820 kHz:

WFAA Dallas, Texas KGNW Burien, Washington XEMVS Mexicali, Mexico
WBAP Fort Worth, Texas KCBF Fairbanks, Alaska KUTR Taylorsville, Utah
XEYX Mexicali, Mexico KORC Waldport, Oregon

Featured State of Texas:

550 K TSA San Antonio 1190 KLIF Dallas 1440 KEYS Corpus Christi
560 KLVI Beaumont 1200 WOAI San Antonio 1460 KLLL Lubbock
570 WFAA Dallas 1250 KIKZ Seminole 1470 KRBC Abilene
590 KTBC Austin 1260 KP SO Falfurrias 1470 KDHN Dimmitt
660 KSKY Dallas 1260 KTUE Tulia 1480 KBOX Dallas
690 KHEY El Paso 1270 KEPS Eagle Pass 1530 KZNX Creedmoor
710 KGNC Amarillo 1270 KFJZ Fort Worth 1530 KGBT Harlingen
740 KTRH Houston 1290 KTRN Wichita Falls 1530 KCLR Ralls
740 KCMC Texarkana 1300 KVET Austin 1540 KBUY Fort Worth
750 KAMA El Paso 1300 KLAR Laredo 1560 KCAD Abilene
760 KTKR San Antonio 1310 WRR Dallas 1580 KBGO Waco
790 KTHT Houston 1330 KVKM Monahans 1590 KINT El Paso
790 KULF Houston 1340 KSET El Paso 1590 KYOK Houston
820 WFAA Dallas 1350 KCOR Brownsville 1590 KCBD Lubbock
820 WBAP Fort Worth 1350 KTXJ Jasper 1590 KEND Lubbock
860 KONO San Antonio 1360 KRY S Corpus Christi 1590 KIKN Sinton
910 KRRV Sherman 1360 KXOL Fort Worth 1620 WTA W College
990 KTRM Beaumont 1370 KPOS Post Station
990 KNIN Wichita Falls 1380 KTSM El Paso 1630 KKGM Fort Worth
1010 KD JW Amarillo 1400 KIUN Pecos 1700 KQXX Brownsville
1030 KCTA Corpus Christi 1400 KVOP Plainview 1700 KVNS Brownsville
1060 KXPL El Paso 1410 KXIT Dalhart 1700 KTBK Sherman
1070 KRLD Dallas 1410 KRIG Odessa
1150 KIZZ El Paso 1440 KPUR Amarillo

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GE Superadio II, Collins R-390, SONY M-40-W

Featured frequency of 820 kHz:

WBAP Texas, Fort Worth most nights KJQ California, Hollywood - local TIS
XEYX Mexicali BC, Mexico most nights WPHE337 California, Hollywood - local TIS

Featured State of Texas:

560 KLVI Beaumont 1996 DX test 740 KTRH Houston regularly
690 KHEY El Paso 1975 750 KAMA El Paso PEST!

760 KSJL San Antonio 1990 w/KFMB off 1200 WOAI San Antonio regularly
820 WBAP Fort Worth regularly 1310 KAAM Dallas 1993 DX test
840 KIKN Pharr 1990 1530 KGBT Harlingen in the 70's
950 KXTQ Lubbock w/XEKAM off 1540 KRXV Fort Worth 1975
1010 KD JW Amarillo 1976 1590 KELP El Paso 1993
1030 KCTA Corpus Christi 1974 1650 KBIV El Paso 2004
1080 KRLD Dallas regularly 1700 KQXX Brownsville 2005

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Thanks to everyone for these great reports! For the next issue of the 'Grapevine' let's see what's been heard on 1480 kHz and in the State of Tennessee, which was 1st settled in 1757 and was admitted to the Union on June 1, 1796. Their State bird is the Mockingbird and their State flower is the Iris. The 'popular' name for Tennessee is "Volunteer State."

The deadline for this will be Saturday, December 10th at 1500 hours EST for Vol. 43, No. 14. Until then be well my friends and, 73 de DX de NY, Ray

"Here, outside in the night air, all was quiet. Silence -- and yet one felt the mystery of these invisible waves, the miracle of the hidden voices, sweeping out through the night." ~ Journalist Leslie Bailly - 1925

2005-2006 IRCA ALPHABET SOUP DX CONTEST

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Standings as of November 15, 2005

1. Don Kaskey	245	6. Nancy Johnson*	56
2. Michael Hawkins	242	7. Nigel Pimblett	40
3. Bill Nittler	201	8. Martin Foltz	16
4. Tim Noonan	189	9. Dale Park	9
5. John Tudenham	108	10. John C. Johnson	3

* Contest manager is not eligible to win.

A welcome to our two new IRCA Alphabet Soup contestants. You can join the contest any time, so if you haven't joined already there is still time. The rules can be found online at the IRCA website, and also in the August 6, 2005 issue of DXM. Send me a note if you have any questions. The contest runs until May 31, 2006.

VERY MIGHTY GRAYLAND DXPEDITION (cont)
Plus Harold H. Beverage's birthday party
October 13 - 16, 2005

- 800 **ALASKA** KINY, Juneau, Oct 14 0357 - Very nice reception with music from the 80s, with some deep fades into oblivion. Only audible on our NW Beverage. Many KINY IDs noted. At 04:00 ID'd as your Hometown radio station, and into ABC news. (Salmaniw Oct 2005, Grayland, WA)
+ Good with an ID and weather from the Coldwell Banker weather station 1502 Oct. 14. Battling with CKOR Penticton at other times. (CH-WA Oct 2005)
+ 0318 10/14 very dominant w/oldies, local ads, promo for website. 0323 10/15 dominant w/oldies, live DJ, weather "Hometown radio" slogan. (bp WA Oct 2005)
- 819 **NORTH KOREA** Pyongyang KCBS, 1218 10/15 fair w/Korean talk //2850. (bp WA Oct 2005)
+ Oct 17 1420 - Heard with usual late evening patriotic music //2850 kHz. (Bryant-WA Oct 2005)
- 820 **ALASKA** KCBF Fairbanks with such a poor ID 0600 Oct 15 that I didn't catch it at first. On replay, there was a "K... Fair..." ID at the top of the hour. (CH-WA Oct 2005)
- 827.85 **UNID** Anybody know who this is? Delivered a hum to the channel each morning, heard both CC and Tagalog at various times, but not sure if they were the culprit. (NHP-WA)
- 828 **CHINA** unid under Japan at 1320 Oct. 16, no idea. (CH-WA Oct 2005)
- 828 **JAPAN** JOBB NHK2 Osaka, Oct 14 0928 - Noted here throughout the DXpedition, often at excellent levels. (Bryant-WA Oct 2005)
+ Oct 14 1638 - Starting to fade towards their s/off. In // to very strong 774. NA at 16:41 and their music box ident at 16:42 and still going until 1645, then OC. (Salmaniw Oct 2005, Grayland, WA)
+ 1422 10/15 Italian program good. Church organ type music 1159 10/16, then time pips& man w/mention of NHK good o/unid. (bp WA Oct 2005)
+ Oct 15 1425 - Male and female announcers in Japanese. Good level, with unid. Chinese station in background. (Atkins-WA Oct 2005)
+ 1320 Oct. 16 mentioning NHK (pronounced in English), good. (CH-WA Oct 2005)
- 828 **UNID** 1200 10/16 someone w/JOBB w/bits of music & talk, 6 short pips at ToH. (bp WA Oct 2005)

- 837 **JAPAN** Niigata 1128 10/15, weak //594 w/sporting event. (bp WA Oct 2005)
- 850 **ALASKA** Nome, KICY, 0646 10/15 religious program atop freq, ID then Russian program 0700. Russian show very strong & dominant 1000 10/16 w/IDs in English and Russian, having technical problem of some sort, audio cutting out for a second or two several times a minute. (bp WA Oct 2005)
- + 10/15 0901 utc "KICY" ident, with heavy Russian accent. (Ratzlaff Oct 2005)
- + 0902 15 Oct. Russian talk... Radio Novaya Zhizn mention followed by Russian male vocal music. This was a "Radio New Life" program on KICY according to Walt. Fair to strong dominant signal on channel. (NHP-WA)
- + At good or better levels and totally owning the channel at times 0915 Oct 15 with what sounded like a religious program in Russian. Awesome signal, not to be believed. (CH-WA Oct 2005)
- + Oct 15 11:00 - Great reception with Russian religious program called, 'Radio Novaya Zhizn', which means 'new life'. Frequent IDs as such, but only a very brief legal id in English at 11:00 as simply 'KICY, Nome'. (Salmani Oct 2005, Grayland, WA)
- 855 **NORTH KOREA** 1036.625 loud w/violin music //3320. (bp WA Oct 2005)
- 864 **CHINA** unid 1224 10/16 Chinese station dominant w/ads, phone interview. 1230 had single tone, fanfare, then woman, then faded u/a Japanese station. (bp WA Oct 2005)
- 864 **EUROPE** various MW hets, Oct 16 0406 - Using the backside of the SW Beverage, we were able to hear 13 hets. Besides 864, also 909, 1053, 1062, 1089, 1134, 1179, 1215, 1314, 1377, 1422, 1575 and 1584. No audio of course (except on Iceland 189 heard earlier), but still proving that TA propagation is possible on the west coast and worth trying for! Still this is nothing compared to last night's total of more than 30 hets, and a few audios (ie 1215). Unfortunately I fell asleep early! (Salmani Oct 2005, Grayland, WA)
- 864 **NORTH KOREA** KCBS Sinuiju, Oct 16 1440 - Fair to good level with fabulous patriotic opera // to 719.84. (Bryant-WA Oct 2005)
- 864 **SOUTH KOREA** Gangneung HMKR 1300 10/16 woman in Korean, call ID & time pips fair in CFPR-860 splatter. Someone underneath with a single tone. (bp WA Oct 2005)
- 873 **JAPAN** JOGB NHK2 Kumamoto, Oct 17 1322 - Our old friend finally shook off the new North Korean on this frequency and dominated the AMs of both the 17th and 18th. Parallel 774 at good level. (Bryant-WA Oct 2005)
- 873 **NORTH KOREA** unknown, KCBS. 1440 15 Oct. Restful operatic style singing //2850, strong o/NHK2? (NHP-WA)
- + 0930 10/16 female operatic //2850 fair o/JOGB. (bp WA Oct 2005)
- + Oct 16 1305 - This 'new' or moved station noted again, most mornings of DXpedition, dominating this channel normally occupied by JOGB, NHK2 Kumamoto. // 2850 kHz. (Bryant-WA Oct 2005)
- 873 **RUSSIA** Khabarovsk, R Rossii 0942 10/14 woman in Russian fair. (bp WA Oct 2005)
- 873t **VIETNAM** Voice of Vietnam 4, 11:27 Very rumbly audio. The language sounded Vietnamese, though I couldn't be sure. Poor reception, I suppose the only other country who would broadcast with such defective equipment would be North Korea, but they're not listed here. 15/Oct/2005 (Salmani Oct 2005, Grayland, WA) (Nick Hall-Patch later confirmed this is North Korea unlisted in the Pacific-Asia List.)
- 882.4 **UNID** and heard occasionally on good Asian mornings but can't pull enough audio to say who. Has been here for many years. (CH-WA Oct 2005)
- 882.5 **UNID** 1443 15 Oct. Carrier here, no audio. North Korea has been reported since 873 appeared, so possibly them. (NHP-WA)
- 890 **ALASKA** Homer, KBBI 1429 10/14, fair-good w/NPR Morning Edition, brief break w/mention of local sponsors. (bp WA Oct 2005)
- 891 **THAILAND** Bangkok 1446 10/15 good w/Thai talk. (bp WA Oct 2005)
- 909 **JAPAN** JOVX Abashiri, Oct 18 1444 - This relay of 1440 popped up to an excellent level for about ten minutes. Doing very well with JJ talk. (Bryant-WA Oct 2005)
- 910 **ALASKA?** Top of the hour ID 1100 Oct 16 under KKSJ but could not make it out. (CH-WA Oct 2005)
- 918 **CHINA** CNR2 Multiple locations, Oct 14 1443 - Heard here in standard CC three of five AMs of DXpedition, often at good level // 7115 kHz. (Bryant-WA Oct 2005)
- + t, CC. 1600 14 Oct. 6 pips after mx, followed by woman in CC. (NHP-WA)
- + 1027 10/16, good w/Chinese talk show, 1030 "Zhongyang Renmin Guangbo Diantai" ID but forgot to confirm which network. (bp WA Oct 2005)
- 920 **ALASKA** KSRM Soldotna with fair ID Oct 15 0518. (CH-WA Oct 2005)
- + 10/16 1330 utc. "KSRM Newstalk 92" ident. (Ratzlaff Oct 2005)
- 930 **ALASKA** Ketchikan, KTKN, 0248 10/14, local-like with pop music, promo for "Story Lady" pgm, mention of ktkn.com. Local ads strong 0317 10/16, the Rick Dees Weekly Top 40 show. (bp WA Oct 2005)
- + At almost local level, way on top of the channel 1019 Oct. 15. (CH-WA Oct 2005)
- 936 **CHINA** Anhui RGD/Radio Anhui Hefei, Anhui, Oct 15 1429 - Heard here most mornings of DXpedition, often at good level. Heard multiple EE IDs as 'Radio Anhui' along with an FM parallel during CC/EE local newscast just after 1400 each AM. Very pleased to finally positively ID this station. (Bryant-WA Oct 2005)
- + Fair in CC 1331 Oct. 16. No EE at the time which I was looking for as others had mentioned it. (CH-WA Oct 2005)
- + 1401-1410 10/16, good w/news by woman in alternating English & Chinese (apparently repeating the same stories in both languages). Most items were cultural or sports events. Nice English ID as "Radio Anhui" by man 1407, "Anhui Renmin Guangbo Diantai" ID by woman 1410, then Chinese program. (bp WA Oct 2005)
- 940 **HAWAII** Waipahu, KKNE 1013 10/15 Hawaiian music & mention of "...all Hawaiian... AM 9-40" fair o/u mainland stations on SW wire. (bp WA Oct 2005)
- 945 **CHINA** CNR1 Multiple Locations, Oct 14 1420 - Heard here most mornings of DXpedition, often at good to excellent level // 5030. (Bryant-WA Oct 2005)
- + Oct 15 1428 - Partial ID 'Guangbo Diantai' noted at 1430. Male and female announcers, parallel to shortwave 5030. Fair to very good on peaks. (Atkins-WA Oct 2005)
- + 1554 15 Oct. Fabulous signal strength all alone, // & lagging 5030, interview w/man. (NHP-WA)
- + 1555 10/15 loud //4460 w/phone interview. //5030 1043 10/16, man w/orchestral fanfare, then woman talking. (bp WA Oct 2005)
- + Very good (better than its neighbor Anhui on 936) at 1333 Oct. 16. Big disco commercial sound as you often find on CNR1. (CH-WA Oct 2005)
- 950 **MEXICO** Tijuana, XEKAM 0547 10/16, probably the one playing Mexican NA u/KJR then man in SS. Rather odd time to be playing the NA. (bp WA Oct 2005)
- 954 **JAPAN** JOKR Tokyo, Oct 14 0922 - Noted here throughout the DXpedition, though never at the good to excellent levels of previous years. Antenna problems at the station???
- (Bryant-WA Oct 2005)
- 954 **UNID** 1335 Oct. 16 with very strange mx that reminds me a little of Mongolian music. Clearly not the commercial Japanese station which came up over the unid at 1336.
- 963 **CHINA** CRI Russian Svc. Govorit Pekin, 1244 10/14, Russian service good, much better than //1323. Monster signal w/woman in Russian, Govorit something mentioned. 1128 10/16 man & woman in Russian good. (bp WA Oct 2005)
- + 1303 14 Oct. Woman talking in RR, good signal // 5990. (NHP-WA)
- + Oct 14 1445 - Heard here every morning of DXpedition, often at good to excellent level. (Bryant-WA Oct 2005)
- + 1327 Very strong Russian broadcast discussing Chinese cosmonauts. A regular here and often one of the strongest stations on the air. Fun to listen to. 15/Oct/2005. (Salmani Oct 2005, Grayland, WA)
- + Absolutely excellent with Russian program 1417 Oct.15. (CH-WA Oct 2005)
- 970 **ALASKA** Fairbanks, KFBX, 0605 10/15, strong o/weak unid w/ABC news, "Newsradio 970 KFBX" ID, local ads & weather, into Coast to Coast. (bp WA Oct 2005)
- + Fair with ID 1000 Oct. 15. Hearing this rare Alaskan was the first really big surprise of the night and from that point on I was in Alaska-hunting mode. (CH-WA Oct 2005)
- 972 **SOUTH KOREA** HLCA Dangjin KBS Liberty 1, Oct 14 0927 - Noted here throughout the DXpedition, often at excellent levels. (Bryant-WA Oct 2005)
- + Oct 14 1630 - Good reception in Japanese with talk between two women, and then a vocal. (Salmani Oct 2005, Grayland, WA)
- + 1330 Good to very good reception, and better than the SW parallel of 6015. 15/Oct/2005. (Salmani Oct 2005, Grayland, WA)
- + 1600 10/15 still good w/ network ID, mention of KBS, then KBS time pips. Still quite strong 1538 10/16. (bp WA Oct 2005)
- 972 **UNID** 1557 10/15, someone u/HLKA w/talk but to much QRM too tell more, music 1558:30, what sounded like standard Chinese pips u/KBS pips 1600 but need to replay recording to confirm. (bp WA Oct 2005)
- 981 **CHINA** CNR1, Oct 14 1025 - Heard here with discussion in standard CC // 5030 kHz. Also noted on Oct. 17. (Bryant-WA Oct 2005)
- + 1230 10/14, man in Chinese //5030/4460/999 poor in splatter. (bp WA Oct 2005)
- + Oct 14 1629 - Fair strength, and in // to 6030. 9:30 am local! (Salmani Oct 2005, Grayland, WA)
- + 1332 Good reception of Chinese programming, parallel to 5030 SW. 15/Oct/2005. (Salmani Oct 2005, Grayland, WA)
- + 1213 16 Oct. Woman in CC fair, //5030, about 0.5 second echo there, as if more than one station. (NHP-WA)
- 999 **CHINA** CNR1, 1229 10/14, man in Chinese //5030/4460/981 poor in splatter. (bp WA Oct 2005)
- + 1333 Again, a CC station at fair level and // to SW 5030, and possibly yet another CC station co-channel. 15/Oct/2005. (Salmani Oct 2005, Grayland, WA)
- 999 **UNID** someone briefly at fair level 1432 Oct 14, either Korea or China but I could not tell. (CH-WA Oct 2005)
- + 0408 10/15 TA hetting KOMO, not sure who this could have been. (bp WA Oct 2005)
- 1008 **JAPAN** JONR Osaka, Oct 14 1135 - Heard here most mornings of DXpedition with usual late evening pops programming. Never better than fair level. (Bryant-WA Oct 2005)
- 1008 **RUSSIA** Khabarovsk, Radio Yunost 1034 10/15 woman in Russian briefly good, 1322 10/16 weak w/rock //1377. (bp WA Oct 2005)
- + 1302 16 Oct. Woman w/apparent nx in RR; poor to fair, o/u hum, JJ, and who knows what else. ID'd more positively moments later with //1377. (NHP-WA)

- 1017 **JAPAN** JOUB Fukuoka fair // nhk2 and temporarily on top of the channel over a pile of competitors. (CH-WA Oct 2005)
- 1026t **CHINA** Beijing, Beijing Jingi GD, 1500 14 Oct. CC pips on hour, laid back fanfare, then woman in CC, nx sounders etc from possible Filipino also on channel. Barely readable on hour, then started to improve once woman started talking, but no IDs heard. Possibly Beijing. (NHP-WA)
- + 1300 16 Oct. Strings and horns orchestral music followed by pips and "Beijing Renmin(?) Guangbo Dientai". I'm pretty sure it's "renmin", but "jingi" is listed. Good signal, into woman talking. (NHP-WA)
- + 1345 Oct. 16 Chinese man fair and parallel 7275 for the ID. (CH-WA Oct 2005)
- + 1400 Oct 16 someone with good "guangbo dientai" ID after a musical intro. I couldn't make it out due to a blast of slop. (CH-WA Oct 2005)
- 1026p **PHILIPPINES** DZAR, Quezon City, Oct 14 1334 - Presume this one with political discussion in mixture of EE and Tagalog at fair to good level. (Bryant-WA Oct 2005)
- + Oct 14 1335 - Religious talk in Filipino, then switched to quite a lot of English with mentions of the Philippines. Best on NW wire, but CC battling it out at times. Often at good level. (Salmaniw Oct 2005, Grayland, WA)
- + Assumed as the source of news by man and woman in Tagalog and English at 1405 Oct. 14. (CH-WA Oct 2005)
- 1026 **PHILIPPINES** Unid, 1328 10/14, fair-poor discussion w/mix of English & Tagalog words. (bp WA Oct 2005)
- 1035 **CHINA** CNR1 1019 10/16 //5030, woman in Chinese, then brief vocal/piano music, very echoey signal, as though receiving several stations each a fraction of a second different from the others. (bp WA Oct 2005)
- + Good 1131 Oct 16 with a big echo – almost a sure tipoff to multiple CNR1 stations. (CH-WA Oct 2005)
- + Fair 1351 Oct.16 with the slight satellite echo that gives away many CNR1 frequencies. (CH-WA Oct 2005)
- 1035 **NEW ZEALAND** Wellington, 0649 10/16 poor in domestic splatter. (bp WA Oct 2005)
- 1044 **CHINA** CRI Japanese Svc. Changzhou, Jiangsu, Oct 14 0940 - Heard here with fair to good signals with usual JJ programming. Was the dominant on this channel when audio was present. Noted three of the five mornings. Best near dawn. Happened to catch the CRI tuning signal and the sign-on of this service at 0930 UT on Oct. 16, as well. Very nice. (Bryant-WA Oct 2005)
- 1044 **UNIDS** Strong hets 1253 10/14, off freq carriers measured on 1043.76 & 1044.16. (bp WA Oct 2005)
- 1053t **GREAT BRITAIN** Droitwich 0323-0332 10/15 w/male talk, 0348 music, 0352 male talk. Never strong enough to be readable. (bp WA Oct 2005)
- + Poor 0336 Oct. 15 and the second best TA with a man talking. (CH-WA Oct 2005)
- 1053 **JAPAN** JOAR Nagoya, Oct 14 0942 - Noted here throughout the DXpedition, often at good levels and alone prior to about 1100 when the South Korean Jammer on this channel would rise to almost equal levels for most of the rest of the morning. (Bryant-WA Oct 2005)
- + 1015 10/14, good o/SK jammer w/rock music, ad & promo, mentioned "Rock & Roll Radio Show...1053 kilohertz... CBC". (bp WA Oct 2005)
- + 1300 14 Oct. JJ talk by man to pip on hour, woman talking afterwards but no ID there(?) Fair to good signal in splash. Also at 1648 14 Oct w/woman talking in JJ //1242, good signal, although two hours after local sunrise. (NHP-WA)
- + 1344 Fun to monitor these frequencies that are blocked back home in Victoria. Good reception, dominating over the South Korean Jammer. 15/Oct/2005. (Salmaniw Oct 2005, Grayland, WA)
- + A monster with modern jazz 1533 Oct. 15. (CH-WA Oct 2005)
- 1053 **SOUTH KOREA** unknown, SK jammer. 1325 15 Oct. First appearance of the expedition, dominant, wondered if it might be off as no sign the previous night. (NHP-WA)
- 1062 **PHILIPPINES** DZEC, Manila, Oct 14 1342 - A difficult channel, but definite Filipino talk but too much splatter from 1060 to ascertain anything more. I checked this one again after 16:00 and reception is quite good with rapid chatter by YL in Tagalog. Much less splatter. Now best on west Beverage. (Salmaniw Oct 2005, Grayland, WA)
- + 1418 10/14 good w/excite man in Tagalog, possible sporting event (bp WA Oct 2005)
- + p. Oct 14 1425 - Tagalog discussion by man and woman. This powerhouse is one of my few previously heard Filipinos. Will report (yet again!). (Bryant-WA Oct 2005)
- + At fair level 1435 Oct. 14 with man in Tagalog talking and talking. (CH-WA Oct 2005)
- 1062 **SOUTH KOREA** Cheongju, HLKQ, 1500 10/14, weak w/call ID & time pips. (bp WA Oct 2005)
- 1071 **CHINA** unid at times good around 1420 Oct. 15. (CH-WA Oct 2005)
- 1071 **JAPAN** JOWM, Obihiro, Oct 14 1027 - Heard here each morning of DXpedition with pops programming during DXpedition, with all programming // JOWF 1440 in Sapporo. Fair level, but great for 5 kW. (Bryant-WA Oct 2005)
- + Fair 1420 Oct. 15 parallel 1440. (CH-WA Oct 2005)
- 1071 **UNID** 1400 Oct. 16 with ID I thought to be Chinese but also I think I heard the little musical interlude that KBS plays right before the top of the hour. No Koreans listed here, so I give up. (CH-WA Oct 2005)

- 1080 **ALASKA** KUDO Anchorage, one of the best Alaskans 0944 Oct. 15 on top of Portland after phasing. (CH-WA Oct 2005)
- + 0519 10/16 o/u Portland w/promos, mentioned KUDO & "Progressive Talk Radio". (bp WA Oct 2005)
- 1089 **CHINA** but no way to know which, 1420 Oct. 16. (CH-WA Oct 2005)
- 1089 **JAPAN** JOHB Sendai 1416 Oct. 16 fair-poor // NHK2. (CH-WA Oct 2005)
- 1089 **UNID** 1400 14 Oct. Complete mystery here across hour, fighting with savage splatter, chimes, then man in unID language, sounded JJ by inflection, but later sounded more CC. (NHP-WA)
- 1098 **CHINA** at least 2 mixing here, one sometimes good, 1425 Oct. 16. (CH-WA Oct 2005)
- 1098 **MARSHALL IS** Majuro, 0556 10/16, fair w/island music. (bp WA Oct 2005)
- 1098 **UNID** 1520 10/15 Christian hymns fair-poor. Possibly Family Radio on Taiwan. (bp WA Oct 2005)
- 1107 **JAPAN** UNID Commercial Station, Oct 17 1450 - Heard here with typical late evening pops program. Level too poor for ID at TOH. Likely Kagoshima. (Bryant-WA Oct 2005)
- 1107 **UNIDS** 2 (or more) stations mixing 1405 Oct.16 – one sounded like quiet traditional Chinese music. (CH-WA Oct 2005)
- 1110 **ALASKA** Big Lake-Houston, KAGV, 0512-0530 10/15 strong, mostly o/KBND w/easy listening Christian music, IDs 0515 & 0530 "KAGV 11-10, Alaska's Gospel Voice". (bp WA Oct 2005)
- + Oct 15 10:04 - Good reception over cochannel. Local ID as 'Alaska's Gospel Voice', and then into USA Radio Network news. Seems to have therefore returned to the air after being off according to Bruce Portzer. (Salmaniw Oct 2005, Grayland, WA)
- + Good with a religious program rising to excellent with an ID at 0500 Oct. 16. Absolutely owning the channel for most of the AM. (CH-WA Oct 2005)
- 1116 **AUSTRALIA** 4BC, Brisbane, Oct 14 1237 - Excellent reception with ad for Australia's largest Toyota dealership, followed by a 4BC ID. (Salmaniw Oct 2005, Grayland, WA)
- 1116 **CHINA** good 1430 Oct. 16 but I forgot to try a CNR1 parallel. (CH-WA Oct 2005)

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