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FROM THE EDITOR-IN-CHIEF

The DX season is well under way, and I'm sure you've been at the dials checking out the DX. The autumn months are a great time to get some antenna and other radio-related work in before the cold weather takes grip on much of the Northern Hemisphere. John and Nancy Johnson are back from their vacation to Music City U.S.A. (that's Nashville, home of WSM 650). This edition, we keep up with what's happening north of the border as Dan Sys checks in with his monthly look at the Canadian AM scene, while Bruce Portzer checks in with a look at the rest of the world's AM scene and Phil Bythway reviews September's Geomagnetic Indices. For those of you heading to the NRC/DXAS/WTFDA Convention in Omaha: Have fun and travel safely, folks!

NRC/DXAS/WTFDA Convention, Omaha, NE

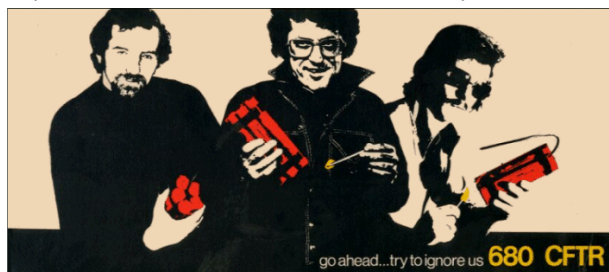
IT'S OMAHA NEBRASKA! Once again the "BIG-O-TEAM" rises again to host a Convention! They will host the National Radio Club/WTFDA Convention! The convention will be held at the Comfort Inn and Suites at 7007 Grover Street, Omaha Nebraska 68106. The Inn is located north east of I-80 at the 72nd Street exit number 449.

We have Ballroom "C", a hospitality room on the 3rd floor, an airport and bus shuttle, deluxe continental breakfast, guest laundry, 24 hour fitness room and business center and a large indoor pool.

Make your reservations directly with the hotel at Area Code 402 934-4900; this is the ONLY number to receive our convention rate! You MUST mention the NRC/WTFDA Convention Rate of \$75 plus tax = \$88.62 per night which is for 1 to 4 persons per room. The Convention registration fee is only US\$45 per person; children (age 11 and under) US\$13. Please make checks payable to: National Radio Club and mail them to Ernest J. Wesolowski, 13312 Westwood Lane, Omaha, NE 68144-3543 by October 1st. You may also register on line, using Pay Pal Only, at the National Radio Club website <http://www.nrcdxas.org>.

Activities will begin at 3PM on Thursday October 13 and will included tours which will be announced, as well as the ever popular Auction. Please send auction items to Ernie. The Saturday night banquet is included in your registration fee and will feature a popular DX Audio Service editor as the guest speaker. Spouses and children are welcome and pets are allowed at the hotel, please inquire with the hotel for restrictions and any additional charges.

Come to OMAHA and see where the College Baseball World Series is held, the home of Warren Buffett, the TV/FM Antenna Farm and Capstar's KFAB-1110. If you have any questions you may contact Ernie at his postal address above or via email at neerniew@yahoo.com



CANADIAN RADIO NEWS

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For September 2011 (October 1 2011 – next update December 1 2011)

OFF THE AIR

- 1370 AB Westlock CFOK Went dark on September 6 immediately after FM flip to CKWB 97.9 without utilizing authorized 90 day simulcast period
- 1550 ON Windsor CBE Went dark on September 30 after 61 years of service to Windsor (flipped to 97.5 FM)

PROPOSED NEW STATIONS

- 690 QC Montreal 50,000 watts fulltime (News-Talk) (French) (Paul Tietolman & Nicolas Tetrault)
- 690 QC Montreal 50,000 watts fulltime (Gay & Lesbian) (French) (Evanov)
- 940 QC Montreal 50,000 watts fulltime (News-Talk) (English) (Paul Tietolman & Nicolas Tetrault)
- 940 QC Montreal 50,000 watts fulltime (All Traffic) (English) (Cogeco)

PROPOSED AM TO FM CONVERSIONS

- 1400 AB Stettler CKSQ Move to 93.3 with 11,000 watts (23,000 watts Max ERP) (format will remain Country)

PROPOSED TECHNICAL CHANGES

- 990 QC Montreal CKGM Move to 690 with 50,000 watts fulltime

I attempt to be as accurate as possible with this information. I visit many websites and message boards on a daily basis seeking the latest in Canadian radio news to report in this column. I trust this information to be worthy; however I can't be in all these places to confirm everything. If inaccurate information is reported I do apologize.

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CALL LETTER CHANGES

FREQ	OLD CALL	CITY	NEW CALL
1280	KVWG	Pearsall, TX	KMFR

FORMAT CHANGES

FREQ	CALL	CITY	OLD INFO	NEW INFO
1270	WHGS	Hampton, SC	Talk	Reported Silent
1450	WBYU	New Orleans, LA	Radio Disney	Reported Silent
1530	WOBX	Wanchese, NC	Southern Gospel	Reported Silent
1570	WNDA	New Albany, IN	Oldies	News-Talk
1600	WTSZ	Eminence, KY	Oldies	News-Talk
1660	WDND	South Bend, IN	Sports - ESPN	Top 40 // WNDV 92.9

SLOGAN CHANGES

1660	WDND	South Bend, IN	"U-93"
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FROM: RADIO INFO DOT COM Philadelphia's WHAT-AM (1340) is sold to Aztec Capital Partners Aztec, advised by local radio veteran Art Camiolo, is already LMAing WHAT-AM and has begun running Spanish-language programming on the onetime standards outlet. Seller is Marconi Broadcasting Company, which originally bought 1,000-watt WHAT from Inner City Broadcasting about five years ago for \$5 million. This deal has Aztec Capital Partners buying the assets of WHAT for \$475,000. Brokers: Tom McKinley of Media Services Group for seller Marconi, Art Camiolo for Aztec Capital.

FROM: RADIO INFO DOT COM Pittsburgh's WMNY-AM (1360) will drop its "Money Talk 1360" format and become "AM News Talk 1360," featuring America's Radio News Network and syndicated talk programs. The Renda Broadcasting-owned station will include talk hosts Lou Dobbs, Rusty Humphries and Phil Hendrie. "The American Entrepreneur" will remain in its current afternoon time slot, and PBRTV reports a change in call letters will also be part of the overall changes. In Atlantic City, Longport Media is replacing the rhythmic "Wild 102.7" format with Hot AC music on **WWAC-FM, Ocean City (102.7)**. In effect, you'll have an "AC" format on "WWAC", in the city locals call "AC," to be known as "AC-102.7."

FROM: RADIO INFO DOT COM Monterey's KNRY (1240) is sold to lay-Catholic Immaculate Heart Radio for \$400K KNRY will drop mainstream talk to become a non-commercial religious teaching operation, joining other IHR properties such as San Francisco-market KSFJ (1260). The seller of KNRY - the call letters are a reference to "Cannery Row" - is Joe Rosa's People's Radio Inc. KNRY's roots go back to 1935 when it was the market's original KDON. Those call letters now belong to a rhythmic CHR station at 102.5 in nearby Salinas, CA

Dale Park, Honolulu HI (DP-HI)
10/01/11 0800 73's fresh

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Drake R8, 1500' Eastern Beverage terminated, NE EWE
- *****
- 560 KPQ WA, Wenatchee 9/2 2330 faint ID and news into George Noory show, weak on R-390A with SW wire. (GH-OR)
- 580 KIDO ID, Nampa 9/15 0110 weak at best with ID, one very weak unID playing far under. (GH-OR)
- 740 KVOX ND, Fargo 9/25 0330 good & dominant off Eastern Beverage with "740 KVOX" and "740, The Fan" ID. (PM-OR)
- 830 KNCO CA, Grass Valley 9/5 0005 "Newstalk 830" IDs, news, ad for local restaurant, George Noory. Fair to good on Drake with Kiwa loop. (GH-OR)
- 910 KCJB ND, Minot was tuning around and heard C&W on 910, I almost kept moving, as I thought it was CKDQ as they are common here and are C&W, but at 0335 the announcer came on giving weather for Minot and other points in North Dakota. On top of the jumble using my NE EWE which does have a null on Portland, but KTRO doesn't have the punch out here on the coast they used to, especially when they were KISN in the 70s. KCJB is Classic C&W, ID "For the best in sports from high school to college to the 'pro's", this is the Magic City's 91 Classic Country, KCJB" into C&W music. New for me. I was quite surprised, especially not using the Eastern Beverage. North Dakota on 910 in 2011, I am surprised to say the least! (PM-OR)
- 940 CJGX SK, Yorkton 9/4 0000 fair with GX94 ID's & news, on Drake with Kiwa loop. (GH-OR)
- 1540 KXEL IA, Waterloo 9/4 0030 weather report and ID. Fair with deep slow fades on Drake with Kiwa loop. Long time no hear! (GH-OR)
- 1610 KOJ794 AZ, Pipe Spring Nat'l Monument 9/23 heard 2344 with "This is Pipe Spring National Monument KOJ794 1610" then park info. (BB-AZ)
- 1640 KDIA CA, Vallejo 9/2 0000 faint ID with Gospel type vocal music. Fair to poor with deep slow fades, on Drake with E-W wire. (GH-OR)
- 1700 KVNS TX, Brownsville 9/6 2325 Hard Days Night by the Beatles, many IDs. In fair for 5 Minutes then lost to unID, on Hammarlund with SW wire. (GH-OR)

WDXR deadlines are now weekly again, each Friday! Nancy 9/30 2100

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Eton S350DL, Grundig indoor loop, Kia car radio.

DOWN THE DIAL

- 550 KTRS MO, Saint Louis. 9-25 fair. 00:34 with "Tiger Talk" and spots. [POB-IN]
- 670 WSCR IL, Chicago. 9-25 good. 23:36 with sports talk. "The Score" slogan. [POB-IN]
- 700 WLW OH, Chicago. 9-17 good. 15:05 with Beer Talk program. [POB-IN]
- 710 KEEL LA, Shreveport. 9-21 fair. 03:33 with LA Gold, Fox News. [POB-IN]
- WOR NY, New York. 9-29 loud. 03:21 with spots, Psych call in program. [POB-IN]
- 720 WGCR NC, Pisgah Forest. 9-25 fair, WGN not a pest tonight. 23:42 with Religious format and sign off with SSB. [POB-IN]
- 740 CFZM ON, Toronto. 9-28 good. 00:21 with oldies format. "Zoomer Radio" slogan. [POB-IN]
- 800 CKLW ON, Windsor. 9-6 good to poor mixing with WSHO. 20:54 with weather, local spot, Facebook promo, "AM 800" slogan, Health Talk promo, "This is AM 800 CKLW the information station" ID at 21:00. [EB-MO]
- 810 WGY NY, Schenectady. 9-6 fair over WHB. 21:05 with local spots, weather. "News, talk WGY" ID. [EB-MO]
- WHB MO, Kansas City. 9-7 good to fair. 20:00 with "8-10 WHB Kansas City" legal ID, local spots, "Kansas City's hometown sports station" slogan into sports update. [EB-MO]
- 900 WFAL MO, Fulton. 9-11 fair. 17:17 with "KFAL" jingle into Classic Country format. [EB-MO]
- WMOP FL, Ocala. 9-17 weak, briefly on top. 06:00 with "AM 900 WMOP Ocala... ESPN." Which was repeated at 6:04 mentioning central Florida. Not needed, heard this one on a 1996 DX Test. [TMJ-IL]
- 940 WMAC GA, Macon. 9-10 fair to poor signal through WMIX. 21:42 with Atlanta Braves baseball PBP from Saint Louis. [EB-MO]
- +9-26 poor. 00:14 with call letter ID. Gone fast. [POB-IN]
- WMIX IL, Mount Vernon. 9-11 good. 17:08 with Adult Standards format. "The best variety of talk and your favorite songs, AM 9-40 WMIX" ID. [EB-MO]
- 990 CBW MB, Winnipeg. 9-25 good. 03:27 with Blues music. [POB-IN]
- KRMO MO, Cassville. 9-12 good signal in CBW null with CKGM and KWAM. On with daytime power at night. 23:00 with ID, country music, promo for farm market report. Heard again next day with promo for getting your spot on KRMO. New. [TMJ-IL]
- 1000 WMVP IL, Chicago. 9-21 fair. 00:20 with spot, Spanish talk. [POB-IN]
- 1030 WBZ MA, Boston. 9-8 good to fair over KCWJ. 20:24 with news programming, "WBZ news radio 10-30" ID. [EB-MO]
- +9-25 fair. 00:22 with Ken Commando Show. [POB-IN]
- 1040 WHO IA, Des Moines. 9-22 good. 00:20 with Dave Ramsey Show, spots. [POB-IN]
- 1050 CKSB MB, Winnipeg. 9-23 poor. 00:30 with Canadian Insider Show. [POB-IN]
- 1070 KLIO KS, Wichita. 9-8 good over WDIA. 20:30 with "True Oldies" music service and "True Oldies 10-70" slogan. [EB-MO]
- WEKT KY, Elkton. 9-7 good to fair over KHMO, WDIA. 20:13 with Southern Gospel music, "WEKT Elkton, Kentucky 10-70 AM" legal ID into Christian teaching. [EB-MO]
- 1090 KAAV AR, Little Rock. 9-12 good to poor with ACI from KRLD 1080 and digital interference from WTAM 1100. 21:05 with Contemporary Christian music program, "Insight for Living with Chuck Swindoll, weekdays at one, 10-90 KAAV" promo. [EB-MO]
- +9-24 fair. 03:31 with Religious music format. [POB-IN]
- 1100 WTAM OH, Cleveland. 9-12 very good, KMOX 1120 in analog mode due to programming. 21:01 with weather, Fox News, "WTAM News Time is 9:04." [EB-MO]
- 1130 WYXE TN, Gallatin. 9-18 good. 00:24 Spanish format, "God is Love" in English. [POB-IN]
- 1150 WLOC KY, Munfordville. 9-7 fair to poor through CKOC. 20:13 with Cincinnati Reds baseball PBP, local spots, "WLOC" ID, "99-1 The Hawk" slogan" (WWKN 99.1 Morgantown, KY). [EB-MO]
- 1200 WRTO IL, Chicago. 9-16 good. 23:48 with various Chicago spots, Spanish talk. [POB-IN]
- 1210 KGYN OK, Guymon. 9-12 tough to copy through WPHT and digital interference from WOAI 1200. 21:09 with Classic Country format. "The Jeremy Show" slogan, local spots into Denver Broncos vs. Oakland Raiders football pre-game show. "KGYN Guymon" legal ID. [EB-MO]
- 1230 WHCO IL, Sparta. 9-11 good, no sign of KWIX. 17:02 with local spots. "The Cardinals on WHCO" ID, mentions of local advertisers into Cardinals post-game show. [EB-MO]
- 1240 KFMO MO, Park Hills. 9-11 fair over WTAX with moderate digital interference from WSDZ 1260. 17:27 with ESPN Radio promos, "Sports Center." [EB-MO]
- 1250 WHNZ FL, Tampa. 9-16 poor. 03:20 with spots talk, spots. [POB-IN]
- 1260 WSDZ IL, Belleville. 9-21 poor. 00:11 with Radio Disney programming. [POB-IN]
- 1300 KGLO IA, Mason City. 9-8 good to poor mixing with WNQM, others. 20:11 with "The Big Band Hour" and local spots, weather, "That's your weather...KGLO" ID. [EB-MO]
- WLXG KY, Lexington. 9-7 fair to poor mixing with WNQM. 20:26 with local spots, "Scott Van Pelt Show" promo. "ESPN Sports Radio thirteen hundred" ID. [EB-MO]

- 1320 WJAS PA, Pittsburgh. 9-6 good to fair in KSIV null. 20:25 with AC/Oldies mix. "This is the John Tesh Show on 13-20 WJAS" ID. Local spots. [EB-MO]
WMSR TN, Manchester. 9-19 poor. 00:04 with "Playhouse On The Air." [POB-IN]
- 1330 WNQM TN, Nashville. 9-17 excellent. 00:30 "Radio Vida" slogan, Spanish music. [POB-IN]
- 1340 WSOY IL, Decatur. 9-6 fair to poor mixing with KXEO, WLOK, others. 20:09 with promo, "WSOY dot com" mention. [EB-MO]
- 1350 WQOG406 IL, Park Ridge. 9-27 on top of frequency. 19:34 noticed a new community information radio station heard with Maine Township announcements and emergency information, news from Chicago suburbs of Park Ridge and Des Plaines. [KDF-IL]
- WNVA VA, Norton. 9-20 fair. 13:38 with news and financial talk. [POB-IN]
- 1360 WMOB AL, Mobile. 9-8 good to fair over WSAI. 00:55 with Southern Gospel music, station promo, "Mobile's Christian Voice, WMOB Mobile" legal ID at 01:08. [EB-MO]
- 1370 WDXE TN, Lawrenceburg. 9-20 poor. 03:23 with Classic Country music format. [POB-IN]
- WEGI KY, Fort Campbell. 9-16 fair. 03:25 with late 1960s music. [POB-IN]
- 1430 KCOH TX, Houston. 9-13 fair to poor mixing with CHKT, WXNT, others. Local KZQZ off the air. 21:57 with local promo, "14-30 KCOH" ID into Urban AC format. [EB-MO]
- 1440 WZYX TN, Cowan. 9-29 loud. 00:15 with oldies format. [POB-IN]
- 1500 WPMB IL, Vandalia. 9-11 fair with ACI from WQOX 1490. 17:36 with Adult Standards, "Fifteen Hundred WPMB" ID. [EB-MO]
- 1540 WSMI IL, Litchfield. 9-11 good. 17:40 with Classic Country format. "WSMI AM 15-40" ID. Weather forecast, "WSMI" jingle. [EB-MO]

25 YEARS AGO

October 11, 1986 issue of IRCA's "DX Monitor" ... **Bill Harms** was in Bavaria. He said Radio Free Europe 720 in Holzkirchen was his strongest station ... **Tom Jasinski** mentioned the new Canadian on 530, CJFT ... **Neil J. Wolfish** was attending another year of law school living in Winnipeg. He put up a 45 foot longwire, added 15 new stations.

OPEN MIKE

No WDXR nor CDXR last time as Nancy and I were on vacation in Tennessee. Check out the IRCA Facebook fan page for tower photos and later www.johninmontana.com for Tennessee station and tower photos. Seeing the WSM tower was a highlight. This column was typed 10-1-11. 73, John

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Deadlines: Saturdays 8 AM!!

(KK-VA) Kraig Krist **STARS OF THE WEEK**
Manassas, VA.
Winradio G33DDC rx with homemade 134 foot multiband antenna running NW to SE.

LOGGINGS

- 540 MD WGOP Pocomoke City 9/29 1755-2105 Mixing w/ WFLF, WYNN & Spanish. WGOP with oldies. 1802 OM "100 point 7 FM 5-40 AM WGOP Pocomoke City WDEY HD-3 97 point 9 Crisfield Pocomoke City." (KK-VA)
- 550 NC WIOZ Pinehurst 9/29 1755-2105 Mixing w/ WWSA & WGR. WIOZ w/ oldies 2059 "It's 9 o'clock time for the news on WIOZ AM time hits." (KK-VA)
- 560 FL WQAM Miami 9/29 1755-2105 Mixing w/ WFRB, WGAI & music. 2005 "... more at WQAM dot com... 5-60 WQAM Miami Fort Lauderdale." (KK-VA)
- 560 NC WGAI Elizabeth City 9/29 1755-2105 Mixing w/ WFRB, WQAM & music. 2030 "News radio 5-60 WGAI" into "CNN Radio News". (KK-VA)
- 580 GA WGAC Augusta 9/29 1755-2105 Mixing w/ WHP, WCHS & music. 1934 "Now more of the 'Savage Nation' w/ Michael Savage on news talk 5-80 WGAC. Depend on it." (KK-VA)
- WV WCHS Charleston 9/29 1755-2105 Mixing w/ WHP, WGAC & music. "Inside Ben Hogan Show". Promo for University of WVA homecoming. 2005 "Fifty eight WCHS 'The Voice of Charleston'". (KK-VA)
- 590 VA WLES Bon Air 9/29 1755-2105 Mixing w/ CJCL & R. Enciclopedia (Cuba). WLES with religious talk "Life in the Spirit". 1758 & AM 5-90 "The Truth" "SRN News". (KK-VA)
- 1330 MD WJSS Havre De Grace 9/9 1955-2305 Mixing w/ WYRD, baseball & football game. WJSS with singing. "WJSS Havre De Grace new radio 13-30". (KK-VA)
- SC WYRD Greenville 9/9 1955-2305 Mixing w/ WJSS, baseball & football game. WYRD with talk. "news radio WORD...". WORD 950 is // WYRD.. (KK-VA)
- 1340 NC WLSG Wilmington 9/9 1955-2305 Mixing w/ oldies, talk & football. WLSG with religious singing. "... on WLSG AM 13-40". (KK-VA)

- 1360 NY WYOS Binghamton 9/9 1955-2305 Mixing w/ WMNY, talk & other talk. WYOS with typical ESPN radio programming. "Your station... 13-60 AM WYOS Binghamton" into "ESPN Radio Sports Center". (KK-VA)
- 1360 PA WMNY McKeesport 9/9 1955-2305 Mixing w/ WYOS, talk & other talk. WMNY with high school football game. "Back in 60 seconds WMNY" into ad. (KK-VA)
- 1370 MD WVIE Pikesville 9/9 1955-2305 Mixing w/ WSPD, WSHV & WXXI. WVIE with typical Fox sports. "Pikesville Baltimore Washington super station 13-70 WVIE".. (KK-VA)
- VA WSHV South Hill 9/9 1955-2305 Mixing w/ WSPD, WVIE & WXXI. WSHV with songs. "... then listen to WSHV...". (KK-VA)
- 1400 PA WRAK Williamsport 9/9 1955-2305 Mixing w/ talk, singing & c&w. EMS about severe weather in Pennsylvania. Phillies vs Brewers baseball game. Checking Phillies radio affiliates this is WRAK. (KK-VA)
- 1450 PA WQWK State College 9/10 1955-2305 Mixing w/ WVAX, WDAD, talk & singing. WQWK with McKeesport vs Altoona high school football game. "... high school game of the week on State College... ESPN...". (KK-VA)
- PA WDAD Indiana 9/10 2058 Mixing w/ WQWK, WDAD, talk & singing. WDAD with oldies. "14-50 AM WDAD". (KK-VA)
- VA WVAX Charlottesville 9/10 2030 Mixing w/ WQWK, WDAD, talk & singing. WVAX with typical ESPN radio programming. "You're listening to ESPN Radio 14-50 AM WVAX Charlottesville.". (KK-VA)
- 1470 IL WMBD Peoria 9/10 2200 Mixing w/ WJDY, talk & singing. WMBD with Cardinals vs Braves. "You're listening to Cardinals baseball on WMBD Peoria.". (KK-VA)
- MD WJDY Salisbury 9/10 2100 Mixing w/ WMDDB, talk & singing. WJDY with Washington Nationals vs Houston Astros baseball game. Local Ad "Fox Sports radio 13-70 and... point 7 WJDY Salisbury and on the web at WJDY dot com.". (KK-VA)
- 1480 PA WEEO Shippensburg 9/10 2003 Mixing w/ WCNS & talk. WEEO w/ c&w songs. "Country gold WEEO.". (KK-VA)
- PA WCNS Latrobe 9/10 1955-2305 Mixing w/ WEEO & talk. WCNS with Latrobe vs Cannonsburg high school football game. Local Ad (KK-VA)
- 1490 PA WNTJ Johnstown 9/9 1955-2305 Mixing w/ WXTG, singing & c&w. Richland Rams high school football game. (KK-VA)
- VA WXTG Hampton 9/9 1955-2305 Mixing w/ WNTJ, singing & c&w. Nationals vs Astros baseball game. Checking Nationals radio affiliates this is WXTG. (KK-VA)
- 1500 MI WLQV Detroit 9/9 1955-2305 WFED is dominate, but hearing religious talk. 2034 ET "... right here on praise talk 15 hundred.". Call in show with religious topics. Number given has area code 313. 313 = Detroit. (KK-VA)
- 1510 NJ WRNJ Hackettstown 9/9 1955-2305 WLAC is dominate, but hearing oldies, singing, other talk and Spanish. 2005 ET "...here on WRNJ...". (KK-VA)
- 1590 MD WFBR Glen Burnie 9/9 1955-2305 Mixing w/ WAKR, ESPN & football. WFBR with oldies. 1958 "All classics 15-90 WFBR Glen Burnie Baltimore." (KK-VA)
- 1600 PA WPDJ Elizabethtown 9/9 1955-2305 Mixing w/ WWRL, WKXX & Spanish. WPDJ with talk. At 1959 jingle "Radio 16 hundred WPDJ". (KK-VA)
- 1600 WV WKKX Wheeling 9/9 1955-2305 Mixing w/ WWRL, WPDJ & Spanish. WPDJ w/ talk. 2001 "AM 16 hundred WKKX Wheeling". News. 2055 high school football scores. (KK-VA)
- 1620 IN WDND South Bend 9/9 1955-2305 EDT. Mixing with talk and Cuba. WDND with songs. 2001 "WDND South Bend new 93... today's best music now 92..." into song. (KK-VA)
- 1670 GA WPLA Dry Branch 9/9 1955-2305 Mixing w/ WTDY & singing (Quebec?). WPLA with typical Fox Sports radio programming. 2133 "...every Sunday morning on 16-70 WPLA". 2201 "WPLA Georgia High School Football Scoreboard Show". (KK-VA)

Thanks to Kraig this week All the best fresh 10/01 0800

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TRANS PACIFIC DX ROUNDUP

- 153 **RUSSIA**, R Rossii. 1202 9/25. Fair with man in RR. (DV-WA)
+ 1329-1332 10/2. Fair with music and man in RR. (DV-WA)
- 189 **RUSSIA**, R Rossii. 1203 9/25. Fair with woman/man in RR. (DV-WA)
- 234 **RUSSIA**, R Rossii. 1204 9/25. Fair with woman in RR. (DV-WA)
- 279 **RUSSIA**, R Rossii. 1205 9/25. Fair with woman in RR. 1300 weak with R Rossii ID by man. (DV-WA)
- + 1405.5 10/1. Finally in this morning with steady weak signal with man in RR. (DV-WA)
- 531 **JAPAN**, Morioka, JOQG. Good with man in JJ talk at 1358 9/26. (PM-OR)

540 **AUSTRALIA**, Longreach, 4QL. Into ABC fanfare at 1400 with ABC News, on top of JJ 9/26 (PM-OR)

549 **AUSTRALIA**, Orange, 2CR. ABC News 1401 9/26 in passing. (PM-OR)

558 **JAPAN**, Kobe, JOCR. 1359 9/25. Probably the weak station with splatter. (DV-WA)

+ Good on top of KK with JJ Pop music at 1403 9/26. (PM-OR)

567 **JAPAN**, Sapporo, JOIK. 1401 9/25. Steady weak signal with man in JJ. //594. (DV-WA)

+ Mixing with presumed a DU with EE talk in passing 1402 9/26. (PM-OR)

576 **AUSTRALIA**, 2RN. 1404 with woman with news 9/26 in passing. (PM-OR)

585 **JAPAN**, Kushiuro, JOGC. Very good with man in JJ at 1404 9/26 in passing. (PM-OR)

594 **JAPAN**, Tokyo, JOAK, NHK1. 1301 9/25. Weak with man in JJ. (DV-WA)

+ Very good as it has been with NHK News in JJ at 1404 9/26. Noted at S9+5. (PM-OR)

+ 1337 10/1. Weak with woman in JJ. Still weak 1405. (DV-WA)

+ 1356 10/2. Fair with woman in JJ. (DV-WA)

603 **REP KOREA**, HLSA. 1302 9/25. Weak fading signal with woman in KK. (DV-WA)

UnIDs. Jumble of garbled signals, one sounded CC, but could not make out much, even at several re-trys, noted one time at 1406 9/26. (PM-OR)

612 **AUSTRALIA**, Brisbane, 4QR. Very good with ABC News at 1403 9/26. (PM-OR)

621 **UnID**. Playing Classical music in splatter at 1406 9/26. (PM-OR)

630 **AUSTRALIA**, Townsville, 4QN. Good and dominant for a time at 1420 9/26 //540. Later on KWRO took over the freq. (PM-OR)

639 **CHINA**, CRN1. 1352-1355 9/25. Fair to weak and over/under another Asian station on channel. Splatter free channel when KFI fades out. (DV-WA)

+ Fair with rock music behind them, woman in CC at 1407 9/26. (PM-OR)

+ ? 1404-1405 10/1. Threshold audio. (DV-WA)

648 **UnIDs**. Garbled mess in splatter of several signals, one sounded like Tamworth NSW with a woman in Australian EE at 1406 9/26. (PM-OR)

657 **DPR KOREA**, 1303 9/25. Fair with woman in KK and //3250. (DV-WA)

+ Good and man with typical arrogant sounding voice at 1415 9/26. (PM-OR)

+ 1338-1342 10/1. Carrier to weak audio with music that was //3250. (DV-WA)

+ 1334-1338 10/2. Bits of audio with Korean talk and music. (DV-WA)

666 **JAPAN**, Osaka, JOBK. 1346 9/25. Fair at times with man/woman in JJ. (DV-WA)

+ Good with man in JJ at 1411 9/26. (PM-OR)

+ 1408 10/1. Weak with woman in JJ. (DV-WA)

675 **VIETNAM/UnIDs**. Another jumble of signals in KNBR splatter, but woman in Vietnamese surfaced, but poor compared to last week. Noted at 1408 9/26. (PM-OR)

684 **UnID**. Station in KNBR splatter at 1412 9/26. (PM-OR)

693 **JAPAN**, Tokyo, JOAB. Good and S9+ at 1410 9/26 with man in JJ. (PM-OR)

+ 1401 10/1. Fair with woman in JJ. (DV-WA)

702 **AUSTRALIA**, Sydney, 2BL. Noted at 1430 with woman 9/26. (PM-OR)

+ 1410-1413 10/2. Believed to be the station with English and weak signal with some splatter. 1415 still around with man in English talking. (DV-WA)

711 **REP KOREA**. Fair with man in KK at 1408 9/26. (PM-OR)

720 **HAWAII**, Ele'ele, KUAI. Very good with Hawaiian pop music noted at 1415 9/26, Hawaiian accented man with time check. (PM-OR)

729 **AUSTRALIA**, Brisbane, 4RN. 9/26 1423 with news discussion by woman. (PM-OR)

JAPAN, Nagoya, JOCK. Fair at 1416 9/26, man in JJ in passing. (PM-OR)

738 **TAIWAN**, Penghu, BEL2. Very good with woman in CC at 1419 9/26 was //1143 which was almost as strong. (PM-OR)

747 **JAPAN**, Sapporo, JOIB. Very good in 750 splatter at 1420 9/26. (PM-OR)

756 **JAPAN**, Kumamoto, JOGK. One I don't hear as often these, noted with man in JJ above a jumble at 1422 9/26. (PM-OR)

765 **UnIDs**. Several weak signals here, one was JJ, but the others too weak at 1422 9/26. (PM-OR)

774 **JAPAN**, Akita, JOUB. The best of the powerhouses this morning, JOUB was peaking at S9+10, totally good in 6 kHz bandwidth. Also noted on the PL-380 fair. (PM-OR)

+ 1158 9/25. Fair with woman in JJ and a lot of splatter. (DV-WA)

+ 1339 10/2. Fair with JJ and music. (DV-WA)

+ 1400 10/1. Weak with JJ and splatter. (DV-WA)

783 **PHILIPPINES?** Another garbled channel, but one weak signal sounded Tagalog, but too weak to tell much more at 1421 9/26. (PM-OR)

792 **UnID**. 1352-1358 10/1. Weak with instrumental music and speaker in ? between songs. Low key broadcast. (DV-WA)

+ 1348-1353 10/2. Heard again this morning with music for about a half minute. Faded back into splatter. Signal was weak, best on sky loop. (DV-WA)

801 **OPEN CARRIER**. Noted this morning at 1425, presume Guam 9/26. (PM-OR)

819 **CHINA**. Man in CC at 1422 9/26. (PM-OR)

828 **JAPAN**, Osaka, JOBB. 1307 9/25. Very weak signal. 1316 fair signal with man in JJ. (DV-WA)

+ Fair to good with light splatter from KSWB, which normally is not an issue that far away, but CX were fairly DU this morning giving the signals from the South quite the boost at 1426 9/26. (PM-OR)

+ 1340 10/2. Very weak signal with above program. Fair at 1354. (DV-WA)

+ 1343 10/1. Weak with woman in JJ. (DV-WA)

855 **AUSTRALIA**. Noted here in passing with accented man at 1431 9/26. (PM-OR)

864 **JAPAN**, etc. JJ Talk at 1431 9/26, other several UnIDs. (PM-OR)

873 **JAPAN**, Kumamoto, JOGB. 1309 9/25. Weak with man in JJ. (DV-WA)

+ Man in JJ at 1430 9/28. (PM-OR)

882 **UnIDs**. Several weak signals here, but nothing understandable at 1428 9/26. (PM-OR)

891 **AUSTRALIA**, 5AN. 1358-1409 10/2. Religious music through TOH then talk at 1401. Fair signal during music, but weak during announcers talking. Woman/man announcers. Selectivity set at 4 Hz, not much splatter. Back to far at 1407 with man/woman in EE. Best ever for this station here. Still no ID. Best on Sky loop. (DV-WA)

THAILAND. The first station I checked at 1358 9/26 and yes the beautiful Thai music was there, but being torn up by Japan and 5AN, not nearly as strong s last weak. But at least it was there. (PM-OR)

+ ? 1415-1418 10/1. Very weak signal with soft music, faded out 1417. (DV-WA)

909 **UnID**. Sounded JJ, but too weak to tell for sure at 1433 9/26. (PM-OR)

918 **JAPAN**, Unid JJ station here o/CC? at 1433 9/26. (PM-OR)

927 **UnID**. Weak signal(s) here at 1432 9/26. (PM-OR)

936 **CHINA**, Anhui. Fair with man in CC and another in EE in discussion of some kind at 1436 9/26. (PM-OR)

945 **UnID**. Weak signal here in 940/950 splatter 9/26 1433. (PM-OR)

954 **JAPAN**, Tokyo, JOKR. Good with slight KJR splatter, man in JJ at 1435 9/26. (PM-OR)

963 **CHINA**, CRI. Fair with Russian service noted with man in RR at 1440 9/26. (PM-OR)

972 **REP KOREA**. Fair with man in KK at 1435 9/26. (PM-OR)

981 **CHINA**. Fair with woman in CC at 1441. (PM-OR)

1008 **JAPAN**, Nagoya, JONR. Good with JJ pop music noted at 1438 9/26. (PM-OR)

1017 **UnIDs**. Several stations here at 1439 9/26, fading out as it was getting more daylight. (PM-OR)

1026 **UnIDs**. As above, too weak to tell, one may have been DZAR, a there was a man in what sounded like Tagalog in there at 1444 9/26. (PM-OR)

1053 **REP KOREA**. 1310 9/25. Jammer alone on channel with fair signal. (DV-WA)

1287 **JAPAN**, JOHR. 1409 9/25. Weak steady signal with woman singing. (DV-WA)

+ 1410-1411 10/1. Weak steady signal. Two men in JJ. (DV-WA)

1566 **REP KOREA**, HLAZ. 1257-1258 9/25. Signal from weak to fair with talk in JJ. (DV-WA)

+ 1341 10/2. Fair with religious music. (DV-WA)

1575 **THAILAND**, VOA. 1342-1347 10/2. Very weak audio for a few seconds during this period, Man/talking in Asian language. (DV-WA)

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*** TRANSATLANTIC DX ***

549 **ALGERIA**, Alger Chaîne 1, Les Trembles. 0053 9/28. Arabic music & talk. [Willie-NF]

+ 0210 10/1. FF talk, Arabic music. [Willie-NF]

621 **CANARY ISLANDS**, R Nacional, Tenerife. 0610 10/1. News in SS. [Willie-NF]

+ "...En Radio Nacional", Excellent. 0040 10/2. http://www.quebecdx.com/mp3/canary_islands_621.mp3. [Naud-QU]

675 **NETHERLANDS**, R Maria, Lopik. 0137 9/28. Inspirational songs in EE, Dutch or Flemish talk. [Willie-NF]

684 **SPAIN**, R Nacional 1, Sevilla. 2350 9/28. SS talk by man & woman. [Willie-NF]

+ 0051 9/28. SS talk, ID, piano instrumental. [Willie-NF]

- 711 **MOROCCO**, RTM A, various locations. Traditional Arabic music, fair and offset (around 20 Hz down). 0039 10/2. [Naud-QU]
- 765 **IRAN**, IRIB1, Chahbahar. 0050 10/1. Farsi talk. ***NEW***. [Willie-NF]
- 783 **MAURITANIA**, R Mauritaine, Noukachott. 0041 10/1. Arabic music, talk. [Willie-NF]
- + Man and woman in a Vernacular language, good. 0039 10/2. [Naud-QU]
- 810 **SPAIN**, SER Madrid, Ctra Carabanchel. 2332 9/27. News in SS mixing with BBC Scotland. [Willie-NF]
- 828 **UnID**. 0130 10/30. Chants. [Willie-NF]
- 837 **CANARY ISLANDS**, COPE, Las Palmas. 2153 9/29. SS talk. [Willie-NF]
- 846 **IRELAND**, R North, Cardonagh. 0052 10/1. Oldies song by Animals. ***NEW***. [Willie-NF]
- 855 **SPAIN**, SER, Murcia. 0055 9/28. SS commentary by man. [Willie-NF]
- 864 **FRANCE**, France Bleue Paris, Villebon-sur-Yvette. 0135 9/28. ID, jingle in FF, Aretha Franklin song. [Willie-NF]
- 882 **SPAIN**, COPE, various. 0420 9/29. SS talk. [Willie-NF]
- 900 **IRAN**, IRIB1, Tehran. 0107 10/1. Chants. [Willie-NF]
- ITALY**, RAI1, Milano. 0410 9/29. Italian talk, ID, promos. [Willie-NF]
- 909 **ENGLAND**, BBC 5 Live, Moorside Edge. 2347 9/28. Various talk, very good. [Willie-NF]
- + 0124 9/28. Sports talk. [Willie-NF]
- + **SPAIN**, R Intercontinental, Ctra Humera. 0421 9/29. News in SS. [Willie-NF]
- 936 **IRAN**, IRIB1, Urumiyeh. 0145 9/28 Chants. [Willie-NF]
- + 0132 10/1. Chants, very strong, //1026. [Willie-NF]
- 954 **SPAIN**, Onda Cero R, Ctra Humera. 0422 9/29. SS talk, ment Espana. [Willie-NF]
- 963 **TUNISIA**, R Tunisia Cultural, Tunis. 2334 9/27. Woman in Arabic, good. [Willie-NF]
- 972 **GERMANY**, NDR Info, Hamburg. 0055 10/1. GG talk. [Willie-NF]
- SPAIN**, R Nacional, various. 2152 9/30. Woman in SS talk. [Willie-NF]
- 981 **PORTUGAL**, R Sim, various. 0422 9/29. Two men in PP. [Willie-NF]
- 990 **IRAN**, IRIB1, Shiraz. 0025 10/1. Chants & music, mixing w/Spain. ***NEW***. [Willie-NF]
- SPAIN**, SER, various. 0412 9/29. SS talk, oldies music feature. [Willie-NF]
- 999 **SPAIN**, COPE, Madrid. 0145 9/28. SS commentary, ID. [Willie-NF]
- 1008 **CANARY ISLANDS**, R Punto, Las Palmas. 2149 9/29. SS talk. [Willie-NF]
- + p Talk in SS, good. 0026 10/2. [Naud-QU]
- 1017 **GERMANY**, SWR Contra, Wolfseim. 0143 9/28. GG talk about Oktoberfest, good. [Willie-NF]
- 1035 **PORTUGAL**, Star FM, Belmonte. 2151 9/29. Pop hits, ID in PP. [Willie-NF]
- 1044 **SPAIN**, SER San Sebastian, Monte Igueldo. 0100 9/28. News in SS. [Willie-NF]
- 1053 **LIBYA**, Libya TV Audio, Tripoli. 2337 9/28. Arabic talk (this one has covered up England completely the last two evenings.) [Willie-NF]
- 1062 **ITALY**, RAI1, Cagliari. 2150 9/29. Man in Italian talk. [Willie-NF]
- + 0402 9/29. News in Italian, ID. [Willie-NF]
- 1080 **IRAN**, VOIRI Abadan. 0114 10/1. Chants. [Willie-NF]
- SPAIN**, SER, various. 0424 9/29. Woman in SS //1044. [Willie-NF]
- 1088 **ANGOLA**, R Nacional, Mulenvos. Music, poor. 0031 10/2. [Naud-QU]
- 1089 **ENGLAND**, Talksport R, Brookmans Park. 2352 9/28. Football talk, very strong. [Willie-NF]
- + 0058 9/28. Football talk. [Willie-NF]
- 1107 **SPAIN**, R Nacional, various. 0020 9/28. SS talk by man //1125. [Willie-NF]
- + 0158 9/28. SS commentary, song "Take On Me" by Aha //1125. [Willie-NF]
- 1116 **SPAIN**, SER, Pontevedra. 0020 9/28. SS teletalk //1179. [Willie-NF]
- + 0202 9/28. News in SS, good. [Willie-NF]
- 1134 **SPAIN**, COPE, various. 0402 9/29. News in SS. [Willie-NF]
- 1170 **UNITED ARAB EMIRATES**, R Sawa, Al-Dhabbiya. 0102 10/1. Arabic music. [Willie-NF]
- 1188 **IRAN**, R Payam, Tehran. 0103 10/1. Chants, music, good. [Willie-NF]
- 1206 **FRANCE**, France Info, Bordeaux-Neac. 0131 9/28. News in FF, ID. [Willie-NF]
- 1215 **ENGLAND**, Absolute R, various. 0130 9/28. Website given, ID, music. [Willie-NF]
- 1224 **SPAIN**, COPE, Albecete. 2315 9/28. SS talk about Mallorca, very strong. [Willie-NF]
- 1242 **FRANCE**, France Info Marseille Cabries-Realtor. 2315 9/28. FF talk, good. [Willie-NF]
- 1251 **IRAN**, IRIB1, Kiashar. 0117 10/1. Chants. [Willie-NF]
- LIBYA**, Voice of Africa, Tripoli. 2155 9/29. Arabic music & talk, very strong. [Willie-NF]
- 1278 **IRAN**, IRIB1, Kermanshah. 0115 10/1. Chants. [Willie-NF]
- 1305 **SPAIN**, R Nacional, various. 2155 9/29. SS talk, good, //1314. [Willie-NF]
- 1314 **UNITED ARAB EMIRATES**, R Farda, Al-Dhabbiya. 0138 9/28. Arabic music, also YMCA by Village People. Strong. [Willie-NF]
- + 2317 9/28. Arabic music, R Farda ID. [Willie-NF]
- + 0023 10/1. Arabic music, good. [Willie-NF]
- 1323 **ENGLAND**, Gold, Southwick. 0133 10/1. Gary Puckett & Union Gap song, ID. [Willie-NF]
- 1332 **IRAN**, R Tehran, Tehran. 0108 10/1. Chants. [Willie-NF]
- 1341 **NORTHERN IRELAND**, BBC R Ulster, Lisnagarvey. 0128 9/28. Golf talk. [Willie-NF]
- SPAIN**, SER, Leon. 2202 9/30. SS talk, mixing with R Ulster. [Willie-NF]
- 1350 **FRANCE**, R Oriente, Nice. 0208 10/1. Arabic music. [Willie-NF]
- 1377 **FRANCE**, France Info, Lille-Camphin-en-Carembault. 0140 9/28. FF talk & music, very strong. [Willie-NF]
- + 2317 9/28. FF talk & news. Very strong. [Willie-NF]
- 1377 **UnID**. 2223 10/1. Under France, Arabic or Persian on its own when radio turned and nulled. [Willie-NF]
- 1386 **SPAIN**, Euskadi Irratia, Bilbao. 2346 9/28. Man & woman in Basque talk, good. [Willie-NF]
- 1413 **SPAIN**, R Nacional, Jaen. 0148 9/28. SS talk, ID. [Willie-NF]
- + 2317 9/28. SS talk about Barcelona, good. [Willie-NF]
- 1422 **GERMANY**, Deutschlandfunk, Heusweiler. 0022 9/29. Classical music, GG talk, good. [Willie-NF]
- 1431 **DJIBOUTI**, R Sawa, Arta. 2318 9/28. News in Arabic. [Willie-NF]
- 1440 **LUXEMBOURG**, China R Relay, Marnach. 2345 9/28. English program, Chinese stories, very good. [Willie-NF]
- SAUDI ARABIA**, General Arabic Programme, Dammam. 0109 10/1. Arabic talk. [Willie-NF]
- 1449 **LIBYA**, Voice of Africa, Tripoli. 2319 9/28. Arabic talk by man & woman. Like a local. [Willie-NF]
- + 0110 10/1. Very expressive man in Arabic. [Willie-NF]
- 1458 **ALBANIA**, China R Relay, Flake. 0037 10/1. Chinese program. ***NEW***. [Willie-NF]
- 1485 **SPAIN**, SER, Santander. 2319 9/28. SS talk & promos. [Willie-NF]
- 1503 **IRAN**, IRIB1, Bushehr. 0021 10/1. Man in Farsi, music, very strong. [Willie-NF]
- 1521 **SAUDI ARABIA**, BSKSA, Duba. 0059 9/28. Man in Arabic, strong. [Willie-NF]
- + 2320 9/28. Arabic singing & chants, very strong. [Willie-NF]
- + 0111 10/1. Man in Arabic, very strong. [Willie-NF]
- 1539 **UNITED ARAB EMIRATES**, VOA Relay, Al-Dhabbiya. 2222 10/1. Man in Arabic talk. [Willie-NF]
- 1548 **ENGLAND**, BBC Bristol, Mangotsfield. 0101 9/29. News in EE mixing with Kuwait. [Willie-NF]
- KUWAIT**, R Sawa, Kuwait City. 0021 10/1. Arabic talk, ID, good. [Willie-NF]
- MOLDOVA**, Voice of Russia Relay, Grigoriopol. 2217 10/1. RR talk & programming. [Willie-NF]
- 1557 **FRANCE**, France Info, Nice-Fontbonne. 2321 9/28. Broadway music, FF talk. [Willie-NF]
- + 2156 9/29. Woman in FF, promos. [Willie-NF]
- 1566 **BENIN**, Transworld R, Conotou. 2157 9/29. FF religious talk. [Willie-NF]
- 1575 **ITALY**, RAI1, Genova. 2158 9/28. Italian commentary by man. [Willie-NF]
- + 2156 9/29. Man in Italian talk, ID. [Willie-NF]
- 1575 **UNITED ARAB EMIRATES**, R Farda, Al-Dhabbiya. 0111 10/1. Arabic talk & music, strong. [Willie-NF]
- 1584 **SPAIN**, SER R, Orense. 2202 9/28. SS talk. [Willie-NF]
- 1593 **KUWAIT**, R Free Iraq Relay, Kuwait City. 2250 10/1. Man in Arabic. [Willie-NF]
- 1602 **SPAIN**, Euskadi Irratia, R Vitoria, Cerro Estibaliz. 0103 9/29. Jingle ID in SS. [Willie-NF]
- *** PAN-AMERICAN DX ***
- 670t **HONDURAS**, La Voz de Honduras, unid location. Man in SS with Honduras mentions. 00:42 10/2. Personal first. [Naud-QU]
- 750 **VENEZUELA**, YVKS-RCR, Caracas. Baseball talk in SS, good. 0040 10/2. [Naud-QU]
- 760 **COLOMBIA**, HJAJ-RCN, Barranquilla. "...A través de RCN", fair. 0037 10/2. [Naud-QU]
- 780 **BRAZIL**, Unid. Soccer play-by-play in Portuguese, fair. 0039 10/2. http://www.quebecdx.com/mp3/brazil_unid_780.mp3. Personal first. [Naud-QU]
- 820 **ST KITTS**, R Paradise. 0820 9/30. Religious program in English. [Willie-NF]
- 860 **BRAZIL**, ZYJ459-Rádio CBN, Rio de Janeiro. Soccer play-by-play in PP, fair to good and //webstream. Surprisingly on top of CJBC. 0105 10/2. http://www.quebecdx.com/mp3/brazil_zyj459_860.mp3. Personal first. [Naud-QU]
- 870 **CUBA**, R Reloj. 9/28. SS & familiar clock ticks. [Willie-NF]
- 900 **BRAZIL**, Unid. Soccer play-by-play in PP, fair to good. 0113 10/2. http://www.quebecdx.com/mp3/brazil_unid_900.mp3. Personal first. [Naud-QU]
- 910 **VENEZUELA**, YVRQ-Q910, Caracas. Ads of Venezuela in SS, good. 0029 10/2. [Naud-QU]
- 940 **BRAZIL**, ZYJ453-Super Rádio Brasil, Rio de Janeiro. Men in PP //webstream, good. 0024 10/2. http://www.quebecdx.com/mp3/brazil_zyj453_940_riodejaneiro.mp3. Personal first. [Naud-QU]
- 950 **CUBA**, R Reloj. 9/28. SS & familiar clock ticks. [Willie-NF]
- 980 **BRAZIL**, ZYH707-Rádio Nacional, Brasília. Soccer play-by-play in PP, up to a fair level. 0112 10/2. http://www.quebecdx.com/mp3/brazil_980_brasilia.mp3. [Naud-QU]
- 1000 **COLOMBIA**, HJAJ. "...Para todo el grupo de RCN", Cartagena, fair. 0030 10/2. [Naud-QU]
- 1020 **CUBA**, R Reloj. 0219 9/28. SS & familiar clock ticks. [Willie-NF]
- 1100 **BRAZIL**, ZYK694, Rádio Globo. PP soccer play-by-play with Globo mention, fair on top of WTAM. 0109 10/2. http://www.quebecdx.com/mp3/brazil_radioglobo_1100a.mp3. [Naud-QU]

- 1150 **BRAZIL**, Unid. Man in PP, fair. 0026 10/2. http://www.quebecdx.com/mp3/brazil_unid_1150.mp3. Personal first. [Naud-QU]
- 1170 **COLOMBIA**, Unid. Men with deportes with a couple of references to Colombia, up to fair level. 0041 10/2. [Naud-QU]
- 1200 **BRAZIL**, Unid. Soccer play-by-play in PP, up to fair mixed w/domestics. 0111 10/2. http://www.quebecdx.com/mp3/brazil_unid_1200.mp3. Personal first. [Naud-QU]
- 1220 **BRAZIL**, ZYJ458, Rádio Globo, Rio de Janeiro. Ads in PP with full ID at the end, excellent. 0028 10/2. I'm particularly happy with this next recording: http://www.quebecdx.com/mp3/brazil_radioglobo_1220c.mp3. [Naud-QU]
- 1300 **BRAZIL**, ZYH586, Rádio Itacema, Fortaleza. Religious program in both PP & SS, up to a fair level and offset at around +80 Hz. Thanks to Rocco Cotroneo, Chuck Hutton and Jean Burnell at RealDX for their help. 0110 10/2. http://www.quebecdx.com/mp3/brazil_zyh586_1300.mp3. Personal first. [Naud-QU]

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AUSTRALIA: Graeme Dawe in Broken Hill advises that the 1656 station "The Axe", has stopped broadcasting. (ARDXC 9/2011)

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<http://commondatastorage.googleapis.com/static.panoramio.com/photos/original/51809247.jpg>
 On right side station building & srm, on left staff quarters.)
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 Freq Tx site Language UTC Target area
 1026 Novosibirsk Russian 16-19 Central Asia
 1026 Novosibirsk Russian 23-02 Central Asia
 1080 Irkutsk Chinese 11-12 China (Vadim Alekseyev, Club DX # 1057, VOR Russian Service)

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BRAZIL: The DX Clube do Brasil has updated its Medium wave Station list website <http://www.ondascurtas.com/listaom/index.htm> (Rocco Cotroneo, Medium Wave Circle 25 Sept)

COLOMBIA: 1030 HJGX CARACOL, Lorica, ex R Progreso de Córdoba
 1110 HJPA La Voz de las Islas has been closed by the Ministry of Communications
 1320 HJQI R Lead Internacional has been closed by the Ministry of Communications
 1340 HJMF La Riberaña, Puerto Barrio ex R Venus (also confirmed by Henrik Klemetz - ed) (Rafael Rodríguez via Christer Brunström, WRTH)
 1600 HJHV Armoniaz, ex Armoniaz Zipaquireñas, Zipaquirá. V/s Armando Rafael Padilla, e-mail: armonias1600am@yahoo.com QSL in 1 day. (Rafael Rodríguez, Santafé de Bogotá)
 The following stations in Bogotá, suffering from technical problems, have not been heard in 2011:
 1010 HJCN R Reloj
 1100 HJCN BBN (Rafael mentions the same calls for these two stations)
 1160 HJOC Ecos de Colombia
 1220 HJKR R María
 1580 HJQT Aviva Radio (Rafael Rodríguez via Christer Brunström, WRTH)

MÉXICO: 790 XECOV "Radio Lobo" Poza Rica, Veracruz now relaying XHCOV 105.9
 1190 XEJPA Cuernavaca, Morelos now calling itself "La Poderosa 90.3". Not yet transmitting on FM 90.3, but it is coming.

1340 XEASM Cuernavaca, Morelos is named "Romántica 13-40" but also announcing "Romántica 107.7" despite not yet being on the air on FM. (Héctor García Bojorge via Christer Brunström, WRTH)

PERU: All via Arctic

- 840 R Campesina, Huari, Ancash. New station Web: www.agrorural.gob.pe/radio-huari-de-ancash.html (Alfredo Cañote)
- 840 R Campesina, Cajamarca. New station Web: www.agrorural.gob.pe/radio-cajamarca.html (Alfredo Cañote)
- 880 OBU5W F.PI. Augusto Palomino Ramos. Address: Av. Mariscal Caceres No 641, Dist. de Ayacucho Provincia de Huamanga, Ayacucho (web)
- 920 R Campesina, Juli, Puno. New station Web: www.agrorural.gob.pe/radio-juli-de-puno.html (Alfredo Cañote)
- 920 OBU6M F.PI: Cadena Radial Sur Peruana. Address: Calle 2 de Mayo No 263, Tacna (web)
- 940 R Campesina, Ayabaca, Piura. Web: www.agrorural.gob.pe/radio-ayabaca-de-piura.html (Alfredo Cañote)
- 980 OBU1N R Campesina, Huancabamba, Piura. New station Web: www.agrorural.gob.pe/radio-huancabamba-de-piura.html (Alfredo Cañote)
- 980 OCU1C R Campesina, Tarata, Tacna. New station Web: www.agrorural.gob.pe/radio-tarata-de-tacna.html (Alfredo Cañote)
- 1110 OAZ4W R Feliz, Lima (LI24) – ex: R Antarki. Web: www.radiofelizperu.com (Alfredo Cañote via ConDig)
- 1180 OCU4K NSE Radio, Cuba 919, Jesus María, Lima – new station (Alfredo Cañote)
- 1200 OAX4B R Cadena (LI60) – new address: Jr. Morales Bermúdez 140 Pueblo Libre (Alt. 14 de Av. Brasil, Lima 21). Web: www.cadena1200.com (Alfredo Cañote via ConDig)
- 1220 OCU4H R Fe, Av. Gerardo Unger No 6995, Independencia, Lima – new station. Web: www.radiofe1220.com E-mail: info@albertosantana.org (Alfredo Cañote)
- 1240 OCX1C R Campesina, Ayaviri (PI22) – ex: R Sechura Web: www.agrorural.gob.pe/radio-ayaviri-de-piura.html (Alfredo Cañote)
- 1250 OAU6I R Campesina, Omate, Moquegua. New station Web: www.agrorural.gob.pe/radio-omate-de-moquegua.html (Alfredo Cañote)
- 1470 OAU4B R Amor, Lima (LI45) – ex. CPN Radio. New address: Aviacion 5150 (dentro de Plaza Vea), 3er piso, Surco. Slogan "solo baladas en español" (Henrik Klemetz, Fredrik Dourén, Alfredo Cañote)
- 1470 OAX7G R Cusco – closed. (Dario Monferini&Roberto Pavanello via Tarmo Kontro and Henrik Klemetz)
- 1490 OAX8F R Atlantida – closed. (Dario Monferini&Roberto Pavanello via Tarmo Kontro and Henrik Klemetz)
- 1570 OCU7L R Vilcanota (CU62) – new name. Address: Av. Arequipa s/n, Sicuani, Cusco (Logged by Torolf Johnsson and identified by Henrik)

EUROPE, AFRICA, AND MIDDLE EAST

ALBANIA: Checked also the MW outlets of the MW Fllakë site on Sept 11-13. At present R Tirana is erecting a new feeder network from broadcasting house control room to the various transmitter sites at SW-Shijak and MW-Fllake.

Break of feed during construction time. Since July 31 SW tx #1 was down, and since mid August all R Tirana shortwave broadcasts are down and out of service. Same happens also to the Albanian domestic service on 1458 kHz 0630-0800, 0801-0900 on 1395 kHz, as well as in the afternoon at 1400-1530 UT on 1458 kHz.

1215.098 kHz, Noted only CRI English broadcast via Fllakë relay at 0600-0800 UT, S=9+20dB signal heard in Forlì Italy, via remote SDR rx unit.

1215.066 kHz, At 15-20 UT noted CRI Albanian, Esperanto, Romanian, transmitter on air early around 1455 UT. S=9+15dB in northern Italy.

1457.797, At 16-18 UT noted CRI Fllakë in Bulgarian and Italian segments, at 1612 UT Sept 13 (Wolfgang Büschel, Sept 11-13, wwdxc BC-DX TopNews Sept 16 via DXLD)

ALGERIA: 890.973, Odd frequency - an Arabic song noted here at 0507 UT Sept 14. RTA Algier at Oulet Fayet registered here - but not included on EMWG Boel list anymore. But not as strong as in the past, 600/300 seemingly decreased down to 50/100 kW level? Program \ 531 kHz F'kirina Wilaya d'Oum El Bouaghi ALG.

Checked again against Algier's 531 and 549 kHz powerhouses, on Sept 14 at 2200 UT again same Algiers program monitored near Bologna and Rimini remote SDR units. On ALG program no.1 531/549 kHz, and odd frequency ALG 1 on 890.973 kHz, and Holland even 891 kHz underneath.

Also at 0136 UT Sept 15 noted Algiers on 890.973 kHz, \ 531, 549 kHz - on various remote Perseus units in Greece and Italy (Wolfgang Büschel, Sept 14/15, wwdxc BC-DX TopNews Sept 16 via DXLD)

Algeria has passed sweeping media reforms, ending a state monopoly on the broadcast sector and the imprisonment of journalists for libel. The move is part of the president's political reforms announced on April 15, the Cabinet said in a statement issued late Monday at the end of a marathon session. While Algeria has long had a vigorous print media scene, radio and television were tightly controlled by the state and until recently President Abdelaziz Bouteflika had said the time was not "ripe" to liberalize it. Since the beginning of the year, Algeria has struggled to contain popular demonstrations protesting unemployment, corruption and lack of political freedoms. Unlike in neighboring Tunisia and Libya, however, the scattered unrest never snowballed into a widespread popular movement to unseat the government, though Bouteflika has still pledged to pass several political reforms to defuse public anger. Television and radio will now be governed by a regulatory authority to be created by a new law. No timetable has been announced for its passing, however, putting on hold any new television or radio stations for now. (mwcircle Sept 13)

ANGOLA: Hans-Friedrich Dumrese noticed during his trip in Namibia, that the Angolan nominally on 1233 kHz is on its old frequency: 1232 kHz. I checked John Plimmer's file from March 2010 and there is a clear carrier on 1231.98 kHz. Nothing visible now here in northern Europe, but Victor Goonetilke's remote Perseus in Sri Lanka has a carrier on 1231.977 kHz. 73. (Mauno Ritola, Finland Via mwoffset group via Steve Whitt, Aug 16, MWCircle yg via DXLD)

GERMANY: 1539 According to a an email just received from ERF in Wetzlar, they are using this frequency only 0400-0800 UTC, valid until 31.12.2011. After that MW will no longer be used due to the costs. (Bengt Ericson 12.8.2011 mwcircle)

GREECE: After many weeks of deliberations, Ilias Mosialos, the minister of interior has presented final decisions concerning cuts at ERT (Elliniki Radiophonia Tileorasi) on August 19, 2011.

The programming of the national radio stations will be reorganized. NET FM will focus on news and information. ERA3 and ERA Sport will undergo programming changes.

The three Thessaloniki based ERT3 radio stations (102 FM, 9.58 FM, and the shortwave based Trito) will be merged into one station.

The 19 regional radio stations will be consolidated into 9 with united administration and programming.

Fifteen medium wave transmitter sites will be closed down. The remaining five medium wave transmitter sites will continue to operate in collaboration with the Ministry of National Defense. The closure of MW sites is in order to save energy and money. (Christos Rigas, DXLD)

ITALY: Radio Studio X (Momigno, Pistoia; region Tuscany) is again irregularly active on 1584 kHz. Heard by Mauro Giroletti on Sept. 7 and by myself on Sunday Sept. 11. It's off the air this Monday morning Sept. 12.

Radiomarina is irregularly testing on 1071 kHz. Heard yesterday Sunday Sept. 11 during local daytime on exact 1070.764 kHz, with music and IDs in Italian. E-mail address is radiomarina@wifid4ll.it According to their e-mail reply, they are running 150 W into a 60 meters wire antenna. Their location is given as a generic "in the Venezia (Venice) province". (Fabrizio Magrone, Forli, Italy via mwdx 12 Sep)

LESOTHO: LM Radio, Mozambique's English language music radio station which hit the airwaves in October 2010 can now be heard in Lesotho and the Free State Province.

LM Radio's programmes are music led with a minimal amount of talk. The music style recalls Lifetime Memories, no matter what the age - with popular, happy, sing-a-long, feel good music, designed to uplift and entertain the listener. Presentation style is relaxed and intimate, like a familiar friend. Songs range in era from the sixties to present day. The chat is mainly about music, lifestyle, travel, health and interesting topics. The target market is 35 years plus with an LSM 8 -10.

LM Radio broadcasts 24 hours a day on FM to listeners in Maputo and surrounding areas, on free to air satellite and Internet streaming via www.lmradio.net. The big news is that LM Radio can now be received on 1197 AM (Medium Wave) within 200 km of Maseru, Lesotho during daylight hours. The official launch date is 1 October 2011 but test transmissions are currently being broadcast.

LM Radio has signed a long-term agreement with the Lesotho National Broadcasting Service (LNBS) to rent airtime on the 1197 kHz Medium Wave (AM) transmitter located near Maseru. In terms of the agreement, LM Radio's programmes will be carried on the 1197 AM transmitter during the hours 07:00 to 17:00, 7 days a week.

LM Radio presenters include some very familiar household names including: Brian Oxley, Tinky Pringle, Reg de Beer, Peter de Nobrega, Dave Simons, Nick Megens, Anne Williams plus of course the stations founder and breakfast show host Chris Turner. Initial transmission coverage is expected to reach Maseru, Bloemfontein, Welkom, Kroonstad, Virginia, Winburg, Ficksburg, Caledon, Ventersburg, Bethulie, Colesberg, Bethlehem and Aliwal North.

Listen live online: www.lmradio.co.mz and click on the listen live button.

(<http://mediaupdate.co.za/?IDStory=41031> via Mike Terry, mwdx, 5 Sept)

NETHERLANDS: Radiocommunications Agency Netherlands will soon launch a new tougher policy to deal with pirate radio stations, according to a report in De Telegraaf. The illegal broadcasters may soon have a fine of 2,500 euros imposed on them as soon as half an hour after they receive a warning letter.

This the agency's latest move in a cat and mouse game with the pirates. It used to take months before someone was punished for illegal broadcasting. That has been reduced to several weeks, and could now be cut to half an hour under the new policy.

There have already been 1600 warnings this year, and 60 people have been fined. The fine is not necessarily for the pirate, but for the owner of the land which is used for broadcasting. The radio pirates have responded by adapting their methods. They are now increasingly using mobile stations, so after receiving a warning letter they simply move to a different place to broadcast. The collapsible masts used for the broadcasts are sometimes more than forty meters high.

The Radiocommunications Agency wants to introduce its new policy as soon as possible, so that these "nomadic broadcasters" cannot escape punishment. The pirates sometimes interfere with legal broadcasters, and can also interfere with air traffic communications. <http://blogs.rnw.nl/medianetwork/> (Media Network, Andy Sennitt, August 16,2011)

NETHERLANDS (via U K): Confirmation there is that Radio 1 from the Dutch public radio had ceased broadcasting via Orfordness on 648 KHz. as from 15.00 hours today, the 22 of Sept. 648 Was in use since august the fourth after two fire incidents on two of Hollands major FM broadcasting towers in Lopik and Smilde. Radio 1 is the national emergency radio channel, so nationwide reception is needed. Lopik, for the center part of Haooland, is on full power again. The tower in Smilde collapsed. The 100 mtr. reserve mast in nearby Assen cannot provide the same coverage as Smilde.

On many places in the northern part of the Netherlands radio listeners still don't have reception on FM of for example Radio 1. So it is somewhat strange that 648 is switched off now. Perhaps the 180,000 Euros per month is the reason, and no one is listening to AM in Holland anymore. During the programs on Radio 1 today not any announcement was made that AM 648 should left the air. On 1500 hours the time signal was audible and then the transmitter signed off. It is not yet clear how the reception problems in the northern part of Holland will be solved. (W. Prins, 22 Sep mediumwave.info)

NORWAY: The AM tower at Vigra, 630 kHz, Norway, came down just after lunchtime local Thursday 8 Sept. http://www.nrk.no/nyheter/distrikt/more_og_romsdal/1.7778911 Some interesting historical background info on this web page. (Geir Vestnes, Norway, RealDX)

RUSSIA (EUROPEAN): On August 1, the Voice of Russia canceled following broadcasts:

Freq	Tx site	Language	UTC	Target area
1089	Krasnodar	Russian	15-19	Caucasus
1143	Kaliningrad	Russian	12-15	Baltic countries
1215	Kaliningrad	German	16-19	Europe
1494	St. Petersburg	Russian	15-19	Baltic (Vadim Alekseyev, Club DX # 1057, VOR Russian Srvice)

SOUTH AFRICA: The Catholic community in South Africa is celebrating the news that after 11 years, Catholic station Radio Veritas has been granted a license to air.

"The news of being granted this license has filled us with an indescribable joy and messages of congratulations have not stopped streaming in," said Father Emil Blaser, a Dominican priest who has spearheaded the effort since 2000.

"We have waited so long and tried every means possible to get on air," he added.

Fr. Blaser said that over the last 11 years, the station has engaged in public hearings, conducted market research, streamed online, and knocked "on government and international doors" in an effort to be granted a frequency for broadcasting.

Archbishop Buti Tlhagale of Johannesburg thanked the country's communications regulator – the Independent Communications Authority of South Africa – for finalizing the requests for the license.

"At last," Archbishop Tlhagale said, "Radio Veritas will be broadcasting in the greater Johannesburg Metropolitan area – our Archdiocese."

Radio Veritas will air on a 576kHz medium wave frequency, previously known as Metro FM. The official launch will be announced as soon as the technical aspects have been worked out, station representatives announced on Sept. 13. (Catholic News Agency (15/9-2011) via mediumwave.info)



The logo for KAYL AM 990 features the call letters 'KAYL' in a large, bold, blue font with a white outline and a slight shadow effect. Below 'KAYL', the text 'AM 990' is written in a smaller, yellow font with a black outline. The entire logo is set against a white background.

GEOMAGNETIC INDICES

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Geomagnetic Summary September 1 2011 through September 30 2011

Tabulated from email status daily.

Date	Flux	A	K	Space Wx					
9/ 1	112	2	1	no storms	16	143	3	1	no storms
2	115	4	1	no storms	17	145	21	2	minor
3	119	11	2	no storms	18	150	6	3	no storms
4	119	7	1	minor	19	141	2	1	no storms
5	119	5	2	minor	20	144	7	1	no storms
6	112	8	2	strong	21	144	5	2	minor
7	113	7	2	strong	22	151	4	2	strong
8	110	5	0	moderate	23	158	3	1	minor
9	112	24	4	moderate	24	190	4	2	strong
10	116	34	5	minor	25	169	6	2	moderate
11	121	10	3	no storms	26	148	27	4	moderate
12	124	24	4	no storms	27	139	29	4	moderate
13	129	15	2	no storms	28	133	27	2	minor
14	142	6	2	no storms	29	137	25	2	moderate
15	141	7	2	no storms	9/30	138	5	3	minor

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