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From the Publisher: Lots of changes at many stations across the country, especially with the launch of the new CBS Sports network and the move of popular programs, including Jim Rome, to that network. Our *NRC AM Radio Log* editor, Wayne Heinen, tracks all the changes each week in "AM Switch," so you can stay up to date with all you're hearing.

With this issue, there's one more to cross off the list of stations not reported to DDXD this century – KWES-1450. There are still 593 stations licensed by the FCC and CRTC on the list ... can you report one next week?

And even if not, please keep on supporting our DX columns ... reporting current DX is the lifeblood of *DX News*, so we love contributors who let us know what they're hearing!

Membership Report: "Hello everyone at NRC, I wanted to let you all know that today I subscribed to the e-DXN. Very, very, very cool – not sure why I waited so long (HI!!). That said, I won't be renewing my subscription to the printed-mail version of *DX News* (my subscription expires 2/1/13). I didn't know if this would be an obvious switch to you guys or not (I didn't want you to think that I was bailing out after all these years). Thx again & keep up the great work!!!! Happy & SAFE New Year to everyone at NRC." – Richard M. Ray.

Thank you, Richard, and with the rising price of publishing and mailing the print version of *DX News* (and thus of the dues rate for that print version) an e-DXN subscription may be a cost-effective choice for many members. We will keep publishing the print version, of course, for those who continue to prefer it.

Renewing Members – Thanks for the continued support of Stephen R Gaughan; Roger Gravelle; David Benson Jones; La Mona K.

Jurgens; Steve Kennedy; Richard Manner; Eric G. Norberg; Joseph Piccoli; Wesley Pierce; Richard M. Ray; and Gary Siegel.

The DX Time Machine

75 YEARS AGO – From the January 11, 1938 issue of *DX News* – New members included Richard Cooper (Kittanning, Penna.); Harold Wagner of Erie heard split-channel stations XEN-775, CMW-887, and TGW-1245, plus French stations on 960, 1077, and 1113.

50 YEARS AGO – From the January 12, 1963 issue of *DX News* – David Tussman, Middletown, Conn. logged 24 new stations, 4 new states, and 1 new country on Dec. 24, including 250-watt KZON-1190 Arizona.

25 YEARS AGO – From the January 18, 1988 issue of *DX News* – The FCC granted a CP for a new station in Dedham, MA on 890 kHz; Bill Hale reported that WIQT Horseheads, N.Y. had begun operations on 820 kHz on January 6.

10 YEARS AGO – From the January 20, 2003 issue of *DX News* – Pete Taylor reported that KTTH-770 Seattle was born on January 6, with the old KNWX calls and format moving to 1210; nineteen different stations on 930 were reported to DDXD-East in the weekly frequency challenge; Ray Moore (North Fort Myers FL) logged Thailand on 1575 kHz.

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AM Switch



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As usual, we begin with the latest official changes from the FCC.

CALL CHANGES

890 KLFF CA **Arroyo Grande** – Call change to KIHC (effective 1/1/2013).
 1140 KYDZ NV **North Las Vegas** – Call change to KXST (effective 1/2/2013).
 1150 WLLI PA **Huntingdon** – Call change to WHUN (effective 1/2/2013).
 1640 KFXV OK **Enid** – Call change to KOAG (effective 1/1/2013).



ON THE AIR

1120 KTXW TX **Manor** – CP for new station applies for license to cover; may be on soon.

CONSTRUCTION PERMITS GRANTED

1440 WHDM TN **McKenzie** – Granted CP for U1 420/91 from a new site (36-07-58/88-31-24).
 1460 WJAK TN **Jackson** – Granted CP for U1 800/105.
 1570 WMVX MA **Beverly** – Granted CP for U1 50000/85.
 1580 WVKO OH **Columbus** – Granted CP for D3 5000 from a new site (39-54-35/83-03-20).

APPLICATION FILED

660 WMIC MI **Sandusky** – Applies to correct coordinates (to 43-23-34/82-50-06).

APPLICATION DISMISSED

880 KJOZ TX **Conroe** – Application for U4 5000/1000, CoL to Friendswood TX dismissed.

SPECIAL TEMPORARY AUTHORITY (STA)

570 WMCA NY **New York** – Granted STA for U1 1250/1250; waiting for a new transmitter to replace the one destroyed in Hurricane Sandy.
 1120 KANN UT **Roy** – Applies for STA; operating backup transmitter with U4 900/900 due to fire in main transmitter.
 1340 WPBR FL **Lantana** – Granted STA for lower power (licensed U1 810/810); currently running at less than half power due to technical problems.
 1410 WMYR FL **Fort Myers** – Applies for STA; operating U1 1250/1250 after lightning strike on one of the three towers.
 1480 WVOI FL **Marco Island** – Applies for STA; operating U3 500/500 with licensed day pattern after discovering that day/night pattern switch equipment has failed.

Applications to extend STAs were received from WPSP-1190 Royal Palm Beach FL (U3 2200/410 due to QRM from Cuba-1180); KRIZ-1420 Renton WA (temporary operation from site of KYIZ-1620); and WSMN-1590 Nashua NH (unclear, but has had STA for U1 200/200 from temporary site at 42-45-34/71-28-37).

Previously reported requests to extend STAs were granted for WDAE-620 St. Petersburg FL; KTKK-630 Sandy UT; WHYF-720 Shiremanstown PA; WKY-930 Oklahoma City OK; WINZ-940 Miami FL; WSHU-1260 Westport CT; WBOW-1300 Terre Haute IN; WKIZ-1500 Key West FL; WSMN-1590 Nashua NH; WKTP-1590 Jonesborough TN; and WLXE-1600 Rockville MD.

SILENT STAS

910 WSRP NC **Jacksonville** – Granted silent STA; silent since 10/20 for financial reasons.
 1050 WPQR NH **Conway** – Granted silent STA; silent since 10/17, transmitter cannibalized to get WBNC-1340 on the air).
 1120 KLIM CO **Limon** – Applies for silent STA; silent since 12/6 due to “financial difficulties, as well as insufficient long term staffing and programming resources.”
 1270 WHGS SC **Hampton** – Granted silent STA; silent since 10/29 due to equipment failures.
 1310 WDTW MI **Dearborn** – Applies for silent STA; silent since 1/1 (Charles Reh says they actually went dark on 12/31) pending donation of station to new owners.
 1490 WDUR NH **Durham** – Granted silent STA; silent since 8/1 pending sale.
 1560 WLZR FL **Melbourne** – Went silent again on 1/2; had been on the air briefly with an STA to preserve its license but licensee doesn’t want to replace the stolen copper from the tower site unless and until the site is more secure.

Canadian news (via Shawn Axelrod):

1450 CBXC AB Coleman – LPRT granted CP to move to 102.3 MHz FM.

And here are NRC AM Log updates from Wayne Heinen:

Wayne notes that most of the new CBS Sports (CS) network stations are using a generic “Sports Radio” plus frequency slogan, which we don’t include in this update.

540 CBGA-1 QC Matane – Apparently is still on the air with CBC French programming. Not listed in AM Radio Log 33rd Edition. Various reports say that this is still around. (MD) (*Other Canadian experts are querying CBC and we’re awaiting more news – WWH.*)

580 KMJ CA Fresno – Networks: To C/DR/RA (adds Dave Ramsey and Radio America programs).

610 WIP PA Philadelphia – Networks to CS/Jr; the //WIP Group has been dissolved.

650 KIKK TX Pasadena – Format to SPT (ex-TLK); networks to CS/Jr (ex-C/Tx/DG).

700 WTUB MA Orange-Athol – Slogan and new Group: // “92.5 the River.”

730 KINF ID Boise – Format to SPT (ex-NWS/TLK); delete slogan “NewsRadio 99.1 and 730”; networks to ESPN (ex-TRN); drops //KINF-FM-99.1.

730 KKDA TX Grand Prairie – Format to Korean (ex-UC:OLD); drop slogan “Soul 73”; drop network Ap. (FV)

800 KDDD TX Dumas – Slogans now “All Ag, All Day” and “The Farm Station.” (GH)

890 KIHC CA Arroyo Grande – Format to REL (ex-silent as KLFF); slogan to “Sharing the Heart of the Christian Faith”; network now EWTN.

900 KFLP TX Floydada – Slogans now “All Ag, All Day” and “The Farm Station.” (GH)

920 WOKY WI Milwaukee – Format to SPT (ex-C&W); slogan to “The Big 920” (ex-“The Wolf”); networks to FSR/Ns/PRN/MRN; adds // WTSO-1070.

930 KLUP TX Terrell Hills – Networks to Fox/SRN/SRR (ex-SRN/SRR). (GH)

950 WKDN PA Philadelphia – Slogan to “Family Radio.”

960 WEAV NY Plattsburgh – Format to SPT (ex-TLK); slogan to “960 The Zone”; networks to CS/Jr (ex-Fox/CM/P/TRN/B).

970 KESP CA Modesto – Networks to CS/Jr/MRN (ex-A/ESPN/Jr/MRN).

970 KNIH NV Paradise – Format to REL (ex-NWS/TLK/BIZ); slogan: “Immaculate Heart Radio” (ex-“News Radio K-News”); networks to EWTN (ex-A/RA/CM/BTR).

970 WDCZ NY Buffalo – Slogan to “Life FM 99.5”; adds // WDCX-FM-99.5.

1010 WHFS FL Seffner – Networks to CS/Jr (ex-YSR); drops // WHFS-FM-98.7.

1070 WTSO WI Madison – Networks to FSR/Ns/MRN/PRN (ex-FSR/Jr/MRN/PRN); adds // WOKY-920.

1090 KFNQ WA Seattle – Format to SPT (ex-TLK); slogan to “The Fan” (ex-“Progressive Talk”); networks to CS/Jr (ex-Ap/DG/p/WOR).

1140 KXST NV North Las Vegas – Format to SPT (ex-KID as KYDZ); delete slogan “Kid’s Radio”; adds Networks to CS/Jr.

1180 KLAY WA Lakewood – Networks: Adds DG Ed Schultz and Stephanie Miller.

1200 KYAA CA Soquel – Format to REL (ex-OLD); slogan to “Sharing the Heart of the Christian Faith” (ex-“KYA Radio”); adds Network: EWTN.

1220 KGIR MO Cape Girardeau – Adds Group & Slogan: // ESPN SE Missouri.

1240 WBBW OH Youngstown – Networks to CS/Jr (ex-ESPN); drops // WLLF-96.7.

1270 WXYT MI Detroit – Format to SPT (ex-TLK); networks become CS/Jr (ex-C/P/TRN/CMP/B).

1330 KWFM AZ South Tucson – Format to AC/OLD (ex-OLD).

1340 KRMD LA Shreveport – Format to SPT (ex-TLK/SPT); slogan: “Sportstalk 100.7” (ex-“SuperTalk Radio”); networks to CS/Jr (was DG/Mt/TRN/ESPN).

1350 KTIK ID Nampa – Networks to CS/Jr (was ESPN/P).

1390 WSPO SC Charleston – Format to Tourist (ex-SPT); slogan to “Charleston Visitor Information”; drops Networks and // W257BQ-99.3.

1400 KRZR CA Visalia – Format to TLK (ex-SPT); slogan to “Power Talk 96.7” (ex-“Fox Sports 13-40 and 1400”); networks to P/Ru/B (ex-FSR/Jr); adds // KALZ-96.7 and drops // KCBL-1340.

1400 WSEG GA Savannah – Format to SPT (ex-NOS); slogan to “ESPN 104.3” (ex-“Star-AM”); networks become Nn/Ns/Gn/ESPN.

1400 WHGB PA Harrisburg – Slogan to “Sportsradio 95.3/1400”; networks to CS/Jr (ex-ESPN).

1400 WDUZ WI Green Bay – Networks to CS/Jr (ex-ESPN/Jr).

1440 WGLD PA Manchester Twtnshp – Networks to CS/Jr (ex-ESPN).

1470 KMAL MO Malden – Adds Slogan & Group: // ESPN SE Missouri.

1480	KTHS	AR	Berryville – Format to Rock/OLD (ex-Bluegrass); drops slogan “The Mountain.”
1490	KTOP	KS	Topeka – Networks to CS/Jr (ex-ESPN).
1490	WAZL	PA	Hazleton – Format to AC (ex-Rock/OLD).
1560	WLZR	FL	Melbourne – Format to SPT (ex-Silent); networks to CS/Jr; adds // WSJZ-FM-95.9.
1590	WGBW	WI	Denmark – Format to SPT (was OLD); slogan to “ESPN Green Bay”; (ex-“True Oldies”); networks to ESPN (ex-A/CM).
1640	KOAG	OK	Enid – Format to Farm (ex-GOS); slogans to “All Ag, All Day” and “The Farm Station” (ex-“Faith 1640”); networks to IRN (ex-SRN).
1660	WBCN	NC	Charlotte – Format to SPT (ex-TLK); drops slogan “America’s Talk”; networks to CS/Jr (ex-C/TRN/P/DG/Fox).
1670	WOZN	WI	Madison – Format to FARMam/SPT (ex-Stunting); slogan to “The Zone”; networks to CS/Jr. (BD)

New Groups

92.5 the River, WTUB-700, WXRG-99.9, WXRV-92.5
 ESPN SE Missouri KGIR-1220, KMAL-1470, KLSC-92.9

Delete Group: //WIP Group

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GRAVEYARD DX UPDATE

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record held by a DXer in Alaska or Hawaii

* record held by DXer from North America (excluding Alaska)

+ record held by a DXer in USA/Canada where a Canadian/USA record exceeds that mileage

<u>1230 kHz</u>				
<u>Station</u>	<u>City</u>	<u>DXer</u>	<u>DX Location</u>	<u>Miles</u>
WBOK	LA	New Orleans	Forest Osborn	801
KRIZ	AZ	Phoenix	Forest Osborn	*655
<u>1240 kHz</u>				
KBMY	MT	Billings	Forest Osborn	724
KANE	LA	New Iberia	Forest Osborn	*719
<u>1340 kHz</u>				
KPRK	MT	Livingston	Forest Osborn	777
KOLE	TX	Port Arthur	Forest Osborn	642
WIRY	NY	Plattsburgh	Niel Wolfish	+547
WSTJ	VT	St. Johnsbury	Niel Wolfish	*372
CKHV	NL	Happy Valley	Niel Wolfish	*493
<u>1400 kHz</u>				
WHUB	TN	Cookeville	Forest Osborn	875
KBMI	NV	Henderson	Forest Osborn	770
<u>1450 kHz</u>				
KXXL	MT	Bozeman	Forest Osborn	794
KDXU	UT	St. George	Forest Osborn	684
CHOU	QC	Montreal	Niel Wolfish	*541
<u>1490 kHz</u>				
KYCA	AZ	Prescott	Forest Osborn	651
KCUZ	AZ	Clifton	Forest Osborn	529

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 U.S./Canadian Loggings from Eastern/Atlantic Time Zones. All ELT.

REPORTERS

- AD-MA Allan Dunn, Gardner – Excalibur G31-DDC, Tecsun PL-380, Boston Receptor Radio HD, 100' longwire antenna.
 HF-MI Harold Frodge, Midland – R8B, 85 ft. RW & 180 ft. center-fed RW
 TF-NH Tony Fitzherbert – Campton – Grundig S350, Grundig AM loop.
 HJH-PA Harry Hayes, Wilkes-Barre – Tecsun PL390, Q-Stick Plus
 KK-VA Kraig Krist, Manassas – Winradio G33DDC SDR, Eavesdropper 43 foot multiband antenna running E to W.
 JJR-MI John J. Rieger, L'Anse – Grundig Satellite 750
 LW-NY Leslie Wood, East Meadow – Grundig G8 Traveler II, Radio Shack loop
 NjW-ON Niel Wolfish, Toronto – Sony 2010 + loop, Honda Accord car stereo
 MKB-ON Mike Brooker, Toronto – Grundig G5, Grundig YB-400PE, Sony SRF-39FP, Panasonic RF-2200 (receiver emeritus)

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STATION NEWS

- 970 WDCZ NY Buffalo – After being silent for some time, ex-NPR WNED returned to air Jan. 1 as WDCZ with Christian programs, using only “WDCX” slogans. // WDCX-990 Rochester and WDCX-FM 99.5-Buffalo. (MKB-ON)

UNID

- 1260 UNID -- 12/8 0732 – In multi-station mix (WSKO, WPHB, WNXT and UNID R. Disney) with CBC News into BBC World Service programs. (KK-VA) *Most likely an NPR station, but I can't think of any NPR affiliates on 1260. "The Pledge" (WPNW Zeeland, MI) perhaps, if they air some CBC and BBCWS programs. Mike / WWVT-VA "Radio IQ" is BBC 0000-0900 daily – DY.*

LOGGINGS

- 530 CIAO ON Brampton – 12/29 2100 – Poor with “not the opinions of Chow-AM 530” disclaimer into program in UNID language. (JJR-MI)
 600 CJWW SK Saskatoon – 12/29 0832 – poor, heard C&W at tune-in, thought could it be KSJB? CKAT? Was rewarded with “CJWW” ID into C&W song over weaker KSJB. (JJR-MI)
 680 CFTR ON Toronto – 12/28 1740 – “Year in Review” program, ad for Brampton Auto Mall, then local traffic and weather. New, over 50 stations now heard from Ontario. (LW-NY)
 690 CKGM QC Montreal – 12/28 1750 – Mention of 45 centimeters of snow on ground, and “it will take 6 days to remove!” into sports talk and local scores given on ‘Sports Update’ at 1800. (LW-NY)
 710 WFNR VA Blacksburg – 12/23 1634 – Landed here just in time to hear ID during Best of Sean Hannity show. No sign of WOR-New York City at this time. (NjW-ON)
 740 WJIB MA Cambridge – 1/1 1604 – Very weak signal with EZL oldies music under CFZM airing sports and weather and WNYH with its usual SS preaching – had to be WJIB because no other station on 740 carries this format, signal buried when CFZM began its oldies at the end of the weather forecast, WJIB not heard here before. (TF-NH)
 780 WAVA VA Arlington – 12/26 1615 – Way on top of frequency with “Healthy, Wealthy, and Wise” talk show, talk about natural vitamins, promo for New Years Eve services at the New Song Bible Fellowship at 7:30pm and 10:00pm on New Years Eve, in Bowie, MD, and back to selling vitamins. (TF-NH)
 790 WBLO NC Thomasville – 12/23 1633 – All alone on 790 with Meximusic, Spanish ID with calls and “Pepe siete noventa” slogan and “Feliz Navidad” wishes. (NjW-ON)

- 810 WJJQ WI **Tomahawk** – 12/30 0743 – Poor with very quiet, down-tempo sounding local weather. High of only 10 degrees, so knew it wasn't WGY. "...on ESPN Sports Talk Radio AM 810 WJJQ" ID into ESPN stuff. **(JJR-MI)**
- 850 KOA CO **Denver** – 12/23 0306 – "Next Coast to Coast AM on News Radio 850 KOA" ID over WEEI on Tecsun barefoot. **(AD-MA)**
- 890 WAMG MA **Dedham** – 1/1 1625 – Presumed in WLS null with ads in SS mentioning Boston and 508 area code, "La Mega" slogan. **(MKB-ON)**
- 910 WSUI IA **Iowa City** – 12/22 1717 – IowaPublicRadio.org URL given several times for additional info on upcoming events in Cedar Falls and Iowa City; news headlines read by woman followed. WDOR also in there with Christmas music. **(NjW-ON)**
- WJCV TN **Johnson City** – 12/25 1655 – Ad for Jim's Motorcycles in Johnson City and ID: "Tri-cities talk radio, AM 910 WCJW." **(NjW-ON)**
- 920 WOKY WI **Milwaukee** – 12/23 1636 – Over top of CKNX-Wingham with women's college basketball between North Dakota State University Lady Bison and University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee Panthers. **(NjW-ON)**
- 950 WKDN PA **Philadelphia** – 12/26 1515 – Teaching program, "Life with the King," relatively weak signal. Presumably the sale of WPEN to Family Radio is complete. **(TF-NH)** *As has call change to WKDN (the old Family Radio Philadelphia calls when they were on 106.9 FM in Camden NJ – DY.*
- CFAM MB **Altona** – 12/30 0930 – Religious program. ID by female announcer at 0943 and mention of upcoming religious programs. Hymns followed. **(NjW-ON)**
- CKNB NB **Campbellton** – 12/29 1658 – Fulfilling their CanCon requirements with "Poets" by The Tragically Hip. Fighting WWJ-Detroit. **(NjW-ON)**
- 960 WHYL PA **Carlisle** – 12/27 1927 – Paid program for the Southwest Ministry that preached against gun control, ending at this time, then into song "Blowing In The Wind" by Peter, Paul & Mary. Very loud signal over UNID with sports. **(HJH-PA)**
- 970 WGTK KY **Louisville** – 12/29 2336 – Straying from their usual conservative talk format with a Saturday night airing of an American Top 40 program, this one featuring the top songs of 1970. **(NjW-ON)**
- KQAQ MN **Austin** – 12/30 2333 – Poor in mess with WGTK and WATH with C&W music and commercial for garage door place in Albert Lea. Mixing with WGTK-Louisville. Synched up to webaudio to be sure. **(NjW-ON)**
- WNYM NJ **Hackensack** – 12/31 1607 – Over WGTK and sports talker (presumably WFUN) with New York City-area local traffic and weather, "AM 970, the Answer" slogan into Michael Medved show. QSLed as WWDJ in 1977. **(MKB-ON)**
- WATH OH **Athens** – 12/29 1807 – Underneath WGTK with "Lyin' Eyes" by The Eagles and "Whenever I Call You Friend" by Kenny Loggins. Matches up to their webstream audio. Also noted on 12/31 at 1650 on car radio with songs by The Cars and Van Morrison. **(NjW-ON)**
- WKCI VA **Waynesboro** – 12/31 1648 – Break in Sean Hannity program with "WKCY" ID and promo for Bill Bennett program. **(NjW-ON)**
- WHA WI **Madison** – 12/25 1648 – Wisconsin Public Radio promos and ID by woman: "WHA-970 is also heard on 107.9 FM," **(NjW-ON)**
- WGEE WI **Superior** – 12/28 0720 – ID by man and commercial, followed by nostalgia/adult standards music including "Cathy's Clown" by The Everly Brothers. **(NjW-ON)**
- 990 WDEO MI **Ypsilanti** – 12/31 0808 – Presumed with EWTN Catholic Connections program, battling CBW and WDCX-Rochester's Protestant hellfire. **(MKB-ON)**
- 1010 KXEN MO **St. Louis** – 12/29 2028 – Poor in CFRB null with screaming preacher giving address where to send \$, "on KXEN 10-10" ID, Life Alert ad, "Praise 1010, the Good News Station" slogan into another gospel program. Never heard at night! **(JJR-MI)**
- 1070 KNX CA **Los Angeles** – 12/30 0814 – Poor in tight WTSO null with lottery numbers, "traffic on the 5's" by woman, weather "from CBS news ... with the KNX 1070 forecast." No other West coasters in. **(JJR-MI)**
- WFLI TN **Lookout Mountain** – 12/29 1718 – Strong over WFNI-Indianapolis and CHOK-Sarnia with gomer gospel music. Station ID and promo for Born To Win religious program at 1723. **(NjW-ON)**

- 1080 KNDK ND **Langdon** – 12/29 0928 – Poor with ads for Eagle Eye Printing, Giant Tiger in Morden (MB), talk on the top C&W songs of year, lost to WNWI. **(JJR-MI)**
- 1110 WJML MI **Petoskey** – 1/3 1531 – CBS news, local weather and call ID; ad for Traverse City Hooters; Dave Ramsey Show. Mainly on top of the mix. **(HF-MI)**
- WYRM VA **Norfolk** – 1/1 1708 – Woman preacher, the R.G. Hardy Ministry, PO Box 1744, in Baltimore, MD, ID by male for WYRM, Norfolk, “Serving Virginia and northern North Carolina,” abruptly gone, guess that the station signed off, WBT flooded in, unusual catch as the 50,000 watt signal is directional SE over the Atlantic. **(TF-NH)**
- 1140 WCJW NY **Warsaw** – 12/26 1530 – C&W music, promo for “The CJ Country Morning Show,” lost under WBBR-1130 slop, back around 1604 with weather for Western New York, more country music. Weak signal, usually stronger here in the morning. **(TF-NH)**
- 1160 WVNJ NJ **Oakland** – 1/1 1543 – Atop frequency with ads for DisasterStuff.com, Afterburner Stoves, Alka Vision Plasma and Berkee Water Filtration System from “theBerkeeGuy.com” (stuff atop everyone’s wish list!!!!), “The Voice, 1160, WVNJ” slogan, into woman talking about video games and violence. **(TF-NH)**
- 1180 WSQR IL **Sycamore** – 12/28 1746 – Underneath WHAM-Rochester with E.L.O.’s “Evil Woman,” ID: “FM 93.5, AM 1180, WSQR” into Queen’s “Another One Bites The Dust.” **(NjW-ON)**
- KYES MN **Rockville** – 1/3 1630 – Slogan “Catholic AM 11-80 K-Yes.” Well under WHAM/WXLA mix with occasional challenging peaks. MN #31. **(HF-MI)**
- WCRI RI **Hope Valley** – 1/1 1552 – Classical music, “The Classical Station, WCRI 95.9 FM, and AM 1180,” more music, and “Thank you for listening to the classical station, WCRI 95.9 and AM 1180,” more music and soon lost to WHAM. **(TF-NH)**
- 1190 WLIB NY **New York** – 1/1 1537 – Hofstra Basketball, “Hofstra Pride Sports Network and WLIB” play by play of the BKB game, mixed with oldies music, probably WSDE, gradually lost. **(TF-NH)**
- WCRW VA **Leesburg** – 1/1 1603 – Weak signal with Chinese news in EE, mixed with WLIB, later foreign music, also mixed with WLIB. **(TF-NH)**
- 1200 CFGO ON **Ottawa** – 12/30 2213 – In with “Sports radio 1200 CFGO” ID. Promo for Ottawa Junior Senators hockey, ad for Gabriel Pizza mentioning several outlets in area, then into broadcast of Cowboys vs. Redskins final game of season. **(LW-NY)**
- 1220 KLBB MN **Stillwater** – 12/30 1656 – “Green Bay Packers Radio Network for all of eastern Minnesota”; carrying Packers-Vikings game. Had to check their website to make sure I heard this right. They are a Packers station despite being close to Minneapolis! One of at least 5 peaking in the mix. MN #30. **(HF-MI)**
- WHKW OH **Cleveland** – 12/27 1627 – Weak signal with end of the Bob Marshall Health Line show, “Have a healthy and radiant day!”, two appeals for donations to two religious organizations, and ID for “AM 1220, WHKW, the Word,” into a teaching program about joy. **(TF-NH)**
- +++ - 12/29 1700 – “AM 12-20 The Word” slogan, “opinions expressed” disclaimer before religious program with Rev. Peacock of the New Jericho Baptist Church. WHKWradio.com website promo at bottom of hour. Mainly on top but challenged at times by Rush Limbaugh, SS, nostalgia and another UNID gospel station. **(HF-MI)**
- 1250 WMTR NJ **Morristown** – 1/1 1620 – Oldies music, ID for “Classic Oldies, WMTR,” into more oldies, way atop frequency. **(TF-NH)**
- 1260 WPNW MI **Zeeland** – 12/22 1703 – Atop jumble with several mentions of “1260 The Pledge” and promo for “The Pledge Christmas Wish.” **(NjW-ON)**
- KROX MN **Crookston** – 12/29 0908 – Poor with Crookston State Bank ad, contest promo in which caller #3 at 281-1140 won a pizza. Number matches station’s phone number in NRC Log. **(JJR-MI)**
- WSKO NY **Syracuse** – 12/8 0800 – In multi-station mix with Yahoo Sports. “WSKO Syracuse the voice of the central New York sports fan, ‘The Score’ 12-60” ToH ID into “Yahoo Sports Minute.” **(KK-VA)**
- WNXT OH **Portsmouth** – 12/8 0713 – In multi-station mix with usual Fox Sports programming, station promo “... nobody gives you sports ... AM 12-60 WNXT.” **(KK-VA)**

- WPHB PA **Philipsburg** – 12/8 0712 – In multi-station mix with C&W songs, “WPHB in Philipsburg” jingle. **(KK-VA)**
- CKHJ NB **Frederickton** – 12/30 2155 – In with weather for area into Shane Feller show, and C&W music. **(LW-NY)**
- 1270 WKBF IL **Rock Island** – 12/22 1722 – Mexican music. Liner ID in between Mexisongs that sounded like “La Jefa doce setenta.” **(NjW-ON)**
- WXYT MI **Detroit** – 12/8 0659 – In multi-station mix with station promo: “The next generation of talk. News talk radio 12-70 WXYT.” **(KK-VA)**
- WHLN NY **Niagara Falls** – 12/8 0727 – In multi-station mix (WXYT, WLBR, WLIK, and UNID ESPN) with oldies, “You got ‘Swing 12-70’” slogan into instrumental version of “Silver Bells.” **(KK-VA)**
- WLIK TN **Newport** – 12/29 2003 – ID during station break in Tennessee Volunteers vs. Xavier basketball. **(NjW-ON)**
- +++ - 12/8 0723 – In multi-station mix with oldies, man with “Your favorites,” followed by woman with “WLIK Newport” ID. **(KK-VA)**
- 1280 WHTK NY **Rochester** – 12/8 0745 – In multi-station mix (WADO, WHVR, and UNID gospel and ESPN stations) with usual Fox Sports radio programming, “The home of Fox Sports radio. Sports 1280 WHTK” ID. “Sports done right. 12-80 WHTK” ID at 0750. **(KK-VA)**
- 1290 WKBK NH **Keene** – 12/8 0737 – In WHIO/CFRW mix with “This is news talk 12-90 WKBK” ID. **(KK-VA)**
- CJBK ON **London** – 12/30 2140 – Presumed with “Dallas Cowboys Radio Network” ID into broadcast of Cowboys vs. Redskins Sunday night game. **(LW-NY)**
- 1300 KPMI MN **Bemidji** – 12/29 1005 – Poor with “News Channel 1300 KPMI weather eye” local weather (snow, single-digit temperatures), lost to WOOD. **(JJR-MI)**
- WXRL NY **Lancaster** – 12/8 0752 – In multi-station mix (WGDJ, UNID oldies, ESPN, SS and gospel stations) with C&W songs, station promo by woman: “You are listening to greater Buffalo’s only locally owned and family operated country music station, WXRL.” Into “Classic Country Today” program. **(KK-VA)**
- WGDJ NY **Rensselaer** – 12/8 0630 – In WXRL mix with station promo: “News talk 1300 ... Bob Vandenburg mornings ... Fred Dicker at 10. The home of Sienna Saints basketball. Stimulating local talk.” **(KK-VA)**
- 1310 WIBA WI **Madison** – 1/23 1727 – One in the mix with University of Wisconsin Badgers promo into call-in show. BoH call ID into local news. **(HF-MI)**
- 1330 WEBO NY **Owego** – 12/8 0738 – In multi-station mix with station promo: “Broadcasting from the heart of our community. 55 years and we’re just getting warmed up. This is news radio WEBO.” **(KK-VA)**
- WFIN OH **Findlay** – 12/8 0659 – In multi-station mix (WEBO, WBTM, UNID religious, SS and FF stations) with “... champion 13-30 WFIN” slogan, “This is your news, sports and weather authority. 1330 WFIN” ToH ID. **(KK-VA)**
- 1350 KDIO MN **Ortonville** – 12/29 1017 – Poor but alone with “weekdays on KDIO” station promo, C&W songs. **(JJR-MI)**
- 1370 WXXI NY **Rochester** – 12/27 1607 – NPR News, weather for Rochester and Western NY, New York state and local news, into NPR talk, over WFEA and mixed with CBS News, most likely WDEA. **(TF-NH)**
- 1380 WKJG IN **Fort Wayne** – 1/82 1913 – Under groundwave pest CKPC with ESPN sports, thefanfortwayne.com website promo. **(MKB-ON)**
- 1400 WAMC NY **Albany** – 12/31 1758 – Briefly over graveyard mess with NPR news, “support for WAMC is provided by ...” into long list of local sponsors. **(MKB-ON)**
- 1450 WKIP NY **Poughkeepsie** – 12/28 0827 – Atop the graveyard jumble with ID as “WJIP (their sister station on 1370 in Ellenville NY) and promo for Neil Boortz program. **(NjW-ON)**
- CHOU QC **Montreal** – 12/26 0744 – Assuming this one with FF talk and area code 514 given in announcement. Good signal. **(HJH-PA)**
- +++ – 12/26 1401 – Presumed with Arabic talk and Middle-Eastern music. **(NjW-ON)**
- +++ - 12/27 1555 – Foreign language, not usual FF or SS, only EE phrase was “Barack Obama.” possible Arabic dialect, male and female announcers, atop this GY frequency for ten minutes before fading into the mush. **(TF-NH)**
- 1460 WDDY NY **Albany** – 12/27 1620 – Atop before pattern change with Radio Disney usual shrill adolescent announcers, promos for the Magic Kingdom. **(TF-NH)**

- WHIC NY Rochester** – 12/27 1620 – Briefly atop with Catholic information, comments about the missal, mixing with Radio Disney, quickly gone. **(TF-NH)**
- 1470 WMBD IL Peoria** – 12/24 1558 – Heard on car radio with spot having area code 309 phone number and ID: “the talk station 14-70 WMBD.” **(NjW-ON)**
- 1480 WGVU MI Kentwood** – 1/2 1805 – Over usual pest WHBC with NPR news, poetryfoundation.org PSA, “Public Radio 1480 and 850” slogan. Per NRC log, format is a curious mix of NPR and oldies. **(MKB-ON)**
- WDJO OH Cincinnati** – 12/24 1553 – Booming in on car radio with WDJO oldies night promo, mention of the Ronald Reagan Cross County Highway and Creedence Clearwater Revival song. **(NjW-ON)**
- 1500 WFIF CT Milford** – 12/27 1540 – Steady signal with program about what the Bible teaches us, and being faithful stewards, later back with “Moneywise” Christian business show. **(TF-NH)**
- 1520 WSVX IN Shelbyville** – 1/4 1801 – Poking through nulled WWKB with PSA for Shelby County Drug-Free Coalition, other local ads mentioning Shelby County, promo for high school basketball “on WSVX sports.” Only 260 watts, per NRC log. **(MKB-ON)**
- WMLM MI St. Louis** – 12/29 1038 – Poor with “Real Country on WMLM 1520” slogan on tune in, lost to KOLM. **(JJR-MI)**
- KMSR ND Mayville** – 12/29 1100 – Poor, in with KOLM, ad for “oil jobs in North Dakota at midwestoiljobs.com,” Outdoor Issues show, “Sports radio 1520 and 105.5” slogan into ESPN sports. **(JJR-MI)**
- 1540 WNWR PA Philadelphia** – 1/1 1615 – “Global Biz” report, promo for “Global Sports and Entertainment,” under CHIN, (identical feed heard on WCRW-1190 a few weeks ago), sign off announcement at 1629: “WNWR, Philadelphia now leaves the air and will return tomorrow” followed by an instrumental SSB leaving CHIN alone on 1540. **(TF-NH)**
- 1550 WNTN MA Newton** – 1/3 1536 – FF program to brief call ID at ToH. Web site shows a Haitian program Vwa Lakay for local Haitian community. I doubt this is the program being aired as the FF talker mentioned Pakistan several times. Dominant one in the mix including CBEF also in FF. **(HF-MI)**
- 1570 WSCO WI Appleton** – 12/29 2133 – Poor with mention of “on 95.3 WSCO” into Milwaukee Bucks NBA game. Never heard before at night. **(JJR-MI)**
- 1580 WNEW MD Morningside** – 1/3 1423 – “15-80 Gov” slogan, Bloomberg business radio. One in the mix, but this one has best peaks. Recheck at 1526 found CKDO well on top with almost-oldies. **(HF-MI)**
- CKDO ON Oshawa** – 12/29 2140 – Strong with “Beach Party Radio” oldies show with numerous call letter announcements and “Durham Classic Hits” slogan. **(AD-MA)**
- 1640 KFXV OK Enid** – 12/29 2104 – Poor in WKSH null with station promo “... now playing on Faith 1640.” **(JJR-MI)**
- WKSH WI Sussex** – 12/24 1440 – Presumed with announcements of new cell phone coverage in Wisconsin and Radio Disney programs // WQEW-1560. **(AD-MA)**
- 1670 WOZN WI Madison** – 12/31 2222 – Ex-WTDY playing Metallica’s “Where Ever I May Roam” and Guns n’ Roses “Welcome to the Jungle” over and over. Didn’t hang around to actually hear ID. **(NjW-ON)** *They chose those two songs because WOZN will be Madison’s new Jim Rome affiliate, when the “Jungle” (which is what Jim Rome calls his radio show) moves from Premiere Radio Networks to CBS Sports Radio as of Jan. 2. See www.jimromestations.com for listing of Jim Rome affiliates. Mike / And last week’s DX News! – DY.*

“No More Jim Rome” List

From Wayne Heinen ... here are the stations for which the Jim Rome network (“Jr”) should be dropped from your AM Radio Log: 610 (KCSP-MO), 620 (KMNS-IA), 710 (KXMR-ND), 760 (KTKR-TX), 790 (WKRD-KY), 800 (KXIC-IA), 850 (KHOO-WA), 900 (CHML-ON), 910 (WRNL-VA), 930 (WFXJ-FL), 940 (WINZ-FL, WCSY-MI, KICE-OR), 960 (KOVU-UT), 970 (WFUN-OH), 980 (WOFX-NY, CFPL-ON), 990 (WTIG-OH), 1000 (WMVP-IL), 1100 (KWWN-NV), 1130 (WFNF-IN, KWKH-LA, WDFN-MI), 1160 (WODY-VA), 1230 (WFXN-IL, WYTS-OH, WCWA-OH), 1250 (WHNZ-FL), 1270 (WJJC-GA), 1280 (WHTK-NY, KZNS-UT), 1290 (WWTX-DE), 1340 (KCBL-CA, KTMM-CO, WXFN-IN, KCQL-NM, KLOO-OR, KKAM-TX, WEPM-WV), 1350 (WFNS-GA, WARF-OH), 1360 (KLSD-CA), 1370 (WDEF-TN), 1380 (KHEY-TX), 1390 (WRIG-WI), 1400 (WBIZ-WI), 1410 (KDKT-ND), 1430 (KTBZ-OK), 1450 (KQYX-KS, WQNT-SC), 1460 (KXNO-IA, KXPN-NE, WTKT-PA), 1470 (KGND-OK, WSAN-PA), 1550 (WMRE-WV), 1590 (WZR-MS).

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U.S./Canadian Loggings from Pacific/Mtn/Central Time Zones. All times ELT.

Welcome to new reporter Todd Skaine from Woodbury, Minnesota.

Reporters

- BD-WI** Bill Dvorak, Madison, WI. Drake R8B, Quantum QX Pro loop.
JDS-MN Jeff Steffes, Watertown, MN. Drake R8, Kenwood R-2000, Quantum Phaser, Quantum QX Loop v2.0, 80' Longwire N-S
NK-IL Neil Kazaross, Barrington, IL. Perseus with two element endfire Double KAZ array at 285 deg.
RD-NE Rick Dau, South Omaha, NE. Kenwood R-5000, Quantum QX Pro loop//731 domestics logged here
RV-TX Robert Vance, El Paso, TX. WinRadio G33DDC, 12'x 9' terminated corner-fed N and E loops, 12'x 7' E-W indoor loop with TG-1 gizmo, 6'x 4' multiturn indoor loop on second floor oriented N-S.
SMA-MB Shawn M. Axelrod VE4DX1SMA Winnipeg, MB. Icom IC-70, Drake R8; 4 foot unamplified box loop; Quantum Loop; 155 foot outdoor wire' 100 foot indoor wire; MFJ 1060 phasing unit.
TS-MN Todd Skaine Woodbury, MN. PL 310, 2010 Toyota car radio

Station News

- 1070 WTSO WI Madison** – 1/2 – Station lost the Jim Rome Show to competitor 1670 WOZN (see below) when that station changed format to SPT programming from the CBS Sports Radio network. **(BD-WI)**
1670 WOZN WI Madison – 1/2 – Has made its anticipated format change to SPT, carrying CBS Sports Radio Network programming as does its // WOZN-FM 106.7 Mount Horeb WI. Station slogan as was expected is "The Zone." The change came on 1/2 at 11 AM local time, 1200 ELT, with the CBS Sports Radio premier edition of *The Jim Rome Show*. The station carries CBS Sports 21 hours a day. Two of the other three hours are taken up by a local morning drive sports talk show. The other hour carries the only leftover of the old WTDY news/talk format, a locally produced farm show. So if you tune to 1670 between 0600 and 0700 ELT and hear agricultural features, don't be fooled-- you're hearing sports station WOZN. **(BD-WI)**

DX Loggings

- 550 KRAI CO Craig** – 12/8 2352 – In with Christmas mx; 55 Country weather by man at 3 minutes past TOH followed by road conditions in area and particularly around Steamboat Springs. Poor and swapping channel dominance back-and-forth with XEPL-CH. **(RV-TX)**
570 KSNM NM Las Cruces – 12/20 2148 – Good in WNAX null with Fox Sports Radio, "New Mexico" and CLs heard in ID. **(RD-NE)**
600 KTBB TX Tyler – 12/30 2050 – Very good in WMT null with ad for Ke Cellars Winery, then "Tyler-Longview" heard in ID. **(RD-NE)**
660 KSKY TX Balch Springs – 12/29 2304 – Weak in tight KCRO null with Purity Products infomercial mentioning the importance of magnesium in one's diet. Couldn't pull an ID out of the terrestrial side, but matching it up with the webstream, which was almost even, clinched it. **(RD-NE)**
680 WPTF NC Raleigh – 12/24 0720 – Very good under KFEQ with "680 WPTF" heard during traffic check and weather forecast that mentioned Winston-Salem. Just my 2nd logging here from Tar Heel State (WCXN-1170 on 2/26/2011 is the other). **(RD-NE)**
710 KBMB AZ Black Canyon City – 12/26 0933 – Noted at presumed change to day power with ESPN Deportes Radio; mixing with KNUS-CO and XEDP-CH. Needed CL change ex-KMIA. **(RV-TX)**

- 710 WOR NY **New York** – 12/25 0715 – Weak in tight KCMO null with just "WOR" ID heard upon switch to daytime pattern. **(RD-NE)**
- 720 KSAH TX **Universal City** – 12/26 0630 – Noted with ESPN Deportes Radio. **(RV-TX)**
- 730 KWRE MO **Warrenton** – 12/24 1749 – Very good with ID by male: "Merry Christmas from KWRE," then into an ad string that included one for Dave's Auto Parts in Warrenton. **(RD-NE)**
- 750 KBNN MO **Lebanon** – 12/30 1755 – Suddenly in with sign-off: "At this time, KBNN ends another broadcast day ...," then a mention of KJEL-FM. A rather odd reception, sounded almost as if they had been running at reduced power, then suddenly went to the full 5 kW just for the sign-off announcement. **(RD-NE)**
- 780 KSPI OK **Stillwater** – 12/24 1804 – Very good in WBBM null with weather forecast, then sign-off: "KSPI now concludes another broadcast day" I clearly heard a mention of "780 watts" in the announcement, although checking through the FCC's website, radio-locator.com, and Barry McLarnon's website turns up a daytime power of 250 watts in all instances. Either this is a half-hearted attempt at self-promotion, or station management is really naive. **(RD-NE)**
- 840 KWDF LA **Ball** – 12/24 1801 – Good under WHAS (and just seconds after KTIC's sign-off) with ID by female: "You're listening to AM 840 KWDF, Ball-Alexandria." Most likely the unID with brokered REL programming that I had been chasing before 1815 ELT nearly every day throughout the better part of December. **(RD-NE)**
- 870 WWL LA **New Orleans** – 12/22 2144 – Noted with ESPN Radio. **(RV-TX)**
- 910 WFDF MI **Farmington Hills** – 12/22 2358 – Fair with quick "WFDF" ID during Radio Disney programming. The other Disney station on 910, KWDZ, remains elusive. **(RD-NE)**
- 940 WFAW WI **Fort Atkinson** – 12/25 1701 – Fair under KPSZ with bits and pieces of an ID: "... talk, AM 940 WFAW, Fort Atkinson" **(RD-NE)**
- 1010 CBR AB **Calgary** – 12/23 0807 – In with CBC News, CBC Radio 1 ID's, MST time checks, local news. at 0822, CBC Radio short features, Christmas music. Man mentioned this was the Daybreak program. Good with fades to very poor, but it was the dominant station for the time period. Local XEFV-1000 phased. Canadian province #5 from here on the Mexican border. CBW-990 was in as well. **(RV-TX)**
- 1020 KMMQ NE **Plattsmouth** – 12/23 0857 – Surprise here with banda music and ID at TOH "... KMMQ, Plattsmouth, Omaha, Lincoln ...," the rest of the announcement was intelligible but what I heard made no sense. It took long enough to realize the three cities were being said. Poor but no sign of KCKN-NM. **(RV-TX)**
- 1040 KCBR CO **Monument** – 12/13 1850 – Good under WHO with "... This is KCBR ..." heard from male talk show host just before he took a call on-air. **(RD-NE)**
- 1090 WFCV IN **Fort Wayne** – 12/20 1913 – Good with sign-off, heard mentions of 100.1 FM and Bott Radio Network. Appears to be using the full 2-hour PSSA. Only previous time I've heard this station was from Iowa City, IA on 1/5/1998. **(RD-NE)**
- 1140 KHFX TX **Cleburne** – 12/20 0009 – Good with regional Mexican pop song by female // KHFX's webstream, which was about 15 seconds behind. **(RD-NE)**
- 1140 KZMQ WY **Greybull** – 12/26 1806 – Fair with ID: "You're listening to ... KZMQ", then into Marty Robbins' "El Paso" (a.k.a. The Disc Jockey's Best Friend, Circa 1959). **(RD-NE)**
- 1160 KFXE IA **Waukon** – 1/3 0836 – Fair to good signals fading in and out over and under KSL with Fox Sports programming. Been after this one for months. NEW. **(SA-MB)**
- 1210 KUNF UT **Washington** – 1/1 0000 – Poor with call ID and 107/102 (FM //s) announcement thru pest KGYN. New !! UT #20. **(NK-IL)**
- 1220 CJRB MB **Boisevain** – 12/29 0542 – Out of Christmas hymn, "Now a look at CJRB weather." Followed by weather details ending with "The current weather at the current time. Get access to your local five-day forecast at discoverwestman.com." Back to Christmas hymns. **(JDS-MN)**
- 1240 WJON MN **St. Cloud** – 12/29 0556 – NEW. "This is Red-Eye Radio on the Cumulus network." Into commercials and promotions for Red-Eye Radio with station ID at 0600 "This is AM Twelve-Forty WJON St. Cloud. Helping to build a better community." Followed by ABC news. **(JDS-MN)**

- 1250 KNEU UT **Roosevelt** – 12/24 0819 – Briefly atop with promo for softball hitting clinic to be held January 5th at Trinidad State Junior College and sponsored by Union High School. No CLs heard in the promo, so it was up to Google to help me discover which Union High School was involved. Thank goodness I found it. **(RD-NE)**
- 1260 WOCO WI **Oconto** – 12/28 0659 – Poor but all alone, up suddenly with this announcement by a woman: "Good morning. You are listening to WOCO (unreadable) Oconto (CoL slightly distorted), Wisconsin (unreadable) Friday morning the 28th of December. It is (unreadable) degrees outside (unreadable) the morning news." A man then could barely be heard beginning a newscast. WOCO has a night authorization of 29 watts, but I am not sure if they use it, so this might have been a sign-on. They do have a 500-watt PSRA, which would explain their sudden appearance at 6 AM local time whether they do or don't broadcast overnight. NEW! This is my 103rd WI station, the first new one since 2007, leaving only nine (very tough) ones to go. **(BD-WI)**
- 1270 WKBF IL **Rock Island** – 12/29 0620 – NEW Spanish music ending. Into Spanish speaking male announcer with reference to "La Jefa." **(JDS-MN)**
- 1270 WMKT MI **Charlevoix** – 12/25 1648 – Excellent with ID: "Where northern Michigan comes to talk ... WMKT" **(RD-NE)**
- 1290 CFRW MB **Winnipeg** – 12/29 0628 – NEW, Poor; spot for Coats For Kids "Bring new or gently used coats to any Winnipeg fire station." Fades out. **(JDS-MN)**
- 1310 KLIx ID **Twin Falls** – 1/1 0000 – Poor; well under WIBA and coming out of same ads after same talk show and into ID and then news. New !! ID #11. **(NK-IL)**
- 1320 WJAS PA **Pittsburgh** – 12/24 0732 – Weak with "1320 WJAS" heard at the end of traffic check. A regular back in Iowa City, but hard to get in these parts. **(RD-NE)**
- 1330 KWKW CA **Los Angeles** – 1/2 2200 – Poor-Fair, rising atop KWLO with "Ud. escuchando La Mera Mera ... deportes America KWKW Trece Treinta, Los Angeles." New and quite a shock to log! CA #37. **(NK-IL)**
- 1330 WRAM IL **Monmouth** – 12/30 1839 – Running day power late with "1330 WRAM" in ID, then into Steve Wariner country oldie "Some Fools Never Learn." Heard "The Voice of Warren County" a few minutes later in a weather forecast. Confirmed by comparing it to the webstream, which was nearly a minute behind. **(RD-NE)**
- 1340 KTOQ SD **Rapid City** – 12/30 1800 – Poor with Rapids City's ESPN ... KTOQ. Very rare. **(NK-IL)**
- 1370 KXTL MT **Butte** – 12/30 1900 – Fair briefly nearly alone with SW MT announcement and calls. Very rare. **(NK-IL)**
- 1370 KWTL ND **Grand Forks** – 12/24 0927 – Good with a message from a Fargo-area priest, CLs heard at 0931, then into program "Family Theatre Classic Radio." **(RD-NE)**
- 1380 KLIZ MN **Brainerd** – 12/29 0705 – NEW, Weather forecast followed by small talk between two announcers about fishing, and The Old Farmer's Almanac. Into station ID at 0714 "This is Fan Outdoors 13-80 KLIZ, The Fan." **(JDS-MN)**
- 1390 KJPW MO **Waynesville** – 12/21 0859 – Good with ID: "You're listening to the talk of ... KJPW, Waynesville." **(RD-NE)**
- 1390 KCRC OK **Enid** – 12/27 1957 – In with ESPN fighting with KHOB-NM (also ESPN), promo by woman for Oklahoma tourism at 1957 and local ID announcement "ESPN Radio, KCRC" by man and a possible weather forecast in between, but not much else to tell them apart. **(RV-TX)**
- 1400 KRLN CO **Cañon City** – 12/27 1939 – In with unID talk program into syndicated ad then local ads for Fremont County Humane Society at 275-0663, House of Deals Bookstore, and others until quick fade at 1944. **(RV-TX)**
- 1400 KGVl TX **Greenville** – 12/16 1959 – Faded up with "AM-1400 KGVl Greenville" announcement by male. **(RV-TX)**
- 1410 KOOQ NE **North Platte** – 12/27 2013 – In with local weather, station promo for a future broadcast from Gothenburg (right down the road) and mentions of North Platte, NE, and back to ESPN. Poor in mix. New logging #600 from this QTH. **(RV-TX)**
- 1420 WJUB WI **Plymouth** – 12/28 1356 – ID into SRN news. Fair under KTOE 2.5 hours before sunset. This was an incredible early DX SSS opening to Michigan. I haven't heard this powerful of a SSS opening to the east in a long time. I was DX'ing in IA in late 70's early 80's, when these openings were not uncommon. **(TS-MN)**

- 1450 KWES NM **Ruidoso** – 12/23 2055 – In with Fox Sports. Simple local ID at TOH, "Fox Sports Radio, KWES, Ruidoso." then back into FSR. Poor. **(RV-TX)**
- 1460 KENO NV **Las Vegas** – 12/23 1958 – In with ESPN Deportes, local ad, into TOH ID "Deportes en español, catorce-sesenta AM, KENO, Las Vegas, ESPN Deportes Radio," and back into network programming. Poor. **(RV-TX)**
- 1470 KMNQ MN **Brooklyn Park** – 12/19 1856 – Good with ad in Spanish mentioning "South St. Paul" and the Mall of America. CLs heard in legal ID at 1901. Tried for the simulcast on 1400, but just couldn't pull it out of the muck. **(RD-NE)**
- 1470 KDHN TX **Dimmitt** – 12/25 2000 – The "Exclusive KDHN Radar Weather Forecast" by man, then right back under XERCN-BC. **(RV-TX)**
- 1480 KSDR SD **Watertown** – 12/21 0836 – Fair with promo for event sponsored by the Watertown Optimist Club to be held at the Watertown Mall. CLs noted at 0839. **(RD-NE)**
- 1480 KBXD TX **Dallas** – 12/19 0139 – Very good with Overcomer Ministry program. Counted this after checking the Overcomer Ministry website, which showed this as the only 1480 currently carrying the program. I was inspired to try for KBXD after reading Glenn Hauser's recent reports. **(RD-NE)**
- 1510 KSPA CA **Ontario** – 12/30 1850 – Noted with Bloomberg Radio promo ("Financial news you can use") by woman "...on AM 1450, north San Diego and AM 1510 in the inland empire and Orange County." "Money Radio 1510" slogan at BOH then NBC news. **(RV-TX)**
- 1540 KEDA TX **San Antonio** – 12/24 2123 – Good in KXEL null with talk in Spanish, music, "San Antonio Radio Jalapeno" noted in ID. **(RD-NE)**
- 1550 WPFC LA **Baton Rouge** – 12/29 2005 – In with UC:GOS fighting with XENU-TAMA for dominance. Never caught an ID through 2110 but am confident of this one from matching website stream. Local XEJPV-1560 phased. **(RV-TX)**
- 1550 KAPE MO **Cape Girardeau** – 12/16 2106 – Good with "Kape Radio 1550 AM & 100.3 FM" ID. **(RD-NE)**
- 1550 KRKE NM **Albuquerque** – 1/2 2200 – Poor mixing with KRPI and others underneath. Occasional oldies on the channel turned out to be them with hourly ID. Never heard before on presumed 27 watt night power. No trace of CBEF or WDLR or anything else that can come from the east. **(NK-IL)**
- 1550 KRPI WA **Ferndale** – 1/2 2100 – Poor-fair in the mix with KRPI Ferndale ID and usual station disclaimer and back into Indian language talk and some mx. Never heard before on night pattern but there's a small lobe this way. **(NK-IL)**
- 1580 KAMI NE **Cozad** – 1/2 2158 – Fair-Good over/under KREL's 140 watts and SS religious presumed to be from KBLA. Bott Radio promos and a multi station ID. Never heard on 17 watt night power before. Both KREL and KAMI can be heard at sunset and drop power when they should and both never heard at night here until I built the array. No trace of CKDO off the back and considerably less KOKB QRM on the array. **(NK-IL)**
- 1590 KLFE WA **Seattle** – 1/1 2000 – Fair rising atop as something (likely KVGB) with a bowl game faded. "... Freedom 1590 KLFE Seattle." New and long sought after. WA #20 !! **(NK-IL)**
- 1640 KOAG OK **Enid** – 1/3 2158 – Fair signals over/under WKSH with Agricultural programming. KOAG All Ag All Day ID into USA Radio News. New calls new format. Lots of changes on the band. Hard to know what you are actually hearing but I do love the new ones! **(SA-MB)**
- 1640 KBJA UT **Sandy** – 12/24 2118 – LOUD with ID in Spanish that sounded like "Radio Potencia," then an ad for Mexico Tires in Salt Lake City. Overtaken about 30 seconds later by WKSH. **(RD-NE)**
- 1670 WOZN WI **Madison** – 12/30 1932 – Fair signals with continuous Heavy metal type music. No more Christmas music no more WTDY. New calls effective 12/28 on FCC web site. Look for CBS sports in the new year. Nice to end the year with a new one. Happy 2013 to all of you may it be Happy Healthy and of course DX filled. **(SMA-MB)**
- 1690 KFSG CA **Roseville** – 1/2 2200 – Fair over KDDZ with little trace of semi-local WVON. RR programming and EE ID. The situation at night on 1690 here is now as follows. KDDZ often atop but KFSG shows up lots. WVON is usually 3rd on the channels never a trace of CHTO or anything else from the east. **(NK-IL)**
- 1700 WEUP AL **Huntsville** – 12/28 0705 – Black Gospel mx // with Tune-in appear. **(TS-MN)**
- Thanks to this week's contributors. See you next time. **(JDT-WA).**

International DX Digest

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Trans-Atlantic DX

- 549 **ALGERIA** *Jil FM*, Les Trembles JAN 3 2329 – Good; man in French over techno pop music bed, then telephone talk, parallel 531 kHz. [Conti-NH]
- 639 **SPAIN** *RNE1 La Coruña* et al. JAN 3 2200 – Good; talk parallel 1107 and 1413 kHz. [Conti-NH]
- 666 **PORTUGAL** *RDP Antena 1* synchros JAN 4 2200 – Poor; signature RDP time signal. [Conti-NH]
- 693 **UNITED KINGDOM** *BBC Radio 5*, Droitwich et al. JAN 3 2301 – Good with synchro echo; “This is BBC Radio Five Live,” and “one minute past eleven” time check into news. [Conti-NH]
- 711 **FRANCE** *France Info*, Rennes JAN 4 0020 – Good over weak het from off-frequency Western Sahara; news/talk in French parallel 945 kHz. [Conti-NH]
- 720 **PORTUGAL** *RDP Antena 1* synchros JAN 4 2300 – Under WGN; RDP time signal parallel 666 kHz. [Conti-NH]
- 774 **EGYPT** *Middle East Radio*, Abis JAN 3 2300 – Good, over Spain; Mideast string orchestra fanfare into news. [Conti-NH]
- 864 **EGYPT** *Holy Koran Program*, Santah JAN 4 0045 – Fair over France; Koranic vocal. [Conti-NH]
- 882 **UNITED KINGDOM** *BBC R.Wales*, Washford et al. JAN 3 2242 – Good; Focus “Hocus Pocus” rock instrumental, then an operatic vocal. [Conti-NH]
- 936 **SPAIN** *RNE5* synchros JAN 4 0034 – Fair; talk parallel 1107 kHz. [Conti-NH]
- 1062 **ITALY** *Rai Radiouno* synchros JAN 4 2300 – Fair; sign-off with orchestral national anthem, then clock/test tones until signal cut at 2301 UTC. [Conti-NH]
- 1089 **UNITED KINGDOM** *TalkSport* synchros JAN 3 2336 – Good; telephone talk with “European football expert.” [Conti-NH]
- 1098 **SPAIN** *RNE5* synchros JAN 4 0024 – Fair with synchro echo; talk parallel 1107 kHz. [Conti-NH]
- 1116 **SPAIN** *SER R.Pontevedra*, Pontevedra JAN 4 2258 – Fair; *R.Pontevedra* local break with Elvis bumper music leading up to time signal and Cadena Ser ID. [Conti-NH]
- 1134 **CROATIA** *Hrvatske Radio*, Zadar JAN 3 2300 – Good; signature ‘slow’ time signal, “Hrvatske Radio” with fanfare into news. At 2340 loud and clear with Spanish news program, quick flourish between items. JAN 4 2150 – Excellent s9 signal; pop/rock music. [Conti-NH]

Pan-American DX

- 540 **MEXICO** XETX Nuevo Casas Grandes, Chih. DEC 29 0614 – Ho hum, another night, and as soon as I tune in, hear ID for “La Ranchera de Paquimé,” i.e. 5 kW XETX, also 90.5 FM. No doubt IDs are frequent making this not so strange. And again, when I null it, no XEWA SLP to be heard, but instead CBK Watrous in English as quickly confirmed by parallel 990 CBW Winnipeg. DEC 30 0704 – For the fourth time recently, immediately upon random tune-in, here comes an ID for “La Ranchera de Paquimé.” Not so dominant at the moment, but still nothing recognizable from XEWA further east. [Hauser-OK]
- 700 **MEXICO** XEETCH *La Voz de los Tres Rios*, Navojoa, Son. DEC 31 1314 – Only signal is weak Spanish, 6:15 time check, i.e. UTC-7. Sounds like this strangely-named one I have heard before, per Cantú, alluding to another town, Etchojoa: XEETCH which is an indigenous station with native languages, IRCA reminds us. The rustic fiddle and guitar tune I also heard fits too. In summer the UTC-7 would clinch it, but in winter, also on UTC-7 instead of -6 is a bigger-city possibility I doubt: XEGD *La Poderosa* + FM 90.3 Hidalgo del Parral, Chih. which I may never have heard. Consult this handy map of Mexican timezones and oddities: www.worldtimezone.com/time-mexico12.php. Then at 1320, WLW is fading in again with ID. [Hauser-OK]
- 750 **MEXICO** XECSI *Extasis Digital*, Culiacán, Sin. DEC 31 1310 – Noticias del estado de Sinaloa, mentioned more than once, political discussion, co-channel interference; federal PSA vs drunk driving at fin del año; then announcement in English about New Year’s, Digital FM; then 89.5 pronounced in Spanish. What does Cantú say? XECSI + FM 89.5 Culiacán, Sin. 5,000 250. So is it really on day power long before sunrise even here in Enid? [Hauser-OK]

- 780 **MEXICO** XEWGR Monclava, Coah. DEC 22 0301 – Faded up with modern Spanish music, “Los Exa” slogan, into ID by man and woman, “Escuchando, Exa FM; XHWGR, 101.1; transmitiendo con diez mil wats de potencia; desde Puebla y Washington, Colonia Guadalupe, Coahuila, Mexico...” The announcement may have mentioned the AM side but it got lost in the noise. [Vance-TX]
- 790 **CUBA** *R.Relej*, Pinar del Río and Holguín DEC 22 0313 – Ticks and Morse code ‘RR’ cut through the interference of several stations and partially-phased local 800 XEROK. [Vance-TX]
- 790 **MEXICO** XEBI Aguascalientes, Ags. DEC 22 0316 – Caught ID by a man, “Escuche XEBI... 790 AM... XHBI... con cinco mil wats de potencia... Aguascalientes, México...” into announcement by a woman. Poor. [Vance-TX]
- 800 unID DEC 30 0647 – Extremely distorted modulation, which we usually hear only around sunrise. Got a good DF on it, about 195°, separable from Bott gospel huxter OKC. Not much from XEROK which normally occupies the KQCV null; problems there? So the distortion again points to one of the northeast Mexicans, XEDD in Montemorelos NL, supposedly a daytimer, or more likely XEZR in Zaragoza, Coah., somewhat further west. I renew my call for DXers in the groundwave area of these to confirm which it is. It’s a recurrent if not constant problem. Where are you, Steve Wiseblood, when we need you? [Hauser-OK]
- 880 **MEXICO** XEAAA Santa Ana Tepetitlan, Jal. DEC 31 1127 – Faded up during “Angie” by Rolling Stones into ID using “X-E-Triple-A” by man and woman, also mentioning Promomedios Radio, then into “Shout” by Tears for Fears. Poor-fair in KRVN phase with another Spanish signal lurking in there. [Vance-TX]
- 900 **MEXICO** XEOK Guadalupe, NL DEC 9 1203 – Noted with announcements by a man and woman, into ID, “XEOK AM, OK Noticias, novcientos AM...” Address in Colonia Libertad given, 10,000 watts and ACIR network mentioned. Followed by some Mexican dance tune. Good in lull of XEW. [Vance-TX]
- 1060 **MEXICO** XEEP México, DF DEC 9 1155 – Poor to fair with BBD music, ID on the hour, “XEEP, Radio Educación...” into talk, station promos and other announcements. [Vance-TX]
- 1090 **MEXICO** XEAU Monterrey, NL DEC 30 0610 – Música romántica en inglés, loops north/south, full ID in Spanish I wasn’t expecting, including *Milenio Radio*, 103.7, CST time check and temp. Therefore it is XEAU, 5/0.25 kW per IRCA. [Hauser-OK]
- 1250 **MEXICO** XESJ Saltillo, Coah. DEC 30 1122 – In at varying degrees with norteñas and frequent time checks featuring a couple of distinctive rooster crows. ID also mentioned station is part of Grupo RCG. [Vance-TX]
- 1370 **MEXICO** XEMON Guadalupe, NL DEC 16 0020 – Ads (Banco de México for one), followed by woman with ID, “Escuche XEMON, 1370 amplitud modulada; Radio Fórmula Monterrey...” mentioned 10,000 watts, into a news program. Poor with fading. [Vance-TX]
- 1370 **MEXICO** XEGNK Nuevo Laredo, Tamps. DEC 16 0100 – Faded in with marimba music, ID at 0103, “Música con sabor, con sabora México; Fiesta Mexicana, 1370 AM digital...” mentioned 5000 watts and Radiorama network; then back into music. Fair at best but faded back into a mix with XEMON. [Vance-TX]
- 1390 **MEXICO** XEKT Tecate, BCN DEC 22 0035 – Faded up with ad by woman into ID by alternating man and woman, “Desde Tecate, Baja California, México; XHKT, 88.5 FM; XEKT, 1390 AM; la súper KT...” into rapidly fading talk. Came back up at 0043 with ad followed by promo, “Noticias, informacion... 1390 AM, La Súper KT; 88.5 FM.” Poor under unID Spanish. [Vance-TX]
- 1470 **MEXICO** XERCN Tijuana, BCN DEC 26 0102 – Soft music interlude into ID on the hour by man, “XERCN, UniRadio 1470, La Voz de la Gente, con mil wats de potencia; transmitiendo desde Manual Márquez de León 950, Zona Río, en Tijuana, México,” into season’s greetings then local Tijuana/San Diego news. [Vance-TX]
- 2910 **MEXICO** unID DEC 28 1137 – Couldn’t sleep so gave up and turned on the radio, to find what must be a third harmonic of 970 kHz. At 1200 mentions diciembre, but no Mexican national anthem. 1203, clear time check as “6 de la mañana con 2 minutos,” so it’s in the UTC-6:01 zone, hi. At 1220 fading up again, mentions “Colonia Salinas”(?). 1226 callsign in passing sounds like XEDP, but last two letters could be any phonetically similar combination. 1229 time check for 6:29. The only phonetic match on 970 in IRCA and Cantú is XEVT. Colonia? Finally found a list of them for Villahermosa, 180 with postal codes and there is no Salinas, but maybe this is what I heard: “Sabina Centro Tabasco 86153.” It seems there is a Colonia Salinas in Zacatecas where there is also a 970 station, but that rules out its callsign: XEZAZ which also has a ballad/romantic music format, no fit. DEC 29 0559 – Once again it’s the morning man and woman chat show. Very poor signal, and all I can copy are la jota, estado del tiempo, colonia. I’m quite sure it’s Mexican, prime suspect XEVT. But are there any 970 stations which might be called *La Jota*? Yes, XEJ in Juárez, but that’s on UTC-7

while I was definitely hearing -6 timechex. There are two other Mexicans with a J in their 4-letter calls. Still not enough info. Of course there could be two harmonix on 2970, one being from XEJ, but the chances of that are remote. DEC 31 1205 – Woman with “buenos días”; man handles the timechex, “6 de la mañana, 5 minutos” = UTC-6. 1215 man and woman alternate talk; mentions Juárez. 1245 fading down and I give up for today, but then tune around and find another harmonic on 2660, q.v. [Hauser-OK]

Hauser transpacific carrier searches: DEC 28 1322-1329 after first finding one on 747, stepping the DX-398 in USB with slightly offset BFO producing a low pitch to be recognized at 9 kHz intervals not too covered by NAM signals, found all these: 585, 594, 603, 693, 702, 738, 747, 774, 828, 873, 972, 1053, 1278, 1287, 1314, 1323, 1332, 1566 kHz. Today’s Enid sunrise will be 1342, only two minutes from the latest of the year next week. DEC 29 1323+: 702, 738, 747, 774, 828, 1566 kHz. 738 was briefly strongest, and more westerly than NW, as weaker 702 may also have been. Standard suppositions are that 702 is Australia, 738 Tahiti; 747, 774 and 828 the big NHK stations in Japan; and 1566 Korea South FEBC. These are all routine on the west coast, but it’s a major morning if we ever pull any audio from them here in deep North America.

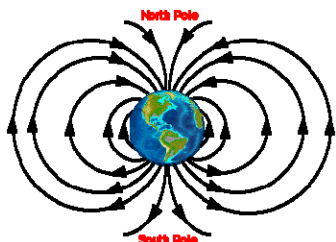
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Robert Vance, El Paso TX; WiNRADiO G3DDC, 12 x 9-ft terminated corner-fed north and east loops, 12 x 7-ft east-west indoor loop with TG-1 gizmo, 6 x 4-ft multiturn indoor loop on second floor oriented north-south.

73 and Good DX!



Geomagnetic Indices

Geomagnetic Summary December 2012

Via Phil Bytheway – Tabulated from email status daily.

Date	Flux	A	K	Space Weather	12/16	120	5	1	no storms
12/1	102	4	2	no storms	12/17	120	5	2	no storms
2	x	x	x	x	18	116	6	1	no storms
3	97	3	1	no storms	19	113	4	1	no storms
4	96	6	1	no storms	20	114	7	2	no storms
5	96	2	1	no storms	21	115	4	0	no storms
6	97	1	1	no storms	22	115	2	0	no storms
7	97	1	0	no storms	23	114	2	0	no storms
8	101	1	0	no storms	24	114	2	2	no storms
9	101	1	1	no storms	25	113	3	0	no storms
10	104	3	1	no storms	26	113	3	0	no storms
11	104	2	1	no storms	27	110	3	0	no storms
12	112	2	0	no storms	28	106	2	1	no storms
13	112	2	1	no storms	29	109	2	0	no storms
14	119	3	1	no storms	30	107	4	2	no storms
15	122	7	2	no storms	12/31	114	1	1	no storms

NOAA Space Weather Outlook

Issued December 31 – For the period December 31, 2012-January 26, 2013

Solar activity is expected to be at low levels with a chance of isolated M-class flares throughout the period (31 December – 26 January).

No proton events are expected at geosynchronous orbit.

The greater than 2 MeV electron flux at geosynchronous orbit is expected to be at background levels throughout the period.

Geomagnetic field activity is expected to be predominately quiet with a chance for unsettled conditions on 01-02, and 10 January with positive polarity coronal hole high speed streams.

(From <http://www.swpc.noaa.gov/ftpdir/weekly/WKHF.txt>)

DX Tool Box

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Improving your DX skills – tips from new and veteran members

Greetings once again from the Heart of the Continent and welcome to the DX Tool Box Column number 46, the first column of 2013.

This Month's Radio Saying: George is a radio announcer, and when he walks under a bridge ... you can't hear him talk.

SDR Loggings and Tips Received:

SDR logs from October 3, 2012 1825-2005 ELT using WiNRADiO G33DDC SDR RX with Eavesdropper 43 foot multiband antenna running E to W.

- 530 CIAO ON Brampton – Mixing with talk and Cuba. Man at 1959: “This is Ciao (said as the word “chow”) AM 5-30. Multicultural radio for Brampton, Toronto ... and the world wide web ... AM 530 dot ca.”
- 540 UnID -- Radio Misión – Unsure of location, mixing with WGOP and talk. Man at 1850 in Spanish: “Radio Misión.”
- 550 WSVA VA Harrisonburg – Mixing with WGR and adult standards. Man at 1830: “Local news covered, written and reported by our very own news reporters. That’s what makes us news radio 5-50 WSVA” into news.
- 560 WGAI NC Elizabeth City – Mixing with WFRB, CFOS, and religious. Man at 2000: “More of Michael Savage and the Savage Nation afternoons on news radio 5-60 WGAI.”
- CFOS ON Owen Sound – Mixing with WFRB, WGAI, and religious. Man at 1854: “5-40 CFOS the oldies you want, the info you need. A Bayshore Broadcasting ...” into Archies “Sugar, Sugar.”
- 570 WMCA NY New York – Mixing with WSPZ, WKBN, baseball, and R. Reloj. Man at 1926: “AM 5-70 WMCA New York’s Christian talk.”
- 580 CFRA ON Ottawa – Mixing with WHP, WCHS, WGAC, and singing. Man at 1857: “News talk radio 5-80 CFRA”
- 590 WARM PA Scranton – Mixing with CJCL and WEZE. WARM with oldies. At 1932 ET jingle: “5-90 WARM.” Man at 2101: “WARM Scranton.”
- 600 WSJS NC Winston-Salem – Mixing with WCAO, oldies and Spanish. Woman at 1945: “AM 6 hundred WSJS and online at WSJS dot com”
- 620 WSNR NJ Jersey City – Mixing with WHEN, oldies, and religious talk. Man at 1900: “This is AM 6-20 WSNR Jersey City.”
- WHEN NY Syracuse – Mixing with WSNR, oldies, and religious talk. Man at 1829: “New York Yankees baseball on ‘Power AM 6-20’ and news talk 106 point 9 and 5-70 WSYR Syracuse.”
- 640 WFNC NC Fayetteville – Mixing with WHLO, WXSM, and WWJZ. Man at 1936: “From the studios of ... this is news talk 6-40 WFNC Fayetteville.”
- WXSM TN Blountsville – Mixing with WHLO, WFNC, and WWJZ. Man at 1855: “... Fox sports WXSM”
- 680 CFTR ON Toronto – Mixing with WPTF, WCBM, and oldies. At 1836 promo for shows on CBC tonight. Ad for “Apple Harbor in Toronto.”
- 690 CKGM QC Montreal – Mixing with WELD, WOKV, WZAP, and other singing. Man at 1901: “50000 watts of ‘Go Team Go.’ CKGM 6-90 AM TSN 6-90. A division of Bell Media.”
- 1600 WMCR NY Oneida – Mixing with WJSA, WPDC, WWRL, singing, and Spanish. Man at 2000: “This is the CNY (said as the word ‘sienna’) news talk ... WMCR.”
- WJSA PA Jersey Shore – Mixing with WMCR, WPDC, WWRL, singing, and Spanish. Man at 1929: “This is Michael ... WJSA 96 point 3 FM AM 16 hundred ... WLIX”
- 1710 WQFC689 NJ – Health and safety station, cannot find in FCC database. Man at 1921: “WQFC689 owned and operated by Hudson County New Jersey.” Giving hurricane tips and other safety tips.

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Bits and Bites from the NRC listserv:

From: Mark Connelly markwa1ion@aol.com

Subject: [NRC-AM] way back machine: narrated highlights of 1975-1976 DX season (+ more)

I've been playing around with some free or cheap large-file web storage providers. Today I uploaded some material to a newly-created 'box.com' account. One file is a narrated account of some of my 1975-1976 transatlantic medium wave loggings made at the "Willis Pond Beverage Site" in Sudbury, MA. A few of you may have ancient cassette copies that I distributed shortly after the account was taped. Some of the DX audio clips therein are a bit muddy and compressed because of the less-than-professional Panasonic cassette recorder employed. Nonetheless some of the clips, like the crusher German signal on 1586, blast right through at near-entertainment quality thanks to the R-390A and Beverages in use at a pine-forest location looking downhill northeastward into a sizable open marsh at the west end of the pond. Link =

<http://www.box.com/s/orbdv6uru6ty4156ikm0>

For those who haven't seen this previously, here are some links to big files uploaded to another storage site 'MediaFire.com': Telephone interviews that occurred during and right after the 1991 Newfoundland DX'pedition: Live from Cappahayden, Newfoundland phone interview (Nov. 1991):

http://www.mediafire.com/file/omdbj4zw84imzb4/live_from_cappahayden_nov1991.mp3

Post-Newfie-1991 interview (Karl Zuk and Mark Connelly)

http://www.mediafire.com/file/ddutyct7yov2igz/post_newfie91_interview_zuk_connelly.mp3

RF capture files (these require appropriate decoding software): Perseus file of 630-1430 kHz : Duxbury, MA : 11 NOV 2010 : 2200 UTC

http://www.mediafire.com/file/k0zxvd3do1yevdd/P_20101111_2200z_630-1430.wav

SDR-IQ Spectravue file of 675-865 kHz : Rockport, MA : 23 APR 2008 : 0100 UTC

http://www.mediafire.com/file/ai6tw7f1fi7kajl/S_20080423_0058-0107z_675-865.wav

SDR-IQ Spectravue file of 530-720 kHz : Rockport, MA : 8 OCT 2008 : 2300 UTC

http://www.mediafire.com/file/89djh01kkltct2zt/S_20081008_2256-2305z_530-720.wav

Have fun! (Hope to see some of you at the BADX dinner tomorrow.) Mark Connelly, WA1ION South Yarmouth, Cape Cod, MA

From: Bill Whitacre bw@his.com

Subject: Quoddy House DX'pedition - Dec. 1-8, 2012

Results from a DX'pedition to Quoddy House, near Lubec, Maine, from December 1-8 can be found here: <http://realmonitor.com/am_logs_QH3.php> Best results were found with an extended DKAZ antenna pointing at 60 deg with Rt = 820 Ohms. After freezing my fingers and wearing out my hips oh how I long for a remotely variable Rt! No Alaska logging this year. ;-) ... but I was surprised to find a few TP receptions that produced audio and came in better on the 60 deg antenna than one I had up briefly pointing 330 deg -- 'right at' Asia! Must have something to do with the auroral donut, time of year and sunspot cycle. Anyway, my logs are presented as sound samples rather than written text. Bill Whitacre Alexandria, VA

This Month's DX Tool Box Web Site is:

William Hepburn's DX Information Centre at <http://www.dxinfocentre.com/index.html>

This site has many sections to it that provide information that all DX'ers can use. There is an excellent LW Broadcast section to help with those stations from 153 to 272 kHz. Also included are great lists for these and other types of stations:

Time Signals

Beacons on Longwave

Marine and Aviation

Weather Frequencies

Tropospheric Ducting for you FM VHF UHF DX'ers

The site gets updated on a regular basis so you can keep track of changes and help by contributing what you may have heard to help everyone out.

73 for this time Shawn

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Mutiny on the Bounty

Sam Dellit (VK1DXA)

Since my earliest years of DXing, I'd always been intrigued by reports of DXers taking receivers and loop antennas on cruises. By checking out reception with unimpeded sea water paths in all directions, they were emulating the radio propagation research of the US Navy in the early 1900s. The more technically inclined will remember the development of the Austin-Cohen formula for estimating ground wave field strength and how that in turn laid the basis for the development of the theory of radiofrequency wave propagation at low and medium frequencies.

So when a decision was made to do a cruise of the South Pacific, a briefcase packed with a Perseus SDR, HP laptop and Seagate 3TB external hard drive was included with the luggage. Pam and I had signed up for 16 nights on the P&O Pacific Jewel, 7-23 October. Itinerary included Noumea, 3 ports in Fiji, 3 ports in Tonga and Norfolk Island. The cruise was themed on the Mutiny on the Bounty; sailing over the recorded location of the mutiny itself (west of Tonga); a scenic cruise around Tofua Island where Bligh set footfall after the mutiny and where he made his decision to sail directly to the Dutch East Indies; and finally a day on Norfolk Island, where many of the descendants of the Bounty mutineers were relocated to from Pitcairn Island in 1856.

The excitement started even before we boarded the ship. The Perseus and peripherals came close to being confiscated immediately prior to embarkation. Sydney security staff took one look at the Xray of my briefcase and called in the dogs. The sight of small coils of coax cable, common-mode chokes, impedance matching transformers and the like must have set off a chorus of alarm bells. A flat cardboard box with Perseus, preamplifiers and small batteries secured with cable ties and a host of interconnecting cables, I could see in hindsight, bore an uncanny resemblance to a homemade bomb. Over the next 45 minutes, I was grilled at length on the nature and purpose of each and every item. Fortunately, I had come equipped with my work security pass and a copy of my amateur radio licence. At one stage there were 6 security staff surrounding me. Prospects of cruise DX dimmed rapidly until Benny, P&O's chief of security arrived on the scene. Benny was a former marine radio operator and spoke my language. In the end only a small toolset was confiscated and the essential gear accompanied us to our cabin.

Despite all the initial trauma, DXing was not high on the agenda as part of the cruise. We spent a lot of time dancing on the several dance floors of the ship, watching the entertainment shows, and walked for hours checking out each of the ports we visited, (Noumea, Nandi / Port Denarau, Suva, Dravuni Island, Nuku'alofa, Neiafu, Kingston). But most non-port sunsets I would grab the Sangean ATS-909 and pop out to the viewing platform on level 10 at the bow of the ship for 15 minutes of listening to the Pacific Islands stations (558, 666, 729, 1017, 1152, 1566) and the odd Hawaiian and North American on AM. On two evenings around midnight, I strung out 20 metres of wire across the sunbathing platform on level 10 at the stern of the ship and set up the Perseus for spectrum recordings. With almost 3000 persons onboard, the pedestrian traffic and ship security precluded any chance of sunset Perseus DX.

The following logs are all for around 1200z (+/- 2 minutes) on 15 October 2012. The ship was about 150km south of Tofua Island in the Tonga Group headed south for Nuku'alofa on Tongatapu. There's not much startling DX but

it does give a good picture of semi-local reception in the region on the AM band. Absence of a directional antenna ensured constant low level splash from ANZ stations while absence of an electrical ground on the heavily marine painted deck made it impossible to properly ground and common-mode isolate the antenna from the laptop with frequent switch-mode spurs throughout the AM band. Once things settle down at work, I will post the spectrum recordings to the cloud in case anyone would like to experience AM radio from Tonga. Enjoy.

531 "531 PI", Auckland, NZL, exc 1200z w/another way under, w/island mx 1159, then Pacific language anct

540 "New Zealand's Rhema", New Plymouth+Tauranga synchros, NZL, exc 1200z, w/promo 1202z "Have you ever jumped in the car and flicked on the radio and caught the tail end of an interview or segment that sounded exactly like something you wanted to hear more of, it's rough when you miss out, but you don't need to, a lot of our interviews and segments can be listened to online at rhema.co.nz, so next time you don't get the full story, head to



Sam enduring the harsh DX conditions at Neiafu while logging the local FM stations on the Sangean.

- www.rhema.co.nz and catch up on what you missed. Keeping you up to date on New Zealand's Rhema"
- R.2AP, Apia, Samoa, no evidence of this station, Rhema just too strong
- 549 "New Zealand's Rhema", Kaitaia, NZL, gd 1200z mxd/Trackside + another, w/contemporary Christian music
R. Trackside, Napier-Hastings, NZL, gd 1200z mxd Rhema + another, w/horse racing commentary
- 550 KMVI, Wailuku, Hawaii, pr 1200z, pres. this w/solid carrier and audio at times, too weak to ID
- 558 R. Fiji 1, Naulu, FJI, gd 1200z o/7BU + NZL, island mx then ID
7BU, Burnie, Tas, fr 1200z u/FJI & mxd/NZL, w/local ads
R. Sport, Invercargill, NZL, pr 1200z u/FJI & mxd 7BU, w/sports talk
- 560 Unid NA, pr 1200z, w/solid carrier & occasional audio
- 567 RNZ National, Wellington, NZL, exc 1200z o/another, w/6 1kHz time pips then ID before nx
1200 "Radio New Zealand news at 1 o'clock, (Maori phrase), good morning, I'm Lloyd Scott"
- 576 2RN, Sydney, AUS, gd 1200z mxd "The Word", w/nx
"The Word", Hamilton, NZL, fair 1200z mxd 2RN, w/relig tlk
- 580 KMJ, Fresno, California, pr 1200z u/switchmode QRM, w/tlk
- 585 7RN, Hobart, Tas, gd 1200z o/switchmode noise, w/talk & several mentions of "RN"
- 590 KSSK, Honolulu, Hawaii, pr 1200z, presume this, weak audio through switchmode spurs
- 594 NZ's Rhema, Timaru+Wanganui synchros, NZL, fr 1200z o/another, w/EZL christian mx
3WV, Horsham, Vic, gd 1200z mxd/Rhema, w/talk and several ABC mentions
- 603 R. Waatea, Manukau, NZL, gd 1200z o/2RN, w/island mx & Maori chants
2RN, Nowra, NSW, gd 1200z mxd/Waatea, w/talk and "RN" mentions
- 610 KEAR, San Francisco, California, pr 1200z, presume this w/solid carrier and some weak audio
- 612 4QR, Brisbane, Qld, exc 1200z o/Rhema, canned promo "at 6-12 we're into it while the other breakie shows are still asleep, reporting the news, interviews, what's going on in Brisbane, breakfast from 5 weekday mornings on 6-12 ABC Brisbane"
NZ's Rhema, Christchurch, NZL, fr 1200z u/4QR, EZL christian mx
- 620 KHNU, Honolulu, Hawaii, pr 1200z no ID, solid carrier + weak audio at times
- 621 3RN, Melbourne, AUS, gd 1200z o/Rhema, w/ABC nx
NZ's Rhema, Dunedin+Whangarei synchros, NZL, gd 1200z u/3RN
- 630 4QN, Townsville, AUS, gd 1200z mxd/2PB+RNZ, w/ABC nx
2PB, "ABC NewsRadio", Sydney, AUS, gd 1200z mxd/2 others, w/ABC nx
RNZ National, Napier-Hastings, NZL, gd 1200z mxd/2 others
- 639 2HC, Coffs Harbour, AUS, exc 1200z o/another, w/ spot for Doust & Fitzgerald Ford Dorrigo, then canned ID 1200z "Complete news and information for the Coffs Coast, 2HC 6-39 AM, FM 100.5", always good to hear this stn since I planned the AM freq around 1980, then the FM translator a few years ago
RNZ National, Alexandra, NZL, pr 1200z u/2HC, w/talk
- 640 KFI, Los Angeles, California, gd 1200z o/switchmode noise, w/talk
- 648 2NU, Tamworth, AUS, gd 1200z o/another, ABC nx
- 650 KRTR, Honolulu, Hawaii, fair to gd w/deep fades 1200z, EZL format, canned ID 1202
"Continuous relaxing easy favourites, on the all new 6-50 AM, KR-TR AM Honolulu"
- 657 Southern Star, Wellington+Tauranga synchros, NZL, exc 1200z o/another, w/canned ID by MA at 1201 "great music, good company and a message of hope, Southern Star"
- 666 R. Nouvelle Caledonie, Noumea, NCL, gd 1200z o/another, w/FF tlk
2CN, Canberra, ACT, fr 1200z u/NCL, w/ABC nx theme and into nx
- 670 KPUA, Hilo, Hawaii, pr 1200z, pres. this w/some audio in talk
- 675 RNZ National, Christchurch, NZL gd 1200z o/another, w/6 1kHz time pips then ID before nx
@ 1200 "Radio New Zealand news at 1 o'clock, (Maori), good morning, I'm Lloyd Scott"
2CO, Corowa, NSW, gd 1200z mxd/RNZ, w/Nightlife px before nx
- 684 2KP, Kempsey, NSW, gd 1200z o/NZL, w/ABC nx
NZ's Rhema, Gisborne, NZL, fr 1200z u/2KP, w/contemporary Christian mx
- 690 KHNR, Honolulu, Hawaii, fr 1200z o/another, w/Fox Sports Radio
- 693 3AW, Melbourne, Vic, exc 1200z o/another, w/canned IDs "Talking Melbourne" & "3AW 6-9-3 News"
4KQ, Brisbane, Qld, pr 1200z u/3AW, w/talk
- 702 Livesport, Auckland, NZL, gd mxd 2BL w/canned ID @ 1200 "Radio Live, entertaining talk & news as it happens"
2BL, Sydney, NSW, gd 1200z u/Livesport, w/ABC nx

- 710 KIRO, Seattle, Washington, pr 1200z, w/talk
- 711 4QW, St George, Qld, fr 1200z o/another, w/ABC nx
- 720 RNZ National, Invercargill, NZL, exc 1200z o/KUAI, w/RNZ nx
KUAI, Eleele, Hawaii, fr 1200z u/RNZ, nx
- 729 R. Sport, Whangarei, NZL, exc 1200z o/NCL, w/relay Fox Sports Network, canned promo
1200 "This is Tim McCarver and you are listening to the best MLBC coverage on the radio.
We are Fox Sports Radio", no local ID
R. Nouvelle Calédonie, Touho-Popome, NCL, gd 1200z mxd/R. Sport, FF sports nx 1200
- 738 Livesport, Christchurch, NZL, pr 1200z u/2NR, w/canned ID "Radio Live, entertaining talk
and news, as it happens" then into nx
2NR, Grafton, NSW, gd 1200z, w/ABC nx
R. 1ère Polynésie, Papeete, French Polynesia, pr 1200z u/2NR + NZL, w/FF talk
- 740 KCBS, San Francisco, California, fr 1200z, w/nx
- 747 Newstalk ZB, Rotorua, NZL, gd 1200z o/another, w/breakout for local spot for chicken store
in Rotorua Supermall, then networked px resumed for canned promo before 1200 nx
4QS, Toowoomba, Qld, gd 1200z mxd/ZB + another, w/ID for "ABC Local Radio
Queensland" then into ABC nx
- 750 Unid NA, pr 1200z
- 756 RNZ National, Auckland, NZL, exc 1200z o/another, tlk px w/6 time pips across talk
- 760 KGU, Honolulu, Hawaii, gd 1200z, canned ID "KGU Honolulu"
- 765 R. Kahungunu, Napier-Hastings, NZL, gd 1200z o/another, island mx
- 774 3LO, Melbourne, Vic, exc 1200z 0/Sport + 4TOO, w/canned ID by FA "774 ABC Melbourne,
on radio, on line and on digital", then ABC nx theme and into nx by John Hall
R. Sport, New Plymouth, NZL, fair 1200z u/3LO, w/relay Fox Sports Network, canned promo
1200 "This is Tim McCarver and you are listening to the best MLBC coverage on the radio.
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Likely 4TOO, Townsville, Qld, very poor 1200z u/3LO + Sport, likely this
- 783 Access Radio, Wellington, NZL, exc 1200z, w/promo "Community Zone, Monday to
Thursday, 5 to 6 pm on Wellington Access Radio, 783 AM"
- 790 KKON, Kealakekua, Hawaii, pr 1200z, presumed this w/solid carrier and some audio
- 792 R. Sport, Hamilton, NZL, gd 1200z o/4QG, w/relay Fox Sports Network, canned promo 1200
"This is Tim McCarver and you are listening to the best MLBC coverage on the radio. We are
Fox Sports Radio"
4QG, Brisbane, Qld, fr 1200z u/R. Sport, w/ABC nx
- 801 NZ's Rhema, Nelson, NZL, fr 1200z o/asian, w/Christian contemporary mx
- 810 RNZ National, Dunedin, NZL, gd 1200z o/2BA, w/nx
2BA, Bega, NSW, gd 1200z u/RNZ, w/ABC nx
- 819 RNZ National, Tauranga, NZL, gd 1200z o/2GL w/nx
2GL, Glen Innes, NSW, gd 1200z u/RNZ, w/ABC nx
- 828 R. Trackside, Palmerston North, NZL, gd 1200z o/3GI, w/horse racing commentary
3GI, Sale, Vic, fr 1200z u/NZL, w/ABC nx
- 830 KHVH, Honolulu, Hawaii, fr 1200z, splash 828 w/talk
- 837 RNZ National, Kaitaia+Whangarei synchros, NZL, exc 1200z o/4RK, w/6 1kHz time pips then
ID before nx at 1200 "Radio New Zealand news at 1 o'clock, (Maori phrase), good morning,
I'm Lloyd Scott"
4RK, Rockhampton, Qld, pr 1200z u/RNZ, w/ABC nx
- 846 2CY, Canberra, ACT, exc 1200z o/ZB, w/ABC nx
Newstalk ZB, Masterton, NZL, pr 1200z u/2CY, w/nx
- 850 KHLO, Hilo, Hawaii, pr 1200z, w/tlk
- 855 NZ's Rhema, Hamilton, NZL, gd 1200z o/another, w/Christian contemporary mx
- 860 KTRB, San Francisco, California, fr 1200z o/another, ranchera mx & SS ancts
- 864 Newstalk ZB, Invercargill, NZL, gd 1200z o/another, breakout for local spot then network nx
- 873 2GB, Sydney, NSW, gd 1200z o/ZB + Trackside, w/Macquarie National News
Newstalk ZB, Ashburton, NZL, fr 1200z u/2GB + mxd/Trackside, w/nx
R. Trackside, Tauranga, NZL, gd 1200z u/2GB+ mxd ZB, w/horse racing commentary
- 880 KHCM, Honolulu, Hawaii, fr 1200z o/another, w/tlk
- 882 Southern Star, Auckland, NZL, exc 1200z o/another, w/canned ID by MA at 1201 "great
music, good company and a message of hope, Southern Star"
- 891 TAB, Townsville, Qld, gd 1200z o/another, horse racing talk
- 900 7AD, Devonport, Tas, gd 1200z, mxd/2 others, w/promo "just go to 7AD.com.au and click on
..."
- 909 Southern Star, Napier, NZL, gd 1200z o/another, w/spot then EZL Christian mx

- 918 RNZ National, New Plymouth+Timaru synchros, NZL, gd 1200z o/another, w/nx
- 927 Newstalk ZB, Palmerston North, NZL, gd 1200z, w/talk
- 936 Chinese Voice, Waiuku, NZL, gd 1200z, w/CC tlk
- 940 KFIG, Fresno, California, gd 1200z in clear, w/ESPN pxing, new callsign and format ex KYNO, see also KYNO 1430 directing listeners to this new frequency for ESPN
- 945 Newstalk ZB, Gisborne, NZL, fr 1200z mxd/another, w/canned network ID
- 950 Weak NA, pr 1200z, solid carrier and audio at times, no chance of ID
- 954 R. Trackside, Hamilton, NZL, exc 1200z o/Coast + 2UE, w/horse racing commentary Coast, Dunedin, NZL, pr u/Trackside & mxd 2UE, w/easy listening 2UE, Sydney, NSW, pr 1200 u/2 NZ, w/talk
- 960 KNEW, Oakland, California, fr at times 1200, pres this w/talk
- 963 4WK, Warwick, Qld, gd 1200 mxd/NZL, w/ID then into nx
Southern Star, Christchurch, NZL, gd 1200 mxd/4WK, w/canned ID "Great music, good company and a message of hope, Southern Star"
- 970 Weak NA, fr at times 1200z, too weak to ID
- 972 2MW, Murwillumbah, NSW, gd 1200z over Rhema and JJ?, w/ID "News, talk, sport and music, you're tuned to the Coast's most entertaining station, Radio 97", then into nx "New Zealand's Rhema", Wellington, NZL, poor 1200 u/2MW & mxd JJ?, w/promo 1202z HLCA, Dangjin, KOR, pres. this poor in JJ 1200z under 2MW & mxd/Rhema
- 980 Weak NA, fr at times 1200z, too weak to ID
- 981 RNZ National, Kaikohe, NZL, gd 1200z mxd another, w/nx
Southern Star, Timaru, NZL, pr 1200z mxd/2NM u/RNZ, canned ID then Christian contemporary mx
2NM, Muswellbrook, NSW, pr 1200z mxd/Sth Star u/RNZ, w/oldies
- 990 R. Apna, Auckland, NZL, gd HH 1200z o/4RO + KIKI, w/Indian mx then HH ancts incl Bollywood style jingle "Radio Apna, totally yours"
4RO, Rockhampton, Qld, fr 1200z mxd/KIKI u/Apna, w/nx
KIKI, Honolulu, Hawaii, fr 1200z mxd 4RO u/Apna, w/talk
- 999 Access Manawatu, Palmerston North, NZL, gd 1200z mxd 2ST, w/BBC WS nx
2ST, Nowra, NSW, fr 1200z mxd NZL, w/nx
- 1008 Newstalk ZB, Tauranga, NZL, exc 1200z over another, local ad 1159 for "Acorn Foundation" then 1200 network nx
4TAB, Brisbane, NSW, fr 1200z u/ZB, w/horse racing commentary
- 1017 2KY, Sydney, NSW, exc 1158z o/another, w/canned ID by FA "Here, there, everywhere, you are listening to Sky Sports Radio, number one in racing", then into racing commentary
- 1020 KTNQ, Los Angeles, California, fr 1200z o/another, w/canned ID 1200
- 1026 Newstalk ZB, Kaitia+Whangarei "synchros", NZL, exc 1200z o/another, w/talk till 1158:30 then into local ads incl Thomson Bagley Auctions, audio echoing about half second behind, clearly out of synch
- 1030 XESDD, "La Tremenda", Puerto Nueva, Mexico, pr 1200z, pres. this w/SS tlk
- 1035 Newstalk ZB, Wellington, NZL, exc 1200z o/another, w/talk till 1158:30 then into local ads incl Rutherford & Bond Toyota, into network nx
2EA, Wollongong, NSW, fr 1200z u/ZB, w/jingles for "SBS Pop Asia" px
- 1040 KLHT, Honolulu, Hawaii, gd at times 1200z but long deep fades, w/ID K-Light after light mx
- 1044 Newstalk ZB, Dunedin, NZL, gd 1200z o/another, w/local spot "Beaumont & Bridgemount Optometrists, opposite the post office South Dunedin", then canned ID for Newstalk ZB by MA, then into network news
- 1050 KTCT, San Mateo, California, gd at times 1200z but deep fades, w/ESPN sports coverage
- 1053 Newstalk ZB, New Plymouth, NZL, gd 1200z o/another, w/canned EE ID 1200 "Wake up w/Hosking, drive home with Williams, THE names in talk radio, on THE name in talk radio, Newstalk ZB" then into news
Anti-Imperialist National Democratic Front, Haeju, DPRK, gd at times 1200z mxd/ZB and ROK jammers, w/KK talk and military marches
- 1060 Weak NA, pr 1200z, solid carrier w/audio at times but no chance to ID
- 1062 R. Sport, Wanganui, NZL, fr 1200z o/another, w/relay Fox Sports Network, canned promo 1200 "This is Tim McCarver and you are listening to the best MLBC coverage on the radio. We are Fox Sports Radio", no local ID
- 1070 KNX, Los Angeles, California, gd 1200z o/another, w/US election talk, 1159 w/ID "This is KNX 10-70 News Radio"
- 1071 RNZ National, Masterton, NZL, fr 1200z mxd/3EL + R. Sport, w/talk
R. Sport, Ashburton, NZL, fr 1200z mxd/3EL + RNZ, w/racing commentary
3EL, Bendigo, Vic, fr 1200z mxd/RNZ & R. Sport, w/pop mx

- 1080 Newstalk ZB, Auckland, NZL, exc 1200z o/another, w/local ads 1159 incl British American Tobacco New Zealand
2MO, Gunnedah, NSW, gd 1200z mxd/ZB, w/nx
KWAJ, Voice of Samoa, Honolulu, Hawaii, pr 1200z u/ZB & 2MO, pres. this with talk in Samoan
- 1089 Radio Sport, Palmerston North, NZL, fr 1200z mxd/another, w/relay Fox Sports Network, canned promo 1200 "This is Tim McCarver and you are listening to the best MLBC coverage on the radio. We are Fox Sports Radio", no local ID
2EL, Orange, NSW, fr 1200z, w/pop mx
CNR6, Shenzhou zhi Sheng, Fuzhou, CHN, gd 1200z mxd/R. Sport + 2EL, pres this w/CC talk
- 1090 KPTK, Seattle, Washington, gd at times 1200z o/another, w/talk
- 1098 Newstalk ZB, Christchurch, NZL, gd 1200z mxd/4LG, w/talk 1158
4LG, Longreach, Qld, gd 1200z mxd/ZB, w/promo for 4LG Breakfast Club
- 1100 KFAQ, San Francisco, California, gd at times 1200, w/talk
- 1107 Livesport, Tauranga, NZL, exc 1200z o/2EA, w/ID 1200, "Radio Live, entertaining talk and news as it happens", then news
2EA, Sydney, NSW, pr 1200z u/NZL, w/jingle for SBS Pop Asia px
- 1110 KAOI, Kikei-Maui, Hawaii, pr 1200z, pres. this w/talk
- 1116 4BC, Brisbane, AUS, gd 1200z o/RNZ, with ID 1159 "4BC news is next, and then the conversation continues with Walter Williams. Join the conversation on ..., 11-16 4BC", then news
RNZ National, Nelson, NZL, fr 1200z u/4BC, w/talks
- 1120 KPNW, Eugene-Springfield, Oregon, fair 1200z o/another, ID 1200 "11-20 KPNW Eugene-Springfield"
- 1125 R. Sport, Napier-Hastings, NZL, gd 1200z o/another, w/relay Fox Sports Network, canned promo 1200 "This is Tim McCarver and you are listening to the best MLBC coverage on the radio. We are Fox Sports Radio"
- 1130 KPHI, Honolulu, Hawaii, pr 1200z mxd another, pres. this
- 1134 3CS, Colac, Vic, gd at times 1200z mxd/another, promo then "3CS news"
- 1140 KHTK, Sacramento, California, gd 1200z o/another, with Fox Sports Radio
- 1143 RNZ National, Hamilton, NZL, exc 1200z o/2HD, time pips then "Radio New Zealand news at 1 o'clock"
2HD, Newcastle, NSW, pr 1200z u/RNZ, w/canned ID "11-43 2HD"
- 1150 KTLK, Los Angeles, California, gd 1200z mxd SS, w/talk
- 1152 2WG, Wagga Wagga, NSW, gd 1200z mxd/ZB & Fiji, w/ad for Battery World
Newstalk ZB, Timaru, NZL, gd 1200z mxd/2WG & Fiji, w/network nx
R. Fiji 1, Raki Raki, NZL, gd 1200z mxd 2WG & ZB, w/island mx
- 1160 KSL, Salt Lake City, Utah, fr at times 1200z o/SS, w/talk
- 1161 Te Reo Irirangi o te Upoko o te Ika, Wellington, NZL, gd 1200z mxd/4MB, w/island mx
4MB, Maryborough, Qld, gd 1200z mxd/ NZL, w/talkback
- 1170 2CH, Sydney, NSW, gd 1200z o/KLOK, w/canned ID "news and information for Sydney, 2CH" then Macquarie National News
KLOK, San Jose, California, fr at times 1200z, mxd 2CH & KFAQ, pres. this w/asian lang talk (or KOR in JJ?)
KFAQ, Tulsa, Oklahoma, fr 1200z mxd/2CH + KLOK, w/talk
- 1179 Radio Ake, Auckland, NZL, gd 1200z o/another, with ID 1159z just "Ah kay", then EE pops
- 1180 Weak NA, 1200z, solid carrier and traces of audio, too weak to ID
- 1188 RNZ National, Rotorua, NZL, gd 1200z mxd/2NZ, w/nx
2NZ, Inverell, NSW, gd 1200z mxd/RNZ, w/nx
- 1190 KEX, Portland, Oregon, fr 1200z mxd/another, w/nx
- 1197 Newstalk ZB, Wanganui, NZL, gd 1200z, w/network nx
- 1200 2 NA mxd, weak
- 1206 2CC, Canberra, ACT, exc 1200z o/another, w/canned ID "Let's celebrate our national capital and home of the Australian story, 2CC is a celebration supporter of the centenary of Canberra, on air, on line and on your iPhone, we're talking Canberra"
- 1210 KZOO, Honolulu, Hawaii, gd 1200z, JJ songs & talk
- 1215 Newstalk ZB, Kaikohe, NZL, exc 1200z, w/local spot then network canned ID and into nx
- 1220 XEB, San Lorenzo, Mexico, gd 1200z, w/SS mx then ID 1159:30 "XEB" and into promo

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