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CPC Test Calendar

WSRY	MD	1550	Nov. 29	0001-0100
WGGH	IL	1150	Feb. 6	0100-0200

WGGH-1150 ... Marion, IL will conduct a DX test on February 6 from 12 midnight to 1 at 5000 watts, day pattern. The test will consist of classic country and oldies music along with tons of various sound effects, including their slogan, "Monster Radio AM 1150" and TM Century jingles. They will remain at low power until the exact moment before their 12 am legal ID plays. (It has run as late as 12:03 am). To QSL, send a self-addressed envelope with at least 2 stamps to Paul Walker, Jr. - P.O. Box 340 - Marion, IL 62959, and include your location, radio used, when/what you heard. If you send a CD, do NOT send the entire test, just a few relevant clips. If you send a cassette tape, cue it up to the start of the test. WGGH's Internet streaming will be disabled during this test. Also, please be aware that the mailbox at the post office is checked only twice a week, so you may not get an immediate reply. Thanks to Paul Walker and NRC/IRCA test manager Saul Chernos for arranging this test.

DXChange ... Former NRC member Jerry Starr is taking bids on a Worcester MW receiver, hand built by Joe Worcester of Space Magnet fame. Only SIX were ever made from plans that appeared in DX News in the 70's and sold by Mr. Worcester. The audio section needs work, but the RF section is OK. The rig is in great physical condition - a

major collector's item. It will be sold for the highest reasonable bid plus shipping. Bidding ends 12/31/2009; seller retains right to refuse any bids. All bids are kept confidential. Contact by mail only: Jerry Starr - 161 Fox Street - Hubbard, OH 44425-2122.

Unfilled positions ... We're in need of volunteers for the following positions: an Internet web guru, to manage and update www.nrcdxas.org; a DXN publisher with fresh ideas, and one or more persons to edit future NRC publications developed by contributors or the club.

DX Time Machine

From the pages of DX News

From the "lost" entries ... December 20, 1958: A letter from Ross Harp, Jr. informed us that many stations across the nation would test the Conelrad Alert System between 0200 and 0500 EST on 640 and 1240 kc/s, with 3 or 4 stations transmitting sequentially for 6 seconds each with a continuous message.

25 years ago ... from the November 26, 1984 DXN: Volunteers to put *DX News* onto tape were being sought, due to numerous requests.

10 years ago ... from the November 22, 1999 DXN: Mike Hardester, Jacksonville, NC noted that WSMO-1580 Camp Lejeune was changing its call letters in a "tribute" to WSM, Nashville ... several DX'ers (Robert C. Pote, Mark DeLorenzo, Harry J. Hays) reported hearing new X-band station KAZP-1620, Bellevue, NE non-ID'ing with "Omaha's ESPN 1620 Radio".

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AM Switch

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Status changes in AM stations, supplied by the FCC, CRTC, and listeners

CALL LETTER CHANGES

None this week

CPs ON THE AIR

840 KXNT NV North Las Vegas - Having operated on an STA of U4 50000/16000, KXNT is now licensed for, and operating with, U4 50000/25000 (no change there), but they've moved to a new 4-tower site at 36-23-53/114-54-57. The new day pattern sends a balloon-shaped lobe to the northeast while the adjusted night pattern send a small slender lobe to the north with a large slender lobe to the southwest.



APPLICATIONS

1150 KOLJ TX Quannah - Applies to move to Layton, Utah on 1200 kHz with U2 10000/160. Layton is a north suburb of Salt Lake City.

AM on FM

730 WMTC KY Vancleve - WMTC-FM 99.9 Vancleve [Southern Gospel]
1310 KAHL TX San Antonio - K279AB 103.7 San Antonio [Adult Standards]

APPLICATIONS FOR NEW STATIONS

1090 NEW UT Providence - Applies for U2 5000/250. Providence is near Logan.
1490 NEW MT Orchard Homes - Applies for U1 1000/800. Orchard Homes is about 5 miles west of Missoula.

HEAR AND THAR

📻 Returning to the airwaves: WMTC-730 Vancleve, Kentucky returns with Southern Gospel; WRVF-910 Wellborn, Florida returns with Talk;

📻 Reported as Silent: WLLI-1190 Humboldt, Tennessee; WTRI-1520 Brunswick, Maryland (again).

📻 Thanks to Shawn Axelrod, Dave Schmidt and Moe D. Lawne.

Domestic DX Digest

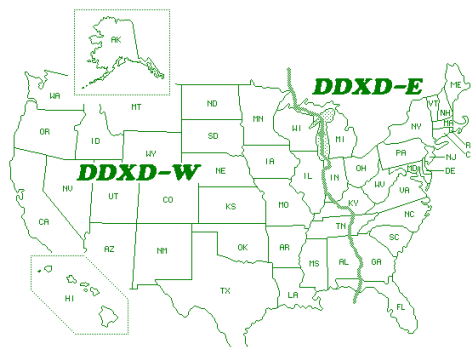
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(Division line
is between East
and Central time
zones)



DX Catches in the U. S. and Canada, with 24-hr. ELT

DDXD-West

A hearty hello from the shores of the Salish Sea. From the quantity and variety of reports this week, it appears DX is picking up in force. I'm hoping to go to the Washington coast in the next few weeks for a DX session, to escape my most-of-the-day noise problem.

I recently bought an HD radio (Radi-osophy HD100) for ten bucks from an acquaintance who was disappointed with its performance. Haven't listened to it much beyond the local public FM stations yet, but want to hook it up to my AM loop antennas. Could AM-IBOC Be the wave of the future?

Welcome to my new reporters David Jones from Tennessee, and Ty Thormahlen from Montana.

Reporters

DBJ-TN David B. Jones, Nashville, TN Drake R8B, Quantum QX loop, V 2.0

DP-HI Dale Park, Honolulu, HI Sangean ATS-818CS, Terk AM1000 loop

DP-HI* Dale Park, DXing in East Honolulu Honda car radio
 JW-CO John Wilkins, Wheat Ridge, CO. Drake R-8, 4-foot box loop
 TT-MT Ty Thormahlen, Billings, MT Sony 2010/Twin Coil Ferrite Antenna; Icom R75/60 Foot Longwire
 WH-CO Wayne Heinen, Aurora, CO Kiwa Loop Drake R8B, E/W Flag, N/S Flag, Dual TG-1 Termination Gizmo w/DX Engineering RPA-1 preamp and Mini DXP5.

Station News

590 KLBJ TX Austin Per Radio-Info.com, stn is now being relayed over translator K259AJ-FM 99.7 with 250 watts, replacing a relay of KDHT-FM. Stn slogan is "News Radio 5-90." (DP-HI)

620 KTAR AZ Phoenix Per Phoenix Business Journal, stn along with two sister outlets have moved to new offices at 7740 North 16th St., Phoenix 85020-4479, so correct your NRC LOG. Stn director claims the new site has one of the largest news-room studios in the country, covering about 10,000 square feet. (DP-HI)

740 WRPQ WI Baraboo Per Upper Midwest Broadcasting blog at Northpine.com, stn is now being relayed over translator W259BC-FM 99.7 with eight watts from 10/06, displacing a relay of WNWC-FM 102.5. Translator moved from 99.9. (DP-HI)

890 KJME CO Fountain 11/04 1145 This one noted testing this morning with Bluegrass music and Brief "KJME Fountain Colorado" ID Some IBOC slop from KPOF-910. Probably be hitting RS soon. (WH-CO)

900 WATK WI Antigo Per WisconsinBroadcasting.com, stn flipped from country to "Soft Oldies" in early Oct. (DP-HI)

920 KARN AR Little Rock 11/08 0600 "This is your hometown sports station AM 920 KARN Little Rock, All Sports All the Time" into FSR programming. No sign of previously reported "Sports Animal" slogan. (WH-CO)

920 KFLB TX Odessa 11/08 0500 out of Contemporary Christian Music "You're listening to KFLB Odessa and KFLB FM Stanton ... Family Life Radio". Note that this is //FM again and they are still Family Life Radio (FLR) despite report to the contrary last year. (WH-CO)

930 KMPT MT East Missoula Per KPAX-TV website, stn switched from liberal talk 11/04 to conservative talk featuring Bill Bennett, Mike Gallagher, Michael Smerconish, Jerry Doyle, Neal Boortz, Michael Savage and Midnight Radio Network. KMPT will still carry Missoula Osprey baseball and high school sports. Slogan is "The Best Conservative Talk." (DP-HI)

1290 KOUU ID Pocatello 10/28 1000 ... This is Eastern Idaho's Number one Country 93.7 KZBQ, KOUU ... Pocatello, it's time for news" and ABC News. This one now // the FM. (WH-CO)

1380 KDXE AR North Little Rock Per Radio Business Report, the former ESPN stn returned to the air after 11 months on 11/02, now carrying conservative talk featuring Talk Radio Network. Stn slogan is "Big Talk, Little Rock." (DP-HI)

1380 WOTE WI Clintonville Per DX-MidAmerica, stn went back to NOS from "Good Time Oldies." Slogan is "The Lounge." (DP-HI)

1410 CFUN BC Vancouver Per Metronews Canada website, stn flipped from talk 11/05 to sports to complement sister stn CKST-1040 "Team 10-40." This means Canucks hockey will stay on CKST while conflict games such as B.C. Lions football will shift to CFUN, which will also air NFL, baseball and European soccer games plus Dan Patrick and Jim Rome. Slogan is "Team 14-10." (DP-HI)

1450 KLZS OR Eugene Per Radio-Info.com, stn will drop ESPN Deportes 11/16 in favor of Broadcast Architecture's Smooth Jazz Network. (DP-HI)

1530 KZNX TX Creedmoor Per Austin American-Statesman, stn is now partially relayed on KTTX-FM 104.9 from 11/02. Local content moves to FM while KZNX will be more of a fulltime ESPN affiliate. (DP-HI)

1560 KGOW TX Bellaire Per Houston Post, stn added Sporting News Radio's Tim Brando in Oct., airing 1100-1400. SNR also airs late evenings and much of Sat. and Sun. per KGOW's website. Stn slogan is "15-60 The Game." (DP-HI)

1570 KAKK MN Walker Per Upper Midwest Broadcasting, stn is now being relayed over translator K242AY-FM 96.3 with 35 watts, displacing a relay of KXKK-FM 92.5. (DP-HI)

1640 WJTI WI West Allis Per Business Journal of Milwaukee, stn has completed its move from Racine and now uses 1 kw/240 w from the WGLB-1560 tower on South

98th St. in West Allis. Format is Mexican regional/Latino pop/SS hits and slogan is "La Nueva Ritmo." (DP-HI)

Tentative/Unidentified

- 1110 KFAB? NE Omaha 11/10 2312 Tentative. Talk Radio Network's "The Savage Nation" w/usual anti-Muslim talk 12 seconds behind KPNW-1120. Probably them and not KBND-OR per their websites. GOOD to FAIR over/under KAOI-HI with KDIS-CA in background. (DP-HI*)
- 1200 UNID 11/01 0615 Briefly punching through KZOO-1210's slop with Art Bell, then gone. WOAI-TX? (DP-HI)
- 1300 UNID 11/01 0530 EST Up through the co-channel mx and noise w/man reading college football scores, then interview before fading out. Sounded like Fox Sports or Sporting News Radio. KYNO-CA? (DP-HI)

DX Logs (Times ELT)

- 590 KQNT WA Spokane 10/28 0906. NX report about an ATM that was stolen with female reporting. Mention of Spokane Police Department. Heavy mixing. (TT-MT)
- 600 KSJB ND Jamestown 10/28 0704. WX report talking about a snow storm coming into the Jamestown area. Many mentions of Jamestown with an ID, "Currently 43 degrees at our classic country studios, KSJB" then into Barbara Mandrell song. Very strong signal for about 5 minutes before fading into the jumble. (TT-MT) 10/29 2100 out of C&W "AM 600 KSJB Jamestown North Dakota" on top. (WH-CO)
- 600 KROD TX El Paso 10/30 0000 out of Michael Savage "NewsRadio 600 KROD El Paso" to CBS News. (WH-CO)
- 600 WMT IA Cedar Rapids 10/30 0700 "WMT NewsRadio 600 Cedar Rapids" to Fox News. (WH-CO)
- 610 KNML NM Albuquerque 10/28 0759. ESPN Sports Talk with break for TOH ID "For Over 15 Years, Were Albuquerque's Sports Leader, 610 KNML, Albuquerque. The Sports Animal". Then back into Mike & Mike In the Morning from ESPN Sports Radio. Very good signal for about a minute before going back into the mix. (TT-MT)
- 640 KFI CA Los Angeles 11/01 0352 "Ghost To Ghost AM w/ Art Bell," Bill Handel w/ad for FamilyDrive.com, promo for news coverage and ID "Southern Calif.'s No. One News Source, KFI Los Angeles-Orange County," YL saying because Daylight Savings just ended, "...it's one o'clock again..." Later went to replay of first hour of "Ghost To Ghost AM w/ Ian Punnett." FAIR; QRM KRTR-650. (DP-HI)
- 710 KCMO MO Kansas City 10/28 0744. Finally heard an ID mentioning "Dave Ramsey Show here on KCMO" then faded. (TT-MT)
- 730 KKDA TX Grand Prairie 11/11 0300 out of UC music "Soul 73 KKDA Grand Prairie" coming up over the XE's. (WH-CO)
- 790 KGHL MT Billings 10/30 2100 out of C&W "The Mighty 790 KGHL Billings" and CBS news. (WH-CO)
- 790 WAYY WI Eau Claire 10/30 2200 out of ESPN programming "It's the Voice of the Valley Eau Claire, Chippewa Falls and on demand at WAYY790.com" to ABC News. (WH-CO)
- 790 KFGO ND Fargo 10/31 0900 "AM 790 KFGO Fargo" to CBS News, this one pops up when they go none directional. (WH-CO)
- 840 WBHY AL Mobile 10/30 0700. Religious music, local church announcements. (DBJ-TN)
- 920 KVEL UT Vernal 11/08 0705 out of ABC news to local weather "That's your weather from AM 920 KVEL" then KVEL Vernal jingle - fair with the XE's. (WH-CO)
- 940 KIXZ TX Amarillo 11/03 2002 out of Fox News "This is KIXZ NewsTalk 940 Amarillo" to spots. Don't know where local KRWZ's IBOC was tonight, but glad it was missing! (WH-CO)
- 940 CJGX SK Yorkton 11/04 0800 our of C&W music "CJGX AM Stereo 940 Yorkton ... we are GX-94" to local news. (WH-CO)
- 950 KRWZ CO Denver 11/12 2037. Mention of "Crusin' Oldies" and Denver between oldies songs. Heard before but rather strong signal for 5k. (TT-MT)
- 970 KIXL TX Del Valle 11/02 2204 "...Relevant Radio 970 KIXL and relevantradio970.



com" and REL program "... this program has been previously broadcast..." fair w/XEJ. (WH-CO)

- 940 KVSH NE **Valentine** 11/2 2000 weather by YL and legal ID into news, over CJGX, which also gave their ID, good solid signal, relog, but not heard in years. (TN-WI)
- 980 KRTX TX **Rosenberg-Richmond** 11/01 1900 out of SS Religious with a various AM and FM ID's including KRTX AM and KFTG-88.1 fair and on top. (WH-CO)
- 980 KMIN NM **Grants** 11/02 0804 "... this has been you news from KMIN..." and local spots. (WH-CO)
- 1000 KOMO WA **Seattle** 11/12 2041. Mention of "KOMO News Time is 4:42" after sports report into Angel of The Winds Casino at I-5 & Exit 210. Signal as strong as a local. No fading. (TT-MT)
- 1000 WMVP IL **Chicago** 10/28 0712. ESPN Radio with quick ID "ESPN Radio 1000" then back to ESPN Radio. Frequency usually dominated by KOMO here. (TT-MT)
- 1020 KMMQ NE **Plattsmouth** 10/28 0809. SS talk with very clear ID in EN "1020, KMMQ" then back to SS talk. KCKN dominated very quick after ID with mention of KCKN in a promo. (TT-MT)
- 1050 CJNB SK **North Battleford** 11/11 1920. C&W music, gal ancr with CJNB/CJNS ID's; area ads; weather forecast at 1929. Fair with some fading and QRM. (JW-CO)
- 1060 KGFX SD **Pierre** 10/28 0716. Local WX with mention of Pierre forecast into commercials including Gunderson's Transmission in Pierre and Graham Tire "Double Dip on Savings" in Pierre. Tone heard going back into Ag Network then into Ag NX. (TT-MT)
- 1070 KNTH TX **Houston** 11/3 0703. Ad for Kohl's; traffic; ID as "News Talk 1070 KNTH"; national anthem at 0705, then Bill Bennett program. Fair in KNX null. (JW-CO)
- 1090 KVOP TX **Plainview** 11/13 0459. Very strong signal at times. Many mentions of "Mighty 1090" in and out of Texas Overnight radio show. TOH ID very clear for "The Mighty 1090, KVOP, Plainview" into ABC NX. Presumed on day power of 5k??? (TT-MT)
- 1120 KMOX MO **St. Louis** 11/1 0630 Performance by the Mormon Tabernacle Choir from St. Louis. Regular Sunday feature (DBJ-TN)
- 1140 KSOO SD **Sioux Falls** 10/28 0737. Commercial for Michael W. Smith coming for concert then back to NX and talk about November coming this Sunday and ordering your turkey now. Mention of KSOO by host. (TT-MT)
- 1150 WGOW TN **Chattanooga** 11/1 0600 *Promo for Laura Ingraham Show.* (DBJ-TN)
- 1190 CFSL SK **Weyburn** 11/6 0747. Ad for Saskatchewan Snowmobile Show; non-ID at 0748: "A Golden West radio station - today's hits and all your country favorites - AM 1190," followed by more music and ads to 0801 news. Fair/good with KVCU off. (JW-CO)
- 1230 KTNC NE **Falls City** 10/28 2200 "Newstalk 1230 KTNC" ID only, fair. (TN-WI)
- 1260 KKSA TX **San Angelo** 10/26 0800 "... KKSA San Angelo..." up briefly in dead air from KTRC. Last logged here in the 1990's Taped for the collection. (WH-CO)
- 1260 KWYR SD **Winner** 10/28 0817. Commercial for Hobby Shop with phone # 842-1900 then announcer gave funeral announcements mentioning they were sponsored by the Hobby Shop. NX report after with female. Heavy fading. (TT-MT)
- 1270 KTFI ID **Twin Falls** 10/27 0106 ending what sounded like the weather forecast brief call sign ID KTFI poor under KIML. (WH-CO)
- 1290 KOWB WY **Laramie** 10/28 0730 A lot of jumble but able to hear a clear ID for "K-O-W-B" by male voice before fading. (TT-MT)
- 1290 KUMA OR **Pendleton** 10/28 0905 out of ABC News "This is the Morning edition with JJ Ford and Bush Thurman. News Sports Weather Entertainment news... ..NewsTalk 1290 KUMA Pendleton" armchair copy. (WH-CO)
- 1290 KWFS TX **Wichita Falls** 10/27 2100 "... weekdays at six on NewsTalk 1290 KWFS Wichita Falls" to Fox News. (WH-CO)
- 1290 WIRL IL **Peoria** 10/28 0200 "... Illinois radio station ... over 60 years ... WIRL Peoria" poor under CFRW. (WH-CO)
- 1300 KBRL NE **McCook** 10/28 0904 WX report coming out of ABC NX with mention of "The Big Talker, 1300 KBRL" then into Fox Sports Radio. (TT-MT)
- 1300 KKOL WA **Seattle** 10/28 2306 promo for a financial program "... on The Northwest's Business Leader AM1300 KKOL" New for me and taped. (WH-CO)
- 1300 KYNO CA **Fresno** 10/28 2205 "... KYNO Fresno weather..." faded up briefly. (WH-

- CO)
- 1300 KGLO IA **Mason City** 10/28 2358 "... that's the weather from AM 1300 KGLO..." (WH-CO)
- 1300 KOLY SD **Mobridge** 10/29 0405 out of ABC News "AM 1300 KOLY" to NOS music. (WH-CO)
- 1310 KKNS NM **Corrales** 11/11 1849. Mexican music, "La Ley" slogans; possible legal ID at 1859. Generally fair under KFKA but down in the muck by 1859. (JW-CO)
- 1310 KNOX ND **Grand Forks** 10/28 0840. Commercial for Ihry Insurance with phone # 738-4001. Heavy fading but mention of Grand Forks. (TT-MT)
- 1320 KOLT NE **Scottsbluff** 10/28 0853. WX report with KOLT mention then commercial mentioning Foreigner concert coming to town. Heavy mixing. (TT-MT)
- 1340 KIJV SD **Huron** 10/25 0335. Song "She Got The Way To Groove Me" then mention of a "Listen and Win Weekend, Here on 1340, KIJV" back into MX. Heavy mixing (TT-MT)
- 1340 KPOK ND **Bowman** 10/25 0659. TOH ID Sung by female "K-P-O-K, Bowman" into CNN NX (TT-MT)
- 1340 KSID NE **Sidney** 10/25 0259. Lots of mixing but finally heard "KSID, Sidney Nebraska" then into NX. (TT-MT)
- 1400 KCOW NE **Alliance** 10/21 0259. "K-C-O-W, Alliance" Jingle sung into TOH NX (TT-MT)
- 1410 KOOQ NE **North Platte** 11/04 1900 "This is North Platte's Sports Station 1410 AM ESPN KOOQ North Platte" to ESPN programming. (WH-CO)
- 1410 WIZM WI **La Crosse** 11/05 0500 out of local weather "Newstalk 1410 WIZM La Crosse" to CBS News. (WH-CO)
- 1420 KTOE MN **Mankato** 11/05 1900 out of Twins Baseball promos "You're Twins station KTOE Mankato" to ABC News. (WH-CO)
- 1420 KULY KS **Ulysses** 11/05 2100 out of C&W music "AM 1420 KULY Ulysses" to ABC news under KTOE. (WH-CO)
- 1420 WOC IA **Davenport** 11/05 2300 out of a talk show "NewsTalk 1420 WOC Davenport - Tri-Cities..." to Fox News fair with the others. (WH-CO)
- 1420 KJCK KS **Junction City** 11/06 0400 "The Talk of JC 1420 KJCK Junction City" and ABC news. (WH-CO)
- 1420 KGIM SD **Aberdeen** 11/06 0900 "ESPN 1420 KGIM Aberdeen" weak under KULY. A new one for me and taped for the collection. (WH-CO)
- 1450 KGOS WY **Torrington** 10/28 0159. TOH ID "Your Listening to KGOS, Torrington" into ABC NX (TT-MT)
- 1450 KVCK MT **Wolf Point** 10/25 0859. ID "Your Listening to KVCK, Wolf Point" into ABC NX. Very clear and on top of mix for about 30 seconds. (TT-MT)
- 1490 KNDC ND **Hettinger** 10/28 0559. TOH ID "Your Home For (something) in the Dakotas, 1490 KNDC, Hettinger" into ABC NX (TT-MT) I believe the slogan is 'Your Home For DX-Station-ID-Frustration in the Dakotas, 1490 KNDC, Hettinger.' (JDT-WA)
- 1540 WBNL IN **Boonville** 10/31 fair-good. 1914 "WBNL 1540 AM, where it is wet and raining," fair to good, new. (TN-WI)
- 1590 WVNA AL **Tuscumbia** 11/1 0500. News, followed by ID "News Talk AM 1590 WVNA.: Into talk programming (DBJ-TN)
- 1630 KCJJ IA **IowaCity** 11/9 0737. Local weather, call letter ID and mention of kcjj.com; chat about upcoming KCJJ Radio Auction. Fair, topping KKGM. (JW-CO)
- 1630 KKGM TX **Fort Worth** 11/9 0742. Southern Gospel tunes, PSA, singing ID, male announcer chatting; traffic at 0748. Fair, over/under KCJJ. (JW-CO)
- 1630 WRDW GA **Augusta** 10/31 0800. ABC news, Augusta weather. ID as "News Talk AM 1630 WRDW." (DBJ-TN)
- 1670 KNRO CA **Redding** 11/03 2000 FSR programming "Fox Sports Radio 1670 KNRO Redding" (WH-CO)
- 1670 WTDY WI **Madison** 11/03 2000 WTDY call ID poor under KNRO. (WH-CO)
- 1690 WMLB GA **Avondale Estates** 10/31 0830 Oldies and blues music, ID as "Voice of the Arts" (DBJ-TN)

A great selection of station news and DX logs this week. Positively inspiring. I invite all of you to join this esteemed company. See you next week.



DDXD-East

REPORTERS

BC-QC	Bogdan Chiochiu, Pierrefonds - Sanyo MCD-S830, Grundig G5, Sangean ACS 818-CST
KK-VA	Kraig Krist, Manassas - NRD-545, homemade 134 foot multiband antenna running NW to SE.
DP-HI	Dale Park, Honolulu – station news
BT-PE	Brent Taylor, Stratford - ICOM R75 with KIWA mods, 60x20 back yard super loop
MKB-ON	Mike Brooker, Toronto – Grundig G5, Grundig YB-400PE, Sony SRF-39FP, Panasonic RF-2200 (receiver emeritus)

STATION NEWS

600	WSJS	NC	Winston-Salem (also 1200 WSML Graham, NC) - Per <i>Business Journal of the Greater Triad Area</i> , stations will lose Rush Limbaugh to Clear Channel's WGBT-FM 94.5 on 1/01/2010, where he will join Glenn Beck. (DP-HI)
630	WMAL	DC	Washington – Per DCRTV.com website, station dropped "The Joe Scarborough Radio Show" 10/12 in favor of local programming. (DP-HI)
660	WFAN	NY	New York – Per Radio-Info.com, Floridians will no longer have to DX WFAN; they just need an HD receiver because the station is now relayed on the HD-3 channels of WLLD-FM 94.1, WEAT-FM 104.3 and WOCL-FM 105.9. WFAN also moved its studios from Astoria in Queens to lower Manhattan. (DP-HI)
680	WPTF	NC	Raleigh – Per <i>Raleigh News and Observer</i> and <i>Triangle Business Journal</i> , station will lose Rush Limbaugh to Clear Channel's WRDU-FM 106.1 on 1/01/2010, where he will join Glenn Beck. Limbaugh has been on WPTF for 21 years. WPTF is retaining Sean Hannity until the middle of 2010. (DP-HI)
860	WLBG	SC	Laurens - Per Premiere Radio news release, added "Keep Hope Alive With the Rev. Jesse Jackson" 11/01, airing on delay Sundays 1000-1200. (DP-HI)
1190	WVUS	WV	Grafton - Per WBOY-TV website, station is for sale for \$59,000 and unless it's sold it will go silent 12/31. Format is "Timeless Favorites" NOS music. (DP-HI)
1390	WFBL	NY	Syracuse – Per Radio-Info.com, station flipped from oldies to talk 10/12 featuring "American Morning News," Laura Ingraham, Dennis Miller, Fred Thompson, Jason Lewis, "Larry King Live," Jim Bohannon and Phil Hendrie. Slogan is "CNY Talk Radio." (DP-HI)
1420	WRCG	GA	Columbus - Per Radio-Info.com, station is now being relayed over translator W259AY-FM 106.9 with 250 watts. Slogan is "Two-Way Radio." (DP-HI)
1450	WKIP	NY	Poughkeepsie - Per Radio-Info.com, station is now being relayed over WKIP-FM 99.3, replacing the simulcast of WRWD-FM 107.3. Slogan is "News-Talk 99.3." (DP-HI)
1580	WEAM	GA	Columbus - Per Radio-Info.com, station began being relayed over WIOL-FM 95.7 10/19, the latest simulcast of a sports format. Slogan is "15-80 The Zone." (DP-HI)

LOGGINGS

770	CHQR	AB	Calgary - 11/11 0558 - good to fair, under WABC, out of Coast to Coast, and into ID "AM 770 CHQR" and then advert for a mattress store. (BT-PE)
790	WNIS	VA	Norfolk - 11/8 1855 – in mix with Cuban Radio Reloj time pips and RR in morse code, "... amazing... AM seven ninety WNIS...", talk about health care, "AM seven ninety WNIS Norfolk" ID. (KK-VA)
800	CKLW	ON	Windsor - 11/7 1855 - Mixing with C&W station (<i>likely CJBQ Belleville, ON Mike.</i>) "Now the forecast from the AM eight hundred weather center" into call-in show with ID as "this is AM eight hundred CKLW. We're the news leader in Windsor at AM eight hundred". (KK-VA)
910	CKDQ	AB	Drumheller - 11/11 0410 - fair in fade up over Latino station with "Red Dirt Road" C&W song, then into "Q91 country dot com" ID at 0412 and another country song. (BT-PE)
920	CKNX	ON	Wingham - 11/11 0344 - "I Hope You Dance" segue into another C&W song, and yet another segue with no ID at 0348. Then finally female with "You're listening to CKNX, AM 920, we'll be right back," and promo for morning talk show and 519 area code phone number given, as well as "am920.ca" web address. Then back to C&W song. (BT-PE)
950	CFAM	MB	Altona – 11/13 1740 – over usual WWJ/WROC mix with PSA for H1N1 shot from Manitoba Health, ad for Altona Chamber of Commerce, "CFAM radar

- weather" local weather for Altona and Winnipeg. **(MKB-ON)**
- 960 WELI CT New Haven – 11/8 0804 – creaming WFIR/WHAK one-two pest punch with station promo "News talk 960 WELI and 960weli.com...for a better perspective on your world", ad for New Haven Restaurant Week, into WELI Home Shopper Show, taking calls at 203-288-WELI. **(MKB-ON)**
- CFAC AB Calgary - 11/10 2147 – Flames v. Canadiens NHL play by play by Peter Maher, fair to good, with ads for the "Fan 960" morning drive show and Calgary area car dealers. **(BT-PE)**
- 1130 CKWX BC Vancouver - 11/11 0425 - Mostly buried under WBBR, but up nicely on fades, first with "this day in entertainment history" piece about TV Announcer Don Pardo, then back up again at 0431 with female news announcer. Finally, at 0433, a traffic report mentioning North Vancouver and traffic delays expected around "Cenotaphs" (Canadian fallen soldiers memorials) as it was Remembrance Day, followed by "News1130 dot com" clear promo ID at 0434. **(BT-PE)**
- 1140 WVEL IL Pekin – 11/13 1714 – fighting nulled WRVA (and losing) with promo for "New Beginnings Broadcast" gospel program, "...and you can hear it Wednesday mornings at 11 on AM 1140 WVEL". **(MKB-ON)**
- 1170 KFAQ OK Tulsa – 11/12 1759 – under nulled WWVA with local traffic report, ToH ID: "...with the top stories of the day every day...listen here...KFAQ and KFAQ HD Tulsa" into Fox news. QSLed as KVOO (the Voice of Oklahoma) in 1977. **(MKB-ON)**
- 1270 WMKT MI Charlevoix – 11/8 1600 – under WHLD groundwave with ToH ID "the talk station, WMKT Charlevoix, Petoskey, Traverse City..." into Fox news. **(MKB-ON)**
- 1290 CFRW MB Winnipeg - 11/110335 - Fair, with April Wine's "Bad Side of the Moon," then choral "CFRW" ID and straight into "Yellow River" by Christie at 0337. **(BT-PE)**
- 1380 WTJK IL South Beloit – 11/11 1714 – fighting CKPC with ad for Frank Boucher Volkswagen of Janesville (WI) mentioning www.janesvillevw.com website, promo for "ESPN 1380" Facebook page. First time I've positively IDed a station through Facebook (but didn't become a fan of theirs). **(MKB-ON)**
- 1410 WLSH PA Lansford – 11/7 0715 – over WDOE and ESPN station (Watertown or Elmira, NY) with slogan "great music great memories on Oldies 1410 WLSH" into "Bad Bad Leroy Brown" by Jim Croce. **(MKB-ON)**
- 1600 WWRL NY New York – 11/7 2150 - EE Caribbean music program and frequent IDs. Often excellent and thrashing local CJWI-1610 with the Sony SR-A33 car radio in AM Wide position! Could feel some separation between the right and left channels, even though they don't broadcast in stereo any more. **(BC-QC)**
- 1700 KKLf TX Richardson – 11/7 1820 – in and out over/under WEUP with SMU football v. Rice, promos for SMU basketball, soccer and other sports. This station is //KTCK-1310 ("the Ticket"), which is SMU's flagship per smumustangs.cstv.com. **(MKB-ON)**
- WEUP AL Huntsville – 11/7 1830 – noted during KKLf fade out with high-octane gospel songs, ID as "WEUP...24 hour gospel power". **(MKB-ON)**

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Foreign DX Catches. All times are UTC

Transpacific DX is perhaps the best in decades, and tops the logs this week. "Decent carriers on 1287 (loud, but no audio in splatter), 1251, 1188, 1152, 1143, and 1134 (another loud one, but WBBR hammered)," noted Brent Taylor while on the hunt for 1116 Australia. "Japan 747 had a strong carrier also, but there was computer/TV growling noise very strong on both sidebands of that frequency. Nothing on 693, though. Looks like the higher end of the band was best."

Transpacific DX

- 279 **RUSSIA** *R.Rossi*, multiple locations NOV 11 0750 - Good; audio at times. [Aden-ID]
693 **JAPAN** JOAB NHK2 Tokyo NOV 7 1102 - Over/under 690 CINF; woman in Japanese parallel 747 JOIB. New log, Japan #3. [Conti-NH]
747 **JAPAN** JOIB NHK2 Sapporo (43°05'N 141°37'E) NOV 7 1058 - Fair; woman in Japanese parallel 693 and 774 kHz. Signals also noted on 837 and 864 kHz but no audio. 747 JOIB continued fair to good beyond 1150 UTC, while 693 JOAB was buried under 690 CINF and 774 JOUB was clobbered by 770 WABC analog. NOV 8 1100 - Good; woman in Japanese, three pips followed by a softer tone, fanfare into presumed news. Audio clip uploaded to [jBAMLog!](#) in the 2009 Logbook. [Conti-NH] NOV 11 1114 - Parallel 774 JOUB Akita and 693 JOAB Tokyo. Man in Japanese. Recorded; good-very good. [Black-MA]
774 **JAPAN** JOUB NHK2 Akita (39°43'N 140°07'E) NOV 11 1106 - Presumed; poor with man talking and then musical interlude at 1108. Recorded to mp3. [Taylor-PE] NOV 11 1108 - Parallel 747 JOIB Sapporo and 693 JOAB Tokyo. Man in Japanese, mellow musical interlude, then woman in Japanese. Recorded; good-very good. [Black-MA]
819 unID NOV 8 1100 - Not much audio but clear four time pips separated by 10 seconds each. [Conti-NH]
828 **JAPAN** JOBB NHK2 Osaka NOV 8 1058 - Fair; discussion in Japanese parallel 747 kHz. New log. [Conti-NH]
972 **SOUTH KOREA** HLCA Dangjin (37°05'N 126°31'E) NOV 11 1109 - Presumed; poor with woman talking in what sounded like an east Asian language. Recorded to mp3. [Taylor-PE]
972 unID NOV 11 0800 - Het, very strong, no audio; suspect South Korea. [Aden-ID]
1116 unID NOV 11 1103 - Man talking quietly and deliberately in what sounded like an interview in English. Recorded to mp3. Audio lost and carrier faded down quickly after 1105. [Taylor-PE]
1566 **SOUTH KOREA** HLAZ Cheju Island (33°28'N 126°23'E) NOV 11 0800 - Tentative; very strong audio. [Aden-ID]

Pan-American DX

- 600 **CUBA** CMKV *R.Rebelde*, Urbano Noris (20°35'N 76°08'W) NOV 8 0214 - Relaying FM with IDs such as "Música Viva 96.7 Potencia FM," with requests from listeners living in locations like Pinar del Río. One of them requested a song by Ricardo Arjona, one of the most popular Central American rockers (outside Mexico) and who comes out of Guatemala! Huge, over/under WICC and CKAT on the Sony XR-A33 car radio. Parallel 670 and 710 kHz. [Chiochiu-QC]
670 **CUBA** CMQ *R.Rebelde*, Arroyo Arenas (23°00'N 82°30'W) NOV 8 0404 - An instrumental version of the Cuban classic "Guantanamera." Good; the WFAN IBOC exciter turned off all night long, so no interference even after local midnight. Heard on car radio far from the powerlines. [Chiochiu-QC]
710 **CUBA** *R.Rebelde*, multiple locations NOV 8 0406 - Woman happily announced things undergoing in the Solo Música program. Briefly good with echo sound, then overtaken by 700 WLW HD interference. 690 and 730 next-to-adjacent local splatter not much of an issue with the car radio in the normal filter position. [Chiochiu-QC]
730 **MEXICO** XESOS El Sifon, Son. NOV 7 0205 - Call sign ID, Spanish music, pretty much dominant. [Heinen-CO]
730 **MEXICO** XEHB Hidalgo del Parral, Chih. NOV 7 0304 - In English, "This is XEHB," then in Spanish, "XEHB... Radio Viva Villa..." mixing with XESOS. Most references I found listed this on 770 kHz. Fred Cantu's list has it now on 730, a recent change. New for me and taped. [Heinen-CO]
760 **COLOMBIA** HJAJ RCN Barranquilla (10°53'N 74°49'W) NOV 8 0425 - Excited Spanish an-

nouncers apparently live from a remote place. Poor under megapest WJR uneffective null using the Sanyo/PK AM Loop combo. [Chiochiu-QC]

- 780 **VENEZUELA** YVMN *R. Coro*, Coro, Falcón (11°23'N 69°40'W) NOV 8 0421 - An old-fashioned cumbia song ended, then promo for "La Bailanta Siete Ochenta" followed by a commercial merengue track. Very good, in WBBM Chicago null! [Chiochiu-QC]
- 790 **CUBA** CMAQ *R. Reloj*, Pinar del Río (22°25'N 83°43'W) OCT 18 0404 - Voices not audible but could hear sound of clock ticking and the "RR" ID in Morse code every minute. Relog; very poor. [Shoom-ON] OCT 31 0703 - Usual "RR" in Morse code. [Heinen-CO]
- 940 **MEXICO** XEYJ Nueva Rosita, Coah. NOV 4 0303 - Out of Spanish music, "XEYJ Nueva Rosita..." mixing with KIXZ. [Heinen-CO]
- 970 **MEXICO** XEJ Ciudad Juárez, Chih. SEP 23 0201 - Out of slow Mexican music, complete call ID. [Heinen-CO]
- 970 **MEXICO** XEEZ Caborca, Son. OCT 5 0400 - Full data call sign ID under XEJ Mexican anthem. [Heinen-CO]
- 980 **MEXICO** XENR Nueva Rosita, Coah. NOV 2 0058 - Brief announcement with XENR call ID and faded. [Heinen-CO]
- 1000 **MEXICO** XEFV Cd. Juárez (31°41'N 106°26'W) OCT 23 0300 - Top of the hour XEFV ID. [Heinen-CO]
- 1010 **MEXICO** XELO Chihuahua, Chih. OCT 24 0203 - XELO call ID, many mentions of Chihuahua; KSIR phased. [Heinen-CO]
- 1020 **CUBA** *R. Reloj*, Jobabo OCT 21 0400 - RR in Morse code. [Heinen-CO]
- 1050 **MEXICO** XEG *La Ranchera*, Monterrey, NL (25°42'N 100°11'W) OCT 20 0205 - "XEG La Ranchera de Monterrey." [Heinen-CO]
- 1290 **MEXICO** XEAP Ciudad Obregón, Son. SEP 21 1159 - Out of laid back Spanish music, XEAP call ID to noticias. [Heinen-CO]

Transatlantic DX

- 153 **ALGERIA** *Chaîne 1*, Béchar (31°38'N 2°18'W) NOV 7 2213 - Man in Arabic with pop-style music. Poor; second station there. Nothing there at 2248 recheck. [Frodge-MI]
- 153 **GERMANY** *Deutschlandfunk*, Donebach (49°34'N 9°11'E) NOV 7 0410 - Presumed with classical music. Poor-fair overall with another station way underneath (Romania or Algeria). [Chiochiu-QC]
- 162 **FRANCE** *France-Inter*, Allouis (47°10'N 02°12'E) NOV 6 2236 - Man and woman in French with news features, one story about Palestine mentioned "shortwave" in English; good. NOV 7 2216 - Woman in French with techno tune then violin; good. [Frodge-MI] NOV 8 0612 - Noted in passing with French rock music; fair. [Chiochiu-QC]
- 183 **GERMANY** *Europe 1*, Felsberg (49°17'N 6°41'E) NOV 6 2120 - Two men in excited French - game call? *Europe 1* promo at 2123. Fair with strong whine interference; best in LSB. NOV 7 2226 - Discussion in French and pop music; good. [Frodge-MI] NOV 7 0401 - Excellent, local-like for several minutes in a row! An item about Nicolas Sarkozy followed by an interview with someone working at a high-speed party center ("La Ronde" in French Canadian, "fête forraine" in original French, and "bâlci" in Romanian). The interview was cut every 10 minutes to allow for some Nouvelle Scène French chanson by Bénabar and others. [Chiochiu-QC]
- 189 **ICELAND** *Ríkisútvarpid*, Gufuskálar (64°54'N 23°55'W) NOV 7 2250 - Man and woman with discussion in Nordic language, no break on the hour. Cleanest in LSB despite beacon hets/whines. [Frodge-MI] NOV 8 0640 - Lite rock music mix, then a sudden switch to 19th century classical organ followed by a conversation in Icelandic between a man and a woman with a very soothing voice, ideal for unwinding! Around 0840, while the radio was still open, playing jazz music. [Chiochiu-QC]
- 198 **ENGLAND** *BBC Radio 4*, Droitwich et al. NOV 6 2126 - English dramatic reading, no break on the hour. Not parallel BBC 12095 kHz. Fair, DIW beacon interference. [Frodge-MI] NOV 7 0448 - Health items, one about Australian research of the human body. Only fair, but arm-chair copy with the Sangean tuned to 197 in AM narrow mode to avoid noise and interference. [Chiochiu-QC]
- 216 **FRANCE** *RMC Roumoules* (43°47'N 6°09'E) NOV 7 0429 - French sports talk regarding several soccer teams, noted in passing slightly over what seemed to be the CLB beacon in South Carolina. [Chiochiu-QC]
- 252 **ALGERIA** *R. Algérienne*, Tipaza (36°35'N 2°27'E) NOV 7 0430 - Morning show announcements in French. Received with a very good strength, but the modulation was only fair, over a poor co-channel Irish signal. [Chiochiu-QC]
- 270 unID NOV 7 2242 - Very weak audio; never heard any audio here before - Czech Rep? Interference from BT and YQA beacons. [Frodge-MI]
- 594 **SAUDI ARABIA** *BSKSA* Duba NOV 8 0235 - Excellent; pre sign-on test tone. [Conti-NH]
- 603 unID NOV 6 2237 - Woman in unID language hetting badly 600 CKAT on the high-side,

occasionally splittable on the Sanyo/PK AM Loop combo, but clearly splittable on the Sangean/loop combo with the receiver detuned to 604 in AM narrow to get away from 600 kHz. Poor signal and too mushy to determine if Spain or France. The only MW transatlantic that I tried to get under local noisy conditions. [Chiochiu-QC]

- 638 **NIGERIA** *Kaduna State Media*, Katabu NOV 8 2150 - Presumed; loud het against 639 kHz. [Conti-NH]
- 639 **CZECH REPUBLIC** *Ceský rozhlas*, Liblice and Svinov NOV 8 2210 - Over/under RNE1 Spain and 638 Nigeria het; deep voiced man in presumed Czech. [Conti-NH]
- 639 **SPAIN** RNE1 La Coruña et al. NOV 8 2313 - Good with het on low side from 638 Nigeria; promo, "...en Radio Nacional" and "Informativos Fin de Semana." [Conti-NH]
- 702 **FRANCE** RMC Col de la Madone (43°47'N 7°25'E) NOV 10 2258 - Good; Chinese vocal, then sign-off announcement in French with "Radio Chine International" mentions, carrier off at 2301. [Conti-NH]
- 747 **BULGARIA** *R.Bulgaria*, various NOV 10 2200 - Interval signal per Interval Signals online, then woman in East-European language. EMWG shows program in Serbian 2200-2300. Recorded; poor, mixing with Spain. [Black-MA]
- 783 **SYRIA** *R.Syria 1*, Tartus (34°55'N 35°52'E) NOV 8 0250 - Good; Middle Eastern vocals with heavy string orchestra accompaniment. At 0300 fading to poor; guitar interval signal. [Conti-NH]
- 855 **SPAIN** RNE1 synchros NOV 8 0300 - Good, over unID; "Radio Nacional de España, Informativos," Spain/Canaries time checks, "Muy buenos noches..." into news. [Conti-NH]
- 864 **FRANCE** *France Bleu*, Villebon-sur-Yvette (48°41'N 2°14'E) NOV 8 0300 - Good; "Radio France Bleu" jingle with voice-over into pop music. [Conti-NH]
- 954 **CZECH REPUBLIC** *Ceský rozhlas*, Brno et al. NOV 8 2200 - Woman in Arabic, top of the hour pips (2 single, 3 double, last longer), theme music and man with "Ceský rozhlas" ID followed by news in Arabic. Recorded; fair, verified Sylvain Naud and Chuck Hutton via RealDX. [Black-MA] NOV 8 2220 - Fair; deep voiced man in presumed Czech parallel 639 kHz. [Conti-NH]
- 1062 **ITALY** *Rai Radiouno* synchros NOV 13 2250 - Fair, synchro echo; talk in Italian. Test tones and off at 2301. [Conti-NH]
- 1116 **ITALY** *Rai Radiouno* synchros NOV 13 2300 - Under SER Spain; sign-off with test tones parallel 1062 kHz. [Conti-NH]
- 1143 **KALININGRAD** *R.Mayak*, Bolshakovo (54°54'N 21°42'E) NOV 13 2300 - Fair; interval signal chimes, time pips, and woman in Russian. [Conti-NH]
- 1179 **SWEDEN** *R.Sweden International*, Sölvesborg (55°59'N 14°40'E) NOV 13 2229 - Good; interval signal, "To the Wide, Wide World" theme, "You're listening to Radio Sweden broadcasting to Europe on medium wave 1179 kilohertz. Stay tuned for half-hour programs in English." Then "Inside Sweden." [Conti-NH]
- 1188 **IRAN** *IRIB R.Payam*, Tehran NOV 13 2230 - Fair; signature three ascending notes into news. [Conti-NH]
- 1206 **FRANCE** *France Info*, Bordeaux (44°57'N 0°11'W) NOV 13 2300 - Good; fanfare and "Le jour de football." [Conti-NH]
- 1224 **BULGARIA** *R.Bulgaria*, Vidin NOV 13 2300 - Presumed; abruptly cut out of a choral vocal with a quick announcement, then off. [Conti-NH]
- 1269 **GERMANY** *Deutschlandfunk*, Neumünster (54°03'N 9°51'E) NOV 13 2228 - Good; news/talk in German. [Conti-NH]
- 1332 **CZECH REPUBLIC** *Ceský rozhlas*, Domamil NOV 8 2220 - Poor; deep voiced man in presumed Czech parallel 639 kHz. [Conti-NH]

The Great Eight

Frank Aden Jr. N7SOK, Boise ID; Drake R8 with 110-ft longwire southwest-northeast, and Etón E1 with MW1 Loop.

Chris Black N1CP, South Yarmouth MA; Microtelecom Perseus, 35 x 90-ft Flag.

Bogdan Chiochiu, Pierrefonds QC; Sanyo MCD-S830 with PK AM Loop, Grundig G5 with PK LW Loop, Sangean ACS 818-CST with PK LW Loop, Sony XR-A33 car radio with whip antenna.

Bruce Conti, Nashua NH; RFSpace SDR IQ, variable termination SuperLoop antennas 13 x 20-m east and 15 x 23-m south.

Harold Frodge, Michigan Area Radio Enthusiasts DXpedition, Brighton MI; Drake R8B, 85-ft TTFD, 500-ft northeast unterminated Bev.

Wayne Heinen, Aurora CO; Drake R8B, east/west Flag, north/south Flag, Dual TG-1 Termination Gizmo with DX Engineering RPA-1 preamp and Mini DXP5.

Greg Shoom, Harrowsmith ON; Kaito KA-1103.

Brent Taylor VY2HF, Stratford PE; Icom R75 with Kiwa mods, 60 x 20-ft SuperLoop.

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