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Station Test Calendar							
WFIF	CT	1500	Jan. 26	0001-0011			
KRSN	NM	1490	Jan. 28	0100-0310			

WFIF 1500 ... Milford, CT will be conducting a maintenance test Saturday morning January 26, from 12:01 AM (ELT) until 12:11 AM. WFIF is testing its new remote control system to be sure that the station can be switched on/off remotely or during emergencies.

WFIF is a 5 kW directional daytimer, so this is a rare chance for many to log them.

Per their engineer, Mr. Willie Barnett, the test will consist of "voice ID's and several tones, along with a "wavering" tone. If people have Cool Edit (or Audition) they can use the spectrum display and that tone will show up as a horizontal sine wave in the spectrograph. That makes it very easy to see, as well as hear". Reception reports via e-mail are most desired. Postal reports are not encouraged and may not be responded to at all, based on the station's limited resources and manpower. E-Mail all reports to Mr. Willie Barnett, Chief Engineer at: WFIFeng@aol.com. A recording of the test is requested. The following formats (only) are acceptable:

.MP3 or .WAV for e-mail attachments. If a recording is not available, please include a detailed description of your reception including the sequence of test elements, description of sweep tones, etc. Screen capture images of the horizontal sine wave can also be sent as file attachments. Our special thanks go out to Mr. Barnett, for keeping us in the loop for weeks now, as the new remote control system installation was completed.

**Unfilled positions** ... We're still in need of volunteers for the following positions, as described in detail in V73, #27, the June '06 DXN: A person proficient with phpBB to maintain the e-DXN site; one or more additional moderators for e-DXN; one or more persons to edit future NRC publications; one or more persons to scan or retype reprints currently in print; one or more persons to scan verie letters to be placed on the NRCDXAS web site; several persons to research and prepare a book in commemoration of the NRC's 75th anniversary; a "DX Targets" editor; a technical column editor; a nationwide QSL coordinator (preferably a joint NRC/IRCA/WTFDA member); someone to type e-mail reports for members who don't have computers.

*Welcome to these new members:* Shannon Mc-Millen, Elephant Butte, NM; Brant Hunt, Aiken, SC; Stewart Ehly, Iowa City, IA; Joseph Valentino, New City, NY; Bryan D. Price, Indianapolis, IN; Gary Lapay, Parkland, FL; Raymond Offutt, Ft. Collins, CO (rejoins); Michael Manning, Newark, DE (rejoins); Ron Schiller, Coeur D'Alene, ID (rejoins); Mary Anne Sanford, Pportland, OR.

Γ	DXN Publishing Schedule, Volume 74							
<u>Iss.</u>	Deadline	Pub. Date	Iss.	Deadline	<u>Pub. Date</u>			
17.	Jan. 19	Jan. 29	24.	Mar. 23	Apr. 2			
18.	Jan. 26	Feb. 5	25.	Apr. 6	Apr. 16			
19.	Feb. 2.	Feb. 12	26.	May. 4	May 14			
20.	Feb. 9	Feb. 19	27.	June 8	June 18			
21.	Feb. 16	Feb. 26	28.	July 6	July 16			
22.	Feb. 23	Mar. 5	29.	Aug. 3	Aug. 13			
23.	Mar. 9	Mar. 19	30.	Sept. 7	Sept. 18			

### DX Time Machine

From the Pages of DX News

50 years ago ... from the January 19, 1957 DXN: Harold Schrock, Paxton, IL reported "poor-to-fair" reception of 4VEC on 1197 kc/s with its NRC DX program on 12/22, along with Radio Popular, Bogotá, on 1200 kc/s; heard on 12/24 were Venezuela-780 at 0500 and Trinidad-785 at 0515.

25 years ago ... from the January 25, 1982 DXN: John Malicky, Pittsburgh, PA reported an "amazing" December 24, as he heard CKNS-904, WITN-930, WLLL-930, KLCN-910, WHNC-890, and WKDE-1000 that night.

10 years ago: ... from the January 27, 1997 DXN: Publisher Paul Swearingen reported mailing 782 copies of DXN the previous week, down from the high of 820 a year previous. 

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

			(	CALL LETTER CH	ANGES		
	Old Call			New Call			
1130	WJGY	KY	Murray	WOFC		WDOV	
1600	WRJE	DE	Dover	WJRE			
				<u>CPs ON THE</u>	AIR	BIG 14 DOVER	
710	WEGG	NC	Rose Hill	- CP for D1 2500/0 is			
790	WQSV			City - CP for U1 2000		air.	
840	КМРН			-		00/5000 is on the air from :	five
				day, 5-night) <b>at N37-4</b>			
860	KTRB	CA				sto) with U4 50000/5000	)0 is
			on the air.				
910	WBZU	PA	Scranton -	- CP to move to the tr	ansmitter to th	e WEJL-630 site <b>has been</b>	ı re-
			ported to	<b>be on the air</b> . WEJL's	tower is abou	t 30 feet taller than that of	the
			ex-WBZU	antenna, thus a powe	er reduction to	U1 900/440 is necessitate	ed.
1050	WBRG	VA	Lynchbur	g - CP to for U1 4000	98 is on the a	ir.	
1060	WQMV	ΤN	-	0		00/4 is on the air from a r	new
				r location of N36-05-1			
1130	WOFC	KY				on is now licensed. Char	nge
				FC listing to D1 1500		1	
1290	WTMI				0 0	httime service, <b>is on the</b> a	air.
1350	WNNG	GA	Warner Ko	obins - CP for U2 15	000/500 is on t	he air.	
			GR	ANTS FOR NEW S	STATIONS		
1400	NEW	NV		• CP granted for U1		8-05-06 W117-13-18.	
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				<u>ACTIONS</u>			
630	WUNO	PR	San Juan -	• CP granted for U4 5	<b>000/5000</b> from	two new towers at N18-25	5-59
			W66-16-22				
860	WFMO	NC	-	0 0		n Fairmont <b>and increase t</b> l	
			+			be building four new tow	vers
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						night) <b>at N37-37-08 W77</b> - nis site is the transmitter	
						plex into the two WREJ-1	
						array a total of four tower	
1070	CBA	NB			0	application to move to 1	
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				August 2007, as that's		e	
1400	КНСВ	ΤX		6		y-of-License from Galvest	ton,
			and to er	ect two new towers	at N29-25-35	W95-08-00 and become	: U4
			1000/1000.				
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1100				NTS TO CONSTR			т 1
1180	WFYL	ľA	•			was granted <b>Program</b>	
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						seems the FCC is delinqu	
						more are awaiting action.	
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			APPLICATIONS
720	WGCR	NC	<b>Pisgah Forest -</b> Applies for a power increase to become D1 25000/0 CH 15000.
960	WSVU	FL	<b>North Palm Beach -</b> Applies for a nighttime power increase to become U4 1200/1400.
1060	KRCN	CO	<b>Longmont -</b> Licensed for <b>U1 50000/111</b> operating from two different sites, KRCN applies to move the nighttime transmitter location to that of an exist-
1490	KZZZ	AZ	ing tower, and inch up the power to become U1 50000/112. Bullhead City – CP granted to relocate their transmitter site to the existing 286' #1 tower of an unused 3-tower array at N35-10-08 W114-38-16. KZZZ
1580	КККК	CO	<b>will remain U1</b> 1000/1000. <b>Colorado Springs -</b> Applies to increase their nighttime power to become U1 10000/140.
550	WASG	AL	AMENDMENTS TO APPLICATIONS Atmore - Licensed for U1 10000/143, WASG applied to move to Daphne, Alabama with U1 5000/157, then reduced the daytime power of that ap- plication to 3500 Watts. Now they have requested the 3500 Watt amendment be dismissed, so the U1 5000/157 request at Daphne remains.
1250	NEW	AZ	Many Farms - Initial application was for U1 250/250 CH 250. This amend- ment requests U7 12000/250 CH250.
1340	NEW	NV	<b>Winnemucca</b> - Initial application was for U1 250/250. This amendment updates some of the exhibits, plus stipulates the applicant will dismiss its
1550	NEW	ТΧ	(Auction 84) proposal to construct a station on 1230 kHz at Winnemucca. <b>Alpine -</b> Their initial application was for U1 250/250 CH 250. This amend- ment requests U17 5000/250 CH 250. [It appears we have a new antenna designation: U17. That's DA days, and non-DA CH and nights]
			APPLICATIONS FOR RECONSIDERATION
1040	WCHR		<b>Flemington</b> - Licensed for U4 4700/1500, WCHR was granted a CP for U7 15000/2500 CH 7500. They later amended the application to read U7 15000/1500 CH 7500 which was dismissed. They have re-submitted the
1170	WKFL	FL	application with changes. <b>Bushnell -</b> Licensed for <b>D1 1000/0</b> , WKFL applied for D4 10000/0 CH 5000 but was dismissed by the FCC. They have resubmitted the application
1370	WOCA	FL	addressing those issues which caused the dismissal. <b>Ocala -</b> Petition for reconsideration accepted for their license renewal. The FCC
1450	NEW	AZ	had cancelled their license due to the fact they failed to file for renewal. <b>Window Rock -</b> Initial application dismissed by the FCC. This petition re- submitted with changes to the technical data.
1460	КНОЈ	MO	<b>St. Charles -</b> Licensed for <b>D3 5000/0</b> , KHOJ has a <b>CP for U4 5000/85</b> . They submitted an application to add a 4 <sup>th</sup> tower in order to further upgrade to U4 5000/350, which was dismissed. They have re-submitted the application
1490	NEW	OR	slightly changing the nighttime pattern. <b>Madras -</b> Initial application dismissed by the FCC. This petition resubmitted the application with changes to the technical data.
1490	CFWB	BC	<b>APPLICATIONS DISMISSED</b> <b>Campbell River -</b> The CRTC has the <b>denied</b> the application of CFWB to move to 106.1 MHz with 663 Watts.
870	KRLA	CA	<b>CORRECTIONS</b> <b>Glendale -</b> On-line reports indicate their <b>CP for U4 50000/3000</b> (increasing the day power) <b>is on the air</b> . However, the FCC records do not indicate this at our deadline. Stay tuned [frequency corrected from Issue 11. But the FCC still doesn't indicate KRLA has upped the power]
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Expiring? Time to renew? Not sure when? Need to call or e-mail someone or join e-DXN or DXAS? Check the back page - it's all there!

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□ Fines: **WBCE-1200** Wickliffe, Kentucky was fined \$7000 for failure to file for renewal in a timely manner.

□ Thanks to Shawn Axelrod, Wayne Heinen, Deane McIntyre, Ken Onyschuk, Dave Schmidt and (the retired?) Jerry Starr.

GRAVEYARD DX UPDATE								
<u>TOTALS</u> :	<u>1230</u>	<u>1240</u> 1	1340	1400	1450	<b>1490 TOTAL</b>		
Ron Bailey Shelby, NC	37	36	36	34	35	<u>39</u> 217		
Geomagnetic Summary High "A" values indicate possible auroral conditions								
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# Domestic DX Digest

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# DDXD-West

FROM THE VAST WESTLAND

- ▲ We're getting a little of the new year behind us, and new stations are being added to the logbook. John Rieger reports: "Two double-oh-seven is really off to a great start. Four new ones thus far! This already equals January of '05. Average since 2000 for January is 2.28 logs, so I'm kinda happy. Hoping to get logging #2200 by year's end; I'm at 2,175 now. My fingers are crossed." So are ours for you, John! Good luck on your goal, and let us know when you reach it.
- Even your faithful Editor reports a new station heard in this issue, as do Karl Forth, Greg Harris and **Wayne Heinen**. How about you? Hearing something new? Please let us know. 73 Bill

#### Reporters

- Dale Park, Honolulu. Sangean ATS-818CS, Terk AM1000 loop. DP-HI
- Greg Harris, Park Forest. Icom R75 / Quantum Loop. GH-IL
- GT-FL Gerry Thomas, Pensacola. Various receivers; QX v2.0 loops; Quantum Phaser and longwires.
- JJR-WI John J. Rieger, South Milwaukee. Icom IC-R75, Kiwa loop, MFJ-959B tuner-preamp, or GE Superadio III, Terk AM1000 loop.
- John Tucker KG7RS, Mesa. Icom IC-R75, varactor-tuned 3' box loop, 60' Inverted-L, JT-AZ Quantum Phaser.
- JW-CO John Wilkins, Wheat Ridge. Drake R-8, 4-foot box loop.
- KDF-IL Karl D. Forth, Chicago. Drake R8, Quantum Loop, Sangean ATS-909.
- Wayne Heinen, Aurora. Drake R8B, N/S Flag, E/W Flag, Modified 4 foot NRC Altazi-WH-CO muth loop, 15 foot vertical whip, Dual TG-1 Termination Gizmo w/2 BUF-F amplifiers, Mini-DXP5, DX Engineering RPA-1.
- Your editor, Madison. Drake R8B, Quantum QX Pro loop. Ed.-WI

#### Station News

- NV Las Vegas. 1/6 2100. Ending casino spot. "Fox Sport 1460 KENO Las Vegas" to 1460 **KENO** FSR programming-- this a change from previous SNR affiliation. (WH-CO)
- **KZMP** TX University Park. 1/5 0835. Heard on this and other occasions running this 1540 repeating message by a female voice: "It's time to switch over to KZMP 104.9 FM, Radio Salaam Namaste...." A male voice followed with New Year's greetings and telephone number 972-401-1049, then the female finished up the message in a South Asian language; the entire message lasted about 40 seconds. A sign of impending changes for the AM? (JW-CO)
- 1540 **KZMP** TX University Park. 1/5 1745. Atop ZNS1 with tape loop: "It's time to switch over to KZMP 104.9 FM, Radio Salaam Namaste. This is KZMP 15-40 AM." Accented female and male speakers. (GT-FL) (Bill Hale monitored 1540 and 104.9 on 1/10, and found that Radio Salaam Namaste had indeed moved to FM. On 1540 he heard up-tempo SS ranchera music and chatter. The tape loop promoting the move to 104.9 has ended. Ed.-WI)
- CO Lakewood. 1/7 2000. The promised change to ESPN has taken place (ex-KCKK **KEPN** 1600 with C&W). "This is the new ESPN Radio 1600 KEPN Lakewood-Denver, a Lincoln Financial Group Station and at espnradio1600.com." My 7th call for this one since 1978. (WH-CO)

#### **Off Frequency**

- MS Bay Saint Louis. 1/1 1200. Off-frequency with "WBSL, your blues connec-1189.8 WBSL tion." Back on frequency (1190) on 1/2. (GT-FL)
- 1420.04 KMOG AZ Payson. 1/10 0905. Weather forecast; Payson and Strawberry ads, then C&W



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Ū			music; in and out for the next 20 minutes. Arizona news headlines noted at 0930. They've been on this frequency for several years not terribly far off nominal, but definitely noticeable as one is tuning 1420. <b>(JW-CO)</b>
800	UNID		Presumed, Tentative, UnID 1/10 0100. Out of SS religion. "KRSX 1590 Victorville" in EE then back to SS
1450	UNID		religion. New format and // for KBFP Bakersfield? (WH-CO) 1/3 0915. C&W music; then male announcer says "It's legitimate and it's on 105.7 and 97.5Colorado's Legitimate Country." Suspect KAVP, since 105.7 was their // FM when they were AC as "The Eagle." (JW-CO)
550	KCRS	ТΧ	Regular DX Loggings (times in ELT) <b>Midland. 1/6 1931.</b> "Sports Saturday Night (missed) KCRS" by a male an- nouncer and Texas ads. Weak in the babble. New. <b>(GH-IL)</b>
640	WGOC	TN	<b>Blountville. 1/3 0811.</b> Poor though clear with calls and comments. WMFN
660	KSKY	ΤХ	nulled. NEW! (JJR-WI) Balch Springs. 1/1 1821. Stopped turning the dial when I heard discussion re: Machiavelli and Francis Bacon (huh? On AM?). 'Twas "Newstalk 6-60,
660	KTNN	AZ	K-Sky." Power/pattern switch at 1846; signal excellent until then. (GT-FL) Window Rock. 1/1 1900. After KSKY power/pattern switch, noted soft-spo- ken, unreadable male way under QRM. Nulled WFAN, got a partial null on the Mexican and heard two "Window Rock" mentions at ToH. Weak, tough signal with additional QRM from WORL and others off the backside of the loop. Reasonably sure of KTNN but will keep trying for a solid callsign. KFI,
	1/1 77	60	KSL, KOA better than usual later this night. (GT-FL)
670	KLTT	CO	<b>Commerce. 1/6 1101.</b> "KLT Denver" at ToH. Promo for kltt.com into news. Good signal. <b>(JT-AZ)</b>
740	WVLN	IL	<b>Olney. 1/9 0758.</b> Poor and alone with legal ID into school menu, ESPN sports.
750	СКЈН	SK	Rare! (JJR-WI) Melfort. 1/11 0813. Poor and alone with "CK-750" jingle, morning chatter. Oldies. (JJR-WI)
760	KFMB	CA	San Diego. 1/8 2200. "AM 760 KFMB San Diego" to ABC news. KKZN phase nulled. (WH-CO)
760	WJR	MI	<b>Detroit.</b> 1/9 0200. "NewsRadio 760 WJR Detroit" with KKZN phase nulled. (WH-CO)
760	KCCV	KS	<b>Overland Park. 1/9 0500.</b> AM 760 KCCV Overland Park-Kansas City"; mentioned 24/7 schedule. KKZN phase nulled. New for me. <b>(WH-CO)</b>
770	WVNN	AL	Athens. 1/11 0810. Poor with no WABC. "Talk 770 AM, 95 FM WVNN." (JJR-WI)
790	KFPT	CA	<b>Clovis. 1/2 1906.</b> "Hi, this is Randi Rhodes and you're listening to Fresno's Progressive Talk, left-thinking 790, left channel KFPT," and into the Randi Rhodes program. Fairly good copy until 1915, then very spotty afterwards with long fades and QRM from dominant KNST. A needed call change here, last heard as KOQO. (JW-CO)
790	KBME	ТХ	Houston. 1/2 1950. "The Sports Animal Dot Com" slogan, then Houston area ads. Fair at best on peaks. (JW-CO)
810	WMGC	TN	Murfreesboro. 1/3 0800. Very poor though clear. "Murfreesboro-Nashville"
840	KMPH	CA	heard during SS programming. In with four others. Rare. (JJR-WI) Modesto. 1/6, 1115. Announcement "The new AM 840 KMPH, playing music with class" into older adult standards music. Good signal. (JT-AZ)
850	WXJC	AL	<b>Birmingham. 12/28 0010.</b> Noted because IDs were "WDJC" (FM affiliate) except at ToH. Good with soft Christian music and "A God and Country Station" slogan. ( <b>GT-FL</b> )
850	KEYH	ТХ	Houston. 12/28 0059. Atop with KEYH ID in SS and Mazda spot, laid-back
860	KPAN	ТХ	Latin American music and US oldies in SS. <b>(GT-FL)</b> <b>Hereford. 1/3 0359.</b> Legal ID barely heard through QRM at exactly 0359:00: "You are tuned to Texas Overnighton KPAN AM and FM Hereford, Texas." Faded shortly after this. <b>(JW-CO)</b>
930 930	WTAD KWOC		Quincy. 1/5 0727. Very poor over others with calls, sports. Rare. (JJR-WI)
930	KWOC	MU	<b>Poplar Bluff. 1/9 0748.</b> Poor to fair with up-and-down fades. Calls into ads. Not common. <b>(JJR-WI)</b>

070	мсти	VV	Lawioville 1/4 0025 Taking its turn aton with talk about Duke Lamossa teem
970	WGTK	Κĭ	<b>Louisville.</b> 1/4 2235. Taking its turn atop with talk about Duke Lacrosse team.
			(GT-FL)
970	WGTK		Louisville. 1/11 0805. Poor, slightly over others. Calls. (JJR-WI)
970	KBUL	MT	Billings. 1/7 2202. Tough copy but ToH announcement plainly heard. "News-
			Radio 970 KBUL" was followed by broadcast of a ball game. A nice surprise,
			and I'll be looking for it under better conditions. (JT-AZ)
1010	WSPT	WI	Stevens Point. 1/10 0709. Fair with local news, Weather Channel forecast,
			calls. Never in this well. (JJR-WI)
1020	KJJK	MN	Thief River Falls. 1/3 0753. Poor with KDKA nulled. "Groovy 1020" heard
	00		after ads. (JJR-WI)
1060	WQMV	TN	Waverly. 1/1 0646. Poor to fair and steady with KYW nulled. Local ads, calls
	~		and oldies. NEW! (JJR-WI)
1100	WISS	WI	Berlin. 1/1 0808. Poor with WTAM nulled. Ads, PSAs, calls. Ex- 1090. (JJR-
			WI)
1100	KDRY	ТХ	Alamo Heights. 1/10 1829. "Christian radio KDRY, K-Dry." Fair with WTAM
			phased. Standard preaching. (GT-FL)
1110	KDIS	CA	<b>Pasadena.</b> 1/5 1920. Radio Disney programming. Good signal with KFAB
	112 10	0.1	phased. (JT-AZ)
1160	KSL	IT	Salt Lake City. 12/28 0557. End of "Wall Street Journal Today." PSA for Hope
1100	ROL	U I	Alliance of Utah, Temple Square chime, ID "This is KSL-FM Midvale, KSL
			Salt Lake City." ABC Information news followed, five seconds behind KHBZ
			990 and with different network ads. Fair to poor. ( <b>DP-HI</b> )
1170	WACV	ΔŢ	Montgomery. 1/1 0711. Poor with calls between songs. Others nulled. Rare.
1170	MACV	AL	(JJR-WI)
1180	WSQR	п	Sycamore. 1/8 0816. Poor under local TIS. Calls. Ex-1560. NEW! (JJR-WI)
1210	WLDR		<b>Kingsley.</b> 1/4 0821. Poor but alone, with calls. Not common. (JJR-WI)
1210	KASL		<b>Newcastle. 1/3 1905.</b> Weather forecast, call letter ID, then ABC Sports at 1906.
1240	RAJL	** 1	Briefly overrode the competition. (JW-CO)
1240	WPBQ	MS	<b>Flowood. 1/10 1858.</b> Steadily atop the frequency with poor signal; basketball
1240	MIDQ	IVIS	game between the Millsaps Majors and the U of Dallas Lady Crusaders. (GT-
			FL)
1250	KNEU	ITT	<b>Roosevelt. 12/29 1801.</b> ToH announcement "AM 1250 KNEU Roosevelt, Utah"
1230	NINEO	UI	into Ed Bruce song "My First Taste of Texas." Real Country network music.
			At 1821 announcement "Set your radio to AM 1250 KNEU. We'll always be
			there with the country legends". Excellent signal. Reception report sent. (JT-
			AZ)
1260	WDKN	TN	<b>Dickson. 1/11 0743.</b> Poor but nice in fade-up with "Bluegrass Hour Satur-
1200	WDRIN	111	days at 4 PM on ???? 1260 WDKN"; WSDZ then overpowered it. Only second
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1310	WTLC	IN	time heard; the first was in 12/86. <b>(JJR-WI)</b> <b>Indianapolis. 1/3 0736.</b> Poor with lively contest promo, phone number. Rare.
1310	WILC	111	(JJR-WI)
1310	KMBS	ТА	West Monroe. 1/10 2050. Fair but with QRM, with nostalgia format. "This is
1310	<b>KWIDS</b>	LA	KMBS West Monroe, Louisiana" at ToH. (GT-FL)
1310	WYND	СІ	
1510	WIND	ГL	<b>Deland.</b> 1/10 2100. Just the ID popped up after the KMBS ID with "You're listoning to WYND Deland" (CT EL)
1240	KVOT	NINA	listening to WYND Deland." (GT-FL)
1340	<b>KVUI</b>		<b>Taos. 1/6 0159.</b> Out of a dot.com ad with a legal ID at 0159:48 ("KVOT Taos
			New Mexico's"). Poor in KCFR's null. Last heard eons ago as KKIT. (JW-CO)
1240	KCOI	NINT	
1340	KCQL	INIVI	Aztec. 1/6 0359. Fair with legal ID in KCFR's null: "Covering New Mexico
			sports in the Four Corners, KCQL Aztec-Farmington-Durango" into Fox
1240	VCEM	NIE	Sports Update. (JW-CO)
1340	KGFW	INE	<b>Kearney.</b> 1/6 0406. Weather summary, then man says "Your weather station
			around the clock, 1340 KGFW." Barely punching through the pileup. (JW-
1200	MANDO	<b>1471</b>	CO)
1360	WVRQ		Viroqua. 1/3 0736. Poor in fade-up. News, sports, ads, calls. Rare. (JJR-WI)
1370	WLLM	1L	<b>Lincoln. 1/4 0830.</b> Poor to fair at power-up with nice legal ID, request line
1050		MO	number. (JJR-WI) Recentille 1/4 0822 Very poor buried in more of KDTH WILLM WEDD and
1370	KWRT	NIU	<b>Boonville.</b> 1/4 0833. Very poor, buried in mess of KDTH, WLLM, WSPD and
			WCCN, with legal ID. (JJR-WI)

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1380	WFCL	WI	<b>Clintonville.</b> 1/1 0800. Very poor in a tight null with legal ID, ABC news.
			Clear but way under others. Nostalgia format. Rare. (JJR-WI)
1390	WTJS	TN	Jackson. 1/1 0705. Poor under WGRB. Calls noted in passing. (JJR-WI)
1390	WRIG	WI	Schofield. 1/3 0819. Poor but way over everything, with "Big Rig 1390" slo-
			gan. No WGRB! (JJR-WI)
1400	WBIZ	WI	Eau Claire. 1/5 2200-2220. Sounded like high school football play-by-play.
			Two ads that mentioned Eau Claire, and one clear "1400 Radio WBIZ" ID.
			First timer! (KDF-IL)
1410	KGSO	KS	Wichita. 1/4 0900. "The college football bowl games played here. SportsRadio
			1410 KGSO Wichita or kgso.com. A Steckline Communications Station," to
1410	VCCO	VC	ESPN programming. (WH-CO)
1410	KGSO	К5	Wichita. 1/6 0859. Local weather; then legal ID by male voice at 0859:52
			("Thanks for making us Number One for sports Sports Radio 1410 KGSO Wights and worldwide at kase com"): ESPNI Radio Sports Content was payt
			Wichita, and worldwide at kgso.com"); ESPN Radio SportsCenter was next at 0900. Fair. ( <b>JW-CO</b> )
1430	KLO	IJТ	<b>Ogden. 1/5 0854.</b> "Morning in America" in progress; legal ID at 0859:50 fol-
1100	NEO	01	lowing a couple of ads: ("KLO Ogden-Provo").Good on peaks but fadey
			in KEZW null. (JW-CO)
1470	WEMM	WV	Huntington. 1/10 1800. Poor to fair with multiple station QRM and local 1480
			slop. Religious music, message from West Virginia Broadcasters Association,
			three cities in legal ID: Huntington-Ashland (KY)-Ironton (OH). New, first
			one for 2007! (EdWI)
1480	KPHX	AZ	Phoenix. 1/4 2200. "AM 1480 KPHX Phoenix" to Air America news. (WH-
1100	KDVD	ID	
1480	KRXR	ID	<b>Gooding.</b> 1/5 0000. Out of SS music. "KRXR 1480 Gooding, Idaho" in EE with
1490	KKAN	ĸs	heavy reverb. (WH-CO) Phillipsburg. 1/3 0200. Out of nostalgia music. "KKAN Philipsburg." (WH-
1490	INIAIN	KS	CO)
1530	KXTD	OK	<b>Wagoner. 1/5 0820.</b> Latino tunes; male announcer taking phone calls; canned
		_	laughter; "La Qué Buena" slogans and CST time checks. Very good signal.
			(JW-CO)
1540	WBNL	IN	<b>Boonville. 1/9 0630.</b> Fair to good, 30/10, with two songs, PSA, calls, Network
			Indiana news. First new log on 1540 since 10/87! NEW! (JJR-WI)
1550	ККЈҮ	NM	Albuquerque. 1/5 1902. "Now back to your favorites on K-Joy AM 1550" into
			Anne Murray song. "AM 1550 KJY" jingle ID at 1906 into Dave Brubeck's
1500	<b>1471 11</b>	TNI	"Take Five." Good signal with KUAZ Tucson phased. (JT-AZ)
1580 1600	WLIJ KGYM		
1600	KGIWI	IA	<b>Cedar Rapids. 1/7 2100.</b> Out of ESPN promos. "KGYM Cedar Rapids, Iowa, this is 1600 ESPN Radio." KEPN phased and a needed call change. <b>(WH-</b>
			CO)
1600	KXTA	UT	<b>Centerville. 1/8 0201.</b> "KXTA Centerville-Ogden-Salt Lake City" in EE, "1600
1000		• •	AM" in SS. New for me! KEPN Phased. (WH-CO)
1600	KRKE	NM	
			a New Mexico owned Vanguard Media station." Taped another needed call
			change. (WH-CO)
1600	WWRL	NY	New York. 1/10 1806. Fair over others. Calls, "Air America Flagship" slogan.
			(JJR-WI)

## **DDXD-East**

REPORTERS

- **BC-NH** Bruce Conti, Nashua R8B, MWDX-5, 50 x 75-ft terminated broadband loops east and south
- **HF-MI** Harold Frodge, Midland Drake R8B + 215' center-fed RW, 85' end-fed RW, 125' bow-tie
- **IEN-GA** Ira Elbert New, III, Watkinsville Drake R8B 135' N/S Wire, Quantum QX loop v2.0, Quantum phaser
- **RP-IN Robert Pote, Greenwood** Drake R8A, Quantum Loop
- JR-NY Jim Renfrew, Clarendon Drake R8B, 500' longwire west, 100' longwire south, Quantum Phaser
- **FV-OH** Fred Vobbe, Lima Yaesu FT857D w/95ft folded dipole.

LW-NY MKB-0			<b>d, East Meadow</b> - Sony 2010, Radio Shack loop <b><er, b="" toronto<=""> – Grundig YB-400PE, Panasonic RF-2200</er,></b>
1330	WFNN		ON NEWS (from 100000watts.com, courtesy Niel Wolfish) <b>Erie -</b> drops sports and picks up "Froggy" oldies, just dropped on sister WFGO 94.7. Some of WFNN's sports programming will move to talk WJET-1400.
950			- 12/31 2050 - in with "The New sports Talk 950" ID. Sports talk from Tom & Jerry's, broadcasting in HD. (LW-NY)
1090			- 1/10 1720-1730 – Heard a NC spot then into almost oldie tune. Covered @1730 by WCRA & didn't come back. Possibly WTSB Salem NC, as they've increased power to 9 KW. New if them. (HF-MI)
1700			- 1/11 2330 - NOAA weather for NJ, NY, and CT, probably a NYC vicinity HAR/TIS; through KBGG, WEUP, and WQBY206. ( <b>BC-NH</b> )
			LOGGINGS
540	WGOP	MD	<b>Pocomoke City</b> - 12/4 1718 - "WGOP 540" station ID, NOS music. Fair, under WLIE & WFLF. (LW-NY)
	WFLF	FL	<b>Pine Hills -</b> 12/4 1723 - Traffic report & weather, then into talk program. Fair-good, mixing with WLIE & WGOP. <b>(LW-NY)</b>
		+++	1/10 0605 - Station ID heard "WFLA time is 6:05" also mention of going to
			WFLA.com this was followed by program line up for the rest of the morn- ing. Several WFLA ID's heard but WFLF not given. Poor quality signal with much fading and noise. <b>(RP-IN)</b>
560	WVOC	SC	<b>Columbia</b> - 1/3 1755 - Male voice said "You're here on WVOC" then into a talk show with man discussing various sights to see in S. Carolina. Poor
580	CFRA	ON	signal but faded up enough to hear station ID, new one for me. <b>(RP-IN)</b> <b>Ottawa</b> - 1/11 2232 - Weather forecast for 2 to 4 cm of snow, "News/Talk Ra- dio 580 CFRA," ads, and local antiques talk; good with local WTAG nulled. <b>(BC-NH)</b>
680	WCTT	КҮ	<b>Corbin</b> - 1/10 0555 - Station slogan heard "Bringing back old memories WCTT-AM" followed by several big band era type songs by unid groups. Faded up over several others in the mix. <b>(RP-IN)</b>
690	KTSM	ТХ	<b>El Paso</b> - 1/10 0055 - Noted with "Newstalk 690" ID, conclusion of Alan Colmes Show, another ID at 0100, Fox News, then Coast to Coast. New, and
720	WGCR	NC	completely unexpected. Interference from Montreal 690. (JR-NY) <b>Pisgah Forest</b> – 1/5 1642-1707 - Gospel music; local wx @1644; USA Radio News @1655; local news w/Christy Johnson @1700; North Carolina News Network spot & sports. Occasional copyable peak u/WGN before 1700, then mainly o/WGN. (HF-MI)
880	KRVN	NE	<b>Lexington</b> - 1/8 1805 - Tuned in while several ads given, Black Motor co, Fairfield Grain, etc. Station ID at 1806 then into a regional weather report for the Nebraska area. A very solid signal way over usual WCBS. <b>(RP-IN)</b>
		+++	1/9 - 1806-1818 - KRVN Weather Watch; KRVN Beef Boosters spot; WY-NE Livestock report; C&W tune. Copyable u/WCBS; another C&W also there. <b>(HF-MI)</b>
890	WAMG	MA	<b>Dedham –</b> 1/11 1716 – way over nulled WLS with preview of upcoming Patriots playoff game, taking calls at 1-866-ESPN-890, promo for Mike and
950	WIBX	NV	Mike ESPN morning show on "890 ESPN in Boston". (MKB-ON) Utica – 1/9 1730 – creaming usual WWJ with promo for Herkimer County
950	WIDA	111	Community College mentioning Herkimer.edu website into local weather: "now the latest WIBX Weather Channel forecast for the Mohawk Valley". (MKB-ON)
990	CKGM	QC	Montreal - 12/9 1757 - "Montreal's sports Authority" "The Team, 990," ID.
1040	WWBA	FL	Good, dominant signal. <b>(LW-NY)</b> <b>Pinellas Park</b> - 1/7 1905 - Best of Boortz, a replay of the Neal Boortz show. Good signal at times, but decent for the most part, mixing with WHO in Des
			Moines, IA. "Newstalk, AM 1040, WWBA". (IEN-GA)
1050	CKSB	MB	<b>Winnipeg</b> - 1/9 2110 - French Format, talk show in progress between two Frenchmen several mentions of Canada heard. I haven't heard this one in

		quite awhile as CHUM is usually heard here. ( <b>RP-IN</b> )
WAPI	AL	<b>Birmingham -</b> 12/15 1730 - in with newscast & "WAPI 1070" ID. Weak signal,
		#6 heard from AL (LW-NY)
	+++	1/10 1759 - Peaked up & heard "The Big Talker WAPI Birmingham" & gave
VUMO	мо	way to CBA? (HF-MI)
κπινίο	MO	Hannibal - 1/10 - 1750 - Sean Hannity & "News-Talk 10-70 KHMO". ID'd & disappeared suddenly @1800 Eair   peaks mixing w/CBA2 MO #26 Need
		disappeared suddenly @1800. Fair+ peaks mixing w/CBA? MO #26. Need USB to avoid IBOC splatter. (HF-MI)
СВА	NB	<b>Moncton</b> – $1/10$ 1751-1806+ - As It Happens just part of the mix before 1800
CDA		then on top $w/CBC$ News then Moncton weather. "This is CBC Radio 1,
		10-70 in Moncton". 1805 As It Happens continued. (HF-MI) If you need New
		Brunswick, get CBA while you can. They will soon be moving to FM. Mike.
WOAP	MI	<b>Owasso</b> – $1/60757$ – Promo for local show concluding with "right here on
		WOAP". Lost at 8:00 when unknown SS station went to day facilities. (FV-
		OH)
WCRA	IL	Effingham - 1/10 1730-1735+ - Call ID & spot for Independent Oil & Gas
		Producers of IL & into UNID talk program. Suddenly on top @1730 for 5
		min. till religious station took over. IL #54 (HF-MI)
WTNK	ΤN	Hartsville – 1/10 1738 - C&W music, call ID. Poor in mix. Not new but very
		rare. (HF-MI)
WOAI	ΤX	San Antonio - 12/31 2021 - Political talk, discussion, on "News Radio 1200,
		WOAI." Good, over & under WAGE. (LW-NY)
WAGE	VA	Leesburg – 12/31 2021 - in with FOX sports talk. Talk/discussion about
		Florida vs. Ohio State game, & NFL playoff picture. Mention of program
01 0 <b>7</b>		"The Garden," Sat.'s 8-11 AM. (LW-NY)
CJCB	NS	Sydney - 1/11 2115 - Excellent on east antenna; "CJCB Country" ID, jingle,
		and contemporary C&W vocals. (BC-NH)
WDTW	MI	<b>Dearborn</b> - 1/9 1917 - Female host of talk show discussing 9/11 disaster
		and its aftermath with a liberal slant. Also mention of Air America and Al
		Franken followed by ad touting incorporating your business in Delaware.
		Station ID at 1923 "1310 WDTW", new call letters WWWW shown in 27th log never given. Excellent signal in partial local WTLC-1310 null, 1st time heard.
		( <b>RP-IN</b> ) Dearborn-1310 is a serial call-changer. They've burned through more calls
		than I can remember over the years. FWIW, "DTW" is the code for Detroit Metro
		Wayne County Airport. Mike.
WIAS	РА	<b>Pittsburgh</b> - 1/9 1908 - Nostalgic type music heard by the Andrews sisters
		, Anne Murray , Bobby Vinton , etc. fair to poor signal best in USB , station
		ID at 1915 "Pittsburgh's station for original music 1320 WJAS " ( <b>RP- IN</b> )
WSPD	ОН	Toledo - 1/9 1800 - News at the top of the hour then into a sports talk pro-
		gram with station ID at 1812 "Newstalk 1370 WSPD" fair signal but some
		distortion heard while in. ( <b>RP-IN</b> )
KDTH	IA	Dubuque – 1/10 1755 – over usual WSPD with promo for University of Iowa
		basketball: "we'll have the Iowa-Illinois game right here on 1370 KDTH".
		(MKB-ON)
WEOK	NY	Poughkeepsie - 1/11 1912 - Pop music, "Your music, your way, AM 1390
		Radio Disney," through WFBL and others. (BC-NH)
KQV	PA	Pittsburgh - 1/11 1830 - "Traffic and weather every ten minutes," airport
		temperature, "KQV news time" and "KQV News Center" slogans, over unID
	DA	music in WPOP "ESPN Radio 1410" null. (BC-NH)
WYHM	PA	Allentown-12/29 1837 - in with "The All New 1470 WYHM" ID. Slogan "your
MCCM	МЛА	inspiration station, 1470." (LW-NY)
VV CCIVI	IVIA	<b>Haverhill</b> - 1/11 1920 - <i>ESPN Deportes</i> sports talk in Spanish, over/under others. <b>(BC-NH)</b>
WARV	<b>B1</b>	Warwick - 12/29 1700 - in with "1590 WARV" ID. Local weather, followed
1 1 <b>/ 1</b> 1 V	NI	by news on the hour. (LW-NY)
WTNI	MS	<b>Biloxi -</b> 11/30 0044 - Mention of Bill O'Reilly talk show, on "Talk Radio 1640,
·· <b>I</b> I <b>I</b>	1,10	WTNI." "The Gulf Coast Leader." New (LW-NY)
	WTNK WOAI WAGE CJCB WDTW WJAS WSPD KDTH	++++KHMOOMOOCBANBWOOAPMIWCRAILWOAITNWOAITNWOAINSWOAINSWOAINSWAGENSWIASPOAIAWACMIAWARVPAWARVRIWARVRI

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# International

DX Digest

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Foreign DX Catches. Times are UTC; for ELT, subtract 5 hrs.

Some nice mediumwave logs of Mexico, Spain, Tunisia, United Kingdom, and longwave broadcasts received with solar activity back to quiet levels more attune with the bottom of a sunspot cycle. The apparent departure of CFCY has cleared the way for transatlantic and tropical signals on 630 kHz, while 780 and 1070 may be next with CFDR 780 *Kicks* and CBA *CBC Radio One* clearing out in favor of FM.

#### Transatlantic DX

- 162 **FRANCE** *France-Inter*, Allouis (47°10′N 02°12′E) JAN 4 0345-0455 French; talk, news and pop music (0437 "Hit the Road Jack" Ray Charles); reception: fair to good, lighting crashes. [Cooper-NC] JAN 6 2330 Man and woman speaking in French. Good, steady signal (s4). [New-GA]
- 171 **MOROCCO** *R.Mediterranee Internationale,* Nador (35°03′N 02°55′W) JAN 4 0335-0450 -French and Arabic; talk and pop music; reception: fair to poor, lighting crashes, occasional deep fading to inaudibility. [Cooper-NC]
- 183 **GERMANY** *Europe 1,* Saarlouis (49°17′N 06°41′E) JAN 5 0242-0350 French; talk and pop music (0333 "Strawberry Fields Forever" - Beatles); reception: fair to poor, minimal static bursts. [Cooper-NC] JAN 6 2325 - Two men and a woman speaking in French. Good, steady signal (S5). [New-GA]
- 216 **FRANCE** *RMC* Roumoules (43°47′N 06°09′E) DEC 4 2223 Excellent with ads and discussion between two men in French; over beacon CLB. [DeLorenzo-MA] JAN 6 2320 Two men speaking in French. Good, steady signal (S7) mixed with CLB Carolina Beach NDB in Wilmington, NC. [New-GA]
- 549 **ALGERIA** *Chaîne 1,* Les Trembles (35°17′N 00°34′W) JAN 8 0331 Arabic vocal at very low audio level on fat carrier; best during fades of stronger-than-usual 550 WDEV. [Connelly-MA]
- 558 **SPAIN** *RNE5* synchros JAN 8 0325 Parallel 621 with Spanish talk; initially poor (in WGAN slop) but up to good level a few minutes later. [Connelly-MA]
- 567 **SPAIN** *RNE5* synchros JAN 8 0324 Spanish seemed dominant; quite a bit of Cuba/WMCA slop. [Connelly-MA]
- 576 **CANARY ISLANDS** / / **SPAIN** *RNE5* synchros JAN 8 0324 Parallel 585 with woman in Spanish, teletalk; very good. [Connelly-MA]
- 585 **SPAIN** *RNE1* Madrid (40°28'N 03°52'W) JAN 8 0324 Parallel 621 with teletalk, woman in Spanish; surprisingly good right next to local (10 mV/m) 590 WEZE. [Connelly-MA]
- 612 **MOROCCO** *RTM A,* Sebaa-Aioun (33°54'N 05°23'W) DEC 2 2245-2300 Fair with lively North African music (Arabic vocals, horns, drums) and apparent ID by man in Arabic at 2300. [DeLorenzo-MA] JAN 7 0512 - A cappella male Arabic vocal, then talk; good. [Connelly-MA]
- 621 **CANARY ISLANDS** // **SPAIN** *RNE1* synchros, Santa Cruz de Tenerife et al. JAN 7 0659 - Spanish news/talk by man. Very good signal peaks. Frequently audible for months now. [Beu-TX] JAN 7 0513 - Man in Spanish with interspersed music; to fair peak. JAN 8 0323 - Woman in studio, man on phone; to good peak. [Connelly-MA]
- 639 **SPAIN** *RNE1* La Coruña et al. JAN 8 0322 Spanish interview / commentary; poor in Cuba/CBN slop. [Connelly-MA]
- 684 **SPAIN** *RNE1* Sevilla (37°12′N 05°55′W) JAN 5 0309 Reports by man and woman. Very good signal. [Beu-TX]
- 711 **FRANCE** *France Info*, Rennes (47°51′N 01°30′W) JAN 6 0311 Parallel 1206 with instrumental music, then female vocal which seemed to be a French version of the easy-listening standard "The Best is Yet to Come"; over slop and growl. [Connelly-MA]
- 738 **SPAIN** *RNE1* Barcelona (41°23'N 02°12'E) JAN 8 0320 Parallel 774 with talk; through WJIB, CHWO, and CHCM slop. [Connelly-MA]
- 747 **CANARY ISLANDS** / / **SPAIN** *RNE5* synchros , JAN 7 0514 Man in Spanish; dominant. [Connelly-MA]
- 747 **NETHERLANDS** *Radio 5,* Flevoland (52°23′N 05°25′E) JAN 6 0307 Dutch news by man; to fair peak. [Connelly-MA]

- **GERMANY** *Deutschlandfunk,* Braunschweig & Ravensburg JAN 6 0342 Spanish talk; weak but dominant. [Connelly-MA]
- **SWITZERLAND** *RSR Option Musique,* Sottens (46°39'N 06°44'E) JAN 6 0305 French male vocal and cocktail-lounge style piano; good. [Connelly-MA]
- **SPAIN** *RNE1* synchros JAN 8 0319 Spanish telephone interview; over 770 WABC and 780 CFDR splatter. [Connelly-MA]
- **FRANCE** *France Info*, Limoges (45°56′N 01°10′E) JAN 6 0304 French news by woman; fair. [Connelly-MA]
- **CANARY ISLANDS** / / **SPAIN** *COPE* synchros JAN 7 0516 Bits of Spanish talk by woman; in jumble. [Connelly-MA]
- **SPAIN** *RNE1* synchros JAN 12 2300 Fair; significant synchro echo with double time marker, then familiar fanfare into news. [Conti-NH]
- **FRANCE** *France Bleu,* Villebon-sur-Yvette (48°41′N 02°14′E) JAN 6 0022 Woman in French, then "Believe" by Cher; fair to good. 0132 "Let It Be" by the Beatles; loud. [Connelly-MA]
- **UNITED KINGDOM** *BBC R.Wales,* Washford (51°10′N 03°21′W) JAN 6 0133 English talk, music; poor to fair. [Connelly-MA]
- 890.96 **ALGERIA** *Chaîne 1,* Algiers (36°40′N 03°09′E) JAN 6 0138 Group chant; fair. [Connelly-MA] JAN 8 0350 - Arabic music; fair to good in slop, parallel 153 kHz. [Barstow-MA]
- **UNITED KINGDOM** *BBC Radio* 5 Live synchros JAN 6 0302 BBC news mentioning Israelis and Palestinians; fair. [Connelly-MA]
- **TUNISIA** *R.Tunis Chaine Int'l*, Tunis-Djedeida (36°48'N 10°53'E) JAN 8 0405 Apparently shortly after sign-on as nothing much on this frequency before 0400. Woman in French playing music, a French vocal, then into an instrumental selection. This faded slowly into the weak mix of stations on this channel. New country. [Barstow-MA]
- **SPAIN** *COPE* Madrid (40°28'N 03°52'W) JAN 6 0036 Spanish discussion; good, over others. [Connelly-MA]
- **MOROCCO** *RTM A/C*, Sebaâ-Aioun (33°54′N 05°23′W) JAN 12 2320 Fair, over Spain; presumed with typical North African repetitive drums and strings. [Conti-NH]
- 1044 SPAIN SER synchros JAN 8 0316 Spanish newstalk; fair. [Connelly-MA]
- 1053.07 **LIBYA** *Libyan Jamahiriya,* Tripoli (32°50′N 13°00′E) JAN 12 2345 Fading up to loud and clear; Koranic recitations, carrier off at 2352 leaving *TalkSport* alone. [Conti-NH]
- **UNITED KINGDOM** *TalkSport* synchros JAN 12 2325 Talk parallel 1089 kHz, barely breaking over sub-audible het rumble of off-frequency Libya signal. [Conti-NH]
- **DENMARK** *Danmarks Radio*, Kalundborg (55°40′N 11°04′E) JAN 7 0519 Man in Danish, then pop vocal; fair. [Connelly-MA]
- **UNITED KINGDOM** *TalkSport* synchros JAN 6 0127 English teletalk; fair. [Connelly-MA] JAN 12 2329 *TalkSport* ID and telephone talk about economy and taxes through 1090 WBAL slop, slight synchro echo. [Conti-NH]
- **CROATIA** *Glas Hrvatske,* Zadar (44°06′N 15°15′E) JAN 6 0040 Slavic male vocal in a popfolk style; loud. [Connelly-MA] JAN 6 0313 - News reports by a woman in English followed by "Voice of Croatia" ID. Very good readable signal. [Beu-TX]
- **FRANCE** *France Info*, Bordeaux (44°57′N 00°11′W) DEC 4 2249-2257 Fair; news program with man and woman in French. Clear ID at 2257. [DeLorenzo-MA] JAN 6 0046 Woman in French with "France Info" mention, then talk by man; good. [Connelly-MA]
- **UNITED KINGDOM** *Virgin Radio* synchros JAN 6 0050 R.E.M. song "Everybody Hurts"; fair. [Connelly-MA] JAN 7 0704 - Announcements by woman followed by rock music. Very good signal peaks, strongest reception ever! [Beu-TX]
- **LIBYA** *Libyan Jamahiriya*, Tripoli (32°50′N 13°00′E) JAN 6 0051 Arabic talk by man at low audio level on strong carrier. [Connelly-MA]
- **FRANCE** *France Info*, Lille (50°31′N 02°59′E) JAN 8 0313 Orchestral music parallel much stronger 1206 kHz. [Connelly-MA]
- **GERMANY** *Deutschlandfunk*, Heusweiler (49°21′N 06°55′E) JAN 6 0110 Woman in German, then music; fair over others. [Connelly-MA] JAN 12 2235 Good; woman in German, parallel 6190 kHz. [Conti-NH]
- **LIBYA** *Voice of Greater Arab Homeland*, Misurata (32°46′N 15°05′E) JAN 6 0108 Arabic music fragments; in WNBP slop. [Connelly-MA]
- **FRANCE** *TWR* Roumoules (43°47′N 06°09′E) JAN 12 2250 Fair to good; man in Arabic. [Conti-NH]
- **SPAIN** *RNE5* Piñeira and La Línea de la Concepción JAN 6 0053 Spanish newstalk by man; fair with WTWP phased. [Connelly-MA]
- **BELGIUM** *R.Vlaanderen International,* Wolvertem (50°59'N 04°18'E) JAN 12 2307 Briefly

strong with a man in Flemish; subject to deep fades, sometimes completely disappearing only to return moments later almost local-like. [Conti-NH]

- 1521 **SAUDI ARABIA** *BSKSA* Duba (27°20′N 35°45′E) JAN 8 0340 Man in Arabic and segments of pop-style Arabic music; good, strongest high-band TA by a wide margin. [Connelly-MA]
- 1548 **MOLDOVA** *Voice of Russia,* Grigoriopol (47°14′N 29°24′E) JAN 12 2210-2230 Fair; Serbo-Croatian program, woman anchoring news/feature with brief instrumental interludes, 2224 flute instrumental, parallel 5940 kHz. [Conti-NH]
- 1557 **FRANCE** *France Info*, Fontbonne (43°46′N 07°25′E) JAN 6 0101 Parallel 1206 with fast-talk news by woman; through WQEW slop. [Connelly-MA] JAN 12 2240 Fair; woman with news in French, parallel a better 1206 signal. [Conti-NH]

### **Pan-American DX**

- 530 **CUBA** *R.Cadena Habana*, unknown location JAN 12 0325 Good, over *RVC*; baseball parallel 1100 kHz. [Conti-NH]
- 530 **TURKS & CAICOS** *R.Visión Cristiana*, South Caicos (21°30'N 71°31'W) JAN 8 0327 Christian vocals in Spanish; very good, well over Cuba/CIAO. [Connelly-MA]
- 550 **VENEZUELA** YVKE Caracas (10°32′N 66°55′W) JAN 12 0410 Good in WDEV null; political speech, many "revolución boliviana" and "venezolano" mentions, parallel *YVKE Mundial* streaming audio at *RNV* website. [Conti-NH]
- 555 **ST. KITTS & NEVIS** ZIZ Basseterre (17°19'N 62°44'W) JAN 8 0325 Light jazz/soul vocal; very good. No hint of 535 Grenada, so maybe that one's gone. [Connelly-MA] Various Internet reports indicate that 535 has been off the air.
- 570 **CUBA** CMDC *R.Reloj*, Santa Clara (22°24'N 79°56'W) DEC 8 2335 Loud and clear over WMCA with usual format of news in Spanish, syncopated clock, minute marker, and "RR" in Morse code. Heard on car radio in West Barnstable, MA. [DeLorenzo-MA]
- 630 unID JAN 6 0330 Spanish talk that may have been Puerto Rico, Cuba, or Venezuela. This was the only thing noted under WPRO at the time, so maybe CFCY has left the air? [Connelly-MA] JAN 12 0309 CFCY is probably off, only WPRO and *R.Progreso* Cuba noted here. [Conti-NH]
- 700 **COLOMBIA** HJCX *W Radio*, Cali (03°28'N 76°30'W) JAN 12 0205 English contemporary light rock vocals, announcements in Spanish; mostly under nulled WLW. [Conti-NH]
- 720 **CUBA** *R.Progreso*, unknown location JAN 6 0102 Good in WGN null; nostalgic salsa parallel 640 kHz. Harold Frodge in Michigan has reported this a couple times, first time logged by me. 2006 WRTH only lists CMHC *R.Rebelde* Cienfuegos on 720 kHz. [Conti-NH]
- 720 **JAMAICA** *RJR* Innswood, St.Catherine (18°00'N 76°47'W) DEC 6 2330 Excellent atop channel in auroral conditions with local news by woman in Caribbean accented English. Heard on car radio in West Barnstable, MA. [DeLorenzo-MA]
- 750 **VENEZUELA** YVKS *RCR* Caracas (10°29'N 67°00'W) DEC 8 1000 Loud and clear over WSB with national anthem; into news in Spanish at 1003; many "RCR" IDs. Heard on Grundig S350 barefoot. [DeLorenzo-MA]
- 760 **MEXICO** XENY Nogales, Son (31°20′N 110°57′W) JAN 9 0205 Callsign ID faded up with local KKZN phased. New for me! [Heinen-CO]
- 1170 **COLOMBIA** HJNW *CARACOL* Cartagena (10°27′N 75°32′W) JAN 6 0044 Spanish news about Colombia; over *R.Sawa*-UAE with WWVA phased. [Connelly-MA]
- 1340.6 unID JAN 6 0113 Het, possibly of domestic origin; about equal strength to 1341 N.Ireland. [Connelly-MA]
- 1460 **MEXICO** XECB San Luis de Colorado, Son JAN 7 0801 Up briefly over KXNO; callsign ID and Spanish tunes. Fair. [Heinen-CO]
- 1470 **MEXICO** XERCN Tijuana, BCN (32°30'N 116°58'W) JAN 6 1259 Full data call ID, "Radio España" slogans. [Heinen-CO]
- 1700 **MEXICO** XEPE Tecate (32°32′N 116°49′W) JAN 12 0530 Mexico tourism ad in accented English, "Tecate, Baja California" ID into talk program in English; poor in USB mode through KBGG, WEUP *The People's Station*, WQBY206 *The Voice of Arlington*, and unID NYC area HAR/TIS *NOAA* relay. Long sought after, new log and first Pacific coast DX in decades, thanks to tips via mIRC #mwdx. [Conti-NH]

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Roy Barstow, Falmouth MA; R-75, Flag at 63°.

Mike Beu KD5DSQ, Austin TX; R8B, terminated Delta Loop (17 x 28-ft).

Mark Connelly, Billerica MA; R8A, SW8, DXP-6 phasing unit, dual-feedline Flag antenna (11.5 m horizontal by 5.5 m vertical, base height 7 m, east-west axis).



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- Bruce Conti, Nashua NH; R8B, MWDX-5, 15 x 23-m terminated corner-fed broadband loops east and south.
- William Cooper, Leland NC; Sony ICF-SW7600GR, North Country Active Antenna attached to tree and mounted approximately 15-ft above ground.
- Marc DeLorenzo, South Dennis MA; JRC NRD-525, noise-reduced vertical, broadband loop and longwire, Mini DXP-3 phasing unit.
- Wayne Heinen, Aurora CO; R8B, north/south Flag, east/west Flag, Modified 4-ft NRC Altazimuth loop, 15-ft vertical whip, Dual TG-1 Termination Gizmo with two BUF-F amplifiers, Mini DXP5, DX Engineering RPA-1.

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<b>Station</b>		City	DXer	DX Location	Miles
WMSL	AL	Decatur	Joe Fela	Newark, NJ	819
WJLD	AL	Fairfield	Russ Johnson	Lexington, NC	411
WDLL	AL	Ft. Payne	Barry McLarnon	Ottawa, ON	919
WJHO	AL	Opelika	Charles Reh	Leamington, ON	667
KSEW	AK	Sitka	Pete Taylor	San Francisco, CA	1459
AFRN	AK	Tok	Esa Hänninen	Lemmenjoki, Finland	3291
KJKJ	AZ	Flagstaff	John Johnson	Sheridan, WY	709
KSUN	AZ	Phoenix	Olle Alm	Abisko, Sweden	4976
KXIV	AZ	Phoenix	Ernie Wesolowski	Omaha, NE	*1026
KXIV	AZ	Phoenix	Bill Harms	Spokane Valley, WA	(Tie) *1026
KRVZ	AZ	Springerville	Jim Boehm	San Antonio, TX	712
KTUC	AZ	Tucson	Jim Boehm	San Antonio, TX	764
KEZC	AZ	Yuma	Esa Hänninen	Lemmenjoki, Finland	5148
KVOY	AZ	Yuma	Pete Taylor	San Francisco, CA	*566
KELD	AR	El Dorado	Charles Reh	Leamington, ON	932
KCLA	AR	Pine Bluff	Carl Dabelstein	Lincoln, NE	523
KWYN	AR	Wynne	Bill Dvorak	Madison, WI	543
KVTO	CA	Berkeley	Richard E. Wood	Hilo, HI	#2333
KVTO	CA	Berkeley	Tim Hall	Fitz Hugh Sound, BC	*1001
KRCQ	CA	Indio	Tim Hall	Chula Vista, CA	89
KQMS	CA	Redding	Esa Hänninen	Lemmenjoki, Finland	4709
KQMS	CA	Redding	John Johnson	Sheridan, WY	*833
KKJL	CA	San Luis Obispo	Richard E. Wood	Hilo, HI	#2354
KSLY	CA	San Luis Obispo	Phil Bytheway	Seattle, WA	858
KKZL	CA	Santa Paula	Richard E. Wood	Hilo, HI	#2421
KQIQ	CA	Santa Paula	Phil Bytheway	Seattle, WA	933
KTRT	CA	Truckee	Nancy Johnson	Aberdeen, WA	558
KUKI	CA	Ukiah	Tim Hall	Chula Vista, CA	567
KEYX	CA	Visalia	Esa Hänninen	Lemmenjoki, Finland	4959
KONG	CA	Visalia	Phil Bytheway	Seattle, WA	*793
KRLN	CO	Canon City	Shawn Axelrod	Winnipeg, MB	871
KDTA	CO	Delta	Shawn Axelrod	Winnipeg, MB	927
KFTM	CO	Fort Morgan	Olle Alm	Abisko, Sweden	4374
KFTM	CO	Fort Morgan	Tim Hall	Tombstone, AZ	*685
KBLJ	CO	La Junta	Bill Dvorak	Madison, WI	826
KWUF	CO	Pagosa Springs	Art Blair	Folsom, CA	776
WSTC	CT	Stamford	Niel Wolfish	Burnt River, ON	363
WILI	CT	Willimantic	Jeff Falconer	Clinton, ON	487
WFTL	FL	Ft. Lauderdale	Marc DeLorenzo	Hyannis, MA	1209
WIRA	FL	Ft. Pierce	UK DXPedition	Sheigra, Scotland	4093
WIRA	FL	Ft. Pierce	Steve Francis	Alcoa, TN	*614
WFAV	FL	Ft. Walton Beach	Barry McLarnon	Ottawa, ON	1188
WZAZ	FL	Jacksonville	Mike Hardester	Jacksonville, NC	394
WPRY	FL	Perry	Ron Bailey	Shelby, NC	372
WUEZ	FL	Sanford	Shawn Axelrod	Orlando, FL	20
WTRR	FL	Sanford	Pete Taylor	Orlando, FL	(Tie) 20

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WZHR	FL	Zephyrhills	Russ Johnson	Lexington, NC	534
WAJQ	GA	Alma	Don Trelford	Runaway Bay, Jamaica	962
WLTA	GA	Alpharetta	Ron Bailey	Shelby, NC	173
WCLB	GA	Camilla	Karl Jeter	Stone Mountain, GA	182
WWRK	GA	Elberton	Steve Francis	Alcoa, TN	129
WNEX	GA	Macon	Russ Edmunds	Blue Bell, PA	686
WCOH	GA	Newnan	Ron Bailey	Shelby, NC	225
WSGA	GA	Savannah	Jeff Falconer	Clinton, ON	799
KART	ID	Jerome	Esa Hänninen	Lemmenjoki, Finland	4480
KART	ID	Jerome	LEM96	Lemmonjoki, Finland	(Tie) 4480
KART	ID	Jerome	Tim Hall	Revillagigedo Channel, A	
KART	ID	Jerome	Tim Hall	Chatham Sound, BC	*1099
KRPL	ID ID	Moscow	Esa Hänninen	Lemmenjoki, Finland	4233
KRPL	ID ID	Moscow	MB DXPedition	Valhalla Beach, MB	*966
KIGO	ID ID	St. Anthony	Shawn Axelrod	Winnipeg, MB	789 4055
KSPT KSTP	ID ID	Sandpoint	Olle Alm Ernie Wesolowski	Abisko, Sweden Omaha, NE	4055 *1111
WDWS	ID IL	Sandpoint	Joe Fela		741
WGIL	IL IL	Champaign Galesburg	Esa Hänninen	Newark, NJ Lemmenjoki, Finland	4196
WGIL	IL	Galesburg	Barry McLarnon	Ottawa, ON	*794
WROZ	IN	Evansville	Carl Dabelstein	Lincoln, NE	526
WBAT	IN	Marion	Esa Hänninen	Lemmenjoki, Finland	4128
WBAT	IN	Marion	Shawn Axelrod	Winnipeg, MB	*841
KCOG	IA	Centerville	Shawn Axelrod	Winnipeg, MB	651
KADR	IA	Elkader	Shawn Axelrod	Winnipeg, MB	546
KVFD	IA	Ft. Dodge	Shawn Axelrod	Winnipeg, MB	517
KVOE	KS	Emporia	Niel Wolfish	Winnipeg, MB	782
KVOE	KS	Emporia	Shawn Axelrod	Winnipeg, MB	(Tie) 782
KAYS	KS	Hays	Olle Alm	Karesuando, Sweden	4443
KAYS	KS	Hays	Shawn Axelrod	Winnipeg, MB	*768
KAYS	KS	Hays	Morris Sorensen	Winnipeg, MB	(Tie) *768
WCYN	KY	Cynthiana	Carl Dabelstein	Lincoln, NE	650
WIEL	KY	Elizabethtown	John J. Rieger	South Milwaukee, WI	376
WFTG	KY	London	Ernie Wesolowski	Omaha, NE	705
WFPR	LA	Hammond	Thomas Giella	Plant City, FL	534
KAOK	LA	Lake Charles	Carl Dabelstein	Lincoln, NE	761
KAOK	LA	Lake Charles	Bob McCoy	Lincoln, NE	(Tie) 761
KWLA	LA	Many	Bruce Winkelman	Tulsa, OK	343
WMME	ME	Augusta	Carl Dabelstein	Omaha, NE	1333
WIDE	ME	Biddeford	Joe Kureth	Uniontown, MD	360
WMCS	ME	Machias	Jerry Starr	Youngstown, OH	740
	ME	Veazie Ratting and	Barry McLarnon	Ottawa, ON	350
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WHMP	MA	Northampton	Jeff Falconer	Clinton, ON	459
WRCC	MI	Battle Creek	Russ Edmunds	Blue Bell, PA	537
WQBH	MI	Detroit	Shawn Axelrod	Winnipeg, MB	839
WLJN	MI	Elmwood Township	Barry McLarnon	Ottawa, ON	484
WCCY	MI	Houghton	Shawn Axelrod	Winnipeg, MB	432
WGON	MI	Munising	Olle Alm	Abisko, Sweden	3642
WGON	MI	Munising	Carl Dabelstein	Lincoln, NE	*634
WSAM	MI	Saginaw	Shawn Axelrod	Winnipeg, MB	763
WSJM	MI	St. Joseph	Barry McLarnon	Ottawa, ON	578
WKNW	MI	Sault Ste. Marie	MB DXPedition	Valhalla Beach	643
KEYL	MN	Long Prairie	Bruce Winkelman	Tulsa, OK	687
KMHL	MN	Marshall	Ron Schiller	Monmouth Beach, NJ	1145
WMIN	MN	St. Paul	Morris Sorensen	Winnipeg, MB	388
WHLB	MN	Virginia	Esa Hänninen	Lemmenjoki, Finland	3817
WHLB	MN	Virginia	Morris Sorensen	Amaranth, MB	*352

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WBIP	MS	Booneville	Ernie Wesolowski	Omaha, NE	17 614
WMBC	MS	Columbus	Steve Francis	Alcoa, TN	298
WFOR	MS	Hattiesburg	Steve Francis	Alcoa, TN	455
WKXI	MS	Jackson	Barry McLarnon	Ottawa, ON	1186
KFRU	MO	Columbia	Pete Taylor	San Francisco, CA	1632
KJCF	MO	Festus	Frank Merrill	Holland, OH	424
KSIM	MO	Sikeston	Dave Whatmough	Hamilton, ON	679
KGBX	MO	Springfield	Shawn Axelrod	Winnipeg, MB	884
KDRG	MT	Deer Lodge	Esa Hänninen	Lemmenjoki, Finland	4203
KDRG	MT	Deer Lodge	Ernie Wesolowski	Omaha, NE	*901
KXGN	MT	Glendive	Morris Sorensen	Leaf Rapids, MB	570
KARR	MT	Great Falls	Pete Taylor	San Francisco, CA	872
KJJR	MT	Whitefish	Bill Harms	Spokane Valley, WA	146
KBRB	NE	Ainsworth	Phil Bytheway	Seattle, WA	1149
KCOW	NE	Alliance	Esa Hänninen	Lemmenjoki, Finland	4530
KCOW	NE	Alliance	Shawn Axelrod	Winnipeg, MB	*591
KLIN	NE	Lincoln	Esa Hänninen	Lemmenjoki, Finland	4321
KLIN	NE	Lincoln	Shawn Axelrod	Winnipeg, MB	*612
KLIN	NE	Lincoln	Tim Hall	Winnipeg, MB	(Tie) *612
KBMI	NV	Henderson	Phil Bytheway	Seattle, WA	882
KSHP	NV	North Las Vegas	Tim Hall	Crescent City, CA	628
KBDB	NV	Sparks	Tim Hall	Crescent City, CA	278
KWNA	NV	Winnemucca	Olle Alm	Abisko, Sweden	4565
KWNA	NV	Winnemucca	Ernie Wesolowski	Omaha, NE	*1123
WTSL	NH	Hanover	Christian DeHaes	Chicoutimi, QC	333
WLTN	NH	Littleton	Joe Kureth	Uniontown, MD	425
WOND	NJ	Pleasantville	Tim Hall	Tampa, FL	913
KMIN	NM	Grants	Tim Hall	San Diego, CA	552
KTRC	NM	Santa Fe	Rick Dau	Oakland, IA	692
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WABY	NY		Jerry Starr UK DXPedition	Sheigra, Scotland	3048
WABY	NY	Albany Albany	Charles Reh	Leamington, ON	*449
WYSL	NY	Buffalo	Russ Edmunds	Parsippany, NJ	268
WDNY	NY	Dansville	Barry McLarnon	Ottawa, ON	200
WSLB	NY	Ogdensburg	Charles Reh	Leamington, ON	401
WBTB	NC	Beaufort	Barry McLarnon	Ottawa, ON	738
WGBC	NC	Greensboro	John Wilkins	West Des Moines, IA	832
WSHB	NC	Raeford	Barry McLarnon	Ottawa, ON	740
WSIC	NC	Statesville	Barry McLarnon	Ottawa, ON	713
WLSE	NC	Wallace	Joe Kureth	Southern Pines, NC	85
WHCC	NC	Waynesville	Joe Kureth	Uniontown, MD	430
WCNF	NC	Weldon	Russ Edmunds	Kinnelon, NJ	363
KEYJ	ND	Jamestown	Charles Reh	Leamington, ON	860
WMAN	OH	Mansfield	Bob McCoy	Lincoln, NE	740
WMAN	OH	Mansfield	Carl Dabelstein	Lincoln, NE	(Tie) 740
WPAY	OH	Portsmouth	Barry McLarnon	Ottawa, ON	589
KWON	OK	Bartlesville	Olle Alm	Abisko, Sweden	4454
KWON	OK	Bartlesville	Shawn Axelrod	Winnipeg, MB	*895
KTMC	OK	McAlester	John Wilkins	Wheat Ridge, CO	613
KNOR	OK	Norman	Olle Alm	Karesuando, Sweden	4644
KNOR	OK	Norman	Shawn Axelrod	Winnipeg, MB	*1000
KWIN	OR	Ashland	Pete Taylor	San Francisco, CA	307
KIVR	OR	Cave Junction	Esa Hänninen	Lemmenjoki, Finland	4613
KIVR	OR	Cave Junction	Nancy Johnson	Aberdeen, WA	*333
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KBCH	OR	Lincoln City	Tim Hall	Chilkoot Inlet, AK	#1091
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WTCŶ	PA	Harrisburg	Ron Bailey	Shelby, NC 429
WJAC	PA	Johnstown	Joe Fela	Newark, NJ 250
WAMQ	PA	Loretto	Steve Francis	Alcoa, TN 434
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WJZM	TN	Clarksville	Dave Schmidt	New Castle, DE 680
WHUB	TN	Cookeville	Ron Musco	Windsor, CT 795
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WKPT	TN	Kingsport	Barry McLarnon	Ottawa, ON 704
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KEDO	WA	Longview	LEM96	Lemmenjoki, Finland (Tie) 4346
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KITZ	WA	Silverdale	LEM96	Lemmenjoki, Finland 4243
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KTNT	WA	Tacoma	Bill Harms	Spokane Valley, WA 241
WBOY	WV	Clarksburg	Charles Reh	Leamington, ON 233
WVRC	WV	Spencer	Russ Edmunds	Blue Bell, PA 338
WKWK	WV	Wheeling	Esa Hänninen	Lemmenjoki, Finland 4054
WKWK	WV	Wheeling	Barry McLarnon	Ottawa, ON *441
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WRDB	WI	Reedsburg	Niel Wolfish	Winnipeg, MB	542
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WRIG	WI	Wausau	Frank Merrill	Toledo, ŎH	374
KATI	WY	Casper	Mike Hardester	Modesto, CA	854
KODI	WY	Cody	Esa Hänninen	Lemmenjoki, Finland	4279
KODI	WY	Cody	Ernie Wesolowski	Omaha, NE	*694
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CKSQ	AB	Stettler	Esa Hänninen	Lemmenjoki, Finland	3811
CKSQ	AB	Stettler	Shawn Axelrod	Winnipeg, MB	*696
CFLD	BC	Burns Lake	Phil Bytheway	Seattle, WA	499
CHNL1	BC	Clearwater	Tim Hall	Glacier National Park, I	MT 373
CKGR	BC	Golden	Phil Bytheway	Seattle, WA	356
CKRP	BC	Princeton	Esa Hänninen	Lemmenjoki, Finland	4090
CIOR	BC	Princeton	Tim Hall	Bandon, OR	*475
CJEK	BC	Sparwood	Tim Hall	Glacier NP, MT	113
CJEK	BC	Sparwood	Tim Hall	Johnston Canyon, AB	(Tie) 113
CBWG	MB	Gillam	Morris Sorensen	God's Narrows, MB	200
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Geary, Kermit-e PA		Jul-06	50	10	5448 59392768	50	49	10	10	$\sqrt{\sqrt{\sqrt{\sqrt{\sqrt{\sqrt{\sqrt{\sqrt{\sqrt{\sqrt{\sqrt{\sqrt{\sqrt{\sqrt{\sqrt{\sqrt{\sqrt{\sqrt{$
Chatterton, Ken-n NY		Nov-78	50	10	1101 1845 0	50	0	10	0	$\sqrt{\sqrt{1}}$
Krejny, Ed-nr Cleveland, OH		Nov-96	49	10	27293265 0	49	0	10	0	$\sqrt{\sqrt{1}}$
Falconer, Jeff-Clinton, ON	1969	Jul-00	49	10	1070 2799 0	49	0	10	0	$\sqrt{\sqrt{1}}$
Whatmough, Dave-Hamilton, ONT		Jan-00	49	10	1030 2061 0	49	0	10	0	$\sqrt{\sqrt{1}}$
Wesolowski, Ernie-Omaha, NE		Jan-06	49	9	19662321 0	49	0	9	0	$\sqrt{}$
Holland, George Jr., vic. Albany, NY			49	9	828 828 0	49	0	9	0	$\sqrt{\sqrt{1-1}}$
Forth, Karl-vic Chicago, IL	1970	Nov-78	48	10	1088 1771 1077	48	48	10	10	$\sqrt{\sqrt{\sqrt{\sqrt{\sqrt{\sqrt{\sqrt{\sqrt{\sqrt{\sqrt{\sqrt{\sqrt{\sqrt{\sqrt{\sqrt{\sqrt{\sqrt{\sqrt{$
DeLeurere, Harley-Hendricks, WV	1955	Oct-78	48	10	59 59 0	48	0	10	0	$\sqrt{\sqrt{1}}$
Fela, Joseph-cent. NJ	1961	Oct-78	48	9	10451861 400	49	40	10	7	$\sqrt{\sqrt{\sqrt{\sqrt{\sqrt{\sqrt{\sqrt{\sqrt{\sqrt{\sqrt{\sqrt{\sqrt{\sqrt{\sqrt{\sqrt{\sqrt{\sqrt{\sqrt{$
Anderson, Roger-Arlington, MD	1938	Jan-06	48	9	10171017 0	48	0	9	0	$\sqrt{}$
Schmidt, Dave-se PA/n DE	1965	Nov-79	48	8	10061250 400	48	40	8	4	
Foxworth, Robert-Long Island, NY	1957	Nov-78	48	7	270 1000 400	49	44	10	9	$\sqrt{\sqrt{\sqrt{\sqrt{\sqrt{\sqrt{\sqrt{\sqrt{\sqrt{\sqrt{\sqrt{\sqrt{\sqrt{\sqrt{\sqrt{\sqrt{\sqrt{\sqrt{$
Musco, Ron-nr Hartford, CT	1962	Jan-07	47	9	12691400 108	47	28	9	3	$\sqrt{}$
Arruda, Ray-nr Boston, MA	1963	Oct-06	47	9	11501292 0	47	0	9	0	$\sqrt{}$
Renfrew, Jim-Rochester, NY	1976	Oct-06	45	10	4491709 68	47	35	10	8	$\sqrt{}$
Sampson, John-Omaha, NE	1954	Dec-78	45	6	912 912 0	45	0	6	0	$\sqrt{}$
Pimper, Dennis-NE, UT	1939	Dec-06	45	6	4252540 651	47	40	7	5	
Heinen, Wayne-NY	1964	Jan-06	44	9	429 480 30	44	14	9	0	$\sqrt{}$
Wilkins, John-W. DesMoines, IA	1962	Nov-06	44	7	4891307 0	45	0	7	0	$\sqrt{}$
Jeter, Karl-Atlanta, GA	1969	Mar-84	44	6	11931574 0	44	0	6	0	$\sqrt{}$
Rigas, Christos-vic Chicago, IL	1981	Mar-98	44	6	382 862 0	46	0	7	0	$\sqrt{}$
Wolfish, Niel-Toronto, ONT	1978	Feb-93	43	10	4931285 402	43	39	10	6	$\sqrt{\sqrt{1}}$
Sampson, John-Hutchinson, MN		Oct-78	42	6	336 336 0	42	0	6	0	
Edmunds, R. Jn NJ/e PA	1962	Sep-99	42	6	263 2001 806	47	41	9	8	$\sqrt{\sqrt{\sqrt{\sqrt{1}}}}$
Heinen, Wayne-CO		Dec-06	42	5	11721519 592	42	36	5	6	
Kureth, Joe-Uniontown, MD		Jan-00	41	7	3422162 0	46	0	10	0	$\sqrt{\sqrt{1}}$
Wilkins, John-Wheat Ridge, CO		Nov-07	40	6	10881364 620	40	6	6		
Ponder, Stephen-Shreveport, LA	1975	Aug-89	39	5	721 769 10	39	4	5	4	$\sqrt{\sqrt{1}}$
Malicky, John-Pittsburgh, PA		Nov-87	38	7	90214611184	40	40	7	6	$\sqrt{\sqrt{\sqrt{\sqrt{1}}}}$
White, Thomas-Arlington, VA		Jan-92	38	7	243 994 0	39	0	7	0	$\sqrt{}$
Taylor, Pete-Durham, NC		Mar-00	38	6	208 891 0	40	0	6	0	$\sqrt{}$
Harrison, Bob-ne NJ		Jun-98	36	7	772 996 0	36	0	7	0	$\sqrt{\sqrt{1}}$
Karchevski, Bob-San Francisco, CA		Oct-78	36	5	198 249 197	36	35	5	5	
Wallace, Jim-Columbus, OH		Oct-78	36	3	137 795 0	41	0	7	0	$\sqrt{\sqrt{1}}$
Francis, Steve-nr Knoxville, TN		Sep-06	36	0	37 2739 719	48	45	9	5	$\sqrt{\sqrt{\sqrt{\sqrt{\sqrt{\sqrt{\sqrt{\sqrt{\sqrt{\sqrt{\sqrt{\sqrt{\sqrt{\sqrt{\sqrt{\sqrt{\sqrt{\sqrt{$
Mount, Paul-ne NJ		Feb-86	33	6	224 489 199	36	26	7	5	$\sqrt{\sqrt{\sqrt{\sqrt{\sqrt{\sqrt{\sqrt{\sqrt{\sqrt{\sqrt{\sqrt{\sqrt{\sqrt{\sqrt{\sqrt{\sqrt{\sqrt{\sqrt{$
Sampson, John-New York, NY		Dec-78	33	6	181 181 0	33	0	6	0	$\sqrt{\sqrt{1}}$
Taylor, Pete-San Francisco		Mar-00	31	7	329 450 70	32	6	7	1	
Edmunds, R. JSyracuse, NY		Sep-99	31	5	75 533 0	45	0	9	0	$\sqrt{}$
Jones, David B Springfield, TN		Apr-06	30	4	168 464 0	34	0	4	0	
Hayes, Harry Jne PA		Jul-98	30	3	185 1354 641	41	39	9	9	$\sqrt{\sqrt{1}}$
Taylor, Pete-Coral Gables, FL		Mar-00	30	2	132 221 0	29	0	3	0	$\sqrt{\sqrt{1}}$
Sampson, John-Winston-Salem, NC		Oct-78	30	1	450 450 0	30	0	1	0	v v v
Kureth, Joe-Southern Pines, NC		Jun-71	26	2	92 878 0	38	0	7	0	$\sqrt{\sqrt{1}}$
Houdek, Gary-n KS		Feb-06	20 26	1	54 374 0	37	0	4	0	v V
Alves, Paul Hnr Boston, MA		Feb-99	20 25	5	145 352 0	37	0	4 6	0	$\sqrt{\sqrt{1}}$
Boersma, Philip-w MI		Oct-78	23 24	3	50 520 0	32 41	0	6	0	v v
Hardison, Greg-Atlanta, GA		Nov-78	24 19	5 5	42 900 0	41 36	0	6	0	
-		Nov-78 Oct-78	19 17		42 900 0 258 258 0	50 17	0	3	0	
Sampson, John-Cupertino, CA				3						
Truax, Dick- vic. Louisville, KY		Dec-78	17	3	20 935 120	46	35	6	5	V V
Taylor, Pete-Tacoma, WA		Mar-00	14 12	7	70 468 399	33	33	3	0	./
Onyschuk, Ken-Homewood, IL	190/	Aug-06	13	0	161064 0	43	0	6	0	ν

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Wolfish, Niel-Winnipeg, MAN	1985 Feb-93	10	4	25 813 113	37	10	9	4	
Smolarek, Bob n NJ	1982 Jun-06	7	0	7 817 78	36	16	5	5	$\checkmark$
Bailey, Ron-Shelby, NC	1992 Jan-07	4	1	51545 0	37	0	5	0	$\checkmark$
Vervoort, John-Brooklyn, NY	2000 Nov-06	4	0	4 274 25	31	9	5	2	$\sqrt{}$
Mount, Paul-se OH	1978 Feb-86	3	0	3 390 60	36	25	3	1	$\checkmark$
Hardy, Nancy-coastal WA	1969 Dec-84	2	0	3 778 0	40	0	5	0	
Swearingen, Paul-e KS	1975 Dec-06	2	0	2 886 886	44	44	7	7	$\sqrt{}$
Axelrod, Shawn Ms MAN	1986 Feb-06	0	0	0 2005 0	50	0	10	0	$\sqrt{}$
Bond, Jerry-Rochester, NY	1962 Oct-78	0	0	0 785 50	43	10	8	2	$\checkmark$
Crabill, Perry - VA	1990 Jan-06	0	0	0 779 0	35	0	3	0	$\checkmark$
DeLorenzo, Marc-e MA	1962 Sep-00	0	0	01172 0	45	0	9	0	$\checkmark$
Edmunds, R. Jne ME	1994 Sep-99	0	0	0 172 0	20	0	6	0	
Reed, John-Ponca City, OK	1995 Jan-06	0	0	0 656 0	40	0	6	0	
Thompson, Blaine-Toledo, OH	2003 Feb-06	0	0	0 137 0	22	0	2	0	
Tudenham, John-Joplin, MO	1990 Oct-97	0	0	0 444 0	36	0	5	0	
Turner, Rick-Bemidji, MN	2005 Jan-06	0	0	0 273 0	27	0	5	0	
Vervoort, John-Bronx, NY	2003 Nov-06	0	0	0 144 0	22	0	5	0	$\checkmark$
Vervoort, John-Madisonville, KY	2004 Oct-06	0	0	0 300 0	32	0	2	0	$\checkmark$
Vervoort, John-Murray, KY	2003 Jan-07	0	0	0 152 7	29	7	2	0	$\checkmark$
Winkelman, Bruce-Tulsa, OK	1979 Nov-06	0	0	0 705 0	36	0	5	0	

Legend:

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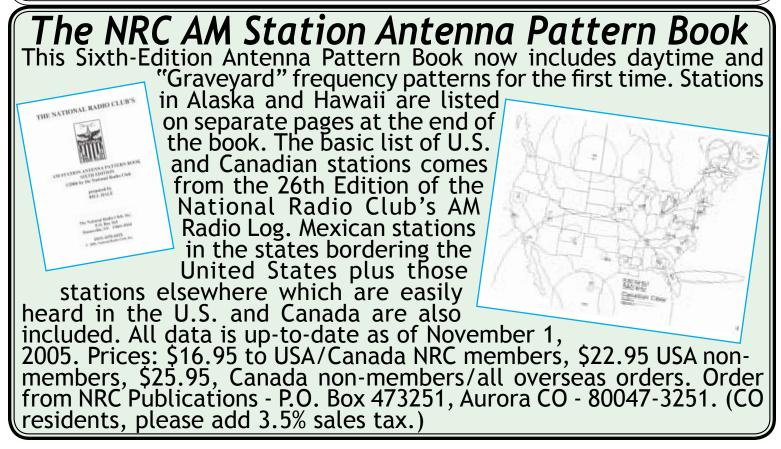
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Thanks to Ron Bailey, Wayne Heinen, Ron Musco, John Vervoort, and Wayne Heinen for updates. We hope to see YOUR name and updated listings the next time around. Please?

This column is arranged by **States Verified** and then **Provinces Verified** and finally **Total Domestics Verified** as the tiebreaker, and well run various priorities at different times. Domestics of course include the contiguous 48 states and Canada; Alaska, Hawaii, Puerto Rico, etc., are counted as foreigns. Well only delete listings of those who are no longer NRC members, so should you drop out and rejoin, youll need to resubmit your totals. How about making it a priority for next time of filling in the blanks above, at least in the year started and last update column? Some of the listings are estimates, and thats just fine, but dont forget to update accurately when you can. Please join us -73.

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Time for what has become my annual Musing. If my count is correct, this is Musing #160, since joining the NRC in 1974. One project this past summer was to go through all my DX News (and IRCA Monitors as well) and photocopy every Muse (and Forum) I had sent in. At that time, I had been contacted by another DXer who expressed interest in all of my back issues, so in preparation to ship them off, I wanted to keep copies of my contributions. I still have my back issues, as this DXer changed his mind and did not want them after all. If anyone else is interested, let me know. Looking back over 2006, one thing is glaringly evident: not much DX!! A handful of new loggings, seven reports mailed out, with four new veries received: WNAX-570, CFGO-1200, WGZS-700 and WEBY-1330. The DX highlight of last year wasn't even on AM, but FM! I heard and verified a state on FM that I have never heard on AM...that would be Vermont! Logged WOKO-98.9 South Burlington in June. Also heard FMers in Texas, Michigan and Minnesota during that period. Now, I am not a hardcore FM DXer, but it became somewhat of a necessity this year because of the following reason: as I do all of my work on computer now, it is on constantly, and my computer puts horrendous QRM on the AM band. If I want to DX on AM, the computer must be completely shut down. So, I started listening casually on some open FM channels this summer and had a little luck. If there are any computer experts out there who have some suggestions as to quieting my computer, I'd love to hear from you! I would imagine it's the power supply, so any ideas about one that would be more quiet would be welcome. Lots of changes on the Local AM dial: 1160 and 1690 pulled a big switcheroo: Extreme left-wing talk on WWAA-1690 is gone, replaced by nostalgic type music as WMLB. The 1160 signal is now WCFO with business talk, including some refugees from WGST. WGST-640 fired all local talent (Tom Hughes-morning drive news, Denny Schaffer-mornings, and Kim Peterson, afternoon drive) and is now all-syndicated stuff. Big changes on FM, too, but I won't detail those here. My DXing has been some-what hampered by receiver problems: my trusty boatanchor, the HQ-150, that I have had for 31 years, has developed an constant "popping" sound that sounds like something is shorting or arcing internally. So, I am reduced to using my TRF or ATS-803A to DX. I guess it may be time for a new receiver! Rambled on enough; see you next year unless some reportable DX breaks out in 2007! (And we're sure that something will, Karl; thanks for the report - DWS)

#### Andy Ooms - Pine, AZ

Last summer I bought a May 1941 issue of Radio and Television Today at the Michigan Antique Radio Club convention and swap meet. This magazine was aimed at radio retailers and service people. A hard-hitting editorial entitled "AN FCC TORPEDO, AIMED AT YOUR BUSINESS, MR. RADIOMAN!" claimed that regulations issued May 3 would "make the present great system of network broadcasting impossible to support or continue. If the Commission's destructive orders are carried out, much of local broadcast station service will return to the status of honky-tonk music, cheap phonograph records, advertising blurbs, dreary local programs, poor talent, uninteresting and interminable speeches!" And there is more, 15 paragraphs total. One set of paragraphs is headed "Whole Trade and Industry Will Suffer." Another set is under "Radio Chaos--Radio Ruin!" I have not researched which May 3, 1941 regulation was so threatening, but obviously if it took effect it did not kill network broadcasting which continued strongly until television incapacitated it a decade or more later. In fact, a shadow of the programming of the main national networks of that era remains in the form of ABC and CBS hourly news reports and a few other programs. Now, as it was then, local programming is still a strong concern for those who listen to the radio and care what they hear. The foes of local programming have changed however from the networks then (American, Columbia, Mutual, National) to corporations owning large numbers of stations now (Clear Channel, Infinity, and others). What hasn't changed? Although no one then or now defends bad music, there continues to be no shortage of it. Take care; beware of blurbs, interminable speeches, and cheap music.

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First a thank you to PLS for handling things while I was recovering from recovery work of my eyes, I recent had cataract surgery and lens replacement, which worked great for about 2 weeks in my right

eye, and then complications set in which required more laser surgery, new glasses, more injections and so on. Thankfully it has worked; I'm up to about 80% on the full vision so its time to get the Musings coluymn back on track. Where has everyone gone? It'd be nice to hear from some of our people in the radio field, tell us what things are like from the other side of the antenna. I've done some work on the R389A, but that has been somewhat limited due to the eye problems. The R392 is out of service for right now: no audio, so I will be busting that one open soon to see what's happened. It's interesting to see some of the prices receivers are going for on Ebay; one recently seen was a R390A that looked like it was never unpacked for 2 thousand dollars and another that was reconditioned for singer (and ham) Joe Walsh. I did managed to pick up the RF deck needed for the SP600, brand new for \$85. But the prices vary wildly, I guess depending on just how badly someone would want a radio! I'm working on getting on WHVR Hanover, PA and their local talk show "Better Living" to offer some info on the NRC, which got its start just down the road from them in York. I wonder if any of our members are still around this area? We had a member at WHYL in Carlisle PA many years ago, Phil Potter, who was on the air there in the afternoon in their Top 40 days, who signed my verification also. OK, folks, lets hear from YOU! And I just renewed for my 43rd year to the NRC!

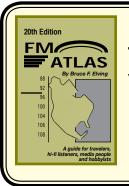
For Beginners

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Shared techniques for the new and experienced DX'er

Late on a Sunday evening I was tuning through the MW dial (nothing new there!), hearing the usual C2C AM and car insurance ads everywhere. In my tuning I was lucky enough to come across a station in NC playing a locally-made and apparently "live" show called "Sunday Night Bluegrass". I don't know about your musical tastes fellow RF aficionados, but I was in heaven. Lots of mandolin, fiddle, banjo. To top off this MW Utopia when the announcer would announce the next song title, he would also give a callsign and location ID. Wonder of wonders! I had a pretty fine hour listening to that. Another time I was listening to a station in PA broadcasting "live" a local high school baseball game, also with frequent ID's and commercials for local businesses. What's so great about that, one asks? I suppose the point I'm trying to make is while the AM programming sure isn't what it was when I was a kid, there is still local "live" programming with a local and regional flavor out there, so don't get discouraged with it all. There is still fascinating listening to be had while ho-huming and waiting for the elusive TOH ID.

Your humble correspondent is running low on idears for the Beginners Column. If any of you good folks have something AM radio related you'd like to see covered, please email me (see top of the column for my email address), and if it is within my experience , well, I will write a column up on it . I would appreciate any ideas. Take care and good tuning.



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