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TL (tips)

Hej!

Vi är i början av september, en månad som ofta bjuder på underbart sommarväder med hög, fin luft. Våra aktiva medlemmar ser över utrustningen, speciellt antennerna där det kan ha hänt en del över sommaren.

Enligt rapporter så tycks inte konditionerna varit de bästa den senaste perioden, det har varit en del solstormar. Viss kompensation för detta finner du i detta nummer då du hittar ett flertal QSL, både gamla och nya. Från Stig Adolfsson har vi fått ett antal trevliga ”riktiga” QSL-kort från nordamerikaner som hördes under hans vistelse i Lynn Lake, Manitoba, Canada vårvintern 1969. Många av dessa stationer finns kvar än i dag, flera av dem är hörda även här i Norden. Vi återkommer med dessa med start i nästa nummer.

Många i vår klubb har uppnått mogen ålder, därmed är arbetsliv och semestrar ett passerat stadium. Likväl är sommaren den tid då man gör resor, med eller utan semester. Har du gjort någon resa i sommar som du kanske vill dela med dig din upplevelse av? Du vet att mailboxen här står alltid öppen!

Logotypes har vi till detta nummer fått från AN, FB, HS och TN. Tnx!

I detta nummer förutom de fasta avdelningarna:

- * Radio Nacional del Paraguay celebrates its 77th anniversary – Luis Valderas, Frecuencia Al Día via Santiago San Gil G, Cadena DX fb 4.9.2019, translation CB
- * Arctic Radio Club 60 år - en artikel skriven för tidningen QTC september 2019 – CB
- * Äventyr i Lynn Lake, Manitoba, Canada, vårvintern 1969, del 2 – SA

Nostalgi-QSL:

- * ARC-nostalgi – RFK
- * Forces Broadcasting Service, Benghazi-833 kHz och Aden-1241 kHz – TL
- * Forces Broadcasting Station, Aden-1241 kHz – SA
- * Forces Broadcasting Service, Malta-1425 kHz – SA och Akrotiri-1089 kHz – TL

Nya QSL:

- * JONR (ABC) Osaka-1008 kHz – GL
- * JOQR (NCB) Tokyo-1134 kHz – GL
- * TAB Trackside, Henderson North, Auckland-1476 kHz – SM
- * KMMS Bozeman MT-1450 kHz – JOB
- * WCLU Glasgow KY-1490 kHz – JOB

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Vi finns även på Facebook, gilla oss där

LOGGEN
All Times in MV-Eko refer to
UTC unless otherwise stated.

Noteringar i loggen:

AN = Arne Nilsson, Sjulsmark, lyssnar-QTH i Gransel, Älvsby kommun, nära Vidsels Robotbas
JE = Jan Edh, Hudiksvall, lyssnar-QTH i Fredriksfors
JOB = Jan Oscarsson, Umeå som lyssnat i sommarstugan i Petiknäs

Europa

828 30.7 0240 Smooth Radio, Bournemouth (Fern Barrow transmitter). Local ads at this time, splitting from Smooth Herts, Beds and Bucks. Luckily St. Petersburg was off a few hours this night. JMS
891 30.8 2243 HotRadio Hits, Huissen med popmusik och här en jingle! Kollade låtarna enligt deras spellista och det stämde fint! Ny för JOB
891 6.9 1855 HotRadio Hits, Huissen, pop mx, ID. FB
990 29.8 0520 SER R Bilbao, local px, ID: "Hoy por hoy Bizkaia Sonia Lamberto". FB
1008 29.8 0520 SER R Alicante, local px, ID: "Cadena SER Alicante". FB



1035 20.8 2200 BBC Radio Sheffield on top of all stations, even Estonia! JMS
1062 30.8 0518 RAI Sardegna, Cagliari, local px, ID, news. FB
1134 30.8 2057 COPE Pamplona, ID: "COPE Navarra". FB
1152 31.8 0100 Greatest Hits R, Newcastle dominant JOB
1161 6.9 1835 BBC Three Counties Radio, Kempston, ID in the mix. FB
1161 31.8 0000 Greatest Hits R, Goxhill starkar än Tay, "With the latest news for Yorkshire and northern Lincolnshire, this is Greatest Hits Radio" JOB
1161 7.9 1900 Tay 2, Dundee, ID and news. FB
1161 7.9 2000 Smooth Radio, Blunson, ID, pop mx. FB
1584 27.8 0520 SER R Gandia, local px, ID: "Hoy por hoy Gandia", weather. FB

Afrika

891 2.9 2200 Ultimate Radio Lancer's Gap gick bra. Blandade engelska och inhemska språk och vid den här tiden västerländska äldre popklassiker. Förhoppningarna om att störningen skulle ge något annat från Afrika kom dock på skam. JE
918 7.9 2200 R National Kampuchea stark med ID. Störd av ERTU 917,99 samt tent. Iran på 917,994. TN
1350 26.8 2123 DWUN UNTV R La Verdad rätt hygglig signal. (1349,998) TN
1494 26.8 2125 DWSS Quezon City kom fram men ganska svagt. (1494,011) TN

Asien

972 31.8 0000 VoA Orzu "This is VoA News" JOB
1071 30.8 0023 AIR Rajkot, Sign on with IS. FB
1206 7.9 2258 KAN Bet, Akko, French song, ID and news. FB

Nordamerika

1090	26.8	0200	WBAL Baltimore MD, som vanligt svårt störd. SGD
1160	30.8	0200	WSKW Skowhegan ME kallade sig "Legacy 1160" och körde 50- och 60-tals hitar. TJ
1270	30.8	0100	WTJZ Newport News VA // med WHKT 1650. TJ
1360	26.8	0234	WMOB Mobile AL. SGD
1380	26.8	0200	WKJV Asheville NC, med id och väderleksrapport. SGD
1380	26.8	0200	WKJV Asheville NC. TJ
1380	26.8	0400	WKJV Asheville NC, ID: "This is WKJV 13-80 North Carolina WJKW on 10-10". FB
1380	27.8	0300	CKPC Brantford ON, pop mx, ID by jingle: "13-80 CKPC". FB
1390	27.8	0130	WPLM Plymouth MA. "Easy 99,1". SGD
1390	30.8	0200	WSPO Charleston NC "WSPO Charleston, WMXZ HD2 Isle of Palms – we are AM 1390 Heaven 100.1" TJ
1390	26.8	0300	WFBL Syracuse NY. SGD
1390	27.8	0300	WFBL Syracuse NY med ID som "The Dinosaur" vid 0340. (1390,006). SGD hade WSPO denna natt. TN
1390	27.8	0301	WSPO Charleston SC, "We are AM 13-90 Heaven 100,1". SGD
1390	25.8	0255	WLAN Lancaster PA kallade sig "Rumba 100.5" TJ
1470	7.9	0409	WWNN Pompano Beach FL med sitt "Health & Wealth Station" (1469,995) TN
1470	7.9	0400	WLAM Lewiston ME med sin typiske hallåman och fin musik. TN
1490	7.9	0259	WMBM Miami Beach FL. "wmbm.com" och "a new ?? broadcasting station". (1489,998) TN



1490	27.8	0400	WBSS Pleasantville NJ med nytt format "1490sportsbettingradio.com". (1489,996) (tack för info TJ) TN
1550	30.8	0100	WRHC Coral Gables FL med 670 La Poderosa ID. TJ
1580	30.8	0000	WRSF Fort Lauderdale FL starkt vid EE-ID. TJ
1590	26.8	0000	WHGT Maugansville MD, tillsammans med WARV. SGD
1640	5.9	0500	WTNI Biloxi MS, country mx, ID: "WANG....103.5", new format. FB
1660	5.9	0500	WWRU Jersey City NJ, Korean talk, EE ID. FB
1690	5.9	0500	WPTX Lexington Park MD, ID: "WPTX 16-90", news. FB

Mexiko, Centralamerika och Västindien

680 27.8 0201 WAPA San Juan. AN



870	3.9	0403	WQBS San Juan med fin musik. (870,014). Störd av R Reloj. TN
940	3.9	0404	WIPR San Juan med bra tryck på musiken. ID. (939,986) TN
970	27.8	0201	WSTX Christiansted, St. Croix USVI. AN
1020	7.9	0400	CMCW R Artemisa med Cubas N/A. TN
1060	26.8	0402	XEEP R Educación Mexico City med ID 0401. TN
1070	30.8	0201	WMIA Arecibo. AN
1160	28.8	0201	Caribbean Radio Lighthouse, Jolly Harbour. AN

1280	3.9	0411	WCMN NotiUno Arecibo stark. (1280,008) TN
1230	27.8	0259	WNIK Arecibo. AN
1350	3.9	0400	WEGA Vega Baja med ID. (1349,999) TN
1390	28.8	0203	WISA Isabela. AN
1390	3.9	0236	WISA Isabela med musikprogram. (1389,987) TN
1300	3.9	0401	PJD2 The Voice of St. Maarten, Philipsburg, "Now the local ___ of St. Maarten Radio Network". SGD
1440	28.8	0300	HIC55 R Impactante, Santo Domingo. Ex HIAK. AN
1440	3.9	0303	HIAK R Impactante Santo Domingo ganska stark. Fint ID. TN
1470	27.8	0158	WKUM Orocovis. AN
1480	27.8	0259	WMDD Fajardo. AN
1480	3.9	0332	WMDD Fajardo "El 14-80 AM". (1479,998). TN
1570	30.8	0103	TGVE R Voz Evangelica de América, Guatemala. TJ

Sydamerika

670	3.9	0349	YVLL R Rumbos Caracas visade det sig vara med musik här "Radio Rumbos 6-70 AM". Kallar sig nu "Nuevo Rumbos" på webben. (669,988). JE
700	3.9	0400	LV3 R Córdoba Córdoba "Transmite AM 700 Radio Córdoba". JE
710	3.9	0100	LRL202 R Diez Buenos Aires med tidspip och "Diez" före nyheter. JE
710	3.9	0400	HJNX R Red Medellín med ett svagt ID och störd av Rebelde. Tyckte den låg på (709,990) TN
710	3.9	0403	OCU2X R Turbo Mix, Cajamarca, tog över frekvensen för en kort stund. SGD
730	3.9	0351	ZP7 R ABC Cardinal Lambaré med id. JE
750	3.9	0359	LRA7 R Nacional Córdoba hade eget program och id fram till nyheterna. JE
750	2.9	2301	ZYI213 R América Belo Horizonte MG med id. JE
760	3.9	0100	LU6 R Atlántica Buenos Aires hade tagit över från brassen Uirapuru. Har nog helt skippat "Emisora" i namnet och heter "Radio Atlántica". JE
760	3.9	0359	HCQE1 R Quito, Quito. SGD
770	3.9	0408	HJJX RCN Bogotá med tydligt ID. TN (770,002) TN
820	3.9	0401	HJED Caracol Radio Cali med ID. TN
930	3.9	0358	HJCS La Voz de Bogotá Bogotá med fint ID. TN



930	2.9	0327	OAM7J Radio Cadena Sur , Espinar med ett distat ID. TJ
940	7.9	0401	HJA76 Frecuencia U, Medellín, jämnstark med WIPR. SGD
970	27.8	0408	HJCI R Red Bogotá med ID. (969,993) TN
1010	3.9	0100	LV16 R Rio Cuatro Rio Cuatro har gått från att vara ovanlig till att vara en av de "vanligaste" La Plata. JE
1020	7.9	0401	HJDQ Emisora Claridad, Medellin, "Emisora Claridad mas tropical". SGD
1030	4.9	0103	HCRF2 R Ecuantena, Guayaquil, sade sig vara "La Radio de la Familia". SGD
1040	7.9	0356	YVLB LV de Carabobo, Valencia, med id mellan mx. 1039,612. SGD
1060	3.9	0355	CB106 R La Inolvidable Santiago "24 horas... Radio La Inolvidable". Ex Radio María, men ingår fortfarande i "koncernen". JE
1070	30.8	0455	HJCG R Santa Fe Bogotá, LA mx, ID's. FB
1070	3.9	0400	HJCG R Santa Fé Bogotá kom upp med ID. (1070,003) TN

- 1080 7.9 0359 HCKD2 Sistema 2, Guayaquil. SGD
1080 3.9 0359 ZP25 R Monumental Luque med marimbamusik och kort id – stundtals överröstande SER. JE
1110 3.9 0201 LS1 R Once Diez (R Ciudad) Diqué Lucán med den ”traditionella” nationalsången i motsats till den väldigt poppiga version som samtidigt hördes på 750, 820, 870, 1190 hos Radio Nacional. JE
1120 30.8 0101 CW31 R Salto, Salto. Kommer igenom ibland, men oftast med dåliga signaler. AN
1140 3.9 0002 LU22 R Tandil Tandil med id och reklam. (1139,993). JE
1140 30.8 0105 CB114 R Nacional, Santiago. AN
1140 3.9 0359 CB114 R Nacional, Santiago. Långfading, bra i topparna och vid id. (1139,990). JE
1190 3.9 0000 LRA15 R Nacional San Miguél de Tucumán rejält stark i förhållande till andra stationer även om Cordillera trängde på. Lokalt id 01.31. JE
1190 30.8 0450 HJCV R Cordillera, Bogotá, LA mx, ID : « 11-90 AM Radio Cordillera ». FB
1200 27.8 0159 HJIJ La Voz de la Raza, Medellín. Ytterligare en stn med stor offset. (1200.17) AN
1230 28.8 0302 LT2 R 2, Rosario. AN
1290 28.8 0300 LRJ212 R Murialdo, Villa Nueva de Guaymallén. AN
1290 3.9 0000 LRJ212 R Murialdo, Villa Nuevo de Guaymallén med kyrkklockor, musik och id. (1289,978). JE
1360 27.8 0200 OCU4IR Bienestar, Lima. AN
1370 27.8 0201 OUA7L R Andina Juliaca, Juliaca. AN
1380 28.8 0159 C... R Plenitud, Santiago. Hördes igen och gav webadress denna gång. AN
1380 3.9 0314 OAX2W R Campesina Cajamarca svag men tydlig. (1379,998) TN
1390 30.8 2300 LR11 R Universidad, La Plata. AN
1410 28.8 0200 OBU7A R Corporación Wayra, Juliaca. Lätt att hitta och bra på att ge ID. AN
1420 3.9 0058 LRI220 R Dime Villa Martelli kom upp men svårt störd, troligen av en peruan, några Hz högre. JE
1430 28.8 0300 LT24 SN24 La Nueva Radio, San Nicolas de los Arroyos. AN



- 1430 30.8 2302 CW25 R Durazno, Durazno. Här hade jag tur! Jag landade precis på ID och den hördes inte alls bra före och efter detta ID. AN
1440 31.8 0400 HJNZ Colmundo Medellin ”La Radio que te Acerca”. (1439,993) TN
1440 3.9 0202 OAX4K Imperial Dos Lima - ovanligt stark och praktiskt taget ostörd. JE
1440 5.9 0334 OAX4K Imperial Dos Lima kom upp lite svagt med ett ID. (1440,002) TN
1470 26.8 0500 OAU4B R Felicidad, Lima, Spanish songs, ID. FB
1470 28.8 0201 OAU4B R Felicidad, Lima-Pantanos de Villa. AN
1470 3.9 0104 OAU4B R Felicidad, Lima id-ade annonserade ett ”programa cultural”. JE
1540 27.8 0200 CP.. R Bendita Trinidad, El Alto. Spelade nat anthem 0207. AN
1560 3.9 0004 ZYH526 R Povo Ribeira do Pombal BA id. JE
1620 30.8 2301 LU9 Universo FM-LRI309 AM 1620, Mar del Plata. AN

Oid/Tent Mexiko, Centralamerika, Västindien och Sydamerika

- 1400 5.9 0330 Tent ZYJ256 R Globo Londrina ute på drift. Ett stort ID 0331 låter som R Globo, men alls inte säker. Noterades första gången 3.9 men bara svag musik. (1399,965).
Ytterligare en bärvåg ligger på 1399,967. TN

✉ Från e-posten

Jan Edh 5.9.2019:

Första intrycket av den här natten, 2-3.9, mitt i pågående störning, i Fredriksfors var att den var totalt kass. Men efter en närmare kontroll hördes det faktiskt en hel del, framför allt från La Plata. Men det kom också igenom en del ”bifångster” (eftersom jag använde 255-grader) från Colombia, Venezuela och Peru liksom våldsamt starka Harbour Light. De flesta signalerna var dock ganska svaga. I början av natten var det också en hel del åkspråk. Så det gällde att ”gneta” för att få fram id.

Arne Nilsson 8.9.2019:

Även denna gång har en del åskväder passerat, så försiktighetsprincipen fick styra lyssnandet en del. Men något hördes ändå de dagar då det gick, fram till de kraftiga störningarna förra helgen. Har varit bortrest senaste veckan, så jag har inte gått igenom skörden så noga.

Torolf Johnsson 8.9.2019:

Säsongen har dragit igång så smått. Det började inte bra för mig. Ett plötsligt och kraftigt åskväder, tog med sig en stor del av min anläggning - ändmotstånd, trafos, preamp, chokes, ett linjärt nättagg, Perseus och slutligen grafikkortet i datorn. Koaxen, RG213 verkar ha klarat sig eftersom den fortfarande mäter samma värden som innan åskvädet. Trafoboxen hade exploderat i svarta, sotiga bitar. Nu, om inte förr, borde jag ha lärt mig att koppla ur vid minsta risk till åskväder. Det mesta är nu utbytt och Perseusen åker snart till Italien för inspektion.

Jan Oscarsson 8.9.2019:

Inget särskilt i loggen när vi senast var i Petiknäs helgen vid månadsskiftet augusti-september. Lingonen var inte mogna än, men några liter till blåbär blev det i alla fall... Nästa gång åker vi upp fredag 13/9, hur det ska gå kan man undra?

Fredrik Dourén 8.9.2019:

Säsongen är över härifrån. Såld DX-torpet (som långt ifrån var bra) men hade tänkt hyra in mig till våren, men koaxialkablarna blev slaktade när nya ägarna röjde hygget där koaxerna var utlagda. Sedan klämde Tor i slutklämmen, så får se om/när jag kommer igång igen? Kommer av naturliga skäl inte åt mina senaste loggar som ändå inte gav något nytt.

Thomas Nilsson 9.9.2019:

Den 3/9 var en intressant natt med flera Puerto Rico stationer som gick bra. Utöver de ovan nämnda så fanns också 1320/1490 med, men fick aldrig ID på dessa, men hade samma program.



XECHZ Radio Lagarto, Chiapa de Corzo-1560 kHz. Tnx HS

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SEKRETERAREN MEDDELAR...

9/9 2019

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Utställningen om Radio Nord

Om någon är intresserad av att se Radio Nord-utställningen på Kastellet i Vaxholm finns det fortfarande möjlighet. Utställningen stänger söndagen den 15 september. Mer info på www.vaxholmsfastning.se (Ronny Forslund)

Info från VeteranLjuddagen

”Vi har blivit tvungna att stänga den tidigare mail-adressen för lyssnarrapporter på Hörby Mellanvåg. Detta på grund av våldsamt mycket skräppost. Den nya adressen är lyssnarrapport@veteranljuddagen.se. Vi tar tacksamt emot lyssnarrapporter och svarar med QSL-kort. Tyvärr finns det risk att någon som rapporterat på den gamla adressen, i år eller tidigare år, inte fått något QSL på grund av överbelastningen. Är någon drabbad, be dom höra av sig igen på nya adressen. Sändaren är igång nu.”

(Bengt Almqvist, VeteranLjuddagen)

En rapport från VeteranLjuddagen signerad BE, kommer i nästa nummer av MVE.

IRCA Mexican Log, 22nd Edition (Winter 2019) - now available!

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ARC late, late news

Bahmas

810 ZNS-1 Freeport noted with religious programming at 2200 to 2245, messages regarding the storm ” ..am I my brothers Keeper ...” into religious music. Was off the air for several days due to Hurricane Dorian. (Robert Wilkner, South Florida via Thomas Nilsson)

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BBC Monitoring Service 80 år



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JE – Jan Edh

Jag har tagit mig samman och letat upp qsl från mailprogram och facebook och äntligen fått ihop vad som nog nästan är ett års oinrapporterad skörd till QSL-spalten.

Radio Caroline Orfordness 640. Email och pdf-kort V/s Pat Edison
Studio Denakker Klazienaveen 1395. Email V/s "Team Denakker"
Carillon Wellbeing Radio Coalville Leicestershire 1476. Email. V/s Janet Sketchley
Asfalttelegrafen Borås 1593 och 1476. Email och qsl-kortl. V/s Torleif Roos
Erlangen MW-station 1476 Erlangen 1476. Pdf, bilder. V/s Ralph Oppelt
Mediumwave 1512 Kinna 1512. Email-pdf V/s Gunnar Ivarsson
DZAS FEBC Valenzuela 702. Email. V/s Menchie Marcos, Staff Assistant
KKEA Honolulu HI 1420. Email. V/s Mike Kelly
KUAU Haiku HI 1570. Via Facebook, V/s "Our media team"
KVI Seattle WA 570. Email. V/s Rick van Sice, Program Director
KQNT Spokane WA 590. Email, V/s Mark Kordash
WGIR Manchester NH 610 Email. diverse bilder. V/s Ken Neenan, Director of Engineering
WWFE Miami FL 670. Via Facebook V/s Rey Rios
KXTG Portland OR 750. Email. V/s Milt McConnell, VP
WZAB Miami FL 880 Email. V/s Ronnie Williams, Director of Engineering
KSRM Soldotna AK 920. Email. V/s Matt Wilson, General Manager
KVNT Eagle River AK 1020. Via Facebook, ingen V/s
WURN Boynton Beach FL 1040. Email. V/s Manuel Carvaiales, Senior Media Specialist
WKAT Coral Gables FL 1080. Email. Ronnie Williams, Director of Engineering
WHLI Hempstead NY 1100. Email. V/s Jesse Sayre, Chief Engineer
WCVX Florence KY 1160. Via Facebook och programleverantören Insight for Living
KMIA Auburn WA 1210. Email. V/s Edward C. Distel, VP/Chief Revenue Officer
KWNO Winona MN 1230. Email. V/s Greg Taylor, Program Director
WINY Putnam CT 1350. Email. V/s Karen Osbrey
WEZS Laconia NH 1350. Email. V/s Gary Hammond, Owner/General Manager
WBLT Redford VA 1350. Email. V/s Gary Burns, Owner
WNLG Mobile AL 1410. Email. V/s Debra Roce, Administrative Assistant
WRSA St Albans VT 1420. Email. V/s Robert Brazzell
WCCM Haverhill MA 1490. Via Facebook, ingen V/s
WWSM Anneville Cleona PA 1510. Email. V/s Pat Garrett, Owner
WVBF Middleborough MA 1530. Email. V/s Tony Lopez
WADK Newport RI 1540. Email. V/s Jacob Sullivan. Program Director och Steve Conti, Engineer
WKBA Vinton VA 1550 Via Facebook. V/s Jeff Hunt, Production Assistant
KRJO Monroe LA 1680. Via Facebook, ingen v/s
HOJ2 Canajagua AM Stereo Las Tablas 1040 V/s Mailen Barahona
HCBZ1 Radio CCE Quito 940. Email. Ingen V/s
LV16 Radio Rio Cuarto Rio Cuarto 1010 Email. V/s Pedro Daniel Frias, Ingenieur, Gerente
LT10 Radio Universidad/Noticias 10-20, 1020 Santa Fé. Email. Ingen V/s
CX26 Radio Nacional Uruguay Montevideo 1050. Email. V/s Redacción web RNU
LS1 R Ciudad de Buenos Aires "La Once Dios" Buenos Aires 1110. Via Facebook V/s Martin
CX38 Emisora del Sur Montevideo 1290. Email. V/s Redacción web RNU
HJLM Radio Santa Barbara Santa Barbara 1310. Email V/s Gladys Rios, Asistente de dirección tillsammans med Fernando Cuervo, Jorge H Ramirez och Wilmar Bedoya, locutores
HC.6 Radio Integración Salcedo 1420. Via Facebook, ingen V/s.
Radio Novo Milenio Ribeirao Preto SP 1540. Email. V/s Rúbia

FD – Fredrik Dourén

HJMB R Suroeste 1280. Epost. v/s Libardo Egidio Ramirez, Director

LSD – Lars Skoglund

Sunrise Radio, Hackney 963 brev. V/s Kay McCarthy, Sales Director
Sunrise Radio, Southall 972 brev. V/s se ovan
Carillon Wellbeing Radio, Coalville 1476 brev, kort, foto. V/s Jon Sketchley, Chief Engineer
France Bleu RCFM, Ajaccio 1404 brev, kort. V/s Olivier Balbinot, Responsable des programmes
France Bleu RCFM, Bastia 1494 brev, kort. V/s se ovan
Båda ovanstående sändare stängdes 151231
WNBF Binghamton NY 1290 trevligt brev, visitkort, dekal, pennor. V/s Zevan Vanderbilt, Media Sales Executive
WGDJ Rensselaer NY 1300 brev, visitkort. V/s Angela Rosetti, Operations Manager
KIHR Hood River OR 1340 brev. V/s Jeff Skye, Operations Director
WWMI Saint Petersburg FL 1380 brev, kort. V/s Jose Cruz, Assistant Operations Manager
WOTE Clintonville WI 1380 brev. V/s Donald Grassman, President
WSJP Sussex WI 1640 brev, visitkort. V/s Bob Benes, Chief Sales Officer

BOS – Bo Olofsson

WWFE Miami FL 670 email v/s: Jorge A. Rodriguez, President
WBKK Wilton MN 820 email v/s: Brad Wilson, CE
KHHO Tacoma WA 850 email v/s: Rich Moore, SVP of Programming
WKGM Smithfield VA 940 email v/s: T.R. Bumgardner, GM
KVOI Cortaro AZ 1030 email v/s: Amador S. Bustos, President
KVNI Coeur d'Alene ID 1080 email v/s: Phaedra Hansen, Sales Success Mgr
KSCO Santa Cruz CA 1080 email v/s: Michael Zwerling, Owner
WKAJ St Johnsville NY 1120 email v/s: Joe
WAVO Rock Hill NC email v/s: Sandra Hendricks, Adm Ass
KSVV Beloit KS 1190 email v/s: John Swanson, GM
KDOW Palo Alto CA 1220 email v/s: Mike Russel, CE
KNEU Roosevelt UT 1250 email v/s: Jennifer Rook, Morning Host
WPDR Portage WI 1350 email v/s: Dave Magnum, Owner
KGEN Tulare CA 1370 FB/Messenger v/s: Isidro Roman, Programador
WAVO Jacksonville NC 1400 email v/s: Cathy Clark, Owner
WNRS Herkimer NY 1420 email v/s: Anthony Falvo, CE
WCOJ Coatesville PA 1420 email v/s: Frank Eliason, Dir of Ops
KMRY Cedar Rapids IA 1450 email v/s: Rick Sellers, President / GM
WOPI Bristol VA 1490 email v/s: Charlie Aesque, CRMC / VP / Sales Mgr
KICS Hastings NE 1550 email v/s: Craig Eckert, GM
WLIJ Shelbyville TN 1580 FB/Messenger v/s: Trivia Show host
KDJS Willmar MN 1590 email v/s: Rob Ryan, PD

JOB – Jan Oscarsson

R Caroline, Orfordness 648 epost v/s Pat Edison
R Malta, Bizbizja 999 epost v/s David Mizzi, Technical Officer (Tnx Mauricio Molano!)
United AM, Neede 1008 epost med QSL-bilaga v/s Rob
KRTA Medford OR 610 epost v/s Rob King, Sales and Operations Manager
KORE Springfield-Eugene OR 1050 via Messenger
KDOW Palo Alto CA 1220 epost v/s Mike Russell, Engineering (USA AM#1200)
WCMD Cumberland MD 1230 epost v/s Joe Caporale, Vice President/Market Manager
KPRK Livingston MT 1340 epost v/s Dave Wooten, Brand Manager & Morning Show Host
WZYX Cowan TN 1440 epost, foto v/s Aimee Ingle
WCLU Glasgow KY 1490 via Messenger
WLFN La Crosse WI 1490 epost v/s Pat Delaney, Engineer (Tnx TBV!)
KICS Hastings NE 1550 epost v/s Craig Eckert, Owner/Executive Vice President (Tnx BOS!)
WKTP Jonesborough TN 1590 epost v/s Charlie Aesque, Vice President/Sales Manager (Tnx BOS!)

SGD – Stefan Gustavsson

KSSK Honolulu HI 590 epost
KIKI Honolulu HI 990 epost
WDBO Orlando FL 580 epost
KVNU Logan UT 610 epost
WMFN Peotone IL 640 epost
WKGM Smithfield VA 940 epost
WELI New Haven CT 960 epost

WDYZ Orlando FL 990 epost
 KGFX Pierre SD 1060 epost
 KMIA Auburn-Federal Way WA 1210 epost
 WPGP Pittsburgh PA 1250 epost
 KZXR Prosser WA 1310 epost
 WHBL Sheboygan WI 1330 epost
 WTAQ Green Bay WI 1360 epost
 WYOS Binghamton NY 1360 epost
 WSPD Toledo OH 1370 epost
 KRRZ Minot ND 1390 epost
 WIZM La Crosse WI 1410 epost
 KUJ Walla Walla WA 1420 epost
 WKOX Everett MA 1430 epost
 KKXL Grand Forks ND 1440 epost
 KLBM La Grande OR 1450 epost
 WWSM Annville-Cleona PA 1510 epost
 KOLM Rochester MN 1520 epost
 KXPA Bellevue WA 1540 epost
 WSDK Bloomfield CT 1550 epost
 KGMZ San Francisco CA 1550 epost
 WFLR Dundee NY 1570 epost
 KVGB Great Bend KS 1590 epost
 WARV Warwick RI 1590 epost
 WUNR Brookline MA 1600 epost
 KEPN Lakewood CO 1600 epost
 KFSG Roseville CA 1690 epost



TNY – Torgeir Nyen

WNZK Dearborn Heights MI 680 e-post v/s Sima Birach
 WOFX Troy NY 980 v/s Jeff Wolf, Program Dir./News Dir.
 WNVY Cantonment FL 1070 e-post v/s Tyger Elton, Corporate Engineer
 WLK Newport TN 1270 e-post v/s Angela Wilkerson
 WHTK Rochester NY 1280 e-post v/s Randy Orbaker, CE
 WIRY Plattsburgh NY 1340 e-post vs/ Reid Knapp
 WARF Akron OH 1350 e-post v/s Keith Kennedy, Area SVP of Programming
 WPDR Portage WI 1350 e-post v/s Dave Magnum
 WTAQ Green Bay WI 1360 e-post brev-vedlegg v/s D.E. Wright, General Manager
 WOTE Clintonville WI 1380 e-post v/s Eric Voight, General Manager
 WACK Newark NY 1420 e-post v/s John Tickner, Pres./CEO
 WPDM Potsdam NY 1470 e-post v/s John Winter
 KGBT Harlingen TX 1530 e-post, foto 7u e. pm. v/s Jorge Garza, Dir of Technology
 WRPN Ripon WI 1600 e-post v/s Wayne Mausser

TW – Torgeir Woxen

RNE R5TN Murcia 567 ePost m.vedlegg, v/s África Huerta Rincón, Directora RTVE Murcia
 RNE R1 Lleida 612 eKort v/s Antonio Catalán Serra, Resp.Técnico Cataluña
 R.Carillon Wellbeing, Coalville 1476 ePost, v/s Janet Sketchley (G4DCE)
 R.Vocea Sperantei 1584 pdf-brev
 RNE R1 Sta.Cruz de Tenerife 621 ePost, v/s José Carlos García M. (Medios RNE, Las P.)
 R.Sawa, Dorale 1431 k (etter noe epostutveksling kom et korrekt utf. k fra IBB Biblis etter 6m)
 Yuyeh Bc.Stn, Penghu 1143 fint "diplom" + std b
 AIR Ahmedabad 846 k fra Delhi
 WSYR Syracuse, NY 570 ePost, v/s Rick Yacobush, Market President (f-up)
 WHJJ Providence, RI 920 ePost, v/s Bill George, PD (f-up)
 WBEN Buffalo, NY 930 ePost, v/s Kevin Carr, Asst PD (f-up)
 WROW Albany, NY 590 ePost, v/s Jay Scott, PD
 WBEN Buffalo, NY 930 ePost, v/s Kevin Carr, Asst PD (f-up)
 WMVP Chicago, IL 1000 ePost, v/s Adam Delevitt, PD
 WWMI St.Petersburg, FL 1380 ePost m. vedl., v/s Jose Cruz, Asst Ops Mgr
 CINA Missisauga, ON 1650 ePost, v/s Cameron Akavan, Sen.Mgr
 TWR Bonaire 800 eKort m. mange vedlegg, v/s Bill Early

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China

1215 A new radio-channel **The Greater Bay** on air in Guangdong-Hong Kong–Macao Greater Bay area. It started on Sunday August 28th, 2019. It will broadcast 21 hours a day mainly in Cantonese and also include programs in the dialects of Hakka, Chaozhou and Shanton. The frequency was earlier used by CNR7. It is interesting that it would be broadcasting in Cantonese as the powers-that-be in the PRC were placing pressure a few years ago against the use of the dialects in that region.
(Steve Whitt, mwcircle 1.9.2019)

India

1134 AIR superpower transmitter at Chinsurah is testing irregular with the power of 940 kW.
(Mauno Ritola, ARC 1.9.2019)
This list of Live streaming of AIR Home Service stations increases day by day.
<http://prasarbharati.gov.in/liveradio.php>
(Jose Jacob, dx_india 8.8.2019)

Netherlands

The Dutch Telekom has opened 10 new frequencies available for LPAM-stations. Frequencies are: 801, 819, 846, 900, 918, 1098, 1134, 1179, 1287 and 1467 kHz.
(Max van Arnhem, Netherlands 4.9.2019)

Spain

The Spanish National Radio changes its content from September 2nd, 2019 to August 2020. Radio 5 Tdonoticias network offers more local and regional programs on MW as follows:

M-F

0525-0530	Local	0904-0906	R1 / R5 TN Regional
0545-0600	R1 / R5 TN Regional	1004-1006	R1 / R5 TN Regional
0715-0730	R5 TN Local	1110-1200	R1 / R5 TN Regional
0804-0806	R1 / R5 TN Regional	1820-1830	R! / RT TN Regional

Saturday and Sunday

0705-0715	R5 TN Regional
1130-1200	R1 / R5 TN Regional

(Jorge Garzón Gutiérrez, mwcircle 30.8.2019)

Sweden

1179 SBH Hörby Radioförening is now on the air with 24/7 programming during the coming 2 weeks. Program consisting of nonstop announcements, but on the 7th of September a radio-meeting was held near Hörby and during that day it was full program of music and local announcements and the old Radio Sweden International interval signal. Power approx. 5 W, but during the evening and night the station was audible in southern Sweden. Last year during daytime 1179 kHz was audible quite well on my car-radio 50 km from Hörby. Reception reports to: lyssnarrapport@veteranljuddagen.se. MP3 file of reception will be very much appreciated.
(Bengt Ericson, ARC 8.9.2019)

Taiwan

1557 RTI Kohou is on the air 3.9 at 1900. Is this a special transmission or a schedule change?
(WRTH fb via Mauno Ritola, ARC 3.9.2019)

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Ofcom News

Airways opened up for new services27 July, 2019

Farmers, factories and business parks are some of the groups that could benefit from a revolution in wireless technology, following a decision by Ofcom today to open up airwaves to enable innovation and support new services.

Ofcom manages the UK's airwaves – or spectrum – which are crucial to power services such as mobile phones, wireless broadband and connected devices. To help promote wireless innovation across the UK economy, we have today decided to open up airwaves that previously could only be used by certain parties.

Under a new sharing framework, these airwaves will be available for local use by a range of other parties – such as small businesses or pioneering start-up firms. We are making airwaves available in four 'frequency bands' on a shared basis:

- the 1800 MHz and 2300 MHz shared spectrum bands, which are currently used for mobile services;
- the 3.8-4.2 GHz band, which supports the latest 5G mobile technology; and
- the 26 GHz band, which has also been identified as one of the main bands for 5G in the future. We have added this band since first proposing our spectrum sharing approach in December 2018.

We are also allowing different groups to access airwaves licensed to mobile companies, but not being used by them.

BBC News

BBC Live radio ends on TuneIN14 August, 2019

BBC live radio stations won't be available on the popular TuneIn platform from 30th August. The change comes as the British broadcaster continues to tighten its control over its content.

In a blog post, the Beeb says it requires third-party platforms to provide data so it can identify market gaps, learn what content people like and create more personalised, tailored experiences – something TuneIn doesn't do.

"When we make our programmes available via third parties, we ask that those platforms either allow you to sign into your BBC account – or provide us with meaningful data directly. Unfortunately, TuneIn doesn't do either of these, so we couldn't reach a data sharing agreement with them," the post reads.

TuneIn's own pressrelease notes that the move "is driven primarily by the BBC's efforts to standardize how listeners in the UK access BBC stations, which unfortunately, is something we are unable to accommodate at this time". (<https://www.whathifi.com/news/bbc-to-remove-radio-stations-from-tunein-platform>) (via *Steve Whitt*)

Commercial Radio News

Gold Returning to AM25 July, 2019

Gold is returning to AM in Peterborough and Northampton using the frequencies currently used by Smooth Radio.

Ofcom has approved two format change requests, to change the Character of Services from an easy listening featuring lifestyle oriented speech, targeting an audience aged 50-plus to classic pop hits targeted primarily at 35-54 year-olds.

The move means all programming on 1332 kHz in Peterborough and 1557 kHz in Northampton will be shared with all other AM stations in the Gold network in England, rather than the Smooth network.

Global has requested the change ahead of Smooth Radio East Midlands taking over Connect FM's three frequencies at a yet-to-be-announced future date.

Connect FM covers Kettering (previously 107.4 KCBC), Peterborough (previously 106.8 Lite FM) and Corby (launched as 97.2 Connect FM in 1998).

Gold is currently available on 1548 kHz in London, Derby on 945 kHz, Manchester on 1458 kHz, Nottingham on 999 kHz and nationwide on DAB.

The licences previously carried programmes from Gold before switching to Smooth in 2014. (www.radiotoday.uk) (via Steve Whitt)

Concern over number of radio stations opened by Bauer25 July, 2019

The Competition and Markets Authority (CMA) says the takeover of a number of local radio groups by Bauer "raises competition concerns."

The acquisition of Lincs FM, UKRD and Wireless is currently under investigation and the CMA said that its primary concerns were how they could affect the future of First Radio Sales (FRS).

FRS currently sells radio advertising on behalf of more than 100 independent local stations and is the only firm providing the stations with access to national advertisers.

Following the first phase of its investigation, the CMA found that FRS may not be able to continue to stay in business, after Bauer buys a large number of stations which make up its customer base. It stated that without FRS, some local stations could lose access to revenues from national radio advertising sales. This could in turn make it more difficult for them to compete at a local level and lead to "higher prices and a lower quality of service."

The CMA also found competition concerns about Bauer acquiring key rivals to its current stations in Yorkshire, the West of England and West Midlands.

"About 90% of adults listen to the radio every week, and local radio remains an important way for advertisers to reach potential customers," said Colin Raftery, Senior Director of Mergers.

"FRS is particularly for independent local radio stations because it's currently the only realistic way for them to reach national advertisers. That's why we're concerned that Bauer's buy ups, which could lead to FRS exiting the market and local stations losing access to national advertisers, could damage competition."

Bauer said that it would work with the CMA to address its concerns. (www.prolificnorth.co.uk) (via Steve Whitt)

Panjab Radio and Love Sport Change frequencies26 July, 2019

Panjab Radio is launching across London on 558 kHz this Thursday August 1st, swapping its 1584 kHz North London frequency with Love Sport.

Permission was granted by Ofcom earlier this year for the change, and will see Panjab increase coverage to the same levels as rivals Sunrise Radio and Lyca.

Panjab Radio currently broadcasts on national DAB, digital television, online and on 1584 kHz in North London.

Surjit Singh Ghuman MBE, Managing Director of Panjab Radio, told RadioToday: "It gives me great pleasure to confirm that we will begin broadcasting throughout Greater London on our new frequency on 1st August 2019 at midday.

"This is a new chapter in the life of Panjab Radio and I would like to thank both our listeners and customers who have supported Panjab Radio every step of the way and of course my hard working committed team.

Love Sport will move to 1584 kHz on the same day. (www.radiotoday.uk) (via Steve Whitt)

Local presenters lose their jobs.....15 August, 2019

Bauer Media has announced plans to network Wes Butters and Gemma Atkinson across most of its big city stations in England, meaning 7 presenters will lose their daily drivetime show.

From 2nd September, Wes will be on 4-7pm across Metro Radio, TFM, Rock FM, Radio City, Hallam FM, Radio Aire, Viking FM and the four Free Radio stations in the West Midlands – in addition to his current show on Hits Radio in Manchester and on DAB across the UK. (www.radiotoday.co.uk)

RSL & LPAM News

Many thanks to member Arild Skalmaraas in Norway for pointing out that **Radio Tyneside** is now on FM only. I stated last month that it would be on from this November.

BFBS Gurkha Radio, Warminster 1287 kHz is now on air (*BDXC-UKCommunication July19*)

Andrew Brade mentions to me that he has not heard **Radio Nightingale 1350 kHz** in a number of years and doubts they are still on air. I wrote to them – asking that question – but unfortunately, they never responded. I think it is fair to assume they are not now on air.

RAJAR

Listening Details for Q/E 30 June 20193 August, 2019

A quarterly look at local and regional radio brands, we'll start with some of the national brands with local service.

Bauer's **Greatest Hits Radio** increases from 556,000 weekly reach last quarter to 715,000 today. The Greatest Hits Network now has 1.1m listeners. Some individual stations have seen 50% drop in weekly reach, whilst others have seen an increase.

Greatest Hits Radio in Liverpool, previously known as Radio City 2 and broadcasting on 105.9 FM, has seen a quarterly drop from 160,000 to 116,000, and from 215,000 a year ago. In the West Midlands, 105.2 FM has increased from 181,000 to 204,000.

Global's **Heart** continues its reign as the UK's biggest commercial radio brand with 9.7m people tuning in every week, beating Radio 1 for reach, hours and share. Heart Scotland sees an increase this quarter from 371,000 to 404,000 but is down year on year.

Smooth, which is about to network its Drive show, is the UK's third-largest commercial radio brand, adding 132,000 listeners year-on-year giving it 5.7 million weekly reach.

More than 1.3 million people tune in to **Gold** each week. The station has grown in reach, hours and share both in the past quarter and year, and will add more listeners with extra AM transmitters coming online soon.

Hits Radio Manchester, the station formerly known as Key 103, has once again reached a new low. Weekly Reach now stands at 258,000 compared with 302,000 last quarter and 374,000 a year ago. The Hits Radio Network is now claiming 6.5 million listeners nationally.

Capital stations remain largely untouched, with 7.2m across the network. The newest station in Lancashire has added 18,000 listeners albeit with a larger TSA.

BBC Local Radio in England has 5.5m listeners, compared with 5.8m last quarter, and 5.7m last year. Most stations haven't seen a drastic change in weekly reach, with the exception of BBC Radio Merseyside (down 45,000 listeners), BBC Radio Sheffield (down 43,000) and Radio Leeds (down 26,000). BBC Radio Nottingham is up 25,000 and BBC Radio London has added an extra 19,000 listeners this quarter.

(www.radiotoday.co.uk)

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- 560 WQAM Miami FL – slogan to "560 The Joe," networks to ESPN. (NRC DX-News 86/19)
740 CHCM Marystown NL – format to NWS/TLK:C&W (ex-NWS/TLK:CLR). The CRTC has given the OK to move CHCM to the FM-band. (NRC DX-News 86/19 and Nigel Pimblett, Aug CIDX Messenger via DXLD)
790 WAXY South Miami FL – slogan to "790 The Ticket," delete // WSFS-104.3. Granted STA extension, U4 25000/25000, Cuba QRM. (NRC DX-News 86/19)
930 WBEN Buffalo NY – granted STA extension, parameters at variance while FM diplexing. (NRC DX-News 86/19)
940 WINZ Miami FL – granted STA extension, U2 50000/25000, Cuba QRM. (NRC DX-News 86/19)
1080 WKAT Coral Gables FL – applies for STA extension, U4 50000/20000, Cuba QRM. (NRC DX-News 86/19)



- 1260 WRIE Erie PA – granted STA extension, parameters at variance. (NRC DX-News 86/19)
1300 KKOL Seattle WA – silent since the end of February 2018, KKOL is currently licensed for 47 kW at night, now has a construction permit for just 3.2 kW nights. The licensed night-time direction is to the north-west; the CP pattern is dual lobed to the NE and SW. KKOL was first licensed in May 1922. It used the calls KOL between December 1928 and 1975. (MWC September 2019)
1350 WOYK York PA – applies for STA extension, U1 5000/250. (NRC DX-News 86/19)
1350 CIRF Brampton ON – the CRTC denied the request from Radio Humsafar to move the transmitter site for their proposed ethnic station in Brampton on 1350, as the proposal shifted the signal more into the Mississauga market, and reduced it in Brampton. (Nigel Pimblett, Aug CIDX Messenger via DXLD)
 --- CIRF Brampton ON – application to relocate site of new station denied for a third time. (NRC DX-News 86/19)
1390 WFBL Syracuse NY – silent since August 2018, WFBL is reported back on with classic hits. (MWC September 2019)
1540 KGA Spokane WA – now granted reduction in night-time power to 540 W (was 50 kW, then 15 kW, then 6 kW – see MV-Eko no 2)
1570 WUBG Methuen MA – changes format from Oldies to Contemporary Christian, and slogan change to "K-Love" (MWC September 2019)
1620 WTAW College Station TX – adds // K233DU-94.5. (FCC via NRC DX-News 86/19)
1640 WTNI Biloxi MS has now rejoined 1490, ditching the sport format for country. Wikipedia says that this change occurred in June 2019, but I can't find independent confirmation. (Andrew Brade, MWC)
1680 KRJO Monroe LA noted with ID "99.7 My FM". Format change to Adult Contemporary. (Paul Crankshaw, MWC)
1680 WPRR Ada MI – adds overnight music to the talk format. Music played from 2200-0600 local, 0300-1100 (winter) UTC. (DX Mid-America via Barry Davies, MWC)

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Mexico**900 XEW Mexico City**

After a lot of investigations I came across the IFT technical specification for the move of the iconic station XEW in Ciudad de México. The reason for the move away from Ex-Hacienda Coapa is that the old spot with the tall antenna has been given over to a football (soccer) pitch. At first I suspected that the new site would be where XEX 730 kHz is housed, which is in Los Reyes Acaquipan (at 19° 21' 39"N 98° 59' 34"W). This is wrong. Having dug out the technical specification - like the long lamented AFSCA Argentinian documents - I followed the coordinates given there. A site has now been identified at 19° 21' 55"N, 98° 57' 28"W or 19.365172, -98.957773. There is a mast which is so new that it can only be seen through the latest image using the Historical feature on Google Earth. From that monopole the station now is broadcast at the new 100 kW output. The area comes under La Paz as the title. I will attempt to upload the specification for this move into the Files part of this website.



(Dan Goldfarb, mwmasts 30.7.2019 via DXLD)

Mexican AM to FM Migration Update

The following additional 27 stations have informed me via Facebook message in July 2019 that they have finished migrating to FM and turned off their AMs:

780 XEWGR-COAH 850 XEZI-MICH 860 XEAL-COL 920 XECQ-SIN 950 XEACA-GUER 950 XEZE-NAY 960 XETAP-CHIA 960 XEROO-QROO 970 XEVT-TAB 1010 XEWS-SIN 1020 XEPIC-NAY 1050 XEZUM-GUER 1070 XEGY-PUEB 1140 XEXF-GJTO 1170 XEUVA-AGUA 1170 XEIB-SON 1190 XEPP-VER 1270 XERRT-TAMA 1300 XEKW-MICH 1330 XEMAC-COL 1330 XEEV-PUEB 1340 XEOS-SON 1400 XEKJ-GUER 1400 XEI-MICH 1430 XELL-VER 1520 XEVO-VER 1590 XEBZ-CHIH.

The following 3 stations have confirmed in July 2019 that their AM stations are still active: 640 XETAM-TAMA 920 XEZAR-PUEB 1000 XEMYL-YUC. As always, there is no guarantee that every station employee answered correctly, but of the 200+ responses I have received so far, only a few have been questionable. In the list of stations above, I think only XEWGR has been logged by DXers fairly recently.

(Tim Hall, NRC DX-News 86/19)

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Argentina

- 860 New licence to Radios Patagónicas S.R.L – location San Carlos de Bariloche, Provincia de Río Negro (Grupo Radioescucha Argentino GRA)
- 1300 R Mitre, San Rafeal, Mendoza – new station. ✉ Calle Bernardo de Irigoyen 139, San Rafael. **W:** radiomitremendoza.com.ar (Argentina en AM y FM)
- 1310 R Imagen, Castelar (BA90) – ex. 1340 (Argentina en AM y FM)
- 1340 R Renacer, Moreno (BA205) – ex. 1310 (Argentina en AM y FM)
- 1320 R Sintonía, Esteban Echeverria, Buenos Aires (BA261) – ex. 1610 R Santa Fe. (Argentina en AM y FM)
- 1560 LT40 La Voz de la Paz, La Paz, Provincia de Entre Rios (ER09) conclude transmissions medio September. (Grupo Radioescucha Argentino GRA)
- 1610 R Luz del Mundo, Rafael Caldaza (BA51) – ex. 1170. (Argentina en AM y FM)

Brazil

Observations from Tetsuya Hirahara, monitored on a Kiwi SDR at Glorinha, Rio Grande do Sul, Brazil in June/July/August 2019.

- 540 ZYJ778 R Mirador, Ríó do Sul (SC01) – **W:** [facebook.com/radiomirador540](https://www.facebook.com/radiomirador540)
550 ZYK278 R Santa Cruz, Santa Cruz do Sul (RS03) – ex R Santa Cruz do Sul. ☒ R Ramiro Barcelos, 737 - Centro, 96810-054 Santa Cruz do Sul.
W: [facebook.com/Rádío-Santa-Cruz-AM-550-512342212186358/](https://www.facebook.com/Rádío-Santa-Cruz-AM-550-512342212186358/)



- 560 ZYK231 Tua Rádio, São Francisco, Caxias do Sul (RS04) – ex. R São Francisco.
W: [tuaradio.com.br/](https://www.tuaradio.com.br/) or [facebook.com/redetuaradio](https://www.facebook.com/redetuaradio)
570 ZYJ375 R Eldorado, Cricúma (SC02) – **W:** [am570.com.br](https://www.am570.com.br) or [facebook.com/RadioEldoradoCriciuma/](https://www.facebook.com/RadioEldoradoCriciuma/) **E:** jornalismo@radioeldorado.net
580 ZYJ327 R Pitanga, Pitanga (PR105) – ☒ Rua Arthur Mehl, 390 Pitanga, PR 85200-000.
W: [facebook.com/RadioPitangaAm/](https://www.facebook.com/RadioPitangaAm/)
580 ZYK318 R Fátima, Vacaria (RS07) – moved to FM.
620 ZYK270 R Pelotense, Pelotas (RS10) – ☒ Rua Alberto Soveral, 64, Bairro Treptow, Pelotas, RS 96020-120. **W:** [facebook.com/RadioPelotense/](https://www.facebook.com/RadioPelotense/)
650 ZYK238 R Difusão, Erechim (RS15) – ex. R Difusão Sul Riograndense.
W: [facebook.com/radiodifusaosul/](https://www.facebook.com/radiodifusaosul/)
760 ZYJ742 R Nereu Ramos, Blumenau (SC12) – **W:** [facebook.com/RadioNereuRamos](https://www.facebook.com/RadioNereuRamos)
780 ZYK279 R Princesa, Porto Alegre (RS31) – ex: R Caicara
800 ZYK292 R Universidade, Santa Maria (RS33). **W:** [facebook.com/radiouniversidade](https://www.facebook.com/radiouniversidade)
E: rd.universidade@gmail.com
840 ZYK248 R Cultura, Gravataí (RS36) – ex. R Capital.
890 ZYK215 R Difusora, Bento Gonçalves (RS39) – **W:** [facebook.com/difusora890](https://www.facebook.com/difusora890)
970 ZYK201 R Liberdade, Porto Alegre (RS49) – **W:** [pampa.com.br/radioliberaldade](https://www.pampa.com.br/radioliberaldade) or [facebook.com/rdliberdaderechim/](https://www.facebook.com/rdliberdaderechim/)
990 ZYJ763 R Itapiranga, Itapiranga (SC25) – **W:** [facebook.com/radioitapiranga/](https://www.facebook.com/radioitapiranga/)
1020 ZYK202 R Eldorado, Porto Alegre (RS49) – **W:** [eldoradofm.com.br/](https://www.eldoradofm.com.br/)
1060 ZYJ306 R Educadora AM, Francisco Beltrão (PR44) – **W:** [facebook.com/RadioEducadoraAm/](https://www.facebook.com/RadioEducadoraAm/)
1140 ZYK330 R Sobral, Butiá (RS73) – ex. R Jornal Sobral. **E:** contato@radiojornalsobral.com.br
1160 ZYK242 R Miriam Caravaggio, Farroupilha (RS74) – ☒ Rua Rui Barbosa 96. 95170-440 Farroupilha. **W:** [miriamcaravaggio.com.br/](https://www.miriamcaravaggio.com.br/) or [facebook.com/radiomiriamcaravaggio](https://www.facebook.com/radiomiriamcaravaggio)
1190 ZYK301 R São Lourenço, São Lourenço do Sul (RS102) – **W:** [facebook.com/radiosaolourencoam1190/](https://www.facebook.com/radiosaolourencoam1190/)
1200 ZYK239 R Erechim, Erechim (RS84) – **W:** [facebook.com/radiotcheerechim/](https://www.facebook.com/radiotcheerechim/)
1210 ZYK240 R Transcontinental, Porto Alegre (RS86) – ex. R Catedral.
1260 ZYK204 R Cultura, São Borja (RS97) – **W:** [facebook.com/RadioCulturaSaoBorja](https://www.facebook.com/RadioCulturaSaoBorja)
E: contato@radioculturaam1260.com.br



RÁDIO AMÉRICA
AM 1270 Khz
Montenegro - RS

- 1270 ZYK206 R América, Montenegro (RS131) – **W:** [radioamerica-am.com.br/](https://www.radioamerica-am.com.br/)
E: comercial@radioamerica-am.com.br or radio@radioamerica-am.com.br
1290 ZYK331 R Planetário, Espumoso (RS103) – **W:** [facebook.com/radioplanetario/](https://www.facebook.com/radioplanetario/)
1330 ZYJ739 R Clube, Blumenau (SC50) – **W:** [facebook.com/radioclubeblumenau](https://www.facebook.com/radioclubeblumenau)

- 1360 ZYK281 R Navegantes, Porto Lucena (RS151) – **W:** www.portalfunave.com.br or facebook.com/radionavegantesam/
- 1370 ZYJ782 R Peperí, São Miguel do Oeste (SC55) – ✉ Rua Marquês do Herval nº 977, São Miguel do Oeste – SC 89900-000.
- 1380 ZYK293 R Cultura, Santana do Livramento (RS120) – **W:** facebook.com/RadioCulturalLivramento
- 1390 ZYK209 R Esperança, Porto Alegre (RS122) – **W:** facebook.com/radioesperanca
E: comercial@radioesperanca.com.br
- 1410 ZYK284 R Minuano, Rio Grande (RS125) – **W:** radiominuanoam.adcast.com.br or facebook.com/RadioMinuano **E:** minuanorg@gmail.com
- 1430 ZYK379 Estação Portão, Portão (RS198) – ex. R AM1430. **W:** radioestacaoportao.com.br or facebook.com/www.estacaoportao.com.br/ **E:** radioam1430@hotmail.com
- 1440 ZYK221 R Ceres, Não Me Toque (RS168) – **W:** www.facebook.com/radioceres
- 1450 ZYJ822 R Hulha Negra, Criciúma (SC63) – ✉ Rodovia Luiz Lazzarin 2601. Maria Céu, 88801-660 Criciúma. **W:** radiohulhanegra.com.br/ **E:** euquero@radiohulhanegra.com.br
- 1500 ZYK225 R Liberdade, Canguçu (RS139) – increased power to 5 kW.



- 1550 ZYK375 R Soledade, Soledade (RS159) – **W:** radiosoledade.com or facebook.com/radiosoledade1550
- 1570 ZYK538 R Metrópole, Gravataí (RS147) – **W:** facebook.com/radiometropoleam
- 1580 ZYK237 R Encantado, Encantado (RS148) – **E:** ouvinte@rdencantado.com.br

Ecuador (ed: TL)

- 1420 HC..6 R Integración, Salcedo says in a Facebook-QSL that they have received reception reports from Sweden a few times this spring, but that they now only can transmit with 25 percent of their normal power (1 kW?) until they have succeeded to replace a broken unit in the transmitter. (Jan Edh, ARC)

Peru

- 680 OBX4A R La Peruanita, San Isidro (LM08) – ex. R RBC (Alfredo Cañote)
- 1470 OAU6E R Victoria, Arequipa (AQ38) – **W:** radiovictoriaaqp.com **E:** aqpvictoria@gmail.com (Alfredo Cañote)

Venezuela (ed: TL)



¡¡Potencia Radial del Táchira!!
100.3 fm / 1190 am

- 860 YVOL R Mundial, San Cristóbal – DXer Dr. Ricardo Benvenuto from San Cristóbal, State of Táchira informs that this morning, Sept 1st, Radio Mundial 860 kHz has resumed its broadcast. (Santiago San Gil G, Cadena DX fb 1.9.2019)
- 1130 YVRL R Ideal, Maiquetía heard testing via SDR Bonaire. (Mauno Ritola and Tore Larsson, ARC)
- 1190 YVZD R Cultural del Táchira, San Cristóbal – A piece of good news: Radiodifusora Cultural del Táchira has resumed its broadcasts on 1190 kHz according to a telephone report by DXer Dr. Ricardo Benvenuto in San Cristóbal. (Santiago San Gil G, Cadena DX fb 4.9.2019)

Radio Nacional del Paraguay celebrates its 77th anniversary

Luis Valderas, Frecuencia Al Día via Santiago San Gil G, Cadena DX fb 4.9.2019.

Translation Christer Brunström, ARC



On 2 September 2019, Radio Nacional del Paraguay, the nation's state broadcaster, celebrated its 77th anniversary. It is one of the major national broadcasters offering news and cultural programming reaching the entire country on AM and FM.

Radio Nacional del Paraguay was born on 2 September 1942 when it was assigned its official shortwave- and medium-wave frequencies. In the early days, it broadcast from its studios located on Haedo Street between 14 de Mayo and 15 de Agosto Streets. For decades it was the nation's most important radio station.

Over the years the importance of Radio Nacional decreased as the station's equipment became outdated. However, in 2008 there was an important change with the creation of Sicom, today's Ministry of Information and Communications Technologies (Mitic) which now runs the state broadcaster.

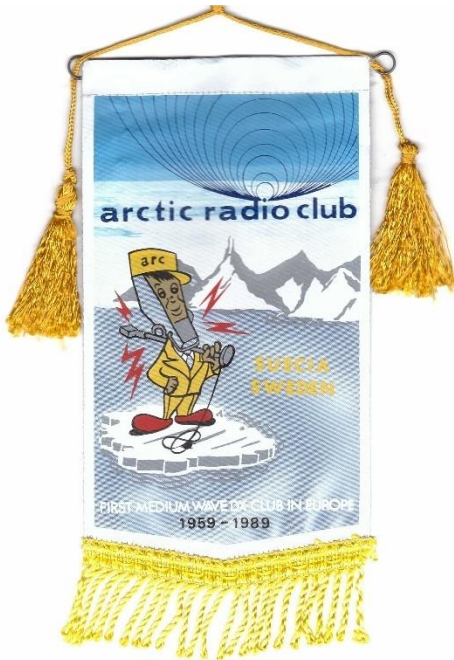
Thanks to a new 100 kW AM transmitter inaugurated in March 2012, the station once again covered the nation on AM and thanks to the Internet Radio Nacional can now be heard all over the world. Currently the station offers a variety of programmes 24/7.

As part of the Mitic state media group, the aim of Radio Nacional, according to Alejandro Peralta Vierci, the responsible government minister, is to promote debate and provide a voice for all opinions in order to foster democracy in the country.

Arctic Radio Club 60 år

Christer Brunström – artikeln skriven för tidningen QTC september 2019

På 1960-talet fanns det 100-tals DX-klubbar över hela landet. Det var initiativrika tonåringar som på egen hand startade föreningar med allt som hör till en sådan verksamhet. Förutom medlemsmöten organiserades lyssnarnätter, genomfördes tävlingar av olika slag och producerades program som sändes av stationer runt om i världen. Många klubbar gav dessutom ut egna bulletiner eller tidningar. Det handlade ju hela tiden om att förmedla information till medlemmarna på ett snabbt och effektivt sätt. Många dagstidningar hade DX-spalter som skrevs av lokala DX-are. Jag skrev själv under ett kvarts sekel en DX-spalt i Hallandsposten – den försvann i samband med att tidningen hade fått ett besparingsbeting.



En av Sveriges äldsta och fortfarande mycket aktiva DX-klubbar heter Arctic Radio Club (ARC). Som framgår av det här avbildade standaret grundades föreningen 1959. Detta är dock en sanning med modifikation. Verksamheten kom igång så smått under slutet av 1959 men själva konstituerandet av föreningen ägde rum året efter. Men jag tycker nog att vi redan nu kan inleda firandet av ARC:s 60-årsjubileum.

Arctic Radio Club är specialiserad på mellanvågslyssning och inget annat.

Syftet med ARC har hela tiden varit att serva medlemmarna med färsk tips och aktuell information. MV-Eko var länge en tryckt papperstidning som gavs ut var 14:e dag under säsongen från tidig höst till sen vår. Som bekant är mellanvågen tämligen död under de ljusa sommarmånaderna.

MV-Eko ges fortfarande ut men numera helt digitalt. Var annan vecka kommer ett nytt nummer på runt 30 sidor med tips, QSL, informationer, artiklar av olika slag, notiser från medlemmarna och bilder av nya och gamla verifikationer.

Redaktör för MV-Eko är Tore Larsson i Falköping (*tillsammans med Thomas Nilsson, eds note*). Det kan vara intressant att notera att Tore dessutom var en av grundarna av ARC!

Föreningen organiserar varje år ett konvent någonstans i Sverige. Under de senaste åren har medlemmarna träffats på Södra Vätterbygdens Folkhögskola i Jönköping för olika föredrag och trevlig samvaro.

I motsats till flertalet andra klubbar har ARC alltid krävt att medlemmarna aktivt deltar i föreningens verksamhet och då huvudsakligen genom att bidra till MV-Eko med information, loggningar och liknande. Samma politik gäller än idag. Det är alltså en förening för alla som aktivt ägnar sig åt DX-ing på mellanvågsbandet. Man kan också konstatera att det på senare tid alltmer har blivit en datoriserad hobbyverksamhet där tekniken spelar en allt större roll.

Vi passar på att önska ARC lycka till i samband med 60-årsjubileet.

Äventyr i Lynn Lake, Manitoba, Canada, vårvintern 1969, del 2

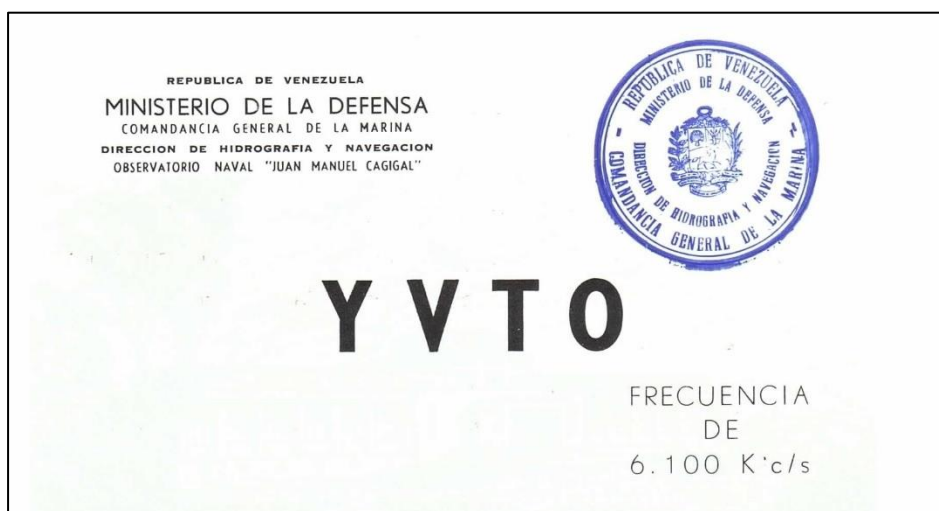
Stig Adolfsson, september 2019

På kortvåg kunde under kvällstid höras stationer främst från norra Sydamerika och Centralamerika. Jag kämpade länge med att identifiera den då nyöppnade tidsignalstationen YVTO i Venezuela, 6100 kHz som alltid var stark men aldrig talade om var den var belägen. Ett annat mera ”rart” DX var La Voz del Barú, Panamá, 6045 kHz som gick riktigt bra några kvällar. Den stängde kl 22 lokal tid med pampigt anrop m.m. Vanlig på 7170 kHz var Noumea men det var nog enda stationen från Söderhavet som jag hörde.

Kortvågen nyttjades även av andra aktörer t.ex. Chiupka Airways vars chefpilot Norman Carsley jag lärde känna. Deras sändare, en Heathkit amatörsändare med 50 watt uteffekt, hade två kristallstyrda frekvenser och en enkel longwire på taket till den lilla stationsbyggnad man förfogade över vid Eldon Lake. Ovanför sändaren fanns ett stort anslag på väggen ”Forbidden to use profane language on the air”.

Häriifrån flög man med en 8-sitsig tvåmotorig Beechcraft vilken sommartid gick på pontoner och vintertid på skidor. Under uppställningen nattetid frös maskinen vanligen fast på underlaget så när vi skulle ut och flyga post och förnödenheter till indianreservat, väderleksstationer m.m. hängde jag i ena vingens ytterkant och gungade av all kraft medan Norman gav full gas med max stigning på propellrarna. När den så lossnade rusade Beechcraften iväg några tiotal meter innan den stannade och jag kunde kliva ombord. Efter vi kommit upp något hundratal meter kom alltid en röst i radion ”White Alice” som bad oss att identifiera vårt flyg. Det var en station från Norads radarkedja som konstant bevakade det nordamerikanska luftrummet.


Andra som sände på kortvåg var de företag som prospekterade efter malm. När den stora sulfidfyndigheten Fox Lake upptäcktes sändes ett meddelande till huvudkontoret i Lynn Lake ”I am the proud father of a new born baby”. Detta lätt kodade meddelande var till för att andra gruvföretag inte skulle få kännedom om fyndet genom att tjuvlyssna på radiotrafiken. Det torde inte ha behövts FRA’s dechifferingskompetens för att räkna ut vad meddelandet egentligen avsåg.....




ARC-nostalgi

Ronny Forslund

Först en station vars kuvert tidigare varit med här men nu kommer själva QSL-kortet. I det bifogade brevet ber v/s E.J. Bates, Chief Engineer om ursäkt för att inte ha svarat tidigare. Han avslutar brevet sålunda: *The Arctic Radio Club must be a very lively group as we have received mail from other members. Keep up the good work and keep your Collins R-390A receiver warm.*

 <p>WBAP 820 RADIO</p> <p>SERVING THE FORT WORTH - DALLAS METROPLEX COUNTRY MUSIC / NBC NET / 24 HOURS DAILY</p> <p>3900 Barnett Street Fort Worth, Texas 76103</p>	<p>FREQUENCY: 820 Kilohertz WAVELENGTH: 365.8 meters POWER: 50,000 watts ANTENNA: Single guyed tower HEIGHT: 197' top-loaded LENGTH: Halfwave equivalent EXITATION: Series TRANSMITTER: Continental 317-C AUTHORIZATION: Non-Directional Clear-Channel LOCATION: Coppell, Texas COORDINATES: N-Lat: 32° 56' 10" W-Long: 96° 59' 25" ON-AIR SINCE: May 2, 1922 FM AFFILIATE: KSCS - 96.3 Mhz. (data card available)</p>
<p>HELLO! We are happy to learn that you are one of our listeners. This will serve to verify your reception. Thanks for writing.</p> <p>1/3/75 0137 - 0150 FALKOPING Date Time Locals</p> <p><i>E. J. Bates</i> Chief Engineer</p> <p>WBAP-KSCS Division of Capital Cities Communications, Inc.</p>	

Enkelt men trevligt kort från en station som startade redan 1922. Stationen finns fortfarande kvar med samma call och har ett talk-format. Det innebär en hel del syndikerade program som Coast To Coast AM, The Russ Limbaugh Show och The Sean Hannity Show. Hörs ofta på 710 kHz även om WOR inte kan sägas vara en av de vanligaste New York-stationerna. Kortet från TL:s samling.

	<p>January 31, 1963</p> <p>WOR new york, n. y. AN RKO GENERAL STATION</p>
<p>We wish to thank you for the report and we are glad to verify your reception of our programs from Station WOR.</p> <p>WOR operates on 710 Kilocycles from its 50,000 watt, high-fidelity transmitter at Carteret, N. J., 16 miles southwest of New York.</p> <p>WOR also operates Frequency Modulation Station WOR-FM and Television Station Channel 9 WOR-TV. We hope you will continue to receive and enjoy our programs, and we appreciate your comments.</p> <p><i>A. Mac Allister</i> Asst. Transmitter. Supvr.</p>	

Apropå WOR så startades stationen av varuhuset Bamberger's i Newark, New Jersey. Eftersom varuhuset sålde radiomottagare var en egen station både en strategi för att få folk att köpa fler radioapparater och att marknadsföra firman utåt. Den första studion fanns i en våning ovanpå varuhuset och själva sändaren, en 250-wattare av märket De Forest, installerades uppe på taket. Den första mikrofonen var ett hemmabygge där en megafon kopplats ihop med talröret till en telefon och den första skiva som spelades på WOR var "April showers" med Al Jolson. Nedan en bild som visar varuhuset med WOR:s antennmaster på taket under den första tiden.



TL:s QSL från CBT i Grand Falls, Newfoundland. På kortets baksida har v/s Joseph J. Maloney tillfogat uppgiften att CBT flyttade till 540 kHz den 7 februari 1963.

CBC
GRAND FALLS, NEWFOUNDLAND
THE CANADIAN BROADCASTING CORPORATION

is pleased to verify your reception on March 29th 19 63
of its transmission from 10:05 - 10:45 pm NST
Station CBT Frequency 540 Kcs. Power 10,000 watts.
The station is on the CBC RADIO Network
Per Joseph J. Maloney - Technician.
Date April 3, 1963.

Ett Spanien-QSL som DX-Räven JER erhöill från Radio Cadiz år 1954.

BANCO HISPANO AMERICANO
BANCO POPULAR ESPAÑOL
BANCO ESPAÑOL DE CREDITO
BANCO CENTRAL
BANCO DE BILBAO

Oficinas y Estudios
JOSE DEL TORO, 10
TELEFONO, 1095
APARTADO, 154

E. A. J.
59

Cádiz (España) 26 Enero 1954.

Sr. Dn. Erik Raf
Stebobruk (Suecia)

Muy distinguido Sr mio: Le quedo muy reconocido por su amable carta fecha 11 actual en la que me informa de la grata noticia para nosotros al saber que Vd desde tan lejos nos ha estado escuchando. Efectivamente el día a que se refiere, estábamos dando un programa tal como usted lo indica. Por ser esta emisora la mas andaluza y flamenca, nuestros programas son siempre obligados en el género folklórico andaluz de gran aceptación para nuestros oyentes. Sería muy de nuestro agrado, recibir nueva carta suya una vez haya escuchado de nuevo a RADIO CADIZ.

Con muchas felicidades en el año que comienza, quedo de Vd, affmo amigo y s.s.q.e.s.m.

RADIO CADIZ

[Signature]
DIRECTOR

RADIO CADIZ

Till sist ytterligare en raritet från JER:s samling. Hur många ARC-are har radiolandet Panama Canal Zone verifierat? JER blev tydligen Skandinavienetta på denna station när han rapporterade Caribbean Forces Network i Fort Clayton år 1955. Efter QSL-brevet ett programschema från stationen.

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"The Voice of Information and Education"

C F N
CARIBBEAN FORCES NETWORK
FORT CLAYTON, CANAL ZONE

An Affiliate of the Armed Forces Radio and Television Network
26 January 1955

Mr. Jan Erik Raf
Syslomanag, 16 A
Uppsala, Sweden

Dear Mr. Raf :

This is to confirm your reception report of Radio Station ACB 20, on 25-26Dec54 at 2330-0131 hours GMT.

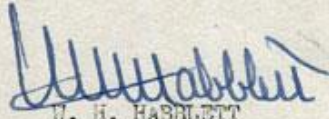
Radio Station ACA, located on the Pacific side of the Canal Zone at the Post of Corozal, operates on 790 KC with a standard commercial 5000 Watt broadcast transmitter; and utilizes a 300 ft. vortical, shunt-fed antenna.


Radio Station ACB-20, located on the Atlantic side of the Canal Zone at Fort Gulick, operates on 1420 KC with a standard commercial 1000 Watt broadcast transmitter; and utilizes an umbrella type antenna.

Both ACA and ACB-20 are fed over land-lines simultaneously from studios located at Fort Clayton, Canal Zone. These studios are comparable to state-side broadcast installations and are equipped with modern commercial type equipment furnished by the Armed Forces Radio and Television Service. Fidelity of studio equipment is flat within plus or minus 1.0 DB from 20 cycles to 20,000 cycles and distortion is less than 0.1 percent.


In behalf of the staff of the Caribbean Forces Network we thank you for your reception report and wish you many pleasant hours of listening through the medium of radio broadcast.

Sincerely yours,


W. H. HABLETT
Captain Arty
Officer In Charge


ROBERT A. BOTZERMAYER
Chief Engineer C.F.N.

P.S.- Thank you so much for your fine report and we were amazed that our signal could be heard as far away as Sweden. This is our FIRST report from any Scandanavian country. Best regards from all of us at C.F.N.


W.H.

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"THE VOICE OF INFORMATION AND EDUCATION"

CFN

790 KC CARIBBEAN FORCES NETWORK 1420 KC

in the "Kaga" time - Add 5 hours for GMT.

FORT CLAYTON, CANAL ZONE

AN AFFILIATE OF THE ARMED FORCES RADIO AND TELEVISION SERVICE

U-700-55

Sunday 23 January 1955

0658 Sign On	1230 World News*	1900 Ozzie and Harriet
0700 World News*	1300 Golden Voices	1925 The Todds
0715 Music for Sunday	1330 AFRTS Parade of Sports*	1930 H'wood Radio Theater
0800 CFN Church of the Air	1500 World News*	2025 Les Paul and Mary Ford
0830 Musical Interlude	1515 Serenade in Blue	2030 Charlie McCarthy
0835 Space Patrol	1530 Main Street Europe	2055 Musical Interlude
0900 Repeat Performance	1545 The Three Suns	2100 World News*
1000 Piano Playhouse	1600 New York Philharmonic	2115 Paulina Carter
1030 The Protestant Hour	1700 On a Sunday Afternoon	2130 Escape
1100 Symphonette	1725 Cabbages and Kings	2200 American Music Hall
1125 Musical Interlude	1730 World News*	2300 World News*
1130 The Catholic Hour	1745 Dinah Shore	2315 Starlight Souvenirs
1200 Luncheon Music	1800 The Army Hour	2345 Dream Harbor
1225 CFN Billboard	1830 Gunsmoke	2400 Sign Off
	1855 Musical Interlude	

* Monday 24 January 1955

0558 Sign On	1245 At Ease	1900 Arthur Godfrey
0600 Yawn Patrol	1300 Siesta Time	1925 Musical Interlude
0630 World News*	1400 Bud's Bandwagon	1930 Meet Mr. McNutley
0700 World News*	1430 Can You Top This?	1955 Ebony and Ivory
0800 Morning Melodies	1445 Tennessee Ernie	2000 What's My Line?
0830 Smiley Burnette	1500 World News*	2025 This I Believe
0845 Bob Hope	1515 Curt Massey	2030 My Little Margie
0855 Sports Detective	1530 Martin Block	2055 Art Baker
0900 Repeat Performance	1600 Anything Goes	2100 World News*
1000 Morning Devotions	1700 Easy Listening	2115 Armed Forces News*
1015 Coffee Time	1715 CFN Sportsade	2130 Suspense
1030 Ronnie Kemper	1730 World News*	2155 Musical Interlude
1045 You and the World	1745 The Latin Quarter	2200 Howard Barlow
1100 Symphony Hall	1755 CFN Billboard	2230 One Night Stand
1130 Bluegrass Jamboree	1800 Hall of Fame	2300 World News*
1220 News from Puerto Rico	1825 Musical Interlude	2315 Musical Caravan
1230 World News*	1830 Bob Crosby Show	2400 Sign Off
	1845 Today's the Day	

Wednesday 26 January 1955

0558 Sign On	1130 Bluegrass Jamboree	1730 World News*
0600 Yawn Patrol	1220 News from Puerto Rico	1745 The Latin Quarter
0630 World News*	1230 World News*	1755 CFN Billboard
0700 World News*	1245 At Ease	1800 The World We Live In
0800 Morning Melodies	1300 Siesta Time	1830 Bob Crosby Show
0830 Smiley Burnette	1400 Bud's Bandwagon	1845 Today's The Day
0845 Bob Hope	1430 Can You Top This?	1900 Gordon MacRae
0855 Sports Detective	1445 Tennessee Ernie	1925 Armed Forces Baseball
0900 Repeat Performance	1500 World News*	2130 High Adventure
1000 Morning Devotions	1515 Curt Massey	2155 Ebony and Ivory
1015 Coffee Time	1530 Martin Block	2200 Hollywood Music Hall

Forces Broadcasting Service, Benghazi – 833 kHz

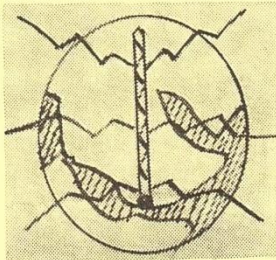
FORCES BROADCASTING SERVICE			
NEAR EAST			
NETWORK HEADQUARTERS BFPO 53			
FBS MALTA BFPO 51		FBS CYPRUS BFPO 53	
FBS TRIPOLI BFPO 57		FBS BENGHAZI BFPO 55	
TRANSMITTER TYPE <u>JT 1331</u>		AERIAL <u>T Top</u>	
EFFECTIVE RADIATED POWER <u>1000</u> WATTS			
Thank you for your report concerning our transmissions on <u>360</u> Metres			
<u>833</u> K/cs	<u>—</u> M/cs	covering the period	<u>0024</u> hrs to <u>0102</u> hrs
on <u>30th DECEMBER</u>		1962	
The contents of your report have been checked with our Station Log for that day and found correct. May we take this opportunity of wishing you good luck and happy listening during 1963			
			<i>N. Joyce</i> TECHNICAL OFFICER N. JOYCE.

I vår

"serie" av brittiska armestationer har vi nu kommit till Libyen där engelsmännen hade två stationer, dels en i Tripoli och dels en i Benghazi. Stationen i Tripoli sände på "besvärliga" 1484 kHz – en titt i 1956 års WRTH ger vid handen att där fanns hela 56 stationer! – så den lyckades jag aldrig höra. Däremot kunde Benghazi höras speciellt vid deras övertidsprogram kring jul och nyår. Båda dessa kort kommer från TL:s samling.



Forces Broadcasting Service, Aden – 1241 kHz

FORCES BROADCASTING SERVICE ADEN		
1241		241.7
KILOCYCLES		METRES
Thank you for your reception report covering the period <u>0245</u> G.M.T. to <u>0315</u> G.P.M. on <u>10 Dec</u> 1962. This has been checked against our station log and found to be correct. We hope that you will continue to receive and enjoy our programmes.		
		<i>Hamer</i> Technical Officer

Aden som ofta förekommer i dagens nyhetsändringar hade varit en brittisk koloni sedan 1839, men i november 1967 lämnade man Aden då oroligheterna runt området tilltog. Även här hade man en radiostation så länge man var kvar och som vid lämpliga tillfällen kunde höras på 1241 kHz. Stig var dock före med att logga denna station, se nästa sida.

Forces Broadcasting Station, Aden – 1241 kHz

Forces Broadcasting Station (Aden),
Steamer Point,
B.F.P.O.69.

Tel : ADEN 4448/9 - Ext 02

Ref : TECH/DO/1

Date : 15th September, 1962.

Stig Adolfsson, Esq.,
Skivbrytarevägen 58,
Grängesberg 2,
SWEDEN.

Dear

Thank you for your letter and reception report. We have checked your report against our station programme schedule and found it correct.

A few details for your Club Bulletin. This station was opened on 11th August this year and is one of a group of Broadcasting Stations provided to entertain British servicemen overseas. The Station Director is Mr. M.A. Pachebat and the Chief Engineer Mr. L. Allen, both of whom have served on Forces Broadcasting Stations in many parts of the world.

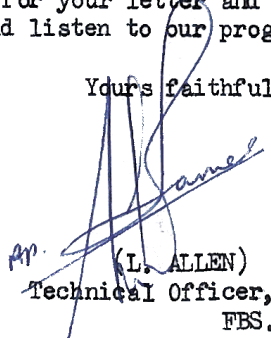
Our studios are in the town of Aden; our programmes are fed to our 10 KW Marconi M.F. broadcast transmitter (some miles away) by a V.H.F./F.M. link, operating on 167 Mc/s. The antenna is a 250ft. mast radiator with a counter-poise earth composed of 360 radials.

Transmission times are Monday to Friday 0245 to 0515 and 0945 to 2015 G.M.T., Saturday 0245 to 0515 and 0900 to 2100 hours G.M.T., and Sunday 0400 to 2015 hours G.M.T.

We would be pleased to accept your offer of a booklet on the mines and would appreciate a copy of your Club Bulletin, when you publish details of this station.

Thank you again for your letter and report. We hope that you will continue to tune in and listen to our programmes.

Yours faithfully,


(L. ALLEN)
Technical Officer,
FBS.

Som framgår av brevet ovan, startade stationen den 11 augusti 1962. SA loggade stationen redan i september samma år. Tnx Stig!

Forces Broadcasting Service, Malta – 1425 kHz

FORCES BROADCASTING SERVICE			
NEAR EAST			
NETWORK HEADQUARTERS BFPO 53			
FBS MALTA BFPO 51		FBS CYPRUS BFPO 53	
FBS TRIPOLI BFPO 57		FBS BENGHAZI BFPO 55	
TRANSMITTER TYPE	R.C. AET4331 (MODIFIED)	AERIAL	TWIN T. TOP 200 FT. LONG VERTICAL DOWN LEAD 70 FT
EFFECTIVE RADIATED POWER	800 - WATTS		
Thank you for your report concerning our transmissions on <u>1425</u> Metres			
on <u>25TH & 26TH December</u> 1962 covering the period <u>00.05</u> hrs to <u>01.50 GHT</u> hrs			
The contents of your report have been checked with our Station Log for that day and found correct. May we take this opportunity of wishing you good luck and happy listening during 1962.			
			<i>F. Blanchette.</i> (P.F. BLANCHETTE) TECHNICAL OFFICER MALTA G.C.

Så här skriver SA:

- *Beträffande FBS Malta så minns jag att när jag hörde stationen var den nystartad. Jag hade ingen information om den men anropet var klart och tydligt. Efter någon dag så ringde jag till UQ och undrade om han visste något om stationen. Han tillhörde ARC, vilket jag inte gjorde och se, Ullmar hade info vilket han delgav mig. Så min rapport, som spände över mer en timme, gick iväg och besvarades snabbt med ett vanligt FBS-kort. Jag kan inte minnas om jag hörde den fler gånger men jag tror inte att den var särskilt vanlig. Med sina 800 watt var den nog avsedd endast för Malta med omnejd. Tnx SA*



Forces Broadcasting Service, Akrotiri – 1089 kHz

BRITISH FORCES BROADCASTING SERVICE - CYPRUS
One of a chain of stations serving the services world wide

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De små 7.5 kW-sändarna i Limassol och Nicosia – se QSL i förra numret – försvann ganska tidigt på 60-talet. En liten 1 kW-are i Limassol fanns länge kvar, men kompletterades 1979 med en 10 kW-sändare i Akrotiri på 1089 kHz. Detta kort, som tillhör TL, är från 1981.

JONR (ABC) Osaka – 1008 kHz

ABC Radio AM1008 FM93.3

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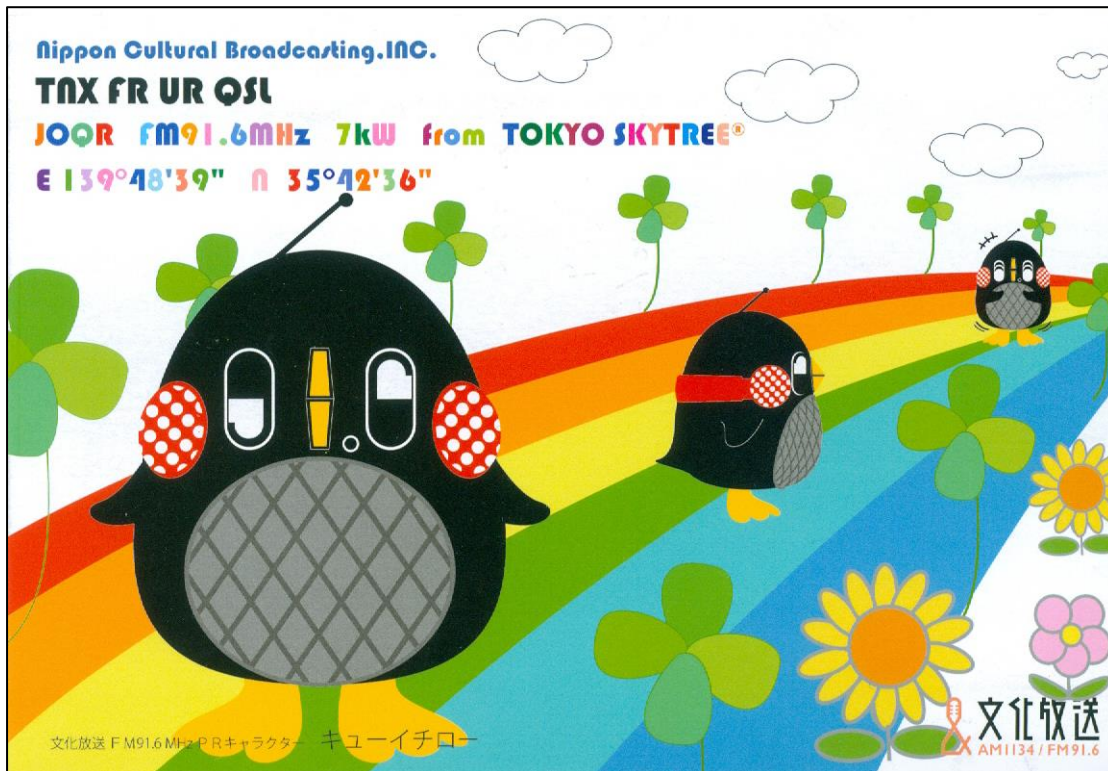
FM93.3 ABC Radio

Asahi Radio Broadcasting Corporation



tnx GL

JOQR (NCB) Tokyo – 1134 kHz



tnx GL

TAB Trackside Radio, Henderson North, Auckland – 1476 kHz



My reception, now verified by Richard E., was from November 2nd, 2018.

Earlier in that day from 1102Z I had already heard Newstalk ZB on 1035 kHz from Wellington and 1080 Auckland (1ZB Henderson North) plus Star on 657 Wellington and 882 Auckland (Henderson South). And 1119Z Radio Sport 1332 from Auckland (Henderson South) came in. So very good conditions towards New Zealand.

At 1200Z however I noticed there was a drop in signal levels, but all the same decided to try also for Auckland on 1476 even if at that time I had to go to Bergen to bring my wife home after a hip operation. So I parked the radio on Trackside's Auckland frequency 1476 kHz and let the recording run from 1203Z. Coming home I found there were indeed English, but only minor peaks on the recording.



Interference noted from unidentified Chinese, possibly Japan (JOSD Iida carrying NHK Radio 2), and later at 1349-1355Z China National Radio (CNR-8) at the start of national news in Korean blocking everything else. Later in the season, on February 13th, 2019 I heard 4ZR in Roma, Queensland on the channel.

A one minute clip was sufficient for Richard to recognize the Trackside programming.

The original station broadcasting on 1476 kHz was the former offshore station Radio Hauraki (1966-1970) operating from the Tiri I and II in the Hauraki Gulf. On September 26th 1970, Hauraki was granted a license to broadcast legally on 1480 kHz (call-sign 1XA) with transmitter at Mangere marking the start of privately owned commercial radio in New Zealand. The Radio International project broadcasting as Radio "I" on 1590 (later 1330) kHz soon followed. When the Geneva Plan was implemented on November 23rd, 1978 ITU Region III altered its AM band spacing from 10 kHz to 9 kHz, and consequently Hauraki's frequency was adjusted from 1480 AM to 1476 AM.

In February 1990, Radio Hauraki started on FM as "99 Hauraki FM" but simulcast on 1476 until the AM service was switched off in mid 1990.

A much simplified survey of the various stations using the facility after Hauraki (later change of transmitter site to Henderson North and call sign 1XD):

1990 - 1994 Info Music, 1476 Airport Radio, Auckland 1476, providing flight information. AKL Auckland International Airport.

1994 - 1997 The Point. (Newstalk)

1997 - 2005 BBC World Service (Auckland Radio Trust, now 810)

2005 - 2007 Radio Pacific-Trackside (Radio Pacific was originally an Auckland station on 1593 and 702 which went through several mergers.) Magazine-style chat and talkback (under the name Radio Pacific), and racing coverage (under the name Radio Trackside).

2007 - 2015 Bsport, later LiveSport (sports talk) and Radio Trackside(Sports talk, live races and betting odds)

2015- Acquisition by New Zealand Racing Board, and new common ID: TAB Trackside Radio.

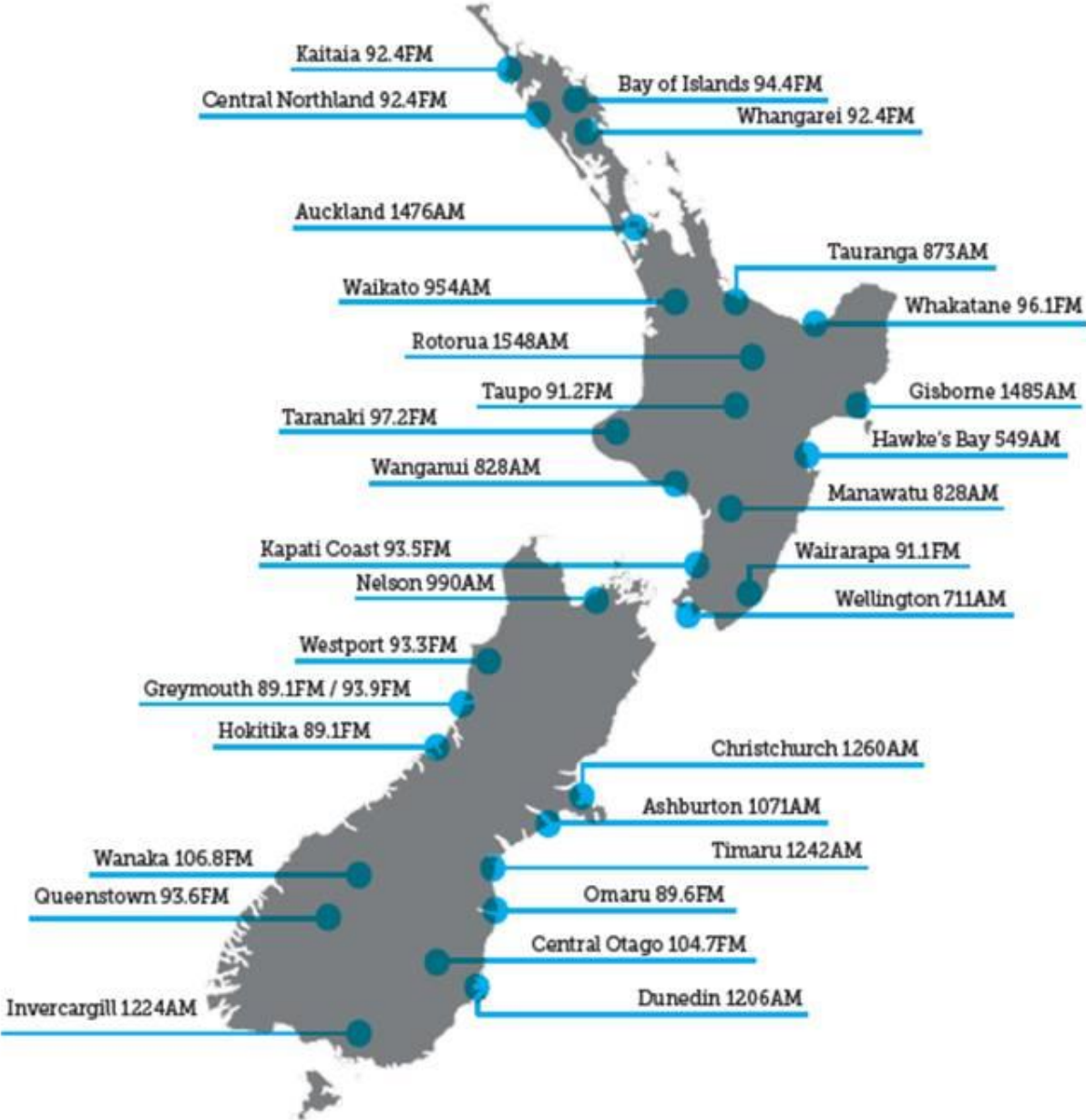
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https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/MediaWorks_New_Zealand and <http://www.tab.co.nz>

Frequency map, see next page

FREQUENCY MAP



TAB trackside
RADIO

tnx SM

KMMS Bozeman MT – 1450 kHz



Hi Jan,

Sorry for the slow reply. YES! That is our AM station 1450 KMMS from Livingston, Montana. Great catch on that! How many miles away are you?

Dave Wooten

Brand Manager and Morning Show Host

100.7 XL Country

Studio Line: 406-582-1061

Cell: 307.763.1674

Townsquare Media | 125 W. Mendenhall Bozeman, MT 59715

tnx JOB

WCLU Glasgow KY – 1490 kHz



Hey, Jan

Thanks for messaging us. That is certainly our station. WCLU is a hometown radio station that serves Glasgow, Barren County and Hart County in Kentucky, USA. We are marketed as “Your Home for Local.” We have a live morning show each weekday from 6 a.m. to 9 a.m. that has everything from local birthdays to news and a local history segment. Thanks for letting us know!

WCLU är min 4:e någonsin hörda Kentucky och den första radiostation jag fått svar ifrån via Facebook (Messenger) :-)

tnx JOB

Radio Caroline's m/s Ross Revenge



En fin bild på Radio Caroline's m/s Ross Revenge. Bilden kommer från Johnny Lewis, presentatör på Radio Caroline via Cadena DX fb 2.9.2019. Antennmasten var den dittills högsta metallkonstruktion som rests på ett fartyg.