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**19/4**

TL (tips)

## Hej!

... och välkomna till ett nytt Eko. Hoppas alla haft en fin påskhelg.

Att vi med stora steg går mot ljusare tider märks främst för vår del av det minskade antalet aktuella hörigheter från Nordamerika. Även om NA-loggen i dagens nummer är stor, så läser vi nu i bidragen att flera av våra NA-lyssnare plockar ned sin utrustning för säsongen. Nu förestår kanske att sitta på balkongen eller terrassen med en kopp kaffe och lyssna efter "godingar" från tidigare toppar? Loggen kommer nu att kantra över mot sydligare breddgrader. Sydamerika ligger öppet.

**Dekaler och logotypes** har vi denna gång fått från JOB, OJS och TN. Tnx!

### **I detta nummer förutom de fasta avdelningarna:**

\* Ecos del Torbes, a classic Venezuelan radio station – Courtesy Radio-Kuriér, weltweit hören nr 4 2021 1.4.2021. Translation Christoph Ratzer, tnx!

\* LS11 Radio Provincia de Buenos Aires 84 years – Radios du monde (sistasida)

### **Nostalg-QSL och annat:**

- \* EFJ12 Radio Juventud de Sabadell-1349 kHz – HS
- \* Radio Tchad-1539 kHz – HS
- \* WHGR Houghton Lake MI-1290 kHz – RR
- \* WIRL Peoria IL-1290 kHz – RR
- \* Foton från ODD:s radiohörna 1957 – LR
- \* EAK35 Radio Popular de Las Palmas-836 kHz – TL

Ett stort tack Ronny för dina alltid intressanta nostalgisidor. Vi hoppas att flera följer din önskan om bidrag!

### **Nya QSL:**

- \* Radio Republik Indonesia, Banda Aceh-1251 kHz – CR
- \* KWIP Dallas OR-880 kHz – GL
- \* KVCU Boulder CO-1190 kHz – GL



Två logotypes vi fått från JOB, KFOO-1440 före och efter juni 2020. Tnx!

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

### Noteringar i loggen:

**JE** = Jan Edh, Hudiksvall, lyssnar-QTH i Fredriksfors  
**OJS/K** = Odd-Jørgen Sagdahl, Trondheim, remote Kongsfjord (Veines)  
**OJS/S** = Odd-Jørgen Sagdahl, Trondheim, remote Smøla (Kalvøya)  
**RR/P** = Rolf Rönnerberg, Gnarp, remote Parkalompolo  
**SW/B** = Stefan Wikander, Söråker i stugan på Bjännmyrmon

### Europa

1494 27.3 2135 R Rock Revolution, pirate, rock mx, EE ID. FB  
1494 28.3 2210 R Edisson, Pella går här med typisk grekisk mx. (1493,997) TN  
1602 31.3 0520 SER R Cartagena, local px, ID, news. FB

### Asien

675 2.4 2000 Sor. Thor. Ror. 2, Bangkok. Full id över Qatar. JM  
891 3.4 2200 Sor. Wor. Thor Saraburi. Anrop som "Sathanii Witthayu Krajaisiang Haeng" Stark. TN  
927 2.4 2000 Liaoning RTV, Shenyang. JM  
927 3.4 2000 JOFG NHK1 Fukui. JM  
972 4.4 2100 HLCA KBS Hanminjok Bangsong 1, Dangjin väldigt stark vid ID. TN  
1188 4.4 2100 FEBC Seoul med ID som "HLKX". TN  
1197 3.4 1959 JOFO RKB Kitakyushu. JM  
1224 3.4 2000 JOJK NHK1 Kanazawa. JM  
1233 3.4 1959 JOGR RAB Aomori. "Aomori hoso" & lista över alla RAB-stationer. JM  
1233 2.4 1959 JOUR NBC Nagasaki. Bokstav-id & listade alla NBC-stationer. JM



1251 3.4 2155 **RRI Banda Aceh** överraskade med den typiska muslimska bönesången som man förr ofta hörde på RRI stationer på KV. Signalen dök i styrka strax före 2200, men den gick så pass att deras paussignal gick igenom och som upprepades ett antal ggr innan bönesången återkom. Fick tipset av Christoph Ratzer som hörde denna redan i januari efter flera veckors idogt lyssnande. Bevakade frekvensen ett antal dagar och så fanns den där i nätet. För den som vill se gamla fina verifikationer från Indonesien, kolla in [http://www.ontheshortwaves.com/DXing\\_Indonesia/DXing\\_Indonesia.html](http://www.ontheshortwaves.com/DXing_Indonesia/DXing_Indonesia.html) Där finns till och med ett svar till Jan Tunér. TN  
*/Grattis Thomas! Christoph's QSL finns längre fram i detta Eko -tl/*

1251 31.3 2201 Thor. Or. 06 Bangkok (1251,007). En annan Thai hördes också vid 2158 på (1251,003) TN

1287 3.4 2204 Sor. Or. Tor. "Smart Radio" med flera ID. (1286,995) TN  
1350 30.3 2148 Phon Neung Ror. Or., Bangkok bland flera asiater. (1349,987) TN  
1350 5.4 2100 DWUN R La Verdad med långfading, bättre efter 2110 (1349,997) TN  
1377 2.4 2000 Xizang RTV, Lhasa. JM  
1566 4.4 2100 FEBC Cheju med ID som "HLAZ". Väldigt stark. TN

## Oceanien

- 594 2.4 1900 3WV ABC Horsham. Våldigt fint med lokal-id och Victoria-nyheter. Bättre än Adelaide (729/891). JM  
729 2.4 1830 5RN ABC Adelaide. Hördes 2 timmar över Grekland. JM

## Nordamerika

- 550 22.1 0705 WSAU Wausau WI fint wx + språk, splash och lite QRM. BOS  
580 14.12 2200 WTCM Traverse City MI med ett "NewsTalk 580 WTCM" genom starkare "NewsTalk 580 CFRA" Fick QSL på en bättre PAX-rpt i vinter. BOS  
740 18.11 0600 **WVLN Olney IL** under CFZM med "CBS Sports Radio...WVLN, Olney". En total överraskning som bara har 250 watt som dageffekt och 7 watt som natteffekt. Körde säkert med dageffekt. SW/B  
760 21.3 0500 WLCC Brandon FL med Relevant Radio. Både WORA och WJR fanns också med. TN



- 790 18.11 0305 **WETB Johnson City TN** kom upp som en riktig överraskade med "You are listening to East Tennessee's Best, WETB". Sedan gick de riktigt bra en stund med programuppläsning som avslutades med "Thank you for listening to WETB". SW/B  
850 16.12 0807 WGVS Muskegon MI // 1480 med Chuck Berrys "No Particular Place To Go" Dominerade frekvensen en stund. SW/B  
1030 10.3 0200 WBZ Boston MA, "WBZ Boston" WWK  
1130 3.4 0400 WBBR New York NY, Bloomberg "This is WBBR New York" WWK  
1140 17.3 0400 CBI Sydney NS, "CBC" WWK



- 1150 28.3 0148 **KIMM Rapid City SD**. Heard a couple of times in March. OJS/K  
1200 4.5 0400 WXKS Newton MA ID "WXKS" WWK  
1210 27.3 0427 WPHT Philadelphia PA igenom nån minut trots superstyrka på 1215. TN  
1220 30.3 0501 KDDR Oakes ND. OJS/K  
1240 27.3 0200 KRDO Colorado Springs CO. OJS/K  
1240 18.12 1000 WTAX Springfield IL med fint legal ID. Äntligen något att rapportera och svarade snabbt och perfekt. Kul med v/s som vet vad DX är. BOS  
1240 27.3 0200 KFBC Cheyenne WY. OJS/K  
1270 17.3 0359 KNWC Sioux Falls SD väntade jag mig inte alls skulle dyka upp på 285-graders-antennen. Gick långt bättre än de vanligaste östkustarna som bara sporadiskt kunde skönjas. JE



- 1280 30.3 0555 WWTC Minneapolis MN idade under WNAM, fick svar från WWTC redan 1970, över 50 år sedan, otroligt!! Det hördes även 3:e station efter ett tag med CBS-News? RR/P  
1280 27.3 0359 WADO New York-Carlstadt NY med "TUDN Radio". Tack till Torolf som hörde detta. (1279,991) TN  
1280 30.3 0543 WNAM Neenah-Menasha WI med ett bra id+lugn musik RR/P  
1280 4.5 0400 CFMB Montréal QC "creole" WWK  
1340 13.3 0020 WXFN Muncie IN. OJS/K

- 1340 14.3 0155 **KYCN Wheatland WY.** Long time wanted and good signal. "Your home for the Wyoming Cowboys – 13-40 AM and 92.7 FM – KYCN". OJS/K
- 1360 15.11 1017 KSCJ Sioux City IA dominerade totalt. Nämnde KSCJ Holliday Auktion. Inte så vanlig men hörs nån gång vid rätt konds. SW/B
- 1370 24.3 0200 KDTH Dubuque IA. OJS/K
- 1370 10.10 0400 WLJW Cadillac MI med komplett legal ID // 104.1 Traverse City t ex. BOS
- 1380 30.3 0623 KLIZ Brainerd MN bra styrka, sports radio RR/P
- 1380 3.1 2100 WNRI Woonsocket RI med ID och USA radio news. SW/B
- 1380 21.3 0530 CKPC Brantford ON, ID: "Arise Christian Radio AM 13-80". FB
- 1390 3.4 0200 WEGP Presque Isle ME, ID "WEGP Presque Isle, WWTP Augusta" WWK
- 1400 24.3 0205 KCOG Centerville IA. OJS/K
- 1400 18.12 0900 WGIL Galesburg IL med väder inklusive ID efter nx. 0,74 kW. BOS



- 1400 24.3 0206 **KVOE Emporia KS.** String of repeated ids. "KVOE AM 1400, 96.9 FM - live and local". OJS/K
- 1400 2.4 0044 WBFN Battle Creek MI. OJS/K
- 1400 27.3 0145 KBRB Ainsworth NE. OJS/K
- 1400 2.4 0500 CBG Gander NL, ID "CBC News". FB
- 1410 15.11 1019 KLEM Le Mars IA kom upp helt ensam med ID och 96.9 FM. Gick på 290 gradaren. Inte ett spår av BC på den antennen. SW/B
- 1410 16.12 1300 KRWB Roseau MN lyckades komma igen. En station som ibland vid störda konds kan dominera frekvensen. SW/B
- 1420 27.3 0200 WAOC St. Augustine FL med ID. (1419,992) TN
- 1420 27.3 0500 KTOE Mankato MN upp med ABC News och iHeart. (1419,998) TN
- 1420 30.3 0604 KTOE Mankato MN med klart och tydligt ABC News, svarade dagen efter. Det verkade vara punktkonds denna natt mot MN-WI. RR/P
- 1430 2.4 0100 WEEF Deerfield IL. OJS/K
- 1430 18.12 1000 WXNT Indianapolis IN starkast med CBS Sports men pressat anrop som inte underlättade ID direkt. Indianapolis är ju ett distinkt namn och hördes bra. BOS
- 1430 29.3 0500 WENE Endicott NY, ID, Fox sports. FB
- 1430 27.3 0427 CHKT Toronto Island ON "Fairchild Radio" med asiatiskt språk. TN
- 1440 4.4 0400 KTUV Little Rock AR. OJS/K
- 1440 3.4 0302 WNFL Green Bay WI. OJS/K
- 1450 30.3 0500 KZZJ Rugby ND. OJS/K
- 1450 23.3 0123 **KGFF Shawnee OK.** OJS/K
- 1460 15.12 2200 WBNS Columbus OH med kanonid och 14-60 ESPN Columbus. Inte hörd hos mig på många år. Har också saknat WBRN och WPON på frekvensen som hördes i Pålgård några gånger. SW/B



- 1470 27.3 0400 WWNN Pompano Beach FL. Ny för mig och ny delstat. WWK /Grattis -ed/
- 1470 27.3 0400 WWNN Pompano Beach FL "Money Talk Radio Network". (1470,001) TN
- 1470 5.4 0300 WWNN Pompano Beach FL. Numera "Money Talk Radio". JM
- 1470 21.3 0500 WWBG Greensboro NC, ID: "AM 14-70 WWBG Greensboro". FB
- 1470 31.3 0506 WNYN Ithaca NY, ID: "94.1 AM 14-70 Pure Oldies". FB
- 1480 4.4 0400 KAUS Austin MN. OJS/K

1490	24.3	0200	KTOP Topeka KS. OJS/K
1500	21.3	0500	WFED Washington DC, ID, CBS news. FB
1520	31.3	0459	WWKB Buffalo NY, ID: "ESPN 15-20 WWKB Buffalo". FB
1540	10.3	0200	KXEL Waterloo IA, "Waterloo Cedar Falls" WWK
1540	3.4	0309	KEDA San Antonio TX. OJS/K
1550	24.3	0200	KYAL Sapulpa OK. OJS/K
1560	30.3	0630	KNZR Bakersfield CA med ett program om "Air Forces" flygplan på flygplatser runt om i USA, hördes med bra styrka, svarade efter 5 tim. Ny för mig. Inget spår av Texas- tationen. RR/P
1570	2.4	0058	WFUR Grand Rapids MI. One of several REL on 1570 this night. WBGX-IL + most likely WGLL-IN were good in periods. In addition, KDIZ-MN and WWCK-MI were audible at this time. OJS/K
1570	28.3	0034	WWCK Flint MI. OJS/K
1580	2.4	0100	WHLY South Bend IN. OJS/K
1580	28.3	0114	KNIM Maryville MO. Nice signal for a short period. OJS/K



1580	28.3	0600	<b>WLIJ Shelbyville TN.</b> OJS/K
1580	31.3	0455	CKDO Oshawa ON, pop mx, ID. FB
1590	15.11	0930	KWBG Boone IA med ID och KWBG väder. Länge sedan jag hörde den. SW/B
1600	24.3	0201	KMDO Fort Scott KS. Super signal! OJS/K
1650	31.3	0500	CKZW Montréal QC, FF ID: "Sur le 16-50 AM à Montréal...". FB
1660	31.3	0500	WWRU Jersey City NJ, advs, ID, Korean px. FB
1670	31.3	0450	WMGE Dry Branch GA, ID, "Black Information Network". FB
1670	5.4	0300	WMGE Dry Branch GA. Black info network. JM



1670	31.3	0508	CJEU Gatineau QC, FF ID: "Radio Jeunesse 16-70 AM". FB
1690	28.3	0500	WPTX Lexington Park MD, ID: "16-90 AM WPTX", Fox news. FB
1700	1.4	0500	WJCC Miami Springs FL, Religious px in Creole. FB
1710	31.3	0459	WQFG 689 Jersey City NJ, ID, Covid 19 information. FB
1710	21.3	0438	WQFG 689 Jersey City NJ var rätt stark vid denna tid. (1709,992) TN

### Mexiko, Centralamerika och Västindien

840	1.4	0400	CHMW La Doble V Santa Clara med nationalsång och id – cubanerna har varit märkligt frånvarande på bandet i vår efter att i vintras ha funnits "överallt". JE
840	2.4	0100	4VEH Cap Haitien nattens första station som kom fram tillräckligt för id så när som på en handfull nordöstliga NA och PR. (839,992). JE
860	26.3	0300	PJZ-86 R Curom Willemstad skön musikmix med bra styrka – inga annonseringar om vanligt utan bara någon jingle ibland. JE



**Matanzas**

1060	24.3	0459	R 26 Jovellanos "Esta es R 26 Jovellanos". TN
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1230	2.4	0100	WNIK Arecibo PR gick bäst, troligen var det Calidad som störde. Calidad dominerade senare mot morgonen. JE
1230	4.4	0400	WNIK Arecibo PR. "Radio Tropical". JM
1320	19.3	0458	WSKN R Isla San Juan PR Ett svagt R Isla hördes bland flera. (1319,996) TN
1380	2.4	0458	XECO Romántica, México DF, ID by YL, Spanish songs. FB
1420	17.3	0500	WUKQ Ponce PR med WKAQ-anropet. JE
1420	19.3	0500	WUKQ Ponce PR med ID. TN
1430	2.4	0100	HIC54 R Emanuel Santiago de los Caballeros id-ade efter musik. JE
1440	17.3	0503	HIC55 R Impactante, Sto Domingo id-ade. Gick bra i förhållande till övrigt. JE
1520	16.3	2330	WRSJ San Juan. Stark och stabil. (1519,901) JE
1540	2.4	0100	ZNS Radio Bahamas Nassau starkast på bandet den här tiden. JE
1570	17.3	0302	TGVE R VEA Ciudad de Guatemala stark och diverse id och jinglar, Carraviz störde lite försiktigt ibland. (1569,990) JE
1570	1.4	0400	WPPC R Felicidad Penuelas PR. En stor överraskning för mig med mycket medikora konditioner. "Esta es WPPC 15-70 AM radifelicidadpr.com" id-dad med hjälp av Andrew Brade på RealDX. JE
1590	24.3	0030	WXRf Guayama PR kunde id-as på att den gick parallellt med WAPA 680. JE
1620	17.3	0500	CMBA R Rebelde, Guanabacoa WWK
1630	17.2	0500	YSGS R Elohim San Salvador WWK
1630	3.4	0414	YSGS R Elohim San Salvador med eldig predikan. TN
1660	12.3	0500	WGIT Faro de Santidad Canóvanas. ID även 17/3 WWK

## Sydamerika

590	25.3	2329	LS4 R Continental Buenos Aires. JE
620	25.3	0100	L.. R Nacional Argentina – ovisst vilken av de fyra sändarna – med fotboll. JE
680	17.3	0400	HJZO R Nacional de Colombia Barranquilla och inte WAPA som nästan jämt brukar höras. JE
750	25.3	0107	LRA7 R Nacional Córdoba – bästa den hörts på år och dag. Fotbollsprogram som räckte över timmen med europeiskt fotbollskval. Här Nacional-annonsering och att 24 mars var en minnesdag för sanning och rättvisa. JE
780	25.3	0100	ZP70 R Primero de Marzo Asunción med trängt id. Kom upp fint igen några minuter före 04. JE
820	25.3	2308	LRA8 R Nacional Formosa var en av de tidiga som fadade upp bra några korta stunder. JE
850	25.3	0100	OBU7Z R Pachamama Puno med ett par skraltiga id som Jan Alvestad och Mauricio Molano hjälpte till att tyda på RealDX. (850,004) JE
850	24.3	2330	CX16 R Carve Montevideo svag och splashad. JE
870	25.3	0000	LRA1 R Nacional Buenos Aires – eländigt svag men så pass att det gick att ana ett "Nacional" JE
920	25.3	0421	YVQX R Nueva Esparta Porlamar var det ett tag sedan den hördes (920,003) TN
930	25.3	0056	HJCS La Voz de Bogotá Bogotá med ett id. JE
930	24.3	0100	OAM7J R Cadena Sur Espinar väldigt brusigt och med dålig modulation. Inget riktigt id men lokala Espinar-reklamer och andra hänvisningar till Espinar (efter mycket aktivitet på RealDX med bl a Mauricio Molano som kunde naila ett par avgörande reklamer, Mark Chutton, Jan Alvestad och FD). Reklamerna används flitigt på deras webstream... JE
950	24.3	0000	LR3 CNN Noticias Argentina Buenos Aires överraskande fint med tanke på hur bandet i övrigt lät. JE
960	24.3	0101	CP30 R Santa Cruz Santa Cruz id-ade. Måste väl ha gjort något åt sin anläggning så ofta som den gått nu i vår? JE
970	25.3	0204	ZP9 Universo 970 Asunción id-ade. (970,009). JE
1030	25.3	0000	LS10 R Del Plata Buenos Aires tittade också fram igen. JE
1140	25.3	0100	HJCL R Panamericana Girardot med klart och tydligt id trots den klena styrkan. JE
1190	24.3	0400	HCDE2 UCSG Radio, Guayaquil med ett svagt id som tog sig förbi WBMJ. JE
1190	24.3	0433	HCDE2 UCSG Radio, Guayaquil rätt hyggligt. (1189,993) TN
1200	17.3	0500	HJIJ La Voz de la Raza Medellín var stark. Annonserade också om att man tillhör Todelar. (1200,173). JE

1200 24.3 0400 YVOZ R Tiempo, Caracas överröstade Radio Red. JE  
 1200 28.3 0402 YVOZ R Tiempo, Caracas. JM  
 1230 17.3 0100 HJLK R Calidad Cali med id och RCN-hänvisning hade tagit över från WNIK som gick tidigare. JE  
 1230 25.3 0347 HJLK R Calidad Cali gick hyfsat när de flesta signaler redan hade försvunnit. JE  
 1230 25.3 0431 HJLK R Calidad Cali ” R Calidad presenta ...” TN  
 1270 24.3 0032 HJAR La Cariñosa Cartagena, en av de första riktigt ”läsbara” signalerna så när som av några PR. (1270,029). JE



1290 24.3 0102 HJOI ConecZión R Sampedú ”ConecZión Radio 12-90 AM HJOI...” efter ”kristen” musik. Bästa jag hört den på hela säsongen. JE  
 1300 25.3 2330 OAX7X La Decana Radio Juliaca Juliaca – hördes både med ”La Decana” och ”Radio Juliaca”. JE  
 1310 17.3 0502 HJJZ R 3:16 Bogotá idade när en entusiastisk publik applåderat klart efter ett väldigt ”poppigt” liveframträdande. JE  
 1310 1.4 0430 HJJZ R 3:16 Bogotá med religiös musik av det poppigare slaget. JE  
 1330 24.3 0030 HJAP CRA R Auténtica Cartagena svag, men ganska ”klar” med tacksägelsegudstjänst. (1329,990). JE  
 1360 29.3 0400 HJUO Sistema Cardenal, Cartagena. JM  
 1360 25.3 2302 OAX7R R Sicuani Sicuani överraskande tidig, bekräftades av Mauricio Molano på RealDX. ”Somos Radio Sicuani”. Spelade ”Ave Maria” JE



1370 29.3 0400 HJKI R Mundial, Bogotá. JM  
 1380 24.3 0443 OAU7L R Andina Juliaca rätt bra vid denna tid. (1380,031) Driver lite, t ex den 4/4 på 1380,028. TN  
 1380 2.4 0300 OAU7L R Andina Juliaca. En annan bärvåg var starkare så jag trodde jag hörde något annat, men Paul Crankshaw på RealDX rättade mig ”Somos la voz y el sentir del pueblo” är en slogan från Andina. JE  
 1380 29.3 0300 OAX2W R Campesina Cajamarca med flera ID. (1379,998) TN  
 1380 2.4 0200 OAX2W R Campesina Cajamarca, musik med massor av annonseringar och prat i. Andina tittade också upp ibland med mer fading. (1379,998). JE  
 1400 17.3 0449 OAU2H R Agricultura Cajamarca gick hyfsat med musik stundtals, men jag hade inte hittat id utan Sims tips i Ekot. (1399,960). JE  
 1420 2.4 0401 YV.. R Sintonía Caracas var en av de sista för morgonen med hyfsad styrka. JE  
 1430 17.3 0001 HJPW R Ya Barranquilla kom fram, hyfsat stark men bara korta stunder åt gången. (1429,865). JE  
 1430 24.3 0030 HJPW R Ya Barranquilla ovanligt stadig. Religiöst. (1429,868) JE  
 1440 2.4 0158 OAX6R R Santa Monica Arequipa med id – törs inte gissa vilken av splittarna som störde. JE  
 1470 19.3 0459 OAU6E R Victoria Arequipa uppe en kort stund. (1469,951) TN  
 1470 2.4 0200 OAU6E R Victoria Arequipa växlade med ”La Mega”. (1469,951). JE  
 1480 25.3 2307 CP.. R Bendita Trinidad Santa Cruz ”märkligt bra” - kom upp redan strax före 23. Troligen Espinar som blandade sig i allt mer och sedan även WMDD som efter hand blev ensam kvar. JE

1490 18.3 0300 HJBS Emisora Punto 5 Bogotá med ID. (1489,998) TN  
 1490 24.3 0458 HCAM5 R Santa María Azogues starkt med nationalsången. (1489,998) TN



1490 25.3 0433 YVXD R Dinámica Caracas med ID. Gick bra. (1490,013) TN  
 1510 17.3 0100 HJD24 La Voz de La Unión La Unión väldigt splattrad men Andrew Brade på RealDX hjälpte mig med id i en sångjingle med flera "La Voz de la Unión" inbakat. JE (1509,998). JE  
 1510 1.4 0335 HCB1 R Monumental Quito – en av de allra första som kom igenom med läsbar styrka denna otroligt magra natt. (1509,988). JE  
 1510 25.3 2330 OCX4J R Tarma Tarma. Mycket fading. (1510,024) JE  
 1520 2.4 0153 CP..R La Luz del Tiempo El Alto. "La Luz". Förmodligen också en peruan som jag inte får ut där förutom de "sneda" colombianerna. (1520,004) JE  
 1540 2.4 0200 CP.. R Bendita Trinidad El Alto, en svängig hymn. Överröstade Bahamas totalt vid det här laget. (1539,995) JE  
 1550 2.4 0201 CP.. R Caravani Caravani tog fram panflöjten någon minut innan ett stort id. JE  
 1560 2.4 0203 CP.. R Luz del Mundo La Paz "...escucha esta emisora Radio Luz del Mundo" med en körsång och "palabra de Dios". Stark! JE  
 1570 17.3 0454 HCCC4 R La Voz Manta Manta – precis som Sim tipsade i senaste Ekot med id och sång av Julio Iglesias (1570,021) JE  
 1570 24.3 0442 HCCC4 R La Voz Manta Manta ganska utstörd av Carráviz. (1570,021) TN  
 1570 24.3 0446 OAU7Z R Carráviz Juliaca med ID och lite skrovlig stämman. (1569,989) TN  
 1620 25.3 2330 O.. R Choquechamaca Chamaca gick igenom igen, men svagare och brusigare än 14/3. (1620,022) JE

### Oid/Tent Mexiko, Centralamerika, Västindien och Sydamerika

1480 21.3 0100 Tent Bendita Trinidad med sign off c:a 0210. (1479,986) TN



#### Christoph Ratzer:

A look at my Stampfl / Fenu active dipole. An antenna that I enjoy every day. Good amplification and excellent directivity on medium waves that you would not expect from such a small antenna.

Electrical AND mechanical: TOP! More on this:

[https://www.fenu-radio.ch/Stampfl\\_Activ\\_Dipol.htm](https://www.fenu-radio.ch/Stampfl_Activ_Dipol.htm)

(Google translation -tl)

### ✉ Från e-posten

**Rolf Rönnberg 4.4.2021:**

Den 30/3, klev upp strax innan väckarklockan och kollade, döm om min förvåning det hördes med god styrka, lyssnade länge på 1280 WNAM, fick rapport.

KTOE 1420 fick även rapport svarade dagen efter. 1560 hördes också bra utan fading. 970, hördes bra men ej id.

Den 31/3, klev upp och hade stora förväntningar på hörigheter, tyvärr inte en enda NA signal allt var bortblåst. Detta är väl tjusningen med vår hobby.



**Stefan Wikander 4.4.2021:**

Inga konds alls hos mig så inga färska loggningar. Nu kopplar jag ner utrustningen på Eriks Udde för säsongen.

**Wolfgang Wundsch 4.4.2021:**

Införskaffat ELAD FDM-S3. Verkar fungera toppen. /Du är välkommen med en närmare presentation till MVE OM! – ed/

**Jan Oscarsson 5.4.2021:**

Hej! En liten QSL-lista samt gammal respektive ny logga för KFOO 1440 får bli ett "livstecken" från mig denna gång! Jag hörde dem som "La Preciosa" men i juni förra året byttes formatet till Black Information Network. Fortsatt trevligt vår önskas från Umeå! /Tack detsamma Jan! -ed/

**Bengt Ericson 5.4.2021:**

Är tillbaka i hemmet efter 8 veckors vård. Först CLV Växjö sedan Universitetskliniken i Lund, där den kvalificerade operationen för ryggmärgen skedde. Sedan till Växjö och Rehabkliniken för träning av ryggen. En otroligt fin anläggning.

Orsaken till detta var att den 11 januari halkade jag då jag skulle ansluta bilvärmen. Först träffade jag bilen och därefter föll jag på asfalten. Nu är det bara träning som gäller + radio. Hälsningar Bengt /Trevligt att höra ifrån dig Bengt, nu gäller det att kämpa vidare! -tl/

**Jan Edh 5.4.2021:**

Det blev mager fångst i Fredriksfors 17/3.

Mycket splatter och ofta svaga signalstyrkor gjorde att det var svårt att få några id.

Något fler NA-stationer än på senare tid, men fortfarande bara några av de allra vanligaste. Och så KNWC 1270 som gick bättre än de andra för en stund, och som inte alls passade in i konditionsbilden.

Mot morgonen blev det en liten förbättring med fler stationer och starkare signaler, men nattens absolut bästa signaler var Radio Veä 1570 och Radio Impactante 1440!

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Det var nästan tomt på stationer under en stor del av den här natten, 24/3. Före 00.30 UTC några PR-stationer. Sedan en knapp timme med lite öppning med framför allt Colombia, men också både Peru och Bolivia. Sedan ingenting fram till strax före fyra då det åter dök några stationer under en dryg halvtimme och sedan var det över. Ungefär 1,5 timme totalt.

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Det var få stationer som gick riktigt bra den här natten, 25/3. Egentligen var det bara en dryg timme från 00 UTC och så några enstaka stationer strax före 04 UTC som det gick att få ut något av. I övrigt väldigt magert med mycket brus och kraftig fading. Av det som gick var det övervikt för stationer från La Plata (men knappast en enda brasse) trots att jag lyssnade med en antenn i 285-grader.

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En ganska märklig natt för lyssning i Fredriksfors mot 26/3.

Redan före 23 UTC fadade några andinska stationer liksom någon enstaka La Plata, in med överraskande bra styrka, medan de vanliga Puerto Ricanerna var frånvarande. Förutom de loggade fanns det också en hel del intressanta bärvågor, framför allt på övre delen av bandet men som inte tog sig genom bruset.

Men det roliga var snabbt över. Redan efter 23.30 var bandet praktiskt taget tomt på stationer och så förblev det till framåt 03. Bara några enstaka och svaga signaler av det allra vanligaste. Vid 03 började dock colombianerna och även en del Puerto Ricaner komma. Vid 04 var det riktigt bra styrkor på många av dem och de hade också fått sällskap av stationerna från sydöstra Canada och några USA Det var dock inget där som kändes riktigt intressant.

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Natten mot 1 april höll på att bli ett riktigt skämt – timmarna gick och det hördes på sin höjd lite mummel från de vanligaste puertoricanerna, någon colombian och någon enstaka NA. Inte förrän mot gryningen kom några signaler som gick så hjälpligt att de kunde identifieras. Mycket överraskande att jag under dessa förhållanden hittade en för mig ny station, WPPC på 1570.

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En kort öppning mot Bolivia runt 02 UTC (som TJ från början tipsade om) var glädjeämnet denna långfredagsmorgon, 2 april. Överraskande bra styrkor "från ingenstans" på frekvenser på översta delen av bandet. I övrigt var det väldigt magert. Några vanligare peruaner, och så lite blandat med vanliga colombianer och NA efter 0230.

### **Jorma Mäntylä 5.4.2021**

Överraskande Japan-konds i början av april.

### **Bo Olofsson 6.4.2021:**

Har försökt koka soppa på januari-inspelningarna men den blev tunn. Efter reduktion inte mycket kvar. Februari och mars finns inget kvar att kolla och inte många minuter sparat heller. Liknar inget jag varit med om sedan de första SDR-mottagarna dök upp. Några finingar lär dock dyka upp på höstens hårddisk när jag fortsätter städa. Ha en skön vår! */En skön vår även till dig Bosse, och tack för alla fina tips under säsongen/*

### **Tore Nilsen 6.4.2021:**

Aktiviteten har vært laber de siste ukene, men noe Iberia-DX bør gi resultater; noe er allerede «i boks» takket være vår utmerkede venn José Antonio i Madrid!

En DX-fri påske på hytta – for første gang på mange år! – er over. Aktivitet fremover vil være påvirket av mer stabilitet på Smøla, der problemer i strømmettet har ødelagt mye.

### **Odd-Jørgen Sagdahl 6.4.2021:**

Da begynner det å dra seg mot slutten på denne sesongen også. Reinen begynner å trekke fra Finnmarksvidda og ut mot kysten og da må antennene i Kongfjord rulles inn. Konklusjonen er at dette var en ganske god sesong, og en historisk bra mars måned. Så langt har jeg funnet 9 nye stasjoner i mars måned, og det har jeg ikke opplevd i nyere tid. Det er fortsatt bra med stasjoner hver natt, og på samme måte som september, er mange av dominantene svake og åpner for uvanlige loggings. Det har vært en del Australia også de siste ukene, men ikke noe spektakulært.

På Smøla har det vært store støyproblemer pga. en feil i høyspentnettet. I store deler av februar og mars var det derfor umulig å lytte. Håper at dette løser seg snart slik at det kan bli noen nye Florida-stasjoner før sesongen er over der også.

Tusen takk for innsatsen dere gjør!

Her finnes en interessant artikkel Bjarne Mjelde skrev om en mini-GPS som kan brukes for kalibrering av frekvensen på radioer. Kanskje verdt å ta med i Eko? Bjarne sier OK til å ta inn denne teksten om dere finner det interessant.

<https://arcticdx.blogspot.com/2021/04/the-bodnar-mini-precision-gps-reference.html>

*/Stort tack Odd-Jørgen och Bjarne. BM är välkommen till ARC om han önskar -tl*

### **John Ekwall 6.4.2021:**

Den minst sagt kylslagna Påsken är nu över. Det blev mest innesittande för min del. Jag håller på att gå igenom mitt arkiv av kassetter och band för att göra en del av de intressanta sakerna digitala. Har bra kontakt med Jerry Berg och hjälpt honom med en del gamla saker. Han ställde en fråga till mig - finns det någon inspelning från Radio Swan som kan läggas in på [ontheshoertwaves.com](http://ontheshoertwaves.com)? Jag var inte aktiv 1960-61 när stationen hördes på 1160/6000. Tror du att någon ARC-are har någon inspelning kvar från den tiden? Du kan väl göra en blänkare i MVE?

Annars allt bra i Blekinge. Ingen aktivitet på MV eller KV från mitt håll. Jag tröttnade på att lyssna på samma NA natt efter natt.

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**6/4 2021**

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### **Nytt från NRC**

The 41st Edition of the NRC AM Station Log is now sold out! Wayne and his team will now turn to preparing the 42nd Edition for order in August.

(NRC DX News 88/13)

## 1090 WENR DX Test

Tore, So far, we haven't received any reports from Europe for the WENR test. Not surprising given the time of day. Maybe next year.  
(Les Rayburn, NILF)

## MW DXing live TV interview

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=1kyLEEFFLhQ>  
(Paul Walker via mwcircle 6.4.2021)

## Colleton County pastor Ralph Stair dies

The Colleton County coroner said an evangelist who founded the Overcomer Ministry in the county has died. Ralph G. Stair died of heart failure at his home, according to Coroner Richard Harvey. Harvey said Stair had been under hospice care. His age was not immediately clear.

The coroner's office listed Stair as 84, but Stair's Overcomer Ministry, which announced his passing on its website, listed his age as 87 and his time of death as 11:17 p.m. Saturday April 3, 2021.

At the time of his death, Stair was awaiting trial after being accused of sexually assaulting several women and children at the ministry.

Stair was arrested on December 18, 2017, by Colleton County deputies and agents from the South Carolina Law Enforcement Division, the FBI and the Department of Homeland Security, the Colleton County Sheriff's Office said. Stair was arrested on eight warrants and agents also executed a search warrant at Overcomer Ministry.

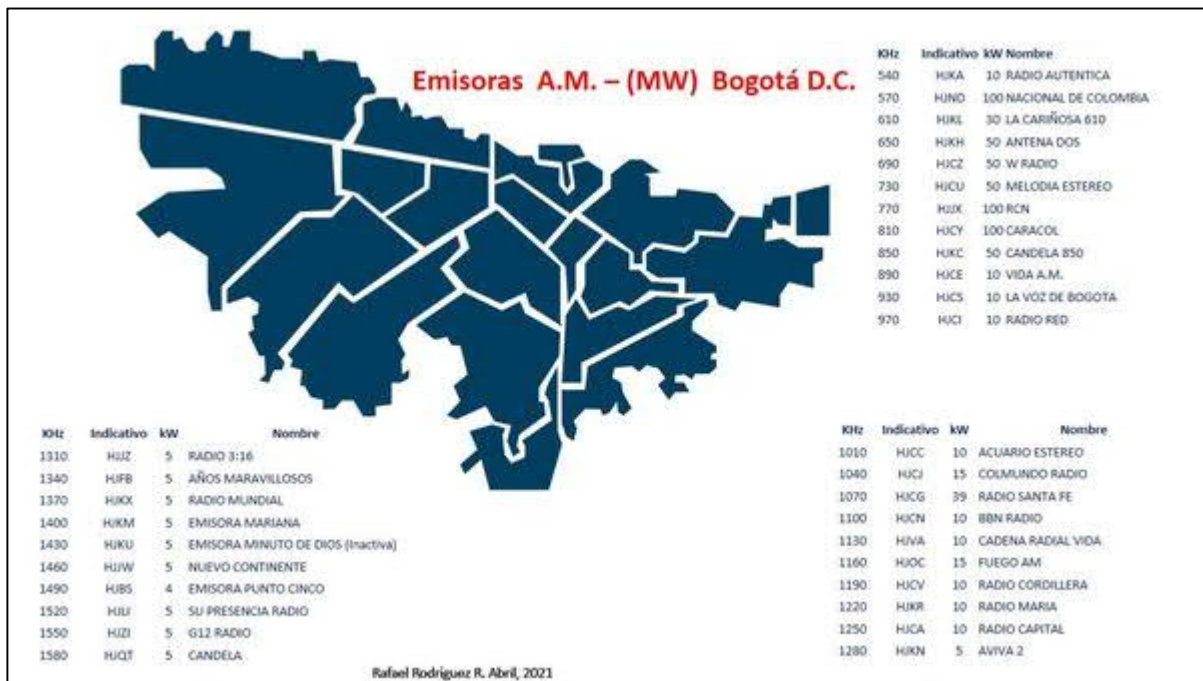
The charges from that arrest included three counts of first-degree criminal sexual conduct, one count of assault with the intent to commit criminal sexual conduct first degree, one count of kidnapping, one count of first-degree burglary, one count of second-degree assault and one count of third-degree criminal sexual conduct with a minor.

Colleton County Circuit Judge Perry Buckner set Stair's bond at \$750,000 on January 24, 2018.

Stair adamantly denied the allegations against him.

WCSC via ABDX <https://www.abdx.org/?p=23469>

## Bogotá, AM April 2021



Tnx Rafael Rodríguez, Cadena DX fb 6.4.2021

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### CR – Christoph Ratzer

In mid-January, after setting up my own beverage antenna in the direction of Alaska, I was able to hear and also confirm two very rare stations. **KNOM from Nome on 780 kHz** and **KNSA from Unalakleet on 930 kHz**, both located on the Norton Sound near the Bering Strait, could be heard for a few minutes here in Salzburg. KNSA confirmed the reception by email, KNOM also sent a printed QSL card to my mailbox. Both stations are presumably the first time they have been received in Central Europe, so I am very happy about that.

After almost two months, another wonderful confirmation today: **KFBX, Fairbanks, Alaska**. Heard in January around 18.00 UTC on mediumwave 970 kHz, the confirmation is filed in my QSL folder under "extremely rare in Central Europe". So now I have received and confirmed 4 medium wave stations from Alaska in Salzburg, the effort of an own beverage antenna towards Alaska was more than worth it.

I was able to hear the first medium wave station from Indonesia in Salzburg in January with many reception attempts with my Asia Beverage antenna. **Radio Republika Indonesia Banda Aceh** was briefly heard on 1251 kHz in the evening and after many and weeks of trying, the rare reception was confirmed.

### SGD – Stefan Gustavsson

WKZO Kalamazoo MI 590 epost Ken Lanphear  
CKAC Montréal QC 730 epost Birgitte Mondor  
WAEB Allentown PA 790 epost v/s Patrick Gremling  
KSDN Aberdeen SD 930 epost Scott Solberg  
WCPC Houston MS 940 epost Jack Wilkins  
WCAP Lowell MA 980 epost v/s Gerry Lauderdale  
WWNL Pittsburgh PA 1080 epost v/s Tyger Elton  
WCPH Etowah TN 1220 epost Les Rayburn  
KHAS Hastings NE 1230 epost v/s Brad Beahm  
KCVL Colville WA 1240 epost (v/s KCVL/KCRK Team)  
WJDA Quincy MA 1300 epost César Guevara  
KDLM Detroit Lakes MN 1340 epost v/s Tony Abfalter  
WHMP Northampton MA 1400 epost v/s Mike Ekblom  
KEYL Long Prairie MN 1400 epost v/s Allen Bailey  
WINC Winchester VA 1400 epost Mike Herald  
KMED Medford OR 1440 epost v/s Bill Meyer  
WGVL Greenville SC 1440 epost v/s Brian Hall  
WMFJ Daytona Beach FL 1450 epost v/s Bill Powell  
KRIB Mason City IA 1490 epost v/s Dennis Mellem  
KOVV Valley City ND 1490 epost v/s Don Brintnall  
WVTL Amsterdam NY 1570 epost v/s Dave Silvers

### RÅM – Rolf Åhman

WURA Quantico VA 920 mejl *V/s Al Hammond, CE.*  
WZAM Ishpeming MI 970 mejl *V/s Jim Koski.*  
WCPH Etowah TN 1220 mejl, e-qs1 *V/s Joe Miller JK8O on behalf of the Courtesy Program Committee.*  
WJON St. Cloud MN 1240 mejl *V/s Mark "Doc" Young, CE.*  
KPTY Douglas WY 1470 mejl *V/s Dennis Switzer, President/GM*  
WBSS Pleasantville NJ 1490 mejl *V/s Paul Kelly, GM.*  
WWCD Columbus OH 1580 mejl *V/s J-May (Tnx JOB).*

### LSD – Lars Skoglund

Asian FX Radio, North London 1584 e-post. *V/s Surjit Sing Ghuman, Managing Director*  
KFLN Baker MT 960 brev. *V/s Jay Newell.*

### TNY – Torgeir Nyen

RNE5 Asturias, Oviedo 531 v/s Jose Antonio Garcia Merino  
RNE5 Pontevedra 531 v/s Jose Antonio Garcia Merino  
RNE5 Palencia 603 v/s Jose Antonio Garcia Merino  
RNE5 Ávila 1098 v/s Jose Antonio Garcia Merino  
WLAD Danbury CT 800 v/s Irv Goldstein, President/CEO  
WCHR Flemington NJ 1040 v/s Frank Certo, CE  
WTPS Petersburg VA 1240 v/s Mitchell Bradley, PD  
WRVP Mount Kisco NY 1310 v/s Franklin Mercedes  
WWCL Lehigh Acres FL 1440 v/s Franklin Mercedes

### JE – Jan Edh

RNE Soria 774 Email och pdf-qlskort, V/s José Antonio Garcia Merino ND Ingenieria  
Rundfunkmuseum Radio Cham 801. Email, V/s Günter Bauer  
RNE Burgos 1017. Email och pdf-qlskort. V/s José Antonio Garcia Merino ND Ingenieria  
RNE Avila 1098. Email och pdf-qlskort. V/s José Antonio Garcia Merino ND Ingenieria  
RNE Badajoz 1125. Email och pdf-qlskort. V/s José Antonio Garcia Merino ND Ingenieria  
RNE Vitoria 1125. Email och pdf-qlskort. V/s José Antonio Garcia Merino ND Ingenieria  
RNE Ourense 1304. Email och pdf-qlskort. V/s José Antonio Garcia Merino ND Ingenieria  
Carillon Radio Coalville 1431. Email, V/s Jon Sketchley  
Voice of Ho Chi Minh City 610. Via Facebook på vietnamesiska, ingen V/s  
CJAD Montréal QC 800. Email, V/s Trudie Mason, Newscaster  
WMYC (heter nu WWCD) Columbus OH 1580. Via Facebook, V/s Randy Malloy, Owner – President  
WTIL Mayagüez PR 1300 Via Facebook, ingen V/s.  
ZYI310 Radio Brasil Sul Londrina PR 1290. Email, V/s Carlos Mangili, Departamento Comercial  
LT35 Radio Mon Pergamino 1540 Via Facebook, V/s Agustin Trinco

### BOS – Bo Olofsson

WHCU Ithaca NY 870 email v/s: Ben VanPatten, CE  
WKDA Lebanon TN 900 email v/s: NN (Tnx LE!)  
KGMS Tucson AZ 940 email v/s: Tyger Elton, Corporate Engineer  
WELI New Haven CT 960 email-växling (Jfr 1300) v/s: Frederick Santore, CE  
WUST Washington DC 1120 email v/s: Cristina Mayer, Dir of Marketing  
WJNL Kingsley MI 1210 email v/s: Cheryl Coyne, President/GM  
WCPH Etowah TN 1220 email, pdf-QSL v/s: Joe KJ8O & the CPC. (Test 2021-01-02)  
CFAJ St Catharines ON 1220 email v/s: NN  
WTAX Springfield IL 1240 email v/s: John La Tessa, GM  
WAVZ New Haven CT 1300 email v/s: Frederick Santore, CE (Hörd 2011!)  
WKAN Kankakee IL 1320 email v/s: Bill Jones, VP/GM  
WMYC Columbus OH 1580 email v/s: J-May, On air personality (Tnx JOB!)

### JOB – Jan Oscarsson

WFLF Pine Hills FL 540 epost v/s Melissa Foxx, Radio Host/Producer/Consultant  
KSVC Richfield UT 980 epost v/s Doug Barton, Owner (Tnx OJS!)  
WCPH Etowah TN 1220 epost v/s Les Rayburn, N1LF  
KFOO Riverside CA 1440 epost v/s Matt Anderson, Broadcast Engineer (KI6KHB)  
WWCD Columbus OH 1580 epost v/s J-May

### TON – Tore Nilsen

RNE1 Asturias 729 k, e-postbrev, vs. José Antonio Garcia Merino, RNE Madrid  
R 5 TN Santander (Cantabria) 1107 k, e-postbrev, vs. José Antonio  
R 5 TN Vitoria (País Vasco) 1125 k, e-postbrev, vs. José Antonio  
WKNR Cleveland, OH, 850, e-post e. f/u Matt Fishman, Content Director ESPN Cleveland  
WPHT Philadelphia, PA, 1210 FB/Mess. ingen vs. angitt  
WBIX Boston, MA, 1260 e-post e. f/u vs. Conrado Giulietti  
KNWC Sioux Falls, SD, 1270 e-post e. f/u vs. Neil Stavem, Station Mgr  
WDJA Delray Beach, FL, 1420 FB/Mess. ingen vs.  
KCLK Asotin, WA, 1430 e-post e. f/u, Ben Bonfield, Gen Mgr  
WPGG Atlantic City, NJ, 1450 vs. e. mange f/u's Roy W. Nilsen, CE  
KVNS Brownsville, TX, 1700, vs. Billy Santiago, Area SVPP iHeart Media



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## Australia

I recently checked on the Internet and discovered that **999 2ST Nowra NSW** closed its AM transmitter on March 1, 2021. It now resides on 91.7 MHz FM.

999 kHz is still used by **2NB Broken Hill NSW**.

Just of interest, 2ST commenced in 1972 on 1000 kHz. Despite living up in Sydney NSW back then, 2ST could only be heard at night and not during the daytime.

(Robert Copema, ICDX-AM groups via Ydun's Medium Wave Info 26.3.2021)



## China

**Voice of the Mongols of China** - "People's Radio Station Hulun-Buir"

PBS Hulun Buir The People's Radio Station Hulun Buir from Inner Mongolia (PRC) broadcasts on short and medium wave in Mongolian and Chinese. News, music, programs on the theme of culture and society sound on the air.

The first station from the Inner Mongolia Autonomous Region began broadcasting on November 1, 1950, and became the first of its kind to broadcast to an ethnic minority in the new China. In 1970, this radio station received the call sign "People's Radio Station Hulun-Buir".

Today the radio station broadcasts around the clock at a frequency of 6080 kHz and at a medium wavelength of **954 kHz**. The signal spreads far beyond Inner Mongolia. The station can be received in Siberia and the Far East. True, the transmitter power is small 10 kW.

(Igor Kolke, RUS-DX 21.3.2021 via Ydun's Medium Wave Info 22.3.2021)

### Cross-Strait Radio

According to Cahcn information site, China National Radio's 5th program was formally reorganized to "Cross-Strait Radio" on March 24.

2055-1705 549 765 837 kHz

2055-2130 1116 kHz (May-August)

2055-2200 1116 kHz (March/April/September/October)

0955-1705 1116 kHz (March/April/September/October)

1100-1705 1116 kHz (May-August)

Original article is at <https://mp.weixin.qq.com/s/Le9yf9C9AJTE39ycK0jxBQ>

(Takahito Akabayashi, Tokyo, Japan via WOR 29.3.2021)

## Greece

**1431 the Station of Polytechnics is back!**

Just a few days ago the station of 1431A is back. This is the supposed former station of University Thessaloniki Polytechnic Dept. It advertises itself as a community station against a new status quo hence a 'clandestine station'

Heard for second time yesterday at 1030-1130. It consisted of 'neotraditional' songs most together with rock remixed versions. Off, or with only carrier, at 1400. News at 1100.

Unsure if they transmit again from the Uni Signal at -40dbm in the nearby SDR and -50on my SDR.

Need further research ...

(Zacharias Liangas via Mauno Ritola, WRTH 5.4.2021)

## Guam

630 KUAM Guam returning to air, weakened from new antenna site.

According to this, <http://www.radioheritage.net/Story506.asp> KUAM ceased broadcasting 630 on May 1, 2020. It would continue on FM, streaming. No explanation of why. Station 2) was deleted from WRTH 2021 but the 2) reference remains.

Now, an FCC application to move its transmitter site has been approved. The old site was leased on a month-to-month basis and could not be relied upon.

The new site is at the KSDA shortwave! facility with what appears to be a temporary antenna design, to be at reduced power but sufficient to cover the island.

FCC AM Query now shows the original 10 kW info and, as applications, for the new site at 2.5 kW: <https://transition.fcc.gov/fcc-bin/amq?list=0&facid=51238>

Here is the letter grating STA only until September 20, 2021: [http://licensing.fcc.gov/cgi-bin/prod/cdbs/forms/prod/getimportletter\\_exh.cgi?import\\_letter\\_id=97758](http://licensing.fcc.gov/cgi-bin/prod/cdbs/forms/prod/getimportletter_exh.cgi?import_letter_id=97758)

The engineering statement with all the details, including diagrams of the antenna, maps of old and new coverage: [https://licensing.fcc.gov/cdbs/CDBS\\_Attachment/getattachment.jsp?appn=101825235&qnum=5150&copynum=1&exhcnm=2](https://licensing.fcc.gov/cdbs/CDBS_Attachment/getattachment.jsp?appn=101825235&qnum=5150&copynum=1&exhcnm=2)

A month earlier, in February, KUAM applied to change from commercial to non commercial, and with a new licensee name, Good News Broadcasting, i.e. religious. It is not clear how closely or what relationship it now have to Adventist World Radio. Its old brand was ``Isla 63`` music, by Pacific Telestations.

[http://licensing.fcc.gov/cgi-bin/prod/cdbs/forms/prod/getimportletter\\_exh.cgi?import\\_letter\\_id=97605](http://licensing.fcc.gov/cgi-bin/prod/cdbs/forms/prod/getimportletter_exh.cgi?import_letter_id=97605)

Expect the new facility to go on the 630 air once the license transfer be completed, with weaker signal and new format.

(Glenn Hauser, WOR 28.3.2021)

## Italy

<u>693</u>	0907-	3/04/2021	<b>Emme Elle Network,? (ex Radio Zainet?)</b>
<u>693</u>	1030-	28/03/2021	<b>Emme Elle Network,? (ex Radio Zainet?)</b>
<u>711</u>	0913-	3/04/2021	Media Radio Castellana, Castel San Pietro Terme (BO)
<u>711</u>	1039-	28/03/2021	Media Radio Castellana, Castel San Pietro Terme (BO)
<u>819</u>	0917-	3/04/2021	Radiodiffusione Europea, Trieste
<u>819</u>	1042-	28/03/2021	Radiodiffusione Europea, Trieste
<u>1017</u>	0916-	3/04/2021	Amica Radio Veneta, Vigonza (PD)
<u>1017</u>	1832-	27/03/2021	Amica Radio Veneta, Vigonza (PD)
<u>1098</u>	0913-	3/04/2021	Media Radio Castellana, Castel San Pietro Terme (BO)
<u>1098</u>	1039-	28/03/2021	Media Radio Castellana, Castel San Pietro Terme (BO)
<u>1188</u>	0923-	3/04/2021	<b>Radio Studio X, Momigno (PT)</b>
<u>1440</u>	1748-	29/03/2021	<b>Radio Z100, Milano</b>
<u>1566</u>	1828-	27/03/2021	Radio Kolbe, Schio (VI)
<u>1584</u>	0917-	3/04/2021	Radiodiffusione Europea, Trieste
<u>1584</u>	1038-	28/03/2021	Radiodiffusione Europea, Trieste
<u>1602</u>	0919-	3/04/2021	Radio A Colori, Bologna
<u>1602</u>	1036-	28/03/2021	Radio A Colori, Bologna
<u>1602</u>	1036-	28/03/2021	Radio Treviso, Treviso
<u>1602</u>	1823-	27/03/2021	<b>Radio Prêt-à-porter, Como</b>



Band Scan by AG Alessandro Groppazzi, Trieste via Piancada, Mosquito Coast DX Team remote site. (Francesco Luigi Clemente 4.4.2021.)

## Netherlands

YENI NESLIN RADYOSU  
**TÜRKİYEMFM**

**Radio Türkiyem** from Voorburg has received permission for the LPAM frequency 1224 kHz.  
(Marco via Ydun's Medium Wave Info 4.3.2021)

**Schalkhaar AM** has received permission for the LPAM frequency 675 kHz and will test March 12 as can be read on their website <https://www.schalkhaar-am.nl/>  
(Marco via Ydun's Medium Wave Info 4.3.2021)

During the storm of yesterday, the antenna of **Brrhrinx** from Voorburg is damaged, so that there are temporarily no broadcasts via the LPAM 1395 kHz. The second and third program, Brrhrinx and Brrhri can be heard via the 1485 and 846 kHz “  
(Marco via Ydun's Medium Wave Info 13.3.2021)

**Brrhrinx** from Voorburg is back on the air on 1395 kHz. The transmitter had to be switched off on 12 March because the storm had damaged the antenna.  
(Marco via Ydun's Medium Wave Info 21.3.2021)

**Sitara FM** submitted the license for the 900 kHz in Vianen.  
(Marco via Ydun's Medium Wave Info 28.3.2021)

## Thailand



I just received a report that quite a number of stations of Radio Thailand are due to close from 1 April. Here is the list of MW frequencies and locations, which includes a few that have already been off air for quite some time. This evening I noted Chiang Rai 1260 & Nan 1368 were airing Thai music interspersed with announcements of frequencies in N Thailand that are due to close.

531 Mahasarakham

639 Nakhon Si Thammarat

648 Khon Kaen

720 Krabi

810 Sangkhlaburi

837 Bangkok

846 Phetchabun

864 Phatthalung

864 Si Sa Ket

909 Surin

918 Bangkok

927 Bueng Kan

981 Mae Hong Son

981 Nakhon Phanom

1026 Betong

1098 Mae Sot

1116 Ta Kua Pa

1134 Lampang

1206 Satun

1215 Surat Thani

1260 Chiang Rai

1296 Pattani

1341 Phang-nga

1368 Nan

1377 Chumphon

1422 Amnat Charoen

1557 Trat1

+7 FM frequencies in the provinces

Education Network:

558 Songkhla

711 Ubon Ratchathani

927 Chanthaburi

(Alan Davies via Mauno Ritola, WRTH 4.4.2021)

936 Nakhon Sawan

963 Krabi

+ 2 FM frequencies in Mae Hong Son and Ranong

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## Ofcom News

### **Ofcom allows Global to drop news .....10 March, 2021**

Ofcom has granted permission for Global to drop the Heart Nightly News programme from stations currently obliged to run extended bulletins.

Heart in Scotland, (South, Mid and North) Wales, North West England, North East England, Yorkshire and Cornwall previously had requirements to air a nightly news round up but Global has argued that listeners don't want to hear it anymore. (*See separate review below*)

### **Ofcom Urged to think again on BBC powers .....25 March, 2021**

Radiocentre has urged Ofcom to rethink proposals that would significantly weaken external regulation of the BBC, which it says will lead to reductions in the range and quality of its output and damaging commercial competitors.

Plans to hand over key powers to the BBC to set its own targets and public service commitments were included in Ofcom's recent review of public service media and in a speech by Ofcom Director Kevin Bakhurst earlier this month.

Radiocentre used its response to the Ofcom consultation on public service media to highlight the need for a robust system of external regulation for the BBC in return for the £3.5bn in licence fee funding and other advantages it receives.

As outlined in the BBC Charter this also means that Ofcom should set specific requirements on distinctiveness of BBC services and limit any negative market impact on competitors. In practice this has led to measurable targets for new music and UK music on Radio 1, news output on Radio 2 and speech content on BBC Local Radio.

Removing or diluting these kind of requirements would risk BBC services overlapping further with the commercial sector, reducing choice for listeners and threatening the viability of commercial radio stations, Radiocentre claims.

## BBC News

### **BBC to move radio services out of London .....20 March, 2021**

The BBC has announced a major reorganisation plan to move radio services including 'rooting' BBC Radio 3, 6 Music and the Asian Network out of London.

Key daytime strands on each of Radio 1, 1Xtra and Radio 2 will be moved from London and made across the UK, but Breakfast shows stay in London.

BBC Radio 3 will be rooted in the North of England – including its leadership in Salford, and the majority of 6 Music will be broadcast from Media City UK. The BBC says it will consolidate the Asian Network into one base in Birmingham, and each network radio controller will have at least one commissioner based in one of our hubs around the UK by 2027. ([www.bbc.co.uk](http://www.bbc.co.uk))

### **BBC Local Radio Make a Difference .....22 March, 2021**

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BBC local radio stations across England are celebrating the first anniversary of its Make a Difference campaign on 23rd March. It's the same date the UK was first put into lockdown, and the network says it has since taken calls from over four million people.

To mark the occasion, all 39 local stations are dedicating a day of thanks to those who helped make a difference throughout the last challenging 12 months.

Chris Burns, Head of Audio and Digital for BBC England said: "The power of radio is huge when it comes to connecting local communities in their hour of need. The impact of Covid-19 has been reflected by 'Make a Difference' across all our local stations and has highlighted acts of kindness and enabled us to share some amazing stories". ([www.bbc.co.uk](http://www.bbc.co.uk))

## Commercial News

### Global to seek approval to purchase 50% of iHeart .....15 March, 2021

Global Media & Entertainment Investments has sought permission to take almost 50% shareholding in iHeartMedia, Inc.

Global currently holds just under 9% shareholding of iHeartMedia after an investment vehicle funded by Global investor Michael Tabor (previously known as Honeycomb) made the transaction last month.

Global Media's lawyer informed iHeart's counsel of its plans on February 5th to take on more shareholding and said any further stock acquisition and request for routine advance approval wouldn't be hostile in nature. ([www.radiotoday.co.uk](http://www.radiotoday.co.uk))

## LPAM News

BFBS Gurkha Radio, York is back on air with a good signal 1251 kHz. Returned after many weeks off air after an email from me asking what their plans were. (Steve Whitt)

## Irish News

RTÉ will cease transmission of its radio services on the Digital Audio Broadcast (DAB) network on March 31st this year. RTÉ's digital radio services – RTÉ Gold, RTÉ 2XM, RTÉ Radio 1 Extra, RTÉ Pulse, and RTÉjr Radio – will remain available.

The move to cease DAB transmission is driven by three main factors:

- 1) Audience usage: The continuing popularity of FM radio, along with a surge in mobile listening, on-the-go listening, and voice activation means that DAB is now the least-utilised platform available to audiences in Ireland (see below).
- 2) Industry engagement: While RTÉ spearheaded the introduction of DAB in Ireland in 2006 and made consistent efforts to evolve the product at both industry and consumer level, RTÉ remains the only broadcaster in Ireland on the DAB system.
- 3) Financial management: Closure of the DAB network was among the cost-avoidance measures included in RTÉ's Revised Strategy 2020-2024, which was published in November 2019.

The latest JNLR report, Radio in a Digital World, compiled by Ipsos/MRBI, found that while 8% of the population in Ireland (330,000 people) are accessing radio stations via digital means, the smallest number in this cohort opt for DAB.

According to the report, just under 5% of adults in Ireland listen to radio via a mobile device, 2% listen on a PC, around 1.5% listen on a smart speaker, 0.6% listen on a TV set and 0.5% DAB (Digital Audio Broadcasting). 77% of adults in Ireland listen to radio on FM.

Due to the value that audiences in Ireland continue to derive from RTÉ's digital radio services – RTÉ Gold, RTÉ Pulse, RTÉ 2XM, RTÉ Radio 1 Extra and RTÉjr Radio – these stations will remain available.

Working with 2rn – who maintain, manage and develop Ireland's broadcast transmission network for all broadcasters on the island – RTÉ will co-ordinate an orderly wind down of the DAB Service by 31 March 2021.

From Tuesday 2nd March, RTÉ will co-ordinate an extensive public information campaign across television, radio, online and social media to highlight the closure of the DAB network and inform audiences how they can continue to enjoy RTÉ's digital radio services. The campaign will run until the closure of the DAB service on Wednesday 31st March. ([www.radiotoday.co.uk](http://www.radiotoday.co.uk))

## Other

Steve Whitt had a telephone call from Ken Crescendo at **Radio Britannia** reporting that they were back on air after repairing storm damage to his antennas. He says they are permanently on 1494 kHz. He also says that he has only missed 19 days this year, being on air daily at a fairly random schedule. Radio Britannia has operated for nearly 50 years!



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## Call Changes March

- 880 WZAB Sweetwater FL – call change to WXBN (March 3).  
1010 KTNZ Amarillo TX – call change to KDJW (March 1; had these calls 1968-1995).  
1360 KDJW Amarillo TX – call change to KTNZ (March 1).  
 (NRC DX News 88/13)

## USA

- 750 WSB Atlanta GA – networks to C/Fox/WW1/P.  
820 KCBF Fairbanks AK – applies for programme test authority for its new site co-located with KFAR 660. The 10kW unlimited power from its former site are replicated in the new diplexed site. FCC says that the day and night constants are different, although both are 10kW non-directional. If there is a difference, it is hard to spot. The station has been using the KFAR site under an STA since November 2019.
- 960 KABN Kenai AK – adds // K253CQ-98.5. (FCC)  
1010 KDJW Amarillo TX – slogan to “St. Valentine Catholic Radio,” adds // K233CB-94.5.  
1110 WMBI Chicago IL – radio flagship of Chicago’s Moody Bible Institute since 1926 and the oldest non-commercial Christian radio station in the country, has been sold, according to a Federal Communications Commission filing. El Sembrador Ministries, a Spanish-language Catholic network based in Chatsworth, California, agreed to pay \$1.6 million for the daytime-only AM station along with a construction permit for a translator at 106.3 FM.  
 (Daily Herald via Mike Terry, WRTH 2.4.2021)
- 1120 KMOX St. Louis MO will simulcast on 98.7 FM translator as News Radio 98.7 FM.  
1310 KEIN Great Falls MT – changes format from nostalgia to comedy.  
1360 KTNZ Amarillo TX – format to SS:REL (ex-REL); slogan to “Radio San Toribio,” adds // K228FO-93.5; delete Grp = St. Valentine Radio.
- 1390 WCAT Burlington VT – this silent station is licensed for 5kW (non-directional days) and 5kW (nights – directional to the north-west). The station says it has problems with the night time operation. WCAT has been granted a construction permit for 5kW days / just 60W at night both non-directional. It has also been granted Special Temporary Authority for reduced hours daytime only operation using the licensed 5kW daytime facilities. The STA was requested to allow it to broadcast to maintain its licence, pending repairs. It must broadcast by 2nd April 2021 to retain its licence. The station filed a resumption of operations on 17th March using the pursuant to the STA.
- 1430 KEZW Aurora CO – changes format from oldies to CBS Sport with new slogan “The Bet”.  
1470 WLAM Lewiston ME – format to NOS/OLD (ex-OLD); slogan to “The Memories Station,” delete // WLVP-870.
- 1510 KGA Spokane WA – format to SPT (ex-HipHop/SPT); slogan to “Fox Sports Radio 103.5 The Game,” networks to FSR.  
1550 WAZX Smyrna GA – reported silent.  
1630 KRND Cheyenne WY – Sold. Station went for \$40,000. Sold from a Spanish company to Vic Michaels. That’s less then 1/5th what their asking price was, but they’ve done business with Vic before, as KRND operates from a tower Vic owns and they also bought KVAM 1570 Loveland CO from him.
- 1690 WMLB Avondale Estates GA – format to TLK (ex-OLD); slogan to “Freedom 1690,” networks to THN/DR/WW1/RER.  
 (NRC DX News 88/13, (IRCA’s DX Monitor 58/30, MWC March, April 2021)

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## Bonaire

The Voice of America wanted to cover Venezuela on medium waves. Negotiations had been conducted with the government of Guyana as well as with TWR since July 2020.

Eventually an agreement was reached with Radio Libertad in Barranquilla, Colombia. The VoA broadcast on 600 kHz but unfortunately the power of the transmitter was too low: 50 kW.

As of this week, an agreement has been reached to use America's most powerful medium wave station: Trans World Radio on the island of Bonaire, in the Netherlands Antilles. The station broadcasts on 800 kHz with a power of 450 kW and a directional antenna. The transmitter is a Nautel, commissioned on January 30, 2018. The VoA program in Spanish "Venezuela 360" is broadcast between 5:00 to 6:30 pm Venezuelan local time (2100-2230 UTC) presumably Mon-Fri.

<https://www.media-radio.info/radiodiffusion/index.php...>

(Radios du monde via Svenn Martinsen, ARC)

## Cuba

### Cuba on 1380.0018 and 1490.0026

**Radio Angulo** 1380 tx at Banes 1 kW. Not really a new frequency for them as it is in the list that Radiocuba supplied to me in 2016 (widely spread in many bulletins and DX sites):

<https://moladx.blogspot.com/2016/09/radiocuba-2016-listas-de-om-y-fm-mw-and.html>

**Radio Mayarí** 1490 tx at Holguín 1 kW.

Radio Angulo is the provincial station of Holguín province. Radio Mayarí is a local station for the city of Holguín. The local stations relay its provincial station at the end of its own programming.

(Mauricio Molano via Thomas Nilsson)

## México

### 1060 XEEP Radio Educación to remain on AM

In 2017 the IFT (Instituto Federal de Telecomunicaciones) awarded the FM frequency of 96.5 to Radio Educación in Mexico City to simulcast the programming of AM 1060 for a year before migrating to the FM band. XHEP-FM operates with a power of 3 kW and its reach is limited to parts of the capital area while the AM frequency reaches all of Mexico City, Morelos, Tlaxcala and parts of the states of Mexico and Hidalgo. After the one-year period Radio Educación was supposed to return the AM frequency to the state in 2018 but this never became a reality.

In 2020 the IFT offered the 1060 AM frequency to interested parties. Apart from the Secretariat of Culture, there were two other bidders for the frequency. On 20 January 2021, the frequency of 1060 kHz was awarded for the next 15 years to the Secretariat of Culture which owns Radio Educación. The AM signal reaches many communities where there are no cultural programming available on local radio. Also the fact that Radio Educación already has the necessary infrastructure obviously influenced the decision as did the fact that Violeta Radio uses the same antenna.

XEEP-AM will thus remain on 1060 kHz for the foreseeable future. Very possibly different programming will be developed for the AM and FM stations. Nothing was mentioned about the shortwave frequency used by Radio Educación. (Grupo Radio Escucha 3.8.2021, translation Christer Brunström, ARC)

### 1440 XEEST Life Waves

Today Monday March 22, 2021, the XEEST 1440 kHz premiered the trade name as Waves of Life. Waves of Life streams Christian music, newscasts, spoken programs, health-talked programs and Christian talked programs.

The previous XEEST trade name was Waves of Peace and transmitted Christian music (musical programming), talked-about programs, health-talked programs and Christian spoken programs. The Traditional Waves of Life, 1440 AM- signal can be heard on the Internet on its official website that is <http://ondasdevida1440.com/>

(Alejandro Badillo Albarrán (translated), Tim Hall, DXing.info fb 22.3.2021 via Ydun's Medium Wave Info 23.3.2021)

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## Argentina

840 LT12 R Nacional, Paso de los Libres (CS02) – ex. R General Madariaga.  
1080 Info Libres, Paso de los Libres (CO21) – ex. F.Pl. ☒ Calle Colón 1030 de Paso de los Libres. Retransmits Radio Tres 93.3 MHz.  
W: [infolibres.com.ar](http://infolibres.com.ar).  
(Argentina en AM y FM)

## Bolivia

1380 R María in Bolivia is not operating on MW – ref. WRTH 1380 kHz.  
(Giampiero Bernardini in Facebook)

## Brazil



1320 ZYJ262 R Litoral, Imarui (SC68) – removed from WRTH as migrated to FM. Reported still on MW by Tetsuya Hirahara – logged via Kiwi-receiver near Campo Mourão (CMDX Group)  
☒ Rua Nereu Ramos, 406 - Sala 01 - Centro, Imaruí - SC 88770-000.  
W: [litoral.am.com.br](http://litoral.am.com.br) E: [comercial@litoral.am.com.br](mailto:comercial@litoral.am.com.br) (Tetsuya Hirahara)

1440 ZYK221 R Nova Ceres, Não Me Toque (RS168). Ex Rádio Ceres  
☒ Rua Frei Olímpio Reichert 512, sala 02, 99470-000 Não-Me-Toque (Tetsuya Hirahara)

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**Information from Tetsuya Hirahara. Brazilian AM radio monitored in February and Mars via Kiwi-receiver near Campo Mourão (CMDX Group, Paraná). Ref WRTH 2021. Tnx Tetsuya!**

540 ZYJ322 Nova Era FM, Borrazópolis (PR110). E: [di.novaera@hotmail.com](mailto:di.novaera@hotmail.com)  
550 ZYJ331 Banda B, Curitiba (PR139). W: [bandab.com.br](http://bandab.com.br) E: [portal@radiobandab.com.br](mailto:portal@radiobandab.com.br) or [jornalismo@radiobandab.com.br](mailto:jornalismo@radiobandab.com.br)  
560 ZYJ214 Rádio Londrina, Londrina (PR01). ☒ Rua Quintino Bocaiúva 41, Londrina 86020-150. W: [facebook.com/londrinaam560](https://facebook.com/londrinaam560) E: [radiolondrina@sercomtel.com.br](mailto:radiolondrina@sercomtel.com.br)  
570 ZYJ349 Continental AM, Palotina (PR146). ☒ Avenida Presidente Kennedy 170, Jardim Bela Vista 85950-000 Palotina.  
580 ZYJ330 Rádio Grande Lago, Santa Helena (PR03). W: [rgl.com.br](http://rgl.com.br) E: [producao@rgl.com.br](mailto:producao@rgl.com.br)  
590 ZY240 Rádio Difusora de Cruzeiro do Oeste (PR38) – ex. Difusora Regional, Cruzeiro do Oeste.  
☒ Rua Paraná 650, 87400-000 Cruzeiro do Oeste. W: [difusora.net.br](http://difusora.net.br) E: [midiadifusora@gmail.com](mailto:midiadifusora@gmail.com) or [midiadifusora@hotmail.com.br](mailto:midiadifusora@hotmail.com.br)  
610 ZYL268 Rádio Itatiaia, Belo Horizonte (MG06). E: [web@itatiaia.com.br](http://web@itatiaia.com.br)  
620 ZYJ332 Rádio Jandaia, Jandaia do Sul (PR05) FM103.3 MHz. W: [radiojandaia.com.br/](http://radiojandaia.com.br/) is rerouted to <http://radiojandaiafm.com.br/>  
630 ZYJ300 Rádio Educadora, Marechal Cândido Rondon (not Rondón) (PR07). E: [redacao630@gmail.com](mailto:redacao630@gmail.com)  
640 ZYK277 Rádio Bandeirantes, Porto Alegre (RS14) FM: 94.9 MHz. W: [facebook.com/BandRS/](https://facebook.com/BandRS/) (alternative) FB shows <http://www.band.com.br/rs/>, but it is rerouted to <https://www.band.uol.com.br/> which is not a local website.  
640 ZYJ262 Super Rádio de Londrina (PR08). ☒ Rodovia Carlos João Strauss, SN, Gleba do Jacutinga, Londrina 86030-495.

- 660 ZYK777 Rádio Vibe Mundial SP (SP112) ex. Rádio Mundial. ☒ Av. Paulista 2200, Cerqueira Cesar, São Paulo 01310-300. **W:** [vibemundialfm.com.br](http://vibemundialfm.com.br)
- 680 ZYK275 Rádio Farroupilha, Porto Alegre (RS69). (Since June 2017 as per website of Grupo RBS). ☒ Av. Ipiranga 1075 - 3º andar, Azenha, 90160-093 Porto Alegre. (www.radiofarroupilha.com.br is not available. <https://www.facebook.com/farroupilha.am/> (alternative) **E:** [farroupilha@rbsradios.com.br](mailto:farroupilha@rbsradios.com.br) (onlineradiobox.com)
- 690 ZYJ229 Rádio Difusora de Londrina (PR13). **E:** [contato@radiodifusoradelondrina.com.br](mailto:contato@radiodifusoradelondrina.com.br)
- 700 ZYK686 Nossa Rádio, São Paulo (SP32). ☒ Av. São João 791, 01035-100 São Paulo. **W:** [nossaradio.com.br](http://nossaradio.com.br) **E:** [contato@nossaradiofm.com.br](mailto:contato@nossaradiofm.com.br)
- 720 ZYK276 Rádio Guaíba Porto Alegre (RS23). **W:** [guaiba.com.br](http://guaiba.com.br) (HP)
- 750 ZYL213 Rádio América, Belo Horizonte (MG19). ☒ Av. Itáú 515, Dom Cabral, 30535-910 Belo Horizonte. **W:** [radioamerica.arquidiocesebh.org.br](http://radioamerica.arquidiocesebh.org.br)
- 750 ZYJ815 Rádio Aliança Concórdia (SC11). ☒: Rua Guilherme Helmuth Arendt, 277 - Centro Concórdia SC - 89700-138. **E:** [site.radioalianca@gmail.com](mailto:site.radioalianca@gmail.com)
- 800 ZYK292 Rádio Universidade, Santa Maria (RS33). ☒ Av. Roraima 1000, Bairro Camobi (not Cambói), Santa Maria 97105-900.



- 810 ZYJ237 Rádio Guaçu, Toledo (PR58) ex. 1180 kHz. ☒ Rua Raimundo Leonardi 1301, Centro, Toledo 85900-110. **W:** [radioguaçu.com.br](http://radioguaçu.com.br) **E:** [adm@radioguaçu.com.br](mailto:adm@radioguaçu.com.br) or [radioguaçu@uol.com.br](mailto:radioguaçu@uol.com.br)
- 830 ZYJ488 Tropical 830 AM, Rio de Janeiro (RJ39). ☒ Rua Itacuruçá 65, Nova Iguacu, RJ 26215-100. **E:** [tropicalam830@gmail.com](mailto:tropicalam830@gmail.com)
- 880 ZYL275 Rádio Inconfidência, Belo Horizonte (MG35). ☒ Rua Tenente Brito Melo 1090, Bloco I - 2º e 3º andares, Barro Preto, 30180-074 Belo Horizonte. **E:** [faleconosco@inconfidencia.com.br](mailto:faleconosco@inconfidencia.com.br)
- 890 ZYJ338 Rádio Itapuã, Pato Branco (PR26). ☒ Rod. PR 493, km 03, No.3700, Fraron, Pato Branco 85503-390. **W:** [radioitapua.com.br/](http://radioitapua.com.br/) or [itapua890am.negocio.si facebook.com/superitapua](https://www.facebook.com/superitapua) **E:** [gravacao@guerracomunicacoes.com.br](mailto:gravacao@guerracomunicacoes.com.br)
- 890 ZYK215 Rádio Difusora, Bento Gonçalves (RS39). ☒ Rua Osvaldo Aranha 808, Sala 102, Bairro Juventude (not Sala 102B Juventud)
- 910 ZYJ207 Rádio Nova AM, Apucarana. (PR29). Their website (www.novaam.com.br) was not accessible in early March.
- 920 ZYK348 Rádio Tramandaí, Tramandaí (RS44). **W:** [litoralnorters.com.br/radiotramandai](http://litoralnorters.com.br/radiotramandai) (<http://www.radiotramandai.com.br/> is not accessible). **E:** [ebsradios@gmail.com](mailto:ebsradios@gmail.com)
- 930 ZYJ232 Rádio Cultura, Curitiba (PR31). ☒ Rua Roberto [not Robero] Vichinheski 242 – Pilarzinho (not Pilarzinh), 82120-490 Curitiba. **W:** [radioculturadecuritiba.com.br/](http://radioculturadecuritiba.com.br/) or [cultura930.com.br](http://cultura930.com.br) **E:** [pauta@cultura930.com.br](mailto:pauta@cultura930.com.br)
- 960 ZYH802 Rádio Sociedade Aparecidense, Aparecida de Goiânia (GO45) ex Rádio Caraíba. ☒ Av G, Vila Santo Antônio, Aparecida de Goiânia 74911-700 IPDA program. Note: Announced name is a company name which is not necessarily the station name. IPDA site mentions as “960 AM Sociedade Aparecidense”.
- 970 ZYK201 Rádio Liberdade, Porto Alegre (RS49). **W:** [pampa.com.br/radios/radio-liberdade](http://pampa.com.br/radios/radio-liberdade) or [facebook.com/rdliberdadere/](https://www.facebook.com/rdliberdadere/)
- 990 ZYK279 Radio Cultura, Dois Córregos (SP239). ☒ Rua 13 de Maio 627, Centro, 17300-000 Dois Córregos
- 1000 ZYK522 Rádio Record, São Paulo (SP77). ☒ Rua Missionários 139, Santo Amaro, São Paulo 04729-000 (FB). **W:** [radiorecordsp.com/](http://radiorecordsp.com/) **E:** [radiorecordsp@gmail.com](mailto:radiorecordsp@gmail.com) (as per onlineradiobox.com)
- 1020 ZYJ307 Rádio Independência, Medianeira (PR37) FM 92.7 MHz. ☒ Avenida Pedro Soccol 452 (not 542). **W:** [www.costaostenews.com](http://www.costaostenews.com) **E:** [dep.comercial1020@hotmail.com](mailto:dep.comercial1020@hotmail.com)



- 1040 ZYK537 Rádio Capital.São Paulo (SP87). ☒ Av. Bernardino de Campos 490, Vila Mariana, São Paulo 04004-041.
- 1060 ZYJ246 Rádio Evangelizar, Curitiba (PR42). E: [ouvidoria@evangelizarepreciso.com.br](mailto:ouvidoria@evangelizarepreciso.com.br)
- 1070 ZYK537 Serrana AM, Bento Gonçalves (RS60). ☒ Rua Marechal Dedoro 101, Bento Gonçalves 95700-160. W: [facebook.com/radioserranaam](https://www.facebook.com/radioserranaam) or [radioserrana.net](http://radioserrana.net)
- 1090 ZYJ345 Rádio Banda 1, Sarandi (PR171). ☒ Rua Delegado Luiz Amaro 224, Sarandi 87111-260 W: <https://www.facebook.com/radiobanda1/> E: [programacao@radiobanda1.com.br](mailto:programacao@radiobanda1.com.br)
- 1110 ZYH782 Rádio Redentor, Santo Antônio do Escoberto (GO46). ☒ QS 03, lotes 3/5/7/9, Torre Sul, Sala 1515, Edifício Pátio Capital, Taguatinga Sul 71953-000 Brasília – DF.
- 1120 ZYJ253 Rádio Mais, São José dos Pinhais (PR53). ☒ Rua Quinze (not Quince) de Novembro 2175. W: [radiomaisdigital.com.br/](http://radiomaisdigital.com.br/) E: [radiomais@gruporadiomais.com.br](mailto:radiomais@gruporadiomais.com.br)



- 1130 ZYJ333 Rádio Ingamar, Marialva (PR54). W: [radioingamar.com.br/](http://radioingamar.com.br/) E: [radioingamar@hotmail.com](mailto:radioingamar@hotmail.com)
- 1160 ZYK245 Rádio Luz e Alegria, Frederico Westphalen (RS75). E: [luzealegria@luzealegria.com.br](mailto:luzealegria@luzealegria.com.br)
- 1160 ZYK517 Rádio Cacique, Sorocaba (SP114). ☒ Rua Saldanha da Gama 168, Sorocaba 18035-040.
- 1170 ZYJ273 Rádio Atalaia, Curitiba (PR57). Rede Aleluia. ☒ Rua Pres. Beaurepaire Rohan 805, Alto da XV, Curitiba 80045-3 (<http://www.radioatalaiacuritiba.com.br> not accessible)
- 1180 ZYJ314 Rádio Educadora, São Joao do Ivaí (PR81). ☒ Pça Duque de Caxias, São João do Ivaí 86930-000.
- 1200 ZYK520 Rádio Cultura Brasil. ☒ Rua Cenzo Sbrighi 378 (Caixa Postal 66.028) 05036-900 São Paulo. W: [culturabrasil.cmais.com.br/](http://culturabrasil.cmais.com.br/)
- 1250 ZYJ313 Rádio Danúbio Azul, Santa Izabel do Oeste (PR64). ☒ Rua Cedro, 418, Santa Izabel (not Isabel) do Oeste.
- 1250 ZYK272 Rádio Tupanci, Pelotas (RS96). ☒ Rua Almirante Barroso 1199, Pelotas 96010-280. W: [radiotupanci.com.br](http://radiotupanci.com.br) E: [radiotupanci@hotmail.com](mailto:radiotupanci@hotmail.com) or [r.tupanci@gmail.com](mailto:r.tupanci@gmail.com)
- 1300 ZYJ288 Rádio Educadora, Dois Vizinhos (PR127). ☒ Rua Dedi Barrichello Montagner 250, Edifício Pagnocelli, Dois Vizinhos 85660-000. E: [comercial@educadoradv.com.br](mailto:comercial@educadoradv.com.br)
- 1320 ZYJ255 Rádio Tropical Gospel, Curitiba (PR72). ☒ Rua Ana Berta Roskamp 940, Jardim das Américas (not Jardim Rosekamp). E: [contato@radiotropicalgospel.com.br](mailto:contato@radiotropicalgospel.com.br)
- 1320 ZYJ262 Rádio Litoral, Imaruí (SC68) – removed from WRTH as migrated to FM. Reported still on MW. ☒ Rua Nereu Ramos, 406 - Sala 01 - Centro, Imaruí - SC 88770-000. W: [litoralam.com.br](http://litoralam.com.br) E: [comercial@litoralam.com.br](mailto:comercial@litoralam.com.br)
- 1350 ZYK313 Rádio Difusora, Tres Passos (RS115). E: [comercial@rd3.net.br](mailto:comercial@rd3.net.br)
- 1380 ZY367 Rádio Integração, Toledo (PR152). ☒ Rua Almirante Barroso 2018, Centro Comercial Catedral, sala 18, Toledo 85900-020. W: [com.integracaotoledo.br](http://com.integracaotoledo.br) E: [radiointegracao@msn.com](mailto:radiointegracao@msn.com) or [producao@integracaotoledo.com.br](mailto:producao@integracaotoledo.com.br)
- 1380 ZYJ827 Rádio Barriga Verde, Capinzal (SC93). ☒ Rua XV de Novembro 513, Centro, Capinzal 89665-000. W: [radiobarrigaverde.com.br/](http://radiobarrigaverde.com.br/) E: [estudio@radiobarrigaverde.com.br](mailto:estudio@radiobarrigaverde.com.br)
- 1400 ZYJ339 Rádio Agape, Balsa Nova (PR119). ☒ Rua Dom Pedro II 1889, Campo Largo 83601-160. (FB). W: [radioagapeam.com/](http://radioagapeam.com/) (not accesible). E: [radioagape2@gmail.com](mailto:radioagape2@gmail.com)
- 1400 ZYJ346 Rádio Jornal, São Miguel do Iguçu (PR148). E: [artisticorj@gmail.com](mailto:artisticorj@gmail.com)
- 1420 ZYJ269 Rádio Cultura, Umuarama (PR88). ☒ Rua Doutor Camargo 5152, Umuarama 87502-010 E: [radioculturaumuarama@hotmail.com](mailto:radioculturaumuarama@hotmail.com)
- 1410 ZYK246 Rádio Garibaldi, Garibaldi (RS137). W: [tuaradio.com.br/Tua-Radio-Garibaldi](http://tuaradio.com.br/Tua-Radio-Garibaldi) (www.radiogaribaldi.com.br is rerouted to here) <https://www.facebook.com/radiogaribaldi> (alternative).
- 1420 ZYJ754 Rádio Guarujá, Florianópolis (SC59). E: [rh@radioguaruja.com.br](mailto:rh@radioguaruja.com.br)
- 1440 ZYK221 Rádio Nova Ceres, Não Me Toque (RS168). Ex Rádio Ceres. ☒ Rua Frei Olímpio Reichert 512, sala 02, 99470-000 Não-Me-Toque. As per HP, they named “Nova Ceres” due to administrative change in December 2019.
- 1470 ZYJ798 Rádio Líder, Herval d’Oeste (SC66). Ex Rádio Nova Líder. FM 107.5. W: [acaert.com.br/noticia/42718/radio-lider-de-herval-doeste-agora-no-fm](http://acaert.com.br/noticia/42718/radio-lider-de-herval-doeste-agora-no-fm)



- 1480 ZYJ370 Rádio Perola Pérola do Oeste (PR174). ☒ Rua Parigot de Souza 47, 85740 000 Pérola do Oeste (CEP not 86740-000).
- 1490 ZYK309 Rádio Taquara, Taquara (RS140) W: [radiotaquara.com.br/](http://radiotaquara.com.br/) E: [contato@radiotaquara.com.br](mailto:contato@radiotaquara.com.br)
- 1500 ZYK225 Rádio Liberdade, Canguçu (RS139). ☒ Rua General Osório, 943 - Centro - 96600-000 Canguçu.
- 1520 ZYJ292 Rádio Nova Cultura, Palotina (PR118). E: [portariacultura@hotmail.com](mailto:portariacultura@hotmail.com)
- 1530 ZYJ761 Rádio Difusora, Itajaí (SC77). ☒ Rua Manoel Viêira Garção 3, Edif. Catarinense 15º andar, Centro, 88301-425 Itajaí.
- 1530 ZYK300 Rádio Nova Progresso, São Leopoldo (RS144). ☒ Av São Borja 112, Rio Branco, 93032-000 São Leopoldo. W: [radionovaprogresso.com.br/](http://radionovaprogresso.com.br/) E: [radonovaprogresso@radionovaprogresso.com.br](mailto:radonovaprogresso@radionovaprogresso.com.br)
- 1540 ZYJ803 Rádio Capinzal, Capinzal (SC80). ☒ Rua Carmello Zocolli 205, Centro, Capinzal 89665-000. E: [atendimento@radiocapinzal.am.br/](mailto:atendimento@radiocapinzal.am.br/) / [noar@radiocapinzal.am.br](mailto:noar@radiocapinzal.am.br)
- 1550 ZYK375 Rádio Soledade, Soledade (RS159). FM 104.5 MHz. <http://www.radiosoledade.com/> unavailable as of March 26, 2021 showing "This domain name has expired". The "cash" reveals that it was active up to February 2021. W: [facebook.com/radioSoledade1550/](https://www.facebook.com/radioSoledade1550/) (alternative). E: [jornalismordsoledade@gmail.com](mailto:jornalismordsoledade@gmail.com) or [radioSoledade@terra.com.br](mailto:radioSoledade@terra.com.br)
- 1550 ZYK590 Rádio Guarujá, Guarujá(SP201). E: [radioguarujaam1550@gmail.com](mailto:radioguarujaam1550@gmail.com)
- 1560 Rádio Barigui, Almirante Tamandaré (PR184). ☒ R. José Carlos Colodel 306, Vila Santa Terezinha, 83501-140 Alm. Tamandaré.
- 1570 ZYJ832 Rádio Tangará, Tangará (SC107). ☒ Rua Francisco Nardi 335, Centro.89642-000 Tangará W: [radiotangara.am.br/](http://radiotangara.am.br/) E: [estudio@radiotangara.am.br](mailto:estudio@radiotangara.am.br)
- 1590 ZYJ890 Radio Cultura de Andirá (PR129). ☒: Rua São Paulo 844, Sala 10, Centro, 86380-000 Andirá. E: [radiocultura.andira@uol.com.br](mailto:radiocultura.andira@uol.com.br)
- 1600 ZYK779 Radio 9 de Julho, São Paulo (SP263). ☒ Rua Manuel de Arzão, 85 (not Manoel).

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According to the website of ACAERT (Associação Catarinense de Emissoras de Rádio e Televisão), the following stations in Santa Catarina have migrated to FM. I have no idea as to the continuation of transmission on MW.

- 610 Rádio Super Condá, Chapecó (SC04) FM 98.9 MHz.
- 730 Rádio Tubá, Tubarão (SC09) migrated to FM 104.9 MHz on March 13, 2021.
- 750 Rádio Aliança de Concórdia (SC11) 101.7 MHz as from January 11, 2021.
- 760 Rádio Nereu Ramos, Blumenau (SC12) 88.7 MHz as from July 1, 2020.
- 960 Rádio Guarujá, Orleans (SC22) 92.9 MHz as from February 12, 2021.
- 1090 Rádio Bandeirantes AM, Tubarão (SC31) migrated to FM 94.9 MHz.
- 1330 Rádio Chapecó, Chapecó (SC51) 100.1 MHz.
- 1400 Rádio Entre Rios, Palmitos (SC58) 105.5 MHz as from August 30, 2020.

<https://www.acaert.com.br/noticia/42633/radio-guaruja-de-orleans-passa-a-transmitir-em-fm-a-partir-desta-sexta-feira>

## Chile

- 1180 CB118 R Portales, Santiago (MS15) – after many years on split 1180.084 it seems that R Portales is back on 1180.000. (ed)

## Peru

- 900 OBX4X R Felicidad, Lima (LM17) – reported inactive since February 15<sup>th</sup>. From Leo Ramirez-Lazo in an e-mail to Jan Edh, ARC

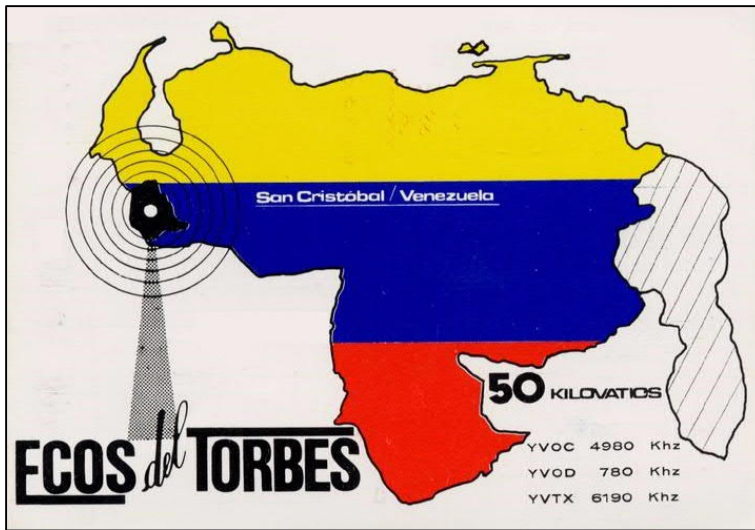
## Uruguay

- 580 CX58 R Clarin, Montevideo is for sale – audible via Kiwi in Montevideo
- 1130 CX30 R Nacional, Montevideo
- 1370 CX42 Emisora Ciudad, Montevideo

Two stations in Montevideo, Uruguay (CX30 and CX42) are currently off the air due to actions of alleged looting by vandals. The damage was reported in the respective transmitter sitesmission plants, with theft of cables and other material, which prevents them from going on the air. ([Horacio Nigro Geolkiewsky](#) via DXing.info)

# Ecós del Torbes, a classic Venezuelan radio station

Courtesy Radio-Kuriér, weltweit hören nr 4 2021 1.4.2021. Translation Christoph Ratzer, tnx!



In 1947, Gregorio Gonzalez Lovera, a young man from Cojedes with a passion for technology, decided to provide San Cristóbal in the Estado Táchira in Venezuela with radio programmes. This turns into one of the most popular and interesting radio stations from Latin America overseas: Ecós del Torbes. The station, once heard on the shortwave tropical band, comes to us today via livestream. We have listened in. The first radio broadcasts were heard in Venezuela as early as the late 1920s (AYRE). Radio Caracas, YB9BC, La Radiodifusora Venezuela and La Voz de

Carabobo followed in the early 1930s. In Estado Táchira, the Venezuelan province southwest of the border with Colombia, the first station, Radio Táchira, was already active in 1937.

On 9 August 1947, the time had come: Gregorio González Lovera and his business partners Jesús A. Lugo, José Díaz Figueredo and Antonio Monroe acquired a short-wave transmitter with a power of 1 kW. The World Radio Handbook (WRH) lists 3360 kHz as the first frequency. In the WRH of 1952 and 1953, the station can be found under the callsign YVOC on 3550 kHz, later again on 3360 and 3265 kHz. From 1964, the station is the top dog on the new frequency 4980 kHz in the 60 m tropical band, where it can be heard with 10 kW from 1968.

Ecós del Torbes was probably one of the first stations to attract European wave hunters in the 1960s, 1970s, 1980s and 1990s. The station slogan "Ecós del Torbes - su emisora predilecta" (Ecós del Torbes - your favourite station) also applied to many European listeners, because the station was almost always easy to receive at night and brought exotic flair into the living room with its music and lively presentation.

In March 2003, the station became quieter, because the traditional frequency 4980 kHz was switched off. From then on, the station was only active on medium wave 780 kHz and could no longer be received in Europe.

On the occasion of the station's 66th anniversary on 9 August, several special programmes were broadcast on WRMI Radio Miami International, among others. At the same time, the website <http://www.ecosdeltorbes.net> went on air. Today, the station can be heard there from mid-morning until the end of the broadcast at 04:30 UTC. Surprisingly, the station has been largely closed to programme changes. "Good and proven" seems to be the motto. In addition to the three extensive news journals in the morning, at noon and in the evening local time, music programmes are heard almost exclusively, with "Lo que esta noche recuerda" (What this night reminds us of) still playing in the last two broadcast hours Monday to Friday. You can hear cumbias, merengues, pasodobles, rumbas, even salsa. On Saturday evening, the "Sábadoailable" (danceable Saturday) can be heard. Unlike in tropical band times, Ecós del Torbes can be received worldwide on the internet not only with the night programme, but also during the day. The first broadcast hour from 10.30 UTC also begins with traditional Venezuelan music with harp, cuatro and maraca. This is followed by the news programme "El mundo al día" (the world today) and "Una canción, un recuerdo" (a song, a memory). The programme continues with "Bailando con la escoba" (Dance with the broomstick), as well as the noon edition of "El mundo al día". In the afternoon, interviews and short sports reports can be heard between music segments. It's worth tuning in. Nostalgic feelings are guaranteed for every (also former) tropical band fan!

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Hjärtligt välkommen till detta nummers nostalgispalt! Vi som inte lyssnat på ett tag får väl konstatera att det var nog ändå bättre förr, bläddra i gamla QSL och minnas. Det kan vara nog så trevligt också att botanisera i andras QSL och se vad som dunsade i brevlådorna på den tid det begav sig. Tack för de bidrag som inkommit till spalten. Det finns plats för många fler. Jag misstänker att just DU har en del intressanta QSL i skokartongerna/pärmarna eller var de nu förvaras. Hör av dig!





En som hört av sig är Håkan Sundman HS, som bidragit med två intressanta fångster från 1963. Vi lämnar över ordet till Håkan.

”Spanjoren EFJ12 Radio Juventud Sabadell hördes på 1349 kHz några dagar före jul år 1963, upp till stängningsdags 2358 UTC. Rapport sändes snabbt men svaret dröjde över två år. Under väntetiden flyttade stationen till FM så QSL:t blev en raritet. Svaret, som bestod av brev och vimpel, torde vara det enda i Finland.” Så låt oss först beskåda vimpeln.





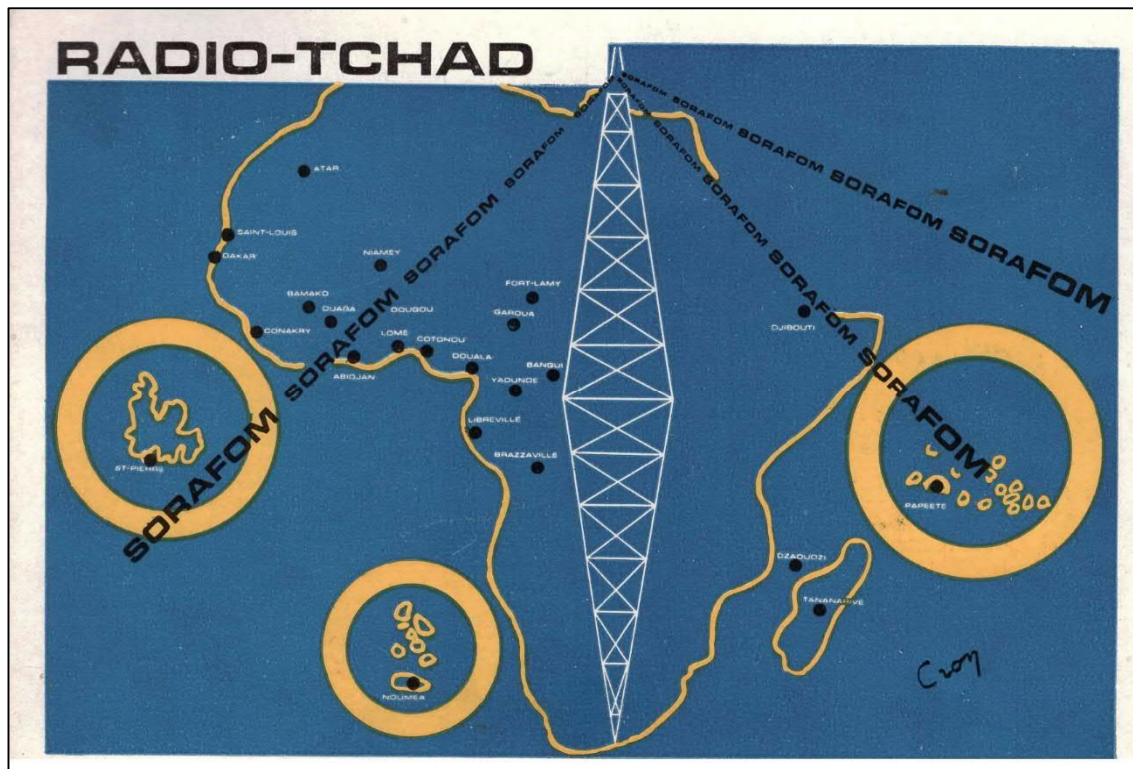
Visst var det bättre förr! Fortfarande finns en mängd spanska stationer att plocka men det är inte riktigt lika kul i dag när det mesta är samsändningar och de olika extrasändningar som kunde köras efter ordinarie programtids slut lyser nu med sin frånvaro. En annan stor fördel var förstås att de flesta spanjorer svarade bra och ofta medföljde en vimpel. Nedan Håkans QSL-brev från EFJ12.

	
<b>OFICINAS</b> rambla del caudillo, 69 tel. 3445	DEPT.° Dirección SU REF N/REF
<b>ESTUDIOS</b> rambla del caudillo, 69 tel. 1825	Sabadell, 6 de Abril 1966
<b>EMISORAS</b> n.º 1 onda normal parque municipal «los eucaliptos» (afueras)	Sr. Dn. H. Sundman <u>Helsinki</u> (Finlandia)
n.º 2 onda normal (emergencial) rambla del caudillo, 69 tels. 1825 - 3445	Apreciado amigo:
n.º 3 frecuencia modulada rambla del caudillo, 69 tels. 1825 - 3445	Es tanto el retraso en contestar y dar cumplimiento a su apreciable carta, que no sé francamente que argumento esgrimir para excusar mi poca diligencia, cuando la amabilidad de usted merecía mayor atención. Sinceramente le diré que mi interés era contestarle enseguida, pero lo impidió, primero, el hallarnos en periodo de mucho trabajo, luego una operación quirúrgica me tuvo apartado varios meses de la radio y finalmente para completar los contratiempos, nos hemos visto obligados a tener que variar nuestro sistema de emisión y cambiar todos los equipos para emitir en FRECUENCIA MODULADA, lo que también nos produjo mucho trabajo y quebraderos de cabeza.
<b>FRECUENCIAS</b> onda normal 1349 kilociclos 222,4 metros	ACUSO RECIBO DE SU REPORTE DE FECHA 22 DE DICIEMBRE DE 1963, DESDE LAS 00,36 HORAS A LAS 00,55, MANIFESTANDOLE QUE ES INTEGRAMENTE CORRECTO, POR CUYO CONTROL LE DOY MIS MAS EXPRESIVAS GRACIAS.
frecuencia modulada 96 megaciclos canal 30	Ruego a usted disculpe mi poca atención y créame que en este momento siento la satisfacción del deber cumplido con un amigo que merecía una mejor atención.
<b>CUENTAS CORRIENTES</b> banco de sabadell banco hispano americano banco exterior de españa	Atentamente le saludan
<b>DIRECCION TELEGRAF.</b> cadenazul - sabadell	RADIO JUVENTUD DE SABADELL
	
	EL DIRECTOR
	 Ed.º. Joaquín Fau



Håkan berättar sålunda om sin andra fångst som knappast var speciellt vanlig på mellanvåg:

”Under julhelgen 1963 noterade jag att Südwestfunks 40 kW sändare i Ravensburg på 1538 var tyst julnatten till ära, SWF blockerade vanligen denna frekvens 24/7. I stället hördes nu en station med program på franska och snart kom ett klart id ”Ici Fort Lamy”, dvs. Radio Tchad’s 1 kW sändare i Fort Lamy, som nu heter N’Djamena. Rapport skickades efter jul och ett QSL-kort damp ner i postlådan två veckor senare. På den tiden fungerade postgången t.o.m. till orter i södra Sahara och det synnerligen snabbt!”



Vi tackar HS för bidragen till spalten – ett initiativ som manar till efterföljd. Det var nog förresten tur att kortet från Fort Lamy nådde fram till rätt adressat med tanke på hur man skrev:





Trevligt att se att Monsieur Borgherrev. fick sitt QSL. Ja, det gällde nog att som postanställd vara litet av detektiv. Jag minns att jag en gång mot alla odds fick ett QSL från en av de svenska radiopirater som var i luften på 70-talet. Operatören hade tydligen slarvat bort min adress men kom ihåg orten och skickade alltså brevet till "han med all utlandsposten". Det kom fram....

En DX-are som återvänt till de aktivas skara är Rolf Rönberg RR i Gnarp. Han skriver följande:

"1970-02-13/14 var det en fantastisk öppning mot USA. Dessa stationer hörde jag i Sundsvall. Mina föräldrar hade ett hus på sluttningen nedanför Södra Stadsberget, i närheten av LV5. Jag tror att Stadsberget dämpade alla signaler från Europa.

Min RX på den tiden var en RCA AR88D + en Radiola bx. Antennen var en longwire på 15 meter upp till en flaggstång. Texten på WHGR 1290 "Thanks for your letter and tape, it was unbelievable (otroligt) that you can pick up us at night, usually the best reception goes to lower Canada. Undertecknad: Tomas A Hake.

Övriga stationer som QSL-ade denna natt: WWTC 1280, WIRL 1290, WTAE 1250, WABK 1280, WGAR 1220, WCFL 1000. Jag tror att WHGR har upphört med sina sändningar. Tänk om man hade haft en riktigt antenn. Jag tror att denna natt var det häftigaste jag upplevt. Min loggbok var full med stationer som hördes. Karesuando + Mertjärvi inräknad."

Så långt RR. Ja, det stämmer att WHGR i Houghton Lake, MI stängdes. Stationen såldes 2001 till Clear Channel Communications som köpte den enbart för att lägga ned WHGR. Anledning var att man ville höja effekten på sin station WOOD i Grand Rapids till 25 kW och för att kunna göra detta offrade man WHGR. Något som inte blev populärt bland alla trogna lyssnare som följt WHGR under åren.

Tack för bidraget Rolf! Det är alltid intressant med en liten story i anslutning till QSL-et. Nedan kortet från WHGR.

ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF RECEPTION

WHGR-AM  
1290 KC 5000 Watts

WJGS-FM  
98.5 MC 19 KW ERP

HOUGHTON LAKE, MICHIGAN

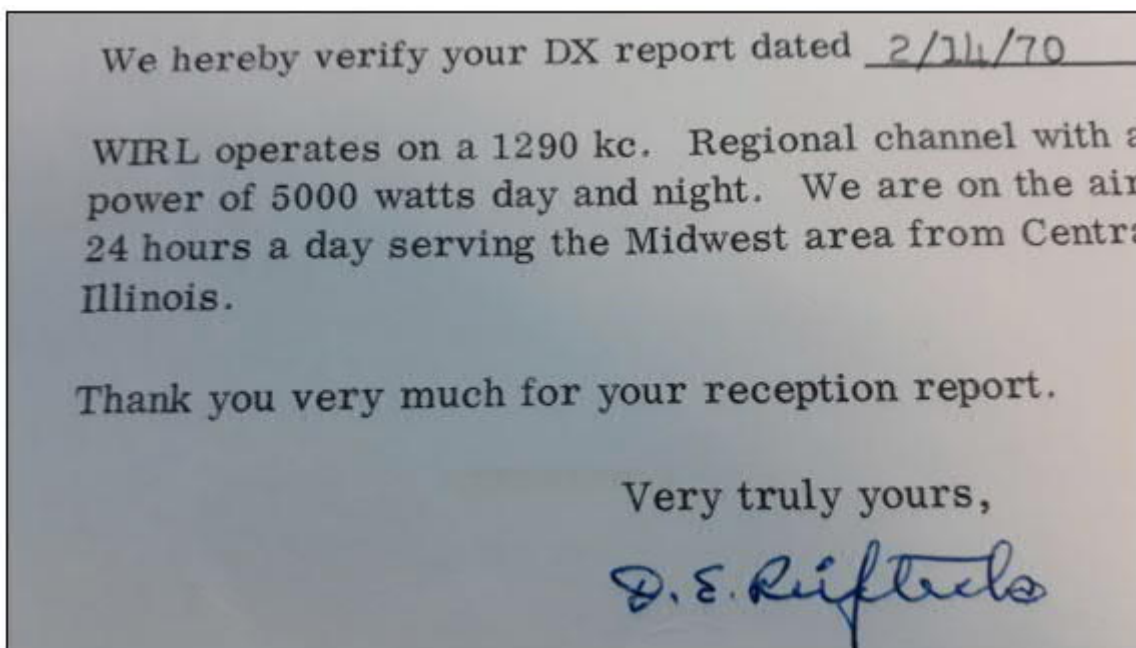
This verifies your report of reception of WHGR Feb. 14, 1970

This verifies your report of reception of WJGS \_\_\_\_\_

Remarks Thanks for your letter and tape, it was unbelievable that you can pick us up at night, usually the best reception goes to lower Canada.

Signed Tomas A. Hake

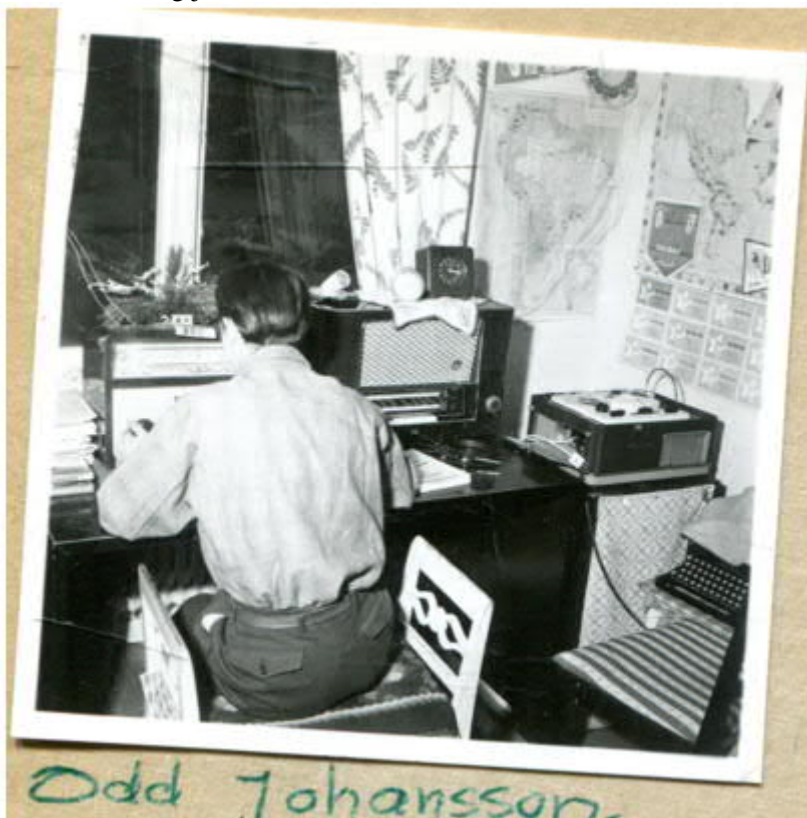
Ytterligare ett av RR:s QSL från denna minnesvärda natt: WIRL i Peoria, IL 1290. Nog så enkelt men icke desto mindre välkommet. WIRL startade den 18 februari 1948 så Rolf hörde den inte långt från 22-årsdagen. Efter ett antal formatbyten kör WIRL i dag oldies och den hörs då och då under NA-säsongen.



Som en kompensation för det något enkla QSL-kortet kommer här en gammal annons för WIRL 1290, upphittad på Pinterest. Nog hade stationen tjusiga firmabilar?



Vi återkommer till RR:s QSL i nästa nummer. DU är förstås också välkommen att skicka in ett bidrag till spalten, gärna med en liten story. Det är alltid intressant att läsa om omständigheterna kring loggningen, vad som hördes och allt annat. Här en titt i LR:s fotoalbum. Vår bortgångne DX-broder ODD, då Johansson, senare Påg, i DX-hörnan i Norberg januari 1957.



ODD spelar in brev på band. Han var mycket aktiv inom sk tape-sponding – ett utmärkt sätt att dela musik, loggningar och annat långt innan Facebook och YouTube fanns.



Till sist visar vi TL:s QSL-brev från EAK35 Radio Popular de Las Palmas. Tore hörde stationen samma år som den startade, 1971.



Las Palmas 13 de Noviembre de 1.971

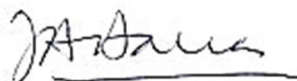
Sr. Tore Larsson  
Uddagardens Bruk  
Falköping  
SUECIA

Muy Sr. mio:

Damos contestación a su carta del 4 de Noviembre de 1.971 para agradecerle el reportaje de recepción así como los detalles que del mismo nos ha enviado.

Nos alegramos de que nuestra música haya sido del agrado de Ud.

Esperando que ésta carta sirva de verificación y sin otro particular por el momento le saluda muy atte.



Fdo: José A. Paeza Betancort  
director

Bidrag till spalten uppskattas, antingen inscannade eller per post för inscanning så returneras de omgående efter digitalisering. Min adress. Ronny Forslund, Vita Huset, 17995 Svartsjö eller info @ rock.x.se.



## Radio Republik Indonesia, Banda Aceh – 1251 kHz



Today I can tell you about a nice reception in Salzburg: In January I was able to hear the first medium wave station from **Indonesia** in Salzburg with my Asia Beverage antenna after many attempts at reception. **Radio Republik Indonesia Banda Aceh** could be heard briefly in the evening on **1251 kHz** and today, after many weeks of attempts, confirmed the rare reception, also sent me the pictures of the Great Mosque and the staff in the studio.



*tnx CR*



**KWIP Dallas OR – 880 kHz**



Sir:

My name is Dorecia Luse. I am Donald Coss's assistant and would like to reply to your email

by stating that you indeed heard KWIP La Campeona Radio, which is licensed to Dallas Oregon.

Our broadcasting format is 24 hour Spanish Language. We are the primary Spanish Language

Station serving the State Capitol of Salem Oregon. We are also the oldest continuously

broadcast in Spanish Radio Station in the State. As a great deal of our format is computerized,

and also on an 'audio feed' from Los Angeles, we are not in a 'live programming format' during

the night hours. We thank you for your interest in our station. Hope your family is well and that

you enjoy your retirement. I am certain that you earned the honor of taking time now away from

the demands of work.

Please take care and sending kindness to you and your family.

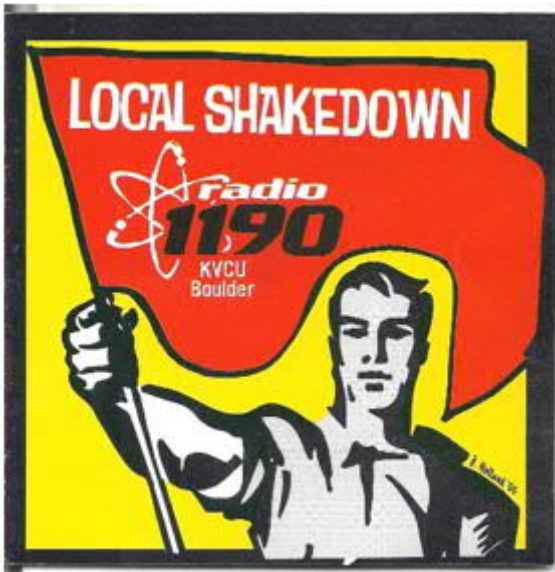
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**PRESIONA AQUI  
PARA ESCUCHARNOS  
EN VIVO!  
LA QUE MANDA!...**

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## KVCU Boulder CO – 1190 kHz



Hello Göte!

My name is Zack Marshall and I'm the head engineer at Radio 1190. I can verify that you have successfully picked up our station! Thank you so much for reaching out and sharing your story with me. We really appreciate you reaching out and your interest in our station.

If you have any more questions or need anything else from our station please let me know. I hope you are having a nice day and let's keep in touch!

Best,  
Zack Marshall  
Engineer  
Radio 1190



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