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Jopas jotakin. FM-aktiiviteettia on riittänyt, vaikka alkukesä näytti aika kehnolta. Vuotuinen Maakesken klubipedition meni täysin ulalle. MW/SW on ollutkin sitten vaatimattomammassa kantimissa, kuten lokista näkyy. Mahdollisuuksia loistonappauksiin kyllä olisi sielläkin, kaikesta huolimatta. Jenkkejä on tarjolla MW:llä ja Balkanin juhlaa FM:llä, ja koska juhannus on jo viikon päästä, niin tästähän ne kelit vain paranevat!



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## EUROOPPA

1071	7.4.	1705	Dnipropetrovska ODTRK. Luki satuja. MR
1107	2.4.	1600	RFE Sitkunai ym. Testaili. MR
1476	17.4.	1700	R Briz, Sevastopol. MR
6900	1.4.	*1559-	Eurosonor R. QTH Bulgaria? (-taitaa mennä piraattipuolelle ennen kuin tiedämme enemmän. Communication-lehdessä toteaa Rumen Pankov: "1545 typical test tone for AR-Intercontinental from Armenia. Same case during B-00 schedule with R Bopishawa on 9450". Mike Barraclough tyrmistyi kuullessaan Eurosonorilta R Ezran nauhaa, mikä herättää epäilyksen varjon myös sille tuleeko Ezra Wavresta. Nyt pitäisi Eurosonorin olla 9980:lla. /ed.) MR

## PIRAATIT

5806	17.6.	0100	Radio Free London. Piraattiasemien "lopettajaiset" kestävät näemmä kaksi kuukautta. MAA18
6267	16.6.	2323-	UK Radio. MAA18

## AFRIKKA

1386	29.4.	-2110*	KBC Maralal. MR
1385,9	7.4.	2300-	R Rurale, Lab,. MR
4765	10.6.	2000	RTC Brazzaville. Kammottava signaalin voima ja ylimodulaatio hipoo Kairon "tasoa". MAA17
4815	10.6.	1910-1949	RNB Ouagadougou. DX-runtelijat taas asialla: Burkina tuli LSB:llä luettavasti, kunnes pihahti viimeisen henkäyksensä kesken ohjelman 1949 UTC, ja sen jälkeen tämä ei olekaan kuulunut. MAA17
5025	9.6.	-2302*	ORTB Parakou. MAA17
7540	14.5.	???	R Hargeisa, Hargeisa. Kuului melko hyvin. HEP

## AASIA

1050	15.4.	2100-	Vo Iraqi People. //9653. MR
1593,1	21.4.	2130	UZR2 Jarqorgon. //4850. MR
5860	7.4.	-1506*	Vo Jinling, Nanking. MR

## POHJOIS-AMERIKA

1660	10.6.	0058	WWRU Jersey City NJ. JMS
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## KESKI-AMERIKA

1660	4.6.	0010-	WGIT Canovanas PR. Mukava lokaalinen etelässä. HS
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## ETELÄ-AMERIKA

1390	10.6.	2320	TENT. ZYJ... R Farol, Touros RN. Idauskohta ei varmaan koskaan avaudu ainakaan tältä nauhalta täydellisesti. Viikkoa myöhemmin yritettiin uudelleen, mutta silloin oli jo liian heikkoa. MAA17
1390	2.6.	0025	+ZYJ... R Farol, Touros RN. Uusi brassi dominoi nyt taajuutta. Tnx avusta JEÖ! HS
	9.6.	0020	- Tnx JEÖ:lle tiedosta! JMS
4865	15.6.	2320-	CP66 R Centenario, Santa Cruz. Päivänselvät idit. MAA18
4945	9.6.	0205	ZYG201 R Difusora, Pocos de Caldas, MG. Tämä on tasataajuudella. Petrolinan dominantti puolesta hieman taajuuden alapuolella. JMS
6011,3	9.6.	0128	O... Radio LTC, Juliaca. JMS
6025	16.6.	0035-	CP5 R Illimani, La Paz. Onko kuulutukset teetetty muinaisella suosikilla Max Headroomilla? Keskelle kappaleita vaikka mitä huitelut ja tyyliin "I-i-i-i-i-i-i-illimani!". Tasalta kuulutukset kahdeksalla kielellä. Mm. "The Voice Of Bolivia". MAA18

## PEDITIONIT:

MAA17 = Jari Lehtinen ja Pauli Holm Padasjoen Maakeskessä 9.-11.6.2001.

MAA18 = Jari Lehtinen ja Pauli Holm Padasjoen Maakeskessä 15.-17.6.2001. Jälkimmäisellä keikalla nostimme ula-jagin 10-metrisen männynrangan nenään ja totesimme, että olimmekin sitten peditionin ajan ihan ulalla. Unidit kreikkalaiset jäivät ehkä parhaiksi saavutuksiksi, vaikka kyllähän Tallinnan Raadio Uunoa kuunteli ihan ohjelmakuuntelumielessäkin ilokseen.

## LEM148-lisäloki / HS & HAT

### IBERIA

1008	12.01.	2330-	SER R Alicante, Alicante. LEM148
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### AASIA

1017	11.01.	1300	CRI Changchun. LEM148
1197	9.01.	1305	JOFO RKB Mainichi Hoso, Kitakyushu. LEM148
1395	11.01.	1230	Nei Menggu PBS, Hohhot. LEM148
1485	9.01.	1335	JOLO Ofunato. LEM148
1494	11.01.	1415	DWSS Quezon City. LEM148

### OSEANIA

1611	6.01.	1320-	<u>6AY Albany, WA.</u> LEM148
1611	6.01.	1320-	<u>6GS Wagin, Wa.</u> Taajuutta tuli kuunneltua yhteen menoon pediksen alkajaisiksi 2,5 tuntia eikä hukkaan mennyt. LEM148

3385 11.01. 1140 R East New Britain, Rabaul. LEM148

## POHJOIS-AMERIKA

1110 13.01. 0930- tent. KLIB Roseville CA. Id kuulostaisi olevan "KLIB", mutta ohjelma ei luultavasti kuitenkaan ollut //1690, jota asemat kai ajavat ainakin suurimman osan aikaa simultaanisena. LEM148

1160 11.01. 0730 +WMVI Mechanicville, NY. "Moon Radio on AM 900 and 12- 40" oli tämä, releoi tuolloin WUAM-900. LEM148

1230 9.01. 0205 CFFB Iqaluit, Nunavut (NWT). Olin jo etukäteen päättänyt, että tähän pitää raportoida uudelleen, jotta on edelleen kaikki Kanadan provinssit verifioituna. Tämä eskimoterritoriohan lohkaistiin NWTsta pari vuotta sitten. Kun asema suostui vielä luopumaan varsin harvinaisesta paikallis-idistään keskellä yötä, oli raportti nopeasti kasassa. (HAT). LEM148

1390 13.01. 0920- KLTX Long Beach, CA. Lähetää 24 h R Nueva Vidan ohjelmaa, REL. LEM148

1400 13.01. 0630- +KEWL Texarkana, TX. LEM148

1480 10.01. 0935 WADR Remsen, NY. Identiteetti selvisi kuulutuksesta "1350, 1480 and 1550 Sports Radio ...". LEM148

1490 12.01. 1200 KOSR Omaha, NE. LEM148

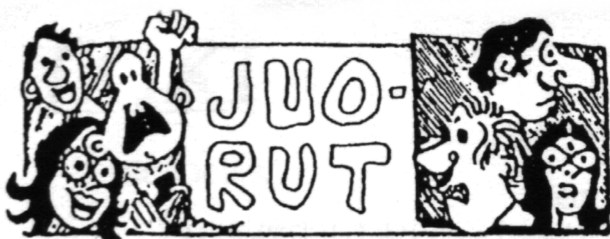
1490 12.01. 1140- KRIB Mason City, IA. LEM148

1490 11.01. 0815- tent CFPS Port Elgin ON. NRC Login mukaan //CFOS-560, mutta idi ei ollut ainakaan kyseinen emäasema. LEM148

1570 8.01. 0600 KNDY Marysville, KS. Piti ottaa plus-merkki pois lokauksen edestä lueskeltuani RSn kokoelmalokia Clusivesta, heh! LEM148

1570 11.01. 0905- WXLN New Albany, IN. LEM148

1590 11.01. 0900 WAUB Auburn, NY. LEM148



### Tuomas Talka (TAT), Espoo

Asun elokuun loppuun saakka Espoossa. Osoite on Servin-Maijan tie 6 B 28, 02150 Espoo. Kännykkänumerokin vaihtui vähän aikaa sitten. Uusi numero on 041-466 2685. Myös vanha numero on vielä toistaiseksi käytössä. Viime kuukausien kuuntelut ovat olleet pääasiassa LEM-nauhoitusten penkomista. Loki saadaan todennäköisesti seuraavaan Clusiveen. Tässä vastauksia parin viime kuukauden ajalta.

Spectrum 558 AM, London ki, esitteitä  
OCR Almería 1341 e-mail  
WLW Cincinnati OH 700 ki  
CFCW Camrose AB 790 e-mail  
WWJ Detroit MI 950 ki, ko, av.perä,  
hiirimatto, esitteitä  
WBT Charlotte NC 1110 ko, raportti takaisin  
CFFB Iqaluit NWT 1230 e-mail  
CJME Regina SK 1300 ko  
WMNN Minneapolis MN 1330 ki, kynä  
CJOY Guelph ON 1460 e-mail  
KEYG Grand Coulee WA 1490 ki, ta, ko,  
nippu esitteitä  
**WMRN Marion OH 1490** ko, ki  
WAAM Ann Arbor MI 1600 ko, ki  
WRNC Warner Robins GA 1670 ko  
WTTM Princeton NJ 1680 ki, 3 ta, sertif.,  
kuuluvuuskartta  
WRMI Miami FL 9955 ko, ta, matkailua, ohj.  
WBMJ San Juan PR 1190 ki, ta, kalemteri,  
esitteitä, henksua  
WLUZ Bayamon PR 1600 e-mail

ZYG684 R Difusora, Taubaté SP 4925 ko, ki,  
nippu tarroja kirjattuna  
HJZO R Difusora Nacional de Colombia 9635  
ko kirjattuna

### **Juha Ignatius (JPI) Helsinki**

RRI Gorontalo 3265 ki  
RAE 870 ko,ki,ym  
R Gazeta 9685 ki,tarroja

### **Heikki Pehkonen (HEP), Nurmes**

Radio Saudi-Arabia 06,03-01 21600khz.  
vastasi 21,05-01 kirjeellä. Henkilökuntaan  
kuuluva vastasi kotoaan Norsunluurannikolta.  
Radio Antarctica Argentina vastasi e-mail  
raporttiin parissa päivässä. Ei vastannut  
kirjeitse lähetetyyn raporttiin. Vastausosoite  
lra36@infovia.com.ar

### **Mauno Ritola (MR), Kiihtelysvaara**

ERA Chania 1512 em v/s Katerina  
Haralambaki era-hania@otenet.gr  
Eurosonor R 6900 ki em  
R Radonezh 6245, Samara em f/up v/s  
radrad@mrezha.ru  
RB Shavar 4880 em v/s Monoranjan Das, Stn.  
Engineer rrc@aitlbd.net  
JOBB NHK2 Osaka 828 em v/s Audience  
Center jobk@osaka.nhk.or.jp  
JOUF Osaka 1310 em v/s Kenji Kibata,  
Programming Section kibata@1314.co.jp  
UZR Jarqo'rg'on 1593 ko ki ohj rk  
Omskaya GTRK Irtysh 639 em v/s Tatyana  
Andryushina, Vice Chairman of Broadc.  
gtrk@omskelekom.ru  
WEGA R Las Vegas, Vega Baja 1350 em v/s  
Jesus D. Meléndez jedmele@coqui.net  
R Cultura Filadelfia 6105 em v/s  
andrantero@hotmail.com  
BBC Buenos Aires 1670 em v/s  
laura.plitt@bbc.co.uk  
R Sarandí del Yí, Durazno 6154 ki valokuva

### **Håkan Sundman (HS), Helsinki**

R Studio X 1584 em via Dario M.  
SER R Granada 1080 k, poko, 3 ta  
KDNZ Cedar Falls IA 1650 ki

### **Jim Solatie (JMS), Espoo**

Kulunut viikko on mennyt ulakelejä  
päivystäessä ja muutamia mukavia kelipäiviä  
on mahtunut mukaan. Eilinen lauantai  
esimerkiksi oli elämäni paras unkarilaispäivä!  
Plakkariin jäi vajaa kymmenkunta pientä  
paikallisasemaa. Koskaan aikaisemmin en ole  
yhtään sellaista onnistunut kuulemaan.  
Pulssia nostattava kokemus oli myöskin  
sunnuntain 10.6. jenkkielit! Aikavälillä 0050-  
0105 kuului niin Bostonin urheiluasema (1510)  
kuin New Jersey Radio Unicakin (1660)!  
Boston jäi tentatiiviseksi, mutta Unica tuli  
idattua! Koskaan aikaisemmin en ole jenkkejä  
kesäkuussa kuullut, mutta kai se oli tämäkin  
koettava. Antennina oli vajaan 100 metrin  
länsilanka.  
Samana päivänä iskivät myös ES-kelit  
Balkanille eli ensimmäinen kerta elämässä,  
jolloin saman vuorokauden aikana on tullut  
kuultua sekä MW-jenkkejä että FM-  
eteläeurooppalaisia!  
Keskiaallot ovat olleet varsin huonosti auki.  
Paras omalle kohdalle osunut yö on ollut 9.6.,  
jolloin Asa Branca 1570, Farol 1390 ja Santa  
Cruz 1410 tulivat idattua. Muuta ei sitten ole  
keskisiltä irronnutkaan. Lyhyiltä 'paras' loka-  
us on Radio LTC, Juliaca 6011,3.

QSL:s january-may 2001:

R Vaticana, Vaticana 527  
VOA Marcali 1188 via

**ERA Florinas** 1278 041200 e-mail v/s Bill  
Petrout, era-flor@otenet.gr

**R Berovo, Berovo** 1485 041200 v/s Goran  
Redzovski. The very first local Macedonian

AM-station heard in Finland! Power 1 kW.  
Also on FM 88,2 (250 watts).  
France Bleu, Radio Corse Frequenza Mora  
1494 v/s Alain Durniak, has local programmes  
on 1404 and 1494 at 07-08 and 12-13 local  
time.

BBC Slovakia Relay 1521 v/s Lydia Edlman,  
Slovak Section.

RAI Basilicata, Matera 1575 v/s Giovanni  
Benedetto.

**Radiophonikos Stathmos Amaliadas,**

**Amalias** 1584 This station was founded in  
1953 and is currently broadcasting on FM 91.0,  
93.8, 98.4 and AM 1584. Address is Agios  
Trifonos 5, Amaliada, Greece. Not listed in  
WRTH nor anywhere else, why??? Since 1993  
the owner of the station has been the  
Municipality of Amalias, so does not belong to  
ERA!

**Radio Sud-Est, Slobozia** 1604 031200, FFF e-  
mail v/s Sorin Dragomir, Executive Director  
SWR Virrat 11720 v/s DJ Frank

**Classic Gold 774, Gloucestershire** 774  
281200

e-mail v/s Martin Mills,  
martinm@musicradio.com

Marcher Gold, Wrexham 1260 e-mail v/s  
Gavin Matthews, gavinmat@musicradio.com  
Was my 127th UK+Irish station (Irish pirates  
not included)

Carillon R., Loughborough 1386 261100 v/s  
Jon G4DCE, Carillon 1386 Technical Manager

**Bantams 1566, Bradford** 1566 140899 e-mail  
v/s Mary Dowson, mary@bcb.yorks.com  
SER R Granada 1080 v/s José Luis Ramírez,  
Director

COPE Jerez 1134 v/s Pedro Ochoa Halcón,  
Director

SER R Lugo 1287

SER R Linares 1602

R Algerienne, Ain El Beida 531

RNE5 Santa Cruz, Tenerife 720

**RNE5 Las Palmas, Gran Canaria** 747

051200 v/s Federico Campos Alvarez, Director  
en Las Palmas

VOA Botswana 909

**R Club Tenerife, Santa Cruz** 1179 041200 e-  
mail radioclubtenerife@unionradio.es (no v/s  
given)

R ECCA, Las Palmas 1269 v/s José-Antonio  
González Dávila

R Hargeisa, Hargeisa 7530 071200 e-mail v/s  
Ali Mohamed Waran-adde M, Minister of  
Information, hargeisac@bgtinet.com

**Taiwan Broadcasting Company, Dah-Shi**  
621 051200, FFF e-mail

senhung@tpts6.seed.net.tw , power 10 kW.

BCC Taichung 720 e-mail

**R Thailand, Nakhon Ratchasima** 729

031200 v/s Bundit Tungprasert, Radio  
Thailand AM 729 kHz, Nakhon Ratchasima,  
Thailand. Despite local qsl the programme was  
only network (they don't have local anymore  
on AM)

HLAJ MBC Cheju, Cheju 774

AIR Jabalpur 801 Local programme, report to  
local address but QSL from Delhi. Was my  
50th AIR local station QSL!.

**R Thailand, Bangkok** 837031200 Qsl both  
via R Thailand and BBC Asia and Pacific  
Region (both programmes heard)

**Kao Sum Kao 909, Sakon Nakhon** 837  
031200, FFF Sathaani Wihayu 909, Sakon  
Nakhon, Thailand.

**R Isfahan, Isfahan** 837 041200 Local address:  
TV & Radio Isfahan, Khajo SQ, Isfahan, Iran.

**R Thailand, Phetchabun** 846 031200, FFF?  
Despite local qsl the programme was only  
network (see 729 kHz)

**DZGE Naga** 855 091200, FFF e-mail v/s Juan  
Escandor Jr. (private address)

**AIR Rampur** 891 091198 e-mail v/s Sanjay  
Kumar Gupta, sanjaykgupta2001@yahoo.co.in  
HLKV MBC Seoul 900 e-mail v/s Ji-sou Kim,  
jisou@mbc.co.kr

R Pakistan, Khaipur 927 Local programme, qsl  
via Islamabad

**DYRL Bacolod** 1035 280199 v/s Tezz  
L.Hervas and Renee Brillantes

**DZWN Bombo Radyo, Dagupan** 1125  
240100 e-mail v/s Marvin T. Modelo, Station  
Manager bombown@mozcom.com

**Chutian Broadc. Station, Wuhan** 1179  
061200 e-mail yjw@whtv.com.cn , no v/s  
name

JOGR RAB Aomori Hoso, Aomori 1233 v/s  
Reiko Sasaki

**AIR Madurai** 1269 051200 Reported locally,  
qsl via Delhi

**Yaan Kraw 1305, Bangkok** 1305 061000  
Yaan Kraw 1305, Samsen Road, Bangkokbreu,  
Dusit, Bangkok 10300, Thailand.

**IRIB R Tehran, Tehran** 1332 280100 This is Tehran City programme, i.e. local service!

**Shijiazhuang EBS, Hebei** 1431 230100 e-mail v/s Wuzi Qi, radio@sj-user.he.cninfo.net

**R Suara Jakarta, Jakarta** 1485 181199, FFF. Used a home made transmitter with just 750 watts, but still the reception quality was loud and clear for one minute, which surprisingly was at the time of identification and address (the old WRTH address did not work anymore). This station closed down in 2000.

**Or.Sor.Mor.Tor., Bangkok** 1494 181199 e-mail v/s Sura G, MCOT Radio Networks

**JO.. NHK1 Sendai** 1584 091200 v/s T. Yoshimura

AIR Bhopal 1593 Local programme, report to local address but QSL from Delhi.

JOZB NHK2 Matsuyama via Uwajima 1602. v/s Kanna Inoue, NHK Matsuyama, 5 Horimouchi, Matsuyama 790 8501, Japan.

**JOMZ NHK2 Miyazaki via**

**Nobeoka/Nichinan** 1602 230100 NHK Miyazaki Station, 880 8633 Miyazaki City, Japan, no v/s given.

RRI Palangka Raya 3325 v/s Dr. S.P. Lumban Tobing.

**R KIP, Surabaya** 4697 050999 e-mail v/s Blasius Lema, blas5@astaga.com

RRI Ujung Pandang 4753 v/s Mukidi, Head of Station.

**GTRK Buriyat, Ulan Ude** 4795 060201 e-mail andreev@eastsib.ru

**Voice of Strait, Fuzhou** 4900 040999 e-mail y392025@163.net

R Mix Master, Yakutsk 4940 031200 Amurskoye Radio, Blagoveschensk 6060. I wish all Russian stations were as good to qsl as this is, qsl in 2 weeks for my longwave report in 1996, now the same for this shortwave report!

R Singapore International 9600.

KJPN Waipahu, HI 940 v/s Ikoku Tomita, General Manager.

**KCNM Saipan** 1080 060201 v/s Joseph E. Tighe, General Manager. This was the second letter which they had received from Europe, the first one was from Bellabarba, Italy.

**2ME Sydney, NSW** 1638 060201 No v/s given, address: 2ME Macquairie Mews Building, 5 Macquairie Street, Parramatta NSW 2150.

RRI Manokwari 3987 061200 v/s Andy Orisu.

AFRTS Pearl Harbor, HI 6350 e-mail v/s Jennifer Gray, gray@mediacen.navy.mil

CBU Vancouver, BC 690

CINF Montreal. QC 690 e-mail v/s Kayla Elman (private address)

WRMR Cleveland, OH 850 v/s Dave Johnson, Chief Engineer.

WWJ Detroit, MI 950 e-mail v/s R.J. Hunt, rjhunt@cbs.com

WGTV Louisville, KY 970 e-mail v/s Fred North, Operations manager, fredn@rivertalk.net

**WITY Danville, IL** 980 080201 e-mail v/s Don Ward (private address). The report woke so much attention that the Managing Director faxed it to the General Manager!

**KJJK 'Oldies 1020' Fergus Falls, MN** 1020 050201 v/s Kris Wilke, Program Director.

WYSL Avon, NY 1040 v/s Robert C. Savage, President.

KYW Philadelphia, PA 1060

KYCW Seattle, WA 1090 v/s Becky Brenner, Operations Manager.

WCHB Taylor, MI 1200 v/s Ann Taylor, a nice package with two shirts etc.

CFVM Amqui, QC 1220 v/s Nancy Turcotte, Secrétaire-Réceptionniste.

**KZZR Burns, OR** 1230 050201 v/s Randy Parks.

KQIK Lakeview, OR 1230 v/s Heather Gibson, Traffic Manager.

KVAS Astoria, OR 1230 v/s John Windus, Operations Manager.

**WMMB Melbourne, FL** 1240 100201 v/s Larry Brewster, larrybrew@hotmail.ru

KIUL Garden City, KS 1240 e-mail v/s Rick, kiul@wksradio.com (tnx MTM!)

**KWLC Decorah, IA** 1240 070201 v/s the whole staff (20 signatures).

WGL Ft. Wayne, IN 1250 e-mail v/s Connie Kovas, General Manager,

conniekovas@hotmail.com

WKBF Rock Island, IL 1270 e-mail v/s Jon Book, wocxmtr@juno.com

KGVO Missoula, MT 1290 v/s Denny Bedard, Program Director.

KKAR Omaha, NE 1290 e-mail v/s Neil nelkin, neil@1290kkar.com

**WLEW Bad Axe, MI** 1340 051000, FFF. v/s Nancy Aymen, President.

KLOO Corvallis, OR 1340 e-mail v/s Robin O'Kelly, Chief Engineer.

KWOR Worland, OR 1340 v/s Leona Smith, Traffic Manager.  
 WTAZ Peoria, IL 1350 050201 e-mail. v/s Rob Paullin, robpaullin@hotmail.com  
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 WMAN Mansfield, OH 1400 e-mail v/s Rusty Cates, Program Director, rustydad@yahoo.com  
 KBRB Ainsworth, NE 1400 e-mail v/s Randy L. Brunigan, Engineer, randy@bloomnet.com  
 WEOA Evansville, IL 1400 e-mail v/s Darin Lander, the\_pump\_1400\_am@yahoo.com  
 KOOQ North Platte, NE 1410 v/s Dianne Morales, Executive Assistant.  
 WRRO Warren, OH 1440 v/s Bob Alan.  
 WIKE Newport, VT 1490 v/s Chris Maynard, Program/Sports Director.  
**KGBT 'La Primera', Harlingen, TX** 1530 040201, FFF. v/s Vicky Gomez, Assistant to General Manager. This was the very first 24-hour Spanish station in the US, starting 24/7 already in the 1940's!  
**WBGZ Alton, IL** 1570 050201, FFF. v/s Mark Ellebracht, News Director and WBGZ Morning Show. Later I even joined the WBGZ Morning Show live for 30 minutes!  
 WGLL Auburn, IN 1570 e-mail. v/s Connie Kovas, General Manager, conniekovas@hotmail.com  
 WBEE Harvey, IL 1570 v/s Jerome Burdeau, Chief Engineer.  
**KWHN Ft.Smith, AR** 1650 v/s Gary Elmore.  
**KQWB 'Star 1660' Fargo, ND** 1660 041000, FFF.  
 WRNC Warner Robbins, GA 1670 v/s James K. Gay II, Studio Engineer.  
 WMDM Lexington Park, MD 1690 230100 v/s Tomas "TC" Cuellar, Operations Manager.  
**KSXX Roseville, CA** 1690 050201 v/s Len Harris, Chief Engineer & Rosa Garza, General Manager.  
 R St Lucia, Castries 660. Currently broadcasts only with 2 kW. QSL after visiting the station.  
 R Rebelde, La Julia et al. 710 v/s Maribel Santa Coloma, Relaciones Publicas.  
**WIPR San Juan, PR** 940 040201 v/s Linda Hernández Rosado, Presidenta.

**XETU R Tampico, Tampico** 980 080201 e-mail v/s Carlos Cortés, ccortesg@prodigy.net.mx  
 RCI 'Radio Disco', Castries (St Lucia) 1090 311286 This station used to broadcast at the end of the 80's. At that time there were rumours that it even could have broadcast from Martinique, but those rumours were unfortunately wrong. QSL after visiting the station both in Castries (St Lucia) and Fort de France (Martinique).  
 R Caraibes, Ruseau (Dominica) 1210 100984 Country no. 205!  
**XEBS R Sinfonola, Mexico** 1410 101200 e-mail v/s Margarita Maldonado, mammg@LatinMail.com  
**WGIT 'La Gigante 1660', Carolina, PR** 1660 030201 v/s Aureo A. Matos & Olga Rosario, Presidentes.  
**Ondas de los Médanos, Coro** 660 050201 e-mail v/s José Jesús Jatar, Director General, olm660@cantv.net  
**R Cooperativa, Santiago** 760 081200 v/s Jaime Ahumada, Jefe de asuntos Publicos.  
**R Primero de Marzo, Asuncion** 780 081200 e-mail v/s Javier Valdes, Vice Director, javierva@mmail.com.py  
 R AM do Povo, Fortaleza, CE 1010 The correct name of this station is Radio AM Do Povo!  
**R Calendario, Maracaibo** 1020 040201 v/s Magali Briceño.  
**SODRE Montevideo** 1050 080201 e-mail v/s Juan Colino, jcolino@intersys.com.uy  
**R Municipal, Buenos Aires** 1110 091200 v/s Claudio Vivori, Director General Adjunto.  
**R Brigadier Lopez, Santa Fe** 1150 061200 v/s Laura Taboada de Raffa, Dirección Artística.  
**LBV via R Fraternidade, Brasilia DF** 1410 041200 e-mail v/s Isabel Mariana Bento, isabelbento@yahoo.com.br  
**R Marabina, Maracaibo** 1420 201097 v/s Magali Briceño, who used to work at Marabina earlier.  
 R Nova Difusora, Osasco 1540 v/s Isabel Potenza.  
 R Nove de Julho, Sao Paulo 1600 v/s Monsenhor Dario Bevilacqua, Diretor Geral.  
**R Cultural Amauta, Huanta** 4955 010600 v/s Noé Solier Quispe, Administrador.



R Cultura, São Paulo 6170 v/s Eduardo  
Weber.

LBV via R Rio Grande do Sul, Porto Alegre  
11895 e-mail v/s Isabel Mariana Bento,  
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# AFRO-ASIAN-OCEANIAN NEWS

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## AFRICA

### ANGOLA [non]

Estou neste momento (18:45 horas TU) a ouvir a Rádio Ecclésia, Emissora Católica de Angola, na frequência de 13810 kHz. Como não possui nenhum emissor de ondas curtas (tem apenas um emissor de FM em Luanda), a Rádio Ecclesia serve-se de um emissor da DTK (Deutsche Telekom), localizado em Jülich, na Alemanha, para esse fim. A informação fornecida por Hansjörg Biener, divulgada por Glenn Hauser e que é confirmada no início e no fim da emissão, a Rádio Ecclésia transmite nos seguintes horários e frequências: - das 05:00 às 05:55 TU, em 15545 kHz; - das 18:00 às 19:00 TU, em 13810 kHz. 73, (Fernando de Sousa Ribeiro, Porto, Portugal, May 11, radioescutas via DXLD) Correct address of ECC Radio Ecclesia via <<http://ecclesia.snet.co.ao>> RADIO ECCLESIA, Emissora Catolica de Angola, Morada, Rua Comandante Bula, No.118, Sao Paulo - C.P. 3579, Luanda - Angola. Fax +244 (2) 443093 e-mail <[ecclesia@snet.co.ao](mailto:ecclesia@snet.co.ao)> (Martin Elbe-D DD9MW, A-DX May 14)Topnews

### BURKINA FASO

Good signals are being received tonight from Radio Burkina on 4815 kHz. After 2300 UTC the transmitter seemed to be having problems and would go off air for a number of seconds every couple of minutes. Signed off at Midnight with IS. Graham Powell via HCDX

## CANARY ISLANDS

747 RNE5 Las Palmas, Gran Canaria V/s is Federico Campos Alvarez, Director. Jim Solatie (FIN) via Eurolog.  
1179 R Club Tenerife, Santa Cruz eMail - address: [radioclubtenerife@unionradio.es](mailto:radioclubtenerife@unionradio.es) Jim Solatie (FIN) via Eurolog.  
1269 Radio ECCA, Las Palmas V/s is José-Antonio Gonzáles Dávila. Jim Solatie (FIN) via Eurolog.

## LIBYA

Voice of Africa broadcasts 1000-0355 on 17725 kHz, also widely heard on the parallel MW frequencies 711 and 1251 kHz. The main language is Arabic, but station carries the news in English and French. The English news lasts from 2 to 12 minutes, but mostly 7-8 minutes. The news in English and French noted at 11 o'clock and then every hour starting from 17 o'clock. Here is a monitored schedule of the news in English: 1140-1150, 1735-1745, 1820-1825, 1920-1925, 2030-2040, 2120-2130, 2220-2225, 2330-2340, 0020-0025, 0130-0140, 0220-0225, 0320-0330 UTC. Note: all times variable day to day approx. plus minus 10 minutes! The French news follows right away after the news in English. Heard in May 2001. The news last shorter or longer depending of the hour, so I wrote 5 or 10 minutes long; the starting times of the news are different at various hours (Robert Petraitis, Lithuania, World DX Club via Mike Barraclough, WORLD OF RADIO 1081, DXLD)

## TANZANIA

Radio Tanzania noted on 5985 parallel to 5050 2000-2100, Swahili; 5985 clear now that Congo has moved to 4765, May 24 (Bob Padula, Victoria, Electronic DX Press via DXLD)

## ASIA

### CHINA

Tianjin People's Broadcasting Station transmits according to their schedule following programs:

567 kHz Communication Channel

747 Art & Entertainment Channel

909 News Channel

1008 Music Channel

1071 Economic Channel

1386 Life Channel.

Local 'English Salon' and alternatively 'English Magazine' are broadcast every Saturday at 17.30 Beijing time. JHY

### CLANDESTINE

[Cambodia] 15725, Voice of Khmer Krom Radio, was to test at 1400-1500 on Fri, May 25. There is a link to the website of the Khmer Kampuchea-Krom Federation at <http://www.shortwave.be/cla.html> Official b/cs are to start on Jun 1 and will be Fridays only. (TDP-BEL Ludo Maes-BEL, A-DX May 25) Topnews

[Kurdistan] 15770, A Kurdish radio station identifying itself as VoMesopotamia (Kurdish: Denge Mesopotamia) was observed by BBC M on 21 May from tune in at 1542 until sign-off at 1600 on 15770. The bc consisted of Kurdish mx and the following annt repeated several times in Kurmanji,

Sorani and Zazayee Kurdish and in Turkish:

"Dear listeners, you can listen to our radio twice a day. You will hear our voice, the VoMesopotamia, at 1100-1300 in the morning and at 1700-1900 in the evening, Amad [Diyabakir] time / 0800-1000 and 1400-1600 UTC.

"Despite all the injustices and oppression, we have not been silenced. Our language has remained the same and songs were composed in this language and on this land and the story of this people was written in it. Let this be your own voice. Look out for us; we are awaiting your requests with great anticipation." The broadcast, which appeared to be a test txion, has not subsequently been observed. (BBCM via DXLD May 21-25) Topnews

De Voice of Mezopotamya begint vanaf maandag 28 mei 2001 met dagelijkse uitzendingen op korte golf in het Koerdisch. Het zendschema is als volgt:  
08.00-10.00 UTC : 15.230 kHz  
14.00-16.00 UTC : 15.770 kHz  
(L.Maes-TDP-BEL May 27, 2001 in DXA-ML) CRW

### Netsanet Radio

There is a test transmission of a new station towards Ethiopia today from 17.00 to 18.00 UTC on 12.110 kHz (L.Maes-BEL May 21, 2001 in CDX 347-1) Netsanet Radio seems to be the name of this one. Per Ludo, their website is at [www.netsanet.com](http://www.netsanet.com) The next test will be on Wednesday from 1700-1800. (H.Johnson-USA May 22, 2001 in CDX 347-2) CRW

### Radio Barabari

0000-2359 Daily PERSIAN Global Net: <http://www.barabari.org/> -archive audio 1700-1730 Irregular PERSIAN ME 7.480-v (BBCM May 16, 2001 condensed for DXLD 1-071) CRW

### Radio Must

New station Radio Must in Kurdish noted: 1400-1600 17490 (45444) < May 24 ONLY 1400-1600 15770 (45544) < from May 25 (OBS-BUL May 29, 2001 in BCDX 577)

### HONG KONG

675 RTHK/BBC WS comes in quite well around 1300-1400 UTC, dominant over co-channel Hanoi and Brunei and various weak Filipinos. Signal strength is very similar to the co-sited transmitters on 864 and 1044, also listed with 10 kW, all of which are generally stronger in SE Asia than the 20 kW units at Golden Hill. I suspect the Peng Chau site on an offshore island is a more favourable location. I'm not sure what to make of the report from Merlin that 675 is really only 1 kW (last MV-Eko). (Alan Davies)  
864 continues to carry frequent mentions of 'Hong Kong's Best New Music' and variations on that theme, but it's hard to tell what the official name of the station now is. (Alan Davies) MV Eko

## INDIA.

'All India Radio' to upgrade radio coverage to north east India. Indian govt. is considering a special plan to boost radio coverage in the north eastern region. New radio stations are being set up at Churachandrapur, Dharmanagar, Longtherai, Changlang, Khonsa, Natun Bazar & Phek. At Silchar a 20 kw MW txer, at Imphal 300 kw MW txer & at Kohima 100 kw MW txer is being provided. New FM channels are being provided at Shillong, Imphal, Agartala & Aizwal. During 2000-01 an amount of Rs. 14.7 crore was allocated for development of AIR services in the north east. Regds, (Alokesh Gupta, New Delhi, India, May 22, DX LISTENING DIGEST)

1125 All India Radio is expanding its service in the north eastern Indian states. According to deputy director general (north east) of AIR, Rugmuni, a regional radio station of 20 kW medium wave would be commissioned at Tezpur in Assam from July [2000], one which would broadcast programmes in Assamese, Hindi, Nepali and other tribal dialects in the north Lakhimpur (Assam) area. (UNI) (Sawaal News 11.06.2000, via OA)

Information about Indian stations is available from: <http://vu2jos.qrzindia.net/adres.html>. This page is maintained by the wellknown Indian DXer Jose Jacob. (OA) MV Eko

## INDONESIA

New RRI Jakarta network is as follows:

Programa 1 (PRO-1), exProg.Ibukota 1 the progr's format doesn't change. Freq on FM 99.8 and FM 89.1

Programa 1 (PRO-2), exProg.Ibukota 2 the progr's format doesn't change. Freq on FM 105.1 (sometimes relayed by SW 9680)

Programa 3 (PRO-3), exProg.Nasional 1 the progr's format doesn't change (nx, talks, and entertainment). Freq on FM 104.1; MW 1332; SW 9565 9630 11760 11860 15125

Programa 4 (PRO-4), exProg.Nasional 1 the progr's format is the culture bc (incl religions) and sports. Freq FM 94.95; MW 999z; SW 4775.

Programa 5(PRO-5), exProg.Nasional 2 the progr's format doesn't change (education and information). Freq FM 93.2; MW 1215; SW 9680 11750 11885.

(Akbar Indra Gunawan-INS, Jembatan May 27) Topnews

RRI Palangka Raya 3324.9 letter, v/s Dr.S. Parlin Tobing, Station Manager. (Arnstein Bue, NORWAY)

RRI Sorong 4874.5 letter, v/s Umar Solle, Station Manager. I heard Sorong in October 1999, but the reception report wasn't sent until January 2001. A big surprise! (Arnstein Bue, NORWAY) Jembatan DX

## IRAN

- a personally bandscan of Iranian MW-stations in April 2001

When I was only 10 years old, the civil war between all the political and military fractions began in 1975 in Lebanon. Four years later in 1979, the shah left his country and another revolution began in Iran. I was very fascinated - not by the wars - but the reasons for these massive outbreaks. As a young teenager, I simply couldn't understand why the people of specially Iran went to the streets in massive demonstrations in favour of a mad-looking ayatollah and an islamic republic. Many years later I have turned this part of the World to be a major part of my life, both personally and as a journalist with a university degree in contemporary middle eastern history. To keep up the knowledge of specially Iran, I am now also a tour guide for Danish tourists once a year in the islamic republic. For MW-DXers, Iran is also very interesting. The national state radio IRIB is audible on many different medium wave frequencies in Europe, but unfortunately it is difficult to obtain reliable information about frequencies, schedules etc. Medium wave is still used as the major band in all parts of Iran, although FM-outlets are also common in the urban areas. In April 2001 I went to Iran again, this time with a Sony ICF-2001D in the suitcase, the latest issue of Herman Boels famous EMWG, and copies of WRTH 2001. During many evenings I made a bandscan of Iranian medium wave stations. As I am not speaking any farsi/persian, it was hard to identify each station and I only got a little help from Iranian friends. It was also very difficult - almost

impossible - to get information about transmitter locations, as this seems to be kept secret by the authorities. I have, however, written to the Iranian Embassy in Copenhagen as well as IRIB and the Ministry of Information in Teheran to get a complete list of all IRIB-frequencies and transmitter-locations. The embassy have been very kind, but still not able to help me. I'll keep trying my best.

Therefore, the following list is only based on my personal observations during April 9th-22nd 2001 in Teheran, Shiraz, Yazd, Isfahan and Kashan. An update will be made as soon as I have more information from the Ministry of Information or IRIB. My next visit to Iran will be next spring 2002, where I will continue to update this bandscan.

#### BANDSCAN IN SHIRAZ, YAZD, ISFAHAN, KASHAN AND TEHRAN:

Frequency Station Location Language  
Comments

531 kHz IRIB 1 Hamadan Persian // many \*\*)  
540 kHz IRIB 1 Mashad Persian // many \*\*)  
540 kHz Kuwait Arabic  
549 kHz IRIB 1 Sirjan Persian // many \*\*)  
549 kHz BSKSA Arabic // 648, 900 kHz a.o.  
558 kHz R. Farhang (tent) Gheslagh Persian // 1152 kHz  
567 kHz R. Syria 1 Arabic // 747, 918 kHz  
576 kHz R. Sultanate of Oman Arabic // 738, 1242 kHz  
585 kHz R. Quran Tehran Persian/Arabic // 603 kHz  
594 kHz IRIB 1 Persian Local prg. heard  
603 kHz Radio Quran Persian // 585 kHz  
621 kHz Uid. Persian  
630 kHz Holy Quran, Kuwait Arabic // 1341 kHz  
639 kHz IRIB 1 Bonab Persian // many \*\*)  
648 kHz BSKSA Jeddah Arabic // 549, 900 kHz  
648 kHz IRIB 1 Isfahan Persian // many \*\*)  
657 kHz Kol Israel English Jammed, ID as "Radio Two"  
657 kHz IRIB 1 Persian // many  
666 kHz IRIB 1 Persian // many \*\*)  
684 kHz IRIB 1 Persian // many \*\*)  
702 kHz IRIB 1 Persian // many \*\*)

711 kHz IRIB 1 Persian // many \*\*)  
720 kHz IRIB 1 Persian // many \*\*)  
738 kHz R. Sultanate of Oman Arabic // 576, 1242 kHz  
747 kHz R. Syria 1 Arabic // 567, 918 kHz  
774 kHz IRIB 1 Persian // many \*\*)  
783 kHz R. Syria (tent) Arabic  
819 kHz IRIB 1 Persian // many \*\*)  
837 kHz IRIB 1 Isfahan Persian // many \*\*)  
855 kHz Uid. Arabic // 882 kHz \*\*\*)  
882 kHz Uid. Arabic // 855 kHz \*\*\*)  
891 kHz IRIB 1 Persian // many \*\*)  
900 kHz IRIB 1 Persian // many \*\*)  
918 kHz R. Syria 1 Arabic // 567, 747 kHz  
918 kHz IRIB 1 Persian // many \*\*)  
927 kHz IRIB 1 Persian // many \*\*)  
945 kHz IRIB 1 Persian // many \*\*)  
972 kHz IRIB 1 Persian // many \*\*)  
990 kHz Uid. Persian Not IRIB 1  
1008 kHz IRIB 1 Persian // many \*\*)  
1026 kHz IRIB 1 Persian // many \*\*)  
1035 kHz IRIB 1 Persian // many \*\*)  
1071 kHz Uid. Persian Not IRIB 1  
1134 kHz IRIB 1 Persian // many \*\*)  
1152 kHz R. Farhang Tabriz Persian // 558 kHz  
1152 kHz UAE Radio Ras al Kaimah Arabic  
1170 kHz IRIB 1 Persian // many \*\*)  
1188 kHz R. Payam Tehran Persian  
1197 kHz IRIB 1 Persian // many \*\*)  
1206.1 kHz Uid. Arabic  
1215 kHz IRIB 1 Persian // many \*\*)  
1242 kHz R. Sultanate of Oman Arabic // 576, 738 kHz  
1251 kHz IRIB 1 Persian // many \*\*)  
1269 kHz IRIB 1 Persian // many \*\*)  
1296 kHz IRIB 1 Persian // many \*\*)  
1314 kHz UAE Radio Dabiya Arabic  
1323 kHz BBC World Service Cyprus English // 1413 kHz  
1332 kHz R. Tehran Tehran Persian/Arabic not // 585 kHz  
1341 kHz Holy Quran, Kuwait Arabic // 630 kHz  
1359 kHz IRIB 1 Persian // many \*\*)  
1368 kHz IRIB 1 Persian // many \*\*)  
1413 kHz BBC World Service, Oman English // 1323 kHz  
1422 kHz IRIB 1 Persian // many \*\*)  
1431 kHz IRIB 1 Isfahan Persian // many \*\*)  
1440 kHz BSKSA Dammam Arabic not heard // 900 kHz

1467 kHz IRIB 1 Persian // many \*\*)  
 1485 kHz IRIB 1 Persian // many \*\*)  
 1494 kHz IRIB 1 Persian // many \*\*)  
 1503 kHz IRIB 1 Persian // many \*\*)  
 1548 kHz IRIB 1 Persian // many \*\*)  
 1548 kHz VoA, Kuwait English until 0300 UTC, then Persian  
 1566 kHz IRIB 1 Persian // many \*\*)  
 1575 kHz Kuwait Arabic  
 1584 kHz IRIB 1 Persian // many \*\*)  
 \*\*) Carrying the same programme at the time of monitoring.  
 \*\*\*) ID didn't sound like Radio Jordan, which is listed on 855 kHz, but not 882 kHz. Mostly heard here was a Koran-programme.

TEHERAN ONLY: 20th April 2001 during daytime (1245 UTC - 1715 local time):

Frequency	Station	Programme	Language	Signal etc.
558 kHz	Radio Farhang	talk	Persian	S4
585 kHz	Radio Quran	Quran	Persian/Arabic	S5 // 603 kHz
603 kHz	Radio Quran	Quran	Persian/Arabic	S2 // 585 kHz
900 kHz	IRIB 1	talk	Persian	S5
1188 kHz	Radio Payam	talk/music	Persian	S5
1332 kHz	Radio Tehran	talk/music	Persian	S3-4

Receiver: Sony ICF-2001D with built-in antenna.  
 Location: Hotel rooms in Tehran, Isfahan, Shiraz, Yazd and Kashan

This list is also available as a pdf-file on [www.ddxllk.net](http://www.ddxllk.net) (go to "Arkiv" and look for it).  
 Best 73's  
 Bjarke Vestesen  
 Odense, Denmark via HCDX

#### MALAYSIA

675 RTM Sabah national channel in Malay, Lahad Datu with reduced hours: 0230-1000. (Stn via OA)  
 828 RTM Sabah various languages channel (Siaran Berbagai Bahasa), Lahad Datu, reduced hours in English 0330-0730, Kadazan 0730-1000. No local programmes. (Desmond Kok, station via OA)

927 RTM Sabah, Tawau. The transmitter "is currently under repair" according to the station. Confirmed silent by Alan Davies and is unlikely to return as AM is being replaced by FM (OA)

1080 RTM Sabah, Sandakan. Transmissions on this channel have been off since 02 March 1996. (Amir Allam, Technical Assistant, RTM Sandakan via OA)

Technical information (not fully correct and abounding with typos) and pictures concerning RTM Sabah AM sites is available at <http://www.p.sabah.gov.my/rtm> (Alan Davies) MV Eko

#### PHILIPPINES

774 DXSM Jolo, Sulu noted 2 May with PBS/Radyo ng Bayan local programming, a frequency change from listed 1224. Well heard here when Sandakan 783 is off air. (Alan Davies, Sandakan)

The following stations listed in the official PHL web site were not heard despite local checks, Feb-Apr 2001: 846 Cebu, 1170 Manila, 1224 Davao, 1386 Manila, 1440 Cagayan de Oro (only listed with 10W, and there's a strong mixing product here), 1584 Cebu, 1602 Manila. (Alan Davies, 21.4.2001) MV Eko

#### RUSSIA

1287 Radio Radonezh via Novosibirsk This Moscow Orthodox radio station is now rebroadcast in Novosibirsk. Programmes go out every day at 1300-1600.

Igor Yaremenko via Klub DX via Eurolog Kamchatka fishermen's radio frequency reported | Text of report by Voice of Russia "DX Club" web site on 1 June Russia, Far East: The Kamchatka Rybatskaya [Fishermen's Kamchatka] radio station is broadcasting in Russian at 2300-2400 [gmt] on 5910, 7365 and 11980 kHz via a transmitter in Petropavlovsk-Kamchatskiy. Source: Voice of Russia web site, Moscow, in Russian 1 Jun 01 (via BBCM via DXLD)

#### TURKMENISTAN

Turkmen Radio seems to have rearranged its transmissions. Preliminary observations are that 4930 is on the air 0100-2100 and 5015 2100-1900. More observations are needed to

confirm the exact schedule. 4930 now opens with programs in Turkmen at 0100, no longer R Mayak. After the opening ceremony there is news in Turkmen at 0105. 4930 continues using USB+carrier. Currently the LW txer on 279 can only be heard briefly after 2200, and when heard has been \ 5015 as before (Olle Alm, Sweden, May 20, BC-DX via DXLD)

## VIETNAM

A research of press reports together with recent monitoring has revealed extensive details of the highpowered Vietnamese mediumwave transmitters that went on the air in the late '90s.

1) North Vietnam (Bac Bo area). The new station is located in the My Van district, Hung Yen province, to the immediate east of the Hanoi city province. The station uses the frequencies of 549 (VOV2) and 675 (VOV1) with a power of 700 kW (presumed to be the total for the two transmitters). The antenna height is 191 m. The transmitters were made by Nautel and delivered by Marconi. The station was expected to start transmissions by March 1997.

2) Central Vietnam (Trung Bo area): The new station is located in the Dong Hoi district, Quang Binh province. The station uses the frequencies of 630 (VOV1) and 729 (VOV2) with a power of 200 kW (presumed to be the total for the two transmitters). The station was inaugurated in June 1996.

3) South Vietnam (Nam Bo area): The new station is located at the Thoi Long hamlet, near O Mon town, some distance to the northwest of Can Tho city, Can Tho province. The station uses the frequencies of 711 (VOV1), 783 (VOV2), 873 (VOV3) and 1242 (VOV6). It was equipped with three transmitters of 500 kW each and two 1000 transmitters used in parallel to form one 2000 kW transmitter. It is presumed that 1242 is the home of the 2000 kW unit. The Thoi long transmitters were made by Harris. The antenna towers range from 90 to 135 m. The VOV3 programme aired on 873 is a special version for the Mekong delta area and includes newscasts in English, French and Russian as well as a minority language service in Southern Khmer. VOV6 is the external service. The station started transmissions on 10 July 1997.

Maps of the current division of Vietnam into provinces and districts are available at:  
<http://www.ambafrance-vn.org/accesdec/vn.htm> Olle Alm-SWE, Alan Davies-THA/MLA, ARC MV Eko

## OCEANIA

### AUSTRALIA

Addit freqs of Christion Vision via 250 kW tx in Darwin:

9725 2130-2200 En 290 deg

9865 2030-2100 En 290 deg

11840 2030-2200 En 340 deg

17850 2200-0100 En 340 deg

21550 2100-0700 En 340 deg

(Andrew Flynn, Head of Engineering, CVI; via R Bulgaria OBSERVER Ivo Ivanov and Angel Datzinov May 29) Topnews

RA via Darwin. The full schedule of RA txions from Cox Peninsula (Darwin)

commenced on Thur 17 May. (On Mon-Wed no English lang progr (ELP) txion

was bc at 2200-0000. Please note that the initially reported freq of 11880

has been changed for this period to 13620.)

2130-2330 9865 Indonesian Ce&WeINS

2200-0000 13620 ELP SoEaAS

0000-0030 21680 Indonesian Ce&WeINS

0000-0130 17775 ELP SoEaAS

0400-0430 21680 Indonesian Ce&WeINS

0500-0530 21680 Indonesian Ce&WeINS

(Roger Broadbent, RA via John A. Figliozzi, DXLD May 18 Topnews

### PAPUA NEW GUINEA.

The following stations were on the air this weekend:

2410 Radio Enga? Regularly heard past 12:00.

3204.97 Radio Sandaun. A real powerhouse signal. Gone by 1200, with OC at 1202.

3235 Radio West New Britain not on the air 26 May, but heard 27 May at 0910 with National news relay.

3305 Radio Western. Fair to good at 1003 with relay of national news, but just behind 4890.

3315 Radio Manus, Relays National program at 1202, with TC for "3 minutes past 10"

3325 Radio Bougainville, with appeal in

English at 0930 to be calm. Good reception. At 1104, announced the "Centenary Quiz 2001", with the grand prize a National Panasonic

cassette radio. Send your answers to POB 35 Buka, Bougainville Province. The first question: "Number 1 missionary, write them down name", etc.... Great programming to monitor!

3355 Radio Chimbu back again, with poor to fair reception at 0930. 26 May only. Nothing following morning.

3364.98 Radio Milne Bay with English announcements at 09:35. Fair reception.

3375 Radio Western Highlands, good to very good. At 09:35.

3905 Radio New Ireland with YL talking in Pidgin easily over a cochannel station at 0945.

4890 Port Moresby with usual superb signal with EZL music at 0950, and Radio National ID at that time (Walt Salmaniwi, Grayland WA DXpedition, May 26-27, DX LISTENING DIGEST)

I have noticed over the last week that R Vanuatu is using only 7260 and not 4960 local mornings and evenings. I can hear it s- on at 1900 (but having stiff competition from co-channel VoA) after playing Island mx for a few mins prior to the hour. It is very strong in our local evenings (better than 4960 is) until closing around 1115. It maybe a planned move, but I suspect otherwise! (Barry Hartley, New Zealand, May 4, BC-DX via DXLD)

#### Sources

Topnews by WWDXC Germany, DXLD DX-Listening Digest USA, MV Eko Arctic Radio Club Information Desk Sweden, Jembatan DX Japan, Eurolog Finland, CRW Clandestine Radio Watch, HCDX Hardcore DX USA

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#### VANUATU

\*\*\*\*\* **HOT NEWS: CA & SA!** \*\*\*\*\*

1390 uusi ylivoimainen brassidominantti on nykyään ZYJ--- Rádio Farol, Touros, RN joka kuului Porvoossa ensimmäistä kertaa 15.4. Aseman identiteetti varmistui Natalin agentin kautta. (JEÖ)

Tässä muutama havainto St. Lucian, Martiniquen, Dominican ja Barbadosin asemiin liittyen, perustuen paikan päällä kuunteluun ja/tai asemavierailuihin:

590 Dominica BC toimii tasakymppillä, ei 595:llä, kuten WRTH:n taajuusosio väittää.

660 Radio St Lucia lähettää nykyisin vain 2 kilowatin teholla entisen 15/25:n sijaan - ei ihme, ettei ole lokattu viimeaikoina.

740 Voice of Life Radio, Dominica äänessä ja vahva kuuluvuus Martiniquella.

790 Voice of Barbados yhä aktiivinen, vaikka puuttuukin Werhosta.

840 Radio Caribbean, St. Lucia on lopettanut keskiaalloilla vuonna 1999 (syynä kovat kustannukset), nyt ainoastaan FM:llä.

860 Voice of the Islands, Dominica ei ole äänessä.

900 Caribbean Broadcasting Corporation, Barbados kuului hyvin Martiniquella.

1090 Radio Caribbean/Radio Disco lähetti tässä 80-luvun lopulla Castriesin kautta, ei Martiniquen.

1310 RFO Martinique yhä äänessä (vaikka puuttuu Werhosta) ja omia ohjelmia Suomen aikaa pitkälle aamuun. (JMS)