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SKIP! It appears that E skip is back for the season and that most areas in North America have received at least one opening, although one can never have enough. As of this date I would consider it to be an "OK" season so far. Hopefully July will offer us some gangbuster openings with MUFs up into the weather band.

MEMBERS AND MORE. This month we welcome Les Rayburn into the WTFDA. After DXing just about everything else, Les is trying his hand at FM DXing now with a Sony XDR-F1HD and an attic antenna. We also say welcome back to Fred Newlin (NY) and Randy Zerr (FL). Renewals were received during the period from Richard Allen (OK), Larry Kenney (CA), Charles Burnham (NY), Jon Pearkings (AB), Larry Weisberg (MA), Jerry Bond (NY), Jay Novello (NC), Sheryl Paskiewicz (WI), Rod O'Connor (ME), Owen Wood (PA), James Montgomery (IN), Bill Draeb (WI) and Dennis Smith (CA). Glad to have all of you with us!

And now, a message from our new VUD editor and publisher, Ryan Grabow.

I originally joined in 1999 when I was a TV DXer in Patchogue, NY. I remember how excited I was to get my first VUD in the mail (when it was on analog "paper") and see the reports and screenshots of others around the country. If I could be remembered for anything it was creating the Logo Gallery on my website. This tool allowed DXers to see the logos of every channel 2, for instance, on a map of the US and quickly ID their e-skip catches.

The year before the digital transition I retired from DXing, but turns out I couldn't stay away. Two years ago I rejoined and began DXing the new digital TV signals, adding in FM DXing late last year. I'll be making a new database at egrabow.com for my loggings, and also editing my clips into YouTube videos.

It's an honor to serve my fellow DXers by publishing the VUD. Thanks to Mike Bugaj for the opportunity, and to the columnists for their hard work. I look forward to all the DXing history I'll help to chronicle.



And that's all for this month. See you all in August. -Mike



TV News

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Abbreviations:

AF	Applied For (a new station)	NW	New station on the air
Aux	Auxiliary (backup) transmitter	PA	Proposed Amendment
CC	Callsign change	PC	Power (and/or tower height) change on the air
CL	City-of-license change	PG	Power change granted
CX	Canceled	PR	Power change requested
DC	Converted to DTV	RA	Returns to the air
DCC	Digital Companion Channel	QC	Channel (?frequency??) change on the air
NS DCC	Granted flash-cut to DTV	QG	Channel change granted
DE	License/permit deleted	QR	Channel change requested
DR	Requests flash-cut to DTV	RE	Reinstated (previously-dismissed app.)
FC	Programming (?format??) change	ROA	Request of Applicant
FTP	Failure to Prosecute	SI	Off the air (?silent??)
GA	Granted amendment (to table of channel allotments)	STA	Special Temporary Authority
LC	License to Cover	XC	Transmitter site changed
MX	Mutually Exclusive	XG	Transmitter site change granted
NDA	Non-directional antenna	XR	Transmitter site change requested
NS	Permit granted for new station	lpdtv	Low Power Digital TV
DG	Granted conversion to DTV	DRT	Digital Replacement Translator

News:

(full-power analog stations in **bold face**; LPTV and translators in regular type; full-power analog stations in **bold italics**; low-power analog stations in regular italics)



Puerto Rico

Anasco	8	W08EJ	NW 144w, 18-18-57/ 67-10-54 (Alejandro Luciano)
Arroyo	32	W32DV	PR>15kw
Caguas	11	WLII-DT	NW 48kw/ 306m (aux)
Culebra	46	W46EO	PR>15kw
Fajardo	5	W05DA	NW 300w, 18-16-50/ 65-40-13 (Telecinco)
Guaynabo	8	W08EI	NW 300w, 18-16-32/ 66-05-41 (Alejandro Luciano)
Juana Diaz	45	W45DI	PR>15kw, 18-09-15/ 66-33-15
Ponce	5	W05DB	NW 300w, 17-58-52/ 66-36-49 (Telecinco)
San Lorenzo	29	W29EE	NW 15kw, 18-16-32/ 66-05-41 (Telecinco)
Santa Isabel	18	W18DQ	PR>15kw, 18-02-52/ 66-39-16
Toa Baja	25	W25EF	NW 15kw, 18-17-34/ 66-16-02 (TV Red de PR)
Utua	44	W44CV	PR>15kw
Vieques	34	W34DY	PR>15kw



USA



Alabama

Montgomery	4	W04DR	PG<40w, 32-28-13/ 86-24-03
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Alaska

Anchorage	2	KZVT-LD	QR from 51, 300w
Anchorage	45	K45HQ	DR 15kw



Arizona

Bullhead City	18	K18CB	DC
Flagstaff	14	K14KK	PR>630w
Flagstaff	19	K19IP	NW 1kw, 35-14-30/ 111-36-36 (Luke Skelton)
Lake Havasu City	15	K15CR	DC
Payson	38	K38LW	NW 1.51kw, 34-17-23/ 111-11-26 (Luke Skelton)
Phoenix	25	KTVP-LD	QR from 22
Prescott	14	K14HC	DC

**Arkansas**

Fort Smith 23, K23KT, PR<6kw; PG
40 K40LK
Hot Springs 14, KQPS-, PR<6kw, 34-25-26/ 93-
34, K34MO, 05-48
41 K41NH

**California**

Agoura Hills 3 KVTU-LP PR>470w, 34-17-29/ 118-
24-25 dismissed
Indio 11 KVER-LD AF 250w, 33-51-56/ 116-
25-58; DCC for analog 4
Lompoc 10 K10OG DR 3kw
Modesto 20 KEXT-CD AF 3.6kw, 37-29-59/ 121-
52-16; DCC for analog 27
Modesto 34 KACA-LP DC 10kw
Paso Robles 17 K17GD DR 15kw
San Francisco 3 K03HY PC>2.5kw

**Colorado**

Grand Junction 7 KJCT To go SI
Grand Junction 12 KKCO FC to ABC on 11.2

**Delaware**

Wyoming 24 W49EF QR from 49

**Florida**

Big Coppitt Key 5 WKWT-LD AF 18w, 24-35-55/ 81-39-
07; DCC for analog 42
Key West
Gainesville 17, W17DH, XR 29-25-05/ 82-32-57
24 W24DM
Sebastian 24 WDOX-LD PR>5kw, 27-07-19/ 80-
23-19
Tallahassee 38 WUFX-LD XG 30-29-16/ 84-16-48

**Georgia**

Albany 25 W25ED PR<6kw; PG; PC
Athens 22 W22DS PG>6kw
Atlanta 26 WLVO-LD PG>15kw, 33-48-26/ 84-
20-22; CL from Cumming
Dublin 21 W21DA PG<6kw
Gainesville 31 W48DR QR from 48
La Grange 26, W26DS, PR>15kw
42 W42DU

Macon 31 WDMA-CA DC 15kw, 32-50-28/ 83-
40-18

**Idaho**

Boise 25 KFLL-LD PR>5kw, 43-45-21/ 116-
05-57
Boise 27 K27KI XR 43-50-44/ 116-45-24
Bonners Ferry 9 K09ZC NW 60w, 48-36-37/ 116-
15-24 (Boundary Co. TV
Xltr. Dist.)
Bonners Ferry 25 K25MP NW 400w, 48-36-37/ 116-
15-24 (KSKN)
Coeur d'Alene 38 KMNZ-LP CX
Lewiston 27 KIDQ-LP DR 3.1kw; CL from
Clarkston, Wash.

**Illinois**

Mount Vernon 42, W42EM, PG<6kw
48 W48EH

**Indiana**

Evansville 19 W19DL PR<6kw; PG
Evansville 33 W33CU PR>5kw
Fort Wayne 20 W20DG PR<6kw; PG
Fort Wayne 29, W29DX, PR<6kw; PG
41 W41DS

South Bend 48 WHME-TV QG back from 46; see
text

**Kansas**

Chanute 39, K39HI, KJCA-CX
40 LP
Dodge City 50 K50HS CX
Lawrence 14 KUJH-LP CX
Liberal 41 KLKT-LP CX
Manhattan 35 K38GZ CX
Parsons 33 K33HW CX
Salina 41 KSKV-LP CX
Wichita 40 KFVT-LP DR 15kw, 37-41-13/ 97-
20-23

**Kentucky**

Bowling Green 14 W14DG PR>7kw, 37-09-19/ 86-
19-33 but dismissed
Bowling Green 35 WCTZ-LD XR 37-09-19/ 86-19-33

**Louisiana**

Columbia 11 KAQY SI
 Lafayette 18, K18JF, PR<6kw; PG
 43 K43MS
 Monroe 8 KNOE-TV FC to ABC on 8.2

**Michigan**

Sterling 18, WURO-LD, PR>15kw, 44-17-58/ 84-
 20 WUWB-LD 07-44

**Minnesota**

Rochester 15 K15JM XR 44-05-33/ 103-14-55
 Saint Cloud 38 K38OH PR>8kw

**Mississippi**

Lumberton 33 W33DT PG>6kw

**Montana**

Great Falls 25, K25LM, NW 300w, 47-27-52/ 111-
 35 K35KC 21-18 (EICB-TV East)

**Nebraska**

Gothenburg 45 K45II CX
 Grand Island 11 KGIN FC to NBC on 11.2 //
 KSNB

Hastings 5 KHAS-TV SI
 Lincoln 10 KOLN FC to NBC on 10.2 //
 KSNB

Lincoln 14, K14NW, PR<6kw; PG
 24, K24JK,
 25, K25LK,
 31, K31LI, KAJS-
 32, LD, KQLD-LD
 34, K40LJ, K41IP
 40,
 41

Norfolk 46 KAZJ-LP CX
 South Sioux City 5 KSXC-LD DG 1.34kw, 42-29-06/ 96-
 18-19

South Sioux City 23 KAZS-LP CX
 Superior 4 KSNB FC to NBC on 4.1

**Nevada**

Elko 31 K31LB DR
 Elko 50 K50CA DR 500w
 Las Vegas 35 KVTE-LP DC 10kw, 36-09-35/ 115-
 13-02
 Verdi 33 K33ER DR 316w; supercedes
 previous permit to flash
 cut at 361 watts

**New Mexico**

Albuquerque 15 KTEL-LD AF 15kw; DCC for analog
 47
 Dora 24 K24DU CX
 Quemado 2 K15FS CX
 San Jon 26 K26DR CX
 Santa Fe 16 NEW-lpdtv AF 15kw; DCC for K46GY
 Santa Fe 47 K47MQ NW 2.11kw, 36-05-21/
 106-01-41 (Ramar)

**New York**

Buffalo 17 WBXZ-LP DC from 56, 15kw
 New York 11 WPIX NW 30kw/ 213m, 40-48-
 08/ 74-14-48 (aux)
 Port Jervis 49 W49DK PR<70w, 41-10-23/ 74-
 57-32; PG
 Rochester 16 WXXI-TV PG>236kw/ 151m; PC

**North Carolina**

Bat Cave 28 NEW-lpdtv AF 100w; DCC for
 W06AQ
 Bryson City 30 NEW-lpdtv AF 100w; DCC for
 W08AN
 Rocky Mount 30 WHIG-CD DR from 33, 15kw, 35-54-
 05/ 77-46-50
 Wilmington 36 W36DY PR<6kw; PG

**North Dakota**

Bismarck 31 KFYZ-TV FC to Fox on 5.2
 Bismarck 26 KNDX SI
 Dickinson 7 KQCD FC to Fox on 7.2
 Fargo 44 KVLV-TV FC to CBS on 11.2
 Minot 10 KMOT FC to Fox on 10.2
 Minot 24 KXND SI
 Valley City 38 KXJB-TV SI
 Williston 8 KUMV FC to Fox on 8.2

**Ohio**

Cleveland 6 WLFM-LP DG

**Oklahoma**

Balko 25 K25EG CX
 Elk City 2 KOKJ-LP CX
 Enid 42, K42LL, PR<4kw, 36-19-39/ 97-
 48 KUOC-LD 52-50
 Glencoe 50 KOKQ-LP CX
 Lawton 11 K11VJ CX
 May 18 K18BV CX
 Miami 48 KELF-LP CX
Oklahoma City 23 KSBI QC from 51, 331m
 Stillwater 7, 19 KOKM-LP CX
 KOKG-LP
 Tahlequah 4 K04DY CX
 Weatherford 19 K23IY QR from 23, bumped by
 KSBI's move from 51 to
 23

**Oregon**

La Pine 4 K04BJ PG<23w, 43-40-20/ 121-
 30-23
 La Pine 9 K09YE PG<150w, 43-40-20/ 121-
 30-23

**Pennsylvania**Milford 25 W43CN QR from 43, 6kw, 41-00-
 35/ 74-35-39; CL from
 Port Jervis, NY**South Carolina**

Florence 35 WUCV-LD PR>15kw
 Florence 44 W44CU PR>10kw
 Myrtle Beach 14, W14DJ, XR 33-35-28/ 79-02-54
 26 W26DT
 Myrtle Beach 39 W39CY PR>15kw

**South Dakota**

Pine Ridge 10 K10PS XR 43-00-05/ 102-32-34
 Rapid City 18, K18IW, XR 43-45-05/ 96-53-22
 31, K31KU,
 32 K32JG

**Tennessee**Nashville 42 WLLC-LP DC 14.9kw, 36-09-49/ 86-
 46-45**Texas**

Abilene 31 KLMH-LP CX
 Amarillo 30, KAMM-LP, CX
 39 K39HF
 Beaumont 9, 39 KEBQ-LP, CX
 K39HG
 Brady 2, 4 K02GM, CX
 K04GI
 Clear Lake 5, 25 KJIB-LP, CX
 KVDO-LP
 College Station 49 K49LC XR 30-41-07/ 96-14-57
 Corpus Christi 41 KCRP-CA DR 15kw
 Falfurrias 7 K07TS CX
 Kerrville 15 KVHC-LP CX
 Lufkin 20, KAKH-LD, PR>15kw
 33 K33KO
 Midland 41 KQBN-LP CX
 Mineral Wells 26 K26KC PC<3.75kw, 32-44-21/
 97-47-59
 Odessa 6 K06QA CX
 San Antonio 25 KEVI-LP CX
 San Antonio 25 KISA-LD QR from 40
 Sherman 34 KADY-LP CX
 Stephenville 27 K27LU NW 15kw, 32-16-09/ 98-
 18-51 (Uplifting Media of
 Stephenville)
 Tuscola 36 K36HF CX
 Tyler 20 K20DL CX
 Uvalde 6 K06PB CX
 Victoria 47, KXVT-LP, CX
 49, K49IE, KTJA-
 51 LP
 Wichita Falls 51 KAWF-LP CX

**Utah**

Delta 29, K29FQ, CX
 49 K49HA
 Fillmore 32, K32GE, CX
 36, K36FY,
 38, K38GT,
 40, K40GD,
 42, K42DR,
 50 K50DE
 Garrison 7, K07OH, CX
 9, K09NB,
 11, K11NP,
 13, K13OJ,
 42, K42FU,
 44, K44GP,
 46, K46GG,
 48, K48FH,
 50 K50FC
 Leamington 8, K08MC, CX
 12, K12OO,
 38, K38HK,
 42, K42FR,
 44, K44FB,

Leamington (cont.)	46, K46DK, 48, K48FY, 50 K50DJ	CX
Logan	50 K50LW	PR<500w, 41-47-14/ 111-50-00
Mountain View	25 K25EE	CX
Navajo Mountain	11, K11TF, 13 K13WH	CX
Navajo Mountain School	2, 4, K02PX, 6, 7, K04PP, 9 K06NR, K07XU, K09XX	CX
Oljeto	2, 4, K02PV, 5, 6, K04OZ, 7, K05LF, 11, K06NM, 13 KI07XO, K11US, K13XP	CX
Salt Lake City	20 KTMW	PC<55.3kw
Scipio	6, 8, K06DH, 10, K08DP, 12, K10EB, 39, K12DH, 43, K39EH, 45 K43JN, K45EL	CX



Virginia

Dale City	23 WDW-LP	DC 15kw, 38-47-16/ 77-19-47; CL from Clarks Corner
Harrisonburg	24 WAZH-CA	PR<2.9kw, 38-48-14/ 78-41-20



Washington

Ellensburg	7 K07ZC	XG 47-16-27/ 120-24-18
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West Virginia

Clarksburg	16 WUSV-LD	PG<270w
Parkersburg	8, W08EK, 16, W16CV, 24 W24DS	NW 50w, 39-23-04/ 81-26-45 (EICB-TV East)
Summersville	16 WZTS-LD	NW 500w, 38-21-34/ 80-38-51 (TTV)



Wyoming

Bigelow Bench/ Beach	38, K38BZ, 40 K40BX	CX
Casper	49 K49LJ	NW 500w, 42-44-26/ 106-21-37 (EICB-TV East)
McKinnon	27, K27DZ, 29 K29CR	CX
Rawlins	15 K51IZ	QR from 51

The FCC has announced extra scrutiny will be paid to "shared services" deals. In these arrangements, a company that cannot legally *buy* a station (because it already owns too many in the same market) instead agrees to *operate* it on behalf of another company that can own it.

The Commission isn't saying it *won't* approve these deals, but they will take longer and *may* not be approved.

Hoak Media had an agreement to sell five TV stations in Colorado, Louisiana, Nebraska, and North Dakota. The stations would be operated by Gray TV, but owned by a third party.

Gray can't own the stations outright because it already owns stations in the markets in question.

The extra scrutiny put the deals on hold. It appears the third party doesn't feel it can afford to operate the stations as standalone operations. Three of the five stations have left the air; three more will go dark once programming contracts can be closed out. The disappearing stations' programming will shift to subchannels of Gray's existing TV stations in those markets.

The stations that are already off are KNDX-26 Bismarck (RF-26); KXND-24 Minot (RF-24); and KHAS-5 Hastings, Nebraska. (RF-5) The North Dakota stations' Fox affiliations have shifted to .2 subchannels on KFYZ-5 Bismarck (RF-31) and KMOT-10 Minot. (RF-10) KHAS's NBC affiliation has shifted to the .1 subchannel of KSNB-4 Superior. (RF-4)

The three stations that haven't gone dark yet are KXJB-4 Valley City, North Dakota (Fargo; RF-38); KJCT-8 Grand Junction, Colorado (RF-7); and KAQY-11 Columbia, Louisiana. (Monroe; RF-11) KXJB's CBS affiliation goes to KVLV 11.2 (RF-44); KJCT's ABC goes to KKCO's 11.2 (RF-12); and KAQY's ABC goes to KNOE's 8.2. (RF-8)

The KHAS, KNDX, and KXND licenses are still valid. What I suspect is going on...

Gray will attempt to sell the licenses to a third party which would be expected to operate them as standalone facilities. After a few months without offers, they'll be able to show nobody is interested. The FCC will be presented with a choice: approve the shared-services agreement, or when the one-year limit on off-air periods expires, these six stations go away.

The FCC has shown a desire to clear out spectrum for sale to wireless operators in the incentive auction. I don't see these licenses providing much value to that process.

KHAS' low-VHF channel is of no interest to anyone except TV broadcasters. (I don't even think hams would be interested in spectrum that could be used only in central Nebraska)

KNDX and KXND have prime UHF channels. But they're in central North Dakota, an area where the spectrum shortage really doesn't apply.

The remaining stations are on high-VHF in small markets. Again there is no shortage of spectrum in these areas.

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INDEX OF ABBREVIATIONS USED IN FM NEWS

APP: application	\$: Stereo
APP Mod: Change to an already submitted application	STA: Special Temporary Authorization
Class: FM license class	XL: Transmitter Location change to
CoL: City-of-License	> : change to [in formats]
CP: construction permit (authority to broadcast with facilities noted)	< : an increase to [in technical data]
CP Mod: change to an already granted CP	> : a decrease to [in technical data]
DA: directional antenna	[]: Calls in brackets signifies assumed or applied-for status
FF: French language	Note: antenna heights are HAAT except where noted

CANADA



— CALL LETTER ACTIONS —

		<u>Old Call</u>	<u>New Call</u>
BC Vancouver	104.3	CHHR-FM	CHLG-FM
NS Hubbards	88.7	CP	CKVE-FM
NS Lower Sackville	** (88.7)	CP	CIOE-FM
ON French River	102.7	CP	CKUC-FM
ON Tillsonburg	88.7	CP	CBCL-FM1
QC Montreal	102.9	CP	CILO-FM

— FORMAT and SLOGAN CHANGES —

BC Courtenay	98.9	CFCP-FM	Slogan change: <i>The Goat</i> , as they remain Active Rock
BC Nelson	103.5	CHNV-FM	> Variety Hits: <i>Juice FM</i> [includes CHNV-FM1 91.9 Crawford Bay]
BC Prince George	94.3	CIRX-FM	Slogan change: <i>The Goat</i> , as they remain Active Rock [includes CIRX-FM1 95.9 Vanderhoof & CIRX-FM2 94.7 Fort St. James]
BC Williams Lake	97.5	CFFM-FM	> Active Rock: <i>The Goat</i> [includes CFFM-FM1 99.7 100 Mile House and CFFM-FM2 94.9 Quesnel]
ON Haldimand County	92.9	CKJN-FM	> Country: <i>Country 92.9</i>
ON Huntsville	105.5	CFBK-FM	> Active Rock: remains <i>Moose FM</i>
MB Steinbach	107.7	CJXR-FM	Slogan for new station: <i>Country 107.7</i>



— TECHNICAL CHANGES —

GRANTS FOR NEW STATIONS

CP granted for:

NS Lower Sackville	** (88.7)	CIOE-FM	[would be a Community/Variety station; Cobequid Radio Society] ** - must submit alternate frequency and technical details within 90 days as applied-for frequency of 88.7 is not available
ON Deep River	97.9	CBLI-FM	50 W/10 m, 46-05-20/77-29-08; Class LP; Mono [will be English-language community station and replace CBLI-1110 Deep River]
ON Ignace	97.5	CKDR-FM1	50 W/13 m, 49-24-09/91-39-55; Class LP; Mono [will be English-language Community station and replace CKDR-1 1340 Ignace]
QC Kanesatake	101.7	CP	27 W/29 m, 45-29-23/74-06-44; Class LP; \$ [will be English- and Mohawk-language, Native programming; music programming performed or composed by Aboriginal artists, including Mohawk emerging artists from the community]
QC Riviere-Au-Renard	106.7	CHGM-FM1	520-V/195 m DA, 48-59-52/64-25-52; Class A; \$
QC Sherbrooke	89.7	CBM-FM1	16.9 kW/180 m, 45-23-48/71-49-52; Class B; \$ [will relay CBM-FM 93.5 Montreal]

GRANTS TO EXISTING STATIONS

CP granted for:

ON Thunder Bay	95.1	CJOA-FM	< 250 W-V/> 25 m, 48-26-32/89-14-26; (to) Class A1; (to) \$ [see related item in <i>OTHERNEWS</i>]
ON Windsor	97.5	CBEW-FM	< 19 kW/<130 m DA, XL to 42-09-12/82-57-11; Class B; Mono
QC Gaspé	99.3	CHGM-FM	< 2.54 kW-V/< 76 m (to) non-DA, 48-50-15/64-29-31; Class A; \$
QC Shawinigan	92.9	CFUT-FM	< 3.9 kW (adds H)/< 124 m DA, XL to 46-36-03/72-43-30; (to) Class A; \$ [frequency change from 91.1]



APPLICATIONS FROM EXISTING/PROPOSED FACILITIES

Applies for:

ON Fort Erie	101.1	CFLZ-FM	Applies to remove the condition of their license regarding soliciting of local advertising when less than one-third of the programming is locally-produced
ON Timmins	105.5	APP	800 W/61 m, 48-28-33/81-18-47; Class A; \$ [would relay CJTK-FM Sudbury]
QC Saguenay	98.3	CKRS-FM	Applies to remove specialty FM license requirements and to change format to Hot AC from Talk/Classic Rock

APPLICATIONS FOR NEW FACILITIES

Applies for:

ON	Maynooth	94.7	CKJJ-FM1	50 W/45 m, 45-13-37/77-52-29; Class LP; Mono; will be Specialty FM/Christian and // CKJJ-FM 102.3 Belleville [United Christian Broadcasters]
QC	Matapedia	101.7	CBGA-FM21	268 W/(-) 38 m, 48-58-18/66-57-49; Class A; Mono [would be <i>ici</i> Radio-Canada Première Chaîne // CBGA-FM 102.1 Matane]

DENIALS AND DISMISSALS

ON	North Bay	100.5	CHUR-FM	Denied an application to add a condition of license which would have permitted a limited amount of French-language advertising
ON	Timmins	92.1	CJQQ-FM	Denied an application to add a condition of license which would have permitted a limited amount of French-language advertising
ON	Timmins	99.3	CKGB-FM	Denied an application to add a condition of license which would have permitted a limited amount of French-language advertising

— OTHERNEWS —

AB	Edmonton	94.9	CKUA-FM	The CRTC has approved the station's request to eliminate the requirement to broadcast at least 6.5 hours per week of formal educational programming [includes origination station and their 15 relay stations]
ON	St. Catharines	101.1	CFLZ-FM1	License surrendered; call deleted for this repeater of CFLZ-FM 101.1 Fort Erie
ON	Thunder Bay	95.1	CJOA-FM	The CRTC has approved United Christian Broadcasters Canada's (UCBC) application to acquire the assets of CJOA-FM from Thunder Bay Christian Radio and for a new broadcasting licence to continue the operation of the station. Also approved is UCBC's request to delete conditions of licence requiring that all of CJOA-FM's programming be locally produced and that the station not broadcast any commercial messages; and their application to change the station's licence class from low-power unprotected LP to A1 protected.

UNITED STATES AND TERRITORIES



— CALL LETTER ACTIONS —

FULL POWER STATIONS

		<u>Old Call</u>	<u>New Call</u>			<u>Old Call</u>	<u>New Call</u>
FL	Spring Hill	106.3	WJQB	IN	Huntington	102.9	WGL-FM
GA	Reynolds	96.9	CP	MA	Edgartown	88.7	WMEX
IL	Arlington Heights	92.7	WCPT-FM	MI	Ishpeming	107.7	WMQT-FM
IL	DeKalb	92.5	WCPY	MO	Gideon	103.9	KGLU
IN	Alexandria	96.7	WMQX	MT	Montana City	98.5	KOYT
IN	Churubusco	96.3	WNHT	NY	Keeseville	104.3	WMVY
IN	Fort Wayne	103.9	WXKE	SD	Blunt	104.5	CP
IN	Goshen	97.7	WZOW	VT	Hartford	104.3	WMVY
							WECM

LPFM STATIONS

		<u>Old Call</u>	<u>New Call</u>			<u>Old Call</u>	<u>New Call</u>
AL	Florence	107.9	CP	KY	Renfro Valley	94.9	CP
AZ	Gold Canyon	99.3	CP	KY	Louisville	92.5	CP
AZ	Marana	106.9	CP	ME	Fort Kent	97.5	WFKP-LP
CA	Rosamond *	92.7	CP	MI	Quinesec	88.7	NEW
CT	Avon	106.3	CP	MO	Saint Joseph	99.3	CP
FL	Gainesville	103.3	CP	NH	Rochester	105.9	WMVI-LP
FL	Jacksonville	94.7	CP	OH	Akron	96.9	CP
FL	Panama City	103.9	CP	OH	Canton	102.5	CP
FL	Port Charlotte	97.3	CP	OH	Cuyahoga Falls	96.1	CP
GA	Hinesville	94.9	CP	OH	Wadsworth	97.1	CP
GA	Suwanee	94.5	CP	OK	Tulsa	98.1	CP
HI	Kailua-Kona	100.9	CP	OR	Brookings	100.7	CP
IA	Oskaloosa	95.7	CP	SC	Piedmont	107.9	CP
IL	DeKalb	92.5	WCPY	TX	Lubbock	99.1	CP
IN	Elkhart	104.3	CP	WA	Mukilteo	100.3	CP
IN	Terre Haute	97.3	WEVX-LP	WA	Yakima	107.9	CP
KS	Abilene	106.5	CP	WV	Ravenswood	92.5	WTHM-LP
							WTYH-LP

* Correction from last Issue

TRANSLATOR and BOOSTER STATIONS

		<u>Old Call</u>	<u>New Call</u>			<u>Old Call</u>	<u>New Call</u>
AL	Gadsden	97.5	W249CP	KY	Bowling Green	97.5	W249CS
AL	Huntsville	90.5	W209BL	MN	Moose Lake	106.5	W291AQ
AR	Searcy	106.5	K291BM	MO	Unionville	99.7	K262BU
CA	Halloran Springs	91.3	K214EY	MT	Boulder	97.5	K247BV
CA	Lagunitas	92.3	K224EC	MT	Lincoln	107.3	APP
CA	San Luis Obispo	92.1	K209CE	NE	Hemingford	91.7	K222BZ
CA	Twentynine Palms	89.3	K214CR	NJ	Washington	98.7	CP
CA	Willow Creek	99.9	K259AL	NM	Las Vegas	89.3	K208DL
GA	Buford	92.5	W248AG	NM	Truth or Consequence	101.9	K216CK
ID	Bellevue	100.3	K207BD	NY	Fairport	105.5	W286AE
ID	Kamiah	103.7	K215AB	NC	Cashiers	100.3	W288CR
IL	Mattoon	106.3	W291BO	NC	Rose Hill	96.7	W243CX
IL	Neoga	99.5	W288CH	OH	Cambridge	94.3	W233AL
IN	Bloomington	96.1	W240AT	OR	Myrtle Creek	97.3	K244CF
			W241CD				K247CE

PA	Scranton	104.5	W282BJ	W283BE	UT	Heber City	92.3	K284AJ	K222CM
PR	San Juan	101.5	W267BL	W268BK	WA	Gig Harbor	105.7	K229BL	K289BZ
SC	Greenville	102.9	W277BX	W275BJ	WA	Richland	106.9	K213DP	K295CJ
SD	Yankton	90.7	K216EY	K214FC	WI	Alma	99.7	W206BA	W259CG
TX	Cleburne	95.3	CP	K237FY	WI	Marshfield	95.1	W290AZ	W236CO
TX	Memphis	91.5	K220JZ	K218FI	WI	Tomahawk	100.7	W265BF	W264CH

— FORMAT AND SLOGAN CHANGES —
Full Power and LP Facilities

AZ	Phoenix	96.9	KMXP	Changes slogan to <i>Today's Best Music Mix 96.9</i>	
AZ	Phoenix	102.5	KNIX-FM	Changes slogan to <i>Best New Country In Phoenix 102.5 KNIX</i>	
CA	Cambria	103.5	KTEA	> Oldies: <i>Oldies 103.5</i>	
CA	Cambria	105.3	KCJZ	Signs on with Adult Hits: <i>Bob FM 105.3</i>	
CA	King City	102.1	KRKC-FM	Changes slogan to: <i>KC 102</i>	
FL	Fernandina Beach	105.3	WJSJ	> CHR: <i>Coast 105.3</i>	
FL	LaCrosse	99.5	WBXY	> Adult Standards: <i>Gold 99 FM</i> [Westwood One - Adult Standards]	
FL	Sebring	105.7	WWLL	Adds network: <i>Westwood One - Adult Contemporary</i>	
FL	Sun City Center	96.3	WSCQ-LP	Signs on with a Variety format	
GA	Demorest	98.7	WPCZ-LP	Signs on with Adult Alternative	
HI	Wailuku	91.7	KMNO	Returns to the air with Ethnic: <i>Mana'o Radio</i>	
ID	Caldwell	89.5	KTSY	Changes slogan to: <i>89.5 KTSY</i>	
ID	Middleton	88.7	KOAY	Changes slogan to: <i>89.5 KTSY</i>	
IL	DeKalb	92.7	WCPT-FM	> Ethnic: <i>Polski FM</i>	
IL	Fairfield	104.9	WFIW-FM	> Classic Hits	
IL	Fairfield	105.9	WOKZ	> Classic Country: <i>Real Country 105.9 WOKZ</i> [Cumulus - Real Country]	
IL	Freeport	106.9	WHRD	Signs on with <i>Religious Teaching</i> [Moody Broadcasting Network]	
IL	Park Forest	99.9	WCPQ	> Ethnic: <i>Polski FM</i>	
IN	Alexandria	96.7	WBKQ	> Country: <i>96.7 Blake FM</i>	
IN	Bicknell	105.7	WUZR	Changes slogan to <i>Hot Country 105.7</i>	
IN	Churubusco	96.3	WNHT	> Classic Rock: <i>96.3 XKE</i> [See 'News Item' below for Ralph Strobel's report on the switch in the Fort Wayne area switches this month]	
IN	Columbia City	106.3	WHPP	> Religion: <i>Catholic Redeemer Radio</i>	
IN	Fort Wayne	103.9	WWFW	> new, undetermined format	
IN	Hartford City	93.5	WMXQ	Changes slogan to: <i>Max 93.5</i>	
IN	Huntington	102.9	WGL-FM	> Religious Teaching: <i>Truth Heard In Black & White - Without Compromise</i> [Calvary Radio Network]	
IN	Indianapolis	103.3	WRZX	Changes slogan to: <i>Alt 103.3</i>	
IN	Ligonier	102.7	WLEG	Changes network to: <i>ESPN Radio Network</i> and slogan to <i>102.7 ESPN Warsaw</i>	
IN	Mt. Vernon	106.7	WYFX	> News/Talk: <i>News Talk Sports 106.7 WYFX</i>	
IN	Rockville	104.9	WAXI	Changes network to <i>Westwood One - Good Time Oldies</i>	
IN	Warsaw	107.3	WRSW-FM	> Sports [ESPN]	
IN	Washington	107.9	WAMW-FM	Changes slogan to <i>Classic Hits, Memories 107.9</i> ; and network to <i>Westwood One - Classic Hits</i>	
IA	Bettendorf	93.5	KQCS	> Sports: <i>ESPN 1170 // KJOC-1170 Davenport</i>	
IA	Denison	107.1	KDSN-FM	Changes slogan to: <i>KDSN, Leading West Central Iowa</i>	
IA	Fort Dodge	88.7	KWOP	Returns to the air with Southern Gospel: <i>Old Paths Radio</i> [Old Paths Radio Network]	
KY	Louisville	100.5	WLGX	> Hot AC: <i>My 100.5 GenX Radio</i>	
KY	Louisville	103.9	WRKA	> Country: <i>103.9 The Hawk</i>	
KY	Madisonville	106.9	WTTL-FM	Changes slogan to: <i>FM 106.9 WTTL</i>	
KY	Manchester	105.7	WTBK	> Country: <i>K 105.7</i>	
MA	Athol	99.9	WFNX	> Adult Hits: <i>99.9 FM</i>	
MA	Lynn	101.7	WEDX	> Country: <i>101.7 The Bull</i>	
MI	Bedford	89.7	WSPB	Returns to the air with Religious Teaching: <i>Holy Family Radio</i> [Eternal Word Network]	
MI	Ovid	91.3	WOES	Adds slogan: <i>The Polka Palace</i>	
MS	Redwood	105.5	WVBG-FM	> Classic Hits: <i>V 105 Classic Hits</i>	
MO	Cape Girardeau	102.9	KEZS-FM	Adds network: <i>Cumulus - Today's Best Country</i>	
MO	Owensville	95.3	KXMO-FM	Adds network: <i>Westwood One - Good Time Oldies</i>	
MO	Wheatland	102.3	KIXK	Returns to the air with undetermined format	
MT	Helena	99.5	KBLL-FM	Remains Country, with new slogan: <i>99.5 The Bull</i>	
MT	Montana City	98.5	KHGC	> Classic Country: <i>Helena's Gold Country</i>	
NE	McCook	102.1	KZMC	> Classic Country: <i>True Country 102.1 KZMC</i>	
NE	Sargent	92.3	KBRY	Signs on with Country: <i>K-Bear Country 92.3</i> [KBRY is essentially a new station, although it previously was a 110-Watt Christian station (KHZZ on 92.1) prior to its sale to the new owner]	
NM	Albuquerque	92.3	KRST	Changes slogan to: <i>NASH-FM 92.3</i>	
NM	Grants	96.7	KMYN	Signs on with Country: <i>K-Mine Country</i>	
NY	Binghamton	94.3	WLRP-LP	Returns to the air with Religious Teaching	
NY	Hancock	107.1	WQFM	Adds network: <i>Westwood One - Classic Rock</i>	
NY	Webster	88.1	WKEL	Returns to the air with Contemporary Christian: <i>K-Love</i>	
OH	Hicksville	106.7	WFGA	Remains Sports, but changes networks to <i>ESPN</i>	
OH	Ironton	107.1	WLRX	> Classic Country: <i>107.1 The Bear</i>	
OH	McConnelsville	100.9	WJAW-FM	Changes slogan to: <i>The Mid-Ohio Valley's ESPN Radio</i>	
OH	Marion	107.1	WWGH-LP	Signs on with <i>Variety</i>	
OR	Baker City	91.9	KESY	Changes slogan to: <i>89.5 KTSY</i>	
OR	Grants Pass	107.9	KJCR-LP	Returns to the air with Religious Teaching	
OR	Monmouth	95.1	KSND	> Regional Mexican: <i>La Gran D 95.1</i>	
PA	Boyetown	107.5	WBYN-FM	Changes slogan to: <i>Positively Different 107.5 Alive.fm</i>	
PA	Kane	101.7	WXZY-LP	Signs on with a <i>Variety</i> format	
PA	Pocono Pines	105.9	WPZX	Adds network: <i>Westwood One - Classic Rock</i>	
PA	Scranton	106.9	WEZX	Adds network: <i>Westwood One - Classic Rock</i>	
SC	Surfside Beach	103.1	WSYN	> Classic Hits	
SD	Blunt	104.5	KCCR-FM	Signs on with (1990s - 2000s) Rock: <i>Capital City Rock</i>	
TX	Hondo	89.9	KZIC	Returns to the air with Spanish: <i>Radio Poderosa 89.9</i>	
TX	Karnes City	103.1	KHHL	> CHR	
UT	Ballard	95.5	KFMR	Returns to the air with an undetermined format	
UT	Coalville	103.1	KSQN	> Adult Contemporary: <i>Sunny 103</i>	
VA	Big Island	103.9	WHTU	> Oldies: <i>Good Time Oldies 103.9</i> [Westwood One- Good Time Oldies]	
VA	Lynchburg	105.9	WLNI	Adds slogan: <i>Lynchburg News and Information</i>	

WA Wenatchee	102.9	KEFA-LP	Signs on with Religious Teaching
WV Buckhannon	93.5	WBTQ	> News/Talk
WI Tomahawk	91.3	WGBT	Signs on with Religious Teaching [Radio 74 Internationale]
WY Riverton	93.1	KFCW	> Rock

Translators

IN Connerville	106.9	W295BT	> Classic Hits: <i>K-Mix 106.9</i>		
MA Hyannis	100.5	W264BA	> Soft AC: <i>Koffee 98.7</i>		
MN Pine City	94.1	K231AT	> MPR's <i>The Current</i> network		
MN Shoreview	93.3	W227BF	> Alternative: <i>Alt 93.3</i>		
MT Helena	104.5	K283BP	> Classic Country: <i>Mo' Legends 104.5</i>		
NE Columbus	99.3	K257FK	Signs on with Christian: <i>Spirit Catholic Radio</i> [relays KVSS 102.7 Papillion]		
NY Greece	95.7	W239BF	> Sports: <i>ESPN 950 // WROC-950 Rochester</i>		
ND Jamestown	97.1	K246AM	> Sports: <i>Dakota ESPN Radio</i>		
SC Greenville	105.9	W290BW	> Sports: <i>ESPN Upstate // WYRD-1330 Greenville</i>		
SC Spartanburg	97.1	W246BU	> Sports: <i>ESPN Upstate // WORD-950 Spartanburg</i>		

— FM and AM SIMULCASTS —

Simulcasts:

CA Monterey	106.7	K294CA	KNRY-1240 Monterey with Jazz	
CA Palm Springs	107.3	K297BP	KWXY-1340 Cathedral City	
IN Columbia City	106.3	WHPP	WYLV-1450 Fort Wayne	
IN Connerville	106.9	W295BT	WLPK-1580 Connerville	
IA Bettendorf	93.5	KQCS	KJOC-1170 Davenport	
IA Denison	107.1	KDSN-FM	KDSN-1530 Denison	
IA Washington	106.1	KCII-FM	KCII-1380 Washington	
ND Jamestown	97.1	K246AM	KQDJ-1400 Jamestown with Sports	
SC Greenville	105.9	W290BW	WYRD-1330 Greenville [and // WORD-950 Spartanburg]	
SC Spartanburg	97.1	W246BU	WORD-950 Spartanburg [and // WYRD-1330 Greenville]	

— NEW TRANSLATOR STATION AFFILIATIONS —

			Power (Watts)	Will Relay [*]:
AL				
AZ Benson	104.1	K281CC	50	KRMB 90.1 Bisbee, which relays KNOG 91.7 Nogalez, Arizona
NJ Washington	98.7	W254CM	30-H DA (252°)	WZZO 95.1 Bethlehem, Pennsylvania



The 'mother' stations noted here are taken from the applications on file at the FCC. If there any deviations from what are listed, please contact us and we'll post an update / correction. Thanks.

Note: Unless otherwise noted, the number after DA (Directional Antenna) is the direction(s) in which the ERP is at its maximum

— APPLICATIONS FOR NEW TRANSLATOR STATIONS —

			Power (Watts)	Applicant:
WA Seattle	107.3	CP	9.2W / 96 m	Fulcrum Community Communications

— NEW LPFM STATION GRANTS —

			Power (Watts)/Ant Ht	Licensee:
AZ Phoenix	107.5	CP	100 / 17	Fundacion Para Las Artes Lationoamericanas
FL Kissimmee	102.3	CP	84 / 32	Iglesia Cristiana Renuevo Inc.
MN Duluth	99.5	CP	13 / 82	Real Radio [previously dismissed, but reinstated]
OH Hillsboro	106.9	CP	100 / 27	St. Mary Catholic Broadcasting System
TX Crystal City	98.3	CP	50 / 30	Centro De Milagros Congregation
TX Palestine	107.9	CP	29 / 55	Sacred Hearth Catholic Church Parish Council
WA Mukilteo	100.3	CP	7 / 108	Slavic Church 'Sulamita'
WI Milwaukee	89.3	CP	5.5 / 124	Milwaukee Turners Inc.

All LPFM power levels are in Watts and Horizontal polarization antenna heights are HAAT, except where noted * when the height is AGL

— LPFM APPLICATIONS REINSTATED —

NJ Elizabeth	102.3
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— LPFM PETITIONS FOR RECONSIDERATION SUBMITTED —

CA Davis	93.1	NC Pleasant Garden	96.5	TX Houston	105.3
FL West Palm Beach	104.9	TX Fort Worth	97.5	TX Rockwall	104.1
GA Douglas	107.3	TX Houston	92.5	TX Southlake	92.9
NV Las Vegas	103.1	TX Houston	95.3	TX Sugar Land	92.5
NV North Las Vegas	107.1	TX Houston	96.1	TX Wichita Falls	105.3

— INFORMAL OBJECTIONS FILED AGAINST LPFM APPLICATIONS —

NC Pleasant Garden	96.5
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— LPFM APPLICATIONS DISMISSED —

AK Wasilla	94.1	HI Kanehoe	92.7	OR Portland	97.5
FL Belle Isle	99.9	NM Albuquerque (# 2)	93.7	TX San Antonio	96.9
FL Lake Mary	99.9	NM Las Cruces	101.5	WV Huntington	104.5
GA Norcross	101.9	OR Chiloquin	101.5		

- Settlement Agreements reached with a third applicant

— OTHERNEWS —

AL	Gadsden	97.5	W248CE	Changes CoL from Clubview Heights [station not yet on the air]
AZ	Payson	90.5	KPJM-LP	Changes frequency from 100.7 [station not yet on the air]
AZ	Pima	107.1	KUAE	License cancelled; call deleted per licensee's request
CA	Livermore	89.5	K208CT	License cancelled; call deleted
CO	Towaoc	90.5	KZET	Changes CoL from Cortez
FL	Fort Lauderdale	101.1	Pirate	FCC fines an individual \$25,000 for operating an unlicensed transmitter (2 nd offense)
FL	Pompano Beach	92.5	Pirate	FCC fines an individual \$20,000 for operating an unlicensed transmitter
GA	St. Simons Island	93.7	CP	License granted for new Class C3 station with 7.5 kW/127 m at 31-11-39/81-29-30; licensee is QBS Broadcasting, LLC
IL	Antioch	88.5	APP	Application for a new Class B1 station here is dismissed
IN	Elkhart	102.7	WLEG	Now carries Chicago Cubs baseball
IN	Fort Wayne	103.3	W277AK	Is silent
KY	Erlanger	95.5	WCXE-LP	Changes frequency from 105.5 and CoL from Walton
MI	Alpena	94.3	WWFU-LP	Frequency change from 107.1 [station not yet on the air]
MI	Monroe	94.3	WERW	Changes frequency from 97.5
MI	Yates	90.3	APP	Application for a new Class A station here is dismissed
MO	Cape Girardeau	103.7	KDMC-LP	Is silent
MO	Poplar Bluff	93.3	K227BK	Changes CoL from Malden
MT	Boulder	97.5	K248CR	Changes CoL from Whitehall
MT	Helena	104.5	K283BP	Changes CoL from Boulder
NJ	Egg Harbor	99.9	W260BW	License cancelled; call deleted
NM	Farmington	88.9	KNMI	Is silent
NY	Center Moriches	100.9	WSVV-LP	Is silent
NY	Dansville	88.1	W201CY	License cancelled; call deleted
NY	Ithaca	88.1	W201CD	Changes CoL from Lansing
NY	Keeseville	104.3	WECM	Changes CoL from Hartford, Vermont
NY	Webster	88.1	WKEL	Is silent
PA	Glenside	96.9	W245AG	Changes CoL from Gladwyne
PA	Scranton	104.9	WWRR	Fined WWRR \$6000 for failure to install required Emergency Alert System equipment
PR	Carolina	101.1	W266CF	Changes CoL from Loquillo
SC	Greenville	105.9	W290BW	Changes CoL from Anderson
SC	Newberry	95.9	WWPZ-LP	Is silent
TX	Austin	90.1	Pirate	FCC fines an individual \$20,000 for operating an unlicensed transmitter
TX	Childress	99.7	KCHT	Changes frequency from 104.1
TX	Midland	97.5	K248AR	Changes CoL from Stanton
VT	Canaan	94.1	CP	License granted for new Class A station with 100 W/(-)146 m DA (310-350°) at 44-59-37/71-32-24; Licensee is White Mountains Broadcasting, LLC.
VA	Bluemont	96.7	W244DE	Changes CoL from Berryville [station not yet on the air]

NEWS ITEM: From Northeast Indiana, Ralph Strobel writes: "Early this morning (6/17/14), 103.9 & 96.3 were still // to one another: ID on both frequencies: "WNHT Churubusco - WXKE Fort Wayne 96-3 XKE Fort Wayne's Classic Rock, an Adams Radio Group Station." This afternoon 103.9 was not // to 96.3. There was no music on 103.9. An announcer was telling everyone that Fort Wayne's classic rock had moved to 96-3 XKE. Then they said WWFW Fort Wayne. Tonight I taped 96.3 on the hour which says: "WXKE Churubusco - 96-3 XKE Fort Wayne's classic rock, an Adams Radio Group Station."

Thanks to Shawn Axelrod, Tim Noonan, Ralph Strobel, Dan Sys, Radio Insight, Radio World Online and Upper Midwest Broadcasting, and of course the FCC and CRTC, for news.

If you hear any changes occur on your FM dial, share the news! 73

Madison-Milwaukee DX Get-Together

The 21st annual Madison-Milwaukee Get-together for DXers and Radio Enthusiasts returns to Madison this year, after the highly successful gathering in Oak Creek, WI last year. This year's event will be held on **Saturday, August 16** from **1:00 to 11:00 PM**. The WTFDA's Bill and Nina Dvorak are this year's hosts, and the location will be at their home, **3358 Ridgeway Avenue, Madison WI 53704-4327**.



This all-band event has for many years been a popular destination for Upper Midwest WTFDA members. In fact, if you would like to get a little flavor of a recent GTG (and see who from the WTFDA attended), there is a recap of the 2012 event in the October VUD of that year, pages 46-47.

For more information on this year's event, please e-mail Bill at dxerak@gmail.com (please include "Madison DX GTG" in the subject line), write him at the above address or phone him at 608-244-5497.

We hope to see you in Madison on August 16!

PHOTO NEWS



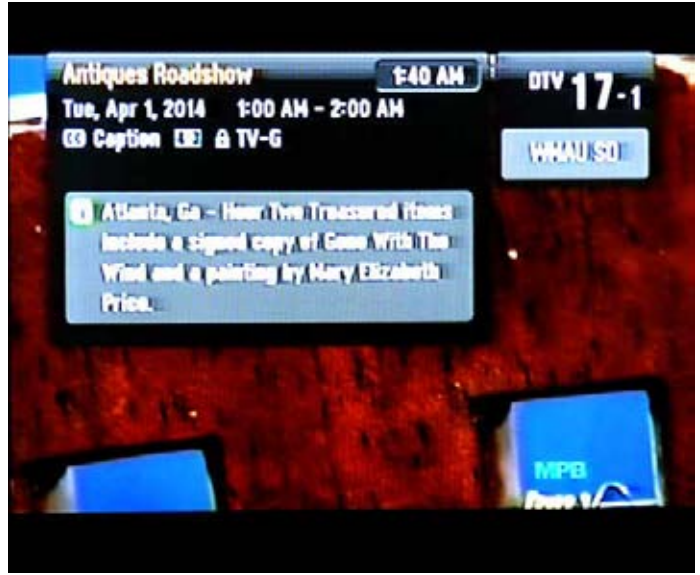
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Thanks to Ryan Grabow for taking over VUD publishing duties! And thank you Mike B, for putting in 13 years of hard work. Speaking of Ryan, here's some recent catches from Fort Myers, FL:



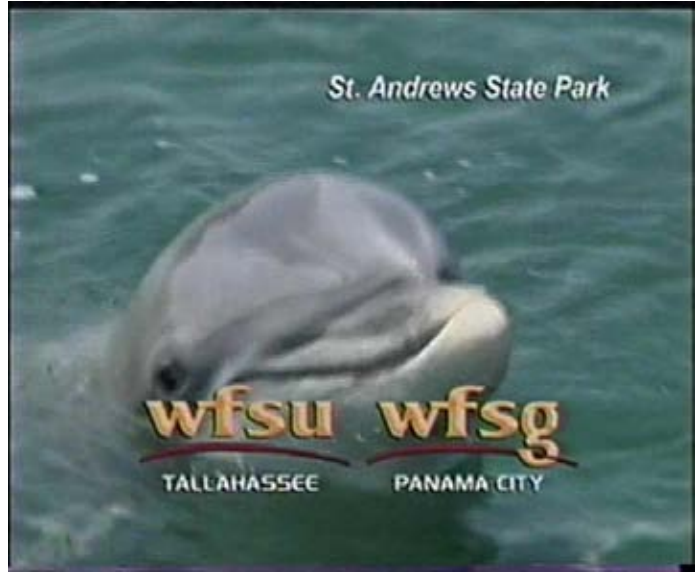
WHLT-22 Hattiesburg, MS
 556 mi Tr seen 4-1-14



WMAU-18 Bude, MS
 639 mi Tr seen 4-1-14



WLOX-39 Biloxi, MS
 504 mi Tr seen 4-1-14



WFSG-38 Panama City, FL
 360 mi Tr seen 5-24-14



WCTU-LD 46 Pensacola, FL
 424 mi Tr seen 5-24-14
 "New LD record!"



WHBR-34 Pensacola, FL
424 mi Tr seen 5-24-14



WPCT-47 Panama City Beach, FL
345 mi Tr seen 5-24-14

And here's three from Glenn Hauser, of Enid, OK:



KYTV-44.1 Springfield, MO
260 mi Tr seen 5-6-14



KETV-20.2 Omaha, NE
351 mi Tr seen 5-7-14



XHBC-3 Mexicali, BCN
1033 mi Es seen 5-19-14

73's, JEFF



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The Editor's Note

We roll on into summer with an E-skip season that would probably be characterized as at best average – with areas around the Gulf Coast seeming to be favored most. At the very least, there have been openings, which is more than we could say for June of last year! Some highlights include a DTV Es decode from Ed Phelps in KY of 300-watter WTSP-LD-4 from St. Petersburg, FL (one we didn't even know existed!) on the 19th of June. Several DXers also reported decodes via Es of KJWP-DT-2 from Wilmington/Philadelphia, including Ed, Dave Pomeroy, Jeff Kadet, Juan Gualda, and Chris Dunne (who had it first way back on May 4).

We'd be remiss if we did not thank Mike Bugaj for his wonderful years of service as VUD editor, and warmly welcome Ryan Grabow to the fold! Could an administrative change bring more DX? We'll ponder that as we bring you a full-sized column for this month's edition of C2CTV DX.

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Es TV DX to Enid OK, May 31-June 12, 2014

** MEXICO. Sporadic E from Mexican TV stations is trying to get going, but just barely pokes above channel 2 video MUF, June 5 at 0026 UT, enough to see it's an ad for phones/devices with 800 toll-free number in Mexican style, and Azteca-13 bug in UR, out again.

0140 UT June 5 on 2, another brief fade-in of weak CCI, f bug in LR, i.e. Televisa net-4 (Glenn Hauser, OK, DX LISTENING DIGEST)

** CANADA. UNIDENTIFIED: Channel 2, June 5 at 1651 UT, a bit of Es reaches VHF TV after 6m map showing activity only from the northeast, where I am pointed: bug in lower right seems to have the word NEW in it, just a glimpse and gone.

Channel 2, June 5 at 1700 UT, another brief fade-in now with a bug in the upper left looking like the letter Z in a square; ideas? (Glenn Hauser, OK, DX LISTENING DIGEST)

** OKLAHOMA. RF 31 and // RF 32 intercity relay, KXOK-LD, 31-1, Enid OK, as of June 6 at 1435 UT check remains active but with NO SOUND! ever since this was first noted May 20 as in DXLD 14-21. Apparently nothing but a few silenced infomercials over and over.

Full-screen color bars on both the subchannels 31-2 and 31-3, no sound there either, instead of M-FOX and Azteca as still claimed on the PSIP IDs. What a sorry excuse for a TV station (Glenn Hauser, Enid, DX LISTENING DIGEST)

** U S A. Heavy tropo with humidity near 100%, but nothing much further than Wichita KS, allowing me to explore what several stations are doing with subchannels, morning of June 6, UT:

1437 on RF26, KSAS 24-2 Wichita with ATN ID on PSIP (Antenna TV), same programming as on RF27, KFOR 4-2 OKC, but which labels theirs as ANT-TV.

1430 on RF28, no NTSC signal visible, as it was a few weeks ago, the last analog left, KWKD-LP, Wichita, Daystar. With this heavy opening, it should be seen if extant. See below -

1455 on RF45, KSNW 3-2 Wichita with Telemun[do]; I notice during some breaks the 3 KSN ID bug appears lower-right with some PSAs, while KTUZ-29 OKC Telemundo has real commercials during same steamy novela.

1536 on RF10 and RF21, KAKE-DT is the PSIP on all four channels, i.e. duplicating 10-1 with KAKE ABC, and 10-2 with MeTV bug in LR, and Wichita below it.

1600 on RF45, KSNW 3-2 has ID slide showing some other channels for Telemun[do], but too quick and too tiny to read: presumably also the other main stations in the original KSNetwork in Garden City, Great Bend, if not Topeka and Joplin too.

1615 bandscan finds a number of 'bad' signals on other RF channels, some intriguing: 22, 30, 36; at 1623 on 49, 47 too

1627 on RF 28, a bad signal; this may well be Wichita's KWKD, finally with DTV CP on replacing analog; see above. (Or spoiler KTPX Ion in Okmulgee OK megawatt!; see OKLAHOMA)

1630, bad signals on RF 20, 19, 17, 11

1650, bad signal on RF 43

1754 on RF 45, KSNW 3-1 and Telemun 3-2 are still in at almost noon CST; Hepburn map had predicted intensification of Wichita-area tropo between 12 and 18 UT today rather than burning off; correct

1757 on RF 8, KPTS Wichita is now decoding unlike earlier, including Create on 8-3. Time for lunch (Glenn Hauser, Enid OK, DX LISTENING DIGEST)

** OKLAHOMA. During tropo opening from Wichita [see USA], June 6 UT, I am nevertheless distracted by some Tulsans off the side of antenna:

1624 on RF 42, KMYT-DT [My TV] as 41-1; GetTV as 41-2, ZUUS as 41-3. (W9WI.com has 41-2 as ZUUS and no 41-3)

1628 on RF 22, turns out to be KOKI-DT Tulsa, not KSNC Great Bend (Glenn Hauser, OK, DX LISTENING DIGEST)

** MEXICO. Bits of analog sporadic E from south, UT June 7:

0040 on 2, fade-in soccer; 0047 one of the teams is PORTugal per scorebug in UL; other one off screen, but Perú mentioned; preliminary to Mundial?

0158 on 4, turn on TV again to find fair video here but whine on audio, soon fading

0159 on 2, still soccer, now MEXICO vs PORTUGAL, from somewhere in the daytime (? Or daylight-like stadium), soon gone

0330 on 2, traces of video (Glenn Hauser, OK, D X LISTENING DIGEST)

** MEXICO. After bits of fitful Es earlier on channels 2 and 4, June 7 at 0401 UT I find some Spanish on 3 peaking WSW, so probably XHBC Mexicali. But have to shoot thru a lightning storm almost upon us from the west, so, disconnect (Glenn Hauser, OK, DX LISTENING DIGEST)

** MEXICO. Sporadic E analog TVDX on June 8, all times UT:

1716 on 3, something peaking from the WSW, maybe XHBC or an XHQ

1717 on 2, Spanish, PSA from Secretaría de Gobernación, which I think is equivalent to the US Dept. of Interior; 1719 Canal de las Estrellas promo, so probably is really Televisa net-2 itself relay, another at 1720; peaks SW rather than SSW, back to film drama

1755 on 2, still in with Televisa-2 star bug in LR; some same-offset CCI; 1800 kid singing in huge sombrero; fades around 1815

Combining resources of Bill Hepburn's dxinfocentre channel 2 map, and listings in W9WI.com, discounting several low-power relays in Sonora, we come up with four possibilities: XHGWT, Guerrero Negro, BCS, 15 kW XHLPT, La Paz, BCS, 45.36 kW XHSJT, San José del Cabo, BCS, 29.7 kW, and XHPDT, Puerto Peñasco, Sonora, 18 kW

More jockeying of the antenna, finding it closer to west than WSW, and current 6m Es map showing a narrow opening between here and that area lead me to conclude it's XHPDT. Puerto Peñasco is in the NW corner of Sonora, on the coast, the closest beach for dehumidified Arizonans.

2323 on 2, fades in Spanish with antenna south, back out

2355 on 2, another fade-in, this time, with f bug in LR of Televisa-4, apparently news; 2359 shows CORTE INFORMAMOS;

UT June 9:

0000 on 2, tiny-type ID(?) comes and goes in UL, illegible

0003 on 2, infomercial for hearing aids: Consulta Médica; Audiometría, first 50 callers to 26-25-26-25 get free consultation, sponsored by Audiotech (Well, the sound is plenty loud when it fades in ---); 0010 IFE PSA, back to hearing aids; 0017 or so fades out, 0027 in and out again. On Facebook, Audiotech claims to be a 100% Mexican company using the highest German tech (Glenn Hauser, OK, DX LISTENING DIGEST)

** MEXICO. Channel 2, very weak sporadic E opening from 0257 UT June 11 for about an hour, occasional fade-ins of unID video and Spanish from the south, initially with fútbol.

Likewise ch 2 situation June 11 from 1512, 1545; G7IZU map shows Es from the NW more likely, but still seems weakly southward. 1625 CCI on 2 including f bug in LR from Televisa 4 net, and now video also poking up to channel 3 (Glenn Hauser, OK, DX LISTENING DIGEST)

** MEXICO. Sporadic E opening June 11 starts slowly but ends with a bang, halfway up the FM band; TV references are from W9WI.com. Approx. distances at the end. All times UT:

1512 on 2, weak CCI; again at 1545; G7IZU map (the other 6m one is down), shows Es from the NW is more likely, but still seems weakly southfrom

1625 on 2, CCI including f bug in LR from Televisa net 4, and now video also poking up to channel 3

1722 on 2, news with Azteca 7 bug in LR, probably XHTAU Tampico

1730 on 3, Televisa 5 bug in LR, evil-penguins animation; XHBQ Zacatecas is the usual primary one with this description

1731 on 2, Univisión tricolor U bug in lower right. No other network bugs visible. Could this be a Mexican anyway, or Nicaraguan, or does it have to be a US station, i.e. LPTV 3 kW analog WUVF-LP, Naples FL? Also has a bug looking like a G in the LL; and a clock in the UR. (In analog era, WEDU-3 Tampa, WPBT-2 Miami were common here.) More below -

1732 on 4, algo in Spanish, MUF rising

1734 on 2, +V MASVISION animated logo full screen during variety show: XEWO-TV, Guadalajara

1736 on 2, U = Univisión bug in LR; LL bug is Gf = program logo, El Gordo y el flaco (the fat one and the skinny one). Not // to US Univisión on cable here!

1747 on 3, Televisa-2 promo with Star. G7IZU 6m maps are still showing zero activity south of here, just east of here!

1750 on 4, Televisa-5 bug in LR, live action with creatures

1752 on 2, over-loud audio about the Copa

1756 on 88.1, Spanish fades in the first FM frequency I have been monitoring, ad for Mi Farmacia, but soon gone before ToH. Cantú shows only four Mexicans on 88.1; and now ONE on 88.3, which I would sure like to get now that this is an open frequency in Enid

1803 on 4, studio musicians giving out phone numbers

1810 on 4, documentary in letterbox, little unID bug in UR [XHG?]

1820 on 4, promo for Televisa 5 (there is also a small star right of the italic 5 in oval)

1831 on 2, old B&W movie; bug in UR with clock 13:31 +v with red background, i.e. XEWO-TV; not to be confused with XEFB Monterrey which also has an alfabetico bug in UR with red background but it says TELEACTIVA

1832 on 2, bug goes off above as ads are running

1835 on 2, Father's Day promo ``en tu Canal 4`` full screen, but this is also from XEWO, immediately followed by +v logo. This refers not to national Televisa-4, but to their sister station also in Guadalajara, XHG, the 4 design same as tiny in the UR corner as ``new for 2014`` at <http://tvdxtips.com/mexlogosch4.html> but this 4 is full screen in blue

1841 on 4, PRI ad, then ``en Coahuila, Voz``, on screen, net-2 promos, Walmart ad. If this was really from Coahuila, rather than a passing mention from somewhere else, the only Televisa-2 station there is per W9WI.com:

Parras De La Fuente, CL
XHPAC-TV 10,000 N H 25-26-25N 102-10-45W
XLIC S:Televisa 2

rather than the usual ch 4 we see with 10x the power, different net:

Torreón, CL
XELN-TV 100,000 39 Z H 25-31-59N 103-26-10W
XLIC S:Televisa 5

1844 on 3, Televisa-5 bug in LR

1845 on 4, game show involving clothes hangers and jumping, from Televisa-2 bug in LR, almost snow free

1901 on 2, boxing, at least clips from Azteca net 7 bug in LR, also program bug dc in a circle frequently appears; unknown lettering in upper right corner

1911 on 2, futbol discussion, i.e. interviewing a Brazilian attempting to Hispangize some of the words he says. The interviewers from Mexico make no attempt to Brazuguize their Spanish; they somehow seem to understand each other. Azteca 7 bug in UR, dc in LR

1917 on 2, back to studio still with circle-dc as program name. Next interview is with someone in English

1918 on 4, animation from Televisa net-5

1922 on 2, Azteca 7 promo for Simpsons, back to dc = Deportes Calientes, audibly mentioned, also with ``Aztecarioca`` on the set

1923 on 2, dc next topic is MLBéisbol in the USA

1927 on 4, Gala bug = Televisa 9 in LR; as credits run for novela, song; audio mixes with another station's fútbol

1941 on 6 video, animation from Televisa 5, bug LR. Full power 5s-on-6: Orizaba VC, Chetumal QR, Querétaro QT, Monterrey NL, Tijuana BCN.

1943 on 5, animation from Televisa 5, same but not synch with 6

1943 on 4, animation from Televisa 5 per LR bug, but totally different show from what's on 5 & 6; timezone delay??? Show on 4 involves dark humanoid robotic monsters while 5 & 6 are non-threatening

1953 on 87.75, channel 6 audio I have been waiting for fades in, with Azteca 13 promo; I start audio recording. Now video & audio, for `Espectáculos` 11 de junio (hoy), introducing and playing a music video; Los -algo- de Sinaloa; didn't think it was from southwest. Animated big H logo for program. If really Sinaloa must be:

Los Mochis, SN XHMSI-TV 100,000 - H 25-48-56N 109-03-47W XLIC S:Azteca 13

1959 on 6, into Info Deportiva

2006 on 6, H animation again – stands for Hechos, photoed,

<http://www.w4uvh.net/XHMSI1.jpg>

and a few seconds later shot of an explosive bösom, also photoed,

<http://www.w4uvh.net/XHMSI2.jpg>

and a couple more shots of the program in color; A-13 bugs barely visible in UR:

<http://www.w4uvh.net/XHMSI3.jpg>

<http://www.w4uvh.net/XHMSI4.jpg>

2003 on 5, Bob el Esponja from Televisa-5

2003 on 4, other animation from another Televisa-5. At this time not much making it on 2 or 3, a geographic cold spot? There are far too many Televisa-5's on 4, ten full-powers per W9WI.com but in the PTA we have only:

Mazatlán SN XHMAF-TV 100,000 Z H 23-15-34N 106-23-11W XLIC S:Televisa 5

2006 on 4, took a bunch of photos of Televisa net-5 animation on 4: see the bugs in lower right:

<http://www.w4uvh.net/XHMAF1.jpg>

<http://www.w4uvh.net/XHMAF2.jpg>

<http://www.w4uvh.net/XHMAF3.jpg>

<http://www.w4uvh.net/XHMAF4.jpg>

<http://www.w4uvh.net/XHMAF5.jpg>

Linx to these will be added to my TVDX photo page:

<http://www.worldofradio.com/tvdxfoto.html>

At this point I suspend TV DXing and go out on the porch with DX-398 and PL-880 to DX FM.

See separate report in this forum [...]

Thus ended the FM DX opening, so I shortly go back into the TVs for just a few more before the MUF descends below 54 MHz too.

2058 on 4, Azteca 13 about fútbol

2058 on 3, promo for a religious program at 6 pm;

2059 on 3, animated 3 logo in the Grupo Pacifico style, news feature about the Universidad Autónoma de Sinaloa, continues with circle-3 bug in UR, so it's XHQ-TV, 100 kW in Culiacán.

2108 on 2, some CCI is all that remains, and gone by 2115 UT.

Approximate city-to-city distances

from <http://www.distancefromto.net/> which is so much quicker than entering lots of coördinates, but would do so from transmitter sites if I were competing for anything; in km/statute miles/nautical miles:

Parras 1286 799 695

Guadalajara 1831 1138 988

Tampico 1577 980 851

Tijuana 1808 1123 976

Los Mochis 1583 984 855

Culiacán 1577 980 852

Mazatlán 1679 1043 907

(Glenn Hauser, Enid OK, DX LISTENING DIGEST)

TVDX to Enid OK, June 13-18, 2014

** MEXICO. Not much Es around here June 12 after the big opening yesterday; recuperating and giving me time to compile the report. Finally, UT June 13 at 0017, some video appears on 2 while I'm aimed northeast, where 6m maps show all the axion is, but I suspect it's Mexican and rotating south by 0025 that's evident as the Simpsons are in Spanish. Back to nothing, but rechecking after my SW DX session, at 0209 there is again something on 2 from the south, developing nowhere. 0445 again some weak CCI on 2 (Glenn Hauser, OK, DX LISTENING DIGEST)

** MEXICO. Bits of sporadic E TVDX as MUF pokes above 55 MHz now and then, June 13; nothing earlier circa 1430 UT but:

1633 on 2, tune-in finds fútbol from Azteca 7 per bug in UR; Mundial? 6m Es map shows hardly any activity and none of it from the south

1645 on 2, now a studio talk show with 3 women and one man

1707 on 2, silly ballgame again, most likely XHTAU Tampico; lunch

1758 on 2, Azteca-7 SBG in again, but mostly nothing (Glenn Hauser, OK, DX LISTENING DIGEST)

** CANADA. Sporadic E analog TV DX June 15, UT:

1802 on ch 2, letterboxed drama fades in from the northeast, in English; it's a movie with Mel Gibson, Alan Alda and Helen Hunt, which means ``What Women Want``, including a rather graphic sex scene seen. Signal is fairly steady with ghosting, but not snow-free, and the bug in lower right, if any, is hard to discern most of the time, so suspected Global, but at 1806 I can see it is CTV, and that matches the programming on CHBX, Sault Ste. Marie, Ont., as listed via <http://local.ca> which I've found the most convenient way to look up on-air Canadian TV programming for any locality. 1810 clinched with a promo for local news covering Timmins, North Bay, etc., tho did not hear SSM mentioned. Does this really originate in one of those other cities? Just in case, I also monitored for DTV on 3 but nothing; nor any Es on FM, starting with 88.1 from SSM. CHBX fading out around 1835, and nothing more today (Glenn Hauser, OK, DX LISTENING DIGEST)

** MEXICO. Sporadic E TV DX, June 16: according to tropo map, I am looking for some DTV from the NW, but not even Dodge City on 6; 6m Es map also shows northwest as the direxion for opening, and then checking channel 2 I see signs of Es at 1600 UT, but it's from the southwest! As often, G7IZU fails to show any such activity, apparently due to lack of interest by Mexican hams for 6 meter DXing.

1600 on 2, CCI peaking SSW, 1602 cooking show, with same-offset CCI from animation; in the QRM I make out TU CANAL in upper right of one of them, i.e. XEPM-TV, 100 kW, Juárez, Chihuahua, more to the SW. 1604 on 2 can make out TU CANAL bug again along with 10:04 AM clock = MDT.

1603 on 2, again in the CCI mess, I can see an ID super in small letters upper right, mentioning XH---HERMOSILLO, so that's a definite on XHHMA-TV, 30 kW with Televisa-9 net, which I have assumed on that basis several times before.

These two stations are almost exactly the same bearing from here, with Hermosillo much further. Exact calculations with W9WI.com site coordinates using

http://www.convertalot.com/great_cir...alculator.html

Hermosillo: 240 degrees at 1468 km

Ciudad Juárez: 239 degrees at 949 km

1603 on 4, now MUF up to here, string of ads including Colgate (three syllables in Spanish!), OXO, Excedrin; 1606 adstring is still going; 1607 promo for Azteca 13, then program Kids TV(?). 1620 CORTE INFORMATIVOS / AZTECA NOTICIAS = brief headlines, peaking VG, promo Mundial on sibling net Azteca-7; huge adstring resumes: 1627 finally back to program which is Venga Alegría as in LL program bug. Based on Hermosillo on 2, assume this 4 is also there: XHHSS-TV, 100 kW on A-13 net. MUF drops down to 2 and/or Es patch is moving.

1607 on 6, MUF now up to here briefly with soccer; 1614 video CCI from talk show; did not reach audio for either. There is also a 6 in Hermosillo, XEWH-TV, 11.6 kW, with Telemex, i.e. not // any of the national networks. And if the soccer is really Mundial, does it have to be Azteca-7 network? The only one in that area is XHLSI-TV, 50 kW in Mazatlán, Sinaloa.

1615 on 5, brief video from algo, maybe soccer.

1616 on 90.7, Mexican music in briefly, only long enough for partial RDS display as ``90.70 SI TE``. Unusual to add the final zero. I was tuning up from 87.75 and this is the first one I found. XHHLL, La Kaliente, Hermosillo, looks likely. Dreamhost says the WTFDA FM Database is down, and still down a few hours later, where there might be RDS info to identify this; otherwise, any suggestions? No other FM DX heard.

1630 on 2, Venga Alegría show and Azteca 13 bug in UR. PTA means Chihuahua city or Nogales, Sonora most likely. Show title mentioned verbally again at 1653.

1632 on 4, soccer just as a GOOOOOOAAAAAALLLLL is scored in the Germany/Portugal game at Salvador da Baía. Also Azteca-7 bug in UR. W9WI.com shows only two 7s-on-4, neither from the previous area viewed, but CY = Colima is closer to it:
Manzanillo, CY XHNCI-TV 19,860 + H 19-05-14N 104-18-00W XLIC
Matias De Romero, OX XHPSO-TV 40,000 Z H 16-52-48N 095-02-02W XLIC

1645 on 2, MUF down to here with CCI only; 1647 briefly dominating is soccer, but not necessarily Azteca-7 net. At 1656 during game, looks like Televisa-2 star bug in UR; 1658 promo for TELEVISIA DEPORTES, so maybe just clips, not play-by-play. Does only Azteca 7 have rights to broadcast full Mundial games in México?

{Answer: ``MEXICO: All national team games and one or two live games a day are carried over the air by Televisa and Televisión Azteca [which channels not specified]. Televisa also offers its 30 live matches online. Complete coverage is carried only on the Sky satellite service`` (How the world watches the World Cup, AP via Enid Eagle June 17 via DXLD)}

1656 on 3 briefly algo, maybe novela. TV DX out by 1703, nothing more past 2030 UT (Glenn Hauser, OK, DX LISTENING DIGEST)

** MEXICO. Fitful sporadic E opening occasionally poking into loband VHF TV channels, June 17, UT:

1555 on 2, fade-in Televisa 4 net with f bug in LR, from south; 1600 a bit of English, maybe clip within this rather than Canada oppositeward

1605 on 3 and 4, weak video from algo

1617 on 2, still weak CCI including f-4

1839 on 2, CCI more from the southwest with fútbol; not checked much more after or before this hour, until UT June 18:

0312 on 2, fútbol, tentatively Azteca 7 in UR, weak in & out; 6m maps show Es from the northwest only

0327 on 2, TELEACTIVA bug in UR, i.e. XEFB-TV Monterrey NL, interviewing someone, maybe FB fan

0349 on 2, game fades in, glimpse of UR bug may be Pacífico oval

0429 on 2, still lite CCI; also in Spanish on 3 and 4

0435 on 4, CCI is heavier, but soon back down to only:

0443 on 2, fútbol, bug in LL may be generic Televisa

0447 on 2, fútbol, now the bug in LL is a triangle, what??

0449 on 2, two guys conversing, with Azteca-13 bug not in UR corner, but to the left of there

0505 on 2, still some signal peaking southwest when I quit
(Glenn Hauser, OK, DX LISTENING DIGEST)

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Equipment: CM 4228HD 8-Bay UHF Antenna @ 15' AGL, CM 4220HD 2-Bay UHF Antenna, Three Insignia NS-DXA1 Converter Boxes, Philips PT902 Portable DTV.

Underlined stations are new. All times Eastern. Distances in miles/kilometers. Stations under 250km omitted unless new or rare.

06a, 21a, 27a, and 40a refer to analog stations.

3/30 Tr
1715 WWL-36 New Orleans, LA 548/882
1900 WEAR-17 Pensacola, FL 448/721
1900 WMPV-20 Mobile, AL 446/718
1900 WKRG-27 Mobile, AL 460/740
1930 WLOX-39 Biloxi, MS 524/842
subdecodes on 8,13,22,23,26,28,30,32,34,38,42,48

3/31-4/1 Tr
2315 WEAR-17 Pensacola, FL 448/721
2315 WHLT-22 Hattiesburg, MS 557/896
2337 WLOX-39 Biloxi, MS 524/842
0140 WMAU-18 Bude, MS 631/1016
0140 WFNA-25 Gulf Shores, AL 458/737
subdecodes on 21,23,28,30,38,47,48

4/4 Tr
0020 WTWC-40 Tallahassee, FL 312/502
0040 WEAR-17 Pensacola, FL 448/721
0145 WDHN-21 Dothan, AL 384/619 in nice!

4/5 Tr
0020 WCJB-16 Gainesville, FL 207/333

4/6 Tr
2225 WEAR-17 Pensacola, FL 448/721
2225 WMPV-20 Mobile, AL 446/718
2255 WKRG-27 Mobile, AL 460/740

4/14 Tr
2320 CMB?-21a Havana, Cuba w/ Multivision
2335 CMBL-27a Cuba w/ Canal Habana
2335 CM??-40a Cuba w/ Canal Habana

4/24 Tr
0010 WCJB-16 Gainesville, FL 207/333
0010 WUFT-36 Gainesville, FL 220/354
0045 WTXL-27 Tallahassee, FL 311/500

5/24 Tr
0000 WCJB-16 Gainesville, FL 207/333
0100 WEAR-17 Pensacola, FL 448/721
0100 WHLT-22 Hattiesburg, MS 557/896
0130 WSPF-CD-38 St. Petersburg, FL 90/145 rare
0136 WKRG-27 Mobile, AL 460/740
1900 WFNA-25 Gulf Shores, AL 458/737 strong!
1900 WHBR-34 Pensacola, FL 448/721
1900 WFSG-38 Panama City, FL 360/579
2000 WMPV-20 Mobile, AL 446/718
2050 WCTU-LD-46 Pensacola, FL 424/682
new LD record
2115 WAWD-49 Ft. Walton Beach, FL 405/652
2134 WPCT-47 Panama City Beach, FL 345/555

5/25 Tr
0900 WVEN-49 Daytona Beach, FL 166/267
subdecodes on 8 and 9

5/26 Es
1200 XET-06a Monterrey, NLE 1146/1844 tentative
"Canal 5+"

Gulf tropo has been kind to me this year. With WWL and WMAU, my farthest DTV yet, I have now logged a digital station in every market I'd logged analog stations in from 2005-08, and this year I've also added four (Tallahassee, Dothan, Biloxi, and Hattiesburg) that I'd never logged an analog from. As good as DTV has been though, FM DX has been running circles around it in my logbook. No TV catches from Texas or the Carolinas yet, but I suppose we have to save something for 2015. 😊

WEAR has been logged eight times since February. This Mobile station is 448 miles across a water path and has come to remind me of WGNT in Norfolk, VA, a very common catch when I lived in New York. Now, WEAR is the first station I check for when Gulf Tropo is likely. And one year to the day after I logged Mobile for the first time it was back and brought four new logs with it, including my new low-power record: WCTU-LD-46 at 424 miles.

I've long been curious what "Tourist Info" means as a station format. Panama City's WPCT finally answered that question for me. It means endless restaurant commercials. (Yum.)

I'm editing my tropo clips into a YouTube video, which will be my first featuring digital TV. E-skip has yet to deliver even a subdecode, but this year I have the FM antenna and multiple tuners to drive my chances up. With a little luck I'll be complaining about DTV "pests" in no time. 73s

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7 June 2014 Tr

1839 17 WTCT IL Marion (130)
1936 46 WFIE IN Evansville (102)
2051 45 WEVV IN Evansville (103)
2322 20 WBXX TN Crossville (149)
2338 12 WMAE MS Booneville (146) NEW,
previously logged on interim DTV channel 30.
Using UHF-only antenna!

7 June 2014 Tr

0015 46 WPBM-CD KY Scottsville (61) NEW
0024 29 WKNO TN Memphis (169)
0033 28 WREG TN Memphis (168)
0035 51 WPXX TN Memphis (166)
0052 31 WLMT TN Memphis (163)
0052 22 WFIQ AL Florence (127)
0106 30 WIAT AL Birmingham (195)

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Equipment: Samsung 19-inch color TV (1984),
Daewoo 13-inch color TV (1999), two Zenith DTT-
901 DTV tuners, Winegard HD8200 VHF/UHF/FM
yagi at 32' AGL

All times CST/CDT; all distances in
miles/kilometers. An asterisk (*) denotes analog
reception.

May 8, 2014 (trop)

0630 DTV Channels 6 through 12 lighting up to SE,
no PSIP info
0653 KOLR 10 MO Springfield 195/314
0700 KOMU 8-1 MO Columbia (8-3: The CW)105/169
0701 KRCG 12 MO Jefferson City 100/161

May 10, 2014 (trop)

0801 WSIL 34-1 IL Harrisburg
(34-2: standard definition) 130/209
0805 KFVS 12-1 MO Cape Girardeau
(12-2: CW, 12-3: wx) 115/184

May 25, 2014 (E-skip)

1030 XELN *4 CL Torreon 1190/1915
1033 XHPN *3 CL Piedras Negras 910/1464
1143 XHBQ *3 ZA Zacatecas 1320/2124
1305 XEPM *2 CI Ciudad Juarez 1025/1650
1312 XEJ *5 CI Ciudad Juarez 1025/1650
1543 KXDP-LP *6 CO Denver 790/1271
1600 KNOP 2-1 NE North Platte (2-2: Fox) 575/919
1648 KOTA 2-1 SD Rapid City
(2-2: MeTV, 2-3: This TV) 760/1223
1735 KYUS 3 MT Miles City (PSIP info only)
945/1521
1819 CFQC2 *6 SK North Battleford 1300/2092
1820 CKCK2 *6 SK Willow Bunch 1050/1690

June 1, 2014 (E-skip)

1437 XHWX *4 NL Monterrey 1075/1730
1456 XHAE *5 CL Saltillo 1150/1851
1718 XHTAU *2 TM Tampico 1230/1979
1722 XHPN *3 CL Piedras Negras 910/1464

June 2, 2014 (E-skip)

1052 Canal Educativo *4 CU Havana 1175/1891
1108 TeleRebelde *2 CU Havana 1175/1891
1125 Cubavision *6 CU Havana 1175/1891

June 6, 2014 (E-skip)

1125 XHTAU *2 TM Tampico 1230/1979
1934 Cubavision *3 CU Santa Clara 1280/2060
1937 Canal Educativo *4 CU Havana 1175/1891
1957 Cubavision *6 CU Havana 1175/1891

June 9, 2014 (E-skip)

1648 CIII2 *2 ON Bancroft 805/1296

June 11, 2014 (E-skip)

1655 CIII2 *2 ON Bancroft 805/1296

June 13, 2014 (trop/E-skip)

0130 WILL 9-1 IL Urbana (9-2: World, 9-3: Create)
155/249
0131 WCIA 48-1 IL Champaign (48-2: WCIX 13-1)
150/240
0201 WLFI 11 IN Lafayette 225/362

0203 WTHI 10-1 IN Terre Haute (10-2: Fox) 170/274
0216 WTHR 13 IN Indianapolis 240/386
1125 XHBQ *3 ZA Zacatecas 1320/2124

Off-season DX included some of the usual stations,
especially 9 in Urbana and 48 in Champaign. The
May 8 opening included some FM stations from the
mid-South, with channels 6-12 lighting up the meter
on the DTT-901 tuners to the southeast. It was too
bad I couldn't get any PSIP info, especially on the
station on channel 6, which would have been my
first Alabama DTV. I was pleased with the re-logs
from southwest and central MO, though. The E-skip
season officially kicked off on May 25 with a
number of analog stations from northern Mexico
and Saskatchewan, along with a "Franken-FM" in
KXDP-LP and two new digital TV logs. KNOP 2 is
my shortest DTV E-skip log at 575 miles (919 km);
the PSIP info from KYUS 3 was a pleasant
surprise. I also had this one logged in the analog
era. Another pleasant surprise was the two analog
channel 6 logs from Saskatchewan. The first few
days of June brought E-skip openings to Mexico
and Cuba, followed by pulling in CIII2 on June 9
and 11. A small tropo opening on June 13 allowed
me to pull in three Indiana stations, as well as
getting local-like signals from WILL 9 and WCIX 13.
That would be followed by another E-skip opening
into Mexico. There won't be very many days left of
analog TV DX to Mexico, that's for sure. Analog TV
total is now at 577, digital TV at 164. 73.

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This report is from May 14 to June 14, 2014. No
skip seen. Nothing exciting this time.

May 14, air temp hit peak of 101F/38C, then down
to normal coastal summer temp of 75F/24C. May
17, ocean water temp shot up to 64F/18C. May 20,
suddenly from 63F/17C down to 56F/13C. May 21,
back up to steady 62F, and May 31 to 64F/18C.
May 22 aft, a little rain (more rain in mtns since May
20, part of a swirling low-pressure area). By mid
June, ocean water temp steady 61F/16C. Air temp
steady 74F/23C, inland away from ocean
100F/38C.

Distances are approximate. So-Calif tropo ducting
to San Diego/Tijuana/Tecate from 175 mi/280 km
up to 220 mi/350 km SE:

Apr29-May15	Poor to none	Windy and HOT at times
May 16 - 18	Var. fair-poor	Cooler-mild-calm- inversion
May 19 - 25	None	Still cool but windy
May 26 - 29	Poor	Calm, some warming (mild)
May30-Jun5	Variably fair	[Same]
Jun 6 - 14+	Poor	Same but higher layer inversion and hotter inland
Best of DX to All		Dennis

Northern FM DX



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For Dxers in the following states: CT IA ID IL IN MA ME MI MN MT ND NE NH NJ NY OH OR PA RI SD VT WA WI WY and all of Canada. Please submit by the 10th of each month.

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Time(tab)Calls(tab)Freq(tab)City(tab)State(tab)details

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All Submissions must be in to me by the 10th of each month.

**Randy Miltier, W6NT - Phoenix, OR 97535
Sony XDR-F1HD, Winegard HD-6055P antenna**

Times Pacific

May 7 2014 Es

2152	KKBS	92.7	Guymon	OK	ID
2155	KSPK	102.3	Walsenburg	CO	Ad, phone #
2157	KFEZ	101.3	Walsenburg	CO	"Easy 101.3"
2002	KHYN	95.1	Meade	KS	ID, SRN News

May 25 2014 Es

2054	KSII	93.1	El Paso	TX	KISS-FM
2055	KSNM	98.7	Truth or Con	NM	New Classic Hits 98.7
2059	KHEY	96.3	El Paso	TX	K-HEY Country
2145	KKCH	92.7	Glenwood Sp	CO	
2148	KATC	95.1	Colorado Sp	CO	RDS
2153	KTUN	94.5	New Castle	CO	SP
2200	KENM	88.9	Tucumcari	NM	ID
2201	KUNC	90.5	Greely	CO	CPR
2202	K213EJ	91.5	Holyoke	CO	CPR
2204	KZBR	97.1	Alamosa	CO	ID
2206	KPRF	98.7	Amarillo	TX	Jack FM
2210	KABG	98.5	Albuquerque	NM	The Basins Big 98.5

May 28 2014 Es

1203	KMTH	98.7	Maljamar	CO	RDS
1210	KXTC	99.9	Thoreau	NM	ID
1212	KHEY	96.3	El Paso	TX	RDS
1215	KXPZ	99.5	Las Cruces	NM	The Rocket
1220	KTQM	99.9	Clovis	NM	Local ad
1230	KDEM	94.3	Deming	NM	The Mix

May 29 2014 Es

0955	XTASIS	88.9	Hermosillo	SON RDS
1000	XEIB	89.9	Coborca	SON RDS
1002	XHHQ	97.1	Hermosillo	SON RDS
1028	KTEP	88.5	El Paso	TX Website
1030	KYGR	88.1	Alamo	NM Hopi discussion
1050	KXKQ	94.5	Nogales	AZ Cat Country
1054	KNPR	88.9	Las Vegas	NV RDS KNPR News
1103	KDEM	94.3	Deming	NM ID
1108	KLQT	95.1	Corrales	NM
1110	KLAQ	95.5	El Paso	TX The Q
1118	KHEY	96.3	El Paso	TX RDS
1122	KBNA	97.5	El Paso	TX RDS Que Buena
1124	KABG	98.5	Los Alamos	NM Big 98.5
1126	KSNM	98.7	Truth or Cons.	NM Classic Hits 98.7
1133	KKTC	99.9	Angel Fire	NM RDS
1137	KSII	93.1	El Paso	TX KISS FM
1150	KTSM	99.9	El Paso	TX Local ad
1817	KUNM	89.9	Albuquerque	NM RDS

May 30 2014 Es

1035	KJZZ	91.5	Phoenix	AZ NPR
1208	KJTA	89.9	Flagstaff	AZ Family Life Radio

June 3 2014 Es

1330	KRFC	88.9	Ft Collins	CO ID
1331	KTLF	89.9	Colorado Sp	CO Light Praise
1340	KJLT	94.9	North Platte	NE RDS
1345	KDRE	90.7	Sterling	CO Air One
1400	KUNC	91.5	Greeley	CO ID
1414	KVJZ	88.5	Vail	CO RDS
1417	KUNC	90.7	One of two KUNC translators in CO	
1423	KVOD	88.1	Lakewood	CO RDS
1504	KUVO	89.3	Denver	CO Jazz 89 RDS

Harry Hayes – Wilkes-Barre, PA
Sony XDR-F1HD rcvr., FM-6 in attic

May 11 Es

1624	WRKF	89.3	Baton Rouge	LA ID's
1630	KZMZ	96.9	Alexandria	LA Rock, RDS ID
1640	KGRM	91.5	Grambling	LA Event Calendar, RDS ID
1650	KPCH	99.3	Ruston	LA Oldies, RDS ID
1658	KJVC	92.7	Mansfield	LA RDS ID, Rangers BB, New
1700	WKWX	93.5	Savannah	TN ID, "Today's Hot New Country, KWX", ad Walkertown Auto Body, New
1720	KBMQ	88.7	Monroe	LA "88.7 The Cross"
1820	KRVS	88.7	Lafayette	LA Cuban music, RDS ID
1829	WABB	97.5	Mobile	AL New music, Jingle ID

May 14 Tr

2250	WSQX	91.5	Binghamton	NY "Your Jazz Alternative", strong w/fades, ID
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May 15 Tr

820 WXUR 92.7 Herkimer NY "92.7 The Drive",strong

May 18 Es

1932 KXNE 89.3 Norfolk NE RDS ID, Classical

May 21 Es

2110 KUSO 92.7 Albion NE RDS non-ID and voice non-ID "US 92"
country music
2115 KKOT 93.5 Columbus NE RDS non-ID "Nebraska's Classic Hits-The
Hawk"
2125 KZKX 96.9 Seward NE Voice non-ID "Kicks 96.9" country music
2128 KHZY 99.3 Overton NE RDS non-ID "My Bridge" religious
2130 KGOR 99.9 Omaha NE Voice ID and slogan "Super Hits"
2142 KTWA 92.7 Ottumwa IA Voice ID
2145 KRVN 93.1 Lexington NE Non ID "93.1 the River"
2146 UNID 96.3 Classical music
2150 KFGE 98.1 Milford NE "Today's Best Country-and the only place
you can hear it in Lincoln", New

May 24 Es

1938 KWEN 95.5 Tulsa OK "K-95.5"
1943 KNON 89.3 Dallas TX Strong, RDS ID

May 26 Es

1840 CHOZ 94.7 St. Johns NF "OZ FM"
1848 VOCM 97.5 St. Johns NF "K-ROCK"
1858 CIOZ 96.3 Marystown NF "OZ FM"
1911 CBAX-2 101.9 St. Johns NF Jazz music, FF
1914 CBAF-17105.9 St. Johns NF FF talk
1928 CBA 95.5 Moncton NB CBC Radio 2, Jazz program "Tonic"

Jun 3 Tr

0910 WALK 97.5 Patchogue NY Fair at times, ID, 125 mi.

Jun 6 Aircraft Scatter

1115 WXPB 88.7 Middletown PA WXPB pledges, New, 100 mi.

Things got off to a good start in May but have slowed down now in the beginning of June. I see a lot of openings on the online maps but most are just out of range here.

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Tuner: NAD4150, Antenna: APS-13. For phasing a fixed 7 element DIY yagi, Bolin phase box. For RDS a Ray Dees RDS decoder with RDS Spy on the computer.

4/10 GW

WTTT-LP 104.7 Huntington MA new (may be using bogus calls)

4/18 GW

WYPH-LP102.5 Manchester CT new, cont. Christian

4/21 Tr

2014 WRSF 105.7 Columbia NC calls/ads (WHCB IBOC off)

4/22 Tr

0803 WJZ-FM 105.7 Cantonsville MD 105-7 the Fan, sports (WHCN IBOC off)

5/18 Es

1950 WDSO 88.3 Chesterton IN call letters
1958 KNSZ 89.1 Ottumwa IA RDS PI=3441 Pty: news
2000 KRXL 94.5 Kirksville MO RDS PI=3F45, Pty: Classic Rock
2008 KRLS 92.1 Knoxville IA Ad for business in Knoxville-Pella
2009 KIOA 93.3 Des Moines IA PI=268c, Pty: Oldies

5/26 Es

1608 WLTQ 92.1 Venice FL 92.1 the Coast
1754 WQKQ 92.1 Dallas City IL w/RDS
1851 CJOZ 92.1 Bonavista NL OZ FM, RDS PI=4122
1854 CKOZ 92.3 Corner Brook NL OZ FM
1859 VOCM 97.5 St. John NF K Rock, PI=3538 Pty: Classic Rock
1903 CHER 98.3 Sydney NS RDS PI=C440, Pty: Classic Rock
1905 CKSJ 101.1 St. John NL Coast 101.1, RDS, PI=93D1, Pty: adult hits
1908 CJMY 105.3 Clarendville NL OZ-FM

5/28 Tr

1800 WSKG 89.3 Binghamton NY RDS PI=853a PS: WSKG-FM (WRTC off)

6/3 Es

From 1730-1830 weak. Two stations noted on 88.3 but no IDs

6/9 Es

1900 KCJV 88.3 Mexico MO calls and weather
1910 WOTB 88.7 Pearl River LA RDS PI=0000, PS=BRIDGE
1912 KTSR 92.1 DeQuincy LA PI=4411, Pty: top 40, 92.1 Kiss FM
1923 KLIL 92.1 Moreauville LA 92-KLIL
1936 WRFF 89.3 Baton Rouge LA RDS PI=8295, Pty: public
1947 KBYS 88.3 Moss Bluff LA call letters
1950 WAYQ 88.3 Clarksville TN RDS PI=5278, Way-FM
1951 WIGH 88.7 Jackson TN RDS PI=6a6b, PS=WIGH.AFR.NET

6/10 Es

1907	WUFT	89.1	Gainsville	GA	RDS PI=8a0d, Pty= College
1921	WAAC	92.9	Valdosta	GA	C 93 country
1925	WBYZ	94.5	Baxley	GA	severe weather EAS alert, IDed by Bill Nollman who heard the same thing at his house.
1930	WXVS	90.1	Waycross	GA	RDS PI=9398, Pty=classical
1934	WASW	91.9	Waycross	GA	AFR, no RDS

6/11 Es

1823	KJWR	90.9	Windom	MN	RDS PI=2A11, Pty=Rel Music
1848	KESD	88.3	Brookings	SD	

I've been looking for a decent opening to FM. So far I haven't seen one yet.

Russ Edmunds - Blue Bell, PA (15 mi NW of Philadelphia) Grid FN20id
Yamaha T-80 & T-85, each w/ Conrad RDS Decoder;
Onkyo T-450RDS; Tecsun PL-310 (2); w/APS9B @ 15'; (2) Grundig G8 w/whip
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5/11 Es

1130	WLRN	91.3	Miami	FL	RDS capture - PI: 737B
1603	KJGM	88.3	Bastrop	LA	Tentative - SONLIFE promo, partial ID
1631	KLBT	88.1	Beaumont	TX	ID
1632	KAYT	88.1	Jena	LA	Gospel service, local promo 16:45 91.3 KGLY Tyler TX Christian lite rock, ID
1650	KHKN	94.9	Maumelle	AR	Rock, ID
1700	KATG	88.1	Athens	TX	Religious talk, ID
1715	MORE94	94.9	Nassau		Rock, ads, IDs
1730	WMGE	94.9	Miami Beach	FL	SS vocals, talk, "La Mega"
1800	WMAW	88.1	Meridian	MS	Promo, MPB ID
1800	WMPN	91.3	Jackson	MS	Promo, MPB ID
1802	WGUO	94.9	Reserve	LA	Country, ID's "Gumbo 94.9"
1828	WKOR	94.9	Mobile	AL	Country, "Nash FM" SID
1831	WAFR	88.3	Tupelo	MS	AFR promo
1843	W235BQ	94.9	Pell City	AL	ad for Dixieland Powder Coating, ID, CI Rk, SID - New

5/24 Es

1735	KOLI	94.9	Electra	TX	Country, "The Outlaw"
1856	KMOC	89.5	Wichita Falls	TX	RDS Hit

5/26 Es

1540	WAYJ	89.5	Naples	FL	Contemp. Christian music, "SW FL's Way FM"
1544	WCKT	107.1	Lehigh Acres	FL	Country, local ads, ID

5/31 Es

1948	Unid 88.1				Soft Hip Hop
1950	Unid 94.9				Contemp. Christian
2000	WAFR 88.3	Tupelo	MS		ID, AFR promo
2000	WMAE 89.5	Booneville	MS		MPB Think Radio, ending Garrison Kiellor
2007	Unid 99.9				Classic hits - 1990's over WODE
2008	Unid 88.3				Religious talk about equipping missionaries with Bibles - not AFR
2008	Unid 88.3				Gospel music
2010	Unid 89.5				Religious talk

6/1 Es

1302	WAYF 88.1	W. Palm Beach	FL		Contemporary Christian, Full CL ID
1307	WMGE 94.9	Miami Beach	FL		Spanish ads, music, "La Mega" mentions
1308	unid 89.5				Contemp. Christian, likely WAYF-FL
1316	KESS 107.1	Benbrook	TX		Spanish ads for Mastercard, State Farm, mentions of N. Texas, soft male vocal (call change from KFZO as logged last season).

6/9 Es

1900	KJGM 88.3	Bastrop	LA		SONLIFE promo & local ID
1906	KAYT 88.1	Jena	LA		Gospel service, ID
1916	unid 94.9				Country music under WRBT, local translator
1923	KAMA 104.9	Deer Park	TX		Spanish music, ads, "104.9" non-ID
1933	KSHN 99.9	Liberty	TX		Pop music, local ads, community events
1950	KPCP 88.3	New Roads	LA		Blues, zydeco and local mentions - new
1952	unid 99.9				1960's Oldies o/u WODE/WFRE

Keith McGinnis - Hingham MA

Equipment: ELAD SDR / 2 Innov 11 element antennas at 25 ft AGL and Bolin Phase Box

May 11 2014 Es

PI codes are noted after the location and before the comment section.

1544	WRTO 98.3	Goulds	FL		
1545	WPOW 96.5	Miami	FL	7DC6	"Power 96"
1546	WMGE 94.9	Miami Beach	FL		
1546	WRMA 95.7	N Miami Beach	FL	82C4	
1547	WFKS 95.1	Melbourne	FL		"Kiss 95"
1548	WFLC 97.3	Miami	FL	62FC	"The New Hits 97.3"
1549	WZZR 94.3	Riviera Beach	FL		
1550	WRMF 97.9	Palm Beach	FL	82C9	several ment of WRMF
1551	WKIS 99.9	Boca Raton	FL	6FF2	
1552	WCTH 100.3	Plantation Key	FL		"Thunder Country 100.3"
1556	WKLG 102.1	Rock Harbor	FL		"Star 102.1" followed by Legal ID
1600	WFKZ 103.1	Plantation Key	FL		"Sun FM...Rocking Marathon"
1602	WLRN 91.3	Miami	FL	737B	"
1605	WMIA 93.9	Miami Beach	FL	1528	"93.9 Best Day of My Life American Authors" RDS info
1642	WBGF 93.5	Belle Glade	FL		
1656	WSEB 91.3	Englewood	FL		heard WSEB in a mix with WSHL
1657	WLVF 90.3	Haines City	FL		"gospel 903"...toilet sounding
1658	WMFE 90.7	Orlando	FL	74DE	right here on 90.7 FM WMFE Orlando

1700	WJCB	88.5	Clewiston	FL	multi station legal id mixing with what might have been a pirate
1703	WDBO	96.5	Orlando	FL	5CBC
1704	WRXK	96.1	Bonita Springs	FL	83EC
1706	WPHR	94.7	Gifford	FL	"1000 songs.....Treasure Coast Weekend"
1709	WSJZ	95.9	Sebastian	FL	Braves Baseball wrapup
1711	WGUF	98.9	Marco	FL	
1711	WMXJ	102.7	Pompano Beach	FL	76B7 Magic
1712	WEDR	99.1	Miami	FL	5F97 WEDR mentions
1712	WJKD	99.7	Vero Beach	FL	66FB "One day Jack FM will run out of bunches of songs...."
1713	WKIS	99.9	Boca Raton	FL	6FF2 "just listen to Kiss Country" WKIS.com
1713	WAVV	101.1	Naples Park	FL	56DF
1715	WKGR	98.7	Wellington	FL	98.7 The Gater
1715	KTDY	99.9	Lafayette	LA	"99.9 KTDY" KTDY.com
1715	WMBX	102.3	Jensen Beach	FL	7489 ads for W Palm Beach
1716	WJGO	102.9	Tice	FL	6D16 102.9 Bob FM
1717	WHLG	101.3	Port St. Lucie	FL	"101.3 The Coast"
1718	WWCN	99.3	Ft Myers	FL	ESPN w / NBA playoffs
1719	WLRQ	99.3	Cocoa	FL	137E local weather. Bad CC RDS Code
1719	WJHM	101.9	Daytona Beach	FL	ads for Morgan and Morgan attys and Mel's Diner and Orlando mentions
1722	WIRK	103.1	Indiantown	FL	6B8C
1722	WMIB	103.5	Ft Lauderdale	FL	10 more songs in a row from the Beat
1722	WFLM	104.7	White City	FL	6306 on 104.3 The Flame later "theflame.com"
1722	WOLL	105.5	Hobe Sound	FL	"105.5...Kool 105.5"
1723	WAXY	104.3	Miramar	FL	5716 NBA Playoff basketball
1723	Unid	104.7			unid SS at times coming up over WFLM
1723	WBGG	105.9	Ft Lauderdale	FL	Nothing but classic rock at Big 105.9
1723	WRAZ	106.3	Leisure City	FL	81A5
1723	WAMR	107.5	Miami	FL	55F1
1727	UNID	100.3	Miami area	FL	ad for auto dealer...could be a pirate or is the WIOD translator still on the air (W262AN)?
1728	WLML (t)	100.3	Lake Park	FL	came up after unid with an ad for a restaurant in Lake Worth (different station than the UNID)
1728	W270AD (t)	101.9	West Palm Beach	FL	NPR News...only thing that fits
1729	WCKT	107.1	Lehigh Acres	FL	ad for Coconut Point Ford (in Estero)
1730	WWWK	105.5	Islamorada	FL	Partial RDS text decode
1733	WAIL	99.5	Key West	FL	local info with mentions of Key West...came up a couple of time over local WCRB
1744	WZJZ	100.1	Port Charlotte	FL	mentions of local High Schools
1752	WFEZ	93.1	Miami	FL	625D RDS then a few minutes later a full legal ID
1752	WKZB	95.1	Marion	MS	"Non Stop Classic Hits 95.1 The Buzz"... then about 6 minutes later a legal ID
1754	WKWM	91.5	Marathon	FL	very weakly but clearly heard call letters
1755	WPBI	90.7	West Palm Beach	FL	"Classical South Florida"
1801	WMPN	91.3	Jackson	MS	75EB mentions of MPB radio
1802	WMPR	90.1	Jackson	MS	75EF
1827	UNID	91.5		LA	what sounded like either Christian Rock or even AA into "from Morgan City to Dondaldsonville"
1829	WUAL	91.5	Tuscaloosa	AL	with mentions of Alabama Public Radio and Tuscaloosa

This opening was recorded with the new ELAD SDR that records in 6 mhz segments of bandwidth. The loggings above are a combination of live listening and review of the recording itself. Mileage will be included in future reports as well as the reporting of new logs (there were about 15 from this opening) Right now I'm in the process of reviewing the June 12th opening.

Jeff Falconer, VA3NN – Clinton ON EN93fo
 Sangean HDT-1X, Sony XDR-F1HD, APS-13 at 22 , 10db preamp
 New=* New calls={XXXX} t=Tentative Time=ELT Distances=Miles

February 09 Ms

1126 KCMP* 89.3 Northfield MN TLK, full HD for 30 sec! 588

February 15 Tr

0030 WZLR 95.3 Xenia OH Briefly, "95.3 The Eagle now also rocking on 101.1", rare 301

February 16 Tr

2000 WVPW 88.9 Buckhannon WV Legal ID, NPR News 320

February 22 Ms

2337 Unid 89.7 ? ?? RDS PI: bogus WWAV

March 01 Ms

1232 KBIK 102.9 Independence KS "...in Coffeyville and all of southeast Kansas for more than 30 years...", previous Es
 867

March 01 Tr

1242 WXSS 103.7 Wauwatosa WI "Kiss FM" 322
 2002 WJJK 104.5 Noblesville IN Calls, classic rock 354
 2051 WONU 89.7 Kankakee IL REL: AC, "Shine FM" 365

March 02 Ms

0127 KTKC* 92.9 Springhill LA RDS PI: KTKC / RT: WEBSTER PARISH 976

March 07 Ms

2336 KWQW 98.3 Boone IA RDS PI: bogus KWPV 632

March 08 Ms

0636 KWQW 98.3 Boone IA TLK, RDS PI: bogus KWPV 632

March 12 Ms

1124 CKMW 88.9 Winkler MB "...best country CKMW...", on car radio 875

March 18 Ms

1852 KXGT 98.3 Carrington ND RDS PS: TED FM / PI: bogus WFJ 883

April 05 Ms

0034 WBOJ 88.5 Lumpkin GA RDS PS: The Truth / PI: WBOJ 823

April 06 Ms

0048 WBOJ 88.5 Lumpkin GA "The Truth" 823
0156 WNSC 88.9 Rock Hill SC RDS PI: WNSC / RT: SCET 606

April 12 Ms

1152 KRCS 93.1 Sturgis SD Ad, "...in Rapid City...", previous Es 1095

April 13 Tr

1059 WUWM 89.7 Milwaukee WI Milwaukee area concert info 322

April 18 Ms

1535 CKMW 88.9 Winkler MB "Country 89" 875
1651 KHMV 93.1 Pratt KS "Fly 93-1" 961

April 22 Ms

1709 KLHV 88.5 Cotton Valley LA REL: AC, RDS PS: artist/song / PI: KLHV
998

April 26 Ms

0415 WPAE 89.7 Centreville MS RDS PI: WPAE 1008

April 27 Tr

2000 WHID 88.1 Green Bay WI Weak with legal ID 325

April 28 Tr

2116 WJYW 88.9 Union City IN REL: AC, :Joy FM" 290

April 29 Ms

1724 WBOJ 88.5 Lumpkin GA RDS PI: WBOJ 823

May 02 Tr

2359 WOUB 91.3 Athens OH Legal ID, rare 298

May 03 Tr (Local CIBU1 91,7 off)

0025 WLGO* 91.7 Ashtabula OH EWTN Catholic REL, calls at BOH 129
0129 WKJA* 91.9 Brunswick OH KRTM REL 187
1210 WJHS 91,5 Columbia City IN ALT rock, "The Eagle WJHS", rare 263

May 03 Ms (Local CIBU1 91,7 off)

0936 W LPG* 91.7 Florence SC RDS PI: W LPG / PS: gmn.com / PTY: Religion 666
 2251 W MAU 88.9 Bude MS RDS PS: Think Radio / PI: W MPN 983

May 04 Ms

0030 W NSC 88.9 Rock Hill SC RDS PI: W NSC 606

May 10 Ms

1440 W MAU 88.9 Bude MS RDS PS: Think Radio / PI: W MPN 983

May 11 Es -MUF 107.9+

1608 W JSP 88.1 Warm Springs GA TLK, HD 1 CH 762
 1614 W VSF 89.7 Tallahassee FL Spanish, RDS PS: The Voice Of Florida State / PI: W VFS 921
 1617 W BOJ 88.5 Lumpkin GA RDS PS: The Truth / PI: W BOJ 823
 1627 W FRU 90.1 Quincy FL Underwriters list 906
 1630 W FSU 88.9 Tallahassee FL Weather 902
 1635 W FSQ 91.5 Tallahassee FL CLA music, RDS PS: W FSQ 929
 1639 W JGA 92.1 Jackson GA Ad string 725
 1647 W FSW 89.1 Panama City FL TLK, RDS PS: phone # / PI: W FSW 945
 1650 W PAP 92.5 Panama City FL C&W, RDS PI: bogus KERJ 929
 1651 W FLF 94.5 Parker FL TLK, RDS PS: W FLA / PI: bogus W FSX, mono, over local 973
 1652 W BFC* 95.1 Ebro FL OLD, RDS RT: 95.1 THE NEW BEACH / PI: W PBC 939
 1653 W DJR 98.9 Enterprise AL Ads, RDS PS: Mix 96.9 / PI: W DJR 905
 1654 W BFA 98.3 Fort Mitchell AL R&B, RDS PS: TheBeat / PI: W BFA 799
 1655 W GSY 100.1 Phenix City AL RDS PS: Sunny 100, on Sony 788
 1659 W MRZ 98.1 Dawson GA R&B, HD 841
 1700 W HWY 98.1 Holt FL C&W, RDS PS: HWY 98 / PI: incorrect W HWY 952
 1704 W ISK* 98.5 Americus GA Atlanta Braves BB post game show, only one on 2014 list 809
 1705 W MYZ 88.7 Clermont FL REL: AC, HD 1032
 1706 W GCU 90.1 Fort Myers FL REL: AC, HD 2 CH 1158
 1707 W SOR 90.9 Naples FL REL: AC, RDS PS: W SOR 1191
 1708 W ECQ 92.1 Destin FL Top 40, "Q 92", RDS PI: W ECQ 943
 1709 W NCV 93.3 Shalimar FL "Coast 93.3", RDS PI: W NCV 952
 1710 W DBT 93.7 Hartford AL TLK, RDS PS: TheVoice / PI: W USD (previous calls), mono 900
 1712 W UBL 94.9 Atlanta GA Ads 693
 1714 W SRV 97.1 Gainesville GA Classic rock, RDS PS: THE RIVER / PI: W SRV 666
 1716 W ZLB* 103.1 Valparaiso FL Heavy metal, RDS PI: W ZLB / RT: THE BLAZE ROCKS 949
 1721 W WAV 102.1 Santa Rosa Beach FL Rock, RDS RT: W WAV 102.1 THE WAVE 949
 1724 W TSU 89.9 Montgomery AL HD 2 CH: "TROY" 833
 1729 W WRM 94.9 Tampa FL Ads, RDS PS: MAGIC / PI: W WRM, HD 2 CH 1090
 1730 W JIS 88.1 Bradenton FL Taking pledges, RDS PS: W JIS 1127
 1741 W JUF 90,1 Inverness FL TLK, HD 3 CH 1024
 1743 W LTQ 92.1 Venice FL "92.1 The Coast", RDS PI: bogus KBKK 1136
 1745 W FLZ 93.3 Tampa FL RDS PI: bogus KBEH, HD 1088
 1745 W GYL 93.7 Vero Beach FL NWS Weather Alert, RDS PI: bogus W MDA 1106
 1748 W LRN 91.3 Miami FL HD, on Sony 1218
 1749 W O LZ 95.3 Fort Myers FL Ads, RDS PI: bogus KECT 1180

1751	WXGL	107.3	Saint Petersburg	FL	Ads, RDS PS: EAGLE / PI: WXGL 1076
1752	WQCS	88.9	Fort Pierce	FL	HD 3 CH 1118
1753	WUSF	89.7	Tampa	FL	RDS PS:WUSF89,7 / HD 1088
1755	WYUU	92.5	Safety Harbor	FL	HD, on Sony 1090
1756	{WCIE}	91.5	New Port Richey	FL	REL: AC, "The Joy FM", ex WLPJ 1066
1757	WAVW	92.7	Stuart	FL	C&W, RDS PI: bogus KCPS, HD, over local 1129
1759	WRMB	89.3	Boynton Beach	FL	Legal ID, "Moody Radio South Florida", RDS PI: bogus WXB 1181
1802	WCTQ	106.5	Sarasota	FL	C&W, HD 1109
1803	WSRZ	107.9	Coral Cove	FL	Classic rock, HD 1136
1804	WTZB	105.9	Englewood	FL	Rays BB post game, RDS PI: bogus KDOH, HD 2 CH 1139
1805	WJGM	105.7	Baldwin	FL	Gospel music, "105.7 The Gospel", over local 913
1809	WHPT	102.5	Sarasota	FL	RDS PS: THE BONE / PI: WHPT 1118
1810	WKSG*	89.5	Cedar Creek	FL	Underwriters list, "The Boulevard 89.5" 995
1815	WKES	91.1	Lakeland	FL	REL: AC, RDS PI: WKES 1071
1816	{WQGA}	103.3	Waycross	GA	Ads, "103-Q", ex WWSN, on Sony 859
1820	WSMR	89.1	Sarasota	FL	CLA music, RDS PI: bogus WVO 1139
1821	WABR	91.1	Tifton	GA	HD 843
1823	WVKV	95.3	Nashville	GA	REL: AC, "K-Love" 854
1826	WQPW	95.7	Valdosta	GA	Ads, "95.7 The Mix" 895
1827	WXKB	103.9	Cape Coral	FL	HD, on Sony 1185
1828	WRXK	96.1	Bonita Springs	FL	HD 1185
1829	WPCV	97.5	Winter Haven	FL	C&W //stream, over local 1068
1830	WTSM	97,9	Woodville	FL	ESPN Sports, mono, RDS PS: RDS PS (not programmed) / PI: bogus WXB 924
1834	KYBI	100.1	Lufkin	TX	C&W, RDS PS: Y-100 / PI: bogus WVQ 1110
1836	KUHF	88.7	Houston	TX	HD 3 CH 1237
1837	KHPT	106.9	Conroe	TX	Houston ads , over local 1187
1838	KXAI*	103.7	Refugio	TX	REL: AC, RDS PS: Air1 / PI: KXAI 1381
1843	KBFM	104.1	Edinburg	TX	RDS PS: Wild 104, HD, double hop?? 1515
1856	WMFE	90.7	Orlando	FL	HD 2 CH 1035
1859	WNPS	88.7	Fort Myers	FL	CLA music, weather, legal ID 1185
1900	WFLJ	89.3	Frostproof	FL	RDS PI: "WJLF" 1107
1902	WNDN	107.9	Chiefland	FL	"Wind FM", RDS PI: "WIND" 975
1905	WNSS	89.3	Palm Coast	FL	RDS PS: WNSS FM / PI: bogus KWI 970
1912	WTBH*	91.5	Chiefland	FL	Lengthy area announcements 979
1915	WXTB	97.9	Clearwater	FL	HD, on Sony 1066
1919	WXHR	101.5	Quincy	FL	Ads, RDS PI: bogus KBGJ 917
1922	WAKU	94.1	Crawfordville	FL	RDS PS: Wave 94 / PI: WAKU 946
1924	WFSX	92.5	Estero	FL	TLK, RDS PS: 92.5 Fox / PI: WFSX 1192
1925	WVDA	88.5	Valdosta	FL	REL: AC, "Air One" 888
1931	WPOW	96.5	Miami	FL	HD 3 CH 1219

May 12 Ms

1722	WBOJ	88.5	Lumpkin	GA	RDS PI: WBOJ 823
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May 13 Ms

2028	WBNH	88.5	Pekin	IL	RDS PI: WBNH / PTY: Religious Talk 460
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May 16 Tr

1538	W290BI	105.9	Erie	PA	REL: AC //WCTL 106.3, 85 watts 128
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May 17 Ms

1026	CFQX	104.1	Selkirk	MB	C&W, RDS PI: bogus KRDS, later with promo for Prairie Jam Festival, previous Es 857
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May 17 Es -brief opening MUF 89.1

1845	KTXT	88.1	Lubbock	TX	ALT rock, "KTXT The Raider" 1295
1846	KTTZ	89.1	Lubbock	TX	Prairie Home Companion, HD 2 CH 1295
1859	KWOU	88.1	Woodward	OK	List of upcoming pgms, RDS PS: KGOU / RT KWOU 1066
1900	KRBG	88.7	Umbarger	TX	Legal ID, "Radio By Grace" 1257

May 18 Ms

0010	WLSU*	88.9	La Crosse	WI	RDS PI: WLSU / PTY: Public 492
0103	CKMW	88.9	Winkler	MB	Several burst, one abot 2 min long!, C&W, RDS PI: bogus WSQ 875
1125	Unid	88.5	?	??	RDS PI: bogus WPBN, beamed south

May 19 Ms

0850	WNSC	88.9	Rock Hill	SC	Promo for "Lancaster County Ag and Art Tour", tracked down by web search 606
2348	Unid	90.9	?	??	RDS PI: bogus KAA, beamed west

May 19 Tr

2324	WUWM	89.7	Milwaukee	WI	Good with upcoming concert info 322
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May 20 Tr

1720	WVPW	88.9	Buckhannon	WV	"West Virginia Public Radio" 320
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May 21 Es -MUF 107.9+

1958	KZCK*	88.1	Colby	KS	CLA music, legal ID, "High Plains Public Radio" 1052
2007	KVDM	88.1	Hays	KS	EWTN Catholic REL, RDS PS: KVDM 979
2013	KRWA	90.9	Rye	CO	REL: ACM "Way FM" 1286
2015	KOKF	90.9	Edmond	OK	REL: AC, RDS PS: Air1 / PI: KOKF 1013
2016	KBEZ	92.9	Tulsa	OK	Ads, RDS PI: KBEZ 925
2020	KJKE	93.3	Newcastle	OK	Ads, RDS PI: KJKE 1034
2021	KSPI	93.7	Stillwater	OK	Cowboys minor league BB, ad string between innings 978
2022	KJMK	93.9	Webb City	MO	Oldies, RDS PS: artist/song / PI: KJMK 811
2023	KTSO	94.1	Glenpool	OK	"The Breeze", RDS PI: KTSO 927
2024	KATI	94.3	California	MO	Cardinals BB, RDS PI: KATI 627
2025	KWEN*	95.5	Tulsa	OK	C&W, HD 925
2026	KYIS	98.9	Oklahoma City	OK	RDS PS: KISS-FM / PI: bogus WNQ 1014
2027	KCLR*	99.3	Boonville	MO	Ads, weather, RDS RT: CLEAR COUNTRY / PI: KCLR 663
2030	KYQQ	106.5	Arkansas City	KS	Spanish, RDS PI: KYQQ 918
2033	KBVA	106.5	Bella Vista	AR	Soft rock, RDS PI: KBVA 849
2035	KJSR	103.3	Tulsa	OK	Led Zepplin, RDS PS: ROCK 103 / PI: KJSR 914
2036	KRAV	96.5	Tulsa	OK	RDS PS: MIX96.5 / PI: bogus WND 925
2037	KMOD	97.5	Tulsa	OK	HD over local CJBX 925
2038	WWLS	98.5	The Village	OK	Rock, HD 1014
2041	KSMU	91.1	Springfield	MO	CLA music, RDS PI: KSMU 763
2043	KINZ*	95.3	Humboldt	KS	"The Classic Mix Z 95.3" 839
2044	KQCV	95.1	Shawnee	OK	Preacher //stream 978
1931	WPOW	96.5	Miami	FL	HD 3 CH 1219
2045	KWGS	89.5	Tulsa	OK	RDS PI: KWGS 914
2046	[{KUCO}	90.1	Edmond	OK	CLA music, RDS PS: 90.1KUCO, ex KCSC 1013

May 22 Ms

1638 WKCP 89.7 Miami FL RDS PI: WKCP, previous Es 1247

May 24 Ms

0015 KXGT 98.3 Carrington ND RDS PI: TED FM / PI: bogus WFJ 883
0050 KXBG 90.9 Warrensburg MO RDS PI: KXBG 7Q5

May 24 Es -MUF 97.3

1705 KUHF 88.7 Houston TX HD 3 CH 1237
1715 KRVS 88.7 Lafayette LA Cajun music, HD 1093
1933 WMAU 88.9 Bude MS RDS PI: WMPN, HD 983
1934 WFMN 97.3 Flora MS TLK, "Super Talk Mississippi" 903
1940 WJSU 88.5 Jackson MS Jazz, RDS PS: WJSU 911
1941 WPAE 89.7 Centreville MS Preacher, RDS PI: WPAE 1008
2010 KLBT 88.1 Beaumont TX Calls, REL: AC 1177

May 25 Ms

0806 KDCR 88.5 Sioux Center IA RDS PI: KDCR 936

May 25 Es -MUF 97.7

0823 WQCS 88.9 Fort Pierce FL TLK, HD 3 CH 1118
0823 WFIT 89.5 Melbourne FL RDS PI: WFIT 1073
0825 WKCP 89.7 Miami FL CLA music, RDS PI: WKCP 1247
0827 WFLZ 93.3 Tampa FL Ads, HD 2 CH 1088
0828 WPHR 94.7 Gifford FL C&W, RDS PI: WGYL (sister station) 1109
0829 WLLD 94.1 Lakeland FL HD 4 CH! 1099
0830 WKEZ* 96.9 Tavernier FL Oldies, RDS PI: WGMX (sister station) 1282
0832 WFLC 97.3 Miami FL RDS PI: WFLC, HD 1219
0835 WGNK 88.3 Pennsuco FL Spanish, RDS PI: WTNZ 1224
0837 WDNA 88.9 Miami FL Jazz, RDS PS: WDNA-FM 1247
0845 WSOR 90.9 Naples FL Preacher, RDS PS: WSOR 1191
0847 WFSX 92.5 Estero FL News, RDS PI: WFSX
0848 WOLZ 95.3 Fort Myers FL RDS PI: bogus KECT 1180
0852 WTLQ 97.7 Punta Rassa FL Spanish, RDS PI: WTLQ 1181
0942 WLRN 91.3 Miami FL TLK, RDS PI: WLRN 1218
1636 KMTH* 88.9 Maljamar NM Adult standards, RDS PI: KMTH 1410
1701 KNGM 88.9 Guymon OK "Great Plains Christian Radio" //KJIL-99.1
1155
1730 KJLJ 88.5 Scott City KS "Great Plains Christian Radio" //KJIL-99.1
1069
1912 KEPC 89.7 Colorado Springs CO Legal ID, RDS PS: KEPC 1252
1913 KUVU 89.3 Denver CO HD 3 CH 1251
1923 KLDV 91.1 Morrison CO REL: AC, "K-Love", RDS PI: KLDV 1252
1926 KCME 88.7 Manitou Springs CO List of area events 1257
1929 KJMN 92.1 Castle Rock CO Spanish, HD 1249
1930 KGNU* 88.5 Boulder CO Calls, into Chinese program 1240
1940 KLZV 91.3 Brush CO REL: AC, "K-Love" 1143

May 27 Es -MUF 89.7

1908 KMTH* 88.9 Maljamar NM News, RDS PI: KMTH 1410
1923 KENW 89.5 Portales NM TLK, RDS PI: KENW 1330
2002 KNGM 88.9 Guymon OK "KJIL Weather" 1155
2056 WMNF 88.5 Tampa FL HD 4 CH! 1088
2106 WKCP 89.7 Miami FL CLA music, RDS PI: WKCP 1247
2108 WQCS 88.9 Fort Pierce FL CLA music, RDS PI: WQCS 1118

May 28 Tr

1634	WUWM	89.7	Milwaukee	WI	Calls 322
1640	WMYX	99.1	Milwaukee	WI	Soft rock, "99.1 The Mix" 332
1645	WHQG	102.9	Milwaukee	WI	Ads, "The Hog" 327

May 28 Ms

2129	Unid	88.5	?	??	RDS PI: bogus WCM, PTY: Public, beamed SW
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June 03 Ms

1653	KEOM	88.5	Mesquite	TX	Oldies //stream 1108
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June 06 Ms

1554	WMAU	88.9	Bude	MS	RDS PI: WMPN 983
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June 07 Ms

0800	WQCS	88.9	Fort Pierce	FL	RDS PI: WQCS / PTY: Classical, previous Es 1118
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June 08 Ms

1126	CKMW	88.9	Winkler	MB	C&W, RDS PI: bogus WSQ 875
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DX-398, PL-880

5/4 Es

0938 unID 88.7 ?? ??, man and woman discussing `Bésame`, apparently a song they play a bit, several promos mentioning “Fórmula 970 AM,” signal faded in and out til 1020, assuming either XHJX Querétaro QR or XHEX Culiacan (Bellavista) SN

5/21 Tr

2052 KEAF 90.7 AR Fort Smith, Harold Camping on a frequency where I don’t normally hear him, ID at 2059 mentioning Family Radio

2057 KZLE 93.1 AR Batesville, two ads for something in Batesville, a good haul on the portable with whip only

Lacking analog TV in the US on lower channels (except low power), it’s not always obvious when the FM band is open. Sunday May 25, using only the DX-398 or PL-880 at ground level with whips only: sometimes I am getting two different DX stations on the same frequency due to antenna orientations; rather hectic. Strong signals occupying normally weak or open frequencies are a good tipoff that it’s DX. Most of the recordings are off the DX-398. This entire session was at my computer desk but with computer off due to the hash it puts out, not only on MF, HF but VHF. (However, with groundwave and probably skip, I have noticed that my TV antenna mast about 12 feet away, and about 21 feet above ground, influences what I get on FM, sort of focusing or reflecting signals, without any electrical connexion?)

5/25 Es

1449 KTND 93.5 CO Aspen, “Let It Be” ending and “always back in less than a minute, Thunder 93.5, Aspen’s classic hits” 845/525/456 (nautical miles)

1459 KZNS 97.5 UT Coalville, NBC Sports Radio mixed with KPAK Alva OK, “The Zone” 1277/794/689

1503 KTFY 88.1 ID Buhl, “The Bridge,” promo for a 3-8PM program in “The Valley”

1509 unID 87.9 ?? ??, “K-Love” ID on the DX398, not on the PL-880, suspect local image/mix, there is a Calvary Satellite Network translator in Sun Valley NV on 87.9 but they’re not affiliated with K-Love

1513 unID 93.3 ?? ??, mention of Rocky Mountain Power, ad for Sutherlands, poss KUBL Salt Lake City

1516 KVSC 88.1 MN St. Cloud, RDS shows KVSC, fading in with Spanish music tho KVSC is listed in databases as adult alternative

1527 KTPZ 92.7 ID Hazelton, RDS, ads for Sam’s Club and REI Outdoors, singing ID for KTPZ 1554/966/839

1530 CKSB-10 88.1 MB Winnipeg, French Canadian talk, “Ici Radio-Canada, Premiere” at 1632

1558 WGZS 89.1 MN Cloquet, native chanting with thunder sfx, “Ojibwe 89.1” ID 1234/767/666

1558 WHAA 89.1 WI Adams, mixing with WGZS, HD, Ideas Network news/talk 1084/674/586

1602 CKDR 92.7 ON Dryden, Shaw Direct Satellite ad, CBC news, ad for busn in Dryden 1544/960/834

1614 KABU 90.7 ND Fort Totten, “Res Radio---90.7FM,” as in Indian reservation, must be an informal name 1293/803/698

1616 KCMP 89.3 MN Northfield, “The Current from Minnesota Public Radio,” Twin Cities weather, “Make Some Noise on 89-3 The Current” 982/610/530

1618 unID 90.7 ?? ??, low key talk about Benny Goodman, Gunther Schuller, swing band movement, can’t find any programs to match on MPR, WPR schedules, no Canadians likely

1619 CJRL 89.5 ON Kenora, “CJRL 20/20 weather” for the Kenora region, website 89.5thelake.ca, tuned to 89.4 to avoid local 89.7 1513/940/817

1624 CFOB 93.1 ON Fort Frances, RDS “HITS YOU WANT 93.1 THE HITS YOU NEED,” not necessarily in that order, station promo 1408/875/760

1629 unID 90.7 ?? ??, “107 KSLT” is mentioned, slogan is “Power 107.1,” (this is KSLs Dickinson ND, they are a full power repeater of KSLT, same ownership-jz)

1629 unID 94.9 ?? ??, “Great Hits 95” slogan, no “hits” on that, but may have been misheard, poss is KLCH 94.9 Lake City MN, slogan is “Lake Hits 95”

1638 WECLt 92.9 WI Elk Mound, hard rock, RDS showing "X93 1," clogan is "92.9 The X" with an active rock format 1078/680/582
 1639 WSCD 92.9 MN Duluth, CCI from X93, classical music 1252/778/676
 1639 KRSW 89.3 MN Worthington, RDS "MPR," only Minnesota Public Radio station on 89.3 with classical 827/514/447
 1644 CFRY 93.1 MB Portage la Prairie, contest promo, ID, weather and singing ID 1530/951/826

5/29 Es

1123 KKJZ 88.1 CA Long Beach, "K-Jazz 88.1, member supported jazz radio" 1870/1162/1010
 1143 KAXL 88.3 CA Greenacres, woman with community event about a wilderness adventure, "...to submit your event visit kaxl.com," "Life FM" 1915/1190/1034

6/11 Es

1518 XHMZT 93.1 SN Mazatlán, ad for Tecate running a trivia contest, RDS showing MANDA something (likely a song title)
 1522 XHJZ 92.9 CI Ciudad Jiménez, numerous spots heard over 11 minute period, news promo
 1534 XHSB 94.9 CI Hidalgo del Parral, numerous PSAs, no RDS, WTFDA db puts this in Santa Bárbara CH
 1537 XHFAMA 97.5 CI Ciudad Camargo, National Water Commission weather forecast with highs of 40-50 C over parts of the country
 1541 XHEGD 90.3 CI La Poderosa, taking calls for family advice
 1545 XHFCS 90.3 SN Culiacán, "Radio María," mentioning they operate with no government funding

For a more detailed recap of Glenn's DX, go to the WTFDA Forums at <http://forums.wtfda.org> and go to the VUD FM DX Reports.

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Kenwood AR-304 AM/FM/FM Stereo receiver with filter modification by Bruce Elving, Harman-Kardon TU920 AM/FM/FM Stereo tuner, Antenna Performance Specialties APS-9B nine-element yagi at 28' AGL. NOAA Weather Radio equipment: Radio Shack PRO-2052 scanner, RS discone antenna at 32' AGL, Winegard HD8200U VHF-TV/UHF-TV/FM antenna at 32' AGL. All times CST/CDT, all distances in miles/kilometers.

9/19/13 Tr

2138 WKDQ 99.5 KY Henderson, calls, country music 170/274
 2235 WKYX 94.3 IL Golconda, "News/Talk 94-3 and 570 AM," promos, talk 165/266

9/20/13 Tr

2157 KHBZ 102.9 AR Harrison, "102-9 The Z," local ads, wx 230/370
 2202 KAMS 95.1 AR Mammoth Spring, high school football scores, \$ 175/282
 2230 KOEA 97.5 MO Doniphan, St. Louis Cardinals baseball 145/233

11/20/14 Tr

1413 Eldon MO 92.7\$, 101.9\$ 140/225
 1414 Columbia MO 91.3\$, 96.7\$, 101.5\$, 162.4 105/169
 1414 KMXV 93.3 MO Kansas City, "K.C.'s #1 hit music station, Mix 93.3," CHR 225/362
 1440 KPOW 97.7 MO La Monte, "Power 97.7," classic rock, promo, KHZR nulled 165/266
 1442 Mexico MO 88.3\$, 95.7\$ 95/153
 1449 KMMO 102.9 MO Marshall, "Real Radio KMMO," ads, wx, country music 155/249
 1453 KMZU 100.7 MO Carrollton, calls, country music, over KFNS 210/338
 1502 KTTR 99.7 MO St. James, ABC news, local ads, Sean Hannity 90/145
 1558 WPBG 93.3 IL Peoria, "93-3 The Drive," classic hits 140/225
 1602 Decatur IL 95.1, 102.9 110/177
 1603 Quincy IL 88.5, 90.3, 99.5\$ 110/177
 1606 KGRC 92.9 MO Hannibal, "Real 92-9," CHR, \$ 90/145
 1620 WQLZ, WTAO, KLOZ and KTWA all in on 92.7!

12/1/13 Tr

0057 W279AQ 103.7 IL Mascoutah, "Magic 100.3," urban AC, legal ID for KMJM 35/56
 0120 WBNQ 101.5 IL Bloomington, local ads, jingle ID, CHR 140/225

3/30 Tr

2350 WXLT 95.1 IL Carterville, *Delilah*, WDZQ nulled 100/161
 2357 KEZS 102.9 MO Cape Girardeau, "K-103," *Country Gold*, legal ID, \$ 115/184

5/8 Tr

0619 KIH20 162.4 AL Huntsville, wx forecast, summary, almanac, legal ID, AL/TN/GA cx 340/547
0626 WRSA 96.9 AL Holly Pond, "Light Rock 96-9," AC 380/612
0631 WBHK 98.7 AL Warrior, "98-7 Kiss FM," traffic report, wx forecast, R&B music 395/636
0637 WWTN 99.7 TN Hendersonville, "Super Talk 99-7 WTN," local ads, financial report 265/426
0640 KPOW 97.7 MO La Monte, "Classic Hits 97-7," wx forecast, classic hits 165/266
0646 KMGO 98.7 IA Centerville, "Iowa's Country, 98.7 KMGO," country music 225/362
0650 WXN92 162.525 AR Harrison, legal ID, wx forecast 230/370
0658 KTKS 95.1 MO Versailles, "KS-95," wx forecast, legal ID, Fox News Radio 130/209
0702 KBKB 101.7 IA Fort Madison, "101-7 The Bull," local ads, sports report 125/201
0710 KIH45 162.4 KY Bowling Green, severe wx outlook, lake wind advisory 220/354
0726 KZZ39 162.5 MO Clinton, wx forecast, cs for MO/KS/NE 185/298
0741 WWF53 162.525 AL Winfield, wx conditions for Alabama 365/587
0751 KMZU 100.7 MO Carrollton, "The Farm, 100.7 KMZU," website mention, country music 210/338
0755 KMXV 93.3 MO Kansas City, "Mix 93.3," CHR 225/362
0758 WDBR 103.7 IL Springfield, "DBR," local ads, antenna pointed west to avoid W279AQ 80/128

5/21 Tr

0019 WBOW 98.5 IL Paris, "The New 98-5 WBOW," adult contemporary music, KTJJ nulled 145/233

5/25 Tr

1142 KWTO 98.7 MO Springfield, local ads, through WNNS 195/314
1148 KJEL 103.7 MO Lebanon, "103-7 Regional Radio K-Jel," local ads, country music 155/249

6/25 Es

1105 KESO 92.7 TX South Padre Island, local ads in Spanish 960/1545
1116 XHHPR 101.7 CI Hidalgo del Parral, "La Coteria," local ads, Norteña music in SS 1205/1939
1138 KOIR 88.5 TX Edinburg, church service in Spanish 970/1561
1251 XHDI 88.5 CI Chihuahua, local spots, rock music in Spanish, over KMST 1140/1835
1320 KBNA 97.5 TX El Paso, local ads, PSA for UT-El Paso in Spanish 1020/1642
1331 KMTN 98.7 NM Maljamar, discussion program on medicine, o/WNNS 855/1376
1334 XHHPC 100.7 CL Ciudad Acuña, "Los Tres Grande," Norteña music in SS, o/KFNS 890/1432
1338 KSII 93.1 TX El Paso, "93-1 Kiss FM," CHR, over KBDZ 1020/1642
1350 KDEM 94.3 NM Deming, "Mix 94.3," weather forecast, hot AC over KATI 1075/730
1406 KNUW 95.1 NM Santa Clara, "The Mix 95-1," ID in English, CHR in Spanish 885/1424
1412 KLQT 95.1 NM Corrales, "Channel 95-1," CHR 930/1497
1419 KMVP 98.7 AZ Phoenix, "98-7 FM," local ads, AZ Diamondbacks baseball 1255/2020
1425 KMGA 99.5 NM Albuquerque, "99.5 Magic FM," local ads, AC 930/1497
1435 WNG548 162.4 AZ Show Low, wx forecast for eastern AZ, Springerville mention 1130/1819
1437 WXJ34 162.4 NM Albuquerque, hazardous wx outlook for the upper Rio Grande Valley/Albuquerque area 930/1497
1455 KTRA 102.1 NM Farmington, "102 KTRA," website promo, country music o/KTUI 985/1585
1457 KAZX 102.9 NM Kirtland, "Star 102.9 and 107-7," CHR, over KMMO 990/1593
1510 KKPK 92.9 CO Colorado Springs, "92-9 Peak FM," CHR, over KKID 775/1247
1512 KATC 95.1 CO Colorado Springs, "Cat Country," EAS, severe weather warning, k 775/1547
1520 KXAZ 93.3 AZ Page, "The Grand Circle's New 93-3 Jack FM," local ads, wx, adult hits 1160/1867
1523 KWUT 97.7 UT Elsinore, "97-7 The Wolf," country music, over KHZR 1175/1891
1529 KYGO 98.5 CO Denver, "Denver's Best Country 98-5 KYGO," k, over KTJJ 790/1271
1535 KQMT 99.5 CO Denver, "99-5 The Mountain," classic rock 790/1271
1537 KSKE 101.7 CO Eagle, "Ski Country," local ads, country music, Colorado FM #20 885/1424
1543 KXDP-LP 87.7 CO Denver, "87.7 FM," Mexican pop music in Spanish 790/1271
1545 KIDN 95.9 CO Burns, "KIDN, The Mountain," website mention, modern rock, o/WOLG 885/1424
1547 KZNS 97.5 UT Coalville, "1280 The Zone," local ads, promo, NBC Sports Radio 1125/181
1555 KUWR 91.9 WY Laramie, "Wyoming Public Radio," *Undercurrents*, legal ID, over K220HT 815/1312
1556 KSIT 99.7 WY Rock Springs, "Rock 99-7," AOR, legal ID, over WXAJ 1010/1625
1605 KIMX 96.7 WY Laramie, "I-Mix," hot AC, over KCMQ 815/1312
1630 KQLT 103.7 WY Casper, "Colt Country," severe wx warning, k, o/KJEL 875/1408
1639 KRCS 93.1 SD Sturgis, "Hot 93.1," local ads, CHR 785/1263
1648 KOUT 98.7 SD Rapid City, "Cat Country," local ads, wx forecast, k, o/WNNS 760/1223
1656 KLMP 88.3 SD Rapid City, "The Light," CCM, legal ID, Fox News Radio 760/1223
1702 KHRW 92.7 WY Ranchar, "92-7 The Eagle," classic hits, over WQLZ/KLOZ 960/1545
1709 KLED 93.3 WY Antelope Valley-Crestview, "93.3 The Legend," classic k 865/
1711 KURL 93.3 MT Billings, "93-3 KURL, Christian Radio," Christian teaching, local ad, wx 1040/1674

5/27 Tr

0121 WLFS 101.9 IL Springfield, "101-9 The Wolf," k, through K270BW 80/128
0200 Springfield IL 91.9, 98.7, 103.7 (W279AQ nulled), 104.5 (KSLQ nulled), 162.4 80/128
0201 Decatur IL 95.1, 102.9 110/177

6/1 Tr

0037 WXJ71 162.475 IL Peoria, wx conditions, regional wx summary, CDT time check, legal ID 140/225
0048 WPBG 93.3 IL Peoria, "93-3 The Drive," local ads, classic hits 140/225
0058 KSEF 88.9 MO Sainte Genevieve, acoustic music, promo, legal ID 65/105
0112 KJIR 91.7 MO Hannibal, "The Cross," Southern Gospel music, ACI from KSIV 91.5 90/145
0115 Columbia MO 89.5, 91.3, 96.7, 101.5, 162.4 105/169

6/1 Es

1544 XHRYS 90.1 TM Reynosa, CHR, weather conditions, local ads in Spanish 985/1585

6/6 Es

1955 CMBV 93.3 CU Havana, "Radio Taino," Latin pop music, Cuba mentions in Spanish 1175/1891

6/9 Tr/Gw

1950 WBNH 88.5 IL Pekin, Christian music, SRN nx, local nx/wx, legal ID, thru WGCA/KMST 140/225
2000 Peoria IL 93.3, 106.9 140/225
2200 W279AQ 103.7 IL Mascoutah, adult hits, legal ID // KLOU HD2 St. Louis MO 35/56
2250 KRHS 90.1 MO Overland, CHR, promos, WTSG nulled, now 24 hours 5/9
2330 KWUR 90.3 MO Clayton, rock music, legal ID, tough copy through WMSH 10/16

6/13 Tr

0115 WIVR 101.7 IN Kentland, "River Country," local ads, country music, o/WGEL 205/330
0135 WDNL 102.1 IL Danville, "D-102," hot AC 175/282
0149 WHMS 97.5 IL Champaign, "Light Rock 97.5," AC 150/240
0157 WCBH 104.3 IL Casey, "104.3 The Party," CHR, legal ID 110/177
0235 Springfield IL 91.9\$, 98.7\$, 101.9\$, 103.7 (W279AQ nulled), 104.5 (KSLQ nulled) 80/128

6/14 Tr

0035 WXL47 162.4 MO Bloomfield, wx conditions for SE MO, MO/IL/AR/KY/TN 135/217
0107 KIOA 93.3 IA Des Moines, website promo, oldies, only IA FM in! 275/443
0111 KXI66 162.425 MO Piedmont, Ozark foothills weather conditions 100/161

Tropo in September continued late into the month, with openings to the western Ohio Valley on September 19 and southern MO/northern AR on September 20. The November 20 tropo opening was a pleasant surprise, with four stations taking turns dominating on 92.7 from MO, IL and IA. The May 8 tropo opening extended from northern AL to southern IA. E-skip got off to a good start on May 25, logging 20 new FM stations (including one "Franken-FM") and setting records for NOAA Weather Radio reception. WNG548 162.400 was my first NOAA Weather Radio station from more than 1,000 miles away, and my first from Arizona. I also pulled in WXJ34 for my first NOAA Weather Radio station from New Mexico. These are my first two NOAA Weather Radio stations west of Kansas. The city of license for KLED 93.3 (Antelope Valley-Crestview) is the longest city of license name I've put into any of my logbooks in the nearly 33 years I've been in this hobby. I had another pleasant surprise on June 9 with the reception of CMBV 93.3, only my second Cuban FM station. Two nearby 10-watt stations were noted on June 9; KRHS is now 24 hours thanks to automation. As of June 15, the FM total is now at 1,262; the NOAA Weather Radio total is now at 114. 73.

In appreciation of Mike Bugaj's almost thirteen years of publishing the VHF-UHF Digest, the WTFDA Board of Directors is sending him an Elad FDM-S2 SDR as a retirement gift. They hope it brings him years of enjoyment.

Attempts to send Mike some e-skip have so far been unsuccessful.

You can read about the FDM-S2 on the next page!



THE ELAD FDM-S2

Comparisons to the XDR-F1HD and the Perseus SDR plus other info



Both Keith and I have had the ELAD FDM-S2 since they were in beta back around January. I didn't think I would ever give up my analog Yamaha T85 but I'm quickly becoming a believer. The S2 is 99% as sensitive as the T85 (only tested at home in a very high RF environment), it is more selective (SDR's have the ability to shift the sidebands and adjust the IF bandwidth down to zero) and sound quality wise is close to the T85 and IMHO many times superior to the Sony XDR-F1HD as well as the Sangean HDT-1X on weak signals. Without question you can use this SDR in the highest RF environments – it will not overload on FM – at least I haven't been able to do it yet.

There are many features one might find interesting – the most basic is that you can record up to 6MHz of live FM radio and play it back when you want. So when there was eskip last night I set it to record from 88-94MHz. Yes the files are large (2GB/minute) but how many tuners and digital recorders would you need to do that – up to 30 ??? You can see the carriers within the currently tuned 6MHz bandwidth – so a quick glance you might notice a carrier jumping up and down on another frequency. RDS is built in and can be ported to RDS Spy for better sensitivity and decoding features. Mobile DXing – the FDM-S2 is not quite as tiny as the dongle/sticks but it is small enough to fit into a laptop bag and is powered by 2 USB ports so no wall warts like the Perseus+FM+. And if you want the S2 covers 0-160MHz pretty much without any gaps and with excellent sensitivity in any band I have tried even >108MHz Aero bands and 154MHz VHF Hi.

Now there are downsides to everything. Both Keith and I have had our share of issues with stuttering and others annoyances. The ELAD guys have been very fast to fix reported bugs and add features as they are requested. Their latest software and firmware fixed one of my biggest issues and having used it almost non stop for the past 3 days it has been rock solid. PC hardware can be an issue too. I have 3 laptops of various ages and a desktop. Recording at 6MHz bandwidth can be a challenge unless your OS is very clean (background software updates, vscan, viruses, etc...) and while internal drives usually work well external can be a challenge unless using USB3 and enabling write caching (just learned that this week myself). That said with the right PC hardware the S2 records and playback (and live DXing) really well.

So you specifically asked for comparisons:

Sony XDR-F1HD:

Pros: no PC needed. Simple to use. HD. Buy one, sell it a month later for what you paid.

Cons: Display stinks, weak signal audio is muffled, buttons can be a pain to use, runs hot, no RDS output to a PC, 1 channel at a time reception.

Microtelecom FM+:

Pros: simple GUI, solid as a rock, excellent audio, decent RDS.

Cons: only 1.6MHz recording bandwidth, stutter issues on weak PC's, requires a Perseus too, no more support from Microtelecom, no RDS connection to a PC, no US RDBS decoding (Euro PTY codes).

Getting used to an SDR does take some time and I have to be honest until I got an i7 laptop I wasn't ready to take the S2 on the road. At home my i5 desktop works just fine. Hopefully this review helped at least a little. If not let me know. –Bill Nollman

Too bad it doesn't cover 162 MHz NOAA, or one would already be sitting in my shack. Is the cutoff exactly at 160.0 MHz ? –Bill Hepburn

Seems to be. There was an earlier version of the firmware and software that did allow for that. Not sure why it's not included anymore. –Keith McGinnis

That's too bad. \$580 is still a fair chunk of money to dish out. I guess I'll have to wait for the next one, the FDM-S3, to make it worth it. –Bill Hepburn

As Keith said it used to go above 160MHz. When it did I compared it to a Bearcat 350 and honestly the NOAA frequencies were (as expected) a bit weaker in the ELAD. Technology-wise this unit does FM 88-108 with a single sample. I think because the CPU is running at 122MHz it can sample at that rate. Above 122MHz they have to do some fancy math and that's where it starts to weaken (aliasing). Again, this is my poor understanding of how it works. The previous generation (S1) did up to about ~66MHz and now the S2 can do 122MHz without aliasing. I think the ELAD guys decided to cut it off at 160MHz because they don't want to hear people complain (like that EVER happens on groups/lists) about weak performance or read about it on email lists. Can't blame them as they have already created a piece of amazing technology not previously available. Like I said for 88-108MHz (and 0-88MHz too) it is 99% as good as what I consider the best analog FM tuner ever available. That says a lot. Even more so compare what this thing can do compared to a 5-10 year old Icom/Yaesu that would have cost \$10,000+ ! Just be sure if you want to record 6MHz you have a decent desktop (i5, 8G RAM, internal eSATA HDD or USB3 external with write caching enabled) and it should be a good experience. For a laptop setup you might need i7 although my problems with an i5 laptop seem to be hardware related. –Bill Nollman

Very helpful review of the Elad FDM-S2 from the perspective of an FM DX'er.

After yesterday's opening, I have exactly one E-Skip opening under my belt as an FM DX'er. Though perhaps a hundred experienced as a TV DX'er and 6 Meter/2 Meter amateur operator. The value of being able to record 6 MHz of FM bandwidth during an opening was immediately apparent. The opening netted me three new logs, which I found very exciting but also frustrating. I sat on 90.1 waiting for the NPR station to identify itself (it later decoded on RDS, yeah!) but terrified that I was missing an ID on another frequency.

Almost immediately I thought about adding a second tuner to go along with the Sony XDR-F1HD. The value of RDS Spy, which I had only thought about in terms of meteor scatter also became clear. With 100 potential channels, all of which could be open I now want all the bandwidth I can get.

I'm seriously considering selling the Perseus after only one season of MW DXing with it under my belt, so that I can purchase the Elad! –Les Rayburn



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