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FROM THE STAFF:

SNOW? DXERS LOVE IT! Not necessarily the wet stuff that makes life miserable in most parts of North America at this time of the year...but the kind on our TV screens that mysteriously organizes itself into images...*hopefully* from distant stations. Many WTFDAers were treated to a good helping of rare November E-skip; and as this is written in mid-December, winter Es openings have apparently been more numerous than usual. Willis Monk and Victor Frank have details in their respective DX columns elsewhere in this issue.

QUIET, ISN'T IT? As is usually the case, this is a relatively quiet time of the year for WTFDA happenings. Details on our late-summer convention in Georgia should be available for publication next month. Also expected for the February VUD; the 1996 financial report. Meanwhile, keep sending your reports, pictures and letters to the column editors. If you don't tell 'em...they can't report it!

ANARC NEWS: (*Provided by WTFDA's ANARC representative Ernest J. Wesolowski of Omaha, NE*) Executive Board elections are over and here are the members for 1997: JON COHEN, BILL COLE, DAVE MARSHALL, JOHN McCOLMAN and JOHN VODENIK. Eleven clubs took part in the election; six did not vote. Total membership in all 17 member clubs is 5,524; down 2,180 from last year due to the demise of ADXR, SPEEDX and RCMA. Of the clubs still in the association, the membership drop was 3.6%. Thanks to Richard A. D'Angelo who is retiring as Chairman. Finally, a reminder to attend the **WINTER SWL GATHERING** at the Holiday Inn in Kulpsville, PA March 13-15. About 200 DXers are expected to attend this annual event which features one hour forums devoted to every aspect of DXing. WTFDA members are encouraged to attend. For full information write Ernie at 13312 Westwood Lane; Omaha, NE 68144.

WTFDA Mailbox

January, 1997

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January, 1997 Renewals Due:

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New members! Welcome!

Giovanni Bellabarba, Bologna, ITALY
Ed Locker, Newark, OH

* Jeff Kruszka, Baton Rouge, LA

Well, since there is a lull in DX activity lately, I thought I'd write a memo to forum. First, let me reintroduce myself. I am 33 years old, recently married (to a Cajun girl), and am a chemical engineer by profession. After meeting a lot of other DXers at several WTFDA conventions, I think I'm one of the few employed in a profession that is not TV, radio, or electronics-oriented. I'm originally from Ohio, but if you've followed my exploits in the VUD you know that I've spent some "DX time" in Richland, WA and Metairie, LA. Ever since I started working I seem to move about every 4 years, which, if the pattern held true, I should be moving again in about 6 months. However, I've really settled down here in Baton Rouge, and I don't plan to move right now. Besides, it's hard to leave a location for Gulf tropo, hi!

Since 1992, I've improved my antenna setup from a cheap, Radio Shack corner reflector with no amp for UHF and quad loops for VHF, to an 8-bay UHF and a Crossfire VHF antenna, both with RDX Labs preamps. I can't begin to tell you what a difference it makes! Not only does it make more DX reception possible, it makes the whole DXing experience more enjoyable. For those of you contemplating buying an amp for the first time, or a larger antenna, while it may be a big investment for some, it is worth it. I had concerns, too; I wasn't sure if the amp would be a hindrance, producing bleedover on adjacent channels to locals. While this is true to some extent, it all but disappears during openings. And it even has allowed me to see stations through locals!

Some DXers have asked in the past what is the best TV set or VCR to buy. As for TV sets, I can vouch for the Zenith line as being one of the best. And if you look in the VUD, you'll see that a lot of the veterans use Zenith - Eckberg, Merrill, Nieman, Kadet, Oglethorpe and Aden to name a few. While an ICOM R-7000 with video adapter may be the ultimate DX machine, Zenith sets are probably in a better price range for most. As for VCRs, I have tested many, including Zenith, Panasonic, and JVC, and I like the Mitsubishi the best. Not only do they have a lot of helpful features such as indexing, multispeed slow motion, etc., you can also defeat the video mute for weak signal recording. I have not used it as a tuner since I got my camcorder a couple of years ago, but I noticed that several DXers do use Mitsubishi VCRs as such.

While some people are lamenting the potential forthcoming "sunsetting" of TV DX, I've seen some recent improvements that aid DXers. Have you noticed how many stations super IDs and logos (transparent or otherwise) these days? It's sure helped me ID more than a few new stations. And with the introduction of these mini satellite dishes, it has become necessary to have a "regular" antenna for local stations if one drops their cable subscription. So potential DXers may once again have an opportunity to be exposed to our hobby if they currently live in an all-cable environment. I sure wish

someone would volunteer to make a pocket TV station list, though. While Doug Smith's database is comprehensive, it's not as handy as I would like. I still have my first edition North American TV Database from 1987, which I update every month with info from Doug's TV News column. While it's getting worn and has endured several Scotch tape repairs, it's much easier to page through and find a station in a flash during a big opening.

Reading Tom Bryant's column in November made me reminisce about my "early years" in Ohio (1980, hi!). I originally got interested in DXing through shortwave radio, and learned about WTFDA through the Worldwide Radio-TV Handbook. I ordered "Beyond Shortwave" and some sample VUD's, and while I had experienced some tropo, the E-skip reports intrigued me. Once I started looking for it, it wasn't long before I got my first station by this mode. I can remember it like it was yesterday. It was WESH-2 Daytona Beach, FL from Elyria, OH, about 11:20pm in June, 1980. I remember because I saw the local weather from Daytona Beach. I was so excited, I ran downstairs to tell my parents, who responded with a "hmmmm-that's interesting" ho-hum attitude. Like Tom, I didn't keep good records that first summer, but soon realized I wanted to preserve those memories and started keeping logs the next year.

I hope everyone has a great New Year, and keep your photos coming!

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Greetings, everyone. I have recently joined the WTFDA and I am a newcomer to FM DXing. I am 42 years old, married with no children, and work as a shoe salesman for JCPenney. I have been DXing, mostly SW and AM since 1967, and I am a member of the NRC. I first became interested in FM DXing this past summer when I turned on the radio and, instead of hearing local WXTK-94.9, I heard WHOM in Mount Washington, NH. Needless to say, I became hooked and have since then logged about 67 stations in 6 states. I use a Radio Shack STA-300 and an amplified indoor FM antenna. I have noticed a similarity between FM and the AM graveyard channels, in that they are both unpredictable in terms of results. Hope all have a joyous holiday season. 73s de Rick Turner

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Another FM DX season has come and gone here in Mid-America, and unlike Glenn Hauser and Danny Buntin, my DX channels aren't as clogged here! I still managed to increase my totals over the summer, and after a revision of my FM logbook (after losing the original one while transferring it to diskette), my totals at this location now stand at 311. It's interesting to note that on FM, Missouri and Illinois are tied as my most productive states, with 68 stations from each state. By contrast, Illinois is my most productive TV state with 35 stations, with Missouri tied for a somewhat distant third with Ohio, tallying 23 each.

Here at my QTH, I've lost only two good DX channels... 91.5 and 95.5. I can null KNSX-93.3 (their coverage includes St. Louis' far western suburbs and mid-Missouri, 100kW, class C1) to hear DX, and still can be able to null KFAV-99.9 to hear WOOZ on some mornings. KZMM-100.7 signs off at 1am, so I can still hear KGMO (sometimes hearing them with KZMM on!). 91.5 is now clogged by KSIV-FM 24 hours a day, while 95.5 has WFUN parked there.

Danny's been complaining about the translator network for WAFR-88.3 Tupelo, MS (and similar networks set up by religious stations). It would be just as legitimate if, for the sake of discussion, KCFV-89.5 Ferguson, MO set up a similar one to spread its Modern Rock/Variety format across the

wide open spaces of the United States. Doug Smith calls it "translator abuse", and I don't blame him. I also don't blame Danny for complaining about WAFR's growing network. The closest WAFR translator to St. Louis is on 91.1 in Park Hills, MO (I can't hear 'em anyway, since WIBI Carlinville, IL blocks the channel, between locals KWMU-90.7 and KSIV-91.5). A translator for WAFR will not work in St. Louis for several reasons. First, St. Louis has a radical conservative Christian talker of its own, KJSL-630. Second, the religious demographics of St. Louis will not support such a station, since the market for this kind of old-fashioned radio has already been taken. Third, the St. Louis area is mostly Catholic and Lutheran (Missouri Synod). Fourth, the majority of Protestants in St. Louis have KSIV-1320, KSIV-FM 91.5, WCBW-104.9 and KXEN-1010 to choose from.

As for Danny's comments on so-called "pirate" stations...some micro-power FM stations are, in fact, legal! My station, "KCGR"-107.1 ("Cougar 107"), is what is known as a Part 15 radio station. These stations run an ERP of less than one watt (mine runs around 800 milliwatts), and cover an area of three miles or less. My station covers an area of about half a mile, using a secondhand Ramsey Electronics FM-10 transmitter. The station usually runs a pop-oriented 70's format, but is now off for maintenance. When it's on, it's 24 hours (I turn off my station when DX is in...making 107.1 fair game!). My viewpoint is more moderate than that of Stephen Dunifer, believing that anyone can, and should, be able to obtain a job in commercial broadcasting, even if that person has a disability. However, a maximum filing fee of \$6,000 is way too high. A more reasonable maximum filing fee, no higher than, say \$2,500, is ideal in this day and age.

Here's hoping 1997 is an excellent DX year... 73 from Eric-N0UIH.

(Eric also sends word that his grandmother passed away on November 19, 1996. We at WTFDA extend our sympathies to Eric and his family. -mcs)

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Does anyone know where the 1979 WTFDA Convention was held? I am compiling a list of WTFDA Convention locations, and the 1979 Convention location is the only one I haven't been able to determine. I am enclosing a list of what I believe are the WTFDA Convention locations; corrections and additions welcome.

1969: Steger, IL	1979: ???	1989: Syracuse, NY
1970: Dunkirk, NY	1980: Dunkirk, NY	1990: Manassas, VA
1971: East Lansing, MI	1981: Oklahoma City, OK	1991: Dunkirk, NY
1972: Marrero, LA	1982: New York, NY	1992: Pittsburgh, PA
1973: Dunkirk, NY	1983: Dunkirk, NY	1993: Nashville, TN
1974: Topeka, KS	1984: Jamestown, NY	1994: none
1975: Fort Lauderdale, FL	1985: Marrero, LA	1995: Wilmington, NY
1976: Chicago, IL	1986: Jamestown, NY	1996: Estes Park, CO
1977: Portland, OR	1987: Esko, MN	1997: Cohutta, GA
1978: Louisville, KY	1988: Cohutta, GA	

Sources: TV Time Tunnel column, May-June 1995 VUD, various issues of VUD 1983-1996.

Also, can some Canadian member write to the Canadian office of TV Guide and obtain a list of Canadian TV Guide editions. I have written them several times and have never received an answer (maybe they can't or won't respond to an inquiry from the U.S.?) I am enclosing a recent list of U.S. editions of TV Guide I recently obtained from them.

US TV Guide Editions (121) (as of 2/27/96)

Albany	Kansas City	Sacramento Cable
Arkansas	Kansas State	Salt Lake
Atlanta	Kentucky	San Antonio
Baltimore	Knoxville-Chattanooga	San Diego
Boston	Los Angeles	San Diego-Cox Cable
Bristol-Kingsport-Johnson City	Louisiana	San Francisco Metro
Brooklyn-Queens	Maine	Santa Barbara-Bakersfield
Buffalo Metro	Memphis	Shreveport-Texarkana
Central Indiana	Minneapolis-St. Paul	South Carolina
Central Mississippi	Minnesota State	South Georgia
Central Pennsylvania	Missouri	South Mississippi
Central Virginia	Montana	South Texas
Charlotte	Nashville	Southeast Pennsylvania
Chicago	Nebraska	Southeast Texas
Cincinnati	Nevada	Southern Alabama
Cleveland Metro	New Hampshire	Southern Colorado
Columbus Metro	New Mexico	Southern Florida
Dallas-Fort Worth	New Orleans	Spokane
Dayton	New York Metro	Springfield-Chicopee-Holyoke
Denver	North Dakota	St. Louis
Detroit	North Texas	Staten Island Cable
Eastern Illinois	Northern Alabama	Syracuse
Eastern North Carolina	Northern California	Tampa-Sarasota
Eastern Virginia	Northern Colorado	TCI of Northern New Jersey
Eastern Washington State	Northern Florida	Time Warner Cable Manhattan
Evansville-Paducah	Northern Indiana	Time Warner of Greater Boston
Flint-Lansing	Northern Michigan	Time Warner of Northeast Ohio
Fresno	Northern Ohio	Toledo-Lima
Garden State Cable TV	Northern Wisconsin	Tucson
Grand Rapids	Oklahoma City	Tulsa
Greater Omaha	Oregon State	US West
Greenville-Spartanburg-Asheville	Orlando	Vermont
Gulf Coast	Paragon Cable-Tampa Bay	Washington
Hartford-New Haven	Pennsylvania-New York	West Texas
Hawaii	Philadelphia	West Virginia
Houston	Phoenix	Western Illinois
Idaho	Pittsburgh Metro	Western New York State
Illinois-Wisconsin	Portland	Western Washington State
Iowa	Providence	Wheeling-Steubenville
Johnstown-Altoona	Puget Sound-Viacom Cable	Youngstown-Erie
	Rochester	** Source: TV Guide HQ, Radnor, PA

Also, during the week of November 4-10, TBN was having another one of their fundraisers. On the night of the 4th, they were listing the cities where they plan to start new stations or upgrade existing ones. I am enclosing a list of these cities. Only cities were mentioned on TBN; no calls or channels. I have added calls where I have found TBN stations listed for that city.

Presently under active construction: Eureka, CA, Fayetteville, NC, Jacksonville, NC, Lumberton, NC, Meridian, MS, Norfolk, NE, Oshkosh, WI, Pittsburgh, PA (W65CG - this one apparently just signed on the night of the 4th), Port Charlotte, FL.

Existing station being upgraded: Ogden, UT (K64CJ).

Existing stations to be upgraded permits granted: Austin, TX (K63DR), Baton Rouge, LA (K56DR), Cedar Rapids, IA (K61FF), Champaign, IL (W34AY), Charleston, SC (W44AX), Flagstaff, AZ (K62BA), Palatine/Chicago, IL, Pocatello, ID, Uvalde, TX (K15BV).

Awaiting permits: Albany, GA, Binghamton, NY (W14AH), Charlotte, NC (W68BL, W62BV), Chico, CA, Coalinga, CA, Corpus Christi, TX, Cottonwood, AZ (K58AV), Cresaptown, MD (W16AE), Elgin, IL, Erie, PA (W42BA), Goldsboro, NC (W59BA), Greenville, NC (W54BR), Junction City, KS (K26BZ, K25DS), Kingsville, TX, Minneapolis, MN (K58BS), San Antonio, TX (K20BW, K33CK), Santa Barbara, CA (K15DB), Springfield, MA, Tampa, FL (W68CF), Vernal, UT (K39AK), Waterloo, IA (K65BY), Waukegan, IL (W22AJ), Wilmington, NC (W20AL), Youngstown, OH (W39AJ).

New stations under active development, permits granted: Beaufort, SC, Bismarck, ND, Dickinson, ND, Hot Springs, AR, Idaho Falls, ID, Jonesboro, AR, Macon, GA, Minot, ND (K31EQ), Naples, FL, Paragould, AR, Rocky Mount, NC (W53BF), Springfield, MO (K52DH), Tahlequah, OK (K45ER), Wenatchee, WA.

New stations under active development, awaiting permits: Altoona, PA, Banning, CA, Cadillac, MI, Cincinnati, OH, Elmira, NY, Haverhill, MA, Modesto, CA, Rome, GA

Proposed new stations: Abbeville, SC, Cheyenne, WY, Key West, FL, Logan, UT, Provo, UT, Traverse City, MI, Wausau, WI (K29DG), Wisconsin Rapids, WI.

New affiliates under development: Altus, OK, Bardstown, KY, Brownfield, TX, Crockett, TX, Dimmitt/Hereford, TX, Findlay, OH (W60??, ex-W46BX, Toledo OH), Geneva, NY (W26BG- to Ithaca?), Honolulu, HI (KOBN-26), Jamestown, NY, Jellico, TN, Kearney, NE, Littlefield, TX, Mayville, WI (WWRS-52), Memphis, TN (W65BF), Richmond, VA (W02BN), Sacramento, CA (K69FB), Scranton, PA, Shelbyville, KY, Syracuse, NY (W59CH), Waco, TX (K53EN, ex-Temple).

Existing affiliates to be upgraded: West Palm Beach, FL, Columbus, OH (W24BK), Toledo, OH (W57BK, W68CD), Salt Lake City, UT (K36CJ).

Sources for call info: 1992 TV Factbook, 1995 North American TV Database, various VUDs, 1995-96.

CCI/unIDentified DX: Danny Oglethorpe of Shreveport, LA has an unID... "October 18, 1996, at about 1125 CDT on channel 2 (Es). My suspicion is Panama. There may be two stations here (one not in Panama). Apparently, a CBS on channel 5 is being relayed from the US at first. A plain graphic without any calls, logo, or slogan is seen that says, "NEWS 5 LIVE". That is followed by one of those ID/promos that CBS is running before (or after) their programs. (The ones with a CBS celebrity standing by a CBS eye.) After a deep fade, an animated graphic shows such initials as PAN, PT, PRI and PDM with logos. Next comes a graphic that reads, "Comision de Radiodifusion". Then, news in Spanish. I've seen sporting events from US networks (mostly NBC) relayed by what I believe to be Cubans, but never anything else. In addition, I can't imagine an American CBS affiliate on channel 5 that would be so poor as to not have their calls, logo, or slogan on that News 5 graphic. Nothing from Panama or anywhere in Central America or the Caribbean listed in the 1994 WRTH matches what I saw. By the way, the video was weak, while audio was nonexistent at times. The signals were from the south-southwest."

For sale: The Venezuela TV List 1997, a 14-page booklet, is now available. It includes a complete list of TV stations in Venezuela with channels, addresses, phone and fax numbers, transmitter locations and power, ordered by channel. You can obtain it via certified air mail, by sending \$8 US to: Manuel A. Rodriguez Lanza, PO Box 65657, Caracas 1066-A, Venezuela, or to: Dario Monferini - Play DX, via Davanzati 8, 20158 Milano, Italy. (Thanks to Ken Simon for this information.)

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• 1996 FM E-skip summary •

Reports are taken from the Northern and Southern FM DX columns up to the December 96 VUD. "All-time" records refer to the period 1981-1996, as that is as far back as my records go, as I do not have any access to earlier VUDs. Special thanks to Doug Smith for assistance compiling this summary! @ = new all-time record

THE TOP 20 OPENINGS OF 1996:

DATE	TOTAL	#rep	avg	MUF	high	TV-rank
1. June 11	325	19	17.11	107.9	48	2
2. July 1	255	17	15.00	144.2	63	*
3. June 18	217	14	15.50	107.9	50	12
4. July 11	197	12	16.41	107.9	52	10
5. July 7	155	17	9.12	107.7	26	*
6. July 9	151	8	13.88	107.9	30	4
7. July 2	98	10	9.80	107.9	27	*
8. May 29	92	6	15.33	105.1	33	*
9. May 21	90	9	10.00	108.0	55	7
10. July 10	87	10	8.70	107.5	20	*
11. July 6	74	10	7.40	107.9	20	*
12. June 20	72	7	10.29	144.2	20	6
13. May 24	67	7	9.57	107.5	21	11
14. May 31	61	8	7.63	106.5	27	*
15. June 17	60	12	5.00	104.1	15	5
16. June 10	59	7	8.43	106.9	22	*
17. June 9	59	10	5.90	107.9	8	13
18. July 4	56	9	6.22	106.7	26	*
19. May 23	50	12	4.17	106.5	10	*
20. May 28	49	9	5.44	106.7	28	*

SKIP RESULTS BY MONTH:

MONTH	TOT	days	avg	avg MUF	rank
MARCH	8	1	8.00	99.9	*
APRIL	3	1	3.00	94.9	6th
MAY	489	15	32.60	101.26	7th
JUNE	959	20	47.95	103.18	12th
JULY	1180	22	53.64	103.57	10th
AUGUST	104	8	13.00	104.24	9th

1996 TOTAL-SEASON RANK: 11th/16

(rank is for seasons 1981 to 1996. No ranks compiled outside April-Sept. at this time)

1996 TOTAL: 2743 67 days avg of 40.94 loggings per opening Average MUF = 102.83

1995 stats: 3746 74 days avg of 50.62 loggings per opening Average MUF = 104.00

1994 stats: 8567@ 84 days avg of 101.99@ loggings per opening Average MUF = 106.26

1993 stats: 2688 55 days avg of 48.87 loggings per opening Average MUF = 101.43

KEY (top 20 list):

TOTAL - total number of FM loggings reported on that day

#rep - number of DXers that reported hearing FM skip that day

avg - average number of FM loggings per DXer that day (TOTAL + #rep)

MUF - maximum useable frequency noted on that day

high - most FM loggings reported by an individual DXer on that day

TV rank - the ranking of this skip day in Doug Smith's 1996 TV E-skip report.

KEY (breakdown by month):

TOT - total number of FM loggings reported during that month

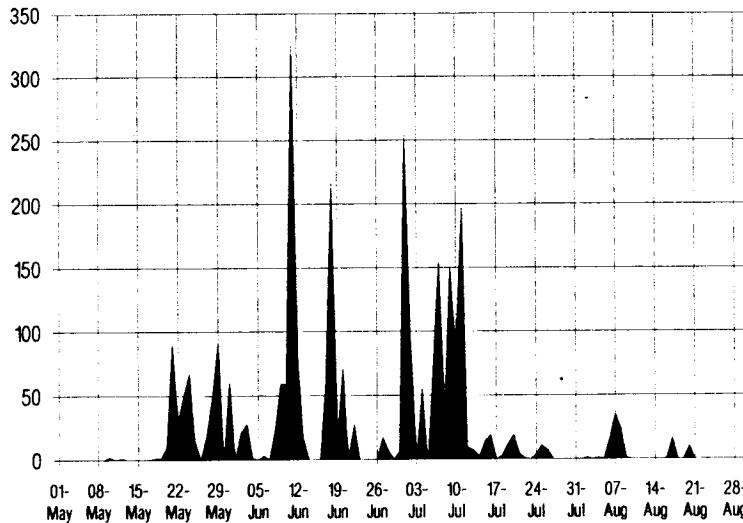
days - number of days that month that FM loggings were reported

avg - the average number of FM loggings per DXer per day during that month

avg MUF - the average maximum useable frequency noted for skip openings during that month

rank - how this month in 1996 compared to the 'all-time records' (1981-1996)

1996 SKIP SEASON - LOGGINGS EACH DAY



MAJOR OPENING (200 loggings): 3 openings (June 11, 18, July 1)

BREAKDOWN BY MUF (maximum useable frequency)

MUF noted	#openings	this high	percent of season	APR	MAY	JUNE	JUL	AUG	SEP
up to 108 Mhz+	5		7.46%	0	2	1	2	1	0
up to 107.9 Mhz	16		23.88%	0	2	5	7	2	0
up to 105.1 Mhz	27		40.30%	0	7	8	10	2	0
up to 100.1 Mhz	42		62.69%	0	8	14	15	5	0
up to 98.5 Mhz	44		65.67%	0	9	14	15	5	0
up to 96.1 Mhz	47		70.15%	0	10	14	17	5	0
up to 92.1 Mhz	61		91.04%	1	15	18	20	6	0
up to 88.1 Mhz	67		100.00%	1	15	20	22	8	0

(There was also an FM opening reported March 19, 1996 with an MUF of 99.9)

A look back on previous E-skip seasons...

YEAR	TOTAL	#days	aver	Apr.	May	Jun.	Jul.	Aug.	Sep.
1996	2743	67	40.94	3	489	959	1180	104	0
1995	3746	74	50.62	2	406	891	2249	143	0
1994	8567	84	101.99	227	1454	5158	1574	153	1
1993	2688	55	48.87	0	57	1762	809	46	11
1992	2674	44	48.61	0	840	1523	140	99	0
1991	4003	78	51.32	0	483	1064	1929	356	10
1990	4980	68	73.24	0	2019	1603	1258	74	13
1989	3848	74	52.00	1	581	550	2031	531	0
1988	1965	67	29.33	0	357	1186	307	33	0
1987	4922	82	60.02	59	209	2661	1686	300	0
1986	2951	73	40.42	21	802	978	469	573	18
1985	1786	64	27.91	0	170	842	614	11	66
1984	1639	87	18.84	40	550	515	332	72	11
1983	3856	76	50.74	0	373	1525	1714	112	0
1982	4333	74	57.77	20	425	2038	1508	334	0
1981	3366	59	57.05	1	424	1085	1625	228	0
TOTAL	58067	1126	51.57	372	9639	24340	19425	3169	130

Overall, this was a disappointing season all around. Only five years have been worse, and only 1993 & 1992 have been worse this decade. By contrast, 1994 had over three times as many loggings as this year! Only a few bursts of heavy activity saved this from being a complete disaster, early July being one of those bursts. Note that no openings reached "outstanding" status (400 loggings) and only three reached "major" status (200 loggings), quite a decrease from recent years (see previous years' reports). Coincidentally, June 11 and July 1, the two best days this year, have been well represented with good openings in previous years as well.

Special Report: 1996 TV Es summary

Reports are from the pages of Eastern and Western TV DX for calendar 1996. Reports of reception from December 1, 1995 to November 30, 1996 are used.

Top openings of 1996:

Date	Total	Reporters	Avg.	MUF	Max	FM rank
12/26/95	137	14	9.79	107.9	41	*
6/11/96	114	12	9.50	107.9	23	1
5/22/96	112	12	9.33	116.5	31	*
7/9/96	83	12	6.92	107.9	26	6
6/17/96	74	14	5.29	104.1	23	15
6/20/96	73	6	12.17	144.2	40	12
5/21/96	67	14	4.79	108.0	24	9
12/25/95	67	11	6.09	106.3	15	*
12/27/95	67	10	6.70	107.3	27	*
7/11/96	66	14	4.71	107.9	21	4

Total is the total number of IDable DX loggings reported by all DXers. Reporters is a count of how many members reported Es DX (IDable or not) on that day. Average is the average of how many IDable loggings each DXer had. Max is the maximum number of loggings by one DXer.

If I hadn't counted dates in December 1995, the next three openings would have been 5/24/96 (62 loggings), 6/18/96 (60), and 6/9/96. (59)

Monthly Breakdown:

Month	Es loggings	Es days	Loggings per day
January	28	11	2.55
February	9	9	1.00
March	43	11	3.91
April	37	11	3.36
May	651	28	23.25
June	830	29	28.62
July	756	26	29.08
August	219	22	9.95
September	13	9	1.44
October	9	4	2.25
November	2	1	2.00
December	357	17	21.00
Total:	2,954	178	16.60
1995:	3,391	160	
1994:	2,253	118	
1993:	1,585	102	

Many of us considered 1996 a dud year, but the statistics would seem to show otherwise! It wasn't quite as good as 1995 in total loggings, but it had more days of skip than any year in my records.

Pests:

The following stations were the biggest Es pests in 1996:

WPBT-2	(99)	WCBD-2	(48)
WEDU-3	(79)	KNAZ-2	(46)
WESH-2	(74)	KGAN-2	(44)
WUND-2	(51)	WJBK-4	(44)
KPRC-2	(51)	KWGN-2	(43), tied with WFOR-4 (43)

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Pests, contd.

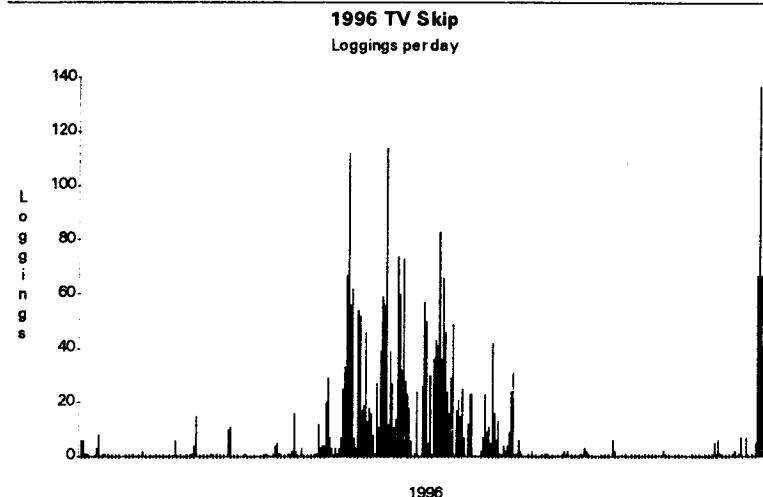
By channel, the biggest pests were:

Channel 2 - WPBT
Channel 4 - WFOR
Channel 6 - WTVJ

Channel 3 - WEDU
Channel 5 - WPTV

Note that all five of these stations are in South Florida!

High-band skip was reported on only two days, May 18 and May 31. A MUF of 162MHz was reported on July 1; there was probably also high-band skip on this day.



The chart tells the story. Short bursts of skip throughout the year, some moderate openings in mid-summer, and some very nice ones around Christmas 1995. Early reports suggest there's been a lot of winter skip already in 1996, and it's still 10 days before Christmas. Hopefully we'll have another banner winter skip season. Good luck!

73 *Doug*

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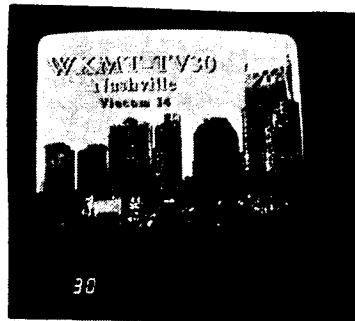
Bill Eckberg, Dixon, IL:
Equipment:

VHF - 1966 Zenith 14N22 23" B/W TV with C.M. 1110 @41'.

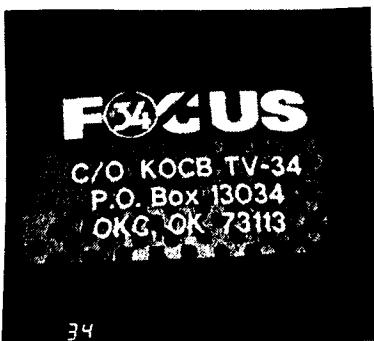
UHF - 1990 Zenith AC-DC 9" color TV w/C.M. screened 7' dish @52' and RDX Labs UA-900 preamp.



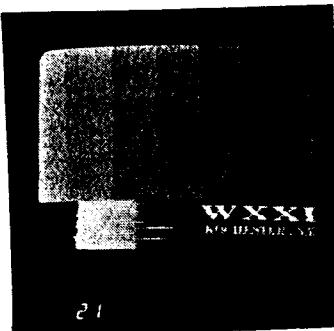
WNDY-23 Indianapolis, IN
214 mi Tr seen mid-'95
@ early AM
"Indy" TV; interesting CB pattern



WXMT-30 Nashville, TN
408 mi Tr seen 9/95
@ early AM



KOCB-34 Oklahoma City, OK
612 mi Tr seen 8/21/95
@0520 CDT

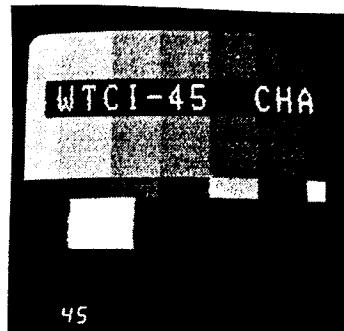


WXXI-21 Rochester, NY
600 mi Tr seen 8/21/95
@0505 CDT
with KOCB, a possible 1200 mi Tr path open!

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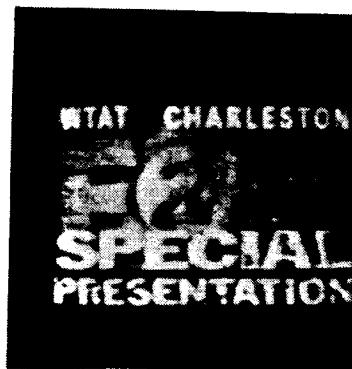


WTCL-45 Chattanooga, TN
512 mi Tr seen 9/18/95
@0515 CDT

Chattanooga, not Channel America, hi!

Russ Miller, Amity, ME:

Equipment: 12" Alaron TV, VHF modified Radio Shack antenna w/ CM 18 db preamp. Modified RSCR Winegard 28 db UHF preamp w/RG-6, @ 60' AGL.



WTAT-24 Charleston, SC
1111 mi Tr seen 10/7/96
@0001 ET
Nice catch!!

Eric Voytko, McLean, VA:

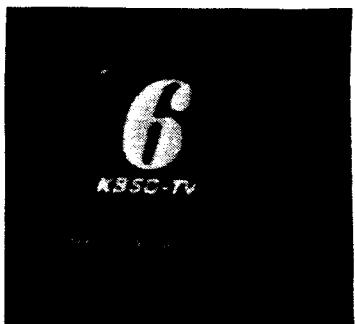
Equipment: Channel Master Quantum 1110 @ 20' AGL, Sony KV8-AD11 TV, ICOM R7100 receiver, Polaroid One-step camera.



CKVR-3 Barrie, ON
400 mi Tr seen 8/22/96
@1015 EDT
"The New VR"; my multiple-unid from this summer! Thought at times this was a "JR" or VR for VR troopers!



KBJR-6 Superior, WI
930 mi Es seen 7/11/96
@1849 EDT



KBSD-6 Ensign, KS
1260 mi Es seen 7/18/96
@1600 EDT
"Ensign-Dodge City"



KSNB-4 Superior, NE
1110 mi Es seen 8/9/96
@1030 EDT
thru WRC-4 @ 10 miles! Nebraska TV

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SATELLITE NEWS

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The satellite-by-satellite roundup continues.
A listing of changes to previously listed birds will
be in the next column. - now to the next few birds...

MORELOS 2 - 116.5 West - November 28, 1985 - Activated Fall, 1989 (10 years) C-Band 7 watts/narrow - 10.5 watts /wide - 4 Ku-Band transponders - unused - 20 watts
FORMAT - Odds-Horizontal - Evens-Vertical
8 - XHGC - Ch. 5 - Mexico City, DF Mexico
10 - WEIPN - Ch. 11 - Mexico City, DF, Mexico
14 - XEW - Ch. 2 - Mexico City, DF Mexico
16 - WHIMT - Ch. 22 - Mexico City, DF, Mexico
18 - Clara Vision - Catholic Religious
22 - TV Azteca - CH 7 - Mexico City, DF, Mexico
24 - TV Azteca - XHDF - Ch. 13 - Mexico City, DF, Mexico

No Ku-Band is noted

Anik E-1 - 111.1 West - 1991 - C and Ku-Band 11 watts
FORMAT - odds-Horizontal, Evens - Vertical
occasional feeds only - limited transponder use due to technical failure

Ku-Band - No analogue signals noted - mostly digital transmissions - also limited transponder use due to technical failure

SOLIDARIDAD I - 109.2 West - 37.5 and 40.4 watt C-Band transponders - 47 watt Ku-Band transponders 1-31-94 (10 years) Inclined orbit
FORMAT - Odds-Vertical/Evens-Horizontal
6 - XEWH - Telemax - Ch 6 - Hermosillo, Sonora, Mexico
7 - XEQ - Ch. 9 - Mexico City, DF, Mexico
10 - Governmental channel
no other services noted at this location

SOLIDARIDAD 2 is located at approximately 113 West and is currently in storage

ANIL E2 - 107.3 West - C and K-Band - September 1, 1991
FORMAT - same as E1
50 watt spot beams on Ku-Band

1 - CBMT - Ch6 - Montreal, Quebec - CBC English
2 - TSN - Sports - Oak/Orion encryption
6 - CBC Newsworld
9 - CBC North
11 - CBC French - Montreal, Quebec, Canada
13 - CBC North - Western Area
188 - V C C Shopping Channel
Ku-Band
16H - Ontario Legislature
18H - TV Ontario - French
20H - TV Ontario - English
26H - Atlantic Satellite Network

G-STAR 4 - 105 West - 1990 - Ku-Band only (10 Years)
FORMAT - 1-16 - Horizontal, 17-32 Vertical all 27 watts
Used primarily for feeds

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*: Non-commercial station
 nc: No Change
 +/-: Channel offsets (plus,
 z/n: minus, zero, and none)

APPLICATIONS FOR NEW STATIONS

<u>St</u>	<u>Ch</u>	<u>ERP</u>	<u>HAAT</u>	<u>City; applicant</u>
AK	*9z	316	240	Anchorage; Alaska Pub Com.
AL	29-	1550	96	Selma; D&S Mobile
AL	29-	1450	131	Selma; G.S. Flinn
AL	29-	5000	389	Selma; KM Comms.
AL	29-	3720	124	Selma; Imani Way Press
AL	29-	5000	93	Selma; Crown Comms.
AL	29-	5000	95	Selma; A.J. Fant
AZ	*16+	794	-42	Nogales; BC 4 Challenged
AZ	*16+	4680	482	Nogales; Comm. TV Educ.
AZ	58z	2140	81	Sierra Vista; KM Comms.
HI	56z	28.2	-94	Waimanalo; G.S. Flinn
MS	51z	5000	305	Jackson; KM Comms.
MS	51z	724	377	Jackson; G. Flinn
MS	51z	5000	559	Jackson; Winstar
MS	51z	5000	371	Jackson; United TV
NE	51z	5000	236	Lincoln; Prime Bcstg.
NY	61-	550	441	Saranac Lake; W27BI
OK	46-	5000	255	Norman; Day Star Bcstg.
TX	*24+	5000	137	Del Rio; Comm. TV Educ.
UT	*18-	282	82	Ogden; BC 4 Challenged
UT	*18-	891	1296	Ogden; Comm. TV Educ.
VI	43z	200	444	Charlotte Amalie; A.J. Fant
VI	27	18.2	121	Christiansted; Virgin Blue

CONSTRUCTION PERMITS GRANTED FOR NEW STATIONS

<u>St</u>	<u>Ch</u>	<u>ERP</u>	<u>HAAT</u>	<u>City; applicant</u>
AZ	58z	2140	81	Sierra Vista; KM Comms.
LA	11+	316	565	Columbia; Pears Bcstg.
MI	25+	1	W25CD	Petoskey; J. A. Burns
MI	66+	1.005	W66CY	Petroskey; J. Digiuseppe
MT	61n	10	K61GWMissoula	S. Wilson
MT	66n	10	K66FMSMissoula	S. Wilson
MT	68n	10	K68FNMissoula	R.K. Wilson
MT	69n	10	K69HYMissoula	J. Piippo
NY	??	2	WCBS-HD	New York
WY	28n	1.37	K28FDAfton	Town of Afton

A new wireless cable system has been granted:

Rexburg, ID (43-45-53N/111-57-50W; all 17kW):
 K28FC-28+ K30FE-30- K32EN-32n K39ER-39n K43FF-43+ K49EN-49+
 K51FH-51n K53FQ-53n K55HN-55+ K57HI-57n K63GA-63n

APPLICATIONS TO CHANGE EXISTING STATIONS

<u>St</u>	<u>Ch</u>	<u>ERP</u>	<u>HAAT</u>	<u>Call</u>	<u>City</u>
CA	58+	nc	KMPH-LP	Bakersfield	35-27-11N/118-35-25W
CA	67n	nc	K67GZ	Temecula	33-27-01N/117-07-41W
(from Rainbow Valley, CA)					
FL	9-	61w	W09BU	Jupiter	26-55-57N/ 80-07-11W

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<u>St</u>	<u>Ch</u>	<u>ERP</u>	<u>HAAT</u>	<u>Call</u>	<u>City</u>
MA	35+	280w	W35BK	Plainfield	
MI	64z	5000	331	WLIA	Kalamazoo
MO	48z	12.7	K29CF	Kansas City	
					(from ch. 29, bumped by new KCWB-29. St. is presumably either already on ch. 48, or temporarily dark.)
OR	19n	13.44	K19AD	Tri-City	
PR	28n	11.23	W28AH	Arecibo	18-28-25N/ 66-43-24W

APPLICATIONS TO CHANGE CONSTRUCTION PERMITS

<u>St</u>	<u>Ch</u>	<u>ERP</u>	<u>HAAT</u>	<u>Call</u>	<u>City</u>	
AR	58z	206w	K58FA	Little Rock	34-47-56N/ 92-29-44W	
CO	29n	600w	K29CZ	Durango (KTSC-8)		
FL	52-	9.4	W52CN	Pt. Charlotte (TBN)	26-58-48N/ 82-04-03W	
LA	11+	nc	540	KAQY	Columbia (KARD-14 tower)	32-05-41N/ 92-10-39W
MO	17z	15.32	K17DR	Scott City		
NM	3z	nc	KOFT	Farmington (from Gallup)		
OK	59-	20	K59EO	Oklahoma City		
TX	15-	nc	K15BV	Uvalde (from ch. 15n)	29-10-48N/ 99-48-47W	
UT	64n	22.8	K64CJ	Ogden (TBN)		

CHANGES GRANTED TO EXISTING STATIONS

<u>St</u>	<u>Ch</u>	<u>ERP</u>	<u>HAAT</u>	<u>Call</u>	<u>City</u>
AK	22n	54.9	K22AG	Anchorage	61-14-51N/149-31-56W
AK	66n	32w	K66CF	Palmer	61-37-18N/149-01-16W
AL	50n	25.5	W50CF	Mobile (from ch. 50n)	
AR	59-	27.4	K59ES	Henderson	
AR	55z	14.5	K55HO	Hope (from K07VR)	
AR	22-	48.6	KKYK-LP	Little Rock (ex-K22FA)	
AR	55-	12.93	K55GE	Little Rock (3ABN) 34-44-38N/ 92-16-32W	
AR	60z	34.7	K60EP	Pharis 35-09-52N/ 93-40-52W	
AR	15-	21.8	K15DR	Springdale (from ch. 15+)	
AR	63-	21.1	K63EG	Winslow	
AZ	46+	2.1	K46CA	Cottonwood	
AZ	29z	987w	K29DR	Williams (KUSK-7)	
CA	22-	9.15	K22DS	Crescent City 41-58-10N/124-11-15W	
CA	51n	4.57	K51DD	Ridgcrest 35-28-47N/117-40-56W	
CA	55n	4.57	K55AB	Ridgecrest 35-28-47N/117-40-56W	
CA	57n	4.57	K57AK	Ridgecrest 35-28-47N/117-40-56W	
CA	27-	62	K27EU	Sacramento 38-49-58N/121-19-03W	
CA	57+	5000	nc	KSTV Ventura	
CA	8n	15w	K08GR	Willow Creek 40-55-52N/123-35-56W	
DE	14z	71	WXHL-LP	Wilmington 39-40-38N/ 75-39-47W	
				(from Newark, DE)	
FL	48n	38.4	W48BC	Destin 30-23-49N/ 86-30-27W	
FL	61z	5000	125	WFBC Palm Beach 26-45-47N/ 80-12-19W	
FL	69-	10	W69BO	Vero Beach 27-36-04N/ 80-23-33W	
GA	16n	8.2	WCWT-LP	Columbus 32-27-58N/ 85-03-23W	
KS	24-	3444	328	KSAS Wichita 37-56-23N/ 97-30-42W	
MA	35+	280w	W35BK	Plainfield	
MI	49n	11.25	WUPT-LP	Crystal Falls 46-05-38N/ 88-21-49W	
MN	57n	9.7	K57CN	Wabasha (KSTP-5) 44-22-08N/ 92-04-51W	
NC	62+	5000	556	WASV Asheville 35-13-20N/ 82-32-58	
NM	60n	nc	K60GB	Santa Rosa (from K74BO) 38-03-06N/117-13-30W	
NV	17n	38w	K17AH	Tonopah 39-45-25N/119-27-54W	
NV	56n	11.5	K56GB	Wadsworth (from K63DN Reno) 42-59-02N/ 74-53-46W	
NY	11?	62w	WPNT-LP	Little Falls 42-52-50N/ 76-11-59W	
NY	43+	790	445	WNYS Syracuse	
NY	68-	nc	WSYT	Syracuse	
OH	68-	5000	nc	WMFD Mansfield	
TN	20+	2830	852	WINT Crossville 36-06-33N/ 84-20-17W	

Changed granted to existing stations, contd.

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St	Ch	ERP	HAAT	Call	City
TX	55z	3240	nc	KLDT	Lake Dallas
VA	66+	4330	nc	WVVI	Manassas

RETURNED, DISMISSED, etc.:

CO	26n	nc	KO2BL	Breckenridge (from ch. 2n, Minturn)
PA	20-	421w	W20AN	Washington

Several Alaskan LPTVs have been granted minor changes in TL and power:
 KO2KX Chevak K13UO Cold Bay K13TF Kakonaak K09QW King Cove
 KO4LR, KO9RK Nikolski K13RN Old Harbor
 KO7SH, K13TU Pt. Alsorth K04KY Shageluk (to ch. 10)

CHANGES GRANTED TO CONSTRUCTION PERMITS

St	Ch	ERP	HAAT	Call	City	
AK	5n	160w	K05KF	Dillingham		59-02-38N/158-29-18W
AL	58z	9.6	W58CK	Birmingham		33-26-36N/ 86-52-50W
AL	19+	12.6	W19CB	Montevallo		33-09-14N/ 86-50-12W
					(from Sylacauga)	
AL	24z	18.7	W24CB	Sylacauga		33-37-21N/ 85-52-22W
AL	63-	5.5	W63CK	Talladega		33-26-06N/ 86-06-14W
					(from Sylacauga)	
AR	22z	10.5	K22ES	Batesville		
AR	40+	12.4	K40DS	Batesville		
AR	57-	14.1	K57FV	Batesville		
AR	69-	12.8	K69GT	Batesville		
AR	23z	36.5	K23EP	El Dorado		33-12-40N/ 92-39-59W
					(from K20DP // KMCT-39)	
AR	27z	10.4	K27FF	El Dorado		
AR	40z	11.4	K40EF	El Dorado		
AR	48+	12.0	K48EP	El Dorado		
AR	69-	11.6	K69HO	El Dorado		
AR	63+	28.4	K63FS	Hot Springs		34-33-56N/ 93-05-03W
					(from Little Rock)	
AR	58z	206w	K58FA	Little Rock		34-47-56N/ 92-29-44W
AR	69z	16.7	K69HN	Siloam Springs		36-09-06N/ 94-30-56W
AZ	68+	85	K68FB	Phoenix		33-29-39N/111-38-28W
AZ	28+	56.9	K28FF	Prescott (from ch. 69)		
CA	8z	1282	K08MD	Arroyo Grande		35-09-24N/120-38-11W
CA	28z	400w	K28FH	Mammoth Lakes		37-37-37N/119-01-46W
CO	29n	600w	K29CZ	Durango (KTSC-8)		
FL	65+	6.14	W65DF	Ft. Myers		26-39-18N/ 81-50-53W
FL	9+	320w	W09CF	Jacksonville		
KY	62z	129	W62CL	Lexington		38-02-07N/ 84-27-04W
NC	28z	54.8	W28AC	Charlotte		35-15-26N/ 80-51-40W
NC	66-	nc	W66CO	Raleigh		35-46-27N/ 78-38-25W
OK	59-	20	K59EO	Oklahoma City		
WA	16-	nc	239	KONG	Everett	47-37-55N/122-20-59W

TECHNICAL CHANGES ON THE AIR

FL 32z WWNB Lakeland; 3020=>5000kW, 271=>331m.
 MA *57+ WGBY Springfield; 1200=>1480kW.
 MI 41+ WOTV Battle Creek; 2000=>5000kW, elliptical pol.
 NC 64- WAXN Indianapolis; 129=>1900kW, 86=>300m,
 TL 27km SSW of old site.
 ID 58+ K58DQ Coeur d'Alene; 13.2=>26.4kW.
 TX 48z KNVO McAllen; 3160=>3020kW, 160=>288m.
 UT 24n K24EM Manti/Ephraim; unspecified.
 WI 47+ WMSN Madison; 1150=>5000kW, 451=>450m.
 WI 58z WDJT Milwaukee; 2820=>5000kW, 163=>339m,
 TL 8km NNW of old site, adjacent to WISN-12 tower.

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NEW STATIONS ON THE AIR

K46EJ	46-	Little Rock, AR	19.4 kW	34-47-57N/ 92-29-59W	
K24EI	24-	Phoenix, AZ	8kW	33-29-36N/111-38-26W	
K27EX	27z	Modesto, CA	4kW	37-28-48N/121-21-02W	
K67GZ	67n	Temecula, CA	130w	33-27-00N/117-07-43W	
K29CZ	29n	Durango, CO	600w	37-15-44N/107-53-58W (KTSC-8)	
KCEC-LP	27n	Pueblo, CO	7.71kW	38-44-43N/104-51-41W (KCEC-50 Denver, Univision)	
W14CB	14+	Gainesville, FL	16kW	29-44-22N/ 82-23-09W	
W68CM	68+	Panama City, FL	10kW	30-12-12N/ 85-36-57W	
W08DN	8-	Pensacola, FL	116w	30-26-43N/ 87-14-37W (fake calls "WBOP-TV")	
W29BN	29+	Elgin, IL	49.3 kW	41-59-54N/ 88-14-33W (TBN)	
W63BO	63+	Baltimore, MD	6.92kW	39-17-21N/ 76-36-52W	
W64BY	64+	Rockland, ME	12.1 kW	44-06-30N/ 69-09-28W (TBN)	
K59BQ	59+	Deer River, MN	11.3 kW	47-21-15N/ 93-45-20W (KDLH-3, CBS)	
K31EB	31+	Poplar Bluff, MO	738w	36-48-04N/ 90-27-06W	
K61FY	61z	Poplar Bluff, MO	738w	36-48-04N/ 90-27-06W	
KUFM	*11+	Missoula, MT	3.02kW/631m	46-48-09N/113-58-21W (PBS)	
W28AC	28z	Charlotte, NC	17.6 kW	35-15-06N/ 80-41-12W	
W59CR	59+	Durham, NC	11.7 kW	35-56-30N/ 78-48-33W	
KOHA-LP	65-	Omaha, NE	41.4 kW	41-20-44N/ 96-01-28W	
WFME	66z	West Milford, NJ	24kW/217m	41-07-14N/ 74-12-03W (religious)	
KINC	15+	Las Vegas, NV	1120kW/564m	35-56-44N/115-02-31W	
K15DA	15z	Tulsa, OK	70.9 kW	35-58-15N/ 96-10-45W (KSBI-52)	
K05KI	5-	Lakeview, OR	17w	42-11-17N/120-21-01W	
XHVT	54z	Matamoros, TA	?	?	
KINZ	68z	Arlington, TX	5000kW/360m	32-35-24N/ 96-58-21W (INTv/Worship)	
KYLE	28z	Bryan, TX	126kW/153m	30-41-18N/ 96-25-35W	
KPTB	16+	Lubbock, TX	209kW/ 83m	33-33-12N/101-49-13W (TBN)	
K60FM	60?	Alton, UT	?	?	
K15EL	15z	Koosharem, UT	?	?	
K26EJ	26n	St. George, UT	986W	37-03-49N/113-34-20W	
K18FB	18+	Clarkston, WA	1.01kW	46-27-04N/117-02-48W	
K47EV	47-	Walla Walla, WA	15.2 kW	45-47-52N/118-22-07W	
New wireless cable system on the air:					
Escanaba, MI (45-42-42N/ 87-20-57W); most 984 watts except chs. 27/46/48 (980w) and chs. 23/44/52/58/66. (tech details not given):					
W15BI-15z	W17BQ-17z	W21BJ-21+	W23BE-23?	W27BN-27+	W44BI-44?
W46CD-46z	W48BP-48z	W50BG-50z	W52BX-52?	W58CJ-58?	W60CB-60+
W62CI-62+	W64CA-64+	W66CJ-66?			

CALL CHANGES

KTTY-LP-24	Santa Barbara, CA:	KKFX-LP
WTMV-32	Lakeland, FL:	WWNB
WTMV-LP-63	St. Petersburg, FL:	WWNB-LP
K11TT	Baton Rouge, LA:	KTTE-LP
new-11	Columbia, LA:	KAQY
W08CC	Hammonton, NJ:	WPSJ-LP
W27BI	Plattsburgh, NY:	WWBI-LP
W40AG	Rochester, NY:	WBGT-LP
new-45	Nuevo Laredo, TA:	XHNT
KAQV-68	Arlington, TX:	KINZ
K43FD	Houston, TX:	KHLM-LP
K43ES	Stamford, TX:	KIDT-LP
K12OT	Logan, UT:	KWVB-LP
W43AV	Waukesha, WI:	WTAS-LP

PROGRAMMING CHANGES

K13QZ	Grand Valley, CO:	relays KTVB-20
K05HE	Glenwood Springs, CO:	relays KTVB-20
K05GY	New Castle, CO:	relays KTVB-20
K08IV	Pinewood, CO:	relays KTVB-20
K66BQ	Rulison, CO:	relays KTVB-20
K47AC	Silt, CO:	relays KTVB-20
WJKS-17	Jacksonville, FL:	goes independent 4/1/97
WJXX-21	Brunswick, GA:	goes ABC 4/1/97
KCTZ-7	Bozeman, MT:	from CBS to Fox
KUFM-11	Missoula, MT:	new, PBS
WYDC-48	Corning, NY:	from UPN/WB to UPN/WB/Fox
WAKC-23	Akron, OH:	from ABC to INTv
K05KI	Lakeview, OR:	to 3ABN
WTAT-24	Charleston, SC:	from Fox/UPN to Fox only
WBNU-36	Charleston, SC:	from WB to UPN
XHCVI-26	Cd. Victoria, TA:	adds local prgrs. to XEQ-9 relay
WRMX-LP-12	Nashville, TN:	from HSS to VCC
WJDE-LP-24	Nashville, TN:	from HSS to VCC
KINZ-68	Arlington, TX:	new, INTv/Worship
K55FX	Corpus Christi, TX:	from religion to tourist information
KTAQ-47	Greenville, TX:	PSN home shopping
WDRG-24	Danville, VA:	from WB to UPN
WDBJ-7	Roanoke, VA:	from CBS/UPN to CBS only
W04CS	Crandon, WI:	to 3ABN
W02CF	Minocqua, WI:	to 3ABN
W31BA	Minocqua, WI:	to 3ABN

STATIONS DELETED

A total of 16 LPTV CPs were deleted last month.

OTHER STUFF

Be sure to read the classified legals carefully this month. It's been a long time since I've seen this many grants for new and changed full-license stations. One of the more interesting grants is for KAQY-11 Columbia, LA. New VHF stations are rare enough, but one in a populated area like this is even scarcer. Note the proposed site, on the KARD-14 tower. A study I did a few years ago found KARD was the most frequently reported UHF station among WFTA members; I expect KAQY will also be a popular catch.

Last minute
news!
Channel 33

No technical details are available (not even the channel) for WCBS-HD NYC.
While looking for updated Canadian information (the CRTC hasn't updated their FTP server since late August), I stumbled across the Canadian AM/FM/TV databases. If you have a program that can read .dbf files, take a look at:

<ftp://info.ic.gc.ca/pub/ic-data/telecom/dgse/dbf/baserad.zip>

This file contains all three Canadian databases, plus a programming-source database that explains where relay stations get their feed. Interesting stuff! Incidentally, I'm in alpha test on a Windows program to browse the FCC's TV database. I'll let you know when it's ready for general release.

Thanks to George Greene, Rich Shaftan, Chip Kelley, Fernando Garcia, and John Lentz for programming, new-station, and other information this month.

FORUM

Chip Kelley, Dallas TX:

Chip reports on new KINZ-68 Arlington. The station is to carry INTv 6am-midnight, with Worship overnight. News, in Japanese, is carried 7-7:30am. Chip is also noting Asian-language programming on Paxson's KTFH-49 Conroe/Houston. I suspect other Paxson stations (those reported in this column as either INTv or Worship) may actually carry a similar schedule. Paxson owns both networks.

Fernando Garcia, Monterrey NL Mexico:

Fernando has some information from Texas.. On channel 55, K55FX Corpus Christi has returned to the air. They've dropped their former religious programming in favor of tourist information. Slogans include "KFX", "THC", and "The Hello Channel". Incidentally, 3 or 4 years ago he saw a station on this channel relaying KIII-3. I can't find anything that makes sense - does anyone else have any idea what he saw?

KFWD-52 is no longer carrying VBN home shopping in English overnight. KDFI-27 is using a "hot-tv 27" logo in the bottom right during programming. KWHB-47, normally a religious station, was noted with secular cartoons (Flintstones) and advertisements; also, an ID with cable channel 7. KAMC-28 Lubbock has been seen with over four hours of black screen and/or unID color bars in the overnight period.

Fernando also saw the new KPTB-16. It's TBN, IDing with KRPV-27 (Roswell, NM) and KMLM-42 (Midland, TX).

John Ebeling, Bloomington MN:

John recently returned from a visit to Singapore. He forwarded listings for the following six TV stations, as printed in the *Straits Times*:

Channel 5: (E5, same as U.S. channel 7)

24 hours in English; many American programs (Simpsons, J.A.G., Wheel of Fortune) noted on the schedule.

Channel 8: (E8, between U.S. channels 10 and 11)

24 hours in Mandarin Chinese. Most programs unfamiliar, but Felix the Cat, Real Ghostbusters, and the omnipresent Home Shopping are present.

Prime 12: (ch. E12, two channels above U.S. channel 13)

roughly 2pm-midnight in English, Tamil, and Malay. Only familiar programs are Bob Newhart and Rhoda; tag it the "Nostalgia Channel", hi..

Premiere 12: (ch. E24, same as U.S. channel 18)

roughly 1pm-2am in English; most programs American including David Letterman.

TV1: (from Malaysia; ch. E3, same as U.S. channel 22)

6am-1am in Malay and English. Includes CNN and CNBC news.

TV2: (from Malaysia; ch. E10, just below U.S. channel 13)

4pm-12:30am in Malay, English, and Cantonese. Only American program is Wheel of Fortune.

SCV: (a "wireless cable" system using channels E28, E32, E36, and E65, near U.S. channels 23, 29, 34, and 73 for scrambled programming. To be phased out when Singapore is wired for cable.)

The World Radio-TV Handbook also lists a "TV3" on ch. E26 (just below U.S. channel 21), but John didn't see that one. It may not have been on the in-house master antenna system in his host's apartment building. Their TV had a "channel 0" used for VCR input. Also available on the TV were several teletext channels.

FM NEWS

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Many of the items listed in this column are taken from the publication:
M Street Journal - P.O. Box 1479 - Madison, TN 37116-1479
 PHONE (615) 865-1525 FAX (615) 865-2598

KEY:
 &: satellite programming
 AF: new freq, allocation accepted for filing
 for a new FM license
 CC: call change/new calls assigned
 CL: city of license change granted
 CO: new xmtr co-ordinates
 CX: a CP has expired, and is cancelled
 C1,C2, etc: change in class status
 DA: directional antenna
 DE: calls deleted, license returned to FCC
 FC: station format change

GA: granted amendment to table of FM allocations
 GE: station was granted extension of a CP
 GX: granted replacement of expired CP
 LC: filed for license to cover (for new stn.)
 MC: multiple-city legal ID
 NC: no change yet, on a reported pending grant/change.
 ND: non-directional
 NO: station is not on the air
 NS: a new station granted a license
 OSA: one-step application
 NW: new station signs on the air
 PA: proposed amendment to change table of allocations
 PC: a power change (increase)

PC<: a power change (decrease)
 PG>: power change granted (increase)
 PG<: power change granted (decrease)
 QC: frequency change for this station
 QG: frequency change granted
 RA: station returns to the air
 RE: station requests extension of a CP
 RX: station requests re-instatement of an expired CP
 SG: slogan change or update
 SI: station is silent
 XA: dismissed amendment to the table of FM allocations
 XC: station changes xmtr site
 XG: station granted a transmitter (xmtr) site change



UNITED STATES

ALABAMA:

Abbeville: WIZB 94.3 FC to new rock
 Atmore: WDWG104.1 adds Moby (Mobile)
 Brantley: WDHT104.3 NC to 13.5 kW, 1830 ft, RE
 Butler: WQGL 93.5 NC to 32 kW, 610 ft, RE
 Columbian: *NS101.5 1.4 kW, 640 ft.
 Dora: *NS 92.5 2.9 kW, 476 ft.
 Fairfield: W291AK106.1 NS-250w(v): WRAX 105.9
 Orange Bch: WCSN105.7 LC
 Tuscaloosa: WTUG 92.9 FC to urban AC
 Tuskegee: WTGZ 95.9 CC (ex WBIL), "Tiger 95.9"

ALASKA:

Chevak: KCUK 88.1 PC> 6 kW(h), 79' drops DA
 Juneau: KAKZ 102.7 NO-GE
ARIZONA:
 Apache Jct: KVVA107.1 PC> 25 kW, 312ft, C3
 Bagdad: KAKP 103.9 GA: to Chino Valley, AZ (C3)
 Benson: KAVV 97.7 PG> 2050w, 148 ft, DA
 XG: 31-59-29 / 110-10-18
 Oro Valley: KSJM 97.5 CC (ex KTSS)
 Sun City: KEDJ 106.3 PC> 23 kW, 725 ft, C2

ARKANSAS:

Mena: *** 105.3 GA to add class C3
 Osceola: KOSE107.3 FC to oldies (Memphis)
 Pine Bluff: KANX 91.1 LC

CALIFORNIA:

Burney: K224CM92.7 NS-10w(v): KWHO 102.3
 Camarillo: KOCP 95.9 PC> 980w, 1555 ft, class B1
 XC: 34-20-53 / 110-20-07
 Carlsbad: KUPR 95.7 FC to country (San Diego)
 Central Vly: KNBN99.3 NC to 4.2 kW, 1545', RE
 Chester: KCMT 98.9 dec. to 2463 ft.
 Dunsmuir: KZRO100.1 FC to oldies (Redding)
 Fort Bragg: KLLK 93.5 GA: to class B, CL: Willits, CA

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FLORIDA:

Alachua: WNND 92.5 NW, rock // WNDD 95.5
 Arcadia: WWRZ 98.3 CC (ex WKGF)
 Carlos Park: WDRR 98.5 FC to smooth jazz (&)
 Century: WPFL105.1 FC to hot AC (&) (Pensacola)
 Daytona Bch: WJHM101.9 NC to 61 kW, class C, GE
 DeFuniak Spgs: WAJK91.3 NO-RX
 Ft. Walton Bch: WPSM91.1 NC to 5 kW, RX
 Key West: WCNK 98.7 CC (ex WBKW)
 Kissimmee: WWKQ99.1 NO-RE
 Marathon: WKTS 97.7 NO-GE
 Mexico Bch: WSHF99.3 CC (ex WEBZ)
 Micanopy: WRRX 97.7 adds Radio 1 alter. (&)
 Midway: WJZT 100.7 CC (ex WTPS) "Smooth Jazz 100.7" (Tallahassee)
 Panama City: W219BP 91.7 NS-55w: WYFG 89.3 SC
 Parker: WPBH 94.5 FC to oldies (&)
 Pensacola: WYCL107.3 CC (ex WOWW), "Cool 107.3"
 Perry: WNFK105.5 PC< 1.6 kW, 197 ft
 XC: 30-06-27 / 83-34-00
 Port St Joe: WOWW93.5 CC (ex WMTO)
 Tice: WAAD 93.7 NO-RE
 Tulsa: WUSA100.7 NC to 1210ft, class C, RE
 Vero Beach: W202AY88.3 NS-10w(v): WPCS 89.5
 W. Palm Beach: W263AE 100.3 NS- WWFR 91.7 is on

GEORGIA:

Americus: *NS 89.3 AF (AFA)
 Bolingbroke: WDBS107.3 has been ordered to cease operations for building after their construction permit had expired
 Douglas: WKZZ 92.5 NO-GE
 Douglas: *NS 89.3 AF
 Dublin: *NS 88.3 AF (AFA)
 Marietta: WGHR102.5 QG to 100.7, 17 w
 Martinez: WUUS107.7 CC (ex WKBG) "US 107"
 Perry: WPGA100.9 PG> 5.3 kW, 348 ft.
 Sparta: WMGZ 97.7 NC to 8.5 kw, 554 ft
 C3, CL to Eatonton, GA, RE

St. Simons Is: WHFX92.7 FC to 70's oldies (&)
 Toccoa Falls: WTXR88.9 NW, cont. Christian
 Waycross: *NS 91.9 AF (AFA)

DAHO:

Idaho Falls: KEFX88.9 NW, cont. Christian
 Ketchum: KKKX 104.7 CC (ex KRMR)
 Orofino: KLER 95.3 PC> 2.3 kW, 676 ft
 class C3, XC: 46-28-09 / 116-16-40
 Rexburg: KGTM 98.1 FC to modern AC (&)

ILLINOIS:

Alton: KATZ 100.3 PC> 50 kW (cir), 492 ft.
 Arlington: WCBR 92.7 noted with brokered infomercials
 Canton: *** 98.3 PA for class A
 Chicago: WMBI 90.1 NC to 100 kW (cir), 443 ft, XC, RE

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ILLINOIS:

Fairbury: WAIY 107.7 NO-CX-DE
 Fairfield: WFIW104.9 PC> 4.9 kW, 364 ft.
 Lawrenceville: WAKO 103.1 NC to 6kW, 328 ft, RE
 Mahomet: WGKC105.9 CC (ex WHZT), FC to classic rock (Champaign)
 Morrison: WZZT 95.1 FC to classic rock (&)
 Mt. Carmel: WTRI 94.9 SGF "Tri 95"
 Mt. Carmel: WVVJ 89.1 Music Channel 1 overnights
 Normal: *** 97.9 PA for class A
 Ottawa: WRXK 95.3 PC> 4.3 kW, 200 ft.
 Rock Island: WHTS98.9 PC< 12.5 kW, 981 ft, DA class C2, XC: 41-37-58 / 90-24-38
 St. Joseph: WGNJ 89.3 NO-RE
 W. Frankfort: WQUL97.7 PC> 3.5 kW, 433 ft, XC: 37-45-15 / 88-56-05
 Wilmington: WYKT 105.5 PG< 1.3 kW, 482 ft, XG: 41-17-11 / 88-14-23
 Woodlawn: WDML106.9 FC to adult rock

INDIANA:

Austin: WJCP 92.7 CC (ex WJLR), FC to Real Country (&)
 Crown Point: WXRD103.9 CC (ex WZCO), RA with Real Country (&) (Gary)
 Evansville: WIKY 104.1 dec. to 571 ft.
 Indianapolis: WFBO94.7 PG> 58 kW, 804 ft, XG: 39-53-43 / 86-12-04

Marengo: *NS 89.9 AF
 Nashville: WVNI 95.1 NO-GE
 N. Washington: WSOH88.3 CC (ex WJYL)
 Santa Claus: WAXL103.3 NW, adult, contemp. (&)
 Seelyville: WTHC 95.9 NW, CD Country (&)
 Seymour: WJLR 91.5 CC (ex WKLO), FC to cont. Christian (&)
 Vincennes: *NS 89.9 1 kW, 253 ft, (AFA)

IOWA:

Keokuk: KRNQ105.9 CC (ex KYAT)
 Lamoni: *NS 97.9 21 kW, 358 ft.
 Waukon: KNEI 103.5 QC from 103.9, now C2 9.3 kW, 574', XC: 43-18-28 / 92-27-18

KANSAS:

Fredonia: KJGM104.1 OSA to class C3, 7.3 kW 535 ft, XC: 37-22-31 / 95-43-41
 Hugoton: KFXX 106.7 adds WW1 soft AC (&)
 Independence: KARF91.9 250w, 180 ft., CC (NS)
 Ottawa: KRBW 90.5 CC (NS)

KENTUCKY:

Garrison: WNUU 98.3 PG> 5.2 kW, 351 ft
 XC: 38-36-26 / 83-02-33
 Murray: WBLN103.7 FC to adult rock "Planet"
 Paducah: WDDJ 96.9 adds WW1 adult rock from 1am to 6am (&)
 Russellville: WJCE 101.1 FC to all Christmas music (possibly then to jazz) (Nashville)

LOUISIANA:

Baton Rouge: WLSS102.5 FC to CHR
 Clayton: *NS 107.9 NO-GE
 Columbia: KCTO103.1 FC to Adult rock (&) (Monroe)
 Homer: KZXB 106.7 NO-RE
 Kentwood: WEMX 94.1 CC (ex WYCT), "Max 94.1"
 Shreveport: KRUF94.5 CC (ex WKWH) "Ruff" also with SG of "Big Dog"

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MAINE:

Bangor: WSHQ 92.9 adds Bob & Sherri
Dennysville: WHRR 102.9 NO-GX, CC (ex WVZD)
Millinocket: WSYY 94.9 adds WW1 country (&)
Portland: WCSO 97.9 FC to CHR "Q 97.9"

MASSACHUSETTS:

Falmouth: WCIB 101.9 adds 70's oldies WW1 (&) from midnight to 5:30am

Marshfield: WATD 95.9 NC to 1450w, 469ft, GX N.Adams: WMNB 100.1 FC to soft AC

MICHIGAN:

Alpena: WHSB 107.7 NC to 100 kW, 610', GE Beulah: WBVE 92.1 NO-RE

Crystal Beach: WAQJ 100.7 CC (NS)

Harrietta: *** 93.7 PA for class A

Houghton: WGGL 91.1 inc. to 859 ft.

L'Anse: WCUP 106.1 NC to 105.7 - C1, 51 kW 751 ft, RE

Manistee: WXYQ 101.5 adds Jones oldies (&)

Menominee: WHYB 103.7 adds Radio 1 country (&)

Mt.Clemens: WWBR 102.7 CC (ex WDZR), "The Bear"

Muskegon: WSHZ 107.9 CC (ex WMHG)

Oscoda: *NS 95.7 25 kW, 699 ft, (Cen. Mich U)

Stephenson: WFON 106.3 NO-GE

Tawas City: WACU 103.3 PG> 15 kW, 423 ft, DA C3, XC: 44-24-48 / 83-37-14

MINNESOTA:

Albert Lea: KCPI 94.9 QC from 95.3, PC> 3.5 kW 302 ft.

Brainerd: W218AW 91.5 NS-50w: WNCB 89.3 Duluth

Eden Prairie: KCFE 105.7 FC to new rock // KREV 105.1



Glencoe: KARP 96.3 QC from 96.1, now C2, 29.5 kW, 584', XC: 44-44-37 / 94-23-36

Redwood Fls: KLGR 97.7 CX CP for 60 kW, 289 ft, Spring Valley: KVGO 107.9 CC (ex KNFX)

Spring Valley: KVGO 104.3 FC to ABC oldies (&)

Sunburg: *** 106.5 GA to add class A

MISSISSIPPI:

Clarksdale: WKDJ 96.5 NC to 180ft, XC, RE Clarksdale: WWUN 101.7 NC to 101.5 - C3, 25 kW, RE

Crenshaw: WHKL 106.9 CC (NS)

Drew: WOHT 95.3 PC< 2650w, 492 ft XC: 33-44-17 / 90-39-29

Grenada: WQXB 100.1 NC to 24.5 kW, 708ft, GE

Laurel: WMXI 98.1 PG< 2550w, 512 ft.

XG: 31-33-22 / 89-09-09

McComb: WAQL 90.5 CC (NS)

Oxford: WQLJ 93.7 NC to 13 kW, 456 ft, RX

Pearl: WVIV 93.9 NC to 25 kW, 282ft, RE

Prentiss: *** 104.9 GA for class A

Redwood: *** 105.5 PA for class A

Winona: WON 96.7 GA: to 95.1 - A

MISSOURI:

Bonne Terre: KDBB 104.3 PG> 1650 watts FC to adult rock, "104.3 FM", Blues NHL hockey

Boonville: *** 93.1 PA for class A

Buffalo: KBFL 99.9 adds Prime sports

Columbia: KPLA 101.5 playing jazz in the evening

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Missouri:

Deer Lodge: K213CB 90.5 NS-1w: KGFC 88.9

Ferguson: KCFV 89.5 punk rock show Sun 2000-2400 local time

Ironton: KYLS 92.7 reported SI

Malta Bend: KRLI 97.5 LC

Park Hills: K216DE 91.1 NW, w/WAFR 88.3 MS, on air during overnights

Springfield: KSMU 91.1 adds BBC World Service

Tarkio: KTRX 93.5 PC> 11 kW, 489 ft, class C3

Van Buren: *NS 91.3 AF

Willow Spgs: KUKU 100.3 FC to oldies "KU Oldies 100"

MONTANA:

Big Sky: *NS 104.5 51w, 3362 ft.

Billings: KBBB 103.7 CC (ex KBKO), "B104"

Missoula: KYSS 94.9 PC> 62 kW, 2457 ft

XC: 47-01-57 / 113-59-30

Sidney: KTHC 95.1 LC

NEBRASKA:

Chadron: K207BY 89.3 NS-250w: WAFR 88.3 MS

Hubbard: *NS 91.3 2.8 kW, 318 ft, (AFA)

Kearney: K209CF 89.7 NS-140w: WYFG 89.3 SC

Nebraska City: KOS 97.7 adds Jones smooth jazz

Omaha: KNOS 88.9 CC (ex KAQB)

NEVADA:

Beatty: K227AG 93.3 NS-24w(h), DA: KKLZ 96.3

Fallon: KRNG 101.3 NO-RE

Laughlin: KADD 93.5 NO-RE

NEW HAMPSHIRE:

Berlin: WPKQ 103.7 CC (ex WZPK)

NEW JERSEY:

Cape May: *NS 89.1 30 kW, 200 ft.

E.Orange: WFMU 91.1 NC to 1.5 kW, 492 ft, RE

Freehold Twp: WRLJ 89.7 LC

Long Branch: WZVU 107.1 FC to country // WRGX 107.1 NY & WWHB 107.1 NY

Newark: WNWK 105.9 NC to 810w(h), 1223', GE

Tuckerton: WTUC 99.7 NO-RE

NEW MEXICO:

Clovis: KAOQ 91.1 LC

Jal: *** 107.1 PA: to 103.7 - C1

Las Cruces: KXDA 103.1 adds WW1 adult rock (&)

Portales: KSEL 95.3 adds WW1 country

Reserve: *NS 104.5 1.2 kW, 1420 ft.

Santa Fe: KNYN 95.5 decrease to 1791 ft

XC: 35-46-49 / 106-31-37

Tatum: *** 107.1 PA to add class A

NEW YORK:

Albany: WRLH 103.1 FC to Jones smooth jazz (&)

Alfred: WZKZ 101.9 CC (NS)

Argyle: WNGX 91.9 QC from 91.7, PC< 240w

571 ft, CL from Fort Ann, NY

Avon: WQRV 93.3 CC (ex WHRR), "The River"

Briarcliff Manor: WRGX 107.1 FC to country "Y107"

Brockport: WASB 105.5 NO-RE

Center Moriches: WLHG 96.1 CC (NS)

Geneva: WFLK 101.7 PC> 5.4 kW, 125 ft, drop DA

XC: 42-51-34 / 77-00-29

Hampton Bays: WWHB 107.1 FC to country // WRGX 107.1 NY & WZVU 107.1 NJ

Honeoye Falls: WRCD 107.3 FC to Jones sm. jazz (&)

Jamestown: WHUG 101.7 OSA for 6 kW, 328 ft

XC: 42-07-53 / 79-13-13

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New York:

Monticello: W233AH 94.5 NS-85w: WJFF 90.5

New York: WMVX 105.1 FC to modern AC "The Buzz"

Ogdensburg: *NS 98.7 dec. to 92 ft

XC: 44-43-41 / 75-26-36

Olean: WMXO 101.5 FC to hot AC "Mix 101.5"

Remsen: WRFM 93.5 CC (ex WUUU), "Warm 93.5"

Rochester: WBER 90.5 CX CP for 50 kW

Sodus: WNNR 103.5 PC> 6 kW, 243 ft, DA

Sylvan Bch: *** 100.3 GA for class A

NORTH CAROLINA:

Asheboro: WWMW 89.5 NO-RE

Beech Mt: WECR 102.3 NW, soft AC (&)

Charlotte: W230AJ 93.9 NS-55w: WYFG 91.1 SC

Fuquay-Varina: WZZU 103.9 CC (ex WTCD)

Goldsboro: WEOR 102.3 FC to hot AC (Greenville)

Harker Is: WLGP 100.3 LC

Highlands: W279AH 103.7 NS: 10w: WHLC 104.5

Pinetops: WWRT 95.5 NO-RE

Snow Hill: WAGO 88.7 NO-RE

NORTH DAKOTA:

Carrington: KYNU 98.3 NW, CC (ex KANG), country

Dickinson: KCAD 99.1 NW, country (&)

Jamestown: KXGT 95.5 CC (ex KYNU), FC to oldies

Valley City: KQDJ 101.1 CC (ex KOVC)

Wishek: KAEI 100.3 NO-CX-DE

OHIO:

Bryan: WGBE 90.9 NW, news/classical //

WGTE 91.3 Toledo

Cleveland: WCPN 90.3 PC< 47 kW, 508 ft, DA

Dayton: W258AI 99.5 NS-100w: WGXM 98.1

Hicksburg: *** 106.7 GA for class A

Mansfield: WVMC 90.7 PG> 170w(v)

OKLAHOMA:

Ada: KTLS 93.3 GA: to C1, CL: Newcastle, OK

Atoka: K219CX 91.7 NS-250: WAFR 88.3 MS

Durant: *NS 91.1 AF (AFA)

Hollis: *** 92.5 XA to delete class A

Hollis: *** 101.3 XA to add class C3

Poteau: KARG 91.7 2.5 kW, 1866ft, (AFA)

CC (NS)

Watonga: KIMY 93.5 GA: to 93.9 - A

Weatherford: *NS 90.5 AF (AFA)

OREGON:

Ashland: KKJJ 107.5 NW, adult con. (Medford)

Bandon: KBDN 96.5 LC

Canyon City: KJDY 94.5 LC

Cherryville: *NS 88.7 1w(h), 220w(v), 1568 ft.

Eagle Point: KZZE 1106.3 NS-93w(h)

PENNSYLVANIA:

Altoona: WFGY 98.1 decreases to 941 ft

XC: 40-34-01 / 76-26-32

Cambridge Spgs: WACM 104.5 CC (NS)

Center Vly: W278AI 103.5 NS-250w: WBYO 88.9

Forest City: *** 100.1 PA to add class A

Grove City: *NS 88.9 NO-RE

Harrisburg: WYJM 94.9 FC to all Christmas music

Mill Hall: WZRZ 98.7 LC

New Berlin: WBGM 88.1 NW, religion // WPGM 96.7

SOUTH CAROLINA:

Ladson: WRLQ 106.3 NO-RX

SOUTH DAKOTA:

Clear Lake: *** 107.1 PA to add class C3

Lowry: KMLO 100.7 NW, country (&) // KPLO 94.5

Spearfish: K211CY 90.1 NS- WAFR 88.3 MS

TENNESSEE:

Bells: *NS 93.1 OSA to 3.7 kW, 400 ft

XC: 33-41-32 / 96-26-36

Benton: WBIN 93.1 NW, adult contemp.

Cookeville: WHRS 91.7 NW, // WPLN 90.3 Nashville

Crossville: WNKW 89.3 LC

Dickson: WYYB 93.7 PC> 18 kW, class C3

Dyer: WLSQ 94.3 adds adult alternative (&)

Henry: *** 104.7 GA for class A

Humboldt: WLSZ 105.3 adds adult alternative (&)

Kingsport: WCQR 88.3 LC

Knoxville: WQBB 104.5 PG< 2.3 kW, 528 ft

XC: 36-00-08 / 83-56-41

Lexington: *** 96.5 XA to add class A

Middleton: Middleton 100.7 GA for class C3

Murfreesboro: WMOT 89.5 PC> 100 kW, 676 ft, C1

XC: 36-05-07 / 86-26-22

Murfreesboro: WMTS 88.3 NW, alternative

Parker's Crossroads: *** 96.5 GA for class A

Pioneer: WAJG 89.3 NO-RE

Ringgold: WMPZ 93.7 FC to urban oldies (&)

TEXAS:

Abilene: KHXS 106.3 NC to 50 kW, 492ft, CX

Amarillo: KPVY 100.9 NO-RE

Amarillo: KAPU 90.7 LC

Borger: *NS 88.7 10kW (h), 3 kW (v), 203 ft

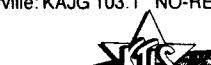
(changed from original 91.5 grant)

Brownfield: KLZK 104.3 PG> 50 kW, 466 ft, class C2

XC: 33-25-08 / 102-08-58

Caldwell: KHEN 95.1 NO-RE

Centerville: KAJG 103.1 NO-RE



Dimmitt: KNNK 100.5 OSA for class C2, 43 kW, 489'

Hempstead: KEZB 105.3 NO-RE

Huntsville: KCEY 99.7 NO-RE

Ingram: *NS 90.1 50 kW, 319 ft, (TX Pub. Radio)

Longview: *NS 91.7 AF (AFA)

Odem: KLHB 98.3 CC (ex KKHQ)

Palacios: KKOS 99.7 CC (NS)

Stanton: *** 105.9 37 kW, 400 ft

Sterling City: KAKR 96.5 NO-RE

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VIRGINIA:

Blacksburg: W278AJ 103.5 NS-65w: WPSK 107.1
 Charlottesville: WNRN 91.9 NW, adult alternative
 Martinsville: WPIM 90.5 LC
 Monterey: WVLS 89.7 PG> 360w (v), class B1
 Petersburg: WVST 91.3 NC to 2.2kW(v), 167', DA, RE
 Vinton: WJJS 106.1 PG< 730w, 909 ft
 XG: 37-22-23 / 79-55-40

WASHINGTON:

Bremerton: KRWM 106.9 PC< 55 kW, 1243', DA
 Clarkston: KVAB 102.9 CC (NS)
 Cle Elum: *** 93.7 PA for class A
 Leavenworth: KLVH 101.1 NO-RE
 Moses Lake: KMLW 88.3 inc to 679 feet
 XG: 46-56-31 / 119-25-41

Naches: KHHK 96.9 CC (ex KYKA)
 Sunnyside: KZTB 96.7 CC (ex KREW)
 Walla Walla: KUJ 99.1 420w, 1194 ft. CC (NS)
 NW, CHR,

WEST VIRGINIA:

Clarksburg: WPDX 104.9 PC> 6 kW, 321 ft.
 Paden City: W226AH 93.1 NS-6w(v): WRRR 93.9

WISCONSIN:

Balsam Lake: WWLC 104.9 CC (NS)
 Brillion: WEZR 107.5 PG< 5 kW, 751 ft, ND
 XG: 44-21-30 / 87-58-48

Brookfield: WFMI 106.9 FC to jazz "The Oasis"
 Portage: WBKY 95.9 NO-RE

Superior: KRBKR 102.5 CC (ex KZIO)
 Two Harbor: WRSR 104.3 FC to Jones smooth jazz (&)

Two Rivers: WQTC 102.3 GA: to class A,
 CL: Manitowoc

Two Rivers: *** 98.9 GA for class A
 Whitewater: WKCH 106.5 NO-RE

WYOMING:

Cheyenne: *NS 104.9 6 kW, 0 ft.
 Glenrock: *** 98.3 PA to add class A

Newcastle: *NS 99.3 NO-RE

U.S. TERRITORIES:

GUAM:

Barrigada: KHMG 88.1 NW, religion

PUERTO RICO:

San German: WZGX 91.7 LC

VIRGIN ISLANDS:

Charlotte Amalie: WVNX 97.1 NO-RE



**TUNE IN TO
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CANADA

ALBERTA:

Calgary: *NS 88.9 23.5 kW

BRITISH COLUMBIA:

Abbotsford: *NS 104.9 990w, to boost CFSR 104.9 which is moving its xmtr to Mt. Seymour

Vancouver: *NS 96.1 to be ethnic (owned by the CJVB-1470 folks)

NEW BRUNSWICK:

Fredericton: *NS 90.5 840w, French
 Woodstock: *NS 91.9 CBC repeater

ONTARIO:

Fort Erie: CKEY 101.1 PG> 19.7 kW
 Haileybury: *NS 102.3 780w, CBC
 Newmarket: CKDX 88.5 PG> 500 w, inc. height
 Orangeville: CIDC 103.5 wants PG< 21.7 kW
 Peterborough: CFFF 96.3 wants 92.7, 250 w.
 Sudbury: *NS 96.7 1.3 kW, campus station
 Timmins: CJQQ 92.1 PG> 40 kW

QUÉBEC:

Cabano: CJAF 1240 QG to 98.3 - 3 kW
 (is relayer of CJFP 103.7 Rivière du Loup)
 Jonquière: CHOC 92.5 reported SI
 Longueil: *NS 103.3 PG< 104 watts
 Rimouski: CFLP 100.1 denied move to
 102.9, 33.6 kW
 Ste-Jérôme: CJER 900 app. for FM freq. DENIED
 Ste-Jovite: CKSJ 1400 app. for FM freq. DENIED

• Steve Ryan writes about a test broadcast he has heard in the Metro Toronto area, on 101.3. It is originating from the North Etobicoke region of town, near Highway 401 and Dixon Rd, with 100 watts ERP. CIRV used to broadcast from this facility before they moved recently. The purpose is to investigate interference, for a future license application. The party who is running the test is interested in reception reports, and can be reached at 416-719-2630.

• Eric Bueneman writes about several items ... He believes that KYLS 92.7 Ironton, MO has been silent for some lengthy period of time, as there is no listing in the local phone book. Eric, they are also listed as silent in the latest M Street book. There also may be activity soon on the CP for new station KHCR 97.7 Potosi, MO, as Eric noted an FM tower already up outside that town, but a studio may still need to be built. Eric noted the XHMORE calls I heard on 98.9 in Tijuana, noting that six-letter calls in North America being very rare, with an

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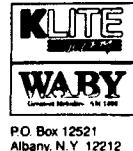
AM station in Costa Rica being the only other one. I am betting then that the real call on that station is still XHQF as listed in official directories, and that I heard fake calls, like "WMIX" or "WHO T". Eric suspects, correctly I believe, that the city of license for WKOC 93.7 is now Chesapeake, VA. I recall that change being "official", but still have seen them mentioned as Elizabeth City, NC on occasion.

• Doug Smith indicates that hearings were held by the CRTC on October 7 for the big vacant Toronto FM spot (99.1), and October 25 for the Montreal frequency (I believe it is 95.1). Sources indicate that reserving these spots for the CBC was overturned, but other reports on the Internet suggest otherwise.

• Ralph Strobel has updates on quite a few pirates in Indiana. In Indianapolis, near Butler U., Ralph has noted a 90.5 pirate called "RFI" for "Radio Free Indianapolis". It was also noted with a good signal in the Shadeland Antique Mall and Shadeland Rd. area of town. A phone number of 466-2800 was given. Ralph phoned, and heard back from the operator, who noted the station originates from near Broad Ripple High School on E. 62nd St. It turns out that this station is different from RFI, and is called BRC, for "Broad Ripple Channel". Both stations have 1/10 of a watt, but 1 watt on weekends. There is a group this person is involved that is looking for a frequency for a low power community FM, perhaps 91.5 WRFT Franklin Twp on the south side of town, or 91.7 Pendleton. It was also found out that a third 90.5 pirate used to operate in Indy near the I-465 tower farm, but no longer exists. Other FM frequencies in Indianapolis to watch for are 97.5 in the Marion College area, and 91.9 in the Fountain Square area. Back in Muncie, the 88.1 pirate previously heard has not been heard recently. However, on July 21, a new pirate was found on 91.1, in mono, and all talk. The top of the hour ID is for KHMC 1360 Johnstown and KTMG 1370 Deer Trail. The signal covers all of Muncie. Ralph, I heard these stations on a trip last summer. They are located in the prairie east of Denver, and were running something called the "USA Patriot Network", which seemed to be mostly political talk shows similar to the People's Radio Network. Ralph also briefly noted a 91.3 pirate in Muncie relaying WENS 97.1, but that vanished. In a more recent letter, Ralph notes that the 91.1

"KHMC/KTMG" pirate has moved to 107.5, possibly to alleviate interference to WWHI 91.3, a local high school station.

• Mike Lazaro also sent in some information. One article deals with Straus Media's acquisition of more stations in the Poughkeepsie area: WRNQ 92.1, WKIP 1450, and an LMA agreement for WNSX 96.1. This brings their total in that area to nine, as they also own or operate WHUC 1230, WTHK 93.5, WCTW 98.5, and WCKL 560, and also some Ellenville stations. No personnel or format changes were expected. There is also a letter to the editor from Ric Mitchell, of Clifton Park, a former morning DJ for WKLI 100.9, which changed to a "modern/ac" format as "K100" this year. Speaking of that station, they have done fairly well with the new format, bringing in a 5.2 among 25-54 year olds. They appear to have taken some listeners away from WFLY 92.3, Top 40 "Fly 92". Also benefiting from this change is WYJB 95.5, which is soft adult contemporary, which leaped from 6.9 to 9.0 in the 12+ demographic. Another article from the November 4-10 *Capital District Business Review* discussed the CP in Queensbury, NY, on 105.7 (WNYQ). This station, which has been in the works for ten years, was finally slated to come on the air in mid-November. However, there is local opposition in the neighborhood where the tower is to be located: a residential area on the top of Grant Mountain, near Moreau State Park. Residents contend that the town erred in awarding the site, as they see the tower as a commercial entity. The town's interpretation was that it was a public utility. The article states that WNYQ will be ready in mid-November, though I still have not heard of its debut, so these problems may be causing further delay. Keep us posted, Mike! In a related article, Mike sends an editorial from the same paper from a "16-year-old radio enthusiast", Gavin Burt, from Glenmont, suggesting Prospect Mountain, near Lake George. He says that WCKM 98.5 and WKBE 100.3 already broadcast from there, and can be heard all the way to Northway (I-87) exit 30. The writer seems to be very knowledgeable about radio; hope he finds our club someday!



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DEADLINE: THE 5TH

DXER NAME	DXER LOCATION	TOTAL	88-92	ES	MS	AU	USA	CN	MX	FO	TPU	YB	AS OF:
DYER, PAT	TX SAN ANTONIO	2996	467	2449	78	0	44+	4	22	6	77	70	06/30/96
MERRILL, FRANK	IL MACOMB	2636	450	1181	10	8	48+	8	8	3	68	85	02/20/96
PUGH, KEITH	AL NEW HOPE	2380	382	1324	108	18	47+	7	14	6	75	83	12/28/95
CONIGLIO, GREG	NY WILLIAMSVILLE	2056	340	1066	18	32	41+	8	2	5	57	85	10/12/95
BUNTIN, DANNY	OK STILLWATER	2051	346	1218	4	0	48+	5	9	2	65	74	04/08/96
FELA, JOSEPH	NJ S. PLAINFIELD	1979	424	1097	2	10	38+	6	0	3	47	68	07/10/96
EBELING, JOHN	MN BLOOMINGTON	1924	326	1074	57	89	48+	6	5	0	60	52	01/01/96
ELVING, BRUCE	MN ESKO-DULUTH	1833	340	1400	9	8	47+	4	2	0	54	48	02/02/96
BUGAJ, MIKE	CT ENFIELD	1830	253	1018	25	23	37+	6	1	3	48	74	12/28/95
NORDQUIST, FRED	NY CLAY	1746	374	877	48	59	42+	5	0	3	51	69	12/08/96
HAWK, MIKE	NE OMAHA	1588	312	866	30	0	47+	6	4	0	58	91	07/30/95
EBELING, JOHN	MN PROSIT	1545	298	985	4	6	48+	9	2	0	60	75	01/01/96
SEYBOLD, BOB	NY DUNKIRK	1461	316	649	0	2	45	8	3	3	59	58	01/01/96
ZONDLO, JOHN	OK YUKON	1443	273	815	2	0	42+	5	9	0	57	79	02/17/96
JEFFERSON, JOHN	CA DIABLO REGION	1343	302	767	180	1	30	4	7	0	41	74	03/14/96
SMOLAREK, BOB	NJ OLDWICK	1288	195	620	2	4	36+	4	0	3	44	78	09/01/95
SHAFTAN, RICHARD	NJ SPARTA	1239	198	541	21	0	37+	5	0	3	46	78	09/06/95
SITTEL, MATT	FL TALLAHASSEE	1156	162	554	2	0	38+	2	6	4	51	92	01/18/95
MORGAN, GIL	MO LEBANON	1109	199	255	26	0	40+	5	5	0	51	94	10/06/95
HOLBROOK, HANK	MD DUNKIRK *	920	252	249	19	0	35+	7	0	4	47	59	10/10/95
OETTING, DANIEL	PA EXTON/PHOENIXIV	919	234	317	9	2	34+	7	0	1	43	77	07/23/95
NIEMAN, DAVID	NY ROCK CITY	848	199	136	9	1	35+	5	0	0	41	91	05/28/96
SIEGEL, GARY	OH TOLEDO	792	167	180	0	0	33+	5	2	1	42	76	05/05/96
STEINBERGER, RICHARD	MA HUDSON	769	164	336	12	6	35+	5	0	0	41	58	11/15/95
TUDENHAM, JOHN	MO JOPLIN	759	134	192	1	0	43+	3	2	0	49	91	07/10/96
SMITH, DOUG	TN PLEASANT VIEW	671	121	201	1	0	35	3	8	2	48	94	02/24/96
SIMON, KEN	FL LAKE WORTH	545	148	437	0	0	34+	2	4	8	49	66	07/05/95
JEZIORSKI, MIKE	FL CRESCENT BEACH	489	88	205	0	0	33+	3	1	2	42	93	04/18/96
DURKIN, PAT	WI WEST ALLIS	428	89	81	0	0	32+	3	0	0	36	78	08/29/95
GEORGE, PETER	MA STOUGHTON	394	94	149	20	2	36+	5	0	0	42	67	07/05/95
MANCUSO, GUS	MD CHEVERLY	364	65	62	0	0	26+	0	0	0	27	72	10/01/95
MCVEY, TIM	PA HANOVER	333	55	38	0	0	20+	3	0	0	24	94	09/09/95
MOUNT, PAUL	NJ MONMOUTH	307	48	21	0	0	20+	0	0	0	21	90	08/24/92
SITTEL, MATT	NC ASHVILLE	302	37	68	0	0	22	2	2	2	28	94	01/22/96
THOMAS, JIM	CO FORT COLLINS	261	35	129	8	0	24	3	1	0	28	89	02/10/96
BUENEMAN, ERIC	MO HAZELWOOD	213	31	72	0	0	24	0	2	0	26	92	11/12/95
SCHWEITZER, BOB	VA SALEM	76	9	0	0	0	5+	0	0	0	6	91	01/14/95
TURNER, RICK	MA N DARTMOUTH	67	16	0	0	0	6	0	0	0	6	96	11/27/96

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COLUMN DEFINITIONS: are as follows: Total = Total number of FM stations logged from DXer's location (All loggings should be received within 25 mile radius of this location to count.) Freq. changes count as a station, call letter changes DO NOT count. Also count a station only once regardless if logged by different propagation modes. 88-92 = All stations logged from 88.0 to 91.99 MHz. ES=Total number of stations logged by E-skip. MS=Total by meteor scatter. Au=Total via Aurora. USA=Total number of states and the "+" = Washington, DC. CN=Number of Canadian provinces logged. MX=Number of Mexican states logged. PO=Number of foreign countries, but not Canada/Mexico. TPU (Total number of political units)=Sum of USA CN MX and PO. YB = The year you began DXing from this location. Other groundrules for computing log totals are included in VUD issue 03/96. Note: Now is the time to update and submit your latest stats to keep on the Scoreboard. Also submit any distance records, states stats and personal best statistics. Send via E-mail or snail mail. 73 - FRED.

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DXER NAME	DXER LOCATION	TOTAL	UHF	LPTV	ES	MS	AU	USA	CN	MX	PO	TPU	YB	AS OF:
KADET, JEFF	IL MACOMB	1597	1089	551	253	3	0	45+	7	11	7	71	83	10/21/96
MERRILL, FRANK	IL MACOMB	1390	887	393	247	21	0	45+	7	12	3	72	85	02/20/96
SEYBOLD, BOB	NY DUNKIRK	1365	801	234	217	30	6	49+	7	1	5	63	50	11/04/96
GARCIA, FERNANDO	NL MONTERREY	702	467	173	107	0	0	31	0	8	5	44	91	12/31/95
SIRGEL, GARY	OH TOLEDO	645	308	49	149	0	0	39+	6	2	2	50	70	05/05/96
FERNANDO, GARCIA	NL CD. GUADALUPE	560	356	117	96	0	0	30	0	7	5	42	91	03/19/95
BARSTOW, ROY	MA TEATICKET	515	317	90	99	5	1	36+	7	0	1	45	71	10/24/95
NIEMAN, DAVID	NY ROCK CITY	508	366	77	53	0	0	35+	5	0	0	41	91	10/07/96
DYER, PAT	TX SAN ANTONIO	488	155	13	199	64	0	42+	5	18	5	71	59	12/31/95
MILLER, RUSS	ME AMITY	479	242	108	102	75	0	33+	7	0	3	44	94	11/08/96
HEPBURN, WILLIAM	ON BRAMPTON	463	300	46	97	1	0	36+	7	0	1	45	85	06/01/96
CONIGLIO, GREG	NY WILLIAMSVILLE	446	269	43	93	0	0	35	6	0	2	43	86	10/14/95
KRUSZKA, JEFF	LA BATON ROUGE	402	252	56	73	0	0	31+	1	6	2	41	93	09/15/96
NORDQUIST, FRED	NY CLAY	391	247	43	75	3	0	36+	6	0	1	44	69	12/08/96
OGLETHORPE, DANNY	LA SHREVEPORT	385	152	18	127	0	0	37+	4	9	2	53	94	06/04/96
SHAPTAFT, RICK	NJ SPARTA	374	189	26	102	0	0	36+	5	0	1	43	81	09/06/95
SMITH, DOUG	TN PLEASANT VIEW	371	244	30	46	1	0	31	2	4	1	38	94	02/24/96
WHEELER, FRANK	PA EBIE	331	92	0	239	5	2	33+	9	0	0	43	53	07/30/96
HANLEY, CHRIS	IL GALESBURG	210	108	10	60	0	0	28	6	0	1	35	88	08/09/95
BUENEMAN, ERIC	MO HAZELWOOD	207	147	6	25	0	0	24	2	0	0	26	92	11/12/95
JEFFERSON, JOHN	CA ANTIOCH	203	103	-	75	0	0	16	4	4	0	24	74	03/14/96
MILTIER, RANDY	CA SAN JOSE	126	38	2	70	2	0	16	7	3	0	?	69	01/25/95
MOUNT, PAUL	NJ MONMOUTH	95	67	5	2	0	0	12+	0	0	0	13	90	08/24/92
STEINBERGER, RICHARD	MA HUDSON	87	50	4	6	0	0	14	1	0	0	15	60	11/15/95
HAWK, MIKE	NE OMAHA	82	48	7	5	0	0	11	2	0	0	13	91	07/29/95

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CHANNEL METRICS - Keith Pugh - New Hope AL (01/01/96)	MHZ	88	89	90	91	92	93	94	95	96	97	98	99	100	101	102	103	104	105	106	107	TOTAL
	.1	21	18	16	25	54	42	33	9	38	23	30	11	28	21	6	32	27	7	15	26	482
	.3	29	8	14	26	22	15	46	50	24	25	20	33	23	35	19	5	27	29	6	493	
	.5	28	16	25	24	31	50	27	31	22	25	21	27	13	33	24	17	23	22	13	25	487
	.7	17	9	27	12	16	26	25	37	33	23	30	17	23	17	28	17	16	21	20	11	425
	.9	9	23	18	18	30	35	36	15	6	26	28	47	33	22	29	35	22	9	28	492	
	TOTAL	167	136	83	79	216	217	215	219	170	160	174	131	64	86	103	180	144	158	147	141	2990

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FM STATISTICS
AS OF: 12/14

STATES STATS

ABOVE STATS REPRESENT MOST NO. OF STATIONS FOR EACH POLITICAL UNIT (PU) FROM A SPECIFIED DXER LOCATION. FIRST AND SECOND PLACE DXERS ARE LISTED ONLY. OTHERS THAT ARE TIED FOR SECOND ARE NOT LISTED....FJN.

FH STATES STATS-DXR INITIALS/LOCATION/GRID COORDINATES										12/14/1996			LAT NO. LONGEST				
INIT	DXR	NAME	DXR	LOCATION	DEG	MIN	LONGEST	INIT	DXR	NAME	DXR	LOCATION	DEG	MIN	LONGEST		
AMH	ALAN	MILLMAKER	IL	CENTRALIA	38	31	89	8	JJE2	JOHN M	JEFFERSON	CA	PLEASANTON	37	40	121	53
BELZ	BRUCE	ELVING	MN	DULUTH	46	47	92	6	JJE3	JOHN M	JEFFERSON	AK	ANCHORAGE	61	13	149	53
DAL	DOUGLAS	MALLEEN	CO	WOODLAND PAR	39	0	105	3	JPI-	JIM	PIZZI	NN	LOVINGTON	32	57	103	21
DBR	DAVID	BRUMFIELD	IN	MUNCIE	40	11	85	23	JZO-	JOHN	ZONDLO	OK	YUKON	35	30	97	45
DBU	DANNY	BUNTING	OK	STILLWATER	36	7	97	4	KPU-	KETHIE D	PUGH	AL	NEW HOPE	34	32	86	24
DNI	DAVID J	NIEMAN	NY	AKRON	42	58	79	32	KSI-	KEN	SIMON	FL	LAKE WORTH	26	37	80	33
DNI1	DAVID J	NIEMAN	NY	ROCK CITY	42	1	78	28	MBU-	MIKE	BUGAJ	CT	ENFIELD	41	58	72	36
DOO	DAVID	ODELL	AR	LITTLE ROCK	43	16	96	15	MHA-	MICHAEL	HAWK	NE	OMAHA	41	31	96	3
DOE	DAN	OETTING	PA	BROOMALL	39	59	75	22	MJE-	MIKE	JEZIORSKI	FL	ST.AUGUSTINE	29	44	81	20
DSM1	DOUGLAS	MCCORMICK	TN	PLEASANT VIE	36	24	87	5	MS11	MATTHEW	CSITTEL	NC	RALEIGH	35	47	78	39
FNC-F	FRED	MCCORMACK	ND	DES LACS	48	17	101	25	MS12	MATTHEW	CSITTEL	FL	TALLAHASSEE	30	29	84	18
FNC2	FRED	MCCORMACK	ND	FARGO	46	52	96	48	MS13	MATTHEW	CSITTEL	NC	ASHVILLE	35	34	82	37
FNE	FRANK	MERRILL	MI	MILAN	42	5	83	40	PDY-	PAT	DYER	TX	SAN ANTONIO	29	28	98	36
FNE1	FRANK	MERRILL	MI	MACOMB	40	27	90	40	RBR-	RUSS	BROWN	MI	ST JOSEPH	42	6	86	29
FMO	FRED	NORDQUIST	NY	CLAY	43	6	76	8	RSM-	BOB	SMOLAREK	NJ	HIGH BRIDGE	40	40	74	54
GCO	GREG	CONIGLIO	NY	CHEEKWAGA	42	59	78	41	RST-	RALPH	STROBEL	IN	MUNCIE	40	11	85	23
GUA	GUS	HANCUSO	MD	CHEVERLY	38	55	76	55	RST1	RICHARD	STEINBERGER	NY	HUDSON	42	24	71	55
GWA1	GUS	HANCUSO	MD	BIRCH RIVER	38	30	80	47	SRE1	SHEL	REMINGTON	HI	KEAUA/CEERN F	29	17	255	10
GHO	GIL	MORGAN	MO	STOCKTON	37	39	93	49	SW1	STEVEN C	WISEBLOOD	TX	BROWNSVILLE	25	54	97	30
JEB-	JOHN	EBELING	MN	BLOOMINGTON	44	50	93	19	TNC-	TIMOTHY	KMCVEY	TX	BOLIVAR	35	16	88	59
JEB2	JOHN	EBELING	MN	PROSIT	47	0	92	37	WHE2	WILLIAM	RHEPBURN	NT	CORAL HARBOR	64	8	83	10
JFE-	JOSEPH	FELA	NJ	S PLAINFIELD	40	35	74	25	WNO-	WILLIAM	WOLLMAN	CT	ZOBRAZ	41	20	72	36

TV STATISTICS		AS OF:		12/14		STATES		STATS			
PU	# DXER	# DXER	PU	# DXER	# DXER	PU	# DXER	# DXER	PU	# DXER	# DXER
	USA			USA(Cont)			CANADA			MEXICO	
AL	51 JKA-	47 FGA-	MT	9 FME1	8 JKA-	AT	9 JKA-	8 FME1	AGU(AG)	0 None	0 None
AK	0 None	0 None	NE	57 JKA-	43 FME1	BC	1 FWH-	0 None	BCN(BN)	2 FGA-	2 PDY-
AZ	6 JKA-	5 PDY-	NV	3 FGA-	3 PDY-	MB	10 FME1	7 JKA-	BSC(BS)	2 PDY-	0 None
AR	47 JKA-	26 FME1	NH	11 RBA-	10 RST1	NB	20 RM12	9 RBA-	CAM(CE)	0 None	0 None
CA	7 PDY-	2 FGA-	NJ	17 RBA-	16 RSM-	NF	5 RBA-	5 WHE-	CHP(CH)	5 JKA-	2 FGA-
CO	25 JKA-	17 FME1	NY	5 JKA-	5 PDY-	NS	34 RM12	33 RBA-	CHI(CI)	5 JKA-	4 FME1
CT	20 RBA-	12 RSM-	NY	96 DN1-	87 FNO-	ON	91 WHE-	84 DN1-	COA(CL)	10 FGA-	4 JKA-
DE	6 RBA-	5 RSM-	NC	34 RBA-	21 FGA-	PEI	5 RM12	1 RBA-	COL(CY)	1 JKR-	0 None
FL	115 FGA-	80 MS12	ND	9 JKA-	7 FME1	PQ	44 RM12	19 DN1-	DF(DF)	2 PDY-	1 JK1R
GA	47 FGA-	39 JKA-	OH	88 JKA-	77 FME1	SK	17 FME1	16 JKA-	DUR(DU)	0 None	0 None
HI	10 SRE1	0 None	OK	59 JKA-	46 FME1	NT	2 WHE6	1 WHE7	GTO(GN)	1 JKA-	1 JK1R
ID	6 FME1	4 PDY-	OR	1 PDY-	0 None	YT	0 None	0 None	GROGR(G)	2 PDY-	1 FGA-
IL	87 JKA-	81 FME1	PA	70 DN11	44 RBA-				HGO(HD)	0 None	0 None
IN	69 JKA-	64 FME1	RI	7 RBA-	5 RM12				JAL(JA)	1 PDY-	0 None
IA	74 JKA-	70 FME1	SC	22 FGA-	18 RBA-	CUBA	9 FGA-	7 FME1	MEX(MC)	0 None	0 None
KS	43 JKA-	38 FME1	SD	25 JKA-	24 FME1	D.REP	1 JKA-	1 FME1	MIC(MH)	0 None	0 None
KY	41 FME1	37 JKA-	TN	51 JKA-	46 FME1	EL SA	2 FGA-	2 PDY-	MOR(MR)	0 None	0 None
LA	61 JK1R	59 FGA-	TX	174 FGA-	109 PDY-	GUATE	1 FGA-	1 PDY-	NAY(NA)	0 None	0 None
ME	29 RM12	22 RBA-	UT	4 JKA-	2 PDY-	HONDU	2 FGA-	0 None	NL(NL)	14 FGA-	6 PDY-
MD	13 RSM-	13 DN11	VT	11 RBA-	7 RM12	NICAR	1 PDY-	1 FGA-	OAX(OX)	2 PDY-	0 None
MA	29 RBA-	26 RST1	VA	42 RBA-	19 DN11	PUERT	1 JKA-	0 None	PUE(PU)	1 PDY-	1 JK1R
MI	79 JKA-	71 FME1	WA	4 JKA-	3 FME1	VENEZ	1 GCO-	0 None	QUE(QT)	1 PDY-	1 FME1
MN	126 JKA-	73 FME1	WV	16 JKA-	18 FME1				QUI(QU)	1 JKA-	0 None
MS	32 JK1R	29 FGA-	WI	61 JKA-	60 FME1				SLP(SL)	0 None	0 None
MO	71 JKA-	56 FME1	WY	4 JKA-	4 FME1	AUSTR	1 JKA-	1 FME1	SIN(SM)	1 PDY-	0 None
			DC	13 GMAS	8 RBA-	FRANC	1 WHE5	0 None	SON(SO)	3 PDY-	0 None
						NORWA	1 JKA-	0 None	TAB(TB)	2 PDY-	0 None
									TAM(TM)	16 FGA-	8 PDY-
									TLC(TL)	0 None	0 None
									YUC(YU)	5 FGA-	2 PDY-
									ZAC(ZA)	2 JKA-	1 JK1R

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	SWED	1	JKA-	0 None	TAM(TM)	16	FGA-	8 PDY-
	UK	2	WHE5	0 None	TLAT(TZ)	0	None	0 None
	USSR	1	JKA-	0 None	VCZ(VZ)	4	PDY-	2 JKA-
					YUYC(YU)	5	FGA-	2 PDY-

TV STATES STATS-DXER INITIALS/LOCATION/GRID COORDINATES							12/14/1996			LAT NO LONGWEST						
12/14/1996			LAT NO LONGWEST				INIT DXER NAME			DXER LOCATION						
INIT	DXER	NAME		DXER	LOCATION		DEG	MIN	DEG	MIN	DEG	MIN				
DNI- DAVID J NIEMAN	NY	AKRON		42	58	78	32			MS12 MATTHEW CSITTEL	FL	TALLAHASSEE	30	29	84	18
DN11 DAVID J NIEMAN	NY	ROCK CITY		42	1	78	28			PDY- PAT DYER	TX	SAN ANTONIO	29	28	98	36
FGA- FERNANDO GARCIA	MEX	GUADALUPECN		25	41	100	15			RBA- ROY BARSTOW	MA	TEATICET	41	36	70	76
FME1 FRANK MERRILL	IL	MACOMBS		40	27	90	40			RM12 RUSSELL MILLER	ME	AMITY	45	54	67	53
FNO- FRED NORDQUIST	NY	CLAY		43	8	76	8			RSM- BOB SMOAREK	HI	HIGH BRIDGE	40	40	74	54
FWH- FRANK WHEELER	PA	ERIE		42	8	80	4			RT11 RICHARD STEINBERGER	MA	HUDSON	42	24	71	35
GCO- GREG CONIGLIO	NY	CHEEKOTOWAGA		42	59	78	41			SRE1 SHEL REMINGTON	HI	KEAAUCFERN F	19	27	155	10
GM3- GUS MANCUSO	MD	HYATTSVILLE		38	56	76	56			WHE- WILLIAM RHEPBURN	ON	BRAMPTON	43	40	79	46
JKA- JEFF KADET	IL	MACOMB		40	27	90	40			WHE5 WILLIAM RHEPBURN	ON	MIAGARA FALL	43	5	79	6
JKR- JEFF KRUSZKA	LA	KARAHAN		29	56	90	11			WHE6 WILLIAM RHEPBURN	NT	FROBISHER BA	63	44	68	28
JKR1 JEFF KRUSZKA	LA	BATON ROUGE		30	30	91	10			WHE7 WILLIAM RHEPBURN	NT	EUREKA	80	0	85	56
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STATISTICS - PERSONAL BESTS - FM/TV																
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FM Personal Bests - John Tudenham - Joplin MO (07/10/96)							1995 TV Personal Bests - Fernando Garcia-Monterrey Mex									
Farthest Es: KNEV-95.5 MV Reno 1381 mi.							Most Loggings in 24 hr period (11/26-27): 161 (37 new)									
Farthest Tr: KEDT-90.3 TX Corpus Christi 664 mi.							Total Stations Logged in year: 573 (153 new)									
Closest Es: WEZB-97.1 LA New Orleans 554 mi.							Farthest Tr: WGBT-27 VA 1594 mi. Es:WMFT-3 MI 1440 mi.									
Best Freq: 95.7 - 21 logged. Best Es PU: FL - 57.							<hr/>									
FM Personal Bests - Keith Pugh - New Hope AL (01/19/96)							FM Personal Bests - Russ Miller - Houlton ME (11/18/96)									
Farthest Es: KRSE-105.7 WA Yakima 1975 mi.							Farthest Es: TT-2 Port of Spain 2466 mi.									
Farthest MS: CKHT-93.1 NB Fredericton 1307 mi.							Farthest UHF: WTAT-24 Charleston SC 1111 mi.									
Farthest Th: KXAA-93.1 TM Reynosa 918 mi.							<hr/>									
Closest Tr: XHAAA-93.1 TM Reynosa 918 mi.							FM Personal Bests - Fred Nordquist - Clay NY (12/96)									
Closest Es: WHPQ-96.7 KY Hopkinsville 172 mi.							Farthest Es: KCEP-88.1 NV Las Vegas 2129 mi.									
Closest Es: WKQI-95.9 SC St.Matthews 328 mi.							Farthest Tr: KHYO-95.7 AR Little Rock 1042 mi.									
							Farthest MS: KOTZ-105.9 OK Hobart 1052 mi.									

EASTERN TV DX

Hope everyone has had a great Christmas and wonderful, but save, New Year's eve. It's hard to realise that another year has come and went and I am still suffering with AIDS. I was born with AIDS and will die with AIDS. That's ACQUIRED INCOME DEFICIENCY SYNDROME, means that I was born poor and will probably will die poor.

REFLECTIONS ON THE LAST ELECTION

During a news report about a campaign fund raiser for Bill Clinton, the reporter made the comment that someone had a little to much drunk and threw a beer at the President, however not to worry it was a DRAFT BEER and President Clinton DODGED IT!!!

I would like to thank everyone who has supported this editor with there reports since I took over the column. We really do try to repeat the reports exactly as sent in; however there has been times that wrong call letters, or info may have been sent due I'm sure to typo's and such. These were corrected. But when the reporter repeats the DX day after day it must by cut for lack of space and repetition.

UPDATE

For all who missed it- "EASTERN TVDX" REPORTS WILL CONTINUE TO USE THEIR LOCAL TIME IN THEIR REPORTS. This was the WISH of the majority of the reporters.

Also for those who are still wondering about the format the report should be in- PLEASE NOTE - the same format as WESTERN TV DX and what is used in this column . This is the agreed upon format from headquarters. Hope this answers everyone's questions.

Now to the reports.....

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RUSSELL MILLER
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Equipment:

UHF-RDX-Labs 902PA/ 7" Screen CM dish
1/2" HL/ 760' ASL, BW Goldstar TV

Video rating: P5-Snow free
P1-Snow.

SEPTEMBER 1996

1 Tr 1758	WRIW-23	RI (P3)	324
2220	W16BC-16	NH (P1)	
	W38CB-38	NH (P4)	
2306	W34BL-34	MA (P5)	321
2312	<u>WCEA-19</u>	MA (P3)	29
2 Tr 0005	W48AE-48	RI (P2)	332
0008	W33AV-33	MA (P5)	292
0223	W32AY-32	MA (P5)	292
	<u>CBHT-2</u>	NS (P2)	
2252	<u>CJCB-9</u>	NS (P1)	
2308	<u>CIVG-9</u>	PQ (P1)	

OCTOBER

2 Tr 0800	WHRO-15	VA (P4)	771
	WBVT-43	VA (P4)	753
	WGGB-40	MA (P3)	351
	WNJU-47	NJ (P5)	485
	WGTW-48	NJ (P3)	534
	WTXF-29	PA (P5)	550
	WHSE-68	NJ (P4)	477
	WBOC-16	MD (P5)	654
	WTGI-61	DE (P3)	577
	<u>WCPB-28</u>	MD (P5)	654
	WBIS-31	NY (P3)	473
	W34BL-34	MA (P5)	321
	WHMC-23t	SC (P3)	1023
2 Tr 0830	WMBC-63	NJ (P3)	480
0850	WNJS-23	NJ (P3)	CHRT
	WWLP-22	MA (P3)	351
	WNYE-25	NY (P3)	473
	<u>WYDO-14</u>	NC (P3)	867
0905	WBFF-45t	MD (P1)	637

Russell Miller's report cont.

OCTOBER			
2 Tr 0905	WNJB-58	NJ (P4)	499
	WMFZ-69	NJ (P3)	480
0944	W14BGt	(TBN)???	
	<u>WMPT-22</u>	MD (P2)	649
	W25AW-25t	NJ (P3)	524
1033	<u>W36AS-36</u>	NJ (P3)	chrt
	WNJM-50	NJ (P3)	474
	WNJT-52	NJ (P3)	524
	Unid-53	Infomercial	
1045	WHRO-15	VA (P4)	771
	(STILL-IN)		
6 Tr 2030	<u>WBRE-28</u>	PA (P1)	514
2158	WBFF-45t	MD (P1)	
	WHAG-24t	MD (P1)	
2205	WNYE-25	NY	
2225	WRNN-62	NY (P2)	410
2236	Unid-62		
	<u>WYBE-35</u>	PA (P2)	550
	WTXF-29	PA (P3)	550
2324	<u>WPDE-15</u>	SC (P4)	1024
2326	<u>WHMC-23</u>	SC (P2)	1023
2359	WNJS-23	NJ (P3)	550
7 Tr 0001	<u>WTAT-24</u>	SC (P4)	1111
	(Thanks for the photo Russ, I'll have to try and print it in a future issue)		
0015	WHSP-65	NJ (P4)	573
	WHSE-68	NJ (P4)	477
	WTBY-54	NY (P5)	419
0038	<u>WUNU-31</u>	NC bars	975
0040	<u>WUNP-36</u>	NC bars	827
0043	WNJU-47	NJ (P5)	485
0100	<u>WLFL-22</u>	NC slde	897
0133	WLIW-21	NY (P3)	460
0158	<u>WPDE-15</u>	SC S/OFF	
0201	Unid-16		
0220	<u>WRDC-28</u>	NC slde	894
0300	WRAZ-50t	NC bars	
8 Tr 0810	<u>WCPB-28</u>	MD (P5)	654
0815	WBOC-16	MD (P5)	654
	WNJU-47	NJ (P5)	485
	WXTV-41	NJ (P4)	
0820	WTXF-29	PA (P5)	550
	W34BL-34	MA (P5)	321
0830	WBIS-31	NY (P3)	473
0835	WHSP-65	NJ (P4)	573
	WHSE-68	NJ (P4)	477
	WRIW-23	RI (P3)	324
0850	<u>W48AE-48</u>	RI (P3)	332
0907	<u>WEDH-24</u>	CT (P5)	373

0909	WGBS-57	PA (P3)	550
0920	WGTW-48	NJ (P3)	534
0925	<u>WOST-69</u>	RI (P2)	375
0945	WMPT-22	MD (P2)	649
1018	WPHL-17	PA (P3)	550
1044	WTGI-61	DE (P3)	577
	WNJT-52	NJ (P2)	524
1109	WNYE-25	NY (P2)	473
1112	W28AJ-28	CT (P2)	408
1143	WYBE-35	PA bars	550
1200	WFMZ-69	PA (P3)	530
1208	W65??-65	CT (not pbs)	
1218	W36AS-36	NJ	
1239	WMBC-63	NJ (P3)	480
21 Tr	Middle Musauodoboit, NS wireless cable channels: 14, 22, 24, 30, 36, 50, 53, 57		

COMMENTS:

WTAT Charleston, SC at 1111 miles was in all night, usually at P4 levels. Situated on the warm side of a double high pressure system with a developing hurricane moving up the coast out of the Gulf of Mexico made for one very happy DXer on the 6th and 7th of October. This same storm system may have contributed to the October 2nd opening also.

I'll note the highlights of this summer DX; on 1 July - Es into Puerto Rico for WKAQ-2 and WAPA-4 // 18 July - Tropos into Ontario // 8 August - Tropos into Varigina Beach, VA // 16 August - Trops to Philly // 20 August - Trops in all directions to 550 miles // 22 August Trops Canada with CIII-29 and CHLF-25 at 744 and 629 miles // 23 August - Trops to VA // Also many wierless cable channels.

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EQUIPMENT:

Sharp 10" BW; Radio Shack LP-190 log periodic antenna at 15' Radio Shack U-120 corner reflector yagi with R/S 15-1108

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David Austin cont.,

"CAROLINA BANDSCAN"

OCTOBER 1996

12 Gw/ 0723	WRJA-27	85
Tr	WKFT-41	94
	WRLK-35	125 Columbia
	WIS-10	125
	WLTX-19	125
	WOLO-25	125
	<u>WLFL-22</u>	144 Raleigh
	WRAL-5	144
	WNCN-17	144
	WRDC-28	144
	WCTI-12	
	WNSC-30	149 Rock Hill
	WFVT-55	149
12 Gw/ 0730	<u>WTVI-42</u>	154 Charlotte
	WSOC-9	154
	WCCB-18	154 snowfree
	WCNC-36	154
	WTVD-11	159 Durham
	<u>WJZY-46</u>	163 Belmont, NC
	WGHP-8	169
	WNEH-38	191 Greenwood
	<u>WRET-49</u>	195
	WNTV-29	216 Greenville
12 Tr	<u>WSPA-7</u>	195
14 Tr	2102 <u>WRDW-12</u>	181 Augusta
	WJBF-6	181
	<u>WGGS-16</u>	216 Greenville
	<u>W20AL-20</u>	66
15 Gw	2115 WLFL-22	144
	WRAZ-50	144
	WUNK-25	158
	WUNP-36	203
16 Gw	0806 WEYB-LP-56	61 Florence
	WUNG-58	153
18 Es	1157 CHBX-2	930 Ontario
	1206 WBAY-2	892
22 Tr	0844 WVAN-9	
	WTOC-11	
	WTLV-12	
	WJKS-17	
Gw	0926 WBNU-36	87 Charleston
	2355 WRMY-47	167
25 Gw	0548 WHKY-14	198 Hickory
27 Tr	1721 WJKS-17	FL
	WAWS-30	FL
	WTEV-47	FL
29 Gw	0627 WUNE-17	236 NC

David Austin cont.,

29	WACH-57	125 SC
	WASV-62	247 NC
	WKAY-64	157 NC
	WLOS-13 under WBTW-13	
	WJNF-33 under WJPM-33	
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	ROY BARSTOW	
	Box 2488 Teaticket, MA 02536	

JULY 1996

24 Es	2030 WCIA-3	IL
25 Es	1000 WFOR-4	FL
	WPBT-2	FL
26 Es	1300 KYTV-3	MO
	1330 KTVI-2	MO
29 Tr	0050 W44AI-44	NY
	W54AY-54	NY
0100	W38CH38	NY
	W23BC-23	NJ
30 Tr	2115 WMEB-12	ME
	WMED-13	ME
	2120 CKLT-9	NB
31 Es	2232 WPBT-2	FL

AUGUST 96

2 Gw	1600 WOST-69	RI
	(Now with 1,780 kw)	

4 Tr	2000 CBHT-11	NS
	2100 WHRO-15	VA

	WBOC-16	MD
	WMDT-47	MD
	WCPB-28	MD

2115	CBHT-24	NS
	CBHT-52	NS
	CBHFT-46	NS

2120	CIHF-45	NS
	CBHFT-46	NS
2128	CIHF-34	NS
	CBHT-3	NS

2130	WMED-13	ME
2140	CIHF-9	NS
2205	WMPT-22	MD

2310	WUNP-36	NC
2330	W36AS-36	NJ
	W36BJ-36	NJ (TBN)

5 Tr	0015 WHSW-24	MD
	0220 WDCA-20	DC
	0255 WRLH-35	VA

6 Es	1000 WCIA-3	IL
	1040 WBBM	IL
	1100 WEDU-3	FL

Roy Barstow report cont.,

1325	WPBT-2	FL
1330	WFOR-4	FL
1800	KSDK-5	MO
	KTVI-2	MO
1810	<u>WMAQ-5</u>	IL
1830	WCCO-4	MN
1900	WDAF-4	MO
1905	KSTP-5	MN
1912	KDLH-3	MN

7 Tr	2030 WYDO-14	NC
	WHRO-15	VA
	WBOC-16	MD
	WNCN-17	NC
	WUNM-19	NC
	WMPT-22	MD
	WGNT-27	VA

	WCPB-28	MD
	WTVZ-33	VA
	WUNJ-39	NC
	WMGM-40	NJ
	WVBT-43	VA
	W45BG-45	VA
	WMDT-47	MD

7 Tr	2030 WJCB-49	VA
	WRAZ-50	NC
	W60AL-60	VA
	WFXI-8	NC
	WNCT-9	NC
	WCTI-12	NC
	W19BM-19	VA (BOX)

	W41AC-41	VA
	WVEC-13	VA
	W62BL-62	VA
	2140 W62BL-62	VA
	2145 CBHFT-46	NS
	2200 WUNP-36	NC
	2230 WTMW-14	VA

	2140 20, 26, 50,	DC
	2145 WBFF-45	MD
	2300 WBAL-11	MD
	2305 WAVY-10	VA
	2310 W69CV-69	VA

	2310 WRAY-30	NC
	2341 CIHF-34	NS
	2345 W51BH-51	VA
	2350 WJNP-36	NC
	2355 CBAT-7	NB
	2359 CKLT-9	NS

8 Tr	0000 WJNP-36	NC
	0010 WUNK-25	NC
	0015 W59CE-59	VA
	0020 W66BZ-66	VA
	0025 W69CV-69	VA
	0030 W24OI-24	VA

	0030 WESI-2	FL
	0035 WEDU-3	FL
	0040 WVEC-13	VA
	0045 W19BM	VA
	0050 WGTW-48	NJ
	0055 W45BG-45	VA

WRLH-35

VA

W52AB-52

VA

KYW-3

PA

CBHT-24

CIHF-45

NS

CIHF-34

NS

CIHF-18

NS

CBHT-11

NS

CIHF-20

NS

0135

WFMZ-69

PA

W155

WSFX-26

NC

0235

WLFL-22

NC

0240

WRDC-28

NC

1200

WNCT-9

NC

1300

W19BM-19

VA

1400

W36BJ

NJ

W24OI-24

VA

W17BM-17

NY

WHMM-32

DC

W51BH-51

VA

W63AM-63

VA

2355

W42AE-42

NY

2359

W47AD-47

CT

0030

W69AQ-69

MA

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WVIR-29

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WHYY-12

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WRIC-8

VA

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W11BJ-11

CT

0120

W36BK-36

VA

0130

WUCN-17

NC

0215

WBDC-50

DC

0230

WLFL-22

NC

0230

WVEC-13

NB

0305

WYDO-14

NC

0315

WRDC-28

NC

0330

CKLT-9

NB

0340

CBAT-7

NB

0345

CJCH-6

NS

0345

CBHT-12

NS

0350

CJCH-5

NS

0350

WEDU-3

FL

19 Tr

0100

WVEC-13

VA

0200

W19BM

VA

0200

WGTW-48

NJ

0200

W45BG-45

VA

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Roy Barstow report cont.,

	W40AH-40	VA (worship)	W45BG-45	VA
20 Tr	2055 WUNM-19	NC	W41AC-41	VA
	2100 WNCN-17	NC	W44AD-44	VA
	2105 WFXI-8	NC	W69CV-69	VA
	2130 WUNP-36	NC	W66BZ-66	VA
	2140 WRDC-28	NC	W62BL-62	VA
	2145 WUNJ-39	NC	W63AM-63	VA
	2200 WYDO-14	NC	W36BK-36	VA
	2213 WNCT-9	NC	2400 W52AB-52	VA
	2215 WITN-7	NC	31 Tr 0000 WBAL-11	MD
	2220 WRAZ-50	NC		WUNM-19 NC
	2225 WUNK-25	NC		WUNJ-39 NC
	2230 WKFT-40	NC		(Many UHF stations from NC and VA area,
20 Tr	2235 WRAY-30	NC		that are already listed in Roy's report. To
	2242 WSFX-26	NC		many to list again.)
	2250 W20AT-20	NC	0245 WRC-4	DC
	2300 WRMY-47	NC	0305 WJZ-13	MD
22 Tr	(Eastern Virginia in strong)			[Roy - I'll have to finish your September log in
	2100 W19BM-19	VA		the next issue.]
	W24OI-24	VA		
	W60AL-60	VA		

SATELLITE NEWS

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GE AMERICOM GE-1 - 103 West - C and Ku-Band 1996 (12+years)
powers not known
FORMAT - Odds-Horizontal, Evens-Vertical
C-Band
4 - Fox Sports Channel - CFO Vc2
6 - WNBC - Ch. 4 - New York, New York VC2 (NBC)
7 - WPBC - Pennsylvania - religious
8 - Fox Sports Channel Chicago VC2
9 - Sports South VC2
10 - WJLA - Ch. 7 - ABC - Washington, DC
12 - feeds
14 - Fox Sports Channel New England VC2
16 - Fox Sports Channel Pacific VC2
19 - NET - National Empowerment Television
24 - WRAL - Ch. 5 - Raleigh, North Carolina CBS VC2

Ku-Band
Horizontal transponders
NBC feeds on 4, 9, 12, 20, 22, 25
27 - CycleSat News Feeds
Vertical -
29 - Chinese Television Service from Los Angeles area
Oak/Orion encryption

That's all from this end - see you in 30

WESTERN TV-DX

January 1997

Danny Oglethorpe, P.O. Box 6688, Shreveport, LA 71136-6688	2338 XHBS 4 SI/SO XEW
	2345 unID 2 SI XHQ-3 relay
	November 2, 1996 Es
	0002 unIDs 2,4 XEW, XHGC-5
	November 4, 1996 Es UTC
October 5 1996 Tropo	1510 unID 2 XEW
0330 unID 20 TX	1545 unID 3 Mexico, floating
October 16, 1996 Tropo	1620 unID 2 XHO-3
1245 unID 20 TX	1705 XHBSt 4
	2220 WUND 2 NC
October 18, 1996 Es	WUNC 4 NC //2
1625 unID 2 Note #1	2225 WFMY 2 NC
1630 TV National 2 Panama (tentative) Note #1	2255 unID 4 Andy Griffith
October 20, 1996 Es	WRCT 4 DC
1600 WGRZ 2 NY	2301 WESH 2 FL
October 21, 1996 Tropo	November 5, 1996 Es
0630 New Orleans 4, 8, 26, 32	2330 unID 2 Mexico
0658 WLWX 13 MS	2338 XHBS 4 SI/SO XEW
0730 WPMI 15 AL unID bars; later s/on	unIDs 2,4 Mexico
1245 WKRG 5 AL	November 14, 1996 Es
1250 WTOK 11 MS	1825 KUTV1 2 UT
1305 WALAT 10 AL	1830 KTWO 2 WY
October 24, 1996 Es	November 16, 1996 Es
0002 unID 2 XEW	0050 CKPR 2 ON "TBT 2 and 5"
unID 3 TV7 in bar, floating	1805 WJBK 2 MI
unIDs 4,5 Canal Trece, others	November 17, 1996 Es
October 24, 1996 Tropo	1850 unIDs 2,4 Mexico
1520 New Orleans 26, 32, 38	November 18, 1996 Tropo
October 25, 1996 Es	0410 KWTV 9 OK
0005 unID 2 TV Azteca	0420 KOCO 5 OK
October 28, 1996 Tropo	0630 KOKH 25 OK
2110 XERV 9 TA	0740 KOTV 6 OK Local off
2132 XHAB 7 TA	0743 KEMV 6 AR AETN movie marathon;
2150 KZTV 10 TX	//2, 9, 13
2158 KEDT 16 TX	1810 KAIT 8 AR
October 29, 1996 Tropo unless noted	Memphis 5, 10, 13, 30, 50
0205 KENS 5 TX	1855 KDEB 27 MO "Fox 27"
0230 KMOL 4 TX	1945 WMAV 18 MS
0235 KLRN 9 TX	2125 WTVA 9 MS Floating on KETG;
0305 Austin TX 7, 36, 42	later over
0350 KABB 29 TX	WCBI 4 MS
1715 KDKA 2 PA Es	2215 WLJT 11 TN Brief
October 30, 1996 Tropo unless noted	2340 WLOV 27 MS
0225 unID 20 TX TBN; west	WFIQ 36 AL APT
0238 KTWT 2 WYNBC Mountain feed Es	2345 WOWL 15 AL Over/under WXVT
0310 Memphis 5, 10, 13, 30, 50	November 19, 1996 Tropo
0315 K22FA 22 AR VCC	0125 KTEJ 19 AR //AETN 2,9
0425 K52DX 52 AR 3ABN	0128 WMAB 2 MS //METV 18, 23, 29
0437 unID 42 TX SW	0145 WHNT 19 AL
0505 WMAV 18 MS METV	0150 WAAY 31 AL
0510 KAIT 8 AR	WBMG 42 AL
0515 KTEJ 19 AR AETV	WAFF 48 AL
0540 K28DK 28 AR Shop At Home	0210 WCFT 33 AL Floating on KMSS
0700 WLOV 27 MS Fox 27	0412 WTTO 21 AL
0810 WPTY 24 TN Local off	0438 WTJP 60 AL TBN
0915 WCBI 4 MS	0445 WDBB 17 AL
0932 WMAB 2 MS METV	1605 KOCO 5 OK
WTVA 9 MS	1610 KWTV 9 OK
November 1, 1996 Es	303
1332 unID 2 CBS	746
1355 WCBD 2 SC	Note #1: Information sent to Matt.
2255 unIDs 2,4 XEW, TV7	
2335 KDBC 4 TX	

Western TV DX

Frank W. Merrill, P.O.Box 669, Macomb, IL 61455

Equipment: ICOM R-7000 and video adapter; or Zenith "1310" model late 70s. Ancient Winegard 8100 antenna at 40 ft (all-band antenna) and all-band Winegard preamp.

August 1996 Eastern

02 Es	1513	KDFW	4 TX
	1650	KRGV	5 TX
	KGBT	4 TX	
	1708	KPRC	2 TX
	1900	KACB	3 TX
	2018	KOCT	6 NM Carlsbad
	KENW	3 NM	
	2200	XEPM	2 CI
04 Es	1220	KNAZ	2 AZ
	1900	WGHB	2 MA
05 Es	1310	KASA	2 NM
06 Es	0815	KPRC	2 TX
	0830	WESH	2 FL
	0930	WJXT	4 FL
	1130	WEDU	3 FL
	WPBT	2 FL	
	1306	WWL	4 LA
	1310	WKRG	5 AL
	1314	KFDX	3 TX
	1320	KPRC	2 TX
	1329	WBRZ	2 LA
	1650	KASA	2 LA
	1925	WKTU	2 NY
07 Es	0145	KXMA	2 ND Note 1
	0253	KUTV	2 UT traces to about 0330
12 Es	1800	WKTU	2 NY
	1804	WFSB	3 CT
	1815	WLBZ	2 ME
13 Tr	0350	KABY	9 SD
	KELO	11 SD	
	KSFY	13 SD	
	KSAX	42 MN	
	0405	KDLT	5 SD 3/4 cb, ID, extr. rare
14 Tr	Overnight UHFs	Toledo, Detroit, Cleveland	
16 Es	0400	WESH	2 FL
25 Tr	0606	W22BW	22 WI Sturgeon Bay
		WGBA-26, 3/4 colorbar ID	
		and other light regional Tr	
	2200	WCMU	14 MI
	Detroit CCI - UHF		

September 1996			
07 GW	2100	W50	50 IL Galesburg
			WWTO-35 Yecch!
10	0500+	much WI/MN to usual barrier midstate	
	WHWC	28 WI atop KFXA-IA	
	KAAL	6 MN all-night with ANC	
	1040	K35 35 IA DesMoines TBN	
		"Forgot to log in past"	
11	0332	"KUJH"	14 KS Lawrence ed. LPTV
		test card ID, college photo	
	0335	KCWB	29 MO call, ch on 3/4 cb, Z
October 1996			
01 Tr	0130-1220!	Many E. TX U's to Houston (800)	
		occasional Waco, Austin	

0600	KEJL	61 TX w/Shop at Home 800
		fade up & down as other
		Houstons; no T.O. H. ID
1430	all fade	"no trace of FM Tr. Most
		boring long-haul Tr opening ever!"
1856	WKPT	19 TN readable "floater"
1918	WSBN	47 VA Note 2
1950	WJHL	11 TN strong CCI
04 Tr	0100-0600	UHF to AL, AR
	0606	W22 22 ? Bloomberg News
		from South--what is this?
0620	K60	60 "KPBI"
0626	K59	59 "KPBI"
0630	KSBN	57 AR 3/4 cb, ID--where?
		Editor: my database says Springdale AR
0644	K36	36 "Prime Sports" Joplin?
11 Tr	2355	WBMG 42 AL 525
		KHOG 29 AR snowfree 410-
		KASN 38 AR 450
		opening soon faded away
14 Tr	2210	KFXA 28 IA "strongest signal 110
		on dial period" Did not become Tropo
		opening as we hoped it would
27 Tr	0900-1900	MI/OH, kept very busy on FM

Notes:

- 0145/07 Aug--Noted with constant ID slide for KXMB-12, having apparently signed off.
- 1918/03 Oct--Their audio was noted on 47Z, and the CCI against Peoria was "skinny lines" instead of the usual block bars. Offset change, or drifting transmitter frequency?

Pat Dyer, WASIYX, 5315 Silvertip Drive, San Antonio, TX 78228-2744

November 29, 1996	Es	UTC
0145	KGAN	2 IA Cedar Rapids
	WISC	3 WI Madison

Fernando Garcia, Apartado 30, Suc B, Cd Guadalupe, NL, 67181 MEXICO 1800' ASL, No re-logs in the same month, only tropo over 500 miles.

Equipment:

Sony KV-27EXR15, Screened CM 7'dish 85', RG11, UA900 amp. Sony KV-13TR27, CM 1110 30', CM 8 bay UHF array 60' with R. Shack amp.

September 16, 1996	Tropo	CDT
0645	WVLA	33 LA NBC news area advs.
0700	KETK	56 TX "NBC, area weather"
	KFXX	51 TX "Gargoyles, FOX"
0730	WLBP	27 LA cci to KLDO
September 17, 1996		
0645	KFWD	52 TX Telenoticias
	KDTX	58 TX TBN
September 21, 1996		
2230	KVHP	29 LA FOX
September 22, 1996		
0730	KXTX	39 TX
	1130	KADN 15 LA FOX

Western TV DX (F. Garcia's report continues)

September 28, 1996

1315	KMSS	33 LA FOX
2015	WPMI	15 AL "NBC // KVEO-23, ID "
	WMAHS	19 MS ID at 2100 MS ETV
	WXXV\$	25 MS FOX // XHFOX-57
2030	WLAE	32 LA Calls bottom right
	WWSB	40 FL ABC 40
2045	WHBR	33 FL Educ.
	WEIQ	42 AL SAP dif. MAIN
2115	WMPV	21 AL TBN (334) 633-2100
2130	WNOL	38 LA WB
	WGNO	26 LA ABC // KAVU-25

September 30, 1996

0600	WGMB	44 LA u/o KLUJ
	WDBD	40 MS cartoons
0630	WCCL	49 LA HSC
0645	KLTL	18 LA "LPB, Barney"
	WHOA	32 AL "ABC, advs. central AL"
0700	WUPL\$	54 LA "cartoons, ID, UPN"
	KLPB	24 LA // KLTL-18
0715	K55HA	55 LA advs.
	K56DR	56 LA "TBN, WVLA strong"
0745	K30EM	30 LA
0930	WMAU	17 MS educ // WMAH-19
0945	WMPN	29 MS educ // WMAH-19
	WAPT	16 MS ABC // KAVU-25
	K49DE	49 LA New Iberia TBN

October 1, 1996 Tropo

0430	KETK	56 TX NBC News
October 7, 1996		
2050	unid	13 TA unid ch 13 XHDF-13 east
October 9, 1996		
2100	unid	43 TX "KMOL-4, n-nw"
	unid	47 TX KSAT-12 n-nw
	unid\$	45 TX KENS-5 n-nw
		solid KVAW-16 TMD

October 10, 1996

0600	KADN	15 LA "ID ""Reboot""
0615	KVHP\$	29 LA Lake Charles Dodge adv.
0630	KLTL	18 LA Morning Business Report
	KLPB	24 LA //ch 18
	WGNO	26 LA "News, ABC26"
0645	WCCL	49 LA HSN

October 11, 1996

2300	WFSG%	56 FL SAP dif. MAIN
	WLAE	32 LA Calls Bottom right
	WMAHS	19 MS PBS // KMBH-60
2330	WUPL	54 LA "UPN54, 54 in blue"

October 12, 1996

0245	WDBD	40 MS calls
	WMAHS	17 MS "ETV, u/o XHFOX"
0530	WTJP	60 AL TBN
	K69HD	69 LA Chuch Point KLA
	K55HA	55 LA New Iberia KLA
	KLAX	31 LA "ABC, "31LAX""

K51EC 51 LA Lake Charles TBN 532

WHSG 63 GA TBN 1119

0545 WLPB\$& 27 LA LPB test pattern 638

WPAN 53 FL VCC 869

KLFT-LP 21 LA "VJN, Solid KADN-15" 592

0600 WJSP 28 GA GPTV In blue 1057

WMGT\$ 41 GA "41 in red, NBC" 1115

WPGA 58 GA Calls 1115

K46DG 46 LA "MOR, //K69HD" 587

WOHA 32 AL "Central AL, ABC" 928

K49DE 49 LA New Iberia TBN 596

WATL 36 GA Kids WB36 Atlanta 1104

0615 WUPA 69 GA under K69HD 1100

WXTX 54 GA splashing WUPL 1037

0630 K56DR 56 LA "TBN, solid WVLA-33" 633

0700 WLTZ\$ 38 GA NBC //WVLA-33 1036

WFXL 31 GA FOX 1066

0730 K30EM 30 LA Tri parish is HTV 644

WJSU 40 AL Thank you for watching 102 Alabama's ABC40

0745 WTTO 21 AL FOX 969

WGBCS\$ 30 MS TODAY 834

0800 KFXK 51 TX FOX 557

0915 KDTX 58 TX TBN 518

KASN 38 AR Homes for sale L.Rock 772

0930 KMSS 33 LA FOX 615

KLRT\$ 16 AR "FOX, under KEDT" 782

1030 KVTH 26 AR Rel. 739

1145 WPBA 30 GA SAP same MAIN 1103

1200 WMCF 45 AL TBN (334) 277 4545 965

October 13, 1996

0315	WPGD	50 TN TBN
	WJFB	66 TN Shopping
		"unid ch FOX 28, KYLE? n-ne"
0645	KWHB	47 OK Preaching
	KTFO	41 OK under KWEX 766
0800	KLTS	24 LA LPB 616
0815	KDOR	17 OK 795
0900	KHSX	49 TX "ID, in your interest 518
	KTXA\$	21 TX "UPN, SAP same MAIN" 518
	KCBD\$	11 TX NBC Meet the Press 555
	KLKB	13 TX CBS under KVTV 554
	KJTL\$	18 TX FOX 598

October 19, 1996

0800	WTMV	32 FL "WB, Superman" 1135
	WTAA	38 FL "ID, FOX, SAP dif. MAIN" 1116
	WBHS	50 FL HSN 1116
0830	WTOG	44 FL under KLUJ 1116
October 20, 1996		
0800	WPMI	15 AL "ID, Meet the press" 838
	WMPV	21 AL area code 334 842
0800	K31DZ	31 TX 1-800-752 3ABN 454
0830	WTVK	46 FL Rel. 1153
	WZVN	26 FL logo for ch7(cable) 1153
0900	KBZO-LP	51 TX UNI 558
	K14IX??	14 TX "TBN, Midland hdn" 558
0930	unid	15 "SS, n-nw" 633
1000	WGMS\$	44 LA "area advs, FOX44"

Western TV DX (*F. Garcia's report continues*)

1015 WWSB	40 FL ABC	1108
1045 KANC-LP	21 LA solid WVLA-33	647
K46CR	46 LA Baton Rouge VJN	645
1145 WSRE	23 FL SAP dif. MAIN	857
<u>October 21, 1996</u>		
0400 WFTS	28 FL ABC-28	1116
0415 WTWC@	40 FL Bars	1030
WTXL	27 FL ABC	1031
W52BF	52 AL "HSS, solid WPMI-15"	818
WACX@	55 FL Super Channel 55 Leesburg-Orlando	1180
0430 WRBW	65 FL 65 logo bottom right	1192
0500 WEIQ@	42 AL "APT, SAP dif. MAIN"	825
0530 WAIQ\$+	26 AL APT your place WMDN@ 24 MS "Bars, begins 6 AM"	959
WBMG	42 AL "ID, This Morn. Business"	969
WSFP	30 FL Aerobics	1144
0545 WMAW@ \$14 MS "ETV, begins 6 AM"	807	
WVLA\$	33 LA Greater Baton Rouge State Fair adv.	633
0615 WCFT\$	33 AL ABC 33-40 Central AL	924
WABM	68 AL "Cartoons, UPN"	966
W36AC	36 MS Mc Comb TBN	710
0630 WAPT\$	16 MS "ABC, logo bot. right"	754
0700 WSWs	66 AL Cartoons	1023
0715 WTGL	52 FL Preaching	1200
WBSF	43 FL HSN	1200
WBBH	20 FL NBC EDT	1144
WGIC	43 AL SAP dif. MAIN	987
2000 WHBR	33 FL "The 700 Club, ID"	838
WJTC	44 FL "44 WJTC" on screen"	842
2030 WDHN	18 AL ABC	982
2100 WFTX	36 FL Local FOX News	1142
2115 WNOL\$	38 LA adv. 99.5FM The River	694
2130 W41BN	41 AL Dothan TBN	980
K59DG	59 LA TBN //WMPV-21	688
<u>October 22, 1996</u>		
0015 W31BB	31 FL Pensacola HSS	855
unid 20	"Shopping, Meridian, MS??"	
W46AV	46 MS Pacagoula TBN	783
0030 WMPN\$	29 MS //WMAH-19	747
0100 W39BP	39 FL "Calls, Rel."	859
<u>October 26, 1996</u>		
0700 KDAF	33 TX	518
KXTX	39 TX pay adv	518
<u>October 28, 1996</u>		
0645 KLPA	25 LA //ch 24	619
<u>October 29, 1996</u>		
0400 KFWD	52 TX Calls	522
KDFI@	27 TX Bars	518
0530 WFGX	35 FL Worship	892
0545 WPGX	28 FL "FOX, First Business"	952
WXXX%	25 MS begins pr. at 6:30AM	764
0600 WIIQ	41 AL "APT, SAP dif. MAIN"	877
1000+ tropo DX returned in September 28, after	129	

days. Great openings during October into Georgia and Florida, total stations logged: 113 from 9 states(best October ever).

November 1, 1996 Tropo

CST

0530 WUPL	54 LA "ANC, UPN54"	705
WNOL	38 LA "HSS, WB38"	694
0545 WCCL	49 LA HSN	688
WXXX%	25 MS programming at 6:30AM	764
WMAH\$	19 MS MS ETV	770
0600 WPMI	15 AL "News, ch 15 logo"	838

November 3, 1996

0800 WGCUS	30 FL ID	1144
WZVN\$	26 FL ABC, ch. 7 logo(cable)	1153
WBBH\$	20 FL News 2(cable), area wx	1144
0815 WTTA	38 FL SAP dif. MAIN, Rel. pr	1116
WBHS	50 FL "ch 50 logo, interview"	1116
WTVK	46 FL Preaching	1153
WWBS\$	40 FL "ABC,News, ID"	1108
WFTX	36 FL FOX News Sunday	1142
0830 WTMV\$	32 FL "Cartoons, WB32 logo"	1135
WFCT	66 FL	1115
WFLA	8 FL Preaching	1116
WINK	11 FL CBS Sunday Morning News	1144
WRXY	49 FL	1142
WTG\$	44 FL u/KLUJ	1116
1030 WFLX	29 FL	1238
WDZL	39 FL	1243

November 5, 1996

0600 KFWD	52 TX "Phone (214), ID"	522
0715 KADN	15 LA "Dinosaurs, FOX"	586
2115 KDTX	58 TX TBN	518

November 6, 1996

0545 KHSX	49 TX HSN	518
0600 KDAF\$	33 TX WB	518
0700 KTLC	43 OK "PBS, Barney"	706
KSBI	52 OK Calls up right	692
KXTX	39 TX Rel.	518
KTXA	21 TX SAP same MAIN	518

November 19, 1996

0515 KETK	56 TX NBC News	533
KDFI&	27 TX "hot TV"	518
KLDT	55 TX Shop at Home	544
0530 KAMC	28 TX AG day	553
KFXK	51 TX	557
0600 KUVN-LP	31 TX	521
2300 KVHP	29 LA Billy Navarre Chevrolet	530

November 20, 1996

0230 WVLA\$	33 LA Perry's Subarn car adv.	633
0245 KERA@	13 TX "VCY-25" and calls"	518
0545 KLTL	18 LA Educ	548
WLPB	27 LA LPB //ch 18	638
0830 KWHB	47 OK Ph 254 0147	765
KTFO	41 OK cci to KWX	766
0930 KOKH\$	25 OK "FOX, ID"	703
KJTL\$	18 TX FOX //XHFTX-57	598
1930 KARD\$	14 LA FOX //KRIV-26	659

Western TV DX (*Fernando Garcia's report concludes*)

2030 KLPA	25 LA //KLTL-18	619
K56DR	56 LA TBN //KLUJ-44	633
2200 K69HD	69 LA "ID, MASH"	586
2230 WDBD	40 MS FOX40	754

November 21, 1996

0345 WGNO	26 LA ABC News	694
0615 WLAE&	32 LA	694
2300 KLTS	24 LA LPB	616
2315 KTBO	14 OK TBN (405) 848 1400	705
2330 KVTH	26 AR Worship	739

November 22, 1996

0000 KASN	38 AR Hanks opening store, UPN	772
KHBS	40 AR Southerlands F. Smith	730
KMSS	33 LA adv. Shreveport	615
0300 WFAA	8 TX ABC	518
0315 KSMO	62 MO Kansas city mentions	986
0330 KSAS	24 KS FOX24,adv. 105.3 FM Jazz	853
K24AD@	24 TX Wichita Falls KERA-13	579
0400 KDOR	17 OK TBN	795
0515 KOZK&\$	21 MO NOAA WX audio	906
0530 KDEB\$	27 MO Full ID, Vantage Point	905
0545 KSPR	33 MO ABC	906
KXII	12 OK CNN, adv. for Madill,OK	614
KSNF	16 MO NBC //KXAN-36	857
KPOM@	24 AR "starts 6AM, NBC"	783
0600 KHOG	29 AR Newscenter Sunrise	803
unid ch 63 Rel.		
KXVO	15 NE "Calls, see notes"	1094
0630 KLRT\$	16 AR "Full ID, Masked Rider"	782
0645 KLAX	31 LA Alexandria advs.	618
1900 KCIT	14 TX FOX //KPEJ-24	677
KLBK	13 TX under KVTV	554

November 23, 1996

0130 KMPX	29 TX TV 29	537
KBZO-LP	51 TX Univision	558
KXTO-LP	46 TX Telemundo	552
0145 WAPTS	16 MS Jerry Springer	754
0200 WMPN	29 MS MATH	747
WXVT	15 MS 15 blue,calls red	794
0215 KPTB	16 TX //KMLM-42 (915)563 4242	555
0345 WFBF	50 TN HSN	904
WPTY	24 TN	904
0400 WLMT	30 TN "UPN30, pay adv"	901
0545 K36AB@	36 OK	631
0600 WBUY	40 MS TBN	899
0630 KJTV	34 TX cci to local	552
0730 K36CC	36 TX "KVII-7 ABC, strong"	611
0815 KWTW	9 OK The Spirit of Oklahoma	703
1000 "unid ch 40 supersonics, Lubbock hdn"		
1030 KCBD	11 TX "ID, NBC"	555

Notes: Unusually far north tropo opening for November allows the reception of KXVO-15. It was in for about 4 minutes carrying Disney Duck cartoons, when it went into ads. I saw big call letters on center of

screen.

This great opening was due to warm spell and cold front coming from northwest back of high pressure area.

Dennis P. Smith, 3703 Dixon St., Santa Barbara, CA

93105-2419 (805)687-7803

This report is for October and November 1996. Southern California tropo DX wasn't followed consistently in October, as I was out of town on some days, and conditions were not good when I did check. So, while I missed some observations, there may not have been much in this cooling, somewhat unsettled, weather month.

November had one good period, as coastal temperatures went up to 75-80°F., and inland to 90°, November 11 to 14, which provided some very good signals from San Diego/Tijuana, channels 6-69, 175-200 mi. After that, temps reverted to wintertime highs of 60s-F. statewide, at low elevations, with very little or no tropo.

I got one of those TV audio receivers that I had expressed interest in last year. I picked it up at a Salvation Army thrift store for under \$30. It is a Promax MTS-8650 TV Stereo Sound Receiver meant for home use (operates from 120VAC, and external antenna). Its main use would be in homes where the TV set lacked stereo and/or SAP (second audio program) capabilities. Besides having a receiver that covers all VHF/UHF channels, it can also process the MPX output from your TV (if you have it) to obtain stereo audio.

Before you rush out to one of these imports, I must inform you that this is not a DX receiver. It lacks the sensitivity and selectivity I think are necessary for that. The published specs are:

Sensitivity (S/N 20dB)	: 10µV
SAP Sensitivity (S/N 20dB)	: 50µV
Image response	: 40 dB
3 dB audio response, stereo	25-20,000 Hz
3 dB audio response, SAP	25-5000 Hz

As is, this receiver won't pull in the Stockton/Sacramento TV stations that the TV will. Perhaps it will prove useful (for other than listening to KKHI on channel 38's SAP) when connected to a different front end.

We've run out of space. Our exposition about antennas with wideband nulls will have to wait for another month.

NORTHERN FM-DX

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EQUIPMENT: McIntosh MR78 and Tandberg 3001A (starting October 27). Channel Master 4408 FM antennas at 45 and 48 feet; the 48-foot used alone OR both antennas fed into Andy Bolin's phase box. The low-altitude "skip antenna" not applicable after August 6. See NOTE 4 for more info.

AUGUST 1996 DX

6 Tr Or Es

1317 unID 93.1 ?? "The Max 93.1 FM", probably Es, coming from south, Gulf Coast TV

13 Tr

0441 KKRF 107.9 IA Stuart, local ads and "Hawkeye Country 97.3" simulcast 200

0505 KCGN 101.5 MN Ortonville (transmitter: SD) Moody - logged a few yrs ago

25 Th/GW

2322 WJEQ 102.7 IL Macomb, totally off, usually when "off" there is a dummy load that is still audible to the NW 1

2348 KQEG 102.7 MN LaCrescent, very weak, o. WJEQ back just after midnight 236

SEPTEMBER 1996 DX

11 Tr

0358 KCCV 92.3 KS Olathe, legal ID, g 230

0407 KTLI 99.1 KS El Dorado 0430 -- 88.5 -- overload from KJTY 88.1 and KLJC 88.5!!

0505 unID 95.9 ?? Jingle: "Favorites of the 70's and 90's - Y 95.9" (NOTE 1)

0523 KID77 162.55 MO Kansas City -- 162.4 MO St. Joseph

0541 KKBL 95.9 MO Monnett, "The New 96 FM"

OCTOBER 6, 1996 Tr
0030 WHRK 97.1 TN Memphis, "Your #1 station in Memphis, it's K97", local ads, KXOK phased 389

0137 WUSY 100.7 TN Cleveland, 2nd time ever 475

0150 WQXE 98.3 KY Elizabethtown, "The Total Radio Gods" they sound better on Quicksie 98.3 "WQXE" jingle at 0153 315

0249 unID 94.1 ?? "Froggy Country, Today's Country, 12 in row", nothing I can count, WMIX phased, undoubtedly something really good. (Frank, almost certainly Germantown, TN.)

Hope you can get enough to log them next time!-gc)
0317 KJMZ 101.7 TN Memphis, "Magic 101.1 jams Memphis", local wx (NOTE 2) 389

OCTOBER 6, 1996 Tr cont

0438 WWF80162.4 WI LaCrosse, relog, or needed 0440 unID 162.55 ?? weather for NE IN and NW OH, not listed

0508 WTCX 96.1 WI Ripon, "We stop the music only 3 times an hour .. more music, more fun. classic mix WTCX" (NOTE 3) 315

0527 WHDG 97.5 WI Rhinelander, calls 350

0536 WLTM 99.7 WI Sturgeon Bay, mr "Light 99.7 FM"

0555 WCML 91.7 MI Alpena CMU network 550

0700 WIZD 99.9 WI Rudolph, "WIZD Rudolph Plover, central WI's oldies stn", WJVL phased 310

11 Tr

2114 WDKR 107.3 IL Maroa, "Decatur's Rock, WDKR" 110

2220 KMEM 100.5 MO Memphis, calls, WYMG phased, finally moved from 96.7, k 60

2237 KFBD 97.9 MO Waynesville, "Counting Crows on Mid MO's rock authority, KFBD" also "B98", KICK-MO phased, same dir. 180

2328 KRKN 104.3 IA Eldon, calls, temp 105

2355 Super strong regional enhancement prevented any AL to AR tropo

27 Tr

0853 W- 162.5 MI Gaylord, no calls given, but ment freq. and transmitter "near Gaylord", NOT LISTED, first logging on this freq. 470

0918 CBE 89.9 ON Winsdor, same as ANIK E-2 satellite audio. WCBU phased

0928 WKZQ 93.3 MI Midland, "Just look for the Z93 display at a Harmony House", r, WMXP phased (H.H. is a Michigan record-CD store chain) 420

1009 WBUT 93.3 IN Kendallville, WMXP phased

1028 WVXC 106.3 IN Crawfordsville, carrying "Whaddyaknow?" at 1632 local Cincinnati jazz program, WGCV-IL phased.

NORTHERN FM DX

Frank Merrill's report continues ...

OCTOBER 27 Tr cont.

1032 WASK 98.7 IN Battle Ground 190

1548 WONE 97.5 OH Akron, 97.5 WONE, with WHMS phased, impossible w/out phasing 480

1637 WKHY 93.5 IN Lafayette

1655 WLQR 101.5 OH Toledo, "101.5 The River" ad for Weber's (On The Water), Franklin Park Lincoln Mercury (NOTE 5) 380

1818 WZWZ 92.5 IN Kokomo, "Z93" contest mentions picking up prizes at Kokomo Mall with WKIO-IL phased 240

1857 WONE 97.5 OH Akron, still in

1906 WMJI 105.7 OH Cleveland, phone 696-WMJI barely o/Indianapolis, WWCT phased, o 470

1935 WLZQ 101.1 IN S.Whitley, 2nd time ever

OCTOBER 27 Tr cont.

2001 WDOK 102.1 OH Cleveland, legal ID, with WDNL phased, which maybe wasn't necessary 470

2007 WZJM 92.3 OH Cleveland Hts, "Cleveland's hit music station, Jammin' 92.3", WBGE phased with WYCA mysteriously absent (phased too?) 480

2023 WICT 95.1 PA Grove City, WDZQ phased, k briefly o/WMJI-IN, which I could have this one!

2036 WVXG 95.1 OH Mt.Gilead, NOTE 6 430



NOTE 1: (0505/Sept 11) In trying to track this down, I was sure it would turn out to be KCAY Russell, KS, but phone call to them resulted in being told their hours are 0600-2200 Central. Nothing else fits beside Mineral Wells, TX (no way!) and Portage, WI. Is it possible that KCAY had just gone all night and the receptionist didn't know? Would be a perfect "fit" for Tr at the time.

NOTE 2: (0317/Oct 6) "Red Herring" Alert! I originally had this logged at 2329 10/5. Only a savvy multi-band DXer is actually likely to fall for this. At that time, I heard "The Juice WJCE" between urban cuts. Of course that station is in Russellville, KY (programming to Clarksville, TN market) (and also trying to reach Nashville, I believe-gc) However, I immediately recognized these calls and slogan as belonging to AM 680 in Memphis. That AM has the same format as both KJMZ and WJCE 101.1 (i.e. all 3 are urban contemporary. Being used to the KY being WAKQ, I assumed that there was a new duopoly (triopoly? polyopoly?) in Memphis with the 680 there. Ralph Strobel quickly pointed out my error, giving me time to try for the "real" Memphis before all faded. I had never logged 101.1 Memphis from anywhere except Memphis before. What are the chances of such a bizarre coincidence? Russellville KY programmed from the Memphis 680?

NOTE 3: (0508/Oct 6) Would have been impossible without a good phase on KMXG-IA. If they stop the music this rarely, I'm lucky to even ID this at all! This may be the same opening when J. Tuduenham in Joplin, MO (I think it was him) had Peshtigo, WI here - an awesome catch!

NOTE 4: (Oct 27) This is the first DX session with the phasing system working correctly! Also, it's the first DX session with the Tandberg tuner. It turns out that my previous phasing complaints (i.e., attenuation of most signals to less than noise threshold, and apparent poor directivity) were due to a BAD CABLE! Bad cables have given me so very much misery over the years. Previously, I could only surmise that it didn't seem to work properly, but I could not really know because the signal strength meter on the MR-78 is so non-specific. The Tandberg has a VOLTAGE meter, which is quite accurate and "continuous". I was able to determine that I was getting about 1/500 the voltage when hooked to the phasing system. No wonder things seemed attenuated! The MR-78 signal meter read "8" on both systems, but the magnitude of difference was immediately recognizable on the Tandberg, making diagnostics easy. I now note that I can phase MUCH easier, doing in 10-30 seconds a process what sometimes took 15 MINUTES using the McIntosh signal meter! I remember last year, when I initially had the phasing (and I think the cable was already faulty), that I spent nearly half an hour trying to phase WAAG 94.9 for WDKB; with the system fixed and on the Tandberg, I had WDKB in only 8 seconds of effort! I am currently not set up for any phasing on the McIntosh, but I feel I want that capability, where I'd do initial phasing on the Tandberg and then switch to the MR-78, because the overload and capture radio are MUCH worse on the Tandberg. The voltage meter, though, makes phasing so much easier (and more spectacular) than the MR-78 - so much that the \$700 used cose was worth it despite the overload/capture ratio disadvantages. Interestingly, certain overload, which involves ONE signal, is handled better on the Tandberg! For instance, with the antenna pointed NW towards WJEQ 102.7, the Tandberg seems to always get Iowans 103.3/103.9/104.3 which cannot be found on the McIntosh with WJEQ, which is 99.9% of the time.

Frank Merrill's comments continue ...

It also should be noted that the Bolin phase box makes it possible, during openings or even some instances of dead conditions, to hear DX with would otherwise be impossible. I have now easily heard 400 and 500 mile Tr through locals or semi-locals in the same direction. Mr. Bolin also steadfastly stands behind his product; after my previous complaint about attenuation and poor directivity, he read it and called me, at his expense, to emphasize that something certainly was hooked up improperly. With his help and some local help, the bad cable was diagnosed. This degree of "product support" is a rare commodity in this era! His phase box is highly recommended, but of course it requires TWO antennas, which may be impossible if you do not live in a "stand-alone" house.

NOTE 5: (1655/Oct 27) This is only my second Toledo logging ever. It is the hardest-to-hear major city at under 440 miles (Duluth, 442, is harder). Without a definitive ID, I recognized the slogan, and I was familiar with both businesses from having lived there until 1985. Weber's is one of the best restaurants ever.

NOTE 6: (2036/Oct 27) With a phone-in talk show about the arts, I called Ralph Strobel who paralleled this for me via 95.1 (very rare for him) and WVXU-91.7. The show originates from Cincinnati studios.

MICHAEL LAROQUE - 40 PROSPECT ST. APT #9 - YARMOUTH, NOVA SCOTIA B5A 4J4

MAY 1996 DX

29 ES: DARTMOUTH, NOVA SCOTIA

0841 WBGQ 88.3 NJ Newark, ID, calls
1348 WTEB 89.3 NC New Bern, c 1000
1402 WENS 97.1 IN Shelbyville 1215
1414 WSNY 94.7 OH Columbus 1140
1415 WEKU 88.9 KY Richmond, c 1135
1436 WGTZ 92.9 OH Eaton, r 1135
1442 WRNB 96.9 OH Troy, r 1135
1448 unID 105.1 ?? (Mike, good chance this one was WUBE Cincinnati-gc)



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1452 WFIU 103.7 IN Bloomington, c
1453 WQME 98.7 IN Anderson 1110
1456 WQSK? 98.7 ?? news/talk (Mike, this one was probably WASK Battle Ground, IN-gc)
1507 unID 88.3 ?? gospel
1509 WDPG 89.9 OH Greenville, classical
1519 WZOQ 92.1 OH Wapakoneta 1180
1521 WVK5 92.5 OH Toledo, r 1100
1523 unID 92.5 ?? 'Z 92.5'
1530 WCSX 94.7 MI Birmingham 990
1531 CJXY 95.3 ON Hamilton, traffic
1537 WDEK 92.5 IL DeKalb 1260
1539 WMBI 90.1 IL Chicago 1240
1541 WGVU 88.5 MI Allendale, jazz radio
1546 WBCT 93.7 MI Grand Rapids, k, 1120
1548 WJJQ 94.1 WI Watertown, ads 1280
1559 WUCX 90.1 MI Bay City, previous MS
1600 WHSA 89.9 WI Brule, classical
1615 WLJN 89.9 MI Traverse City, g 1130
1627 WNMU 90.1 MI Marquette, jazz 1260
1630 WGGL 91.1 MI Houghton, classical 1320
1634 CBON20 89.3 ON Thunder Bay 1370
1634 CJSQ 94.3 ON Thunder Bay, 94FM
1638 CBEQ 89.7 ON Manitouwage, CBC 1200
1640 CBON 90.7 ON Wawa, FF 1050
1640 CBON 90.3 ON Hearst, FF 1000

JUNE 1996 DX

10 TR: YARMOUTH, NOVA SCOTIA

1812 WHQO 107.9 ME Skowhegan, m 200
1819 WMDI 107.7 ME Bar Harbor, mr 110
1821 WAVX 106.9 ME Thomaston, c
"Classical Wave"
1823 WQCB 106.5 ME Brewer, k 149
1823 WMEM 106.1 ME Presque Isle, NPR 225
1826 CBAF2 105.7 NB Allardville, FF, weak
1828 CKHJ 105.3 NB Fredericton, k, 150
1830 WTOS 105.1 ME Skowhegan, rp, good 200
1838 WDME 103.1 ME Dover-Doxcroft, sports
1842 WBLM 102.9 ME Portland, rp 200
1846 WQSS 102.5 ME Camden, r, Coast 102.5
1852 WGUY 102.1 ME Dexter, strong, ID 180
1912 WKIT 100.3 ME Brewer, Kit 100.3
1914 CIQO 100.1 NS Halifax, C-100 140
1917 WKZS 99.9 ME Auburn, r, 210
1920 CIRO 99.7 PQ St-Georges-de-Beaute 270
1942 WCYI 93.9 ME Lewiston, pr, fair 209
1942 WCYY 94.3 ME Biddeford, pr, fair
1943 CJMF 93.3 PQ Quebec City, FF, good
1958 CBV 95.3 PQ Quebec City 325
2008 WSHQ 92.9 ME Bangor 150
2022 WSYY 94.9 ME Millinocket, North Country 95 180
2022 WHOM 94.9 NH Mt.Washington 240
2027 WBPW 96.9 ME Presque Isle, strong 122
2027 WWBX 97.1 ME Bangor, 97X 150
2028 CBAF 97.9 NB Allardville, fair
2031 CHIK 98.9 PQ Quebec City, FF 325
2057 CFQR 92.5 PQ Montreal, fair 380
2059 CKMF 94.3 PQ Montreal 380
2105 CKLE 92.9 NB Bathurst, FF 270
2113 CJBR 89.5 PQ Riviere-du-Loup, FF 320
2135 WMEA 90.1 ME Portland, c 223
2137 CBHA 90.5 NS Halifax, talk, fair 140
2151 WCME 96.7 ME Boothbay Harbor
The Golden Eagle
2157 CJFM 95.9 PQ Montreal, concert info 380
2200 unID 90.7 ?? classical 1000

Mike LaRoque's report continues ...

JUNE 1996 DX CONT

10 TR

2217 WMEH 90.9 ME Bangor, c 150
2217 WHCF 88.5 ME Bangor, g, very strong
2213 WBQQ 99.3 ME Kennebunk, c, 205
11 TR/ES (2107-2320)
1834 WXRV 92.5 MA Haverhill, The River, m 270
1852 WCLZ 98.9 ME Brunswick
1900 WMCM 103.3 ME Rockland, k 155
1902 WAVX 106.9 ME Thomaston, c nx
1847 WWMB 96.3 ME Rumford, g, over CJLS
1849 WCSO 97.9 ME Portland, ID, r
2002 WHQO 107.9 ME Skowhegan
2002 WXKS 107.9 MA Medford, Kiss 108, r
2004 WFCC 107.5 MA Chatham, c 250
2009 WBCI 105.9 ME Bath, g 180
2018 WWFX 104.7 ME Belfast, r, strong
2034 CFRQ 104.3 NS Dartmouth, strong 140
2041 WGIR 101.1 NH Manchester, fair 275
2046 WZLX 100.7 MA Boston, fair, r 270
2100 WEVD 89.1 NH Concord, NPR wx 280
2107 unID 91.1 ?? Life FM (Es begins)
2112 unID 88.1 ?? religious program
2112 unID 88.3 ?? same program as above
2123 WKGR 98.7 FL Ft.Pierce, The Gator
2130 WLPJ 91.5 FL N.Port Richey, g
2132 WYFO 91.9 FL Lakeland, gospel
2142 WAYG 89.1 FL Sarasota, g 1500
2142 WAYJ 88.7 FL Ft.Myers 1510
2144 unID 94.7 ?? 'Y 94.7"
2200 unID 106.7 ?? dance music
2218 WMFE 90.7 FL Orlando, classical 1385
2226 WXLP 96.9 IL Moline, 97X 1240
2232 WJIS 88.1 FL Bradenton, Joy 88 1495
2239 WQK 93.7 FL Ocala, K-Country 93.7
ment. N. Central Fla. (Mike, these are the calls-gc)
2241 WGYL 93.7 FL Vero Beach 1410
2247 WBMX 98.5 MA Boston, weak 270
2300 WQHF 96.1 ME Presque Isle, r 225
2317 WZDU 94.5 MA Boston, r, good 270
2327 WBOS 92.9 MA Brookline 270
2333 WOKQ 97.5 NH Dover, k 250
2336 WERZ 107.1 NH Exeter, r, 255
2338 WMJK 106.7 MA Boston, m Magic 106
2341 CBAF2 105.7 NB Allardville, FF
2346 WBCN 104.1 MA Boston, ID, BCN
2354 CIEC 96.5 NS Halifax, mr, strong 140

13 TR/ES (1900-1930)



JUNE 12 Tr/Es

0023 WTHT 107.5 ME Lewiston, k 209
0024 WPKM 106.3 ME Scarborough, clas.
0037 WMEM 106.1 ME Presque Isle, Echoes, good 290
0043 WSNE 93.3 MA Taunton
0142 unID 88.7 ?? classical, Es again!
0145 unID 91.1 ?? classical
0149 WGTZ 92.9 OH Eaton, r 995
0205 CJBX 92.7 ON London, BX93, k, ID
0209 WHYT 96.3 MI Detroit
0212 WLAV 96.9 MI Grand Rapids, ID
0219 CJBC4 99.3 ON London, FF, c
0228 WKQI 95.5 MI Detroit, Q95
0228 CJMX 88.7 ON Windsor, new rock 89X
0230 WBUR 90.9 MA Boston, interview
0159 CBNC 88.7 NF Stephenville, nx, ES
1215 CBMF 89.1 NF Bonne Bay, EE, Es
1220 WNIN 88.3 IN Evansville, c calls
1227 CKQZ 92.3 NF Corner Brook, OZ FM
1228 CHOZ 94.7 NF St. John's, Oz FM
1230 CBYP 89.5 NF Portland Creek, nx, Es
1235 CIRO 99.7 PQ St-Georges-de-Beaute
1250 WZMO 93.3 ?? mono
1250 CBNM 90.3 NF Marystown, talk
1255 WMSJ 91.9 ME Harpswell, g, good 195
1255 CBMB 91.7 PQ Sherbrooke, EE 300
1939 CJMF 93.3 PQ Quebec City, Weak 325
1959 WZPK 103.7 NH Berlin, r, good 260
2007 CJBR 89.5 PQ Riviere-du-Loup 320
2032 WEGQ 93.7 MA Lawrence, Eagle 93.7 270
2045 WHSN 89.3 ME Bangor, 140 watts 150
2053 WMME 92.3 ME Augusta, 92 Moose 190
2224 WMEW 91.3 ME Waterville, c 185
2230 WHQY 94.1 RI Providence, rp 305
2249 CBF 100.7 PQ Montreal, c\$ 380
2257 WKTT 99.3 ME Farmington, o 210
2211 unID 90.7 ?? French in stereo
2319 WHYR 95.9 ME Saco, dance 220
2327 WRGX 97.5 ME Madison, local ads
oldies, good 200
2342 WFCC 107.5 MA Chatham, classical 260
2358 WYNZ 100.9 ME Westbrook, o. Oldies 100.9
0045 WMGX 93.1 ME Portland, r 215
0055 WXGL 95.5 ME Topsham, o,
mentioned 96.7 195
1809 CJMF 93.3 PQ Quebec City, mr
good at times 325
1826 WABK 104.3 ME Gardiner, Oldies 104.3 190
1900 WMCU 89.7 FL Miami, gospel, ID 1510
1922 WAYF 88.1 FL W.Palm Beach, Way FM 1510
1927 WAYJ 88.7 FL Ft. Myers, Way FM 1510
1930 WPSM 91.1 FL Ft. Walton Beach, g 1490
1930 WJED 91.1 FL Dogwood Lakes Estates
only 700 watts! 260
2053 WQRC 99.9 MA Banstable, m
MIKE'S DX CONTINUES: 45

Mike LaRoque's report continues ...

JUNE 14 Tr

2225 CBI	105.1	NS	Sydney, CBC talk	340
2225 CBAF14	95.9	NS	Sydney, FF	340
2233 CBHB	106.7	NS	Mulgrave, CBC talk	265
15 Tr				
1418 CJMF	93.3	PQ	Quebec City, FF	325
1549 CBF10	101.1	PQ	Sherbrooke, FF mono	305
1600 WGIR	101.1	NH	Manchester, r	275
1611 CJBR	89.5	PQ	Rivieres-du-Loup	320

16 Tr

1425 CKOI	96.9	PQ	Verdun, FF, r	380
15?? CITE	102.7	PQ	Sherbrooke, FF	305
15?? CBF10	101.1	PQ	Sherbrooke, FF CBC	305
1947 CBV	95.3	PQ	Quebec City, \$, talk FF	325

17 Tr

1446 CKOI	96.9	PQ	Verdun, r, FF	380
2300 WBCS	96.9	MA	Boston, k	270
2323 WCRB	102.5	MA	Waltham, classical	280
2330 WBCN	104.1	MA	Boston, rp, calls	
local CIFA signed off				270
2333 WFCC	107.5	MA	Chatham, c, call	260

18 Es/Tr (0920-1132)

0931 WAYG	89.1	FL	Sarasota, Way FM	
1002 WRMB	89.3	FL	Boynton Beach, g	1460
1003 WAYF	88.1	FL	W.Palm Beach, g	
1009 WXEL	90.7	FL	W. Palm Beach, c	
1024 WCIE	91.1	FL	Lakeland, g, Life-FM	
1029 WSJT	94.1	FL	Lakeland, j, smooth jazz	
1052 WFLZ	93.3	FL	Tampa, r, calls	1450
1055 WYUU	92.5	FL	Safety Harbor, o, U92, wx	
1058 WOGK	93.7	FL	Ocala, k-country	1370
1103 WQVK	99.5	FL	St.Petersburg, k, calls	1400
1111 WHTQ	96.5	FL	Orlando, o, calls	1390
1119 WMFE	90.7	FL	Orlando, c, calls	1390
133? WRRK	96.9	PA	Braddock, r,	760
2034 unID	90.7	??	FF in and out	

19 Tr

1718 WHEB	100.3	NH	Portsmouth, r	240
1720 WYNZ	100.9	ME	Westbrook, o, strong	
1727 WZLX	100.7	MA	Boston, r, 270	
1749 CBAF2	105.7	NB	Allardville, FF talk	
1753 WPKM	106.3	ME	Scarborough, c	207
1940 WERZ	107.1	NH	Exeter, r	

20 Tr

0039 WLKZ	104.9	NH	Wolfeboro, Oldies 105	
0230 WXLO	104.5	MA	Fitchburg,	
0334 WKPE	104.7	MA	Orleans, r	
0340 WBOQ	104.9	MA	Gloster, c	250
0349 WCDQ	92.1	ME	Sanford, m	
1946 WJYY	105.5	NH	Concord, m	280
2028 WPNH	100.1	NH	Plymouth, r	282
2043 WLHN	98.3	NH	Laconia, r	275
2108 WVPR	89.5	VT	Winsdor, Eye in the Sky wx	

WHEB FM 100
THE HEART OF ROCK & ROLL

107.5
the end.

MIKE'S DX CONTINUES:

Mike LaRoque's report continues ...

JULY 1996 DX**1 Es & Tr (1715-2300)**

0700 WVPR	89.5	VT	Winsdor, c, nx	325
1720 WLRH	89.3	AL	Huntsville, NPR nx	1260
1728 WOCG	90.1	AL	Huntsville, g	1260
1734 WMSV	91.1	MS	Starkville, alternative (Mike, this is where this one is located-gc)	
1746 WAJR	88.3	MS	Tupelo, g	1390
1843 KTTS	94.7	MO	Springfield, local ads	1535
1852 KWFC	89.1	MO	Springfield,	
1855 KDHX	88.1	MO	St. Louis, blues, calls	1350
1906 unID	95.5	??	"I-95" rock (Mike, this one could have been WIXV in Savannah,GA-gc)	
1915 WAGP	88.7	SC	Beaufort, g	1125
1931 WJSP	88.1	GA	Warm Springs, Peach Tree Network	

JULY 3 Tr

0344 WCOD	106.1	MA	Hyannis, m	
1755 CJMF	93.3	PQ	Quebec City	
1900 CBMB	91.7	PQ	Sherbrooke	
2044 CBF	100.7	PQ	Montreal	
2341 CHEY	94.7	PQ	Trois Rivieres, m	
4 Es (1725-1932)				
1731 WMLJ	90.5	WV	Summersville, g	
1733 unID	92.9	??	k, K-93 (I bet this one was WVLK Lexington, KY-gc)	
1739 unID	96.9	??	Kiss FM, light rock (This may be WGKS Paris, KY, also near Lexington-gc)	
1800 CBE	89.9	ON	Winsdor, c, calls	
1751 KFRB	99.9	??	k	
1753 WKKO	99.9	OH	Toledo, k	
1801 WRUL	97.3	IL	Carmi, k	
1816 WMXD	92.3	MI	Detroit, m	
1822 unID	93.7	??	ment. beautiful downtown Pontiac (WJEZ Pontiac, IL?-gc)	
1827 WMBI	90.1	IL	Chicago	
1831 WONU	89.7	IL	Kankakee, calls	
1835 WCFL	104.7	IL	Morris, calls	
1836 WKQX	101.1	IL	Chicago, Q101	
1841 WCYZ	100.5	??		
1843 WPNT	100.3	IL	Chicago	
1844 WNIC	100.3	MI	Dearborn, m, calls	
1850 WQCY	99.5	IL	Quincy, call, ment. Hannibal	
1857 KHTK	97.1	MO	Florissant,call, ment.St.Louis	
1914 WDZJ	93.7	??	(Mike, maybe this is WDJC in Birmingham, Ala.-?gc)	
1932 WNJK	89.3	KY	Hopkinsville, g, calls	
7 Es (1935-2220)				
201? WDQN	95.9	IL	DuQuoin, S. III ment.	
201? WSTO	96.1	KY	Owensboro, r	
2022 WSNY	94.7	OH	Columbus, Sunny 95	
2023 WFBQ	94.7	IN	Indianapolis, local ads, r	
2025 WBUT	93.3	IN	Kendallville, k, calls	
2056 WMEE	97.3	IN	Ft. Wayne, r, calls	
2101 unID	93.1	??	Lite FM (WLTI Detroit?-gc)	
2101 WDTR	90.9	MI	Detroit	
2130 WIIL	95.1	WI	Kenosha, local ment	
2132 WMQA	95.9	WI	Minocqua	
2138 WQOM	98.3	WI	Park Falls, k ,calls	
2138 WSTD	96.9	MI	Standish, road report, ID	
2141 WQON	100.3	MI	Grayling, ment. Kalkaska	
2158 KSJR	90.1	MN	Collegeville, calls, c	
2200 WLRH	89.3	AL	Huntsville, c	
0700 WMAE	89.5	MS	Boonville, c	
0714 unID	88.3	??	open carrier in stereo	
0719 WAJR	88.3	MS	Tupelo, gospel	
0741 unID	95.9	??	Country 95	
0743 WPLM	99.1	MA	Plymouth, jazz	
0745 unID	92.5	??	Country 92.5, mentioned E. Arkansas (KWYN Wynne, AR?-gc)	
0749 WKYQ	93.3	KY	Paducah, k, calls	
2023 WHRV	89.5	VA	Norfolk, alt., TROPOL	
2044 WNOR	98.7	VA	Norfolk, rp FM 99	
2047 WYFI	99.7	VA	Norfolk, g, calls	725
2050 WJCD	105.3	VA	Norfolk, wx, CD 105.3	

**NEBRASKA
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NORTHERN FM DX

JANUARY 1997

Mike LaRoque's report continues ...

JULY 8 Es (1300-1334)

1300 WJSP 88.1 GA Warm Springs, c, nx
 1305 WMBW 88.9 TN Chattanooga, g mx
 1309 WUTC 88.1 TN Chattanooga, j, NPR
 1311 WLRH 89.3 AL Huntsville, c, wx
 1334 WQPR 88.9 AL Muscle Shoals, c

9 Es (1937-2004)

1937 WAYG 89.1 FL Sarasota
 1946 WGYL 93.7 FL Vero Beach, rm
 1951 WAYJ 88.7 FL Ft. Myers, g
 1953 WSOR 90.9 FL Naples, g
 1954 WZZR 92.7 FL Stuart, pr
 2000 WCLB 95.5 FL Fort Pierce, calls
 2004 WNCO 89.9 FL Stuart, g

11 Es (1135-1238, 1520-2200)

1150 WUFT 89.1 FL Gainesville, classical
 1200 WYFU 90.5 FL Gainesville, gospel
 1208 unID 92.7 ?? 'The Fox', o
 1238 WGSF 89.3 FL Mayo, s. Gospel
 1520 Es Back again!
 1530 WLRH 89.3 AL Huntsville, c
 1533 WJAB 90.9 AL Huntsville
 1607 WPLN 90.3 TN Nashville
 1621 WIGN 88.7 TN Columbia, talk
 1753 WBGL 91.7 IL Champaign, on tape, g
 1754 WDLM 89.3 IL East Moline, g
 1757 WNIU 89.3 IL DeKalb, c, calls
 1800 WVWV 89.9 WV Wheeling?
 1801 WONU 89.7 IL Kankakee, g, calls
 1806 unID 99.3 ?? g, The Rock, Rock Radio Q99
 1805 KMGO 98.7 IA Centerville, k
 1810 WONC 89.1 IL Naperville, FM89
 1812 KIOA 93.3 IA Des Moines, o, calls
 1815 WMBI 90.1 IL Chicago
 1821 WDCB 90.9 IL Glen Ellyn, Big Bands
 1827 KGGO 94.9 IA Des Moines, calls
 1832 WIBI 91.1 IL Carlinville, g, calls
 1836 KWFC 89.1 MO Springfield, local ads
 1840 KOPN 89.5 MO Columbia, nx, calls
 1846 WRMS 94.3 IL Beardstown, k
 1846 KATI 94.3 MO California, Cat Country
 (Mike, this is the station you heard-gc)
 1848 WKXK 94.7 IL Chicago, k, Kicks Country
 1900 KSUI 91.7 IA Iowa City, c
 1903 KTUF 93.7 MO Kirksville, K-Tuf
 1908 KJJY 92.5 IA Ankeny, k, calls
 1919 KMCH 94.7 IA Manchester, in depth weather
 1924 KIAI 93.9 IA Mason City, k
 1931 unID 105.9 ?? 106 The Beach (Mike, KTLB
 in Twin Lakes, IA, uses that slogan-gc)

1938 KRNA 94.1 IA Iowa City, r
 1940 WOLX 94.9 WI Baraboo
 1947 KCZE 95.1 IA New Hampton, r, wx
 1951 KGLI 95.5 IA Sioux City, local ads
 1959 WMBW 88.9 TN Chattanooga, g, calls
 2027 WMIE 91.5 FL Cocoa, g
 2041 WHWC 88.3 WI Menomonie, talk

JULY 11 Es cont.

2043 KCRB 88.5 MN Bemidji, c 1440
 2053 WIRR 90.9 MN Virginia, c, tornado warning
 2104 WFMY 96.9 MN Grand Rapids, t. watch 1380
 2109 WEVE 97.9 MN Eveleth, rm, tornado watch
 2110 WTBX 93.9 MN Hibbing, r, calls 1350



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Mike LaRoque's report continues ...

AUGUST 30 Super Tr

0814 WBRU 95.5 RI Providence 305
 0821 WZMX 93.7 CT Hartford 360
 0838 WDRC 102.9 CT Hartford, o 360
 0844 WHCN 105.9 CT Hartford, pr 360



SEPT 1 Super Tr cont

1112 WWMX 106.5 MD Baltimore, Mix 106.5
 1138 WXYY 102.7 MD Baltimore, s, V103
 1148 WQXR 96.3 NY New York, c, calls 460
 1227 WQHT 97.1 NY New York, Hot 97 460
 1250 WYBC 94.3 CT New Haven
 1346 WSHU 91.1 CT Fairfield, c, calls
 1356 WMNH 88.7 CT New Haven, calls
 1400 WPKT 90.5 CT Bridgeport, c, calls
 1431 WEZN 99.9 CT Bridgeport 412
 1432 WPKN 89.5 CT Bridgeport 412
 1617 WHCN 105.9 CT Hartford, rp 360
 1619 WFGR 88.5 MA Amherst
 1722 unlD 96.5 ?? The Fox (Beford, NH-gc)
 1953 WCNH 93.3 NH Belmont
 2309 CBOF 90.7 ON Ottawa, weak in and out
 2053 WVPR 89.5 VT Winsdor 325
 2138 WAYV 95.1 NJ Atlantic City, great signal
 2130 WTEB 89.3 NC New Bern, c, fair
 (Nice catch, Mike!-gc) 830
 2229 WRDR 104.9 NJ Egg Harbor City, calls
 213? WNOR 98.7 VA Norfolk, weak 725
 213? WYFI 99.7 VA Norfolk, weak 725

2 Super Tr

1826 WHJY 94.1 RI Providence 305
 1831 WMAS 94.7 MA Springfield
 1853 WSHU 91.1 CT Fairfield
 1855 WBEB 101.1 PA Philadelphia
 1856 WCBS 101.1 NY New York
 1900 WPKN 89.5 CT Bridgeport
 2300 WFME 94.7 NJ Newark
 2347 WRKS 98.7 NY New York
 2359 WNEW 102.7 NY New York

SEPTEMBER 1996 DX

1 Super Tr

0?? WTWTI 101.7 ?? (WKWI Kilmarock, VA?-gc)
 0342 WZXL 100.7 NJ Wildwood, rp
 0417 WEPG 96.9 NJ Atlantic City, mr 535
 0420 unlD 97.3 ?? traffic "New Jersey 101.5"
 (Mike, this is WBSS Millville, NJ-gc)

0847 WEBE 107.9 CT Westport, rm
 0902 WLW 106.7 NY New York, wx, calls
 0913 WGAY 99.5 DC Washington 670
 0917 WBAI 99.5 NY New York, opera, calls
 0922 WSKQ 97.9 NY New York, Spanish 460
 0924 WOGL 98.1 PA Philadelphia, o, ads 535
 0930 WRKS 98.7 NY New York, gospel program
 0944 WNEW 102.7 NY New York, rp calls 460
 1011 WKTU 103.5 NY Lake Success, d
 1107 WQGN 105.5 CT Groton, Q105, r



RALPH STROBEL - 106 E. DAVIDSON STREET - MUNCIE, INDIANA 47303
 Equipment: McIntosh MR-78 FM Tuner with two CM Stereo Probe 9 antennas and rotors
 at 36 and 38 feet above ground separated at 23 feet, with use of Bolin phase box.
 All stations in \$ unless noted mono. *Denotes use of phase box.

THE STATE OF DELAWARE FINALLY HEARD AFTER TWENTY FOUR YEARS OF DXING!

May 1996 (CDT)

10 ms	24 Es	1808 KGNZ 88.1 TX Abilene, g, wx	961
? KBHP 101.1 MN Bemidji	692	1819 KENW 89.5 NM Portales, psa	1072
13 ms	18 Es	1906 KUWR 91.1 WY Laramie, nx	1060
? KOSI 101.1 CO Denver	1040	1911 KCSE 103.1 TX Ballinger, o	1002
17 ms	2001 KLUX 89.5 TX Robstown, b	1109	
0502 KRMD 101.1 LA Shreveport	706	27 Es	
18 tr	1938 WAYG 89.1 FL Sarasota, gr	902	
0331 W201AK 88.1 OH Columbus, g, CDR Radio, ment. Columbus in wx (/WQRP 88.1 OH West Carrollton)	127	2024 WBVM 90.5 FL Tampa, g	862
testing w/cat xmas songs, now WLKT (o/WGRL 104.5 IN Indy)	70	2050 WSJT 94.1 FL Lakeland, sm. j	861
0431 WJJG 104.5 KY Lexington, testing w/cat xmas songs, now WLKT (o/WGRL 104.5 IN Indy)	155	28 Es	
2213 WKXE 95.3 VT White River Junction, ads	2223 WHOM 94.9 NH Mt. Wash., mr	777	
0530 WSMC 90.5 TN Collegedale-ex-90.7 Chattanooga, g	354	2230 WHCF 88.5 ME Bangor, wx	904
29 Es	1044 CHLS 93.1 PE Charlottetown, wx	1196	
0203 WDHJ 93.1 KY Pikeville, k	231	1100 CHFX 101.9 NS Halifax, k	1153
ex-92.1	1105 CBH 102.7 NS Halifax nx	1153	
(o/WNAP 93.1 IN Indy)	50	1300 CBAF-5 92.3 NS Halifax, t mono	1153
20 tr	1314 CJMO 103.1 NB Moncton, op	1116	
0100 WVKM 106.7 WV Matewan-Williamson- Logan-Pikeville KY-Grundy VA, rp	248	1322 CFQM 103.9 NB Moncton, k	1116
0200 WYNY 106.7 GA Gainesville-Atlanta, k	415	1328 WQDY 92.7 ME Calais, ad	982
31 Es	1400 WPRK 91.5 FL Winter Park, mono	833	
1415 WEAZ 88.3 FL Union Park-Orlando, g	1415 WEAZ 88.3 FL Union Park-Orlando, g	841	
June 1996	2 Es	1700 WJFP 91.1 FL Fort Pierce, e	926
1143 KONO 101.1 TX Fredericksburg, o	1023	1710 WRMF 97.9 FL Palm Beaches, r	981
1146 XHMZI 91.1 CL Monclova, l, ss,	1302	(o/WXXP 97.9 IN Anderson)	16
"La Grande de Coahuila"		1715 (All Miami to top of band)	1040
1220 WMCU 89.7 FL Miami, g	1040	0300 WCBL 99.1 KY Benton, o	283
1400 WFTT 89.5 FL Melbourne, j	879	6 Es	
22 Es	1130 KLYT 88.3 NM Albuquerque, g	1217	
1022 KHOY 88.1 TX Laredo, b	1193	1418 WAYG 89.1 FL Sarasota, gr	902
23 Es	1141 KCWC 88.1 WY Riverton, j	1204	
1200 KCMI 96.9 NE Terrytown-Scottsbluff-Gering, g	964	1419 WJIS 88.1 FL Bradenton, g	892
1207 KIQZ 92.7 WY Rawlins, k	1145	1441 WSRX 89.5 FL Naples, gr	993
1210 KNEB 94.1 NE Scottsbluff, k	960	7 ms	
1300 KWBI 91.1 CO Morrison-Denver, g	1047	? WAYF 88.1 FL W Palm Beach	980
1845 WJIS 88.1 FL Bradenton, g	892	8 ms	
1859 WMCU 89.7 FL Miami, g	1040	? WAYF 88.1 FL W Palm Beach	980
1905 WJFP 91.1 FL Fort Pierce, s	926	8 Es	
(heard on car radio!)		1129 KLUX 89.5 TX Robstown, b	1109
1920 WEAZ 88.3 FL Union Park-gr Orlando's "Z-88.3"	841	1137 KKBA 92.7 TX Kingsville, mr, j	1131
24 Es	1144 KPLV 93.3 TX Port Lavaca, k	1025	
1718 KRIQ 94.1 TX Floresville-SAT, tejano	1054	"Bay-FM"	
1152 XHMZI 91.1 CL Monclova, l, ss	1302	1154 KJBZ 92.7 TX Laredo, l	1193
1154 KJBZ 92.7 TX Laredo, l		1159 KQTX 101.9 TX SAT, r	1050
1719 KHOY 88.1 TX Laredo, b	1193	1200 KVWG 95.3 TX Pearsall, nx	1104
1724 XHMZI 91.1 CL Monclova, l, ss	1302	1205 KAJZ 93.3 TX Killeen, sm. j	934
1727 KROM 92.9 TX SAT, l, ss	1050	1207 KONO 101.1 TX Fredericksburg, o	1023
1730 KSTX 89.1 TX SAT, nx	1050	1214 KOOV 103.1 TX Copperas Cove, k	941
1730 KOEM 88.5 TX Mesquite, nx	807	"K-double OV"	
1745 KAJZ 93.3 TX Killeen, sm. j	934	1227 KDCC 92.9 TX San Angelo, k	1036
1749 KRNH 95.1 TX Comfort, k	1037	9 Es	
1800 KINL 92.7 TX Eagle Pass, k	1170	1829 XHMZI 91.1 CL Monclova, SS	1302

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NORTHERN FM DX**Ralph Strobel cont'd:****DECEMBER 1996**

22 ms (October cont'd)	27 tr		
0059 KQAA 94.9 SD Aberdeen-Watertown-Huron, again!	1900 WSJZ 92.9 NY Buffalo, sm. j	385	
0120 KCMO 94.9 MO Kansas City, Previous tr	1910 WNED? 94.5 NY Buffalo, c	385	
? KOLL 94.9 AR Maumelle-Little Rock, Previous tr	29 tr		
26 tr	0700*WWGO 98.9 IL Neoga-Effingham-Mattoon, r	170	
1800*WAIV 103.3 IL Spring Valley, t mono (o/WRZX 103.3 IN Indy)	(o/WBYR 98.9 OH Van Wert IN Fort Wayne)	63	
27 tr	215 30 ms KGGO 94.9 IA Des Moines	441	
1845 CHIN 100.7 ON Toronto, e, "chin"	50 November 1996		
1850*CFNY 102.1 ON Toronto, rp "Toronto's new rock, the edge"	0000*WTCH 95.9 IN Seelyville-Terre Haute, k (o/WPZZ 95.9 IN Franklin)	111	
(o/WIMT 102.1 OH Lima)	79 (_ _ = new propagation mode)	60	

METEOR SCATTER LOGGINGS:

5/10 KBHP "...in downtown Bemidji..."	of something to do, keep your radio	
5/13 KOIS "...drug store in the mile high city today for some great new ways to save...Payless Drug Stores..."	tuned to Way-FM. We've always got info for ya. Your place to be..."	
5/17 KRMF "...new to change your life. KRMF continuing news time is now 5:02..."	6/10 WAYF "...Christian Hit Radio 88.1 Way-FM..."	
6/07 WAYF "...Christian hit radio 88.1 Way-FM..."	WJIS "...The Joy-FM..." (SID)	
6/08 WAYF "...Listen, if you're in need	7/18 WSVH "...91.1-FM WSVH Savannah and...WWIO Brunswick..."	
	(Meteor activity quite poor this spring)	

7/24 KNTU "...This is Ted Culp. Join me and my group wednesday evenings at nine for little walk live from the landing on the real jazz station, 88.1 KNTU..."	
7/28 KETR "...It's thirty minutes past the hour...news 24 hours a day. This is the news station...radio from the associated press - 88.9 KETR Commerce, Texas. AP network news, I'm ? Revus. Investigators continue combing...park....in Atlanta..."	
7/31 KETR "...The East Texas State University Department of Sociology and social criminal justice offers bachelor and master's degree programs with major emphasis on general sociology, sociological research methods..."	
KETR "...for today's weather, a little rain outside...the forecast for Commerce..."	

KLDN "...The time is 21 minutes...This is member supported FM-89. The weather forecast is partly cloudy with a slight chance of rain...upper 80's to lower 90's...Right now...73 in El Dorado. It's 75 in Nacogdoches and Lufkin..." 8/12 KNTU "...That song we just heard was called...Before that we heard Diane and we started off the set with Surrey with a Fringe on Top. My name's Clint Brey...I'll be with you 'til 3 o'clock this afternoon. Getting back into the music now, we have Wayne Shorter from his release...at 88.1 FM KNTU..."

8/16 KMPR "...Jamestown mostly clear 59."	KGGO touring bus..."
9/04 KLOL "...in Houston now we have..."	10/22 KQAA "...Cool 95 - KQAA Aberdeen-Watertown and Huron's all oldies..."
9/25 WVAE "...of course, having you tune to 94.9 the wave. We will help you..."	KCMO "...and our forecast, keep it here for the latest. Right now, it's 42 at KCI..."
10/12 CJRT "...CJRT..."	KOLL "...in North Little Rock and Maumelle..."
10/18 KQAA "...Cool 95 - KQAA Aberdeen-Watertown and Huron's all oldies..."	10/30 KGGO "...95 KGGO..."
10/19 WTNT "...WTNT..." (SID)	
KGGO "...plus a free ride on the	

Many thank yous to Alain Pepin, St. Jean, PQ and Dan Oetting, Phoenixville, PA for positively IDing stations heard this summer. The new 91.1 in Monclova, CL is XHMZI and they announce 100 kw. Does that ever get out by Es! A legal ID produced CHME on 94.9 and my 99.1 was CFNJ, both French speaking stations. On 99.5 I phased out WZPL and on tape found the following: "Chesapeake Bicycle Race. Always a great time and great...with Delaware's number one, 99.5..." Dan tells me he used to work overnight at WJBR in Wilmington, DE. Information regarding the bike race is a big event in August. Dan recognized the DJ's voice and even mentioned his name. After two months I did get a reply from WJBR, but Dan's verification was more meaningful to me. Again, thanks for the help! 73 KSF

NORTHERN FM DX**JANUARY 1997****DAVE NIEMAN - HO STA GEH ROAD - ROCK CITY NEW YORK 14749**

Equipment: Carver TX-11 tuner; IF filter modified. Channel Master model 4408 (Stereo Probe 9) at 60 feet AGL on a Alliance HD-73 rotor. Winegard FT-7600 variable FM trap for 95.7MHz, Belden RG-11/u coax feed.

New loggings are underlined. Call letters in { } are new ones.

NOVEMBER 1996 DX

17 tropo

1203 WAQB	94.1 NY Brighton, nold, jr\$	
	uninterrupted instrumentals	89

NOVEMBER 1996 DX

17 tropo continued

1300 WTIC	95.3 PA Towanda, call, o\$	103
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Winter weather is back so we haven't been spending as much time down here. We can only hope for and early spring.

54K

JOHN EBELING - 9209 VINCENT AVE. SO. - BLOOMINGTON, MINNESOTA 55431

or: 6483 COUNTY ROAD 47 - ALBORN, MINNESOTA 55702

DX FROM BLOOMINGTON, MN LOCATION:**AUGUST 16, 1996 TR**

2300 "The Beat" 97.7 MN Minneapolis (NOTE 1)	0013 KSUX 105.7 MN Winnebago	380
2322 KGPZ 96.1 MN Colerain	0020 KAMI 104.5 NE Cozad	560
2343 KMXD 106.3 IA Ankeny	0039 WNAZ 104.1 SD Yankton	368

NOVEMBER 1996 DX**3 TR**

1200 KARP 96.3 MN Glencoe, ex 96.1	1200 KARP 96.3 MN Glencoe, ex 96.1	54
	1530 K280EC 103.9 MN Owatonna (KNGA)	52

17 TR

2052 KCPI 94.9 MN Albert Lea, ex 95.3	0906 KOLV 100.1 MN Olivia	192
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21 TR

2052 KCPI 94.9 MN Albert Lea, ex 95.3	2300 CBEB 89.7 ON Manitowadge, CBC	338
	2300 CBSM 89.5 ON Sault Ste Marie	394

DX FROM PROSIT, MINNESOTA:**AUGUST 1996 DX****12 TR**

2350 KIGL 104.9 IA Spencer, "Lakes R."	2400 WIAA 88.7 MI Interlochen	370
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28 TR

1425 WJNR 101.5 MI Iron Mountain	1425 WJNR 101.5 MI Iron Mountain	232
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DECEMBER 1996**1 TR**

1700 KCAJ 102.1 MN Roseau, KJ102	1424 KARP 96.3 MN Glencoe	
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2000 Indian Hills Drive
Sauk City, IA 51104

NOTE 1: This pirate (97.7 The Beat - Minneapolis) (since shut down) took over the frequency vacated by Duluth's WNCB translator, which was moved by the FCC to 96.3, which also is now off the air due to interference problems with WJMC (WI) & KARP (MN) after they moved from 96.1 to 96.3 (as noted above).

This season turned out to be rather poor. Several good days of Es, but fewer than a "usual" summer. My loggings here in Bloomington are really down this year, only around 22 new stations. Have yet to do a final count. Prosit, however, yielded 91 new stations. John Ebeling

NORTHERN FM DX

JANUARY 1997

BOB SMOLAREK - 31 MARK DRIVE - HIGH BRIDGE, NEW JERSEY 08829

JULY 1996

1 TR
 2148 WKTC 96.9 NC Goldsboro,k
 2149 WRXL 102.1 VA Richmond,r,over WIOQ
 2152 WBZU 104.7 VA Crewe,r, "The Buzz"
 2202 WRHT 96.3 NC Morehead City,r
 2211 WTKF 107.3 NC Atlantic,t
 2213 WMXB 103.7 VA Richmond,r
 2218 WPMT 102.3 NC Roanoke Rapids,k
 2234 WGRQ 95.9 VA Colonial Heights,o
 2237 WSAY 98.5 NC Rocky Mount,k,STRONG!
 2249 WFHK 104.3 NC Tarboro,s
 2250 WAFF 106.9 VA Suffolk,r, STRONG!
 2251 WLTY 95.7 VA Norfolk,o,completely over WFLN even when aimed right at them!
 2320 WGNI 102.7 NC Wilmington,r
 2326 WERX 102.5 NC Edenton,r
 2334 WCBB 103.7 NC Williamston,r
 2336 WLQM 101.7 VA Franklin,k
 2337 WKOO 98.7 NC Jacksonville,o,"KOOL"

2 TR
 0038 WKIX 96.1 NC Raleigh,k Parked in Warren, NJ

2 ES
 1151 KRVE 96.1 LA Brusly,r,"The River"
 1154 KSMR 94.5 LA Lafayette,r
 1155 WZRW 95.1 MS Marion,op, "The Arrow"
 1157 WOKK 97.1 MS Meridian, k
 1157 KMDL 97.3 LA Kaplan,k,"The Dog"
 1200 KFTF 96.5 LA Breaux Bridge,op
 1202 WMAW 88.1 MS Meridian,c
 1204 WMAU 88.9 MS Bude,c
 1212 KTDX 99.9 LA Lafayette,r
 1214 WBBN 95.9 MS Taylorsville,k, "Pine Belt Country"
 1219 WGGZ 98.1 LA Baton Rouge, op,"Eagle 98.1"
 1222 WTUG 92.9 AL Tuscaloosa,s
 1222 KDEA 93.7 LA New Iberia,r,"The Mix"
 1223 WHBH 95.7 AL Tuscaloosa,s,"95.7 Jams"
 1225 WYCT 94.1 LA Kentwood,k, "Young Country"

4 ES
 1738 WCMQ 92.3 FL Hialeah,S
 1739 WTMI 93.1 FL Miami,c

6 ES
 1913 KTGL 92.9 NE Beatrice,op."Eagle"
 1918 KQKQ 98.5 IA Council Bluffs, r,"Sweet 98"
 1925 KLBA 96.7 IA Albia,k,"K-96.7"
 1929 KGGO 94.9 IA Des Moines,rp
 1935 KMTY 97.7 NE Holdrege,r
 1939 KKOT 93.5 NE Columbus,k,"Coyote"
 1954 KOGA 99.7 NE Ogallala,r

7 ES
 2109 WOLX 94.9 WI Baraboo,o
 2109 KKCK 99.7 MN Marshall,r

JULY 9 ES

2015 KBEZ 92.9 OK Tulsa,r
 2048 KSCS 96.3 TX Fort Worth,k
 2053 KEWS 94.9 TX Arlington,nt,
 "They love to change formats, don't they!"
11 ES
 1808 WJBL 93.1 WI Ladysmith,o
 1810 WSCD 92.9 MN Duluth, c
 1815 WMQA 95.9 WI Minoque,r
 1820 WTBX 93.9 MN Hibbing, rp
 1824 CBON-19 97.3 ON Nipigon,French
 1832 CBQT 88.3 ON Thunder Bay,
 CBC program
 1835 CBON-20 89.3 ON Thunder Bay,French
 1840 CJSD 94.3 ON Thunder Bay, rp
 1910 CITI 92.1 MB Winnipeg, rp

AUGUST 1996

8 TR
 2330 WYRS 90.7 NJ Manahawkin,g
 2331 WBZC 88.9 NJ Pemberton,r

SEPTEMBER 1996

5 TR
 2230 WQRA 94.3 VA Warrenton,o,"WINX"
 2231 WYSK 99.3 VA Spotsylvania,r
 2346 WRTI 90.7 PA Ephrata,j,
 relaying WRTI 90.1

6 TR
 0006 WOTC 88.3 VA Edinburg,g
 0009 WZBT 91.1 PA Gettysburg,r
 0100 WWBZ 103.9 MD Braddock Heights,r

OCTOBER 1996

1 TR
 2200 WCBZ 103.7 NC Williamston,r
 2212 WNCT 107.9 NC Greenville,o
 2221 WKJX 96.7 NC Elizabeth City,k
 2222 WGH 97.3 VA Newport News,k
 2236 WLQM 101.7 VA Franklin,k
 2318 WXZ 94.1 VA Yorktown,b,
 demolishing WYSP!

6 TR
 2000 WPVR 94.9 VA Roanoke,r,"Arrow"
 2301 WXLK 92.3 VA Roanoke,r



NORTHERN FM DX

JANUARY 1997

WELCOME NEW REPORTER!!

RICHARD W. TURNER - 286 HIXVILLE RD. - NORTH DARTMOUTH MASS 02747-1938
 Equipment—Radio Shack STA-300 with indoor amplified FM antenna

November 25, 1996 2130-2400 EST

89.1	WNPR	Norwich CT
90.1	WUSB	Stony Brook NY
90.5	WPKT	Meriden CT
91.7	WHUS	Storrs CT
92.1	WOMR	Provincetown MA
93.5	WJCO	Harwichport MA ("The Coast")
93.7	WZMX	Hartford CT
96.7	WEHM	Easthampton NY
100.5	WRCH	New Britain CT ("Lite 100.5")
102.3	WVVE	Stonington CT
104.9	WBOQ	Gloucester MA ("W-Bach")
105.9	WHCN	Hartford CT ("Rock-106")

I am a new member of the WFTDA and this is the first time that I have experienced an opening on FM. I presume this is tropo as the temperatures were in the mid-40s. Will promise to include times and program details in the future, but was too excited this time around. 73s de Rick Turner



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1130 MI. GULF TROP IN DURING OCTOBER*

Danny Buntin
1312 N. Skyline
Stillwater, OK 74075

DEADLINE: 14th

Steven C. Wiseblood, 1750 N. Minnesota, Brownsville, TX 78521

10/9 tr	540	10/9 tr
0929 WTKL	95.7 LA New Orleans, "Cool 95.7",o	1931 WZMQ 103.9 FL Key Largo, "Estereo
0936 WWRM	94.9 FL Tampa, "Warm 95", n	Fiesta", SS 1110
0943 WKJC	93.7 AL Birmingham, sermon	1936 WLWF 101.5 FL Miami, "Life 101.5",m1130
1022 WZZK	104.7 AL Birmingham, k "Today's hot new country"	1955 WXDJ 95.7 FL Homestead, SS Salsa 1130
1049 WBHU	95.7 AL Tuscaloosa, soul 800 "97-7 Jams"	10/12 tr 300
1053 WQXI	107.5 MS Magee, "Kicksy 107" 620	0625 KPTV 94.7 TX Luling, "Austin's Mix 94.7"
1054 WMBV	91.9 AL Dixon Mills, USA Net, nx	0647 XHMZI 91.1 CL Monclova,k1 SS 270
1058 WMEZ	94.1 FL Tampa, , ID 720	0734 KITE 92.3 TX Kerville, ads
1208 WRVQ	104.7 FL Tampa, k 960 "Tampa Bays New Country"	0741 KHAZ 93.3 TX Austin, "Austin's new
1852 WFZL	93.3 FL Tampa, urban rock 960 "The More Music revolution"	Jazz", j 300
1923 WRTQ	98.3 FL Miami, hot salsa, SS	0801 KRMJ 95.5 TX Austin, mr 300
1929 WRMA	106.7 FL Ft. Lauderdale, 1130 SS romantica	"continuous soft favorites"
	(Hi, Steven, Congrats to you on your fantastic trop catchs. DB)	0806 KMFH 96.7 TX Georgetown, urban
		rock, ID 320
		0807 KVET 98.1 TX Austin, "Country Gold",
		k, ads 300
		0828 KUTZ 98.9 TX Lampasas, metal rock 300
		0840 KOXE 101.5 TX Brownwood,k, ID 420
		0847 WACO 99.9 TX Waco, k, ID, promos 360
		0921 KWIX 97.5 TX Temple, urban rock, 340
		"Today's best music", "we're on the web--www.KWITX.com"

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84-23-96:	85-86-96:
1127 KXDF	94.5 NM GALLUP (ID)
1133 KXTG	99.9 NM THOREAU (ID)
1137 KTHQ	92.5 AZ EAGAR (ID)
1137 KMYK-	94.9 NM AZTEC (area ID)
1138 KXXI	93.7 NM GALLUP (town ID)
1148 KSEE-	99.7 UT ST. GEORGE (ID)
1149 KFRM	96.5 AZ SHOW LOW (ID)
1142 KPEL	95.7 NM FARMINGTON (ID)
1145 KMGN	93.9 AZ FLAGSTAFF ("The Mountain")
1146 KNSN	106.5 NV LAS VEGAS (local ad)
1150 KNNR	95.5 NV HENDERSON (ID)
1154 KLUU	98.5 NV LAS VEGAS (town ID)
1157 KVMW-	93.5 AZ SHOW LOW (ID)
1159 KILA	98.5 NV LAS VEGAS (ID)
84-25-96:	85-11-96:
8841 KSBM	94.9 LA COUSHAWA (tr;area wx);
8842 KDXI	95.3 LA BAYOU VISTA (tr;ID)
8810 KVMZ	96.9 LA ALEXANDRIA (tr;ID)
8519 WCKW-	92.3 LA LA PLACE (tr;area ID)
85-83-96:	
8508 KJAF	92.7 TX SLATON (tr;ID)
8505 KXTD-	93.7 TX LUBBOCK (tr;"Magic 93.7")
8552 KFMX	94.5 TX LUBBOCK (tr;town ID)
85-84-96:	85-12-96:
8249 WOCK	92.7 LA CLINTON (tr;ID)
8258 WUHL	91.5 AL TUSCALOOSA (tr;net ID)
8218 WOLL	94.9 AR MAUMELLE (tr;"Cool 95";area ID)
8216 WNLN	92.3 AL MONTGOMERY (tr;..WI*)
	1703 KVOD
	1704 KNCH
	1746 KBZN
	1748 KXWV
	1751 KHBA
	1757 KJOK
	1751 KEZJ-

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05-12-96:	1752 WTKL	96.5 NY ROCK SPRINGS (local ad)	1014 1226 WNL	94.5 KY LEXINGTON ("Mix 94.5")	1005
	1756 KZHT	94.9 UT PROVO (area ad)	1059 1230 WSHI-	106.1 IL LITCHFIELD (state ID)	846
	1802 KRBO	107.9 UT ROY (ID)	1124 1234 KOKZ	105.7 IA WATERLOO (ID)	963
	1806 KRAI-	93.7 CO CRAIB (town ID)	919 1239 WFMJ	92.3 IN FT. WAYNE ("The Fort")	1099
	1808 KUNI	105.7 UT CENTERVILLE ("Mountain")	1087 1241 WKL	92.5 IL URBANA ("Oldies 92")	938
	1814 KRSP	103.5 UT SALT LAKE CITY (state ID)	1087 1242 WCR	95.7 IL EFFINGHAM (ID)	876
	1817 KSOB-	104.3 UT SALT LAKE CITY (ID)	1087 1253 WOJO	105.1 IL EVANSTON (Spanish)	1053
	1827 KUBL	93.3 UT SALT LAKE CITY ("K-Bull")	1087 1254 WKBQ-	104.1 IL JERSEYVILLE (area ID; WK--)	801
	1839 KYKN-	103.9 UT NEPHI (NBA Jazz game)	1088 1256 WKLH	96.5 WI MILWAUKEE ("KLH")	1110
			1381 WKNR	95.7 IA WEBSTER CITY (ID)	935
05-13-96:			1388 KXIK	94.9 NV COLD SPRING (area ad)	1102
	2346 WCKW-	92.3 LA LA PLACE (tr;ID)	473 1310 KITM	93.5 NV WORTHINGTON (ID;"The Kitten")	987
05-16-96:			1313 WJDJ	93.9 KY BURNSIDE (area ad)	923
	0003 WCKW-	92.3 LA LA PLACE (tr;ID)	473 1319 KSON	96.5 IA AUDUBON (area ad)	853
05-17-96:			1319 KTAO	96.9 IA CLARION (area ad)	943
			1341 KLZY	92.5 NY POMELL (area ad)	1187
			1349 KTAK	93.9 NY RIVERTON (area wx)	1056
	1007 KBTM-	94.9 NM ROSWELL (tr;ID)	395 1354 KHTM	96.9 NY JACKSON (ID)	1175
	1130 KPFF	90.7 CA LOS ANGELES (ID)	1186 1409 KUNZ	98.5 NY ROCK SPRINGS (NY Public Radio)	1025
	1202 KZDA	97.7 CA SHAFTER (ID)	1265 1415 KRAI-	93.7 CO CRAIG (ID)	919
	1214 KZD-	92.7 CA RIDGECREST (ID)	1185 1418 KKRZ	93.5 OK ALTUS (tritown ID)	347
			1423 KVFM	94.5 UT LODGE (ID)	1136
05-20-96:			1424 KEZJ-	95.7 ID TWIN FALLS (ID)	1267
	0852 KMFH	92.3 TX MIDLAND (tr;ID)	284 1425 KXWV	92.5 ID RUPERT (k;"The Cat")	1235
	0856 KQIP	96.9 TX ODESSA (tr;"97-Gold")	284 1431 KPKY	94.9 NV POCAHOT (oldies)	1204
05-21-96:			1433 KJHZ	95.3 NY JACKSON (Local ad)	1175
	0907 WZRK	93.5 MI HANCOCK (area PSA)	1329 1440 KQWU-	104.1 ID AMERICAN FALLS (area ads)	1208
	0946 KSTP-	94.5 MI ST. PAUL ("KS-95")	1116 1451 KBZN	97.7 UT OGDEN ("The Breeze")	1133
	0952 WAIR	92.5 MI ATLANTA (ID)	1116 1458 KHTM	94.9 UT PROVO ("Hot 94")	1059
	1013 WLRK	95.7 MI THREE RIVERS (ID)	1323 1459 KYFO-	95.5 UT OGDEN (ID)	1116
	1014 KMAQ-	95.3 IA MARQUETTE (local ad)	1122 1501 KUBL	93.3 UT SALT LAKE CITY ("K-Bull")	1087
	1023 WDNI	92.5 WI WEST BEND (town ID)	1118 1502 KUMT	105.7 UT CENTERVILLE ("The Mountain")	1007
	1025 WBJD	94.5 MI EAGLE RIVER (area ads)	1255 1508 KWYN	104.3 UT SALT LAKE CITY (area ad)	1087
	1031 WJHM	92.3 OH CLEVELAND HEIGHTS ("Jammie 92.3")	1263 1519 WJWZ	93.7 UT RICHFIELD (area ads)	1000
	1033 WCLR	95.7 OH PIQUA ("Cool 95")	1095 1529 KXHU	105.1 UT MANTI (ID)	1011
	1048 WLVF	96.9 MI GRAND RAPIDS ("LAV")	1182 1539 KSSD	92.5 UT CEDAR CITY (area ads)	1018
	1053 WCFX	95.3 MI CLARE ("CFX";area wx)	1243 1543 KBRE-	94.9 UT CEDAR CITY (local ad)	1009
	1058 WCMN-	105.7 MI GRAND RAPIDS (town ID)	1165 1545 KIEZ	93.5 UT ST. GEORGE (local ad)	1010
	1059 WOA	104.1 OH CLEVELAND ("O-104")	1236 1704 WHLZ	92.5 SC MANNING (ID)	1128
	1101 WLTJ	95.7 MI GRAND RAPIDS (ID)	1251 1923 WMMO	93.5 IN HARTFORD CITY ("3MO")	1059
	1106 KDRS	92.5 MN GOLDEN VALLEY (area ads)	1176 1719 KZM	96.7 LA ALEXANDRIA (tr;ID)	379
	1109 WBR	92.5 KY OMENSBO (state ID)	1108 1819 KZM	95.3 TX HOME (tr;"real country")	383
	1116 WTPJ	107.9 MI INDIANAPOLIS (town ID)	868 1825 KHYL	105.1 TX LUFKIN (tr;"Kicks-105")	269
	1116 WTR	107.9 SC BUCKSPORT ("Gator 107.9")	1104 1832 KYKS	105.1 TX LUFKIN (tr;"Kicks-105")	1254
	1119 WMMN	98.5 MI COLDWATER (area ad)	1152 1851 WZKL	92.5 OH ALLIANCE ("Cool 92";area ads)	1294
	1122 WNOX	94.9 OH MEDINA (ID)	1243 1856 WDXI	105.9 PA PITTSBURGH ("The I")	1294
	1124 WNOV	106.1 MI MANFIELD (area/local ads)	1188 1895 WZLR	93.5 OH XENIA (oldies;area ID)	1088
	1126 WTLG-	105.7 IN INDIANAPOLIS (IN Lottery)	1004 1913 WKTW	93.3 OH KENTON (ID)	1144
	1131 WKUZ	95.9 IN WABASH (ID)	1064 1913 MLKR	95.3 OH NORWALK (area ads)	1208
	1132 WYAV	104.1 SC CONWAY (area ad)	1182 1921 WCLR	95.7 OH PIQUA (area ads)	1095
	1134 WLD-	104.1 SC MUNCIE (ID)	1049 1938 WKOI	95.5 MI DETROIT ("Fox 2" ad)	1239
	1136 WXP	97.9 IN ANDERSON (local ad)	1031 1939 KVOL-	105.9 LA OPELOUSAS (tr; area ad)	396
	1140 WVR	104.1 MI GRAND RAPIDS (cx)	1165 1945 KHRK	95.7 NL MONTEREY (tr;"I-Rock")	281
	1141 WZBD	92.7 IN BERNE (local wx)	1085 1315 WNLX	94.5 KY LEXINGTON ("Mix 94.5";town ID)	1003
	1144 WBCF	93.7 MI GRAND RAPIDS ("B-93";k)	1161 05-23-96:		
	1151 WUSM	96.9 MI OSHKOSH (ID)	1150 0558 KSCR-	93.5 MN BENSON (town ID)	1106
	1155 WKHY	93.5 IN LAFAYETTE ("KHY")	998 0926 KXWS	105.9 MN MADENA (area ads)	1199
	1156 WLUP	97.9 IL CHICAGO (312 area code)	1053 0932 KXWQ	92.5 MN WARROAD ("KG-92";area ads)	1352
	1200 WLD	97.7 IL RENSSELAER (ID)	1021 0933 KRCB	102.3 MN DETROIT LAKES (local ad)	1286
	1201 WNUK	102.1 MI KALAMAZOO (WPR nx)	1151 0938 KLAZ	105.9 AR HOT SPRINGS (tr;ID)	489
	1201 WYCA	92.3 IN HARRISON (ID)	1042 0959 KIRA	92.3 MN ALEXANDRIA ("KI-92")	1149
	1208 MCNL	93.9 IL CARLINVILLE (ID)	840 1009 KKOK	95.7 MN MORRIS (town ID)	1123
	1209 WHOI	97.7 IL MONTWEE (local wx)	907 1027 KXPS	93.9 TX PARIS (tr;ID)	352
	1218 WAPL-	105.7 WI APPLETON (local ad)	1180 1027 KSSN	95.7 AR LITTLE ROCK (tr;"Kissin'" wx)	512
	1220 WVBQ	103.9 WI DSHKOSH (area ads)	1147 1034 KWMC-	96.5 SD SIOUX FALLS (ID)	976
	1222 WBNR	104.1 IL LE ROY (WHOI TV ad)	936 1059 KDSU	91.9 ND FARBO (ND State U ID)	1213
	1224 WVVJ	103.1 IL HIGHLAND PARK (ethnic)	1061 0219 KXLS	95.3 SD PIERRE (ID)	1033

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05-24-96:	
0912 KRAV 96.5 OK TULSA (tr;ID)	486
0914 KVOD 98.5 OK TULSA (tr;ID)	486
0920 KOMA 92.5 OK OKLAHOMA CITY (tr;area ad)	424
0921 KGML 104.1 OK OKLAHOMA CITY (tr;ID;wx)	424
0924 KREK 104.9 OK BRISTON (tr;ID)	433
0924 KBGX 105.9 MO MIAMI (tr;ID)	624
0928 KEZA 107.9 AR FAYETTEVILLE (tr;area ID)	314
0936 KHTI 106.9 OK MUSKOGEE ("K-Hits")	471
0938 KOSP 103.1 MO MILLARD (tr;oldies;area ads)	613
0946 KBOK 97.7 OK PAULS VALLEY (tr; area ad)	368
0953 KBDB 97.9 OK POTEAU (tr;"Zebra")	449
1558 MVKS 92.5 OH TOLEDO ("Kiss FM")	1181
1556 CJBX 92.7 OH LONDON ("BK-'93")	1342
1603 WNDX 92.3 MI DETROIT ("Mix 92.3")	1238
1628 MCLR 95.7 OH PIQUA (area ads)	1095
1623 MBTU 93.3 IN KENDALVILLE (471-MBTU phone)	1111
1624 WLBC- 104.1 IN MUNCIE (ID)	1049
1626 CMJY 106.1 ON GUELPH ("Magic 106")	1398
1629 WTRX 104.1 MD WALDORF ("X-tra")	1398
1630 WTP1 107.9 IN INDIANAPOLIS (ID)	1084
1636 CKDK 105.9 IN WOODSTOCK (town ID)	1361
1638 MNWV 98.5 MI COLDWATER (area ad)	1152
1639 WOKH- 105.1 IN DECATUR ("K-105"; area ad)	1102
1639 WORS 105.1 MI DETROIT (cx)	1239
1644 MLEM- 102.1 MI BAY AXE (town ID)	1308
1646 MJXG 106.1 MI JACKSON ("Q-106";area wx)	1182
1649 MTLZ 107.1 MI SAGINAW (area ad)	1254
1654 WCHY 93.5 IN LAFAYETTE ("KHY")	998
1657 WKLZ 98.3 MI PETOSKEY (area ad)	1329
1659 WCMH 103.9 MI HARBOR SPRINGS (CM Univ)	1329
1703 WAIR 92.5 MI ATLANTA (ID)	1323
1703 WHMI 93.5 MI NEWELL (ID)	1220
1705 WEZV 95.3 IN BROOKSTON (ID)	1012
1706 WZTR 95.7 MI MILWAUKEE (ID)	1118
1713 WCFX 95.3 MI CLARE ("CFX")	1243
1718 WNIZ 96.9 IL ZION (cx)	1078
1721 WRKX 95.3 IL OTTAWA (town ID)	986
1722 WUPB 97.9 MI NEMBERY ("Hot Country")	1358
1723 WKHO- 105.9 MI CHARLEVOIX ("KHO")	1389
1727 WRTI 94.5 MI MILWAUKEE (ID)	1118
1748 WKG1 95.5 MI DETROIT (Tiger BB promo)	1239
1743 WOLX 94.9 MI BARABOO (area ad)	1082
1746 WELL 104.9 MI MARSHALL (town ID)	1167
1749 WOOD- 105.7 MI GRAND RAPIDS (local ad)	1165
1751 IJK 106.7 IL KANKAKEE (ILS; Horse ID)	1003
1806 WLHT 95.7 MI GRAND RAPIDS (ID)	1176
1811 WMZT 99.3 MI ALPENA (k; state ID)	1341
1812 WUGN 99.7 MI MIDLAND (rel)	1240
1816 WDDR 93.9 MI STURGEON BAY (area ad)	1228
1816 WCMC 94.5 MI MT. PLEASANT ("CEN")	1236
1820 WLAV 96.9 MI GRAND RAPIDS ("97-LAV")	1182
1831 WAZZ 94.9 MI HILLMAN (ID)	1338
1842 WELG 99.9 MI ROGERS CITY (area ads)	1359
1853 WCBM 93.5 MI BOYNE CITY (area ad)	1309
1916 WYCA 92.3 IN HAMMOND (rel)	1042
1951 WOZZ 93.5 MI NEW LONDON (area ad)	1176
05-25-96:	
1934 KKHV 92.5 ID RUPERT ("The Cat")	1235
1940 KLIX- 96.5 ID TWIN FALLS (state ID)	1263
1942 KQFC 97.9 ID BOISE (ID)	1377
1943 KEZJ- 95.7 ID TWIN FALLS (ID)	1267
1951 KLCI 96.9 ID KANPA (local ad)	1377
05-27-96:	
1145 KDLO- 96.9 SD WATERTOWN (area ad)	1071
1152 KELO- 92.5 SD SIOUX FALLS (local ad)	976
1154 KKOK 95.7 MN NORRIS (town ID)	1123
1155 KOLX- 106.1 ND LISBON (town ID)	1172
1159 KFMW- 97.9 ND FARGO (town ID)	1199

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1200 KDSU 91.9 ND FARGO (local wx)	1213
1725 KWDD 96.5 OH AERON (ID)	1252
1735 WNCD 97.9 OH COLUMBUS (ID)	1148
1755 WZKL 92.5 OH ALLIANCE (area ads)	1254
1818 WDTQ 93.5 WV BUCKHANNON ("BTO")	1233
05-29-96:	
1819 KSSD 92.5 UT CEDAR CITY (local ad)	1018
1820 KIEZ 93.5 UT ST. GEORGE ("Sunny 93.5")	1010
1920 KKNV 92.5 ID RUPERT ("Cat Country")	1235
1925 KEZJ- 95.7 ID IDAHO FALLS (local ad)	1267
1926 KCGX 105.9 ID BOISE (soft rock)	1377
1937 KQFC 97.9 ID BOISE (ID)	1377
1937 KPKY 94.9 ID POCATELLO ("Oldies 94.9")	1204
2014 XHSU- 105.9 BCN MEXICALI (town ID)	1021
2016 XHSU- 107.9 SO L R COLORADO (town ID)	979
2019 XHBA 104.1 BCN MEXICALI (estadio ID)	1019
2021 XHJC 91.5 BCN MEXICALI (estadio ID)	1019
2029 XHRR 92.5 BCN TIJUANA ("The Flash")	1111
06-01-96:	
1142 WHLZ 92.5 SC MANNING (area ads)	1128
06-02-96:	
1204 XHSU- 92.5 NL MONTERREY (tr;"Stereo Rey")	282
1408 KBNU 93.7 TX UVALDE (tr;old rock)	68
06-03-96:	
0919 WQCL 105.9 FL ORLANDO ("Cool")	1048
0920 WTRS 102.3 FL DUNNELLON (local ad)	982
0929 WUKA 92.3 FL ORLANDO ("K-92";area wx)	1056
0938 WPBH 94.5 FL PORT ST. JOE ("New Beach 94.5")	799
0933 WHTO 93.5 FL PORT ST. JOE ("Bubba Radio")	799
0937 WHTQ 96.5 FL ORLANDO (ID)	1058
0938 WCFB 94.5 FL DAYTONA BEACH ("Star 94.5")	1032
0944 WMPA 92.5 FL PANAMA CITY (ID)	802
0950 WKTW 98.5 FL CRYSTAL RIVER (area ad)	963
0958 WFKS 99.7 FL PALATKA (area ad;"Kiss FM")	1037
0959 WKG1 96.9 FL JACKSONVILLE ("Cool FM")	1019
1007 WHLD 104.9 FL HAVANA (area ad)	844
1088 WMTN 94.9 FL TALLAHASSEE (ID)	859
1016 WJYF 95.3 MI NASHVILLE (ID; "Lite 95")	914
1021 WBRK 92.5 KY OWENSBORO (ID)	848
1022 WIKY 104.1 IN EVANSVILLE (ID)	861
1023 WVOH- 93.5 KY HAZELHURST (town ID)	964
1029 WKIO 92.5 IL URBANA ("Oldies 92")	938
1038 WJJA 93.5 GA ELLIJAY (ID)	898
1046 KICK 97.9 MO PALMYRA (area ads)	816
06-04-96:	
1213 WHLZ 92.5 SC MANNING (k;ID)	1128
1233 WARO 93.5 SC COLUMBIA (r;"The Rock")	1079
1251 WFEA 96.7 NC CHARLOTTE (ID)	1115
06-05-96:	
0937 XHDX 98.9 NC TOLUCA (town ID)	708
0940 XHSU- 92.5 NL MONTERREY (tr;"Stereo Rey")	282
1013 KAML- 96.9 MY GILLETTE (ID)	1098
1021 KVOD 92.5 CO BREELEY (cx)	847
1031 KTAK 97.9 MY CODY (ID)	1187
1035 KXPK 96.5 CO EVERGREEN (Denver sports)	792
1036 KTAK 93.9 MY RIVERTON (local ad)	1056
1041 KIDZ 92.7 MY RAWLINS (local psa)	1076
1045 KLZY 92.5 MY POWELL ("I-92")	1187
1058 KMTN 96.9 MY JACKSON (area ads)	1175
1092 KBSW 96.5 MY ROCK SPRINGS (local ad)	1014
1092 KSPN- 97.7 CO ASPEN (ID)	820
1094 KFQD 106.1 CO BASALT (area ad)	835
1099 KCVI 101.5 ID BLACKFOOT (area ads)	1240
1099 KFQD 106.1 CO BLACKFOOT (area ad)	1240
1099 KPKY 94.9 ID POCATELLO ("Oldies")	1204
1098 KKNV 92.5 ID RUPERT ("The Cat")	1233
06-08-96:	
0954 WBTO 93.5 WV BUCKHANNON (area ads;ID)	1233
1002 WKDD 96.5 OH AKRON (local wx)	1252
1005 WICC 96.5 WV WILLIAMSON (ID)	1093
1015 WJDJ 93.9 KY BURNSIDE (area ads;"Oldies 94")	923
1017 WEMH 107.9 WV HUNTINGTON (rel)	1120
1020 MPAY 104.1 OH PORTSMOUTH (area ads)	1093
1021 MLGC- 105.7 KY GREENUP (ID)	1098
1021 WTCR- 103.3 WV HUNTINGTON (area ads)	1111
1023 WBNF- 105.9 KY VALLEY STATION (area ads)	939
1027 WBNZ 105.1 KY LANCASTER (area ads)	981
1031 WBLG 107.1 KY SMITHS GROVE (area ads)	879
1033 WHLX 94.5 KY LEXINGTON ("Mix 94.5")	1005
1033 WNCI 95.7 IN JEFFERSONVILLE ("DMF")	948
1034 WFGS 96.9 KY PARIS ("Kiss FM")	1010
1042 WFCJ 93.7 OH MIAMI (rel)	1071
1047 WGY 96.5 OH HAMILTON ("Y-96")	1058
1047 WCOL 92.3 OH COLUMBUS (ID)	1139
1049 WNCI 97.9 OH COLUMBUS (ID)	1140
1049 WZKL 92.5 OH ALLIANCE ("Cool 92")	1254
1057 MVKS 92.5 OH TOLEDO ("Kiss FM")	1181
1101 WKKO 99.9 OH TOLEDO (1560 AM;"K-100")	1193
1102 WAZY 96.5 IN LAFAYETTE (ID)	992
1105 WBCT 93.7 MI GRAND RAPIDS ("B-93")	1161
1106 WKOI 95.5 MI DETROIT (town ID)	1239
1123 WLAV 96.9 MI GRAND RAPIDS (local psa)	1182
1159 WUNY 91.5 IA MASON CITY (n. IA psa)	991
06-09-96:	
1711 WAIK 92.5 MI ATLANTA (ID)	1323
1719 MVKS 92.5 OH TOLEDO (local ads)	1181
1733 KHGN 94.5 NY CASPER ("Star 94")	1011
1733 KTAB 97.9 KY CODY (local ad)	1187
1735 KVOD 92.5 CO GREELEY (cx)	847
1737 KJOK 104.1 CO RAPID CITY ("Kick 104")	1037
1739 KIPK 96.5 CO EVERGREEN (area ads)	792
1748 KTRS 95.5 MY CASPER (ID)	1011
1745 KLZY 92.5 MY POWELL ("I-92")	1187
1745 KXII 95.7 CO DENVER ("K-High")	802
1746 KSLT 107.3 CO SPEARFISH (ID)	1065
1750 KALC 105.9 CO DENVER (area ad)	802
1752 KYGO 98.5 CO DENVER (ID)	805
1753 KXKL- 105.1 CO DENVER (area ads;"Cool 105")	794
1755 WFMF 95.5 IN INDIANAPOLIS (ID)	1006
1801 WBCT 93.7 MI GRAND RAPIDS (ID;"B-93";k)	1161
1821 WMSI 104.1 MI TAMAS CITY (area ads)	1318
1823 WOOD- 105.7 MI GRAND RAPIDS (local ad)	1165
1825 WKHO- 105.9 MI CHARVOIX ("KHO")	1089
1830 WCMH 103.9 MI HARBOR SPRINGS (CMU psa)	1329
1830 WVX 103.1 IL HIGHLAND PARK (ethnic)	1061
1839 WZTR 95.7 MI MILWAUKEE (ID)	1110
1839 WBCN 93.5 MI BOYNE CITY (wx)	1309
06-10-96:	
1700 WLTW 95.7 MI GRAND RAPIDS (area wx)	1176
1704 WGRD- 97.9 MI GRAND RAPIDS ("GRD")	1166
1705 WCNL 95.9 IL CARLINVILLE (ID)	848
1707 WNMF 104.9 MI REEDSBURG (local ad)	1083
1716 WFXD 103.3 MI MARQUETTE (ID)	1319
1717 WMPV 94.9 MI ROANOKE ("The Arrow")	1186
1732 WDFX 94.9 OH FAIRFIELD ("The Fox")	1048
1733 WEZV 95.3 IL BROOKSTON (ID)	1012
1733 WRC 95.7 MI EFFINGHAM (local ad)	876
1737 WLBH- 96.9 IL MATTOON (local ad)	983
1740 WJIZ 97.9 SE BLACKVILLE (area ad)	1046
1750 WRC 95.7 NC HICKORY (area ad)	1099
1801 WDEK 92.5 IL DE KALB (ID)	1017
1837 KOMA 92.5 OK OKLAHOMA CITY (tr;local ad)	424
1853 KJJY 92.5 IA ANKENY (ID)	884
1900 KGRS- 92.5 MN GOLDEN VALLEY (area ad)	1108
1907 KAGE- 95.3 MN WINONA ("KG-95")	1075
1911 KFIL- 103.1 MN PRESTON (local ad)	1043
1917 KIFG- 95.3 IA IDAHO FALLS (ID)	884
06-12-96:	
0902 XHSU- 92.5 NL MONTERREY (tr;"Stereo Rey")	282
1013 KAML- 96.9 KY LOMIRA (area ads)	1129
1018 WGLR- 97.7 KY LANCASTER (ID)	1021
1020 MUSH 96.9 MI OSHKOSH ("US-96")	1150
1021 WXRQ 95.3 MI BEAVER DAM (ID)	1166
1039 WMLH 96.5 MI MILWAUKEE (local ad)	1110
1040 WSTD 96.9 MI STANDISH (ID)	1284
1042 WQZ 93.5 MI NEW LONDON (ID)	1176
1045 WOLK 94.9 MI BARABOO (area ads)	1082
1053 WFRK 99.1 MI EAST LANSING (ID)	1200
1054 WHT- 96.5 IA CEDAR RAPIDS ("96-1/2 FM")	949
1058 WTKR- 104.9 MI HARTFORD (ID)	1107

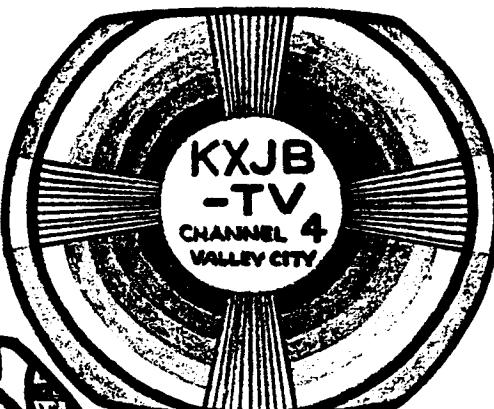
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1825 KELO-	92.5	SD	SIOUX FALLS	(local ad)	1257
1832 KEZO-	92.3	NE	OMAHA	("Y-92";rk)	1088
1847 KB60-	94.9	IA	DES MOINES	(ID)	1095
1848 KIOP	104.1	SD	RAPID CITY	("Kic-104")	1077
1853 KAML-	96.9	NY	GILLETTEE	("Kam Gold")	1088
1859 KNCM-	92.5	MT	MILES CITY	(ID)	1071
1919 KZJH	95.3	NY	JACKSON	(local ad; "KZ-95")	1039
1938 KRDE-	94.9	NY	SHERIDAN	(local ad)	1084
1948 KVFM	94.5	UT	LOGAN	(ID)	074
1944 KBZN-	97.9	UT	OGDEN	("The Breeze")	072
1946 KEZJ-	95.7	ID	TWIN FALLS	(ID)	038
some spotty 144-MHz Es into Salt Lake City, UT area					
1959 KCVI	101.5	ID	BLACKFOOT	("Target 101")	1161
2024 KIBQ	93.7	ID	POCATELLO	(Idaho; k)	1295
2025 KQFC	97.9	ID	BOISE	(ID)	1227
2026 KKXV	92.5	ID	RUPERT	(area ad)	1165
2039 KZHT	94.9	UT	PROVO	(psa)	1167
2041 KPKY	94.9	ID	POCATELLO	(wx)	1165
more spotty 144-MHz Es into Salt Lake City, UT area					
2233 KSSD	92.5	UT	CEDAR CITY	(ID)	1129
86-14-96:					
0853 KFDX	93.5	CA	REDONDO BEACH	(Korean)	1092
0854 XHRM	92.5	BCN	TIJUANA	(San Diego tfc rpt)	1088
0858 XETRA-	91.1	BCN	TIJUANA	(ID)	1088
0867 XHITZ	98.3	BCN	TIJUANA	(area ad)	1088
0824 KJOK	93.1	AZ	YUMA	(local ad)	1019
1007 KDB	93.7	CA	SANTA BARBARA	(local ad)	1017
86-15-96:					
1336 KKXV	92.5	ID	RUPERT	(k; "The Cat")	1246
1338 KEZJ-	95.7	ID	TWIN FALLS	(ID)	1246
86-17-96:					
0948 WDOD-	93.5	SC	ALLENDALE	(k;area ads)	1088
0958 WKCL	91.5	SC	LADSON	(ID)	1088
0959 WHLZ	92.5	SC	MANNING	(k;ID)	1088
1109 WJZF	104.1	GA	LA GRANGE	(ID;jz)	1088
1121 WVKX	92.5	OH	TOLEDO	(local ad)	1088
1130 WJLB	97.9	MI	Detroit	(ID)	1088
1132 WKKY	93.5	IN	LAFAYETTE	(area ad)	1088
1134 WMHI-	93.5	MI	HOWELL	(local ad)	1088
1137 WJSZ	92.5	MI	ASHLEY	(ID)	1088
1147 WYCA	92.3	IN	HAMMOND	(rel)	1088
1148 WTTS	92.3	IN	BLOOMINGTON	(area ad)	1088
1158 WKRR	92.3	NC	GREENSBORO	("Classic Rock 92")	1088
1204 WEBX	93.5	IL	TUSCOLA	("The Web")	1088
1204 WYBR	104.1	MI	GRAND RAPIDS	(cx)	1088
86-18-96:					
0752 WHLZ	92.5	SC	MANNING	(ID)	1088
0754 WMMX	97.7	SC	GEORGETOWN	(ID)	1088
0755 KYKS	105.1	TX	LUFKIN	(tr;area ad)	1088
0830 NCPE	89.7	NC	RALEIGH	(ID)	1088
0835 WBTB	93.5	NY	BUCKMANON	("BTB")	1088
0848 NYGE	92.3	KY	LONDON	(area ad)	1088
0851 WJRS	104.9	KY	JAMESTOWN	(area ad)	1088
0852 WAKG	103.3	VA	DANVILLE	(ID)	1088
0908 WRVC	92.7	KY	CATLETTSBURG	(ID)	1088
0905 WFMX	105.7	NC	STATESVILLE	(local ad)	1088
0922 WNMB	105.9	SC	NORTH MYRTLE BEACH	(area ads)	1088
1005 good 144-MHz Es to GA, NC, AL to 1100					
1036 AD4AY	EM63	(shortest distance, Talladega, AL; gives MUF of Ch 7 for the well-placed)			
1113 WDUU	106.1	NC	WILSON	(ID)	1248
1119 WTOR-	104.1	NC	WINSTON-SALEM	(ID)	1088
1134 WDCG	105.1	NC	DURHAM	("6-105")	1088
1139 WMSH	107.9	NC	CHARLOTTE	("Sunny")	1088
1140 WMRX	92.3	NC	GREENSBORO	(area ads; "Rock 92")	1088
1145 WCON-	99.3	GA	CORNELIA	(wx)	1088
WGY	96.5	OH	HAMILTON	(k; "Y-96")	1088

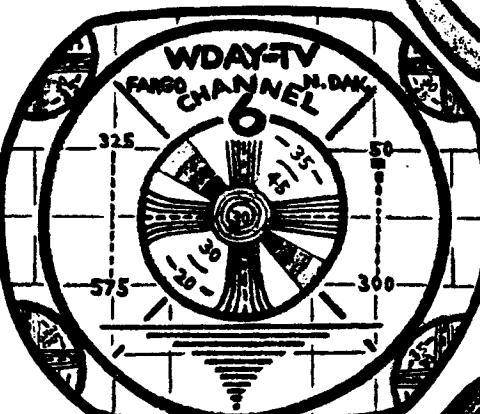
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to the land
of sunshine
and palms...



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