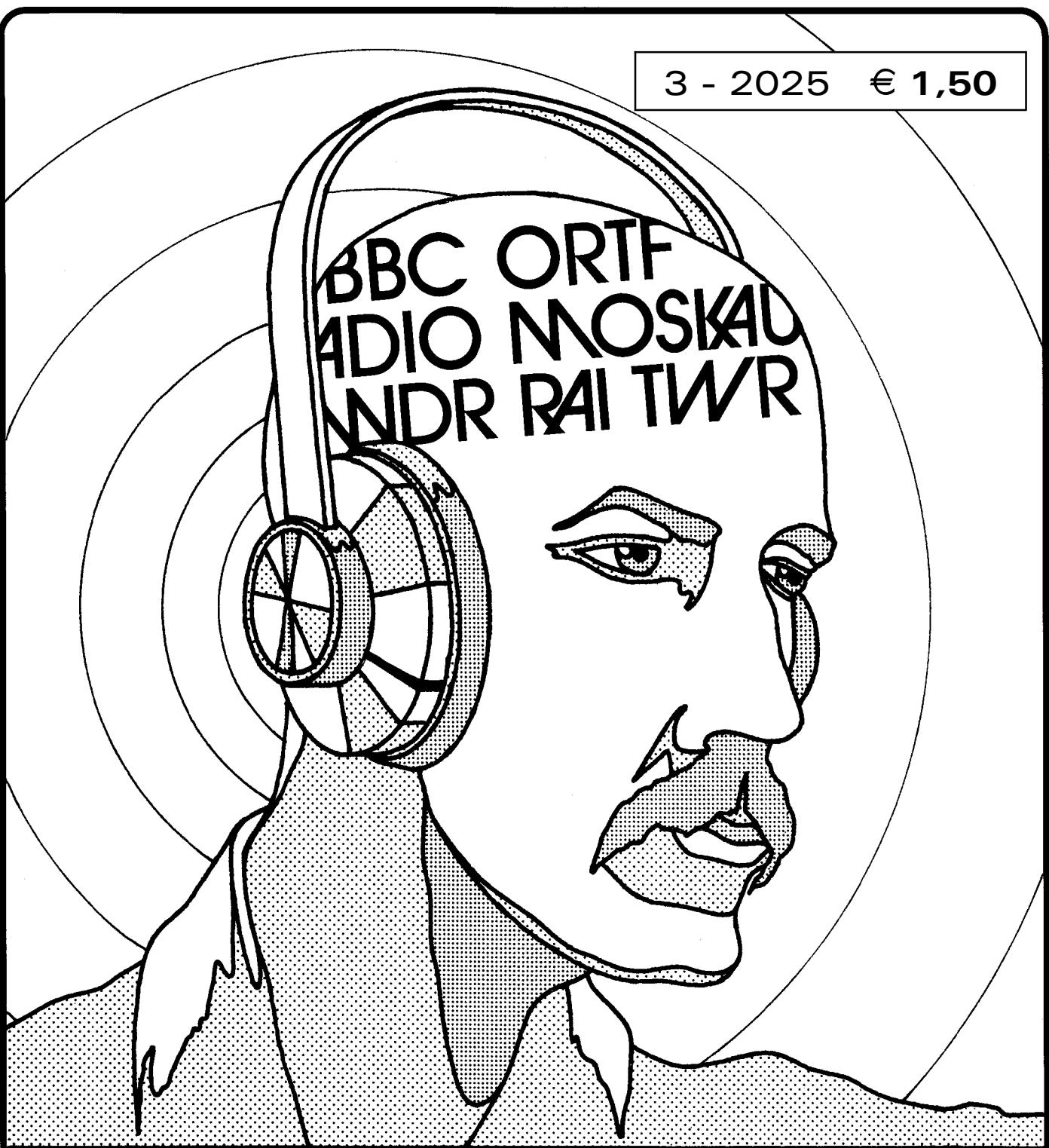


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Hello again,

Welcome to the March edition of our DX MAGAZINE. As I have informed you earlier, our long time NEWS EDITOR Walter Eibl has resigned in March 2024.

**Therefore we still need a new NEWS EDITOR as soon as possible. If you are able and interested to become our new NEWS EDITOR, please do not hesitate to contact me. I shall support our new NEWS EDITOR with all news material we get from our members, from other DX clubs and from radio stations.**

And now over to our news from outside the club: The **2025 EDXC Conference** will be held in conjunction with the annual meeting of the Sveriges DX-Förbund (SDXF), called the DX Parliament. The venue will be in Ullared, Sweden. The dates are June 13th to 15th 2025.

The site of the conference is one of the biggest tourist attractions in Sweden (!) and famous for its huge stores and low prices. There are a lot of different possibilities to stay; cabins, hotels and facilities for motorhomes etc. <<https://www.gekas.com/>> and <<https://www.gekas.com/stay/>>

It's easier then you would expect to reach Ullared. From Copenhagen airport there are direct trains to Falkenberg, crossing the bridge over Öresund. The train ride is about 2,5 hours long. There are trains from Gothenburg too. From Falkenberg to the conference site there are buses every hour. The bus ride is about 40 minutes long. The driving distance from Copenhagen is 245 km, from Malmö 200 km and from Gothenburg 100 km.

We are happy to assist you in the planning process. Regarding booking rooms the advice is to act as soon as you have decided to go. The booking site is in English. There are some beds left in the bigger cabins booked for common lodging. There are two beds in every room.

The program of the weekend is not yet finalized but there will lectures on DX related topics in English, the formal EDXC meeting, a guided sight seeing by foot in the coastal city of Falkenberg, a guided tour of the UNESCO world heritage Grimeton long wave transmitter site, social events, dinners, an auction of radio related items etc.

The attendance fee is 200 SEK, the price for dinner on friday and lunch and dinner saturday is 700 SEK and for coffee etc for the weekend is 250 SEK. The entrance at Grimeton is 240 SEK. Combined that's just 1390 SEK, or about 120 Euro. It's possible to pay via PayPal to <[kassor@sdxf.se](mailto:kassor@sdxf.se)>.

Accommodation can still be arranged at a big cabin with several bedrooms for 800 SEK per person in a double room for two nights. You can also book accommodation at the hotel or in a private cabin at <<https://www.gekas.com/stay/>>. There are possibilities to have breakfast at the bistro in the area.

Any inquiries can be sent to the secretary of the Swedish DX Federation (Michael Andersson) at <[secretary@sdxf.se](mailto:secretary@sdxf.se)>

**38<sup>th</sup> NASWA SWL Fest:** The "Winter" SWL Fest is a conference of radio hobbyists of all stripes, from DC to daylight. Historically, every year scores of hobbyists have descended on the Philadelphia, Pennsylvania suburbs for a weekend of camaraderie. The Fest is sponsored by NASWA, the North American Shortwave Association, but it covers much more than just shortwave; mediumwave (AM), scanning, satellite TV, and pirate broadcasting are among the other topics that the Fest covers. Whether you've been to every Fest (all 37, starting with the first year at the fabled Pink & Purple Room of the Fiesta Motor Inn) or this year's will be your first, you're sure to find a welcome from your fellow hobbyists, even if it's a "virtual" welcome!.

The 38th Annual (!) "Winter" SWL Fest will have two days of sessions where you can learn about the latest developments in the radio listening hobbies. In addition, there's the Hospitality Suite, where attendees partake of tuning oil and other treats and engage in spirited conversations. And of course, the infamous midnight ride of Pancho Villa that traditionally closes things out every year is likely to make a return appearance.

The 2025 Fest will be the second in-person event since 2020 and the CoVID-19 Pandemic, and it will again be limited to 65 in-person participants due to meeting space considerations. However, we also offer the option of participating via Zoom, as we have the past three years.

Can't join us for the whole event? That's OK - you can come and go as you please. We record each session for later download if you've registered either to join us in-person or via Zoom.

Full information about the event can be found at <<https://www.swlfest.com/>>

**44. überregionales DX-Treffen des Ottenauer Kurzwellenhörerklubs Murgtal mit RTI Hörertreffen:** Am Samstag, 17. Mai 2025 ist ab 12.00 Uhr MESZ in der Gaststätte Murgstube an der Konrad Adenauerbrücke, Ecke Rindenschwenderstrasse-Schulstrasse in D-76571 Gaggenau, das 44. überregionale DX-Treffen für Kurzwellenhörer und Freunde des Rundfunkfernempfangs vorgesehen.

Verbunden wird dieses Treffen wieder mit dem Hörertreffen des Radio Taiwan International Hörerklubs Ottenau. Auch diesmal wird wieder Korches-Radio aus Altenkunstadt beim Treffen vertreten sein und sich den Hörern präsentieren. Ebenso das Hobbyradio Kölsch in die Welt.

Zu dieser Veranstaltung sind alle Kurzwellenhörer, DXer und Freunde des Rundfunkfernempfangs sehr herzlich eingeladen, unabhängig einer Hörerklubmitgliedschaft.

Auf dem Programm des Treffens steht das Gedenken an in den letzten 12 Monaten verstorbene Hörerklubmitglieder und Radiofreunde, ein Rückblick auf die wichtigsten kurzwellenbezogenen Ereignisse und Hörerklubaktivitäten im vergangen Jahr, Informationen und Diskussion über Radio Taiwan International und weitere beliebte deutschsprachige Kurzwellenprogramme, eine Vorschau auf bevorstehende Hobbyveranstaltungen, eine Tombola und das bekannte Stationsquiz.

Auch die Mitglieder weiterer DX-Clubs wie ADDX, AGDX, RMRC, ehemaliger Radio Tirana Hörerklub, WWDXC, Radio Japan Club Brilon, Berliner Empfangsamateure und KBS Monitore treffen sich im Mai. Aktuelle Informationen zum RTI Hörertreffen sind bitte den Sendungen des Radio Taiwan International Hörerbriefkastens am 9. und 16. Mai sowie möglicherweise auch im TRT Briefkasten vom 15. Mai zu entnehmen. Weitere Informationen, auch zur Anreise, erhalten Sie von Bernd Seiser, Tel. 07225-981213, email: <bernd.seiser@t-online.de>.

And with this best wishes and good DX until next month from



## NEWS ABOUT BROADCASTING (+other) STATIONS

**AUSTRALIA:** AWR Wavescan program will be broadcasted via 'Reach Beyond Australia' wef A25 season (from 30th March 2025 onwards) on Sundays at 1400-1430 UTC on 11870 kHz.  
(Alokesh Gupta-IND, wor Febr 26)

Re: AWR Wavescan via 'Reach Beyond Australia' bcast center in A25 season.

Wavescan also to Japan target at 2230 UTC Monday on 17650 via 'Reach Beyond Australia' in A25 season ...  
(Jose Jacob-IND VU2JOS, wor Febr 26)

**BRAZIL:** Remaining shortwave bcast stn list:

4985 kHz	Radio Brasil Central, Goiania:	off.
5940 kHz	Radio Voz Missionaria, Camboriu SC	According to what was informed by VM in one of a recent broadcast video, on the 49 m transmitter (used for 5940 kHz) occurred a severe fire, which took it out of service. In the same video, they reported that they are in a new process of acquiring a new transmitter. Given this situation, the return of VM's 49 m should take a long time !!!
6010 kHz	Radio Inconfidencia, Belo Horizonte MG:	In normal activity.
6180 kHz	Radio Nacional da Amazonia, Brasilia DF:	In normal activity.
9665 kHz	Radio Voz Missionaria, Camboriu SC:	In normal activity.
9818,9 kHz	Radio Nove de Julho, Sao Paulo SP:	Active, but not continuously on SW.
11750 kHz	Radio Voz Missionaria, Camboriu SC:	In normal activity.
11780 kHz	Radio Nacional da Amazonia, Brasilia DF:	In normal activity.
11815 kHz	Radio Brasil Central, Goiania GO:	Extremely poor and a distorted signal, with spurious on 11960 kHz.
15190 kHz	Radio Inconfidencia, Belo Horizonte MG:	In normal activity.

(Rudolf Grimm-Sao Bernardo-SP-BRA, hcdx March 3)

**Radio Brasil Central** was founded on March 3, 1950 by Jeronymo Coimbra Bueno (1909-1996). Coimbra Bueno was an engineer by training and was responsible, among other things, for the construction of Goiania as the capital of Goias in 1934; as a politician, he was governor of this inner-Brazilian federal state from 1947 to 1950. Coimbra Bueno was one of the activists who pushed for the relocation of the Brazilian capital from the coast to the central plateau.

With the establishment of Brasilia, one of Radio Brasil Central's first purposes was fulfilled. In 1962, the government of Goias took over the station, which still belongs to the state today. The website has not been maintained since 2020. Shortwave frequencies still appear in the station's motto song.

The frequencies 4985 and 11815 kHz were also reported on the Iberian Peninsula by Manuel Mendez and Carlos Goncalves practically every week in 2024, but not at the turn of the year. Fortunately, this apparent absence was not permanent.

(Dr. Hansjoerg Biener-D, Radio-Kurier News and Reports March 2025; via NASWA Journal #3-2025 March, p22)

I heard a Brazilian last night on 4805 kHz. Man and woman with lots of id by man as **Radiodifusora do Amazonas** at 0310 UT on the 8th lots fading lost them at 0315 UT hrd on the PL880. Also on 810 kHz the Bahamas canned ID as the national network into talk show fair at 0530 UT. 09.30-01.00 UT, <<http://www.difusora24h.com/>> (Ron Trotto-WDX4KWI, wor Febr 8)

Re: 4805 kHz Logging's. Wow, that 4805 kHz station in Manaus, ZYF273 with 10/5 kW had been gone for a long time. Checking some handy WRTIHs, was listed in 2016, but not 2021. (Glenn Hauser-OK-USA, hcdx & wor Febr 8)

9665.13 kHz Feb 11 at 0728 UT, S3/S5 music, so **R. Voz Missionaria** reactivated after maintenance, but still can't accuratize frequencing. Other reports this date:

R. Voz Missionaria back on 9665 kHz. Following reports that Radio Voz Missionaria has been absent from 9665 & 5940 kHz for a few weeks (heard only on 11750 kHz) I happened upon them tonight on 9665 kHz, which appears reactivated. Still no signal on 5940 kHz. Confirmed // to 11750 kHz and also confirmed on Brazilian KiwiSDR receivers. (John VORW Jurasek-FL-USA, wor / gh Febr 12)

**CHINA:** 6035 kHz **PBS Yunnan** via Kunming, Feb 2, 2025; quite a nice signal this morning at 1308 UT check with syrupy Chinese traditional music with stringed inst and orch with YL singer. 1310 UT OM annmt in Chinese, alternating with YL. Seems the key determinant for good reception of PBS Yunnan on any given morning is how badly slop is spilling over from 6030 kHz. Sometimes it is minimal but other mornings everything is blanked out +/- 5 kHz off 6030 kHz. (Ralph Perry, Wheaton-IL-USA, NASWA Electronic Flashsheet #1190 Feb 9)

9410 kHz **CNR-5 Cross Strait Radio** via Beijing site, at 1229 UT on Febr 3, 2025; good signal and nice romantic modern Chinese mx with YL and organ, 1232UT PSA annmt by OM and YL. Noted // 7385 kHz (also via Beijing) but not as good signal. Was hoping for a trace of Fu Hsing on 9410 ...

(Ralph Perry, Wheaton-IL-USA, NASWA Electronic Flashsheet #1190 Feb 9)

6060 kHz // 7225 kHz, **Sichuan Ethnic Radio** (Sichuan PBS-2 domestic national radio), 1500 UT, Feb 7; still with multi-language IDs ("Sichuan minzu guangbo, Sichuan Ethnic Radio"); mostly playing indigenous music / singing; CODAR QRM. One of the disadvantages to DXing at the beach by the Monterey Ba-CA-USAy, is the abundance of CODAR. <[https://codar.com/images/about/1997Paduan\\_O.pdf](https://codar.com/images/about/1997Paduan_O.pdf)>

6125 kHz **CNR1**, 1305+ UT, Feb 7; live coverage of the opening ceremony of the Asian Winter Games; mostly in Chinese, but with some English; announcement for the ending of coverage of the opening ceremony at 1345 UT. News story - <[https://english.www.gov.cn/news/202502/07/content\\_WS67a60289c6d0868f4e8ef73d.html](https://english.www.gov.cn/news/202502/07/content_WS67a60289c6d0868f4e8ef73d.html)> (Ron Howard-CA-USA, direct and wor Febr 8)

11990.082 kHz always much odd fqy of Nanning #954 site, **CRI Beijing** in Khmer language, 00.00-00.57 UT, S=9+15dB talk at 00.18 UT. Febr 23.

[selected SDR options, span 12.5 kHz RBW 15.3 Hertz]  
(wb df5sx, wwdx BC-DX TopNews Febr 22 - 23 tonight)

**COLOMBIA {pres}:** 6016.8 kHz Organizacion Radial El Prado, 0115 UT on Mar 3. Presumed the one that has been reported here, back-to-back variety of Colombian songs with a few Mexican songs: Mariachi Vargas de Tecalitlan, Jose Alfredo Jimenez to Binomio de Oro de America. Poor.

(Brandon Jordan-Fayette County-TN-USA, K2SWL, direct via wwdx BC-DX TopNews and wor March 3)

**CUBA:** Re: RHC 6000 kHz off again ?

Just heard them at 0510 UT in Spanish - but can confirm that there was nothing an hour earlier.

{later} RHC was up this morning at 1159:30 UT on 6000 kHz in Spanish with a good strong signal, with less than perfect modulation, but a listenable signal nonetheless. I did not hear them at the same time the day before.

(Tony Pavick-BC-CAN, hcdx Febr 27)

My further monitoring Feb 27: VG Spanish at 0520 UT on 6000 kHz, still at 0608, 0706, even 0717+ UT direct at S=9+45dB good mod level but slight distortion. If this be only frequency they can run at night, sensible to split it English/Spanish.

(Glenn Hauser-OK-USA, wor Febr 27)

{later} 15230 kHz on Feb 27 at 1551 UT, S6/S8 carrier, now with some suptorted modulation seeming Spanish, so RHC improving slightly.

(Glenn Hauser-OK-USA, wor Febr 27)

**Re: RHC improvements on 6000 kHz channel.**

Hey Glenn, An insider at RHC alerted me earlier tonight to try the 6000 kHz broadcast this evening. I just got home and I have to say after monitoring and logging them for years, this is the best quality I have heard in a long time. Since their return, I had been supplying audio samples a couple times a week. Each was forwarded to their engineer at the transmitter site (they won't say which one).

I also alerted them to the T.O.H. female news reader with the extreme monotone voice which is impossible to understand. They took all suggestions well and I was told the equipment is old but there is some things they are trying. I hope this continues and they are requesting additional feedback.

(Chris Campbell-Columbus-OH-USA, wor Febr 26)

WHO did you find who actually listened ?

I've long since 'given up' trying to get the ear of someone at RHC and had written an actual paper letter as well as emails complaining about the technical quality of the broadcasts for YEARS starting back in 2017-2018 or so as I recall. I never got a response !

I'm impressed you not only got the ear of someone but they apparently are trying. I've noticed very VARIABLE quality but yes, sometimes even approaching 'listenable' ....

"OLD" does not equal 'nonredeemable'. WBCQ has a lot of 'old' equipment and they manage to put out a decent sounding signal most of the time (granted it does take more WORK to keep it going!) and any attempts to keep it sounding reasonable are most appreciated ! 73 Ken Z

(Ken Zichi-Williamston-MI-USA, wor Feb 28)

**Re: RHC 6000 kHz Quivican San Felipe ITAN bcast center off again?**

Hello Wolfgang,

15230 kHz is noted on this morning here at 1320 - 1400 Z time, but carrier only, then at 1402UT some low and poor but readable RHC SPA pgm audio suddenly appeared. Then at 1405 UT the modulation went up to almost normal, still a bit distorted but not bad for RHC. Then at 1407 UT, the modulation level jumped up again, but worse quality.

49 mband RHC/CRI has been quiet for a few days. I haven't found them on 31 mband either lately. This is the Cuban dry season, so maybe there is some antenna down time for "maintenance", or at least pretending to maintain.

RHC managed to get 2 Quiv txs working in the past month, but are back down to one again perhaps. Bauta and Bejucal are long gone of course.

I've suspected that Chinese technicians helped keep Quivican running on behalf of CRI, occasionally maybe, but after La Habana stole too much money from the Chinese, those technicians were probably withdrawn. Just speculation LOL.

So, they aren't dead yet but certainly still flirting with a permanent exit. One more good hurricane should finish the job. We keep a close eye on the summer storms here too.

5025 kHz 60 mband has been somewhat reliable here, usually a good signal and reasonably good audio. The location of the tx remains a mystery; my money is on La Julia tower, 'unless' they were in an isolated corner of Bauta that is somehow unaffected by the site's wider failure.

73, David

(David E. Crawford, FL-USA; DXplorer Febr 28)

**DENMARK:** World Music Radio (WMR) is back on 15700 kHz today Friday after one week's absence. Still running 200 Watts (to the South) on the air daily from 0700-1900 UTC.

I think I will change the on air times per March 30, 2025 (for A25 season then) to 0500-2200 UTC. Or perhaps 24hrs/7d.

Suggestions welcome to <wmr@wmr.dk>. Is the 19 mb open at that time? And are there anyone listening 2200-0500 UTC (or trying to).

World Music Radio still off the air locally in Copenhagen on 927 kHz. But the good news is, that chances are that WMR might come back on 927 kHz sometime during March 2025.

WMR on 5930 kHz (150 Watts), and on 25800 kHz (150 Watts). Both running 24hrs/7d.

25800 kHz currently propagating very well during daytime. And still being heard very well locally in Aarhus, Eastern Jutland, Denmark.

Reception reports are welcome at this address:

Hartvig Media  
Hovedvejen 17  
DK-8920 Randers NV  
Denmark, Europe.

If you can afford it, kindly enclose return postage (2 IRCs or 10 EURo). If using your own receiver / antenna (and not using someone else's remote receiver), correct reports will be acknowledged by a printed 2025 WMR-QSL-card. Reports via email are replied to with a no-details eQSL - when time permits. In other words: Please be patient!

Best 73s

(Stig Hartvig Nielsen-DNK, hcdx Febr 28)

**ESWATINI:** 11659.983 SWZ TWR Manzini Africa relay sce in some Amharic language family outlets, powerhouse S=9+35dB noted in Doha Qatar ME and Athens Greece Perseus SDR units remotedly, at 16.49 UT on March 4.

13799.981 TWR Africa from Manzini site, Arabic sce at 18.02 to 19.02 UT, S=9+30dB powerful signal into Doha Qatar ME target.

15104.979 Trans World Radio Africa via Manzini relay site in Eswatini, Lingala at 19.05-19.35 UT S=9+35dB at 19.08 UT.  
[selected SDR options, span 12.5 kHz RBW 15.3 Hertz]

(wb df5sx, wwdx BC-DX TopNews March 4)

**FRANCE/MADAGASCAR/VATICAN STATE:** 17555 kHz JRC R. Dabanga (Dutch NGO sponsored since Nov 2011 via TDF Issoudun-F site, 250 kW 138degr) at 1610 UT.

// 11640 kHz w/ very emotional sounding man, practically shouting (but below Mark Levin level), in long talk in (listed) Dari-not (Afghanistan.not) {sic, is Dafur Sudanese Arabic civil war radio broadcast of the western world, WB.}, followed by talk by woman. There is the 11640 kHz // (via SMG Vatican site {- sic WB.}) that is "Poor", but steady and audible). Closed at 1657 UT. Very Good on Jan 30.

17555 kHz R. Dabanga, (TDF Issoudun-F), 1600 UT. Male anmmt in (listed) Dari-sic (Afghanistan-sic), and went off on-the-hour Good Jan 24.

(Rick Barton, Sun City-AZ-USA, NASWA Electronic Flashsheet #1190 Feb 9)

R. Dabanga - Dutch NGO sponsored; via TDF Issoudun-F site, Santa Maria di Galeria-VAT, and via MGLOB Talata Volonondry Madagascar relay facility too:

03.30-04.00 UT	7315	MDG	11650	MDG	Tamazuj - Juba	partly
04.00-04.30 UT	11650	MDG				
04.30-05.00 UT	7315	ISS	11650	MDG		
15.00-17.00 UT	15550	SMG	17555	ISS	Darfuri / Juba	partly
17.00-18.00 UT	11640	MDG	15550	ISS		

Radio Dabanga is aimed to Sudan and broadcasts in Sudanese Arabic  
<[https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Radio\\_Dabanga](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Radio_Dabanga)> & <<https://www.dabangasudan.org/en>>  
(Gianni Serra-Roma-ITA, via NASWA Electronic Flashsheet #1190 Feb 9)

**GERMANY:** Radio City has a new transmission schedule, according to which the shortwave programme on Saturdays at IBA-Nexus has been discontinued: Since February 2025, Radio City can instead be heard on the third Saturday of the month at 2230-2330 CET/CEST via AM Italia on 1323 kHz. There is another programme on the fourth Saturday of the month at 1000-1100 CET/CEST via Channel 292 on 6070 and 9670 kHz.

(Bernd Seiser/Dr Hansjoerg Biener via Hansjoerg Biener's DX Digest)

The next broadcasts of SM Radio Dessau will be:

09.03.2025	12.00 UTC	6095 kHz	100 kW	& 6070 kHz	10 kW	Ari Leschnikov
13.04.2025	11.00 UTC	6095 kHz	100 kW	& 6070 kHz	10 kW	Ari Leschnikov
01.05.2025	08.00 UTC	9670 kHz	100 kW			May celebration
	13.00 UTC	6095 kHz	100 kW			May celebration
11.05.2025	11.00 UTC	6095 kHz	100 kW	& 6070 kHz	10 kW	Vinyl record "Fahrt Frei", part 1/2

(Max Berger, SM Radio Dessau, March 6)

### **GERMANY/USA: TENTATIVE April 2025 program schedule of Texas Radio Shortwave:**

Channel 292 has yet to publish its schedule for the beginning of the A-25 broadcast period, so we don't know if they'll air our programs at the times we requested.

April 5 1500 UTC 6070 kHz to Europe

April 6 0100 UTC 9670 kHz to North America

April 6 1100 UTC 6070 kHz to Europe

April 6 1200 UTC 9670 kHz to Europe

April 6 2300 UTC 9670 kHz to North America

(Definate schedules will be available at <<http://download.wwdxc.de>>)

(Terry Colgan, Texas Radio Shortwave Mar 06)

### **GERMANY/USA: UNCLE BILL'S ISLE of MUSIC & MELTING POT. MARCH SCHEDULE CHANGES:**

#### **From the Isle of Music, March 2025**

March's program will be a Cuban dance party featuring some of our favorite charanga orchestras:

Friday, March 7: 3955 kHz at 2200 UTC

Saturday, March 8: 3955 kHz at 1800 UTC simulcasted with 9670 kHz using beam E-F (repeat of March 7 episode).

#### **Uncle Bill's Melting Pot, March 2025**

March's program will feature mainly music from Corsica and will air as follows:

Friday, March 14: 3955 kHz at 2200 UTC

Saturday, March 15: 3955 at 1800 UTC simulcasted with 9670 using beam E-F (repeat of March 14 episode).

In addition to direct radio reception, we do honor reception reports using remote SDRs

as long as the whole program is described and which SDR is specified.

(William "Bill" Tilford-USA Feb 17)

### **INDIA/BHARAT: Re: Akashvani Jagdalpur MW Tower collapsed !**

Strong winds felled the mast of Akashvani Jagdalpur (Chhattisgarh) on February 21, 2025. This means that the medium wave broadcasts of the 100 kW transmitter on 756 kHz(AM) and 747 kHz(DRM mode) are cancelled until further notice. According to press reports, the 168 m mast was 48 years old.

This would mean that it was the original mast from which All India Radio Jagdalpur began in 1977. The original 20 kW transmitter (2 x 10 kW) was replaced in 1997 by an Indian made 100 kW transmitter (BEL HMB-104) and this in 2017 by a DRM-compatible 100 kW transmitter from Nautel (NX100). Currently, there are only FM broadcasts with a very limited range on 100.1 MHz (100 watts).

(Jose Jacob DX\_India via Dr. Hansjoerg Biener-D, DX\_India Febr 27)

**INDONESIA: MW 540 kHz RRI Bandung Pro 4, 0040 UT, Febr 16, well heard and still on the air via Kiwi SDR remote at Bandung. Mostly music and frequent IDs and singing jingle IDs; recently also noted with extensive call-in show. Checking on this Pro 4 station due to the following online info -**

<<https://philipdixinglog.blogspot.com/2025/02/RRI-Pro4-analog-suspended.html>>

"... Effective 10th Febr 2025, Radio Republik Indonesia (RRI) will temporarily cease PRO-4 radio stations broadcast on AM and FM frequencies nationwide, so PRO-4 will become *online only* radio stations. This is because of budget concern, so Radio Republik Indonesia is going to cut cost of its radio stations operation ...

...PRO-1, PRO-2 and PRO-3 are not affected in this exercise, but they will reduce their transmission power, according to my friend from Indonesia. Hence, the listeners have to access RRI PRO-4 via online livestream."

[Perhaps this explains some of the recent changes I have observed on the Voice of Indonesia? Ron]

(Ron Howard-CA-USA, wor and direct Febr 16)

The audio livestream is currently scheduled as follows (<<http://voinews.id/>> "Voice of Indonesia - Live Audio"):

Time(UTC) Language

0000-1100 Indonesia Today (English)

1100-1200 Mandarin Terrestrial Broadcast

1200-1300 Japanese Terrestrial Broadcast

1300-1400 English Terrestrial Broadcast  
 1400-1500 Indonesian Terrestrial Broadcast  
 1500-1600 Mandarin Terrestrial Broadcast  
 1600-1700 Arabic Terrestrial Broadcast  
 1700-1800 Spanish Terrestrial Broadcast  
 1800-1900 Germany Terrestrial Broadcast  
 1900-2000 Dutch Terrestrial Broadcast  
 2000-2100 French Terrestrial Broadcast  
 2100-2200 English Terrestrial Broadcast  
 2200-2300 Japanese Terrestrial Broadcast  
 2300-0000 Indonesia Today (English)  
 (Voice of Indonesia Homepage <<http://voinews.id>>)

However - Voice of Indonesia active again on 3325 kHz; on Febr 12, in English at 2117 UT, via Kiwi SDR remote at Northam, West Australia; 3325 kHz was out of sync, about three minutes behind the programming of 4755 kHz. Thanks very much to Bryan Clark (NZ) for the timely alert !  
 (Ron Howard-CA-USA, wor and direct Febr 14)

**1476 kHz Radio Tarbiyah Sunnah**, 0100+UT, Febr 16, well heard via Kiwi SDR remote at Bandung. Islamic station with music, educational programs, etc.  
 Website - <<https://radiotarbiyahsunnah.com>>  
 (Ron Howard-CA-USA, wor and direct Febr 16)

#### **JAPAN: NHK World to End QSL Card Confirmations in March 2025.**

This is the full text of the announcement on the NHK web site, so they are still sending QSLs until 20 March 2025:

#### **Termination of NHK WORLD Verification Cards (confirmation cards)**

NHK WORLD has been issuing verification cards (confirmation cards) to people who have notified us that they are listening to our broadcasts.

Please be advised that we have decided to stop issuing the Verification Cards. The cards will be sent for confirmations on broadcasts up to March 20, 2025.

Thank you for your understanding and continued support. You can continue to submit your comments and requests to English language services through 'Contact Us' on our website

<<https://www3.nhk.or.jp/nhkworld/en/contact>>

Your feedback will be used to improve our broadcasts and services.

(Dario Gabrielli-ITA, BrDXC-UK iogr news Febr 18, Paul Reinersch-D Feb 20)

5935 kHz {target radio towards North Korea} **'Shiozake' Sea Breeze station** via KDDI national telecommunication provider at Koga-Ibaragi-Yamata Japan site at 1320 UT // 6085 kHz (F/G). Woman, then man in Japanese. The usual musical bridges and that prison break alarm sound. Familiar piano music at top and bottom of the hour. Very Good Jan 27.

(Rick Barton, Sun City-AZ-USA, NASWA Electronic Flashesheet #1190 Feb 9)

**KURDISTAN [non]:** Even after 100 years since the end of the Ottoman Empire, the Kurdish people have not yet been able to establish their state... WB.

Re: 11515 kHz via wor and others.

Denge Gel is a pro Kurdish station with a long pre-history under different names (Denge / Voice of Mesopotamia, Denge / Voice of Kurdistan, Voice of the Homeland / Denge Welat, 2023 change to Denge Gel).

Currently / To my knowledge, there is only one frequency in the 11.5-MHz-range used. The Kurdish and the Turkish stations are involved in a cat and mouse game which I do not follow any more. But see look at this example:

240728 11545 0540 2807 UZB Denge Welat, Vn, R. Erdogan 15525 25432 HjBi  
 240728 11510 0850 2807 UZB Denge Welat, Vn, R. Erdogan 15510 22322 HjBi  
 240728 11540 1315 2807 UZB Denge Welat, Vn, R. Erdogan 15510 25322 HjBi

The station is routinely jammed by a Turkish station with Turkish military music and public speeches of President Erdogan. So this station also carries the nickname Radio Erdogan.

It really depends on the day, whether and how fast the Turkish station is adapting to the actual frequencies used by the Turkish Kurdish station. I have noted it in passing on rare occasions within the same hour. On other days, and actually it is my feeling this is now on most days, the Kurdish station escapes the Turkish jamming for much of the day. This was already the case, months before jailed Kurdish leader Abdullah Oecalan recently called on the PKK to lay down their arms.

(Dr. Hansjoerg Biener-D, wor March 4)

**MADAGASCAR:** Monitored **R Tamazuj** over the past few nights on 11650 kHz listed as coming from Talata Volonondry; via ENC Encompass Digital Media Services FMO organized via MGLOB Talata Volonondry Madagascar relay facility. Sign-on with big signal at 0329 UT with carrier up at 0327 UT. Off at 0345UT with no sign of listed English or later R Dabanga at 0430 UT.

(Tony Pavick-BC-CAN, BrDXC-UK iogr news Febr 8-9)

Hi Tony, the updated schedules acc. to WRTH Web App are:

Tamazuj Arabic (Juba)

Time	Days	Area	kHz
0330-0345	daily	SSD	11650mdc
1500-1515	daily	SSD	15550mdc

(Mauno Ritola-FIN, BrDXC-UK iogr news Febr 9)

11825 kHz **World Christian Broadcasting's African Pathways**, at 0400z on Febr 5. Magazine style morning show in English for Africa. Another superb signal from Madagascar, this one from Mahajanga on the north end of the island. (Jerry Lenamon-TX-USA, via NASWA Electronic Flashsheet #1190 Feb 9)

9765 kHz **MWV New Life Station**, Mahajanga-MDG, 'Palavra Allegre' heard at 2223 UT on Febr 5. A man stating a prayer and saying "amen," then continuing on in Portuguese. Poor-fair.

(Bob Brossell, Pewaukee-WI-USA, via NASWA Electronic Flashsheet #1190 Feb 9)

**MALAYSIA:** 11665 kHz RTM WAI FM, transmitting from Kajang, Malaysia, was logged on 19 February 2025. A selection of Malay pop songs, community announcements and news related to Sarawak was monitored from 03.30 till 04.05 UTC (11.30 LT till noon). Reception on 11665 kHz rated a SINPO of 55354 - strong and clear audio, despite moderate atmospheric noise. Reception was emailed to RTM shortly afterwards, then in the afternoon, same day, an eQSL was received. RX: Tecsun S-2000 EXT ANT: 3 meter random wire QTH: Subang Jaya, Malaysia.

<<https://shortwavedxer.blogspot.com/2025/02/rtm-wai-fm-via-kajang-malaysia.html>>

(T.L.Breyel, Malaysia <<https://shortwavedxer.blogspot.com/>> via RUSdx #1331 via wwdx BC-DX TopNews March 2)

**MEXICO:** 6184.97 kHz XEPPM-OC Radio Educacion-Cultura Mexico Senal Internacional (pres), Mexico City D.F., in Spanish, Jan 24, 2025, 0346-0406 UT. ( 6184.965 kHz per UTwente, very poor / barely audible/ no audio at times w/ 3.82 kHz audio filter in AM\_sync). Playing slow music and presumed songs; better in usb/lsb sync, non-stop rapid and deep qsb, loud rustle qrn, poor/very poor; re-checked 0445-0453 UT on 6184.97 kHz. (6184.965 kHz per UTwente, poor). w/ man unclear talk in Spanish lilting, then chatting w/ man or woman; heard w/ same conditions as above, poor / very poor.

(Gianni Serra-Roma-ITA, via NASWA Electronic Flashsheet #1190 Feb 9)

**NETHERLANDS:** 9800 kHz QSL Radio Delta International, Elberg.

e-QSL: 9800 kHz, 12.05-12.35 UT, on Febr 9, 2025.

<<https://myqls.github.io/2025/02/12/delta.html>>

The station tests on 9800 kHz every Sunday and is very interested in reports! The 1 kW transmitter operates in Elburg, Netherlands.

(Evgeny Kornykhin-RUS, deneb-radio-dx via RUSdx #1330 via wwdx BC-DX TopNews Feb 23)

**NEW ZEALAND:** B24 season RNZ Pacific\_update:

Source: <<https://www.rnz.co.nz/international/listen>> Update: Feb 27, 2025

Transmitter maintenance: Every month on the first Wednesday is maintenance day at our transmitter site from 2230 - 0600 UTC. During this period there may be interruptions to our programmes.

B24 Winter Schedule: 27 Oct 2024 - 28 Mar 2025:

UTC	Frequencies	Days	Target Areas
0000-0558	17675	Daily	Pacific
0559-0958	13755	Mon - Fri	Pacific
0559-1258	13755	Sat & Sun	Pacific
0959-1258	13755	Mon - Fri	Solomon Isl & PNG
1259-1650	7390	Sun - Fri	Pacific

1259-1658	7390	Sat	Pacific
1651-1758	11725 AM 9780 DRM	Sun - Fri	Tonga Fiji Samoa Cook Isl
1651-1858	11725	Sat	Pacific
1759-1858	11725 AM 13840 DRM	Sun - Fri	Pacific
1859-1958	15720 AM 13840 DRM	Sun - Fri	Pacific
1859-2158	15720	Sat	Pacific
1959-2058	15720 AM 13840 DRM	Sun - Fri	Tonga Fiji Samoa Cook Isl
2059-0000	17675	Daily	Pacific

(RNZ Pacific [RNZI] website Mar 6)

#### RNZ PACIFIC 35 YEARS OF BROADCASTING TO THE REGION:

January 24, 1990, the same day the Auckland Commonwealth Games opened, RNZ International (RNZI) began broadcasting to the Pacific region.

Its news bulletins and programmes were carried by a brand new 100kW transmitter. The service was rebranded as RNZ Pacific in 2017. However its mission remains unchanged, to provide news of the highest quality and be a trusted service to local broadcasters in the Pacific region.

Although RNZ had been broadcasting to the Pacific since 1948, in the late 1980s the New Zealand Government saw the benefit of upgrading the service. Thus RNZI was born, with a small dedicated team.

The first RNZI manager was Ian Johnstone. He believed that the service should have a strong cultural connection to the people of the Pacific. To that end, it was important that some of the staff reflected parts of the region where RNZ Pacific broadcasted. He hired the first Pacific woman sports reporter at RNZ, the late Elma Ma'ua.

The Pacific region is one of the most vital areas of the earth, but it is not always the safest, particularly from natural disasters. RNZ Pacific covered events such as the 2009 Samoan tsunami, and during the devastating 2022 Hunga Tonga-Hunga Ha'apai eruption, it was the only news service that could be heard in the kingdom.

More recently, it supported Vanuatu's public broadcaster during the 17 December earthquake by providing extra bulletin updates for listeners when VBTC services were temporarily out of action.

Cyclones have become more frequent in the Region, and RNZ Pacific provides vital weather updates, as the late Linden Clark, RNZI's second manager, explained: "Many times, we have been broadcasting warnings on analogue shortwave to listeners when their local station has had to go off air or has been forced off air."

RNZ Pacific's cyclone watch service continues to operate during the cyclone season in the south Pacific.

As well as natural disasters, the Pacific can also be politically volatile. Since its inception RNZ Pacific has reported on elections and political events in the region. Some of the more recent events include the 2000 and 2006 coups in Fiji, the Samoan Constitutional Crisis of 2021, the 2006 pro-democracy riots in Nuku'alofa, the revolving door of leadership changes in Vanuatu, and the 2022 security agreement Solomon Islands signed with China.

Human interest and cultural stories are also a key part of RNZ Pacific's programming. The service regularly covers cultural events and festivals within New Zealand, such as Polyfest. This was part of Linden Clark's vision, in her role as RNZI manager, that the service would be a link for the Pacific diaspora in New Zealand to their homelands.

Today, RNZ Pacific continues that work. Currently its programmes are carried on 2 transmitters: one installed in 2008 and a much more modern facility, installed in 2024 following a funding boost.

Around 20 Pacific region radio stations relay RNZP's material daily. Individual short-wave listeners and internet users around the world tune in directly to RNZ Pacific content which can be received as far away as Japan, North America, the Middle East and Europe.

(RNZ web site via DX Fanzine - February 2025).

#### PHILIPPINES: Radio Pilipinas World Service extended hours.

Rumen Pankov reported (16 Febr) that he had heard **Radio Pilipinas** at 1730-2030 UTC over the previous 3 days on 9925, 12120 and 15190 kHz via USAGM Tinang bcast center in Tagalog (Filipino) / English. So with an extra hour 1930-2030 UT to previously scheduled.

I tuned in yesterday (26 Febr) and, yes, the 1730 UT broadcast is still on air until 2030 UT. Very good reception on 12120 kHz and 15190 kHz, especially at first (9925 kHz much weaker here).

They still announced just 1730-1930 UT, together with the frequencies, at sign on though.

(anyone noticed if their 0200-0330 transmission has also been lengthened?)

(Alan Pennington-UK, BrDXC-UK iogr news Febr 27)

15490 kHz **Radio Vaticana** via USAGM Tinang relay site 250 kW 283deg azi, at 1526UT on Febr 8. South Asian music to brief comments, then the Vatican Radio interval signal. Gone by 1529UT. Signal fair but fading, SIO 323. (Carlie Forsythe-Madison-WI-USA, NASWA Electronic Flashsheet #1190 Feb 9)

Re: **RFA Tibet** via USAGM Tinang relay site 9940 ex-9490 kHz: 23-24UT RFA Tibetan 9940 PHT PHL, 7620 Orzu TJK, 7460 KWT ME, 5875 Orzu TJK. 00.00-00.30 UT VOA PHT PHL 17575 kHz Tibetan too, but VoA program. (wb df5sx, wwdx BC-DX TopNews Febr 17)

**ROMANIA:** A-25 season shortwave requests of RRI Bucharest SW center transmissions, in AM and DRM digital mode, 300 kW - LANGUAGE SORTED.

GAL = Galbeni site, TIG = Tiganesti site.

SAF = Saftica site to neighbourhood countries on lower 100 kW power, 812 log-per horizontal revolving antenna.

11830 0630 0700 37	GAL 300 245 0 286 1234567 Ara	ROU RRO ROU
15130 0630 0700 37	GAL 300 245 0 286 1234567 Ara	ROU RRO ROU
15200 0630 0700 39NW	TIG 300 142 0 288 1234567 Ara	ROU RRO ROU
17630 0630 0700 39NW	TIG 300 142 0 288 1234567 Ara	ROU RRO ROU
11700 1200 1230 39NW	GAL 300 140 0 286 1234567 Ara	ROU RRO ROU
15130 1200 1230 39NW	TIG 300 142 0 288 1234567 Ara	ROU RRO ROU
15320 1200 1230 37	GAL 300 245 0 286 1234567 Ara	ROU RRO ROU
17780 1200 1230 37	TIG 300 247 0 288 1234567 Ara	ROU RRO ROU
11830 1530 1600 37	GAL 300 245 0 286 1234567 Ara	ROU RRO ROU
15130 1530 1600 37	GAL 300 245 0 286 1234567 Ara	ROU RRO ROU
15160 1530 1600 39NW	TIG 300 142 0 288 1234567 Ara	ROU RRO ROU
17780 1530 1600 39NW	TIG 300 142 0 288 1234567 Ara	ROU RRO ROU
9700 0600 0630 28NW	TIG 300 307 0 205 1234567 Deu	ROU RRO ROU
11620 0600 0630 28NW	TIG 300 307 0 205 1234567 Deu	ROU RRO ROU
11880 1400 1500 28NW	TIG 300 307 0 205 1234567 Deu	ROU RRO ROU
13740 1400 1500 28NW	TIG 300 307 0 288 1234567 Deu	ROU RRO ROU
9570 1800 1900 28NW	TIG 90 307 0 205 1234567 Deu	ROU RRO ROU DRM
11750 1800 1900 28NW	TIG 300 307 0 205 1234567 Deu	ROU RRO ROU
9550 0000 0100 8	TIG 300 307 0 288 1234567 Eng	ROU RRO ROU
11620 0000 0100 8	TIG 300 307 0 288 1234567 Eng	ROU RRO ROU
9740 0300 0400 6	GAL 300 320 0 286 1234567 Eng	ROU RRO ROU
11620 0300 0400 6	TIG 300 337 0 288 1234567 Eng	ROU RRO ROU
15330 0300 0400 41	TIG 90 112 0 288 1234567 Eng	ROU RRO ROU DRM
17790 0300 0400 41	GAL 300 110 0 286 1234567 Eng	ROU RRO ROU
9750 0530 0600 27N	TIG 300 307 0 288 1234567 Eng	ROU RRO ROU
11960 0530 0600 27N	GAL 300 300 0 206 1234567 Eng	ROU RRO ROU
17760 0530 0600 55,58,59	GAL 300 100 0 286 1234567 Eng	ROU RRO ROU
21550 0530 0600 55,58,59	TIG 90 97 0 288 1234567 Eng	ROU RRO ROU DRM
15130 1100 1200 27N	GAL 300 290 0 286 1234567 Eng	ROU RRO ROU
17630 1100 1200 27N	GAL 300 290 0 286 1234567 Eng	ROU RRO ROU
21470 1100 1200 48W	TIG 300 172 0 288 1234567 Eng	ROU RRO ROU
21510 1100 1200 48W	TIG 300 172 0 288 1234567 Eng	ROU RRO ROU
13750 1700 1800 27N	TIG 90 307 0 288 1234567 Eng	ROU RRO ROU DRM
15180 1700 1800 27N	TIG 300 307 0 288 1234567 Eng	ROU RRO ROU
9740 2030 2100 27N	GAL 300 300 0 206 1234567 Eng	ROU RRO ROU
11975 2030 2100 27N	GAL 300 300 0 206 1234567 Eng	ROU RRO ROU
17580 2030 2100 8	TIG 300 307 0 288 1234567 Eng	ROU RRO ROU
21480 2030 2100 8	TIG 300 307 0 288 1234567 Eng	ROU RRO ROU
9740 2200 2300 27N	GAL 300 300 0 206 1234567 Eng	ROU RRO ROU
11650 2200 2300 45N	TIG 300 52 0 288 1234567 Eng	ROU RRO ROU
11800 2200 2300 27N	GAL 300 300 0 206 1234567 Eng	ROU RRO ROU
15170 2200 2300 45N	TIG 300 52 0 288 1234567 Eng	ROU RRO ROU
9550 0100 0200 4,8	TIG 300 307 0 288 1234567 Fra	ROU RRO ROU
11620 0100 0200 4,8	TIG 300 307 0 288 1234567 Fra	ROU RRO ROU
9500 0500 0530 27SE	GAL 300 285 0 206 1234567 Fra	ROU RRO ROU
11740 0500 0530 27SE	GAL 300 285 0 206 1234567 Fra	ROU RRO ROU

13580	0500	0530	47, 52	TIG	300	187	0	288	1234567	Fra	ROU	RRO	ROU
15510	0500	0530	47, 52	TIG	300	187	0	288	1234567	Fra	ROU	RRO	ROU
15130	1000	1100	37	TIG	300	247	0	288	1234567	Fra	ROU	RRO	ROU
15150	1000	1100	27SE	GAL	300	285	0	206	1234567	Fra	ROU	RRO	ROU
17630	1000	1100	37	TIG	300	247	0	288	1234567	Fra	ROU	RRO	ROU
17760	1000	1100	27SE	GAL	300	285	0	286	1234567	Fra	ROU	RRO	ROU
11830	1600	1700	27SE	GAL	300	285	0	206	1234567	Fra	ROU	RRO	ROU
13690	1600	1700	27SE	TIG	90	292	0	288	1234567	Fra	ROU	RRO	ROU
9575	2000	2030	27SE	GAL	300	285	0	206	1234567	Fra	ROU	RRO	ROU
11975	2000	2030	27SE	GAL	300	285	0	206	1234567	Fra	ROU	RRO	ROU
9520	1400	1430	28SW	SAF	100	270	0	812	1234567	Ita	ROU	RRO	ROU
5910	1600	1630	28SW	SAF	100	270	0	812	1234567	Ita	ROU	RRO	ROU
5910	1800	1830	28SW	SAF	30	270	0	812	1234567	Ita	ROU	RRO	ROU
9730	0000	0200	8	GAL	300	310	0	286	1234567	Ron	ROU	RRO	ROU
11945	0000	0200	8	GAL	300	310	0	286	1234567	Ron	ROU	RRO	ROU
9500	0400	0500	27SE	GAL	300	285	0	206	1234567	Ron	ROU	RRO	ROU
11740	0400	0500	27SE	GAL	300	285	0	206	1234567	Ron	ROU	RRO	ROU
11790	0700	0800	39NW	GAL	300	140	0	205	1	Ron	ROU	RRO	ROU
15680	0700	0800	39NW	TIG	300	142	0	208	1	Ron	ROU	RRO	ROU
17630	0700	0800	39NW	TIG	300	112	0	286	1	Ron	ROU	RRO	ROU
17790	0700	0800	39NW	GAL	300	110	0	286	1	Ron	ROU	RRO	ROU
15170	0800	0900	39NW	TIG	300	142	0	288	1	Ron	ROU	RRO	ROU
15200	0800	0900	38E	GAL	300	165	0	286	1	Ron	ROU	RRO	ROU
17690	0800	0900	39NW	TIG	300	142	0	205	1	Ron	ROU	RRO	ROU
17760	0800	0900	38E	GAL	300	165	0	286	1	Ron	ROU	RRO	ROU
15150	0900	1000	27SE	GAL	300	285	0	206	1	Ron	ROU	RRO	ROU
17630	0900	1000	37	TIG	300	247	0	288	1	Ron	ROU	RRO	ROU
17760	0900	1000	27SE	GAL	300	285	0	286	1	Ron	ROU	RRO	ROU
21470	0900	1000	37	TIG	300	247	0	288	1	Ron	ROU	RRO	ROU
9490	1200	1300	28NW	SAF	100	300	0	812	1234567	Ron	ROU	RRO	ROU
15340	1300	1500	27SE	GAL	300	285	0	286	1234567	Ron	ROU	RRO	ROU
17780	1300	1500	27SE	GAL	300	285	0	206	1234567	Ron	ROU	RRO	ROU
11860	1600	1700	39NW	GAL	300	140	0	286	1234567	Ron	ROU	RRO	ROU
15160	1600	1700	39NW	TIG	300	142	0	288	1234567	Ron	ROU	RRO	ROU
11975	1700	1800	27SE	GAL	300	285	0	206	1234567	Ron	ROU	RRO	ROU
15200	1700	1800	27SE	GAL	300	285	0	286	1234567	Ron	ROU	RRO	ROU
11975	1800	1900	27SE	GAL	300	285	0	206	1234567	Ron	ROU	RRO	ROU
15200	1800	1900	27SE	GAL	300	285	0	286	1234567	Ron	ROU	RRO	ROU
11975	1900	2000	27SE	GAL	300	285	0	206	1234567	Ron	ROU	RRO	ROU
15200	1900	2000	27SE	GAL	300	285	0	286	1234567	Ron	ROU	RRO	ROU
5910	1430	1500	28SW	SAF	100	240	0	812	1234567	Rup	ROU	RRO	ROU
5910	1630	1700	28SW	SAF	100	240	0	812	1234567	Rup	ROU	RRO	ROU
5910	1830	1900	28SW	SAF	100	240	0	812	1234567	Rup	ROU	RRO	ROU
9510	0430	0500	29	TIG	300	37	0	205	1234567	Rus	ROU	RRO	ROU
11800	0430	0500	29	TIG	300	37	0	205	1234567	Rus	ROU	RRO	ROU
13610	1300	1400	31S	TIG	300	52	0	288	1234567	Rus	ROU	RRO	ROU
15530	1300	1400	31S	TIG	300	52	0	288	1234567	Rus	ROU	RRO	ROU
11810	1500	1530	29	TIG	300	37	0	205	1234567	Rus	ROU	RRO	ROU
13660	1500	1530	29	TIG	300	37	0	288	1234567	Rus	ROU	RRO	ROU
11780	0200	0300	10	GAL	300	310	0	286	1234567	Spa	ROU	RRO	ROU
11820	0200	0300	10	GAL	300	310	0	286	1234567	Spa	ROU	RRO	ROU
15130	0200	0300	14	TIG	300	247	0	288	1234567	Spa	ROU	RRO	ROU
17760	0200	0300	14	TIG	300	247	0	288	1234567	Spa	ROU	RRO	ROU
13860	1900	2000	37N	TIG	300	262	0	288	1234567	Spa	ROU	RRO	ROU
15120	1900	2000	37N	TIG	300	262	0	288	1234567	Spa	ROU	RRO	ROU
15170	2100	2200	14	TIG	90	247	0	288	1234567	Spa	ROU	RRO	ROU
17520	2100	2200	14	TIG	300	247	0	288	1234567	Spa	ROU	RRO	ROU
11730	2300	2400	12N	GAL	300	280	0	286	1234567	Spa	ROU	RRO	ROU
15170	2300	2400	14	TIG	300	247	0	288	1234567	Spa	ROU	RRO	ROU
15300	2300	2400	12N	GAL	300	280	0	286	1234567	Spa	ROU	RRO	ROU
17520	2300	2400	14	TIG	300	247	0	288	1234567	Spa	ROU	RRO	ROU
5910	1530	1600	28S	SAF	100	270	0	812	1234567	Srp	ROU	RRO	ROU
5910	1730	1800	28S	SAF	100	270	0	812	1234567	Srp	ROU	RRO	ROU
5910	1930	2000	28S	SAF	100	270	0	812	1234567	Srp	ROU	RRO	ROU
5910	1500	1530	29SW	SAF	100	30	0	812	1234567	Ukr	ROU	RRO	ROU

5910 1700 1730 29SW	SAF 100 30	0 812 1234567 Ukr	ROU RRO ROU
5910 1900 1930 29SW	SAF 100 30	0 812 1234567 Ukr	ROU RRO ROU
17760 0400 0430 43,44	TIG 300 67	0 288 1234567 Zho	ROU RRO ROU
21550 0400 0430 43,44	TIG 300 67	0 288 1234567 Zho	ROU RRO ROU
15160 1230 1300 43,44	TIG 300 67	0 288 1234567 Zho	ROU RRO ROU
17760 1230 1300 43,44	TIG 90 67	0 288 1234567 Zho	ROU RRO ROU DRM

(A-25 hfcc.org database)

**SAUDI ARABIA:** 11934.9 kHz March 3 at 1546 UT, JBA carrier, presumed Rep. of Yemen Radio via Riyadh on signature skewed frequency. However, Tony Pavick has reported via NASWA Flashesheet: "11935.03 kHz SAUDI ARABIA R of Yemen Radio, 1700 UT on 26 Feb. Arabic: Military sounding music. Slightly high from nominal 11935 kHz. Fluttery signal, fair quality {Pavick-BC-CAN}".

(Glenn Hauser-OK-USA, wor March 3)

**SOMALIA:** The only station in this country still operating on shortwave has appeared on the air again, possibly since January, and can be heard via SDR in Addis Ababa (Ethiopia) - remotedly.

This is Warsan Radio-88,2 FM in the city of Baydhabo (Baidoa district) on a frequency of 7750 kHz. According to Internet sources, the station responds to E-reports, the transmitter power is 100 watts, the broadcast schedule in Somali and Arabic is from 3.00 to 6.00 UTC and from 9.00 to 19.45 UTC. The transmitter is sometimes inactive. The station's website <<http://warsanradio.com/>> has a player, but there is no streaming broadcast. Two state stations of Somalia and Somaliland, which left HF earlier, continue broadcasting on FM, on satellite, only for Africa and on the Internet *Radio Muqdisho* - website <<https://radiomuqdisho.so/>> Stream <<https://ap02.iqplay.tv:8082/g1/r14iomog/icecast.audio>> Daily at 12.15 UTC News (~ 5 minutes) is broadcast sequentially in Arabic and English. *Radio Hargeysa* - website <<http://radiohargeysa24.com/>> Stream <<https://stream.zeno.fm/cb1gs35i1tetv>> Broadcasting in Somali and Arabic.

(Vladimir, Rybinsk-RUS, Yaroslavskaya oblast; via RUSdx #1330 via wwdx BC-DX TopNews Feb 23)

7750 kHz USB mode, Warsan Radio, 0315+ UT, Febr 24, via KiwiSDR remote at Addis Ababa, Ethiopia.

0315-0330 UT: Monologue. 0330+ UT: Announcer and some music. My remote audio -

<<https://app.box.com/s/0129kezru6nu5iwhf53mxz3i7n2ibefu>>

Responses to information about Somalia published in the previous issue of the bulletin. Re - RUS'-DX items 23 Feb: Somalia - Warsan Radio.

(Ron Howard, San Francisco-CA-USA, Febr 24)

**SPAIN:** Director of Radio Exterior de España on the fate of shortwave broadcasting: Only a complete upgrade of radio transmitters can guarantee the survival of Spanish radio Director of Radio Exterior de España Luis Manuel Fernández Iglesias in an interview with the Russian section of REE reported the latest information on the process of upgrading transmitters at the Noblejas transmitting center.

"Another major goal that we have is the renewal of radio transmitters. It is too early to talk about a complete victory, but we have already taken a number of important steps in this direction. A couple of months ago, the board of directors of the Spanish Broadcasting Corporation (RTVE) unanimously voted to renew all five radio transmitters that are located in our Noblejas broadcasting center.

Only a complete renewal of all radio transmitters can guarantee the survival of Radio Exterior de España (REE) as the only Spanish radio station broadcasting on short waves around the world.

(Igor Kolke, Moscow-RUS <<https://kolkeradio.blogspot.com/>> via RUSdx #1331 via wwdx BC-DX TopNews March 2)

17755 kHz Wed Feb 19 at 1613 UT, the only REE, S=8/9+5dB, rarely sufficient direct to here instead of Africa; as 12030 kHz for ME is still AWOL and WHem channels 9690 & 17715 kHz do not start until 1900 UT weekdays. By 2300 UT for token English, into UTwente we only hear 9690 kHz, with 17715 & 17755 kHz presumably not propagating in the middle of the night. Initial subject is emergency EU summit conference, tnx to Felodent Drumpf siding with Putin over "dictator" Zelenskyy.

(Glenn Hauser-OK-USA, hcdx and wor Febr 19)

**SWITZERLAND:** The case for funding SWI SwissInfo

The Swiss broadcaster is under threat of having half of its funding cut. What's the case for keeping it?

What happened?

Concerns have been raised from several sectors in Switzerland over a proposal to cut federal funding for international

public service broadcasting.

The Federal Council has proposed a suite of austerity measures across a range of state services, including removing the federal contribution to SRG SSR's international services, which is about 18.9 million francs.

Read more: SRG launches a company-wide transformation

This makes up about half the funding for Swiss international broadcasting, which includes the ten-language SWI swissinfo.ch, an Italian offering tvsvizzera.it, and participation in 3Sat in German and TV5 in French. While it's only half, the broadcasters have been clear that the loss of federal funding would likely mean the end of the services altogether.

Reaction

In a New Year plea to readers, the director of SWI swissinfo.ch, Larissa Bieler, said it was facing important political decisions that could "jeopardise" the future of Swiss international broadcasting.

"A strong voice for Switzerland abroad strengthens the country's economic position, communicates its policy of neutrality, and improves the perception of Swiss science and culture globally," she wrote. "How did the Swiss government come to the conclusion that these services no longer deserve support?"

In the article Bieler also asked people to write in to say why they think Swissinfo would be needed in the future.

In a later article, SWI swissinfo.ch editor-in-chief, Mark Livingston, argued that with growing political instability internationally, plummeting levels of trust in traditional media, and the evolution of the wider media landscape, the role of outlets like swissinfo.ch is only becoming more vital.

"False or unbalanced information intended to deceive existed long before [US president Donald] Trump, of course. What is new is its sheer scale and the fact that such distortions are unfolding in front of a global audience," he wrote.

"Functioning democracies need functioning media. International media outlets like SWI swissinfo.ch can play a pivotal role and work to ensure that valuable information, rather than crude assertions, form the basis for personal, social, and political decisions worldwide."

However, he said international mainstream media needed to work to rebuild trust, which could be done by proving their independence and rigour.

"We recognise that as an international media company from neutral Switzerland, we enjoy considerable credibility worldwide."

SWI swissinfo.ch was founded in 1935, and today is used around the world with news and information in ten languages. Last year, the company said it reached around 40 million people.

The services are also aimed at the 800,000 Swiss who live abroad and the co-president of the SwissAbroad parliamentary group (OSA), Carlo Sommaruga, has previously spoken out against any cutback.

(<<https://www.publicmediaalliance.org/the-case-for-funding-swi-swissinfo/>> via Dr Hansjoerg Biener-D Feb 24)

**TAIWAN:** 9900 kHz '**R Free Asia**', 1245 on Feb 7, in Korean. Listed in Aokilist with 300 kW at 2deg, first from {sic} Tamsui {also Paochung full timerange, acc USAGM RMS log, WB.} 1200 to 1300, then from Paochung 1300 {rather 1200-1400 UT}.

If there really is a change of sites it was seamless with no apparent loss of carrier or audio. Typical VOA style station identifier at 1300 UT, "this is 'Radio Free Asia', the following program is in Korean". HFCC doesn't list this at all, Taiwan being a non-{request member, WB.} country. EiBi lists from Tajikistan but the signal quality makes me think it was Taiwan.

(Jerry Lenamon-TX-USA, via NASWA Electronic Flashsheet #1190 Feb 9)

6045 kHz '**Furusato no Kaze**' (target radio towards Koreas) in Japanese, Febr 9, 2025, at 1617 - 1622 UT. SIO 434. Japanese ethnic MX, choral singing with YL chorus. Broadcast is likely from Tanshui, Taiwan. Chorus singing "Jesus Loves Me" in Jp, followed by more ethnic Jp MX.

(Vince Henley-WA-USA, via NASWA Electronic Flashsheet #1190 Feb 9)

9560 kHz {target radio towards Koreas} '**Furusato No Kaze**' via Paochung site heard at 1431 UT on Febr 7; a woman giving a website in Japanese and followed by a song at 1433 UT. Mostly fair.

(Bob Brossell, Pewaukee-WI-USA, via NASWA Electronic Flashsheet #1190 Feb 9)

**THAILAND:** Thailand Marks 95 Years of Radio Broadcasting - 2 March 2025

Radio broadcasting in the country began in 1928 when an experimental station was initiated in Bangkok. This station, under the Post and Telegraph Department, was located at the mouth of the Ong Ang Canal, one of the canal rings around the old city. The experimental radio station was later moved to Sala Daeng.

Thailand's first radio station – "Radio Bangkok of Phaya Thai" – commenced its services on February 25, 1930, when Prince Purachatra launched the first transmission from Bangkok Radio Station, Phaya Thai, using a 2.5-kilowatt transmitter. The broadcast coincided with the Coronation Day of King Rama VII and featured a royal address from King Prajadhipok, laying the foundation for radio as a tool for education, trade, and public engagement.

Following its introduction, the Thai government established the Publicity Division, later renamed the Public Relations Department (PRD). It took over the management of radio stations, and today, NBT serves as the country's primary state broadcaster, responsible for communicating government policies, delivering news, and ensuring nationwide radio access. Over the decades, Thai radio has played a crucial role in public awareness, education, and cultural preservation. Radio Thailand has been adjusting and developing in light of global advances and has been at work to make its content interesting to the audience.

The station now has six FM national channels, 65 FM provincial channels, three AM national channels, 46 AM provincial channels and World Service. Some Radio Thailand provincial radio stations can be received in neighbouring countries of Thailand like Malaysia, Laos, Cambodia and Myanmar.

(RadioInfo Asia via Australian DX News March 2025)

**TURKEY:** As first reported on Monday 17th in the 'wor iog' mail list by John Jurasek (VORW) and Craig Tyson, the English Service of TRT 'The Voice of Turkey' have resumed their programming - that is, the broadcasts are no longer simply relays of TV audio of TRT World. I listened on Tuesday and also confirmed that the regular English presenters are back with VOT programming. It seems that the programme schedule may have changed slightly compared to what was heard before their hiatus with "Unscripted Twists of Fate" (previously heard on Wednesdays) and a new programme "The First Quarter of the Millennium".

**A-25 season TRT shortwave schedule language sorted.**

Due of the daily Kurdish 'Radyoya Denge Gel' Radio Jamming need:

Undoubtedly TRT Emirler has got another 300 kW Ampegon transmitter recently ? One of the Emirler txs is now nearly even or plus x.003 Hertz frequency monitoring measured.

And the remaining older 500 kW units are now limited of half-power 250 kW reduced power totally. WB."

11750 0900 1000 39N, 38NE	EMR 300 120 -30 205 Ara	TUR TRT
9540 1400 1500 38E, 39	EMR 250 150 0 205 Ara	TUR TRT
17770 1400 1500 37, 38W	EMR 250 272 10 211 Ara	TUR TRT
13685 0700 0800 29SE, 39NE, 40NW, 30SW	EMR 250 72 0 205 Aze	TUR TRT
7210 1100 1130 28SE	EMR 250 300 25 205 Bul	TUR TRT
15350 1130 1230 28, 27E	EMR 250 310 0 211 Deu	TUR TRT
9840 1730 1830 28W, 27E	EMR 250 310 0 205 Deu	TUR TRT
6165 0300 0400 38E, 39, 40W	EMR 250 150 0 205 Eng	TUR TRT
7275 0300 0400 6E, 7-11, 27, 28W	EMR 300 325 0 219 Eng	TUR TRT
17620 1230 1330 18S, 27, 28	EMR 250 310 0 211 Eng	TUR TRT
11660 1630 1730 30S, 40E, 41N	EMR 250 95 -10 215 Eng	TUR TRT
9750 1830 1930 27, 28	EMR 250 310 0 205 Eng	TUR TRT
9875 2030 2130 41, 49, 51, 54, 55, 58-60	EMR 300 105 7 219 Eng	TUR TRT
11785 2200 2300 4, 7, 8, 9, 11N, 27, 28W	EMR 300 325 0 219 Eng	TUR TRT
15720 0830 1000 39NE, 40	EMR 250 105 0 205 Fas	TUR TRT
9765 1500 1600 40, 39NE	EMR 250 105 0 205 Fas	TUR TRT
17740 1000 1100 27S, 28W, 37N	EMR 250 290 10 210 Fra	TUR TRT
7360 1730 1830 38, 47, 48, 52NE, 53NW	EMR 250 210 30 216 Fra	TUR TRT
9880 1930 2030 37, 38W, 46	EMR 250 252 -10 211 Fra	TUR TRT
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13655 0830 0900 28SW	EMR 250 290 10 210 Ita	TUR TRT
9655 0800 0830 29SE, 39NE	EMR 250 72 0 205 Kat	TUR TRT
17690 1330 1400 30, 31S	EMR 300 52 0 218 Kaz	TUR TRT
17720 0400 0500 54N, 49	EMR 300 105 7 219 Mly	TUR TRT
11765 1500 1630 40, 30S	EMR 250 85 0 205 PbtPbu	TUR TRT
11965 1300 1400 19, 20, 29, 30N	EMR 300 20 20 205 Rus	TUR TRT
7260 0100 0200 8S, 10S, 11, 12, 27S, 37N	EMR 250 290 0 219 Spa	TUR TRT
9870 0100 0200 12, 13-15, 16N, 37	EMR 250 252 0 219 Spa	TUR TRT

13725 1630 1730 27S, 37N	EMR 250 290	10 210	Spa	TUR TRT
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17730 0800 0830 29SE, 30S, 40N	EMR 250 72	0 211	Tuk	TUR TRT
7360 0000 0200 42	EMR 250 72	0 211	Tur	TUR TRT
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17815 1300 1600 27, 28	EMR 250 310	0 215	Tur	TUR TRT
9460 1600 2100 27, 28	EMR 250 310	0 215	Tur	TUR TRT
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9465 0200 0300 42	EMR 300 72	0 211	Uig	TUR TRT
17580 1200 1300 40, 41N	EMR 250 95	-10 215	Urd	TUR TRT
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17620 1100 1200 42-44	EMR 300 72	-10 217	Zho	TUR TRT

(A-25 hfcc.org database)

### Turkey's TRT Global brings number of its language services to 45

From what I see on their web site, they've recently launched Armenian, Danish, Dutch, Finnish, Hebrew, Hindi, Korean, Norwegian, Polish, Somali, Swedish services. Some of the new services already have podcasts (for example, Dutch). Oddly enough, TRT still doesn't have Ukrainian.

The respective pages can be accessed by clicking on the WORLD tab in the upper left corner, then TRT Global Channels.

(Alexander Miatlikov-Dnipro-UKR, wor March 7)

**UKRAINE:** The National Council on Television and Radio Broadcasting of Ukraine will block Russian-language songs. This was reported <<https://espresso.tv/stream>> on the air of the Ukrainian TV channel "Espresso" with reference to the Ministry of Education. <[TeleSat-INFO.Ru](https://TeleSat-INFO.Ru)> Telegram.  
(via Anatoly Klepov-RUS, RUSdx #1331 via wwdx BC-DX TopNews March 2)

**UNITED KINGDOM:** Re: BBC Tatsfield monitoring station etc.

There's a feature about Tatsfield from the BBC Quarterly, Volume 9, Issue 1, 1954, which has been published on the Transdiffusion website as recently as 14 February 2025:

<<https://transdiffusion.org/2025/02/14/the-b-b-c-measurement-and-technical-receiving-station-at-tatsfield/>> - an interesting read.

(Tony Rogers-UK, BrDXC-UK iogr news Febr 17)

Re: Most BBC radio stations to become unavailable for international users.

Given BBC World Service and BBC Radio 4 plus podcasts will still be available overseas I don't see how the decline in soft power argument holds up

Full BBC Media Centre announcement.

<<https://www.bbc.com/mediacentre/bbcstudios/2005/bbc-studios-to-make-podcasts-available-to-international-audiences-via-bbc-dot-com-and-the-bbc-app>>

Info / Frequently asked questions webpage

<<https://www.bbc.co.uk/future/article/20250207-bbc-podcasts-are-now-available-on-the-bbc-website-and-app>>

Post by James Cridland, who as many will know has been involved with, and posting / blogging about, radio / audio for many years, about the changes. I didn't know he now lives in Brisbane. Ends with "There will be many people disappointed at losing Radio 1, Radio 2 or 6 music. I have sympathy with that; but also, I want the BBC to succeed, and in order to succeed it needs to be as commercially nimble as it possibly can outside the UK. It can't afford to both earn from non-UK audiences and make music radio available. This is a necessary step. And, at last, a strategy."

<<https://james.cridland.net/blog/2025/bbc-audio-international/>>

Comment from James here to an UK expat who is prepared to pay money to access BBC Sounds abroad.

As soon as the BBC earns money from the international streams of Radio 1, 2, 6 music etc, then they need to pay full music rights for them, which really isn't an option. They only have music rights for the UK, and the loophole is that as

long as they don't market the streams abroad, and as long as they don't earn money from them, the music companies turn a blindest eye. So (just like iPlayer), your plan isn't a thing they could do.

<<https://gist.github.com/bpsib/67089b959e4fa898af69fea59ad74bc3#file-bbc-radio-lstn-hls-m3u-L16>>

Includes links to all BBC webstreams if you scroll up.  
(Mike Barraclough-UK, BrDXC-UK iogr news Febr 27)

15260 kHz **IBRA Radio Sama** (via ENC Woofferton site in England), at 1700UT on Febr 6. Arabic sce. Middle eastern style music to start up into ID by man. Woman then began programming. Fair to good.  
(Tony Pavick-BC-CAN, via NASWA Electronic Flashsheet #1190 Feb 9)

**UNITED KINGDOM/GERMANY:** According to Weekend Music Radio Scotland, their programmes on 6325 kHz should be off the air for a few weeks until sometime in February 2025. However, the weekly 2-hour programme with Jack Russell can still be heard on Shortwaveradio at weekends:

Friday, 21.00 hrs: 3975 kHz

Saturday, 16.00 hrs: 3975 kHz, 21.00 hrs: 3975 kHz

Sunday, 11.00 hrs: 6160 kHz, 16.00 hrs: 3975 kHz, 23.00 hrs: 3975 kHz

Monday, 23.00 hrs: 3975 kHz

The programmes are also linked at <[http://www.wmrscotland.de/wmr\\_latest\\_news.html](http://www.wmrscotland.de/wmr_latest_news.html)> to listen to them again.

(Alan Pennington-UK via Hansjoerg Bieners DX Digest)

**UNITED KINGDOM/ISLE OF MAN:** Radio Caroline North broadcasts monthly on its own medium wave 648 kHz, Manx Radio on 1368 kHz and digital distribution channels. The weekends after Easter have now also been announced on <[https://www.radiocaroline.co.uk/#manx\\_info.html](https://www.radiocaroline.co.uk/#manx_info.html)>: [11/12 January], 8/9 February, 8/9 March, 18-20 April, 10/11 May, 14/15 June, 12/13 July, 9/10 August, 13/14 September, 11/12 October, 8/9 November, 13/14 December 2025. Interesting: apparently Manx Radio is not giving up all of its airtime. "On 8/9 February I had a good listen to Radio Caroline North. The programme came live from the Ross Revenge. The reception on 648 kHz was of course better. Manx Radio on 1368 kHz also switched off from time to time, for example on 8 February from 18:00 to 19:00 CET for a word programme, while the Radio Caroline programme with announcement of the two frequencies ran on 648 kHz."

(Thomas Becker-D via Hansjoerg Bieners DX Digest)

**U.S.A.:** Elon Musk, recently appointed to lead the Department of Government Efficiency (DOGE) by President Donald Trump, has called for the shutdown of U.S.-funded media outlets Radio Free Europe / Radio Liberty (RFE/RL) and Voice of America (VOA).

Musk argues that these organizations are outdated relics of the Cold War era, no longer relevant in today's geopolitical landscape, and a waste of taxpayer money. His comments echo criticisms made by Richard Grenell, a special envoy for Trump, who described the outlets as "state-owned media" filled with "far-left activists". Sic! Both Musk and Grenell advocate ending government funding for such entities, framing them as inefficient uses of public resources.

RFE/RL was established in 1949 / 1951 during the early years of the Cold War, initially operating under CIA oversight to broadcast pro-American and anti-Soviet propaganda into Eastern Europe and the Soviet Union. Originally named "Radio Liberation from Bolshevism", it later rebranded as Radio Liberty to emphasize liberalization over liberation. Similarly, VOA began in the 1940s to counter Nazi propaganda before shifting focus to anti-Soviet messaging in 1947. Both outlets remain federally funded through the U.S. Agency for Global Media (USAGM), which oversees their operations and allocates congressional budgets totaling nearly \$1 billion annually. Despite claims of reaching hundreds of millions globally, critics like Musk dismiss their relevance, arguing they have been supplanted by modern communication platforms.

The debate extends beyond RFE/RL and VOA, reflecting broader skepticism about U.S. involvement in foreign media and governance initiatives. For instance, USAID - another target of Musk's scrutiny - has funneled significant funds to international NGOs, opposition groups, and media organizations, often promoting destabilizing "color revolutions" abroad. One notable example is Internews Network, a secretive NGO heavily financed by the U.S. government since 2008. Internews trains journalists, produces programming, and advocates for media laws aligned with Western interests across dozens of countries. Critics argue that such efforts amount to interference in sovereign nations' internal affairs.

Russia designated RFE/RL as a "foreign agent" in 2020 and banned it outright in 2022, accusing the outlet of disseminating false information regarding the Ukraine conflict. This highlights how these media organizations are perceived not merely as neutral news providers but as instruments of U.S. soft power. Meanwhile, some observers accuse VOA and similar outlets of bias against countries like China and Russia, alleging they propagate divisive narratives designed to incite internal strife within targeted regions.

(Stig Hartvig Nielsen-DNK, hcdx Vol #266, Issue 11 via wwdx BC-DX TopNews March 2)

Important Notice: On Thursday, February 20, Florida Power and Light Company will be connecting new transformers for WRMI Okeechobee-FL state. This is the end of a months-long process to replace the station's original transformers, which date from the late 1970's. The new transformers have been installed, and this should provide more reliable electrical power and fewer power outages. However, on February 20 FP&L will have to remove the old transformers using a crane, and then connect the new transformers to us.

This is a lengthy process requiring a lot of equipment and personnel, so they told us to expect to be without power from approximately 1300-2200 UT. During this time we will be off the air on all frequencies, except possibly 7730 kHz and our 9955 kHz live stream <<http://www.wrmi.net>> We will return to the air on all frequencies as soon as the work is finished. Thanks for your understanding.

(WRMI on F\_B, via wor & BrDXC-UK iogr Febr 20, 2025)

Re: WRMI off air today 1300+ UT.

2248 UT 20 February - 'Florida Power and Light' is unfortunately still installing our new transformers, so it may be a few more hours before we're back on the air.

(Alan Pennington-UK, BrDXC-UK iogr Febr 21)

9565 kHz Sat, Feb 8, at 2244-2258UT. **Radio Marti**, Greenville-NC-US state, in Spanish. Woman announcer interviews a woman, a Cuban periodist, about the human rights in Cuba, the violence, the censorship on the island; 2250 UT A song by Cuban singer, "Una vida sin Alma"; 2252 UT Woman says stations program announcements; 2253 UT Ahora, el programa "Una pausa para la Meditacion", el pueblo y la jornada para la vida! Su destino; Dios y la Naturaleza; Los dirigentes y la Dictadura ... Very good reception as never: 55555.

(Jota Ronaldo Xavier-Cabedelo-Paraiba-BRA, hcdx Feb 8)

**UZBEKISTAN:** 9540 kHz **FEBC Radio** (listed site: CRRT RRTM Telecom Tashkent Uzbekistan Shortwave Transmitting bcast center), at 1430 UT. Really strong, fully lighting green tuning light on SW-2000629 and indoor random direction wire.

South Asian music, man and woman in listed Hindi, talk to just before 1500 UT, off after interval signal.

Very Good on Jan 31.

(Rick Barton, Sun City-AZ-USA, NASWA Electronic Flashsheet #1190 Feb 9)

7500 kHz **Bible Voice Broadcasting**, Canada, via CRRT RRTM Telecom Tashkent Uzbekistan Shortwave Transmitting bcast center. e-QSL 18.00-18.30 UT, Jan 19, 2025.

<<https://myqsl.github.io/2025/02/06/bvb.html>>

Since 29 Dec 2024 transmission is on 7500 kHz instead of 7520 kHz.

Heather Paterson confirmed the new frequency.

(Evgeny Kornikhin, Moscow-RUS, deneb-radio-dx; via RUSdx #1328 via wwdx BC-DX TopNews Feb 9)

9990 **Radio Free Asia** {Orzu-TJK likely ?} at 1500 UT on March 1, sign-on with English ID, then into Korean. Poor and North Korean noise jamming.

(Harold Sellers, Vernon-BC-CAN, direct via wwdx BC-DX TopNews March 4)

**VATICAN STATE [non ?]:** 15565 kHz on Feb 16 at 1533 UT, Vatican Radio Amharic the SSOB at S=9+25/35dB direct, rivaled only by 15150 kHz WMLK at S=9+20/25dB. Same on // 13830 kHz which is also synchronized, S=9+20/25dB, vs USA on 13845 kHz S=9+25/30dB, 13820 kHz S=9+20/25dB.

On both bands, NO other significant signals from Europe. From 1555 UT I'm watching and listening to 13830 kHz, now only S8/S9, 1557 UT Vatican Radio is weakening to S7/S8, and 1600 UT drumming, into Swahili. There was \*no\* breakin transmission, supposedly switching from SMG to MADAGASCAR; and still// synch with 15565 kHz.

Latest HFCC list Feb 13 shows 15565 kHz SMG adjusting beam from 135 to 145 deg azimuth at 1600 UT. Also there was a change Feb 1 vs Jan 31 on 13830 kHz:

Until Jan 31, 13830 was from MDC at 1600-1700 UT in Swahili, Somali, English; From February 1 all those changed to SMG. 15565 kHz stayed SMG only. 1530-1600 UT portion shown as SMG only on both frequencies before and after Febr 1.

So I continue to suspect these are both really via Madagascar before and after 1600 UT. Someone suggested I should ask VR - maybe as a last resort. So far the evidence is contrary to registrations, listings.

(Glenn Hauser-OK-USA, wor Febr 16)

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**Editor's info desk was closed for this edition at 12:00 hours UTC on March 10th, 2025.**

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### Abbreviations:

with name of station:

BC / bc = Broadcaster, Int. = International, R = Radio, tx = Transmitter, Vo = Voice of, QRG = frequency

Location of transmitters with frequency:

Be = Beijing /China, Bib = Biblis /DL, BOT = Botswana, CHN = China, CLN-TRM = Sri Lanka Trincomalee, Du = Dushanbe /TJK, ERV = Erivan /Armenia, F = ISS = Issoudun /France, Fl = RMI = Okeechobee (Florida) /USA, HAB = Habana /Cuba, Ho = Hohhot /CHN, HRI= WHRI Cypress Creek /USA, Jin = Jinhua /CHN, Kash = Kashgar/CHN, Ka = Kingsway (Delhi), KII - Kall /DL, KOR = (South) Korea, Ku = Kununurra /Aus, Kun = Kunming /CHN, KWT = Kuwait, Lam = Lampertheim /DL, MDA = Moldavia, MDG = Madagascar, MNG = Mongolia, MRA = Northern Marianas, N = Nauen /DL, Nn = Nanning /CHN, OM = Oman, QVC = Qivican /CUBA, Row = Rohrbach Waal /DL, RUS = Russia incl. Sibiria, SAI = Saipan (MRA), STP = São Tomé, SWZ = Eswatin (formerly Swaziland), SZG = Shijazhuang /CHN, TH = (NAK) Nakhon Sawan / Thailand, TIN = Tinian (MRA), TJK = Tajikistan, TWN = Taiwan, UAE = Al Dubbaya / United Arab Emirates, Ur = Urumchi /CHN, Wil = Winsen/Luhe /DL, Wof = Woofferton /GB, Xi = Xian /CHN, Ya = Yamata/Japan.

Mostly within round brackets target areas as known:

Af = Africa, Am = America, As = Asia, Aus = Australia; Eu = Europe, FE = Far East, LAm = Latin America, ME = Middle East, OC / Pac = Pacific Region;

C = Central, E = East, N = North, S = South, W = West

Languages:

Ar Arabic - Ch Chinese - Du Dutch - E, En English - F French - G, Ge German - Gr Greek - I Italian - J Japanese - K Korean - P Portuguese - R Russian - Sp,Spa Spanish - Turk Turkish - VN Vernacular

Technical hint with frequency (QRG):

(\*) = Digital Radio broadcast (DRM) v = variable irr / # = irregular / technical problems /USB = upper sideband, /LSB = lower sideband, alt.: (QRG) = alternative frequency

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## DSWCI website taken over by Radioheritage.com

The Danish Shortwave Club International - or DSWCI - has served the DX and Shortwave listeners community for 60 years. It was founded November 18, 1956. During it's 60 years of existence, 3786 individuals had been members of the DSWCI. At the time of the last Annual General Meeting on October 8, 2016, the DSWCI still had 227 members living in 33 countries in 6 continents. The DSWCI was "the DX club that had global membership 30 years before Globalization"!

The DSWCI produced the high quality magazine "Shortwave News" (9 issues/year) and a fortnightly newsletter called "DX Window", as well as the yearly "Domestic Broadcasting Survey" with it's monthly update "Tropical Bands Monitor". This website presents back issues of these publications. There is also an offer to buy the complete archive of Shortwave News (60 years!) on a DVD. The "Domestic Broadcasting Survey" and the "Tropical Bands monitor" were produced on a private basis by Anker Petersen, former chairman of the DSWCI, until Summer 2024.

Anker Petersen passed away in 2024.

Tips editor Klaus-Dieter Scholz continues with tips from former DSWCI-members at <<http://www.dxer.info>>.

The DSWCI site has been taken off the Internet on 5th March 2025.

Radioheritage.com lets it live on and gives us the opportunity to take part in the gold mine:

<<https://www.radioheritage.com/dswci/index.html>>

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# DX LOGBOOK

## Logs around the clock

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### MEDIUMWAVE BAND

Frequency	UTC	SINPO	ITU	Radio Station	Language	Programme Details	Date	Rep.
576	1940	44444	BUL	BNR Horizont	Bulgarian	Bulg, rpt, ID, NX, Rock	1602	SG
882	1330	44443	CLN	TWR Puttalam	English	Religious px.	1402	AB
1323	1958	44444	I	Nexus Milano	English	E, MX, ID, ann, NX	1502	SG
1323	2100	44444	I	Nexus Milano	English	E, ID, ann, bible bc	1502	SG
1323	2130	45444	I	Nexus Milano	English	E, ID, ann, Radio City	1502	SG
1386	1600	45544	LTU	Polskie Radio	Russian	R, ID, NX, rpts cultura	1502	SG
1386	1630	45544	LTU	Polskie Radio	Polish	Polish, ID, NX, rpts	1502	SG
1386	1700	45544	LTU	Polskie Radio	German	ID, WRD-D-Kaiser rpt	1502	SG
1386	1730	45544	LTU	NHK-World Radio Japan	Russian	R, IS, ID, NX, rpts	1502	SG
1476	1900	34433	AUT	Museumsradio AM 1476	German	D, ID, Sa-Abend-WuKo	1502	SG
1476	1915	34433	AUT	Museumsradio AM 1476	German	D, ID, Sa-Abend-WuKo	0102	SG

### SHORTWAVE BANDS

Frequency	UTC	SINPO	ITU	Radio Station	Language	Programme Details	Date	Rep.
3955	1745	45444	D	Channel 292	English	E, ID, Rockpop	1502	SG
3955	1700	45544	D	Pop Shop Radio	English	E, ID, DJ Tony Rockpop	2901	SG
3955	1800	45544	D	Radio DARC	German	ID, Afu; Technik; Pop	2901	SG
3955	2000	45544	G	KBS-WR via WOF	German	D, ID, NX, Magazin	0403	SG
3955	2100	45544	G	KBS-WR via WOF	French	F, ID, NX, Magazin	0403	SG
3985	1800	45444	D	RSI via Kall	German	D, ID, Magazin, MX	1502	SG
3985	1810	35433	D	RSI via Kall	German	D, ID, Magazin, MX	2901	SG
3995	0530	25422	D	HCJB-Weenermoor	German	D, ID, Medienmagazin	1502	SG
5890	0500	35433	USA	TOM via WWCR	English	E, ID, adr, bible bc	2302	SG
5900	1900	45444	BUL	RTI via Kostinbrod	German	D, ID, NX, B, WX, rpt	1302	SG
5900	2100	45444	BUL	TOM via Kostinbrod	English	E, ID, adr, bible bc	0403	SG
5920	1030	35433	D	HCJB-Weenermoor	German	D, ID, Medienmagazin	0203	SG
5930	2020	35433	DNK	WMR Bramming	English	E, LA-Pop, ID, LA-Pop	0403	SG
5935	0515	45444	USA	WWCR	English	E, bible bc, ID, adr	2302	SG
5955	0830	45444	HOL	Radio Veronica	Dutch	Dutch, E, Rockpop, ID	0203	SG
5960	2000	45544	ROU	RRI	Ukrainian	IS, ID, NX, MX, rpt	0203	SG
5960	2030	45544	ROU	RRI	Serbian	IS, ID, NX, MX, rpt	0203	SG
5970	2025	35433	DNK	Radio 208	English	E, Rockpop, ID Jingle	0403	SG
5980	0110	32222	UAE	Radio Free Asia	Uyghur	Talks	0203	AB
5985	1530	45444	BRM	Radio Myanmar	English	News about elections	2202	AB
6005	1100	35433	D	RSI via Kall	German	D, ID, NX, Magazin	1302	SG
6005	1230	35433	D	RSI via Kall	Spanish	S, ID, NX, rpt, MX	1302	SG
6005	1330	35433	D	RSI via Kall	English	E, ID, NX, MX, WRD	1302	SG
6005	1400	35433	D	RSI via Kall	French	F, ID, NX, MX, WRD	1302	SG
6005	1900	45444	BUL	RTI via Kostinbrod	French	F, ID, NX, MX, rpt	1302	SG
6020	0825	45444	HOL	Radio Casanova	D-Du-E	ID, Rockpop, RRs	0203	SG

6020	1005	45444	HOL	Radio Casanova	D-Du-E	ID, Rockpop, RRs	0902	SG
6020	2100	55544	CHN	CRI	Spanish	S, IS, ID, NX, rpt, MX	2802	SG
6030	0520	45444	USA	Radio Marti	Spanish	S, ID, NX, ID, rpt, MX	2302	SG
6070	0700	45444	D	RWI	English	E, ID, Pop; chanson	0203	SG
6070	0800	45444	D	SCR-SuperClan Radio	English	E, ID, Rockpop	0203	SG
6070	0845	45444	D	SCR-SuperClan Radio	German	ID, rpt R DARC, Rock	0203	SG
6070	0900	45444	D	RNI Goldrausch	German	D, ID, Goldrausch	0902	SG
6070	0900	45444	D	Jake FM	German	D, ID, Rock; M-HBF	0102	SG
6070	1000	45444	D	Radio DARC	German	ID, Afu; Technik; Pop	0902	SG
6070	1000	45444	D	Pop Shop Radio	English	E, ID, Rockpop	2202	SG
6070	1100	45444	D	Radio Decade	German	ID, Bull shit Hitparade	0202	SG
6070	1100	45444	D	Radio PowerRumpel	German	D, ID, Jub7 auf KW	0902	SG
6070	1200	45544	D	TRSW	English	E, ID, adr, Joe Carrasco	0203	SG
6070	1200	45444	D	SMRD via Ch292	German	D, ID, Auswertungen	0902	SG
6070	1300	45444	D	Korches Radio	German	D, ID, Faschingsendung	0902	SG
6070	1300	45444	D	Jake FM	German	ID, Jake FM KW show	2302	SG
6070	1400	45544	D	Kölsch in die Welt	German	D, MX, ID, Kölle Alaaf	0203	SG
6070	1400	45444	D	Jake FM	German	ID, Jake FM KW show	2302	SG
6070	1940	45544	D	Channel 292	English	E, Rockpop, ID	0403	SG
6085	0759	45433	D	Radio Mi Amigo Internat	English	E, ID, ann, Rockpop, ID	0303	SG
6090	1900	45544	CHN	CRI	Romanian	Romanian, ID, rpt, MX	0403	SG
6095	0900	55544	D	Welle 370 via Nauen	German	IS, ID, WRD Nachlese	0203	SG
6095	1200	55544	D	SMRD	German	D, ID, Auswertungen	0902	SG
6115	2030	45444	CHN	CRI	French	F, IS, ID, NX, MX, rpt	0403	SG
6130	0800	35433	HOL	Radio Europe	English	E, ID, Rockpop, ID	0203	SG
6140	0815	35433	HOL	Radio Onda	French	F, ann, classic MX, ID	0203	SG
6140	1020	35433	HOL	Radio Onda	French	F, Bolero MX, ID	0902	SG
6150	1010	45444	D	Europa 24	German	D, Pop, ID, Rockpop	0902	SG
6150	1215	35433	D	Europa 24	German	Pop, ID, NX, WX, Pop	0303	SG
6155	2000	55544	CHN	CRI	Russian	R, IS, ID, NX, MX, rpt	0303	SG
6160	1010	35433	D	Shortwave Radio Winsen	German	D, Instrumental, ID	0202	SG
6160	1800	45544	CHN	CRI	German	D, IS, ID, trad MX only	1302	SG
6160	1900	45544	CHN	CRI	German	D, IS, ID, trad MX only	1202	SG
6170	1900	35433	KRE	Stimme Koreas	German	D, IS, ID, MX, NX, rpt	0303	SG
7265	2030	55544	CHN	CRI	Italian	I, IS, ID, NX, MX, rpt	0103	SG
7285	2040	45444	CHN	CRI	English	E, ID, rpt economy	0103	SG
7295	2050	45444	CHN	CRI	English	E, ID, rpt economy	0103	SG
7350	2100	44544	CHN	CRI	French	F, ID, NX, MX, rpt	0303	SG
7375	2100	55544	ROU	RRI	French	IS, ID, NX, rpt literatur	0403	SG
7375	2128	55544	ROU	RRI	English	E, IS, ID, NX, MX, rpt	0403	SG
7445	2100	45444	CHN	CRI	Serbian	IS, ID, NX, MX, rpt	0203	SG
7445	2130	45444	CHN	CRI	Hungarian	IS, ID, NX, MX, rpt	0203	SG
7515	0030	32222	TJK	Radio Free Asia	Burmese	Talks	0103	AB
9405	1600	44443	TWN	Radio Taipei International	English	NewsGlobal Democracy	2802	AB
9425	1900	35433	KRE	Stimme Koreas	German	D, IS, ID, MX, NX, rpt	0303	SG
9440	2010	45544	CHN	CRI	English	E, ID, rpt reality people	0303	SG
9510	0900	45444	ROU	IRRS via Saftica	English	E, ID, UN Radio rpt	1502	SG
9510	0910	45444	ROU	IRRS via Saftica	English	E, ID, country time	1502	SG
9600	2010	45444	CHN	CRI	English	E, ID, rpt reality people	0303	SG
9600	2100	45444	CHN	CRI	English	E, ID, NX, rpt, MX	0303	SG
9615	1800	45544	CHN	CRI	German	D, IS, ID, trad MX only	0403	SG
9615	1900	45544	CHN	CRI	German	D, IS, ID, trad MX only	0403	SG
9620	1915	42432	IND	Akashvani - AIR	Arabic	A, ID, ann, MX, ann	0403	SG
9620	1930	42432	IND	Akashvani - AIR	French	F, IS, ID, ann, MX, NX	0403	SG
9620	1958	45544	IND	Akashvani - AIR	French	F, ID, ann, MX, rpt	0403	SG
9640	2120	45544	CHN	CRI	Spanish	S, ID, rpt cultural	0403	SG
9670	0900	45544	D	SuperClan Radio	English	E, Rockpop, ID	0902	SG
9670	0900	45544	D	SDXF	Swed-Eng	Swed-E, IS, ID, WRD	1302	SG
9670	0900	45444	D	Radio City	English	E, ID station of the cars	2202	SG
9670	1000	55544	G	Radio DARC	German	ID, Afu; Technik; Pop	2302	SG

9670	1000	45444	D	Radio Carpathia	English	ID, East Europe music	2202	SG
9670	1100	45444	D	Kölsch in die Welt	German	D, MX, ID, Höhner	0202	SG
9670	1100	45444	D	Encore	English	E, ID, classic music	2202	SG
9670	1200	45444	D	Radio Six International	English	E, ID, Rock and Jingles	0202	SG
9670	1300	45544	D	Jake FM	German	ID, Jake FM KW show	2302	SG
9670	1300	45444	D	TRSW	English	E, ID, Folkmusic	0202	SG
9670	1300	45444	D	TRSW	English	E, ID, Carrasco	0203	SG
9670	1400	45544	D	Jake FM	German	ID, Jake FM KW show	2302	SG
9705	2000	55544	CVA	Vatican Radio	English	IS, ID, NX, Africa Sce	0403	SG
9710	0720	45544	CVA	Vatican Radio	Ukrainian	Rom, Messe-Liturgy	0203	SG
9730	1900	44444	CHN	CRI	Portuguese	P, IS, ID, trad MX only	0403	SG
9730	2000	44444	VTN	VOV	German	D, ID, ann, NX, rpt, MX	0403	SG
9730	2030	44444	VTN	VOV	French	F, ID, ann, NX, rpt, MX	0403	SG
9730	2100	44444	VTN	VOV	Spanish	S, ID, ann, NX, rpt, MX	0403	SG
9730	2130	44444	VTN	VOV	English	E, ID, ann, NX, rpt, MX	0403	SG
9780	2000	55544	ROU	Radio Romania Actulidad	Romanian	NX, ID, sport	0303	SG
9865	2015	45444	CHN	CRI	Chinese	C, rpt, ann, ID, MX	0403	SG
9870	0700	45444	G	KBS-WR via WOF	Korean	Korean, IS, ID, NX, rpt	0203	SG
10000	0710	35433	USA	WWV-WWVH	English	E, Time signals, IDs	0203	SG
11530	0130	22222	KWT	Radio Free Asia	Uyghur	Talks	0203	AB
11620	0700	45544	ROU	RRI	German	IS, ID, NX, Wo-Spiegel	0203	SG
11700	0730	34433	F	RFI	French	F, ID, rpt Afrique, MX	0203	SG
11795	1235	43443	PHL	Radio Free Asia	Burmese	Talks	0103	AB
11805	1059	45544	G	Radio Joystick	German	D, IS, ID, CP-Show	0203	SG
11815	0725	45544	CVA	Vatican Radio	Ukrainian	Ukrain, Messe-Liturgy	0203	SG
11830	2030	34433	BOT	VOA-Relay	Hausa	Hausa, ID, NX, rpts	0303	SG
11850	2030	34433	BOT	VOA-Relay	Hausa	Hausa, ID, NX, rpts	0303	SG
11870	2000	43433	CVA	Vatican Radio	English	IS, ID, NX, Africa Sce	0403	SG
11870	2030	35433	CVA	Vatican Radio	French	IS, ID, NX, Africa Sce	0403	SG
11875	1240	43443	AUS	Reach Beyond Australia	English	Jesus,Kingdom of God	0203	AB
11885	2000	44444	VTN	VOV	German	D, ID, ann, NX, rpt	0403	SG
11885	2030	45444	VTN	VOV	French	F, ID, ann, NX, MX, rpt	0403	SG
11935	1245	43333	KWT	Radio Free Asia	Tibetian	Talks	0203	AB
11965	2000	45544	MDG	WCB	English	E, ID, bible bc, ID, adr	0203	SG
12015	0120	32332	KWT	Radio Free Asia	Uyghur	Talks	0203	AB
12140	0740	45433	KWT	R Azadi-Free Afghanistan	Pashto	Pashto, ID, ann, rpt, MX	0203	SG
12150	1240	44443	PHL	Radio Free Asia	Khmer	Talks	0203	AB
15110	0035	44443	PHL	Radio Free Asia	Burmese	Talks	0103	AB
15120	1240	44443	PHL	Radio Free Asia	Burmese	Talks	0103	AB
15120	0730	55544	ROU	RRI	Arabic	A, IS, ID, NX, rpt	0203	SG
15135	0740	45444	CHN	CRI	Spanish	S, ID, rpt Ukr-russ war	0303	SG
15155	1245	43443	PHL	Radio Free Asia	Khmer	Talks	0203	AB
15220	0700	45444	CHN	CRI	French	F, ID, NX, rpts, MX	0303	SG
15245	0200	32332	PHL	Radio Free Asia	Burmese	Talks	0103	AB
15270	1228	45544	TUR	TRT	German	IS, ID, NX, WRD; HBF	1302	SG
15300	0700	45444	F	RFI	French	F, ID, rpts, MX	0403	SG
15320	1205	43443	AUS	Reach Beyond Australia	Hindi	Bible Readings & Songs	0303	AB
15350	0750	55544	TUR	TRT	Turkish	MX, ID, rpt, MX	0203	SG
15460	1730	34433	D	AWR-Relay	Oromo	Oromo, IS, ID, bible bc	2901	SG
15460	1800	34433	D	AWR-Relay	Tigrinya	Tigrinya, ID, bible bc	2901	SG
15575	1300	32332	UAE	Radio Free Asia	Tibetian	Talks	0203	AB
17490	0700	55544	CHN	CRI	English	E, ID, NX, MX, rpts	0403	SG
17600	0750	45444	ALG	Ifriky FM	French	F, MX, ID, rpt, ID, MX	0203	SG
17615	0600	45444	CHN	CRI	German	D, IS, ID, trad MX only	0303	SG
17615	0700	45444	CHN	CRI	German	D, IS, ID, trad MX only	0303	SG
17720	0600	45544	CHN	CRI	German	D, IS, ID, trad MX only	0303	SG
17720	0700	45544	CHN	CRI	German	D, IS, ID, trad MX only	0303	SG
17750	0800	45544	ROU	RRI	Romanian	IS, ID, NX, MX	0203	SG

21580	0800	45444	F	RFI	French	F, ID, NX, MX, rpt	0403	SG
21690	0800	45444	F	RFI	French	F, ID, NX, MX, rpt	0403	SG

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**Thanks a lot to our club members for their contributions:**

AB : Ashok Bose on vacation at Kolkata, India. SIEMENS RK 759 Digital Radio with built in Telescopic 0.7 metres long.  
 SG : Siegbert Gerhard, Frankfurt am Main, Germany. AOR AR 7030 + 5m-EMF (Electric Magnetic Field) Antenna & Degen DE 1103 + Telescopic.

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Dear Friends,

Welcome to the March 2025 edition of Logbook which I am editing from my home in Brampton.

I was able to listen to shortwave and include my loggings, while I was in India on vacation.

Thanks also to our regular reporter Siegbert Gerhard for his contributions,

*Ashok Kumar Bose*

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Thanks to this month's contributors. As always, I invite you to continue contributing to this column. Keep sending your contributions if possible with copies of QSLs received - preferably in .jpg format with your name and city where you live.

Remember that the contributions for the next edition must be received by 11 April 2025 at 2300 UTC.

My best 73, *Dario*

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**AUSTRALIA:** Reach Beyond 11945 kHz. E-QSL received in 3 days in reply to report sent to: <radio@reachbeyond.org.au> (BS)

**BULGARIA:** Radio Taiwan International 5900 kHz via Kostinbrod. QSL received in 29 days in reply to report sent to: <deutsch@rti.org.tw> (BS)

**DENMARK:** Radio 208 1440 kHz. E-QSL received in 138 days in reply to report in Mp3 format sent to: <mail@radio208.dk> (SG)

Radio 208 5970 kHz. E-QSL received in 413 days in reply to report sent to: <mail@radio208.dk> (BS)

**GERMANY:** Freedom Radio 3955 kHz via Channel 292. E-QSL received in 3 days in reply to report sent to: <differentradio@yahoo.co.uk> (BS)



From the Isle of Music 3955 kHz via Channel 292. E-QSL received in 2 days in reply to report sent to: <tilfordproductions@gmail.com> (BS)

Jake FM 6070 kHz via Channel 292. E-QSL received in 3 days in reply to report sent to: <Radio@Jake-fm.de> (BS)

Radio City 9670 kHz via Channel 292. E-QSL received in 1 day in reply to report sent to: <citymorecars@yahoo.ca> (BS)



Korches Radio 6070 kHz via Channel 292. E-QSL received in 1 day in reply to report sent to: <QSL@Korches-Radio.de> (BS)

Radio Marabu via Channel 292 6070 kHz QSL received in 187 days in reply to report sent to: <RadioMarabu@t-online.de> (BS)

Radio Sylvia 3955 KHz via Channel 292. E-QSL received in 13 days in reply to report sent to: <info@radiosylvia.de> (BS)

Radio Slovakia International 6005 kHz via Radio 360.QSL received in 51 days in reply to report sent to: <rsi\_german@rtvs.sk> (BS)

SDXF 9670 kHz via Channel 292. QSL received in 21 days in reply to report sent to: <qsl@sdx.se> (BS)

**GERMANY/UZBEKISTAN:** NDR 6080 kHz via Tashkent (Uzbekistan), "Gruß an Bord" special Christmas eve broadcast to German sailors overseas, full data color post card. Received in 45 days (2 days postal delivery) for a report in German to <technik@nrd.de>.

Official address on the card: Norddeutscher Rundfunk. Technische Beratung, Hugh-Greene-Weg 1, D-22529 Hamburg, Germany - <<http://www.nrd.de/technik>>. (HB)

**JAPAN:** NHK Radio Japan has been issuing verification cards (confirmation cards) to people who have notified us that they are listening to our broadcasts. Please be advised that we have decided to stop issuing the Verification Cards. The cards will be sent for confirmations on broadcasts up to 20 March 2025. Thank you for your understanding and continued support. You can continue to submit your comments and requests to English language services through "Contact Us" on our website: <<https://www3.nhk.or.jp/nhkworld/en/contact/>>.

**TAJIKISTAN:** AWR 15255 KHz E-QSL received in 13 hours in reply to report sent to: <qsl@awr.org> (BS)

**TURKEY:** TRT/Voice of Türkiye 5945 kHz via Emirler (Türkiye). German service. Full data (wrong year) color QSL card January 2025 (Dome of the Rock Jerusalem). Received in 44 days (3 days for mail delivery) for e-mail report to head of German service <ufuk.gecim@trt.net.tr>. Postal address: Türkiye'nin sesi radiosu, P. K. 33-06443, Yenisehir, Ankara, Türkiye. (HB)

TRT Voice of Turkey 15270 kHz QSL received in 29 days in reply to report sent to: <deutsch@trt.net.tr> (BS)

**U.S.A.:** KMRT 9955 kHz via WRMI Radio Miami International. E-QSL received in 2 days in reply to report sent to: <imaginarystations@gmail.com> (BS)

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**HB** = Hansjoerg Biener, Nuremberg, Germany

**SG** = Siegbert Gerhard, Frankfurt am Main, Germany

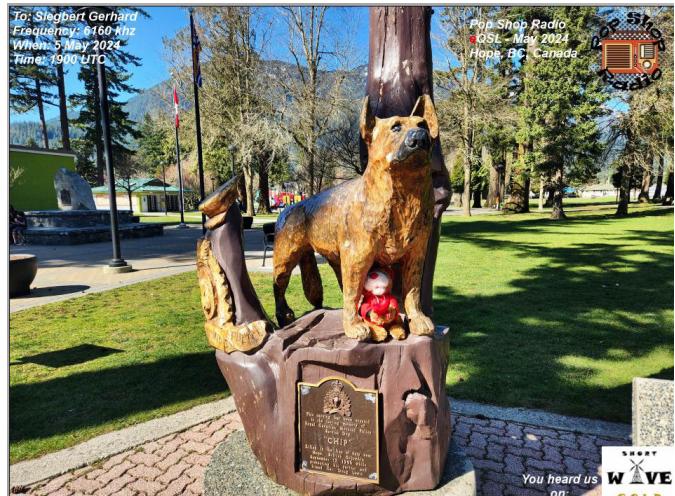
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## WWDXC-QSL-and-INFO-Series – Pop Shop Radio, Hope, BC, Canada

by Siegbert Gerhard, Frankfurt am Main, using detailed eQSL received by station operator DJ Tony



Special Pop Shop Radio eQSL for transmission to the German speaking countries Austria, Germany and Switzerland



Diese Holzschnitzerei wurde als Denkmal für den Polizeihund der RCMP namens Chip geschaffen, der am 13. September 1996 im Dienst in der Nähe von Hope, BC, getötet wurde, als er seinen Partner und Freund Constable Doug Lewis beschützte.



Wonderful scene of polar lights at the town of Hope.



Hope, British Columbia Square



Pop Shop Radio and DJ Tony are on the air on the shortwaves since September 2020.

# Pop Shop Radio best entertainment Radio Canadas international voice on shortwave