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Så är det åter dags att ställa samman ännu ett nummer av SWB.

Tyvärr kan konstateras att bara ett bidrag från Sverige anlänt och det kommer från vår kämpe Christer Brunström.

Anker Petersen i Skovlunde lyssnar också regelbundet och kommer med tips och annat.

Men vad skall vi göra med SWB i framtiden? Konventet närmar sig och det kanske kan vara lämpligt att fundera på framtiden. De som bidrar till loggen i övrigt lämnar ju exakt samma bidrag till flera andra publikationer.

DSWCI tar på sitt kommande årsmöte upp frågan om upplösning av klubben i slutet av 2016.

SWB är ju tänkt som en publikation för bevakning av tropikbanden och kanske även upp tom 41 m bandet. Men vad finns det kvar att lyssna på där? De flesta stationer har packat ihop och kör kvar på MV och FM.

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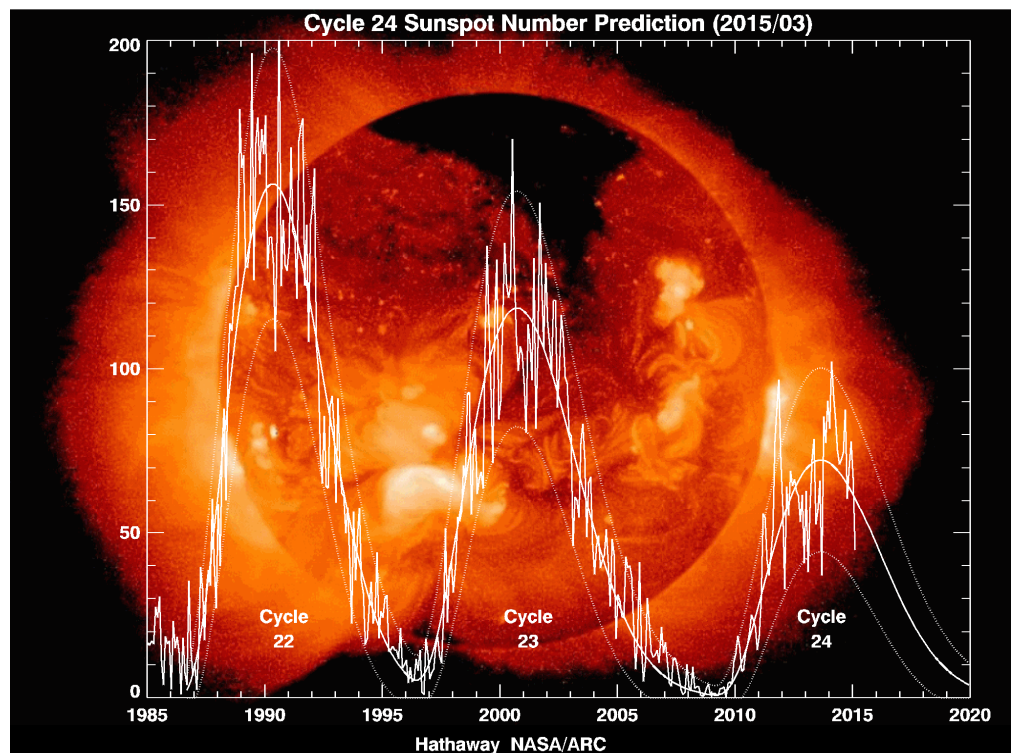
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QSL, kommentarer, mm.

Christer Brunström: Voice of Turkey 17755 QSL-kort och glasunderlägg.

Cycle 24 Sunspot Number Prediction (2015/03)



The current prediction for Sunspot Cycle 24 gives a smoothed sunspot number maximum of about 72 in late 2013. The smoothed sunspot number reached a peak of 81.9 in April 2014. This will probably become the official maximum. This second peak surpassed the level of the first peak (66.9 in February 2012).

Many cycles are double peaked but this is the first in which the second peak in sunspot number was larger than the first. We are currently over six years into Cycle 24.

The current predicted and observed size makes this the smallest sunspot cycle since Cycle 14 which had a maximum of 64.2 in February of 1906.

Read the full story at <http://solarscience.msfc.nasa.gov/predict.shtml>

2582u	Apr6	0035	Bermuda Harbour Radio "... Bermuda harbour radio... showers...65 degrees" (Wilkner)
2598u	Apr6	0010	VON St. John's Newfoundland "St John" weather "5 knots ..." om (Wilkner)
3229,6	Mar27	2221	Não identif. grega, canções gregas, texto; inserção de eco durante os segmentos não musicais; 25331. 2.ª harm. de 1614,8. Carlos Gonçalves
3272,8	Mar28	2245	Não identif. , música; 2.ª harm. de 1636,4, portadora instável; 15331. Carlos Gonçalves
3289,94	Apr9	0925	GBC Voice of Guyana, pop music under t-storm crackle "Dancing Girl" om "hits of the 60s and 70s" 1 April; — "there is no such trying as ..." om 0945 Caribbean music later into "Guiding Light "God Bless you all that know Jesus" 1002 New items regarding education in Guyana 7 April; - 1000 time pips in yl news (Wilkner)
3290-	Apr9	0642	JBA carrier, slightly on the lo side, signature of V. of Guyana still being on air, impossible copy vs storm and other noise now (Glenn Hauser, OK)
3310	Apr7	1013	Radio Mosoj Chaski, Cochabamba 1010 - 1025 silent 1 April; - 1013 yl in language to 1023 with strong signal 7 April (Wilkner)
3355	Apr5	1920	BBCWS via Meyerton, 1920, noted in passing with fair signal. (David Sharp NSW)
3365	Mar24	1045	PNG, Milne Bay, 1045, 1105, carrier only (XM)
3375,1	Apr7	1000	Radio Municipal São Gabriel da Cachoeira 1 April 1000 to 1012 om with Portuguese talk, very strong signal; - 0958 om in rapid Portuguese the brief music, a flute instrumental to 1003. (Wilkner)
3900	Apr4	1134	Hulun Buir PBS, 1134, fair with talk by a man and local music.(David Sharp NSW)
3905	Apr2	1101	NBC New Ireland, 1101, carrier only (XM)
3905t	Apr1	1018	NBC New Ireland 1018 to 1030 om seeming with some English mixed with ARO 1 April, 1005 om in English pick out a few words "those of the seventh" 2 April (Wilkner)
3915,00	Mar23	*2158-	BBC, via Kranji Big Ben IS, ID, 2200 English news - reactivated after two years 45333 AP-DNK
3925	Apr1		Radio Nikkei, Nemuro Choral music in Japanese with om and yl (Wilkner)
3945	Apr2	1103	VBTC, presumed, 1103, weak carrier only 2 April, 0958 with carrier 3 April (XM) carrier same time on 1 April ...rlw.
3990,00	Apr1	2315	Gannan PBS, Tianshui Chinese talk under stronger Xinjiang PBS in Uighur 22422 AP-DNK
4055	Apr4	1122	Radio Verdad, 1122, poor w/ sermon or similar by a man, hymn, distant t-storm QRN. (David Sharp NSW)
4055	Apr6	1019	Radio Verdad 0005 to 0010 Christian chorale music with distorted signal 6 April: - 1019 "What a Friend We have in Jesus" chorus 5-5-5- on 7 April (Wilkner)
4409,8	Apr6	0000	Unid- Bolivia, Radio Eco, Reyes 0000 to 0012 very weak signal possibly Eco if still on. (Wilkner)
4451,2	Apr3	2320	Radio Santa Ana, Santa Ana de Yacuma weak Spanish om 3 April; silent same time on 5 April (Wilkner)
4699,9	Mar26	2213	R.San Miguel, Riberalta, castelhano, entrevista, notícias da Bolívia na rubrica Contacto; 25332. Carlos Gonçalves
4699,9	Apr1	0920	Radio San Miguel, Riberalta noted om in Spanish 0920 on 1 April; 2320 weak signal on 3 April, 2305 - 2355 fade up with om en espanol, deep fades with marginal signal on 5 April (Wilkner)
4716,65	Apr3	2330	Radio Yura, Yura 2330 to 2345 weak signal om in Spanish noted 3 April; noted 1012 sign on on 9 April (Wilkner)
4747,5	Apr5	2355	Radio Huanta 2000 Huanta Ayacuch 2355 om under CODAR en espanol, 2359 vocalist briefly the om and yl chat (Wilkner)
4747,52	Apr2	1143	Huanta Dos Mil, 1143, very strong with huaynos, LSB always good to escape 4750 slop. (David Sharp NSW)
4750,00	Apr7	2115	Voice of China, Hailar, Nei Menggu Chinese ann and Chinese songs 35222 // 4800 (55344) AP-DNK
4755	Mar24	1042	The Cross Radio, 1042, M in apparent relig talk, poor w/ QRN but better than it has been lately 3/24, Micronesia, The Cross Radio, 1107, carrier only 2 April (XM)
4760	Apr5	1900	ELWA, 1900, threshold audio noted with only brief bits of talk coming through at 1905, stayed with it hoping for more audio that would lead to an ID without luck. Port Blair already off so not them. (David Sharp NSW)
4774,9	Mar27	2301	R.Tarma, Tarma, castelhano, texto, anúncios comerciais; 44433. Carlos Gonçalves
4774,9	Apr2	1136	Radio Tarma, 1136, uptempo man with huaynos noted in passing. (David Sharp NSW)
4775	Apr6	1043	Radio Tarma. Tarma rustic Peruvian flauta andina ..beautiful music, strong signal (Wilkner)
4785	Apr3	1008	R Caiari, presumed, threshold level signal (XM)

4789,79	Apr11	0945	R. Vision reactivated First noted at 0945 w/"La Voz Salvacion" pgm. 0955 break for ID by M giving freqs and e-mail addr, and what sounded like a sked, back to "La Voz Salvacion" pgm at 1001 to 1032 w/stopped for canned anmnt by M over "El Condor Pasa" bracketed by W giving TCs. 1038 nice canned ID by M after children signing, then W again w/TC. Good signal but audio distorted, but not quite as bad as it was when it went off months ago. Here's the link to a Youtube video I posted https://youtu.be/QUYEweMQzQA Dave Valko, Dunlo, PA, USA
4790	Apr11	1050	Radio Vision, very good signal, typical religious pgm, used to be my easiest Peru to hear but this was first time in quite awhile (XM)
4805	Apr5	2350	Radio Difusora do Amazonas, Manaus 2350 to 0010 weak in Portuguese 5/6 April (Wilkner)
4810	Apr6	0921	Radio Logos, Chazuta, Tarapoto 0921 - 0925 flauta andina in the clear, with minor CODAR 1 April; - 1020 again flauta andina, enjoyable listening at 1045 religious message on 6 April (Wilkner)
4810	Apr2	1130	Radio Logos, fair with talk by a man, no CODAR. (David Sharp NSW)
4810	Apr11	1048	R Logos, M w/ relig pgm, fair despite non-CODAR ute QRM (XM)
4810	Apr4	1908	Armenia Public Radio, news or similar, into Arabic vocals. (David Sharp NSW)
4815	Mar30	2147	R.Dif.ª, Londrina PR, propag. relig.; 34331, QRM adj. de sinal de estação ponto a ponto e da CHN, em 4820. Carlos Gonçalves
4824,5	Mar30	0024	La Voz de Selva, Iquitos, 0024, a rather strong threshold signal making serious attempts to break out into real audio but not quite successful (3/30), similar reception 1103 March 30 (XM)
4824,9	Mar26	2220	R.Canção Nova, Cachoeira Paulista SP, noticiário nacional obrigatório A Voz do Brasil; 25331. Carlos Gonçalves
4835	Mar28	1931	VL8A, Alice Springs, Territ.º do Norte, inglês, noticiário até às 1935, rubrica de chamadas de ouvintes; 25331. Recepção melhor em 30/3, pelas 1830. Carlos Gonçalves
4835,00	Apr7	2040	VL8A, Alice Springs, NT English conversation and songs 35232 AP-DNK
4845	Mar30	2144	R.Cultura do Amazonas, Manaus AM, texto; 33331, modulação muito débil, QRM de CODAR. Carlos Gonçalves
4845	Apr8	2350	R Cultura, Manaus, 2350, threshold level but struggling to make it to poor w/ real audio, never quite got there, first time for this in a long time April 8th (XM)
4845,02	Apr1	2250	R Cultura Ondas Tropicais, Manaus, AM Portuguese talk 25332 AP-DNK
4863,3	Mar26	2231	R.Alvorada (p*), Londrina PR, noticiário nacional obrigatório A Voz do Brasil; 23331, QRM de CODAR. *) será, c/ quase certeza absoluta, esta, por cálculo de azimute e intensidade de sinal, comparativamente c/ a outra est. brasileira que partilha a frequência, que, desta vez, nem apresenta desvio (v.infra). Carlos Gonçalves
4865	Mar28	2302	R.Verdes Florestas, Cruz.º do Sul AC, sermão dado por pe., no caso, estrangeiro, pelo sotaque; 34432, QRM de CODAR. Carlos Gonçalves
4865	Mar29	1103	R Verdes Florestes, Cruzeiro do Sul, M in talk, unable to ID lang, poor w/ QRN, one of the more regular morning Brazilians, I am surprised it does not get reported more often (XM)
4875	Mar25	0946	Radio Roraima, 0946. Brazilian mx (XM)
4910	Mar30	2131	VL8T, Tennant Creek, Territ.º do Norte, inglês, notícias, informação desportiva, às 2139, texto, música; 34332. Carlos Gonçalves
4915	Mar27	2309	R.Daqui, Goiânia GO, canções; 45433. Carlos Gonçalves
4925,2	Mar30	0022	R Educacao Rural, Tefe, steady threshold level signal but no intelligible audio (XM)
4939,9t,	Apr4	2330	Radio San Antonio de Atalaya, Ucayal 2330 to 2340 deep fades (Wilkner)
4940	Mar27	2234	R.San Antonio, Villa Atalaya, castelhano, música, informações da hora certa, canções; 35332. Carlos Gonçalves
4940	Mar29	1110	V of the Strait, Fuzhou, 1110, M in apparent Chinese cmntry, poor to fair w/ QRN (3/29) similar reception 1050 (3/28) (XM)
4949,7	Mar26	2350	Radio Nacional, 2350-0010, the surprise of the evening as this was coming in with a surprisingly good signal despite some severe QRN, tuned into a pgm of piano jazz, one song "Satan Doll," identifiable, M ancr in EG talked about a future pgm, this sounded much like a prerecorded VOA-type pgm but I cannot say that is what it was, M ancr into nx in PT at 00, W ancr in apparent cmntry in PT at 0006 March 26/27 (XM)
4949,75	Apr1	2020	R Nacional de Angola, Mulenvos Portuguese talk by woman 15321 AP-DNK
4949,75	Apr2	1810	RNdA, almost no audio defeating a strong S9+20 carrier, David Sharp NSW)
4955	Mar26	2233	R.Cultural Amauta, Huanta, quíchua, texto; 35332. Melhor captação em 27/3, pelas 23215. Carlos Gonçalves
4955	Apr2	1110	R. Cultural Amauta, strongest OA on the band with huaynos, ID by a man, mensajes. (David Sharp NSW)
4965,00	2310	Apr1	R Alvorada, Parintins, AM Portuguese religious talk, hymn 25222 AP-DNK
4965	Mar25	0943	Radio Alvorada, M in PT talk, poor (XM)
4975	Mar27	2216	R.Iguatemi, Osasco SP, texto; 25331. Carlos Gonçalves

4975,97	Apr5	1843	Radio Uganda, noted in passing with hi life, fair strength and good modulation. (David Sharp NSW)
4976,00	Apr7	2030	R. Kampala English conversation about typing names in Uganda 45233. AP-DNK
4985,5	Mar29	2246	R.Voz Cristiana, Chilca, castelhano, canções índias; 35332. Carlos Gonçalves
4985,5	Apr10	1105	Radio Voz Cristiana, Huancayo om en español with no rtty , music at 1109 (Wilkner)
4985,5	Apr9	0008	R V. Cristiana, tentative, 0008, as usual ute all over 4985, but something slightly north of that seemed to be trying to break through April 8th,— 23 at 2348, definitely there this evening, in the clear w/ strong threshold signal at 2348, at 2350 ute came on and gradually increased in strength but R Voz still getting through and seemed to get a bit stronger, 0008 found it still there and some real if unintelligible audio April 9/10 (XM)
4985,51	Apr2	1116	Radio Voz Cristiana, very strong with local music and comments by man. (David Sharp NSW)
4990	Apr7	0940	Radio Apintie, Paramaribo 0940 om in Dutch weak signal to 1000 (Wilkner)
5010,79	Apr2	1830	Radio Malagasy, 1830, strong with local vocals, much better modulation than during prior log of April 2nd (David Sharp NSW)
5019,9	Mar24	1044	SIBC,1044+, threshold w/ occasional actual audio, Radio Rebelde was powered down this morning March 24, Solomon Islands, SIBC, 1105, carrier only 2 April (XM)
5019,9	Apr2	1055	SIBC 1055 to 1100 weak audio, lsb 1.1k filter, to close geographically to Havana on 5025 (Wilkner)
5024,9	Apr2	1053	R. Quillabamba, 1053, noted as het against Rebelde and partial copy in LSB. (David Sharp NSW)
5025	Mar30	2133	VL8K, Katherine, Territ.º do Norte, cf. // 4910, mas apenas até à conclusão da informação desportiva, anúncios de programação, texto, relato de Vanuatu; 44332. Carlos Gonçalves
5025,00	Apr7	2130	VL8K, Katherine, NT English news 25222 // 4835 AP-DNK
5035	Mar26	2237	R.Aparecida, Aparecida SPnoticiário nacional obrigatório A Voz do Brasil; 44433, QRM da R.Educação Rural de Coari. Carlos Gonçalves
5035,05	Mar26	2236	R.Educação Rural, Coari AM, canções, anúncio da freq., informações da hora, ao que se seguiu rubrica de mensagens de ouvintes; 34432, QRM da R.Aparecida. Carlos Gonçalves
5050	Mar29	1112	Beibu Bay Radio, pretty much limited to a threshold level signal (XM)
5066,4	Apr2	1743	Radio Candip, fair with hi life, battling utility. (David Sharp NSW)
5850	Mar29	0035	(Non) Slovakia, Radio Slovakia Intl, via RMI, 0035 w/ nx and pgm about Slovakia, nice to hear them in some way even if not direct (XM)
5939,7	Mar29	2249	R.Voz Missionária, Camboriú SC, pregador "a despejar" propag. relig.; 35433. Carlos Gonçalves
5950	Mar30	1832	Voz da Revolução do Tigrê, Geja Dera (ou Geja Jawe?), tigrínia (?), texto, canções do Corno de África; 35433. Carlos Gonçalves
5952,4	Mar27	0016	Radio Pio XII, M in SP talk, very poor (XM)
5952,42	Apr3	1143	Radio Pio XII, 1143, fair with local music, LSB essential to escape 5955 slop. April 3rd 3/4 (David Sharp NSW)
5952,5	Mar26	2245	R.Pío XII, Siglo XX, castelhano, noticiário; 35332. Carlos Gonçalves
5970	Mar26	2243	R.Itatiaia, Belo Horizonte MG, noticiário nacional obrigatório A Voz do Brasil; 33431, QRM da CHN (p). Carlos Gonçalves
5980	Apr11	0046	JBA carrier from R. Chaski; autocutoff happens at 0107:58.5* which is 5.5 seconds later than last night, back to customary slippage. My streetlight RF burst and visible ignition haven't happened yet, even tho sunset horizon is cloudy, but surely within the next few minutes when I miss it (Glenn Hauser, OK)
5980	Apr2	1152	Radio Chaski, t/in to convenient "Radio Chaski" ID by a man, poor. (David Sharp NSW)
5980	Apr11	0032	R Chaski, nice, soft SP ballads, fair but signal deteriorated after 0040, still on 0107 but off on 0145 check (XM)
6010	Mar30	2204	R.Inconfidência, Belo Horizonte MG, noticiário nacional obrigatório A Voz do Brasil; 23441, QRM da CHN. Carlos Gonçalves
6015	Mar26	1419	Hanminjok Bangsong 1. No NK jammer & doing well w/ zippy pop, M/W DJ chat, occ. IDs in passing + 1 "Radio.....Bangsong.." singing jingle. 1401-1435 27 March. Again no NK jamming @ tune-in, interview w/ young pop singer, nice singing jingle, apparently some ads/news items, another (p) interview through BOH--rumble jammer started up around 1435. (Dan Sheedy)
6020	Apr9	1332	KOREA NORTH [non], very poor signal with YL in English, piano, contact info for Sea Breeze, so still here via JSR Tokyo, and still in English on Thursdays (Glenn Hauser, OK)
6030	Mar28	1919	R.Oromiya, Geja Jawe, oromo, música pop' local; 34432, bloqueada pela Bible Voice, às 1930. Carlos Gonçalves
6030	Apr4	1953	Radio Oromiya, presumed, strong with HOA vocals. (David Sharp NSW)
6035	Apr2	1118	Yunnan Peoples Broadcasting Station, threshold signal, listed as Chinese to SE Asia (XM)
6040	Mar26	0925	Radio RB2, presumed with threshold talk by a man, mostly unreadable. (David Sharp NSW)

6040	Mar31	2227	RB2 Curitiba, presumed, 2227-0002, // 6135, 9630, 11855; not hd 9725 and 11935, pgms w/ both cmntry and mx in PT, best on 6040 and 6135, at this time I am not sure if everything on these freqs is RB2 or are some still R Aparecida, I was unable to get an ID (XM)
6040,1	Mar26	2301	R.B2 (*), Curitiba PR, segmento de propag. política obrigatório, até às 2310, anúncios de programação e comerciais; 44432, QRM de não identificada. *) e não "R.RB2" como, por lapso, indiquei no relato de princípio de Março. Carlos Gonçalves
6050	Mar30	-1514*	Salam FM (via RTM-Kajang) 1505-14* . Running late w/ Qur'an recitations/commentary, nice singing jingle w/ spoken tag before usual abrupt s/off. (Dan Sheedy)
6054,15v	Apr10	2337	RAE Found off-freq and very distorted again at 2337 UTC w/usual mx pgm hosted by M w/infrequent anmnts. Finally ID/IS/Jazz mx routine at 2355, then the signal going off the air at 2356. But unlike the last time, they didn't appear to jump up to their nominal 6060 this time. Strong signal. Here's a link to a Youtube video I posted https://youtu.be/28UH81i8hiA Dave Valko, Dunlo, PA, USA
6070	Mar29	2237	CFRX, Toronto ON, retransm. da CFRB, inglês, entrevista, anúncios de programação e comerciais; 35332. Carlos Gonçalves
6070	Apr4	2346	CFRX Toronto "traffic reports every fifteen minutes " (Wilkner)
6080	Mar26	2303	R.Marumby, Curitiba PR, segmento de propag. política obrigatório; 33432, QRM da CHN. Carlos Gonçalves
6089,87	Apr5	1800	FRCN Kaduna, noted as low rumbling het with decent copy in LSB- sounded like a speech or rally in local vernacular, some hi life. Not noted day earlier. (David Sharp NSW)
6110	Mar30	1838	R.Fana, Geja Dera (ou Geja Jawse?), oromifa (?), texto, entrevistas, música da região; 35433. Carlos Gonçalves
6115	Apr5	1822	Radio Congo, just caught fill music they sometimes use at end of broadcast, plug pulled at 1825. Good. April 2nd , 1815, good with a man reading news, music snippets between some stories, into actuality. (David Sharp NSW)
6120	Mar27	2241	SRDA, São Paulo SP, noticiário nacional obrigatório A Voz do Brasil; 34422, QRM de AIA. Carlos Gonçalves
6120	Apr5	1826	TWR Manzini, very strong with vernacular hymn, into IS x2 at 1829 and plug pulled. (David Sharp NSW)
6125,1	Apr4	0138	JBA carrier, surely the slow sinking 150-watt Rdif. Nacional del Uruguay on its characteristic off-frequency. HFCC A-15 shows nighttime 6125.0 competition is now only: 0230-0300 IBRA via UAE in Persian 0300-0400 DW via South Africa in Swahili I think we can dispense with RRI Nabire, Indonesia, supposedly at 23-02 & 05-08 which even if active would be local daytime (Glenn Hauser, OK)
6134,8	Mar27	0014	Radio Santa Cruz , anuncios, pop SP mx, in het with apparent 6135 R Aparecida, Brasil (XM)
6134,80	Apr5	2310	Radio Santa Cruz and recheck at 2355 with live sports event. best lsb (Wilkner)
6135,2	Mar27	2242	R.Aparecida, Aparecida SP, noticiário nacional obrigatório A Voz do Brasil; 44433, QRM adjacente. // 9630v fora do ar. Carlos Gonçalves
6155	Apr11	0042	Radio Fides possible anuncio by W anc, poor w/ QRN (XM)
6160	Mar29	2209	CKZN, São João da Terra Nova, inglês, noticiário; 34432, QRM adjacente. Carlos Gonçalves
6160	Apr4	2345	CKZN St. John's talk regarding parking lot "out of Edmunton on line .." Jazz FM (Wilkner)
6173,95	Apr2	1148	R. Tawantinsuyo, noted in passing as het against nominal but fair copy of huaynos in LSB. (David Sharp NSW)
6180	Mar23	0820	R Nd Brasil, good with light ballads, talk by a man. (David Sharp NSW)
6240,1	Mar29	1818	Não identif. (R.Marabu_D?), música pop', ID não perceptível; 25331. A R.Marabu costuma usar 6240,1, mas a ID escutada não pareceu tal, de todo. Carlos Gonçalves
6290	Mar28	2307	NMD R._HOL, inglês (unicamente p/ a ID), música pop', anúncios do end.º de correio electr.º; 45433. Carlos Gonçalves
6294,85	Mar28	1910	R.Python_HOL, inglês, música pop', texto; 35433. Carlos Gonçalves
6300	Mar27	1914	R.Montferland_HOL, holandês/inglês, música pop', texto, anúncio do end.º de correio electr.º; 35433. Carlos Gonçalves
6300	Mar30	-2220*	Não identif._HOL, canções; 55444 (!).Carlos Gonçalves
6305	Mar28	1912	R.Telstar_HOL, holandês, texto, canções holandesas; 45444. Carlos Gonçalves
6305,1	Mar28	2309	Não identif., música pop', canções ligeiras, jazz; 45433. Carlos Gonçalves
6945U	Mar29	0143	Wolverine Radio. Programme of songs with "devil" in the title..Johnny Cash: "Devil's Right Hand", etc. & tnx HF Underground for the ID. (Dan Sheedy)
7120	Apr2	1738	Radio Hargeisa, very strong with local vocals. (David Sharp NSW)
7175	Apr5	1750	VoBME, seems to switch between this and 7185v; good with nice local music. (David Sharp NSW)
7184,98	Apr2	1726	VoBME, talk by a man, HOA music, strong. (David Sharp NSW).
7254,9	Mar30	1801	NIGERIA (tent.): news in English, female, fair signal, clear and good modulation. About

Nigeria and ECOWAS mainly, style of newsreading sounded very much like Voice of Nigeria, but certainly not the old Ikorodu transmitter. Must have been signed off just before 1830 already. No DRM on 15120 so far today. No 15120.0 morning programme noted the past few days. 73, Thorsten Hallmann, Münster, www.muenster.org/uwz/ms-alt/africalist (to be updated soon) wb

 Hi Thorsten, noted the same station (7254.9) at the same time also here in Finland. Couldn't pull out ID due to local QRM noise. 73, Jari Savolainen via wb

 re 7255.0 even, now R Belarus covered, they re-shuffled their schedule via Minsk Kalodzicy 6080, 7255, 11730, 11930 kHz totally. wb

7260	Apr3	0958	R Vanuatu, 0958 carrier 3 April, 1104+, two carriers here, one stronger than the other, CRI Xian and Vanuatu suspected 2 April (XM)
7265,00	Apr4	1230	Hamburger Lokalradio, Göhren English programme "With Good Reason" with interviews first about dialects in Germany, then about Germany's colonial experiences in Africa, 1251 English ID, song 45344 AP-DNK
7620,1	Mar28	1908	R.Waves Int'l_F, música pop'; 25432, QRM ocasional, de estação de ponto a ponto. Carlos Gonçalves
7730	Mar26	*1400-	unID (poss. SOH) 1420-40 24 March, *1400+ 26 March. 1405-30+ 27 March. Vy weak in CH, chat-style & between-chat sounders sound very much "SOH-ish", so possibly a different SOH programme than has been heard on 11530/500/470/430..def. not CNR1 & nothing but WRMI/RTI (Okeechobee) sked in Aoki here. (Dan Sheedy)
8989u	Apr5	2305	Nicaragua "El Pescador Preacher" 2305 - 2311 preacher with long talk in Spanish with intentional interference for second station 5 April, frequency covered ute, same time, on 3 and 4 April (Wilkner)
9395	Mar31	2255	Sunpower Radio, via WRMI, apparently brokering typical relig pgms, one ID did note using the facilities of WRMI, I am wondering if Globalpower 24 was deliberately set up to help attract an audience to this freq w/ the idea it would then be replaced (XM)
9420	Mar31	2220	VOIRI, AR pgm w/ nx, cmntry, and some Middle East mx, I was looking for ERT Open from Greece but was probably several hours too late (XM)
9500	Apr2	*1500-	RRI (Tiganesti). IS just sneaking through CNR1, with residual FEBC Hindi in there, as well. RRI sked in RU 15-1530 //11870. (Dan Sheedy)
9505,000	Apr1	0640	Omdurman Sudan logged with nice lady singer program like HOA Amharic. Voice of Africa at 0640 UT April 1, Aoki Nagoya list show 0600-0900 UT, in Tigre, Amharic, Swahili, and English. S=8 -72dBm just above threshold, echo-audio ID by female announcer at 0651 UT. Nice catch in our East AF to Europe fade-out morning propagation, IS at 0652 UT. Seemingly a pause music audio heard til 0700 UT ... strange appearance now and then. Fair signal just above threshold here in southern Germany. wb
9505,03	Apr5	1835	Voice of Africa, English, discussion by several men about South Sudan and other political issues, in the clear but modulation was distorted. (David Sharp NSW)
9550	Apr3	1450	CRI (Beijing) 1450-57*, *1500+ 3 Apr. Closing/opening VT programme w/ IS/ID. (Dan Sheedy)
9560	Apr1	0730	DP07 (via Kall) med sjöväderrapport på engelska och tyska för tyska farvatten. Det ska också komma en sändning 12.00 UTC på samma frekvens. 3-4 CB
9565,05	Mar26	0745	SRDA, long winded sermon, // 9586.9. (David Sharp NSW)
9586,9	Mar30	2156	SRDA, São Paulo SP, anúncios informativos, ID e indicação das freqs., canção, e a A Voz do Brasil, às 2200; 35433. Carlos Gonçalves
9586,9	Mar26	0735	SRDA, sermon, fair signal but peaking to good level. (David Sharp NSW)
9630	Mar30	2140	R.Aparecida, Aparecida SP, progr. Cantinho Sertanejo; 44433, modulação c/ algum ruído, QRM adjacente. Carlos Gonçalves
9630	Mar23	0830	Radio Aparecida, poor with Portuguese talk by a man. (David Sharp NSW)
9635	Apr2	1200	VoV Son Tay, worth noting this is back on (or very close) to nominal freq, quite strong. (David Sharp NSW)
9645,38	Mar26	0730	Radio Bandeirantes, lively conversation, into ads or similar, fair. (David Sharp NSW)
9700	Mar27	*1259-	R.NZi, Rangitaiki, *1259-1325 inglês, noticiário, etc.; 15431, QRM adj., mais tarde. Carlos Gonçalves
9700	Mar23	1405	RNZI Unheard 23 March @ 1405 check, but back to normal @ 1410, 1420 on 24, 26 March. (Dan Sheedy)
9745	Apr4	1918	Bahrain [non], checking for Radio Bahrain and the freq is no longer clear this hour, covered by Firedrake. (David Sharp NSW)
9819,68	Mar26	0720	Radio 9 de Julho, Brasopops, talk by a man, very good. 26 March, David Sharp NSW. 11764.72 SRDA, 0753, noted in passing and // to 31m outlets. Poor. 26 March, David Sharp NSW. 11780.11 RNdA, 0800, strong with news by a man. 26 March, (David Sharp NSW)
9835	Mar27	1410	Sarawak FM (via RTM-Kajang). Broadcasting what sounds like another local/regional

			"Tilawah al-Qur'an" from tune-in to 1444 followed by big, zippy "Satu [One] Malaysia" promo/song w/ 1 EG verse, ad string for banks, etc in Kuching, Sarawak FM tag, nice guitar instrumental leading into what sounded like a promo for one of the Sarawak FM DJs. (Dan Sheedy)
11590	Mar31	1445	RBA. Opening EG //15340 w/ "Sharing A Message Of Hope--Reach Beyond Australia", into "A Different Perspective"..not // after 1500, though--1/2/3 Apr. check @ 1408-50 found 11590 off the air--& a wiggle of my "boina para exitos en DX" to Glenn Hauser for his tip that RBA is on 12075 (a/o 3 April, apparently)..heard w/ tuning signal/ID loop @ 1326 on 4 April w/ opening anct. greeting listeners in South Asia @ 1330 (& still listing 11590 kHz as the freq.) (Dan Sheedy)
11710,73	Apr2	0325	RAE, surprised to find this with good level, local music and talk by a man, best in USB to escape het with weak unidentified station on nominal. (David Sharp NSW)
11725	Mar28	1850	R.NZi, Rangitaiki, inglês, entrevistas, anúncios de programação, noticiário das 1900,...., idem, às 2000; 54433, QRM adjacente. Carlos Gonçalves
11735	Mar31	1035	R.Transmundial, St. ^a M. ^a RS, propag. relig.; 15432. Carlos Gonçalves
11735	Mar27	1904	Zanzibar BC, Dole, suaíli, noticiário, seguido de oração corânica; 44433, modulação deficiente. Carlos Gonçalves
11735	Apr2	1926	Radio Zanzibar, good with Swahili man, East African and Arabic vocals. (David Sharp NSW)
11760	Apr2	2100	RHC, armchair copy with greetings to listeners by a man and a woman, frequent IDs. (David Sharp NSW)
11764,75	Mar31	1033	SRDA, Curitiba PR, propag. relig.; 23431, QRM adjacente. Carlos Gonçalves
11765	Apr11	0046	Super Radio Deus e Amor, apparent preaching, but very poor signal just barely above threshold level (XM)
11855	Mar29	0135	R. Aparecida. M/W PT religious chat w/ occ. modern Christian-pop..apparently a popular programme as also heard on RB2 11935, 6040 + bits/pieces on Aparecida-9630 (mostly covered by (P) CNR1-Geermu)..just a vy weak carrier on 9725 w/ ACI from RRI-9730, while 6135 was all Santa Cruz this evening. (Dan Sheedy)
11855,1	Mar31	1031	R.Aparecida, Aparecida SP, notícias, texto,...., música, por volta das 1100; 14431, QRM adjacente. Carlos Gonçalves
11934,97	Mar26	2304	R.B2, Curitiba PR, segmento de propag. política obrigatório, até às 2310, anúncios de programação e comerciais, canções; 44433, QRM adjacente. Anunciou // 1430 kHz. Carlos Gonçalves
11935	Apr4	2105	RB2, Curitiba med brassemusik och täta annonseringar. 3 CB
11935	Mar22	0128	RB2. Poor with PT religious chat/interview, occ. Christian contem-pop, quick electronic zap stinger @ 0200 w/ ID..finally got a decent // on previously unheard 9725 (very poor) & even 6040 was making an effort this evening altho @ a nearly imaginary level. (Dan Sheedy)
12015	Mar31	1530	Voice of Mongolia in English to Europe. It seems Voice of Korea has now vacated the frequency at this time. 3 CB
13840	Mar27	-1258*	R.NZi, Rangitaiki, 1101-1258*, inglês, noticiário,...., música; 45433. Carlos Gonçalves
15190,15	Mar26	0709	R. Inconfidencia, tentative with threshold bits of audio but never more than JBA. (David Sharp NSW)
15310	Mar30	1437	BBC (Al-Seela). "World Have Your Say" programme about living on the streets of LA. (Dan Sheedy)
15476,00	Apr1	2015	R Nacional Arcángel San Gabriel, Base Esperanza woman and man talking in Spanish, music 25332 AP-DNK
15490	Apr2	1406	CNR1 (jammer). Loud v. (unhrd) VoT 15492. (Dan Sheedy)
15510	Apr1	1420	unID 1420-23* . Possibly a Babcock test..eclectic short music pieces (classical, Caribbean, Hindi), "You're listening to a test transmission.." w/ email addr. for reception reports..1357-58* 2 Apr. Tail-end of same test recording. (Dan Sheedy)
15525	Mar31	*1500-	AWR (Trincomalee). IS, Nepali tune, opening anncts & hymns. (Dan Sheedy)
15525	Apr2	-1400-	VoT (Talata-Volonondry) *1400-07*, then 15530 *1408+ w/ CNR1 jammer JBA in the background. (Dan Sheedy)
15535	Mar30	1412	R. Cairo (Abis). Throwing spurs +/- 10 kHz this morning w/ almost decent audio on nominal QRG..@ 1425 1 Apr. Cairo with only a strong OC, no audio (no spurs, either, so I guess that's a plus). (Dan Sheedy)
15590	Apr2	1356	CNR1 (jammer) 1356-1400*. Crunching VoT-15587 (Aoki shows 15588, but VoT zero-beats to 15587 on the G5) also on 15540 v. VoT 15542. (Dan Sheedy)
15600	Apr2	1414	VOA (Selebi-Phikwe), *1400+ 3 Apr. "Welcome to the Voice of America in Kurdish", news/rpts in Kurdish + www.VOAnews.com/Kurdish web info @ BOH..good signal but some kinda digital QRM in there as well. (Dan Sheedy)
15720	Mar28	2255	R.NZi, Rangitaiki, inglês, música, anúncio destinado a Vanuatu, noticiário das 2300; 35433.< Carlos Gonçalves

15735 Apr3 1410 NHK (Tashkent). Echoey signal w/ EG programme (sked 1400-1430).. national news/tourist destinations in Japan. (Dan Sheedy)
 17600 Apr1 *1500- Radio Tamazuj (Issoudun) *1500. Nice signal w/ opening info in Sudanese AR //15150 (Talata-Volonondry), 15550 (Santa Maria di Galeria). (Dan Sheedy)
 17605 Mar31 *1430- AWR (Moosbrunn). IS, ID & "the following programme is in Afar..", zippy HOA tune & Afar chat. (Dan Sheedy)
 17780 Apr1 1415 BBC (Ascension) 1415-30*. Hausa programme (mostly about the Nigerian elections), "BBC Hausa" contact info. (Dan Sheedy)

CNR1 Jammers: Conditions were very noisy here when I turned on the receiver/computer at 1030. Nothing new or unusual, but I did find a total of 17 freqs with CNR1 jammers on Sound of Hope. It's not the most ever noted at one time (I think I had 21 once). For your amusement, I made a video and posted it on Youtube. Here's the link; <https://youtu.be/x-WMzTeGWks> (9 April) 73, Dave Valko, Dunlo, PA USA

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Station news

PERU: R. Vision reactivated. See the log for info. Also noted here in Ängelholm Apr 11 at 2335. /TN

Other radio news

Free Issue DX Times

Hi all, The New Zealand Radio DX League invites you to download the April issue of the DX Times for free from <http://www.radiodx.com/wp-content/uploads/2015/04/DX-Times-Standard-2015-4.pdf>

This is a marketing promotion aimed at making people aware that the New Zealand Radio DX League exists and is still flourishing 66 years on from its inception!

Please forward this to anyone you think may be interested.

Regards, Paul, ZL4PW via HCDX

En pärla i etern: Radio Sepofán Vaya Yuger i Honduras!

Så hördes den på nytt, efter många års misslyckade försök, den exklusiva stationen i Honduras på 4666 kHz, Radio Sepofán Vaya Yuger, som bara är igång detta datum! Vid 6-tiden i morse kunde en ganska klar signal lirka fram, med en underlig musik, som påminde om gurgling. En koll på stationens hemsida avslöjade, att det var strupsång som sändes, och förklaringen fanns också att läsa. Stationens ägare, den något bisarre munken Luiz Vascobasco, har tillbringat många år som missionär i Mongoliet och Tannu-Tuva, där han gjort otaliga inspelningar av strupsång, som är en mongolisk specialitet. Tyvärr lär QSL från den pittoreska ön Bahia, där stationen ligger, inte vara att vänta, Don Luiz är alldeles för upptagen av andra göromål - han lär syssla med att försöka införa en del mongoliska riter i den katolska gudstjänsten, ett projekt han lägger ner all sin kraft på att propagera för men som mötts av undran och avsmak i Vatikanen.

Men har du lyckats höra stationen har du utfört en fantastisk dx-bedrift, det kan jag intyga!

(73, Ullmar Qvick via NORDX)

Från eterlotsar till etableringslotsar

Hej på er. Har hittat en grej att kolla på SVT-Play: 5 x Olle Häger Säsong 1 - Avsnitt 6. 58 min.

<http://www.svtplay.se/video/2797832/hundra-svenska-ar/hundra-svenska-ar-sasong-1-avsnitt-6>

Kolla 36,38 till 38,06 min in i filmen Där framträder några DX-are från 50-60-talet med bla en DUX mottagare samt en AGA 1771 bara att glåma. Men ni kanske redan har sett det??!!

(73 de Dan Andersson via NORDX)

Med tack till Dan för hänvisningen till Olle Hägers program (se länken i slutet av meddelandet), vill jag tillägga följande:

Den tunnhåriga mannen som rattar sin AGA 1771 heter John G. Andersson, bosatt i Oskar-Fredriksborg, 5:a i SM:et i kortvågslyssning 1955. Ett foto i Teknikens Värld från den publika finaldrabbningen i Medborgarhuset visar att han var precis lika tunnhårig då. Men vimplarna på väggen i det filmade avsnittet är inte från 50-talet utan från 60-talet.

I ett annat klipp, nu från veckotidningen Året Runt som hade en egen radioklubb (!) finner jag följande pärla från 1949:

"ETERLOTSAR. Som framgick av vår utsändning från Leopoldville den 14 september, planerar vi att arrangera specialprogram även för andra korporationer än radioklubbar, t. ex. Godtemplarorden, Sveriges Scoutförbund, Ungdomens Röda Kors, amatörfotografer, m. fl. En hel del medlemmar av dessa organisationer torde dock inte vara tillräckligt insatta i kortvågsmottagning för att kunna ta in stationerna själva, och därför hoppas vi att lokala kortvågsklubbar och kunna kortvågslissnare vill ställa sej till förfogande som eterlotsar.

Det gäller bara att kunna ta in sådana stationer som Leopoldville, Montreal, Rom o.d. och att vara villig att hjälpa till, t. ex. genom att bjuda hem enskilda personer, som är intresserade av att höra på en viss utsändning. Klubbarna bör utse någon som är villig att från allmänheten ta emot förfrågningar angående sådan assistens och sedan fördela uppdragen på de enskilda medlemmarna. (...)"

Från ETERLOTSAR till ETABLERINGSLOTSAR gick det alltså ca 60 år. Oh tider, oh seder, som de gamla romarna sa.

(Henrik Klemetz via NORDX)

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Part 1: The 43rd edition of the Tropical Bands Survey covering all **ACTIVE** broadcasting stations on 2300 - 5700 kHz, including clandestines.

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This new Survey is based upon monitoring by our members, many official sources and DX-bulletins. A15 schedules are included when available. In order to make the DBS reliable, our own monitors around the world have checked throughout the period April 2014 – March 2015, if each of the 530 station frequencies is on the air. **ACTIVE** stations are marked with an A ("Regular"), B ("Irregular") or C ("Sporadic") in the list. D means "Likely inactive".

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