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Statistics

STATUS OF MEMBERS' LOGS - SHORT WAVE (EX-CEPT AMATEUR)

Compiled by Eob Knox

Reporter	ZONES		COUNTRIES		Best Broadcast Verie	Best non-broadcast verie
	Lgd.	Vfd.	Lgd.	Vfd.		
Legge-Va.	40	37	172	156	ZNR, Aden, 12115kc	Norfolk I., 8887kc, 1956
Stauhs-N. J.	38	38	151	140	FIQA, Tananarive, Madagascar, 250w 3-13-52	NAVE, Mt. Olympus, Antarctica, 17820kc 12-12-46
Shirley-Pa.	38	36	117	99	FIQA, Tananarive, Madagascar, 1kw 9515kc 2/55	.....
Flynn-Calif.	37	34	121	100	Fuckapunyal, Vic., Australia, 7850kc 75w 2-1-56	ZQC, Piarco Airport, Trinidad, 8845.5, 5-30-56
Sosnowski-Mich.	37	29	79	52	Baghdad, Iraq, 11705kc 16kw, 2-22-55	.....
Waite-N. Y.	36	36	141	136	ZMBJ, S. S. Awatea, 500mi. from Sydney (see note)	KRTK, Little America, Antarc., 12862kc 4-13-40
Kneitel-N. Y.	35	30	126	97	.....	XSG, Shanghai, China, 8502kc 2-16-56
Kenney-Calif.	35	24	100	50	CKFX, Vancouver, B.C., 6080kc, 10w, 3-7-56	MSF, Rugby, England, 10mc 500w 2-8-56
Dagold-Md.	33	25	102	59	FBS#5, Benghazi, Libya, 4930kc 7½kw	VLNB, Sidney, Australia, 8095kc (PtP telephone)
Dexter-Iowa	31	29	95	78	.....	.....
Perkins-Ohio	31	26	61	55	CR7BH, Mozambique, 11764kc 7500w 4-27-51	.....
Styer-Pa.	31	20	78	31	N. Vietnam, 15024kc 8/56	.....
Cumbe-Tex.	31	18	62	26	DZH7, Manila, P.I., 10kw, 9730kc, 1955	KUA217, Honolulu, T.H., 35.58mc, 390w 9/56
Risse-Ga.	30	25	77	48	CFVP, Calgary, Alta., 6030kc, 100w 11-23-53	MSF, Teddington, England, 10mc, 500w, 6-11-55
Hamill-Calif.	30	...	60	...	.....	.....
Krejny-Ohio	27	22	71	46	FBS, Benghazi, Libya, 4930kc, 7½kw, 12-21-55	.....
Potter-Ont.	26	15	61	19	ZL7, Wellington, N.Z., 6080kc 6-24-55	4XO, Haifa, Israel, 8485kc 3kw 8-24-56
Fidler-N. Y.	26	13	53	27	Damascus, Syria, 1-21-56	.....
Parsons-Pa.	25	23	79	72	VLW11, Perth, W.A., 11840kc, 2kw, 11-14-55	Linz, Austria, 14490kc 9-14-53 (Austrian P&T)
Lendzioszek-Mass.	23	23	57	57	VK9MI, m.v. Kaninbla at Adelaide, Aust., 6010, 1/39	NOL, Pt. Higgins, T.A., 2670kc, 3kw, 2-9-49
Stutterheim-Md.	21	15	55	32	VL16, Sidney-Australia, 6090kc, 2kw, 9-18-55	FZB47, Paramaribo, Surinam, 3kw, 1-14-56
Brooks-Kans.	19	19	42	27	JOB5, Japan, 15235kc, 50kw, 4-9-56	.....
Stanbury-Ont.	15	15	51	45	HLKA, Seoul, S. Korea, 2510kc, 10kw, 4/53	KIS, Anchorage, T.A., 2973kc, 4/56. (CAA station)
Teal-Conn.	..	..	150	10	Melbourne, Australia, 11-740kc, 100kw, 11-3-56	.....
Knox-N. Y.	..	..	122	25	VLT5, Port Moresby, Papua, 7280kc 2kw, 8-4-48	KRNP, Reno, Nevada, 1634kc (State police) 1948
Lehmberg-Pa.	..	..	97	81	V. of A., Okinawa, 6145kc, 35kw, 2-6-56	ALB, Anchorage, T.A., 26meters 12-2-55 (11½mc)
Scheiner-N. Y.	..	..	91	85	Peking, China	Athens, Greece 9310kc 9/56
Perkins-Wis.	..	..	68	35	Radio Syria, 15165kc, 20kw, 6-29-56	WWWK39, San Juan, P.R., 9940kc, 8-2-54
Ewer-N. S.	60	41	JOB5, Japan, 15235kc, 6/56
Squillante-Mass.	55	46	PGW, Guatemala City, Guat-	(VSLGT, Sarawak)

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Reporter	ZONES		COUNTRIES		Best broadcast verie	Best non-broadcast verie
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Askine-Wash.	54	47	Noumea, New Caledonia, 6035kc, 1kw, 12-6-55
Bing-La.	48	..	HSK9, Bangkok, Thailand, 11670kc 11-12-56
Whitaker-Ind.	41	24	HER3, Berne, Switzerland, 6165kc, 100kw, 12-10-55	.....
Williams-Conn.	36	32	FZI, Brazzaville, F.E.A., 11970kc 50kw 10-23-50	.....
Feidt-N. J.	22	22	VOA, Manila, P.I., 15245kc, 50kw, 8-18-56	CKN, Vancouver, B.C., 12- 921 kc, 15kw, 9-17-56 CW
MacAdam-N. Y.	15	7	Radio Rome, 9570kc, 11- 6-55	4XA, Jaffa, Israel, 17665 kc, 1kw, 7-2-56
Randall-Vt.	11	11	.....	.....

1600-3000 kc/s DXING

The short wave spectrum is big, and full of stations; we automatically limit ourselves, say in an evening session, to small portions of it. In many days of tuning, one might hope to cover a big portion of it, but it is a certainty that he would have missed plenty. One solution to the problem of complete coverage of a DX band is to limit it. Doing this as severely as Stan Stanbury does requires a high level of devotion to the hobby, but the rewards are legion. Stan insists on logging and verifying below 3000 kc/s only. From our experience, we can say that this is not an easy band to work with; it is Noisy in the summer (with a capital N) and there is a lot of QRM from Loran and, we suspect, TV sweep harmonics. Recognizing that Stan's log should be of special interest, we are relaxing our standing rule of not reproducing members' logs in this section, and hereby list Stan's best from each country. We have arranged them by frequency. Thanks, Stan, for your cooperation in compiling this list! The stations, incidentally, are all verified.

Call	Freq.	Location and notes
"CTG"	1610	Cartagena, Colombia. 50w beacon
"RAB"	1613	Rabinal, Guatemala. 50w beacon
KUA205	1714	Honolulu, T. H. 250w. police ex-KG-PQ
TIKP	1718	Puntarenas, Costa Rica 750w. beacon
WB6190	2158	"Miss Sarah" at Campeche, Mex. 75w
CMHE	2160	Encrucijada, Cuba BCB harmonic
WB3221	2174	"Stella Maris", Revilla Gigedo Is. 500w
CHGB	2230	LaMalbaie, Quebec; PtP broadcast
ZQI	2330	Cross Roads, Jamaica 5kw broadcast
ZYV30	2340	Uberlandia, Brazil 500w broadcast
HI3C	2440	La Romana, Dominican Republic 1kw bcst.
HLKA	2510	Seoul, Korea. 10kw broadcast
YVMH	2520	Maracaibo, Venezuela BCB harmonic
VPN5	2558	Nassau, Bahamas Coastal station
NMR	2670	San Juan, P. R. U.S.C.G.
NMR2	2670	St. Thomas, V. I. U.S.C.G.
WB1403	2670	"Western Fisher" at Coos Bay, Oregon
NWU	2716	Naval Air Station, Bermuda
EIP	2868	Shannon, Eire
....	2868	PAA Clipper 071, Azores
....	2868	Amsterdam, Netherlands (aero)

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Call	Freq.	Location and notes
FND	2868	Paris, France (aero)
....	2868	Lisbon, Portugal (aero)
GRC	2880	Daventry, England 50kw broadcast
WHZ	2889	Balboa, Panama Canal Zone
....	2889	Panagra 733, Esmeraldes, Ecuador
OAG2	2889	Lima, Peru (aero)
....	2910	PAA Clipper 203, British Guiana
....	2910	PAA Clipper 203, Surinam
....	2945	Scandinavian 931, Iceland
....	2945	Scandinavian 911, Scotland
TI1003	2952	LACSA 1003 at Escudo, Panama
....	2952	PAA Clipper 510, Alergate Reef, Honduras
....	2952	PAA Clipper 510, Swan Island
ZDX	2966	St. Johns, Antigua (aero)
HHP	2966	Port-au-Prince, Haiti (aero)
ZQC	2966	Piarco, Trinidad (aero)
HYF	2966	Fort-de-France, Martinique (aero)
....	2966	Seawell, Barbados (aero)
....	2966	Eastern 114W at Turks & Caicos
....	2966	Curacao, Neth. W. I. 3kw aero
....	2966	PAA Clipper 301 at Cayman I.
GAHEK	2966	Marie Galante I., Guadeloupe
....	2966	PAA Clipper 272 at Dominica, Windward Is.
KIS	2973	Anchorage, T. A. (CAA)

SW Shavings

Tom Kneitel lists NYKI, the USS GRENDATER at Rotterdam, as his competitor with XSG for "best non-broadcast". NYKI was operating with 250w at 3138 kc when Tom nabbed him. Also listing a second non-broadcast-best is Rebben Dagold, who has ZSP6, Capetown, South Africa, 5kw at 13138 kc, a coastal telephone station.

As in the case of Ed Lendzioszek's VK9MI, Roy Waite's ZMBJ was a broadcast from a ship. ZMBJ, "The Ears and Voice of the Tasman", logged on February 28, 1937, was listed by Roy as a broadcast verie because here is what he heard:

(4:37 a.m.) "Station ZMBJ on 33.94 meters, Steamship Awatea, bound from Sydney, Australia, to Wellington, New Zealand. We will now sing 'Home Sweet Home'!.. 4:45 "Station ZMBJ on the Steamship Awatea. Awatea means 'Eye of the Dawn'. We are bound from Sydney, Australia, to Wellington, New Zealand. We will be in Wellington at approximately 10 minutes past 8 Tuesday morning." ... 4:47. "Station ZMBJ, Steamship Awatea, now closing down. Wherever you may be 'Good Evening'. 4:48: "Isle of Golden Dreams". 4:48½, shut down. (There were also two unidentified piano and violin selections during the course of the broadcast)

(Ed. note. According to our trusty slide rule, 33.94 meters is about 8840 kcs) Thanks for your interesting log excerpt, Roy. This is truly an unusual one.

Jim Cumbie's KUA217 was a paging station, using a ground plane antenna..

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