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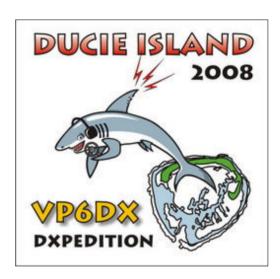
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T32OU & T32YA
Christmas Island



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VP6DX
183,686 QSOs!

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# **DX INFORMATION**

3A - Carlos, EA1DVY will be active as 3A/EA1DVY from Monaco between 23 February and 3 March. He will concentrate on 160 metres SSB (look for him around 1843 kHz), and will participate in both the CQ WW 160M SSB and ARRL DX SSB contests. QSL via home call. [TNX EA1DVY]

3D2 - A large group of members of the Mitsubishi Electric Tokyo Ham Club will be DX vacationing on Fiji on

8-10 February. They plan to operate on 160-6 metres as 3D2/JM1YGG. QSL via JM1YGG. [TNX N1DG]

3Y - Petrus, 3YOE (www.3yOe.com) says he will break camp and go QRT from Bouvet Island on 9 February. He has made over 1,400 QSOs, "a remarkable achievement from one so new to amateur radio". QSL via LZ3HI. [TNX ZS6DXB]

5X - Nick, G3RWF will be active again as 5X1NH from Uganda from 23 February to 22 March. It will be a "largely holiday style operation". QSL via home call. [TNX NG3K]

5Z - Sigi, DL7DF will be active as 5Z4HW from Diani Beach, Kenya from

27 February to 11 March. He plans to operate "as often as possibile" on all bands and modes. QSL via home call, direct or bureau. Sigi's website is at <a href="http://www.dl7df.com">http://www.dl7df.com</a> [TNX OPDX Bulletin]

6W - Alessandro, IK4ALM will be active as 6W/IK4ALM from Senegal on 16-27 March. He plans to operate holiday style on 10-40 metres with 100 watts to a groundplane. QSL via home call, direct or bureau. [TNX IK4ALM]

A4 - Amateur radio operators in Oman have been granted permission to operate on 30 metres and Chris, A45XR has been very active on that band since 3 February. QSL to Chris Dabrowski, P.O. Box 2038, CPO 111, Oman ("I prefer IRCs", he says, "if there is something green in envelope please use tape to seal it properly"). Bureau cards are all right, but the A4 QSL bureau is "extremely slow". Do not send any card via SP5EXA (Chris' home call, not his QSL manager). A log search for A45XR's activity on 30 metres is up and running at http://www.a45xr.spdxc.org/index.php

BV - Expect BU2AI to operate again as BU2AI/9 from the Matsu Islands (AS-113) between 1 and 20 March. He operates CW and SSB in his spare time, and during his first activity (5-19 February) he made some 1200 QSOs. QSL via home call, direct or bureau. Please visit Visit <a href="http://bu2ai.tripod.com/BU2AI-9-Matsu-2008.htm">http://bu2ai.tripod.com/BU2AI-9-Matsu-2008.htm</a> for updates.

C9 - Frosty/K5LBU (C91CF), Tom/NQ7R (C91TK), Jay/W5SL (callsign TBA), Bill/NZ5N (callsign TBA) and Hal/ZS6WB (callsign TBA) will be active from Mozambique between 16 and 31 July. They plan to operate CW, SSB, PSK and RTTY on 160-6 metres with two stations. QSL via home call. If interested in joining the expedition, please contact K5LBU (frosty1@pdq.net) for more details. The web page for the operation is at http://www.tdxs.net/C9.html

CEO - Ralph, KOHML will be active as CEOY/KOHML from Easter Island (SA-001) on 13-20 February. His operating time will be limited and he plans to be active on +/-14183 and 3790 kHz around 00.00-1.00 UTC. QSL via hoem call, direct or bureau. [TNX The Daily DX]

CE - CE6TBN, HA1AG, RA0FU and RV1CC will be active as XR7A from Ascension Island (SA-043) on 2-6

February and as XR7W from Wager Island (SA-053) on 9-12 February (weather permitting). They will focus on 30, 40 and 20 metres. Depending on Internet availability, Zoli (HA1AG) will try to update his travelblog (ha1ag.wordpress.com) during the trip. QSLs via HA1AG. [TNX HA1AG]

CT3 - DK7YY, DL5AXX, DL5LYM and DL8WAA will be active as CT3/homecall from Madeira (AF-014) on 12-18 February. QSL via home calls. They will participate in the ARRL DX CW Contest as CT9L (QSL via DJ6QT). [TNX NG3K]

CT3 - Rosel, DL3KWR and Hardy, DL3KWF will be active

again as CT3/DL3KWR and CT3/DL3KWF from Madeira (AF-014) on 6-20 March. They plan to operate mostly CW and on 12, 17 and 30 metres. Hardy will try also in RTTY and PSK-31. QSL via home calls. E-mail requests for bureau cards can be sent to dl3kwr@darc.de or dl3kwf@darc.de respectively. Their web site is at http://www.mydarc.de/dl3kwr [TNX DL3KWF]

EA - Adolfo, EA7TV reports he will operate as EA7TV/P from the two EI Rompido lighthouses (ARLHS SPA-271 and and SPA-337) on 8-10 February. QSL via home call, direct or bureau.

EA8 - Slavo, SP2JMB reports he will be active as EA8/SP2JMB from Tenerife, Canary Islands (AF-004) on 12-19 February. He will operate CW and SSB on 80-10 metres. QSI via home call, direct or bureau.

ES - Twenty-six ES90 callsigns (from ES90A to ES90Z) will be aired during February (but some stations will be active also later, e.g. in the major international contests) to celebrate the 90th anniversary of the proclamation of the Republic of Estonia (24 February 1918). [TNX ES2MC]

ES - Vello, ES1QD will be active as ES90M from Muhu Island (EU-034) sometime in February. QSL via home call. [TNX K1XN]

FS & FJ - Yannick, F6FYD (HH2FYD) will leave Haiti arly next month. Between 8 and 12 March he will be on St. Martin (FS) and St. Bathelemy (FJ) before heading back to France. [TNX F6AJA]

FJ - Nigel, G3TXF is currently active as FJ/G3TXF from St. Barthelemy (NA-146). He operates CW on 40-10 metres and will be leaving the island on 5 February in his early morning. QSL via home call.

FR - Jean Mary, F8CHM will be active as FR5EZ from Reunion Island (AF-016) between 22 February and 21 March. Expect activity on the HF bands and 6 metres CW and SSB. QSL via home call. [TNX F5NQL]

FT - Gildas, TU5KG [425DXN 871] expects to be active as from FT5XR Port aux Francais, Kerguelen on 15-16 February, while his fishing boat is refuelling. Then he will be sailing in the Crozet area until around 15 March, when he will stop again at Port aux Francais before heading back to Reunion. QSL via F4EFI, direct or bureau. [TNX F4EFI and F6AJA]

GD & GJ - Peter, K8PT and Craig, K3PLV will be active as MD/K8PT and MD/K3PLV from the Isle of Man (EU-116) on 19-21 March, and as MJ/K8PT and MJ/K3PLV from Jersey (EU-013) on 22-27 March. QSL via home calls. Check <a href="http://home.roadrunner.com/~crahill/">http://home.roadrunner.com/~crahill/</a> for additional information. "Since this is our first time on the Isle of Man", Peter says, "we would be interested as to what needs there are in the DX community (bands/modes). Please e-mail <a href="mailto:k8pt@arrl.net"k8pt@arrl.net">k8pt@arrl.net</a>".

HH - Yannick, HH2FYD will operate as HH2FYD/6 from Ile a Vache (NA-149) from about 16 UTC on 2 February until about 23 UTC on the 5th. Expect activity on 20 metres SSB (+/- 14260 kHz). On-line logs will be



Petrus, ZS6GCM/3Y0E

HKO - Six members of the Texas DX Society (namely Bill/K5WAF, Jim/N4AL, Keith/NM5G, Paul/W5PF, Chuck/W5PR and Cal/WF5W) will operate from San Andres Island (NA-033) on 1-6 March, ARRL DX SSB Contest included. They plan to use two separate stations with beam and vertical antennas. After the contest, they will use individual callsigns on SSB, CW and digital modes on the major HF bands. Callsign assignments are pending. QSL for all via W5PF. Logs will be uploaded to LoTW. The web page for the expedition is at <a href="https://www.tdxs.net/hk0.html">www.tdxs.net/hk0.html</a>

- I Luigi, IV3LNQ reports he will operate again as IA3GM during the year to commemorate Guglielmo Marconi and his ship "Elettra". QSL via home call.
- J8 Dave, G3TBK will be active as J88DR from St. Vincent (NA-109) for the ARRL DX SSB Contest. During the week after the contest he will operate CW, SSB, RTTY and SSTV on all bands. [TNX NG3K]
- JA Look for Takeshi, JS6RRR (JI3DST) to operate as JS6RRR/6 from the Okinawa Islands (AS-017) on 9-12 February. QSL via home call, bureau only. [TNX JS6RRR] JX Svein, LA9JKA (JX9JKA) will be "very active" from Jan Mayen (EU-022) from 27 March through 8 October. He plans to operate SSB and digital modes on 160-6 metres. QSL via home call. [TNX LA9SN]
- KHO Yu, 7K3BKY will operate as AI4GN/AH0 from Saipan (OC-086) on 17-21 February, including some limited activity during the ARRL DX CW Contest. [TNX NG3K]
- KP2 Look for KP2/K3CT and KP2/K3TEJ (QSL via home calls) to be active from the US Virgin Islands (NA-106) on 10-20 February. They will emphasize 160, 30, 12 and
- 17 metres, and will participate in the ARRL DX CW Contest as KP2M (QSL via AI4U). [TNX NG3K]
- KP2 Yuriy, N2TTA will be active as NP2/N2TTA from the US Virgin Islands on 12-19 February. He will participate in the ARRL DX CW Contest as NP2S (QSL via W3HNK). [TNX NG3K]
- LU Dario, LU3DR is active as AYODX until 31 December. The special callsign celebrates the 100th anniversary of the San Jose School in the city of Tandil, Argentina. QSL via LU3DR. [TNX LU3DR]
- LY Eleven LY90 special event stations will be active from 16 February to 16 March to commemorate the 90th anniversary of the proclamation of the Republic of Lithuania: LY90A (operated by LY2ZZ), LY90BFV (LY2BFV), LY90BY (LY3BY), LY90CM (LY1CM), LY90FW (LY1FW), LY90M (LY3M), LY90MM (LY2MM), LY90Q (LY4Q), LY90W (LY3W), LY90X (LY3X), LY90Y (LY2CY). [TNX LY3X]
- OH Jukka, OH4MFA will be active as OH4MFA/1 from Kustavi Island (EU-096) on 23-24 February. He will participate in the CQ WW 160-Meter SSB Contest and will also operate CW on 20, 30 and 40 metres, with 100 watts and vertical antennas. QSL via home call, direct or bureau. [TNX <a href="https://www.rsgbiota.org">www.rsgbiota.org</a>]
- OK Back in March 1978 Vladimir Remek was the first Czechoslovak in space, as well as the first cosmonaut from a country other than the Soviet Union or the United States. To commemorate that event, special station OL30SPACE will be active on 1-30 March. QSL via OK1TIR. [TNX OK1TIR]
- PA PA8A, PA3GLF and PA3GVI will be signing PG6G during the PACC Contest on 9-10 February. They will be

- active on 160-10 metres CW and SSB. QSL via PA3GVI, direct or bureau. [TNX PA3GVI]
- PA Ulf, DK5TX will be active as PA/DK5TX from Goeree Overflakkee (EU-146) on 11-17 February. He will operate SSB, slow CW and RTTY on 80-10 metres, plus 6 and 2 metres. QSL via home call, bureau preferred. [TNX OPDX Bulletin]
- PJ W9RE, N5OT, W4OC and N4GG will operate as PJ4/homecall from Bonaire (SA-006), Netherlands Antilles on 12-19 February. QSL via home calls. They will participate in the ARRL DX CW Contest as PJ4M (QSL via N4GG). [TNX NG3K]
- PJ7 Look for Bil, PJ7/W8EB (and Dorothy, W8DVC) to be active from Sint Maarten (NA-105) from 24 February through 23 March. Plans are to operate CW, SSB, PSK31 and RTTY on 10-160 metres. W8EB will participate in the ARRL SSB DX Contest as PJ7B. All QSL via W8EB. [TNX NG3K]
- PY Joska, HA9RT reports he will be active as PT7/HA9RT from Praia das Fontes, Ceara (Brazil) on 8-19 February. He plans to operate on 160-10 metres usign 100 watts and wire antennas. QSL via home call.
- PY The PW2M team [425DXN 869] originally had planned to be active from Moela Island (SA-071) until 8 February, but they have been authorized through the 5th only. Access is granted, permissions are given and transportation is supplied by the Brazilian Navy. Expect PW2M to be aired on 160-6 metres SSB, CW, RTTY and BPSK (plus 60m on an experimental basis for the first time in Brazil) with four stations operating simultaneously depending on propagation. QSL via AI4U or (for Brazilian stations) PY2AA. [TNX PY2WAS]
- PZ PZ5WW (AC8W), PZ5DD (K8DD), PZ5TX (KB8TXZ) and PZ5AY (W5JAY) will be operating from the QTH of
  - PZ5RA, Suriname on 13-18 February. Look for activity on 160-10 metres, with a particular emphasis on the low bands. They will participate in the ARRL DX CW Contest as PZ5WW (Multi-Single). QSL PZ5DD and PZ5WW via K8DD; QSL PZ5TX via KB8TXZ; QSL PZ5AY via W5JAY. [TNX K8DD]
  - S2 S21ZDT is the new callsign issued to Toby, SM4XDJ for his activity from Bangladesh [425DXN 871]. He will be active from different locations between 1 and 17 February, and will operate SSB and digital modes during his
- evening hours and the weekends. QSL via SM4XIH. Online logs will be available at <a href="http://s21zdt.fittest.nu">http://s21zdt.fittest.nu</a> [TNX
- SM Members of the Kungalv Radio Club (SK6NL) will be active as SF700BF during the year to celebrate the 700th anniversary of the Bohus Fortress. QSL via SK6NL. Information on the relevant award can be found at <a href="http://www.sk6nl.com">http://www.sk6nl.com</a> [TNX SM6VVT]
- SV9 Willi, DJ7RJ will be active from Crete from 25 February to 15 March. He plans to operate CW and SSB on 160-10 metres. QSL via home call. [TNX AA1M]
- T32 Bill, N7OU and Bob, W7YAQ will be active as T32OU and T32YA from Christmas Island (OC-024), Eastern Kiribati on 12-26 February, including a M/S entry in the ARRL DX CW Contest as T32OU. They plan to operate mainly CW, with some SSB and RTTY, on 160-10 metres using 100 watts and vertical antennas. QSL via home calls. [TNX NG3K]
- T6 Sigfrido (aka 7Q7RS and 5H0RS) is now active as T6AB from Afghanistan. QSL via IT9YVO.



The PW2M team on Moela Island

TI - Twelve members of the Southeastern DX Club will be operating TI50DX during the ARRL DX Phone contest (1-2 March). This activity is part of the celebration of the SEDXC's 50th anniversary. QSL via N4NX. Look for the operators using their individual call signs prior to the contest. [TNX NG3K]

TI9 - TI9K was expected to become active from Isla del Coco a few days ago, but it has been delayed (not cancelled!) by a bureaucratic hiccup. A new callsign (TI9KK) has been issued and the team was able to leave for Cocos around 18 UTC on 6 February. Operations are expected to start on the 8th and plans are to depart the island on the 14th. QSL via EA1DR. The website for the expedition is at <a href="https://www.ti9.eu.com">www.ti9.eu.com</a> [TNX DJ7JC]

UN - Rashad, 4J9M is still in Kazakhstan [425DXN 868] and has extended his UN/4J9M licence through 23 April. QSL via DL7EDH. [TNX 4J9M]

V2 - Nobby, GOVJG (V25V) reports he will be back to Antigua (NA-100) on 28-30 March, for the CQ WW WPX SSB Contest, OSL via G4DFL.

V3 - Michael, DF8AN will be active (on the HF bands mainly CW) as V31MN from Caye Caulker (NA-073) and Ambergris Caye (NA-073), Belize from 23 February to 9 March. QSL via home call. [TNX ARRL DX Bulletin]

V3 - John, W5JON and his wife Cathy, W5HAM will be vacationing on Ambergris Caye (NA-073), Belize on 26-31 March. John will be active again as V31FB on 160-6 metres SSB, including a SOAB entry in the CQ WW WPX SSB Contest. QSL via home call. [TNX W5JON]

V3 - Gerd, DJ4KW (V31YN, <a href="http://www.qslnet.de/member/dj4kw">http://www.qslnet.de/member/dj4kw</a>

/v31yn.htm) and Gisela, DK9GG (V31GW) are active from Consejo Shores, Belize until the end of February. On 19-25 February they will operate as V31YN/p and V31GW/p from Southwater Caye (NA-180). QSL via home calls, direct or bureau. Logs will be uploaded to LoTW.

V3 - Art, NN7A will be active for the 7th time V31JZ/p from South Water Caye (NA-180), Belize on 22-26 February. This will be a one-person operation using battery and solar power for a 100 watt transceiver, with vertical and wire antennas. Operation will be mostly CW on 40-10 metres, with some 80m and 160m. Some SSB on 20 and 15 metres is possible, conditions permitting. QSL via home call, direct or bureau. [TNX NN7A]

V6 - Ian/K5ZM (V63ZM), Ted/K8AQM (V63TR) and Brian/KG8CO (V63OC) are active from Pohnpei Island (OC-010), Micronesia until 25 February. Look for them on CW, SSB, RTTY and maybe PSK31 on 10-160 metres, and to participate in the ARRL DX CW Contest, possibly as three single band efforts. QSL all via K5ZM. [TNX The Daily DX]

VK - The VK6 DX Chasers Club (DXCC) will be active as VK6FAU from Faure Island (OC-206) from 26 March to 1 April, including a Multi-Single entry in the CQ WW WPX SSB Contest. The operators (VK6JX, VK6APK, VK6NU, VK6YEL, VK6EH, VK6TT, VK6HRC, VK6HTW and VK6XI) will be active on 80-6 metres SSB, CW and digital modes, and they will also give 160m a try. QSL via VK6NE, direct or bureau. They have a blog at <a href="http://vk6fau.wordpress.com/">http://vk6fau.wordpress.com/</a> [TNX VK6APK]



The TI9KK team on Isla del Coco

VK9L - Willy, ON5AX and Magda, ON3AX will be active as VK9ALH from Lord Howe Island (OC-004) on 23-30 March. They plan to operate CW, SSB and PSK31. QSL via ON5AX. [TNX ON5AX]
VP2V - Steve AKOM will be active as VP2V/AKOM from

VP2V - Steve, AKOM will be active as VP2V/AKOM from the British Virgin Islands (NA-023) on 11-18 February, including an entry in the ARRL DX CW Contest with the call VP2VES. [TNX The Daily DX]

VP5 - Saul, WA1UKN is active as VP5/WA1UKN from Grand Turk (NA-003) until 7 May. QSL to home call. [TNX ARRL DX Bulletin]

VP5 - Bill/KX4WW, Vic/W4VIC, Noll/W9RN and Bruce/W4OV will be active as VP5/homecall from 24 March to 1 April. QSL via home call. They will participate in the CQ WW WPX SSB Contest as VQ59W (QSL via KX4WW, direct only; logs will be uploaded to LoTW). ITNX N1BAA1

VP8\_fi - Ulli, DL2AH will be active from Pebble Island, Falkland Islands (SA-002) from 26 February to 13 March. He will operate mainly SSB with some RTTY on 40-10 metres. QSL via home call, direct or bureau. [TNX NG3K] VU - Bernhard, DL2GAC will be active once again as VU2BMS from India between 8 and 27 February. He

plans to do some 2 metre EME WSJT from grid locator MK80ea. [TNX The Daily DX]

W - Dennis, WA2USA will be active as either WA2USA/4 and K4D from Dauphin Island (NA-213) on 9-18 February. QSL via home call, direct or bureau. [TNX www.rsqbiota.org]

W - The Mid Florida DX Association (http://www.w4fdx.com/) will operate again as N2D ("Now 2 Dan", in memory of founder and first club President Dan Manfre , W2NDP, who became a Silent Key in 2006) from Honeymoon Island (NA-034) on 23 February, Expect activity from 14 UTC until 21 UTC on 20 metres and

possibly 15 and 17 metres. QSL via N2MFT. [TNX The Daily DX]  $\,$ 

XU - Bernd, DK7TF and Rudi, DK7PE will be active as XU7DLH from Cambodia on until 14 February. Rudi will operate on 40, 80 and 160 metres. For Japan he will transmit on 1821 kHz and receive on 1824,5 kHz; for North America and Europe he might change his TX frequency to 1824,5 (QSX up 5) if needed, due to possible QRM on 1821 in NA. Please let him now if he has to QSY. QSL via DK7TF. [TNX DL7MAE]

XU - John, 9M6XRO will operate CW, SSB and digital modes as XU7XRO from Sihanoukville, Cambodia on 20-26 February. QSL via M5AAV, direct or bureau. [TNX K1XN]

YN - Dmytro, AK2P reports he will be active as H7/AK2P and YN2G from Nicaragua on 8-13 February. He plans to operate all modes and to participate in the CQ WW WPX RTTY Contest. QSL via KC2ATG.

YN - Eric, K9GY will be active from Nicaragua on 14-18

February. He will operate from the YN2N QTH (http://www.yn2n.com) and will participate in the ARRL DX CW Contest as H7/K9GY on 160-10 metres. QSL via home call. Logs will be uploaded to LoTW. [TNX NG3K]

YN - Roberto, IV3IYH will be active as H7/IV3IYH from Nicaragua from 28 February to 11 March, including an entry in the ARRL DX SSB Contest as HT2N. Outside the contest activity will be mostly CW with and emphasis on 12, 17, 30 metres and the low bands. QSL both callsigns via IK2ILH, direct or bureau. E-



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mail requests for bureau cards can be sent to ik2ilh@libero.it [TNX IV3IYH]

YN - Alex/YV5SSB, Jose/YV5TX and possibly others will be active as YN2YV from Granada, Nicaragua on 17-21 March. Plans are to have at least two stations 160-10 metres, plus 60 and 6 metres. Experienced CW and/or RTTY operators who may be willing to join the team are invited to send an e-mail to <a href="mailto:4m5dx@gmail.com">4m5dx@gmail.com</a>; further information can be found at <a href="mailto:http://www.yn2yv.4m5dx.info">http://www.yn2yv.4m5dx.info</a>. QSL via IT9DAA. Logs will be uploaded to LoTW.

YI - Reidar Larsen, K2PT has obtained a licence and will commence operation from Iraq imminently as YI9PT. Initially he will operate on 17 and 20 metres utilizing a wire antenna until a SteppIR yagi arrives. Once fully operational, activity will be on 10-160 metres. Currently, the support team is raising funds to obtain an amplifier. QSL via N4XP. Additional information, updates and log check will be avialbale on the Stafford DX Association's website (<a href="https://www.stafford-dx-association.org">www.stafford-dx-association.org</a>). [TNX N1DG] ZS8 - Petrus Kritzinger, ZS6GCM (3Y0E) went QRT from Bouvet Island at 19.15 UTC on 9 February. However, a new adventure from a rare and remote DXCC location is just round the corner, as Petrus is expected to spend one year on Marion island (AF-021). The arrangements are in progress and a dedicated site is under construction. Further information is expected in due course. [TNX ZS6DXB]

CARIBBEAN TRIP I Tadeusz/SP3IPB, Agnieszka/SQ3WN, Janusz/SP6IXF and Przemek/SP7VC will be active as FS/homecalls from St. Martin (NA-105) on 14-16 February and as FJ/homecalls from St. Barthelemy (NA-146) on 17-26 February. They plan to operate CW, SSB and RTTY on 40-10 metres. QSL via home calls, direct or bureau. [TNX SP6IXF]

ANTARCTIC ACTIVITY WEEK I The Worldwide Antarctic Program has announced that the fifth Antarctic Activity Week will be held from 18 to 24 February. The aim of this annual event is to promote worlwide interest in the Antarctic continent. Several special event callsigns from around the world are expected to take part in this year's AAW. Participating stations (QSL via operator's instructions) are announced from the following countries:

Austria OE3AGA/AAW, OE3AIS/AAW, OE3HM/AAW, OE3KKA/AAW, OE3RPB/AAW, OE3SGA/AAW, OE3WWB/AAW

Bulgaria LZ05ANT

Canada VA2WAP, VA3AAO, VA3WAP, VA7AAW

England GBOANT, GB4IPY France TM5ICE, TM8ANT

Germany DAOANT Indonesia YB4IPY Israel 4Z4DX/ANT

Italy IAOANT, II1ANT, II2ANT, II2EFA, II3ANT, IOOANT, IO2ANT, IO4WAP, IPOANT, IPOWAP, IROANT,IR1ANT,

IR2WAP, IR6ANT, IR8PS, IR8WAP, IU8ANT

Romania YQ2ANT

Russia RK3DSW/ANT, UE6ANT

Spain AO1WAP Switzerland HB9ICE USA K4A, N5T/ANT

Full information on the AAW can be found at <a href="http://www.waponline.it">http://www.waponline.it</a>





CQ WW WPX RTTY CONTEST I The following stations have announced their participation in this year's event (9-10 February):

Call	Category	DXCC	QSL
4U1UN		United Nations HQ	HB9BOU
B4TB	MS	China	BA4TB
D4C	SOAB HP	Cape Verde	IZ4DPV
E21YDP	SOAB	Thailand	E21YDP
EA8OM	SOAB LP	Canary Islands	DJ1OJ
EF8M	SOAB HP	Canary Islands	RX3DU
HI3C	SO LP	Dominican Republic	ON4IQ
HI3T	SOAB LP	Dominican Republic	ON4IQ
NP3U	M/2	Puerto Rico	WP4U

Call	Category	DXCC	QSL
OA4O	M/S	Peru	OA4O
OH0Z	SOAB	Aland Islands	WOMM
T77CD		San Marino	IOMWI
V31GW		Belize	DK9GG
V31TB		Belize	KT7G
XW1B	SOAB	Laos	E21EIC
YN2G		Nicaragua	KC2ATG
YN2S	SOAB	Nicaragua	W3HNK
ZF2XD	SOAB LP	Cayman Islands	K3IXD

Do not forget to give a look to the Announced Operations listing maintained by Bill, NG3K at http://www.ng3k.com/Misc/cqrjwpx2008.html - good contest to you all!

ARRL INTERNATIONAL DX CONTEST (CW) I Object of the contest is for W/VE amateurs to work as many stations in as many DXCC countries as possible on 160, 80, 40, 20, 15, and 10 metre bands, while foreign amateurs (also including KH6, KL7, CY9 and CY0) work as many W/VE stations in as many of the 48 contiguous states and provinces as possible (full rules can be found at <a href="http://www.arrl.org/contests/rules/2008/intldx.html">http://www.arrl.org/contests/rules/2008/intldx.html</a>). The following stations have announced their partecipation in this year's event (from 00.00 UTC on 16 February through 24.00 UTC on the 17th):

Call	DXCC	QSL
4U1UN	United Nations HQ	HB9BOU
6Y1V	Jamaica	OH3RB
6Y5/VE4GV	Jamaica	VE4GV
C6AKQ	Bahamas	N4BP
C6AKU	Bahamas	K5WW
C6APG	Bahamas	K4PG
CO2WF	Cuba	N1KI
CO8TW	Cuba	HB9SVT
CT9L	Madeira	DJ6QT
CV5K	Uruguay	CX2ABC
D4C	Cape Verde	IZ4DPV
E51WWA	South Cook Islands	AD7AF
EE5E	Spain	K1DG
EA8OM	Canary Islands	DJ1OJ
EY8MM	Tajikistan	K1BV
GJ2A	Jersey	K2WR
GM7V	Scotland	MOCMK
H7/K9GY	Nicaragua	K9GY
HB0/N0MX	Liechtenstein	DJ2MX
IO4T	Italy	IZ4JMA

Call	DXCC	QSL
J7DX	Dominica	W9IU
JD1BLY	Ogasawara	JI5RPT
LX7I	Luxembourg	LX2A
NP2S	US Virgin Islands	W3HNK
PJ4?	Neth. Antilles	N4GG
PZ5WW	Suriname	K8DD
TM6M	France	F4DXW
V31WO	Belize	N7WO
V31YN	Belize	DJ4KW
V49A	Nevis & St. Kitts	V44NK
V63OC	Micronesia	K5ZM
V63TR	Micronesia	K5ZM
V63ZM	Micronesia	K5ZM
VP2VES	British Virgin Isls	AKOM
VP5/WJ2O	Turks & Caicos Isl	WJ2O
VP6DX	Ducie Island	DL6LAU
VP9/W6PH	Bermuda	W6PH
T320U	East Kiribati	N7OU
XW1B	Laos	E21EIC

Do not forget to give a look at the Announced Operations listing maintained by Bill, NG3K at http://www.ng3k.com/Misc/adxc2008.html - good contest to you all!

CQ WW 160-METER DX CONTEST (SSB) I Object of the contest is for amateurs worldwide to work as many US States, Canadian provinces and countries as possible on 160 metres SSB (full rules cand be found at <a href="http://cq-amateur-radio.com/NEW160">http://cq-amateur-radio.com/NEW160</a> CntRules 200810207.pdf . The following stations have announced their partecipation in this year's event (from 00.00 UTC on 23 February through 23.59 UTC on the 24th):

Call	DXCC	QSL
3A/EA1DVY	Monaco	EA1DVY
5K3W	Colombia	HK3W
C6ANM	Bahamas	qrz.com
CN3A	Morocco	I2WIJ
HI3C	Dominican Republic	ON4IQ
HI3T	Dominican Republic	ON4IQ
IH9/W1NA	(African) Italy	W1NA
IH9YMC	(African) Italy	IH9YMC

Call	DXCC	QSL
LQ5H	Argentina	EA5KB
LX7I	Luxembourg	LX2A
OH4MFA/1	Finland	OH4MFA
TC2T	Turkey	TA2MW
VP6DX	Ducie Island	DL6LAU
YW5CQ	Venezuela	IT9DAA
ZD7X	St. Helena	WOMM
ZPOR	Paraguay	ZP5AZL

Do not forget to give a look at the Announced Operations listing maitained by Bill, NG3K at http://www.ng3k.com/Misc/cq160s2008.html - good contest to you all!

# **GOOD TO KNOW**

DXCC NEWS I ARRL DXCC Manager Bill Moore, NC1L reports that the following operations have been approved for DXCC credit:

P 3Y0E Bouvet Island December 2007-February 2008 operation

P E4/OM2DX Palestine 2007 operation

P J5C Guinea-Bissau 2008 operation P VK9WWI Willis Island 2007 operation P YI9PT Iraq current operation

If you had any cards rejected for these operations, please send a note to the ARRL DXCC Desk (dxcc@arrl.org) to have your DXCC record updated.



HAM RADIO 2008 I The 33rd International Exibition for Radio Amateurs - Europe's most important meeting for amateur radio enthusiasts - will take place on 27-29 June at Friedrichshafen. As usual, there will be a big flea market and commercial exhibitors, as well as many lectures and presentations. Ham Radio 2008 will be combined with the 59th Bodensee Convention organized by the DARC More information at <a href="http://www.darc.de/ausland/new/HR2008">http://www.darc.de/ausland/new/HR2008</a>. [TNX DL7RBI]

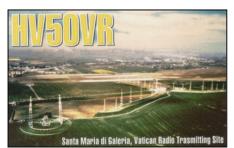
NOT THE MANAGER I Bill, K8ZBY says he is still getting cards for 9K2FM, but he is not and has never been the QSL manager for this station.

PROJECT GOODWILL KOSOVA I G3TXF, N7NG, OH2BH, OH2PM, ON8NC and W3UR were active from Kosova with licences issued by UNMIK (the United Nations Mission In Kosovo) on 16-21 February, "in an effort to support and help revitalize Amateur Radio locally". QSL YU8/homecall via home calls, QSL YU8/OH2R via OH2BN. As for the DXCC status of Kosova, it will be added to the DXCC list (1) it becomes a member of the UN, or (2) if it receives a prefix bloc from the ITU. The date upon which either (1) or (2) occurs will be the event date (see <a href="http://www.arrl.org/blog/DXCC%20Dialog">http://www.arrl.org/blog/DXCC%20Dialog</a>).

PROPAGATION REFLECTOR I Thomas Giella, KN4LF has founded a new radiowave propagation e-mail reflector ("LF/MF/HF/VHF Frequency Radiowave Propagation") for amateur radio operators and SWLs "to ask questions about and become better educated concerning solar, space and geomagnetic weather, as well as radiowave propagation". Thomas will also be posting his free "Daily LF/MF/HF/6M Frequency Radiowave Propagation Forecast" there. You can sign up at <a href="http://montreal.kotalampi.com/mailman/listinfo/kn4lf">http://montreal.kotalampi.com/mailman/listinfo/kn4lf</a> [TNX KN4LF]

QSL FJ/OH2AM I Due to a printing error on the front of the full-color FJ/OH2AM card, the entire batch was rejected upon arrival in Finland. Another batch of QSLs was printed, and the first cards were mailed on 11 February. All direct requests should be out by 15 March, as the ARRL will start processing St. Barthelemy cards on 1 April. [TNX OH2BN]

QSL GALLERY I A collection of 1900+ QSL cards van be found at to <a href="http://www.dxqsl.110mb.com">http://www.dxqsl.110mb.com</a> [TNX US7IID]



QSL HV50VR | Please note that the new address for the QSL manager (IW0GPN) is: Alessandro Carletti, P. O. Box 123, 33085 Maniago - PN, Italy.

QSL PZ5RA I Ramon says his new mailing address is: Ramon A. Kaersenhout, P.O. Box 745, Paramaribo, Suriname.

QSL SU8BHI I Gab, HA3JB (<a href="http://www.qsl.net/ha3jb">http://www.qsl.net/ha3jb</a>) has received the cards from the printer and direct requests are being answered. If you do not get your card, please feel free to e-mail him (<a href="https://www.qsl.net/ha3jb">https://www.qsl.net/ha3jb</a>) has received the cards from the printer and direct requests are being answered. If you do not get your card, please feel free to e-mail him (<a href="https://www.qsl.net/ha3jb">https://www.qsl.net/ha3jb</a>) has received the cards from the printer and direct requests are being answered. If you do not get your card, please feel free to e-mail him (<a href="https://www.qsl.net/ha3jb">https://www.qsl.net/ha3jb</a>) has received the cards from the printer and direct requests are being answered. If you do not get your card, please feel free to e-mail him (<a href="https://www.qsl.net/ha3jb@t-email.hu">https://www.qsl.net/ha3jb@t-email.hu</a>)

QSL TO5FJ | Paul, F6EXV says that he will start QSLlling within a couple of weeks. Please note that French postal rates will increase effective 1 March, so you'd better mail your direct request now and refreain from using SASEs. QSLling directions can be found at <a href="http://www.f6exv.org/">http://www.f6exv.org/</a>

QSL VS9SJF I John, G3UCQ says he still has logbooks and cards for his activity as VS9SJF from Socotra Island back in 1964-65. [TNX G3ZAY]

QSL VIA I K7JTF I Rino, IK7JTF says he still has logs and QSL cards for 5N9RGP, CN8SN, CN8VK, HZ1CCA, OD5PI, TT8AM and a few other stations (see qrz.com under IK7JTF). The only valid address is Salvatore Borace, Via delle Croste 6, 70010 Cellamare - BA, Italy.

QSL ZB2EO I John, ZB2EO (G4JTC) says that RW6HS is not his QSL manager. Cards should be sent direct only to John J. Bautista, 47 Valiant House, Varyl Begg Estate, Gibraltar.

QSL VIA K3IRV I Effective immediately, due to the illness of the former QSL manager (K3PD), Irv, K3IRV has taken over the QSL duties for the following calls: 5NONAS, 5Z4ES, 9Z4DI, BX2/NE3H, C95WH, EL2JH, FM5WE, OX3SA, T32Z, T88RZ, TA3DD, VP2MNI, VP5FEB, ZL2MAT, Z21FO, Z21GC, Z21GX, Z22JE, ZS4U, ZS6CCY and ZS9X. Irv will answer all cards received either direct or by the bureau. Any cards received without sufficient return postage will be returned via the bureau. [TNX K3IRV]

QSL VIA ON4RU I Mar, ON4RU can confirm contacts made only with 4L1MA, SV9/ON4RU, YB1BAD and YE1AA. He is no longer the QSL manager for other stations. [TNX K1XN and The Golsit]

TOP BAND DINNER I The Top Band Dinner at the Visalia DX Convention will take place at the Holiday Inn Visalia on 25 April. Reservations on a first come. first served basis must be received no later than 7 April or until sold out. A Registration/Information form can be downloaded from <a href="http://www.dxconvention.org/download/Top-Band\_Dinner.pdf">http://www.dxconvention.org/download/Top-Band\_Dinner.pdf</a> [TNX WB6RSE]

TOP LISTS I The latest Topband, Topmode and Toplist listings are now available at <a href="http://www.425dxn.org/awards/toplist/index.html">http://www.425dxn.org/awards/toplist/index.html</a>. Please send your scores, as well as any request for further information, to Erminio Pandocchi, I2EOW (i2eow@ari.it)



US POSTAGE RATES | Postage rates in the US will increase effective 12 May as follows:

First-Class Mail letter (1 oz = 28 gr) \$0.42

First-Class Mail letter (2 oz = 56 gr) \$0.59

First-Class Mail International to Canada and Mexico (1 oz.) \$0.72

First-Class Mail International to all other countries (1 oz.) \$0.94

Complete rates can be found at <a href="www.usps.com/prices">www.usps.com/prices</a>.

WPX AWARD PROGRAMME: EXPANSION I CQ magazine and WPX Awards Manager Steve Bolia, N8BJQ, have announced several changes to the WPX Award program in response to feedback from program participants. The changes, effective immediately, add new bands (60, 30, 17, 12, and 6 metres) and create a new Digital WPX Award. Details on these and other changes will be published in the March 2008 issue of CQ magazine and can be found on the CQ magazine website at <a href="http://www.cq-amateur-radio.com/WPX\_Award\_Rules\_Mar08221308.pdf">http://www.cq-amateur-radio.com/WPX\_Award\_Rules\_Mar08221308.pdf</a>



XR7W: ACCIDENT I The XR7W team experienced horrible weather conditions on Wager Island (SA-053) They arrived around noon on 9 February and were forced to leave some 24 hours later, after a dreadful stormy night spent trying to operate, communicate with the Chilean Navy and fight against gale force winds and pouring rain. "I had a last frenetic hour on 17m running EU at 5q/min rates under a piece of plastic, hand keying on my knee and paperlogging until the captain gave the final order to leave", Zoli, HA1AG says. XR7W went QRT with some 2400 QSOs in the log. Once on the mainland, the team had a serious car accident - their van "slipped of the gravel road and hit a rock frontally and turned upside-down". Zoli and his friends (Vlad/RV1CC, Marco/CE6TBN and Yuri/RA0FU) were hospitalized at Coyhaique, were they were diagnosed with cuts, bruises and several broken bones. Their first priority at the moment "is to get out from Coyhaique", Zoli says. Damages and additional costs are estimated in excess of 11,000 euros, and "if you can and want to contribute to lessen these damages" please feel free to contact Zoli (ha1ag@yahoo.com).

YT6T I The YT6T station active during the CQ WW 160-Meter CW Contest was not not located in Montenegro, but in the Serbian province of Vojvodina, and it was operated by members of Radio Klub Senta. QSL via YU7JDE. [TNX YT5CC]

#### + SILENT KEYS +

Recently reported Silent Keys include

Gennaro Pellecchia (18ZPX)
Larry W. Sossoman (K4CEB)
Mike Clark (K5KZ)
Harvey Hiller (K6QK)
Per Oscar Lomeland (LA8PF)
John Cornwell (NC8V)
Leonid Sharapov (UA3DR)
Bob Cheek (W3VT)
John R. Beck (W4AI)
Jordan Mash (WB2QLP)

and Rod Dinkins (AC6V), the creator of the world-renowned "Amateur Radio and DX Reference Guide" (www.ac6v.com).



The J5C team on Bubaque Island

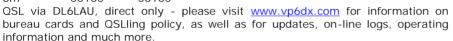
#### VP6DX | Ducie Island



From 425 DX News 874 I Robin, WA6CDR and the M/V Braveheart are on schedule, planning to arrive at Mangareva Atoll on 2-3 February. The remaining twelve operators are converging on Tahiti between 3 and 4 February. On the 5th they will depart for Mangareva, where they will immediately board the ship and leave for their final destination. Arrival at Ducie is still expected in the pre-dawn darkness of 9 February. Read the rest of the latest news bulletin (#9, 31 January), including details on the techniques VP6DX will use to help achieve geographical balance, on the expedition's website (www.vp6dx.com).

From 425 DX News 875 I The VP6DX team set sail from Mangareva aboard the Braveheart on 5 February, and expected to reach Ducie (OC-182) at their daybreak on the 8th, a day ahead of the nominal timeline. Once on the island, the team will set up camps, stations and antennas; all the stations are expected to start activity almost simultaneously on 10 or 11 February. Announced frequencies are (\* = QSX down):

BAND	CW	SSB	RTTY
160m	1821.3	1843.3	-
80m	3502	3784	-
40m	7002	7099	-
30m	10104	_	10139*
20m	14002	14172	14089*
17m	18072	18165*	-
15m	21002	21295	-
12m	24892	24987*	-
10m	28002	28495	-
6m	50105	50105	_





From 425 DX News 876 I Operations from Ducie Island began at 5 UTC on 11 February, with a little "cooking session" (1034 QSOs in four hours and a half) to check out the stations and available antennas. Continuous operations began at 3 UTC on 12 February, with 10,000+ QSOs logged in the first 16 hours. Please have a look at the frequency table on the website, as some of them have been adjusted.

VP6DX will participate in the ARRL DX CW Contest "in a limited fashion":

- Operators are likely to pick a frequency based on band conditions, so VP6DX might not be found on the "normal" CW frequencies on 160, 80, 40, 20 15 and 10 metres
- They will answer ALL callers (USA/VE and others)
- They will not be chasing multipliers and will not be able to handle pass requests
- Operations on non-contest bands/band segments will continue as they have the last few days: split operations, with priority to difficult propagation paths.

The Online Log now contains 47,534 QSOs with 14,398 unique callsigns (latest update 6.14 UTC on 15 February), and the first QSO Statistics based on the log database are now available. It could happen that not all QSOs are in the database, because of difficulties in transferring the data from the island to the server. Bookmark <a href="https://www.vp6dx.com">www.vp6dx.com</a> for complete details and regular updates.





#### VP6DX I The Record Breaker

Mega DX Peditions Honor Roll have been maintained now for twelve years. The Honor Roll today includes data of 113 DX Peditions that have worked 30.000 or more QSO's. The oldest DX Pedition found of the list is 8Z4A from 1979.

The Honor Roll includes data on:

- the total amount and uniques of the DX Pedition,
- the amount of QSO's to the six continents,
- the amount of QSO's on different modes,
- the amount of QSO's on different bands,
- the team members of the DX pedition and
- the QSL and web info of the DX pedition.

The data is collected from DX bulletins, web pages, DX magazines, presentations and directly from individual DX pedition team members. All data has not been received from the 113 DX peditions listed.

The purpose of DX Pedition Honor Roll is to help DX peditions to plan their operation, to understand the possibilities to make QSO's to different continents and to optimize the efforts. For DX foundations and individual DXers the Honor Roll gives also a plenty of data.

The two-day-old VP6DX operation from Ducie broke most of the records that can be broken at the sunspot minimum. Here's a short overview on some of the today updated Mega DX Peditions Honor Roll records.

Total amount of QSO's from DX Pedition

1	VP6DX	Ducie I.	Feb 11 - 27 2008	183,686
2	D68C	Comoros I.	Feb 8 - 28 2001	168,722
3	3B9C	Rodrigues I.	Mar 19 - Apr 12 2004	153,113
4	3B7C	St. Brandon I.	Sep 9 - 24 2007	137,500
5	403T	Montenegro	July 20 - Aug 13 2006	120,000
6	N8S	Swains I.	Apr 4 -15 2007	117,205
7	5A7A	Libya	Nov 16 - 29 2006	112,232
8	VU7RG/VU7MY	Lakshadweep I.	Jan 15 - 29 2007	110,201
9	ZL9CI	Campbell I.	Jan 7 - 24 1999	96,004
10	K1B	Baker & Howland I.	Apr 28 -May 7 2002	95,127

Largest number of QSOs with North America, Europe and Asia; on CW, SSB and RTTY; on the various bands:

2 49 3 44 4 42 5 34 6 29 7 28 8 28 9 27	Americ 7860 9964 4914 2138 4379 9809 8818 8194 7489 3697	VP6DX D68C 3Y0X ZL9CI T19M 3B9C ZL7C H40AA T33C VP6DI	Eur 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9	98353 92099 85250 71900 51630 39464 36200 33413 33335 32120	D68C 3B9C 3B7C 5A7A VP6DX 4J1FS FT5XO TI9M 1A0KM J20MM	Asi 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9	27609 25488 24860 24755 24750 23423 21112 20752 19333 18067	3B9C VP6DX 9M0C T33C 3B7C K7C BS7H ZL9CI VK9DNX VK9MM
2 84 3 78 4 77 5 64 6 60 7 58 8 52 9 45	7294 4482 8375 7610 4679 0091 8947 2270 5687 5536	VP6DX D68C 3B7C 3B9C VU7RG 5A7A N8S ZL9CI FT5XO VK0IR	SSE 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9	86140 75497 66826 52250 49490 46473 42146 41343 40355 40076	VP6DX D68C 3B9C 3B7C N8S 5A7A TI9M ZL9CI 4J1FS VU7RG	RTT 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9	10252 8948 7889 7423 6875 5280 4920 4668 4167 4150	VP6DX J5C XT2C N8S 3B7C 3B9C 5A7A VU7RG D68C T19M
2 66	653 671 082	5A7A VP6DX R1MVW	80r 1 2 3	n 18348 18021 13750	VP6DX 5A7A 3B7C	40r 1 2 3	n 2 <mark>9423</mark> 26497 22661	VP6DX 5A7A VU7RG
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Those interested in the data can ask for the Excel Sheet (4 MB). Ideas of further improvement of the list are most welcomed!

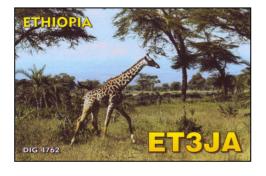
Jari Jussila, OH2BU jari.jussila@oh2bu.pp.fi 29 February 2008

# **QSL ROUTES**

From 425 DX News # 874 From 425 DX News # 876

CALL	MANAGER	CALL	MANAGER	CALL	MANAGER
3D2HC	DL9HCU	CU1CB	EA5KB	L50E	LU2EE
3W2TXR	JA2TXR	CU2A	OH2BH	LU5FF	EA5KB
3W3W	OK1DOT	CU7T	CT1GFK	LX7I	LX2A
3Y0E	LZ3HI	CU8/CT3FN	HB9CRV	LZ130LO	LZ1KZA
3Z0CWZ	SP9PTG	CU8/CT3FN	HB9CRV	LZ9W	LZ1PM
40/YT1HA	RX3RC[a]	CU8A	CT1GFK	OH0Z	WOMM
40/YT1HA	YT1HA	CU8AT	CT1GFK	OL7T	OK2KJU
403A	AI4U [b]	CW0TOP	CX5BW	ON1000NOTG	ER ON5VL[d]
403A	UA3DX[a]	CX7CO	KA5TUF	ON1000NOTG	ER ON6DP[e]
403A	YU1FW [c]	DL40RRDXA	DL1YFF	0020	ON4LDI
4Z8AY	F5LGE	DR25RIN	DL8OBQ	OY3QN	OZ1ACB
5B/KI0BP	UA6MF	E51WWA	AD7AF	P40LE	K2LE
5B8AD	W3HNK	EF5K	EA5KB	R1AND	RU1ZC
5H1CM	DL7CM	EF8M	RX3DU	R1ANR	RZ3BJ
5K3T	HK30	EG5Y	EA5CY	RL3A	W3HNK
5P5CW	DL5SE	EI7JW	OK1TN	RW2F	DK4VW
8P0P	8P9NX	EK6LP	IK2DUW	S01MZ	EA1BT
807AK	G7COD	EK6TA	DJ0MCZ	SF700BF	SK6NL
9A/VE3ZIK	DO7ZZ	ES90J	ES1GE	SO9R	SP9SX
9A73AA	9A2AA	EW6GF	DL8KAC	T93J	T98U
9G1AA	PA3ERA	EX65SB	UA4AM	TF3CW	LX1NO
9G5XA	G3SWH	EX7MK	IK2OPR	TM2OP	F8DYD
9L1BTB	SP7BTB	EY8AW	DJ1MM	TM4A	F6KVP
A41MX	EB7DX	EY8CO	DJ1MM	TM5M	F1NGP
A52K	JA1CG	HA80MRASZ	HA1DAE	TM5Z	F5RMY
A61AB	IZ8CLM	HB10DX	HB9AGH	TR8CA	F6CBC
A61AS	YO3FRI	HG100X	HA5AEZ	TT8PK	F4EGS
A61C	W4JS	HG1848I	HA3HK	TY5ZR	
	EA7FTR	HG550REX	HA5GY	UE3WDA	IK2IQD
A61Q					RW3WWW
A61R	EA7FTR	HI3TEJ	ON4IQ	VK7AAP	IK1PMR
A92C	A92GR	HLOLPM/2	6K2BWA	VK7CLA	IK1PMR
AN3A	EA3KU	HQ9R	K5WW	VP5/AE6XY	JA1CJA
AX7AAP	IK1PMR	HR9/WQ7R	AI4U	VP5/AE6YQ	JA3BZO
AX7CLA	IK1PMR	HS0ZID	WX8C	VP5/W3AVO	JA3AVO
BA4T	BA4TA	HS0ZIF	W1QA	VP6PR	JJ8DEN
BY4JN/4	BG4JUU	HS0ZII	DL1RTL	VP8CLE	G10CN
C33IU	G4KEE	J47XCF	SV7FSK	VP8DIF	DJ9ZB
C6AGU	AA7JV	PJ5NA	K1NA	VP9I	N1HRA
C6ANM	WA2IYO	J79SJ	W5FO	VY2ZM	K1ZM
C91R	CT1BXT	J79XBI	SM7XBI	XT2ABN	F6ABN
CN2R	W7EJ	JY4NE	K3IRV	XV4IVG	ISOIVG
CO7EH	AD4C	K2A	KA3CTQ	XW1B	E21EIC
CO7PH	W3HNK	KG4AS	N4SIA	YT30FOC	YT1E
CO8LY	EA7ADH	KG4OS	KD4OS	YT6T	YU7JDE
CP4BT	EA5KB	KG4SS	K4MIL	Z29KM	EA7FTR
CS2GVA	CT1FUH	KG4WV	W4WV	ZD7X	MMOW
CT3AS	DJ8FW	KL7Z	W7IAN	ZF2BJ	K0BJ
CT9M	CT3EE	KP2M	AI4U	ZS6CCY	K3PD

CALL	MANAGER	CALL	MANAGER	CALL	MANAGER
3D2MD	JN2AMD	H7/NP3D	W3HNK	SV0XAO	DJ5JH
3Z0DN	SP4KIG	HC1MD	K8LJG	T320U	N7OU
4M5RY	EA5KB	HG80HQ	HA7PL	T32YA	W7YAQ
4S7CZG	JA3CZY	HG8C	HA8EK	T6AB	IT9YVO
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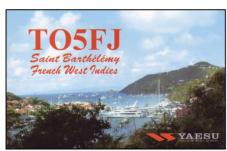




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