

WEST COAST

DX

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BAJA NUEVO/SERRANA BANK SM2AGD opened from Serrana Bank on March 13th, a day late on his original plans and Serrana activated in place of Baja Nuevo. Apparently there were some problems with surface conditions and last Tuesday Eric was aboard the boat which was standing off Serrana Bank. Wave conditions made the marking of the low-lying reefs and outer banks a bit difficult and apparently it was not until Wednesday were conditions good enough to risk the landing.

HKØAB was on several bands Wednesday and Thursday. The plans were to move over to Baja Nuevo and operate over the week-end starting last Saturday. However, the word came that the plans had been cancelled out due to some navigational and engine problems and there would be no HKØAA effort. Apparently they were enroute back to San Andres over last weekend.

If you worked Eric at Serrana Bank, QSL to SM3CXS....sae/IRCs etc. If you feel inclined to give a bit of support, it will be welcomed.

KAMARAN This one has been a possible for the last couple of months and FI8OM and 4W1AF have been planning to fly there in a light plane for some quick efforts. There is word, however, that the Yemenese troops have occupied Kamaran and that any South Yemen control of the island has been ended.

With this development, it is possible that VS9K-Kamaran may join the deleted list of disappearing countries.

ZAIRE Though some 9Q5 calls pop up from time to time, there is strong doubt that any 9Q5 stations are on the air. This may not be absolutely solid but any-9Q5 stations heard might be approached with a bit of caution.

Some of those who have been in Zaire in other years and some of the neighboring countries indicate that any station worked since July 29, 1972 might very well be Congo Slim. 9Q5DX has been heard a few times in recent months. This call was often heard some years back but the license holder is now in Teheran signing EP2DB.

LACCADIVES There are some reports of a station being active from the Laccadives, this one with a linear and beam. Last activity there was by Venkat who signed VU5KV in January 1971.

COCOS There have been a few sketchy reports on TI9NA being active from Cocos. No great number of reports have been noted. TI2GI says that this is TI2NA and was going to be there until the end of March.

Some other TI2-Costa Rica stations, are planning to activate the island during the WPX test at the end of the month. This effort in the WPX Test on March 30-31st may use the TE9-prefix.

BANGLADESH There have been no reports on CK3HM/S2 as yet but SM2DWH/S2 is still being heard. Last Saturday Eric was in the 14225kc country from 1500Z.

TURKS/CAICOS The North Florida DX Assn will activate Turks/Caicos in the WPX Test. The group will work all bands from ten through One-Sixty. The group holds a number of VP5-calls including VP5CW/VP5WS/VP5BW and VP5WW. They will use one of these calls. While the action in the CW WPX Test will be SSB, they also plan to activate VP5CW for some c.w. activity. All QSLs for this effort to W4ORT....sase etc

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REPORTS FROM RED EYED LOUIE

My eyes were blind with stars, and still
I stared into the sky.
Where are those sunspots, Louie??

AFRICA...CW

ZF2KL 14023/1905/Mar 6e
5T5CJ 14027/2115/Mar 11e
5Y4XI 14024/2210/Mar 4e

ASIA...CW

5Z4LW 14016/2105/Mar 9e
9J2BO 14016/2105/Mar 9e
9J2CL 14014/1900/Mar 5e
UA9CDT 14042/1335/Mar 9e
VU2KV 14233/1450/Mar 7e

EUROPE...CW

CT2AK 14036/1245/Mar 7e
DM2NKF 14041/1650/Mar 4w
DL3BJ 14038/1730/Mar 4w
DI9XM 14039/1815/Mar 5w
EA5BS 14008/1650/Mar 9e
EA5HR 14007/1645/Mar 9e
EA6AU 14064/1710/Mar 10e
EI2CI 14041/1320/Mar 9e
FC9VN 14006/1620/Mar 9e
FC8TT 14025/1900/Mar 6e
GD4AM 14025/1550/Mar 9e

G6TC 14038/1830/Mar 4w
GW4AYQ 14019/1955/Mar 11e
GW5BCD 14048/2105/Mar 4w
HA1KSZ 14038/1850/Mar 4w
I0PZR 14043/2045/Mar 11m
M1DX 14002/1630/Mar 7e
OK1FAM 14038/1710/Mar 4w
OK1MGW 14038/1750/Mar 4w
OK1JCW 14038/1650/Mar 5w
TF3SE 14007/2210/Mar 4m
UK2WAF 14026/1450/Mar 5e
UW1ZO 14032/1415/Mar 9m
UV3CQ 14042/1340/Mar 9e
UY5APA 14012/1155/Mar 9e
YO5AFB 14044/1830/Mar 9e
YU1GST 14038/1805/Mar 4w
YU4FST 14038/1815/Mar 4w
YU3DC 14038/1700/Mar 5w
TF3AW 14023/1910/Mar 6e
SL3BR 14041/2045/Mar 4w
9H1DJ 14074/1615/Mar 9e

ELSEWHERE...CW

FG7AH 14011/1140/Mar 5e
HC1CW 28025/1830/Mar 10m
HH2WF 14002/0010/Mar 12e
HK0BXX 14015/1440/Mar 5e

P29GG 21050/2310/Mar 10m
PT2DW/5 14040/0130/Mar 9e
VP2MJ 14012/1145/Mar 10e
VP2ST 14026/0120/Mar 6m
VS5MC 14013/1615/Mar 9e
XQ3AL 14036/0050/Mar 12e
ZP3CA 14024/0015/Mar 7m
ZP3AY 14033/2325/Mar 4m

TEN METERS LIVED

AFRICA...

CN8BF 28555/1540/Mar 11e
CR4BS 28515/1820/Mar 10e
CR6NO 28565/1625/Mar 9m
CR6LL 28578/1830/Mar 9m
EA3EI 28585/1650/Mar 11e

ET3DS 28567/1815/Mar 9m
TR8SS 28543/1840/Mar 10e
TU2DB 28535/1635/Mar 11e
ZD7FT 28567/1600/Mar 11e
5U7AZ 28555/1530/Mar 11e

5X5NK 28535/1400/Mar 10e
7Q7RM 28583/1635/Mar 11e
7Q7BC 28552/1525/Mar 11e
9X5PT 28555/1545/Mar 11e
9G1DY 28570/1610/Mar 9m

ASIA...

4W1GM 28535/1400/Mar 10e

EUROPE

CT2AZ 28590/1710/Mar 9e
CT2AK 28586/1810/Mar 10e

ELSEWHERE...

CE3AJS 28587/1705/Mar 9m
CX7BQ 28551/2040/Mar 9w
FY7AN 28580/1825/Mar 10e
HI8XHN 28594/2045/Mar 9w
HI8XAA 28617/1950/Mar 10w
HI8EJH 28527/1955/Mar 10w
HK5DH 28575/1705/Mar 9e

HI8LAR 28580, 1840/Mar 10e
KP4CQB 28558/2040/Mar 9w
KZ5NG 28571/2000/Mar 10w
PJ2JW 28570/2010/Mar 9e
LU4DSZ 28600/2045/Mar 9w
PY7BRU 28575/1530/Mar 6e
PZ1BC 28550/1830/Mar 10e

OA4MZ 28534/2040/Mar 9w
VP2ME 28550/1710/Mar 10e
ZP5AN 28620/1850/Mar 9e
6Y5GB 28612/1905/Mar 9e
6Y5AV 28545/1930/Mar 9e

ASIA...SSB

HZ1AB 14202/1545/Mar 8e
SM2/S2 14225/0030/Mar 12w
UA0NT 14225/0020/Mar 9m
UK9AAN 14209/1340/Mar 9e
UK9CAN 14263/1400/Mar 8e

UK9UAO 14219/0220/Mar 11w
UJ8SAV 14212/0220/Mar 11w
UL7LBZ 14215/1435/Mar 10m
XV5AC 14225/1815/Mar 8e
4X4RW 14219/1225/Mar 9e

9M2DQ 14225/0020/Mar 9m
9M2DW 14202/1500/Mar 12w
9V1RV 14225/2330/Mar 12w

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MORE RED EYED STUFF

AFRICA...SSB

A2CAB	21356/1900/Mar	9e	ST2SA	21306/1500/Mar	9m	5T5KJ	14238/2225/Mar	6w
CN8BF	21315/1840/Mar	7e	WB2/ST1	14220/1900/Mar	13w	5T5LO	14210/2140/Mar	10e
CR6LF	14208/2015/Mar	10w	VE3/SU	14202/1700/Sometimes		5U7AG	14213/2305/Mar	8e
CR6RJ	21300/1945/Mar	7e	VQ9R	14212/2020/Mar	11e	5N2ESH	21281/1745/Mar	8m
CR6OR	21355/1850/Daily		VQ9R	21296/1910/Mar	5e	5Z4OQ	14206/2130/Mar	8e
CR7RM	21356/1905/Mar	9e	VQ9BP	21356/1910/Mar	9e	5Z4LW	14220/2030/Mar	8e
CR7VL	14216/2130/Mar	9e	VP9JPH	14340/1315/Mar	7e	5Z4LW	21305/2020/Mar	7e
CR7CV	14214/2130/Mar	9e	XT2AJ	21291/1700/Mar	9e	5Z4JE	28575/1525/Mar	6e
EL2AK	14315/1540/Mar	10e	ZD7SD	14212/2100/Mar	10m	7X2BK	14291/1545/Mar	8m
EL2DM	14208/2300/Mar	10e	ZD7SE	21299/2100/Mar	11m	7Q7AG	14210/2030/Mar	7w
EL2C	14227/2350/Mar	9e	ZE1DG	14206/1850/Mar	6e	7P8AY	21406/1635/Mar	5e
ET3DS	28568/1715/Mar	9e	ZE4JW	21345/1945/Mar	7w	9J2XZ	14203/2030/Mar	8w
TR8SS	14222/2340/Mar	8e	3D6AV	14208/1955/Mar	9w	9J2BO	21356/1845/Mar	9e
TU2AA	21380/2120/Mar	11m	3D6AS	14207/2110/Mar	9e	9J2BL	14213/2250/Mar	9e
TU2EM	14202/0015/Mar	11w	5H3JR	14263/2040/Mar	11m	9G1DU	14240/2230/Mar	6m
TU2CH	14230/2140/Mar	12m	5H3KA	21288/1730/Mar	6e	9L1JT	14247/0000/Mar	12m
TZ2A	14215/2140/Mar	8w	5H3FQ	21356/1845/Mar	9e	9L2JM	21350/1720/Mar	9m

EUROPE...SSB

CT2AK	14238/1840/Mar	6e	IT9MTH	14208/1440/Mar	11w	UK2FAA	14202/1440/Mar	7e
CT2AZ	21356/1910/Mar	9e	IØRDJ	21300/1440/Mar	9m	UK2DBG	14220/1400/Mar	9m
CT2BM	14217/2220/Mar	9e	I5CHG	21320/1510/Mar	9m	UK1OAG	14208/1705/Mar	10w
EA5AX	14202/2040/Mar	7w	LA2PH	14224/1610/Mar	16w	UK2RAE	14227/1545/Mar	11w
EA6CE	14202/1710/Mar	10w	OE1GHC	14211/1620/Mar	12w	JK3ABX	14255/1410/Mar	12m
GD3FXN	21299/1910/Mar	7e	OK2SIR	14248/1340/Mar	7w	UR2MG	14245/1400/Mar	12m
HBØSL	14226/1615/Mar	12w	OHØNJ	14251/1335/Mar	6e	UF6HW	14223/1800/Mar	9m
ISØSQF	14217/1640/Mar	7e	SM5SB	14226/1600/Mar	6w	ZB2CF	21355/1800/Mar	9m
I8IRK	14202/1500/Mar	12w	SVØMMM	21295/1455/Mar	8e	4U1ITU	14220/1950/Mar	8e

ELSEWHERE...SSB

CP1DN	21415/1500/Mar	10e	HR6SWA	21314/2135/Mar	11m	VK3SK	14220/2030/Mar	8e#
DU2EL	14225/0140/Mar	12m	W1/HR6	21388/0100/Mar	7m	VK9XW	14251/1415/Mar	6e
DU1REX	14218/0000/Mar	5w	KC4USV	14285/0135/Mar	6e	VK3XI	14214/1440/Mar	12m
FO8DH	14244/0350/Mar	6e	KC4AAC	21262/1835/Mar	12e	VK8CW	21325/0115/Mar	6w
FOØDK	14280/0300/Mar	10e	KG6SW	14240/0225/Mar	9m	VP2ME	14223/0255/Mar	5e
FY7AQ	21311/1735/Mar	10w	KP4AZJ	21410/1545/Mar	12e	VP2ME	21320/1940/Mar	8m
FM7AQ	14200/1410/Mar	10e	KS6ER	14285/0330/Mar	6e	VP8ML	14210/0005/Mar	8e
HC2OM	14332/0410/Mar	9w	KS6EQ	14295/0315/Mar	10e	VP8KF	14218/0305/Mar	10e
HC8FN	21352/2000/Mar	10e	KV4AA	14289/1210/Mar	6e	VP8DH	14333/2130/Mar	8e
HH2WF	21415/1510/Mar	10e	PJ9JT	21325/1445/Mar	10e	VR1AA	14222/0630/Mar	8w
HH2WR	21355/2005/Mar	9w	PY1ZAD	28568/2045/Mar	9w	VR1PD	21353/2220/Mar	6m
HKØBKX	14204/1955/Mar	8e	P29DV	21319/2140/Mar	6m	VR6TC	21350/2345/Tuesday	
HKØAB	14195/0100/Mar	13m	PZ1DJ	14218/2320/Mar	10e	YBØABK	14225/2330/Mar	12w
HI8XEU	14304/0030/Mar	5e	LU5HFI	21415/1500/Mar	10e	YN1MHL	14213/0000/Mar	12e
HI8JEI	14211/1825/Mar	8e	LU1EMW	21415/1620/Mar	10e	ZK1CW	14332/0355/Mar	9w
HP1XXX	21415/1505/Mar	10e	TG7BY	21350/0115/Mar	6w	3D2GK	21308/2330/Mar	9m

(e = eastern states m = middle states w = western reaches kv = virgin islands etc)
 (all times in gmt/uct # = longpath ??? = Slim on Cray Island...often heard...)

CAMPBELL ISLAND A new callsign from Campbell Island, ZM4FY/A, operator is Maurice and he will be there until October of this year manning a weather station. You might look for him from 0600Z around 14200kc.

CALENDAR

OGASAWARA JD1AJD on Ogasawara until April 6th...
 JD1ACH there for WPX Test...
 JD1YAH also active in WPX...
 COCOS Some Costa Ricans reported as headed that way...Specials calls
 with TE9-prefix possible in WPX Test.
 TURKS/CAICOS North Florida DX Assn signing a VP5 in multi effort in WPX...
 IARC PHONE TEST This weekend...runs to the end of the month. March 23-31st
 CQ WW WPX TEST Last weekend of March...March 30-31st....PREPARE!!
 SAYTONA HAMVENTION April 26-28th....W8JRM handling reservations
 Mt. ATHOS Watch for action...possibly in mid-April.
 GRAND CAYMAN West Palm Beach Group in WPX Test....signing ZF1AL.

FORTY/EIGHTY DESK

CR7JO	7016/0335/Mar	5e	KS6DH	7003/0500/Mar	9w	VK5MY	7003/1150/Mar	5e
CO2RV	7020/1130/Mar	8e	KX6LA	7007/1125/Mar	6e	VP2DM	7162/0555/Mar	10e
CM8VG	7016/0210/Mar	8w	KZ5JRN	7138/1200/Mar	9e	VP2GBL	7160/1120/Mar	5e
CM2RF	7006/0445/Mar	7w	LU5HFI	7005/1015/Mar	9e	VP2SQ	7171/1120/Mar	5e
CX1BBL	7014/0430/Mar	11w	PY7CAR	7026/0510/Mar	9w	VP7BC	7249/0245/Mar	9e
DK6MV	7028/0040/Mar	12e	TI2WD	7007/1155/Mar	11e	VR1AA	7008/1005/Mar	9e
DU8ED	7005/1430/Mar	11w	TI2FCD	7085/0455/Mar	9w	WP4DQP	7126/1130/Mar	5e
EA8BF	7021/0105/Mar	7w	UA1AFD	7002/1430/Mar	11w#	YO4WJ	7025/0130/Mar	10w
FG7AM	7008/0340/Mar	5e	UA3PAW	7023/1425/Mar	22w#	YV1AD	7024/0715/Mar	12w
HC1CW	7003/0410/Mar	6w	UK4NBM	7008/1425/Mar	11w#	ZE8JJ	7002/0430/Mar	9w
HH2WF	7002/0345/Mar	8w	UKØZAD	7020/1115/Mar	5e	ZS1JW	7001/0505/Mar	9w
HKØAB	7025/0400/Mar	13w	UO5OBE	7003/0240/Mar	7e	3D6AX	7003/1530/Mar	20w#
HKØBKX	7008/0415/Mar	11w	VA4VV	7042/0650/Mar	10w	8P6AG	7006/1010/Mar	9e
KG6AAY	7008/1450/Mar	6w	VE8LB	7001/0345/Mar	8w	9Y4DS	7026/0455/Mar	9w
A2CJP	3779/0430/Mar	4e	KP4AST	3805/0200/Mar	10e	YU2EBL	3773/0135/Mar	10e
CR3WB	3779/0635/Mar	10w	KV4CI	3797/0945/Mar	8w	ZF1TV	3796/0615/Mar	9e
CT2AK	3779/0335/Mar	12w	LX2HH	3766/0555/Mar	10e	ZF1AO	3801/0440/Mar	6w
DU6AJ	3795/1440/Mar	10w	ON4LJ	3809/0435/Mar	9e	ZK2BD	3785/0655/Mar	10w
EA3JE	3782/0620/Mar	9e	TI2WD	3501/1140/Mar	6e	ZL1ST	3504/0700/Mar	10w
EL7F	3780/0605/Mar	5e	TG9KV	3796/0550/Mar	9e	ZS6DW	3779/0330/Always	
F9YZ	3797/0735/Mar	10e	UAØFGM	3620/1105/Mar	11m	ZS5A	3793/0415/Mar	12w
HC8GI	3780/0610/Mar	9w	UA2EC	3503/0405/Mar	9e	3D2CC	3784/0830/Mar	10w
HK5BW	3804/0735/Mar	10e	UC20AQ	3501/0345/Mar	9e	6W8DY	3776/0635/Mar	10e
HKØAB	3795/0415/Mar	13w	VP2SQ	3808/0100/Mar	12e	9H1DW	3780/0600/Mar	5e
JA2IYJ	3505/1135/Mar	5e	VS6GM	3795/1400/Mar	10w	9Y4T	3797/0955/Mar	8w
KG6AAY	3502/1315/Mar	6w	YS1MV	3800/0400/Mar	9e			

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