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*** EDITOR'S SPECIAL NOTICE: This week's bulletin was sent out earlier than normal to accommodate the late RSGB IOTA Contest announcements. Also, we wanted to provide the readers with a consolidated listing of the RSGB IOTA Contest participants.

DXCC COUNTRY/ENTITY REPORT: According to the AR-Cluster Network for the week of Friday, 20th/July, through Friday, 27th/July there were 202 countries active. Countries available: 3A, 3B8, 3B9, 3D2, 3V, 3W, 4J, 4L, 4O, 4S, 4W, 4X, 5A, 5B, 5T, 5W, 6W, 6Y, 7X, 8P, 9A, 9G, 9H, 9J, 9K, 9M2, 9M6, 9Q, 9V, 9Y, A4, A6, A7, A9, AP, BV, BY, C3, C5, C6, C9, CE, CEOY, CE9, CM, CN, CP, CT, CT3, CU, CX, D4, DL, DU, E5/s, E7, EA, EA6, EA8, EA9, EI, EK, EL, EP, ER, ES, ET, EU, EX, EY, F, FG, FK, FM, FO, FR, FS, FY, G, GD, GI, GJ, GM, GU, GW, HA, HB, HBO, HC, HH, HI, HK, HKO/a, HL, HP, HS, HZ, I, IS, J3, J6, J7, JA, JD/o, JT, JW, JX, K, KG4, KH2, KH6, KH9, KL, KP2, KP4, LA, LU, LX, LY, LZ, OA, OD, OE, OH, OHO, OJO, OK, OM, ON, OX, OY, OZ, P2, P4, PA, PJ2, PJ4, PY, PY0F, R1FJ, S0, S5, SM, SP, ST, SU, SV, SV5, SV9, T7, T8, TA, TF, TG, TI, TJ, TK, TY, TZ, UA, UA2, UA9, UK, UN, UR, V2, V3, V5, V6, V7, V8, VE, VK, VKOM, VP2E, VP2M, VP8, VP9, VR, VU, XE, XW, YA, YB, YI, YJ, YL, YO, YU, YV, Z2, Z3, Z6, ZA, ZB, ZD7, ZD8, ZF, ZL, ZP, ZS, ZS8

* PLEASE NOTE: The report "could" contain "Pirate/SLIM" operations or more likely a "BUSTED CALLSIGN". As always, you never know - "Work First Worry Later".

4U1UN (WHAT'S THE ISSUE?). The "DX-World.net" Web page has an interesting article by James, K2QI, current President of UNARC/4U1UN, on why the 4U1UN United Nation station is not on the air. Article can be found at: https://dx-world.net/whats-the-issue-with-4u1un

9H, MALTA (Correction). Operators Alan/G3XSV, Robin/G3TKF (not G3TXF) and Mark/ G4AXX will be active as 9H6YB from Malta (EU-023) during the RSGB IOTA Contest (July 28-29th) as a Multi-Single/24-Hrs entry. QSL via G3SWH. The team is expected to be active before the contest starting July 25th, and sign as 9H3XSV, 9H3TKF and 9H3AXX. They will go QRT after the contest. QSL routes are not available at this time.

CR2/CT8, AZORES. Operators Oleg/YL3JM and Serge/R7KW will be active as CT8/YL3JM and CT8/R7KW, respectively, from Sao Miguel Island (EU-003) during the end of July. Oleg will be active as CR2S during the RSGB IOTA Contest (July 28-29th) as a Single-Op/All-Band/CW-Mode/Low-Power entry. After the contest, Serge is planning few days of activity from the Portugal mainland as CT7/R7KW. Paper QSLs for CR2S, CT7/R7KW, CT8/R7KW, CT8/YL3JM are via K2PF direct or OQRS Direct/Bureau on ClubLog.

GD9, ISLE OF MAN. Mark, MODXR, will be active as GD9W from the Isle of

Man during this year's CQWW DX SSB Contest (October 27-28th) as a Single-OP/Single-Band (20m)/Unassisted/High-Power entry. QSL via MODXR.

HC8, GALAPAGOS ISLANDS. Alfredo, HC1HC, will operate as HC1HC/8 from Santa Cruz Island (SA-004) in the Galapagos Islands between August 7-10th. His activity will mainly be on the 30/17/12 meters, possibly 6 meters, using FT8 and CW. He may try to use the WSJT-x DX-pedition mode. His equipment will be an Elecraft KX3 into a Buddipole running a QRP station. QSL via NE8Z (no Bureau/no LoTW). Alfredo prefers to receive QSL cards.

IOTA NEWS.....

- AS-065. A team of operators will be active as RT65KI from Chukotka, Idlidlya Island (RDA: CK-08, RRA: RR-11-06, RLHA: RLA-035, WLOTA?: LH-2266), Asiatic Russia, in the Chukchi Sea Coast East Group. Details will be forthcoming. QSL via UA3AKO (OQRS, direct or by the Bureau). Activity is to commemorate the 25th anniversary of RRC.
- AS-074. Operators Rosli/9M2RHQ, Muhammad/9M2EPX, Ahmad/9W2EZR, Narzi/9W2NDQ, Mohamad/9W2LUP, Amirul/9W2PQS and Muhammad/9W2ZOW will be active as 9M2SDX from Pulau Indah (Indah Island), West Malaysia, during the RSGB IOTA Contest (July 28-29th) as a Multi-Single/Island-DXpedition entry. QSL via 9M2SDX.
- AS-150. Members of the Ji Nan Amateur Radio Assciation (JNARA) will be active as BY4JN from Lingshan Island during the RSGB IOTA Contest (July 28-29th), as a Multi-Single/High-Power entry. QSL via BI4IIZ.
- EU-010. Members of the West of Scotland Amateur Radio Society will be active as GM4AGG/p from Barvas, Island of Lewis, Scotland, during the RSGB IOTA Contest (July 28-29th) as a Mult-Op/ Island-DXpedition/24-Hrs/Low-Power entry. Operators mentioned are Ah/GM4TOQ, Ross/GM7WED, Sam/GM4BGS, Jack/GM4COX and MM6VWH. QSL via direct or RSGB Bureau.
- EU-016. Italo, IK6JNH, will be active as 9A8DV from Drvenik Veli Island during the RSGB IOTA Contest (July 28-29th) as a Single-Op/All-Band/SSB-Mode/High-Power entry. QSL via IK6VXO.
- EU-034. Igor, ES0IA, will be active from Kassaar Island during the RSGB IOTA Contest (July 28-29th) as a Single-Op/SSB-Mode/Fixed-Island/Low-Power/12-HRs entry. QSL via ES0IA by the Bureau.
- EU-057. Jo, DL5KUD, will be active from Ruegen Island (German Island Award: O-07, WLOTA: LH 1712. DOK: V01) during the RSGB IOTA Contest (July 28-29th) as Single-Op/CW-Mode/12-Hrs/Low-Power entry. QSL via ClubLog.
- EU-096. Tony, OH1TD, will be active as OH1TD from Korpo Island during the RSGB IOTA Contest (July 28-29th) as a Single-Op/SSB-Mode/ 12-Hrs entry. QSL via LoTW, or via his home callsign by the Bureau or direct. Tony will be on the island until September 1st.
- EU-110. Marcus, DL3NCI, will be active as 9A/DL3NCI from Porer Island during the RSGB IOTA Contest (July 28-29th) as a Single-Op/CW-Mode/Low-Power entry. QSL via his home callsign.
- EU-120. Members of the Newbury and District Amateur Radio Society (NADARS) will once again be active as G5XV from Isle of Wight during the RSGB IOTA Contest (July 28-29th), as a Multi-2/ Island-DXpedition/Mixed-Mode/24-Hrs/High-Power entry. Operators mentioned are John/G3VPW, David/G3KLH, Richard/G3ZGC, Ray/G4FON, Colin/MODDT, Steve/MOSEL, Matteo/MOTKM, George/2E0FEC and Rob/G4LMW. QSL via MOOXO.

- EU-120. Russell, G5XW, will be active from Isle of Wight during the RSGB IOTA Contest (July 28-29th) as a Single-Op/CW-Mode/12-Hrs entry. QSL via the RSGB Bureau.
- EU-121. (Correction/Not EU-147) Operators Bernard/G3SHF, Carsten/G0SYP, Tom/M0DCG, Pete/M1PTR and Kieron/EI6KP (M5KJM) will be active as EJ6KP from Aranmore Island during the RSGB IOTA Contest (July 28-29th) as a Multi-Op/Island-DXpedition entry. QSL via LoTW, via IRTS or RSGB.
- EU-135. Operators Per/SM2MTR, Daniel/SA2KNG, Peter/SA2BLV and Mats/SA2AWO will be active as SK2T from Norrbyskar Island during the RSGB IOTA Contest (July 28-29th) as a Multi-Single/Island-DXpedition/Low-Power entry. QSL via SK2AT.
- EU-136. Jozef, OM5AW, will be active as 9A/OM5AW from Losinj Island during the RSGB IOTA Contest (July 28-29th) as a Single-Op/Mixed-Mode/Island-DXpedition/12-Hrs/Low-Power entry. QSL via OM2FY.
- EU-136. Kordic, 9A4KJ, will once again be active as 9A1RAB from Rab Island (CI-098) during the RSGB IOTA Contest (July 28-29th) as a Single-Op/Mixed-Mode/Fixed/Low-Power entry. QSL via 9A2EU or by the Bureau.
- EU-172. Robert, PD7RB, will be active as OZ/PD7RB from Fyn Island during the RSGB IOTA Contest (July 28-29th) as a Single-Op/20/10m-only/SSB-Mode/12-Hrs/Low-Power entry. QSL via PD7RB.
- - English http://bulgariatravel.org/en/object/345/Ostrov_Sveti_Ivan
 Russian http://bulgariatravel.org/ru/obyekt/345/Ostrov_Sveti_Ivan
- NA-014. Mike, VE9AA/VE1TTT/VO1TTT, will be active as VE9AA from Deer Island, NB, during the RSGB IOTA Contest (July 28-29th) as a Single-Op/CW-Mode/Part-Time (Saturday only)/Low-Power entry. QSL via VE3IKV.
- NA-058/ Jeff, KU8E, will be active as W4AN from two different QTHs NA-138. during the RSGB IOTA Contest (July 28-29th) as a Single-Op entry. For the first 5 hours he will be active from Amelia Island (NA-138), FL, signing W4AN/NA138. Then he will drive to Jekyll Island, GA (NA-058), and sign KU8E/NA58 sometime Saturday afternoon. QSL via K4BAI.
- NA-128. (QSL Correction) Look for members of the "NA-128 Contest Group" to once again be active as CK2I from Isle-aux-Grues (FN47), Quebec, Canada, between July 27-29th. Activity will be holiday style. They plan to be in the RSGB IOTA Contest (July 28-29th) as a Multi-Single entry. Look for a few FT-8 QSO before the contest to check the antennas. QSL via VE2EBK (direct) and LoTW.
- NA-128. Jean, VE2VIA, will be active from Ile-aux-Coudres during the RSGB IOTA Contest (July 28-29th) as a Single-Op/CW-Mode entry. QSL via his home callsign.
- OC-186. Adhi, YB3MM, will be active as YB3MM/2 from Karimunjawa Island during the RSGB IOTA Contest (July 28-29th). He states, "Will start several hours before start of contest and will finish on following local morning. Low power 40-15 meter bands." QSL via

Clublog's OQRS, direct, by the Bureau or via QSL Manager IZ8CCW.

- OC-042. Operators Stein/LB3RE/DU1, Patrick/4F1PH, Gerhard/DV1PPC, John/DV1LFB, Jude/4I1JAA, Aimee/4I1MEE and 4I1RV will be active as DZ1PUP (the Polytechnic University of the Philippines Radio Engineering Circle callsign) from Luzon Island during the RSGB IOTA Contest (July 28-29th) as a Multi-Op/Low-Power entry. QSL via 4F1PH.
- SA-046. Operators Lyra/PY7RL, Renner/PY7RP, Benedito/PY7VI, Jemesson/PY7XC and Fred/PY7ZZ will be active as PW7I from Itamaracá Island during the RSGB IOTA Contest (July 28-29th) as a Multi-Single entry. QSL via PY7RP.

RSGB IOTA Contest 2018 SCOREBOARD AVAILABLE -- Victor, VA2WA, announced this past week that the RSGB IOTA 2018 Scoreboard's is URL:

https://contestonlinescore.com/scoreboard/?contest_id=17
He states, "We encourage all the scoreboard users to send score to the
Distributor server link. That will provide your score to be published
on the all currently available scoreboards (on cqcontest.net and
contestonlinescore.com) simultaneously.

Please read https://contestonlinescore.com/blog/documents/ for details.

Don't hesitate to contact us at sadmin@contestonlinescore.com in case if you need our assistance with your logger set up. We will be happy to help you."

PLEASE NOTE: Since the Webmasters of the new < www.iota-world.org > have decided NOT to post or dedicate a Web page to announce upcoming IOTA operations, PLEASE send your IOTA operations information to the OPDX, and we will post it here in an upcoming bulletin.....

ISWL CALLSIGNS (For August). The following ISWL club callsigns will be used throughout the month of August 2018:

- GX4BJC/A Operated from Walton-on-the-Naze, in Essex, by Herbie, G6XOU (/A WAB Square TM22 England, IOTA EU-005, WLOTA 1841).

ALL QSLs will be handled by Dick, M5DIK - The QSL Manager and NOT the individual operator. The I.S.W.L. is a member of the European PSK Club. All QSL info is on <www.iswl.org.uk> or <www.qrzcq.com> or <www.qrz.com> or via <www.eQSL.cc>. NO LoTW.

KH1/KH7Z BAKER ISLAND DXPEDITION NEWS. Don Greenbaum, N1DG, sent out the following press release on July 27th: Dateline DX is pleased to announce the final design of the front of our commemorative QSL highlighting both the history of and the unique nature of the Baker Island National Wildlife Reserve. Inside you will find the story of colonization, Amelia Earhart and our operation. (ed. See the QSL at:

<https://www.facebook.com/NorthernOhioDxAssociation/photos/a.442388275795799.104226.4379988695680
73/2029151487119462/?type=3>)

OQRS is now open at https://clublog.org/charts/?c=KH1/KH7Z and we expect cards will be in the mail by the beginning of September. Over 25,600 QSL records have been uploaded to LoTW already (as a result of OQRS orders and donations) with over 19,000 matches.

Lastly, here's a little video to excite you about upcoming presentations at your local DX convention our team will be participating in: https://vimeo.com/281933500

Thank you to all our supporters who helped make the 2018 Baker Island DXpedition a success.

73, Don, N1DG, Kevin, K6TD, Tom, N4XP, and the whole KH1/KH7Z team

P2, PAPUA NEW GUINEA. Puiu, Y05BIM, is currently active as P29VIM from Port Moresby, and has been there since July 26th. Activity has been on

80/40 meters, but can operate on 160-6 meters using mainly CW and SSB with Icom IC-706MK2G. Puiu will be in Papua New Guinea until August 13th. QSL via his home callsign.

PJ7, SINT MAARTEN. Philip, N2HX, will once again be active as PJ7PL from the Royal Palm's between October 20th and November 4th. Activity will include operations in the CQWW DX SSB Contest (October 27-28th) as a Single-Op/Low-Power entry. Outside of the contest, activity will be holiday style on 30-10 meters using SSB and RTTY, possibly FT8 -- depending on what he brings down. QSL via N2HX or WA1ZAM.

PROPAGATION FORECAST/REPORT (July 30th-August 5th).....

Jul/30th ANAug/02nd HNAug/04th ANJul/31st ANAug/03rd ANAug/05th AN

Aug/01st AN

SOLAR REFERENCE KEYS/INDEXES AND GEOMAGNETIC REFERENCE

NORMALITY	GEOMAG	K Values	Alpha
AN - Above Normal	Quiet	K=0-1	0 - 7
HN - High Normal	Unsettled	K=2	8-15
LN - Low Normal	Active	K=3	16-29
BN - Below Normal	Minor Storm	K=4	30-49
DIS - Disturbed	Major Storm	K=5	50-99
VRY DIS - Very Disturbed	Severe Storm	K = 6 - 9	100-400

REALTIME BAND CONDITIONS WEB SITE http://www.bandconditions.com:
The purpose of this experimental Web site is to provide 24-7-365 actual (REALTIME) band condition information to CW QRPp, QRPe and CW/SSB for Contesters interested in increasing their scores. It can also be of benefit to other Radio Amateurs to determine band conditions for Nets and casual QSO's. This information is NOT based on any software predictions or any kind of satellite based readings. It is based on a new Ionospheric sounding method called "HF Ionospheric Interferometry" which operates very similarly to the PolSAR system used by NASA.

A daily HF radio wave propagation forecast can be found at: $\frac{\text{https://www.facebook.com/thomasfranklingiellaw4hm}}{\text{Also on Twitter: https://twitter.com/@GiellaW4hm}}$

QSL INFO AND NEWS.....

QSL-INFO from DB0SDX by Lothar, DL1SBF < www.qslinfo.eu > [July 27th]

3Z1K via SP1KRF F/ON4LO/P via ON4LO OH0X via OH2TA
4U1WB via KK4HD GJ3RCV via G4DFI OH1X via OH3RM
5B4AMM via UT5UDX HA/DJ5AA via DJ5AA OK/OM1WS/P via OM1WS
9A/S58Y/P via S58Y HA7A via HA5MK OK5T via OK1VSL
9A/SQ9S via SQ9S HB0/PF5A via PF5A S5/SQ9S via SQ9S
9M4DXX via JA0DMV (d) II2RR via IK2VUC T88LR via JA1LRV
DL/OE7RDI/P via OE7RDI IK2SGL/OA9 via IK2SGL (L) TM2BZH via F6CNM (B)
DL/PA9WOR via PA9WOR (e) IO9Z via IT9DSZ UX7U via UX7UA
E29AJ via HS8JCV LA/OE5YYN/P via OE5YYN UZ3A via UX1AA
EL2EF via NR6M LM0POMOR via LA2K VP8EME via VP8ALJ
EM25URD via UR7UT & (e) MM/F5BLC via F5BLC
F/DF5RF/P via DF5RF MM/F5BLC/P via F5BLC

- (e) eQSL only (d) direct only (B) Bureau only (*-B) DX's- Bureau (O) OQRS only (C) ClubLog only (L) LoTW only (N) No QSL needed
- (I) No IRC (P) PayPal

WRTC Y8 QSL INFO (Do NOT Send Cards). David, K3ZJ, reported the following: "Because almost everybody of the organizing committee and the volunteers have a normal life after WRTC, we ask for your patience that all the QSLing still needs some weeks to be completed. Many thanks.

Paper QSL -- Right now we are preparing a procedure to bring the QSL cards to you. We will not automatically QSL all QSOs with the Y8 callsigns with paper cards because it will cause a very high traffic in the QSL bureau and will create a lot of returning cards. Everybody who wants to have a paper QSL card, will get one. Therefore we will provide an easy form on our website where you can tell us your wish for QSL cards.

Please do not send your paper QSL card via bureau !!
Electronic QSL -- We will also QSL all Y8 QSOs on LoTW and eQSL."

QSLS RECEIVED VIA LoTW: 4X6GP, A92GR, AH6KO, DK1WI, EA8PX, F4EGA, HB0/PC5A, HH2AA, JA7NX, KD0JJO/DU7 (OC-129), KH1/KH7Z, LY1G, OX3XR, P3X, PI4CC, R18CRC, R18TUN, SM6CKU, SM6CMU [No - not a typo - 2 similar calls], UN7JO, VK7GN, VK9AR (OC-216), XR0YD, YT8A, ZM4G, ZP6CW, ZV5O and ZW0S (2003, St. Peter/Paul Rocks)

QSLS RECEIVED VIA MAIL: 4B4B, KL7RRC/P (NA-234), TL0A, VO1SO and WP4AZT (non-qualify for VUCC - grid not specified)

QSLS RECEIVED VIA THE BUREAU: 4S7KKG, 5Q4X (EU-125), 5X2B, 7P8WO, 8J1ME, 8N1T, 8N4HQ, 9M2CNC, A73A, D73G (AS-060), DA0HQ, DM1517L, DR18WRD, DS3CHK, DS4GKF, DS5OYE, EI100T, EI11WAW, EI33WAW, EI150ITU, EJ3Z, ET3AA, H42NT (OC-127), HB0/EI1E, HK1MW, HL1AVS, HL2CFY, HL3EFM, HL0WOP, HL16RI, HS0ZV, K1N, K5D, MD0CCE, OY10F, PJ4Y, PZ5XX, T41G (NA-093), TJ3PD, VK9/G7VJR, VK0IR, VP2MKG, YF1AR/4 (OC-204), YF1AR/5 (OC-215), YF1AR/6 (OC-270), YF1AR/7 (OC-166), YF1AR/8 (OC-272), YF1AR/0 (OC-177) and ZF2DX

RI1, ANTARCTICA. Sergey, R3IW, will be active as RI1ANW from the Novolazarevskaya Station, Antarctica, until March 2019. Activity will be on various HF bands. QSL via RN1ON or ClubLog's OQRS.

T8, PALAU. Nobuaki, JAOJHQ, will once again be active as T88PB from the VIP-Guest Hotel in Koror City, Palau, between August 31st and September 3rd. Activity will be mainly on SSB for the All Asian DX Contest, but he may try CW on the low bands and possibly FT8 outside of the contest. QSL via JAOJHQ. For more details and updates, see his Web page at:

http://pandasan.jimdo.com

VP6D DUCIE ISLAND DXPEDITION NEWS (Press Release, dated July 22nd). [edited] VP6D Ducie Island 2018 DX-pedition (OC-182) -- Congratulations to the Baker Island KH1/KH7Z team. Under extremely poor propagation conditions they put on a excellent DX-pedition. They proved the value of FT8 DX-pedition mode and gave many ATNOs to the deserving. A hearty WELL DONE to the Dateline DX Association.

The VP6D - Ducie Island 2018 project is on schedule.

As you may recall, VP6D will use the same Elecraft equipment as KH1/KH7Z. On July 20th the Baker Island radio equipment was returned to Elecraft for inspection, testing and refurbishing. Members of the VP6D team will drive to California the first week of August to prepare the equipment for shipment. We will ship the equipment to New Zealand on about August 15th. Team member Jacky, ZL3CW, will transfer the shipment to Braveheart.

There's no question that the Baker team had considerable success with FT8. However, a large percentage of the callers weren't prepared for the challenges of this new mode. We ask everyone to please read the FT8 DX-pedition Mode Users Manual at:

https://physics.princeton.edu/pulsar/k1jt/FT8_DXpedition_Mode.pdf
It will be in everyone's best interest if callers use the most recent
software version, correctly configure their equipment, call VP6D above
1,000 Hertz and in the correct sequence. If you are unsure of your configuration please seek assistance before calling.

We plan to use Twitter and Facebook to keep the DX community updated on our progress by sending regular updates from the island. We want to thank Paul Ewing, N6PSE, and the Intrepid DX Group for the loan of a BGAN unit, giving us an additional Hughes 9201 unit.

During our stay on the island we will collect soil and plant specimens for study by the National Antarctic Scientific Centre of Ukraine in their climate change research. The Pitcairn Island government issued a permit for the specimens to be collected and removed from the island.

Our current fundraising campaign is underway; you may see the progress at VP6D.com. We feel fortunate to have received financial grants from 40 DX clubs / foundations and many individuals. At this writing we're at 68% of target with about 3 months before we sail. We anticipate additional clubs and individuals will help close the gap.

The team is busily working on the project. We'll have some exciting announcements in future press releases.

73, Team Ducie - 2018

Website: vp6d.com, Twitter and Facebook
Please direct questions to: info@vp6d.com

The following stations are expected to be active in the RSGB IOTA Contest (July 28-29th, 2018)

For rules for the contest are available at:

http://www.rsgbcc.org/hf/rules/2018/riota.shtml

Thanks to Bill, NG3K, for providing OPDX readers with the following consolidated listing of the participants in the 2018 RSGB IOTA Contest. For a more detailed listing (and up-to-date changes/corrections) in HTML format, please visit Bill's Web page at:

http://www.ng3k.com/Misc/iota2018.html (By Callsign)
http://www.ng3k.com/Misc/iotad2018.html (By DXCC Entity)
http://www.ng3k.com/Misc/iotai2018.html (By IOTA)

Contest Callsign	DXCC Entity	IOTA	Island	QSL Route-(B)Bureau/(C)ClubLog/ (e)eQSL/(L)LoTW/(d)direct
 5P5CW	Denmark	 EU-172		DL5SE
5P5X	Denmark	-	Laesoe	DD5ZZ; QSL route for IOTA only
9A/DL3NCI	Croatia	EU-110		DL3NCI
9A/OM2ZZ	Croatia	EU-170		OM2FY
9A/OM5AW	Croatia		Losinj	OM2FY
9A4KJ	Croatia	EU-136	_	9A4KJ (B); QSL via 9A2EU
9A8CV	Croatia	EU-136		eOSL
9A8DV	Croatia		Drvenik Veli	~
9H3HZ	Malta	EU-023		LoTW
9H6YB	Malta	EU-023	Malta	
9M2/IK2PFL	West Malaysia	AS-073	Perhentian K	ecil IK2PFL
9M2SDX	West Malaysia			9M2SDX
B4/BY1AA	China	AS-146	Chang	(d)
BD4SDX	China	AS-135	Kaishan	(B/d)
BD7YK	China	AS-094	Hainan	BD7PUZ
BV0WPX	Taiwan	AS-155	Peng ChiaYu	BV2KI
BW9W	Taiwan	AS-155	Peng ChiaYu	BV2KI
BY4JN	China	AS-150	Lingshan	BI4IIZ
CK2I	Canada	NA-128	Ile aux Grue	s LoTW
CR2S	Azores	EU-003	Sao Miguel	K2PF (d)
CR3DX	Madeira	AF-014	Madeira	OM2VL
CR5CW	Portugal	EU-145	Culatra	LoTW; QSL via CT7ACG
DG5LAC/p	Germany	EU-128	Fehmarn	DG5LAC
DK3R	Germany		Ruegen	DL1KZA
DL5KUD	Germany		Ruegen	(C)
DL5KVV/p	Germany		Usedom	DL5KVV
DL0KWH/p	Germany		Usedom	DLOKWH
DX9EVM	Philippines			DX9EVM
DZ1PUP	Philippines			4F1PH
E2X	Thailand		Si Chang	LoTW
EJ6KP	Ireland		Aranmore	LoTW; QSL via EI (B) or G (B)
ES3V	Estonia		Vormsi	ES3VI
ES8DJ	Estonia		Ruhnu	ES2DJ
ESOIA	Estonia		Kassari	
F/0040	France		Oleron	LoTW; QSL via ON4APU (B)
G5XV	England		Isle of Wigh	
G5XW	England		Isle of Wigh	
G6LD	England	EU-120	нотА	None

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G70
             England
                       EU-120 Isle of Wight G3SQX
                       EU-120 Holy
GOLKS
             England
                                          GM01KS
             Isle of Man EU-116 Isle of Man LoTW
GD6NX
             Scotland EU-008 Isle of Tiree LoTW; QSL via GM4UYZ (d/e)
GM2T
             Scotland EU-010 Lewis
GM4AGG/p
                                         GM4AGG
            Scotland EU-008 Isle of Coll GM7WCO
GM7A
            Scotland EU-010 Benbecula N3SL
GM7V
                     EU-114 Guernsey
GP6UW
             Guernsey
                                          G6UW (B); QSL via M0BLF (d)
                      EU-054 Favignana
IF9A
             Italy
                      EU-130 Barbana
II3Y
             Italy
II7P
             Italy
                      EU-091 Pedagne
                                           IK7LMX (B)
IJ7V
             Italy
                      EU-073 San Pietro
                                          IK7IMO
IMO/IOPNM
            Sardinia EU-165 San Pietro IOPNM
            Italy EU-083 Tino
IP1T
                                         IP1T (B); QSL via I1ANP
                      EU-131 Pellestrina IQ3ME; QSL via (B/d)
IQ3ME/p
            Italy
                      EU-187 Dia
                                    SV9GPV
J49A
            Crete
                      AS-078 Hokkaido
JA8COE
            Japan
                                          JA8COE
                      AS-036 Iki
JE6HCL/6
           Japan
                                          JE6HCL
            Japan
                      AS-008 Shikine
                                        JI3DST
JI3DST/1
                       NA-137 Bailey
            USA
K1IMI
                                          LoTW; QSL via N4CW
                                         K2QMF
                       NA-026 Long
K20MF
            USA
                       NA-062 Key Vaca
                                         LoTW; QSL via WX4TV
K3Y
            USA
            USA
                       NA-067 Great
K4Z
                                          LoTW
            USA
                       NA-143 Galveston
                                          LoTW; QSL via K5KUA
K5KUA/5
                      EU-055 Bokn
EU-181 Sveti Ivan
            Norway
                                          LoTW; QSL via LA4C (B)
LA4C
LZOI
            Bulgaria
                                          LZ0I (B)
                       EU-011 St Agnes
M1K
            England
                                          M1KTA
                     EU-120 Holy
M0VPY
            England
                                          MM0VPY
            Isle of Man EU-116 Isle of Man (C); QSL via MDOCCE
MD2C
            Isle of Man EU-116 Isle of Man MOOXO
MD7C
                    EU-099 Minkes Reef G4DFI
MJ8C
            Jersey
            Scotland EU-123 Great Cumbrae LoTW; QSL via (C) and MM0GOR (B)
MM1E
MM2M
            Scotland EU-123 Arran
                                          TBD
MM3T
            Scotland
                     EU-123 Bute
                                          MM3T
           Scotland
MM0JTV/1
                     EU-010 Barra
                                          MMOJTV
                       EU-124 Holy
MW0DHF/p
           Wales
                                          MWODHF
                      EU-011 St Mary's LoTW; QSL via (C)
MX5A
           England
N4MK
            USA
                      NA-083 Chincoteague (d)
N9EAJ
            USA
                       NA-055 Deer Isle
OH1TD
            Finland EU-096 Korpo
                                         OH1TD
OH5TS
            Finland EU-140 Kuorsalo
                                         LoTW; QSL via OH5TS (d)
                      EU-126 Selkasarvi
OH8AA
            Finland
            Faroe Is EU-018 Faroe
                                          OY1CT
OY1CT
OZ/DL5CW
           Denmark EU-172 Hjarno
                                         DL5CW
OZ/PD7RB
                      EU-172 Fyn
            Denmark
                                          PD7RB
OZ2PBS
            Denmark
                      EU-029 Zealand
                                          OZ2PBS
                      EU-029 Sjaelland
EU-088 Laesoe
OZ8SW
            Denmark
                                          OZ8SW
OZ9V/p
            Denmark
                                          LoTW
PA/F4FET
            Netherlands EU-146 Schouwen Duiveland F4FET
            Netherlands EU-146 Schouwen Duiveland ON4IBM
PA/ON4IBM
            Netherlands EU-038 Texel
PA/ON6QR
             Netherlands EU-146 Schouwen Duiveland
PA5TT
PA6IOT
             Netherlands EU-038 Texel
                                         ON3UN; QSL via (B/d)
PI4AMF/p
            Netherlands EU-146 Schouwen Duivenland (C); QSL via PA3EYC
                       SA-071 Couves
PR2CI
             Brazil
                                         LoTW; QSL via PY2AE and (C)
                        SA-077 Santana
PS1S
             Brazil
                                          M00X0
                       SA-046 Itamaraca
                                          PY7RP
PW7I
            Brazil
         Russia (Europe) EU-147 Bol'shoy Kimalishche R1NU
R1KRG/p
             Sweden EU-020 Gotland SD1A (B)
SD1A
                       EU-135 Norrbyskar
SK2T
             Sweden
                                          SK2AT
SM/G3VYI
                       EU-020 Faro
            Sweden
                                          G3VYI
                       EU-132 Wolin
SN0RX
            Poland
                                          SP8BXL
SP7VC/1
            Poland
                       EU-132 Wolin
SV5/OM6NM
            Dodecanese EU-001 Kos
                                          OM2FY
SV8/OM2FY
            Greece EU-052 Kefalonia
                                         OM2FY
SV9/I3MDU
             Crete
                       EU-015 Crete
                                          I3MDU
TM5F
            France
                       EU-095 Ratonneau F5SDD
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TM6N France EU-064 Noirmoutier LoTW; QSL via F4GYM (B/d/e) VB1M Canada NA-126 Bon Portage (Outer) VA1YL VE2VIA Canada NA-128 Ile aux Coudres VE7NY/7 Canada NA-036 Denman VE7NY VE9AA Canada NA-014 Deer VE3IKV VY2TT Canada NA-029 Prince Edward VY2TT W2IY USA NA-055 Mt Desert W2IY W2AN/NA58 USA NA-058 Jekyll K4BAI (see IOTA above) W2AN/NA138 USA NA-138 Amelia K4BAI (see IOTA above) W4MY USA NA-067 Harkers W4MY W4UC USA NA-067 Harkers W4MY W4UC USA NA-067 Ocracoke WB8YJF YB3MM/2 Indonesia OC-186 Karimunjawa (C/d/Bureau) or via IZ8CCW YV7MAY Venezuela SA-012 Margarita ZV50 Brazil SA-047 Mel PY5ZD
                                     Brazil SA-047 Mel PY5ZD
Brazil SA-072 Canarias ZV8FF
  ZV50
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