

Red Cross & Red Crescent related stations

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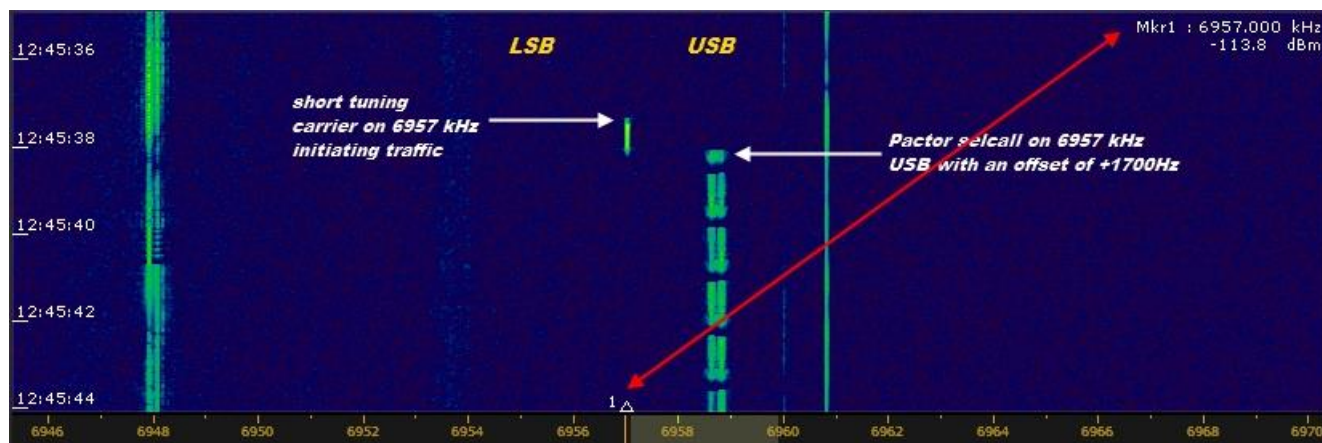
This document is a first attempt to list the HF frequencies and callsigns of the various ICRC stations in the world. Many ICRC stations around the world operate on VHF and UHF only. These stations are not covered.

The list is far from complete and your input is more than welcome. Please mail your additions and corrections to udxf@udxf.nl

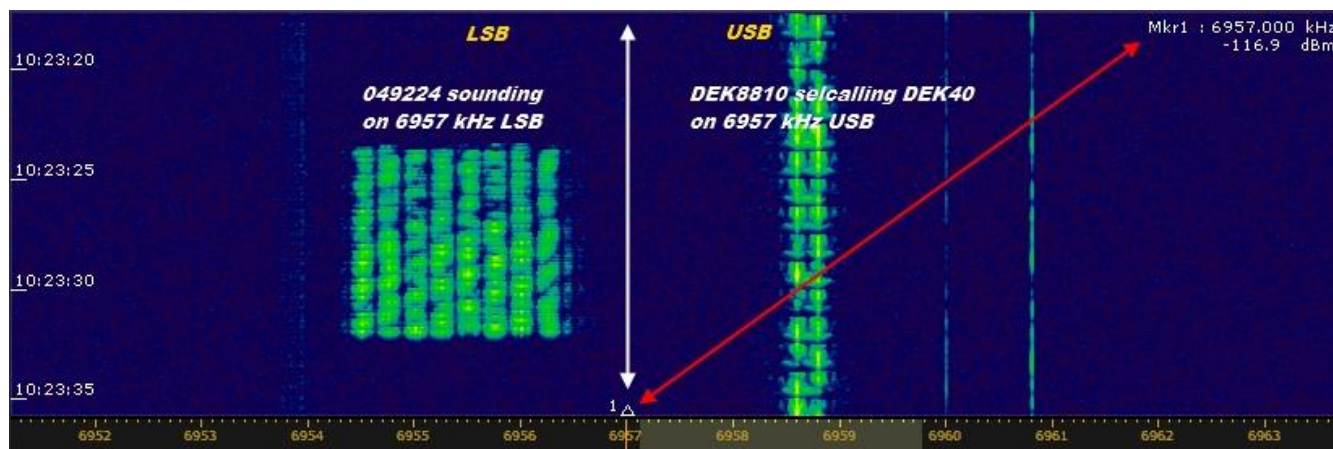
Modes:

MIL-STD-188-141A (ALE), PACTOR-I/ARQ, PACTOR-III, WINlink 2000 / WINlink MOR (Message Over Radio)
Both USB and LSB are being used. The offset for USB is +1700 Hz and for LSB -1700 Hz from the center frequency. The US Red Cross also uses Olivia-64 and MT-63.

Below is a nice example of a station tuning up on 6957 kHz with an unmodulated carrier and then immediately switching to the Pactor FSK selcall on the upper side band using an offset of +1700 Hz.



In the next picture you see an ALE transmission on LSB and Pactor on USB.



International Committee Red Cross and Red Crescent frequencies:

3801.5 6998.5 13915 13937 13965 13998.5 20735 20815 20942 20993.5 27998 29801.5 kHz
USB and LSB

International disaster amateur radio frequencies:

3760 7110 14300 18160 21360 27065 kHz

Stations: International Red Cross HF callsigns and Amateur callsigns

RC2JAL	ICRC Jalalabad	AFG	JYL88	Amman	JOR
RC2KAB	ICRC Kabul	AFG	SZR88	Nairobi	KEN
RC2MAZ	ICRC Mazar-e Sherif	AFG	HL105KRC	Changwon City	KOR
VPR88	Bassau	BAH	CICR5	L. Prabang	LAO
S2C88	Dhaka	BGD	XWR88	Vientiane	LAO
CPR88	La Paz	BOL	ODR88	Beirut	LBN
SPRC88	Bridgetown	BRB	YNCR88	Manahua	NGC
XUR88	Phnom Pehn	CBG	SUCRS	Niamey	NGR
CER88	Santiago	CHL	APR88	Islamabad	PAK
HJC88	Bogota	CLM	RC2PES	ICRC Peshawar	PAK
TICR88	San Jose	CTR	DUG88	Manila	PHL
HICR88	Santo Domingo	DOM	HPC88	Panama City	PNR
EAR88	Madrid	E	OAR88	Lima	PRU
SUR88	Cairo	EGY	STR88	Khatoum	SDN
HCR88	Quito	EQU	YSCR88	San Salvador	SLV
F6KCR		F	HB8GVA	Geneve	SUI
TMC88	Paris	F	YKR88	Damascus	SYR
MB1TBI	ICRC Tblisi	GEO	TTR88	N'Djamena	TCD
TBIMB1	ICRC Mailbox Tblisi	GEO	SVR88	Lome	TGO
TDR88	Guatemala City	GTM	HSR59	Bangkok	THA
HRC88	Tequigalpa	HND	CX80RU	Montevideo	URG
PGA88	Heemstede	HOL	YCPR88	Caracas	VEN
HHR88	Port au Prince	HTI	4WA2	Sana'a	YEM
VVA510	New Delhi	IND	9QR88	Kinshasa	ZAI
4XR88	Jerusalem	ISR	9JR88	Lusaka	ZMB

Deutsches Rotes Kreuz – HF-Net callsigns

DEK23	LV Berlin
DEK2310	LV Berlin (mobile)
DEK24	LV Westfalen-Lippe
DEK25	LV Baden-Württemberg
DEK2510	LV Baden-Württemberg (mobile)
DEK2520	LV Baden-Württemberg (mobile)
DEK26	LV Nordrhein
DEK27	LV Niedersachsen
DEK2710	LV Niedersachsen (mobile)
DEK2712	LV Niedersachsen (mobile)
DEK2718	LV Niedersachsen (mobile)
DEK2730	LV Niedersachsen (mobile)
DEK2798	LV Niedersachsen (mobile)
1DEK27	LV Niedersachsen
DEK28	LV Hessen, Wiesbaden
DEK2810	LV Hessen (mobile), Fritzlar
DEK2811	LV Hessen (mobile), Mücke
DEK29	LV Rheinland-Pfalz
DEK30	LV Schleswig-Holstein
DEK31	LV Bayern
DEK3110	LV Bayern (mobile)
DEK3210	LV Bayern (Wasserwacht)
DEK3211	LV Bayern (Wasserwacht)
DEK3310	LV Hamburg (mobile)
1DEK3110	LV Hamburg (mobile)
DEK34	LV Bremen
DEK35	LV Saarland
DEK3510	LV Saarland (mobile)
DEK36	LV Baden
DEK37	LV Oldenburg
DEK3710	LV Oldenburg (mobile)
DEK38	LV Brandenburg
DEK39	LV Mecklenburg-Vorpommern
DEK40	LV Sachsen
DEK41	LV Sachsen-Anhalt
DEK42	LV Thüringen
DEK77	Bundesverband gateway, Nienburg
DEK7710	Bundesverband (mobile)
DEK88	Bundesverband Generalsekretariat , Berlin
DEK8810	Bundesverband Generalsekretariat (mobile)
1DEK8810	Bundesverband Generalsekretariat (mobile)
DEK8812	Bundesverband FülZ (mobile)
DEK99	DRK Communications Group

ALE idents:

049111 049112 049114 049116 049117 049118 049119 049122 049133 049136 049223
049224 049231 049235 049246 049255

German Radio Amateurs and Military Reservists affiliated with the Red Cross:

DK0NOT	Notfunk-Deutschland e. V. Kooperationspartner des DRK-LV Hessen
DN0TEL	Notfunk-Deutschland e. V. Kooperationspartner des DRK-LV Hessen
DLOBRK	Landesfachdienst IuK, Bayerisches Rotes Kreuz
DLORKP	DRK Peine
DB0DRK	DRK Burgdorf
DK0RK	DRK-Landesverband Westfalen-Lippe
DL0RZ	DRK-Landesverband Berlin
DA0DRK	Bereitschaft Morsbach
DD0DRK	DRK-Fernmeldebereitschaft Landesverband Sachsen-Anhalt
DR0K	Jugendrotkreuz Fürth
DB0JRK	Jugendrotkreuz Fürth
DLODRK	Fernmeldegemeinschaft des DRK Dortmund
DR1K	Wasserwacht Bayern
DK0RAN	Reservisten-Arbeitsgemeinschaft-Notfunk im VdRBw

Notes:

DRK	Deutsches Rotes Kreuz
LV	Landesverband
FülZ	Führungs- und Lagezentrum (Management and operations center)

Frequencies:

3802 LSB (3800.3)	3802 USB (3803.7)
3818 LSB (3816.3)	3818 USB (3819.7)
4013 LSB (4011.3)	4013 USB (4014.7)
4588 LSB (4586.3)	4588 USB (4589.7)
6957 LSB (6955.3)	6957 USB (6958.7)
7898 LSB (7896.3)	7898 USB (7899.7)
10272 LSB (10270.3)	10272 USB (10273.7)
20987 LSB (20985.3)	20987 USB (20988.3)

Österreichisches Rotes Kreuz – HF callsigns

OE20	ÖRK Generalsekretariat, Wien
OE21	LV Wien
OE2101	LV Wien, mobile
OE31	LV Niederösterreich, Tulln
OE3101	LV Niederösterreich, mobile
OE41	LV Burgenland, Eisenstadt
OE4101	LV Burgenland, mobile
OE51	LV Oberösterreich
OE5101	LV Oberösterreich mobile
OE5104	LV Oberösterreich
OE56	LV Salzburg, Salzburg
OE5601	LV Salzburg, mobile
OE61	LV Steiermark, Laubegg
OE610	LV Steiermark, Feldbach
OE6101	LV Steiermark, Graz, mobile
OE71	LV Tirol
OE7101	LV Tirol mobile
OE7201	LV Tirol, Osttirol
OE79	ÖRK WINlink gateway

OEH81 LV Kärnten
OEH8101 LV Kärnten mobil
OEH91 LV Vorarlberg, Feldkirch

Österreichisches Radio Amateurs affiliated with the Red Cross:

OE1XRK ÖRK Wien
OE1XXK ÖRK Generalsekretariat
OE2XRK ÖRK Salzburg
OE3XRK ÖRK Niederösterreich
OE4XRK ÖRK Burgenland
OE5XRK ÖRK Oberösterreich
OE6XRK ÖRK Steiermark
OE7XRK ÖRK Tirol
OE8XRK ÖRK Kärnten
OE9XRK ÖRK Vorarlberg

The Bundeswarnzentrale - BWZ (Federal Alarm Centre) is an institution of the Austrian Ministry of the Interior. In case of emergencies, disasters, etc. it is the central warning and alerting organization for Austria. The regional control centers are called Landeswarnzentralen - LWZ.

Many organizations are co-operating in the BWZ/LWZ, including the police, army, ZAMG, BEV, BAW, Wildbach, Red Cross, Samaritans, crisis intervention services, water rescue, mountain rescue, and the rescue dogs Brigade of the Armed Forces.

During the "All OE Contests", held on May 1st, you can often hear the stations of the Österreichisches Rotes Kreuz, Army, Austrian Military Radio Society and Landeswarnzentralen.

Military and Landeswarnzentralen callsigns:

OYE651 Austrian Army, Hessen Barracks, Wels
OEK310 LWZ Wien
OEK3101 LWZ Wien mobile
OEK3102 LWZ Wien mobile
OEK710 LWZ Tirol, Innsbruck

Notes:

ÖRK Österreichisches Rotes Kreuz
LV Landesverband
LWZ Landeswarnzentrale

The last two figures of the callsign indicate a mobile unit

Frequencies (as logged):

2606.5 3643 3705 3714 3734 5202.5 10106.9 10118.1 10130 10135 kHz

The frequencies of Austrian Red Cross in the Amateur Radio bands are from the annual All OE Contest cross band event which takes place every year on May 1st. So these are no regular frequencies.

Turkish Red Crescent

ALE idents:

This net uses 4 figure callsigns beginning with 1, 2 and 4.

Reported callsigns:

1001 1005 1020 1101 1102 1108 1116 1301 1302 1318 1326 2001
2006 2008 2010 2011 2012 2013 2014 2015 2016 2017 2025 2027
2203 2205 2206 2211 2214 2402 2412 2416 2419 2512 2517 2519
2522 4010 4011 4012 4013 4014 4015 4016 4017

Frequencies:

3500 4458 5132 5268 5971 6778 6921 7092 7440 7617 7810 7868 8150 9045 9169
10160 10658 11500 12110

Canadian Red Cross

HF frequencies (as logged)

2799.8 2970.2 6998 13915 13965 13973 13998 14375 20753 20800
20942 20998 kHz

United States of America (American Red Cross)

HF center frequencies. Both USB and LSB are being used.

2326 2463 2726 2801 3170 3201 5135 5140 6858 7480 7549 7697 7700 7932 7935

HF callsign: KNNP491

ALE idents:

ARC4751
ARC51 American National Red Cross, Austin, TX
ARCLA
ARCHQ American National Red Cross HQ, Washington, DC
ARCNHQ2 American National Red Cross HQ, Washington, DC
KNNP491KCMO American National Red Cross, Kansas City, MO
KNNP491HQ American National Red Cross, Washington, DC
KNNP491WV American Red Cross, WV
RC4716
USARC5

ICRC Afghanistan

HF frequencies:

13973 18073.3 kHz

Callsigns:

RC2JAL	ICRC Jalalabad
RC2KAB	ICRC Kabul
RC2MAZ	ICRC Mazar-e Sherif

Red Cross
Broadcasting
Service QSL
card from
1995



Red Cross
Broadcasting
Service QSL
card from
the 1990's



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