

UDXF Logs Reporting

If you wish for your logs to be included in the published monthly list, the log-keepers request the log to be submitted in a format that can be easily transferred to the monthly collection. Their work is voluntary and greatly appreciated.

The format is:

Frequency (kHz). Call-sign/Station Id[:] General user description. UTC, Transmission mode. Comments. Date. Monitor's initials.

1. Frequency in kHz. The reason a 0 is placed in front of 4 digits is to enable easy numerical sorting in the database. ie. 04676.5 07650.5 etc.
2. Call-sign/Station Id. This is always followed by (:) = separator, again for database recording purposes. Unid: = unidentified.
3. General user description. In most cases I use the ITU country code prior to the User to illustrate User's country of origin or transmission source location. Where Enigma stations are reported I include the Enigma group "Control List" abbreviation.
4. UTC. Time transmission monitored.
5. Transmission mode.
6. Comments extracted from transmission. In ALE transmissions "clg" calling, "sndg" sounding.
7. Date transmission monitored.
8. Monitor initials. (abc)

Example:

04721 PLA: US Scope Command Stn, Lajes, Azores 2143 ALE/USB Sounds. (10Jan12) (AB)

All this is not set in concrete for generalisation about monitored stations but when submitting logs to the group, it does assist the log-keepers if a standard format is adopted and hopefully if enough monitors adhere to the general principle it makes it easier for readers who may not fully understand the English language, which has been generally adopted by the forum.

Thanks for your co-operation.

The UDXF Team