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*           Antarctic, Sub-Antarctic and Peri-Antarctic News
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*           Bases, Activities and Informations for
*           Amateur Radio Stations and Antarctic Enthusiasts
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*           WEB Page : http://www.waponline.it/
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*           Others Antarctic WEB Pages with our WAP Bulletin
*           http://f5nod.chez-alice.fr/antarctica.html
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*           Antarctic Mailing List
*           http://groups.yahoo.com/group/antarctica\_list/
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*           W.A.P. Special Edition
*           22 issues are available at WAP web site !!
* We are waiting volunteers to continue the Monthly Issues publication
* Those interested to do this work for free, PSE contact IK1GPG or I1HYW
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*           W.A.P. - W.A.D.A. (Worked Antarctic Directory Award)
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*           Antarctica since 1945.
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*           W.A.P. - W.A.C.A. (Worked Antarctic Callsigns Award)
*           Antarctic, Sub-Antarctic and Peri-Antarctic Directory
*           (22th Edition - Release 1.42 - 07 July 2023)
* List of more than 4.340 Callsigns used in Antarctica since 1945.
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*           Updated DataBase for Software WAP by IK6CAC #42 (July 2023)
*           Updated Software WAP by IK6CAC #28 (20 December 2021)
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*           Next release will be available in January 2024
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*           Result of 44 years of Antarctic passion!
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*           Are available from our WEB site:
*           http://www.waponline.it/
*           http://www.dcia.it/sezione/
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* Information, reports, suggestions and/or comments could be sent to:
* E-mail: wap\_info@virgilio.it
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* For this number we thank: All of WAP Chasers

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\* Antarctic Net :23.00z random on Saturdays 7.078MHz by LU4DXU \*  
\* Also check 14.160MHz, 14.188MHz,14203MHz,14.243MHz from 17:00z and ahead \*  
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WARNING:

We notice that several Hams WW are trying to "login" on the WAP website at  
www-waponline.it

Just to remind that there's no need to login as all the features on the site  
are free! Free to surf the site and free to visit anything and download what  
you need but PLEASE DO NOT force to login using admin or other way .... it's  
absolutely NOT NECESSARY, we kindly recommend to avoid it!

Thanks for your understanding

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LU-X Various (ARG-23) - Tierra del Fuego Province (Tierra del Fuego Island)  
Several stations are frequently on the bands from Ushuaia TdF joining expe-  
ditions and anniversaries. In this time, with poor activity from Antarctica  
it's a fine oportunity to set up skeds.

Last stations in the Packet Cluster in the last months:

LU1XU,LU6XQB,LU7XZ,LU8XQL,LU8XW.

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CE8-Various (CHL-13) - Magallanes and Antartica Chilena Province

Several stations are frequently on the bands.

Last stations in the Packet Cluster in the last months:

CE8EIO,CE8MGZ,CE8SIW.

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DP0GVN (DEU-08) - Neumayer III Station

Club station located at the German Antarctic Research Station is active now,  
since February 2024. Operator is Markus DK7DA (43rd wintering team).

\* QSL --> DL5EBE

Last spots in the Packet Cluster:

18100.0 DP0GVN 02-Jul-2023 1231Z FT8 <JA1JXT>

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VP8ADR (GBR-25) - North Arm (East Falkland Island)

Operator Bob is active now.

\* QSL --> M00XO

Last spots in the Packet Cluster:

21140.0 VP8ADR 26-June-2023 1939Z FT4 <IZ3ERM>

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VP8AWU (GBR-25) - Stanley (East Falkland Island)

Operator Neil is active now.

\* QSL --> K4MZU

Last spots in the Packet Cluster:

24915.0 VP8AWU 03-Jul-2023 1158Z FT8 <OH1EDK>

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VP8BTR (GBR-25) - North Arm (East Falkland Island)

Operator Lindsay is active now.

\* QSL --> M00XO

Last spots in the Packet Cluster:

24915.0 VP8BTR 02-Jul-2023 1625Z FT8 <EA8TL>

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VP8KCA (GBR-25) - RAF Mount Pleasant Complex (MPC) (Falkland Island)

Operator Chris is active now.

\* QSL --> G5KC

Last spots in the Packet Cluster:

14202.0 VP8KCR 28-Jun-2023 0142Z SSB <W20IB>  
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VP8LP (GBR-25) - Stanley (East Falkland Island)  
Operator Bob is always very active all bands.  
\* QSL --> QRZ.COM  
Last spots in the Packet Cluster:  
21295.0 VP8LP 29-Jun-2023 1711Z SSB <GM4SUF>  
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VP8NO (GBR-25) - Stanley (East Falkland Island)  
Operator Michael is always active.  
\* QSL --> QRZ.COM  
Last spots in the Packet Cluster:  
14074.0 VP8NO 03-Jul-2023 2002Z FT8 <OK5TX>  
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VP8VK (GBR-25) - Saunders Island  
Operator Suzan is active now.  
\* QSL --> QRZ.COM  
Last spots in the Packet Cluster:  
14080.0 VP8VK 30-Jun-2023 1957Z FT4 <HA5CPN>  
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VP8WA (GBR-25) - Walker Creek Farm (East Falkland Island)  
Operator Bobby is active now.  
\* QSL --> QRZ.COM  
Last spots in the Packet Cluster:  
10136.0 VP8WA 02-Jul-2023 1839Z FT4 <JF1KKV>  
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8J1RL (JAP-03) Syowa Station  
JARE (Japanese Antarctica Research Expedition)  
\* QSL --> Via Bureau to "8J1RL"  
Direct with SASE(2USD or 1IRC) to JARL Tokyo HQ address:  
J.A.R.L. (for 8J1RL), 6F. Otsuka HT bldg.  
3-43-1 Minami-otsuka, Toshima-ku, Tokyo. 170-8043 Japan  
Last spots on Packet Cluster:  
21074 8J1RL 05 Jul-2023 1101Z FT8 <JF1KKV>  
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RI1AND (RUS-09) - Novolazarevskaya Station (née Lazarev)  
Dmitry UA3MNH is active now.  
\* QSL --> RN10N  
Last spots in the Packet Cluster:  
24915.0 RI1AND 03-Jul-2023 1350Z FT8 <PT7WM>  
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KC4AAC (USA-23) - Palmer Station  
Operator Cody Lewis is active now, even if on last 3 months he was only  
sporadically on air (SSB & FT8). Looks like he prefers 20 mts. Check 14275.  
\* QSL --> 7MT, Check QRZ.com for details and QSL policy  
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KC4AAA (USA-36) - Amundsen-Scott South Pole Station (New rebuilt Base)  
Operator is active now, even if on last 3 months he was only sporadically on  
air (SSB & FT8). Looks like he prefers 20 mts. Check 14275.  
\* QSL --> K7MT, Check QRZ.com for details and QSL policy  
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WAP QSL Gallery  
WAP Antarctic QSL gallery has gone!  
It was hosted on a server that have quit its archive system so we have

practically lost the whole job! I1HYW have all the cards in his computer, but really he doesn't know how and where load all of them in a safe and cheap site. Bob, K4MZU suggests us to go through Greg Cogar VK2GJC, the owner of a company in Australia. Greg, said that there are many free plugins we could use for an image library: <https://en-au.wordpress.org/plugins/>.

We would need to install and configure the plugin and learn how to use it to achieve. This is a job that probably we will carry on in the winter time, but for now we thank immensely Bob K4MZU and Greg Cogar VK2GJK for their friendship and help. In the mean time, thank very much to all those Hams who are sending scan copies of their cards, or scan copies of old cards from their friends.

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K4MZU Antarctic QSL Gallery & web site at: <http://www.k4mzu.net>  
K6EID Antarctic QSL Gallery & web site at : <http://www.k6eid.com>  
<http://www.qsl.net/k6eid/DXCC-Antarctica.htm>  
RRC Antarctic QSL Gallery: [http://www.rdxcc.org/RRC/QSL/list\\_e.asp?ID=1](http://www.rdxcc.org/RRC/QSL/list_e.asp?ID=1)  
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Don't forget to check daily information on Antarctic News at both W.A.P. website at:

[www.waponline.it](http://www.waponline.it) and at Polar DX Group  
(<https://www.facebook.com/groups/1961114967367742>)  
to be always informed about Antarctica and Arctic news.

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73s de John I1HYW, Max IK1GPG and Betty IK1QFM  
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