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\* For this number we thank: DL5XL-DP1POL, F5PFP, F8DVD, IK1NEG, OH2AQ, \*  
\* K4MZU, MMONDX, DX-World, 5B4AHJ, OE3SGA, VU3BPZ/8T2BH \*  
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\* Antarctic Net :23.00z random on Saturdays 7.078MHz by LU4DXU \*  
\* Also check 14.160MHz, 14.188MHz, 14.203MHz, 14.243MHz from 17:00z and ahead \*  
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Most Wanted Antarctica Bases list is available now at [www.waponline.it](http://www.waponline.it)  
Check:

<http://www.waponline.it/NewsInformati on/Archi ve2013/September2013/tabid/342/Default.aspx>  
and look at Sept.02-2013 page.

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LU1ZV (ARG-04) - Esperanza Base (Army)  
Operator was active last 28/05/2016. After that, no more news  
\* QSL --> LU4DXU (Enrique "Henry" Ledo, P. O. Box 22, 1640 Martinez, Buenos  
Aires, Argentina)

\* E-mail: [lu4dxu@hotmail.com](mailto:lu4dxu@hotmail.com)  
\* WEB pages: <http://www.qsl.net/lu8adx/antartida/antartida.htm>

Last spots in the Packet Cluster:

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UA6EKC 14260 LU1ZV 21:09 28/05/2016 up 5-10

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LU2ZD (ARG-09) - Primavera Base (Army)

Pedro CT1FYW was active last 16/02/2016.

\* QSL --> LU4DXU (Horacio E. Ledo, P. O. Box 22, 1640 Martinez, BA, Argentina)

\* E-mail: lu4dxu@hotmail.com

\* WEB pages: <http://www.qsl.net/lu4dxu/antartida/antartida.htm>

Last spots in the Packet Cluster:

EA1HVY 14175 LU2ZD 23:46 16/02/2016 Pedro 59

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LU1ZI (ARG-20) - Alejandro Carlini Station and Jubany Meteorological  
Marcelo LU1AET and Carlos LU1BCE were active from 23/02/2016 to 10/03/2016.

Last spots in the Packet Cluster:

LU7YS 7121 LU1ZI 22:34 10/03/2016 Base Carlini Antartica

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LU4ZS (ARG-21) - Vicecomodoro Gustavo Marambio Base (Air Force)

Operator Juan Carlos LU8DBS was active from 11/03/2016 to 16/06/2016.

\* QSL --> LU4DXU (Horacio E. Ledo, P. O. Box 22, 1640 Martinez, BA, Argentina)

\* E-mail: lu4dxu@hotmail.com

\* WEB pages: <http://www.qsl.net/lu4dxu/antartida/antartida.htm>

Last spots in the Packet Cluster:

LU3DDH 14173 LU4ZS 13:31 16/06/2016 Antartica - Marambio Base

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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. In this time,  
with poor activity from Antarctica it's a fine opportunity to set up skeds.  
Check 28.340-28.360 they are quite often on 10 mts.

Last stations in the Packet Cluster:

LU1XP, LU1XS, LU1XT, LU1XU, LU1XZ, LU2XPK, LU2XX, LU3XPK, LU3XPZ, LU3XQN,  
LU3XX, LU4XPE, LU5XP, LU7XX, LU8XQL, LU8XW, LU9XT

Hams from RC Ushuaia, Tierra del Fuego, are working to set a project with  
the help of the Argentinean Navy! The goal is to set foot on the small  
island- Les Eclaireurs and be active for a week end in the Austral summer  
Information comes by Miguel Angel LU1XU of the Radio Club Ushuaia who is  
is working to the project.

So far Les Eclaireurs Island & Lighthouse has only been activated without  
putting foot on this small Island.

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VKOEK (AUS-07) - Heard Island, Atlas Cove

Dx-pedition has been active with success.

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OPOLE (BEL-02) - Belgian Princess Elisabeth Station

Karel ON5TN (also OR4TN) was active last 01/02/2016

\* QSL --> ON5TN (Karel Moerman, St. Martinusstraat 52, B-9790 Wortegem-Petegem,  
Belgium)

Last spots in the Packet Cluster:

RA9MX 10106 OPOLE 23:30 01/02/2016 up2

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CE8EIO (CHL-13) - Magallanes and Antartica Chilena Province

CE8FBA (CHL-13) - Magallanes and Antartica Chilena Province

CE8RNK (CHL-13) - Magallanes and Antartica Chilena Province

CE8WCI (CHL-13) - Magallanes and Antartica Chilena Province

CE8WDB (CHL-13) - Magallanes and Antartica Chilena Province

3G9JA (CHL-13) - Hornos Island

Last spots in the Packet Cluster:

CE8EIO 7142 CE8EIO 10:28 06/08/2016 Luis, Punta Arenas

CE8FBA 3720 CE8FBA 02:15 26/03/2016 IV BRIGADA AEREA

PY2SBY 7140 CE8EIO 06:06 28/05/2016 tnx QS0; 58

CX7AF 7085 CE8WCI 01:47 22/02/2016 Tierra del Fuego

PY2GIG 7076 CE8WDB 21:13 16/06/2016 JT65 TNX RODRIGO

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DP1POL (DEU-08) - Neumayer III Station

Felix DL5XL was active since 26/04/2016.

Last spots in the Packet Cluster:

RV9DC 14076 DP1POL 04:29 26/04/2016 TU -28/-28

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FT4XU (FRA-10) - Ratmanoff Station ( Brand "New Entry" WAP)  
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Nicolas F4EGX was active since 11/06/2016.

Last spots in the Packet Cluster:

F1SES 14230 FT4XU 19:10 11/01/2016 5/9 easy

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VP8STI (GBR-22) - Ferguson Bay Camp-Southern Thule Island-So. Sandwich  
Expedition has been active last January 2016.  
QSL via N200

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VP8ALJ (GBR-25) - Port Stanley (East Falkland Island)

Mario is active.

\* QSL --> VP8ALJ (Mario Zuvic, P.O. Box 68, Stanley FIQQ 1ZZ, Falkland I.)

Last spots in the Packet Cluster:

IZ1DFG 3576 VP8ALJ 03:42 28/08/2016 thanks qso

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VP8DRC (GBR-25) - Stanley (East Falkland Island)

David was active from 12/02/2016 to 20/02/2016

Last spots in the Packet Cluster:

G3PQA 1826 VP8DRC 01:50 20/02/2016 CQ I sn up2. 559 now

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VP8DXU (GBR-25) - Stanley (East Falkland Island)

Arliss was active from 17/02/2016 to 19/02/2016

Last spots in the Packet Cluster:

PY2KC 14282 VP8DRC 03:18 19/02/2016 tnx qso 73

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VP8IDX (GBR-25) - Stanley (East Falkland Island)

Bob was active from 12/02/2016 to 20/02/2016

Last spots in the Packet Cluster:

LU6QI 1826 VP8IDX 01:42 20/02/2016 Wkd up 2 tnx

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VP8IMD (GBR-25) - Stanley (East Falkland Island)

Mario was active from 23/04/2016 to 24/04/2016

Last spots in the Packet Cluster:

UR8IDX 3576 VP8IMD 00:25 24/04/2016 JT65 - 10 dB Kuzma Stanley

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VP8LP (GBR-25) - Stanley (East Falkland Island)

Bob is always active all bands.

\* QSL --> VP8LP (Bob McLeod, 75 Davis Street, P.O. Box 474, Stanley,  
FIQQ 1ZZ, Falkland Islands, British South Atlantic)

Last spots in the Packet Cluster:

LU2EM 14070 VP8LP 20:54 30/08/2016 CQ IN PSK125

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VP8NO (GBR-25) - Stanley (East Falkland Island)

Michael is always active.

\* QSL --> VP8NO (Michael Harris, P.O. Box 226, Stanley, FIQQ 1ZZ, Falkland

Last spots in the Packet Cluster:

VK2X 18102 VP8NO 19:09 25/08/2016 5NN calling CY9C

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VP8RHF (GBR-25) - Stanley (East Falkland Island)

Jun was active from 15/02/2016 to 20/02/2016

Last spots in the Packet Cluster:

UA9UX 10108 VP8RHF 10:08 20/02/2016 QSX 10109.0

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VP8VPC (GBR-25) - Stanley (East Falkland Island)

Bob was active in date 23/04/2016.

Last spots in the Packet Cluster:

PY2WO 21072 VP8VPC 20:15 23/04/2016 bpsk125 bob falkland islands

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VP8SGI (GBR-39) - "NEW" Husvik Bay Camp (54° 17' South, 36° 40' West)

This is a "New entry" following the operation of VP8SGI Jan/Feb. 2016

Great DX-Pedition on FB activity.

They did set the Camp at 54°17' South, 36°30' West, close to Husvik Station WAP  
GBR-27.

The Expedition did not transmit from inside the Bases which is located at  
Latitude: 54°10' South, Longitude: 36°40' West

According to the information reported on the QSL, the camp site at Husvik Bay  
was in fact located at 54° 17' South, 36° 30' West

QSL via KU9C

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VP8DX/MM

M/V Braveheart, providing logistic & transport to the VP8SGI & VP8SGI operations during Jan-Febr. 2016

QSL via N200

Call sign is valid for WAP-WACA  
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8T2BH (IND-04) - Bharati Base

Operator Bhagwati VU3BPZ is active till December 2016. He has already logged more than 1000 QSO in spite of his dipoles and only 80W power. Poor propagation conditions are not helping at all, but never say never!

Eventual skeds can be taken by e-mail: bplovematri@rediffmail.com

\* QSL --> only Direct via I1HYW

Last spots in the Packet Cluster:

VK5JN 21280 8T2BH 10:30 31/08/2016 QRZ  
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ZL9A (NZL-11) - Castaway Depot & Survey Hut

Cezar VE3LYC, Craig VK5CE, Stan SQ8X and Bob KD1CT were active in January 16

QSL via VE3LYC

Last spots in the Packet Cluster:

EA5EN 10111 ZL9A 17:07 10/01/2016 UP  
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RI1AND (RUS-09) - Novolazarevskaya Station

Mike RW1AI is active since April 2016  
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RI1ANZ (RUS-11) - Progress Station (aka Progress II from January 1989)

Nikolai Zinin RW6ACM ex RI1ANP is active.

He mostly operates CW, but also SSB and Digi modes.

\* QSL --> RN10N (Alexei V. Kuz'menko, P. O. Box 599, 163000 Arkhangel sk, Russia)

Last spots in the Packet Cluster:

JM7UBI 14160 RI1ANZ 06:06 16/01/2016 Tnx, FB in JA  
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RI1ANC (RUS-13) Vostok Station

operator is active now.

\* QSL --> RN10N (Alexei V. Kuz'menko, P. O. Box 599, 163000 Arkhangel sk, Russia)

Last spots in the Packet Cluster:

R1NA 14160 RI1ANZ 14:34 04/02/2016 tnx QSO 56  
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RI1ANR (MNB-06) - Novo Runway Station

Alex and Oleg (UA1PBA) will return soon at Novo Runway Station.

Indicative date will be around October 2016.

Last spots in the Packet Cluster:

F8PDR 3520 RI1ANR 23:12 26/02/2016 Good sig tnx new one 80 m  
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KC4AAA (USA-36) - Amundsen-Scott South Pole Station (New rebuilt Base)

Operators are reported active sporadically.

\* QSL --> K11ED (Larry F. Skilton, 72 Brook Street, South Windsor, CT-06074, U.S.A.).

Last spots in the Packet Cluster:

K11ED 14243 KC4AAA 16:48 19/05/2016 73  
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ZL/ZS9HI/MM on the way to Heard Island

VK0EK's Team was active.

QSL for ZL/ZS9HI/MM is via K2ARB.

When they were sailing Peri-Antarctic waters ZL/ZS9HI/MM was a good one for WAP-WACA as well as M/S Braveheart.  
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POLAR SHIP / MM sailing Antarctic waters

When it is not possible to determinate the exact position of a ship, such as Polar Boats, Icebreakers and any kind of /MM sailing Antarctic or Sub-Antarctic waters, WAP staff did agree that, when position is not marked on the QSL at the moment of contacts, or in lack of details confirming the exact position of the ship, dates between October and March could be OK for a provisional judgement. In any case information on this matter are normally posted on WAP site.  
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WAP QSL Gallery

several new batches of QSL are waiting be uploaded. Apogize us for delay, but  
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we have been very busy in the last months!

You can check the new entries on the WAP Gallery soon.

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<http://www.qsl.net/k6eid/DXCC-Antarctica.htm>

RRC Antarctic QSL Gallery: [http://www.rdxo.org/RRC/QSL/List\\_e.asp?ID=1](http://www.rdxo.org/RRC/QSL/List_e.asp?ID=1)

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73s de John I1HYW, Max IK1GPG and Betty IK1QFM  
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