

CLE269 COORDINATOR'S COMMENTS:

Hello All

For our 269th Coordinated Listening Event last weekend we were listening in the frequency range of 370 - 384.9 kHz.

We welcome both Dennis Havlena (dha) from Cheboygan, Michigan and Mick Johnson (mjn) from Pambula Beach in AUS, NSW for their first-time CLE logs.

Almost everyone complained about noise from thunderstorms, bad propagation and high static levels. However, we still had two reporters hearing a station more than 7.000 km away.

#USA jc CUB Corumba (MS) BRA 7062 km

#CAN vm CUB Corumba (MS) BRA 7156 km

The following statistic shows the averages for the last six times we listened to this frequency range.

It shows that CLE269 was slightly below average but almost en par with CLE221 when we also listened at about the same time of year.

CLE Date	No. Of reporters			Average_km			Average Total_km			Average Num_NDBs			Average Max_km		
	REU	RNA	RWW	REU	RNA	RWW	REU	RNA	RWW	REU	RNA	RWW	REU	RNA	RWW
188 November 2014	21	27	3	1.001	1.388	1.044	62	43	19	59	32	12	3.049	3.662	2.958
204 February 2016	25	28	1	978	1.563	2.289	58	51	64	56	31	28	2.853	3.731	5.734
221 July 2017	19	19	2	865	1.422	1.805	40	24	24	43	18	14	2.520	2.895	3.609
236 September 2018	19	22	2	905	1.288	1.817	49	29	20	48	24	11	2.803	3.091	4.419
252 January 2020	26	31	1	1.247	1.785	1.351	93	53	8	66	29	6	4.241	4.087	1.982
269 June 2021	14	21	3	1.148	1.158	1.993	55	17	21	48	15	10	3.095	2.775	4.166
6-Event Averages	21	25	2	1024	1434	1716	60	36	26	53	25	13	3093	3373	3811

Want some more numbers?

Here's an overview for REU listeners and RoW listeners that shows, how many of us participated how often listening to the same frequency range? We see that 4 European listeners and 6 RoW listeners participated in all of the last six CLEs (370 - 384.9 kHz).

REU

No. of CLEs	1	2	3	4	5	6
No. of Reporters	13	13	7	0	8	4

RoW

No. of CLEs	1	2	3	4	5	6
No. of Reporters	23	10	7	5	8	6

Coming CLEs: (The dates are provisional at present)

CLE270 Fri. July 23rd - Mon. July 26th

CLE271 Fri Aug 27th - Mon. Aug 30th

CLE272 Fri Sep 24th - Mon. Sep 27th

Good listening

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Brian and Joachim

P.S.:

This is [just](#) Brian now, writing from the end of a great 2-week holiday in Scotland. The CLE 'last weekends of the month' are normally avoided for [Coordinator's](#) holidays, but our holiday this time was re-scheduled from last year because of the Covid restrictions and without a choice of alternative dates.

You probably know that for several years both Joachim and I have made the CLE combined results - separately, but both of us using Joachim's Excel Harvester program. We have a special way of comparing our results so that, if any one logging from any one reporter's log has been entered differently, we immediately know and can make any necessary corrections. We seldom find any differences, but this time Joachim did nearly everything without the benefit of that 'safety net'. A big THANK-YOU to him for keeping things going so efficiently and without delays.

I would have made a little CLE log, but this excellent holiday chalet is owned by animal enthusiasts who have set up umpteen feeding stations and cameras around the area for the benefit of a great range of wild life -- and the visitors like Sue and me. Discovered on previous holidays here, unfortunately the electronics that they use to deliver that service causes massive radio interference on all frequencies (even listening to the BBC on portable radios in the house!).

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Brian

