

As always, we welcome your comments and suggestions for next year's book and CD. Again, we have a long list of contributors and we wish to extend our special thanks to the many individuals who provided direct input to the 2024 edition of the broadcast database. The full list will be published on our website!

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4.2 Digital Radio Mondiale (DRM)

Says Ken Reitz KS4ZR in *The Spectrum Monitor*, United States of America - December 2023: "The DRM Consortium has for many years mentioned that an inexpensive DRM portable - a sort of tablet-radio - was on the drawing boards and often displays a prototype that is used for demonstration purposes whenever the Consortium is trying to make inroads in another country to introduce DRM, but so far, such a product is not available for purchase. - There have been few manufacturers willing to produce DRM receivers for the home and only in India are vehicle radios equipped for DRM reception. - After 20 years of laboring in the vineyards of digital broadcasting, DRM has not much to show." And that was that!

It's ages since more than 70 broadcasters had already begun transmitting live, daily or weekly DRM broadcasts and special programs. Today, however ... **most of these have gone**: the total time of DRM transmissions is strongly **d**ecreasing, and a mere 13 (thirteen!) stations are left. Forrrrrgeddded!

This is the very latest DRM transmission schedule, sorted in start time order for your convenience.

Start	End	Freq	Station	Location	ITU	Lang	Target	Remarks
00.00	04.00	13850	CNR	Qiqihar	CHN	Mn	dom	tests
00.00	23.59	26040	Berl. HS Technik	Berlin	GER	Ge	dom	planned
01.00	04.00	15180	CNR	Kunming	CHN	Mn	dom	tests
01.00	08.00	17830	CNR	Urumqi	CHN	Mn	dom	tests
01.00	09.00	11695	CNR	Dongfang	CHN	Mn	dom	tests
01.00	09.00	13825	CNR	Beijing	CHN	Mn	dom	tests
01.00	09.00	17770	CNR	Dongfang	CHN	Mn	dom	tests
01.00	00.57	3965	RFI	Issoudun	FRA	Fr	Eu	
02.00	03.00	6015	RFI	Issoudun	FRA	Fr	Eu	tests
04.00	04.56	9420	RRI	Tiganesti	ROM	En	As	
04.00	08.00	17800	CNR	Kunming	CHN	Mn	dom	tests
04.00	09.00	11990	CNR	Qiqihar	CHN	Mn	dom	tests
05.00	05.26	15260	RRI	Tiganesti	ROM	Mn	As	
05.00	05.56	7220	RRI	Galbeni	ROM	Ro	Eu	
05.00	08.00	11970	R Kuwait	Kabd	KWT	En	As	
05.30	05.56	9420	RRI	Tiganesti	ROM	Ru	Eu	
05.59	07.00	3955	BBC WS	Woofferton	GBR	En	Eu	
06.00	06.26	9520	RRI	Galbeni	ROM	Fr	Eu	
06.30	06.56	11930	RRI	Galbeni	ROM	En	Eu	
07.00	07.26	11620	RRI	Tiganesti	ROM	Ge	Eu	