

RadioActivity June 2010

50 MHz

30 June 2010: JW5QIA was not heard, when he was worked just 15km away. But **FS/W6JKV** (FK88) was worked with S9 level.

28 June 2010: Heard KP4EIT strong. Some EU stations were in too.

24 June 2010: When returning from QRL I heard a few NA stations, but did not call anyone - those heard were all worked already, and the big opening was before I came home. KP4EIT was very strong calling CQ; HI3TEJ came in fine too. In the evening I could work **K4QI** and heard a few other NA stations before the band closed for me.

22 June 2010: QRV after 20z. A lot of activity - worked a few SM2 and OH8. Most interesting were the opening direction North with the three JW beacons audible strong. I listened to the NW and copied a very weak station with auroral sound. I recorded this and I can read VE1.. but the rest is too weak. I went to bed at 2130z - obviously too early; it seems it has opened to JA a little later.

21 June 2010: I worked a number of Italian and Spanish stations in the evening besides a lot of work in the house. A goodie was **ZB3EO**.

20 June 2010: JE1BMJ was heard for a long period with 559. I could not raise him for a QSO. I was out for the "Kieler Woche" event and when I returned, I learned that I had missed the big US WestCoast opening. Nevertheless I worked **OX3KX** (GP47) - a good one.

19 June 2010: Wow - worked 0644UT **XV9DT** (OL21va) with a really good signal. Shortly after I got **EX8MLE** (MN72hw). Around 1146UT **W4BP** (EL96we) went into the log. The 2m Es opening in the afternoon did not reach here. Some contesting began and 6m seemed to be open to everywhere.

17 June 2010: A little bit of Es in the evening to EA. I could receive **W7GJ** via the moon with big signals: -15dB (JT65A) with the moon about 15 degrees above the horizon. What a signal. As there was almost no Es propagation, noise was very low.

16 June 2010: Only a dead band in the time I have been listening.

14 June 2010: I worked **TF8GX**, **VO1TA (GN37)** and **W4SO** (EL96). Other U.S. were heard, but not very strong. The opening was around local midnight.

13 June 2010: A good number of F and EA was worked. Later I got **ZA/HA5X** and **4O3A**.

12 June 2010: Band was wide open almost in every direction. I worked besides some EA5 over the pond to **NP2B** (FK77) and **EA8CBN** (IL08).

11 June 2010: worked TF, CU, GJ and LA. Late in the afternoon all signals disappeared.

10 June 2010: **FY1FL** (GJ35) was worked - he came out of the blue.

9 June 2010: Missed the JA opening due to QRL. Worked YL and LY. Hrd KP4EIT at 53 level.

8 June 2010: A few QSOs made, nothing special.

7 June 2010: Today a number of stations went into the log. Highlights were: **GM0KZG/MM** (IP70) and **JT0YAB** (NN48). The JT was not heard at all, when stations just 20km south of me worked him. A lot of stations were on the band. Most stations were from OH, SM2/3 and LA. Nothing new was heard. I tried to listen for a lot of DX, but it did not come through here, but more north. I went to bed around 2030UT - perhaps missing the big opening in the night to West Coast US.

6 June 2010: Video signals were strong and I listened for DX. Nothing but EU stations were heard. Around 1230UT skip was short and I could get some EI and GW stations. At 1614UT I worked **A71CV** (LL55sf). The station in Mongolia (JT0YAB) was not heard at all, but 9Y4D came in fine (no QSO). Around 2015UT EA8 was open and I worked **EA8ACW/P** (IL28).

5 June 2010: Two new countries: worked **A92GR** (LL56hf) and **A71CT** (LL55ri). Some more stations in Europe were worked.

4 June 2010: Heard a lot of signals, but no QSO made.

2 June 2010: Worked a few LY, OH, RA. New was then **LY2X/P** in KO15. And **E4X** (KM71) is in the log.

144 MHz

7 June 2010: Again a big opening. The cluster did not show any sign of the opening so far when I heard UA3WM at first. Signals were very strong. The band opened, when I had just returned from work. Heard, not worked was UU2JJ.

Es Log:

15:04 UA3WM KO72
15:06 RX3QFM KO91
15:09 RA3WDK KO81
15:10 RA3EL KO82
15:11 UT8AL KO61
15:13 UA3YBW KO53
15:21 UA3YCV KO62
15:23 UA3YKK KO38
15:23 UA3ECB KO82
15:24 UA3YGP KO73
15:35 UA3EXC KO82
15:37 RU3XK KO73
15:51 RA1AY KP50

The big opening in the morning was not for me, as I was at my QRL.

2 June 2010: Big SporadicE event on 2m. All grids worked were new on 2m. I copied a few more stations (RA3WDK, UA3DHC, RA3PG and LY2WR) which I could not work.

Es Log:

08:08 UA3BB KO85UK
08:10 UA3DCM KO85XP
08:18 UA3RN LO03VK
08:41 RU4FA LO13FN
08:44 UA4FKD LO13HL
08:51 UA3PTW KO93BS
08:53 UA3XEH KO73FU
10:37 UA3WM KO72QI
10:39 RV3YM KO63QQ

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