# SATELLITE PROGRAM INFORMATION

We have been asked from time to time about running a list of what is on each satellite.

Below listing is in order of their position in orbit.

Listing according to source is correct at this time (July '84).

SPECIAL NOTE: ... I have been advised that there is no known or available 'Underground' source for "de-scramblers" for: The Fantasy Channel or The Blue Max Theater Channel. (Both are X-Rated...)

# **SATCOM 5 (AURORA)**

POLARIZATION: ODD-Vertical / EVEN-Horizontal

### CHANNEL PROGRAM/DESCRIPTION

- OCCASIONAL TRANSMISSIONS—Sports, News, Network Feeds
- LEARN/ALASKA TELEVISION NETWORK—Educational Programming 20
- OCCASIONAL TRANSMISSIONS—Sports, News, Network Feeds
- ALASKA SATELLITE TELEVISION PROJECT—Independent Programming and Network Feeds

### SATCOM F1R

POLARIZATION: ODD-Vertical / EVEN-Horizontal

### CHANNEL PROGRAM/DESCRIPTION

- OCCASIONAL TRANSMISSIONS—Sports, News, Network Feeds OCCASIONAL TRANSMISSIONS—Sports, News, Network Feeds
- HOSPITAL SATELLITE NETWORK—Professional and Patient Programming 12
- NASA CONTRACT CHANNEL—Live NASA Mission Events 13
- NEW ENGLAND SPORTS NETWORK—Regional Sports Programming including Boston's Red Sox and Bruins 17
- AMERICAN FORCES RADIO AND TELEVISION SERVICE—Independent Programming and Network Feeds 20
- HI-NET COMMUNICATIONS NETWORK—Holiday Inn Network, includes end to end teleconferencing 22
- 22 THE FANTASY CHANNEL—Scrambled (Audio & Video) X-rated Programming

### SUBCARRIER AUXILIARY SERVICES:

AFRTS RADIO NETWORK—Independent Programming and Network Feeds

# **GALAXY 1**

POLARIZATION: ODD—Horizontal / EVEN-Vertical

### CHANNEL PROGRAM/DESCRIPTION

- THE NASHVILLE NETWORK-18 hrs. of Country-Oriented Entertainment Daily
- THE DISNEY CHANNEL (EAST)—16 hr/day of Family Entertainment
- SIN (National Spanish Television Network)—Spanish Language Movies, Sports, Children's Shows, Comedies, Musicals, and 6 Live Weeknight Newscast from Miami
- CNN (Cable News Network)—Live 24 hour News Coverage, In-Depth Sports, Weather, Financial, Investigative and Feature 7 Reporting
- CNN HEADLINE NEWS—Continuously updated 30 minute wheel of hard news with a 6 minute window for cable systems to R insert local news. For the person who wants a quick news fix.
- CBN CABLE NETWORK—Entertainment and information for all family members. Comedies, Westerns, Women's Shows, Daily Movies, Game Shows, Daily TV Magazine Show, Dramas.
- HOME TEAM SPORTS—Regional sports coverage serving the capital region 12
- C-SPAN—Daily live coverage of the House of Representatives
- THE MOVIE CHANNEL—The first 24 hour, all movie, commercial-free channel 14
- 15 WOR-TV (New York Channel 9)—New York's independent station featuring sports, movies and oldies.
- 19 CINEMAX (East)—24 hour, commercial free, variety movie channel
- GALAVISION—Spanish language programming offering first run films, specials and sports 20
- HBO (East)—The industry's most popular full service movie, sports and entertainment channel
- THE DISNEY CHANNEL (West)—Same as Disney (Ch. 4)

# **SATCOM F3**

POLARIZATION: ODD-Vertical / EVEN-Horizontal

- NICKELODEON—Programming for pre-school through teenage audiences
- ARTS & ENTERTAINMENT (Alpha Repertory Television Service)—Fine Arts presentations
- PTL (People That Love)—24 hour religious programming
- WGN-TV (Chicago Channel 9)—Chicago's Independent Station featuring movies, sports, specials and syndicated programs
- FNN (Financial News Network)—Live Business and Financial News
  THE MOVIE CHANNEL (East)—The first 24 hour, all movie, commercial free channel
- WTBS-24 hours of family directed movies, sports, specials and syndicated programs
- ESPN (Entertainment and Sports Network)-24 hour sports
- CBN (Christian Broadcasting Network)—Family entertainment offering, movies, comedies, westerns, magazine shows. continuing dramas and inspirational shows

# **SATCOM F3** (continued)

- USA NETWORK—Broad based special interest programming including, sports children's programs, women's programs and nighttime entertainment
- 10 SHOWTIME (West)-24 hour movies, comedies, theater, concerts and late night adult programs
- 11 MTV (Music Television)—The first 24 hour advertiser supported stereo video music channel
- SHOWTIME (East)—Same as channel 10 12
- HBO (West)—The industry's most popular full service movie, sports and entertainment channel 13
- CNN (Cable News Network)—Live, 24 hour news coverage, in-depth sports, weather, financial, investigative and feature 14 reporting
- CNN HEADLINE NEWS—Continuously updated 30 minute wheel of hard news with a 6 minute window for cable systems to 15 insert local news. For the person who wants a quick news fix.
- 16 HTN (Family Entertainment)—G/PG movies, musical specials and The Travel Channel
- VIDEO CONCERT HALL—Video music promotion service available for tape replay in other time slots 16
- LIFETIME—Programming about health, relationships, self-development and other self-help topics 17
- 18
- EWTN (Eternal World Television Network)—Religious programming (Catholic)
  REUTER MONITOR SERVICE (Scrambled)—News and price retrieval for professional traders and investors 18
- 19 C-SPAN—Daily live coverage of the House of Representatives
- CINEMAX (East)—24 hour commercial free variety movie channel 20
- THE WEATHER CHANNEL—Live and updated, national and local weather service 21
- 22 MSN-The Informational Channel-Daytime information channel featuring The Home Shopping Show, Biznet News Today, and other consumer, health, business and travel shows.
- 22 USA BLACKOUT NETWORK—Affiliate programming that can be utilized in place of sports events that are affected by blackout regulations.
- 23 CINEMAX (West)—Same as Cinemax Channel 20
- 24 HBO (East)-Same as HBO Channel 13

### **SUBCARRIER AUXILIARY SERVICES**

- ARTS & ENTERTAINMENT—Stereo entertainment and cultural programs, stereo/audio, 5.58/5.76 MHz
- SATELLITE RADIO NETWORK—Religious programming, mono/audio, 6.2 MHz 2
- 3 BONNEVILLE EASY LISTENING MUSIC—Popular easy listening music, stereo/audio, 7.38/7.56 MHz
- 3 COUNTRY COAST-TO-COAST—Stereo music service intended for radio stations with modern/country music, stereo/audio 5.94/6.12 MHz
- 3 ELECTRONIC PROGRAM GUIDE—An hour by hour customized, alphanumeric, on-screen program guide, text 7.237 MHz
- MOODY BROADCASTING NETWORK—Religious variety including music, drama and education, stereo/audio, 5.47/7.92 MHz
- 3 SEEBURG/LIFESTYLE MUSIC—Upbeat commercial free music service in monaural intended as a graphics channel enhancer, 7.695 MHz
- 3 STARDUST-Music includes: The Big Bands of the 40's, POP from the 50's and 60's, and selected music from the 70's, Stereo/Audio, 8.055/8.145 MHz
- 3 STARSTATION—Adult Contemporary Music, stereo/audio, 5.58/5.76 MHz
- WFMT-Chicago-Fine arts and classical programming, stereo/audio, 6.3/6.48 MHz
- THE MOVIE CHANNEL—Stereo Broadcast, stereo/audio, 5.8/6.8 MHz 5
- 6 MUSIC IN THE AIR—Broadway/Hollywood musicals, stereo/audio, 5.58/5.76 MHz
- MUSIC IN THE AIR-Country Music, stereo/audio, 5.40/5.94 MHz
- MUSIC IN THE AIR—Comedy, mono/audio, 6.435 MHz
- MUSIC IN THE AIR-50's and 60's Hits, mono/audio, 6.435 MHz 6
- 6 MUSIC IN THE AIR— Big Band Hits, mono/audio, 7.785 MHz
- ESPN-Stereo Broadcast, Stereo/Audio, 5.58/5.76 MHz
- 8 CABLE JAZZ NETWORK—Jazz, stereo/audio, 5.94/6.12 MHz
- LOVE SOUNDS—Vocal and instrumental music, stereo/audio, 6.30/6.48 MHz
- NICE & EASY—Contemporary easy listening, stereo/audio, 5.58/5.76 MHz 8
- 11 MTV-Stereo broadcast
- 14 CNN RADIO NETWORK—Complete updated 30 minute news cycles, mono/audio, 6.3 MHz
- COMMODITY COMMUNICATIONS CORP.—Commodity quote service, mono/audio, 6.2 MHz 16
- 16 HTN-Stereo Broadcast, 5.8 MHz

#### V.B.I. AUXILIARY SERVICES (Note: Special equipment is necessary to receive the following services. Please contact each specific service for details.

- 6 AP NEWS CABLE—News, weather, sports, stocks and business news 24 hours a day, Daily, 24 hours, Text
- 6 DOW JONES CABLE NEWS—Business/financial economic news service with strong consumer orientation, Daily, 24 hours, Text
- 6 QUOTRADER—Commodity service designed for use with Apple computer. Firmware™ provided by Quotrader, Daily, 24 hours,
- 6 REUTER NEWS-VIEW—Two-channel alphanumeric service delivering general, financial and sports news, Daily, 24 hours, Text
- 6 KEYFAX NATIONAL TELETEXT MAGAZINE—Features news, sports, business, weather, leisure features of regional interest continuously updated 24 hours per day, Text
- 6 SSS CABLE TEXT-Teletext-vertical interval-UPI, Reuter, AP NewsCable, Consumer News and Dow Jones, Daily, 24 hours, Color Text
- 6 UPI CABLENEWS WIRE—24-hour alphanumeric (English and Spanish) news service, Daily, 24 hours, Text

# **COMSTAR D4**

### POLARIZATION: ODD—Vertical / EVEN-Horizontal

- JPD TELEVISION NETWORK—Family oriented films, specials, sports and music 5
- 9 ON TV (West) (Scrambled)—Movies, entertainment, specials and sports
- 11 ON TV (East) (Scrambled)—Same as above
- ESPN-Same as ESPN Satcom F3, channel 7 13
- 18 COUNTRY MUSIC TELEVISION—24 hour country music videos
- 18 THE SILENT NETWORK—Entertainment and Information programs in sign language, open captioning and voice

# COMSTAR D4 (continued) SUBCARRIER AUXILIARY SERVICES

18 COUNTRY MUSIC TELEVISION—Stereo Broadcast, mono/audio, 6.8 MHz, Stereo/Audio 5.58/5.76 MHz

# **WESTAR 5**

### POLARIZATION: ODD—Horizontal / EVEN-Vertical

### CHANNEL PROGRAM/DESCRIPTION

- 2 THE UNIVERSITY NETWORK (The Unchannel)—Nonsecular programming with Dr. Gene Scott
- 3 WOR-TV (New York Channel 9)—New York's Independent Station featuring sports, movies, and TV oldies
- 5 SELECTV—Feature films, specials and sports
- 7 CBS CONTRACT CHANNEL—CBS Live/Taped Network Programming
- 8 SPORTSVUE—Wisconsin Regional sports service
- 10 THE DISNEY CHANNEL (West)—Family programming
- 11 WPIX—New York's leading independent station featuring family programs, movies and sports.
- 12 THE DISNEY CHANNEL (East)—Same as channel 10
- 14 PRO AM SPORTS SYSTEM—Michigan, Ohio and Indiana regional sports service
- 15 MADISON SQUARE GARDEN CABLE NETWORK—Live sports events from Madison Square Garden
- 16 THE MEADOWS RACING NETWORK—Nightly harness racing
- 17 THE NASHVILLE NETWORK—Country-oriented entertainment
- 21 FNN (Financial News Network)—Live business and financial news including up to the minute stock and commodity quotes
- 22 THE BLUEMAX THEATER CHANNEL (Scrambled)— X-rated adult programming
- 23 ARTS & ENTERTAINMENT—Fine Arts Presentation
- 24 BET (Black Entertainment Television)—Black feature films, classics, specials and sports
- 24 NJT (National Jewish Television)—Current affairs, entertainment and religious topics of Jewish interest

#### **SUBCARRIER AUXILIARY SERVICES**

- 10 THE DISNEY CHANNEL (West)—Stereo Broadcast, stereo/audio, 5.8/6.8 MHz
- 12 THE DISNEY CHANNEL (East)—Stereo Broadcast, stereo/audio, 5.8/6.8 MHz
- 17 THE NASHVILLE NETWORK—Stereo Broadcast, stereo/audio, 5.58/5.70 MHz
  - ARTS & ENTERTAINMENT—Stereo Broadcast, stereo/audio, 5.58/5.76 MHz

# ANIK B

### POLARIZATION: ODD—Horizontal / EVEN-Vertical

### CHANNEL PROGRAM/DESCRIPTION

- 7 OCCASIONAL TRANSMISSIONS—Network feeds, sports and news
- 11 CBC NORTH—CBC Network programming (Pacific time zone feeds)
- 13 OCCASIONAL TRANSMISSIONS—Network feeds, sports and news
- 15 CBC (French)—French language CBC programming
- 17 CBC OCCASIONAL TRANSMISSIONS—CBC Network programming
- 19 CBC NORTH—CBC Network programming (Atlantic time zone feeds)
- 21 OCCASIONAL TRANSMISSIONS—Network feeds, sports and news

# **ANIK D1**

### POLARIZATION: ODD—Horizontal / EVEN-Vertical

# CHANNEL PROGRAM/DESCRIPTION

- 8 CHCH-TV, Hamilton, Ontario—Ontario's leading independent station
- 9 WDIV-TV, Detroit—NBC Affiliate feeds
- 11 CBC NORTH (West)—CBC Network Programming (Pacific Time Zone feeds)
- 14 TCTV-TV (Telemedic Communications Television)—TVA French network programming from CHLT, Sherbrooke and CFTM, Montreal
- 15 CBC (French)—French language CBC Eastern Time Zone feed
- 16 CBC Parliamentary Network (French)—Daily live coverage of the Canadian House of Commons from Ottawa
- 18 CITV-TV, Edmonton , Alberta—Alberta's leading independent station
- 20 CBMT-TV, Montreal—CBC English network affiliate
- 21 WTVS-TV, Detroit—PBS Affiliate feeds
- 22 BCTV-TV (British Columbia Television)—Vancouver, British Columbia's leading CTV network station
- 23 WJBK-TV, Detroit—CBS affiliate feeds
- 24 CBC Parliamentary Network (English)—same as Tr. #16 in English
- 24 CBC North (French)—CBC Network programming

### SUBCARRIER AUXILIARY SERVICES

- 8 CKO-FM, Toronto, Ontario—All news and information radio, mono/audio, 6.17 MHz
- 8 CHFI-FM, Toronto, Ontario—Traditional MOR music, mono/audio, 6.8 MHz
- 14 CITE-FM, Montreal, Quebec—French language traditional MOR music, mono/audio, 6.17 MHz
- CKAC-AM, Montreal, Quebec—French language MOR/contemporty music, mono/audio, 5.41 MHz
  CBBK-FM, Kingston, Ontario—CBC English discrete stereo radio, stereo/audio, 5.4/5.58 MHz
- 16 CBOF-FM, Ottawa, Ontario—CBC French discrete stereo radio, stereo/audio, 5.76/5.94 MHz
- 18 CIRK-FM (K-97), Edmonton, Alberta—Progressive Rock, stereo/audio, 6.17 MHz
- 20 CBM-AM, Montreal, Quebec—English Network Affiliate, mono/audio, 6.12 MHz
- 22 CBC-FM—CBC Programming, mono/audio, 6.17 MHz
- 22 CFMI-FM, Vancouver—Soft album rock, mono/audio, 7.42 MHz
- 23 CBOF-FM, Ottawa, Ontario—French discrete stereo radio, stereo/audio, 5.4/5.88 MHz
- 23 CBBK-FM, Kingston, Ontario-CBS English discrete stereo radio, stereo/audio, 5.76/5.94 MHz

# WESTAR 4

# POLARIZATION: ODD—Horizontal / EVEN-Vertical

- 4 HUGHES TELEVISION NETWORK—Occasional Sporting Events
- 4 NEW YORK RACING AUTHORITY (NYRA)—Closed circuit horse racing from Belmont Park
- 5 OCCASIONAL TRANSMISSIONS—Network feeds, sports and news
- 5 DEMSAT—Democratic Party Satellite Network
- 6 XEW-TV—Mexico's Leading Network Station

# **WESTAR 4 (continued)**

- OCCASIONAL TRANSMISSIONS—Network feeds, sports and news
- CATHOLIC TELECOMMUNICATIONS NETWORK OF AMERICA—Scrambled religious programming 11
- PUBLIC BROADCASTING SYSTEM—Schedule A programming 15
- 16 CABLE NEWS NETWORK (CNN)-Incoming regional bureau news feed
- PUBLIC BROADCASTING SYSTEM—Schedule B programming 17
- ABC CONTRACT CHANNEL—ABC Live/taped network programming 20
- 21 PUBLIC BROADCASTING SYSTEM—Schedule C programming
- OCCASIONAL TRANSMISSIONS—Network feeds, sports, news
- PUBLIC BROADCASTING SYSTEM—Schedule D programming

### **TELSTAR 301**

POLARIZATION: ODD-Vertical / EVEN-Horizontal

### CHANNEL PROGRAM/DESCRIPTION

- OCCASIONAL TRANSMISSIONS-Sports, teleconferencing news and network feeds
- ROBERT WOLD COMMUNICATIONS—Sports, news and network feeds 9
- SATELLITE TELEVISION SERVICE (ABC)—ABC live/taped network programming (Central Time Zone feeds) 10
- 12 ABC TELEVISION NETWORK—ABC contract channel covering Los Angeles/New York programming and news feeds
- OCCASIONAL TRANSMISSIONS—Sports, news and network feeds 13/14
- ABC INTERNATIONAL TELEVISION NETWORK—ABC London International news feeds

16/21/22/24 OCCASIONAL TRANSMISSIONS—Sports, teleconferencing, news and network feeds

# **WESTAR 3**

**POLARIZATION: ALL—Horizontal** 

### CHANNEL PROGRAM/DESCRIPTION

- CNN (Cable News Network)—Incoming regional bureau news feed
- HUGHES TELEVISION NETWORK—Occasional sports events 19
- OCCASIONAL TRANSMISSIONS—Network feeds, sports and news 21
- 21 INDEPENDENT NETWORK NEWS— National newscasts for independent broadcast stations
- OCCASIONAL TRANSMISSIONS—Network feeds, sports and news 23
- HSC-TV/THE BAMC HOUR-Medical training by Brooke Army Medical Center, Academy of Health Science

### **AUXILIARY SERVICES**

- AP NEWSCABLE—Automated alphanumeric general news and information service
- 2 NATIONAL PUBLIC RADIO—Public radio station featuring a variety of programming
  - TEXAS STATE NETWORK—State radio station featuring news, sports and entertainment

# **COMSTAR D3**

POLARIZATION: ODD-Vertical / EVEN-Horizontal

### CHANNEL PROGRAM/DESCRIPTION

- SATELLITE TELEVISION SERVICE (NBC)—NBC live and taped network programming for Central Time Zone feeds
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- SATELLITE TELEVISION SERVICE (CBS)—CBS live and taped network programming for Central Time Zone feeds SATELLITE TELEVISION SERVICE (ABC)—ABC live and taped network programming for Central Time Zone feeds SATELLITE TELEVISION SERVICE (CBS)—CBS live and taped network programming for Los Angeles/New York feeds 17

# SATCOM F4

POLARIZATION: ODD—Vertical / EVEN-Horizontal

# CHANNEL PROGRAM/DESCRIPTION

- BRAVO—Cultural programming including dance, jazz, theater, symphony and opera
- SPN (Satellite Programming Network)—Full variety entertainment
- HOME SPORTS ENTERTAINMENT (Dallas)—Texas, Louisiana, Arkansas, Oklahoma, and New Mexico regional sports service 4
- 6 ESPN-West coast feed of Business Times on ESPN only
- NCN (National Christian Network)—Religious programming for the entire religious community
- SPORTS VISION—Regional sports network in the Chicago area 9
- 11 HOME SPORTS ENTERTAINMENT (Houston)—Same as channel 4
- 12 THE PLAYBOY CHANNEL—Adult Entertainment Channel
- BIZNET The American Business Network—Business and public affairs programming 15
- 17 TBN, Trinity Broadcast Network—Religious programming including talk shows, variety shows and Bible studies
- AMERICAN FORCES RADIO & TELEVISION SERVICE—Independent programming and various network feeds 18
- NBC CONTRACT CHANNEL NBC live/taped network programming

# **AUXILIARY SERVICES**

- BRAVO-Stereo Broadcast, stereo/audio, 5.8 MHz
- IN TOUCH-Reading service for the blind and handicapped, mono/audio
- 3 GEORGIA RADIO NEWS SERVICE—News, sports and information features, mono/audio, 7.695 MHz
- NATIONALITY BROADCASTING NETWORK—Alternating multi-language presentation of music, news, sports and cultural 3 programming, mono/audio, 6.435 MHz
- RHYTHM AND BLUES—Featuring album cuts from various artists, stereo/audio, 5.4/6.3 MHz THE ROCK CHANNEL—Upbeat music, stereo/audio, 7.38/7.56 MHz 3
- SPN-Stereo Broadcast, stereo/audio, 5.58/5.76 MHz
- FAMILY RADIO NETWORK (East)—Bible centered religious program with music and talk programs, stereo/audio, 5.58/5.76 7 MHz
- FAMILY RADIO NETWORK (West)—Same as above, 5.94, 6.12 MHz
- SHERIDAN BROADCASTING NETWORK—News, sports, jazz and rhythm and blues, 7.38/7.56 MHz 7
- 17 SATELLITE JAZZ NETWORK—New and traditional jazz music, stereo/audio, 5.58/5.76 MHz

# **WESTAR 2**

**POLARIZATION: ALL—Horizontal** 

- OCCASIONAL TRANSMISSIONS—Sports, news and network feeds OCCASIONAL TRANSMISSIONS—Sports, news and network feeds 3
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- 19 OCCASIONAL TRANSMISSIONS—Sports, news and network feeds