

# Articles and Links

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## For Aspiring Hams

- [Ham Basics Study Guide](#) Under Construction
- [Doug Nix's Blog](#)
- [Hamstudy](#)
- [Practice tests](#)
- [Conceptual electronics videos](#)

## For New Hams

- [For new hams](#)
- [For new members](#)
- [Best ham radios to buy when starting out](#)
- [Station coax and grounding](#)
- [BC distracted driving laws](#)

## VHF/UHF/Microwave

- **Frequency Lists:**
  - [Radio programming and frequency list](#)
  - [Island Trunk System](#)
  - [VHF & UHF simplex frequencies](#)
  - [CHIRP](#)
  - [RAC's VHF/UHF Repeater Frequency Coordination](#)
  - [British Columbia Amateur Radio Coordination Council](#)
  - [Repeater Book \(Android App\)](#)
- [Cross Band Repeater](#)
- [EchoLink](#)
  - [Static IP](#)
- [Microwave](#)

## HF

- **IC-7300**
  - [IC-7300 band scope tweaks](#)
  - [HamCuredSmoke IC-7300 Youtube Series](#)
- [Python band plan](#)
- [Contest spreadsheets](#)

## Amateur Radio Equipment Retailers

- [Burnaby Radio](#) (Burnaby)
- [Fleetwood Digital](#) (Surrey)
- [CanaKit](#) (North Vancouver)
- [GPS Central](#) (Alberta)
- [Radioworld](#) (Ontario)
- [Maple Leaf Communications](#) (Ontario)
- [DX Canada](#) (Online from Canada)
- [DX Engineering](#) (USA)
- [Ham Radio Outlet](#) (USA)
- [R&L Electronics](#) (USA)
- [Powerwerx](#) (USA)
- [Gigaparts](#) (on eBay)

### Used:

- [Our very own Buy and Sell page](#)
- [Hamshack.ca](#)

## Amateur Radio Equipment Manufacturers

### Radios:

- [ICOM Canada](#)
- [Kenwood](#)
- [Yaesu](#)

### Antennas:

- [Comprod](#)

### Accessories:

- [West Mountain Radio](#) (USA)
- [Timewave Technology](#)

- [WA7BNM Contest calendar website](#)
- [Northern Utah WebSDR](#)

## Digital

- [West Coast AREDN](#)
- [Meshcore](#)
- [Signalink](#)
  - [Winlink Express](#)
  - [Packet](#) (place holder for future)
  - [APRS on Windows](#)
  - [SSIDs for Winlink vs APRS](#)
  - [Digital Concepts](#)
- **IC-7300**
  - [IC-7300 settings for digital modes](#)
  - [JS8 with the IC-7300](#)
  - [Winlink Ardop](#)
- [Slow Scan TV](#)

## ISED Links

- [Canadian Callsign Database / QRZ](#)
- [Radio Equipment Search](#)

## Amateur Radio Groups and Services

- [British Columbia Wireless Amateur Radio Network](#)
- [Coquitlam Amateur Radio Club](#)
- [Cowichan Valley Amateur Radio Society](#)
- [Delta Amateur Radio Society](#)
- [Island Trunk System](#)
- [Langley Amateur Radio Association](#)
- [Maple Ridge Amateur Radio Club](#)
- [Mid Island Radio Association](#)
- [Nanaimo Amateur Radio Association](#)
- [New Westminster Amateur Radio Club](#)
- [North Shore Amateur Radio Club](#)
- [Surrey Amateur Radio Club](#)
- [Telephone Pioneers Amateur Radio Club](#)
- [VECTOR](#)

## Commercial Frequencies

- [Canadian Spectrum Management System Data](#) (Formerly known as TAFL)
  - [Search the TAFL](#)
  - [TAFL Map](#) (118 MHz - 525 MHz in Sechelt. Click **New** in green box on top left to change)
- [RadioReference](#)
- [BC Forest Service Frequencies](#)

## RFI

- [BC Hydro RFI](#)
- [Grow Equipment RFI](#)

## Maps And Weather

- [Open Street Map](#) (The Wikipedia of maps)
- Create [Azimuthal Maps](#)
- [Live Lightning Map](#)
- [Windy.com](#)
- [Earth.NullSchool](#)
- [Tropical Storm Risk](#)

## Misc

- [Digital Library of Amateur Radio & Communications](#) (Internet Archive)
- [GNU/Linux Resources](#)
- [Jitsi](#)
- [Sunshine Coast Search and Rescue](#)

## This Website

- [Editing this site.](#)
  - [Link, View, and Create PDFs](#)
  - [Wrap Plugin Examples](#)
- [Online html editor](#) to create fancy stuff

## Amateur Radio Associations

- [Radio Amateurs of Canada](#)
- [BC Wireless Amateur Radio Network](#)
- [BC Frequency Modulation Communications Association](#)
- [Industry Canada On-Line Services](#)
- [ARRL](#)
- [IRLP System](#)
- [Internet Archive: Digital Library of Amateur Radio & Communications](#)