

US Department of State, Embassies, Consulates, and Diplomatic Missions



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The United States Department of State (DoS) often referred to as the State Department, is the United States federal executive department responsible for international relations of the United States, equivalent to the foreign ministries of other countries. The Department was created in 1789 and was the first executive department established. It is headquartered in the Harry S. Truman Building near the White House in Washington, D.C. The Department operates the diplomatic missions of the United States abroad. The Department is led by the Secretary of State, who is nominated by the President.

Many of the embassies, consulates and diplomatic missions mentioned below have HF capabilities. The stations are not very active. Mostly once or twice a week. The best time to check the channels is in the morning, during the opening times of the embassies. Beside the ALE calls you can hear voice radio checks. The stations usually have their radio checks in the local morning between ca 0900 and 1100 hours.

Frequencies

4553.6, 5748.6, 6902.6, 8058.6, 10733.6, 11168.6, 11217.6, 11472.6, 13503.6, 16283.6, 16358.6, 16836.6, 18248.6, 18944.6, 20810.6 & 24883.6 kHz USB.

Most active frequencies

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Occasionally you can hear a station on the USAF HFGCS ALE channels.

ALE idents / stations

KAG29		KEH36	
KAL71	Consulate General Thessaloniki, GRC	KEH37	
KBF70	US embassy Ashgabat, TKM	KEH38	
KFB90		KEH39	
KBF95	US embassy Baku, AZB	KEM99	US embassy Kuwait City, KWT
KBF95B	US embassy Baku, AZB	KEN20	
KBF96		KEN21	
KBR29	US embassy Tblisi, GEO	KEN21OS	Unid offsite
KBX26		KEN22	US embassy Riyadh, ARS
KBZ76	Unid Paris	KEN23	
KCA30	US embassy Yerevan, ARM	KEN23OS1	Unid offsite
KCY63OS	Unid offsite	KFB90	US embassy Dakar, SEN
KDC39		KFB90MO1	US embassy Dakar, SEN mobile
KEA32		KFB90OS	US embassy Dakar, SEN offsite
KEB25	US embassy Singapore, SNG	KFW28	
KEH34	US embassy Baghdad, IRQ	KGA47	US embassy Jakarta, INS
KEH34TOC	RSO Tactical Ops Center, Baghdad	KGC83	US embassy Canberra, AUS
KEH35		KJA86	US embassy Podgorica, Montenegro

KJA86OS	US embassy Podgorica, offsite	KVX53	US embassy Vilnius, LTU
KJB33	US Mission to NATO, Brussels, BEL	KVX53OS1	US embassy Vilnius, LTU offsite
KLU52	Fort Huachuca, AZ, USA	KVX54	US embassy Riga, LVA
KMN93	US DoS Springfield, VA, USA	KVX55	US embassy Tallinn, EST
KMN93A	US DoS Springfield, VA, USA	KVX56	US embassy Helsinki, FIN
KMN93B	US DoS Springfield, VA, USA	KVX56OS	Unid offsite
KMN93C	US DoS Springfield, VA, USA	KWA22	US Consulate Ponta Delgada, POR
KMN93M3	US DoS Springfield, VA, USA	KWA37	US Permanent Mission Geneva, SUI
KMN94	US DoS Fort Lauderdale, FL, USA	KWA37OS1	US Permanent Mission Geneva, SUI
KMN94A	US DoS Fort Lauderdale, FL, USA	KWA43	US Consulate General Milan, I
KMN95	US DoS Warrenton, VA, USA	KWA45	
KRC81	US embassy Kingston, JMC	KWA54	probably US Consulate Napoli, I
KRC82	US embassy Nassau, BAH	KWA64	
KRC83		KWA80	
KRC84		KWB48	RIMC, Frankfurt, D ¹⁾
KRH48		KWB48I	RIMC, Frankfurt, D ¹⁾
KRH50		KWB48F	RIMC, Frankfurt, D ¹⁾
KRH51		KWB57	
KRH54	US embassy Seoul, KOR	KWB69	RIMC Bangkok, THA ¹⁾
KRH57		KWE41	US embassy Addis Ababa, ETH
KRH58		KWE41OS	US embassy Addis Ababa offsite
KRH60		KWE92	US embassy Djibouti, DJI
KRH61		KWF22	US embassy Khartoum, SUD
KRH62		KWF28	
KRH63	US Consulate General Hong Kong, HKG	KWF79	
KRH68	US embassy Bangkok, THA	KWF91	
KRH71	US embassy Manila, PHL	KWG41	
KRH73		KWH49	US embassy, N'Djamena, TCD
KRZ61		KWH49M	US embassy, N'Djamena, TCD, mobile
KRZ64		KWI26	US embassy Bangui, CAF
KSI84		KWI56	
KSK20		KWI56A	
KSN21	US embassy Yaounde, CME	KWJ34	
KSN21M2	US embassy Yaounde, mobile	KWJ58	USAF Ascencion Island
KNS21OS	US embassy Yaounde, offsite	KWJ66	
KSN21P1	US embassy Yaounde, CME	KWK20	US embassy Conakry, GUI
KTR67		KWK42	US embassy Nouakchott, MTN
KTR68		KWK50	US embassy Teheran, IRN
KTR69		KWK53	US embassy Freetown, SRL
KTR70	US embassy Cotonou, BEN	KWK53OS	Unid offsite
KTR71	US Consulate General Lagos, NIG	KWK90	
KVW71		KWK91	
KVX44		KWK92	
KVX45	US embassy Rome, I	KWK93	US Consulate General Matamoros, MEX
KVX50		KWK95	US embassy Cairo, EGY
KVX51		KWK96	
KVX52		KWK97	US Consulate General Monterrey, MEX

KWK98		KWS90	US embassy Budapest, HNG
KWK99		KWS90A	US embassy Budapest, HNG
KWL27		KWS91	US embassy Ljubljana, SVN
KWL63		KWS92	US embassy, Zagreb, HRV
KWL90		KWS93	US embassy Belgrade, SRB
KWL91		KWS94	US embassy Sarajevo, BIH
KWL92	US embassy Managua, NCG	KWS95	US embassy Tirana, ALB
KWL93		KWS96	US embassy Skopje, Macedonia
KWL94		KWS97	
KWL95		KWS98	
KWL96		KWS99	US embassy Sofia, BUL
KWL97		KWT49	US Consulate General Amsterdam, HOL
KWL98		KWT50	US embassy The Hague, Netherlands
KWL99		KWT51	US embassy Brussels, BEL
KWM24		KWT55	
KWN63		KWT90	
KWN79	US embassy Nairobi, KEN	KWT90OS	Unid offsite
KWN90		KWT91	US embassy Berlin
KWN91		KWT92	
KWN93		KWT93	US Consulate Frankfurt, D
KWN94		KWT94	US embassy Paris, F
KWN95		KWT95	US Consulate General, Strasbourg, F
KWN96	US embassy Lima, PRU	KWT96	
KWN97		KWT97	US Consulate General Munich, D
KWN97OS	Unid offsite	KWT98	US embassy Bern, SUI
KWN98		KWT99	
KWP72		KWU47	US embassy Kiev, UKR
KWP92		KWV71	US embassy Ankara, TUR
KWP92OS	Unid offsite	KWV71OS	US embassy Ankara, TUR offsite
KWP95	US embassy Rabat, MRC	KWW25	US embassy Oslo, NOR
KWP95OS1	US embassy Rabat, MRC offsite	KWX43	
KWP96		KWX45	
KWP97	US embassy Algiers, ALG	KWX51	
KWP98		KWX53	
KWP99		KWX54	
KWQ36	US embassy Stockholm, Sweden	KWX55	
KWR86		KWX56	
KWR91	US embassy Cairo, EGY	KWX57	US embassy Warsaw, POL
KWR92		KWX58	
KWR93		KWX59	US embassy Vienna, AUT
KWR95	US embassy Amman, JOR	KWX62	
KWR96	US embassy Beirut, LBN	KWX72	
KWR96OS	US embassy Beirut, LBN offsite	KWX78	
KWR97		KWX90	US embassy Dublin, IRL
KWR98		KWX90OS	US embassy Dublin, IRL offsite
KWR99		KWX91	
KWS78	US embassy Bratislava, SVK	KWX92	US embassy London, G

KWX93	US embassy Reykavik, ISL	KXV47	
KWX94	US Consulate General Barcelona, E	KXV49	
KWX95	US embassy Madrid, E	ROME ²⁾	was called by KWR92
KWX96	US embassy Lisboa, POR (NCS)	TCH	Possibly a war ship in the Gulf of Aden
KWX99	US embassy Copenhagen, DNK	WBK69A	
KWY20		WNG739	
KWY21		WNG739A	
KWY22		WNG739B	
KWY23	US Consulate General Belfast, G	WNG740	
KWY24	US embassy Dhaka, BGD	WNG741	Washington, D.C. area, USA
KWY28	US embassy Mbabane, SWZ	WNG746	
KWY28OS	US embassy Mbabane offsite	WNG747	
KWY29	US Consulate General Peshawar, PAK	WNG748	
KWY48		WNG751	
KWY49	US embassy Kabul, AFG	WNG752	
KWY50		WNG764	
KWY51	US embassy Banjul, GMB	WNG767	US embassy Pristina, Kosovo
KWY52		WNG768	American Institute in Taiwan Taipei, TWN
KWY53		WNG777	
KWY54		WNG779	
KWY55		WNG780	Richmond, VA, USA
KWY58		WNG782	
KWY59	US embassy New Delhi, IND	WNG790	
KWY59A	US embassy New Delhi, IND	WNG799	DoS, New Orleans, LA, USA
KWY91		WNG803	
KWY91OS1	Unid offsite	WNG806	
KWY92		WNG808	
KWY93	US Consulate General Chennai, IND	WNG809	
KWY94	US embassy Ouagadougou, BFA	WNG811	
KWY95		WNG813	US embassy Dili, TLS
KWZ99	US embassy Athens, GRC	WNG824	American Institute in Taiwan Kaohsiung, TWN
KWZ99MBL1	US embassy Athens, mobile	WNG828	
KWZ99OS1	Unid offsite	WNG830	US DoS Basrah, IRQ
KXV44		WNG831	US DoS Iraq
KXV44MO1	Unid mobile unit	WNG833	Baghdad area, IRQ
KXV45	US embassy, Rome, I (NCS)	WNG827	
KXV46	US Consulate General Marseille, F	WNG838	

¹⁾ RIMC = Regional Information Management Center.

RIMCs provide IT support to all embassies, consulates, and other Department of State missions overseas. They are located in Washington, DC; Ft. Lauderdale, Florida; Frankfurt, Germany; and Bangkok, Thailand.

²⁾ KWR92 called "ROME" on several frequencies

Suffix "OS" means "Offsite"

Suffix "M" means "Mobile"

NCS = Net Control Station

From Wikileaks docs

NET EUR10

Net control: Embassy Baku, KBF95

Embassy Ashgabat, KBF70

Embassy Tblisi, KBR29, KBR29B

Embassy Yerevan, KCA30

From eBay advertisements

Several Motorola Mobat Micom 500E HF-SSB Transceiver Micom-2TS machines were sold on eBay in August 2014. As you can on the pictures they came from US DoS Algiers (KWP97) and Mbabane (KWY28).



List of US Embassies, Consulates, and Diplomatic Missions

AFRICA

Angola: Luanda	Madagascar: Antananarivo
Benin: Cotonou	Malawi: Lilongwe
Botswana: Gaborone	Mali: Bamako
Burkina Faso: Ouagadougou	Mauritania: Nouakchott
Burundi: Bujumbura	Mauritius: Port Louis
Cameroon: Yaounde	Mozambique: Maputo
Cape Verde: Praia	Namibia: Windhoek
Central African Republic: Bangui	Niger: Niamey
Chad: N'Djamena	Nigeria: Abuja
Democratic Republic of the Congo: Kinshasa	Rwanda: Kigali
Republic of the Congo: Brazzaville	Senegal: Dakar
Côte d'Ivoire: Abidjan	Sierra Leone: Freetown
Republic of Djibouti: Djibouti	South Africa: Pretoria
Equatorial Guinea: Malabo	South Sudan: Juba
Eritrea: Asmara	Sudan: Khartoum
Ethiopia: Addis Ababa	Swaziland: Mbabane
Gabon: Libreville	Tanzania: Dar es Salaam
Ghana: Accra	The Gambia: Banjul
Guinea: Conakry	Togo: Lome
Kenya: Nairobi	Uganda: Kampala
Lesotho: Maseru	Zambia: Lusaka
Liberia: Monrovia	Zimbabwe: Harare

MIDDLE EAST AND NORTH AFRICA

Algeria: Algiers	Libya: Tripoli
Bahrain: Manama	Morocco: Casablanca
Egypt: Alexandria	Morocco: Rabat
Egypt: Cairo	Oman: Muscat
Iraq: Baghdad	Qatar: Doha
Iraq: Basrah	Saudi Arabia: Dhahran
Iraq: Erbil	Saudi Arabia: Jeddah
Iraq: Kirkuk	Saudi Arabia: Riyadh
Israel: Jerusalem	Syria: Damascus
Israel: Tel Aviv	Tunisia: Tunis
Jordan: Amman	United Arab Emirates: Abu Dhabi
Kuwait: Kuwait City	United Arab Emirates: Dubai
Lebanon: Beirut	Yemen: Sana'a

NORTH & LATIN AMERICA

Argentina: Buenos Aires
Bahamas: Nassau
Barbados: Bridgetown
Belize: Belmopan
Bermuda: Hamilton
Bolivia: La Paz
Brazil: Brasilia
Brazil: Rio de Janeiro
Brazil: Recife
Brazil: São Paulo
Canada: Ottawa
Canada: Calgary
Canada: Halifax
Canada: Montreal
Canada: Quebec
Canada: Toronto
Canada: Vancouver
Canada: Winnipeg
Chile: Santiago
Colombia: Bogota
Costa Rica: San Jose
Cuba: US Interests Section
Dominican Republic: Santo Domingo
Ecuador: Quito
Ecuador: Guayaquil
El Salvador: San Salvador

Guatemala: Guatemala City
Guyana: Georgetown
Haiti: Port-au-Prince
Honduras: Tegucigalpa
Jamaica: Kingston
Mexico: Mexico City
Mexico: Ciudad Juarez
Mexico: Guadalajara
Mexico: Hermosillo
Mexico: Matamoros
Mexico: Merida
Mexico: Monterrey
Mexico: Nogales
Mexico: Nuevo Laredo
Mexico: Puerto Vallarta
Mexico: Tijuana
Netherlands Antilles: Curacao
Nicaragua: Managua
Panama: Panama City
Paraguay: Asuncion
Peru: Lima
Suriname: Paramaribo
Trinidad & Tobago: Port of Spain
Uruguay: Montevideo
USA: US Mission to the U.N.-New York
Venezuela: Caracas

CENTRAL AND SOUTH ASIA

Afghanistan: Kabul
Bangladesh: Dhaka
India: New Delhi
India: Chennai
India: Hyderabad
India: Kolkata
India: Mumbai
Kazakhstan: Astana
Kazakhstan: Almaty
Kyrgyz Republic: Bishkek

Nepal: Kathmandu
Pakistan: Islamabad
Pakistan: Karachi
Pakistan: Lahore
Pakistan: Peshawar
Sri Lanka: Colombo
Tajikistan: Dushanbe
Turkmenistan: Ashgabat
Uzbekistan: Tashkent

EAST ASIA AND PACIFIC

Australia: Canberra
Australia: Melbourne
Australia: Perth
Australia: Sydney
Brunei: Bandar Seri Begawan
Burma: Rangoon
Cambodia: Phnom Penh
China: Beijing
China: Chengdu
China: Guangzhou
China: Shanghai
China: Shenyang
China: Wuhan
Federated States of Micronesia: Kolonia
Fiji: Suva
Hong Kong and Macau
Indonesia: APP Medan
Indonesia: Jakarta
Indonesia: Surabaya
Indonesia: US Mission to ASEAN, Jakarta
Japan: Fukuoka
Japan: Nagoya

Japan: Naha, Okinawa
Japan: Osaka/Kobe
Japan: Sapporo
Japan: Tokyo
Korea: Busan
Korea: Seoul
Laos: Vientiane
Malaysia: Kuala Lumpur
Mongolia: Ulaanbaatar
New Zealand: Wellington
Papua New Guinea: Port Moresby
Philippines: Manila
Republic of Palau: Koror
Republic of the Marshall Islands: Majuro
Samoa: Apia
Singapore
Taiwan - American Institute in Taiwan (AIT)
Thailand: Bangkok
Thailand: Chiang Mai
Timor-Leste: Dili
Vietnam: Hanoi
Vietnam: Ho Chi Minh City

EUROPE

Albania: Tirana
Armenia: Yerevan
Austria: US Mission to International Organizations in Vienna
Austria: US Mission to NATO, Vienna
Austria: US Mission to the EU, Vienna
Austria: US Mission to the OECD, Vienna
Austria: US Mission to the OSCE, Vienna
Austria: Vienna
Azerbaijan: Baku
Belarus: Minsk
Belgium: Brussels
Bosnia & Herzegovina: Sarajevo
Bulgaria: Sofia
Croatia: Zagreb
Cyprus: Nicosia
Czech Republic: Prague
Denmark: Copenhagen
Estonia: Tallinn
Finland: Helsinki
France: Bordeaux

France: Lille
France: Lyon
France: Marseille
France: Paris
France: Rennes
France: Strasbourg
France: Toulouse
Georgia: Tbilisi
Germany: Berlin
Germany: Düsseldorf
Germany: Frankfurt
Germany: Hamburg
Germany: Leipzig
Germany: Munich
Greece: Athens
Greece: Thessaloniki
Hungary: Budapest
Iceland: Reykjavik
Ireland: Dublin
Italy: Florence
Italy: Milan

Italy: Naples
Italy: Rome
Italy: US Mission to the UN, Rome
Kosovo: Pristina
Latvia: Riga
Lithuania: Vilnius
Luxembourg : Luxembourg
Macedonia: Skopje
Malta: Valletta
Moldova: Chisinau
Montenegro: Podgorica
Norway: Oslo
Poland: Krakow
Poland: Warsaw
Portugal: Lisbon
Portugal: Ponta Delgada, Azores
Romania: Bucharest
Russia: Moscow
Russia: St. Petersburg
Russia: Vladivostok

Russia: Yekaterinburg
Serbia: Belgrade
Slovakia: Bratislava
Slovenia: Ljubljana
Spain: Barcelona
Spain: Madrid
Sweden: Stockholm
Switzerland: Bern
Switzerland: US Mission to the UN, Geneva
Switzerland: US Mission to UNESCO, Geneva
The Netherlands: Amsterdam
The Netherlands: The Hague
Turkey: Adana
Turkey: Ankara
Turkey: Istanbul
Ukraine: Kyiv
United Kingdom: Belfast
United Kingdom: Edinburgh
United Kingdom: London
Vatican

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