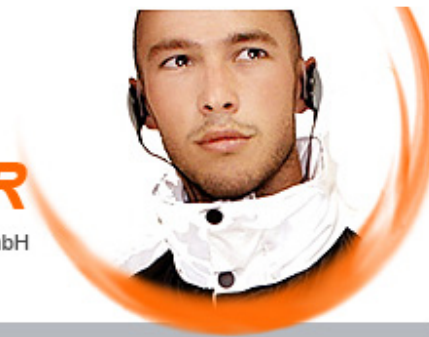




NEWSLETTER

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Dear Sir or Madam,

our company - the Bayern Digital Radio GmbH - was founded in 1998 and on the occasion of their their 10th anniversary all listeners, readers and users of our webside are invited to take part in a special competition. Over 10 weeks Digital Radio receivers and other attractive prizes are waiting for the winners. The first winners are already allotted and the third round hast just started. So don't forget to frequently visit our website until the IFA 2008 in Berlin at the end of August.

Best wishes

Wolfgang Paulus

PROGRAMM



17.06.08 ARD Radio live from the Beijing Olympics

[Saarbrücken] ‚ARD Olympiaradio‘ will be launched just for the duration of the Olympic Games. The programme can be listened to from 5 a.m. until the end of the main competitions in the evening and is broadcast via DAB, DVB-S and MW/LW from various ARD stations.

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03.06.08 Bid for the German-speaking part of Switzerland

[Bern] SwissMediaCast AG (SMC AG) hat issued an invitation for tender for the multiplex in the 2nd DAB layer in the DAB+ standard for the German-speaking part of Switzerland. Applications must be submitted until June 15. The launch of services is scheduled for February 2009. By the end of February ...

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COVERAGE



26.06.08 Valais with Digital Radio

[Berne] Digital Radio has now reached the Lötschental as well as Verbier in Switzerland. With immediate effect, two new DAB transmitters are supplying the two villages of the Valais with up to 12 Digital Radio programmes.

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19.06.08 TELEKO announces DAB/DAB+ service in Prague

[Prague] TELEKO, s.r.o. announced it has turned on the first L-band transmitter in the capital of Prague. This DAB/DAB+ trial service is provided in cooperation with the public broadcaster - Cesky rozhlas. This transmitter covers a population of approximately 1.3 million. Previous trials were ...

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19.06.08 Medium wave transmissions to cease in Ticino

[Bern] The Federal Council has granted SRG the right to cease broadcasting from the medium wave Monte Ceneri transmitter by the end of June 2008. The transmitter has been broadcasting the programme Rete1 over the last couple of years. For two years now all three stations from Radio Svizzera di ...

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18.06.08 Digital Radio in Val de Travers

[Bern] Thanks to a new DAB transmitter in St. Sulpice, i.e. the western part of Val de Travers, the radio offering has tripled in comparison to FM. Around 8.000 people in the areas of Fleurier, Couvet, Môtiers, Saint-Sulpice and Boveresse now enjoy the benefits of the new DAB technology.

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10.06.08 4:0 for Switzerland

[Bern] The Swiss continue the DAB transmission network expansion at a steady pace. Four new transmitters have entered service at Wannenberg, Eggberg, Haute-Nendaz and Porrentruy respectively. They will improve the reception in the northern part of Switzerland as well as in Unterwallis.

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02.06.08 8 new DAB transmitters for Switzerland

[Bern] Eight new transmitters have entered service in the western part of Switzerland and in Oberwallis. Thus now another 220.000 individuals can tune in to digital stations in Switzerland.

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05.06.08 [Digital Radio at medienfest.nrw](#)
[Köln] Cologne-based network operator Digital Radio West and the local station domradio will be among the hosts of the media festival (medienfest.nrw) in Northrhine-Westfalia. Those interested in the media industry will be provided with insiders' knowledge at their common stand. Moreover, visitors ...

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MISCELLANEOUS



26.06.08 [Digital Audio Broadcasting made in Austria](#)
[Vienna] On the occasion of the plenary assembly of the Digital Platform Austria, the Managing Director of the Audio Broadcasting Division of RTR-GmbH Alfred Grinschgl talked about the basic necessity to launch digital radio in Austria, now that digital television is being introduced there. August ...

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26.06.08 [A New Opportunity for Nationwide Digital Radio](#)
[Stuttgart] The Regional Media Institutions (Landesmedienanstalten) have started to set the course for a new Germany-wide Digital Radio. In its meeting on Tuesday, the Directors' Conference (DLM) decided to ask the Federal states of Germany to check whether a requirement notice for Band III should ...

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25.06.08 [New report for UK](#)
[London] The Digital Radio Working Group (DRWG) published its interim report. According to this UK radio services should be migrated on to DAB by 2020. It proposes to move stations gradually over the next 12 years rather than setting a cut-off date. The DRWG calls for the Government to set out ...

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19.06.08 [Meinungsbarometer Digitaler Rundfunk 06/2008](#)
[Halle/Saale] The May issue of 'Meinungsbarometer Digitaler Rundfunk' presents the following topics: The result of an inquiry among the political parties concerning the appropriate modalities for the transition to digitization in Germany, an interview with Helwin Lesch (head of programme ...

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11.06.08 [Special issue of Meinungsbarometer Digitaler Rundfunk](#)
[Halle/Saale] On the occasion of the Radio Day (12 June in Cologne) a special issue of the magazine Meinungsbarometer Digitaler Rundfunk highlights Northrhine-Westphalia with the following topics: an interview with Andreas Krautscheid, NRW regional state minister for federal affairs, Europe and the ...

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11.06.08 Factum Electronics cooperates with Analog Devices
[Linköping] Factum Electronics AB announced an agreement with Analog Devices. It covers licensing of Factum's DAB/DMB middleware and co-operation on technology and marketing targeting handheld mobile devices.

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29.05.08 BLM: Call for Interest for Digital Radio
[München] Bavarian media regulator BLM has called for a notification of interest with regard to the potential demand of state-wide transmission capacities for digital radio. In view of the future expansion digital radio it is important to determine the actual requirements to be able to launch ...

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Events

29.08.08-03.09.08	Internationale Funkausstellung 2008	Berlin	more
01.07.08-02.07.08	Lokalrundfunktage 2008	Nürnberg	more

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