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pi@ZIL-Kiwi:~/wsprdaemon $ ./wsprdaemon.sh -h
usage:          VERSION = 2.9d
/home/pi/wsprdaemon/wsprdaemon.sh -{asz} Start,Show Status, or Stop the watchdog daemon
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This program reads the configuration file wsprdaemon.conf which defines a schedule to capture and post WSPR signals from one or more KiwiSDRs and/or AUDIO inputs and/or RTL-SDRs.

Each KiwiSDR can be configured to run 8 separate bands, so 2 Kiwis can spot every 2 minute cycle from all 14 LF/MF/HF bands.

In addition, the operator can configure 'MERG..' receivers which posts decodes from 2 or more 'real' receivers but selects only the best SNR for each received callsign (i.e no double-posting)

Each 2 minute WSPR cycle this script creates a separate .wav recording file on this host from the audio output of each configured [receiver,band]

At the end of each cycle, each of those files is processed by the 'wsprd' WSPR decode application included in the WSJT-x application

which must be installed on this server. The decodes output by 'wsprd' are then spotted to the WSPRnet.org database.

The script allows individual [receiver,band] control as well as automatic scheduled band control via a watchdog process

which is automatically started during the server's bootup process.

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-h                => print this help message (execute '-vh' to get a description of the architecture of this program)
-a                => stArt watchdog daemon which will start all scheduled jobs ( -w a )
-z                => stop watchdog daemon and all jobs it is currently running (-w z ) (i.e.zzzz => go to sleep)
-s                => show Status of watchdog and jobs it is currently running (-w s ; -j s )
-p HOURS          => generate ~/wsprdaemon/signal-levels.jpg for the last HOURS of SNR data
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These flags are mostly intended for advanced configuration:

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-i                => list audio and RTL-SDR devices attached to this computer
-j .....        => Start, Stop and Monitor one or more WSPR jobs. Each job is composed of one capture daemon and one decode/posting
daemon
-j a,RECEIVER_NAME[,WSPR_BAND] => stArt WSPR jobs(s).          RECEIVER_NAME = 'all' (default) == All RECEIVER,BAND jobs defined in
wsprdaemon.conf
                                     OR
                                     RECEIVER_NAME from list below
                                     AND WSPR_BAND from list below
-j z,RECEIVER_NAME[,WSPR_BAND] => Stop (i.e zzzzz) WSPR job(s). RECEIVER_NAME defaults to 'all'
-j s,RECEIVER_NAME[,WSPR_BAND] => Show Status of WSPR job(s).
-j l,RECEIVER_NAME[,WSPR_BAND] => Watch end of the decode/posting.log file. RECEIVER_ANME = 'all' is not valid
-j o              => Search for zombie jobs (i.e. not in current scheduled jobs list) and kill them

-w .....        => Start, Stop and Monitor the Watchdog daemon
-w a              => stArt the watchdog daemon
-w z              => Stop (i.e put to sleep == zzzzz) the watchdog daemon
-w s              => Show Status of watchdog daemon
-w l              => Watch end of watchdog.log file by executing 'less +F watchdog.log'

-v                => Increase verbosity of diagnostic printouts
-d                => Signal all running processes as found in the *.pid files in the current directory to increment the logging verbosity
                   This permits changes to logging verbosity without restarting WD
-D                => Signal all to decrement verbosity
-u CMD            => Runs on wsprdaemon.org to process uploaded *.tbz files. CMD: 'a' => start, s => 'status', 'z' => stop
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Examples:

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wsprdaemon.sh -a                => stArt the watchdog daemon which will in turn run '-j a,all' starting WSPR jobs defined in
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'/home/pi/wsprdaemon/wsprdaemon.conf'

wsprdaemon.sh -z => Stop the watchdog daemon but WSPR jobs will continue to run
wsprdaemon.sh -s => Show the status of the watchdog and all of the currently running jobs it has created
wsprdaemon.sh -j a,RECEIVER_LF_MF_0,2200 => on RECEIVER_LF_MF_0 start a WSPR job on 2200M
wsprdaemon.sh -j a => start WSPR jobs on all receivers/bands configured in /home/pi/wsprdaemon/wsprdaemon.conf
wsprdaemon.sh -j z => stop all WSPR jobs on all receivers/bands configured in /home/pi/wsprdaemon/wsprdaemon.conf, but note
that the watchdog will restart them if it is running

Valid RECEIVER_NAMES which have been defined in '/home/pi/wsprdaemon/wsprdaemon.conf':

Index	Receivers Name	IP:PORT
0	G3ZIL_1	10.0.1.89:8073
1	G3ZIL_2	10.0.1.102:8073
2	KPH	kphsdr.com:8075
3	N6GN2	n6gn.no-ip.org:8075
4	N6GN	n6gn.no-ip.org:8073
5	MERGED_RX_0	G3ZIL_HF,AUDIO_0

WSPR_BAND => {2200|630|160|80|80eu|60|60eu|40|30|20|17|15|12|10|6|2|1|0}

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I would appreciate reports which compare the number of reports and the SNR values reported by wsprdaemon.sh
against values reported by the same Kiwi's autowspr and/or that same Kiwi fed to WSJT-x

In my testing wsprdaemon.sh always reports the same or more signals and the same SNR for those detected by autowspr,
but I cannot yet guarantee that wsprdaemon.sh is always better than those other reporting methods.