

ProScan

User Manual

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ProScan supports the BC125AT, BC250D, BC296D, BC346XT, BC346XTC, BC780XLT, BC785D, BC796D, BCD160DN, BCD260DN, BCD325P2, BCD396T, BCD396XT, BCD436HP, BCD536HP, BCD996P2, BCD996T, BCD996XT, BCT15, BCT15X, BR330T, SDS100, SDS100E, SDS200, SDS200E, UBC125XLT, UBC126AT, UBCD3600XLT, UBCD436PT, UBCD536PT, & USDS100 scanners.

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Introduction

ProScan is the preferred choice in Computer Aided Scanning. ProScan is the most technologically advanced, feature rich, and user friendly computer aided scanning program ever made. What more could be said of ProScan? Professional grade, easy to operate, powerful, enjoyable experience, simple setup, 1st class support, low cost, free upgrades, etc... ProScan is the leader and top choice with many innovations and features.

Each major feature is contained in a separate tab for a clean and organized layout.

Many organizations, businesses, government agencies, hobbyists, consultants, semi-professionals, and professionals have chosen ProScan for their solutions.

System Requirements

- **Operating System** - Windows 7 SP1 or above.
- **Display** - Minimum 960 x 720 screen resolution.
- **Mouse**
- **Sound Card** - For the Recorders, Source Client, Web Server, and Remote Scanner Over IP (If using the BCD536HP or SDS200 Ethernet connection for audio then a sound card is not needed).

- **Internet Connection** - For activating ProScan licenses, remote control and streaming using the Source Client, Web Server, and Remote Scanner Over IP features.
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Quick Steps

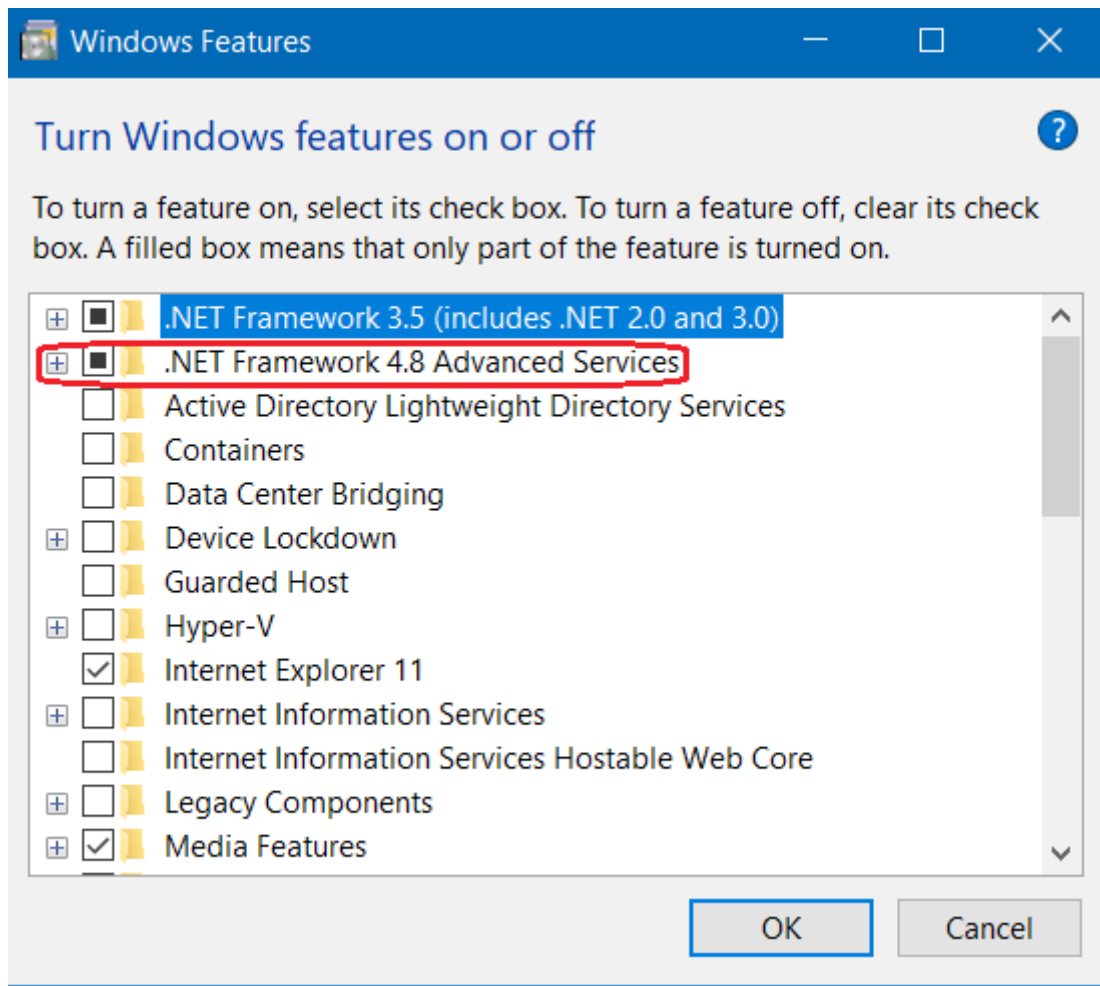
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 5. [Audio Setup](#) - Audio for recording, or streaming using the Source Client, Web Server, or Remote Scanner Over IP features.
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Installing ProScan

- Download the ProScan zip file from the www.proscan.org web site.
- Extract the zip file.
- Execute the exe setup file and follow the prompts.
- Choose a folder for the install.

Notes

- Any existing configuration, logging, & recording files will be retained after installation.
- On 64 bit systems, If installing in the folder: "\Program Files" or "\Program Files (x86)", The OS will put all the ProScan generated files (Configuration, Recordings, Logging, etc...) in "\Users\[UserName]\AppData\Local\VirtualStore\Program Files (x86)\ProScan" unless ProScan is elevated to administrative rights.
- ProScan is designed for the Microsoft .NET 4.8 Framework. Your computer should have .NET 4.8 installed and enabled. If for some reason, the .NET Framework 4.8 is not enabled then go to Windows "Turn Windows features on or off" then ensure the second item is checked like in this image.



Change the Scanner Type

- Go to **Menu** --> **Scanner Type** and choose the type of scanner using with ProScan.

Notes

- Changing the scanner type should be done first before setting the comm port options, general options, or opening a database file.
- If connecting to a Remote Scanner Over IP server then the scanner type will change automatically upon connection to the server.

Communications Serial Port Setup

The COM Port is for transferring data between ProScan and the scanner for logging, uploading & downloading, remote control, etc...

Before setting up the scanner, a cable should be connected from the scanner to the computer.

Using a RS-232 Cable

1. If connecting to a scanner port that doubles as a GPS port then a null modem adapter or cable is required. Otherwise use a RS-232 straight through cable.

Using a USB Converter Cable

1. Connect the cable from the scanner to the computer.
2. Install the USB Converter driver.
3. Check the **Windows Device Manager** to see if the driver is installed correctly and is working.
4. Note the port assignment shown in the Device Manager.

Set the Port number and Baud Rate

1. Go to the scanner menu and find the port options. Some scanners have the port options in the GPS or Location section, other scanners do not allow configuration.
2. Set the baud rate to the highest baud rate listed.
3. Go to the **Menu --> Comm. Port**.
4. Set the baud rate to match the scanner baud rate.
5. Set the Port to the same shown in the Windows Device Manager.

ProScan should now be communicating with the scanner's and the virtual display should come to life resembling the scanners display.

Notes

- If using a **BC780XLT**, make sure the scanner is in **Remote Mode**. "RMT" will appear on the scanner display. To turn on remote mode, press the "E" key on the scanner for 2 seconds.
- A Null Modem adapter or cable's purpose is to reverse pins 2 and 3 (TX and RX). It's needed on scanner ports that double as GPS ports.

BCD536HP Wi-Fi Dongle / SDS200 Ethernet Virtual Serial Port Setup

1. Go to the **Menu --> Comm. Port**.
2. Click the Port combobox.
3. Choose **URL**.
4. Click the URL Setup button.
5. Enter the IP address of the scanner. Example: --> **192.168.1.5**
6. Click the Reconnect button.
7. If successful, "UDP Not Connected" message should disappear and "Bytes RX" increments.

Opening a Database File

Applies to the Non-DMA types of scanners (BC250D, BC296D, BC780XLT, BC785D, & BC796D) and the DMA types of scanners (BCT15, BCT15X, BR330T, BC346XT, BC346XTC, BCD325P2, BCD396T, BCD396XT, BCD996T, BCD996XT, & BCD996P2).

Before data in a database can be uploaded to the scanner or downloaded from the scanner, a database file must be opened.

Before opening a database, make sure the Scanner Type is correct for your model, this will ensure the right database format is used.

1. Go to the **Menu** --> **Database**.
2. If an exiting database has been created before: Go to the **Menu** --> **Database** --> **Open** then navigate to the folder, then select the file, and click the OK button.
3. If creating a new database file: Go to the **Menu** --> **Database** --> **New** then navigate to the folder, type in a file name, and click the OK button.

Opening a Favorites Lists with the Favorites Editor

Applies to the HP types of scanners (BCD436HP, BCD536HP, SDS100, SDS200, SDS100E, SDS200E, UBCD3600XLT, & USDS100 scanners).

Before data in a Favorites list can be written to the scanner or read from the scanner, the Favorites Editor needs to be opened and a Favorites folder needs to be opened.

1. Go to the **Menu** --> **Favorites Editor**.
2. If an exiting Favorites list has been created before: Go to the **Favorites Editor Menu** --> **Open** then navigate to the folder, then select the file, and click the OK button.
3. If creating a new Favorites list: Go to the **Favorites Editor Menu** --> **New** then navigate to the folder, type in a file name, and click the OK button.

Opening a Database File with the Database Editor

Applies to the BC125AT, BCD160DN & BCD260DN Scanners.

1. Go to the **Menu** --> **Database Editor**.
 2. If an exiting Database has been created before: Go to the **Database Editor Menu** --> **Open** then navigate to the folder, then select the file, and click the OK button.
 3. If creating a new Database: Go to the **Database Editor Menu** --> **New** then navigate to the folder, type in a file name, and click the OK button.
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Audio Setup

Audio from a sound card is used for the Recorders, Source Client, Web Server, and Remote Scanner Over IP features.

Steps

1. Go to the **Audio Control** tab then the Recorders, Source Client, Web Server, or Remote Scanner Over IP tab.
2. Select the **Input Sound Device**. In most cases, this will be the Primary Sound Device which is the 1st item in the selection.
3. Select the **Mode** Mono or Stereo. It's recommended when streaming to the public, the mode should be mono.
4. Select the **Format** WAV or MP3. Choice may not appear depending on the type of service.
5. Select the **Samples Per Second**. A higher number will give better quality but uses more bandwidth. It's recommended that this setting be kept at the default setting of 22050.
6. Select the **MP3 Bitrate**. A higher number will give better quality but uses more bandwidth. It's recommended that this setting be kept at the default setting of 16 (mono) or 32 (stereo).

Listening With The Computer Speakers

1. Go to **Audio Control** --> **Monitor & Test** tab.
2. Click the **Capture Audio Service** combo box and choose one of the audio services using.
3. Click the **Loopback** control.

Notes

- Use a stereo audio cable with 1/8 inch connectors on both ends. Connect the audio cable from the scanner Tape Out / Speaker / Headphone jack to the computer sound card Line In (light blue) or Mic (pink) jack.
- If using the Source Client feature with the Server Type set to Broadcastify then the Samples Per Second is fixed at 22050 and the MP3 Bitrate is fixed at 16 (mono) / 32 (stereo).

For reference, see the excellent article [Connecting Radios to Soundcards](#).

Audio Level Adjustment Procedure

- Start with the ProScan input level controls. Turn up the connected input (left or right) to 100% and turn down the non-connected input to 0%.
- Click the **Windows Mixer** button and go to the Recording side, not the Playback side. Ensure that the input is enabled and set to 100%. If using a microphone input, then the level control should be turned way down to minimize distortion.
- Tune the scanner to a constant channel such as weather or a control channel frequency. Turn the scanner volume up until you hear distortion and back off about 10%.
- The audio is set up correctly when the level indicators changes with the audio level. If it doesn't change then check the Windows Mixer controls and cables.

BCD536HP Wi-Fi Dongle / SDS200 Ethernet Audio Setup

1. Ensure the **Scanner Type** is set to BCD536HP or SDS200.
2. Go to the **Audio Control** tab.

3. Click the Recorders, Source Client, etc... Depending on the type of audio using.
4. Click the Input Sound Device combobox.
5. Choose **URL**.
6. Click the URL Setup button.
7. Enter the IP address of the scanner. Example: --> **rtsp://192.168.1.5/au:scanner.au** The IP address will be different in your environment.
8. Click the Reconnect button.
9. If successful, "TCP Not Connected" and "UDP Not Connected" messages should disappear and "Bytes RX" increment.

- **Wi-Fi / Ethernet Audio Gain 15 dB option - It's recommended to turn this option on.** The audio from the scanner is low and this will increase the level to normal range.

Running Multiples Instances Of ProScan

Multiple instances of ProScan can run on the same computer simultaneously depending on resources available such as Comm. Ports and Sound Cards. Each instance of ProScan must be in its own folder for the options to be unique for each instance.

Steps

1. Create a new folder and copy the contents from an existing ProScan folder to the new folder.
2. Create a desktop shortcut, if desired.
3. Run ProScan from the new folder and change any options such as Scanner Type, Comm. Port, Recording Location, History Log Location, etc....

History Logging

The History Logging feature logs all the radio activity. The logging will start when there is activity (squellch breaks in conventional mode or there is talk group activity in trunking mode).

History Grid reordering and resizing Columns

- To change the order of any column, hold down the mouse button while the mouse is over a column header and drag to the desired position.
- To change the size of a column, move the mouse cursor between any column headers where there is a vertical line (column separator); the cursor should change to a horizontal line with arrows on each end, then hold down the mouse button and drag the mouse to the desired size.

History Logging Tab Options

Count: 69
Selected: 0

Each Transmission New Row

Most Recent First Row ▾

Select All Rows

Reverse Selected Rows

Find From DB & Select Rows

Find & Select / Replace Rows

Copy / Move Selected Rows To Database or Other File

Delete Selected Rows

Delete All Rows

Reset Hit Counter

Copy History Grid To "History Grid Log.txt" File

Tips:
Columns width and order can be changed by dragging the mouse over column headers

Right click with mouse to copy the selected rows to the Win Clipboard

- **Each Transmission New Row** - If checked scanner activity will log to a new row, otherwise existing rows will updated.
- **Most Recent...**
 - **Most Recent At Top** - Active row will show at top.
 - **Most Recent In View** - Active row will scroll into view.
 - **Most Recent At Bottom** - Active row will show at bottom

Logging Options located in the Menu --> Options --> Logging

Options

Startup General **Logging** Recorders Scanner Specific Recording Text Tags

History Grid

Wait For Tones Conventional Channels - 5 Sec. Time Out (DMA) or 20 Sec. Time Out (Non-DMA)

Delete < Seconds Entries From Grid

Logging To "History Log.txt" File

Grid Auto Delete

New Entries Auto Sort - Based On Last Column Sorted Indicated By Sort Glyph In Column Header
'Active Row At Top' & 'Active Row At Bottom' Options Overrides This Option

UID Column

RSSI - Checked Uses S-Meter Bars, Uncheck Use PWR Or SG Protocol Command

Disable Grid Logging

Reset Hit Counter At Midnight

FTO Grid

Grid Auto Delete

New Entries Auto Sort - Based On Last Column Sorted Indicated By Sort Glyph In Column Header
'Active Row At Top' & 'Active Row At Bottom' Options Overrides This Option

Disable Grid Logging

Reset Hit Counter At Midnight

Webhook

Send Data As HTTP POST JSON To

Example: http://myserver/read_json

All Logging: History, FTO, Recorder, & UID Recorder

[Same Functions On The Logging \(History, UID, & FTO\), & Recorder Tabs](#)

Copy History Grid To "History Grid Log.txt" File Each Hour

Copy UID Recorder Grid To "UID Grid Log.txt" File Each Hour

Copy FTO Grid To "FTO Grid Log.txt" File Each Hour

Copy Recorder Grid To "Recorder Grid Log.txt" File Each Hour

Delimiter

Custom

Don't Pad With Trailing Spaces

- **Wait For Tones Conventional Channels – 5 Sec. Time Out (DMA) or 20 Sec. Time Out (Non-DMA)** - When a transmission is received, this option will match the tone along with the frequency in the logging grid and so the exiting row will update. The CTCSS/DCS tones arrives after the transmission starts due to the scanner tone detection time. DMA scanners improved the detection time.
- **Delete < 2 Seconds History Log Entries From Grid** - This will delete any transmission with a duration lasting less than 2 seconds from the grid.
- **Logging To "History Log.txt" File** - Check this if you want the activity log written to a file. The file is written when the transmission ends. Click the "History File Location" button to change the file location.
- **Logging Grid Auto Delete** - Selects the number of days before the row will be deleted if past the selected time. Select "Off" if you don't want rows to be deleted automatically.
- **New Entries Auto Sort - Based On Last Column Sorted Indicated By Sort Glyph In Column Header** - New rows will automatically appear in the sort order.

FTO Logging

Fire Tone-Out(FTO) supported on the BCT15, BCT15X, BR330T, BC346XT, BC346XTC, BCD325P2, BCD396T, BCD396XT, BCD436HP, BCD536HP, BCD996T, BCD996XT, BCD996P2, SDS100, & SDS200 scanners scanners.

Scanner must be in Tone-Out Standby mode.

FTO Grid

History Logging	UID Logging	Fire Tone-Out Logging	Recorder	Database	Source Client	Web Server	Remote Scanner Over IP	Audio Control	Band Scope	C
Name	Frequency	Tone A	Tone B	Hits	Duration	Start Date / Time	End Date / Time			
Tone-Out 6	154.0250	378.0	321.7	1	00:00:03	07/08/16 09:59:18	07/08/16 09:59:22			
Tone-Out 10	154.0250	378.6	358.5	1	00:00:10	07/08/16 09:59:07	07/08/16 09:59:18			
Tone-Out 8	154.0250	378.1	497.2	1	00:00:02	07/08/16 09:59:04	07/08/16 09:59:06			
Tone-Out 7	154.0250	378.1	358.5	2	00:00:00	07/08/16 09:56:55	07/08/16 09:56:56			
Tone-Out 5	154.0250	378.0	497.3	2	00:00:03	07/08/16 09:56:50	07/08/16 09:56:55			
Tone-Out 2	154.0250	377.5	321.8	1	00:00:05	07/08/16 09:54:03	07/08/16 09:54:08			
Tone-Out 9	154.0250	378.2	421.6	3	00:00:29	07/08/16 09:51:14	07/08/16 09:59:04			

Columns

- **Name** - Tone-Out name programmed in the scanner.
- **Frequency** - Frequency programmed in the scanner.
- **Tone A** - Tone A programmed in the scanner or Tone A detected when FTO searching for tone.
- **Tone B** - Tone B programmed in the scanner or Tone B detected when FTO searching for tone.
- **Hits** - Hits from the "FTO Hits.txt" file.
- **Duration** - Total time of FTO.
- **Start Date / Time** - Time when FTO first logged.
- **End Date / Time** - Time when FTO last detected.

FTO Grid reordering and resizing Columns

- To change the order of any column, hold down the mouse button while the mouse is over a column header and drag to the desired position.
- To change the size of a column, move the mouse cursor between any column headers where there is a vertical line (column separator); the cursor should change to a horizontal line with arrows on each end, then hold down the mouse button and drag the mouse to the desired size.

FTO Logging Tab Options

Count: 0
Selected: 0
 Each FTO New Row

Most Recent Last Row ▾

Select All Rows

Reverse Selected Rows

Find & Select / Replace Rows

Copy / Move Selected Rows To Other File

Delete Selected Rows

Delete All Rows

Reset Hit Counter

Copy FTO Grid To "FTO Grid Log.txt" File

Tips:
Columns width and order can be changed by dragging the mouse over column headers
Right click with mouse to copy the selected rows to the Win Clipboard

- **Each FTO New Row** - If unchecked and a match is found, then the existing rows will update. If checked, then each FTO will log to a new row. A match is when the Name, Frequency, Tone A, and Tone B from the scanner matches a row in the FTO grid.
- **Most Recent...**
 - **Most Recent At Top** - Active row will show at top.
 - **Most Recent In View** - Active row will scroll into view.
 - **Most Recent At Bottom** - Active row will show at bottom

Copy / Move Selected Rows To Database or Other File

Copy / Move Selected FTO Rows

Selected FTO Rows

Copy

Move

Database Options

Starting Fire Tone-Out Grid Row

Caution: Existing data in Fire Tone-Out grid will be overwritten

Copy Selected FTO Rows To

Database

Other File

Other File Options

Append Overwrite

File: C:\Users\Bob\...\Projects\ProScan\bin\FTO Logging.txt

- **Database Options** - Copy or move FTOs to the open database.
 - **Starting Fire Tone-Out Grid Row** - The data will be copied to the Fire Tone-Out grid located in the Database - Fire Tone-Out tab. Select the first row where the data will be copied to.
- **Other File Options** - Copy or move all columns to the file selected.
 - **Append** - Appends.
 - **Overwrite** - Overwrite.

Audio Recorder

The Audio Recordings is a very powerful feature with many options to customize the way you want the recorder to work. It's capable of recording in WAV or MP3 format. The recorder can be triggered by the scanner activity, database lookup, or VOX (Voice Operated Relay).

Before turning on the Recorder, check the audio format options in the **Audio Control** --> **Recorders** tab. [See the Audio Setup section](#)

Recorder Controls



- **Recorder** - Click to toggle the recorder on & off. The red light on the button indicates that the recorder is on.
- **Play** - Select the rows or recordings for playback and click to start playback.
- **Stop** - Stops all playback.
- **Pause** - Pauses the playback.
- **Next** - When multiple rows or recordings are selected, this will playback the next recording.

Playback Steps

- Select one or more rows or recordings. To select a row, click the left mouse button on the far left column of the row. To select more than one row, hold the Ctrl key and left click another row. To select several rows in order, hold down the Shift key and left click the last row to be selected.
- Click Play. For Fast Forwarding or Reversing use the Left, Right, Home, and End keys or use the mouse to drag the green control to the desired position. The Next button starts the next playback that's selected.

Note The file names can be edited. First turn off the recorder, then double click the File name and start editing. The grid file name may change to a color other than white indicating the following:

Recorder Grid

File Name	Save	Talk Group ID	Frequency	Tone
08-02-12 14-13-25 - Primary - 9-ONTPD-4.mp3	<input type="checkbox"/>	4592	868.8875	
08-02-12 14-12-53 - Primary - 9-ONTPD-7.mp3	<input type="checkbox"/>	5104	868.3625	
08-02-12 14-11-59 - Primary - 9-ONTPD-1.mp3	<input type="checkbox"/>	4208	867.6625	

Each row of the grid represents a recording. They may have various background colors

	Current Recording
	Current Recording Skip Silence - Silence Detected
	Last Recording
	Maximum Recording Time Exceeded
	Play Back Recording
	Non-Existing Recording In Folder

Recorder Tab Options

Count: 57
Selected: 0

Each Trans. New Row

Most Recent Last Row

Select All Rows

Reverse Selected Rows

Save All Rows

Un Save All Rows

Find & Select Rows

Delete Selected Rows

Copy Recorder Grid To "Recorder Grid Log.txt" File

Activity Skip Silence

Lookup Record Flag From Database

VOX

Tips:
Columns width and order can be changed by dragging the mouse over column headers

Right click with mouse to copy the selected rows to the Win Clipboard

Skip Silence Threshold

Level

16

- **Each Transmission New Row** - If unchecked and a match is found, then the existing recording will update with the new End Date / Time. If checked, then the recording will create a new row.
- **Most Recent...**
 - **Most Recent At Top** - Active row will show at top.
 - **Most Recent In View** - Active row will scroll into view.
 - **Most Recent At Bottom** - Active row will show at bottom
- **Activity** - The recorder will activate when there is activity (squellch breaks in conventional mode or there is talk group activity in trunking mode).
- **Skip Silence** - The recorder will not record if silence is detected in the In Activity mode.
- **Lookup Record Flag From Database** - Uses the recording flag in the database to determine if certain systems, frequencies, or talk groups should record. This option applies to mobile/base units only and not portables.
 - **Non-DMA Scanners** – If the scanner is in conventional search mode (Chain Search, Limit Search, Service Search, Weather Search), the recorder will turn on if the Radio Wide Settings record box is checked. If the scanner is in Trunking search mode, the recorder will turn on if the Trunk Bank Settings trunking type is set and the record box is checked. In the scanner scan modes, the recorder will turn on if the channel or talk group ID record box is checked.
 - **DMA Scanners** – The recorder will turn on if the scanner receives a Close Call or Quick Search and the general Search Option record is set. WX Scan will record if the Weather / FPS record is set. Service Search, Custom Search, and Tone Out will record if the record box is checked in the appropriate grid. Scanning systems, the system / group / channel record flag must be checked.
- **VOX** - An alternative recording mode that's not dependent on the scanner activity but depends on the audio level above the

VOX Threshold level.

- **Skip Silence Threshold** - For the Activity mode and when the Skip Silence option is on. Adjust the Skip Silence Threshold until the green light turns on when audio is present and off when no audio is present.
- **VOX Threshold** - For the VOX mode. Adjust the VOX Threshold until the green light turns on when audio is present and off when no audio is present.
- **Green Light** - Illuminates when the audio is at the threshold adjustment.
- **Red Light** - Indicates that the audio is being recorded. The red light turns on when the green light turns on at the start of audio detection and turns off after a 1 second delay when audio is no longer present. This assures that no audio would be lost during the recording if there is an audio pause.

Recording Options located in the Menu --> Options --> Recording

Options

Start Up General Logging Recorders Scanner Specific Recording Text Tags

Recorders

Delete < Off ▼ Seconds From Grid And File

Append TO [Time] To Filename

Max. Recording Time None ▼

Recordings Auto Delete Days 0 ▼ Hours 0 ▼ 0:0 = Off

New Entries Auto Sort - Based On Last Column Sorted Indicated By Sort Glyph In Column Header

Recording Prepend Buffer Off ▼

Tone At Beginning Of Recording

Recording Files When Deleted Send To Recycle Bin (100 times slower when checked)

UID Recorder

Custom UID Recording Folders (See Custom Formatters) UID R

Example: %D\%S

Custom UID Filename Format (See Custom Formatters)

Example: %S - UID: %U1

Reset Hit Counter At Midnight

Recorder

Wait For Tones Conventional Channels - 5 Sec. Time Out (DMA) or 20 Sec. Time Out (Non-DMA)

UID Column UID Before Lookup ▼ Recordings Location

Custom Recording Folders (See Custom Formatters) - Except VOX Mode

Example: %D\%S

Custom Filename Format (See Custom Formatters) - Except VOX Mode

Example: Scanner#1 - %ST - %S - %C

Custom Formatters:

%ST = Scanner Type %DT = Date / Time %D = Date %TT = Time %H = Hour (24) %P = Port %DD = Day %M = Month (Number) %MM = Month (Name) %Y = Year (2 Digit) %YY = Year (4 Digit) %SC = Server & Client Status %AF1 = Application Folder (Full) %AF2 = Application Folder (Partial) %FA = Favorite Name %S = System Name %SI = Site Name %DE = Department Name	%C = Channel Name %FT = Freq / Talk Group ID %F = Frequency %T = Tone %TG = Talk Group ID %U1 = Unit ID Before Lookup %U2 = Unit ID After Lookup %U3 = Unit ID # %MD = Modulation %R = RSSI %TA = Tone-Out A %TB = Tone-Out B %AC = Alert Color %ST1 = Service Type %STC = Service Type Color
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Cancel Apply OK

- **Wait For Tones Conventional Channels – 5 Sec. Time Out (DMA) or 20 Sec. Time Out (Non-DMA)** - When a transmission is received, this option will match the tone along with the frequency in the file name.

The CTCSS/DCS tones arrives after the transmission starts due to the scanner tone detection time. DMA scanners have improved detection time. If the scanner is scanning with the tone specified then it is best to turn this option on.

- **Delete < 2 Seconds Log Entries** - This will delete any transmission with a duration lasting less than 2 seconds.
- **Append TO [Time] To Filename** - Appends time to the file name.
- **Maximum Recording Time** - Select the maximum time for a recording. After the time has been exceeded then a new recording will start.
- **Recording Grid Auto Delete** - Selects the number of days and hours before the recording will be deleted from the folder and the grid, if past the selected time. Select 0 Days and 0 Hours if you don't want the recordings to be deleted. Any recording that is checked 'Save' will not be deleted. Double click to toggle the check mark.
- **New Entries Auto Sort - Based On Last Column Sorted Indicated By Sort Glyph In Column Header** - Based On Last Column Sorted Indicated By Sort Glyph In Column Header - New recordings will automatically appear in the sort order.
- **Recording Prepend Buffer - Except VOX Mode** - Select the amount of time of buffered audio to add to a recording so the beginning of the transmission will not be missed.
- **Custom Recording Folders (See Formatters At Right) - Except VOX Mode** - Customize the folder name format with any information in the Custom Format section of the options window.
- **Custom Filename Format (See Formatters At Right) - Except VOX Mode** - Customize the file name format with any information in the Custom Format section of the options window.
- **Tone At Beginning Of Recording** - This is for testing during the development of ProScan. You may or may not find it useful.

UID (Unit ID) Logging / Recorder

The UID Logging / Recorder is supported on the following scanners:

DMA scanners: BCT15X, BC346XT, BC346XTC, BCD325P2, BCD396XT, BCD996XT, & BCD996P2

HP scanners: BCD436HP, BCD536HP, SDS100, SDS200, SDS100E, SDS200E, UBCD3600XLT, & USDS100

DMA scanners: For the scanner UID detection and the ProScan UID logging to work, the scanner **Display Unit ID** option must be on.

The UID Logger can log UIDs without recording audio. Go into the Options, Recorders tab then set the 'Logging Only' option in the UID Logging / Recorder section.

The screenshot shows the 'Options' window with the 'Recorders' tab selected. The 'UID Logging / Recorder' section is highlighted with a red box. The 'Logging Only' checkbox is checked, indicating that recordings will be hidden and no files will be created.

Options

Startup | General | Logging | **Recorders** | Scanner Specific | Recording Text Tags

Recorders

Delete < Seconds From Grid And File

Append TO [Time] To Filename

Max. Recording Time

Recordings Auto Delete Days Hours 0:0 = Off

New Entries Auto Sort - Based On Last Column Sorted Indicated By Sort Glyph In Column Header
'Active Row At Top' & 'Active Row At Bottom' Options Overrides This Option

Recording Prepend Buffer

Tone At Beginning Of Recording

UID Logging / Recorder

Custom UID Recording Folders (See Custom Formatters) **UID R**

Example: %D\%S

Custom UID Filename Format (See Custom Formatters)

Example: %S - UID: %U1

Reset Hit Counter At Midnight

Logging Only - Hide Recorder Controls and Logs Without Creating Files

The UID Audio Recordings operation is similar to the Audio Recorder. [See the Audio Recorder section](#) The difference is the UID Recorder uses the UID received from the scanner to trigger the recordings.

Before turning on the UID Recorder, check the audio format options in the **Audio Control** --> **Recorders** tab. [See the Audio Setup section](#)

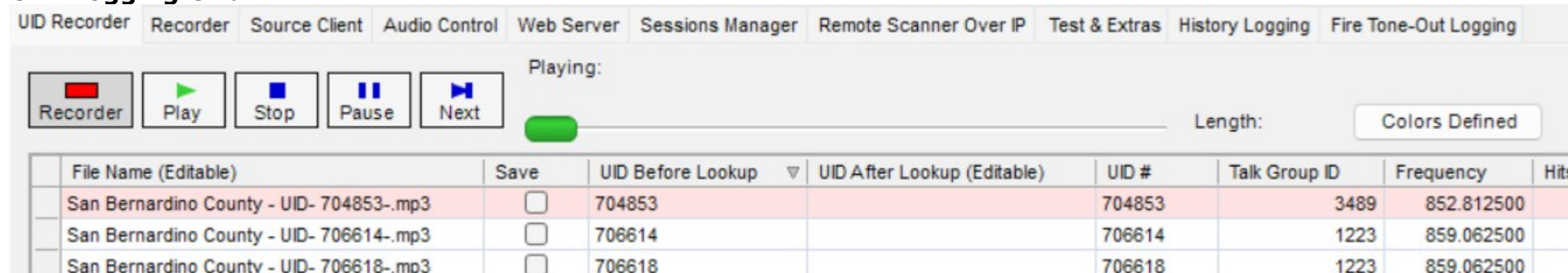
UID Text Tag Lookup File

This file is for logging UID text tags that are not programmed in the scanner or logging text tags longer than 15 characters. It may be beneficial that UIDs are not programmed in the scanner as they consume scanner resources and the scanner text tags are limited to 16 characters minus one for the "%" percent character. The UID Text Tag Lookup file is mainly used with the DMA scanners but can be used with the HP scanners.

Editing the UID Text Tag Lookup File

1. Click the **UID Lookup File** button. The button is located in the UID Logging tab. The default text editor associated with .txt files will open the **UID Lookup.txt** file.
2. See the notes and examples in the UID Lookup.txt file.
3. Close the editor when done.

UID Logging Grid



The screenshot shows the UID Logging Grid interface. At the top is a menu bar with tabs: UID Recorder, Recorder, Source Client, Audio Control, Web Server, Sessions Manager, Remote Scanner Over IP, Test & Extras, History Logging, and Fire Tone-Out Logging. Below the menu bar are playback controls: Recorder (red square), Play (green triangle), Stop (blue square), Pause (blue vertical bars), and Next (blue right arrow). To the right of these controls is a 'Playing:' indicator with a green progress bar and a 'Length:' label. Further right is a 'Colors Defined' button. Below the controls is a table with the following columns: File Name (Editable), Save, UID Before Lookup, UID After Lookup (Editable), UID #, Talk Group ID, Frequency, and Hits. The table contains three rows of data:

File Name (Editable)	Save	UID Before Lookup	UID After Lookup (Editable)	UID #	Talk Group ID	Frequency	Hits
San Bernardino County - UID- 704853-.mp3	<input type="checkbox"/>	704853		704853	3489	852.812500	
San Bernardino County - UID- 706614-.mp3	<input type="checkbox"/>	706614		706614	1223	859.062500	
San Bernardino County - UID- 706618-.mp3	<input type="checkbox"/>	706618		706618	1223	859.062500	

UID Logging columns

- **UID Before Lookup** - UID # or UID text tag from the scanner.
- **UID After Lookup (Editable)** - This shows text tags from the "UID Lookup.txt" file. Text can be entered in this column by double clicking the column cell. Useful when copying or moving UID rows to the database or "UID Lookup.txt" file.
- **UID Number** - HP scanners. The UID number from the scanner.
- **Hits** - Hits from the "UID Hits.txt" file.
- **Duration** - Total time of UID.
- **System / Site** - DMA scanners: Shows the site. HP scanners: Shows the system & site.
- **Start Date / Time** - Time when UID first logged.
- **End Date / Time** - Time when UID last detected.

UID Grid reordering and resizing Columns

- To change the order of any column, hold down the mouse button while the mouse is over a column header and drag to the desired position.
- To change the size of a column, move the mouse cursor between any column headers where there is a vertical line (column separator); the cursor should change to a horizontal line with arrows on each end, then hold down the mouse button and drag the mouse to the desired size.

UID Logging Tab Options

Count: 431 Skip Silence Threshold

Selected: 0

Each UID New Row

Most Recent First Row

Skip Silence

Tips:
Columns width and order can be changed by dragging the mouse over column headers
Right click with mouse to copy the selected rows to the Win Clipboard

- **Each UID New Row** - If unchecked and a match is found, then the existing rows will update. If checked then each UID will log to a new row.

- **Most Recent...**
 - **Most Recent At Top** - Active row will show at top.
 - **Most Recent In View** - Active row will scroll into view.
 - **Most Recent At Bottom** - Active row will show at bottom
- **Text Tag Lookup File** - Clicking this button will launch the default text editor associated with ".txt" files and open the "UID Lookup.txt" file.

Copy / Move Selected Rows To Database, UID Lookup, or Other File

Copy / Move Selected UID Rows

Selected UID Rows

Copy
 Move

Copy Selected UID Rows To

UID Lookup File
 Database
 Other File

Lookup File Options

Allow duplicate UIDs

Specify System Name with "SYSTEM=[System Name]"
DMA Scanners - Uses System Name for conventional systems and Site Name for trunking systems
HP & SDS Scanners - Uses System Name for conventional systems and trunking systems

Database Options

Choose system to import UIDs to - Trunk systems only
San Bern 700

UID Name

Prepend a "%" percent character to the UID Name
For ProScan to detect the TGID text tag as a UID text tag

Use "UID Before Lookup"
 Use "UID After Lookup" - If blank then use "UID Before Lookup"
 Use "UID After Lookup" - If blank then UID Name = "Unnamed UID"

UID

Allow duplicate UIDs

Prepend a lower case "I" to the UID
For the scanner to know it's a UID and not a TGID

Use "UID Before Lookup"
 Use "UID After Lookup" - If blank then use "UID Before Lookup"
 Use "UID After Lookup" - If blank then UID = "0"

Other File Options

Select File Append Overwrite

File: D:\temp4\bin\UID Logging.txt

Cancel OK

- **Lookup File Options** - Copy or move UIDs to the "UID Lookup.txt" file.
 - **Specify Site Name With "SITE=[Site name]"** - Appends SITE=My Site 1. For matching UIDs with sites in case of the same UID number or text tag on multiple systems for determining hits and if new rows.
- **Database Options** - Copy or move UIDs to the open database.
 - **Prepend a "%" percent character to the UID Name** - DMA scanners: For ProScan to detect the TGID text tag as a UID text tag.
 - **Use "UID Before Lookup"**
 - **Use "UID After Lookup" - If blank then use "UID Before Lookup" column.**

- Use "UID After Lookup" - If blank then use UID Name = Unnamed UID. These four options applies to DMA scanner only
- Prepend a lower case "i" to the UID - For the scanner to know it's a UID and not a TGID.
- Use "UID Before Lookup"
- Use "UID After Lookup" - If blank then use "UID Before Lookup"
- Use "UID After Lookup" - If blank then UID = 0
- Other File Options - Copy or move all columns to the file selected.
 - Append - Appends.
 - Overwrite - Overwrite.

Notes

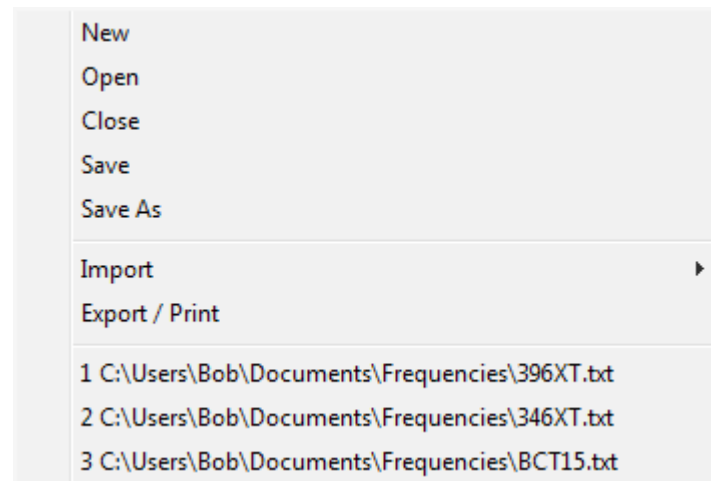
DMA scanners - Programming a UID in the scanner or in the ProScan database is just like programming a TGID channel except the TGID is prepended with a lower case "i". Upload to the scanner after making changes to the database.

HP scanners - Programming a UID in the scanner is done at the system level in Unit ID section. Write the favorites lists to the scanner after making changes to the favorites lists.

Non-DMA Database

For the BC250D, BC296D, BC780XLT, BC785D, and BC796D scanners.

Database Items located in the Menu --> Database



- **New** - Creates a new database file and opens the file.
- **Open** - Opens an existing database file.
- **Close** - Closes an opened database file.
- **Save** - Saves the data to the file.
- **Save As** - Saves the data to another file.

Database Import located in the Menu --> Database --> Import

ProScan Non DMA (BC796D, BC785D, BC780XLT, BC296D, BC250D)

RadioReference Web (Subscription Required)

Clipboard

- **ProScan Non-DMA (BC796D, BC785D, BC780XLT, BC296D, BC250D)** - Imports data from another ProScan database file. Choice of importing all or partial data.
- **RadioReference Web (Subscription Required)** - Imports data from the RadioReference Web Service.
- **Clipboard** - Imports frequencies from the windows clipboard. On a web page containing frequencies, select the items to import, then right click and copy.

Database Export located in the Menu --> Database --> Export

Export / Print

Show On Report

Header

Channels Starting Channel 1 Ending Channel 500

Scan Banks

Search Banks

Trunk Bank Settings Starting Trunk Bank 1 List 1 Item 1

Trunk List Ending Trunk Bank 10 List 10 Item 10

ProScan DB File

HTML File

CSV File

Print

Print Page Setup

Print Preview

Close

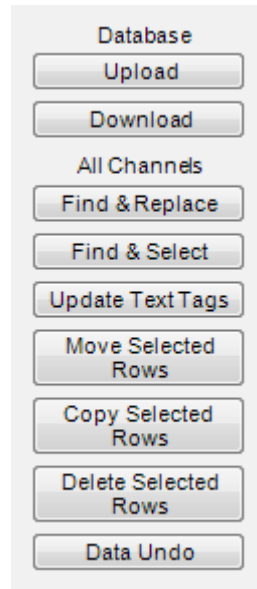
- **ProScan DB File** - Exports data to a new file. The file will be in the ProScan database format so it can be opened directly.
- **HTML File** - Exports data to a HTML file. This file can be viewed using a web browser.
- **CSV File** - Exports data to a CSV (Comma Separated Values) File. This file can be viewed using a text editor or a spreadsheet program.
- **Print** - Prints the database.
- **Print Page Setup** - Check the setup for margins, landscape, etc... before printing.
- **Print Preview** - View how the printed page will look like before printing.

Notes

- An opened database will show the file name at the bottom in the Status Bar.
- ProScan database files uses file extensions of .xml.
- An extra 100 channels is added to the database for the bank 11 scratch pad.
- If the scanner type is only 500 channels and you attempt to open a 1000 channel database, then a message will appear advising you to create a new database and import from the original database.
- Once data is in the database from downloading, manual entry, or importing, the database must be saved to prevent loss of data.
- A database file can open automatically when the program starts. Go to the Menu --> Options --> Start-up. Check the "Load Database" box.
- Rows are defined as the horizontal components on the grids.
- Columns are defined as the vertical components of the grids.
- When a row is moved or deleted, the actual row is not deleted, only the data is deleted and defaults are created.

Example - Frequency column will show "0000.0000".

These Database operations buttons are located in the Database tab on the right side.



- **Upload** - Uploads data to the scanner from an open database.
- **Download** - Downloads data from the scanner to an opened database.
- **Find & Replace** - Replaces data specified in the Find field. On Text Tags columns, operation will replace only the data in the Find field. It doesn't need to be a complete match. All other fields, the Find field will look for a complete match to replace data. Text is case sensitive.
- **Find & Select** - Selects or highlights the row meeting the criteria off the Find field. All fields require an exact match. Text is not case sensitive.
- **Move Selected Rows** - Before moving row(s), click the left most column (gray area) of the desired row. This will select the row(s) (except Scan Banks). Find & Select will also select the row(s). Enter the desired Starting Channel, Search Bank, or Trunk Bank depending on the grid that is displayed. The rows moving data from will be deleted.
- **Copy Selected Rows** - Same as Move Selected Rows except the row will not be deleted.
- **Delete Selected Rows** - Rows that are selected will be deleted.
- **Data Undo** - Any database changes can be set back to when the last database Save or Save As was done.

Trunk Bank Settings

These settings are located in the Trunk Bank Settings tab. The current settings that are programmed in the scanner, can be downloaded to the program for viewing. Once changes are made, then an Upload to the scanner should be performed. A bank can be uploaded or downloaded individually. The Trunking Type Setting should be set before the other settings because the Trunking Type determines the type of other settings and the appropriate types will become visible depending on the Trunk Bank Settings. If uploading EDACS Talk Group ID's in AFS format, then the Trunk Bank Settings for that bank must be set for EDACS first else the AFS ID will not be set

Scanner Settings

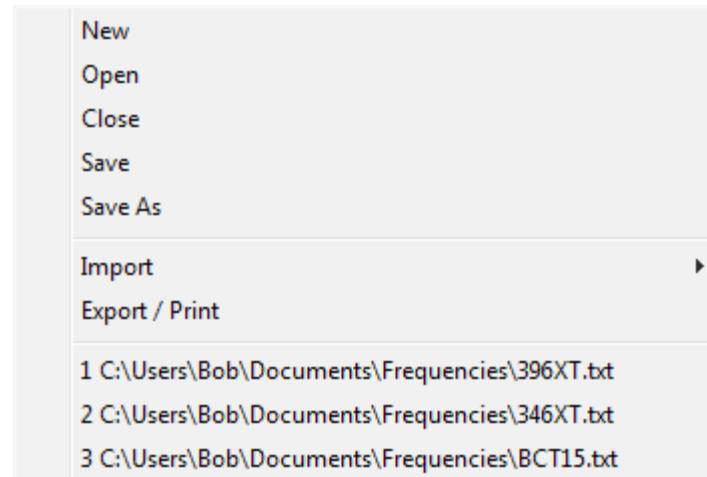
These settings are located in the Radio Wide Settings Tab. Any changes made are automatically uploaded to the scanner with the exception of the FIPS Codes that need to be uploaded manually.

DMA Database

For the BCT15, BCT15X, BR330T, BC346XT, BC346XTC, BCD325P2, BCD396T, BCD396XT, BCD996T, BCD996XT, and BCD996P2 scanners.

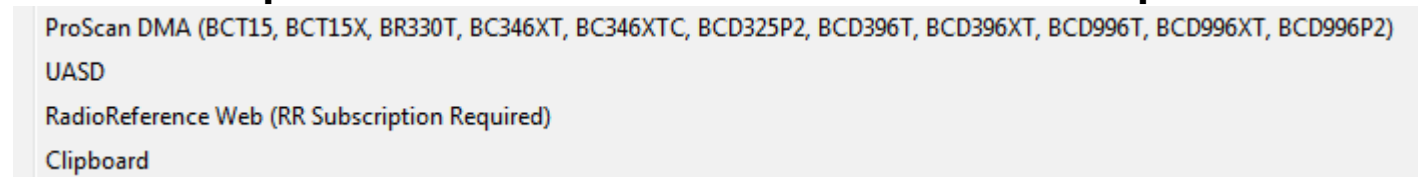
For the BCD436HP, BCD536HP, SDS100, & SDS200 scanners, the database is called the Favorites Editor. Ensure the scanner is in Mass Storage mode.

Database Items located in the Menu --> Database



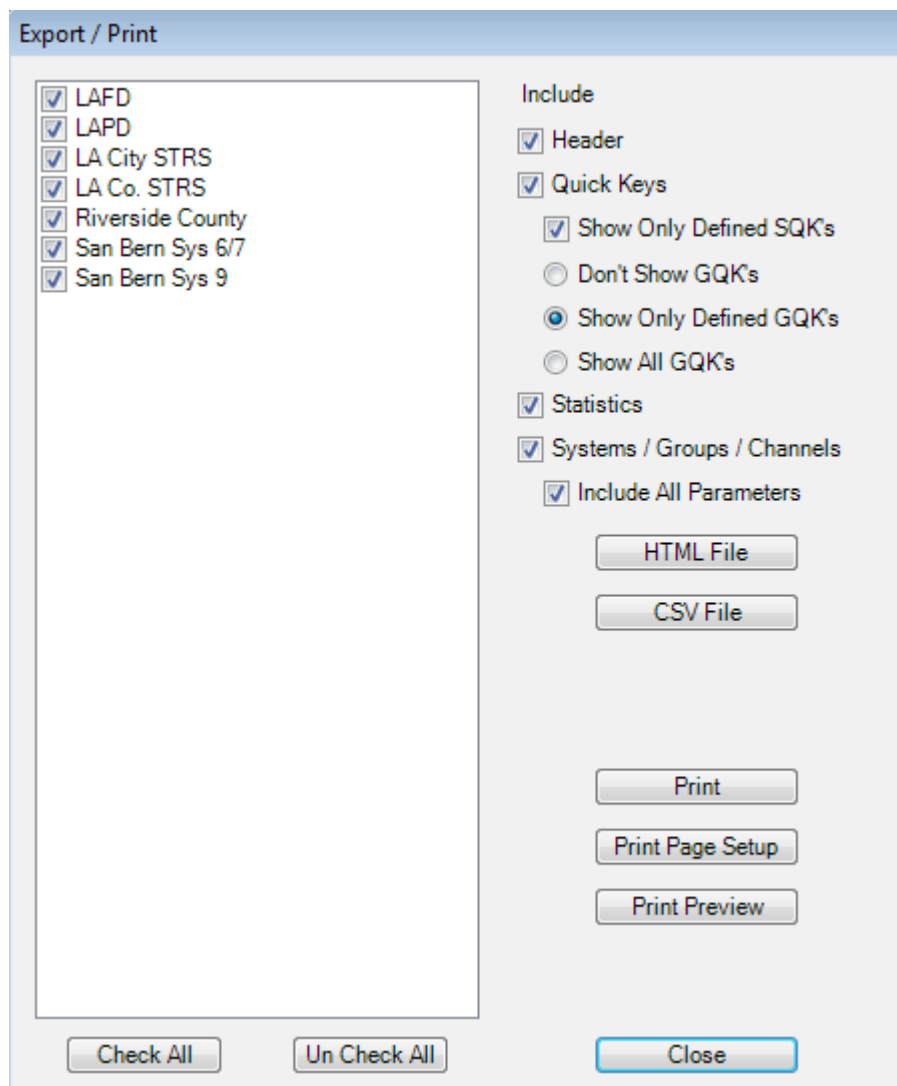
- **New** - Creates a new database file and opens the file.
- **Open** - Opens an existing database file.
- **Close** - Closes an opened database file.
- **Save** - Saves the data to the file.
- **Save As** - Saves the data to another file.

Database Import located in the Menu --> Database --> Import



- **ProScan DMA (BCT15, BCT15X, BR330T, BC346XT, BC346XTC, BCD325P2, BCD396T, BCD396XT, BCD996T, BCD996XT, BCD996P2)** - Imports data from another ProScan database file. Choice of importing all or partial data.
- **UASD** - Imports data from Uniden Advanced Scanner Director software.
- **RadioReference Web (Subscription Required)** - Imports data from the RadioReference Web Service.
- **Clipboard** - Imports frequencies from the windows clipboard. On a web page containing frequencies, press the control key and left mouse to highlight the selection, then right click and copy.

Database Export located in the Menu --> Database --> Export



- **HTML File** - Exports data to a HTML file. This file can be viewed using a web browser.
- **CSV File** - Exports data to a CSV (Comma Separated Values) File. This file can be viewed using a text editor or a spreadsheet program.
- **Print** - Prints the database.
- **Print Page Setup** - Check the setup for margins, landscape, etc... before printing.
- **Print Preview** - View how the printed page will look like before printing.

Notes

- An opened database will show the file name at the bottom in the Status Bar.
- ProScan DMA type database uses file extensions of .txt.
- Once data is in the database from downloading, manual entry, or importing, the database must be saved to prevent loss of data.
- A database file can open automatically when the program starts. Go to the **Menu** --> **Options** --> **Start Up** tab. Check the "Load Database" box.
- Rows are defined as the horizontal components on the grids.
- Columns are defined as the vertical components of the grids.
- After an upload, if any errors show in the Error then a text file is created **Upload Errors.txt**. Read it for the reason, the most common reason is the scanner out of resources due to too many systems, groups, or channels for the scanner.

Treeview

The Treeview is the object to the left in the **Database Tab** --> **Systems** . The treeview displays the system, group, and

channel names on the left side. The system type is displayed in the middle. The SQK is the System/Site quick key. On trunking systems, the lowest SQK number is displayed at the system level. The Freq's show the number of frequencies contained in the system. TGID's show the number of Talk Groups contained in the system.

Multiselecting Treeview Nodes

To select multiple treeview nodes, click the first node with the mouse then hold down the Control key and select the next nodes. Only the same type of nodes can be selected at the same time such as Systems, Groups, Conventional frequencies, and trunking frequencies.

Multi Selecting Treeview Nodes are for

- Drag & Drop or Copy & Paste to other systems, groups, other ProScan instances.
- Deleting multiple nodes in one operation.
- Updating TextTags.

The Nodes in the Treeview can be dragged with the Mouse or Copy & Paste. When dragging, the nodes can be moved or copied. To Move, select the nodes with the mouse and left click the mouse button and drag them to desired location. To Copy, right click the mouse and drag them to location. The nodes can also be copied to other instances of ProScan.

Source Client

The Source Client feature streams real time audio to Broadcastify, IceCast, and Shoutcast servers. Source Client can replace Edcast/Oddcast and SimpleCast types of programs. If you are a Broadcastify stream provider then the Source Client can be configured automatically.

Before connecting the Source Client, check the audio format options in the **Audio Control** --> **Source Client** tab. [See the Audio Setup section](#)

If streaming Text Tags then the Metadata Source must be set up. [See the Metadata section](#)

Source Client Setup

Logging	Recorder	Database	Source Client	Web Server	Remote Scanner Over IP	Audio Control	Band Scope	C-CH Output	Sessions Manager	Test
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Source Client Configuration

Server Type

Genre

Server IP Address or Name
 Website URL

Server Port
 Auto Reconnect (10 Sec.)

Mount
 Lock Out ■

Password

Stream Name (Optional)

Status Log

Time	Messages

Current Listeners Up Time Bytes TX BCFY Feed ID

Peak Listeners Bytes RX

Data: Aerojet - Ontario - 9-Oto Util - 3568 - 867.6125 - -

Configuring The Source Client Manually

- **Server Type** - Select the server type that you attend to stream the audio to: Broadcastify, Icecast2, or Shoutcast.
- **Broadcastify Auto Configuration** - This button will be hidden unless the server type is set as Broadcastify.
- **Server IP Address or Name** - Enter the IP address or name of the server. Broadcastify provides this info if streaming to RadioReference.com.
- **Server Port** - Enter the port number of the server. Broadcastify provides this info if streaming to RR.
- **Mount** - Enter the mount name configured in the IceCast setup. Broadcastify provides this info if streaming to RadioReference.com. Supplied by Broadcastify.
- **Password** - Enter the password configured in the IceCast setup. Broadcastify provides this info if streaming to RadioReference.com. Supplied by Broadcastify.
- **Stream Name** - Any title of your choosing. This will show on the IceCast web page.
- **Stream Description** - Any description of your choosing. This will show on the IceCast web page.
- **Genre** - Choose a genre from the drop down.
- **Website URL** - Any website URL of your choosing. This will show on the IceCast web page.
- **Auto Reconnect** - If the connection from the Source Client to the server is interrupted then this option will try to reconnect at 10 second intervals.
- **Broadcast Lockout** - Click this button and enter frequencies (conventional) and talk group ID's. The red light will illuminate when the scanner is on a lockout frequency or TGID and will not stream the audio..
- **Connect** - Click the Connect button. A successful connection is indicated with an entry to the Status Logging grid
Source Client Connected.

Broadcastify Automatic Configuration

Select Broadcastify as the server type.

Click the Broadcastify Auto Configure button. A dialog will appear as shown.

Broadcastify Auto Configure

Login User Name <input type="text" value="proscan"/> Password <input type="password" value="****"/> RR Subscription Status <input type="text" value="Expires Never - Feed Provider"/> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Remember Me		Description <input type="text" value="San Bernardino County System 9 - West End Police, Fire and EMS"/>
Host Name <input type="text" value="audio1.radioreference.com"/>	Port <input type="text" value="80"/>	
Mount <input type="text" value="/ca_sanbernardino"/>		
Feed ID <input type="text" value="989"/>	Password <input type="password" value="*****"/>	

- Enter your Broadcastify User Name and Password.
- Optionally check the Remember Me box.
- Click the Connect button. If the RR login is correct then you will see the boxes populate with data.
- If you have more than one feed associated with your RR User Name, then the Description will show all your feeds. Select the feed to stream.
- Click the Set button.
- Click the Close button.
- **Genre** - Any genre of your choosing.
- **Website URL** - Any website URL of your choosing. This will show on the IceCast web page.
- **Auto Reconnect** - If the connection from the Source Client to the server is interrupted then this option will try to reconnect at 10 second intervals.
- **Broadcast Lockout** - Click this button and enter frequencies (conventional) and talk group ID's. The red light will illuminate when the scanner is on the freq or TGID and will not stream the audio.
- **Connect** - Click the Connect button. A successful connection is indicated with an entry to the Status Logging grid **Source Client Connected**.

Troubleshooting Intermittent Connections

Intermittent connections could be caused by your computer, NIC card, cables, router, ISP, far end, etc. It has been suggested by a few users to use a tool called [PingPlotter](#) to isolate where the problem is.

Ensure you're not using AVG Anti-Virus software as that will interrupt TCP traffic.

If using the BCD536HP Wi-Fi, click the URL Audio Setup button and see if excessive Packet Loss shows in the dialog. Wi-Fi interference or a flaky Dongle could cause excessive packet loss. Move the dongle and scanner to another location to see if the packet loss decreases.

These links may be helpful.

[BCD536HP WI-FI dropping issue](#)

[Feed keeps dropping out](#)

[Connection Issues](#)

Web Server

The Web Server is a server that doesn't require an external server. The Web Server can serve an Audio Stream, Virtual Scanner (Monitor or Control Mode), and Folders / Files. Metadata (text tags) is embedded in the audio and supported Media Players will display the Metadata.

Before starting the Web Server, the following needs to be setup:

- Configure the audio in the **Audio Control** --> **Web Server** tab. [See the Audio Setup section.](#)
- Set the passwords in the Password tab. [See the Password Logic section.](#)
- Optionally configure the metadata (or text tags) to be streamed. [See the Metadata section.](#)
- Optionally set up the Secure mode in the Secure (HTTPS) tab. [See the Secure Mode Setup section.](#)
- Optionally set up the Publish Server info in the Publish Server tab. [See the Publish Server Setup section.](#)

Remote Control

Log in as "Serve Scanner Control Mode" or "Super User". The virtual scanner will show and the keypad is fully functional.

Steps

- **Get the Web Server to work locally.**

1. In the Web Server Server Port box, choose a port number from 1 to 65535.
2. Start the Web Server. If the port is in use then a message will appear, advising to use another port.
3. If your computer has a firewall running, ProScan must be added to the firewall exception list. The firewall software may show a prompt asking for your permission to allow ProScan in the exemption list.
4. Using your favorite web browser, in the URL area, put in the computer address followed by a colon and port number. Example 192.168.1.4:5000

If the browser fails to connect with the Web Server, troubleshoot before continuing.

- **Get the Web Server to work remotely.**

1. Configure your router to allow incoming TCP connections. Log in to the router and look for a section called Port Forwarding, NAT, Applications, or Port Routing. Consult your router manual. Enter 1) server port number, 2) TCP (or TCP and UDP), 3) the computer IP address of the computer running the server.
2. Using your favorite web browser, in the URL area, put in the outside address followed by a colon and port number. Example 71.165.76.211:5000

If the browser fails to connect with the Web Server, troubleshoot before continuing.

- **Use a free DNS service.** For those with a dynamic IP address, it may change periodically. It's recommended that you use a free DNS service such as noip.com so you can choose a name that never will change.

1. Using your favorite web browser, in the URL area, put in the no ip address followed by a colon character and port number. Example proscan.dyndns.org:5000

Web Server Configuration

History Logging	UID Logging	Fire Tone-Out Logging	Recorder	Source Client	Web Server	Remote Scanner Over IP	Audio Control	Sessions Manager	Test & Extras
Main	Publish Server	Passwords	Secure (HTTPS)	Client Connections	Status Log				
Server Port:	Maximum Connections	Stream Name (Part Of URL)	Web Page Header	Stream Description					
5000	20	stream	Bob's Web Server	San Bern Co Sys 9					
Home Page	Comments	Web Page HTML Head Title							
https://proscan.org	Home of ProScan & RadioFeed	ProScan Web Page							
Serve Folder Location	Clear Serve Folder Location	Start							
Current Listeners	Bytes TX	Get My IP	Local IPv4						
0	0		192.168.4.22						
Peak Listeners	Bytes RX		Outside						
1	0		12.345.678.90						
Reset Peak Listeners	Up Time	Local IPv6							
	00:00:00	fe12::34ad:f567:8901:1913 %4							
Broadcast L/O	Lock Out								
	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>								
Metadata Source									

- **Server Port** - Select any port 1 to 65535. Don't choose port 80 as many ISPs block that port for incoming traffic.
- **Maximum Connections** - Limits the number of Media Players that will be allowed to connect simultaneously. -1 will allow unlimited connections.
- **Web Page Title** - This text will appear on the home page.
- **Stream Description** - This text will appear on the home page.
- **Home Page** - This text will appear on the home page.
- **Comments** - This text will appear on the home page.
- **Stream Name** - This text will be part of the URL. Example: proscan.dyndns.org/stream.
- **Web Page Update Interval** - The update interval of the web page served showing Current Listeners, media players on-line, etc... It will use bandwidth so if it's a problem, set to **Off..**
- **Broadcast Lockout** - Click this button and enter frequencies (conventional) and talk group ID's. The red light will illuminate when the scanner is on a lockout frequency or TGID and will not stream the audio.
- **Serve Passwords** - See **Web Server Password Logic** below.
- **Start** - Click the Start button. Check the status log for errors. If **Port In Use** message appears, then select another port.

Web Server Password Logic

Serve Audio Stream and Audio Players on Web Page

No Audio Stream Password Entered

OR

Logged In Serve Audio Stream

OR

No Serve Scanner Monitor Mode Password Entered Along With No Audio Stream Password Entered

OR

Logged In Serve Scanner Monitor Mode

OR

Logged In Serve Scanner Control Mode

OR

Logged In Super User

Serve Virtual Scanner

No Serve Scanner Monitor Mode Password

OR

Logged In Serve Scanner Monitor Mode

OR

Logged In Serve Scanner Control Mode

OR

Logged In Super User

Serve Stream Description Box

Always If option "Always Serve Stream Description" is checked

OR

Logged In Serve Scanner Monitor Mode

OR

Logged In Serve Scanner Control Mode

OR

Logged In Super User

Serve Admin (Client Connections) Box

Logged In Super User

Secure Mode Setup

History Logging UID Logging Fire Tone-Out Logging Recorder Source Client Web Server Remote Scanner Over IP Audio Control Sessions Manager

Main Passwords **Secure (HTTPS)** Client Connections Status Log

Server Type
 Unsecure (HTTP)
 Secure (HTTPS)
 Redirect HTTP to HTTPS
Options will take affect when the server is restarted

Email Address
bob@proscan.org
For renewal notices

Domain
proscan10.ddns.net
Example: proscan.ddns.net
Domain must be reachable to be validated

Get a Let's Encrypt Certificate Renew a Let's Encrypt Certificate

The validation process uses port 80 This will not work if your ISP blocks port 80. This is rare, but some residential ISPs do this. Certificates are valid for 90 days. An email should be sent by Let's Encrypt before the expiration date to renew. The certification file 'letsencrypt.pfx' is placed in the application folder.

Certificate Details

Issuer	Domain	Valid	letsencrypt.org
R3	proscan10.ddns.net	True	

Valid Not Before: 04/03/21 10:35:54 Valid Not After: 07/02/21 10:35:54 Expires In: 90 days Refresh Certificate Details

Certificate 'letsencrypt.pfx' & Account Key 'letsencrypt.key' Files Location
C:\Users\bob\OneDrive\Documents\Visual Studio\Projects\ProScan\bin\

The server running in Secure mode will prevent the web browsers from showing not secure (in the URL area). It also encrypts the web traffic from the ProScan Web Server to the web browsers.

Steps To obtain a Let's Encrypt certificate.

- Use a service such as noip.com to obtain a domain name.

- Enter in your email address. This is for the Let's encrypt site sending admin and renewal notices.
- Enter in your domain name obtained from step 1. It must be a domain name and not in dotted decimal/IP address notation. It must be reachable for the Let's Encrypt validation process.
- Click the "Get a Let's Encrypt Certificate" button. If no error messages then the 'letsencrypt' certificate file will be automatically placed in the application folder. This will overwrite any other certificate named 'letsencrypt.pfx' in the application folder. Another file named letsencrypt.key is also placed in the application folder. It is used for renewing a certificate.
- That's it. Start the server then use your browser to access the Web Server. The URL box should indicate a secured connection as in the image below.

Alternative to the 'Get a Let's Encrypt Certificate' button

CERTBOT - <https://certbot.eff.org/>

- Start the Web Server using port 80.
- Download and install this utility: https://github.com/certbot/certbot/releases/latest/download/certbot-beta-installer-win_amd64_signed.exe
- Start the Command Prompt, run as administrator.
- Navigate to the Certbot\bin folder.
- Input the following: certbot certonly --webroot
- Input domain name. Example: proscan.ddns.net
- Input the webroot in the ProScan application folder. Example: C:\ProScan
- Copy the fullchain.pem and privkey.pem files from the \Certbot\live\[domain name] folder to the ProScan folder.
- In the Web Server, select Secure (HTTPS) and User Supplied.
- Restart the server using any port except port 80.



<https://proscan10.ddns.net:5001/>

When starting ProScan Web Server in the Secure mode, it will look for a certificate file named 'letsencrypt.pfx' in the ProScan application folder. If missing or expired then a message will appear and the web server will not start until corrected.

Renewing a Let's Encrypt certificate

Renew before the expiration date but not before 30 days from expiration date.

It's recommended to backup the certificate ('letsencrypt.pfx') and account key ('letsencrypt.key') files to another location.

Troubleshooting

To test if the Web Server can be seen from the outside, start the Web Server then go to canyouseeme.org. Enter the same port that you have in the Server Port box. If the web site does not see the Web Server, then that must be resolved first. Try connecting with the browser on the same computer with the Local IP address in the browser, If it does not work, that must be resolved. Enter in the outside IP address in the browser. If it does not work that must be resolved.

Notes

- Web Server works best with Chrome. If the Web Server page doesn't work correctly, try the latest version of your favorite browser.

- JavaScript should be enabled in the browser for some of the features of Web Server to work.
- The remote audio playback may have slight delay due to the Media Players built in buffering.
- URL can be directly entered in Media Players. If an audio stream is password protected, use this format. Example: **proscan.dyndns.org/stream mypassword**. On a few media players, spaces may not be allowed so use + in place of a space. Example: **proscan.dyndns.org/stream+mypassword**

Metadata Setup

The Metadata is for the Source Client and Web Server features. It is text embedded in the audio stream. Not all media players support Metadata. Windows Media Player does not support Metadata, WinAmp & iTunes do. Metadata can come from the scanner, another program (or another instance of ProScan), a file, or a program that puts descriptive information such as the channel name in the title / caption bar of that program.

Select the Source Client / Web Server tab and click the Metadata Source button.

Metadata Source

Metadata Source

Scanner Custom Format: Example: My Feed - %C %S = System / Site Name %F = Frequency
 Text To Show During Scanning: %G = Group Name %T = Tone
 Another Program - Caption (Selected In Grid Below) %C = Channel Name %TG = Talk Group ID
 File %FT = Freq / Talk Group ID %U = Unit / Radio ID
 None

Application Name	Caption	Folder
chrome	Bob's Web Page - Google Chrome	C:\Program Files (x86)\Google\Chrome\...
ProScan	ProScan WX Scan - 162.4500	C:\Scanner\ProScan 0\ProScan.exe
RadioFeed	RadioFeed Scanning	C:\Scanner\RadioFeed_2_1\RadioFee...
winamp	1. Scanning (San Bem. Sys 6) - Winamp	C:\Program Files (x86)\Winamp\winamp....
winamp	1. Scanning (San Bem. Sys 9) - Winamp	C:\Program Files (x86)\Winamp\winamp....

Metadata Options

- **Scanner** - Select this if you want the Metadata to come from the scanner. The scanner must be communicating with ProScan. [See the Communications Serial Port Setup section.](#)
 1. **Custom Format** - Custom Format - See below.
 2. **Text To Show During Scanning** - If checked then this text will appear when the scanner is scanning. If unchecked then the last transmission Metadata will appear.

- **Another Program** - Caption (Selected In Grid Below) - Select this if you want the Metadata to come from another program that's capable of putting channel information in the caption / title bar area such as another instance of ProScan.
 1. **Grid** - Click the grid row containing the program that you want the Metadata to come from.
- **File** - Select this If you want the Metadata to come from a file. All text in the file will stream.
 1. **Select File** - Click to choose a file.
- **None** - Disables Metadata from streaming.

Click the **OK** button when finished setting up the Metadata. The Metadata will show in both the Source Client and Web Server tabs next to the **Metadata Source** buttons.

Custom Format

The Metadata can be customized using the Custom Format Specifiers. See the Custom Format Specifiers in the top right area of the dialog. The Custom Format Specifiers may show differently depending on the type of scanner. An example: The Custom Format box contains the text **My City - %C- %TF** This will show as **My City - Montclair FD - 004240**.

Publish Server Setup

The Publish Server info is for listing your server in the [ProScan Web Servers Directory webpage](#)

The screenshot shows the 'Publish Server' tab of a software interface. It includes a checked checkbox for 'Publish Server', a text field for 'Published Server IP Addr. or Name' containing 'https://proscan10.ddns.net', a 'Get My IP' button, and a link to 'Web Servers Directory'. Below these are dropdown menus for 'Country' (US), 'State / Province' (California), and 'County / Region' (San Bernardino). At the bottom is a text field for 'Published Description' containing 'Testing - Scanning Full Database'.

The Publish Server box will publish when checked. Your server will show only when the Web Server is running. Don't enter your inside IP address as it's not reachable from the outside.

Remote Scanner Over IP

Remote Scanner Over IP or RSOIP is for Remote Control of the scanner including Downloading & Uploading the database, Logging, and Recording.

RSOIP Featured

- Unlimited servers and or clients can run on the same computer depending on the resources such as serial ports, memory, and bandwidth.
- Servers can accept unlimited amounts of clients depending on the bandwidth.
- Low latency data / audio streaming.
- Stream MP3 or G729 format.
- No external software needed.
- One port for both the data and audio.
- Server can send messages to clients.
- Server "Hot Event" messages to inform the listeners of anything of importance or specific activity (Pursuits, fire, etc...).
- Clients display real time published server list.
- Clients show the display as if you are at the scanner.
- Client audio recorder.
- Client history logging.
- Client proxy support.
- Status logging of connections.

RSOIP has two modes, Server and Client. The scanner side is the Server and the far location is the Client side. The client can connect in a monitor only mode or full control if the password is known.

Control Client

All scanner operations can be done remotely such as uploading & downloading, controlling scanner, adjusting volume and squelch (newer scanner models). A password is required for this mode.

Monitor Client

Monitor Clients can not control the scanner, only view and listen to the remote scanners. Password box should be blank.

Server Side Setup

- **Check the audio format options in the Audio Control --> Remote Scanner Over IP** tab. [See the Audio Setup section](#)
- **Get the Remote Scanner Over IP to work locally**
 1. In the Remote Scanner Over IP Server Port box, choose a port number from 1 to 65535
 2. Start the Remote Scanner Over IP Server. If the port is in use then a message will appear, advising to use another port.
 3. If your computer has a firewall running, ProScan must be added to the firewall exception list. The firewall software may show a prompt asking for your permission to allow ProScan in the exemption list.
 4. Try to connect from the client, in the Server IP Address or Name box, put in the computer address followed by a colon and port number. Example 192.168.1.4:5000

If the client fails to connect with the Remote Scanner Over IP server, troubleshoot before continuing.

- **Get the Remote Scanner Over IP to work remotely**
 1. Configure your router to allow incoming TCP connections. Log in to the router and look for a section called Port Forwarding, NAT, Applications, or Port Routing. Consult your router manual. Enter the server IP address and port number.
 2. Try to connect from the client, in the Server IP Address or Name box, put in the computer address followed by a colon and port number. Example: 71.165.76.211:5000

If the client fails to connect with the Remote Scanner Over IP server, troubleshoot before continuing.

- **Use a free DNS service** For those with a dynamic IP address, it may change periodically. It's recommended that you use a free DNS service like no-ip.com, or dynip.com where you can choose a name that never will change.
 1. Try to connect from the client, in the Server IP Address or Name box, put in the computer address followed by a colon and port number. Example proscan.dyndns.org:5000

Server Side Setup

Mode

Server Client

Server

Server Port: 5003 Password (Optional): ***

Maximum Connections: 20 For Control Clients Max Client Connect: 0 0 = Disabled 1 To 99 Days

Publish Server

Published Server IP Addr. or Name: proscan.dyndns.org

Country: US State / Province: California

County / Region: San Bernardino County

Published Description: Home of ProScan

- **Mode** - Select Server.
- **Start** - Click the Start button after all the configuration is completed. Check the status log for errors. If **Port In Use** message appears, then select another port.
- **Server Port** - Select any port 1 to 65535. Don't choose port 80 as many ISPs block that port for incoming traffic.
- **Password (Optional)** - If blank then all clients will connect as monitor clients. If this box contains a password then the clients can connect as Monitor or Control (if password is correct).
- **Maximum Connections** - Limits the number of Clients that will be allowed to connect simultaneously. -1 will allow unlimited connections.
- **Maximum Client Connect Days** - Determines the amount of time a client can stay connected. Enter 0 for an unlimited amount of days.
- **Get My IP** - This gets the numerical IP Address for publishing purposes and the client side must know this to connect.
- **Published Server** - Check this box for your listing to show on the Client side Published Servers list. If unchecked then your server can be used privately.
- **Published Server IP Address or Name** - Enter the numerical IP Address or a URL name. This will show on the Client side Published Servers list.
- **Published Description** - This will show in the Client side Published Servers list.
- **Country, State / Province, & County / Region** - This will show in the Client side Published Servers list.
- **Server Actions.**
 1. **Send Messages To All Clients** - Type a message in the message box and click on OK.
 2. **Send Messages To Clients** - Type a message in the message box, select the client address, and click on OK.
 3. **Disconnect Client** - This will disconnect a selected client.
 4. **Shutdown Server And Restart All Clients After X Minutes** - Select the time and click on OK.
 5. **Message** - Message to send.
- **Hot Event** - For published servers, if there's scanner activity that may be of interest. This sends an alert to all the RSOIP clients.

Notes

- For the clients to connect to the server, the clients need to know the server IP address or name. Click the "Get My IP" button will show your IP as seen from the outside world.

Server Troubleshooting To test if the RSOIP Server can be seen from the outside, start the RSOIP Server then go to canyouseeme.org. Enter the same port that you have in the Server Port box. If the website does not see the RSOIP Server then that must be resolved first.

Try using RSOIP in Client mode on the same computer as the Server and use the local IP address to narrow down the problem.

Client Side Setup

The screenshot shows the 'Client Side Setup' window. At the top, under 'Mode', there are two radio buttons: 'Server' (unselected) and 'Client' (selected). A 'Start' button is visible to the right. Below this is the 'Client' section. It contains a dropdown menu for 'Server IP Address or Name' with 'proscan.dyndns.org' selected. There are two input fields: 'Server Port' with '5000' and 'Password' with '****'. A checkbox for 'Proxy' is present, with the text 'None For Monitor Only' next to it. Below that is an empty input field for 'Proxy IP Address or Name'. Further down is another empty input field for 'Proxy Port:'. At the bottom, there are two checkboxes: 'Auto Restart' and 'Hot Event Audio Alert', both of which are currently unchecked.

- Mode** - Select Client.
- Start** - Click the Start button after all the configuration is completed. Check the status log for errors.
- Server IP Address or Name** - Enter the same port number as the Server.
- Password** - Enter the same password as the server to connect in Control Client mode otherwise it will connect in Monitor only mode.
- Proxy IP Address or Name** - If a proxy is on the client side then enter the proxy address found in the Windows Internet Options.
- Proxy Port** - If a proxy is on the client side then enter the proxy port found in the Windows Internet Options.
- Auto Restart** - Will restart the client and attempt to connect to the server one time if the connection breaks. Check this box if you experience disconnects. Some ISPs and Proxies are set up to detect streaming conditions and will disconnect the connection.
- Hot Event Audio Alert** - Sounds the audio alert when a Hot Event arrives.

Notes

The password for each server is controlled by the server operator.

A Hot Event will show in red on the grid and on the Status Logging box.

A message from the server will show in yellow on the Status Logging box.

The Status Logging box logs the state of connections on the server & client sides. This information is logged to a file named "Scanner Over IP Log.txt". Once this file reaches one megabyte in size, it will clear.

Tip Double click anywhere on a row in the grid and the boxes will fill in with the server information from the grid.

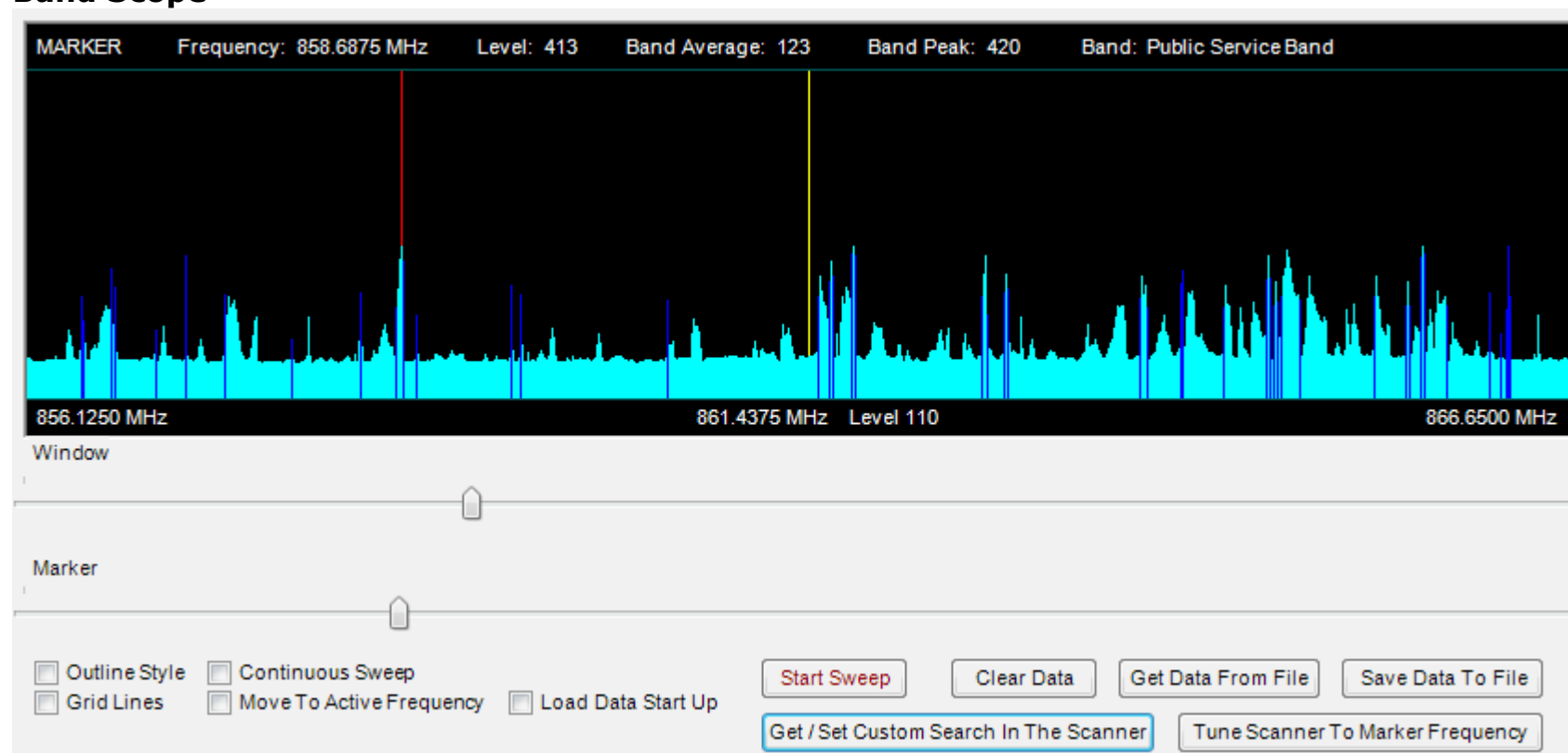
Band Scope

Band Scope is a tool that can check the antenna performance, coax quality, coverage areas, interference, etc.

Band Scope works with the BCT15, BCT15X, BC346XT, BC346XTC, BCD325P2, BCD396T, BCD396XT, BCD996T, BCD996XT, and BCD996P2 scanners

Note Ensure that your scanner has the latest firmware as the Band Scope was added to the Scanner Protocol depending on the scanner model.

Band Scope



All the colors (except the yellow center line) can be changed in the **Menu** --> **Options** --> **Scanner Specific** tab.

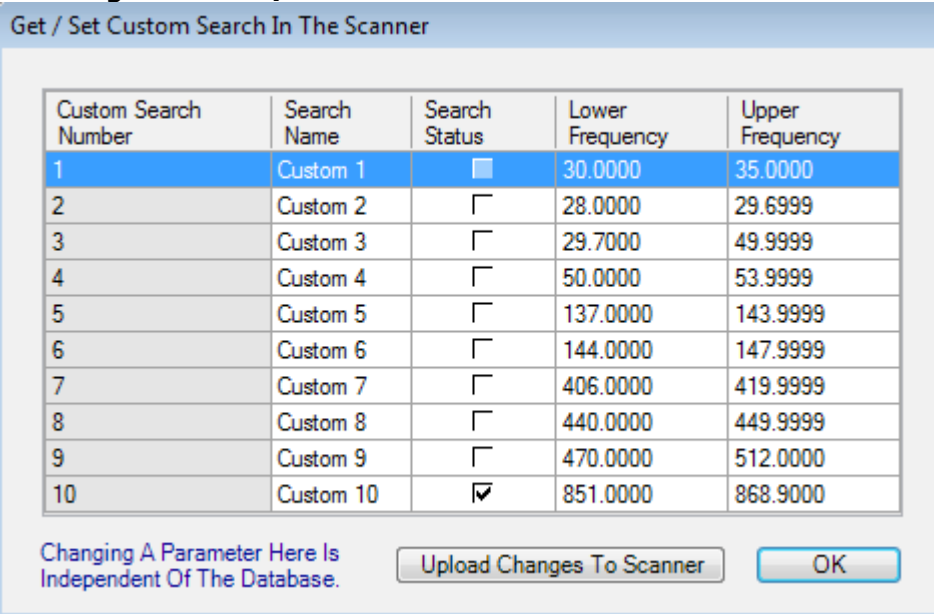
Options & Controls

- **Window** - Slider control moves a range of frequencies in view.
- **Marker** - Slider control moves the Marker vertical line. The text at the top of the window displays information of the data that the Marker is on.
- **Outline Styles** - Display style.

- **Grid Lines** - Display grid lines.
- **Continuous Sweep** - Will sweep continuous until turned off or a scanner key is pressed.
- **Move To Active Frequency** - The active frequency received will show in the center. A sweep must be performed first or data retrieved from the **Get Data From File**.
- **Load Data Start Up** - Program start will load the data.
- **Start Sweep** - Starts a new sweep.
- **Clear Data** - Clears the data from the screen. Save the data before performing this operation.
- **Get Data From File** - Loads data from file.
- **Save Data To File** - Saves displayed data to a file.
- **Get / Set Custom Search In The Scanner** - See below.
- **Tune Scanner To Marker Frequency** - Move the Marker to desired frequency and click this button.

Before starting the Band Scope, the Custom Search configuration in the scanner must be set. An easy way to get and change the configuration is to click the "Get / Set Custom Search In The Scanner" button. This retrieves data from the scanner.

Clicking the **Get / Set Custom Search In The Scanner** will show this dialog



Custom Search Number	Search Name	Search Status	Lower Frequency	Upper Frequency
1	Custom 1	<input type="checkbox"/>	30.0000	35.0000
2	Custom 2	<input type="checkbox"/>	28.0000	29.6999
3	Custom 3	<input type="checkbox"/>	29.7000	49.9999
4	Custom 4	<input type="checkbox"/>	50.0000	53.9999
5	Custom 5	<input type="checkbox"/>	137.0000	143.9999
6	Custom 6	<input type="checkbox"/>	144.0000	147.9999
7	Custom 7	<input type="checkbox"/>	406.0000	419.9999
8	Custom 8	<input type="checkbox"/>	440.0000	449.9999
9	Custom 9	<input type="checkbox"/>	470.0000	512.0000
10	Custom 10	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	851.0000	868.9000

Changing A Parameter Here Is Independent Of The Database.

Upload Changes To Scanner OK

Check or uncheck the Search Status box and change the Lower Frequency and Upper Frequency. When done, click the OK button to upload the new data to the scanner.

Note Making changes and clicking "OK" to upload will not be reflected in the ProScan database. You may want to download the configuration from the scanner to the database after this is done.

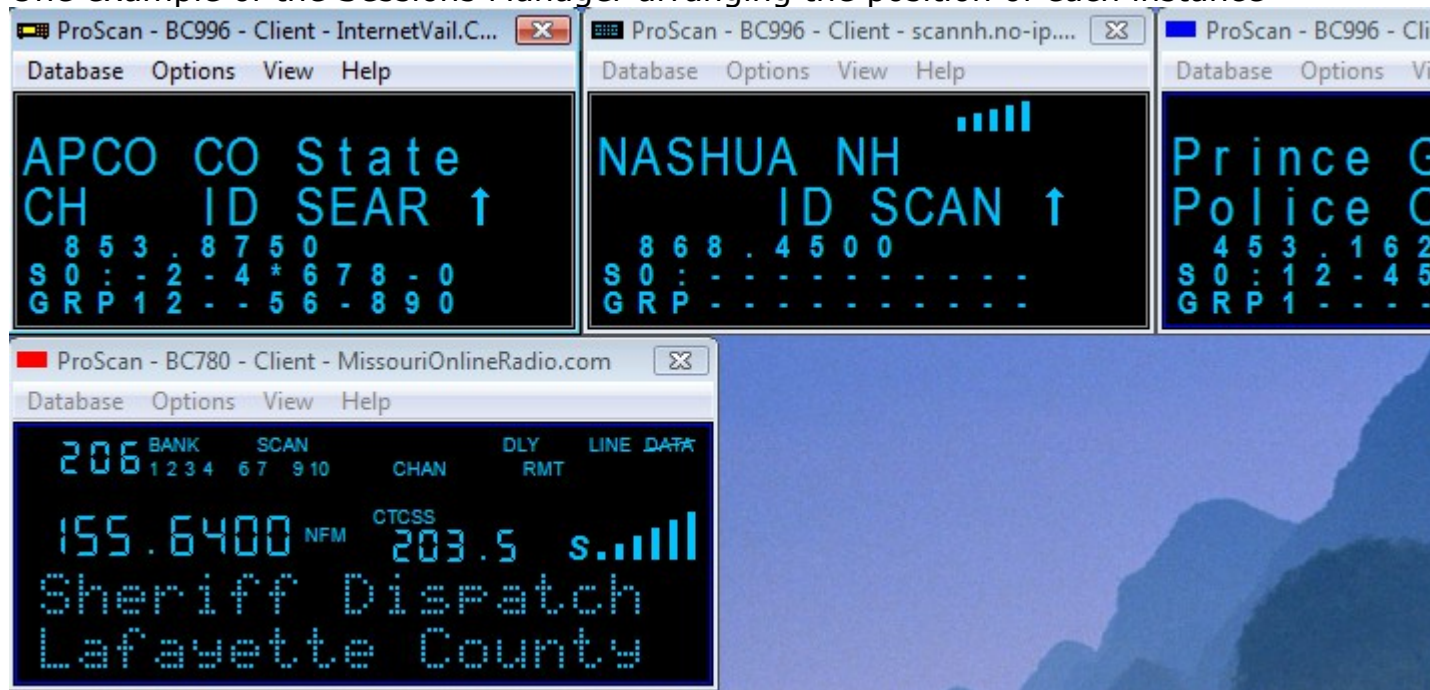
Click the start button and let the scanner go into action. Some of the bands are interesting. Sweep the bands from 25 MHz to 1300 MHz.

Sessions Manager

The Sessions Manager is useful when multiple instances of ProScan are running on the same computer.

Note An instance is defined as a running copy of ProScan on the same computer.

One example of the Sessions Manager arranging the position of each instance



Clicking the **Get Sessions** button will put all the instances of ProScan in this grid

Caption	Folder	Select
ProScan BCD346XT - Ontario PD	C:\Scanner\ProSca...	<input type="checkbox"/>
ProScan BCT15 - Montclair Fire	C:\Scanner\ProSca...	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
ProScan SOIP Client(Monitor): w1kfr.ham-radio-op.net - BCD996XT - -	C:\Scanner\ProSca...	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
ProScan BCD396XT - Ontario PD	C:\Scanner\ProSca...	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
ProScan BCD996XT - Upland PD	C:\Scanner\ProSca...	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>

The unchecked instance is where the "Get Sessions" was performed from. Check the instances that you want the operation to be performed on.

Get Sessions Operations

Position Left To Right
 Position Top To Bottom
 Normal Display
 Display Only
 Display Only (Borderless)
 Scanner Only
 Always On Top
 Not Always On Top

 Minimize
 Close
 Restart

The various operations are self explanatory. Before an operation is executed, click the "Get Sessions" button and all the instances will appear in the grid. Choose the operation and click the "Execute" button.

Test Tab

<pre>MDL,BC346XT STS,011000, ,,Remote Mode ,,Keypad Lock ,, ,, ,,0,1,0,0,,,0,,0 GLG,..... VOL,4 SQL,7 PWR,90,08548375</pre>	<p>Protocol Command</p> <input type="text" value="MDL"/> <input type="button" value="Send"/> <p>Scanner Response</p> <input type="text" value="MDL,BC346XT"/> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Virtual Display Test</p>
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Left side box is the data returned from the scanner after a normal poll from ProScan.

- **Protocol Command** - Enter any protocol command.
- **Send** - Click Send to send the protocol command to the scanner.
- **Display Test** - Turn on/off the virtual display test characters.

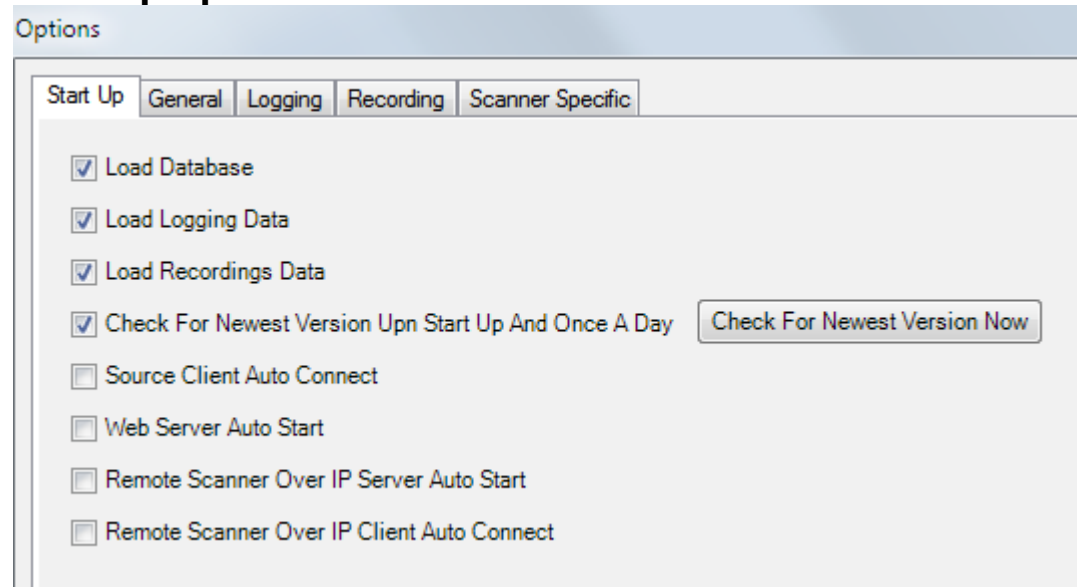
Options

Every option in the Options Menu is covered here.

The "Apply" and "OK" buttons differences are the "Apply" will save the options but not close the dialog box. The "OK" button will save the options and close the dialog box.

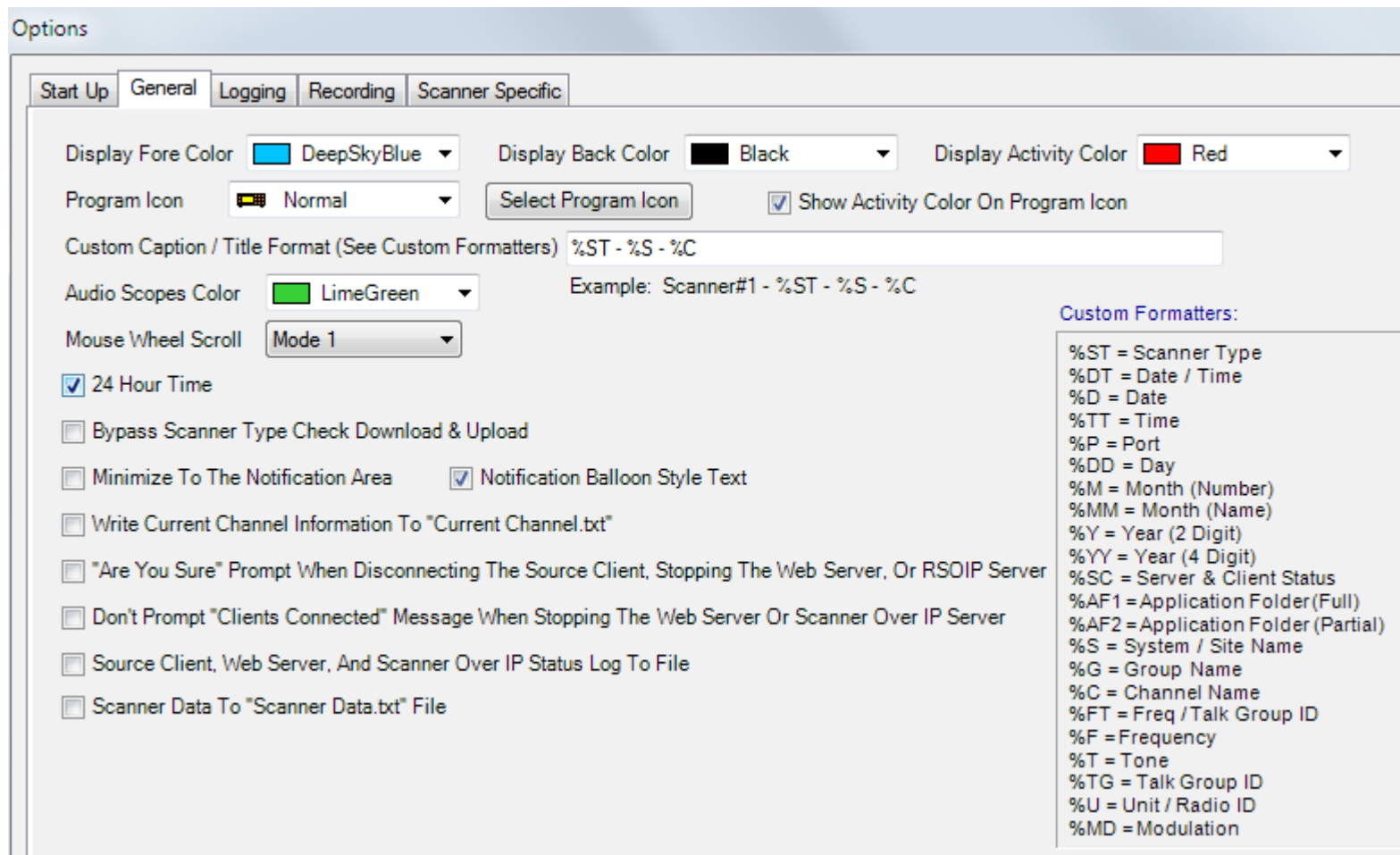
To get to the Options, Go to **Menu** --> **Options**.

Start Up Options



- **Load Database** - Check this if you want the last opened database to open when ProScan is started.
- **Load Logging Data** - Check this if you want the Logging data to fill the Logging grid when ProScan is started.
- **Load Recordings Data** - Check this if you want the Recording data to fill the Recording grid when ProScan is started.
- **Check For Newer Version Upon Start Up And Once A Day** - Check this if you want to be notified of a newer version via a pop up dialog.
- **Source Client Auto Connect** - Check this if you want the Source Client to Auto Connect when ProScan is started.
- **Web Server Auto Start** - Check this if you want the Web Server to Auto Start when ProScan is started.
- **Remote Scanner Over IP Server Auto Start** - Check this if you want the Remote Scanner Over IP Server to Auto Start when ProScan is started.
- **Remote Scanner Over IP Client Auto Connect** - Check this if you want the Remote Scanner Over IP Client to Auto Connect when ProScan is started.
- **Check Font Setting Not At 100%** - Check this if you want at startup for ProScan to check font setting not at 100% and display message recommending to change to 100%.

General Options



- **Display Fore Color** - Select the virtual display foreground color.
- **Display Back Color** - Select the virtual display background color.
- **Activity Display Border Color** - Select the virtual display border color. The border color changes when there is scanner activity. The option "Use Sentinel Display Colors" will override this option when using SDSx00 scanners.
- **Activity Display Back Color** - Select the virtual display back color. The back color changes when there is scanner activity. The option "Use Sentinel Display Colors" will override this option when using SDSx00 scanners.
- **Program Icon** - Select the Program Icon. Icon selected will show in the ProScan title area and when minimized.
- **Select Program Icon** - Select any Icon file as the Program icon.
- **Custom Caption / Title Format (See Bottom For Formatters)** - Customize the Caption / Title with any information in the Custom Formatters as shown at the right side of the General options dialog.
- **Audio Scopes Color** - Select the Audio Scopes foreground color.
- **Mouse Wheel Scroll.**
 1. **Mode 1** - Any virtual knob is selected with a mouse click then the mouse wheel can rotate the knob.
 2. **Mode 2** - No need to select the knob. Automatically selects the main knob (VFO knob on a non-DMA scanner type or the function knob on a DMA scanner type).
- **24 Hour Time** - Every place that the time is displayed such as Logging, Recorder, Custom Formatters, Web Server, etc.. will show in a 24 hour format when checked.
- **Bypass Scanner Type Check Download & Upload** - Normally this is unchecked. If unchecked then downloading or uploading the database to the scanner will check the scanner type to ensure the data will be correct. Check this if using a scanner not supported by ProScan.
- **Minimize To The Notification Area** - Minimizes ProScan to the Windows Notification area.
- **Notification Balloon Style Text** - When minimized to the Notification area, this will show a balloon style text when the scanner activity changes.
- **Write Current Channel Information To "Current Channel.txt"** - This option will write a file **Current Channel.txt** in

the application folder with the current channel info such as canner type, activity, talk group, frequency, tone type, tone, system, group, channel, and RSSI. A custom or 3rd party program can read this for external processing. Most people will not have any need for this file.

- **"Are You Sure" Prompt When Disconnecting The Source Client, Stopping The Web Server, Or Scanner Over IP Server** - Prompt to confirm stopping server if running a server.
- **Don't Prompt "Clients Connected" Message When Stopping The Web Server Or Scanner Over IP Server** - Don't prompt if a client is connected to the server and stopping the server.
- **Source Client, Web Server, and Scanner Over IP Status Log To File** - Log files generated: "Source Client Log.txt", "Web Server Log.txt", "Scanner Over IP Server Log.txt", and "Scanner Over IP Client Log.txt".
- **Scanner Data To "Scanner Data.txt" File** - For debugging and test purposes. Writes the data from a scanner to a text file.

Logging Options

Options

Startup General **Logging** Recorders Scanner Specific Recording Text Tags

History Grid

Wait For Tones Conventional Channels - 5 Sec. Time Out (DMA) or 20 Sec. Time Out (Non-DMA)

Delete < Seconds Entries From Grid

Logging To "History Log.txt" File

Grid Auto Delete

New Entries Auto Sort - Based On Last Column Sorted Indicated By Sort Glyph In Column Header
'Active Row At Top' & 'Active Row At Bottom' Options Overrides This Option

UID Column

RSSI - Checked Uses S-Meter Bars, Uncheck Use PWR Or SG Protocol Command

Disable Grid Logging

Reset Hit Counter At Midnight

FTO Grid

Grid Auto Delete

New Entries Auto Sort - Based On Last Column Sorted Indicated By Sort Glyph In Column Header
'Active Row At Top' & 'Active Row At Bottom' Options Overrides This Option

Disable Grid Logging

Reset Hit Counter At Midnight

Webhook

Send Data As HTTP POST JSON To

Example: http://myserver/read_json

All Logging: History, FTO, Recorder, & UID Recorder

[Same Functions On The Logging \(History, UID, & FTO\), & Recorder Tabs](#)

Copy History Grid To "History Grid Log.txt" File Each Hour

Copy UID Recorder Grid To "UID Grid Log.txt" File Each Hour

Copy FTO Grid To "FTO Grid Log.txt" File Each Hour

Copy Recorder Grid To "Recorder Grid Log.txt" File Each Hour

Delimiter

Custom

Don't Pad With Trailing Spaces

Cancel Apply OK

[See the Logging Options](#)

Recording Options

Options

Start Up General Logging Recorders Scanner Specific Recording Text Tags

Recorders

Delete < Off Seconds From Grid And File

Append TO [Time] To Filename

Max. Recording Time None

Recordings Auto Delete Days 0 Hours 0 0:0 = Off

New Entries Auto Sort - Based On Last Column Sorted Indicated By Sort Glyph In Column Header

Recording Prepend Buffer Off

Tone At Beginning Of Recording

Recording Files When Deleted Send To Recycle Bin (100 times slower when checked)

Recorder

Wait For Tones Conventional Channels - 5 Sec. Time Out (DMA) or 20 Sec. Time Out (Non-DMA)

UID Column UID Before Lookup Recordings Location

Custom Recording Folders (See Custom Formatters) - Except VOX Mode

%S

Example: %D%S

Custom Filename Format (See Custom Formatters) - Except VOX Mode

%S - %C - %FT

Example: Scanner#1 - %ST - %S - %C

UID Recorder

Custom UID Recording Folders (See Custom Formatters) UID Recordings Location

Example: %D%S

Custom UID Filename Format (See Custom Formatters)

%S - UID: %U1: %U2

Example: %S - UID: %U1

Reset Hit Counter At Midnight

Custom Formatters:

%ST = Scanner Type	%C = Channel Name
%DT = Date / Time	%FT = Freq / Talk Group ID
%D = Date	%F = Frequency
%TT = Time	%T = Tone
%H = Hour (24)	%TG = Talk Group ID
%P = Port	%U1 = Unit ID Before Lookup
%DD = Day	%U2 = Unit ID After Lookup
%M = Month (Number)	%U3 = Unit ID #
%MM = Month (Name)	%MD = Modulation
%Y = Year (2 Digit)	%R = RSSI
%YY = Year (4 Digit)	%TA = Tone-Out A
%SC = Server & Client Status	%TB = Tone-Out B
%AF1 = Application Folder (Full)	%AC = Alert Color
%AF2 = Application Folder (Partial)	%ST1 = Service Type
%FA = Favorite Name	%STC = Service Type Color
%S = System Name	
%SI = Site Name	
%DE = Department Name	

Cancel Apply OK

[See the Recording Options](#)

Scanner Specific Options

Options

Start Up | General | Logging | Recording | **Scanner Specific**

Font (All Except BC780XLT)

LCD / Dot Matrix Fonts (BC250D, BC296D, BC780XLT, BC785D, & BC796D)

Key Color (BCD996XT, BCD396XT, BC346XT, BC346XTC, BCT15X, BCD996T, BCD396T, BCT15, BR330T, BCD536HP, BCD436HP, BCD325P2, & BCD996P2)

Band Scope Colors (BCD996XT, BCD396XT, BC346XT, BC346XTC, BCT15X, BCD996T, BCD396T, BCT15, BCD325P2, & BCD996P2)

Squelch Text Fore Back

Turn Off C-CH Output When ProScan Starts Communications With The Scanner (BCD996XT, BCD396XT, BC346XT, BC346XTC, BCT15X, BCD325P2, & BCD996P2)

- **Font (All Except BC780XLT)** - Select the virtual display font.
- **LCD / Dot Matrix Fonts (BC250D, BC296D, BC780XLT, BC785D, & BC796D)** - Check this for the virtual display LCD / Dot Matrix Font.
- **Key Color (BCD996XT, BCD396XT, BC346XT, BCT15X, BCD996T, BCD396T, BCT15, & BR330T)** - Select the virtual keypad color.
- **Band Scope Colors (BCD996XT, BCD396XT, BC346XT, BCT15X, BCD996T, BCD396T, & BCT15).**
 1. **Squelch** - Select the Band Scope Squelch color.
 2. **Text** - Select the Band Scope Text color.
 3. **Fore** - Select the Band Scope Foreground color.
 4. **Back** - Select the Band Scope Background color.
- **Turn Off C-CH Output When ProScan Starts Communications With The Scanner (BCD996XT, BCD396XT, BC346XT, BC346XTC, BCT15X, BCD325P2, BCD996P2).** - If the C-CH Output is on, the user may not know it but the data communications will be sluggish. This will turn off the C-CH making the communications more responsive.

Google Maps & Lookup

The Google Maps & Lookup feature can be used for mapping a single point by entering in an address map multiple points from a ProScan database.

To get to the Google Maps, Go to **Menu** --> **Tools**--> **Google Maps & Lookup** or the database "Lat/Lng lookup" button in the System, Site, or Group nodes (depending on the scanner type).

The screenshot shows a web application titled "Google Maps & Lookup". It features several input fields and buttons:

- Address, Zipcode Or Landmark:** A text input field containing "2908 St Tropez Dr, Ontario, CA".
- Latitude:** A text input field containing "34.020267".
- Longitude:** A text input field containing "-117.577110".
- Range:** A dropdown menu set to "120 Miles".
- System:** A dropdown menu set to "All Systems".
- Buttons:** "Get Address From Lat/Long", "Get Lat/Long From Address", "Map Lat/Lng", "Map Systems", "Print Map", "Update Database", and "View JavaScript".
- Checkboxes (Right Side):**
 - Show Markers
 - Show Range Rings
 - Auto Zoom To Fit Range Rings
 - Off - Auto Zoom To Fit Markers
 - Show Info Box With Mouse Click
 - Off - Show When Mouse Over Marker
 - Antenna Tower Markers
 - Use Internal Web Browser
- Database - System:** A text input field containing "San Bern Sys 9 Group/Site: Ontario".
- Status Bar:** "Lat: 34.020267 Lng: -117.577110 Range: 120 Miles".
- Footer Note:** "Options Will Take Affect When Map Is Redrawn."

- **Address, Zipcode Or Landmark** - Enter any address or landmark to map or click the "Get Address From Lat/Long" button to show the address.
- **Get Address From Lat/Long** - Click this button after entering an address.
- **Latitude** - A latitude can be entered in or click the "Get Lat/Long From Address" button for lookup.
- **Longitude** - A longitude can be entered in or click the "Get Lat/Long From Address" button for lookup.
- **Range** - Select a range to map the latitude and longitude to the range specified. Select this before clicking the "Map Lat/Lng" button.
- **Map Lat/Lng** - Click this button after setting the Latitude, Longitude, Range, and the options on the right side.
- **Get Lat/Long From Address** - Enter in an address first. Click this button to fill in the Latitude & Longitude.
- **Map Systems** - A database must be opened and the scanner type must support locations. Scanners supported are the BCT15, BCT15X, BC346XT, BC346XTC, BCD325P2, BCD396T, BCD396XT, BCD996T, BCD996XT, and BCD996P2. Click this button to map all systems.
- **Print Map** - Prints the map.
- **Update Database** - This button is visible when the Google Maps was accessed from the Database. The System, Site, & Group that will update is shown on the left. Click this button after setting the Latitude, Longitude, & Range.
- **View JavaScript** - More of a test or educational function. You may or may not find it useful.

These Options should be set before the "Map Lat/Lng" or "Map Systems" buttons are clicked.

- **Show Markers** - Shows markers at the exact locations.
- **Show Range Rings** - Shows Range Rings at each location. The range ring radius is dependent on the Range setting if the "Map Lat/Lng" button is clicked or the database Range settings if the "Map Systems" button is clicked.
- **Auto Zoom To Fit Range Rings (Off - Auto Zoom To Fit Markers)** - For mapping multiple locations with the "Map Systems" button.
- **Show Info Box With Mouse Click (Off - Show When Mouse Over Marker)** - Choice of clicking the left mouse button or hover with the mouse to show the Info box. .
- **Antenna Tower Markers** - If checked then the Antenna Tower marker will show otherwise the default Google Maps marker will show. The "Show Markers" option should be on for this option.
- **Use Internal Web Browser** - If unchecked then the computer default browser will open and display the map.

FCC Callsign Lookup

A small feature that uses the RadioReference.com web service to show the Callsign info with a map. The Callsign must be in the RR database for this to work.

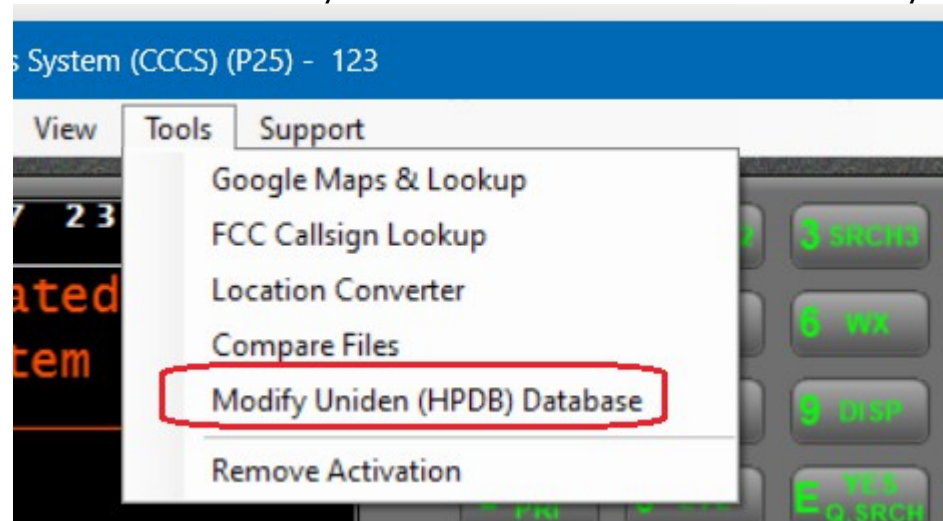
To get to the FCC Callsign Lookup, Go to **Menu** --> **Tools**--> **FCC Callsign Lookup**

Enter the Callsign and click the "RR Web Page" button.

Modify Uniden (HPDB) Database

This feature modifies the Sentinel database on the computer and on the scanner.

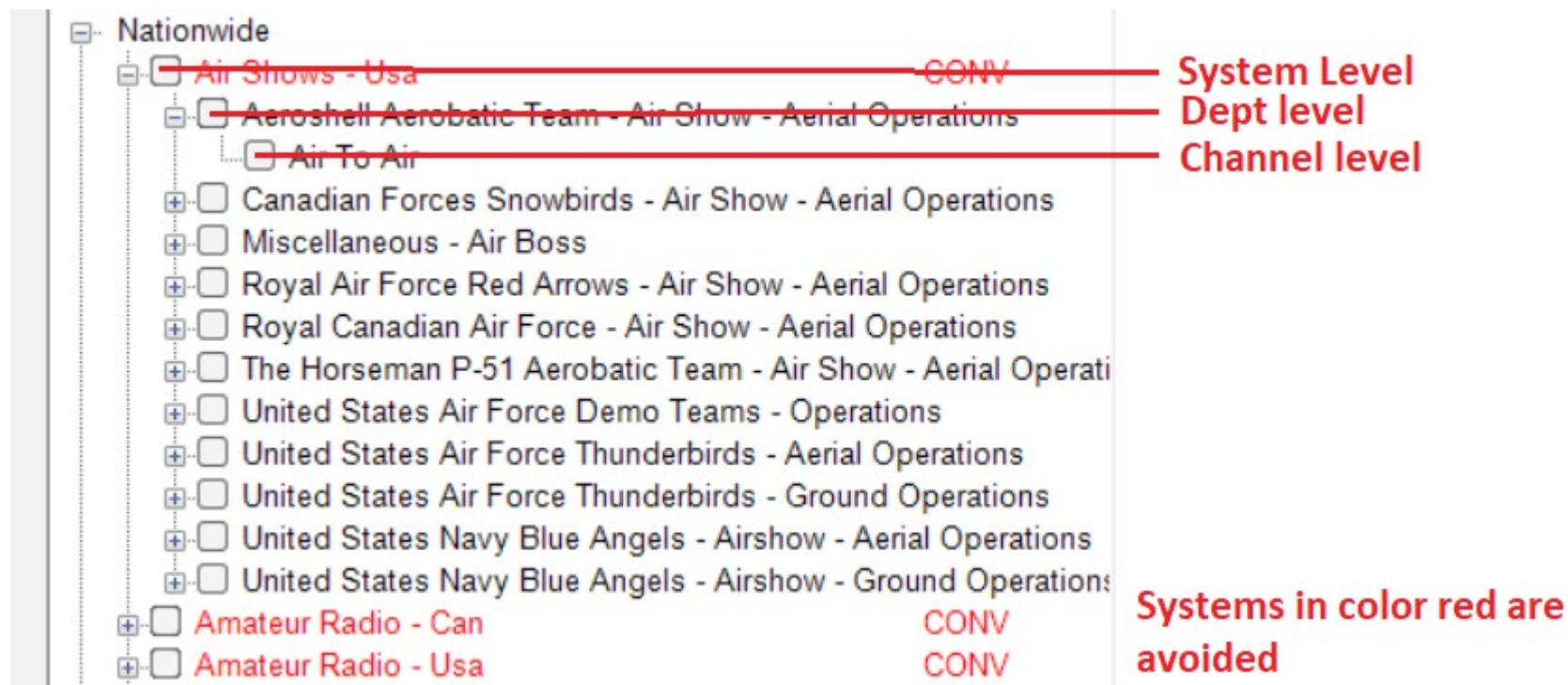
To access this utility - Go to the Tools menu then Modify Uniden (HPDB) Database.



The changes are not permanent. When updating the Uniden database with Sentinel, the changes will be overwritten.

Steps

- Select the database location. Computer or Scanner.
- Select the state.
- Select the county in the tree then expand it to the system, dept., channel levels.
The 1st checkbox is at the system level, the 2nd checkbox is at the dept. level, and the 3rd checkbox is at the channel level.

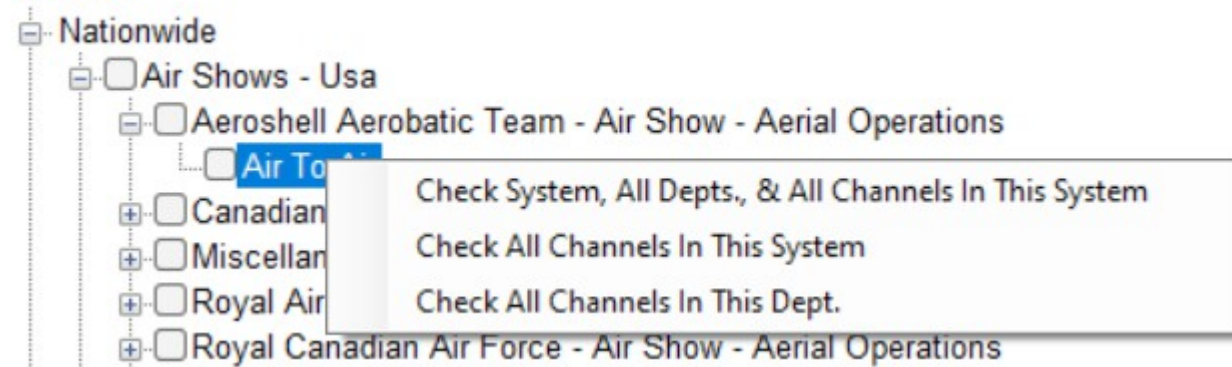


- Check the items to be changed if using the "Check" and not "All" on the right side.
- Pick the System Parameters, Text Tags, Channel Parameters, or Find & Replace tab.
- Drop down the box to select the checked items or all items. If a parameter is grayed out, it's because the parameter is not appropriate for the conventional systems or trunk systems.
- Check the box for each parameter to be changed then select the parameter to the right of the box.
- Click the Change box and wait until the process completes.

Notes

- Right clicking a system, dept., or channel item will show a menu with additional check options.

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RRDB Differences

This function supports the DMA, BCDx36HP, & SDSx00 type of scanners.

It can be used for:

- Detecting new groups or channels in the RRDB or ProScan database.
- Detecting deleted groups or channels in the RRDB or ProScan database.

- Detecting channels that were not accepted by the scanner when the system was uploaded (or written) to the scanner. It may be a frequency out of band or off step, or a invalid talk group.
- Detecting band plan or fleet map changes.
- Detecting duplicate channels in the RRDB or ProScan database.
- Verifying the RRDB matches the ProScan/scanner data after a U/L and D/L. Works best on DMA type of scanners. See note #2 below.

Notes:

1. Other instances of ProScan using the Favorites Lists has to be at version 23.5 or above else the RRDB Differences function will not work.

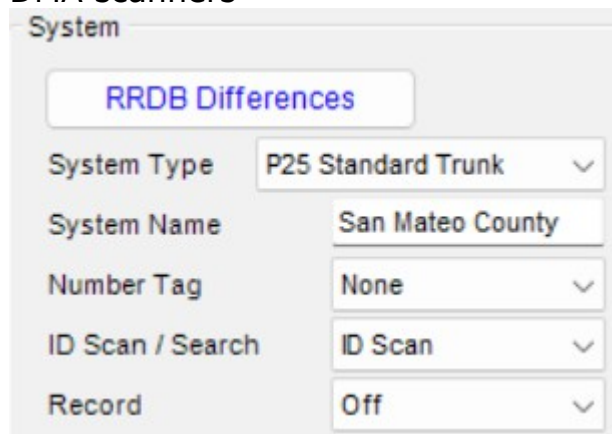
2. Verifying the RRDB matches the ProScan/scanner data after a U/L and D/L'

DMA type of scanners processes the data as soon as it's uploaded. if a frequency is off step, the scanner will change the frequency to the nearest step.

The BCDx36HP and SDSx00 does not process the data after writing to the scanner and does not process the data when loading the favorites list after a power cycle. It seems that it will only process the data when loading the Favorites Lists

Location of the RRDB Differences function

DMA scanners



BCDx36HP, & SDSx00 scanners

RRDB Differences	System Name
RRDB Differences	San Bernardino C
RRDB Differences	San Mateo County
RRDB Differences	Mammoth Lakes
RRDB Differences	Mammoth Mounta

If the button is not visible or is not enabled then that means that the system wasn't imported from the RRDB or it was imported from the RRDB prior to version 21.

Operation

- Click the 'RRDB Differences' button.
- After the RRDB Differences window loads, click the 'Get RR Data' button.
- An automatic RRDB login is performed using the same RRDB login credentials from the Import RR window. If an error occurs logging in then go into the Import RadioReference window and check your credentials.
- After the Differences tree loads, scroll down and look for rows with colors indicating a difference.
- **Execute Add** - Adds groups & channels from the RRDB to the ProScan database if they are not in the ProScan database.
- **Execute Delete** - Delete groups & channels from the ProScan database if they are not in the RRDB.
- **Execute Replace** - Replaces only the parameters that are different. This will never replace text tags or locations lat & lng.
- **Execute All** - Add, Delete, & Replace all in one operation.

Algorithm using to match channels, and detecting duplicate channels

Conventional frequencies

Frequency & tone (CTCSS, DCS, NAC, Color Code, or RAN/Area)

Trunking frequencies

EDACS, & LTR systems - Frequency & LCN

MotoTRBO systems - Frequency & LCN & Color Code

NXDN systems - Frequency & LCN & RAN/Area

DMR One Frequency systems - Frequency & Color Code

NXDN One Frequency systems - Frequency & RAN/Area

Trunking TGIDs

DMR One Frequency - TGID & TDMA Slot

Shortcuts

The Shortcuts feature is located in the Scanner Control box which is located in the upper right corner of the main window. Click the box labeled "SC" then the Shortcuts button will appear. Click the Shortcuts button to show the items in the Shortcuts file. To close the Shortcuts list, click the Shortcuts button or hit the Esc key. Select an item then double click the item or hit the Enter key for the item to execute. The "Edit Shortcuts" item (first item in the list) will load your default text editor and the "Shortcuts.txt" file will load. Be sure to save the file after editing.

See the notes and the examples/usage in the "Shortcuts.txt" file. If the Hotkey is prepended with the letter "G", that means the hotkey is global or system-wide. Don't use global hotkeys that are used by Windows or other applications. View the shortcuts list after the file has been edited for hotkey assignment errors. If an "in use" error, that means Windows or another application already has taken that hotkey so choose another global hotkey.

Scanner Ctrl [X]

Frequency
119.30000 ▾

Tune

Jump

Number Tag
Tune

Resume Scan/Search
Off ▾

Off LO
 Temp LO
 Lockout

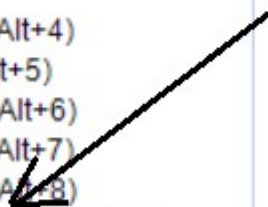
Enable Hotkeys

Shortcuts

- Edit Shortcuts (Ctrl+E)
- Volume5 (Ctrl+1 global)
 - My 200 - Firmware Version (Alt+A)
 - My 200 - DB Version (Alt+1)
 - My 200 - Set my Zip (Alt+2)
 - My 200 - IP Info (Alt+3)
 - My 200 - Custom Search (Alt+4)
 - My 200 - Close Call Off (Alt+5)
 - My 200 - Close Call DND (Alt+6)
 - My 200 - Set All Lists Off (Alt+7)
 - My 200 - Set All Lists On (Alt+8)
 - My 200 - Test 1 (duplicate Alt+Shift+1)
 - My 200 - Test 2 (duplicate Alt+Shift+1)
 - My 200 - Test 3 (Alt+Shift+3)
 - My 200 - Test 4 (Alt+F4 in use global)
 - My 200 - Test 5 (Alt+Shift+5)
 - My 200 - Test 6 (invalid Alt+Shif+6 global)
 - My 200 - Test 7 (Alt+Shift+7)

Double click an item to execute

Watch for errors



Miscellaneous

Mute Other Instances

- Two methods to mute other instances:
 1. Mute all instances with a click of the Speaker Icon. Click the Speaker Icon. First go to the Options -> General tab and check the last option. "Clicking Speaker Icon Mutes All Instances"
 2. Mute selected instances using the Sessions Manager. Go to the Sessions Manager and click on "Get Sessions". Check the check boxes to select any instances. Click the Mute option and last, Click the Execute button.

Any instance streaming audio using the Web Server, Source Client, & RSOIP will not mute using the above methods.

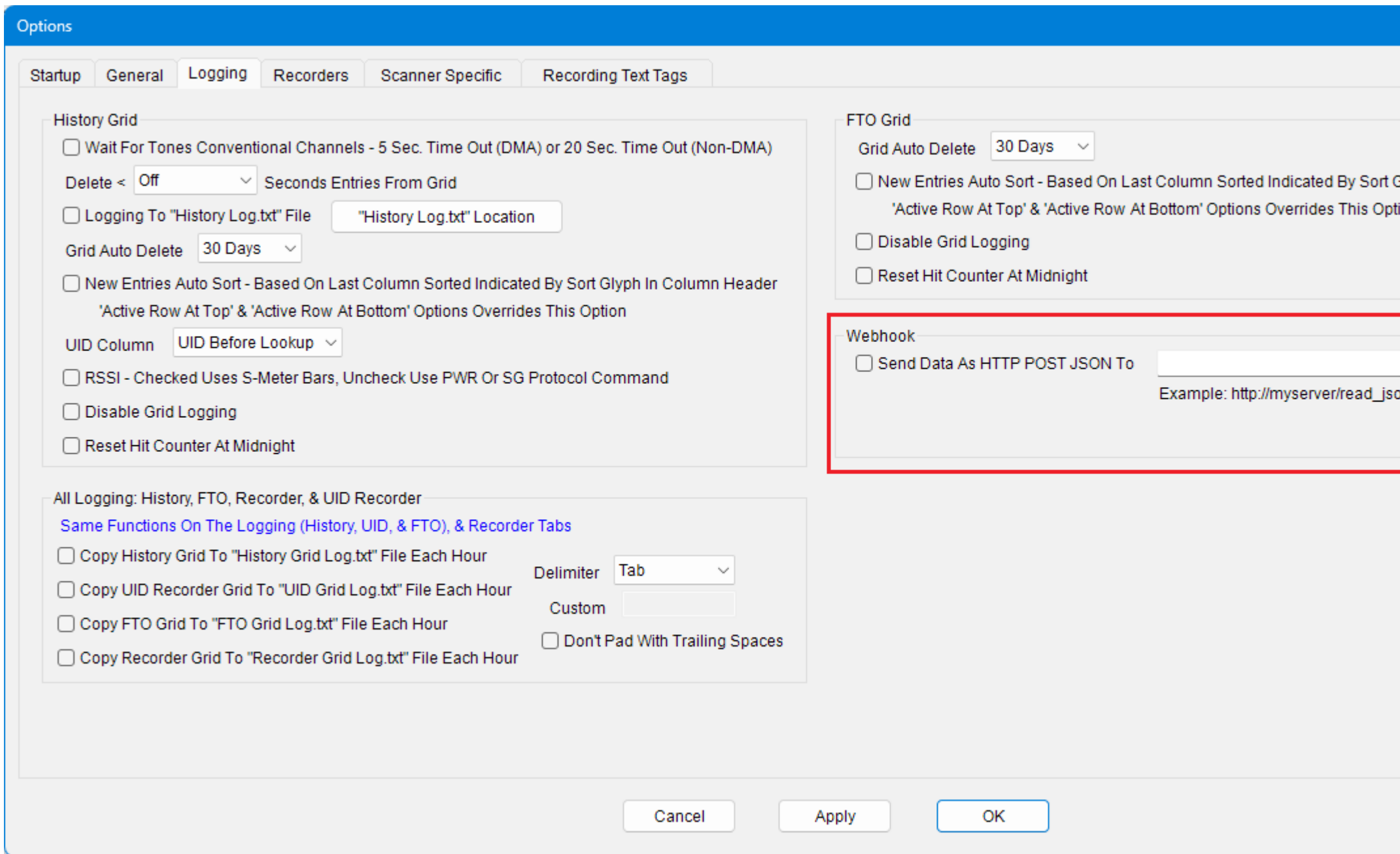
Webhook

This function was implemented as a request. It may not be useful for most people. The person requesting this was building a smart home. He wanted a way for a smart light to change colors depending on the active channel.

This function sends scanner data to a web server when a transmission is detected. A HTTP POST request is made with the following data in a JSON format:

Scanner_Type, Frequency, Tone, DMR_Slot, TGID, Favorite_Name, System_Name, Site_Name, Group_Name, Channel_Name, Modulation, RSSI, UID_Before_Lookup, UID_After_Lookup, UID_Number, Displayed_System_Type, Digital_Status, Lock_Out, Alert_Color, & Service_Type

Options located in the Menu --> Options --> Logging



ProScan Files

Core Files

ProScan.exe - ProScan main executable file.

ProScan1.dll - Helper file for the main executable file.

ProScan_Manual.pdf - ProScan help file.

ProScan.exe.config - Required by ProScan.

lame_enc.dll - MP3 Codec.

Configuration File

ProScan.cfg - Contains all the configuration and options. This file is created the first time that ProScan runs. This file automatically saves at 1 hour intervals.

Logging Files

History Data.txt - Contains the History logging data. This file automatically saves at 1 hour intervals.

History Hits.txt - Contains the frequency and talk group ID Hits for the history logging grid. This file automatically saves at 1 hour intervals.

History Log.txt - History log writes to file if the option "History Log To File" on.

History Logging.txt - Copy / Move selected rows to user selectable file.

History Grid Log.txt - File is generated when the button "Copy Grid To History Grid Log.txt File" is clicked. Will also generate when the Options -> Logging -> History Grid option "Copy Grid To History Grid Log.txt File Each Hour" is checked. Tab-Delimited.

UID Data.txt - Contains the UID logging data. This file automatically saves at 1 hour intervals.

UID Hits.txt - Contains the UID Hits for the UID logging grid. This file automatically saves at 1 hour intervals.

UID Logging.txt - Copy / Move selected rows to user selectable file.

UID Lookup.txt - For logging UID (Unit ID) text tags that are not programmed in the scanner or logging text tags that are longer than 15 characters.

UID Grid Log.txt - File is generated when the button "Copy Grid To UID Grid Log.txt File" is clicked. Will also generate when the Options -> Logging -> UID Grid option "Copy Grid To UID Grid Log.txt File Each Hour" is checked. Tab-Delimited.

FTO Data.txt - Contains the FTO logging data. This file automatically saves at 1 hour intervals.

FTO Hits.txt - Contains the FTO Hits for the FTO logging grid. This file automatically saves at 1 hour intervals.

FTO Logging.txt - Copy / Move selected rows to user selectable file.

FTO Grid Log.txt - File is generated when the button "Copy Grid To FTO Grid Log.txt File" is clicked. Will also generate when the Options -> Logging -> FTO Grid option "Copy Grid To FTO Grid Log.txt File Each Hour" is checked. Tab-Delimited.

Recording Data.txt - Contains the recording logging data. This file automatically saves at 1 hour intervals.

Recorder Grid Log.txt - File is generated when the button "Copy Grid To Recorder Grid Log.txt File" is clicked. Will also generate when the Options -> Recorder option "Copy Grid To Recorder Grid Log.txt File Each Hour" is checked. Tab-Delimited.

CC Data Log.txt - Control Channel data logging.

Recording Files

User selectable file name format.

Database Files

Non-DMA type scanner database has extension of .xml, DMA type scanner database has extension of .txt.

Error Logs

UnhandledExceptionLog.txt - Text of the unhandled exception error for sending to support through email.

UnhandledException.png - Screen shot of the unhandled exception error for sending to support through email.

Upload Errors.txt - On the DMA scanners when uploading, it's possible that there will be errors due to scanner memory

limitations. This will show the System, Site, Group, or Channel where the error occurred.

MP3 Encoder Errors.txt - This file will log all MP3 Encoder exceptions.

Uninstall Files

unins000.exe - Don't run directly but use the Windows Control Panel "Add or Remove Programs".

unins000.dat - Required by unins000.exe.

Misc. Files

Band scope data file - User selectable file.

Auto Start.txt - Automatically starts the Remote Scanner Over IP Server / Client, Source Client, and Web Server at program load.

temp.txt - Temporary file used internally with ProScan.

Current Channel.txt - File containing current scanner channel information used by 3rd party software.

Remote Scanner Over IP Server Log.txt - Logs the same data as the Scanner Over IP Server "Status Logging" box.

Remote Scanner Over IP Client Log.txt - Logs the same data as the Scanner Over IP Client "Status Logging" box.

Source Client Log.txt - Logs the same data as the Source Client "Status Logging" box.

Web Server Log.txt - Logs the same data as the Web Server "Status Logging" box.

Ethernet Audio Log.txt - Logs the BCD536HP and SDS200 Ethernet audio when there is loss of audio signal of more than 1 sec, and when the scanner restarts because of loss of audio.

Broadcast Lockout.txt - Any frequency or talk group ID in this file will not stream audio with the Source Client or Web Server feature.

Web_Server_User_HTML.htm - For injecting HTML, styles, and Javascript code into the Web Page served by the Web Server feature.

Shortcuts.txt - User editable for the Shortcuts feature.

RRDB Import.txt - For the RRDB Differences feature.

ULDLRRDB.txt - Helper file for the RRDB Differences feature.

ULDLData.txt - For the BCDx36HP and SDSx00 scanners - This file will save the Notes and the Record parameters before writing the favorites to the scanner. The scanners don't support these parameters so they will be dropped. After reading the favorites from the scanner, the parameters will be read from the file and shown in the Favorites Editor.

Tips And Shortcuts

Here are a few tips or shortcuts that may not be evident

- When the Display is set to "Display Only - Sizable" - Right click to show the options and ways to move the display.
- The virtual knobs can be turned in a few ways.
 1. Click the knob and use the mouse wheel to rotate.
 2. Dragging the mouse (Hold down the left mouse button and move the mouse).
 3. Click the knob and use the keyboard up, down, left, right, page up, and page down keys.
- The recorder green play control can be moved by dragging the mouse (Hold down the left mouse button and move the mouse) or the keyboard left and right keys.
- To select a server in the Remote Scanner Over IP tab, double click anywhere on the grid row to fill in the server and port

boxes.

- DMA Scanners Database - The nodes in the tree can be dragged and dropped between different instances of ProScan or between different systems or groups.
- To change the system type of a system - Create (add) a new system and drag the Site & Group nodes from the old system to the new. Be sure to upload afterward.
- Use the Delete Key for deleting multiple selected rows at the same time in the History, UID, FTO, & Recorder grids, and the database nodes.

Bug Reporting and Suggestions

Bug Reporting

If you discover a bug, send an email to support@proscan.org. The advantage of email is so I can ask questions and send you production quality files with additional testing to help fix the bug. The person reporting the bug will get the fix sooner than waiting for the next release. Put "bug" in the Subject line. Bugs received initially via email in this format are assigned the highest priority.

- Product (ProScan, Free Client, or RadioFeed):
- Version:
- Scanner type:
- Windows version:
- Options pertaining to the bug:
- Describe the bug in detail:

Suggestions

If you have suggestions, send an email to support@proscan.org. One suggestion per email. The advantage of email is that I can ask additional questions to make sure the suggestion is done right and send you the latest ProScan file with the suggestion implemented. Put "suggestion" or "request" in the Subject line. Suggestions are assigned a higher priority when received initially via email.

Frequently Asked Questions

Q: Does ProScan or RadioFeed do this or that?

A: The best way to find out is to download ProScan or RadioFeed and try it. Your questions may be answered by using it. If still in doubt then email or post the question.

Q: Can I run multiple copies of ProScan or RadioFeed on one computer?

A: Yes. Many instances of ProScan or RadioFeed can run on the same computer. Copy the contents of the ProScan or RadioFeed folder to a new folder. Change the Comm Port setting and other options specific to that instance.

Q: I can't control the scanner when I'm connected to a Remote Scanner Over IP server.

A: If you were given a password by the Server operator then you can control the scanner. If you don't have a password, then you can monitor only.

Q: Do I need to purchase a ProScan license for this feature to work in the demo mode?

A: No. The 30 day demo / trial is 100% fully functional.

Q: Can you do a version for Mac, iPhone, iPad, Android, Raspberry Pi, Linux, etc.?

A: No. It would take several years to do each and I would rather spend the time on ProScan & RadioFeed.

Q: Do I need to purchase another license if I upgrade to the latest ProScan version?

A: No. Each license allows activation on two computers and is valid for all future releases.

Q: Should I run ProScan as administrator?

A: It's recommended that all instances of ProScan are not elevated to administrator. However if you do run as administrator, then all instances of ProScan should run as administrator for the Sessions Manager to work.

Q: I can't find the config file or the logging files.

A: If ProScan is installed in the "\Program Files" or "\Program Files (x86)" folder AND running 64 bit OS AND not running ProScan in admin mode then Windows puts all program generated files in the VirtualStore folder located at C:\Users\[user]\AppData\Local\VirtualStore\Program Files (x86)\ProScan

Q: When using the Web Server, the text tags don't appear in sync with the audio.

A: The audio player network / latency buffer delays the audio. To compensate, the Web Page has an option "Display & Metadata Delay". Change it to the amount of audio delay so the text tags and display on the Web Page are in sync with the audio. You may have to experiment to get it right. If using an external player, the Player may have an option to decrease the amount of delay. Search on-line for your type of media player to see if the network / latency buffering can be changed and how to change it. WinAmp desktop version seems to have the best latency that's about 3 seconds.

Q: How can I transfer a ProScan license from my old computer to a new computer?

A: On the old computer, go to the Tools menu then click on Remove Activation. Now the new computer can be activated by going to the Tools menu then click on Enter Registration Key.

Q: Can I move the license to a new computer if the old computer is no longer working

A: Send an email to support@proscan.org.

Q: How can I get a copy of my key.

A: Lost keys are sent on Tuesdays by end of day. Provide email address used at time of purchase, Paypal receipt, Registration Name, exact date of purchase, or anything that can be used to look it up.

Q: Where can I find the Serial Port driver for my scanner?

A: The driver for these scanners: BCD325P2, BCD996P2, BCDx36HP, BCD536HP, & SDSx00, can be found here. [Serial Port Driver](#) See the Serial Port Section.

Q: How can I automatically start streaming after the computer reboots?

A: Add a shortcut to the Windows Startup Group. ProScan will start the Source Client, Web Server, and Remote Scanner Over IP (Server & Client) automatically if running when ProScan was closed.

Q: How can I stream multiple feeds at the same time?

A: By running multiple instances of ProScan

Q: Can you put a feed on-line?

A: I don't run the feeds. I just make the software for others to run Web Server & Remote Scanner Over IP feeds.

Q: Do I need to use Sentinel or the ProScan Favorites Editor for programming for the BCDx36HP and SDSx00 series scanners?

A: Sentinel is needed for firmware updates. It's also needed for accessing the full HPDB (Uniden DB) (updated weekly for free) which is derived from the RRDB (Radio Reference DB). If you're a Premium Radio Reference Subscriber, you can import directly from the RRDB in real time. Sentinel is needed for Profile editing. ProScan doesn't have a profile editor as it would be 100% duplication that couldn't be improved on.

ProScan has extra capabilities that I don't believe Sentinel has such as:

- Multiple Favorites on the same tree which makes it easy to Copy & Paste and Drag & Drop systems
- Find Duplicates utility
- Find & Replace utility
- Update Text Tags utility
- Import directly from RRDB. RadioReference subscription required
- Import from the Win Clipboard or from a RR web page. No RadioReference subscription required
- Versatile Sorting options
- Google Maps showing all the systems with circles or rectangles
- Export nicely formatted web page showing any or all (user selectable) FQK's, SQK's, Number Tags, and systems
- Copy & Paste and Drag & Drop nodes to other systems and other ProScan instances
- SDS200 FTP Read & Write using the Ethernet connection
- View the differences between ProScan and the Scanner favorites when writing and reading to and from the scanner
- Modify Uniden (HPDB) Database utility
- Change the system type in one step

Q: I'm using the Source Client feature to stream audio to Broadcastify. I'm experiencing intermittent dropped connections.

A: Intermittent connections could be caused by your computer, NIC card, cables, router, ISP, far end, etc. It has been suggested by a few users to use a tool called [PingPlotter](#) to isolate where the problem is.

Ensure you're not using AVG Anti-Virus software as that will interrupt TCP traffic.

If using the BCD536HP Wi-Fi, click the URL Audio Setup button and see if excessive Packet Loss shows in the dialog. Wi-Fi interference or a flaky Dongle could cause excessive packet loss. Move the dongle and scanner to another location to see if the packet loss decreases.

These links may be helpful.

[BCD536HP WI-FI dropping issue](#)

[Feed keeps dropping out](#)

[Connection Issues](#)

Q: I'm trying to use the Recorder to record to a network drive. When ProScan is elevated to Admin., I don't see the network drive when I hit the Recordings Location button.

A: The Registry needs an entry. See the section "To configure the EnableLinkedConnections registry value" in this link near the bottom [EnableLinkedConnections registry value](#)

Purchasing And Activating Licenses

ProScan Purchase Information

- License Cost is \$50.00.
- Discount available for 10 or more licenses.
- Each license allows activation on 2 separate computers.
- ProScan license can be deactivated on one computer and activated on another computer or can be activated again on the same computer if OS reinstalled or hard drive reformatted.
- Every license enables us to improve our software and continue to develop ProScan.
- Licenses can not be transferred or sold.
- All sales final. Try the 30 day fully functional demo/trial before purchasing.
- Lost keys are sent at no charge. Key Request must be done via email.

Here's what you get with your license

- Instant activation key sent via email and web page. **Check your Email Spam folder for the receipt containing the key.**
- All future versions for free.
- Valid for lifetime.
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- To Activate ProScan - Go to the Menu --> Tools --> Enter Registration Key.
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Version History

23.5

- Added - Favorite Name to the System/Site column in the History, Recorder, & UID grids.
- Added - Bypass 'Frequency Out Of Range' Check option.
- Fixed - RRDB Differences function is more reliable. It's important to note that other instances of ProScan using the Favorites Lists have to be at version 23.5 or above else the RRDB Differences function will not work.
- Fixed - Database 'Note' and 'Record' (on unsupported Record scanners) fields at the channel level are more reliable in retaining the data after a download from the scanner.
- Fixed - Scanner Sizable Window - Knobs weren't turning when dragging the mouse within the knobs.
- Fixed - BC125AT, UBC125XLT, & UBC126AT scanner - Lookup Record Flag From Database wasn't working.
- Fixed - BCD536HP and SDS200 RTSP LAN audio wasn't working with the MediaMTX media server.

23.4

- Added - View - Scanner Sizable Window.
- Changed - Options Recordings Auto Delete, History Grid Auto Delete, FTO Grid Auto Delete, changed the default from 30

days to Off.

- Fixed - Deleting rows in the UID Logging/Recorder grid wasn't working.
- Fixed - BCD160DN & BCD260DN - Fire Tone Out Tone A & Tone B wasn't saving correctly.

23.3

- Fixed - FTP reading & writing the favorites wasn't working when using the RSOIP client.
- Improved - Dark Mode.

23.2

- Fixed - Erroneous vertical lines were showing in the grids when scrolling.

23.1

- Added - An option 'Active Row No Change' on all logging & recorder screens.
- Changed - UID Logging/Recorder now logs without recording. The option for logging only and not recording is located in the Option Recorders tab, in the UID Logging / Recorder section.
- Fixed - UID Recorder wasn't recording audio when using the WAV file format.
- Fixed - Recorders - A new recording would stop a recording that was being played back. Broke in version 23.0

23.0

- Added - Dark Mode option - Option located in the Startup options.
- Changed - Renamed the UID Logger to UID Recorder as it now records the audio.
- Changed - 'Active Row In View' option changed to 'Active Row At Top', 'Active Row In View', & 'Active Row At Bottom' on all logging & recorder screens.
- Fixed - BCD160DN - 226 MHz to 399 MHz range wasn't recognized as valid when importing or using the Frequency Tune function.

22.12

- Added - Web Server - Options for publishing your Web Server in the [ProScan Web Servers Directory webpage](#).

22.11

- Added - The Registration Name and Key now will show when removing the activation from an old computer.
- Added - Added to the "Display Color Mode" option, "Use Sentinel Default Colors Without Sentinel Installed".
- Fixed - Web Server - When ProScan was started with the Task Scheduler, the keypad on the web browser wasn't showing.
- Fixed - Web Server - The folders & files table on the browser wasn't remembering the sort column and order.
- Fixed - When ProScan is optioned to start in the Notification area, the virtual display wasn't showing when ProScan goes back to the normal state.

22.10

- Changed - Web Server - Using a reverse proxy now shows the client IP address and not the proxy IP address.
- Fixed - Web Server - The playback of mp3 recordings were intermittent when serving files using Chromium based browsers e.g., Chrome, Edge, Opera, etc.
- Fixed - UBCD3600XLT, UBCD436PT, & UBCD536PT scanners weren't writing the favorites to the scanner when the option "Erase Favorites Lists In The Scanner" was unchecked.
- Fixed - SDS100E, SDS200E, & USDS100 scanners weren't showing the scanner waterfall display.

22.9

- Added - SDS100E & SDS200E waterfall support.
- Added - UBC125XLT & UBC126AT scanner support.

22.8

- Added - UBCD436PT & UBCD536PT scanners support.
- Added - Selectable trunking types option to the System Parameters tab in the Modify Uniden Database utility.
- Fixed - Channel Alert Light option in the Favorites Editor broke in version 22.6.

22.7

- Added - BCD160DN & BCD260DN scanners support completed.
- Added - Sort utility function now can sort Number Tags.
- Added - RRDB Import option "Don't Import Groups / Sites Without Channels or Frequencies".
- Changed - Google Maps - Disabled the internal browser option because it wasn't working with the recent Google changes.
- Changed - RRDB Import option "Encrypted Channels" now has a choice to import encrypted channels with lockout set.
- Fixed - Waterfall - Double clicking the Frequency Pointer wasn't moving the Marker correctly when using the LAN port.

22.6

- Fixed - The Web Server feature was causing the program to lock up intermittently.
- Changed - Upgraded the Web Server built in audio player.
- Changed - Waterfall scrollbar style.

22.5

- Added - Waterfall frequency pointer. A double click will change the marker frequency or center frequency to the frequency pointer depending on an option.
- Added - Waterfall 10 minute scrollable window.

22.4

- Fixed - Importing conventional systems from the RRDB was creating separate systems for the same system.
- Added - Waterfall support for the SDS100 & SDS200 scanners.

22.3

- Fixed - Web Server - The internal audio player broke in version 22.2.

22.2

- Fixed - Google Maps - The internal browser wasn't showing the Info Box and therefore the nodes couldn't be updated with the new positions.
- Fixed - Web Server - The virtual panel on the web browser wasn't showing when the view was set to Display Only.
- Fixed - FTO Logging on the DMA models broke in version 22.0.

22.1

- Fixed - Google Maps broke.
- Added - The Get Clipboard function now imports the Service Tags from a RRDB webpage on supported scanners.

22.0

- Added - BC125AT scanner support.
- Added - BCD160DN & BCD260DN scanner support. Scanners not out yet as of the date of this release.

21.2

- Added - Double clicking database tree nodes now toggles nodes to expand or collapse.
- Changed - History Log option "Delete < 2 Seconds ..." Now selectable 1 to 10 seconds.

- Changed - Recorder option "Delete < 2 Seconds ..." Now selectable 1 to 10 seconds.
- Changed - UID Logging with HP and SDS scanners - Now using the actual UID number from the scanner instead of the UID name to determine a match and eliminate duplicates.
- Fixed - Copying UID logging rows to the Favorites Lists wasn't copying the UID number.
- Fixed - P25 conventional VHF systems weren't logging the NAC on DMA scanners due to missing NAC in the scanner protocol.

21.1

- Fixed - Reading or writing favorites may have broken on ver. 21.0 in some cases.

21.0

- Added - RRDB Differences function.
- Changed - Web Server - Brought back the virtual panel when the program is minimized.

20.7

- Fixed - Recording mp3 files broke in version 20.6 if not using ID3v2 text tags.

20.6

- Fixed - Web Server - The scanner buttons on the web browser weren't working correctly because the hotspots weren't not aligning correctly.
- Changed - Recorder - Stopped writing MP3 ID3v2 tags to the recording files if the Title & Artist boxes are blank in the Options - Recording Text Tags tab.

20.5

- Changed - Web Server - Stopped showing the virtual keypad on the web browser when the program is minimized or the View Type doesn't show a keypad.
- Fixed - Web Server - The web browser virtual display wasn't working right when the View Type is set to Display Only.

20.4

- Fixed - Memory leak when using the Web Server and Source Client when the mp3 Bitrate is set to 64 kbps or higher.
- Changed - Reduced the latency even more on the low latency audio player on the Web Server web page. It's now less than 0.8 second.
- Removed - 'Display & Metadata Delay' option on the Web Server web page as it's no longer needed.

20.3

- Fixed - Low latency audio player wasn't working on iPhone web browsers.

20.2

- Added - 'Menu Top' command to the Shortcuts menu sequence.
- Changed - Low latency (1.3 second) audio player on the Web Server web page.
- Fixed - Google Maps Update Node button wasn't working with the internal web browser.

20.1

- Fixed - Scanner Control box wasn't showing correctly.

20.0

- Added - Shortcuts for commonly used scanner menu operations. It's located in the Scanner Control box.
- Improved - Scanner Control box look and feel. Now the box can be dragged to another area. It's located in the upper right corner of the main window.

19.10

- Added - Avoid parameter to the Channel Parameters tab in the Modify Uniden Database utility.
- Added - Google Maps - Options to map just the sites or just the groups/departments.
- Added = Web Server - IPv6 Support.
- Added = RSOIP (Remote Server Over IP) Server and Client - IPv6 Support.

19.9

- Fixed - Using multiple monitors with the Display Only (Resizable) mode. The display wasn't dragging to the other monitors and the Full Screen mode wasn't working right.
- Fixed - History, UID, & Recorder logging grids - Site name was missing from the System/Site column. Broke in ver. 19.8.
- Changed - Removed the Fit to Height menu items in the Display Only (Resizable) mode. They were not needed.

19.8

- Added - Display Only (Borderless) changed to Display Only (Sizable). Right click the display when in Display Only mode for the options.
- Added - Modify Uniden Database utility - Added a "Check Found Channels" option to the Find & Replace tab.
- Added - Startup option - Minimize to Taskbar or Notification Area.
- Added - BCD536HP & SDS200 Ethernet audio - Option to log to file when loss of audio is detected and scanner auto restarts.
- Changed - History, UID, & Recorder logging grids - Separated the group/department & channel columns from the system/site column.
- Changed - Changed the option "Restart Scanner Upon Loss of Ethernet Audio After 5 Minutes" to a user selectable 1 to 10 minutes.

19.7

- Added - Find & Replace function added to the Modify Uniden Database utility.
- Added - DMA and HP scanners - Nodes in the tree now will show avoided/locked out in color red.
- Changed - Moved the various items in the Modify Uniden Database utility to individual tabs.

19.6

- Fixed - RRDB import wasn't importing the LCN correctly on DMR Tier 3 Capacity Max systems.
- Added - Modify Uniden (HPDB) Database utility.

19.5

- Fixed - Google Maps internal browser stopped working.
- Fixed - RRDB wasn't importing the conventional frequencies tones correctly.

19.4

- Fixed - BCT15 & BCT15X scanners - When uploading systems, 'Nothing to scan' may appear.
- Fixed - BCD396XT, BCD325P2, BCD996XT, & BCD996P2 scanners - Was missing the AGC settings.
- Added - Favorites Editor - Circle to rectangle converter button.

19.3

- Fixed - Recorder - "Lookup Record Flag From Database" broke in ver. 19.2.
- Fixed - BCT15X - BearTracker settings weren't being sent to the scanner.
- Added - History Logging "Number Tag Tune" column. Column located on the far right side. Double click anywhere on the row to tune.

19.2

- Added - Database and Favorites Editor - Added a Note column to the channel grids.
- Added - Web Server - Reverse Proxy support.
- Changed - Database - Moved the GQK Status settings from the scanner settings to the system level parameters.
- Changed - DMA Scanners - Reworked the upload & download options screen.
- Fixed - Web Server - Was producing a fatal error in some cases.

19.1

- Fixed - When the option "Select Activity Display Back Color" is set to "Alert Light", The display back color may not appear correctly.
- Fixed - Alert light was always on, on the BCD996P2, BCD996XT, & BCT15X scanners.

19.0

- Added - The History logging grid now logs the Service Type when using BCDx36HP and SDSx00 scanners.
- Added - DMA Database - Upload SQK/GQK options.
- Added - Favorites Editor - Write to scanner option "Turn On All System, Dept., & Site Quick Keys In The Scanner".
- Changed - DMA Database - The TGID Lockout grid now is read only and the grid data is from scanner only.
- Fixed - History logging would show multiple entries for the same frequencies or talk groups.
- Fixed - Alert Light on the virtual display wasn't working correctly on the SDSx00, and P2 scanners.
- Fixed - DMA Database - Using CTRL-C keys for copying nodes was causing the next node to be selected.

18.3

- Fixed - Memory Leak caused by a recent Win Update.

18.2

- Fixed - Web Server - Virtual scanner buttons on iPhone browsers stopped working due to a recent IOS update.
- Fixed - Web Server - Browsers using the Push mode wasn't updating the virtual display when refreshing the browser many times.
- Fixed - Database for the BCD996P2 and BCD325P2 scanners - Wasn't importing the DMR One-Freq Trunk Color Codes from the RRDB.

18.1

- Added - Web Server SSL certificates now accept private keys with passwords.
- Added - Web Server SSL certificates now support ECDSA P-256 & ECDSA P-384 private keys.
- Fixed - Favorites Editor - Changing the system type in the grid (on the right side) wasn't showing the NXDN systems.
- Fixed - Logging UID text tags on DMA scanners with the text tag prepended with "%" percent character broke in an earlier version.

18.0

- Added - Main tabs reorder by dragging the tabs.
- Added - Favorites Editor - View the differences between ProScan and the Scanner favorites when writing and reading to and from the scanner.
- Added - File Compare utility to the Tools menu.

17.9

- Added - Favorites Editor - Now can change the system type.
- Added - Web Server - User supplied, and self-signing SSL certificate in addition to the Let's Encrypt certificate already implemented.
- Changed - Recordings Auto Delete option changed to separate Days and Hours selection boxes.

- Fixed - Web Server - ProScan was crashing when using the Web Server under certain conditions.
- Fixed - Favorites Editor - Radio Reference DB Import function wasn't importing the P25 NAC at the site level.

17.8

- Fixed - Changing the Alert Color based on Service Type in the Find & Replace dialog wasn't working on trunking channels.
- Fixed - BCD536HP and SDS200 - The Ethernet connection on the data side broke in 17.7 under a certain condition.

17.7

- Added - Sort the grid columns in the Database and Favorites Editor by right clicking the column headers.
- Added - Locations in the Database and Favorites Editor now shows both the DEG (Decimal Degrees) and DMS (Degrees Minutes Seconds) text boxes and automatically converts DEG from/to DMS.
- Added - When using the Alert Colors for the display background, now can set the shades of Alert Colors.
- Fixed - Locations circle and rectangles data was disappearing in the Favorites Editor if switching from/to rectangles & circles.
- Fixed - Changing the Alert Color based on Service Type in the Find & Replace dialog wasn't working.
- Fixed - Recorder - 'Lookup Record Flag From Database' wasn't working with UIDs.
- Fixed - Number Tag Tune wasn't working correctly.

17.6

- Added - Web Server secure (https) support with a 'Get a Let's Encrypt Certificate' function.
- Added - Favorites Editor - Write option 'Turn On Favorites List Quick Keys Used In The Selected Favorites'.

17.5

- Added - BCD536HP & SDS200 LAN - Option "Show Popup Message if Detected Loss of LAN Audio After 30 Seconds". Option to turn on & off located in the URL Setup dialog window.
- Added - BCD536HP & SDS200 LAN - Option "Restart Scanner Upon Loss of LAN Audio After 5 Minutes". Option located in the URL Setup dialog window.
- Fixed - BCD536HP & SDS200 LAN - Latency increased over time when using the Loopback function.

17.4

- Fixed - Favorites Quick Keys status check boxes were all turning on after writing to the scanner.
- Added - Option "Turn On Service Types Used In The Selected Favorites". Located in the write favorites to scanner window.

17.3

- Changed - UID Logging grid column UID After Lookup (Editable) automatically updates the UID Lookup file UID LOGTEXT field.
- Changed - Event Viewer button changed to Generate Bug Report that generates more debug info.
- Fixed - Favorites Editor wasn't showing the Audio Type channel parameter on Motorola systems.
- Fixed - Favorites Quick Keys were turned off after writing to the scanner.
- Fixed - Stability issue caused by a suspected Windows Update.

17.2

- Added - Recordings readable with the Universal Scanner Audio Player app.
- Changed - Recording active row text from White to Black for higher contrast.
- Fixed - Display Only (Borderless) wasn't showing correctly.

17.1

- Added - Custom Formatter %SI-Site Name to the BCDx36HP & SDSx00 scanner types.
- Added - UID Logging Frequency column.
- Added - Option to reset the logging Hit Counters (History, UID, & FTO) at midnight.
- Changed - Frequency input box changed to a combo box so the last 10 frequencies entered are remembered.
- Changed - Display font selection box in the options now shows only the monospaced fonts.
- Changed - ProScan now targets the .NET Framework 4.8. Runs on Win 7 SP1 and above.
- Fixed - Close Calls were not always logging due to a firmware issue.
- Fixed - Editing the Recorder Notes & Save columns were not retained when a new recording started.

17.0

- Fixed - Importing from the Sentinel Database wasn't showing all the parameters correctly.
- Fixed - SDSx00 scanners - Wasn't logging the UIDs on conventional P25 systems. Display needs to be in Detail mode.
- Added - Logging & Recording grids - Right click copies the selected rows to the Win Clipboard.
- Added - Web Server - Server Mute button on the web page to indicate and control the server side mute icon.
- Changed - Reset Hit Counter button now resets all the grid entries and not just the new entries.
- Improved - Sessions Manager all around.

16.9

- Added - RRDB Import - Import Only Control Channels option.
- Added - Option for setting the default tree expand level when opening a database or reading from the scanner.
- Added - Check All button to the System and Dept/Site Quick Key Status tabs.
- Added - UID Logging - System/Site-Group-Channel column.
- Added - Maximum Recording Time option - Added 1, 2, 3, & 4 minutes.
- Fixed - DMA digital scanners - One digit NAC's wasn't being shown in the History logging.
- Fixed - DMA scanners - 8 digit TGID's were not logging.
- Fixed - Bandscope wasn't appearing when the Scanner Type was set to BCD996T, BCT15, & BCD396T scanners.

16.8

- Changed - RSOIP Published Servers list now auto updates each minute.
- Fixed - RRDB Import wasn't always importing location data on conventional systems.
- Fixed - Dragging database nodes was acting sluggish. Broke in ver. 16.6.

16.7

- Added - Favorites Editor - Added Record parameter to the UID Channels.
- Added - Shortcuts to the Database file & operations menus.
- Added - Timer indicator on the Favorites Read & Write scanner dialog for when executing the MSM command.
- Improved - Database sort time decreased.
- Fixed - Favorites Editor - System & Channel Record parameter wasn't retained after reading from the scanner.
- Fixed - BCD436HP & UBCD3600XLT - Hold button on the Display Only view wasn't working.
- Fixed - RSOIP Client - Recorder would turn off intermittently.
- Fixed - History & UID Logging Hit Counters wasn't working if the System Name contained a comma.

16.6

- Fixed - Favorites Editor - During a Scanner Read or Write operation, a prompt would appear indicating that a Favorite has changed when it hadn't.
- Fixed - History Grid wasn't updating the frequency column when the frequency changed on the same transmission.
- Fixed - Memory leak.

16.5

- Added - Favorites Scanner Read and Scanner Write options "Copy & Replace" and "Copy With New Name" if scanner and ProScan data mismatch.
- Added - Favorites MRU (Most Recently Used) to the File menu.
- Added - Logging and Recorder - Copy the grid contents to a file function.
- Fixed - Find & Replace was missing the conventional channels Audio Option.
- Fixed - Recorder option "Delete < 2 Seconds Recording Entries From Grid And File" wasn't working in VOX mode.

16.4

- Added - Recorder support for network drives.
- Added - Web Server - Web page Audio Player status indicator.
- Fixed - Win 7 & Vista couldn't activate license.
- Fixed - Recordings were disappearing under a certain condition.
- Fixed - Recorder wasn't working correctly under a certain condition.

16.3

- Fixed - SDS200 FTP Scanner Read & FTP Scanner Write functions may show an error when trying to log in. Broke in version 16.1.
- Fixed - UID Lookup file wasn't working right. Broke in version 16.1.
- Fixed - When the virtual scanner knobs are selected, and ProScan loses focus and then regains focus, the knobs are no longer selected.

16.2

- Added - Favorites - Centering text tags option based on display length.
- Added - RadioReference Import dialog - Buttons for checking and unchecking site and talk group nodes.
- Changed - RSOIP removed g729 audio codec.
- Fixed - Audio MP3 encoding was producing intermittent corruption on recordings & streaming when using the BCD536HP Wi-Fi & SDS200 LAN as the audio source.
- Fixed - Copying UID Logging to the Favorites list wasn't working right.
- Fixed - Favorites - Find & Replace was missing UnitIDs.
- Fixed - Favorites - Rebanded systems wasn't importing correctly from the RRDB.

16.1

- Added - Favorites Editor now supports importing from the Sentinel (HPDB) database. Right Click to append to Favorites list.
- Improved - Web Server - Removed the Burst Buffer which decreases the latency by about 8 seconds.
- Fixed - Virtual display may not show when transmissions are received if the option Activity Display Back Color is set to None.
- Fixed - BCD536HP Wi-Fi and SDS200 LAN audio most stable now.

16.0

- Added - Select Activity Display Back Colors by Alert Color or Service Types.
- Added - Virtual Alert Light stays on during transmission.
- Added - Custom Formatters - Alert Light, Service Type, & Service Type Color.
- Added - Import RadioReference dialog now can stay open without closing for going back and forth to the ProScan database.
- Added - Recorder popup message if path & file exceeds OS limitation of 260 characters.
- Fixed - Importing from the RadioReference DB - Motorola systems with band plans wasn't calculating the upper frequencies.
- Fixed - Favorites location rectangles was disappearing under certain conditions.

15.7

- Fixed - The History, UID, & FTO logging may stop working after clicking the Delete All Rows button.
- Fixed - BCD996P2 & BCD325P2 scanners - NXDN RAN & Area codes wasn't importing from the RRDB.
- Fixed - Google Maps external browsers (Except Edge/IE) update nodes with new location and size.

15.6

- Fixed - UID Logging and FTP Logging broke in version 15.5.

15.5

- Added - BCDx36HP & SDSx00 scanners - Selectable Favorites when writing to the scanner.
- Added - BCDx36HP & SDSx00 scanners - Web Server button on Web Page to reboot BCDx36HP and SDSx00 scanners when logged in as Super User.
- Fixed - BCDx36HP & SDSx00 scanners - The NAC's wasn't importing correctly from the RRDB when importing conventional P25 frequencies.
- Fixed - BCDx36HP & SDSx00 scanners - Favorites Editor - Not all system parameters was showing in the Systems Options grid.
- Fixed - Logging To "History Log.txt" File wasn't logging start time & duration correctly.
- Fixed - RSOIP Published Servers list was missing a few states & provinces.
- Fixed - Recorder Lookup Flag From Database wasn't working on conventional systems on DMA type scanners.

15.4

- Fixed - Audio MP3 encoding was producing intermittent audio corruption. Affected the Recorder, Web Server, Source Client, & RSOIP.
- Fixed - PowerShell Scripting was starting program with errors.

15.3

- Fixed - Source Client was intermittently disconnecting from the server when using the BCD536HP Wi-Fi and SDS200 LAN.

15.2

- Added - Options to disable the logging grids.
- Improved - BCD536HP & SDS200 Audio Wi-Fi/LAN connection.
- Fixed - MP3 recordings was creating multiple rows when shouldn't and not recording audio under certain conditions.
- Fixed - Recorder options MP3 ID3v2 and WAV tags when off was writing the tags to the recording files.
- Fixed - Source Client Current Listeners stopped working when connected to Broadcastify.
- Fixed - Source Client wasn't auto connecting with the Auto Reconnect option on.
- Fixed - Set Scanner Clock (on supported models) was causing problems when used in the RSOIP Client mode.

15.1

- Fixed - Recorder cosmetic problem when clicking on the grid.
- Fixed - DMT Tier 3 wasn't importing LCN's correctly from the RRDB.
- Added - MP3 synchronized text tags and WAV text tags to the recording files.
- Added - SDS100E, SDS200E, & USDS100 support.
- Added - Favorite Name added to the Custom Formatters.
- Added - UID column to the Recorder grid.

15.0

- Fixed - Web Browser was intermittent refreshing in some cases.

- Fixed - SDS200 FTP Write was intermittent in some cases.
- Fixed - Scanner type set to SDS100 or SDS200 was causing program to appear locked up in some cases.
- Fixed - Trunking channels Priority parameter wasn't showing on DMA type scanners.
- Fixed - BCDx36HP Selective recordings wasn't working on conventional systems.
- Added - Web Server - Now can add HTML, JavaScript, & Styles in the Web_Server_User_HTML.htm file.
- Added - Right click menu items on Database tree and grid: Cut, Copy, Paste, Fill Down, & Fill Series.

14.8

- Added - NXDN Trunk & NXDN One-Freq Support for the BCD325P2 & BCD996P2.

14.7

- Fixed - Copy & Paste and Drag & Drop wasn't working correctly.
- Fixed - Find Duplicates was missing Trunk UIDs.
- Added - SDS200 Favorites FTP Scanner Read & FTP Scanner Write.
- Added - Send MSM (Mass Storage Mode) Command To Scanner button on the Scanner Read & Scanner Write dialog window.

14.6

- Fixed - Month/Day Format option set to "dd/MM/yy" was causing multiple problems with the History and Recording grids.
- Changed - Database grids selected row now showing the whole row selected making it easier to see which row is being edited.
- Changed - Broadcast Lockout File - Now using the System Name for the BCDx36HP and SDS series scanners. Before was using the Site Name.
- Changed - BCDx36HP and SDS series scanners - Maximum text length on names changed to 64 characters.

14.5

- Fixed - SDS200 Volume and Squelch knobs wasn't going to maximum value.
- Fixed - BCDx36HP & SDSx00 - Lookup Record Flag From Database wasn't working. Added Record check boxes to the conventional frequencies and TGID grids.
- Added - Option to change the Month/Day to Day/Month format.
- Added - Option to show scroll bars on main tabs when some of the controls appear off screen.

14.4

- Fixed - Google Map - Address mapping stopped working.
- Fixed - Recording option - Delete < 2 Seconds Recording Entries wasn't deleting the file.
- Fixed - BCDx36 & SDS100 - Importing RadioReference DMR systems then writing to scanner was changing system type to P25.
- Fixed - DMA scanners - DMR One-Freq Trunk Systems wasn't importing from RadioReference.
- Fixed - Web Server - Web Page wasn't showing file modified date when serving files (recordings).
- Fixed - BCD436HP, UBCD3600XLT, & SDS100 - Big Knob double clicking wasn't working.
- Fixed - BCD536HP Wi-Fi audio streaming to Broadcastify/Icecast servers was intermittent.
- Fixed - Web Server problem with changing passwords and users still logged on with old passwords.
- Fixed - Memory leak with the mp3 encoding process causing crashes.
- Added - Web Server - Function button on the web page in case the browser or OS touch screen not responsive to double clicks.
- Added - Recorder Grid File Explorer buttons.
- Added - SDS100/SDS200 Favorites Editor - Filter Settings Sites & Departments (Conv. Systems).
- Added - Auto Detect IP Capable Scanners.

14.3

- Fixed - UBCD3600XLT support wasn't reading from scanner correctly.
- Fixed - A few users reported an activation issue with a message popup "Could not establish trust relationship for the SSL/TLS secure channel."
- Fixed - DMA digital scanners NAC two digit format wasn't being logged.
- Fixed - Web Server Serving Folders & Files wasn't responding if lots of Folders and Files in the Serve folder.
- Added - SDS100 display now supports back colors.
- Added - Added the "Modulation" attribute to MotoTRBO, DMR, and NXDN systems.

14.2

- Changed - BCD436HP layout like the SDS100.
- Changed - Import RadioReference option "Don't Import Encrypted Channels" now includes conventional and not just TGID channels.

14.1

- Fixed - SDS100 display cosmetic issues.
- Fixed - Favorites Editor(BCDx36HP, SDS100) wasn't importing ProScan files Conventional systems correctly.

14.0

- Added - SDS100 Support.
- Added - Web Server - HTML Head Title text box so the web browser tab or title area will show customized text.
- Changed - Web Server - Renamed the Title text box to Header.
- Fixed - BCDX36HP Favorites Editor wasn't center justifying text tags correctly.
- Fixed - BCDX36HP Favorites Editor Get Clipboard wasn't importing UID's correctly.
- Fixed - BCDX36HP Favorites Editor RRDB import incorrectly importing P25 Phase II systems as X2-TDMA.
- Fixed - Get Clipboard was importing text tags in upper case.
- Fixed - XT scanners Database wasn't exporting site frequencies.

12.13

- Fixed - Location Range in Favorites Editor wasn't allowing decimal point.
- Fixed - Importing Unit ID's from Clipboard to BCDX36HP wasn't working.
- Fixed - Importing from the RRDB - NXDN IDAS Type D TGID's wasn't formatted correctly.
- Fixed - Web Server intermittent exemptions (errors).
- Fixed - BCD536HP Wi-Fi - Source Client streaming to Broadcastify / Icecast / Shoutcast servers will now stay connected if the Wi-Fi goes down or glitches.
- Added - BCDX36HP Favorites Editor message when finished reading & writing to the scanner.
- Added - BCDX36HP Favorites Editor 'Monitor' parameter.
- Added - History Import to BCDX36HP Favorites.

12.12

- Fixed - Importing from RRDB and clipboard NXDN RAN tones was importing as DCS tones on conventional frequencies.
- Fixed - BCDx36HP Favorites Editor - Department and Dept / Site Quick Key Status broke.

12.11

- Fixed - Importing from RadioReference NXDN system LCN's wasn't correct.

12.10

- Fixed - NXDN Conventional channels Audio Type now includes NEXEDGE & IDAS Area.

12.9

- Added - Web Server Metadata Delay option now delays the Display too so the audio and data appear in sync.
- Added - Recording Option - Recording Files When Deleted Send To Recycle Bin (100 times slower when checked).
- Added - BCD436HP & BCD536HP NXDN support.
- Fixed - Database Quick Key Status grid wasn't scrolling far enough to show all the systems.
- Fixed - Web Server - Server slow to respond when serving folders & files if thousands of files.

12.8

- Fixed - DMR One Frequency systems not importing correctly from the RRDB.
- Fixed - Web Server Status Log was displaying erroneous client disconnects.
- Fixed - Importing from RRDB rebanded systems not setting Band Plan.
- Fixed - Importing from RRDB option "Don't Import Encrypted TGID Channels" wasn't working.
- Added - Web Server browser now has a File Explorer showing files such as Recordings.
- Added - Update Scanner Clock upon start up and once a day option for the BCD436HP & BCD536HP.

12.7

- Fixed - RSOIP Published Servers Country field not looking up State/Province.
- Fixed - DMR Conventional Networked systems wasn't importing from RRDB as DMR One Frequency system type.
- Fixed - Google Maps not displaying Rectangles correctly for the BCDx36HP scanners.
- Fixed - Google Maps JavaScript errors if system name contained quotes.
- Fixed - Detached scanner window wasn't centering correctly.
- Added - Database Lockout Frequencies and Talk Groups now showing the counts.
- Added - Web Server - Option to Push the data to the Web Page verses the original Polling method for faster updates.
- Added - Find & Replace - Change Alert Color based on Service Type on BCDx36HP scanners.

12.6

- Fixed - RSOIP client audio stuttering and noise burst. Problem was introduced when the RSOIP Server streaming Wi-Fi audio was fixed.
- Fixed - Cursor flashing when the scanner not communicating with the ProScan.

12.5

- Added - BCD996P2 P25 Threshold located in the Database General Settings. Firmware minimum version required 1.07.09.
- Fixed - BCD536HP Wi-Fi icon wasn't showing on the display when signal level 1 or 2.
- Fixed - Resume Scan/Search With Lockout on didn't work right.

12.4

- Added - Windows Keyboard Shortcuts to all text boxes (Select All, Cut, Copy, Paste, Redo, Undo).
- Changed - Import Clipboard wasn't getting Unit ID's.
- Fixed - Find & Replace wasn't working correctly.
- Fixed - Sorting Talk Group ID's on EDACS system type.
- Fixed - RSOIP Client MP3 decoding wasn't good audio with the BCD536HP Wi-Fi.
- Fixed - Primary and secondary sort on History, Recording, UID, FTO grids.

12.3

- Added - Lockout and Temp Lockout added to the Resume Scan / Search function.
- Added - Mute all instances with a click of the Speaker Icon.
- Added - Mute selected instances using the Sessions Manager.
- Added - Metadata File Option to read all lines, 1st line, & last line.

- Changed - Notch Filter from 4000 to 6000 Hz maximum.
- Fixed - Source Client Stream Name text box wasn't showing when set to Broadcastify.
- Fixed - C-Ch Output wasn't showing P25 and DMR messages.
- Fixed - Remote Scanner Over IP Client intermittent mp3 audio break up.
- Fixed - Database FTO grid wasn't saving or uploading the Record column.
- Fixed - When Sorting the History, UID, FTO, & Recorder logging grids using two columns to sort, the previous column sort direction wasn't working.

12.2

- Fixed - MotoTRBO Frequencies LCN values was limiting the length to 2 digits. Now length can be up to 4 digits.
- Fixed - Find Duplicates database utility was causing program crashes.
- Fixed - Source Client intermittent disconnects.

