

## WORLD WIDE SEARCH UTILITY:

These days there are some really excellent pieces of software coming out of Canada, all are very useful aids for NDBers, and all are completely free! The first two shown here are produced (and continue to be developed and updated) by an Ontario Navaid Technician, Radio Amateur, and keen NDB enthusiast **Alex Wiecek, VE3GOP**. The best of these is the “**WWSU**” (World Wide Search Utility), which is a searchable database of most of the world’s NDBs, DGPS Beacons and Navtex Stations. This is very useful for NDB and LF enthusiasts, and Alex continues to develop this and bring out new versions at regular intervals. One other thing I really like about it is that you can also customise it and add your own updates and additions, which means that you always have current info at your fingertips when you search for it. For more information check out Alex’s website, you can download the very latest version there, or find it at various software download sites on the Internet.

**Creator:** Alex Wiecek, VE3GOP  
**Price:** \$15 US for the registered version, trial version is free.

<http://www.ve3gop.com/files.htm>

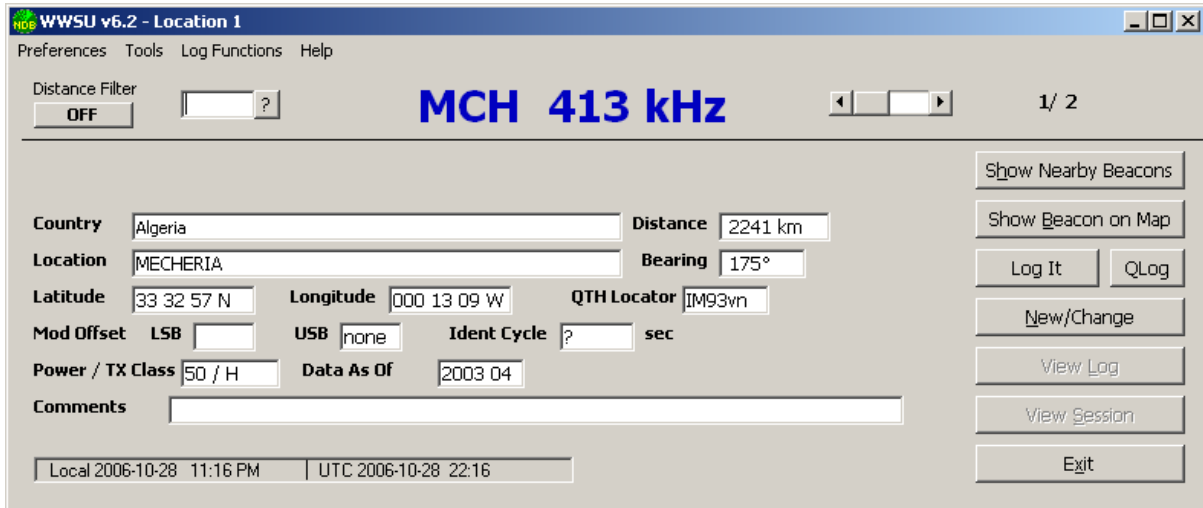
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**Below:** *WWSU Interface screen dumps:*



This is a wonderful programme, and is most definitely worth registering for the modest figure of just \$15 US, as this will give you access to any future versions, and support from the creator. Not only that but you get a nicely personalised start-up interface with your name on it!:-)

This programme is in use by many NDB Dxers, and is well recommended.



Above: This is the 'search' interface:

Below: This is the innovative 'Beacon Radar' which the user can set to any distance required:

