HOW I RECEIVE SSTV IMAGES FROM THE INTERNATIONAL SPACE STATION

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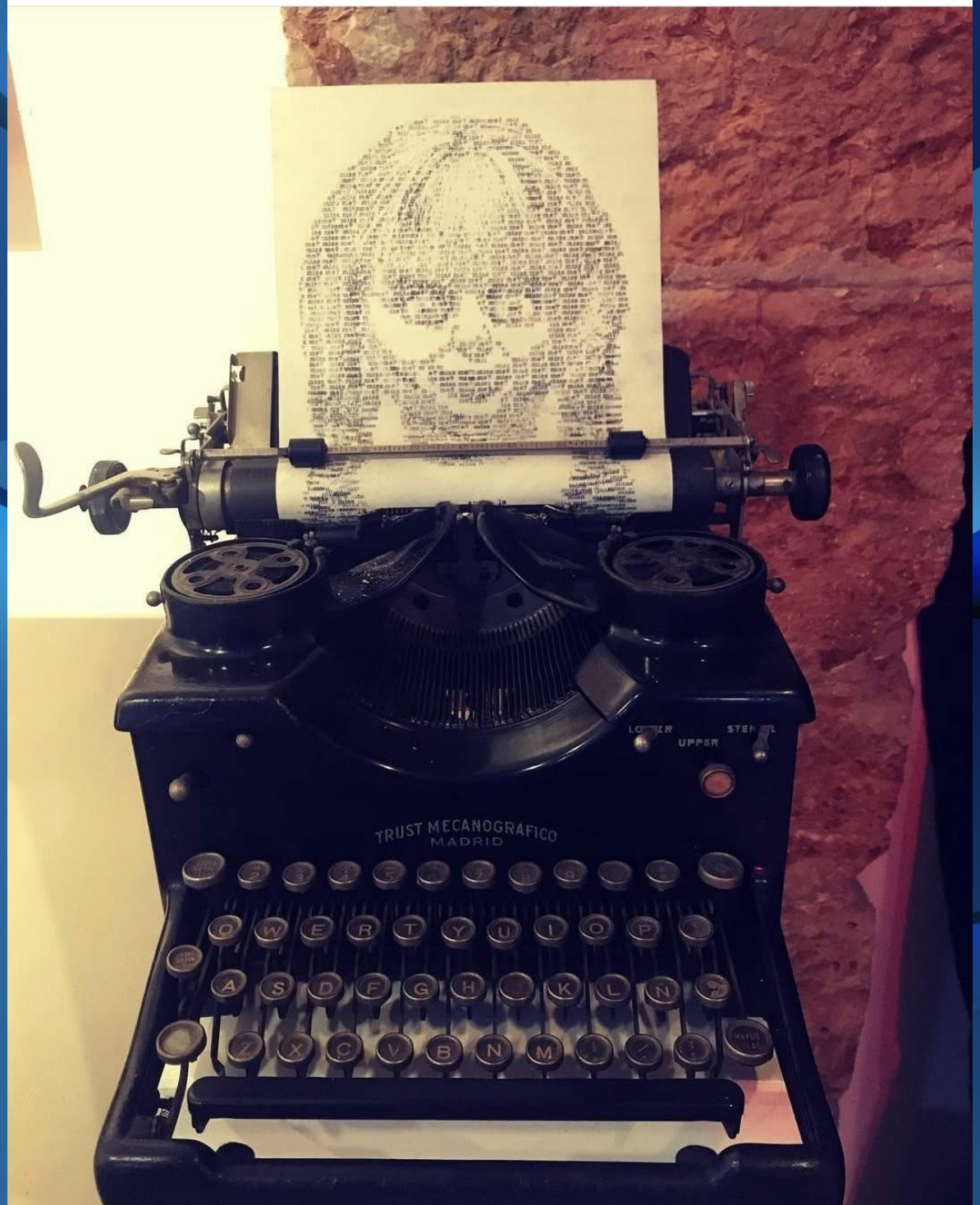
Vintage SSTV



EQUIPMENT

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HIGH GAIN IS NOT REQUIRED

CLEAR VIEW OF SKY IS DESIRED

SIMPLE ANTENNA WORK VERY WELL

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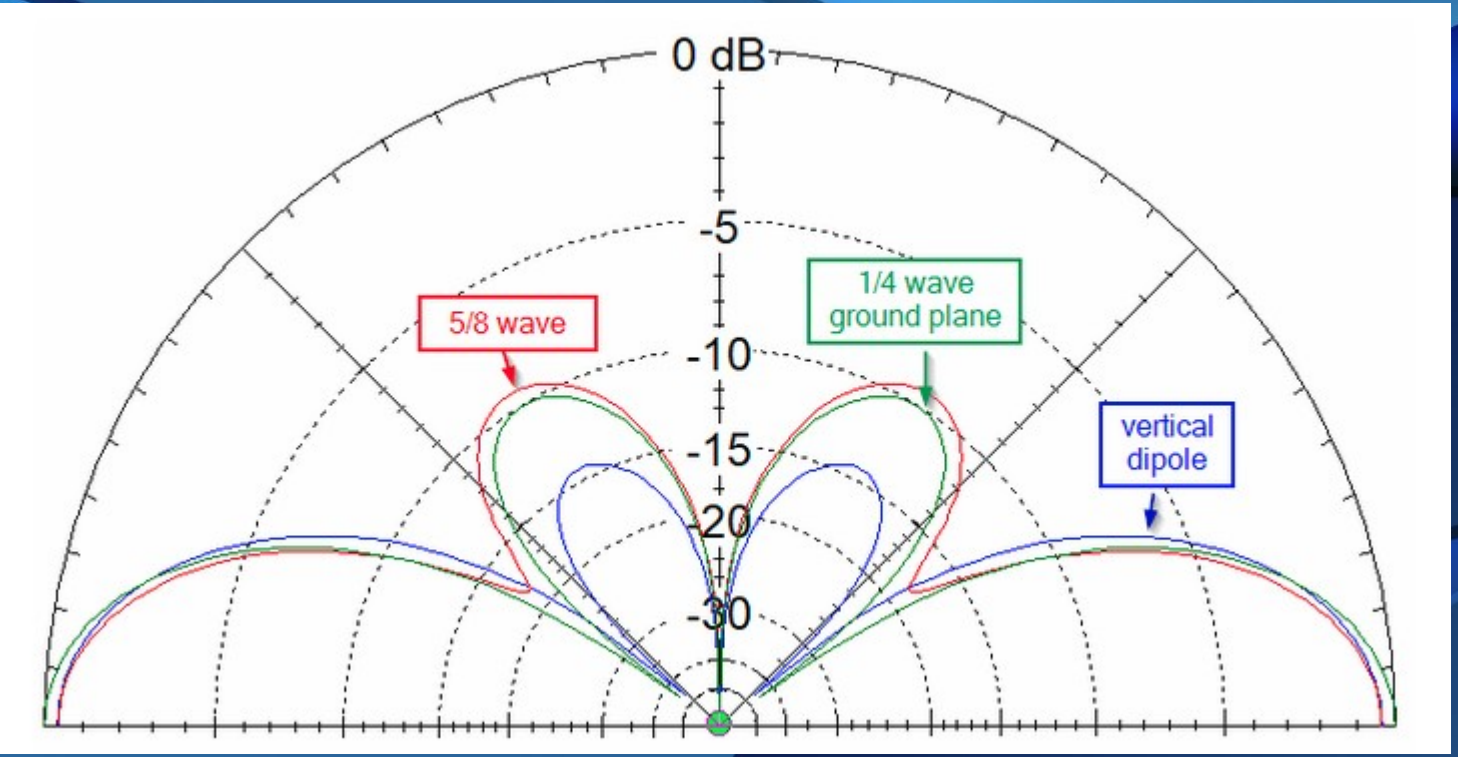
Problem with a vertical?



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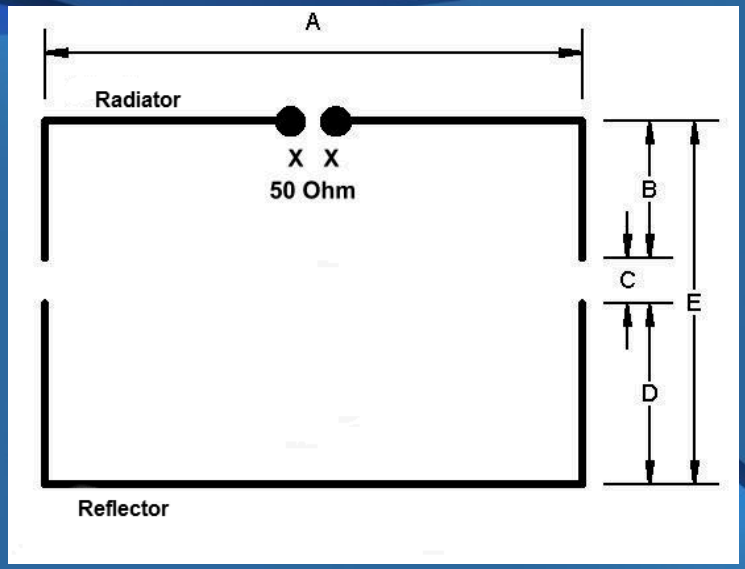
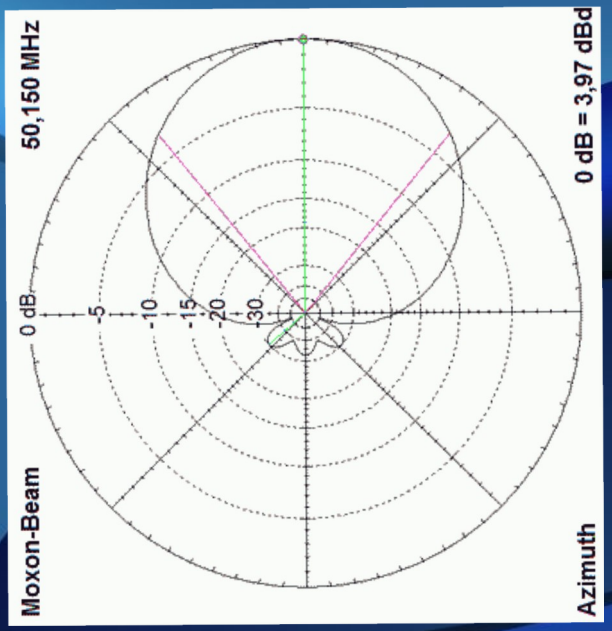
I use a Moxon:





RADIO

TWO METER VHF FM RADIO

FREQUENCY: 145.800 MHz

DON’T WORRY ABOUT DOPPLER SHIFT

SOUND CARD

COMPUTER SOUND CARDS ARE NOT RECOMMENDED
- 44.1 KHz response

ANY SOUND CARD USED FOR DIGITAL MODE WORK

SIMPLE USB DONGLE WORKS VERY WELL
- 48 Khz response
- $8 - $10 from Amazon
- Cable to connect radio to sound card mic

COMPUTER

LAPTOP

DESKTOP

RASPBERRY PI

OPERATING SYSTEM:
Linux, Windows

SOFTWARE

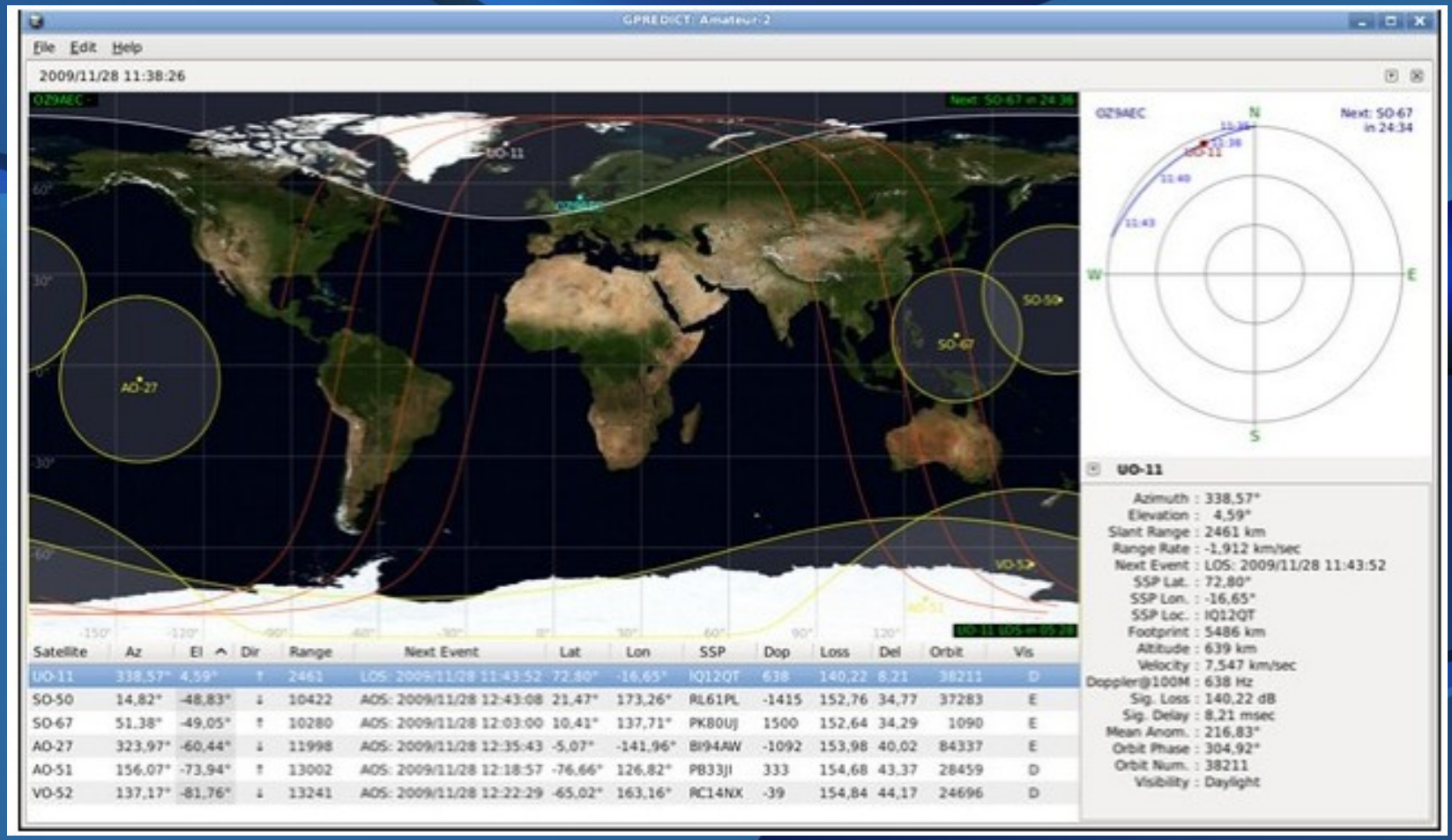
DEPENDS ON OPERATING SYSTEM

SATELLITE TRACKING SOFTWARE:
- FOR LINUX: GPREDICT
- FOR WINDOWS: ORBITRON

IMAGE DECODING:
- FOR LINUX: QSSTV
- FOR WINDOWS: MMSSTV

THERE ARE OTHER OPTIONS AVAILABLE FOR BOTH OS

GPREDICT



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SO-50	14,82°	-48,83°	↓	10422	AOS: 2009/11/28 12:43:08	21,47°	173,26°	RL61PL	-1415	152,76	34,77	37283	E
SO-67	51,38°	-49,05°	↑	10280	AOS: 2009/11/28 12:03:00	10,41°	137,71°	PK80UJ	1500	152,64	34,29	1090	E
AO-27	323,97°	-60,44°	↓	11998	AOS: 2009/11/28 12:35:43	-5,07°	-141,96°	BI94AW	-1092	153,98	40,02	84337	E
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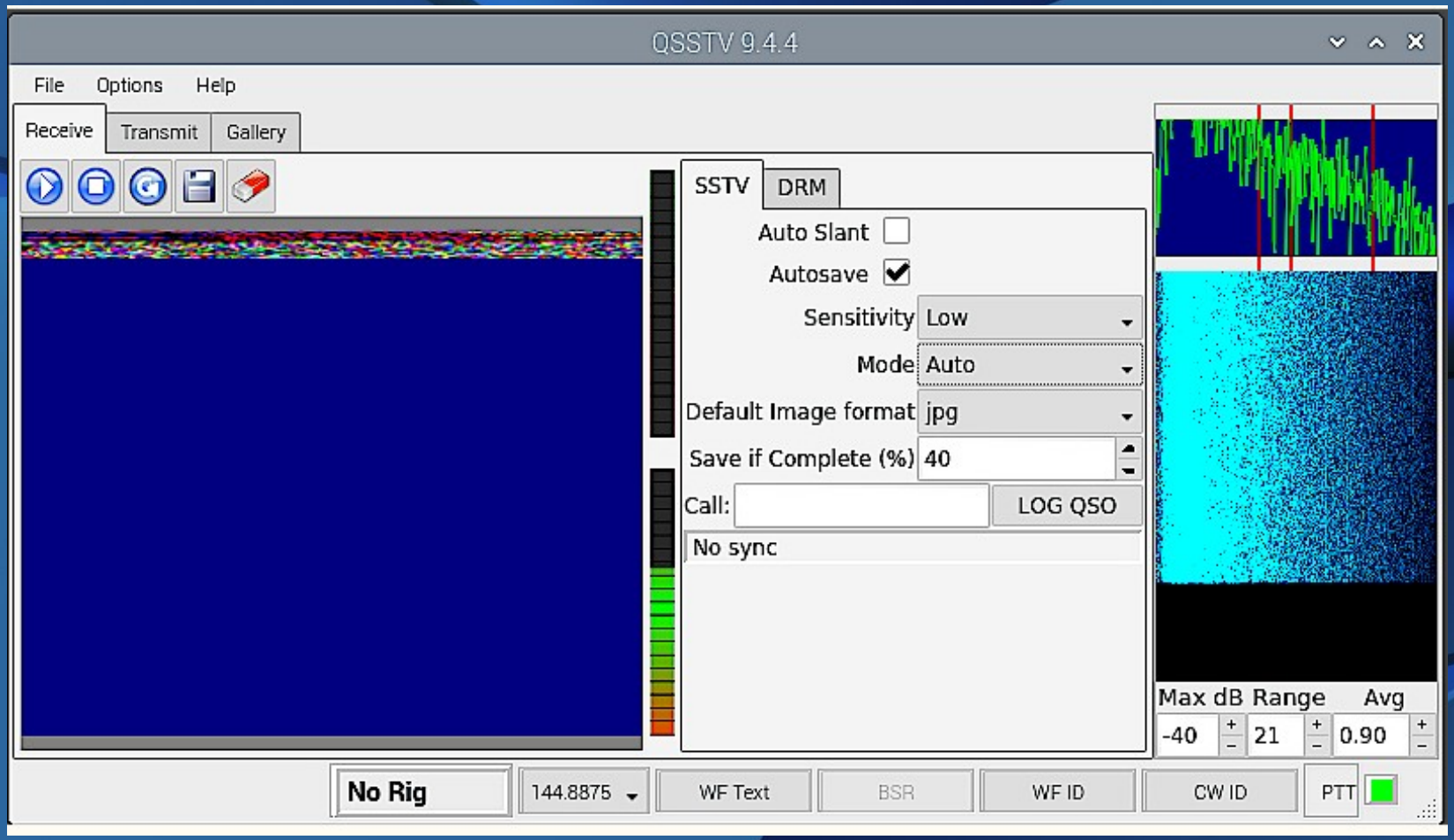
QSSTV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SOME IMAGES


40th Anniversary of Amateur
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Apollo Soyuz 50th
Anniversary
Soyuz (R) and Apollo (L) Launches
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SOFTWARE SOURCES

GPREDICT:
github.com/csete/gpredict

QSSTV:
github.com/ON4QZ/qsstv

ISS SCHEDULED TRANSMISSION:
ariss.org/upcoming-sstv-events.html

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

amasat.org.uk/beginners/iss-sstv

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=H4yHEtHGm_7