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 * Tower bell instruments in this *
 * geographic area are divided into *
 * three groups as follows: *
 * Carillons *
 * Chimes (8 to 22 bells) & rings *
 * Great bells (in M.I.L. only) *
 *
 * Within each part, sites are listed *
 * alphabetically by city. *

 Telephone country code: 39

Bass bell pitch estimated from weight
 estimate of 3/4 ton; keyboard range
 and missing chromatics assumed from
 the number of bells. Whether original
 baton keyboard survives is unknown.
 VENEGONO ITALY
 *Location:
 Seminario
 Venegono, Milano, Italy
 LL: N 45.7, E 8.9

 - Chimes and rings -

 ALTISSIMO - A ITALY
 *Location:
 Chiesa di Altissimo
 Altissimo, Vicenza, Italy
 ALTISSIMO - M ITALY
 *Location:
 Chiesa di Molino
 Altissimo, Vicenza, Italy

BOLOGNA ITALY
 *Location:
 Santuario del SS.Crocifisso
 Piazza xx Settembre
 Castel San Pietro Terme
 Bologna (Bologne),
 Emilia-Romagna, Italy
 LL: N 44.403, E 11.587
 *Contact:
 Ufficio Turismo
 di Castel San Pietro Terme
 piazza xx Settembre
 T: 051/6954198 F: 051/6942090
 E: turismo@cspietro.provincia.bo.it
 *Remarks:
 Bells by Brighenti of Bologna;
 largest c.1100 kg

ARZIGNANO ITALY
 *Location:
 Chiesa di Arzignano
 Arzignano, Vicenza, Italy

MESSINA ITALY
 *Location:
 Santuario de Montalto
 Messina, Sicilia (Sicily), Italy
 LL: N 38.2, E 15.5

BARI ITALY
 *Location:
 Chiesa di S.Giuseppe
 Bari, Puglia, Italy

ROMA ITALY
 *Location:
 S.Paulo intra Muros
 (St.Paul's within the Walls,
 American Episcopal)
 (S.Paolo entro le Mura)
 Via Napoli & Via Nazionale
 Roma (Rome), Lazio, Italy
 LL: N 41.90113, E 12.49409
 *Carillonist:
 Stefano Vasselli,
 Organist & Director of Music
 E: music@stpaulsrome.it
 *Contact:
 St.Paul's Church
 Via Napoli 58
 00184 Roma
 T: 06/4883339 F: 06/4814568
 E: office@stpaulsrome.it
 *Remarks:

BERGAMO ITALY
 *Location:
 Basilica di Santa Maria Maggiore
 Bergamo Alto, Lombardia, Italy
 *Remarks:
 Bells by Giacomo Crespi, Crema.

BOVOLONE ITALY
 *Location:
 Chiesa di Bovolone
 Bovolone, Veneto, Italy

BREGANZE ITALY
 *Location:
 Chiesa di Breganze
 Breganze, Vicenza, Italy
 *Remarks:
 Bells by De Poli, Udine.

BRENTINO ITALY
 Val d'Adige
 Veronese system, 5 or 6 bells

BRESCIA ITALY
 Lombardy
 Veronese system, number unknown

BUSSOLENGO ITALY
 *Location:
 Chiesa di Bussolengo
 Bussolengo, Verona, Italy

CASTEL D'ARIO ITALY
 *Location:

Chiesa di Castel d'Ario Castel d'Ario, Mantova, Italy	Chiesa di S.Syro Gropo, Vicenza, Italy *Remarks: Reversible keyboard. Largest 2 bells (18.5 cwt, 13 cwt) swing when detached from keyboard.	Montegaldella, Vicenza, Italy NEGRAR ITALY *Location: Chiesa di Torbe Negrar, Verona, Veneto, Italy
CASTELNOVO NE' MONTI ITALY The Capanni Bellfoundry, Castelnovo ne' Monti, Emilia, Italy, has a mobile set of 6 bells hung for Veronese-system full-circle ringing.	LONIGO ITALY *Location: Chiesa di Lonigo Lonigo, Vicenza, Italy	OSTIGLIA ITALY *Location: Chiesa di Ostiglia Ostiglia, Mantova, Italy
CHIAMPO - SDP ITALY *Location: Chiesa di Sant.della Pieve Chiampo, Vicenza, Italy	LORETO ITALY *Location: Santuario di Loreto Loreto, Ancona, Marche, Italy *Remarks: Bells by Bernardino da Rimini, electrified in 1960.	PADOVA ITALY *Location: Chiesa di Arcella Padova (Padua), Padova, Italy
CHIAMPO - SM ITALY *Location: Chiesa di S.Martino Chiampo, Vicenza, Italy	MALAVICINA ITALY *Location: Chiesa di Malavicina Malavicina, Mantova, Italy	PESCANTINA ITALY *Location: Campanile Chiesa di Pescantina Pescantina, Verona, Italy
CHIETI ITALY Abruzzo Veronese system, number unknown	MILANO ITALY *Location: Chiesa di Sacro Cuore Milano (Milan), Lombardia, Italy	PESCHIERA DEL GARDA ITALY *Location: Santuario Madonna del Frassino Peschiera del Garda, Verona, Veneto, Italy *Remarks: Bells by De Poli foundry.
COLOGNOLA AI COLLI ITALY *Location: Chiesa di Colognola "in the hills near Verona" Colognola ai Colli, Verona, (Veneto,) Italy *Remarks: Bells by Cavadini.	MONTAGNANA ITALY *Location: Chiesa di Saletto Montagnana, Padova, Italy	RECCO ITALY *Location: Chiesa di S.Maria Campo Rapallo Recco, Genova, Liguria, Italy *Remarks: Ligurian keyboard.
COLONNA ITALY *Location: Chiesa di S.Alessandro Colonna, Bergamo, Italy *Remarks: Bells by Pruneri, Grosio (SO).	MONTEBELLO ITALY *Location: Chiesa di Montebello Montebello, Vicenza, Italy	ROVERÈ VERONESE ITALY *Location: Chiesa di Roverè Roverè Veronese, Verona, Italy
DESIO ITALY *Location: (unknown) Desio, Milano, Lombardia, Italy *Remarks: Milanese system; tenor 72 cwt	MONTECCHIO MAGGIORE ITALY *Location: Chiesa di Montecchio Maggiore Montecchio Maggiore, Vicenza, Italy	SAN PIETRO DI LAVAGNO ITALY *Location: Chiesa di S.Pietro S.Pietro di Lavagno, Verona, Italy
CREMONA ITALY Cremona, Lombardy Veronese system, number unknown	MONTEFORTE ITALY *Location: Chiesa di Brognoligo Monteforte, Verona, Italy	SELVA DI PROGNO ITALY *Location: Chiesa di Selva di Progno Selva di Progno, Verona, Italy
FORLI ITALY Forlì, Emilia Romagna Veronese system, number unknown	MONTEFORTE D'ALPONE ITALY *Location: Chiesa di Monteforte Monteforte D'Alpone, Veneto, Italy	SESTRI LEVANTE ITALY *Location: Chiesa di Cristo Re Sestri Levante,
GENOVA (GENOA) - see - SESTRI LEVANTE	MONTEGALDELLA ITALY *Location: Chiesa di Montegaldella	
GROPPO ITALY *Location:		

Genova (Genoa), Liguria, Italy	Chiesa di Gesù Divino Lavoratore Verona, Verona, Veneto, Italy	Vicenza, Vicenza, Italy
SOMMACAMPAGNA - C ITALY	VERONA - MV ITALY	VICENZA - SF ITALY
*Location: Chiesa di Caselle Sommacampagna, Verona, (Veneto,) Italy	*Location: Chiesa di Montorio Veron. Verona, Verona, Veneto, Italy	*Location: Chiesa di SS.Felice e Fortunato Vicenza, Vicenza, Italy
SOMMACAMPAGNA - S ITALY	VERONA - SA ITALY	VICENZA - SL ITALY
*Location: Chiesa di Sommacampagna Sommacampagna, Verona, (Veneto,) Italy	*Location: Chiesa di Santa Anastasia Verona, Verona, Veneto, Italy	*Location: Chiesa di S.Lorenzo Vicenza, Vicenza, Italy
TORINO ITALY	VERONA - SG ITALY	VICENZA - SM ITALY
*Location: La Pace Torino (Turin), Piemonte, Italy	*Location: Chiesa di S.Giuseppe F.M. Verona, Verona, Veneto, Italy	*Location: Chiesa di S.Marco Vicenza, Vicenza, Italy
VALDAGNO ITALY	VERONA - SM ITALY	VICENZA - SR ITALY
*Location: Valdagno Duomo (Cathedral) Valdagno, Vicenza, Italy	*Location: Chiesa di S.Massimo Verona, Verona, Veneto, Italy	*Location: Chiesa di S.Rocco Vicenza, Vicenza, Italy
VALLE DI POMPEI ITALY	VERONA - SMA ITALY	VIGASIO ITALY
*Location: Santuario Valle di Pompei, , Italy	Chiesa di Santa Maria Addolorata Verona, Verona, Veneto, Italy	*Location: Chiesa di Forette Vigasio, Verona, Veneto, Italy
*Remarks: Bells by Fratelli Marinelli di Agnone, Campobasso.	Ring of 6, c.23 cwt in E-flat, by Colbacchini of Padua, inaugurated 8 April 1993.	VILLAFRANCA PADOVANA ITALY
VENICE ITALY	VERONA - SMS ITALY	*Location: Chiesa di Villafranca Padovana Villafranca Padovana, Padova, Italy
S.Elena has the second-heaviest ring of 6 in the world (after Arzignano); tenor 44 cwt.	*Location: Chiesa di Santa Maria in Stelle Verona, Verona, Veneto, Italy	ZIMELLA ITALY
VERONA - A ITALY	VERONA - ST ITALY	*Location: Chiesa di S.Stefano di Zimella Zimella, Verona, Veneto, Italy
*Location: Chiesa di Avesa Verona, Verona, Veneto, Italy	*Location: Chiesa di Santa Teresa Verona, Verona, Veneto, Italy	ZOGNO - C ITALY
VERONA - CAD ITALY	VERONA - STC ITALY	*Location: Chiesa Zogno, Bergamo, Lombardia, Italy
*Location: Chiesa di Cadidavid (or "Ca di David") Verona, Verona, Veneto, Italy	*Location: Chiesa di S.Tommaso Cantuariense Verona, Verona, Veneto, Italy	*Remarks: Milanese system
VERONA - CAT ITALY	VESTENANOVA ITALY	ZOGNO - P ITALY
*Location: Cattedrale (Cathedral) Verona, Verona, Veneto, Italy	*Location: Chiesa di Vestenanova Vestenanova, Verona, Veneto, Italy	*Location: Portable ring Zogno, Bergamo, Lombardia, Italy
*Remarks: Bells by Cavadini. Reportedly the heaviest full-circle ringing bells in the world. In a nearby disused church is a museum with a great deal of ringing material.	VICENZA - F ITALY	*Remarks: Milanese system
VERONA - G ITALY	*Location: Chiesa di Filippini Vicenza, Vicenza, Italy	VICENZA - MB ITALY
*Location:	VICENZA - MB ITALY	*Location: Chiesa di Monte Berico

 - Great bells -

ROVERETO, Italy

On Miravalle hill near Castel Dante, in an open frame, hangs "Maria Dolens", the greatest bell in Italy. It was first cast in 1924 by Luigi Colbachini, Trento (Trent), at 11500kg; recast in 1939 by Luigi Cavadini e Figli at 17000 kg; after being broken 1960, it was recast in 1964 by Capanni, Castelnovo nei Monti, Reggio Emilia, at 22639 kg.

ROMA (Rome), Italy

Basilica di San Pietro
 (St.Peter's Basilica)
 Vaticano (Vatican City)
 E, 11000 kg, cast in 1786 by Giuseppe Valadrier, Rome.
 5 other bells hang with it.

MESSINA, Italy

Torre Guelfonia
 Tempio de Cristo Re
 D, 13200 kg, cast 1935 by Daciano Colbachini, Padova
 Rung by Veronese System, electrical.

MILANO, Italy

In the central tower or spire hangs "Maria Nascente", 8600 kg, cast in 1582 by Giovanni Battista Busca; also "Sant' Ambrogio", 4000 kg, 1576, and "di S.Barnaba", 2000 kg, 1530.

CATANIA, Sicilia (Sicily), Italy

In the Duomo (Cathedral) hangs a bell of 7616 kg, note B, cast in 1614 by Giacomo Sanfilippo e Figli.

 Count of sites listed above:

	Active	Defunct	Total
Carillon-size:	4	0	4
Chime-size:	63	0	63
Totals:	67	0	67

Location (City & Country)	Bells.	Manual/Pedal	1-2-3-4-5-6-7-8a-8b-8c-9-10-11-12-13-Lat-Long-
BOLOGNA ITALY	99 - 55:	---- / ----	I * E 1934 06 P - 4430 -1120
" " " " " "	99 - 33:	---- / ----	I * F 1929 49B " "
MESSINA ITALY	99 - 25:	---- / ----	E 78J 3813 -1533
ROMA ITALY	19 X 23:	C C / ----	E A C 1876 06 nB 6 C A 4153 -1230
VENEGONO ITALY	99 - 25:	---- / ----	1931 92 4542 -854

ALTISSIMO - A ITALY	14 - 10:	ROPE / NONE	V 92 C C 45__ -11__
ALTISSIMO - M ITALY	19 - 9:	ROPE / NONE	V 92 C C 45__ -11__
ARZIGNANO ITALY	11 - 10:	ROPE / NONE	V 92 C C 4531 -1120
BARI ITALY	99 - 20:	---- / ----	72 C C 4107 -1652
BERGAMO ITALY	99 - 8:	---- / ----	* C 1766 91 C C 4541 -943
BOVOLONE ITALY	14 - 10:	ROPE / NONE	V 92 C C 4515 -1107
BREGANZE ITALY	11 - 14:	ROPE / NONE	V * C 1890 92 C C 4542 -1134
BUSSOLENGO ITALY	13 - 9:	ROPE / NONE	V 92 C C 4528 -1051
CASTEL D'ARIO ITALY	13 - 9:	ROPE / NONE	V 92 C C 4511 -1058
CHIAMPO - SDP ITALY	14 - 9:	ROPE / NONE	V 92 C C 4533 -1117
CHIAMPO - SM ITALY	16 - 8:	ROPE / NONE	V 92 C C 4533 -1117
COLOGNOLA AI COLLI ITALY	12 - 9:	ROPE / NONE	V * C 1873 92 C C 45__ -11__
COLONNA ITALY	99 - 12:	---- / ----	* C 1904 91 C C 4__ -1__
DESIO ITALY	10 - 8:	---- / ----	* C 95W C C 4537 -913
GROPPO ITALY	99 - 8:	---- / NONE	* 91W F2 C C 44__ -9__
LONIGO ITALY	16 - 9:	ROPE / NONE	V 92 C C 4523 -1123
LORETO ITALY	7 - 9:	---- / ----	* C 1515 91 C C 4326 -1336
MALAVICINA ITALY	14 - 9:	ROPE / NONE	V 92 C C 45.. -11..
MILANO ITALY	99 - 18:	---- / ----	72 C C 4528 -912
MONTAGNANA ITALY	13 - 8:	ROPE / NONE	V 92 C C 4514 -1128
MONTEBELLO ITALY	13 - 9:	ROPE / NONE	V 92 C C 4500 -906
MONTECCHIO MAGGIORE ITALY	13 - 10:	ROPE / NONE	V 92 C C 4530 -1124
MONTEFORTE ITALY	13 - 9:	ROPE / NONE	V 92 C C 4__ -1__
MONTEFORTE D'ALPONE ITALY	13 - 9:	ROPE / NONE	V 92 C C 4525 -1117
MONTEGALDELLA ITALY	14 - 10:	ROPE / NONE	V 92 C C 45__ -11__
NEGRAR ITALY	15 - 9:	ROPE / NONE	V 92 C C 45__ -11__
OSTIGLIA ITALY	11 - 10:	ROPE / NONE	V 92 C C 4504 -1108
PADOVA ITALY	14 - 8:	ROPE / NONE	V 92 C C 4525 -1153
PESCANTINA ITALY	12 I 9:	ROPE / NONE	V 92 C C 4529 -1051
PESCHIERA DEL GARDA ITALY	17 - 9:	ROPE / NONE	V * C 1988 92W C C 4526 -1042
RECCO ITALY	99 - 12:	---- / ----	* 91W C C 4422 -909
ROVERÈ VERONESE ITALY	14 - 9:	ROPE / NONE	V 92 C C 4536 -1103
SAN PIETRO DI LAVAGNO ITALY	13 - 9:	ROPE / NONE	V 92 C C 45__ -11__
SELVA DI PROGNO ITALY	15 - 9:	ROPE / NONE	V 92 C C 45__ -11__
SESTRI LEVANTE ITALY	99 - 18:	---- / ----	1938 92 C C 4416 -924
SOMMACAMPAGNA - C ITALY	16 - 10:	ROPE / NONE	V 92 C C 4524 -1050
SOMMACAMPAGNA - S ITALY	13 - 12:	ROPE / NONE	V 92 C C 4524 -1050
TORINO ITALY	99 - 20:	---- / ----	72 C C 4503 -740
VALDAGNO ITALY	13 - 9:	ROPE / NONE	V 92 C C 4539 -1118
VALLE DI POMPEI ITALY	8 H 8:	---- / ----	* C 1923 91 C C _____
VERONA - A ITALY	14 - 9:	ROPE / NONE	V 92 C C 4527 -1100
VERONA - CAD ITALY	11 - 9:	ROPE / NONE	V 92 C C 4527 -1100
VERONA - CAT ITALY	9 - 9:	ROPE / NONE	V * C 1934 92W C C 4527 -1100
VERONA - G ITALY	19 - 9:	ROPE / NONE	V 92 C C 4527 -1100
VERONA - MV ITALY	15 - 10:	ROPE / NONE	V 92 C C 4527 -1100
VERONA - SA ITALY	13 - 9:	ROPE / NONE	V 92 C C 4527 -1100
VERONA - SG ITALY	14 - 8:	ROPE / NONE	V 92 C C 4527 -1100
VERONA - SM ITALY	13 - 9:	ROPE / NONE	V 92 C C 4527 -1100

Location (City & Country)	Bells.	Manual/Pedal	1-2-3-4---5-6--7-/8a-8b-8c-9--10----11--12-13-Lat--Long-
VERONA - SMS	ITALY	15 - 10: ROPE / NONE	V 92 C C 4527 -1100
VERONA - ST	ITALY	16 - 9: ROPE / NONE	V 92 C C 4527 -1100
VERONA - STC	ITALY	14 - 10: ROPE / NONE	V 92 C C 4527 -1100
VESTENANOVA	ITALY	14 - 10: ROPE / NONE	V 92 C C 45__ -11__
VICENZA - F	ITALY	20 - 12: ROPE / NONE	V 92 C C 4533 -1133
VICENZA - MB	ITALY	12 - 9: ROPE / NONE	V 92 C C 4533 -1133
VICENZA - SF	ITALY	19 - 9: ROPE / NONE	V 92 C C 4533 -1133
VICENZA - SL	ITALY	13 - 10: ROPE / NONE	V 92 C C 4533 -1133
VICENZA - SM	ITALY	16 - 14: ROPE / NONE	V 92 C C 4533 -1133
VICENZA - SR	ITALY	23 - 8: ROPE / NONE	V 92 C C 4533 -1133
VIGASIO	ITALY	17 - 8: ROPE / NONE	V 92 C C 45__ -11__
VILLAFRANCA PADOVANA	ITALY	14 - 10: ROPE / NONE	V 92 C C 45__ -11__
ZIMELLA	ITALY	15 - 9: ROPE / NONE	V 92 C C 4520 -1122
ZOGNO - C	ITALY	12 - 10: ROPE / NONE	* 95W C C 4548 -940
ZOGNO - P	ITALY	99 - 10: ROPE / NONE	* 95W * 4520 -1122

Count of sites listed above:

	Active	Defunct	Total
Carillon-size:	4	0	4
Chime-size:	63	0	63
Totals:	67	0	67

SUMMARY of MAKERS and their contributions.

Table of contributions by maker:

	Code	Cplt	Fndt	Intm	Extd	Rcst	Tund	Mixd	Kybd	Unkn	TOTAL
vanAerschodt	A	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
other	*	9	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	11
unknown		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	56	56
TOTALS:		10	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	56	68

Plot of site counts: Bourdon Weight Code (across) versus Number of Bells (up)

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	32	33	34	35	36	37	38	39	40	41	99	TOT	NR					
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.	0	29	
.	0	28	
.	0	27	
.	0	26	
.	2	2	25
.	0	24	
.	1	1	23

