

# Rules: 1972 CQ World-Wide DX Contest

Phone: October 28-29 & C.W.: November 25-26  
Starts 0000 GMT Sat. Ends 2400 GMT Sun.

**I. OBJECTIVE:** For amateurs around the world to contact other amateurs in as many zones and countries as they can in the contest.

**II. BANDS:** All bands, 1.8 thru 28 mHz.

**III. TYPE OF COMPETITION:** 1 Single Operator. Single Band & All Band.

2. Multi-Operator (all band operation only).

**NOTE CHANGE**  
a. Single Transmitter (only one transmitter and one band permitted during the same time period (defined as 10 minutes). *Exception:* Stations may be worked on different bands during the same time period only if they are new multipliers.

b. Multi Transmitter (no limit to transmitters but only one signal per band permitted).

**IV. NUMBER EXCHANGE:** PHONE: RS report plus zone (i.e.: 5705). C.W.: RST report plus zone (i.e.: 57905).

**V. MULTIPLIER:** Two types of multiplier will be used.

1. A multiplier of one (1) for each different zone contacted on each band.

2. A multiplier of one (1) for each different country contacted on each band.

Stations are permitted to contact their own country and zone for multiplier credit. The CQ Zone Map, DXCC country list, WAE country list and WAC boundaries are standards.

**VI. POINTS:** 1. Contacts between stations on different continents are worth three (3) points.

2. Contacts between stations on the same continent but different countries, one (1) point.

*(Exception: For North American stations only, contacts between stations within the North American boundaries count two (2) points.*

3. Contacts between stations in the same country are permitted for zone or country multiplier credit but have zero (0) point value.

**VII. SCORING:** All stations: The final score is the result of the total QSO points multiplied by the sum of your zone and country multiplier.

*Example:* 1000 QSO points  $\times$  100 multiplier (30 Zones + 70 Countries) = 100,000 (final score).

**VIII. AWARDS:** First place certificates will be awarded in each category listed under Sec. III in every participating country and in each call area of the United States, Canada, Australia and Asiatic USSR.

All scores will be published. To be eligible

for an award a Single Operator station must show a minimum of 12 hours of operation. Multi-operator stations must operate a minimum of 24 hours. A single-band log is eligible for a single-band award *only*. If a log contains more than one band it will be judged as an all-band entry, unless specified otherwise.

In countries or sections where the returns justify, 2nd and 3rd place awards will be made.

All certificates will be issued to the licensee of the station used.

**IX. TROPHIES & PLAQUES:** Handsome trophy awards will be made to the highest scoring stations in the following categories.

**Single Operator, Single Band Trophy Donors**

1. World—Phone (*Dr. Harold Megibow, K2HLB Memorial — North Jersey DX Assoc.*)

2. World—C.W. (*Earl Lucas, W2JT Memorial — North Jersey DX Assoc.*)

3. Canada—Phone (*Gene Krehbiel, VE6TP*)

4. Carib./C.A.—Phone (*G. Kuether, HR2GK*)

5. So. America—Phone (*Brazil DXers*)

**Single Operator, All Band Trophy Donors**

6. World—Phone (*Bill Leonard, W2SKE*)

7. World—C.W. (*Larry LeKashman, W9IOP*)

8. USA—Phone (*Potomac Valley Radio Club*)

9. USA—C.W. (*Frankford Radio Club*)

10. Canada—Phone (*Jack Baldwin, VE3BS*)

11. Europe—Phone (*W4BVV Operators*)

12. Europe—C.W. (*W3AU Operators*)

13. Carib./C.A.—Phone (*Harold Fox, W3AA*)

14. Carib./C.A.—C.W. (*Harold Fox, W3AA*)

15. Africa—Phone (*Gordon Marshall, W6RR*)

16. Africa—C.W. (*Gordon Marshall, W6RR*)

17. Asia—Phone (*Japan CQ Magazine*)

18. Asia—C.W. (*Japan CQ Magazine*)

19. Oceania—Phone (*No. Calif. DX Club*)

20. Oceania—C.W. (*Maui A.R.C.*)

**Multi-Operator, Single Trans. Trophy Donors**

21. World—Phone (*John Knight, W6YY*)

22. World—C.W. (*Anthony Susen, W3AOH*)

23. Canada—Phone (*Calgary A.R.A.*)

**Multi-Operator, Multi Trans. Trophy Donors**

24. World—Phone (*Radio Club Venezolano*)

25. World—C.W. (*Hazard Reeves, K2GL*)

**Contest Expedition Trophy Donors**

26. World—Phone (*Stuart Meyer, W2GHK*)

27. World—C.W. (*Donald Miller, W9WNV*)

CQ will award championship plaques to stations ineligible for a trophy.

Trophy winners may win the same trophy

