

# Rules: 1973 CQ World-Wide DX Contest

Phone: October 27-28 & C.W.: November 24-25  
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 possible.

**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).

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—N. Jersey DX Assoc.*)

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

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

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

5. So. America—Phone (*Brazil DXers*)

6. Europe—14mHz—C.W. (*Tom Martin, G2LB Memorial—From his friends*).

#### Single Operator, All Band Trophy Donors

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

8. World—C.W. (*Larry LeKashman, W8AB*)

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

10. USA—C.W. (*Frankford Radio Club*)

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

12. Europe—Phone (*W4BVV Operators*)

13. Europe—C.W. (*W3AU Operators*)

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

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

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

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

18. Asia—Phone (*Japan CQ Magazine*)

19. Asia—C.W. (*Japan CQ Magazine*)

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

21. Oceania—C.W. (*Maui A.R.C.*)

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

22. World—Phone (*John Knight, W6YY*)

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

24. Canada—Phone (*Calgary A.R.A.*)

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

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

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

#### Contest Expedition Trophy Donors

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

**World Wide DX Contest**  
Last Full Weekend of October (Phone & November) (CW)

Call Sign: **W1MDO** Phone  CW  Zone: **21** MC Band: \_\_\_\_\_

TIME GAT	STATION	SPR	REC'D	ZONE	COUNTRY	QSO POINTS
1905	G3HCT	57205	57214	14	ENGLAND	3
08	D1RPP	57214	57214		GERMANY	3
11	DM2ATD	57214	57214		EAST GERMANY	3
10	UR5WF	57214	57214	16	UKRAINE	3
23	W1WVY	57205	57205	05	U.S.A.	0
25	G4RT	57214	57214			3
32	OH8RC	57214	57215	15	FINLAND	3
40	VE8UA	57214	57204	04	CANADA	3
45	DL0WNA	57214	57214			3
47	Y0DDO	57214	57210	20	ROMANIA	3
1500	4Z4HE	57214	57220		ISRAEL	3
1315	W4GLD	57214	57203	03		0
17	KV4E2	57214	57208	08	VIRGIN ISLANDS	2
19	YV5AP7	57214	57207	07	VENEZUELA	3
21	W4WSE	57214	57204			0
31	KH4JT	57214	57231	31	HAWAII	3
44	J4RHH	56214	57235	25	JAPAN	3
48	T4WCC	56214	56214			3
82	7H4CL7	57214	57225			3
1300	K17ME	57214	57201	01	ALASKA	2
1315	OH2RM	57214	57215			3
17	H4R4G	57214	57214		SWITZERLAND	3
24	H4LDZ	57214	57214		EUR. RUSSIA	3
25	4E4NH	57214	57220		DUPLICATE	0
32	G3E2B	57214	57214			3
1600	Z4WCC	57214	57208		NEH. ANT.	3
05	Z03Z	57214	57235	35	GAMBIA	3
17	C4CA	57214	57236	36	ANGOLA	3
1820	F4FF	57214	57214		FRANCE	3
21	KV4E2	57214	57208		DUPLICATE	0
22	OK2TA	57214	57214			3
32	K61TA	57214	57240	40	GREENLAND	2
35	T4WCC	57214	57240		ICELAND	3
40	Z4WCC	57214	57235	35	SOUTH AFRICA	3
2130	T4SSZ	57214	57225			3
15	Z4WCC	57214	57225		DUPLICATE	0
31	J47HE	56214	57215			3
2300	VK2MO	57214	57230	30	AUSTRALIA	3
24	K42AB	57214	57225			3
51	V64DD	56214	57224	24	HONG KONG	3
37				18	25	98

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QSO's (Initials duplicated)      TOTALS (This Page Only)      (Zones)      (Countries)      (Points)

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Last Full Weekend of October (Phone & November) (CW)

Year: **1972**

Call Sign: **W6DGH** Country: **U.S.A.**

Single Operator:  Phone  Single Band  CW  
Multi-Operator (All Band Only):  Single Band  Multi-Operator

QSO's (Initials duplicated)	QSO Points	Zone Multiplier	Country Multiplier	Score
1.0 mc	1	0	1	1.0 mc
2.0 mc	46	116	19	30
7.0 mc	49	130	18	23
14 mc	164	458	39	67
31 mc	578	1714	31	69
60 mc	175	495	27	59
All Bands	1013	2713	129	249
				1,101, 114

NOV in contest. QSO Points & Zones & Countries & Final Score  
EXAMPLE: 1000 QSO Points (100 Zones & 70 Countries) = 100,000 points

Station Description: **KWS-1 75A-3**

Antennas: **2-1(40) 4-1(20) 7-1(15) 5-1(10)**  
**DIPLOLE (10-100) 2-1 QUAD 10-10-30**

Operator: \_\_\_\_\_

Make the biggest call in Contest, remember story, comments, etc.)  
**TRIMM HOME HERE ON THE WEST COAST!**

Club Competition: **Whitman 3 legal - SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA DX CLUB**

Use to qualify club in this contest. Name optional on form. Other clubs for  
members of any bands and have observed fully the rules and regulations of the  
contest.

Phone or Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Signature: *Richard T. Norton*

Name: **RICHARD T. NORTON** Call: **W6DGH**

Address: **2120 WEST HILLSIDE DRIVE**

City: **TORANCA**

State or Country: **CALIFORNIA** Zip: **90270**

Log must be prepared on letter size paper. 1st for PHONE and January 15th for CW. Include PHONE or CW on envelope. Mail to: CQ Contest Committee, 14 Vanderventer Ave., Port Washington, N.Y., U.S.A. 11050

A sample log page—40 QSO's to a page. You may work your own country for multiplier credit, but receive NO QSO points. Logs must be checked for duplicate QSO's.

A sample summary sheet. Free summary sheets, log pages and zone maps may be obtained upon receipt of a large s.a.s.e. or, if outside the U.S., sufficient IRC's

28. World—C.W. (Donald Miller, W9WNV)  
CQ will award championship plaques to stations ineligible for a trophy.

Trophy winners may win the same trophy only once within a three year period. (This does not apply to any of the CQ plaque awards).

The Canadian, Carib. C.A. and the African awards are for residents only.

**X. CLUB COMPETITION:** CQ will award a handsome plaque to the club submitting the highest aggregate score of the phone and c.w. scores submitted by its members.

1. The club must be a local group and not a national organization.

2. Participation is limited to members operating within a local geographic area, (except for DX-peditions especially organized for operation in the contest and manned by members).

3. To be listed, a minimum of 3 logs must be received from a club and an officer of the club must submit a list of participating members and their scores, both on phone and c.w.

4. Participating members must indicate the name of their club on their Summary Sheets.

**XI. LOG INSTRUCTIONS:** 1. All times must be in GMT.

2. Indicate zone and country multiplier only the FIRST TIME it is worked on each band.

3. Logs must be checked for duplicate contacts, correct QSO points and multipliers, and recopied logs must be in their original form with corrections clearly shown.

4. Use a separate sheet for each band.

5. Each entry must be accompanied by a Summary Sheet showing all scoring information, cat-

(Please circulate this information to your DX friends and radio clubs)

egory of competition, contestant's name and address in BLOCK LETTERS and a signed declaration that all contest rules and regulations for amateur radio in the country of operation have been observed.

6. Official log and summary sheets and zone maps are available from CQ. A large self-addressed envelope with sufficient postage or IRCs must accompany your request.

If official forms are not available, make up your own by following the samples shown, 40 contacts to the page on 8½" x 11" paper.

**XII. DISQUALIFICATION:** Violation of amateur radio regulations in the country of the contestant, or the rules of the contest, unsportsmanlike conduct; taking credit for duplicate contacts; incorrect QSO's or incorrect multipliers will be deemed sufficient cause for disqualification.

Disqualification can also result in the disqualified operator(s) being barred from competition in all CQ contests for a period of up to three years.

Actions and decisions of the CQ Contest Committee are official and final.

**XIII. DEADLINE:** All entries must be post-marked NO LATER than December 1, 1973, for the Phone section and January 15, 1973 for the C.W. section. In rare isolated areas the deadline will be made more flexible. Indicate phone or c.w. on envelope. Logs go to:

CQ WW Contest Committee  
14 Vanderventer Avenue  
Port Washington, L.I., N.Y. USA 11050