

Rules: 1961 CQ World Wide DX Contest

I. CONTEST PERIOD:

Phone Section: 0200 GMT October 28 to 0200 GMT October 30.

C.W. Section: 0200 GMT November 26 to 0200 GMT November 28.

II. BANDS:

The contest activity will be in the 1.8, 3.5, 7., 14., 21., and 28. mc amateur bands.

III. TYPE OF COMPETITION:

1. Phone Section. (a) Single Operator. (b) Multi-operator, single transmitter. (c) Multi-operator, multi-transmitter. 2. C.W. Section (a) Single Operator. (b) Multi-operator, single transmitter. (c) Multi-operator, multi-transmitter. 3. Inter-Club. (DX Clubs affiliated to a National body.)

IV. EQUIPMENT:

There is no limit to the number of transmitters and receivers allowed and competitors may use the maximum power permitted under the terms of their license.

V. SERIAL NUMBERS:

1. Phone stations will exchange serial numbers consisting of 4 numerals, the first 2 being the RS report and the last 2 their own Zone number.

2. C.W. stations will exchange serial numbers consisting of 5 numerals, the first 3 being the RST report and the last 2 their own Zone number.

3. Stations in Zones 1 thru 9 will prefix their Zone number with Zero. (01 and etc.)

VI. POINTS:

1. Contacts between stations on different continents will count 3 points.

2. Contacts between stations on the same continent, but not in the same country, will count 1 point.

3. Contacts between stations in the same country will be permitted for the purpose of obtaining a Zone and/or Country multiplier but no QSO points are credited.

4. Only one contact with the same station is permitted per band.

VII. MULTIPLIER:

Two types of multipliers will be used.

1. A multiplier of 1 for each Zone contacted on each band.

2. A multiplier of 1 for each Country worked on each band.

VIII. SCORING:

1. The score of each Single Band is the sum of the Zone and Country multiplier for that band, multiplied by the total contact points on that band.

2. The total All Band score is the sum of the Zone and Country multipliers of all bands, multiplied by the sum of the contact points on all bands.

3. Those sending in logs for a Single Band are eligible for a Single Band award only. If a log is sent in for more than one band, indicate which band is to be judged, otherwise it will be judged as an All Band entry.

4. A station is not eligible for more than one award.

5. Single operator contestants must show a minimum of 12 hours of operating time to be eligible for an award. If a contestant operates more than one band and wishes to be judged for a specific single band, he must show a minimum of 12 hours on that band.

6. Multi-operator stations must show a minimum of 24 hours of operating time to be eligible for an award.

7. Multi-operator stations will only be judged on the basis of an All Band score.

IX. ZONES and COUNTRIES:

The CQ Zone map and the ARRL and WAE country lists will be used as standards. The continental boundaries used for WAC will also be recognized. Should any question arise as to the positive location of a station, the official definition will be final.

X. AWARDS:

Certificates will be awarded in each section as follows:

1. To the highest scoring Single Operator station on each Single Band in the following areas:

a. Each call area of the United States, Canada and Australia.

b. All other countries.

2. To the station having the highest All Band score (more than one band) in the following areas:

a. Each call area of the United States, Canada and Australia.

b. All other countries.

3. Awards to multi-operator stations will only be made in the #2 ruling.

XI. SPECIAL AWARDS:

In addition the following special awards will be made:

1. A cup will be awarded to the highest scoring Single Operator, on a Single Band, Phone Station in the world. (Donated by K2IEG)

2. A cup will be awarded to the highest scoring Single Operator on a Single Band, CW Station in the world. (Donated by W7KVU)

3. A cup will be awarded to the highest scoring Single Operator, All Band, Phone Station in the world. (Donated by W2SKE)

4. A cup will be awarded to the highest scoring Single Operator, All Band, CW Station in the world. (Donated by W9IOP)

5. A cup will be awarded to the highest

scoring Multi-operator, Single transmitter Phone Station in the world. (*Donated by K2AAA*)

6. A cup will be awarded to the highest scoring Multi-operator, Single transmitter c.w. Station in the world. (*Donated by W3AOH*)

7. A cup will be awarded to the highest scoring Multi-operator, Multi-transmitter Phone Station in the world. (*Donated by W6AM*)

8. A cup will be awarded to the highest scoring Multi-operator, Multi-transmitter c.w. Station in the world. (*Donated by K2GL*)

9. A plaque will be awarded to the affiliated DX Club (not a national body) submitting the highest aggregate score of the scores submitted by its members. (*Donated by CQ*)

a. For a club to enter, an officer of the club must submit a list of its participating members and their scores.

b. This list may include scores of single operator and multi-operator stations; both phone and c.w.

c. Stations that are members of a competing club therefore must indicate this fact on their report forms.

8. At the request of the donors, previous winners are not eligible for the 1961 awards. In other words the trophy cannot be won more than once by the same station. This does not apply to the plaque.

9. Also such special or additional awards as the Committee shall choose to make. In countries or sections where the returns justify second and third place certificates will be awarded.

XII. DISQUALIFICATION:

Violation of the rules and regulations pertaining to amateur radio in the country of the contestant or the rules of this contest will be deemed sufficient cause for disqualification.

XIII. LOG INSTRUCTIONS:

1. In keeping a log, fill in Zone number and Country, **ONLY FIRST TIME** it is contacted.
2. Use a separate sheet for each band and a tally sheet or report form.

3. Keep all times in GMT.

4. All contestants are expected to compute their scores. Logs should be checked for contact duplications and proper point credit before they are submitted.

5. Make sure name and address is clearly noted on each log. **Print or type.**

6. Each contestant must sign a pledge that all rules and regulations have been observed and that the report is a true one. Note sample contest report form.

7. If official log forms are not available, use a duplicate form as indicated. The size is $8\frac{1}{2}'' \times 11''$ with 52 contacts to the page.

8. Copies of the Zone map, log sheets and report forms are available from CQ, address listed below. Send a self-addressed envelope, large size. Include sufficient postage, in the case of overseas stations IRC coupons are acceptable. Make sure to indicate how many sheets are needed.

XIV. RULE CHANGES:

1. Note Par. VIII #7 and Par. X #3. The

WORLD-WIDE DX CONTEST LOG

Call: W4US COUNTRY: U. S. A. PHONE: CW: []

LOG FOR: 24 MC BAND (Use separate log for each band) CALL LETTERS OF OTHER OPERATOR: NO OPERATOR: []

Band (MHz)	Zone	Station	Zone	Country	Points	Score	Power P or C
1.8 MC	2	W4US	2	U. S. A.	2	4	1.0
2.4 MC	10	W4US	6	U. S. A.	18	162	1.0
3 MC	15	W4US	10	U. S. A.	33	528	1
3.6 MC	16	W4US	13	U. S. A.	45	900	10
3.6 MC	20	W4US	12	U. S. A.	60	1320	31
6.0 MC							
6.0 MC	30	W4US	18	U. S. A.	80	2400	28
TOTAL	95	62	59		237	23,937	All

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All Band Entry [X] Phone [] Station Call Letters: W4US

Single Band Entry [] CW [X] Number of Operators: 1

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INSTRUCTIONS: To determine All Band score, total each station's score for all bands on which it operated. If you wish, you may also determine the score for each band.

Transmitter Description and Power: _____

Submit this log to the Contest Committee within the limitations of _____ of the contest.

Andrew Malanuk
Name: Andrew Malanuk
City: _____
Street and Number: 60 Crane Road, E.
Country: Stamford, Conn., U.S.A.

Logs must be submitted not later than December 1, 1961, for Phone section and January 15, 1962, for CW section.

Submit logs to: CQ Magazine, 300 West 43rd St., New York 36, N.Y. Attn: Contest Com.

Committee feels justified in making this change. It does not require the efforts of more than one operator to cover a Single Band during a contest period. Especially now that the active time of the higher frequency bands is becoming shorter. Therefore there will no longer be Single Band awards for multi-operator stations.

2. In the multi-operator division, (b) single transmitter and (c) multi-transmitter under Par. III. It is important that multi-operator stations indicate under what classification they are operating.

XV. DEADLINE:

All logs must be postmarked *no later than* December 1, 1961 for the Phone section and January 15, 1962 for the c.w. section. In rare isolated places the deadline will be made more flexible. Send logs directly to:

CQ, 300 West 43rd St.,
New York 36, N. Y.
Att: Contest Committee

(Please inform your local association of this contest)