Rules: 1965 CQ World Wide DX Contest

Oct. 23-24, Nov. 27-28, 1965

I. CONTEST PERIOD

PHONE: Starts 0000 GMT Saturday, October 23. Ends 2400 GMT Sunday, October 24.

C.w.: Starts 0000 GMT Saturday, November 27. Ends 2400 GMT Sunday, November 28.

II. BANDS

Contest activity will be in the 18, 3.5, 7.0, 14, 21 and 28 mc amateur bands.

III. TYPE OF COMPETITION

- 1. Single operator
 - (a) All Band.
 - (b) Single Band.
- 2. Multi-Operator, Single transmitter.
- 3. Multi-Operator, Multi transmitter.
- (a) Multi-operator will be judged on all band operation only.
- 4. Inter-Club. (Local DX Clubs)

IV. EQUIPMENT

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

V. NUMBER EXCHANGE

- 1. Phone stations will exchange 4 numerals, the RS report plus their Zone.
- 2. C.w. stations will exchange 5 numerals, the RST report plus their Zone.
- 3. Stations in Zones 1 through 9 will prefix their Zone number with Zero (01, etc.).

VI. POINTS

- 1. Contacts between stations on different continents will count three (3) points.
- 2. Contacts between stations on the same continent but not in the same country, will count one (1) point.
- 3. EXCEPTION: Contacts between stations in the North American continent *only* will count two (2) points.
- 4. 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 will be credited.
- 5. Only one contact per band with the same station will be permitted.

VII. MULTIPLIER

Two types of multipliers will be used.

- 1. Multiplier of one (1) for each Zone contacted on each band.
- 2. Multiplier of one (1) for each Country worked on each band.

VIII. SCORING

- 1. The score of each single band will be 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 will be the sum of 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 will be 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.
- A station will not be 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 on 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.

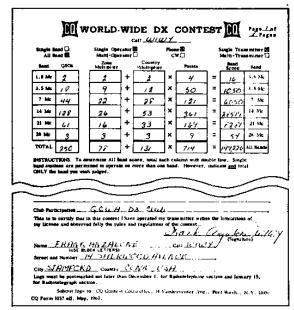
IX. ZONES and COUNTRIES

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 for each section of the contest as follows:

- 1. To the highest scoring single operator station on each single band.
- 2. To the highest scoring single operator station on all bands.
- 3. To the highest scoring multi-operator station in both divisions, single and multi-transmitter
 - (a) In each country.
 - (b) Each call area of the United States.
- (c) Each Zone in Australia, Canada, and the USSR.



The Summary Sheet shown here, as well as regular log sheets, may be obtained free of charge upon receipt of an s.a.s.e., or in the case of a DX station, 1 IRC.

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Here is a sample of a U. S. c.w. log (left) and a DX phone log (right). Zone and country multipliers are indicated to clarify trouble spots found in past contests. Note that point credit is not given for working your own country.

4. Awards to multi-operator stations will be for all band.

XI. SPECIAL AWARDS

A cup will be awarded to the highest scoring station in the world, in each of the following categories, both phone and c.w.:

- 1. Single operator on a single band, Phone. (Donated by Barry Briskman, K2IEG)
- 2. Single operator on a single band, C.W. (Donated by Dr. Harold J. Megibow, K2HLB)
- 3. Single operator on all bands, Phone. (Donated by Bill Leonard, W2SKE)
- 4. Single operator on all bands, C.W. (Donated by Larry LeKashman, W9IOP)
- 5. Multi-operator, single transmitter, Phone. (Donated by John Knight, W6YY)
- 6. Multi-operator, single transmitter, C.W. (Donated by Dr. Anthony Susen, W3AOH)
- 7. Multi-operator, multi transmitter, Phone. (Donated by the Radio Club Venezolano)
- 8. Multi-operator, multi transmitter, C.W. (Donated by Hazard Reeves, K2GL)
- 9. Single operator, 7 mc C.W. in the world (Donated by the Israel Radio Club)
- 10. Single operator, all band phone in the USA. (Donated by the Potomac Valley Radio Club)
- 11. Single operator, all band c.w. in the USA. (Donated by the North Jersey DX Association)
- 12. A Plaque will be awarded to the 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 and multioperator stations; both phone and c.w.
- (c) Stations that are members of a competing club therefore must indicate this fact on their report forms.

At the request of the donors, previous winners of a Trophy will again be eligible for the same Trophy after a three year period. There are no restrictions to the winning of the *CQ* Plaque.

In countries or sections where the returns justify, second and third place certificates will be awarded. Also such special and/or additional awards will be made as the Contest Committee shall choose.

XII. DISQUALIFICATION

Violation of the rules and regulations pertain-

ing to amateur radio in the country of the contestant, or the rules of this contest, or unsportsmanship conduct, or taking credit for duplicate contacts in excess of 3 per cent of the total number of contacts made, will be deemed sufficient cause for disqualification.

XIII. LOG INSTRUCTIONS

- 1. In keeping a log, fill in Zone number and country, only the 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 entry, 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.

If official forms are not available, use a duplicate form as indicated. The size is $8\frac{1}{2} \times 11^{\circ}$ with 40 contacts to the page.

8. Copies of the Zone Map, log sheets and report forms are available from CQ, address listed below. Send a large self-addressed envelope, with sufficient postage. In the case of overseas stations, IRC coupons are acceptable. Indicate quantity of sheets required.

XIV. DEADLINE

All entries must be postmarked NO LATER than December 1, 1965 for the phone section, and January 15, 1966 for the c.w. section. In rare isolated places the deadline will be made more flexible. Send logs directly to:

CQ WW Contest Committee 14 Vanderventer Avenue Port Washington, L.I., N.Y. 11050 (Indicate Phone or C.W. Section)

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