42th CQ test HA-QRP

The editorial of the magazine "Rádiótechnika" organizes the HA-QRP Contest. The aim is to demonstrate that it is possible to make two-way contacts with low power equipment.

Regarding the interest of foreign stations, we make our contest international this year as well, and amateurs all over the world are invited to take part in it. We hope that our contest will be welcomed by amateurs at home and abroad and that more and more amateurs will participate. Our editorial wishes good results to the participating stations.

DATE OF CONTEST: The contest will take place from 1 November 00.00 UT to 7 November 24.00 UT. (Year by year.)

FREQUENCY: 40 m (7000 ... 7040 kHz) and 80 m (3500 ... 3580 kHz).

TYPE OF EMISSION: CW only.

CALL: CQ TEST QRP.

CONTACT: The contest exchange shall consist of: both callsigns, RST reports, both QTH and names of operators. The time difference, fixed in the log, should not be more than 3 minutes between the two stations.

SCORING: For every complete two-way contact QSO with own country, with EU and DX stations 2 points on every band. Contacts with the same station can be taken into account during the contest once only on every band. (Contacts made by QRO stations are also valid!)

<u>ATTENTION!</u> 1 additional point can be given for the two-way contacts made during the HA-QRP contest. Thus, a basic contact is evaluated according to the rules of HA-QRP, and all the 7 MHz and 3,5 MHz CW QRP operation contacts established during the contest worth another 1 point. In case contacts were made during the Silent Key Memorial (SKM), ukrainian or other contests, they also worth 1 point each. (We kindly ask you to forward the logs to the organizers of the contests in form of contest or control).

EVALUATION: The sum of the points must be multiplied by the number of the reached DXCC-districts on every band.

TECHNICAL CONDITIONS: The PA of the transmitter used in the contest should have less than 10 watts RF output power.

THE LOGS HAVE TO CONTAIN:

- the date and time of the contacts, reports;
- the callsign, the QTH, and the name of the operator of the station worked;
- the type of the active element of the PA.

Please hand in the competition report as a document with one of the following extensions: .doc, .odt, .ASCII, .cbr, .xls. We cannot accept logs of other formats.

Would you please attach the competition summary as well as a .doc file. This has to contain the requested QSO-, score, multiplier and final score, in the case of multioperator stations the operators, and the E-mail and postal addresses.

DEADLINE: A copy of the logs must be send to the following address postmarked not later than 30 November. Address: Rádiótechnika szerkesztősége, Budapest, Pf. 603, H-1374 Hungary. E-mail: haqrp@radiovilag.hu

AWARDS: All contestants who send logs are eligible to claim for a special electronic participating award as a memory of this contest, and outstanding scorers will receive year-book of the "Rádiótechnika" free of charge.

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