KCJ Contest Rules



- 1. Name of Contest: The 40th KCJ Contest
- 2. Period: Starts 1200z August 17, 2019. Ends 1200z August 18, 2019.
- 3. Mode: CW.
- 4. Categories and codes:

Participants in Japan (JA):

CP: Single Operator Multi-band QRP

CA: Single Operator Multi-band

C**: Single Operator Single-band (ex. C19 for 1.9MHz)

CM: Multi Operator SWL: SWL Multi-band

DX: Participants in overseas Multi-band

5. Bands: 1.8 through 50MHz, except WARC bands.

Suggested frequencies:

1810-1825 and 1908-1912kHz, 3510-3530kHz, 7010-7040kHz,

 $14050 - 14080 \, \mathrm{kHz}, \, 21050 - 21080 \, \mathrm{kHz}, \, 28050 - 28080 \, \mathrm{kHz}, \, 50.250 - 50.300 \, \mathrm{MHz}$

6. Exchange:

JA: RST plus Prefecture/district code.

DX: RST plus Continent code (See the reference of this document).

- 7. Invalid contact:
 - a. On cross-mode or not CW.
 - b. By cross-band, via repeater or satellite.
- 8. Point: For each complete contact on each band,

JA: One point with JA, five points with DX.

DX: One point with JA, no point with others.

- 10. Multiplier: Each prefecture/district (and continent for JA) worked on each band.
- 11. Scoring: Multiplying total points by total multipliers
- 12. Log instructions:
 - a. Each entry must be accompanied by summary sheet showing all scoring information, name and address of the participant.
 - b. Log should contain date, time, band, call sign and exchanges both sent and received.
 - c. The time must be logged in JST by JA, and in UTC by DX.
 - d. Web upload of logs is available at https://www.kcj-cw.com/
 - e. Logs in Cabrillo format may be e-mailed directly to address described below.

Be sure to put your call sign in the subject line of your e-mail.

2019kcjtest(a)kcj-cw.com (a) must be replaced with @.

f. Paper logs may be mailed to

Takayuki Nakamura, 4-7 Shinden-Nakamachi, Daito, Osaka, 574-0056 Japan

- 13. Log Deadline: September 5, 2019
- 14. Awards: All logs will be collated with each other to obtain the final score, multiplying total points confirmed by total multipliers confirmed, and certificates will be awarded to:
 - a. JA: The upper 5% and the top in each prefecture/district, being ranked at the upper half of each category.
 - b. DX: The top in each DXCC entity.
- 15. Appeal: Those who has objections to the results can e-mail to cont-complaint(a) kcj-cw.com with clear evidence or to paper log submission address no later than October 10, 2019. (replace (a) with @)
- 16. Other notes:
 - (1) Each award winner may download his/her award from KCJ web site. Those who want paper awards must inform KCJ (cont-qstn(a)kcj-cw.com, replace (a) with @) by October 30.

- (2) For KCJ contest information, you may contact KCJ at cont-qstn(a)kcj-cw.com(replace (a) with @).
- (3) The contest results will be disclosed in the KCJ Newsletter issued for the members in overseas, and the internet site of KCJ, at https://kcj-cw.com/ (both in Japanese and English)
- (4) A copy of the "Newsletter" will be sent to all participants in overseas free of charge.

REFERENCE

A. Japanese Prefecture/District codes

1. Area 1 (for JA1 through JS1, 7J1 and 7K1-7N4)

CB: Chiba GM: Gumma IB: Ibaraki KN: Kanagawa MT: Minamitorishima OG: Ogasawara ST: Saitama TG: Tochigi

TK: Tokyo YN: Yamanashi

2. Area 2 (for JA2 through JS2)

AC: Aichi GF: Gifu ME: Mie SO: Shizuoka

3. Area 3 (for JA3 through JS3)

HG: Hyogo KT: Kyoto NR; Nara OS: Osaka

SI: Shiga WK: Wakayama

4. Area 4 (for JA4 through JS4)

HS: Hiroshima OY: Okayama SN: Shimane TT: Tottori

YG: Yamaguchi

5. Area 5 (for JA5 through JS5)

EH: Ehime KA: Kagawa KC: Kochi TS: Tokushima

6. Area 6 (for JA6 through JS6)

FO: Fukuoka KG: Kagoshima KM: Kumamoto MZ: Miyazaki NS Nagasaki ON: Okinawa OT: Oita SG: Saga

7. Area 7 (for JA7 through JS7)

AM : Aomori AT: Akita FS: Fukushima IT: Iwate

MG: Miyagi YM: Yamagata

8. Area 8 (for JA8 through JS8)

OH: Okhotsk HD: Hidaka HY: Hiyama IR: Iburi IS: Ishikari KK: Kamikawa KR: Kushiro NM: Nemuro OM: Oshima RM: Rumoi SB: Shiribeshi SC: Sorachi

SY: Soya TC: Tokachi

9 Area 9 (for JA9 through JS9)

FI: Fukui IK: Ishikawa TY: Toyama

10. Area 0 (for JA0 through JS0)

NI: Niigata NN: Nagano

B. Continent codes

AF: Africa AS: Asia EU: Europe NA: North America

OC: Oceania SA: South America