## 2017 RTTY WPX Contest QRM

## **DX QRM**

FT950 80W Antena FD4, BIM20-15M...3Z9K. It was my first CQ WPX RTTY contest and I really enjoyed it very much. A lot of "Big Gun" stations went over my QRP 5 watts near or over my frequency but I enjoyed the fight and I did my best as always. Best 72 and 73...4M5EN. Really bad conditions only few openings many stations with nice signal but endless cq test and never hear with care for a grp or low power stations anyway nice try SEE NEXT YEAR...4M6CQ. Thanks for a fun contest. Serge VA3SB...4U1ITU. 73 de...4Z5KU. I enjoyed the contest... **7K1VKU**. Thank you for your great copy my QRP signal... **7L4IOU**. I enjoyed this contest. Rig is IC-7600 (100W) and ANT is Dipole...7N2UQC. I enjoyed the contest...7N4JXR. Elecraft K3 100w...7S5S. Thank you all stations!...8N2EJT. My favourite but LP with the poor propagation is no longer fun...8P5ØB. FIRST LICENCE 17-06-2014...9A6TT. UUUUUU, TO LONG CONTEST...9A7B. ICOM 7300 @ 50 watts + Windom antenna...9H1CG. FT-857 DP...9V1XX. SHARJAH DXERs & CON-TESTERS...A61ZX. 2015.11.22...BG5IFW. General DX Log...BG8NUD. 2014.09.22...BI4OJF. 2017 CQWW RTTY PFX...C6AKQ. WHAT HAPPEND WITH THE 10 METER? NOTHING SO TO MAKE...CE4KCA. Special call 150 anniversary of Canada...CF2QR. End-fed presented RF to shack; SignaLink resetting...CF7CDB. First time in a RTTY contest using the built in decode of the KX3...CG3CW. 100W into a Steppir BigIR worked well. 40m treated me well, but I found it tough going on 20. I very much enjoyed my first participation in the RTTY version. I also don't seem to get many opportunities to operate the major contests from VE3KTB. You guys are so much easier to hear than when at VYØERC!...CG3KTB. Could have done better if I didn't have to stop to shovel snow! Used CG3 prefix for Canada's 150th celebration...CG3TW. A few hours here and there, spread over workable bands flying the 150th CDA birthday prefix. Seemed like decent condx in the brief time I operated with lots of activity. 73, Bill...Cl2LI. License: 34056 Feb 26 2015...CM8NMN. MNI TNX FR NICE CON-TEST...D1M. Your contest is just like Champagne, well pushing heart and brain. Vy 73 de Manfred...DC9ZP. K3 / TH5DX / Dipol...DFØBV. FT817 + PA TO GP OR FD4 DIPOLE...DF6WE. Nice contest, see you next year...DF8QB. Great Contest! Great fun! Nice condx...DG7NFX. Small antenna, but always a nice contest with my rare prefix...DH6DAO. RTTY by WF1B Software v5...DJ2YE. QRP 5 Watt from FT817 via tuner Z11 to off-center-fed dipole FD3 21m long, 8m high on 7 MHZ-Band, to MFB23 2-el 3 Band Mini Yagi 11m high on 14 MHz and 21 MMHz...DJ3GE. First time ever RTTY operation. Lot of fun, but still a lot of work until station will run well. Thanks for QSOs...DJ3HW. That is my best Result for ever...DJ6TK. Yaesu FT1000MP PA 400W FD4-Dipole, FB-DX-506 Beam...DK2AT. ANT: FD4...DK2CC. www.ig-ry.de...DK6CQ. First licensed date 15.06.2015 for callsign DO6FC upgrade from licence E to A 30.04.2016 with callsign change to DK6FC...DK6FC. Thanks for organising. It was great to take part in the contest...DLØESA. Overlay-category should be only wires because to have a tribander is a privilege...DL1DTL. Rig: FT2000 + Acom1000 Ant: 2\*18m-Dipole...DL1NEO. RIG: KENWOOD TS-480SAT, 100W Ant: Butternut vertical HF6V mounted over ground...DL1ZBO. QRP Icom 703 plus, 5W, 5-Band-Trapdipol, microham usb III...DL2DWP. TS 850 S - 2x 19,5m - Doppelzepp -Hühnerleitung...DL2ZA. Antennas: Carolina Windom, GP...DL3KVR. ICOM IC-736 / CUSHCRAFT MA5B...DL4FCH. Yaesu FT450 20-15 Meter-SteppIR 40 Meter 3/4Wire 80 Meter

3/4Wire...DL4ZA. Unfortunaltely the dupe-check not worked. sorry...DL5AWI. IC-7400, 60W rf, dipole up 10m, lost a gso #275, N1MM+ runs perfectly...DL5KUD. TRX ICOM 756prolli, ANT TA53M, FD4, Dipole...DL5ZB. Collins KWM-380 G5RV/2e Quad...DL6RBH. RTTY saves the voice...DL7CX. Bad condx last always in the last months. But had fun anyway, though I didn't have time to run full time and blew up my PA...DL7VOG. QTH Wolfsburg LOC JO52IJ trcv KX3 homebrew Vertical 12m Wow, the band was full of RTTY sigs from all over the world. Conds are not too bad so I had a good time and enjoyed very much. Tks for the patience to read my qrp sigs. BCNU in 2018, take care, 73 Klaus...DL8TG. FT-2000 + Expert 1.3K, Double Zepp + Vertical GPA-30...DL9GTB. I'm 11 years old and I had much fun...DN3CX. First License 12.11.2014...DO2MRC. Thx for the nice contest. See you next time! de Matze...DO4OD. Tnx for wpx rtty contest group 2017 vy 73 de...DO4TP. On the end my Cat have no function...DO9TM. 73 to all 10mts, closed sry...EA1HRR. First time attending this contest, conditions: FT817 with 5W on an indoor antenna...EA1ITC. Thanks to all specially the contacts in 80m that were very difficult...EA2CCG. ICOM 7600 + EXPERT 1K dipolo DX-B Alpha Delta o hy gain avq 14...EA2DDE. HASTA EL PROXIMO CONCURSO... EA3HKA. My first WPX RTTY...EA3NN. 2015-05-26 amateur radio license...EA5IMM. Yaesu FT-897D Dipole Windom 70W...EA8AQV. FT-857 D - DIPOLE - 70W...EA8OG. TS-570 80W DIPOLO + YAGI EXPLORER 14...ED3D. First WPX RTTY for the Utrera Team. In spite of beginning, we had enjoyed test...ED7P. Broken antenna mast due to wind on 11-12 night...EE2A. 20W IN WIRE ANTENNA V INVERTED TO 10M OF HEIGHT IN THE TERRACE OF MY FLOOR IN THE CITY OF BARCELONA, LOOKING FOR TO MAKE UNIQUE PRE-FIXES, I PASS IT GREAT!...EF3R. First licence - 18.05.2016 (SQ2MO)...EI7HQB. RTTY by WF1B Software v5...EU4E. TRX - FT-840 Ant - Delta Loop 168m...EU6AA. 73...EU8A. TRCV FT-8175W + ANT DELTA-LOOP 84M...EU8F. RADIO AMATER LICENCE N730240 11/23/2015 TNX, 73!...EW7BA. FT-2000...EW8DX. IC-746pro 50W ANT VERTIKAL UW4HW 10-15-20M...EW8G. FT-950 - Antenna center fed...F1RCH. RTTY by WF1B Software v5...F2AR. Just few sporadic hours to run the contest but it was fun...F4DSK. ELECAFT K3 + KPA500 ANTENNE VERTICALE TITAN DX...F4GPB. Transceiver -ICOM IC-751AF 80W in RTTY Antenna - Multiband center-fed 2x20m 8m up or GP 20/15/10m Software - MixW 3.2.103 Good conditions on 80 to 15m but 10m closed. It's a shame, because last year, I could make 203 contacts on 10m. Also, this year, I have far fewer points Thanks to all who worked me. See you again next year. Bernard...F5RD. WX bad it is big rising wind...F6CXJ. Off time off time off time off time...F6GCI.Too many stations failed to listen when I sent callsign corrections...GØCER. Good contest — Cndxs fair...G3LHJ. Only able to operate part time. Running just 40W...G3RTU. My first time operating in a RTTY contest, it was fun!...G4NXG. Propagation was difficult, see you next time. Thanks for the points...G8VPE. Really must learn to prep for the contest more than the night before...GMØHVS. Fantastic activity level but heavy QRM. HF bands disappointing, nothing on 10m and very weak signals on 15m. No JA or ZL heard here and only one VK worked. 80m was especially good and busy! Equipment TS990 (95W) Hexbeam at 25ft, 40m quarter wave vertical wire, 80m full wave loop...GM8SBH. I chose to do a single band effort on 20m as 15 has been dire this year and 10m nonexistant. I have no antenna for the lower bands. Conditions on 20m were poor on

Saturday and perhaps a little better on Sunday. Heard very little from South America or even Africa. DX Asia was pretty sparse also. So, not a great effort. Some of the European signals were horrendously strong and in fact a station signing QRP managed to block the front end of my K3. Very powerful signal from Italy with 5W? The call I used is the Club Call for the GMDX Group Scotland's DX Association, so at least it got dusted down on RTTY. Its been a while since I did some serious RTTY contesting so perhaps I have some cotton wool in my ears... GS8VL. Had a stinking cold & bad head, so couldn't give as much as I would have liked. Still had some fun though. Nice to grab ZF9CW for a new slot on 40m RTTY too. My thanks to all for the points, and to CQ for hosting the contest...GUØSUP. The prefix multiplier format helps a lot in the current poor band conditions. No need to spend a lot of time chasing a difficult DX entity, just go for rate and the mults come along!...GWØA. Kenwood TS850, 100W, 4B GP/Dipole...HA2OS. K3 \* 100W 3-el. yagi GPs...HA6NL. Rig: FT-950, linear 500W Ant: Tribander Vertical 28m...HA8BE. INDOOR MAGLOOP QRP...HB9/DF9WOY. RIG Yaesu FT-2000, FL-7000 ANT G5RV 40/80, Spiderbeam 10/15/20...HB9BUN. RTX Elad FDM DUO 5W antenna Calculated tap Windom 39m long 12m high...I2BPP. 73 de Vittorio...IKØPRP. FT991 PWR MAX 60W - MULTIBAND VERT ANTENNA + INV VEE DIPOLE 40-80 m. MIXW 3.2 OS WIN-DOWS 10...IK2MXM. Rtx ant digital interface soft...IK2SBB. Very bad propagation for my qrp!...IK3TZB. OPERATED ONLY 9 HOURS...IK4ALM. Rtx ic 7100 50W ANT: mag loop baby on balcony of condo!...IK4XQT. RTX: ICOM IC-756PRO III + HEIL PROSET PLUS IC ANT: STEPP IR 3-EL. 6-40M AT 18MTS/55FT + DIPOLES ON 40-80MTS SW: QARTEST 4.6.1 TNX IK3QAR MOD: HM...IK7NXU. Se non ho rispettato i tempi il mio log pu?? essere considerato...IK7XNA. Prima volta per me, spero di essere presente alle prossime edizioni. Mando il log solo per onore di partecipazione...IK8IOO. TS-590 ANT. VERTICAL AND DIPOLE...IQ2CU. My first contest in RTTY. Beautiful...IT9NAN. I chosed the TB-Wires overlay category because does'nt exist the category "ony one wire"! I trasmit (and live) in my 34 feet sailboat and enjoy my time sailing and contesting. Good luck to everybody! Giovanni...IT9PZM. Score personnel records that the total number of QSO in this contest, active for 28 hours. Problems with radio frequency back to 15m, and high SWR on 20m. Very happy to be almost 2,000,000 points. Propagation closed in 10m. Yaesu 897 - 400W - Dipole 10-15-20 - Inverted V 40-80 QARTest - Digicat...IT9VCE. SKY SDR PA HLA 300 150W Ant. Vertikal 80 - 15 m Mag loop on 40 m. No 10m...IU1BSV. First released on 31.03.2016 license...I U1GNA. Licensed at 2014-03-01...IU3BSY. 23/04/2014...I U4CHE. LICENSED 2015 RADIO YAESU FT991 ANTENNA VERTICAL DIAMOND CP6...IU4FIR. LICENSED 2015...I U5DVC. IU8FUL licensed 20/07/2017...IU8FUL. As always great fun to participate in this contest, thanks to all who have had the pleasure to resign log and organizers. The biggest thanks to my wife and my children for putting up with me and supported this event...IW1CBG. I'm not active in contest from October 2016 due to health problem. I'd partecipate in this contest only for fun and not for a good results, because my health was not perfect. CU in next test...IW1QN. Error il log before 771 Computer crash no correct QSO rx number...IW3QRM. RTX Yaesu FT897D ANT 18m end-feed longwire...IZ3XNJ. Thanks to Fulvio ik4mg for giving me the opportunity to operate from ir4m. Thanks to Paolo, IK3QAR, for creating QARTest. Contest as always great fun usually by the number of QSOs and multipliers. Setup FT1000 + amplifier + 4-el owa + 2-el raybeam (thanks i4lec) fix to ja + beverage + 2 pc whith QARTest + MTTY...IZ4NIC. Had problem with QSO numbers from 026 to 033 corrected by hand...IZ5VCI. SV2BXA operator - IC-7300 -

N1MM...J42P. I enjoyed the contest...JAØIOF. I enjoyed the contest...JAØIXW. I enjoyed the contest...JAØNFP. 100W... JA1AZR. FT-1000 100W 3-el. Yagi, Dipole...JA1BNW. I enjoyed the contest...JA1BVY. I enjoyed the contest...JA1DBG. I enjoyed the contest. FTDX5000 200W FTDX5000 200W... JA1DCO. I enjoyed the contest...JA1EMQ. I enjoyed the contest...JA1EPJ. I enjoyed the contest...JA1GZK. This contest was in good condition, so that I could enjoy the wonderful contest...JA1HFY. I enjoyed the contest...JA1HOM. I enjoyed the contest...JA1IZZ. I enjoyed the contest...JA1OHP. TKS TEST HNY 2017...JA1PCM. I enjoyed the contest...JA1UII. Only 3 hours QRV, but enjoy contest...JA1WTO. I enjoyed the contest...JA1XZF. I enjoyed the contest...JA2ATE. Thanks for the contests...JA2AXB. I enjoyed the contest...JA2BQX. I enjoyed the contest...JA2HYD. I enjoyed the contest...JA2JNC. I came back...JA2KCY. I enjoyed the contest...JA2MOG. Rig ICOM IC-9100 100W ANT 3.5-7MHz FOR DP, 14-28MHz FOR R-6000 abt 3mH...JA2QVP. I enjoyed the contest...JA3GZE. I enjoyed the contest...JA3HKR. RIG: IC-706 50W ANT: Vertical...JA3JM. I enjoyed the contest...JA3MIB. I enjoyed the contest...JA3VOV. I enjoyed the contest...JA4DWG. I enjoyed the contest... JA4ENY. I enjoyed the contest...JA5CBU. I enjoyed the contest...JA5OXV. I enjoyed the contest...JA6BCV. I enjoyed the contest...JA6ELV. SOSV...JA6RIL. I enjoyed the contest... JA7ACM. I enjoyed the contest...JA7CVL. I enjoyed the contest...JA7FDA. Very fun to participate in the contest. Thank you...JA7LLL. I enjoyed the contest...JA7QVI. I enjoyed the contest...JA8AZN. I enjoyed the contest...JA8DIV. Tnx for The CQWW RTTY WPX Contest 2017...JA8EIU. I enjoyed the contest...JA8IDS. Though condx were poor, I could enjoy it vy much...JA9CCG. I enjoyed the contest...JA9EJG. Short wire anntena 100W-OUT...JE1LPZ. I enjoyed the contest...JE2CPI. I enjoyed the contest...JE3CDW. I enjoyed the contest... JE6PJP. I enjoyed the contest...JE6TUP. I enjoyed the contest...JF1LMB. I enjoyed the contest...JF1OVA. It was so bad propagation but I enjoyed to participate this RTTY contest... JF1TEU. I really enjoyed the contest...JF1UOW. I enjoyed the contest...JF1UOX. I enjoyed the contest...JF1WCK. FTDX-3000DM (50W) whip on my balcony...JF2KWM. Condex erratic?...JF4XUT. FT817ND 5W and Zepp antenna...JF8LPB. I am an RTTY beginner and have really enjoyed the contest... JG2GSY. Arigatou, but not alligator...JG2REJ. I enjoyed the contest...JG2XWH. 50W Elecraft K3 Whip...JG3LDD. I enjoyed the contest...JG30ML. I enjoyed the contest...JG4AKL. I enjoyed this contest, Tnx! Rig IC-7000, 100W Antenna 2el...JHØILL. I enjoyed the contest...JH1BCS. I enjoyed the contest...JH1EYM. I enjoyed the contest...JH1HIC. I enjoyed the contest...JH1JJV. I vy enjoyed the contest...JH1KYA. I enjoyed the Contest.TNX ALL...JH1NVA. I enjoyed...JH1OVY. RF output 100W...JH1WOY. I enjoyed the contest...JH1XUM. I enjoyed the contest...JH2LMH. IC-7600M Power down. ANT 17.3m DP OATH: I swear using QRP 5W OUT...JH3DMQ. I enjoyed the contest...JH3GMI. I enjoyed the contest...JH4GLG. I enjoyed the contest...JH6QIL. I lost QSO #001 to 010 due to malfunction of the personal computer. It is very disappointing...JH7BMF. I enjoyed this contest using single loop at short time...JH7IQQ. I want to do my best on the next time!...JH8CLC. FTDX-3000 RDP Yagi...JI1ALP. I enjoyed the contest...JI1ANI. I enjoyed the contest...JITSH. I enjoyed the contest...JI4WHS. IC-7600 100W Inv-V Dipole...JJ2DWL. I enjoyed the contest...JJ2ICA. 200W INV...JK1LUY. I used power less than 5W...JK1TCV. I enjoyed the contest. Everyone QSO Thank you communicate!...JK2AQT. Thank you very much...JK3NSD. I enjoyed the contest...JK3RHX. Rig: IC 7300 Ant: HB9CV... JK7UST. IC-7600 318B EL-40X...JK8PBO. I enjoyed the contest...JL1DLQ. I enjoyed the contest...JM1MTE. 70 years

old...JO3QVT. I enjoyed the contest. I want to do more QSO next year. I felt that I need more TX power...JO7RAA. I enjoyed this contest...JP1LRT. I enjoyed the contest...JQ1CIV. I short time the contest...JQ1COB. Many thanks for the nice contest...JRØBUL. I enjoyed the contest...JR1AQI. I'm very glad to have many QSOs. The maximum output power in the contest was 5W...JR1NKN. I enjoyed the contest...JR2MIN. TS590 DP...JR2MIO. I enjoyed the contest...JR2PMT. The actual maximum power output 100W...JR3NDM. IC-7600, KPA500 300W...JR3RIU. I enjoyed the contest...JR4CTF. I enjoyed the contest...JR7IWL. 18th of October 2014...JT1PB. Worked laid back and as an exercise with 50W and a G5RV. Happy to see a few DX stations in NA and SA...LA9RY. NOT MUCH TIME TO PLAY IN THIS NICE CONTEST 73 JORGE...LU5VV. Licenced since 10.02.2017, I am quite new. Not sure if I've done all correct. Thanks for the nice contest. 88s, Galina...LZ1KDP. Rig: IC-7000 100W Ant: OB16-3...LZ2JA. November 2015...MØIEP. 73...MØIPU. FT897D, G5RV & 80W...MØSDY. Look forward to this contest every year. Great fun always, great DX too...MØUNI. Conditions were poor but 20m had its moments...M2G. First Licensed 02 April 2016...M6YTU. Setup Yaesu ft1000mp into dipole...MIØSAI. Fun weekend entry from Secret Nuclear Bunker CG www.gb0snb.com...MXØSNB. CONDX were fair. Surprised to work a couple of EU stns. N1MM vfo window kept losing connection to the FT-1000. Had to "reset radio" in that window often — cannot trust the freq on many of thsee QSOs. Not sure what the probelm is. Nice to have lots of great signals on 20m...NL7S. I had a busy nice weekend, 73 Hans...OA6Q. First Licensed APR 08, 2014...OE1VMC. Rig: IC-7600, 80W, 3-Band-Dipole...OE3CHC. FT8175W on 40m with dipole and 15m with Yagi...OE5TKM. Fun to play with so2r setup...OFØV. Special call for the 100th anniversary of Finland...OF100FI. Part time operation only. Lots of activity on bands, conditions not vy good. No proper ant on 80m (+low power there), poor cndx 15/10m. Tnx for QSOs! Ant: Butternut HF9V...OF1TM. RX/TX Hermes lite DDC/DUC transceiver, output 5W Antennas: singleband GP for 15/20/40m, inv-L for 80m Software: PowerSDR, N1MM+...OF2LZI. OF2PLA special callsign for the Finland 100 year anniversary...OF2PLA. First run ever from our club station and first rtty contest to most of operators. Learning and showing to our members what it looks and feels to run RTTY contest. Thank you for nice goos to other stations and all visitors and specially to those who had courage to sit on operators seat...OF3D. TNX for nice contest. My gear was MKII, K3 (100W) and SW...OF3P. Just worked a few hours for fun and gave out QSOs to the needing...OG6N. ICOM IC-7700 100W Vertical 10-40m Dipole 40/80m...OH2NT. 20.08.2015...OH5EUY. Note! UC8U-QSO NR MY MISTAKE. SOLVING PROBLEM IN MMTTY. SER. NR 001 QSO OTHERWISE OK ... OH5UQ. Nice contest as always. FT-990, 50-70W, OCF-dipole 80-10m @ 12m...OH8KA. RX/TX IC-7600, SPE Expert 1-K Amp. 9-el Cushgraft 10-15-20, Butternut 80-40 Super Loop...OH9GIT. 30W GP ANT Tnx nice contest 73...OK1BA. Rig: IC7400 70W GP 80m with 2 elevated radials, GND HALFLOOP (vertical polarized, spec for 1.8 MHz) ALL BAND...OK1DQT. My RIG TS430s, ANT multiband dipoles and wire GP for 21MHz. Thanks for nice contest to ALL... OK1DRY. Kenwood TS-590S 100W, ant 15m LW...OK1PX. LW...OK1SI. At rest 0800-1600 11.2.2017 at rest 2000-0300 11-12.22017 at rest 0900-1500 12.2.2017...OK2SFP. GOOD CON-TEST. SEE YOU AGAIN FRIENDS...OK2SWD. TCVR TS590S, POWER: 100W. ANT: GP7DX...OK2TBC. CQWW WPX RTTY Contest 2017-02-11 00:00 UTC - 2017-02-12 23:59 UTC Transceiver TS590S ( Power 100W ) Antenna: vert. ECO HF8 OK2UHP - off times 2017-02-11 03:29 UTC - 2017-02-11 05:18 UTC 01:49 (109 min) 2017-02-11 06:48 UTC - 2017-02-11 07:21 UTC 00:33 (33 min) 2017-02-11 07:59 UTC - 2017-02-11 11:03

UTC 03:04 (184 min) 2017-02-11 13:49 UTC - 2017-02-11 17:16 UTC 03:27 (207 min) 2017-02-11 18:15 UTC - 2017-02-11 19:05 UTC 00:50 (50 min) 2017-02-12 04:48 UTC - 2017-02-12 07:07 UTC 02:19 (139 min) 2017-02-12 08:41 UTC - 2017-02-12 11:38 UTC 02:57 (177 min) 2017-02-12 12:41 UTC - 2017-02-12 16:40 UTC 03:59 (239 min) 2017-02-12 18:46 UTC - 2017-02-12 19:07 UTC 00:21 (21 min) total Times 19:19 (1159 min)...OK2UHP. TS-2000, LW 42m...OK2VIR. TS-480SAT + 15m tool vertical antenna. TNX for nice contest...OK4GP. TS-590S...OK5NW. GOOD CONTEST. SEE YOU AGAIN FRIENDS...OK5SWL. CLAIMED SCORE CALCULATED MANUALLY by specific WPX RTTY rules...OK7N. TNX for nice contest, more photos: http://ok2zaw.blogspot.cz/search/label/RTTY...OL9A. TS850S, LW...OM2DT. 30W, ant: G5RV...OM8JP. Nice Contest es 73 de Pat...ON2AD. FT-950 + 50W + whip antenna monoband... ON2VHF. Yaesu FT-950 hygain th3mk4 and t2fdQSO: 7078 RY 2017-02-12 2042 ON3LX 599 518 EA5HRT 599 609 0...ON3LX. Nice contest...ON3VS. Despite low SFI still nice DX and lots of fun! great contest again!...ON4APU. Just for fun...ON4KNP. PWR: 50W. FT5000 Microkeyer 2 HF2V Vertical, FB53... ON5JT. Yaesu FT-950 80W with R8 + W8010...ON6AT. I declare that the contest rules and the rules in my country have been observed during the contest...OSØS. FT857-FB33-3 EL. FB33 FB-33//InV V Dipole FB33 I-MAX2000 vertical FB33. HF6V. InV V dipole 25W...PDØME. Dear OM/YL, All QSO made by me in QRP. Station info: QSL via buro, 5W QRP Ant: Gb5RV all bands. Great to work you all. QSL pse via bureau. Cu all. www.pe2k.nl 73, Adriaan...PE2K. Rig: TS590S, barefoot, pwr 50W. Antenna home made horizontal multiband dipole for 15, 20, 40, and 80m bands. First time to this contest just a few hours, but very enjoyable. Thanks!...PG1R. Poor condx, good activity cu all next contest 73s Peter ... PG3N. First license in 26/05/2015...PU8TAJ. 02/03/2015...PU8TAS. Great to find a lot of friends. This is why I am still doing contest year after year, and some times, going around the world with my wife (PU2VYT) to visit our mates. See you around and don't forget to look down to South America...PY2NY. 2014...RØAFF. 23.04.2014 License AP-14-02905...R2DGD. FTDX-5000D - 200W Cushcraft A4S and homemade W3DZZ on 3.5 and 7 mHz...R3BB. TS590S, KT34XA, DIPOLE...R3FC. ROOKIE: 06 feb 2015...R3IAN. YAESU FTdx 3000 Ant YAGI XL 4511 20-el. 10-15-20m...R3IK. TX FT-450D 100W, ANT: Windom...R3VL. 100W, ant: 20-10 A3S, 40-80 DL...R4RB. Kenwood TS-690SAT & PA 200W... R5ZG. FT1000 MP INV-V...R7HL. TNX 73! 2015-06-30...R7NZ. 01/04/2016...R7RAG. 73!...R9CD. Rig. IC-756PRO3, ant: W3DZZ...R9UG. 2014-03-13...R9WDV. Maritime Mobile, Red Sea...RAØLQ. TNX 73...RAØUF. FT-840...RA3V. YAESU FT-950 50W...RA9AFZ. 73!...RA9AU. TNX 73!...RC5Z. 73!... RDØW. GL es 73!...RJ3F. FT-450 50W, ant: dipole T2FD... RK3DSW. Thank you for the contest...RK3DXW. TNX, 73!... RK4S. 73!...RK9AK. TKS FOR ICE CONTEST PWR: 150W, ANT: 6-el., 3-el. yagi/dipoles...RN2FQ. SDR-1000 100W ant: TB AD-335...RN4CA. FT-950, delta loop 40...RQ6M. FT-2000 ANT1: AD347 ANT2: GP...RU1AB. TRX IC-7400 ANT GAP TITAN...RU3XB. TS-590 80W, Spiderbeam 5 band...RU4LM. 73...RU9AC. TX 5W, Ant: Magnetic Loop (indoor)...RV3DBK. ICOM IC-718 PWR: 100W...RV6ACC. 5W, DIPOLE...RV9DC. ICOM 7800 pwr: 5W, Ant: ECO 7+...RW3AI. Good contest... RW3SY. HPSDR PA=100W Dazuka...RW4CR. Only 5 QSOs on CQ:) nobody from US answered: (...RW4S. FT-1000 Mark V, VL-1000, 5-band GP...RW4WZ. FT-450D P=100W GP 80-10...RX6ACJ. 73!...RX7K. MNY DX & CUL...RX9DJ. TRCVR: FT-2000, ANT: CP-6 & DL...RYØCAA. My First CQWW WPX RTTY! I am 11 yrs old. Licence since 2016 year...RY7KAB. 73!...RY9C. 73!...RZ9AD. Claimed score over the old s5 M/2 record! It was fun, thx for the gsos. Congrats to our competition LX7I and DP7D for the addional fun with the live race on cgcontest.net...\$51A. Thanks to all who received my QRP! 73 de Janez...S51DX. FIRST LICENSED 6.7.2016...S55BA. JUST FEW HOUR FOR FUN!...S57DX. First licensed August 12, 2015...SA4JAJ. www.sm0lpo.se...SBØA. Licenced april 9 2014...SI6I. Just time to get a sniff off the contest smell. Off to celebrate our wedding annaversary. 73 Jerry SI6V/SM6BZV... SI6V. SI9AM, King Chulanlongkorn Memorial Amateur Radio Society in Ragunda, Sweden is located near the only Thai Pavilion in the world outside of Thailand. King Chulanlongkorn of Siam was here with king Oscar II of Sweden in 1897. Number 9 is a lucky number for Thais. SI9AM is visiting station for hams, that wish to have a vacation combined with amateur radio and tourism. More info www.si9am.com During 2017 SI9AM will increase operations on RTTY because most QSOs in the past have been done in CW or SSB. Therefore it has been difficult to get the SI9AM award for digital modes. 73 de SM5SIC Gran... SI9AM. Yeasu 817-nd 5W ant loop 80m all band...SM2JUR. Radio: ICOM 746 100W ANT: 2-EL QQ/20-15-10m. ANT: VER-TICAL 7-BAND. ANT: MONOBAND DIPOL 80M...SN1050D. TRX: Kenwood TS130SE. Ant: Vertical multiband...SP3UIW. TRX TS-820, POWER 5W ANT: LW...SP4BPH. FT-950 PWR: 5W ANT: 2-el. Delta Loop...SP4LVK. 2015-12-07...SP5AN. FT991...SP5GNI. IC751A & AT500, FB33, DIAMOND W-735...SP5KCR. IC-735 100 W...SP6BEN. FT920...SP6DMI. IC-746PRO 100W ant DELTA LOOP, GP5...SP9BNM. FT-897...SP9CVY. TS850S 100W DIPOLE MIXW...SP9IHP. Trx IC730 abt 50W, ant DELTA LOOP 42m...SP9KJU. Trx IC730 abt 50W, ant inv V...SP9MDY. TRX IC738 40w Ant CP6 & Inv.V...SP9ZHR. FT-450AT + W3DZZ 70W...SQ2TOM. FT-450...SQ4JEN. Radio: Yaesu FT-920, 100W Antennas: 10m endfed Vertical Computer: Intel Core 2 Duo E8500...SV4FFL. SOAB100...SV8DTD. I enjoyed the contest...T88WJ. EQUP-MENT Kenwood TS2000 ant: Butternut HF9V...TA1BM. 73 & TNX DE...TA1BX. Thanks for Contest 73s...TA4PR. Bad conditions on 10m...TC2C. What a great fun! This time conditions were perfect. Even 15m did open up here. I got my runs which is always the greatest fun. I did learn one thing from a fellow amateur: He wrote: Add space in end of your macros! That was a great note, I thank him and did so right away. It makes sense, it makes is easier for the other end to read. Thank you for organizing this great event...TF1AM. Very limited time to operate this one...TF3AO. Fun contest, CDX not great but OK, just some casual contesting due to work schedule 73 de...TF3T. IC-703, K3/10, 5W spiderbeam, 40m and 80m lambda/4 vertical. Thanks to the organizers for the contest and all who digged my QRP signal out of the noise. This time it was even more a low-band contest for me with only very few high-band contacts especially on dx. My signal was obviously below the noise level. E.g. the handful US stations were all on 80m. Missed a lot of multipliers and the score declined now each year since 2015. Anyway, enjoyed the contest and hope to participate again next year and looking now forward to the CW part in May...TM3T. Tnx all fer Contest, 73 de...UAØAKY. TRCVR: FT-2000 (99 watts) ANT: Diamond CP-6...UAØC. RIG TS-940V POWER 5W ANTENNAS: SPI-DER...UAØSBQ. TRANSCEIVER YAESU FT-1011 50W DIGI MODE ANT INV 40/80m...UA4HBM. IC-751, LW...UA4NCI. 73!...UA4SJO. ICOM-7000...UA4UAR. 73...UA4UT. FT-817 5W, MFJ 1640...UA4WJ. FLEX-6500 KT-34XA...UA6CE. ALL OK!...UA7G. The DX entity is Kaliningrad, not European Russia!...UE2MW. 18.03.2014 license...UN5GV. 10,15, 20m Yagy, TS-2000X...UN7LV. FT-950 Delta-20 Inv-40...UN7PGA. SDR1000 25W inv V 6 BANDS...URØEJ. TNX...URØHQ. SW2012...UR1YDD. IC 7600, 95W, YAGI 3-EL., BAZOOKA 40 M, BAZOOKA 80 M...UR5CN. 73! ICOM IC-718, abt 100W, Windom...UR5EPV. ROOKIE Amateur Radio Licence: AC-510151957 Data of issue: 29.01.2016... UR5FOF. IC-718, ANT DIPOLE 3.5Mhz...UR5IHQ. Kenwood-590 S...UR5ZGY. Using ICOM-718.Power abt 100W...UR7CB. GOOD CONTEST THANKS...UR7EC. RIG: IC-756 Pro3, ANT: 3bend-20-10m, Inv80 40m...UR7R. TNX for CONTEST!...US1IV. Using KEN-WOOD TS-140S. Abt. 50W...US6CQ. I used MixW3, homemade interface, trcv SW2013 v3, PA 200 W, GP, LW and dipole ant...US7IB. TS-2000. ANT: GP, delta 84m...US7VF. TX/RX -FT-950, Ant - XL-222, I.V...UT3RS. 73!...UT5CW. SW2013, GP 20-15-10, Delta-80, Dipol-40...UT7AT. IC 7600. ant: Mosley PRO 67-C-3, up 24m...UVØA. XL-222 10-15-20m, IV 40-80m...UV3RT. ICOM IC-721...UX1VX. Dear colleagues, do not judge strictly if that is not so this is my first test in digi.TNX 73!...UY7LM. 75 character limit for soapbox is too short!...V31VP. FT-950 + AL-811H + microHAM DIGI KEYER II 80m dipole, 40m delta-loop, AT2K...VE2EZD. Just using a G5RV laying on the roof (until the spring)...VE3RCN. I had limited time again to spend on this contest I got some operating done in the Evenings and Sunday Afternoon I used my Venerable old IC-751A rig, 73 Gery...VE7BGP. Training session...VE7FO. Relax and enjoy the poor band condition!...VR2XMT. IC-707, barefoot with Trap Dipole. Homebrew digital Interface DM780...VU2DED. Despite a late start, I had a blast because the conditions were better than expected, particularly on low bands. Many thanks for the Qs...XE2B. A little time to share radio with us:-)...XE2N. FT-817ND 5W, Mobile Whip...YBØANN. 10M band dead, heard nothing at all...YB1AR. SINGLE FIGHTER DX GROUP...YC2NDX. Please add SINGLE FIGHTER DX GROUP to list group. Thank you...YC9GWR. First session of Elmer-Rookie competition by YB LAND DX CLUB. Bad prop on 15m, but sure lots of fun. Great elmer - rookie team work experience. Running Icom IC-7300 barefoot with 6 element OWA Yagi...YD1SDL. SINGLE FIGHTER DX GROUP...YD2YIZ. My first amateur licence was on 20 June 2014...YD8GAR. First Licensed 2015...YD8UXV. My Amateur Radio License started at 22 Maret 2015 and valid at 11 December 2012. WE ARE MEM-BER OF YB3ZBD, Club Station ORLOK KERDIRI- ALL WE ARE THE BEST, 73...YF3CYT. My License Start from 2014-03-18...YG3CNU. 73...YL2IP. TRX FT757-GX 50W; ANT: I.V. Tnx & 73!...YL3FW. Despite the low Sfi was pleased with my 7th WPX-rtty in row!...YO2IS. TS590SG + IC2KL (500W with transistors)...YO3RU. 73...YO4FYQ. Conditions weren't that great, but at the end got a higher score than last year. Thanks everyone for QSO. 73!...YO4NF. KENWOOD TS-450SAT 100W ANT: MULTIBAND DIPOLE FD4...YO4SI. Radio Ant Modem Interface III, microHAM...YO5BYV. KENWOOD TS-2000 50W G5RV. VERTICAL...YO5CUQ. Nice contest! See vou year!...YO7BPC. FT-950 + PA 300W DIPOLE...YP5A. ICOM IC-7300 (100W) 80m-GP & INV-V & D-loop ant 40m-GP ant 20m-4-el Yagi 15m-4-el. Yagi 10m-8-el. Yagi...YP8VS. This was my first RTTY contest. RTTY is better than SSB for QRP. First licensed 29.04.2014...YP8W. ICOM 746 PRO + wires Urban city QTH...YT2AAA. KENWOOD TS 440 S PWR 100W ANT GP/DIPOLE...YU1KT. First Ham Radio Licence August 2014...YV5EMG. A lot of fun!...YV5IAL. First venture into this contest and for the full 30 hours. Rather taxing on both my and the rig batteries! Enjoyed it though...ZL3VZ.

## **USA QRM**

First licensed December 10, 2015...AB3YH. Tnx to those who made the contest possible and to my contacts...AB5XM. My station: FT-950, SGC237 tuner, Signal Link using 100W max to: Antenna: 150 foot, 16 Gauge wire loop up 16 feet around rooftop. Works great!...AD2L. K3 with RUMLog and wire antennas. Dipole & inverted V on 80, 40, and 15. Two element wire beam on 20. No Tribander. Does this qualify for TB-WIRES?...AE6JV.

My first WPX contest — had a blast. See you next year... AE8TF. First licensed September 2014...Al6DO. My first try at RTTY (or any digital, for that matter). Thanks for all the patient ops out there while I got my act together. Good contest, with lots of activity available for my half-pint station. Kenwood 480 running 80W to 40m OCF dipole at 35 ft. Thanks for all the QSOs - see you next time! Look for "Carolinas Weekend" Feb 25-26 with SCC & NC QSO parties back-to-back!...AJ5E. Fun! Lots of two radio work...AK1W. Enjoyed yet another RTTY contest. Lower stress vs SSB in particular. Suburban QRM was quite bad glad the various decoders were working well. As always, thanks for picking my LP city lot signal out of the noise. 73...KØGEO. -----POINTS----- MULTS Band QSOs Points WPX 160M 0 0 313 80M 113 272 40M 203 570 20M 172 275 15M 118 260 10M 0 0 --------- 606 1377 SCORE Total Records...KØJJR. FIRST LICENSED 2016/02/02...KØKB. Love the WPX contests. It's always like a slugfest!...K1RCT. IC-746, Mini 3-el beam, dipoles...K2AL. K3 @ 5W dipole & Tribander...K2YG. Thanks for ALL the work you guys do to continue having these contests...K3DBG. Neglected to send in Cabrillo log. Glad I got logchecking email!...K3MD. It's always a challenge on RTTY with QRP (5W)!...K3TW. IT WAS FUN BUT FRUSTRATING. HEARD ALL OPS CLEARLY BUT THEY SEEM DEAF TO ME...K3URT. I know of 2 calls that are incorrect but I left them in. K4TOH and IK8VNI. I did delete a couple of calls early in the contest and I am not sure if that messed up the numbering system on QSO numbers I had sent...K4PI. Great Contest, tested new 80M 4 sqaure and SPE 1.3K AMP, both worked great...K4SV. All time personal best!...K4WW. Gave it all I had this year for my advancing age. 15 and 10 pretty useless...K7LFY. Bands were better than expected but weird. I would go from 599 to 000 in some exchanges which probably means a higher number of broken QSOs than normal. Not as much DX here, but that could just be my area. IC-7300, MFJ927, ladder line, horizontal loop up about 22 feet. With a 36 foot raised radial and the ladder line shorted into one side of the 4:1 BALUN for 80m...K7RFW. Great fun. S&P...K9QJ. Thanks to all the OPS and sponsors for another great contest!...KA2VLP. First time operating in this and had a good time. 40/80 were great...KB1RI. Lots of fun...KD5JHE. Rookie. First licensed 12/12/2016...KD9HNU. Lots of fun in this one, just no time to operate!...KD9MS. Not great conditions, but fun contest...KE1U. 2017 CQ WPX RTTY CONTEST...KE5LQ. 10m disappeared this year forcing too much grm onto remaining bands...KF20. BEST RTTY CONTEST EFFORT FROM THIS STATION. LOTS OF FUN. GREAT DEDICATED CREW...KG4USN. Goal was 1 mil points. Next year!...KI6VC. As usual, K3 and a paddle for enrty...KJ9C. March 14, 2014 License Grant Date...KK6KMU. Good laughs showing wife (KM4HQL) the traffic during/after contest!...KM4F. Rookie Nov 7, 2014...KM4FRM. Not too sure how to calculate score first lic Nov 10, 2016...KM4OUS. First licensed 08/02/2016...KM6ELP. Some old guy (me) just had to have yet another birthday on Saturday and due to some family fun the first day of the contest was a no-go. But I decided to push it as hard as I could for a few hours Sunday afternoon, to see if I still "had it." Maybe I do :-) Big fun! And: not a single dupe this time - amazing. Thank you all!...KN5S. I'M NEW AT THIS. APOLOGIES FOR ANY ERRORS OR OMISSIONS...N1RDN. Excellent activity, thanks for all the Qs...N2WK. I am just here to give points to the other guys...N2WLS. Fun! As always!...N3MWQ. Upgraded license extra 2016, no prior contesting...N3PMF. First RTTY contest. First contest with Flagpole Antenna. PT effort...N3TWM. Comment about the contest: loved it! Many, many good ops out there that are very patient that's appreciated with these poor conditions. 73 and Thank You to the ops I worked and the spon-

sors...N4CW. Log for those I worked I did not claim score...N4MRM. My first WPX RTTY ever. Was a lot of fun even with the lower sunsport count. Look forward to next year... **N5FPW**. Had a great time as always!...**N5SMQ**. Poor Cndx Asia. Off times more dependent on family than on propagation... N6AR. Ran 2W QRP to a 20 foot wire thrown into a tree out of my window. 20m Fair, 40m Fair, 15m Poor, 10m MIA. Spent a lot of time in this one, and made my goal to set a new personal best record for number of QSOs in a RTTY contest using 2W and my 20 Foot hunk of wire. Not much DX, I had NO EU, AF, or even Asia! Heard some JAs, but not quite strong enough for me to work them. Plenty of activity to keep me busy, lots of fun. I wish we had contests just like this but with more modern Digi modes. Come on gang, Digi contests are fun, but its time to retire RTTY. Thanks to all for the QSOs. GO ARIZONA OUTLAWS! 73 John...N6HI. This is my first ever contest. Errors, contact me 310-704-7416...N6YFM. TS-520 & 15M dipole in attic...N7DB. Third RTTY contest - need to check MMTTY AFC behavior and settings...N7WY. Very first RTTY contest/contacts me!...N9SJ. First 50 or so Qs I noticed were all new mults, so I decided to make this a contest within a contest and work only new prefixs. My time was limited to just a few blocks of time throughout the weekend, and making a game out of searching for only new mults added a different challenge. Tuning up and down the bands I watched for red callsigns to decode in N1MM and then pounced on them! There were a few times when new prefix's were few and far between, and I was tempted to call CQ. But I didn't wanr to interrupt the perfect stream of red checkmark multipliers in the log! Sure wish I could have played all afternoon Sunday to the end of the contest. There are usually more "new" stations calling CQ the last few hours of the contest, and I may have been able to reach 500/500, Qs and mults. I don't usually have much luck with low power and low antennas attracting other S&Pers, so things turned out pretty productive for my alloted time to play. Band conditions seemed pretty good, but much better Sunday morning for EU DX on 15 and 20. Ended up with 57 DX entities worked and a few new ones for RTTY. Lots of activity and lots of fun. 73 Gene N9TF Rig, K3S/P3 100W. Antennas, 2-el. triband 10/15/20 at 37', 100' short 40/80 dipole at 35' apex. MMTTY/N1MM+...N9TF. Great Contest. Not one signal heard on 10m here in the Mtn's. WNC...NC4MI. Great contest. Bands were crowded, nice to hear! See you all next year...ND3R. Most fun I have had in years! First RTTY contest ever...NE3F. 196 PREFIXES 555 POINTS COUNTRIES 23 ON 40 20 ON 20 AND 13 ON 15 CONTACTS 168 ON 40 126 ON 20 AND 23 ON 15...NE80. S&P only...NJ4F. Flex-6500 @ 100W T-11 LP, & OCF Dipole. This is my first CQ WPX RTTY. I had been sick all week, so only had a few hours to operate on Saturday. Lots of fun. Hope to have a stronger entry next year...NM9P. The exchange is defined as "RST report plus a progressive contact serial number starting with 001 for the first contact." Many station only sending just serial number, or not complete 3 digit serial such 5991. What if one station did not send '599,' and other assumed '599' and logged. Is this complete contact? Contest committee, please review the rule and enforce...NN5T. Had a nice time. Low band propagation was good. Should have spent more time on 40m. Started out poorly. Needed time to get into the contest and my score shows it. However, made up for my poor start Saturday morning when I got into my stride...NO2T. Got a very late start but I was glad to give some ops a new multiplier...NS4X. Best score yet by our club. Kept on the air the whole 48 hours...NY4I. 2/9/16...WØNY. First CQ RTTY test, first time using n1mm & mmtty software! Made some errors. First contacts I clicked on the 599 exchange rather than number. I hope the log will be of some use. Don...WØVM. k3 / Hexbeam

@8m / 43' Vert...W1AJT. First time with this contest, did OK...W1DYJ. Used only KX3 and paddle. All battery power...W1MJ. 2015-12-08...W2TET. My first RTTY contest...W3MJ. Fun with 200W, no beam only 80m skyloop. Fist time I got into run mode along with S&P...W3SA. IC-7300...W4GHV. 43 FT GND MTD VERT WIRE WITH 16 RADI-ALS...W4UK. Thanks for the Qs. 73, Vic...W4VIC. I enjoyed the contest with tiny equipment...W4WW. Interesting band conditions. Just 20m open with some limited 15m opening...W5WI. TS-450SAT, 20/40M Inverted V @24', 15M Vertical @ 6' QTH @ 392' ASL CPU Dell AMD Win Vista Laptop N1MM+, MMTTY True FSK 73, JR...W6JBR. All S&P...W6KY. First time on any contest - learning the software...W7NC. IC 7300, Dipoles Enjoyed contest very much despite having to wait on SO2R operators...W8AKS. Good to hear the clanging tones of RTTY sweet...W9YK. A couple years ago I tried for a simple North American record. Low power SB 40. I was 6k under record last year i was back again. I was 3k under record. This year back again, but I think I blew away old record! In any case it was fun. 2-el. 40 beam at 75 ft. 73 BoB...WA1FCN. SO1R...WB2RHM. My longest time operating a contest, my highest score ever for any contest. Lots of fun. Had N1MM cruising along using the band map. The condx could have been better. One ZL, no JAs.

Lots of EU. Not many SA or Central America. Seemed like more OPs could have been on, it was tough going for runs. Got many SMCers, thanks. I could of had a lot more contacts, but we had very strong winds here and it affected my RF. I believe it blew my RF off course. Anyone else experience it? Thanks all, CU soon. 73, Gil...WB9TFH. Two trees and some wire...WD5DAX. Bands not in the best shape, but we sure had fun!...WE6Z. My first RTTY contest...WJ4HCP. This was a last minute remote operation from NX6T's QTH in Fallbrook. I ran an Elecraft K3 into an ACOM 2000a amplifier dialed back to 550W. Antennas included N1MM+ provided superior logging assistance. Overall, most people probably never figured I was running remote. I was amazed by the number Canadian CF & CG callsigns there seemed more than actual VE & VA calls. Overall, I was disappointed by the lack of unusual weird prefixes, although there were are a lot of unique 2x1 style calls. This RTTY contest was certainly a lot of fun. I wrote up this contest for http://WQ6X.Blogspot.Com BLOG http://wq6x.blogspot.com/ 2017/02/wq6x-roars-remotely-in-2017-wpx-rtty.html...WQ6X. First Licence 11/25/2014...WR1ST. Had fun but still climbing the learning curve!...WR2G. Really fun contest...WR7Q. 16 hours on/off...WU6X. Big fun...WX3SKY. March 2016...WZ5TM.