

A1CLUB Weekly Contest Guidelines

A1CLUB Weekly Contest, AWT is the weekly **1hour&15minute*1 CW** contest presented by A1CLUB, Japan's historic CW club. We expect not only the A1CLUB members but also invite all the world CWers to participate. You can enjoy AWT with any kind of key such as a straight key, bug key, paddle and even PC keying using software like N1MM Logger+. Also SO2R (Single Operator with 2 Radio), and those QRV from a remote shack are all welcome.

***1 From the AWT on FEB 5, 2025, the former start time of 12:00Z will be moved forward by 15 minutes, and the 15min period will be designated as "QRS TIME" with the keying speed of 15 WPM or less.**

"QRS TIME" has been set up so that even CW beginners can participate with peace of mind, so we ask each station to send CQs and calls back at 15 WPM or less.

[AWT Outlines]

Date: **Until JAN 29: Every Wednesday 12:00Z-13:00Z**

From FEB 5: Every Wednesday 11:45Z-13:00Z

***Between 11:45Z-12:00Z, 15WPM or less keying speed is requested.**

Mode: **A1A (CW)**

Frequencies: **1.9, 3.5, 7, 14, 21, 28MHz**

***+25-40kHz from lower edge of each CW band plan is recommended. (ex 7.025-7.040MHz)**

CQ Format: **CQ AWT**

Exchange: **RST + CW Name (Handle)**

Operation Class: **QRP: =<5W, LP: =<100W, HP: Others**

Score Calculation: “# of QSOs” x “# of Call Signs”

* “# of QSOs” does not include DUP QSOs on the same band at one AWT.

* “# of Call Signs” does not include DUP Call Signs on all bands at one AWT.

Score Submission: <http://3830scores.com/> (Submit your score by next Monday from AWT)

Score Tally: From the February to January of the following year, all the submitted scores will be tallied and the result will be announced on the A1CLUB WebPage.

NOTE

1. QSO Example

CQ STN: CQ AWT JE1TRV

TAKER: JJ1FXF

CQ STN: JJ1FXF 5NN ATSU

TAKER: 5NN HIRO TU

CQ STN: TU JE1TRV AWT ...

2. Point Calculation Example

① 2021/02/02 12:00Z 7MHz JN1THL

② 2021/02/02 12:12Z 7MHz JF1UOX

③ 2021/02/02 12:25Z 14MHz JJ1FXF

④ 2021/02/02 12:37Z 14MHz JE1TRV

⑤ 2021/02/02 12:48Z 14MHz JJ1FXF

⑥ 2021/02/02 12:59Z 3.5MHz JF1UOX

of QSOs: 5 (⑤JJ1FXF is DUP and not counted)

of Call Signs: 4 (④JF1UOX will be counted as 1)

Total Points: 20 (5x4)

3. Advice for Operating Frequencies

1.9, 3.5, 7, 14, 21, 28MHz are the AWT operable frequencies and please do not QRV on WARC bands such as 10, 18, 24MHz. Also +25~40kHz from lower CW band plan is recommended for AWT. Please pay attention to QSOs and avoid making QRM. And it is allowed to QRV out of the recommended AWT frequencies if the AWT frequencies are busy. But please avoid some conventional frequencies such as the DXpedition and digital-mode frequencies.

***Please keep in mind that 7.030MHz is for only QRP(<5W)**

4. Advice for Keying Speed

AWT is also intended for CW contesting practice. Therefore, calling back at QRS is preferred if the sending station is not a fast sender. AWT accepts all speeds. Feel free to CQ at your comfortable keying speed. When calling back QRS CQs, adapting the keying speed will always cause more efficient results.

Also, from FEB 5 2025, 15 minutes from 11:45Z to 12:00Z will be designated as "QRS TIME", and all stations are asked to operate at 15WPM or less of keying speed. If you are the one who has never called CQ or tried CQ RUNNING in a contest before, we would encourage you to call "CQ AWT" and enjoy your CQ RUNNING.

5. Contest Logger

The world most famous contest logger, N1MM Logger+ provides AWT module on its website.

<https://n1mmwp.hamdocs.com/mmfiles/categories/userdefinedcontests/?CMDsearch=>

Look for A1AWT.UDC for download you're your

\$HOME/documents/N1MM+logger/UserDefinedContests folder.

3830scores.com Precautions

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Contest Score Rumors

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Submit logs by: January 22, 2022
E-mail logs to: (none)
Mail to: (none)
Find rules at: <https://cwops.org/cwops-tests/>
Log/rules info courtesy of WA7BNM Contest Calendar.

Submitter's E-mail Address* Send copy to this e-mail address.

Call Used* Operator(s) Call(s) Station Call

Class* Power* Check all that apply: SO2R Remote operation

Op Time (hrs) QTH Club

Summary:

QSOs	
160	<input type="text"/>
80	<input type="text"/>
40	<input type="text" value="32"/>
20	<input type="text" value="25"/>
15	<input type="text"/>
10	<input type="text"/>

Total* Mults* Total Score*

Comments: (unlimited length, copy and paste from your log summary sheet if you wish)
Note: Do not include your log in the comments field

ここにはログを貼り付けないでください。
コンテストの状況、感想などを記載ください。

Submitter's E-mail Address*

Do not forget to check " Send copy to this email address " if you like to have a confirmation.

Call Used*

Continent/Country associated with your score is derived from your call sign. "Operator(s) Call(s)" and "Station Call" will be set automatically.

Class*

Only "Single Op" at this moment.

Power*

QRP: <5W, LP: <100W, HP: others

Check all that apply: SO2R Remote

Check accordingly to your operation.

Op Time (hrs)

1hr 15min: 1.25, 1hr: 1.0, 45min: 0.75, 30min: 0.5, 15min: 0.25
Or "25min" or "10min" are also fine.

QTH

Enter City/State/Province code or symbol used among HAM.

Club

Select "A1CLUB" if you are the member.

*Join the A1CLUB? : <https://a1club.org/A1 club e.htm>

Summary:

QSOs : Number of QSOs on each band

Total* : Total of QSOs on all bands

Mults* : Number of different call signs

Total Score* : Total×Mults

Comments:

Any comments like band conditions, impressed QSOs or about AWT.

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