

2018 ARRL 160-Meter Contest Results

Last year's contest was held November 30 – December 2, 2018.



The K9DX ultimate nine-element 160-meter array is no longer in place, but it remains a dream of many hams. Read more about it at https://nidxa.org/memberWWW/k9dx_antennas.htm, or its related presentation from the 2008 Dayton Hamvention Contest Forum, available at https://www.kkn.net/dayton2008/contesting_with_28_miles_of_feedline. [NIDXA and K9DX, photo]

Full Results Online

You can read the full results of the contest online at <http://contests.arrl.org> or www.arrl.org/contest-results-articles. You'll find detailed analysis and more play-by-play along with the full line scores. Improve your results by studying your log-checking report, too.

Top Ten — DX

Single Operator, High Power		Single Operator Unlimited, Low Power	
PJ2T (W8WTS, op)	120,640	IK2CLB	6,552
ZF9CW	115,128	LZ2ZG	1,872
TM6M (F1AKK, op)	45,828	XE2B	1,748
HG0R (HA0NAR, op)	21,600	OK2BFN	1,610
GM4Z (GM4ZUK, op)	14,520	DL3TU	1,596
TF3SG	9,840	SP1D	1,554
DF2PY	7,488	LA5LJA	988
UY0ZG	5,974	DL6MHW	896
RW3PZ	5,740	OK2VV	736
JH7XMO	5,580	G3RLE	646

Single Operator, Low Power

XE2MVY	7,280
R7NW	2,450
OK1CZ	1,672
OK6Y (OK2PTZ, op)	1,400
LY4ZZ (LY2BMX, op)	1,386
US8UA	1,320
DL5CL	1,302
JE1SPY	1,224
JA1BJI	986
PA0TCA	918
SP9FMP	918

Single Operator, QRP

JK1TCV	20
RC7B	8
OL0A (OK1CZ, op)	2

Single Operator Unlimited, High Power

4M1K (YV1KK, op)	76,896
XE2S	53,250
P4/DL6RAI	50,544
OM3RM	46,726
OK7Z (OK2ZI, op)	29,052
G4AMT	28,050
XE2T	25,742
SK3W (SM3SGP, op)	23,358
F6AGM	21,708
UX1UA	18,308

Single Operator Unlimited, QRP

DL2SAX	260
JG1LFR	12

Multioperator, Single Transmitter, High Power

VP2MSK	54,002
LY7Z	25,648
S51V	20,600
RL3A	18,100
PP5JR	16,356
FS/K9EL	11,954
SN8B	11,610
OK6O	4,234

Multioperator, Single Transmitter, Low Power

VP9I	47,200
V31MA	6,880
C6ADM	280

Top Ten — US and Canada

Single Operator, High Power		Single Operator Unlimited, Low Power	
VY2ZM (K1ZM, op)	695,556	NE9U	229,020
NO3M	582,632	VE3MGY	205,712
AA1K	533,596	W9XT	130,032
VA2EW	487,080	N9CK	122,820
K1KI	478,035	AA4XA	121,800
K1LT	423,500	W0DLE	115,456
WF2W	418,572	NY3B	107,015
NA8V	392,868	K0TI	101,736
W3BGN	342,672	W3KB	101,070
K3ZO	333,114	K5KJ	81,810

Single Operator, Low Power

K9PG	193,076
WB8JUI	156,980
K7SV	143,170
W0UO	135,300
KG9X	128,520
WD8DSB	126,795
K9IG	123,660
NJ3K	119,972
AC0W	115,866
W1QK	110,320

Single Operator, QRP

W3TS	57,053
N7IR	54,375
W8GP	46,438
N3CO	41,600
K1EP	16,946
KN1H	12,578
K4WY	12,267
N5EE	11,184
W9CC	10,906
K6EI	9,880

Single Operator Unlimited, High Power

VE3EJ	556,640
NN2DX (K07SS, op)	441,462
NR4M	427,050
KV0Q	402,570
K3WW	378,852
N3QE	361,368
W8MJ	353,256
K0RF	350,625
WB9Z	342,773
AB3CX	309,034

Single Operator Unlimited, QRP

N3CZ	31,080
NK8Q	29,952
K8ZT	25,069
K2QO	13,040
N0UR	12,330
WE9R	8,880
KP2DX (KP2BH, op)	3,450
K2FF	180

Multioperator, Single Transmitter, High Power

W2GD	619,190
N0NI	495,618
N1LN	474,089
W5MX	404,500
K9CT	391,356
W3UA	388,212
W4MYA	380,672
KC1XX	370,311
K9RS	356,000
NA7TB	352,110

Multioperator, Single Transmitter, Low Power

W2FU	258,944
N2KW	149,856
WQ3N	124,608
W4GZX	36,608
K1RQ	36,225
W5WTM	24,660
KN4DUA	9,045
N9MT	2,520

Affiliated Club Competition

Club	Score	Entries	Rank	Club	Score	Entries	Rank
Unlimited				Orca DX and Contest Club	169,232	6	
Potomac Valley Radio Club	7,252,431	92		Maritime Contest Club	160,613	4	
Frankford Radio Club	6,711,488	67		Delara Contest Team	145,960	3	
Yankee Clipper Contest Club	5,492,214	65		Rochester (NY) DX Assn.	132,401	6	
Society of Midwest Contesters	4,227,350	59		Northeast Wisconsin DX Assn.	88,326	3	
Minnesota Wireless Assn.	2,603,300	56		Northeast Maryland Amateur Radio Contest Society	85,105	4	
Medium				Spokane DX Assn.	76,175	4	
Contest Club Ontario	2,212,305	26		Swamp Fox Contest Group	39,925	3	
North Coast Contesters	2,109,797	17		Driftless Zone Contesters	27,068	3	
Mad River Radio Club	1,634,587	11		Local			
Arizona Outlaws Contest Club	918,326	23		Central Virginia Contest Club	514,067	6	
Hudson Valley Contesters and DXers	756,285	9		CTRI Contest Group	406,667	5	
Northern California Contest Club	688,560	24		Niagara Frontier Radiosport	403,392	7	
Grand Mesa Contesters of Colorado	665,084	8		Bristol (TN) ARC	150,060	5	
Kentucky Contest Group	651,227	9					
Tennessee Contest Group	544,863	12					
Western Washington DX Club	482,073	10					
Florida Contest Group	468,382	14					
Central Texas DX and Contest Club	422,131	8					
Big Sky Contesters	385,323	5					
DFW Contest Group	383,278	10					
Mother Lode DX/Contest Club	378,409	7					
North Texas Contest Club	321,193	4					
Southern California Contest Club	309,084	12					
Alabama Contest Group	301,361	3					
South East Contest Club	290,628	9					
Willamette Valley DX Club	262,515	6					
Georgia Contest Group	250,709	4					
Kansas City Contest Club	214,904	5					

Continental Winners

Africa

Single Operator Unlimited, High Power EA8DO 4,620

Asia

Single Operator, High Power JH7XMO 5,580
 Single Operator, Low Power JE1SPY 1,224
 Single Operator, QRP JK1TCV 20
 Single Operator Unlimited, High Power RA0FF 10,496
 Single Operator Unlimited, Low Power JQ1EPD/1 16
 Single Operator Unlimited, QRP JG1LFR 12

Europe

Single Operator, High Power TM6M (F1AKK, op) 45,828
 Single Operator, Low Power R7NW 2,450
 Single Operator, QRP RC7B 8
 Single Operator Unlimited, High Power OM3RM 46,726
 Single Operator Unlimited, Low Power IK2CLB 6,552
 Single Operator Unlimited, QRP DL2SAX 260
 Multioperator, Single Transmitter, High Power LY7Z 25,648

North America

Single Operator, High Power ZF9CW 115,128
 Single Operator, Low Power XE2MVY 7,280
 Single Operator Unlimited, High Power XE2S 53,250
 Single Operator Unlimited, Low Power XE2B 1,748
 Multioperator, Single Transmitter, High Power VP2MSK 54,002
 Multioperator, Single Transmitter, Low Power VP9I 47,200

Oceania

Single Operator, High Power VK2GR 286
 Single Operator, Low Power VK3IO 200

South America

Single Operator, High Power PJ2T (W8WTS, op) 120,640
 Single Operator, Low Power HK6J 384
 Single Operator Unlimited, High Power 4M1K (YV1KK, op) 76,896
 Multioperator, Single Transmitter, High Power PP5JR 16,356



AC7ZN/VP2MZN, manned the VP2MSK station at sunset, looking out over the ocean. VP2MSK (with operators VP2MSK, VP2MLB, VP2MSA, and VP2MZN) won 1st place in the DX, Multi-Single, High Power category in the 2019 ARRL 160-Meter Contest. [Louis Barrett, K7NM, photo]

Division Winners

Single Operator, High Power

Atlantic NO3M 582,632
 Central K9NR 279,896
 Dakota NE0U 183,635
 Delta WD5R (N5ECT, op) 108,936
 Great Lakes K1LT 423,500
 Hudson K2XA 297,360
 Midwest K10I 37,204
 New England K1KI 478,035
 Northwestern WJ9B 185,442
 Pacific N6TQ 30,814
 Roanoke N4XD 301,698
 Rocky Mountain WDS5COV 165,480
 Southeastern KV4FZ 332,580
 Southwestern W6AYC 133,472
 West Gulf K5RX 156,600
 Canada VY2ZM (K1ZM, op) 695,556

Single Operator, Low Power

Atlantic NJ3K 119,972
 Central K9PG 193,076
 Dakota AC0W 115,866
 Delta K3IE 57,618
 Great Lakes WB8JUI 156,980
 Hudson W2EG 33,464
 Midwest N20T 30,837
 New England W10K 110,320
 Northwestern K7QBO 31,280
 Pacific N6NF 23,851
 Roanoke K7SV 143,170
 Rocky Mountain K6XT 40,625

Southeastern WA1FCN 50,991
 Southwestern AC7A 38,640
 West Gulf W0UO 135,300
 Canada VE3VSM 105,300

Single Operator, QRP

Atlantic W3TS 57,053
 Central W9CC 10,906
 Dakota ND0C 616
 Delta N5EE 11,184
 Great Lakes W8GP 46,438
 Hudson W2JEK 1,374
 Midwest W0YJT 1,804
 New England K1EP 16,946
 Northwestern K6EI 9,880
 Pacific K6MI 2,880
 Roanoke K4WY 12,267
 Southwestern N7IR 54,375
 West Gulf N5OE 7,030
 Canada VE7VV 6,150

Single Operator Unlimited, High Power

Atlantic K3WW 378,852
 Central WB9Z 342,773
 Dakota K0KX 210,600
 Delta AD4EB 162,588
 Great Lakes W8MJ 353,256
 Hudson N2GC 223,288
 Midwest N0AV 166,963
 New England NN2DX (K07SS, op) 441,462
 Northwestern K4XU 197,395

Pacific N6RK 137,238
 Roanoke NR4M 427,050
 Rocky Mountain KV0Q 402,570
 Southeastern N4PN 154,562
 Southwestern WA7AN (K9DR, op) 94,095
 West Gulf W5TM 138,572
 Canada VE3EJ 556,640

Single Operator Unlimited, Low Power

Atlantic NY3B 107,015
 Central NE9U 229,020
 Dakota K0TI 101,736
 Delta W4TTM 33,350
 Great Lakes K8BL 81,650
 Hudson W2DPT 32,576
 Midwest K0VBU 8,077
 New England NC1CC (WA1BXY, op) 75,383
 Northwestern NR7RR 7,831
 Pacific N6GEO 11,544
 Roanoke AA4XA 121,800
 Rocky Mountain W0DLE 115,456
 Southeastern K3TW 10,948
 Southwestern N6BT 19,337
 West Gulf K5KJ 81,810
 Canada VE3MGY 205,712

Single Operator Unlimited, QRP

Atlantic NK8Q 29,952
 Central WE9R 8,880

Dakota N0UR 12,330
 Delta K2FF 180
 Great Lakes K8ZT 25,069
 Roanoke N3CZ 31,080
 Southeastern KP2DX (KP2BH, op) 3,450

Multioperator, Single Transmitter, High Power

Atlantic W2GD 619,190
 Central K9CT 391,356
 Great Lakes W5MX 404,500
 Midwest N0NI 495,618
 New England W3UA 388,212
 Northwestern W6OFM 7,062
 Pacific K6DAJ 183,400
 Roanoke N1LN 474,089
 Rocky Mountain N0KE 61,864
 Southeastern WA1T 335,916
 Southwestern NA7TB 352,110
 West Gulf K5ZO 218,960
 Canada VE2OJ 215,602

Multioperator, Single Transmitter, Low Power

Atlantic W2FU 258,944
 Central N9MT 2,520
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 Hudson K1RQ 36,225
 New England N2KW 149,856
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 160-Meter Contest will be held
 December 6 – 8.