

2023 ARRL International Digital Contest Results

The 2023 ARRL International Digital Contest was held June 3 – 4, 2023.

Continental Winners		
Africa		
Single Operator, One Radio, Low Power	V51MA	2,686
Asia		
Single Operator, One Radio, Low Power	JM1NKT	8,735
Single Operator, One Radio, Low Power, 8 Hours	JH7QXJ	3,486
Single Operator, One Radio, QRP	JA1KPF	1,281
Single Operator, One Radio, QRP, 8 Hours	JJ1SSY	561
Multioperator, Single Transmitter, Low Power	BY1RX	10,845
Europe		
Single Operator, One Radio, Low Power	DR1X (DG6YID, op)	11,168
Single Operator, One Radio, Low Power, 8 Hours	ON6NL	4,534
Single Operator, One Radio, QRP	UT2IV	4,256
Single Operator, One Radio, QRP, 8 Hours	YL3FW	1,844
Single Operator, Two Radios, Low Power	YO9HP	13,110
Single Operator, Two Radios, Low Power, 8 Hours	UB7K	6,426
Multioperator, Single Transmitter, Low Power	DN5MT	5,440
North America		
Single Operator, One Radio, Low Power	NP2X (K9VV, op)	7,159
Single Operator, One Radio, Low Power, 8 Hours	NP4TX	2,371
Single Operator, One Radio, QRP, 8 Hours	HI5YJM	397
Multioperator, Single Transmitter, Low Power	6Y5PW	4,941
Oceania		
Single Operator, One Radio, Low Power	ZL3IO	20,552
Single Operator, One Radio, Low Power, 8 Hours	YC3DOC	3,461
Single Operator, One Radio, QRP	YC4SIZ	1,191
Single Operator, One Radio, QRP, 8 Hours	NH6O	1,470
South America		
Single Operator, One Radio, Low Power	ZP5AA (W3MLJ, op)	11,146
Single Operator, One Radio, Low Power, 8 Hours	PY1ZV	4,702
Single Operator, One Radio, QRP	PY2CER	4,666
Single Operator, Two Radios, Low Power	PY2GTA	10,326

Top Ten — DX		
Single Operator, One Radio, Low Power		
ZL3IO	20,552	
YE9BJM	13,880	
VK2EHQ	11,543	
DR1X (DG6YID, op)	11,168	
ZP5AA (W3MLJ, op)	11,146	
KH6AQ	10,752	
CT2FEY	10,374	
UA6CE	9,814	
IT9VCE	9,433	
JM1NKT	8,735	
Single Operator, One Radio, Low Power, 8 Hours		
PY1ZV	4,702	
ON6NL	4,534	
MR5W (M0HMJ, op)	4,340	
PY1CG	4,152	
JH7QXJ	3,486	
YC3DOC	3,461	
PU4MMZ	3,395	
KH6WI	3,378	
IK5AEQ	3,289	
L77D (LU6DC, op)	3,232	
Single Operator, One Radio, QRP		
PY2CER	4,666	
UT2IV	4,256	
PY2MLO	3,294	
SP8DX	2,545	
PY2PLL	1,979	
PE2K	1,535	
JA1KPF	1,281	
YC4SIZ	1,191	
EA4HWT	1,114	
PY2TDB	528	
Single Operator, One Radio, QRP, 8 Hours		
YL3FW	1,844	
NH6O	1,470	
DM8MH	1,418	
OK1GSO	1,013	
YD6ROA	801	
JJ1SSY	561	
DH9DX/P	496	
YC2BST	449	
HI5YJM	397	
YC0RFS	373	
Single Operator, Two Radios, Low Power		
YO9HP	13,110	
PA4O	11,941	
PY2GTA	10,326	
PC4H	4,798	
Single Operator, Two Radios, Low Power, 8 Hours		
UB7K	6,426	
EC3A	4,008	
UT3N (UT3NK, op)	1,149	
Multioperator, Single Transmitter, Low Power		
BY1RX	10,845	
DN5MT	5,440	
6Y5PW	4,941	
9A4AA	4,171	
RW9Y	2,563	
9A2EU	1,337	
JL3ZHU	775	
XE2NL	87	



Jozsef Krasnyanski, HA7JDU, participated in the 2023 ARRL International Digital Contest. He took second place in the Single Operator, One Radio, Low Power category from Hungary. [Jozsef Krasnyanski, HA7JDU, photo]

Top Ten — W/VE

Single Operator, One Radio, Low Power		Single Operator, Two Radios, Low Power	
K9OM	12,422	K3MM	16,460
N3QE	9,411	N8OO	16,221
K6OK	9,349	NF3R	15,284
WA2BOT	8,650	N8HRZ	12,910
KA6BIM	8,360	AA3B	12,649
NA5M	7,401	NA3M	7,347
N6AR	7,212	K5ZD	6,728
K7HKR	6,813	N5YT	5,771
WA8ZNC	6,092	KW6S	5,622
AF6SA	6,011	WO2X	4,775

Single Operator, One Radio, Low Power, 8 Hours		Single Operator, Two Radios, Low Power, 8 Hours	
K6LL	6,633	W1UE	4,879
W2LPL	3,652	WV4P	4,754
K6XX	3,646	K9CT	4,454
WA7BNM	2,801	KI6DY	4,296
NA4DA	2,668	K9WX	2,684
KF7PBM	2,352	VE3MGY	1,786
N7GCO	2,251	NR4O	1,513
KC3PIB	2,229	AB8MO	1,466
WY3A	2,017	NS3T	382
N9TF	1,999		

Single Operator, One Radio, QRP		Single Operator, Two Radios, QRP	
N9GQA	4,719	KN6OKY	825
N4FUR	3,935		
KG7CW	3,132		
VE3CT	2,745		
W7JET	2,104		
N5ER	1,852		
N3CKI	1,023		
N3MWQ	886		
WA2SEM	811		
KE0VIM	737		

Single Operator, One Radio, QRP, 8 Hours		Multioperator, Single Transmitter, Low Power	
WC4J	1,799	W2ZQ	9,416
N2YCH	1,302	WT0DX	7,588
KA1ZE	886	N1QD	4,310
N8URE	754	AK4NF	1,401
N1RDN	407	KM5AT	1,374
W4IL	378	VA7MM	1,371
W0KI	339	N1SOH	406
N9SSA	331		
W4VG	241		
K7WA	184		

The 2024 ARRL International Digital Contest will be held June 1 – 2, 2024.

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Affiliated Club Competition

Club	Score	Entries
Medium		
Potomac Valley Radio Club	73,536	35
Frankford Radio Club	65,729	20
Northern California Contest Club	49,960	16
Yankee Clipper Contest Club	48,464	14
Florida Contest Group	22,428	9
Grand Mesa Contesters of Colorado	18,934	8
Society of Midwest Contesters	18,387	11
DFW Contest Group	14,690	4
Arizona Outlaws Contest Club	14,292	4
Southern California Contest Club	13,263	6
Idaho Mountain ARS	13,255	4
Spokane DX Assn.	12,965	7
Texas DX Soc.	10,756	5
Minnesota Wireless Assn.	10,537	7
Tennessee Contest Group	8,443	6
Kansas Nebraska Radio Club	5,617	6
Western Washington DX Club	5,505	3
Silver Comet ARS	4,557	5
Hudson Valley Contesters and DXers	1,899	3
Local		
Silver Springs Radio Club	4,684	3

Brandon Clark, KL7BSC, operated in this well-equipped vehicle, participating in the Single Operator, One Radio, Low Power, 8 Hours category. This photo was taken the first weekend in June during the event. Brandon wrote, "[I] had a great time operating portable for the event from Alaska. I even snagged a few European contacts over the north pole... and I even activated two Parks on the Air (POTA) units. Fun day!" [Brandon Clark, KL7BSC, photo]

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