2007 CQ WW WPX SSB Contest Expanded Results QRM

What's so hard to understand, 2EØ !? So many people could not understand 2EØ. Have they never hear one before ?! Not complaing, nice rare mult! Due to antenna problems on 40m not too much was worked which meant a lower score (no USA hardly on Saturday night . . . 2EØCVN/p. Poor conditions below 20m . . . 2EØSJC. Great contest. Thank you! . . . 4L4WW. What fun from a real station at CN2R. Everything worked fine this trip. Thanks for all the QSOs . . . 5C5Z. Unfortunately I had no microphone on Saturday and managed to get on the air only on Sunday afternoon. Tough to get attention when everybody is beaming elsewhere and propagation is not good . . . 5Z4/9A3A. Highlight was Sunday night 7:00 PM local on 15m when everybody in western EU could hear my barefoot rig without repeats. It was magic. Beam direction: due north over the pole . . . 7J1AQH. 8J1S is special amateur radio station to commemorate the centenary of the world Scout movement. Good Scouting to you . . . 8J1S. It was very poor conditions, especially on Saturday. We used a TS870D (100w); 2-element guad on 10, 15, and, 20m; and a multi-dipole on 40, 80, and 160m. However it is great fun when the band is filled with activity. Our QTH was Skinnskatteberg (JO79UT) . . . 8SØC/5. Limited time operation; limited RF propagation . . . 9A2U. Enjoying the contest. Thank you . . . 9A5ZP. Conditions were very bad to NA. We worked few NA's compared to other years . . . 9K2HN. We got off to a slow start due to a very high SWR on the A4S on 20 and 15m. We tuned up on 10m and the SWR was near perfect ... 9M6BRC. Struggling to receive in the Vy bad power line noise ... 9N7JO. Band conditions were great . . . 9Y4LDK. Always fun and got to work John, ON4UN, and I'm reading his book . . . AAØNK. First contest from my new home QTH with a 20m dipole. Had lots of fun. Ears are ringing though! . . . AB2MH. Weak propagation from here but a great contest. I'm ready for some sunspots! Some new HFers were confused about their segment privileges . . . AB5XZ. At WØAIH in Wisconsin, i.e. portable 9 . . . ACØW. Great contest as usual. Although conditions were about as bad as they can be I still had some good 15m time. I didn't hear a peep on 10, however. It is the one contest involving DX where an average U.S. ham can run a frequency . . . AC9S. After making 700plus contacts during this contest I figured that I should actualy send my log in this time. Started in the High Power category but my Collins 30L-1 developed problems around 2100Z of the 24th, so the rest of the contest was at 100 watts . . . AD5XD. Thirty years in a row for CQ WW SSB, ARRL Phone, and now CQ WPX SSB. It's been fun. Used calls of W7FP, AD7J, WA7AR, VP2MBA and one of three in 1980 CQ WW SSB at KHØAC. Thought Sunday much better than Saturday: . . . AD7J. First contest. Had a great time. First four I logged rcvd number incorrectly. Oops . . . AD7LJ. First WPX contest. Sure was interesting with just dipoles. Looking forward to next year and getting a "beam" . . . AE1P. Would have submitted this QRP, but condx. were awful. Would have submitted it low power, but the rigs I used (Swan 270B and Kenwood TS-820) do about 120w out, so high power it is . . . AF9J. Had fun. Wish I had more time . . . AG4YQ. Snow static made Saturday night very difficult! . . .

AK1W. First WPX in over 15 years. Used a 75m loop skywire 20 feet in trees. Next year it'll be at the top. hope the extra 40 feet up helps. 10m was dead here: 15m not much better . . . AK9I. Join contest in car with mobile antenna . . . BD1DRJ. My first WPX SOAB TB+wires. See you next year . . . CE4CT. Nice contest but poor propagation . . . CT1DWT. This is the one of the most popular contests. It's time to join all together with pileups . . . CT1EGW. Nice to catch new ones, hi! . . . CT4GO. Nice contest. Only 100w and vertical . . . DF1HE. Some operators were deaf, but some had excellent ears! It's my first time participating in an SSB contest with QRP. Thank you great guys for your patience with my weak signals . . . DJØMY. First time taking part in the CQ WPX contest using 3-element tribander beam; vertical for 40m and 80m dipole; 1kw. Conditions were extremely bad on Saturday. Worked about 30 hours and stopped when I reached 1 million points . . . DJØUD. This year I worked 15m single band. Not a good deal to reach highest scores. I had to fight hard for every QSO. My active time was about 19 hours. Sometimes 30 minutes without any contact. This year I worked assisted with a DX Cluster connection . . . DJ1AA. Again with Yaesu FT-817 + antenna tuner Z11 through inductivity to the coaxial cable to Windom antenna FD3, 21m long, 8m high. QRP output <5 watts. SSB QRP with a poor antenna is a hard job but possible . . . DJ3GE. Equipment used: IC-7800 and Alpha 87A feeding a 65.5m long dipole bent several times in all three planes. Max height of antenna fed by an open wire parallel conductor line is 11m only. The antenna is matched by the Sams Matchbox of HB9KOF on all bands . . . DJ3WE. Sorry, SSB is not my mode and my the rotor of the FB33 beam was not able to turn around . . . DJ6TK. Only fun. In 56 QSOs 55 mults on 4 bands in 140 minutes . . . DK7AN. It was very hard and steady work over a long time and a great pleasure for me. But the the worst was the bunch of operators working with horrible adjusted amplifiers. One of the Baltic ones polluted ±10 kHz . . . DLØAZ. DL16XXV was difficult for many ops in a WPX contest, hi. OK, it was the first DL16 call. Read XXV like Roman numeral 25. Then the call is self-explanatory – 25 years of local RC L16 . . . DL16XXV. The propagation on the higher bands wasn't the best, but it makes a lot of fun . . . DL1GDS. Please Mr. Murphy, next time go fishing, dancing, or diving . . . DL6RBO. The sleep steals scores from me always. 73 and tnx around the world ... DL7VDX. I used only a wire antenna for all bands. Where is the category for this? Hi . . . DL8YR. FT-1000, 80m delta loop, 160m dipole, test of equipment. First QSOs on 1:8 mHz! ... DM3BJ. Just for fun. Condx average ... DM4DX. I am using a very old tranceiver: TS-120S. It only gave me an output of 30 watts. Other bands are no longer functional. The band condition on the first day was so severe that I only contected six stations, but I enjoyed the contest much . . . DU1ACV. Contest to forget. Terrible propagation conditions on Saturday, but even worse on Sunday with zero QSOs marked in the log . . . EA1FDI. EA hams have only 60 kHz to play this game on 40. It's really fair play? ... EA3ALV. 200 QSOs with a dipole antenna and 100w . . . EA3FHP. Bad conditions on higher bands 10m and 15m, so everybody was calling in a super-crowded 20m band . . . EA3QP. Poor propagation . . . EA5EH. A nice way to try out my newly installed Optibeam in my downtown apartment. Made a few 40 and 80m QSOs tuning up the beam! Relaxed atmosphere. Didn't worry about the generally poor propagation . . . EA5ON. No 10m stations. Few strong on Atlantic islands on 15 . . . EA5VK. I spent it very well in this WW WPX. I hope to find you all again in the next contest on CW . . . EA8MQ. Fun weekend. Thanks all for your contacts . . . EC7ANC. Very fun contest for my the first WPX in single operator single band. Thank you CQ! EC8ADW. Very poor condx until Sunday afternoon . . . EI4CF. Nice contest but poor conditions . . . EI7M. Next contest should be much better with propagation and software. Many thanks everyone for QSOs . . . EKØB. Nice contest! . . . EW2EO. Nice test! . . . EW2WW. I am 11 years old. It is my first contest! . . . EY8CC. My first contest on 40m. Much grm, hi. Good test for me . . . FM5FJ. First real participation to the WPX. Poor propagation the second day . . . FY1FL. In 5 years' time, when we're all on 10m, this nightmare will be a distant memory . . . **GØMTN**. This was just a casual entry to see if my new wire antenna works. It works fine! JA, ZL, and VR on 40, of all bands here in QRM alley proved it. Good sport. See you all next year . . . GØRTN. Limited time but good fun. Propagation not very good. Ten was hopeless for me . . . G3OXL. A struggle with QRP. Using SD Logger for the first time. Good fun . . . G4GSA. Pity that I had limited time available this year due to other commitments. The poor conditions meant that 20m was very difficult to operate with 100w from the mobile . . . G4NXG/m. Activity curtailed due to EMC problem with a neigbour's musical keyboard and UK Microwavers roundtable meeting on the Sunday . . . G4WGE. Lot of QRM, but enjoyed contest . . . G5X. Shame about 15m and 10m. Lack of W/VE on 40m and 20m! . . . G6CSY. Again time available too short! Must also enhance my antenna! . . . G7RTI. Second time in contest and more QSOs than 2006 . . . G8ZRE. Time was limited this year . . . GI4AAM. Due to family and other commitments only managed a couple of hours . . . GM4UYZ. This weekend was the bottom of the cycle! ... GM7M. Very casual effort. Actually first time venture into WPX. Contest fun! . . . GW3JXN. A casual entry this year! . . . GW4BLE. There were three night shifts this weekend at my workplace. Was nice to relax and take part in the contest between them ... HAØHW. Poor10m propagation here especially on the second day. Thanks for Q's. See you next year! Rig TS-530SP, 80w into a 20m lw above flat roof . . . HA2MN. Even worse conditions than last year. Only EA: UA4/6 OH/LY stations were lucky ... HA3NU. Rig old Drake TR7, antenna vertical (28m), RX antenna 2×50m lw. Nice contest! Next year agn! ... HA8BE. Great contest from the NW Haiti Christian Mission in spite of the band conditions. Rig was Kenwood TS-570. Antenna Mosley TA-33 at 60 feet. Operating time 24 hours . . . HH4/K4QD. This is my first contest in SSB with my new callsign (ex-HK3SGP). Thanks to the organizers for this great contest. I have been very happy. The propagation was not very good but there was much participation. Many thanks to all the OMs that I had contacts with . . . **HK3W**. Only S&P, no run, but will be better on CW! ... I1EIS. Low power phone is tough, but the fun sometime: is higher! ... I2WIJ. Nice to work on 160 again, even if wx conditions were very bad on both evenings with storms and thunder. Do not remember so many EU vy weak stations on my side. Cu in the next one . . . IC8POF. From the side of a mountain with 80 watts from an IC-735 to a 14 AVQ. Phone low power is not much fun . . . IK2AIT. Back to WPX since few years. Tnx for QSOs! . . . IO4T. Only 4 hours of operation on 20m to test antenna and rig of the radio club. 200 QSOs and great fun! Next time all bands and multi-op ... IQ3VO. Just few QSOs. Bad conditions on 10 and 15 meters

for North America . . . IR3R. Tough to beat 9A1A without 80m at the bottom of the cycle. Thanks to Claudio, I4VEQ . . . IR4X. Great contest with many stations on air. Good conditions except for 10m. Band almost closed for me. 40m band crowded. Good result with only two omnidirectional antennas ... IWØHOU. Many thanks to all! Very great result I think 80m low Rookie. Last year I won the 40m Rookie. Working conditions: IC-7400, inverted-V dipole at 15m,100w. Wx condx not very good during operations but I'm very happy ... IW3SSA. Tnx for very fun contest. Many new prefixes on air for my score! To next WPX on CW... IZØEHL. Sorry, only half hour of activity from 17.49 to 18.23 on Sunday. Good activity as usual generated by "spdx contest" program from SP7DQR . . . IZ1DGG. This is my small contribution. It will be used like check log but for me it's a school in order to grow. Thanks to all ... IZ1KGY. Little time in this contest and bad conditions on 10m . . . IZ8EDL. Contest much beautiful. All nations with their prefixes. I have not operated on 80/160m for antenna problems, and the bad condition of wx has prevented me fixing it. To next year and better conditions ... IZ8FFA. Operating from the rain forest in Dominica was an experience! We don't know which was worse, the rain, the bats, the birds, the rain, the rats, the rain, the lizards, the rain, or the propagation. All our antennas were vertical dipoles in the trees . . . J75RZ. The high band propagation was not so good, but I had fun very much . . . JA1XRH. First entry . . . JA2VSU/3. I enjoyed the contest . . . JA4EZP. I made mistake to send four "59961" because of a bug in my homebrew software ... JA7COI. I entered single-op 80m low power. The conditions between the U.S. and JA were not so good, especialy on 75m DX band. Ee east Asian stations have very heavy QRM of the OTH radar from China. Its signal strength was over S9++ ... JE1SPY. Tnx for fb QSOs. Rig FT-1000MP, 100w, antenna 2-element Yagi homemade . . . JF9KVT. The propagation was so poor that I had switch to high power to keep myself motivated. Longing for the bottom out of the solar cycle . . . JG1ZUY. I joined only for 30 minutes but I could hear quite a lot of stations. I guess the condx were good. Logging was done with SD v13.15 of EI5DI . . . JO3FUO. The maximum output power in the contest was 5 watts with FT-817 transceiver. Thank you for the QSOs. See you all next time . . . JR1NKN. Conditions made this a fun one at times . . . KØERE. Had a blast with my Buddipole vertical . . . K1KEY. Ran an Argonaut V "gallon" of 20w. Seemed like QRP . . . K2EKM. CQ WPX is the best contest bar none. Would never miss it, ever. Sunday afternoon we had the big openig! Hurrah! . . . K2HVE. Nice rates in part-time effort . . . K2PS. First contest in a long time; really enjoyed it . . . K3GWK. Because W3/E21EIC used my station for the first few hours of the contest the rules would not permit me to compete for score with my own call. but it was worth it to watch Champ enjoy operating from this side of the world . . . K3ZO. Could not make it across the pond this time . . K4GOP. Bring back the sunspots . . . K4SN. Operated 8.5

. **K4GOP**. Bring back the sunspots . . . **K4SN**. Operated 8.5 hours at various times during the weekend. My focus was to test the antennas that have been been installed recently. I was able to sustain runs on 20m and 80m. Next step is to add rotation capabilities . . . **K4VV**. Had fun for a few hours between family obligations and then headed down to Florida on Sunday morning for a fishing trip . . . **K4WX**. I think this is the poorest score I have ever done in WPX phone. Along with the poor band conditions I was plagued with local QRN from the mobile home park I try to operate from, along with not being allowed to have any visible antennas . . . **K6CSL**. My wife and I were leaving home at 0600 Saturday morning to catch a two week cruise so I didn't have much time to operate. What little I did was better than no contest fix at all. There's always next year. Thanks to those sta-

tions who worked me . . . K6QK. Was I insane to try QRP at the bottom of the sunspot cycle? . . . K6TV. Sunday to Europe was excellent almost all day. Saturday was a flop for me. Tnx to all for the QSOs. I played as usual . . . K7ABV. Was able to work almost everyone I heard. Problem: not that many DX signals coming through. Only worked DX, no U.S. stations. Doubt if many U.S. stations needed another K7 prefix in their log . . . K7ACZ. Bands were so-so but I had fun! . . . K7LMM. I only had limited time to operate this year. Unfortunately band conditions here in the Pacific NW were a bit unsettled, but take heart! We will overcome when better solar/band conditions come ... K7VIT. A great competition with eight new puppies visiting kids and family. First time in WPX and good DX . . . K9IDQ. My first contest on my own! I couldn't spend a lot of time operating but really enjoyed the time I did spend. My first contact was also my first HF DX contact and my second HF contact since upgrading my license! ... K9WBS. Was wonderful to participate even if for only a little while! Thank you for all your efforts! . . . K9ZW. My first contest! . . . KB3JGU. Had a great time. Had to work most of the contest but made a few while mobile. Thanks . . . KB3NDS. Thanks for a great contest. Lots of fun . . . KB5DRJ. This contest was my first CQ WW WPX Contest and first HF contest. I had a great time working contacts and learning some operating skills . . . KB5HPL. Not bad for a non-resonant inverted-V at35 feet with only 3 hours of operating . . . KB6MTH. First time contesting and hope everything is OK. 73 and thanks for the opportunity . . . KB7UVB. Tnx all fb QSO WPX . . . KB9YGD. There are some guys out there with really good ears and plenty of patience. Thank you gentlemen! Again I was amazed what you can do with <100w and a wire antenna . . . KCØDEB. It's thrilling to hear so much DX! ... KC6ZZT. First contest as a new General. Had a blast. Thanks! . . . KC9FQV. My first WPX test and had a great time . . . KD2MU. We had two new additions to our team: Miriam, K3MIM, and Mark, NA3D. Terrible conditions on 40 Saturday night. We went to 160! Thanks to John Evans, N3HBX, for letting us join him at the farm! . . . KD4D. Only 13 hours of operation. Fun run on Friday night, then the bands turned ugly! Never heard a station in EU. Best moment was K1AR calling me. Using only 50 watts with full-size horizontal loop for 40 meters at 20 feet with open-line feeder ... KD4HXT. Had a great time! . . . KD7MSC. This was the first time our new club's call was used on the air! We were suprised how often we were the first KD8 for someone. May this club participate in many more contests! (submitted byKC8RSA) . . . KD8EUW. First contest using my own call. My dad logged while I operated . . . KE7MAN. More contacts next time! ... KG4WQN. I could only operate one day but still had fun . . . KG6DX. Aloha and mahalo (tnx) to all and hope you enjoyed the CQ WPX 2007 contest. Had to break for our 56th wedding anniversary dinner but got back to the contest after several hours of a wonderful dinner. Mahalo to my wonderful XYL I got back to contesting . . . KH6FKG. Terrible conditions. Only 9 QSOs the first night ... KH6ND. It was nice getting 12 multipliers in the last half hour of the contest. Tnx to all for the contacts . . . KH7U. For the first time in my experience I was on 20 meters until 12:30 AM local time. It's amazing when the band opens up like that . . . KI4MUG. Where did the thunderstroms come from? Wrong place for me . . . KI6LZ. Good to get back on the air! . . . KK9V. Spent more time in contest than intended. Had fun with crummy condx. Condx picked up Sunday ... KOØU. New antenna worked pretty good. On to CW! ... KQ6X. Nice contest for DX. Folks seemed to like the KX4 prefix . . . KX40. As usual nice contest. Only 15 hours on the air but enjoyed it very much . . . LV5V. It was fun to work M1 with friends. It was our first time and we'll do it agn. Thanks to backup team, especially Sabri ... **LV6D**. Yaesu FT-747GX to baseloaded inverted-L, audio through Datong RF clipper. Propagation down from 2005 and 2006 but good fun!... **MØEZP**. Had some fun. Gave a few points away. 20m on Sunday was poor to the U.S. in daylight hours but picked up. Running just 100w into a small end-fed antenna. I have big plans for next year!

.... MØLSK. Entered as part of the G6MC team but had a play around at home to work some new DX under my own call. 100w to wire antennas ... MØPCB. Poor conditions on Saturday on 20m and 15m but some good DX made for an enjoyable contest. Thanks to all who worked me ... MØRNR. Overpowered EU stations make it very difficult to work W/VE. Other than that excellent contest... MØZLB. Great contest. Amazed how some stations pull a 5w station out. Pleased to work several new DXCC ... M3RCV. Only 8 hours operating just for the fun of it ... M6Q. Almost all S&P contacts. Really enjoyed it and worked several new countries, so very happy ... MMØGPZ. Fantastic competition. Really enjoyed taking part and giving out a few points. Have annual leave booked for the full 48 hr period for 2008 CQ WPX!... MM3XXW. Started as a parttime effort then I got going

MUØFAL. Power level was 100w for all bands except 80m where 25–50w was used due to antenna issues. Finished contest early due to logging software problem . . . MW1MDH. Had a ball. Great contest . . . N1GLT. Worked my butt off. Can't wait for next one. Awesome contest! . . . N2RRA. Have 20m end fed Zepp. Works fantastic for first use on HF. Tried 40 and got one contact but SWR light came on and stayed on 20m. Passed General on March 5, 2007. Great introduction to HF. Thanks *CQ*

... N2TEV. Thank you CQ for the great contest suport and great job . . . N3TXH. in four years (2003-06 inclusive) I've never claimed less than 1M points in the WPX SSB, and in 2005 it was 1.275M. This year much worse, only about 0.825M. 20m to EU was disastrous Saturday AM (<100 QSOs!) and poor to mediocre saturday PM presumably due to K = 4 to 5 . . . N3UM. Many tough contacts! . . . N3XZ. Had thuderstorms Friday through Saturday morning then a VE session 40 miles away Saturday morning . . . N4CYV. Come on next solar cycle, please! . . . N4DXI. I did this contest mobile from my Toyota FJ cruiser in the mountains of southern Arizona . . . N4LS. Sure do miss 10 and 15 meters being open all day . . . N4LZ. Used Super Duper logging program to keep everthing in order. Impressed with many new prefixes . . . N4UH. First time to work this contest and had a blast . . . N5KLE. After more than a week of zero sunspot days I came into this contest with really low expectations and a lot of worry. I figured if I could wrestle 100 Q's out of this mess and maybe 10k points I'd be doing well . . . N6WG. I was using a longwire antenna (about 50 feet). I could hear Brazil, Venezuela, Puerto Rico, etc., but couldn't work them. Better luck next time N6YMK. I had fun in the limited time available to me. See you next year . . . N7VPN. Despite several visits from Murphy, a first father-son contest in years and great fun . . . N8AJN. Started to do a QRP run but that was not to be. Too much QRN and a wall was up between the U.S. and EU that I could not bust. So I cranked it all the way to 100w and it did not make a difference. Just think, last year I won this contest for USA QRP . . . **N8IE.** It was nice to hear the higher bands with more activity. The most persistant signals were from deep South America . . . N8NA. Just before Dave, W9LAY, became a SK recently he put out a challenge to all of us in SMC to work this contest as a single band low power entry, preferably 80m. I decided to take take his challenge one band lower with a single wire antenna on 160m ... N9TF. My Elecraft K2 and G5RV did well considering the conditions. Not a big score but added to my QRP DXCC total NE1RD. Fun as always ... NE4M. Unexpectedly rough condx. My first ever full-time SSB SOAB! . . . NJ4M. Good activity but found few stations from Europe, Pacific, and South America. Most of the sations were from North America but overall had a nice time . . . NP3CW. So this is the bottom of the cycle. I am not amused. Great to hear many new HF hams in the contest. Having a VK answer my 100w 40m signal and dipole long path in the afternoon was quite a surprise. Happy to be first U.S. station in the contest for many . . . NV1N. Poor condx with poor antennas. Fun and was a blast with the crew as usual! ... OE9R. Parttime M2 operation. The station was not occupied full time. Just a little inter-station QRM. Everything worked flawlessly. Nothing broke and WT-networking really made this a lot of fun. Too bad DX conditions into USA were very poor. Only a brief opening . . . OH6NIO. A good contest. hope cu agn next year . . . OK1BLU. Very bad propagation on Saturday and only 8 Q's on 10m! But only 27 hrs activty brought me better result than in 2006 . . . OK1KT. Unfortunately both our 40m Yagis were lying on the ground so single band was the only option. I decided to go 20m and I had fun as always. I also hope my score was not so bad concerning the propagation given this year . . . OK5R. Poor condx. Operated only for fun . . . OL6P. Condx on 15 and 10 were very bad. 20 and lower was reasonable. But it's always fun to work in this contest . . . ON5WL. Great fun. See you next year . . . OQ7T. Last-minute trip to P4. It's all about having fun ... P40W. A difficult contest due to low-band noise and powerline noise on 15. Gotta get tougher on 40/80 till sunspots return! ... P49Y. Bad condx for DX. Next time better ... PA1W. May occasionally extend my contest activities to phone as a change from CW only, so decided to "bring" my voice over the ocean for the vy first time es gain some experience With my trx parameter settings (Ten-Tec Orion I/II) . . . PA3ARM. Was not able to join the whole contest due sickness but will be there next year . . . PA3GCV. It was nice to be again in the contest. We are still learning and going up in QSOs. We will be back next year and hope to do better again . . . PA5W. It was a very nice test in QRP with 5 watts. Worked more than last year. See you all next year and send this time your QSL card 100%. Thanks . . . PE2KP. Nice contest but bad conditions! . . . PE2WG. Hope new cycle starts soon! ... PG2AA. Very nice contest ... PP5JY. Amazing contest with only 5 watts and no TVI to my neighbors ... PY1DX. Once more a wonderful contest. See you in CW test . . . PY2XC. Excellent contest! I had a great chance to test my station and get back on the air after a very long time off because of hard wind troubles in my place. Nice to work so many friends from many places . . . PY3DX. I wish I could operate more time . . . RM3F. Nice test! Mny DX on frequencies . . . RV3MI. Tnx for contest! . . . RV3NA. Thanks for the contest! Sorry no propagation on 10m and very bad on 15m. Anyway, much pleasure to meet old friends on the air . . . RV4LC. My main transceiver died after 10 hours. I lost contest spirit and stopped participation. Sorry ... RV6LFE. The A-index rose up to value of 40 and pulled my 100w hopes to enjoy USA through North Pole opening on Friday like I did it 25 years ago . . . RV9UP. Excellent contest . .. RX3FS. We were going to operate RU1A multi-single but could operate single band 40 . . . RZ1AWT. It was a nice semi-contesting weekend with family at our summer house. I managed to get 80m dipole much higher in trees with help from my daughter. Strong wind (100+ kmph) started shortly after and the wire survived well. Decent opening on 15m to SA . . . S56G. This was my first WPX contest. I was at our summer house with my family so the contest was fun for all of us. Thanks everybody for the nice QSOs . . . S59TI. Nice to run SC5L (special callsign for the celebration of the 300 year of scientist Carl von Linnaeus and his work in Uppsala) and to give as many as possible a QSO

with this callsign. Fun! (But only 100w and dipole.) . . . **SC5L**. Not much result but we participated and some newcomers got interested in HF contesting . . . **SF6D**. Conditions were not very good but it was good enough for new African record . . . **ST2R**. With 100w and just a triple leg plus G5RV very hard to get through on 40/80/160 due to a lot of big guns in a very narrow QRG range. Anyway was fun. Just a few K's because of bad antenna location so a lot of mults missing . . . **TA1/DL7BC**. This year conditions up here at 64N became impossible as soon as the contest started. Time to operate was mainly 12 to 19 UTC which did not give high score. I certainly look forward to next year and higher sunspot number. Thanks . . . **TF3AM**. Thanks for all! . . . **UA9ZZ**. Had limited time to play this game. Anyway much fun!

... UR5IKN. Good contest. Thanks ... UX4E. Not as good for QRP as last year . . . VA3RKM. First WPX contest since 1995 as VO1SDF. Still lots of fun and got 3V8BB for new country! . . . VA3XOV. As usual a good contest. Missed the first 16 hours of the contest repairing winter storm damage to beam. Most of the time was search and pounce. SD is a great logging program. Try it you'll like it . . . VE1JS. Started late because of a special event station to show ham radio and celebrate our 75th anniversary at the Hamilton Amateur Radio Club on the Saturday morning. Once I started I had fun working what I could but not much time for a full time effort . . . VE3BK. This is the first WPX contest for me and I had a great weekend. New Windom went up hours before the contest and was used for all bands. I lost some sleep but will be back next year! . . . VE3CGE. The loudest signal was QRN . . . VE3MGY. Just a few contacts from the home station . . . VE3QEE. Training 5 new ops and they were hooked! Planning to learn CW and enter in WPX CW! . . . VE3RM. Although the DX gods did not provide the best conditions it was still great fun . . . VE3ZZ. A tough one. I tried to set up an entire remote station on a mountaintop by myself in one day. A tough task and Murphy turned up on many occasions. Some real fun was had on 40m and I had an S0 noise floor during a contest for the first time in my life . . . VK3TZ. Another WPX full of suprises . . . VK4EJ. Had fun on the second morning S&P long path. WP2, NP4, and 8P1 then when calling being called by TT8HA; thanks, mate ... VK4NEF. Contesting on SSB on 40m is always difficult from anywhere, but from this part of the woods it is really special. Thank you all for being patient with me VK6DXI. Conditions not as favorable obviously as in previous years. Thanks for all the Q's. Great giving out the first ever VP57 prefix . . . VP57V. Only got to operate about 12 hours due to work sked but still had fun . . . VQ9LA. CCR-ed. Parttime effort with ICOM 746PRO, 100w, and Force12 Sigma 5 vertical. Interesting small packet run on 10m to Europe was a pleasant surprise. S8-9 QRN levels. Hope to have a better antenna system in future .

. . VU2PTT. Interesting condx here. Terrible on low bands both nights. Not much better on higher bands Saturday, but Sunday brought improving signs. Since I was only on from time to time, to pass mult really didn't matter that much, but my schedule opened late Sunday . . . VY2LI. TS-50 and a wire. Thanks to all who worked me . . . W2CCC. The Mecklenburg Amateur Radio Society had a great time in the WPX. We had a chance to try out our new Ten-Tec Jupiter and everyone was impressed. See you all next time (Jodie, KI4CXO, Pres. MARS) . . . W4BFB. This was a great learning experience for our new hams! Lots of fun! . . . W5UMS. First time! . . . W6ELI. Worked the contest from Kansas/p. Nice little opening on Saturday. Very quite on Sunday . . . W6GMT. Nice to have Lily (BA1CHZ) from Beijing participating in the contest . . . W6YRA. First WPX in 10 years. First from East Coast. What a difference from the West Coast . . . W8AKS. Vacuum tubes forever! HF = Collins . . . W8JMF.

Finished remote-motor-tuned 160/80m inverted-L only hours before start . . . W8OHT. I had a great time. Wish there were more sunspots . . . WA4ASJ. Old-time contesting: one radio, one amp, one tower, two Yagis, a wire, an ancient computer, a broken-down OM contest has-been, and an up-and-coming YL contester! Cool time. We'll be back! . . . WA7XX. This was my first WPX and I had a great time . . . WA8YVF. Ouch! Have we reached rock bottom yet? . . . WB8JUI. Had fun just looking for new countries/bands/modes . . . WDØM. This was my first contest to try as a portable operator from my RV using total solar power and just a tuner and vertical and a ICOM 706. It was much different than using a home station. I kept having to stop to let computer recharge and batteries build up again . . . WI7F. Conditions were okay on Friday night but rough the rest of the way! I really like this contest and look forward to next year . . . WKØP. Was involved in other amateur radio activities this weekend so my score was low, but got to work Wyoming! The only state left to work! Tnx to Alan, KO7X . . . WP3GW. Great fun. Daytime 20 was hot ... WR2G. Thanks to Dave, KB4ET, for letting me use the club call, WT4PF, this year. Didn't work another WT4, so probably gave almost everyone a new mult. Missed a few hours of the 36 allowed as was out of town on Saturday watching granddaughter's gym meet . . . WT4PF. Contesting "old school" with a Hallicrafters SR-2000 "Hurricane" . . . WW5DX. Operated portable from Econfina, FL. IC-7000 and just-in-case antenna system from motorhome . . . WW6O/4. A favorite contest of WX3B! I must admit I envy all of you with large towers and stacked arrays on the high bands. This year's effort was toned down (we took almost all of Saturday off, from 9:15 AM to 3:30 PM) and we featured several new WPX contesters ... WX3B. Very nice contest. We are very happy with U.S. score ... XR6T. My transceiver is Yaesu-920. Maximum power in the contest was 100w. My antenna is R5 about 20m high above the ground ... XX9AU. My transceiver is TS-680. Max power in the contest was 5w. My antenna is about 20m high above the ground ... XX9KX. My transceiver is a Kenwood TS-680V. Max power in the contest was 5w. My antenna is a dipole about 7m high above the ground . . . XX9LQ. The propagation was good especially on first day. I enjoyed using SD Logger is very easy to use. See you next CQ WPX contest . . . YB1TJ. From Paradise Menjangan is OC-022 with beatiful sea-garden fishing, hot spring and, contesting as well . . . YB3MM/9. I enjoyed this contest. Propagation was good enough with SF 73 SSN 11. No propagation to W-land . . . YC3BDJ. Nice to follow this contest and I got a good propagation . . . YC5OUB. Lot of fun this year. Next time better! ... YC6LAY. Thanks for test! ... YL2BJ. It was possible to work on 20 and 80m bands only. Sorry . . . YL3JSN. My first contest in ham radio! . . . YO5VAF. Nice contest. Many big guns, but very poor conditions on 14, 21, and 28 MHz . . . YO7ARY. Condx giute poor. No U.S. at all but many new prefixes . . . YT60W. There was something strange in EU. Wasn't able to break EU QRM with 350w. Only 3 EU QSOs. Thanks to OK1BN, CT1JLZ, and EI7M for the difficult QSOs ... ZL1KMN. The contest was enjoyed by all the team. Conditions were fair at the start of the contest but deteriorated during the second day and having one amplifier blow up didn't help . . . ZM2M. Just few stations turning antennas to south . . . **ZS6CCW/p**. Five hours before the end of contest a lightning storm took me off the air. Nice propagation on the first day. See you in the next one . . . ZX5J.