Expanded Results 2013 CQ DX Marathon

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Club Scores

Araucaria DX Group		Hudson Valley Contesters and DXers	
Carolina DX Association	4155	Sveriges Sandareamatorer (SSA)	29
YB Land DX Club	3366	Western Washington DX Club	29
Rio Dx Group	3141	UBA/WRC	28
Northern Illinois DX Association	2889	REELFOOT AMATEUR RADIO CLUB	28
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Potomac Valley Radio Club		NERG	
Mile High DX Association	1420	NORTHERN CALIFORNIA DX CLUB	24
Metro DX Club		West Rand ARC	24
Grand Mesa Contesters of Colorado		ORCA DX CLUB	
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Rhein Ruhr DX Association		Sterling Park Amateur Radio Club	
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VU Contest Group		599 DX Association	
Arizona Outlaws Contest Club		Cuyahoga Falls ARC	
HA-DX-CLUB		REP - Rede dos Emissores Portugueses	
Willamette Valley DX Club		BARC	
Clipperton DX Club		Waterland	
National Capitol DX Association		LARA	
Southern California DX Club			
Central Arizona DX Association		World Wide Young Contesters	
		Grupo DXXE	
Contest Club Finland		DFW Contest Club Oklahoma DX Association	
Mother Lode DX/Contest Club		NKDXC	
LU Contest Group			
Mississippi Valley DX & Contesting Club		Belarus Contest Club	
FORDX - FORTALEZA DX CLUB		St. Paul Radio Club	
Loudoun Amateur Radio Group		Bergen ARA	
Bavarian Contest Club		NCDXA	
Allegheny Valley Radio Association		Oakland County Amateur Radio Society	
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North Jersey DX Association		GADx	
Danish DX Group		NDXA	
Redwood Empire DX Association		PARA	
Vrhnika contesters		ACG	
Yokohama DX Club		Tennessee Contest Group	
MAD RIVER RADIO CLUB		JARL	
Russian Contest Club		SADXA	_
CROATIAN CONTEST CLUB	316	Louisiana Contest Club	
South Florida DX Association		ORDA Jabar Club Station	
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NØUN	.323
N3CDA	.300
PT7ZT	
EA8MT	.289
PY1SX	.286
OD5ZZ	
N4ANV	.255
NV5E	
PY2UD	
W9ROG	
YY4DNN	
K4FS	
PP5JR	
YB1UUN	
ZW5B	
WP3GW	
VK3MEG	
KD8NYO	
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W2WGK	
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DU2BOQ	
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PJ7MF	
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K9AMP	
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YB3EDD	
CE7FKG	_
PU4HUD	_
YB9WAN	86
PY5AP	
YE4IJ	82
K6DSW	69
YBØNDT	61
CT1AHU	_
VE4HAZ	
CO2QU	30
FS/PJ7MF	25
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Scores by Band

OIVI	ZUIVI	
PY2HN97	W9KNI	329
CO2QU30	N6ML	315
W3ZGD12	K1QS	288
	SP3BGD	266
10M	PY2KJ	
GM7TUD279	PP5ZP	123
PY2UD249		
NØAH246	30M	
KU5B210	N5KM	242
PX2B148	OH5RF	
PU5FJR120	PY2MC	
PU4HUD103	FG4NO	
12M	40M	
W8BBQ269		00
PY2CX222	IZØCBB	
YB9WZJ85	W1FQ	
	N8MZ	
15M	K9CJ	
PP5EG317	N3QE K9DDO/4	
VE3CRG307	KG5VK	
SMØMPV298	YBØNDT	
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KØLUZ260	2014	
K4MM259	80M	
K3NK247	OH6MW	
YO8BGE162	K3TW	148
YC1CWK140		
YB1JYL124	160M	
YE4IJ82	N4IS	178
CT1AHU48	K4IQJ	153
	K7ZV	148
17M		
WK3N311		
LY5M299		

QRM

After a disappointing 6M season, I decided to try Marathon. With attic dipoles it proved challenging, frustrating and exhilarating . . . K9HWL. 2nd year in Marathon . . . W2WGK. After taking several months off from the radio towards the beginning of the year, I only had a couple dozen countries worked on 10M before the middle of September when the band got hot..... NØAH. Always great fun chasing DX for the Marathon . . . WA4JQS. Always interesting to see the results. Thanks! . . . W9ILY. Another good year for sunspots and propagation, especially the crazy period around CQ WW. Missed a few countries this year, some while my tribander was on the ground being repaired, others due to not having quite enough ERP to break the pileups . . . **ZL2IFB**. Another year of excitement and friendly competition. Great event, thanks for running it . . . VK4CC. Best year yet! ... K6YK. Enjoy this every year! ... NK0S. Enjoyed it all year! Looking forward to 2014 . . . W3ZJ. Fabulous to have this new reporting program worked out. Thanks, all . . W4VIC. First participation in Marathon after many years of radio. I enjoyed it . . . IK2QPR. First time and enjoy this event . . . YC1CWK. First time entry . . . KIØJ. First time entry . . . KSØT. First year submittal . . . WC3W. Great idea! . . . VY2MP. Had a decent go at the Marathon this year. Well pleased with my score. Most enjoyable contest yet again . . . VK3HJ. I could have done better if I hadn't the antenna down for 3 months. I hope a better score in 2014 . . . **IK2DJV.** It was a very big effort for me to chase DX and contact them with only a multiband vertical antenna and less than 100 watts output but I really enjoyed it very much . . . YV5EN. Included EZ8BP just in case. I actually exchanged emails with him! . . . K2TQC. It is always fun to be in this marathon contest each year . . . JAØDAI. It's my second time to participate in CQ DX Marathon. It was real fun but I was not concentrating on regular DXCC countries and missed some easy ones . . . UA3AGW. Just need more spare time to get a better score. Great fun see you again next year . . . YV6BXN. Missed many entities due in part by minor health issues but I had another fun year of DXing . . . N4KW. Missed many Pacific activations and a few easy ones. Very happy with claimed score of 276. . . E73Y. Missed guite a few that were QRV on CW, and frustrated by the many on SSB but not CW. But pleased with CW only score .. W4QN. My best year ever. Most number of Q's and DXCC's. Band has been in great shape all year and had great fun on the HF bands. Roll on ... GI4SJQ. My first ever DX Marathon entry, what a blast! . . . NV5E. My first Marathon Entry . . . KG5VK. My friend

told me about this annual event, CQ DX Marathon makes DXing activity still alive......YCØQR. My year on QRP! Max power output was 5 watts on Digital and CW . . . VU2LBW. New All-Time Mixed Best . . . W6XK. Not very active this year although putting up a 2ele SteppIr in October caused lots of activity chasing 12m & 17m . . . N5PG. Thanks for running the exercise. I missed at least a dozen this year. Now we can start all over again . . . AI2C. Thanks for the acceptance of my log . . . YB1LZ. Thanks once again. It's hard to believe that this is my 8th entry. The Marathon still feels new . . . W4CU. This contest is really fun, not a big gun operator but sure had fun trying to work new countries each and every day . . . N7RD. This is my first entry for CQ DX Marathon . . . YB2LSR. This was my best year yet for the DX Marathon since its inception working all 40 zones (all CW) and 235 (229 on CW) countries. I missed many good ones that would have really helped . . . K8CQ. This year really started in the fall here on the West Coast.....W8DX. Thanks all for the QSOs during 2013. Save ham radio, save the environment - use digital QSL . . . PY2RN. First timer. This sure made the year more interesting . . . AA8R. It was a busy year for me, and I was not able to get much "air time" due to other commitments. I hope that 2014 is better for me . . . KF6ILA. Thanks very much! I really enjoy the Marathon. I'm even less of a sprinter these days as the years rack up! . . . ZL2IFB. It was an enjoyable year chasing DX. Wish a lot of the stations would operate SSB instead of all CW. N4ANV. Many thanks for the opportunity to participate . . . VK8HPB. This time I tried CW only, but the result is not too good as many were missed. I will try CW only once more and hope for better result UA9FAR. Best results for me since contest inception. Not bad considering my severe antenna restrictions. Don't ever let someone with CC&R restrictions say they can't work DX . . . K8CQ. I've just finished putting a lot of hours into the checking. Hoping for an error free log. It was great fun this year once again. I would have to say there were more serious competitors than ever before - that's great! . . . **W9KNI**. In typical fashion I found several of the more common entities missing when it came time to tally up. I have to pay more attention to my need list . . . W4VQ. Nice event . . . CE4KCA. Many thanks for running the exercise. Now we can start all over . . . AI2C. Unfortunately 2013 was an off radio year . . . PY2ADR. Worked WAZ in only 6+ days; my previous record was doing it in 8 weeks! ... N8DE.