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MSHV Set Up For FT4 DX Contest

FT4 DX Contest 2021 is scheduled for the weekend of February 27 - February 28, 2021.

Begins: 27-February-2021, 12:00 UTC

Ends: 28-February-2021, 12:00 UTC

[Read here for full details and contest rules.](#)

1. Before contest:

- Go to Menu File and View Log.
- Export all old QSOs in ADIF: On Log Menu, "Export All in ADIF".
- Then select all QSOs and delete them, At the start of the contest the Log needs to be empty for proper text highlighting, if you have had QSO B4.
- After the contest, no problem to return all QSOs back to log from Menu "Add ADIF To Log".

2. Go to Options Macros, set Activity Type to "FT4 DX Contest".

3. Manually type in the US State or Canadian Province in the "Exch:" box. If you are outside the USA and Canada, type DX in the box.

Macros

Distance unit: Kilometers Miles

Macros By Region: Region 1 Region 2 Region 3

Macros option for JTMS,FSK,ISCAT,JT6M: Report Grid RSQ And Serial Number

Macros option for MSK,FT8/4: Activity Type: **FT4 DX Contest**

ARRL Field Day Exch: FT4 DX Contest Exch:

Multi-Two Transmitter: (Requires Two Different Installed Copies Of Software)

Macros:
 My call =%M His call =%T RST or RSQ =%R 4 characters locator =%G4
 6 characters locator =%G6 Random QRG =%QRG Serial number =%N
 My suffix =%O His suffix =%H Separating numeral + my suffix =%SO
 Separating numeral + his suffix =%SH

GEN MESSAGE

MY CALL:

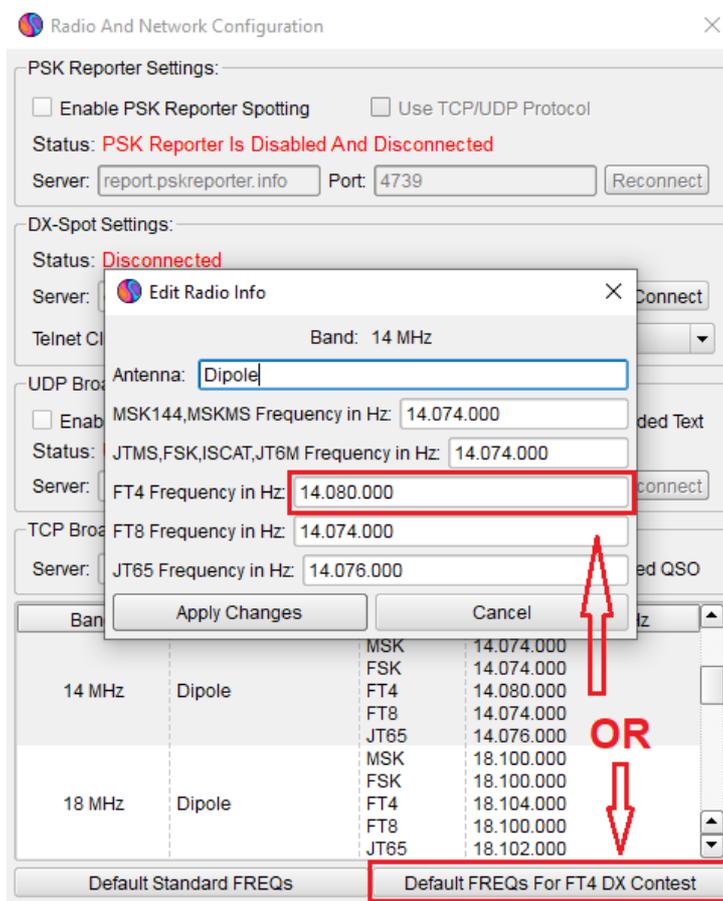
GRID LOCATOR:

Macros for JTMS,FSK,ISCAT,JT6M	Macros for MSK,FT8/4, JT65
Tx1 <input type="text" value="%T %M"/>	Tx1 <input type="text" value="%T %M %R %N"/>
Tx2 <input type="text" value="%T %M %R %R"/>	Tx2 <input type="text" value="%T %M %R %N"/>
Tx3 <input type="text" value="%T %M %R %R %R"/>	Tx3 <input type="text" value="%T %M %R %R %N"/>
Tx4 <input type="text" value="RRRR RRRR %M"/>	Tx4 <input type="text" value="%T %M RR73"/>
Tx5 <input type="text" value="73 %M"/>	Tx5 <input type="text" value="%T %M 73"/>
Tx6 <input type="text" value="CQ %M"/>	Tx6 <input type="text" value="CQ RU %M %G4"/>
Tx7 <input type="text" value="CQ %QRG %M"/>	Tx7 <input type="text" value="%M QSOB4"/>

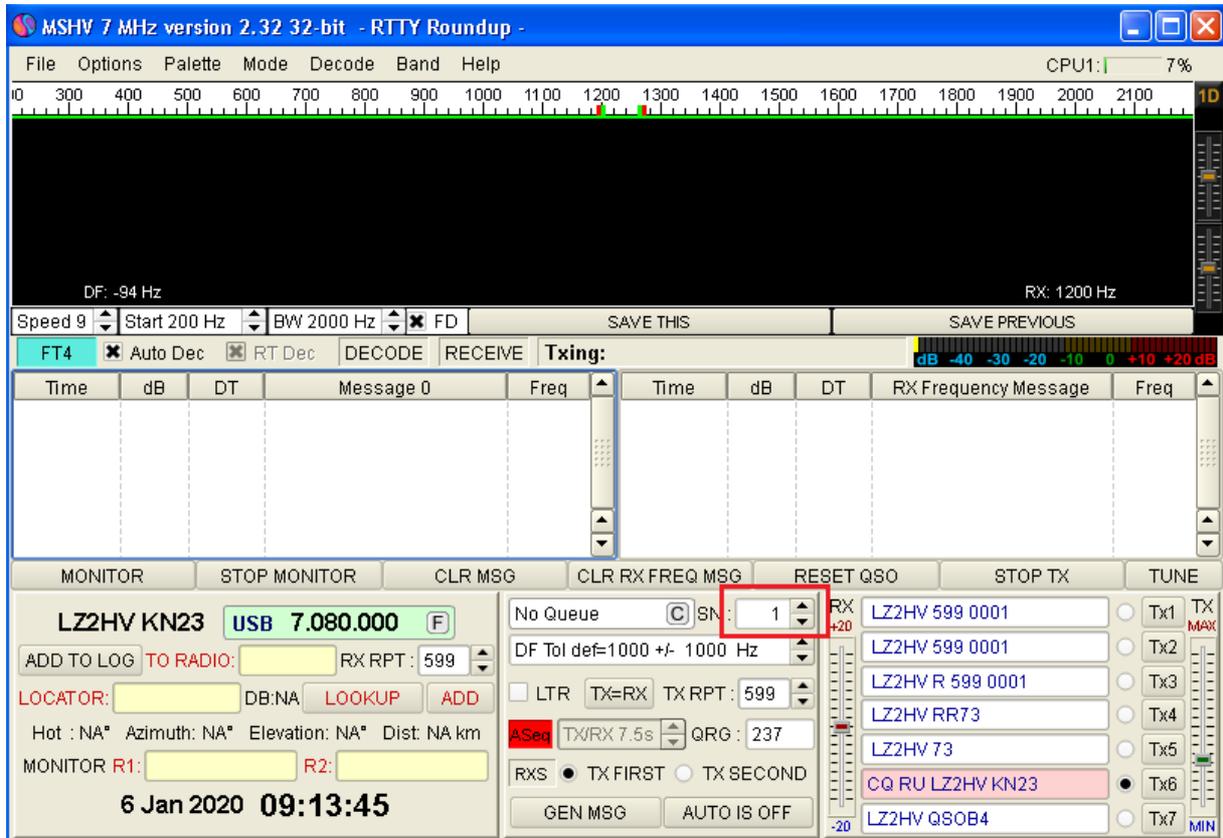
SET DEFAULT MACROS

4. Go to Options "Radio And Network Configuration" in the table below, change default frequencies for FT4 for each band, or press button to set default frequencies for activity type.

FT4: (3.580-3.590, 7.080-7.090, 14.080-14.090, 21.080-21.090 and 28.080-28.090)



5. For DX stations, from the front panel app, set first serial number to 1 (SN:).



6. After the contest, go to File "View Log", from Log Menu choose "Export In Cabrillo" function, set up Contest Name, Start and Stop contest date/time and other fields, then press OK and your log will be generated in "ExportLog" Directory.

All logs must be emailed by 7-March-2021 at 23:59 UTC in Cabrillo format to europantf8club@gmx.com

Export In Cabrillo

Please Choose

Contest Name: FT4 DX Contest Contest ID: FT4-DX

Do not filter QSOs by Contest ID (It is not recommended)

Date UTC Start: 2021-02-27 12:00 End: 2021-02-28 12:00

Location: DX ARRL Sect. or DX

Band: ALL

Operator: SINGLE-OP

Mode: DIGI

Power: LOW

Overlay: N/A

Station: FIXED

Assisted: ASSISTED

Time Category: N/A

Transmitter: ONE Multi-Two Transmitter: From Log

Club: None

Operators: LZ2HV

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OK Cancel

Do not use "Multi Answering Auto Seq Protocol FT8/4". It does not contain the contest protocols.