

The IARU Region 1 ATV Contest will go ahead on the weekend of 13/14 June. However, due the COVID-19 crisis not all participants will be able to reach their portable sites, and some may feel that they are at a disadvantage in only being able to operate from home due to National restrictions.

To address these concerns, the contest will be run with 2 sections:

Section 1 will be for participants operating from their registered home QTH. No change of operating location will be permitted during the contest for entries in this Section.

Section 2 will be for participants operating away from their registered home QTH at any time during the contest. So, even if you operate from home on one day and a portable location on the second day, if you want to add the scores under the rover rule, you must enter Section 2.

Please use the normal entry spreadsheet <https://wiki.batc.org.uk/images/d/d5/ATV-contest-log-callsign-20190608.xls> and state in the address box whether you are entering Section 1 or Section 2. The latest spreadsheet has a drop-down box for this selection.

Apart from this change, the normal rules will apply. These can be found at <http://www.iaru-r1.org/wp-content/uploads/2019/08/ATV-Contest-rules.pdf>

Entries should be submitted to your National Coordinator and then passed to me. I will accept entries direct on the e-mail address [atv@iaru-r1.org](mailto:atv@iaru-r1.org) if you are unable to contact your national coordinator.

Please pass this e-mail on to any prospective participants – just for 2 days, we need to get people off of QO-100 and onto the other bands!

Dave, G8GKQ, IARU Region 1 ATV Contest Coordinator.