

RULES FRENCH CONTEST 2025



Participants :

This contest is open to all 11 meters radio operators in three different categories.

Category 1 : French AT members (including overseas territories)

Category 2 : other Alfa Tango members

Category 3 : other radio operators. Operators from category 2 and 3 must only contact operators from category 1 during the contest. Detailed rules for category 1 are available on the French AT website (www.alfatango-fr.org)

NEW ! The first two ranked single-operator stations of 2024 will be JOKER stations: they will not be ranked, but will earn more points than contacts with ordinary stations. They will operate as 14AT049/JOKER and 14AT276/JOKER (Full call sign communicate few days before contest).

Duration 24 hours :

The starting Saturday, June 14, 2025 at 12h00 UTC and finishing on Sunday, June 15, 2025 at 12h00 UTC.

Modes and Frequencies :

The following modes are authorized : AM – FM – SSB. The following frequencies are forbidden : .501 - 604. It is authorized to call on usual frequencies and then QSY outside the forbidden frequencies.

Logs :

Logs can be computerized (Word, Excel) or handwritten. (Logs are available on www.alfatango-fr.org) The following information is compulsory for each contact : Call sign, Multi (if the station is a multi operator), date, precise UTC, band or frequency, RS report. Since 2012 progressive numbers are no more necessary. You are requested to send your log for July 31, 2025 at midnight at the latest.

QSLs :

QSLs are not necessary for this contest, only logs will be valid for the score. If however an operator wants a QSL card for a contact, he must then send a contribution. This rule is only valid during the contest.

Score :

Categories 2 and 3 : 1 point for each valid contact, **5 points for contacts with JOKER stations.**

Prizes :

In each category, one cup will be awarded every 10 logs received. For category 2, prizes will be awarded at the AT world meeting following the contest or can be sent by post for postage cost. For category 3, prizes will be announced on the French AT website and can then be claimed. Prizes will be sent for postage cost.

Sending of logs :

By email to the secretary of the contest, 14AT024 Maryleine : maryleine@wanadoo.fr By post to : Maryleine BAZOGE 1, rue du Bucalin 27300 COURBEPINE France

Please send only logs to Maryleine. For any question write to the contest manager 14AT012 Patrick :

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