OH1NAVY Naval Contest Logchecker

The program reads Cabrillo-shaped logs into a database and calculates race logs score. You can also manually add drive data to the database pre-calculated without qso data. The program prints the finished data as an Excel file.

The Excel file will have several tabs – *Logs, Qsos, Members, References* and *Clubs*. Additional options include the Logs tab only and the data of only one drive, which includes only the *Logs* and *Qsos* tabs.

The Members tab has all Navy stations in alphabetical order, and correspondingly, the References tab displays the membership number order. These tabs are intended for exploring member lists.

The Logs tab has pre-calculated points for each drive.

The stations are in order of points according to the categories. The program resets the score independently only for *Dupe* connections. Other point changes and rejections of connections are done manually in the *DOOM* window.

Once all logs have been read into the database, the cross-check *CrossCheckQsos* found in the *LogTools* menu should be performed. The function marks those connections where there are deficiencies or other possibilities for error. These connections can be found in the Case Menu in the *DOOM* window, where they should be processed one by one.

(Of the 12,500 connections in the 2023 competition, about 700 were found to be checked by hand) When all the desired changes and revisions have been made, the finished results will be available in Excel.

The program database contains as comprehensively as possible the membership numbers / invitations of Navy stations.

The program adds missing information from automatically received logs, but only for the position in the race log. (They cannot be added from the message data of the connections held, due to their unreliability.) In addition, the function in the program menu **Add Member to Datadase** can be used to maintain member information.

When the program starts, OH1NAVY.EXE creates its own operating environment, creating the necessary directories.

Aftermath of the 2023 competition:

- The logs should have been requested only in Cabrillo format.
- Each attachment in the email should have a callsing in its name.

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| OH1NAVY Naval Contest Log I LogTools Data Tools CourtR | nspector oom | | | - | | × |
|---|--|-------------------------------|---|---------------|--------------------------|---|
| LY2MM LY3NX LY4L LY4T LY7M LY9A | Station Operator Name | OH1MIE SINGLE-OP Veikko | Score Qsos Multiplayers | 10 6 | | |
| LZ1DQ LZ2CH LZ2SO OE1-100 1007 OE1TKW OE3-1397 OE3IAK OE3IDS OE4GTU OE5ANL OE6LHG OE6LHG OE6XMF OE6CMF OE6YAW OH1LD OH1LR | вапа Mode Power Operators Assisted | ALL SSB LOW OH1MIE ASSISTED | Qsopoints | 91 546 pts | | |
| | Class Contest Address | C NAVAL | Logs Naval St Logs Non Naval St Logs | | 185 86 96 | |
| OH1NAVY OH1PP OH1XFE OH7QR OH8UL OM3TBG ON2PSA ON2PSA ON2ZX | Duplicates Email | veikko@nieminen.fi | All Qsos 10 points qsos 1 points qsos | 1 | 12 855 7 009 5 715 | |
| OVIRR OZ4ADX | Filename | OHIMIE.log Naval | o points qsos | | 131 | |

0 Logs Waiting

185/12 855 readed

Created by OH1MIE

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Folder view

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| 📒 HandWorkLogs | 🔶 OH1NAVY.exe |
| 📒 HandWorkReady | 🗟 OH1NAVY.INI |
| LogsForReading | 🔊 oh1navy.mdb |
| 📒 Original Archive | SMDiagnostics.dll |
| 📒 Readed | 🚯 stdole.dll |
| Cecurity | 🚯 System.Configuration.dll |
| SWL Archive | System.Core.dll |
| 🗟 adodb.dll | System.Numerics.dll |
| 🗟 Interop.ADOMD.dll | System.Runtime.Serialization.dll |
| 🗟 Interop.ADOX.dll | System.ServiceModel.Internals.dll |
| 🗟 Interop.MDACVer.dll | 🚯 System.Xml.Linq.dll |
| 🚯 Interop.MSComDlg.dll | |

Uses of directories

⊘ A Original Archive

All attachments, logs, etc. concerning the competition must be copied to this folder.

Ready-made logs can be copied from the folder to the *LogsForReading* folder and manual log files to the *HandWorkLogs* folder

Here it is worth keeping all the material that has come up in its original form for your own archiving and inspection. *This folder is not used by the program. It's just for organizing files*

⊘ A HandWorkLogs

The folder is intended for files that need to be processed manually, either due to reformatting of log data or other data retrieval.

This folder is not used by the program. It's just for organizing files

⊘ A HandWorkReady

All files in the previous folder should be moved to this folder when the necessary information has been extracted from them.

This folder is not used by the program. It's just for organizing files

⊘ A LogsForReading

All ready-made Cabrillo-format log files are copied to this directory for the program to read.

The files are read all at once using the function found in the menu: Read All Logs to Database

When a program reads a drive's data to a database, it deletes any previous data on that drive. In other words, if the log has already been read into the database, that information will be lost.

A call to the same drive can occur only once in a log database.

After a successful read, the log file moves to the Readed folder.

If there are read problems, the file moves to the Failed folder to wait for manual re-scanning. At the same time, the program will partially delete any lost data from the database.

⊘ Ջ<mark>=</mark> Readed

The program will move all correctly read files from the previous folder here. If any changes are made to these files, they should be read into the database again using the previous folder.

⊘ A 📒 Failed

If the program finds an error while reading the file, it moves it here so that it can be opened with Notepad and corrected to it. After repairing, the file should be moved to the *LogsForReading* folder for reread.

⊘ ^A SWL Archive

SWL logs are not supported by the program. Logs must be analyzed manually. They can be stored here. In competitions, the number of them may possibly be a maximum of one or two, so it is not worth spending programming time on them.

This folder is not used by the program. It's just for organizing files



In the program menu there is a function *Create Backupfile*, which allows you to create a backup copy of oh1navy.mdb data file in this folder. The program adds a timestamp to the copy name. Restoration is done by renaming the file to oh1navy.mdb name by removing the timestamp. The file is then copied onto the actual database in the program directory.

Instructions for the material

- Copy email logs and attachments to both *Qriginal Archive* and *HandWorkLogs* folders.
- Do not make changes to the files in the *Qriginal Archive* folder, this way they will remain the original data that can be checked for errors.
- When you have processed the log files sent by the drive in the *HandWorkLogs* folder, copy the Cabrillo-log to the *LogsForRead* folder and the other data from the drive to the *HandWorkReady* folder.
 Copy the Cabrrillo-log with a naming rule Callsign.log for example, oh1mie.log.
 The suffix doesn't matter, it can be .log ,cbr, txt or whatever.
- SWL logs should be copied to the *SWL Archive* folder, where scores are calculated manually.
- Points are added to the program without Qso data. The data should be marked as class D

Clear a database at once

The **Delete All Data** from Database function in the **Datatools** menu allows you to clear the database at once



Note: The program will make a backup file with timestamp without notice before data deletion.

Entering Station data manually



First, press the input mode on D button.

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| ОВО | Station | Score | |
| AA | Operator | Osos | |
| BWW | | | |
| ELZ | ivame | Muttiplayers | |
| GRA | Band | Qsopoints | |
| RL | Mode | | |
| ilP | Dower | | |
| 1EHM SLAU | , over | | |
| IT | Operators | | |
| ISN | Assisted | Statistic | |
| 2FG | Class | | |
| SLH | Contast | Logs | 182 |
| 7FX RNT | contest | Naval St Logs | 86 |
| 9MOS | Address | | |
| 9OS IDMB | | Non Naval St Logs | 96 |
|)MF | | All Qsos | 12 855 |
| MFF MFH | Duplicates | 10 points asos | 7 012 |
| MFL | | | 1 012 |
| IMFX ISMD | _ | 1 points qsos | 5 717 |
| 110RG | Email | 0 points qsos | 126 |
| 1ASP | Filename | | |

You can get out of the mode without saving any data 🗙 button.

Repair Station data

| KJ4YKG | | Station | OH1MIE | Score | | | |
|----------------|-------|------------|--------------------|-------------------|---------|--------|---|
| LY2CX LY2MM | | Operator | SINGLE-OP | Qsos | 10 | | |
| Y3NX Y4I | | Name | Veikko | Multiplayers | 6 | | |
| Y4T Y7M | | Band | ALL | Qsopoints | 91 | | |
| Y9A 71DQ | | Mode | SSB | | | | 1 |
| Z2CH 72SO | | Power | LOW | | 546 pts | | |
| E1TKW E3IAK | | Operators | OH1MIE | | | | |
| E3IDS E4GTU | | Assisted | ASSISTED | Statistic | | | |
| ESANL E6LHG | | Class | С | | | | |
| E6XMF E6XAW | | Contest | NAVAL | Logs | | 182 | |
| H1LD | | Address | | Naval St Logs | | 86 | |
| | - ' I | | | Non Naval St Logs | | 96 | |
| H1PP | | | | All Qsos | | 12 855 | |
| H7QR | | Duplicates | | 10 points qsos | | 7 012 | |
| M3TBG | | | | 1 points qsos | | 5 717 | |
| N2F3A N2ZX | | Email | veikko@nieminen.fi | 0 points qsos | | 126 | |
| Z4ADX | | Filename | OH1MIE.log | | | | |
| OH1N | JA | VY | Naval | | | | |
| | 10 | 2/12 055 | | Control In | OLIMIE | | |

Click the Callsign information in the list and make the necessary changes

Finally, save the changes with 🖬 button.

CourtRoom – DOOM Window

When all logs are in the database, the Log Tools menu should be **CrossCheck Qsos** triggered. After that, the program will mark those connections that should be checked in this **DOOM** window.

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| 074 Cases awaiting sen | tenting | | | | | | |

The Select Case selection opens up a connection that the program thinks needs to be examined.

- The program does not automatically reset points for non-Dupe connections.
- Other Qsos must be processed by the organizers of the competition in this window.

The window automatically displays all the information needed for the connection in question.



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| Select Case | 1695 | | ⊻ Wipe T | able | O All | ○ Chk Reference | 🔿 Not In Both Log | | | |
| Not in both lo | ogs | | | | | | | | | |
| Station | Date | UT | C Band | Mode | MsgOut | CallSign | Msgln | Points | 5 | |
| SV1BJW | 09.12.202 | 3 04: | 57 40 | CW | GR003 | G3WBB | RN4372 | 10 | · · · · · | - |
| RN4372 G3 | BWBB | | | | | Select Decisi | on for Reason \sim | -] C | onfim | |
| G3WBB qsos in 09.12.2023 04: 09.12.2023 05: 09.12.2023 05: 09.12.2023 05: 09.12.2023 05: 09.12.2023 05: 09.12.2023 06: 09.12.2023 06: 09.12.2023 06: | n the log 52 40 CW 05 40 CW 08 40 CW 11 40 CW 11 40 CW 30 40 CW 30 40 CW 11 40 CW 11 40 CW | RN4372 LY2 RN4372 SV1 RN4372 D2 RN4372 D2 RN4372 OM2 RN4372 OM2 RN4372 PA2 RN4372 EA6 | CX 0027 GIV 0003 IT CA152 L 0079 IANL CA153 2TBG 0014 PCH 0010 NB 0005 INB 0005 | 3 | All Selective | , | | | | |
| 674 Cases awaiting ser | ntencing | | | | | | | | | |

In the model below, the SV1BJW callsign cannot be found in the G3WBB log.

At 5:05 p.m., the log contains the call SV16JW with message 0003, which is most likely the connection in question. Clicking on the G3WBB list will change the connection window –

| DOOM Window | | | | | | | | _ | | × |
|--|--------------------------|--------------|------------|------------|-------------------------|---------------------------------------|---------------------------------|--------------|-------------------|---|
| Select Case | 1695 | ~ | Wipe Ta | ble | O All | ○ Chk Reference | ○ Not In Both Log | | | |
| Not in both logs | 8 | | | | | | | | | |
| Station SV1BJW RN4372 G3W GR003 SV1BJ | Date 09.12.2023 BB | UTC 04:57 | Band 40 | Mode CW | <i>MsgOut</i> GR003 | CallSign G3WBB Select Decision | MsgIn RN4372 for Reason ∽ | Points 10 Ca | : onfirm | 2 |
| Expected destinat | tion QSO | | | | | | | | | |
| Station G3WBB | Date 09.12.2023 | 05:05 | Band 40 | Mode CW | <i>MsgOut</i> RN4372 | CallSign SV16JW Select Decision | MsgIn 0003 | Points | ponfirm De Qso | |
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Now the desired measures can be taken in relation to these connections. Reset one/both qsos or accept the situation. If you want to reset qso, change the dot number from the Points menu and select descriptive text from the reason menu, and the *Confim* button next to it is activated to confirm the change. Qso will be removed from the Case-list after the change.

By selecting the reason menu from the menu for processing the text of the text, the Confirm button can be used to approve the connection without changing the points.

Add Member to Database

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| Callsign | | | |
| Reference | | | |
| Name | | _ | |
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New Navy membership information can be added with an image window to the database.

Comprehensive membership number/invitation information reduces the number of connections to be checked manually

Cabrillo format

| START-OF-LOG: 3.0 | | | | |
|------------------------------------|-----------|------|---------|--|
| CONTEST: INTERNATIONAL NAVAL CONTE | ST | | | |
| CALLSIGN: CALLSIGN | | | | |
| CATEGORY-OPERATOR: SINGLE-OP | | | | |
| CATEGORY-BAND: ALL | | | | |
| CATEGORY-MODE: CW | | | | |
| CATEGORY-POWER: HIGH | | | | |
| CATEGORY-STATION: FIXED | | | | |
| CATEGORY-ASSISTED: NON-ASSISTED | | | | |
| CLAIMED-SCORE: | | | | |
| NAME: | | | | |
| ADDRESS: | | | | |
| ADDRESS: | | | | |
| ADDRESS: | | | | |
| EMAIL: | | | | |
| OPERATORS: | | | | |
| QSO: 7000 CW 2023-12-09 1606 DF1RL | 599 MF721 | LY4L | 599 012 | |
| END-OF-LOG: | | | | |

The header and data are separated by: (colon) The data in the Qso (QSO:) row should contain 10 sections in the following order, separated by space(s) or tabs *Band, Mode, Day, Utc, Self-call, Cent, Message, Counter station, Rst and Message.*

N.B. Possibly the UTC column between hours and minutes : prevents the log from being read. (Rare). (Not 12:00, but 1200)

Incorrect order or missing component will cause the file to move to the *Failed* folder.