# **US Amateur Radio Bands**

US AMATEUR POWER LIMITS — FCC 97.313 An amateur station must use the minimum transmitter power necessary to carry out the desired communications. (b) No station may transmit with a transmitter power exceeding 1.5 kW PEP.

Amateurs wishing to operate on either 2,200 or 630 meters must first register with the Utilities Technology Council online at https://utc.org/plc-database-amateur-notification-process/ You need only register once for each band.

## 2,200 Meters (135 kHz) E,A,G 1 W EIRP maximum 137.8 kHz 135.7 kHz

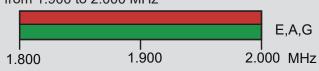
## 630 Meters (472 kHz)

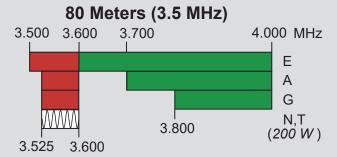
5 W EIRP maximum, except in Alaska within 496 miles of Russia where the power limit is 1 W EIRP.

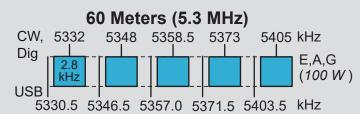


#### 160 Meters (1.8 MHz)

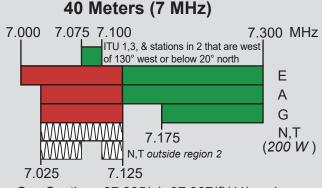
Avoid interference to radiolocation operations from 1.900 to 2.000 MHz







General, Advanced, and Extra licensees may operate on a secondary basis with a maximum ERP of 100 W (relative to a half-wave dipole antenna).

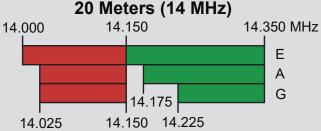


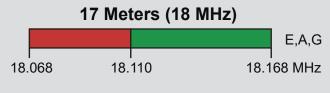
See Sections 97.305(c), 97.307(f)(11) and 97.301(e). These exemptions do not apply to stations in the continental US.

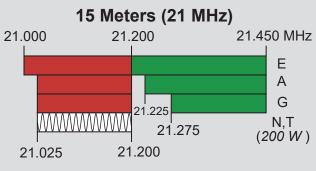
#### **30 Meters (10.1 MHz)**

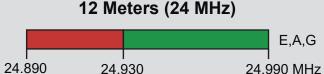
Avoid interference to fixed services outside the US.

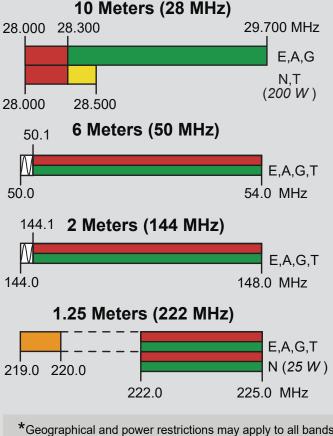


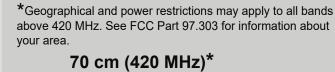


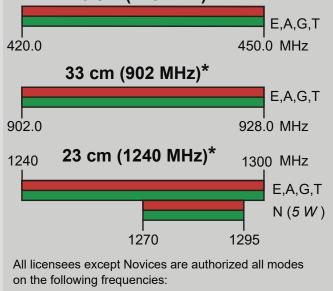










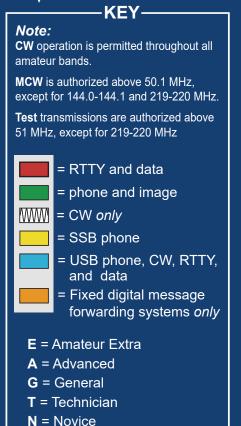


2300-2310 MHz 10.0-10.5 GHz ‡ 122.25-123.0 GHz

2390-2450 MHz 24.0-24.25 GHz 134-141 GHz 3400-3450 MHz 47.0-47.2 GHz 241-250 GHz 5650-5925 MHz 76.0-81.0 GHz All above 275 GHz

‡ No pulse emissions





See www.arrl.org/band-plan for detailed band plans.

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