

General Class Study Group Chapter 1
Commission's Rules Practice

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G1A01 [97.301d]

1. What are the frequency privileges for a General Class control operator in the 160-meter band (ITU Region 2)?
- A. 1800 - 1900-kHz
 - B. 1900 - 2000-kHz
 - C. 1800 - 2000-kHz
 - D. 1825 - 2000-kHz

G1A04 [97.301d]

2. What are the frequency privileges for a General Class control operator in the 30-meter band?
- A. 10100 - 10150-kHz
 - B. 10100 - 10175-kHz
 - C. 10125 - 10150-kHz
 - D. 10125 - 10175-kHz

G1A05 [97.301d]

3. What are the frequency privileges for a General Class control operator in the 20-meter band?
- A. 14025 - 14100-kHz and 14175 - 14350-kHz
 - B. 14025 - 14150-kHz and 14225 - 14350-kHz
 - C. 14025 - 14125-kHz and 14200 - 14350-kHz
 - D. 14025 - 14175-kHz and 14250 - 14350-kHz

G1A06 [97.301d]

4. What are the frequency privileges for a General Class control operator in the 15-meter band?
- A. 21025 - 21200-kHz and 21275 - 21450-kHz
 - B. 21025 - 21150-kHz and 21300 - 21450-kHz
 - C. 21025 - 21150-kHz and 21275 - 21450-kHz
 - D. 21025 - 21200-kHz and 21300 - 21450-kHz

G1A07 [97.301d]

5. What are the frequency privileges for a General Class control operator in the 12-meter band?
- A. 24890 - 24975-kHz
 - B. 24890 - 24990-kHz
 - C. 24900 - 24990-kHz
 - D. 24900 - 24975-kHz

G1A08 [97.301d]

6. What are the frequency privileges for a General Class control operator in the 10-meter band?
- A. 28000 - 29700-kHz

- B. 28025 - 29700-kHz
- C. 28100 - 29600-kHz
- D. 28125 - 29600-kHz

G1A09 [97.301d]

7. What are the frequency privileges for a General Class control operator in the 17-meter band?

- A. 18068 - 18300-kHz
- B. 18025 - 18200-kHz
- C. 18100 - 18200-kHz
- D. 18068 - 18168-kHz

G1A11 [97.305c]

8. What are the frequency segments within the 10-meter band for phone emissions?

- A. 28000 - 28300 kHz
- B. 29000 - 29700 kHz
- C. 28300 - 29700 kHz
- D. 28000 - 29000 kHz

G1E07 [97.303]

9. What does it mean where the FCC rules say that the amateur service is a secondary user and another service is a primary user?

- A. Nothing special; all users of the frequency band have equal rights to operate
- B. Amateur stations are only allowed to use the frequency band during emergencies
- C. Amateur stations are allowed to use the frequency band only if they do not cause harmful interference to primary users
- D. Amateur stations must increase transmitter power to overcome any interference caused by primary users

G1E08 [97.303]

10. What action must you take while using the 30-meter band when a station assigned to the band's primary service causes interference?

- A. Notify the FCC's regional Engineer in Charge of the interference
- B. Increase your transmitter's power to overcome the interference
- C. Attempt to contact the station and request that it stop the interference
- D. Change frequencies; you may be causing harmful interference to the other station, in violation of FCC rules

G2E05

11. In which International Telecommunication Union Region is the continental United States?

- A. Region 1
- B. Region 2
- C. Region 3
- D. Region 4

G2E06

12. In which International Telecommunication Union Region are Europe and Africa?

- A. Region 1
- B. Region 2
- C. Region 3
- D. Region 4

G2E07

13. In which International Telecommunication Union Region is Australia?

- A. Region 1
- B. Region 2
- C. Region 3
- D. Region 4

G2E08

14. Which of the following organizations is responsible for international regulation of the radio spectrum?

- A. The International Regulatory Commission
- B. The International Radio Union
- C. The International Telecommunications Union
- D. The International Frequency-Spectrum Commission

G2E09

15. What do the initials "ITU" stand for?

- A. Interstate Telecommunications Union
- B. International Telephony Union
- C. International Transmission Union
- D. International Telecommunications Union

G1C03 [97.313c1]

16. What is the maximum transmitting power an amateur station may use on 10.140 MHz?

- A. 200 watts PEP output
- B. 1000 watts PEP output
- C. 1500 watts PEP output
- D. 2000 watts PEP output

G1C04 [97.313c1]

17. What is the maximum transmitting power an amateur station may use on 21.205 MHz?

- A. The minimum power necessary to carry out the desired communications, with a maximum of 200 watts PEP output
- B. The minimum power necessary to carry out the desired communications, with a maximum of 1500 watts PEP output
- C. 1000 watts PEP output
- D. 2000 watts PEP output

G1C05 [97.313a,b]

18. What is the maximum transmitting power an amateur station may use on 24.950 MHz?

- A. 200 watts PEP output
- B. 1000 watts PEP output

- C. 1500 watts PEP output
- D. 2000 watts PEP output

G1C06 [97.313]

19. What is the maximum transmitting power an amateur station may use on 7155 kHz?
- A. The minimum power necessary to carry out the desired communications, with a maximum of 200 watts PEP output
 - B. The minimum power necessary to carry out the desired communications, with a maximum of 1500 watts PEP output
 - C. 1000 watts PEP output
 - D. 2000 watts PEP output

G1C07 [97.313]

20. What is the maximum transmitting power an amateur station may use on 14.300 MHz?
- A. The minimum power necessary to carry out the desired communications, with a maximum of 1500 watts PEP output
 - B. 200 watts PEP output
 - C. 1000 watts PEP output
 - D. 2000 watts PEP output

G1C08 [97.313]

21. What is the maximum transmitting power a station with a General Class control operator may use on 28.400 MHz?
- A. The minimum power necessary to carry out the desired communications, with a maximum of 200 watts PEP output
 - B. The minimum power necessary to carry out the desired communications, with a maximum of 1000 watts PEP output
 - C. The minimum power necessary to carry out the desired communications, with a maximum of 1500 watts PEP output
 - D. 2000 watts PEP output

G1C09 [97.313]

22. What is the maximum transmitting power a station with a General Class control operator may use on 28.150 MHz?
- A. The minimum power necessary to carry out the desired communications, with a maximum of 200 watts PEP output
 - B. The minimum power necessary to carry out the desired communications, with a maximum of 1000 watts PEP output
 - C. The minimum power necessary to carry out the desired communications, with a maximum of 1500 watts PEP output
 - D. The minimum power necessary to carry out the desired communications, with a maximum of 2000 watts PEP output

G1C10 [97.313]

23. What is the maximum transmitting power an amateur station may use on 1825 kHz?
- A. 200 watts PEP output
 - B. The minimum power necessary to carry out the desired communications, with a maximum of 1000 watts PEP output
 - C. 2000 watts PEP output

D. The minimum power necessary to carry out the desired communications, with a maximum of 1500 watts PEP output

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G1C11

24. Which of the following is NOT a requirement when a station is transmitting on the 60-meter band?

- A. All transmissions may only use Upper Sideband (USB)
- B. The 3-dB bandwidth of a signal shall not exceed 2.8 kHz, when centered on any of the five FCC-authorized transmitting frequencies
- C. Transmissions shall not exceed an effective radiated power (ERP) of 50 W PEP
- D. Antenna height shall not exceed 50 feet above mean sea level (AMSL)

G1E10 [97.303s]

25. What protection from harmful interference caused by primary service users do amateur radio stations have while operating in the 60-meter band?

- A. None
- B. Stations in the mobile and fixed service must not interfere with amateur stations
- C. Stations in the mobile and fixed service must not interfere if an amateur station is already on the frequency
- D. Stations in the mobile and fixed service must not interfere with amateur stations if they are located in ITU Region 2

G1E11 [97.303s]

26. What operating restrictions must amateur radio stations observe while operating in the 60-meter band?

- A. They must not cause harmful interference to stations operating in other radio services
- B. They must transmit no more than 30 minutes during each hour to minimize harmful interference
- C. They must use lower sideband, suppressed-carrier, only
- D. They must not exceed 2.0 kHz of bandwidth

G2D12 [97.303s]

27. Which of the following is required by the FCC rules when operating in the 60-meter band?

- A. If you are using other than a dipole antenna, you must keep a record of the gain of your antenna
- B. You must keep a record of the date, time, frequency, power level and stations worked
- C. No records are required
- D. You must keep a record of the manufacturer of your equipment and the antenna used

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G1E02 [97.205a]

28. Under what circumstances may a 10-meter repeater retransmit the 2-meter signal from a station having a Technician Class control operator?

- A. Under no circumstances
- B. Only if the station on 10 meters is operating under a Special Temporary Authorization allowing such retransmission
- C. Only during an FCC-declared general state of communications emergency
- D. Only if the 10-meter control operator holds at least a General class license

G1E03 [97.3a37]

29. What kind of amateur station simultaneously retransmits the signals of other stations on a different channel?

- A. Repeater station
- B. Space station
- C. Telecommand station
- D. Relay station

G1E04 [97.3a22]

30. What name is given to a form of interference that seriously degrades, obstructs or repeatedly interrupts a radiocommunication service?

- A. Intentional interference
- B. Harmful interference
- C. Adjacent interference
- D. Disruptive interference

G1E05 [97.115, 97.117]

31. What types of messages for a third party may be transmitted by an amateur station to a foreign country?

- A. Messages for which the amateur operator is paid
- B. Messages facilitating the business affairs of any party
- C. Messages of a technical nature or remarks of a personal character
- D. No messages may be transmitted to foreign countries for third parties

G1E06 [97.3a23]

32. Should a repeater cause harmful interference to another repeater when a frequency coordinator has recommended the operation of one station only, who is responsible for resolving the interference?

- A. The licensee of the uncoordinated repeater
- B. Both repeater licensees
- C. The licensee of the recommended repeater
- D. The frequency coordinator

G1E12 [97.109e]

33. What must be done at an amateur radio station while it is transmitting third party messages?

- A. Keep a station log of when the message was handled
- B. Use local or remote station control
- C. Identify both stations that handle the message
- D. Use local, remote or automatic station control

G2E01 [97.117]

34. What type of messages may be transmitted to an amateur station in a foreign country?

- A. Messages of any type
- B. Messages that are not religious, political, or patriotic in nature
- C. Messages of a technical nature or personal remarks of relative unimportance
- D. Messages of any type, but only if the foreign country has a third-party communications agreement with the US

G1B02 [97.101a]

35. If the FCC Rules DO NOT specifically cover a situation, how must you operate your amateur station?

- A. In accordance with standard licensee operator principles
- B. In accordance with good engineering and good amateur practice
- C. In accordance with station operating practices adopted by the VECs
- D. In accordance with procedures set forth by the International Amateur Radio Union

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G1B01 [97.15a]

36. Provided it is not at or near a public-use airport, what is the maximum height above ground an antenna structure may rise without requiring its owner to notify the FAA and register with the FCC?

- A. 50 feet
- B. 100 feet
- C. 200 feet
- D. 300 feet

G1B06 [97.113a4]

37. When may an amateur station in two-way communication transmit a message in a secret code in order to obscure the meaning of the communication?

- A. When transmitting above 450 MHz
- B. During contests
- C. Never
- D. During a declared communications emergency

G1B07 [97.113a4]

38. What are the restrictions on the use of abbreviations or procedural signals in the amateur service?

- A. Only "Q" codes are permitted
- B. They may be used if they do not obscure the meaning of a message
- C. They are not permitted because they obscure the meaning of a message to FCC monitoring stations
- D. Only "10-codes" are permitted

G1B08 [97.113a4, 97.113e]

39. Which of the following amateur station transmissions is NOT prohibited by the FCC Rules?

- A. The playing of music
- B. The use of obscene or indecent words
- C. False or deceptive messages or signals
- D. Retransmission of space shuttle communications

G1B09 [97.113a4, 97.113e]

40. What should you do to prevent your station from retransmitting music or signals from a non-amateur station?

- A. Turn up the volume of your transceiver
- B. Speak closer to the microphone to increase your signal strength
- C. Turn down the volume of background audio
- D. Adjust your transceiver noise blanker

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G1B03 [97.203g]

41. Which of the following types of stations may transmit only one-way communications?

- A. Repeater station
- B. Beacon station
- C. HF station
- D. VHF station

G1B04 [97.113b]

42. Which of the following does NOT need to be true when an amateur station is being used to gather news information for broadcast purposes?

- A. The information is more quickly transmitted by Amateur Radio
- B. The information must involve the immediate safety of life of individuals or the immediate protection of property
- C. The information must be directly related to the event
- D. The information cannot be transmitted by other means

G1B10 [97.203]

43. Which of the following is NOT an FCC requirement regarding beacon stations?

- A. All transmissions must use audio frequency shift keying (AFSK)
- B. Only one signal per band is permitted from a given location
- C. The transmitter power of the beacon station must not exceed 100 watts
- D. The control operator of the beacon station must hold a Technician, Technician Plus, General, Advanced or Extra Class operator license

G1F01 [97.315a]

44. External RF power amplifiers designed to operate below what frequency may require FCC certification?

- A. 28 MHz
- B. 35 MHz
- C. 50 MHz
- D. 144 MHz

G1D03 [97.501e]

45. What minimum examination elements must an applicant pass for a Technician Class operator license?

- A. Element 2 only
- B. Elements 1 and 2
- C. Elements 2 and 3
- D. Elements 1, 2 and 3

G1D05 [97.509a,b]

46. What are the requirements for administering a Technician Class operator examination?

- A. Three VEC-accredited General Class or higher VEs must be present
- B. Two VEC-accredited General Class or higher VEs must be present
- C. Two General Class or higher VEs must be present, but only one need be VEC accredited
- D. Any two General Class or higher VEs must be present

G1D06 [97.509b3i]

47. When may you participate as an administering VE for a Technician Class operator license examination?

- A. Once you have notified the FCC that you want to give an examination
- B. Once you have a Certificate of Successful Completion of Examination (CSCE) for General class
- C. Once you have prepared telegraphy and written examinations for the Technician license, or obtained them from a qualified supplier
- D. Once you have been granted your FCC General class or higher license and received your VEC accreditation

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G1D07 [97.119f2]

48. If you are a Technician Class operator with a CSCE for General Class operator privileges, how do you identify your station when transmitting on 14.035 MHz?

- A. You must give your call sign and the location of the VE examination where you obtained the CSCE
- B. You must give your call sign, followed by the slant mark "/", followed by the identifier "AG"
- C. You may not operate on 14.035 MHz until your new license arrives
- D. No special form of identification is needed

G1D08 [97.119f2]

49. If you are a Technician Class operator with a CSCE for General Class operator privileges, how do you identify your station when transmitting phone emissions on 14.325 MHz?

- A. No special form of identification is needed
- B. You may not operate on 14.325 MHz until your new license arrives
- C. You must give your call sign, followed by any suitable word that denotes the slant mark and the identifier "AG"
- D. You must give your call sign and the location of the VE examination where

you obtained the CSCE

G1D09 [97.119f2]

50. If you are a Technician Class operator with a CSCE for General Class operator privileges, when must you add the special identifier "AG" after your call sign?

- A. Whenever you operate using your new frequency privileges
- B. Whenever you operate
- C. Whenever you operate using Technician frequency privileges
- D. A special identifier is not required as long as your General class license application has been filed with the FCC

G1D10 [97.119f2]

51. If you are a Technician Class operator with a CSCE for General Class operator privileges, on which of the following band segments must you include the special identifier "AG" after your call sign?

- A. Whenever you operate from 18068 - 18168-kHz
- B. Whenever you operate from 14025 - 14150-kHz and 14225 - 14350-kHz
- C. Whenever you operate from 10100 - 10150-kHz
- D. All of these choices are correct

G1D07 [97.119f2]

52. If you are a Technician Class operator with a CSCE for General Class operator privileges, how do you identify your station when transmitting on 14.035 MHz?

- A. You must give your call sign and the location of the VE examination where you obtained the CSCE
- B. You must give your call sign, followed by the slant mark "/", followed by the identifier "AG"
- C. You may not operate on 14.035 MHz until your new license arrives
- D. No special form of identification is needed

G1D08 [97.119f2]

53. If you are a Technician Class operator with a CSCE for General Class operator privileges, how do you identify your station when transmitting phone emissions on 14.325 MHz?

- A. No special form of identification is needed
- B. You may not operate on 14.325 MHz until your new license arrives
- C. You must give your call sign, followed by any suitable word that denotes the slant mark and the identifier "AG"
- D. You must give your call sign and the location of the VE examination where you obtained the CSCE

G1D09 [97.119f2]

54. If you are a Technician Class operator with a CSCE for General Class operator privileges, when must you add the special identifier "AG" after your call sign?

- A. Whenever you operate using your new frequency privileges
- B. Whenever you operate
- C. Whenever you operate using Technician frequency privileges
- D. A special identifier is not required as long as your General class

license application has been filed with the FCC

G1D10 [97.119f2]

55. If you are a Technician Class operator with a CSCE for General Class operator privileges, on which of the following band segments must you include the special identifier "AG" after your call sign?

- A. Whenever you operate from 18068 - 18168-kHz
- B. Whenever you operate from 14025 - 14150-kHz and 14225 - 14350-kHz
- C. Whenever you operate from 10100 - 10150-kHz
- D. All of these choices are correct

G1E01 [97.119e]

56. As a General Class control operator at the station of a Technician Class operator, how must you identify the station while transmitting on 7250 kHz?

- A. With your call sign, followed by the word "controlling" and the Technician call sign
- B. With the Technician Class operator's station call sign, followed by the slant bar "/" (or any suitable word) and your own call sign
- C. With your call sign, followed by the slant bar "/" (or any suitable word) and the Technician call sign
- D. A Technician station should not be operated on 7250-kHz, even with a General control operator

G1E09 [97.119b2]

57. While you are using a language other than English in making a contact, what language must you use when identifying your station?

- A. The language being used for the contact
- B. The language being used for the contact, provided the US has a thirdparty communications agreement with that country
- C. English
- D. Any language of a country that is a member of the International Telecommunication Union

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