

## **New Mexico VHF DX Standings**

The New Mexico VHF Society is maintaining and posting distance records for QSOs on frequencies 50 MHz and higher. For the QSO to qualify, at least one of the two participating stations must be located within the State of New Mexico. Membership in the New Mexico VHF Society is required for one or more of the QSO participants. This record keeping program will begin with contacts made on 1 November 2017 and thereafter.

Applicants must equal or exceed the minimum distances listed in the database at [nmvhf.org](http://nmvhf.org). The path distance may be calculated by any appropriate method. Verification of a QSO is by the honor system. Apply by email to the [nmvhf.org](mailto:nmvhf.org) webmaster.

Standings will be kept for every band 50 MHz through 78 GHz with separate listings for the various communication modes (eg. SSB, CW, MSK144, FT8, FM, etc). The top 5 distances for each band and mode will be displayed. EME distances are defined as the terrestrial separation between stations.

The application correspondence should include:

- 1) Callsigns of participating stations
- 2) 4 digit grids of participating stations
- 3) Time/Date UTC
- 4) Band
- 5) Mode
- 6) Claimed distance (miles or km)

Any other information is optional.