#### TRUCK NOISE COMPLIANCE ASSESSMENT THIRD QUARTER VISY PULP AND PAPER PTY LIMITED TUMUT

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# 1. INTRODUCTION

This report provides the details of the traffic noise assessment conducted for Visy Pulp and Paper as part of a Development Consent Condition 3.9. This is the third traffic noise assessment conducted.

The primary aims of this report are outlined as follows:

- Measure the existing road traffic noise at residential locations along the major transport routes;
- Undertake traffic logging to ascertain the contribution to traffic noise levels from the mill;
- Calculate the noise contribution provided by heavy vehicles related to Visy Pulp and Paper operations;
- Compare measured noise levels with relevant RTA and NSW Environment Protection Authority (NSW EPA) criteria; and
- Provide recommendations for possible noise reduction techniques, where necessary.

Existing traffic noise levels have been measured using noise data loggers at six (6) residential locations over a minimum period of seven (7) days. Noise logging could not be undertaken at location R6 as the resident was not at home during logger establishment.

Visy Pulp and Paper weight bridge records have been provided and utilised in combination with noise logger data in order to calculate the Visy-related traffic noise contribution.



## 2. ROAD TRAFFIC NOISE CRITERIA

The applicable criteria for Visy Pulp and Paper road traffic noise were outlined by Benbow Environmental in 2007 (report n. 17001\_Truck Noise) as part of the noise impact assessment for the site's operations and related generation of road traffic noise.

The traffic noise criteria were referenced from the NSW EPA document "Environmental Criteria for Road Traffic Noise" (ECRTN) ISBN 0 7313 0203 6 EPA 99/3.

From 1 July 2011 the ECRTN was replaced by the "NSW Road Noise Policy", therefore calculations for road traffic noise have been carried out in accordance with the new policy.

The criteria examine two time periods (day and night) described by using the L<sub>Aeq(period)</sub> noise descriptor.

The applicable criteria are displayed below in Table 2-1 and explanation of the terminology is provided in Attachment 2.

Table 2-1: Road Traffic Noise Criteria			
	Day (7:00am – 10:00pm)	Night (10:00pm – 7:00am)	
LAeq (period) [dB(A)]	L <sub>Aeq (15 hour)</sub> = <b>60</b>	$L_{Aeq (9 hour)} = 55$	

Where the existing measured noise level is within 2dB of the above criterion, a 2dB allowance may be applied for the additional traffic. Where the existing measured noise level is already at the criteria and a further increase is predicted, then feasible and reasonable mitigation measures are needed.

Maximum noise levels generated at night time may result in sleep disturbance. There are guidelines provided for general reference in the Road Noise Policy document for maximum noise levels at the external façade of the residence.

The sleep disturbance assessment is more complex. The stationary industrial noise policy applied to sleep disturbance is readily exceeded by cars passing along roadways that have residences typically within 30m of the roadway and therefore cannot be effectively applied.

Trucks exceed this level further, so a voluntary management plan was presented in Attachment 3 of the 2007 Truck Noise report to reduce the  $L_{Amax}$  or  $L_{A1 (1 min)}$  noise levels that may be experienced, as a part of best management practices.



## 3. ROAD NETWORK AND MONITORING LOCATIONS

All heavy vehicles entering and leaving the Visy Pulp and Paper site would drive along Snowy Mountains Highway either eastbound or westbound. Traffic counters were not considered in this assessment.

Several residences located along the Snowy Mountains Hwy, Batlow Rd, Wee Jasper Rd and Gocup Rd are potentially affected by road traffic noise.

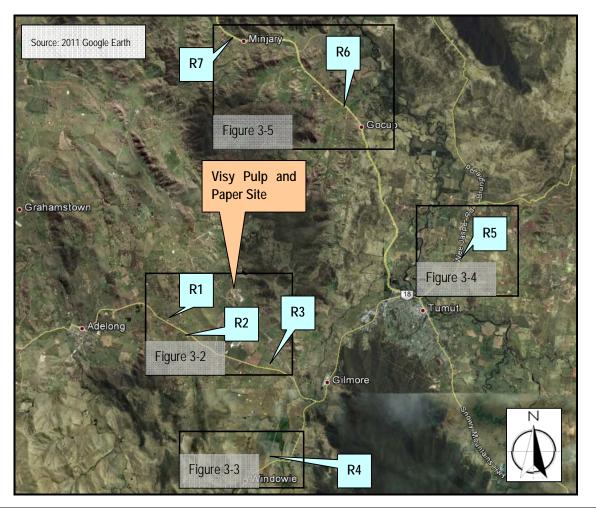
Noise monitoring has been carried out at six (6) residential locations throughout, at least, a one week period utilizing type1 environmental noise loggers over 15 minute statistical intervals.

Table 3-1 presents the list of all monitored residential locations. The following figures below show an aerial view of all the considered locations.

Table 3-1: Noise Monitoring Residential Locations				
Receiver	Address	Approx. distance from the road [m]		
R1 – Brentwood	1518 Snowy Mountains Highway, Gadara, NSW	75		
R2 – Glengarry	1393 Snowy Mountains Highway, Gadara, NSW	217		
R3 – Beale	1006 Snowy Mountains Highway, Gadara, NSW	50		
R4 – Batlow	379 Batlow Road (corner Gadara Ln), Gilmore, NSW	30		
R5 – Wee Jasper	214 Wee Jasper Rd, Bombowlee	7		
R6* – Gocup Rd	923 Gocup Rd, Minjary	28		
R7 - Minjary	1575 Gocup Rd, Minjary	36		

Note: \* indicates that noise monitoring was not undertaken at this location.

Figure 3-1: Aerial View - Residences and Traffic Monitoring Locations



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Figure 3-2: Snowy Mountain Hwy - Residences and Traffic Counter Locations



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### Figure 3-3: Batlow Rd - Residence Locations





Figure 3-4: Wee Jasper - Residences and Traffic Counter Locations



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Figure 3-5: Gocup Rd - Residence Locations



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## 4. ROAD TRAFFIC NOISE LEVELS

## 4.1 METHODOLOGY

The unattended noise measurements were carried out using Acoustic Research Laboratories statistical Environmental Noise Loggers type Ngara and EL-215.

The instrument sets were calibrated by a NATA accredited laboratory within two years of the measurement period. The instrument sets comply with AS 1259. The instruments were set on A-weighted, fast response and logged noise levels over fifteen minute statistical intervals. Calibration Certificates have been included in the Attachments.

The microphones were positioned at 1.2 metres above ground level and were fitted with windsocks. To ensure accuracy and reliability in the results, field reference checks were applied both before and after the measurement period with an acoustic calibrator. There were no significant variances observed in the reference signal between the pre-measurement and post-measurement calibrations.

A discussion of the QA/QC procedures applied by Benbow Environmental (BE) in relation to sound level meters and the measurement of ambient noise levels has been included in the Attachments section of this report.

In assessing the background noise levels, any data affected by rain has been discarded. The weather data was sourced from Visy Weather Station on the Havilah property near the mill site.

## 4.2 EXISTING MEASURED TRAFFIC NOISE LEVELS

Noise levels have been monitored continuously for at least one (1) week between Wednesday 11<sup>th</sup> of April 2012 and Tuesday 1<sup>st</sup> May 2012 utilising environmental noise loggers measuring 15 minute statistical intervals. Daily noise logger graphs have been included in Attachments.

The LAeq (15 hour) and LAeq (9 hour) noise descriptors have been calculated accordingly with the EPA's *NSW Road Noise Policy (Appendix B3)* and the noise levels have been rounded to the nearest integer.

Noise loggers were located at six (6) of the seven (7) aforementioned residential locations in line with the front facades of the residences. The measured traffic noise levels are presented from Table 4-1 to Table 4-6. The daily logger graphs have been provided in the attachments.



Date	L <sub>Aeq(15 hour)</sub>	L <sub>Aeq(9 hour)</sub>
11/04/2012	45	38
12/04/2012	49	42
13/04/2012	50	42
14/04/2012	49	43
15/04/2012	46	39
16/04/2012	52	45
17/04/2012	47	41
18/04/2012	50	44
19/04/2012	52	45
20/04/2012	54	40
21/04/2012	48	40
22/04/2012	48	39
23/04/2012	50	41
24/04/2012	54	45
25/04/2012	50	43
26/04/2012	48	42
27/04/2012	47	43
Logarithmic Average	50	42

Table 4-2: Measured Traffic Noise Levels at R2, dB(A)				
Date	L <sub>Aeq(15 hour)</sub>	LAeq(9 hour)		
11/04/2012	47	45		
12/04/2012	46	45		
13/04/2012	47	46		
14/04/2012	48	42		
15/04/2012	45	42		
16/04/2012	51	44		
17/04/2012	48	46		
18/04/2012	51	45		
19/04/2012	53	44		
20/04/2012	45	42		
21/04/2012	45	41		
22/04/2012	45	41		
23/04/2012	46	44		
Logarithmic Average	48	44		



Date	LAeq(15 hour)	L <sub>Aeq</sub> (9 hour)
11/04/2012	56	55
12/04/2012	58	55
13/04/2012	56	55
14/04/2012	53	52
15/04/2012	53	50
16/04/2012	62	54
17/04/2012	56	54
18/04/2012	56	53
19/04/2012	57	52
20/04/2012	56	52
21/04/2012	54	51
22/04/2012	52	49
23/04/2012	58	53
24/04/2012	57	52
25/04/2012	53	49
26/04/2012	55	51
27/04/2012	56	53
28/04/2012	54	49
29/04/2012	52	49
30/04/2012	56	53
1/05/2012	56	55
Logarithmic Average	56	53

Table 4-4: Measured Traffic Noise Levels at R4, dB(A)			
Date	LAeq(15 hour)	LAeq(9 hour)	
11/04/2012	54	49	
12/04/2012	56	54	
13/04/2012	56	53	
14/04/2012	52	49	
15/04/2012	51	45	
16/04/2012	56	53	
17/04/2012	56	54	
18/04/2012	56	52	
19/04/2012	58	51	
20/04/2012	58	52	
21/04/2012	58	49	
22/04/2012	54	48	
23/04/2012	55	53	
Logarithmic Average	56	52	



Table 4-5: Measured Traffic Noise Levels at R5, dB(A)				
Date	L <sub>Aeq(15 hour)</sub>	L <sub>Aeq</sub> (9 hour)		
12/04/2012	66	57		
13/04/2012	66	63		
14/04/2012	63	57		
15/04/2012	62	52		
16/04/2012	66	62		
17/04/2012	66	63		
18/04/2012	67	63		
19/04/2012	67	62		
20/04/2012	-	52		
Logarithmic Average	66	61		

Date	L <sub>Aeq</sub> (15 hour)	L <sub>Aeq</sub> (9 hour)
12/04/2012	58	53
13/04/2012	58	54
14/04/2012	57	53
15/04/2012	58	53
16/04/2012	58	56
17/04/2012	59	55
18/04/2012	58	55
19/04/2012	58	55
20/04/2012	-	54
Logarithmic Average	58	54



### 4.3 SUMMARY OF MEASUREMENT RESULTS

The table below summarises the key noise monitoring results detailed within section 4.2 and states the status of compliance for all considered residential receiver locations.

Table 4-7: Summary of the Measured Traffic Noise Levels					
Location	L <sub>Aeq (15 hour)</sub> Criteria 60 dB(A)	L <sub>Aeq (9 hour)</sub> Criteria 55 dB(A)	Compliance		
R1 – Brentwood	50	42	Yes		
R2 – Glengarry	48	44	Yes		
R3 – Beale	56	53	Yes		
R4 – Batlow	56	52	Yes		
R5 – Wee Jasper	66	61	No		
R6 – Gocup Rd	-	-	-		
R7 – Minjary	58	54	Yes		

Note: Cell in bold indicates that the level exceeds the noise criteria - indicates that noise monitoring was not undertaken

#### **Comments**

The measured noise levels comply with the current noise criteria at receivers R1, R2, R3, R4 and R7. Compliance was not possible to determine at location R6 as noise monitoring was not undertaken at this location. Non-compliance has been recorded at location R5 throughout both the daytime and night time periods. An exceedance of six (6) dB was measured at this location for both time-periods.

It is important to mention that the unattended noise monitoring is influenced by extraneous noises such as wild life, people and traffic not related to Visy Pulp and Paper. Therefore, an additional analysis has been carried out for receiver R5 in order to determine if the noise exceedances at this location are attributable to Visy truck movements.

A comparison with the previous noise assessment carried out in November 2011 (110068\_Truck Noise November 2011\_Rev1) indicates that the noise levels have decreased for most of the receiver locations, with the exception of R3 (night-time), R5 night-time and R7 (day time) where noise readings remained the same. In addition, a minor increase of 1 dB was observed at receiver R5 for the day time period.



### 4.4 Noise Analysis at Receiver R5

As the recorded noise levels are not only representative of noise generated by heavy vehicles but also include car movements and wildlife (e.g. birds and crickets), the traffic noise contribution from Visy-related trucks is expected to be lower than the actual  $L_{Aeq}$  measured.

Measured noise levels undertaken at locations R1, R2, R3, R4 and R7 achieved compliance including extraneous noise sources and therefore further analyses is considered unnecessary.

Visy Pulp and Paper provided Benbow Environmental with the following truck access data from the weight bridge:

- Entry Date and Time;
- Exit Date and Time;
- Access Route;
- Return Route;
- Weight (nett, gross, tare); and
- Supplier and transported product.

This information was utilized for determining the number of Visy truck movements travelling along Wee Jasper Road which represents the number of trucks passing by receiver R5.

Table 4-8 shows an example of the number of Visy trucks per hour on the  $13^{th}$  May 2012 travelling along Wee Jasper road and also shows the measured  $L_{Aeq, 1 hour}$  at Receiver R5.



DATE TIME		VISY TRUCKS IN	VISY TRUCKS OUT	TOTAL VISY TRUCKS	MEASURED LAEQ 1 HOUR	
13/04/2012	1:00	1	1	2	55	
13/04/2012	2:00	0	0	0	54	
13/04/2012	3:00	1	0	1	56	
13/04/2012	4:00	0	2	2	58	
13/04/2012	5:00	0	0	0	65	
13/04/2012	6:00	0	0	0	65	
13/04/2012	7:00	9	2	11	68	
13/04/2012	8:00	0	6	6	66	
13/04/2012	9:00	5	5	10	68	
13/04/2012	10:00	5	6	11	66	
13/04/2012	11:00	6	4	10	69	
13/04/2012	12:00	3	5	8	67	
13/04/2012	13:00	5	7	12	65	
13/04/2012	14:00	5	2	7	65	
13/04/2012	15:00	8	5	13	66	
13/04/2012	16:00	3	9	12	65	
13/04/2012	17:00	4	4	8	66	
13/04/2012	18:00	1	2	3	65	
13/04/2012	19:00	0	2	2	65	
13/04/2012	20:00	3	0	3	62	
13/04/2012	21:00	1	4	5	62	
13/04/2012	22:00	1	1	2	58	
13/04/2012	23:00	0	1	1	57	
14/04/2012	0:00	1	0	1	58	

Note: the time column indicates the final time of the considered hour period. E.g. 14:00 represents a time period between 13:00 and 14:00.



#### Comments

Table 4-8 above shows that between 4:00am and 6:00am the measured  $L_{Aeq, 1 hour}$  is 65 dB(A) when no Visy trucks travel along Wee Jasper Road. On the other hand the same 65 dB(A) noise levels were measured between 12:00pm to 13:00pm and 15:00pm to 16:00pm when 12 Visy trucks travelled along Wee Jasper Road per hour. Consequently, a greater number of Visy trucks does not strictly reflect a higher  $L_{Aeq, 1 hour}$  measured by the unattended noise monitoring. For instance, the noise level measured between 11:00am and 12:00pm to 15:00pm considering 8 Visy trucks was 67  $L_{Aeq, 1 hour}$ ; however, a level of 66 dB(A) was measured between 14:00pm to 15:00pm considering 13 trucks. All these observations allow one to conclude that Visy trucks may not be the main noise contributors at location R5 as numerous cars and trucks unrelated to Visy also travel along this road.

The CoRTN model (Calculation of Road Traffic Noise) algorithms are not valid for low traffic volumes and therefore are not suitable for this study.

Calculation of road traffic noise contribution from Visy trucks has been undertaken using a method that takes into account sound exposure levels and calculates the  $L_{Aeq}$  due to the time of exposure to the truck noise.

The following noise descriptors have been calculated:

- L<sub>Aeq (15 hour</sub>); and
- LAeq (9 hour).

The method used to calculate sound exposure levels is explained below and is based on procedures referenced in AS 1055.1 and reference texts on assessing the environmental impact of roads and traffic.

AS 1055.1 Clause 3.6 defines  $L_{AE}$  as being:

"the sound exposure level of a discrete noise event is the instantaneous A-weighted sound pressure integrated over the specified time duration at the noise event and referenced to a duration of 1 sec".

AS 1055.1 Clause 6.4.5 explains how the sound exposure level can be used:

"where a noise environment is the result of a number of identifiable noise events, the time weighted average A-weighted sound pressure level may be calculated from the sound exposure levels of the individual events occurring within a time period from the following equation:"

$$L_{Aeq,T} = 10\log_{10}\frac{1}{T}\sum_{n=1}^{n}10^{0.1SEL}$$

The sound exposure level has been obtained from noise measurements carried out by Benbow Environmental during this assessment. The noise logger positioned at R5 was set up to measure audio files. This data was analyzed after logger retrieval and a representative SEL for Visy trucks was obtained.



Table 4-9: Calculated Visy Trucks Noise Contribution Levels at R5										
Date	Visy Trucks Day	Visy Trucks Night	Estimated Visy Contribution L <sub>Aeq(15 hour)</sub> Criteria 60 dB(A)	Estimated Visy Contribution L <sub>Aeq(9 hour)</sub> Criteria 55 dB(A)	Compliance Day	Compliance Night				
12/04/2012	124	15	59.8	52.9	Yes	Yes				
13/04/2012	114	16	59.5	53.2	Yes	Yes				
14/04/2012	38	15	54.7	52.9	Yes	Yes				
15/04/2012	0	0	0	0	Yes	Yes				
16/04/2012	93	12	58.6	51.9	Yes	Yes				
17/04/2012	109	15	59.3	52.9	Yes	Yes				
18/04/2012	103	21	59.0	54.3	Yes	Yes				
19/04/2012	105	16	59.1	53.2	Yes	Yes				
20/04/2012	111	12	59.4	51.9	Yes	Yes				

The results of the truck noise calculations are shown in the following table:

#### **Comments**

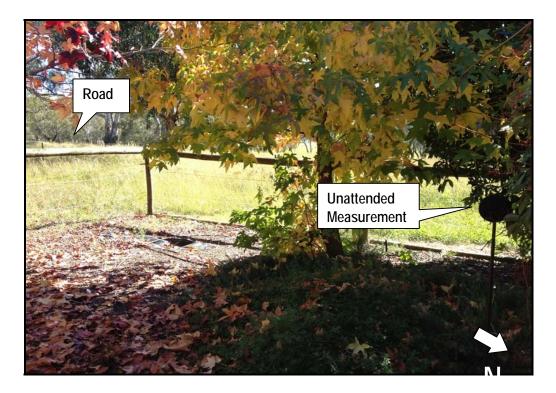
Contribution from Visy trucks has been calculated to comply with the criteria for every day between and including the 12<sup>th</sup> April 2012 and 20<sup>th</sup> April 2012.

The western façade of this property is located approximately 7 m from the closest edge of the road. For this reason the trucks passing by at Wee Jasper Road are clearly audible at this location. Compliance with the criteria can be explained as trucks are considered to be intermittent noise events for durations below 30 seconds and although noise levels associated with trucks passing by significantly exceed 60 dB(A) and 55 dB(A) for day and night time respectively, the total noise contribution must be calculated over 15 hr and 9 hr respectively.



## 4.5 Photographs

Figure 4-1: Unattended Measurements at Location R1





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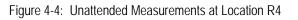
Figure 4-2: Unattended Measurements at Location R2











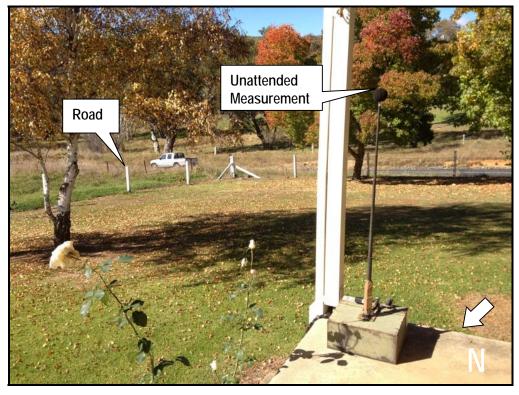






Figure 4-5: Unattended Measurements at Location R5



Unattended Measurement Road

Figure 4-6: Unattended Measurements at Location R7



# 5. CONCLUSIONS

The traffic noise study was conducted at six (6) residential locations.

Unattended noise monitoring was not undertaken at location R6 as the resident was not at home during logger establishment.

Compliance is readily achieved for locations R1, R2, R3, R4 and R7.

Noise levels at location R5 were found to be higher than the noise limits even when there were no trucks from Visy passing through Wee Jasper Rd. Therefore, the traffic noise contribution from Visy at this receiver was calculated and found to comply with the traffic noise criteria.

Benbow Environmental recommends continued noise monitoring at all seven (7) receivers in order to assess compliance with the established noise criteria for off-site Visy trucks. Special attention should be considered at location R5 due to the close proximity between this location and Wee Jasper Rd.

The current impact of truck noise from Visy Pulp and Paper is not considered to be extensive or excessive.

This concludes the report.

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## 6. LIMITATIONS

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ATTACHMENTS

Attachment 1: Terminology

#### Terminology

This section provides an explanation of the terms used throughout the report. In order to characterise the noise levels measured over a period of time the following noise descriptors are used:

#### • L<sub>A1</sub>

The  $L_{A1}$  is the level of noise exceeded for 1% of the time and is, therefore, the average peak level of noise experienced during the measurement period.

• L<sub>A10</sub>

The  $L_{A10}$  is the level of noise exceeded for 10% of the time and is, therefore, the maximum level of noise experienced during the measurement period.

• L<sub>Aeq</sub>

The  $L_{Aeq}$  is the equivalent continuous level of noise and is a single number that is equivalent to the fluctuations of noise level that are occurring based on the energy contained within the noise signal. The  $L_{Aeq}$  is determined by an integration of the noise level with respect to time.

• L<sub>A90</sub>

The  $L_{A90}$  is the level of noise exceeded for 90% of the sample time and is therefore the minimum level of noise experienced during the measurement period. The  $L_{A90}$  is referred to as the background noise level.

#### Daytime and Night Time Periods

For the criteria outlined in the NSW EPA Environmental Noise Control Manual, daytime is defined as from 7.00am to 10.00pm, Monday to Saturday, and 8am to 10pm on Sunday and Public Holidays. Night time is defined as 10pm to 7am, Monday to Friday, and 10pm to 8am on Sundays and Public Holidays. Holidays.

• Sound Pressure Level (abbreviated SPL)

Is the instantaneous measurement of pressure variations in the ambient air compared to a reference pressure. A precision sound level meter measures SPL and measurements are expressed as dB(A).

#### Tonal Noise

Noise containing a prominent frequency and characterised by a definite pitch.

#### Low frequency noise

Containing major components within the low frequency range (20Hz - 250 Hz) of the frequency spectrum.

#### Impulsive noise

Noise having a high peak of short duration or a sequence of such peaks. A sequence of impulses in rapid succession is termed repetitive impulsive noise.

#### Fluctuating noise

Noise that varies continuously and to an appreciable extent over the period of observation.

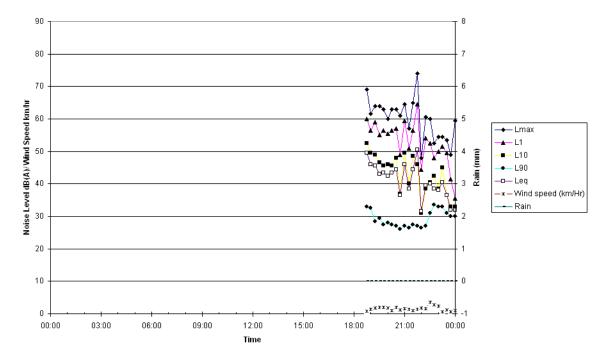
#### Intermittent noise

The level suddenly drops to that of the background noise several times during the period of observation.

#### Adjustment for duration

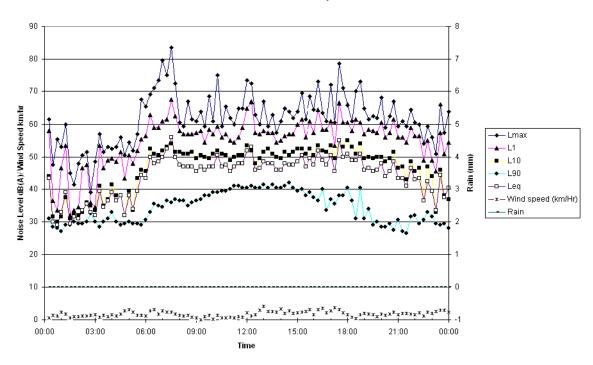
Applied where a single – event noise is continuous for a period of less than two and a half hours in any 24-hour period.

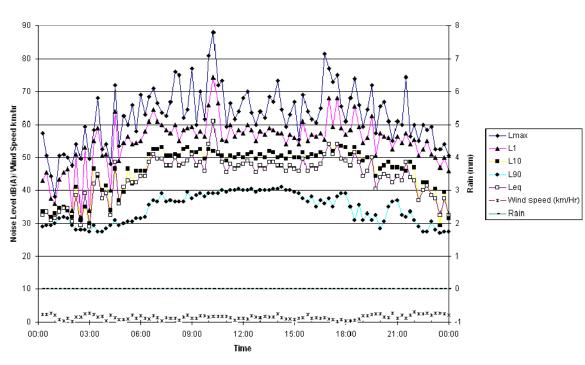
Attachment 2: Logger Graphs



Measured Noise Levels R1 - Brentwood - Wednesday 11/04/2012

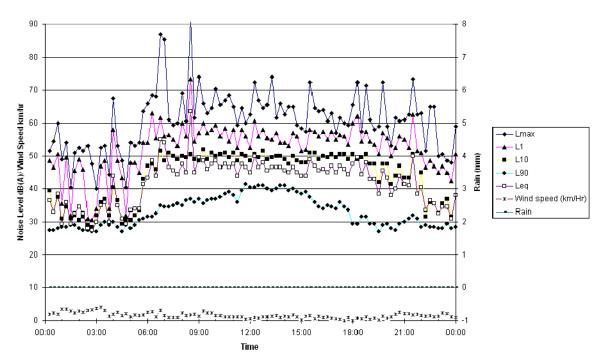
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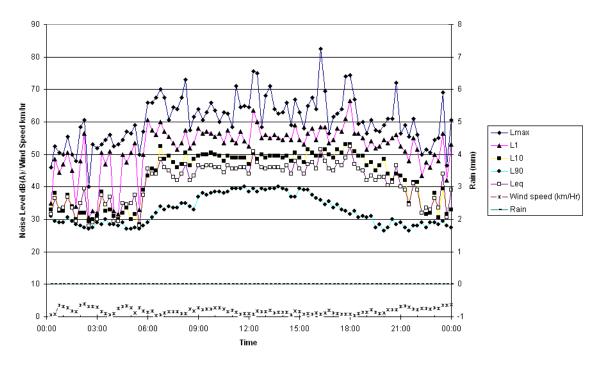




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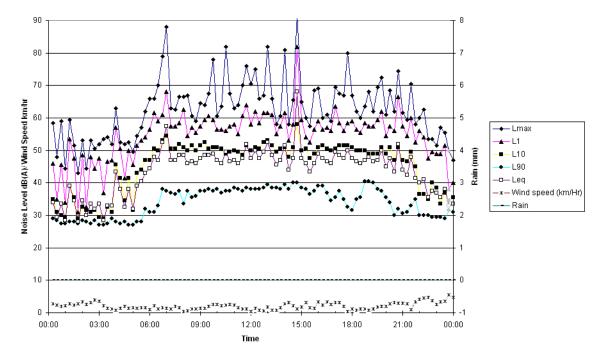
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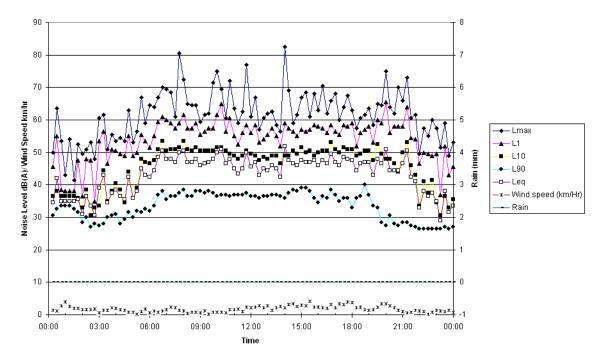




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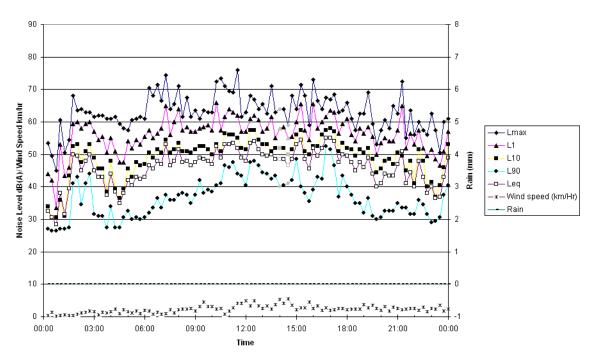
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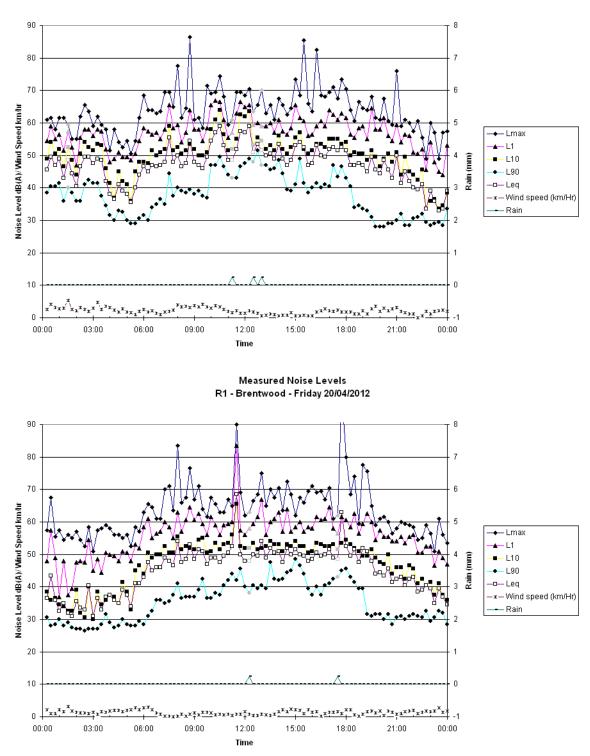




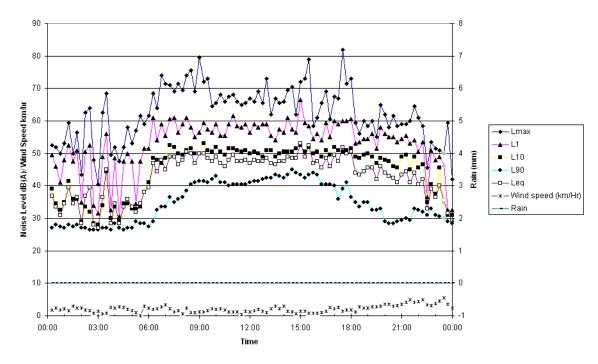
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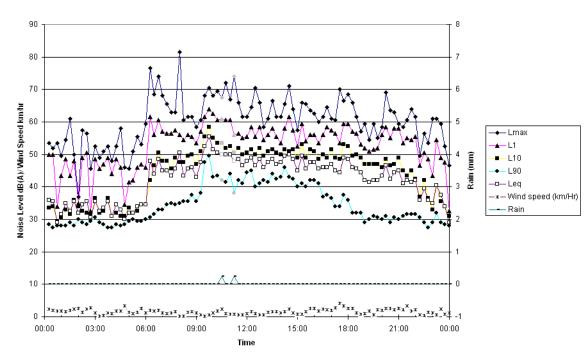


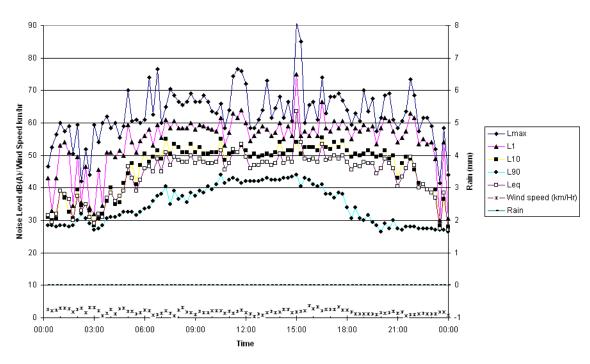
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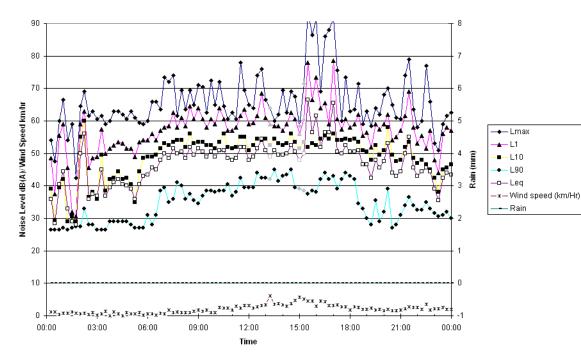
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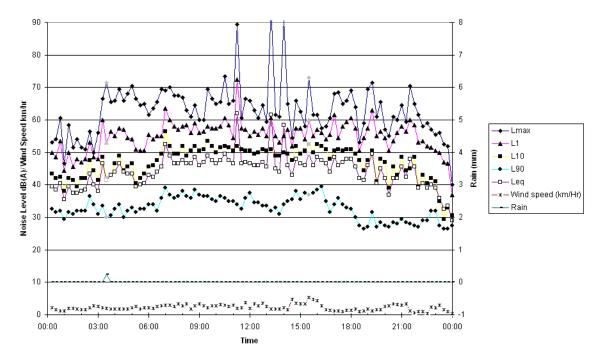




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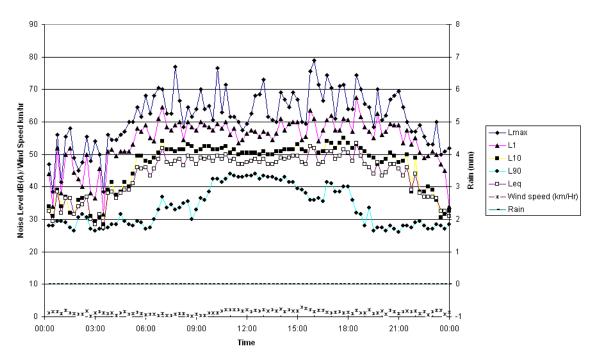
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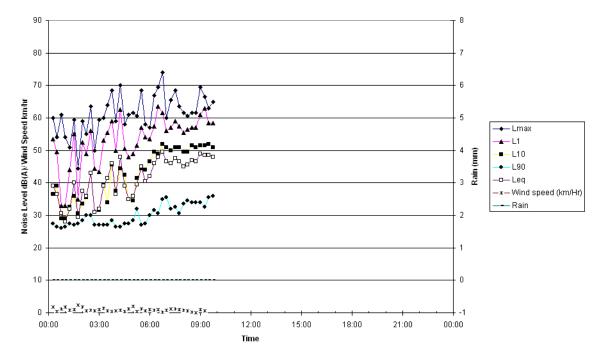




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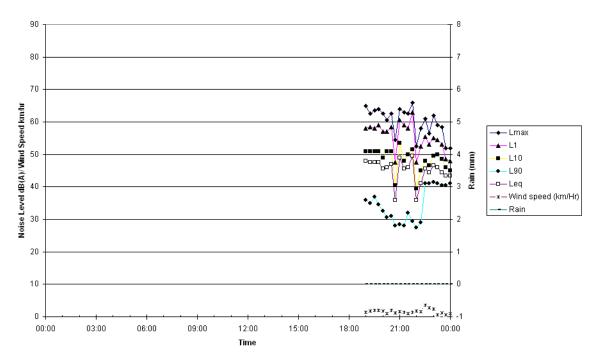
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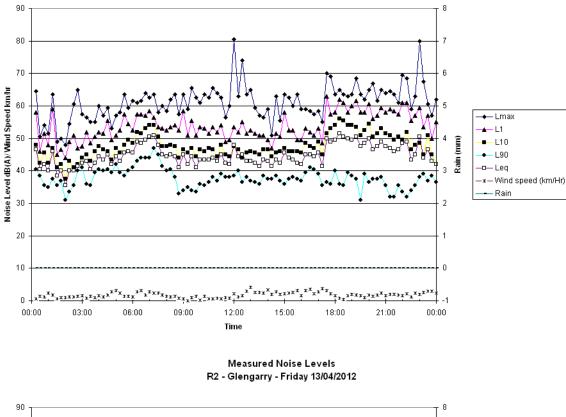




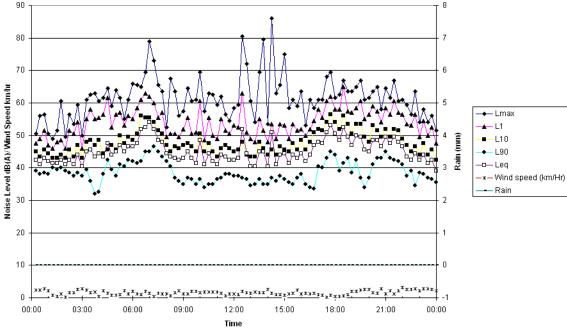
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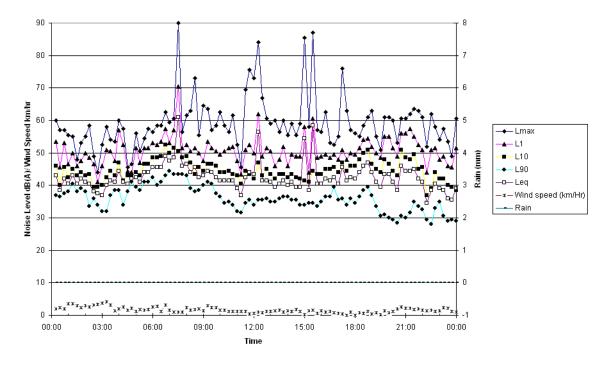
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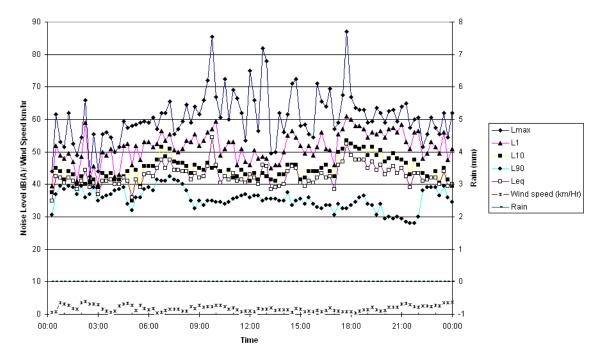
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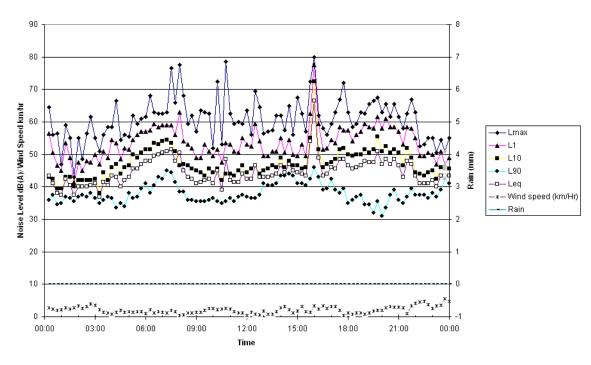




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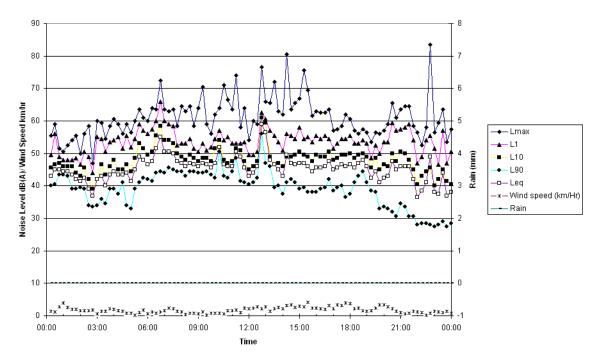
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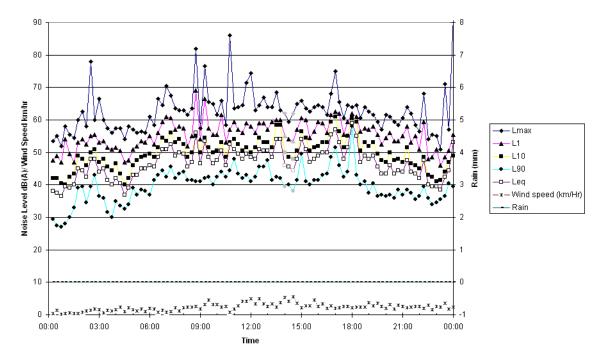




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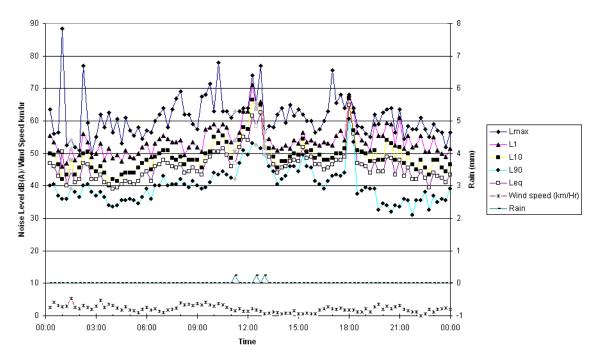
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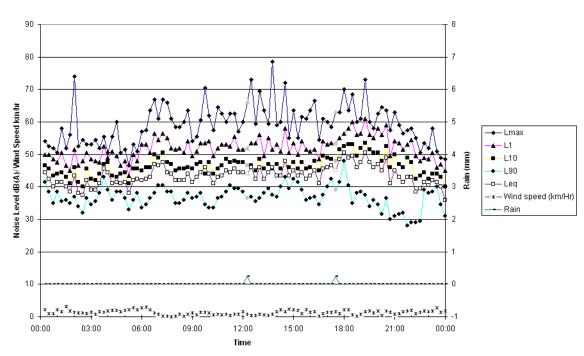




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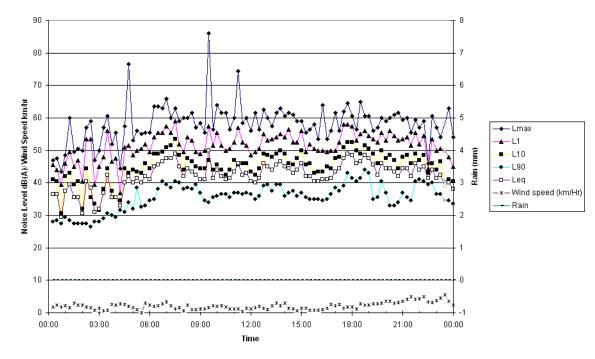
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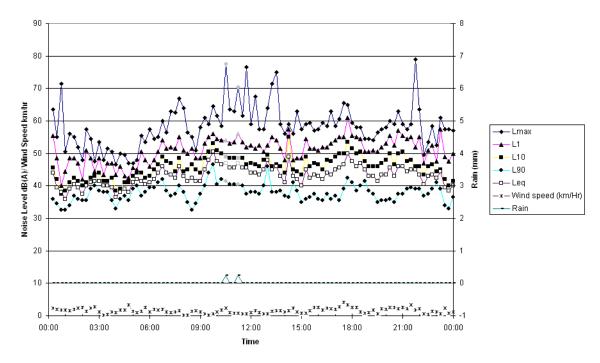




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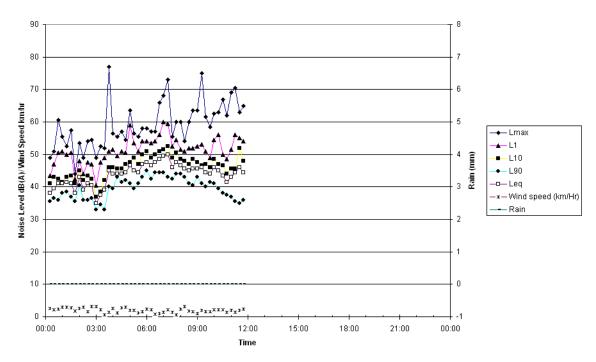
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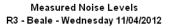


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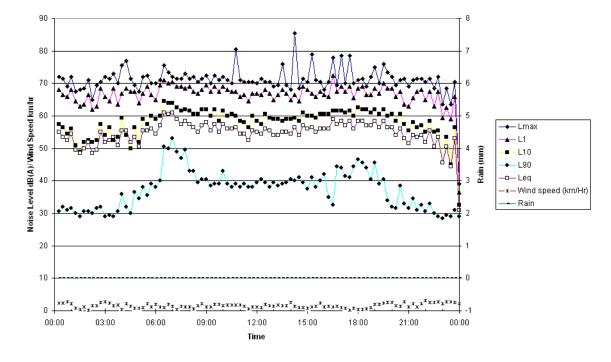


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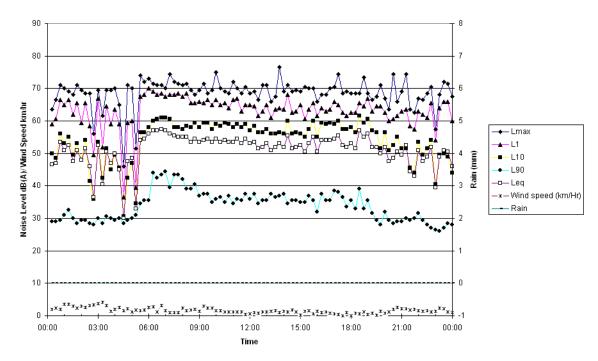


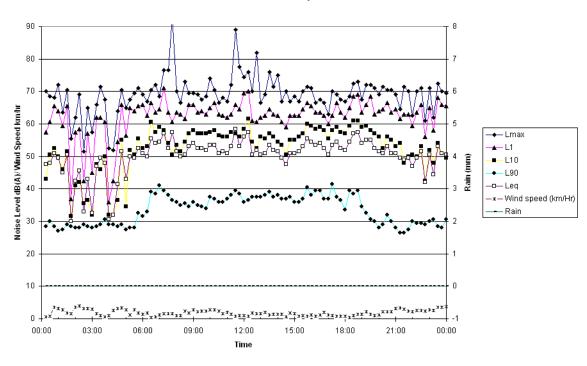
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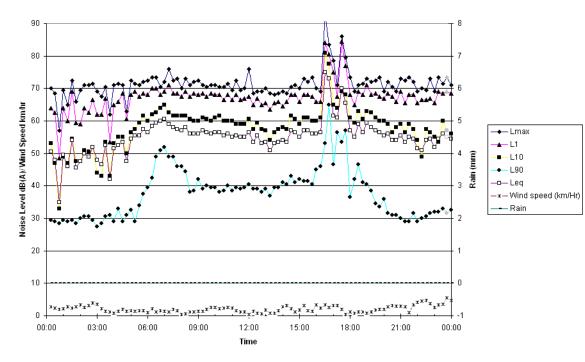
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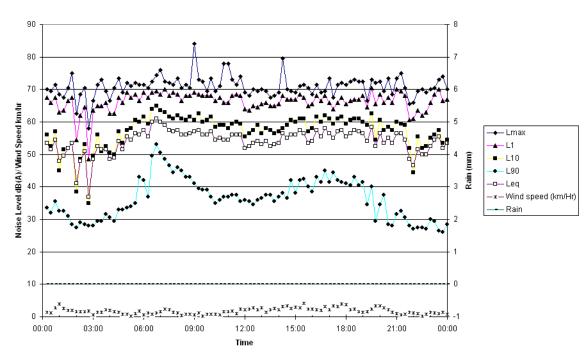




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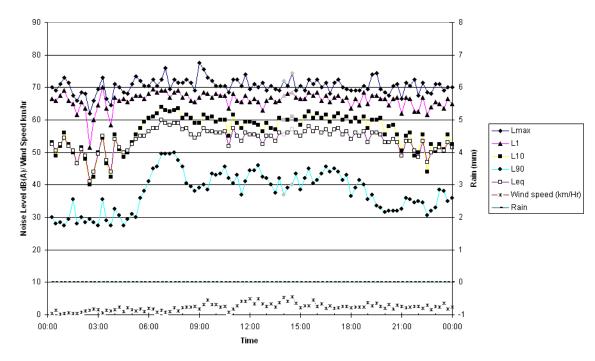
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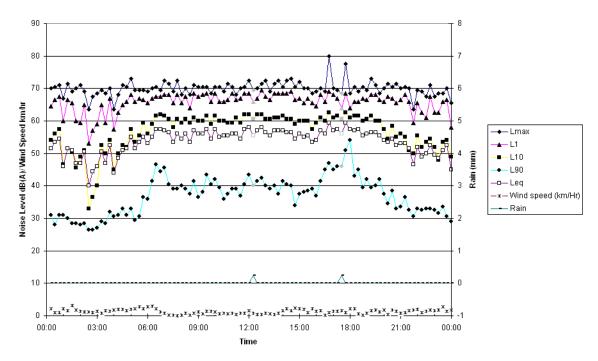
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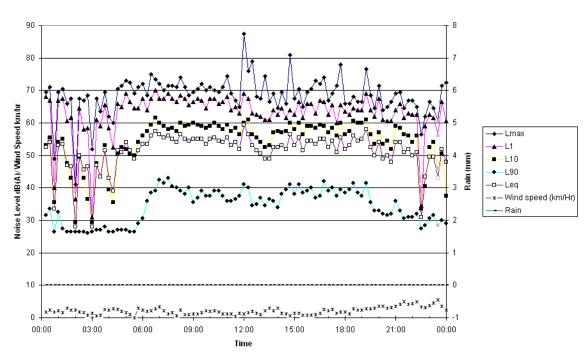


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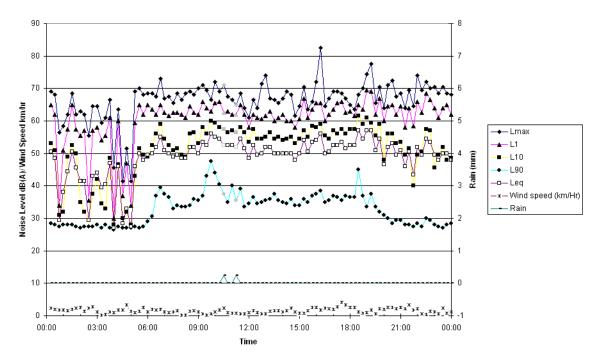
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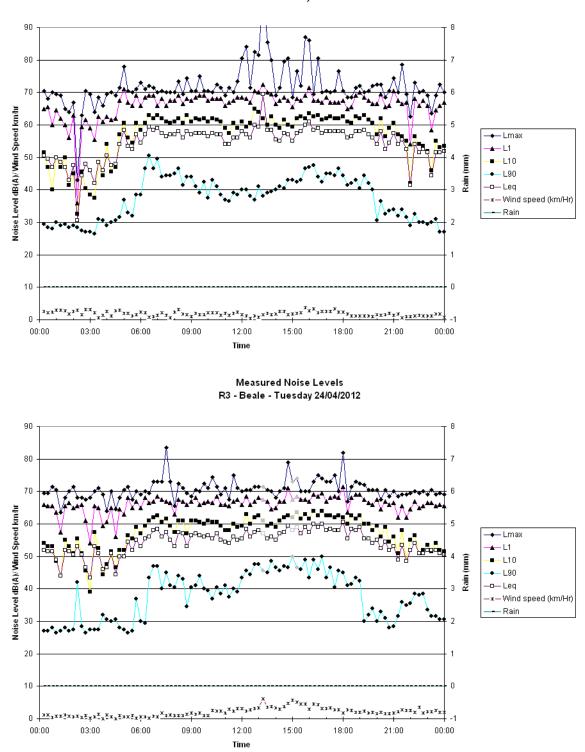




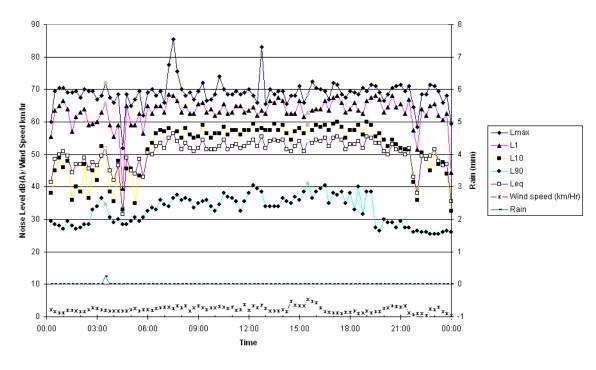
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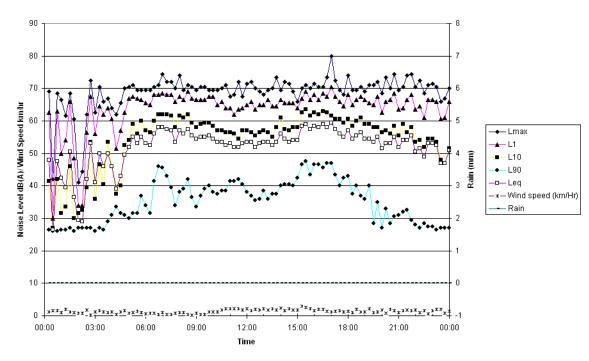


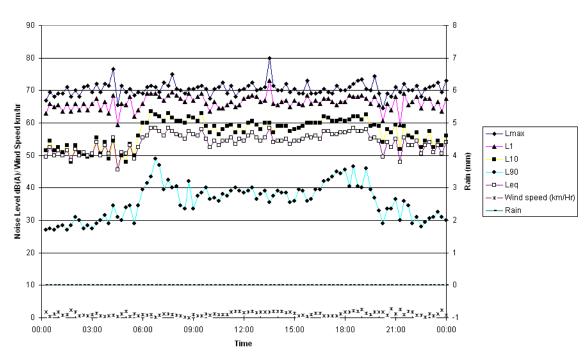
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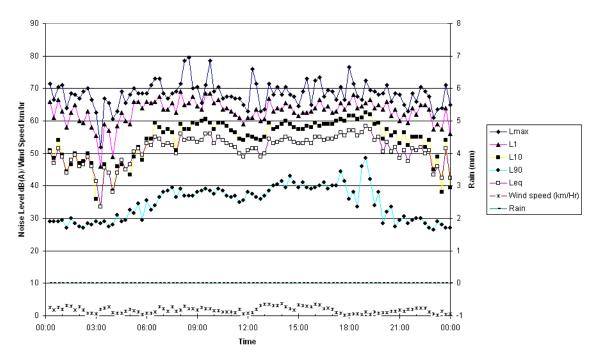
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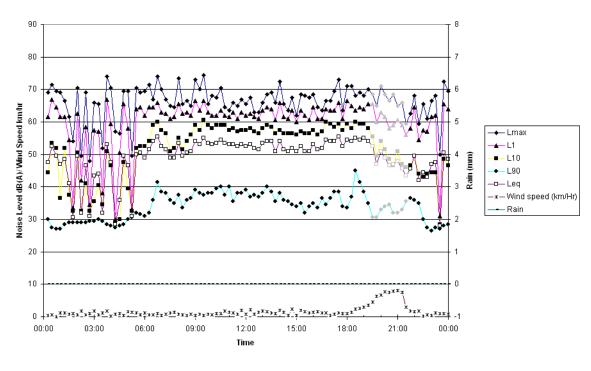




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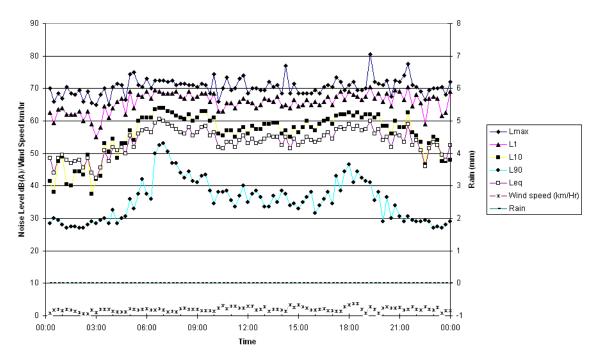
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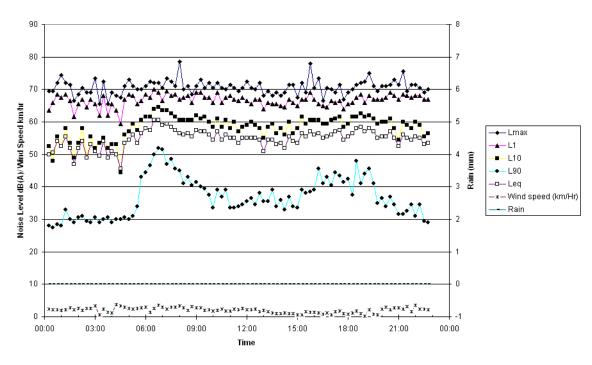




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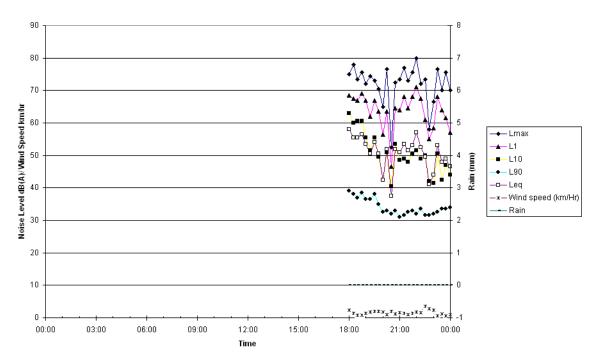
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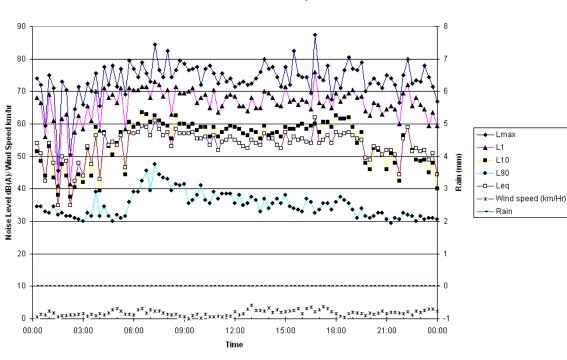




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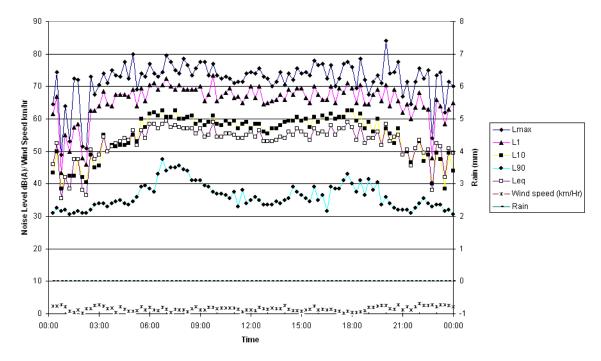
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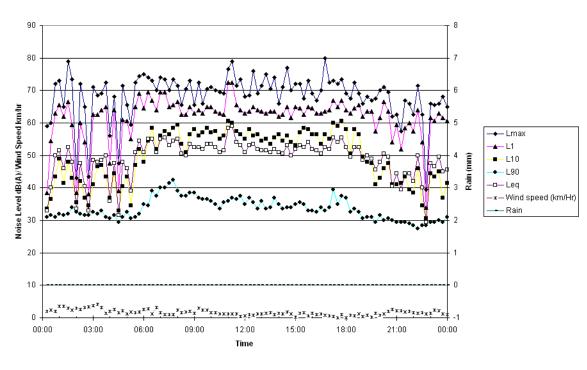




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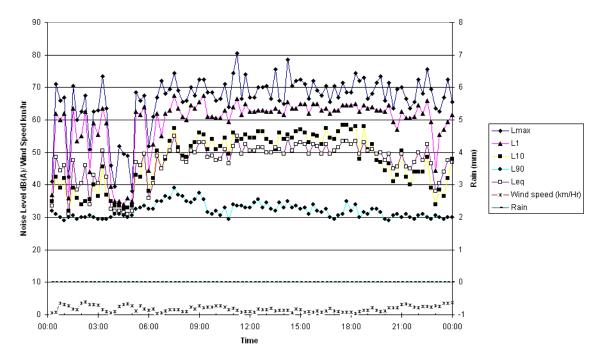
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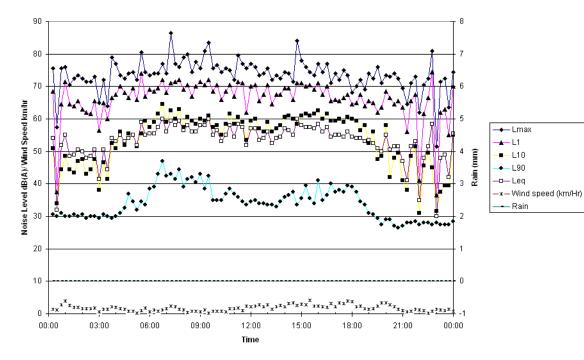
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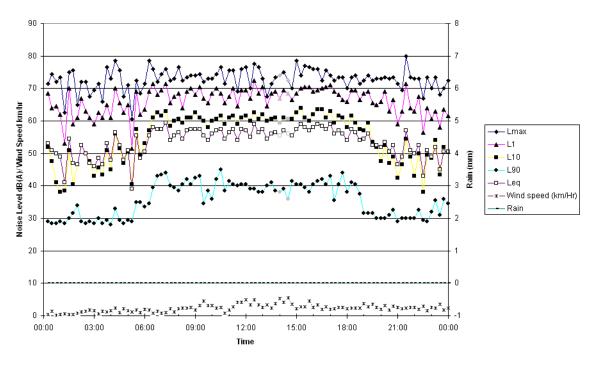


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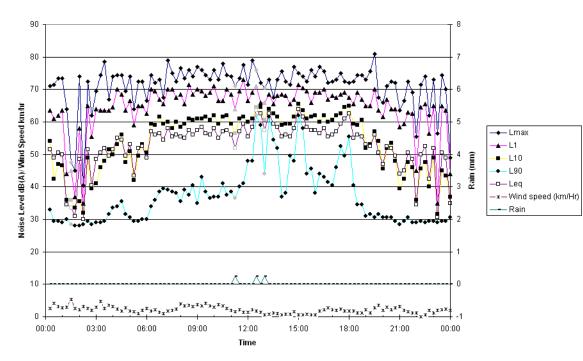
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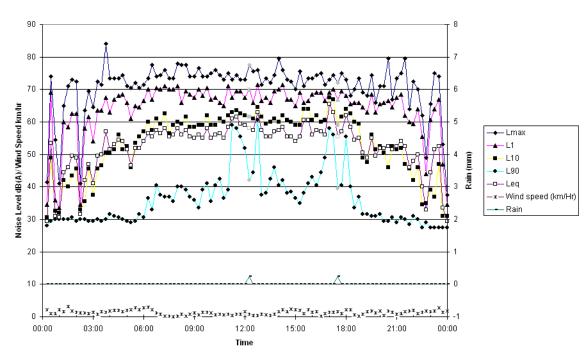




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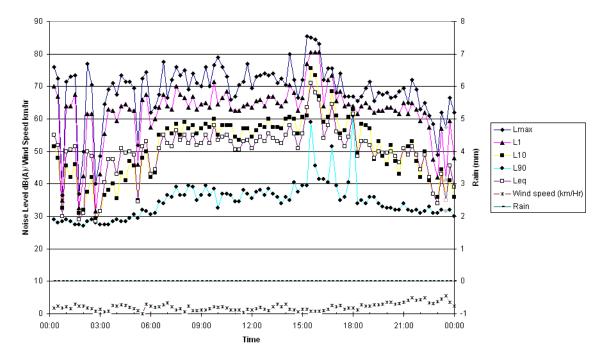
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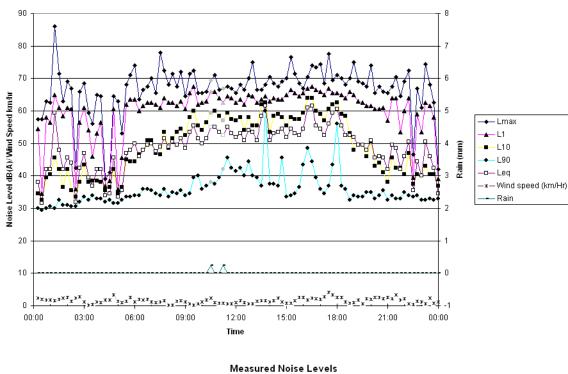




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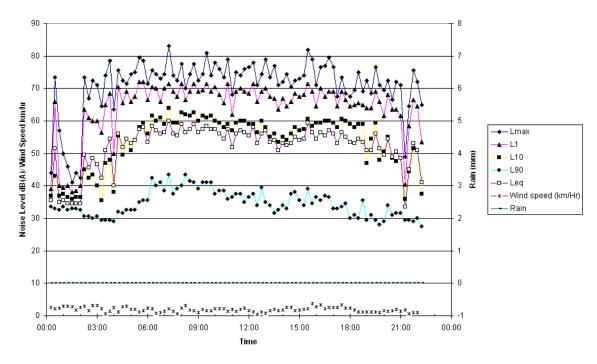
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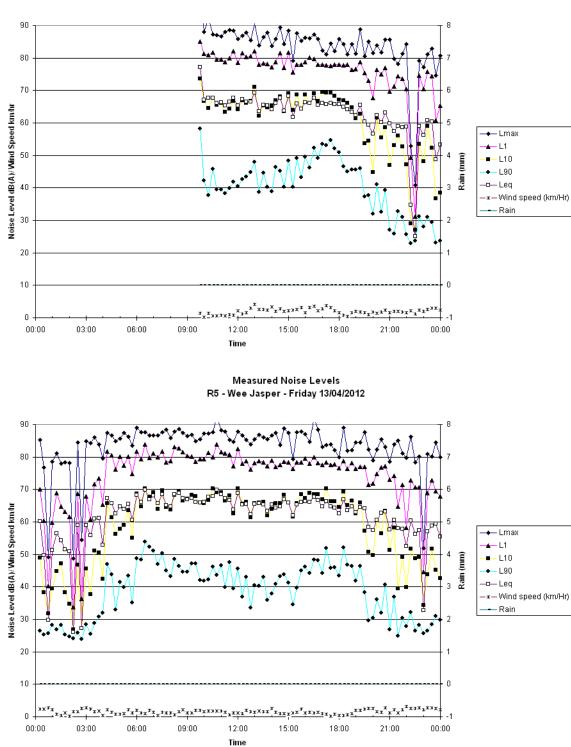




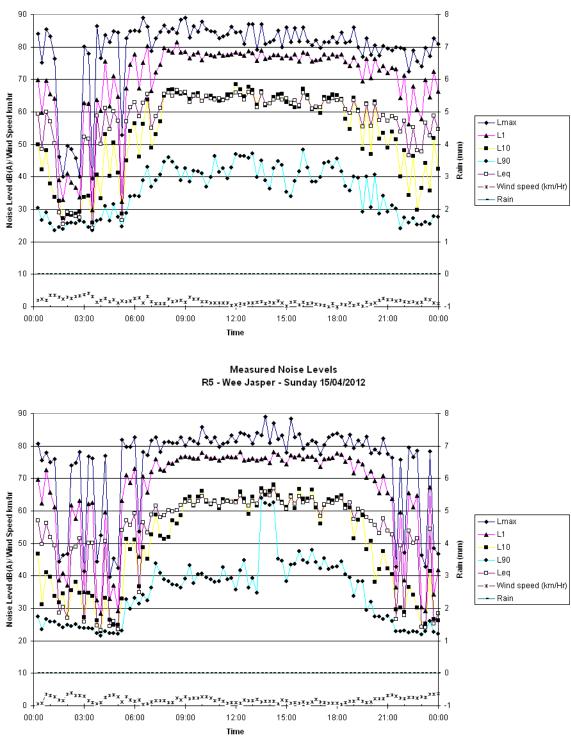
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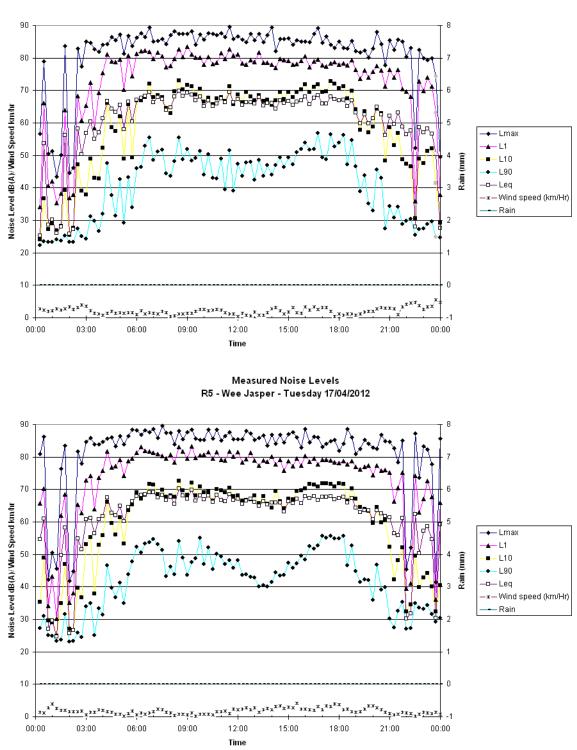




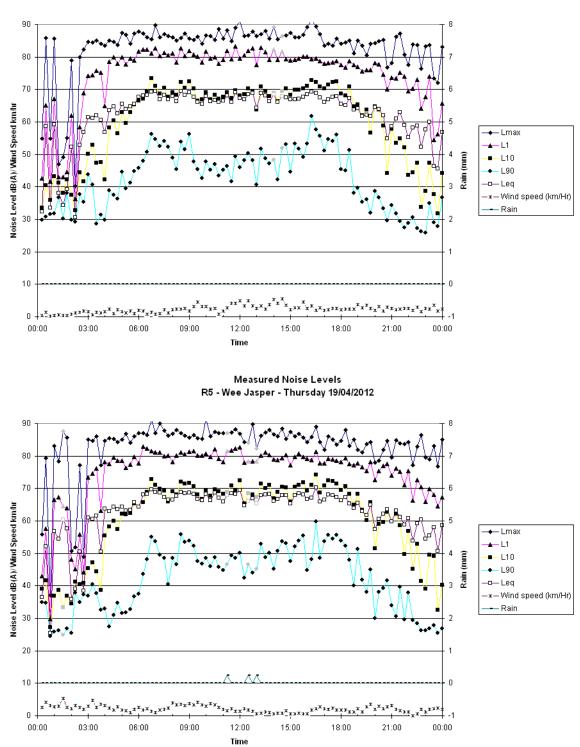
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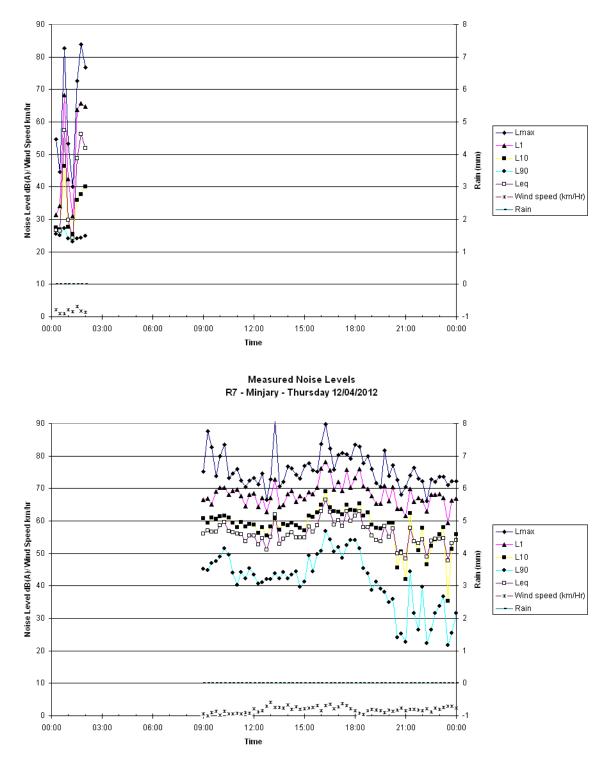


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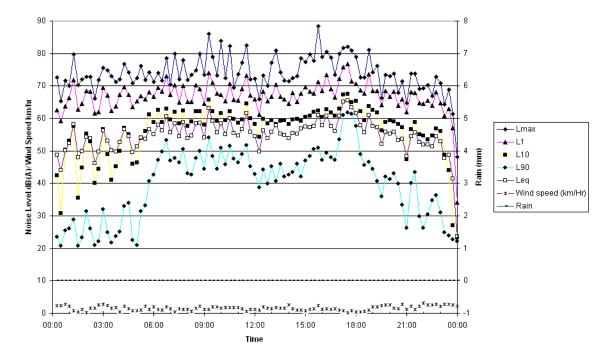


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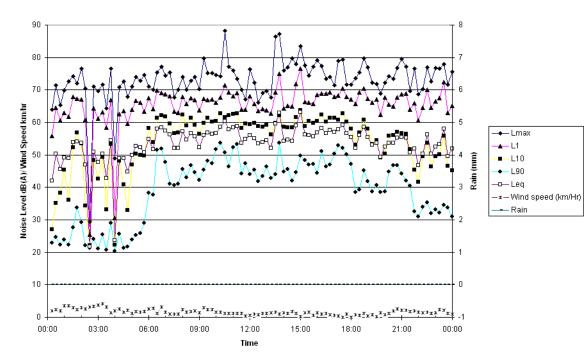
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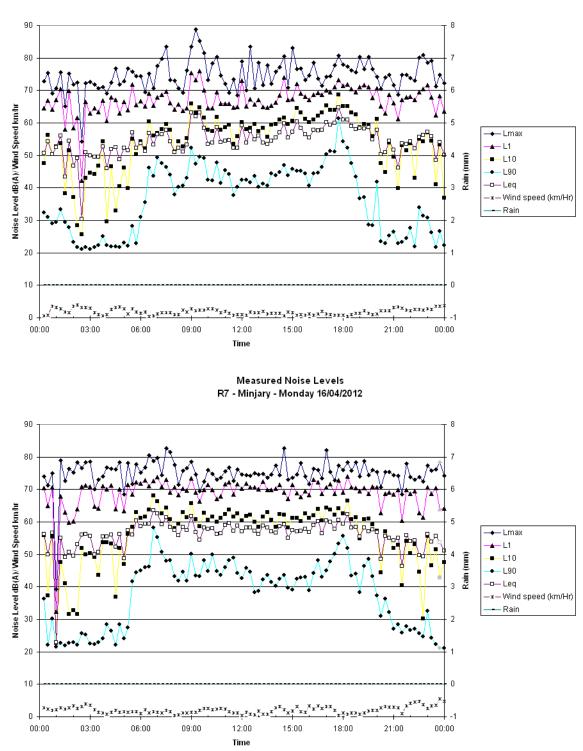


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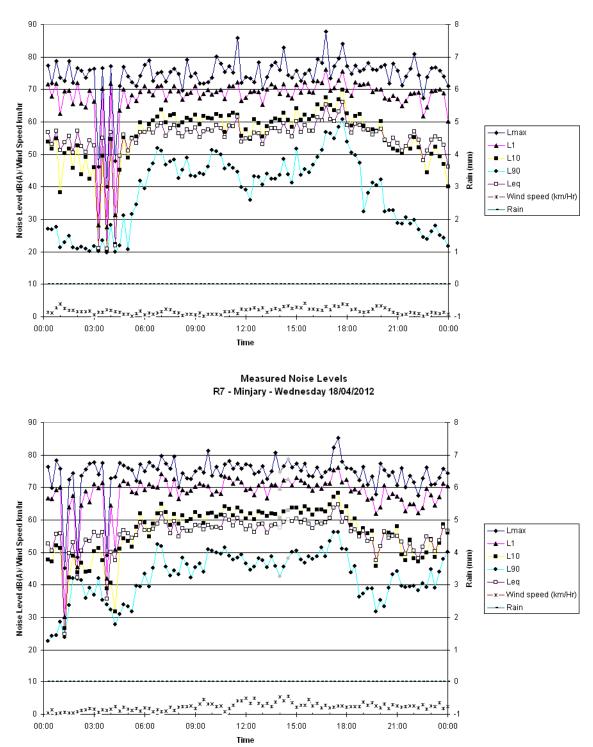


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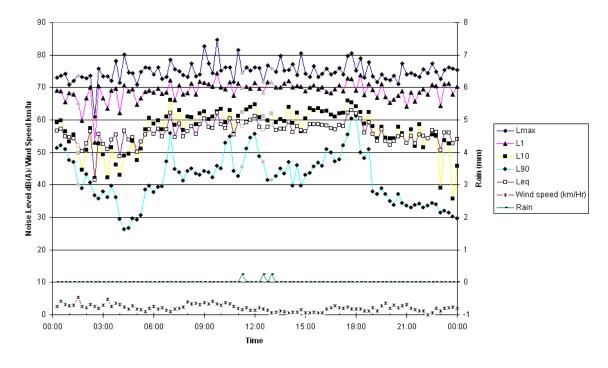


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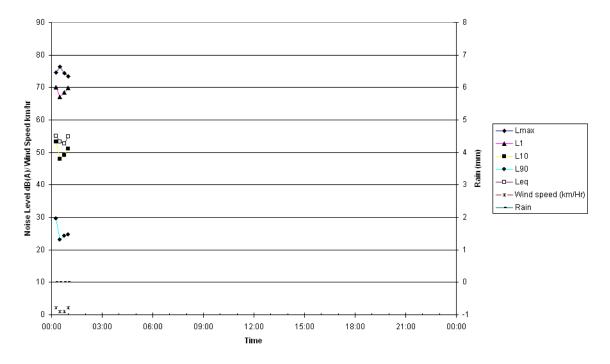


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Attachment 3: Calibration Certificates

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Manufacturer:	ARL		
Model No:	EL-215	Serial No:	194702
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Equipment Descriptio	n: Noise Logger
Manufacturer:	ARL
Model No:	EL-215 Serial No: 194682
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Filter Type:	- Serial No: -
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Owner:	Benbow Environmental 13 Daking Street North Parramatta NSW 2151
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Sound Level I	Meter Test Report
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Date of Test :	2/12/2011
Report Issue Date :	5/12/2011
Equipment Tested/ Model Number:	Ngara S-Pack Sound Acqusition System
Instrument Serial Number:	8780AE
Microphone Serial Number:	317855
Preamplifier Serial Number:	27982
Client Name :	Benbow Environmental
	13 Daking Street
	North Parramatta NSW 2151
Contact Name :	Daniel Albanese
Tested by :	Adrian Walker
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Date :	5 <sup>th</sup> December 2011
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