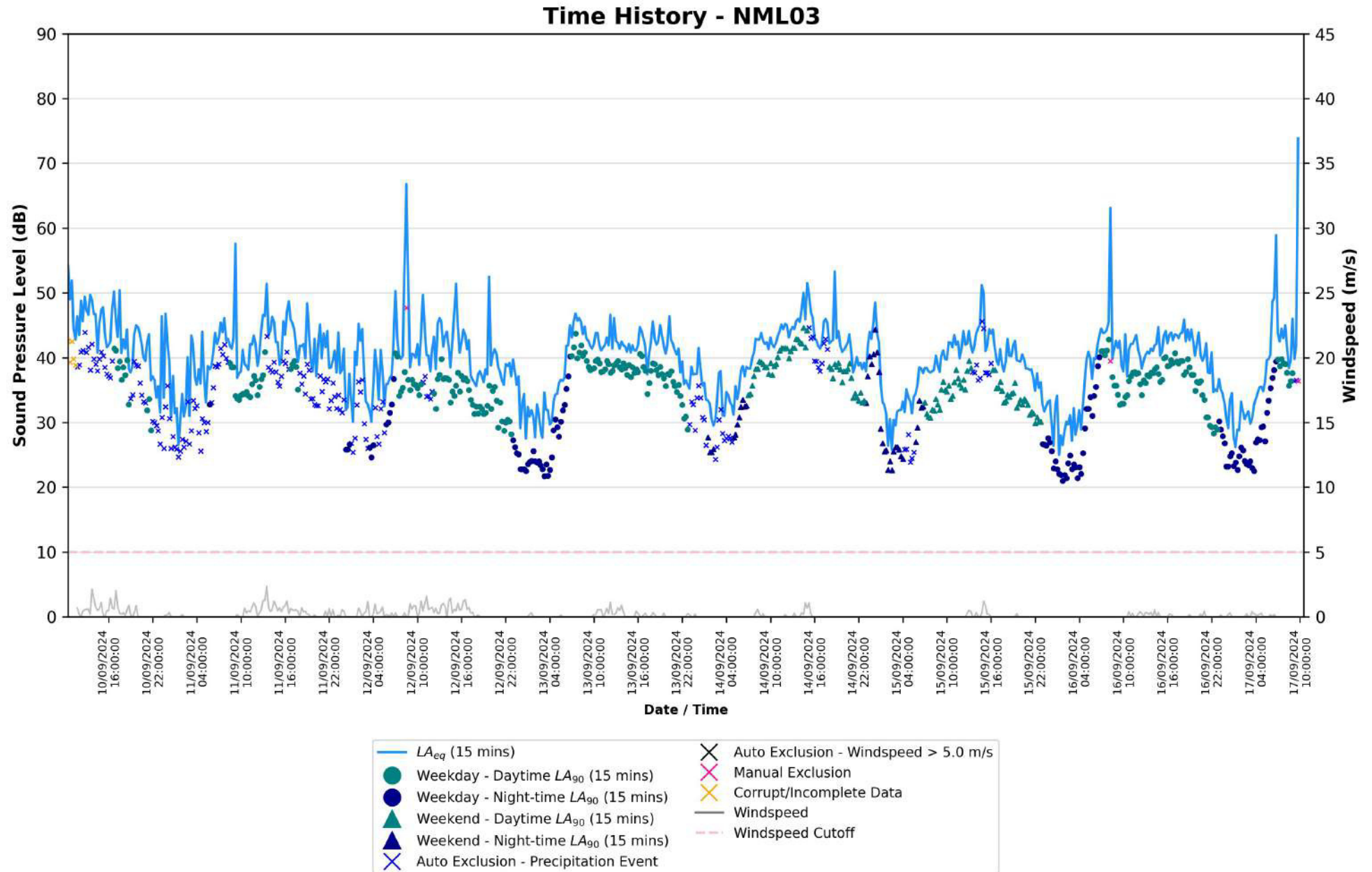
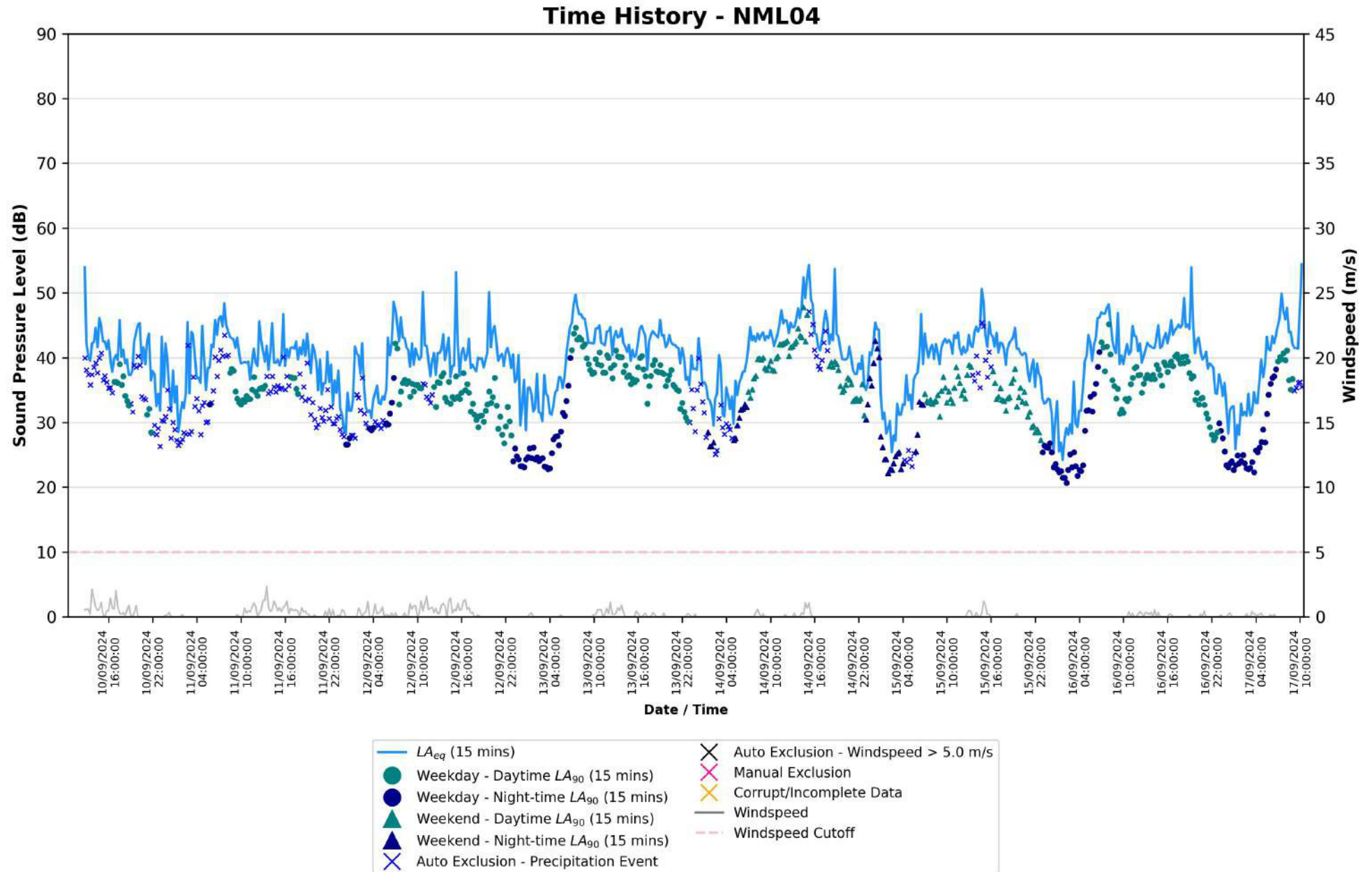


## 16819 - Fyrish BESS - Measured Sound Levels:

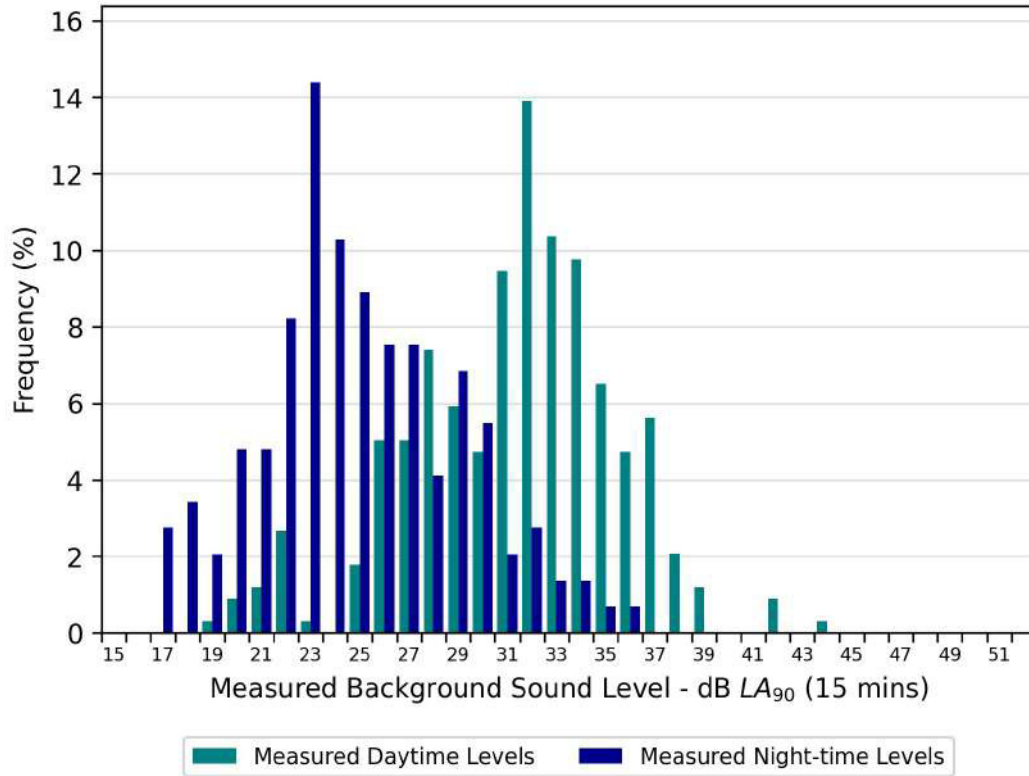


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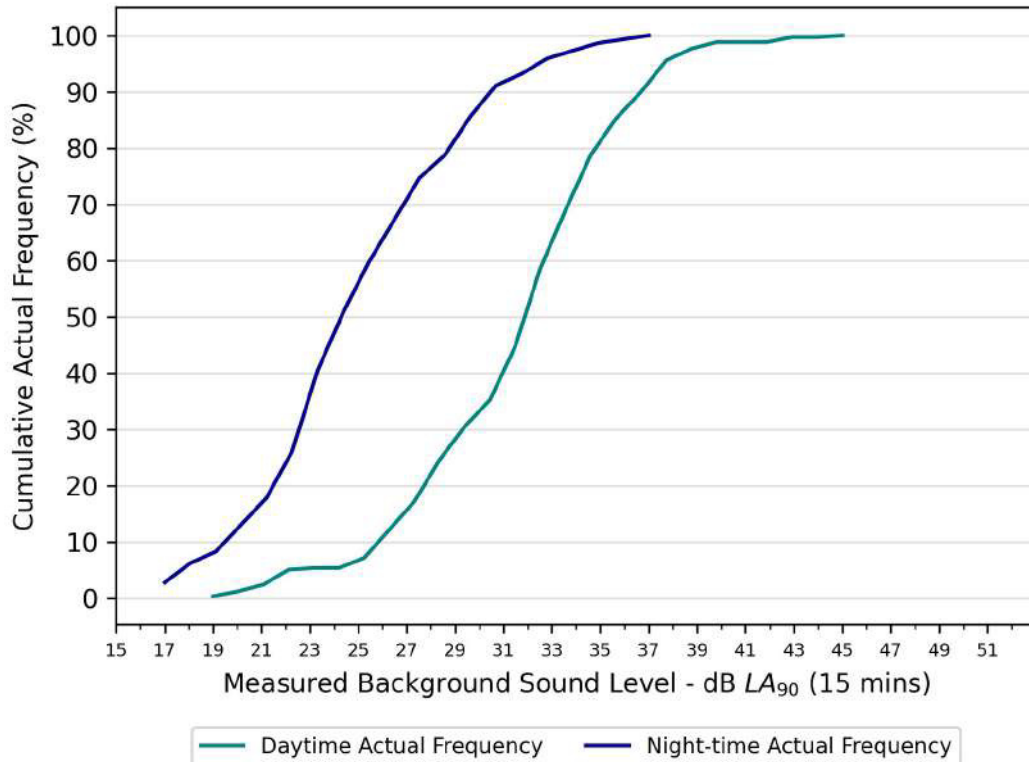


## 16819 - Fyrish BESS - Measured Sound Levels:

### Statistical Analysis - NML01

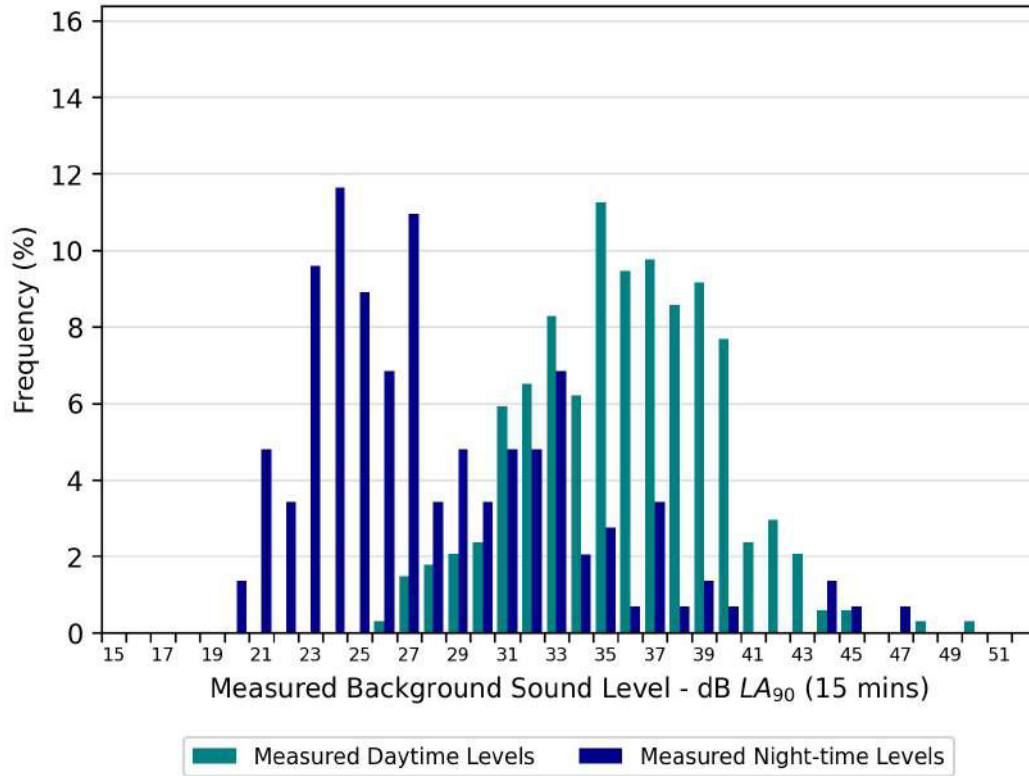


### Statistical Analysis - NML01

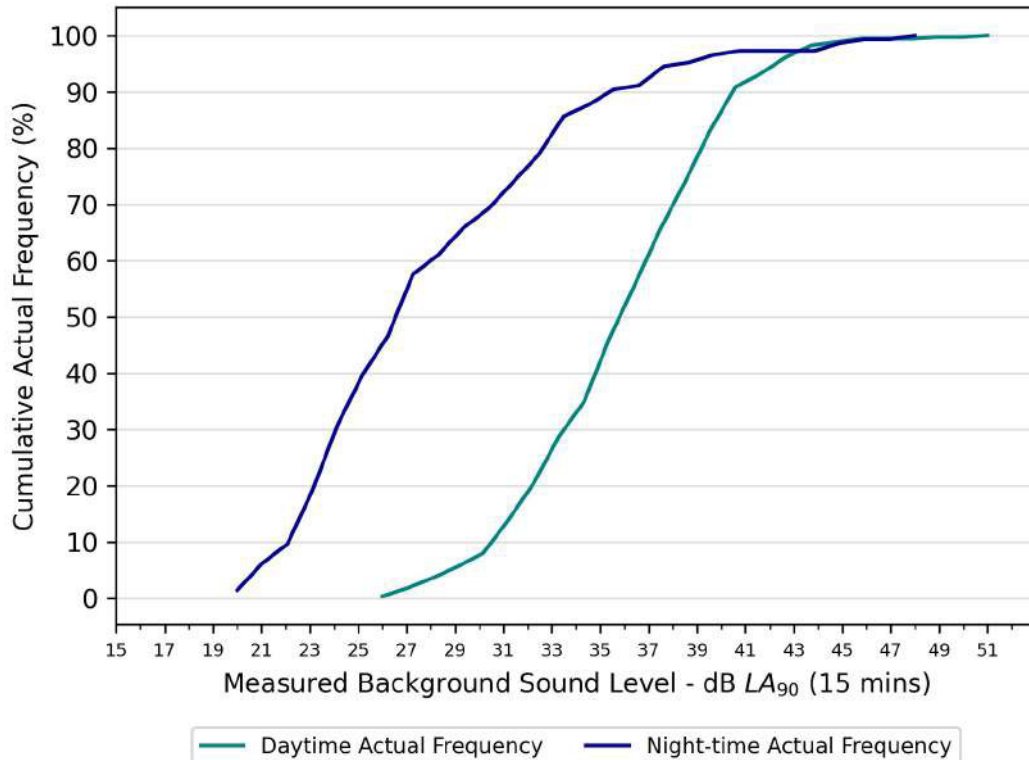


## 16819 - Fyrish BESS - Measured Sound Levels:

### Statistical Analysis - NML02

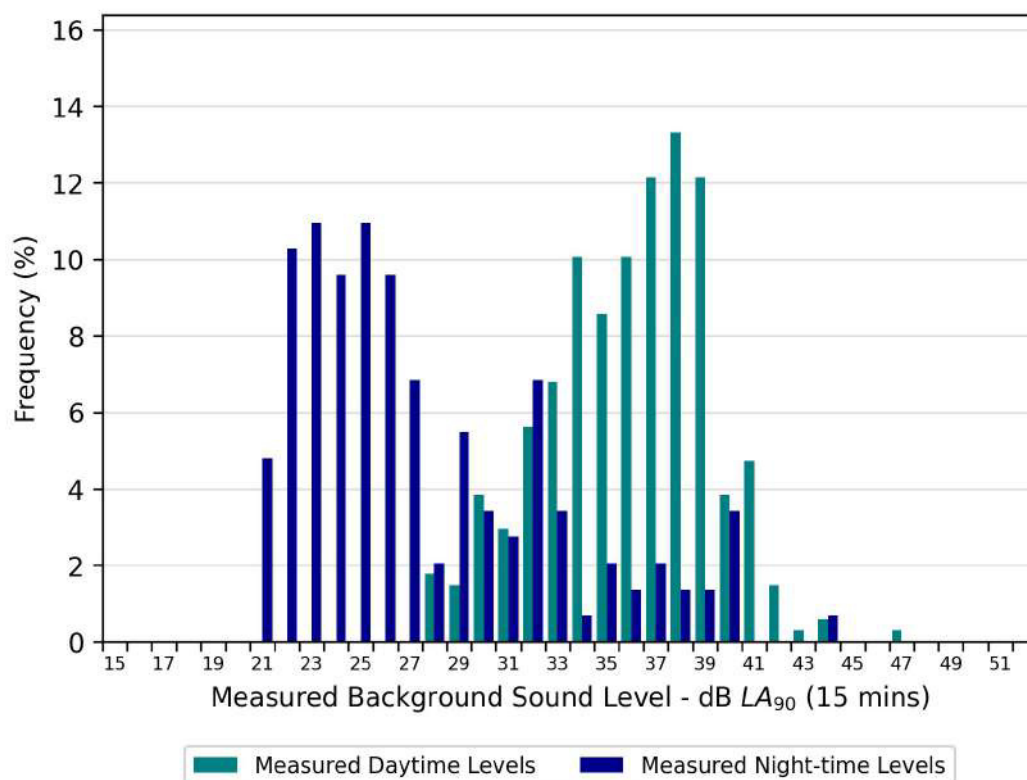


### Statistical Analysis - NML02

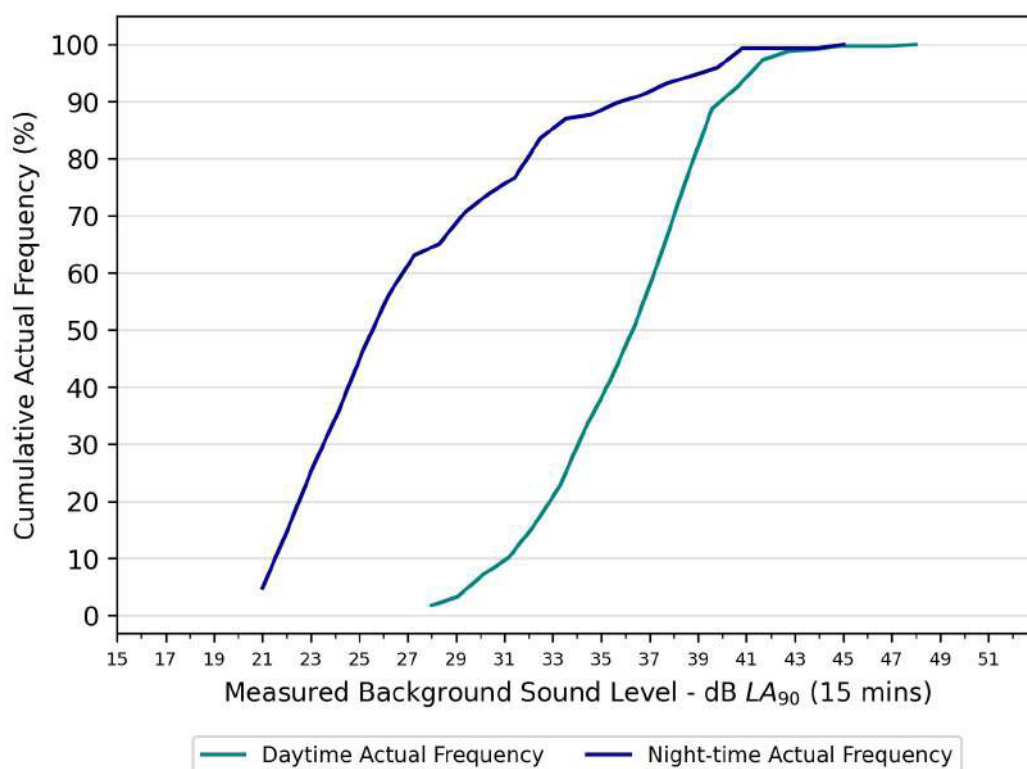


## 16819 - Fyrish BESS - Measured Sound Levels:

### Statistical Analysis - NML03

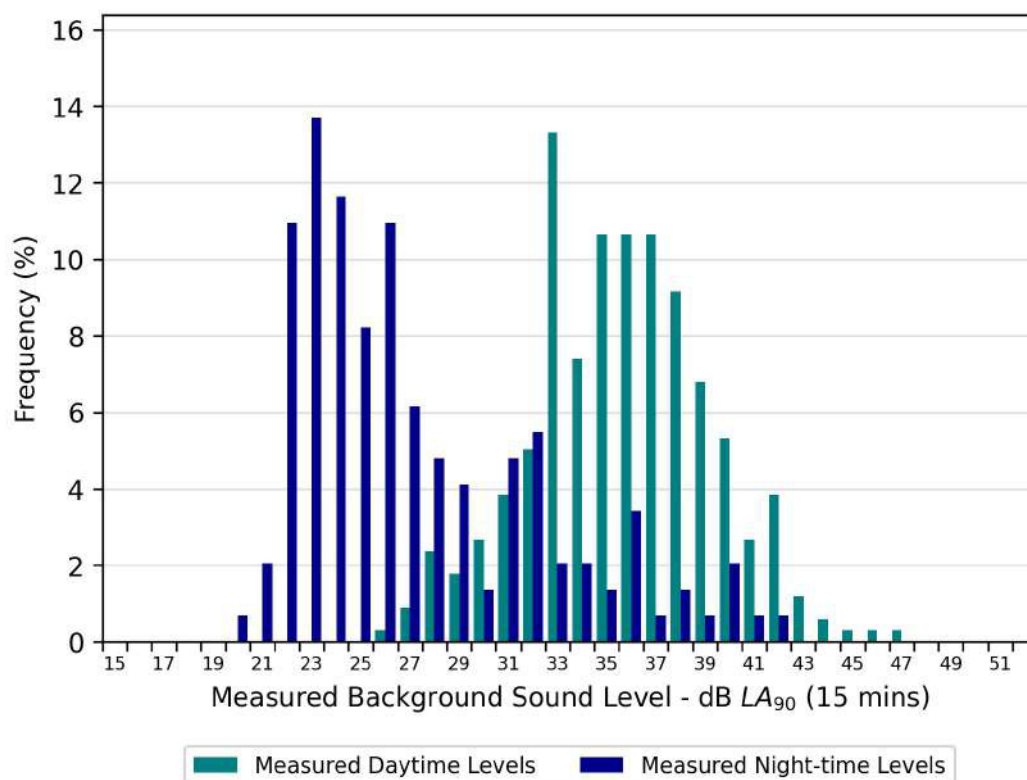


### Statistical Analysis - NML03

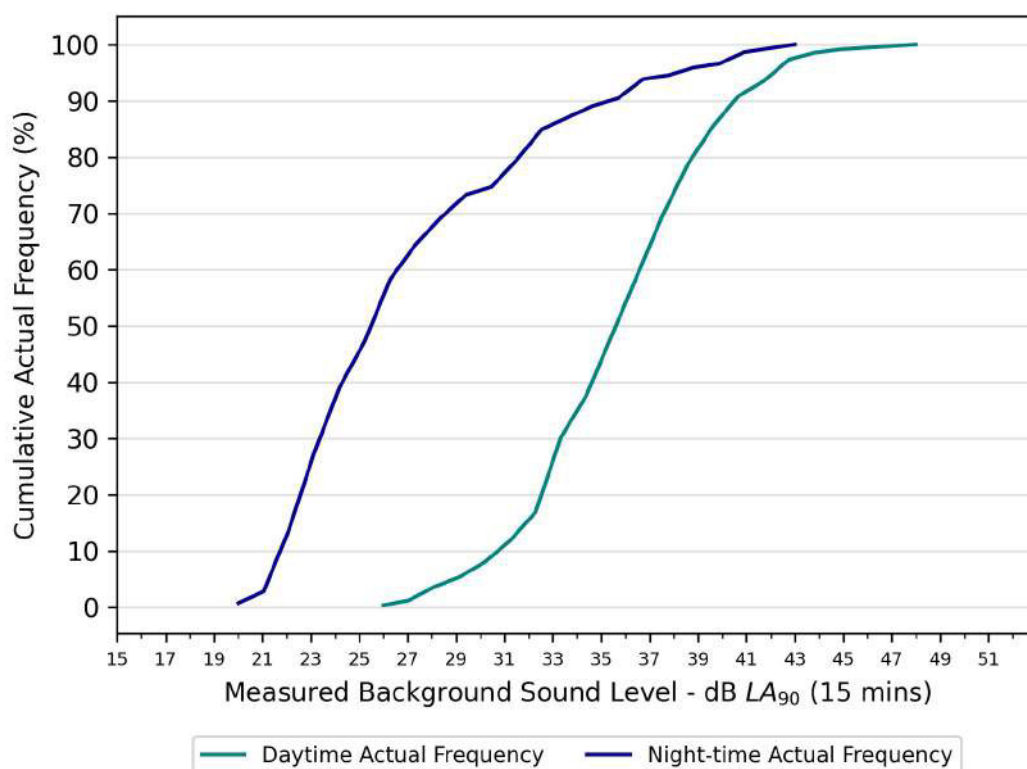


## 16819 - Fyrish BESS - Measured Sound Levels:

### Statistical Analysis - NML04



### Statistical Analysis - NML04



## 16819 - Fyrish BESS - Measured Sound Levels:

### Relevant Statistics

#### NML01

|            |                | COUNT | MEAN | MEDIAN | RANGE   |
|------------|----------------|-------|------|--------|---------|
| DAYTIME    | LA90 (15 MINS) | 334   | 32   | 32     | 20 - 43 |
|            | LAEQ (15 MINS) | 334   | 38   | 39     | 24 - 59 |
| NIGHT-TIME | LA90 (15 MINS) | 146   | 25   | 25     | 17 - 37 |
|            | LAEQ (15 MINS) | 146   | 30   | 28     | 18 - 50 |

#### NML02

|            |                | COUNT | MEAN | MEDIAN | RANGE   |
|------------|----------------|-------|------|--------|---------|
| DAYTIME    | LA90 (15 MINS) | 338   | 36   | 36     | 26 - 51 |
|            | LAEQ (15 MINS) | 338   | 42   | 42     | 31 - 60 |
| NIGHT-TIME | LA90 (15 MINS) | 146   | 29   | 27     | 21 - 48 |
|            | LAEQ (15 MINS) | 146   | 34   | 33     | 24 - 52 |

## 16819 - Fyrish BESS - Measured Sound Levels:

### Relevant Statistics

#### NML03

|            |                | COUNT | MEAN | MEDIAN | RANGE   |
|------------|----------------|-------|------|--------|---------|
| DAYTIME    | LA90 (15 MINS) | 336   | 36   | 37     | 28 - 45 |
|            | LAEQ (15 MINS) | 336   | 42   | 42     | 35 - 58 |
| NIGHT-TIME | LA90 (15 MINS) | 146   | 28   | 26     | 21 - 44 |
|            | LAEQ (15 MINS) | 146   | 34   | 33     | 25 - 59 |

#### NML04

|            |                | COUNT | MEAN | MEDIAN | RANGE   |
|------------|----------------|-------|------|--------|---------|
| DAYTIME    | LA90 (15 MINS) | 338   | 36   | 36     | 27 - 48 |
|            | LAEQ (15 MINS) | 338   | 42   | 42     | 34 - 54 |
| NIGHT-TIME | LA90 (15 MINS) | 146   | 28   | 26     | 21 - 43 |
|            | LAEQ (15 MINS) | 146   | 35   | 34     | 24 - 49 |

## Noise Monitoring Field Data Sheet



### MONITORING LOCATION

|  |   |
|--|---|
| Location Name  | NML01 – Fyrish House  |
| Description  | Representative of receptors to the northwest of the Proposed Development  |
| Comments   | Measurements were undertaken by TNEI to establish the baseline sound levels at the noise sensitive receptors surrounding the proposed Fyrish BESS site. The noise meter was located in a free field position, greater than 3.5 m from any hard reflecting surface excluding the ground. |
| Approximate National Grid Reference                              | 261831, 869003  |
| Survey Period  | 10/09/2024 – 17/09/2024   |
| Noise sources noted during installation, maintenance and removal | 8/8 oktas, raining. Main noise sources are rain induced and wind in foliage. Road noise audible.  |
| Notes  | Advanced Rion meter used. Kestrel and Rain Gauge installed.   |

### NOISE MONITORING EQUIPMENT DETAILS

| Survey            | Kit Number | Model      | Serial Number | Last Calibrated/<br>Conformance<br>Checked |
|-------------------|------------|------------|---------------|--|
| Sound Level Meter | SLM 030    | NL-52      | 00643022      | 14/02/2024                                 |
| Pre-Amplifier     | SLM 030    | NH-25      | 43050         | 14/02/2024                                 |
| Microphone        | SLM 030    | UC-59      | 06802         | 14/02/2024                                 |
| Calibrator        | Cal 002    | Rion NC-74 | 34973250      | 18/12/2023                                 |

### DATA

| File Name | Start Time              | End Time                | Cal. at Start | Cal. at End | Drift | Observations  |
|-----------|-------------------------|-------------------------|---------------|-------------|-------|---|
| 0101      | 11:45 BST<br>10/09/2024 | 10:38 BST<br>17/09/2024 | 94.0          | 94.0        | 0.0   | <p><u>10/09/2024:</u><br/>Birdsong, distant road traffic, rain induced noise, light wind in foliage</p> <p><u>17/09/2024</u><br/>Birdsong, distant road traffic, looks like grass has been cut and kit moved slightly</p> |

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## Noise Monitoring Field Data Sheet



### MONITORING LOCATION

|  |   |
|--|---|
| Location Name  | NML02 – South of The Dairy House  |
| Description  | Representative of receptors to the southwest of the Proposed Development  |
| Comments   | Measurements were undertaken by TNEI to establish the baseline sound levels at the noise sensitive receptors surrounding the proposed Fyrish BESS site. The noise meter was located in a free field position, greater than 3.5 m from any hard reflecting surface excluding the ground. |
| Approximate National Grid Reference                              | 262395, 868226  |
| Survey Period  | 10/09/2024 – 17/09/2024   |
| Noise sources noted during installation, maintenance and removal | 7/8 oktas. Heavy rain. Wind in foliage dominant source.   |
| Notes  | Standard Rion meter used.   |

### NOISE MONITORING EQUIPMENT DETAILS

| Survey            | Kit Number | Model      | Serial Number | Last Calibrated/<br>Conformance<br>Checked |
|-------------------|------------|------------|---------------|--|
| Sound Level Meter | SLM 058    | NL-52      | 00721000      | 22/08/2024                                 |
| Pre Amplifier     | SLM 058    | NH-25      | 22106         | 22/08/2024                                 |
| Microphone        | SLM 058    | UC-59      | 21938         | 22/08/2024                                 |
| Calibrator        | Cal 002    | Rion NC-74 | 34973250      | 18/12/2023                                 |

### DATA

| File Name | Start Time              | End Time                | Cal. at Start | Cal. at End | Drift | Observations   |
|-----------|-------------------------|-------------------------|---------------|-------------|-------|--|
| 0201      | 11:15 BST<br>10/09/2024 | 10:27 BST<br>17/09/2024 | 94.0          | 94.1        | 0.1   | <p><u>10/09/2024:</u><br/>Birdsong, distant road traffic, heavy rain.<br/>Wind in foliage dominant source.</p> <p><u>17/09/2024</u><br/>Distant road noise, bird song, light wind in foliage</p> |

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### MONITORING LOCATION

|  |   |
|--|---|
| Location Name  | NML03 – Lock Cottage (Clashnabuiac)   |
| Description  | Representative of receptors to the south of the Proposed Development  |
| Comments   | Measurements were undertaken by TNEI to establish the baseline sound levels at the noise sensitive receptors surrounding the proposed Fyrish BESS site. The noise meter was located in a free field position, greater than 3.5 m from any hard reflecting surface excluding the ground. |
| Approximate National Grid Reference                              | 262990, 868582  |
| Survey Period  | 10/09/2024 – 17/09/2024   |
| Noise sources noted during installation, maintenance and removal | 4/8 oktas. Light rain occasionally. Mostly wind in foliage. Quiet road noise in distance.   |
| Notes  | Advanced Rion meter used.   |

### NOISE MONITORING EQUIPMENT DETAILS

| Survey            | Kit Number | Model      | Serial Number | Last Calibrated/<br>Conformance<br>Checked |
|-------------------|------------|------------|---------------|--|
| Sound Level Meter | SLM 032    | NL-52      | 00643024      | 03/01/2024                                 |
| Pre Amplifier     | SLM 032    | NH-25      | 43052         | 03/01/2024                                 |
| Microphone        | SLM 032    | UC-59      | 06804         | 03/01/2024                                 |
| Calibrator        | Cal 002    | Rion NC-74 | 34973250      | 18/12/2023                                 |

### DATA

| File Name | Start Time              | End Time               | Cal. at Start | Cal. at End | Drift | Observations  |
|-----------|-------------------------|------------------------|---------------|-------------|-------|---|
| 0301      | 10:30 BST<br>10/09/2024 | 9:52 BST<br>17/09/2024 | 94.0          | 94.1        | 0.1   | <u>10/09/2024:</u><br>Birdsong, distant road traffic. Light rain, mostly wind in foliage.<br><br><u>17/09/2024</u><br>Birdsong, distant road traffic, industrial machinery noise audible but not constant |

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## Noise Monitoring Field Data Sheet



### MONITORING LOCATION

|  |   |
|--|---|
| Location Name  | NML04 – Wester Contullich   |
| Description  | Representative of receptors to the northeast of the Proposed Development  |
| Comments   | Measurements were undertaken by TNEI to establish the baseline sound levels at the noise sensitive receptors surrounding the proposed Fyrish BESS site. The noise meter was located in a free field position, greater than 3.5 m from any hard reflecting surface excluding the ground. |
| Approximate National Grid Reference                              | 263142, 869202  |
| Survey Period  | 10/09/2024 – 17/09/2024   |
| Noise sources noted during installation, maintenance and removal | Birdsong, distant road traffic, wind in foliage   |
| Notes  | Advanced Rion meter used.   |

### NOISE MONITORING EQUIPMENT DETAILS

| Survey            | Kit Number | Model      | Serial Number | Last Calibrated/<br>Conformance<br>Checked |
|-------------------|------------|------------|---------------|--|
| Sound Level Meter | SLM 055    | NL-52      | 00520923      | 05/08/2024                                 |
| Pre Amplifier     | SLM 055    | NH-25      | 11770         | 05/08/2024                                 |
| Microphone        | SLM 055    | UC-59      | 21320         | 05/08/2024                                 |
| Calibrator        | Cal 002    | Rion NC-74 | 34973250      | 18/12/2023                                 |

### DATA

| File Name | Start Time              | End Time                | Cal. at Start | Cal. at End | Drift | Observations  |
|-----------|-------------------------|-------------------------|---------------|-------------|-------|---|
| 0401      | 12:45 BST<br>10/09/2024 | 10:15 BST<br>17/09/2024 | 94.0          | 94.1        | 0.1   | <p><u>10/09/2024:</u><br/>Birdsong. Distant road traffic. Wind in foliage</p> <p><u>17/09/2024</u><br/>Birdsong, road traffic noise dominant, light wind in foliage, distant aircraft overhead.</p> |

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# CERTIFICATE OF CALIBRATION



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**Date of Issue: 18 December 2023**

**Certificate Number: UCRT23/2584**

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Customer TNEI  
7th Floor West One  
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NE1 3PA

Order No. 5001

Test Procedure Procedure TP 1 Calibration of Sound Calibrators

Description Acoustic Calibrator

| Identification | Manufacturer | Instrument | Model | Serial No. |
|----------------|--------------|------------|-------|------------|
|                | Rion         | Calibrator | NC-74 | 34973250   |

The calibrator has been tested as specified in Annex B of IEC 60942:2003. As public evidence was available from a testing organisation (PTB) responsible for approving the results of pattern evaluation tests, to demonstrate that the model of sound calibrator fully conformed to the requirements for pattern evaluation described in Annex A of IEC 60942:2003, the sound calibrator tested is considered to conform to all the class 1 requirements of IEC 60942:2003.

ANV Job No. UKAS23/12850

Date Received 14 December 2023

Date Calibrated 18 December 2023

|                      |                 |                 |
|----------------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| Previous Certificate | Dated           | 19 January 2023 |
|                      | Certificate No. | UCRT23/1090     |
|                      | Laboratory      | 0653            |

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## Measurements

The sound pressure level generated by the calibrator in its WS2 configuration was measured five times by the Insert Voltage Method using a microphone as detailed below. The mean of the results obtained is shown below. It is corrected to the standard atmospheric pressure of 101.3 kPa (1013 mBar) using original manufacturers information.

| Test Microphone | Manufacturer | Type |
|-----------------|--------------|------|
|                 | Brüel & Kjær | 4134 |

## Results

The level of the calibrator output under the conditions outlined above was

94.01 ± 0.10 dB rel 20 µPa

## Functional Tests and Observations

|   |                          |
|---|--------------------------|
| The frequency of the sound produced was | 1002.88 ± 0.12 Hz        |
| The total distortion was                | 1.07 ± 0.08 % Distortion |

During the measurements environmental conditions were

|                     |                    |
|---------------------|--------------------|
| Temperature         | 22 to 23 °C        |
| Relative Humidity   | 36 to 45 %         |
| Barometric Pressure | 101.7 to 101.8 kPa |

The reported expanded uncertainty is based on a standard uncertainty multiplied by a coverage factor k=2, providing a coverage probability of approximately 95%. The uncertainty evaluation has been carried out in accordance with UKAS requirements.

The uncertainties refer to the measured values only with no account being taken of the ability of the instrument to maintain its calibration.

A small correction factor may need to be applied to the sound pressure level quoted above if the device is used to calibrate a sound level meter which is fitted with a free-field response microphone. See manufacturers handbook for details.

..... END .....

### Note:

|   |        |
|---|--------|
| Calibrator adjusted prior to calibration? | NO     |
| Initial Level                             | N/A dB |
| Initial Frequency                         | N/A Hz |

Additional Comments The results on this certificate only relate to the items calibrated as identified above.

None

Calibrated by:



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**Customer** TNEI  
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**Order No.** 5001  
**Description** Sound Level Meter / Pre-amp / Microphone / Associated Calibrator  
**Identification**

| Manufacturer | Instrument                            | Type  | Serial No. / Version |
|--------------|---------------------------------------|-------|----------------------|
| Rion         | Sound Level Meter                     | NL-52 | 00643022             |
| Rion         | Firmware                              |       | 2.0                  |
| Rion         | Pre Amplifier                         | NH-25 | 43050                |
| Rion         | Microphone                            | UC-59 | 06802                |
| Rion         | Calibrator                            | NC-74 | 34762316             |
|              | Calibrator adaptor type if applicable |       | NC-74-002            |

**Performance Class** 1

**Test Procedure** TP 2.SLM 61672-3 TPS-49

*Procedures from IEC 61672-3:2006 were used to perform the periodic tests.*

**Type Approved to IEC 61672-1:2002** YES **Approval Number** 21.21 / 13.02

*If YES above there is public evidence that the SLM has successfully completed the applicable pattern evaluation tests of IEC 61672-2:2003*

**Date Received** 13 February 2024

**ANV Job No.** TRAC24/02069

**Date Calibrated** 14 February 2024

The sound level meter submitted for testing has successfully completed the class 1 periodic tests of IEC 61672-3:2006, for the environmental conditions under which the tests were performed. As public evidence was available, from an independent testing organisation responsible for approving the results of pattern evaluation tests performed in accordance with IEC 61672-2:2003, to demonstrate that the model of sound level meter fully conformed to the requirements in IEC 61672-1:2002, the sound level meter submitted for testing conforms to the class 1 requirements of IEC 61672-1:2002.

**Previous Certificate**

**Dated**

17 November 2021

**Certificate No.**

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**Laboratory**

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Sound Level Meter Instruction manual and data used to adjust the sound levels indicated.

|  |                         |  |
|--|-------------------------|--|
| SLM instruction manual title   | Sound Level Meter       | NL-42 / NL-52                              |
| SLM instruction manual ref / issue                                       |                         | 11-03                                      |
| SLM instruction manual source  | Manufacturer            |  |
| Internet download date if applicable                                     | N/A                     |  |
| Case corrections available   | Yes                     |  |
| Uncertainties of case corrections  | Yes                     |  |
| Source of case data  | Manufacturer            |  |
| Wind screen corrections available  | Yes                     |  |
| Uncertainties of wind screen corrections                                 | Yes                     |  |
| Source of wind screen data   | Manufacturer            |  |
| Mic pressure to free field corrections                                   | Yes                     |  |
| Uncertainties of Mic to F.F. corrections                                 | Yes                     |  |
| Source of Mic to F.F. corrections  | Manufacturer            |  |
| Total expanded uncertainties within the requirements of IEC 61672-1:2002 | Yes                     |  |
| Specified or equivalent Calibrator                                       | Specified               |  |
| Customer or Lab Calibrator   | Customers Calibrator    |  |
| Calibrator adaptor type if applicable                                    | NC-74-002               |  |
| Calibrator cal. date   | 14 February 2024        |  |
| Calibrator cert. number  | UCRT24/1237             |  |
| Calibrator cal cert issued by  | ANV Measurement Systems |  |
| Calibrator SPL @ STP   | 94.03 dB                | Calibration reference sound pressure level |
| Calibrator frequency   | 1002.41 Hz              | Calibration check frequency                |
| Reference level range  | 25 - 130 dB             |  |

Accessories used or corrected for during calibration - None

Note - if a pre-amp extension cable is listed then it was used between the SLM and the pre-amp.

| Environmental conditions during tests | Start  | End    |            |
|---------------------------------------|--------|--------|------------|
| Temperature                           | 23.03  | 22.89  | ± 0.30 °C  |
| Humidity                              | 52.9   | 49.8   | ± 3.00 %RH |
| Ambient Pressure                      | 100.03 | 100.07 | ± 0.03 kPa |

Response to associated Calibrator at the environmental conditions above.

|  |         |                          |         |
|--|---------|--------------------------|---------|
| Initial indicated level  | 94.0 dB | Adjusted indicated level | 94.0 dB |
| The uncertainty of the associated calibrator supplied with the sound level meter ± |         |                          | 0.10 dB |

Self Generated Noise This test is currently not performed by this Lab.

|  |        |             |
|--|--------|-------------|
| Microphone installed (if requested by customer) = Less Than    | N/A dB | A Weighting |
| Uncertainty of the microphone installed self generated noise ± | N/A dB |             |

|  |      |    |    |                            |    |      |      |    |    |
|--|------|----|----|----------------------------|----|------|------|----|----|
| Microphone replaced with electrical input device -   |      |    |    | UR = Under Range indicated |    |      |      |    |    |
| Weighting  | A    |    |    | C                          |    |      | Z    |    |    |
|  | 12.9 | dB | UR | 16.7                       | dB | UR   | 22.3 | dB | UR |
| Uncertainty of the electrical self generated noise ± |      |    |    |                            |    | 0.12 |      | dB |    |

The reported expanded uncertainty is based on a standard uncertainty multiplied by a coverage factor k=2, providing a coverage probability of approximately 95%. The uncertainty evaluation has been carried out in accordance with the Guide to the Expression of Uncertainty in Measurement published by ISO.

For the test of the frequency weightings as per paragraph 12. of IEC 61672-3:2006 the actual microphone free field response was used.

The acoustical frequency tests of a frequency weighting as per paragraph 11 of IEC 61672-3:2006 were carried out using an electrostatic actuator.

END

Calibrated by: [REDACTED]

Additional Comments

The instrument was realigned due to 1.4dB drift in calibration mode.

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