Technical Appendix 15.2: Sound Power Levels and Cumulative Noise Levels

Introduction

A15.2.1 The following tables (A15.2.1 - 4) present the noise emission data for each assessed cumulative development, including the adjustments made in accordance with the methodology described in paragraph 15.5.13 of the Environmental Impact Assessment Report (EIA Report).

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Table A15.2.1: Manufacturer's Noise Emission Data – Repower MM82, 59m Hub Height

	Standardised 10m Wind Speed, m/s								
	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
	Sound Power Level, dB(A)								
Sound Power Level, dB, LWA, inc. 2dB allowance for uncertainty	95.5	101.2	105.3	106.0	106.0	106.0	106.0	106.0	106.0
Noise Limits at Controlling Property (Durcha- 250013, 902464)	37.0	39.0	40.0	42.0	44.0	45.0	47.0	48.0	50.0
Predicted Noise Level at Controlling Property (Durcha)	23.4	29.1	33.2	33.9	33.9	33.9	33.9	33.9	33.9
Additional Adjustment for Cumulative Assessment, dB	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0
Adjusted Sound Power Level, dB LWA, for cumulative assessment	97.5	103.2	107.3	108.0	108.0	108.0	108.0	108.0	108.0

Table A15.2.2: Manufacturer's Noise Emission Data – Repower MM82

	Octave-band Centre Frequency, f, Hz									
	63	125	250	500	1000	2000	4000	8000		
	Sound Power Level, dB, L _{WA}									
Octave-band Spectrum scaled to 108.0dB, LwA	89.9	96.2	101	103.2	102.3	97.6	92.7	79.4		

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Table A15.2.3: Manufacturer's Noise Emission Data – Siemens SWT-1.3-62, 59m Hub Height

	Standardised 10m Wind Speed, m/s								
	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
	Sound Power Level, dB(A)								
Sound Power Level, dB, LWA, inc. 2 dB allowance for uncertainty	103.0	103.5	104.0	104.5	105.0	106.3	107.5	108.8	110.1
Noise Limits at Controlling Property (Durcha - 250013, 902464)	37.0	39.0	40.0	42.0	44.0	45.0	47.0	48.0	50.0
Predicted Noise Level at Controlling Property (Durcha)	33.4	33.9	34.4	34.9	35.4	36.7	37.9	39.2	40.5
Additional Adjustment for Cumulative Assessment, dB	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0
Adjusted Sound Power Level, dB LWA, for cumulative assessment	105.0	105.5	106.0	106.5	107.0	108.3	109.5	110.8	112.1

Table A15.2.4: Manufacturer's Noise Emission Data – Siemens SWT-1.3-62

	Octave-band Centre Frequency, f, Hz									
	63	125	250	500	1000	2000	4000	8000		
	Sound Power Level, dB, L _{WA}									
Octave-band Spectrum scaled to 112.1dB, L _{WA}	96.2	102.8	105.7	104.8	104.7	105.0	99.4	91.2		

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