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Non-Technical Summary

This Noise and Vibration Monitoring Report fulfils HS2 Limited's commitment detailed in the Environmental Minimum Requirements (EMRs), Annex 1, Code of Construction Practice, to present the results of noise monitoring carried out within the London Borough of Hillingdon during the month of January 2022.

Within this period noise and vibration monitoring was undertaken at the following worksites:

- Colne Valley Viaduct Dews Lane site (ref.: CVV-DL), where jetty piling works, compound operation, construction of Harefield compensation pond, civil works, earthworks, drainage works, ground investigation works, pile testing, concrete drilling, pontoon installation, fencing works and utility works were underway;
- Colne Valley Viaduct Moorhall Road site (ref.: CVV-MR), where jetty pilling works, compound operations, civil works, ground investigation works, earthworks, drainage works, installation of sheet pile, piling works, boring pile, including support plant, installation of reinforcement cage, concrete pouring, bored pile breaking out works, pontoon installation, fencing works, pile cap construction and utility works were underway;
- West Ruislip Portal worksite (ref.: WRP) where main activities included bored and sheet piling, stone column installation, pile trimming, bulk excavations, steelworks and formworks installation, concreting works, dewatering and site set-up for tunnelling activities;
- West Ruislip Retained Embankment worksite (ref.: WRRE), where main activities included bored and sheet piling, stone column installation, pile trimming, footpath construction, bulk excavations, steelworks and formworks installation, dewatering and site set-up for tunnelling activities;
- South Ruislip Ventilation Shaft worksite (ref.: SRVS), where diaphragm walling works, excavation and slurry works, installation of cages, concrete pouring and pumping works were underway;
- Harvil Road worksite (ref.: HR), where main activities included bored and sheet piling, pile trimming, Harvil Road diversion works and bridge installation works.

Further works, where monitoring did not take place, were also undertaken at:

- Ickenham Road where water utility works were underway;
- Harvil Road embankment, where main activities included vegetation clearance, temporary road diversion, haul road installation, embankment construction and installation and use of conveyor system;

- Copthall Retained Embankment / Trough, where main activities included vegetation clearance, haul road installation, bulk excavation, installation and use of conveyor system and works for the Copthall Tunnel West Portal (including piling, excavation and portal construction);
- Northern Sustainable Placement Area, where main activities included vegetation clearance, haul road installation, installation and use of conveyor system, stockpiling and localised service connection works;
- Southern Sustainable Placement Area, where main activities included vegetation clearance, haul road installation, stockpiling and localised service connection works.

There were no exceedances of the HS2 threshold levels for significant noise impacts, which are defined in Information Paper E23 (https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/hs2-information-papers-environment), during the reporting period.

There were no exceedances of trigger levels as defined in Section 61 consents during the reporting period at any monitoring position.

Ten (10) complaints were received during the monitoring period. A description of complaints, the results of investigation and any actions taken are detailed in Table 7 of this report.

Abbreviations and Descriptions

The abbreviations, descriptions and project terminology used within this report can be found in Table 1.

Table 1: Table of Abbreviations

| Acronym/Term | Definition |
|--|--|
| L _{Aeq,T} | See equivalent continuous sound pressure level |
| Ambient sound | A description of the all-encompassing sound at a given location and time which will include sound from many sources near and far. Ambient sound can be quantified in terms of the equivalent continuous sound pressure level, $L_{pAeq,T}$ |
| Decibel(s), or dB | Between the quietest audible sound and the loudest tolerable sound there is a million to one ratio in sound pressure (measured in Pascal (Pa)). Because of this wide range, a level scale called the decibel (dB) scale, based on a logarithmic ratio, is used in sound measurement. Audibility of sound covers a range of approximately 0-140dB. |
| Decibel(s) A- weighted, or dB(A) | The human ear system does not respond uniformly to sound across the detectable frequency range and consequently instrumentation used to measure sound is weighted to represent the performance of the ear. This is known as the 'A weighting' and is written as 'dB(A)'. |
| Equivalent continuous sound pressure level, or L _{Aeq,T} | An index used internationally for the assessment of environmental sound impacts. It is defined as the notional unchanging level that would, over a given period of time (T), deliver the same sound energy as the actual time-varying sound over the same period. Hence fluctuating sound levels can be described in terms of an equivalent single figure value, typically expressed as a decibel level. |
| Exclusion of data | Measurement of noise levels can be affected by weather conditions such as prolonged periods of rain, winds speeds higher than 5m/s and snow/ice ground cover. Noise levels measured during these periods are considered not representative of normal noise conditions at the site and, for the purposes of this report, are excluded from the assessment of exceedances and calculation of typical noise levels and are also greyed out in charts. Identifiable incongruous noise and vibration events not attributable to HS2 construction noise are also excluded. |
| Façade | A facade noise level is the noise level 1m in front of a large reflecting surface. The effect of reflection, is to produce a slightly higher (typically +3 dB) sound level than it would be if the reflecting surface was not there. |
| Free-field | A free-field noise level is the noise level measured at a location where no reflective surfaces, other than the ground, lies within 3.5 metres of the microphone position. |
| LOAEL | Lowest Observed Adverse Effect Level - the level above which adverse effects on health and quality of life can be detected. |
| Peak particle velocity, or PPV | Instantaneous maximum velocity reached by a vibrating element as it oscillates about its rest position. The PPV is a simple indicator of perceptibility and risk of damage to structures due to vibration. It is usually measured in mm/s. |
| SOAEL | Significant Observed Adverse Effect Level - the level above which significant adverse effects on health and quality of life occur. |
| Sound pressure level | The parameter by which sound levels are measured in air. It is measured in decibels. The threshold of hearing has been set at 0dB, while the threshold of pain is approximately 120dB. Normal speech is approximately 60dB at a distance of 1 metre and a change of 3dB in a time varying sound signal is commonly regarded as being just detectable. A change of 10dB is subjectively twice, or half, as loud. |
| Vibration dose value, or VDV | An index used to evaluate human exposure to vibration in buildings. While the PPV provides information regarding the magnitude of single vibration events, the VDV provides a measure of the total vibration experienced over a specified period of time (typically 16h daytime and 8h night-time). It takes into account the magnitude, the number and the duration of vibration events and can be used to quantify exposure to continuous, impulsive, occasional and intermittent vibration. The vibration dose value is measured in m/s ^{1.75} . |

1 Introduction

- 1.1.1 HS2 is required to undertake noise (and vibration) monitoring as necessary to comply with the requirements of the High Speed Rail (London-West Midlands) Environmental Minimum Requirements, including specifically Annex 1: Code of Construction Practice, in addition to any monitoring requirements arising from conditions imposed through consents under Section 61 of the Control of Pollution Act, 1974 or through Undertakings & Assurances given to third parties. Such monitoring may be undertaken for the following purposes:
 - monitoring the impact of construction works;
 - to investigate complaints, incidents and exceedance of trigger levels; or
 - monitoring the effectiveness of noise and vibration control measures.
- 1.1.2 Monitoring data and interpretive reports are to be provided to each relevant local authority on a monthly basis and shall include a summary of the construction activities occurring, the data recorded over the monitoring period, any complaints received, any periods in exceedance of agreed trigger levels, the results of any investigations and any actions taken or mitigation measures implemented. This report provides noise data, and interpretation thereof, for monitoring carried out by HS2 within the London Borough of Hillingdon (LBH) for the period 1st to 31st January 2022.
- 1.1.3 Construction sites in the local authority area where monitoring was undertaken during this period include:
 - Colne Valley Viaduct Dews Lane site, ref.: CVV-DL (see Plan 1 in Appendix A), where work activities included:
 - jetty pilling works;
 - compound operations (including de-sanding works);
 - piling works, including support plant, installation of reinforcement cage, concrete pouring and bored pile breaking out works;
 - construction of Harefield compensation pond;
 - civil works;
 - earthworks;
 - drainage works;
 - ground investigation works;
 - pile testing;

- concrete drilling;
- pontoon installation;
- pile trimming;
- fencing works; and
- utility works.
- Colne Valley Viaduct Moorhall Road site, ref.: CVV-MR (see Plan 1 in Appendix A), where work activities included:
 - jetty piling works;
 - compound operations (including de-sanding works);
 - civil works;
 - earthworks;
 - drainage works;
 - ground investigation works;
 - piling works, support plant, installation of reinforcement cage, concrete pouring and bored pile breaking out works;
 - pontoon installation;
 - fencing works;
 - pile cap construction; and
 - utility works.
- West Ruislip Portal Worksite, ref.: WRP (see Plan 3 in Appendix A), where work activities included:
 - bored and sheet piling;
 - stone column installation;
 - pile trimming;
 - excavation works;
 - steelworks and formworks installation;
 - concreting works;
 - dewatering; and
 - tunnelling activities set-up.

- West Ruislip Retained Embankment Worksite, ref.: WRRE, where work activities included:
 - bored and sheet pilling;
 - stone column installation;
 - pile trimming;
 - footpath construction;
 - bulk excavation;
 - steelworks and formworks installation;
 - dewatering; and
 - tunnelling activities set-up.
- South Ruislip Ventilation Shaft worksite, ref.: SRVS (see Plan 4 in Appendix A), where work activities included:
 - diaphragm walling works, including excavation and slurry works, installation of cages, concrete pouring and pumping works.
- Harvil Road worksite, ref.: HR (see Plan 2 in Appendix A), where work activities included:
 - bored and sheet piling;
 - pile trimming;
 - Harvil Road diversion works; and
 - bridge installation works.
- 1.1.4 Further works, where monitoring did not take place, were also undertaken at the following location:
 - Ickenham Road where water utility works were underway;
 - Harvil Road embankment, where main activities included vegetation clearance, temporary road diversion, haul road installation, embankment construction and installation and use of conveyor system;
 - Copthall Retained Embankment / Trough, where main activities included vegetation clearance, haul road installation, bulk excavation, installation and use of conveyor

- system and works for the Copthall Tunnel West Portal (including piling, excavation and portal construction);
- Northern Sustainable Placement Area, where main activities included vegetation clearance, haul road installation, installation and use of conveyor system, stockpiling and localised service connection works:
- Southern Sustainable Placement Area, where main activities included vegetation clearance, haul road installation, stockpiling and localised service connection works.
- 1.1.5 The applicable standards, guidance, and monitoring methodology are outlined in the construction noise and vibration monitoring methodology report which can be found at the following location https://www.gov.uk/government/collections/monitoring-the-environmental-effects-of-hs2. Noise and vibration monitoring reports for previous months can also be found at this location.

1.2 Measurement Locations

- 1.2.1 Thirteen noise and two vibration monitoring installations were active in January in the LBH area. Table 2 summarises the position of noise and vibration monitoring installations within the LBH area in January 2022.
- 1.2.2 Maps showing the position of noise monitoring installations are presented in Appendix B.

Table 2: Monitoring Locations

| Worksite Reference | Measurement Reference | Address |
|------------------------|--------------------------|--|
| Colne Valley Viaduct | CVV-DL-NMP2 | Highway Farm House, Harvil Rd, Harefield, Uxbridge |
| Dews Lane (CVV-DL) | CVV-DL-NMP3 | Dew's Farm Cottages, Dews Lane, Harefield, Uxbridge |
| Colne Valley Viaduct | CVV-MR-NMP1 | Weir Cottage, Denham Garden Village, Denham, Buckinghamshire |
| Moorhall Road (CVV-MR) | CVV-MR-NMP2 | Harefield Marina, Moorhall Road, London Borough of Hillingdon, London, Greater London |
| | CVV-MR-NMP3 | Peerless Drive, Harefield, Uxbridge |
| West Ruislip Portal | N048 | Ruislip Golf Course, Ickenham Rd, Ruislip |
| (WRP) | N056 | 83 The Greenway, Ickenham, Ruislip |
| | N057 | 123 The Greenway, Ickenham, Ruislip |
| West Ruislip Retained | N065 | Breakspear Road South, Harefield, Uxbridge |
| Embankment (WRRE) | N066 | Hoylake Crescent, Ickenham, Uxbridge |

| Worksite Reference | Measurement Reference | Address |
|---------------------------|--------------------------|---|
| | HL-V001 | 152 Hoylake Crescent, Ickenham, Uxbridge |
| South Ruislip Ventilation | N061 | Cineworld South Ruislip car park, Ruislip |
| Shaft (SRVS) | SRVS-V001 | Braintree Industrial Estate - Building D4 |
| Harvil Road (HR) | N067 | Harvil Road worksite south boundary |
| | HR-N002 | Certas Energy Bunker Site – Harefield |

2 Summary of Results

2.1 Summary of Measured Noise Levels

2.1.1 Table 3 presents a summary of the measured noise levels at each monitoring location over the reporting period. The $L_{Aeq,T}$ is presented for each of the relevant time periods averaged over the calendar month, along with the highest single period $L_{Aeq,T}$ that was found to occur within the month.

Table 3: Summary of Measured dB L_{Aeq} Data over the Monitoring Period

| Worksite Reference | Measurement Reference | Site Address | Free-field or Façade Measurement | Weekday Average L _{Aeq,T} (highest day L _{Aeq,T}) | | | Saturday Average L _{Aeq,T} (highest day L _{Aeq,T}) | | | | Sunday / Public Holiday Average L _{Aeq,T} (highest day L _{Aeq,T}) | | | | |
|-----------------------|--------------------------|---|--|---|----------------|----------------|--|----------------|----------------|----------------|---|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|
| | | | | 0700 - 0800 | 0800 - 1800 | 1800 - 1900 | 1900 - 2200 | 2200 - 0700 | 0700 - 0800 | 0800 - 1300 | 1300 - 1400 | 1400 - 2200 | 2200 - 0700 | 0700 - 2200 | 2200 - 0700 |
| CVV-DL | CVV-DL-NMP2 | Highway Farm House, Harvil Rd, Harefield, Uxbridge | Free-field | 58.0 (59.1) | 58.1 (59.8) | 56.9 (58.3) | 56.5 (59.7) | 56.0 (58.1) | 56.6 (57.4) | 58.4 (61.1) | 58.0 (59.5) | 56.9 (60.0) | 55.7 (56.8) | 57.0 (62.3) | 55.7 (57.2) |
| | CVV-DL-NMP3 | Dew's Farm Cottages, Dews Lane, Harefield, Uxbridge, | Free-field | 57.4 (65.4) | 61.5 (64.5) | 51.0 (55.0) | 49.1 (57.0) | 46.3 (55.3) | 53.6 (57.5) | 59.6 (63.9) | 55.3 (60.7) | 48.6 (52.6) | 43.9 (51.0) | 49.4 (56.3) | 45.5 (53.2) |
| CVV-MR | CVV-MR-NMP1 | Weir Cottage, Denham Garden Village, Denham, Buckinghamshire | Free-field | 53.5 (56.7) | 55.3 (65.4) | 51.1 (52.6) | 49.4 (54.3) | 46.9 (62.7) | 50.2 (51.9) | 52.2 (53.2) | 51.4 (52.5) | 50.3 (54.2) | 44.3 (48.0) | 50.3 (55.6) | 46.0 (54.4) |
| | CVV-MR-NMP2 | Harefield Marina, Moorhall Road, London, Greater London | Free-field | 51.6 (54.1) | 56.9 (67.2) | 48.6 (52.2) | 47.2 (51.5) | 45.0 (60.0) | 48.1 (51.9) | 52.1 (56.8) | 50.3 (53.1) | 48.1 (55.3) | 42.5 (49.6) | 47.2 (51.3) | 44.7 (52.0) |
| | CVV-MR-NMP3 | Peerless Drive, Harefield, Uxbridge | Free-field | 54.9 (58.6) | 57.9 (61.9) | 49.9 (52.8) | 47.7 (52.6) | 46.8 (72.8) | 51.8 (53.1) | 52.4 (54.4) | 52.9 (55.0) | 50.3 (54.9) | 43.6 (48.9) | 56.0 (74.7) | 45.5 (53.0) |
| WRP | N048 | West Ruislip Golf Club, Ickenham Rd, Ruislip | Free-field | 61.7 (65.0) | 64.3 (69.3) | 56.1 (65.2) | 52.6 (59.6) | 52.0 (67.4) | 58.2 (61.9) | 62.7 (68.2) | 57.5 (64.3) | 53.7 (63.6) | 49.1 (53.0) | 52.9 (56.3) | 51.8 (62.2) |
| | N056 | 83 The Greenway, Ickenham, Ruislip | Free-field | 61.7 (63.1) | 61.4 (67.8) | 62.3 (63.5) | 60.1 | 54.5 (61.2) | 57.0 (59.5) | 60.9 (66.3) | 59.7 (60.7) | 60.3 | 52.6 (59.6) | 55.7 (66.0) | 53.4 (61.6) |

| Worksite Measurement Reference Reference | | Site Address | Free-field or Façade Measurement | | Weekda (high | y Avera est day | _ " | r | | | ıy Avera est day | | r | Pul Holi Averag (highe | day / blic iday ge L _{Aeq,T} est day _{eq,T}) |
|---|---------|--|--|----------------|-----------------|--------------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|---------------------|----------------|----------------|---------------------------------|--|
| | | | | 0700 - 0800 | 0800 - 1800 | 1800 - 1900 | 1900 - 2200 | 2200 - 0700 | 0700 - 0800 | 0800 - 1300 | 1300 - 1400 | 1400 - 2200 | | | 2200 - 0700 |
| | N057 | 123 The Greenway, Ickenham, Ruislip | Free-field | 57.6 (59.6) | 57.1 (58.4) | 58.3 (59.6) | 56.3 (59.5) | 51.6 (63.3) | 53.5 (55.8) | 56.2 (58.0) | 56.1 (57.5) | 55.5 (58.8) | 49.1 (54.9) | 52.5 (58.1) | 50.1 (56.9) |
| WRRE | N065 | Breakspear Road South, Harefield, Uxbridge | Free-field | 66.3 (68.4) | 66.2 | 66.0 | 63.9 (67.5) | 59.0 | 62.4 (63.9) | 64.9 (66.4) | 67.6 | 65.4 (68.5) | 58.0 | 64.7 | 58.8 (66.5) |
| | N066 | Hoylake Crescent, Ickenham, Uxbridge | Free-field | 57.4 (59.8) | 57.7 (60.3) | 57.8 (59.5) | 55.6 (59.2) | 50.7 (63.8) | 53.8 (55.5) | 55.9 (57.0) | 55.8 (56.8) | 54.9 (56.9) | 48.5 (54.2) | 52.5 (56.6) | 49.8 (56.7) |
| SRVS | N061 | Cineworld South Ruislip car park, Ruislip | Free-field | 61.1 (65.3) | 63.5 (65.2) | 63.1 (65.5) | 62.1 (64.0) | 57.8 (74.1) | 58.9 (61.4) | 62.9 (64.9) | 64.7 (67.2) | 62.8 (66.3) | 56.3 (63.2) | 61.9 (68.0) | 55.8 (60.5) |
| HR | N067 | Harvil Road worksite south boundary | Free-field | 57.1 (61.3) | 60.8 | 55.9 (63.5) | 55.7 (61.7) | 51.4 (59.5) | 53.4 (55.0) | 60.1 | 64.0 (69.4) | 56.6 (69.8) | 51.4 (61.5) | 56.8 (64.2) | 50.2 (57.9) |
| | HR-N002 | Certas Energy Bunker Site – Harefield | Free-field | 64.1 (65.6) | 63.8 (65.7) | 61.8 (64.2) | 59.6 (61.7) | 57.3 | 59.3 | 61.5 (63.3) | 62.6 (63.9) | 60.3 | 53.9 (57.5) | 60.4 (63.6) | 56.7 (65.6) |

2.1.2 Table 4: Summary of Measured PPV Data over the Monitoring Period presents a summary of the measured vibration levels at each monitoring location over the reporting period. The highest PPV measured during the monitoring along any axis is presented in the table.

Table 4: Summary of Measured PPV Data over the Monitoring Period

| Worksite Reference | Measuremen t Reference | Monitor Address | Highest PPV measured in any axis, mm/s |
|-----------------------|---------------------------|--|--|
| WRRE | HL-V001 | 152 Hoylake Crescent, Ickenham, Uxbridge | 0.53 (Z-axis) |
| SRVS | SRVS-V001 | Braintree Industrial Estate - Building D4 | 1.17 (Z-axis) |

2.1.3 Appendix C presents graphs of the noise and vibration monitoring data over the month for each of the measurement locations. Noise data presented consists of the hourly L_{Aeq} values and, where relevant, the L_{Aeq,T} values (where the time period T has been taken to be the averaging period as specified in Table 1 of HS2 Information Paper E23). Vibration data presented consist of hourly PPV values. The full data set for the monitoring equipment can be found at the following location: https://data.gov.uk/dataset/24542ae7-dd44-444f-b259-871c4cc43b5e/environmental-monitoring-data.

2.2 Exceedances of the LOAEL and SOAEL

- 2.2.1 The lowest observed adverse effect level (LOAEL) is defined in the Planning Practice Guidance Noise (PPG) as the level above which "noise starts to cause small changes in behaviour and/or attitude, e.g. turning up volume of television; speaking more loudly; where there is no alternative ventilation, having to close windows for some of the time because of the noise. Potential for some reported sleep disturbance. Affects the acoustic character of the area such that there is a perceived change in the quality of life".
- 2.2.2 The significant observed adverse effect level (SOAEL) is defined in the 'Planning Practice Guidance Noise' as the level above which "noise causes a material change in behaviour and/or attitude, e.g. avoiding certain activities during periods of intrusion; where there is no alternative ventilation, having to keep windows closed most of the time because of the noise. Potential for sleep disturbance resulting in difficulty in getting to sleep, premature awakening and difficulty in getting back to sleep. Quality of life diminished due to change in acoustic character of the area."
- 2.2.3 HS2 Phase One Information Paper E23: Control of Construction Noise and Vibration sets out the LOAELs and SOAELs for construction noise.

- 2.2.4 Where reported construction noise levels exceed the LOAEL and SOAEL, relevant periods will be identified. Summary statistics to evaluate ongoing qualification for noise insulation and temporary rehousing are also presented where relevant.
- 2.2.5 Table 5 presents a summary of recorded exceedances of the LOAEL and SOAEL at each measurement location over the reporting period, including the number of exceedances during each time period.

Table 5: Summary of Exceedances of LOAEL and SOAEL

| Worksite Reference | Measuremen t Reference | Site Address | Day (Weekday, Saturday, Sunday, Night) | Time period | Number of exceedances of LOAEL | Number of exceedances of SOAEL |
|-----------------------|---------------------------|---|--|------------------------|--------------------------------|--------------------------------|
| CVV-DL | CVV-DL-NMP2 | Highway Farm House, Harvil Rd, Harefield, Uxbridge | All days | All periods | No exceedance | No exceedance |
| | CVV-DL-NMP3* | Dew's Farm Cottages, Dews Lane, Harefield, Uxbridge | All days | All periods | No exceedance | No exceedance |
| CVV-MR | CVV-MR-NMP1 | Weir Cottage, Denham Garden Village, Denham, Buckinghamshire | Weekdays | 0800-1800 | 2 | No exceedance |
| | CVV-MR-NMP2 | Harefield Marina, Moorhall Road, London, Greater London | Weekdays | 0800-1800 | 3 | No exceedance |
| | CVV-MR-NMP3 | Peerless Drive, Harefield, Uxbridge | All days | All periods | No exceedance | No exceedance |
| WRP | N048 | West Ruislip Golf Club, Ickenham Rd, Ruislip | Weekdays Saturdays | 0800-1800 0800-1300 | 10 2 | No exceedance |
| | N056 | 83 The Greenway, Ickenham, Ruislip | Weekdays Saturdays | 0800-1800 0800-1300 | 1 | No exceedance |
| | N057 | 123 The Greenway, Ickenham, Ruislip | All days | All periods | No exceedance | No exceedance |
| WRRE | N065 | Breakspear Road South, Harefield, Uxbridge | Weekdays Saturdays | 0800-1800 0800-1300 | 21 | No exceedance |

| Worksite Reference | Measuremen t Reference | Site Address | Day (Weekday, Saturday, Sunday, Night) | Time period | Number of exceedances of LOAEL | Number of exceedances of SOAEL |
|-----------------------|---------------------------|---|--|------------------------|--------------------------------|--------------------------------|
| WRRE | N066 | Hoylake Crescent, Ickenham, Uxbridge | All days | All period | No exceedance | No exceedance |
| SRVS | N061 | Hoylake Crescent, Ickenham, Uxbridge | All days | All period | Not applicable** | Not applicable** |
| HR | N067 | Harvil Road worksite south boundary | Weekdays | 0800-1800 | 2 | No exceedance |
| | HR-N002 | Certas Energy Bunker Site – Harefield | Weekdays Saturdays | 0800-1800 0800-1300 | 20 2 | No exceedance |

^{*}A distance correction has been applied when calculating exceedances of the LOAEL and SOAEL.

2.2.6 No exceedances of the SOAEL were recorded due to HS2 construction works during January 2022. LOAEL exceedances have been recorded at noise monitoring location ref.: ref.: CVV-MR-NMP1, ref.: CVV-MR-NMP2, ref.: N048, ref.: N056, ref.: N065, ref.: N067 and ref.: HR-N002 during core hours.

^{**} The defined LOAEL and SOAEL criteria are not applicable to non-residential receptors

2.3 Exceedances of Trigger Level

2.3.1 Table 6 provides a summary of exceedances of the Section 61 trigger noise levels determined to be due to HS2 related construction noise measured during the reporting period, along with the findings of any investigation.

Table 6: Summary of Exceedances of Trigger Levels

| Complaint Reference Number (if applicable) | Worksite Reference | Date and Time Period | Identified Source | Results of Investigation (including noise monitoring results) | Actions Taken |
|---|-----------------------|----------------------------|----------------------|---|---------------|
| - | - | - | - | - | - |

2.4 Complaints

2.4.1 Table 7 provides a summary of complaint information related to noise and vibration received during the reporting period, along with the findings of any investigation.

Table 7: Summary of Complaints

| Complaint Reference Number | Worksite Reference | Description of Complaint | Results of Investigation | Actions Taken |
|--|------------------------|--|---|---|
| HS2-22-43140-C | CVV-MR | Complaint due to noise disturbance from works at night near Harefield Marina. The complainant sought compensation | Requests for compensation not considered under the HS2 complaints process. | The complaint has been referred to relevant department. |
| HS2-22-43142-C | CVV-DL | Complaint about noise disturbance from progressively louder piling taking place throughout the day, longer than stated period. | Piling works were underway throughout the month. | The contractor held a meeting on 24 th January 2022 regarding noise concerns. Decision pending. Noise is main concern so additional mitigations are in the interim. |
| HS2-22-43210-C HS2-22-43212-C HS2-22-43214-C HS2-22-43216-C | N/A (Utility Works) | Residents at West Ruislip were disturbed by noise and vibration from drilling/digging outside property. | Investigation showed that sub-contracted road works were undertaken outside of core working hours carried without prior notification. | A response was provided to the complainant detailing the findings of the investigation and informing that remaining works were not high impact. The team was also instructed to undertake |

| Complaint Reference Number | Worksite Reference | Description of Complaint | Results of Investigation | Actions Taken |
|----------------------------------|-----------------------|---|---|--|
| | | | | the works swiftly to minimise disturbance. |
| HS2-22-43219-C | WRP/WRRE | Complaint due to noise disturbance from piling during the day. | The investigation showed that the piling works in question were pre-augering the ground to break up the surface, with piles then being pressed in - vibratory piling was reduced to a practicable minimum. Works were undertaken sequentially along the pile line, and all were undertaken in core hours 08:00 - 18:00. On the day of complaint, the site team needed to remove old brickwork obstructions that had only just been exposed at 4pm. The removal works took less than one hour, noise were within Section 61 predictions and BPM were adopted throughout. | A response was provided to the complainant detailing results of investigation. |
| HS2-22-43221-C | WRP/WRRE | Complaint about noise disturbance from loud banging at 11PM and during night-time throughout the week commencing 24th January 2022. | Site security attended to investigate noise at the time of the complaint. The majority of sites in the area (Breakspear Road South compound, compounds at Harvil Road) were not undertaking any works out of normal hours. Works at West Ruislip compound were limited to welding inside noise attenuation tents or steel fixing in excavated area. It was therefore summarised that the banging noise in question was not a result of HS2 works. All works were undertaken in compliance with S61 consent and Best Practicable Means were adopted throughout. | The complainant was informed that investigation showed the noise in question was not from HS2 works. |
| HS2-22-43234-C | CVV-DL | Complaint regarding high noise levels from worksite due to | On-going | On-going |

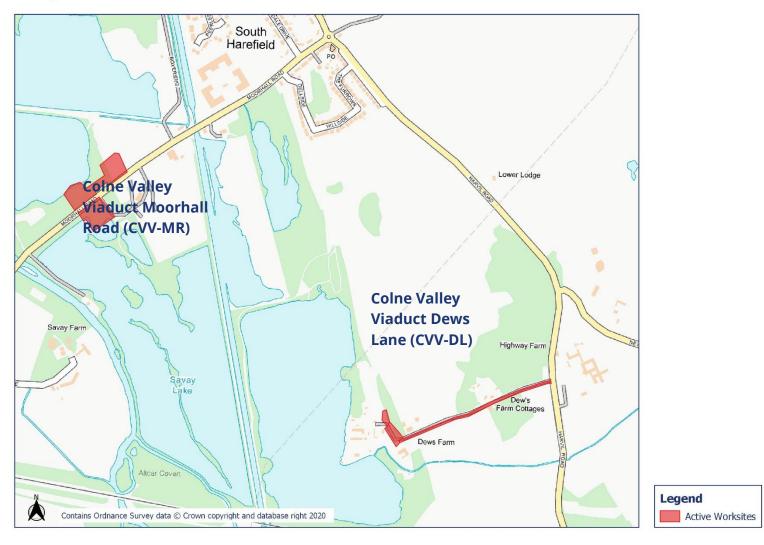
| Complaint Reference Number | Worksite Reference | Description of Complaint | Results of Investigation | Actions Taken |
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| | | hammering during morning and evening causing disturbance. | | |
| HS2-22-43242-C | WRP | Complaint due to noise disturbance from loud construction works starting from 8AM on Sunday morning. | No address was attached to this complaint and so it was assumed to refer to West Ruislip Compound. Complaint has been discussed with site team, who confirmed that works on the day of complaint were limited to placement and reinforcement of bars in excavated areas. Noise monitoring data also reviewed, and noise were within Section 61 predictions and Best Practicable Means were adopted throughout. | The complainant was asked to provide further information regarding location, so that a more detailed assessment could be undertaken, and mitigation identified if necessary. |

Appendix A Site Locations

Noise monitoring plan - Overview



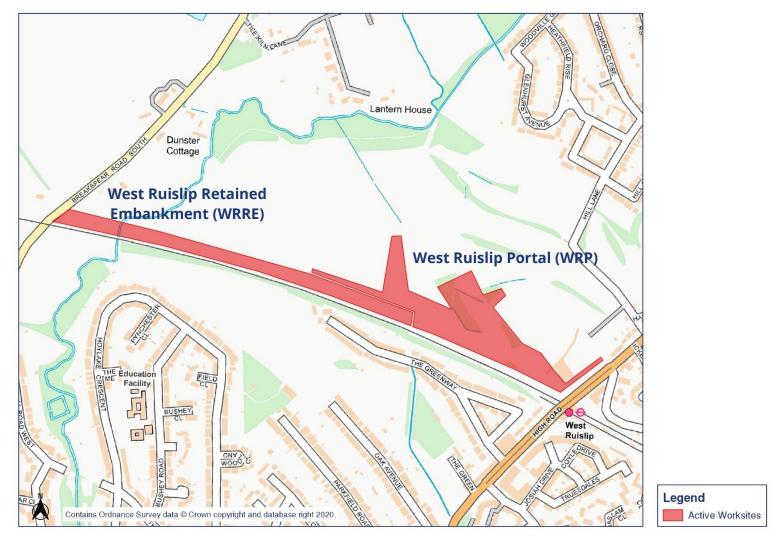
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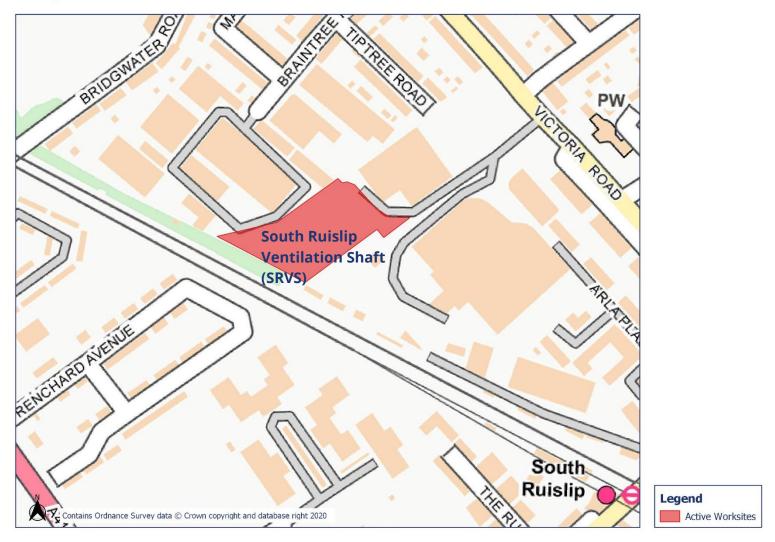
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Worksite identification plan - 3

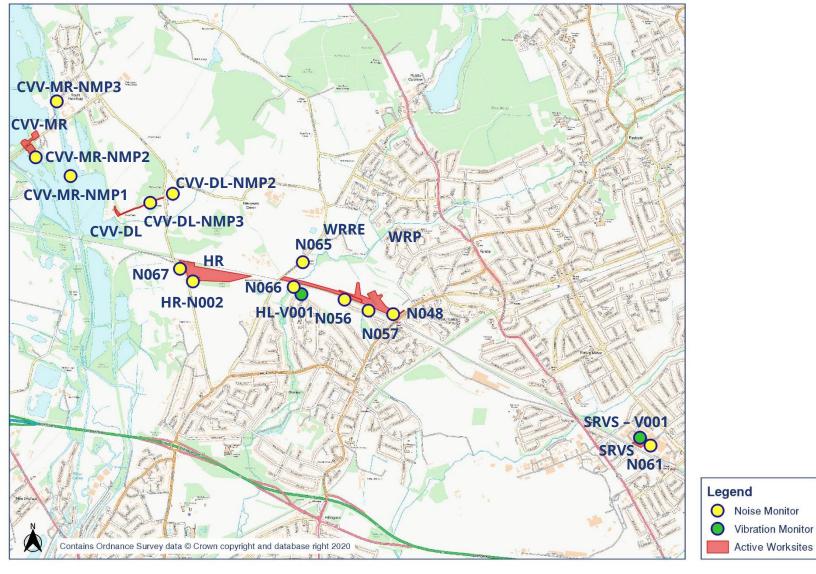


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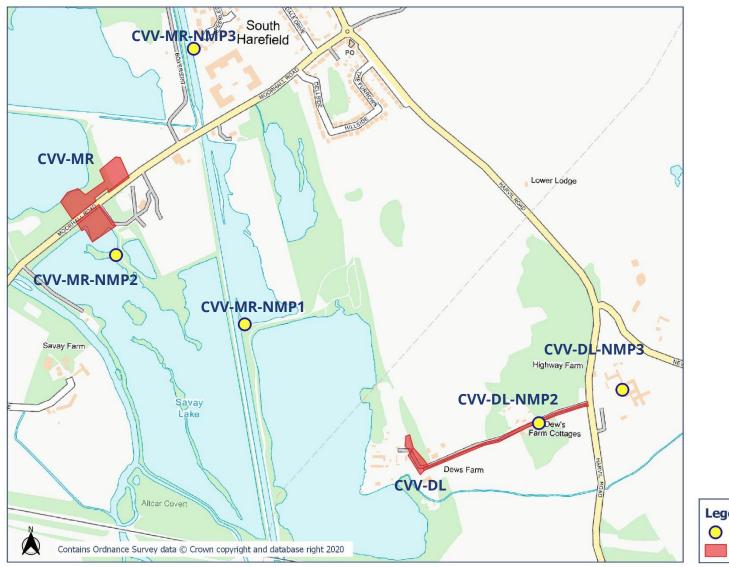


Appendix B Monitoring Locations

Noise monitoring plan - Overview



Noise Monitoring Plan - 1



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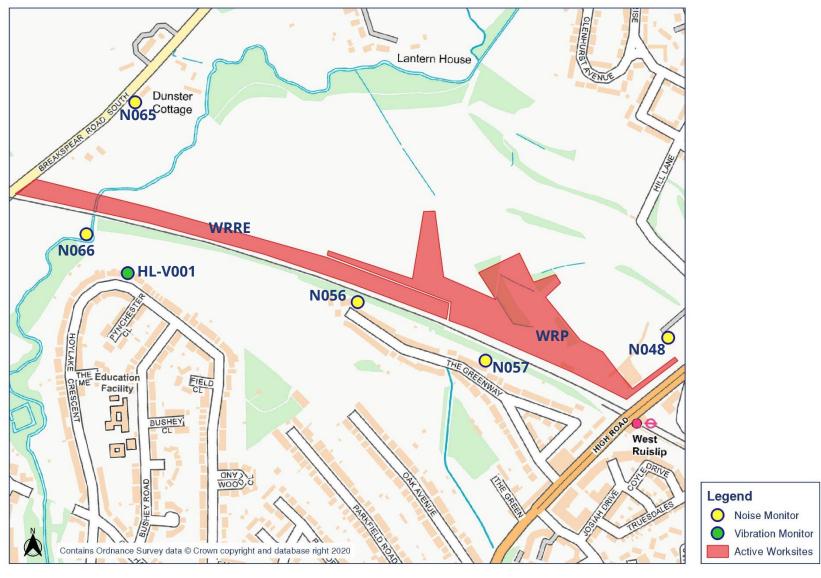
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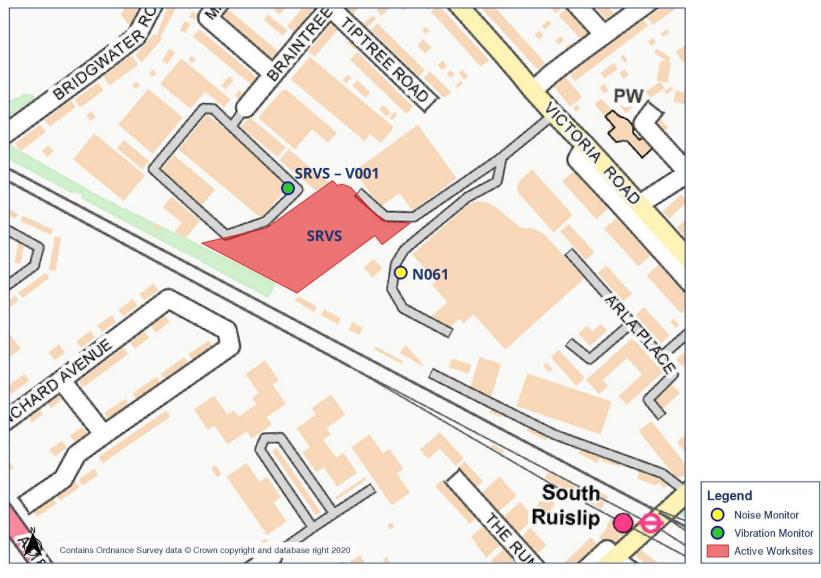


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Noise monitoring plan - 4



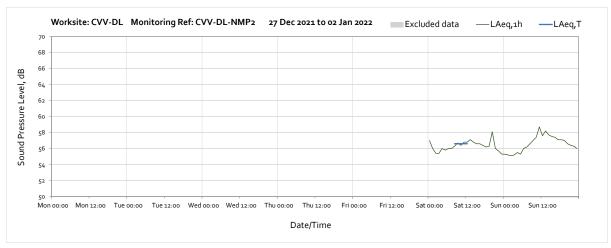
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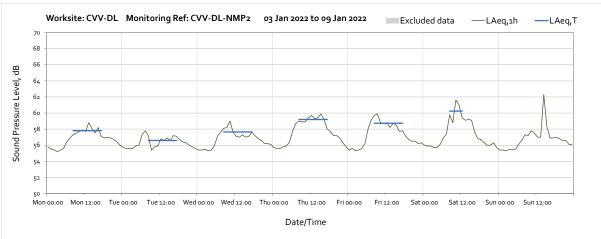
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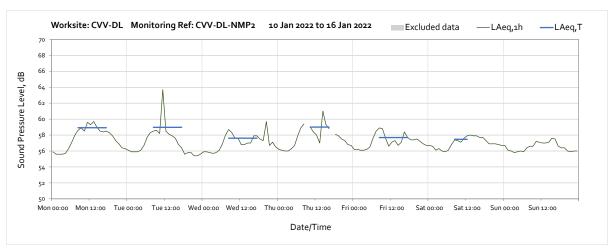
The following graphs show the hourly measured ambient noise level $L_{Aeq,1h}$ and, where relevant, the averaged noise level $L_{Aeq,T}$ values, where the time period T is as specified in Table 1 of HS2 Information Paper E23. Periods with adversely weather affected noise levels are greyed out and have been excluded from the calculation of the $L_{Aeq,T}$ values in Table 3 of the main report.

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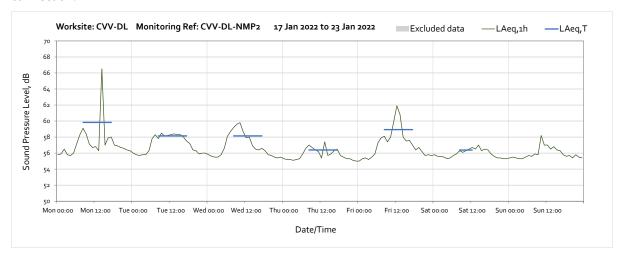
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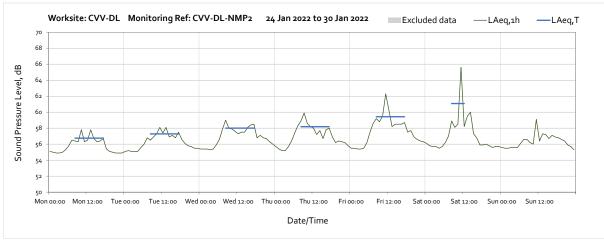


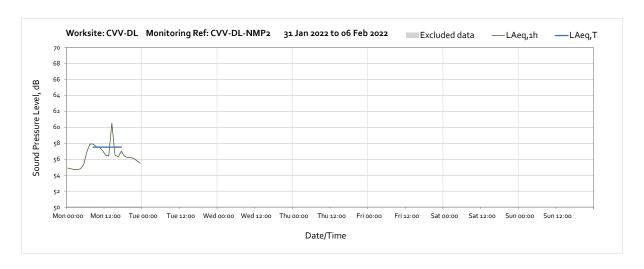




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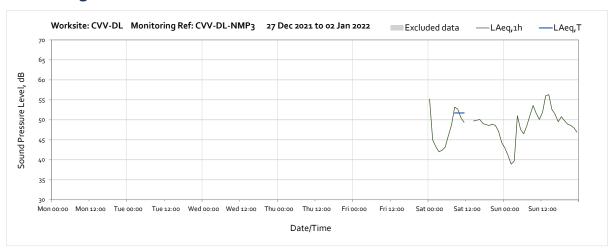




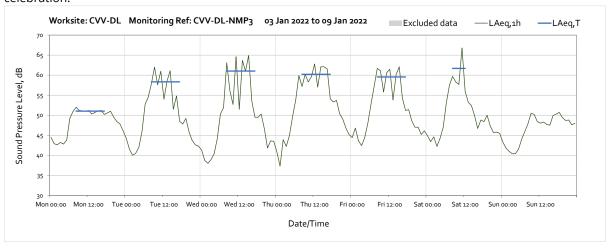


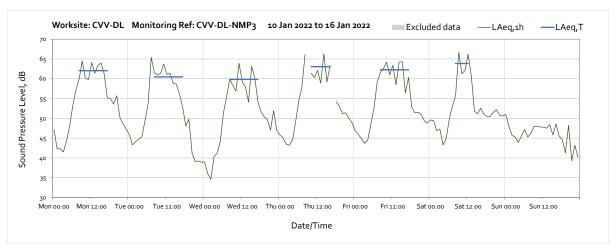
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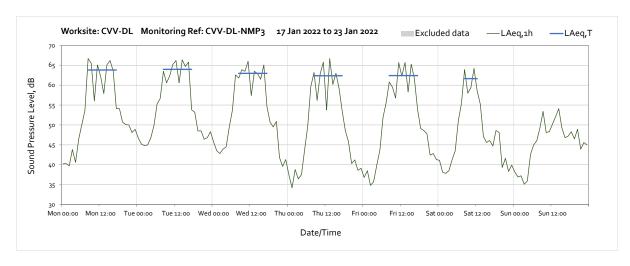


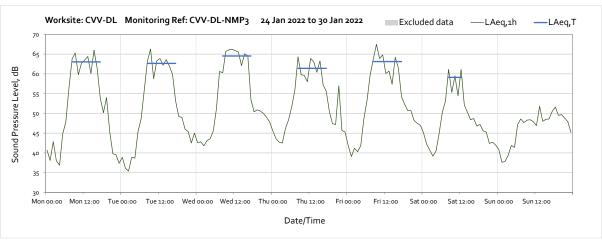
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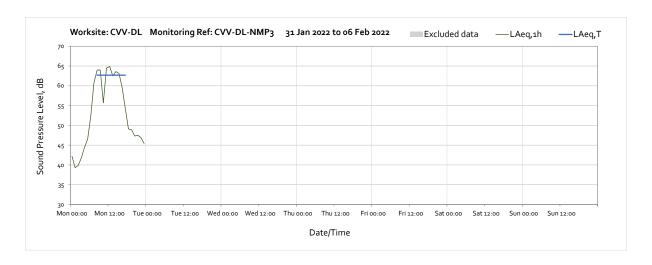




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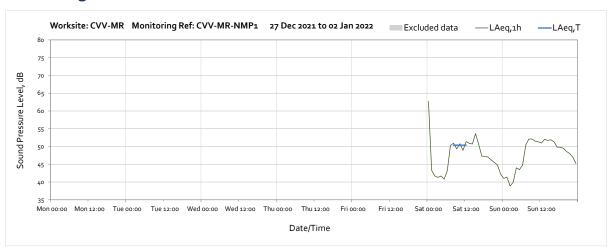




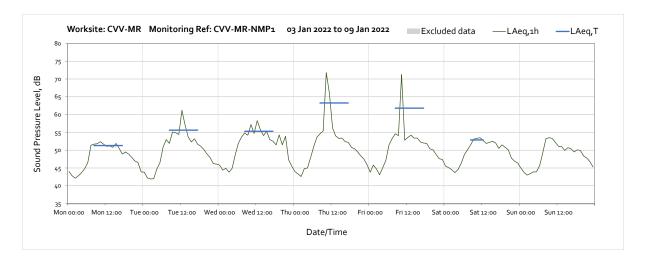


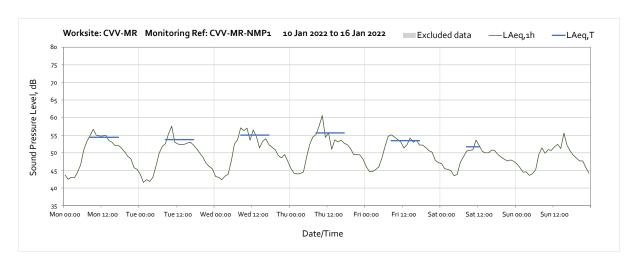
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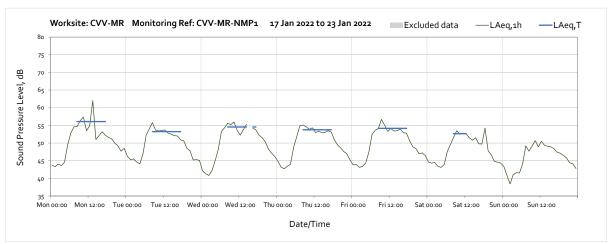
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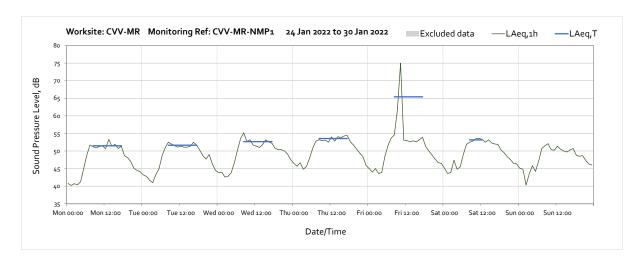
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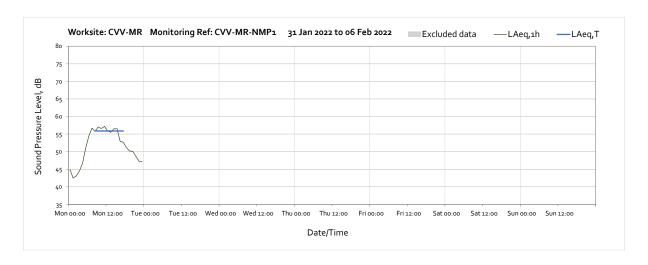






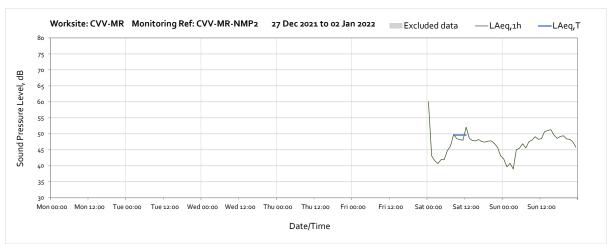
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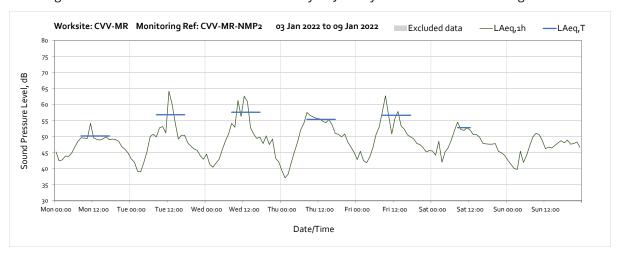


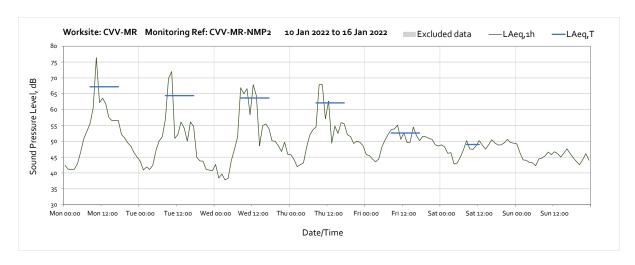


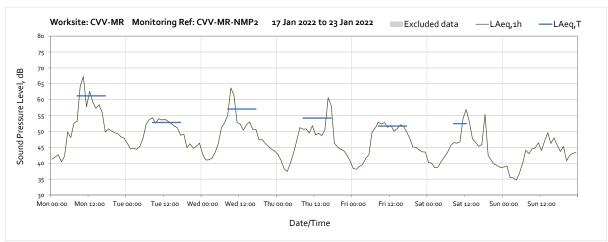
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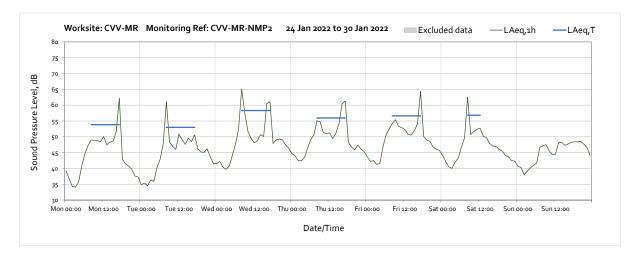
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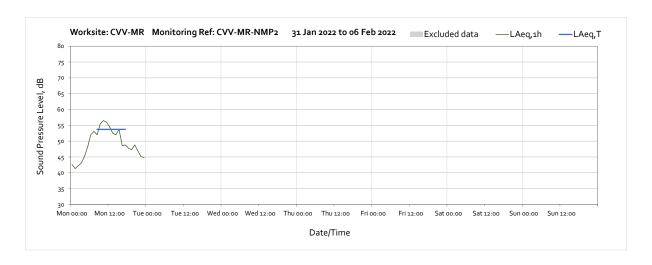






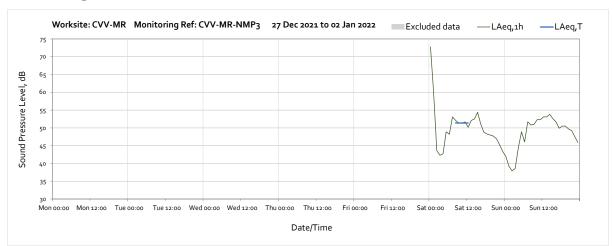


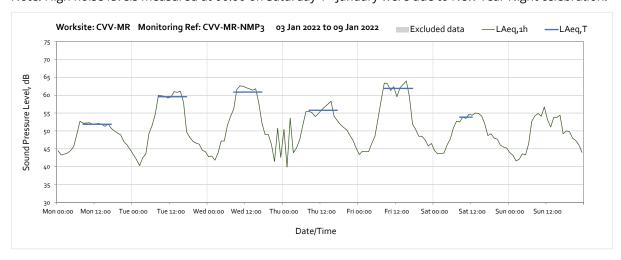


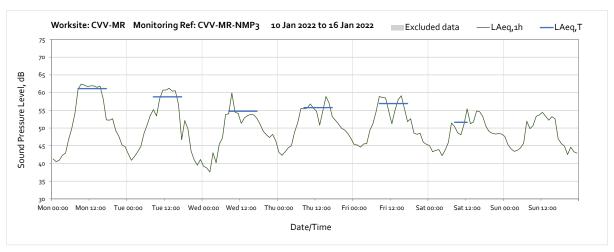


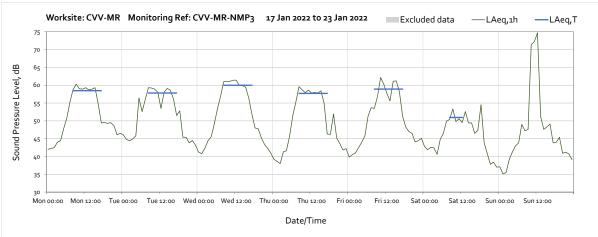
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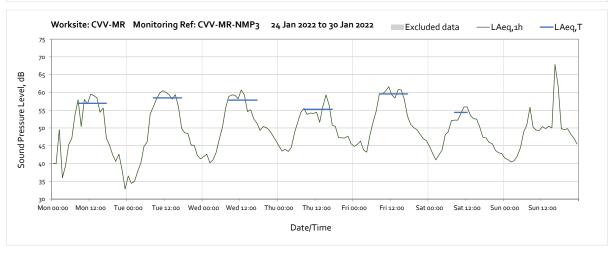
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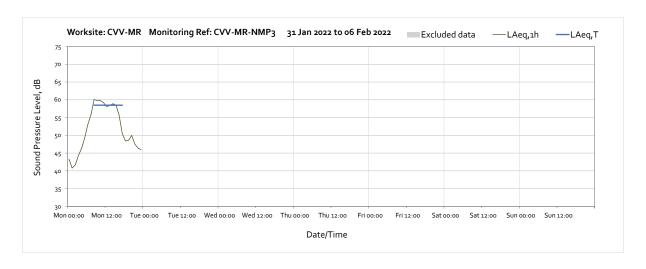




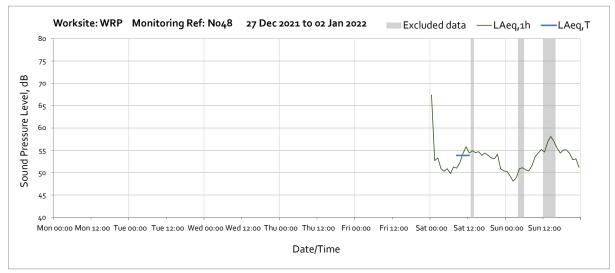


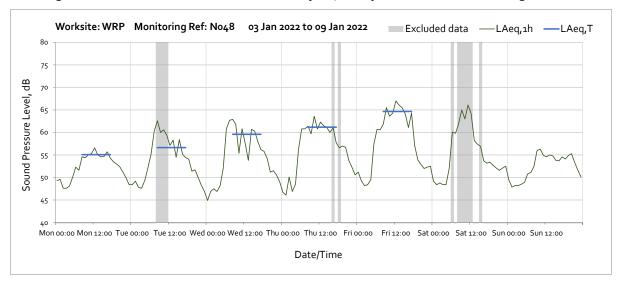


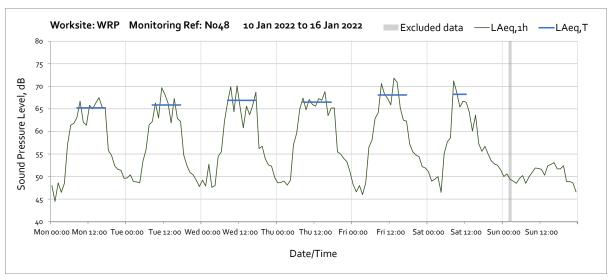


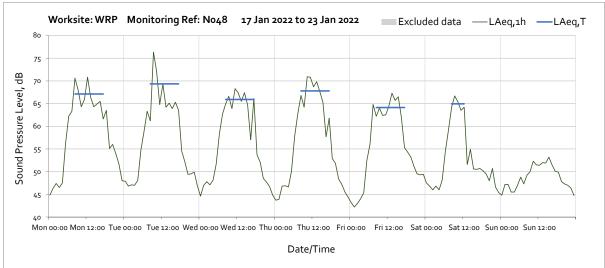


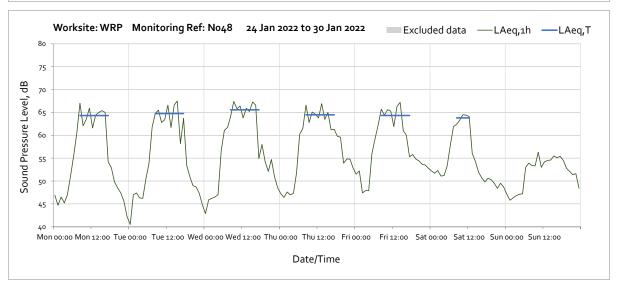
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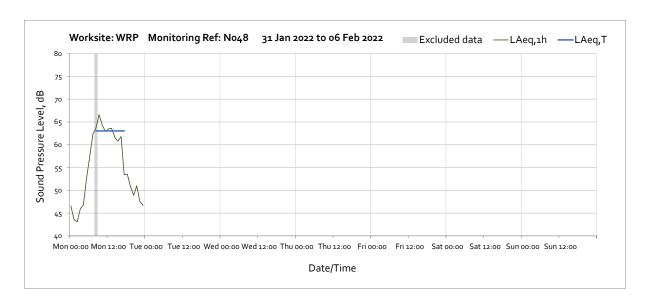




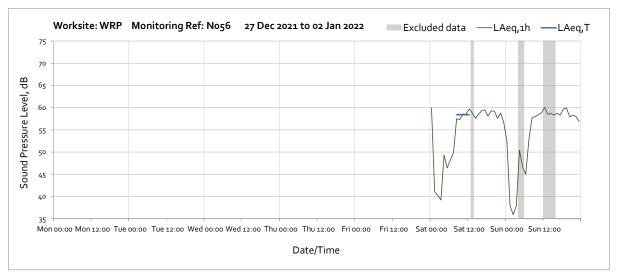




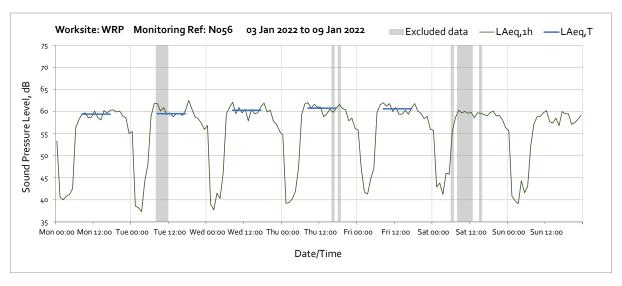




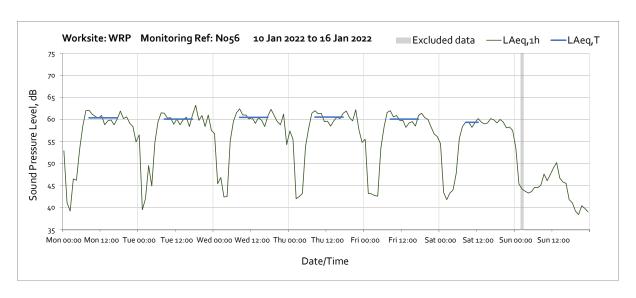
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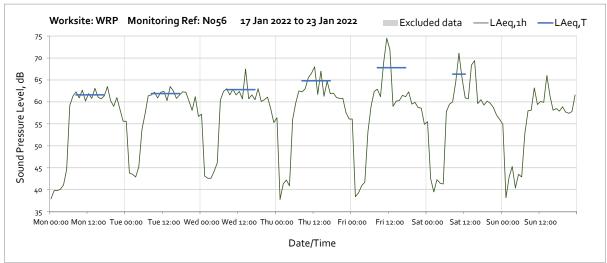


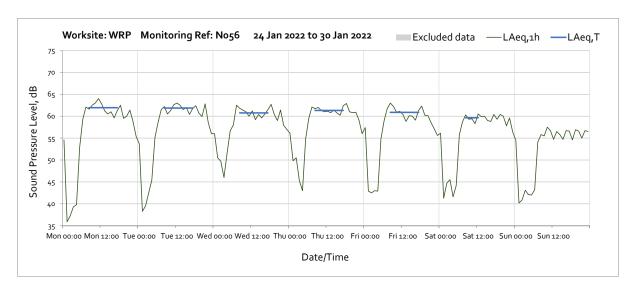
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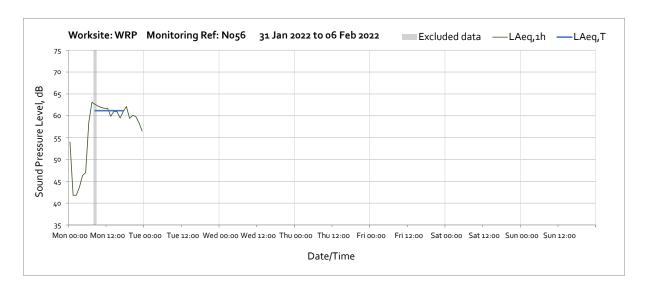


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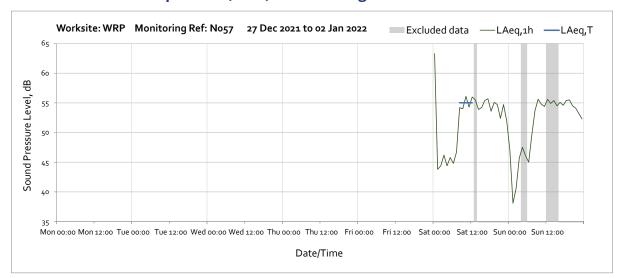




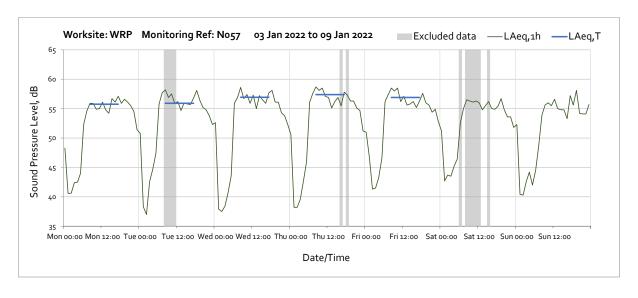




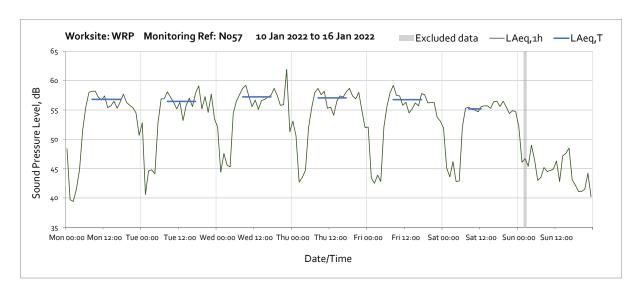
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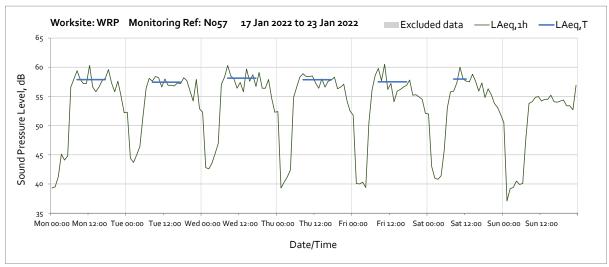


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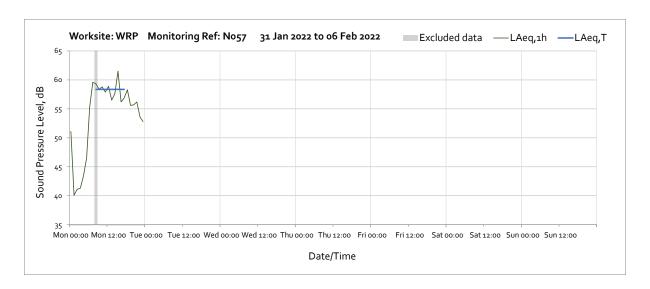


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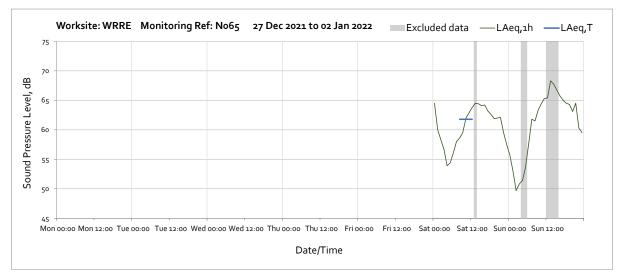


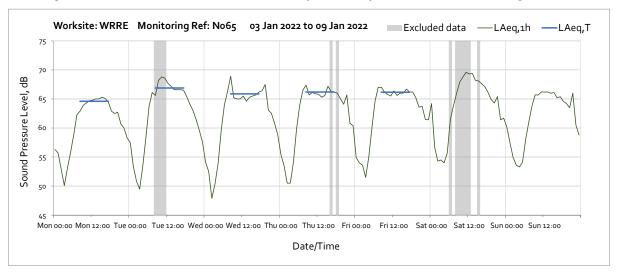


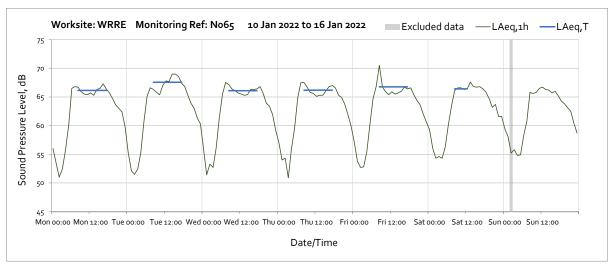


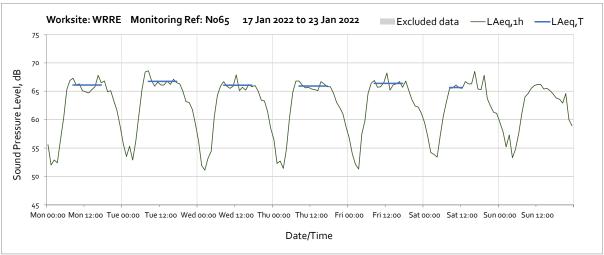


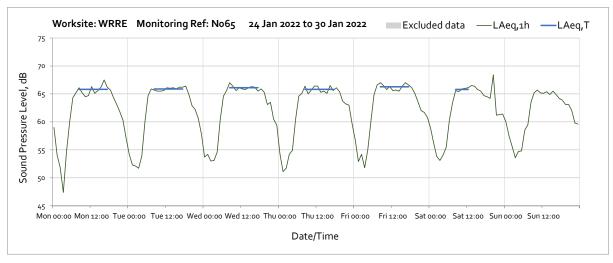
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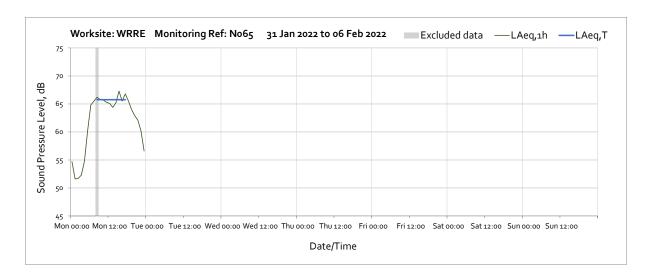




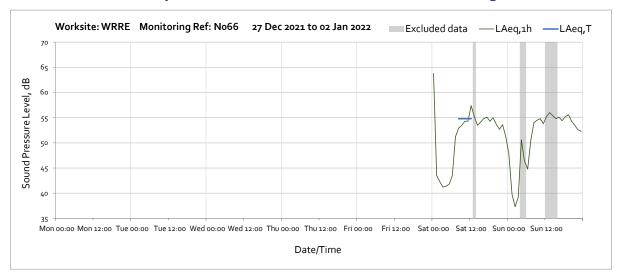


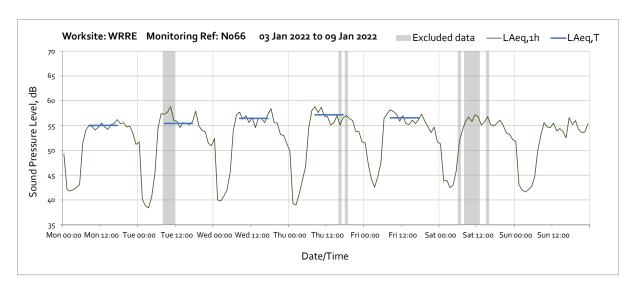


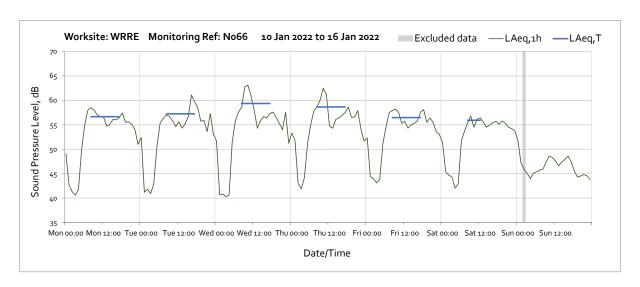


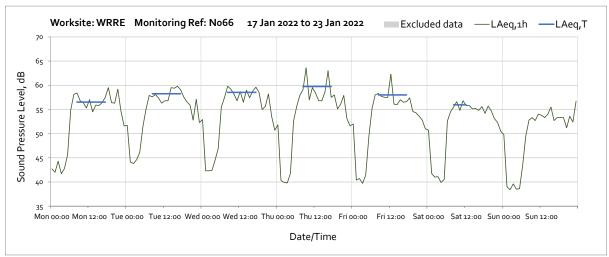


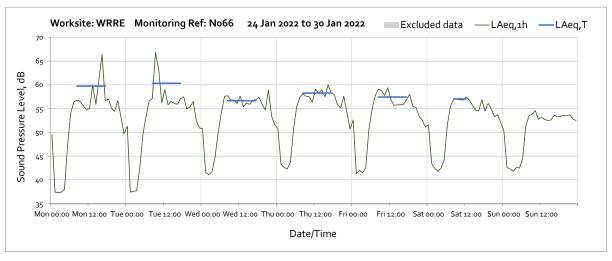
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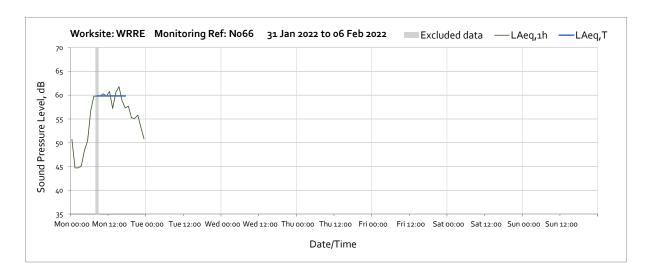




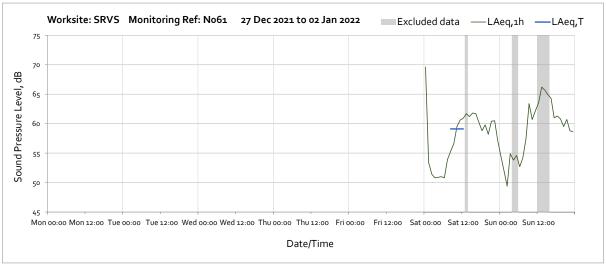




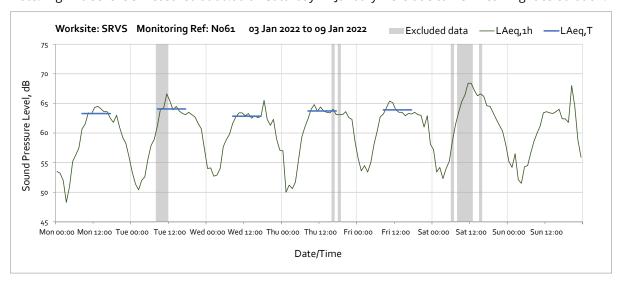


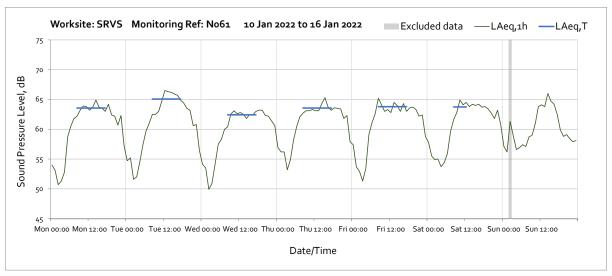


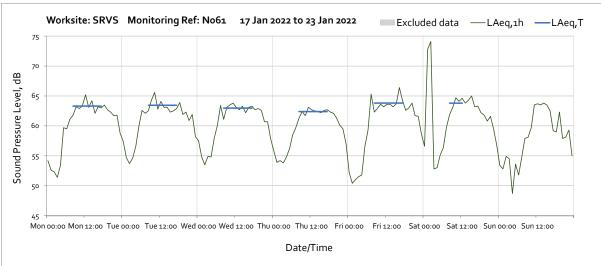
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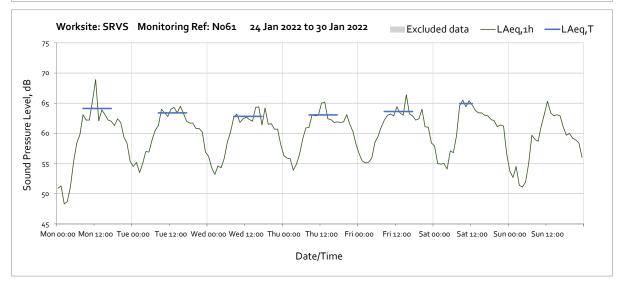


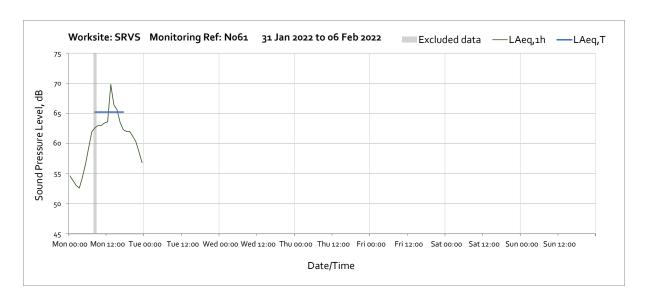
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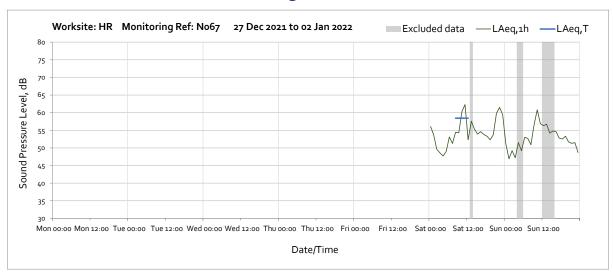


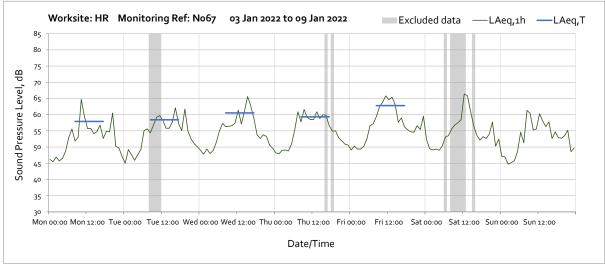


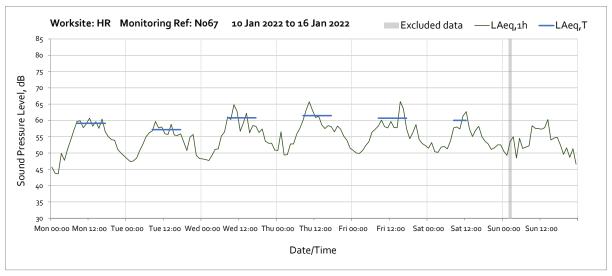


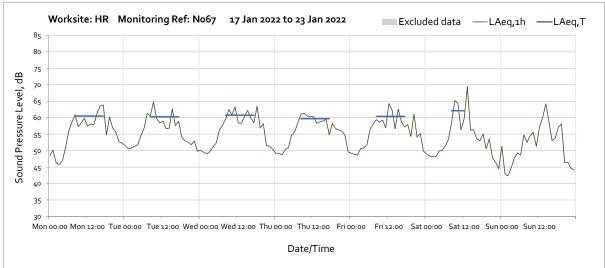


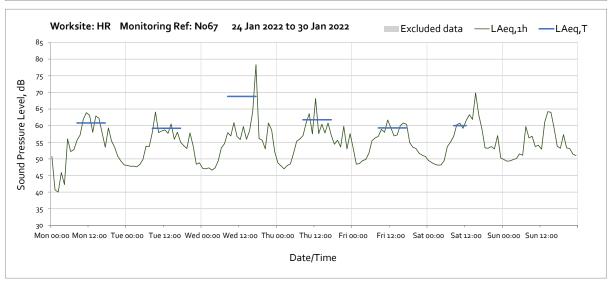
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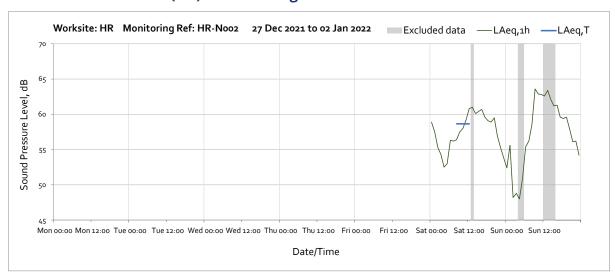


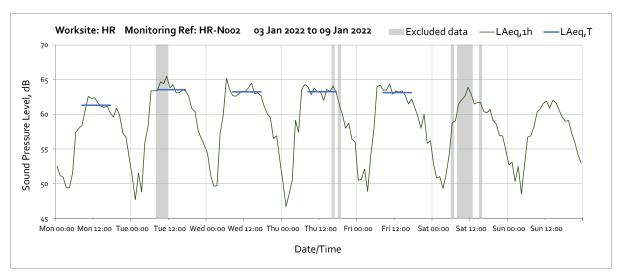


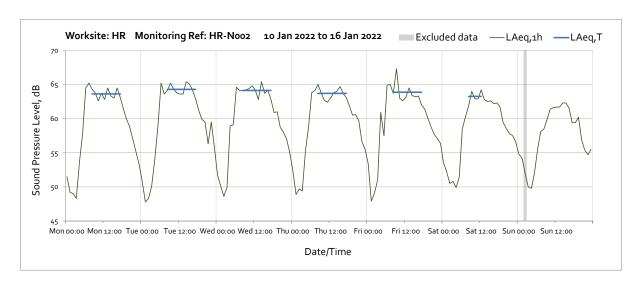


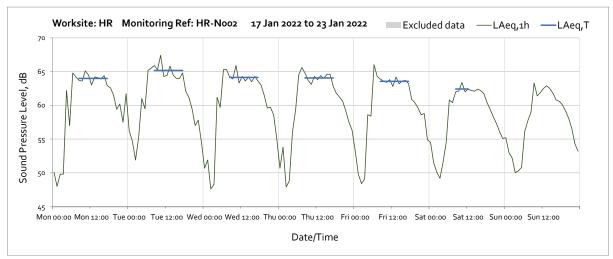


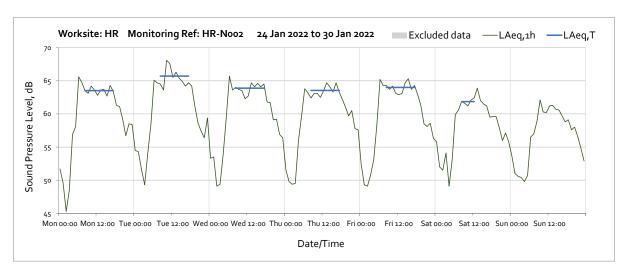
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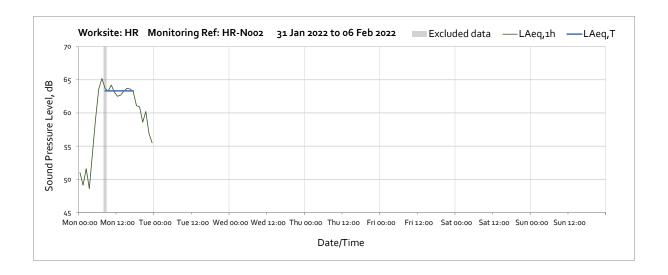










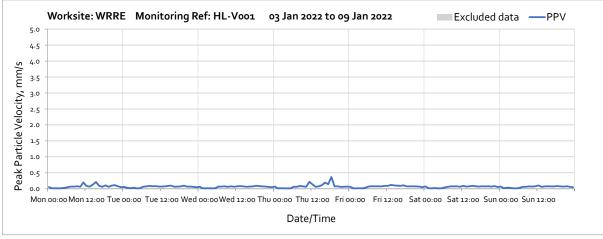


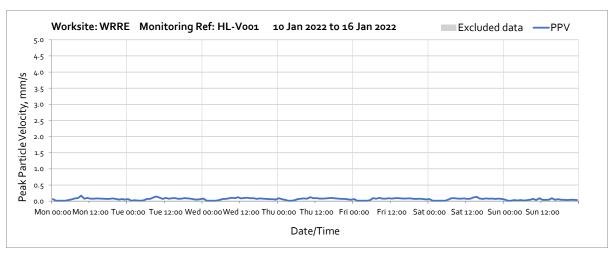
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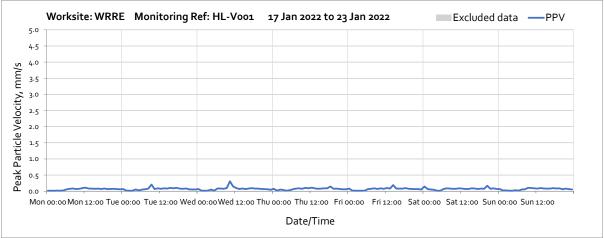
The following graphs show the hourly measured peak particle velocity PPV recorded during the monitoring period. The graphs show the highest PPV of the three orthogonal axis x, y and z. Where high values of PPV were caused by local interference with the vibration monitor, which are not representative of HS2 construction works, these values have been greyed out in the following charts and have been excluded to calculate values in Table 4 of the main report.

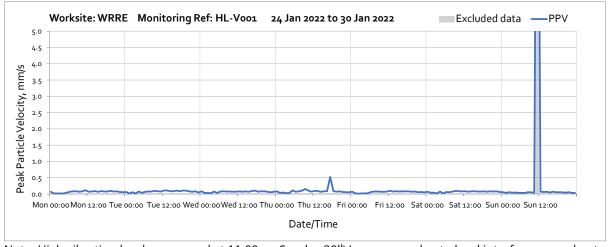
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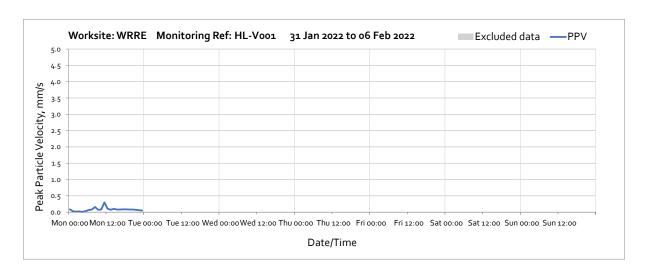








Note: High vibration levels measured at 11:00 on Sunday 30th January are due to local interference and not related to HS2 works.



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