WIND TURBINE GENERATOR (WTG)

SOUND POWER LEVEL SPECIFICATION

AS PER IEC-61400-11:2002 (WIND TURBINE GENERATOR SYSTEMS – PART 11: ACOUSTIC NOISE MEASUREMENT TECHNIQUES)

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12.1.3 Noise Curve, Noise Mode 0

Sound Power Level at Hub Height, Noise Mode 0			
Conditions for Sound Power Level:	**Measurement standard IEC 61400-11 ed. 2 2002** **Wind shear: 0.16** **Maximum turbulence at 10 metre height: 16%** **Inflow angle (vertical): 0 ±2°** **Air density: 1.225 kg/m^3**		
Hub Height	**84 m**	**94 m**	**119 m**
LwA @ 3 m/s (10 m above ground) [dBA] Wind speed at hub height [m/s]	94.5 4.2	94.5 4.3	94.7 4.5
LwA @ 4 m/s (10 m above ground) [dBA] Wind speed at hub height [m/s]	97.3 5.6	97.5 5.7	98.1 5.9
LwA @ 5 m/s (10 m above ground) [dBA] Wind speed at hub height [m/s]	100.9 7.0	101.2 7.2	101.9 7.4
LwA @ 6 m/s (10 m above ground) [dBA] Wind speed at hub height [m/s]	104.3 8.4	104.6 8.6	105.1 8.9
LwA @ 7 m/s (10 m above ground) [dBA] Wind speed at hub height [m/s]	106.0 9.8	106.5 10.0	106.5 10.4
LwA @ 8 m/s (10 m above ground) [dBA] Wind speed at hub height [m/s]	106.5 11.2	106.5 11.4	106.5 11.9
LwA @ 9 m/s (10 m above ground) [dBA] Wind speed at hub height [m/s]	106.5 12.7	106.5 12.9	106.5 13.4
LwA @ 10 m/s (10 m above ground) [dBA] Wind speed at hub height [m/s]	106.5 14.1	106.5 14.3	106.5 14.9
LwA @ 11 m/s (10 m above ground) [dBA] Wind speed at hub height [m/s]	106.5 15.5	106.5 15.7	106.5 16.3
LwA @ 12 m/s (10 m above ground) [dBA] Wind speed at hub height [m/s]	106.5 16.9	106.5 17.2	106.5 17.8
LwA @ 13 m/s (10 m above ground) [dBA] Wind speed at hub height [m/s]	106.5 18.3	106.5 18.6	106.5 19.3

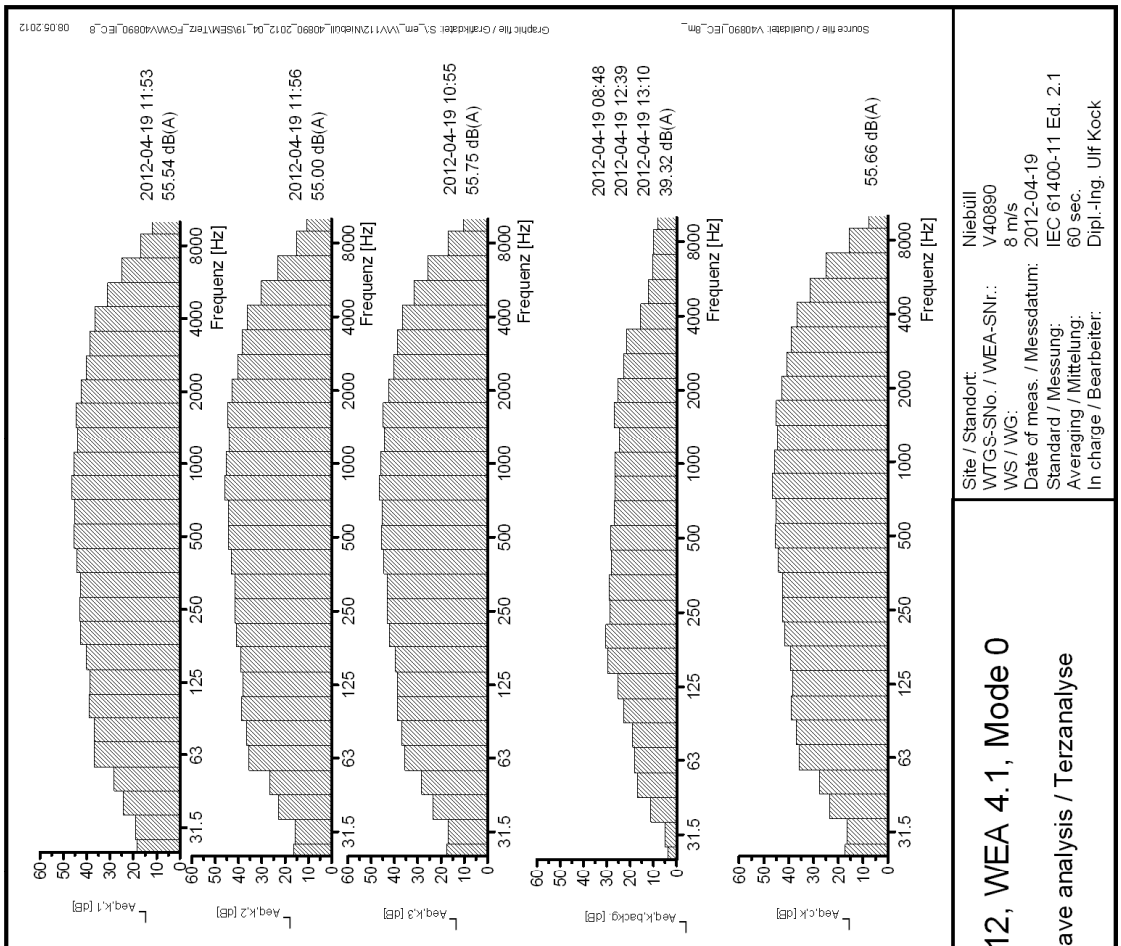
Table 12-3: Noise curve, noise mode 0

12.3.3 Noise Curve, Noise Mode 2

Sound Power Level at Hub Height, Noise Mode 2			
Conditions for Sound Power Level:	**Measurement standard IEC 61400-11 ed. 2 2002** **Wind shear: 0.16** **Maximum turbulence at 10 metre height: 16%** **Inflow angle (vertical): 0 ±2°** **Air density: 1.225 kg/m^3**		
Hub Height	**84 m**	**94 m**	**119 m**
LwA @ 3 m/s (10 m above ground) [dBA] Wind speed at hub height [m/s]	94.5 4.2	94.5 4.3	94.7 4.5
LwA @ 4 m/s (10 m above ground) [dBA] Wind speed at hub height [m/s]	97.3 5.6	97.5 5.7	98.1 5.9
LwA @ 5 m/s (10 m above ground) [dBA] Wind speed at hub height [m/s]	100.9 7.0	101.2 7.2	101.9 7.4
LwA @ 6 m/s (10 m above ground) [dBA] Wind speed at hub height [m/s]	104.5 8.4	104.5 8.6	104.5 8.9
LwA @ 7 m/s (10 m above ground) [dBA] Wind speed at hub height [m/s]	104.5 9.8	104.5 10.0	104.5 10.4
LwA @ 8 m/s (10 m above ground) [dBA] Wind speed at hub height [m/s]	104.5 11.2	104.5 11.4	104.5 11.9
LwA @ 9 m/s (10 m above ground) [dBA] Wind speed at hub height [m/s]	104.5 12.7	104.5 12.9	104.5 13.4
LwA @ 10 m/s (10 m above ground) [dBA] Wind speed at hub height [m/s]	104.5 14.1	104.5 14.3	104.5 14.9
LwA @ 11 m/s (10 m above ground) [dBA] Wind speed at hub height [m/s]	104.5 15.5	104.5 15.7	104.5 16.3
LwA @ 12 m/s (10 m above ground) [dBA] Wind speed at hub height [m/s]	104.5 16.9	104.5 17.2	104.5 17.8
LwA @ 13 m/s (10 m above ground) [dBA] Wind speed at hub height [m/s]	104.5 18.3	104.5 18.6	104.5 19.3

Table 12-9: Noise curve, noise mode 2.

Annex 4.3: A-weighted sound pressure 1/3-octave spectrum at 8 m/s



f	Spec. 1	Spec. 2	Spec. 3	Backg.	$L_{Aeq,c,k}$	$L_{WA,k}$	U_a	U_c
[Hz]	[dB]	[dB]	[dB]	[dB]	[dB]	[dB]	[dB]	[dB]
10	-5.5	-8.6	-6.5	-16.5	-7.6	41.8	1.6	2.5
13	2.9	0.0	1.7	-9.0	0.9	50.3	1.5	2.5
16	4.8	0.8	2.7	-9.1	1.9	51.3	2.0	2.8
20	17.1	16.7	16.1	-0.2	16.7	66.0	0.5	2.1
25	18.5	16.4	17.6	3.7	17.2	66.6	1.0	2.2
32	18.9	15.5	17.0	4.9	16.4	65.8	1.7	2.6
40	24.4	22.9	23.5	11.1	23.3	72.7	0.8	2.1
50	28.3	26.7	28.4	16.9	27.6	77.0	1.0	2.2
63	36.8	35.4	35.5	18.1	35.8	85.2	0.8	2.1
80	36.8	36.6	37.0	18.9	37.1	86.5	0.2	2.0
100	39.0	38.7	38.7	22.8	39.0	88.4	0.2	2.0
125	38.6	38.1	38.7	25.1	38.6	88.0	0.3	2.0
160	40.0	39.1	39.6	29.6	39.3	88.6	0.5	2.0
200	42.6	41.0	42.1	30.4	41.6	91.0	0.8	2.1
250	43.0	41.5	43.1	28.8	42.6	92.0	0.9	2.2
315	42.9	41.5	43.1	29.0	42.6	92.0	0.9	2.2
400	44.2	43.2	44.5	28.2	44.2	93.5	0.7	2.1
500	45.3	44.5	45.7	28.5	45.4	94.8	0.6	2.1
630	45.0	44.4	45.4	26.9	45.2	94.6	0.5	2.0
800	46.4	45.9	46.6	26.5	46.6	96.0	0.4	2.0
1000	45.5	45.2	45.9	26.5	45.9	95.2	0.3	2.0
1250	43.9	43.9	44.3	24.6	44.4	93.8	0.2	2.0
1600	44.4	44.7	44.9	26.9	45.1	94.5	0.2	2.0
2000	42.4	42.7	42.6	25.2	42.9	92.3	0.2	2.0
2500	40.1	40.2	40.3	22.7	40.6	89.9	0.1	2.0
3150	38.6	38.5	38.8	21.6	38.9	88.3	0.2	2.0
4000	36.5	36.2	36.4	15.4	36.7	86.0	0.2	2.0
5000	31.1	30.1	31.6	12.1	31.3	80.6	0.8	2.1
6300	25.0	23.3	25.6	10.2	24.8	74.2	1.2	2.3
8000	16.8	15.0	17.2	9.9	15.5	64.9	1.1	2.3
10000	11.9	10.7	10.4	8.2	7.6	57.0	0.8	2.1
12500	9.2	8.1	7.3	5.7	4.4	53.7	1.0	2.2
16000	5.7	4.9	4.0	2.6	1.0	50.4	0.8	2.2

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Vestas V112, WEA 4.1, Mode 0

One third octave analysis / Terzanalyse

Site / Standort: Niebüll
WTGS-SNo. / WEA-SNr.: V40890
WS / WG: 8 m/s
Date of meas. / Messdatum: 2012-04-19
Standard / Messung: IEC 61400-11 Ed. 2.1
Averaging / Mittelung: 60 sec.
In charge / Bearbeiter: Dipl.-Ing. Ulf Kock

5 Summary

As ordered by Vestas Wind Systems A/S, 8940 Randers, Denmark, GL Garrad Hassan Deutschland GmbH took measurements of the acoustic noise emissions on the WTGS Vestas V112 - 3.0 MW with a hub height of 94 m.

All measurements and analysis of the sound power level and tonality described in this report were made on the basis of the international standard [IEC 61400-11 Ed. 2.1]. The analysis of the sound power level was carried out using the standardised wind speed which was calculated from the calculated power curve provided by the customer (see annex).

The data of the WTGS Vestas V112 - 3.0 MW (mode 0) have been evaluated by using a fourth order regression because this is the best fitting approximation over all relevant points.

The results of this measurement are given in table 4.

Table 4: Summary of results

wind speed in 10 m height [m/s]	***6***	***7***	***8***	***9***	***10***
electrical power output calculated from the power curve [kW]	*1676*	*2548*	*3032*	*3074*	*3075*
measured pitch angle [degrees]	*-2,1*	*-3,4*	*0*	*5*	*8*
measured rotor speed [min^{-1}]	*12,3*	*12,7*	*12,9*	*12,9*	*12,9*
sound power level [dB]	*103,6*	*104,7*	*103,3*	*101,3*	*103,0**
combined uncertainty in the sound power level, U_C [dB]	*1,1*	*1,2*	*1,8*	*2,3*	*1,9*
tonality, ΔL_k [dB]	*-5,31*	*-5,05*	*-15,28*	*-13,9*	*-11,21*
tonal audibility, $\Delta L_{a,k}$ [dB]	*-1,97*	*-3,04*	*-13,27*	*-11,88*	*-9,19*
frequency of the most prevalent tone [Hz]	*1690*	*126*	*126*	*126*	*126*

* The sound power level has to be calculated by used of the 4th order regression. This leads to an unexpected high value for the sound power level. (see annex 2.1)

It is assured that this report has been drawn up impartially and with best knowledge and conscience.