# **Technical Appendix 10.3: Calibration** certificates of noise instruments



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## CERTIFICATE OF CALIBRATION

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**Tony Sherris** 

### **Sound Level Meter**

### Sound Level Meter Periodic Tests to EN 61672-3: 2013 Class 1

Client:

Environmental Measurements on behalf of Brendan O'Reilly Instrument Make:

**Larson Davis** Instrument Model: LxT1L

Unit 12, Tallaght Business Centre Whitestown Business Park Co.Dublin 24, Ireland

Serial Number:

0004570

Serial number

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Associated Equipment Microphone

Calibrator supplied by

Calibrator

**PCB** PCB Larson Davis by MTS for this calibration

Make

Model PRMLxT1L 377R02 **CAL200** 

036058 152074 9175

### Test results summary, detailed results are shown on subsequent pages.

Periodic tests were performed in accordance with procedures from IEC 61672-3:2013 Class 1

Tests performed	Section	Results of test	Page	Comments	
Calibration Certificate	22		1		
Additional information			2		
Indication with Calibrator Supplied	10	No Limit	3		
Self-Generated Noise	11	No Limit	3		
Frequency and Time-weightings at 1kHz	14	Complies	3		
Long term stability	15	Compiles	3		
High stability	21	Complies	3		
Acoustic Tests	12	Complies	4		
Frequency Weighting A	13	Complies	5		
Frequency Weighting C	13	Complies	6		
Frequency Weighting Z	13	Complies	7		
Level Linearity	16	Complies	8		
Level Linearity Range Control	17		n/a	Only one range	
Tone-burst Response	18	Complies	9		
Peak C sound level	19	Complies	10		
Overload indication	20	Complies	11		
Additional tests performed					
Microphone		32814			See additional certific
Filter, third octave or octave		32812F			See additional certific

The sound level meter submitted for testing has successfully completed the periodic tests of IEC 61672-3: 2013 for the environmental conditions under which the tests were performed. As evidence was publicly available, from an independent testing organisation responsible for approving the results of pattern evaluation tests performed in accordance with IEC 61672-2: 2013, to demonstrate that the model of sound level meter fully conformed to the Class 1 specifications in IEC 61672-1: 2013, the sound level meter submitted for testing conforms to the Class 1 specifications of IEC 61672-1: 2013

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### Sound Level Meter

### Sound Level Meter Periodic Tests to EN 61672-3: 2013 Class 1

Client:

Environmental Measurements on behalf of Brendan O'Reilly Instrument Make:

Unit 12, Tallaght Business Centre

Whitestown Business Park

Co.Dublin 24, Ireland

Instrument Model:

**Larson Davis** LxT1L

Serial Number:

0004643

Serial number Model PRMLxT1L

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**Associated Equipment** Preamplifier Microphone Calibrator

Calibrator supplied by

PCB PCB Larson Davis by MTS for this calibration

Make

377B02 CAL200

042742 173111 9175

Test results summary, detailed results are shown on subsequent pages.

Periodic tests were performed in accordance with procedures from IEC 61672-3:2013 Class 1

Tests performed	Section	Results of test	Page	Comments	
Calibration Certificate	22		1		
Additional information			2	(4)	
Indication with Calibrator Supplied	10	No Limit	3		
Self-Generated Noise	11	No Limit	3		
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Acoustic Tests	12	Complies	4		
Frequency Weighting A	13	Complies	5		
Frequency Weighting C	13	Complies	6		
Frequency Weighting Z	13	Complies	7		
Level Linearity	16	Complies	8		
Level Linearity Range Control	17		n/a	Only one range	
Tone-burst Response	18	Complies	9		
Peak C sound level	19	Complies	10		
Overload indication	20	Complles	11		
Additional tests performed					
Microphone		32820			See additional certif
Filter, third octave or octave		32818F			See additional certif

The instrument was within the above specification as received - no modifications were made

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### Sound Level Meter

### Sound Level Meter Periodic Tests to EN 61672-3: 2013 Class 1

Client:

Environmental Measurements on behalf of Brendan O'Reilly Instrument Make:

**Larson Davis** 

Unit 12, Tallaght Business Centre

Instrument Model:

LxT1L

Whitestown Business Park

Serial Number:

Co.Dublin 24, Ireland

0004647

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**Associated Equipment** Preamplifier Microphone

Make PCB PCB

Model PRMLxT1L 377B02 **CAL200** 

Serial number 042725 171552 9175

Calibrator Calibrator supplied by

Larson Davis by MTS for this calibration

Test results summary, detailed results are shown on subsequent pages.

Periodic tests were performed in accordance with procedures from IEC 61672-3:2013 Class 1

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Level Linearity Range Control	17		n/a	Only one range	
Tone-burst Response	18	Complies	9	**************************************	
Peak C sound level	19	Complies	10		
Overload indication	20	Complies	11		
Additional tests performed					
Microphone		32817			See additional certificate
Filter, third octave or octave		32815F			See additional certificate

The instrument was within the above specification as received - no modifications were made

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### **Sound Calibrator**

Client:

Environmental Measurements Unit 12, Tallaght Business Centre Whitestown Business Park Co.Dublin 24. Ireland

The measured values were:

**Larson Davis** 

### Model CAL200

### Serial Number 5838

 $\pm 0.14 \, dB \, (k=2)$ **Output Level 1:** 94.09 dB re 20µPa **Fundamental Frequency 1:** 1000.50 Hz  $\pm 0.11 \, Hz \, (k=2)$ **Total Harmonic Distortion 1:** 0.39 %  $\pm 0.01\%$  (k= 2)  $\pm 0.14 \, dB \, (k=2)$ **Output Level 2:** 114.16 dB re 20μPa  $\pm 0.11 \, Hz \, (k=2)$ **Fundamental Frequency 2:** 1000.48 Hz **Total Harmonic Distortion 2:**  $\pm 0.01\%$  (k= 2) 0.40

This measurement is valid only for the above device configured for calibration of a WS-2 microphone under the above environmental conditions. For deviation of prevailing conditions, the manufacturer's literature for the calibrator should be referred to.

Date of Measurements:

26 February 2019

Date of Receipt:

25 February 2019

#### Method of calibration

A Reference Calibrator was used to establish the sensitivity of the measurement chain. The same measurement chain is then used to determine the output level of the Object Calibrator by the difference between its output and that of the nominated Reference Calibrator. Four independent measurements of the third-octave band sound pressure levels produced by the Reference Calibrators and the Object Calibrator are averaged to minimise uncertainties of the calibration. The measurement chain consists of a calibrated, Reference Microphone, Reference Preamplifier and Reference Analyser.

As well as providing a traceable measurement of the sound pressure level in the cavity of the Object Calibrator, the Calibrator's frequency and total harmonic distortion are also measured. Frequency is determined from the average of four independent measurements using a multimeter. The total harmonic distortion is measured from the average of three independent measurements by third octave analysis, subtracting the level of the fundamental frequency from the sum of the combined harmonics in the frequency band to 20kHz. The complete procedure is detailed in the MTS Calibration Ltd work procedure WP01.

The sound pressure level generated by the calibrator in its WS2 configuration was measured by reference to B&K Model 4133 Microphone and reference Sound Calibrator as shown in the Test Equipment section below.

The reported expanded uncertainty is based on a standard uncertainty multiplied by a coverage factor k (individually calculated as above), providing a coverage probability of approximately 95%. The uncertainty evaluation has been calculated in accordance with the current version of UKAS publication M3003. The uncertainty quoted for the Distortion Measurement is the Distortion Percentage as measured, multiplied by our Uncertainty as calculated for the individual measurement or our CMC, whichever is the larger.

Measurement Conditions:	Temperature	22	°C	±1°C
	Atmospheric Pressure	1032	mBar	± 2 mBar
	Relative Humidity	42	%	±5%

Test Equipment used during this calibration:

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Equipment	Manufacturer	Model	Serial No.	Traceability Ref.	Calibration Due
Reference Calibrator	Brüel & Kjær	4231	3014620	TE 133	Oct-21
Multimeter	HP	34401A	36146A63804	TE 105	Jul-19
Signal Generator (set 1)	HP	33120A	US36016577	TE 111	Jul-19
Real-Time Analyser (set 1)	Larson Davis	2900	0492	TE 108	Jul-19

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