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Say "NO" to high noise levels

Jet taking off 25 metres away

140dB (A)



Chain saw 115-120dB (A)



Pighouse at feeding time 110dB (A)



Busy Street/Vacuum cleaner 78-85dB (A)



Normal Conversation

50-60dB (A)

Tel: 1 800 320 500





140dB (A)

120dB (A)

110dB (A)

90dB (A)

87dB (A)

Action values according to Control of Noise at Work

Regulations 2005

Exposure Limit Value - at ear Can be achieved with

Hearing Protector

80dB (A)

At this point or above, employers must strictly enforce the use of hearing protection for individual workers.

Upper Exposure Action Value

80dB (A)

At this point or above, employers are obligated to make suitable hearing protection available on request to individual workers.



Lower Exposure Action Value

25dB (A)

50dB (A)

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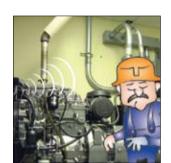




Protect against NOISE



Say "NO" to high noise levels by wearing appropriate hearing protection.



Engine Noise



Machining



Forging



Drilling and





Stamping, Press shop. **Metal Forming**



Welding



Material Handling



Grinding, Buffing, Metal Finishing



Assembly and Packaging



High Noise may lead to:



Noise-induced Hearing loss



Accidents



Sleeping Disorders

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