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Executive Summary

R.J. Burnside & Associates Limited (Burnside) was retained by St. Mark and St. Demiana Church to prepare a Noise Control Feasibility Study for the St. Mark and St. Demiana Church Development. The property (300044049.2000) is located at Ninth Line, Mississauga, Ontario.

The proposed development will contain stationary noise sources with potential to impact noise sensitive land uses in the vicinity. The proposed stationary noise sources include refrigerated truck deliveries to the cafeteria and rooftop HVAC equipment. Sound levels from these sources were modelled based on standard MECP data for trucks and conservative estimates of the future development's HVAC requirements. As the mechanical plans are not available at this time, a worst-case predictable location was selected for the HVAC equipment. The ambient noise conditions predicted for the nearby noise sensitive receptors of proposed development were also considered. The resulting estimated future sound levels were compared to the applicable MECP stationary noise limits of a Class 1 Area in order to determine whether any noise control measures are required.

The assessment revealed that the stationary sound levels from the proposed sources within the development, at one point of reception near the proposed development is above the MECP limits for nighttime; therefore, external stationary noise mitigation measures may be required.

To meet the MECP noise standards one of the following conditions must be met by the final mechanical design:

1. Locate the cooling tower at the worst-case predictable location used for this study but specify a unit with a manufacturer's sound power level rating not exceeding 107 dBA.
2. Locate the cooling tower at a more favorable location further north of the worst-case predictable location used for this study, specifying either a unit with a manufacturer's sound power level rating not exceeding 107 dBA, or a higher rating verified in writing by a qualified Acoustic Consultant to not result in an exceedance at the selected location.
3. Locate the cooling tower at any location on the Church building roof and have a qualified Acoustical Consultant determine appropriate noise mitigation measures to be applied to the unit and / or the building structure.
4. If conventional HVAC units are preferred over a cooling tower for the building, a Detailed Noise Control Study should be prepared by a qualified Acoustical Consultant assessing the proposed locations and HVAC units selected.

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All of the conditions are reasonable to implement so the conclusion of this report is that there is no noise related reason the development cannot continue. Confirmation of the final development will be required during detailed design.

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1.0 Introduction

R.J. Burnside & Associates Limited (Burnside) was retained by St. Mark and St. Demiana Church to prepare a Noise Control Feasibility Study for the new St. Mark and St. Demiana Church Development. The property (300044049.2000) is located at Ninth Line, Mississauga, Ontario.

The purpose of this assessment is to examine a potential noise impact of the new St. Mark and St. Demiana Church onto the neighboring residential properties.

1.1 Objective

This report has been prepared in support of the new St. Mark and St. Demiana Church Development. This report will be included in a submission for a Zoning Bylaw Amendment and Site Plan Application. The ambient noise conditions were modelled using the MECP computer program for road traffic noise assessment, STAMSON. Sound levels were predicted based on current traffic counts for Highway 403, Ninth Line, and Burnhamthorpe Road West (see Table 4). The potential noise impacts were evaluated by comparing predicted sound levels at the representative points of reception with the MECP sound level limits.

1.2 Study Area

The proposed St. Mark and St. Demiana Church Development is located between Ninth Line and Highway 403, south of Burnhamthorpe Road, in Mississauga, Ontario. The site location plan is provided in Figure 1. The Site Plan is provided in Figure 2.

The study area including noise sources and representative points of reception is shown in Figure 3.

1.3 Report Update History

The report was updated in January 2024 to respond to comments from the City requesting the ultimate traffic data be included in the study. The traffic data is summarized in Tables 3, 4 and 5. As the traffic data is only used for ambient noise calculations used to establish the noise criteria it is more conservative to continue using the traffic counts from the turning movement counts. The truck percentage from ultimate traffic counts were relied upon. The conversion of the peak hourly traffic data of Ninth Line and Burnhamthorpe into minimum hourly counts is shown in Appendix A.

2.0 Applicable Noise Criteria

2.1 MECP Noise Policies

Environmental Noise Guideline (Noise Guideline), MECP Publication NPC-300, provides advice, sound level limits and guidance that maybe used when land use planning decisions are made under the Planning Act, and the Niagara Escarpment Planning and Development Act. This guidance is for land use planning authorities, developers, and consultants. It is intended to minimize the potential conflict between proposed noise sensitive land uses and sources of noise emissions.

2.1.1 Stationary Noise

The applicable stationary noise criteria are dependent on the Class Area as well as the ambient sound levels present at each point of reception. The applicable criteria are the greater of the exclusion limits, provided in the MECP tables below, or the lowest hourly ambient sound level predicted for a given point of reception.

The proposed St. Mark and St. Demiana Church Development is located in a Class 1 Urban Area.

MECP Table C-5 of NPC-300: Exclusion Limit Values of One-Hour Equivalent Sound Level (L_{eq} , dBA) Outdoor Points of Reception

Time of Day	Class 1 Area	Class 2 Area	Class 3 Area	Class 4 Area
07:00 – 19:00	50 dBA	50 dBA	45 dBA	55 dBA
19:00 – 23:00	50 dBA	45 dBA	40 dBA	55 dBA

MECP Table C-6 of NPC-300: Exclusion Limit Values of One-Hour Equivalent Sound Level (L_{eq} , dBA) Plane of Window of Noise Sensitive Spaces

Time of Day	Class 1 Area	Class 2 Area	Class 3 Area	Class 4 Area
07:00 – 19:00	50 dBA	50 dBA	45 dBA	60 dBA
19:00 – 23:00	50 dBA	50 dBA	40 dBA	60 dBA
23:00 – 07:00	45 dBA	45 dBA	40 dBA	55 dBA

2.2 Regional and Municipal Policies

In addition to the preceding MECP Noise Criteria, the subject development is also subject to the following Regional and Municipal requirements:

2.2.1 Region of Peel Noise Policy

The Region of Peel's 2012 Guidelines for the preparation of Acoustic Reports was reviewed for the preparation of this report. Although Peel's Guidelines do contain various

requirements above the NPC-300 requirements, there are no substantive differences to highlight for this proposed development.

2.2.2 City of Mississauga Noise Policy

The City of Mississauga's document "Terms of Reference - Noise Study" was reviewed for the preparation of this report.

3.0 Stationary Noise Sources and Receptors

3.1 Internal Stationary Noise

Internal stationary noise is defined as the on-site stationary noise of the proposed development. The potential impact of internal stationary noise is assessed at neighbouring noise sensitive land uses and at noise sensitive locations within the proposed development itself, if appropriate.

3.1.1 Internal Stationary Noise Sources

The proposed development contains the following sources of stationary noise:

- Truck Deliveries:
 - The Church building of the proposed development contains a cafeteria and kitchen. To service the kitchen, a loading zone is located outside of the kitchen at the south side of the building.
 - The kitchen is only equipped to receive a single truck delivery at a time.
 - The worst-case predictable event is a refrigerated truck delivery lasting a full hour.
 - A Sound Power Level of 113 dBA was used for the model. This data was referenced from "Sound Power Levels and Directivity Patterns of Refrigerated Transport Trailers" by RWDI Consulting Engineers as published in the Canadian Acoustics journal (Vol. 45 No. 3 (2017)).
- Cooling Tower:
 - The mechanical details of the proposed development are not yet available. Based on the total square footage of the Church Building Burnside estimated 500 tonnes of cooling are required (assuming 1 tonne per 400 ft²). For a cooling load this large, a cooling tower would typically be specified.
 - For a preliminary assessment, to determine whether any scenario exists where noise control measures would be required, it was assumed that the cooling tower has a sound power level of 111 dBA. This level was measured by Burnside from a chiller of roughly similar size, which did not include any noise control measures.
 - The location of the cooling tower was assumed to be in the center of the southernmost wing of the building. Based on the locations of the mechanical

rooms, Burnside determined this location to be the worst-case realistically predictable location for the cooling tower.

- The cooling tower was assumed to operate for up to 60 minutes per hour during the day, 45 minutes per hour during the evening, and 30 minutes per hour during the night.

3.1.2 Internal Stationary Noise Points of Reception

The proposed St. Mark and St. Demiana Church is in proximity to the following noise sensitive land uses:

- POR 1 – Low Density Single Family Residential Dwelling:
 - 3480 Ninth Line, Mississauga
 - Located directly south-west of the proposed development
- POR 2 – Low Density Single Family Residential Dwelling:
 - 3448 Ninth Line, Mississauga
 - Located directly south of the proposed development
- There are other Low-Density Single Family Residential Dwellings to the north, northeast, and east but they are more than 500 m from the property line across the 403 highway and not expected to be impacted.

4.0 Stationary Noise Impact Assessment

4.1 Methodology

Sound levels associated with stationary noise are predicted with Predictor V2019.3 3D noise modeling software. Predictor follows the ISO 9613 method of sound level calculation.

The following model settings are used:

- 4.5 m calculation height
- 0.5 Default Ground attenuation Factor
- No Barrier effect for direct sight – Active
- Dmax According to ISO 9613 – Active
- Avoid overestimating barrier effect – Active
- Terrain model: Use full DTM
- Temperature: 283.15 K
- Pressure: 101.33 kPa
- Air humidity: 70%

4.2 Predicted Ambient Sound Levels & Applicable Criteria

Ambient sound levels were predicted with MECP traffic noise prediction model ORNAMENT, implemented through a computer program STAMSON (version 5.04). The model calculates expected sound levels based on hourly road and rail traffic, distance to receptor, receptor height, and topographical features.

The hourly traffic data provided to Burnside for this report is included in Appendix A. The traffic data used in the STAMSON calculations are summarized in Table 1.

Sample ambient sound level modeling printout is included in Appendix C.

The following ambient sound levels were determined for each point of reception:

- POR 1: 57 dBA Day, 56 dBA Evening, 48 dBA Night
- POR 2: 60 dBA Day, 60 dBA Evening, 51 dBA Night

Therefore, as the proposed St. Mark and St. Demiana Church is in a Class 1 Area the applicable sound level criteria for stationary noise is as follows:

- POR 1: 57 dBA Day, 56 dBA Evening, 48 dBA Night
- POR 2: 60 dBA Day, 60 dBA Evening, 51 dBA Night

4.3 Predicted Internal Stationary Sound Levels

Using the assumptions stated in Section 3.1.1, the results of the stationary model are as follows:

Table 1: Predicted Stationary Sound Levels (Unmitigated)

POR #	Time of Day	Impact	Criteria	Compliance
POR1	Daytime	53 dBA	58 dBA	Yes
	Evening	52 dBA	57 dBA	Yes
	Nighttime	50 dBA	47 dBA	Yes
POR2	Daytime	59 dBA	60 dBA	Yes
	Evening	57 dBA	61 dBA	Yes
	Nighttime	55 dBA	51 dBA	No

As seen from the table above, the only predicted excess is at POR 2 during the night. The 4-dB excess is attributable entirely to the cooling tower, as there are no truck deliveries expected during the nighttime.

4.4 Predicted Mitigated Internal Stationary Sound Levels

Reducing the sound power level assumption of the cooling tower from 111 dBA to 107 dBA produces the following compliant results:

Table 2: Predicted Stationary Sound Levels (Mitigated)

POR #	Time of Day	Impact	Criteria	Compliance
POR1	Daytime	49 dBA	58 dBA	Yes
	Evening	48 dBA	57 dBA	Yes
	Nighttime	46 dBA	47 dBA	Yes

POR #	Time of Day	Impact	Criteria	Compliance
POR2	Daytime	56 dBA	60 dBA	Yes
	Evening	53 dBA	61 dBA	Yes
	Nighttime	51 dBA	51 dBA	Yes

5.0 Noise Mitigation Measures

Based on the predicted sound levels it was determined that, depending on the actual location of and model of HVAC equipment specified, noise mitigation measures may be required for this Development.

5.1 Internal Stationary Noise Mitigation Requirements

The assessment of the proposed St. Mark and St. Demiana Church's internal stationary sources determined that, in order to meet the MECF noise standards, one of the following conditions must be met by the final mechanical design:

1. Locate the cooling tower at worst-case predictable location used for this study but specify a unit with a manufacturer's sound power level rating not exceeding 107 dBA.
2. Locate the cooling tower at a more favorable location further north of the worst-case predictable location used for this study, specifying either a unit with a manufacturer's sound power level rating not exceeding 107 dBA, or a higher rating verified in writing by a qualified Acoustic Consultant to not result in an exceedance at the selected location.
3. Locate the cooling tower at any location on the Church building roof and have a qualified Acoustical Consultant determine appropriate noise mitigation measures to be applied to the unit and / or the building structure.
4. If conventional HVAC units are preferred over a cooling tower for the building, a Detailed Noise Control Study should be prepared by a qualified Acoustical Consultant assessing the proposed locations and HVAC units selected.

6.0 Implementation Procedures

The following implementation procedures are recommended to ensure that each requirement of this study is implemented at the correct stage of the development process:

1. If conventional HVAC units are specified:
 - a) Prior to Site Plan Approval an Acoustical Consultant should be retained to conduct a Detailed Noise Control Study. A Detailed Noise Control Study requires proposed building locations and a proposed grading plan to be completed. The recommendations of this Noise Control Feasibility Study are

preliminary estimates to ensure the viability of the proposed development. A Detailed Noise Control Study will finalize most of the acoustic requirements of the development.

2. If the cooling tower is not located as described in 5.1:
 - a) Prior to occupancy, the development should be certified by a qualified Acoustics Engineer for compliance with the requirements of the Detailed Noise Control Study.

7.0 Conclusion

Results of St. Mark and St. Demiana Church Development's Noise Control Feasibility Study demonstrate that if one of the noise mitigation alternatives in Section 5.1 are implemented, sound levels at all points of reception will meet the Ministry of the Environment, Conservation and Parks noise guideline requirements. The Implementation Procedures of Section 6.0 should be followed carefully to ensure that no requirements of the Noise Study are overlooked during the development and construction process.

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Table 3: Current Traffic Volumes – Minimum Hourly

Road	Minimum Hourly Traffic Volumes			
	Total (Day/Evening/ Night)	# of Light Vehicles (Day/Evening/ Night)	# of Medium Trucks (Day/Evening/ Night)	# of Heavy Trucks (Day/Evening/ Night)
Highway 403 – EB	2642 / 1678 / 234	2114 / 1342 / 187	396 / 252 / 35	132 / 84 / 12
Highway 403 – WB	2642 / 1678 / 234	2114 / 1342 / 187	396 / 252 / 35	132 / 84 / 12
Burnhamthrope Road	500 / 400 / 30	493 / 3 / 5	394 / 2 / 4	30* / 0 / 0
Ninth Line	579 / 463 / 35	565 / 2 / 13	452 / 1 / 10	34* / 0 / 1

*Number inflated to bring total count to the minimum 40 vehicles required by STAMSON for hourly calculations. This alteration has no effect on the result of any calculations.

Table 4: Current Traffic Volumes – Peak Hourly

Road	Peak Hourly Traffic Volumes			
	Total	# of Light Vehicles	# of Medium Trucks	# of Heavy Trucks
Burnhamthrope Road	1,182	1,165	6	12
Ninth Line	1,757	1,713	5	39

Table 5: Current Traffic Volumes – Peak Hourly Equivalent AADT

Road	Peak Hourly AADT Traffic Volumes			
	Total	# of Light Vehicles	# of Medium Trucks	# of Heavy Trucks
Burnhamthrope Road	11,827	11,650	59	118
Ninth Line	17,572	17,132	53	387

It is assumed that AADT is equivalent to 10 times the peak hourly counts.

The minimum hourly traffic volumes were determined by distributing the provided current AADT counts along an hourly distribution curve of a similar road type from Burnside's database. This process is documented in Appendix B alongside the STAMSON calculations of the minimum hourly ambient sound levels.

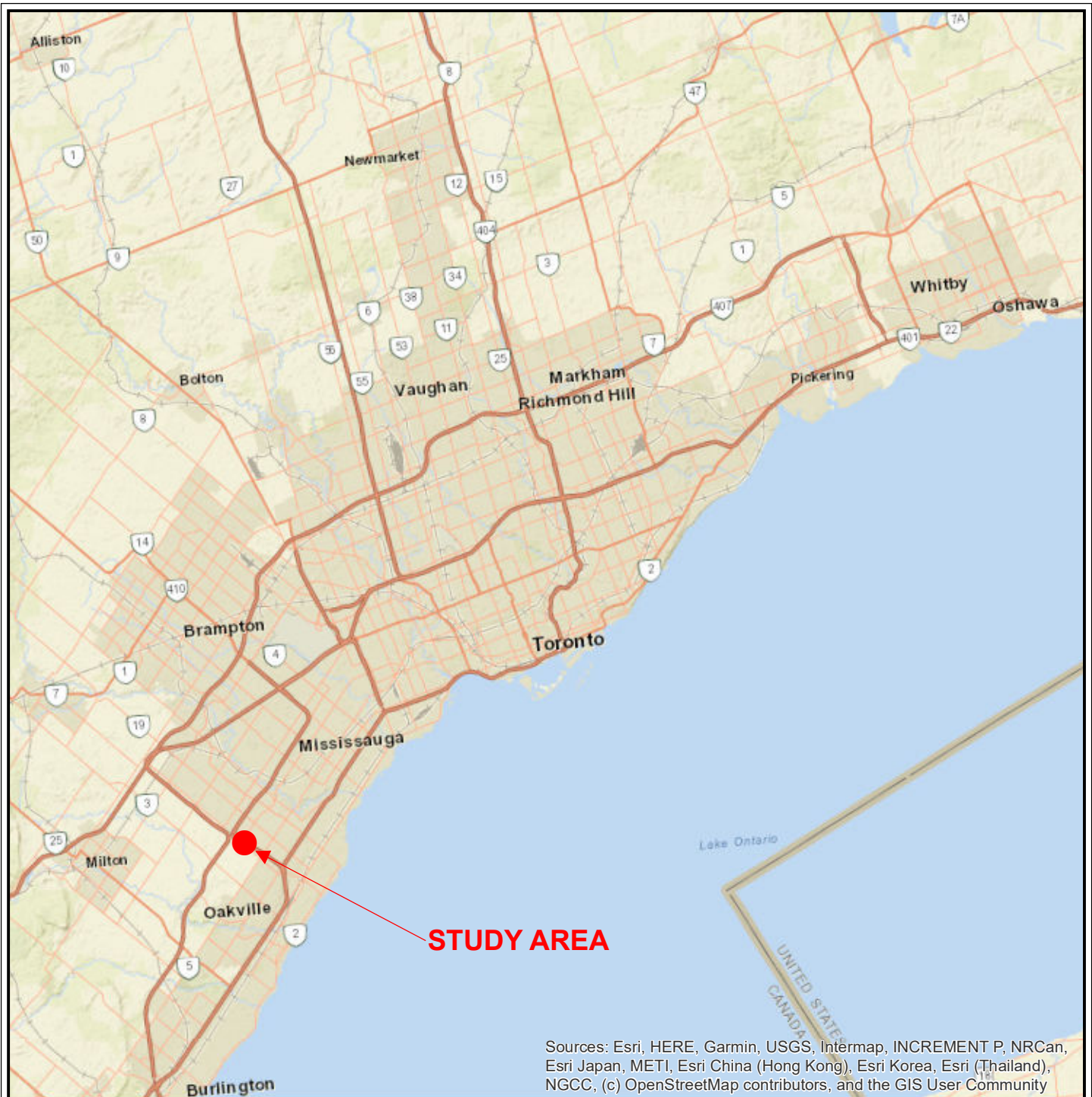


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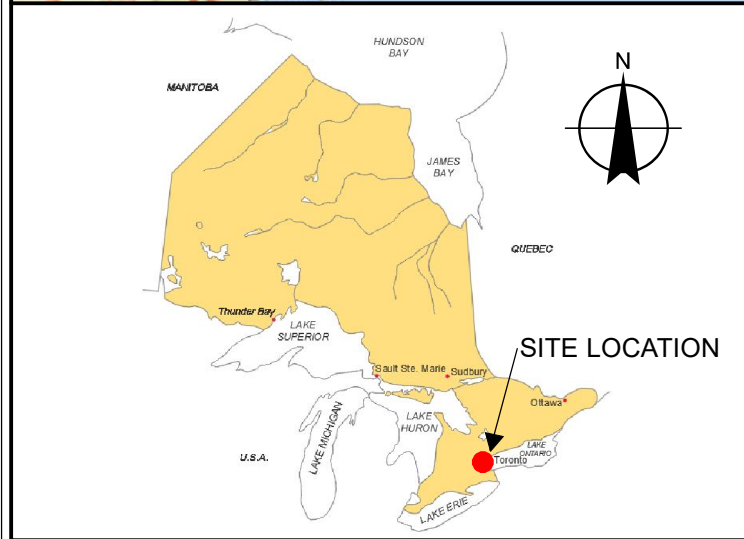
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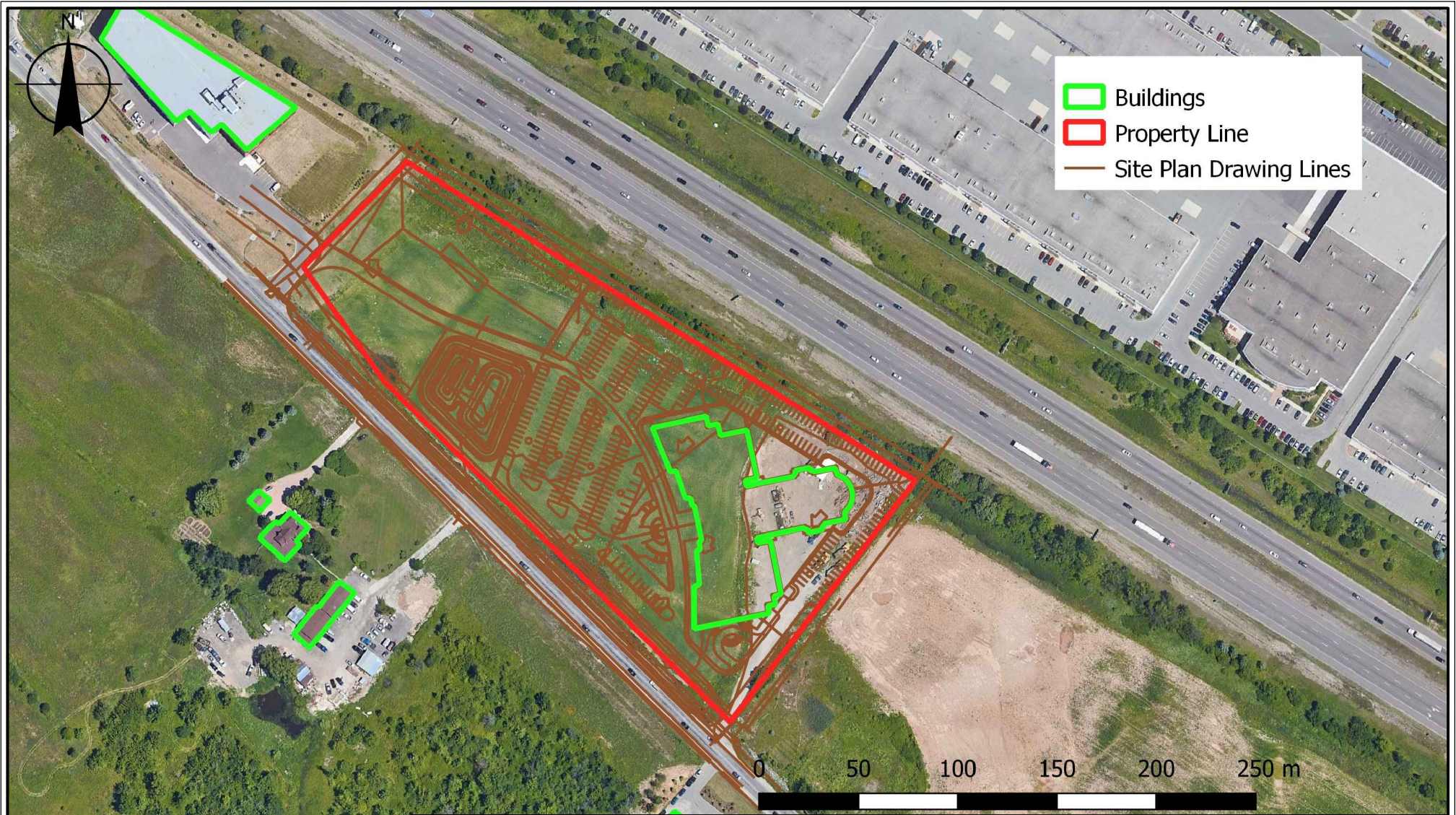
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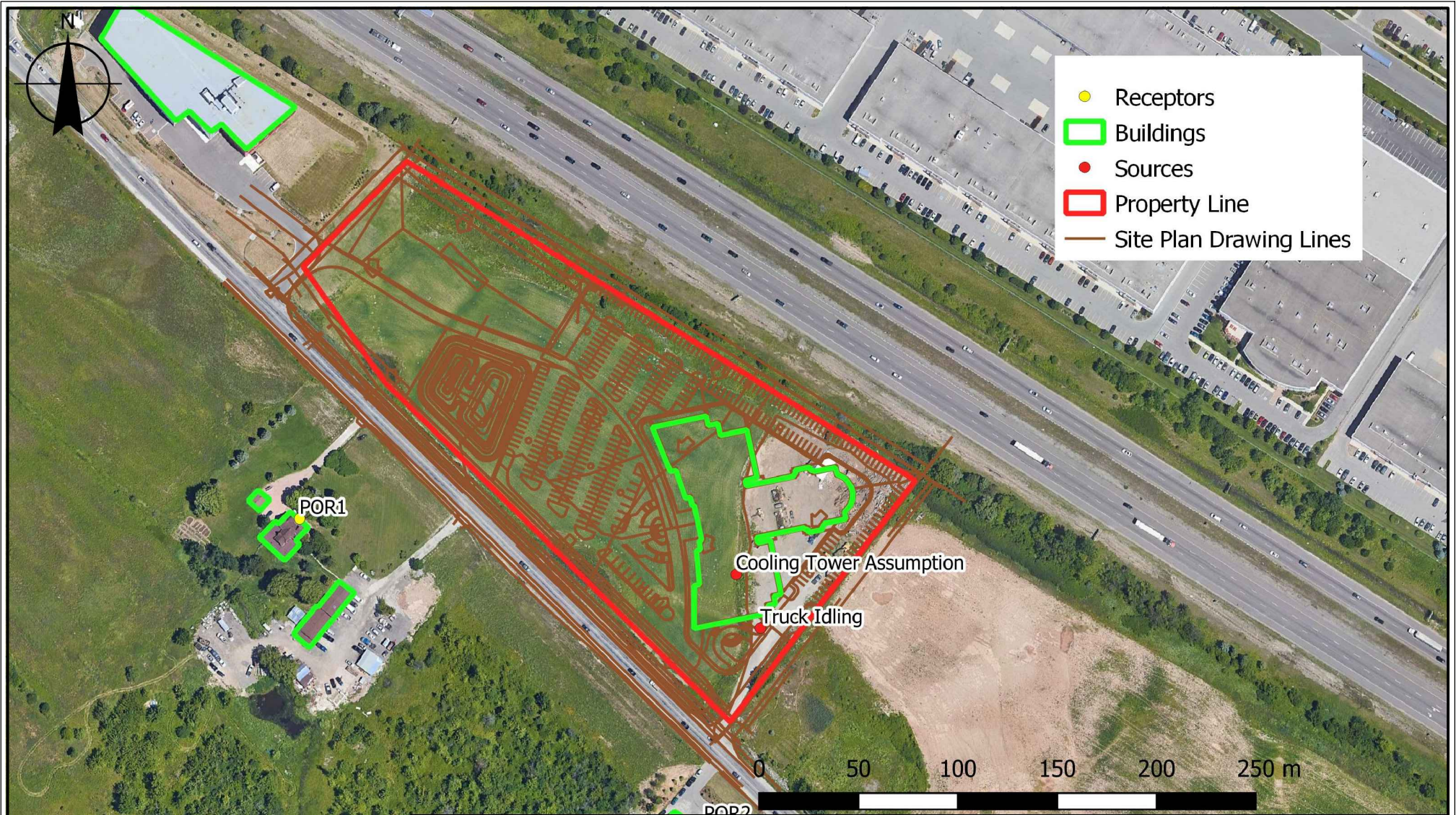


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Appendix A

Traffic Data

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APPENDIX A**Summary of the traffic data:**

Road	Ninth Line	Burnhamthorpe Road	Highway 403
Location	South of Burhamthorpe Road	West of Ninth Line	Between 407 and Dundas Street West
Current Minimum Hourly Traffic (Day / Evening / Night)	-	-	2642 / 1678 / 234
Current Daily Traffic AADT	-	-	99,000
Current Peak Hour Traffic Counts (2024)	1,757	1,183	-
Peak Hour AADT Estimate (2024)	17,572	11,827	-
No. of Lanes	2	2	5
Posted Speed	60 km/h	60 km/h	100 km/h
Trucks (Med/Heavy)	0.3% / 2.2%	0.5% / 1%	15% / 5%
Day/Night Split	90% / 10%	90% / 10%	66.7% / 33.3%
Road Gradient	2%	2%	2%

Burnhamthorpe Rd @ Ninth Line

Municipality: Halton Region
 Major Road: Burnhamthorpe Rd
 Minor Road: Ninth Line

Date: Jun 15, 2015

Major Road Runs: East/West
 Weather Conditions: Cloudy, Rain
 Person No. 1 Margaret
 Person No. 2 Frank

Period Ending	North Approach								East Approach								South Approach								West Approach								Veh. Summary	
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Burnhamthorpe Rd @ Ninth Line

Morning Peak Diagram

Specified Period

From: 7:00:00

To: 9:00:00

One Hour Peak

From: 7:45:00

To: 8:45:00

Municipality: Halton Region
Site #: 0000003300
Intersection: Ninth Line & Burnhamthorpe Rd
TFR File #: 6
Count date: 4-Dec-2019

Weather conditions:
Overcast/Wet
Person(s) who counted:
Cam

**** Signalized Intersection ****

Major Road: Ninth Line runs N/S

North Leg Total: 1374
 North Entering: 845
 North Peds: 0
 Peds Cross: \times

Heavys	2	5	1	8
Trucks	1	0	0	1
Cars	24	610	202	836
Totals	27	615	203	



Heavys	23
Trucks	4
Cars	502
Totals	529

East Leg Total: 1171
 East Entering: 374
 East Peds: 0
 Peds Cross: \times

Heavys	Trucks	Cars	Totals
5	1	246	252

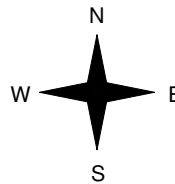


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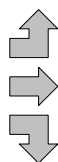
Cars	Trucks	Heavys	Totals
85	2	3	90
198	0	2	200
79	2	3	84
362	4	8	



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Heavys	Trucks	Cars	Totals
2	0	71	73
3	2	487	492
0	0	68	68
5	2	626	



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Peds Cross: \times
 West Peds: 0
 West Entering: 633
 West Leg Total: 885

Cars	757	Cars	24	346	101	471
Trucks	2	Trucks	0	2	0	2
Heavys	8	Heavys	1	18	1	20
Totals	767	Totals	25	366	102	



Ninth Line



Peds Cross: \times
 South Peds: 0
 South Entering: 493
 South Leg Total: 1260

Comments

Burnhamthorpe Rd @ Ninth Line

Mid-day Peak Diagram

Specified Period

From: 11:00:00

To: 14:00:00

One Hour Peak

From: 13:00:00

To: 14:00:00

Municipality: Halton Region
Site #: 0000003300
Intersection: Ninth Line & Burnhamthorpe Rd
TFR File #: 6
Count date: 4-Dec-2019

Weather conditions:
Overcast/Wet
Person(s) who counted:
Cam

**** Signalized Intersection ****

Major Road: Ninth Line runs N/S

North Leg Total: 725

North Entering: 325

North Peds: 0

Peds Cross: \times

Heavys	0	8	2	10
Trucks	0	5	1	6
Cars	13	220	76	309
Totals	13	233	79	



Heavys 17

Trucks 7

Cars 376

Totals 400

East Leg Total: 730

East Entering: 392

East Peds: 0

Peds Cross: \times

Heavys	Trucks	Cars	Totals
4	4	265	273

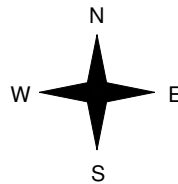


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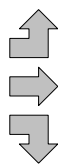
Cars	Trucks	Heavys	Totals
101	2	4	107
213	4	2	219
66	0	0	66
380	6	6	



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Heavys	Trucks	Cars	Totals
0	0	15	15
2	3	190	195
3	4	28	35
5	7	233	



Ninth Line

Burnhamthorpe Rd



Cars	Trucks	Heavys	Totals
325	9	4	338

Peds Cross: \times

West Peds: 0

West Entering: 245

West Leg Total: 518

Cars	314	Cars	39	260	59	358
Trucks	9	Trucks	0	5	5	10
Heavys	11	Heavys	2	13	0	15
Totals	334	Totals	41	278	64	



Peds Cross: \times

South Peds: 0

South Entering: 383

South Leg Total: 717

Comments

Burnhamthorpe Rd @ Ninth Line

Afternoon Peak Diagram

Specified Period

From: 15:00:00

To: 18:00:00

One Hour Peak

From: 16:30:00

To: 17:30:00

Municipality: Halton Region
Site #: 0000003300
Intersection: Ninth Line & Burnhamthorpe Rd
TFR File #: 6
Count date: 4-Dec-2019

Weather conditions:
Overcast/Wet
Person(s) who counted:
Cam

**** Signalized Intersection ****

Major Road: Ninth Line runs N/S

North Leg Total: 1185
 North Entering: 504
 North Peds: 0
 Peds Cross: \times

Heavys	1	4	2	7
Trucks	0	0	0	0
Cars	14	354	129	497
Totals	15	358	131	



Heavys	5
Trucks	0
Cars	676
Totals	681

East Leg Total: 1418
 East Entering: 693
 East Peds: 0
 Peds Cross: \times

Heavys	Trucks	Cars	Totals
1	1	532	534

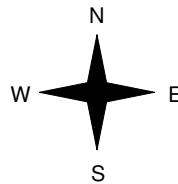


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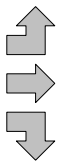
Cars	Trucks	Heavys	Totals
147	0	1	148
448	1	0	449
95	1	0	96
690	2	1	



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Heavys	Trucks	Cars	Totals
0	0	13	13
0	2	396	398
0	2	50	52
0	4	459	



Ninth Line

Burnhamthorpe Rd



Cars	Trucks	Heavys	Totals
718	4	3	725

Peds Cross: \times
 West Peds: 0
 West Entering: 463
 West Leg Total: 997

Cars	499	Cars	70	516	193	779
Trucks	3	Trucks	0	0	2	2
Heavys	4	Heavys	0	4	1	5
Totals	506	Totals	70	520	196	



Peds Cross: \times
 South Peds: 1
 South Entering: 786
 South Leg Total: 1292

Comments

Burnhamthorpe Rd @ Ninth Line

Total Count Diagram

Municipality: Halton Region
Site #: 0000003300
Intersection: Ninth Line & Burnhamthorpe Rd
TFR File #: 6
Count date: 4-Dec-2019

Weather conditions:
 Overcast/Wet
Person(s) who counted:
 Cam

**** Signalized Intersection ****

Major Road: Ninth Line runs N/S

North Leg Total: 7927
 North Entering: 3956
 North Peds: 0
 Peds Cross: \bowtie

Heavys	7	57	22	86
Trucks	4	14	8	26
Cars	144	2689	1011	3844
Totals	155	2760	1041	



Heavys	112
Trucks	32
Cars	3827
Totals	3971

East Leg Total: 8121
 East Entering: 3609
 East Peds: 0
 Peds Cross: \bowtie

Heavys	Trucks	Cars	Totals
25	15	2634	2674

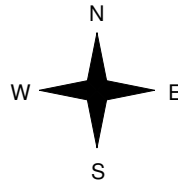


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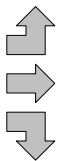
Cars	Trucks	Heavys	Totals
838	5	20	863
2109	10	7	2126
607	5	8	620
3554	20	35	



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Heavys	Trucks	Cars	Totals
6	1	201	208
13	16	2577	2606
5	10	346	361
24	27	3124	



Ninth Line

Burnhamthorpe Rd



Cars	Trucks	Heavys	Totals
4428	37	47	4512

Peds Cross: \bowtie
 West Peds: 0
 West Entering: 3175
 West Leg Total: 5849

Cars	3642	Cars	381	2788	840	4009
Trucks	29	Trucks	1	26	13	40
Heavys	70	Heavys	11	86	12	109
Totals	3741	Totals	393	2900	865	



Peds Cross: \bowtie
 South Peds: 1
 South Entering: 4158
 South Leg Total: 7899

Comments

% Traffic Distribution Hourly Traffic Distribution (Hour starting)

Distribution		0000	0100	0200	0300	0400	0500	0600	0700	0800	0900	1000	1100	1200	1300	1400	1500	1600	1700	1800	1900	2000	2100	2200	2300	Min %	Max %	
Queens Quay, west of Bathur	Distribution number	17	0.92%	0.40%	0.20%	0.46%	0.20%	0.33%	1.32%	3.76%	7.91%	6.20%	3.82%	3.30%	6.06%	5.14%	5.54%	5.87%	8.90%	11.21%	9.69%	5.87%	4.55%	3.23%	2.64%	2.50%	0.20%	11.21%
Gardiner Average		23	1.46%	0.71%	0.57%	0.47%	0.71%	2.05%	5.20%	6.33%	6.18%	5.61%	5.34%	5.38%	5.53%	5.49%	5.61%	5.84%	5.94%	6.15%	5.83%	5.18%	4.21%	4.17%	3.39%	2.64%	0.47%	6.33%

Road	AADT	Distruition	24h Minimum																								25 h	34.75016	Daytime Evening		
			2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	Minimum Vehicles/h			Minimum Vehicles/h	Minimum Vehicles/h	
Ninth Line	17572	17	162	70	35	81	35	58	232	660	1390	1089	672	579	1066	904	973	1031	1564	1969	1703	1031	799	568	463	440	30	579	463	35	
Burnhamthorpe	11827	17	140	60	30	70	30	50	200	570	1200	940	580	500	920	780	840	890	1350	1700	1470	890	690	490	400	380	30	500	400	30	
Highway 403	49500	23	722	351	282	234	350	1014	2575	3135	3059	2778	2642	2665	2737	2718	2778	2893	2943	3044	2884	2563	2083	2065	1678	1307	234.3233	2642	1678	234	

	Med	Heavy	Ninth Line			
			Day	Eve	Night	
Burnhamthorpe Trud	0.5	1				
Ninth Line Truck %	0.3	2.2	Car	565	452	34
			Med	2	1	0
			Heavy T	13	10	1
Burhamthorpe						
			Day	Eve	Night	
			Car	493	394	30
			Med	3	2	0
			Heavy T	5	4	0



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Ontario Provincial Highways Traffic Volumes On Demand

The follow page is broken down into two sections. Section 1: allows you to dynamically filter traffic volumes down to a segment of a highway and if available report on both that segment's distance in kilometers and the annual average daily traffic volumes (AADT). Section 2: contains traffic volumes in PDF format for downloading.

1. Dynamic traffic volumes lookup for the year 2016

Complete steps 1 and 2 in sequential order to report on different sections of highways. Repeat steps 1 and 2 to review additional highways and their sections. Use step 3 to navigate the sections of highway and finally uses step 4 to isolate segments of each section.

1. Select a **highway** that you would like to report on:
2. Click on the following link [to render all the available sections within highway selected in the step above.](#)
3. Isolate each **available section** within the **highway** that you selected in step 1 by using the navigation links provided or using the **location from** drop down selection box.

Showing section 8 of 29 for highway 403 [previous](#) | [next](#)

Location from:

Location to:
 UPPER MIDDLE RD IC DISCONTINUITY (OVERLAP HWY QEW)

Distance (km):
 2

Annual Average Daily Traffic (AADT):
 99,000

2. Traffic Volume documents available for downloading in portable document format (PDF)

Please note that depending on your browser's settings, PDF documents will either download to your workstation or open in a PDF reader. If you don't have a PDF reader installed on your workstation you can get it at [Adobe's download page](#).

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NOISE REPORT FOR PROPOSED DEVELOPMENT

Date: 01-Nov-23

REQUESTED BY:

Name: Harvey Watson, P. Eng

Company: R.J Burnside

PREPARED BY:

Name: Naveda Dukhan C.E.T

Tel#: 905-615-3200 ext.

Location:
 1. Ninth Line
 2. Burnhamthorpe Rd W



ID# 605

ON SITE TRAFFIC DATA

<i>Specific</i>	<i>Street Names</i>			
	1.Ninth Line	2. Burnhamthorpe Rd W		
AADT:	43500	34500		
# of Lanes:	4 Lanes	4 Lanes		
% Trucks:	3%	2%		
Medium/Heavy Trucks Ratio:	55/45	55/45		
Day/Night Split:	90/10	90/10		
Posted Speed Limit:	70 km/hr	60 km/hr		
Gradient Of Road:	2%	2%		
Ultimate R.O.W:	35m	35m		

Comments: Ultimate Traffic Only (2041)



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Appendix B

Sample Transportation Noise Modelling Printouts

Filename: daypor1.te Time Period: 1 hours
Description: Daytime POR1 Hourly Ambient

Road data, segment # 1: Ninth Line

Car traffic volume : 565 veh/TimePeriod
Medium truck volume : 2 veh/TimePeriod
Heavy truck volume : 13 veh/TimePeriod
Posted speed limit : 60 km/h
Road gradient : 2 %
Road pavement : 1 (Typical asphalt or concrete)

Data for Segment # 1: Ninth Line

Angle1 Angle2 : -90.00 deg 90.00 deg
Wood depth : 0 (No woods.)
No of house rows : 0
Surface : 1 (Absorptive ground surface)
Receiver source distance : 65.00 m
Receiver height : 1.50 m
Topography : 1 (Flat/gentle slope; no barrier)
Reference angle : 0.00

↑

Road data, segment # 2: 403East1

Car traffic volume : 2114 veh/TimePeriod
Medium truck volume : 396 veh/TimePeriod
Heavy truck volume : 132 veh/TimePeriod
Posted speed limit : 100 km/h
Road gradient : 2 %
Road pavement : 1 (Typical asphalt or concrete)

Data for Segment # 2: 403East1

Angle1 Angle2 : -90.00 deg -60.00 deg
Wood depth : 0 (No woods.)
No of house rows : 0
Surface : 1 (Absorptive ground surface)
Receiver source distance : 250.00 m
Receiver height : 1.50 m
Topography : 1 (Flat/gentle slope; no barrier)
Reference angle : 0.00

↑

Road data, segment # 3: 403East2

Car traffic volume : 2114 veh/TimePeriod
Medium truck volume : 396 veh/TimePeriod
Heavy truck volume : 132 veh/TimePeriod
Posted speed limit : 100 km/h
Road gradient : 2 %
Road pavement : 1 (Typical asphalt or concrete)

Data for Segment # 3: 403East2

Angle1 Angle2 : -35.00 deg -30.00 deg
Wood depth : 0 (No woods.)
No of house rows : 0
Surface : 1 (Absorptive ground surface)
Receiver source distance : 250.00 m
Receiver height : 1.50 m
Topography : 1 (Flat/gentle slope; no barrier)
Reference angle : 0.00

↑

Road data, segment # 4: 403East3

Car traffic volume : 2114 veh/TimePeriod
Medium truck volume : 396 veh/TimePeriod
Heavy truck volume : 132 veh/TimePeriod
Posted speed limit : 100 km/h
Road gradient : 2 %
Road pavement : 1 (Typical asphalt or concrete)

Data for Segment # 4: 403East3

Angle1 Angle2 : 15.00 deg 25.00 deg
Wood depth : 0 (No woods.)
No of house rows : 0
Surface : 1 (Absorptive ground surface)
Receiver source distance : 250.00 m
Receiver height : 1.50 m
Topography : 1 (Flat/gentle slope; no barrier)
Reference angle : 0.00

↑

Road data, segment # 5: 403East4

Car traffic volume : 2114 veh/TimePeriod
Medium truck volume : 396 veh/TimePeriod
Heavy truck volume : 132 veh/TimePeriod
Posted speed limit : 100 km/h
Road gradient : 2 %
Road pavement : 1 (Typical asphalt or concrete)

Data for Segment # 5: 403East4

Angle1 Angle2 : 70.00 deg 90.00 deg
Wood depth : 0 (No woods.)
No of house rows : 0
Surface : 1 (Absorptive ground surface)
Receiver source distance : 250.00 m
Receiver height : 1.50 m
Topography : 1 (Flat/gentle slope; no barrier)
Reference angle : 0.00

↑

Road data, segment # 6: 403West1

Car traffic volume : 2114 veh/TimePeriod
Medium truck volume : 396 veh/TimePeriod
Heavy truck volume : 132 veh/TimePeriod
Posted speed limit : 100 km/h
Road gradient : 2 %
Road pavement : 1 (Typical asphalt or concrete)

Data for Segment # 6: 403West1

Angle1 Angle2 : -90.00 deg -60.00 deg
Wood depth : 0 (No woods.)
No of house rows : 0
Surface : 1 (Absorptive ground surface)
Receiver source distance : 225.00 m
Receiver height : 1.50 m
Topography : 1 (Flat/gentle slope; no barrier)
Reference angle : 0.00

↑

Road data, segment # 7: 403West2

Car traffic volume : 2114 veh/TimePeriod
Medium truck volume : 396 veh/TimePeriod
Heavy truck volume : 132 veh/TimePeriod
Posted speed limit : 100 km/h
Road gradient : 2 %
Road pavement : 1 (Typical asphalt or concrete)

Data for Segment # 7: 403West2

Angle1 Angle2 : -35.00 deg -30.00 deg
Wood depth : 0 (No woods.)
No of house rows : 0
Surface : 1 (Absorptive ground surface)
Receiver source distance : 225.00 m
Receiver height : 1.50 m

Topography : 1 (Flat/gentle slope; no barrier)
Reference angle : 0.00

↑

Road data, segment # 8: 403West3

Car traffic volume : 2114 veh/TimePeriod
Medium truck volume : 396 veh/TimePeriod
Heavy truck volume : 132 veh/TimePeriod
Posted speed limit : 100 km/h
Road gradient : 2 %
Road pavement : 1 (Typical asphalt or concrete)

Data for Segment # 8: 403West3

Angle1 Angle2 : 15.00 deg 25.00 deg
Wood depth : 0 (No woods.)
No of house rows : 0
Surface : 1 (Absorptive ground surface)
Receiver source distance : 225.00 m
Receiver height : 1.50 m
Topography : 1 (Flat/gentle slope; no barrier)
Reference angle : 0.00

↑

Road data, segment # 9: 403West4

Car traffic volume : 2114 veh/TimePeriod
Medium truck volume : 396 veh/TimePeriod
Heavy truck volume : 132 veh/TimePeriod
Posted speed limit : 100 km/h
Road gradient : 2 %
Road pavement : 1 (Typical asphalt or concrete)

Data for Segment # 9: 403West4

Angle1 Angle2 : 70.00 deg 90.00 deg
Wood depth : 0 (No woods.)
No of house rows : 0
Surface : 1 (Absorptive ground surface)
Receiver source distance : 225.00 m
Receiver height : 1.50 m
Topography : 1 (Flat/gentle slope; no barrier)
Reference angle : 0.00

↑

Road data, segment # 10: Burnhamthorp

Car traffic volume : 493 veh/TimePeriod
Medium truck volume : 3 veh/TimePeriod

Heavy truck volume : 5 veh/TimePeriod
 Posted speed limit : 60 km/h
 Road gradient : 2 %
 Road pavement : 1 (Typical asphalt or concrete)

Data for Segment # 10: Burnhamthorp

 Angle1 Angle2 : -90.00 deg 30.00 deg
 Wood depth : 0 (No woods.)
 No of house rows : 0
 Surface : 1 (Absorptive ground surface)
 Receiver source distance : 270.00 m
 Receiver height : 1.50 m
 Topography : 1 (Flat/gentle slope; no barrier)
 Reference angle : 0.00

↑
 Results segment # 1: Ninth Line

Source height = 1.22 m

ROAD (0.00 + 53.72 + 0.00) = 53.72 dBA

Angle1	Angle2	Alpha	RefLeq	P.Adj	D.Adj	F.Adj	W.Adj	H.Adj	B.Adj	SubLeq
-90	90	0.66	65.75	0.00	-10.57	-1.46	0.00	0.00	0.00	53.72

Segment Leq : 53.72 dBA

↑
 Results segment # 2: 403East1

Source height = 1.50 m

ROAD (0.00 + 48.60 + 0.00) = 48.60 dBA

Angle1	Angle2	Alpha	RefLeq	P.Adj	D.Adj	F.Adj	W.Adj	H.Adj	B.Adj	SubLeq
-90	-60	0.66	80.78	0.00	-20.28	-11.90	0.00	0.00	0.00	48.60

Segment Leq : 48.60 dBA

↑
 Results segment # 3: 403East2

Source height = 1.50 m

ROAD (0.00 + 44.44 + 0.00) = 44.44 dBA

Angle1	Angle2	Alpha	RefLeq	P.Adj	D.Adj	F.Adj	W.Adj	H.Adj	B.Adj	SubLeq
-35	-30	0.66	80.78	0.00	-20.28	-16.05	0.00	0.00	0.00	44.44

Segment Leq : 44.44 dBA

↑

Results segment # 4: 403East3

Source height = 1.50 m

ROAD (0.00 + 47.76 + 0.00) = 47.76 dBA

Angle1	Angle2	Alpha	RefLeq	P.Adj	D.Adj	F.Adj	W.Adj	H.Adj	B.Adj	SubLeq
15	25	0.66	80.78	0.00	-20.28	-12.73	0.00	0.00	0.00	47.76

Segment Leq : 47.76 dBA

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Results segment # 5: 403East4

Source height = 1.50 m

ROAD (0.00 + 45.71 + 0.00) = 45.71 dBA

Angle1	Angle2	Alpha	RefLeq	P.Adj	D.Adj	F.Adj	W.Adj	H.Adj	B.Adj	SubLeq
70	90	0.66	80.78	0.00	-20.28	-14.79	0.00	0.00	0.00	45.71

Segment Leq : 45.71 dBA

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Results segment # 6: 403West1

Source height = 1.50 m

ROAD (0.00 + 49.36 + 0.00) = 49.36 dBA

Angle1	Angle2	Alpha	RefLeq	P.Adj	D.Adj	F.Adj	W.Adj	H.Adj	B.Adj	SubLeq
-90	-60	0.66	80.78	0.00	-19.52	-11.90	0.00	0.00	0.00	49.36

Segment Leq : 49.36 dBA

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Results segment # 7: 403West2

Source height = 1.50 m

ROAD (0.00 + 45.20 + 0.00) = 45.20 dBA

Angle1	Angle2	Alpha	RefLeq	P.Adj	D.Adj	F.Adj	W.Adj	H.Adj	B.Adj	SubLeq
-35	-30	0.66	80.78	0.00	-19.52	-16.05	0.00	0.00	0.00	45.20

Segment Leq : 45.20 dBA

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Results segment # 8: 403West3

Source height = 1.50 m

ROAD (0.00 + 48.52 + 0.00) = 48.52 dBA

Angle1	Angle2	Alpha	RefLeq	P.Adj	D.Adj	F.Adj	W.Adj	H.Adj	B.Adj	SubLeq
15	25	0.66	80.78	0.00	-19.52	-12.73	0.00	0.00	0.00	48.52

Segment Leq : 48.52 dBA

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Results segment # 9: 403West4

Source height = 1.50 m

ROAD (0.00 + 46.47 + 0.00) = 46.47 dBA

Angle1	Angle2	Alpha	RefLeq	P.Adj	D.Adj	F.Adj	W.Adj	H.Adj	B.Adj	SubLeq
70	90	0.66	80.78	0.00	-19.52	-14.79	0.00	0.00	0.00	46.47

Segment Leq : 46.47 dBA

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Results segment # 10: Burnhamthorp

Source height = 1.00 m

ROAD (0.00 + 39.88 + 0.00) = 39.88 dBA

Angle1	Angle2	Alpha	RefLeq	P.Adj	D.Adj	F.Adj	W.Adj	H.Adj	B.Adj	SubLeq
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-90 30 0.66 63.57 0.00 -20.84 -2.85 0.00 0.00 0.00 39.88

Segment Leq : 39.88 dBA

Total Leq All Segments: 58.31 dBA

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TOTAL Leq FROM ALL SOURCES: 58.31

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Appendix C

Sample Predictor Inputs and Results

Appendix C: Predictor Inputs

Point Source Limit of 100

Group	Item ID	Grp ID	Date	Name	Desc.	Shape	X	Y	Height	Rel.H	Terrain L	HDef.	Type
--		2153	0	#####	Ex001	RoofToj	Point	6E+05	4819311	3	3	9.6	Relative to Normal poi
--		2154	0	#####	Trk1	Refridg	Point	6E+05	4819284	3	3	0	Relative Normal poi

Grid Limit of 20

Group	Item ID	Grp ID	Date	1st Kid	Kid Cn/Name	Desc.	Shape	X1	Y1	Height	Rel.H	Terrain L	
--		2157	0	#####	#####	1536	Grid	Polygon	604142.9	4819086	4.5	4.5	0

Receiver Limit of 88

Group	Item ID	Grp ID	Date	1st Kid	Kid Cn/Name	Desc.	Shape	X	Y	Terrain L	HDef.	Height A
--		2155	0	#####	#####	1	POR1	Reside Point	603927.3	4819339	0	Relative 4.5
--		2156	0	#####	-13	1	POR2	Reside Point	604130.7	4819185	0	Relative 4.5

Building Limit of 100

Group	Item ID	Grp ID	Date	Name	Desc.	Shape	X1	Y1	Height	Rel.H	Terrain L	HDef.	Nr Points
--		186	0	#####		Polygo	6E+05	4819318	6	6	0	Relative	8
--		187	0	#####		Polygo	6E+05	4819274	3	3	0	Relative	6
--		188	0	#####		Polygo	6E+05	4819353	3	3	0	Relative	4
--		189	0	#####		Polygo	6E+05	4819170	6	6	0	Relative	8
--		190	0	#####		Polygo	6E+05	4819580	0	0	0	Relative	8
--		191	0	#####		Polygo	6E+05	4819437	9.6	9.6	0	Relative	98
--		192	0	#####		Polygo	6E+05	4819460	16.4	16.4	0	Relative	6



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Appendix D

Stationary Sound Level Data References

SOUND POWER LEVELS AND DIRECTIVITY PATTERNS OF REFRIGERATED TRANSPORT TRAILERS

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1 Introduction

Refrigerated transport trailers are part of the daily operation of many food processing facilities, distribution centers, grocery stores and some pharmaceutical facilities. Refrigeration units mounted on the front of the trailers are used to maintain the trailer temperature. An example of a refrigeration unit mounted on a transport trailer is pictured on the left-hand side of Figure 1.

The type of refrigeration unit described in this paper is autonomous, typically comprised of a diesel engine, a compressor, a condenser and an evaporator. The most common manufacturers, Carrier and Thermo King, each have several models. They are generally constructed with one or more fresh air intakes at the front or side. Heat rejection and combustion exhaust are emitted from the top. Each of these primary sound emission locations is shown in Figure 2. This paper treats the unit as a single source rather than separating each of the emission points.

One of the challenges with including this type of equipment in facility noise models is that the specific model and manufacturer of refrigeration units can vary on a day-to-day basis. Manufacturer data can also be difficult to obtain or is unavailable. The trailers at the facility often are operated by a shipping or logistics company instead of the facility owner. In such cases the benefits of any specific model of refrigeration unit (e.g. low noise package) cannot be reliably used in predictive modelling.

Detailed sound power data for this type of equipment are also infrequently available. Generic or average sound power information is of value in these circumstances. This paper presents a summary of measured sound power levels and directivity patterns for refrigerated transport trailers based on measurements conducted by RWDI between 2003 and 2016.

2 Method

The sound power levels presented in Table 1 have been calculated from sound pressure level measurements of sixteen distinct refrigeration units collected between 2003 and 2016. In each case the unit was operating without a truck connected to the trailer, while the trailer is parked at a loading dock or in a parking lot. Situations where a refrigeration unit was close to other sources were not included in this analysis. The surface of the ground in all cases was considered to be hard and reflective. The sound

from the front of the unit has the highest overall level and has been used to develop the average sound power level.

The source directivity in the horizontal plane was quantified at facilities where sufficient space was available. Sound pressure levels were collected at multiple angles from the refrigeration unit. For documenting directivity, we are defining zero degrees as straight out from the refrigeration unit (e.g. directly in-front of the refrigeration unit), and ninety degrees as perpendicular to the direction of travel of the transport trailer.



Figure 1: Example of a refrigerated transport trailer

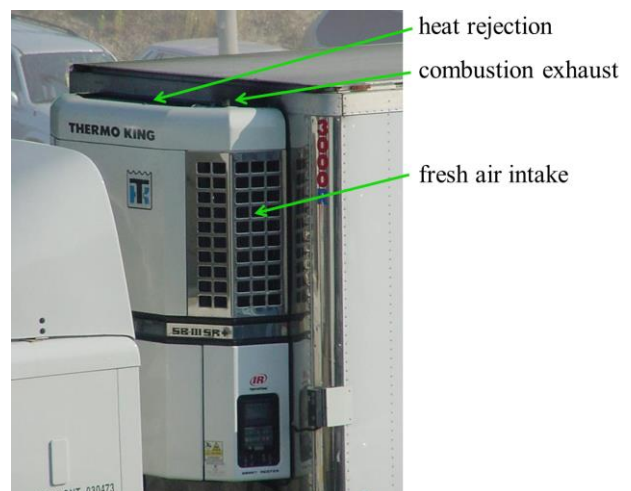


Figure 2: Primary sound emission locations

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Table 1: Average sound power level and standard deviation

	Frequency (Hz)								
	31.5	63	125	250	500	1000	2000	4000	8000
Average	97	111	105	102	97	96	94	89	83
Standard Deviation	3.7	4.5	5.5	5.5	5.0	5.5	5.1	5.4	6.1

3 Results

3.1 Octave band sound power levels

The average sound power level from in-front of the refrigeration units is 102 dBA, with a standard deviation of 4.7 dB. Variation in manufacturer, model and operation setting contributed to a range from 93 dBA to 109 dBA. The average linear octave band sound power levels from in-front of the refrigeration units and standard deviations are shown in Table 1. The octave band sound power level data are presented in Figure 3.

3.2 Directivity

The sound from refrigeration units does not project uniformly in all directions. To present directivity consistently we have normalized the levels at angles other than zero degrees to the sound power at zero degrees for each unit. The directivity has been assumed to be symmetric along an axis along the length of the trailer, with the zero angle defined as the direction of normal trailer travel. An average directivity pattern is proposed in Table 2. The directivity for non-zero angles is based on a smaller sample set, but indicates a general trend.

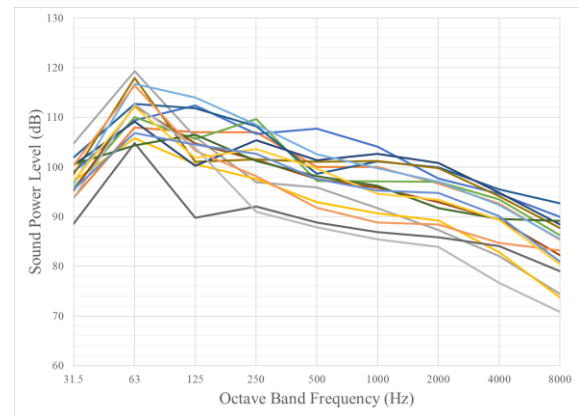
Table 2: Average directivity pattern

Angle	63	125	250	500	1000	2000	4000	8000
0°	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
45°	-5.3	+2.7	+1.9	+1.1	+0.2	-1.0	-1.0	-1.1
90°	-7.5	-5.1	-3.1	-1.1	-2.6	-3.5	-3.9	-4.5
135°	-2.3	-4.7	-4.8	-2.8	-6.0	-8.2	-10.4	-11.2

4 Discussion

Sound from the refrigeration units show a large variation in level from one unit to another. However, the spectral shape is relatively consistent for all of the units measured at zero degrees. From Figure 3, it can be observed that for most of the units tested the 63 Hz band is dominant; however, this does not necessarily mean that the sound is tonal. As an internal combustion engine, the concentration of sound at 63 Hz covers a wider range of frequencies.

Some of the units show elevated levels at both the 63 Hz and 125 Hz octave bands. Factors influencing this characteristic and the overall sound level were not readily apparent. Information on factors such as the number of years the equipment had been in service, operating settings, and whether the manufacturer's low noise package was installed (if one was available) were not available for the

**Figure 3:** Trailer refrigeration unit sound power levels

units measured, but would be interesting to examine in future studies.

As shown in Table 2, the sound levels generally decrease at angles away from zero degrees. The average directivity pattern should be primarily considered indicative of a trend. Additional data sets should be considered to develop a more definitive directivity pattern.

The adoption of standards and certification schemes for rating noise emissions of transportation refrigeration equipment, such as AHRI 1120 [1] in the United States, NFR 10-304 [2] in France, DIN 8958 [3] in Germany, and the PIEK certification scheme [4] (which originated in Holland and has been adopted in several other countries) are improving the availability of sound power data for new transport trailer refrigeration equipment. Nevertheless, documentation is still typically limited to only an overall A-weighted sound power level rating on most North American new product documentation.

5 Conclusion

Octave band sound power levels for sixteen different transport trailers' refrigeration units are developed into an average sound level spectrum. The spectrum is generic in that no differentiation between manufacturer, feature or operating condition is provided. The spectral shape is relatively consistent for all of the units tested at zero degrees, the typical direction of travel. At frequencies above 500 Hz, the sound levels show a pattern of becoming quieter with increasing angle.

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