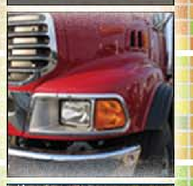
Comparison of Noise Levels

COMMON OUTDOOR SOUND LEVELS		NOISE LEVEL dB (A)		COMMON INDOOR SOUND LEVELS	
B747-400 Takeoff*		110		Rock Band Inside Subway Train	
Gas Lawn Mower at 3 ft.		100			
Diesel Truck at 150 ft.		90		Food Blender Garbage Disposal at 3 ft.	
B737-700 Takeoff*					
A319 / A320 Takeoff*		80		Shouting at 3 ft.	
Noisy Urban Daytime					
Commercial Area		70		Vacuum Cleaner at 10 ft. Normal Speech at 3 ft.	
		60		Large Business Office	
Quiet Urban Daytime		50		Dishwasher Next Room	
Quiet Urban Nighttime				Small Theater	
		40		Large Conference Room (Background)	
Quiet Rural Nighttime		30		Library Bedroom at Night Concert Hall (Background)	
		20		Broadcast and Recording Studio	
Threshold of Hearing		10			
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* As measured along the takeoff path 2 miles from the overflight end of the runway.