

# New Zealand Acoustic Standards

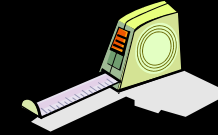
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# NZS 680X Acoustics



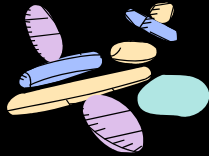
NZS 6801 - Measurement



NZS 6802 - Assessment



NZS 6803 - Construction



NZS 6805 - Airports



*NZS 6806 - Roads*



NZS 6807 - Heliports



NZS 6808 - Wind farms

NZS 6809 - Ports



# NZS 6801 - symbols

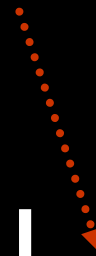
$L_{Aeq}(15 \text{ min})$

$L_{AFmax}$

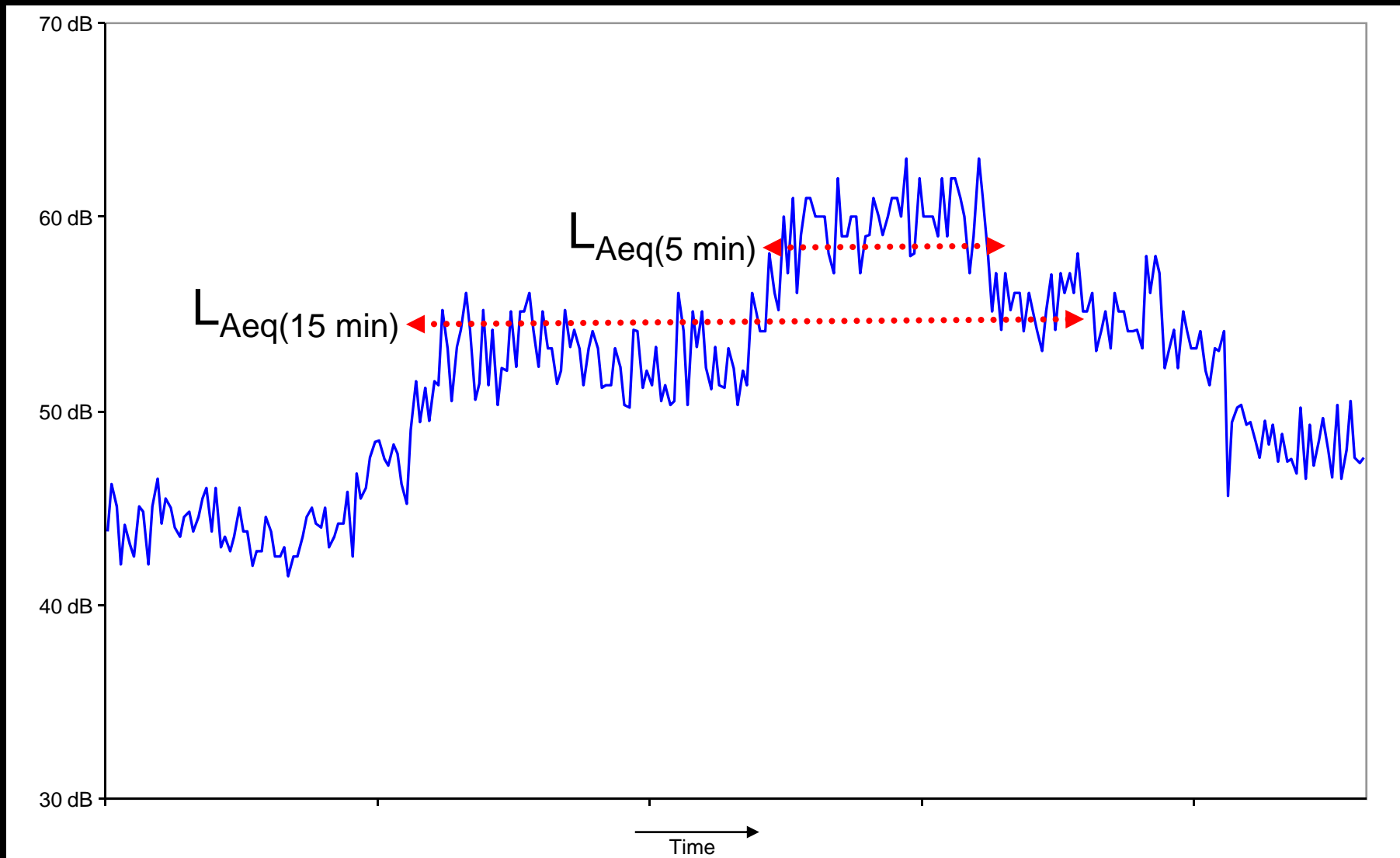
# NZS 6801 - notation

67 dBA  $L_{eq}(15 \text{ min})$

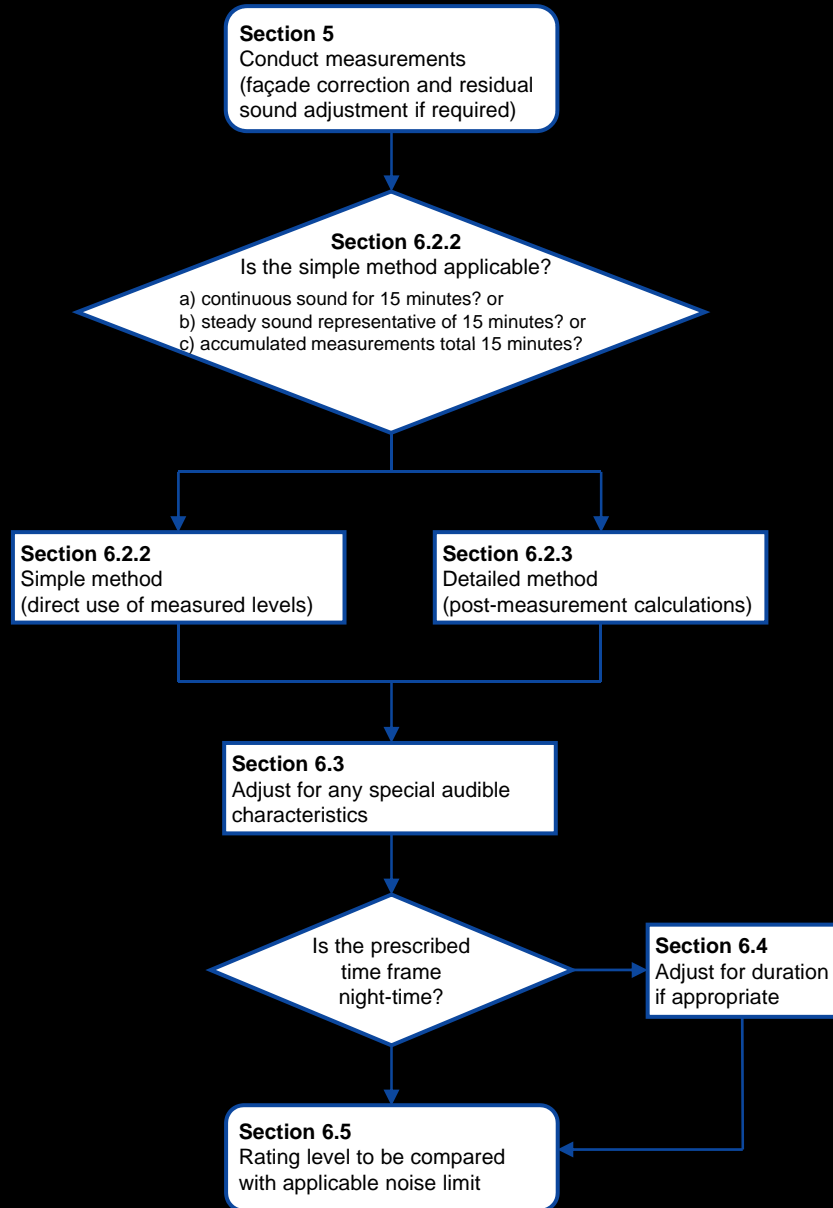
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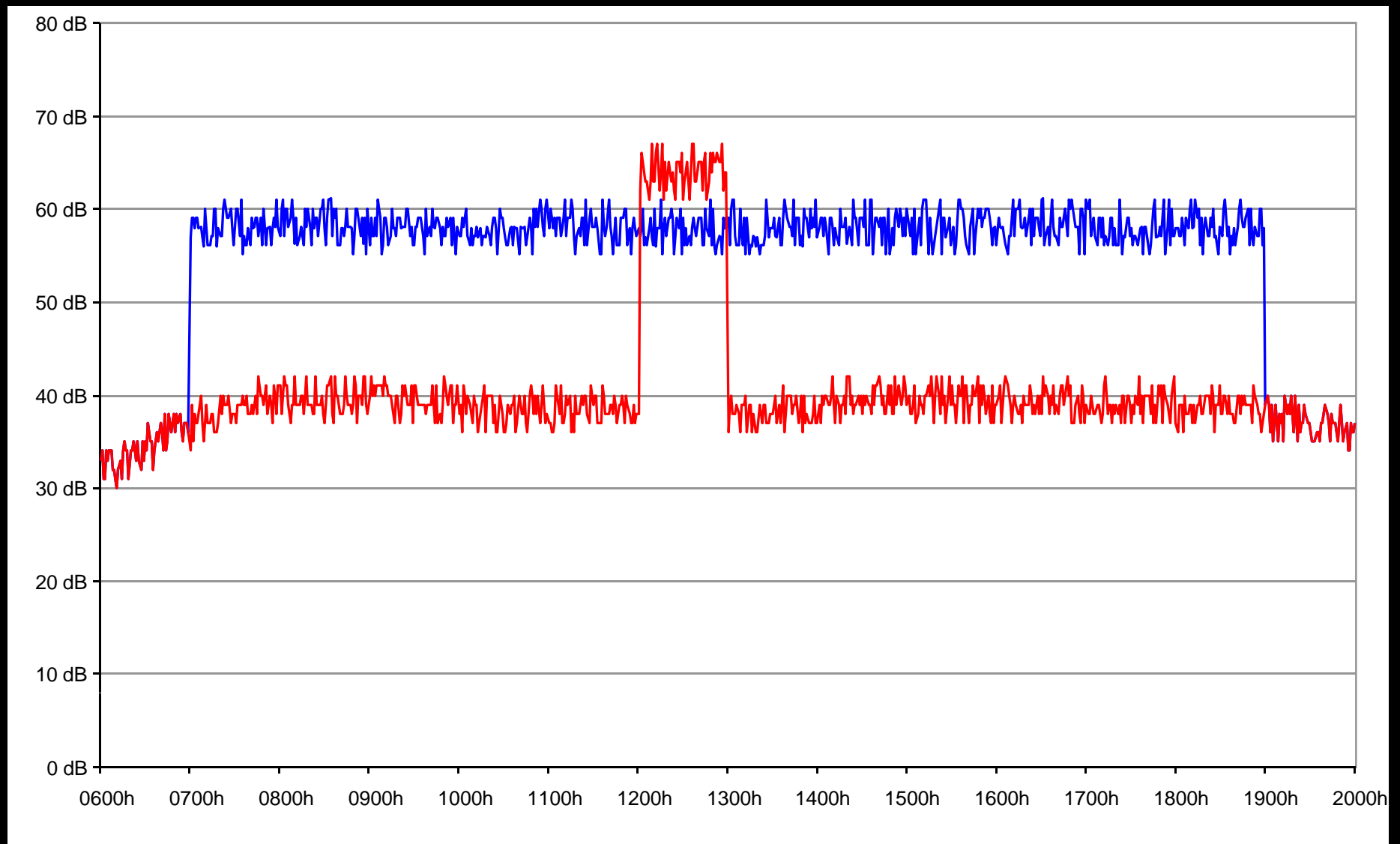
# NZS 6802 - time intervals



# NZS 6802 - method



# NZS 6802 - averaging



# NZS 6802 - duration adjustment

Less than 80%	1 dB
Less than 60%	2 dB
Less than 50%	3 dB
Less than 40%	4 dB
Less than 30%	5 dB

# NZS 6806



- Appendix 6 to Planning Policy Manual
  - “Transit New Zealand’s guidelines for the management of road traffic noise – State Highway improvements”
- Criteria for road traffic noise -  $L_{Aeq(24h)}$
- Measurement and prediction procedures
- Mitigation measures
- Best practicable option

# NZS 6808

- Secondary noise limits
- Octave-band modelling
- Hub-height wind speed
- $L_{90}$
- Small wind turbines
- Specimen conditions
- [www.standards.co.nz](http://www.standards.co.nz)



