

Appendix E

Noise Monitoring Equipment Calibration Certificate

Certificate of Calibration

for

Description: *Sound Level Meter*
Manufacturer: *SVANTEK*
Type No.: *971 (Serial No.: 96062)*
Microphone: *ACO 7052 E (Serial No.: 79778)*
Preamplifier: *SVANTEK SV 18 (Serial No.: 97276)*

Submitted by:

Customer: *Acuity Sustainability Consulting Limited*
Address: *Unit E, 12/F., Ford Glory Plaza,
Nos. 37-39 Wing Hong Street,
Cheung Sha Wan, Kowloon, Hong Kong*

Upon receipt for calibration, the instrument was found to be:

- ☒ **Within (31.5 Hz to 4k Hz)**
☐ **Outside**

the allowable tolerance.

The test equipment used for calibration are traceable to National Standards via:


- The Government of The Hong Kong Special Administrative Region Standard & Calibration Laboratory

Date of receipt: 21 June 2022

Date of calibration: 27 June 2022

Date of NEXT calibration: 26 June 2023

Calibrated by: 
Calibration Technician

Certified by: 
Mr. Tang Cheuk Hang
Quality Manager

Date of issue: 27 June 2022

Certificate No.: APJ22-029-CC002



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Calibration Precaution:

- The unit-under-test (UUT) was allowed to stabilize in the laboratory for over 24 hours, and switched on to warm up for over 10 minutes before the commencement of the test.
- The results presented are the mean of 3 measurements at each calibration point.

1. Calibration Conditions:

Air Temperature: 24.2 °C
Air Pressure: 1004 hPa
Relative Humidity: 60.8 %

2. Calibration Equipment:

	Type	Serial No.	Calibration Report Number	Traceable to
Multifunction Calibrator	B&K 4226	2288467	AV200041	HOKLAS

3. Calibration Results

Sound Pressure Level

Reference Sound Pressure Level

Setting of Unit-under-test (UUT)				Applied value		UUT Reading,	IEC 61672 Class 1
Range, dB	Freq. Weighting	Time Weighting		Level, dB	Frequency, Hz	dB	Specification, dB
25-124.5	dBA SPL	Fast		94	1000	94.0	±0.4

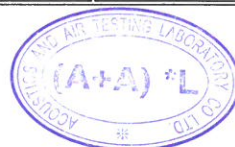
Linearity

Setting of Unit-under-test (UUT)				Applied value		UUT Reading,	IEC 61672 Class 1
Range, dB	Freq. Weighting	Time Weighting		Level, dB	Frequency, Hz	dB	Specification, dB
25-124.5	dBA SPL	Fast		94	1000	94.0	Ref
				104		104.0	±0.3
				114		114.0	±0.3

Time Weighting

Setting of Unit-under-test (UUT)				Applied value		UUT Reading,	IEC 61672 Class 1
Range, dB	Freq. Weighting	Time Weighting		Level, dB	Frequency, Hz	dB	Specification, dB
25-124.5	dBA SPL	Fast		94	1000	94.0	Ref
		Slow				94.0	±0.3

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Frequency Response

Linear Response

Setting of Unit-under-test (UUT)			Applied value		UUT Reading,	IEC 61672 Class 1
Range, dB	Freq. Weighting	Time Weighting	Level, dB	Frequency, Hz	dB	Specification, dB
25-124.5	dB	SPL	94	31.5	94.3	± 2.0
				63	94.2	± 1.5
				125	94.1	± 1.5
				250	94.1	± 1.4
				500	94.0	± 1.4
				1000	94.0	Ref
				2000	93.7	± 1.6
				4000	93.1	± 1.6

A-weighting

Setting of Unit-under-test (UUT)			Applied value		UUT Reading,	IEC 61672 Class 1
Range, dB	Freq. Weighting	Time Weighting	Level, dB	Frequency, Hz	dB	Specification, dB
25-124.5	dBA	SPL	94	31.5	54.9	-39.4 ± 2.0
				63	68.0	-26.2 ± 1.5
				125	78.0	-16.1 ± 1.5
				250	85.4	-8.6 ± 1.4
				500	90.8	-3.2 ± 1.4
				1000	94.0	Ref
				2000	94.9	$+1.2 \pm 1.6$
				4000	94.2	$+1.0 \pm 1.6$

C-weighting

Setting of Unit-under-test (UUT)			Applied value		UUT Reading,	IEC 61672 Class 1
Range, dB	Freq. Weighting	Time Weighting	Level, dB	Frequency, Hz	dB	Specification, dB
25-124.5	dBC	SPL	94	31.5	91.3	-3.0 ± 2.0
				63	93.4	-0.8 ± 1.5
				125	93.9	-0.2 ± 1.5
				250	94.1	-0.0 ± 1.4
				500	94.1	-0.0 ± 1.4
				1000	94.0	Ref
				2000	93.6	-0.2 ± 1.6
				4000	92.4	-0.8 ± 1.6



4. Calibration Results Applied

The results apply to the particular unit-under-test only. All calibration points are within manufacture's specification as IEC 61672 Class 1.

Uncertainties of Applied Value:

94 dB	31.5 Hz	± 0.15
	63 Hz	± 0.05
	125 Hz	± 0.05
	250 Hz	± 0.05
	500 Hz	± 0.05
	1000 Hz	± 0.05
	2000 Hz	± 0.05
	4000 Hz	± 0.10
104 dB	1000 Hz	± 0.05
114 dB	1000 Hz	± 0.05

The uncertainties are evaluated for a 95% confidence level.

Note:

The values given in this certification only related to the values measured at the time of the calibration and any uncertainties quoted will not allow for the equipment long-term drift, variations with environmental changes, vibration and shock during transportation, overloading, mis-handling, or the capability of any other laboratory to repeat the calibration. (A+A)*L shall not be liable for any loss or damage resulting from the use of the equipment.

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CALIBRATION CERTIFICATE

Product : SOUND CALIBRATOR
Type : NC-75
Serial number : 34524163
Manufacturer : RION CO., LTD.
Calibration quantities : Sound pressure level (with reference standard microphone)
Calibration method : Measured by specified secondary standard microphone
according to JCSS calibration procedure specified by RION.
Ambient conditions : Temperature 23.4 °C, Relative humidity 48 %,
Static pressure 100.9 kPa
Calibration date : 09/05/2022 (DD/MM/YYYY)
Calibration location : 3-20-41 Higashimotomachi, Kokubunji, Tokyo 185-8533, Japan
RION CO., LTD. Calibration Room

We hereby certify that the results of this calibration were as follows.

Issue date : 12/05/2022 (DD/MM/YYYY)

Junichi Kawamura
Manager
Quality Assurance Section,
Quality Assurance Department,
Environmental Instrument Division,
RION CO., LTD.
3-20-41 Higashimotomachi, Kokubunji,
Tokyo 185-8533, Japan



This certificate is based on article 144 of the Measurement Law and indicates the result of calibration in accordance with measurement standards traceable to Primary Measurement Standards (National Standards) which realizes the physical units of measurement according to the International System of Units (SI).

The accreditation symbol is attestation of which the result of calibration is traceable to Primary Measurement Standards (National Standards).

The certificate shall not be reproduced except in full, without the written approval of the issuing laboratory.

The calibration laboratory who issued this calibration certificate conforms to ISO/IEC 17025:2017.

This calibration certificate was issued by the calibration laboratory accredited by IA Japan who is a signatory to the Mutual Recognition Arrangement (MRA) of International Laboratory Accreditation Cooperation (ILAC) and Asia Pacific Accreditation Cooperation (APAC). This (These) calibration result(s) may be accepted internationally through ILAC/APAC MRA.

CALIBRATION RESULT

1. Sound pressure level (with reference standard microphone)

Measured value	Expanded uncertainty *1
93.98 dB	0.09 dB

Specified secondary standard microphone:

Type : 4160

Serial number : 2973341

Reference Sound pressure : 2×10^{-5} Pa

*1 Defines an interval estimated to have a level of confidence of approximately 95 %.

Coverage factor $k=2$

Calibration result is the calibration value in ambient conditions during calibration.

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1. Frequency

Measured value	Measurement uncertainty ($k=2$)
1000.0 Hz	3.9×10^{-4} Hz

Working measurement standard universal counter:

Type : 53132A

Serial number : MY40005574

(JCSS Calibration Certificate No. 21081499079575510)

2. Total distortion

Measured value
0.3 %

Working measurement standard distortion meter:

Type : VA-2230A

Serial number : 11076061

(A2LA Calibration Certificate No. 1501-03080)

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Certificate of Conformity

This instrument was produced under rigorous factory production control and documented standard procedures. It was individually inspected and leak tested and the functioning of the display, backlight, buttons and firmware was verified. The accuracy of each of its primary measurements was individually calibrated and/or validated against standards traceable to the National Institute of Standards and Technology ("NIST") or other calibrated standards in accordance with the documented standard test methods detailed below. This instrument is warranted to perform in compliance with the published specifications for the specific measurements and features of its model number including specified typical drift since its date of manufacture. (See *Kestrel Limited Warranty for full warranty terms.*)

Standards Used in Testing Wind Speed:

The Kestrel Weather & Environmental Meter impeller installed in this unit was individually tested in a subsonic wind tunnel operating at approximately 300 fpm (1.5 m/s) and 1200 fpm (6.1 m/s) monitored by a Gill Instruments Model 1350 ultrasonic time-of-flight anemometer. The Gill 1350 is calibrated regularly and is traceable to NIST with a maximum combined uncertainty of $\pm 1.04\%$ within the airspeed range 711.4 to 3930 fpm (3.61 to 19.96 m/s), and $\pm 1.66\%$ within the airspeed range 170 to 711.4 fpm (0.86 to 3.61 m/s).

Temperature:

Temperature response is verified in comparison with an Ametek DTI-050 Digital Temperature Indicator and STS Reference Sensor. The DTI-050 is calibrated annually and is traceable to NIST with a maximum relative expanded uncertainty of $\pm 0.04\text{C}$.

Relative Humidity:

Relative humidity is verified in comparison with an Edgetech HT120 Humidity Transmitter. The HT120 is calibrated annually and is traceable to NIST with a maximum relative expanded uncertainty of $\pm 1.0\%RH$.

Barometric Pressure:

Pressure response is verified against a Vaisala PTB210A Digital Barometer. The Vaisala Barometer is calibrated annually and is traceable to NIST with a maximum relative expanded uncertainty of $\pm 0.3hPa$.

Approved By:

Michael Naughton
Chief Product Officer, Nielsen-Kellerman

Product Specifications for Kestrel Weather Meters, Model Numbers 1000-3500

SENSORS

SENSOR	ACCURACY (+/-)	RESOLUTION	SPECIFICATION RANGE	NOTES
Wind Speed Air Speed	Larger of 3% of reading, least significant digit or 20 ft/min	0.1 m/s 1 ft/min 0.1 km/h 0.1 mph 0.1 knots 1 B	0.6 to 40.0 m/s 118 to 7,874 ft/min 2.2 to 144.0 km/h 1.3 to 89.5 mph 1.2 to 77.8 knots 0 to 12 B	1 inch 25 mm diameter impeller with precision axle and low-friction Zytel® bearings. Startup speed stated as lower limit, readings may be taken down to 0.4 m/s 79 ft min 1.5 km/h .9 mph .8 kt after impeller startup. Off-axis accuracy -1% @ 5° off axis; -2% @ 10°; -3% @ 15°. Calibration drift < 1% after 100 hours use at 16 MPH 7 m/s. Replacement impeller (NK PN-0801) field installs without tools (US Patent 5,783,753). Wind speed calibration and testing should be done with triangle on impeller located at the top front face of the Kestrel. Measuring wind speeds above 60 m/s / 134.2 mph can damage the impeller.
Ambient Temperature	0.9 °F 0.5 °C	0.1 °F 0.1 °C	-20.0 to 158.0 °F -29.0 to 70.0 °C	Airflow of 2.2 mph 1 m/s or greater provides fastest response and reduction of insulation effect. For greatest accuracy, avoid direct sunlight on the temperature sensor and prolonged sunlight exposure to the unit in low airflow conditions. Calibration drift is negligible for the life of the product. For further details, see Display & Battery Operational Temperature Limits.
Relative Humidity	3%RH	0.1 %RH	5 to 95% 25°C non-condensing	To achieve stated accuracy, unit must be permitted to equilibrate to external temperature when exposed to large, rapid temperature changes and be kept out of direct sunlight. Calibration drift is typically less than ±0.25% per year.
Pressure	1.5 hPa mbar 0.044 inHg 0.022 PSI	0.1 hPa mbar 0.01 inHg 0.01 PSI	25°C/77°F 750-1100 hPa mbar 22.15-32.48 inHg 10.88-15.95 PSI	Monolithic silicon piezo-resistive pressure sensor with second-order temperature correction. Between 1100–1600 mbar, unit will operate with reduced accuracy. Sensor may not operate above 1600 mbar and can be damaged above 6,000 mbar or below 10 mbar. Calibration drift is negligible for the life of the product.

CALCULATED MEASUREMENTS

MEASUREMENT	ACCURACY (+/-)	RESOLUTION	SENSORS EMPLOYED
Altitude	typical: 23.6 ft/7.2 m from 750 to 1100 mBar max: 48.2 ft/14.7 m from 300 to 750 mBar	1 ft 1 m	Pressure, User Input (Reference Pressure)
Barometric Pressure	0.07 inHg 2.4 hPa mbar 0.03 PSI	0.01 inHg 0.1 hPa mbar 0.01 PSI	Pressure, User Input (Reference Altitude)
Delta T	3.2 °F 1.8 °C	0.1 °F 0.1 °C	Temperature, Relative Humidity, Pressure
Dew Point	3.4 °F 1.9 °C 15-95% RH. Refer to Range for Temperature Sensor	0.1 °F 0.1 °C	Temperature, Relative Humidity
Heat Index	7.1°F 4.0°C	0.1 °F 0.1 °C	Temperature, Relative Humidity
Wet Bulb Temperature - Psychrometric	3.2 °F 1.8 °C	0.1 °F 0.1 °C	Temperature, Relative Humidity, Pressure
Wind Chill	1.6 °F 0.9 °C	0.1 °F 0.1 °C	Wind Speed, Temperature

ADDITIONAL PRODUCT INFO

Display	Reflective LCD
Backlight	Standard or dim red (NV models only) backlight. Manual activation with auto-off.
Response Time & Display Update	Display updates every 1 second. After exposure to large environmental changes, all sensors require an equilibration period to reach stated accuracy. Measurements employing RH may require longer periods particularly after prolonged exposure to very high or very low humidity.
Auto Shutdown	After 45 minutes with no key presses.
Clock	Real Time Hour:Minute Display
Certifications	CE certified, RoHS and WEEE compliant. Individually tested to NIST-traceable standards.
Origin	Designed and manufactured in the USA from US and imported components. Complies with Regional Value Content and Tariff Code Transformation requirements for NAFTA Preference Criterion B.
Bluetooth® Data Connect	Wireless range up to 100ft. Employs Kestrel Link protocol for data transmission with Kestrel Link Ballistics App. (iOS/Android)
Battery	Requires one CR2032 battery, included. Up to 300 hours of use, reduced by backlight or Bluetooth use.
Shock Resistance	MIL-STD-810g, Transit Shock, Method 516.7 Procedure IV; unit only; impact may damage replaceable impeller.
Sealing	Waterproof (IP67 and NEMA-6)
Display & Battery Operational Temperature Limits	14° F to 131° F -10 °C to 55 °C Measurements may be taken beyond the limits of the operational temperature range of the display and batteries by maintaining the unit within the operational range and then exposing it to the more extreme environment for the minimum time necessary to take reading.
Storage Temperature	-22.0 °F to 140.0 °F -30.0 °C to 60.0 °C.
Size & Weight	4.8 x 1.9 x 1.1 in 12.2 x 4.8 x 2.8 cm, 3.6 oz 102 g (Including slip-on cover).

*Note: Accuracy calculated as uncertainty of the measurement derived from statistical analysis considering the combined effects from primary sensor specifications, circuit conversions, and all other sources of error using a coverage factor of k=2, or two standard deviations (2σ)

**Note: For Kestrel 1000, 2000, 2500, 3000, 3500 series these specifications are valid for units with a serial number higher than 2262687. If your product has a lower serial number, please reference the K4000 specifications 329011.