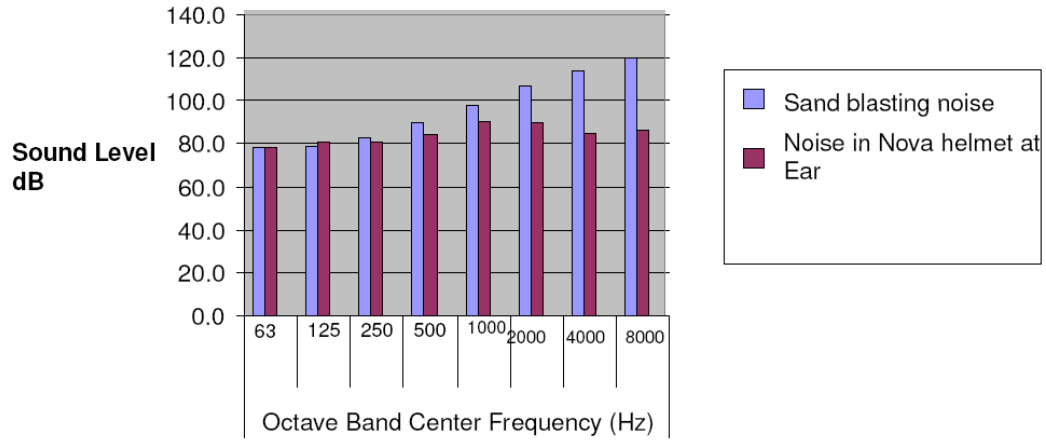


Noise Attenuation Levels for Nova 2000

Sand Blasting Operator Noise Levels



	Octave Band Center Frequency (Hz)							
	63	125	250	500	1000	2000	4000	8000
Sand blasting noise (dB)	78	79	83	90	98	107	114	120
Noise in Nova helmet at ear (dB)	78.5	81.1	80.7	84.4	90.3	89.6	85.1	86.7
Noise Reduction	-0.5	-2.1	2.3	5.6	7.7	17.4	28.9	33.3