

# HOW LOUD IS TOO LOUD?

**Farm  
Equipment**

**Noise Level  
(dB)**

**Max Safe  
Time\***

*\*Max time without wearing  
hearing protection*

**ATV,  
Push Mower**

**90 dB**

**2.5 HRS**



**Tractor/Combine  
(with Cab),  
Grain Auger**

**92 dB**

**1.5 HRS**



**Air Compressor,  
Shop Vac**

**95 dB**

**47 MIN**



**Pigs Squealing,  
Irrigation Pump**

**100 dB**

**15 MIN**



**Riding Mower,  
Pressure Washer**

**102 dB**

**9 MIN**



**Tractor (No Cab),  
Grain Dryer**

**105 dB**

**4 MIN**



**Leaf Blower**

**110 dB**

**1 - 2 MIN**



**Chain Saw**

**115 dB**

**< 1 MIN**

