

504-514 SOUTH BOULEVARD PROJECT
EVANSTON, IL

**VIBRATION
MONITORING
REPORT-AMBIENT READINGS**

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October 20, 2025

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October 20, 2025

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Hoffman Estates, Illinois 60192

RE: **Report:** - *Ground Vibration Monitoring of Construction Activities for the 504-514 S. Boulevard
Project located in Evanston, Illinois.*

Mr. Ahmed,

Construction Testing and Instrumentation, Inc. (CTI) have prepared this vibration monitoring report, to evaluate vibrations prior to the start of construction activities. This report summarizes the results of ground vibration monitoring of three seismographs. All units are located at the adjacent residential properties to the project site (see attached location diagram). This summary report covers the monitoring period from **October 16, 2025, through October 19, 2025**

The site is equipped with two Omnidot Swarm V2.2cw seismographs and one Geosonic 3000LC. All devices are capable of recording peak particle velocity (PPV) and frequency (in Hertz), allowing for comprehensive vibration monitoring and analysis. The maximum allowable peak particle velocity is 0.5 inches per second (IPS), which is based upon the criteria established by the U.S Bureau of Mines (USBM) and a typical construction threshold. The seismographs are set to trigger whenever vibration levels exceed 0.003 in/s lowest (PPV) and continuously monitor vibrations during all construction activities.

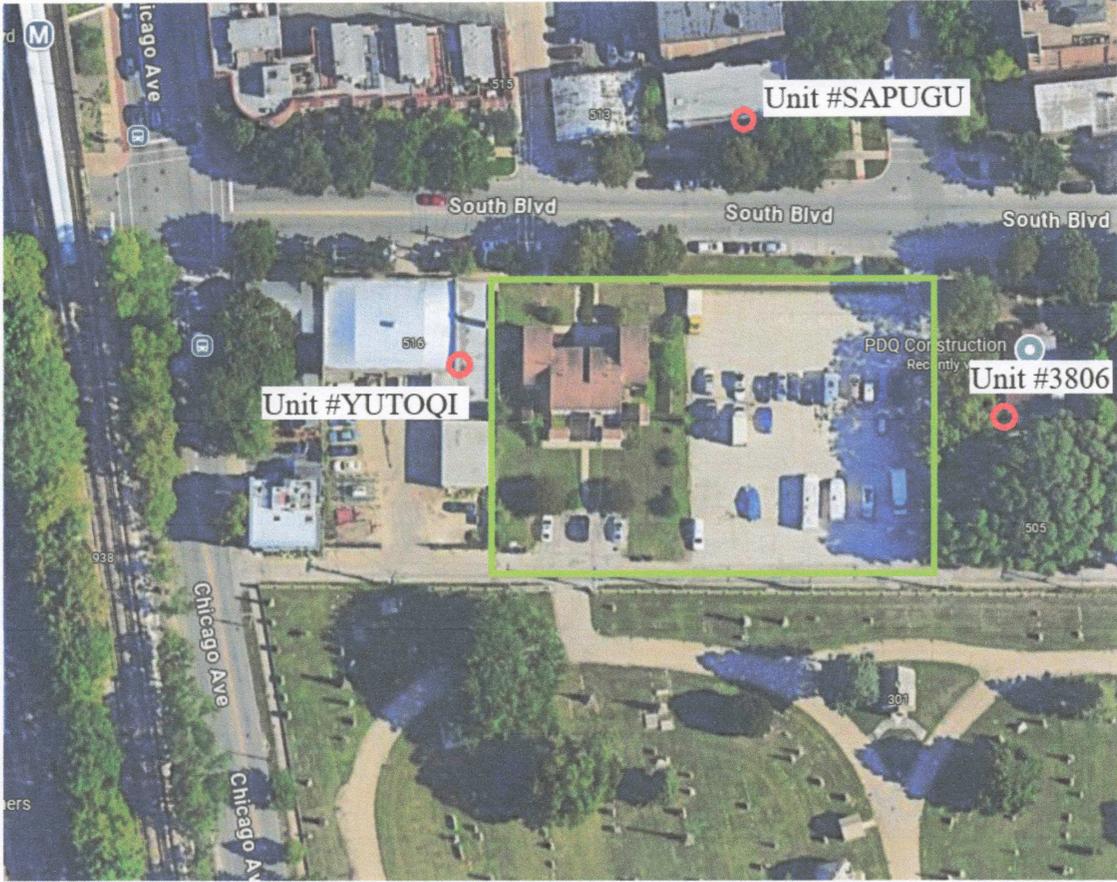
All vibration recordings during this report period were below the 0.5-inch per second threshold limit. The maximum PPV and averages for the monitoring period are below.

October 18, 2025	Location #1 – 516 South Blvd	Unit #YUTOQI	0.065 (in/sec)
October 16, 2025	Location #2 – 507 South Blvd	Unit #SAPUGU	0.021 (in/sec)
October 17, 2025	Location #3 – 424 South Blvd	Unit #3806	0.013 (in/sec)

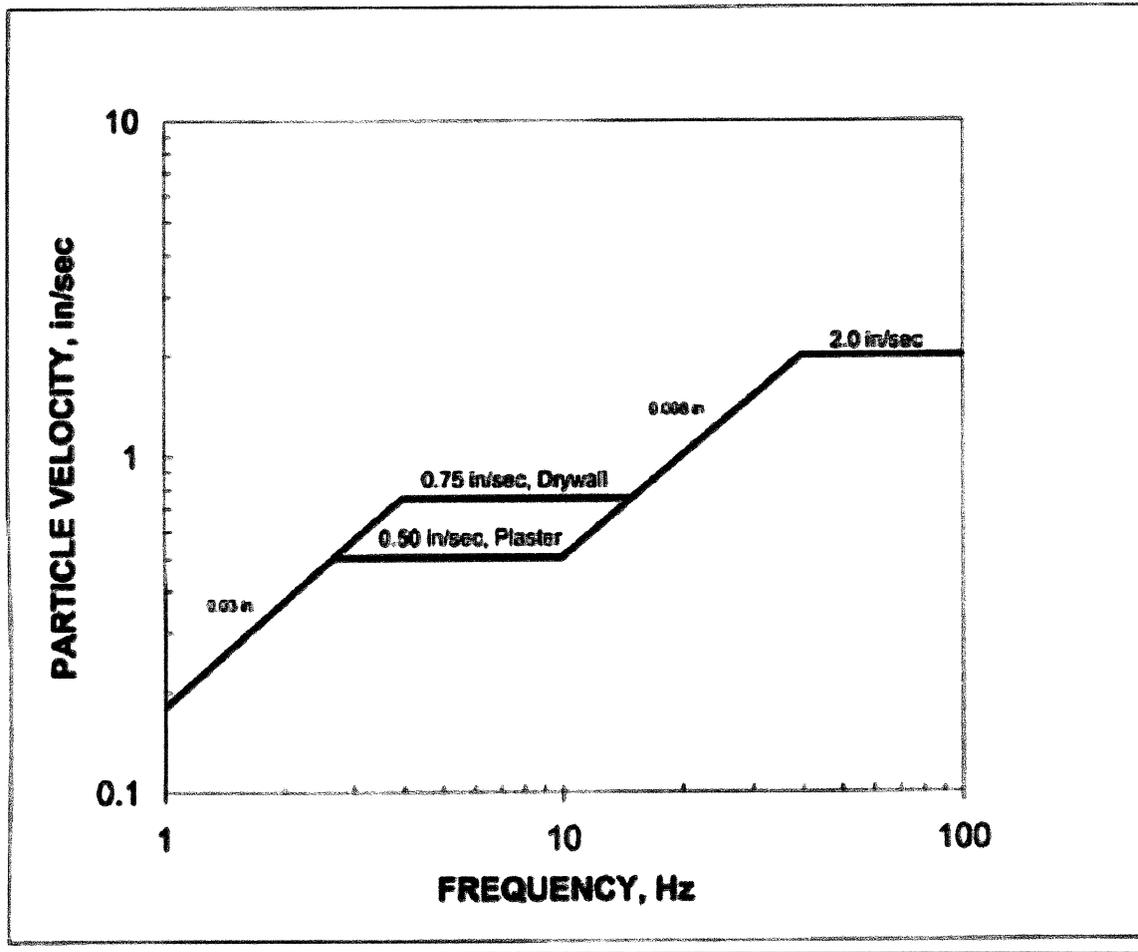
If you have any questions regarding this report, please contact this office at (847) 244-5108.

Sincerely,
Construction Testing & Instrumentation, Inc.

Daniel J. McCarthy
Senior Instrumentation Specialist



○ Seismograph Location



INDUSTRY STANDARD ACCEPTABLE PPV LEVELS

The most influential research on the effects of ground-borne vibrations was conducted by Siskind et al. (1980) of the U.S. Bureau of Mines.¹ Based on the results of an extensive experimental study, the authors recommended acceptable vibration levels for residential structures at which there is a sufficiently lower probability of damage initiation. They suggested a minimum peak particle velocity at frequencies below 40 Hz of 0.75 in/sec for homes with gypsum wallboard construction and 0.5 in/sec for homes with plaster and lath construction. An acceptable peak particle velocity of 2.0 in/sec was recommended for all homes at frequencies greater than 40 Hz. These values were based on a 5% probability of occurrence of threshold (cosmetic) damage. The authors also developed a more detailed functional relationship between acceptable PPV levels and vibration frequency. A similar functional relationship was adopted by the Office of Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement.² The USBM and OSMRE curves are shown in Figure 2. These recommended acceptable PPV levels have been successfully applied to other activities that induce ground-borne vibrations and they have been widely used by the construction industry.

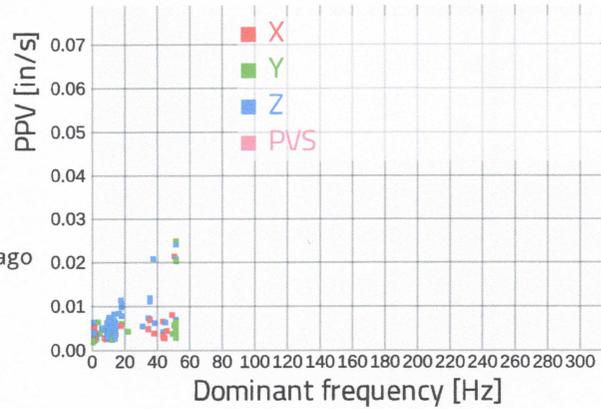
¹ Siskind, D. E., Stagg, M. S., Kopp, J. W., and Dowding, C. H. (1980). "Structure Response and Damage Produced by Ground Vibration from Surface Blasting," *Report of Investigations 8507*, U.S. Bureau of Mines. ² Rosenthal, M. F. and Morlock, G. L. (1987). *Blasting Guidance Manual*, U.S. Department of the Interior, Office of Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement.

Project:
 Measuring point: 516 S BLVD
 (YUTOQI)



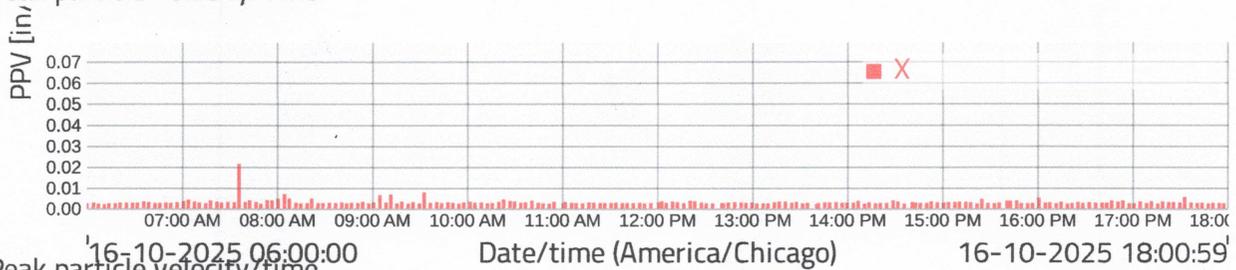
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Peak particle velocity/frequency

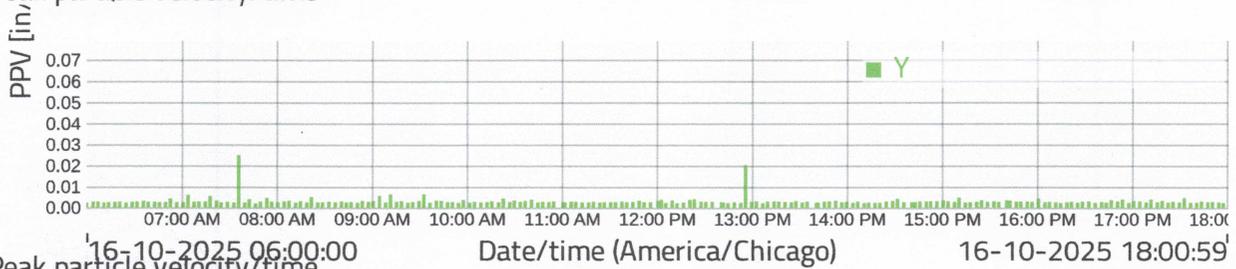


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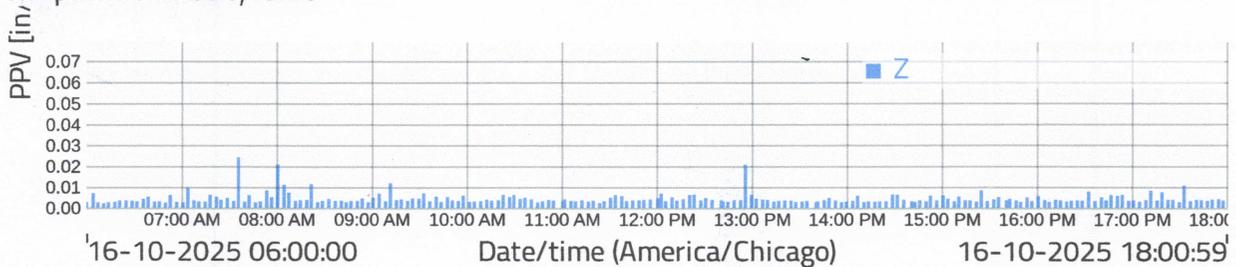
Peak particle velocity/time



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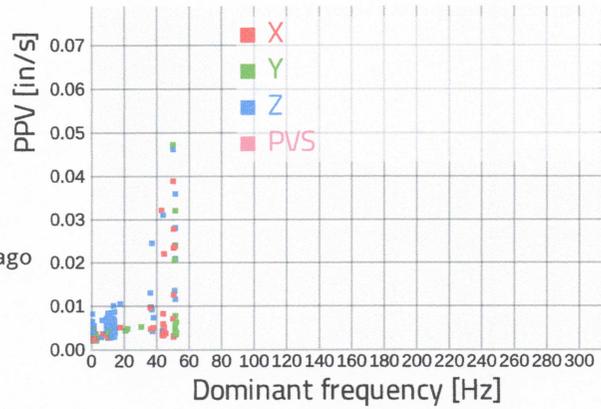


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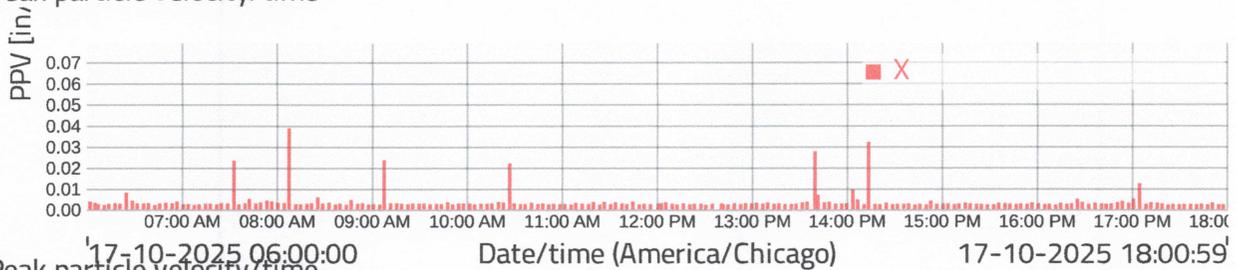
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Peak particle velocity/frequency

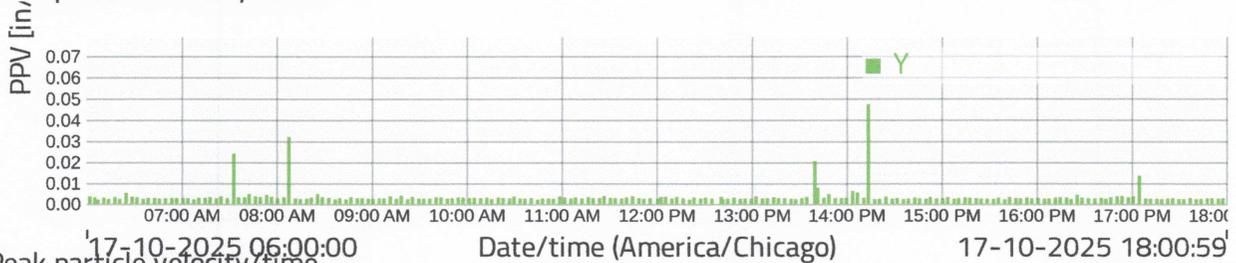


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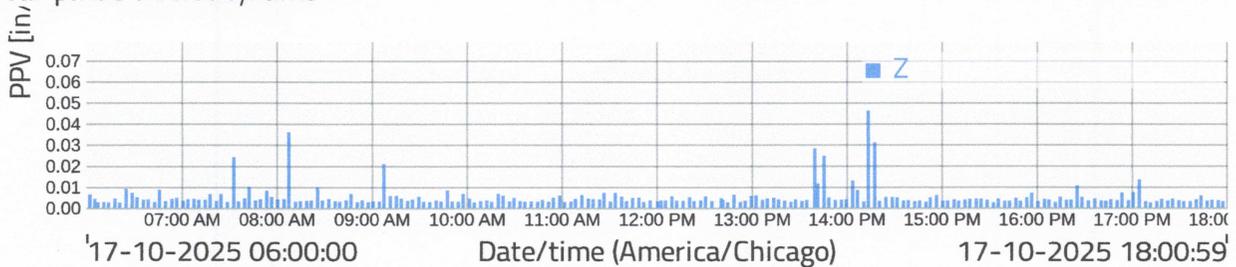
Peak particle velocity/time



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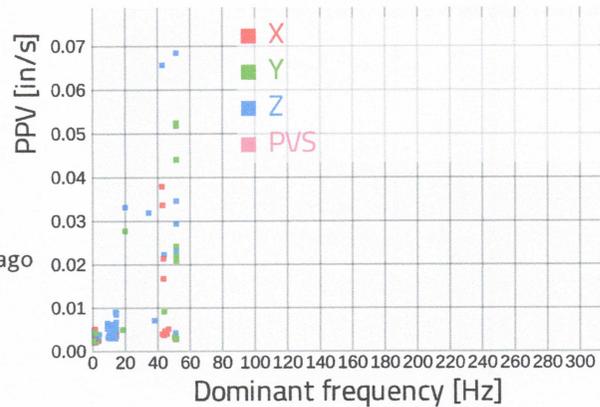


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 (YUTOQI)



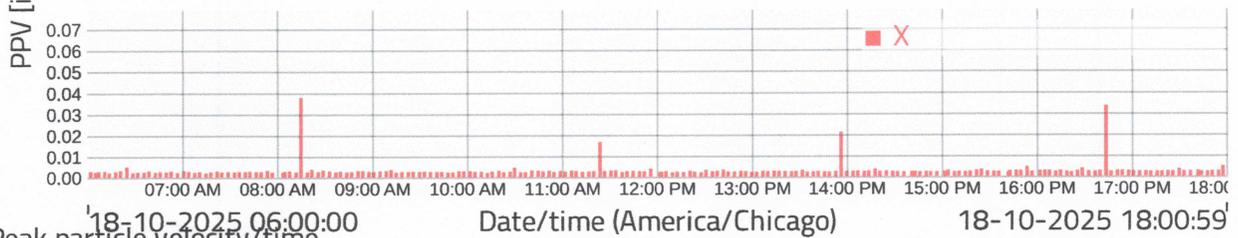
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Peak particle velocity/frequency

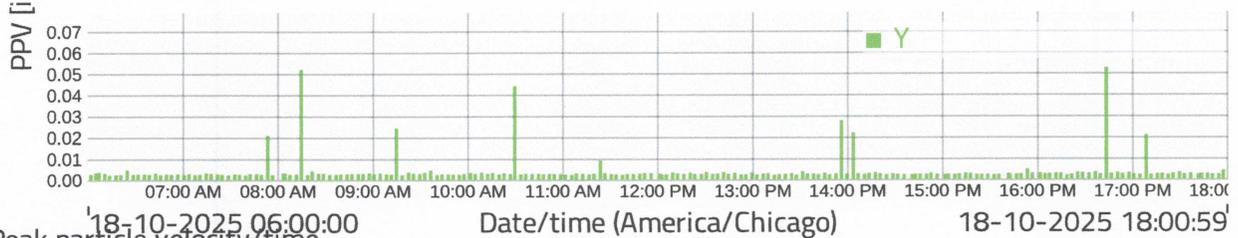


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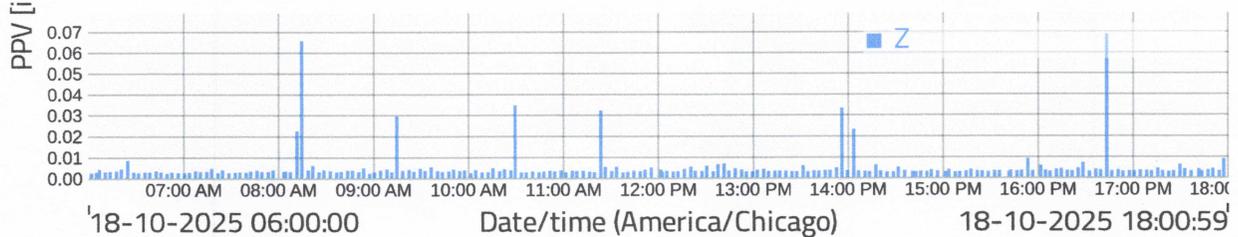
Peak particle velocity/time



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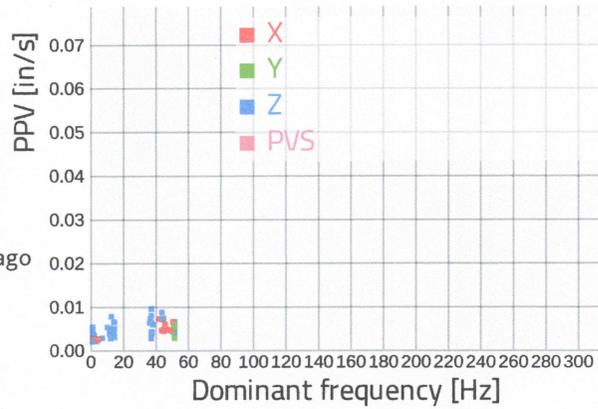


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 (YUTOQI)



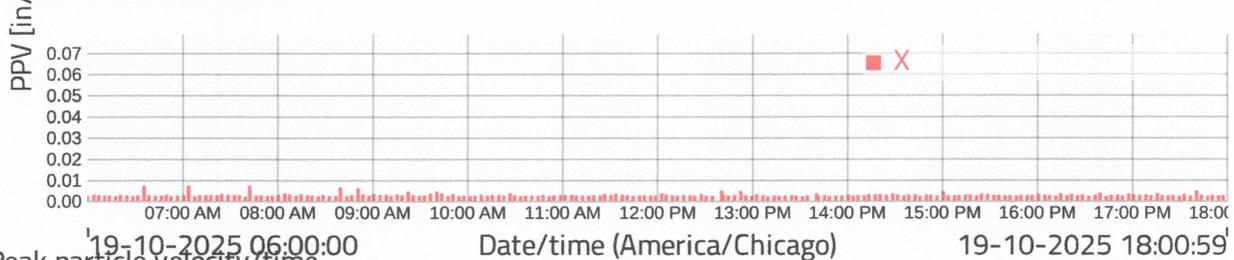
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Peak particle velocity/frequency

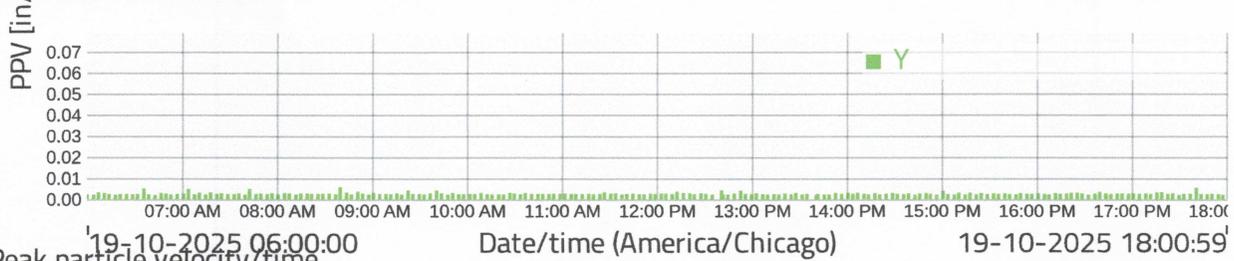


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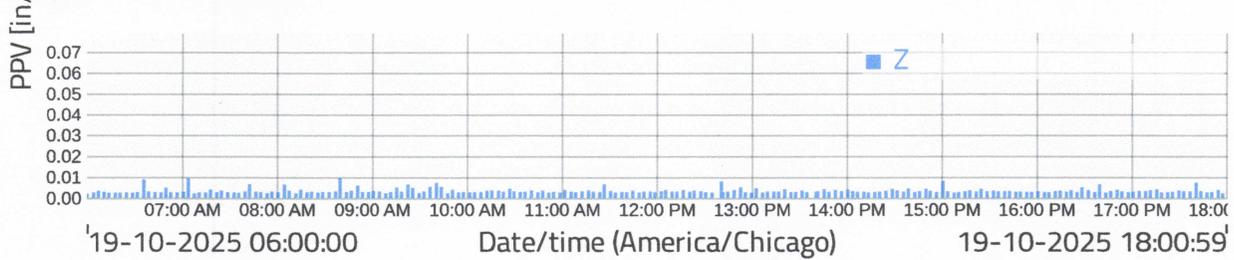
Peak particle velocity/time



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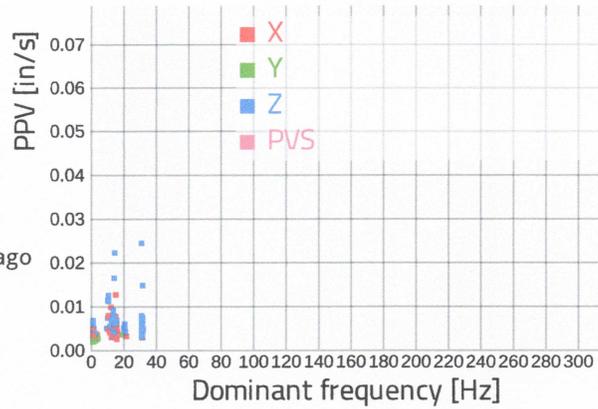


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 (SAPUGU)



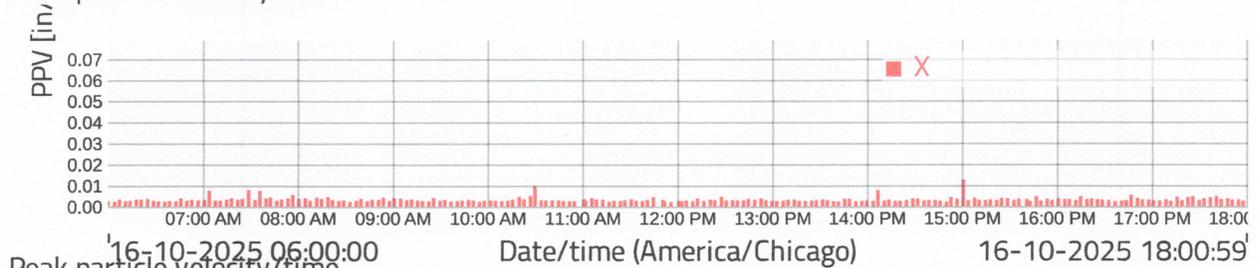
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Calculate PVS (Peak Vector Sum)	Off
Calculate PPV (Peak particle velocity)	On

Peak particle velocity/frequency

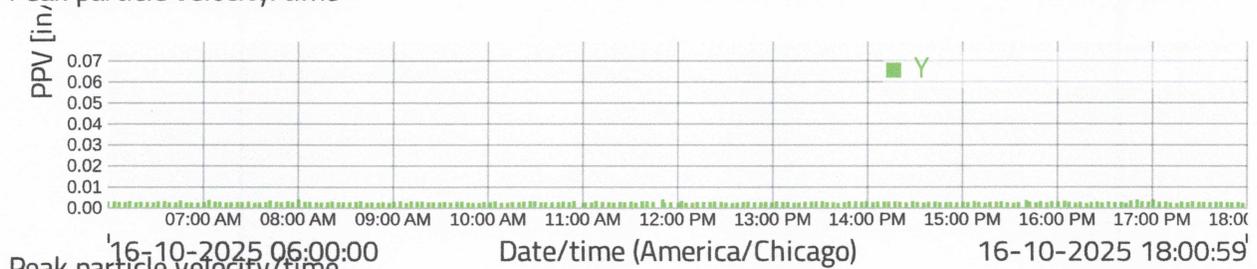


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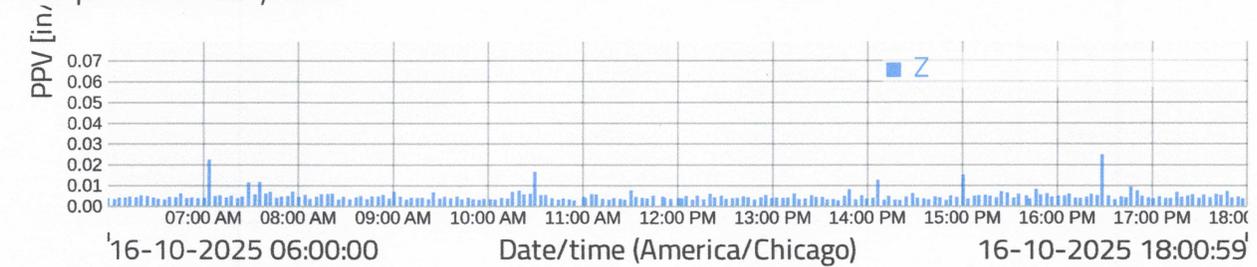
Peak particle velocity/time



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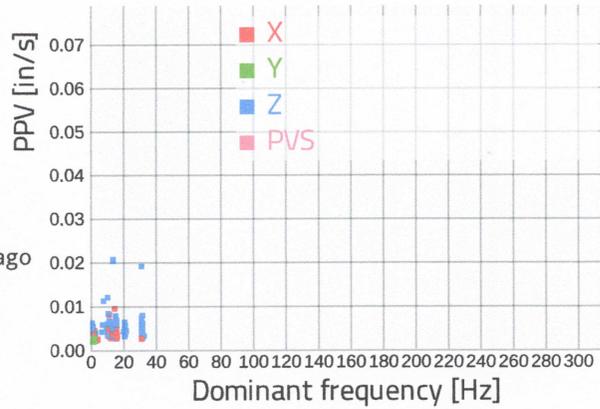


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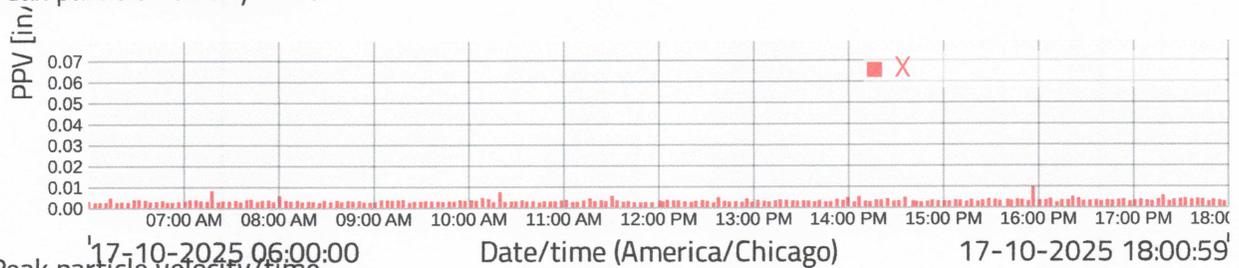
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Peak particle velocity/frequency

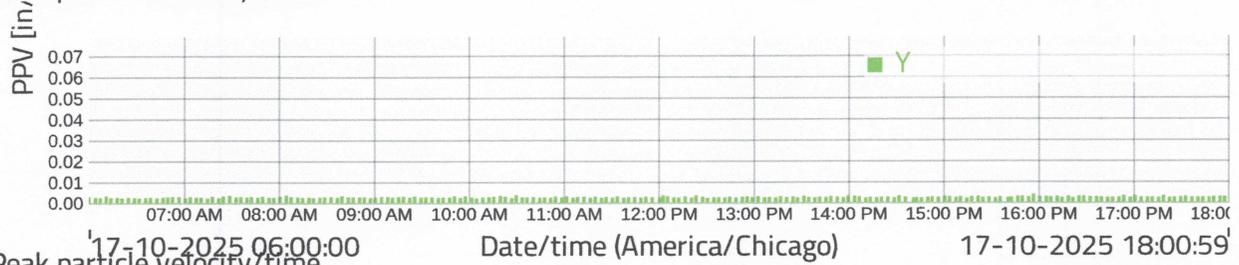


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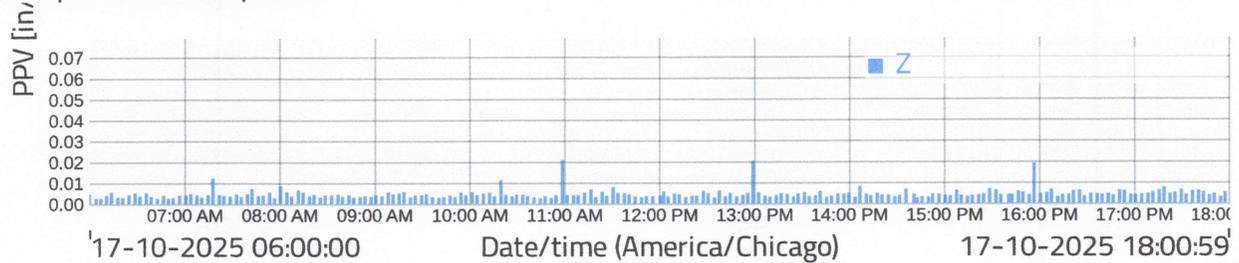
Peak particle velocity/time



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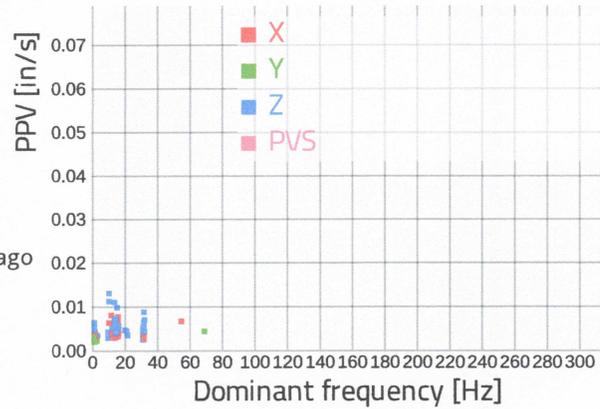


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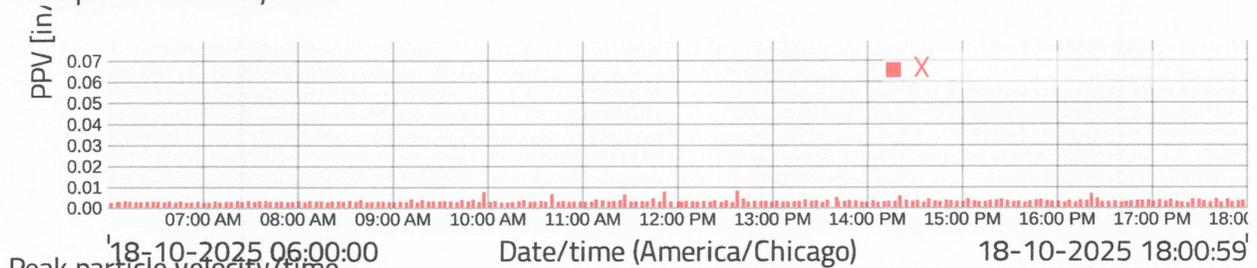
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Peak particle velocity/frequency

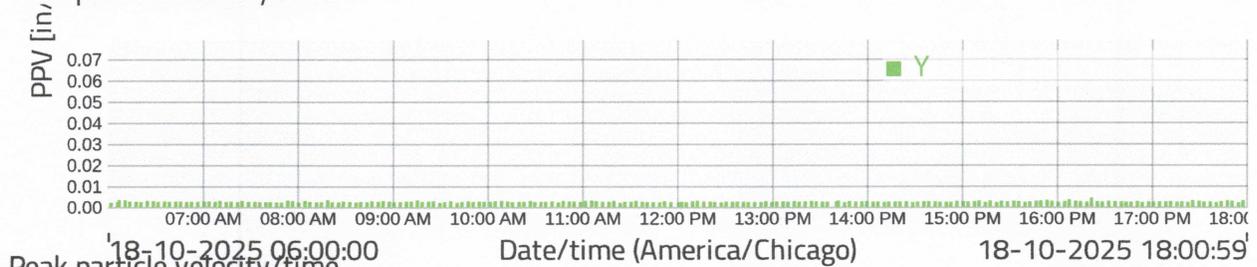


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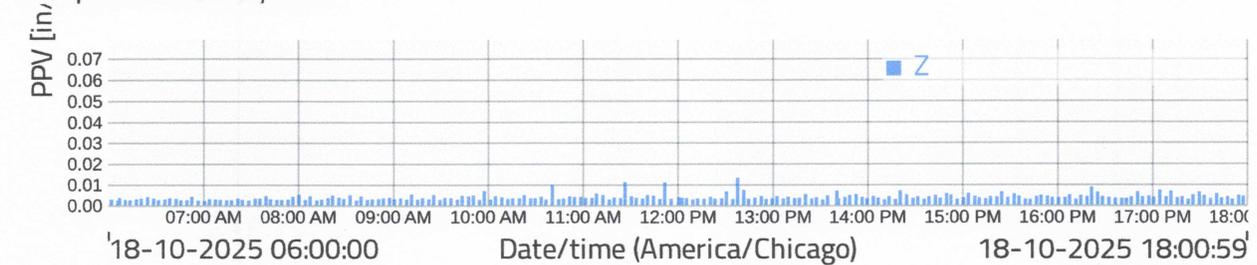
Peak particle velocity/time



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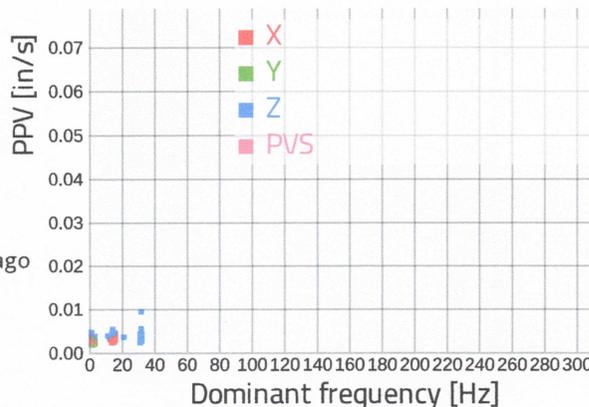


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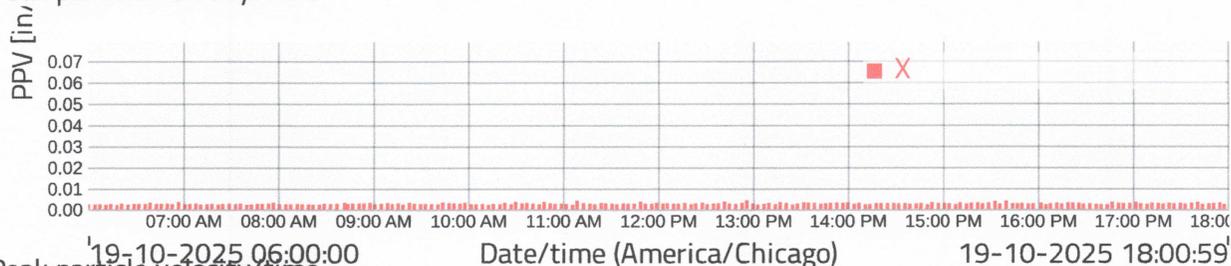
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Peak particle velocity/frequency

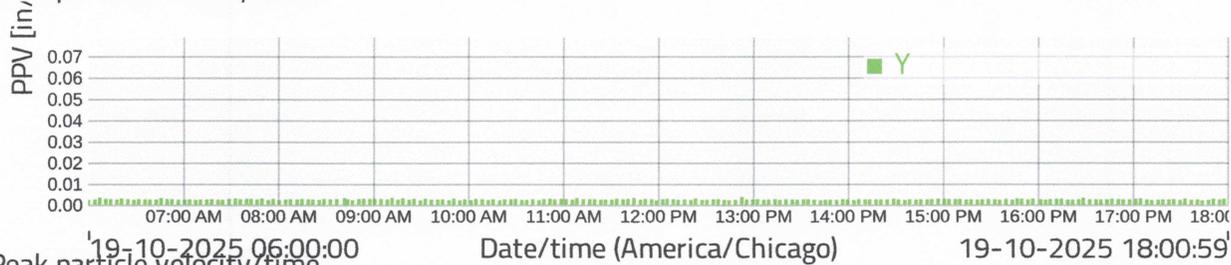


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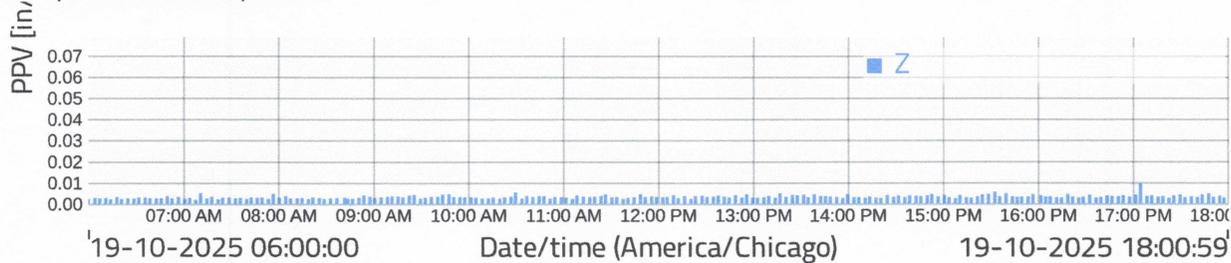
Peak particle velocity/time



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Peak particle velocity/time



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Operation: CONSTRUCTION
Location: 504 S BLVD
Distance: 15.
Operator: CTI
Comment: 424 S BLVD

**Continuous Monitor Recording
Summary Data**

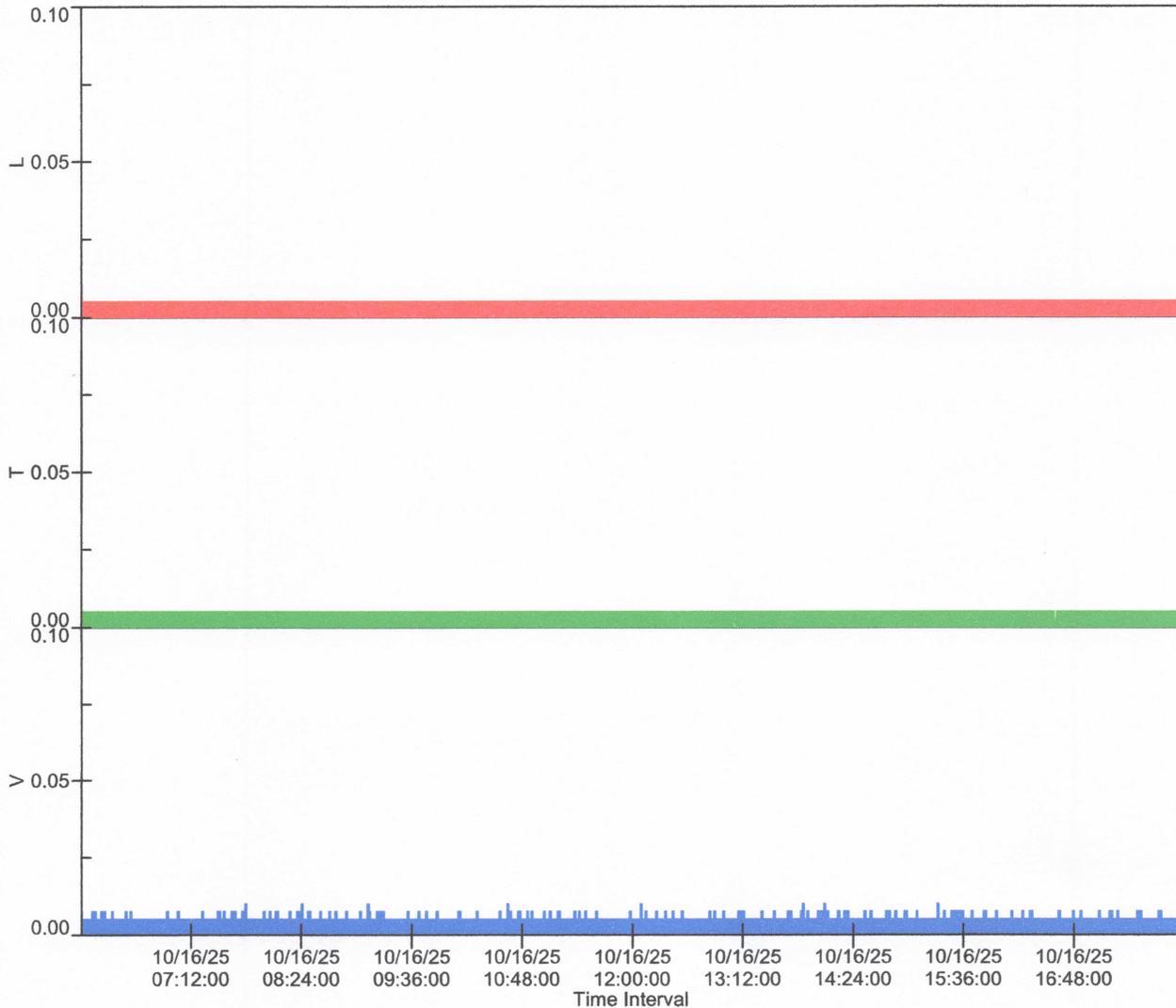
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Recording Time:	718 minutes		
Sample Size:	1440		
Interval Size:	60 seconds		

Additional Info:

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By: GeoSonics Inc.
 359 Northgate Drive
 Warrendale, PA 15086 U.S.A.
 TEL: 724.934.2900 FAX: 724.934.2999

SN: 3806 Event: 1

Record Max PPV: 0.010 in/s Record Max DB: 87 db



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Date: 10/17/2025 **Time:** 06:01:00
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Operation: CONSTRUCTION
Location: 504 S BLVD
Distance: 15.
Operator: CTI
Comment: 424 S BLVD

**Continuous Monitor Recording
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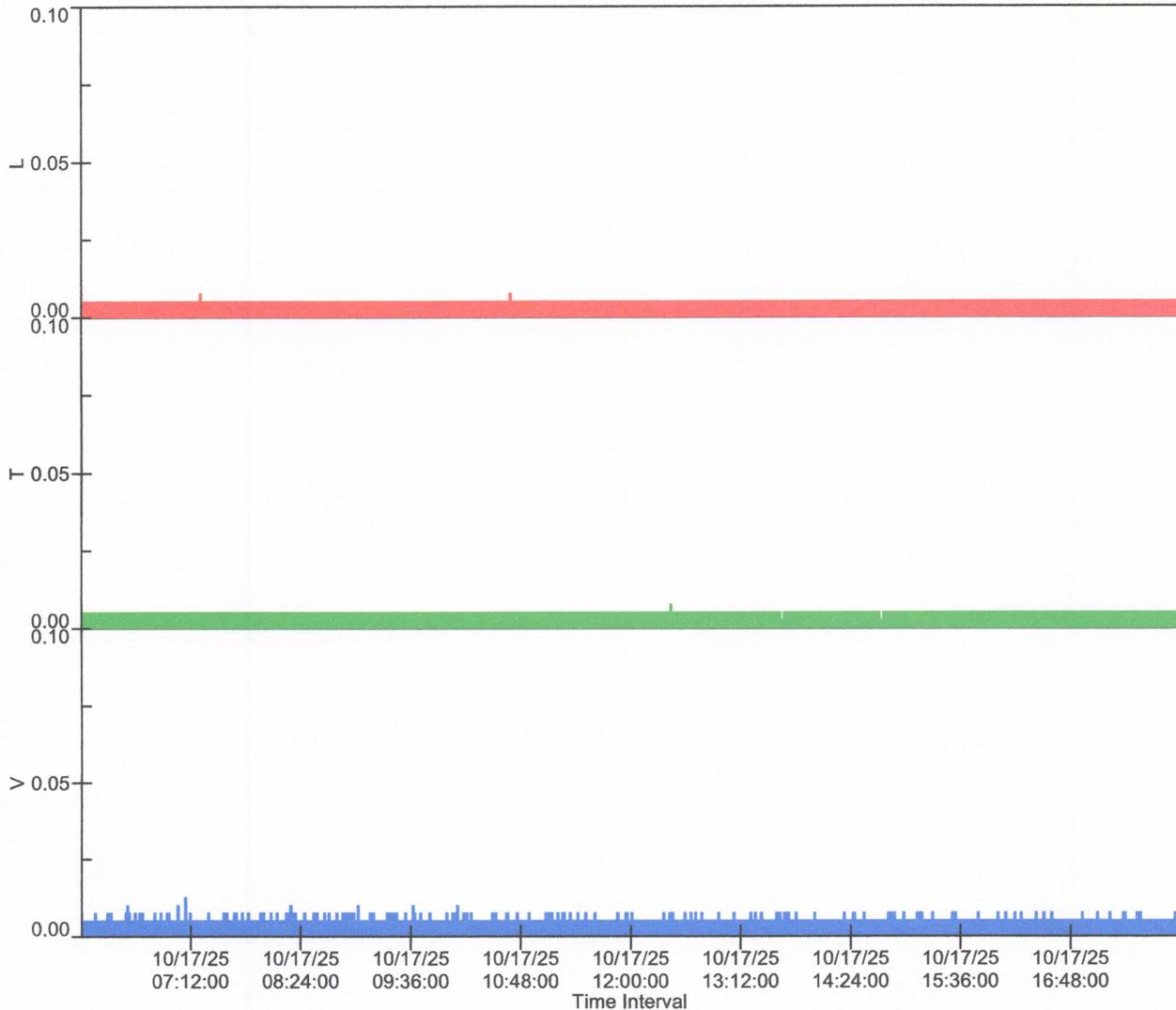
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Recording Time:	718 minutes		
Sample Size:	1440		
Interval Size:	60 seconds		

Additional Info:

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 Warrendale, PA 15086 U.S.A.
 TEL: 724.934.2900 FAX: 724.934.2999

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Record Max PPV: 0.013 in/s Record Max DB: 85 db



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Operation: CONSTRUCTION
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Summary Data**

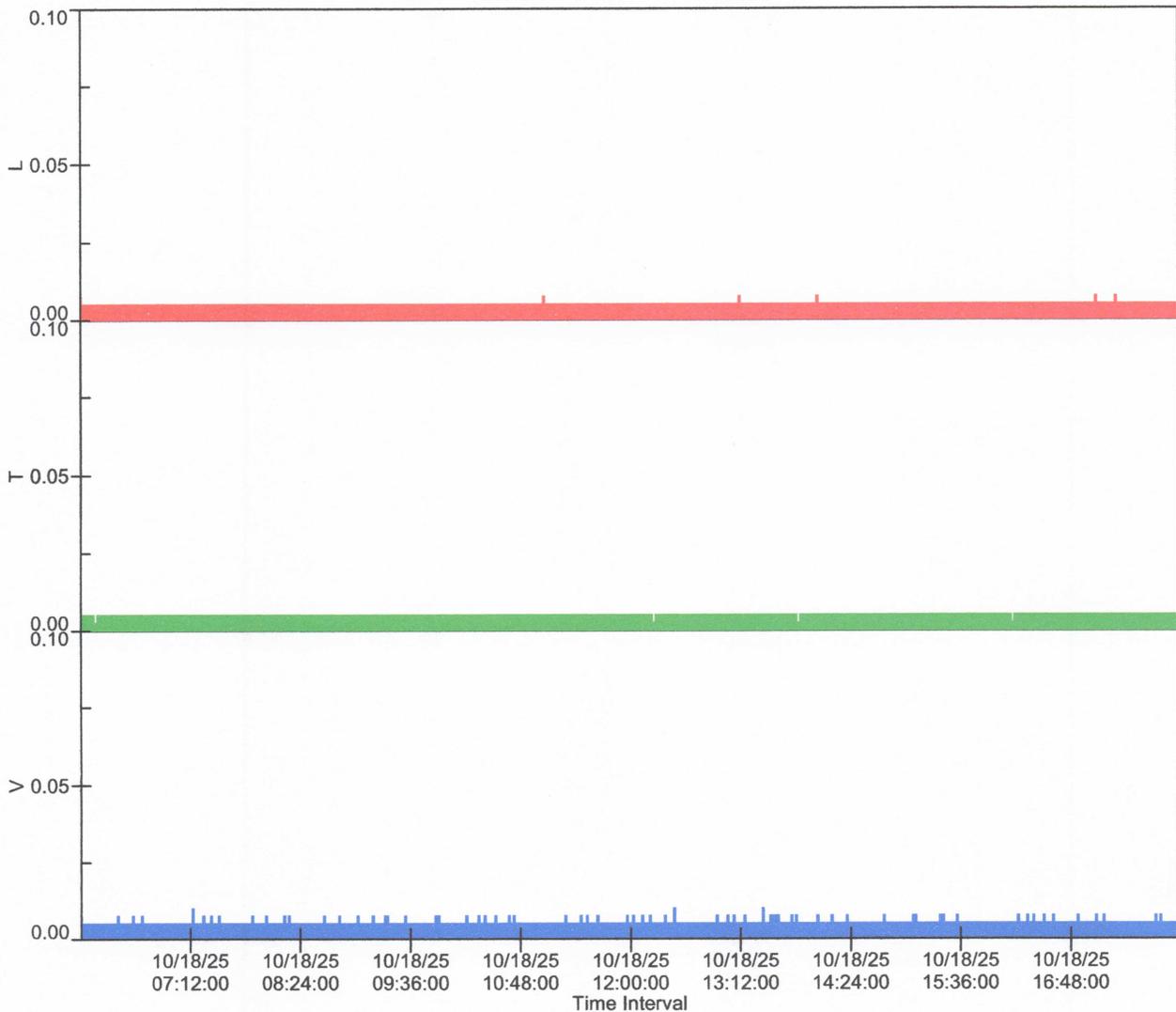
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Sample Size:	1440		
Interval Size:	60 seconds		

Additional Info:

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 359 Northgate Drive
 Warrendale, PA 15086 U.S.A.
 TEL: 724.934.2900 FAX: 724.934.2999

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Record Max PPV: 0.010 in/s Record Max DB: 87 db



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Event: 4
Client: LEOPARDO
Operation: CONSTRUCTION
Location: 504 S BLVD
Distance: 15.
Operator: CTI
Comment: 424 S BLVD

**Continuous Monitor Recording
Summary Data**

	L	T	V
PPV (in/s)	0.008	0.008	0.010
FREQ (Hz)	.3	5.4	2.4
Peak Air Pressure:	85 db		

Recording Time: 718 minutes
Sample Size: 1440
Interval Size: 60 seconds

Additional Info:

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 359 Northgate Drive
 Warrendale, PA 15086 U.S.A.
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Record Max PPV: 0.010 in/s Record Max DB: 85 db

