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Evaluation of Interior Sounds of High-speed Trains Considering the Condition of Tunnel Running

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ABSTRACT

In the present study, physical and subjective evaluations of interior noise of high-speed train were conducted. In-situ measurements were conducted to investigate the noise characteristics in high-speed trains such as KTX and KTX-Sancheon. Binaural microphones and spherical microphone were adopted to record and evaluate the spectral characteristics and noise incidence characteristics at the seats in the passenger cars. Environmental elements were also recorded during the noise measurements using a camcorder and GPS application. In addition, auditory tests were conducted to investigate annoyance of interior noise of high-speed trains. Based on the objective measure and subjective responses on interior noise, statistical analysis such as correlation and regression analyses were carried out. From the results perception models for evaluating the interior noise of high-speed train were derived.

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400~500 km/h

430 km/h

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(1-3)

(4,5)

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가
(3,5,6)

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(2) 가 (, 7A)

(2) 3 (, 7B)

loudness, sharpness

가 L_{Aeq} loudness

가 loudness

가 spherical microphone

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2.1 (7,8)

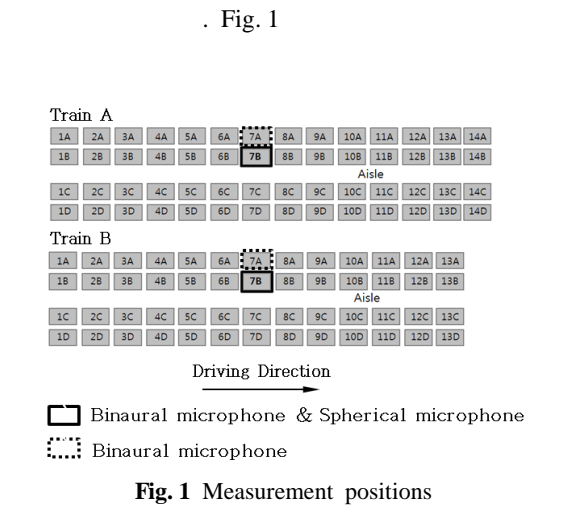
~ KTX(train A)

KTX- (train B)

train A

, train B

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2.2

Binaural microphone(B&K, Type 4101) (Zoom H4n)

MH acoustics EM32

Eigenmike microphone array

GPS

3.

3.1 -

Fig. 2 A

B

Binaural microphone

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0.1

A, B가

A, B

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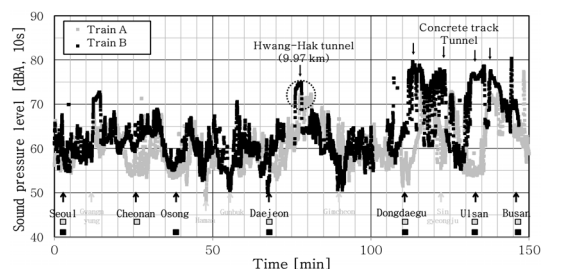


Fig. 2 L_{Aeq} variations during the entire measurement periods

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10 dB 가

B가 A 2~7 dB

3.2 ,

A, B (300 km/h)

5

binaural microphone

3(a), (b), (c)

L_{Aeq} 1 dB

9 dB

A가 B 1.4 dB, (L_{Aeq})
1.5 dB B가 1.9 dB

A가 B

B가 A

Fig. 3(c)

가 80 Hz 5-10 dB, 500-2 kHz

10 dB

loudness, sharpness, roughness, fluctuation strength

Table 1 (9,10)

loudness

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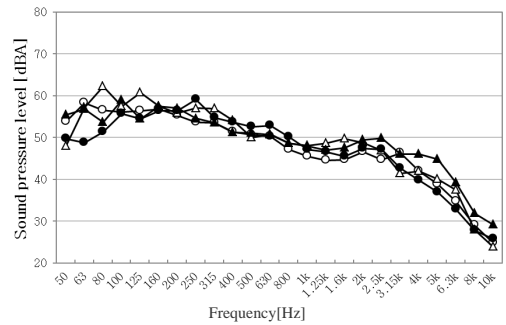
A B

5 sone

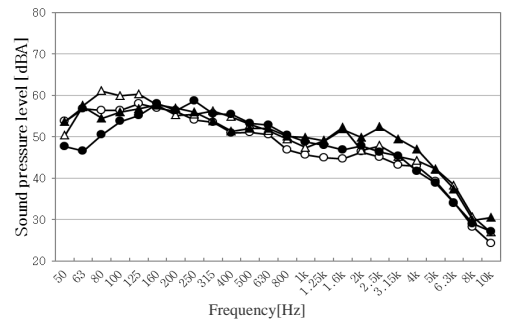
loudness

A가 3 sone

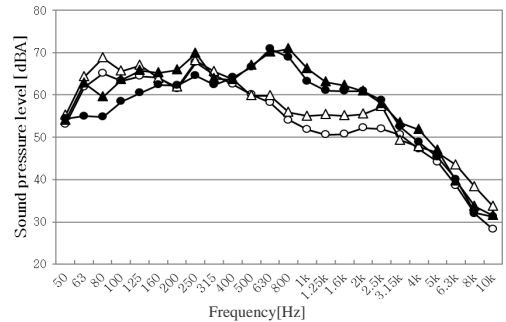
A가 1.5 sone



(a) Open field-ballast track



(b) Open field-concrete track



(c) Tunnel

○—Train A- 1 (Aisle) △—Train A- 2 (Window)
●—Train B- 1 (Aisle) ▲—Train B- 2 (Window)

Fig. 3 Spectral characteristics of train noise

Sharpness B가 A 가
 roughness B가 fluctuation strength

A가
 가

Table 1 Sound quality characteristics of measured noises(left, right channel average)

SQ parameter (Unit)	Train	Open field		Tunnel (with concrete track)
		Ballast track	Concrete track	
Loudness (sone)	A	24.80	24.55	37.80
	B	22.25	23.05	42.80
Sharpness (acum)	A	0.90	0.88	0.84
	B	0.94	1.00	0.99
Roughness (asper)	A	1.75	1.78	1.49
	B	1.83	1.61	1.78
Fluctuation strength (vacil)	A	1.54	2.00	1.38
	B	1.52	1.53	1.54

3.3

spherical microphone

A. B가

A (125 Hz), B (1 kHz, 4 kHz) Fig. 4 (a), (b), (c) . Fig. 4 0.3 dB 가

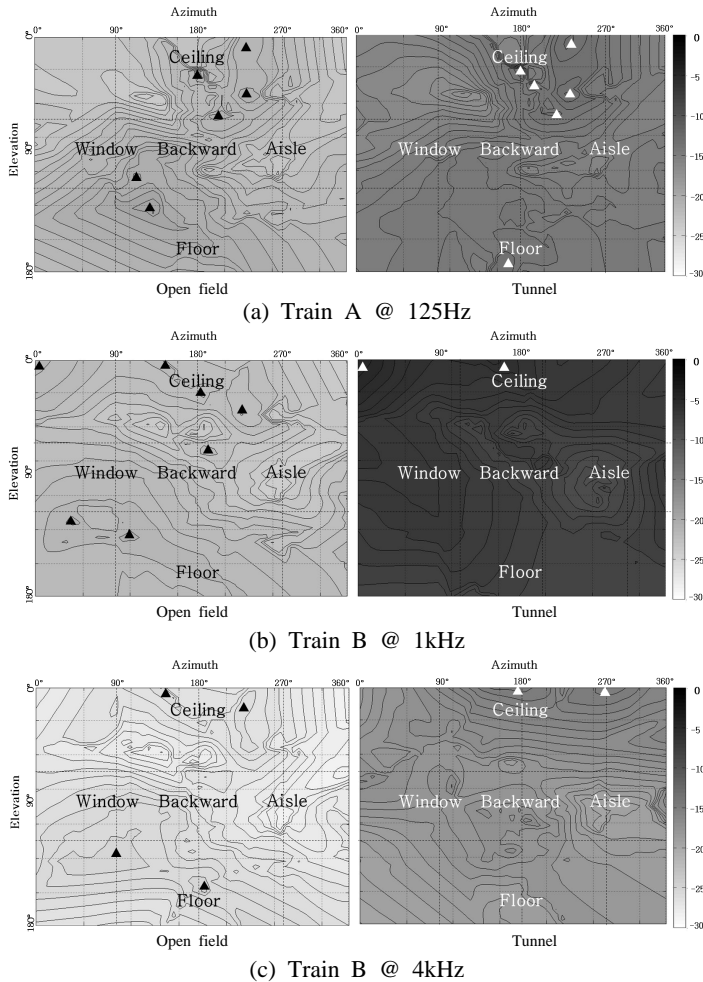


Fig. 4 Interior noise contour maps of high-speed trains

A (125 Hz) 11
 가
 15 가
 11
 10 가 (10) 가 (0)
 B (1 kHz, 4 kHz) 가 (10) 가
 (34 dBA)
 가 HD 650) (Senheise 20~30
 20
 (1)
 (2)

4.2 Annoyance 가

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 가 scale value
 , Fig. 6 11 가
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 가 가
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4.1

A, B 가
 가 (1) , (2)
 , (3) 10
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 A B
 SQ

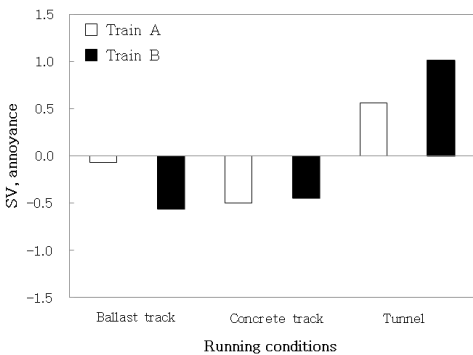


Fig. 5 Subjective responses: SV_{annoiance}

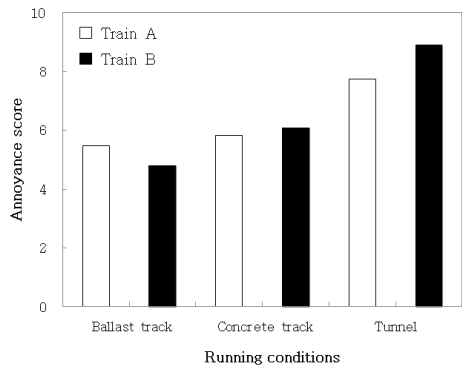


Fig. 6 Subjective responses: annoyance score

Table 3 Regression model: $SV_{annoyance}$

No.	Regression analysis results, SV				
	Model	R^2	Parameters	Unstandardized coefficient	Standardized coefficient
				B	Beta
1	$SV_{Annoyance} = a L_{Aeq}$	0.64	Constant	-9.10	
			L_{Aeq}	0.13	0.82
2	$SV_{Annoyance} = a Loudness$	0.69	Constant	-2.02	
			Loudness	0.07	0.83
3	$SV_{Annoyance} = a L_{eq,low} + b L_{eq,middle} + c L_{eq,High}$	0.70	Constant	-7.03	
			$L_{eq,low}$	0.01	0.04
			$L_{eq,middle}$	0.05	0.43
			$L_{eq,High}$	0.22	1.28
4	$SV_{Annoyance} = a L_{eq,middle} + b L_{eq,High}$	0.70	Constant	-7.27	
			$L_{eq,middle}$	0.04	0.38
			$L_{eq,High}$	0.21	1.20

Table 4 Regression model: annoyance score

No.	Regression analysis results, annoyance score				
	Model	R^2	Parameters	Unstandardized coefficient	Standardized coefficient
				B	Beta
1	Annoyance score = $a L_{Aeq}$	0.44	Constant	-15.17	
			L_{Aeq}	0.31	0.66
2	Annoyance score = $a Loudness$	0.55	Constant	1.69	
			Loudness	0.17	0.66
3	Annoyance score = $a L_{eq,low} + b L_{eq,middle} + c L_{eq,High}$	0.53	Constant	-9.22	
			$L_{eq,low}$	0.04	0.06
			$L_{eq,middle}$	0.07	0.22
			$L_{eq,High}$	0.48	0.93
4	Annoyance score = $a L_{eq,middle} + b L_{eq,High}$	0.51	Constant	-2.32	
			$L_{eq,middle}$	0.04	0.13
			$L_{eq,High}$	0.41	0.78

5.

- KTX KTX-
spherical microphone

(1) -

가 20~30 dB

(2)

A 125 Hz

가 가

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B 500-4 kHz

가

(3) A

B

가 가
(4)

loudness

가 가
(5)

0.05(), 0.29(), 1()

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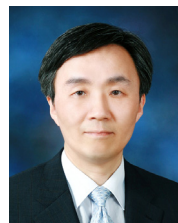
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