

Review of State Noise Limits Pertaining to Solar Fields*

State	dBA limit	Reference Point	Link
Indiana	50	outer wall of non-participating dwelling	https://www.in.gov/oed/files/Handout-Commercial-Solar-Energy-Ready-Community-2023.9.pdf
Michigan	55	outer wall of non-participating dwelling	https://legislature.mi.gov/Home/RenderDoc?objectName=mcl-295-2008-8.
New York	45	outside of non-participating residence	https://documents.dps.ny.gov/public/Common/ViewDoc.aspx?DocRefId=%7B61702B1D-BA86-42C7-B980-54D671323C06%7D
Ohio	40	non-participating sensitive receptor	https://codes.ohio.gov/ohio-administrative-code/rule-4906-4-09
Oregon	36	see code for details	https://www.oregon.gov/deq/rulemaking/pages/noise2024.aspx
*Note: Other States may have general noise/nuisance limits. This research pertains specifically to noise emitted by solar fields.			