

Capability of Vinatom in assessing the dispersion of radioactive material in air

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- The preliminary results of benchmark problem on the nuclear accident consequence assessment

Capability of Vinatom in assessing the dispersion of radioactive material in air

- Models are used by Vinatom to assess the dispersion of radioactive material in air
- Computer codes are used by Vinatom

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Atmospheric dispersion models

- Gaussian diffusion model

$$\chi = \frac{Q'}{2\pi u \sigma_y \sigma_z} \exp \left[-\frac{1}{2} \left(\frac{y^2}{\sigma_y^2} + \frac{z^2}{\sigma_z^2} \right) \right]$$

u – wind speed in the x-direction

Q' – amount of contaminant released per unit time

σ_y, σ_z - standard deviation of Gaussian distribution according to y-axis, z-axis respectively

χ - concentration of contaminant

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Atmospheric dispersion models

- Sector averaging

$$\chi_s(x) = \sum_{p=1}^{N_p} \sum_{r=1}^{N_r} \frac{N_s \cdot f_{prs} \cdot Q'}{\sqrt{2} \cdot \pi^{3/2} \cdot x \cdot u_r \cdot \sigma_{zp}(x)} \exp\left\{-\frac{1}{2} \left[\frac{h_p}{\sigma_{zp}(x)} \right]^2\right\}$$

$\chi_s(x)$ – ground-level air concentration of contaminant in wind direction s at downwind distance x

N_p – number of atmospheric stability classes

N_r – number of wind speed classes

f_{prs} – joint frequency of occurrence of atmospheric stability class p , wind speed class r , and wind direction s

Q' – release rate of contaminant per unit time

u_r – mean wind speed associated with wind speed category r

$\sigma_{zp}(x)$ – the specific value of σ_z associated with stability class p and downwind distance x

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Computer codes

- NRC Dose72
- PAVAN
- HotSpot 3.0
- RASCAL 4.2

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Benchmark problem

- **Source term**
 - Cs-137 with activity of $3.2E16$ Bq
 - I-131 with activity of $2.4E15$ Bq
- **Duration of release**
 - 24 hours
- **Duration of accident**
 - 30 days

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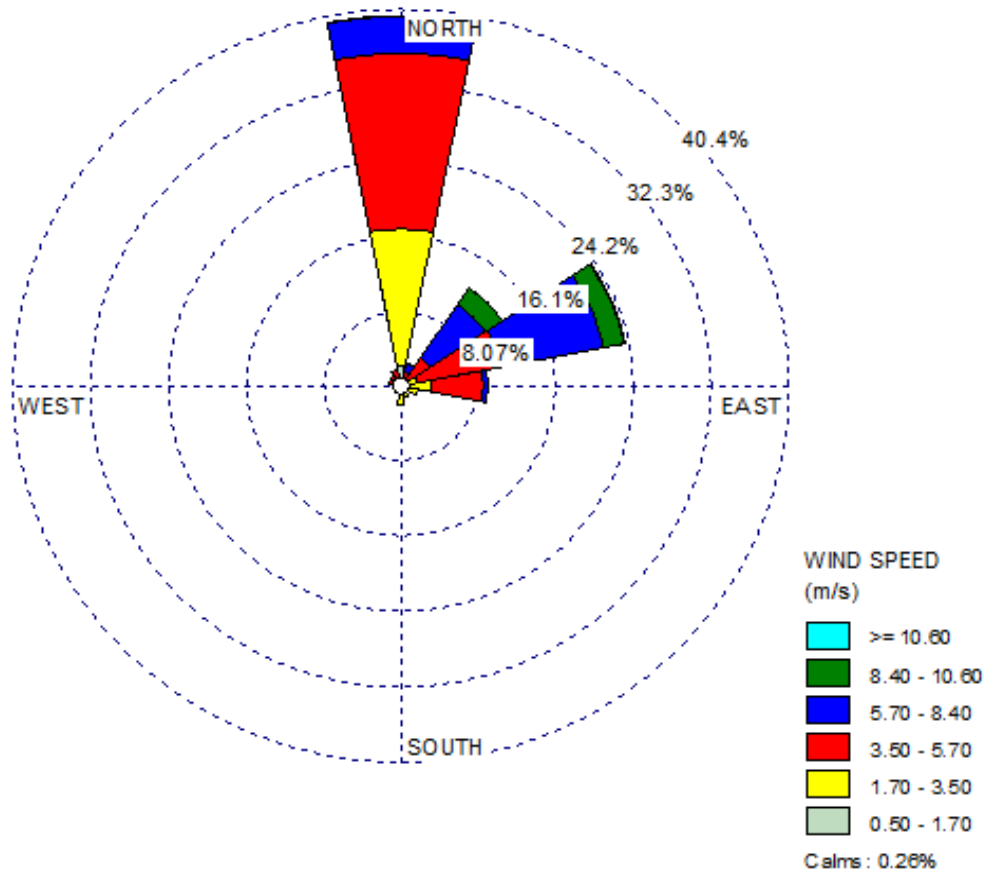
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- **Meteorological data**
 - Hourly meteorological data for 1 year at Ninh Thuan and Fangchenggang, which are provided by Vinatom. The meteorological data includes: date; wind direction; wind speed; stability; rainfall
- **Estimation of the nuclear accident consequence**

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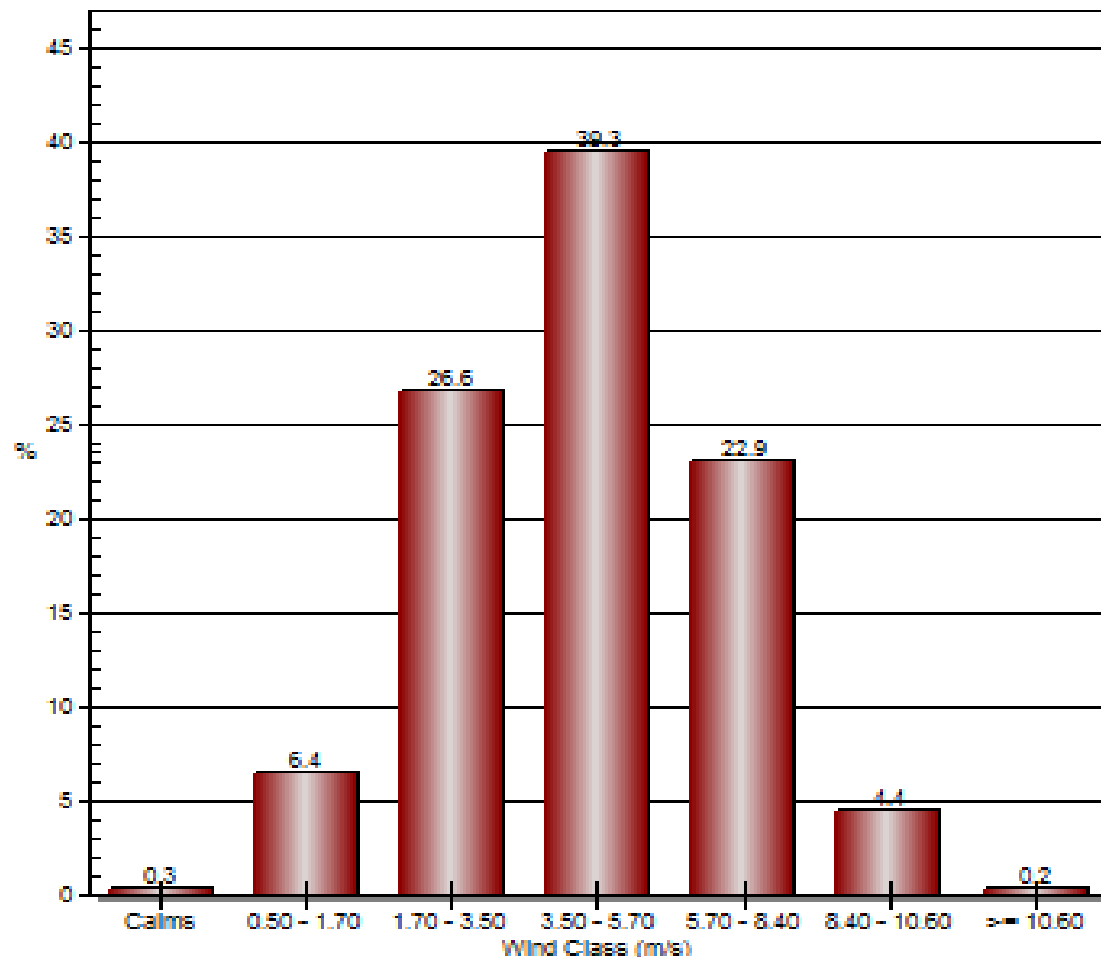
Wind rose at the Ninh Thuan site



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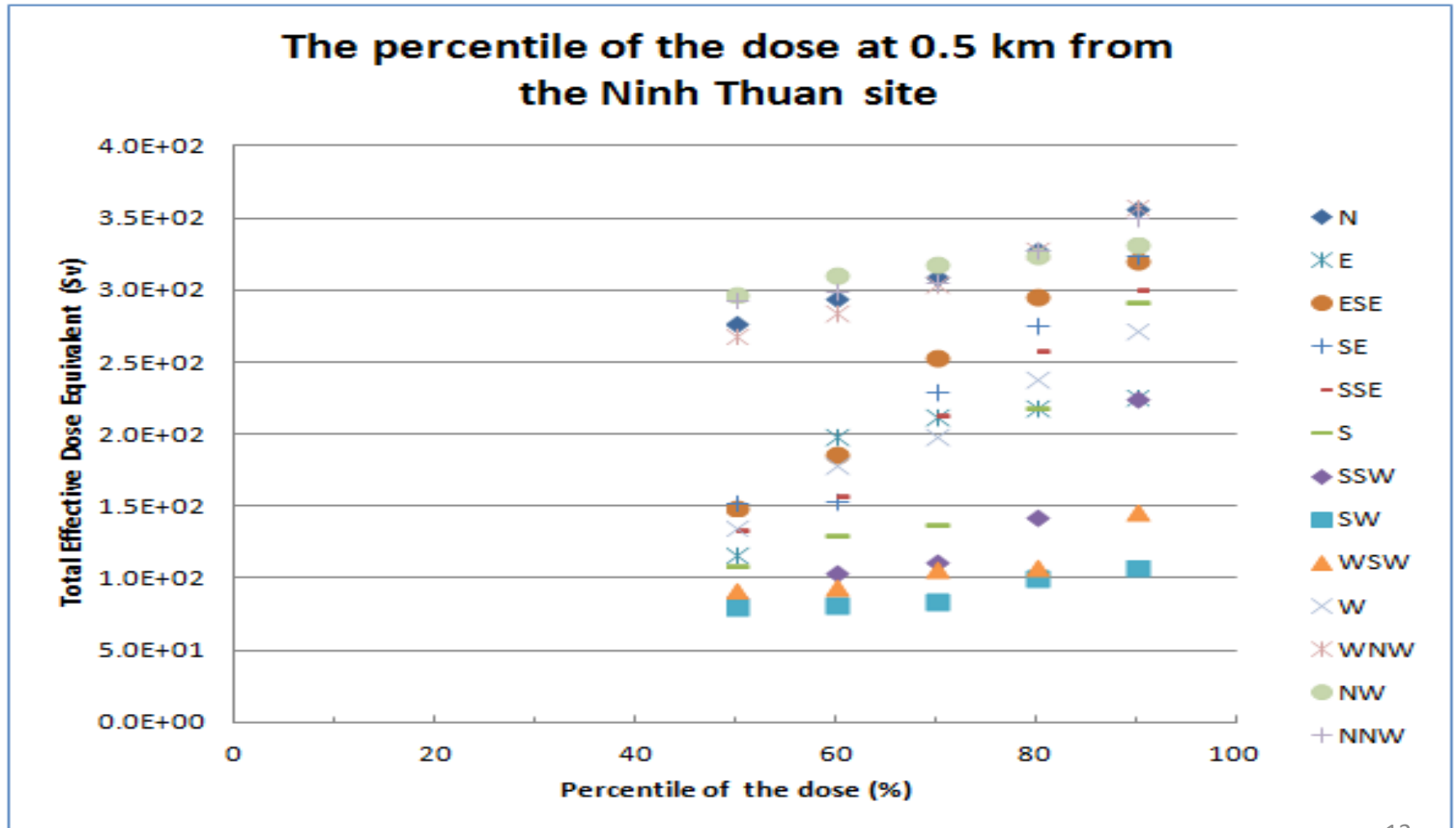
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Wind class frequency distribution at the Ninh Thuan site



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The components contribute into the TEDE

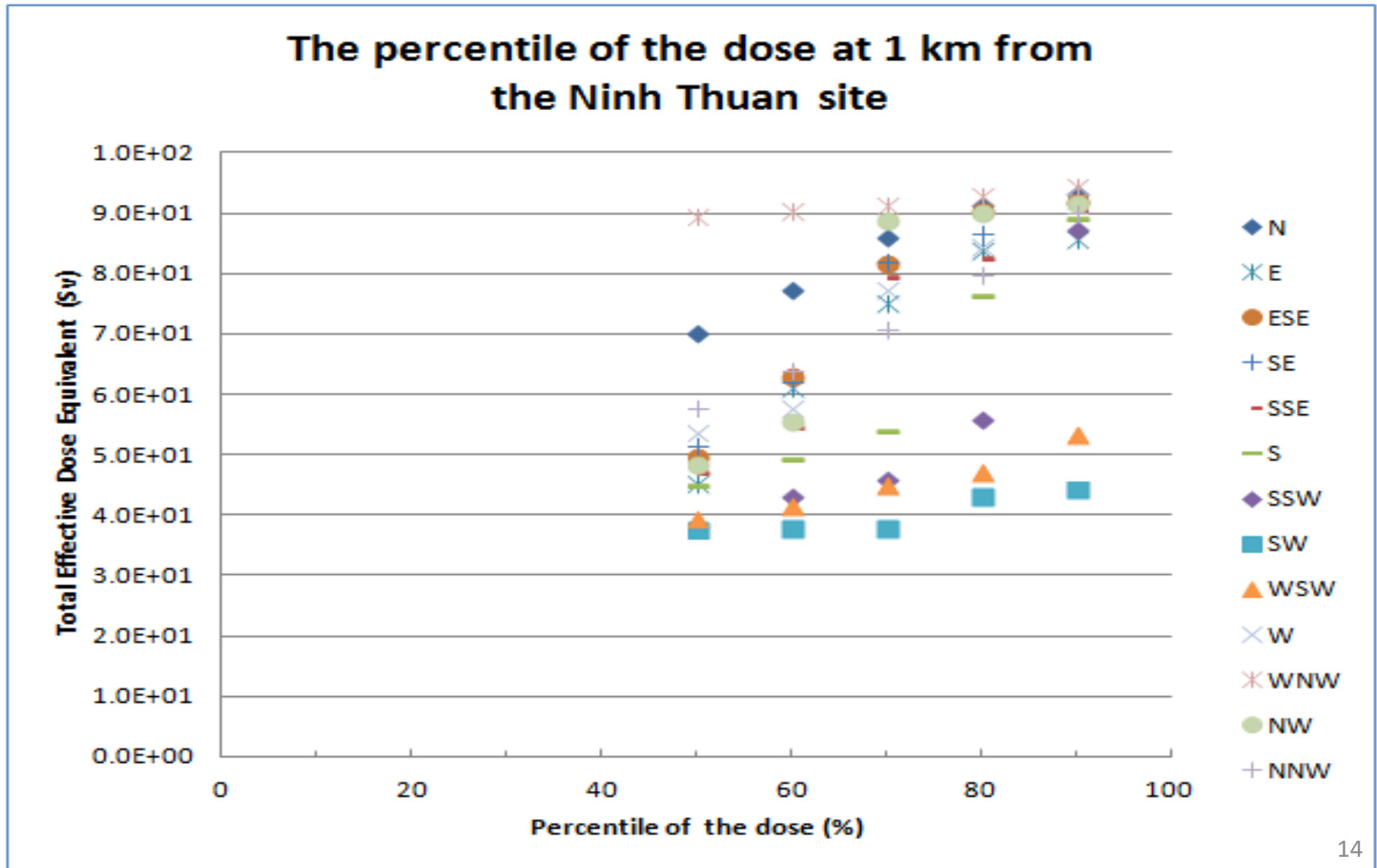
- Inhalation
- Submersion
- Ground shine
- Resuspension

In the case wind speed of 1 m/s; stability of D; distance of 0.5 km

Inhalation:	7.13E+00 (Plume Passage) (Sv)
Submersion:	6.60E-02 (Plume Passage) (Sv)
Ground Shine:	2.70E+02 (Sv)
Resuspension:	5.97E+00 (Sv)
Total:	2.8E+02 (Sv)

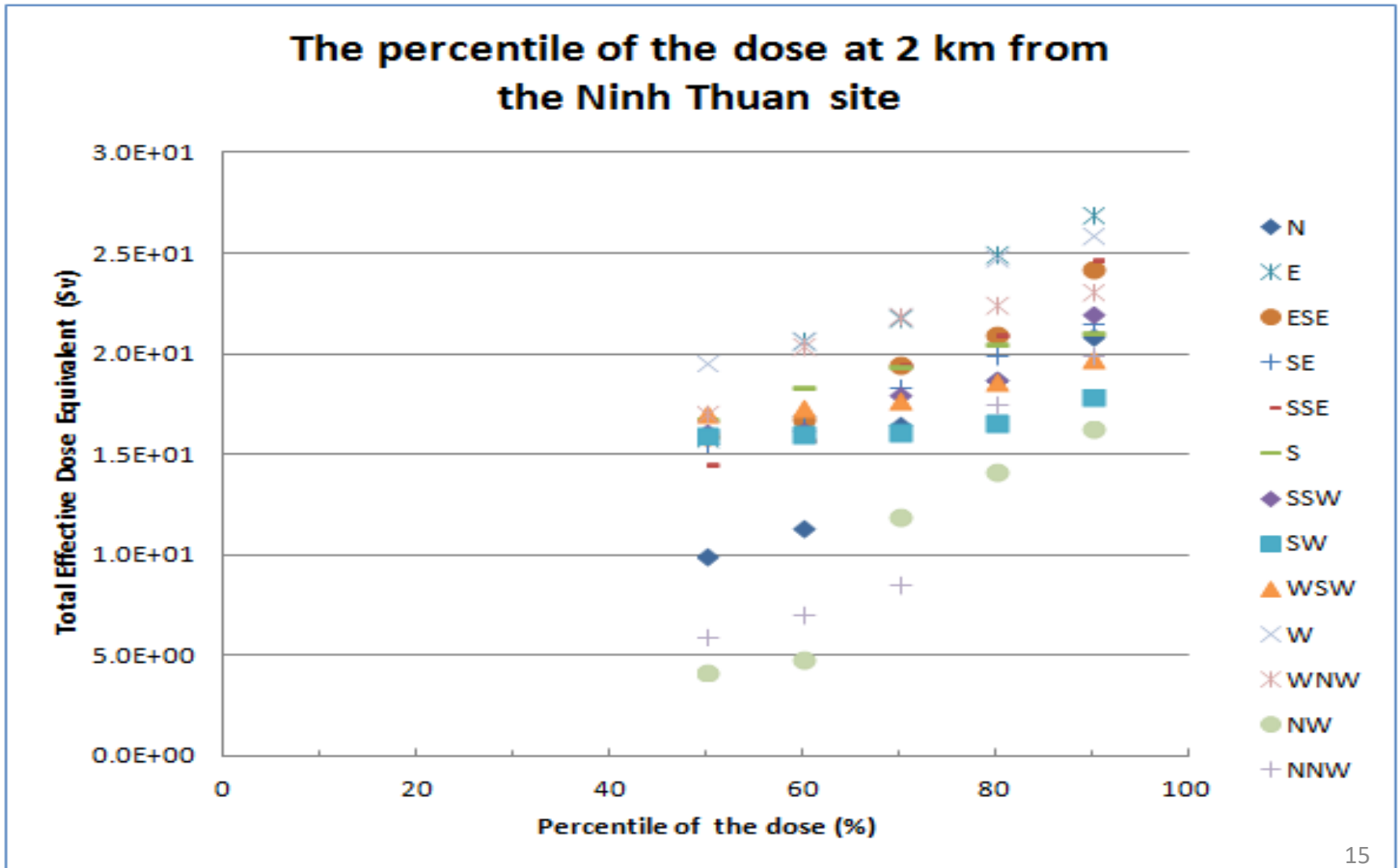
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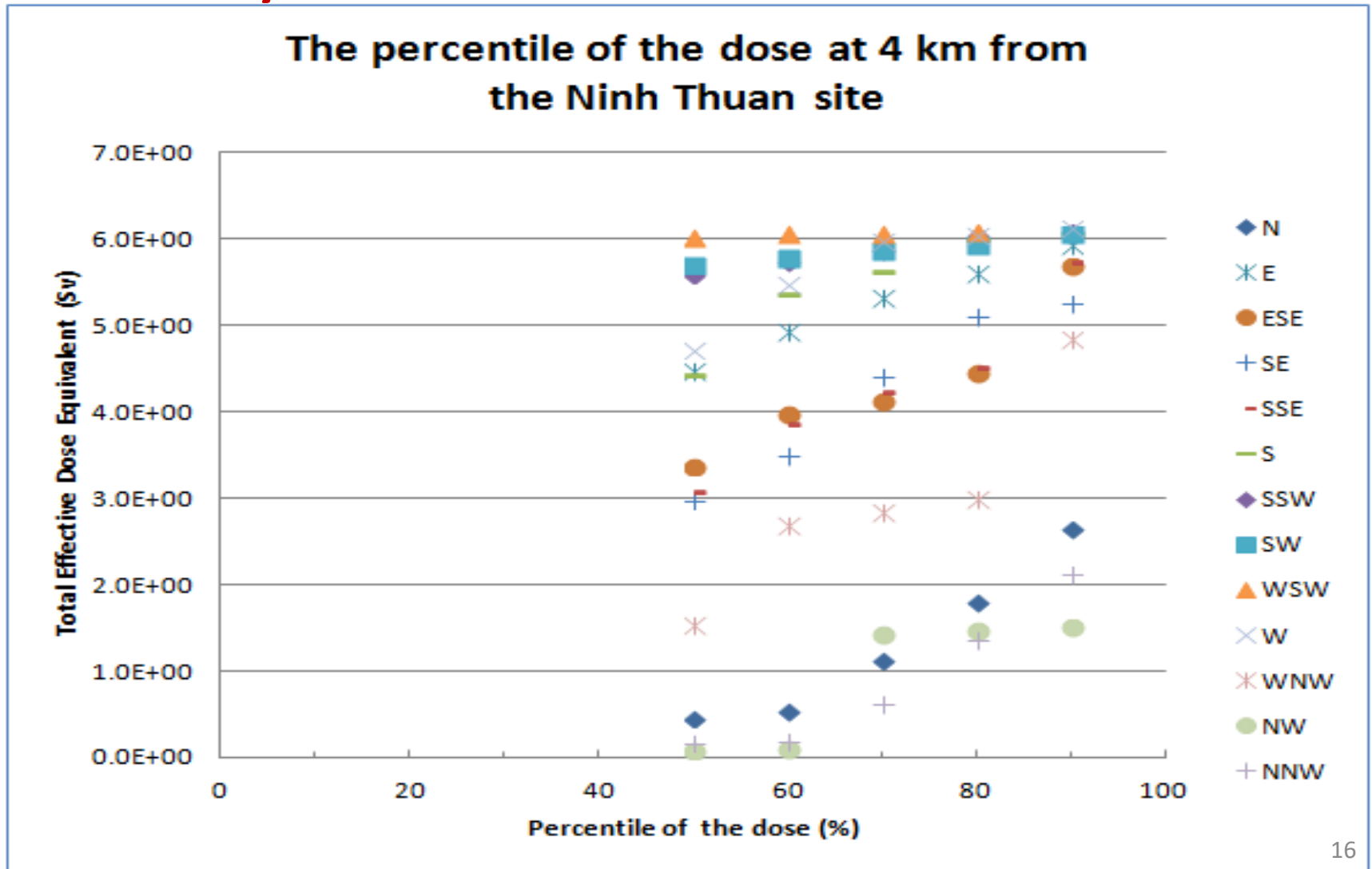
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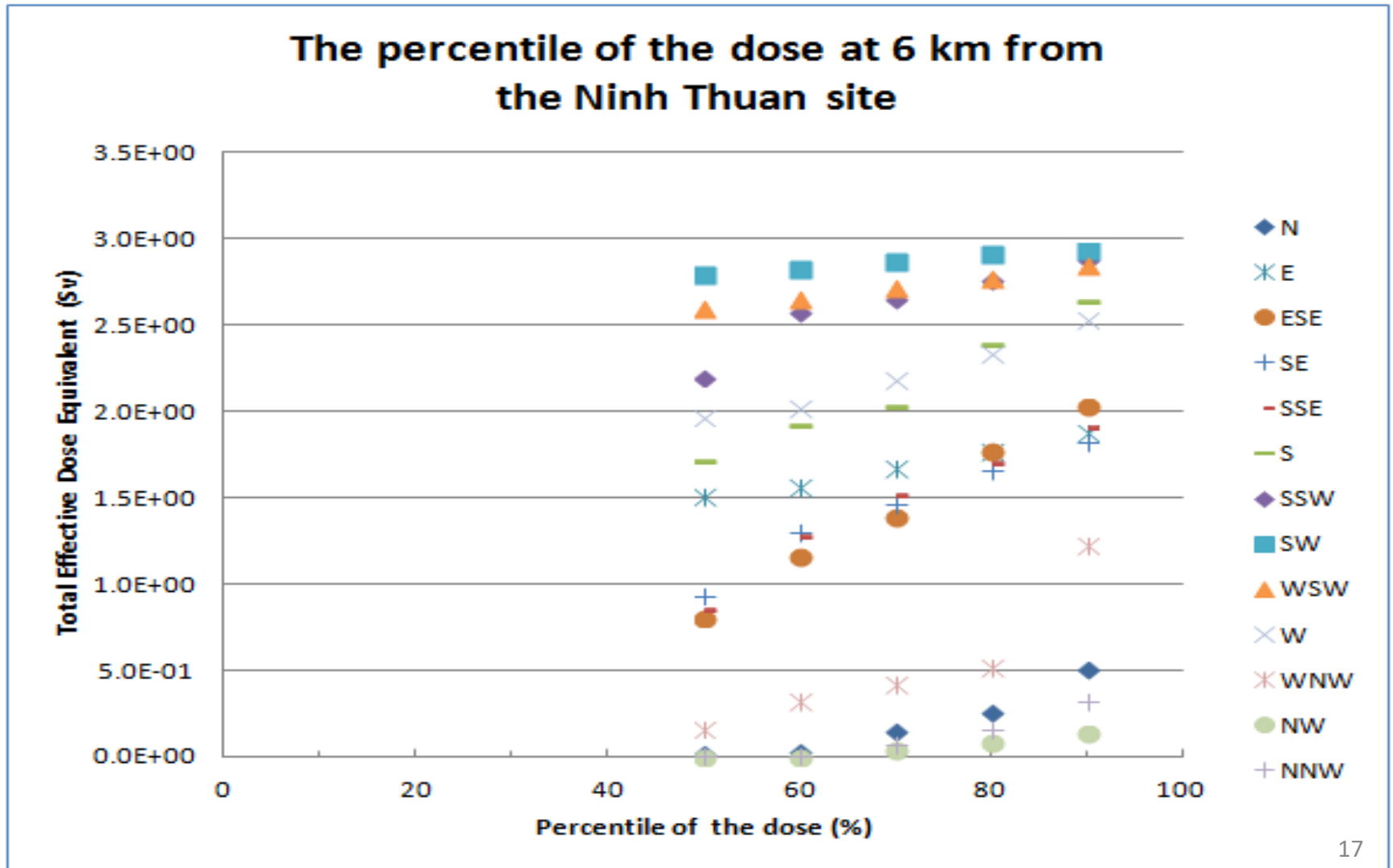
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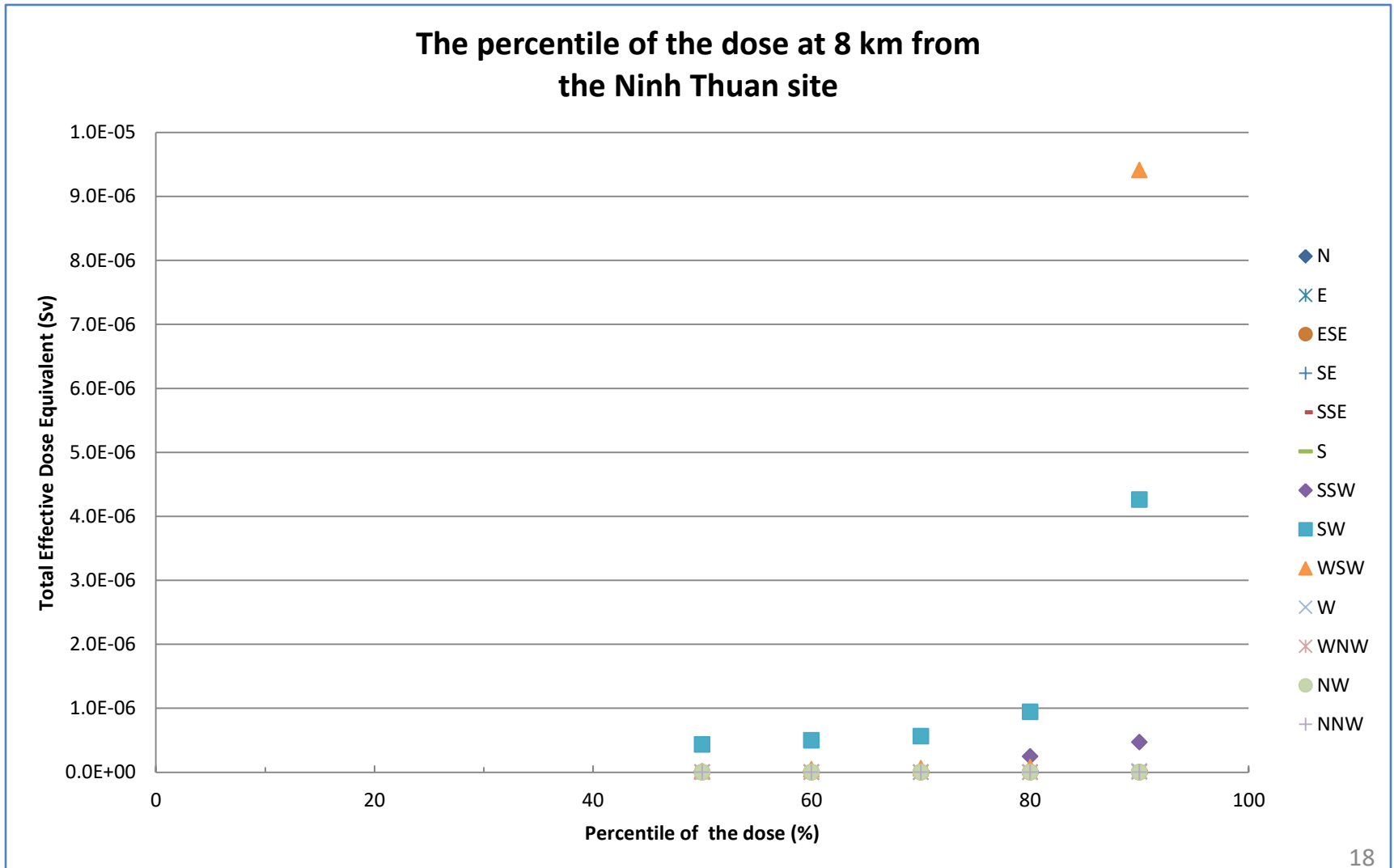
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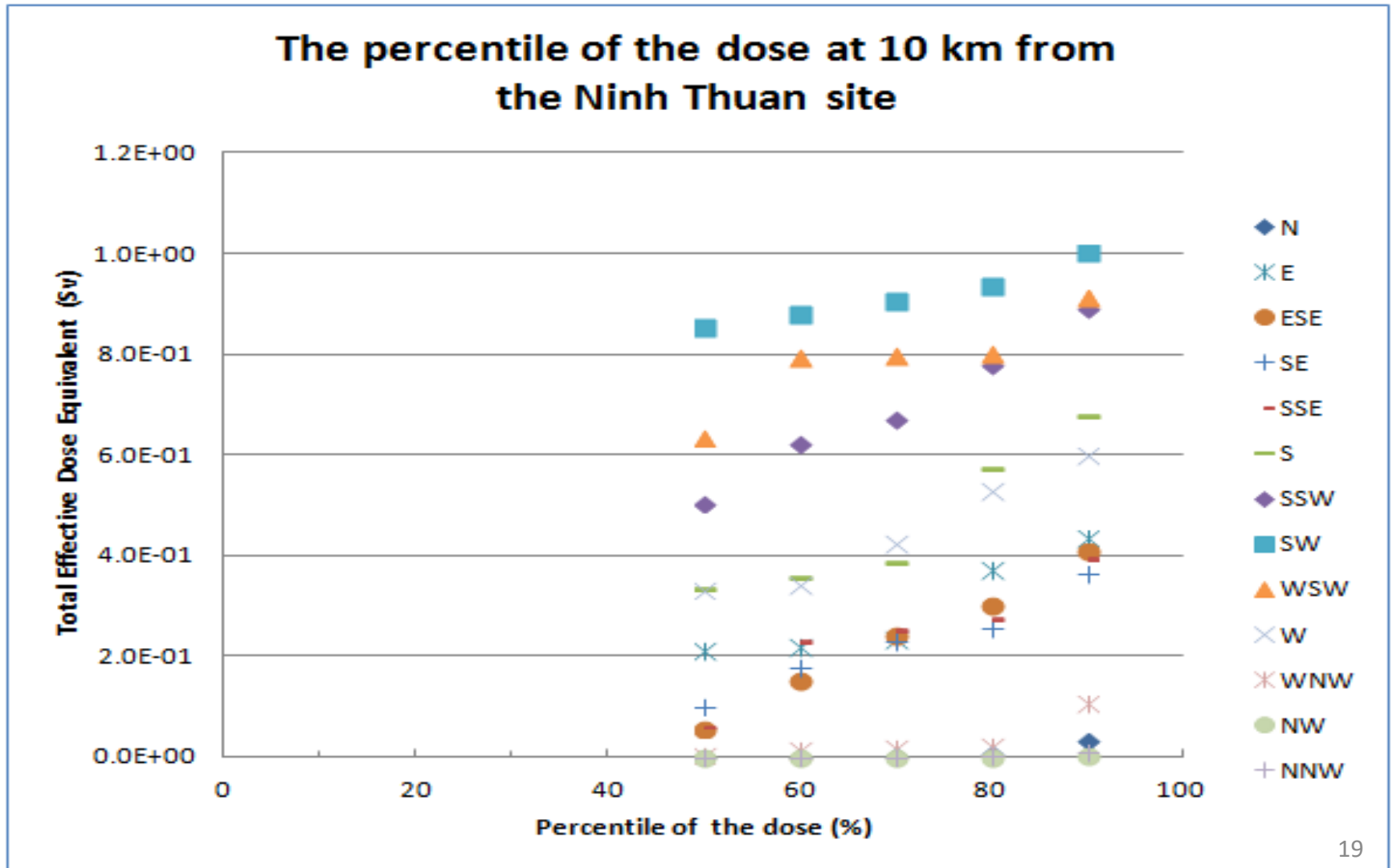
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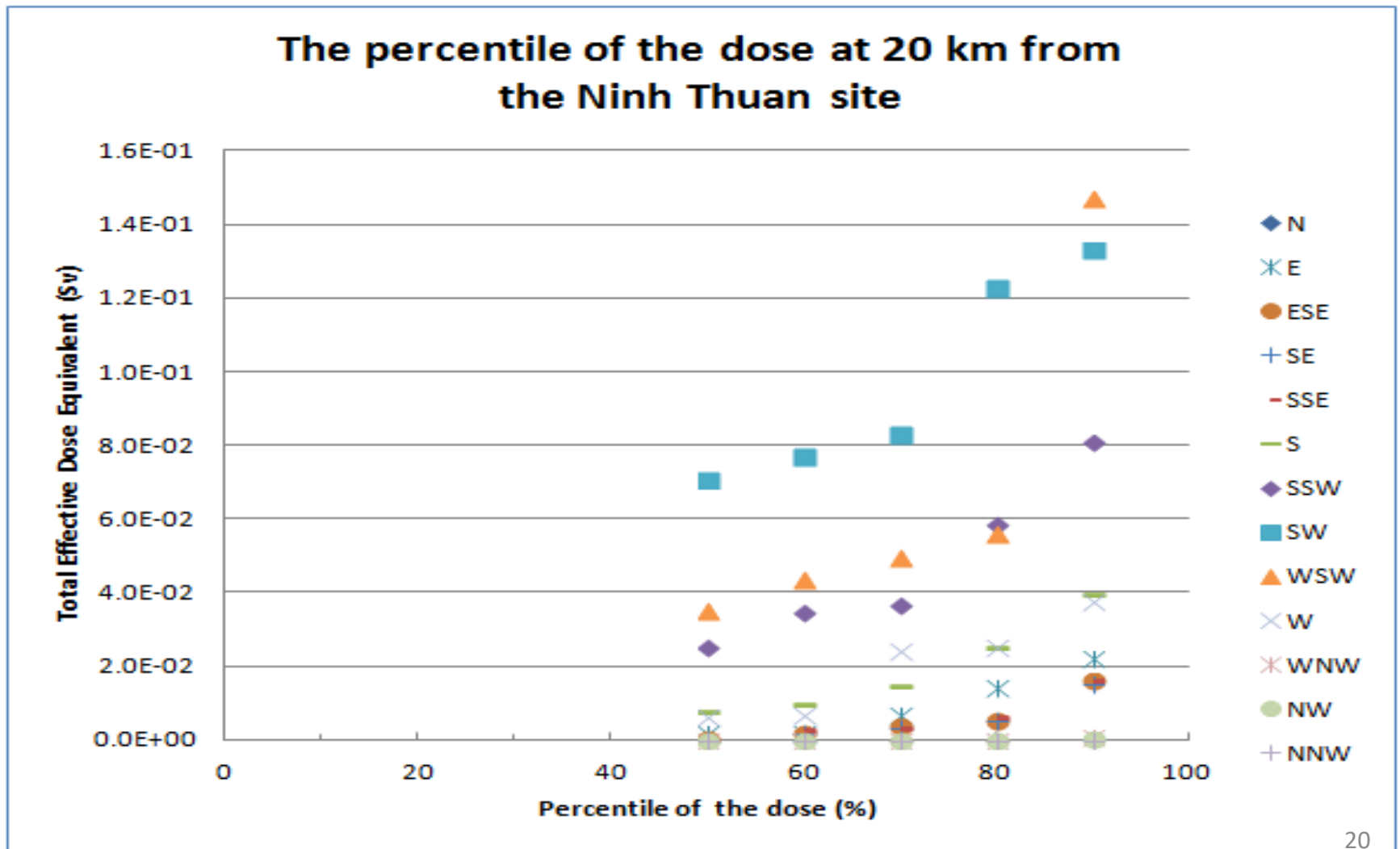
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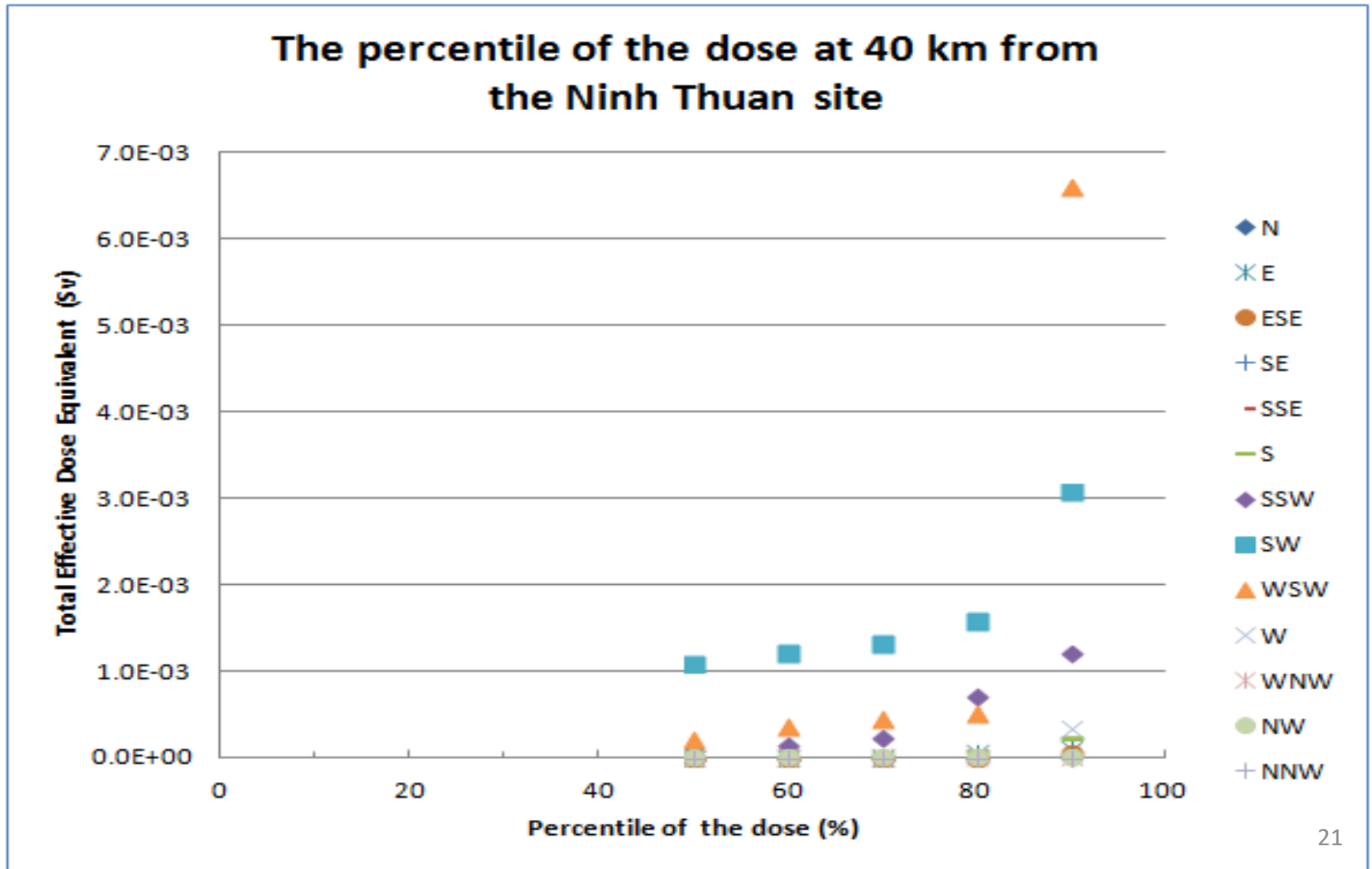
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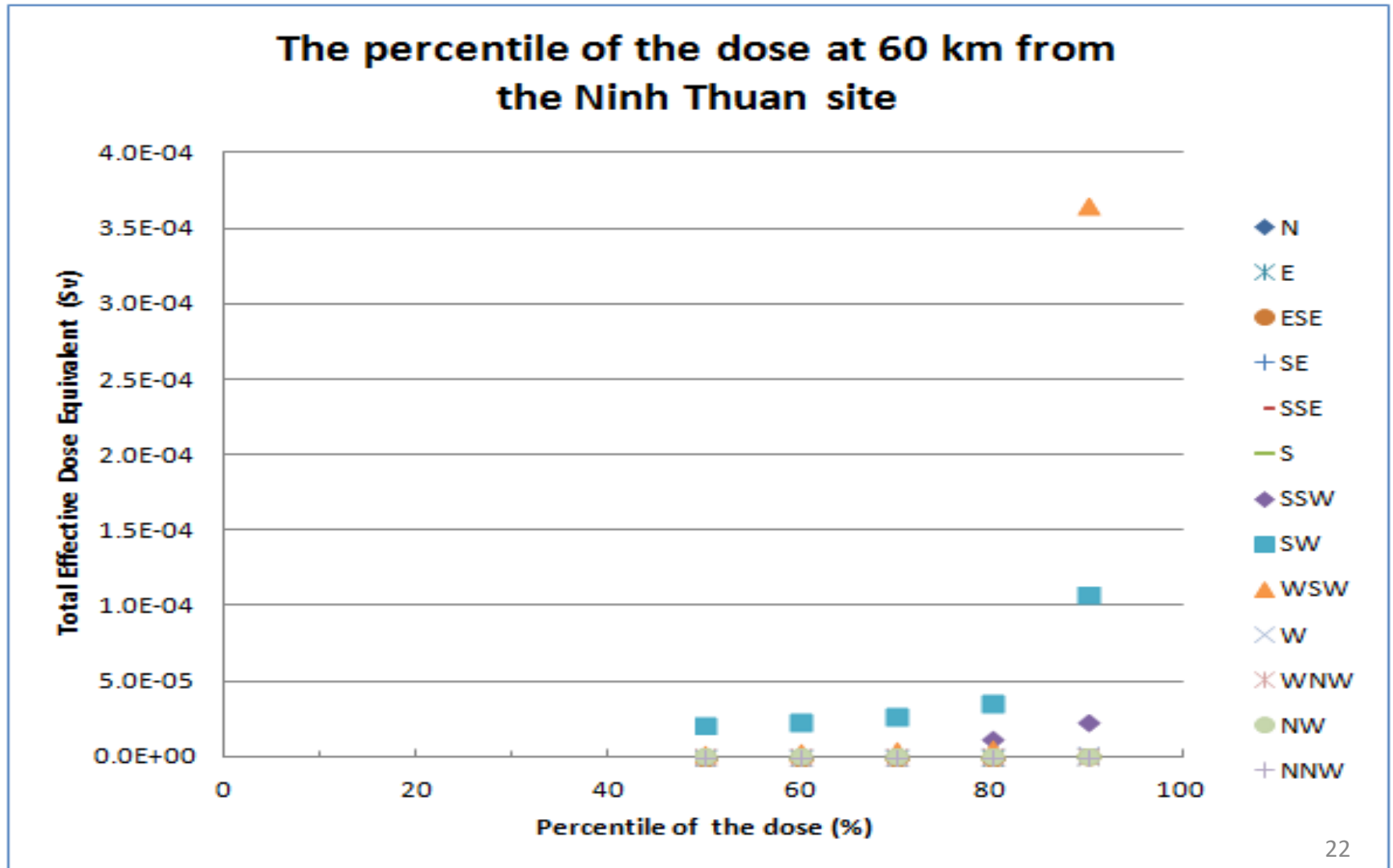
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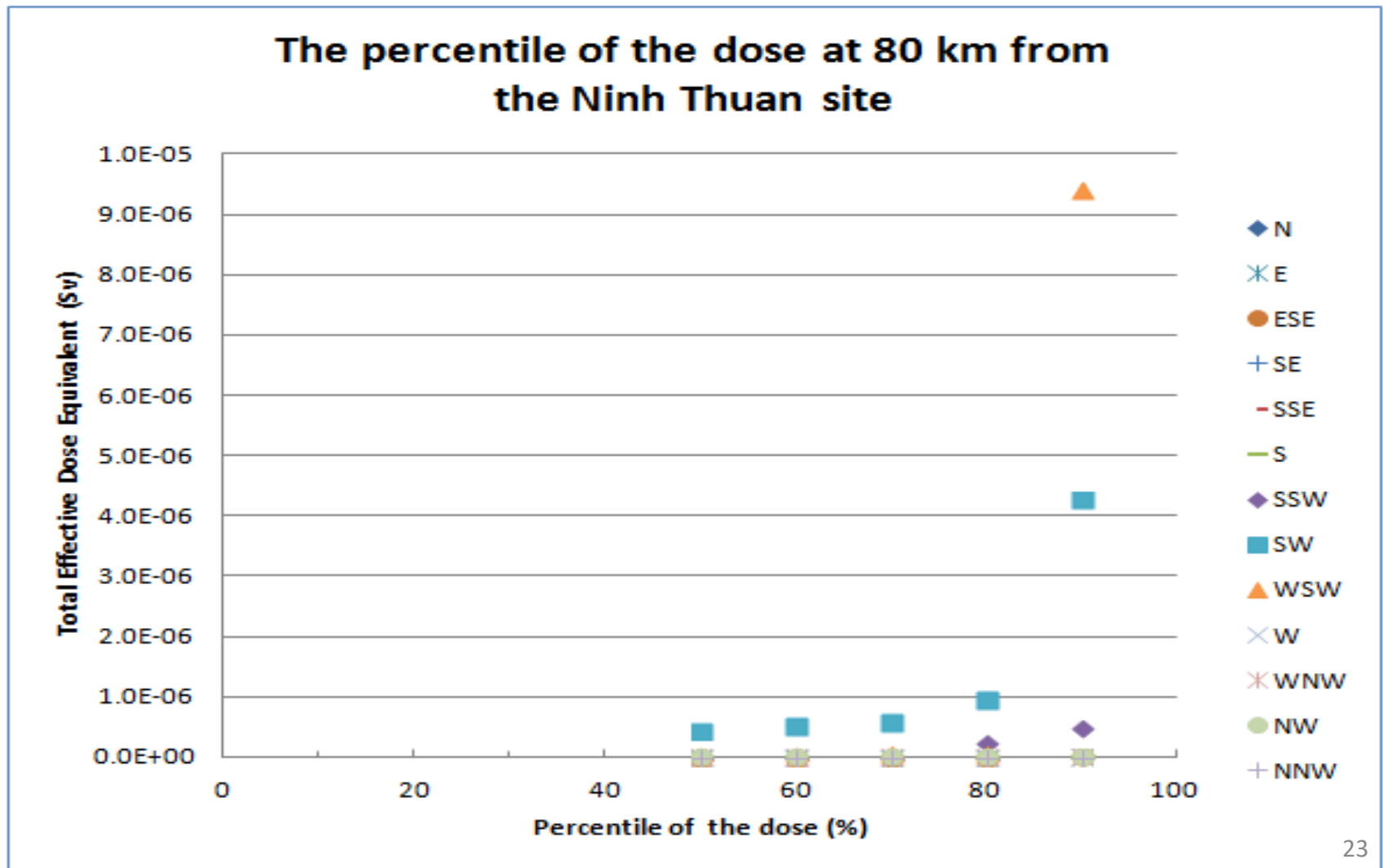
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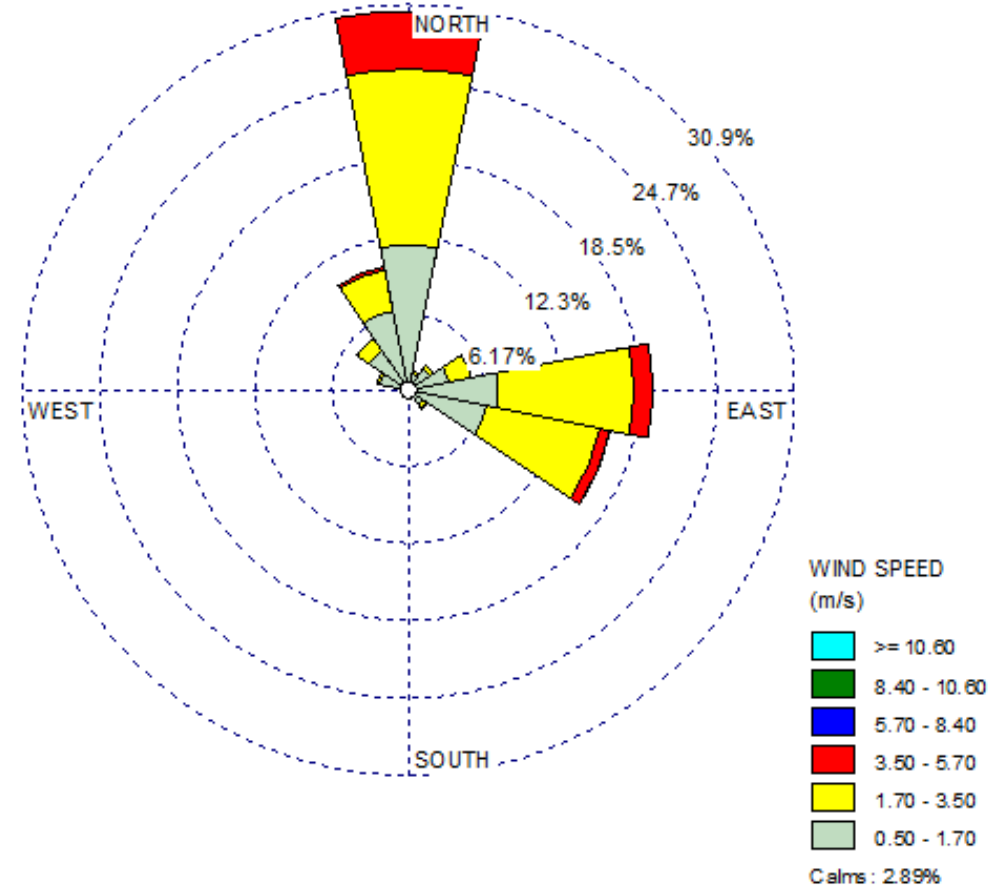
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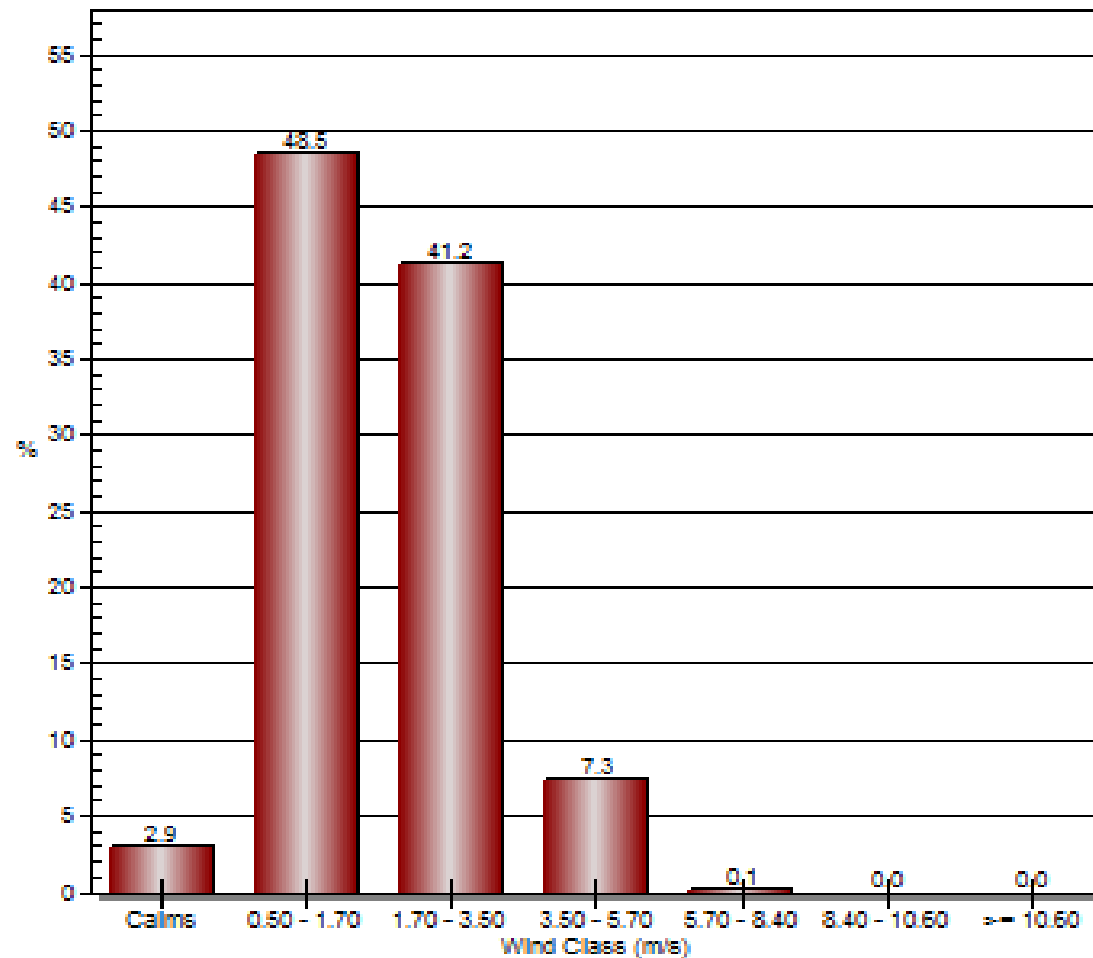
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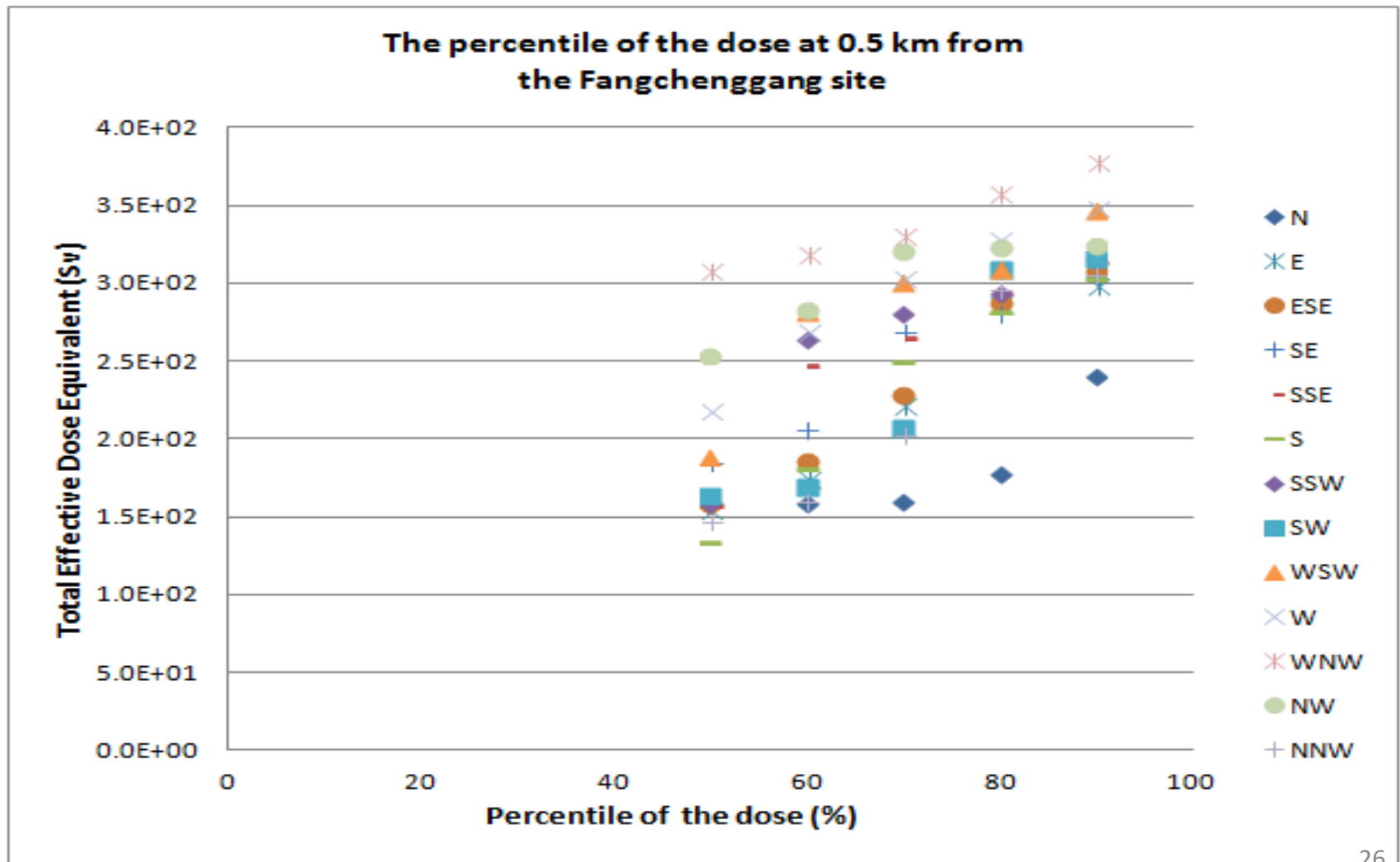
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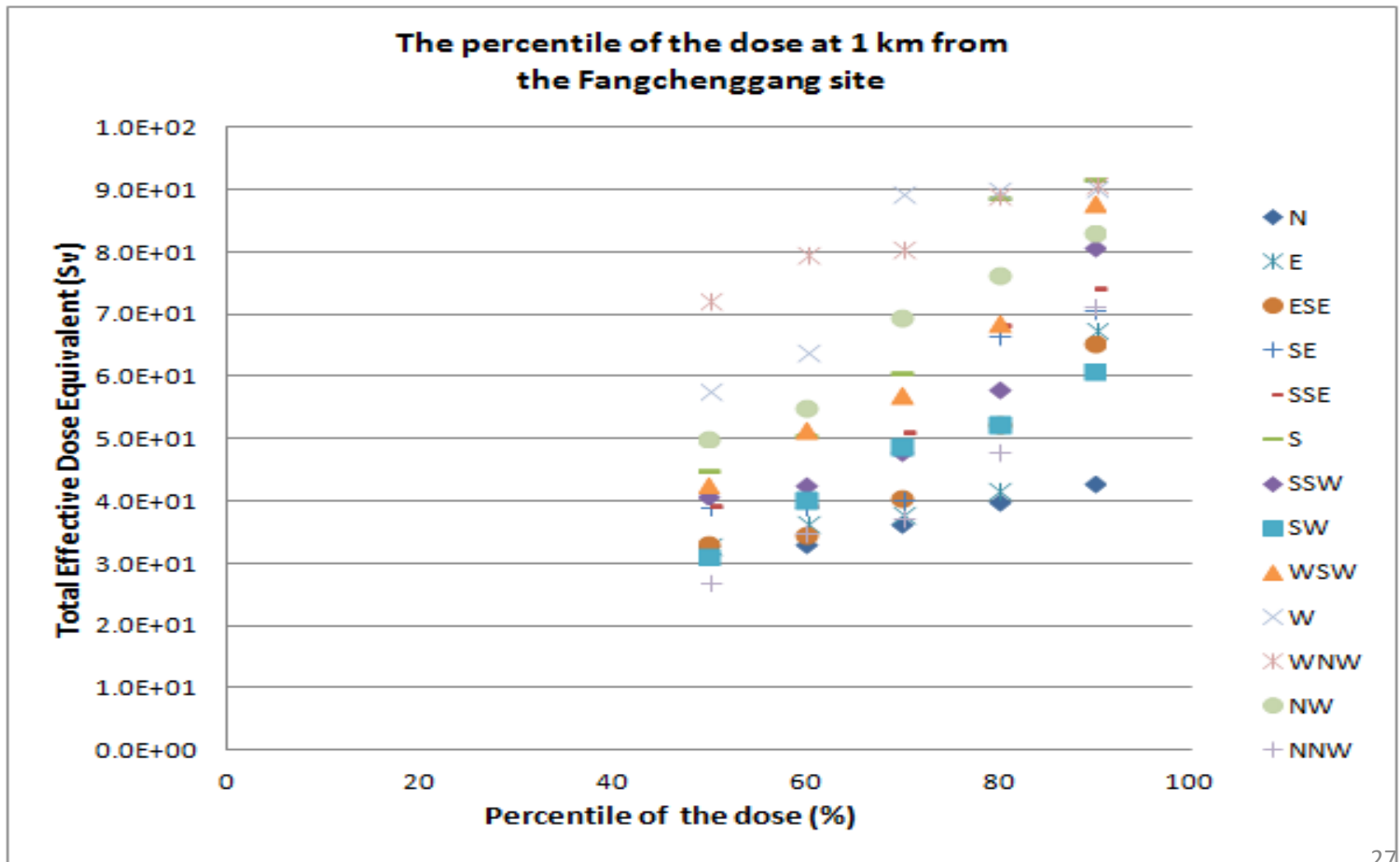
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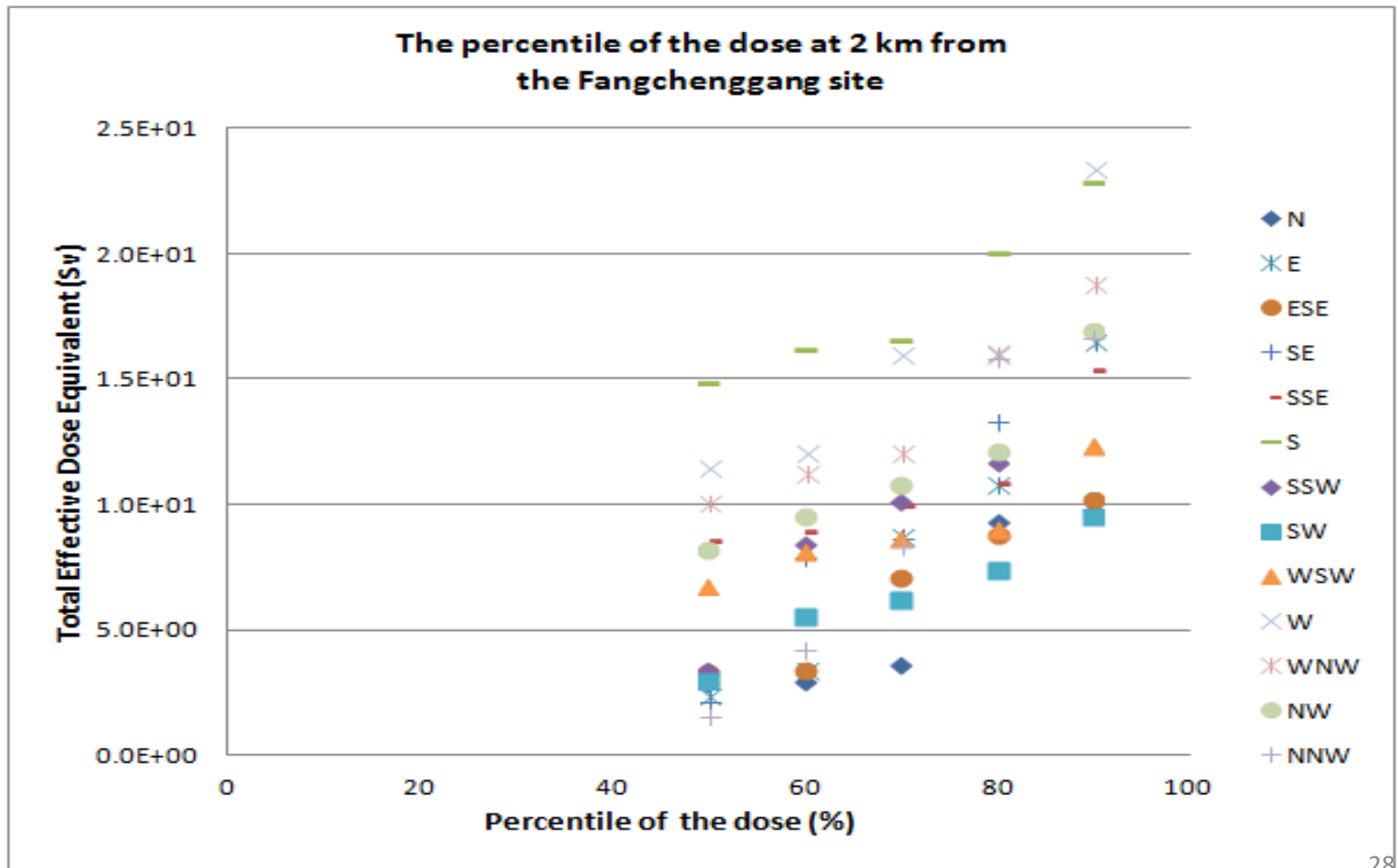
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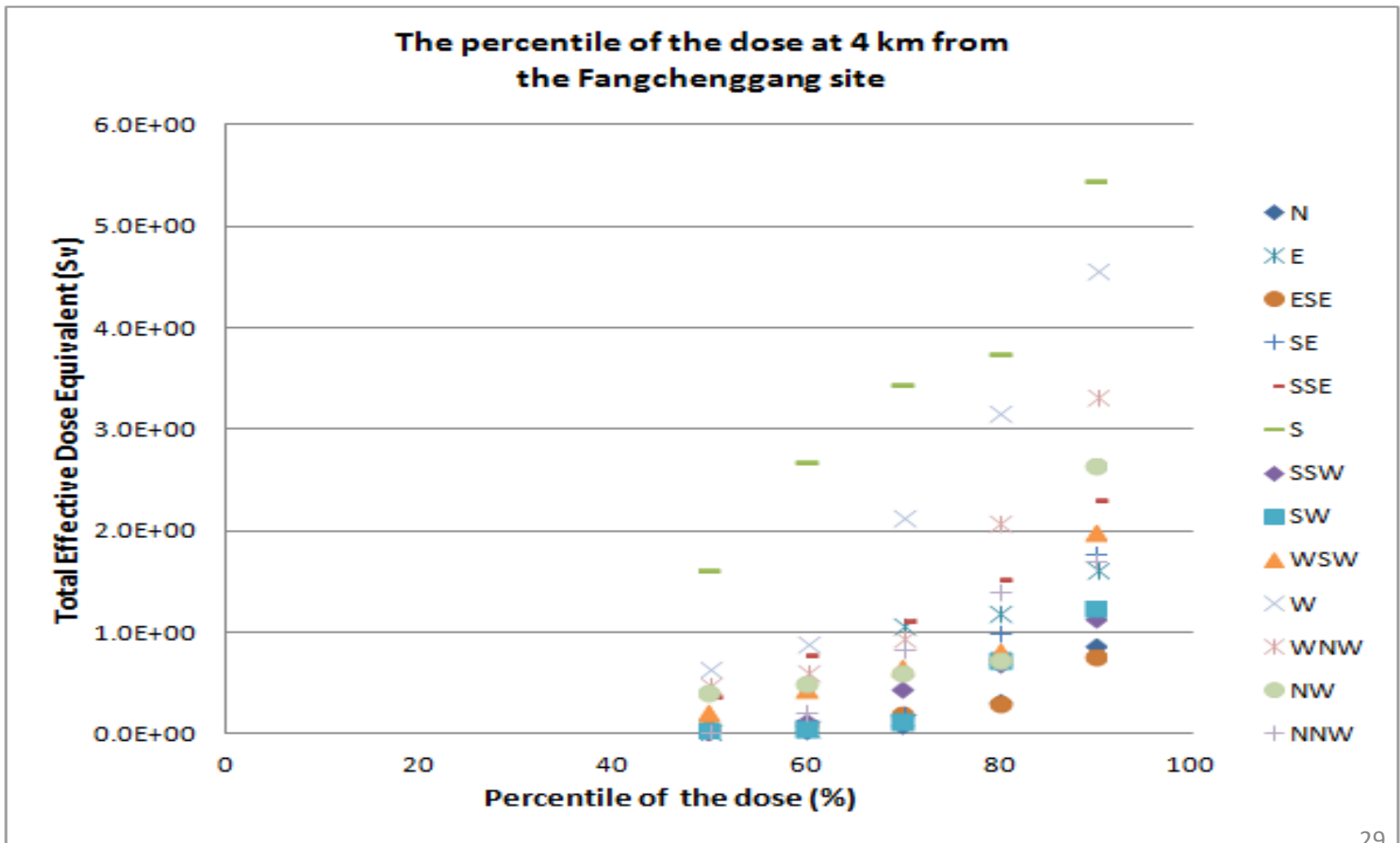
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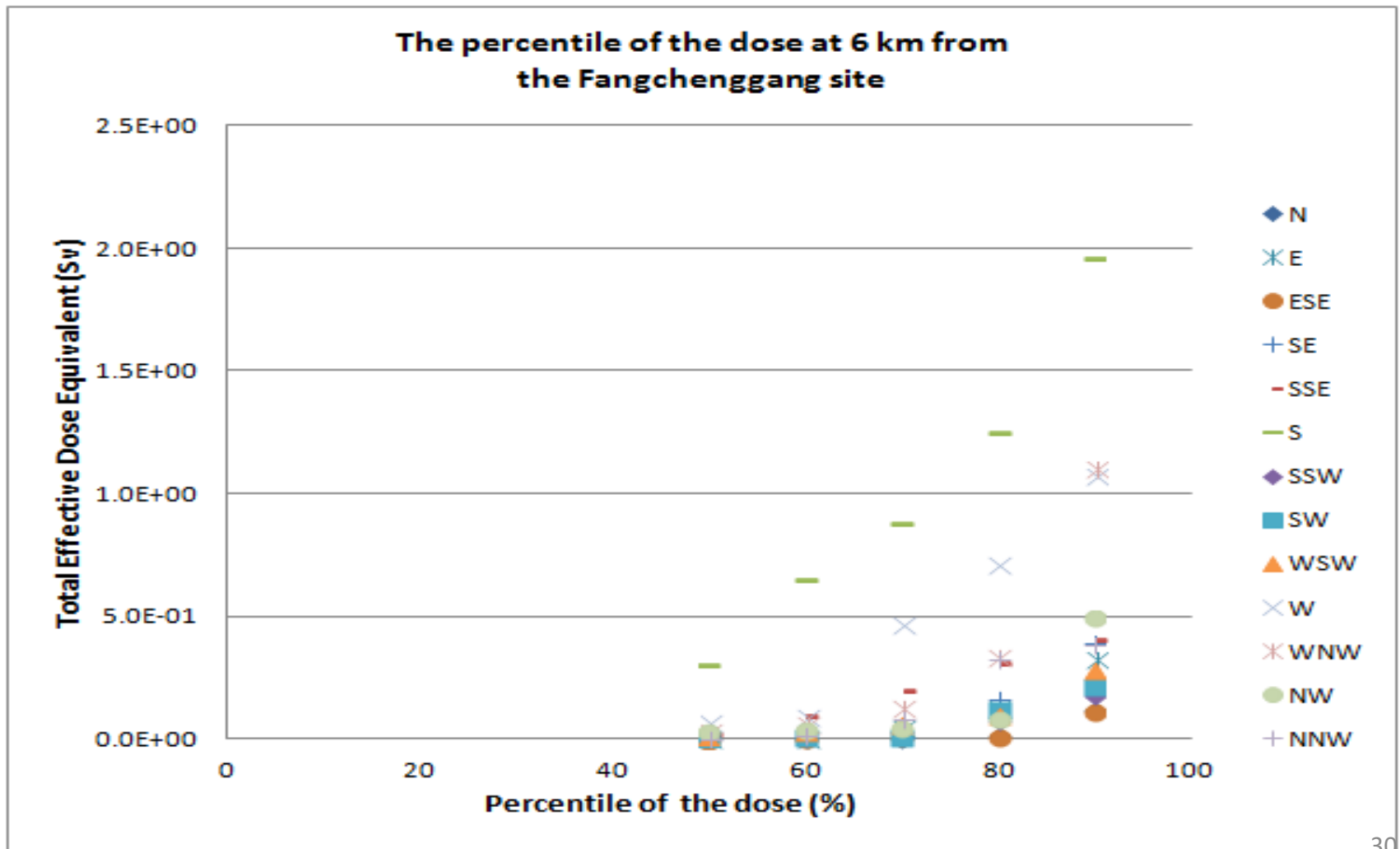
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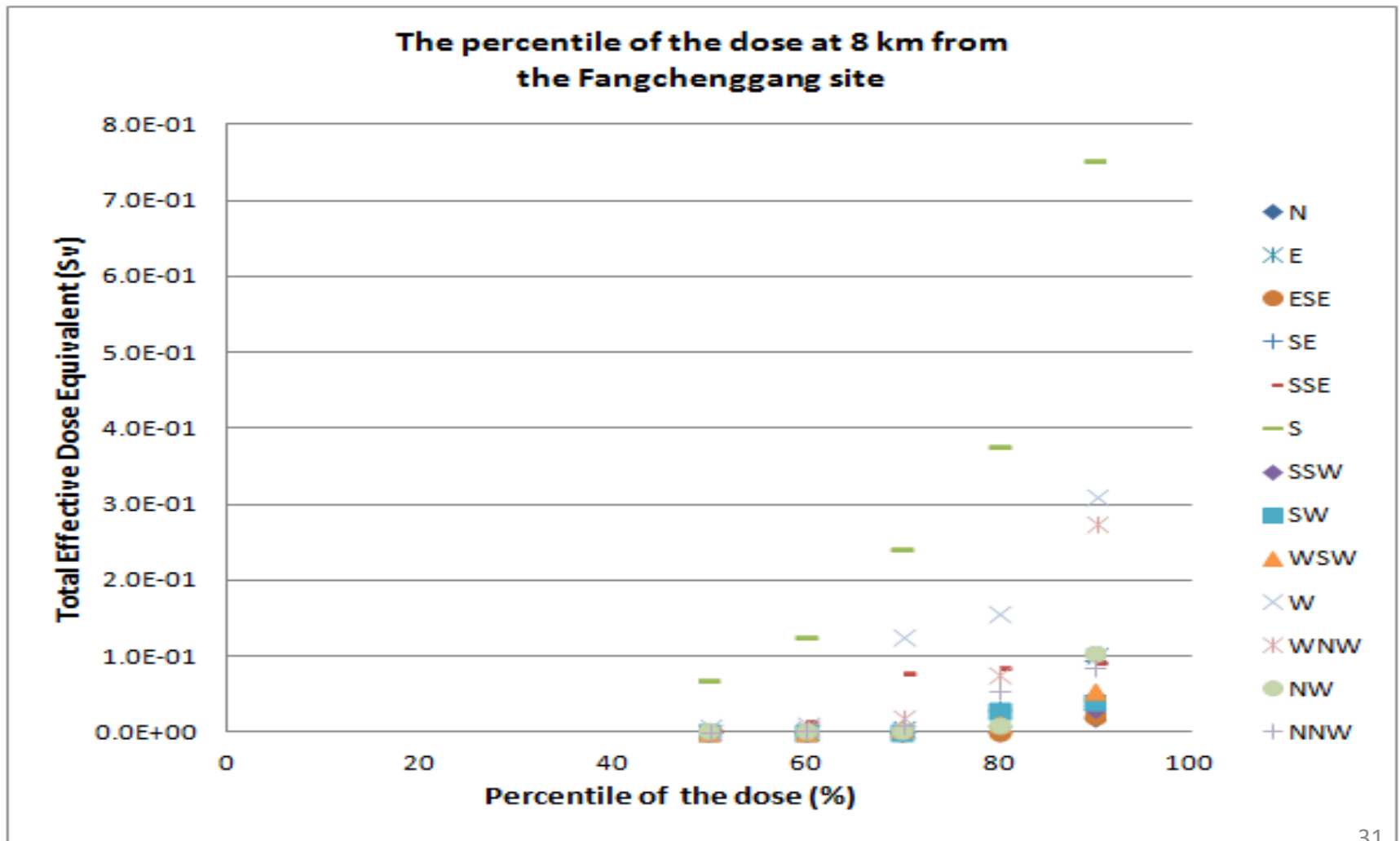
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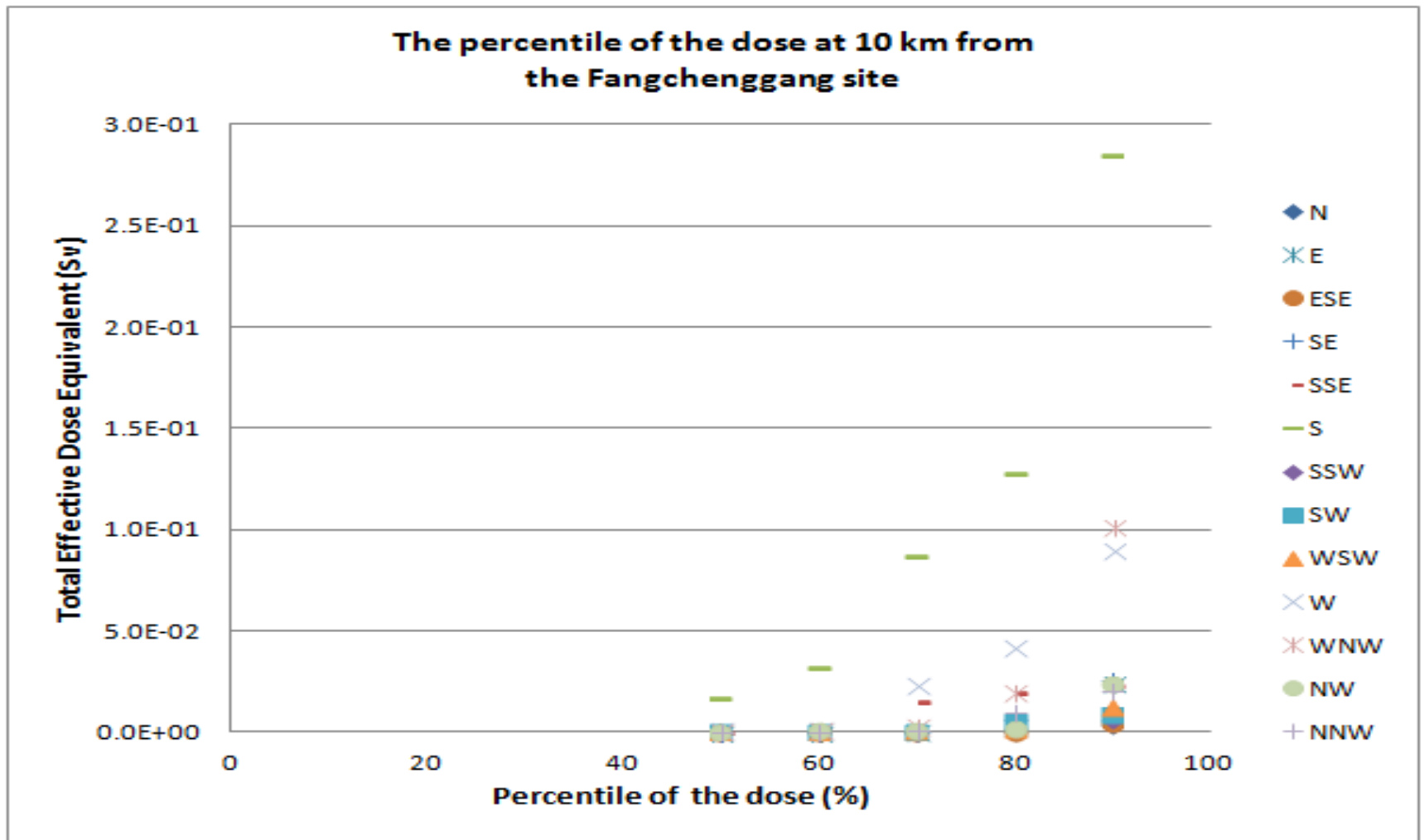
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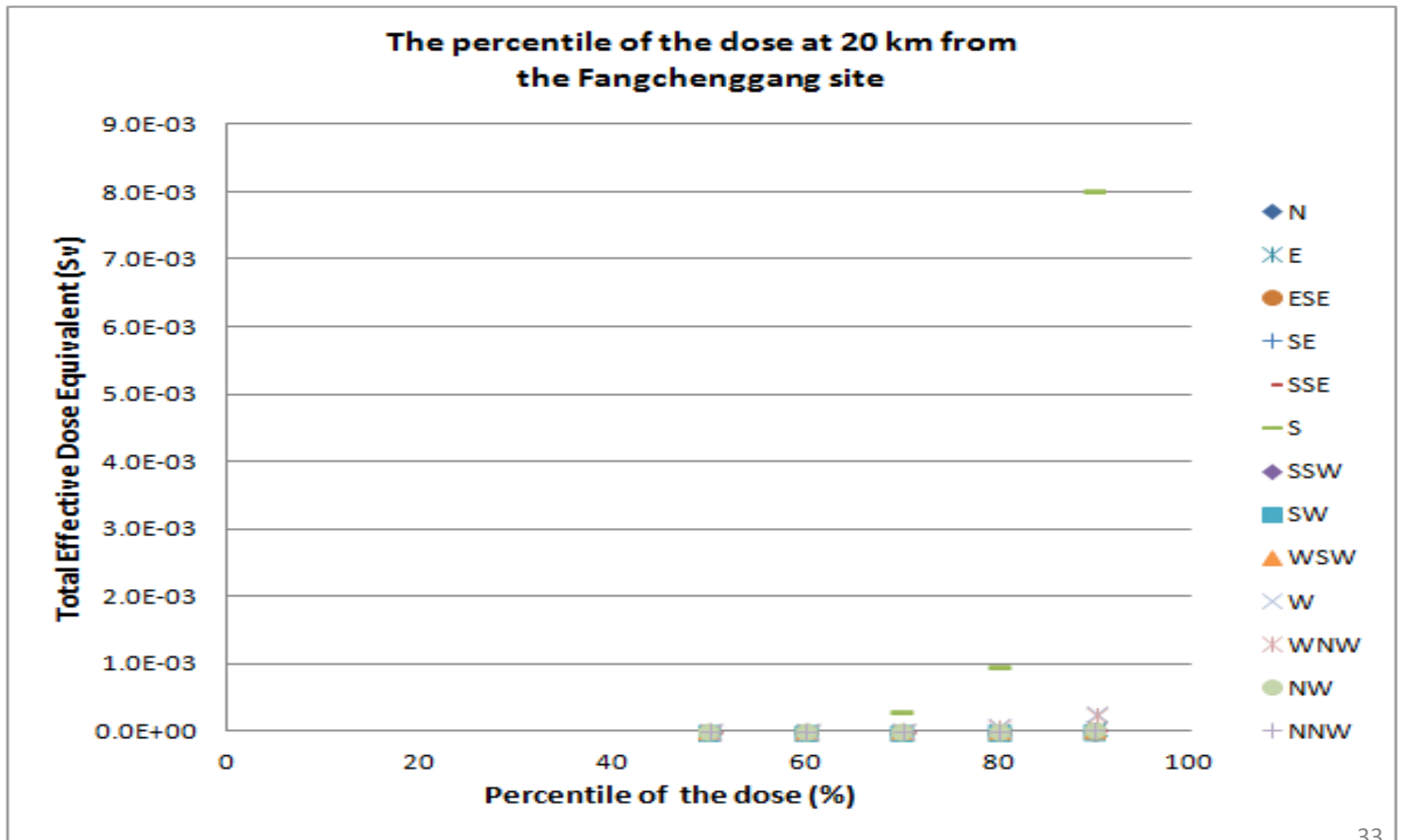
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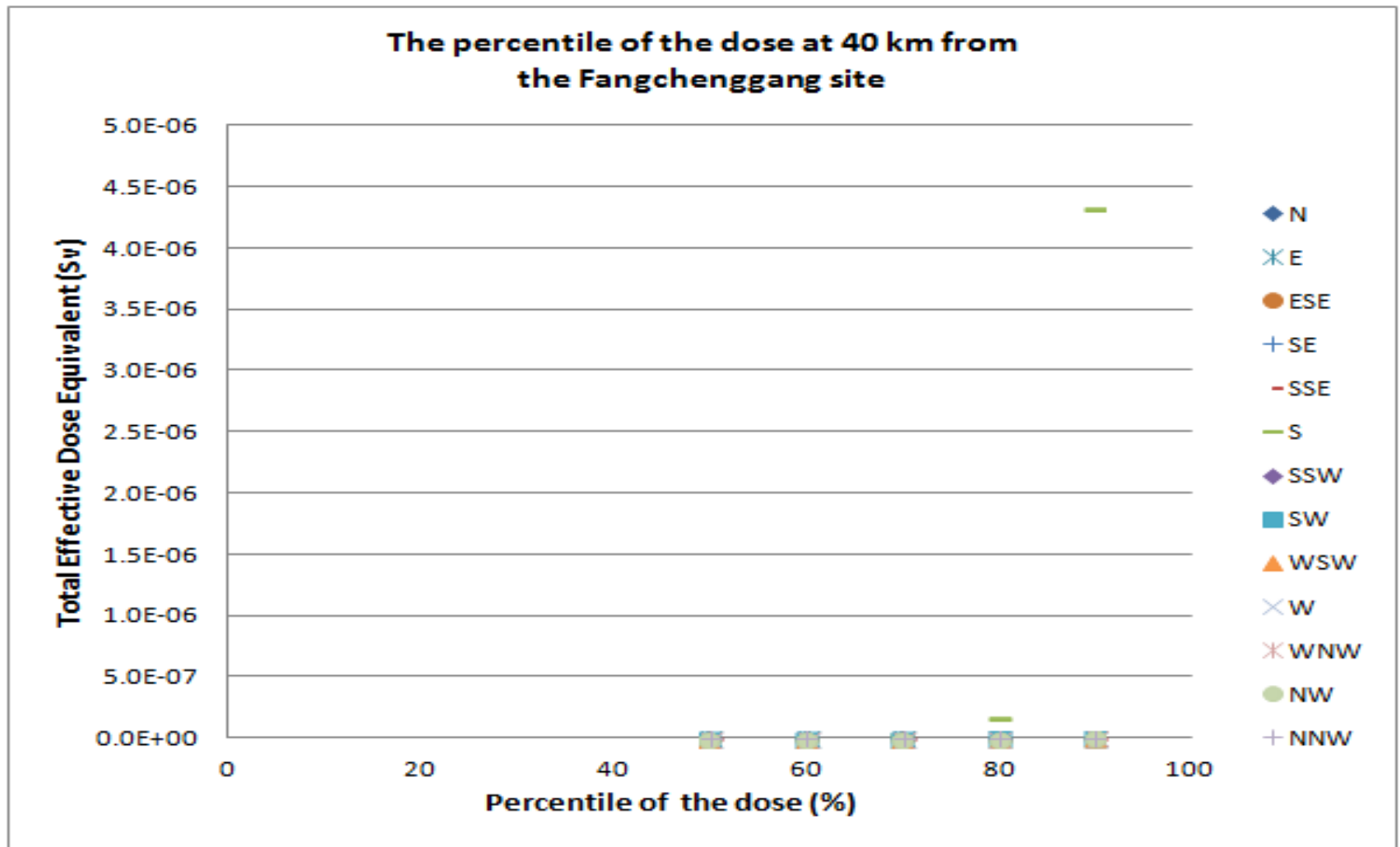
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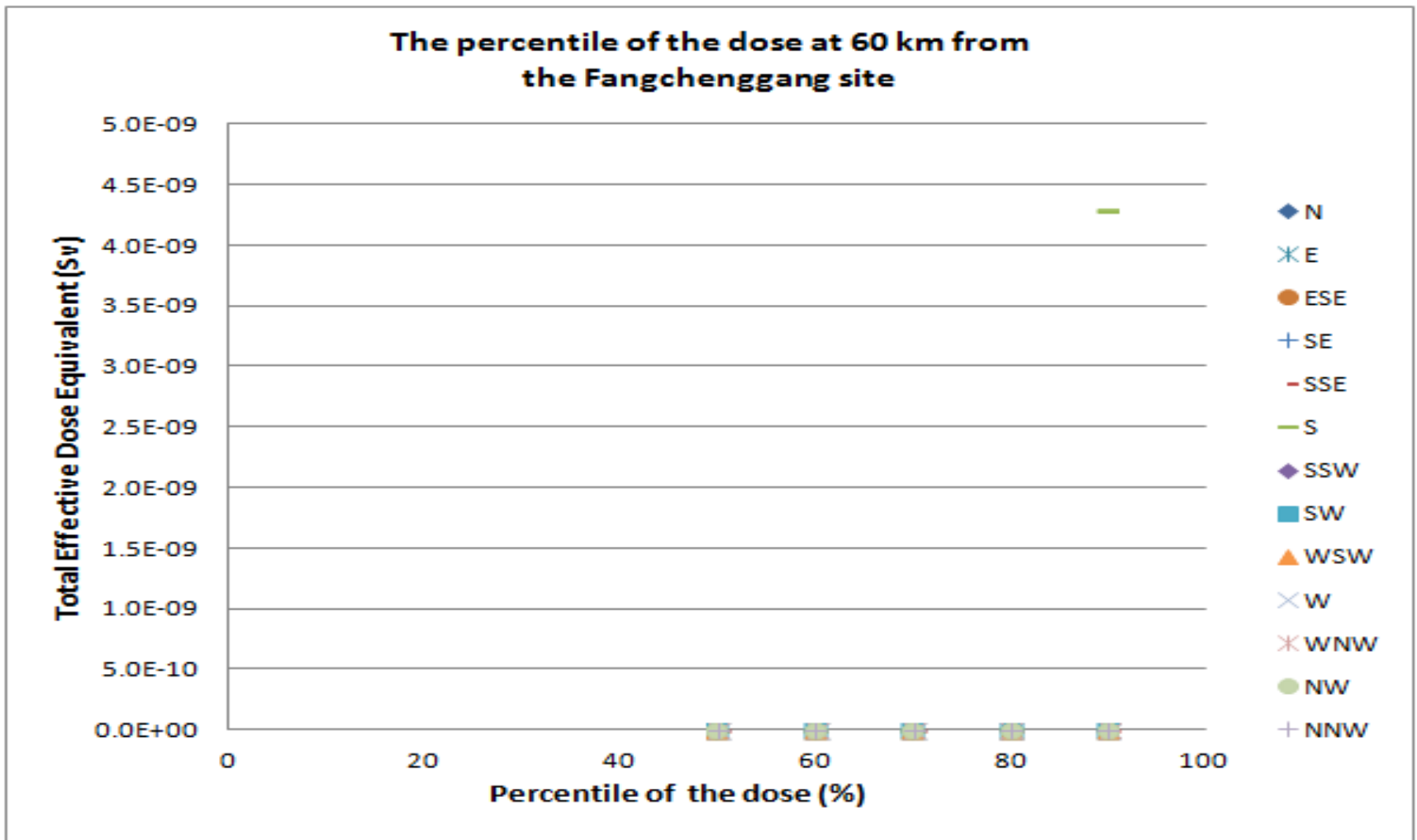
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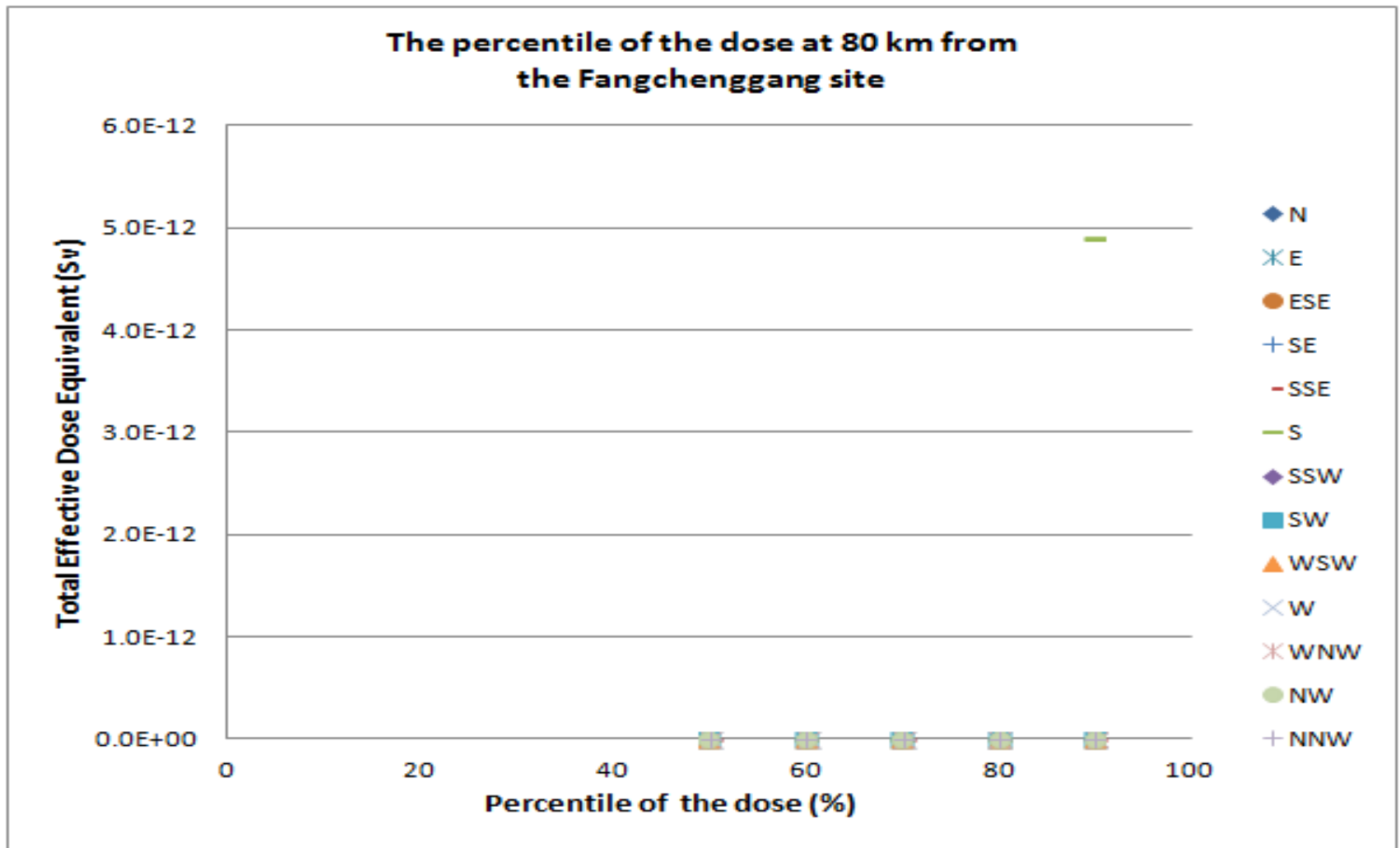
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