



**Radar Absorbent Material (RAM):KV-CRA-100**

**Characteristics Features:**

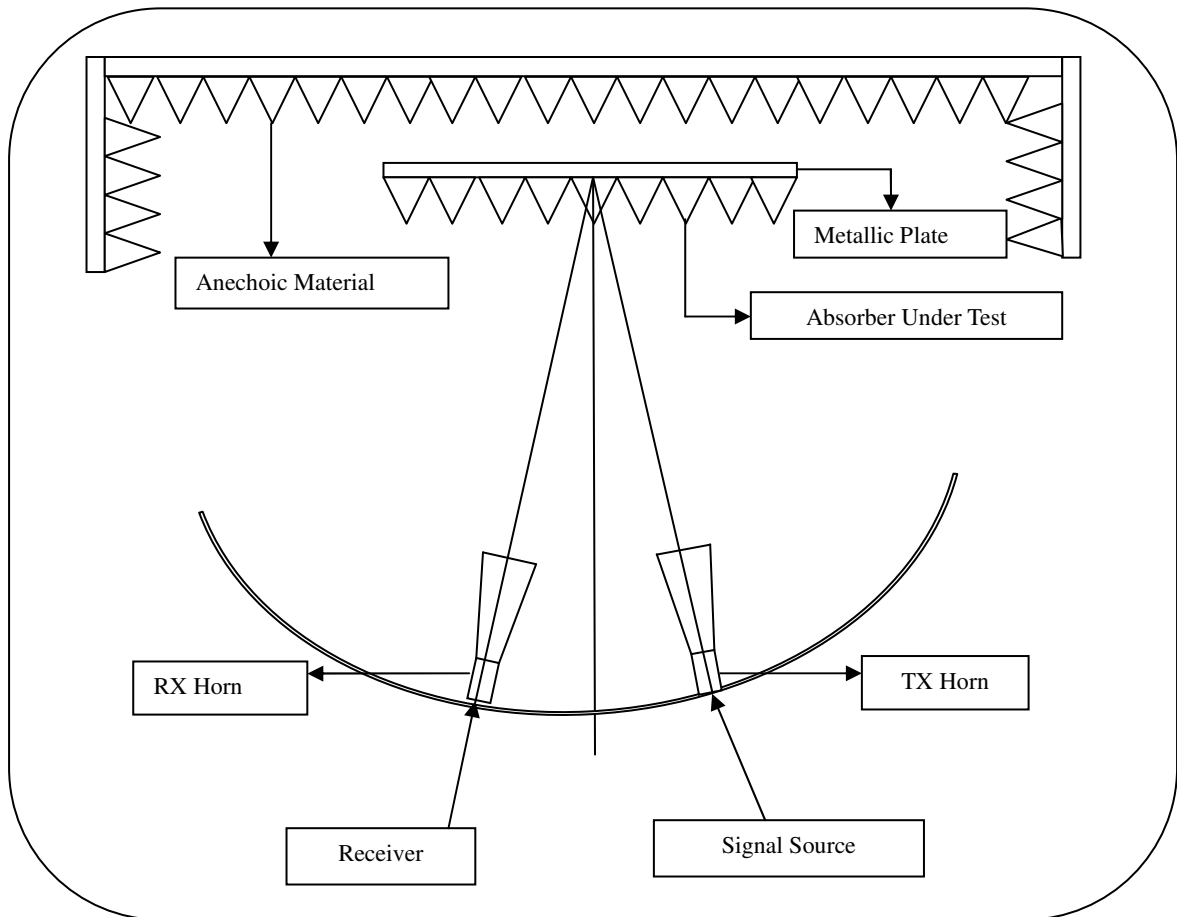
- ❖ Basic Composition: Loaded Rubber.
- ❖ Working Temperature: -50 °C to + 80 °C.
- ❖ Thickness:100 mm.
- ❖ Base Size: 300mm X 300mm.
- ❖ Weight: Approx. 3.5 kg of 300mm X 300mm size sheet.
- ❖ Color: Black
- ❖ Feature: Broadband, Conical, Weather proof, suitable for sea applications.
- ❖ Application: On ship borne mast and other out door applications, etc.
- ❖ Frequency region:800 MHz to 12.0 GHz and beyond.
- ❖ Reflectivity Performance:

Minimum reflection loss with respect to metal plate at near normal incidence shall be -10dB at 0.8 GHz, rising to min. -15 dB at 2.0 GHz, further rising to -20 dB at 5.0 GHz to 18.0 GHz and higher frequencies.



### **Test Procedure to Test RADAR ABSORBENT MATERIAL:**

Tested as Per IEEE Std.1128/1998: IEEE Recommended practice for RF Absorber Evaluation using NRL Arch Method. Measurement of Reflection Loss at near normal incidence (approx.  $10^\circ$  from the normal) with reference to metal sheet of 300mm X 300mm size, at two polarizations – VV & HH. Test setup is as below for testing:



**Standard Followed: IEEE-Std.1128-1998 (Described on pp 28-32 in the Std.)**

**i) Test Frequencies: 2GHz and higher Frequency.**

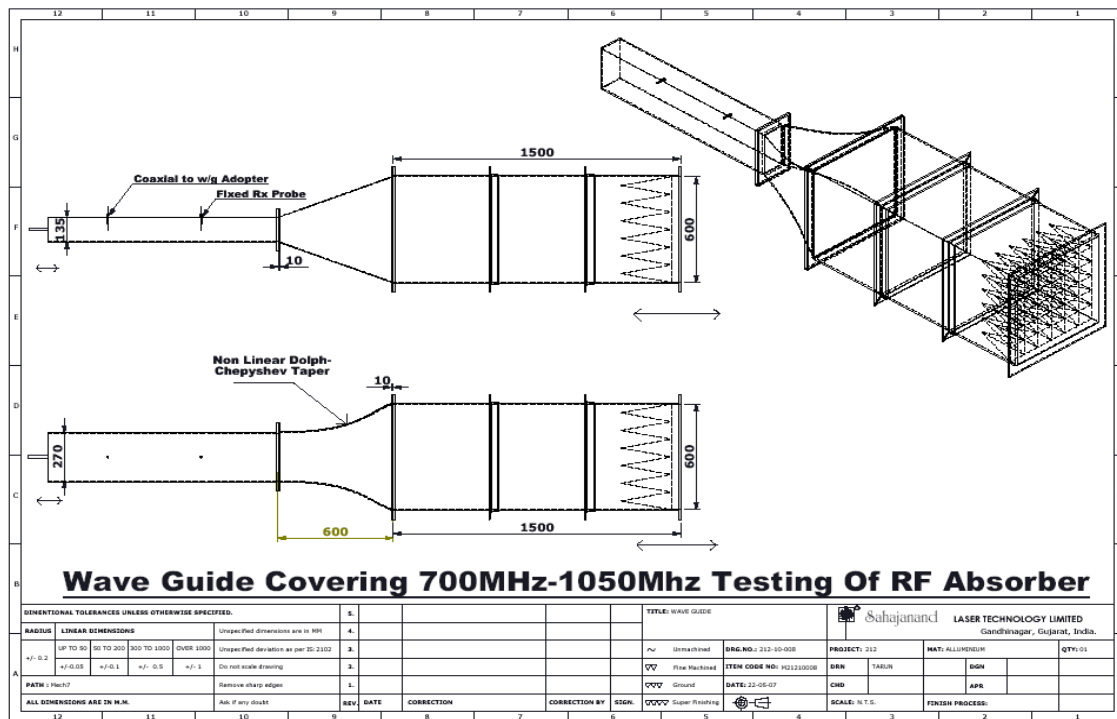
**ii) Absorber size: 300 mm X 300 mm**

**iii) Test Schedule: Each of absorbers is tested on 100% basis.**



### B) Wave Guide Test Setup (700 MHz- 1000 MHz):

- ❖ Wave Guide Test Set-up with Non linear Dolph-Chebyshev taper for Frequency 700MHz-1050MHz.



**Standard Followed: IEEE-Std.1128-1998 (Described on pp 42-45 in the Std.)**

- Test Frequencies:** 0.8 GHz to 1 GHz
- Absorber size:** 300 mm X 300 mm
- Test Schedule:** 4 Pieces are tested at a time.
- Equipment Used:** Agilent VNA and Flared wave guide.
- Method Followed:** Time Domain filtering used to filter unwanted signals.