

# MONITOR SERIES

## COMPACT FULL-RANGE SPEAKER

### 44T / 44WT



Careful acoustic design and the use of advanced materials contribute to the exceptional music fidelity and speech intelligibility exhibited by the RCF Monitor 44T (black) and Monitor 44/WT (white) two-way speaker systems. The carbon fiber diaphragm remains extremely rigid at high power levels, producing a more linear response and lower distortion. The cone is fitted with a durable foam surround and treated to resist moisture. The high-frequency section features a constant directivity horn with a built-in mechanical phase equalizer. The horn is driven by a Ferrofluid® cooled, 0.5" mylar dome tweeter. The system is nominally crossed over at 4 kHz by a 12 dB/octave network, which uses markedly lower (than conventional) inductance values in series with the woofer. This design reduces sound delays associated with high inductance values and provides excellent low frequency transient response. The high-pass section is corrected for optimum performance of the CD horn and is protected with a circuit based on a low-value/low-mass filament resistor that smoothly limits the power sent to the tweeter driver. All components are housed in a vented enclosure formed from semi-expanded polystyrene foam that is extremely strong, lightweight and weather resistant. Threaded metal sockets are molded into the cabinet to facilitate quick, safe deployment of the Monitor 44T, as a single unit or in arrays, using specially designed accessory mounting hardware. The Monitor 44T is a part of RCF's Monitor Series, which includes two-way constant directivity, compact speakers in easily installed enclosures. Available in black (Monitor 44T) or white (Monitor 44/WT).

#### Applications

- Foreground/Background Music
- Distributed Speech Reinforcement
- AV Production/Playback
- Near-field Monitoring

#### Features

- 5" high-efficiency carbon fiber woofer CD horn loaded, 0.5" dome tweeter
- Built-in, multi-tap constant voltage transformer
- Built-in, low-inductance passive crossover with high-frequency dynamic protection
- Lightweight, UV/weather resistant, trapezoidal shaped enclosure for multiple applications and minimum visual intrusion
- Integrated mounting points for use with optional mounting hardware
- Articulated surface mount hardware included.

#### SYSTEM

Freq. Range (-10 dB):	75Hz-21kHz
Freq. Response (-3 dB):	160Hz-18kHz
Horz. Coverage Angle (-6 dB):	120° averaged 800Hz to 16kHz
Vert. Coverage Angle (-6 dB):	100° averaged 800Hz to 16kHz
Directivity Factor; Q (DI):	5.6 (7.5) averaged 800Hz to 16kHz
System Sensitivity <sup>1</sup> :	89 dB, 1W @ 1m
Rated Maximum SPL:	108 dB, @ 1m
System Nominal Impedance:	4 Ω (bypassed)
System Input Power Rating <sup>2</sup> :	60W IEC, 240W Peak
Recommended Amplifier <sup>3</sup> :	250W
Constant Voltage:	25V, 50V, 70V, 100V and Bypass
Power Taps:	1W, 5W, 10W, 20W, 30W and Bypass
Crossover:	4.0 kHz

#### TRANSDUCERS

Low-Frequency:	5" (127mm) carbon fibre woofer
High-Frequency:	0.5" (13mm) Mylar dome tweeter

#### PHYSICAL

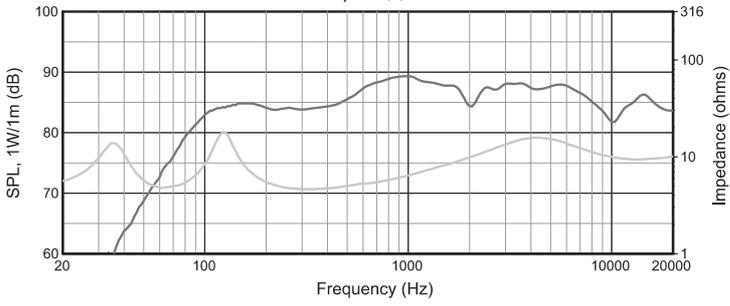
Enclosure:	45° back angles, high density polystyrene
Attachment Inserts:	2 points M6 threaded inserts on back 2 points M6 threaded inserts on top and bottom
Grille:	Matching perforated steel grille
Input Connectors:	Push connector plate
Dimensions (HxWxD):	10.31"x7.16"x6.57" (262x182x167 mm)
Net Weight:	7.94 lb. (3,6 kg)

<sup>1</sup> Measured on axis in the far field with 1 watt (2.00 V RMS, 4) input and referenced to 1 meter distance using the inverse square law. Listed sound pressure represents an average from 300Hz to 3kHz.

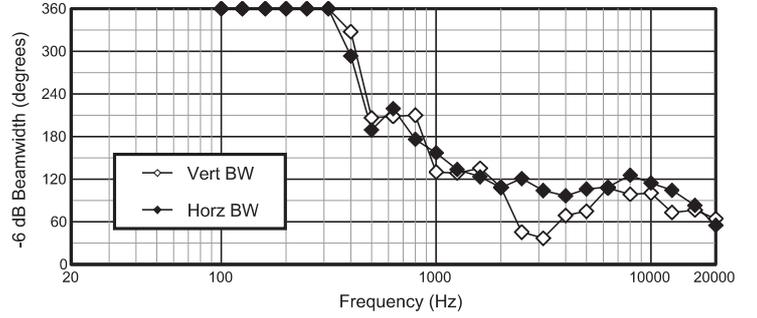
<sup>2</sup> IEC Spectrum, Peak for 2 hours with +4.5 dB crest factor.

<sup>3</sup> Recommended Amplifier is a power capability value that should be taken as a guide.

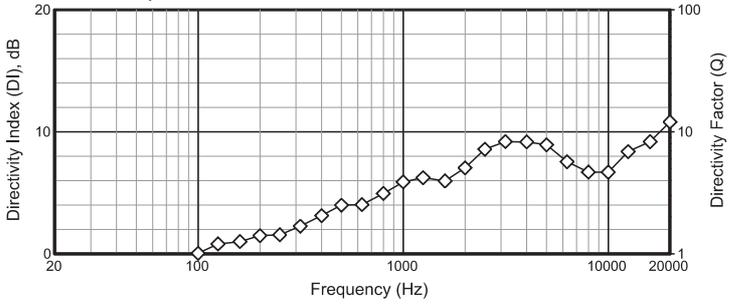
Frequency response is measured on-axis at a distance referenced back to 1m at 1-watt drive. Shown as a half space (2) environment.



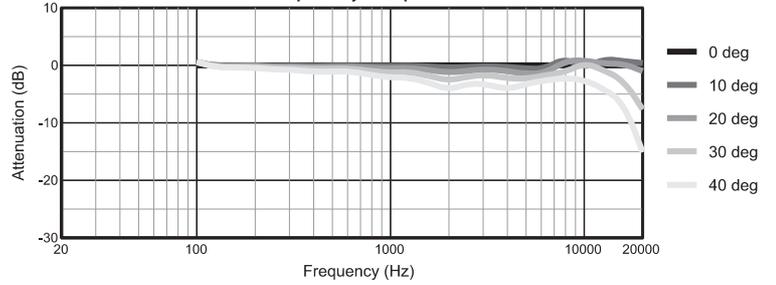
Beamwidth vs. Frequency



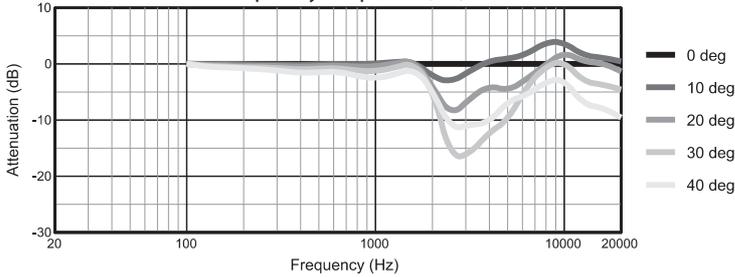
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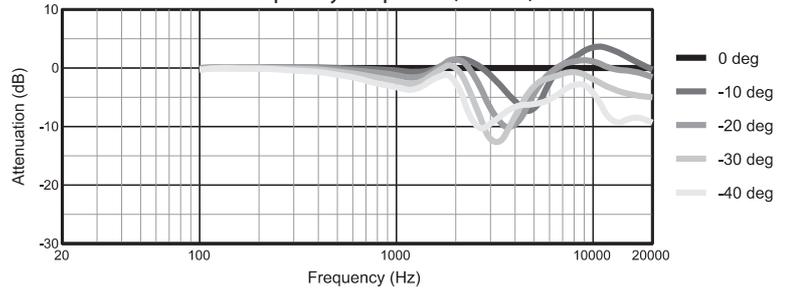
Horizontal Off-Axis Frequency Response



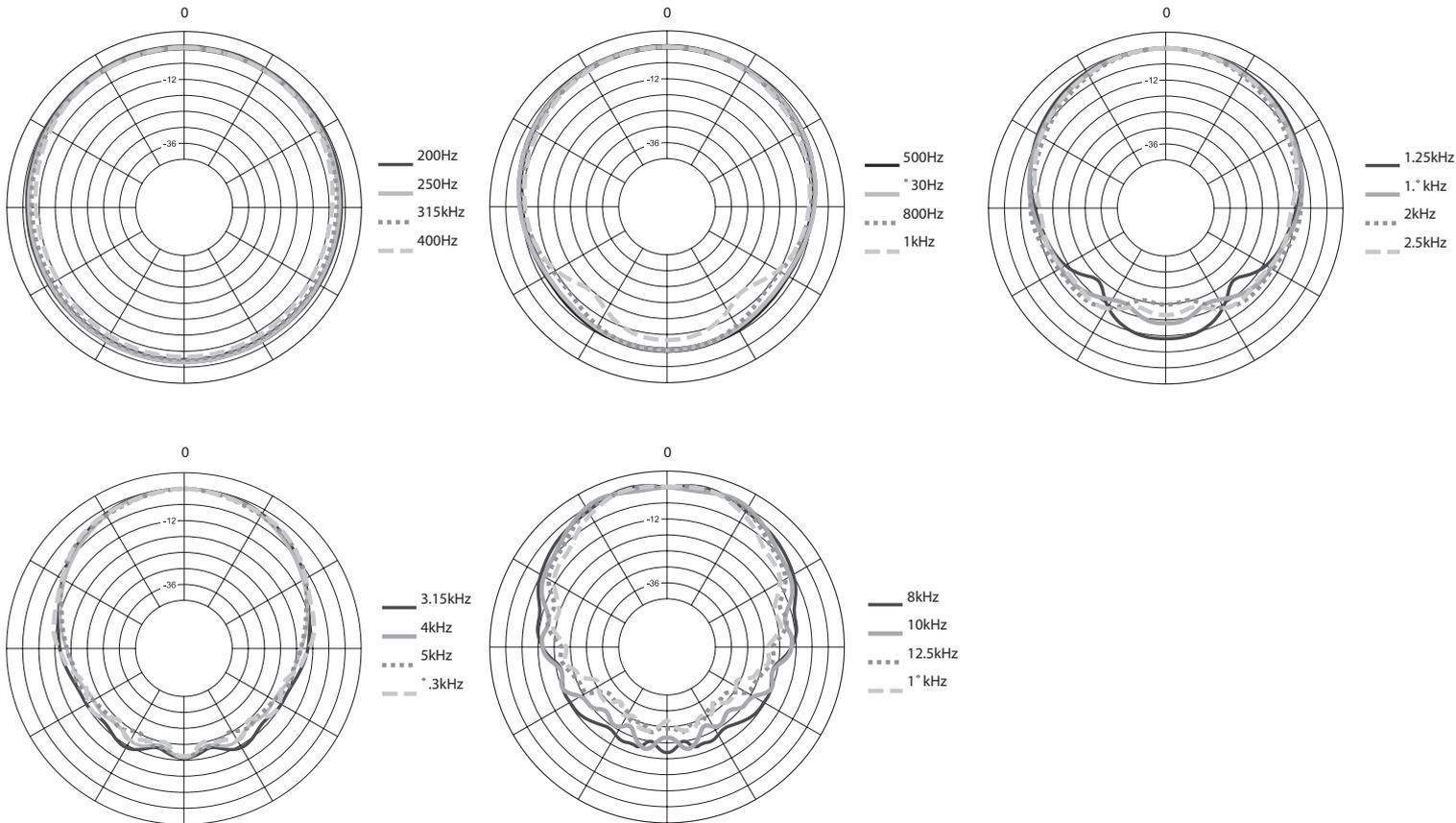
Vertical Off-Axis Frequency Response (UP)



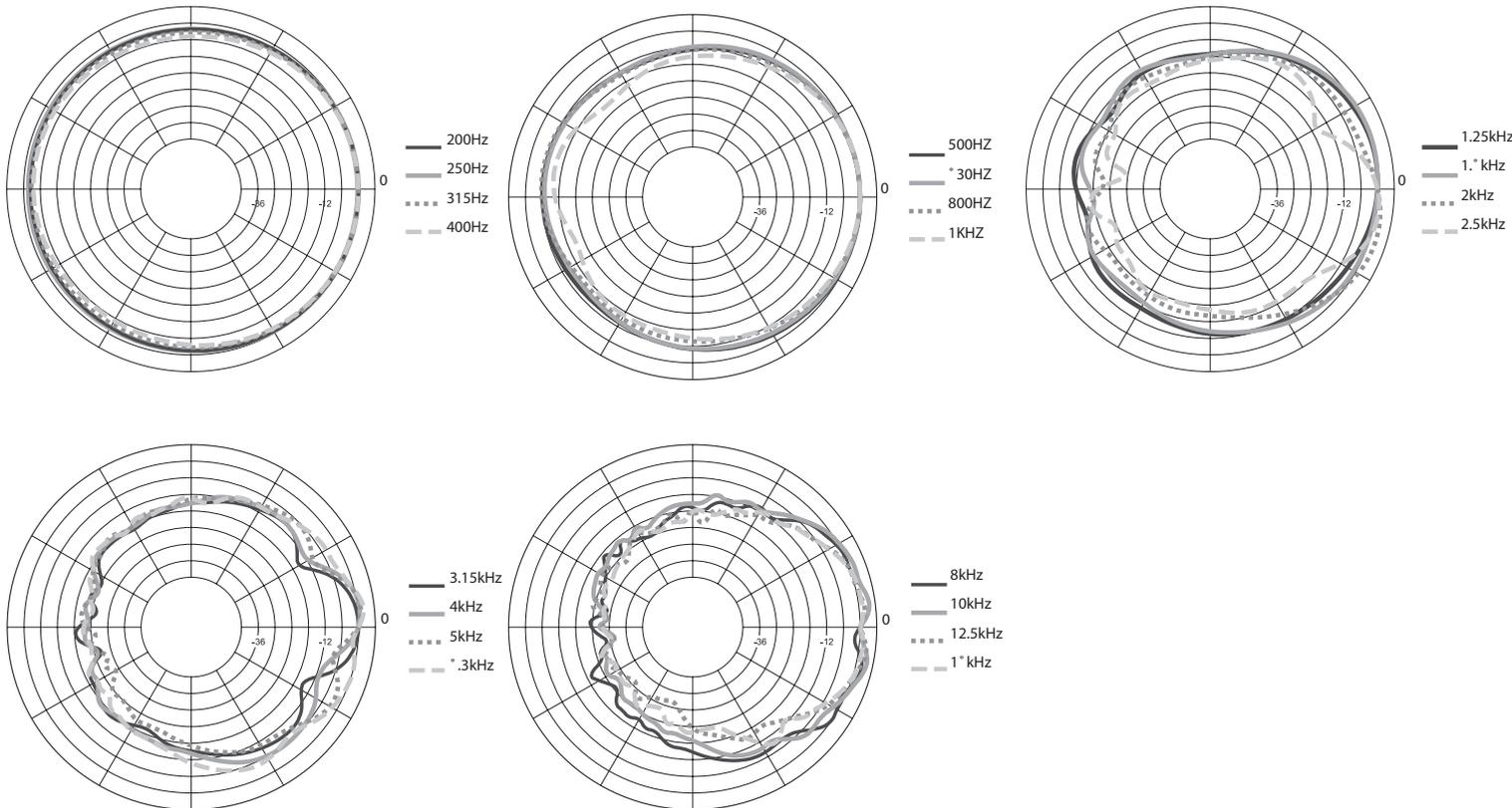
Vertical Off-Axis Frequency Response (DOWN)



### Horizontal 1/3 Polar Plot



### Vertical 1/3 Polar Plot



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PART 2 PRODUCTS

### 2.01 Approved Manufacturer/Product

A. RCF, Via Raffaello 13, 42010 Mancasale, Reggio Emilia, Italy.  
B. Model number: Monitor 44T

### 2.02 Design

Configuration	Compact 2-Way Speaker
LF Sub-section	5 in. carbon fibre cone low-frequency driver
HF Sub-section	0.5 in. Mylar dome high-frequency driver

### 2.03 Acoustical Proprieties

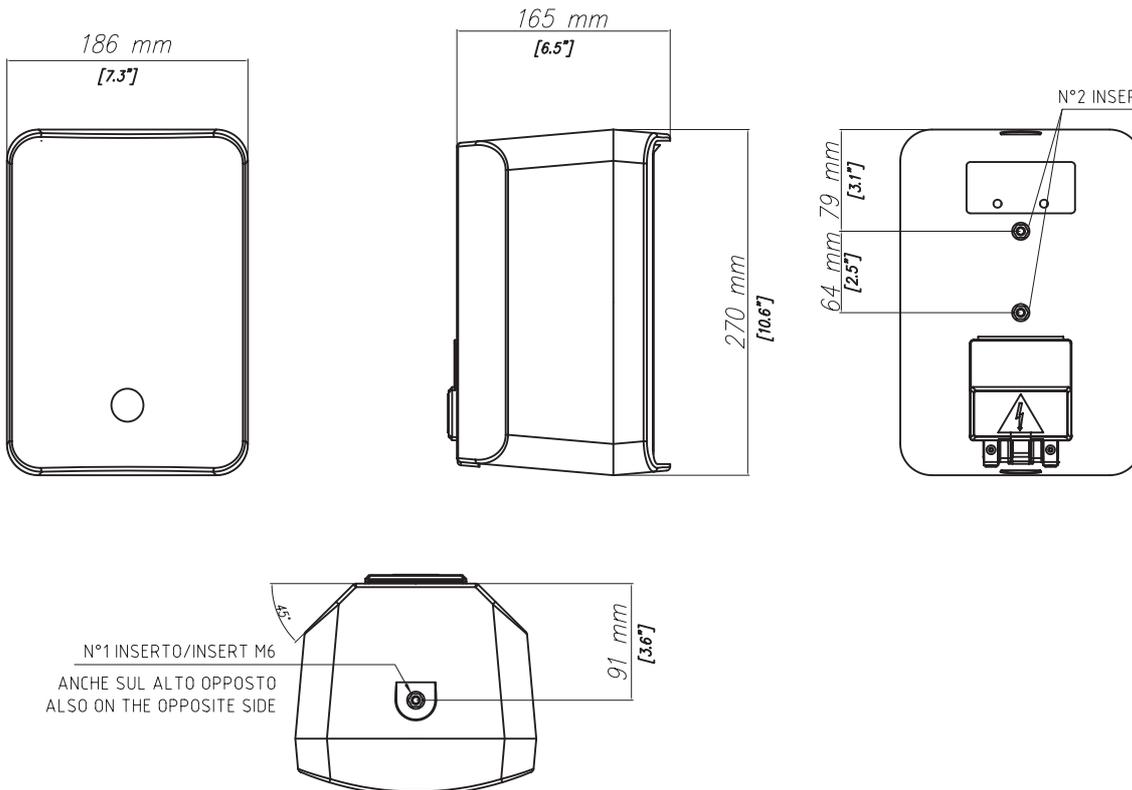
Nominal dispersion angle (–6 dB points):	Horizontal: 120° averaged 800 Hz to 16 kHz - Vertical: 100° averaged 800 Hz to 16 kHz
Axial Frequency Response (–3 dB points):	160 Hz – 18 kHz
Axial Frequency Range (–10 dB points):	75 Hz – 21 kHz
Axial Sensitivity (dB SPL/1 W @ 1 m):	89 dB
System Input Power Rating <sup>2</sup> :	60W IEC; 240W Peak
Power Taps:	1, 5, 10, 20, 30 watts, and Bypass
Constant Voltage Taps:	25, 50, 70, 100 volts, and Bypass
Nominal impedance:	4 Ω (bypassed)

### 2.04 Physical Properties

Enclosure Shape:	45° back angles
Enclosure Material:	High density polystyrene
Enclosure Finish:	Black (or white), scratch resistant paint
Connectors:	Spring-loaded terminals
Mounting/Suspension Hardware:	4 reinforced threaded metal sockets (3/8” and M6) for attaching optional mounting hardware
Grille:	Matching perforated steel grille
Dimensions (H x W x D):	10.31”x7.16”x6.57” (262x182x167 mm)
Weight:	7.94 lb. (3,6 kg)

### 2.05 Accessories

MA 5B - MA 5W	“U” brackets for wall mounting MR 44T (MA 5B black colour) and MR 44WT (MA 5W white colour)
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