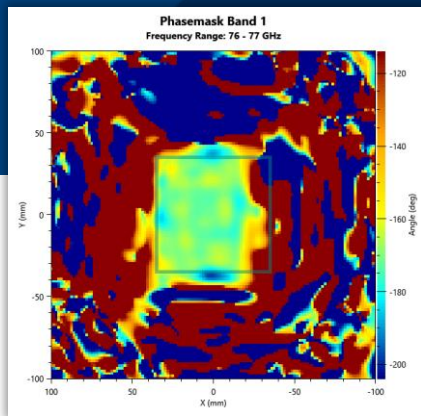




# R&S® QAR50-K20: PHASE MASK

## For R&S® QAR50 quality automotive radome tester

### Common uses



Analysis and evaluation of radomes and bumpers in R&D

Testing radomes and bumpers in production (end-of-line)

| Key specifications                                                                                 |                                   |
|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| Image lateral resolution (min. distance between two phase steps to be resolved)                    | ≤ 8 mm (0.31 in)                  |
| Minimum DUT size (W × H)                                                                           | 60 mm × 60 mm (2.36 in × 2.36 in) |
| Phase resolution (min. phase difference in a DUT that can be resolved inside the calculated image) | ±2°                               |

### Customize R&S® QAR50 quality automotive radome testers with the phase mask option

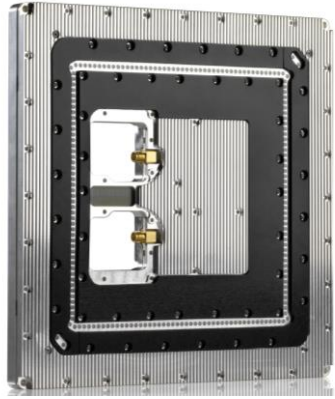
- ▶ Measurement of transmission phase
- ▶ Enables homogeneity analysis of radomes/bumpers

| Your benefit                                                      | Features                                                                                                                   |
|-------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Analyze homogeneity of design emblems and bumpers                 | Captures the transmission phase. The radar-transparent area of the bumper can be depicted on the transmission phase image. |
| Quickly detect problems with the radome design                    | Determines geometry influence on radomes.                                                                                  |
| Trace homogeneity of foils and paint in a software definable area | Spatially resolved measurement of transmission phase makes the homogeneity clearly visible.                                |



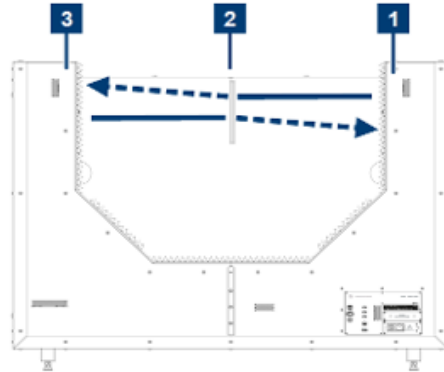
For more information, visit [www.rohde-schwarz.com/product/QAR50](http://www.rohde-schwarz.com/product/QAR50)

## No mechanical movement



The R&S®QAR50 uses hundreds of receive and transmit antennas to quickly characterize materials, bumpers and emblems. The electronic focusing of the microwave imaging technology allows more flexible positioning of the measurement antennas without any mechanical movement.

## Transmission phase measurement in one measurement



- 1: Cluster 1
  - 2: DUT
  - 3: Cluster 2
- Straight line:**  
Stimulus signal
- Dashed line:**  
Phase changed signal

Both clusters send a signal that through the DUT to determine phase characteristics. The opposite cluster measures the phase for the received signal. The phase results are the average of the two measurements. To calculate phase differences, the R&S®QAR50 compares the phase for the normalization measurement (empty space) to that of the actual measurement.

## Step 1: choose your R&S®QAR50 model

| Model                             |           |                              |
|-----------------------------------|-----------|------------------------------|
| R&S®QAR50 vertical polarization   | R&S®QAR50 | 1343.0099K02<br>1343.0099.02 |
| R&S®QAR50 horizontal polarization | R&S®QAR50 | 1343.0099K03<br>1343.0099.03 |

**Included:** All models come with a power cord, a getting started manual and a 1-year warranty

## Step 2: choose your software option and accessories

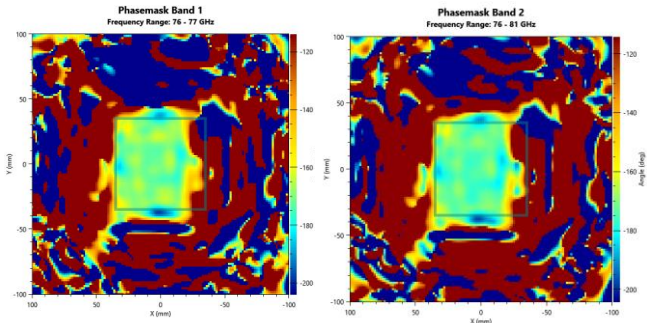
| Options            |               |              |
|--------------------|---------------|--------------|
| Frequency response | R&S®QAR50-K10 | 1343.2091.02 |
| Phase mask         | R&S®QAR50-K20 | 1343.2110.02 |
| HD reflection      | R&S®QAR50-K30 | 1343.2133.02 |

| Accessories      |               |              |
|------------------|---------------|--------------|
| Verification set | R&S®QAR50-Z44 | 1343.0082.02 |

All options can be retrofitted

## Result displays

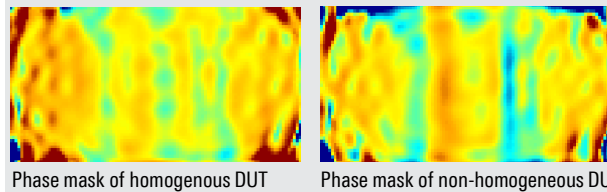


The resulting image shows the measured levels in different colors :

- ▶ The image shows the deviation in degrees for the transmission phase
- ▶ You can scroll through individual measuring points with the cursor
- ▶ Minimum, maximum and standard deviations are displayed based on the measurement results

The color range is based on the selected color scheme. A color map on the side of the image shows which level corresponds to a certain color.

A blue rectangle superimposed on the image indicates where the image is evaluated for numerical results. The size and location of this evaluation window depends on the configuration.



The measurement of a homogeneous (= minimal differences in phase variations) DUT usually creates a similar angular deviation over the examined area.

The distribution can differ for a non-homogeneous DUT, so several highlighted areas in the image will have a higher phase deviation compared to their surroundings.

You can scroll through the individual measuring points with the cursor and evaluate minimum and maximum values as well as the standard deviations.