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## Test Report

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SPONSOR: **Pinnacle Architectural Lighting**  
Denver, CO

**Sound Absorption**  
**RAL™-A25-252**

CONDUCTED: 2025-05-02

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ON: Fina Acoustic DRUM - LARGE, 2 objects in single row, spaced 42" apart

### TEST METHODOLOGY

Riverbank Acoustical Laboratories™ is accredited by the U.S. Department of Commerce, National Institute of Standards and Technology (NIST) under the National Voluntary Laboratory Accreditation Program (NVLAP) as an ISO 17025:2017 Laboratory (NVLAP Lab Code: 100227-0) and for this test procedure. The test reported in this document conformed explicitly with ASTM C423-23: "Standard Test Method for Sound Absorption and Sound Absorption Coefficients by the Reverberation Room Method." The specimen mounting was performed according to ASTM E795-23: "Standard Practices for Mounting Test Specimens During Sound Absorption Tests." A description of the measurement procedure and room specifications are available upon request. The results presented in this report apply to the sample as received from the test sponsor.

### INFORMATION PROVIDED BY SPONSOR

The test specimen was designated by the sponsor as Fina Acoustic DRUM - LARGE, 2 objects in single row, spaced 42" apart. The following nominal product information was provided by the sponsor prior to testing. The accuracy of such sponsor-provided information can affect the validity of the test results.

#### **Product Under Test**

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Product Name: Fina Acoustic DRUM - LARGE  
Manufacturer: Pinnacle Architectural Lighting

### SPECIMEN MEASUREMENTS & TEST CONDITIONS

Through a full external visual inspection performed on the test specimen, Riverbank personnel verified the following information:

#### **Test Specimen**

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Product Type: Baffles/Lighting Units  
Diameter: 1600 mm (63 in.)  
Depth: 711 mm (28 in.)  
Overall Weight: 92.42 kg (203.75 lbs)

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Page 2 of 8**SPECIMEN MEASUREMENTS & TEST CONDITIONS (continued)****Physical Measurements (per object)**

Dimensions: 1.6 m (63.0 in) wide by 1.6 m (63.0 in) long

Thickness: 0.71 m (28.0 in)

Weight: 46.21 kg (101.87 lbs)

**Test Environment**Room Volume: 291.98 m<sup>3</sup>

Temperature: 22.7 °C ± 0.1 °C (Requirement: ≥ 10 °C and ≤ 5 °C change)

Relative Humidity: 58.75 % ± 3.5 % (Requirement: ≥ 40 % and ≤ 5 % change)

Barometric Pressure: 98.3 kPa (Requirement not defined)

Each sound absorbing object had an exposed surface area of 7.60 m<sup>2</sup> (81.8 ft<sup>2</sup>). The total exposed surface area of all sound-absorbing objects was 15.2 m<sup>2</sup> (164 ft<sup>2</sup>). These surface area values are based on a simplification of the object geometry to that of the smallest right-angle cylinder fully enclosing one object.

**MOUNTING METHOD**

Type JH-MOD Mounting: The specimen is an array of 2 spaced sound absorbing objects suspended from cables such that the closest face is located approximately 1448 mm (57 in.) from the horizontal test surface. This approximates the mounting method of a typical ceiling baffle installation. The objects were evenly distributed in a single row, spaced 1067 mm (42 in.) apart. The width of the installed object array was 1600 mm (63 in.) and the length of the installed object array was 4318 mm (170 in.). The area of extended continuous surface attributed to the object array was 10.2 m<sup>2</sup> (110 ft<sup>2</sup>).

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Figure 1 – Specimen mounted in test chamber

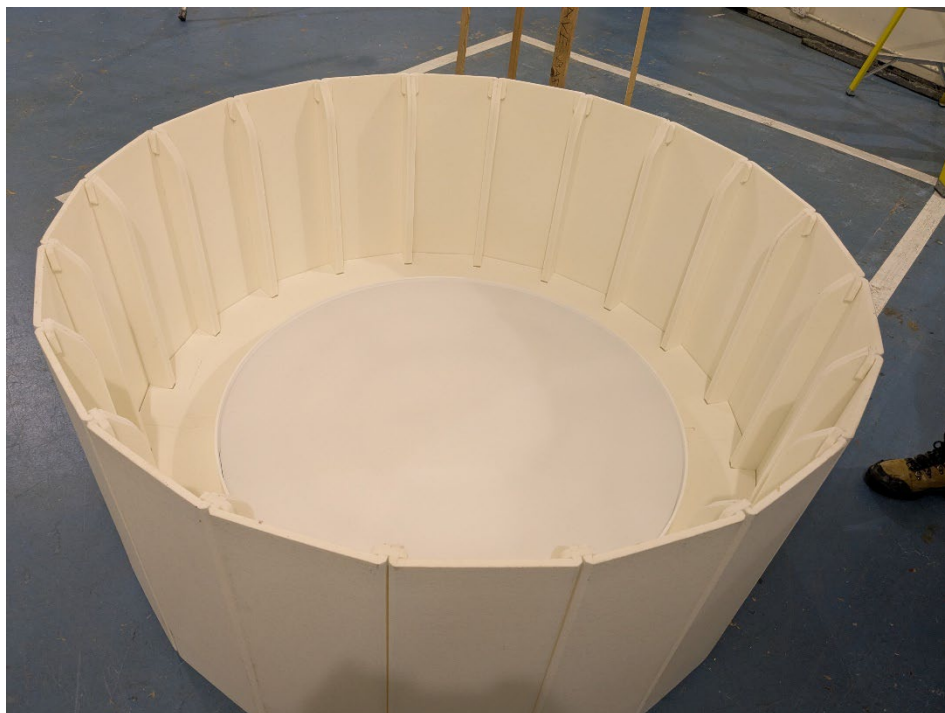


Figure 2 – Detail of specimen materials

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The preferred presentation of sound absorption test results for arrays of spaced objects is sound absorption ( $\text{m}^2$ ) per object and total sound absorption ( $\text{m}^2$ ) at each one-third-octave band

ASTM C423-23 Appendix X2 allows calculation of sound absorption per  $\text{m}^2$  ( $\text{SA}/\text{m}^2$ ) based on the projected horizontal surface area attributable to an array of objects. The extended continuous surface area used in this calculation is to be determined using the following procedure:

$S_{\text{array}} = (w + w_1) \times (l + 0.3)$  If the set of objects consists of a single row of equal sized objects with equal space between each. (ASTM E423-23 X.2.3.2)

Where:

$S_{\text{array}}$  = area of extended continuous surface attributed to the object array,  $\text{m}^2$

$w$  = the measured width of the installed object array, in meters

$w_1$  = the distance between objects in the array along the width, in meters

$l$  = the measured length of the object array, in meters

Note: A standard distance of 0.3 meters is added to the array length to account for the assumed area between this set of objects and an adjacent array of objects.

The sound absorption per  $\text{m}^2$  ( $\text{SA}/\text{m}^2$ ) is calculated based on the following formula:

$$\alpha_{\text{array}} = (A_2 - A_1)/S_{\text{array}}$$

Where:

$\alpha_{\text{array}}$  = sound absorption per  $\text{m}^2$  ( $\text{SA}/\text{m}^2$ ) of extended continuous surface, no units,

$A_1$  = absorption of the empty reverberation room,  $\text{m}^2$  and

$A_2$  = absorption of the room after the specimen has been installed,  $\text{m}^2$ .

$S_{\text{array}}$  = area of extended continuous surface attributed to the test specimen,  $\text{m}^2$

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### TEST RESULTS (continued)

1/3 Octave Center Frequency (Hz)	Total Absorption (m <sup>2</sup> )	(Sabins)	Absorption per Object (m <sup>2</sup> / Object) (Sabins / Object)		$\alpha_{array}$ (Sabins/ft <sup>2</sup> ) (SA/m <sup>2</sup> )
100	4.62	49.71	2.31	24.85	0.45
** 125	3.75	40.39	1.88	20.19	0.37
160	5.33	57.36	2.66	28.68	0.52
200	6.58	70.79	3.29	35.40	0.64
** 250	7.16	77.03	3.58	38.52	0.70
315	7.67	82.59	3.84	41.29	0.75
400	8.03	86.48	4.02	43.24	0.79
** 500	8.98	96.67	4.49	48.34	0.88
630	9.60	103.35	4.80	51.67	0.94
800	10.31	111.00	5.16	55.50	1.01
** 1000	11.23	120.83	5.61	60.41	1.10
1250	12.06	129.79	6.03	64.89	1.18
1600	12.43	133.83	6.22	66.92	1.22
** 2000	13.02	140.12	6.51	70.06	1.27
2500	13.36	143.83	6.68	71.92	1.31
3150	13.22	142.25	6.61	71.13	1.29
** 4000	13.57	146.07	6.79	73.04	1.33
5000	13.93	149.98	6.97	74.99	1.36

**Array-NRC 1.00** over 10.2 m<sup>2</sup> of extended continuous surface area

**Array-SAA 0.98** over 10.2 m<sup>2</sup> of extended continuous surface area

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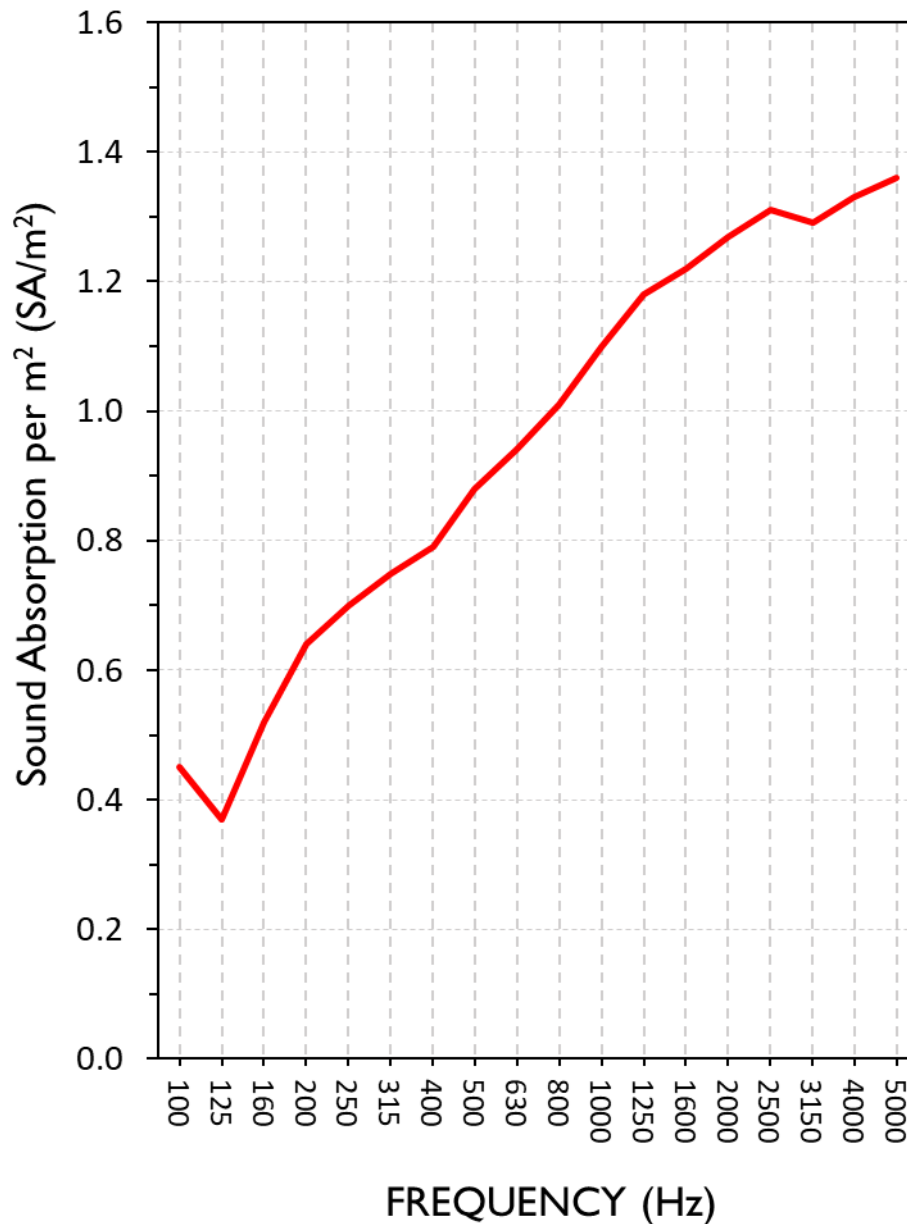
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Eric P. Wolfram  
Laboratory Manager

*Note: Sound absorption per m<sup>2</sup> (SA/m<sup>2</sup>), and therefore the reported Single Number Ratings, are highly dependent on the exact sample shape, size, spacing, and extended continuous surface area present in the test and subsequent calculations. Changes to any of these parameters will change the resulting values. These presented results are valid only for the specific configuration present in this test.*

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### **APPENDIX A: Extended Frequency Range Data**

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*The following non-accredited data were obtained in accordance with ASTM C423-23, but extend beyond the defined frequency range of 100Hz to 5,000Hz. These unofficial results are representative of the RAL test environment only and intended for research & comparison purposes.*

1/3 Octave Band Center Frequency	Total Absorption		Absorption per Object		$\alpha_{array}$ (Sabins/ft <sup>2</sup> )
(Hz)	(m <sup>2</sup> )	(Sabins)	(m <sup>2</sup> / Object)	(Sabins / Object)	(SA/m <sup>2</sup> )
31.5	2.82	30.32	1.41	15.16	0.28
40	-0.02	-0.24	-0.01	-0.12	0.00
50	0.36	3.92	0.18	1.96	0.04
63	2.64	28.39	1.32	14.20	0.26
80	4.38	47.09	2.19	23.55	0.43
100	4.62	49.71	2.31	24.85	0.45
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5000	13.93	149.98	6.97	74.99	1.36
6300	14.10	151.76	7.05	75.88	1.38
8000	14.75	158.81	7.38	79.40	1.44
10000	14.27	153.55	7.13	76.78	1.39
12500	14.54	156.54	7.27	78.27	1.42

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### **APPENDIX B: Instruments of Traceability**

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<b><u>Description</u></b>	<b><u>Model</u></b>	<b><u>Serial Number</u></b>	<b><u>Date of Certification</u></b>	<b><u>Calibration Due</u></b>
System 1	Type 3160-A-042	3160-106974	2024-08-15	2025-08-15
Bruel & Kjaer Mic And Preamp G	Type 4943-B-001	2525858	2024-05-07	2025-05-07
Bruel & Kjaer Pistonphone	Type 4228	2781248	2024-07-19	2025-07-19
EXTECH Hygro 662	SD700	A083662	2024-12-30	2025-12-30

### **APPENDIX C: Revisions to Original Test Report**

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<b><u>Date</u></b>	<b><u>Revision</u></b>
2025-05-09	Original report issued

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