

Fig. 1 Illustration of rotary ultrasonic machining (RUM)



Fig. 2 Illustration of RUM setup



Fig. 3 Typical chips by RUM of carbon fiber-reinforced epoxy



Fig. 4 Observation of the machined holes on the carbon fiber-reinforced epoxy workpiece.



Fig. 5 Illustration of chipping size and chipping thickness in RUM



Fig. 6 Observation of machined rod and chipping size



Fig. 7 Observation and measurement of chipping thickness



Fig. 8 Typical force curve in RUM of carbon fiber-reinforced epoxy



Fig. 9 Typical torque curve in RUM of carbon fiber-reinforced epoxy



Fig. 10 Effects of ultrasonic power on thrust force



Fig. 11 Effects of rotation speed on thrust force



Fig. 12 Effect of feedrate on thrust force



Fig. 13 Observation of the machined surface in the hole.



Fig. 14 Effects of ultrasonic power on surface roughness



Fig. 15 Effects of rotation speed on surface roughness



Fig. 16 Effects of feedrate on surface roughness



Fig. 17 Attritious wear of the diamond grain on the tool end surface



Before

After

Fig. 18 Grain pulled out on the tool end surface



Fig. 19 Relation between tool weight loss and number of drilled holes



Fig. 20 Illustration of induced deformation in RUM of CFRP