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## Question 1

The input impedance for a  $75\Omega$  lossless transmission line of length  $1.25\lambda$  is  $(75 - j75)\Omega$ .

Une ligne de transmission sans pertes de  $75\Omega$  et de longueur  $1.25\lambda$  a une impédance d'entrée de valeur  $(75 - j75)\Omega$ .

(a) Using the Smith Chart, determine the load impedance. Explain what you are doing.

Déterminer l'impédance de charge en utilisant l'abaque de Smith. Expliquer ce que vous faites.

$$Z_{in} = (75 - j75)\Omega, Z_0 = 75\Omega \rightarrow z_{in} = (1 - j)$$

Phase is  $0.338\lambda$ . Subtract the phase accumulation of  $1.25\lambda$  to return to the load

$$\text{Phase at load} = 0.338\lambda - 1.25\lambda = -0.912\lambda \equiv 0.088\lambda$$

Drawing a line from this phase position on the WTG grid through the SWR-circle locates the load at

$$z_L = 0.5 + j0.5$$

$$\text{Since } Z_0 = 75\Omega \therefore Z_L = (37.5 + j37.5)\Omega$$

(b) Using the Smith Chart, design a short-circuit stub matching network for such load. Find the solution that minimizes the length  $l$  of the shorted stub. Explain what you are doing.

En utilisant l'abaque de Smith, concevoir pour cette charge un réseau d'adaptation avec un stub en court-circuit. Déterminer la solution qui minimise la longueur  $l$  du stub. Expliquer ce que vous faites.

$$Z_L = (37.5 + j37.5)\Omega \rightarrow z_L = (0.5 + j0.5) \rightarrow y_L = (1 - j)$$

$$\begin{aligned} y_1 &= 1 + j \\ y_2 &= 1 - j \end{aligned}$$

CW from  $y_L$  to points is distance from load:

$$\begin{aligned}d_1 &= (0.5 - 0.338 + 0.162)\lambda = 0.324\lambda \\d_2 &= 0\lambda\end{aligned}$$

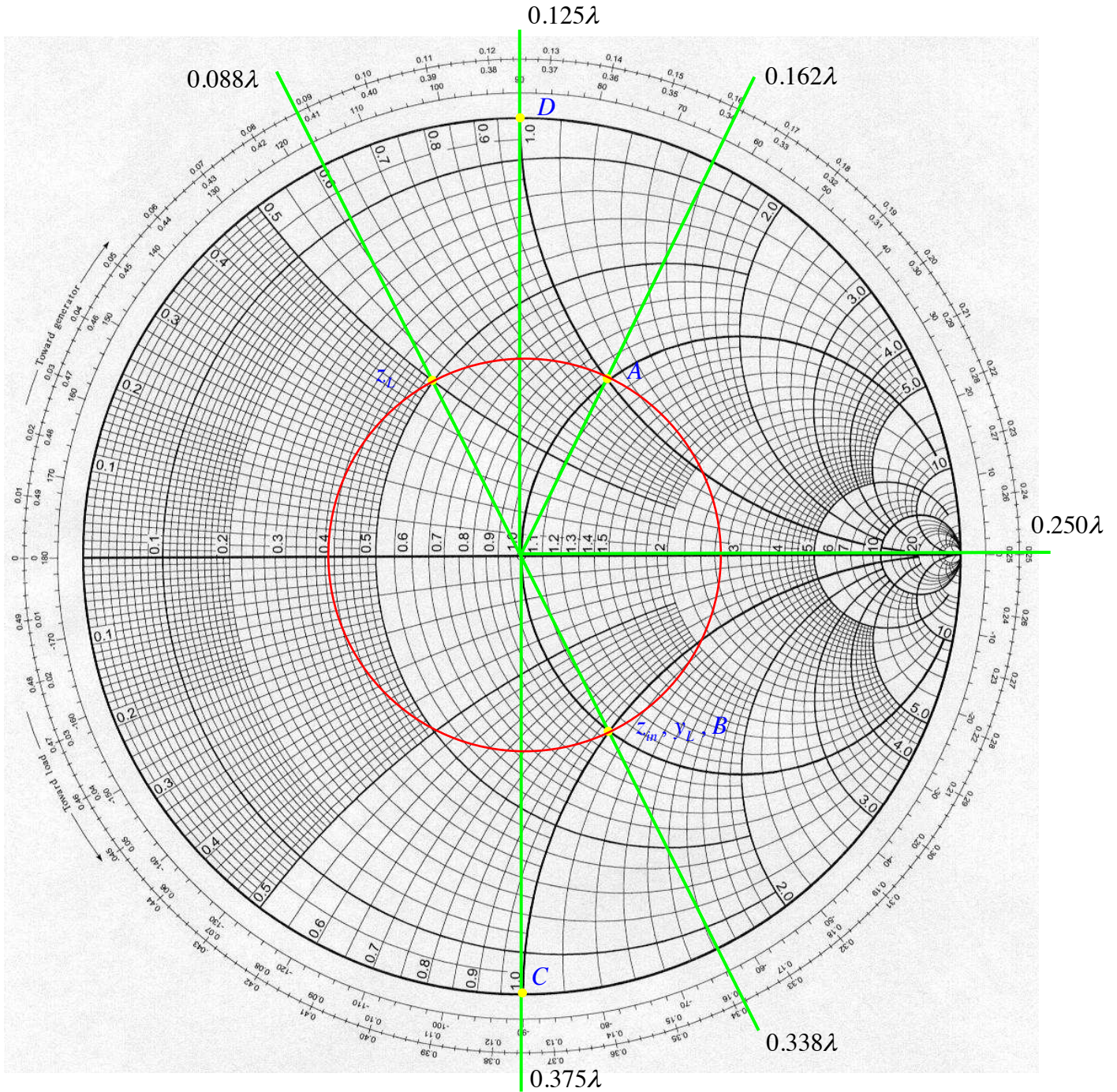
Corresponding stub lengths :  $y_1' = -j$   
 $y_2' = +j$

CW from short circuit (impedance at 0, admittance at 0.25) to :

$$l_1 = (0.375 - 0.25)\lambda = 0.125\lambda$$

$$l_2 = (0.25 + 0.125)\lambda = 0.375\lambda$$

The first solution minimizes the length of the shorted stub.



## Question 2

A 10.0 MHz magnetic field travels in a fluid for which the propagation velocity is  $1.0 \times 10^8$  m/sec. Initially, we have  $\mathbf{H}(0,0) = 2.0 \mathbf{a}_x$  A/m. The amplitude drops to 1.0 A/m after the wave travels 5.0 meters in the y direction.

Un champ magnétique se propage à 10.0 MHz dans un fluide avec une vitesse de propagation de  $1.0 \times 10^8$  m/sec. Initialement, nous avons  $\mathbf{H}(0,0) = 2.0 \mathbf{a}_x$  A/m. L'amplitude décroît à 1.0 A/m après que l'onde ait parcourue 5.0 mètres dans la direction des y.

(a) Determine the wavelength, phase constant, and relative permittivity.

Déterminer la longueur d'onde, la constante de phase et la permittivité relative.

$$u_p = 1 \times 10^8 \text{ m/s}; \quad \lambda = \frac{u_p}{f} = 10 \text{ m},$$

$$\text{Assume a real phase constant: } \beta = \frac{2\pi}{\lambda} = 0.2\pi \frac{\text{rad}}{\text{m}}$$

$$\text{Assume a real phase velocity: } u_p = \frac{c}{\sqrt{\mu_r \epsilon_r}},$$

where  $\epsilon_r$  is the real part of the complex relative permittivity; strictly speaking, since  $\epsilon_c = \epsilon' - j\epsilon'' = \epsilon_0 (\epsilon_r - j\epsilon_r'')$ , our above assumptions require  $\frac{\epsilon''}{\epsilon_r} \ll 1$ .

We assume a non-magnetic medium, hence  $\mu_r = 1$

Therefore  $\epsilon_r = 9$ .

(b) What is the attenuation constant?

Quelle est la constante d'atténuation ?

$$\mathbf{H}(0,0) = 2.0 \mathbf{a}_x \frac{\text{A}}{\text{m}}; \quad \therefore H_o = 2.0, \phi = 0$$

$$H(y=5) = 1 = H_o e^{-\alpha y} = 2.0 e^{-\alpha(5)}; \text{ solving we get } \alpha = 0.14$$

- (c) Give the real solution for the magnetic field as a function of position and time.

Donner la solution réelle pour le champ magnétique en fonction de la position et du temps.

$$\omega = 2\pi f = 2\pi(10 \times 10^6) = 20\pi \times 10^6 \frac{\text{rad}}{\text{s}}$$

$$\mathbf{H}(y, t) = H_0 e^{-\alpha y} \cos(\omega t - \beta y + \phi) \mathbf{a}_x \frac{\text{A}}{\text{m}}$$

$$\mathbf{H}(y, t) = 2.0 e^{-0.14y} \cos(20\pi \times 10^6 t - 0.2\pi y) \mathbf{a}_x \frac{\text{A}}{\text{m}}$$

- (d) What is Ampere's law?

Quelle est la loi d'Ampère ?

$$\nabla \times \mathbf{H} = \varepsilon \frac{\partial \mathbf{E}}{\partial t}.$$

- (e) What is the magnitude of the electric field?

Quelle est l'amplitude du champ électrique ?

$$\epsilon \frac{\partial \mathbf{E}}{\partial t} = \begin{vmatrix} \hat{\mathbf{a}}_x & \hat{\mathbf{a}}_y & \hat{\mathbf{a}}_z \\ \frac{\partial}{\partial x} & \frac{\partial}{\partial y} & \frac{\partial}{\partial z} \\ H_0 e^{-\gamma y} & 0 & 0 \end{vmatrix} = -H_0 \frac{\partial}{\partial y} [\exp(-\gamma y)] \hat{\mathbf{a}}_z = \gamma H_0 \exp(-\gamma y) \hat{\mathbf{a}}_z$$

$$\text{Thus: } \mathbf{E} = \frac{\gamma H_0}{j\omega\epsilon} \exp(-\gamma y) \exp(j\omega t) \hat{\mathbf{a}}_z = \frac{-j(\alpha + j\beta)H_0}{\omega\epsilon} \exp(-\alpha y) \exp(-j\beta y) \exp(j\omega t) \hat{\mathbf{a}}_z$$

$$\text{Since: } \mathbf{E} = E_0 \exp(-\alpha y) \exp[j(\omega t - \beta y + \phi)] \hat{\mathbf{a}}_z$$

$$\text{Therefore: } E_0 = \frac{H_0 \sqrt{\alpha^2 + \beta^2}}{\omega\epsilon} = \frac{(2.0) \sqrt{(0.14)^2 + (0.2\pi)^2}}{(20\pi \times 10^6)(8.854 \times 10^{-12})(9)} = 257 \text{ V/m}$$

(f) What is the phase difference between the magnetic and electric fields?

Quel est le déphasage entre le champ magnétique et le champ électrique ?

$$\phi = \arctan\left(-\frac{\alpha}{\beta}\right) = \arctan(-0.223) = -12.56^\circ$$

$$\text{Therefore: } \Delta\phi = \phi_H - \phi_E = 0 - (-12.56^\circ) = 12.56^\circ$$

### Question 3

The electric field of a uniform plane wave propagating in free space is given by

Le champ électrique d'une onde plane uniforme se propageant dans un espace libre est donné par

$$\tilde{\mathbf{E}} = (\hat{\mathbf{x}} + j\hat{\mathbf{y}})30\exp(-j\pi z/6) \text{ V/m.}$$

(a) Determine the direction of the electric field in the  $z = 0$  plane at  $t = 0\text{ ns}$ ,  $5\text{ ns}$ , and  $10\text{ ns}$ .

Déterminer la direction du champ électrique dans le plan  $z = 0$  à  $t = 0\text{ ns}$ ,  $5\text{ ns}$  et  $10\text{ ns}$ .

$$\begin{aligned}\mathbf{E}(z, t) &= \text{Re}\left\{\tilde{\mathbf{E}}(z)e^{j\omega t}\right\} = \text{Re}\left\{(\hat{\mathbf{x}} + j\hat{\mathbf{y}})30e^{-j\pi z/6}e^{j\omega t}\right\} \\ &= \text{Re}\left\{(\hat{\mathbf{x}} + e^{j\pi/2}\hat{\mathbf{y}})30e^{-j\pi z/6}e^{j\omega t}\right\} \\ &= \hat{\mathbf{x}}30\cos(\omega t - \pi z/6) - \hat{\mathbf{y}}30\sin(\omega t - \pi z/6) \text{ V/m}\end{aligned}$$

Since:  $|\mathbf{E}(z, t)| = \sqrt{E_x^2(z, t) + E_y^2(z, t)}$

Since  $f = \frac{c}{\lambda} = \frac{kc}{2\pi} = \frac{(\pi/6)(3 \times 10^8)}{2\pi} = 2.5 \times 10^7 \text{ Hz}$ , therefore  $\omega t = 2\pi f t = 5\pi \times 10^7 t \text{ s}^{-1}$ , and

(i)  $\mathbf{E}(0, 0) = \hat{\mathbf{x}}30\cos(0) - \hat{\mathbf{y}}30\sin(0) = \hat{\mathbf{x}}30 \text{ V/m}$

(ii)  $\mathbf{E}(0, 5 \times 10^{-9}) = \hat{\mathbf{x}}30\cos(\pi/4) - \hat{\mathbf{y}}30\sin(\pi/4) = \hat{\mathbf{x}}\frac{30}{\sqrt{2}} - \hat{\mathbf{y}}\frac{30}{\sqrt{2}} \text{ V/m}$

(ii)  $\mathbf{E}(0, 10 \times 10^{-9}) = \hat{\mathbf{x}}30\cos(\pi/2) - \hat{\mathbf{y}}30\sin(\pi/2) = -\hat{\mathbf{y}}30 \text{ V/m}$

(b) What is the wave's polarization? Justify your answer.

Quelle est la polarisation de l'onde ? Justifiez votre réponse.

Since  $\varphi(z, t) = \arctan\left(\frac{E_y}{E_x}\right) = -(\omega t - \pi z/6)$ , we have

$$(i) \varphi(0, 0) = 0$$

$$(ii) \varphi(0, 5 \times 10^{-9}) = -\pi/4 \equiv -45^\circ$$

$$(iii) \varphi(0, 10 \times 10^{-9}) = -\pi/2 \equiv -90^\circ$$

and

$$(i) |\mathbf{E}(0, 0)| = 30 \text{ V/m}$$

$$(ii) |\mathbf{E}(0, 5 \times 10^{-9})| = \sqrt{\left(\frac{30}{\sqrt{2}}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{30}{\sqrt{2}}\right)^2} = 30 \text{ V/m}$$

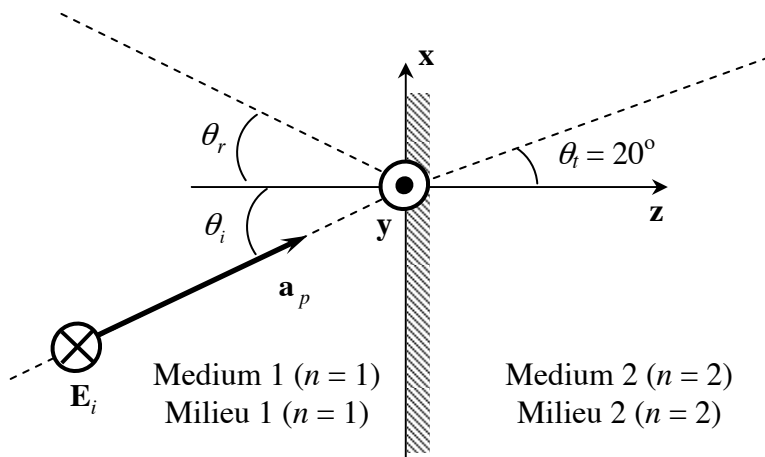
$$(iii) |\mathbf{E}(0, 10 \times 10^{-9})| = 30 \text{ V/m}$$

So the wave is left-hand circularly (LHC) polarized.

#### **Question 4**

Consider a uniform plane wave obliquely incident from medium 1 (air) to a nonmagnetic non conductor medium (medium 2) of index of refraction of  $n = 2$ , as shown below; the transmitted angle is  $\theta_t = 20^\circ$ . The magnitude of the incident electric field is  $E_i = 1 \text{ V/m}$ .

Soit une onde plane uniforme obliquement incidente d'un milieu 1 (air) à un milieu non magnétique non conducteur (milieu 2) d'indice de réfraction  $n = 2$  (voir figure ci-dessous). L'angle de transmission est  $\theta_t = 20^\circ$ . L'amplitude du champ électrique incident est  $E_i = 1 \text{ V/m}$ .





(a) What is the polarization of the incident wave?

Quelle est la polarisation de l'onde incidente ?

Perpendicular – linearly polarized TE.

The electric field is perpendicular (transverse) to the plane of incidence.

(b) Find the incident angle  $\theta_i$ .

Déterminer l'angle incident  $\theta_i$ .

$$\frac{\sin \theta_t}{\sin \theta_i} = \frac{n_1}{n_2} = \frac{\omega \sqrt{\mu_1 \epsilon_1}}{\omega \sqrt{\mu_2 \epsilon_2}} = \frac{\sqrt{\mu_{r1} \epsilon_{r1}}}{\sqrt{\mu_{r2} \epsilon_{r2}}} = \frac{1}{2} = 0.5 \rightarrow \sin \theta_i = 2 * 0.342 = 0.684$$

$$\rightarrow \theta_i = 43.157^\circ$$

(c) Find the reflection coefficient.

Déterminer le coefficient de réflexion.

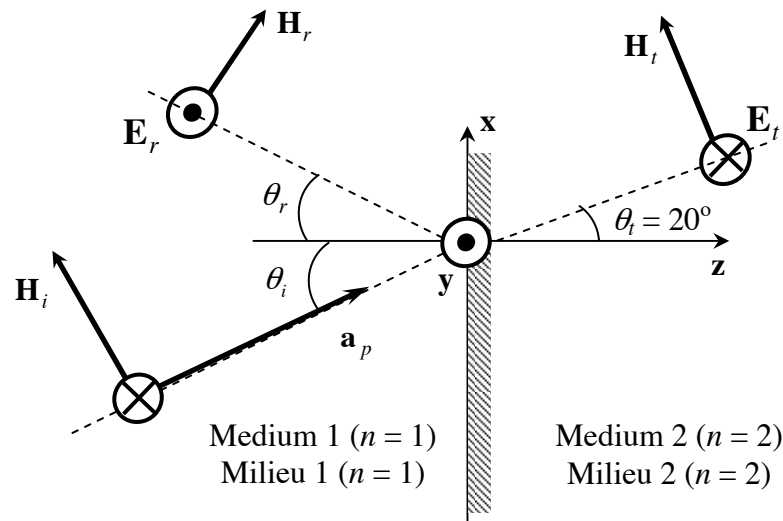
$$\eta = \sqrt{\frac{\mu}{\varepsilon}} = 120\pi \sqrt{\frac{\mu_r}{\varepsilon_r}} \quad n = \sqrt{\mu_r \varepsilon_r}$$

$$\rightarrow \quad \eta_1 = 120\pi \, \Omega \quad \text{and} \quad \eta_2 = \frac{120\pi}{2} = 60\pi \, \Omega$$

$$\Gamma_{\perp} = \frac{\eta_2 \cos \theta_i - \eta_1 \cos \theta_t}{\eta_2 \cos \theta_i + \eta_1 \cos \theta_t} = \frac{60\pi * 0.7295 - 120\pi * 0.9397}{60\pi * 0.7295 + 120\pi * 0.9397} = \frac{0.7071 - 1}{0.7071 + 1} = -0.44$$

(d) Sketch *properly* the reflected and transmitted field directions on the figure. Justify your answer.

Dessiner *soigneusement* sur la figure les directions des champs réfléchis et transmis. Justifiez votre réponse.



Incident fields:  $\mathbf{E}_i$ ,  $\mathbf{H}_i$  and the direction of propagation  $\mathbf{a}_p$  should form a direct trihedral.

Reflected fields: with a negative reflection coefficient  $\Rightarrow \mathbf{E}_i$  is opposite to  $\mathbf{E}_r$ . Furthermore, since the direction of propagation also change (from  $z > 0$  to  $z < 0$ ), then  $\mathbf{H}_r$  should be in the same direction as  $\mathbf{H}_i$ .

Transmitted fields:  $\mathbf{E}_t$ ,  $\mathbf{H}_t$  are in the same direction than  $\mathbf{E}_i$ ,  $\mathbf{H}_i$  (respectively) since  $\tau = 1 + \Gamma > 0$ .

### Question 5

- (a) Design an air-filled rectangular waveguide to operate at a fundamental mode of a cutoff frequency of 10 GHz. Assume  $a = 2b$ .

Concevoir un guide d'onde rectangulaire rempli d'air et opérant à un mode fondamental de fréquence de coupure 10 GHz. On prendra  $a = 2b$ .

$$f_c^{(m,n)} = \frac{1}{2\sqrt{\mu\epsilon}} \sqrt{\left(\frac{m}{a}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{n}{b}\right)^2}$$

The fundamental is TE<sub>10</sub>:  $f_c^{(10)} = \frac{c}{2a} \Rightarrow a = \frac{c}{2f_c^{(10)}} = \frac{3 \times 10^8}{2(10 \times 10^9)} = 0.015 \text{ m} \quad \text{or} \quad 1.5 \text{ cm}$

Thus:  $b = \frac{1}{2}a = 0.75 \text{ cm}$

- (b) Calculate the cutoff frequencies of the first 5-modes of this guide

Calculer les fréquences de coupure des 5 premiers modes de ce guide.

$$f_c^{(m,n)} = \frac{c}{2} \sqrt{\left(\frac{m}{a}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{n}{b}\right)^2}$$

$$\text{TE}_{10} \quad f_c^{(10)} = \frac{3 \times 10^{10}}{2} \sqrt{\left(\frac{1}{1.5}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{0}{0.75}\right)^2} = 1.0 \times 10^{10} \text{ Hz} \quad \text{or} \quad 10 \text{ GHz}$$

$$\text{TE}_{01} \quad f_c^{(01)} = \frac{3 \times 10^{10}}{2} \sqrt{\left(\frac{0}{1.5}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{1}{0.75}\right)^2} = 2.0 \times 10^{10} \text{ Hz} \quad \text{or} \quad 20 \text{ GHz}$$

$$\text{TE}_{20} \quad f_c^{(20)} = \frac{3 \times 10^{10}}{2} \sqrt{\left(\frac{2}{1.5}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{0}{0.75}\right)^2} = 2.0 \times 10^{10} \text{ Hz} \quad \text{or} \quad 20 \text{ GHz}$$

$$\text{TE}_{11} \quad f_c^{(11)} = \frac{3 \times 10^{10}}{2} \sqrt{\left(\frac{1}{1.5}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{1}{0.75}\right)^2} = 2.24 \times 10^{10} \text{ Hz} \quad \text{or} \quad 22.4 \text{ GHz}$$

$$\text{TM}_{11} \quad f_c^{(11)} = \frac{3 \times 10^{10}}{2} \sqrt{\left(\frac{1}{1.5}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{1}{0.75}\right)^2} = 2.24 \times 10^{10} \text{ Hz} \quad \text{or} \quad 22.4 \text{ GHz}$$

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$$\Gamma = \frac{V_o^-}{V_o^+} = \frac{Z_L - Z_o}{Z_L + Z_o} = |\Gamma| e^{j\theta_r} \quad S = \frac{|V_{\max}|}{|V_{\min}|} = \frac{1 + |\Gamma|}{1 - |\Gamma|} \quad Z(l) = \frac{V(l)}{I(l)} = Z_o \frac{Z_L + Z_o \tanh(\gamma l)}{Z_o + Z_L \tanh(\gamma l)}$$

$$\nabla \times \mathbf{E} = -\frac{\partial \mathbf{B}}{\partial t}$$

$$\nabla \times \mathbf{H} = \mathbf{J} + \frac{\partial \mathbf{D}}{\partial t}$$

$$\nabla \cdot \mathbf{D} = \rho_v$$

$$\nabla \cdot \mathbf{B} = 0$$

$$\frac{\sin \theta_t}{\sin \theta_i} = \frac{k_1}{k_2}$$

$$\eta = \sqrt{\frac{\mu}{\epsilon}}$$

$$k = \omega \sqrt{\mu \epsilon}$$

$$\Gamma_{\perp} = \Gamma_{TE} = \frac{E_o^r}{E_o^i} = \frac{\eta_2 \cos \theta_t - \eta_1 \cos \theta_i}{\eta_2 \cos \theta_t + \eta_1 \cos \theta_i}$$

$$\tau_{\perp} = \tau_{TE} = \frac{E_o^{tr}}{E_o^i} = \frac{2\eta_2 \cos \theta_i}{\eta_2 \cos \theta_t + \eta_1 \cos \theta_i}$$

$$\Gamma_{\parallel} = \Gamma_{TM} = \frac{E_o^r}{E_o^i} = \frac{\eta_2 \cos \theta_t - \eta_1 \cos \theta_i}{\eta_2 \cos \theta_t + \eta_1 \cos \theta_i}$$

$$\tau_{\parallel} = \tau_{TM} = \frac{E_o^{tr}}{E_o^i} = \frac{2\eta_2 \cos \theta_i}{\eta_2 \cos \theta_t + \eta_1 \cos \theta_i}$$

$$f_c^{m,n} = \frac{1}{2\sqrt{\mu\epsilon}} \sqrt{\left(\frac{m}{a}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{n}{b}\right)^2}$$

$$\frac{1}{\lambda^2} = \frac{1}{\lambda_g^2} + \frac{1}{\lambda_c^2}$$

$$\beta = k \sqrt{1 - \left(\frac{f_c^{m,n}}{f}\right)^2}$$

$$u_p = \frac{u}{\sqrt{1 - \left(\frac{f_c^{m,n}}{f}\right)^2}}$$

$$Z_{TM} = \eta_{TEM} \sqrt{1 - \left(\frac{f_c^{m,n}}{f}\right)^2}$$

$$Z_{TE} = \frac{\eta_{TEM}}{\sqrt{1 - \left(\frac{f_c^{m,n}}{f}\right)^2}}$$