

**Problem 1.**

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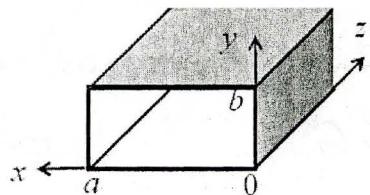
- a) Find the dimensions of a hollow rectangular metallic waveguide for single mode operation within 1-1.5 GHz.
- b) Determine the frequency range over which the waveguide supports dual modes.
- c) Determine the waveguide guided modes at 4.5 GHz.
- d) Find the group velocity, phase velocity, wave impedance, and wavelength of a 1.25 GHz wave propagating along the waveguide.
- e) If the metallic waveguide in part (a) is filled with glass ( $\epsilon_r = 2.25$ ), find the frequency range for waveguide single mode operation.

Only two modes

c), the lowest cutoff frequency:

assuming  $a > b$

$$f_{10} = \frac{c}{2a}$$



(a &lt; b)

~~for next mode:~~

$$f_{01} = \frac{c}{2b}$$

$$\Rightarrow \begin{cases} f_{10} = 1 \text{ GHz} \\ f_{01} = 1.5 \text{ GHz} \end{cases} \Rightarrow$$

$$\begin{cases} \frac{c}{2a} = 1 \text{ GHz} & a = 15 \text{ cm} \\ \frac{c}{2b} = 1.5 \text{ GHz} & b = 10 \text{ cm} \end{cases}$$

b), the third mode is  $f_{11} = 1.8 \text{ GHz}$ .

For the waveguide to have only two modes,

~~f should be in between 1.5 GHz and 1.8 GHz.~~

(c)

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

$$f_{10} = 1 \text{ GHz } \rightarrow \text{TE}$$

$$f_{01} = 1.5 \text{ GHz } \rightarrow \text{TE}$$

$$f_{11} = 1.8 \text{ GHz } \text{ TE \& TM}$$

$$f_{12} = 3.16 \text{ GHz } \text{ TE \& TM}$$

$$f_{02} = 3.6 \text{ GHz } \text{ TE}$$

$$f_{20} = 2 \text{ GHz } \text{ TE}$$

$$f_{03} = 4.5 \text{ GHz } \text{ not } < 4.5 \text{ GHz}$$

$$f_{30} = 3 \text{ GHz } \cancel{\text{TE}}$$

$$f_{31} = 3.35 \text{ GHz } \text{ TE \& TM.}$$

$$f_{32} = 4.24 \text{ GHz } \text{ TE \& TM.}$$

$$f_{22} = 3.6 \text{ GHz } \text{ TE \& TM}$$

$\Rightarrow$  The modes are listed above  
excepted for  $f_{03}$  since

$$f_{\cancel{03}} = 4.5 \text{ GHz } \text{ not } < 4.5 \text{ GHz}$$

Good!

(d)  $f = 1.25 \text{ GHz}$

only one mode:  $\text{TE}_{10}$ .

$$f_{mn} = f_{10} = 1 \text{ GHz}$$

$$u_g = C \sqrt{1 - \left(\frac{f_{mn}}{f}\right)^2}$$

$$= 3 \times 10^8 \text{ m/s} \sqrt{1 - \left(\frac{1}{1.25}\right)^2}$$

$$= 1.8 \times 10^8 \text{ m/s}$$

$$u_p = \frac{C}{\sqrt{1 - \left(\frac{f_{mn}}{f}\right)^2}}$$

$$= \frac{3 \times 10^8}{\sqrt{1 - \left(\frac{1}{1.25}\right)^2}} \text{ m/s}$$

$$= 5 \times 10^8 \text{ m/s}$$

$$Z_{TE} = \frac{Y}{\sqrt{1 - \left(\frac{f_{mn}}{f}\right)^2}} = \frac{120\pi}{\sqrt{1 - \left(\frac{1}{1.25}\right)^2}} \Omega = 628 \Omega$$

$$\lambda = \frac{C}{f} = \frac{3 \times 10^8 \text{ m/s}}{1.25 \text{ GHz}} = 0.24 \text{ m} \quad -)$$

$$(e) f_{mn} = \frac{v_p}{2} \sqrt{\left(\frac{m}{a}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{n}{b}\right)^2} = \frac{C}{2\pi\epsilon_r} \sqrt{\left(\frac{m}{a}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{n}{b}\right)^2}$$

$$f_{10} = \frac{3 \times 10^8}{2 \times 1.5} \sqrt{\left(\frac{1}{0.1}\right)^2} \text{ Hz} = 6.67 \times 10^8 \text{ Hz}$$

$$f_{01} = \frac{3 \times 10^8}{2 \times 1.5} \sqrt{\left(\frac{1}{0.1}\right)^2} = 10^9 \text{ Hz}$$

f should be in between

$$6.67 \times 10^8 \text{ Hz} \text{ and } 10^9 \text{ Hz}$$

Problem 2.

An x-polarized optical beam is propagating in z direction inside a semi-infinite dielectric slab ( $\epsilon_r = 12.5$ ) placed in free space. The dielectric slab has rectangular sidewalls (as shown below) with dimensions much larger than the optical beam size.

- a) If the optical beam is normally incident on one of the slab sidewalls in the xy-plane, determine the propagation direction and portion of the optical power that is transmitted from the slab to air.

direction:  $\hat{z}$ .

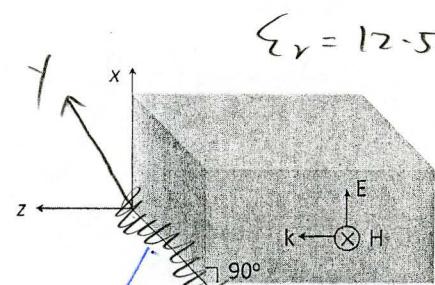
$$n_1 = \sqrt{\frac{\mu}{\epsilon}} = \sqrt{\frac{\mu_0}{\epsilon_0} \frac{1}{\epsilon_r}} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{12.5}} n_0$$

$$n_2 = n_0,$$

$$T = \frac{2n_2}{n_1 + n_2} = \frac{2}{\frac{1}{\sqrt{12.5}} + 1} = 1.56$$

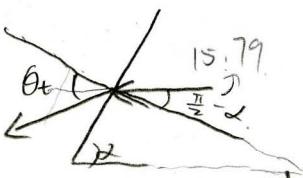
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$$T = |T|^2 \cdot \frac{n_1}{n_2} = 0.687 \Rightarrow 68.7\% \text{ of}$$

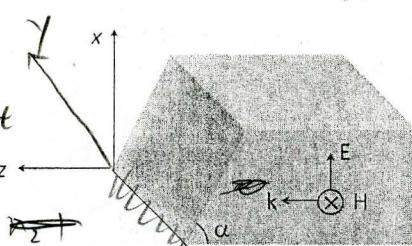
- b) If there is a possibility of polishing the slab sidewalls, find the slab sidewall angle,  $\alpha$ , at which maximum optical power is transmitted from the slab to air.



This is parallel polarization since

$\vec{H}$  is normal to incident plane. the incidence angle

should equal to brewster angle



is transmitted

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which leads to a maximum power transmittance:

$$\frac{n_1}{n_2} - \alpha = \tan^{-1} \sqrt{\frac{\epsilon_r}{\epsilon_0}}$$

$$\alpha = 74.21^\circ$$

- c) For part (b), determine the propagation direction and portion of the optical power that is transmitted from the slab to air.

- d) How can we maximize optical power transmission from the slab to air, if a y-polarized optical beam (instead of an x-polarized optical beam) is propagating in z direction.

- e) For the solution you offer for part (d), determine the propagation direction and portion of the optical power that is transmitted from the slab to air.

$$(c) n_1 = \sqrt{\epsilon_r \mu_0} = \sqrt{12.5}.$$

$$n_2 = 1$$

$$n_2 \sin \theta_t = n_1 \cancel{\sin \theta_i} \sin \theta_i$$

$$1 \cdot \sin \theta_t = \sqrt{12.5} \sin(90^\circ - 74.21^\circ)$$

$$\theta_t \approx 74.21^\circ$$

So: relative to  $\hat{z}$ , transmitted beam is  $\theta_t - \frac{\pi}{2} + \alpha = 58.4^\circ$

$\Rightarrow$  propagation direction:  $\hat{x}(-0.852) + \hat{z}(0.524)$

power portion transmitted: 100% at Brewster angle.

(d), if the wave become perpendicular polarized,

Brewster angle doesn't exist for nonmagnetic materials.

~~In this case,  $|T|$  is smallest when  $\theta_i$  approaches 0,  $\Rightarrow$  normal incidence~~

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(e) propagation direction:  $\hat{z}$

$$\cancel{\text{Ans}} \quad T = \frac{2\eta_2}{\eta_1 + \eta_2} = 1.56$$

$$T = |\tau|^2 \frac{\eta_1}{\eta_2} = 0.687$$

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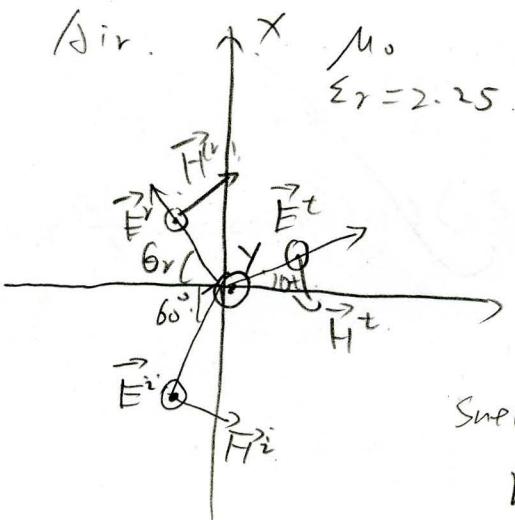
$\Rightarrow$  68.7% of power is transmitted.

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## Problem 3.

A 1GHz, y-polarized plane-wave is propagating in air along  $\hat{k} = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}\hat{x} + \frac{1}{2}\hat{z}$  direction. The wave is incident on a semi-infinite dielectric medium with  $\mu = \mu_0$  and  $\epsilon_r = 2.25$ . The interface between the dielectric medium and air is the  $z = 0$  plane.

- Write the phasor domain and time domain equations for the incident and reflected wave in air and the transmitted wave into the dielectric medium.
- Determine the portion of the wave power that is transmitted into the dielectric medium.



This is perpendicular polarization.  
since  $\vec{E}^i$  is perpendicular to the incidence plane:

$$\eta_1 = 120\pi = 376.7 \text{ N/A} \quad n_1 = \sqrt{\mu_r \epsilon_r} = 1.5$$

$$\eta_2 = \sqrt{\frac{n_1}{\epsilon_r}} = \eta_0 \sqrt{\frac{1}{\epsilon_r}} = \frac{120\pi}{1.5} = 80\pi = 251.33$$

Snell's law:  $\theta_r = \theta_i = 60^\circ$

$$n_1 \sin \theta_i = n_2 \sin \theta_t \quad \begin{cases} \sin \theta_t = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} \\ \omega \theta_t = \frac{\pi}{3} \end{cases}$$

$$1 \cdot \sin 60^\circ = 1.5 \sin \theta_t \Rightarrow \theta_t = 38.264^\circ$$

$$k_1 = \omega \sqrt{\mu_0 \epsilon_0} = \frac{2\pi f}{c} = \frac{2\pi \times 10^9 \text{ Hz}}{3 \times 10^8 \text{ m/s}} = \frac{20}{3}\pi \text{ m}^{-1}$$

$$k_2 = \frac{2\pi f \sqrt{\epsilon_r}}{c} = \frac{2\pi \times 10^9 \text{ Hz} \times 1.5}{3 \times 10^8 \text{ m/s}} = 10\pi \text{ m}^{-1}$$

Incident Wave:

$$\vec{E}^i = \hat{y} E_0 e^{-j \frac{20}{3}\pi (x \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} + z \frac{1}{2})}$$

$$\vec{H}^i = (-\hat{x} \frac{1}{2} + \hat{z} \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}) \frac{E_0}{376.7} e^{-j \frac{20}{3}\pi (x \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} + z \frac{1}{2})}$$

$$\vec{E}(x, y, z, t) = \hat{y} E_0 \cos(2\pi \times 10^9 t - \frac{10\sqrt{3}}{3}\pi x - \frac{10}{3}\pi z)$$

$$\vec{H}(x, y, z, t) = (-\hat{x} \frac{1}{2} + \hat{z} \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}) \frac{E_0}{376.7} \cos(2\pi \times 10^9 t - \frac{10\sqrt{3}}{3}\pi x - \frac{10}{3}\pi z)$$

Reflected Wave:

$$T = \frac{y_2 \cos \theta_i - y_1 \cos \theta_t}{y_2 \cos \theta_i + y_1 \cos \theta_t} = \frac{80\pi \times \frac{1}{2} - 120\pi \times \frac{\sqrt{6}}{3}}{80\pi \times \frac{1}{2} + 120\pi \times \frac{\sqrt{6}}{3}} = -0.42$$

$$\tilde{E}^r = T E_0 = -0.42 E_0$$

$$\tilde{E}^r = \hat{y} (-0.42 E_0) e^{-j \frac{20}{3}\pi (x \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} - z \frac{1}{2})}$$

$$\tilde{H} = (\hat{x} \frac{1}{2} + \hat{z} \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}) (-1.11 \times 10^{-3} E_0) e^{-j \frac{20}{3}\pi (x \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} - z \frac{1}{2})}$$

$$\tilde{E}^r(x, y, z, t) = \hat{y} (-0.42 E_0) \cos(2\pi \times 10^9 t - \frac{10\sqrt{3}}{3}\pi x + \frac{10}{3}\pi z)$$

$$\tilde{H}^r(x, y, z, t) = (\hat{x} \cdot \frac{1}{2} + \hat{z} \cdot \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}) (-1.11 \times 10^{-3} E_0) \cos(2\pi \times 10^9 t - \frac{10\sqrt{3}}{3}\pi x + \frac{10}{3}\pi z)$$

Transmitted Wave:

$$T = \frac{2y_2 \cos \theta_i}{y_2 \cos \theta_i + y_1 \cos \theta_t} = \frac{2 \times 80\pi \times \frac{1}{2}}{80\pi \times \frac{1}{2} + 120\pi \times \frac{\sqrt{6}}{3}} = 0.58$$

$$E^t = T E_0 = 0.58 E_0$$

$$\tilde{E}^t = \hat{y} 0.58 E_0 e^{-j 10\pi (x \frac{\sqrt{3}}{3} + z \frac{\sqrt{6}}{3})}$$

$$\tilde{H}^t = (-\hat{x} \frac{\sqrt{6}}{3} + \hat{z} \frac{\sqrt{3}}{3}) (2.31 \times 10^{-3} E_0) e^{-j 10\pi (x \frac{\sqrt{3}}{3} + z \frac{\sqrt{6}}{3})}$$

$$\tilde{E}^t(x, y, z, t) = \hat{y} 0.58 E_0 \cos(2\pi \times 10^9 t - \frac{10\sqrt{3}}{3}\pi x - \frac{10\sqrt{6}}{3}\pi z)$$

$$\tilde{H}^t(x, y, z, t) = (-\hat{x} \frac{\sqrt{6}}{3} + \hat{z} \frac{\sqrt{3}}{3}) (2.31 \times 10^{-3} E_0)$$

$$\cos(2\pi \times 10^9 t - \frac{10\sqrt{3}}{3}\pi x - \frac{10\sqrt{6}}{3}\pi z)$$

$$\text{Ch T} = |z| \frac{z \eta_1}{\eta_2} X$$

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$$= (0.58)^2 \cdot \frac{120\pi}{80\pi} = 50.46\%$$

$\Rightarrow$  portion transmitted is 50.46%