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### ECE320 Fields and Waves

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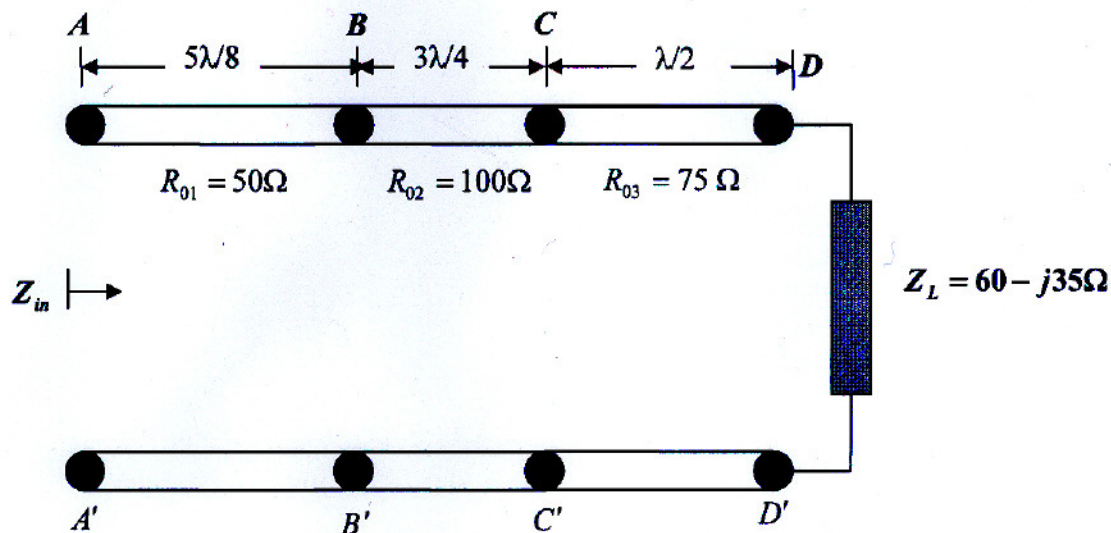
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$$\epsilon_0 = 8.854 \times 10^{-12} [F / m], \quad \mu_0 = 4\pi \times 10^{-7} [H / m], \quad c = 1/\sqrt{\epsilon_0 \mu_0} = 3 \times 10^8 [m / s]$$

**Problem 1:** Three lossless transmission lines having the same phase constant ( $\beta$ ) are connected as shown below. What is the input impedance as seen at  $AA'$  terminal? Show all your work (30 Points)



\* The segment CD is  $\lambda/2$  long so the input impedance seen at  $CC'$  is the same as the load  $Z_L \Rightarrow Z_{in}^{CC'} = Z_L = 60 - j35 \Omega$

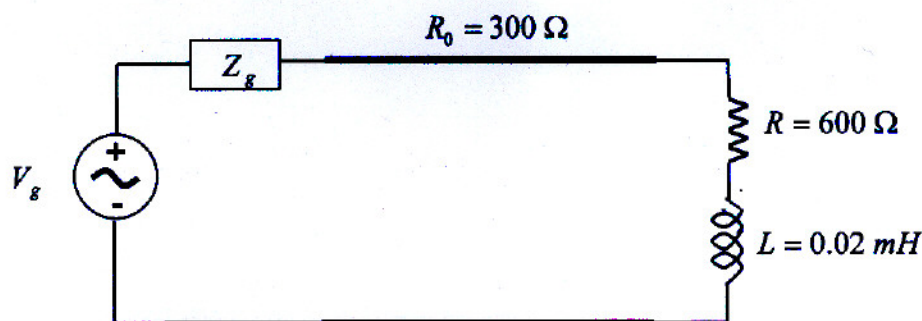
\* The segment BC is  $3\lambda/4$  long. From our note we know that for a  $3\lambda/4$  line  $Z_{in} = R_0^2 / Z_L$ . In our case then  $Z_{in}^{BB'} = \frac{(R_{02})^2}{Z_L} = \frac{(100)^2}{60 - j35} \Rightarrow j30.26$   
 $Z_{in}^{BB'} = 124.352 + j72.539 = 143.963 \angle$

\* The input impedance at  $AA'$  then is calculated from  $Z_{in}^{AA'} = R_{01} \frac{Z_{in}^{BB'} + jR_{01} \tan(\beta l)}{R_{01} + jZ_{in}^{BB'} \tan(\beta l)}$   
 For AB segment  $\beta l = \frac{2\pi}{\lambda} \frac{5\lambda}{8} = \frac{5\pi}{4} = \pi + \pi/4$   
 Hence  $\tan(\beta l) = \tan(\pi + \pi/4) = \tan \pi/4 = 1$  then

$$Z_{in}^{AA'} = 50 \frac{(124.352 + j72.539) + j50 \times 1}{50 + j(124.352 + j72.539) \times 1} = 38.929 - j57.056 - j55.70 = 69.072 \angle$$

**Problem 2:** A  $300\ \Omega$  lossless air (vacuum) transmission line is connected to a complex load composed of a resistor in series with an inductor, as shown in the figure. At  $5\text{ MHz}$ , Determine:

- Reflection coefficient at the load. (5 Pts)
- Standing wave ratio. (4 Pts)
- Location of voltage maximum nearest to the load. (8 Pts)
- Location of current maximum nearest to the load. (8 Pts)
- The values of the distributed capacitance ( $C$ ) and inductance ( $L$ ) associated with the transmission line. (10 Pts)



$$a) \Gamma_L = \frac{Z_L - R_0}{Z_L + R_0}; \quad Z_L = R + j\omega L, \quad \omega = 2\pi \times 5 \times 10^6 \text{ Hz} = \pi \times 10^7 \text{ Hz}$$

$$Z_L = 600 + j\pi \times 10^7 \times 0.02 \times 10^{-3} = 600 + j200\pi = 600 + j628.319$$

then

$$\Gamma_L = \frac{600 + j200\pi - 300}{600 + j200\pi + 300} = \frac{300 + j200\pi}{900 + j200\pi} = 0.552 + j0.313 = 0.634 e^{j29.56^\circ}$$

$$b) S = \frac{1 + |\Gamma|}{1 - |\Gamma|} = \frac{1 + 0.634}{1 - 0.634} = 4.464$$

$$c) \text{ For } |V|_{\max} \text{ we have } \theta_r - 2\beta z_{\max} = -2n\pi \quad n = 0, 1, 2, 3$$

$$\Rightarrow \theta_r - 2 \frac{2\pi}{\lambda} z_{\max} = -2n\pi \Rightarrow$$

$$\theta_r + 2n\pi = \frac{4\pi}{\lambda} z_{\max} \Rightarrow$$

$$\textcircled{1} \quad \frac{\lambda}{4\pi} (\theta_r + 2n\pi) = z_{\max} \quad \text{for our case}$$

$$\textcircled{2} \quad \boxed{\theta_r = \frac{29.56^\circ \times \pi}{180} = 0.164\pi} \Rightarrow$$

$$\lambda = \frac{2\pi}{k} \quad \text{and} \quad v_p = \frac{\omega}{\beta} \Rightarrow \beta = \frac{\omega}{v_p} = \frac{2\pi \nu}{c} \quad \text{when } v_p = c = 3 \times 10^8 \text{ m/s}$$

$$\text{then } \boxed{\lambda = \frac{2\pi c}{2\pi \nu} = \frac{c}{\nu} = \frac{3 \times 10^8}{5 \times 10^6} = 60 \text{ m}}$$

$$\text{from (1) \& (2)} \quad \frac{60}{4\pi} (0.164\pi + 2n\pi) = z_{\max} \quad n=0, 1/2$$

nearest maximum to lead is at  $n=0 \Rightarrow$

$$\boxed{z_{\max} = \frac{60}{4\pi} \times 0.164\pi = 2.46 \text{ meter}}$$

d) The location of current maximum is given by

$$\theta_r - 2\beta z_{\max}^{(I)} = -(2n+1)\pi \Rightarrow$$

$$\frac{\lambda}{4\pi} (\theta_r + (2n+1)\pi) = z_{\max}^{(I)} \Rightarrow \text{for nearest current max } n=0$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{60}{4\pi} (0.164\pi + \pi) = z_{\max}^{(I)} \Rightarrow \boxed{z_{\max}^{(I)} = 17.46 \text{ meter}}$$

\*Note you also could have solved the  $z_{\max}^{(I)}$  by stating that voltage max & current max are  $\lambda/4$  apart  $\Rightarrow$

If voltage max is at  $z_{\max}^{(V)} = 2.46$  then current max is at  $z_{\max}^{(I)} = 2.46 + \frac{\lambda}{4} = 2.46 + \frac{60}{4} = 17.46$  meter

e) we note  $v_p = \frac{\omega}{\beta} = \frac{\omega}{\omega \sqrt{LC}} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{LC}}$  here  $v_p = c = 3 \times 10^8 \Rightarrow$

$$c = \frac{1}{\sqrt{LC}} \Rightarrow \boxed{LC = \frac{1}{c^2}} \quad \text{also } Z_0 = \sqrt{\frac{L}{C}} \Rightarrow \boxed{Z_0^2 = \frac{L}{C}} \quad \text{(1) (2)}$$

$$(1) \Rightarrow L = \frac{1}{C^2 G} \text{ use (3) in (2)} \Rightarrow Z_0^2 = \frac{1}{C^2 G' G'} = \frac{1}{C^2 G'^2} \Rightarrow$$

$$G = \frac{1}{C Z_0} = \frac{1}{3 \times 10^8 \times 300} = 1.11 \times 10^{-11} \text{ F/m} \quad \text{from (3)}$$

$$L = \frac{1}{C^2 G} = \frac{1}{(3 \times 10^8)^2 \times 1.11 \times 10^{-11}} = 1 \times 10^{-6} \text{ H/m}$$

**Problem 3:** The wave equation for instantaneous voltage in a general transmission line is given by

$$\frac{\partial^2 v(z,t)}{\partial z^2} = LC \frac{\partial^2 v(z,t)}{\partial t^2} + (RC + LG) \frac{\partial v(z,t)}{\partial t} + RG v(z,t).$$

a) What is the wave equation for the instantaneous voltage in the case of lossless line? (5 Pts)

b) For the equation in part (a) we propose the following solution,  $v(z,t) = f(t)g(z)$ , where  $f(t)$  and  $g(z)$  are only functions of time and distance, respectively. What are the differential equations governing the behavior of  $f(t)$  and  $g(z)$ ? Show all your work and clearly state all your assumptions. (20 pts)

c) What are the possible solutions to the differential equation for  $g(z)$ , found in part (b)? (5 pts)

d) How do your results here compare to or relate to what we have studied in the class? (5 pts)

a) For lossless line  $R = G = 0 \Rightarrow$

$$\textcircled{1} \quad \frac{\partial^2 v(z,t)}{\partial z^2} = LC \frac{\partial^2 v(z,t)}{\partial t^2}$$

b)  $\textcircled{2}$  Let  $v(z,t) = f(t)g(z)$ , sub (2) in (1)  $\Rightarrow$

$$f(t) \frac{d^2 g(z)}{dz^2} = LC g(z) \frac{d^2 f(t)}{dt^2} \Rightarrow \boxed{\frac{1}{g(z)} \frac{d^2 g(z)}{dz^2} = \frac{LC}{f(t)} \frac{d^2 f(t)}{dt^2}} \quad \textcircled{3}$$

For (3) to be true for all  $t$  &  $z$  each term on (3) must be equal to a constant (say  $m$ ) where  $b$  constant we mean  $m$  is independent of  $t$  &  $z$ , then

$$\frac{1}{g(z)} \frac{d^2 g(z)}{dz^2} = m \Rightarrow \boxed{\frac{d^2 g(z)}{dz^2} = m g(z)} \quad \textcircled{4}$$

$$\frac{LC}{f(t)} \frac{d^2 f(t)}{dt^2} = m \Rightarrow \boxed{\frac{d^2 f(t)}{dt^2} = \frac{m}{LC} f(t)} \quad \textcircled{5}$$

c) For  $\frac{d^2 g(z)}{dz^2} = m g(z)$  i.e.  $g(z)$  can be given by  $g(z) = A_0 e^{\sqrt{m} z}$

or  $g(z) = B_0 e^{-\sqrt{m} z}$  or in general

(7)  $g(z) = A_0 e^{\sqrt{m} z} + B_0 e^{-\sqrt{m} z}$  where  $A_0$  &  $B_0$  are constant with respect to  $z$ .

d) In class we have seen that wave equation for lossless line for phasor  $\bar{V}(z)$  was given by

(8)  $\frac{d^2 \bar{V}(z)}{dz^2} = -\beta^2 \bar{V}(z)$  from (8) & (6) we see that our

$m$  here is  $m = -\beta^2 \Rightarrow \sqrt{m} = j\beta$  & hence Eq (7)

Can be written as -  
(9)  $\bar{V}(z) = A_0 e^{j\beta z} + B_0 e^{-j\beta z}$  which is the same

we have found in class with  $A_0 = V_0^+$  &  $B_0 = V_0^-$

Remark: Show that solutions to (5) i.e.  $f(t)$  can also be written as

$f(t) = C_0 e^{j\omega t} + D_0 e^{-j\omega t}$  where  $C_0$  &  $D_0$  are constant