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MODULE NO: EEE6012

Date: Thursday 13th January 2022

Time: 10:00 – 12:30

INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES:

There are FIVE questions.

Answer any ANY FOUR questions.

All questions carry equal marks.

Marks for parts of questions are shown
in brackets.

Formula sheets are included in the
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Q1

a) Given point $P(-2, 6, 3)$ and vector $\mathbf{A} = y\mathbf{a}_x + (x + z)\mathbf{a}_y$:

(i) Express P and \mathbf{A} in cylindrical and spherical coordinates.

(4 marks)

(ii) Evaluate \mathbf{A} at P in the Cartesian, cylindrical, and spherical systems.

(5 marks)

Two point charges 4 nC and -3 nC are located at $(1, 0, 4)$ and $(-3, 0, 2)$, respectively.

(i) Determine the force on a 1 nC point charge located at $(1, 2, -6)$.

(7 marks)

(ii) Find the electric field \mathbf{E} at $(1, 2, -6)$.

(1 mark)

b) A point charge of 30 nC is located at the origin, while plane $y = 3$ carries charge 10 nC/m^2 . Find \mathbf{D} at $(0, 4, 3)$ and at $(1, 3, 2)$.

(8 marks)

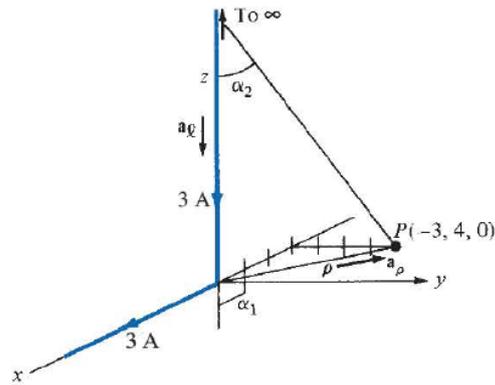
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Q2

- a) Find H at $(-3, 4, 0)$ due to the current filament shown in Figure 1.



(10 marks)

Figure 1

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Q2 continued...

b) The solenoid shown in Figure 2 has 2000 turns, a length of 75 cm, and a radius of 5 cm. If it carries a current of 50 mA along at a_ϕ , find \mathbf{H} at

i) (0,0,0)

(3 marks)

ii) (0, 0, 75 cm)

(2 marks)

iii) (0, 0, 50 cm)

(2 marks)

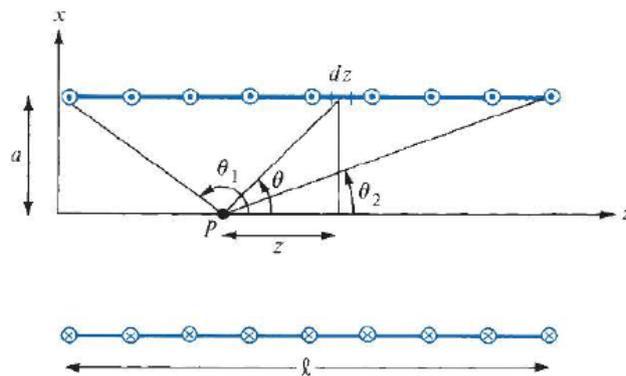


Figure 2

c) A circular loop located on $x^2 + y^2 = 9$, $z = 0$ carries a direct current of 10 A along a_ϕ . Determine magnetic field intensity \mathbf{H} at (0, 0, 4) and (0, 0,-4).

(8 marks)

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Q3.

- a) The electric field (E) and magnetic field (H) in free space are given by the following expressions

$$E = \frac{50}{\rho} \cos(10^6 t + \beta z) a_\phi \text{ V/m} \quad H = \frac{H_0}{\rho} \cos(10^6 t + \beta z) a_\rho \text{ A/m}$$

By expressing them in phasor form, determine and analyse

- i) Value of constant β such that the fields satisfy Maxwell's equations. **(5 marks)**
- ii) Value of constant H_0 in the given field H to satisfy Maxwell's equations **(5 marks)**
- b) In a medium characterized by $\sigma=0$, $\mu=\mu_0$, $\epsilon=4\epsilon_0$, and $E=20 \sin(10^8 t - \beta z) a_y \text{ V/m}$
 Calculate β and **H**. **(10 marks)**
- c) Given that $A=10 \cos(10^8 t - 10x + 60^\circ) a_z$ and $B_s=(20/j) a_x + 10 e^{j2\pi x/3} a_y$, express A in phasor form, and B_s in instantaneous form. **(5 marks)**

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Q4.

a) An electric field in free space, $\mathbf{E} = 50\cos(10^8t + \beta x)\mathbf{a}_y$ V/m

(i) Find the direction of wave propagation.

(1 mark)

(ii) Calculate β and the time it takes to travel a distance of $\lambda/2$.

(3 marks)

(iii) Sketch the wave at time $t = 0, T/4, T/2$.

(6 marks)

b) In free space $\mathbf{H} = 0.2 \cos(\omega t - \beta x) \mathbf{a}_z$ A/m. Find the total power passing through:

(i) A square plate of side 0.1m on plane $x+y=1$

(2 marks)

(ii) A circular disk of radius 0.05 m on plane $x=1$.

(2 marks)

c) A certain transmission line 2m long operating at $\omega = 10^6$ rad/s has $\alpha = 8$ dB/m, $\beta = 1$ rad/m, and $Z_0 = 60 + j40 \Omega$. If the line is connected to a source of $10 \angle 0^\circ$ V, $Z_g = 40 \Omega$ and terminated by a load of $20 + j50 \Omega$.

Determine

(i) The input impedance

(4 marks)

(ii) The sending-end current

(2 marks)

(iii) The current at the middle of the line

(5 marks)

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Q5.

a) Assume that a rectangular waveguide is operating in an isotropic, homogeneous dielectric with negligible magnetic properties in TM_{13} mode for which $a=0.015$ m, $b= 0.008$ m, $\sigma = 0$, $\mu = \mu_0$ and $\epsilon = 4\epsilon_0$, $H_x = 2 \sin(\pi x/a) \cos(3\pi y/b) \sin(10^{11}\pi t - \beta z)$ A/m. Determine

(i) Cut off frequency and phase constant, β

(6 marks)

(ii) Propagation constant γ and intrinsic wave impedance η

(4 marks)

b) A standard air-filled rectangular waveguide with dimensions $a = 8.636$ cm, $b = 4.318$ cm is fed by a 4 GHz carrier from a coaxial cable. Determine whether a TE_{10} mode will be propagated. If so, calculate the phase velocity and the group velocity.

(5 marks)

(c) A brass waveguide ($\sigma_c = 1.1 \times 10^7$ S/m) of dimensions $a = 0.042$ m, $b = 0.015$ m is filled with Teflon ($\epsilon_r = 2.6$, $\sigma = 10^{-15}$ S/m). The operating frequency is 9 GHz. For the TE_{10} mode:

(i) Calculate α_d and α_c

(5 marks)

(ii) Find the loss in decibels in the guide if it is 0.40 m long.

(5 marks)

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EQUATION SHEET

Constants: $\epsilon_0 = 8.852 \times 10^{-12}$ F/m, $\mu_0 = 4 \pi \times 10^{-7}$ H/m

Co-ordinate systems:

$$r = \sqrt{\rho^2 + z^2}$$

$$\theta = \tan^{-1}(\rho/z)$$

$$\sin \theta = \rho / \sqrt{\rho^2 + z^2}$$

$$\cos \theta = z / \sqrt{\rho^2 + z^2}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} A_\rho \\ A_\phi \\ A_z \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \sin \theta & \cos \theta & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \\ \cos \theta & -\sin \theta & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} A_r \\ A_\theta \\ A_\phi \end{bmatrix}$$

Capacitors:

$$C_1 = \alpha \epsilon_0 \epsilon_{r1} l / 2.303 \log_{10} (r/r_1)$$

$$C_2 = \alpha \epsilon_0 \epsilon_{r2} l / 2.303 \log_{10} (r_2/r)$$

$$V_1 = VC_2 / (C_1 + C_2)$$

$$V_2 = VC_1 / (C_1 + C_2)$$

Electrostatics:

$$C = \frac{\epsilon_0 \epsilon_r A}{d}$$

$$C_T = \frac{C_1 C_2}{C_1 + C_2}$$

$$Q = CV$$

$$D = \frac{Q}{A}$$

$$E = \frac{D}{\epsilon_0 \epsilon_r}$$

$$V(\mathbf{r}) = \frac{\mathbf{p} \cdot (\mathbf{r} - \mathbf{r}')}{4\pi \epsilon_0 |\mathbf{r} - \mathbf{r}'|^3}$$

$$V = E \times d$$

$$Q = \oint_S \mathbf{D} \cdot d\mathbf{S} = \int_V \rho_v dv$$

$$\vec{\mathbf{F}} = \frac{Q}{4\pi \epsilon_0} \sum_{k=1}^N \frac{Q_k (\mathbf{r} - \mathbf{r}_k)}{|\mathbf{r} - \mathbf{r}_k|^3}$$

$$\vec{\mathbf{E}} = \frac{\vec{\mathbf{F}}}{q}$$

$$Q = \int_S \rho_s dS$$

$$V(\mathbf{r}) = \frac{Q}{4\pi \epsilon_0 |\mathbf{r} - \mathbf{r}'|}$$

$$W = -Q \int_L \mathbf{E} \cdot d\mathbf{l}$$

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Magnetostatics:

$$\mathbf{H} = \frac{I}{4\pi\rho} (\cos \alpha_2 - \cos \alpha_1) \mathbf{a}_\phi$$

Ampere circuital law :

$$d\mathbf{H} = \frac{I d\mathbf{l} \times \mathbf{a}_R}{4\pi R^2}$$

$$L = \frac{\lambda}{I} = \frac{N\Psi}{I}$$

$$B_1 = \mu I \rho / 2\pi a^2 \quad (\text{for } 0 \leq \rho \leq a)$$

$$B_2 = \mu I / 2\pi \rho \quad (\text{for } a \leq \rho \leq b)$$

\mathbf{H}

$$= \begin{cases} \frac{I\rho}{2\pi a^2} \mathbf{a}_\phi, & 0 \leq \rho \leq a \\ \frac{I}{2\pi\rho} \mathbf{a}_\phi, & a \leq \rho \leq b \\ \frac{I}{2\pi\rho} \left[1 - \frac{\rho^2 - b^2}{t^2 + 2bt} \right] \mathbf{a}_\phi & b \leq \rho \leq b+t \\ 0, & \rho \geq b+t \end{cases}$$

$$\mathbf{a}_\phi = \mathbf{a}_\ell \times \mathbf{a}_\rho$$

Maxwell's Equations

$$\nabla \cdot \mathbf{E}_s = 0$$

$$\nabla \cdot \mathbf{H}_s = 0$$

$$\nabla \times \mathbf{H}_s = j\omega\epsilon_0\mathbf{E}_s$$

$$\nabla \times \mathbf{E}_s = -j\omega\mu_0\mathbf{H}_s$$

$$\omega/\beta = c/\sqrt{\mu_r\epsilon_r}$$

$$E_0/H_0 = \sqrt{(\mu_0\mu_r/\epsilon_0\epsilon_r)}$$

$$\text{charge density, } \rho = \nabla \cdot \mathbf{D} = \frac{1}{r} \frac{\partial}{\partial r} (r\mathbf{D}_r) + \frac{1}{r} \frac{\partial \mathbf{D}_\theta}{\partial \theta} + \frac{\partial \mathbf{D}_z}{\partial z}$$

EM wave propagation and Transmission lines

$$\epsilon_r = \beta^2 / (\omega^2 \mu_0 \mu_r \epsilon_0)$$

$$\eta = \sqrt{(\mu/\epsilon)}$$

$$P_{\text{avg}} = \mathbf{E} \times \mathbf{H}$$

$$P_{\text{total}} = \int P_{\text{avg}} \cdot d\mathbf{S}$$

$$\gamma = \alpha + j\beta$$

$$Z_{\text{in}} = Z_0 \left(\frac{Z_L + Z_0 \tanh \gamma \ell}{Z_0 + Z_L \tanh \gamma \ell} \right)$$

$$k(z=0) = \frac{V_g}{Z_{\text{in}} + Z_g}$$

$$V_o = Z_{\text{in}} I_o$$

$$V_o^+ = \frac{1}{2} (V_o + Z_o I_o)$$

$$V_o^- = \frac{1}{2} (V_o - Z_o I_o)$$

$$I_s(z = \ell/2) = \frac{V_o^+}{Z_o} e^{-\gamma z} - \frac{V_o^-}{Z_o} e^{\gamma z}$$

$$\text{phase velocity, } v = \frac{\omega}{\beta} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{\mu\epsilon}}$$

$$\nabla \times \vec{E} = -\frac{\partial \vec{B}}{\partial t} = -\mu_0 \frac{\partial \vec{H}}{\partial t}$$

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Waveguides and Optical Fibres:

$$f_{c_{mn}} = \frac{u'}{2} \sqrt{\frac{m^2}{a^2} + \frac{n^2}{b^2}}$$

$$u' = \frac{1}{\sqrt{\mu\epsilon}}$$

$$\beta = \omega \sqrt{\mu\epsilon} \sqrt{1 - \left[\frac{f_c}{f}\right]^2}$$

$$\gamma = j\beta$$

$$\eta_{TM_{mn}} = \eta' \sqrt{1 - \left[\frac{f_c}{f}\right]^2}$$

For the TE₁₀ mode

$$\alpha_d = \frac{\sigma\eta'}{2\sqrt{1 - \left[\frac{f_c}{f}\right]^2}}$$

Numerical aperture, NA = Sin θ_a = √(n₁² - n₂²)

$$V = \pi d \sqrt{(n_1^2 - n_2^2)/\lambda}$$

No: of modes, N = V²/2

$$\alpha_l = 10 \log_{10}[P(0)/P(l)]$$

$$T = 2\pi/\omega$$

$$\lambda = Nt$$

$$\beta = 2\pi/\lambda$$

$$f_c = \frac{u'}{2a}$$

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

$$R_s = \frac{1}{\sigma_c \delta} = \sqrt{\frac{\pi f \mu}{\sigma_c}}$$

For the TE₁₀ mode

$$\alpha_c = \frac{2R_s}{b\eta' \sqrt{1 - \left[\frac{f_c}{f}\right]^2}} \left(0.5 + \frac{b}{a} \left[\frac{f_c}{f}\right]^2\right)$$

$$\alpha = \alpha_d + \alpha_c$$

$$P_a = (P_d + P_a) e^{-2\alpha z}$$

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