

Assignment #11 Solutions

8.1) Condition is that if $l/\lambda \geq 0.01$, we should include the line in our analysis

$$\frac{l}{\lambda} = \frac{lf}{c}$$

a) $\frac{lf}{c} = 6.667 \times 10^{-6} \Rightarrow$ can confidently ignore T.L. effects

b) $\frac{lf}{c} = 0.01 \Rightarrow$ This is borderline, so decision will depend on how accurate a calculation we want

c) $\frac{lf}{c} = 0.2 \Rightarrow$ Should include T.L. effects

d) $\frac{lf}{c} = \frac{1}{3} \Rightarrow$ include T.L. effects

8.2) Coaxial line given: $b = 1.0 \text{ cm}/2$ $a = 0.5 \text{ cm}/2$

insulator: $\mu = 1$ $\epsilon_r = 2.25$ $\sigma = 10^{-3} \text{ S/m}$

conductor: $\mu_c = \mu_0$ $\sigma_c = 5.8 \times 10^7 \text{ S/m}$

$$\underline{f_0 = 1 \times 10^9 \text{ Hz}}$$

$$\ln(b/a) = \ln((0.01 \text{ m}/2) / (0.005 \text{ m}/2)) = \ln(2)$$

$$R' = \frac{R_s}{2\pi} \left(\frac{1}{a} + \frac{1}{b} \right) = \frac{\sqrt{f \mu_c}}{\sqrt{4\pi \sigma_c}} \left(\frac{1}{a} + \frac{1}{b} \right) = \frac{10^9 \cdot (1.2566 \times 10^{-6})}{\sqrt{4 \cdot \pi \cdot (5.8 \times 10^7)}} \cdot \left(\frac{2}{0.005} + \frac{2}{0.01} \right)$$
$$= 0.7878 \Omega/\text{m}$$

$$L' = \frac{\mu}{2\pi} \ln(b/a) = \frac{1.2566 \times 10^{-6}}{2\pi} \cdot \ln(2) = 1.3863 \times 10^{-7} \text{ H/m}$$

$$G' = \frac{2\pi \sigma}{\ln(b/a)} = \frac{2\pi (10^{-3})}{\ln(2)} = 9.065 \times 10^{-3} \text{ S/m}$$

$$C' = \frac{2\pi \epsilon}{\ln(b/a)} = \frac{2\pi \epsilon_r \epsilon_0}{\ln(2)} = \frac{2\pi (2.25) (8.854 \times 10^{-12})}{\ln(2)} = 1.806 \times 10^{-10} \text{ F/m}$$

8.3) Parallel Plate: $f_0 = 10^9 \text{ Hz}$

$$w_c = 1.5 \text{ cm} \quad d_i = 0.2 \text{ cm}$$

$$\text{copper: } \mu_c = \mu_0 \quad \sigma_c = 5.8 \times 10^7$$

$$\text{insulator: } \epsilon_r = 2.6, \quad \mu = \mu_0, \quad \sigma \approx 0$$

$$R'_s = \frac{2R_s}{w_c} = \frac{2}{w_c} \sqrt{\frac{\pi f \mu_c}{\sigma_c}} = \frac{2}{(1.5 \times 10^{-2})} \sqrt{\frac{\pi (10^9) (4\pi \cdot 10^{-7})}{5.8 \times 10^7}} = 1.091 \, \Omega/\text{m}$$

$$L' = \frac{\mu d}{w} = \frac{(4\pi \times 10^{-7}) (0.2 \times 10^{-2})}{(1.5 \times 10^{-2})} = 1.6755 \times 10^{-7} \text{ H/m}$$

$$G' = \frac{\sigma w}{d} = \frac{(0) (1.5 \times 10^{-2})}{(0.2 \times 10^{-2})} = 0$$

$$C' = \frac{\epsilon w}{d} = \frac{2.6 (8.854 \times 10^{-12}) (1.5 \times 10^{-2})}{0.2 \times 10^{-2}} = 1.7265 \times 10^{-10} \text{ F/m}$$

8.5) From 8.2) $f_0 = 1 \times 10^9 \text{ Hz}$

$$R' = 0.7878 \, \Omega/\text{m} \quad L' = 1.3863 \times 10^{-7} \text{ H/m}$$

$$G' = 9.065 \times 10^{-3} \text{ S/m} \quad C' = 1.806 \times 10^{-10} \text{ F/m}$$

$$\begin{aligned} R' + j\omega L' &= 0.7878 + j(2\pi \times 10^9)(1.3863 \times 10^{-7}) = 0.7878 + j871.04 \\ &= 871.04 e^{j1.5696} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} G' + j\omega C' &= 9.065 \times 10^{-3} + j2\pi \cdot 10^9 \cdot 1.806 \times 10^{-10} = 9.065 \times 10^{-3} + j1.1347 \\ &= 1.1348 e^{j1.5628} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \sqrt{(R' + j\omega L')(G' + j\omega C')} &= \sqrt{(988.46) e^{j(1.5696 + 1.5628)}} = \sqrt{9.8846 \times 10^2} e^{j\frac{3.1324}{2}} \\ &= 31.44 e^{j1.5662} = 0.14451 + j31.439 \end{aligned}$$

$$\therefore \alpha = 0.1445 \, 1/\text{m} \quad \beta = 31.439 \, \text{rad/m}$$

$$Z_0 = \sqrt{\frac{R' + j\omega L'}{G' + j\omega C'}} = \sqrt{\frac{871.04}{1.1348} e^{j(1.5696 - 1.5628)}} = 27.705 e^{j0.00682}$$

$$\approx 27.7 + j0.1$$

- ~~the~~ imaginary part is sensitive to how many digits you carry through the problem.

$$V_p = \frac{\omega}{\beta} = \frac{2\pi f_0}{\beta} = \frac{2\pi(10^9)}{31.439} \approx 2 \times 10^8 \text{ m/s}$$