

# Package ‘LMR’

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**Description** Lossy mode resonance (LMR) is a physical phenomenon recently exploited for fiber optic sensing. LMR-based devices are widely used for detecting refractive index variation, humidity, pH (acidity or basicity of an aqueous solution), chemical or biological species, gases or even voltage. Two main types of geometries can be distinguished: prism-based and waveguide-based. In both cases, however, the manufacture as well as prototype development of the sensor requires a very precise and at the same time expensive technology. Therefore, reliable and fast modeling of these devices is desired to reduce costs of their investigation, designing and production. LMR is an R-toolbox for simulating LMR sensors of straight-core geometry (which is the most common type of waveguide-based one). The mathematical model is based mainly on geometrical optics. In addition, for determining the reflection coefficients from stratified media, the equations of classical electromagnetism and transfer matrix method were used.

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**URL** <https://github.com/KrzyGajow/LMR>

**BugReports** <https://github.com/KrzyGajow/LMR/issues>

**Depends** R (>= 3.5.0)

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doRNG,  
doSNOW,  
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purrr,  
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readr,

shiny,  
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consoleLMR	<i>consoleLMR</i>
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**Description**

Theoretical modelling of lossy mode resonance (LMR)

**Usage**

consoleLMR(waveMin, waveMax, waveStep, coreD, L, dL, Layers, angleMax)

**Arguments**

waveMin	Wavelength start [um].
waveMax	Wavelength end [um].
waveStep	Wavelength step [um].
coreD	Core diameter [um].
L	Length of the modified region [um].
dL	Thickness of the coating layers [nm].
Layers	Layers.
angleMax	Maximum skewness angle [deg].

**Details**

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**Value**

Data frame with the wavelength and real part of the transmittance.

**Examples**

```
## Not run:
waveMin <- 0.85
waveMax <- 1.65
waveStep <- 0.01
temperature <- 300
coreD <- 200
L <- 40000
angleMax <- 90
thickLayers <- c( 220 )
```

```
Cladding <- function( lambda, temperature ){
```

```
  a1 <- 0.6961663
  a2 <- 0.4079426
  a3 <- 0.8974794
  b1 <- 0.0684043
  b2 <- 0.1162414
  b3 <- 9.896161
```

```
  cladding <- sqrt(1.0+(a1*lambda^2/(lambda^2-b1^2))+(a2*lambda^2/(lambda^2-b2^2))+(a3*lambda^2/(lambda^2-b3^2)))
```

```
  thermal_drift <- 1+1.28e-5 * temperature
  thermal_drift <- 1
  cladding <- cladding * thermal_drift
```

```
  return( cladding )
```

```
}
```

```
Core <- function( lambda, temperature, cladding ){
```

```
  core <- 1.0036 * cladding
```

```
  return( core )
```

```
}
```

```
L1 <- function( lambda, temperature ){
```

```
  lambda <- lambda*10^(-6)
```

```
  epsinf <- 3.5
```

```
  tau <- 6.58e-15
```

```
  omegap <- 1.533e15
```

```
  vlight <- 3*10^8
```

```
  omega <- 2.0 * pi * vlight/ lambda
```

```
  eps <- epsinf - omegap^2 / ( omega^2 + 1i*(omega/tau) )
```

```

res <- sqrt(eps)

thermal_drift <- 1.0 - 1.49e-4 * temperature
thermal_drift <- 1
res <- res * thermal_drift

return( res )

}

Layers <- data.frame( lambda = seq( waveMin, waveMax, by = waveStep ) )
Layers$Cladding <- Cladding( Layers$lambda, temperature )
Layers$Sensing <- 1
Layers$Core <- Core( Layers$lambda, temperature, Layers$Cladding )
Layers$Layers1 <- L1( Layers$lambda, temperature )

Layers$Sensing <- 1.436
Result436 <- consoleLMR( waveMin, waveMax, waveStep, coreD, L, thickLayers, Layers, angleMax )
Layers$Sensing <- 1.422
Result422 <- consoleLMR( waveMin, waveMax, waveStep, coreD, L, thickLayers, Layers, angleMax )
Layers$Sensing <- 1.321
Result321 <- consoleLMR( waveMin, waveMax, waveStep, coreD, L, thickLayers, Layers, angleMax )

plot( x = Result436$Wavelength, y = Result436$Transmittance, ylim = range( c(Result436$Transmittance,
                                                                           Result422$Transmittance,
                                                                           Result321$Transmittance) ),
      type = "l", xlab = "Wavelength", ylab = "Transmittance", col = "blue" )
lines( x = Result422$Wavelength, y = Result422$Transmittance, col = "green" )
lines( x = Result321$Wavelength, y = Result321$Transmittance, col = "purple" )

## End(Not run)

```

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RefInd

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*List of refractive indices*


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## Description

List of refractive indices

## Usage

RefInd

## Format

A data frame with 67 rows and 4 columns:

**Name**

**lambda**

**Index**

**Info**

**Source**

<[https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/List\\_of\\_refractive\\_indices](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/List_of_refractive_indices)>

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*runShinyLMR**runShinyLMR*

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**Description**

Function to run Shiny application

**Usage**

```
runShinyLMR(launch.browser = TRUE)
```

**Arguments**

`launch.browser` By default Shiny application is opened in the default browser.

**Details**

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**Examples**

```
## Not run:  
runShinyLMR()  
  
## End(Not run)
```

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