Exam 3

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1. (a) The average power density (assuming propagation is occurring in the $\hat{\mathbf{z}}$ direction) may be defined as:

$$S_{avg} = \frac{|\vec{E}|^2}{2|\eta|} \hat{\mathbf{z}}$$

We know that the incident wave occurs in air, and that, for air, $\eta = \sqrt{\mu_o/\varepsilon_o} = 376.819[\Omega]$. This gives us:

$$S_{avg} = \frac{|1750|^2}{2 \cdot 376.819}$$

$$S_{avg} = 4.064 \left[\frac{\text{kW}}{\text{m}^2} \right]$$

(b) First and foremost, we must check whether sea water is a good conductor. Given the parameters, we write:

$$\frac{\sigma}{\omega\varepsilon} = \frac{3.5}{2\pi(35 \cdot 10^6)(50)(8.85 \cdot 10^{-12})}$$
$$\frac{\sigma}{\omega\varepsilon} = 35.967$$

Since 35.967 >> 1, we know it is a good conductor. Thus, the wave impedance in the water may be found using:

$$\eta = (1+j)\frac{\alpha}{\sigma}$$

We can find the attenuation constant using:

$$\alpha = \sqrt{\pi f \mu \sigma}$$

$$\alpha = \sqrt{\pi (35 \cdot 10^6)(4\pi \cdot 10^{-7})(3.5)}$$

$$\alpha \approx 22 \left[\frac{\mathrm{Np}}{\mathrm{m}} \right]$$

Furthermore, since this is a good conductor, we may write:

$$\beta \approx \alpha \approx 22 \left[\frac{\text{rad}}{\text{m}} \right]$$

Thus, the impedance becomes:

$$\eta = (1+j)\frac{22}{3.5}$$
$$\eta = 6.286 + 6.286j$$

(c) The reflection coefficient may be written as:

$$\Gamma = \frac{\eta_2 - \eta_1}{\eta_2 + \eta_1}$$

$$\Gamma = \frac{(6.286 + 6.286j) - 376.819}{(6.286 + 6.286j) + 376.819}$$

$$\Gamma = -.9667 + .03227j$$

(d) The transmission coefficient may be defined as:

$$\tau = 1 + \Gamma$$

$$\tau = 1 + (-.9667 + .03227j)$$

$$\tau = .033\overline{3} + .03227j$$

(e) We can find the average power density of the reflected wave using:

$$S_{avg,r} = |\Gamma|^2 S_{avg,i}$$

This gives:

$$S_{avg,r} = (.93555)S_{avg,i}$$
$$S_{avg,r} = 3.802 \left[\frac{\text{kW}}{\text{m}^2} \right]$$

(f) Since we know $1[\mu V m^{-1}]$ is necessary, we may write:

$$|\tau|E_o e^{-\alpha z} = . \cdot 10^{-6}$$

$$(.0464)(1750)e^{-22z} = 10^{-6}$$

$$e^{-22z} = \frac{10^{-6}}{81.2}$$

$$-22z = \ln(1.2315 \cdot 10^{-8})$$

$$z = .8278[m]$$

(g) We can use a formula implementing our answer from part (a):

$$S_t = |\tau|^2 S_i e^{-44z}$$

$$S_t = |\sqrt{.0333^2 + .0322^2}|^2 (4064) e^{-44(.8278)}$$

$$S_t = 1.325 \cdot 10^{-15} \left[\frac{W}{m^2} \right]$$

2. (a) The wave number may be defined by the coefficients of the exponential:

$$k = \sqrt{2^2 + 3^2}$$
$$k = 3.61 \left[\frac{\text{rad}}{\text{m}} \right]$$

We know that:

$$k = \frac{2\pi}{\lambda}$$

In air, this gives us:

$$\lambda = \frac{2\pi}{k}$$

$$\lambda = \frac{2\pi}{(3.61)}$$

$$\lambda = 1.74[\text{m}]$$

(b) From part (a), we can find ω and f:

$$\omega = \frac{2\pi}{\lambda}$$

This then gives us:

$$\omega = \frac{2\pi}{5.8 \cdot 10^{-9}}$$

$$\omega = 1.083 \cdot 10^9 \left[\frac{\text{rad}}{\text{s}} \right]$$

Or:

$$f = 172.365 \, [MHz]$$

(c) The incidence angle can be found according to:

$$\theta_i = \tan^{-1}\left(\frac{2}{3}\right)$$

$$\theta_i = 33.69^{\circ}$$

(d) We can find the electric field via the formula:

$$E = -\eta(\hat{\mathbf{n}} \times H)$$

where $\hat{\mathbf{n}}$ is the direction of propagation. This gives:

$$E = -376.819e^{-j(2x+3z)} \begin{vmatrix} \hat{\mathbf{x}} & \hat{\mathbf{y}} & \hat{\mathbf{z}} \\ 1 & 0 & 1 \\ 12 & -14 & -8 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$E = -376.819e^{-j(2x+3z)} (14\hat{\mathbf{x}} + 20\hat{\mathbf{y}} - 14\hat{\mathbf{z}})(10^{-3})$$

$$E = (-5.276\hat{\mathbf{x}} - 7.536\hat{\mathbf{y}} + 5.276\hat{\mathbf{z}})e^{-j(2x+3z)} \left[\frac{\mathbf{V}}{\mathbf{m}} \right]$$

(e) Since $\mu_1 = \mu_2$, we can find the perpendicular components as:

$$\Gamma_{\perp} = \frac{\cos(\theta_i) - \sqrt{(\varepsilon_2/\varepsilon_1) - \sin^2(\theta_i)}}{\cos(\theta_i) + \sqrt{(\varepsilon_2/\varepsilon_1) - \sin^2(\theta_i)}}$$

This gives us:

$$\Gamma_{\perp} = \frac{\cos(33.69) - \sqrt{(3.5) - \sin^2(33.69)}}{\cos(33.69) + \sqrt{(3.5) - \sin^2(33.69)}}$$
$$\Gamma_{\perp} = -.365$$

According to $\tau_{\perp} = 1 + \Gamma_{\perp}$, we get:

$$\tau_{\perp} = .635$$

For the parallel reflection, we may write:

$$\Gamma_{\parallel} = \frac{-(\varepsilon_2/\varepsilon_1)\cos(\theta_i) + \sqrt{(\varepsilon_2/\varepsilon_1) - \sin^2(\theta_i)}}{(\varepsilon_2/\varepsilon_1)\cos(\theta_i) + \sqrt{(\varepsilon_2/\varepsilon_1) - \sin^2(\theta_i)}}$$

This gives us:

$$\Gamma_{\parallel} = \frac{-(3.5)\cos(33.69) + \sqrt{(3.5) - \sin^2(33.69)}}{(3.5)\cos(33.69) + \sqrt{(3.5) - \sin^2(33.69)}}$$
$$\boxed{\Gamma_{\parallel} = -.24}$$

We also know:

$$\tau_{\parallel} = (1 + \Gamma_{\parallel}) \frac{\cos(\theta_i)}{\cos(\theta_t)}$$

From Snell's law, we may write:

$$\theta_t = \sin^{-1}\left(\frac{n_1}{n_2}\sin(33.69)\right)$$
$$\theta_t = \sin^{-1}\left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{3.5}}\sin(33.69)\right)$$
$$\theta_t = 17.35 \,[\circ]$$

Plugging this back in, we get:

$$\tau_{\parallel} = (1 + (-.24)) \frac{\cos(33.69)}{\cos(17.35)}$$
$$\tau_{\parallel} = .662$$

(f) First, we find the parallel component of the reflected wave:

$$\Gamma_{\parallel} E_i = -.24 E_i$$

$$\Gamma_{\parallel} E_i = -.24 (\sqrt{2 \cdot 5.276^2})$$

This gives us:

$$E_{r,\parallel} = -1.79 \left[\frac{\mathrm{V}}{\mathrm{m}} \right]$$

Next, we find the perpendicular component:

$$\Gamma_{\perp} E_i = -.365 E_i$$

$$\Gamma_{\perp} E_i = -.365(-7.54)$$

This gives us:

$$E_{r,\perp} = 2.75 \left[\frac{\text{V}}{\text{m}} \right]$$

We then unite these to get the overall reflected wave:

$$E_r = ((-1.79\cos(33.69))\hat{\mathbf{x}} + (2.75)\hat{\mathbf{y}} + (-1.79\sin(33.69))\hat{\mathbf{z}})e^{-3.61j(\cos(33.69)x - \sin(33.69)z)}$$

$$E_r = (-1.5\hat{\mathbf{x}} + 2.75\hat{\mathbf{y}} - \hat{\mathbf{z}})e^{-j(2x-3z)} \left[\frac{\mathbf{V}}{\mathbf{m}}\right]$$

(g) First, we find the parallel component of the transmitted wave:

$$au_{\parallel} E_i = .662 E_i$$

$$au_{\parallel} E_i = .662 \sqrt{2 \cdot 5.276^2}$$

This gives us:

$$E_{t,\parallel} = 4.94 \left[\frac{\mathrm{V}}{\mathrm{m}} \right]$$

Next, we find the perpendicular component:

$$\tau_{\perp} E_i = .635 E_i$$

$$\tau_{\perp} E_i = .635(-7.54)$$

This gives us:

$$E_{t,\perp} = -4.79 \left[\frac{\mathrm{V}}{\mathrm{m}} \right]$$

We then unite these to get the overall transmitted wave:

$$E_t = ((4.94\cos(17.35))\hat{\mathbf{x}} - 4.79\hat{\mathbf{y}} + (4.94\sin(17.35))\hat{\mathbf{z}})e^{-jk_2(\sin(17.35)x + \cos(17.35)z)}$$

First, we must find the new wave number:

$$k_2 = \frac{\sin(33.69)}{\sin(17.35)} 3.61$$

$$k_2 = 6.715 \left[\frac{\text{rad}}{\text{m}} \right]$$

Now we get:

$$E_t = (4.715\hat{\mathbf{x}} - 4.79\hat{\mathbf{y}} + 1.47\hat{\mathbf{z}})e^{-j(2x+6.41z)}$$

(h) The average power density transmitted into the medium may be expressed as:

$$S_{avg} = \frac{|E_t|^2}{2|\eta_2|}$$

We first find the impedance of the medium:

$$\eta_2 = \sqrt{\frac{\mu_o}{3.5\varepsilon_o}}$$

$$\eta_2 = \sqrt{\frac{4\pi \cdot 10^{-7}}{3.5 \cdot 8.85 \cdot 10^{-12}}}$$

$$\eta_2 = 201.418[\Omega]$$

This gives us:

$$S_{avg} = \frac{(4.715)^2 + (-4.79)^2 + (1.47)^2}{2(201.418)}$$
$$S_{avg} = .1175 \left[\frac{W}{m^2}\right]$$