

# Transmission Lines - V

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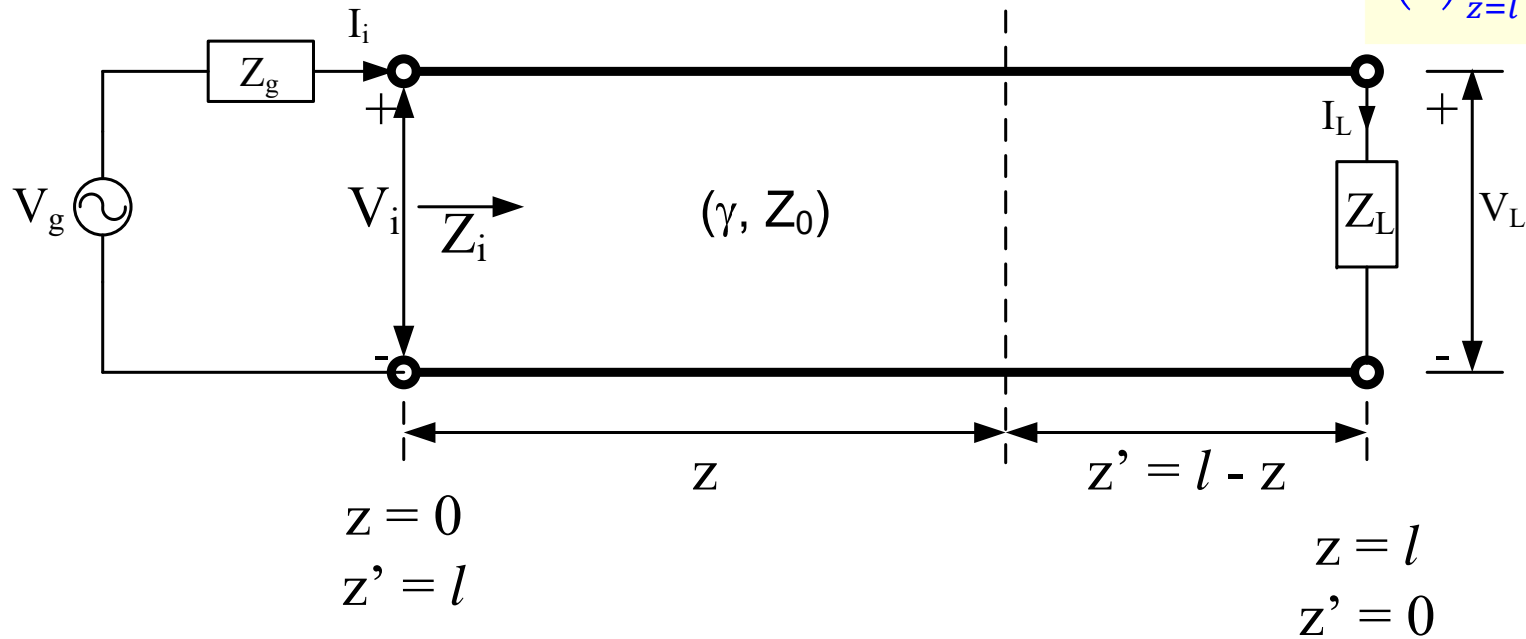
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# The Finite Transmission Line



$$\left(\frac{V}{I}\right)_{z=l} = \frac{V_L}{I_L} = Z_L$$

$$V(z) = V_0^+ e^{-\gamma z} + V_0^- e^{\gamma z}$$

$$I(z) = I_0^+ e^{-\gamma z} + I_0^- e^{\gamma z}$$

$$\frac{V_0^+}{I_0^+} = -\frac{V_0^-}{I_0^-} = Z_0$$

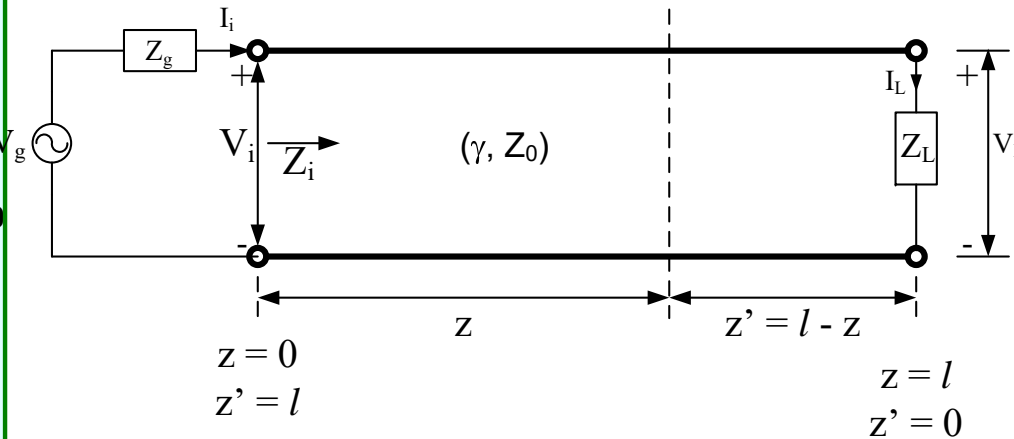


# The line with the Resistive Termination

$$Z_L \neq Z_0$$

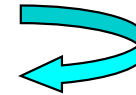
incident

reflected



$$V(z') = \frac{I_L}{2} [(Z_L + Z_0)e^{\gamma z'} + (Z_L - Z_0)e^{-\gamma z'}]$$

$$I(z') = \frac{I_L}{2Z_0} [(Z_L + Z_0)e^{\gamma z'} - (Z_L - Z_0)e^{-\gamma z'}]$$



$$V(z') = \frac{I_L}{2} (Z_L + Z_0) e^{\gamma z'} \left[ 1 + \frac{(Z_L - Z_0)}{(Z_L + Z_0)} e^{-2\gamma z'} \right]$$

$$I(z') = \frac{I_L}{2Z_0} (Z_L + Z_0) e^{\gamma z'} \left[ 1 - \frac{(Z_L - Z_0)}{(Z_L + Z_0)} e^{-2\gamma z'} \right]$$



$$V(z') = \frac{I_L}{2} (Z_L + Z_0) e^{\gamma z'} [1 + \Gamma e^{-2\gamma z'}]$$

$$I(z') = \frac{I_L}{2Z_0} (Z_L + Z_0) e^{\gamma z'} [1 - \Gamma e^{-2\gamma z'}]$$

$$\Gamma = \frac{(Z_L - Z_0)}{(Z_L + Z_0)} = |\Gamma| e^{j\theta_\Gamma}$$



Voltage reflection  
coefficient of the load



$$V(z') = \frac{I_L}{2} (Z_L + Z_0) e^{\gamma z'} [1 + \Gamma e^{-2\gamma z'}]$$

$$\frac{V_0^+}{I_0^+} = -\frac{V_0^-}{I_0^-} = Z_0$$

$$\Gamma = \frac{(Z_L - Z_0)}{(Z_L + Z_0)} = |\Gamma| e^{j\theta_\Gamma}$$

Voltage reflection coefficient

☞ The ratio of the complex amplitudes of the reflected and incident voltage waves at load end ( $z' = 0$ ).

Current reflection coefficient

☐ The ratio of the complex amplitudes of the reflected and incident current waves at the load end ( $z' = 0$ )

$$\Gamma_i = \frac{I_0^-}{I_0^+} = -\frac{V_0^-}{V_0^+} = -\Gamma_V = -\Gamma$$





## For a lossless transmission line

$$V(z') = \frac{I_L}{2} (Z_L + Z_0) e^{j\beta z'} [1 + \Gamma e^{-j2\beta z'}]$$

$$I(z') = \frac{I_L}{2Z_0} (Z_L + Z_0) e^{j\beta z'} [1 - \Gamma e^{-j2\beta z'}]$$

$$\gamma = j\beta$$

$$\Gamma = |\Gamma| e^{j\theta_\Gamma}$$

$$V(z') = \frac{I_L}{2} (Z_L + Z_0) e^{j\beta z'} [1 + |\Gamma| e^{j(\theta_\Gamma - 2\beta z')}]$$

$$I(z') = \frac{I_L}{2Z_0} (Z_L + Z_0) e^{j\beta z'} [1 - |\Gamma| e^{j(\theta_\Gamma - 2\beta z')}]$$

$$Z_{in} \equiv \frac{V(z')}{I(z')} = Z_0 \frac{[1 + |\Gamma| e^{j(\theta_\Gamma - 2\beta z')}]}{[1 - |\Gamma| e^{j(\theta_\Gamma - 2\beta z')}]}$$

$$Z_L \equiv [Z_{in}]_{z'=0} = Z_0 \frac{[1 + |\Gamma| e^{j\theta_\Gamma}]}{[1 - |\Gamma| e^{j\theta_\Gamma}]}$$



- The voltage and current phasors on a lossless line can also be characterized using the following equation.

$$V(z') = I_L [Z_L \cosh \gamma z' + Z_0 \sinh \gamma z']$$

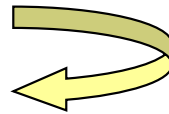
$$I(z') = \frac{I_L}{Z_0} [Z_L \sinh \gamma z' + Z_0 \cosh \gamma z']$$

$$\gamma = j\beta$$

$$V_L = Z_L I_L$$

$$Z_L = R_L$$

Resistive  
termination



$$V(z') = V_L \cos \beta z' + j I_L R_0 \sin \beta z'$$

$$I(z') = I_L \cos \beta z' + j \frac{V_L}{R_0} \sin \beta z'$$

$$|V(z')| = V_L \sqrt{\cos^2 \beta z' + \left(\frac{R_0}{R_L}\right)^2 \sin^2 \beta z'}$$

$$|I(z')| = I_L \sqrt{\cos^2 \beta z' + \left(\frac{R_L}{R_0}\right)^2 \sin^2 \beta z'}$$

These plots as functions of  $z'$  are standing waves with the maxima and the minima at fixed locations from the load.



## Standing Wave Ratio

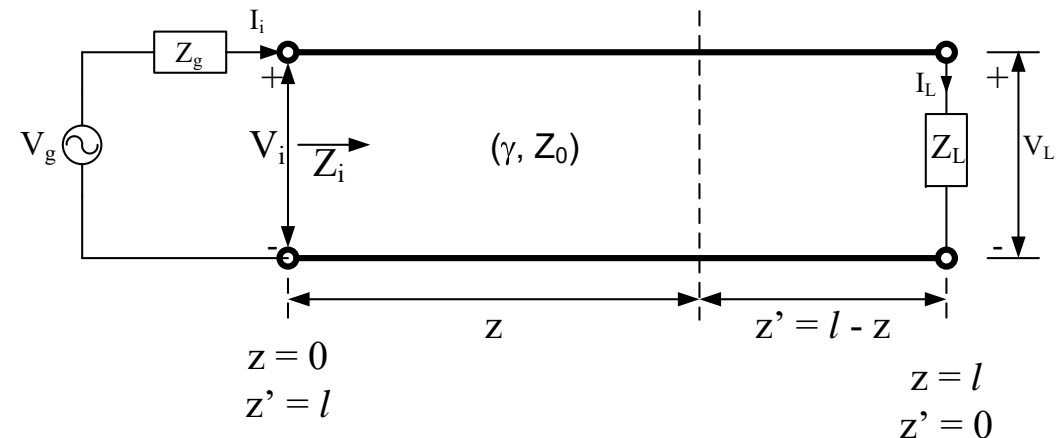
Ratio of the maximum to minimum voltages along the finite terminated line

$$\Gamma = \frac{(Z_L - Z_0)}{(Z_L + Z_0)} = |\Gamma|e^{j\theta_\Gamma}$$

$$V(z') = \frac{I_L}{2} (Z_L + Z_0) e^{j\beta z'} [1 + |\Gamma| e^{j(\theta_\Gamma - 2\beta z')}]$$

$$S = \frac{|V_{\max}|}{|V_{\min}|} \equiv \frac{1+|\Gamma|}{1-|\Gamma|}$$

$$|\Gamma| = \frac{S - 1}{S + 1}$$



$\Gamma = 0,$	$S = 1$	when $Z_L = Z_0$ (Matched Load)
$\Gamma = -1,$	$S \rightarrow \infty$	when $Z_L = 0$ (short circuit)
$\Gamma = 1,$	$S \rightarrow \infty$	when $Z_L \rightarrow \infty$ (open circuit)



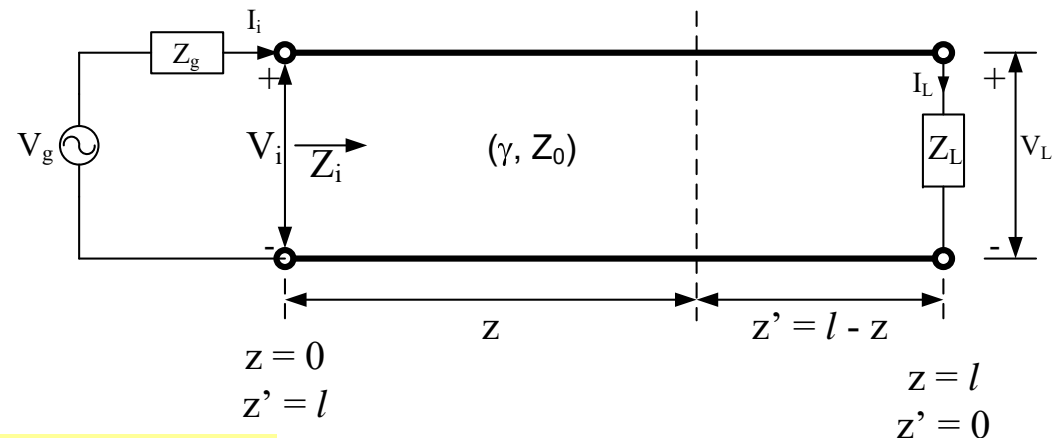
$$V(z') = \frac{I_L}{2} (Z_L + Z_0) e^{j\beta z'} [1 + |\Gamma| e^{j(\theta_\Gamma - 2\beta z')}]$$

$$I(z') = \frac{I_L}{2Z_0} (Z_L + Z_0) e^{j\beta z'} [1 - |\Gamma| e^{j(\theta_\Gamma - 2\beta z')}]$$

➡ The voltage & current wave along a lossless line

$|V_{\max}|, |I_{\min}|$  occur together when

$$\theta_\Gamma - 2\beta z'_M = -2n\pi, \quad n = 0, 1, 2, \dots$$



$|V_{\min}|, |I_{\max}|$  occur together when

$$\theta_\Gamma - 2\beta z'_m = -(2n + 1)\pi, \quad n = 0, 1, 2, \dots$$





## For resistive termination on a lossless transmission line

$$Z_L = R_L, \quad Z_0 = R_0 \quad V(z') = \frac{I_L}{2} (Z_L + Z_0) e^{j\beta z'} [1 + |\Gamma| e^{j(\theta_\Gamma - 2\beta z')}]$$

$$\Gamma = \frac{(R_L - R_0)}{(R_L + R_0)}$$

→ Voltage reflection coefficient is purely real for the resistive load

$$1. \quad R_L > R_0$$

$\Gamma$  is positive and real;  $\theta_\Gamma = 0$

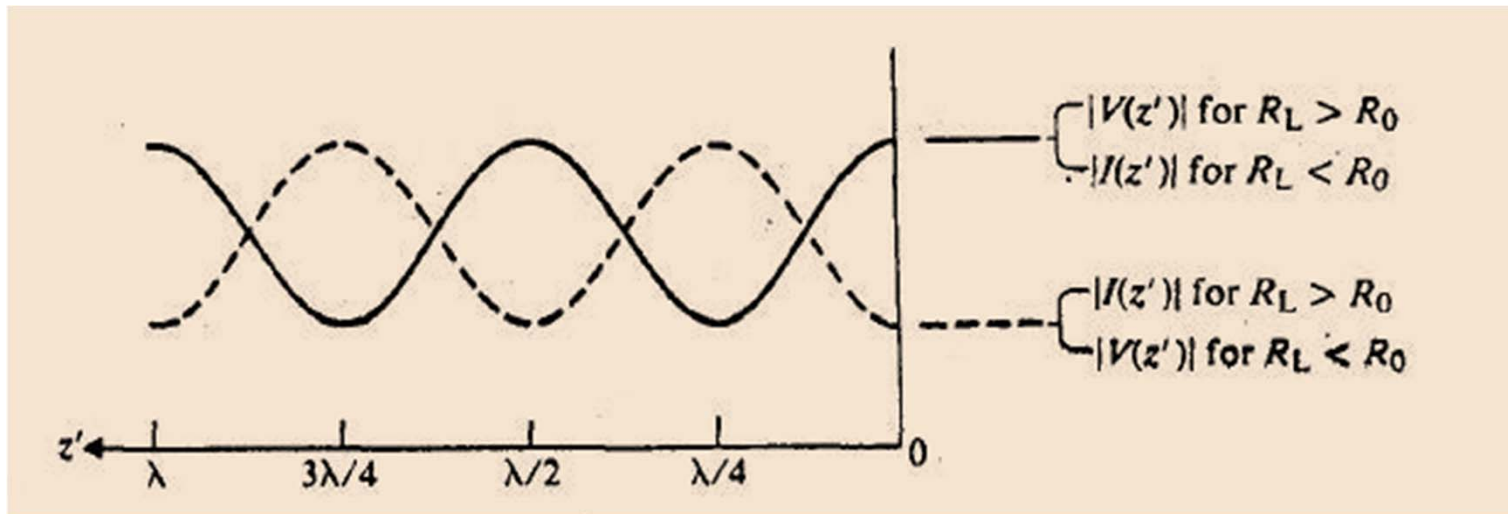
$$\theta_\Gamma - 2\beta z'_M = -2n\pi, \quad n = 0, 1, 2, \dots$$

Voltage maximum (Current minimum) will occur at termination ( $z'=0$ ).

Other Voltage maximum (Current minimum) will be observed at

$$-2\beta z'_M = -2n\pi, \quad z'_M = n\lambda/2 \\ n = 1, 2, \dots$$





$$2. \quad R_L < R_0$$

$\Gamma$  is negative and real;  $\theta_\Gamma = -\pi$

$$\theta_\Gamma - 2\beta z'_m = -(2n + 1)\pi, \quad n = 0, 1, 2, \dots$$

Current maximum (Voltage minimum) will occur at termination ( $z'=0$ ).

Other Current maximum (Voltage minimum) will be observed at

$$-2\beta z'_m = -2n\pi, \quad z'_m = n\lambda/2$$

$$n = 1, 2, \dots$$



$$|V(z')| = V_L \sqrt{\cos^2 \beta z' + \left(\frac{R_0}{R_L}\right)^2 \sin^2 \beta z'}$$

$$|I(z')| = I_L \sqrt{\cos^2 \beta z' + \left(\frac{R_L}{R_0}\right)^2 \sin^2 \beta z'}$$

$$R_L \rightarrow \infty$$

$I_L = 0$ , but  $V_L$  is finite

Open circuited line

$$R_L > R_0$$

$$|V(z')| = V_L |\cos \beta z'|$$

$$|I(z')| = \frac{V_L}{R_0} |\sin \beta z'|$$

Short circuited line

$$R_L = 0$$

$V_L = 0$ , but  $I_L$  is finite

$$|V(z')| = I_L R_0 |\sin \beta z'|$$

$$|I(z')| = I_L |\cos \beta z'|$$

