

Plane waves and BC and power review -doing a complete incident, reflected, transmitted (A Solution)

A boundary between two dielectric media is at $z=0$ ($z<0$ is air $\eta_1 = 120\pi \text{ ohms}$, $z>0$ $\eta_2 = 80\pi \text{ ohms}$). The incident field is impinging on the boundary from $z<0$

$$\vec{H}_{inc} = e^{-j6z} \hat{x} \frac{mA}{m} \quad \text{given in } z<0 \quad \text{we can assume that the second media has } \beta_2$$

- In the first media, can we find the frequency of operation? Explain/show.
- Is the frequency of operation be the same in the second media?
- Find \vec{E}_{inc} , \vec{E}_{ref} , \vec{H}_{ref} , \vec{E}_{trans} , \vec{H}_{trans}
- Find the incident, reflected, and transmitted average powers ($\frac{1}{2} \vec{E} \times \vec{H}^*$).
- Discuss if the powers balance. (you should **show** this part, indicating what is the total of Incident and reflected and if it is the same as transmitted, and not just say that it balances)

Here is a solution

- The answer is yes. The first media is air. Speed of EM in air is $c \cong 3 \times 10^8 \frac{m}{s} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{\mu_0 \epsilon_0}}$

$$\text{We also know that } \text{Phase speed} = u_p = \frac{\omega}{\beta} \rightarrow \omega = \beta u_p = (6)c = 18 \times 10^8 \frac{rad}{s}$$

$$\text{So frequency in Hz, which means number of cycles per second is } f = \frac{3 \times 10^8}{2\pi} \text{ Hz}$$

$$\text{Angular frequency is } 18 \times 10^8 \frac{rad}{s} \text{ and frequency is } \frac{3 \times 10^8}{2\pi} \text{ Hz}$$

- The frequency of operation will not change (this is a linear system input and output have the same frequencies). So, f and ω would be the same in both media
- Here is how to find them all, we need to identify, magnitudes, direction of propagations and direction of oscillations

$$\vec{E}_{inc} = \eta_1 (e^{-j6z}) \hat{a}_{Ei} \frac{mV}{m} \quad \text{we know } \hat{a}_{Ei} \times \hat{a}_{Hi} = \hat{z} \rightarrow \hat{a}_{Ei} \times \hat{x} = \hat{z} \rightarrow \hat{a}_{Ei} = -\hat{y}$$

$$\vec{E}_{inc} = 120\pi (e^{-j6z}) (-\hat{y}) \frac{mV}{m}$$

$$\vec{H}_{inc} = e^{-j6z} \hat{x} \frac{mA}{m}$$

$$\text{Reflection coefficient} = \Gamma = \frac{\eta_2 - \eta_1}{\eta_2 + \eta_1} = \frac{80\pi - 120\pi}{80\pi + 120\pi} = -\frac{1}{5} = \frac{E_r}{E_i}$$

So.

$$\vec{E}_{ref} = -\frac{1}{5} (\eta_1) (e^{+j6z}) (-\hat{y}) \frac{mV}{m} = 24\pi e^{+j6z} \hat{y} \frac{mV}{m} = \vec{E}_{refl}$$

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- **Note:** Since reflection coeff is negative, \vec{E}_{inc} is in \hat{y} direction and is in opposite direction (is in \hat{y}) compared to \vec{E}_{refl} which is in $-\hat{y}$.

$$\vec{H}_{ref} = \frac{1}{5} e^{+j6z} \hat{x} \frac{mA}{m}$$

Please note that. $\vec{E}_{inc} \times \vec{H}_{inc}$ is in \hat{z} z direction and $\vec{E}_{refl} \times \vec{H}_{refl}$ is in $-\hat{z}$

$$Transmission\ Coeff = T = \frac{2\eta_2}{\eta_2 + \eta_1} = \frac{160\pi}{200\pi} = \frac{4}{5} = \frac{E_{trans}}{E_{inc}}$$

$$\vec{E}_{trans} = \frac{4}{5} \eta_1 (e^{-j\beta_2 z}) (-\hat{y}) = -96\pi e^{-j\beta_2 z} \hat{y} \frac{mV}{m}$$

$$\vec{H}_{trans} = \frac{96\pi}{80\pi} (e^{-j\beta_2 z}) (\hat{x}) \frac{mA}{m}$$

$$\vec{H}_{trans} = 1.2 (e^{-j\beta_2 z}) (\hat{x}) \frac{mA}{m}$$

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Now the energy, is it balanced?

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If so $\vec{S}_{inc} + \vec{S}_{ref} = \vec{S}_{trans}$ $\vec{S}_x = \frac{1}{2} \vec{E}_x \times \vec{H}_x^*$

$$\frac{1}{2} \vec{E}_{inc} \times \vec{H}_{inc}^* + \frac{1}{2} \vec{E}_{refl} \times \vec{H}_{refl}^* \quad \text{and} \quad \frac{1}{2} \vec{E}_{trans} \times \vec{H}_{trans}^*$$

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$$\vec{S}_{inc} = \frac{120\pi}{2} (e^{-j6z}) (-\hat{y}) \times e^{+j6z} \hat{x} = 60\pi \hat{z} \frac{\mu W}{m^2}$$

$$\vec{S}_{ref} = \frac{1}{2} 24\pi (e^{+j6z}) \hat{y} \times \frac{1}{5} e^{-j6z} \hat{x} = -\frac{12}{5}\pi \hat{z} \frac{\mu W}{m^2}$$

$$\vec{S}_{trans} = \frac{1.2}{2} ((96)\pi e^{-j\beta_2 z} \hat{y}) \times e^{+j\beta_2 z} \hat{x} = 57.6\pi \hat{z} \frac{\mu W}{m^2}$$

$$\vec{S}_{inc} + \vec{S}_{ref} = \pi \hat{z} = \frac{288}{5}\pi \hat{z} = 57.6\pi \hat{z} \frac{\mu W}{m^2}$$

so $\vec{S}_{inc} + \vec{S}_{ref} = \vec{S}_{trans}$