

Microwave engineering

- 300 MHz - 300 GHz

$$\lambda = \frac{c}{f} \quad 1 \text{ m} = 0.1 \text{ cm}$$

- Micro means small not the 10^{-6}

- When the size of component is less compared to wavelength, the phase change is negligible.

- So in microwave, bcz wavelength is less so we can't neglect the phase change.

- in free space air is fully dielectric.

- ionosphere as reflector - for microwave

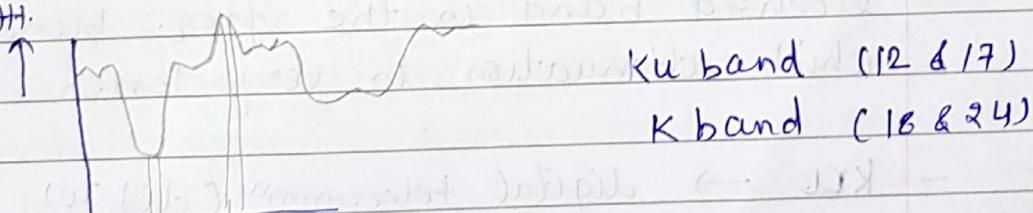
charc's - heat is produced by the MW

- size of antenna is small

- propagate through dielectric

- reflected from conductor (due to that microwave used in RADAR)

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- L-Band (1.5 GHz)

- C-Band (6 & 3 GHz) for satellite comm
its very popular for voice & messages comm from satellite.

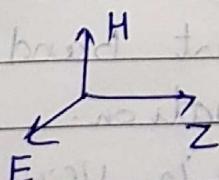
- we are using different bands of freq. because of attenuation.

- freq. where attenuation is very high

they can't used for the long distance
comm i.e. Bluetooth, WiFi \rightarrow small distance
Comm - 2.4 GHz (free band)
attenuation is + high.

- if Microwave focused at a point, it will gen^r heat \rightarrow so can be used in medical area
- lumped distributive
 - capacitor, inductor
 - element consists of etc. L, C, HPF, LPF
- tubes generate high power at Microwave frequency.
- reverse recovery time
- semiconductor (III-V class)
GUN, PIN, MESFET, HEMT
- waveguide handles high power
- licensed band is the freq. band in which attenuation is very less.
- KU \rightarrow digital telecomm (dish TV) Broadcasting
- C \rightarrow band is used for telecomm
- Electromagnetic wave band

TEM mode : if E, H and direction of propagation are mutually perpendicular than its TEM mode.



$$E_z = 0 ; H_z = 0$$

TE mode :

$$E_z = 0$$

$$H_z \neq 0$$

$$E_z$$

z

TM mode :

$$E_z \neq 0$$

$$H_z = 0$$

$$H$$

propagation
const $\rightarrow k$

HE mode :

$$E_z \neq 0 ; H_z \neq 0$$

attenuation
constant

$$\gamma = \alpha + j\beta$$

T \downarrow
phase

- dimension, wavelength and based on the boundary conditions modes is decided.
- In wave guide (hollow cylindrical pipe) TEM is not possible.
- Mode is defined as the orientation of electric & magnetic field and the direction of propagation.
- when signal is transmitted in the medium, then signal having the $\alpha \rightarrow$ attenuation const. & $\beta \rightarrow$ phase shift const.

$$\alpha = \omega \sqrt{\frac{\mu \epsilon}{2} \left(1 + \frac{\omega^2}{\omega_0^2} - 1 \right)}$$

μ : permeability (indicates the ability to gen' the flux when energised)

ϵ : Permittivity (ability to gen' the electric field)

$$\Rightarrow \begin{array}{cccc} \text{Power} & \text{dBm} & \text{dBm} & \text{dBm} \\ 1\text{W} & 0 & 10\log\left(\frac{1}{10^{-3}}\right) & 60 \\ & & = 30 & \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{cccc} 10\text{W} & 10 & 40 & 70 \\ 100\text{W} & 20 & 50 \text{ dBm} & 80 \\ 1\text{mW} & & 0 & \end{array}$$

 \Rightarrow 

Two-wire parallel \rightarrow coaxial \rightarrow wave guide.
 500MHz

When High power is involves \rightarrow wave guide

When low power \rightarrow striplines

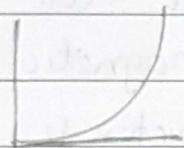
Transmission lines fundamentals

- Reference : NPTEL Lect. "Transmission line & EM waves"



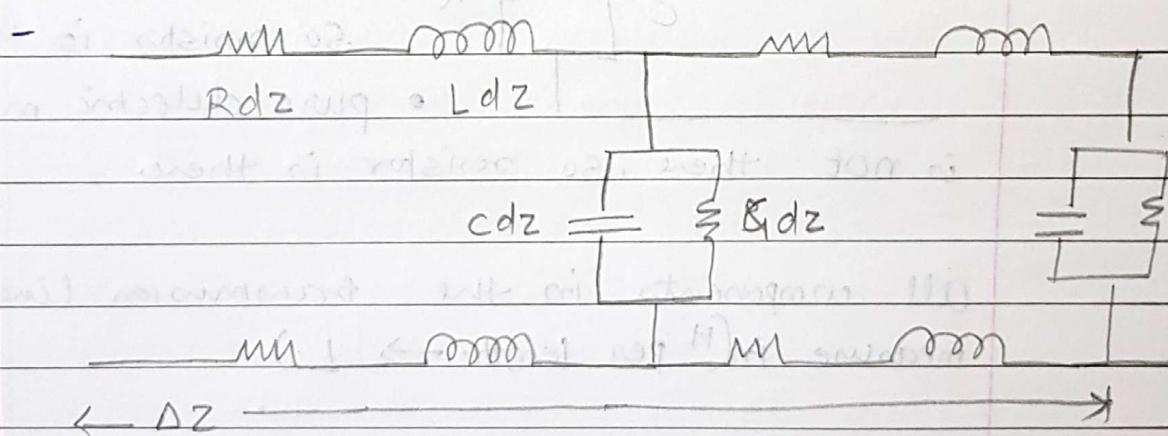
diode

equivalent ckt.

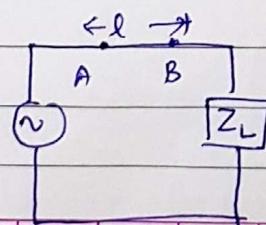


of diode (sw with
series R)

$$\text{Tx lines} \approx \frac{1}{RdZ}$$



- at high freq. space dimensions are also considered.
- dimensions are not affected at low freq.
- $t_r \rightarrow$ transit time
(time required for A to B)



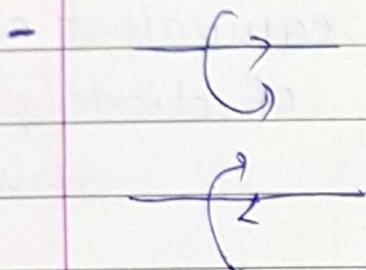
$$t_r \ll T_0$$

$$\frac{l}{v} \ll \frac{1}{f}$$

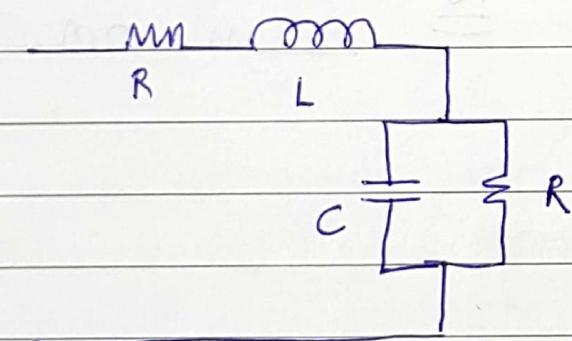
$$\lambda \ll \frac{v}{f}$$

$v \rightarrow$ wave velocity

$\boxed{\lambda \ll l} \rightarrow$ neglect the transit time effect



- due to current flow in conductor, magnetic field is there \rightarrow inductor (L) will be there.
- b/w two conductor lines, dielectric medium \rightarrow capacitor



- due to current flow in the conductor and conductor is not pure so resistor is there.
- pure dielectric medium is not there, so resistor is there.

all components in the transmission lines are measured in (H per length $\rightarrow L$)

due to impedance mismatching \rightarrow reflected wave is there.

- incident & reflected waves are cosine wave
- for lossless transmission line

$$\alpha = 0$$

$$\beta = \omega \sqrt{L'C'}$$

$$\gamma = \alpha + j\beta$$

$$\text{Velocity } V_p = \frac{\omega}{\beta} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{L'C'}}$$

independent of
frequency

$$V_p = \frac{1}{\sqrt{LC}}$$

lossless lines are called non dispersive lines bcoz velocity is independent of frequency

6x8 $R' = 0.404 \text{ m}^2/\text{m}$

$L' = 8.0 \text{ MH/m}$

$G' = 0$

$C' = 5.56 \text{ PF/m}$

for operation at 5 kHz, determine for

(i) attenuation constant α

$$\alpha = \text{Real } (\gamma) = R \left[\sqrt{(R'+j\omega L')(G'+j\omega C')} \right]$$

(ii) phase constant β

$$\beta = \text{imag } \left[\sqrt{(R'+j\omega L')(G'+j\omega C')} \right]$$

(iii)

phase velocity v_p

$$v_p = \frac{1}{\beta} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{(R'+j\omega L')(G'+j\omega C')}} = 5 \times 10^8 \text{ m/s}$$

(iv)

the characteristic impedance $Z_0 = 50 \Omega$

$$Z_0 = \sqrt{\frac{R'+j\omega L'}{G'+j\omega C'}}$$

and hence $Z_0 = 50 \Omega$

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Voltage standing wave ratio (VSWR)

Reflection coefficient:

$$\tilde{V}(z) = V^+ e^{-Yz} + V^- e^{Yz}$$

at load end ($z=0$)

$$\tilde{V}(0) = V_0^+ + V_0^-$$

$$\tilde{E}_L = \frac{V_0^+ - V_0^-}{Z_0}$$

$$Z_L = \frac{\tilde{V}_L}{\tilde{I}_L}$$

$$Z_L = \left(\frac{V_0^+ + V_0^-}{V_0^+ - V_0^-} \right) Z_0$$

incident wave reflected wave

reflection coefficient
 $\frac{Z_L - Z_0}{Z_L + Z_0}$

$$V_0^- = \left(\frac{Z_L - Z_0}{Z_L + Z_0} \right) V_0^+$$

- $Z_L = 0 \rightarrow$ short ckt. ($V_0^- = -V_0^+$)
- $Z_L = Z_0 \rightarrow$ no reflection ($V_0^+ Z_0 = V_0^- = 0$) matching line
- $Z_L = \infty \rightarrow$ open ckt. ($V_0^- = V_0^+$)

reflection coefficient varies from 0 to 1
and (-) sign indicates the phase change.

$Z_L/Z_0 \rightarrow$ normalized load (means divide by its char. imp.)

$$\beta_L = \frac{Z_L}{Z_0}$$

$$V_0^- = \left(\frac{\beta_L - 1}{\beta_L + 1} \right) V_0^+$$

- if lossless

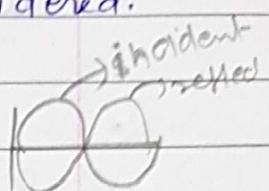
$$V(z) = V_0 + (e^{-Bz} + r e^{Bz})$$

reflection coeff.

- at load end standing wave is considered.

If standing wave magnitude = 0

→ short ckt



if standing wave having max. magnitude

→ open ckt.

Exq- 100Ω transmission line is connected to a load consist of 50Ω resistor with $10PF$ capacitor. find the reflection coeff. at the load for $100 MHz$ signal.

Sol:

$$Z_L = R_L - \frac{j}{\omega C_L}$$

$$\text{at } 100 MHz \quad Z_L = 50 - j$$

$$2\pi 100 \times 10 \times 10^{-6}$$

$$Z_L = \frac{Z_L}{Z_0} = \frac{1}{100} (Z_L)$$

$$\text{reflection coefficient} = \frac{Z_L - 1}{Z_L + 1}$$

$$= \frac{(100 - 1)}{(100 + 1)} = \frac{99}{101}$$

$$[(100 - 1) + j(99)] / [(100 + 1) - j(99)] = [(99 + j99) / (101 - j99)]$$

Standing wave :

Standing wave is created due to interface b/w travelling waves (incident & reflected)

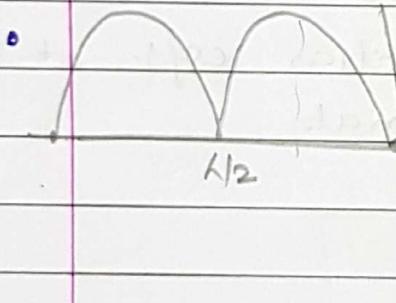
- when reflection coeff is zero \rightarrow no standing wave

matching line

$$Z_L = Z_0$$

d

$z=0$ at load point



(at the load end, signal is reflected with the 180° phase shift)

short ckt. line

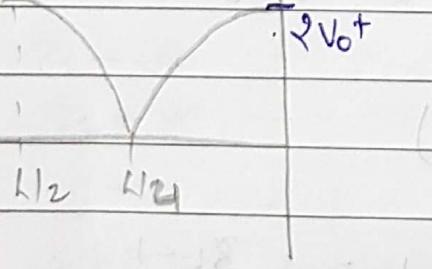
$$Z_L = 0$$

$z=0$

(at the load end signal is

reflected with the 0° phase shift)
open ckt. line

$$Z_L = \infty$$



$$- |V(z)| = \sqrt{V(z) * V^*(z)}^{1/2}$$

$$- |V(d)| = |V_0| \left[1 + |\Gamma|^2 + 2|\Gamma| \cos(2\beta d - \phi) \right]$$

- for maxima

$$2\beta d_{\max} - \theta_r = 2n\pi$$

$$\beta = 2\pi/\lambda$$

$$\frac{2 \times 2\pi}{\lambda} d_{\max} - \theta_r = 2n\pi$$

$$d_{\max} = \frac{\lambda 2n\pi + \theta_r \lambda}{4\pi}$$

- for minima

$$2\beta d_{\min} - \theta_r = (2n+1)\pi$$

$$d_{\min} = \frac{\lambda}{4} \left(1 + \frac{\theta_r}{\pi} \right)$$

$$\text{max. value } |\tilde{V}(d)_{\max}| = V_0 (1 + \Gamma)$$

$$|\tilde{V}(d)_{\min}| = V_0 (1 - \Gamma)$$

$$\text{Voltage standing wave ratio (VSWR)} = \frac{|\tilde{V}_{\max}|}{|\tilde{V}_{\min}|}$$

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

- for a matched load $|\Gamma| = 0$

$$S = 1$$

- $S = \infty ; |\Gamma| = 1$

- reflection coefficient depends on the impedance

input impedance:at input $d = l$;

$$Z_{in} = Z_0 \left(\frac{Z_L + j \tan \beta L}{1 + j Z_L \tan \beta L} \right)$$

charc impedance

for short ckt:

$$j Z_0 \tan \beta L = j \omega L C_{eq} \quad \text{if } \tan \beta L \geq 0$$

$$j Z_0 \tan \beta L = -\frac{1}{j \omega C_{eq}} \quad \text{if } \tan \beta L \leq 0$$

$$Z_L = 0 \quad \boxed{l = 0}$$

$$Z_{in} = 0 \quad \boxed{l = 0}$$

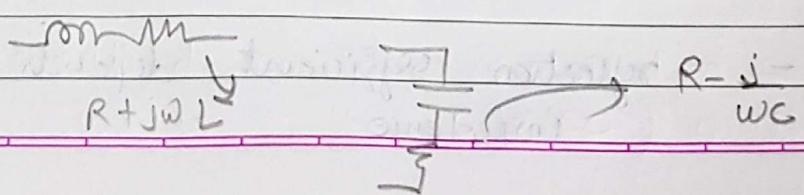
for open ckt's

$$Z_L = \infty \quad \boxed{l = 0}$$

$$l = 0$$

$$Z_{in} = \infty$$

max. Power transmitted theorem states that
 Z_L is the complex conjugate of the Z_{in} .



- distance is the normalised with the wavelength. (in $\lambda/2$)
- z_{10} is the normalised with the Z_0
- In Smith chart if we are at centered, $S = 1 \rightarrow$ Impedance matching

Smith chart

Ex: $\tilde{Z}_L = 1.0 + j1.0 \Omega$, $l = 0.148\lambda$

find out the input impedance of a TL terminated in a load impedance Z_L .

- * Direction clockwise \rightarrow towards generator
- * if distance is in meter, then convert into λ mean divide by λ .
- find the SWR, Voltage max & min
in the case of open circuit (max and min)
in the case of short circuit (min and max.)

$$(V_{min}) \xrightarrow[SC]{\text{SC}} OC(V_{max})$$

- max and min $\lambda/4$ apart

Ex: The load impedance is $200 + j100$, $Z_0 = 50$. find out SWR, find out admittance, distance of max. and min. from load line, i/p impedance at distance of 0.25λ from the load.

$$\begin{aligned}\tilde{Z}_L &= \frac{200 + j100}{50} \\ &= 4 + 2j\end{aligned}$$

- normalized impedance is plotted on Smith chart.
- SWR is on the (0 to OC) 0 line.

- at $\lambda/2$ max and min are repeated.

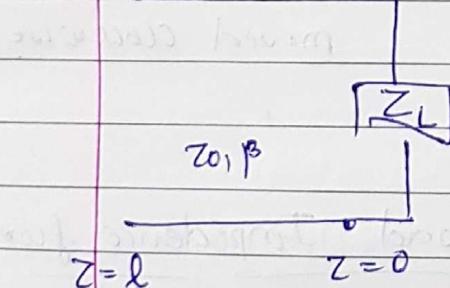
Smith chart:

- Graphical representation tool that represents a mapping b/w impedance and reflection coefficient.
- Completing 1 round on Smith chart = $\lambda/2$
- clockwise \rightarrow towards generator / source
- Smith chart:
 - helps to measure 1st maxima and 1st minima
 - helps to find impedance at a certain point from the load.
- all circles have 1 common point \rightarrow from there radius uses normalized distance, normalized values \rightarrow plotted
- Stub: piece of line which is connected in transmission line for impedance matching
it is connected in parallel mostly.

Ex:- find R/P impedance of TL terminated in load impd.

$$Z_L = 1 + j1$$

moving to origin



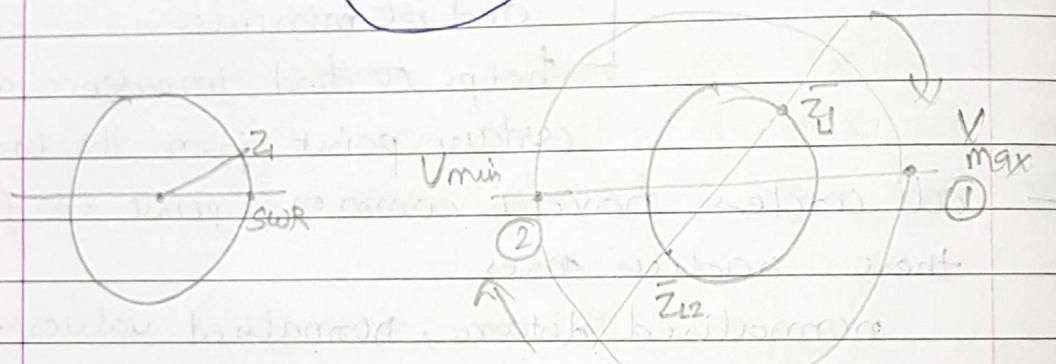
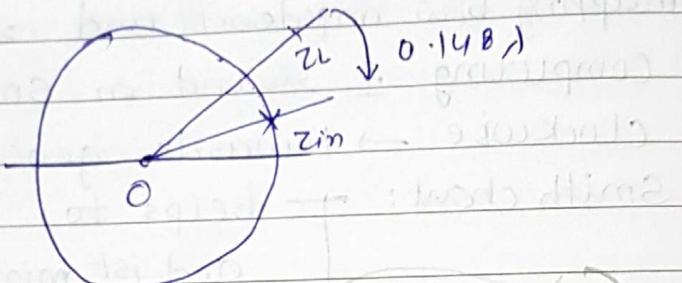
$$\bar{Z}_L = 1 + j1$$

$$l = 0.142\lambda$$

- move clockwise as we move from load to generator

(1) Taking $0\bar{Z}_L$ as radius draw a circle with center on O.

- (2) extend z_1 line in the same direction till outer circle.
- (3) Then move the line 0.148λ
- (4) Draw a line from that point till O.
- (5) The intersection of circle and line is z_{in} .



Look for $\bar{z}_{11} \rightarrow$ we get V_{max} as point 1 comes 1st when moved clockwise

for $\bar{z}_{12} \rightarrow$ we get V_{min} as point 2 comes 1st when moved clockwise

Determine of Unknown load Impedance from SWR

- (1) Draw the circle of SWR

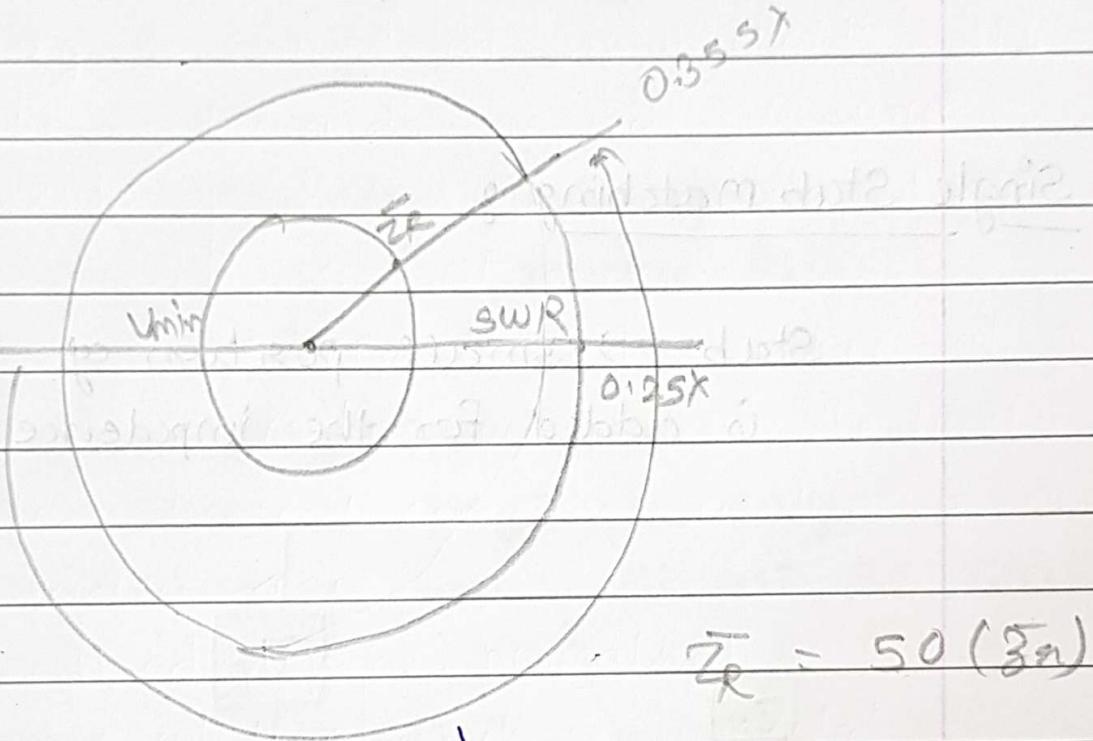
$$Z_0 = 50 \Omega$$

$$SWR = 3$$

$$\lambda/2 = 20 \text{ cm}$$

$$d_{mu} = 14.2 \text{ cm} = 0.355 \lambda$$

$$\bar{Z}_R = ?$$



$$\bar{Z}_R = 50(3\Omega)$$

as load is to be
found \rightarrow so move
anticlock wise

Nelio
potassium

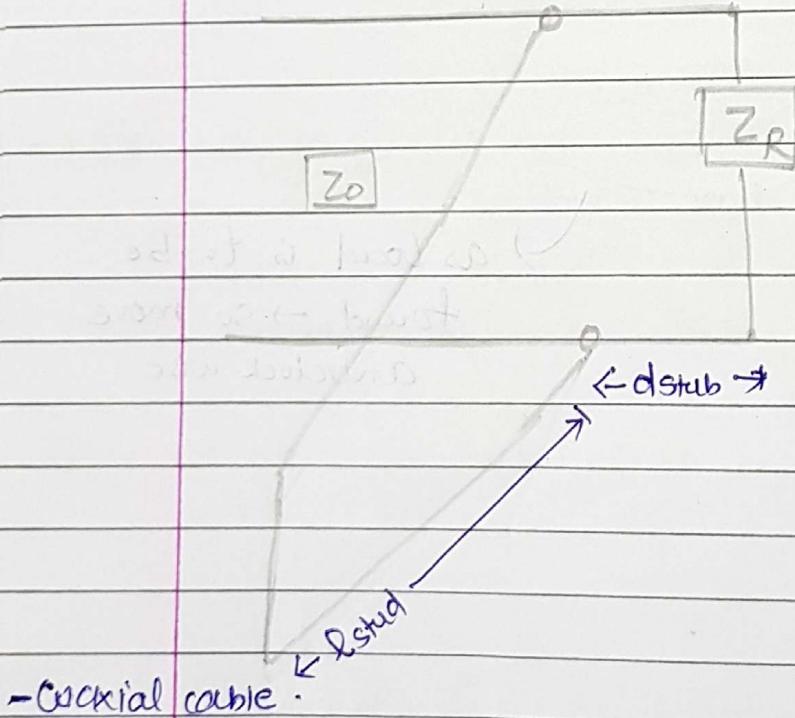
Quarter wave ($\lambda/4$) transformer :

- Impedance matching is only for a particular frequency.
- any charc impedance of line is taken

$$Z_{0x} = \sqrt{RZ}$$

Single Stub Matching :

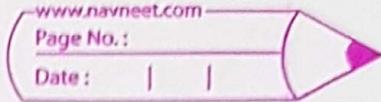
Stub \rightarrow small portion of line is added for the impedance matching.



- Coaxial cable :

Short ckt stub } — sc stubs
Open ckt stub } — preferred
 (Keep as it is)
(By conducting material is added)

- In planer, OC stub is preferred
- In coaxial, Tx line, SC " "



$$Z_R = R + jX$$

We need to match the reactive part resistive part R and opposite to the X reactive Part.

$$R - jX' = \text{Stub resistance}$$

d_{stub} → for the resistive part

l_{stub} → " " reactive Part

- Stub is series or shunt
- Shunt is preferred, bcz it's easy
- SD in transmission line Shunt, SC stub is used.

Series → impedance

shunt → admittance

Ex

$$Z_L = 75 + j50$$

$$Z_0 = 25 \Omega$$

find d_{stub} & l_{stub}

Sol

$$\text{normalised } Z = 3 + j2$$