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function Abbas_HW8_Luebbers()  
  
% Hasan Tahir Abbas  
% ECEN 637  
% Homework 8: Reflection coefficient of a Dielectric Slab  
% Conditions  
% 11/03/2015  
%  
%  
% 1D FDTD dielectric slab reflection coefficient code  
% recreating Leubber's results in Fig 1 and 6b  
%  
% Soft Gaussian pulse excitation  
% observation of reflected field  
% Calculation of DFT and reflection coefficient  
% Total absorption at boundaries  
%  
% c = speed of light  
% xmu = free-space permeability  
% eps0 = free-space permittivity  
% epsR = dielectric constant of the slab  
% sigma = conductivity of the slab  
% rho_prime = magnetic conductivity of the slab  
% nx = spatial intervals in space  
% nt = total number of time intervals  
% nxst = starting position of the slab  
% nxnd = ending position of the slab  
% slabwidth = width of the slab in spatial intervals  
% dt = time step size  
% dx = spatial step size  
% n = time incrementing variable  
% num_freq = number of frequencies needed to compute the fourier  
transform  
% num_samples = power of 2 number to obtain frequency resolution
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% Ez = z-component of Electric Field
% Hy = y-component of Magnetic Field
% mediaEz = array to define the structure in terms of E-field points
% mediaHy = array to define the structure in terms of H-field points
% Einc = incident Electric Field
% Hinc = incident Magnetic Field
% Ca Cb Da Db = Coefficient terms as defined in Taflove's book (Sec.
3.6.4)
% coll_pt = time domain field data collection point
% ftEinc ftEref = Fourier Transform of inc. and ref. fields
% gamma
% d_gamma = slab electric conductivity
% d_num_freq
% fmax = maximum frequency to be plotted
% Source_signal = Time-domain source signal
% beta = Variance of the Gaussian source
% xp = Location of source excitation
% source_type = Type of Source 1. Sinusoidal 2. Gaussian
% nsnap = Plot after every nsnap intervals
% ymin ymax = min/max limits in the field plots
% plot_record = Time instants that replicate plots in Luebber's
paper
% max_plot = maximum time step upto which field is displayed
clear;close all
% *****

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Parameters

Global variables are used to span across all the functions in this code According to MATLAB's documentation, a better and safer option will be persistent type variables

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global c xmu eps0 epsR sigma rho_prime
global nx nt nxst nxnd slabwidth
global dt dx n
global num_freq num_samples
global Ez Hy; % Create E and H field components.
global mediaEz mediaHy %
global Hyinc Ezinc
global Ca Cb Da Db % Define material based coefficients
global coll_pt % Collection point for reflection coefficient
calculation
global ftEinc ftEref
global gamma d_gamma d_num_freq
global Source_signal beta xp source_type
global nsnap ymin ymax plot_record max_plot fmax

c = 2.99792458e8; % Speed of light
xmu = 4*pi*1e-7; % Permeability of free space
eps0 = 8.854187817e-12; % Permittivity of free space
epsR = 4;
sigma = 0;
rho_prime = 0;

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slabwidth = 0.09;
nx = 600;      % Number of cells in x-direction
nt = 4096;     % Number of time steps
nxst = 250;    % Start of slab
nxnd = 309;    % End of slab
num_freq = 500;
num_samples = 16384; % 2^14
xp = 50;
nsnap = 5;
coll_pt = 240;
beta = 10;
ymin = -1;
ymax = 1;
plot_record = [ 190, 245, 315, 370, 385, 485];
max_plot = 2000;
fmax = 5e9;
% *****

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Initialize

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Ca = zeros(2,1);
Cb = zeros(2,1);
Da = zeros(2,1);
Db = zeros(2,1);

mediaEz = ones(1,nx);
mediaHy = ones(1,nx); %%!Field medium index
gamma = zeros(1,num_freq);
d_gamma = zeros(1,num_freq);
d_num_freq = zeros(1,num_freq);
Source_signal = zeros(1,nt);

Ez = zeros(1,nx);    %%!zero the incident and total fields
Hy = zeros(1,nx);
Ezinc = zeros(1,nx);
Hyinc = zeros(1,nx);

ftEinc = zeros(1,num_freq); %%!zero the DFTs
ftEref = zeros(1,num_freq);

dx = slabwidth/(nxnd - nxst + 1); %% Length Increment
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Stability Condition

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dt = dx/(c); % Stability Condition
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Main Program

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define_media(); % Create the dielectric slab between nxst and nxnd
define_coefficients(); % Generate coefficients in different media
source_type = 2; % 1 is sinusoidal source, 2 is Gaussian, 3 is unit-
step

for n = 1 : nt
    adv_Ez(); % Compute E-field
    adv_H(); % Compute H-field
    field_plot(); % Plot E-field only upto 2000 points but calculate
    till nt
    ft_field(); % Compute fourier transform of E-field
end
reflection(); % Compute field reflection coefficient in frequency
domain
spectrum_plot(); % Plot the reflection and transmission coefficients
%#####

end
% *****
% *****
%
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Create Coefficients for the equations

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*****

function define_coefficients()

global Ca Cb Da Db ; % Define material based coefficients
global xmu eps0 epsR rho_prime sigma
global dt dx
% % % % % % % % Field Coefficients

Ca(1) = (1 - sigma * dt / (2 * eps0) ) / ( 1 + sigma * dt / (2 *
eps0) );
Cb(1) = (dt / (eps0 * dx) ) / ( 1 + sigma * dt / (2 * eps0) );
Da(1) = (1 - rho_prime * dt / (2 * xmu) ) / ( 1 + rho_prime * dt / (2 * xmu) );
Db(1) = (dt / (xmu * dx) ) / ( 1 + rho_prime * dt / (2 * xmu) );

% % ! slab coefficients

Ca(2) = (1 - sigma * dt / (2 * epsR * eps0) ) / ( 1 + sigma * dt / (2 *
epsR * eps0) );
Cb(2) = (dt / (epsR * eps0 * dx) ) / ( 1 + sigma * dt / (2 * epsR *
eps0) );
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Da(2) = Da(1);
Db(2) = Db(1);

end
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% *****
%

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Create Structure in the computational space

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function define_media()

global nxst nxnd;
global mediaEz mediaHy;

for i = nxst:nxnd % insert the slab into free space

    mediaEz(i) = 2; % Ez exist at ever index point in the slab

end

for i = nxst:nxnd-1 % Hy does not extend to the right index of the
    slab

    mediaHy(i) = 2;

end

end
% *****
% *****
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Create the excitation signal

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*****

function Ezs = Source()

global beta xp
global n source_type
% Creates a half-sinusoidal source between the time increments
% 1 and 10.%
% When source = 1 : Sinusoid
%               2 : Gaussian
%               3 : Unit-Step
%
% For Sinusoidal Source
if source_type == 1
    if ( (n-xp) >=1 && (n-xp) <= xp)
        Ezs = sin((n-xp)*pi/xp);
    end
end

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        else
            Ezs = 0;
        end
    % For Gaussian Source
elseif source_type == 2
    xn0 = 4*beta;
    Ezs = exp(-((n-xn0)/(beta))^2);
    % For Pulse Source
elseif source_type == 3
    if ( (n-xp) >=1 && (n-xp) <= xp)
        Ezs = 1;
    else
        Ezs = 0;
    end
end
end
end

% *****
% *****

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Algorithm for Computing E-field

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*****

function adv_Ez()
% Compute z-component of E-field
global Ez Hy Hyinc Ezinc
global mediaEz
global Source_signal
global Ca Cb
global nx xp
global n

Ez(1) = Ez(2); % left side total field perfect ABC
Ez(nx) = Ez(nx-1); % right side total field perfect ABC

Ezinc(1) = Ezinc(2); % left side incident field perfect ABC
Ezinc(nx) = Ezinc(nx-1); % right side incident field perfect ABC

for i = 2 : nx-1 % Ez Total (field with slab)

    if (i == xp)

        Ezs = Source(); % Incident field source excitation
        Source_signal(n) = Ezs;

    else

        Ezs = 0;

    end

    m = mediaEz(i);

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        Ez(i) = Ez(i) * Ca(m) + ( Hy(i) - Hy(i-1) ) * Cb(m)...
            + Ezs;           % soft source

    end

    for i = 2 : nx-1      % Ez Incident (no slab)

        if (i == xp)

            Ezs = Ez_inc(n); % Incident field source excitation

        else

            Ezs = 0;

        end

        m = 1;
        Ezinc(i) = Ezinc(i) * Ca(m)...
            + ( Hyinc(i) - Hyinc(i-1) ) * Cb(m)...
            + Ezs;           % soft source

    end
end

% *****
% *****

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Algorithm for Computing H-field

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*****

function adv_H()
% Compute z-component of E-field
global Ez Hy Hyinc Ezinc
global mediaHy
global Da Db
global nx

% % %      Compute x-component of total H-field

for i = 1 : nx - 1

    m = mediaHy(i);
    Hy(i) = Hy(i) * Da(m)...
        + ( Ez(i+1) - Ez(i) ) * Db(m);

end

% % %      Compute x-component of incident H-field
for i = 1 : nx - 1

    m = 1;

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        Hyinc(i) = Hyinc(i) * Da(m)...
            + ( Ezinc(i+1) - Ezinc(i) ) * Db(m);

end
end

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Algorithm for Computing Fourier Transform E-field

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*****

function ft_field()

global coll_pt num_freq num_samples
global Ez Ezinc
global n dt ftEinc ftEref

Einc = Ezinc(coll_pt);
Eref = Ez(coll_pt)-Einc;

for k = 1 : num_freq

    dft_exp = -2 * 1i * pi * k * n / num_samples;
    ftEinc(k) = ftEinc(k) + dt * Einc * exp(dft_exp); %%%!incident
    field dft
    ftEref(k) = ftEref(k) + dt * Eref * exp(dft_exp); %%%!reflected
    field dft

end

end

% *****
% *****

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Algorithm for Computing Reflection Coefficient

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*****

function reflection()
global gamma num_freq num_samples
global d_gamma d_num_freq
global dt ftEinc ftEref

for i = 1:num_freq

    if ( abs( ftEinc(i) ) > 0.0 )

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        gamma(i) = ( abs(ftEref(i) ) ) / ( abs( ftEinc(i) ) );

    else

        gamma(i) = 0;

    end

    d_num_freq(i) = i * (1 / (num_samples * dt) );
    d_gamma(i) = gamma(i);

end

end

% *****
% *****

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Plot routine for the Line Plot of Ez

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*****

function field_plot()
% Plots the line plots for E-field
global n nx nsnap nxst nxnd
global Ez
global ymin ymax plot_record max_plot

if (rem(n,nsnap) == 0 && n <= max_plot) % Plot at every 5th time step
    figure(1);
    set(gcf,'Color','white');
    plot(Ez,'Color','black','LineWidth',1.4)
    set(gca,'FontName','times new roman')
    hold on
    title(['E-field at Time Step
',int2str(n)],'FontSize',11,'Interpreter','latex','FontName','times
new roman')
    h = rectangle('Position',[nxst ymin nxnd-nxst ymax-ymin]);
    h.FaceColor = 'none';
    h.EdgeColor = [.4 .4 .4];
    axis([0 nx ymin ymax])
    xlabel('Position (1.5 cells)')
    ylabel('Electric Field')
    hold off
    pause(.001)
    if (ismember(n,plot_record)) % Save Plot at every 20th time step
        %         cleanfigure();
        %         matlab2tikz('filename',sprintf('ECEN637_HW8_Ez_
%d.tex',n));
        saveas(gcf,[sprintf('ECEN637_HW7_Ez_surf_PEC_space_
%d',n),'.png']) % Save visualizations
    end
end
end

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end
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% *****
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Plot routine for the Spectrum Plot of the field

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*****
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```
function spectrum_plot()  
% Plots the line plots for E-field  
global d_num_freq d_gamma  
global fmax  
  
figure(2)  
plot(d_num_freq/1e9,d_gamma,'Color','black','LineWidth',1.4);  
set(gcf,'Color','white');  
set(gca,'FontName','times new roman')  
hold on  
title('Fourier Transform of the reflected  
field','FontSize',11,'Interpreter','latex','FontName','times new  
roman')  
h = line([0 5],[.6 .6]);  
h.Color = [.4 .4 .4];  
h.LineStyle = '--';  
axis([0 fmax/1e9 0 1])  
xlabel('Frequency (GHz)')  
ylabel('Magnitude  $\gamma$ ','Interpreter','latex')  
hold off  
% cleanfigure();  
% matlab2tikz('filename',sprintf('ECEN637_HW8_Spectrum.tex'));  
saveas(gcf,[sprintf('ECEN637_HW8_Spectrum'),'.png']) % Save  
visualizations  
  
figure(3)  
plot(d_num_freq/1e9,sqrt(1-  
(d_gamma.^2)), 'Color','black','LineWidth',1.4);  
set(gcf,'Color','white');  
set(gca,'FontName','times new roman')  
hold on  
title('Fourier Transform of the transmitted  
field','FontSize',11,'Interpreter','latex','FontName','times new  
roman')  
% h = line([0 5],[.6 .6]);  
% h.Color = [.4 .4 .4];  
% h.LineStyle = '--';  
axis([0 fmax/1e9 0.5 1.5])  
xlabel('Frequency (GHz)')  
ylabel('Magnitude  $T$ ','Interpreter','latex')  
hold off  
% cleanfigure();
```

```
%  
    matlab2tikz('filename',sprintf('ECEN637_HW8_Transmission_Spectrum.tex'));  
saveas(gcf,[sprintf('ECEN637_HW8_Transmission_Spectrum'),'.png']) %  
    Save visualizations  
  
end
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