

Homework 4 (back before Midterm)

The S-parameters of an active two-port network (GaN power HEMT) measured at 10 GHz are given below (Z_0 at both ports is $50\ \Omega$)

1. Is this network lossless, reciprocal?
2. Calculate the input impedance if the 2nd port is loaded by $10-j20\ \Omega$.
3. Design a microstrip matching network (using series line and open shunt stub) to $50\ \Omega$ for this input impedance using Smith chart, calculate the length and width of the microstrip lines for alumina board with $\epsilon_r=9.8$ and thickness $d=0.127\ \text{cm}$ (assume other parameters ideal).
4. Calculate the input impedance if the 2nd port is loaded by $100+j50\ \Omega$. Is it still possible to use lossless matching network to match this impedance

$$S = \begin{bmatrix} 0.75 - j0.4 & -0.04 + j0.04 \\ -6 + j & 0.65 - j0.2 \end{bmatrix}$$

