

## 01. Assignment: Metallic Waveguides

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- 1 The interior of a  $\frac{20}{3} \text{ cm} \times \frac{20}{4} \text{ cm}$  rectangular waveguide is completely filled with a dielectric of  $\epsilon_r = 4$ . Waves of free space wave – length shorter than.....can be propagated in the  $\text{TE}_{11}$  mode.
- 2 A rectangular air – filled waveguide has a cross section of  $4 \text{ cm} \times 10 \text{ cm}$ . The minimum frequency which can propagate in the waveguide is  
(a) 1.5 GHz (c) 2.5 GHz  
(b) 2.0 GHz (d) 3.0 GHz
- 3 Indicate which one of the following modes do NOT exist in a rectangular resonant cavity  
(a)  $\text{TE}_{110}$  (c)  $\text{TM}_{110}$   
(b)  $\text{TE}_{011}$  (d)  $\text{MT}_{111}$
- 4 The phase velocity of waves propagation in hollow metal waveguide is  
(a) Greater than velocity of light in free space  
(b) Less than velocity of light in free space  
(c) Equal to velocity of light in free space  
(d) Equal to group velocity
- 5 The dominant mode in a rectangular waveguide is  $\text{TE}_{10}$  because this mode has  
(a) No attenuation  
(b) No cut off  
(c) No magnetic field component  
(d) The highest cut off wavelength
- 4 The phase velocity for the  $\text{TE}_{10}$  mode in an air filled rectangular waveguide is  
(a) Less than  $c$  (c) Greater than  $c$   
(b) Equal to  $c$  (d) None of the above

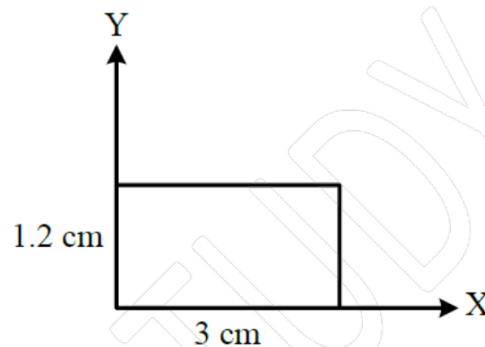
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- 5 The phase velocity of an electromagnetic wave propagating in a hollow metallic rectangular waveguide in the  $TE_{10}$  mode is
- (a) Equal to its group velocity
  - (b) Less than velocity of light in free space
  - (c) Equal to the velocity of light in free space
  - (d) Greater than the velocity of light in free space
- 6 Refractive index of glass is 1.5 Find the wavelength of a beam of light with a frequency of  $10^{14}$  Hz in glass. Assume velocity of light  $3 \times 10^8$  m/s in vacuum.
- (a)  $3 \mu\text{m}$
  - (b)  $3 \mu\text{m}$
  - (c)  $2 \mu\text{m}$
  - (d)  $1 \mu\text{m}$
- 7 The modes of rectangular waveguide are denoted by  $TE_{mn} / TM_{mn}$  when  $m$  and  $n$  are Eigen numbers along the larger and smaller dimensions of the waveguide respectively. Which one of the following statement is true.
- (a) The  $TM_{10}$  mode of waveguide does not exist.
  - (b) The  $TE_{10}$  mode of waveguide does not exist.
  - (c) The  $TM_{10}$  and  $TE_{10}$  modes both exist and have same cut off frequency.
  - (d) The  $TM_{10}$  and  $TE_{10}$  modes both exist and have same cut off frequency
- 8 Consider an air filled rectangular waveguide with a cross – section of  $5 \text{ cm} \times 3 \text{ cm}$ . For this waveguide, the cut off frequency (in MHz) of  $TE_{21}$  mode is \_\_\_\_\_
- 9 The cut off frequency of waveguide depends upon
- (a) The dimensions of the waveguide.
  - (b) The dielectric property of the medium in the waveguide.
  - (c) The characteristic impedance of the waveguide
  - (d) The transverse and axial components of the fields

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- 10 For normal mode EM wave propagation in a hollow rectangular waveguide
- (a) The phase velocity is greater than group velocity.
  - (b) The phase velocity is greater than velocity of light in free space.
  - (c) The phase velocity is less than the velocity of light in free space.
  - (d) The phase velocity may be either greater than or less than group velocity.
- 11 11. The magnetic field along the propagation direction inside a rectangular waveguide with the cross section shown in the figure is
- $$H_z = 3 \cos(2.094 \times 10^2 x) \cos(2.618 \times 10^2 y) \cos(6.283 \times 10^{10} t - \beta z)$$
- The phase velocity  $v_p$  of the wave inside the waveguide satisfies



- (a)  $v_p > c$
  - (b)  $v_p = c$
  - (c)  $0 < v_p < c$
  - (d)  $v_p = c$
- 12 Choose the correct statements for a wave propagating in an air filled rectangular waveguide
- (a) Guided wavelength is never less than free space wavelength.
  - (b) Wave impedance is never less than free space impedance.
  - (c) Phase velocity is never less than the free space velocity.
  - (d) TEM mode is possible if the dimensions of the waveguide are properly chosen.

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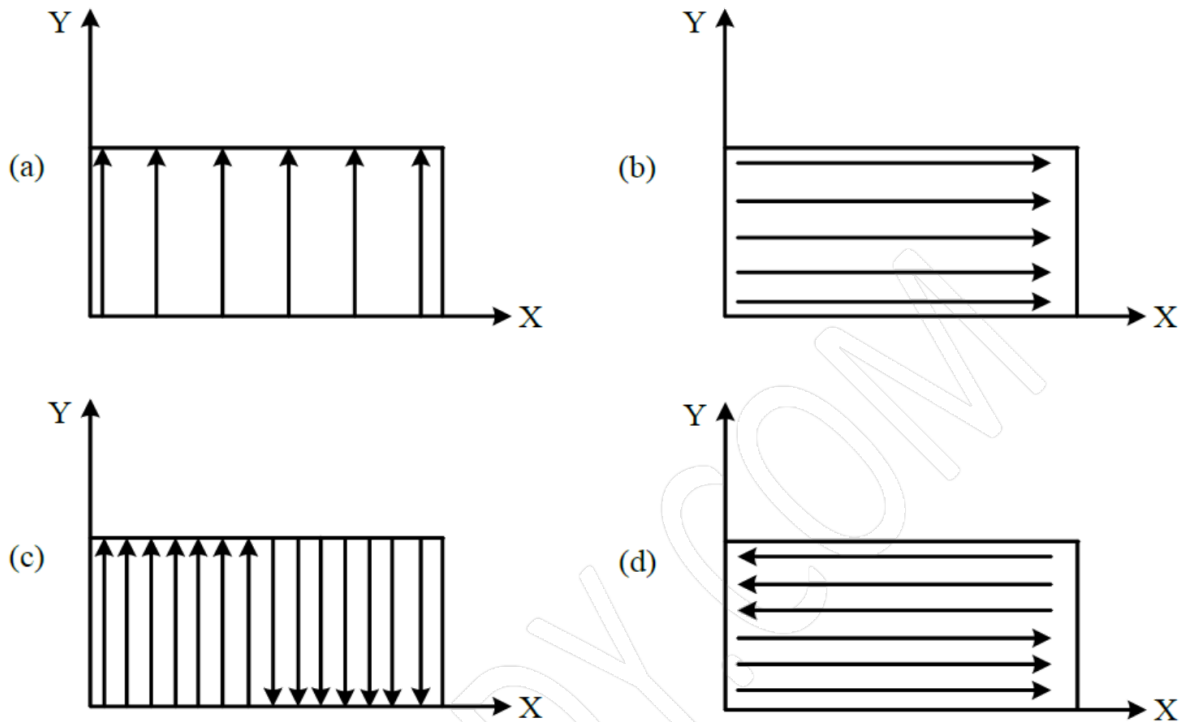
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- 13 The longitudinal component of the magnetic field inside an air – filled rectangular waveguide made of a perfect electric conductor is given by the following expression
- $$H_z(x, y, z, t) = 0.1 \cos(25\pi x) \cos(30.3 \pi y) \cos(12\pi \times 10^9 t - \beta z) \text{ (A/m)}$$
- The cross – sectional dimensions of the waveguide are given as  $a = 0.08$  m and  $b = 0.033$  m. The mode of propagation inside the waveguide is
- (a)  $TM_{12}$  (c)  $TE_{21}$   
(b)  $TM_{21}$  (d)  $TE_{12}$
- 14 A rectangular waveguide has dimensions  $1\text{ cm} \times 0.5\text{ cm}$ . Its cut off frequency is
- (a) 5 GHz (c) 15 GHz  
(b) 10 GHz (d) 20 GHz
- 15 A rectangular metal wave guide filled with a dielectric material of relative permittivity  $\epsilon_r = 4$  has the inside dimensions  $3.0\text{ cm} \times 1.2\text{ cm}$ . The cut off frequency for the dominant mode is
- (a) 2.5 GHz (c) 10.0 GHz  
(b) 5.0 GHz (d) 12.5 GHz
- 16 A rectangular waveguide having  $TE_{10}$  mode as dominant mode is having a cut off frequency of 18 GHz for the  $TE_{30}$  mode. The inner broad – wall dimension of the rectangular waveguide is
- (a)  $5/3\text{ cm}$  (c)  $5/2\text{ cm}$   
(b) 5 cm (d) 10 cm



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- 17 Which one of the following does represent the electric field lines for the  $TE_{02}$  mode in the cross – section of a hollow rectangular metallic waveguide?



- 18 A rectangular waveguide having  $TE_{10}$  mode as dominant mode is having a cut off frequency of 18 GHz for the  $TE_{30}$  mode. The inner broad – wall dimension of the rectangular waveguide is
- (a)  $5/3$  cm (c)  $5/2$  cm  
(b) 5 cm (d) 10 cm
- 19 An air – filled rectangular waveguide has inner dimensions of  $3\text{ cm} \times 2\text{ cm}$ . The wave impedance of the  $TE_{20}$  mode of propagation in the waveguide at a frequency of 30 GHz is (free space impedance  $\eta_0 = 377\ \Omega$ ).
- (a)  $308\ \Omega$  (c)  $400\ \Omega$   
(b)  $355\ \Omega$  (d)  $461\ \Omega$

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- 20 The  $\vec{E}$  field in a rectangular waveguide of inner dimensions  $a \times b$  is given by
- $$\vec{E} = \frac{\omega \mu}{h^2} \left( \frac{\pi}{a} \right) H_0 \sin \left( \frac{2\pi x}{a} \right) \sin(\omega t - \beta z) \hat{y},$$
- Where  $H_0$  is a constant,  $a$  and  $b$  are the dimensions along the  $x$  – axis and the  $y$  – axis respectively. The mode of propagation in the waveguide is
- (a)  $TE_{20}$  (c)  $TM_{20}$   
(b)  $TM_{11}$  (d)  $TM_{10}$
- 21 A rectangular waveguide of internal dimensions ( $a = 4$  cm and  $b = 3$  cm) is to be operated in  $TE_{11}$  mode. The minimum operating frequency is
- (a) 6.25 GHz (c) 5.0 GHz  
(b) 6.0 GHz (d) 3.75 GHz
- 22 For a rectangular waveguide of internal dimensions  $a \times b$  ( $a > b$ ), the cut – off frequency for the  $TE_{11}$  mode is the arithmetic mean of the cut – off frequencies for  $TE_{10}$  mode and  $TE_{20}$  mode. If  $a = \sqrt{5}$  cm. the value of  $b$  (in cm) is -----.
- 23 An air – filled rectangular waveguide of internal dimension  $a$  cm  $\times$   $b$  cm ( $a > b$ ) has a cut off frequency of 6 GHz for the dominant  $TE_{10}$  mode. For the same waveguide, if the cutoff frequency of the  $TM_{11}$  mode is 15 GHz, the frequency of the  $TE_{01}$  mode GHz is \_\_\_\_\_
- 24 Consider an air – filled rectangular waveguide with dimensions  $a = 2.286$  cm and  $b = 1.016$  cm. At 10 GHz operating frequency, the value of the propagation constant (per meter) of the corresponding propagation mode is \_\_\_\_\_
- 25 Consider an air – filled rectangular waveguide with dimensions  $a = 2.286$  cm and  $b = 1.016$  cm. The increasing order of the cut – off frequency for different modes is
- (a)  $TE_{01} < TE_{10} < TE_{11} < TE_{20}$  (c)  $TE_{10} < TE_{20} < TE_{01} < TE_{11}$   
(b)  $TE_{20} < TE_{11} < TE_{10} < TE_{01}$  (d)  $TE_{10} < TE_{11} < TE_{20} < TE_{01}$