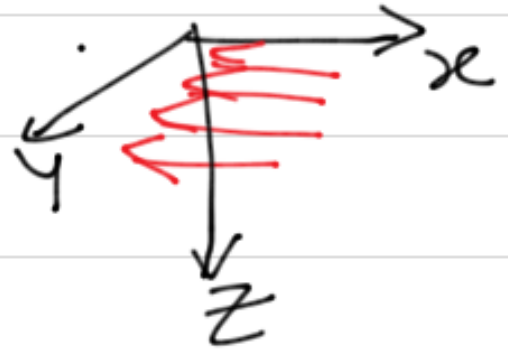


Consider an infinite plane sheet of current

$$\vec{J}_s = -J_s(t) \hat{x} \quad \text{at } z=0$$



$$\nabla \times \vec{E} = -\frac{\partial \vec{B}}{\partial t}, \quad \nabla \times \vec{H} = \vec{J} + \frac{\partial \vec{D}}{\partial t}$$

Since only  $\hat{x}$  of  $\vec{J}$  exists, we can set all derivatives with respect to  $x$  and  $y$  to zero, i.e., wave propagates along  $z$ .

$$-\frac{\partial E_y}{\partial z} = -\frac{\partial B_x}{\partial t}, \quad -\frac{\partial H_y}{\partial z} = J_x + \frac{\partial D_x}{\partial t} \quad ||$$

$$|| \quad \frac{\partial E_x}{\partial z} = -\frac{\partial B_y}{\partial t}, \quad \frac{\partial H_x}{\partial z} = \frac{\partial D_y}{\partial t}$$

$$0 = -\frac{\partial B_z}{\partial t}, \quad 0 = \frac{\partial D_z}{\partial t}$$

Only 2 equations involve  $J_x$ , but here  $J_x$  is a volume current density. So, we first solve with  $J_x = 0$

$$\frac{\partial E_x}{\partial z} = -\mu_0 \frac{\partial H_y}{\partial t}, \quad \frac{\partial H_y}{\partial z} = -\epsilon_0 \frac{\partial E_x}{\partial t} \Rightarrow \frac{\partial^2 E_x}{\partial z^2} = \mu_0 \epsilon_0 \frac{\partial^2 E_x}{\partial t^2}$$

$$\frac{\partial^2 E_x}{\partial z^2} = \mu_0 \epsilon_0 \frac{\partial^2 E_x}{\partial t^2}$$

Define  $\tau = z \sqrt{\mu_0 \epsilon_0} = \frac{z}{v_p}$

Also define intrinsic impedance  $\eta_0 = \sqrt{\frac{\mu_0}{\epsilon_0}} = 377 \Omega$

Such that we can write the solutions

$$E_x(z, t) = A f\left(t - \frac{z}{v_p}\right) + B g\left(t + \frac{z}{v_p}\right)$$

$$H_y(z, t) = \frac{1}{\eta_0} \left[ A f\left(t - \frac{z}{v_p}\right) - B g\left(t + \frac{z}{v_p}\right) \right]$$

We will return to these equations later (when we do plane waves). But, we can see the analogy with TLS now

$$\frac{\partial E_x}{\partial z} = -\mu_0 \frac{\partial H_y}{\partial t} \longleftrightarrow \frac{\partial V}{\partial z} = -L \frac{\partial I}{\partial t}$$

$$\frac{\partial H_y}{\partial z} = -\epsilon_0 \frac{\partial E_x}{\partial t} \longleftrightarrow \frac{\partial I}{\partial z} = -C \frac{\partial V}{\partial t}$$

$$E_x \rightarrow V$$

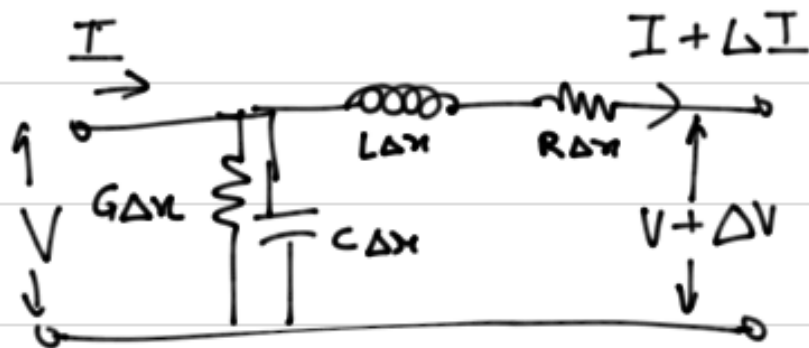
$$\mu_0 \rightarrow L$$

$$v_p = \frac{1}{\sqrt{\mu_0 \epsilon_0}} \rightarrow \frac{1}{\sqrt{LC}}$$

$$H_y \rightarrow I$$

$$\epsilon_0 \rightarrow C$$

$$Z_0 = \sqrt{\frac{\mu_0}{\epsilon_0}} \rightarrow \sqrt{\frac{L}{C}}$$



$$\left. \begin{aligned} \Delta V &= -(R\Delta x + j\omega L\Delta x)I \\ \Delta I &= -(G\Delta x + j\omega C\Delta x)V \end{aligned} \right\} \begin{aligned} \frac{\Delta V}{\Delta x} &= -(R + j\omega L)I \\ \frac{\Delta I}{\Delta x} &= -(G + j\omega C)V \end{aligned}$$

Lim  $\Delta x \rightarrow 0$

$$\frac{d^2 V}{dx^2} = +(R + j\omega L)(G + j\omega C)V$$

$$\frac{d^2 I}{dx^2} = -(R + j\omega L)(G + j\omega C)I$$

Define  $\gamma^2 = (R + j\omega L)(G + j\omega C) = \alpha + j\beta$

$$V = V^+ e^{-\gamma x} + V^- e^{\gamma x}$$

$$I = I^+ e^{-\gamma x} + I^- e^{\gamma x}$$

To get instantaneous values insert time harmonics

$$V(t) = V^+ e^{j\omega t - \gamma x} + V^- e^{j\omega t + \gamma x}, \quad I(t) = I^+ e^{j\omega t - \gamma x} + I^- e^{j\omega t + \gamma x}$$

Arbitrary Constants  $V^{\pm}, I^{\pm}$

$$\frac{d}{dx} [V^+ e^{-\gamma x} + V^- e^{\gamma x}] = -(R + j\omega L) [I^+ e^{-\gamma x} + I^- e^{\gamma x}]$$

$$-\gamma [V^+ e^{-\gamma x} - V^- e^{\gamma x}] = -(R + j\omega L) (I^+ e^{-\gamma x} + I^- e^{\gamma x})$$

Must be true for all  $x$  !! Can only happen if we  
equate coeffs of  $e^{\pm \gamma x}$

$$e^{-\gamma x}: -\gamma V^+ = -(R + j\omega L) I^+$$

$$e^{+\gamma x}: \gamma V^- = -(R + j\omega L) I^-$$

$$\left. \begin{aligned} \frac{V^+}{I^+} &= \frac{R + j\omega L}{\gamma} = \sqrt{\frac{R + j\omega L}{G + j\omega C}} \\ \frac{V^-}{I^-} &= -\left(\frac{R + j\omega L}{\gamma}\right) = -\sqrt{\frac{R + j\omega L}{G + j\omega C}} \end{aligned} \right\} Z_0 = \sqrt{\frac{R + j\omega L}{G + j\omega C}}$$

$$\begin{aligned} V &= V^+ e^{-\gamma x} + V^- e^{\gamma x} \\ I &= \frac{V^+}{Z_0} e^{-\gamma x} - \frac{V^-}{Z_0} e^{\gamma x} \end{aligned}$$

$$\boxed{\begin{aligned} f\lambda &= v_p \\ \frac{\omega}{\beta} &= v_p \end{aligned}}$$

General solutions for the line voltage and current are

$$V(z,t) = A \cos\left[\omega\left(t - \frac{z}{v_p}\right) + \theta\right] + B \cos\left[\omega\left(t + \frac{z}{v_p}\right) + \phi\right]$$

$$I(z,t) = \frac{A}{Z_0} \cos\left[\omega\left(t - \frac{z}{v_p}\right) + \theta\right] - \frac{B}{Z_0} \cos\left[\omega\left(t + \frac{z}{v_p}\right) + \phi\right]$$

In phasor notation,

$$\begin{aligned} \bar{V}(z) &= \bar{V}^+ e^{-j\beta z} + \bar{V}^- e^{+j\beta z} \\ \bar{I}(z) &= \frac{\bar{V}^+}{Z_0} e^{-j\beta z} - \frac{\bar{V}^-}{Z_0} e^{+j\beta z} \end{aligned} \quad \left. \begin{array}{l} \bar{V}^+ = A e^{j\theta} \\ \bar{V}^- = B e^{j\phi} \end{array} \right\}$$

$$\text{Wave number } \beta = \frac{\omega}{v_p} = \frac{2\pi}{\lambda} \quad [\text{rad/m}]$$

In T.L.s we often define distances from the load end

$$d = -z; \quad V(d) = V^+ e^{j\beta d} + V^- e^{-j\beta d} \quad (\text{dropped } \bar{V})$$

$$\text{Plane waves: } e^{-j\vec{\beta} \cdot \vec{r}} \quad \vec{\beta} \cdot \vec{r} = \beta_x x + \beta_y y + \beta_z z$$

Suppose we had  $V_g(t)$  instead of the impulse  $\delta(t)$

e.g. Freq response to  $V_g = \cos \omega t$

$$\bar{V}_0(\omega) = \frac{4}{q} \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \left(\frac{1}{q}\right)^n e^{-j\omega(2nT_2 + T_0)}$$

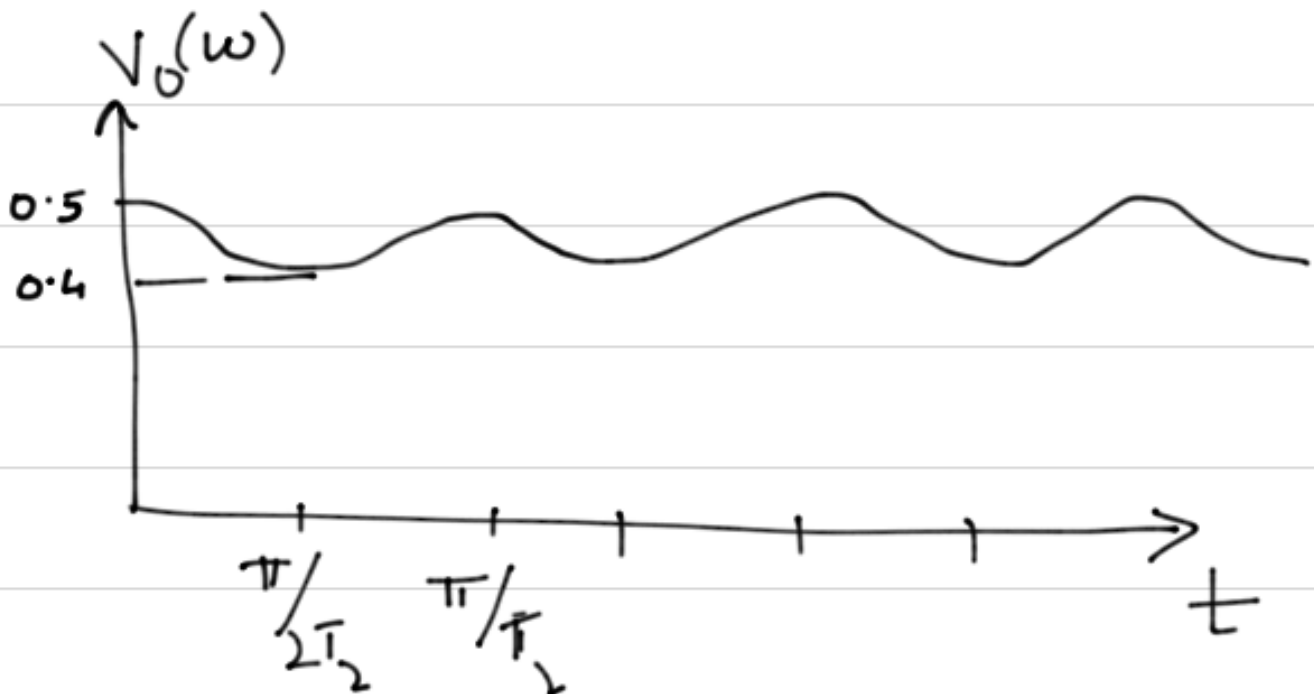
$$= \frac{4}{q} e^{-j\omega T_0} \sum_n \left(\frac{1}{q} e^{-j\omega T_2}\right)^n$$

$$= \frac{(4/q) e^{-j\omega T_0}}{1 - (1/q) e^{-2j\omega T_2}}$$

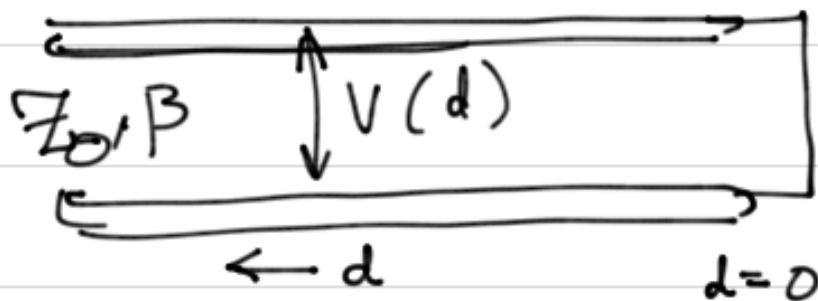
$$\sum_n x^n = \frac{1}{1-x}$$

Maxima at  $2\omega T_2 = 2m\pi$  ,  $m = 0, 1, 2, \dots$

Minima at  $2\omega T_2 = (2m+1)\pi$



T.L. Shorted at load end.



$$V(0) = 0 \Rightarrow V^+ + V^- = 0 \quad \text{Boundary Condition}$$
$$\Rightarrow V^- = -V^+$$

$$V(d) = V^+ e^{j\beta d} - V^+ e^{-j\beta d} = 2jV^+ \sin \beta d$$

$$I(d) = \frac{1}{Z_0} (V^+ e^{j\beta d} + V^+ e^{-j\beta d}) = \frac{2V^+}{Z_0} \cos \beta d$$

Real voltage, current, power?

$$\begin{aligned} V(d,t) &= \text{Re} [\bar{V}(d) e^{j\omega t}] \\ &= \text{Re} (2 e^{j\pi/2} |\bar{V}^+| e^{j\theta} \sin \beta d e^{j\omega t}) \\ &= -2 |\bar{V}^+| \sin \beta d \sin (\omega t + \theta) \end{aligned}$$

$$I(d,t) = \frac{2 |\bar{V}^+|}{Z_0} \cos \beta d \cos (\omega t + \theta)$$

$$P(d,t) = V(d,t) I(d,t) \quad \text{Instantaneous Power}$$

$$= -\frac{|\bar{V}^+|^2}{Z_0} \sin 2\beta d \sin 2(\omega t + \theta)$$

### Average Power

$$\langle P \rangle = \frac{1}{T} \int_0^T P(d,t) dt = \frac{\omega}{2\pi} \int_{t=0}^{2\pi/\omega} P(d,t) dt$$

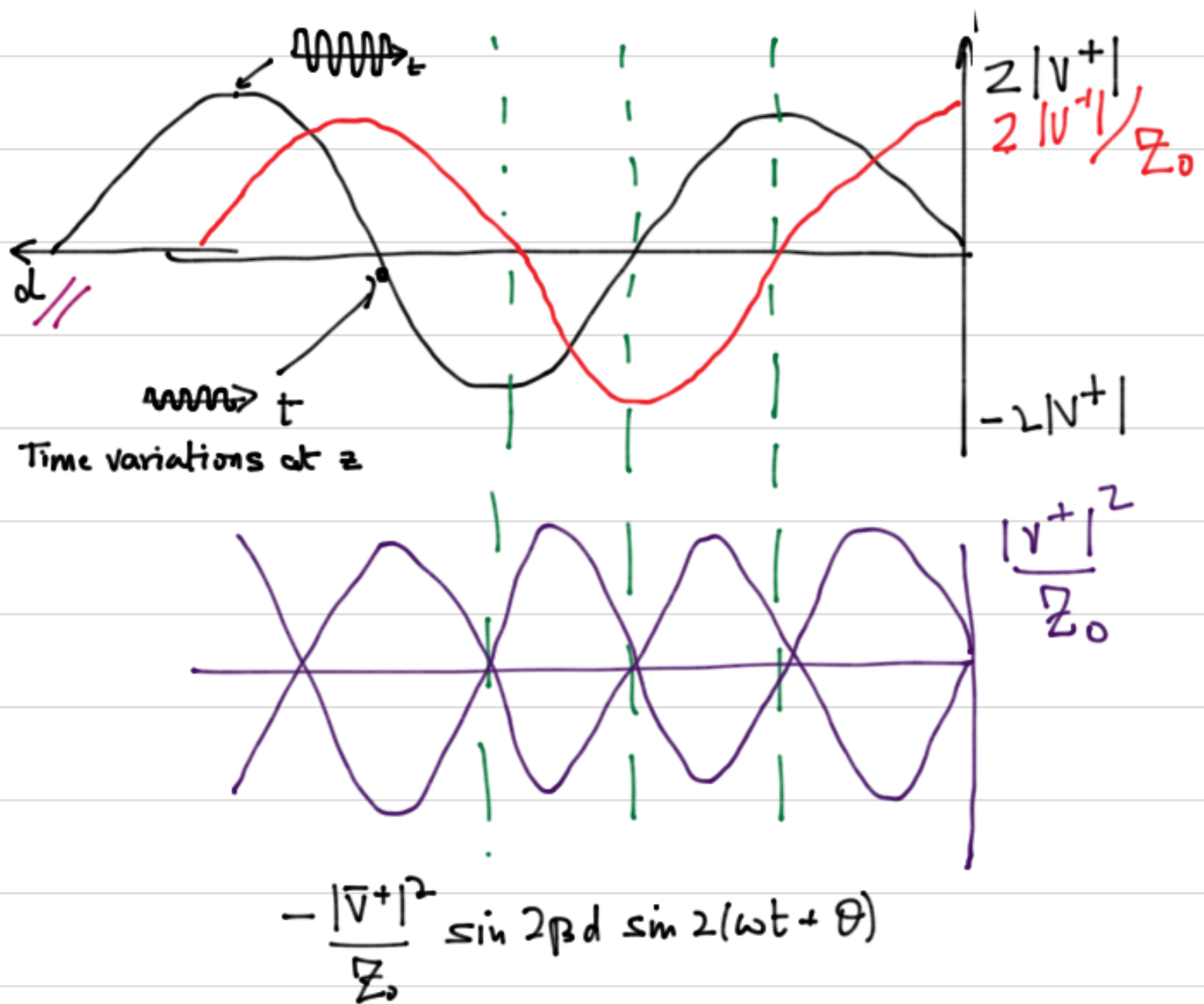
$$= \frac{\omega}{2\pi} \frac{|\bar{V}^+|^2}{Z_0} \sin 2\beta d \int_0^{2\pi/\omega} \sin 2(\omega t + \theta) dt$$

$$= 0!!!$$

What does this mean?

What do  $V(d,t)$ ,  $I(d,t)$  and  $P(d,t)$  look like?





1. Voltage and current are out of phase by  $\pi/2$
2. Since  $P(z, t) = V(z, t) I(z, t)$ , instantaneous power is zero when either voltage or current are zero
3. At any point along the line, there is also a sinusoidal time variation

## Transmission line terminated in a short circuit.

Recall that  $V(0)=0 \Rightarrow V^- = -V^+$

$$\text{and } V(d) = V^+ e^{j\beta d} + V^- e^{-j\beta d}$$

$$= 2jV^+ \sin \beta d$$

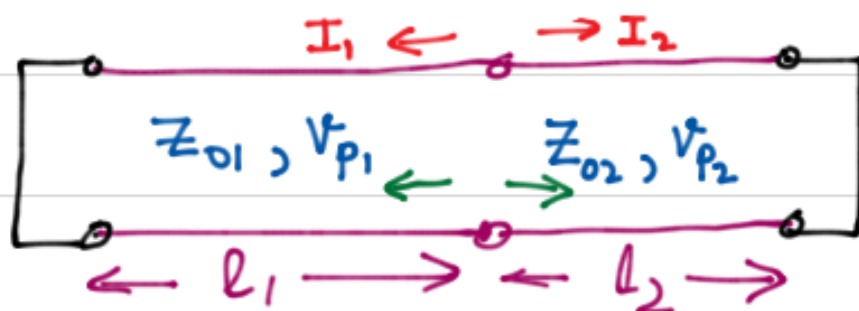
$$\text{and } I(d) = \frac{2V^+}{Z_0} \cos \beta d$$

$$\left. \begin{array}{l} \\ \end{array} \right\} Z(d) = jZ_0 \tan \beta d$$

For a <sup>lossless</sup> line of length  $l$ , the input impedance is purely reactive:

$$Z_{in} = jZ_0 \tan \beta L = jZ_0 \tan \frac{2\pi f}{v_p} L$$

What will happen if you connect two shorted lines?

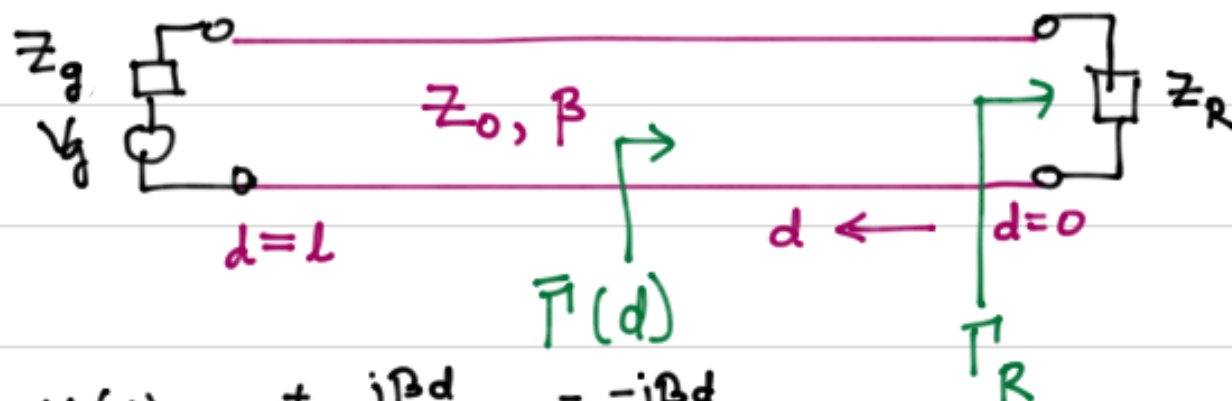


$$I_1 + I_2 = 0, \quad V_1 = V_2 \Rightarrow \frac{I_1}{V_1} + \frac{I_2}{V_2} = 0 \quad \text{or} \quad Y_1 + Y_2 = 0$$

where  $Y$  is the admittance  $\frac{1}{Z}$

$$\therefore Z_{01} \tan \beta_1 l_1 + Z_{02} \tan \beta_2 l_2 = 0$$

Line terminated with arbitrary load.



$$V(d) = V^+ e^{j\beta d} + V^- e^{-j\beta d}$$

$$I(d) = \frac{1}{Z_0} (V^+ e^{j\beta d} - V^- e^{-j\beta d})$$

Boundary condition  $V(0) = Z_R I(0)$

$$\therefore V^+ + V^- = \frac{Z_R}{Z_0} (V^+ - V^-) \Rightarrow V^- = V^+ \frac{Z_R - Z_0}{Z_R + Z_0}$$

$$\Gamma_R = \frac{V^-}{V^+} = \frac{Z_R - Z_0}{Z_R + Z_0}$$

$$\therefore V(d) = V^+ e^{j\beta d} + \Gamma_R V^+ e^{-j\beta d}$$

$$I(d) = \frac{1}{Z_0} (V^+ e^{j\beta d} - \Gamma_R V^+ e^{-j\beta d})$$

$$\text{We can also define } \bar{\Gamma}(d) = \frac{\bar{\Gamma}_R \bar{V}^+ e^{-j\beta d}}{\bar{V}^+ e^{j\beta d}} = \bar{\Gamma}_R e^{-2j\beta d}$$

*complex*

For a line of length  $l$

$$\begin{aligned}\bar{Z}_{in} = \bar{Z}(l) &= Z_0 \frac{1 + \bar{\Gamma}(l)}{1 - \bar{\Gamma}(l)} \\ &= Z_0 \frac{1 + \Gamma_R e^{-j2\beta d}}{1 - \Gamma_R e^{-j2\beta d}}, \quad \Gamma_R = \frac{Z_R - Z_0}{Z_R + Z_0}\end{aligned}$$

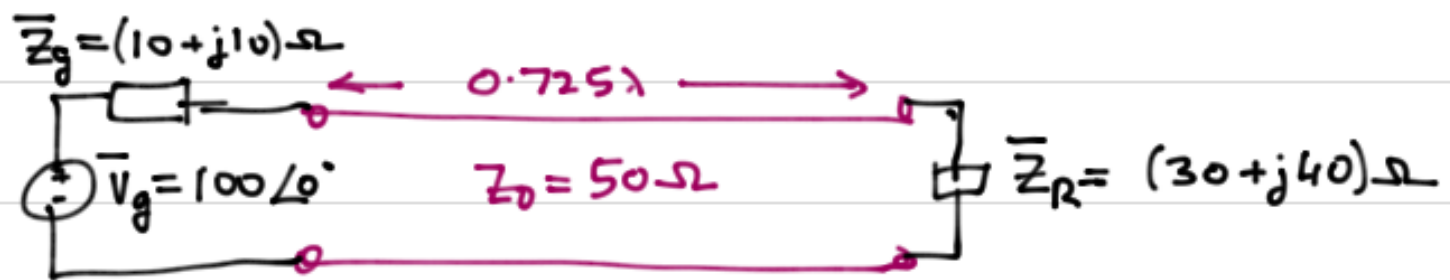
$$\begin{aligned}\frac{\bar{Z}_{in}}{Z_0} &= \frac{Z_R + Z_0 + (Z_R - Z_0)e^{-j2\beta d}}{Z_R + Z_0 - (Z_R - Z_0)e^{-j2\beta d}} \\ &= \frac{(Z_R + Z_0)e^{j\beta d} + (Z_R - Z_0)e^{-j\beta d}}{(Z_R + Z_0)e^{j\beta d} - (Z_R - Z_0)e^{-j\beta d}} \\ &= \frac{Z_R \cos(\beta d) + j Z_0 \sin(\beta d)}{j Z_R \sin \beta d + Z_0 \cos \beta d}\end{aligned}$$

$$\frac{\bar{Z}_{in}}{Z_0} = \frac{Z_R \cos(\beta d) + j Z_0 \sin(\beta d)}{Z_0 \cos(\beta d) + j Z_R \sin(\beta d)}$$

Standing Wave Ratio : find  $|\Gamma_R|$  through measurement

$$SWR = \frac{V_{max}}{V_{min}} = \frac{|\bar{V}|(1 + |\bar{\Gamma}_R|)}{|\bar{V}|(1 - |\bar{\Gamma}_R|)} = \frac{1 + |\bar{\Gamma}_R|}{1 - |\bar{\Gamma}_R|}$$

## Power delivered to a load.



$$(a) \bar{\Gamma}_R = \frac{\bar{Z}_R - \bar{Z}_0}{\bar{Z}_R + \bar{Z}_0} =$$

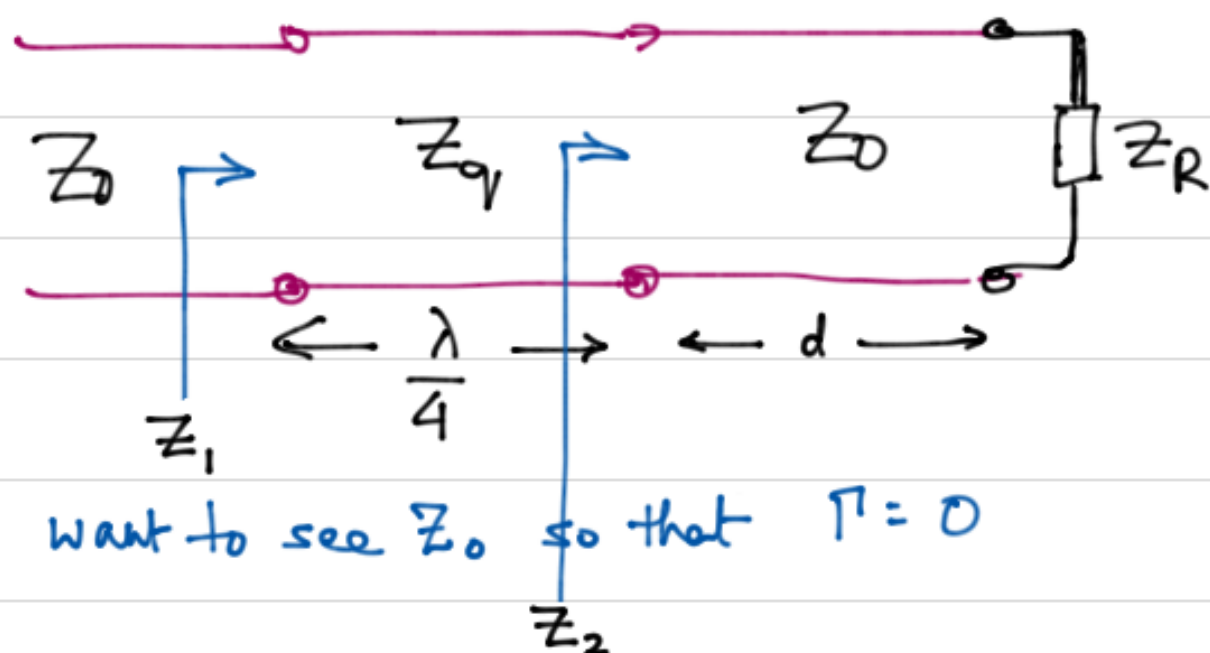
$$(b) \bar{\Gamma}(l) =$$

$$(c) \bar{Z}_{in} = \bar{Z}(l) = Z_0 \frac{1 + \bar{\Gamma}(l)}{1 - \bar{\Gamma}(l)}$$

$$(d) \bar{I}(l) = \bar{I}_g = \frac{\bar{V}_g}{\bar{Z}_g + \bar{Z}_{in}}$$

$$(e) \bar{V}(l) = \bar{Z}_{in} \bar{I}(l)$$

$$(f) \langle P \rangle = \frac{1}{2} \operatorname{Re} [\bar{V}(l) \bar{I}^*(l)] = 48.26 \text{ W}$$



$Z_1$ : want to see  $Z_0$  so that  $\Gamma = 0$

What do we see here? Impedance could be complex, unless we pick  $d$  correctly. So, we must choose  $d$

Line impedance is real where voltage is at its max or min

$$\frac{Z_2}{Z_0} = \frac{Z_R \cos(\beta d) + j Z_0 \sin(\beta d)}{Z_0 \cos(\beta d) + j Z_R \sin(\beta d)}$$

$$\text{For } \beta d = \frac{\pi}{2} \Rightarrow d = \frac{\pi}{2} \cdot \frac{\lambda}{2\pi} = \frac{\lambda}{4}$$

$$\text{For } \beta d = \pi, d = \frac{\lambda}{2}$$

$$\frac{Z_2}{Z_0} = \frac{j Z_0}{j Z_R} \Rightarrow Z_2 = \frac{Z_0^2}{Z_R}$$

$$\frac{Z_2}{Z_0} = \frac{Z_R}{Z_0} \Rightarrow Z_2 = Z_R$$

Similarly  $Z_q^2 = Z_1 Z_2$  ; we just want  $Z_1 = Z_0$

$$Z_q = Z_0 \frac{Z_0}{Z_R}$$

$$Z_q = Z_0 Z_R$$

Bandwidth estimates:

How robust is the impedance match?

$$\tilde{z} = \frac{Z_{in}}{Z_0} = \frac{Z_L \cos(\beta l) + j Z_0 \sin(\beta l)}{Z_0 \cos(\beta l) + j Z_L \sin(\beta l)} \quad l = \frac{\lambda}{4}$$

Suppose  $\beta = \beta_0 + \delta\beta$ ,  $\beta_0 l = \frac{\pi}{2}$

$$\begin{aligned} \cos(\beta l) &= \cos(\beta_0 l + \delta\beta l) \quad \leftarrow \cos(A+B) \\ &= \cos A \cos B - \sin A \sin B; \\ &= -\sin(\delta\beta l) \approx -(\delta\beta)l \quad \cos(\delta\beta l) \approx 1 \end{aligned}$$

Could also do  $\frac{\partial \cos(\beta l)}{\partial(\beta l)} = -\sin(\beta l) \Big|_{\pi/2} = -1.$

This is the first term in a Taylor series expansion

$$\cos(\beta l) \approx \cos(\beta_0 l) + \frac{\partial \cos(\beta l)}{\partial(\beta l)} \Big|_{\beta_0 l} \delta(\beta l) + O(\delta^2(\beta l))$$

remember to evaluate the derivative term  
order of

$$\therefore \cos(\beta l) \approx \cos(\pi/2) - \delta(\beta l) = -(\delta\beta)l$$



## Impedance mismatch due to small variations

$$\begin{aligned}\bar{z} = \frac{Z_{in}}{Z_0} &= \frac{Z_L \cos(\beta l) + j Z_0 \sin(\beta l)}{Z_0 \cos(\beta l) + j Z_L \sin(\beta l)} \quad \leftarrow \sin(\pi/2) \cos(\delta\beta l) + \cos(\pi/2) \sin(\delta\beta l) \\ &\approx \frac{-Z_L \delta(\beta l) + j Z_0}{-Z_0 \delta(\beta l) + j Z_L} = \frac{j Z_0 (1 + j \frac{Z_L}{Z_0} \delta(\beta l))}{j Z_L (1 + j \frac{Z_0}{Z_L} \delta(\beta l))} \\ &= \frac{Z_0 [1 + j \frac{Z_L}{Z_0} \delta(\beta l)]}{Z_L [1 + j \frac{Z_0}{Z_L} \delta(\beta l)]}\end{aligned}$$

Assuming  $Z_0 \sim Z_L$  such that we can use  $\frac{1}{1+x} \approx 1-x$

$$\begin{aligned}\bar{z} &= \frac{Z_0}{Z_L} [1 + j \frac{Z_L}{Z_0} \delta(\beta l)] [1 - j \frac{Z_0}{Z_L} \delta(\beta l)] \\ &= \frac{Z_0}{Z_L} \left[ 1 + j \left( \frac{Z_L}{Z_0} - \frac{Z_0}{Z_L} \right) \delta(\beta l) \right]\end{aligned}$$

We have thrown away all  $O(\delta^2(\beta l))$  terms

$$\text{Since } \bar{z} = \frac{Z_{in}}{Z_0}, \quad Z_{in} \approx \frac{Z_0^2}{Z_L} + j Z_0 \underbrace{\left( \frac{Z_L}{Z_0} - \frac{Z_0}{Z_L} \right)}_{\delta(\beta l)}$$

The only real way to remove the first order variation is to actually have  $Z_L = Z_0$ !

We can vary  $\delta(\beta l)$  by changing  $\omega = v_p \beta$  or by assuming errors in setting  $l$ , or both.



## Analogy with EM Waves.



$$\eta_0 = 377 \Omega \quad (\text{air})$$

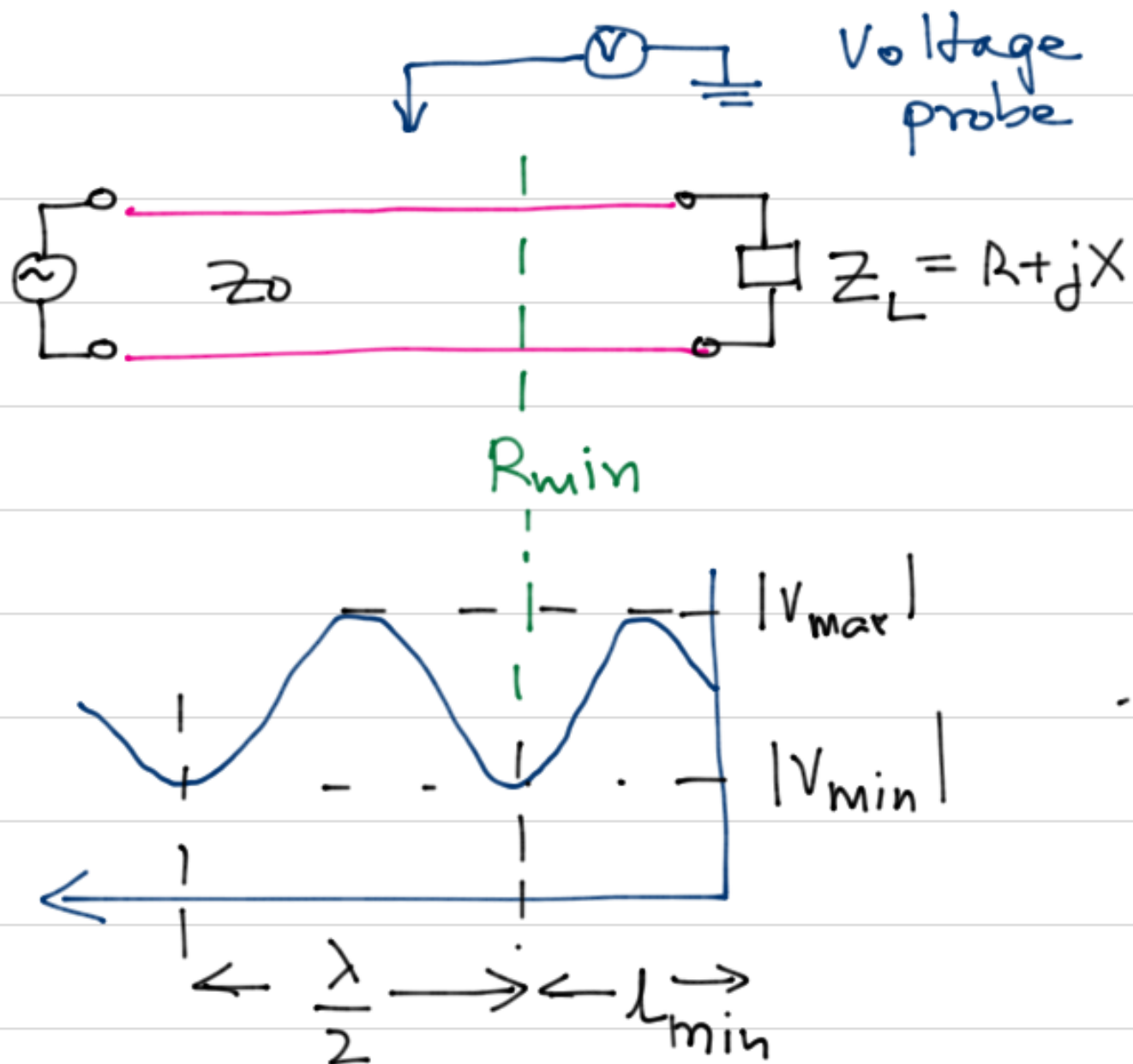
$$\eta_1^2 = \eta_0 \eta_2, \quad d = \frac{\lambda}{4}$$

Anti reflection coating

What is its bandwidth?

Can also ask "what angle does it work at"? A wave could be incident at any angle  $\rightarrow$  when we do WAVES.

# Measurement of an unknown impedance



$$Z_L \equiv R + jX = Z_0 \left[ \frac{R_{min} \cos \beta(-l_{min}) + jZ_0 \sin \beta(-l_{min})}{Z_0 \cos \beta(-l_{min}) + jR_{min} \sin \beta(-l_{min})} \right]$$

Made a measurement at  $l_{min}$  and transformed back to the load.

## Voltage standing wave ratio

$$\rho = \frac{|V_{\max}|}{|V_{\min}|} = \frac{1 + |\Gamma_L|}{1 - |\Gamma_L|}, \quad \Gamma_L = \frac{Z_L - Z_0}{Z_L + Z_0}$$

Recall  $V(l) = V^+ e^{j\beta l} + V^- e^{-j\beta l}$  ↑ load end refl<sup>n</sup>

$$= V^+ e^{j\beta l} [1 + \Gamma(l)]$$

$$= V^+ e^{j\beta l} [1 + \Gamma_L e^{-j2\beta l}]$$

$$= V^+ e^{j\beta l} [1 + \underbrace{|\Gamma_L| e^{j(\phi - 2\beta l)}}_{\text{magnitude is same at every point on the line. Phase changes.}}]$$

$$\therefore |V_{\min}| = |V^+| [1 - |\Gamma_L|]$$

$$|V_{\max}| = |V^+| [1 + |\Gamma_L|]$$

magnitude is same at every point on the line. Phase changes.

$V$  repeats  $2\beta(\Delta L) = 2\pi$   
 $\therefore \Delta L = \frac{\lambda}{2}$

$$|I_{\max}| = \frac{|V_{\max}|}{Z_0} = \frac{|V^+|}{Z_0} (1 + |\Gamma_L|)$$

$$|I_{\min}| = \frac{|V_{\min}|}{Z_0} = \frac{|V^+|}{Z_0} (1 - |\Gamma_L|)$$

More interesting stuff!

$$R_{\min} = \frac{|V_{\min}|}{|I_{\max}|} = \frac{1 - |\Gamma_L|}{1 + |\Gamma_L|} Z_0 = \frac{Z_0}{\rho} \leftarrow \text{measure!}$$

$$\therefore Z_L \equiv R + jX_L = Z_0 \left[ \frac{\frac{Z_0}{\rho} \cos \beta l_{\min} - j Z_0 \sin \beta l_{\min}}{Z_0 \cos \beta l_{\min} - j \frac{Z_0}{\rho} \sin \beta l_{\min}} \right]$$

$$= Z_0 \left[ \frac{1 - j\rho \tan \beta l_{\min}}{\rho - j \tan \beta l_{\min}} \right]$$

$$\therefore R = \frac{\rho (1 + \tan^2 \beta l_{\min})}{\rho^2 + \tan^2 \beta l_{\min}}$$

$$X = \frac{(1 - \rho^2) \tan \beta l_{\min}}{\rho^2 + \tan^2 \beta l_{\min}}$$

By measuring VSWR and finding  $l_{\min}$ , we can determine  $Z_L$  (assuming we know  $\beta$ )

## Lossy transmission line.

$$Z_0 = \sqrt{\frac{R+j\omega L}{G+j\omega C}} \approx \sqrt{\frac{R}{G}} \quad (\text{real}) \quad \text{for } R \gg \omega L, G \gg \omega C$$

just being real  
does not guarantee  
being lossless

$$\approx \sqrt{\frac{L}{C}} \quad (\text{real}) \quad \text{for } R \ll \omega L, G \ll \omega C$$

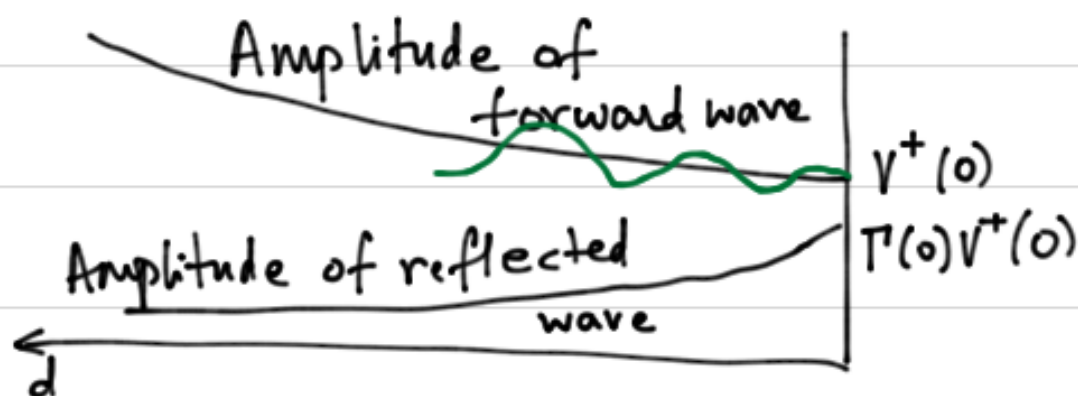
$$\gamma = \sqrt{(R+j\omega L)(G+j\omega C)} \approx \sqrt{RG} \quad (\text{real}) \quad \text{for } R \gg \omega L, G \gg \omega C$$

$$\approx j\sqrt{LC} \quad (\text{imag}) \quad \text{for } R \ll \omega L, G \ll \omega C$$

In general,  $Z_0 = R_0 + jX_0$ ,  $\gamma = \alpha + j\beta$

$$\Gamma(l) = \Gamma(0)e^{-2\gamma l}$$

$$|\Gamma(l)| = |\Gamma(0)|e^{-2\alpha l}$$



## Low loss transmission line

$$\gamma = \alpha + j\beta = \sqrt{(R + j\omega L)(G + j\omega C)}$$

$$= \sqrt{j\omega L \left\{1 - j\frac{R}{j\omega L}\right\} j\omega C \left\{1 - j\frac{G}{j\omega C}\right\}}$$

$$= j\omega\sqrt{LC} \left\{1 - j\frac{R}{\omega L}\right\}^{1/2} \left\{1 - j\frac{G}{\omega C}\right\}^{1/2}$$

$$\approx j\omega\sqrt{LC} \left\{1 - j\frac{R}{2\omega L}\right\} \left\{1 - j\frac{G}{2\omega C}\right\} + \mathcal{O}\left(\frac{1}{\omega^2}\right)$$

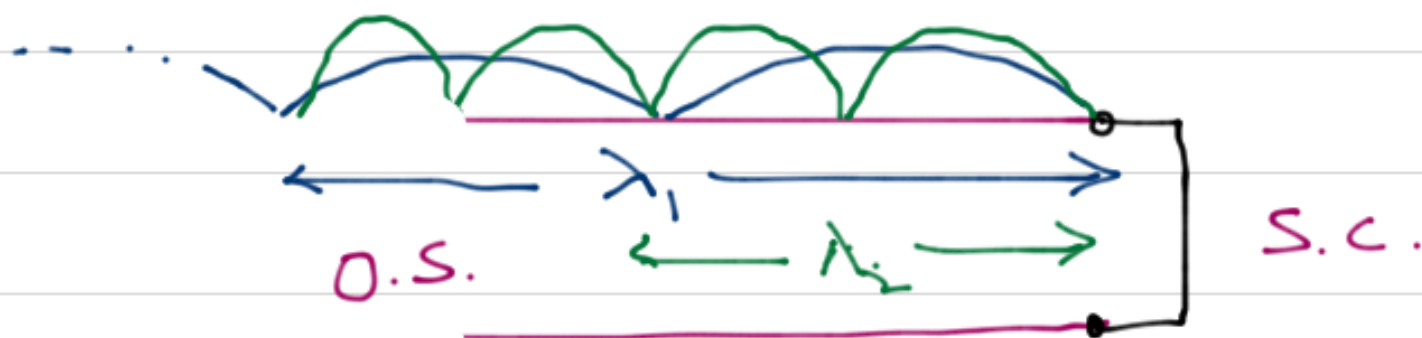
$$= j\omega\sqrt{LC} \left\{1 - j\frac{R}{2\omega L} - j\frac{G}{2\omega C}\right\} + \mathcal{O}\left(\frac{1}{\omega^2}\right)$$

$$\alpha = \frac{R}{2} \sqrt{\frac{C}{L}} + \frac{G}{2} \sqrt{\frac{L}{C}} \quad \leftarrow \text{attenuation constant}$$

$$\beta = \omega\sqrt{LC} \quad \leftarrow \text{phase constant, wave number}$$

## Transmission Lines

1. For an air dielectric line, the frequency is varied upwards from 50 MHz. The current reaches a minimum at 50.01 MHz and a maximum for 50.04 MHz. What is the distance of the short circuit from the "generator"?



Open circuit @ generator, short circuit @ Load

$$L = (2n-1) \frac{\lambda_n}{4}, \quad n = 1, 2, 3, \dots$$

$$\lambda_n = \frac{4L}{2n-1} \Rightarrow f_n = \frac{v_p}{\lambda_n} = \frac{(2n-1)}{4L} v_p, \quad n = 1, 2, 3, \dots$$

$$\frac{v_p}{4L} = (50.04 - 50.01) 10^6 = 3 \times 10^4$$

$$\text{If } v_p = 3 \times 10^8 \text{ m/s}, \quad L = 2.5 \text{ km}$$

2. Find the resonant frequencies for a transmission line resonant system with  $Z_{01} = 2Z_{02} = 60\Omega$ ,  $l_1 = 5\text{cm}$ ,  $l_2 = 2\text{cm}$  and  $v_{p1} = v_{p2} = c/2$

Transcendental equation  $\tan \frac{0.2\pi f}{c} + \frac{1}{2} \tan \frac{0.08\pi f}{c} = 0$

Plot  $\tan \frac{0.2\pi f}{c}$  and  $-\frac{1}{2} \tan \frac{0.08\pi f}{c}$  vs  $f$

intersection points give the solutions.

$f = 1.1869, 2.0861, 3.1324, 4.3676 \text{ GHz}$





3. A  $50\Omega$  line is terminated in a load impedance of  $(75-j69)\Omega$ . The line is  $3.5\text{m}$  long, excited by a source at  $50\text{MHz}$ .  $v_p = 3 \times 10^8\text{m/s}$ . Find the input impedance, the complex input reflection coefficient, the VSWR and the position of the voltage minimum.

4. A  $70\Omega$  transmission line is terminated at  $(50+j10)\Omega$ . Find the position and length of a short circuited stub required for matching if the stub is to be added in

a. series                      b. parallel

5. A transmission line has  $L = 0.25\mu\text{H/m}$ ,  $C = 100\text{pF/m}$  and  $G = 0$ . What should the value of  $R$  be for the line to be treated as low loss? The freq. of operation is  $100\text{MHz}$ .