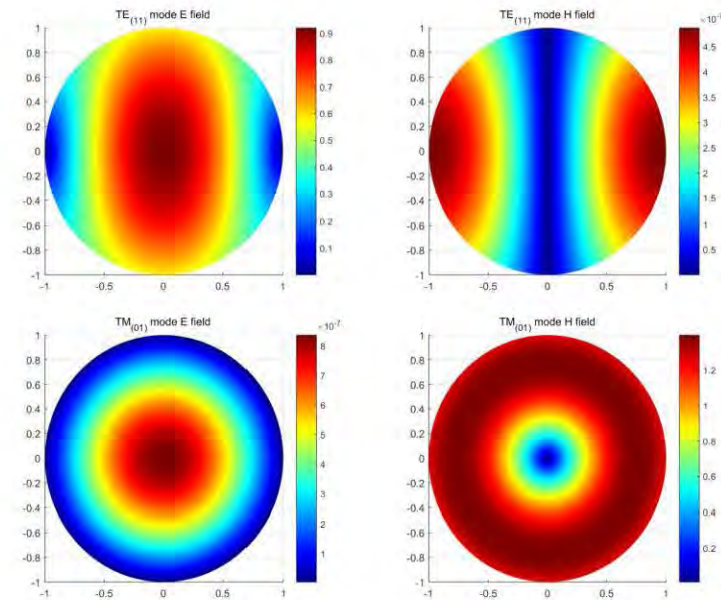
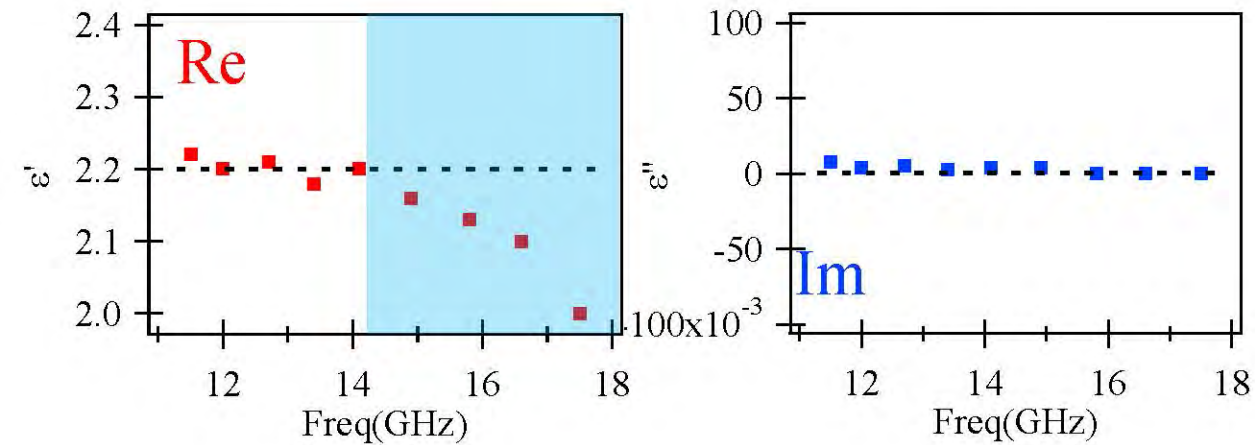


# Dielectric constant of chemical water solutions

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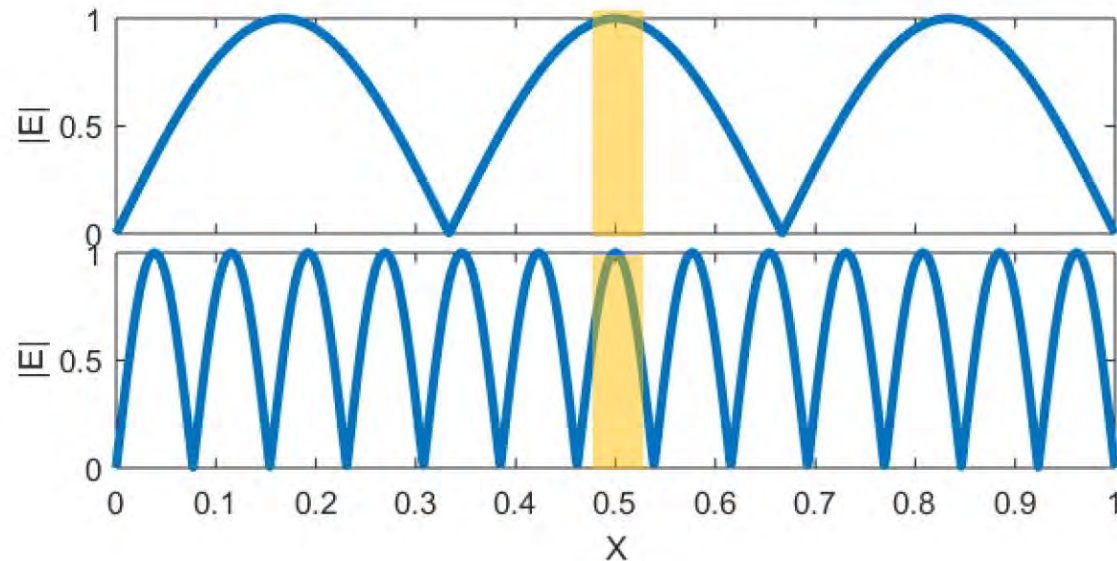
## Resonant method: Yao's 1D cavity



$$(f_c)_{TE_{11}} = 10.92 \text{ GHz}$$

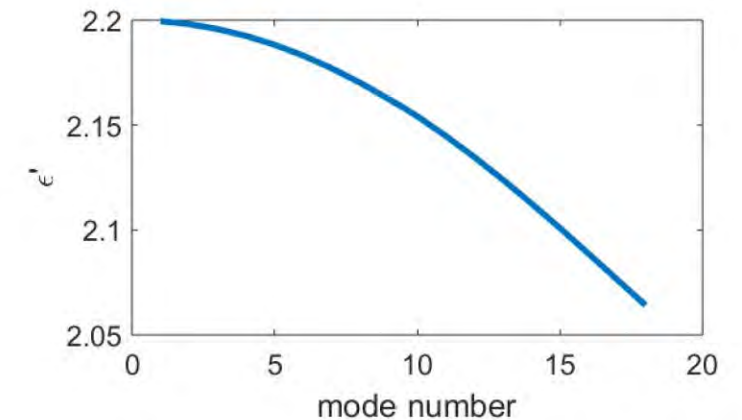
$$(f_c)_{TM_{01}} = 14.26 \text{ GHz}$$

The shift may be caused by the existence of  $TM_{01}$  mode



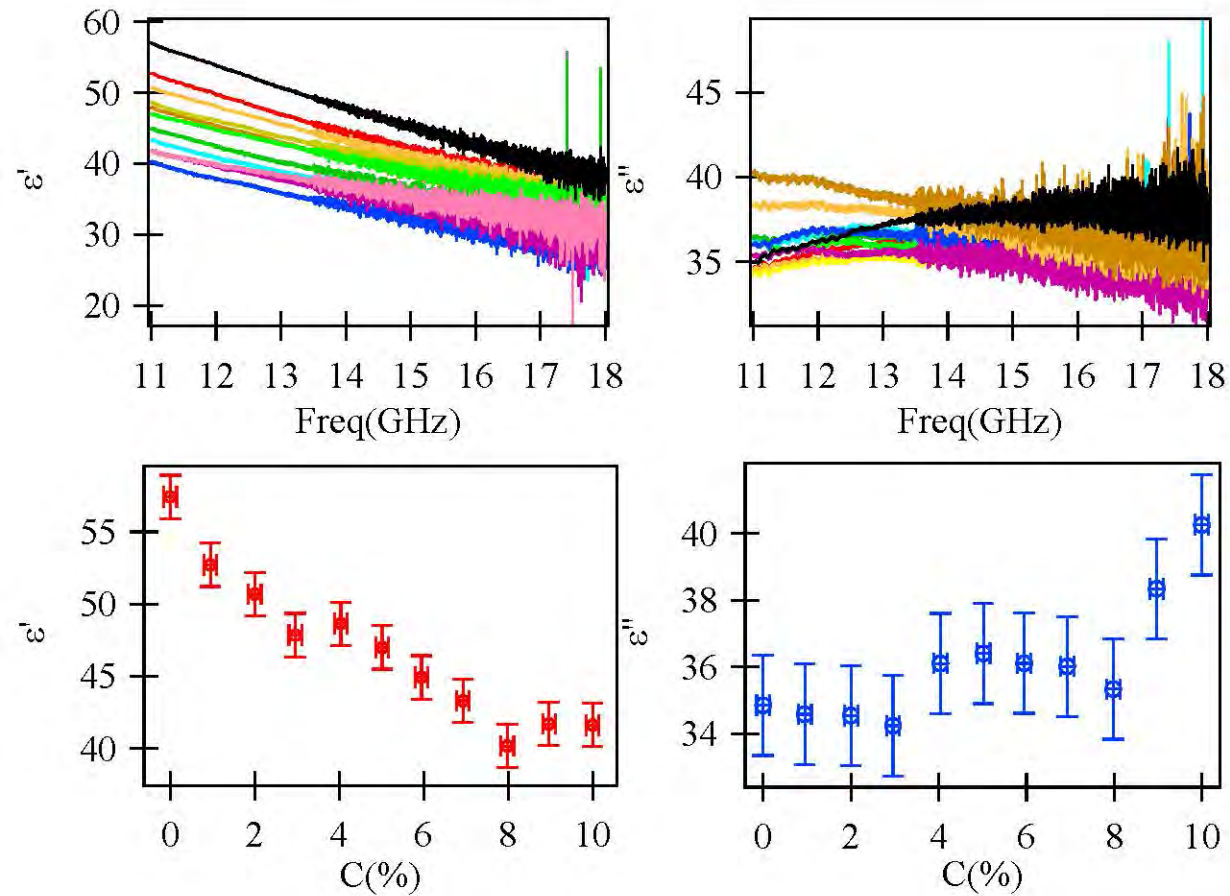
$$\frac{\delta f}{f_0} = \frac{\iiint \delta \epsilon |E|^2}{\iiint \epsilon_0 |E|^2}$$

$$|E| = \sin\left(\frac{\pi x}{L}\right)$$

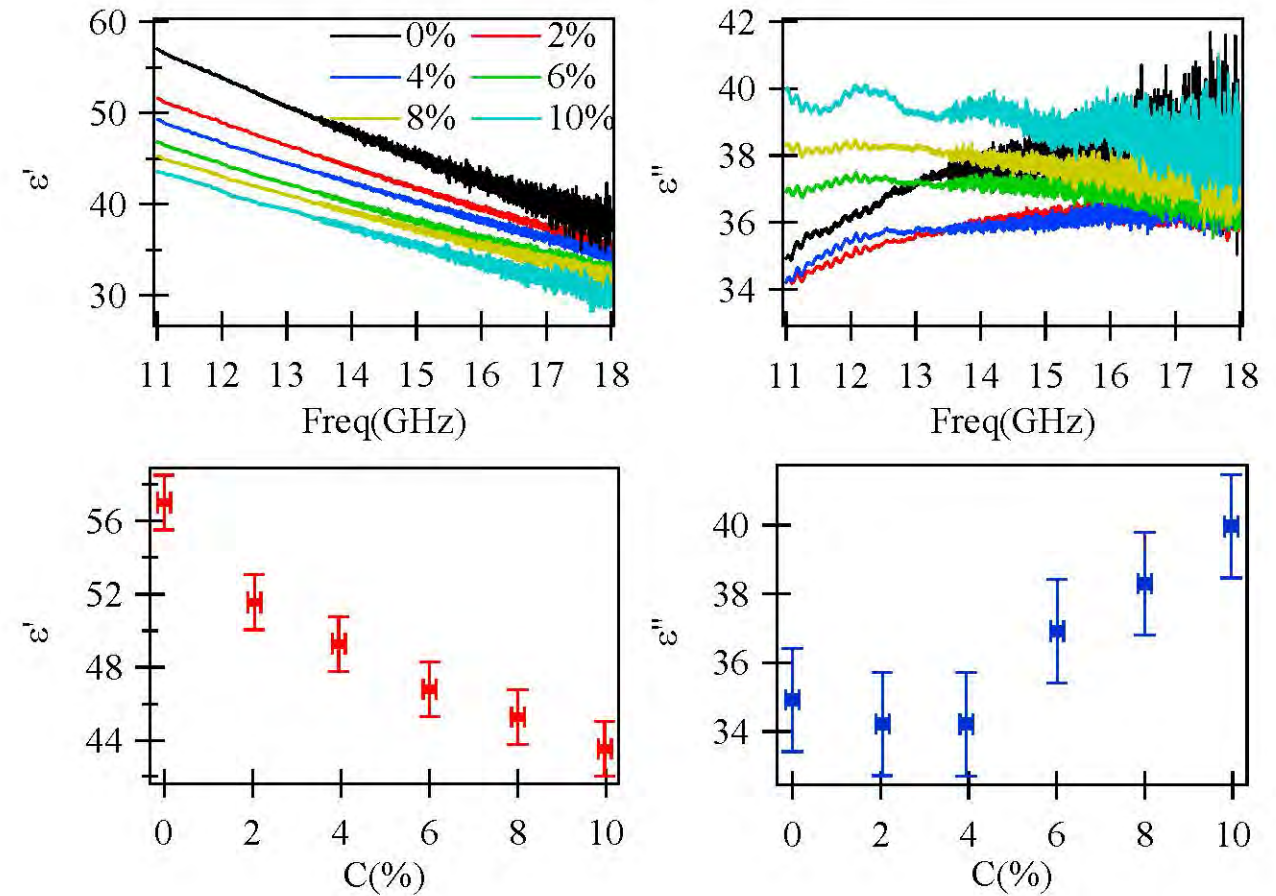


# Dielectric constant of solutions

NaCl solution (1mL)

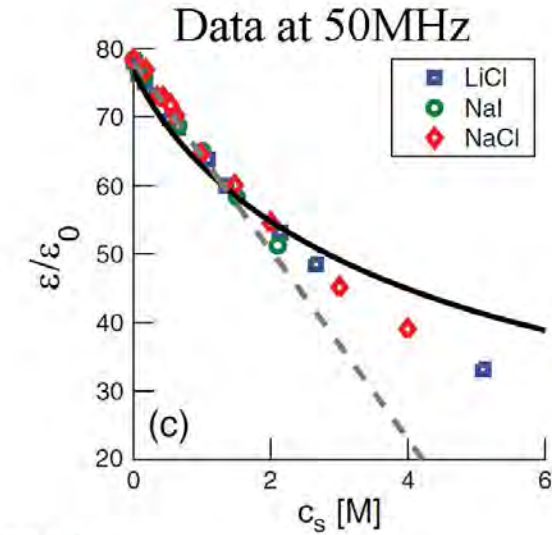
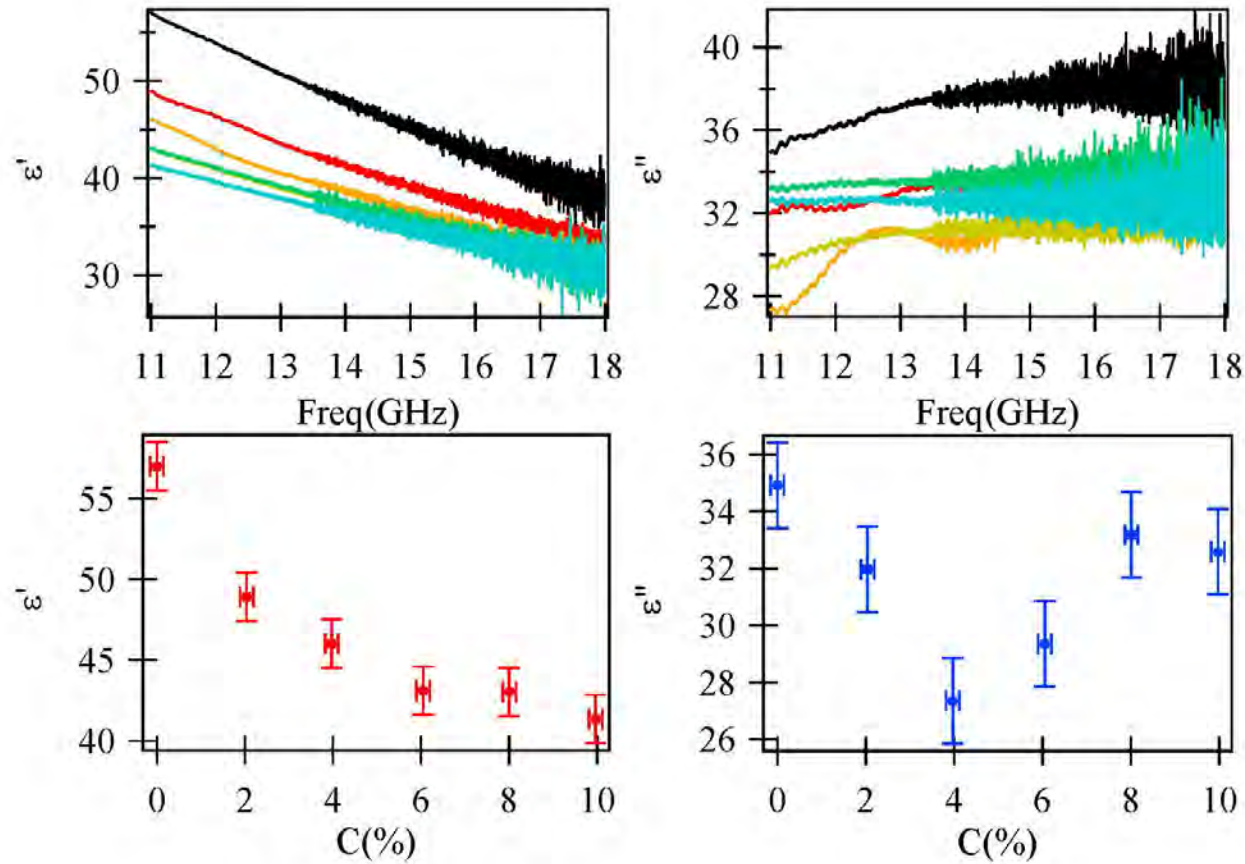


NH<sub>4</sub>NO<sub>3</sub> solution (1mL)





# NaNO<sub>3</sub> solution (1mL)



Summary:

**Real part:** decrease with concentration.

**Imaginary part:** Complicated behavior

Next step:

Collect the data of  
The rest three chemical solutions.  
KNO<sub>3</sub>, KClO<sub>3</sub>, sugar

# Possible application on industry

- Composites innovation center
  - Composites Material Testing (dielectric measurement)
  - Sensor design (near field imaging)
- Magnetic insight
  - Magnetic particle imaging. (microwave imaging on magnetic material)
- MITACS
  - Project/funding application