

## 2. Rectangular Waveguides

### A. Boundary Value Problem (BVP) for Rectangular Waveguides

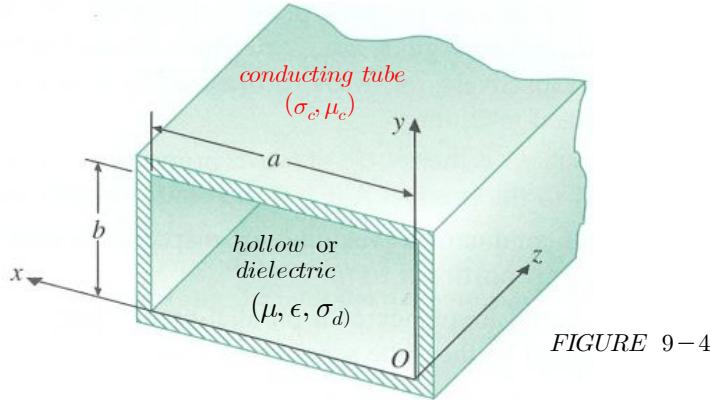


FIGURE 9-4

Wave equations in source-free hollow or dielectric region of the guide:

$$(\nabla^2 + k^2) \left\{ \begin{array}{l} \mathbf{E} \\ \mathbf{H} \end{array} \right\} = \mathbf{0} \quad (6-98, 99)$$

$$\text{where } k^2 = \omega^2 \mu \epsilon \quad (6-98)(9-5)$$

Assuming time-harmonic waves propagating along  $+z$  direction:

$$\mathbf{E}(x, y, z; t) = \text{Re} [\mathbf{E}^o(x, y) e^{(j\omega t - \gamma z)}] \quad (9-2)$$

$$\mathbf{H}(x, y, z; t) = \text{Re} [\mathbf{H}^o(x, y) e^{(j\omega t - \gamma z)}] \quad (9-2)*$$

Wave equations for longitudinal fields by using  $\nabla_z^2 \rightarrow \gamma^2$ :

$$(\nabla_{xy}^2 + h^2) \left\{ \begin{array}{l} E_z^o(x, y) \\ H_z^o(x, y) \end{array} \right\} = 0 \quad (9-22, 36)$$

$$\text{where } h^2 = \gamma^2 + k^2 = \gamma^2 + \omega^2 \mu \epsilon \quad (9-15)$$

$$\text{BCs : } \hat{\mathbf{n}} \times \mathbf{E} = \mathbf{0} \quad \Rightarrow \quad E_z^o|_{\text{boundary walls}} = 0 \quad (9-22)_{\text{BC}}$$

$$\text{or } \hat{\mathbf{n}} \cdot \mathbf{B} = 0 \quad \Rightarrow \quad \frac{\partial H_z^o}{\partial n} \Big|_{\text{boundary walls}} = 0 \quad (9-36)_{\text{BC}}$$

Wave modes :

	<u>TM (Transverse Magnetic)</u> (E wave)	<u>TE (Transverse Electric)</u> (H wave)
Logn. comp.:	$H_z^o = 0$	$E_z^o = 0$
Wave eq.:	$(\nabla_{xy}^2 + h^2) E_z^o = 0$	$(\nabla_{xy}^2 + h^2) H_z^o = 0$
BC:	$E_z^o _{\text{boundary walls}} = 0$	$\frac{\partial H_z^o}{\partial n} \Big _{\text{boundary walls}} = 0$
Transv. comps: using (9-11, 12)	$H_x^o, H_y^o, E_x^o, E_y^o$ in terms of $E_z^o$	$H_x^o, H_y^o, E_x^o, E_y^o$ in terms of $H_z^o$
	$\mathbf{H}_\perp^o = -h^{-2}(\gamma \nabla_\perp H_z^o + j\omega \epsilon \hat{z} \times \nabla_\perp E_z^o)$	(9-11, 12)*
(9-13, 14)	$\mathbf{E}_\perp^o = -h^{-2}(\gamma \nabla_\perp E_z^o - j\omega \mu \hat{z} \times \nabla_\perp H_z^o)$	(9-13, 14)*

## B. Properties of TM Waves (E waves)

### 1) TM wave fields in the rectangular guide

Longitudinal fields:  $H_z(x, y, z) = 0, E_z(x, y, z) = E_z^o(x, y) e^{-\gamma z}$  (9-52)

$$\text{BVP: } \left( \frac{\partial^2}{\partial x^2} + \frac{\partial^2}{\partial y^2} + h^2 \right) E_z^o(x, y) = 0 \quad (9-53)$$

where BCs are

$$E_z^o(x, y)|_{x=0, a} = 0, \quad 0 \leq y \leq b \quad (9-61, 62)$$

$$E_z^o(x, y)|_{y=0, b} = 0, \quad 0 \leq x \leq a \quad (9-63, 64)$$

Separation of variables:  $E_z^o(x, y) = X(x) Y(y)$  (9-54)

((9-54) in (9-53))/XY :

$$-\frac{1}{X(x)} \frac{d^2 X(x)}{dx^2} = \frac{1}{Y(y)} \left[ \frac{d^2 Y(y)}{dy^2} + h^2 Y(y) \right] \equiv k_x^2 = \text{constant} \quad (9-55)$$

$$\Rightarrow \begin{cases} \frac{d^2 X(x)}{dx^2} + k_x^2 X(x) = 0 \\ \frac{d^2 Y(y)}{dy^2} + k_y^2 Y(y) = 0, \quad k_y^2 \equiv h^2 - k_x^2 \end{cases} \quad (9-56)$$

$$\frac{d^2 Y(y)}{dy^2} + k_y^2 Y(y) = 0, \quad k_y^2 \equiv h^2 - k_x^2 \quad (9-57, 58)$$

General solutions of (9-56, 57) :

$$X(x) = A_1 \sin k_x x + A_2 \cos k_x x \quad (9-59)$$

$$Y(y) = B_1 \sin k_y y + B_2 \cos k_y y \quad (9-60)$$

Applying BC (9-61) to (9-59) :  $A_2 = 0 \Rightarrow X(x) = A_1 \sin k_x x$  (9-59)<sub>TM</sub>

Applying BC (9-62) to (9-59)\* :  $X(a) = A_1 \sin k_x a = 0 \Rightarrow k_x a = m\pi$

$$\Rightarrow k_x = m\pi/a \quad (1)$$

$$\text{i.e., } m = \frac{a}{\lambda/2} = 1, 2, 3, \dots \quad (1*)$$

= # of half-cycle variations in the width a = x mode number

$$\Rightarrow X(x) = A_1 \sin \left( \frac{m\pi}{a} x \right) \quad (9-59)_{TM*}$$

Similarly, applying BCs (9-63, 64) to (9-60) :

$$B_2 = 0 \Rightarrow Y(y) = B_1 \sin k_y y \quad (9-60)_{TM}$$

$$Y(b) = B_1 \sin k_y b = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow k_y b = n\pi \quad (2)$$

$$\text{i.e., } n = \frac{b}{\lambda/2} = 1, 2, 3, \dots \quad (2*)$$

= # of half-cycle variations in the height b = y mode number

$$\Rightarrow Y(y) = B_1 \sin \left( \frac{n\pi}{b} y \right) \quad (9-60)_{TM*}$$

(9-59)<sub>TM\*</sub> & (9-60)<sub>TM\*</sub> in (9-54) by putting  $E_o \equiv A_1 B_1$  to be determined by IC:

$$E_z^o(x,y) = E_o \sin\left(\frac{m\pi}{a}x\right) \sin\left(\frac{n\pi}{b}y\right) \quad (\text{V/m}) : \text{ eigenmodes} \quad (9-65)$$

| ①, ② in (9-58)  $\Rightarrow h^2 = \left(\frac{m\pi}{a}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{n\pi}{b}\right)^2$ : eigenvalues  $\quad (9-66)$

| (9-15)  $\Rightarrow \gamma = j\beta = j\sqrt{k^2 - h^2} = j\sqrt{\omega^2 \mu \epsilon - \left(\frac{m\pi}{a}\right)^2 - \left(\frac{n\pi}{b}\right)^2}$   $\quad (9-67)$

Transverse fields are determined by (9-11) ~ (9-14) by setting  $H_z^o = 0$ :

$$E_x^o(x,y) = -\frac{\gamma}{h^2} \frac{\partial E_z^o}{\partial x} = -\frac{\gamma}{h^2} \left(\frac{m\pi}{a}\right) E_o \cos\left(\frac{m\pi}{a}x\right) \sin\left(\frac{n\pi}{b}y\right) \quad (9-65)_{Ex}$$

$$E_y^o(x,y) = -\frac{\gamma}{h^2} \frac{\partial E_z^o}{\partial y} = -\frac{\gamma}{h^2} \left(\frac{n\pi}{b}\right) E_o \sin\left(\frac{m\pi}{a}x\right) \cos\left(\frac{n\pi}{b}y\right) \quad (9-65)_{Ey}$$

$$H_x^o(x,y) = \frac{j\omega\epsilon}{h^2} \frac{\partial E_z^o}{\partial y} = \frac{j\omega\epsilon}{h^2} \left(\frac{n\pi}{b}\right) E_o \sin\left(\frac{m\pi}{a}x\right) \cos\left(\frac{n\pi}{b}y\right) \quad (9-65)_{Hx}$$

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## 2) Characteristics of TM modes

Cutoff frequency of  $TM_{mn}$  modes by (9-26) or from (9-67) for  $\gamma=0$ :

$$(f_c)_{mn} = \frac{hu}{2\pi} = \frac{u}{2} \sqrt{\left(\frac{m}{a}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{n}{b}\right)^2} \quad (\text{Hz}), \quad m = 1, 2, \dots \text{ and } n = 1, 2, \dots \quad (9-68)$$

Cutoff wavelength of  $TM_{mn}$ :

$$(\lambda_c)_{mn} = \frac{u}{(f_c)_{mn}} = \frac{2}{\sqrt{(m/a)^2 + (n/b)^2}} \quad (\text{m}) \quad (9-69)$$

If  $m=0$  or  $n=0$ , all fields in (9-65)~(9-65)<sub>Ey</sub> vanish. Hence,  $m=n=1$ , i.e.,  $TM_{11}$  mode is the dominant (fundamental) mode which has the

lowest cutoff frequency,  $(f_c)_{TM_{11}} = \frac{u}{2} \sqrt{(1/a^2) + (1/b^2)}$  [and the longest cutoff wavelength,  $(\lambda_c)_{TM_{11}} = 2/\sqrt{(1/a^2) + (1/b^2)}$  ].

Phase constant of  $TM_{mn}$  from (9-29):

$$(\beta)_{mn} = \omega \sqrt{\mu\epsilon} \sqrt{1 - [(f_c)_{mn}/f]^2} = k \sqrt{1 - [(f_c)_{mn}/f]^2} \quad (\text{rad/m}) \quad (9-29)_{TM}$$

Wavelength of  $TM_{mn}$  from (9-30):

$$(\lambda_g)_{mn} = \frac{2\pi}{(\beta)_{mn}} = \frac{1}{f \sqrt{\mu\epsilon}} \frac{1}{\sqrt{1 - [(f_c)_{mn}/f]^2}} = \frac{\lambda}{\sqrt{1 - [(f_c)_{mn}/f]^2}} \quad (9-30)_{TM}$$

Phase velocity of  $TM_{mn}$  from (9-33)):

$$(u_p)_{mn} = \frac{\omega}{(\beta)_{mn}} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{\mu\epsilon}} \frac{1}{\sqrt{1 - [(f_c)_{mn}/f]^2}} = \frac{u}{\sqrt{1 - [(f_c)_{mn}/f]^2}} \quad (9-33)_{TM}$$

Wave impedance of  $TM_{mn}$  from (9-34):

$$(Z_{TM})_{mn} = \sqrt{\mu/\epsilon} \sqrt{1 - [(f_c)_{mn}/f]^2} = \eta \sqrt{1 - [(f_c)_{mn}/f]^2} \quad (9-34)_{TM}$$

### C. Properties of TE Waves (H waves)

#### 1) TE wave fields in the rectangular guide

Longitudinal fields:  $E_z(x,y,z) = 0, H_z(x,y,z) = H_z^o(x,y) e^{-\gamma z}$  (9-70)

$$\text{BVP: } \left( \frac{\partial^2}{\partial x^2} + \frac{\partial^2}{\partial y^2} + h^2 \right) H_z^o(x,y) = 0 \quad (9-71)$$

where BCs are

$$E_y^o(x,y)|_{x=0,a} = 0 \Rightarrow \left. \frac{\partial H_z^o(x,y)}{\partial x} \right|_{x=0,a} = 0, \quad 0 \leq y \leq b \quad (9-72, 73)$$

$$E_x^o(x,y)|_{y=0,b} = 0 \Rightarrow \left. \frac{\partial H_z^o(x,y)}{\partial y} \right|_{y=0,b} = 0, \quad 0 \leq x \leq a \quad (9-74, 75)$$

$$\text{Separation of variables: } H_z^o(x,y) = X(x) Y(y) \quad (9-54)*$$

((9-54)\* in (9-71))/XY :

$$-\frac{1}{X(x)} \frac{d^2 X(x)}{dx^2} = \frac{1}{Y(y)} \left[ \frac{d^2 Y(y)}{dy^2} + h^2 Y(y) \right] \equiv k_x^2 = \text{constant} \quad (9-55)*$$

$$\Rightarrow \left. \frac{d^2 X(x)}{dx^2} + k_x^2 X(x) = 0 \right. \quad (9-56)*$$

$$\left. \frac{d^2 Y(y)}{dy^2} + k_y^2 Y(y) = 0, \quad k_y^2 \equiv h^2 - k_x^2 \right. \quad (9-57, 58)*$$

General solutions of (9-56, 57)\* :

$$X(x) = A_1 \sin k_x x + A_2 \cos k_x x \quad (9-59)*$$

$$Y(y) = B_1 \sin k_y y + B_2 \cos k_y y \quad (9-60)*$$

Applying BC (9-72) to (9-59)\* :  $A_1 = 0 \Rightarrow X(x) = A_2 \cos k_x x$  (9-59)<sub>TE</sub>

Applying BC (9-73) to (9-59)<sub>TE</sub> :  $\frac{\partial X(a)}{\partial x} = -A_2 k_x \sin k_x a = 0 \Rightarrow k_x a = m\pi$

$$\Rightarrow k_x = m\pi/a, \text{ i.e., } m = \frac{a}{\lambda/2} = 0, 1, 2, 3, \dots \quad ①$$

$$\Rightarrow X(x) = A_2 \cos \left( \frac{m\pi}{a} x \right) \quad (9-59)_{TE}*$$

Similarly, applying BCs (9-74, 75) to (9-60)\* :

$$B_1 = 0 \Rightarrow Y(y) = B_2 \cos k_y y \quad (9-60)_{TE}$$

$$\frac{\partial Y(b)}{\partial y} = -B_2 k_y \sin k_y b = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow k_y b = n\pi, \text{ i.e., } n = \frac{b}{\lambda/2} = 0, 1, 2, 3, \dots \quad ②$$

$$\Rightarrow Y(y) = B_2 \cos \left( \frac{n\pi}{b} y \right) \quad (9-60)_{TE}*$$

$(9-59)_{TE^*}$  &  $(9-60)_{TE^*}$  in  $(9-54)^*$  by putting  $H_o \equiv A_2 B_2$  to be determined by IC:

$$H_z^o(x, y) = H_o \cos\left(\frac{m\pi}{a}x\right) \cos\left(\frac{n\pi}{b}y\right) \quad (\text{A/m}) : \text{ eigenmodes} \quad (9-76)$$

$m, n = (\text{either } m \text{ or } n = 0), 1, 2, \dots$

**Note)** If  $m=n=0$ ,  $H_z$  is ind. of  $x$  and  $y$

$\Rightarrow$  all transv. fields = 0 by  $(9-11) \sim (9-14) \Rightarrow \exists$  no TE modes

$$\boxed{\begin{array}{l} \text{①, ② in } (9-58) \Rightarrow h^2 = \left(\frac{m\pi}{a}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{n\pi}{b}\right)^2 : \text{ eigenvalues} \\ (9-15) \Rightarrow \gamma = j\beta = j\sqrt{k^2 - h^2} = j\sqrt{\omega^2\mu\epsilon - \left(\frac{m\pi}{a}\right)^2 - \left(\frac{n\pi}{b}\right)^2} \end{array}} \quad (9-66)$$

Transverse fields are determined by  $(9-11) \sim (9-14)$  by setting  $E_z^o = 0$ :

$$E_x^o(x, y) = -\frac{j\omega\mu}{h^2} \frac{\partial H_z^o}{\partial y} = \frac{j\omega\mu}{h^2} \left(\frac{n\pi}{b}\right) H_o \cos\left(\frac{m\pi}{a}x\right) \sin\left(\frac{n\pi}{b}y\right) \quad (9-77)$$

$$E_y^o(x, y) = \frac{j\omega\mu}{h^2} \frac{\partial H_z^o}{\partial x} = -\frac{j\omega\mu}{h^2} \left(\frac{m\pi}{a}\right) H_o \sin\left(\frac{m\pi}{a}x\right) \cos\left(\frac{n\pi}{b}y\right) \quad (9-78)$$

$$H_x^o(x, y) = -\frac{\gamma}{h^2} \frac{\partial H_z^o}{\partial x} = \frac{\gamma}{h^2} \left(\frac{m\pi}{a}\right) H_o \sin\left(\frac{m\pi}{a}x\right) \cos\left(\frac{n\pi}{b}y\right) \quad (9-79)$$

$$H_y^o(x, y) = -\frac{\gamma}{h^2} \frac{\partial H_z^o}{\partial y} = \frac{\gamma}{h^2} \left(\frac{n\pi}{b}\right) H_o \cos\left(\frac{m\pi}{a}x\right) \sin\left(\frac{n\pi}{b}y\right) \quad (9-80)$$

## 2) Characteristics of TE modes

Cutoff frequency of  $TE_{mn}$  modes by  $(9-26)$  or from  $(9-67)$  for  $\gamma = 0$ :

$$(f_c)_{mn} = \frac{hu}{2\pi} = \frac{u}{2} \sqrt{\left(\frac{m}{a}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{n}{b}\right)^2}, \quad m, n = (\text{either } m \text{ or } n = 0), 1, 2, \dots \quad (9-68)$$

**Note)**  $TM_{mn}$  and  $TE_{mn}$  are always **degenerate** with the same  $(f_c)_{mn}$  excluding the  $TE_{mn}$  modes for none of  $m$  and  $n = 0$  ( $TE_{m0}$ ,  $TE_{0n}$ )

Cutoff wavelength of  $TE_{mn}$ :

$$(\lambda_c)_{mn} = \frac{u}{(f_c)_{mn}} = \frac{2}{\sqrt{(m/a)^2 + (n/b)^2}} \quad (\text{m}) \quad (9-69)$$

Dominant TE mode of a waveguide with  $a > b \Rightarrow TE_{10}$  ( $TE_{01}$  if  $a < b$ ).

$\because m = 1$  and  $n = 0$  in  $(9-68)$  (or  $(9-69)$ ) yields the lowest  $f_c$  (longest  $\lambda_c$ ).

$$(f_c)_{TE_{10}} = u/2a = 1/2a\sqrt{\mu\epsilon}, \quad (\lambda_c)_{TE_{10}} = 2a \quad (9-81, 82)$$

Phase constant of  $TE_{mn}$  from  $(9-29)$ :  $(\beta)_{mn} = \omega\sqrt{\mu\epsilon} \sqrt{1 - [(f_c)_{mn}/f]^2}$   $(9-29)_{TE}$

Wavelength of  $TE_{mn}$  from  $(9-30)$ :  $(\lambda_g)_{mn} = \frac{2\pi}{(\beta)_{mn}} = \frac{1}{f\sqrt{\mu\epsilon}} \frac{1}{\sqrt{1 - [(f_c)_{mn}/f]^2}}$   $(9-30)_{TE}$

Phase vel. of  $TE_{mn}$  from  $(9-33)$ :  $(u_p)_{mn} = \frac{\omega}{(\beta)_{mn}} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{\mu\epsilon}} \frac{1}{\sqrt{1 - [(f_c)_{mn}/f]^2}}$   $(9-33)_{TE}$

Wave impedance of  $TE_{mn}$  from  $(9-39)$ :

$$(Z_{TE})_{mn} = \sqrt{\mu/\epsilon} / \sqrt{1 - [(f_c)_{mn}/f]^2} \quad (9-39)_{TE}$$

## D. Field Configurations for TE and TM Modes

1)  $TE_{10}$  mode : (e.g. 9-5)

a) Instantaneous electromagnetic fields

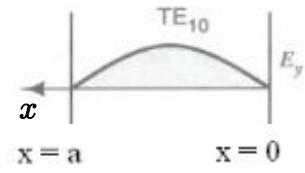
(9-76)~(9-80) for  $m = 1, n = 0, h = \pi/a$

using  $\mathbf{E}(x,y,z;t) = Re[\mathbf{E}^o(x,y)e^{j(\omega t - \beta z)}]$  and  $\mathbf{B}(x,y,z;t) = Re[\mathbf{B}^o(x,y)e^{j(\omega t - \beta z)}]$ :

$$E_x(x,y,z;t) = 0 \quad (9-83)$$

$$E_y(x,y,z;t) = \frac{\omega \mu a}{\pi} H_o \sin\left(\frac{\pi}{a}x\right) \sin(\omega t - \beta_{10}z) \quad (9-84)$$

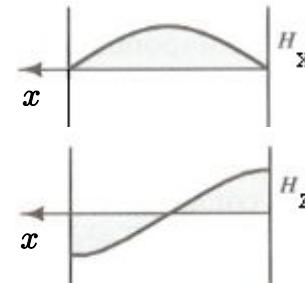
$$E_z(x,y,z;t) = 0 \quad (9-85)$$



$$H_x(x,y,z;t) = -\frac{\beta_{10}a}{\pi} H_o \sin\left(\frac{\pi}{a}x\right) \sin(\omega t - \beta_{10}z) \quad (9-86)$$

$$H_y(x,y,z;t) = 0 \quad (9-87)$$

$$H_z(x,y,z;t) = H_o \cos\left(\frac{\pi}{a}x\right) \cos(\omega t - \beta_{10}z) \quad (9-88)$$



$$\text{where } \beta_{10} = \sqrt{k^2 - h_{10}^2} = \sqrt{\omega^2 \mu \epsilon - (\pi/a)^2} \quad (9-89)$$

b) Electric and magnetic field configurations

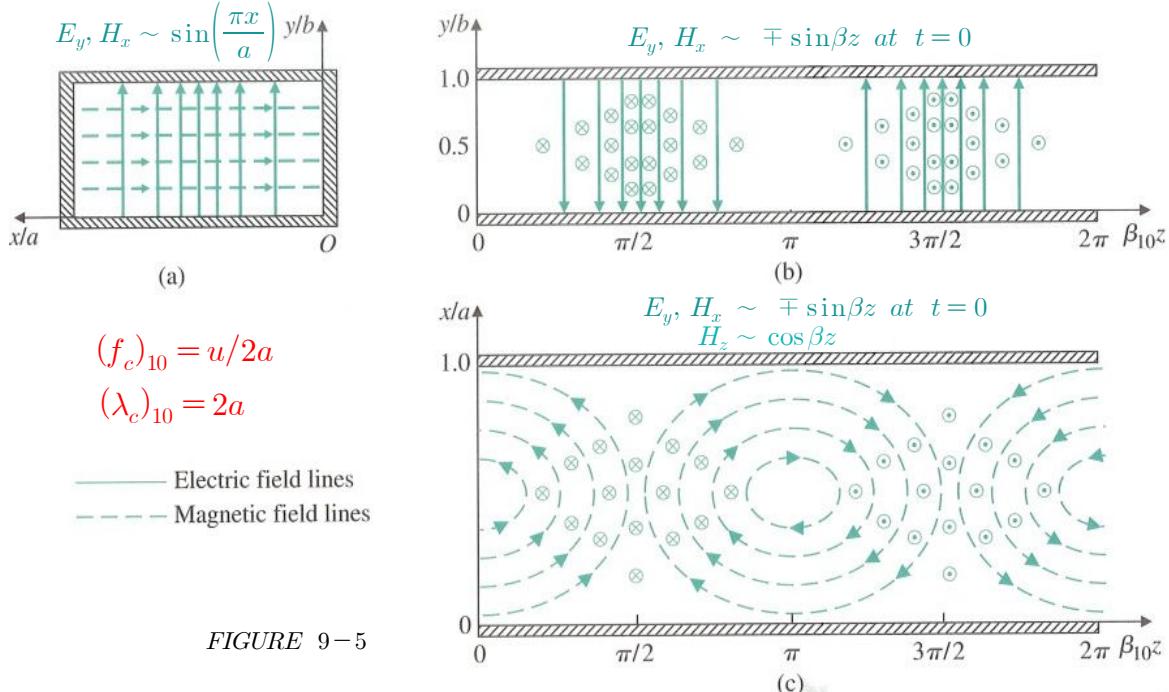


FIGURE 9-5

Slope of  $\mathbf{H}$  lines at  $t = 0$  :

$$\left( \frac{dx}{dz} \right)_H = \frac{H_x}{H_z}$$

$$= \frac{\beta}{h^2} \frac{\pi}{a} \tan\left(\frac{\pi}{a}x\right) \tan\beta z \quad (9-90)$$

(9-86, 88) with  $h = \pi/a$  at  $t = 0$

### c) Surface current density field lines

From (6-47b),

$$\mathbf{J}_s = \hat{\mathbf{n}} \times \mathbf{H} \quad (9-91)$$

(9-86)~(9-88) in (9-91) at  $t = 0$  :

$$\mathbf{J}_s(x=0) = -\hat{y}H_z(0,y,z;0) = -\hat{y}H_o \cos \beta z \quad (9-92)$$

$$\mathbf{J}_s(x=a) = \hat{y}H_z(a,y,z;0) = \mathbf{J}_s(x=0) \quad (9-93)$$

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbf{J}_s(y=0) &= \hat{x}H_z(x,0,z;0) - \hat{z}H_x(x,0,z;0) \\ &= \hat{x}H_o \cos(\pi x/a) \cos \beta z - \hat{z}(\beta \pi / h^2 a) H_o \sin(\pi x/a) \sin \beta z \end{aligned} \quad (9-94)$$

$$\mathbf{J}_s(y=b) = -\mathbf{J}_s(y=0) \quad (9-95)$$

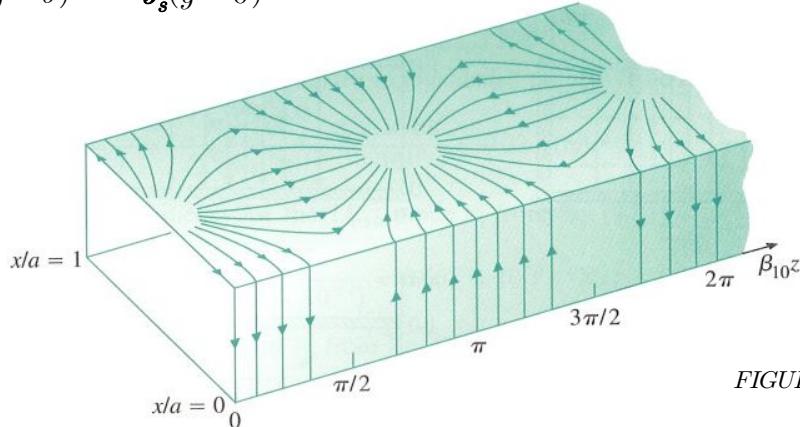
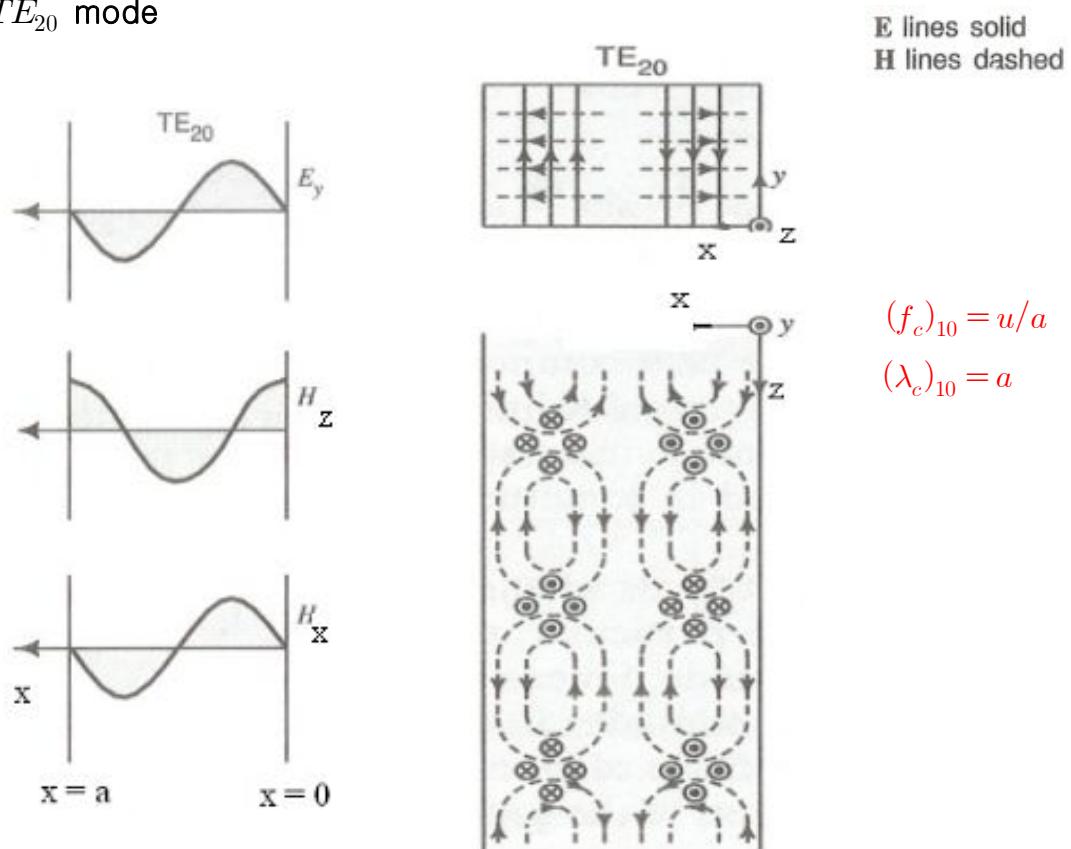


FIGURE 9-6

## 2) Other higher modes

### a) $TE_{20}$ mode

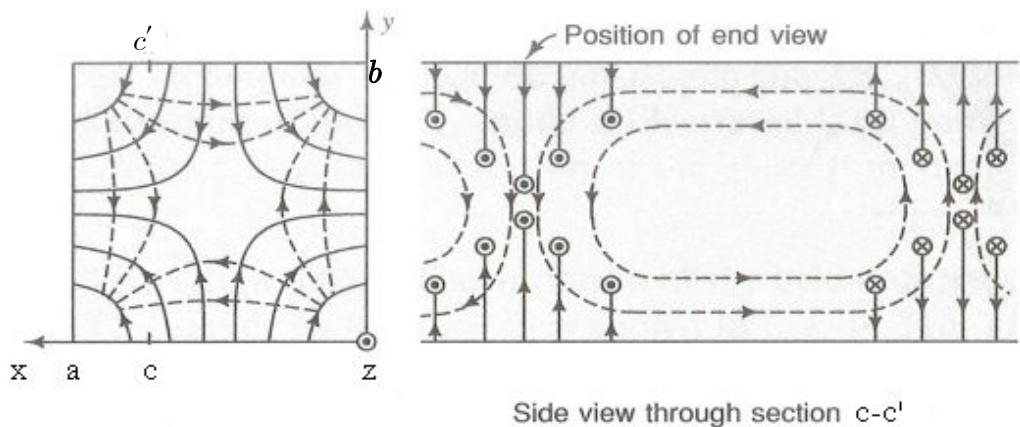


b)  $TE_{11}$  mode

$$(f_c)_{11} = \frac{u}{2} \sqrt{\frac{1}{a^2} + \frac{1}{b^2}}$$

$$(\lambda_c)_{11} = 2/\sqrt{\frac{1}{a^2} + \frac{1}{b^2}}$$

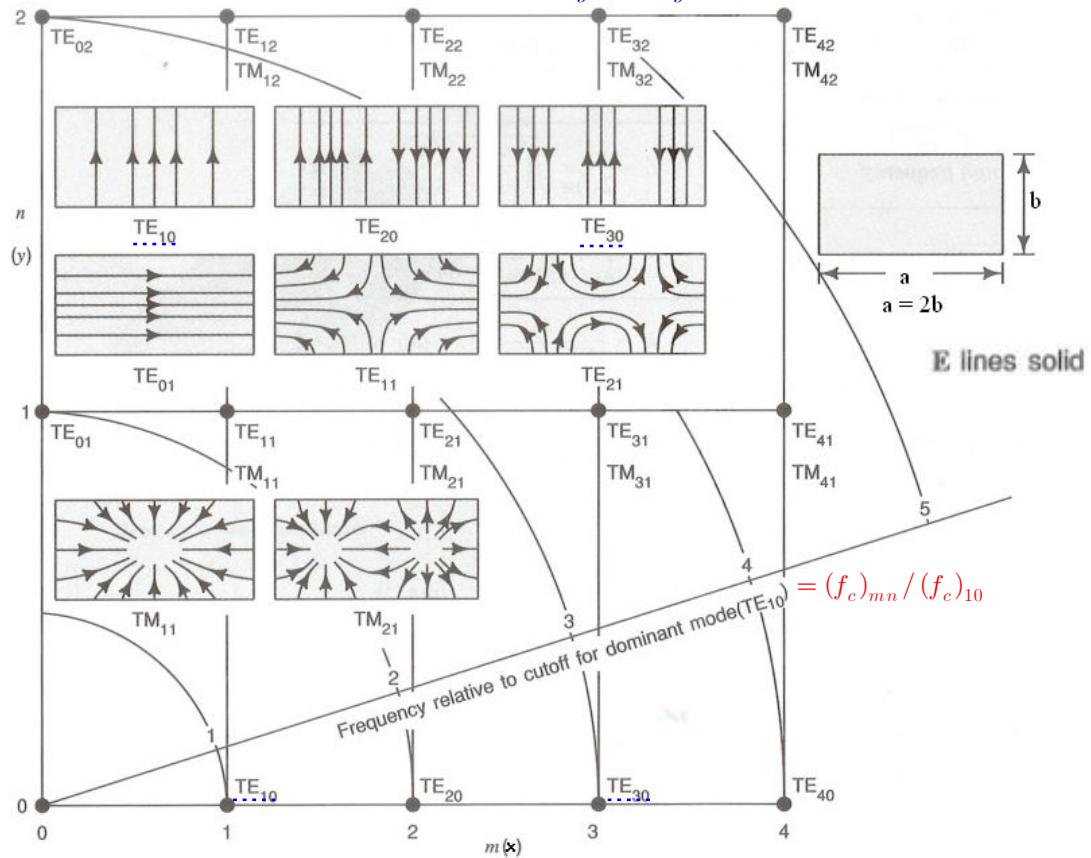
**E** lines solid  
**H** lines dashed



Side view through section  $c-c'$

c) Cutoff frequencies relative the dominant mode  $TE_{10}$  (for  $a = 2b$  case)

$TM_{mn}$  and  $TE_{mn}$  are degenerate with the same  $(f_c)_{mn}$  excluding non-degenerate modes -----



## E. Attenuation in Rectangular Waveguide

1) Attenuation constant  $\alpha$  for  $f > f_c$  for lossless guides ( $\sigma_d = 0, \sigma_c \rightarrow \infty$ )

$$\gamma = \sqrt{h^2 - k^2} = \sqrt{h^2 - \omega^2 \mu \epsilon} \quad (9-24)$$

$$= jk \sqrt{1 - (h/k)^2} = jk \sqrt{1 - (f_c/f)^2} = j\beta \quad (9-28)$$

$$\Rightarrow \alpha = 0$$

$e^{-\gamma z} = e^{-j\beta z}$  : propagating wave along  $z$  w/o power losses

2) Attenuation constant  $\alpha$  for  $f < f_c$  for lossless guides ( $\sigma_d = 0, \sigma_c \rightarrow \infty$ )

$$\gamma = h \sqrt{1 - (f/f_c)^2} = \alpha \quad (j\beta = 0) \quad (9-35)$$

$\Rightarrow e^{-\gamma z} = e^{-\alpha z}$ : evanescent wave along  $z$  w/ power losses

3) Attenuation constant  $\alpha$  for  $f > f_c$  for lossy dielectrics ( $\sigma_d \neq 0, \sigma_c \neq \infty$ )

$$\alpha = \alpha_d + \alpha_c \quad (9-28)$$

where  $\alpha_d$  = attenuation constant due to losses in the dielectric such that

$$\gamma = \alpha_d + j\beta = \sqrt{h^2 - k_c^2} = \sqrt{h^2 - \omega^2 \mu \epsilon_d} \quad \text{from (7-42)}$$

$$= \sqrt{h^2 - \omega^2 \mu \left( \epsilon' - j \frac{\sigma_d}{\omega} \right)} \quad \text{from (7-42) or (9-97)}$$

$$\Rightarrow \alpha_d \propto \sigma_d (f/f_c)$$

and  $\alpha_c$  = attenuation constant due to ohmic power loss in the nonideal conducting guide walls such that from (8-57)

$$\alpha_c = \frac{P_L(z)}{2P(z)} \propto \frac{|J_s|^2 R_s}{Re[\mathbf{E}_\perp \times \mathbf{H}_\perp^*]} \quad (9-98)$$

$$\Rightarrow \alpha_c \propto R_s = \sqrt{\pi f \mu / \sigma_c} \propto 1/\sqrt{\sigma_c} \text{ and depends on } m, n, f_c/f$$

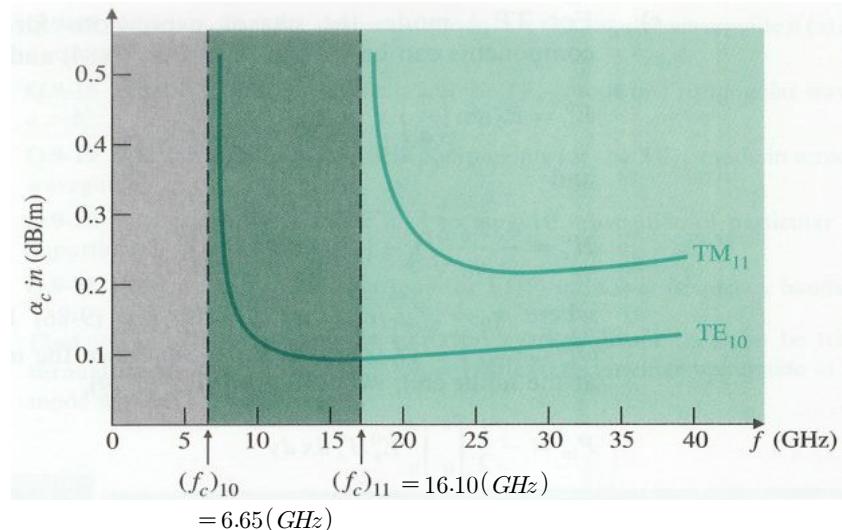


FIGURE 9-7 In a rectangular Cu waveguide for  $T_{10}$  and  $TM_{11}$  modes ( $a = 2.29cm, b = 1.02cm$ )

(e.g. 9-7)

Given: air-filled rectangular waveguide

$$(\mu_o, \epsilon_o, a = 5.0\text{cm}, b = 2.5\text{cm}, l = 0.8\text{m}, f = 4.5\text{GHz}, P_{load} = 1,200\text{W},$$

$$\alpha = 0.05 \text{ dB/m} = 0.05/8.69 \text{ Np/m} = 5.75 \times 10^{-3} \text{ Np/m}$$

Propagating modes at 4.5 GHz → dominant mode  $TE_{10}$

$$\therefore (f_c)_{10} = 1/2a\sqrt{\mu_o\epsilon_o} = 3 \text{ GHz for } TE_{10}$$

$$(f_c)_{20} = 1/a\sqrt{\mu_o\epsilon_o} = 6 \text{ GHz for } TE_{20}$$

$$(f_c)_{01} = 1/2b\sqrt{\mu_o\epsilon_o} = 1/2a(2.5/5.0)\sqrt{\mu_o\epsilon_o} = 6 \text{ GHz for } TE_{01}$$

a)  $P_{load} = P_{in}e^{-2\alpha l} \Rightarrow P_{in} = P_{load}e^{2\alpha l} = \underline{1,211 \text{ (W)}}$

b)  $P_L = P_{in} - P_{load} = \underline{11 \text{ (W)}}$

c)  $(E_o)_{\max} = ?$

Transverse-component phasor fields for  $TE_{10}$  from (9-84) and (9-86) :

$$\underline{\underline{\mathbf{E}_y^o}} = \frac{\omega\mu_o a}{\pi} H_o \sin\left(\frac{\pi}{a}x\right) = \left(\frac{f}{f_c}\right) \eta_o H_o \sin\left(\frac{\pi}{a}x\right) = \underline{\underline{E_o \sin\left(\frac{\pi}{a}x\right)}} \quad (9-99)$$

$c = 1/\sqrt{\mu_o\epsilon_o}, f_c = c/2a, \eta_o = \sqrt{\mu_o/\epsilon_o}$        $E_o \equiv (f/f_c)\eta_o H_o$

$$\underline{\underline{\mathbf{H}_x^o}} = -\frac{\beta_{10} a}{\pi} H_o \sin\left(\frac{\pi}{a}x\right) = -\frac{\sqrt{\omega^2\mu_o\epsilon_o - (\pi/a)^2} a}{\pi} H_o \sin\left(\frac{\pi}{a}x\right)$$

$$= -\sqrt{\left(\frac{f}{f_c}\right)^2 - 1} H_o \sin\left(\frac{\pi}{a}x\right) = \underline{\underline{-\frac{E_o}{\eta_o} \sqrt{1 - \left(\frac{f_c}{f}\right)^2} \sin\left(\frac{\pi}{a}x\right)}} \quad (9-100)$$

$c = 1/\sqrt{\mu_o\epsilon_o}, f_c = c/2a$        $E_o \equiv (f/f_c)\eta_o H_o$

From (7-79)  $\mathcal{P}_{av}(z) = \frac{1}{2} Re[\mathbf{E} \times \mathbf{H}^*]$ ,

$$P_{in} = -\frac{1}{2} \int_0^b \int_0^a E_y^0 H_x^0 dx dy = \frac{\underline{(E_o)_{\max}^2 ab}}{4\eta_o} \sqrt{1 - \left(\frac{f_c}{f}\right)^2} = 1,211$$

$$\Rightarrow (E_o)_{\max} = \underline{44,283 \text{ (V/m)}}$$

## Homework Set 6

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|----------------|-----------|-----------|
| 1) P.9-2 a),b) | 2) P.9-3  | 3) P.9-7  |
| 4) P.9-9       | 5) P.9-11 | 6) P.9-15 |