

EP440: ENGINEERING ELECTROMAGNETICS

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Numerical Project: Due 12/4/2014 at 5:00 (Email to Snively!)

For this assignment... Investigate following problems in MATLAB.

Submit to me a digital PDF document file including brief discussion on each problem, copies of figures, plus the text of the modified MATLAB code.

Please make note: In the figure, E is plotted as E/η , so that it has the same amplitude as H .

Using the MATLAB file "emwave.m":

As it is set up, the code generates a standing wave at ~ 2.4 GHz frequency, with a horizontal dimension sufficient to hold exactly 1.5 wavelengths. Note that the code calculates frequency based on horizontal dimension and number of desired wavelengths to fit in the box. *Note that if you have any plotting issues, first try commenting out the "pause" commands at lines 107 and 114.*

- 1)** Confirm the wavelength, frequency, and horizontal width of the box (you can calculate manually, or refer to variables generated by the m-file).
- 2)** Change the parameter M to instead allow 5 wavelengths within the box (note the change in frequency). Print a plot of your standing wave field variables and instantaneous S after the simulation has completed. Discuss in a few sentences the features of E , H , and S .
- 3)** Edit the boundary conditions ("bc" variable to equal "0") to set conditions for an open box. Adjust the limits of the plot to create an appropriate output showing S . Discuss in a few sentences the features of S for the unreflected wave, compared to **2**.
- 4)** Change "bc" to "1" again, and set $M=10$, $G=1/40$, $T=1/10$. Plot your wave field variables at three interesting times: When the wave is left-going, when the wave is reflecting, and when the wave is right-going. Discuss in a few sentences the features of E , H , and S .