

ELEC353 Lecture Notes Set 10

Mid-term Test: Friday February 17, 2012

The mid-term test covers homework assignments 1, 2, 3, 4 and 5.

The mid-term test covers the “self-learning” topic of A.C. Circuit Analysis.

The homework assignments are posted on the course web site.

Homework #4: You should finish this assignment by February 4.

Homework #5: This assignment has **practice problems** for the midterm test. Do this assignment before February 11.

Previous mid-term tests with solutions are available from the course web site.

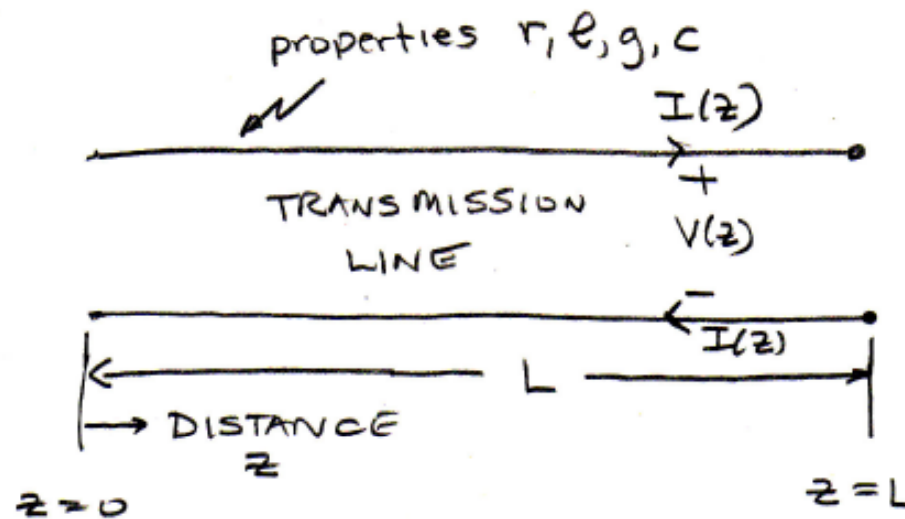
About the Mid-Term Test

The midterm test is a multiple-choice test:

- Each question has four numerical answers plus “none of these.”
- Circle the correct numerical answer on the exam paper.
- The test is closed book, so no textbook or notes are allowed.
- A sheet of formulas is attached to the test paper.
- You can get the formula sheet from the course web site.
- The mid-term test is “practice” for the final examination.
- The mid-term test will include a question on the “self-learning” topic of A.C. Circuit Analysis.

Transmission Line Circuits in the Sinusoidal Steady State

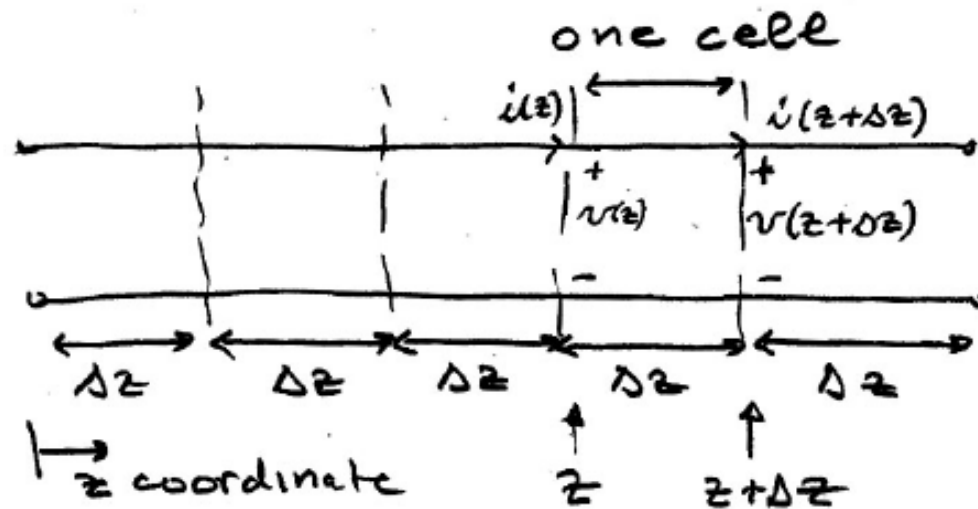
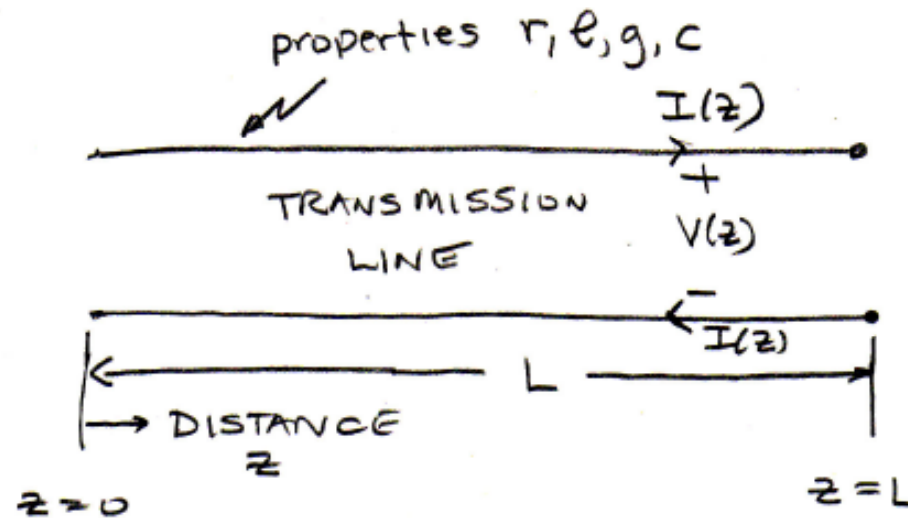
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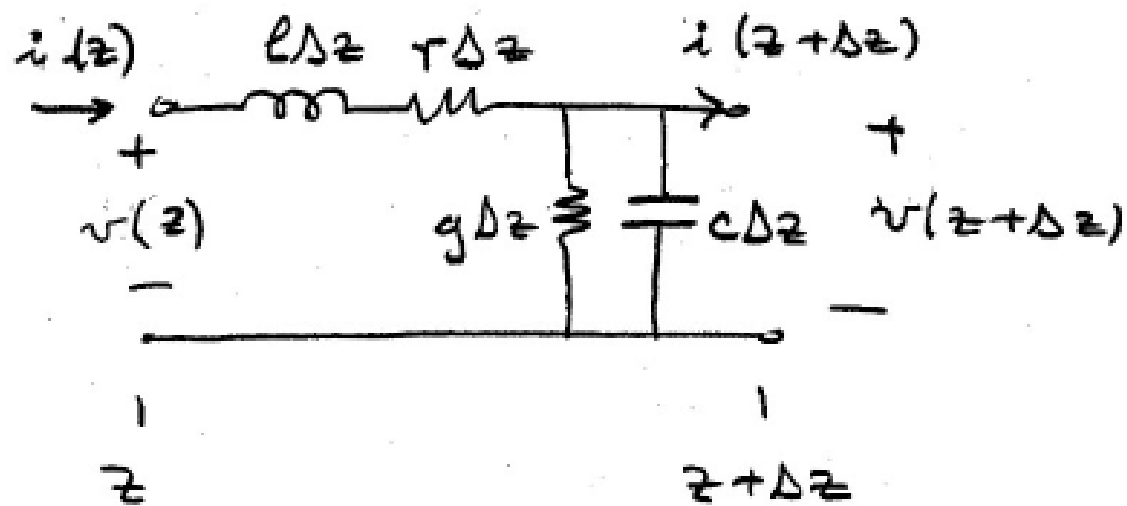
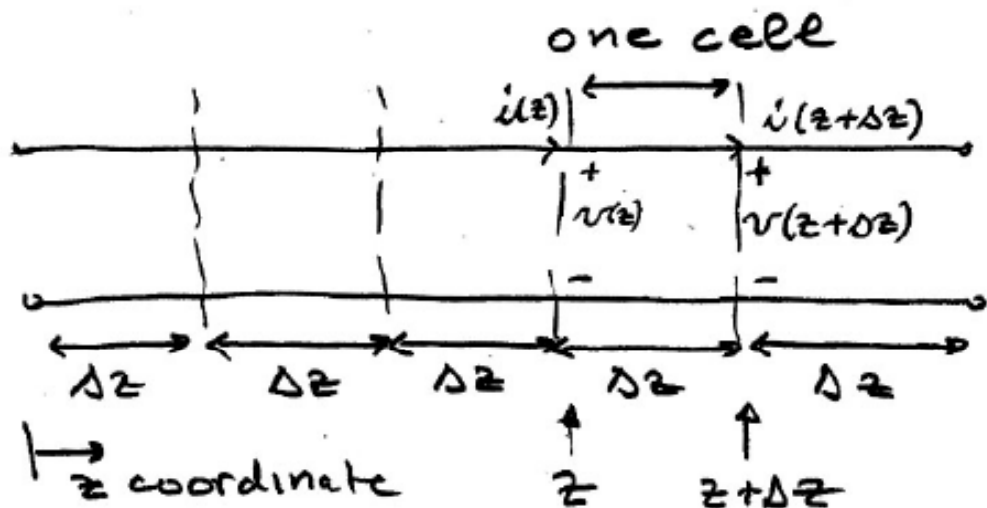


The transmission line parameters are:

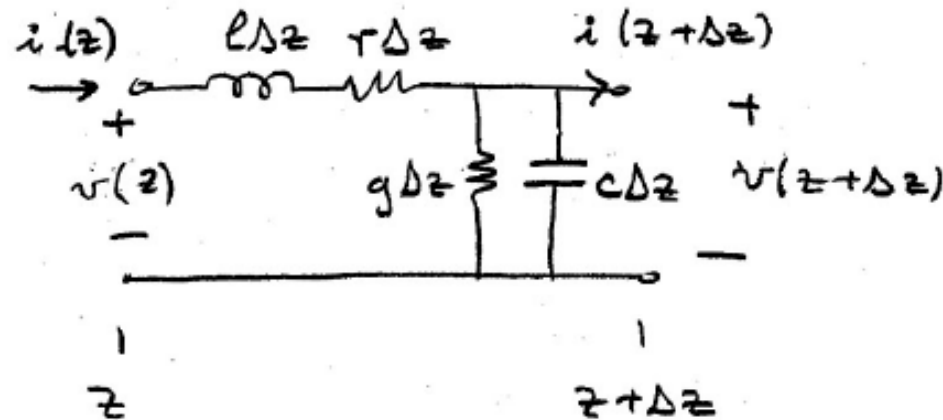
- l H/m = inductance per unit length
- c F/m = capacitance per unit length
- r ohms/meter = series resistance per unit length
 - series resistance arises because of the currents flowing in the metal of the conductors
- g Siemens/meter = shunt conductance per unit length

Lossy Transmission Line Equations





KVL Equation



KVL for the cell states:

$$v(z) - r\Delta z i - \ell\Delta z \frac{\partial i}{\partial t} - v(z + \Delta z) = 0$$

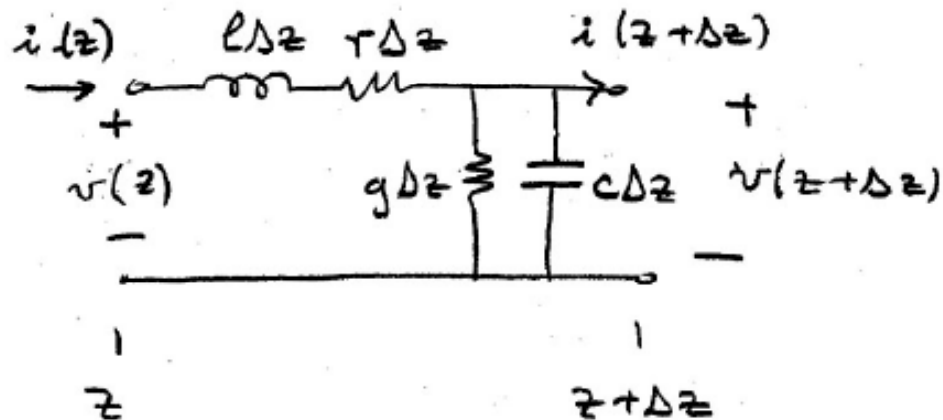
Rearrange the KVL equation:

$$v(z + \Delta z) - v(z) = -r\Delta z i - \ell\Delta z \frac{\partial i}{\partial t}$$

$$\lim_{\Delta z \rightarrow 0} \frac{v(z + \Delta z) - v(z)}{\Delta z} = -ri - \ell \frac{\partial i}{\partial t}$$

$$\frac{\partial v}{\partial z} = -ri - \ell \frac{\partial i}{\partial t}$$

KCL Equation



KCL for the cell states:

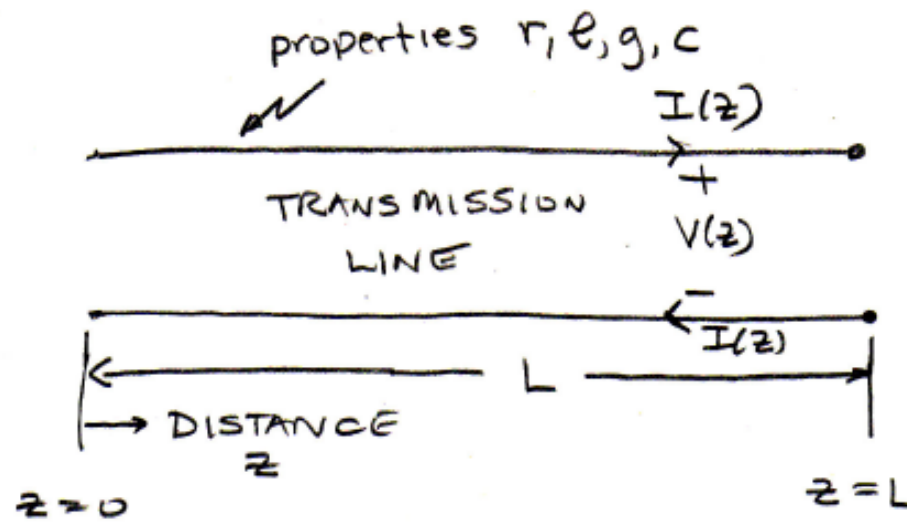
$$i(z) - g\Delta z v - c\Delta z \frac{\partial v}{\partial t} - i(z + \Delta z) = 0$$

Rearrange the KCL equation:

$$i(z + \Delta z) - i(z) = -g\Delta z v - c\Delta z \frac{\partial v}{\partial t}$$

$$\lim_{\Delta z \rightarrow 0} \frac{i(z + \Delta z) - i(z)}{\Delta z} = -gv - c \frac{\partial v}{\partial t}$$

$$\frac{\partial i}{\partial z} = -gv - c \frac{\partial v}{\partial t}$$



We have shown that:

$$\frac{\partial v}{\partial z} = -ri - l \frac{\partial i}{\partial t}$$

$$\frac{\partial i}{\partial z} = -gv - c \frac{\partial v}{\partial t}$$

These equations are called “lossy” transmission line equations or “lossy” Telegrapher’s Equations.

Transmission-Line Equations for the Phasor Voltage and Current

$$v(z, t) = A(z) \cos(\omega t + \theta(z)) \longleftrightarrow V(z) = A(z) e^{j\theta(z)}$$

$$i(z, t) = B(z) \cos(\omega t + \phi(z)) \longleftrightarrow I(z) = B(z) e^{j\phi(z)}$$

time differentiation $\frac{\partial}{\partial t}$ is equivalent to multiplication by $j\omega$

Homework:
Prove this!

$$\frac{\partial v}{\partial z} = -ri - \ell \frac{\partial i}{\partial t} \quad \Leftrightarrow \quad \frac{dV}{dz} = -(r + j\omega\ell)I$$

$$\frac{\partial i}{\partial z} = -gv - c \frac{\partial v}{\partial t} \quad \Leftrightarrow \quad \frac{dI}{dz} = -(g + j\omega c)V$$

Wave Equation for Phasors

$$\frac{dV}{dz} = -(r + j\omega\ell)I$$

$$\frac{dI}{dz} = -(g + j\omega c)V$$

$$\frac{d^2V}{dz^2} = -(r + j\omega\ell)\frac{dI}{dz}$$

$$\frac{d^2V}{dz^2} = -(r + j\omega\ell)[-(g + j\omega c)V]$$

$$\frac{d^2V}{dz^2} = (r + j\omega\ell)(g + j\omega c)V$$

Define the “propagation constant” as $\gamma = \sqrt{(r + j\omega\ell)(g + j\omega c)}$

$$\frac{d^2V}{dz^2} = \gamma^2 V$$

Solution to the Wave Equation

$$\frac{d^2V}{dz^2} = \gamma^2 V$$

$$V(z) = V^+ e^{-\gamma z} + V^- e^{\gamma z}$$

Proof that $V = V^+ e^{-\gamma z}$ satisfies the wave equation:

- $\frac{dV}{dz} = \frac{d}{dz}(V^+ e^{-\gamma z}) = -\gamma V^+ e^{-\gamma z}$
- $\frac{d^2V}{dz^2} = \frac{d}{dz}(-\gamma V^+ e^{-\gamma z}) = (-\gamma)(-\gamma)V^+ e^{-\gamma z} = \gamma^2 V^+ e^{-\gamma z} = \gamma^2 V$
- Hence $\frac{d^2V}{dz^2} = \gamma^2 V$ and $V = V^+ e^{-\gamma z}$ does indeed satisfy the wave equation.
- Homework: prove that $V = V^- e^{\gamma z}$ satisfies the wave equation.

Propagation Constant

$$\gamma = \sqrt{(r + j\omega l)(g + j\omega c)}$$

$$\gamma = \alpha + j\beta$$

- α is the “attenuation constant” in “Nepers/meter”
 - “Neper” is a “unitless” unit like “radian”.
- β is the “phase constant” in radians/meter.

Current on the Transmission Line

$$\frac{dV}{dz} = -(r + j\omega\ell)I$$

$$\frac{dI}{dz} = -(g + j\omega c)V$$

$$V(z) = V^+ e^{-\gamma z} + V^- e^{\gamma z}$$

$$I(z) = \frac{-1}{(r + j\omega\ell)} \frac{dV}{dz}$$

$$I(z) = \frac{-1}{(r + j\omega\ell)} \frac{d}{dz} (V^+ e^{-\gamma z} + V^- e^{\gamma z})$$

$$I(z) = \frac{-1}{(r + j\omega\ell)} (-\gamma V^+ e^{-\gamma z} + \gamma V^- e^{\gamma z})$$

$$I(z) = \frac{\gamma}{(r + j\omega\ell)} (V^+ e^{-\gamma z} - V^- e^{\gamma z})$$

Characteristic Impedance

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

$$I(z) = \frac{\gamma}{(r + j\omega\ell)} (V^+ e^{-\gamma z} - V^- e^{\gamma z})$$

- The “characteristic resistance” R_c was defined earlier in the course as

$$R_c = \sqrt{\frac{\ell}{c}} \text{ ohms}$$

- For a “lossy” transmission line, define the “characteristic impedance” Z_c as

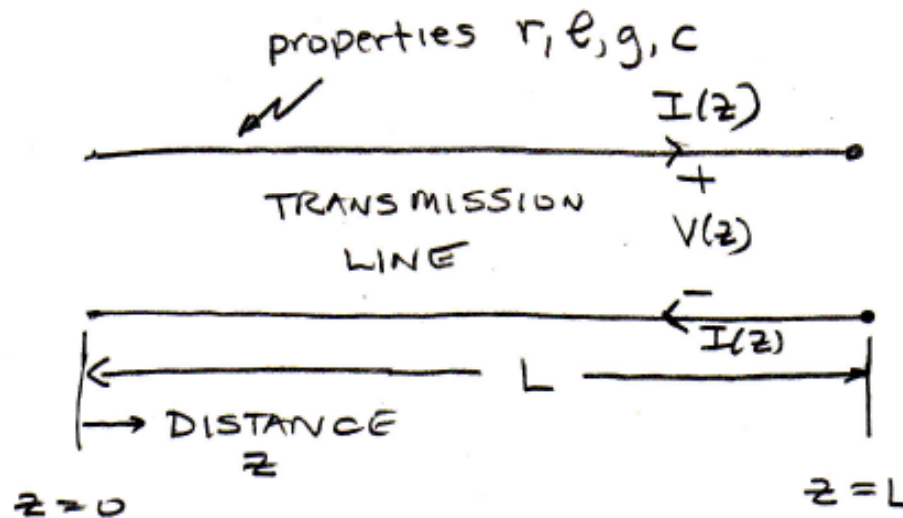
$$Z_c = \frac{r + j\omega\ell}{\gamma} = \frac{r + j\omega\ell}{\sqrt{(r + j\omega\ell)(g + j\omega c)}} = \sqrt{\frac{(r + j\omega\ell)^2}{(r + j\omega\ell)(g + j\omega c)}}$$

$$Z_c = \sqrt{\frac{r + j\omega\ell}{g + j\omega c}} \text{ ohms}$$

- Then the current on the transmission line is

$$I(z) = \left(\frac{V^+}{Z_c} e^{-\gamma z} - \frac{V^-}{Z_c} e^{\gamma z} \right)$$

Summary-Sinusoidal Steady State



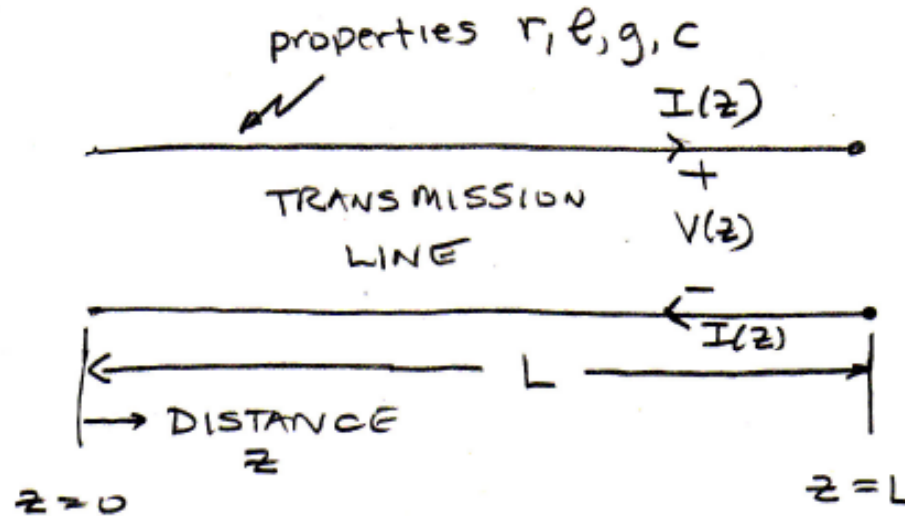
$$\frac{dV}{dz} = -(r + j\omega l)I \quad \frac{d^2V}{dz^2} = \gamma^2 V$$

$$\frac{dI}{dz} = -(g + j\omega c)V \quad \gamma = \sqrt{(r + j\omega l)(g + j\omega c)}$$

$$V(z) = V^+ e^{-\gamma z} + V^- e^{\gamma z}$$

$$I(z) = \frac{V^+}{Z_c} e^{-\gamma z} - \frac{V^-}{Z_c} e^{\gamma z} \quad Z_c = \sqrt{\frac{r + j\omega l}{g + j\omega c}}$$

Attenuation with Distance Travelled



$$V(z) = V^+ e^{-\gamma z}$$

$$V^+ = |V^+| e^{j\theta}$$

$$V(z) = |V^+| e^{j\theta} e^{-\gamma z}$$

$$\gamma = \alpha + j\beta$$

$$V(z) = V^+ e^{-\gamma z} = |V^+| e^{j\theta} e^{-(\alpha + j\beta)z} = |V^+| e^{-\alpha z} e^{j(-\beta z + \theta)}$$

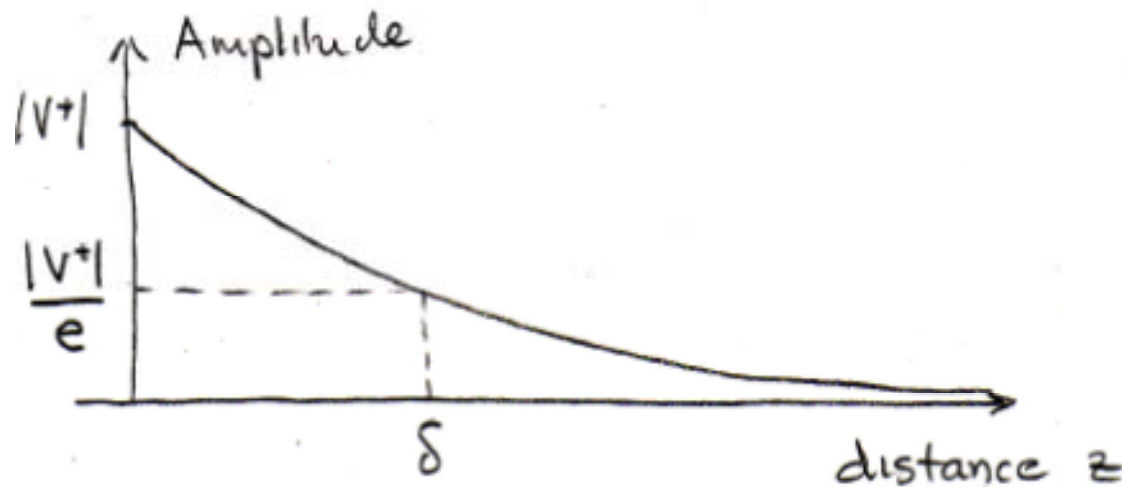
$$v(t) = |V^+| e^{-\alpha z} \cos(\omega t - \beta z + \theta)$$

The amplitude is $|V^+| e^{-\alpha z}$

Exponential Attenuation

$$v(t) = |V^+| e^{-\alpha z} \cos(\omega t - \beta z + \theta)$$

The amplitude of $v(t)$ is $|V^+| e^{-\alpha z}$

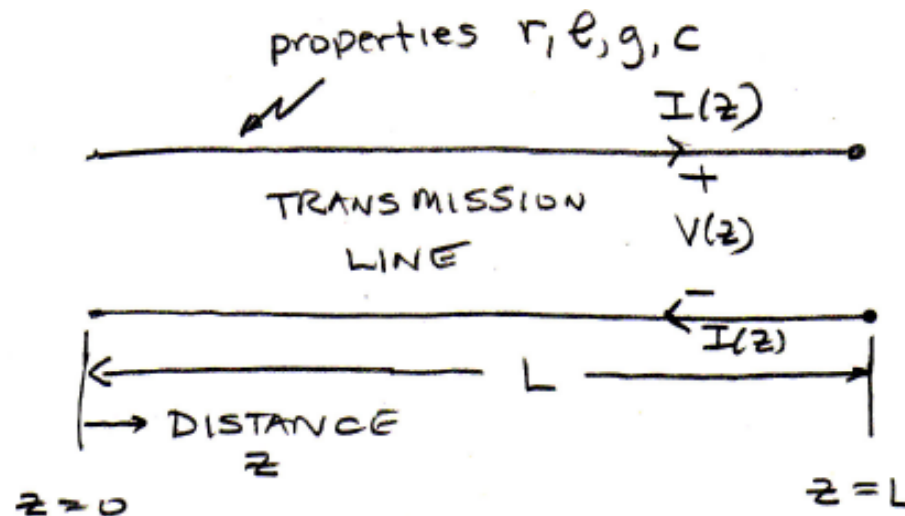


- The distance δ required for the amplitude to decrease by a factor of $\frac{1}{e}$ is called the “penetration depth”, or for metals the “skin depth”.

$$|V^+| e^{-\alpha \delta} = \frac{|V^+|}{e} \quad \text{so} \quad e^{-\alpha \delta} = \frac{1}{e} \quad \text{so} \quad \delta = \frac{1}{\alpha}$$

Lossless Transmission Lines

Inan and Inan Section 3.1



On a “lossless” transmission line, the series-resistance-per-unit-length is zero ($r = 0$) and the shunt-conductance-per-unit-length is zero ($g = 0$).

$$\frac{dV}{dz} = -(r + j\omega l)I \quad \Rightarrow \quad \frac{dV}{dz} = -j\omega l I$$

$$\frac{dI}{dz} = -(g + j\omega c)V \quad \Rightarrow \quad \frac{dI}{dz} = -j\omega c V$$

Lossless Wave Equation

$$\frac{dV}{dz} = -j\omega l I$$

$$\frac{dI}{dz} = -j\omega c V$$

$$\frac{d^2V}{dz^2} = -j\omega l \frac{dI}{dz} = -j\omega l (-j\omega c V) = -\omega^2 l c V$$

$$\frac{d^2V}{dz^2} = -\omega^2 l c V$$

$$\gamma = \sqrt{(r + j\omega l)(g + j\omega c)} = \sqrt{(j\omega l)(j\omega c)} = j\omega\sqrt{lc}$$

$$\gamma = \alpha + j\beta$$

So for “lossless” lines:

- $\alpha = 0$ so $\gamma = j\beta$
- $\beta = \omega\sqrt{lc}$

$$\beta^2 = (\omega\sqrt{lc})^2 = \omega^2 lc$$

$$\frac{d^2V}{dz^2} = -\beta^2 V$$

Solution to the Lossless Wave Equation

$$\frac{d^2V}{dz^2} = -\beta^2V$$

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

(Homework: prove this is a solution to $\frac{d^2V}{dz^2} = -\beta^2V$ by direct substitution.)

In the time domain:

$$V^+ = |V^+| e^{j\theta^+} = C^+ e^{j\theta^+}$$

$$V^- = |V^-| e^{j\theta^-} = C^- e^{j\theta^-}$$

$$V(z) = C^+ e^{j\theta^+} e^{-j\beta z} + C^- e^{j\theta^-} e^{j\beta z}$$

$$V(z) = C^+ e^{j(-\beta z + \theta^+)} + C^- e^{j(\beta z + \theta^-)}$$

$$v(z,t) = C^+ \cos(\omega t - \beta z + \theta^+) + C^- \cos(\omega t + \beta z + \theta^-)$$

Find the Current on the Lossless Transmission Line

$$\frac{dV}{dz} = -j\omega l I$$

$$\beta = \omega\sqrt{lc}$$

$$\frac{dI}{dz} = -j\omega c V$$

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

$$I = \frac{-1}{j\omega l} \frac{dV}{dz} = \frac{-1}{j\omega l} \frac{d}{dz} (V^+ e^{-j\beta z} + V^- e^{j\beta z})$$

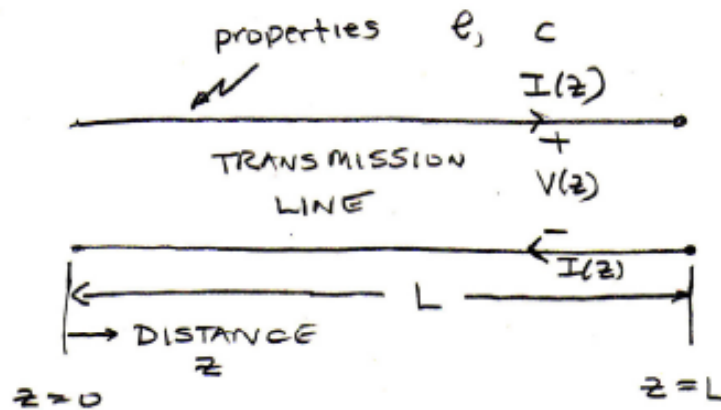
$$I = \frac{-1}{j\omega l} \frac{dV}{dz} = \left(\frac{-1}{j\omega l} \right) (-j\beta V^+ e^{-j\beta z} + j\beta V^- e^{j\beta z})$$

$$I = \frac{\beta}{\omega l} V^+ e^{-j\beta z} - \frac{\beta}{\omega l} V^- e^{j\beta z}$$

$$R_c = \frac{\omega l}{\beta} = \frac{\omega l}{\omega\sqrt{lc}} = \sqrt{\frac{l}{c}} \text{ ohms}$$

$$I(z) = \frac{V^+}{R_c} e^{-j\beta z} - \frac{V^-}{R_c} e^{j\beta z}$$

Summary – Lossless Transmission Lines



Lossless transmission-line equations:

$$\frac{dV}{dz} = -j\omega l I$$

$$\frac{dI}{dz} = -j\omega c V$$

Lossless wave equation:

$$\frac{d^2V}{dz^2} = -\beta^2 V$$

where $\beta = \omega\sqrt{\ell c}$ is the phase constant.

Characteristic Resistance

$$R_c = \sqrt{\frac{\ell}{c}} \text{ ohms}$$

Voltage and Current

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

$$I(z) = \frac{V^+}{R_c} e^{-j\beta z} - \frac{V^-}{R_c} e^{j\beta z}$$

Find the Wavelength

$$V = Ae^{-j\beta z}$$

$$v(z, t) = \text{Re}[Ve^{j\omega t}] = \text{Re}[Ae^{-j\beta z} e^{j\omega t}] = \text{Re}[Ae^{j(\omega t - \beta z)}]$$

$$v(z, t) = \text{Re}[A \cos(\omega t - \beta z) + jA \sin(\omega t - \beta z)]$$

$$v(z, t) = A \cos(\omega t - \beta z)$$

At time t_1 , plot $v(z, t_1) = A \cos(\omega t_1 - \beta z)$ as a function of distance z .

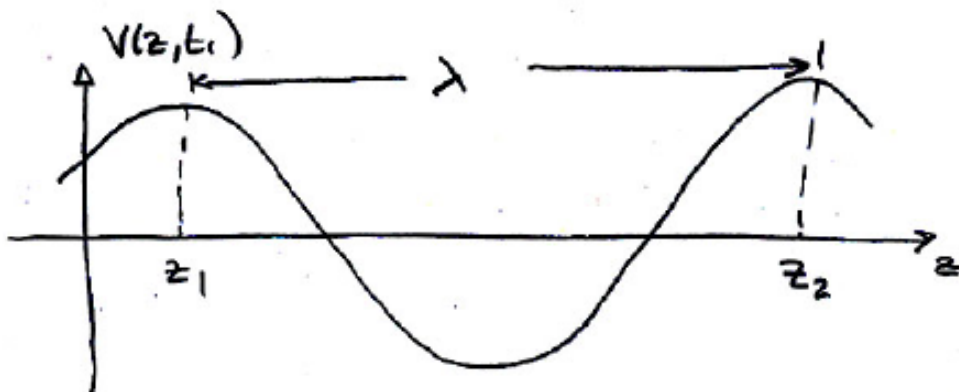
The voltage has a maximum when $(\omega t_1 - \beta z) = 0, \pm 2\pi, \pm 4\pi, \dots$

- There is a maximum when $\omega t_1 - \beta z_1 = 0$ so

$$z_1 = \frac{\omega t_1}{\beta}$$

- And there is another maximum when $\omega t_1 - \beta z_2 = -2\pi$ so

$$z_2 = \frac{\omega t_1 + 2\pi}{\beta} = \frac{\omega t_1}{\beta} + \frac{2\pi}{\beta} = z_1 + \frac{2\pi}{\beta}$$



The wavelength is the distance between the adjacent maxima:

$$\lambda = z_2 - z_1 = \frac{\omega t_1 + 2\pi}{\beta} - \frac{\omega t_1}{\beta} = \frac{2\pi}{\beta}$$

Find the Speed of Travel

$$v(z, t) = A \cos(\omega t - \beta z)$$

How far does the wave travel between $t = t_1$ and $t = t_2$?

At time t_1 , plot $v(z, t_1) = A \cos(\omega t_1 - \beta z)$ as a function of distance z .

The voltage has a maximum when $(\omega t_1 - \beta z) = 0, \pm 2\pi, \pm 4\pi, \dots$

- There is a maximum when $\omega t_1 - \beta z_1 = 0$ so

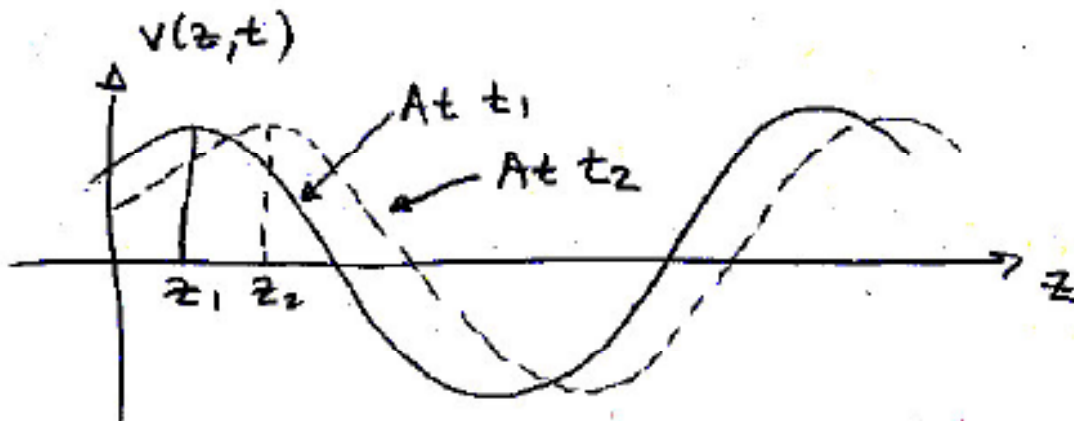
$$z_1 = \frac{\omega t_1}{\beta}$$

Now plot $v(z, t_2) = A \cos(\omega t_2 - \beta z)$ at some later time $t_2 > t_1$.

Voltage $v(z, t_2)$ has a maximum when $\omega t_2 - \beta z_2 = 0$ or $z_2 = \frac{\omega t_2}{\beta}$

Since $t_2 > t_1$, we have $z_2 > z_1$

the speed of travel or “phase velocity” is



$$u = \frac{z_2 - z_1}{t_2 - t_1} = \frac{\frac{\omega t_2}{\beta} - \frac{\omega t_1}{\beta}}{t_2 - t_1} = \frac{\omega}{\beta}$$

Wavelength and Speed of Travel

In general the wavelength is $\lambda = \frac{2\pi}{\beta}$

In general the speed of travel is $u = \frac{\omega}{\beta}$

For a lossless transmission line $\beta = \omega\sqrt{lc}$

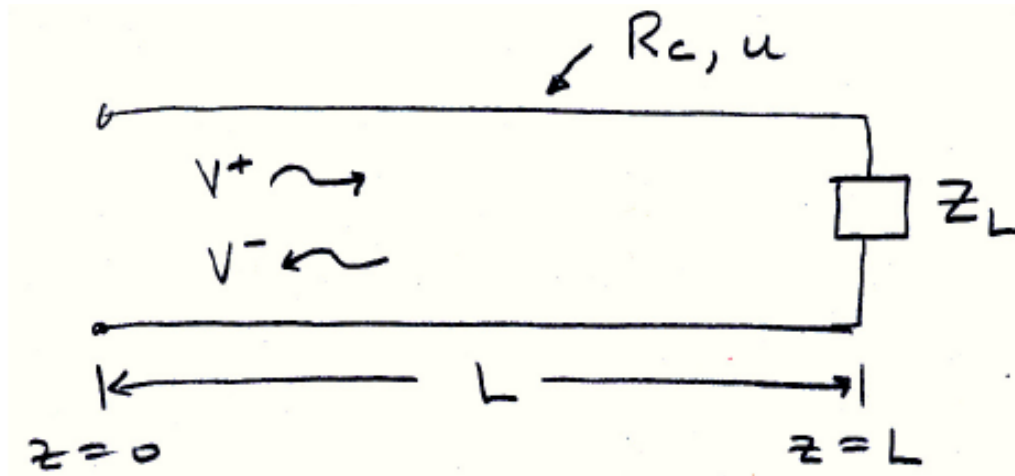
$$u = \frac{\omega}{\beta} = \frac{\omega}{\omega\sqrt{lc}} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{lc}}$$

$$\lambda = \frac{2\pi}{\beta} = \frac{2\pi}{\omega/u} = \frac{2\pi u}{2\pi f} = \frac{u}{f}$$

$$u = \frac{1}{\sqrt{lc}}$$

$$\lambda = \frac{u}{f}$$

Transmission Line Terminated with a Load



Inan and Inan Sections 3.2 and 3.3

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

$$I(z) = \frac{V^+}{R_c} e^{-j\beta z} - \frac{V^-}{R_c} e^{j\beta z}$$

If we know V^+ , can we find V^- ?

At the load, we must satisfy $V(L) = Z_L I(L)$

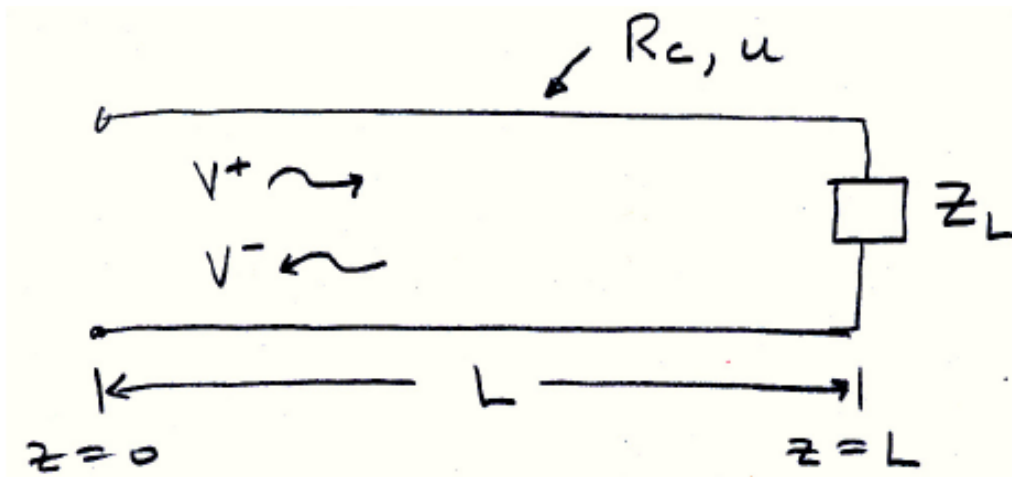
$$V(L) = V^+ e^{-j\beta L} + V^- e^{j\beta L}$$

$$I(L) = \frac{V^+}{R_c} e^{-j\beta L} - \frac{V^-}{R_c} e^{j\beta L}$$

$$V^+ e^{-j\beta L} + V^- e^{j\beta L} = Z_L \frac{V^+}{R_c} e^{-j\beta L} - Z_L \frac{V^-}{R_c} e^{j\beta L}$$

$$V^- = \frac{Z_L - R_c}{Z_L + R_c} e^{-j2\beta L} V^+$$

Reflection Coefficient at the Load



$$V^- = \frac{Z_L - R_c}{Z_L + R_c} e^{-2j\beta L} V^+$$

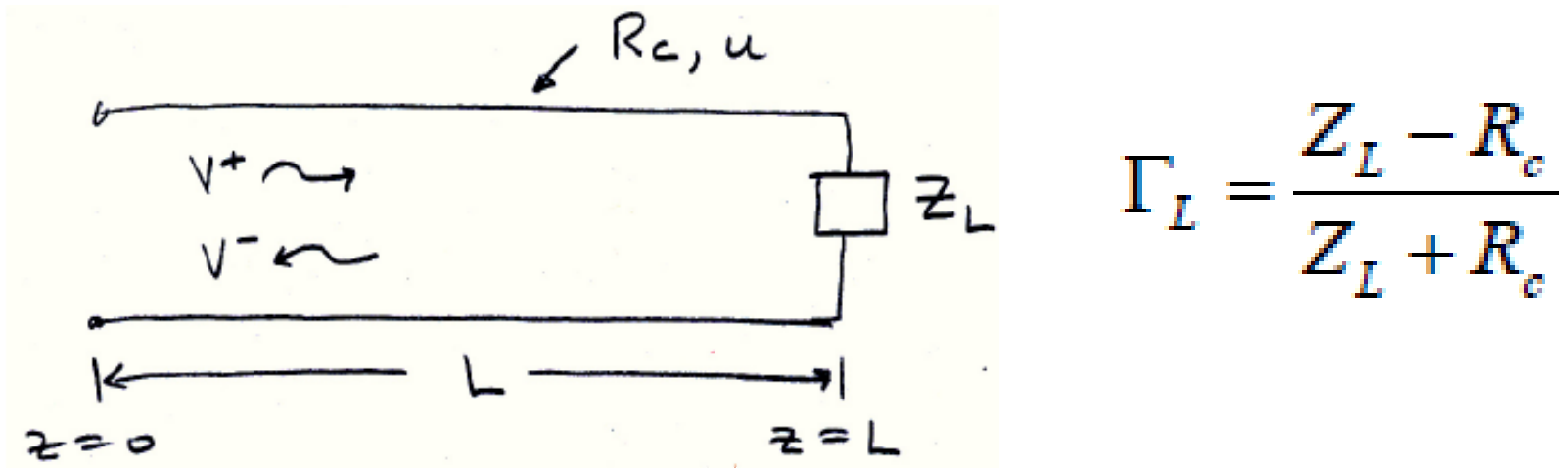
$$\Gamma_L = \frac{V^- e^{j\beta L}}{V^+ e^{-j\beta L}}$$

$$\Gamma_L = \frac{\frac{Z_L - R_c}{Z_L + R_c} e^{-2j\beta L} V^+ e^{j\beta L}}{V^+ e^{-j\beta L}}$$

$$\Gamma_L = \frac{Z_L - R_c}{Z_L + R_c}$$

$$V^- = \Gamma_L e^{-j2\beta L} V^+$$

Matched Load



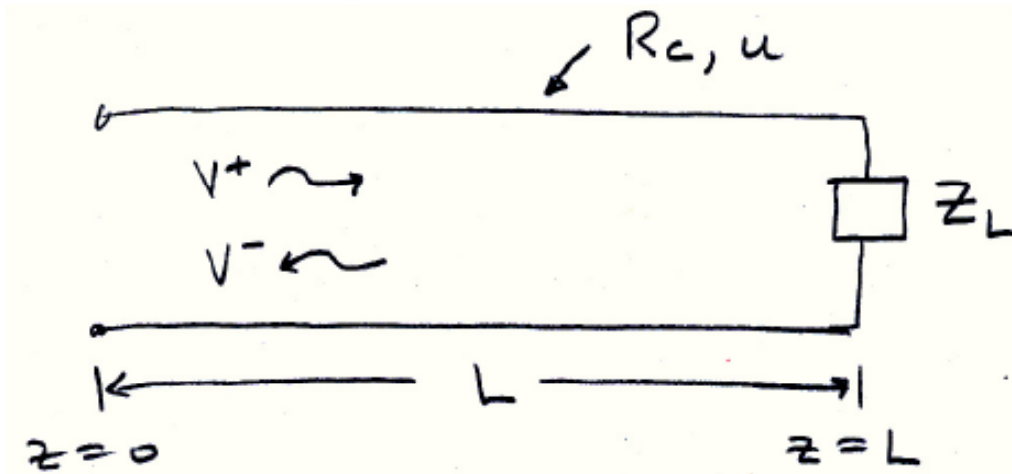
Matched Load $Z_L = R_c$:

- The reflection coefficient is

$$\Gamma_L = \frac{Z_L - R_c}{Z_L + R_c} = \frac{R_c - R_c}{R_c + R_c} = 0$$

- The reflected voltage is $V^- = \Gamma_L e^{-j2\beta L} V^+ = 0$

Voltage and Current



Voltage and Current

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

$$I(z) = \frac{V^+}{R_c} e^{-j\beta z} - \frac{V^-}{R_c} e^{j\beta z}$$

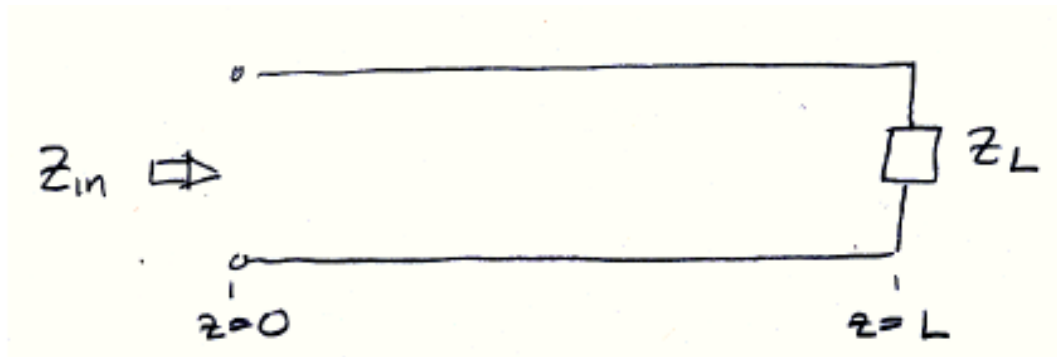
$$V^- = \Gamma_L e^{-j2\beta L} V^+$$

$$\begin{aligned} V(z) &= V^+ e^{-j\beta z} + V^- e^{j\beta z} \\ &= V^+ e^{-j\beta z} + \Gamma_L e^{-j2\beta L} V^+ e^{j\beta z} \\ &= V^+ \left(e^{-j\beta z} + \Gamma_L e^{-j2\beta L} e^{j\beta z} \right) \end{aligned}$$

$$V(z) = V^+ e^{-j\beta z} \left(e^{-j\beta(z-L)} + \Gamma_L e^{j\beta(z-L)} \right)$$

$$I(z) = V^+ e^{-j\beta z} \left(\frac{1}{R_c} e^{-j\beta(z-L)} - \frac{1}{R_c} \Gamma_L e^{j\beta(z-L)} \right)$$

The Input Impedance



$$V(z) = V^+ e^{-j\beta z} (e^{-j\beta(z-L)} + \Gamma_L e^{j\beta(z-L)})$$

$$I(z) = V^+ e^{-j\beta z} \left(\frac{1}{R_c} e^{-j\beta(z-L)} - \frac{1}{R_c} \Gamma_L e^{j\beta(z-L)} \right)$$

$$\Gamma_L = \frac{Z_L - R_c}{Z_L + R_c}$$

$$Z_{in} = \frac{V(0)}{I(0)}$$

$$V(0) = V^+ e^{-j\beta L} (e^{-j\beta(0-L)} + \Gamma_L e^{j\beta(0-L)})$$

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$$I(0) = V^+ e^{-j\beta L} \left(\frac{1}{R_c} e^{-j\beta(0-L)} - \frac{1}{R_c} \Gamma_L e^{j\beta(0-L)} \right)$$

$$I(0) = V^+ e^{-j\beta L} \left(\frac{1}{R_c} e^{j\beta L} - \frac{1}{R_c} \Gamma_L e^{-j\beta L} \right)$$

$$Z_{in} = \frac{V(z=0)}{I(z=0)} = \frac{V^+ e^{-j\beta L} (e^{j\beta L} + \Gamma_L e^{-j\beta L})}{V^+ e^{-j\beta L} \left(\frac{1}{R_c} e^{j\beta L} - \frac{1}{R_c} \Gamma_L e^{-j\beta L} \right)}$$

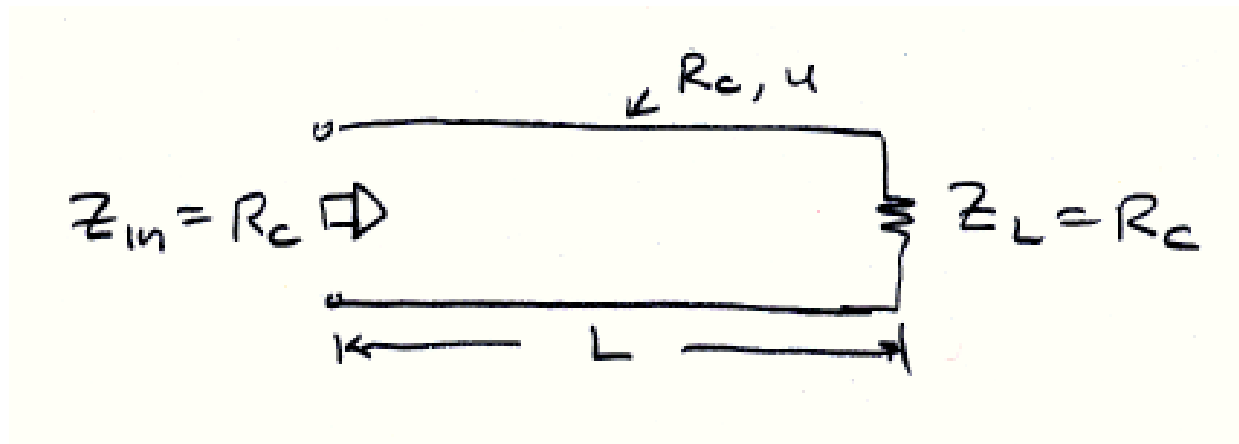
$$Z_{in} = R_c \frac{Z_L + jR_c \tan \beta L}{R_c + jZ_L \tan \beta L}$$

Homework: do the missing algebra to derive this formula.

Important Special Cases

Matched Load

- What is the input impedance of a transmission line terminated with a matched load?



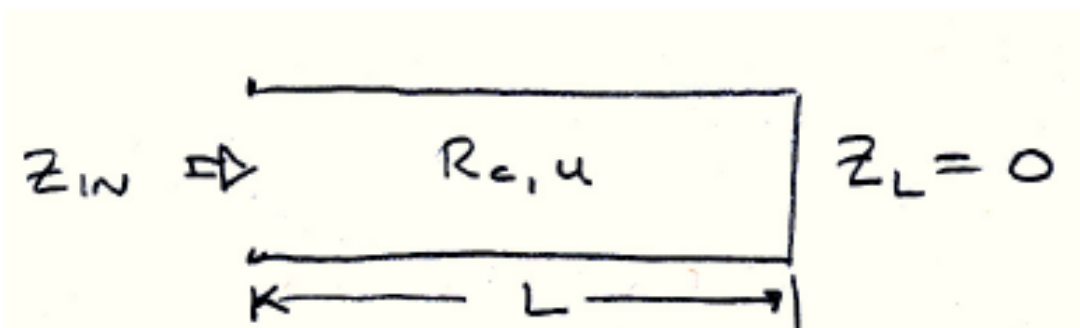
- If $Z_L = R_c$, then the input impedance is

$$Z_{in} = R_c \frac{Z_L + jR_c \tan \beta L}{R_c + jZ_L \tan \beta L} = R_c \frac{R_c + jR_c \tan \beta L}{R_c + jR_c \tan \beta L} = R_c$$

- So the input impedance of a transmission line terminated with a matched load is $Z_{in} = R_c$.

Short-Circuited Transmission Line

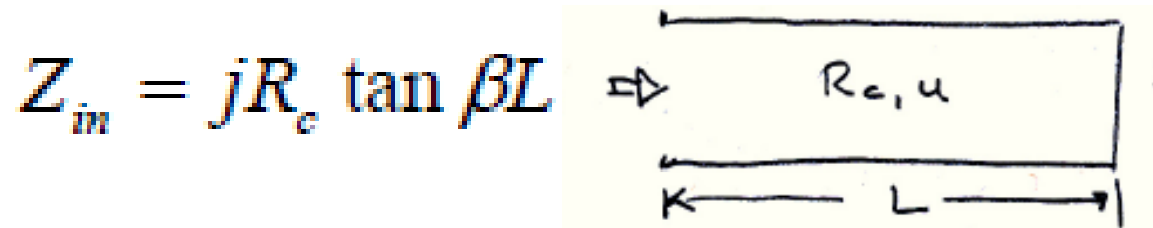
- What is the input impedance of a transmission line terminated with a short circuit?



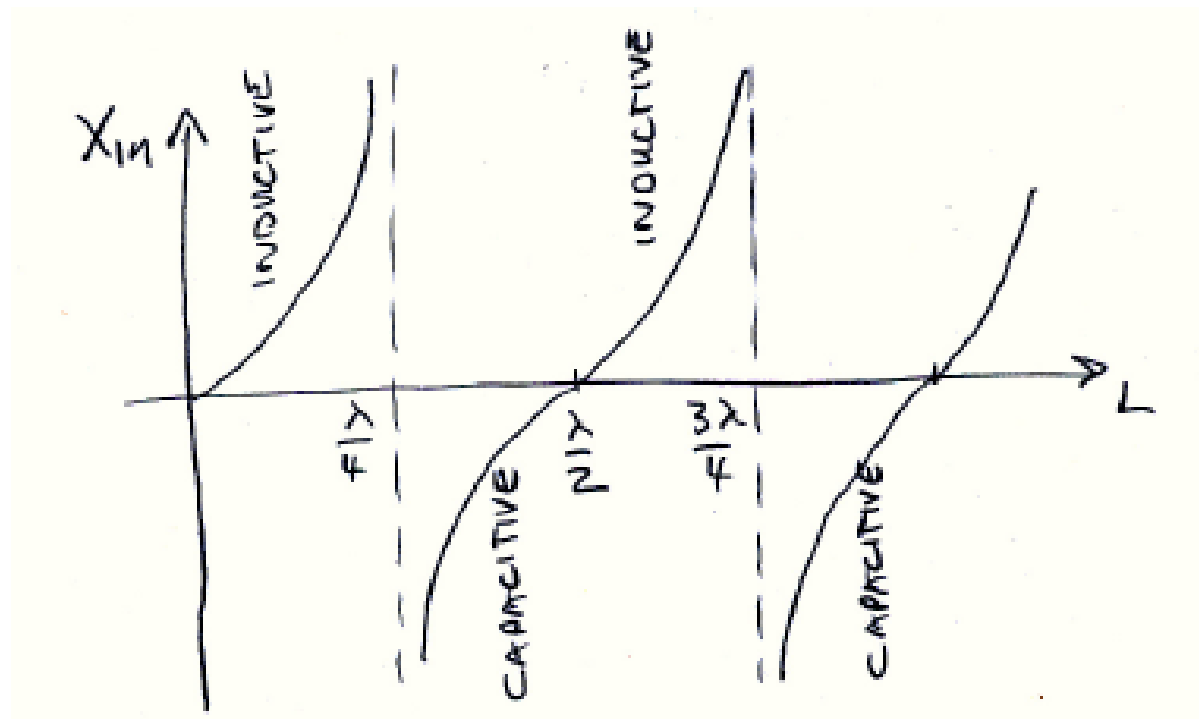
- A short length of transmission line terminated with a short circuit is called a “stub” and can be used for impedance matching. (We will do this later in the course.)
- What is the input impedance of a transmission line terminated with a short circuit, $Z_L = 0$?

$$Z_{in} = R_c \frac{Z_L + jR_c \tan \beta L}{R_c + jZ_L \tan \beta L} = R_c \frac{0 + jR_c \tan \beta L}{R_c + j0 \tan \beta L} = jR_c \tan \beta L$$

$$Z_{in} = jR_c \tan \beta L$$



- $Z_{in} = jR_c \tan \beta L$ is “reactive”, meaning that it is pure imaginary.
- We can write $Z_{in} = jX_{in}$ where the reactance is $X_{in} = R_c \tan \beta L$



When $\beta L \rightarrow \frac{\pi}{2}$, $\tan \beta L \rightarrow +\infty$.

$$L = \frac{\pi}{2\beta} = \frac{\pi}{2} \frac{\lambda}{2\pi} = \frac{\lambda}{4}$$

Open-Circuited Transmission Line

- What is the input impedance of a transmission line terminated with an open circuit, $Z_L \rightarrow \infty$?

$$Z_{in} = \lim_{Z_L \rightarrow \infty} R_c \frac{Z_L + jR_c \tan \beta L}{R_c + jZ_L \tan \beta L}$$

$$Z_{in} = R_c \frac{Z_L}{jZ_L \tan \beta L} = -jR_c \cot \beta L$$

- $Z_{in} = -jR_c \cot \beta L$ is “reactive” meaning pure imaginary.
- We can write $Z_{in} = jX_{in}$ where the reactance is $X_{in} = -R_c \cot \beta L$

