

Corrections

Corrections to “New Results for the Effective Propagation Constants of Nonuniform Plane Waves at the Planar Interface of Two Lossy Media”

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The same typographical error appears at three places in [1]. The square root should not appear in the expressions for D in the denominators of (34) and (35), and in the definition of D given after (36). The equations labeled here as (1), (2), and (3) (shown at the bottom of

page) are the corrected expressions for (34), (35), and the definition of D , respectively.

For $\phi_\alpha = \phi_\beta \equiv \phi$, there results $\phi_I = 0$ from (2) and then $\phi_R = \phi$ from (1), as expected.

There is also a typographical error in the expression for the definition of C given after equation (39). The variable α_o should read α in the numerator. The equation labeled here as (4) is the corrected expression for the definition of C which is

$$\cos^2(\theta_R) + \sinh^2(\theta_I) = \frac{\alpha^2 \cos^2(\theta_\alpha) + \beta^2 \cos^2(\theta_\beta)}{\alpha_o^2 + \beta_o^2} = C. \quad (4)$$

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$$\frac{\sin(\phi_R)}{\cosh(\phi_I)} \frac{1}{\sqrt{\cos^2(\phi_R) + \sinh^2(\phi_I)}} = \frac{\alpha^2 \sin^2(\theta_\alpha) \sin(\phi_\alpha) \cos(\phi_\alpha) + \beta^2 \sin^2(\theta_\beta) \sin(\phi_\beta) \cos(\phi_\beta)}{D} \quad (1)$$

$$\frac{\sinh(\phi_I)}{\cos(\phi_R)} \frac{1}{\sqrt{\cos^2(\phi_R) + \sinh^2(\phi_I)}} = \frac{\alpha\beta \sin(\theta_\alpha) \sin(\theta_\beta) \sin(\phi_\beta - \phi_\alpha)}{D} \quad (2)$$

where:

$$D = \alpha^2 \sin^2(\theta_\alpha) \cos^2(\phi_\alpha) + \beta^2 \sin^2(\theta_\beta) \cos^2(\phi_\beta) \quad (3)$$