

Lab number: 3

Lab title: Normal incidence of TEM wave onto media boundary

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Theoretical introduction:

We are gonna work with 2 cases in this laboratory:

Case 1 – TEM wave propagation in parallel-plate waveguide terminated with PEC and PMC, which is filled homogeneously. We will be considering a phenomenon namely totally standing wave phenomenon.

Case 2 – Our focus in this case is a partially standing wave when TEM wave impinges at 90 degree angle onto onto one dielectric boundary

Our goal is to become familiar with reflection coefficient, standing wave ratio and power transmission coefficient – parameters of standing wave.

$$a=7.5+0.5=8$$

Cases:

PEC – Perfect Electric Conductor

PMC – Perfect Magnetic Conductor

1. air filling, terminated with PEC (parplat_PEC):

a) $f=a[GHz], \varepsilon_r=1, \mu_r=1, tg(\delta)=0$

b) $f=a[GHz], \varepsilon_r=1, \mu_r=1, tg(\delta)=0.1$

2. air filling, terminated with PMC (parplat_PMC):

a) $f=a[GHz], \varepsilon_r=1, \mu_r=1, tg(\delta)=0$

b) $f=a[GHz], \varepsilon_r=1, \mu_r=1, tg(\delta)=0.1$

3. wave impinges from air to dielectric (parplat_diel):

a) $f=a[GHz], \varepsilon_r=4, \mu_r=1, tg(\delta)=0$

b) $f=a[GHz], \varepsilon_r=1, \mu_r=4, tg(\delta)=0$

4. wave impinges from dielectric to air (parplat_diel):

a) $f=a[GHz], \epsilon_r=4, \mu_r=1, tg(\delta)=0$

b) $f=a[GHz], \epsilon_r=1, \mu_r=4, tg(\delta)=0$

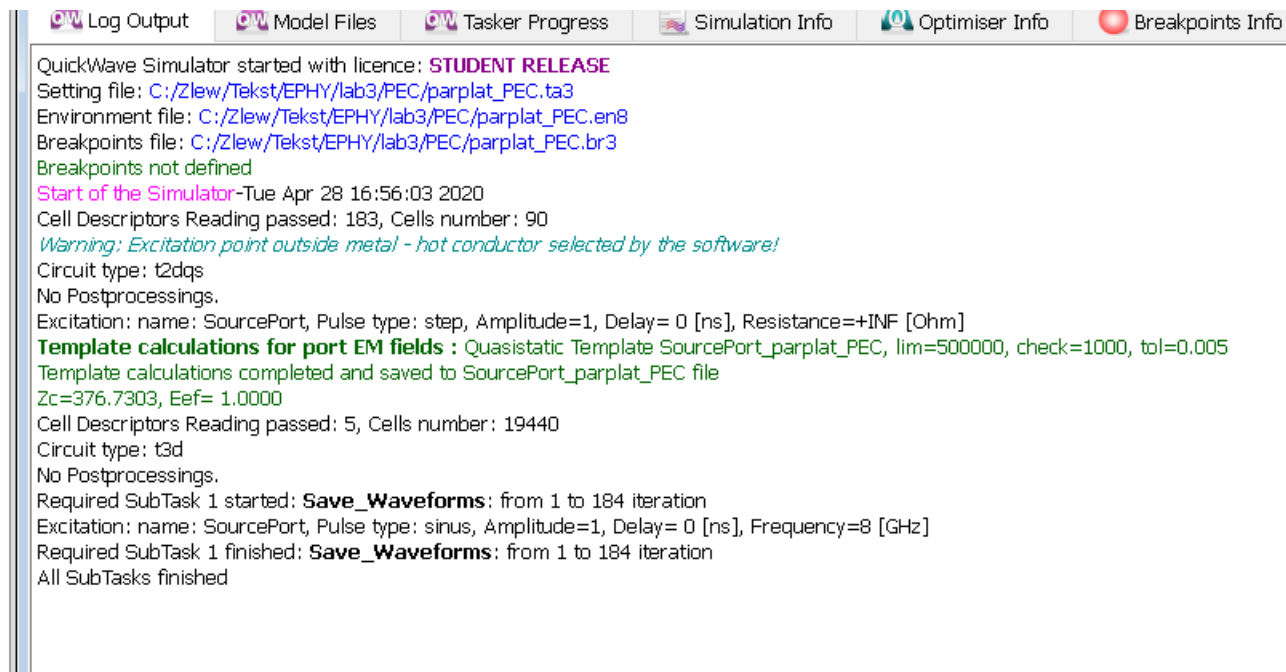
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Electrical conductivity value:

$$\sigma[S/m] \approx \epsilon_r \frac{f[GHz]}{18} \tan(\delta) = 0 (\text{lossless medium})$$

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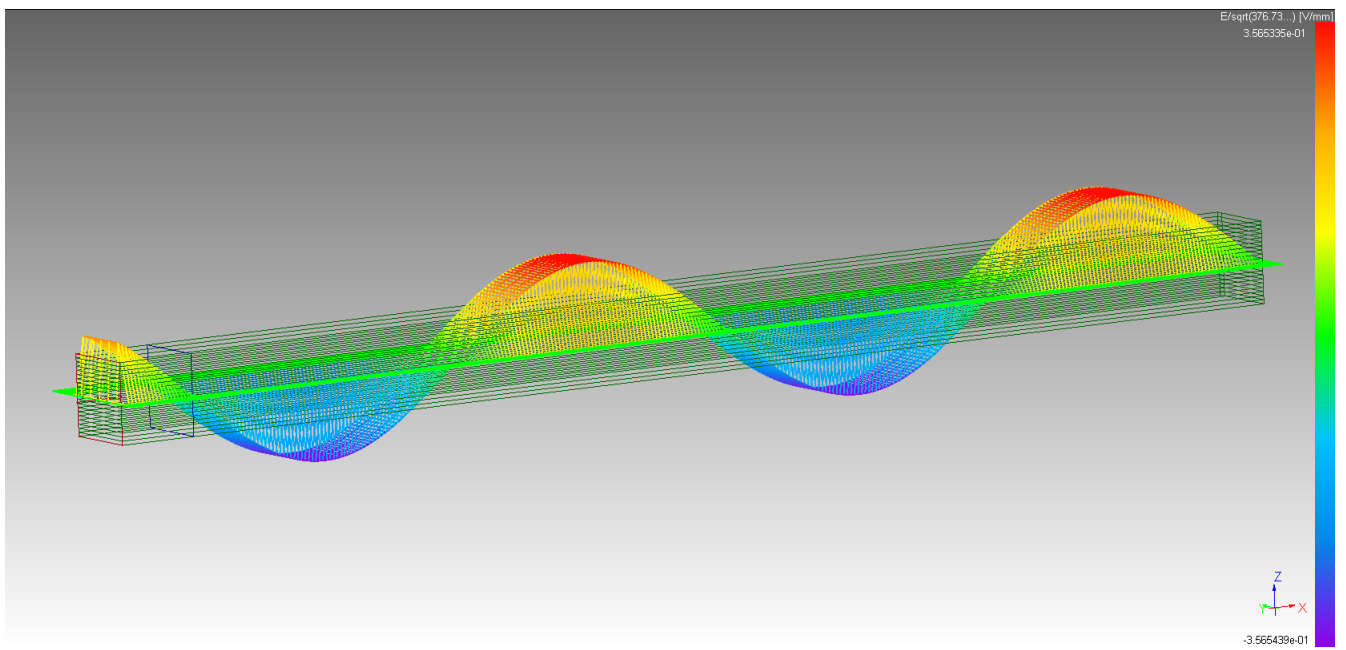
Log Output

QuickWave Simulator started with licence: **STUDENT RELEASE**
 Setting file: C:/Zlew/Tekst/EPHY/lab3/PEC/parplat_PEC.ta3
 Environment file: C:/Zlew/Tekst/EPHY/lab3/PEC/parplat_PEC.en8
 Breakpoints file: C:/Zlew/Tekst/EPHY/lab3/PEC/parplat_PEC.br3
 Breakpoints not defined
Start of the Simulator-Tue Apr 28 16:56:03 2020
 Cell Descriptors Reading passed: 183, Cells number: 90
Warning: Excitation point outside metal - hot conductor selected by the software!
 Circuit type: t2dqs
 No Postprocessings.
 Excitation: name: SourcePort, Pulse type: step, Amplitude=1, Delay= 0 [ns], Resistance=+INF [Ohm]
Template calculations for port EM fields : Quasistatic Template SourcePort_parplat_PEC, lim=500000, check=1000, tol=0.005
 Template calculations completed and saved to SourcePort_parplat_PEC file
 Zc=376.7303, Eef= 1.0000
 Cell Descriptors Reading passed: 5, Cells number: 19440
 Circuit type: t3d
 No Postprocessings.
 Required SubTask 1 started: **Save_Waveforms**: from 1 to 184 iteration
 Excitation: name: SourcePort, Pulse type: sinus, Amplitude=1, Delay= 0 [ns], Frequency=8 [GHz]
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 All SubTasks finished

$$Z_c \text{ of input} = 376.7303 [\Omega]$$

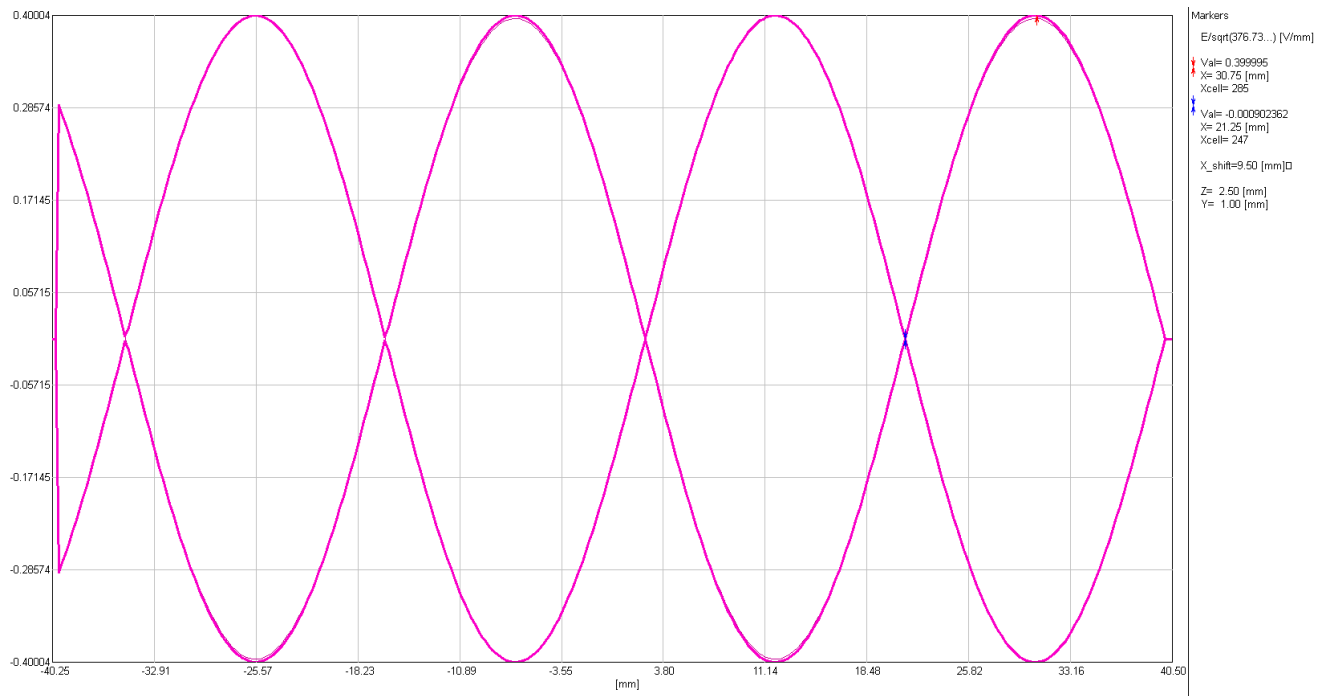
Z_c —impedance

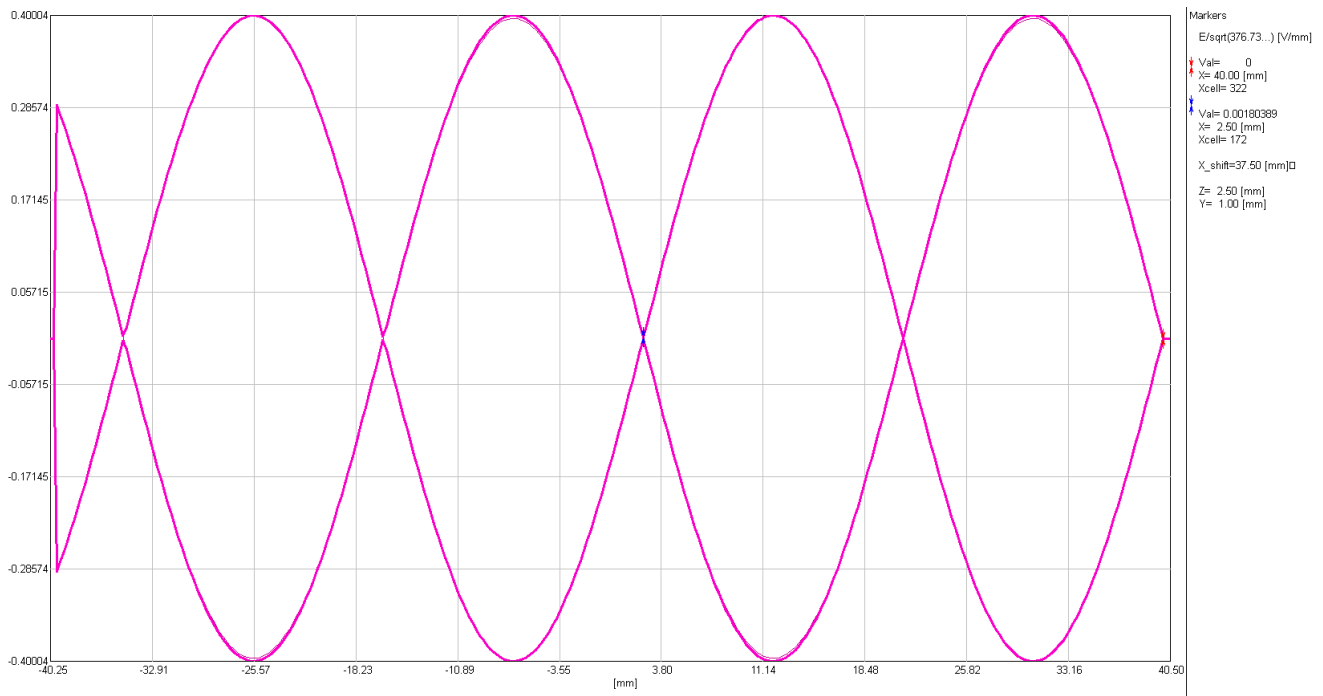
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Direction of EM wave propagation is z. It is the only direction in which the wave is visible.

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wavelength $\lambda = 37,5 [mm]$

$$SWR = \frac{E_{max}}{E_{min}} = -44,44$$

if $\Gamma > 0$:

$$\Gamma(\text{derived from } SWR) = \frac{1 + SWR}{1 - SWR} = -1,04$$

Power transmission coefficient $T_p = 1 - \Gamma^2 = -0,09$

Wave impedance $|Z_{\perp}|$ at $0 = 0 [\Omega]$

Wave impedance $|Z_{\perp}|$ at $\lambda/8 = 354,37 [\Omega]$

Wave impedance $|Z_{\perp}|$ at $\lambda/4 = 377,00 [\Omega]$

Wave impedance $|Z_{\perp}|$ at $3\lambda/4 = 376,94 [\Omega]$

Wave impedance $|Z_{\perp}|$ at $\lambda = -301,686138235021 [\Omega]$

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Electrical conductivity value:

$$\sigma [S/m] \approx \epsilon_r \frac{f [GHz]}{18} \tan(\delta) = 0,047 (\text{lossy medium})$$

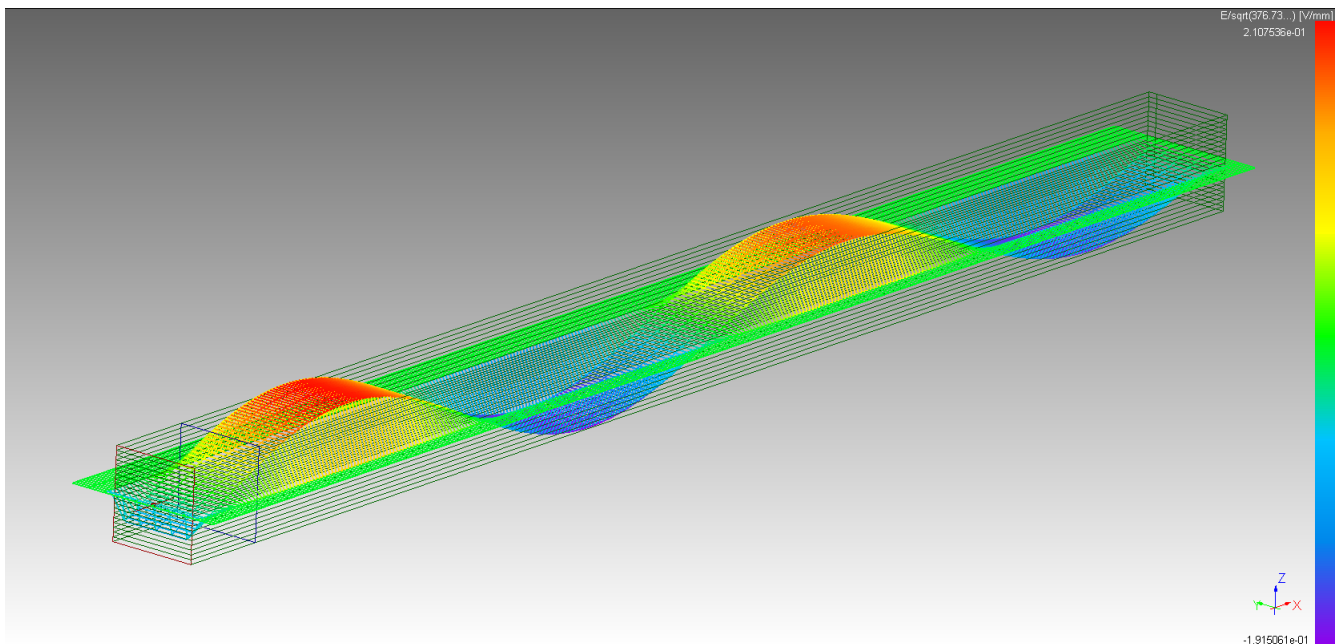
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$Z_c \text{ of input} = 376,7303 [\Omega]$

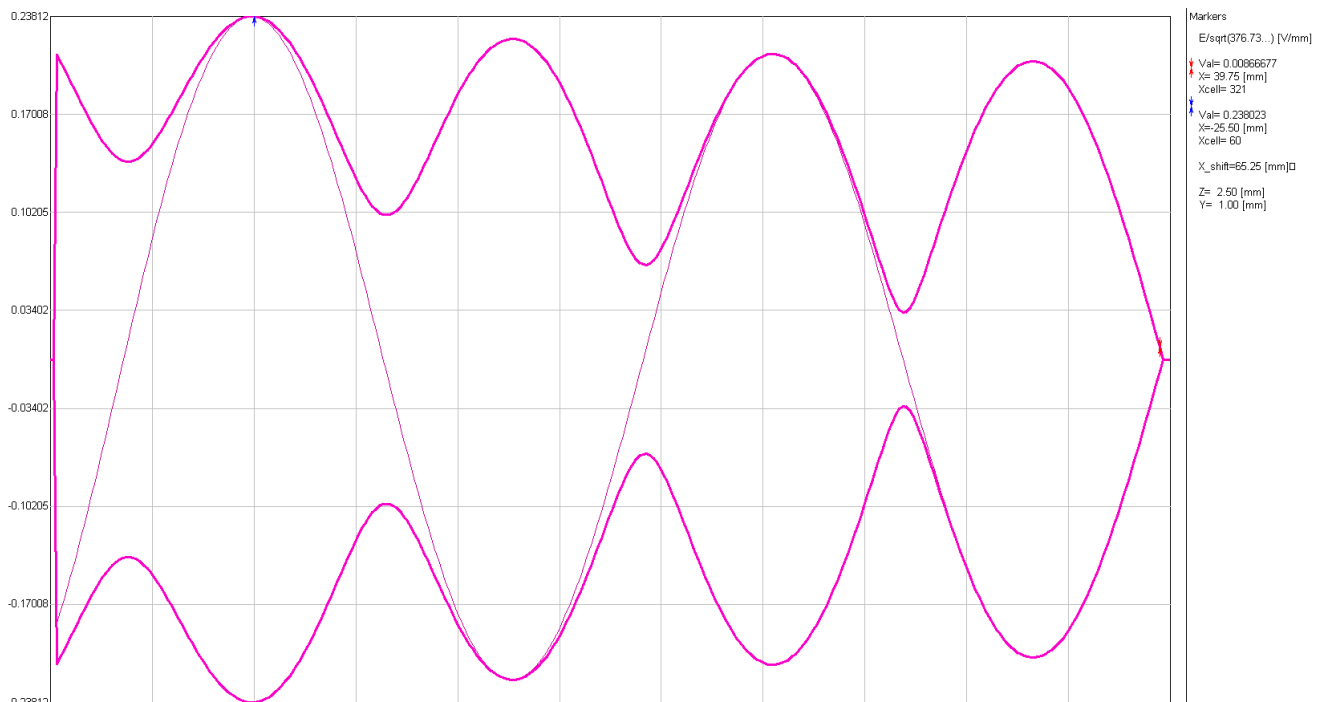
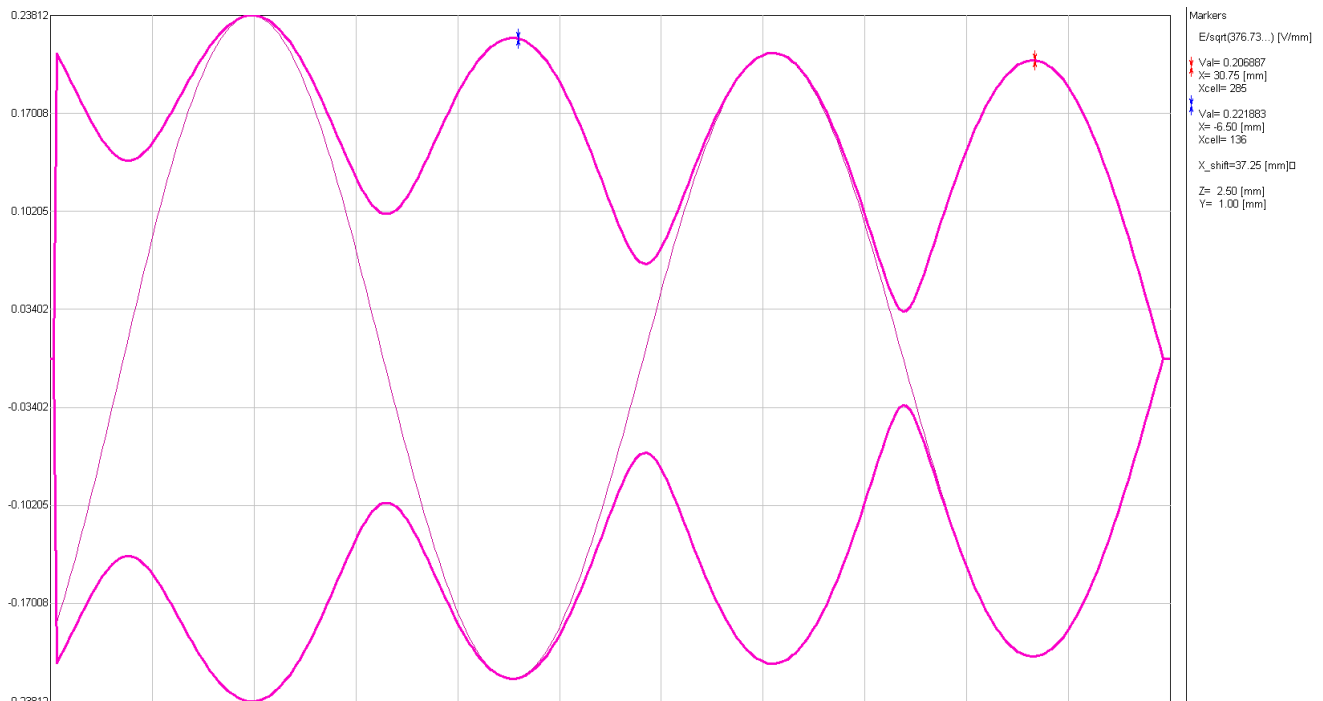
Z_c – impedance

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wavelength $\lambda = 37,25 [mm]$

$$SWR = \frac{E_{max}}{E_{min}} = 27,46$$

$$\Gamma(\text{derived from } SWR) = \frac{1+SWR}{1-SWR} = -1,07557475111969$$

if $SWR < 0$:

Power transmission coefficient $T_p = 1 - \Gamma^2 = -0,16$

Wave impedance $|Z_{\perp}|$ at 0 = 754,43 [Ω]

Wave impedance $|Z_{\perp}|$ at $\lambda/8$ = 369,79 [Ω]

Wave impedance $|Z_{\perp}|$ at $\lambda/4$ = 381,79 [Ω]

Wave impedance $|Z_{\perp}|$ at $3\lambda/4$ = 385,49 [Ω]

Wave impedance $|Z_{\perp}|$ at λ = 456,31 [Ω]

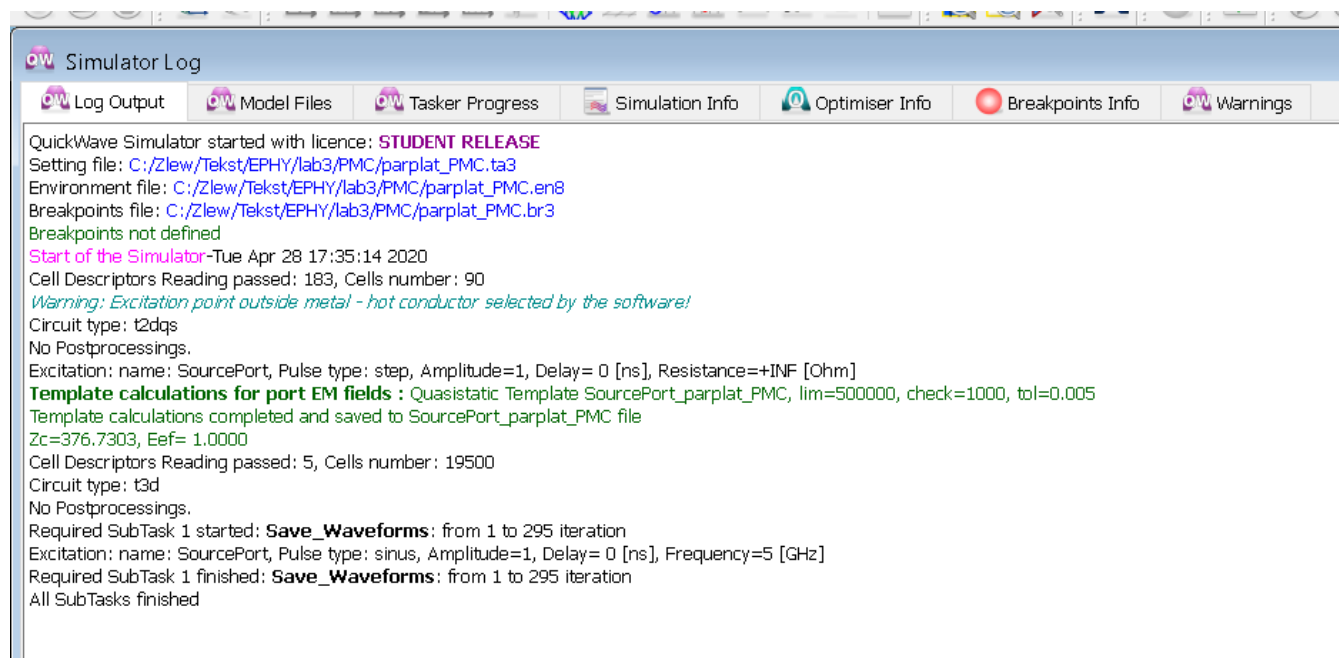
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Electrical conductivity value:

$$\sigma [S/m] \approx \epsilon_r \frac{f [GHz]}{18} \tan(\delta) = 0 \text{ (lossless medium)}$$

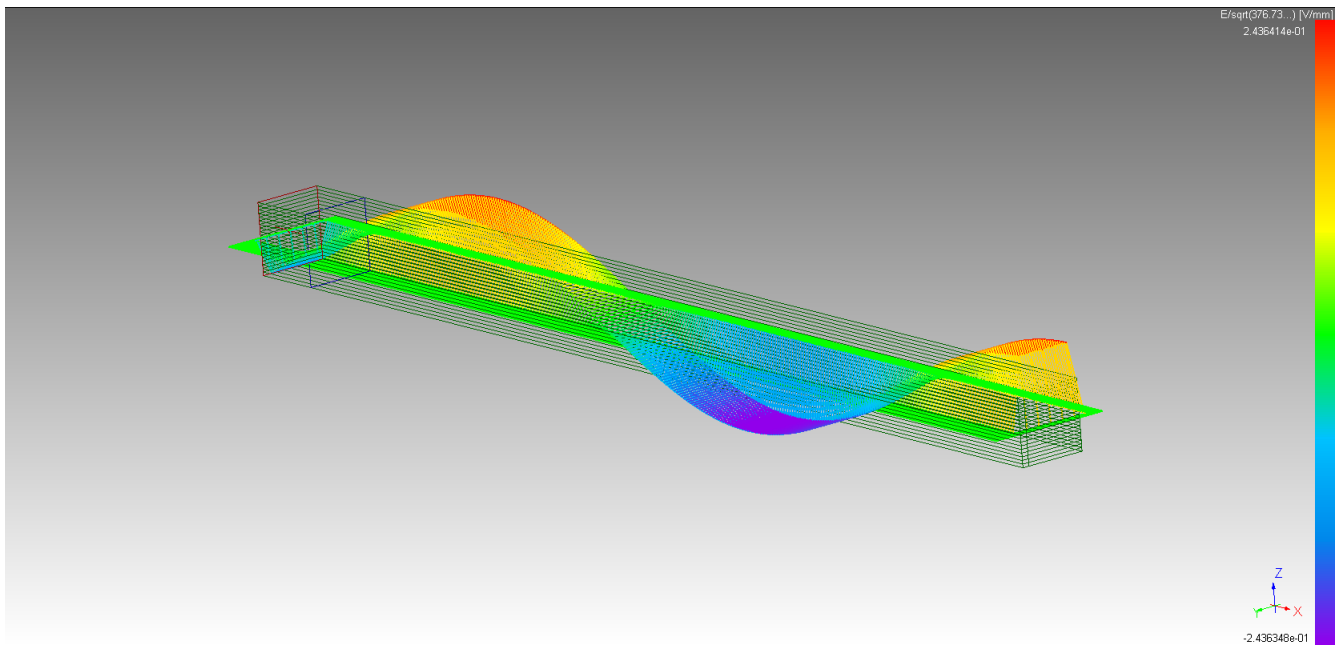
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Z_c of input = 376,7303 [Ω]

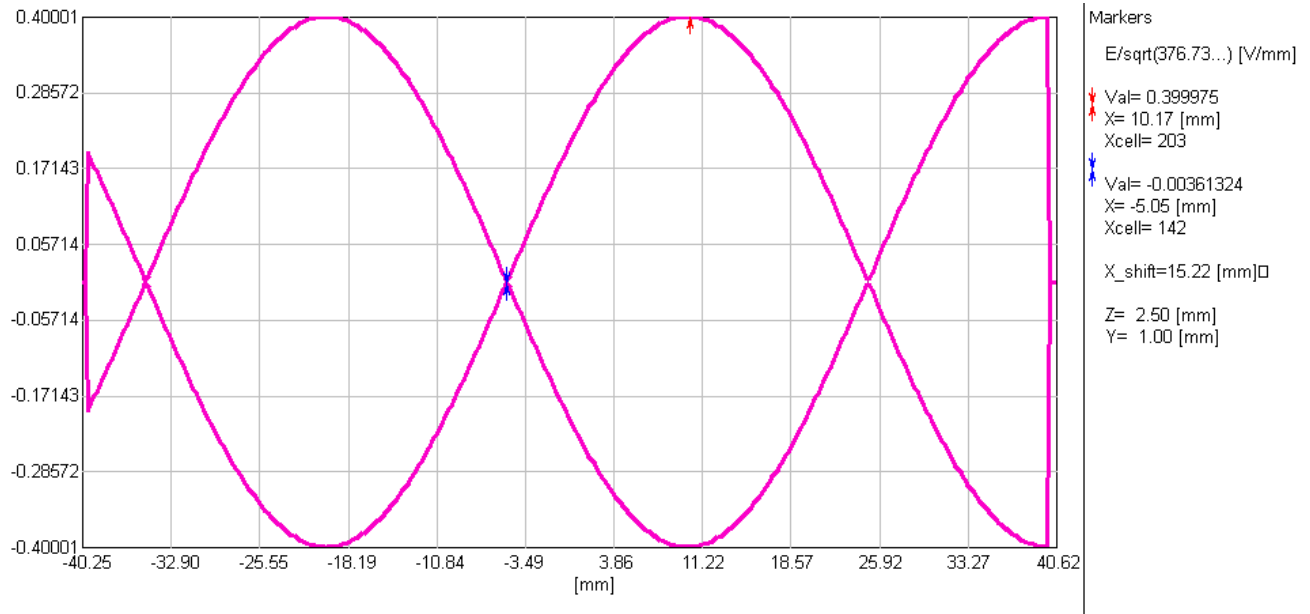
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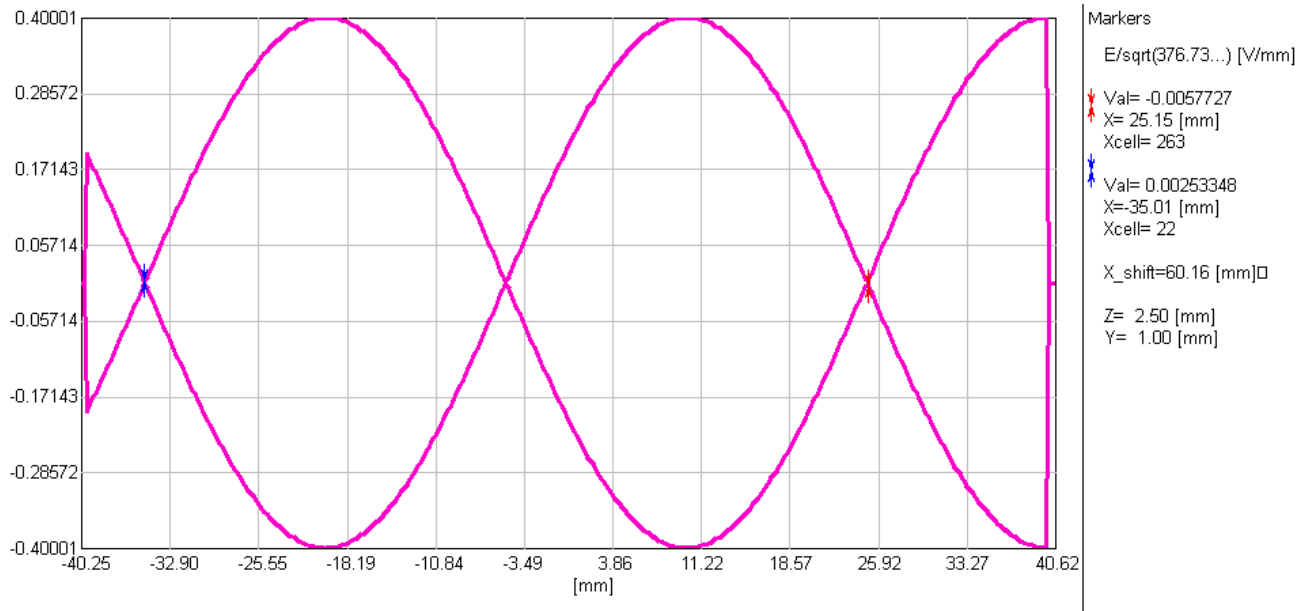
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wavelength $\lambda = 60,16 \text{ [mm]}$

SWR = -110,7

$$\Gamma(\text{derived from } m\text{SWR}) = \frac{1 - \text{SWR}}{1 + \text{SWR}} = -0,98$$

Power transmission coefficient $T_p = 1 - \Gamma^2 = 0,018$

Wave impedance $|Z_{\perp}|$ at 0 = 208 $[\Omega]$

Wave impedance $|Z_{\perp}|$ at $\lambda/8 = 471,9 \text{ } [\Omega]$

Wave impedance $|Z_{\perp}|$ at $\lambda/4 = 377,9 \text{ } [\Omega]$

Wave impedance $|Z_{\perp}|$ at $3\lambda/4 = 377 \text{ } [\Omega]$

Wave impedance $|Z_{\perp}|$ at $\lambda = 377 \text{ } [\Omega]$

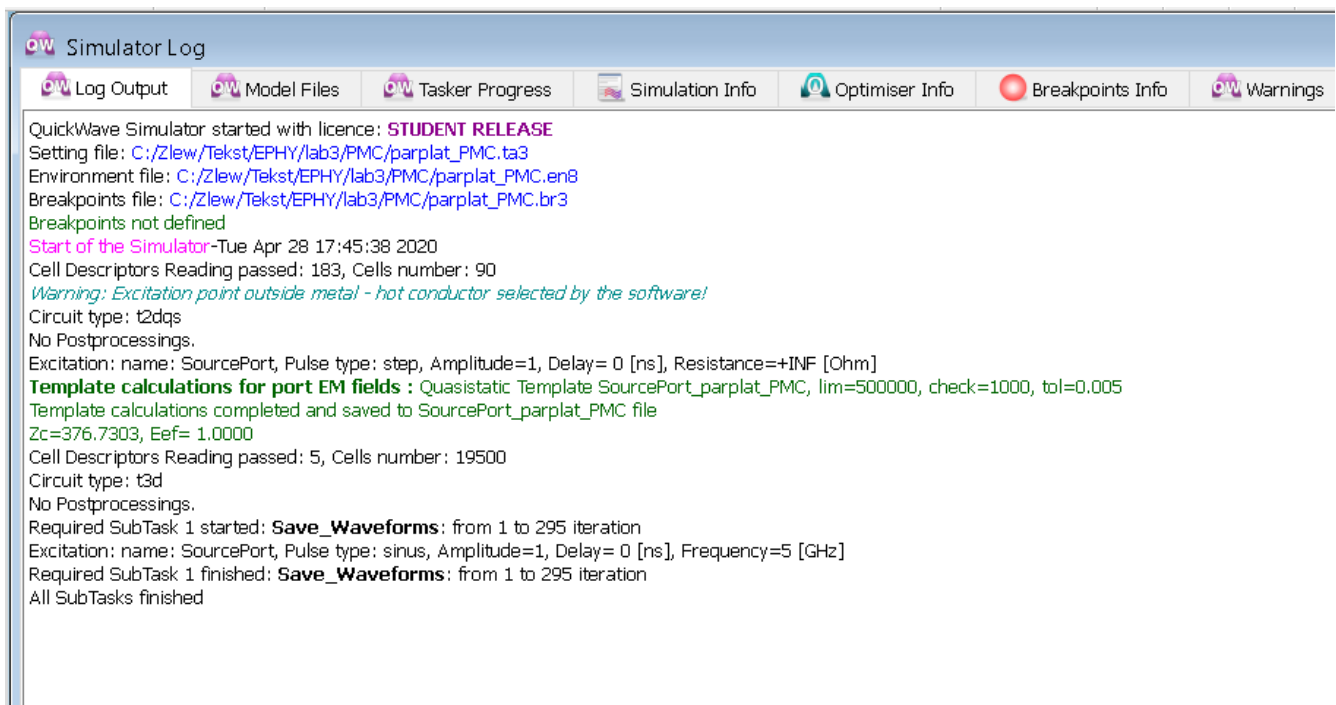
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Electrical conductivity value:

$$\sigma \text{ [S/m]} \approx \epsilon_r \frac{f \text{ [GHz]}}{18} \tan(\delta) = 0,047 \text{ (lossless medium)}$$

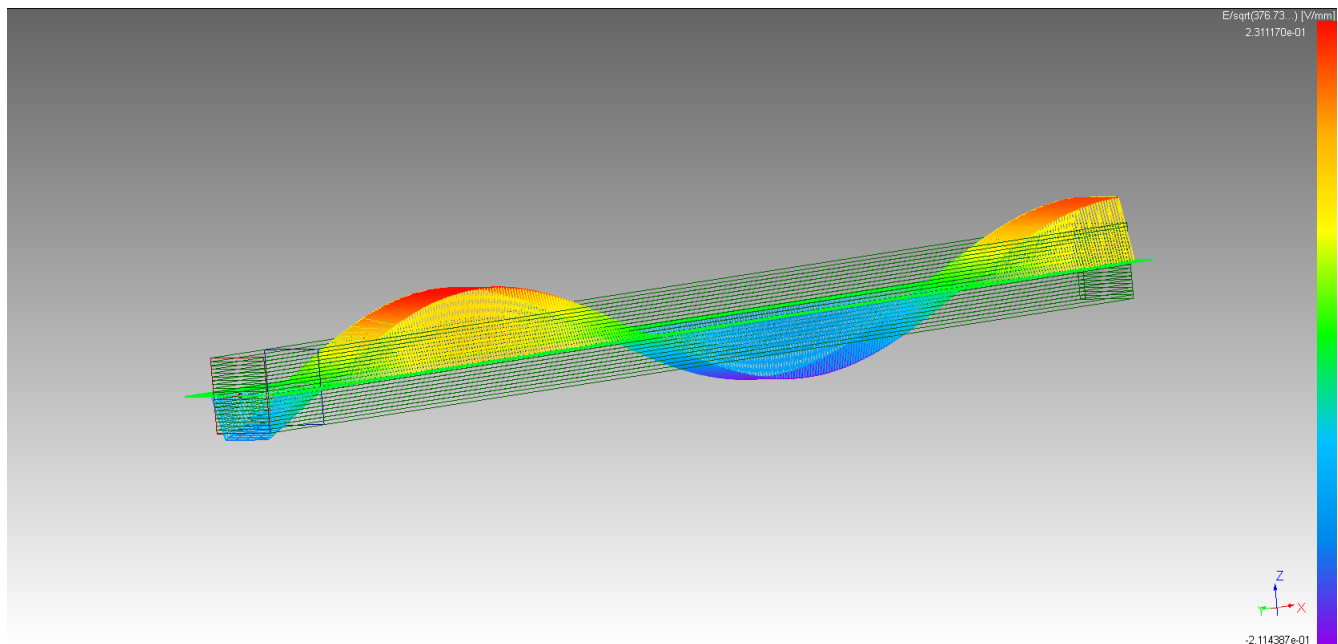
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$$Z_c \text{ of input} = 376,7303 [\Omega]$$

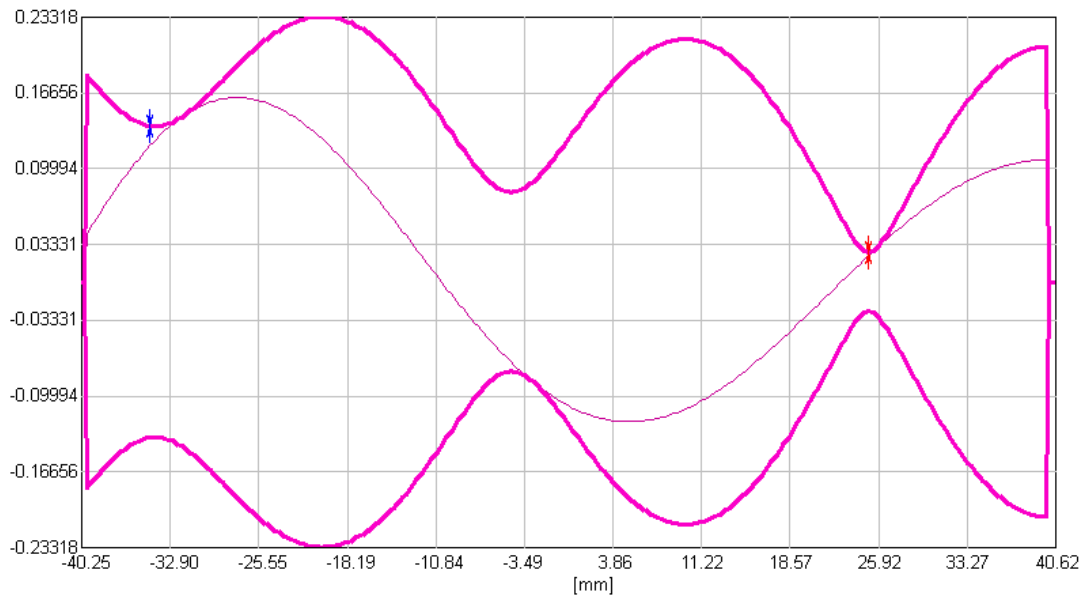
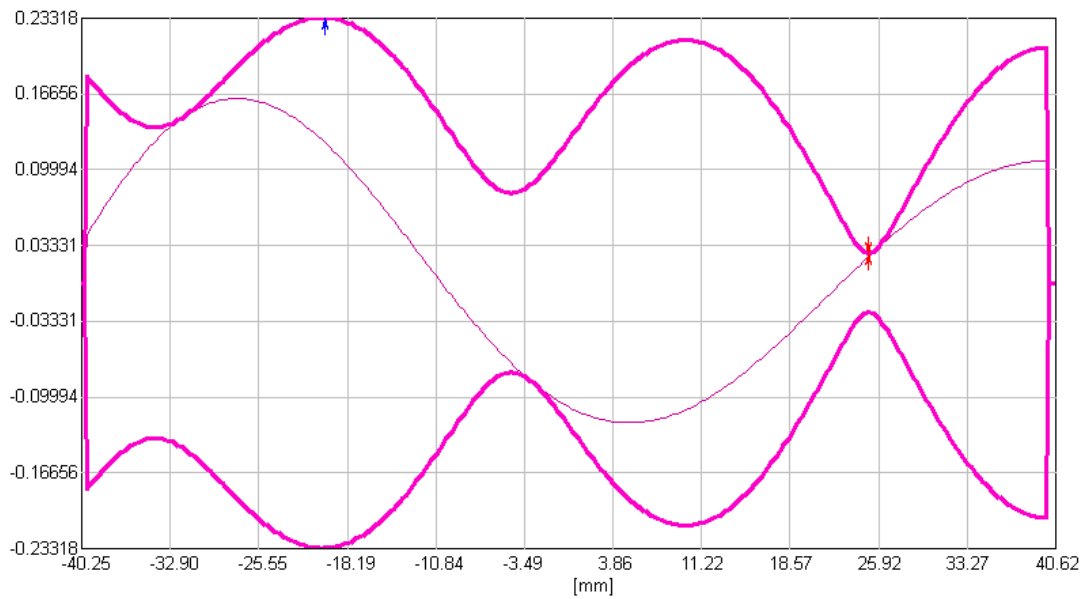
Z_c – impedance

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wavelength $\lambda = 59,41 \text{ [mm]}$

SWR=9,05

$$\Gamma(\text{derived from } m \text{ SWR}) = \frac{1 - \text{SWR}}{1 + \text{SWR}} = -0,8$$

Power transmission coefficient $T_p = 1 - \Gamma^2 = 0,36$

Wave impedance $|Z_{\perp}|$ at $0 = \infty [\Omega]$

Wave impedance $|Z_{\perp}|$ at $\lambda/8 = 455,7 [\Omega]$

Wave impedance $|Z_{\perp}|$ at $\lambda/4 = 47,5 [\Omega]$

Wave impedance $|Z_{\perp}|$ at $3\lambda/4 = 1354,63 [\Omega]$

Wave impedance $|Z_{\perp}|$ at $\lambda = 816,04 [\Omega]$

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Electrical conductivity value:

$$\sigma [S/m] \approx \epsilon_r \frac{f [GHz]}{18} \tan(\delta) = 0 (\text{lossless medium})$$

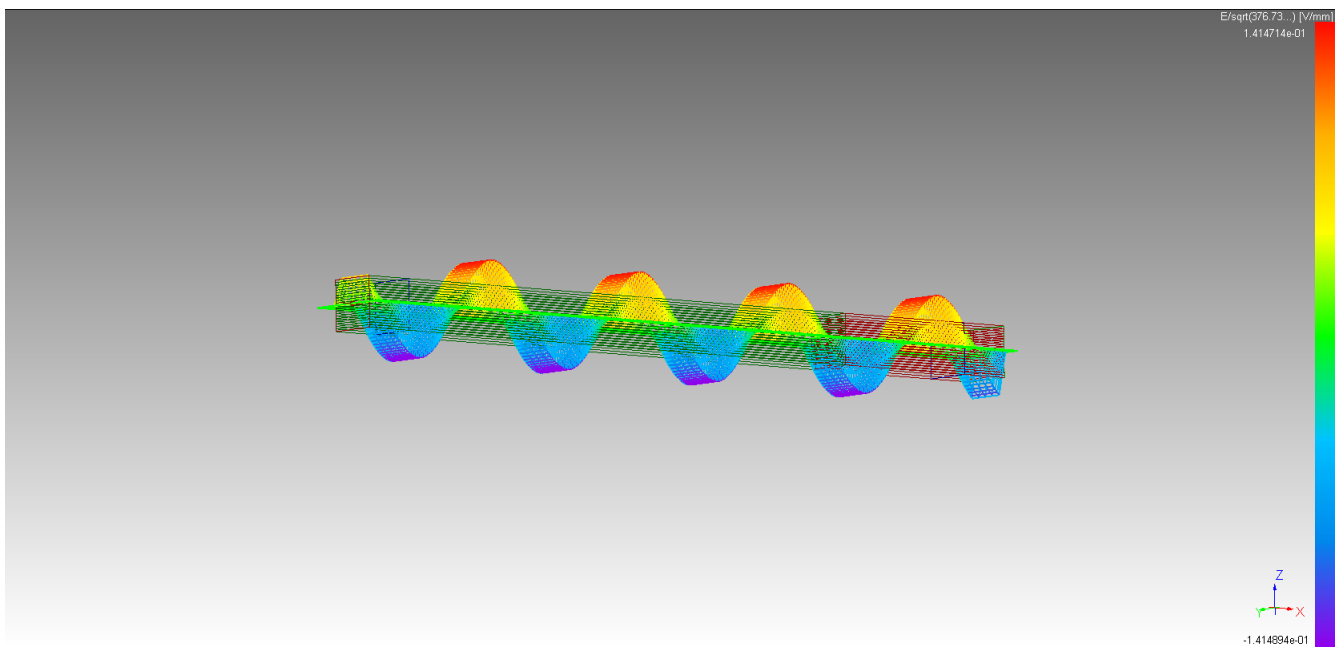
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Z_c of input = 188,3652 $[\Omega]$

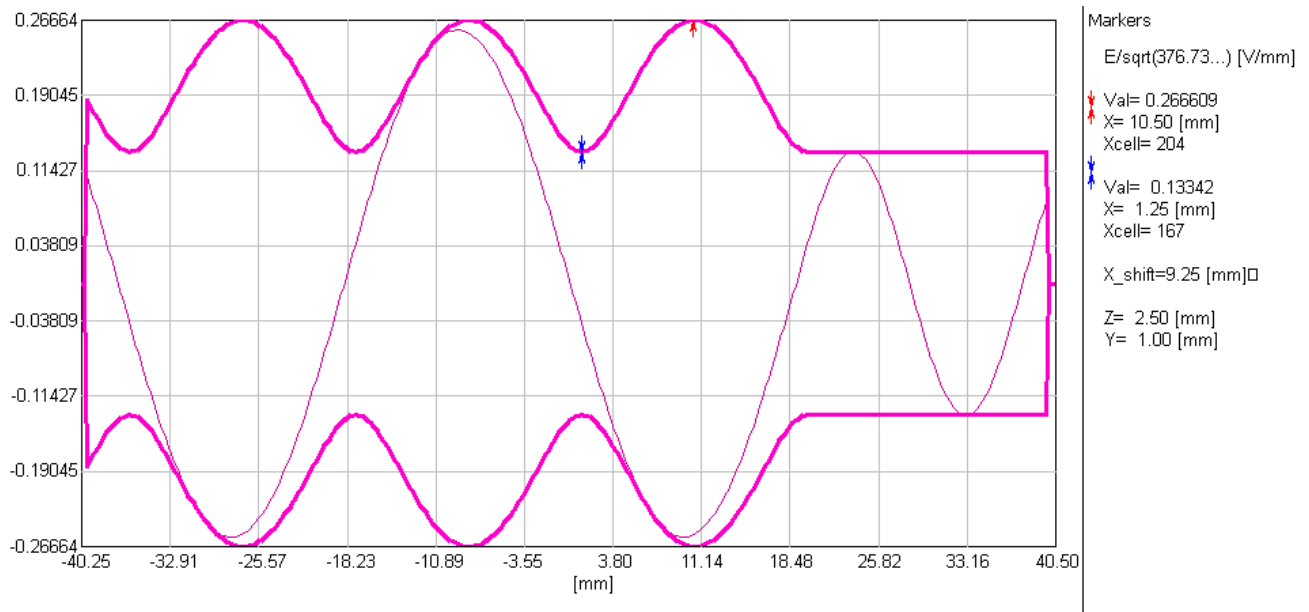
Z_c – impedance

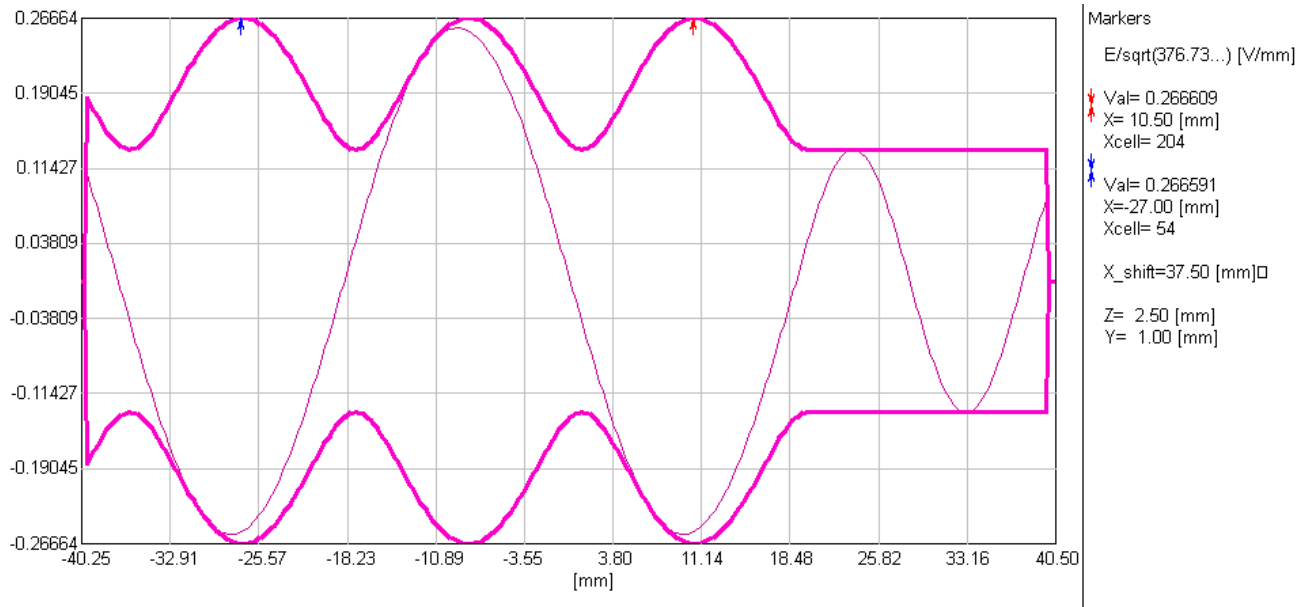
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wavelength $\lambda = 37,5 [mm]$

SWR=1,98

if SWR > 0:

$$\Gamma(\text{derived from } mSWR) = \frac{1+SWR}{1-SWR} = -3,05$$

$$\text{Power transmission coefficient } T_p = 1 - \Gamma^2 = -8,3$$

Wave impedance $|Z_{\perp}|$ at 0=0

Wave impedance $|Z_{\perp}|$ at $\lambda/8 = 192,14 [\Omega]$

Wave impedance $|Z_{\perp}|$ at $\lambda/4 = 397,82 [\Omega]$

Wave impedance $|Z_{\perp}|$ at $3\lambda/4 = 377 [\Omega]$

Wave impedance $|Z_{\perp}|$ at $\lambda = 376,97 [\Omega]$

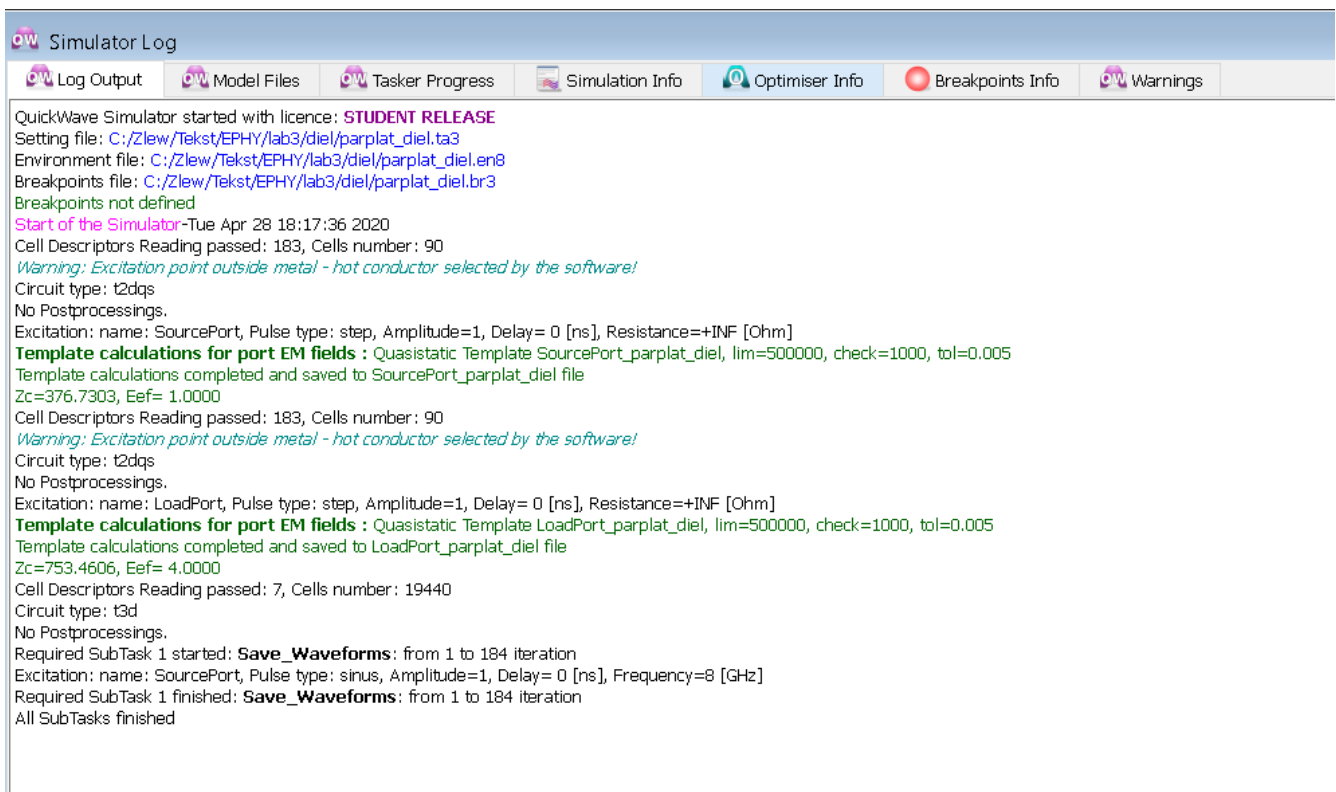
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Electrical conductivity value:

$$\sigma [S/m] \approx \epsilon_r \frac{f [GHz]}{18} \tan(\delta) = 0 (\text{lossless medium})$$

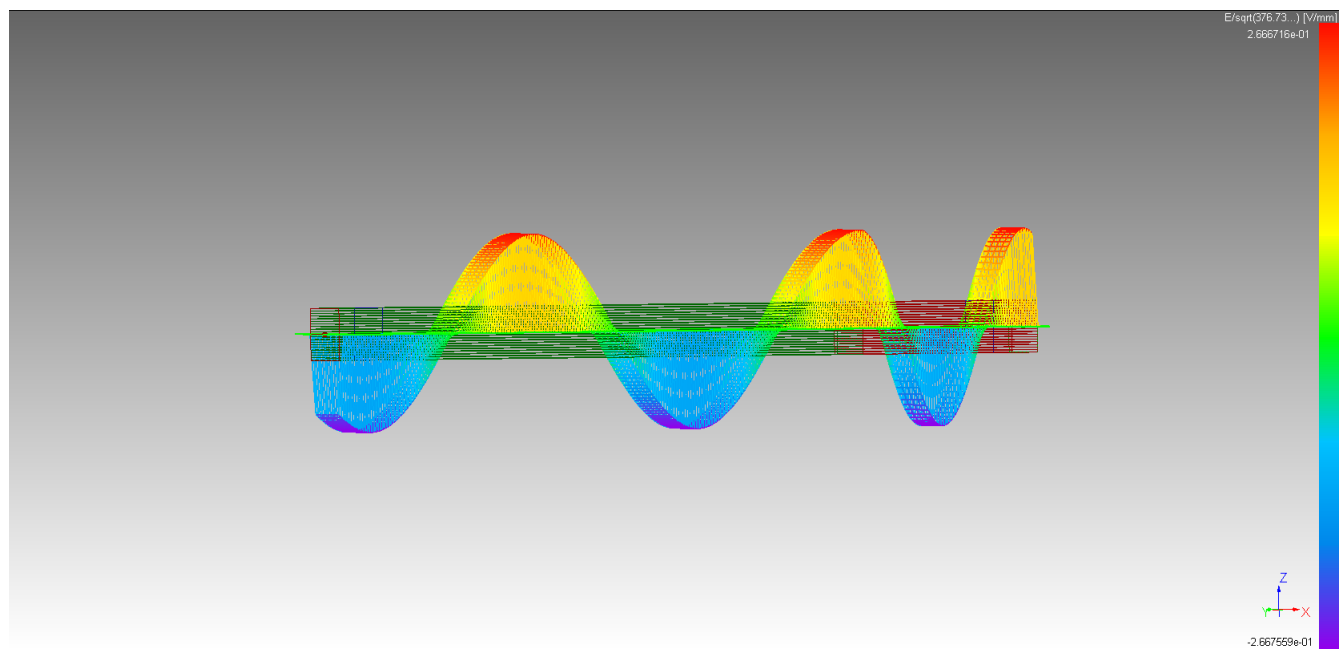
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$$Z_c \text{ of input} = 753,4606 [\Omega]$$

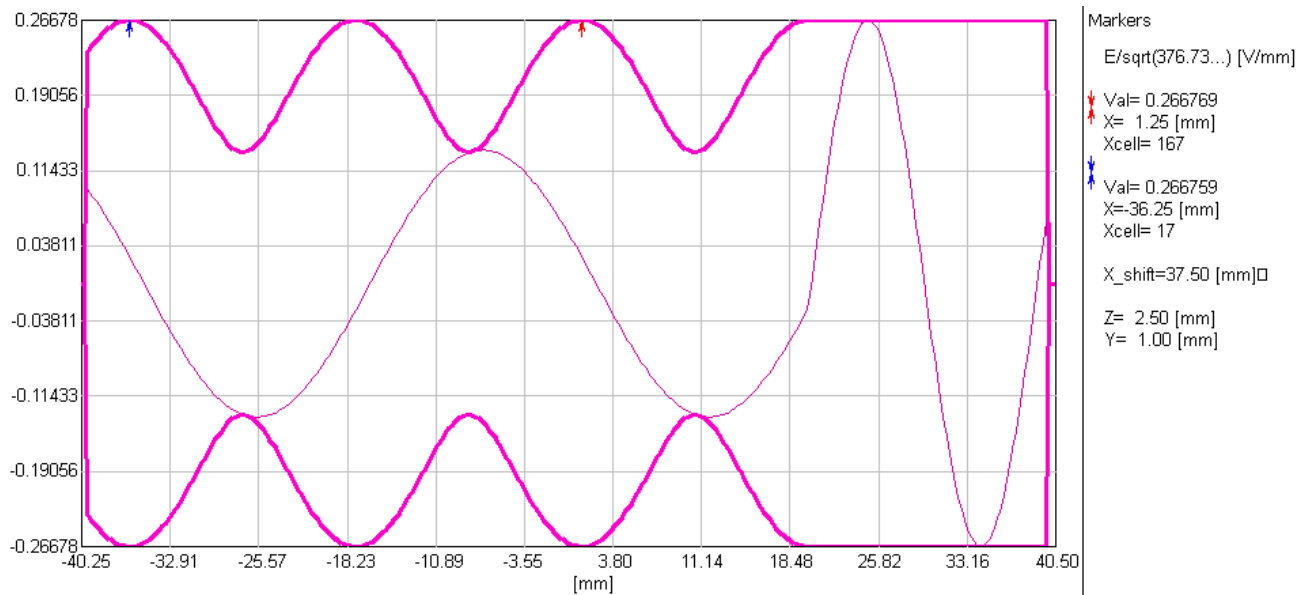
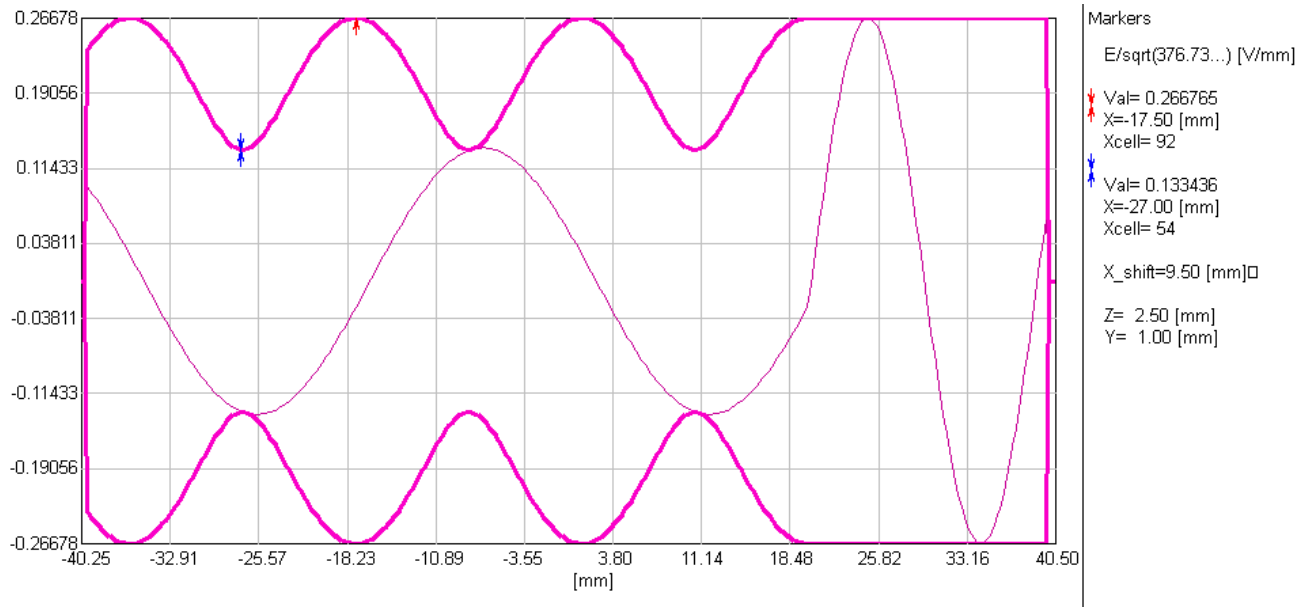
Z_c —impedance

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wavelength $\lambda = 37,5 [mm]$

SWR=2

$$\Gamma(\text{derived from SWR}) = \frac{1+SWR}{1-SWR} = -3$$

Power transmission coefficient $T_p = 1 - \Gamma^2 = -8$

Wave impedance $|Z_{\perp}|$ at $0 = 0$

Wave impedance $|Z_{\perp}|$ at $\lambda/8 = 748 [\Omega]$

Wave impedance $|Z_{\perp}|$ at $\lambda/4 = 347 [\Omega]$

Wave impedance $|Z_{\perp}|$ at $3\lambda/4 = 356,4 [\Omega]$

Wave impedance $|Z_{\perp}|$ at $\lambda = 377 [\Omega]$

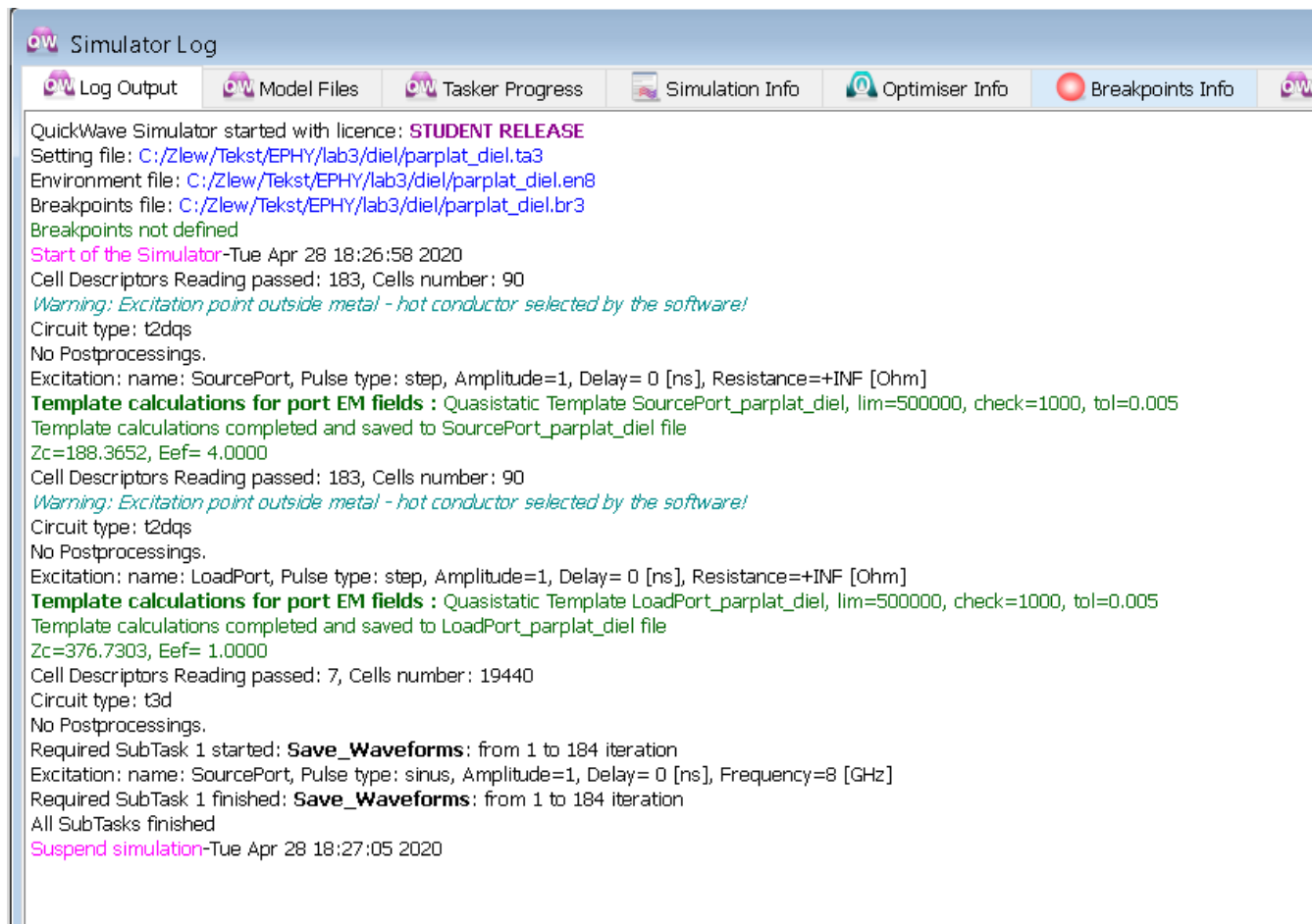
4a)

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Electrical conductivity value:

$$\sigma [S/m] \approx \epsilon_r \frac{f [GHz]}{18} \tan(\delta) = 0 (\text{lossless medium})$$

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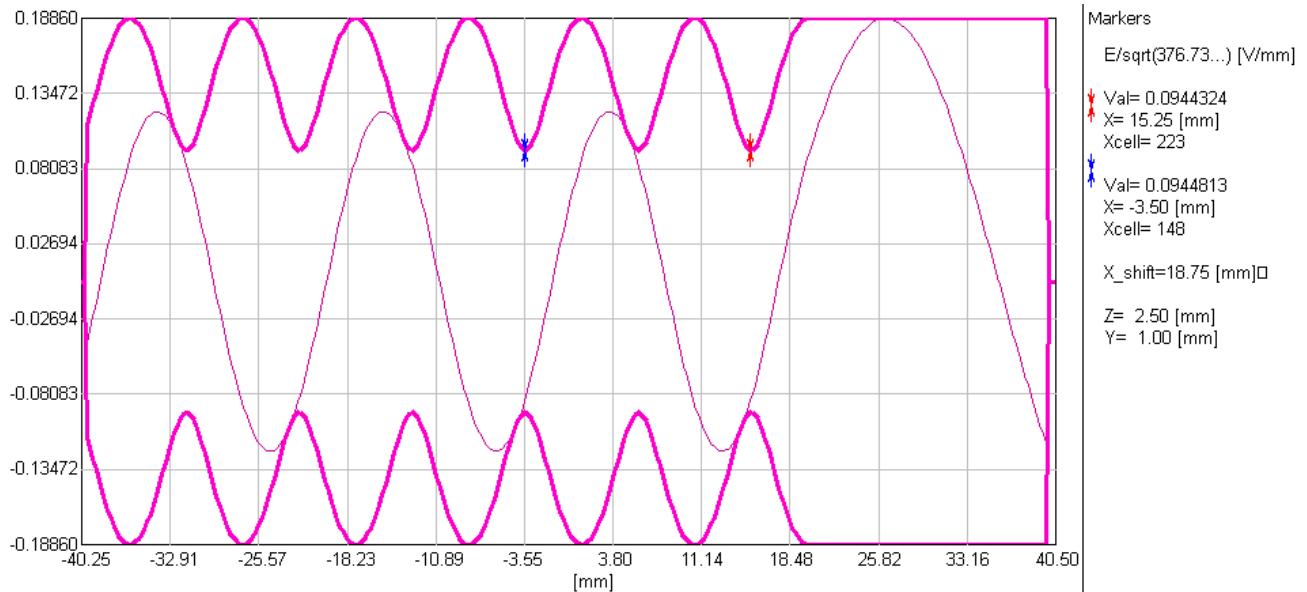
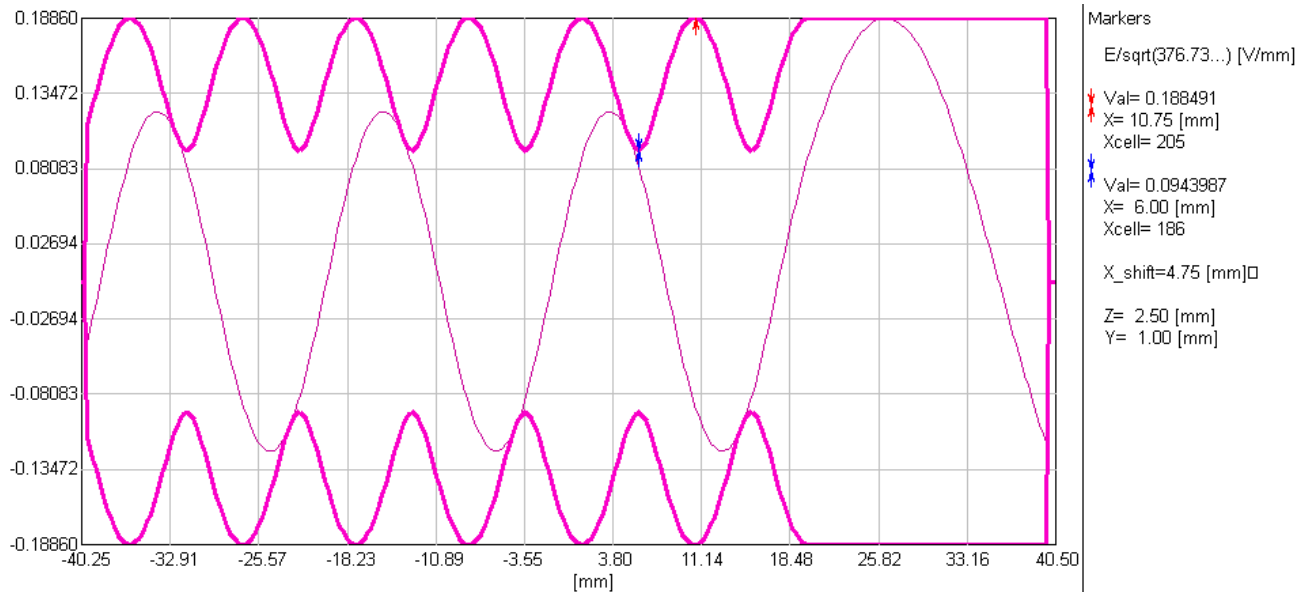
$Z_c \text{ of input} = 376,7303 [\Omega]$

Z_c – impedance

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wavelength $\lambda = 18,75 [mm]$

$SWR = 2$

$$\Gamma(\text{derived from } SWR) = \frac{1 - SWR}{1 + SWR} = -0,33$$

Power transmission coefficient $T_p = 1 - \Gamma^2 = 0,89$

Wave impedance $|Z_{\perp}|$ at $0 = 378,43 [\Omega]$

Wave impedance $|Z_{\perp}|$ at $\lambda/8 = 112,17 [\Omega]$

Wave impedance $|Z_{\perp}|$ at $\lambda/4 = 112,028 [\Omega]$

Wave impedance $|Z_{\perp}|$ at $3\lambda/4 = 376,6 [\Omega]$

Wave impedance $|Z_{\perp}|$ at $\lambda = 94,36 [\Omega]$

Wave impedance is variable because

Boundary conditions for E_z and H_y are

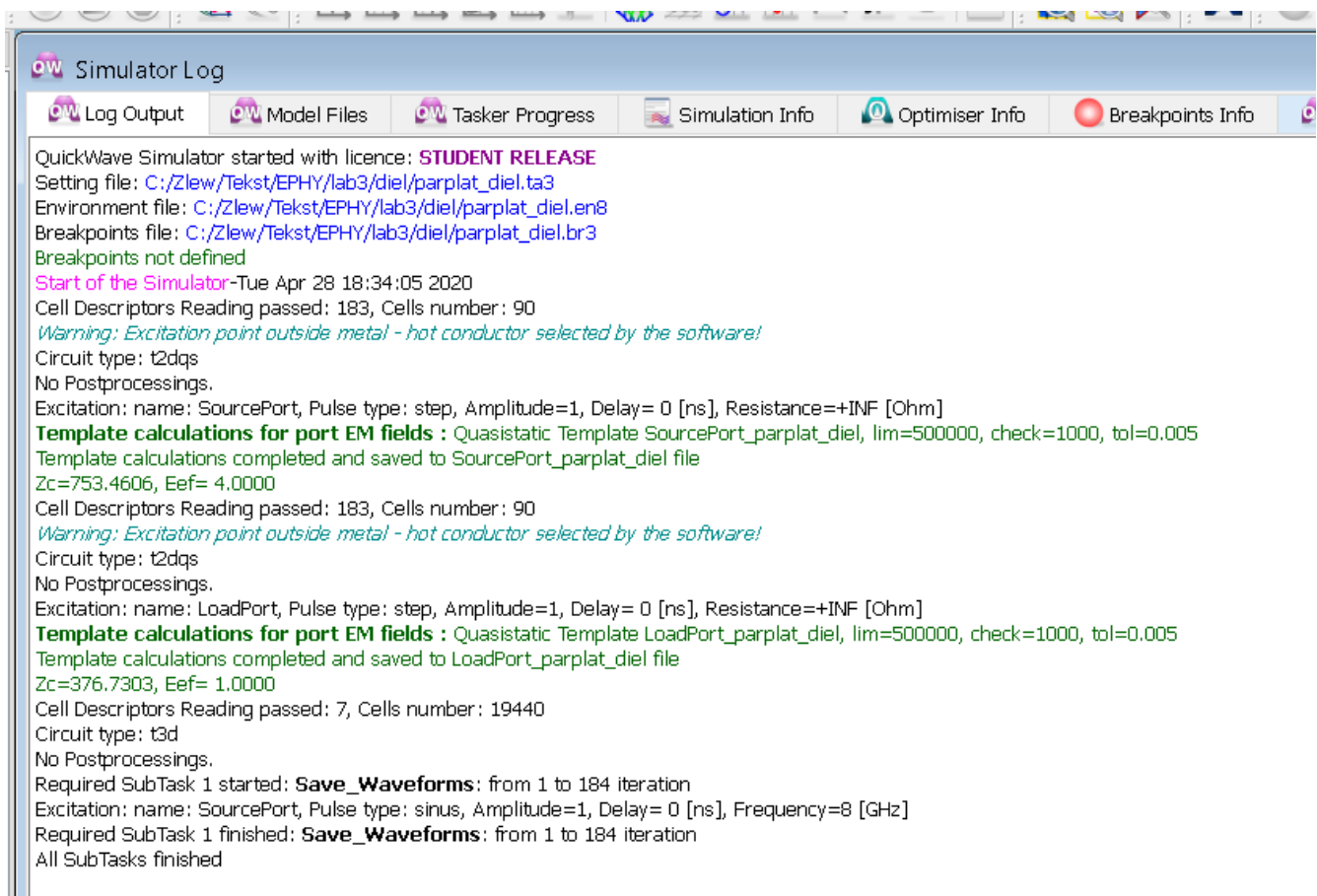
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Electrical conductivity value:

$$\sigma [S/m] \approx \epsilon_r \frac{f [GHz]}{18} \tan(\delta) = 0 (\text{lossless medium})$$

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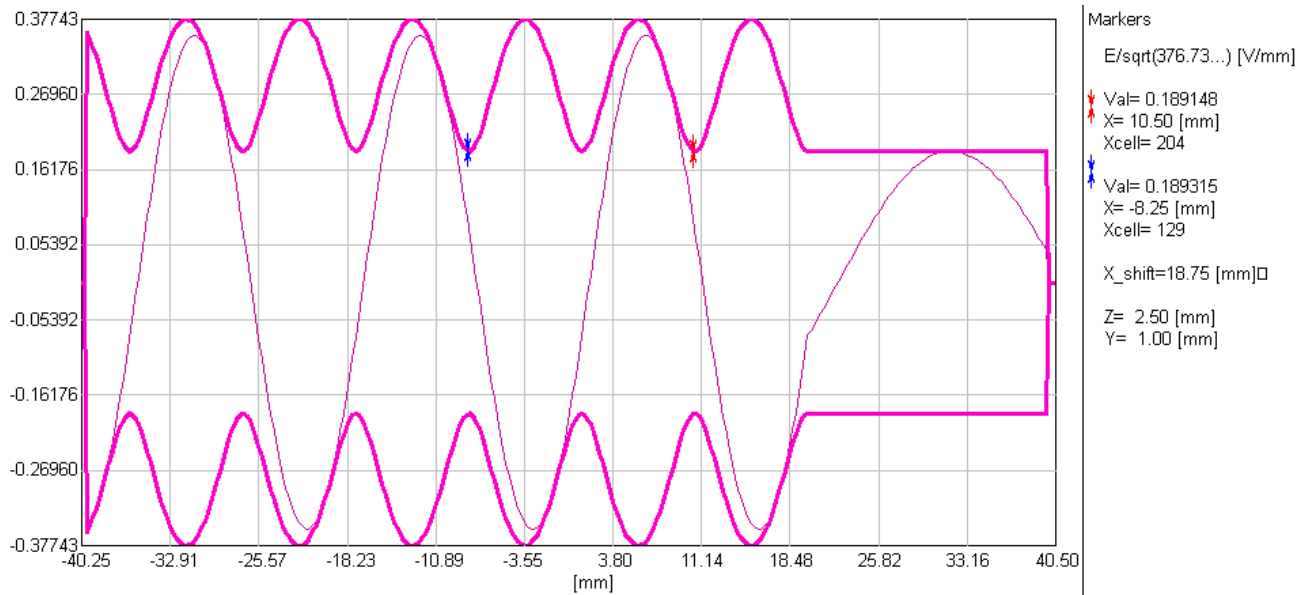
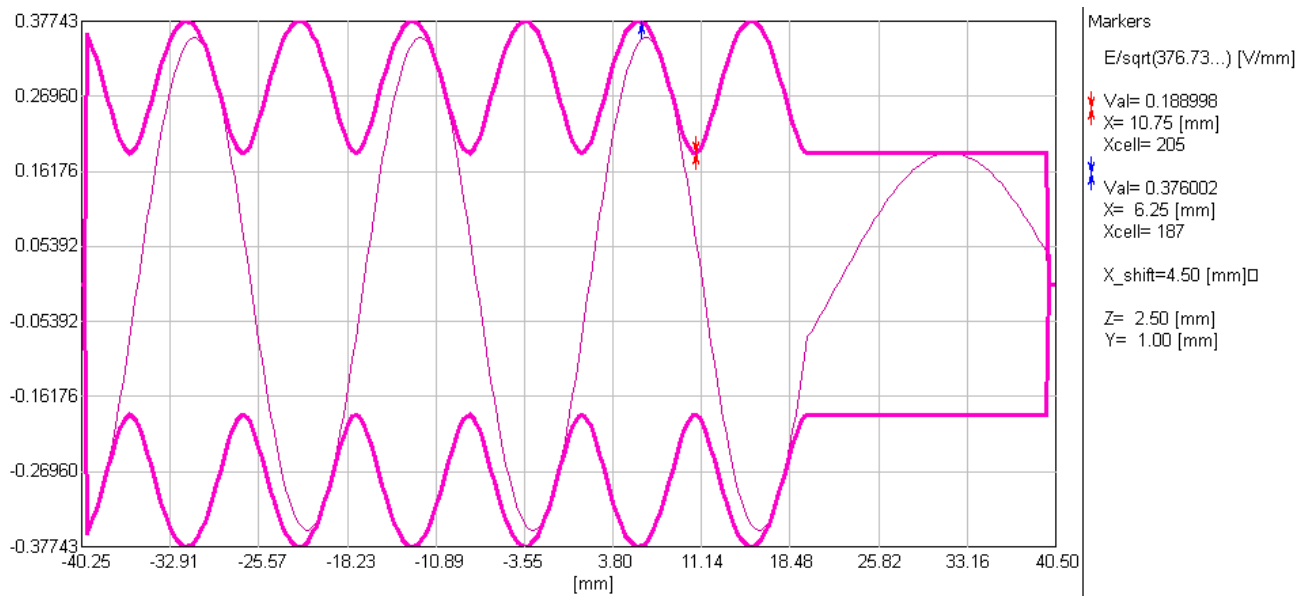
$Z_c \text{ of input} = 376,7303 [\Omega]$

Z_c —impedance

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wavelength $\lambda = 19 [mm]$

$SWR = 2$

$$\Gamma(\text{derived from } SWR) = \frac{1+SWR}{1-SWR} = -3.02$$

$$\text{Power transmission coefficient } T_p = 1 - \Gamma^2 = -8.13$$

Wave impedance $|Z_{\perp}|$ at $0 = 352,21 [\Omega]$

Wave impedance $|Z_{\perp}|$ at $\lambda/8 = 107,21 [\Omega]$

Wave impedance $|Z_{\perp}|$ at $\lambda/4 = 99,3 [\Omega]$

Wave impedance $|Z_{\perp}|$ at $3\lambda/4 = 379,3 [\Omega]$

Wave impedance $|Z_{\perp}|$ at $\lambda = 100,01 [\Omega]$

Wave impedance is variable because it depends on λ .

Boundary conditions for E_z and H_y are 1 and -1

Questions:

- a) Frequency is proportional with standing wave parameters.
- b) We assess the sign of Γ by using the equation for Γ .
- c) Physically possible range of SWR and Γ is from -1 to 1
- d) PEC and PMC would be realized in the easiest way in practical application by
- e) SWR and Γ value in illuminated dielectric is negative because the dielectric properties.
- f) We cannot obtain a totally standing wave in a lossy medium because there will always be some losses.