

Lecture 4  
2018/2019

# Microwave Devices and Circuits for Radiocommunications

# 2018/2019

- 2C/1L, **MDCR**
- Attendance at minimum 7 sessions (course + laboratory)
- Lectures- **associate professor Radu Damian**
  - Friday 09-11, II.13
  - E – 50% final grade
  - problems + (2p atten. lect.) + (3 tests) + (bonus activity)
    - 3p=+0.5p
  - all materials/equipments authorized
- Laboratory – **associate professor Radu Damian**
  - Wednesday 12-14, II.12 odd weeks
  - L – 25% final grade
  - P – 25% final grade

# Materials

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## Microwave Devices and Circuits for Radiocommunications (English)

**Course: MDCR (2017-2018)**

**Course Coordinator:** Assoc.P. Dr. Radu-Florin Damian  
**Code:** EDOS412T  
**Discipline Type:** DOS; Alternative, Specialty  
**Credits:** 4  
**Enrollment Year:** 4, Sem. 7

### Activities

**Course:** Instructor: Assoc.P. Dr. Radu-Florin Damian, 2 Hours/Week, Specialization Section, Timetable:  
**Laboratory:** Instructor: Assoc.P. Dr. Radu-Florin Damian, 1 Hours/Week, Group, Timetable:

### Evaluation

Type: Examen

**A:** 50%, (Test/Colloquium)  
**B:** 25%, (Seminary/Laboratory/Project Activity)  
**D:** 25%, (Homework/Specialty papers)

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### Materials

#### Course Slides

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[MDCR Lecture\\_2 \(pdf, 3.67 MB, en,](#)   
[MDCR Lecture\\_3 \(pdf, 4.76 MB, en,](#)   
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# Examen: Logarithmic scales

$$\text{dB} = 10 \cdot \log_{10} (P_2 / P_1)$$

$$0 \text{ dB} = 1$$

$$+0.1 \text{ dB} = 1.023 (+2.3\%)$$

$$+3 \text{ dB} = 2$$

$$+5 \text{ dB} = 3$$

$$+10 \text{ dB} = 10$$

$$-3 \text{ dB} = 0.5$$

$$-10 \text{ dB} = 0.1$$

$$-20 \text{ dB} = 0.01$$

$$-30 \text{ dB} = 0.001$$

$$\text{dBm} = 10 \cdot \log_{10} (P / 1 \text{ mW})$$

$$0 \text{ dBm} = 1 \text{ mW}$$

$$3 \text{ dBm} = 2 \text{ mW}$$

$$5 \text{ dBm} = 3 \text{ mW}$$

$$10 \text{ dBm} = 10 \text{ mW}$$

$$20 \text{ dBm} = 100 \text{ mW}$$

$$-3 \text{ dBm} = 0.5 \text{ mW}$$

$$-10 \text{ dBm} = 100 \mu\text{W}$$

$$-20 \text{ dBm} = 1 \mu\text{W}$$

$$-30 \text{ dBm} = 1 \text{ nW}$$

$$[\text{dBm}] + [\text{dB}] = [\text{dBm}]$$

$$[\text{dBm}/\text{Hz}] + [\text{dB}] = [\text{dBm}/\text{Hz}]$$

$$[x] + [\text{dB}] = [x]$$

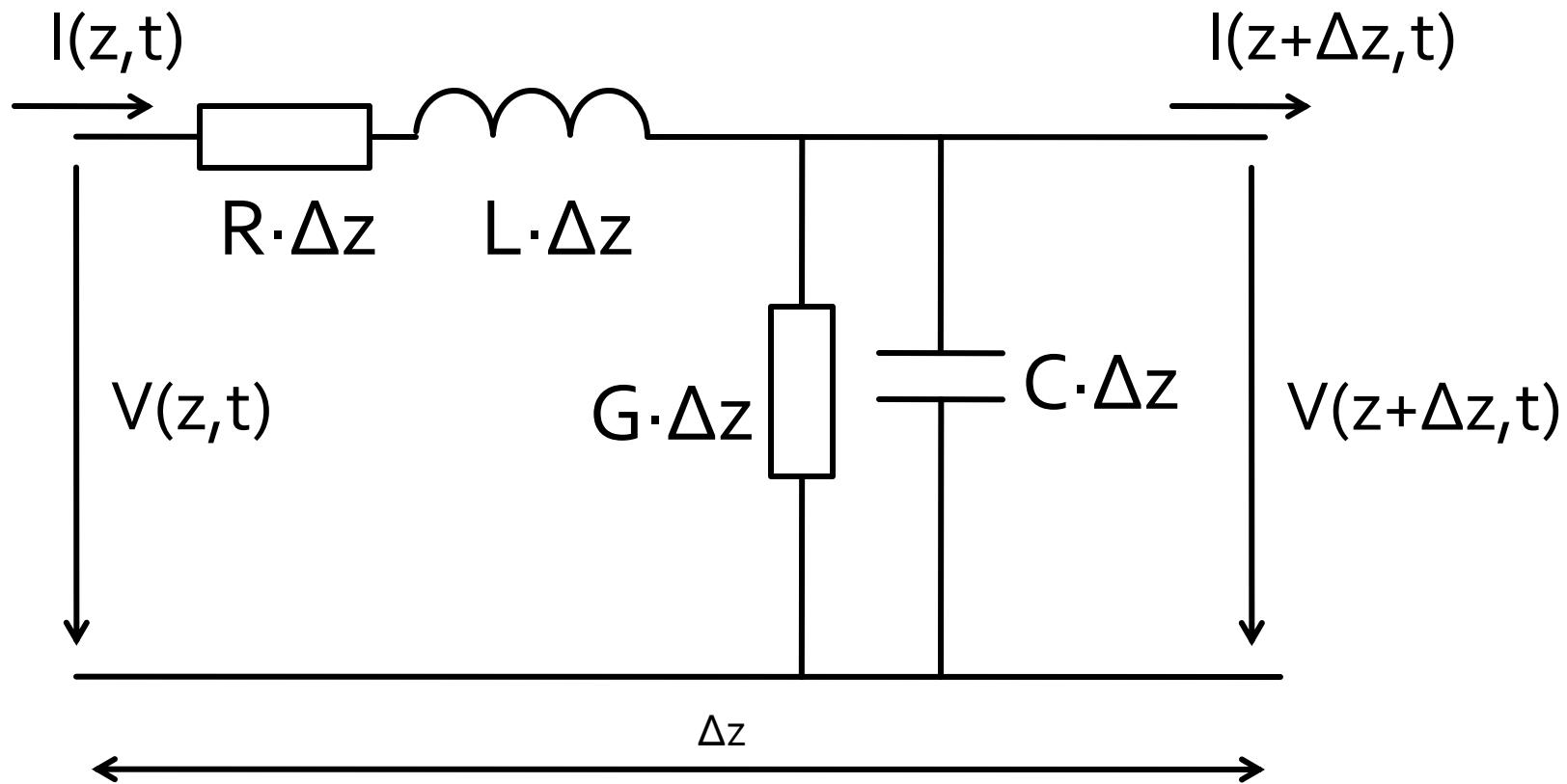
# Examen

- Complex numbers arithmetic!!!!
- $z = a + j \cdot b ; j^2 = -1$

# TEM transmission lines

# Transmission line equivalent model

- TEM wave propagation, at least two conductors



# Solutions

$$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} V(z) = V_0^+ e^{-\gamma z} + V_0^- e^{\gamma z} \\ I(z) = I_0^+ e^{-\gamma z} + I_0^- e^{\gamma z} \end{array} \right.$$

$$V(z) = V_0^+ e^{-\gamma z} + V_0^- e^{\gamma z}$$

$$\frac{dV(z)}{dz} = -(R + j \cdot \omega \cdot L) \cdot I(z)$$

$$Z_0 \equiv \frac{R + j \cdot \omega \cdot L}{\gamma} = \sqrt{\frac{R + j \cdot \omega \cdot L}{G + j \cdot \omega \cdot C}}$$

$$\frac{V_0^+}{I_0^+} = Z_0 = -\frac{V_0^-}{I_0^-}$$

$$\gamma = \alpha + j \cdot \beta = \sqrt{(R + j \cdot \omega \cdot L) \cdot (G + j \cdot \omega \cdot C)}$$

$$I(z) = \frac{\gamma}{R + j \cdot \omega \cdot L} (V_0^+ e^{-\gamma z} - V_0^- e^{\gamma z})$$

- Characteristic impedance of the line

$$\lambda = \frac{2\pi}{\beta} \quad v_f = \frac{\omega}{\beta} = \lambda \cdot f$$

# The lossless line

- **Lossless:**  $R=G=0$

$$\gamma = \alpha + j \cdot \beta = \sqrt{(R + j \cdot \omega \cdot L) \cdot (G + j \cdot \omega \cdot C)} = j \cdot \omega \cdot \sqrt{L \cdot C}$$

$$\alpha = 0 \quad ; \quad \beta = \omega \cdot \sqrt{L \cdot C}$$

$$Z_0 = \sqrt{\frac{R + j \cdot \omega \cdot L}{G + j \cdot \omega \cdot C}} = \sqrt{\frac{L}{C}}$$

- $Z_0$  is **real**

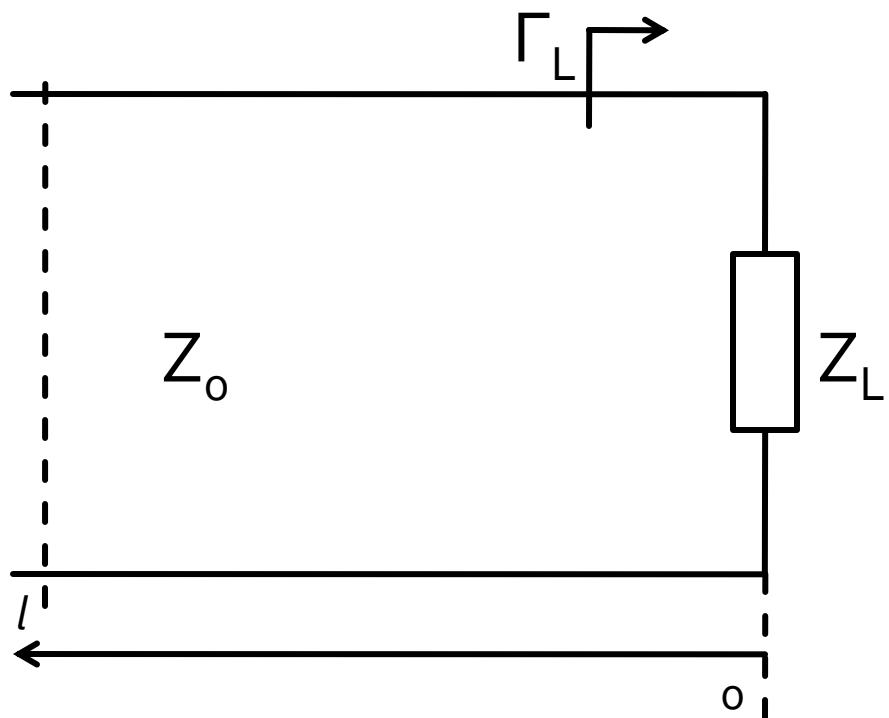
$$V(z) = V_0^+ e^{-j \cdot \beta \cdot z} + V_0^- e^{j \cdot \beta \cdot z}$$

$$I(z) = \frac{V_0^+}{Z_0} e^{-j \cdot \beta \cdot z} - \frac{V_0^-}{Z_0} e^{j \cdot \beta \cdot z}$$

$$\lambda = \frac{2\pi}{\omega \cdot \sqrt{LC}}$$

$$v_f = \frac{1}{\sqrt{LC}}$$

# The lossless line



$$V(z) = V_0^+ e^{-j\beta z} + V_0^- e^{j\beta z}$$

$$I(z) = \frac{V_0^+}{Z_0} e^{-j\beta z} - \frac{V_0^-}{Z_0} e^{j\beta z}$$

$$Z_L = \frac{V(0)}{I(0)} \quad Z_L = \frac{V_0^+ + V_0^-}{V_0^+ - V_0^-} \cdot Z_0$$

- voltage reflection coefficient

$$\Gamma = \frac{V_0^-}{V_0^+} = \frac{Z_L - Z_0}{Z_L + Z_0}$$

- $Z_0$  real

# The lossless line

$$V(z) = V_0^+ \cdot (e^{-j\beta z} + \Gamma \cdot e^{j\beta z})$$

$$I(z) = \frac{V_0^+}{Z_0} \cdot (e^{-j\beta z} - \Gamma \cdot e^{j\beta z})$$

- time-average Power flow along the line

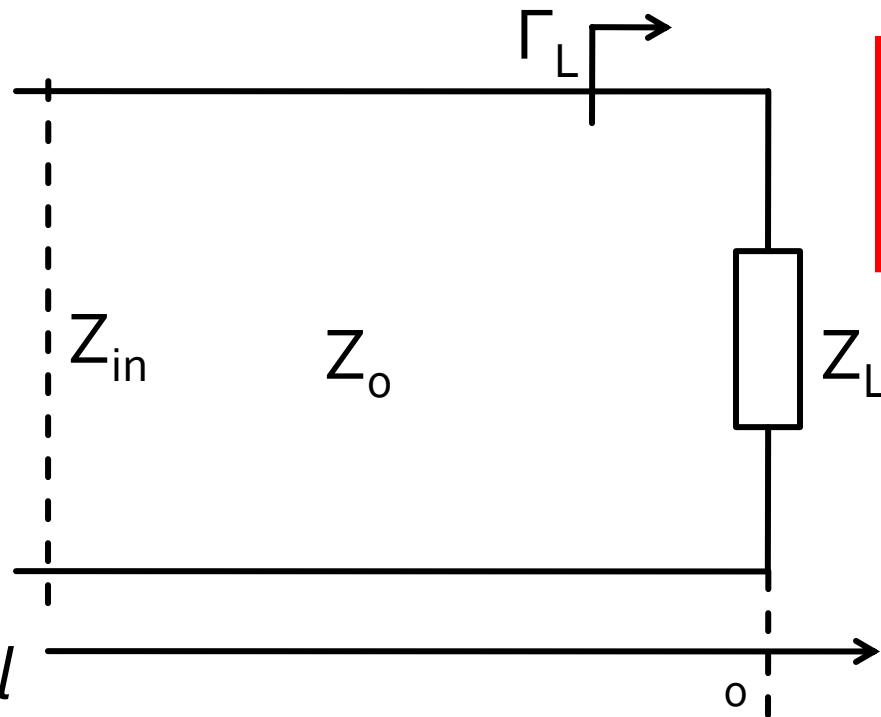
$$P_{avg} = \frac{1}{2} \cdot \text{Re}\{V(z) \cdot I(z)^*\} = \frac{1}{2} \cdot \frac{|V_0^+|^2}{Z_0} \cdot \text{Re}\left\{1 - \Gamma^* \cdot e^{-2j\beta z} + \Gamma \cdot e^{2j\beta z} - |\Gamma|^2\right\}$$
$$P_{avg} = \frac{1}{2} \cdot \frac{|V_0^+|^2}{Z_0} \cdot \left(1 - |\Gamma|^2\right)$$

$(z - z^*) = \text{Im}$

- Total power delivered to the load = Incident power – “Reflected” power
- Return “Loss” [dB] 
$$\text{RL} = -20 \cdot \log|\Gamma| \quad [\text{dB}]$$

# The lossless line

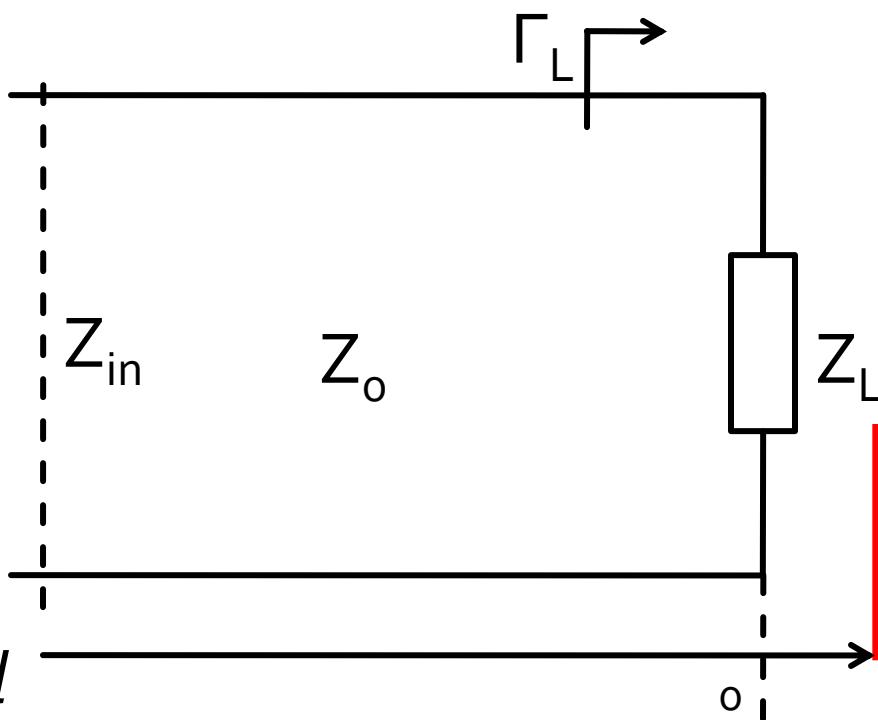
- input impedance of a length  $l$  of transmission line with characteristic impedance  $Z_0$ , loaded with an arbitrary impedance  $Z_L$



$$Z_{in} = Z_0 \cdot \frac{Z_L + j \cdot Z_0 \cdot \tan \beta \cdot l}{Z_0 + j \cdot Z_L \cdot \tan \beta \cdot l}$$

# The lossless line

- input impedance is **frequency dependent** through  $\beta \cdot l$



$$v_f = \frac{\omega}{\beta} = \lambda \cdot f \quad \lambda = \frac{2\pi}{\beta}$$

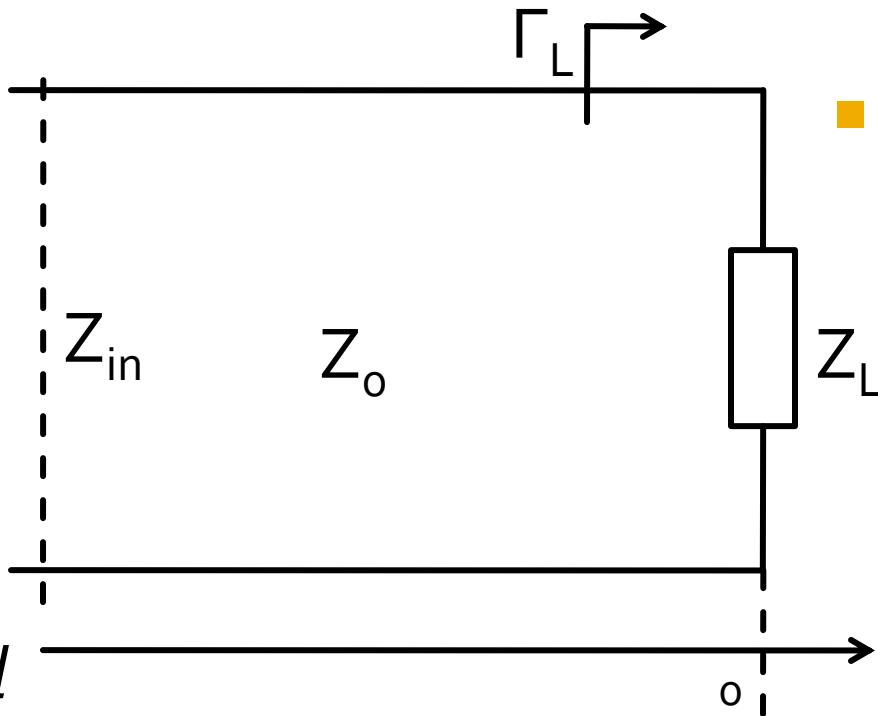
$$\beta \cdot l = \frac{2\pi}{\lambda} \cdot l = \frac{2\pi \cdot f}{v_f} \cdot l = \frac{2\pi \cdot l}{v_f} \cdot f$$

frequency dependence is **periodical**, imposed by the tan trigonometric function

$$Z_{in} = Z_0 \cdot \frac{Z_L + j \cdot Z_0 \cdot \tan \beta \cdot l}{Z_0 + j \cdot Z_L \cdot \tan \beta \cdot l}$$

# The lossless line, special cases

- $l = k \cdot \lambda / 2$        $\beta \cdot l = \frac{2\pi}{\lambda} \cdot l = k \cdot \pi$        $\tan \beta \cdot l = 0$        $Z_{in} = Z_0$
- $l = \lambda / 4 + k \cdot \lambda / 2$        $\tan \beta \cdot l \rightarrow \infty$        $Z_{in} = \frac{Z_0^2}{Z_L}$



■ quarter-wave transformer

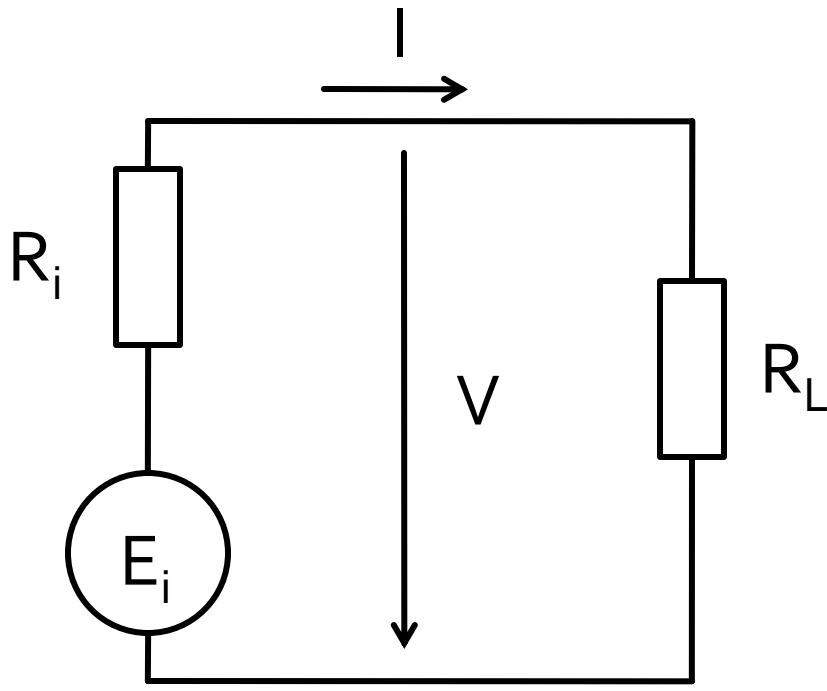
$$Z_{in} = Z_0 \cdot \frac{Z_L + j \cdot Z_0 \cdot \tan \beta \cdot l}{Z_0 + j \cdot Z_L \cdot \tan \beta \cdot l}$$

Impedance Matching with Impedance Transformers (Lab 1)

# **Impedance Matching**

# Matching, real impedances

- Source matched to load



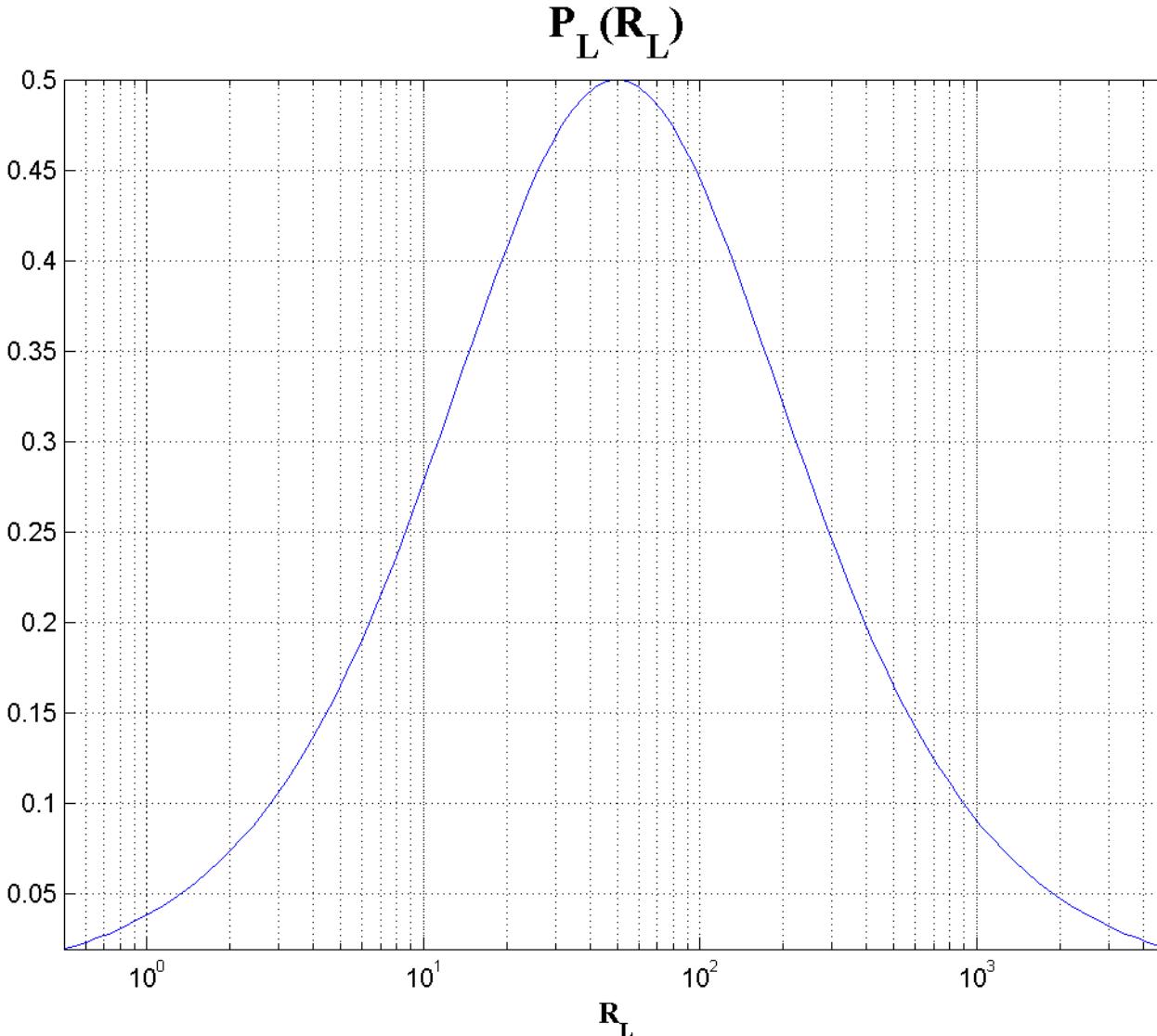
$$I = \frac{E_i}{R_i + R_L}$$

$$V = \frac{E_i \cdot R_L}{R_i + R_L}$$

$$P_L = R_L \cdot I^2$$

$$P_L = \frac{R_L \cdot E_i^2}{(R_i + R_L)^2}$$

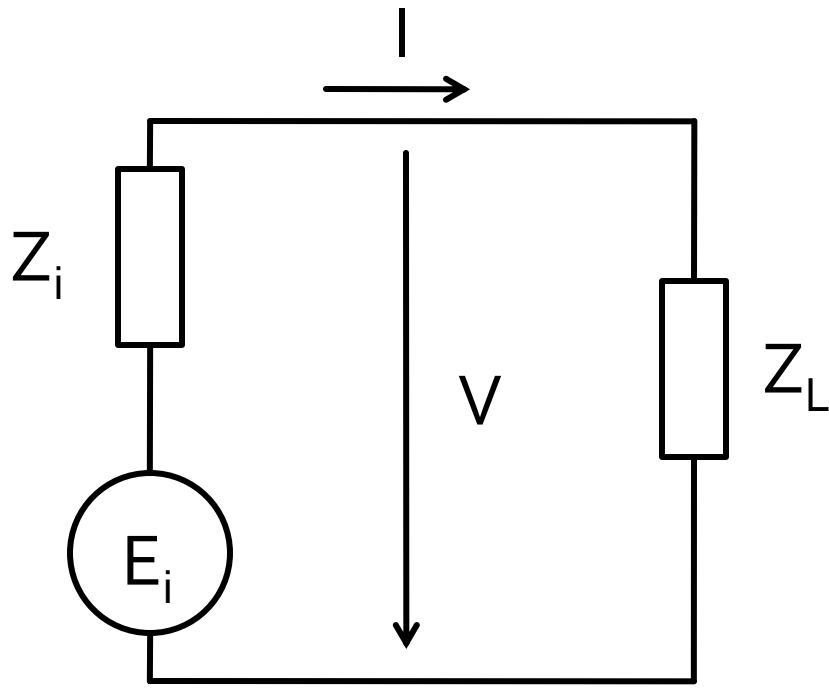
# Matching, real impedances



$$R_L = R_i$$

# Matching, complex impedances

- Source matched to load



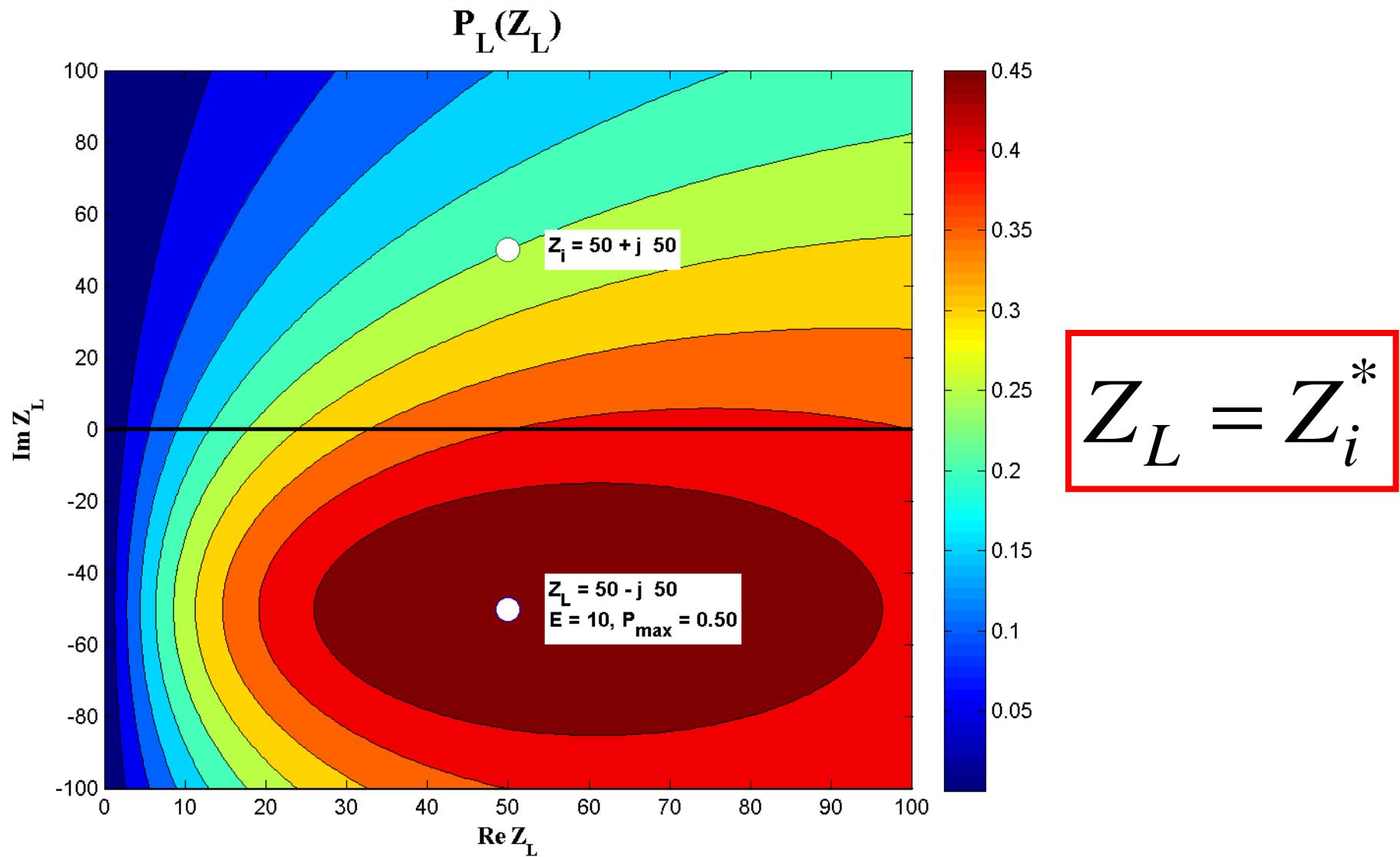
$$I = \frac{E_i}{Z_i + Z_L}$$

$$V = \frac{E_i \cdot Z_L}{Z_i + Z_L}$$

$$P_L = \text{Re}\left\{ Z_L \cdot |I|^2 \right\}$$

$$P_L = \text{Re}\left\{ Z_L \right\} \cdot \left| \frac{E_i}{Z_i + Z_L} \right|^2$$

# Matching, example



# Matching , from the point of view of power transmission

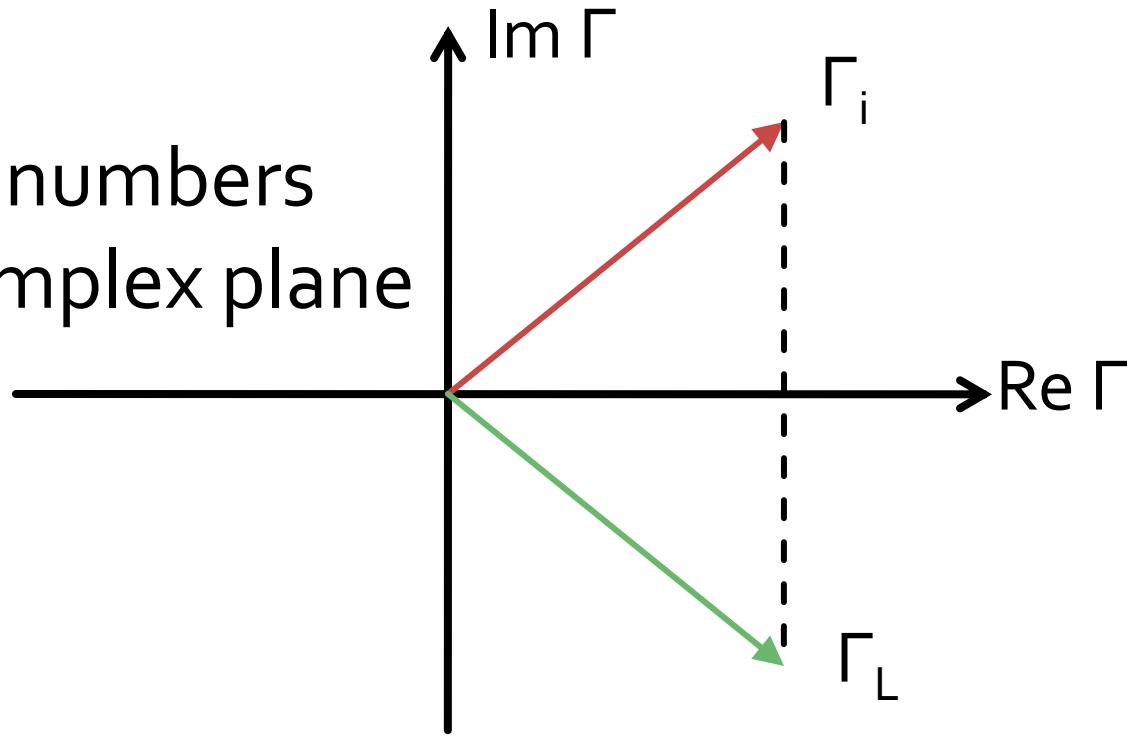
$$Z_L = Z_i^*$$

If we choose a real  $Z_0$

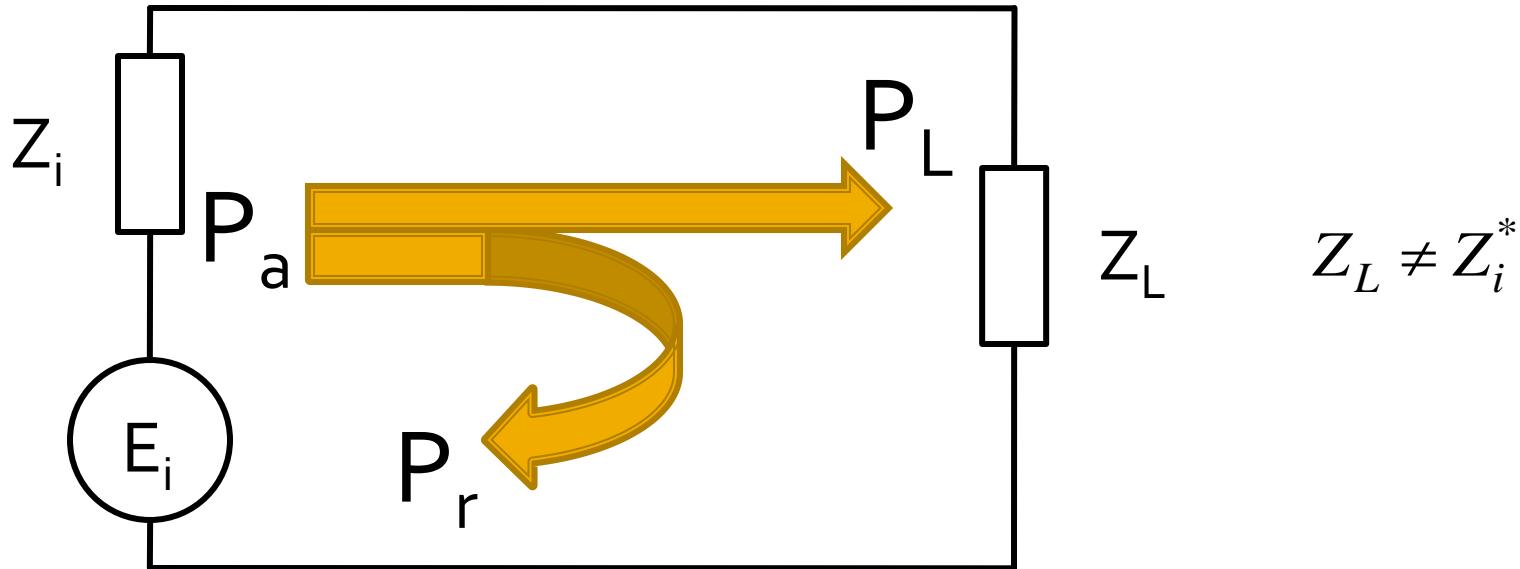
$$\Gamma = \frac{Z - Z_0}{Z + Z_0}$$

$$\Gamma_L = \Gamma_i^*$$

- complex numbers
- in the complex plane

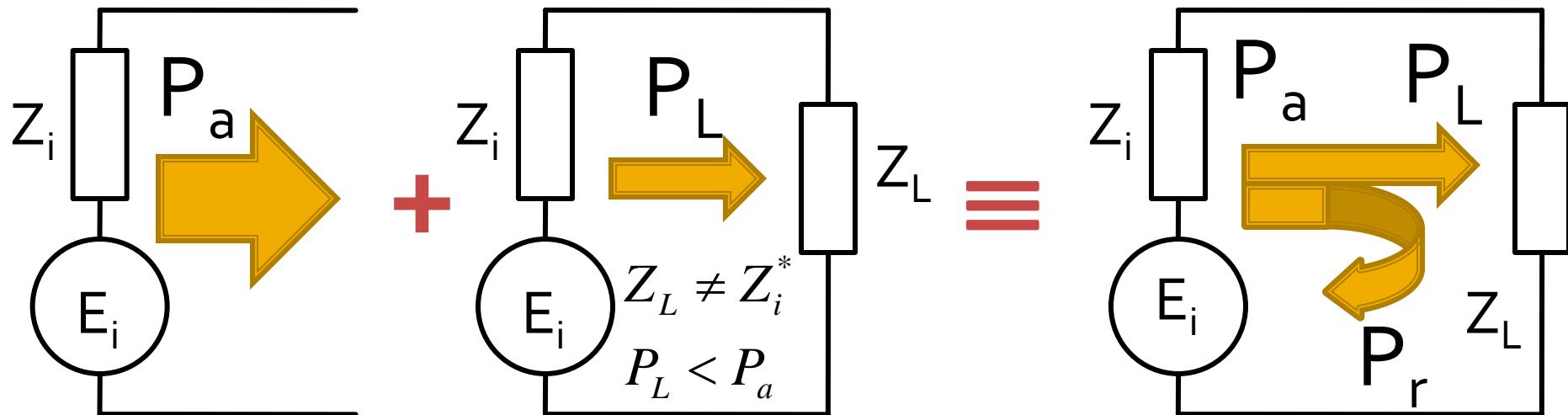


# Reflection and power / Model



- Power reflection
- Power of the reflected wave

# Reflection and power / Model



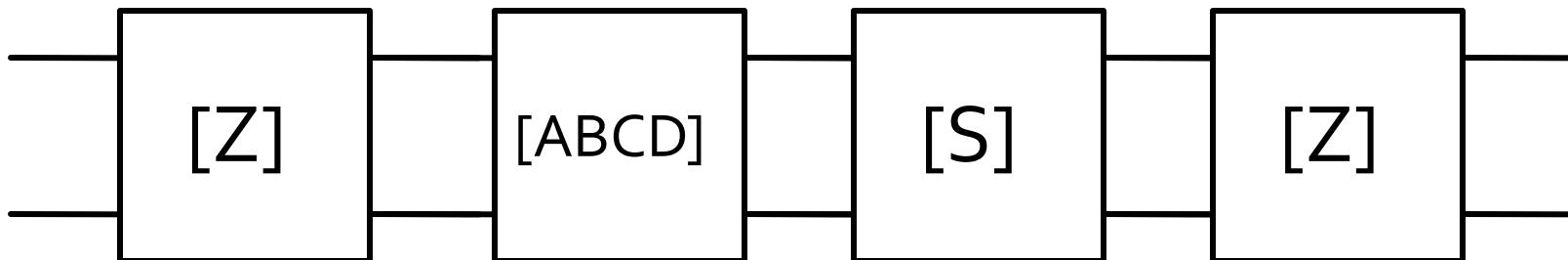
- The source has the ability to send to the load a certain maximum power (available power)  $P_a$
- For a particular load the power sent to the load is less than the maximum (mismatch)  $P_L < P_a$
- The phenomenon is “as if” (model) some of the power is reflected  $P_r = P_a - P_L$
- The power is a **scalar**!

Lecture 3

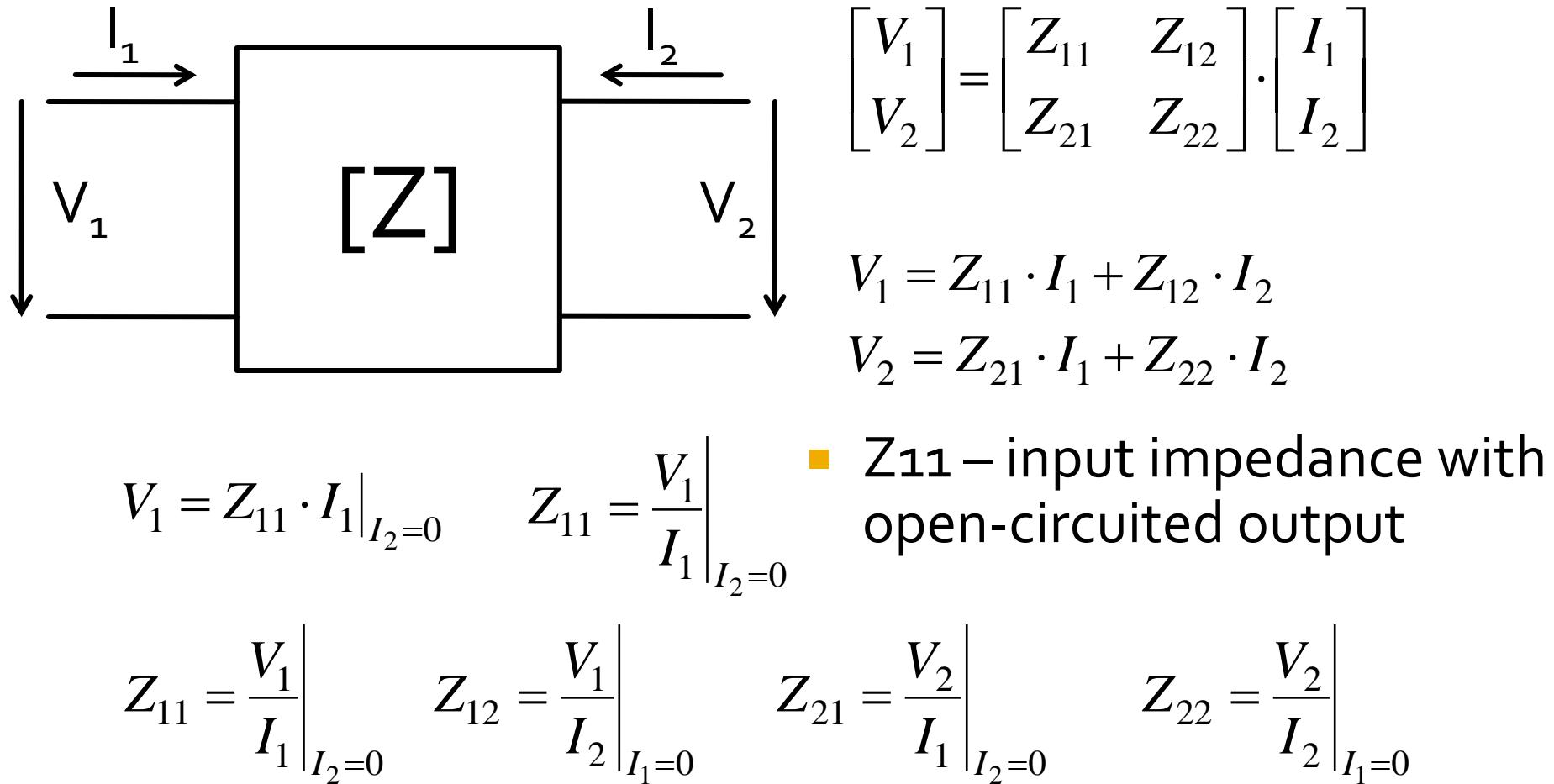
# Microwave Network Analysis

# Network Analysis

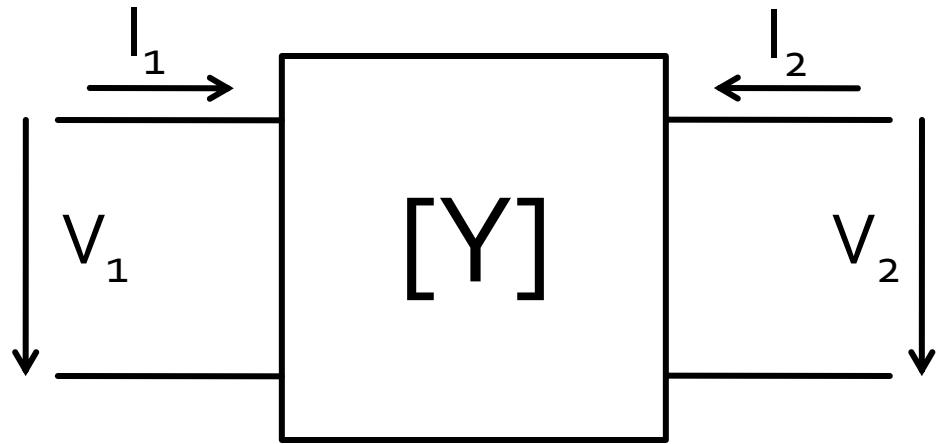
- We try to separate a complex circuit into individual blocks
- These are analyzed separately (decoupled from the rest of the circuit) and are characterized only by the port level signals (**black box**)
- Network-level analysis allows you to put together individual block results and get a total result for the entire circuit



# Impedance matrix – Z



# Admittance matrix – Y



$$\begin{bmatrix} I_1 \\ I_2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} Y_{11} & Y_{12} \\ Y_{21} & Y_{22} \end{bmatrix} \cdot \begin{bmatrix} V_1 \\ V_2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$I_1 = Y_{11} \cdot V_1 + Y_{12} \cdot V_2$$

$$I_2 = Y_{21} \cdot V_1 + Y_{22} \cdot V_2$$

$$I_1 = Y_{11} \cdot V_1 \Big|_{V_2=0} \quad Y_{11} = \frac{I_1}{V_1} \Big|_{V_2=0}$$

- $Y_{11}$  – input admittance with short-circuited output

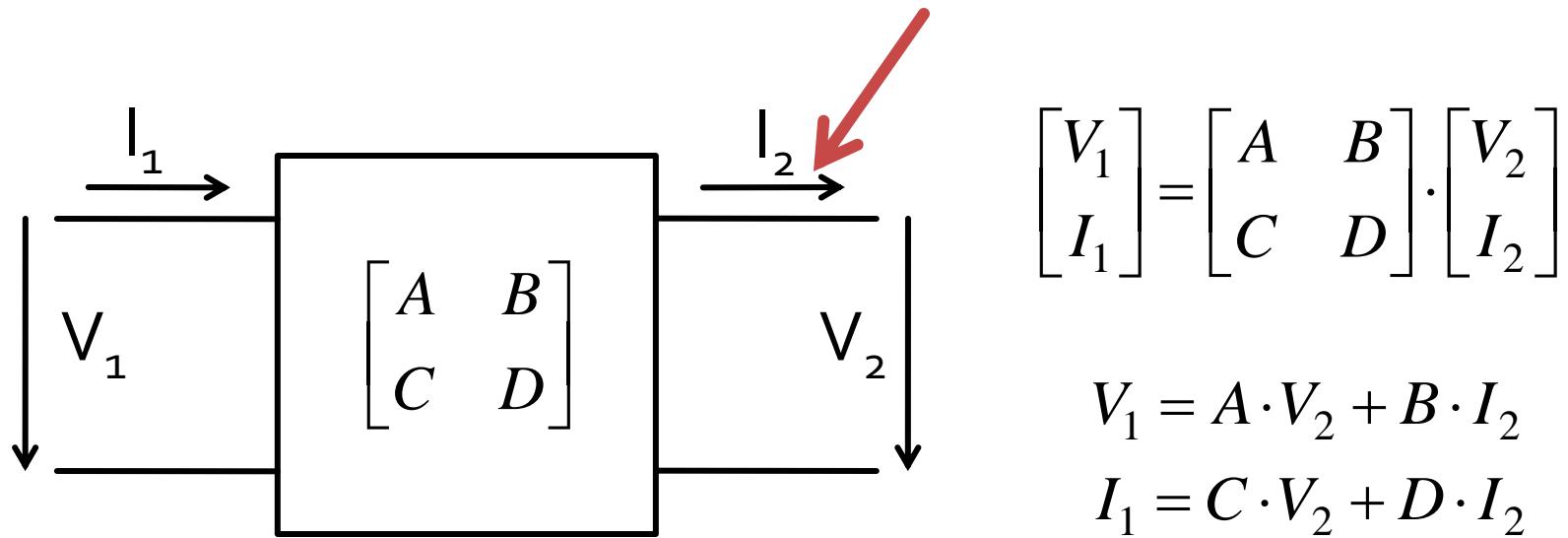
$$Y_{11} = \frac{I_1}{V_1} \Big|_{V_2=0}$$

$$Y_{12} = \frac{I_1}{V_2} \Big|_{V_1=0}$$

$$Y_{21} = \frac{I_2}{V_1} \Big|_{V_2=0}$$

$$Y_{22} = \frac{I_2}{V_2} \Big|_{V_1=0}$$

# ABCD (transmission) matrix



$$\begin{bmatrix} V_2 \\ I_2 \end{bmatrix} = \frac{1}{A \cdot D - B \cdot C} \cdot \begin{bmatrix} D & -B \\ -C & A \end{bmatrix} \cdot \begin{bmatrix} V_1 \\ I_1 \end{bmatrix}$$

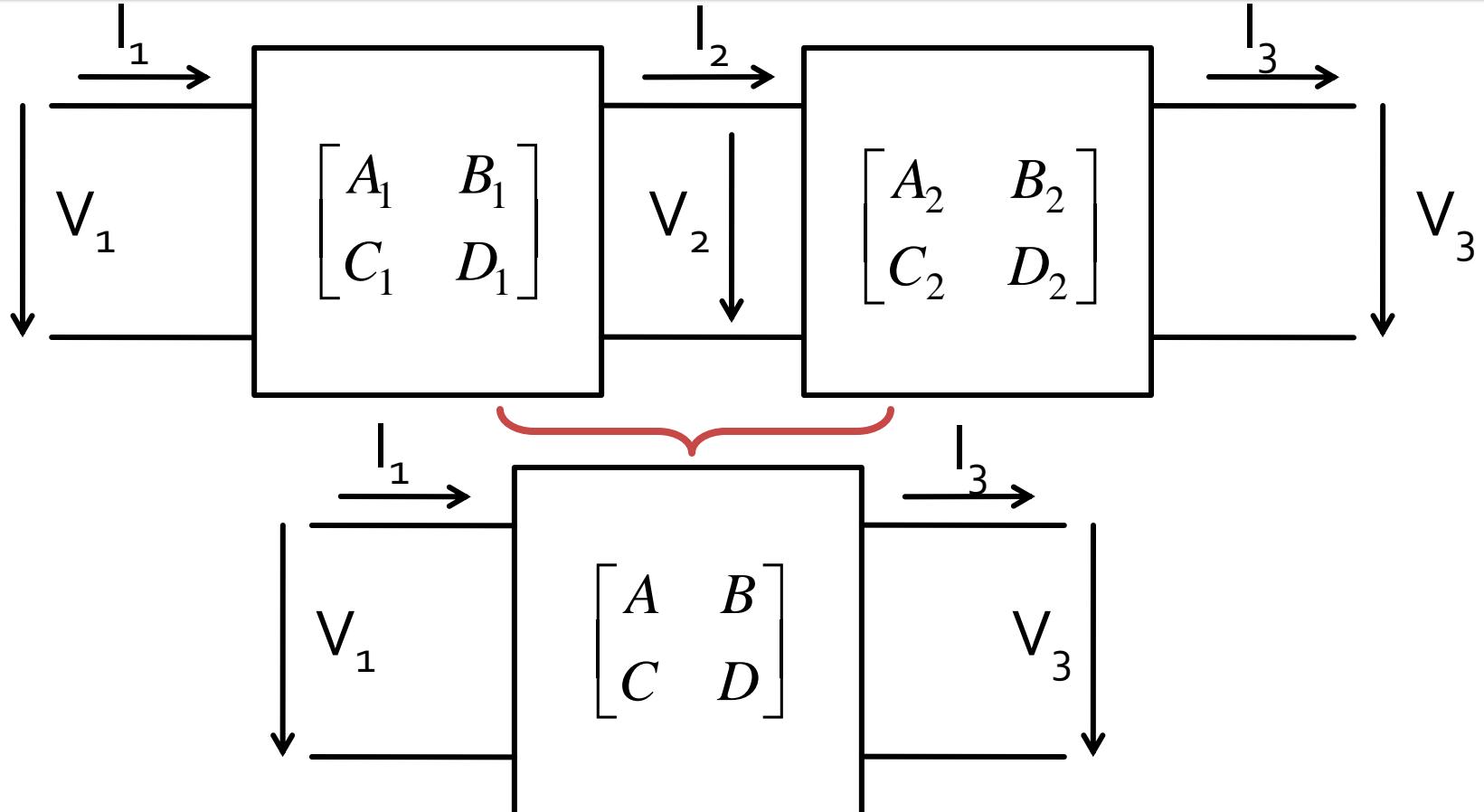
$$A = \left. \frac{V_1}{V_2} \right|_{I_2=0}$$

$$B = \left. \frac{V_1}{I_2} \right|_{V_2=0}$$

$$C = \left. \frac{I_1}{V_2} \right|_{I_2=0}$$

$$D = \left. \frac{I_1}{I_2} \right|_{V_2=0}$$

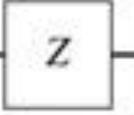
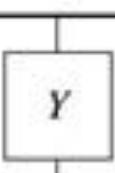
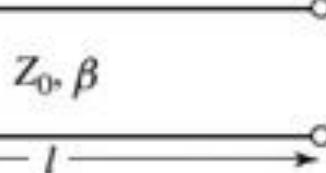
# ABCD (transmission) matrix



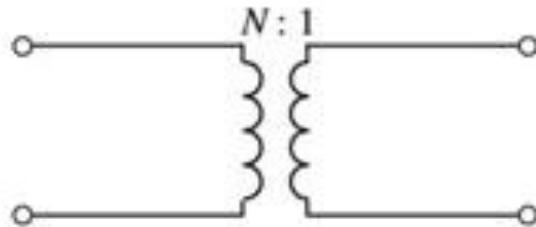
$$\begin{bmatrix} A & B \\ C & D \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} A_1 & B_1 \\ C_1 & D_1 \end{bmatrix} \cdot \begin{bmatrix} A_2 & B_2 \\ C_2 & D_2 \end{bmatrix}$$

# Library of ABCD matrices

TABLE 4.1 *ABCD* Parameters of Some Useful Two-Port Circuits

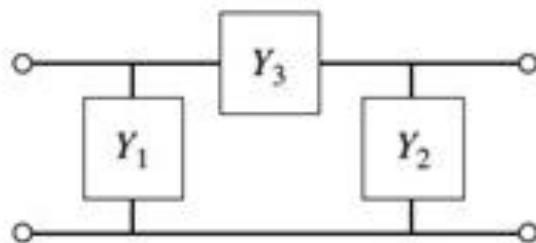
Circuit	<i>ABCD</i> Parameters	
	$A = 1$	$B = Z$
	$C = 0$	$D = 1$
	$A = 1$	$B = 0$
	$C = Y$	$D = 1$
	$A = \cos \beta l$	$B = j Z_0 \sin \beta l$
	$C = j Y_0 \sin \beta l$	$D = \cos \beta l$

# Library of ABCD matrices



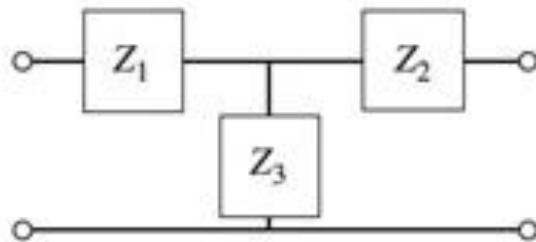
$$A = N$$
$$C = 0$$

$$B = 0$$
$$D = \frac{1}{N}$$



$$A = 1 + \frac{Y_2}{Y_3}$$
$$C = Y_1 + Y_2 + \frac{Y_1 Y_2}{Y_3}$$

$$B = \frac{1}{Y_3}$$
$$D = 1 + \frac{Y_1}{Y_3}$$



$$A = 1 + \frac{Z_1}{Z_3}$$
$$C = \frac{1}{Z_3}$$

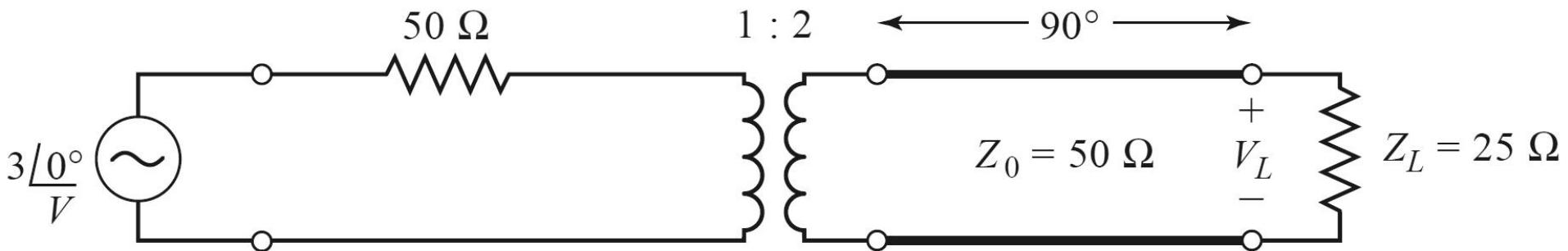
$$B = Z_1 + Z_2 + \frac{Z_1 Z_2}{Z_3}$$
$$D = 1 + \frac{Z_2}{Z_3}$$

Table 4.1

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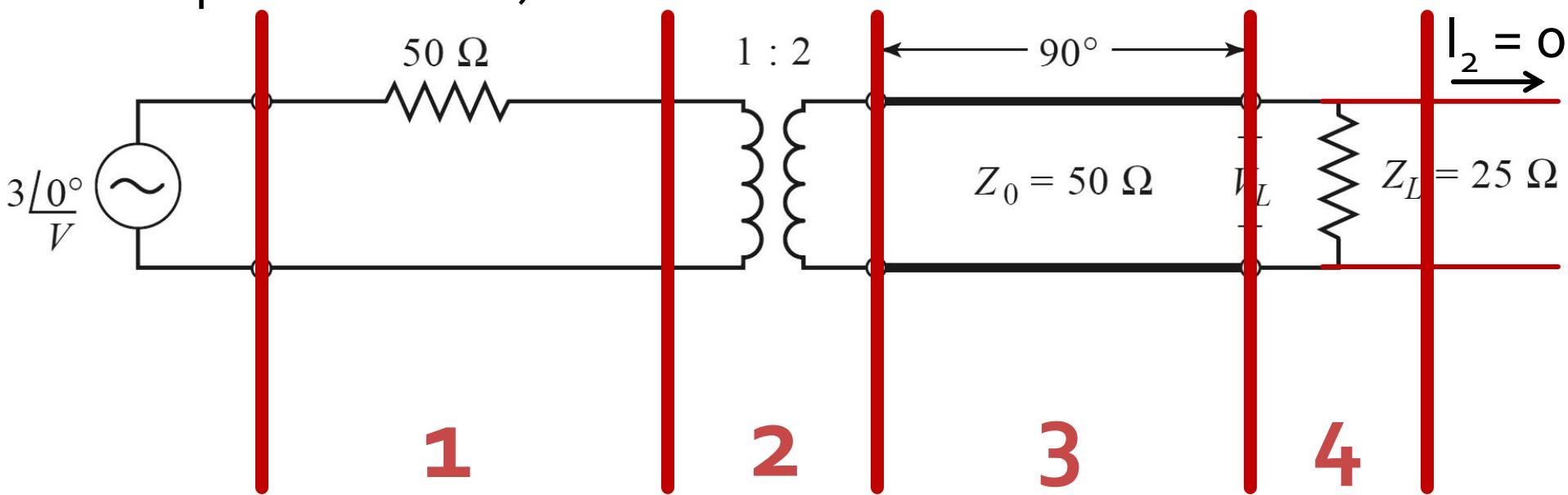
# Example for ABCD matrix

- Find the voltage  $V_L$  across the load resistor in the circuit shown below



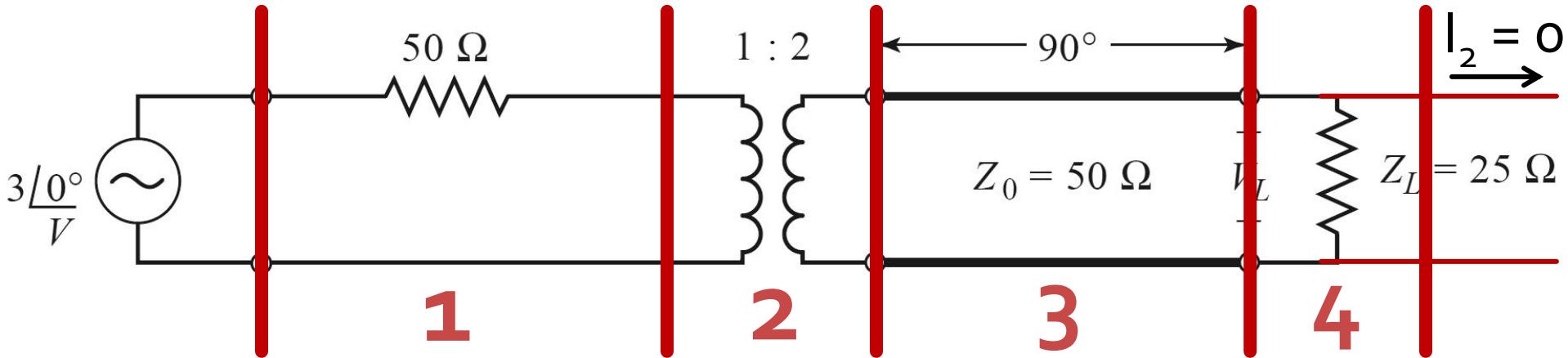
# Example for ABCD matrix

- We break the circuit in elementary sections
- Sources are left outside
- If necessary, input and output ports are created (and left open-circuited)



$$\begin{bmatrix} A & B \\ C & D \end{bmatrix} = M_1 \cdot M_2 \cdot M_3 \cdot M_4 \quad V_1 = A \cdot V_2 + B \cdot I_2 \Big|_{I_2=0} \quad V = A \cdot V_L \rightarrow V_L = \frac{V}{A}$$

# Example for ABCD matrix



$$\begin{bmatrix} A & B \\ C & D \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 50 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \cdot \begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{2} & 0 \\ 0 & 2 \end{bmatrix} \cdot \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 50 \cdot j \\ \frac{j}{50} & 0 \end{bmatrix} \cdot \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ \frac{1}{25} & 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 3 \cdot j & 25 \cdot j \\ \frac{j}{25} & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

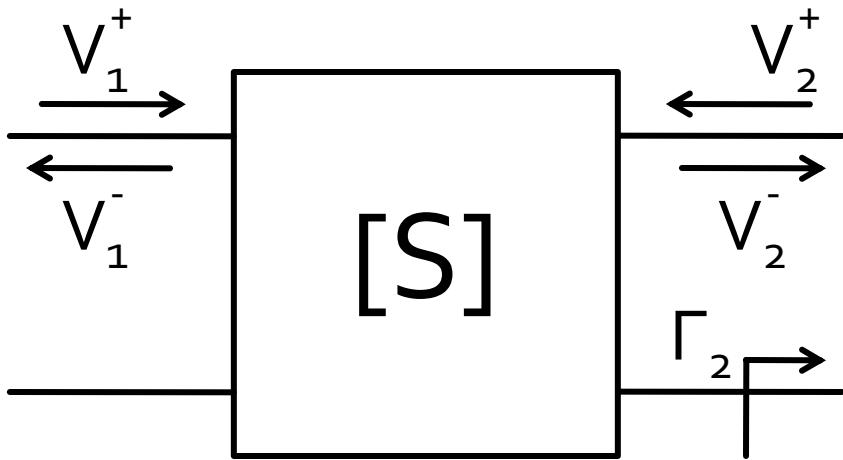
$$V_L = \frac{V}{A} = \frac{3\angle 0^\circ}{3 \cdot j} = 1\angle 90^\circ$$

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# Microwave Network Analysis

# Scattering matrix – $S$

## ■ Scattering parameters



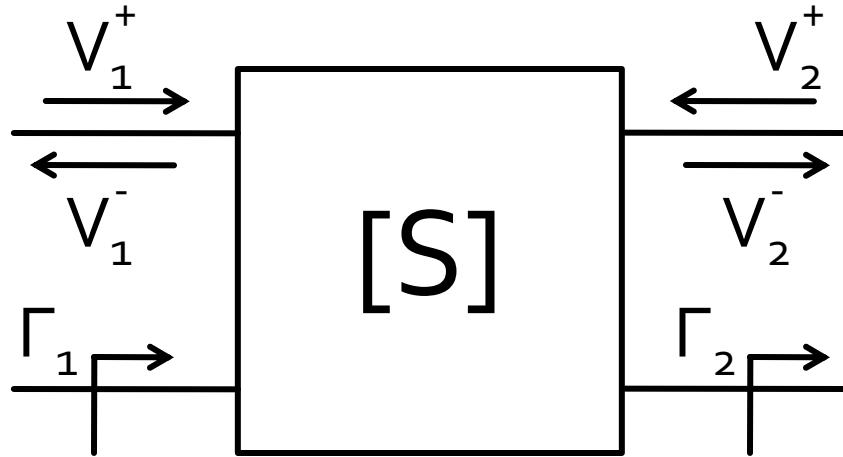
$$\begin{bmatrix} V_1^- \\ V_2^- \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} S_{11} & S_{12} \\ S_{21} & S_{22} \end{bmatrix} \cdot \begin{bmatrix} V_1^+ \\ V_2^+ \end{bmatrix}$$

$$S_{11} = \left. \frac{V_1^-}{V_1^+} \right|_{V_1^+=0} \quad S_{21} = \left. \frac{V_2^-}{V_1^+} \right|_{V_2^+=0}$$

- $V_2^+ = 0$  meaning: port 2 is terminated in matched load to avoid reflections towards the port

$$\Gamma_2 = 0 \rightarrow V_2^+ = 0$$

# Scattering matrix – $S$



$$\begin{bmatrix} V_1^- \\ V_2^- \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} S_{11} & S_{12} \\ S_{21} & S_{22} \end{bmatrix} \cdot \begin{bmatrix} V_1^+ \\ V_2^+ \end{bmatrix}$$

$$S_{11} = \frac{V_1^-}{V_1^+} \Bigg|_{V_2^+=0} = \Gamma_1 \Big|_{\Gamma_2=0}$$

$$S_{21} = \frac{V_2^-}{V_1^+} \Bigg|_{V_2^+=0} = T_{21} \Big|_{\Gamma_2=0}$$

- $S_{11}$  is the reflection coefficient seen looking into port **1** when port **2** is terminated in matched load
- $S_{21}$  is the transmission coefficient from port **1** (**second** index) to port **2** (**first** index) when port **2** is terminated in matched load

# Scattering matrix – S

- S matrix can be extended to multiple ports

$$S_{ii} = \left. \frac{V_i^-}{V_i^+} \right|_{V_k^+=0, \forall k \neq i}$$

$$S_{ij} = \left. \frac{V_i^-}{V_j^+} \right|_{V_k^+=0, \forall k \neq j}$$

- $S_{ii}$  is the reflection coefficient seen looking into port  $i$  when all other ports are terminated in matched loads
- $S_{ij}$  is the transmission coefficient from port  $j$  (**second** index) to port  $i$  (**first** index) when all other ports are terminated in matched loads

# Properties of S matrix

- If port i is connected to a transmission line with characteristic impedance  $Z_{oi}$

$$[Z_0] = \begin{bmatrix} Z_{01} & \cdots & 0 \\ \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ 0 & \cdots & Z_{0n} \end{bmatrix}$$

- Lecture 2  $V(z) = V_0^+ e^{-j\beta z} + V_0^- e^{j\beta z}$   $I(z) = \frac{V_0^+}{Z_0} e^{-j\beta z} - \frac{V_0^-}{Z_0} e^{j\beta z}$

In the port's reference plane,  $z=0$

$$V_i = V_i^+ + V_i^- \quad I_i = \frac{V_i^+}{Z_{0i}} - \frac{V_i^-}{Z_{0i}}$$

- Relation to Z matrix  $[Z] \cdot [I] = [V]$

$$[Z] \cdot [I] = [Z_0]^{-1} \cdot [Z] \cdot [V^+] - [Z_0]^{-1} \cdot [Z] \cdot [V^-] \quad [V] = [V^+] + [V^-]$$

$$[Z_0]^{-1} \cdot [Z] \cdot [V^+] - [Z_0]^{-1} \cdot [Z] \cdot [V^-] = [V^+] + [V^-] \quad ([Z] - [Z_0]) \cdot [V^+] = ([Z] + [Z_0]) \cdot [V^-]$$

$$[V^-] = [S] \cdot [V^+]$$

$$[S] = ([Z] - [Z_0]) \cdot ([Z] + [Z_0])^{-1}$$

# A Shift in Reference Planes

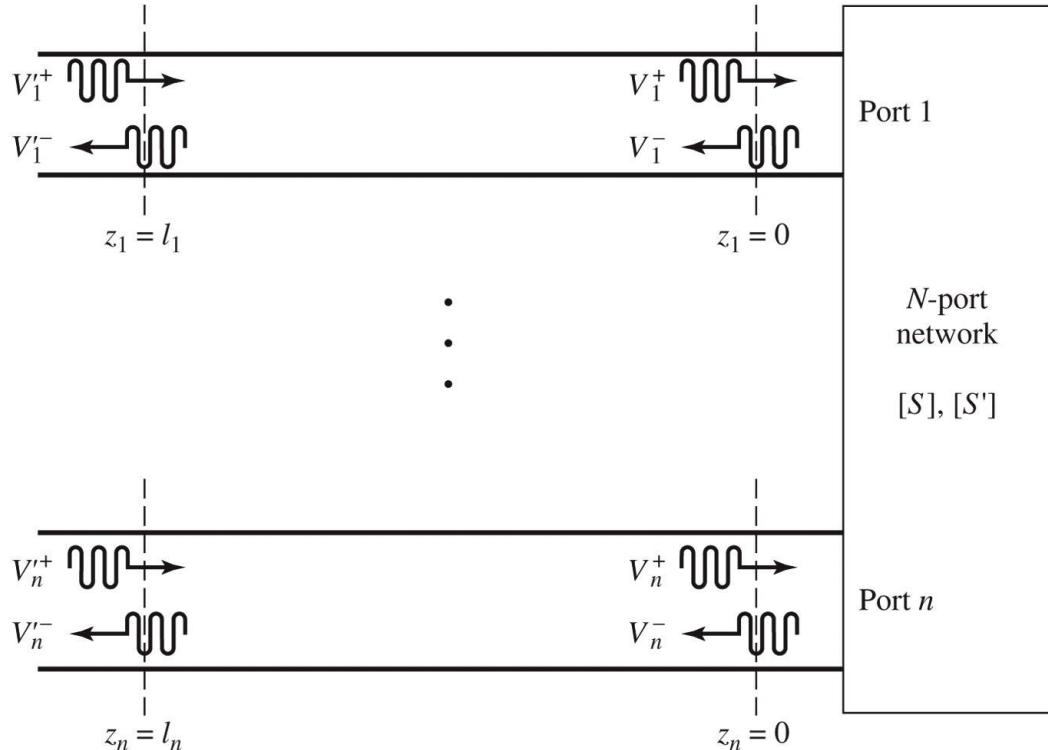


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$$[S'] = \begin{bmatrix} e^{-j\cdot\theta_1} & 0 & \dots & 0 \\ 0 & e^{-j\cdot\theta_2} & 0 & 0 \\ \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ 0 & \dots & \dots & e^{-j\cdot\theta_N} \end{bmatrix} \cdot [S] \cdot \begin{bmatrix} e^{-j\cdot\theta_1} & 0 & \dots & 0 \\ 0 & e^{-j\cdot\theta_2} & 0 & 0 \\ \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ 0 & \dots & \dots & e^{-j\cdot\theta_N} \end{bmatrix}$$

# Properties of S matrix (Z,Y)

- Reciprocal networks (no active circuits, no ferrites)

$$Z_{ij} = Z_{ji}, \forall j \neq i$$

$$Y_{ij} = Y_{ji}, \forall j \neq i$$

$$S_{ij} = S_{ji}, \forall j \neq i$$

$$[S] = [S]^t$$

- Lossless networks

$$\operatorname{Re}\{Z_{ij}\} = 0, \forall i, j$$

$$\operatorname{Re}\{Y_{ij}\} = 0, \forall i, j$$

$$\sum_{k=1}^N S_{ki} \cdot S_{kj}^* = \delta_{ij}, \forall i, j$$

$$[S]^* \cdot [S]^t = [1]$$

$$\sum_{k=1}^N S_{ki} \cdot S_{ki}^* = 1$$

$$\sum_{k=1}^N S_{ki} \cdot S_{kj}^* = 0, \forall i \neq j$$

# Generalized Scattering Parameters

- The total voltage and current on a transmission line in terms of the incident and reflected voltage wave amplitudes

$$V = V_0^+ + V_0^- \quad I = \frac{1}{Z_0} \cdot (V_0^+ - V_0^-) \quad \text{In the port's reference plane, } z=0$$

- We find the incident and reflected voltage wave amplitudes

$$V_0^+ = \frac{V + Z_0 \cdot I}{2} \quad V_0^- = \frac{V - Z_0 \cdot I}{2}$$

- The average power delivered to a load :

$$P_L = \frac{1}{2} \cdot \operatorname{Re}\{V \cdot I^*\} = \frac{1}{2 \cdot Z_0} \cdot \operatorname{Re}\left\{ |V_0^+|^2 - V_0^+ \cdot V_0^{-*} + V_0^{+*} \cdot V_0^- - |V_0^-|^2 \right\}$$

$$P_L = \frac{1}{2 \cdot Z_0} \cdot \left( |V_0^+|^2 - |V_0^-|^2 \right)$$

$$(z - z^*) = \operatorname{Im}$$

# Generalized Scattering Parameters

- We define the power wave amplitudes a and b

$$a = \frac{V + Z_R \cdot I}{2 \cdot \sqrt{R_R}} \text{ the incident power wave} \quad Z_R = R_R + j \cdot X_R$$

$$b = \frac{V - Z_R^* \cdot I}{2 \cdot \sqrt{R_R}} \text{ the reflected power wave}$$

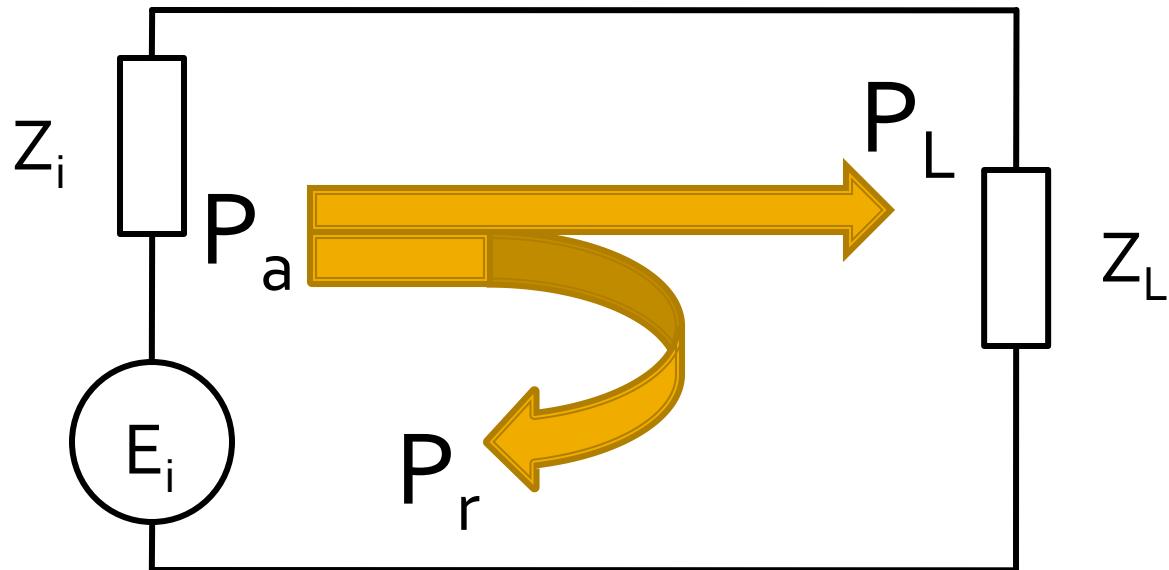
Any complex impedance,  
named reference impedance

- Total voltage and current in terms of the power wave amplitudes

$$V = \frac{Z_R^* \cdot a + Z_R \cdot b}{\sqrt{R_R}}$$

$$I = \frac{a - b}{\sqrt{R_R}}$$

# Reflection and power / Model – L3



$$P_a = \frac{|E_i|^2}{4R_i}$$

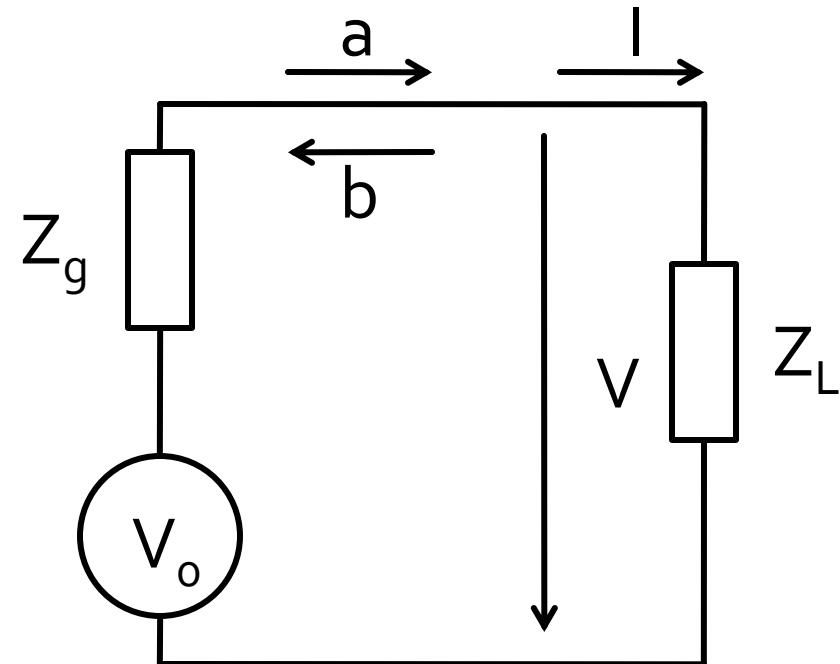
$$P_L = \frac{R_L \cdot |E_i|^2}{(R_i + R_L)^2 + (X_i + X_L)^2}$$

$$\Gamma_L = \frac{Z_L - Z_0^*}{Z_L + Z_0}$$

- $\Gamma$ , power reflection coefficient

$$P_r = \frac{|E_i|^2}{4R_i} \cdot \left[ \frac{(R_i - R_L)^2 + (X_i + X_L)^2}{(R_i + R_L)^2 + (X_i + X_L)^2} \right] = P_a \cdot |\Gamma|^2$$

# Power waves



$$P_L = \frac{1}{2} \cdot \text{Re}\{V \cdot I^*\}$$

$$P_L = \frac{1}{2} \cdot \text{Re} \left\{ \frac{Z_R^* \cdot a + Z_R \cdot b}{\sqrt{R_R}} \cdot \left( \frac{a - b}{\sqrt{R_R}} \right)^* \right\}$$

$$P_L = \frac{1}{2R_R} \cdot \text{Re} \left\{ Z_R^* \cdot |a|^2 - Z_R^* \cdot a \cdot b^* + Z_R \cdot a^* \cdot b - Z_R \cdot |b|^2 \right\}$$

$$P_L = \frac{1}{2} \cdot |a|^2 - \frac{1}{2} \cdot |b|^2$$

$$\Gamma_p = \frac{b}{a} = \frac{V - Z_R^* \cdot I}{V + Z_R \cdot I} = \frac{Z_L - Z_R^*}{Z_L + Z_R}$$

# Power waves

$$V = \frac{V_0 \cdot Z_L}{Z_g + Z_L}$$

$$I = \frac{V_0}{Z_g + Z_L}$$

$$P_L = \frac{V_0^2}{2} \cdot \frac{R_L}{|Z_g + Z_L|^2}$$

■ If we choose  $Z_R = Z_L^*$

$$a = \frac{V + Z_R \cdot I}{2 \cdot \sqrt{R_R}} = V_0 \cdot \frac{\frac{Z_L}{Z_g + Z_L} + \frac{Z_L^*}{Z_g + Z_L}}{2 \cdot \sqrt{R_L}} = V_0 \cdot \frac{\sqrt{R_L}}{Z_g + Z_L}$$

$$b = \frac{V - Z_R^* \cdot I}{2 \cdot \sqrt{R_R}} = V_0 \cdot \frac{\frac{Z_L}{Z_g + Z_L} - \frac{Z_L}{Z_g + Z_L}}{2 \cdot \sqrt{R_L}} = 0$$

$$P_L = \frac{1}{2} \cdot |a|^2 = \frac{V_0^2}{2} \cdot \frac{R_L}{|Z_g + Z_L|^2}$$

# Power waves

- When the load is conjugately matched to the generator

$$Z_g = Z_L^* \quad P_{L\max} = \frac{1}{2} \cdot |a|^2 = \frac{V_0^2}{8 \cdot R_L}$$

- Power reflection: L3

$$Z_L = Z_i^* \quad P_{L\max} \equiv P_a$$

$$\Gamma = \frac{Z - Z_0^*}{Z + Z_0}$$

$$Z_L \neq Z_i^* \quad P_r = P_a \cdot |\Gamma|^2 \quad P_L = P_a - P_r = P_a - P_a \cdot |\Gamma|^2 = P_a \cdot (1 - |\Gamma|^2)$$

- Power reflection: L3

$$P_{L\max} \equiv P_a = \frac{1}{2} \cdot |a|^2 \quad P_L = \frac{1}{2} \cdot |a|^2 - \frac{1}{2} \cdot |b|^2 \quad \Gamma_p = \frac{b}{a} = \frac{V - Z_R^* \cdot I}{V + Z_R \cdot I} = \frac{Z_L - Z_R^*}{Z_L + Z_R}$$

$$P_L = \frac{1}{2} \cdot |a|^2 - \frac{1}{2} \cdot |a|^2 \cdot |\Gamma_p|^2 \quad P_L = P_a \cdot (1 - |\Gamma_p|^2) \quad P_r = P_a \cdot |\Gamma_p|^2 = \frac{1}{2} \cdot |b|^2$$

# Power waves

- To define the scattering matrix for power waves for an N-port network

$$[Z_R] = \begin{bmatrix} Z_{R1} & \cdots & 0 \\ \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ 0 & \cdots & Z_{Rn} \end{bmatrix} \quad [F] = \begin{bmatrix} 1/2\sqrt{R_{R1}} & \cdots & 0 \\ \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ 0 & \cdots & 1/2\sqrt{R_{Rn}} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$[a] = [F] \cdot ([V] + [Z_R] \cdot [I])$$

$$[b] = [F] \cdot ([V] - [Z_R]^* \cdot [I])$$

$$[Z] \cdot [I] = [V]$$

# Power waves for N ports

$$[b] = [F] \cdot ([Z] - [Z_R]^*) \cdot ([Z] + [Z_R])^{-1} \cdot [F]^{-1} \cdot [a]$$

- The scattering matrix for power waves,  $[S_p]$

$$[b] = [S_p] \cdot [a]$$

$$[S_p] = [F] \cdot ([Z] - [Z_R]^*) \cdot ([Z] + [Z_R])^{-1} \cdot [F]^{-1}$$

- But:  $[S] = ([Z] - [Z_0]) \cdot ([Z] + [Z_0])^{-1}$

- Typically

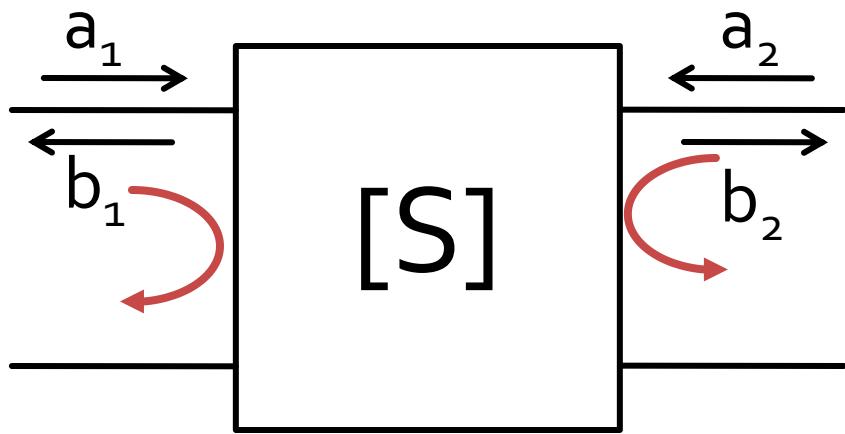
$$Z_{0i} = Z_{Ri} = R_0, \forall i$$

$$R_0 = 50\Omega$$

$$[S_p] \equiv [S]$$

- they coincide!!!

# Scattering matrix – $S$

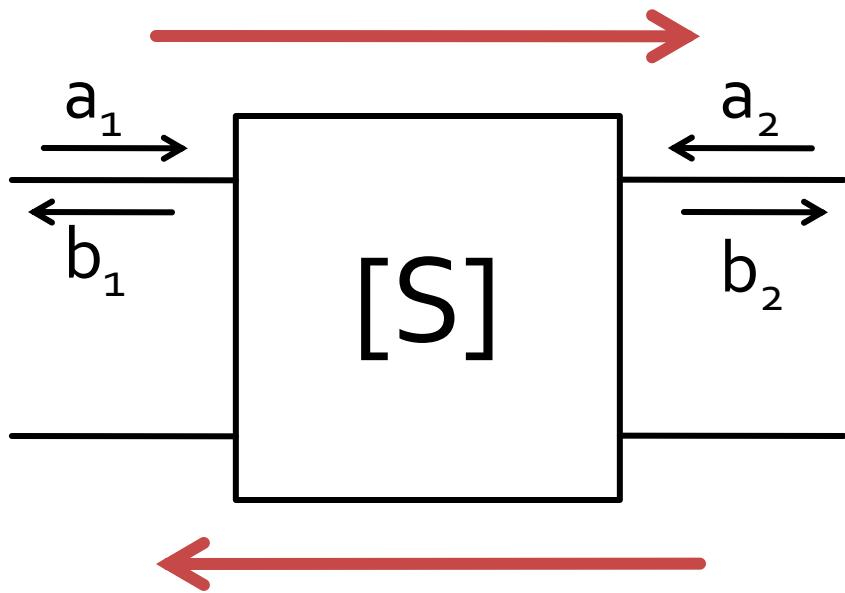


$$\begin{bmatrix} b_1 \\ b_2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} S_{11} & S_{12} \\ S_{21} & S_{22} \end{bmatrix} \cdot \begin{bmatrix} a_1 \\ a_2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$S_{11} = \left. \frac{b_1}{a_1} \right|_{a_2=0} \quad S_{22} = \left. \frac{b_2}{a_2} \right|_{a_1=0}$$

- $S_{11}$  and  $S_{22}$  are reflection coefficients at ports 1 and 2 when the other port is matched

# Scattering matrix – $S$



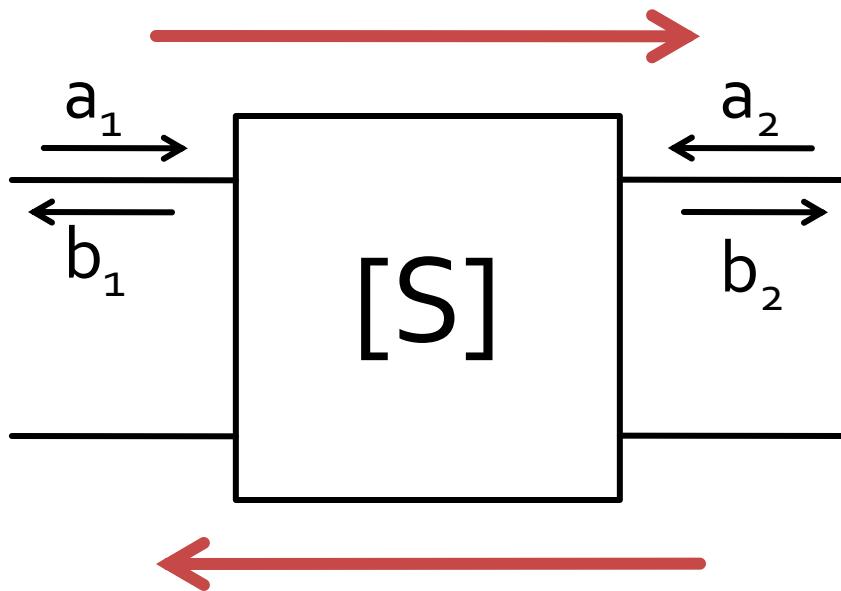
$$\begin{bmatrix} b_1 \\ b_2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} S_{11} & S_{12} \\ S_{21} & S_{22} \end{bmatrix} \cdot \begin{bmatrix} a_1 \\ a_2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$S_{21} = \frac{b_2}{a_1} \Big|_{a_2=0}$$

$$S_{12} = \frac{b_1}{a_2} \Big|_{a_1=0}$$

- $S_{21}$  si  $S_{12}$  are signal amplitude gain when the other port is matched

# Scattering matrix – S



$$\begin{bmatrix} b_1 \\ b_2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} S_{11} & S_{12} \\ S_{21} & S_{22} \end{bmatrix} \cdot \begin{bmatrix} a_1 \\ a_2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$|S_{21}|^2 = \frac{\text{Power in } Z_0 \text{ load}}{\text{Power from } Z_0 \text{ source}}$$

- $a, b$ 
  - information about signal power **AND** signal phase
- $S_{ij}$ 
  - network effect (gain) over signal power **including** phase information

# Measuring S parameters - VNA

## ■ Vector Network Analyzer

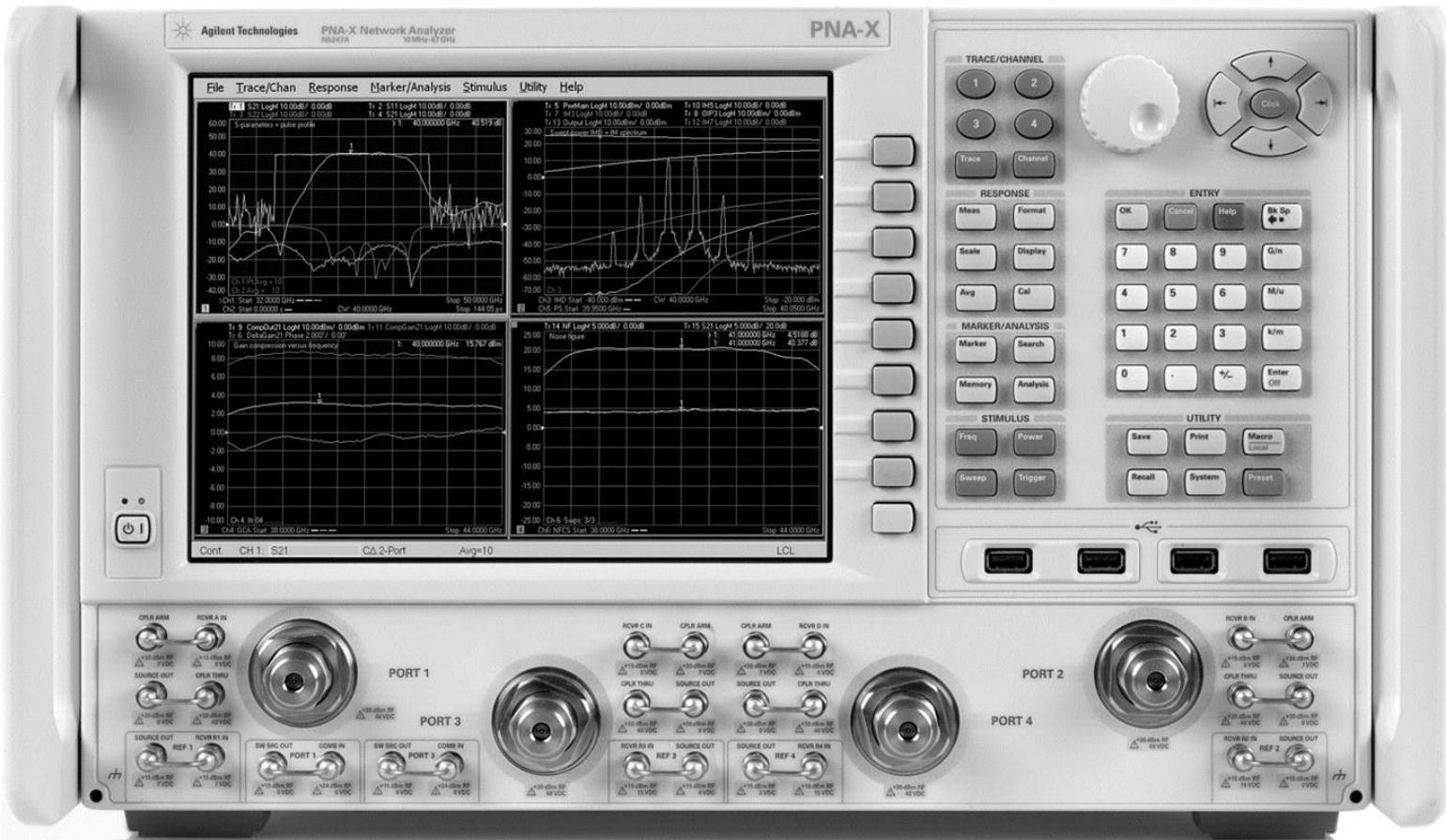


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# Relation between two port S parameters and ABCD parameters

$$A = \sqrt{\frac{Z_{01}}{Z_{02}}} \frac{(1 + S_{11} - S_{22} - \Delta S)}{2S_{21}}$$

$$B = \sqrt{Z_{01}Z_{02}} \frac{(1 + S_{11} + S_{22} + \Delta S)}{2S_{21}}$$

$$C = \frac{1}{\sqrt{Z_{01}Z_{02}}} \frac{1 - S_{11} - S_{22} + \Delta S}{2S_{21}}$$

$$D = \sqrt{\frac{Z_{02}}{Z_{01}}} \frac{1 - S_{11} + S_{22} - \Delta S}{2S_{21}}$$

$$\Delta S = S_{11}S_{22} - S_{12}S_{21}$$

$$S_{11} = \frac{AZ_{02} + B - CZ_{01}Z_{02} - DZ_{01}}{AZ_{02} + B + CZ_{01}Z_{02} + DZ_{01}}$$

$$S_{12} = \frac{2(AD - BC)\sqrt{Z_{01}Z_{02}}}{AZ_{02} + B + CZ_{01}Z_{02} + DZ_{01}}$$

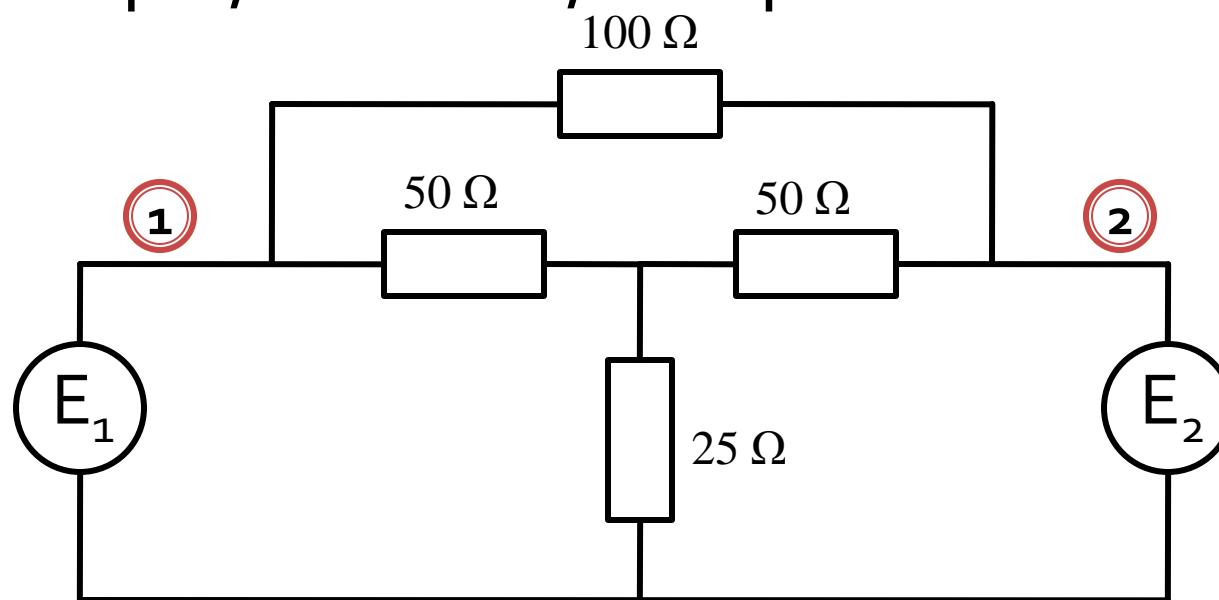
$$S_{21} = \frac{2\sqrt{Z_{01}Z_{02}}}{AZ_{02} + B + CZ_{01}Z_{02} + DZ_{01}}$$

$$S_{22} = \frac{-AZ_{02} + B - CZ_{01}Z_{02} + DZ_{01}}{AZ_{02} + B + CZ_{01}Z_{02} + DZ_{01}}$$

# Microwave Network Analysis

# Even/Odd Mode Analysis

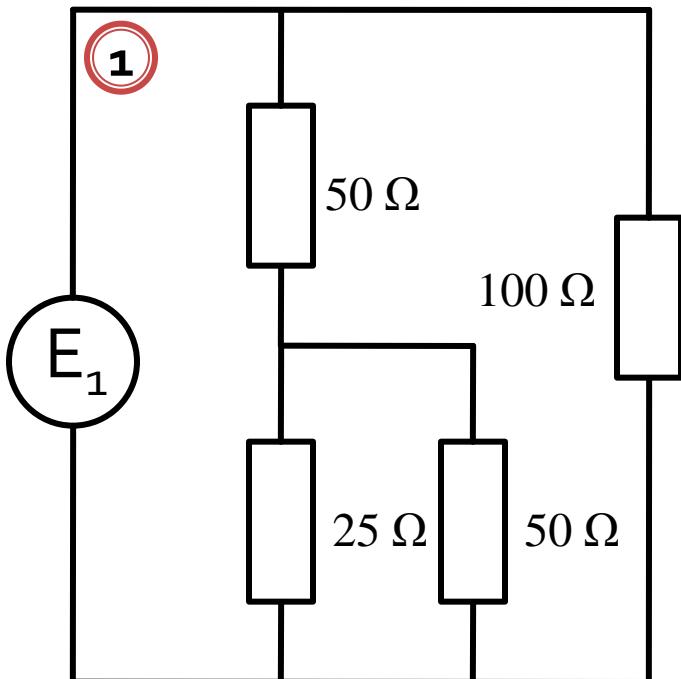
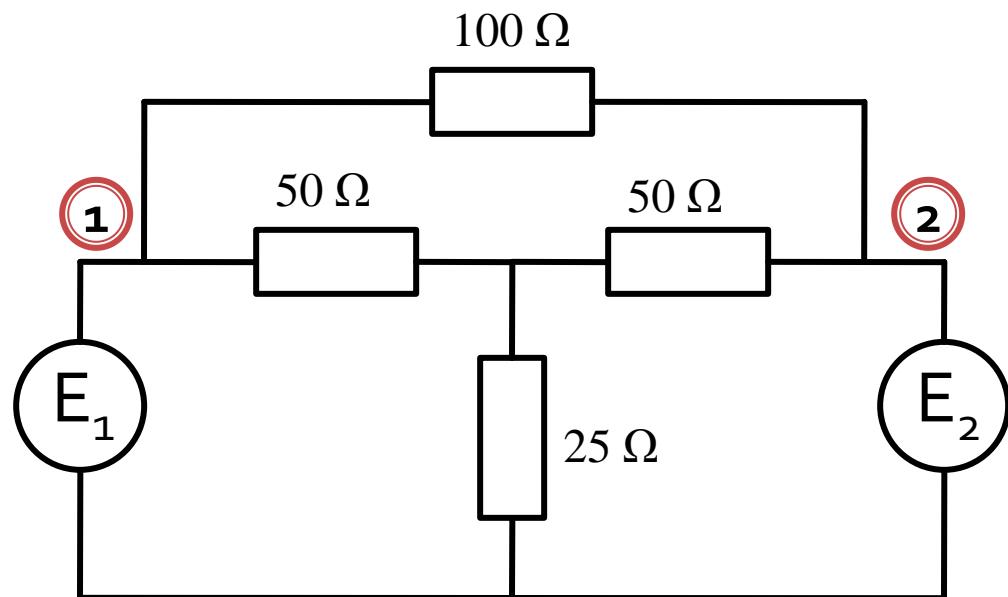
- useful method, necessary even for multiple ports
- example, resistors, two port circuit



# Even/Odd Mode Analysis

- assume we want to compute  $Y_{11}$
- $E_2 = 0$

$$Y_{11} = \left. \frac{I_1}{V_1} \right|_{V_2=0}$$

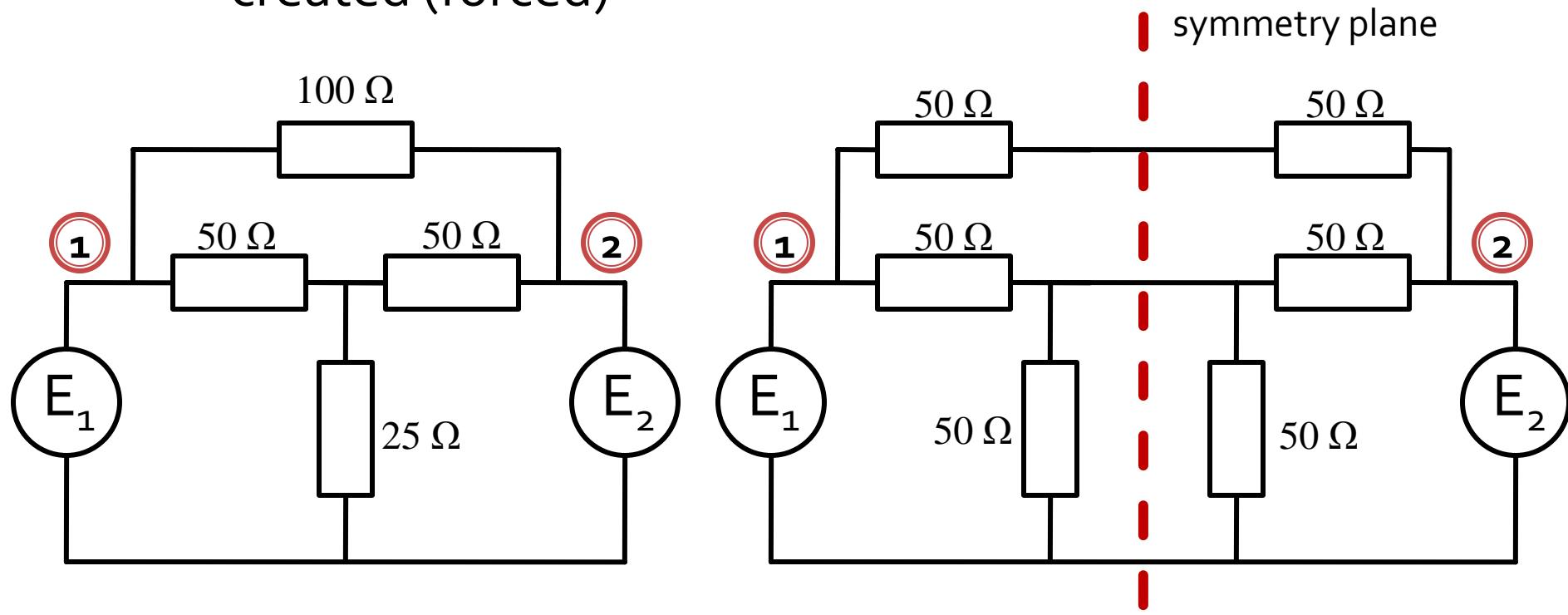


$$\begin{aligned} R_{ech} &= 100\Omega \parallel (50\Omega + 25\Omega \parallel 50\Omega) = \\ &= 100\Omega \parallel (50\Omega + 16.67\Omega) = 100\Omega \parallel 66.67\Omega = 40\Omega \end{aligned}$$

$$Y_{11} = \left. \frac{I_1}{V_1} \right|_{V_2=0} = 0.025S$$

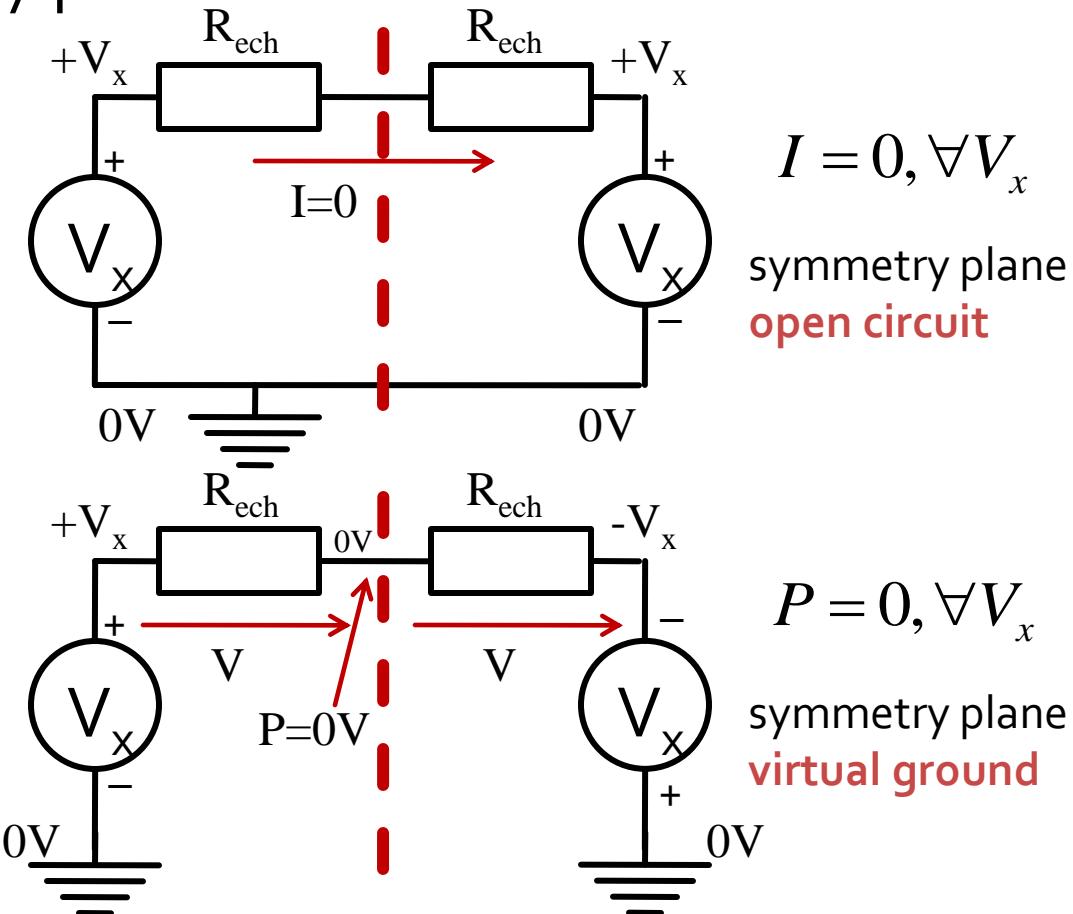
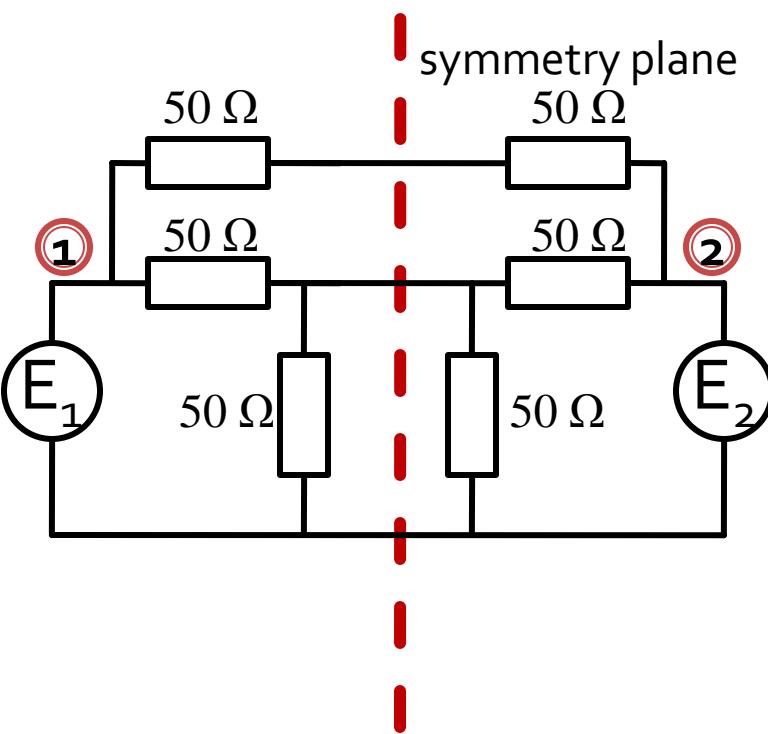
# Even/Odd Mode Analysis

- Even/Odd mode analysis benefit from the existence of symmetry planes in the circuit
  - existing or
  - created (forced)



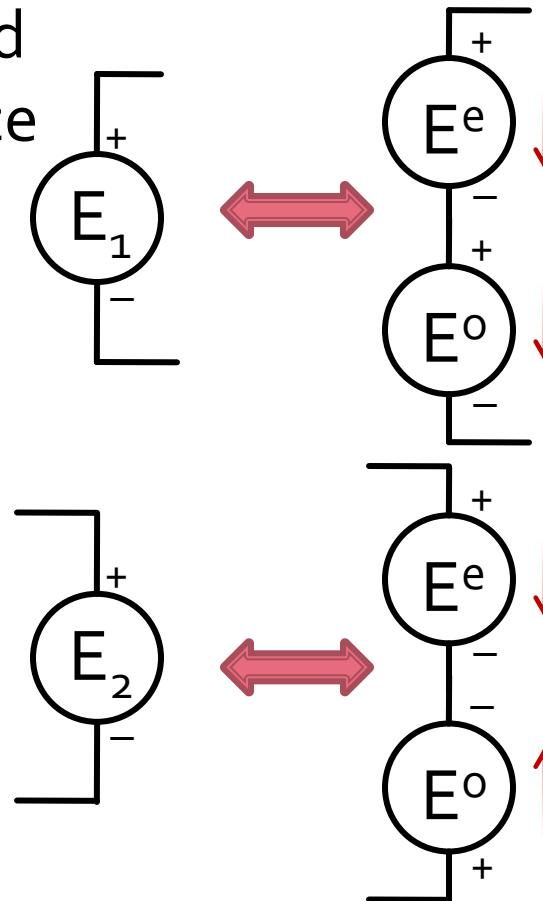
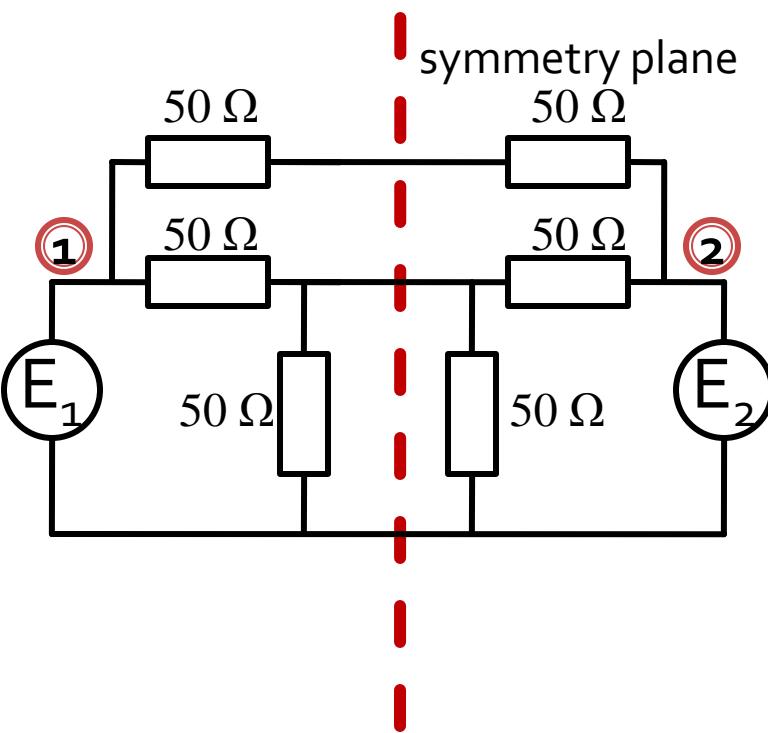
# Even/Odd Mode Analysis

- when exciting the ports with symmetric/anti-symmetric sources the symmetry planes are transformed into:
  - open circuit
  - virtual ground



# Even/Odd Mode Analysis

- the combination of any two sources is equivalent for linear circuits with the superposition of:
  - a symmetric source and
  - a anti-symmetric source



$$E_1 = E^e + E^o$$

$$E_2 = E^e - E^o$$

$$E^e = \frac{E_1 + E_2}{2}$$

$$E^o = \frac{E_1 - E_2}{2}$$

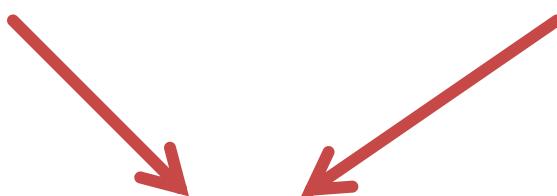
# Even/Odd Mode Analysis

- In linear circuits the **superposition principle** is always true
  - the response caused by two or more stimuli is the sum of the responses that would have been caused by each stimulus individually

**Response ( Source1 + Source2 ) =**

$$= \text{Response (Source1)} + \text{Response (Source2)}$$

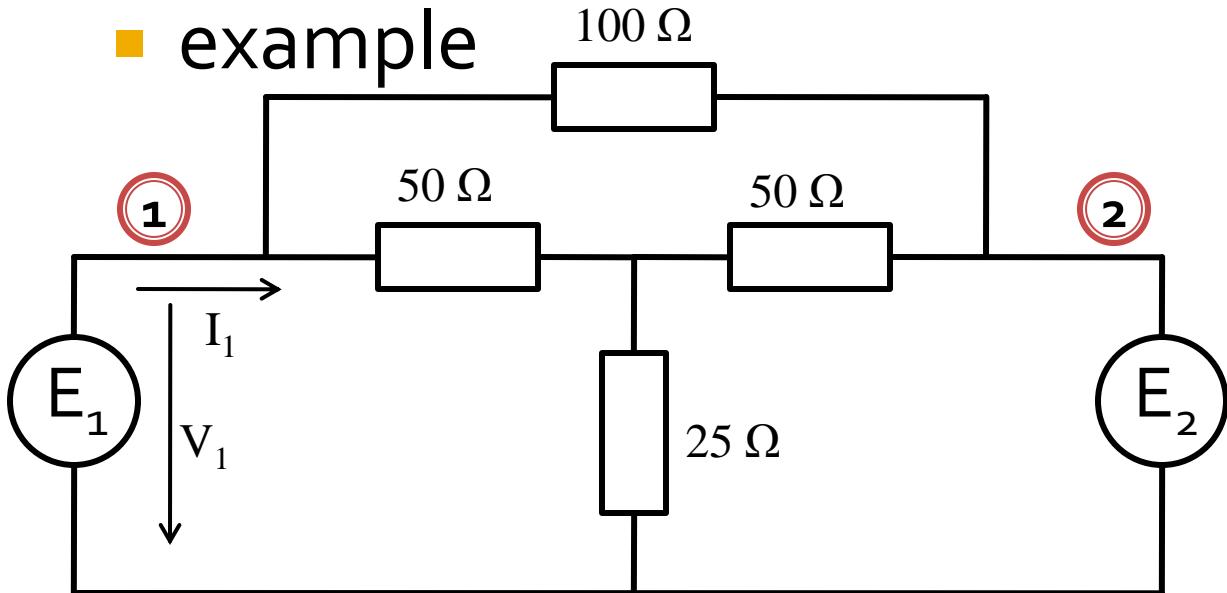
**Response( ODD + EVEN ) = Response ( ODD ) + Response ( EVEN )**



We can benefit from existing symmetries !!

# Even/Odd Mode Analysis

■ example

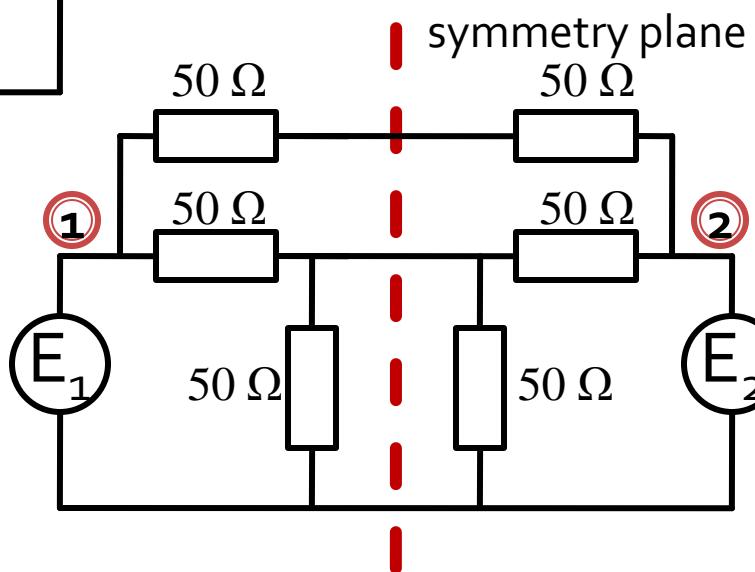


$$Y_{11} = \left. \frac{I_1}{V_1} \right|_{V_2=0}$$

$$V_2 \equiv E_2 = 0 \Rightarrow$$

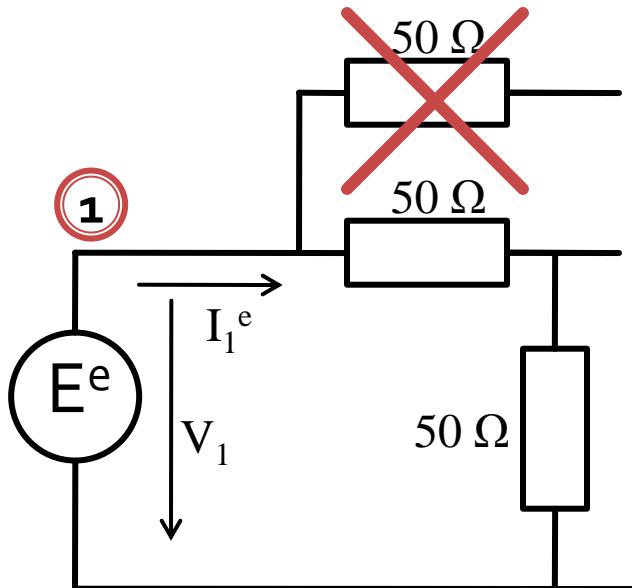
$$E^e = \frac{E_1}{2}$$

$$E^o = \frac{E_1}{2}$$



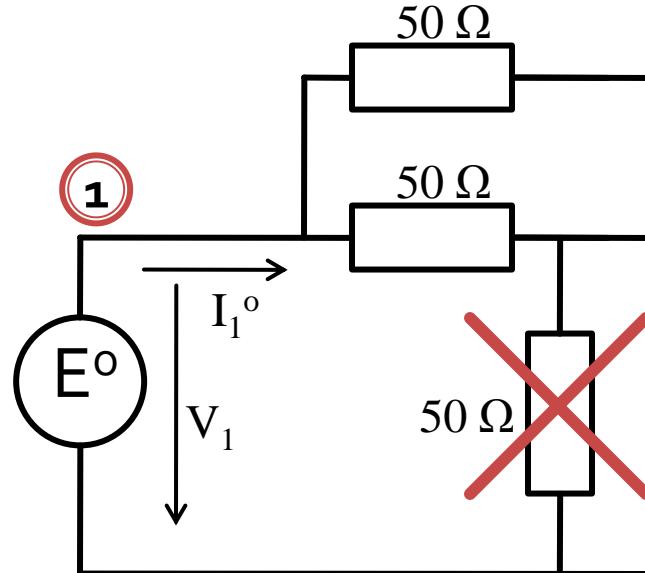
# Even/Odd Mode Analysis

- Even/Odd mode analysis



$$R_{ech}^e = 50\Omega + 50\Omega = 100\Omega$$

$$I_1^e = \frac{E^e}{R_{ech}^e} = \frac{E_1/2}{100\Omega} = \frac{E_1}{200\Omega}$$

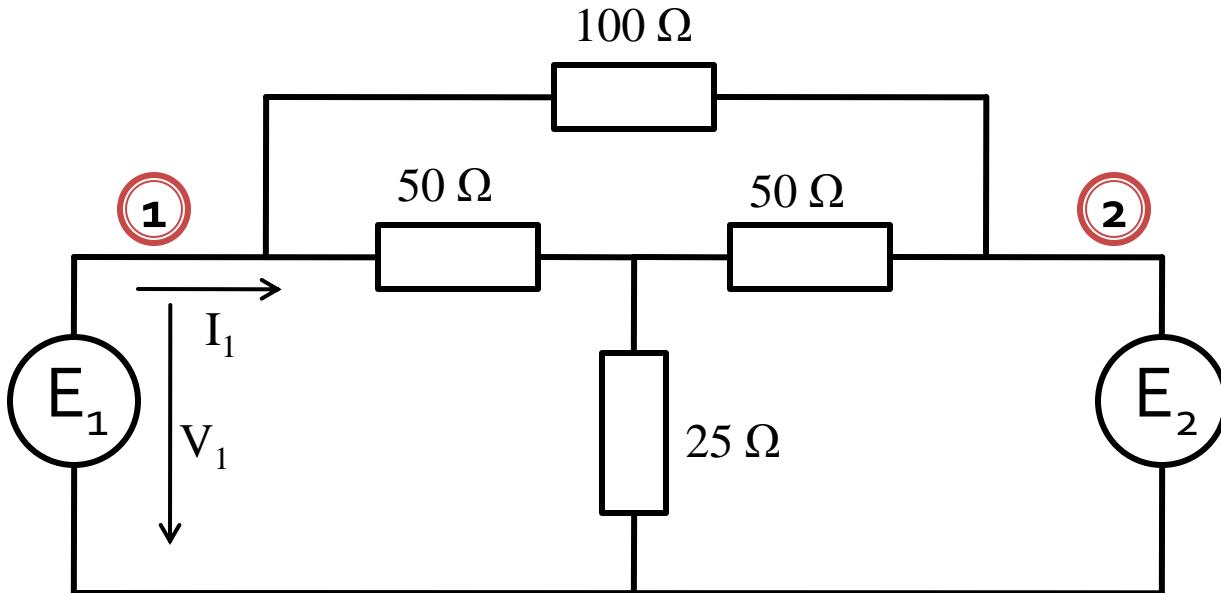


$$R_{ech}^o = 50\Omega || 50\Omega = 25\Omega$$

$$I_1^o = \frac{E^o}{R_{ech}^o} = \frac{E_1/2}{25\Omega} = \frac{E_1}{50\Omega}$$

# Even/Odd Mode Analysis

- superposition principle



$$I_1 = I_1^e + I_1^o$$

$$V_1 = V_1^e + V_1^o$$

$$I_1 = I_1^e + I_1^o = \frac{E_1}{200\Omega} + \frac{E_1}{50\Omega} = \frac{E_1}{40\Omega}$$

$$V_1 = V_1^e + V_1^o = E_1$$

$$Y_{11} = \frac{I_1}{V_1} = \frac{1}{40\Omega} = 0.025S$$

# Even/Odd Mode Analysis

- In linear circuits we can use the superposition principle
- advantages
  - reduction of the circuit complexity
  - decrease in the number of ports (**main** advantage)

$$\text{Response(ODD + EVEN)} = \text{Response(ODD)} + \text{Response(EVEN)}$$



We can benefit from existing symmetries !!

# Power dividers and directional couplers

# Power dividers and couplers

- Desired functionality:
  - division
  - combining
- of signal power

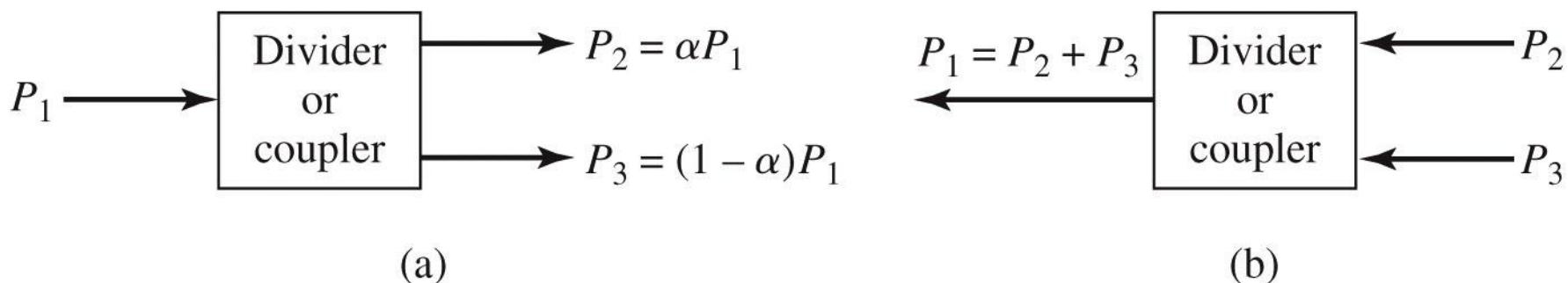


Figure 7.1  
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# Three-Port Networks

- also known as T-Junctions
- characterized by a  $3 \times 3$  **S** matrix

$$[S] = \begin{bmatrix} S_{11} & S_{12} & S_{13} \\ S_{21} & S_{22} & S_{23} \\ S_{31} & S_{32} & S_{33} \end{bmatrix}$$

- the device is **reciprocal** if it does **not** contain:
  - anisotropic materials (usually ferrites)
  - active circuits
- to avoid power loss, we would like to have a network that is:
  - **lossless**, and
  - **matched at all ports**
    - to avoid reflection power “loss”

# Three-Port Networks

- reciprocal

$$[S] = [S]^t \quad S_{ij} = S_{ji}, \forall j \neq i$$

$$S_{12} = S_{21}, S_{13} = S_{31}, S_{23} = S_{32}$$

- matched at all ports

$$S_{ii} = 0, \forall i \quad S_{11} = 0, S_{22} = 0, S_{33} = 0$$

- then the S matrix is:

$$[S] = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & S_{12} & S_{13} \\ S_{12} & 0 & S_{23} \\ S_{13} & S_{23} & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

# Three-Port Networks

- reciprocal, matched at all ports, S matrix:

$$[S] = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & S_{12} & S_{13} \\ S_{12} & 0 & S_{23} \\ S_{13} & S_{23} & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

- lossless network
  - all the power injected in one port will be found exiting the network on all ports

$$[S]^* \cdot [S]^t = [1]$$
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# Three-Port Networks

- lossless network

$$[S] = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & S_{12} & S_{13} \\ S_{12} & 0 & S_{23} \\ S_{13} & S_{23} & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\sum_{k=1}^N S_{ki} \cdot S_{ki}^* = 1$$

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- 6 equations / 3 unknowns

$$|S_{12}|^2 + |S_{13}|^2 = 1 \quad S_{13}^* S_{23} = 0$$

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$$|S_{13}|^2 + |S_{23}|^2 = 1 \quad S_{23}^* S_{12} = 0$$

- no solution is possible

# Three-Port Networks

$$[S] = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & S_{12} & S_{13} \\ S_{12} & 0 & S_{23} \\ S_{13} & S_{23} & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

- 6 equations / 3 unknowns
  - no solution is possible
- A three-port network **cannot** be simultaneously:
  - reciprocal
  - lossless
  - matched at all ports
- If any one of these three conditions is relaxed, then a physically realizable device is possible

# Nonreciprocal Three-Port Networks

- usually containing anisotropic materials, ferrites
- **nonreciprocal**, but matched at all ports and lossless

$$S_{ij} \neq S_{ji}$$

- S matrix

$$[S] = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & S_{12} & S_{13} \\ S_{21} & 0 & S_{23} \\ S_{31} & S_{32} & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

- 6 equations / 3 unknowns

$$|S_{12}|^2 + |S_{13}|^2 = 1 \quad S_{31}^* S_{32} = 0$$

$$|S_{21}|^2 + |S_{23}|^2 = 1 \quad S_{21}^* S_{23} = 0$$

$$|S_{31}|^2 + |S_{32}|^2 = 1 \quad S_{12}^* S_{13} = 0$$

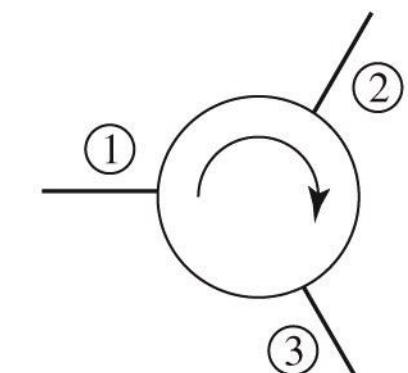
# Nonreciprocal Three-Port Networks

- two possible solutions
- circulators
  - clockwise circulation

$$S_{12} = S_{23} = S_{31} = 0$$

$$|S_{21}| = |S_{32}| = |S_{13}| = 1$$

$$[S] = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

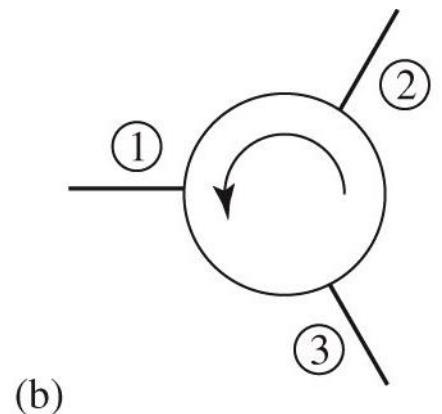


- counterclockwise circulation

$$S_{21} = S_{32} = S_{13} = 0$$

$$|S_{12}| = |S_{23}| = |S_{31}| = 1$$

$$[S] = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$



# Mismatched Three-Port Networks

- A lossless and reciprocal three-port network can be matched only on two ports, eg. 1 and 2:

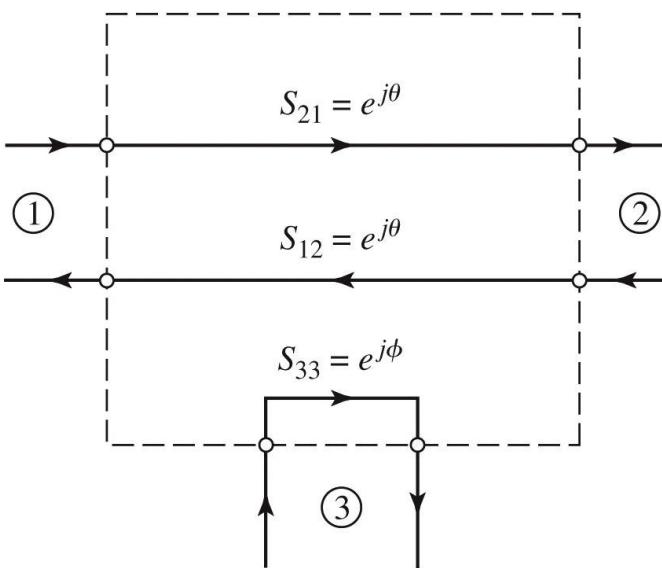
$$[S] = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & S_{12} & S_{13} \\ S_{12} & 0 & S_{23} \\ S_{13} & S_{23} & S_{33} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$S_{13} = S_{23} = 0$$
$$|S_{13}| = |S_{23}|$$
$$|S_{12}| = |S_{33}| = 1$$
$$S_1^* S_{23} = 0$$
$$S_{12}^* S_{13} + S_{23}^* S_{33} = 0$$
$$S_{23}^* S_{12} + S_{33}^* S_{13} = 0$$
$$|S_{12}|^2 + |S_{13}|^2 = 1$$
$$|S_{12}|^2 + |S_{23}|^2 = 1$$
$$|S_{13}|^2 + |S_{23}|^2 + |S_{33}|^2 = 1$$

# Mismatched Three-Port Networks

- A lossless and reciprocal three-port network

$$[S] = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & S_{12} & S_{13} \\ S_{12} & 0 & S_{23} \\ S_{13} & S_{23} & S_{33} \end{bmatrix}$$



$$[S] = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & e^{j\theta} & 0 \\ e^{j\theta} & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & e^{j\phi} \end{bmatrix}$$

$S_{13} = S_{23} = 0 \quad |S_{12}| = |S_{33}| = 1$   
 $S_{12} = e^{j\theta}$   
 $S_{33} = e^{j\phi}$

- A lossless and reciprocal three-port network **degenerates** into two separate components:
  - a matched two-port **line**
  - a totally **mismatched one-port**:

# Four-Port Networks

- characterized by a  $4 \times 4$  **S** matrix

$$[S] = \begin{bmatrix} S_{11} & S_{12} & S_{13} & S_{14} \\ S_{21} & S_{22} & S_{23} & S_{24} \\ S_{31} & S_{32} & S_{33} & S_{34} \\ S_{41} & S_{42} & S_{43} & S_{44} \end{bmatrix}$$

- the device is **reciprocal** if it does **not** contain:
  - anisotropic materials (usually ferrites)
  - active circuits
- to avoid power loss, we would like to have a network that is:
  - **lossless**, and
  - **matched at all ports**
    - to avoid reflection power “loss”

# Four-Port Networks

- reciprocal

$$[S] = [S]^t \quad S_{ij} = S_{ji}, \forall j \neq i$$

$$S_{12} = S_{21}, S_{13} = S_{31}, S_{23} = S_{32}$$

- matched at all ports

$$S_{ii} = 0, \forall i \quad S_{11} = 0, S_{22} = 0, S_{33} = 0, S_{44} = 0$$

- then the S matrix is:

$$[S] = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & S_{12} & S_{13} & S_{14} \\ S_{12} & 0 & S_{23} & S_{24} \\ S_{13} & S_{23} & 0 & S_{34} \\ S_{14} & S_{24} & S_{34} & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

# Four-Port Networks

- reciprocal, matched at all ports, S matrix:

$$[S] = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & S_{12} & S_{13} & S_{14} \\ S_{12} & 0 & S_{23} & S_{24} \\ S_{13} & S_{23} & 0 & S_{34} \\ S_{14} & S_{24} & S_{34} & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

- lossless network

- all the power injected in one port will be found exiting the network on all ports

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# Four-Port Networks

$$S_{13}^* \cdot S_{23} + S_{14}^* \cdot S_{24} = 0 \quad / \cdot S_{24}$$

$$S_{14}^* \cdot S_{13} + S_{24}^* \cdot S_{23} = 0 \quad / \cdot S_{13}^*$$

$$\underline{S_{14}^* \cdot (|S_{13}|^2 - |S_{24}|^2) = 0}$$

$$S_{12}^* \cdot S_{23} + S_{14}^* \cdot S_{34} = 0 \quad / \cdot S_{12}$$

$$S_{14}^* \cdot S_{12} + S_{34}^* \cdot S_{23} = 0 \quad / \cdot S_{34}^*$$

$$\underline{S_{23} \cdot (|S_{12}|^2 - |S_{34}|^2) = 0}$$

- one solution:  $S_{14} = S_{23} = 0$
- resulting coupler is **directional**

$$|S_{12}|^2 + |S_{13}|^2 = 1$$

$$|S_{12}|^2 + |S_{24}|^2 = 1$$

$$|S_{13}|^2 + |S_{34}|^2 = 1$$

$$|S_{24}|^2 + |S_{34}|^2 = 1$$

$$|S_{13}| = |S_{24}|$$

$$|S_{12}| = |S_{34}|$$

$$[S] = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & S_{12} & S_{13} & 0 \\ S_{12} & 0 & 0 & S_{24} \\ S_{13} & 0 & 0 & S_{34} \\ 0 & S_{24} & S_{34} & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

# Four-Port Networks

$$[S] = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & S_{12} & S_{13} & 0 \\ S_{12} & 0 & 0 & S_{24} \\ S_{13} & 0 & 0 & S_{34} \\ 0 & S_{24} & S_{34} & 0 \end{bmatrix} \quad |S_{12}| = |S_{34}| = \alpha \quad |S_{13}| = |S_{24}| = \beta$$

$\beta$  – voltage coupling coefficient

- We can choose the phase reference

$$S_{12} = S_{34} = \alpha \quad S_{13} = \beta \cdot e^{j\theta} \quad S_{24} = \beta \cdot e^{j\phi}$$

$$S_{12}^* \cdot S_{13} + S_{24}^* \cdot S_{34} = 0 \quad \rightarrow \quad \theta + \phi = \pi \pm 2 \cdot n \cdot \pi$$

$$|S_{12}|^2 + |S_{24}|^2 = 1 \quad \rightarrow \quad \alpha^2 + \beta^2 = 1$$

- The other possible solution for previous equations offer either essentially the same result (with a different phase reference) or the degenerate case (2 separate two port networks side by side)

$$S_{14}^* \cdot (|S_{13}|^2 - |S_{24}|^2) = 0 \quad S_{23} \cdot (|S_{12}|^2 - |S_{34}|^2) = 0$$

# Four-Port Networks

- A four-port network simultaneously:
  - matched at all ports
  - reciprocal
  - lossless
- is **always directional**
  - the signal power injected into one port is transmitted **only towards two** of the other three ports

$$[S] = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & \alpha & \beta \cdot e^{j\theta} & 0 \\ \alpha & 0 & 0 & \beta \cdot e^{j\phi} \\ \beta \cdot e^{j\theta} & 0 & 0 & \alpha \\ 0 & \beta \cdot e^{j\phi} & \alpha & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

# Four-Port Networks

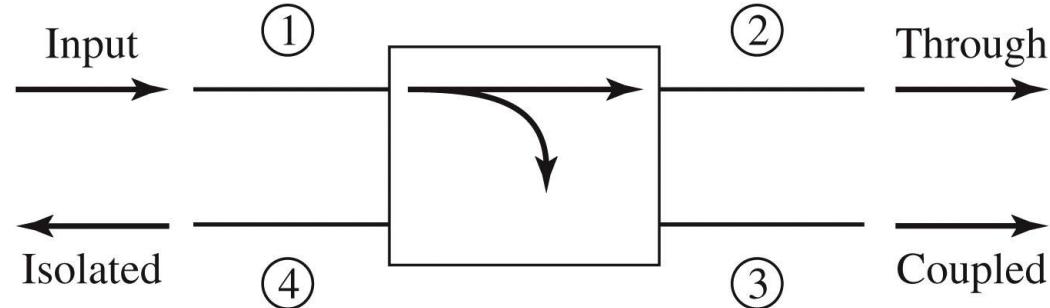
- two particular choices commonly occur in practice
  - A Symmetric Coupler  $\theta = \phi = \pi/2$

$$[S] = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & \alpha & j\beta & 0 \\ \alpha & 0 & 0 & j\beta \\ j\beta & 0 & 0 & \alpha \\ 0 & j\beta & \alpha & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

- An Antisymmetric Coupler  $\theta = 0, \phi = \pi$

$$[S] = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & \alpha & \beta & 0 \\ \alpha & 0 & 0 & -\beta \\ \beta & 0 & 0 & \alpha \\ 0 & -\beta & \alpha & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

# Directional Coupler



$$|S_{12}|^2 = \alpha^2 = 1 - \beta^2$$

$$|S_{13}|^2 = \beta^2$$

**Coupling**

$$C = 10 \log \frac{P_1}{P_3} = -20 \cdot \log(\beta) [\text{dB}]$$

**Directivity**

$$D = 10 \log \frac{P_3}{P_4} = 20 \cdot \log \left( \frac{\beta}{|S_{14}|} \right) [\text{dB}]$$

**Isolation**

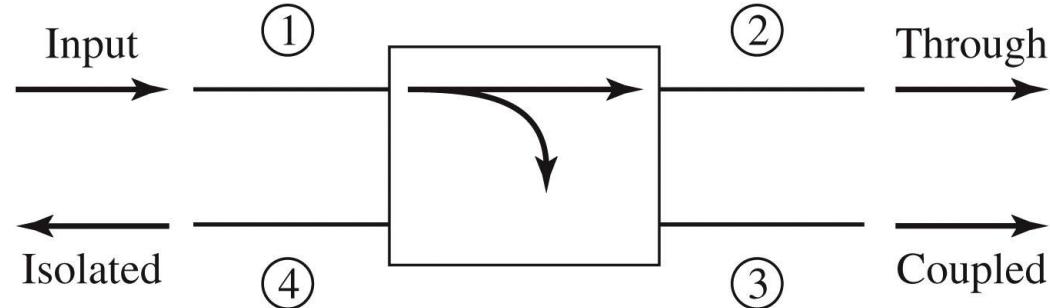
$$I = 10 \log \frac{P_1}{P_4} = -20 \cdot \log |S_{14}| [\text{dB}]$$

$$I = D + C, \text{ dB}$$

Directional Couplers

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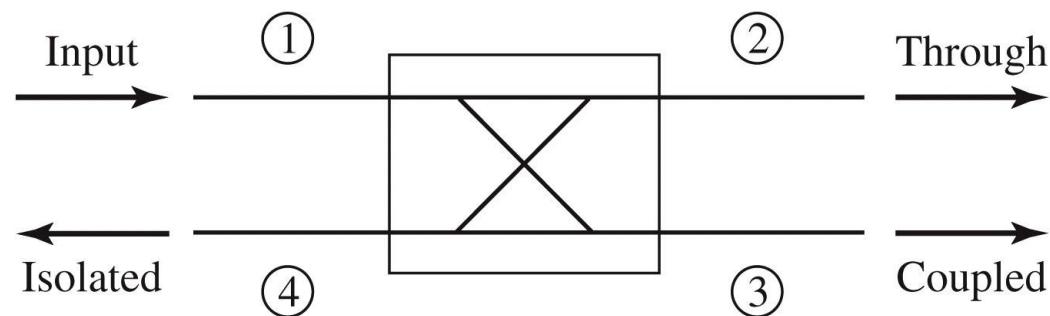
# Directional Coupler



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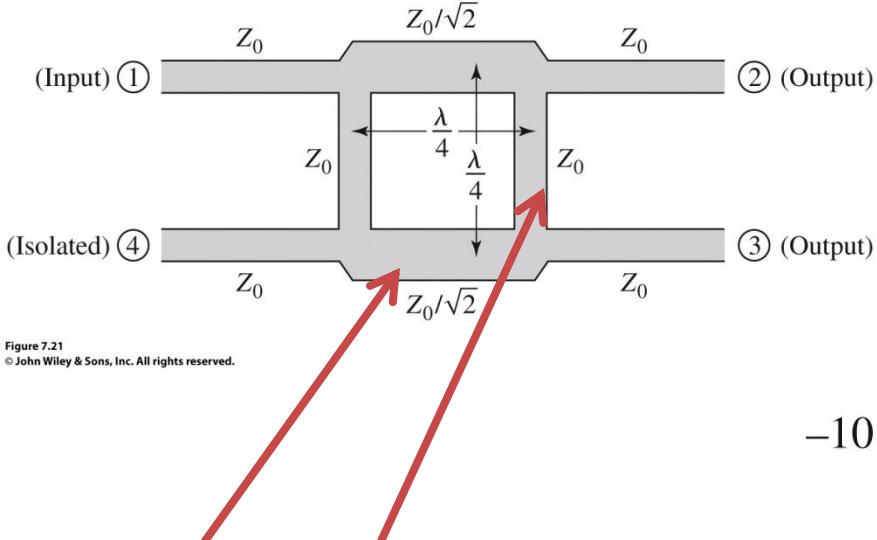
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# Quadrature coupler



$$y_2^2 = 1 + y_1^2$$

$$|\beta| = \frac{\sqrt{y_2^2 - 1}}{y_2}$$

$$C[\text{dB}] = -20 \cdot \log_{10} \frac{\sqrt{y_2^2 - 1}}{y_2}$$

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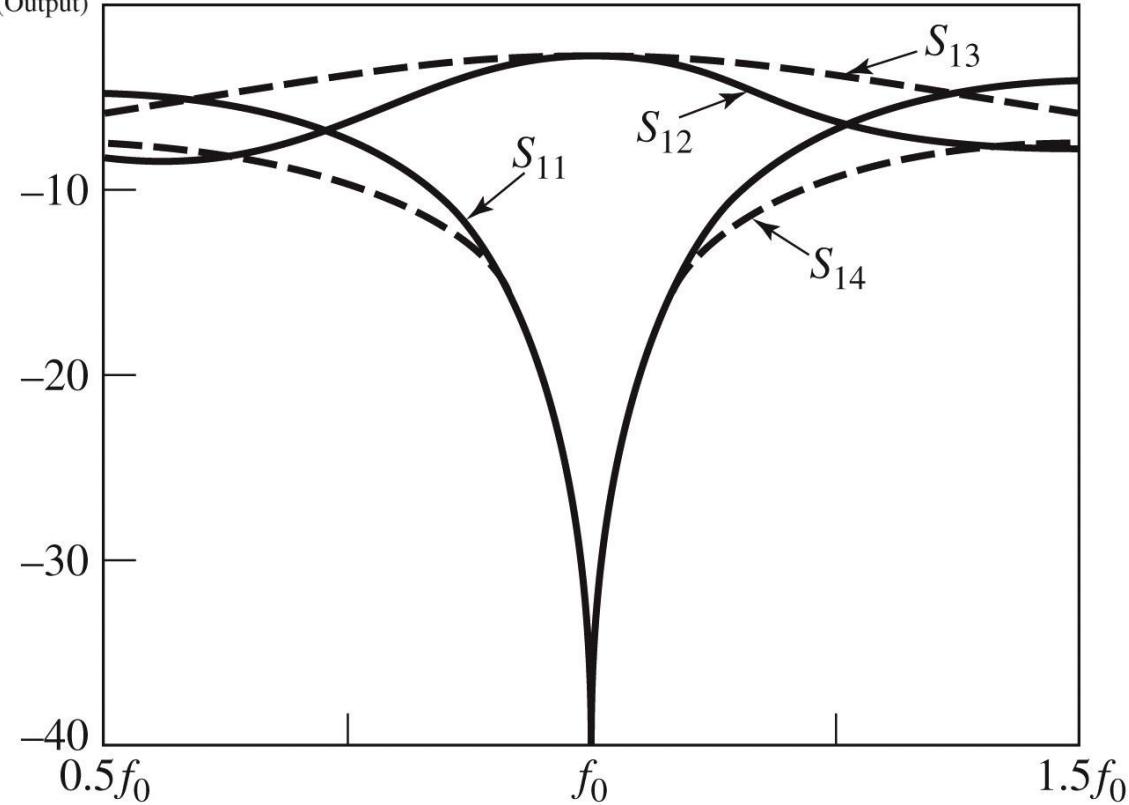
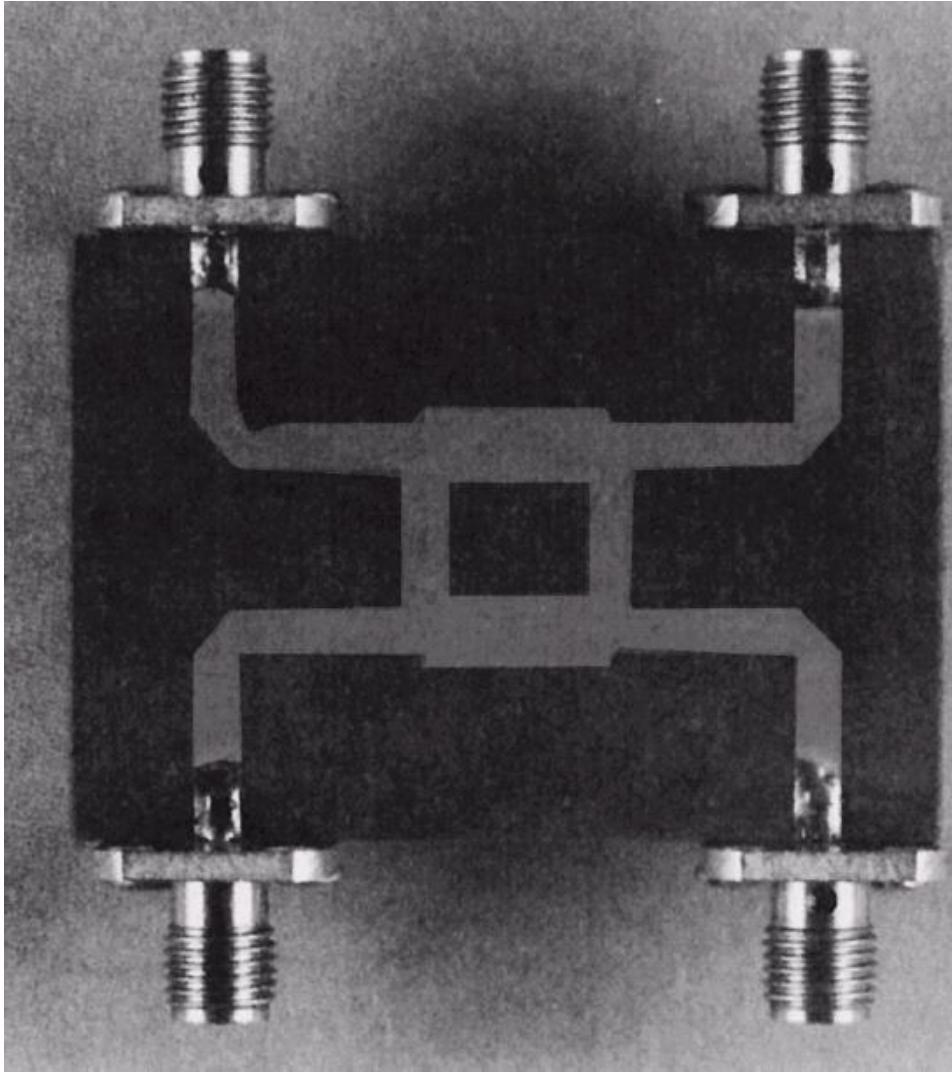
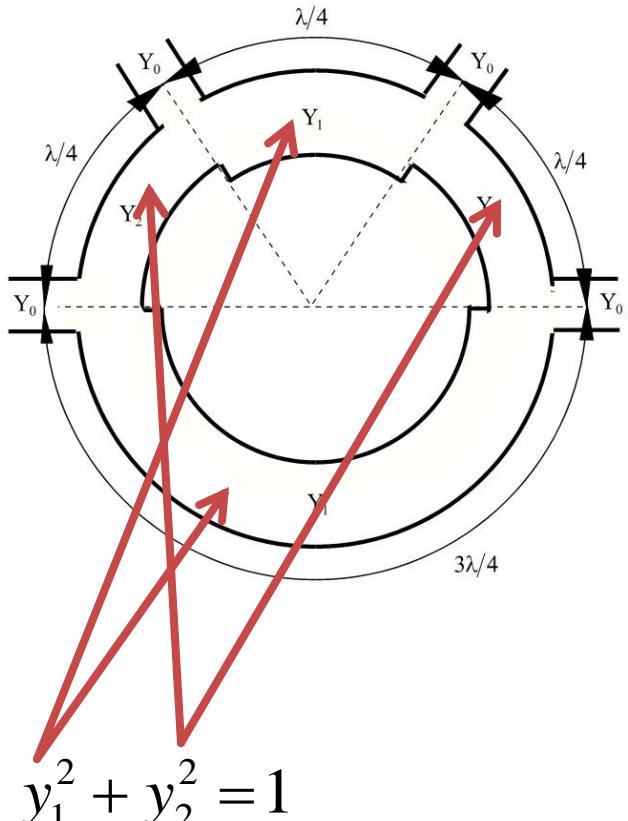


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# Quadrature coupler



# Ring coupler



$$y_1^2 + y_2^2 = 1$$

$$|\beta| = y_1$$

$$C \text{ [dB]} = -20 \cdot \log_{10}(y_1)$$

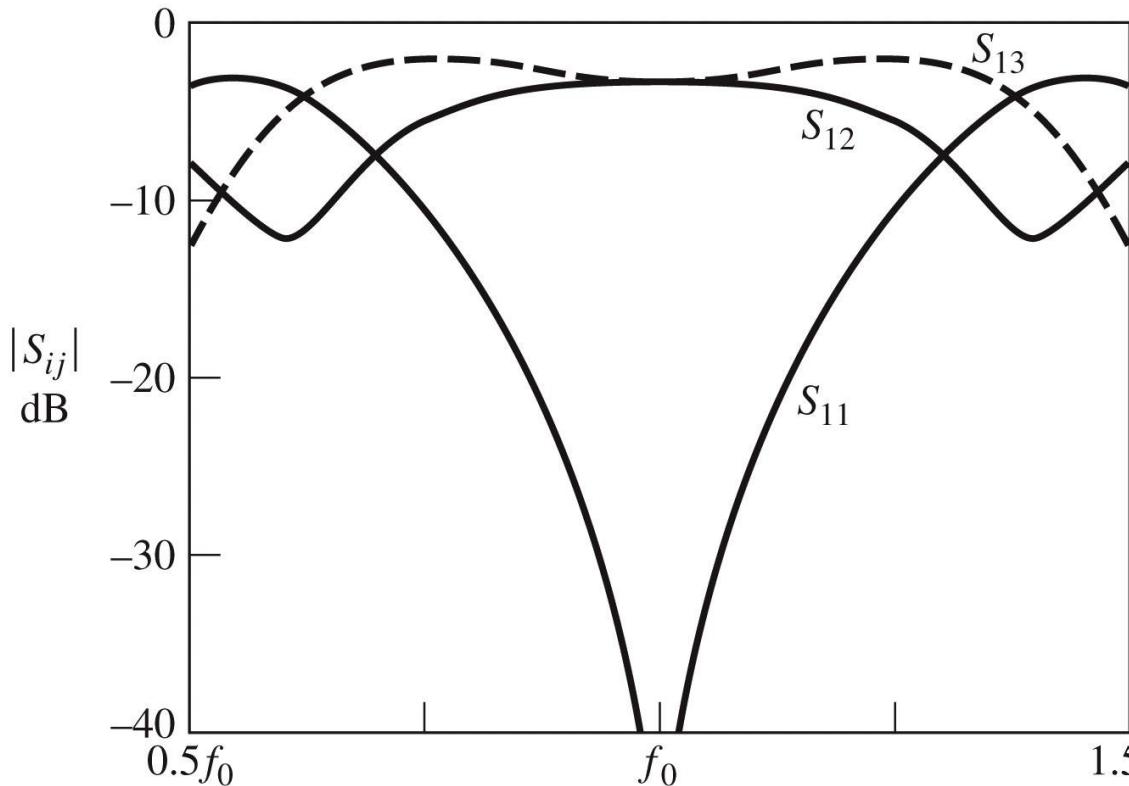


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# Ring coupler

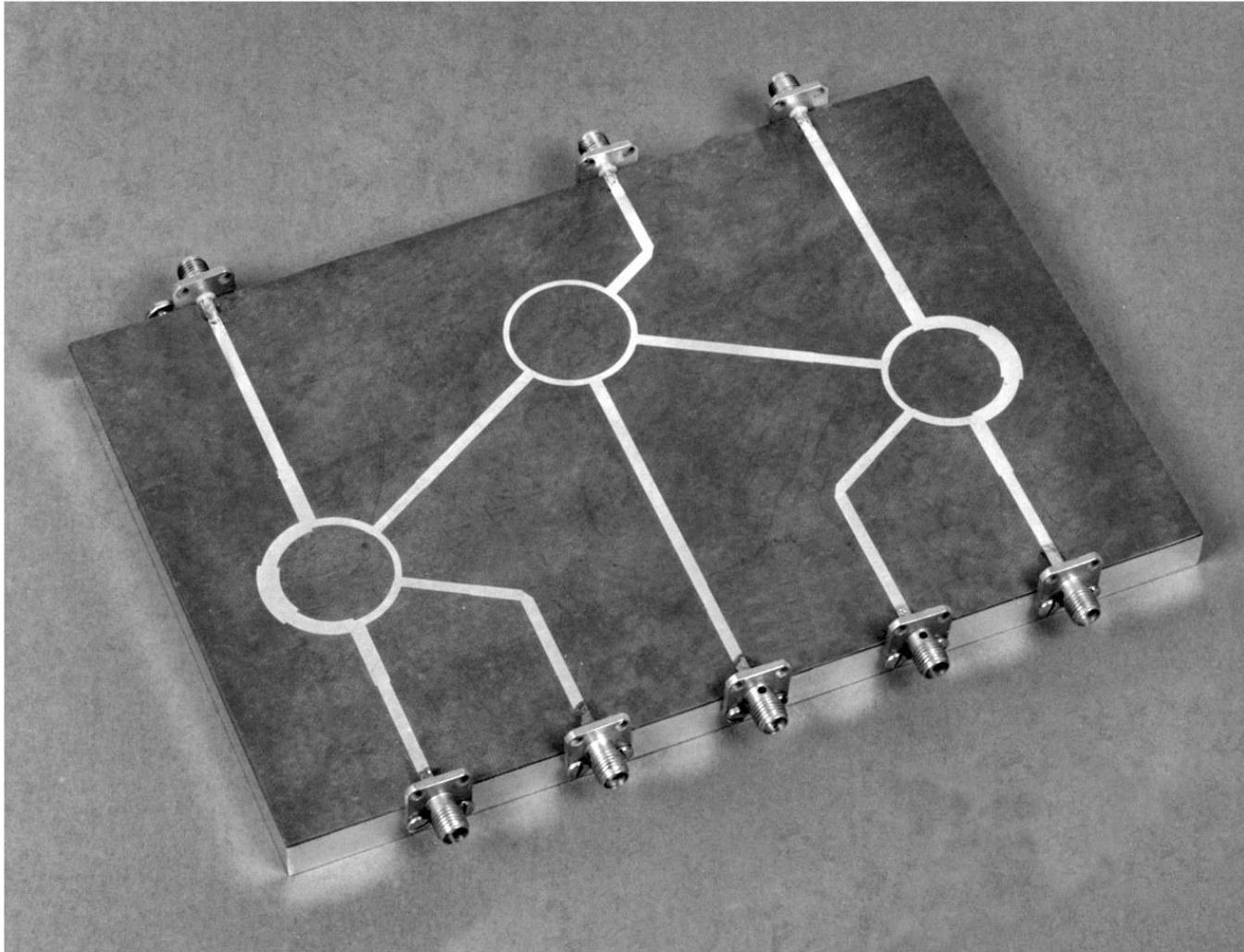
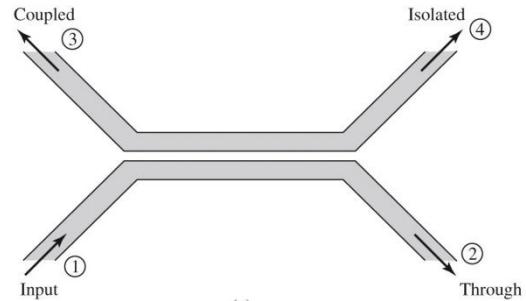


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# Coupled line coupler



$$Z_{ce} Z_{co} = Z_0^2$$

$$|\beta| = \frac{Z_{ce} - Z_{co}}{Z_{ce} + Z_{co}}$$

$$C [\text{dB}] = -20 \cdot \log_{10} \left( \frac{Z_{ce} - Z_{co}}{Z_{ce} + Z_{co}} \right)$$

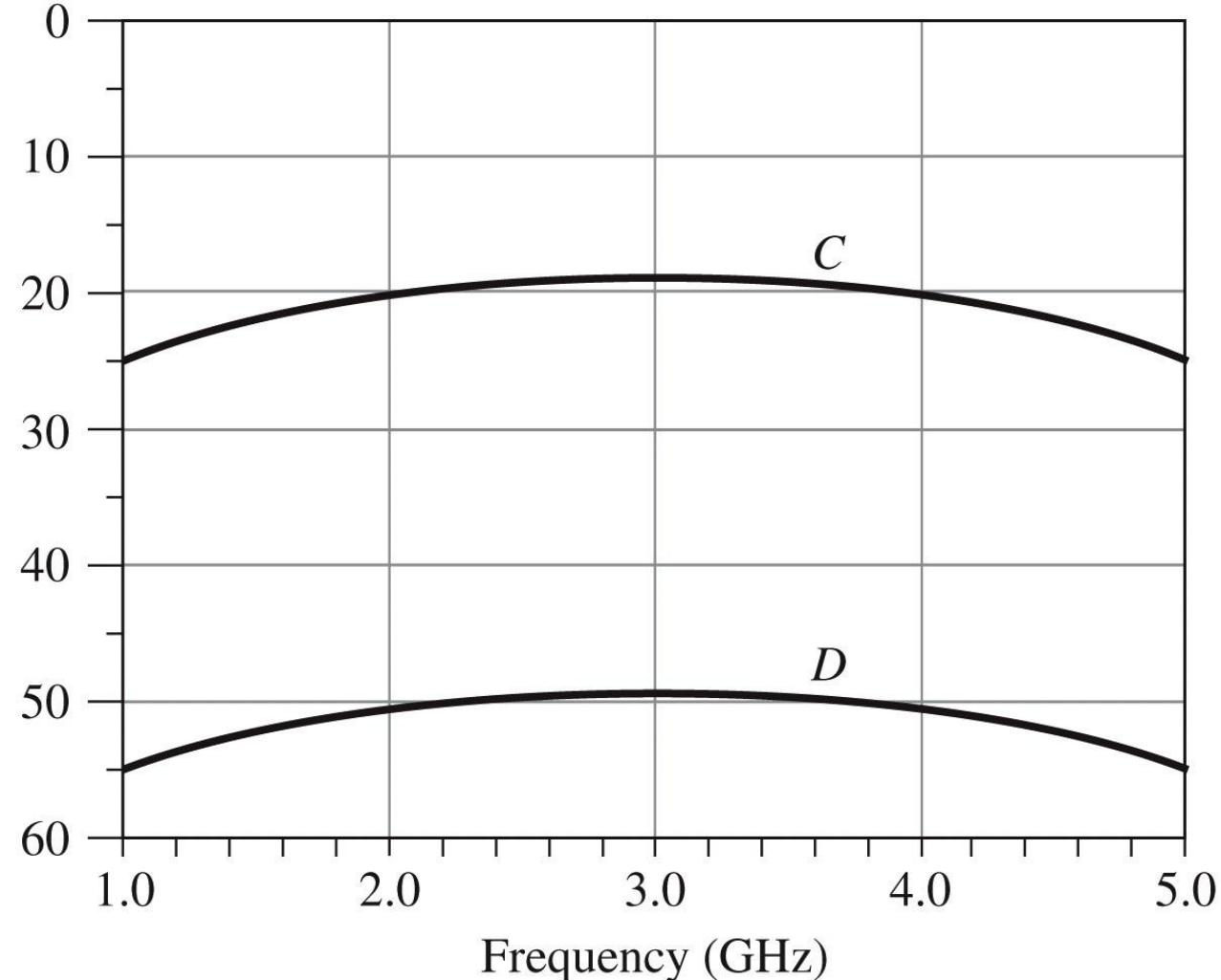
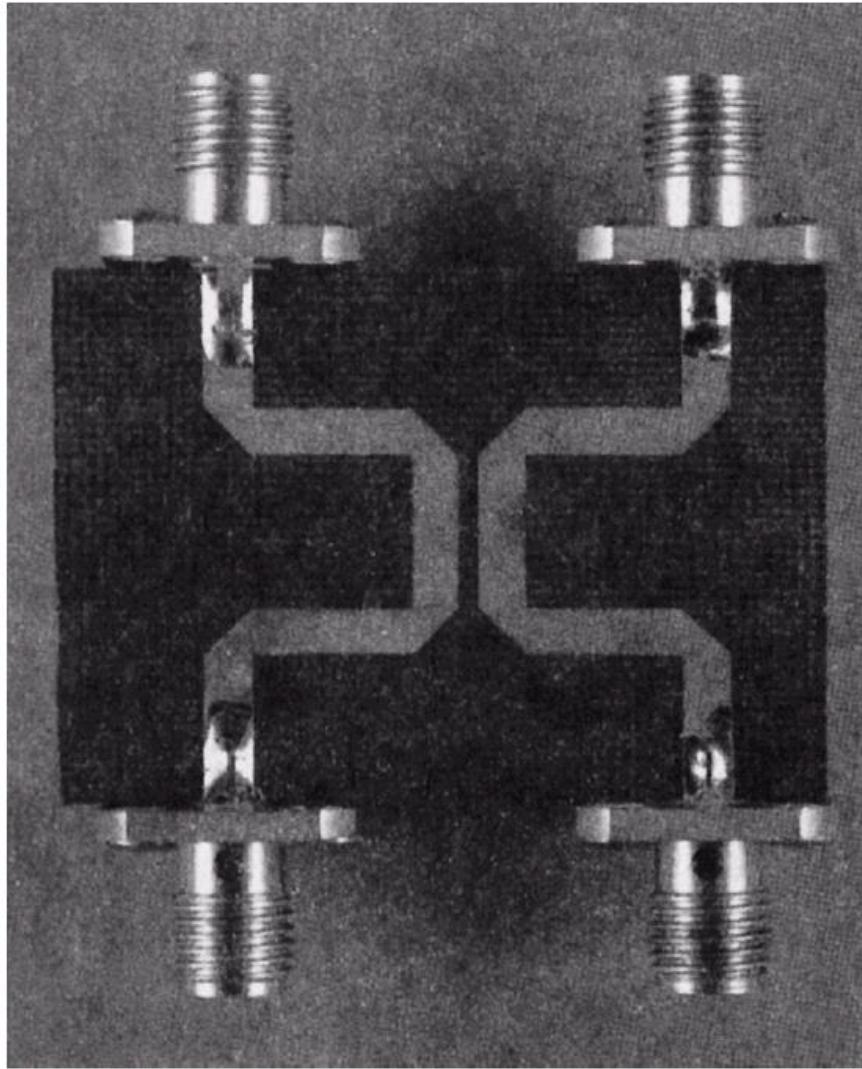


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# Coupled line coupler



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