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# Introduzione

In questo breve articolo si calcolano le espressioni generali delle costanti secondarie  $\kappa$  e  $\zeta$  relative ad un'onda piana che si propaga in un mezzo dissipativo e non dispersivo.

Sono possibili due strade: la prima è adottata dal libro di testo<sup>1</sup> e separa le espressioni complesse di  $\kappa$  e  $\zeta$  nelle due parti reale ed immaginaria; la seconda, che ho svolto per esercizio e riportato di seguito, lavora direttamente sulle espressioni complesse.

Tali espressioni generali possono essere poi *specializzate* al caso in cui il mezzo attraverso il quale si propaga l'onda sia un *buon* conduttore oppure un *buon* dielettrico.

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<sup>1</sup>Lezioni di Campi Elettromagnetici - Gerosa Lampariello - McGraw Hill

# Capitolo 1

## Costanti Secondarie

### 1.1 Definizione delle costanti secondarie

Consideriamo un mezzo dissipativo ( $\sigma \neq 0$ ) e non dispersivo ( $\epsilon = \epsilon_R - j\epsilon_J$  con  $\epsilon_J = 0$ ), possiamo definire:

$$\epsilon_c = \epsilon - j\frac{\sigma}{\omega} \quad (1.1.1)$$

Consideriamo un sistema di riferimento ortogonale tale per cui l'onda piana risulti propagarsi lungo una direzione individuata da una sola componente. In questo modo il vettore complesso  $\underline{\kappa} = \underline{\beta} - j\underline{\alpha}$  risulta essere uno scalare complesso  $\kappa = \beta - j\alpha$ .

La definizione delle costanti secondarie può essere data sotto forma di numero complesso qualora si espliciti  $\epsilon_c$ :

$$\kappa = \omega\sqrt{\mu\epsilon_c} = \beta - j\alpha \quad (1.1.2)$$

$$\zeta = \sqrt{\frac{\mu}{\epsilon_c}} = \zeta_R + j\zeta_J \quad (1.1.3)$$

Calcoliamo le parti reali e complesse di  $\kappa$  sostituendo la 1.1.1 nella 1.1.2, otteniamo:

$$\kappa = \omega\sqrt{\mu\left(\epsilon - j\frac{\sigma}{\omega}\right)} = \omega\sqrt{\mu\epsilon}\sqrt{1 - j\frac{\sigma}{\epsilon\omega}} \quad (1.1.4)$$

La radice del numero complesso<sup>1</sup> si calcola agevolmente passando alla rappresentazione in modulo e fase, ossia detti:

$$M = \sqrt{1 + \left(\frac{\sigma}{\epsilon\omega}\right)^2} \quad \Phi = -\arctan\frac{\sigma}{\epsilon\omega} \quad (1.1.5)$$

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<sup>1</sup>Vedere appendice A.

riscriviamo la 1.1.4 come:

$$\kappa = \omega \sqrt{\mu \epsilon} \sqrt{M} e^{j\Phi} = \omega \sqrt{\mu \epsilon M} e^{j\frac{\Phi}{2}} = \quad (1.1.6)$$

$$= \omega \sqrt{\mu \epsilon \sqrt{1 + \left(\frac{\sigma}{\epsilon \omega}\right)^2}} e^{-j\frac{1}{2} \arctan \frac{\sigma}{\epsilon \omega}} \quad (1.1.7)$$

infine sviluppando l'esponenziale complesso:

$$\beta = \Re[\kappa] = \omega \sqrt{\mu \epsilon \sqrt{1 + \left(\frac{\sigma}{\epsilon \omega}\right)^2}} \cos\left(\frac{1}{2} \arctan \frac{\sigma}{\epsilon \omega}\right) \quad (1.1.8)$$

$$\alpha = \Im[\kappa] = \omega \sqrt{\mu \epsilon \sqrt{1 + \left(\frac{\sigma}{\epsilon \omega}\right)^2}} \sin\left(\frac{1}{2} \arctan \frac{\sigma}{\epsilon \omega}\right) \quad (1.1.9)$$

Calcoliamo le parti reali e complesse di  $\zeta$  sostituendo la 1.1.1 nella 1.1.3, otteniamo:

$$\zeta = \sqrt{\frac{\mu}{\epsilon - j\frac{\sigma}{\omega}}} = \sqrt{\frac{\mu}{\epsilon} \frac{1}{1 - j\frac{\sigma}{\epsilon \omega}}} \quad (1.1.10)$$

Detti  $M$  e  $\Phi$  come nelle 1.1.5 riscriviamo la 1.1.10 come:

$$\zeta = \sqrt{\frac{\mu}{\epsilon} \frac{1}{\sqrt{M} e^{j\Phi}}} = \sqrt{\frac{\mu}{\epsilon M}} \frac{1}{e^{j\frac{\Phi}{2}}} \quad (1.1.11)$$

$$= \sqrt{\frac{\mu}{\epsilon \sqrt{1 + \left(\frac{\sigma}{\epsilon \omega}\right)^2}}} e^{j\frac{1}{2} \arctan \frac{\sigma}{\epsilon \omega}} \quad (1.1.12)$$

infine sviluppando l'esponenziale complesso:

$$\zeta_R = \Re[\zeta] = \sqrt{\frac{\mu}{\epsilon \sqrt{1 + \left(\frac{\sigma}{\epsilon \omega}\right)^2}}} \cos\left(\frac{1}{2} \arctan \frac{\sigma}{\epsilon \omega}\right) \quad (1.1.13)$$

$$\zeta_J = \Im[\zeta] = \sqrt{\frac{\mu}{\epsilon \sqrt{1 + \left(\frac{\sigma}{\epsilon \omega}\right)^2}}} \sin\left(\frac{1}{2} \arctan \frac{\sigma}{\epsilon \omega}\right) \quad (1.1.14)$$

## 1.2 Costanti $\kappa$ e $\zeta$ per un buon conduttore

Per buon conduttore intendiamo un mezzo in cui sia valida l'approssimazione:

$$\sigma \gg \epsilon \omega \quad \frac{\sigma}{\epsilon \omega} \gg 1 \quad \frac{\sigma_c}{\epsilon \omega} \gg 1 \quad (1.2.1)$$

in cui con  $\sigma_c$  indichiamo la conducibilità del conduttore.

Introdotta tale approssimazione nelle 1.1.8 e 1.1.9 otteniamo:

$$\kappa = \beta - j\alpha \approx \omega \sqrt{\mu\epsilon} \sqrt{\left(\frac{\sigma_c}{\epsilon\omega}\right)^2} \left( \cos \frac{1}{2} \frac{\pi}{2} - j \sin \frac{1}{2} \frac{\pi}{2} \right) = \quad (1.2.2)$$

$$= \omega \sqrt{\mu\epsilon} \frac{\sigma_c}{\epsilon\omega} \left( \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} - j \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} \right) = \quad (1.2.3)$$

$$= \sqrt{\omega\mu\sigma_c} \left( \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} - j \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \right) = \quad (1.2.4)$$

$$= \sqrt{\frac{\omega\mu\sigma_c}{2}} - j \sqrt{\frac{\omega\mu\sigma_c}{2}} \quad (1.2.5)$$

Pertanto per un buon conduttore  $\kappa = \beta - j\alpha$  è:

$$\boxed{\beta \approx \sqrt{\frac{\omega\mu\sigma_c}{2}}} \quad (1.2.6)$$

$$\boxed{\alpha \approx \sqrt{\frac{\omega\mu\sigma_c}{2}}} \quad (1.2.7)$$

Introdotta tale approssimazione nelle 1.1.13 e 1.1.14 otteniamo:

$$\zeta = \zeta_R + j\zeta_J \approx \sqrt{\frac{\mu}{\epsilon\sqrt{\left(\frac{\sigma_c}{\epsilon\omega}\right)^2}}} \left( \cos \frac{1}{2} \frac{\pi}{2} + j \sin \frac{1}{2} \frac{\pi}{2} \right) = \quad (1.2.8)$$

$$= \sqrt{\frac{\mu}{\epsilon\frac{\sigma_c}{\epsilon\omega}}} \left( \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} + j \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} \right) = \quad (1.2.9)$$

$$= \sqrt{\frac{\omega\mu}{\sigma_c}} \left( \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} + j \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \right) = \quad (1.2.10)$$

$$= \sqrt{\frac{\omega\mu}{2\sigma_c}} + j \sqrt{\frac{\omega\mu}{2\sigma_c}} \quad (1.2.11)$$

Pertanto per un buon conduttore  $\zeta = \zeta_R + j\zeta_J$  è:

$$\boxed{\zeta_R \approx \sqrt{\frac{\omega\mu}{2\sigma_c}}} \quad (1.2.12)$$

$$\boxed{\zeta_J \approx \sqrt{\frac{\omega\mu}{2\sigma_c}}} \quad (1.2.13)$$

### 1.3 Costanti $\kappa$ e $\zeta$ per un buon dielettrico

Per buon dielettrico intendiamo un mezzo in cui sia valida l'approssimazione:

$$\sigma \ll \epsilon\omega \quad \frac{\sigma}{\epsilon\omega} \ll 1 \quad \frac{\sigma_d}{\epsilon\omega} \ll 1 \quad (1.3.1)$$

in cui con  $\sigma_d$  indichiamo la conducibilità del dielettrico.

Introdotta tale approssimazione nelle 1.1.8 e 1.1.9 otteniamo:

$$\kappa = \beta - j\alpha \approx \omega\sqrt{\mu\epsilon\sqrt{1}} \left( \cos \frac{1}{2} \frac{\sigma_d}{\epsilon\omega} - j \sin \frac{1}{2} \frac{\sigma_d}{\epsilon\omega} \right) \approx \quad (1.3.2)$$

$$\approx \omega\sqrt{\mu\epsilon} \left( 1 - j \frac{1}{2} \frac{\sigma_d}{\epsilon\omega} \right) = \quad (1.3.3)$$

$$= \omega\sqrt{\mu\epsilon} - j\omega\sqrt{\mu\epsilon} \frac{1}{2} \frac{\sigma_d}{\epsilon\omega} = \quad (1.3.4)$$

$$= \omega\sqrt{\mu\epsilon} - j\sqrt{\omega^2\mu\epsilon \frac{\sigma_d^2}{4\epsilon^2\omega^2}} = \quad (1.3.5)$$

$$= \omega\sqrt{\mu\epsilon} - j \frac{\sigma_d}{2} \sqrt{\frac{\mu}{\epsilon}} \quad (1.3.6)$$

Pertanto per un buon dielettrico  $\kappa = \beta - j\alpha$  è:

$$\boxed{\beta \approx \omega\sqrt{\mu\epsilon}} \quad (1.3.7)$$

$$\boxed{\alpha \approx \frac{\sigma_d}{2} \sqrt{\frac{\mu}{\epsilon}}} \quad (1.3.8)$$

Introdotta tale approssimazione nelle 1.1.13 e 1.1.14 otteniamo:

$$\zeta = \zeta_R + j\zeta_J \approx \sqrt{\frac{\mu}{\epsilon\sqrt{1}}} \left( \cos \frac{1}{2} \frac{\sigma_d}{\epsilon\omega} + j \sin \frac{1}{2} \frac{\sigma_d}{\epsilon\omega} \right) \approx \quad (1.3.9)$$

$$\approx \sqrt{\frac{\mu}{\epsilon}} \left( 1 + j \frac{1}{2} \frac{\sigma_d}{\epsilon\omega} \right) = \quad (1.3.10)$$

$$= \sqrt{\frac{\mu}{\epsilon}} + j\sqrt{\frac{\mu}{\epsilon}} \frac{1}{2} \frac{\sigma_d}{\epsilon\omega} \quad (1.3.11)$$

Pertanto per un buon dielettrico  $\zeta = \zeta_R + j\zeta_J$  è:

$$\boxed{\zeta_R \approx \sqrt{\frac{\mu}{\epsilon}}} \quad (1.3.12)$$

$$\boxed{\zeta_J \approx \sqrt{\frac{\mu}{\epsilon}} \frac{\sigma_d}{2\epsilon\omega}} \quad (1.3.13)$$



# Appendice A

## Radice di un numero complesso

Ricordiamo brevemente che dato  $z \in \mathbb{C}$ , definiamo *radice n-ma* di  $z$  la funzione:

$$f_n(z) = \begin{cases} 0 & \text{se } z = 0, \\ \sqrt[n]{|z|} e^{j \frac{\text{Arg } z + 2\pi k}{n}} & \text{altrimenti,} \end{cases} \quad (\text{A.0.1})$$

dove  $k \in \mathbb{Z}$  e  $\text{Arg } z \in ] - \pi, \pi]$  è l'argomento principale di  $z$ .

Per i numeri complessi rappresentiamo la  $f_n(z)$  col simbolo  $\sqrt[n]{z}$ , graficamente identico al corrispondente utilizzato con i reali ma concettualmente diverso.

Se  $k = 0$  la  $f_n(z)$  è detta *radice n-ma principale* di  $z$ . Per esempio la radice quadrata principale di  $z$  varrà:

$$\sqrt{z} = \begin{cases} 0 & \text{se } z = 0, \\ \sqrt{|z|} e^{j \frac{\text{Arg } z}{2}} & \text{altrimenti.} \end{cases} \quad (\text{A.0.2})$$

Osserviamo infine che la *radice n-ma principale* di  $z = z_R + j0$ , con  $z_R \in \mathbb{R}^+$ , coincide con l'*usuale* radice n-ma di  $z_R$ .

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