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Scattering of Lower Hybrid Waves in a Magnetized Plasma

In this paper, the Maxwell equations for the electric field in a cold magnetized plasma in the half-space of $x \geq 0$ cm are solved. The boundary conditions for the electric field include a pointwise source at the plane $x=0$ cm, the derivatives of the electric field that are zero at $x=0$ cm, and the field with all its derivatives that are zero at infinity. The solution is explored in terms of the Laplace transform in x and the Fourier transform in y - z directions. The expressions of the field components are obtained by the inverse Laplace transform and the inverse Fourier transform. The saddle-point technique and power expansion have been used for evaluating the inverse Fourier transform. The model represents the propagation of a lower hybrid wave generated by a pointwise antenna located at the boundary of the plasma. Here, the antenna is the boundary condition. The validation of the model is performed assuming that the electric field component $E_y=0$ statV/cm and by comparing it with the model of electromagnetic waves generated by a local small antenna located near the boundary of a tokamak, and an experiment is suggested.

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