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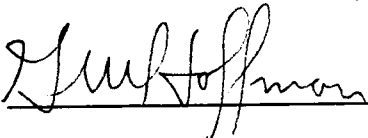
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ABSTRACT

Horn antennas play a vital role in modern microwave communication systems. An accurate determination of their fields is essential to the design and implementation of these antennas. A simple and reliable method to determine these fields is needed.

Two methods for the calculation of the electric fields of an E-plane sectoral horn are discussed in this thesis. The exact method uses the asymptotic approximation of the Hankel function to calculate the field and pattern. The asymptotic approximations are used whenever possible due to the large amount of computer time involved when evaluating Hankel functions.

The Fresnel approximation method uses the sine and cosine Fresnel integrals and divides the horn into one, two, or three sections. The field is found for each of these sections and then combined for a more accurate approximation. The major problem associated with the Fresnel approximation is the phase error. When a wave travels down the length of the horn, different parts of the wave reach the aperture at different times. The result is phase error. By dividing the horn into two or three sections, the phase error is reduced and the electric field approximated more accurately.

The Fresnel approximation was found to approach the exact method as the flare angle of the horn decreased. However, the calculation of the field by the Fresnel approximation required more computer time than for the exact method.

Although the broadness of the patterns for both methods matched closely, the exact method failed to show the lobes of these patterns. This results from the horn being of finite length. In the derivation of the exact method, the sides of the horn are assumed to extend to infinity.

From this evaluation, it is obvious that each method has its advantages. The Fresnel approximation consumes more computer time, but gives an accurate projection of the lobes. The exact method gives a good general shape of the pattern and takes less computer time, but does not give a good description of the lobes.

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CHAPTER I

FRESNEL APPROXIMATION DERIVATION

We will first derive the Fresnel approximation for the electric field for an E-plane sectoral horn [1]. In our horn, the fields of the feed waveguide are of the dominant TE_{10} mode and the horn length is large compared to the dimensions of the aperture. The lower order mode fields at the aperture of the horn are given by

$$E_z' = E_x' = 0 \quad (1.1)$$

and

$$E_y'(x', y') \approx E_1 \cos(\pi x'/a) e^{-j[ky'/(2\rho_1)]} \quad (1.2)$$

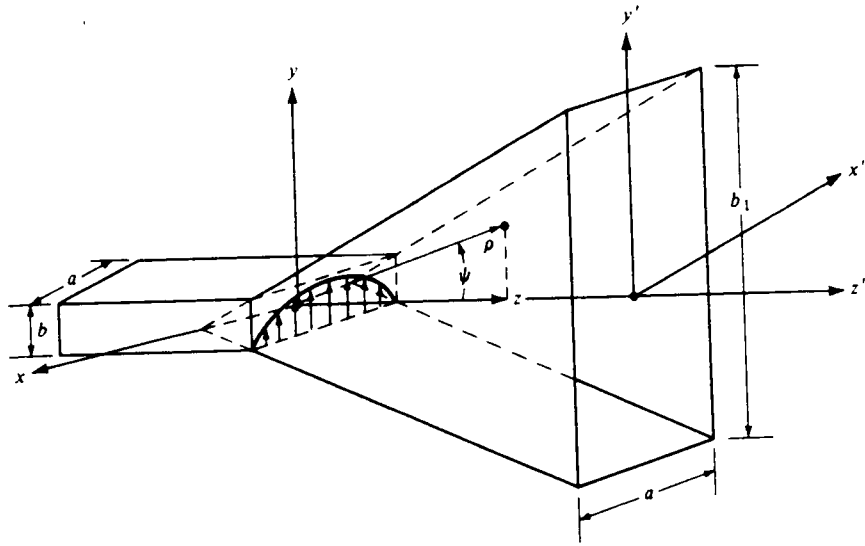
where

$$\rho_1 = \rho_2 \cos \Psi_e \quad (1.3)$$

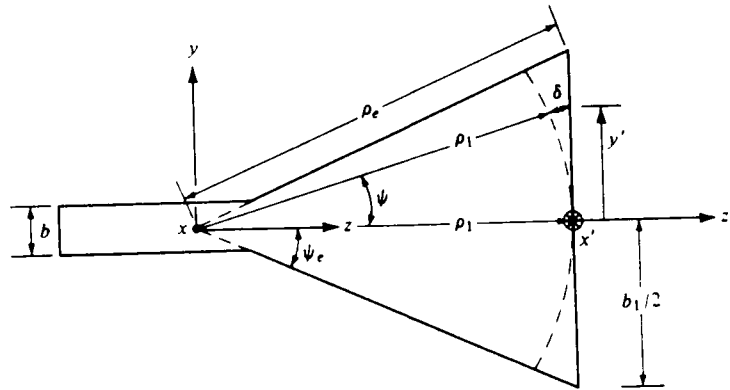
and E_1 is a constant.

The fields at the aperture are denoted by primes. The E-plane sectoral horn and the coordinate system are given in Figure 1.1.

In our horn, the waves radiate outward cylindrically from x . When the wavefront reaches the aperture at x' , it has not reached the aperture at any other point. We denote this phase lag by $\delta(y)$.



(a) E-plane horn



(b) E-plane view

Figure 1.1. The E-plane horn and coordinate system

The phase lag can be found for any point y' by

$$[\rho_1 + \delta(y')]^2 = \rho_1^2 + (y')^2, \quad (1.4)$$

which yields the expression

$$\delta(y') = -\rho_1 + \rho_1 \left[1 + \left(\frac{y'}{\rho_1} \right)^2 \right]^{1/2}. \quad (1.5)$$

$\delta(y')$ is now expanded binomially and the first two terms are retained. $\delta(y')$ reduces to

$$\delta(y') \simeq -\rho_1 + \rho_1 \left[1 + \frac{1}{2} \left(\frac{y'}{\rho_1} \right)^2 \right] = \frac{1}{2} \left(\frac{y'}{\rho_1} \right)^2. \quad (1.6)$$

The θ and the ϕ components are given in our spherical coordinate system by

$$N_\theta = \iint_S \left[J_x \cos \theta \cos \phi + J_y \cos \theta \sin \phi - J_z \sin \theta \right] e^{jkr' \cos \psi} ds', \quad (1.7)$$

$$N_\phi = \iint_S \left[-J_x \sin \phi + J_y \cos \phi \right] e^{jkr' \cos \psi} ds', \quad (1.8)$$

$$L_\theta = \iint_S \left[M_x \cos \theta \cos \phi + M_y \cos \theta \sin \phi - M_z \sin \theta \right] e^{jkr' \cos \psi} ds', \quad (1.9)$$

$$L_\phi = \iint_S \left[-M_x \sin \phi + M_y \cos \phi \right] e^{jkr' \cos \psi} ds'. \quad (1.10)$$

The E_r , E_θ , and E_ϕ fields are determined by

$$E_r = 0 \quad , \quad (1.11)$$

$$E_\theta = \frac{-jke^{-jkr}}{4\pi r} (L_\phi + \eta N_\theta) \quad , \quad (1.12)$$

and

$$E_\phi = \frac{jke^{-jkr}}{4\pi r} (L_\theta - \eta N_\phi) \quad . \quad (1.13)$$

When the horn is not mounted on an infinite ground plane, the field distribution is given by

$$\left. \begin{aligned} E_a &= \hat{a}_y E_0 \\ H_a &= -\hat{a}_y E_0 / \eta \end{aligned} \right\} \begin{aligned} -a/2 &\leq x' \leq a/2 \\ -b/2 &\leq y' \leq b/2 \quad , \end{aligned} \quad (1.14)$$

where E_0 is a constant.

A closed surface is chosen that covers the entire x - y plane and J_y and M_x are formed over this surface.

This gives us

$$\left. \begin{aligned} J_y &= -\frac{E_1}{\eta} \cos\left(\frac{\pi x'}{a}\right) e^{-jk\delta(y')} \\ M_x &= E_1 \cos\left(\frac{\pi x'}{a}\right) e^{-jk\delta(y')} \end{aligned} \right\} \begin{aligned} -a/2 &\leq x' \leq a/2 \\ -b/2 &\leq y' \leq b/2 \end{aligned} \quad (1.15)$$

and M_x and $J_y = 0$ elsewhere. (1.16)

From equation (1.7), we obtain

$$N_\phi = \frac{E_1}{\eta} \cos \theta \sin \phi I_1 I_2. \quad (1.17)$$

I_1 and I_2 are given by

$$I_1 = \int_{-a/2}^{a/2} \cos\left(\frac{\pi x'}{a}\right) e^{-jkx' \sin \theta \cos \phi} dx' \quad (1.18)$$

and

$$I_2 = \int_{-b/2}^{b/2} e^{-jk[\delta(y') - y' \sin \theta \cos \phi]} dy'. \quad (1.19)$$

I_1 can be written as

$$I_1 = -\left(\frac{\pi a}{2}\right) \left[\frac{\cos\left(\frac{ka}{2} \sin \theta \cos \phi\right)}{\left(\frac{ka}{2} \sin \theta \cos \phi\right)^2 - \left(\frac{\pi}{2}\right)^2} \right]. \quad (1.20)$$

I_2 can be written as

$$I_2 = \sqrt{\frac{\pi \rho_1}{k}} e^{j(k_y^2 \rho_1 / 2k)} \left[C(t_2) - C(t_1) \right] - j \left[S(t_2) - S(t_1) \right], \quad (1.21)$$

where

$$t_1 = \sqrt{\frac{1}{\pi k \rho_1}} \left[-\frac{k b_1}{2} - k_y \rho_1 \right], \quad (1.22)$$

$$t_2 = \sqrt{\frac{1}{\pi k \rho_1}} \left[\frac{k b_1}{2} - k_y \rho_1 \right], \quad (1.23)$$

$$C(x) = \int_0^x \cos\left(\frac{\pi}{2} t^2\right) dt, \quad (1.24)$$

$$S(x) = \int_0^x \sin\left(\frac{\pi}{2} t^2\right) dt, \quad (1.25)$$

and

$$k_y = k \sin \theta \sin \phi. \quad (1.26)$$

Using (1.20) and (1.21), we can write (1.17) as

$$N_\theta = \frac{E_1 \pi a}{2} \sqrt{\frac{\pi \rho_1}{k}} e^{j(k^2 \rho_1 / 2k)}$$

$$\cdot \left[\frac{\cos \theta \sin \phi}{\eta} \frac{\cos\left(\frac{k_x a}{2}\right)}{\left(\frac{k_x a}{2}\right)^2 - \left(\frac{\pi}{2}\right)^2} F(t_1, t_2) \right], \quad (1.27)$$

where

$$k_x = k \sin \theta \cos \phi, \quad (1.28)$$

$$k_y = k \sin \theta \sin \phi, \quad (1.29)$$

and

$$F(\tau_1, \tau_2) = [C(\tau_2) - C(\tau_1)] - j[S(\tau_2) - S(\tau_1)]. \quad (1.30)$$

N_ϕ in (1.9) can be written as

$$N_\phi = \frac{E_1 \pi a}{2} \sqrt{\frac{\pi \rho_1}{k}} e^{j(k_y^2 \rho_1 / 2k)}$$

$$\cdot \left[\frac{\cos \phi}{\eta} \frac{\cos\left(\frac{k_x a}{2}\right)}{\left(\frac{k_x a}{2}\right)^2 - \left(\frac{\pi}{2}\right)^2} F(\tau_1, \tau_2) \right].$$

(1.31)

L_θ in (1.10) can be written as

$$L_\theta = \frac{E_1 \pi a}{2} \sqrt{\frac{\pi \rho_1}{2}} e^{j(k_y^2 \rho_1 / 2k)}$$

$$\cdot \left[-\cos \theta \cos \phi \frac{\cos\left(\frac{k_x a}{2}\right)}{\left(\frac{k_x a}{2}\right)^2 - \left(\frac{\pi}{2}\right)^2} F(\tau_1, \tau_2) \right].$$

(1.32)

$L\phi$ in (1.11) can be written as

$$L\phi = \frac{E_1 \pi a}{2} \sqrt{\frac{\pi \rho_1}{2}} e^{j(k_y^2 \rho_1 / 2k)}$$

$$\cdot \left[\sin\phi \left[\frac{\cos\left(\frac{k_x a}{2}\right)}{\left(\frac{k_x a}{2}\right)^2 - \left(\frac{\pi}{2}\right)^2} \right] F(\tau_1, \tau_2) \right].$$

(1.33)

Using (1.12), (1.13) and (1.27)-(1.33), the electric field components of the horn can be written as

$$E_r = 0, \quad (1.34)$$

$$E_\theta = \frac{-j a \sqrt{\pi k \rho_1}}{8r} E_1 e^{-jk r} \left[e^{j(k_y^2 \rho_1 / 2k)} \sin\phi (1 + \cos\theta) \right]$$

$$\cdot \left[\frac{\cos\left(\frac{k_x a}{2}\right)}{\left(\frac{k_x a}{2}\right)^2 - \left(\frac{\pi}{2}\right)^2} \right] F(\tau_1, \tau_2),$$

(1.35)

and

$$E_{\phi} = \frac{-ja\sqrt{\pi k \rho_1}}{8r} E_1 e^{-jkr} \left[e^{j(k^2 \rho_1 / 2k)} \sin \phi (1 + \cos \theta) \right] \cdot \left[\frac{\cos\left(\frac{kx a}{2}\right)}{\left(\frac{kx a}{2}\right)^2 - \left(\frac{\pi}{2}\right)^2} \right] F(\tau_1, \tau_2) . \quad (1.36)$$

In the E-plane, where $\phi = \pi/2$, the electric field reduces to

$$E_r = E_{\phi} = 0 \quad (1.37)$$

and

$$E_{\theta} = \frac{-ja\sqrt{\pi k \rho_1}}{8r} E_1 e^{-jkr} \cdot \left[- e^{j(k \rho_1 \sin^2 \theta / 2)} \left(\frac{2}{\pi}\right)^2 (1 + \cos \theta) F(\tau'_1, \tau'_2) \right] , \quad (1.38)$$

where

$$F(\tau'_1, \tau'_2) = [C(\tau'_2) - C(\tau'_1)] - j[S(\tau'_2) - S(\tau'_1)] , \quad (1.39)$$

$$\tau'_1 = \sqrt{\frac{k}{\pi \rho_1}} \left(-\frac{b_1}{2} - \rho_1 \sin \theta \right) , \quad (1.40)$$

$$z_2' = \sqrt{\frac{k}{\pi \rho_1}} \left(+ \frac{b_1}{2} - \rho_1 \sin \theta \right), \quad (1.41)$$

The absolute value of E_θ becomes

$$|E_\theta| = \frac{a \sqrt{2 \rho_1}}{2 \pi r} (1 + \cos \theta) |F(z_1', z_2')|. \quad (1.42)$$

The calculation of E_θ is given in PROGRAM ONE.

In the H-plane, where $\phi=0$, the electric field reduces to

$$E_r = E_\theta = 0 \quad (1.43)$$

and

$$E_\phi = \frac{-j a \sqrt{\pi k \rho_1}}{8 r} E_1^{-jkr} \cdot \left[(1 + \cos \theta) \left[\frac{\cos\left(\frac{ka}{2} \sin \theta\right)}{\left(\frac{ka}{2} \sin \theta\right)^2 - \left(\frac{\pi}{2}\right)^2} F(z_1'', z_2'') \right] \right], \quad (1.44)$$

where

$$F(z_1'', z_2'') = [C(z_2'') - C(z_1'')] - j[S(z_1'') - S(z_2'')], \quad (1.45)$$

$$\tau_1'' = \frac{-b_1}{2} \sqrt{\frac{k}{\pi \rho_1}}, \quad (1.46)$$

and

$$\tau_2'' = \frac{b_1}{2} \sqrt{\frac{k}{\pi \rho_1}}. \quad (1.47)$$

The absolute value of E_ϕ becomes

$$|E_\phi| = \frac{a}{8r} \sqrt{2\pi^2 \rho_1} (1 + \cos \theta) \cdot \left[\frac{\cos\left(\frac{ka}{2} \sin \theta\right)}{\left(\frac{ka}{2} \sin \theta\right)^2 - \left(\frac{\pi}{2}\right)^2} \right] |F(\tau_1'', \tau_2'')|. \quad (1.48)$$

The calculation of $|E_\phi|$ is given in PROGRAM TWO.

CHAPTER II

DERIVATION OF THE EXACT SOLUTION

We will begin our derivation of the exact solution for the E-field in our E-plane sectoral horn with Maxwell's equations in cylindrical form [2].

$$j\omega\epsilon\rho E_\phi = \frac{\partial}{\partial\rho}(\rho H_\rho) - \frac{\partial}{\partial\phi} H_\rho, \quad (2.1)$$

$$j\omega\epsilon\rho E_\rho = \frac{\partial}{\partial\phi} H_\phi - \frac{\partial}{\partial\phi}(\rho H_\rho), \quad (2.2)$$

$$j\omega\epsilon E_\phi = \frac{\partial}{\partial\phi} H_\rho - \frac{\partial}{\partial\rho} H_\phi, \quad (2.3)$$

$$-j\omega\mu\rho H_\phi = \frac{\partial}{\partial\rho}(\rho E_\phi) - \frac{\partial}{\partial\phi} E_\rho, \quad (2.4)$$

$$-j\omega\mu\rho H_\rho = \frac{\partial}{\partial\rho} E_\phi - \frac{\partial}{\partial\phi}(\rho E_\phi), \quad (2.5)$$

$$j\omega\mu H_\phi = \frac{\partial}{\partial\phi} E_\rho - \frac{\partial}{\partial\rho} E_\phi. \quad (2.6)$$

For the Hom wave we are interested in, E_r , E_ϕ , and H_z are zero. Maxwell's equations reduce to

$$j\omega\epsilon\rho E_\phi = \frac{\partial}{\partial r}(\rho H_\phi) - \frac{\partial}{\partial \phi} H_r, \quad (2.7)$$

$$-j\omega\mu\rho H_r = \frac{\partial}{\partial \phi} E_\phi, \quad (2.8)$$

and

$$j\omega\mu H_\phi = \frac{\partial}{\partial r} E_\phi. \quad (2.9)$$

Now we solve for E_ϕ in (2.8) and (2.9) and put them into (2.7) to obtain

$$\left[\frac{\partial^2}{\partial r^2} + \frac{1}{r} \frac{\partial}{\partial r} + \frac{1}{r^2} \frac{\partial^2}{\partial \phi^2} + \left(\frac{\omega}{c}\right)^2 \right] E_\phi = 0. \quad (2.10)$$

This equation has a general solution of the form

$$E_\phi = [A \sin(mv\phi) + B \cos(mv\phi)] \left[C J_{mv}\left(\frac{\omega\rho}{c}\right) + D Y_{mv}\left(\frac{\omega\rho}{c}\right) \right], \quad (2.11)$$

where A, B, C, and D are complex constants and J_{mv} and Y_{mv} are Bessel functions of the first and second kind and of the mv th order.

In our horn, only the Hom waves with an electric field of even symmetry radiate beams with a central lobe. Therefore it is only necessary to retain the cosine term in our solution.

The wave that is propagated in the radial direction can be represented by a Hankel function such that

$$K_{mv} = J_{mv} - j Y_{mv}. \quad (2.12)$$

From this, we determine

$$C = 1 \quad \text{and} \quad (2.13)$$

$$D = -j. \quad (2.14)$$

Our solution now becomes

$$E_y = B \cos(mv\phi) K_{mv} \left(\frac{2\pi\rho}{\lambda} \right). \quad (2.15)$$

We now impose the boundary conditions to solve for the constant mv . Since there is no electric field in our wave that is tangential to the top and bottom surfaces of the horn, the boundary conditions are satisfied for $y=(0,a)$.

The horn with these boundaries is given in Figure 2.1.

$$\text{At the side, where } \phi = \pm \phi_0/2, \quad (2.16)$$

$$E_y \text{ must go to zero. This gives us } \cos(mv\phi_0/2) = 0, \quad (2.17)$$

$$\text{which is satisfied by letting } mv = m\pi/\phi_0. \quad (2.18)$$

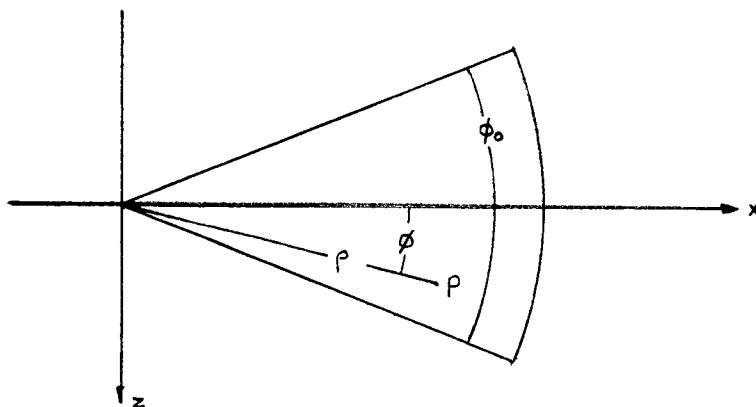


Figure 2.1. E-plane horn used for exact derivation.

where $m=1$, for the preferred H_{01} wave.

Our solution for E_y now becomes

$$E_y = B \cos(\pi\phi/\phi_0) K_{\pi/\phi_0}(2\pi\rho/\lambda). \quad (2.19)$$

When ρ is large, B can be approximated as

$$B = 2\pi/\lambda. \quad (2.20)$$

K_{π/ϕ_0} can be approximated as

$$K_{\pi/\phi_0} = \sqrt{\frac{2\lambda}{2\pi^2\rho}} e^{j[2\pi(\rho/\lambda) - ((2\pi/\phi_0 - 1)/4)\pi]}. \quad (2.21)$$

Using these approximations, our solution reduces to

$$E_y = 2\pi \cos(\pi\phi/\phi_0) \sqrt{\frac{2}{2\pi^2\rho}} e^{j[2\pi\rho - ((2\pi/\phi_0 - 1)/4)\pi]}. \quad (2.22)$$

E_y is now resolved into spherical coordinates and its absolute value is found. The result is $|E_\theta|$, which is given by

$$|E_\theta| = 2\pi \cos(\pi\phi/\phi_0) \sqrt{\frac{2}{2\pi^2\rho}}. \quad (2.23)$$

The calculation of $|E_\theta|$ for the inside of an E-plane horn is given by PROGRAM THREE.

In our derivation of the E_ϕ field, we know that E_y and E_ρ equal zero. This reduces our Maxwell's equations group to

$$-j\omega\epsilon E_\phi = \frac{\partial}{\partial y} H_\rho - \frac{\partial}{\partial \rho} H_y, \quad (2.24)$$

$$j\omega\mu\rho H_y = -\frac{\partial}{\partial\rho}(\rho E_\phi), \quad (2.25)$$

and

$$j\omega\mu\rho H_\rho = \frac{\partial}{\partial y}(\rho E_\phi). \quad (2.26)$$

We solve for H_y and H_ρ in (2.25) and (2.26) and put these into (2.24) to get

$$\left[\frac{\partial^2}{\partial\rho^2} + \frac{1}{\rho}\frac{\partial}{\partial\rho} + \left(\frac{\omega}{c}\right)^2 + \frac{\partial^2}{\partial y^2} - \frac{1}{\rho}\right]E_\phi = 0. \quad (2.27)$$

This equation has a solution of the form

$$E_\phi = B \cos(\gamma y) K_1 \left[\left(\sqrt{\left(\frac{\omega}{c}\right)^2 - \gamma^2} \right) \rho \right]. \quad (2.28)$$

Our boundary conditions require that E_ϕ vanish at $y=(0,a)$.

For $y=0$, the cosine term vanishes. At $y=a$,

$$\sin\gamma y = 0. \quad (2.29)$$

We solve for γ and obtain

$$\gamma = n\pi/a, \quad (2.30)$$

where $n=1$.

Our solution reduces to

$$E_\phi = B \sin\left(\frac{\pi y}{a}\right) K_1 \left[\left(\sqrt{\left(\frac{\omega}{c}\right)^2 - \left(\frac{\pi}{a}\right)^2} \right) \rho \right]. \quad (2.31)$$

In our solution, we will look at the field on axis in the center of the aperture, where $y=a/2$. At $y=a/2$,

$$\sin\left(\frac{\pi\phi}{\alpha}\right) = 1. \quad (2.32)$$

Our solution now becomes

$$E_\phi = BK_1 \left[\left(\sqrt{\left(\frac{2\pi}{\rho}\right)^2 - \left(\frac{\pi}{\alpha}\right)^2} \right) \rho \right]. \quad (2.33)$$

Using the asymptotic expression for the Hankel function with large ρ , and the value for the constant B , we can approximate E_ϕ as

$$E_\phi = \sqrt{(2\pi/\lambda)^2 - (\pi/\alpha)^2} \sqrt{\frac{2\lambda}{2\pi^2\rho}} e^{-j[2\pi\rho - ((2\phi/\phi_0 - 1)/4)\pi]}. \quad (2.34)$$

Taking the absolute value of E_ϕ , we have

$$|E_\phi| = \sqrt{(2\pi/\lambda)^2 - (\pi/\alpha)^2} \sqrt{\frac{2\lambda}{2\pi^2\rho}}. \quad (2.35)$$

The calculation of $|E_\phi|$ for the inside of an E-plane sectoral horn is given in PROGRAM FOUR.

The radiation patterns and the field strengths outside the horn can be found by means of Huygens principle. The coordinate system we use to find these is given in Figure 2.3.

The radiation field is obtained from the Hertzian vector Π . Using this, E is given by

$$E = (2\pi)^2 \Pi + \text{grad div } \Pi. \quad (2.36)$$

If we let $\text{div } \Pi = 0$, E_y is given by

$$j_4 \Pi_4 = j_4 \left(\frac{1}{2\pi} \right)^2 E_4 \quad (2.37)$$

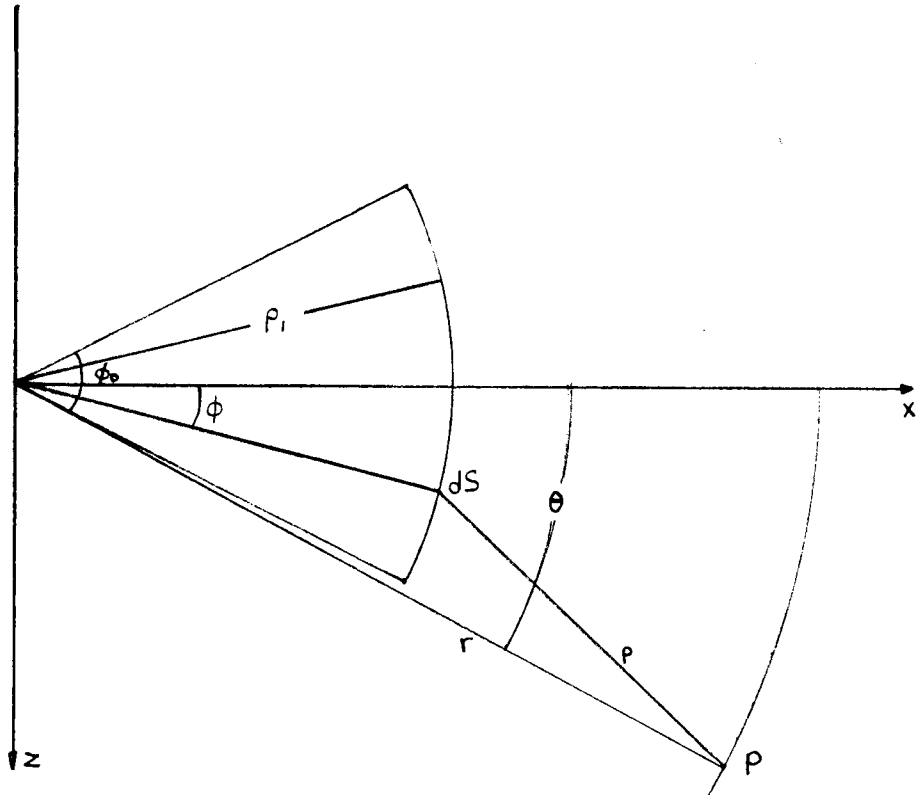


Figure 2.3. Spherical coordinate system used in calculating radiation patterns.

or

$$E_y = (2\pi)^2 \Pi_y. \quad (2.38)$$

At point P, which is large compared to the wavelength and dimensions of the horn, Hertzian vector Π_y' can be calculated by Huygens principle. This is written in the form

$$\Pi_y' = \frac{1}{4\pi} \iint \frac{1}{r} \left[\frac{j\omega}{c} \Pi_y \cos(n', r) + \frac{2\Pi_y}{2r} \right] e^{-j(\omega/c)r} dS, \quad (2.39)$$

where n' is the inner normal to the surface element dS .

The integration is taken over the mouth but not the outer metallic surface of the horn. The field distribution is not known here.

We substitute the value for Π_y into (2.39) to obtain

$$\Pi_y' = \frac{B}{4\pi} \left(\frac{c}{\omega} \right)^2 \int_0^a \int_{-\phi_0/2}^{\phi_0/2} \frac{j\omega}{\rho c} \cdot \left[K_{\pi/\phi_0} \left(\frac{\omega\rho_1}{c} \right) \cos(\phi - \theta) + K'_{\pi/\phi_0} \left(\frac{\omega\rho_1}{c} \right) \cos(\pi\phi/\phi_0) \right] e^{-(j\omega/c)\rho} \rho_1 d\phi dy. \quad (2.40)$$

K_{π/ϕ_0} and K'_{π/ϕ_0} can be approximated by their asymptotic forms and ρ can be approximated for large values of r , by

$$\rho = \sqrt{r^2 + \rho_1^2 - 2r\rho_1 \cos(\phi - \theta)} = r - \rho_1 \cos(\phi - \theta). \quad (2.41)$$

Using these, we can write E_θ as

$$E_\theta = \frac{\alpha \sqrt{\rho_1}}{r} (1 + \cos \theta) e^{-(2\pi j)(r + \rho_1)} \int_{-\phi_0/2}^{\phi_0/2} \cos(\pi\phi/\phi_0) e^{j(2\pi\rho_1)\cos(\phi - \theta)} d\phi. \quad (2.42)$$

Taking the absolute value of E_θ , we write $|E_\theta|$ as

$$|E_\theta| = \frac{\alpha \sqrt{\rho_1}}{r} (1 + \cos \theta) \left| \int_{-\phi_0/2}^{\phi_0/2} \cos(\pi\phi/\phi_0) e^{j2\pi\rho_1 \cos(\phi - \theta)} d\phi \right|. \quad (2.43)$$

The calculation of $|E_\theta|$ is given by PROGRAM FIVE.

CHAPTER III

RESULTS AND DISCUSSION

All of the following figures and tables may be found in the Appendix.

We now consider a horn with the flare angle ϕ_0 , equal to 90 degrees, the width equal to λ , and the length equal to 6λ . The range for θ will be from 0 to 90 degrees and since our plot is symmetrical, the effective range will be 180 degrees. The results for this horn are contained in Table B.1 and plotted in figure A.1.

The exact solution shows a broad pattern with lobes absent, directed along the axis of the horn. This solution differs from the measured pattern because:

- A). The sides of the horn are assumed to extend to infinity.
- B). The edge effects are neglected.
- C). All radiation is assumed to come from the mouth of the horn.

PROGRAM FIVE is used to calculate the exact solution.

The one section Fresnel solution for the same horn differs greatly from the exact solution. This results primarily from the large phase error associated with a horn of such wide flare. When the horn becomes broken into two sections, the phase error is reduced considerably

and the two section Fresnel solution more closely approaches the exact solution. However, four lobes now appear on each side. The three section Fresnel solution comes even closer to the exact solution and also has four lobes on each side.

Next, we look at the horn with the flare angle of 60 degrees, the width equal to λ , and the length equal to 6λ . θ will range from 0 to 90 degrees. The results for this are contained in Table B.2 and plotted in Figure A.2.

The Fresnel solution for one, two, and three sections comes even closer to the exact solution, however, the exact solution still has no lobes. This pattern was found to repeat itself for flare angles equal to 45, 30, and 20 degrees. The results for these are in Tables B.3, B.4, and B.5 and the plots are given in figures A.3, A.4, and A.5. Plots of the measured solutions are given in Figures A.6 through A.11 [3]. PROGRAM ONE was used to calculate the Fresnel approximation solution and PROGRAM FIVE was used to calculate the exact solution.

PROGRAM FIVE was also used to calculate the maximum on axis field, on θ equal to zero, as a function of the flare angle ϕ_0 . At this maximum, the horn radiates most efficiently, the shape of the pattern is narrow, and there is almost no back radiation. This flare angle was calculated by the exact method to be between 40 and 60

degrees and was measured to be the same. The calculated values are given in Table B.6 and the plots in Figures A.12 and A.13 [3].

Several patterns result from the derivations and data. As the angle of flare decreases, the Fresnel method gives a good approximation for the E-field. This approximation becomes better when the horn is divided into sections. For flare angles less than 60 degrees, the exact method gives a pattern identical to the measured one. The horn was found to radiate most efficiently at an angle between 40 and 60 degrees. This also corresponds with the measured value.

In conclusion, the exact method works well for flare angles less than 60 degrees, and the Fresnel method works better for angles greater than 60 degrees. The exact method, which used the asymptotic form of the Hankel function, takes much less computer time than does the Fresnel method.

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APPENDICES

APPENDIX A

FIGURES

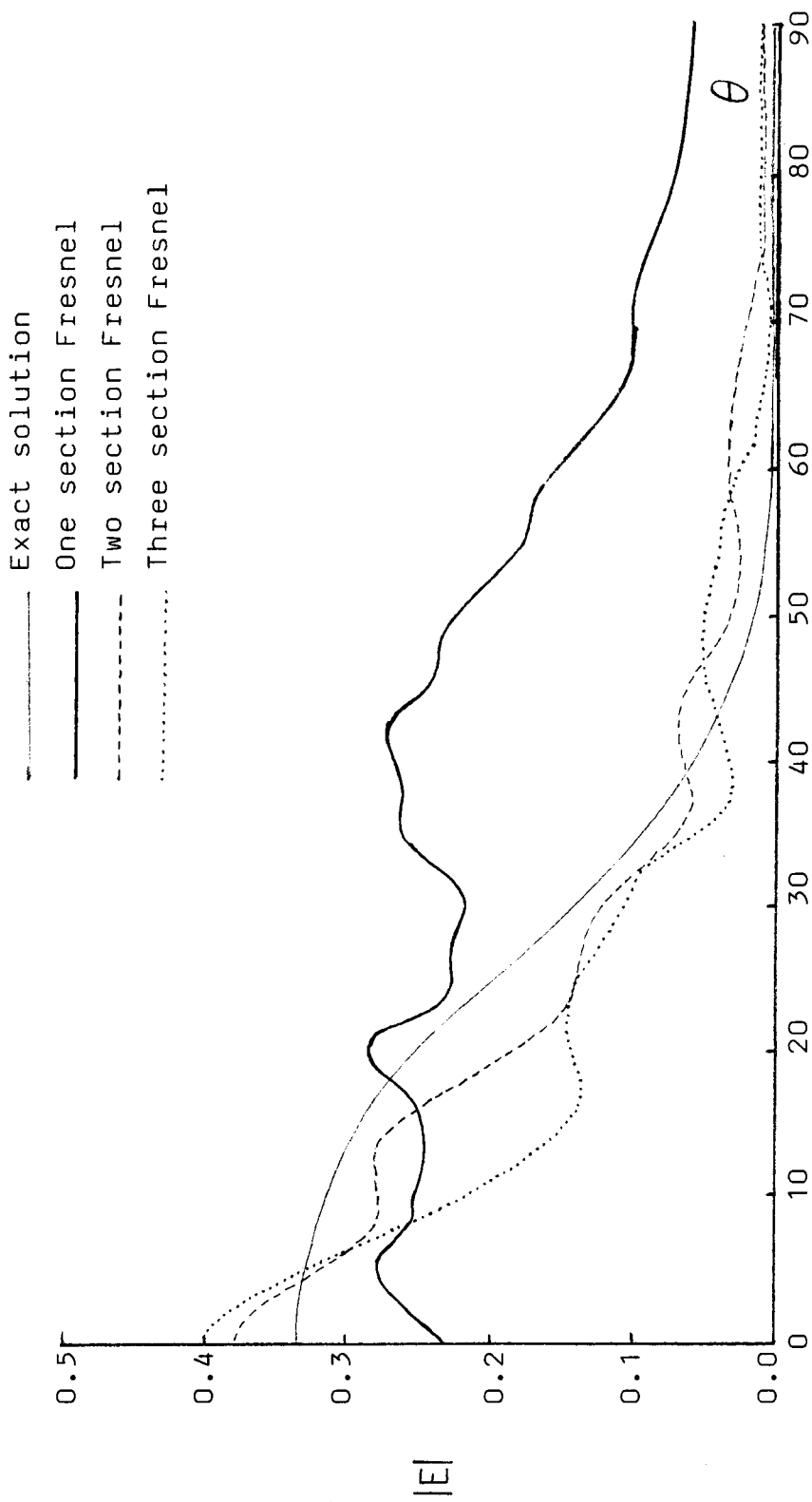


Figure A.1. The one, two, and three section Fresnel approximation and the exact solution for a horn of 90° flare angle, length of 6λ , and width of 1λ .

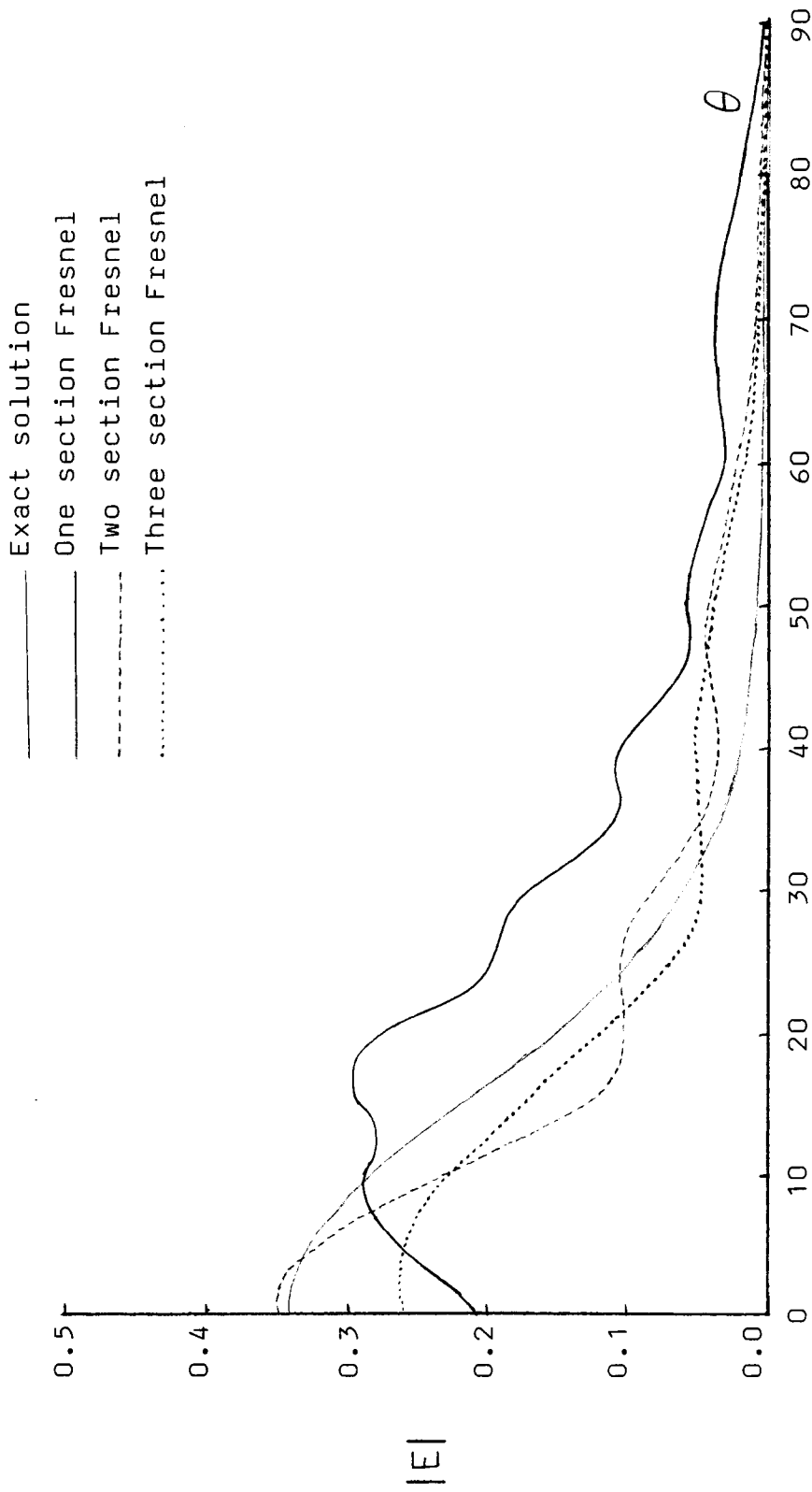


Figure A.2. The one, two, and three section Fresnel approximation and the exact solution for a horn of 60° flare angle, length of 6λ , and width of 1λ .

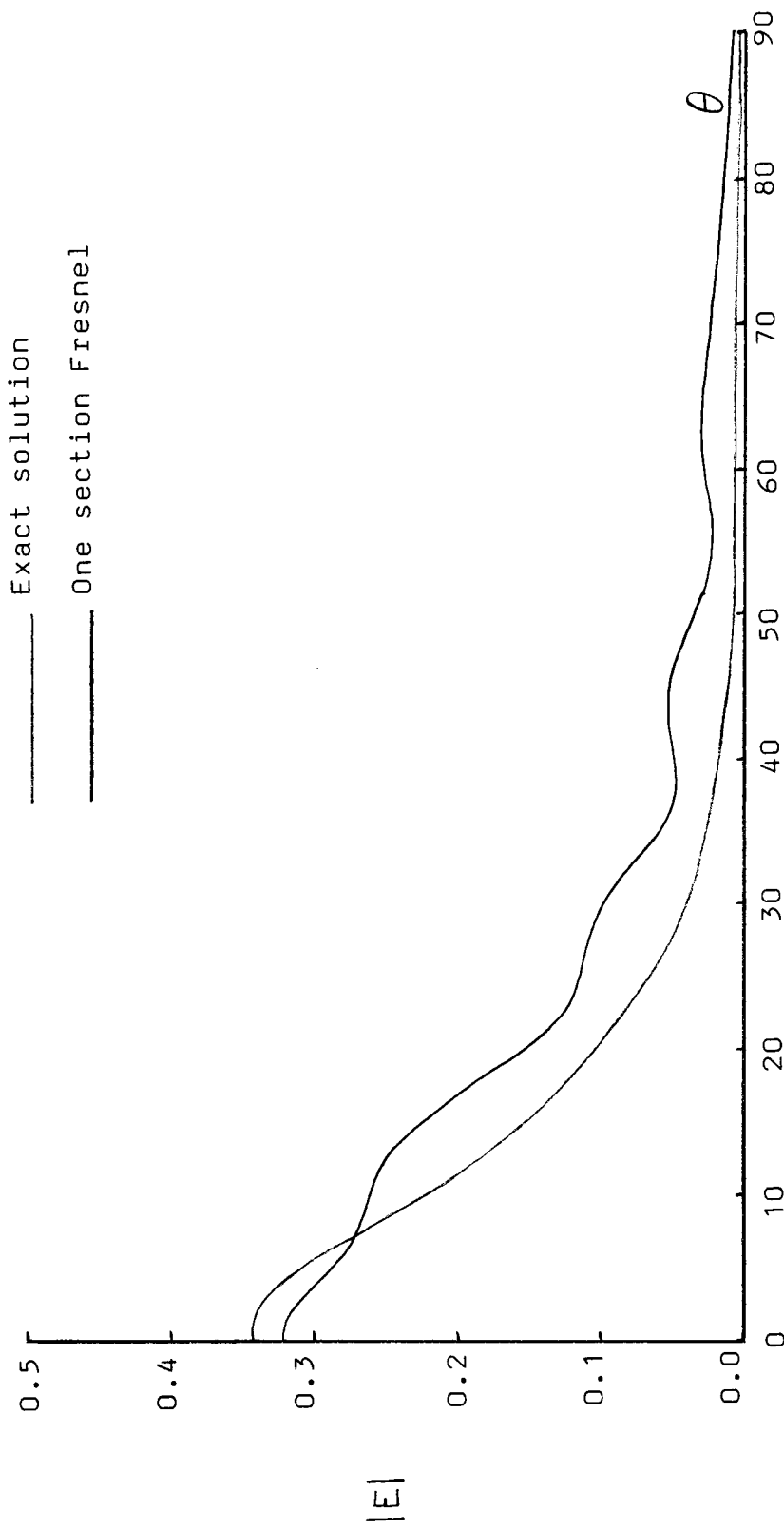


Figure A.3. The one section Fresnel approximation and the exact solution for a horn of 45° flare angle, length of 6λ , and width of 1λ .

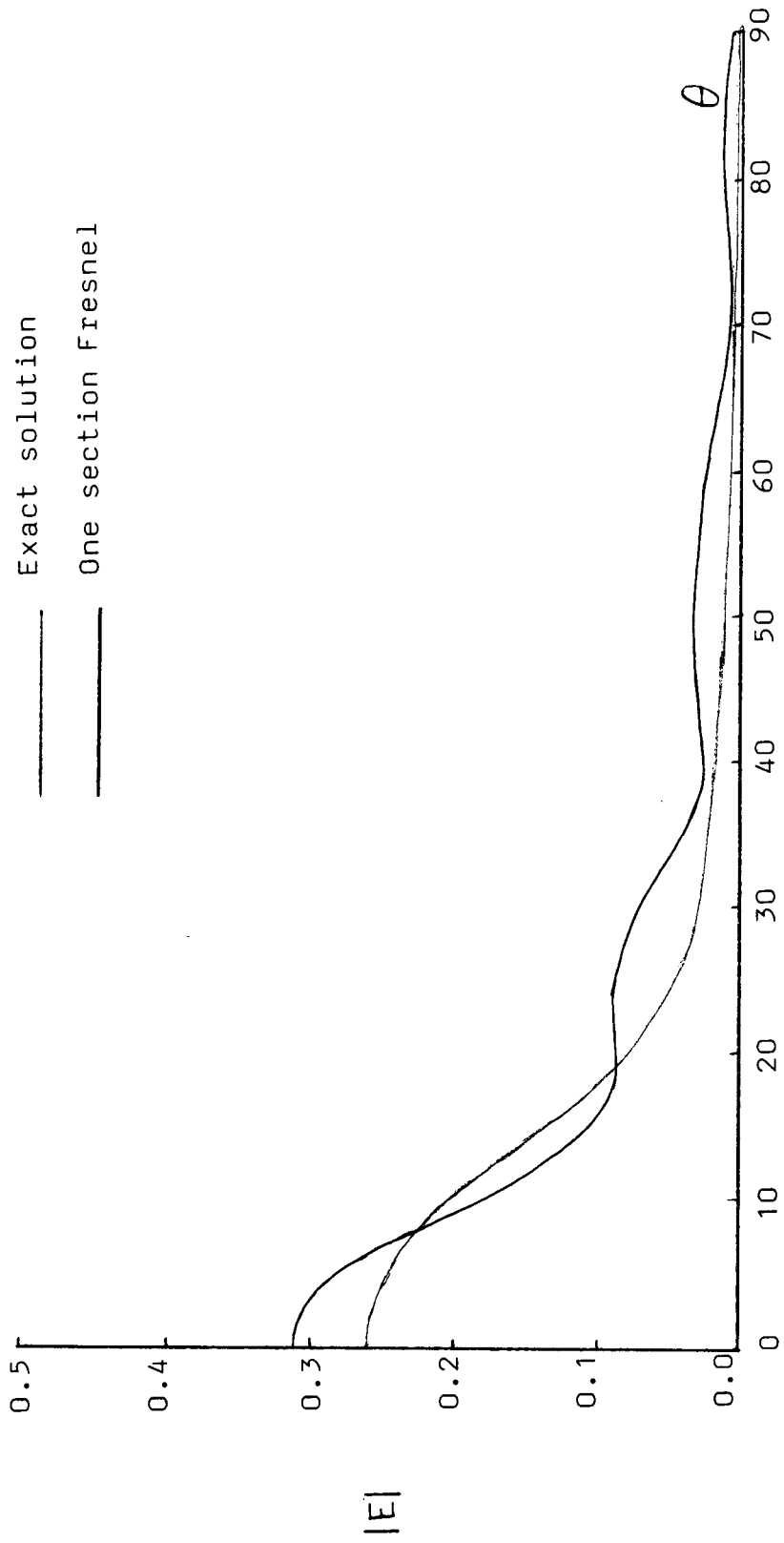


Figure A.4. The one section Fresnel approximation and the exact solution for a horn of 30° flare angle, length of 6λ , and a width of 1λ .

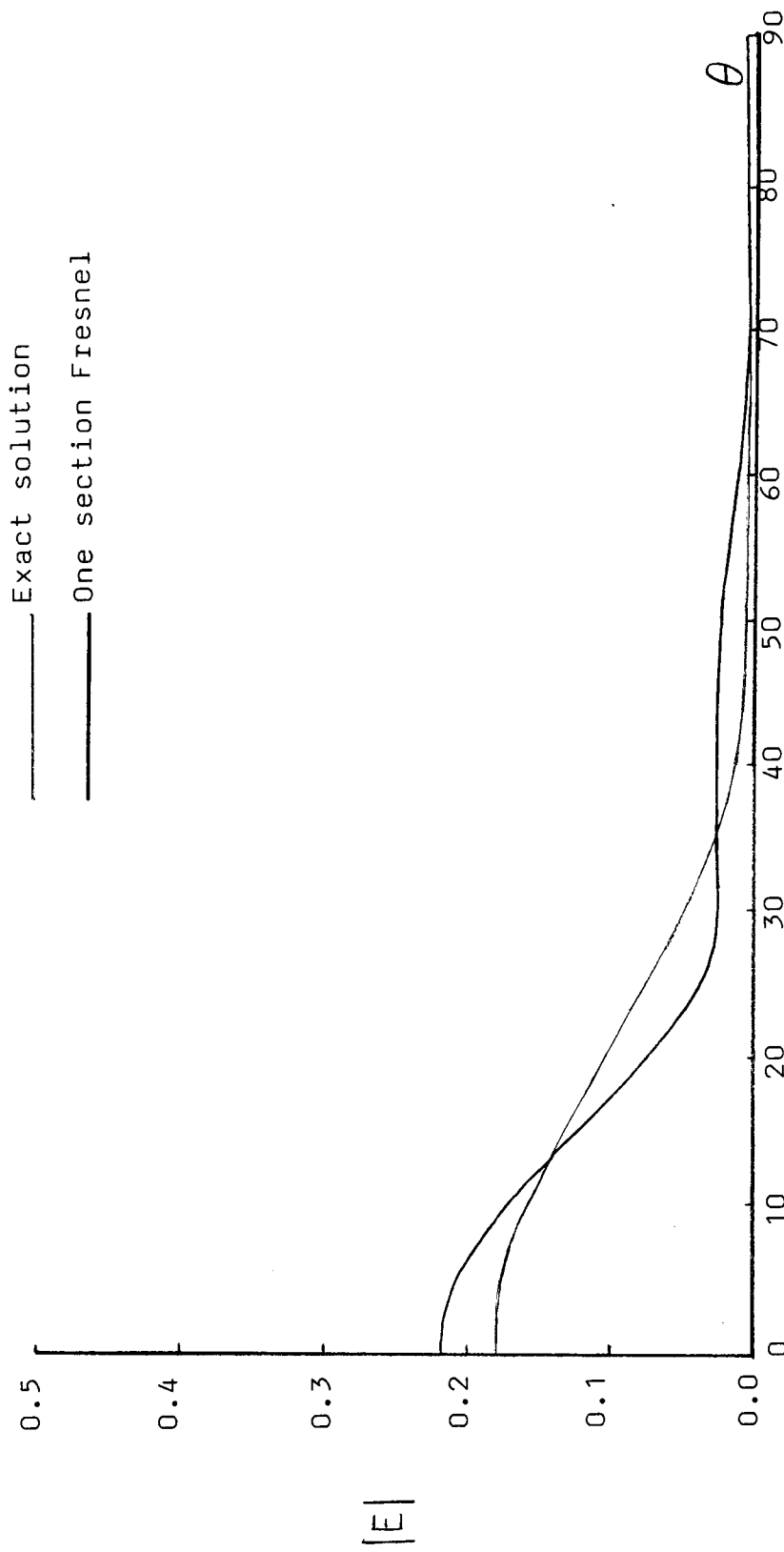


Figure A.5. The one section Fresnel approximation and the exact solution for a horn of 20° flare angle, length of 6λ , and a width of 1λ .

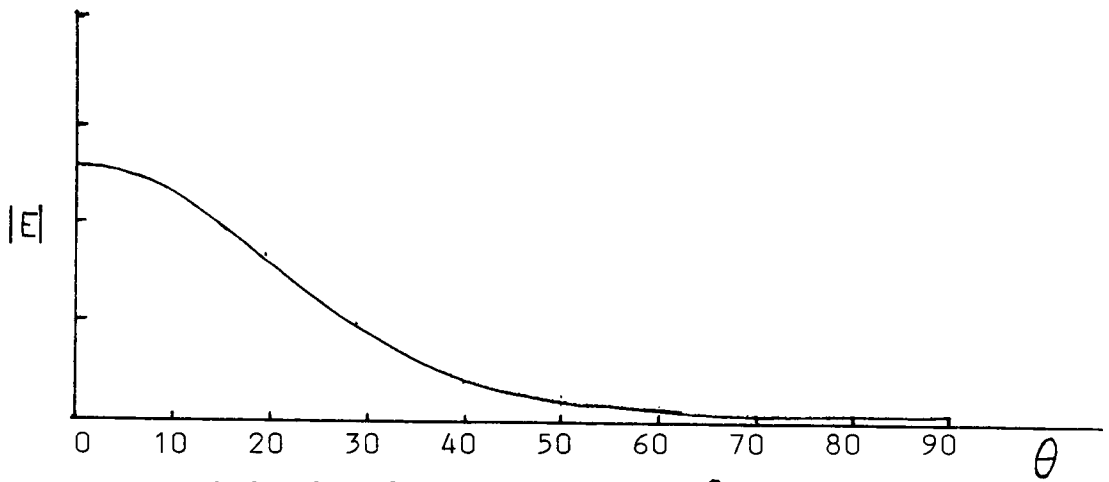


Figure A.6. Field for flare angle of 20° .

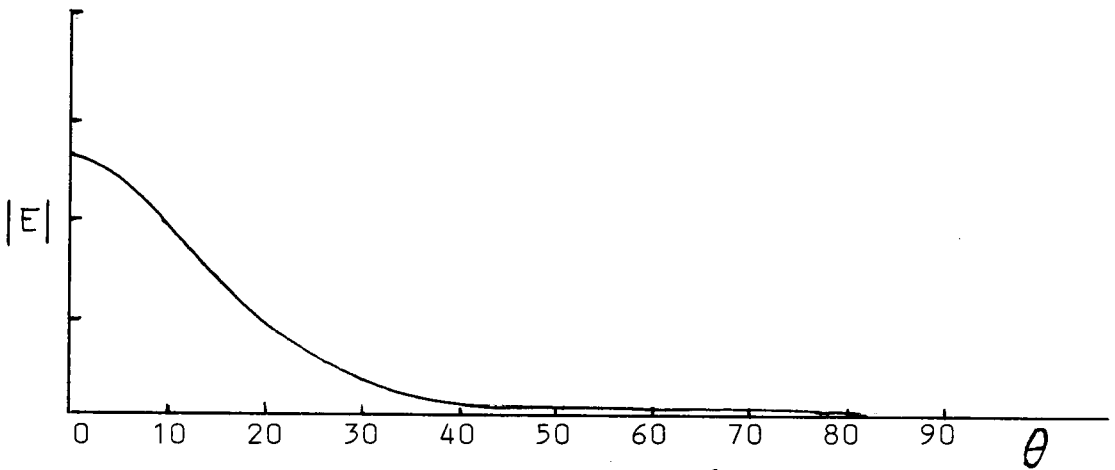


Figure A.7. Field for flare angle of 30° .

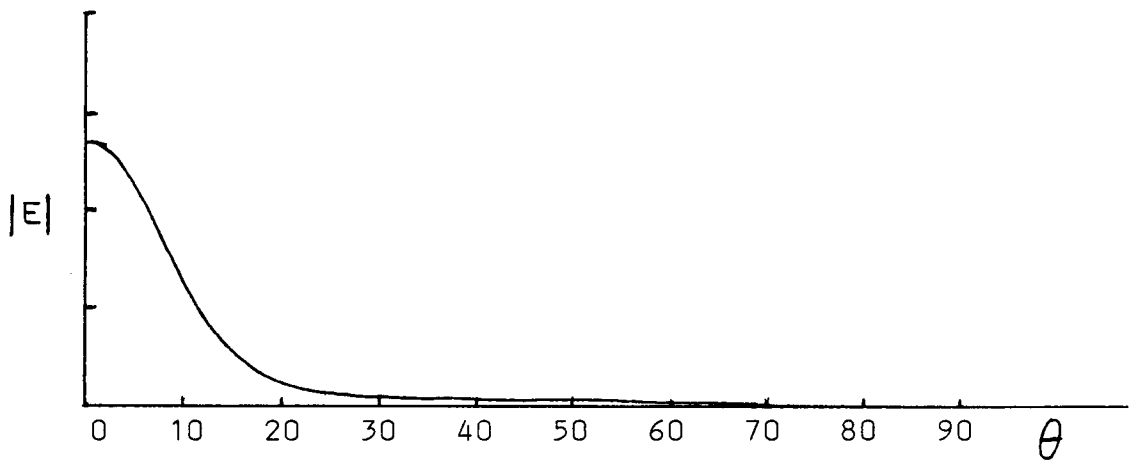


Figure A.8. Field for a flare angle of 40° .

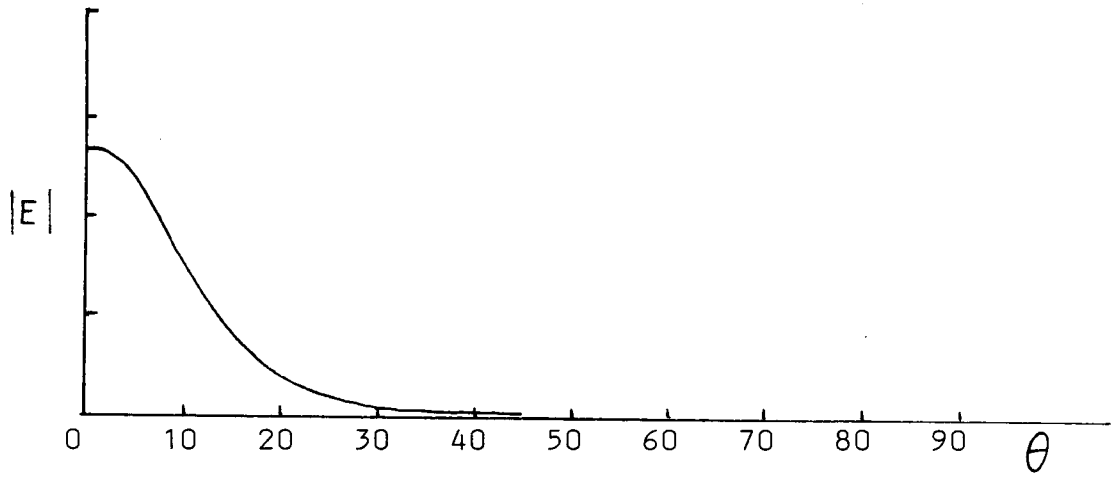


Figure A.9. Field for a flare angle of 50° .

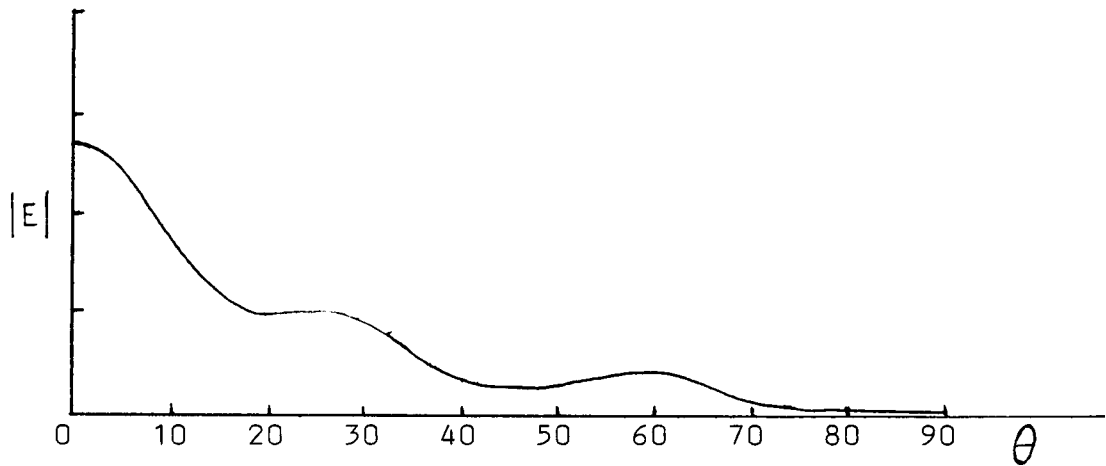


Figure A.10. Field for a flare angle of 70° .

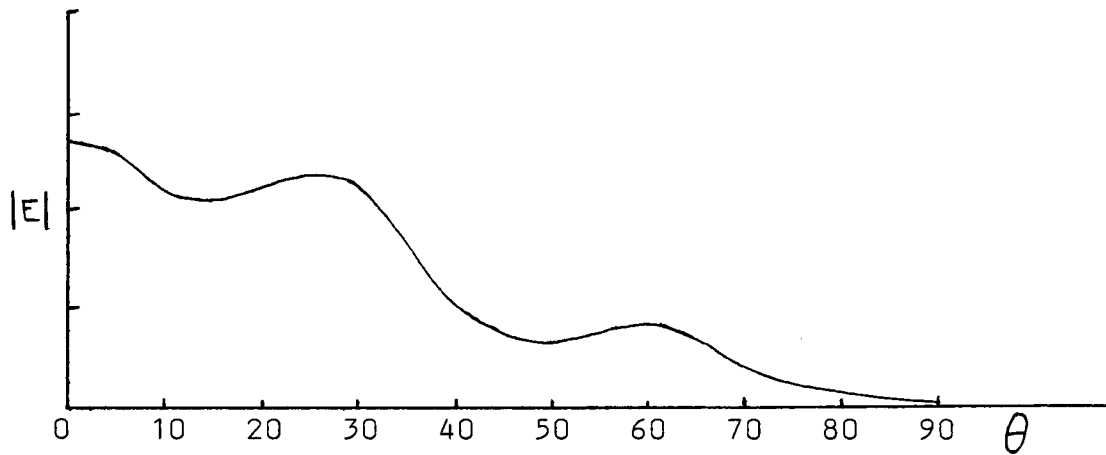


Figure A.11 Field for a flare angle of 90° .

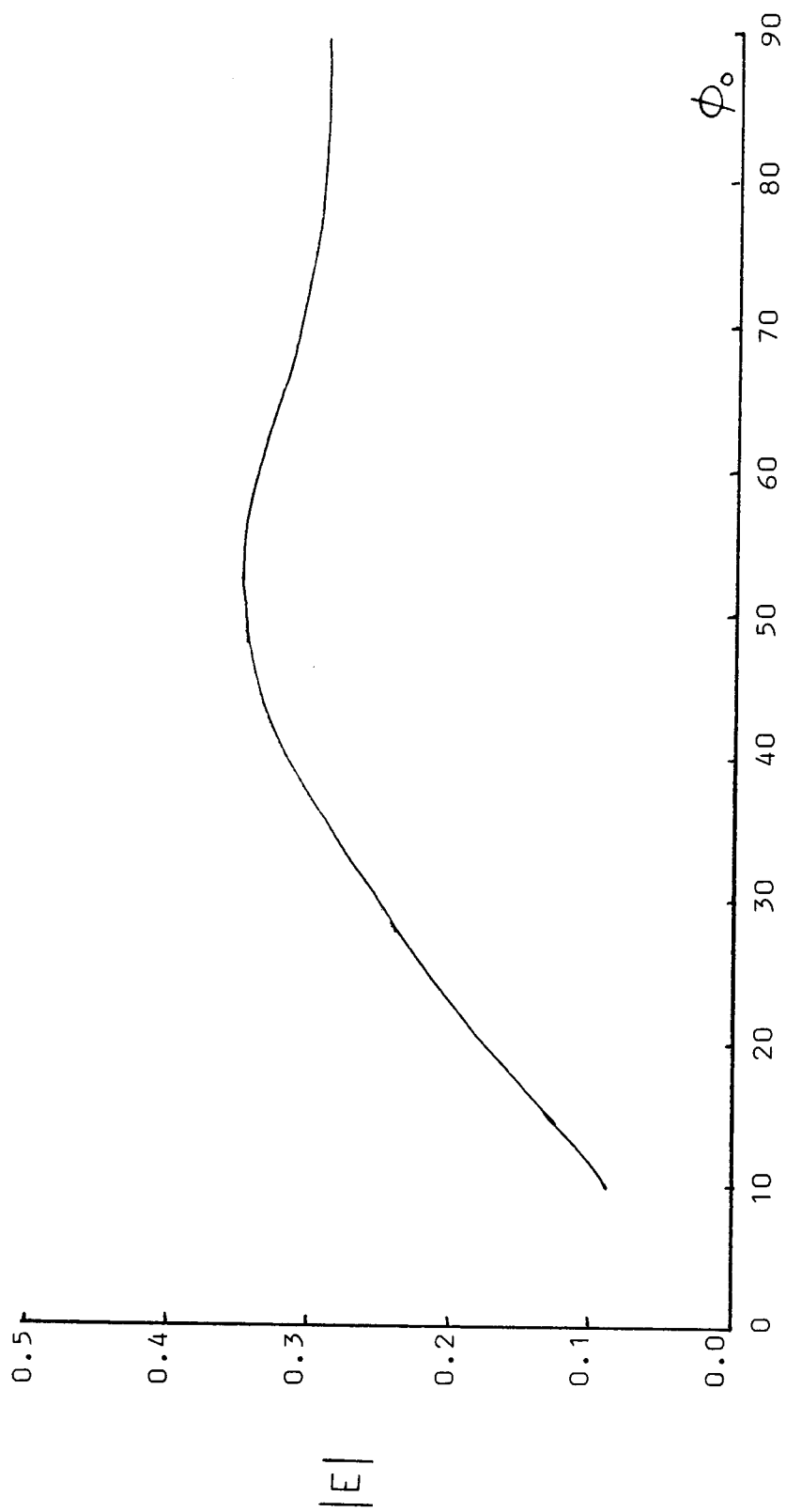


Figure A.12. Calculated on axis field as a function of flare angle.

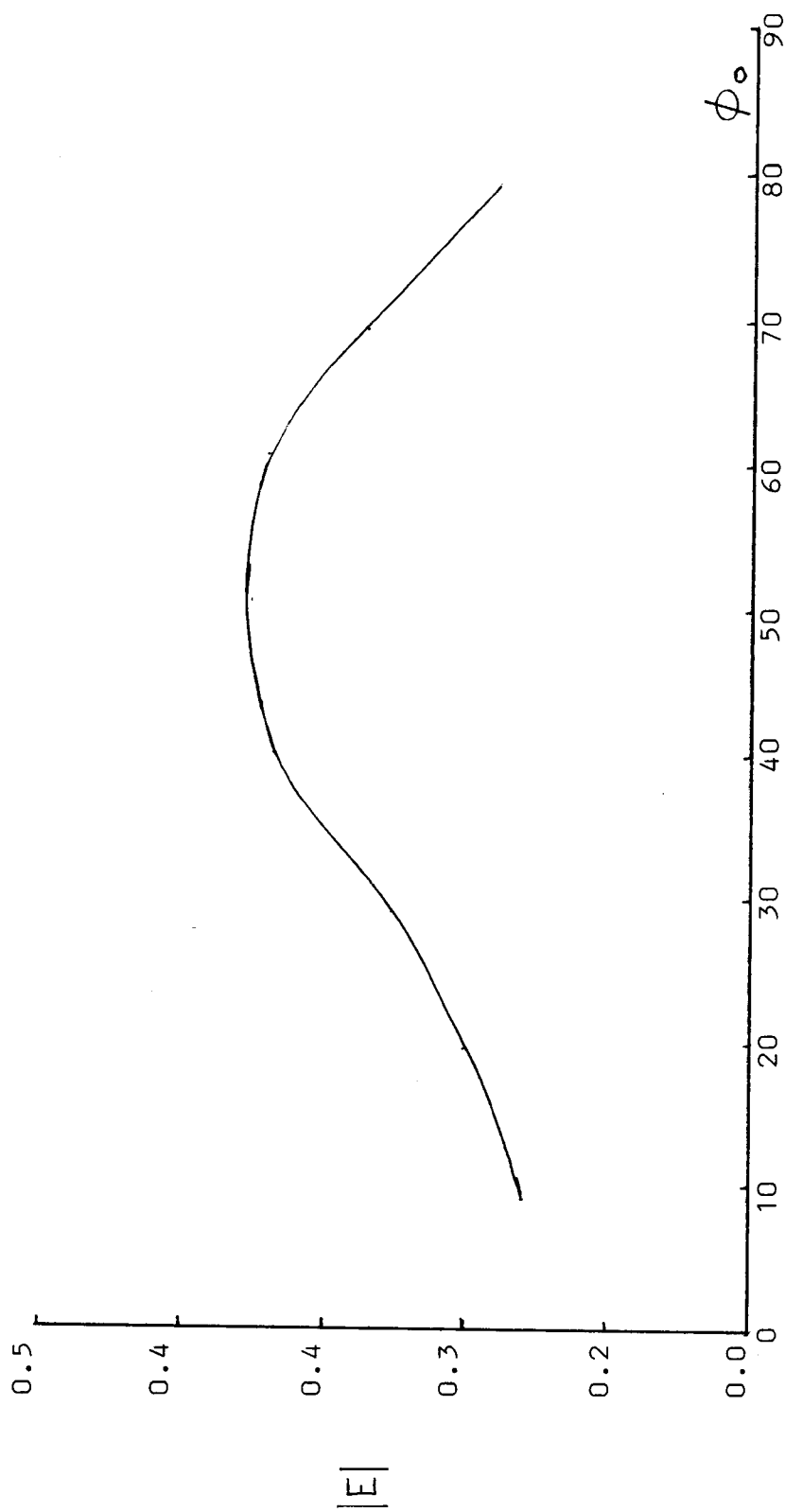


Figure A.13. Maximum on axis field as a function of flare angle

APPENDIX B

TABLES

Table B.1. One, two, and three section Fresnel approximations and exact solution for a horn of 90° flare angle, length of 6λ , and width of 1λ .

Theta	1 section	2 section	3 section	Exact
0	.23658	.38115	.40685	.33681
2	.25307	.36632	.38170	.33471
4	.27917	.33478	.34405	.32940
6	.27529	.30152	.30122	.32290
8	.25525	.28154	.25751	.31639
10	.25033	.27922	.21950	.30949
12	.24988	.28321	.18717	.30116
14	.24622	.27768	.16096	.29102
16	.25095	.25563	.14444	.27967
18	.27720	.22014	.13967	.26740
20	.28551	.18190	.14220	.25295
22	.25385	.15489	.14480	.23454
24	.22664	.14565	.14295	.21225
26	.22676	.14481	.13522	.18856
28	.22560	.13967	.12204	.16611
30	.21780	.12542	.10481	.14534
32	.23090	.10342	.07376	.12511
34	.26031	.07966	.05508	.10522
36	.26767	.06302	.03958	.08714
38	.25978	.06002	.03145	.07244
40	.26713	.06508	.03283	.06085
42	.27279	.06904	.03916	.05082
44	.25521	.06797	.04562	.04138
46	.23609	.06166	.05029	.03294
48	.23288	.04367	.05263	.02644
50	.22581	.03290	.05272	.02209
52	.20380	.03446	.05088	.01900
54	.18259	.02201	.04757	.01610
56	.17478	.02505	.04322	.01304
58	.17032	.02942	.03827	.01011
60	.15834	.03267	.03311	.00783
62	.13974	.03406	.01641	.00652
64	.12513	.03367	.01246	.00599
66	.11893	.03185	.00945	.00571
68	.11658	.02907	.00782	.00534
70	.11288	.02577	.00767	.00478
72	.10606	.02233	.00849	.00407
74	.09724	.01906	.00963	.00330
76	.08840	.01617	.01070	.00255
78	.08099	.01378	.01157	.00189

Table B.1. (Continued)

Theta	1 section	2 section	3 section	Exact
80	.07547	.01194	.01220	.00133
82	.07156	.01062	.01258	.00089
84	.06867	.00917	.01275	.00056
86	.06628	.00910	.01271	.00030
88	.06404	.00866	.01251	.00019
90	.06193	.00833	.01215	.00014

Table B.2. One, two, and three section Fresnel approximations and exact solution for a horn of 60° flare angle, length of 6λ , and width of 1λ .

Theta	1 section	2 section	3 section	Exact
0	.21940	.35020	.26398	.34116
2	.22882	.34755	.26377	.33819
4	.25333	.33093	.26021	.32900
6	.27970	.30216	.25230	.31760
8	.29175	.26433	.24019	.30208
10	.28623	.22149	.22456	.28301
12	.27908	.17852	.20613	.25960
14	.28663	.14108	.18550	.23193
16	.29943	.11511	.16324	.20176
18	.29468	.10345	.14020	.17214
20	.26484	.10194	.11721	.14599
22	.22559	.10337	.09527	.12449
24	.20199	.10320	.06848	.10666
26	.19746	.09967	.06016	.09059
28	.19070	.09226	.05145	.07514
30	.16804	.08133	.04973	.06066
32	.13589	.06803	.04470	.04843
34	.11299	.05419	.04714	.03951
36	.10911	.04233	.04896	.03364
38	.11070	.03621	.04993	.02935
40	.10343	.03791	.05021	.02522
42	.08603	.04338	.04992	.02075
44	.06695	.04852	.04897	.01627
46	.05783	.05174	.04724	.01255
48	.06036	.04106	.04477	.01025
50	.06430	.04052	.04170	.00932
52	.06278	.03830	.03816	.00901
54	.05521	.03482	.03436	.00857
56	.04442	.03051	.03043	.00774
58	.03490	.02576	.02653	.00655
60	.03095	.02096	.02274	.00518
62	.03266	.01641	.01579	.00385
64	.03608	.01246	.01252	.00278
66	.03833	.00945	.00966	.00220
68	.03852	.00782	.00730	.00214
70	.03685	.00767	.00558	.00237
72	.03390	.00849	.00467	.00262
74	.03031	.00963	.00456	.00279
76	.02664	.01070	.00498	.00286
78	.02330	.01157	.00557	.00286

Table B.2. (Continued)

Theta	1 section	2 section	3 section	Exact
80	.02053	.01220	.00615	.00280
82	.01837	.01258	.00663	.00270
84	.01680	.01275	.00696	.00259
86	.01567	.01271	.00716	.00248
88	.01486	.01251	.00721	.00238
90	.01427	.01215	.00714	.00297

Table B.3 One section Fresnel approximation and exact solution for a horn of 45° flare angle, length of 6λ , and width of 1λ .

Theta	1 section	Exact
0	.32184	.34400
2	.31299	.33776
4	.29120	.31991
6	.26862	.29287
8	.25706	.26019
10	.25721	.22591
12	.25816	.19369
14	.24826	.16591
16	.22296	.14317
18	.18608	.12436
20	.14823	.10768
22	.12304	.09173
24	.11658	.07601
26	.11904	.06132
28	.11743	.04842
30	.10636	.03847
32	.08725	.03191
34	.06588	.02808
36	.05108	.02553
38	.04940	.02303
40	.05537	.02000
42	.05994	.01653
44	.05931	.01295
46	.05333	.00975
48	.04367	.00747
50	.03290	.00646
52	.02446	.00644
54	.02201	.00676
56	.02505	.00693
58	.02942	.00680
60	.03267	.00638
62	.03406	.00573
64	.03367	.00494
66	.03185	.00410
68	.02907	.00326
70	.02577	.00249
72	.02233	.00180
74	.01906	.00124
76	.01617	.00083
78	.01378	.00061

Table B.3. (Continued)

Theta	1 section	Exact
80	.01194	.00060
82	.01062	.00070
84	.00971	.00079
86	.00910	.00086
88	.00866	.00088
90	.00833	.00087

Table B.4. One section Fresnel approximation and exact solution for a horn of 30° flare angle, length of 6λ , and width of 1λ .

Theta	1 section	Exact
0	.31419	.26274
2	.30796	.25991
4	.28987	.25158
6	.26164	.23831
8	.22603	.22056
10	.18667	.19957
12	.14801	.17635
14	.11532	.15206
16	.09415	.12785
18	.08704	.10483
20	.08948	.08398
22	.09392	.06612
24	.09538	.05192
26	.09200	.04174
28	.08377	.03568
30	.07170	.03185
32	.05733	.02983
34	.04262	.02817
36	.03013	.02623
38	.02363	.02379
40	.02516	.02092
42	.03067	.01775
44	.03061	.01449
46	.03959	.01135
48	.04106	.00858
50	.04052	.00618
52	.03830	.00460
54	.03482	.00399
56	.03051	.00421
58	.02576	.00475
60	.02096	.00528
62	.01641	.00568
64	.01246	.00591
66	.00945	.00598
68	.00782	.00593
70	.00767	.00579
72	.00849	.00557
74	.00963	.00532
76	.01070	.00505
78	.01157	.00478

Table B.4. (Continued)

Theta	1 section	Exact
80	.01220	.00451
82	.01258	.00426
84	.01275	.00404
86	.01271	.00385
88	.01251	.00368
90	.01215	.00355

Table B.5. One section Fresnel approximation and exact solution for a horn of 20° flare angle, length of 6λ , and width of 1λ .

Theta	1 section	Exact
0	.22120	.18017
2	.21907	.17923
4	.21307	.17645
6	.20334	.17198
8	.19026	.16568
10	.17435	.15801
12	.15621	.14906
14	.13653	.13908
16	.11602	.12832
18	.09543	.11702
20	.07551	.10544
22	.05711	.09382
24	.04128	.08238
26	.02973	.07133
28	.02492	.06082
30	.02699	.05101
32	.03218	.04199
34	.03748	.03385
36	.04166	.02665
38	.04435	.02044
40	.04554	.01128
42	.04536	.01126
44	.04399	.00855
46	.04167	.00729
48	.03862	.00726
50	.03507	.00786
52	.03120	.00860
54	.02720	.00924
56	.02322	.00968
58	.01939	.00993
60	.01579	.01000
62	.01252	.00992
64	.00966	.00972
66	.00730	.00943
68	.00558	.00908
70	.00467	.00869
72	.00456	.00829
74	.00498	.00788
76	.00557	.00748
78	.00615	.00710

Table B.5. (Continued)

Theta	1 section	Exact
80	.00663	.00675
82	.00696	.00642
84	.00716	.00612
86	.00721	.00586
88	.00714	.00563
90	.00695	.00542

Table B.6. Maximum on axis field at θ equal to 0, length of 6λ , and width of 1λ .

Flare Angle	Field
10	.09068
12	.10877
14	.12680
16	.14474
18	.16255
20	.18017
22	.19755
24	.21459
26	.23121
28	.24730
30	.26274
32	.27740
34	.29114
36	.30382
38	.31529
40	.32541
42	.33405
44	.34110
46	.34648
48	.35041
50	.35210
52	.35241
54	.35123
56	.34785
58	.34528
60	.34116
62	.33683
64	.33272
66	.32925
68	.32679
70	.32556
72	.32562
74	.32686
76	.32900
78	.33164
80	.33431

APPENDIX C

BASIC PROGRAMS

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REM      THIS IS PROGRAM ONE.  IT FINDS THE APPROXIMATE
REM      SOLUTION FOR THE FIELDS OF AN E-PLANE HORN BY
REM      THE USE OF SINE AND COSINE FRESNEL INTEGRALS.  THE
REM      INTEGRALS ARE EVALUATED BY SIMPSON'S METHOD IN
REM      SUBROUTINES 5000 AND 6000.

REM
REM
REM
10      CLEAR
20      INPUT"FLARE ANGLE";FLANG
30      INPUT"R01";R01
40      INPUT"ARE";ARE
50      INPUT"WIDTH OF HORN";WID

REM
60      FOR THETA=0 TO 90  STEP 2

REM
70      PI=3.1415927
80      TRAD=THETA*PI/180
90      FRAD=FLANG*PI/180

REM
1000    B1=2*R01*TAN(FRAD/2)
1010    W=(-B1/2-R01*SIN(TRAD))*SQR(2/R01)

REM
1020    GOSUB 5000
1030    GOSUB 6000

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1040   AAA=CFRES
1050   BBB=SFRES
REM
1060   W=(B1/2-R01*SIN(TRAD))*SQR(2/R01)
REM
1070   GOSUB 5000
1080   GOSUB 6000
1090   CCC=CFRES
1100   DDD=SFRES
REM
1110   MAX=SQR((CCC-AAA)**2+(DDD-BBB)**2)
REM
1120   EMAX=((WID/2*ARE*PI)*SQR(2*R01))*(1+COS(TRAD))*MAX
REM
1130   ONE(THETA)=EMAX
REM
REM
REM   HORN WITH FLARE ANGLE EQUAL TO FLANG/2
REM
REM
2000   R02=R01*COS(FRAD/4)
2010   B2=2*R01*SIN(FRAD/4)
2020   W=(-B2/2-R02*SIN(TRAD))*SQR(2/R02)
REM
2030   GOSUB 5000

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2040   GOSUB 6000
2050   AAA=CFRES
2060   BBB=SFRES
      REM
2070   W=(B2/2-R02*SIN(TRAD))*SQR(2/R02)
      REM
2080   GOSUB 5000
2090   GOSUB 6000
2100   CCC=CFRES
2110   DDD=SFRES
      REM
2120   MAX=SQR((CCC-AAA)**2+(DDD-BBB)**2)
      REM
2130   EMAX=((WID/2*ARE*PI)*SQR(W*R02))*(1+COS(TRAD))*MAX
      REM
2140   TWO(THETA)=EMAX
      REM
      REM
      REM   HORN WITH FLARE ANGLE EQUAL TO FLANG/3
      REM
      REM
3000   R03=R01*COS(FRAD/6)
3010   B3=2*R01*SIN(FRAD/6)
3020   W=(-B3/2-R03*SIN(TRAD))*SQR(2/R03)

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REM
3030   GOSUB 5000
3040   GOSUB 6000
3050   AAA=CFRES
3060   BBB=SFRES
REM
3070   W=(B3/2-R03*SIN(TRAD))*SQR(2/R03)
REM
3080   GOSUB 5000
3090   GOSUB 6000
3100   CCC=CFRES
3110   DDD=SFRES
REM
3120   MAX=SQR((CCC-AAA)**2+(DDD-BBB)**2)
REM
3130   EMAX=((WID/2*ARE*PI)*SQR(2*R03))*(1+COS(TRAD))*MAX
REM
3140   FRE(THETA)=EMAX
REM
3150   NEXT THETA
REM
REM
REM
4000   G=0
4010   PRINT"ONE(";G)=";ONE(G)

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4020 PRINT"TWO(";G")=";TWO(G)
4030 PRINT"FRE(";G")=";FRE(G)
4040 G=G+2
4050 IF G=90 THEN 4080
4060 INPUT"1 TO CONTINUE";SWITCH
4070 IF SWITCH=1 THEN 4010
4080 END

REM
REM
REM

5000 A=0
5010 B=W
5020 PI=3.1415927
5030 N=100
5040 D=(B-1)/N
5050 FOR I=0 TO N
5060 X=A+I*D
5070 F=COS((PI*X*X)/2)
5080 T=L/2-INT(L/2)
5090 IF T.GT.0 AND T.LT.N THEN LET P=4*F
5100 IF T.EQ.0 AND L.LT.(N-1) THEN LET P=2*F
5110 IF L.EQ.0 OR L.EQ.N THEN LET P=F
5120 L=L+1
5130 R=R+P
5140 NEXT I

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5150    CFRES=D*R/3
5160    RETURN
REM
REM
REM
6000    A=0
6010    B=W
6020    PI=3.1415927
6030    N=100
6040    D=(B-A)/N
6050    FOR I=0 TO N
6060    X=A+I*D
6070    F=SIN((PI*X*X)/2)
6080    T=L/2-INT(L/2)
6090    IF T.GT.0 AND T.LT.N THEN LET P=4*F
6100    IF T.EQ.0 AND T.LT.(N-1) THEN LET P=2*F
6110    IF L.EQ.0 OR L.EQ.N THEN LET P=F
6120    L=L+1
6130    R=R+P
6140    NEXT I
6150    SFRES=D*R/3
6160    RETURN

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REM      PROGRAM TWO APPROXIMATE SOLUTION TO EPHI
10      CLEAR
20      INPUT"WIDTH OF HORN";WID
30      INPUT"R01";R01
40      INPUT"ARE";ARE
50      INPUT"FLARE ANGLE";FLANG
60      FOR THETA=0 TO 90  STEP 2
70      PI=3.1415927
80      FRAD=FLANG*PI/180
90      TRAD=THETA*PI/180

REM
100     B1=2*R01*TAN(FRAD/2)
110     W=(-B1/2)*SQR(2/R01)
120     GOSUB 5000
130     GOSUB 6000
140     AAA=CFRES
150     BBB=SFRES

REM
160     W=(B1/2)*SQR(2/R01)
170     GOSUB 5000
180     GOSUB 6000
190     CCC=CFRES
200     DDD=SFRES

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REM
210     MAX=SQR((CCC-AAA)**2+(DDD-BBB)**2)
REM
220     CNT=(WID/8*ARE)*SQR(2*PI*PI*R01)
REM
230     MID=(COS((WID*PI)*SIN(TRAD)))/(((WID*PI)*SIN(TRAD))
      **2-(PI/2)**2)
REM
240     EMAX=MAX*CNT*MID*(1+COS(TRAD))
REM
250     PRINT"EMAX(";THETA)=";EMAX
REM
260     NEXT THETA
REM
270     END
REM
REM
REM
5000    A=0
5010    B=2
5020    PI=3.1415927
5030    N=100
5040    D=(B-A)/N
5050    FOR I=0 TO N
5060    X=A+1*D
5070    F=COS((PI*X*X)/2)

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5080    T=L/2-INT(L/2)
5090    IF T.GT.0 AND T.LT.N THEN LET P=4*F
5110    IF T.EQ.0 AND L.LT.(N-1) THEN LET P=2*F
5110    IF L.EQ.0 OR L.EQ.N THEN LET P=F
5120    L=L+1
5130    R=R+P
5140    NEXT I
5150    CFRES=D*R/3
5160    RETURN
REM
REM
REM
6000    A=0
6010    B=W
6020    PI=3.1415927
6030    N=100
6040    D=(B-A)/N
6050    FOR I=0 TO N
6060    X=A+I*D
6070    F=SIN((PI*X*X)/2)
6080    T=L/2-INT(L/2)
6090    IF T.GT.0 AND T.LT.N THEN LET P=4*F
6100    IF T.EQ.0 AND L.LT.(N-1) THEN LET P=2*F
6110    IF L.EQ.0 OR L.EQ.N THEN LET P=F
6120    L=L+1

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6130    R=R+P
6140    NEXT I
6150    SFRES=D*R/3
6160    RETURN
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REM   THIS IS PROGRAM THREE.  IT USES THE ASYMPTOTIC
REM   FORM OF THE HANKEL FUNCTION TO CALCULATE THE MAXIMUM
REM   VALUE OF ETHETA INSIDE OF AN E-PLANE SECTORAL HORN
REM   FOR LARGE VALUE OF R01.
REM
REM   VARIABLE LIST:
REM   ETHETA  THE MAXIMUM VALUE OF ETHETA.
REM   R01     THE DISTANCE FROM THE APEX TO THE APERTURE.
REM   FLANG   THE FLARE ANGLE IN DEGREES.
REM   PHI     THE ANGLE BETWEEN THE MAIN AXIS AND THE
REM           OBSERVATION POINT.
REM
10    CLEAR
20    INPUT"R01";R01
30    INPUT"FLARE ANGLE";FLANG
40    INPUT"PHI";PHI
REM
50    PI=3.1415927
60    ETHETA=(2*PI*COS(PI*PHI/FLANG))*SQR(1/PI*PI*R01)
70    PRINT"ETHETA="ETHETA
80    END

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REM   THIS IS PROGRAM FOUR.  IT USES THE ASYMPTOTIC FORM
REM   OF THE HANKEL FUNCTION TO CALCULATE THE ABSOLUTE
REM   VALUE OF EPHI INSIDE OF AN E-PLANE SECTORAL HORN
REM   FOR LARGE VALUE OR R01.
REM
REM   VARIABLE LIST:
REM
REM   WID      THE WIDTH OF THE HORN.
REM   R01      THE AXIAL DISTANCE FROM THE APEX TO THE
REM            APERTURE.
REM   EPHI     THE MAXIMUM VALUE OF EPHI.
REM
10    CLEAR
20    INPUT"WIDTH OF HORN";WID
30    INPUT"R01";R01
40    PI=3.1415927
REM
50    EPHI=(SQR((2*PI)**2-(PI/WID)**2))*SQR(1/PI*PI*R01)
REM
60    PRINT"EPHI=";EPHI
70    END

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REM THIS IS PROGRAM FIVE. IT CALCULATES THE ABSOLUTE
REM VALUE OF THE ELECTRIC FIELD AT A VALUE THETA, FOR
REM A HORN WITH A FLARE ANGLE, FLANG. THE ASYMPTOTIC
REM VALUES OF THE HANKEL FUNCTIONS ARE USED TO APPROXI-
REM MATE THE ELECTRIC FIELD FOR A LARGE RO1.
REM
REM VARIABLE LIST:
REM
REM RO1 THE DISTANCE FROM THE APEX TO THE APERTURE
REM OF THE HORN.
REM ARE THE DISTANCE FROM THE APEX TO THE OBSERVAT-
REM ION POINT.
REM WID THE WIDTH OF THE HORN.
REM THETA THE ANGLE IN DEGREES BETWEEN ARE AND THE
REM AXIS IN THE CENTER OF THE APERTURE OF THE
REM HORN.
REM FLANG THE FLARE ANGLE IN DEGREES
REM FRAD FLANG IN RADIANS.
REM TRAD THETA IN RADIANS.
REM CNT THE CONSTANT GIVEN BY  $CNT = ((WID * \sqrt{RO1}) / ARE)$ .
REM
REM MAG THE ABSOLUTE VALUE OF THE INTEGRAL VALUE.
REM FIELD THE MAXIMUM VALUE OF THE E-FIELD.
REM REAL THE REAL PART OF THE INTEGRAL.
REM IMAG THE IMAGINARY PART OF THE INTEGRAL.

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REM
10  CLEAR
20  INPUT"R01=";R01
30  INPUT"ARE=";ARE
40  INPUT"WID=";WID
50  INPUT"FLARE ANGLE=";FLANG
REM
60  FOR THETA=0 TO 90  STEP 2
70  PI=3.1415927
80  FRAD=FLANG*PI/180
90  TRAD=THETA*PI/180
100 A=-FRAD/2
110 B=FRAD/2
120 GOSUB 5000
130 GOSUB 6000
140 CNT=((WID*SQR(R01))/ARE)
150 MAG=SQR((REAL**2)+(IMAG**2))
160 FIELD=CNT*MAG*(1+COS(TRAD))
170 PRINT"EMAX(";FLANG")=;FIELD
180 NEXT THETA
190 END

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5000 N=100
5010 W=(B-A)/N
5020 FOR I=0 TO N
5030 X=A+I*W
5040 F=(COS((180/FLANG)*X))*(COS((2*PI*R01)*COS(X-TRAD)))
5050 T=L/2-INT(L/2)
5060 IF T.GT.0 AND L.LT.N THEN LET P=4*F
5070 IF T.EQ.0 AND L.LT.(N-1) THEN LET P=2*F
5080 IF L.EQ.0 OR L.EQ.N THEN LET P=F
5090 L=L+1
5100 R=R+P
5110 NEXT I
5120 REAL=W*R/3
5130 RETURN

REM

REM

6000 N=100
6010 W=(B-A)/N
6020 FOR I=0 TO N
6030 X=A+I*W
6040 F=(COS((180/FLANG)*X))*(SIN((2*PI*R01)*COS(X-TRAD)))
6050 T=L/2-INT(L/2)
6060 IF T.GT.0 AND L.LT.N THEN LET P=4*F

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6070 IF T.EQ.0 AND L.LT.(N-1) THEN LET P=2*F
6080 IF L.EQ.0 OR L.EQ.N THEN LET P=F
6090 L=L+1
6100 R=R+P
6110 NEXT I
6120 IMAG=W*R/3
6130 RETURN
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