

EE540 Advance Electromagnetic Theory & Antennas

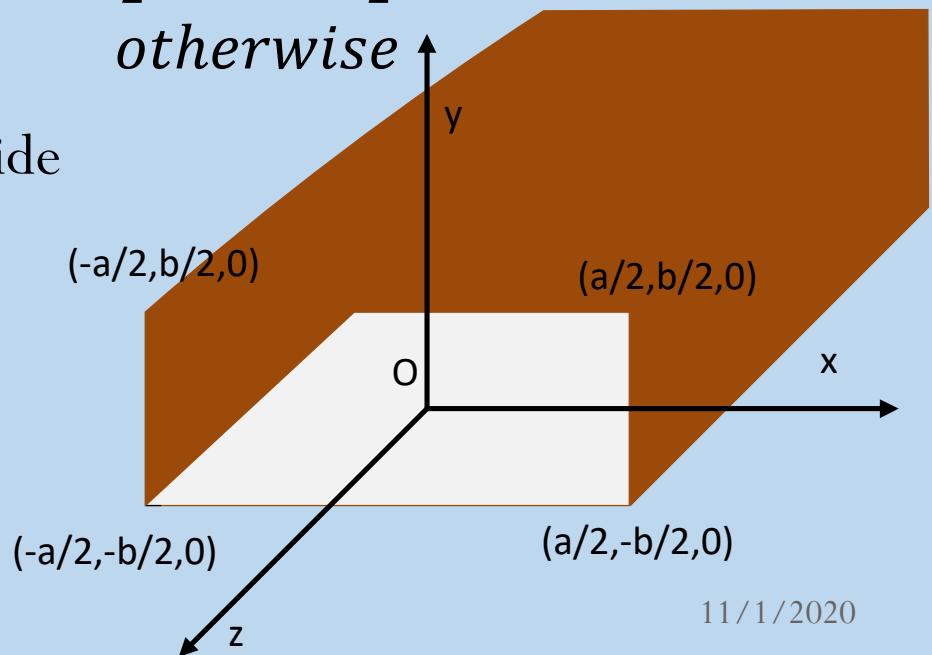
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Aperture antennas

- **Radiation from open ended waveguide**
- For dominant TE_{10} mode of rectangular waveguide, aperture fields are

$$\bullet \vec{E}_a = E_{ay} \hat{y} = \begin{cases} E_0 \cos \frac{\pi x'}{a} \hat{y}, & |x'| \leq \frac{a}{2}, |y'| \leq \frac{b}{2}, z = 0 \\ 0, & otherwise \end{cases}$$

- Fig. Open ended rectangular waveguide



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- Let us find the 2 – D FT
 - of the aperture field,
- $\tilde{E}(\beta_x, \beta_y)$
- $= \iint E(x', y') e^{(j\beta_x x' + j\beta_y y')} dx' dy'$
- $\tilde{E}_{ay}(\beta_x, \beta_y) = E_0 \int_{-\frac{a}{2}}^{\frac{a}{2}} \cos \frac{\pi x'}{a} e^{(j\beta_x x')} dx' \int_{-\frac{b}{2}}^{\frac{b}{2}} e^{(j\beta_y y')} dy'$
- Note that $\int_{-\frac{b}{2}}^{\frac{b}{2}} e^{(j\beta_y y')} dy' = \frac{e^{(j\beta_y \frac{b}{2})} - e^{(-j\beta_y \frac{b}{2})}}{j\beta_y} = \frac{2}{\beta_y} \frac{e^{(j\beta_y \frac{b}{2})} - e^{(-j\beta_y \frac{b}{2})}}{2j\beta_y} = \frac{2}{\beta_y} \sin\left(\beta_y \frac{b}{2}\right) = b \frac{\sin\left(\beta_y \frac{b}{2}\right)}{\beta_y \frac{b}{2}} = b sinc\left(\beta_y \frac{b}{2}\right)$

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- Also

$$\bullet \int_{-\frac{a}{2}}^{\frac{a}{2}} \cos \frac{\pi x'}{a} e^{(j\beta_x x')} dx' = 2\pi a \frac{\cos\left(\frac{\beta_x a}{2}\right)}{\pi^2 - (\beta_x a)^2}$$

- Hence,

$$\bullet \tilde{E}_{ay}(\beta_x, \beta_y) = 2\pi ab E_0 \operatorname{sinc}\left(\beta_y \frac{b}{2}\right) \frac{\cos\left(\frac{\beta_x a}{2}\right)}{\pi^2 - (\beta_x a)^2}$$

- Hence, from equations (24.1) and (24.2), we have,

$$\bullet E_{ff\theta} \cong 2 \frac{j\beta e^{(-j\beta r)}}{4\pi r} [(\tilde{E}_{ay} \sin\phi)]$$

$$\text{and } E_{ff\phi} \cong 2 \frac{j\beta e^{(-j\beta r)}}{4\pi r} [(\tilde{E}_{ay} \cos\theta \cos\phi)]$$

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- $\tilde{E}_{ay}(\beta_x, \beta_y) = 2\pi abE_0 \text{sinc}\left(\beta_y \frac{b}{2}\right) \frac{\cos\left(\frac{\beta_x a}{2}\right)}{\pi^2 - (\beta_x a)^2}$
- Hence, from equations (24.1) and (24.2), we have,
- $E_{ff\theta} \cong \frac{j\beta e^{(-j\beta r)}}{r} \left[\left(abE_0 \text{sinc}\left(\beta_y \frac{b}{2}\right) \frac{\cos\left(\frac{\beta_x a}{2}\right)}{\pi^2 - (\beta_x a)^2} \sin\phi \right) \right]$

and $E_{ff\phi} \cong$
$$\frac{j\beta e^{(-j\beta r)}}{r} \left[\left(abE_0 \text{sinc}\left(\beta_y \frac{b}{2}\right) \frac{\cos\left(\frac{\beta_x a}{2}\right)}{\pi^2 - (\beta_x a)^2} \cos\theta \cos\phi \right) \right]$$
- where $\beta_x = \beta \sin\theta \cos\phi$ and $\beta_y = \beta \sin\theta \sin\phi$

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- E-plane ($\phi = \frac{\pi}{2}$ or y-z plane)
- $\beta_x = 0$ and $\beta_y = \beta \sin\theta$
- $E_{ff\theta} \cong \frac{j\beta e^{(-j\beta r)}}{r} \left[\left(abE_0 \frac{1}{\pi^2} \text{sinc} \left(\beta \frac{b}{2} \sin\theta \right) \right) \right]$ and $E_{ff\phi} \cong 0$
- SLL is -13.2 dB
- H-plane ($\phi = 0$ or x-z plane)
- $\beta_x = \beta \sin\theta$ and $\beta_y = 0$
- $E_{ff\theta} \cong 0$ and $E_{ff\phi} \cong \frac{j\beta e^{(-j\beta r)}}{r} \left[\left(abE_0 \frac{\cos\left(\frac{\beta a \sin\theta}{2}\right)}{\pi^2 - (\beta \sin\theta a)^2} \cos\theta \right) \right]$
- SLL is -23 dB and H-plane pattern is close to $\cos\theta$

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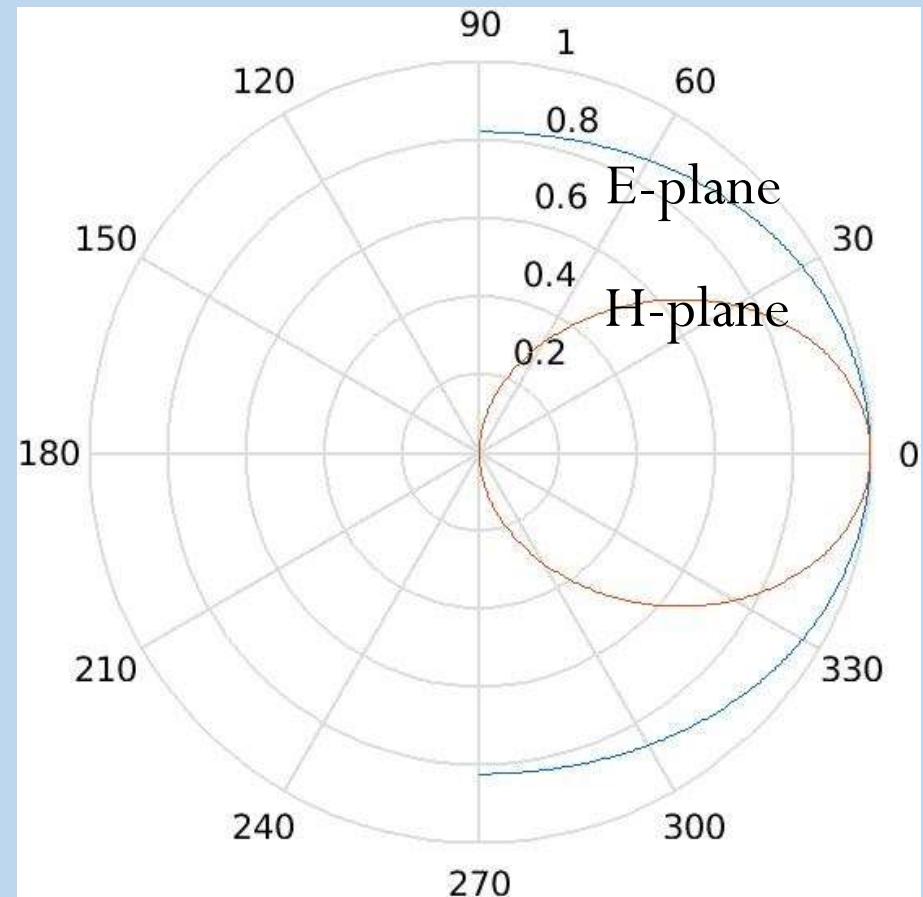
- Fig. E-plane and H-plane of open ended X-band waveguide at 10 GHz

E-plane

$$E_{ff\theta} \cong \frac{j\beta e^{(-j\beta r)}}{r} \left[\left(abE_0 \frac{1}{\pi^2} \text{sinc} \left(\beta \frac{b}{2} \sin\theta \right) \right) \right]$$

H-plane

$$E_{ff\phi} \cong \frac{j\beta e^{(-j\beta r)}}{r} \left[\left(abE_0 \frac{\cos \left(\frac{\beta a \sin\theta}{2} \right)}{\pi^2 - (\beta \sin\theta a)^2} \cos\theta \right) \right]$$



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- $$D = \frac{4\pi}{\lambda^2} \frac{\left| \iint_{S_a} \vec{E}_a ds' \right|^2}{\iint_{S_a} |\vec{E}_a|^2 ds'} = \frac{4\pi}{\lambda^2} \frac{\left| \int_{-\frac{a}{2}}^{\frac{a}{2}} E_0 \cos \frac{\pi x'}{a} dx' \int_{-\frac{b}{2}}^{\frac{b}{2}} dy' \right|^2}{\int_{-\frac{a}{2}}^{\frac{a}{2}} \left| E_0 \cos \frac{\pi x'}{a} \right|^2 dx' \int_{-\frac{b}{2}}^{\frac{b}{2}} dy'}$$
- $$= \frac{4\pi}{\lambda^2} \frac{\left\{ E_0 b \frac{\left(\sin \frac{\pi}{2} + \sin \frac{\pi}{2} \right)}{\frac{\pi}{a}} \right\}^2}{(E_0)^2 \left(\frac{1}{2}a + \frac{1(\sin \pi + \sin \pi)}{\frac{2\pi}{a}} \right) b} = \frac{4\pi}{\lambda^2} \frac{8ab}{\{\pi\}^2} = \frac{4\pi}{\lambda^2} \frac{8ab}{\{\pi\}^2} \cong \frac{4\pi}{\lambda^2} (0.81ab)$$
- It can be observed that aperture efficiency is reduced to 81% w.r.t. uniform rectangular aperture case
- Directivity is so small, needs to flare out the waveguide to create horn antennas

Aperture antennas

- Open ended circular waveguide
- Aperture field for dominant TE¹¹ mode
- $\vec{E}_a = \begin{cases} E_{a\rho} \hat{\rho} + E_{a\phi} \hat{\phi}, & \rho' \leq a \\ 0, & otherwise \end{cases}$
- where $E_{a\rho} = E_0 J_1 \left(\frac{1.841\rho'}{a} \right) \frac{\sin\phi'}{\rho'}$, $E_{a\phi} = E_0 \frac{\partial J_1 \left(\frac{1.841\rho'}{a} \right)}{\partial \rho'} \cos\phi'$
- $p'_{nm} = \chi'_{11} = 1.841 \{(\text{m}^{\text{th}} \text{ root of the derivative of the Bessel's function}) \text{ and } n \text{ (order of the Bessel's function)}\}$
- Denote $\frac{\partial J_1 \left(\frac{1.841\rho'}{a} \right)}{\partial \rho'} = J'_1 \left(\frac{1.841\rho'}{a} \right)$

Aperture antennas

- We need FT of aperture fields (E_{ax} and E_{ay}) in equations {(24.1) and (24.2)} for finding far fields of aperture antenna
- Coordinate transformation from Cylindrical to Cartesian

$$\bullet \begin{bmatrix} E_{ax} \\ E_{ay} \\ E_{az} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \cos\phi' & -\sin\phi' & 0 \\ \sin\phi' & \cos\phi' & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} E_{a\rho} = E_0 J_1 \left(\frac{1.841\rho'}{a} \right) \frac{\sin\phi'}{\rho'} \\ E_{a\phi} = E_0 J'_1 \left(\frac{1.841\rho'}{a} \right) \cos\phi' \\ E_{az} = 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\bullet E_{ax} = \frac{E_0 J_1 \left(\frac{1.841}{a} \rho' \right)}{2\rho'} \boxed{\sin 2\phi'} - \frac{E_0}{2} J'_1 \left(\frac{1.841\rho'}{a} \right) \boxed{\sin 2\phi'}$$

$$\bullet E_{ay} = \frac{E_0 J_1 \left(\frac{1.841}{a} \rho' \right)}{\rho'} \boxed{\sin^2 \phi'} + E_0 J'_1 \left(\frac{1.841\rho'}{a} \right) \boxed{\cos^2 \phi'}$$

Aperture antennas

- Let us find the 2 – D FT
 - of the aperture field,
- $\tilde{E}_{ax}(\theta, \phi) = \int_0^a \int_0^{2\pi} \left\{ \frac{E_0 J_1 \left(\frac{1.841\rho'}{a} \right)}{2\rho'} - \frac{E_0}{2} J'_1 \left(\frac{1.841\rho'}{a} \right) \right\} \sin 2\phi' e^{j\beta\rho' \sin\theta \cos(\phi-\phi')} d\phi' \rho' d\rho'$
- Note that
- $I_1 = \int_0^{2\pi} \sin 2\phi' e^{j\beta\rho' \sin\theta \cos(\phi-\phi')} d\phi' = \int_0^{2\pi} \frac{e^{2j\phi'} - e^{-2j\phi'}}{2j} e^{j\beta\rho' \sin\theta \cos(\phi-\phi')} d\phi'$

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- Put $\phi' - \phi = \zeta, d\phi' = d\zeta$
- $I_1 = \int_0^{2\pi} \sin 2\phi' e^{j\beta\rho' \sin\theta \cos(\phi-\phi')} d\phi' =$
$$\frac{e^{2j\phi}}{2j} \int_{-\phi}^{2\pi-\phi} e^{j\beta\rho' \sin\theta \cos\zeta + j2\zeta} d\zeta - \frac{e^{-2j\phi}}{2j} \int_{-\phi}^{2\pi-\phi} e^{j\beta\rho' \sin\theta \cos\zeta - j2\zeta} d\zeta$$
- Since, $2\pi j^n J_n(x) = \int_0^{2\pi} e^{jx \cos\psi} e^{jn\psi} d\psi$, we have, $n = \pm 2, x = \beta\rho' \sin\theta, \psi = \zeta$
- $I_1 = -\frac{e^{2j\phi}}{2j} 2\pi J_2(\beta\rho' \sin\theta) + \frac{e^{-2j\phi}}{2j} 2\pi J_{-2}(\beta\rho' \sin\theta)$
- Also note that $J_{-n}(z) = (-1)^n J_n(z)$
- $I_1 = -2\pi \sin(2\phi) J_2(\beta\rho' \sin\theta)$

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- $\tilde{E}_{ax}(\theta, \phi) = -E_0 \pi \sin(2\phi) \int_0^a \left\{ \frac{J_1\left(\frac{1.841\rho'}{a}\right)}{\rho'} - J'_1\left(\frac{1.841\rho'}{a}\right) \right\} \rho' J_2(\beta \rho' \sin\theta) d\rho'$
- Use Bessel identity I: $\alpha J_{p+1}(\alpha x) = \frac{p}{x} J_p(\alpha x) - \frac{dJ_p(\alpha x)}{dx}$
- Take $\alpha = \frac{1.841}{a}$, $x = \rho'$, $p = 1$ and we have, $\tilde{E}_{ax}(\theta, \phi) = -E_0 \pi \sin(2\phi) \frac{1.841}{a} \int_0^a \rho' J_2(\beta \rho' \sin\theta) \left\{ J_2\left(\frac{1.841\rho'}{a}\right) \right\} d\rho'$
- Note that $\int x J_n(\alpha x) J_n(\gamma x) dx = \frac{\gamma x J_n(\alpha x) J_{n-1}(\gamma x) - \alpha x J_{n-1}(\alpha x) J_n(\gamma x)}{\alpha^2 - \gamma^2}$
- In this case, take $\alpha = \beta \sin\theta$, $x = \rho'$, $\gamma = \frac{1.841}{a}$, $n = 2$, hence $\int_0^a \rho' J_2(\beta \sin\theta \rho') \left\{ J_2\left(\frac{1.841\rho'}{a}\right) \right\} d\rho' = \frac{1.841 J_2(\beta a \sin\theta) J_1(1.841) - \beta a \sin\theta J_1(\beta a \sin\theta) J_2(1.841)}{(\beta \sin\theta)^2 - \left(\frac{1.841}{a}\right)^2}$

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- Use the Bessel identity I for $\alpha = 1$: $J_{p+1}(x) = \frac{p}{x}J_p(x) - \frac{dJ_p(x)}{dx}$
- Take $x = 1.841 = \chi'_{11}, p = 1$
- Since, $J_2(1.841) = \frac{J_1(1.841)}{1.841} - J'_1(1.841) = \frac{J_1(1.841)}{1.841}$,
- Hence, $J_1(1.841) = 1.841J_2(1.841)$
- Therefore,
- $$\int_0^a \rho' J_2(\beta \sin \theta \rho') \left\{ J_2 \left(\frac{1.841 \rho'}{a} \right) \right\} d\rho' =$$
$$-\frac{a^2 J_2(1.841)}{1.841^2} \left\{ \frac{1.841^2 J_2(\beta a \sin \theta) - \beta a \sin \theta J_1(\beta a \sin \theta)}{1 - \left(\frac{\beta a \sin \theta}{1.841} \right)^2} \right\}$$

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- $\tilde{E}_{ax}(\theta, \phi) = E_0 2\pi a \sin(\phi) \cos(\phi) \frac{J_1(1.841)}{1.841^2} \left\{ \frac{1.841^2 J_2(\beta a \sin \theta) - \beta a \sin \theta J_1(\beta a \sin \theta)}{1 - \left(\frac{\beta a \sin \theta}{1.841} \right)^2} \right\}$
- Similarly,
- $\tilde{E}_{ay}(\theta, \phi) = \int_0^a \int_0^{2\pi} \left\{ E_0 J_1 \left(\frac{1.841 \rho'}{a} \right) \frac{\sin^2 \phi'}{\rho'} + E_0 J'_1 \left(\frac{1.841 \rho'}{a} \right) \cos^2 \phi' \right\} \sin 2\phi' e^{j\beta \rho' \sin \theta \cos(\phi - \phi')} d\phi' \rho' d\rho'$ $= E_0 2\pi a \frac{J_1(1.841)}{1.841^2} \left\{ \frac{\sin^2 \phi J_1(\beta a \sin \theta) \left(\beta a \sin \theta - \frac{1.841^2}{\beta a \sin \theta} \right) - \cos^2 \phi 1.841^2 J'_1(\beta a \sin \theta)}{1 - \left(\frac{\beta a \sin \theta}{1.841} \right)^2} \right\}$

Aperture antennas

- Using equation (24.1) and (24.2), we have far fields of open ended circular waveguide

- $E_{ff\theta} \cong \frac{2j\beta e^{(-j\beta r)}}{4\pi r} [(\tilde{E}_{ay} \sin\phi + \tilde{E}_{ax} \cos\phi)]$

- and $E_{ff\phi} \cong \frac{2j\beta e^{(-j\beta r)}}{4\pi r} [(\tilde{E}_{ay} \cos\theta \cos\phi - \tilde{E}_{ax} \cos\theta \sin\phi)]$

- It can be shown that

- $\tilde{E}_{ay} \sin\phi + \tilde{E}_{ax} \cos\phi = E_0 2\pi a J_1(1.841) \sin(\phi) \frac{J_1(\beta a \sin\theta)}{\beta a \sin\theta}$

- $\tilde{E}_{ay} \cos\theta \cos\phi - \tilde{E}_{ax} \cos\theta \sin\phi =$

$$E_0 2\pi a J_1(1.841) \cos(\theta) \cos(\phi) \frac{J'_1(\beta a \sin\theta)}{1 - \left(\frac{\beta a \sin\theta}{1.841}\right)^2}$$

Aperture antennas

- Using equation (24.1) and (24.2), we have far fields of open ended circular waveguide
- $E_{ff\theta} \cong \frac{j\beta E_0 a J_1(1.841)e^{-j\beta r}}{r} \left[\left(\frac{J_1(\beta a \sin \theta)}{\beta a \sin \theta} \right) \sin(\phi) \right]$
- and $E_{ff\phi} \cong \frac{j\beta E_0 a J_1(1.841)e^{-j\beta r}}{r} \left[\left(\cos(\theta) \frac{J'_1(\beta a \sin \theta)}{1 - \left(\frac{\beta a \sin \theta}{1.841} \right)^2} \right) \cos(\phi) \right]$
- For E-plane (y-z plane and $\phi = \frac{\pi}{2}$)

$$E_{ff\theta} \cong \frac{j\beta E_0 a J_1(1.841)e^{-j\beta r}}{r} \left[\left(\frac{J_1(\beta a \sin \theta)}{\beta a \sin \theta} \right) \right] \text{ and } E_{ff\phi} \cong 0$$

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- The 3-dB pattern point in E-plane ($\phi = \frac{\pi}{2}$ or y-z plane) is
- $\beta a \sin \theta_1 = 1.6162$
- Or, $\sin \theta_1 = \frac{1.6162}{\beta a} = \frac{1.6162\lambda}{\pi 2a} = \frac{1.6162\lambda}{\pi D} = 0.5145 \frac{\lambda}{D}$
- Hence, $HPBW_{E-plane} = 2 \sin^{-1} \left(0.5145 \frac{\lambda}{D} \right) rad = 114.59 \sin^{-1} \left(0.5145 \frac{\lambda}{D} \right) degrees$
- where D is diameter

Aperture antennas

- SLL is -17.6 dB (please note that it is first order Bessel's function of first kind not sinc function)
- For BWFN, the first zero or null point is
- $\beta \sin \theta_{null} = 3.8317$
- $BWFN_{E-plane} = 2 \sin^{-1} \left(\frac{3.8317\lambda}{\pi D} \right) = 2 \sin^{-1} \left(\frac{1.2197\lambda}{D} \right) rad$
 $= 114.592 \sin^{-1} \left(\frac{1.2197\lambda}{D} \right) degrees$
- Directivity
- $D = 0.836 \frac{4\pi}{\lambda^2} (\pi a^2) = 0.836 \left(\frac{2\pi a}{\lambda} \right)^2$

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- Fig. E-plane and H-plane of open ended circular waveguide at 15 GHz

E-plane

$$E_{ff\theta} \cong \frac{j\beta E_0 a J_1(1.841) e^{(-j\beta r)}}{r} \left[\left(\frac{J_1(\beta a \sin \theta)}{\beta a \sin \theta} \right) \right]$$

H-plane

$$E_{ff\phi} \cong \frac{j\beta E_0 a J_1(1.841) e^{(-j\beta r)}}{r} \left[\left(\cos(\theta) \frac{J'_1(\beta a \sin \theta)}{1 - \left(\frac{\beta a \sin \theta}{1.841} \right)^2} \right) \right]$$

