

Microstrip Patch Antenna for Wi-Fi and Bluetooth Application in the ISM Band

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Abstract:

An antenna with excellent precision is needed because wireless communication technology is developing quickly. This research study illustrates a 2.4GHz-resonant microstrip patch antenna that operates in the L band for satellite communication. Coaxial feeding is the mechanism employed for this antenna. For this antenna, variables such as bandwidth, gain, and return loss are analysed. Design and simulation are performed using the CST STUDIO. Introduction to Microstrip Patch Antenna Design A rectangular microstrip patch antenna with an inset-fed microstrip feed line is theorized to be designed for Wi-Fi at 2.4GHz. CST

I. INTRODUCTION

The antenna is a crucial component in any field of wireless communication. Various types of antennas are available depending on the use and necessity. Today's electronics and communication advancements tend to reduce the size of communication devices, necessitating the use of small, portable antennas.

The most popular antennas are microstrip patch antennas because they are lightweight, quick to make, and simple to utilize in any system. The patch antenna also offers great efficiency, and the efficiency of the patch is dependent on the material's ϵ_r . The effectiveness of the antenna grows as we choose materials for the patch that have low values of ϵ_r . Patch can be fed in a variety of ways.

II. FEEDING TECHNIQUES

Contacting feed:

In this technique, the radiating element receives power directly. A coaxial wire or micro strip is used for this. There are so two varieties of touching feed:

Microstrip Feeding:

It is a conducting strip whose width is much smaller than the radiating element's width. The feed line allows for simple etching on the substrate because the strip's dimensions are narrower. The structure's feed line may be placed in one of three locations: the centre, inset, or offset.

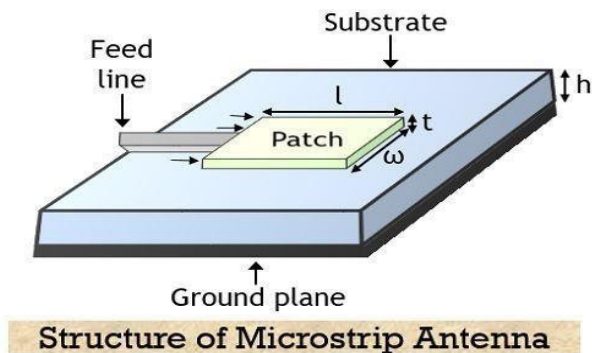


Fig. 1

Coaxial feeding:

One of the of ten employed techniques for feeding the antenna is coaxial feed. The inner conductor is connected to the patch when coaxial feeding is applied to the antenna. While the ground plane is connected to the outer conductor. The impedance varies along with the variation in the coaxial feed's position. Because the feed line can be linked wherever on the patch, impedance matching is made easier. However, since this requires drilling a hole in the substrate, connecting the feed line with the ground plane is a little challenging.

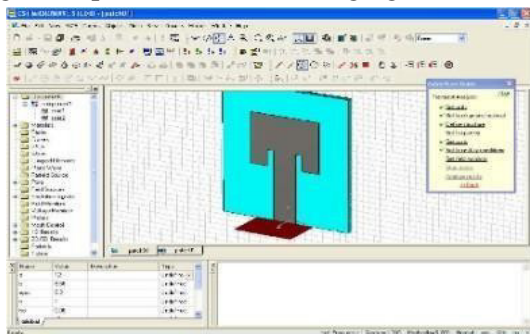


Fig 2. Simulated Patch Antenna

Non-Contact feed:

(a) Aperture:

With this type of electromagnetic coupling, the radiating element can be excited without coming into touch with the other object. In this procedure, two dielectric substrates that are separated by a ground plane are taken into

consideration. The ground plane serves as the feedline's conduit. The upper dielectric substrate contains the patch because there is no direct contact between the feed and the radiating patch. As a result, a slot forms on the conducting plane, allowing the feed line's energy to be coupled to the antenna. The feed line is separated from the radiating element by the ground plane. Control is possible due to the slot's length and feed line's width. The antenna feed method is the most challenging.

(b) Proximity:

It is also referred to as indirect feed because there is no ground plane involved. The conducting surface of the antenna has a slot, and a microstrip line is used to provide coupling. Compared to an aperture coupled feed antenna, it is simpler to fabricate. It provides the widest band width and little spurious emission.

III. METHODOLOGY

Object Identification:

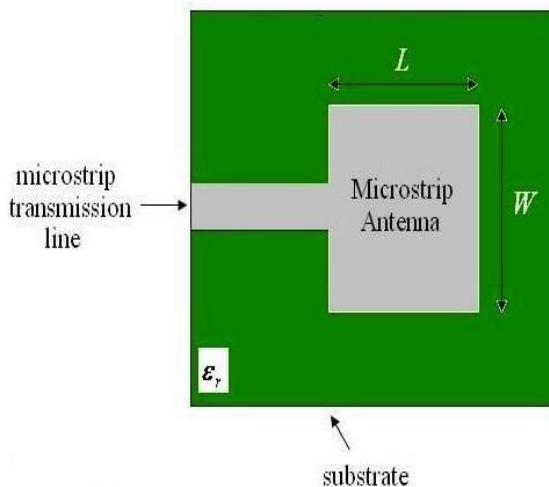


Fig 3. Top view of patch antenna

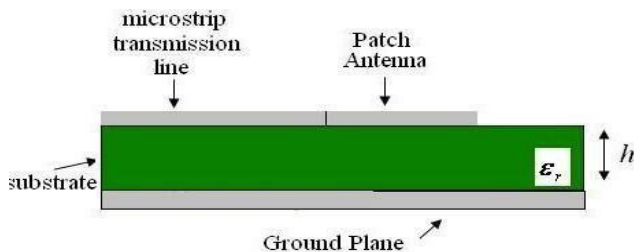


Fig 4. Side view of patch antenna

II. DESIGN OF MICROSTRIP ANTENNA

The ability to print microstrip or patch antennas directly on to a circuit board makes them more and more practical. Microstrip antennas are becoming more common in mobile phones very quickly. Patch antennas are inexpensive, have a small profile, and are simple to make. High conductivity metal is used to make the patch antenna, microstrip transmission line, and ground plane (typically copper). The patch has the following dimensions: L,W, and is supported by a substrate (adi electric circuit board) with the following thickness, h, and permittivity, Erordi electric constant. It is not crucially significant how thick the ground plane or microstripis. The heighth should not be much less than 0.025 wave lengths.

RT5880SUBSTRATE

High frequency/broadband applications are well suited for RT/duroid5880 laminates because they have a low dielectric constant (Dk) and minimal dielectric loss. The randomly aligned microfibers reinforcing the PTFE composites aid in preserving THE Dk homogeny.

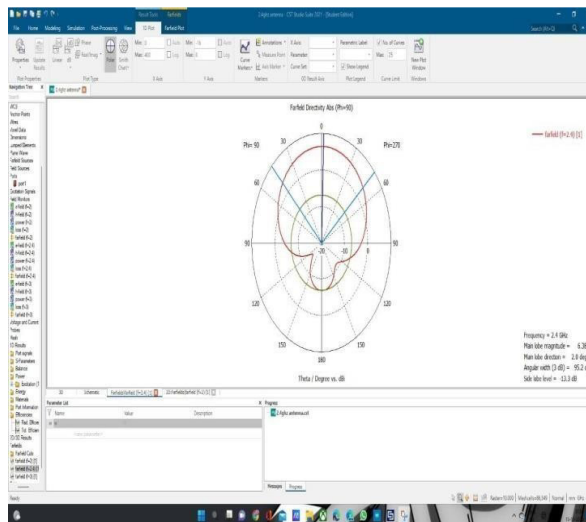


Fig 5. Farfield of Patch Antenna

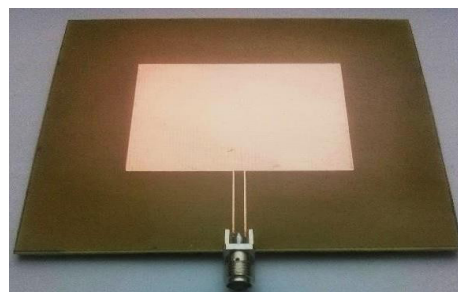


Fig 6. 3d View of Farfield

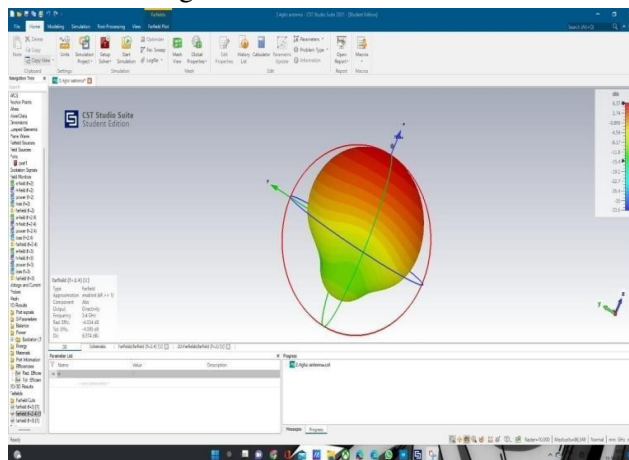


Fig7. 2d View of Farfield

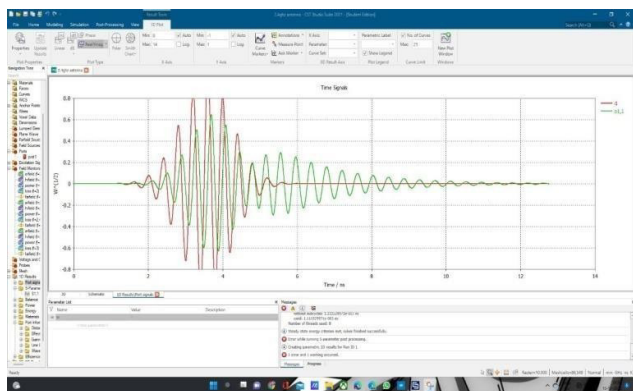


Fig 8. Emission Pattern

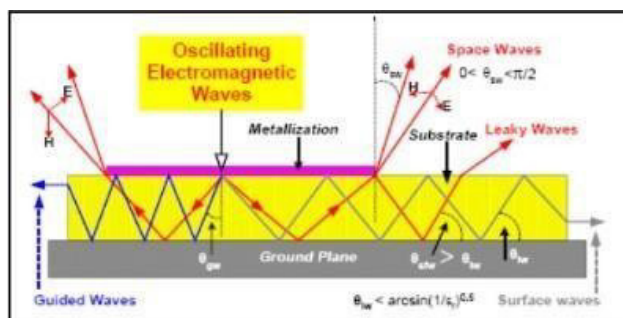


Fig 9. Copper Clad

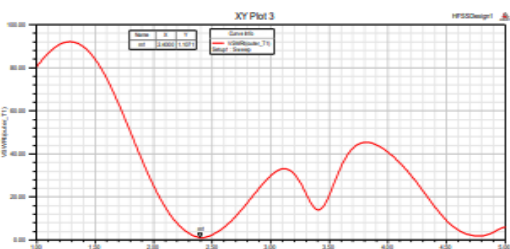


Fig 10. Patch Antenna Gain

Conclusion:

This article presents the simulation of a microstrip patch antenna designed for ISM band applications. We have designed the microstrip patch antenna which is resonating at the center frequency of 2.4GHz that is ISM band frequency. Voltage standing wave ratio for this antenna is 1.1 and bandwidth is 5% of the center frequency. This simulation results indicate seamless integration potential of the antenna with the existing ISM band application circuitry.

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Resonant Frequency	2.4GHz
Return Loss	-44.721dB
Gain	0.645
VSWR	1.1
Bandwidth	5%