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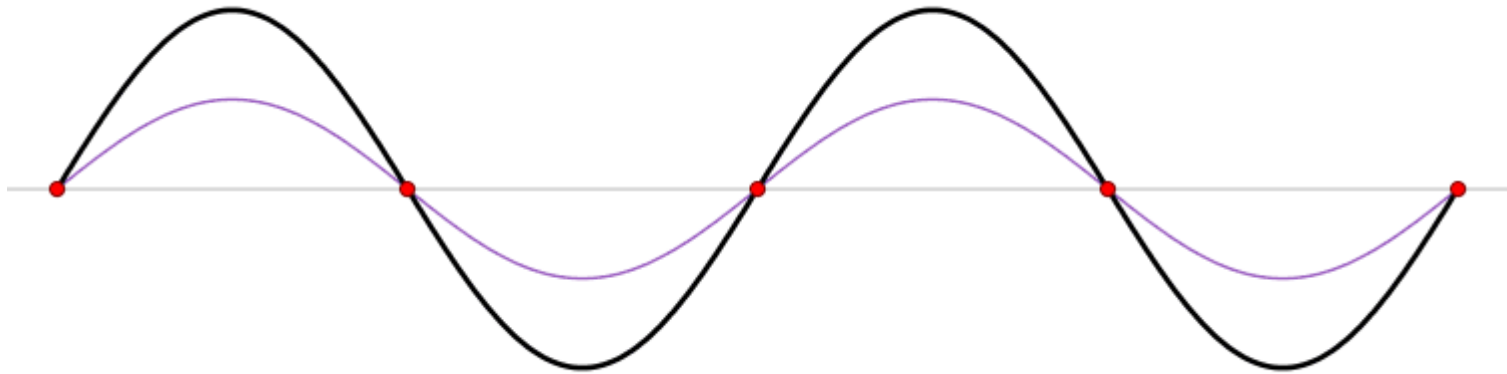
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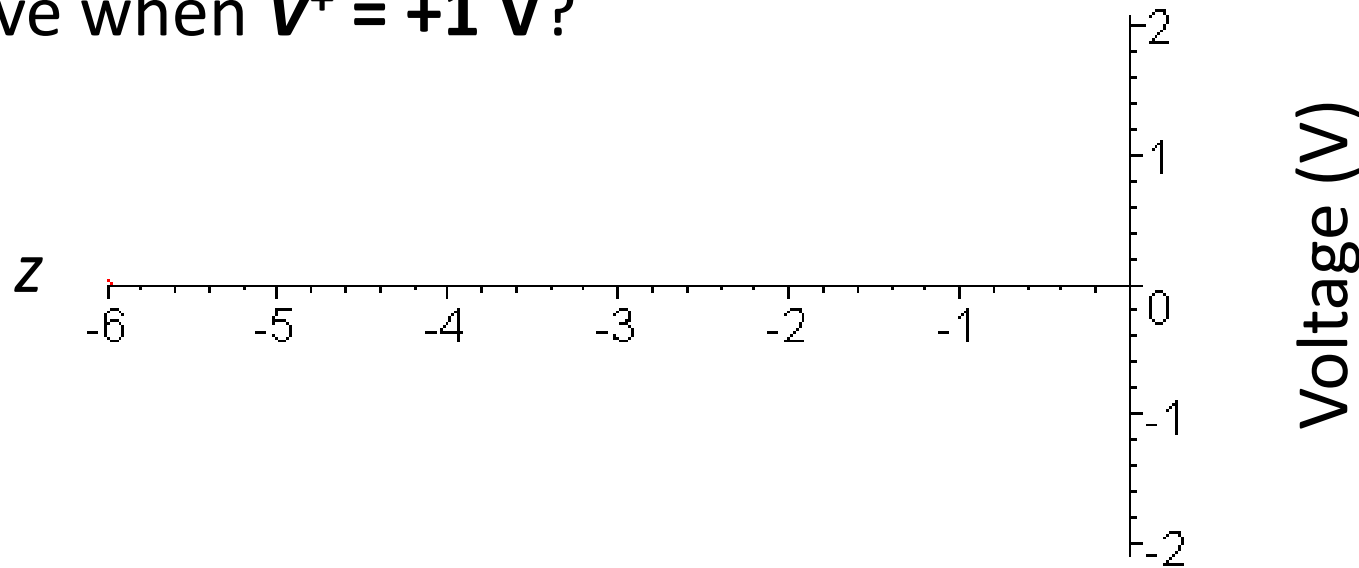
Standing wave in time domain



$$V(z) = V^+ e^{-j\beta z} + V^- e^{+j\beta z}$$

- Blue curve = ?
- Red curve = ?
- Black curve = ?
- Red dots = ?
- The part between the red dots = ?
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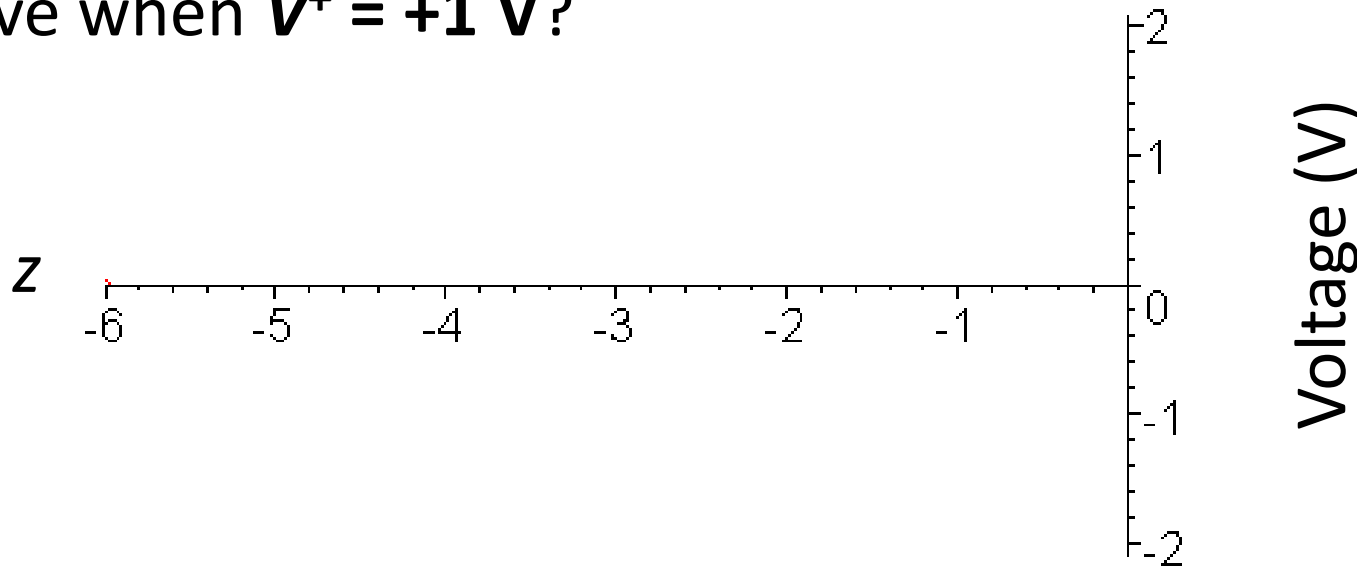
1. $V^- = -2$ V
2. $V^- = -1$ V
3. $V^- = 0$ V
4. $V^- = +1$ V
5. $V^- = +2$ V
6. I don't know

$+1$ V

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Q1b. What is the voltage amplitude V^- of the **reverse** voltage wave when $V^+ = +1\text{ V}$?



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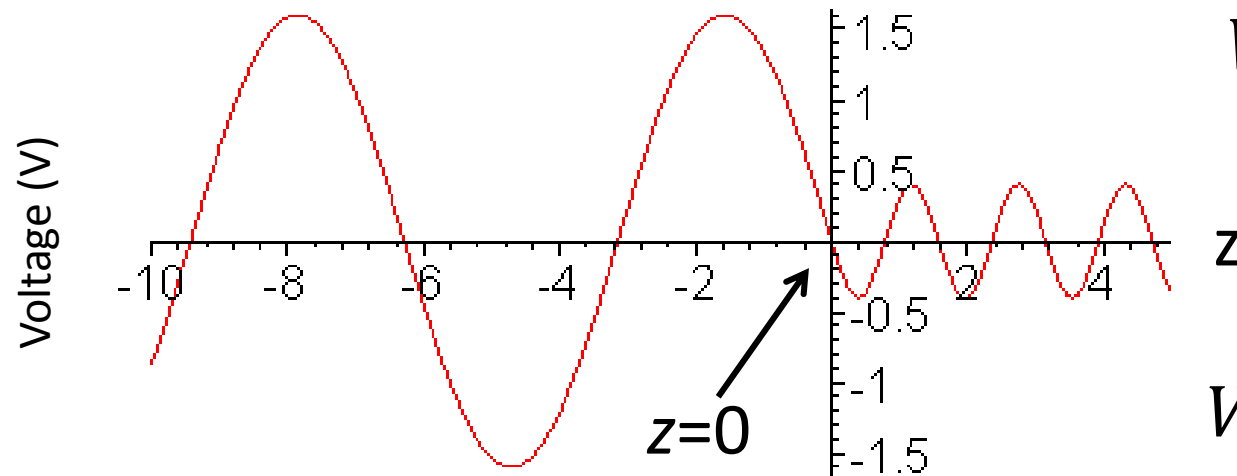
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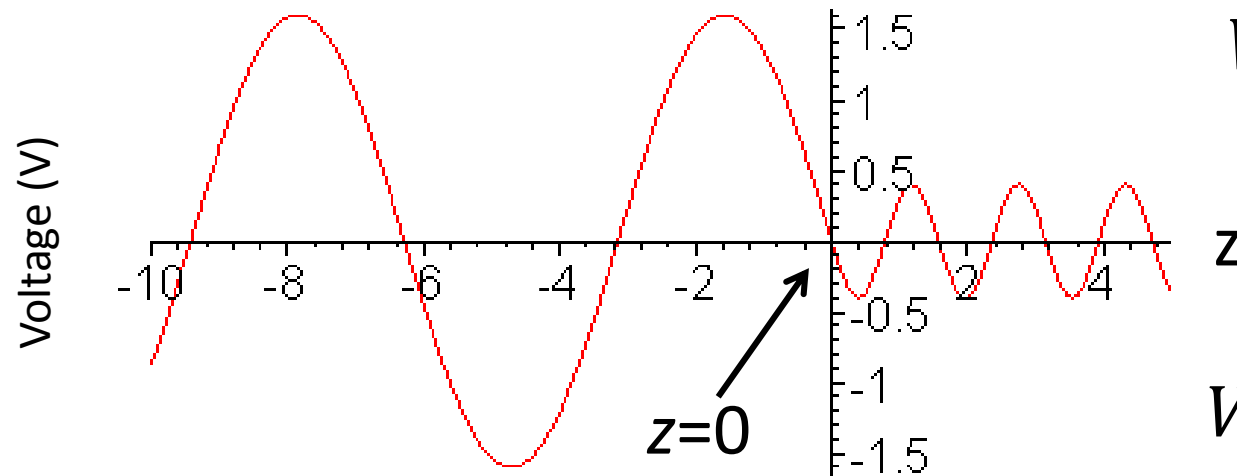
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transmitted
voltage

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2. A pure reverse (to negative z) propagating wave – i.e., $V^+ = 0$.
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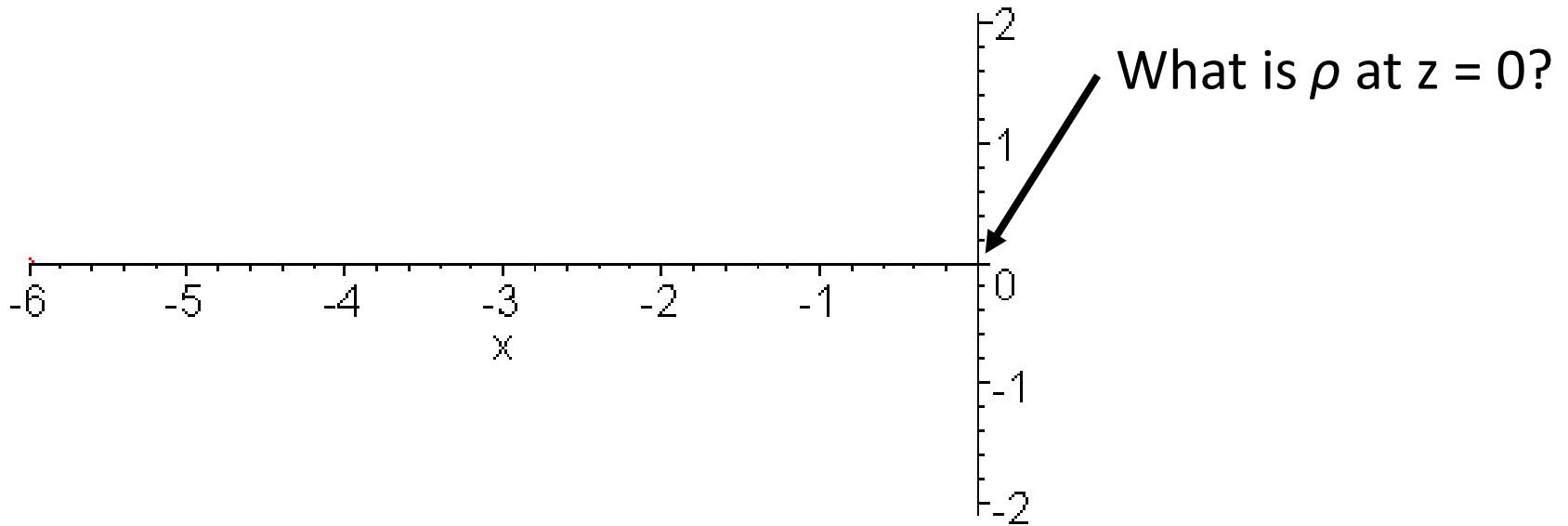
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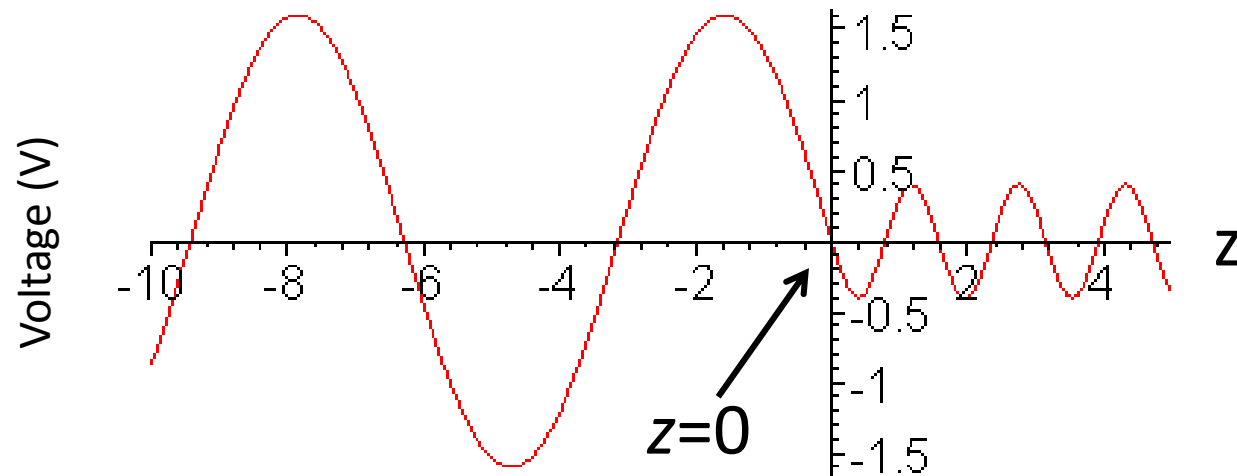
Voltage reflection coefficient ρ



Voltage reflection coefficient ρ definition (remember!):

$$\rho = \frac{\text{reflected voltage at } z = 0}{\text{forward voltage at } z = 0} = \frac{V^- e^{+j\beta \cdot 0}}{V^+ e^{+j\beta \cdot 0}} = \frac{V^-}{V^+}$$

Q3a. $U^+ = 1$ V. What is the voltage reflection coefficient ρ at $z = 0$?



1. $\rho = 0$
2. $\rho = -1$
3. $\rho = 1$
4. $0 < \rho < 1$
5. $-1 < \rho < 0$
6. I don't know

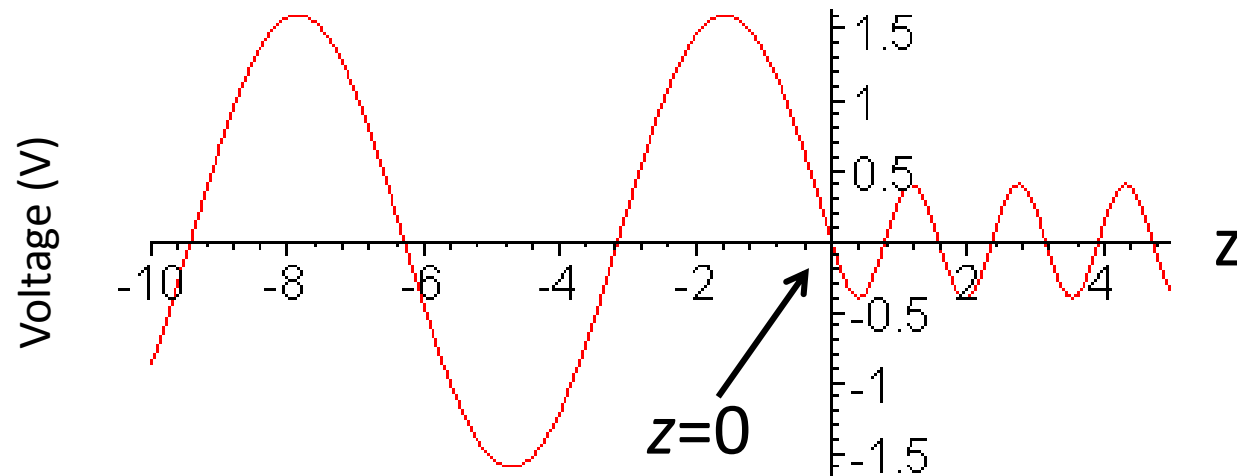
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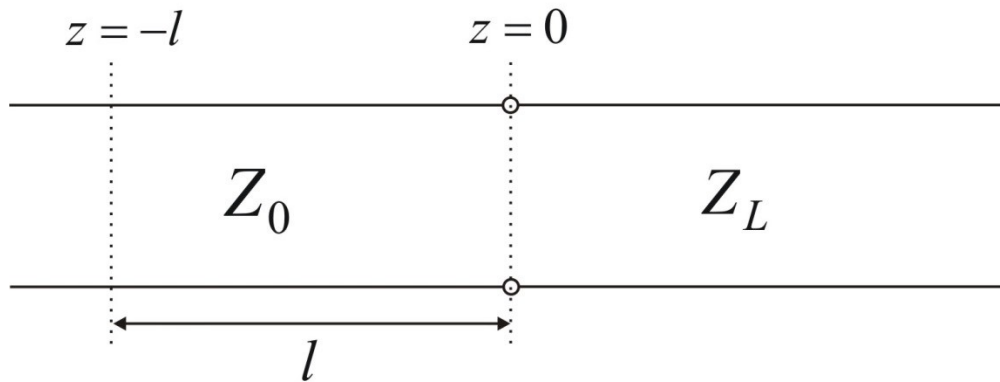
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Voltage reflection ρ and transmission τ coefficients



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At $z = 0$, the voltage and current must be **continuous**!

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$$\rho = \frac{V^-}{V^+}$$

Transmission Coefficient:

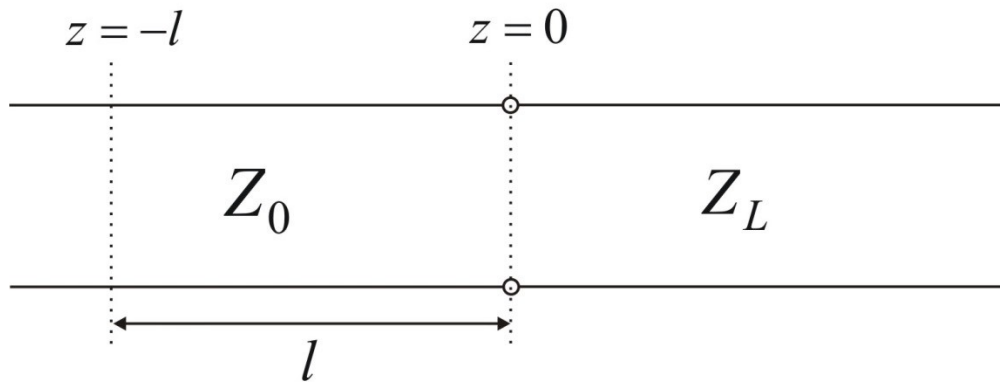
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$$\rho = ???$$

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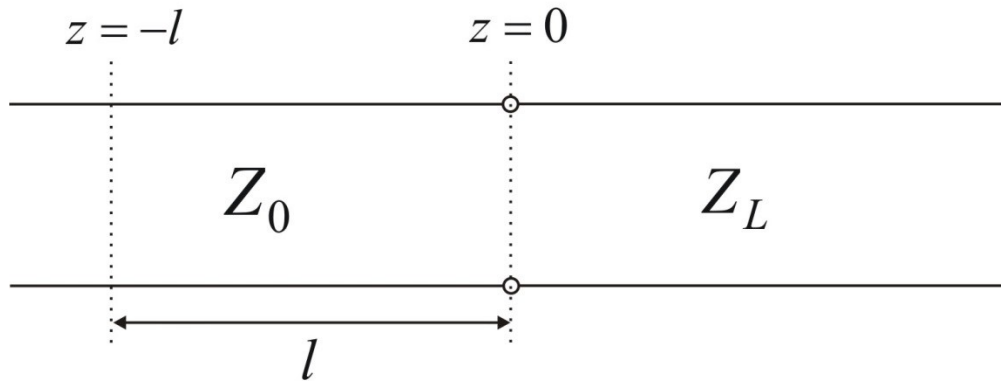
$$\tau = \frac{V^T}{V^+}$$



$$\rho = \frac{Z_L - Z_0}{Z_L + Z_0}$$

$$\tau = 1 + \rho$$

Q4a: $\rho = -0.5$ and $V^+ = 1$ V. What is the **maximum** voltage (absolute value) of the standing wave in $z \leq 0$?



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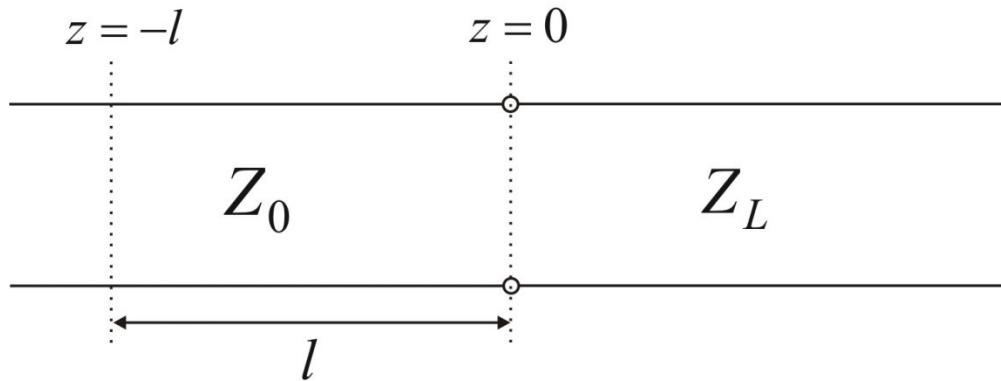
$$V(z > 0) = V^T e^{-j\beta z}$$

$$V^+ = 1 \text{ V}, \rho = -0.5$$

$$V^T = 0.5 \text{ V}$$

1. 0.5 V
2. 1 V
3. 1.5 V
4. 2.0 V
5. 2.5 V
6. I don't know

Q4b: $\rho = -0.5$ and $V^+ = 1$ V. What is the **maximum** voltage (absolute value) of the standing wave in $z \leq 0$?



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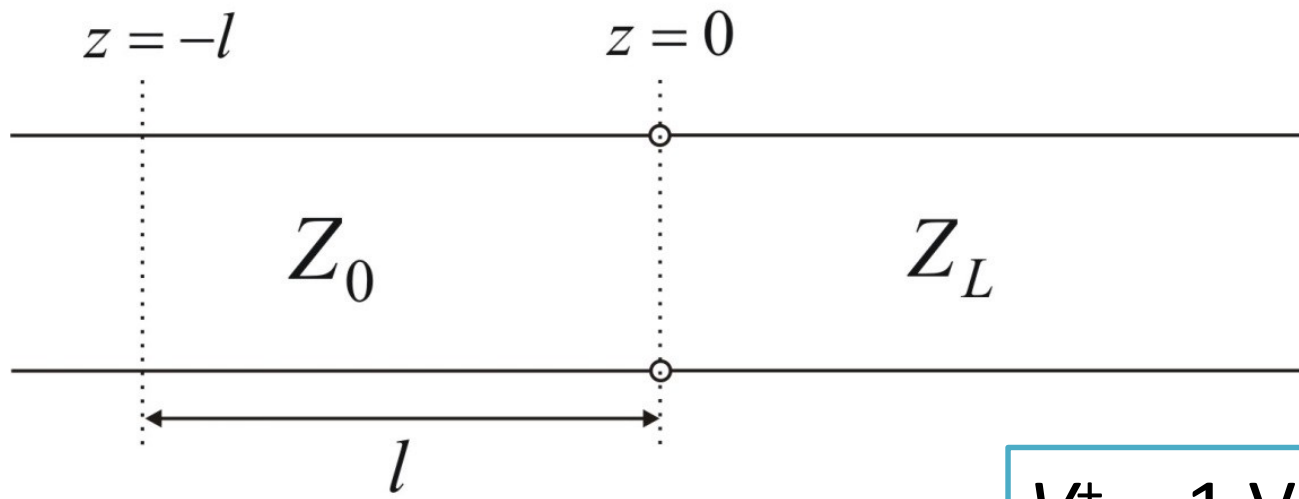
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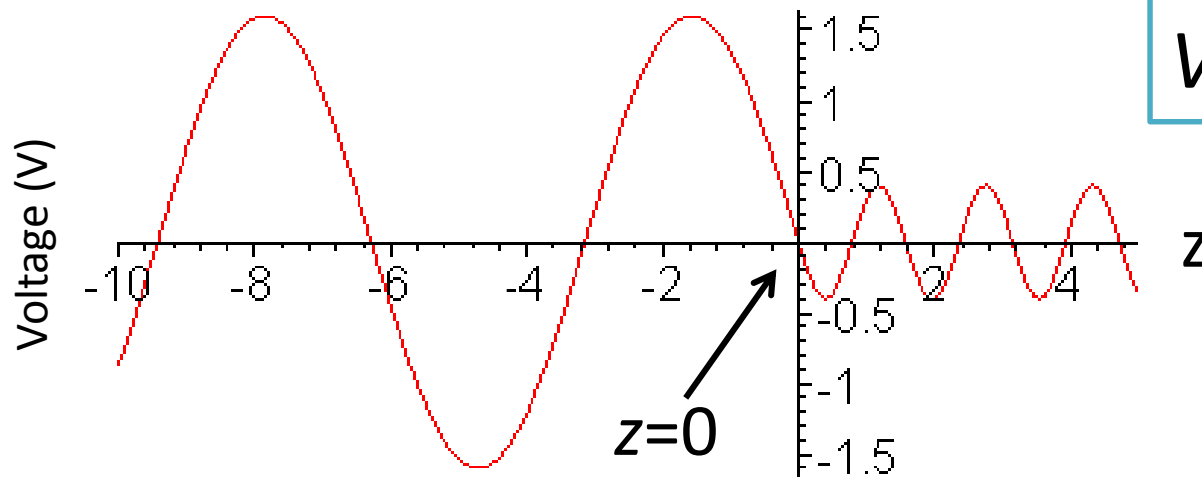
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$$V^+ = 1 \text{ V}, \rho = -0.5$$
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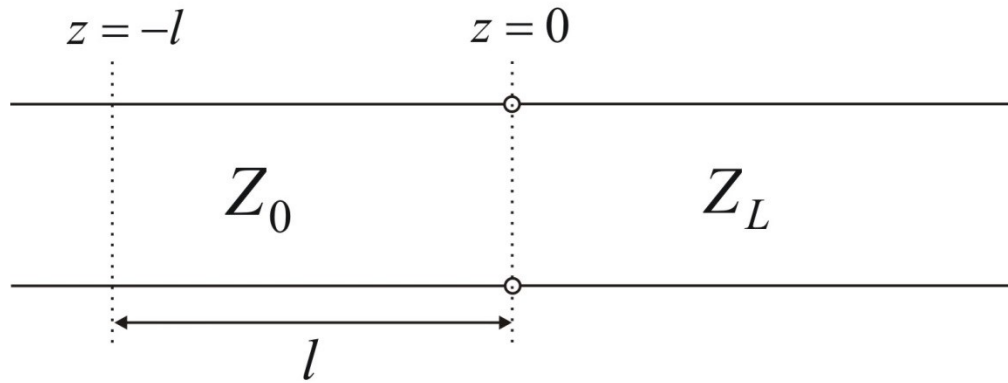


$$V(z \leq 0) = 1 \text{ V} \cdot e^{-j\beta z}$$

$$-0.5 \text{ V} \cdot e^{+j\beta z}$$

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Standing wave along a transmission line ($z \leq 0$)



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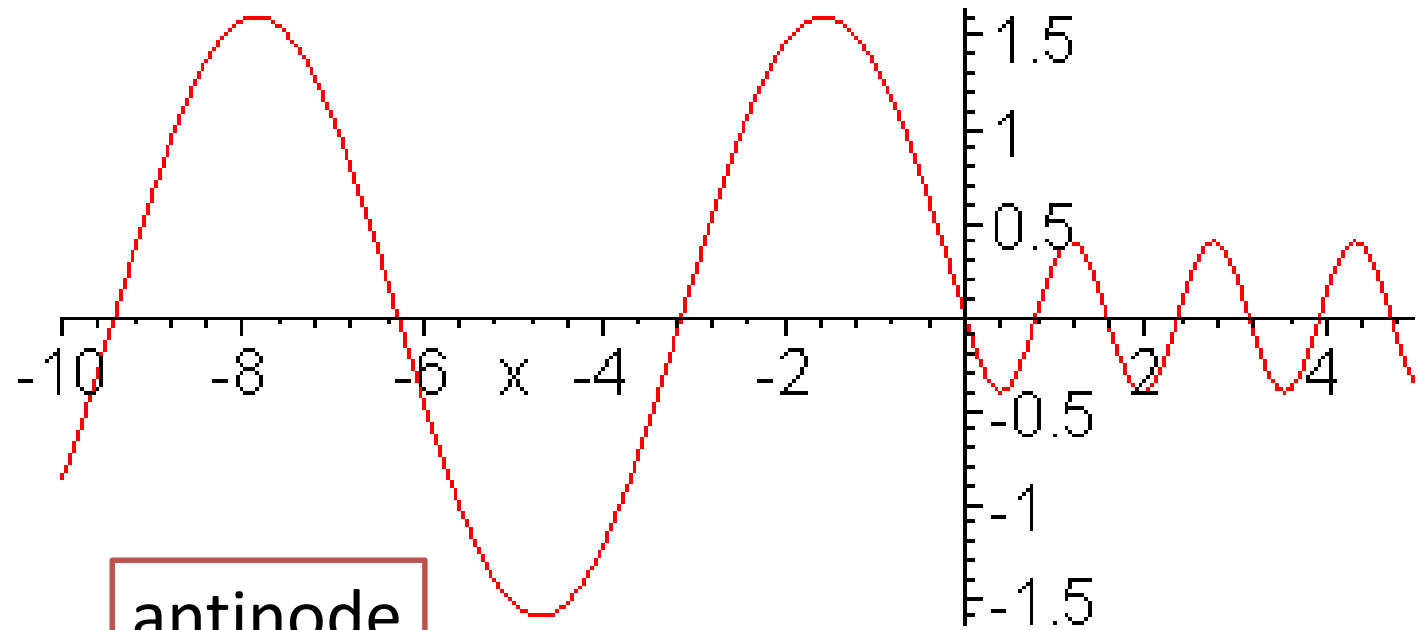
$$V(z) = V^+ e^{-j\beta \cdot z} + V^- e^{+j\beta \cdot z} = V^+ e^{-j\beta \cdot z} (1 + \rho \cdot e^{+j2\beta z})$$

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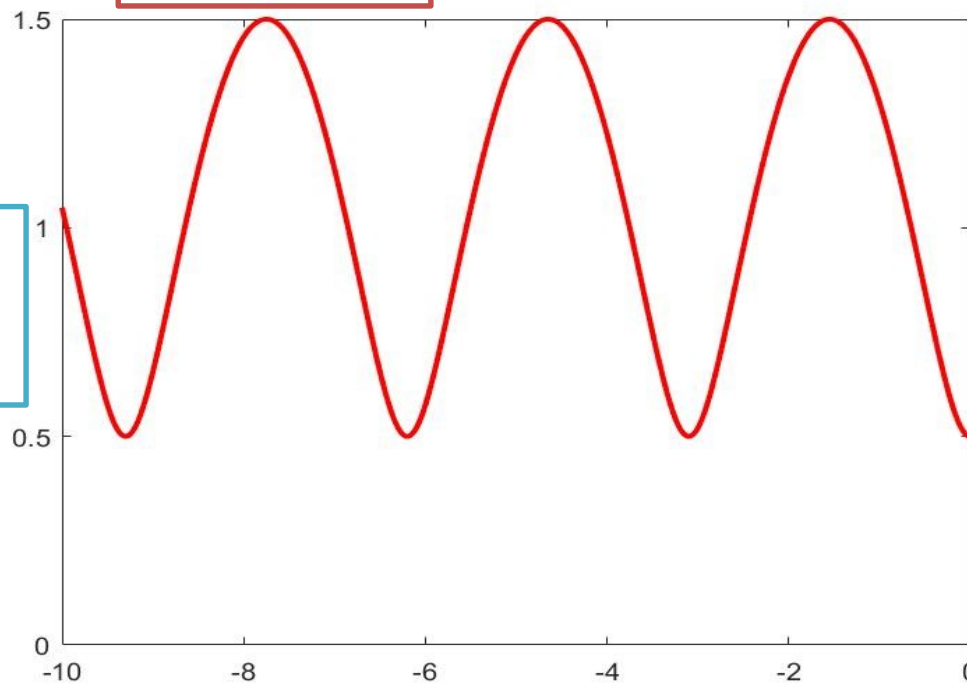
absolute values / envelope curves of the standing wave:

$$|V(z)| = V^+ |1 + \rho \cdot e^{+j2\beta z}| \quad |I(z)| = \frac{V^+}{Z_0} |1 - \rho \cdot e^{+j2\beta z}|$$

Time
domain
voltage
 $V(z, t)$



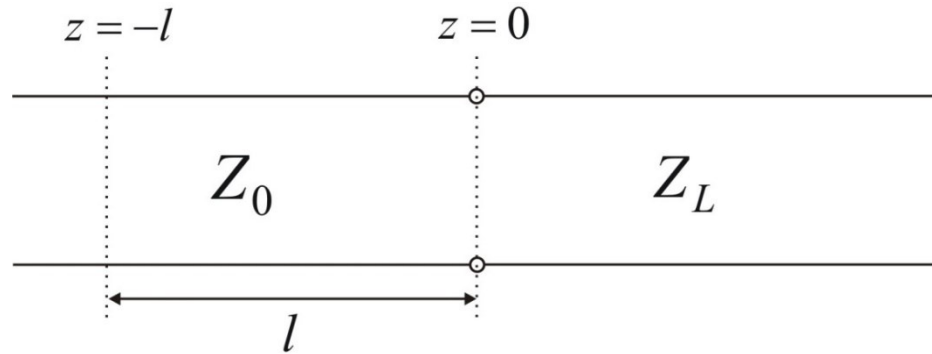
envelope
 $|V(z)|_{\max}$



voltage standing
wave ratio:

$$\text{VSWR} = 1.5/0.5 \\ = 3$$

Q5a: Which of the statements is incorrect?



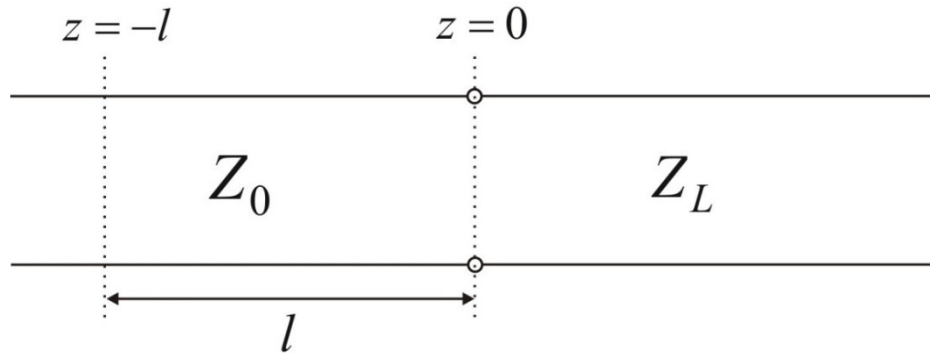
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4. in the time domain the voltage oscillates between maximum positive and minimum negative voltage values
5. the distance to the next voltage maximum is **half** wavelength, $\lambda/2$
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Q5b: Which of the statements is incorrect?



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