

1.(30%) The height of an ocean wave is described by the function

$$y(x, t) = 1.5 \sin(0.5t - 0.6x) \text{ (m)}.$$

Determine the phase velocity (10%) and the wavelength (10%), and then sketch  $y(x, t)$  at  $t = 2$  s over the range from  $x = 0$  to  $x = 2\lambda$ .

**Solution:** The given wave may be rewritten as a cosine function:

$$y(x, t) = 1.5 \cos(0.5t - 0.6x - \pi/2).$$

By comparison of this wave with Eq. (1.32),

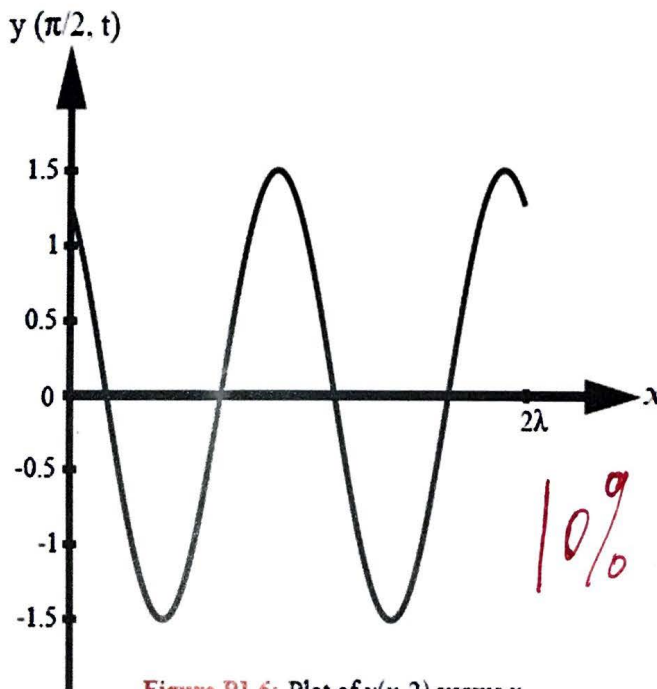
$$y(x, t) = A \cos(\omega t - \beta x + \phi_0),$$

we deduce that

$$\omega = 2\pi f = 0.5 \text{ rad/s}, \quad \beta = \frac{2\pi}{\lambda} = 0.6 \text{ rad/m},$$

$$\frac{10\%}{u_p = \frac{\omega}{\beta} = \frac{0.5}{0.6} = 0.83 \text{ m/s}, \quad \lambda = \frac{2\pi}{\beta} = \frac{2\pi}{0.6} = 10.47 \text{ m.} \quad 10\%$$

At  $t = 2$  s,  $y(x, 2) = 1.5 \sin(1 - 0.6x)$  (m), with the argument of the cosine function given in radians. Plot is shown in Fig. .



**Figure P1.6:** Plot of  $y(x, 2)$  versus  $x$ .

2. (30%) An air spaced lossless  $50\text{-}\Omega$  line ( $\epsilon_r = 1$ ) is terminated in a load with impedance of  $Z_L = 60 + j60\text{-}\Omega$  at frequency  $5\text{GHz}$ , Find (1) the reflection coefficient (10%); (2) the voltage standing wave ratio (S) (10%) and (3) the location of the first voltage maximum from the load in centimeters (10%).

Solution:

$$(1) \Gamma = \frac{Z_L - Z_0}{Z_L + Z_0} = \frac{60 + j60 - 50}{60 + j60 + 50} = \underline{0.49 \angle 0.91} \quad 5\%$$

$$(2) S = \frac{1 + |\Gamma|}{1 - |\Gamma|} = \frac{1 + 0.49}{1 - 0.49} = \underline{2.9} \quad 5\%$$

$$(3) l_{\max} = \frac{\theta_r}{4\pi} \lambda = 0.072 \lambda$$

$$\lambda = \frac{c}{f} = \frac{3 \times 10^8 \text{ m/s}}{5 \times 10^9 \text{ Hz}} = 6 \text{ cm}$$

$$l_{\max} = \underline{0.43 \text{ cm}} \quad 5\%$$

2. (30%) An air spaced lossless 50-Ω line ( $\epsilon_r = 1$ ) is terminated in a load with impedance of  $Z_L = 60 + j60\text{-}\Omega$  at frequency 5GHz, Find (1) the reflection coefficient (10%); (2) the voltage standing wave ratio (S) (10%) and (3) the location of the first voltage maximum from the load in centimeters (10%).

Solution:

$$(1) \Gamma = \frac{Z_L - Z_0}{Z_L + Z_0} = \frac{60 + j60 - 50}{60 + j60 + 50} = \underline{0.49 \angle 0.91} \quad 5\%$$

$$(2) S = \frac{1 + |\Gamma|}{1 - |\Gamma|} = \frac{1 + 0.49}{1 - 0.49} = \underline{2.9} \quad 5\%$$

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