以均匀阻抗及步階阻抗共振腔

設計類橢圓函數頻率響應微帶線帶通濾波器

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摘要

本論文提出在微帶線共振腔的中心點擇定饋入四分之波長的開路傳 輸線段,使以此共振腔合成的濾波器產生傳輸零點。藉由在濾波器通 帶兩側加入零點的結果,得到類似橢圓函數的頻率響應。因為端點開 路之電路經過四分之波長阻抗轉換器,會得到虛短路的效果,故能產 生傳輸的零點。根據此觀念,本文利用了兩種耦合結構合成濾波器, 一個是傳統的直接耦合結構,另一個則是三線輸入/出耦合結構,後 者可用來補償傳統直接耦合結構的缺點。此外,將傳統的均勻共振腔 改成步階阻抗共振腔,則可使微帶線濾波器的諧波(虛假響應)頻率 變高,可以得到較寬的上截止頻帶。電路之模擬和實際量測結果相當 一致。

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Design of UIR and SIR Bandpass Filters with an Elliptic Function-Like Response

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Abstract

Resonators tapped with $\lambda/4$ open-end stubs are proposed to design microstrip bandpss filters with transmission zeros. An elliptic function-like response can be obtained by inserting two zeros at both sides of filter passband. Based on the concept that a virtual ground can be created by an open-end $\lambda/4$ stub, we design filters by using two kinds of coupling structures. One is the traditional structure with a direct parallel-line coupling and the other is three-line coupling structure. In addition, stepped-impedance resonators (SIRs) are employed to replace uniform impedance resonators (UIRs) to push spurious harmonic to a higher frequency so that a wider upper stopband can be obtained. By the way, other structures for filter performance improvement are also presented. Several circuits are fabricated and measured, and the results show a close agreement with the simulation.

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