



# Slot and Meander-Line Effect on Micro strip Structure: A Review

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**Abstract**—The coupling phenomena of the MPA are regulated using slot line and meander line structure because of its obvious advantages. larger bandwidth, compact and easily fabricated on-chip printed circuit board, over aperture coupled patch antenna which is very sensitive towards nearby electronic components. To introduce decoupling and isolation slot and meandered line patch is very useful, keeping this in mind this manuscript presents the insights of said techniques in PA (patch antenna) designing. In this paper, different slots and the MLA have been fabricated for wireless and wired connections largely in Wi-Fi/WLAN applications. The writing introduced in this paper gives the examination of various meander lines such as with and without conductor line, slotted meander-line which is fabricated using the presentation of the deformity in the microstrip structure for band-notch. In the correlation between the aftereffects of the introduced writing, we can finish up that the slotted and meander lines enhance the isolation between two electronic elements in the patch antenna configuration. The literature suggests that using the above techniques bandwidth of the patch antenna can enhance along with an increase in directivity, broadband impedance, and radiation efficiency.

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## I. INTRODUCTION

In modern times, there has been rapid growth in the area of wireless communication. Multiple antenna elements intended to work at a similar recurrence share a common substrate in antenna arrays. A difficult coupling issue between antenna elements occurs, which may fundamentally slow down adjoining antenna unit cells, resulting in decreased antenna gain, operational bandwidth, and radiation efficiency. Therefore, it is important to suggest a suitable method to overcome this coupling effect and work on the antenna array's capabilities. In literature, several configurations like multiple dielectric substrates, electromagnetic band-gap (EBG) structures, and defected ground plane structures (DGS) have been investigated to suppress the effect of mutual coupling allying the element of the antenna. In EBG structures that suppress the surface current are proposed as suitable aid for overcoming the effects on mutual coupling. However, to incorporate these periodic structures in the middle of the radiating elements, the detachment between the antenna elements should be large, essentially greater than one-third of the free-space wavelength. The utilization of planar EBG without vias increases the intricacy and cost of being multilayer in nature. DGS structures accepted as a solution increase the back-radiation, resulting in a reduced front-to-back ratio, and multilayer dielectric substrates increment the heaviness

of the antenna arrays. Other techniques involve the utilization of slotted corresponding split-ring resonator and waveguide meta materials. The concept of using meander lines for isolation enhancement. In this article, SML Resonators are preferred to be the decoupling unit that consumes less space when contrasted with EBG structures and utilize a single standard substrate. Reduction in the positioning between the radiating elements can enhance the packing density of the radiators in the aperture of the antenna, resulting in antenna array miniaturization. The decoupling unit has two sections of slotted meander lines cascaded and sandwiched in the middle of two patch antennas designed to work at 2.4 GHz to 4.8 GHz. These SMLR structures act as a band-stop resonator that specifically stops the surface current from one unit cell to another unit cell. The patched antenna is excited using 50-micro-strip lines through a quarter-wave transformer.

With present requests for dependable, adaptable, financially and lightweight antenna for WIFI applications, there is progress in utilizing the small conducting surface area. A radiating surface area decrease idea was read up for sinking how much conductive ink to be utilized in printed cell phone antenna bringing about diminished weight and cost-productive.

## II. MICROSTRIP

A microstrip is a kind of electrical transmission line that can be manufactured with any innovation where a

transmitter is isolated from a ground plane by a dielectric layer known as the substrate. Microstrip lines are utilized to convey microwave-frequency signals. To decrease cost, microstrip gadgets might be based on a conventional FR-4 (standard PCB) substrate. Regardless, it is for the most part expected saw that the dielectric misfortunes in FR4 are exorbitantly high at microwave frequencies and that the dielectric consistent isn't true to form controlled. Microstrip lines are additionally utilized in high-speed digital PCB designs, where signals should be directed starting with one part of the assembly to another with minimum distortion and avoid high cross-talk and radiation. Microstrip is one of many kinds of planar transmission lines, others join stripline and coplanar waveguide, and it is attainable to arrange these on a comparable substrate.

### III. SML (Slotted Meander line)

An MLA is a type of microstrip antenna formed on a modified microstrip structure. Meander line innovation permits planning antennas in a company of a little size also gives wideband execution. Meander line antennas are a fascinating class of resonant antennas and they have been broadly examined to decrease the proportion of the radiating elements in wire antennas: monopole, dipole, and crimped dipole type antennas. In meander line antennas, the wire is folded to decrease the resonant length. Improving the complete wire length in a radio wire of fixed axial length brings down its resonant frequency. According to S. Best, at the point when 3 is made to be resonant at a similar frequency, the exhibition characteristics of antennas are autonomous of the distinctions in their geometry of total wire length. Uniform U-MLA structures, the geometry are portrayed to parameters: the number of turns, and length of the horizontal and vertical segment. For NU-MLA there are no tied values for the variables. The operating wavelength is the wavelength where the coefficients of reflection are not exactly - 20 dB. The great return loss is not exactly - 10 dB for the antenna

### IV. LITERATURE REVIEW

In this review paper, we will talk about the most recent research which is happening in the present scenario period exceptionally in the area of mutual coupling reduction and stepped impedance application in MPA (Microstrip patch antenna) planning.

[1] **Y. Wang, F. Zhu et. al.:** The novel slot coupled patch antenna is evaluated in this article with ample bandwidth. Here a slotted three-layer MPA (Microstrip patch antenna) is suggested for wideband applications, with the help of an L-shaped feed line along with slot structure is introduced and the different execution parameter is gotten with the support of simulation. The outcomes show a bandwidth improvement of around 26% in the wavelength range of 3.45 GHz to 4.5 GHz. As the introduced structure is multi-layered (three-layered) its thickness is 8.8 mm. The stimulating outcome likewise shows 2 that the suggested antenna can accomplish an antenna gain that shifts from 2.5 dBi to 4.7dBi across the operational frequency band.

[2] **S. B. Sharma, et. al.:** In this exploration article, a U-slot aperture coupled annular ring antenna with a multiband CPA (Circularly polarized antenna) is thought about. The antenna is created with two substrates isolated by an air gap. The planned antenna fuses the bands of IRNSS - L1; GPS - L1, L2, and GLONASS - L1. The conclusion of the simulated and deliberate transmission and radiation attributes shows an extraordinary axial ratio under 2.2dB and S11 not exactly - 10 dB has been accomplished over the referenced bands.

[3] **In this scrutiny, J. Guo, et. al:** The suggested design of MPA (Microstrip patch antennas) explores the finalized objective of a simple coupled meander-line resonator element in suppressing the mutual coupling bandwidth organized in the proposed E-plane. The presented development of the patch antenna is having a separation of 3 mm between 2 edges of the model with the support of coupled meander-line resonator at the inner edges and the CMLRs are implanted evenly at the edge of the antennas. The result of the reproduction exhibits that the projected decoupling development can be much more realistic to subdue the mutual coupling in a multi-antenna system. With the introduced CMLRs, the port isolation could be increased from 6.5 dB to 40.5 dB in the resonant frequency of 2.6 GHz with the understanding of a better match.

[4] **N. A. Wahab, et. al:** In this exploration paper, a microstrip rectangular SPA (Single patch antenna) is created and investigated its presentation utilizing the inset-fed feeding technique. The antenna is involved with the goal that it contains a principal rectangular patch while the subsequent antenna depends on a 4x1 matrix with a corporate feeding course of action Both antennas are planned at 2.5 GHz, on microstrip substrate, type FR4 with dielectric constant,  $\epsilon_r = 4.3$  and thickness of  $h = 1.6\text{mm}$ . The result of the reenactment replicates that the microstrip rectangular inset-fed of 4x1 patch matrix antenna had effectively accomplished the addition multiple times more and directivity contrasted with the SPA (Single patch antenna).

[5] **R. K. Gayen, et. al:** In this research paper, a rectangle-loaded MPA (Monopole patch antenna) is evaluated by the spherical phase strategy utilizing the phenomena of the phase center determination method of a dual-frequency. The outcome obtained utilizing CST software stimulation is that two resonant frequencies are attained at 2.9 GHz and 5.2 GHz also obtained coordinates of their phase centers from far-field are ( - 0.391147, - 1.33637, 0.0524673) and (0.188681, - 0.590922, - 2.06147), separately. The range between the two-phase not entirely settled with the assistance of mathematical formula which emerges to be 2.3132228599943 mm.

[6] **Q. Chen et. al:** In this scrutiny, a circularly PPA (Polarized patch antenna) is prescribed to work on the presentation and secure gain of the antenna by using an electromagnetic bandgap (EBG) structure. On upgrading the design the ECG structure started working around 24.25 GHz. The outcomes of the simulation replicate a low-cost, low-profile PCB packaged antenna being utilized to create an antenna matrix and used for millimeter-wave radar. The

results also show that antenna gain improvement by 0.8 dB and cross-polarized gain drop about 15 dB, furthermore, the axial ratio is also enhanced

[7] **S. Murugan, et. al:** In this proposed article, a square MPA (Microstrip patch antenna) is envisaged to communicate signals in the sub 6 GHz band of 5G correspondence, especially the 3.4 - 3.6GHz band. A square MPA (Microstrip patch antenna) works with a shorting pin is imprinted on the RT duroid substrate taken care of by coaxial taking care. It is analyzed the antenna proposed in the review has a superior far-field symmetrical radiation pattern and extensively more increase of 6dB. 15 The radiation efficiency is acquired up to 98% which is typically difficult to get.

[8] **A. I. Abdalla et. al:** In this fact-finding paper, a multi-band patch antenna (PA) with microstrip line feeding with a square-shaped antenna with M slot edge was created to acquire gain, bandwidth, and return loss. A minor modification 12 within the plan is proposed by cutting a rectangular slot of the antenna at the ground layer to improve outcome. 2 The plan is consolidated with copper material utilized for ground and patch layers and keeping in mind that an FR-4 epoxy material of 1.5 mm thickness was utilized for substrate layer. Result 1 exhibit that the modified MSPA could work really at extra resonant frequencies and can work actually at 2.4GHz, 4.55GHz, 7.63GHz, 8.3GHz, 9 GHz, and 9.9 GHz.

[9] **Y. Wu, et. al:** On examining this work, a Tunable PA (Patch Antenna) is thought about which is built of a metal patch lying over a wrinkled ground plane with sub-wavelength periodically disseminated metal pins. To accomplish a variable resonant frequency the height of periodic pins on the ground is changed. Due to the height change, the operating frequency can be tuned up from 2.2 GHz to 3.35 GHz. The antenna has adaptable control abilities where the radiator and feed structures stay unaltered and the air layer is utilized as substrate. Moreover, a patch array is planned, whose radiation pattern bearing can be switched in a scope of 25° in two headings by tweaking the height of the pin. The overall incorporated design idea gives a new path to switched the frequency and phase of the planar antenna having a superior potential for use in communication base stations and aerospace applications.

[10] **A. Bhattarai, et. al:** A RPA(Rectangular Patch Antenna) working at 2.4 GHz with the array size is expanded from 1×1 to 2×1 to 4×1 to 4 2 to 4×4 patches is manufactured. Different parameters, for example, operational frequency, return loss, radiation pattern, directivity is fine-tuned using Advanced Design System (ADS) software different systems are utilized to quantify the parameter these systems are Tektronix TTR500 Series, 3 VNA (Vector Network Analyzer). The preferred antenna is drafted for various array configurations working at 2.4 GHz. The aftereffect of various array configurations plotted on the antenna mirrors the expansion in directivity while using bigger configurations.

## V.CONCLUSION AND FUTURE WORK

The proposed plans of this original copy are coordinated in various sections, first There is a finished clarification about the most recent exploration in the area of slotted meander lines antenna it determines the advantages of utilizing slotted meander lines technique with various substrates and different feeding techniques. In the second, a hypothesis is given to clarify the microstrip antenna with its wide application, which helps in the plan and manufacture. In the third, clarification about slotted meander lines, its benefits for its utilization have been clarified

After closing the most recent exploration, we can presume that another configuration utilizing slotted meander lines has been suggested to improve the isolation between two antenna components in the MPA matrix. The SMLR properties are confirmed utilizing band-hole investigation. The plan accomplishes a refinement of 16 dB at the operating frequency. Different cluster configurations plotted on the antenna mirror the increment in directivity, radiation efficiency, axial ratio, and broadband impedance.

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