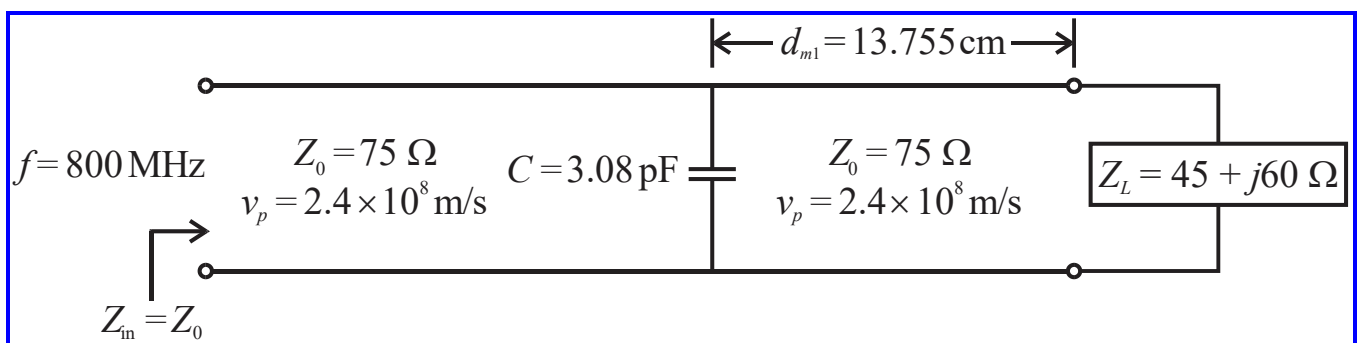


For a circuit operating at 800 MHz, design and sketch a single parallel capacitor matching network for a load $Z_L = 45 + j60 \Omega$ connected to a lossless transmission line (75Ω , 2.4×10^8 m/s). Use Smith chart solution method.

- Calculate wavelength $\lambda = v_p / f = 2.4 \times 10^8 / 800 \times 10^6 \Rightarrow \lambda = 0.3 \text{ m} = 30 \text{ cm}$.
- Calculate the normalized load impedance $z_L = Z_L / Z_0 = (45 + j60) / 75$
 $\Rightarrow z_L = 0.6 + j0.8 \Omega/\Omega$. Plot z_L on Smith chart.
- Use compass to draw a circle through z_L , centered on Smith chart. Use a straight edge to draw line through center of Smith chart & z_L to outer rings of Smith chart.
- Move 180° around circle of constant $|\Gamma|$ from z_L point to $y_L = 0.6 - j0.8 \text{ S/S}$.
- Note the match points where the circle of constant $|\Gamma| = 0.5$ intersects the circle of $g = 1 \text{ S/S}$ at $y_{m1} = 1 + j1.16 \text{ S/S}$ and $y_{m2} = 1 - j1.16 \text{ S/S}$. Choose y_{m2} as it has a negative (inductive) susceptance that can be canceled by a parallel capacitor.
- Find distance in the “WAVELENGTHS TOWARD GENERATOR” direction from y_L to y_{m2} as $d_{m2} = 0.125\lambda + 0.3335\lambda \Rightarrow d_{m2} = 0.4585\lambda = 13.755 \text{ cm}$.
- Set the susceptance of the parallel capacitance as $\omega C = 1.16/75 = 0.0154667 \text{ S}$.
 Calculate $C = 1.16/[75(2\pi)800 \times 10^6] \Rightarrow C = 3.077 \times 10^{-12} \text{ F} = 3.08 \text{ pF}$.



Simple Smith Chart

$$Z_0 = 75 \Omega$$

$$\lambda = 30 \text{ cm}$$

