

Design of Layered Optical Filters in Infrared Bands Using Different Materials

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Introduction

- In this Project duty is designing a new photonic crystal which reflect, transmit or absorb electromagnetic waves.
- Photonic crystal-based multilayer structures can be used in fields such as defense industry, energy, optics applications, biomedicine, microwave resonators.
- Biosensors are used to detect various biological targets. For example, biosensors can be used to detect bacteria, viruses and cancer cells.
- It was decided to design a new biosensor as a project work.

Results and Discussion

By using the second cell of the Fibonacci series, a wide stopping band gap was obtained. When the medium containing water-borne bacteria is added as a defect layer to the photonic crystal structure, a transmitted power peak occurs. It has



been shown that the presence and density of bacteria can be determined by looking at the amount of shift.



Specifications and Design Requirements

- **\therefore** Central wavelength: $\lambda_0 = 550 nm$
- General Sequence:

 $Air/(SiO_2/Te/SiO_2)^N/D/(SiO_2/Te/SiO_2)^N/glass$

- The second cell (LHL) of the Fibonacci series was used while creating the general sequence.
- The defect layer consists of water and waterborne bacteria.



Table 1 Materials and Specifications





Figure 3 Transmittance Characteristics of Designed Biosensor

- The detection mechanism of the biosensor we have designed is based on the difference in refractive index between pure water and bacterial samples carried by water.
- The designed sensor structure is thinner or has higher contrast when compared to similar structures in the literature.

Publications and Conference Participation



Figure 1 The layout of the designed multilayer structure

Solution Methodology

The Transfer Matrix Method was used in the analysis of this study.
The Transfer Matrix Method is a method used to analyze the propagation of optical and acoustic waves in a multilayered medium.



Figure 2 Propagation of Light in a Multilayer Structure

With the Transfer Matrix Method, the transmission, reflection and absorption power ratio of the structure is calculated.

$$M = M_0 (M_A M_B M_A)^N M_D (M_A M_B M_A)^N M_S = \begin{bmatrix} M_{11} & M_{12} \\ M_{21} & M_{22} \end{bmatrix}$$
(1)

$$M_m = \frac{1}{\tau} \begin{bmatrix} e^{j\phi_m} & \rho_{m-1}e^{-j\phi_m} \\ \rho_{m-1}e^{j\phi_m} & e^{-j\phi_m} \end{bmatrix}$$
(2)

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