

# Summary of Problem 4

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## I. SUMMARY

Assume a horizontally stratified environment shown in Fig. 1. The source lies in  $(r_s, z_s) = (0, 35)$ , the receiver lies in  $(r_r, z_r) = (0, 25)$ . There are  $N_{\text{layer}} = 30$  layers. From Fig. 1, one can see that there are  $N_{\text{layer}} - 1 = 29$  interfaces. For the first interface (the layer between one and two), its position is  $z = 0$ . Let  $z_i$  denote the position (depth) of the bottom of the  $i$ th layer. In the problem, we set  $z_i = (i - 1)d_z$ ,  $i = 1, \dots, N_{\text{layer}} - 1$ , where  $d_z = 5$ . For the top  $N_{\text{layer}} - 1$  layers, we set the sound speed  $c_i = 1500 \text{ m/s}$ , the density  $\rho_i = 1 \text{ g/cm}^3$ ,  $i = 1, \dots, N_{\text{layer}} - 1$ . For the last layer, we set  $z_{N_{\text{layer}}} = N_{\text{layer}}d_z$ . And  $c_{N_{\text{layer}}} = 1800 \text{ m/s}$ ,  $\rho_{N_{\text{layer}}} = 1.8 \text{ g/cm}^3$ . The source strength and the pressure are

$$S_\omega = -\frac{4\pi}{\rho\omega^2}, \quad (1)$$

$$p(r) = \rho\omega^2\psi(\omega, r), \quad (2)$$

where  $\psi(\omega, r)$  is the displacement potential.

We define  $\mathbf{v}_m(k_r, z_m)$

$$\mathbf{v}_m(k_r, z_m) = \begin{bmatrix} w(k_r, z) \\ \sigma_{zz}(k_r, z) \end{bmatrix}, \quad \text{the bottom of the } m \text{ th layer or the top of the } m - 1 \text{ th layer} \quad (3)$$

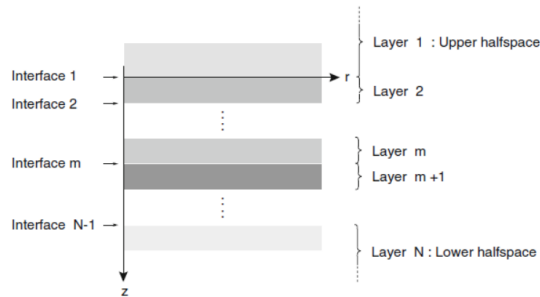


Fig. 1: Horizontally stratified environment

which contains the displacements and stresses at interface  $m$ . Similarly, define the degree-of-freedom vector  $\mathbf{a}_m(k_r)$  for layer number  $m$  as composed of the complex amplitudes of the downgoing and upgoing solutions

$$\mathbf{a}_m(k_r) = \begin{bmatrix} A_m^-(k_r) \\ A_m^+(k_r) \end{bmatrix}, \quad (4)$$

define the local coefficient matrix  $\mathbf{c}_m(k_r, z)$

$$\mathbf{c}_m(k_r, z) = \begin{bmatrix} -ik_z e^{-ik_z} & ik_z e^{ik_z} \\ -\rho_m \omega^2 e^{-ik_z} & -\rho_m \omega^2 e^{ik_z} \end{bmatrix}. \quad (5)$$

We know that

$$\mathbf{v}_m(k_r, z_m) = \mathbf{c}_m(k_r, z_m) \mathbf{a}_m(k_r), \quad \mathbf{v}_m(k_r, z_{m-1}) = \mathbf{c}_m(k_r, z_{m-1}) \mathbf{a}_m(k_r). \quad (6)$$

The above relationship reveals that

$$\mathbf{v}_m(k_r, z_{m-1}) = \mathbf{P}_m(k_r) \mathbf{v}_m(k_r, z_m) = \mathbf{c}_m(k_r, z_{m-1}) [\mathbf{c}_m(k_r, z_m)]^{-1} \mathbf{v}_m(k_r, z_m). \quad (7)$$

Using the continuity of the field parameters at the interfaces, we can establish a matrix relation between the field parameters at some interface  $m$  and the parameters at a lower interface  $n$  ( $n < m$ )

$$\mathbf{v}_n(k_r, z_n) = \mathbf{P}_{n+1}(k_r) \mathbf{v}_{n+1}(k_r, z_{n+1}) = \prod_{i=n+1}^m \mathbf{P}_i(k_r) \mathbf{v}_m(k_r, z_m). \quad (8)$$

Since

$$\sigma_{zz}(k_r, z_{N-1}) = -\frac{\rho_N \omega^2}{ik_{z,N}} w(k_r, z_{N-1}), \quad (9)$$

we rewrite  $\mathbf{v}_{N-1}(k_r, z_{N-1})$  as

$$\mathbf{v}_{N-1}(k_r, z_{N-1}) = \begin{bmatrix} w(k_r, z_{N-1}) \\ \sigma_{zz}(k_r, z_{N-1}) \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -\frac{\rho_N \omega^2}{ik_{z,N}} \end{bmatrix} w(k_r, z_{N-1}), \quad (10)$$

Set  $w(k_r, z_{N-1}) = 1$  (we will solve  $w(k_r, z_{N-1})$  later), and calculate  $\mathbf{v}_r(k_r, z_r)$  and  $\mathbf{v}_s(k_r, z_s)$  at the receiver and source interface.

Calculate the uppermost surface  $\mathbf{v}_1(k_r, z_1)$  as

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbf{v}_1(k_r, z_1) &= \prod_{i=2}^s \mathbf{P}_i(k_r) \left[ \prod_{i=s+1}^{N-1} \mathbf{P}_i(k_r) \mathbf{v}_N(k_r, z_{N-1}) + \hat{\mathbf{v}}(k_r, z_s) \right] \\ &= \begin{bmatrix} \\ \sigma_{zz}(k_r, z_1) \end{bmatrix} w(k_r, z_{N-1}) + \begin{bmatrix} \\ \hat{\sigma}_{zz}(k_r, z_1) \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}, \end{aligned} \quad (11)$$

where

$$\hat{\mathbf{v}}(k_r, z_s) = \begin{bmatrix} -\frac{S_\omega}{2\pi} \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}. \quad (12)$$

We obtain

$$w(k_r, z_{N-1}) = -\frac{\hat{\sigma}_{zz}(k_r, z_1)}{\sigma_{zz}(k_r, z_1)} \quad (13)$$

via (11). Knowing  $\mathbf{v}(k_r, z)$ , using the Hankel transform for each component of  $\mathbf{v}(k_r, z)$

$$f(r, z) = \int_0^\infty f(k_r, z) J_0(k_r r) k_r dk_r, \quad (14)$$

we obtain  $\mathbf{v}(r, z)$ .

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