

Fig. 1 Geometry of the proposed multi-band MTM unit cell. (a) Schematic layout and cross-sectional views (aa')
 (b) Simulation setup.

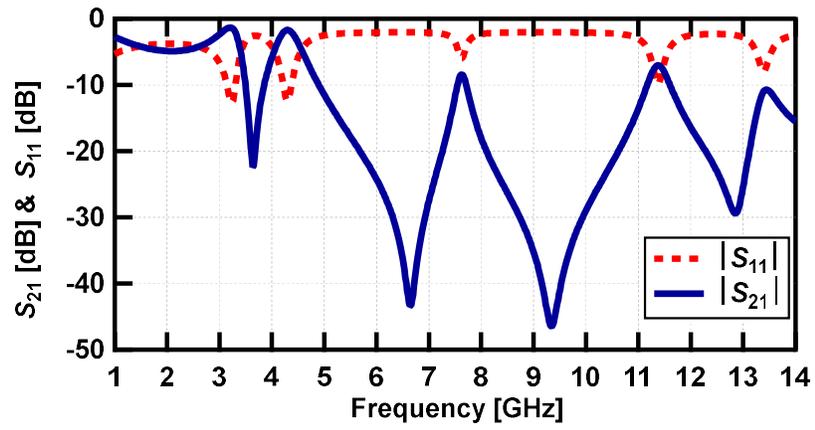
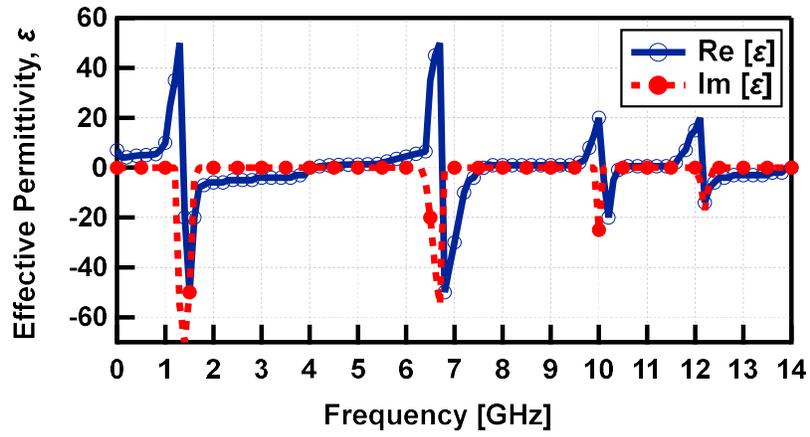
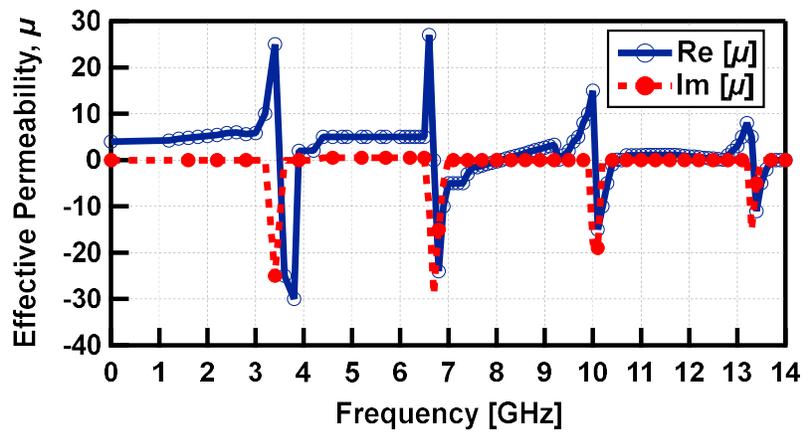


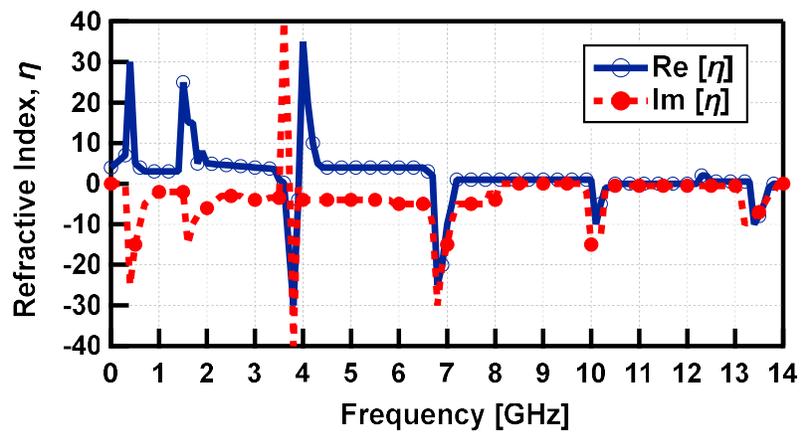
Fig. 2 Reflection (S_{11}) and transmission coefficient curves (S_{21}) of the proposed MTM unit cell.



(a)



(b)



(c)

Fig. 3 Effective parameters of the proposed metamaterial unit cell: Real and imaginary values of (a) permittivity, (b) permeability, (c) refractive index.

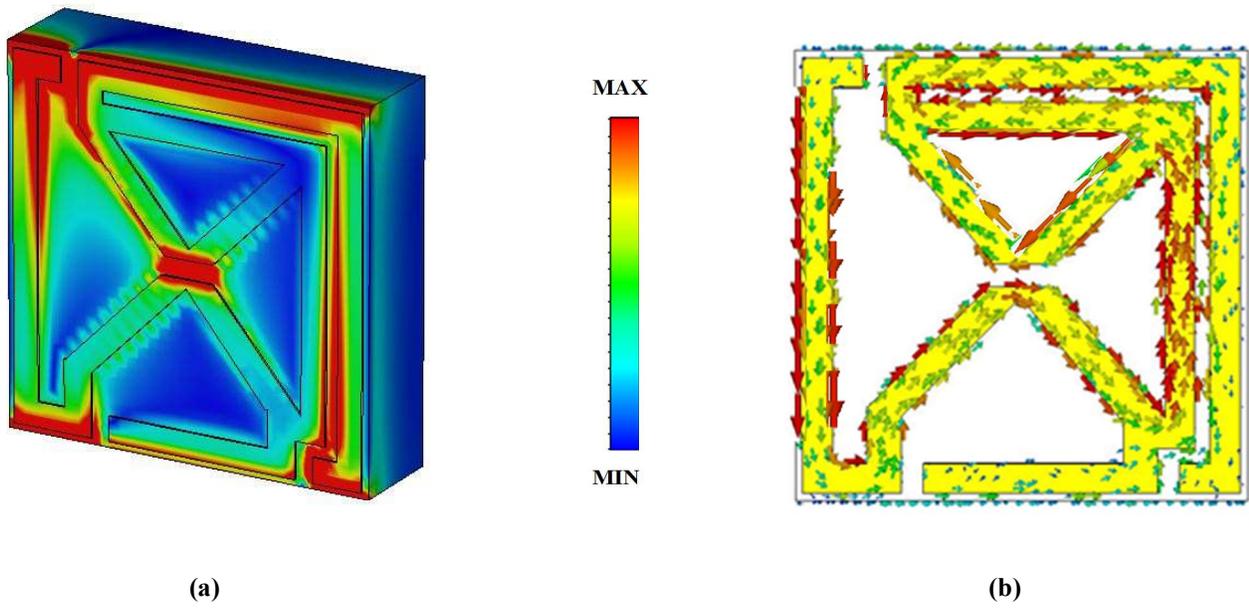


Fig. 4 (a) Localization of electric field and (b) Distribution of surface current at 3.75 GHz.

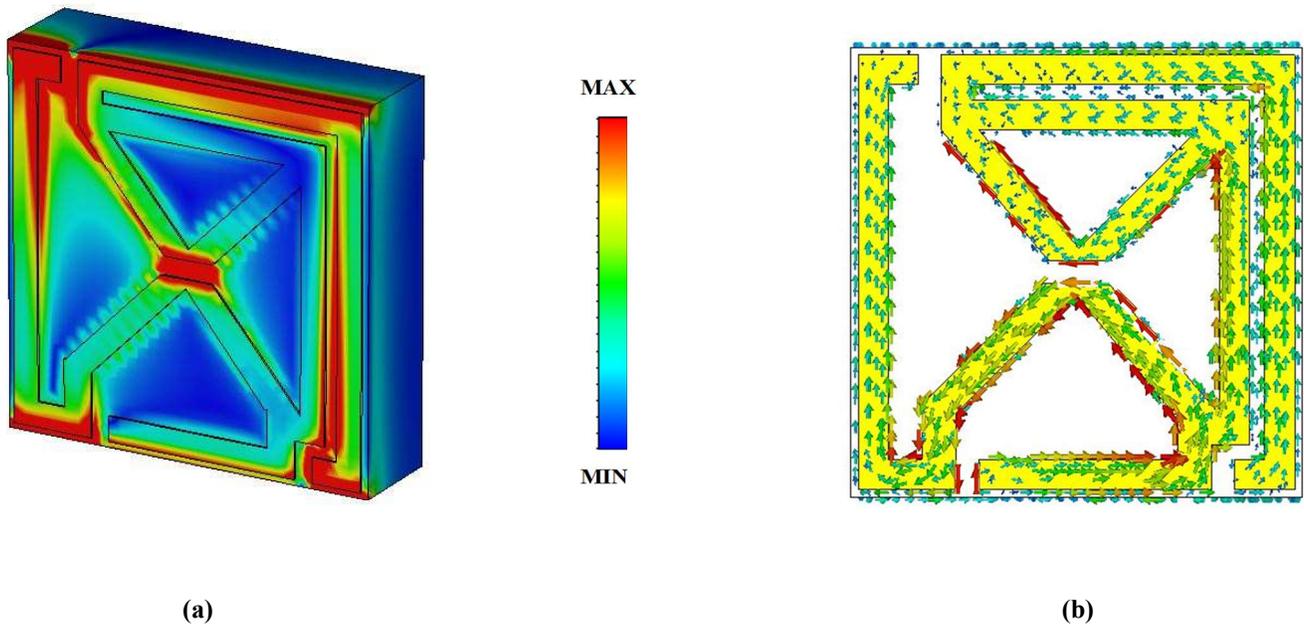


Fig. 5 (a) Localization of electric field and (b) Distribution of surface current at 6.95 GHz.

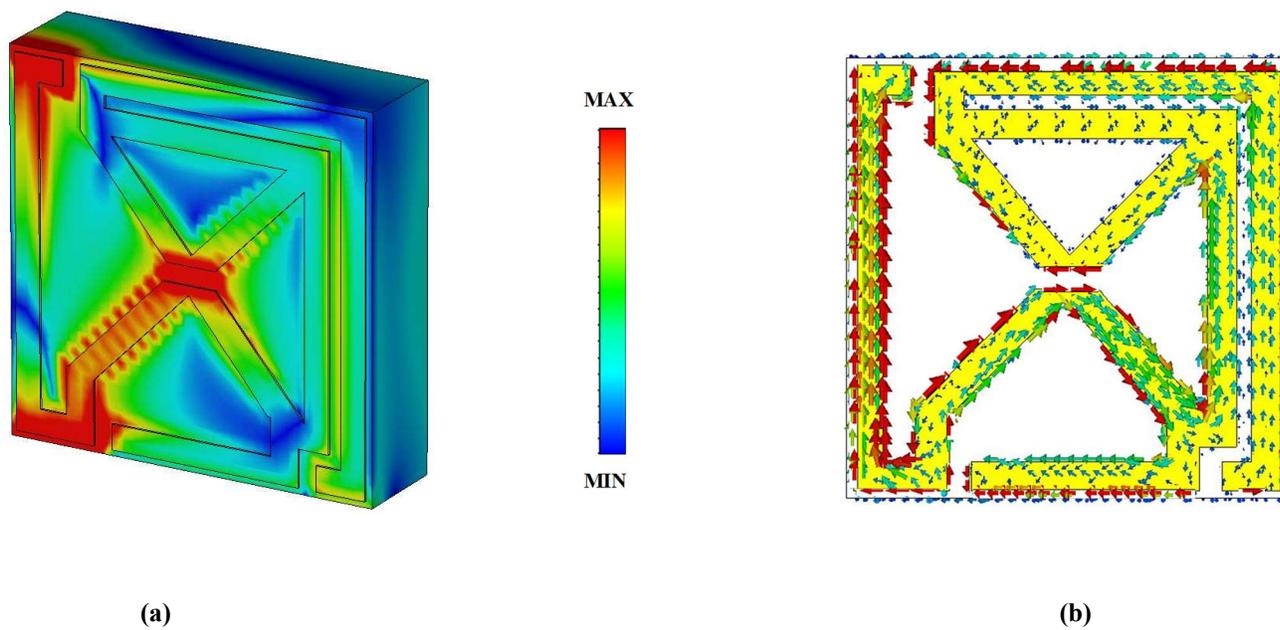


Fig. 6 (a) Localization of electric field and (b) Distribution of surface current at 10.25 GHz.

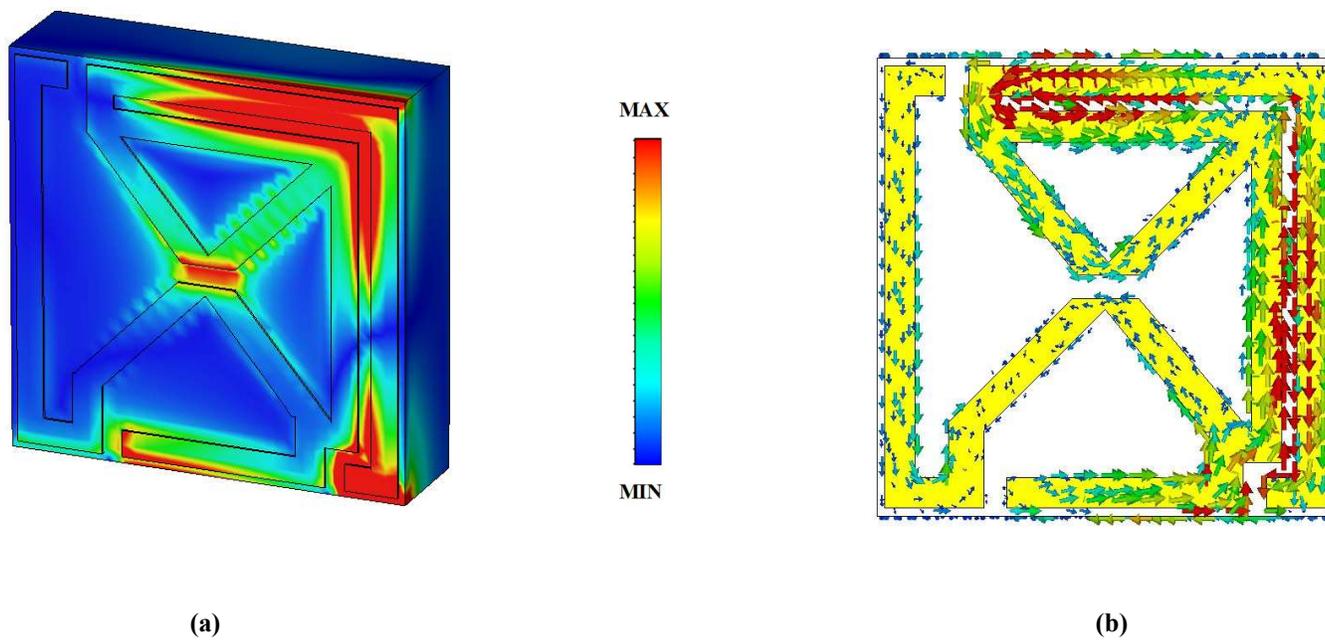


Fig. 7 (a) Localization of electric field and (b) Distribution of surface current at 13.55 GHz.

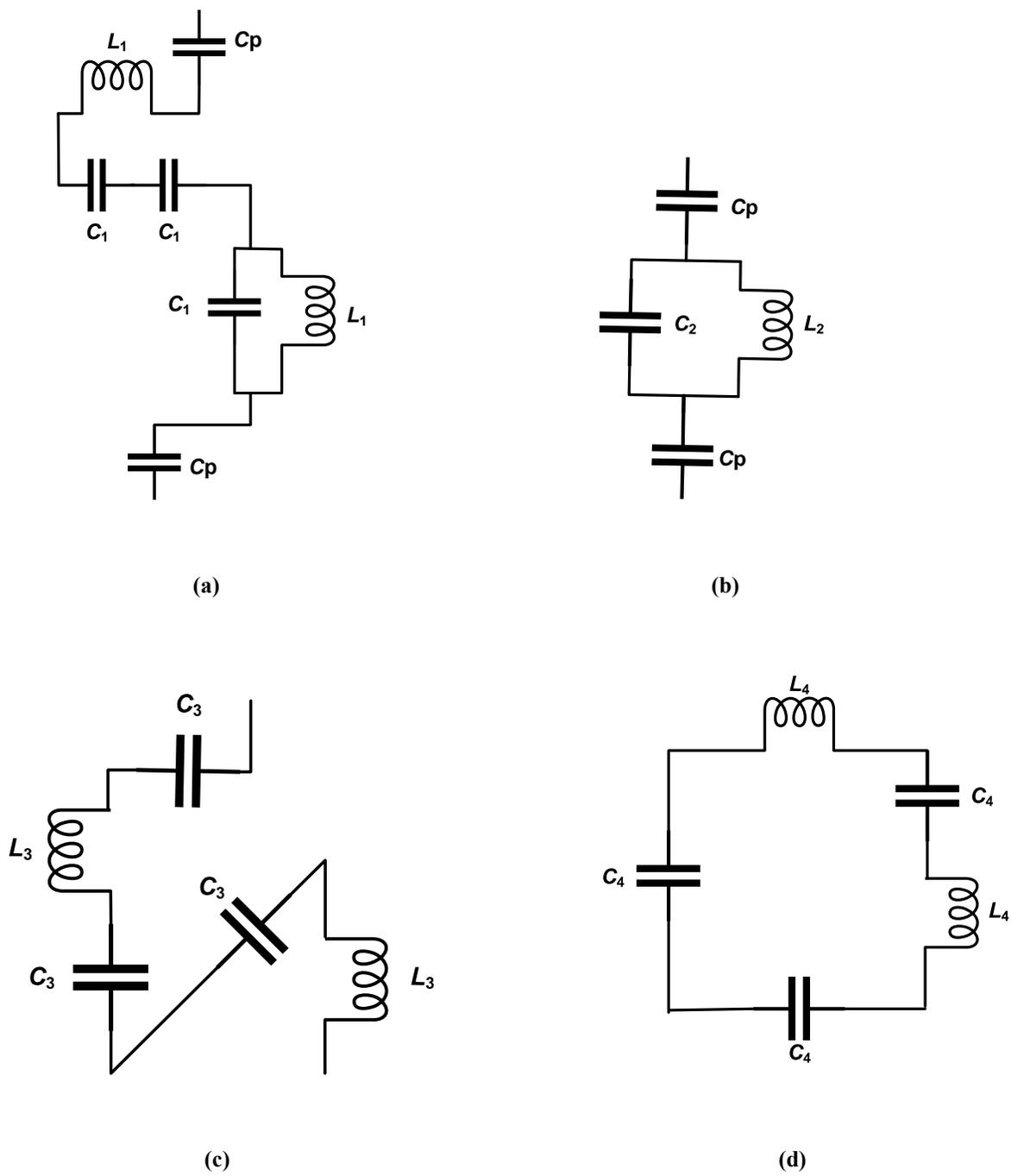
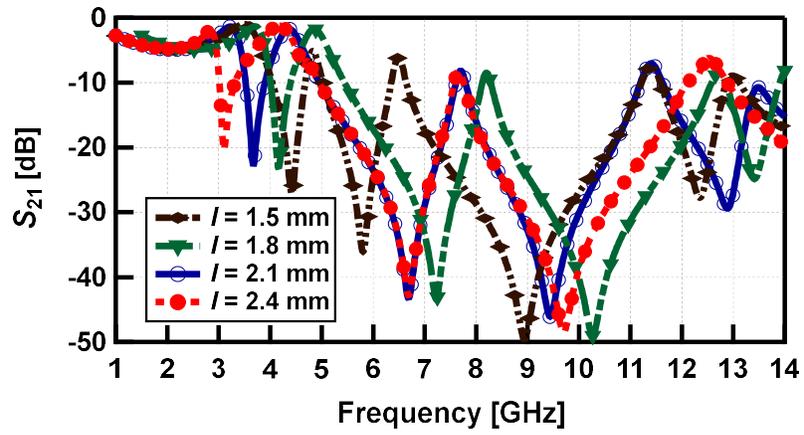
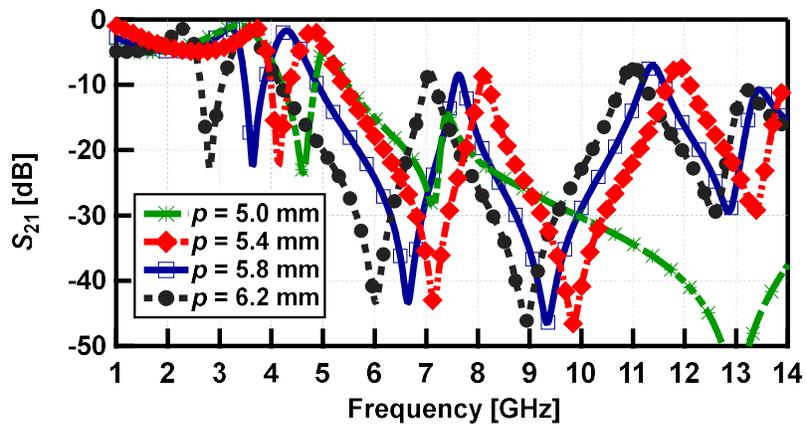


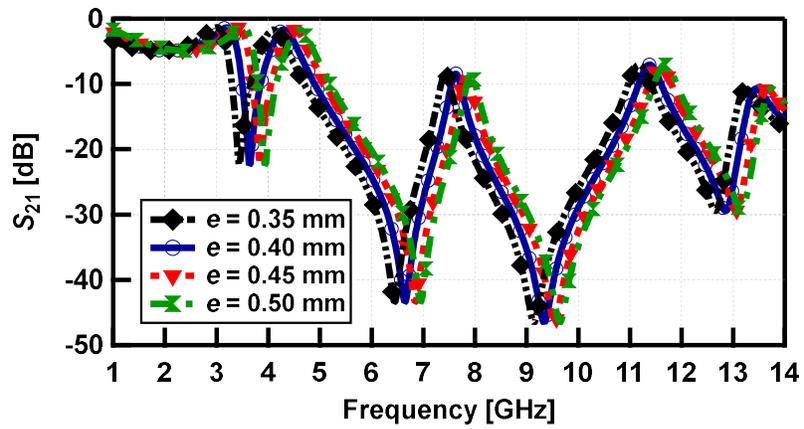
Fig. 8 Equivalent circuit at (a) 3.75 GHz, (b) 6.95 GHz, (c) 10.25 GHz, and (d) 13.55 GHz.



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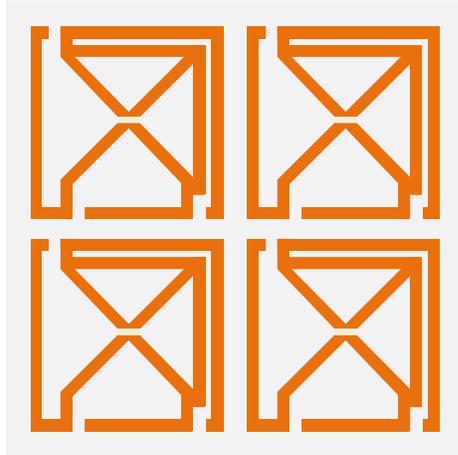


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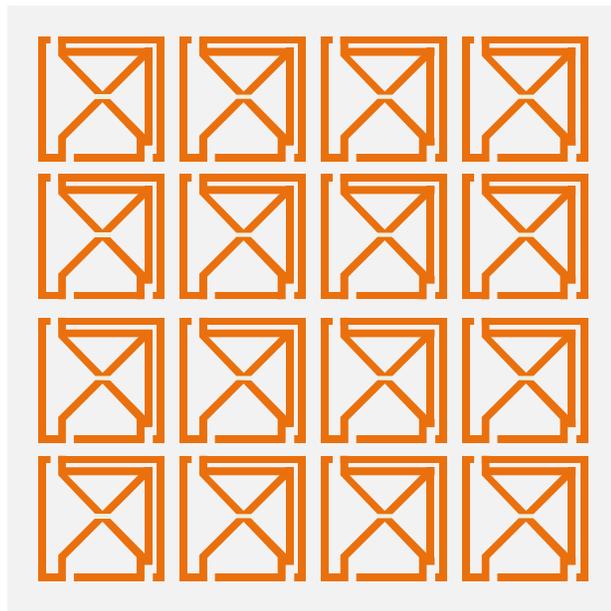


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Fig. 9 Analysis of the proposed MTMs basic parameters by varying (a) l , (b) p , and (c) e .

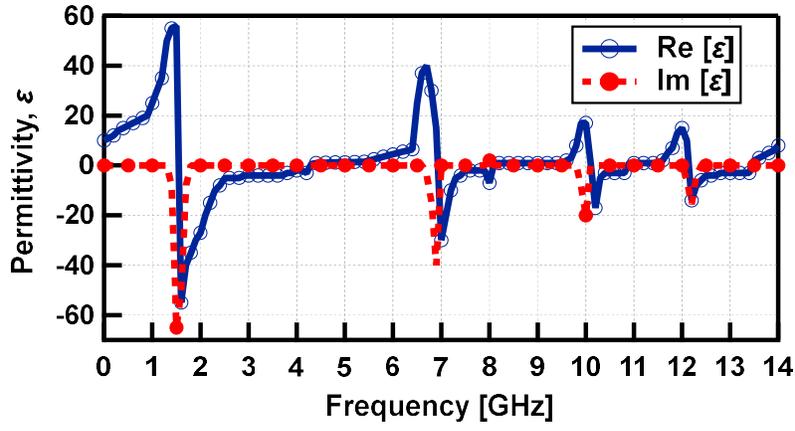


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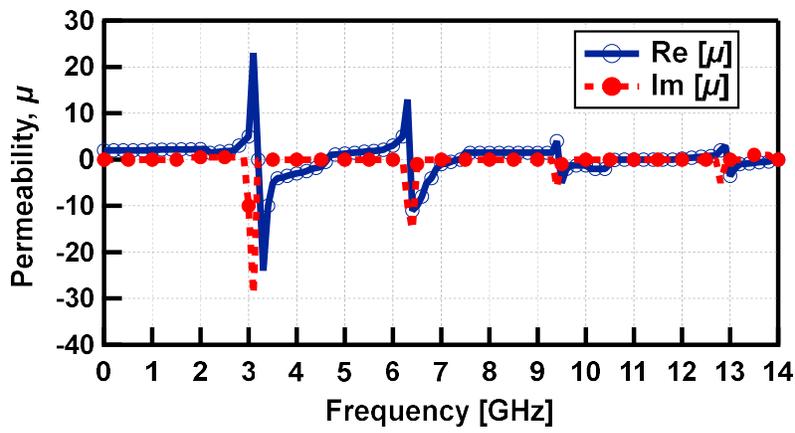


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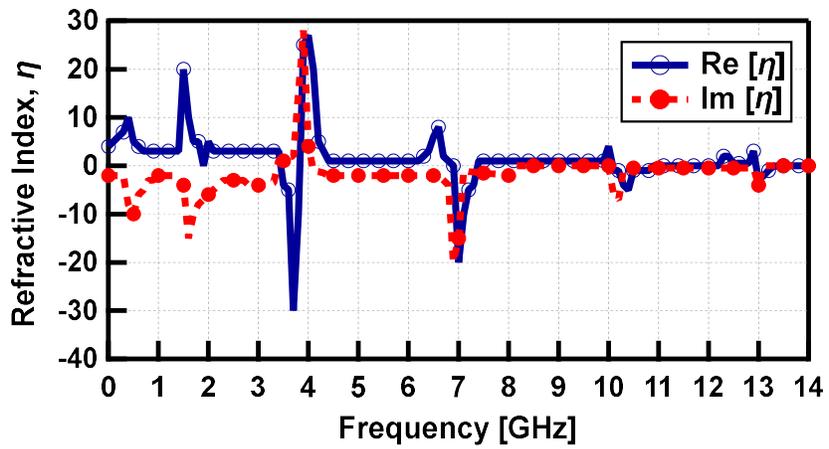
Fig. 10 Arrangement of arrays designed by employing the proposed MTM unit cell. (a) 2×2 and (b) 4×4 .



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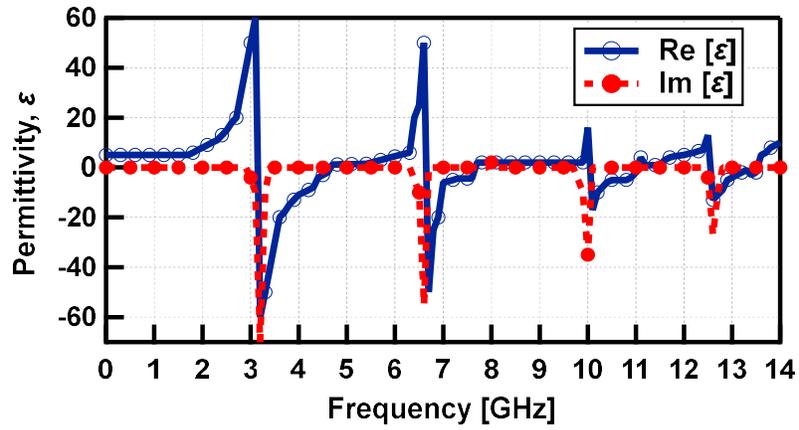


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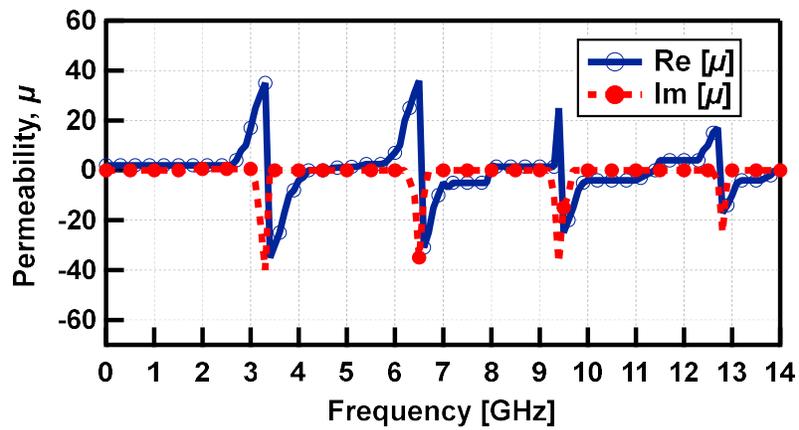


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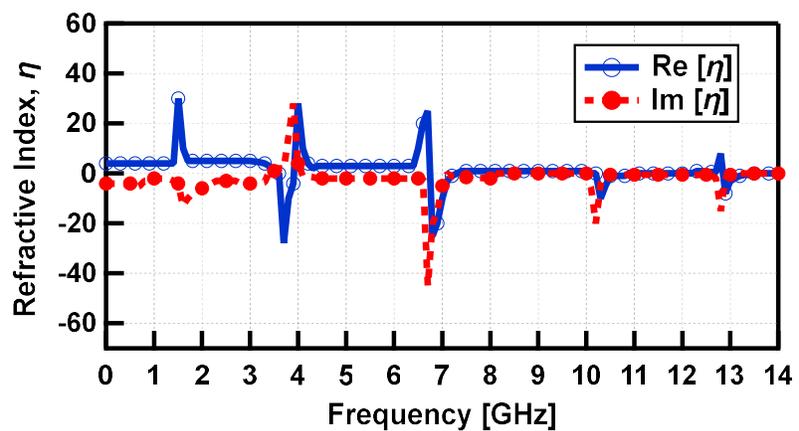
Fig. 11 Effective parameters of the 2×2 array. (a) ϵ , (b) μ , and (c) η .



(a)



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(c)

Fig. 12 Effective parameters of the 4×4 array. (a) ϵ , (b) μ , and (c) η .

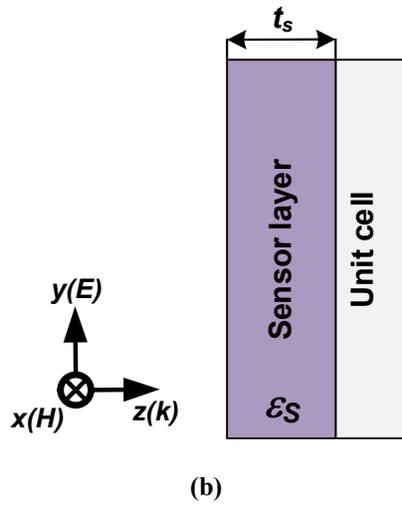
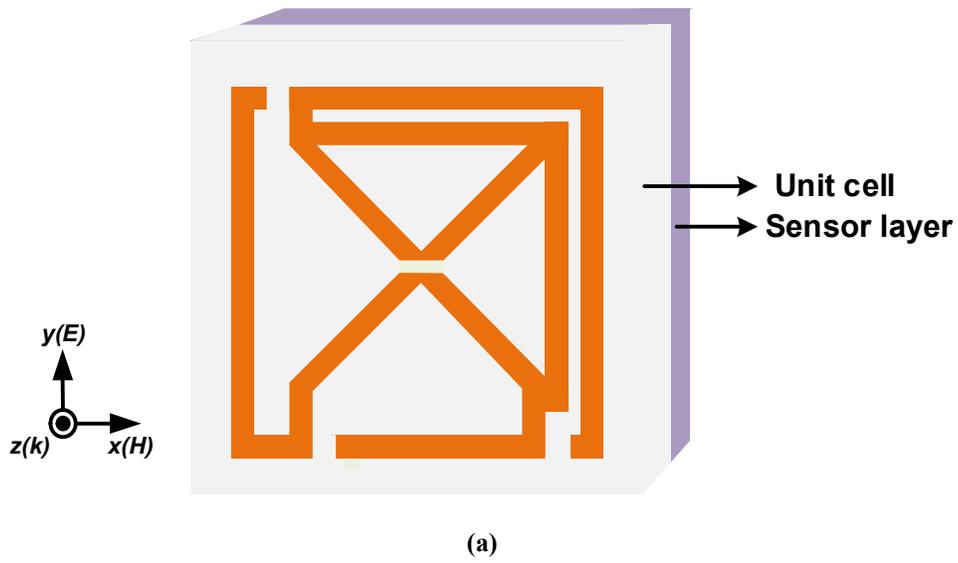


Fig. 13 Schematic diagram of the proposed unit cell-based transformer oil aging sensor. (a) Perspective view and (b) Left view.

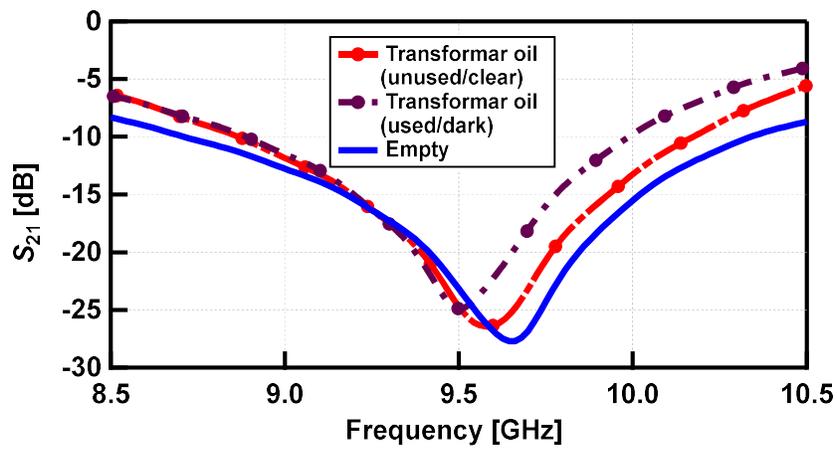
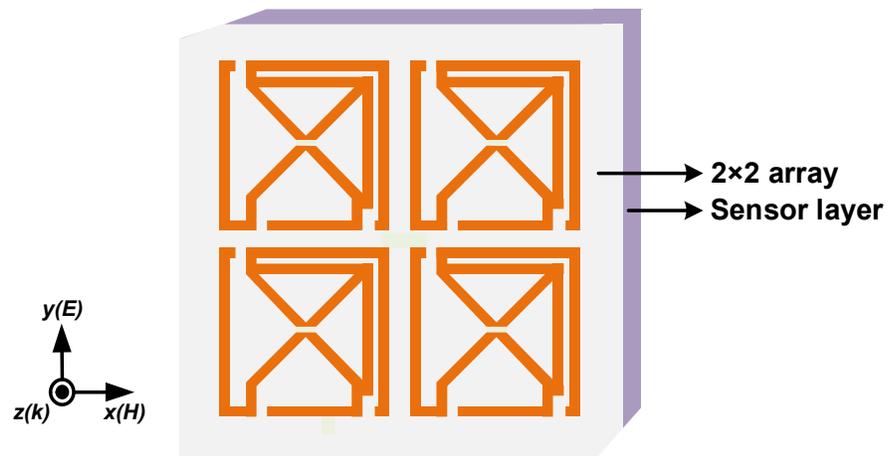
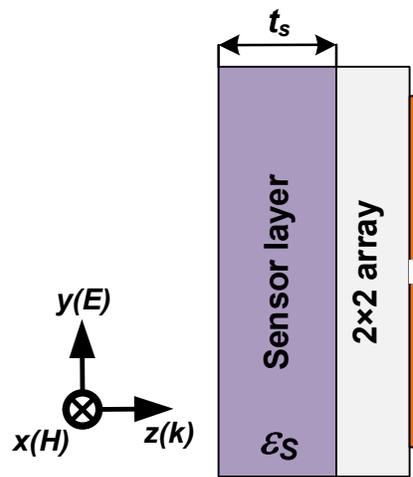


Fig. 14 Simulated transmission coefficients of the proposed unit cell-based transformer oil aging sensor.



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(b)

Fig. 15 Schematic diagram of the proposed 2x2 MTM array-based transformer oil aging sensor. (a) Perspective view and (b) Left view.

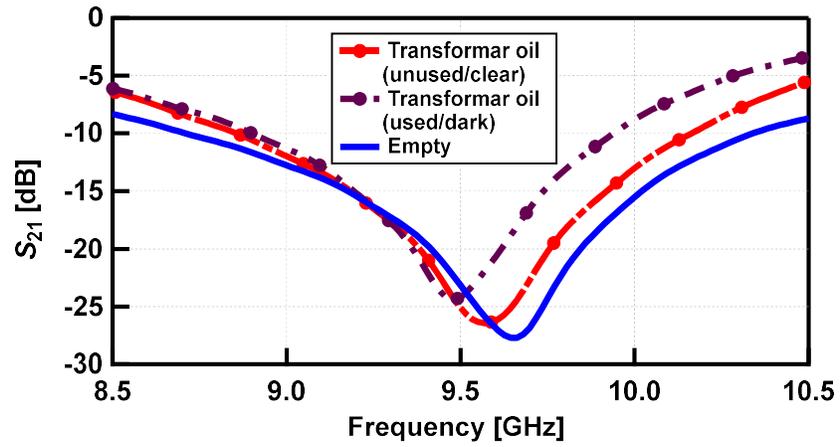


Fig. 16 Simulated transmission coefficients of clear and dark transformer oil.

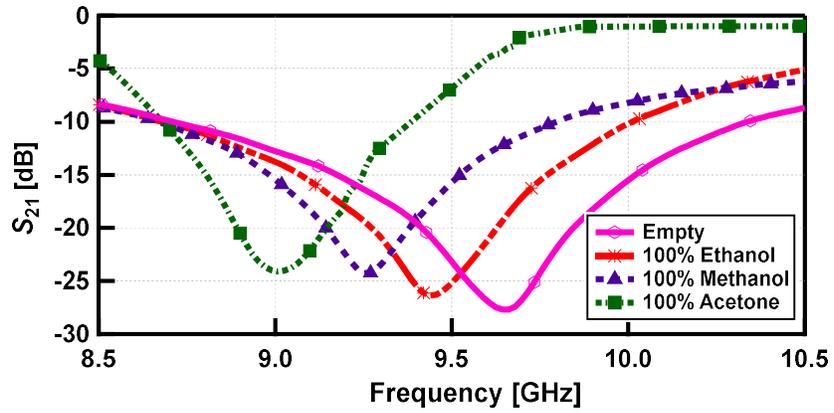
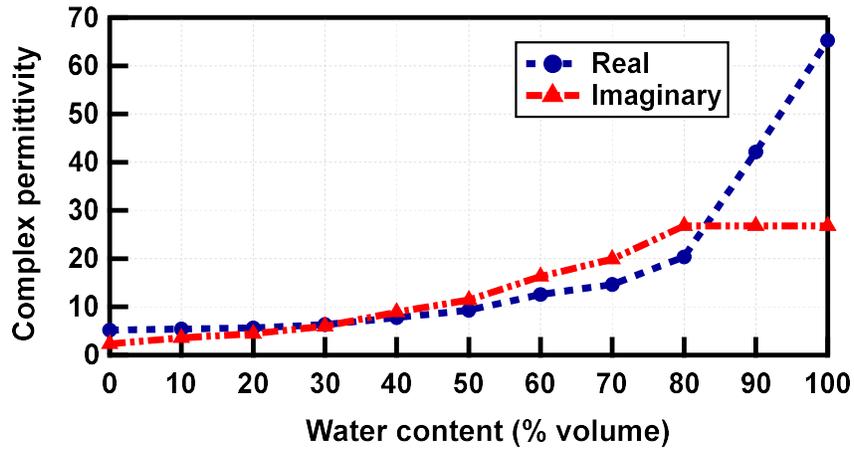
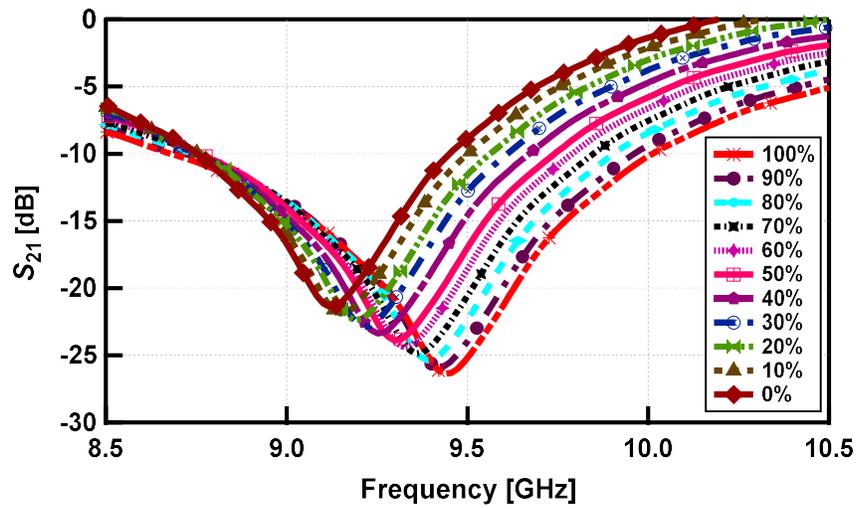


Fig. 17 S_{21} curves of the multipurpose chemical sensor.

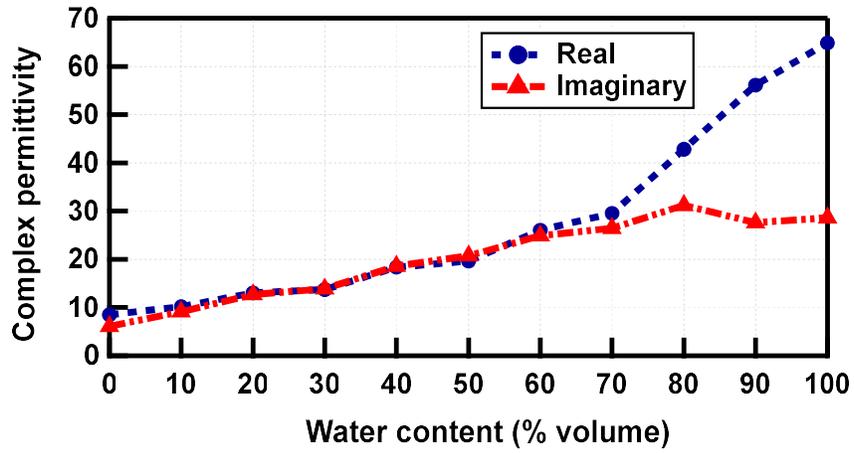


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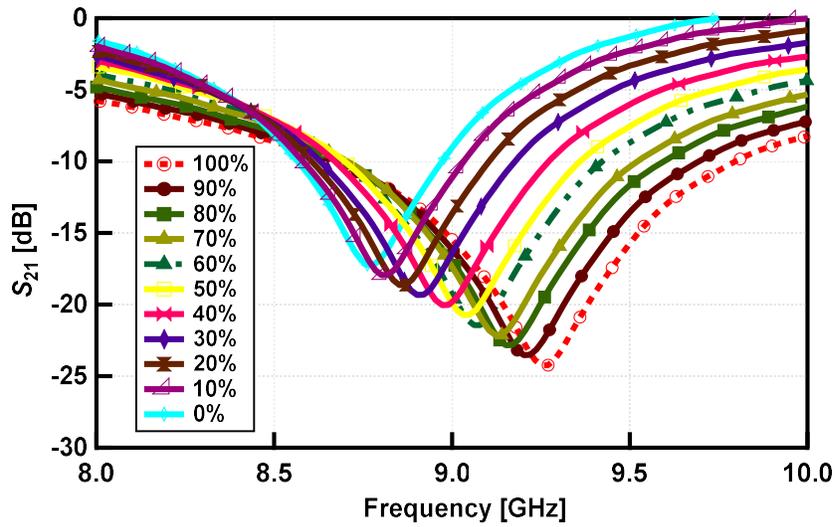


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Fig. 18 (a) Complex permittivity of ethanol-water mixture when the water content increases from 0% to 100% with a step of 10% by volume. (b) Simulated transmission coefficient curves for ethanol-water mixture when the ethanol content increases from 0% to 100%.

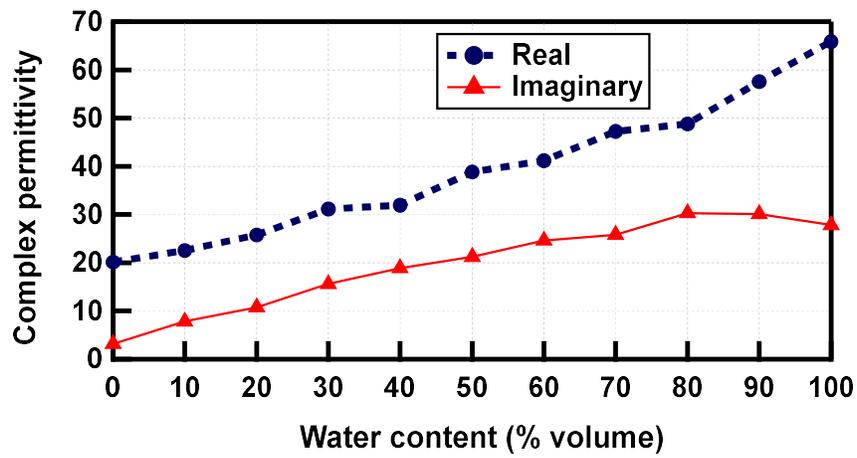


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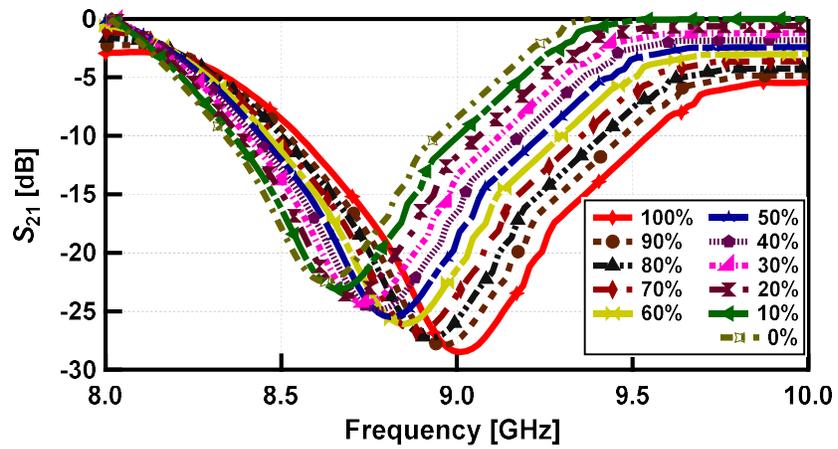


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Fig. 19 (a) Complex permittivity of methanol-water mixture when the water content increases from 0% to 100% with a step of 10% by volume. (b) Simulated transmission coefficient curves for methanol-water mixture when the methanol content increases from 0% to 100%.

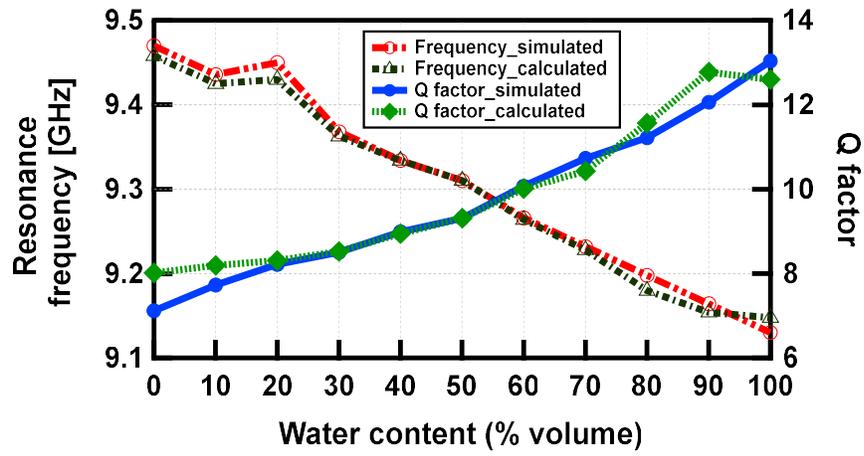


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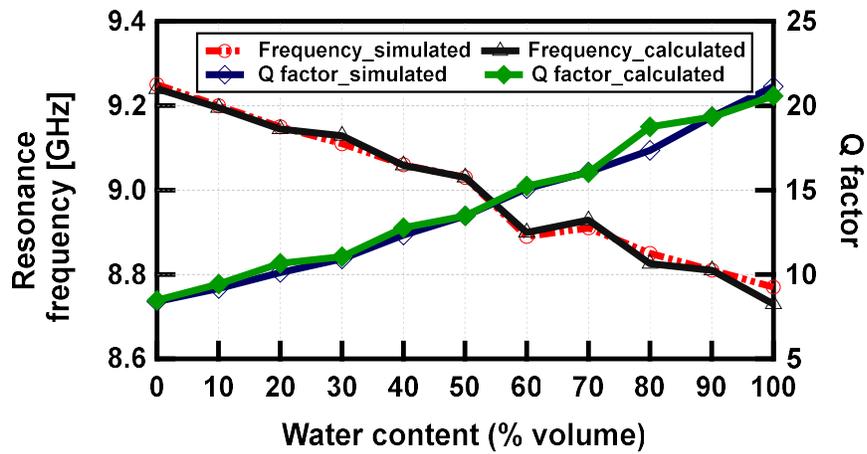


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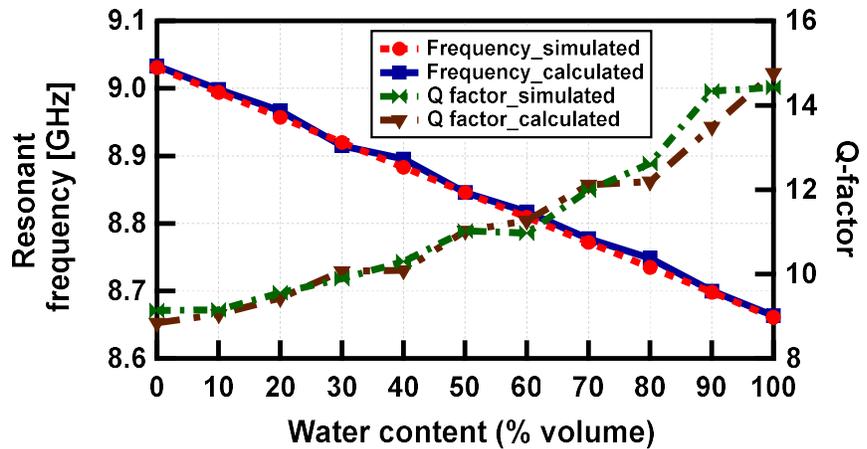
Fig. 20 (a) Complex permittivity of acetone-water mixture when the water content increases from 0% to 100% with a step of 10% by volume. (b) Simulated transmission coefficient for acetone-water mixture when the acetone content increases from 0% to 100%.



(a)



(b)



(c)

Fig. 21 Simulated and calculated resonance frequency and Q factor. (a) Ethanol-water mixture, (b) Methanol-water mixture, and (c) Acetone-water mixture.

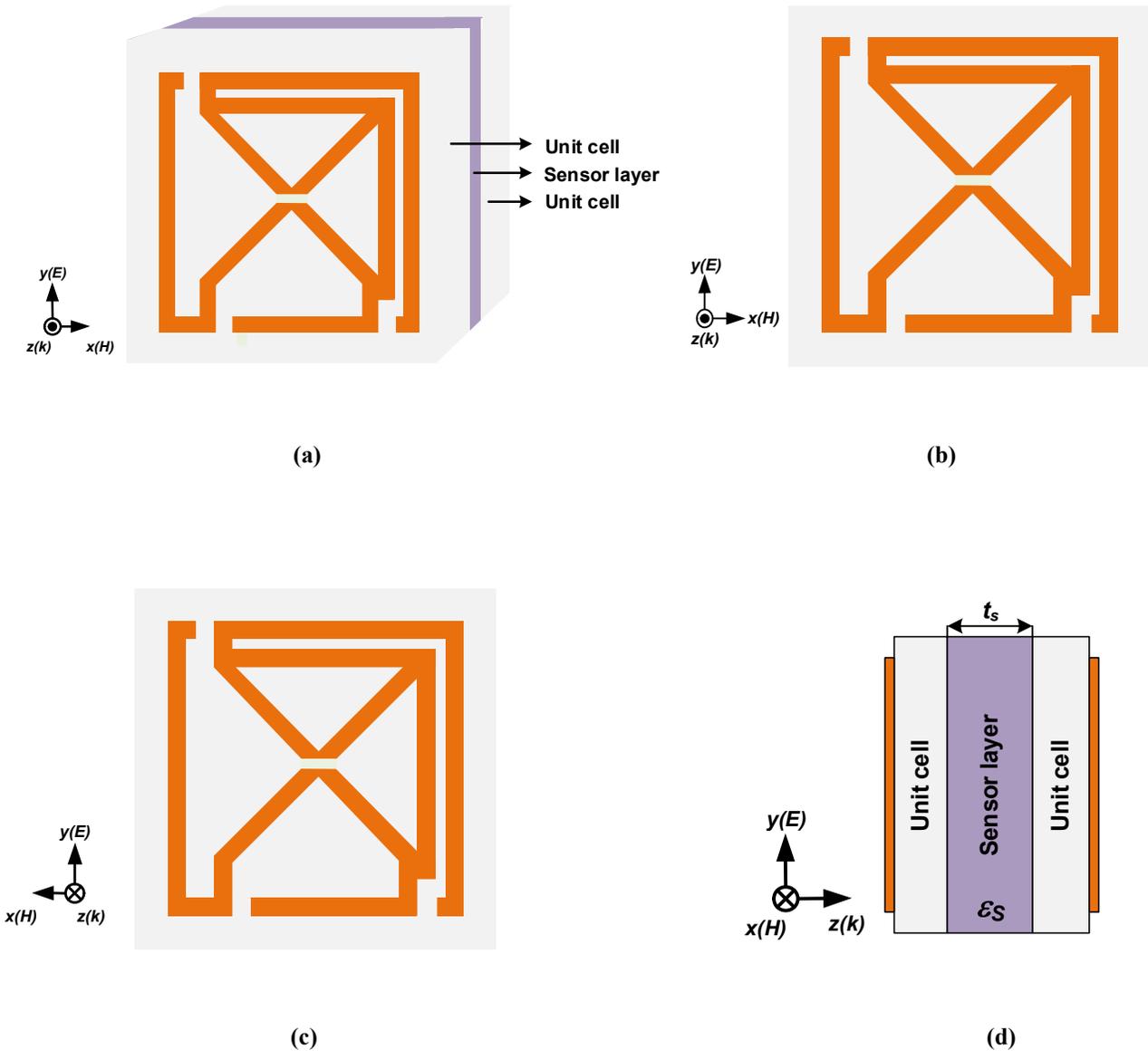


Fig. 22 Schematic diagram of the proposed NRI MTM based pressure sensor (a) Perspective view, (b) Front view, (c) Back view, and (d) Left view.

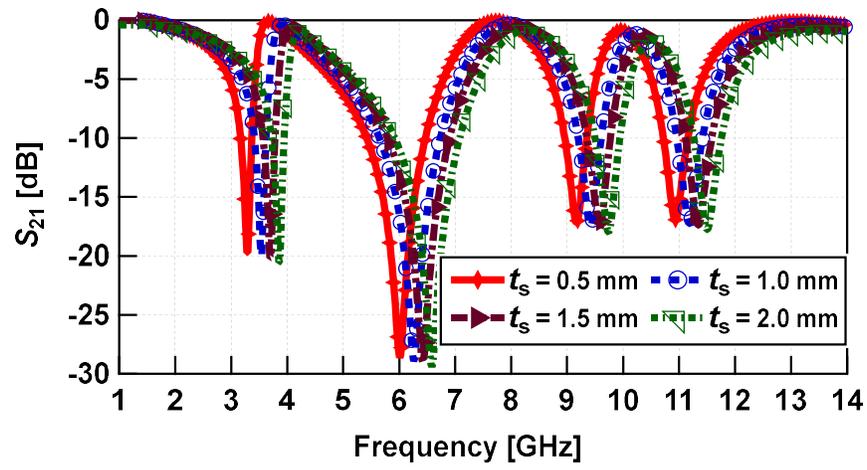


Fig. 23 S_{21} curves of the pressure sensor.