

## Tables

**Table I** A comparative study among negative permittivity, permeability, and refractive index regions of the proposed MTM unit cell, 2×2, and 4×4 MTM array structures.

Effective parameters	Structure	Frequency range (GHz)	Bandwidth (GHz)	Application bands
Permittivity	Unit cell	1.4–3.9	2.5	S, C, X, Ku
		6.8–7.6	0.8	
		10.1–10.4	0.3	
		12.2–13.8	1.6	
	2×2 array	1.6–4.2	2.6	S, C, X, Ku
		7–8	1	
		10.2–10.8	0.6	
		12.2–13.4	1.2	
	4×4 array	3.2–4.6	1.4	S, C, X, Ku
		6.7–7.6	0.9	
		10.1–11	0.9	
		12.7–13.5	0.5	
Permeability	Unit cell	3.6–3.9	0.2	S, C, X, Ku
		6.8–8	1.2	
		10.1–10.4	0.3	
		13.4–13.7	0.3	
	2×2 array	3.2–4.8	0.3	S, C, X, Ku
		6.3–7.5	0.4	
		9.5–10.6	1.1	
		13–13.8	0.8	
	4×4 array	3.4–4.1	0.7	S, C, X, Ku
		6.6–8	1.3	
		9.5–11.3	1.7	
		12.8–13.8	1	
Refractive Index	Unit cell	3.7–3.9	0.2	S, C, X, Ku
		6.8–7.1	0.3	
		10.11–10.4	0.29	
		13.4–13.7	0.3	
	2×2 array	3.5–3.8	0.3	S, C, X, Ku
		7–7.3	0.3	
		10.1–10.8	0.7	
		13–13.4	0.4	
	4×4 array	3.7–3.9	0.2	S, C, X, Ku
		6.8–7.3	0.5	
		10.3–10.8	0.5	
		12.9–13.4	0.5	

**Table II** Comparison of the proposed MTM unit cell with other literature.

Reference	Shape of NRI unit cell	Covered NRI frequency band	Resonant frequency	Application frequency band	Size of unit cell (mm <sup>2</sup> )	Effective medium ratio, $\lambda_0/p$	Publication year
[10]	Double G	4-4.95 & 5-5.57	2.7, 5.6	C	12×12	9.25	2015
[15]	ELC and loop resonator	1.95-2.13, 2.30-2.41, & 4.63-4.87	2.03, 2.36, 4.81	L, S	8×8	18.47	2016
[16]	C	4.906-10.632 & 10.884-13.348	3.36, 8.574, 11.57	C, X, Ku	12×12	7.4	2017
[17]	Crossed S	13.4-18.6	14	Ku	5.2×5.2	4.12	2016
[18]	H	8.31-15.43 & 17.43-18	1.63, 10.93	X, Ku	12×12	15.33	2018
[19]	Modified H	7.615-8.46, 8.755-9.36, & 10.68-15	6.8, 10.8, 12.5	C, X, Ku	7.92×7.92	5.57	2018
[20]	Bare H	7.37-7.66, 8.47-10.12, 10.39-10.57, & 11.26-11.33	4.29, 9.93	C, X	20×20	3.49	2014
[21]	Z	3.482-7.096, 7.876-10.047, & 11.594-14	7.32, 11.84	C, X, Ku	10×10	4.09	2016
[22]	Hexagonal	3.36-3.52, 5.34-5.52, 5.63-8.69, 9.71-10.55, & 11.84-13.90	1.64, 3.6, 7.23, 10.225	S, C, X, Ku	10×9.8	18.2	2018
Proposed design	Combination of square and triangular resonators	3.7–3.9, 6.8–7.1, 10.11–10.4, & 13.4-13.7	3.66, 6.66, 9.8, 12.58	S, C, X, Ku	6×6	13.8	-----

**Table III Performance comparison of the proposed transformer oil sensor with other MTM based transformer oil sensors.**

References	Configuration of MTM	Resonance frequency (GHz)	Permittivity for clean & dark oil	Frequency range (GHz)	Resonance frequency shift (MHz)	Publication year
[24]	Square ring resonators	—	2.7 & 2.8	8–12	70	2019
[25]	Labyrinth Resonator	4.62	2.7 & 2.9	4–5	40	2019
[26]	Omega shaped resonator	1.9	2.74 & 2.87	1–8	63	2020
[27]	Omega shaped resonator	9.85	2.7 & 2.9	8.5–10.5	77	2020
This work	Combination of square and triangular resonators	9.54	2.7 & 2.8	8–12	80	—

**Table IV Comparison of the proposed methanol sensor with other MTM based methanol sensors.**

References	Configuration of MTM	Resonance frequency (GHz)	Concentration of methanol	Permittivity	Frequency range (GHz)	Resonance frequency shift, (MHz)	Publication year
[23]	Chiral	9.26	10%–90%	62–50, 12–7	8–12	270	2018
[24]	Square ring resonators	—	20–100%	55–40, 11–7	8–12	210	2019
[25]	Labyrinth Resonator	4.62	0–40%	75–73, 45–39	4–5	60	2018
[26]	Omega shaped resonator	1.9	0–40%	78–76, 55–53	2.5–3	230	2020
[28]	SRR	4.62	10–95%	77.5–55	4–6	20	2017
This work	Combination of square and triangular resonators	9.54	0–100%	65–10	8–12	500	—

**Table V Performance evaluation of the proposed ethanol sensor with other MTM based ethanol sensors.**

References	Configuration	Resonance	Concentration		Frequency	Resonance	Publication
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	of MTM	frequency (GHz)	of ethanol	Permittivity	range (GHz)	frequency shift (MHz)	year
[25]	Labyrinth Resonator	4.62	0–40%	75–73, 45–39	4–5	100	2018
[26]	Omega shaped resonator	1.9	0–40%	77–76, 51–50	2.5–3	250	2020
[28]	SRR	4.62	10–95%	70–11, 21–11	4–6	50	2017
This work	Combination of square and triangular resonators	9.54	0–100%	65–6	8–12	340	—

**Table VI Performance evaluation of the proposed acetone sensor with other MTM based acetone sensors.**

References	Configuration of MTM	Resonance frequency (GHz)	Concentration of acetone	Permittivity	Frequency range (GHz)	Resonance frequency shift (MHz)	Publication year
[28]	SRR	4.62	10%–30%	72–68, 60–52	4–6	40	2017
[30]	S-shaped resonator and circular ring resonator	9.5	10–90%	62–50, 26–21	8–12	220	2020
This work	Combination of square and triangular resonators	9.54	0–100%	65–20	8–12	370	—

**Table VII Performance evaluation of the proposed pressure sensor with other MTM based pressure sensors.**

References	Configuration of MTM	Thickness change of sensor layer (mm)	Operating band	Frequency range (GHz)	Resonance frequency shift (MHz)	Publication year
[31]	SRR	2–0.4	X	12.1–11	1100	2013
[32]	MTM absorber	2–0.5	X	10.25–10.1	150	2017
This work	Combination of square and triangular resonators	2–0.5	S	3.34–3.93	590	—
			C	6–6.6	600	
			X	9.9–9.10	800	
				11.5–10.98	610	