

**Numerical Methods of  
Electromagnetic Field Theory I (NFT I)  
Numerische Methoden der  
Elektromagnetischen Feldtheorie I (NFT I) /**

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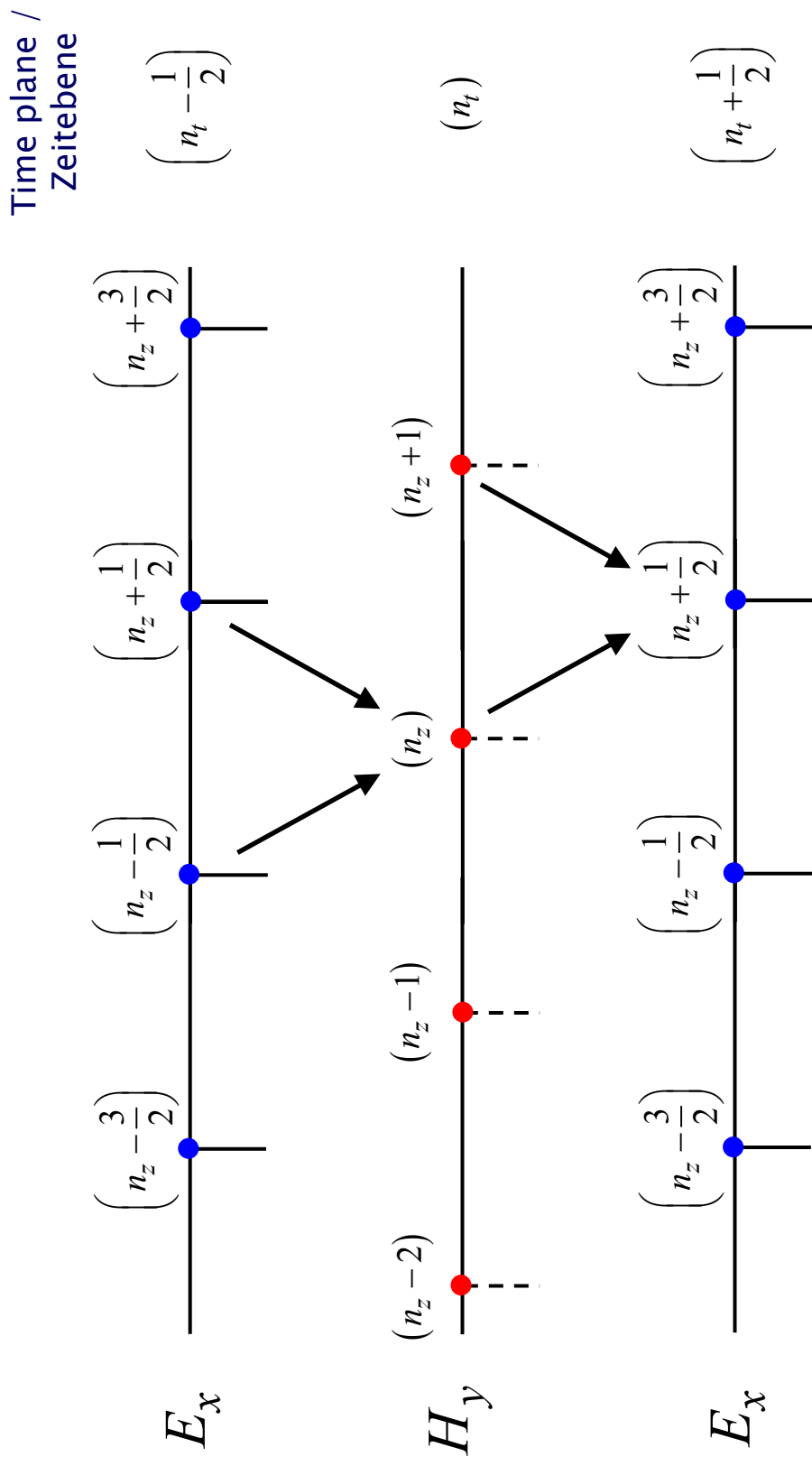
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1-D EM Wave Propagation – 1-D FDTD – Staggered Grid in Space /  
 1D EM Wellenausbreitung – 1-D FDTD – Versetztes Gitter im Raum

Interleaving of the  $E_x$  and  $H_y$  field components in space and time in the 1-D FDTD formulation /  
 Überlappung der  $E_x$ - und  $H_y$ -Feldkomponente in der 1D-FDTD-Formulierung im Raum und in der Zeit



# 1-D EM Wave Propagation – FDTD – Normalization / 1D EM Wellenausbreitung – FDTD – Normierung

$$H_y^{(n_z, n_t)} = H_y^{(n_z, n_t-1)} - \frac{\Delta t}{\mu_0 \Delta z} \left[ E_x^{(n_z+1/2, n_t-1/2)} - E_x^{(n_z-1/2, n_t-1/2)} \right] - \frac{\Delta t}{\mu_0} J_{my}^{(n_z, n_t-1/2)}$$

$$E_x^{(n_z+1/2, n_t+1/2)} = E_x^{(n_z+1/2, n_t-1/2)} - \frac{\Delta t}{\varepsilon_0 \Delta z} \left[ H_y^{(n_z+1, n_t)} - H_y^{(n_z, n_t)} \right] - \frac{\Delta t}{\varepsilon_0} J_{ex}^{(n_z+1/2, n_t)}$$

$$\Delta t = \Delta t_{\text{ref}} \hat{\Delta t} \quad \Delta t_{\text{ref}} = \frac{\Delta x_{\text{ref}}}{c_{\text{ref}}} \quad \Delta t = \frac{\Delta x_{\text{ref}}}{c_{\text{ref}}} \hat{\Delta t}$$

$$\Delta z = \Delta x_{\text{ref}} \hat{\Delta z} \quad c = c_{\text{ref}} \hat{c} \quad \varepsilon = \varepsilon_{\text{ref}} \hat{\varepsilon} \quad \mu = \mu_{\text{ref}} \hat{\mu} \quad \mu_{\text{ref}} = \mu_0$$

$$E_x = E_{\text{ref}} \hat{E}_x$$

$$H_y = H_{\text{ref}} \hat{H}_y \quad H_{\text{ref}} = \frac{E_{\text{ref}}}{c_{\text{ref}} \mu_{\text{ref}}} = \frac{\sqrt{\varepsilon_{\text{ref}} \mu_{\text{ref}}}}{c_{\text{ref}} \mu_{\text{ref}}} E_{\text{ref}} = \sqrt{\frac{\varepsilon_{\text{ref}}}{\mu_{\text{ref}}}} E_{\text{ref}} = \frac{E_{\text{ref}}}{Z_{\text{ref}}}$$

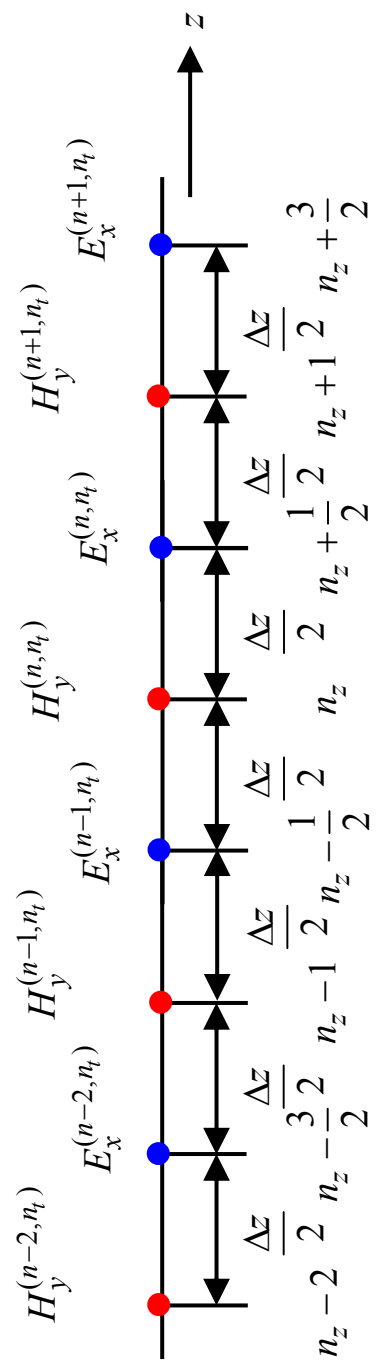
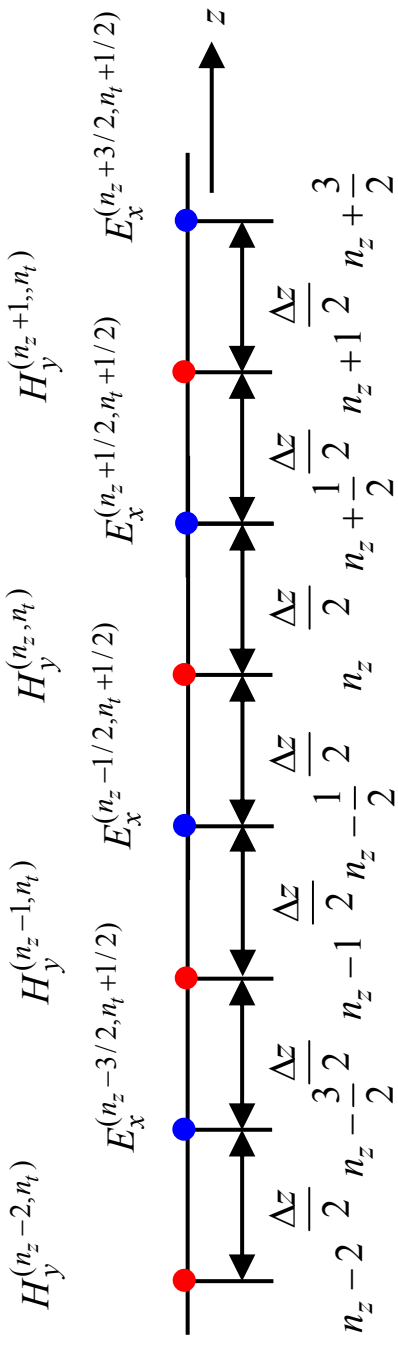
$$J_{\text{ex}} = J_{\text{e ref}} \hat{J}_{\text{ex}} \quad J_{\text{e ref}} = \frac{\varepsilon_{\text{ref}}}{\Delta t_{\text{ref}}} E_{\text{ref}}$$

$$J_{\text{mx}} = J_{\text{m ref}} \hat{J}_{\text{mx}} \quad J_{\text{m ref}} = \frac{\mu_{\text{ref}}}{\Delta t_{\text{ref}}} H_{\text{ref}} = \frac{E_{\text{ref}}}{\Delta t_{\text{ref}} c_{\text{ref}}}$$

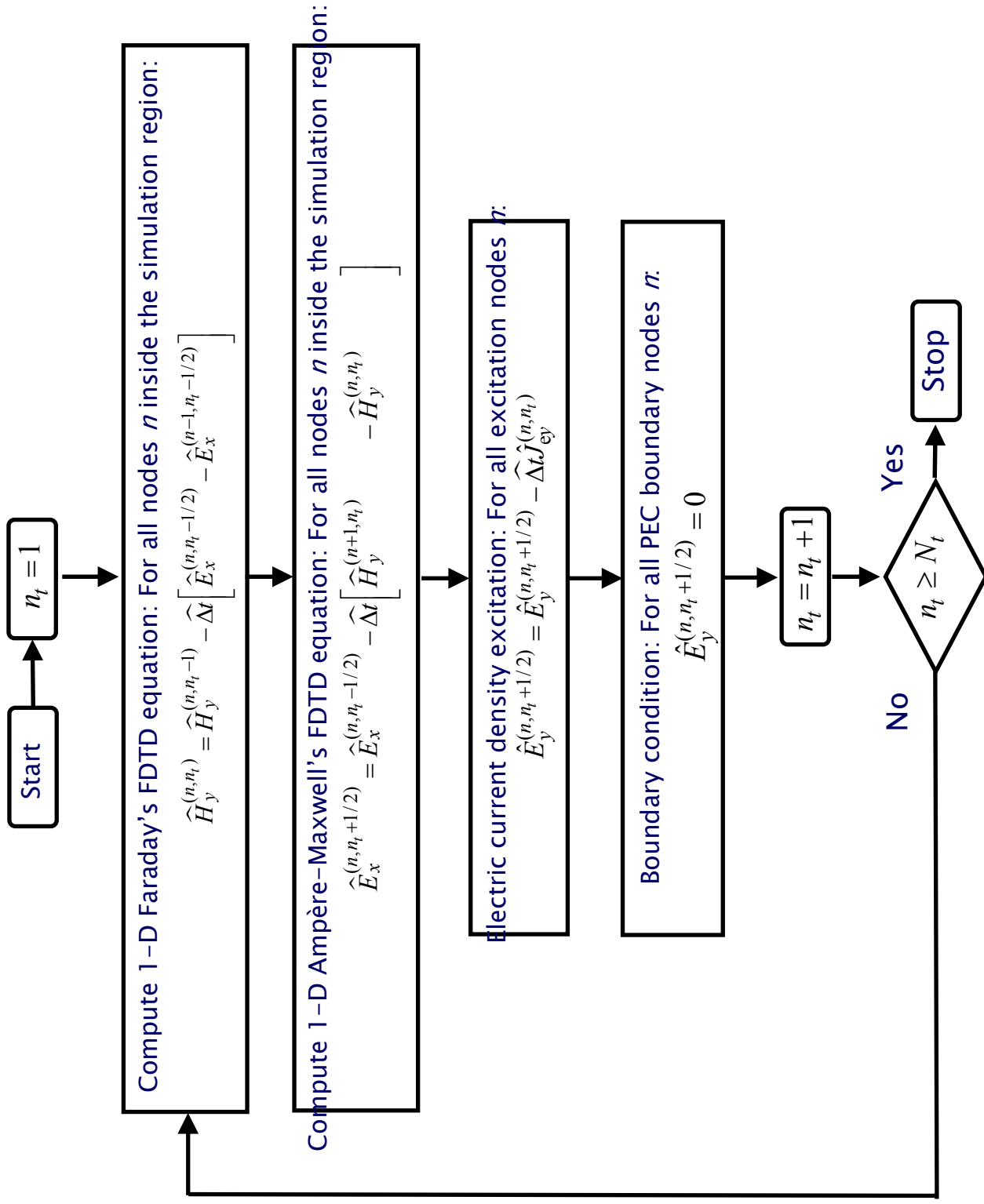
$$\hat{H}_y^{(n_z, n_t)} = \hat{H}_y^{(n_z, n_t-1)} - \hat{\Delta t} \left[ \hat{E}_x^{(n_z+1/2, n_t-1/2)} - \hat{E}_x^{(n_z-1/2, n_t-1/2)} \right] - \hat{\Delta t} \hat{J}_{my}^{(n_z, n_t-1/2)}$$

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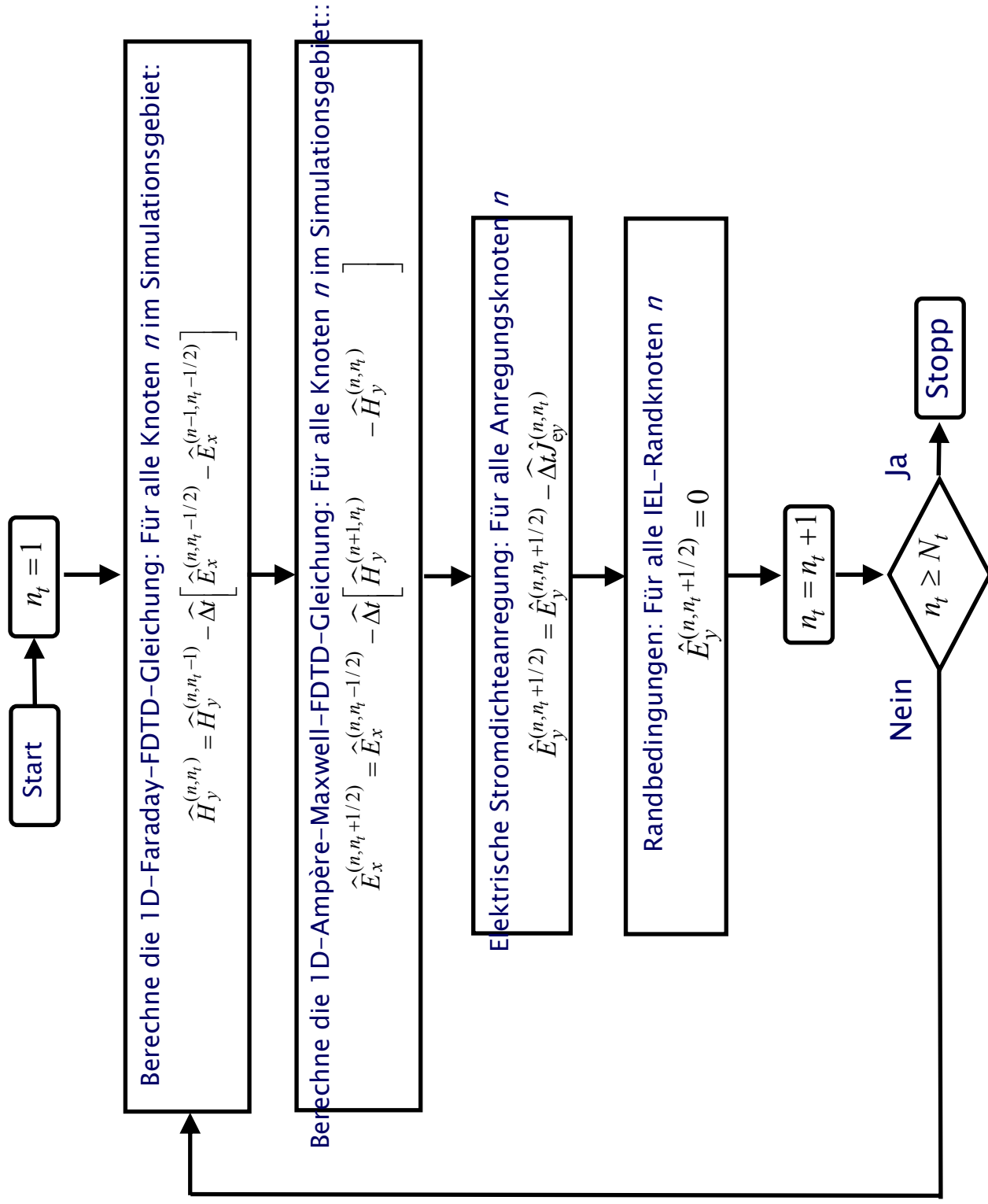
# 1-D FDTD – Staggered Grid in Space – Global Node Numbering / 1D-FDTD – Versetztes Gitter im Raum – Globale Knotennummerierung



# 1-D FDTD Algorithm – Flow Chart / 1D-FDTD-Algorithmus – Flussdiagramm



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# FDTD Solution of the First Two 1-D Scalar Maxwell's Equations / FDTD-Lösung der ersten beiden 1D skalaren Maxwell-Gleichungen

Maxwell's equations / Maxwell'sche Gleichungen

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial t} H_y(z,t) = -\frac{1}{\mu_0} \frac{\partial}{\partial z} E_x(z,t) - \frac{1}{\mu_0} J_{my}(z,t) \quad \text{for / für} \quad \begin{cases} 0 \leq z \leq Z \\ 0 \leq t \leq T \end{cases}$$

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial t} E_x(z,t) = -\frac{1}{\epsilon_0} \frac{\partial}{\partial z} H_y(z,t) - \frac{1}{\epsilon_0} J_{ex}(z,t)$$

Hyperbolic initial-  
boundary-value  
problem /  
Hyperbolisches  
Anfangs-Randwert-  
Problem

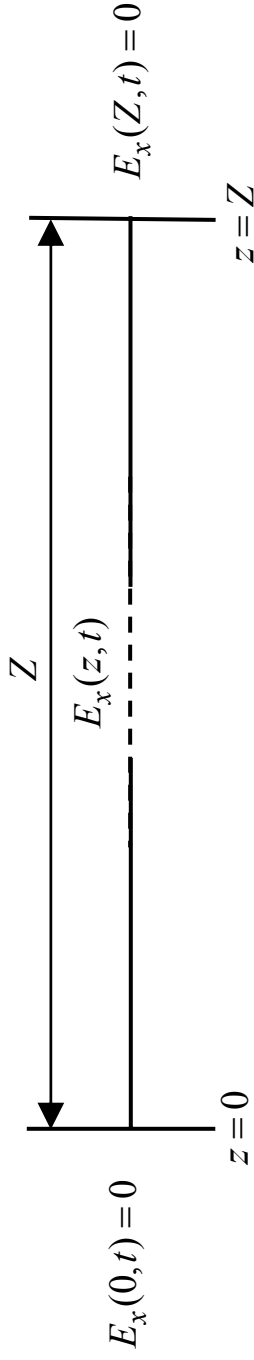
Initial condition / Anfangsbedingung

$$\begin{aligned} H_y(z,t) &= J_{my}(z,t) = 0 & t \leq 0 \\ E_x(z,t) &= J_{ex}(z,t) = 0 & t \leq 0 \\ J_{ex}(z,t) &= K_{e0}(z_0) \delta(z - z_0) f(t) & t > 0 \end{aligned}$$

Causality / Kausalität

Boundary condition for a perfectly electrically conducting (PEC) material /  
Randbedingung für ein ideal elektrisch leitendes Material

$$\begin{cases} E_x(0,t) = 0 \\ E_x(Z,t) = 0 \end{cases} \quad \forall t$$



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Discrete 1-D FDTD equations / Diskrete 1D-FDTD-Gleichungen

$$\begin{aligned} \widehat{H}_y^{(n_z, n_t)} &= \widehat{H}_y^{(n_z, n_t-1)} - \widehat{\Delta t} \left[ \widehat{E}_x^{(n_z+1/2, n_t-1/2)} - \widehat{E}_x^{(n_z-1/2, n_t-1/2)} \right] - \widehat{\Delta t} J_{my}^{(n_z, n_t-1/2)} & \text{for / für} & \left\{ \begin{array}{l} 1 \leq n_z \leq N_z \\ 1 \leq n_t \leq N_t \end{array} \right. \\ \widehat{E}_x^{(n_z+1/2, n_t+1/2)} &= \widehat{E}_x^{(n_z+1/2, n_t-1/2)} - \widehat{\Delta t} \left[ \widehat{H}_y^{(n_z+1, n_t)} - \widehat{H}_y^{(n_z, n_t)} \right] - \widehat{\Delta t} J_{ex}^{(n_z+1/2, n_t)} \end{aligned}$$

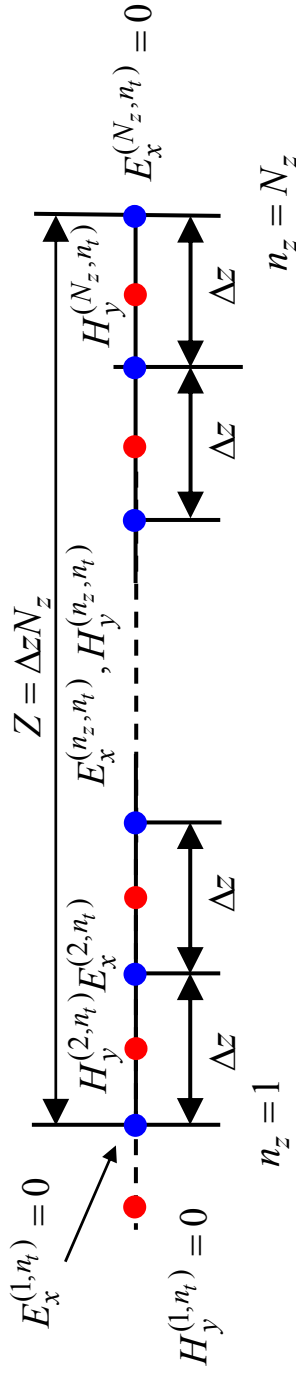
Initial condition / Anfangsbedingung

$$\begin{aligned} H_y^{(n_z, n_t)} &= J_{my}^{(n_z, n_t)} = 0 & n_t &\leq 1 \\ E_x^{(n_z, n_t)} &= J_{ex}^{(n_z, n_t)} = 0 & n_t &\leq 1 \\ J_{ex}^{(n_z, n_t)} &= K_{ex}^{(n_{z0})} \delta^{(n_z - n_{z0})} f(n_t) & n_t &> 1 \end{aligned}$$

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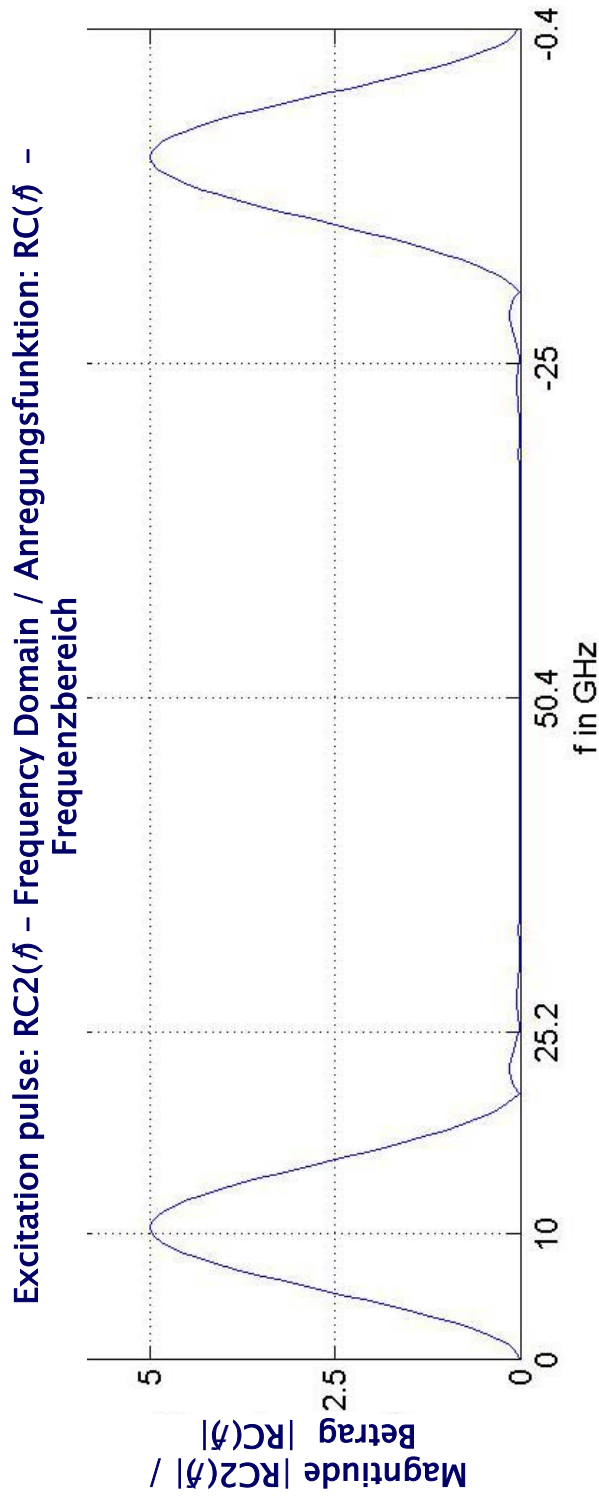
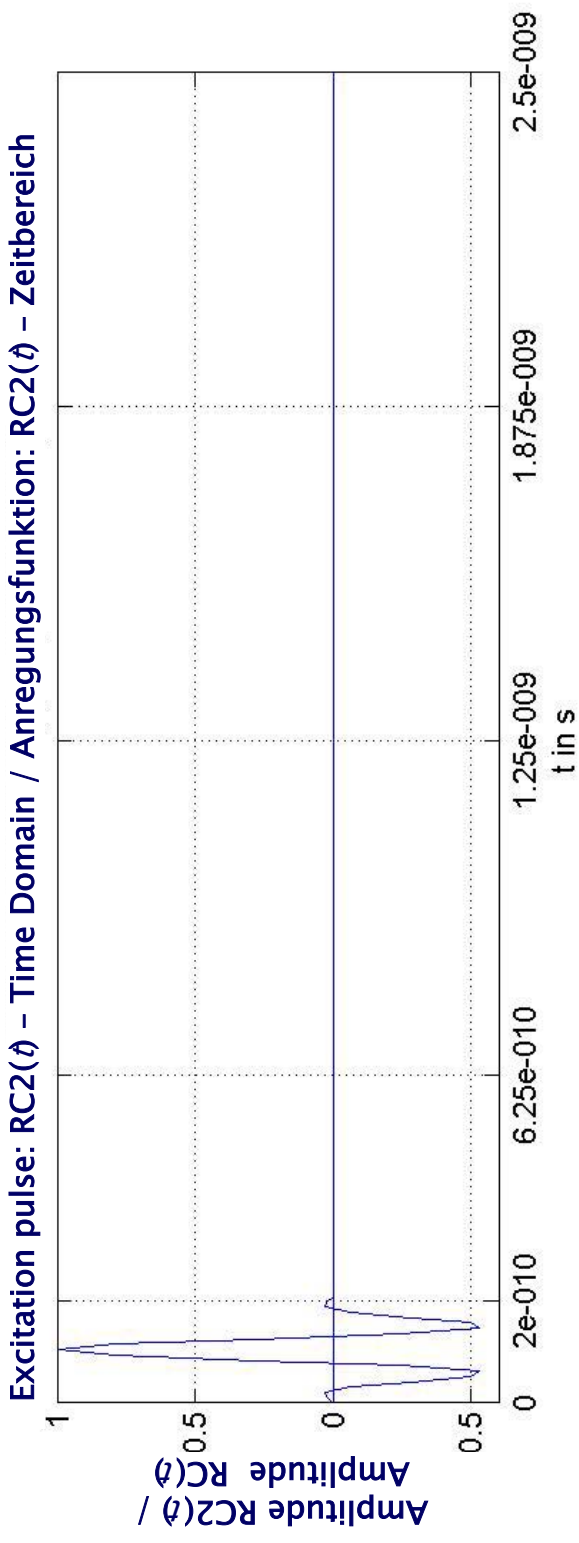
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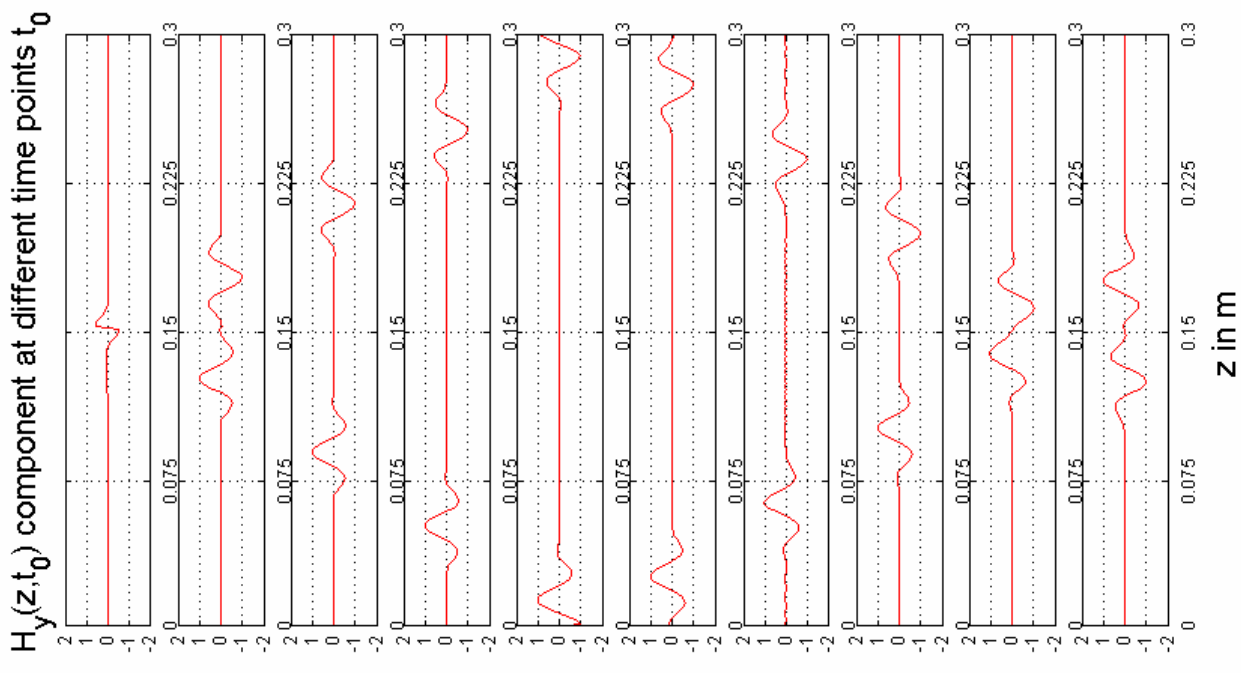
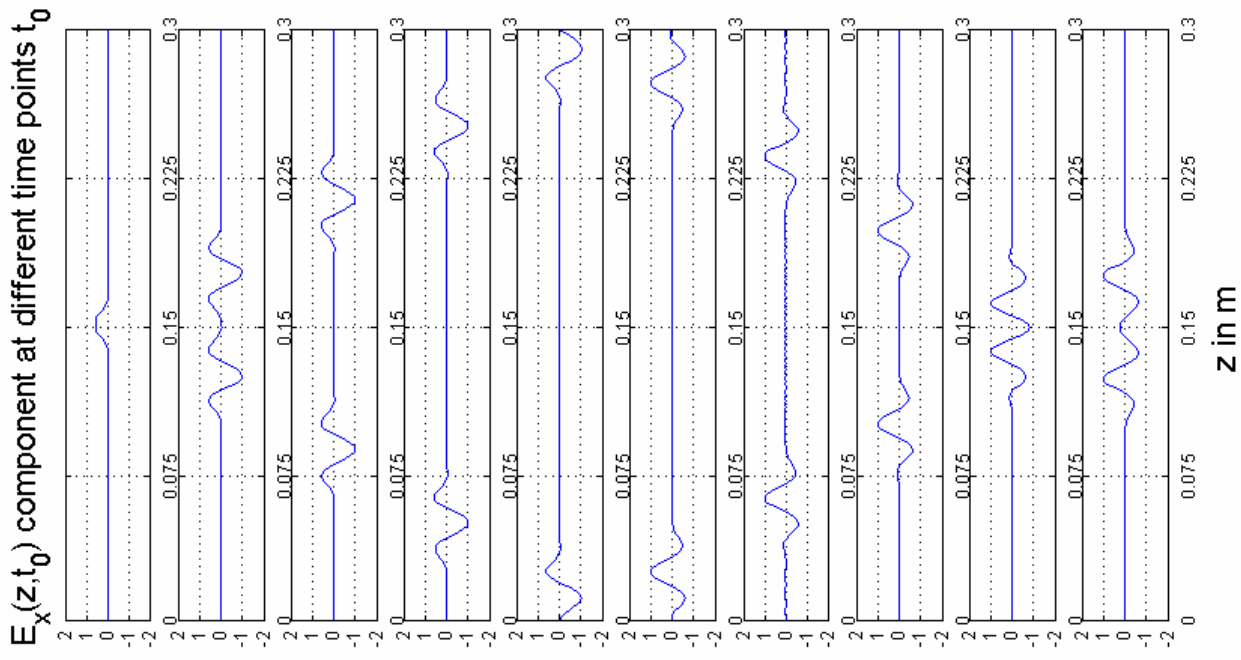
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initial-boundary-value  
problem /  
Diskretes  
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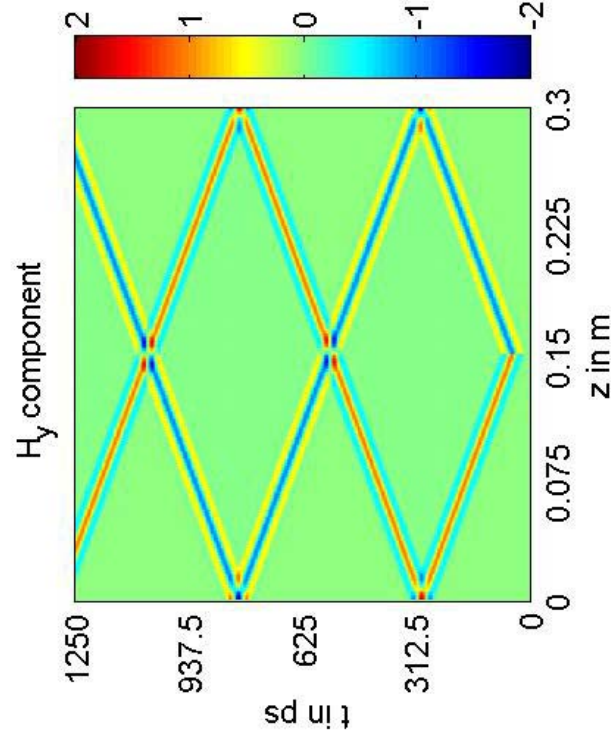
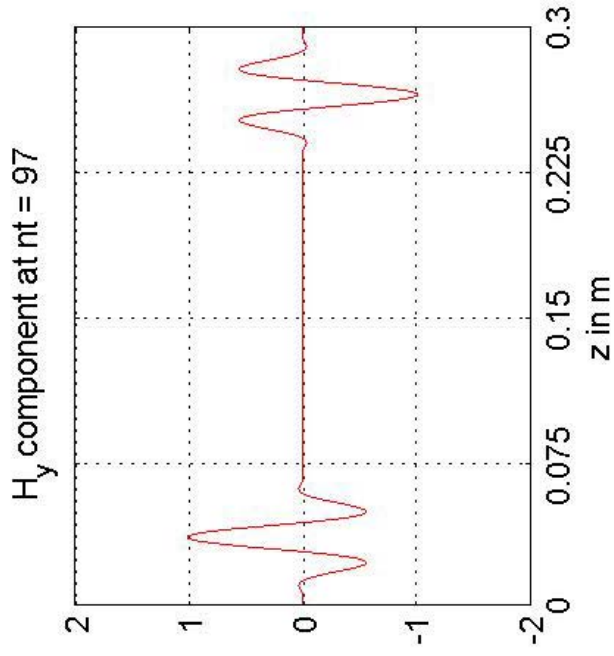
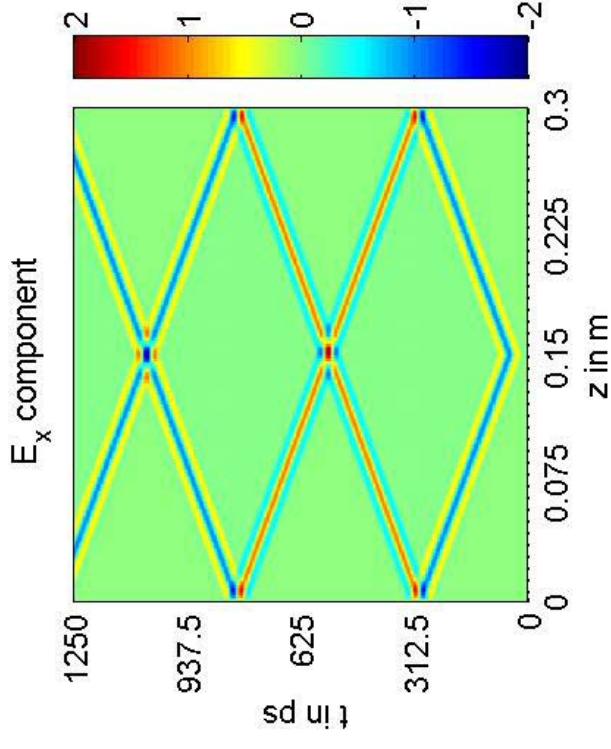
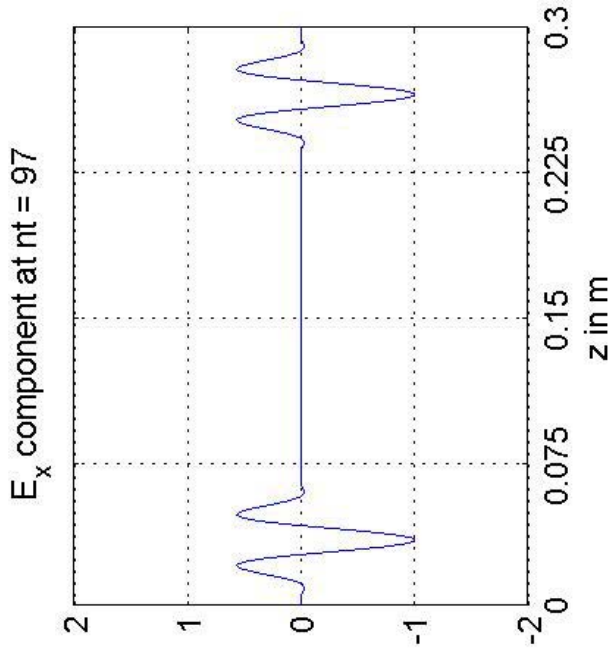
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## Implementation of Boundary Conditions / Implementierung von Randbedingungen

Boundary condition for a perfectly electrically conducting (PEC) material /  
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$$\left. \begin{array}{l} E_x^{(1, n_t)} = 0 \\ E_x^{(N_x, n_t)} = 0 \end{array} \right\} 1 \leq n_t \leq N_t$$

Absorbing/open boundary condition /  
Absorbierende/offene Randbedingung

Space-time-extrapolation of the first order /  
Raum-Zeit-Extrapolation der ersten Ordnung

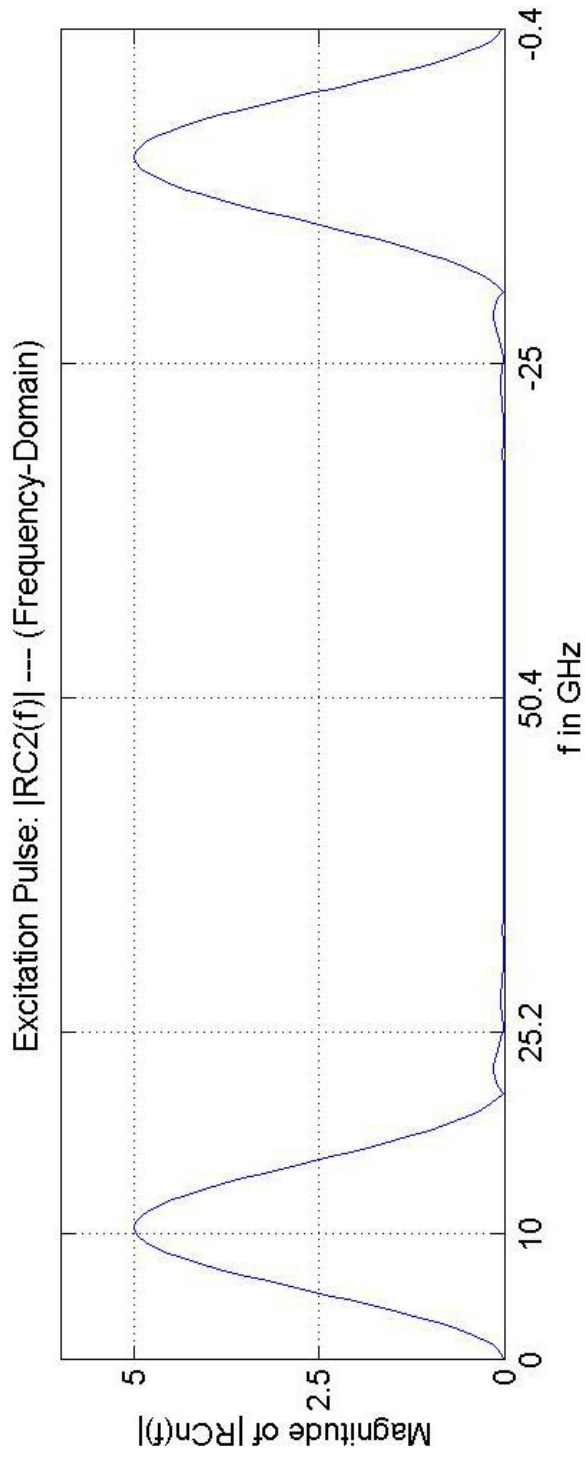
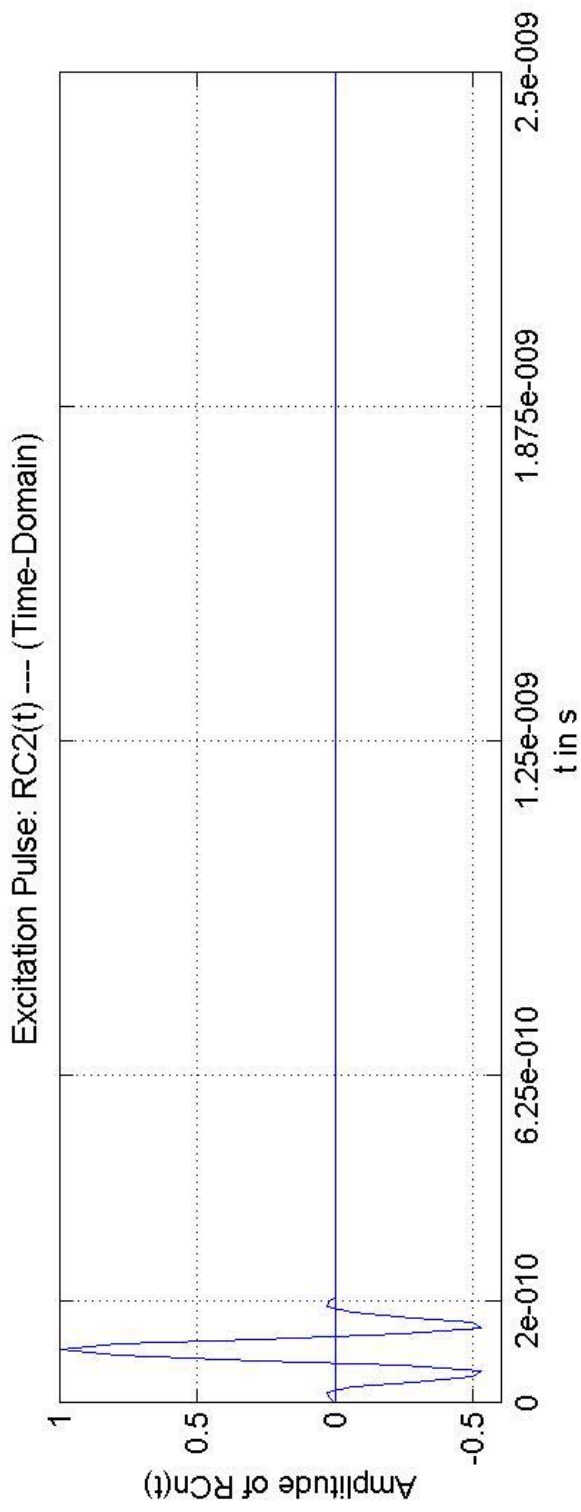
For / Für  $\hat{\Delta t} = 0.5$

a plane wave needs two time steps,  $2 n_t$ , to travel over one grid cell with the size  $\Delta z$  /  
braucht eine ebene Welle zwei Zeitschritte,  $2 n_t$ , um sich über eine Gitterzelle der Größe  $\Delta z$  auszubreiten

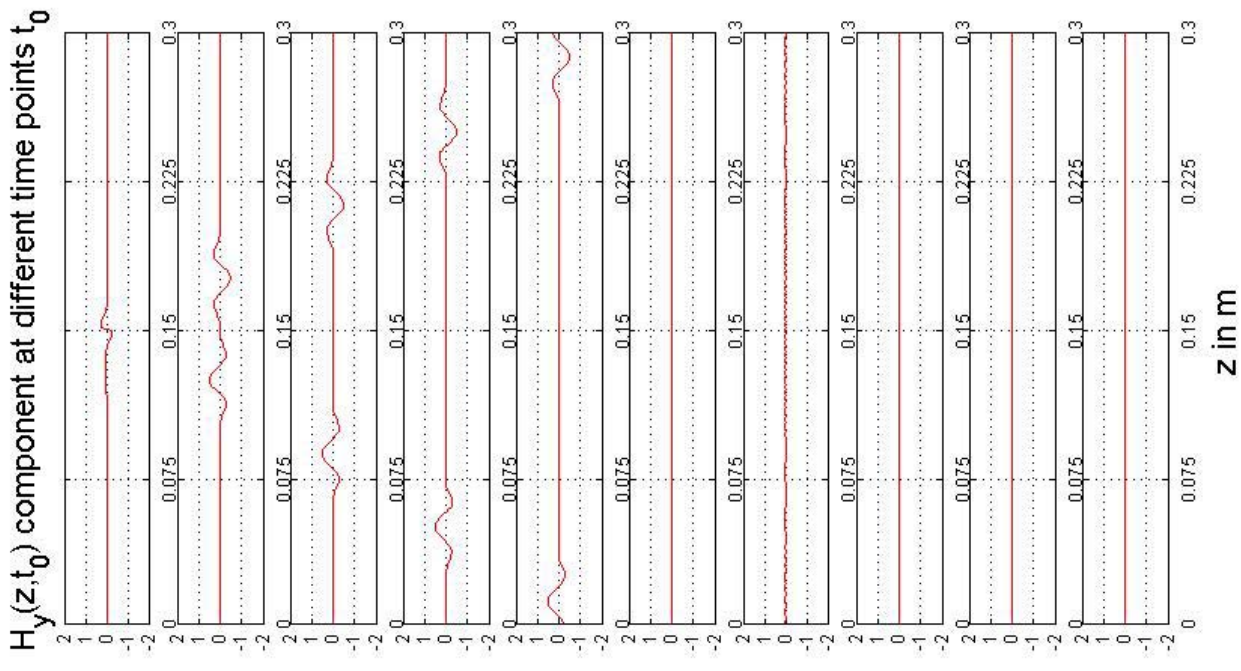
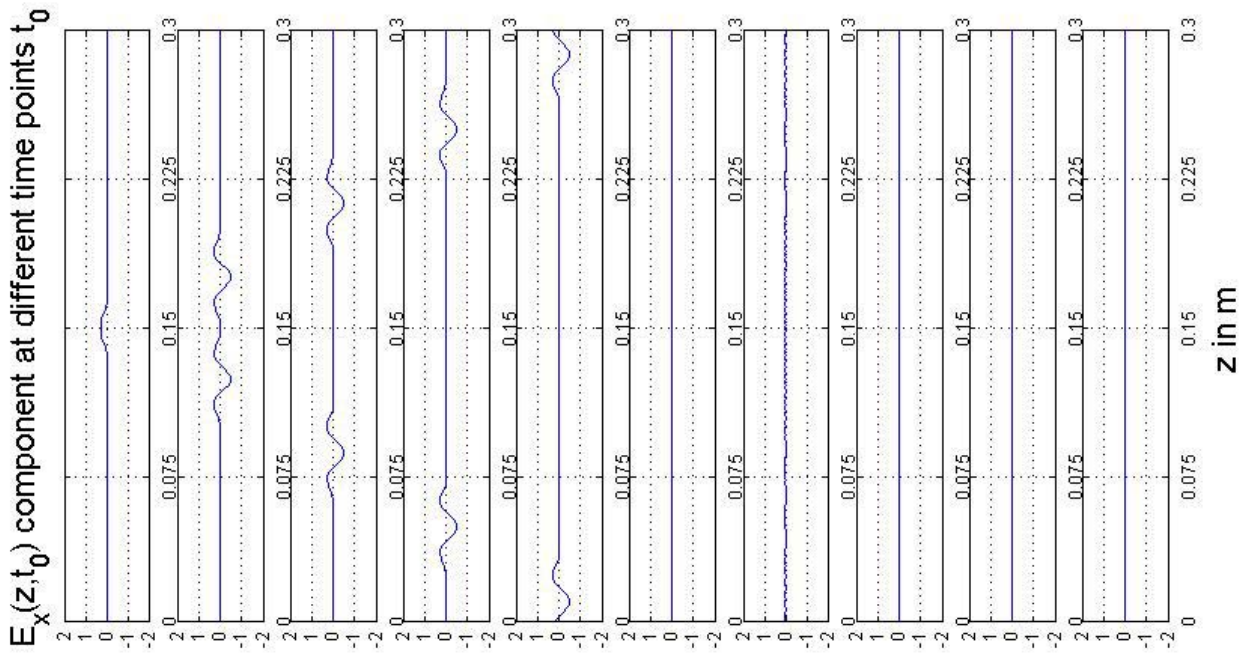
$$\left. \begin{array}{l} E_x^{(1, n_t)} = E_x^{(2, n_t - 2)} \\ E_x^{(N_x, n_t)} = E_x^{(N_x - 1, n_t - 2)} \end{array} \right\} 1 \leq n_t \leq N_t$$

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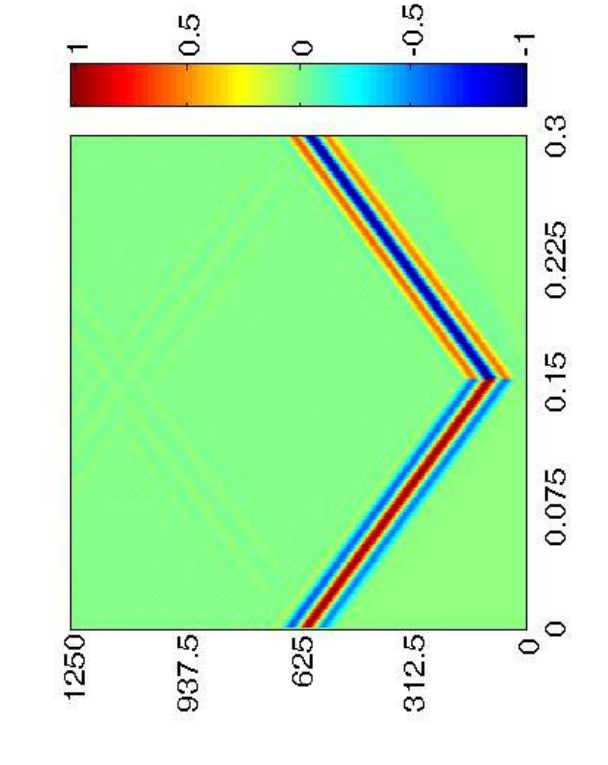
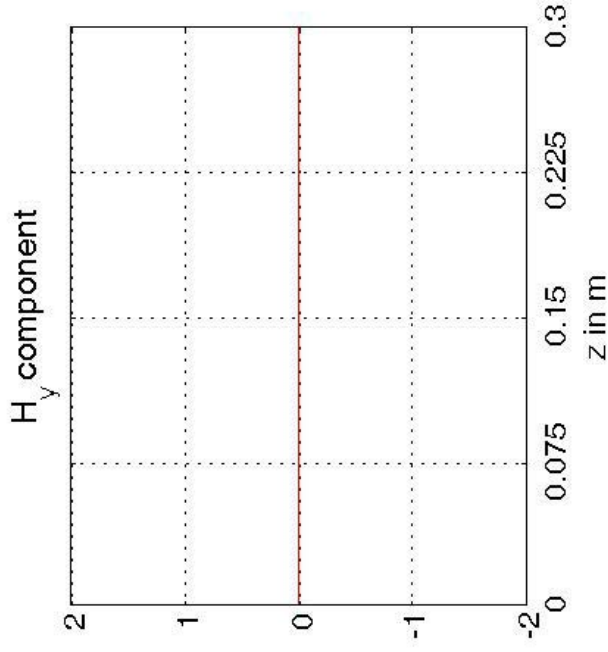
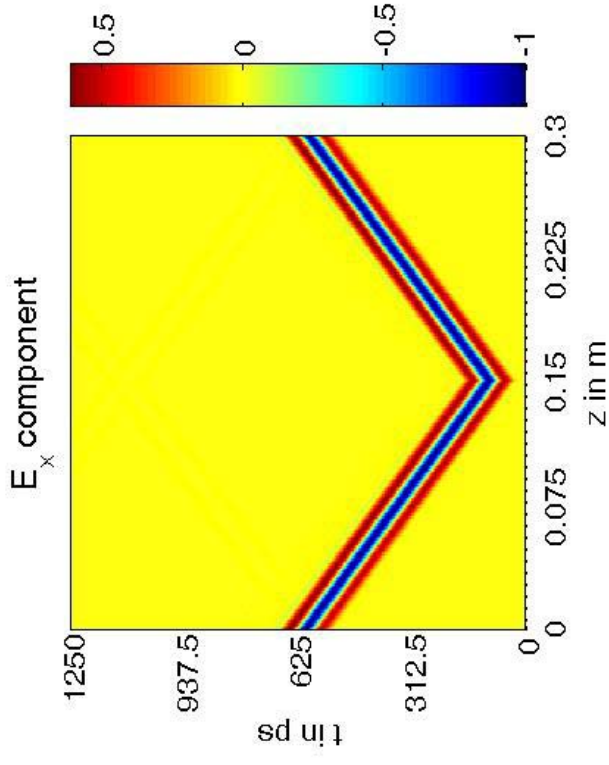
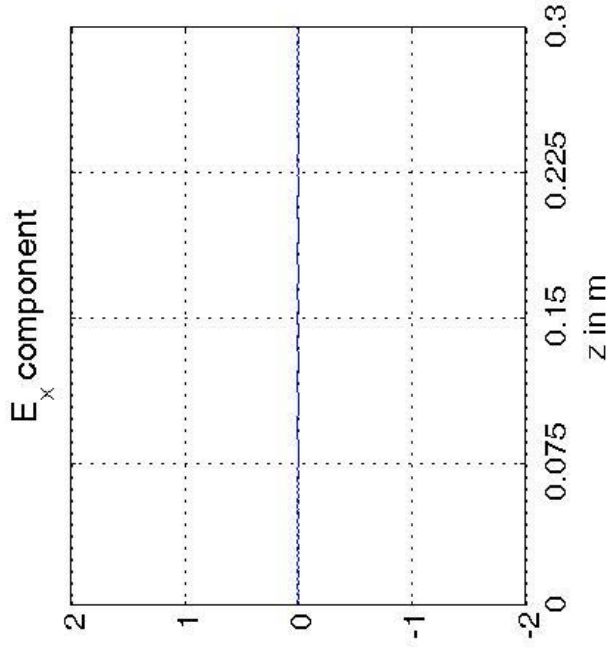
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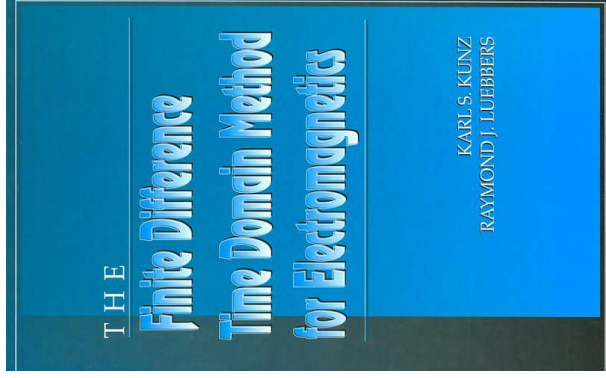
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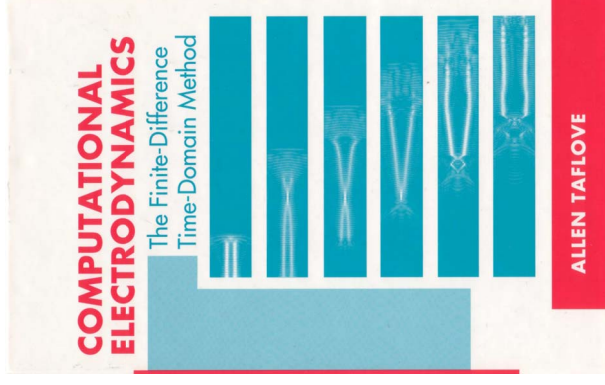
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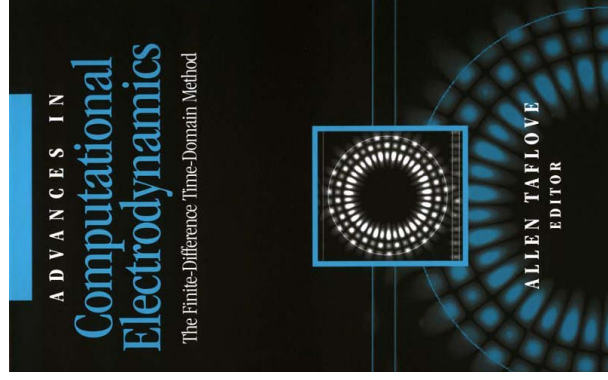
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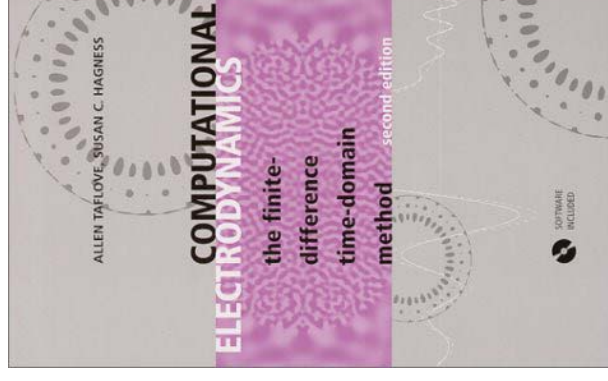
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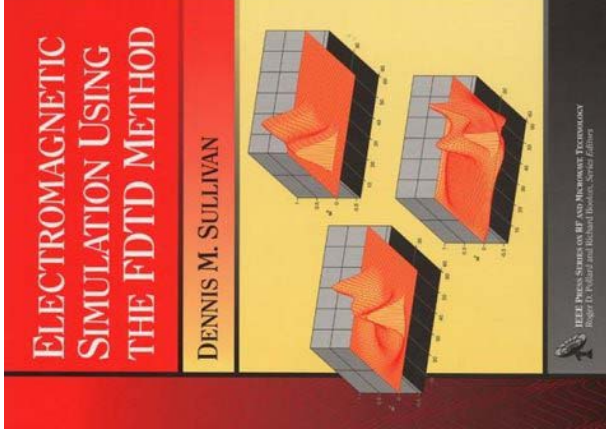


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