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Reflection and transmission of waves from imperfect boundary between two heat conducting micropolar thermoelastic solids

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Abstract

The problem of reflection and transmission of plane waves at an imperfect boundary between two thermally conducting micropolar elastic solid half spaces with two temperature is investigated. Amplitude ratio of various reflected and transmitted waves are presented when a set of coupled longitudinal wave (LD-wave) and thermal wave (T-wave) and a set of coupled transverse wave and microrotation waves (CDI, CDII) is made incident. The expressions for reflection and transmission coefficients which are the ratios of the amplitudes of reflected and transmitted waves at different angles of incident wave are obtained. The corresponding expressions for the normal force stiffness, transverse force stiffness, transverse couple stiffness and perfect bonding has also been included. Stiffness and two temperature effects on these amplitude ratios with angle of incidence have been depicted graphically. Some special and particular cases are also discussed.

1 Introduction

The exact nature of layers beneath the earths surface are unknown. Therefore, one has to consider various appropriate models for the purpose of theoretical

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investigation. Modern engineering structures are often made up of materials possessing an internal structure. Polycrystalline materials, materials with fibrous or coarse grain structure come in this category. Classical elasticity is inadequate to represent the behaviour of such materials. The analysis of such materials requires incorporating the theory of oriented media. For this reason, micropolar theories were developed by Eringen[1,2,3] for elastic solids, fluids and further for non-local polar fields and are now universally accepted. A micropolar continuum is a collection of interconnected particles in the form of small rigid bodies undergoing both translational and rotational motions.

The linear theory of micropolar thermoelasticity was developed by extending the theory of micropolar continuum to include thermal effects by Eringen[4] and Nowacki[5]. Dost and Taborrok [6] presented the generalized thermoelasticity by using Green and Lindsay theory[7].

The main difference of thermoelasticity with two temperature with respect to the classical one is the thermal dependence. Chen et al [8, 9] have formulated a theory of heat conduction in deformable bodies, which depend on two distinct temperature, the conductive temperature ϕ and thermodynamic temperature θ . For time independent situations, the difference between these two temperature is proportional to the heat supply. For time dependent problems in wave propagation the two temperature are in general different. The two temperature and the strain are found to have representation in the form of a travelling wave pulse, a response which occurs instantaneously throughout the body Boley [10]. The wave propagation in the two temperature theory of thermoelasticity was investigated by Warren and Chen [11].

Various investigators Youssef [12], Puri and Jordan [13], Youssef and Al-Lehaibi [14], Youssef and Al-Harby [15], Magana and Quintanilla [16], Mukhopadhyay and Kumar [17], Roushan and Santwana [18], Kaushal et al [19], Kaushal et al [20], Ezzat and Awad [21] and Ezzat *et al.* [22] studied different problems in thermoelastic medias with two temperature.

An actual interface between two elastic media is much more complicated and has physical properties different from those of the substrates. A generalization of this concept is that of an imperfectly bonded interface. In this case displacement across the surfaces need not be continuous. Imperfect bonding means that the stress components are continuous, but the displacement field is not. The small vector difference in the displacement is assumed to depend linearly on the traction vector. To describe the physical conditions on the interface by different mechanical boundary conditions, significant work has been done by different investigators. Notable among them are Baik and Thomson [23], Rokhlin [24], Angel and Achenbach [25], Pilarski and Rose [26], Lavrentyev and Rokhlin [27].

Recently various authors have used the imperfect conditions at an interface

to study various types of problems e.g. Kumar and Sharma [28], Kumar *etal.* [29, 30, 31,32], Ram and Sharma [33], Kumar and Sharma [34], Sharma *etal.* [35], Kumar and Chawla [36, 37, 38].

The theory from [39] is a theory of thermoelasticity constructed by taking into account the heat conduction in deformable bodies which depends om two temperature.

In the context of in the paper [40] it is proved that the Cesaro means of the kinetic and strain energies of a solution with finite energy become asymptotic equal as time tends to infinity.

By using a measure of Toupin type associated with the corresponding steady-state vibration and assuming that the exciting frequency is lower than a certain critical frequency, in the paper [41] it is obtained a spatial decay estimate similar to that of Saint-Venant type.

In the paper [42] the author applies the theory of semigroups of operators in order to obtain the existence and uniqueness of solutions for the mixed initial-boundary value problems in thermoelasticity of dipolar bodies. The continuous dependence of the solutions upon initial data and supply terms is also proved

The reflection and transmission of plane waves i.e. Longitudinal displacement wave (LD wave), Thermal wave (T wave), Coupled transverse wave (CD-I wave and CD-II wave) at an imperfect interface of two different micropolar generalized thermoelastic solid half spaces with two temperature has been investigated. Stiffness and two temperature effects are depicted graphically on the amplitude ratios for incidence of various plane waves.

2 Basic equations

Following Eringen [1], Warren and Chen [11] the field equations in an isotropic, homogeneous, micropolar elastic medium in the context of generalized theory of thermoelasticity with two temperature, without body forces, body couples and heat sources, are given by

$$(\alpha + \beta + \gamma) \nabla \left(\nabla . \overrightarrow{\phi}\right) - \gamma \nabla \times \left(\nabla \times \overrightarrow{\phi}\right) + K \nabla \times \overrightarrow{u} - 2K \overrightarrow{\phi} = \rho j \frac{\partial^2 \overrightarrow{\phi}}{\partial t^2} , \quad (1)$$

$$K^* \nabla^2 \Phi = \rho \, c^* \frac{\partial}{\partial t} (1 - a \nabla^2) \Phi + \nu \, \Phi_0 \left(\frac{\partial}{\partial t} \right) (\nabla, \vec{u}) \quad , \tag{2}$$

and the constitutive relations are

$$t_{ij} = \lambda u_{r,r} \delta_{ij} + \mu \left(u_{i,j} + u_{j,i} \right) + K \left(u_{j,i} - \varepsilon_{ijr} \phi_r \right) - \nu T \delta_{ij}, \tag{3}$$

$$m_{ij} = \alpha \phi_{r,r} \delta_{ij} + \beta \phi_{i,j} + \gamma \phi_{j,i} , \qquad i, j, r = 1, 2, 3$$

$$\tag{4}$$

where ∇^2 is the Laplacian operator, λ and μ are Lame's constants. K, α , β and γ are micropolar constants. t_{ij} are the components of the stress tensor and m_{ij} are the components of couple stress tensor. \vec{u} and $\vec{\phi}$ are the displacement and microrotation vectors, ρ is the density, \hat{j} is the microinertia, K^* is the thermal conductivity, c^* is the specific heat at constant strain, T is the temperature change, $\nu = (3\lambda + 2\mu + K) \alpha_T$, where α_T is the coefficient of linear thermal expansion, δ_{ij} is the Kronecker delta, ε_{ijr} is the alternating symbol. Thermodynamic temperature T and conductive temperature Φ are connected by the relation $T = (1 - a\nabla^2)\Phi$.

3 Formulation of the problem

We consider two homogeneous, isotropic, micropolar, thermoelastic solid half spaces with two temperature (medium M_1) and (medium M_2) in contact with each other. The rectangular Cartesian co-ordinate system $Ox_1x_2x_3$ having origin on the surface $x_3 = 0$ with x_3 -axis pointing vertically into the medium M_1 is introduced.

For two dimensional problem, we take

$$\vec{u} = (u_1(x_1, x_3), 0, u_3(x_1, x_3)), \quad \vec{\phi} = (0, \phi_2(x_1, x_3), 0)$$
(5)

The following non-dimensional quantities are introduced

$$x_{1}^{'} = \frac{\omega^{*} x_{1}}{c_{1}} , \quad x_{3}^{'} = \frac{\omega^{*} x_{3}}{c_{1}} , \quad u_{1}^{'} = \frac{\rho \omega^{*} c_{1}}{\nu T_{0}} u_{1} , \quad u_{3}^{'} = \frac{\rho \omega^{*} c_{1}}{\nu T_{0}} u_{3} , \quad (6)$$

$$\phi_{2}^{'} = \frac{\rho c_{1}^{2}}{\nu T_{0}} \phi_{2} , \qquad t^{'} = \omega^{*} t , \qquad T^{'} = \frac{T}{T_{0}}, \qquad \Phi^{'} = \frac{\Phi}{\Phi_{0}},$$
(7)

$$t'_{ij} = \frac{1}{\nu T_0} t_{ij}, \qquad m'_{ij} = \frac{\omega^*}{c_1 \nu T_0} m_{ij}, \ \tau'_0 = \omega^* \tau_0, \qquad a' = \frac{\omega^{*2}}{c_1^2}$$
(8)

where $\omega^* = \frac{\rho c^* c_1^2}{K^*}$, $c_1^2 = \frac{\lambda + 2\mu + K}{\rho}$ and T_0 , Φ_0 are characteristic temperatures.

The components of displacements u_1 and u_3 are related to the potential functions ϕ and ψ through the following relation

$$u_1 = \frac{\partial \phi}{\partial x_1} - \frac{\partial \psi}{\partial x_3}, \qquad u_3 = \frac{\partial \phi}{\partial x_3} + \frac{\partial \psi}{\partial x_1}, \qquad (9)$$

Eqs. (6)-(8) with the aid of Eqs. (1)-(3) after suppressing the primes reduce to

$$\nabla^2 \phi - p_0 \left(1 + \tau_1 \frac{\partial}{\partial t} \right) (1 - a \nabla^2) \Phi - \frac{\partial^2 \phi}{\partial t^2} = 0, \tag{10}$$

$$\nabla^2 \psi + a_1 \phi_2 - a_2 \frac{\partial^2 \psi}{\partial t^2} = 0 , \qquad (11)$$

$$\nabla^2 \phi_2 - a_3 \nabla^2 \psi - a_4 \phi_2 - a_5 \frac{\partial^2 \phi_2}{\partial t^2} = 0 , \qquad (12)$$

$$\nabla^2 \Phi = a_6 \frac{\partial}{\partial t} (1 - a \nabla^2) \Phi + a_7 \left(\frac{\partial}{\partial t}\right) \nabla^2 \phi , \qquad (13)$$

where $a_1 = \frac{K}{\mu + K}$, $a_2 = \frac{\rho c_1^2}{\mu + K}$, $a_3 = \frac{K c_1^2}{\gamma \omega^{*2}}$, $a_4 = 2 a_3$, $a_5 = \frac{\rho \hat{j} c_1^2}{\gamma}$, $p_0 = \frac{\Phi_0}{T_0} a_6 = \frac{\rho c^* c_1^2}{K^* \omega^*}$, $a_7 = \frac{\nu^2 T_0}{\rho K^* \omega^*}$, $\nabla^2 = \frac{\partial}{\partial x_1^2} + \frac{\partial}{\partial x_3^2}$

Boundary Conditions 4

The boundary conditions at the interface $x_3 = 0$ are given as

 $\begin{array}{rcl} T_{33} &= K_n [u_3 - \bar{u_3}], & T_{31} &= K_t [u_1 - \bar{u_1}], & \bar{m_{32}} &= K_c [\phi_2 - \bar{\phi_2}], \\ \hline \overline{K^*} \frac{\partial T}{\partial x_3} &= K_\theta [T - \bar{T}], & T_{33} &= \bar{T_{33}}, & T_{31} &= \bar{T_{31}}, & m_{32} &= \bar{m_{32}}, & K^* \frac{\partial T}{\partial x_3} &= \\ \bar{K^*} \frac{\partial \bar{T}}{\partial x_3} & (13) & & & \\ \end{array}$

where K_n , K_t , K_c and K_{θ} are the normal force stiffness, transverse force stiffness, transverse couple stiffness and thermal conductness coefficients of unit layer thickness having dimensions $\frac{N}{m^3}$, $\frac{N}{m^3}$, $\frac{N}{m}$ and $\frac{N}{m \sec K}$.

Reflection and Transmission $\mathbf{5}$

We consider Longitudinal displacement wave (LD-wave), Thermal wave (Twave), Coupled transverse and microrotational waves (CD-I wave and CD-II wave) propagating through the medium M_1 which we designate as the region $x_3 > 0$ and incident at the plane $x_3 = 0$ with its direction of propagation making an angle θ_0 normal to the surface. Corresponding to each incident wave, we get reflected LD-wave, T-wave, CD-I and CD-II waves in medium M_1 and transmitted LD-wave, T-wave, CD-I and CD-II waves in medium M_2 . We write all the variables without bar in medium M_1 and attach bar to denote the variables in medium M_2 as shown in Fig.1.

In order to solve the equations (15)-(20), we assume the solutions of the form

$$\{\phi, \Phi, \psi, \phi_2\} = \left\{ \widetilde{\phi}, \widetilde{\Phi}, \widetilde{\psi}, \widetilde{\phi}_2 \right\} e^{\iota \{k(x_1 \sin \theta - x_3 \cos \theta) - \omega t\}}$$
(14)

where k is the wave number and ω is the angular frequency and ϕ , ϕ , ϕ , ψ , ϕ_2 are arbitrary constants.

Making use of equation (14) in equations (9)-(12), we obtain

$$V^4 + D_1 V^2 + E_1 = 0, (15)$$

$$V^4 + D_2 V^2 + E_2 = 0, (16)$$

where

$$\begin{aligned} D_1 &= -\left(\frac{a_1 a_3}{\omega^2 a_2} + 1\right) \frac{1}{(a_5 - \frac{a_4}{\omega^2})} - \frac{1}{a_2} \,, \qquad E_1 = \frac{1}{(a_5 - \frac{a_4}{\omega^2})a_2} \,, \\ D_2 &= \frac{-1 + (a - \frac{1}{\omega^2})ia_6 \omega - a_7 i\omega p_0}{a_6 \frac{i}{\omega}} \,, \qquad E_2 = \frac{1 - a\omega^2 [-ia_7 p_0 \frac{1}{\omega^2} - a_6 \frac{i}{\omega}]}{a_6 \frac{i}{\omega}} \end{aligned}$$

and $V^2 = \frac{\omega^2}{k^2}$

Equation (15) and (16) are quadratic in V^2 , therefore the roots of these equations give four values of V^2 . Corresponding to each value of V^2 in equation (15), there exist two types of waves in solid medium in decreasing order of their velocities, namely a LD-wave, T-wave. Similarly corresponding to each value of V^2 in equation (16), there exist two types of waves in solid medium, namely a CD-I wave, CD-II wave. Let V_1 , V_2 be the velocities of reflected LD-wave, T-wave and V_3 , V_4 be the velocities of reflected CD-I wave, CD-II wave in medium M_1 .

In view of equation (14), the appropriate solutions of equations (9)-(12) for medium M_1 and medium M_2 are assumed in the form

Medium M_1 :

$$\{\phi, \Phi\} = \sum_{i=1}^{2} \{1, f_i\} \left[S_{0i} e^{\iota \{k_i (x_1 \sin \theta_{0i} - x_3 \cos \theta_{0i}) - \omega_i t\}} + P_i \right],$$
(17)

$$\{\psi, \phi_2\} = \sum_{j=3}^{4} \{1, f_j\} [T_{0j} e^{\iota \{k_j (x_1 \sin \theta_{0j} - x_3 \cos \theta_{0j}) - \omega_j t\}} + P_j],$$
(18)

where

$$f_i = \frac{\iota\omega(1 - \frac{1}{V_i^2})}{p_0(1 + \frac{a\omega^2}{V_i^2})\frac{\iota}{\omega}}, \qquad f_j = \frac{-\omega^2(a_2 - \frac{1}{V_j^2})}{a_1}$$

and $P_i = S_i e^{\iota \{k_i(x_1 \sin \theta_{0i} + x_3 \cos \theta_{0i}) - \omega_i t\}}, P_j = T_j e^{\iota \{k_j(x_1 \sin \theta_{0j} + x_3 \cos \theta_{0j}) - \omega_j t\}}$

Medium M_2 :

$$\{\bar{\phi}, \bar{\Phi}\} = \sum_{i=1}^{2} \left\{ 1, \bar{f}_{i} \right\} \left[\bar{S}_{0i} e^{\iota \left\{ \bar{k}_{i} \left(x_{1} \sin \bar{\theta}_{i} - x_{3} \cos \bar{\theta}_{i} \right) - \bar{\omega}_{i} t \right\}} \right], \tag{19}$$

$$\{\bar{\psi}, \ \bar{\phi_2}\} = \sum_{j=3}^{4} \left\{ 1 \ , \bar{f_j} \right\} [\bar{T_{0j}} \ e^{\iota \left\{ k\bar{j} \left(x_1 \sin \bar{\theta_j} - x_3 \cos \bar{\theta_j} \right) - \bar{\omega_j} \ t \right\}}], \tag{20}$$

and S_{0i} , T_{0j} are the amplitudes of incident (LD-wave, T-wave) and (CD-I, CD-II) waves respectively. S_i and T_j are the amplitudes of reflected (LD-wave, T-wave) and (CD-I, CD-II) waves and \bar{S}_i , \bar{T} are the amplitudes of transmitted

(LD-wave, T-wave) and (CD-I, CD-II) waves respectively.

We use the following extension of the Snell's law in order to satisfy the boundary conditions

$$\frac{\sin\theta_0}{V_0} = \frac{\sin\theta_1}{V_1} = \frac{\sin\theta_2}{V_2} = \frac{\sin\theta_3}{V_3} = \frac{\sin\theta_4}{V_4} = \frac{\sin\overline{\theta_1}}{\overline{V_1}} = \frac{\sin\overline{\theta_2}}{\overline{V_2}} = \frac{\sin\overline{\theta_3}}{\overline{V_3}} = \frac{\sin\overline{\theta_4}}{\overline{V_4}}$$
(21)

where

$$V_j = \frac{\omega}{k_j} \overline{V_j} = \frac{\omega}{\overline{k_j}} (j = 1, 2, 3, 4) a t x_3 = 0$$

$$\tag{22}$$

Making use of ϕ , ψ , Φ and ϕ_2 in boundary conditions (13), equations (4)-(8) and equations (21) and (22), we obtain a system of eight non-homogeneous equations in the following form

$$\sum_{j=1}^{8} a_{ij} Z_j = Y_i ; \quad (i = 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8)$$
(23)

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$$\begin{aligned} a_{1i} &= (d_1 + d_2 B_i) \frac{\omega^2}{V_i^2} + p_0 (1 + a \frac{\omega^2}{V_i^2}) f_i \ , \ a_{1j} = d_2 \frac{\omega^2}{V_j V_0} \sin \theta_0 \ \sqrt{B_j} \ , \ a_{1k} = \\ &- \left[\left(\overline{d_1} + \overline{d_2}(R_i) \right) \frac{\omega^2}{V_i^2} + \left(1 + \overline{a} \frac{\omega^2}{V_i^2} \right) \overline{f_i} \right] \ , \ a_{1l} = - \overline{d}_2 \frac{\omega^2}{V_j V_0} \sin \theta_0 \ \sqrt{R_j} \ , \ a_{2i} = \\ &- (2d_4 + d_5) \frac{\omega^2}{V_i V_0} \sin \theta_0 \sqrt{B_i}, \ a_{4l} = \overline{d_2} \frac{\omega^2}{V_j V_0} \sqrt{R_j} \ - \iota K_n \frac{\omega}{V_0} \sin \theta_0, \\ &a_{2j} = 2d_4 \frac{\omega^2}{V_j^2} B_j - d_5 \frac{\omega^2}{V_0^2} \sin^2 \theta_0 \ - d_5 f_j \ , \ a_{2k} = - \left(2\overline{d_4} + \overline{d_5} \right) \frac{\omega^2}{V_i V_0} \sin \theta_0 \sqrt{R_i} \ , \\ &a_{2l} = - \left[2\overline{d_4} \frac{\omega^2}{V_j^2} \left(1 - 2 \frac{\overline{V_j^2}}{V_0^2} \sin^2 \theta_0 \ \right) - \overline{d_5} \left(\frac{\omega^2}{V_0^2} \sin^2 \theta_0 + \overline{f_j} \right) \right] \ , \end{aligned}$$

 $a_{3i} = 0$, $a_{3j} = \iota \frac{V_j}{V_0} \sin \theta_0 f_j$, $a_{3k} = 0$, $a_{3l} = -\iota \frac{\omega}{V_0} \sqrt{R_j f_j}$, $a_{4i} = \iota \frac{\omega}{\nabla_i} K_n \sqrt{B_i}$, $a_{4j} = \iota K_n \frac{\omega}{\nabla_0} \sin \theta_0$, $a_{4k} = \iota K_n \frac{\omega}{\nabla_i} \sqrt{R_i} + \frac{\omega^2}{\nabla_i^2} (\overline{d_1} +$ $\overline{d_2}R_i$) + $(1 + \overline{a}\frac{\overline{V_i^2}}{\overline{U_i^2}})\overline{f_i}$, $a_{5i} = \iota K_t \frac{\omega}{V_0} \sin \theta_0, \ a_{5j} = -\iota K_t \frac{\omega}{V_i} \sqrt{B_j}$ $a_{5k} = (2\overline{d_4} + \overline{d_5}) \frac{\omega^2}{\overline{V}V_0} \sin\theta_0 \sqrt{R_i} - \iota K_t \frac{\omega}{V_0} \sin\theta_0,$ $a_{5l} = \frac{\omega^2}{\overline{V_{\ell}^2}} \overline{d_4} (1 - 2\frac{\overline{V_j^2}}{V_0^2} \sin^2 \theta_0) - (\frac{\omega^2}{V_0^2} \sin^2 \theta_0 + \overline{f_j}) \overline{d_5} + \iota K_t \frac{\omega}{\overline{V_i}} \sqrt{R_j} \quad ,$ $a_{6i} = 0$, $a_{6j} = K_c f_j$, $a_{6k} = 0$, $a_{6l} = \iota p_1 \frac{\omega}{\overline{V_i}} \overline{f_j} \sqrt{R_j} - K_c \overline{f_j}$, $a_{7i} = (1 + a\frac{\omega^2}{V_i^2})f_i K_\theta, \quad a_{7j} = 0, \quad a_{7k} = (1 + \overline{a}\frac{\omega^2}{\overline{V_i^2}})(\iota p_2 \frac{\omega}{\overline{V_i}}\overline{f_i}\sqrt{R_i} - \overline{f_i}K_\theta),$ $a_{7l} = 0, \ a_{8i} = (1 + a \frac{\omega^2}{V_i^2}) f_i \ , \ a_{8j} = (1 + a \frac{\omega^2}{V_i^2}) f_j \ , \ a_{8k} = -(1 + \overline{a} \frac{\omega^2}{V_i^2}) \overline{f_i} \ ,$ $\begin{aligned} a_{8l} &= 0 \\ d_1 &= \frac{\lambda}{\rho c_1^2} , \quad d_2 &= \frac{(2\mu + \kappa)}{\rho c_1^2} , \quad d_4 &= \frac{2\mu}{\rho c_1^2} , \quad d_5 &= \frac{d_2}{2} , \quad p_1 &= \frac{\overline{\gamma} \omega^*}{\gamma} , \\ p_2 &= \frac{K_1^*}{K^*}, \quad \underline{B_i} &= (1 - \frac{V_i^2}{V_0^2} \sin^2 \theta_0), \quad B_j &= (1 - \frac{V_j^2}{V_0^2} \sin^2 \theta_0), \quad R_i &= (1 - \frac{\overline{V_i^2}}{V_0^2} \sin^2 \theta_0), \end{aligned}$ $R_j = (1 - \frac{\overline{V_j^2}}{V_0^2} \sin^2 \theta_0)$ (*i* =1, 2, *j* =3, 4, *k* =5, 6, and *l* =7, 8) $Z_1 = \frac{S_1}{4*}, \ Z_2 = \frac{S_2}{4*}, \ Z_3 = \frac{T_3}{4*}, \ Z_4 = \frac{T_4}{4*},$ $Z_5 = \frac{\overline{S_1}}{A_*}, \ Z_6 = \frac{\overline{S_2}}{A_*}, \ Z_7 = \frac{\overline{T_3}}{A_*}, \ Z_8 = \frac{\overline{T_4}}{A_*}$ (24)

 A^* A^* A^* A^* A^* such that Z_1, Z_2, Z_3, Z_4 are the complex amplitude ratios of reflected LDwave, T-wave and coupled CD-I, CD-II waves in medium M_1 and $Z_5, Z_6, Z_7,$ Z_8 are the complex amplitude ratios of transmitted LD-wave. T-wave and

wave, T-wave and coupled CD-I, CD-II waves in medium M_1 and Z_5 , Z_6 , Z_7 , Z_8 are the complex amplitude ratios of transmitted LD-wave, T-wave and coupled CD-I, CD-II waves in medium M_2 .

(1) For incident LD-wave:

$$\begin{split} A^* &= S_{01} \;, \;\; S_{02} = T_{03} = T_{04} = 0 \;, \;\; Y_1 = -a_{11} \;, \\ Y_2 &= a_{21} \;, \;\; Y_3 = a_{31} = 0 \;, \;\; Y_4 = a_{41} \;, \\ Y_5 &= a_{51} \;, \;\; Y_6 = -a_{61} \;, \;\; Y_7 = a_{71} = 0 \;, \;\; Y_8 = -a_{81} \end{split}$$

(2) For incident T-wave:

$$\begin{aligned} A^* &= S_{02} , \quad S_{01} = T_{03} = T_{04} = 0 , \quad Y_1 = -a_{12} , \\ Y_2 &= a_{22} , \quad Y_3 = a_{32} = 0 , \quad Y_4 = a_{42} , \\ Y_5 &= a_{52} , \quad Y_6 = -a_{62} , \quad Y_7 = a_{72} = 0 , \quad Y_8 = -a_{82} \end{aligned}$$

(3) For incident CD-I wave:

$$\begin{aligned} A^* &= T_{03} , \quad S_{01} = S_{02} = T_{04} = 0 , \quad Y_1 = a_{13} , \\ Y_2 &= -a_{23} , \quad Y_3 = a_{33} , \quad Y_4 = a_{43} , \\ &= -a_{53} , \quad Y_6 = a_{63} = 0 , \quad Y_7 = -a_{73} , \quad Y_8 = a_{83} = 0 \end{aligned}$$

(4) For incident CD-II wave:

$$\begin{split} A^* &= T_{04} \;, \;\; S_{01} = S_{02} = T_{03} = 0 \;, \;\; Y_1 = a_{14} \;, \\ Y_2 &= -a_{24} \;, \;\; Y_3 = a_{34} \;, \;\; Y_4 = a_{44} \;, \\ Y_5 &= -a_{54} \;, \;\; Y_6 = a_{64} = 0 \;, \;\; Y_7 = -a_{74} \;, \;\; Y_8 = a_{84} = 0 \end{split}$$

6 Particular cases

 Y_5

Case I: Normal force stiffness

If $K_t \to \infty$, $K_c \to \infty$, $K_n \neq 0$, $K_{\theta} \to \infty$ then eq.(23) yield the corresponding expression for the normal force stiffness with the changed values of a_{ij} as

$$a_{5i} = \iota \frac{\omega}{V_0} \sin \theta_0 , \ a_{5j} = -\iota \frac{\omega}{V_j} \sqrt{B_j} , \ a_{5k} = -\iota \frac{\omega}{V_0} \sin \theta_0, \ a_{5l} = \iota \frac{\omega}{V_j} \sqrt{R_j} ,$$

$$a_{7l} = 0, \ a_{6i} = 0, \ a_{6j} = f_j, \ a_{6k} = 0 , \ a_{6l} = -\overline{f_j} , \ a_{7i} = (1 + a \frac{\omega^2}{V_i^2}) f_i , \ a_{7j} = 0, \ a_{7k} = -(1 + \overline{a} \frac{\omega^2}{V_i^2}) \overline{f_i} , \ i = 1, 2, \ j = 3, \ 4, \ k = 5, \ 6, \ \text{and} \ l = 7, \ 8)$$

Case II: Transverse force stiffness

As $K_t \neq 0$, $K_c \rightarrow \infty$, $K_n \rightarrow \infty$, $K_{\theta} \rightarrow \infty$, we obtain a system of eight non-homogeneous equations as given by equation (23) for the transverse force stiffness with the changed values of a_{ij} as $a_{4i} = \iota \frac{\omega}{V_i} \sqrt{1 - \frac{V_i^2}{V_0^2} \sin^2 \theta_0}$, $a_{4j} = \iota \frac{\omega}{V_0} \sin \theta_0$, $a_{4k} = \iota \frac{\omega}{V_i} \sqrt{R_i}$, $a_{4l} = -\iota \frac{\omega}{V_0} \sin \theta_0$,

$$a_{6i} = 0, \quad a_{6j} = f_j, \quad a_{6k} = 0, \quad a_{6l} = -\overline{f_j}, \quad a_{7i} = (1 + a \frac{\omega^2}{V_i^2}) f_i, \quad a_{7j} = 0, \\ 0, \quad a_{7k} = -(1 + \overline{a} \frac{\omega^2}{V_i^2}) \overline{f_i}, \quad a_{77} = a_{78} = 0, \\ (i = 1, 2, j = 3, 4, k = 5, 6, \text{ and } l = 7, 8) \\ \text{Case III:Transverse couple stiffness}$$

As $K_t \to \infty$, $K_c \neq 0$, $K_n \to \infty$, $K_{\theta} \to \infty$, the boundary conditions reduce to the transverse couple stiffness, yielding a system of eight non-homogeneous equations as given by equation (23) with the changed values of a_{ij} as

$$\begin{aligned} a_{4i} &= \iota \frac{\omega}{V_i} \sqrt{B_i} , \ a_{4j} &= \iota \frac{\omega}{V_0} \sin \theta_0 , \qquad a_{4k} &= \iota \frac{\omega}{V_i} \sqrt{R_i} , \qquad a_{4l} &= -\iota \frac{\omega}{V_0} \sin \theta_0 , \\ a_{5i} &= \iota \frac{\omega}{V_0} \sin \theta_0 , \qquad a_{5j} &= -\iota \frac{\omega}{V_j} \sqrt{B_j} , \qquad a_{5k} &= -\iota \frac{\omega}{V_0} \sin \theta_0 , \ a_{5l} &= \iota \frac{\omega}{V_j} \sqrt{R_j} , \quad a_{7i} &= (1 + a \frac{\omega^2}{V_i^2}) f_i , \qquad a_{7j} &= 0 , \\ u \frac{\omega}{V_j} \sqrt{R_j} , \ a_{7i} &= (1 + a \frac{\omega^2}{V_i^2}) f_i , \qquad a_{7j} &= 0 , \\ (i = 1, 2, j = 3, 4, k = 5, 6 \text{ and } l = 7, 8) \\ \mathbf{Case IV: Thermal conductness} \end{aligned}$$

If $K_t \to \infty$, $K_c \to \infty$, $K_n \to \infty$, $K_{\theta} \neq 0$ correspond, then the corresponding results for the case of thermal conductness and we obtain a system of eight non-homogeneous equations as given by equation (23) with the changed values of a_{ij} as

 $\begin{array}{ll} a_{4i} = \iota \frac{\omega}{\nabla_i} \sqrt{B_i} \ , \ a_{4j} = \iota \frac{\omega}{\nabla_0} \sin \theta_0 \ , & a_{4k} = \iota \frac{\omega}{\nabla_i} \sqrt{R_i} \ , \\ a_{4l} = -\iota \frac{\omega}{\nabla_0} \sin \theta_0 \ , \ a_{5i} = \ \iota \frac{\omega}{\nabla_0} \sin \theta_0 \ , & a_{5j} = -\iota \ \frac{\omega}{\nabla_j} \sqrt{B_j} \ , & a_{5k} = -\iota \frac{\omega}{\nabla_0} \sin \theta_0 \ , \ a_{5l} = \iota \frac{\omega}{\nabla_j} \sqrt{R_j} \ , \ a_{6i} = 0 \ , & a_{6j} = f_j \ , & a_{6k} = 0 \ , & a_{6l} = -\overline{f_j} \ , \\ & (i = 1, 2, j = 3, 4, k = 5, 6, \text{ and } l = 7, 8) \end{array}$

Case V: Perfect bonding

By putting the values $K_t \to \infty$, $K_c \to \infty$, $K_n \to \infty$, $K_{\theta} \to \infty$ in equation (23), we obtain a system of eight non-homogeneous equations as given by equation (23) with the changed values of a_{ij} as

 $\begin{aligned} a_{4i} &= \iota \frac{\omega}{V_i} \sqrt{B_i} \ , \ a_{4j} &= \iota \frac{\omega}{V_0} \sin \theta_0 \ , \qquad a_{4k} &= \iota \frac{\omega}{V_i} \sqrt{\ddot{R}_i} \ , \\ a_{4l} &= -\iota \frac{\omega}{V_0} \sin \theta_0 \ , \ a_{5i} &= \iota \frac{\omega}{V_0} \sin \theta_0 \ , \qquad a_{5j} &= -\iota \frac{\omega}{V_j} \sqrt{B_j} \ , \qquad a_{5k} &= \\ -\iota \frac{\omega}{V_0} \sin \theta_0 \ , \ a_{5l} &= \iota \frac{\omega}{V_j} \sqrt{R_j} \ , \ a_{6i} &= 0 \ , \qquad a_{6j} &= f_j \ , \qquad a_{6k} &= 0 \ , \qquad a_{6l} &= \\ -\overline{f_j} \ , \ a_{7i} &= (1 + a \frac{\omega^2}{V_i^2}) f_i \ , \qquad a_{7j} &= 0 \ , \qquad a_{7k} &= -(1 + \overline{a} \frac{\omega^2}{V_i^2}) \overline{f_i} \ , \ a_{7l} &= 0 \ , \\ (\ i &= 1, \ 2, \ j &= 3, \ 4, \ k &= 5, \ 6, \ \text{and} \ l &= 7, \ 8) \end{aligned}$

7 Special Case

If two temperature parameters vanish i.e. a = 0, $\overline{a} = 0$ with $\Phi_0 = \overline{\Phi_0}$ and $\overline{\Phi_0} = T_0$ yield the amplitude ratios at the imperfect boundary of two micropolar thermoelastic solid half spaces with the changed values of a_{ij} as

$$a_{1k} = -\left[\left(\overline{d_1} + \overline{d_2}R_i\right)\frac{\overline{V_i^2}}{\omega^2} + \overline{f_i}\right], a_{4k} = \iota K_n \frac{\omega}{\overline{V_i}}\sqrt{R_i} + \frac{\omega^2}{\overline{V_i^2}}(\overline{d_1} + \overline{d_2}R_i) + \overline{f_i},$$

$$a_{6j} = K_c f_j, a_{6l} = \iota p_1 \frac{\omega}{\overline{V_j}}\overline{f_j}\sqrt{R_j} - K_c \overline{f_j}, a_{7i} = f_i K_\theta, a_{7k} = (\iota p_2 \frac{\omega}{\overline{V_i}}\overline{f_i}\sqrt{R_i} - \overline{f_i}K_\theta), a_{8i} = f_i, a_{8j} = f_j, a_{8k} = -\overline{f_i}, (i = 1, 2, j = 3, 4, k = 5, 6, \text{ and } l = 7, 8)$$

8 Numerical results and discussion

The following values of relevant parameters for both the half spaces for numerical computations are taken.

Following Eringen[39], the values of micropolar constants for medium M_1 are taken :

$$\begin{split} \lambda &= 9.4 \times 10^{10} Nm^{-2}, \ \mu = 4.0 \times 10^{10} Nm^{-2}, \ \kappa = 1.0 \times 10^{10} Nm^{-2}, \ \gamma = 7.79 \times 10^{-10} N, \ \hat{j} &= 0.002 \times 10^{-17} m^2, \ \rho = 1.74 \times 10^3 Kgm^{-3}, \end{split}$$

and thermal parameters are taken from Dhaliwal and Singh [40]:

$$\nu = 0.268 \times 10^5 Nm^{-2}K^{-1}$$
, $c^* = 0.104 \times 10^4 NmKg^{-1}K^{-1}$, $a = 0.5m^2$,

$$T_0 = 0.298K$$
, $\Phi_0 = 0.292K$, $K^* = 1.7 \times 10^2 Nsec^{-1}K^{-1}$,

$$\tau_0 = 8.13 \times 10^{-15} sec, \qquad \omega = 1$$

Following Gauthier [41], the values of micropolar constants for medium M_2 are taken as:

$$\overline{\lambda} = 7.59 \times 10^{10} Nsecm^{-2} \;, \qquad \overline{\mu} = 0.00189 \times 10^{13} Nsecm^{-2} \;,$$

$$\label{eq:kernel} \begin{split} \overline{\kappa} &= 0.0149 \times 10^9 Nsecm^{-2}, \quad \overline{\gamma} = 0.0000268 Nsec, \ \overline{\rho} = 2.19 \times 10^3 Kgm^{-3} \ , \end{split}$$
 Thermal parameters for the medium $\ M_2$ are taken as:

$$\overline{T_0} = 0.296 K \;, \quad \overline{\Phi_0} = 0.295 K \;, \quad \overline{K^*} = 2.04 \times 10^2 N sec^{-1} K^{-1} \;,$$

 $\overline{\nu} = 0.2603 \times 10^7 Nm^{-2}K^{-1}, \quad \overline{c^*} = 0.0921 \times 10^4 JKg^{-1}K^{-1}, \quad \overline{a} = 0.1m^2 \overline{\tau_0} = 7.13 \times 10^{-15} \sec$

The values of amplitude ratios have been computed at different angles of incidence.

In Figs. 2-25, for CT-theory, we represent the solid line for incident wave for stiffness (GT), small dashes line for incident wave for transverse couple stiffness (KC), medium dashes line for incident wave for normal force stiffness (KN), solid line with solid circles for incident wave for thermal conductness (KQ), solid line with plus sign for incident wave for transverse force stiffness (KT), solid line with crosses for incident wave for thermoelastic solid (TS) and solid line with triangles for incident wave for thermoelastic solid with two temperature without stiffness (WS).

8.1 Incident LD-Wave

Variations of amplitude ratios $|Z_i|$; $1 \le i \le 8$ with the angle of incidence θ_0 , for incident LD-wave are shown in Figs. 2 through 9.

Fig. 2 depicts that the values of $|Z_1|$ for all the stiffnesses increase in the whole range, except the values of GT which oscillate in the whole range of θ_0 . Also the values for WS remain more than the values for all the other stiffnesses in the whole range. It is evident from fig. 3 that the values of $|Z_2|$ for KN remain less than the values for all the other stiffnesses. The maximum value is attained for WS near $\theta_0 = 90^0$.

Fig. 4 shows that the values for $|Z_3|$ for all the stiffnesses increase for all the values of θ except the values for GT which decrease near the grazing incidence. The values for KC remain more than the values for all the other stiffnesses in the whole range. The values for TS remain less than the values for all the other stiffnesses for all the values of θ . Fig. 5 depicts that the behavior of variation of $|Z_4|$ is similar to that of $|Z_3|$ with difference in their magnitude values.

From fig. 6, it is evident that the values of $|Z_5|$ for GT remain less than the values for all the other stiffnesses. The values for all the stiffnesses increase while the values for GT decrease in the whole range. The maximum value is attained by WS near the grazing incidence. Fig. 7 shows that the values of $|Z_6|$ for KT remain greater than all the other stiffnesses in the whole range except near the grazing incidence that reveals the effect of transverse force stiffness. It is noticed that the behavior of variation of $|Z_6|$ is similar to that of $|Z_5|$.

It is evident from figs. 8 that the values of $|Z_7|$ for all the stiffnesses increase from normal incidence to grazing incidence, while the values for WS oscillate in the whole range. The values for GT are more than the values for all the other stiffnesess for all the values of θ . There is slight difference in the magnitude of GT and KN in the whole range of θ_0 . It is noticed from fig. 9 that there is only slight difference in the amplitude of $|Z_7|$ and $|Z_8|$.

8.2 Incident T

-Wave

Variations of amplitude ratios $|Z_i|$; $1 \le i \le 8$, with the angle of incidence θ_0 , for incident T-wave are shown in Figs. 10 through 17.

Fig. 10 depicts that the values of $|Z_1|$ for KQ remain more than the values for KN, KT, GT, KC and WS in the whole range that shows the effect of thermal conductness. Also it is noticed that the values for GT remain less than the values for all the other stiffnesses.

Fig. 11 shows that the values of $|Z_2|$ for GT oscillate with increase in θ_0 and attains peak value in the range $25^0 < \theta_0 < 35^0$ and remain more than the values for all the other stiffnesses in the whole range, except near the grazing incidence. The values for WS remain greater than the values for KC, KQ, KN, KT and TS in the whole range.

It can be noticed from fig. 12 that the values of $|Z_3|$ for all the stiffnesses increase in the whole range, while the values for GT oscillate and attain maximum value in the range $25^0 < \theta_0 < 35^0$. The maximum value is attained by TS near the grazing incidence. Fig. 13 depicts that the behavior of variation of $|Z_4|$ for KT and KQ is similar with slight difference in their magnitude. The values for TS remain more than the values for all the other stiffnesses in the whole range that reveal the effect of two temperature.

Fig. 14 shows the values of $|Z_5|$ for WS remain more than the values for all the other stiffnesses for all the values of θ . It is noticed that the values for all the stiffnesses increase, while the values for GT and KC oscillate with increase in θ_0 , due to the effect of stiffness. Fig. 15 shows the values of $|Z_6|$ for GT attains maximum value near the grazing incidence. The values for KN remain more than the values for KC, KT, KQ, TS and WS in the whole domain. The values for GT attain peak value in the range $30^0 < \theta_0 < 35^0$ due to the effect of stiffness.

Fig. 16 shows that the values of $|Z_7|$ for GT are more than the values for all the other stiffnesses, The values for GT and KN oscillate, while all the other stiffnesses show increase in value. Fig. 17 shows that the behavior of variation of $|Z_8|$ is similar to that of $|Z_7|$ with difference in magnitude.

8.3 Incident CD-I Wave

Variations of amplitude ratios $|Z_i|$; $1 \le i \le 8$, with the angle of incidence θ_0 , for incident CD-I wave are shown in Figs. 18 through 25.

Fig. 18 depicts that the values of $|Z_1|$ for GT increase in the whole range and then decrease sharply near the grazing incidence. Also it is noticed that the values for WS decrease very sharply at the normal incidence. Also the values for TS attain maximum value in the range $40^0 < \theta_0 < 60^0$. It is depicted from fig. 19 that the behavior of variation of $|Z_2|$ is similar as that for $|Z_1|$ with difference in magnitude. The values for all the stiffnesses oscillate in the whole range. The maximum value is attained by GT near the grazing incidence.

It is noticed from fig. 20 that the values of $|Z_3|$ for KQ and KN decrease from normal incidence to grazing incidence. Also the values for KC remain greater than the values for all the stiffnesses in the range $0^0 < \theta_0 < 82^0$. The values for WS are smaller than the values for all the other stiffnesses in the whole range of θ_0 .

Fig. 21 depicts that the values of $|Z_4|$ for all the stiffnesses decrease in the whole range, except the values for GT and TS which oscillate in the whole range and remain less than the values for all the other stiffnesses. The maximum value is attained by KC at the normal incidence. Fig. 22 shows that the values of $|Z_5|$ for WS decrease sharply and the value for GT increase for all the values of θ and then decrease sharply near the grazing incidence. The behavior of variation of KQ and KT is similar with slight difference in magnitude values.

Fig. 23 depicts that the values of $|Z_6|$ for all the stiffnesses oscillate in the whole range. The maximum value is attained by WS near the normal incidence. It is noticed from fig. 24 that the values of $|Z_7|$ for TS decrease from normal incidence to grazing incidence and remain more than the values for all the other stiffnesses in the whole range. It is noticed from fig. 25 that behavior of variation of $|Z_8|$ is similar as that of $|Z_7|$ with difference in their magnitude values.

9 Conclusion

In the present paper, the expressions for reflection and transmission coefficients of various reflected and transmitted waves has been derived for the normal force stiffness, transverse force stiffness, transverse couple stiffness, thermal conductness and perfect bonding. It is observed that when LD-wave is incident, the values of amplitude ratios for all the stiffnesses increase, while the values for GT oscillate in the whole range. It is evident that the maximum value is attained by WS near the grazing incidence for $|Z_i|$; $1 \leq i \leq 6$. Also when T-wave is incident, the values of amplitude ratios for TS attain peak value in the intermediate range due to the effect of stiffness. The values of amplitude ratios for all the boundary stiffnesses follow oscillatory pattern (when CD-I wave is incident). It is also observed that the values of amplitude ratios $|Z_1|$, $|Z_2|$, $|Z_5|$ and $|Z_6|$ for WS decrease very sharply near the normal incidence that reveals the effect of perfect bonding. The problem is of geographical interest and the results are supposed to be useful in theoreti-

cal and observational studies of wave propagation in more realistic models of micropolar solids present in the earths interior.



Figure 1: Geometry of the problem









Figs. 2-9. Variations of amplitude ratios with the angle of incidence for LD-Wave









Figs. 10-17. Variations of amplitude ratios with the angle of incidence for T-Wave









Figs. 18-25. Variations of amplitude ratios with the angle of incidence for CD-I Wave

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