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Semicircular Ridges in Rectangular Waveguides

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The two-dimensional Helmholtz equation is solved in a rectangle having two semicircular projections in the center of its broad faces. More particularly, the lowest two eigenvalues are determined for Neumann's boundary condition, and the lowest eigenvalue for Dirichlet's boundary condition. The results are of interest in various fields of physics, such as vibrations of a membrane, but are of particular importance in the study of waveguide propagation. The latter application is stressed in the article, in accordance with the practical, importance of ridged waveguides.

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