

# Abstracts

## Surface Impedance of High $T_c$ Superconductors

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The surface impedance of various high temperature superconductors has been examined in the millimeter wave spectral range. The ceramic, thin film and single crystal samples are characterized by a residual surface resistance  $R_s(T \rightarrow 0)$  and a temperature dependent contribution  $R_s(T)$ .  $R_s(T \rightarrow 0)$  is accounted for by a model of Josephson coupled grains. The surface resistance exceeds the Mattis-Bardeen limit in both ceramic and thin film specimens.

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