

# EMC Filters - From components to design

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- The need for filters and the topologies
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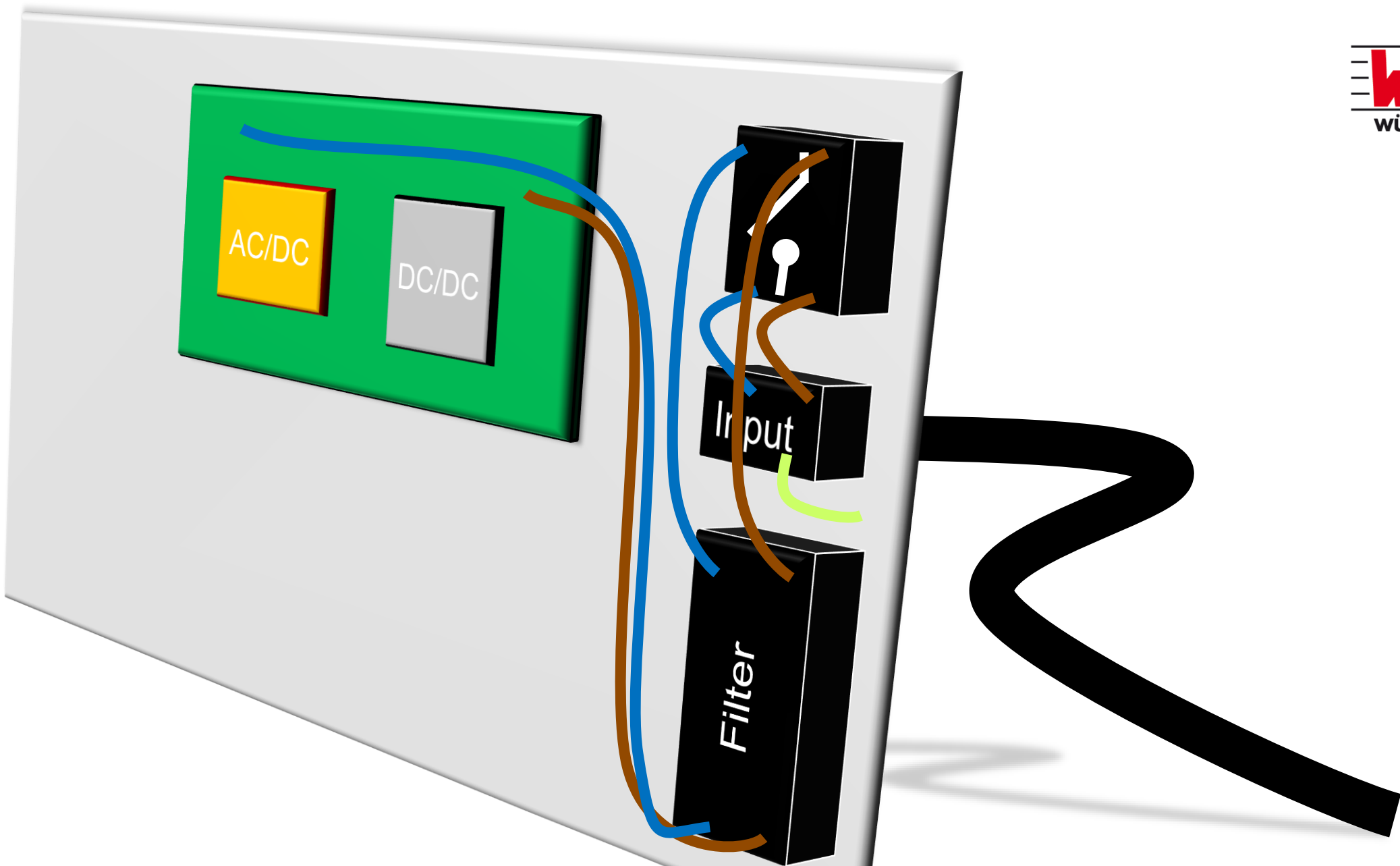


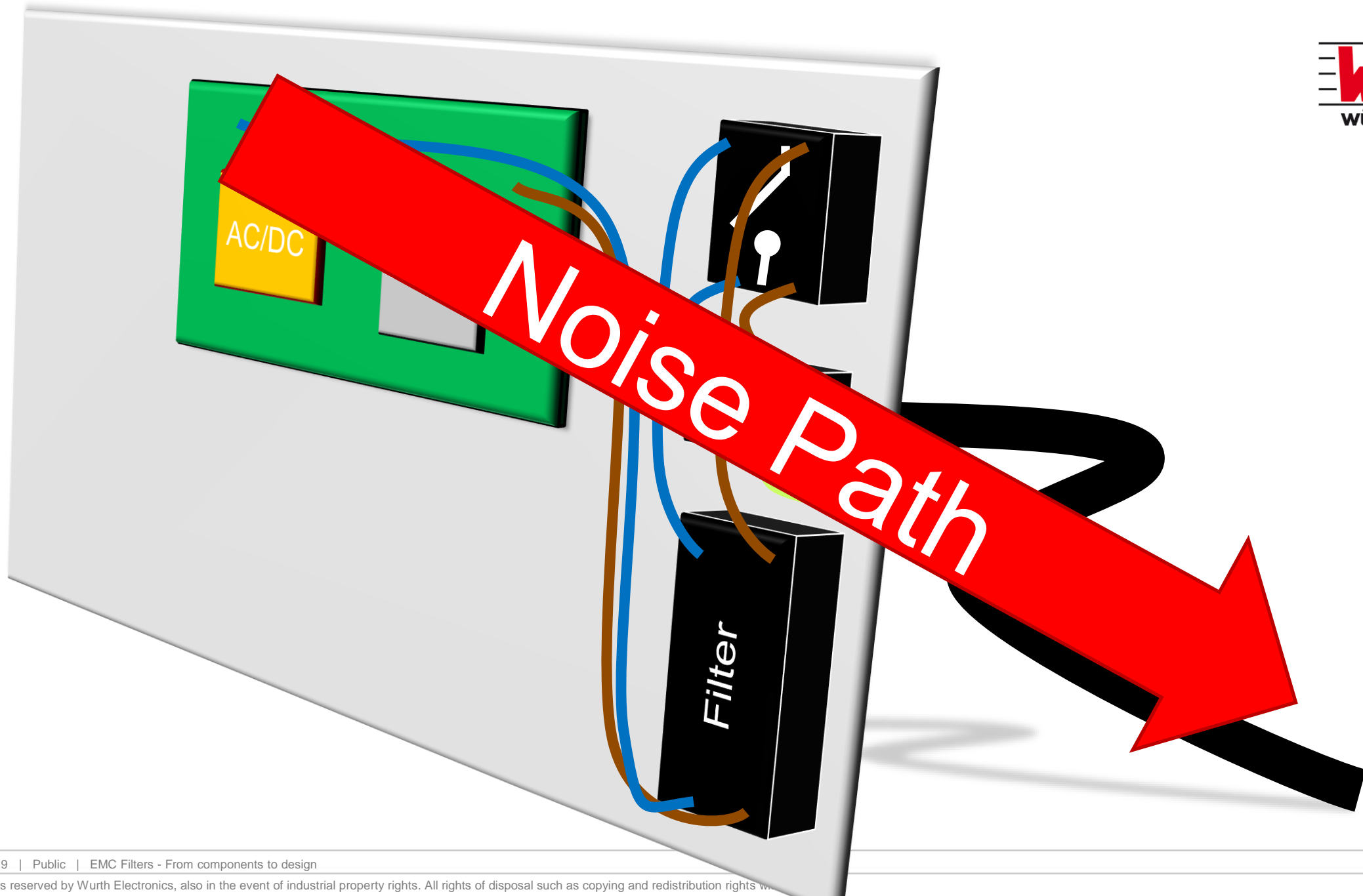
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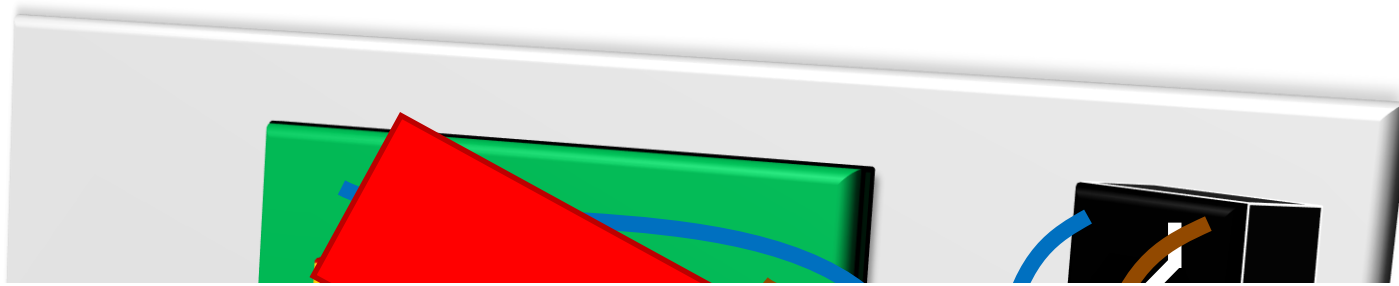


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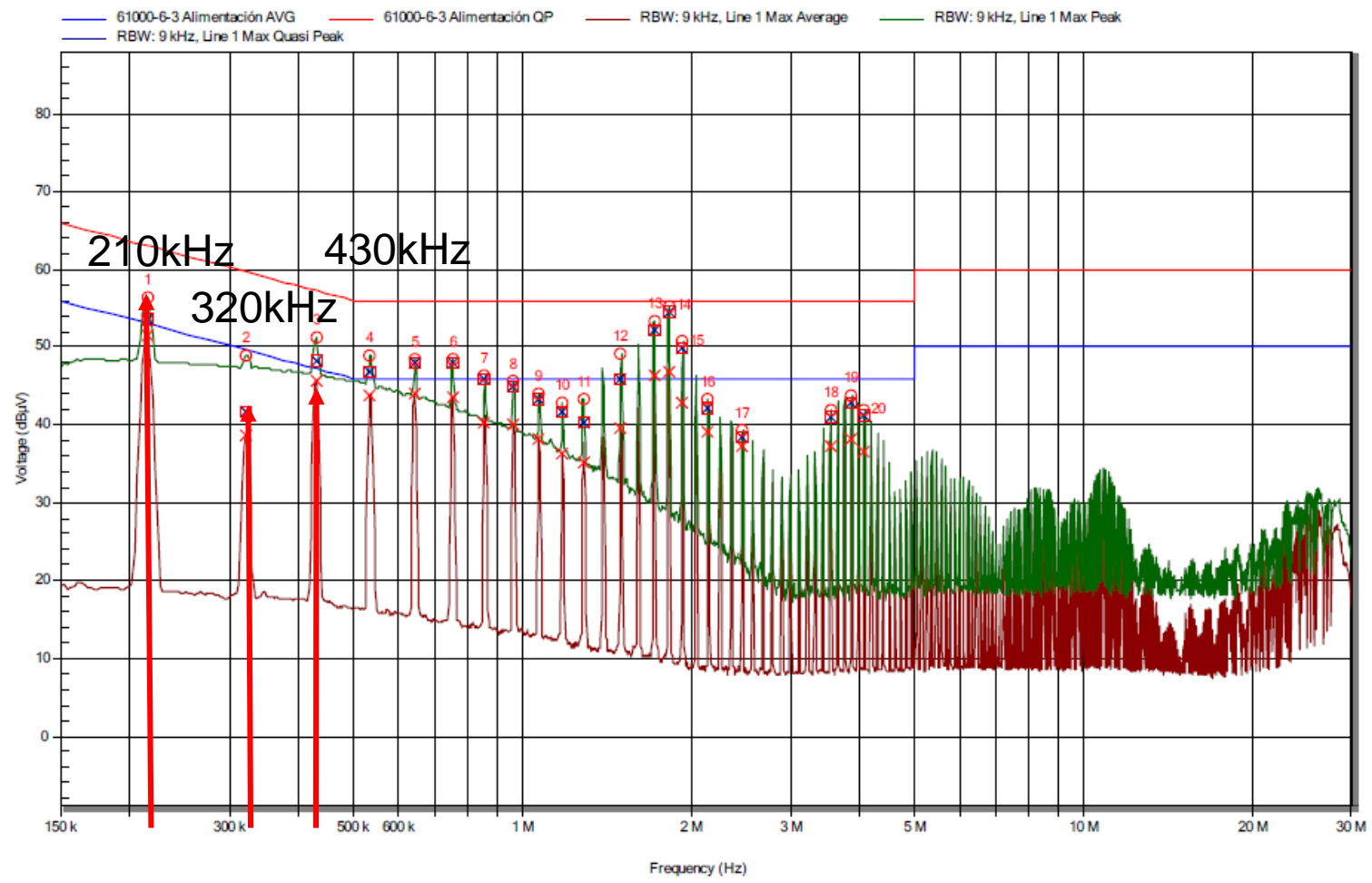






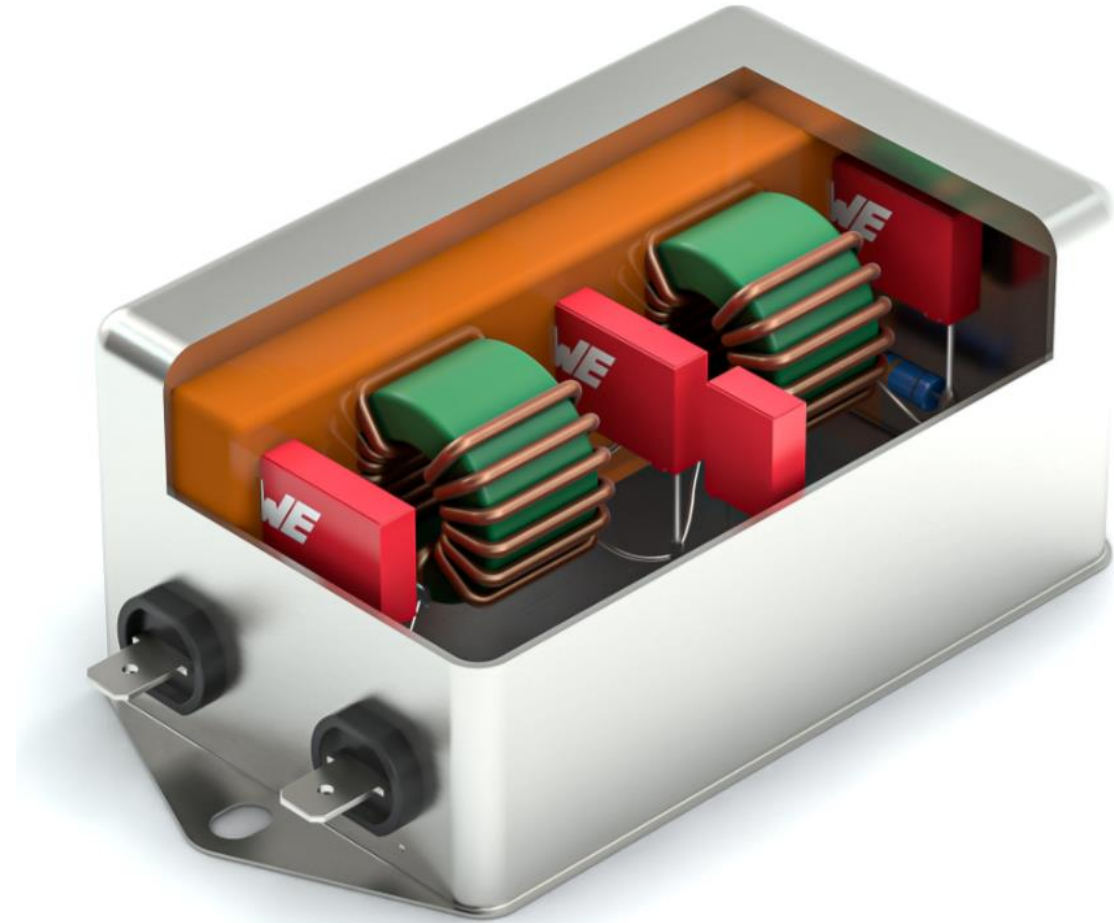


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# Filter



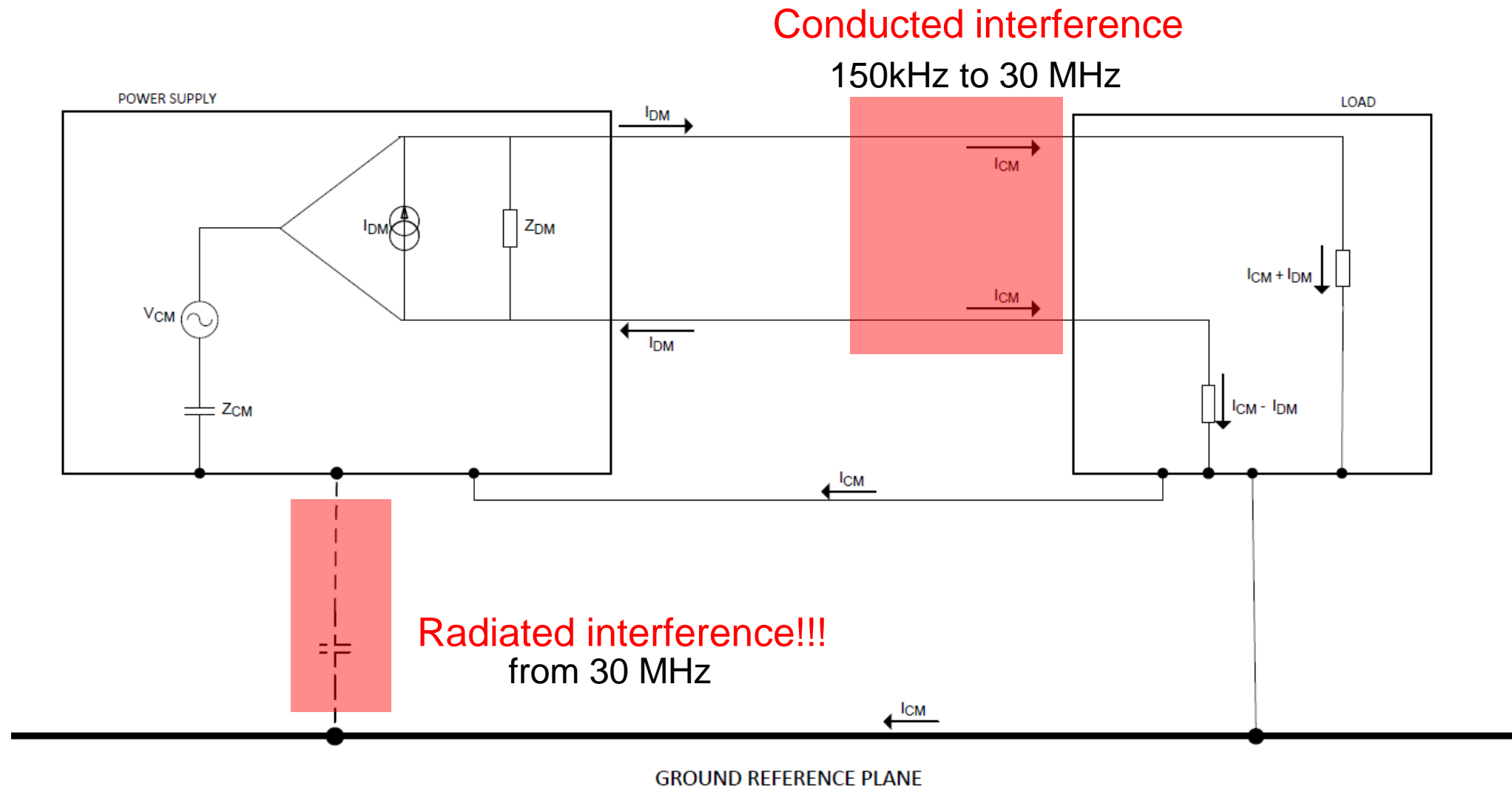
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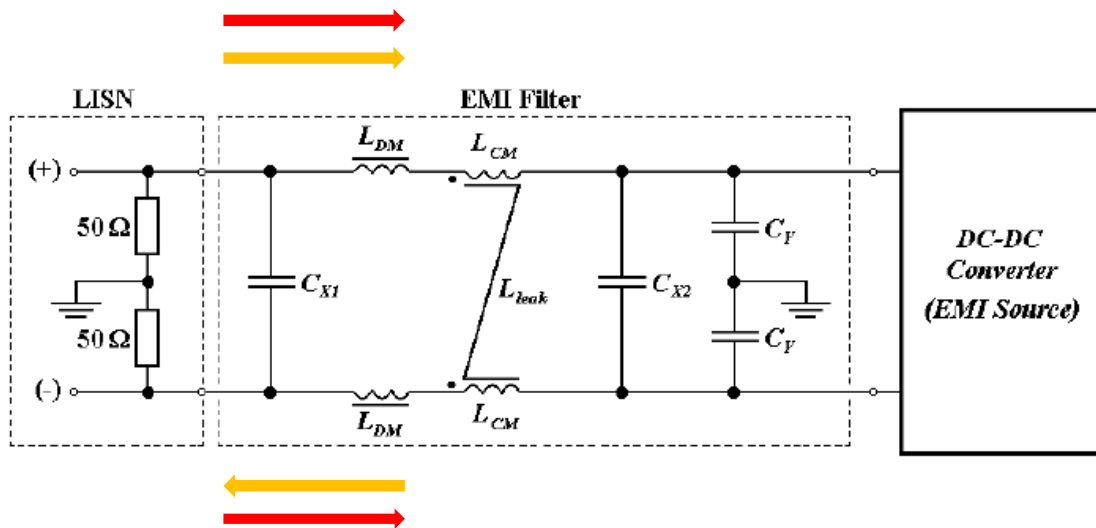


# The need for filters

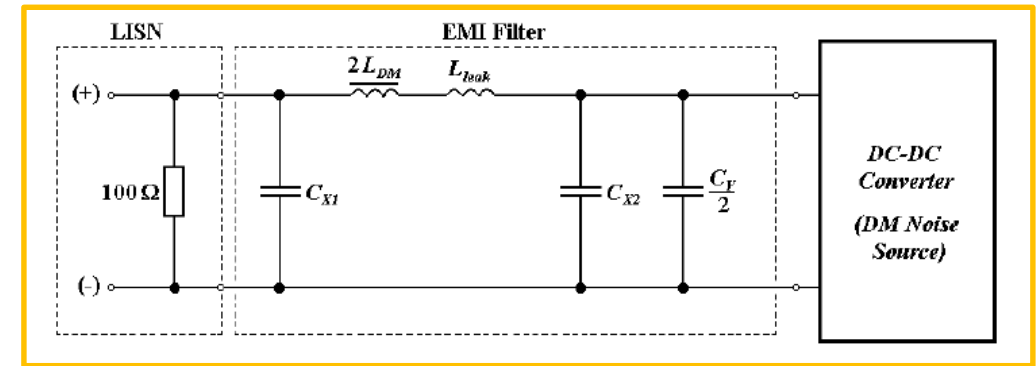


# Typ. Design of a filter

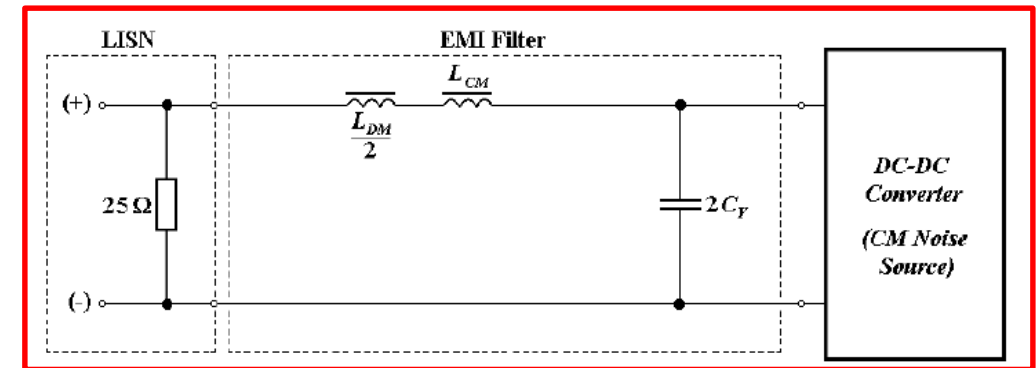
Same effect in DM and CM?



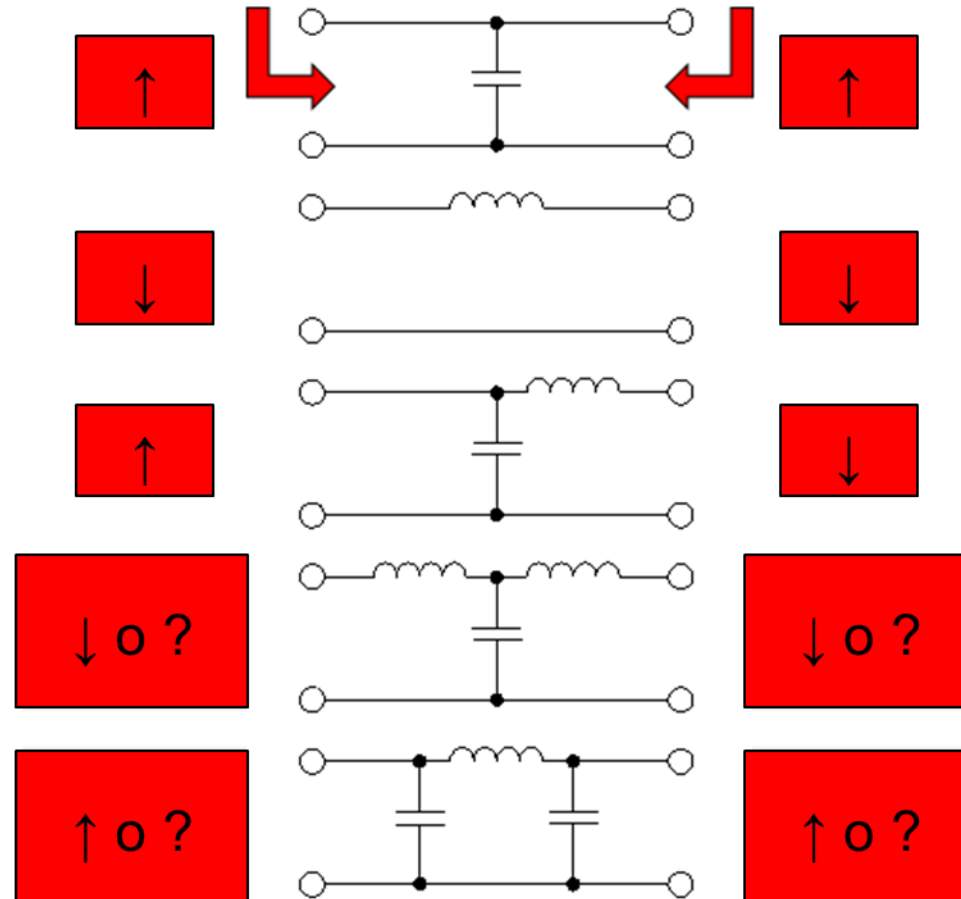
## Differential mode



## Common mode



# Topology



Effects on the filter?  
Filtering through reflection  
or dissipation

Number of reactive components?

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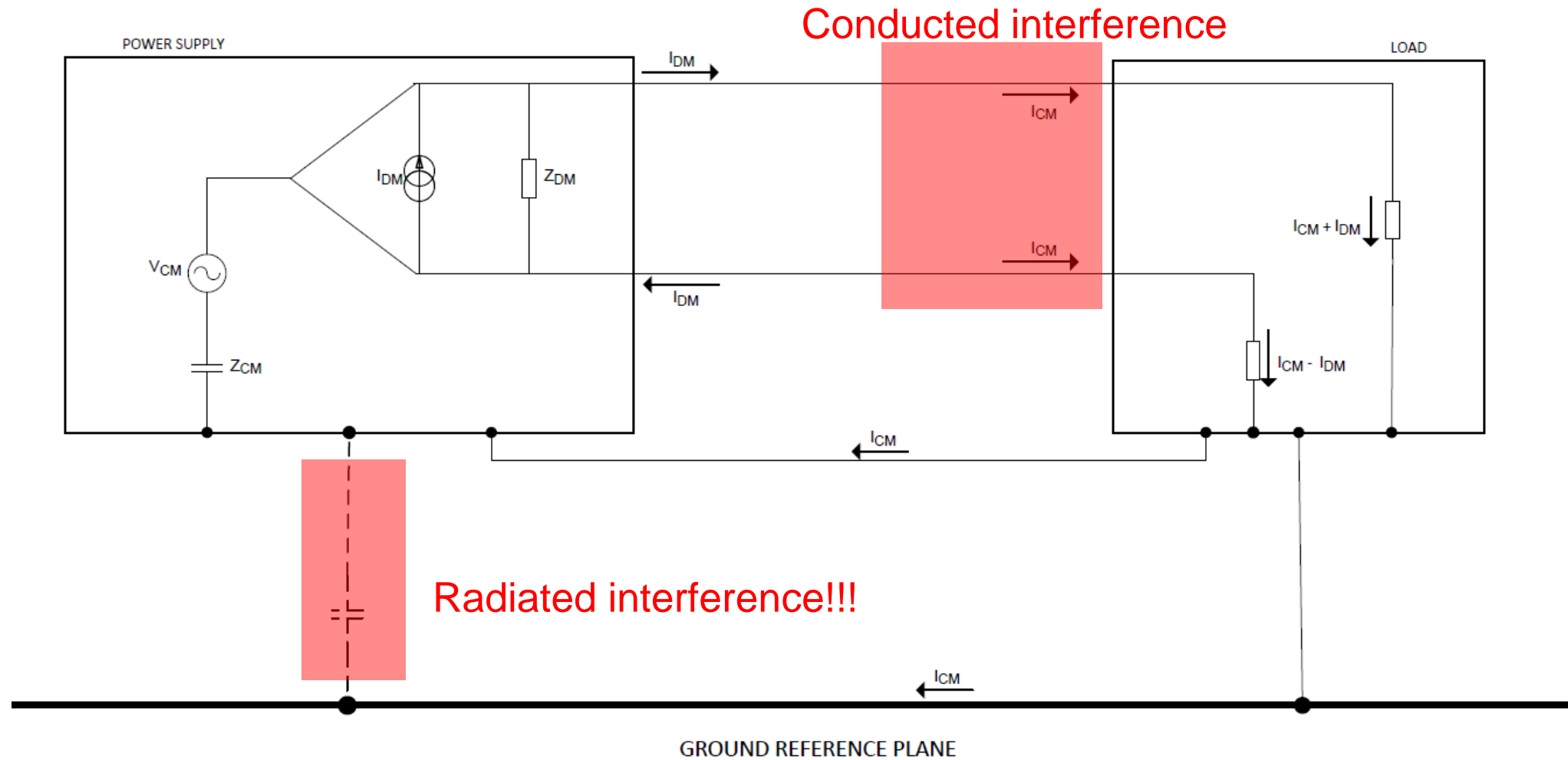
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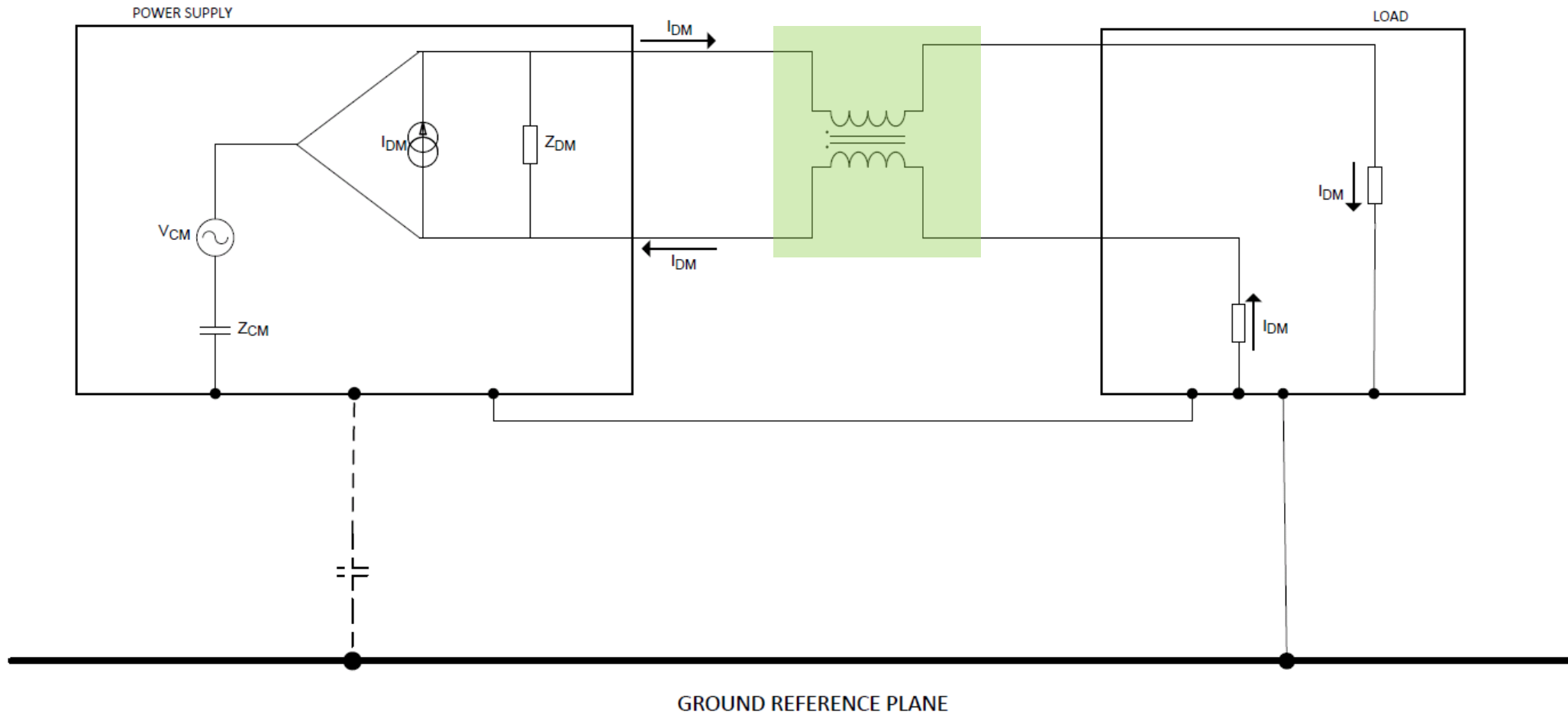
## COMMON MODE FILTERS

# The problem

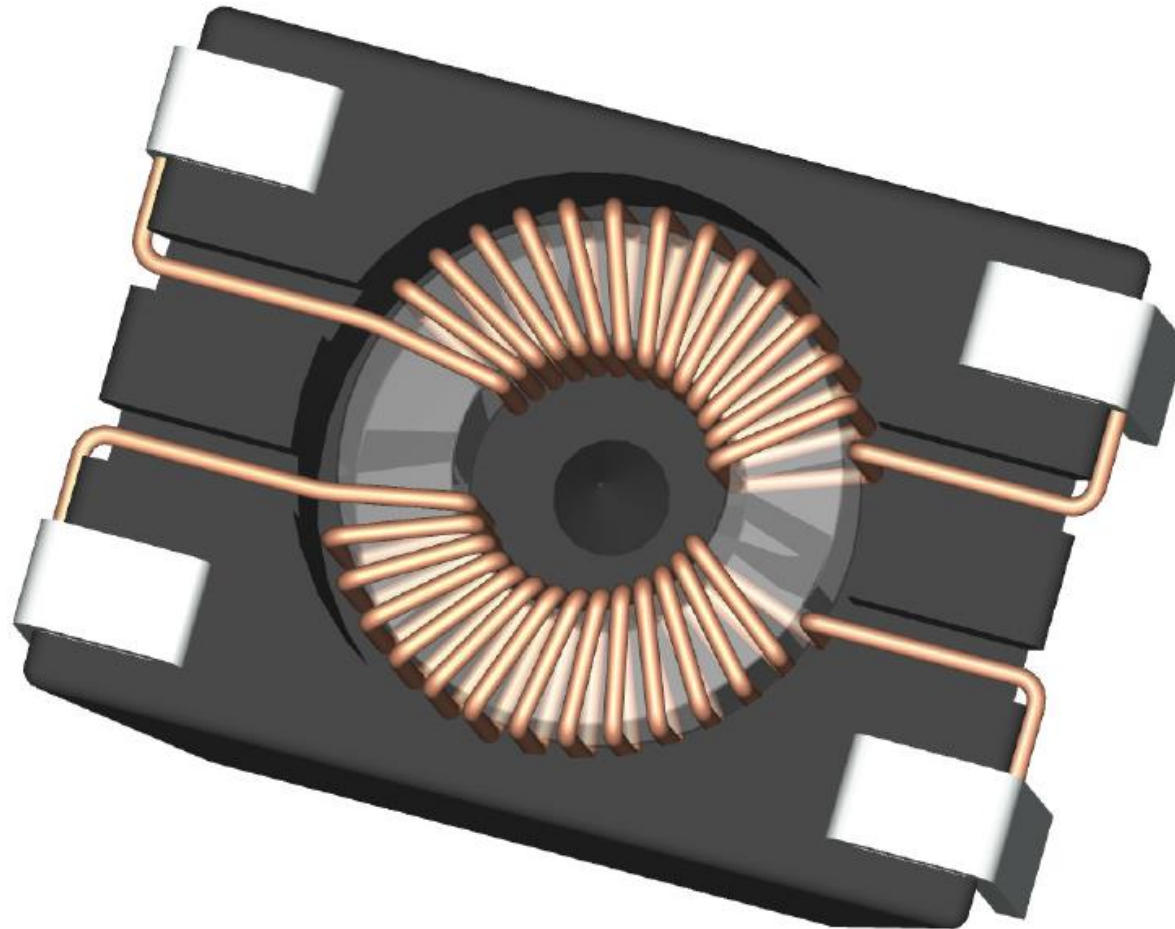




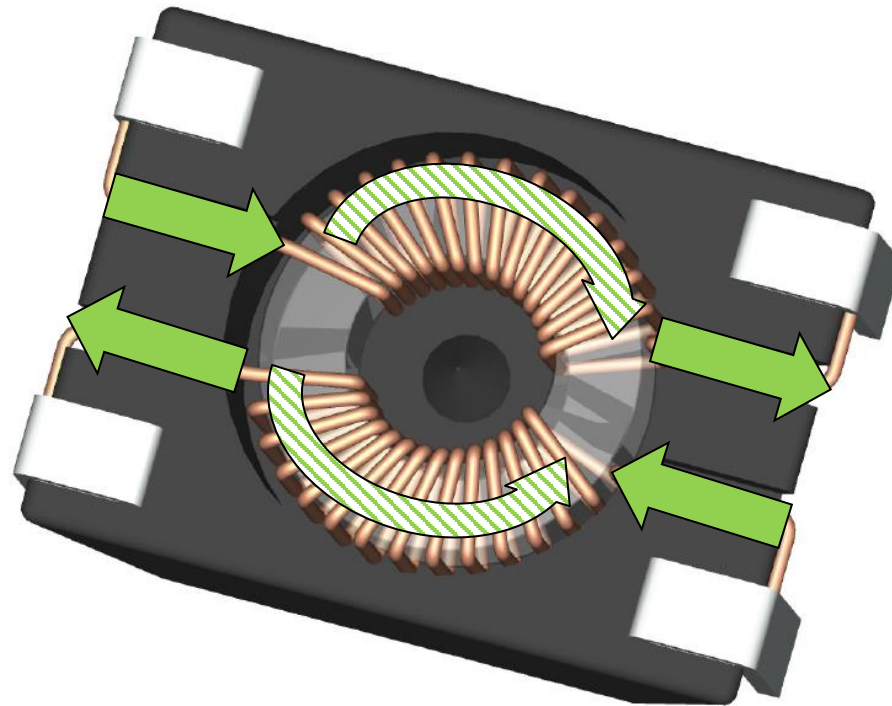
# The solution





# Structure

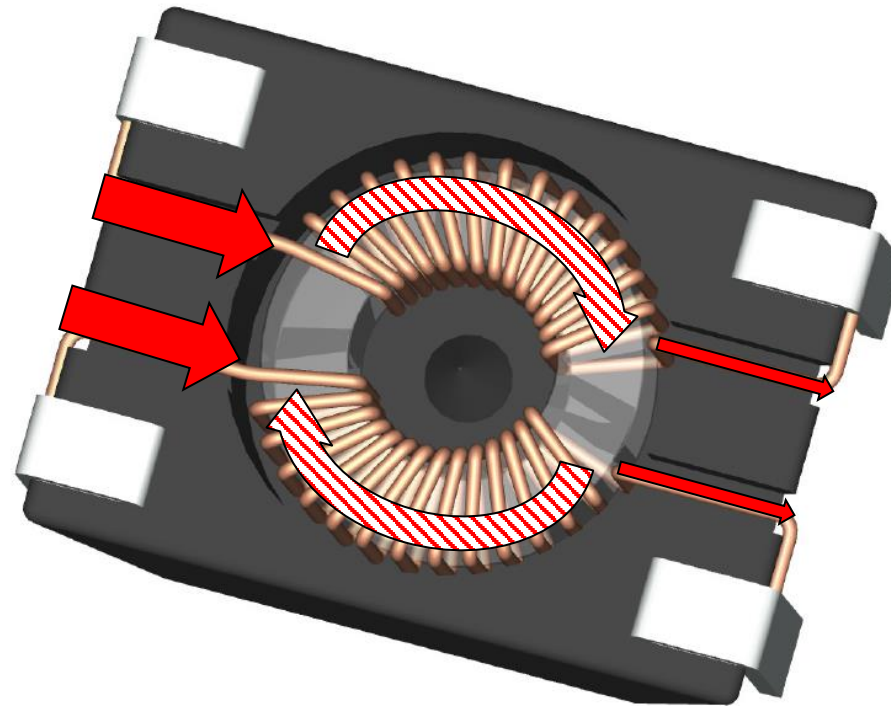




# Differential mode



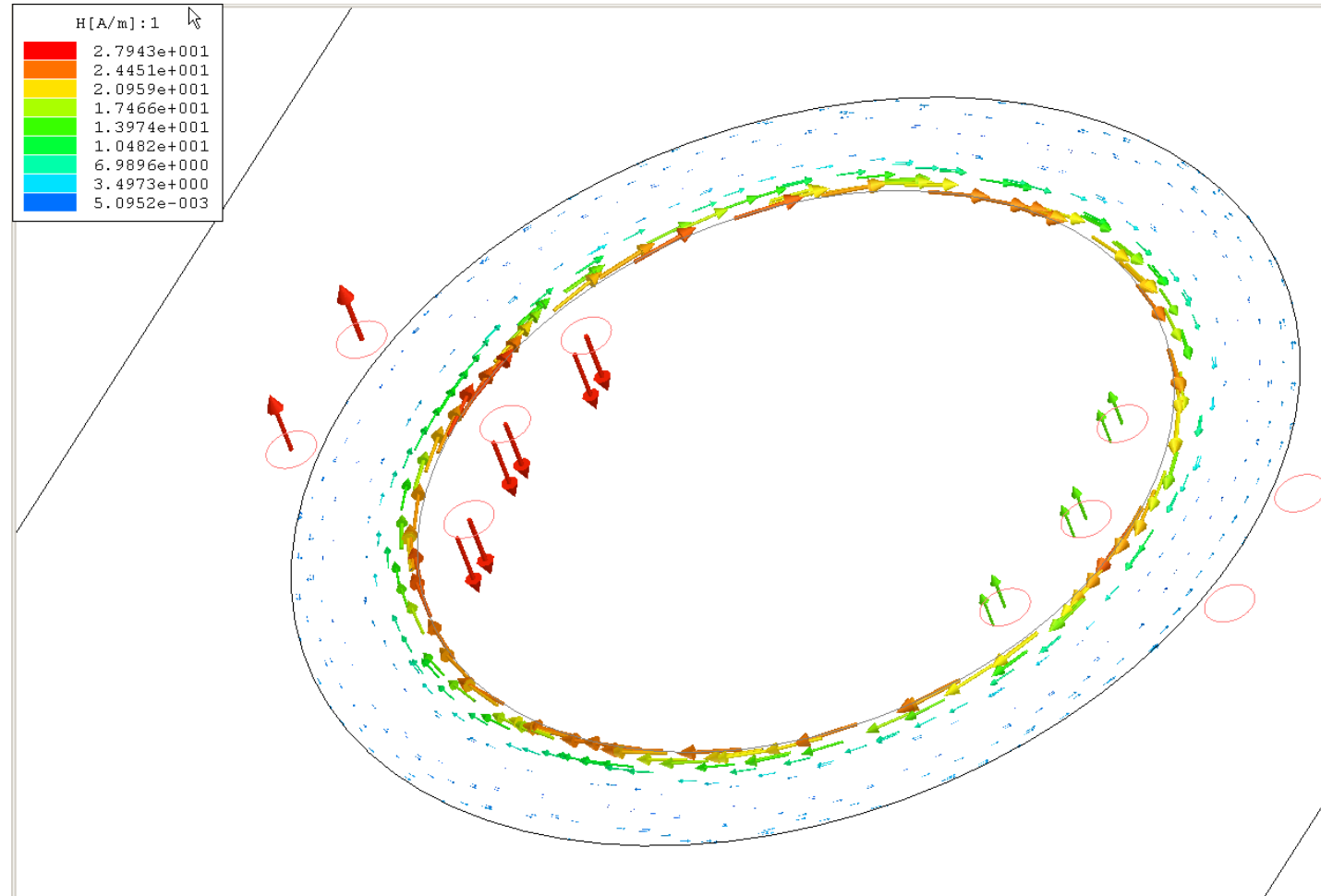
Current flow   
Magnetic flux 

# Common mode

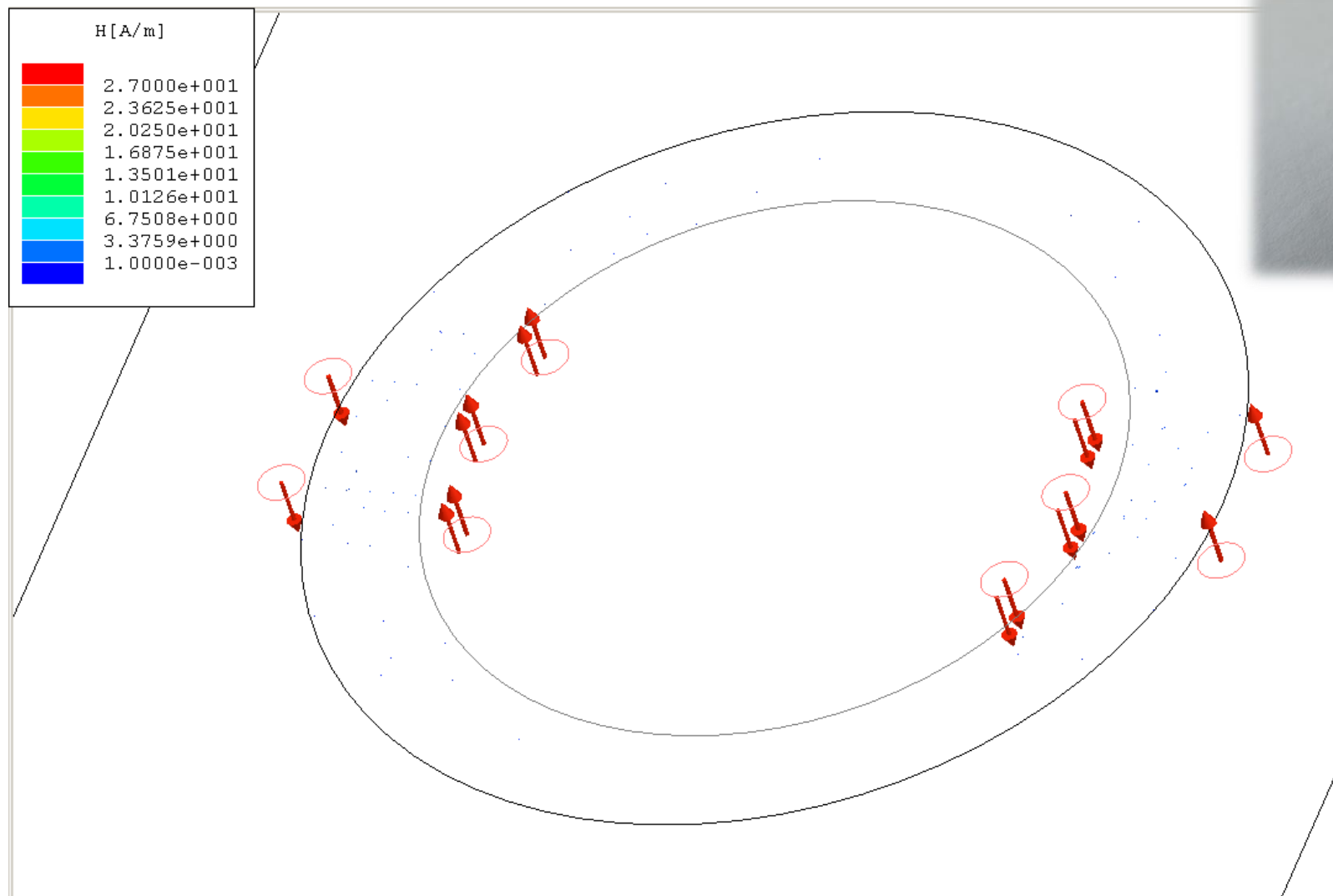


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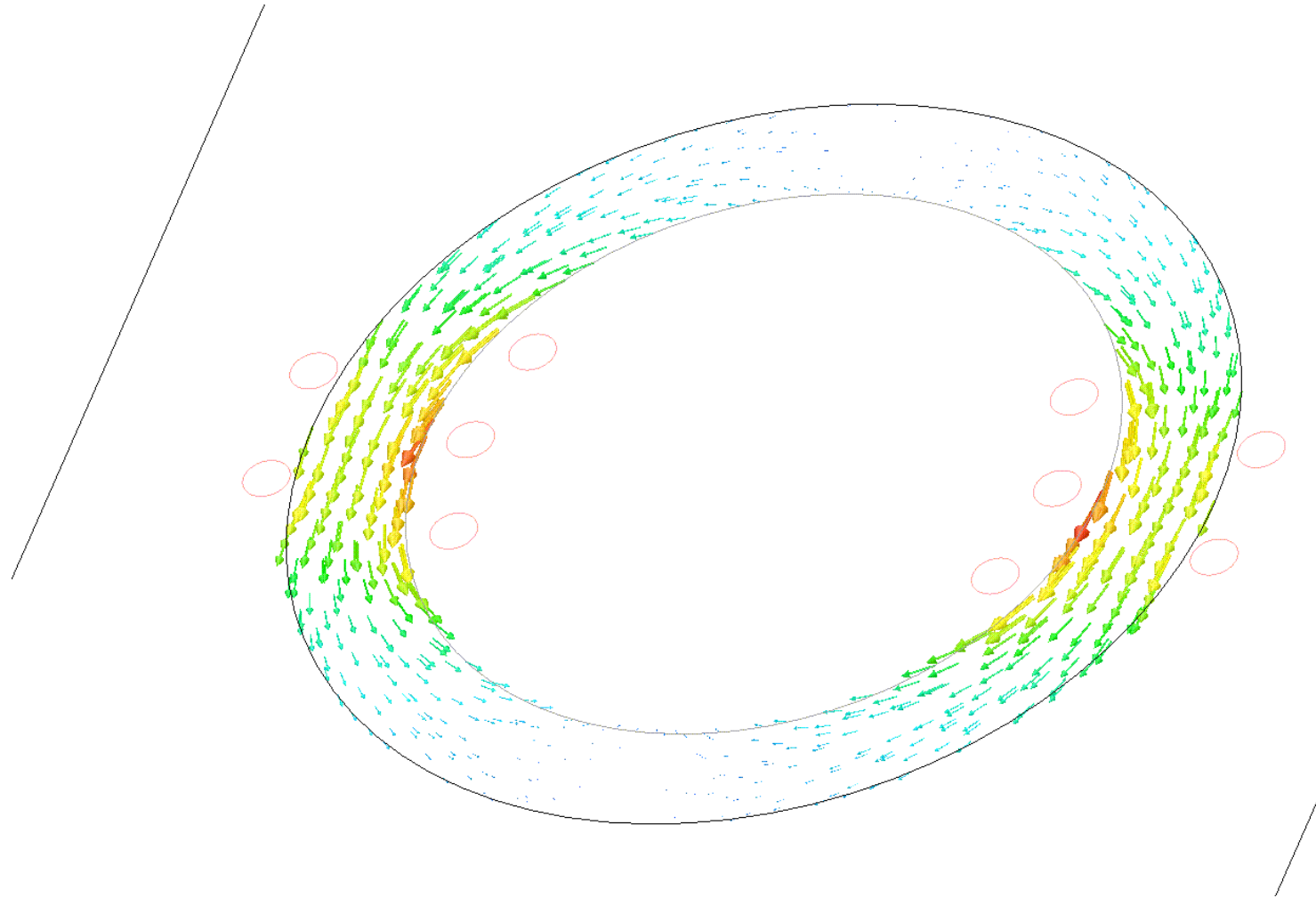
# Simulation – 1 winding



# Simulation – Differential mode

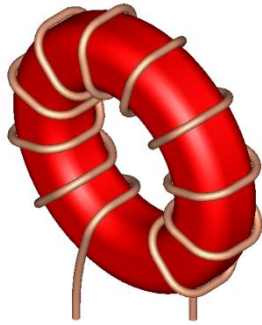


# Simulation - Zoom – 20x

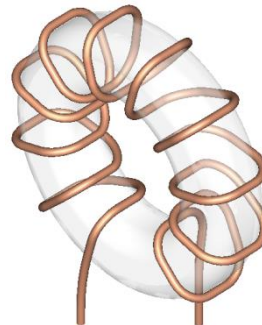




# Permeability – complex permeability



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Impedance from core and windings

Impedance of winding w/o core

core material

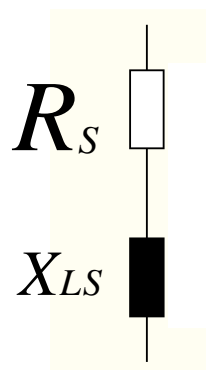
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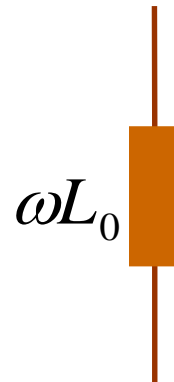
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 $j\omega L_0$

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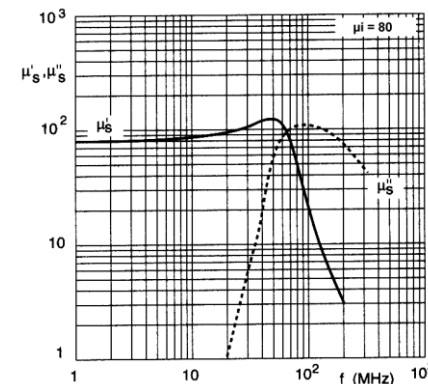
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 $(\mu' - j\mu'')$



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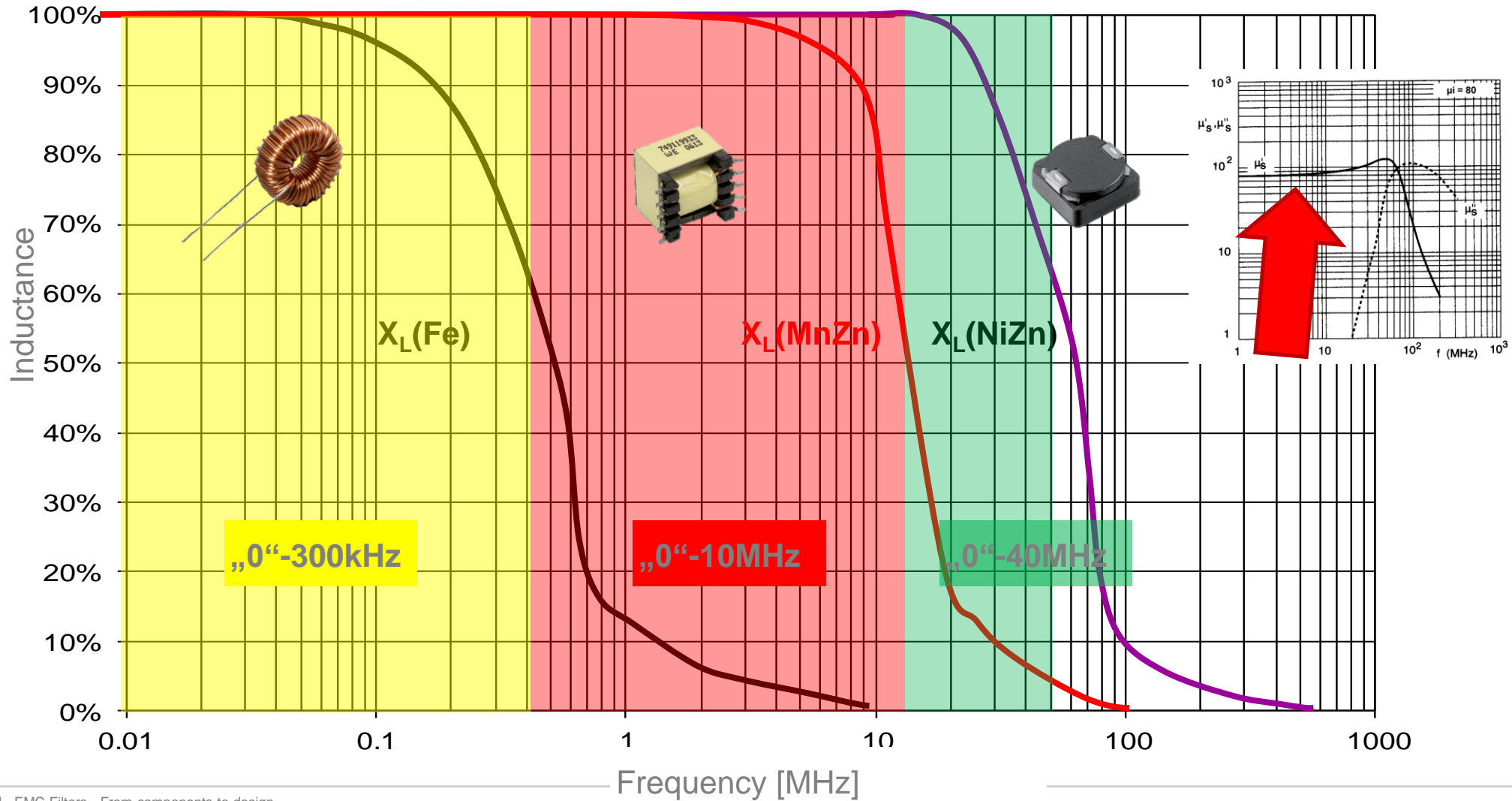


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# Materials – Inductors (Storage)

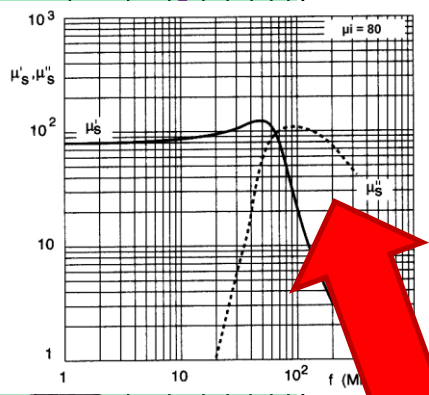
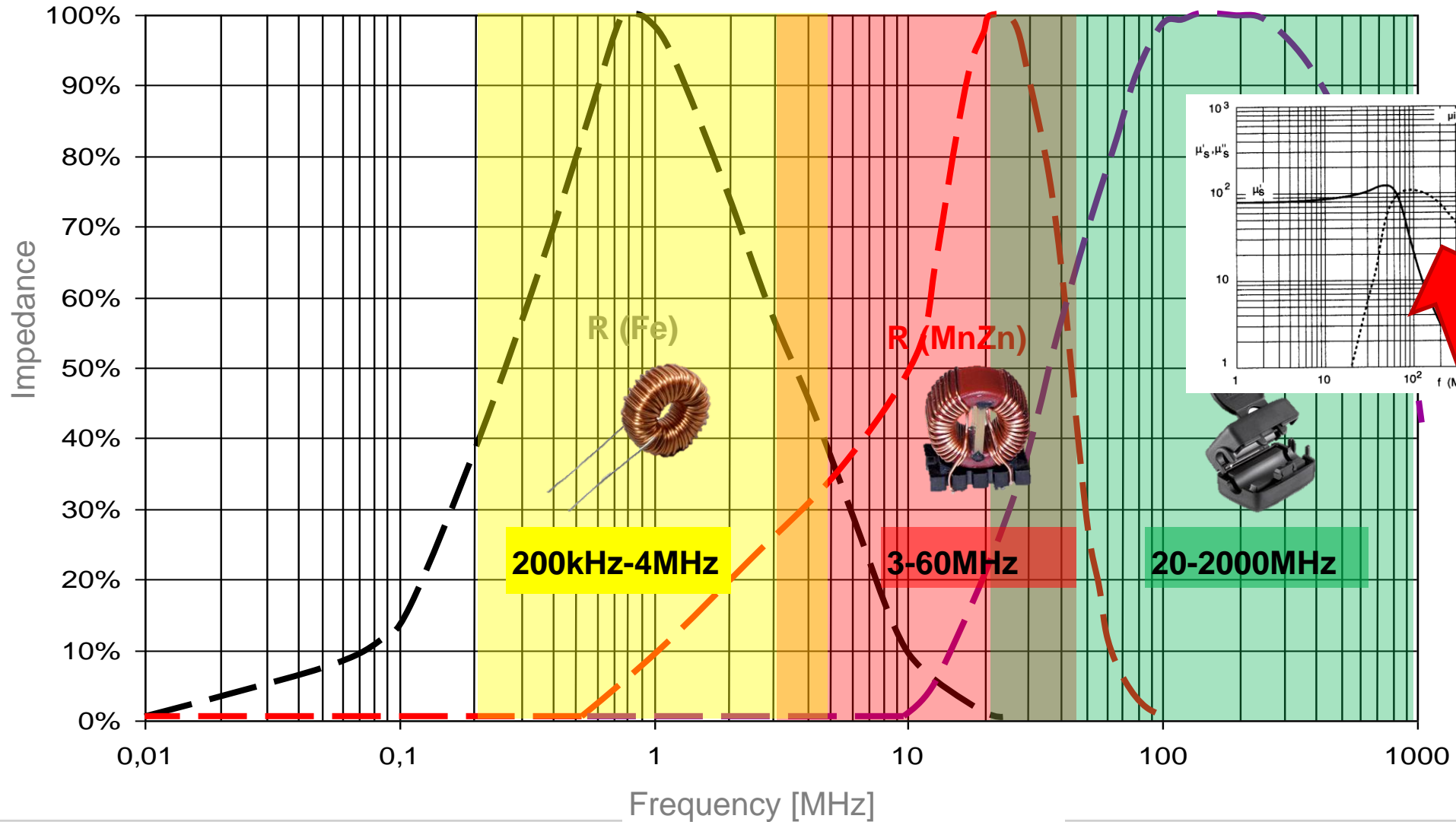


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# Materials – Choke (Filter)



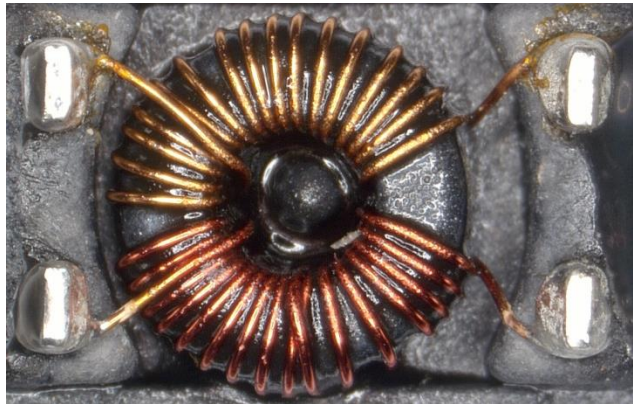
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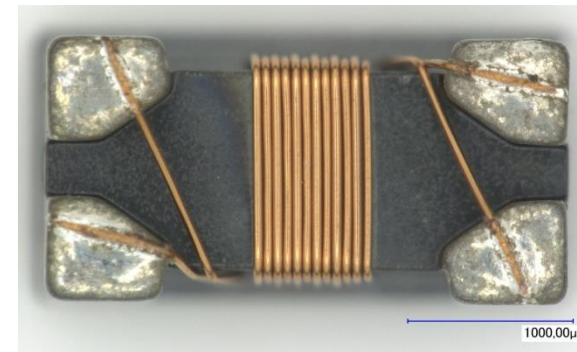
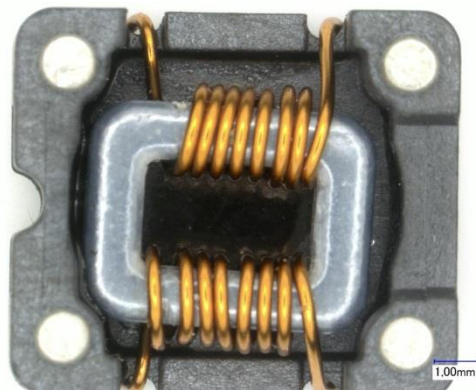
# Winding styles



## Sectional



## Bifilar

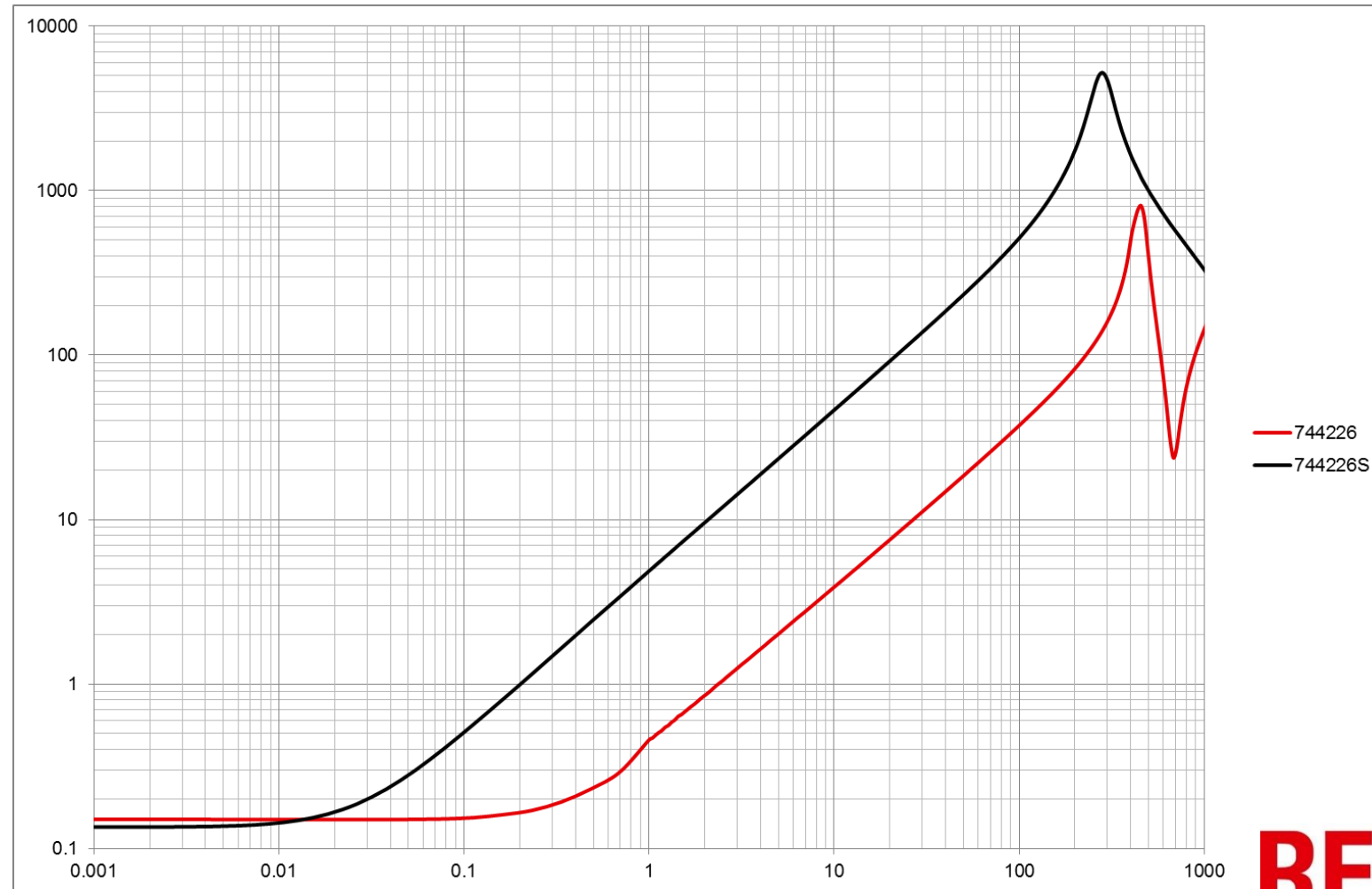


# Winding styles – Common mode



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# Winding styles – Differential mode

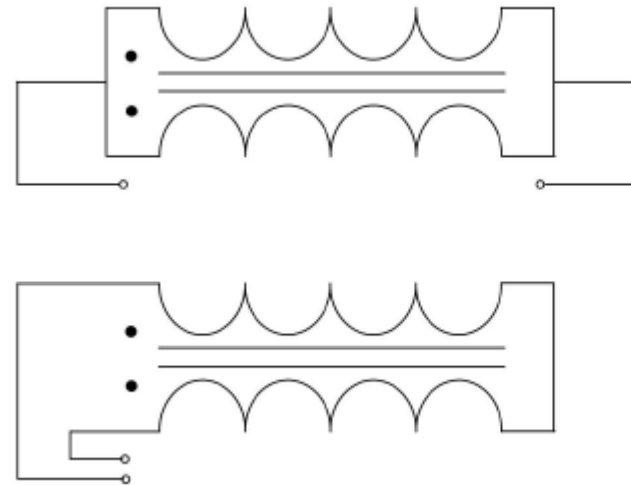
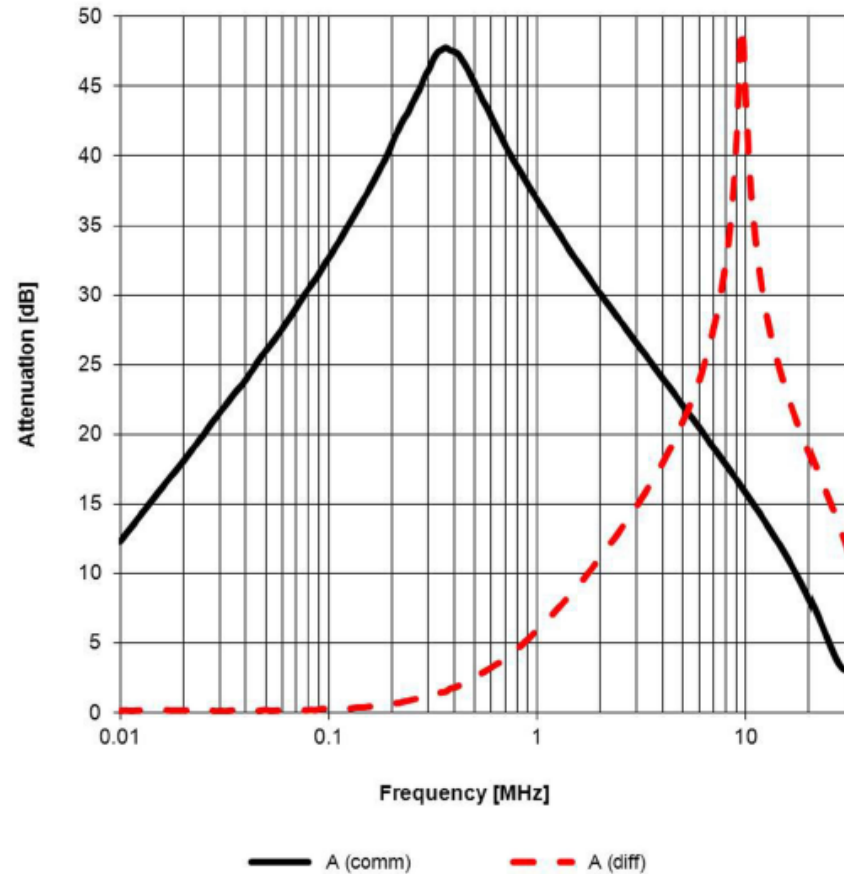


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# Insertion loss



F Typical Insertion Loss Characteristics:



Common Mode

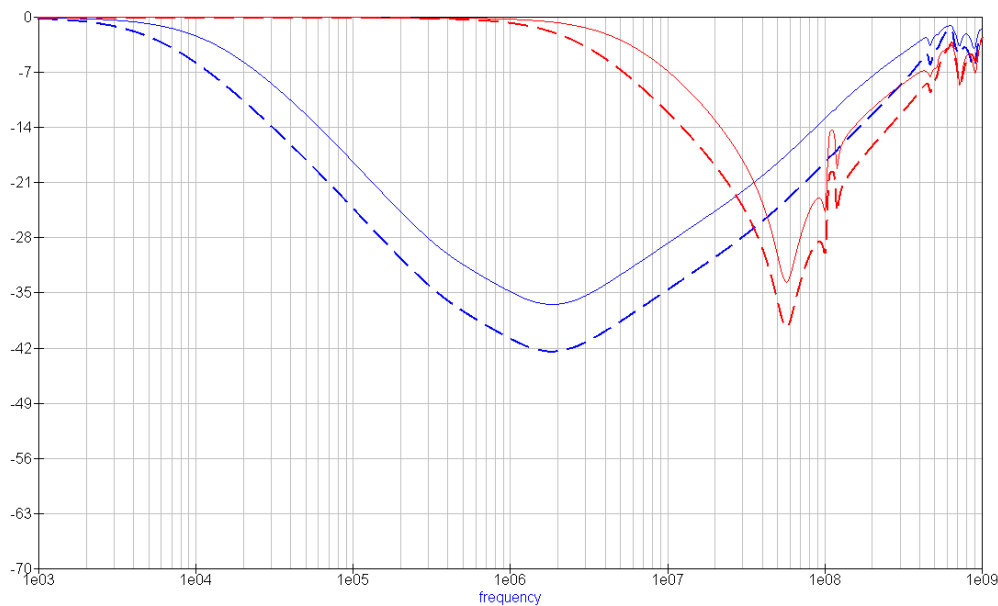
Differential Mode

$Z_0 = 50 \text{ Ohm}$  ?

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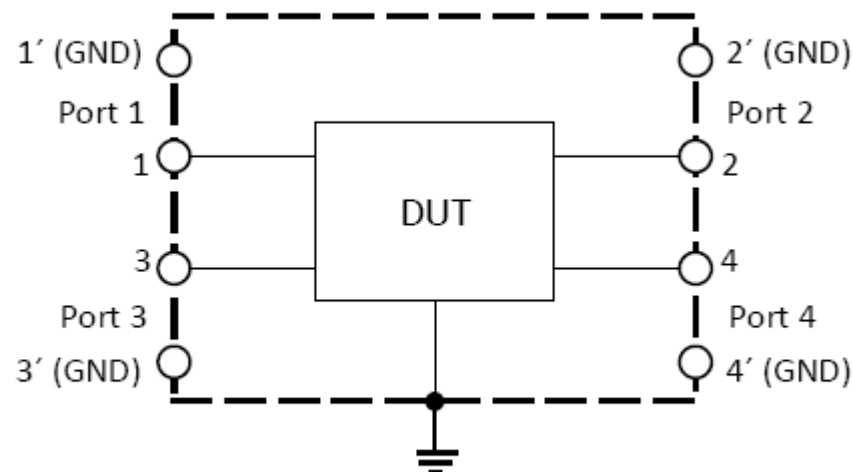


# Insertion loss – 4 Ports

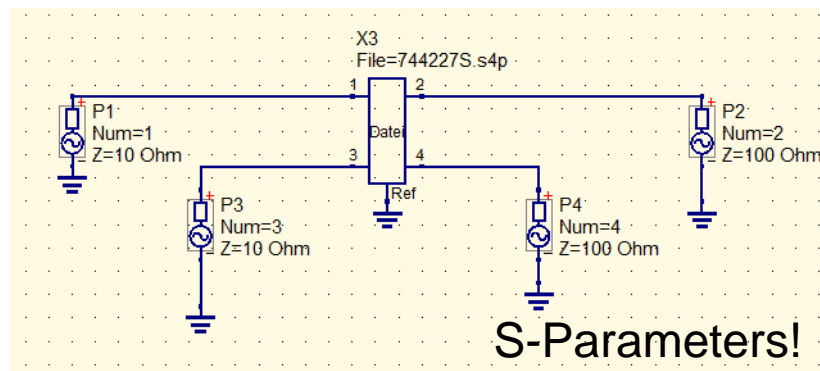


- 100/100 Ohm Insertion Loss Diff Mode
- - - 50/50 Ohm Insertion Loss Diff Mode
- 100/100 Ohm Insertion Loss Common Mode
- - - 50/50 Ohm Insertion Loss Common Mode

According to CISPR 17



Network Analyzer: Keysight E5080A or equivalent



S-Parameters!

**System**

PARAMETERS EDIT

Noise attenuation	$Z_{in}$	$Z_{out}$
15.0 dB 250 MHz	10.0 $\Omega$	100 $\Omega$

DETAILS

$Z_{Min}(f)$  @ 250 MHz  
509  $\Omega$

**WE-FC - 7448640395**

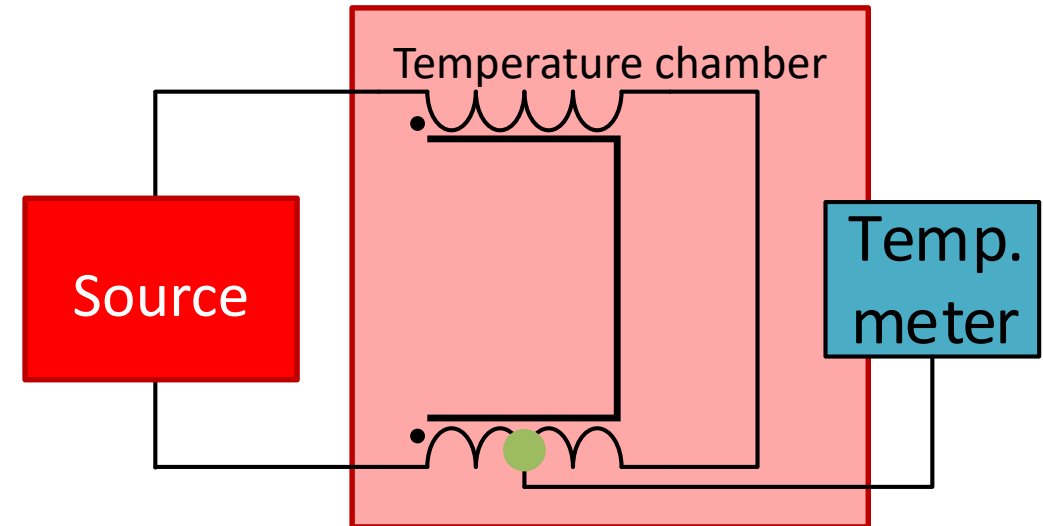
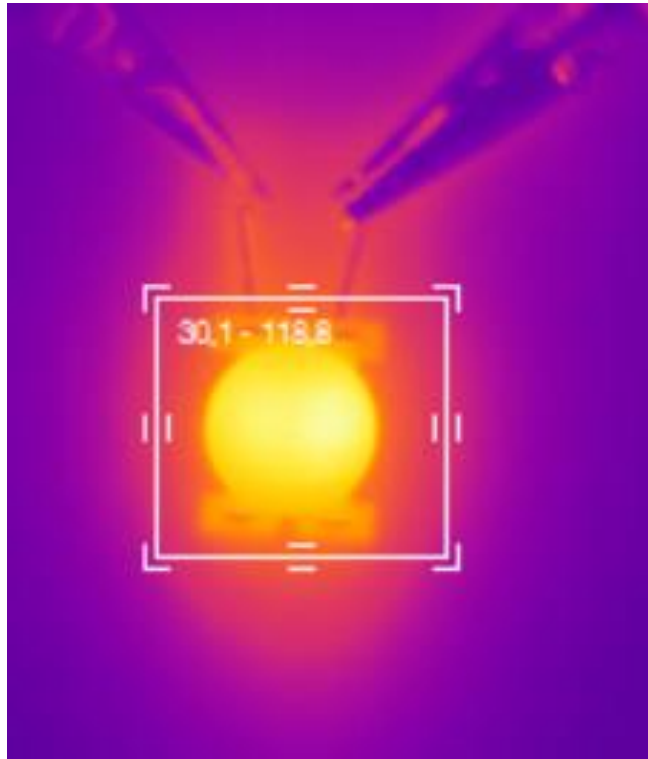
Attenuation / Frequency

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# Rated current



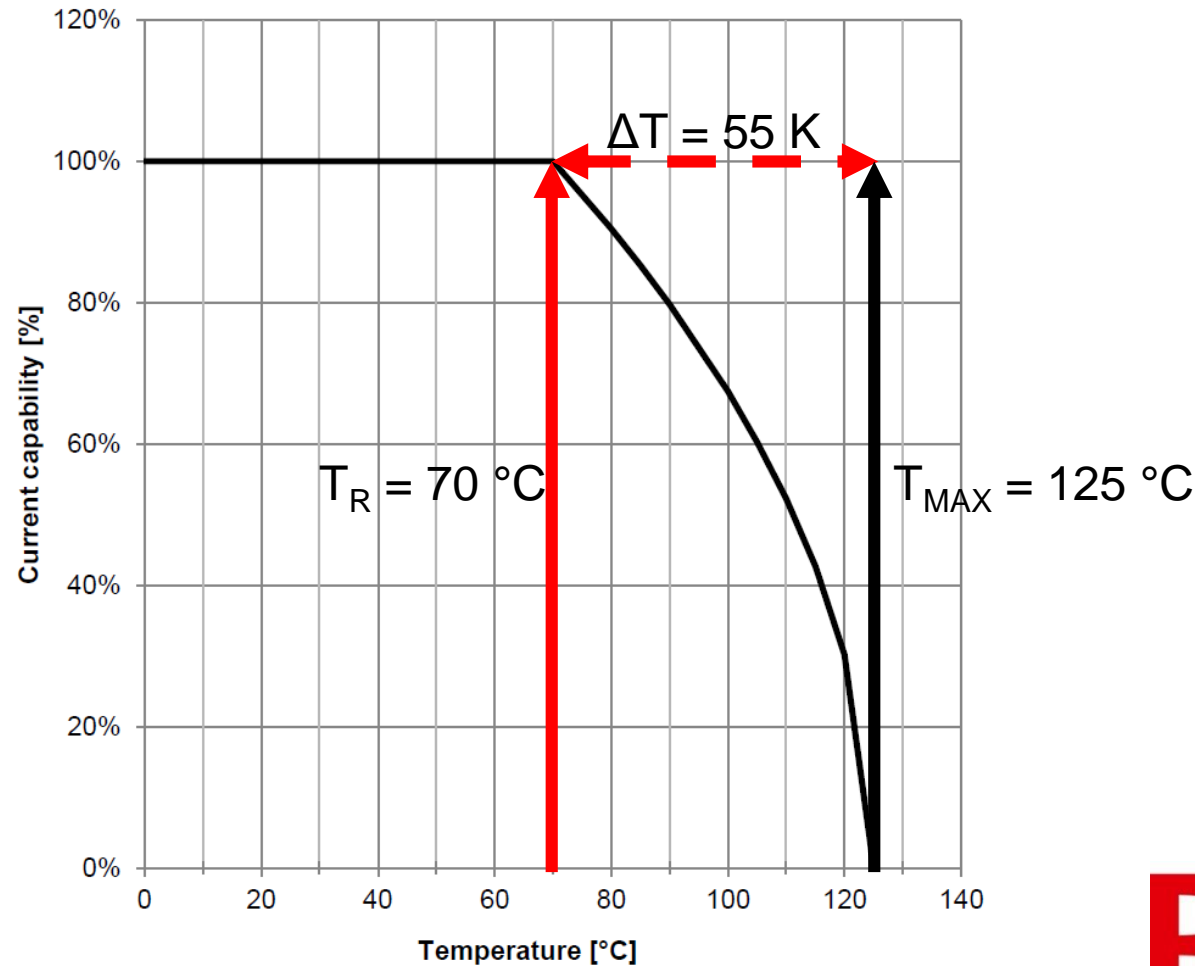
Rated current	$\Delta T = 40 \text{ K}$	$I_R$	1000	mA	max.
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# Derating



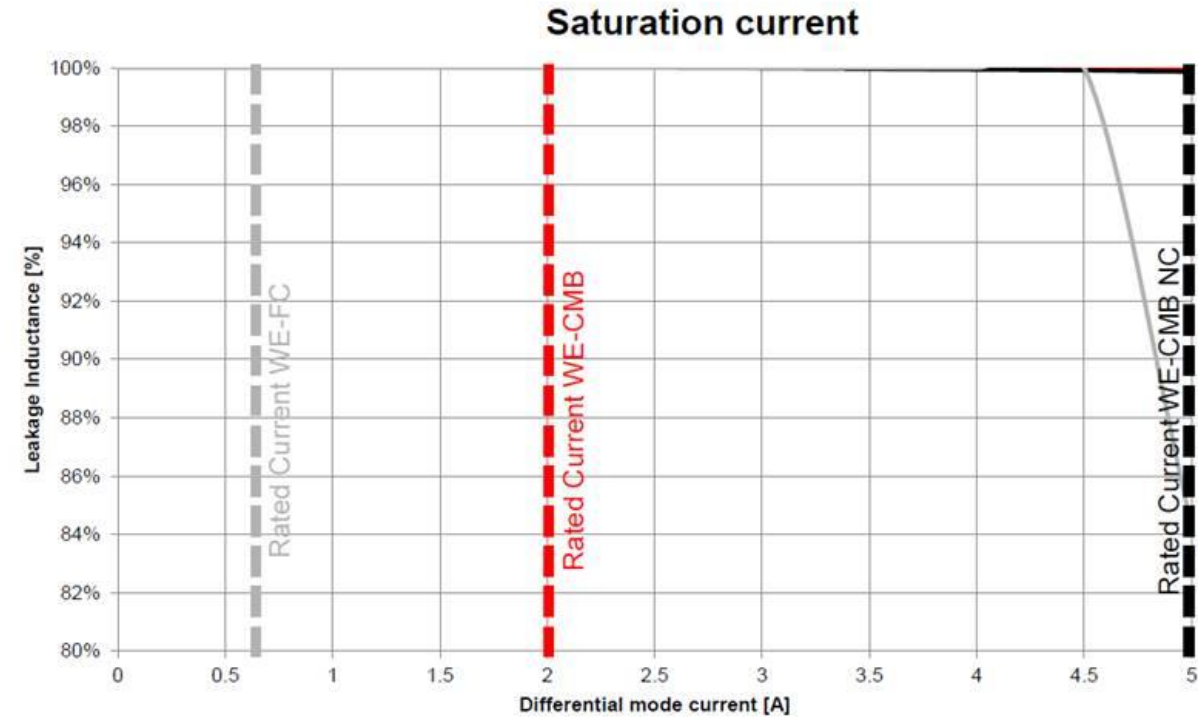
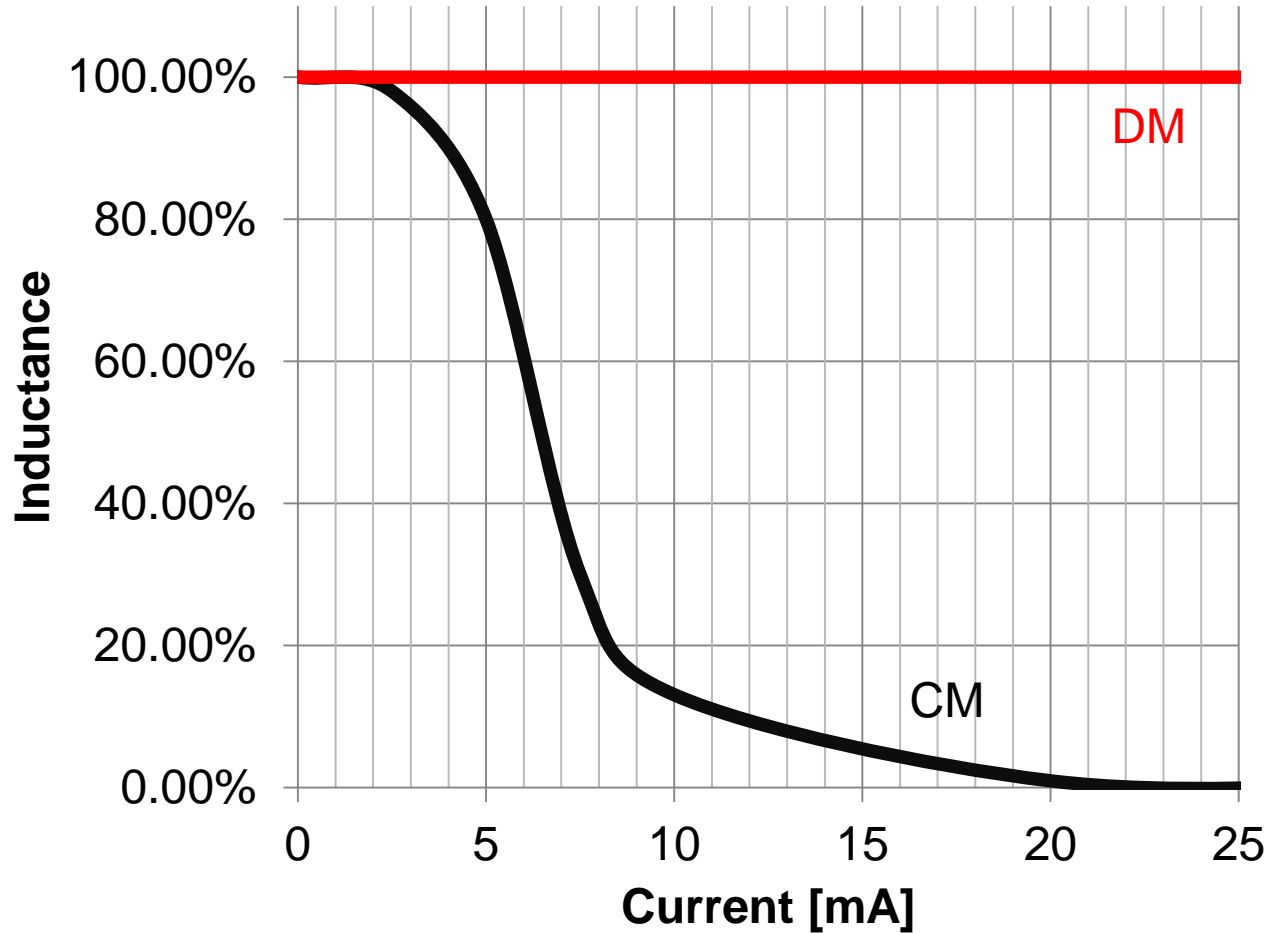
Properties		Test conditions	Value	Unit	Tol.
Number of windings	N		2		
Inductance	L	10 kHz/ 100 mV	0.82	mH	min.
Inductance	L	10 kHz/ 100 mV	1.1	mH	typ.
Rated Current	$I_R$	@ 70 °C/ $\Delta T < 55\text{ K}$	2.6	A	max.
DC Resistance	$R_{DC}$	@ 20 °C	0.07	$\Omega$	$\pm 15\%$
Rated Voltage	$V_R$	50 Hz	250	V (AC)	max.
Insulation Test Voltage	$V_T$	50 Hz/ 5 mA/ 2 sec.	2000	V (AC)	

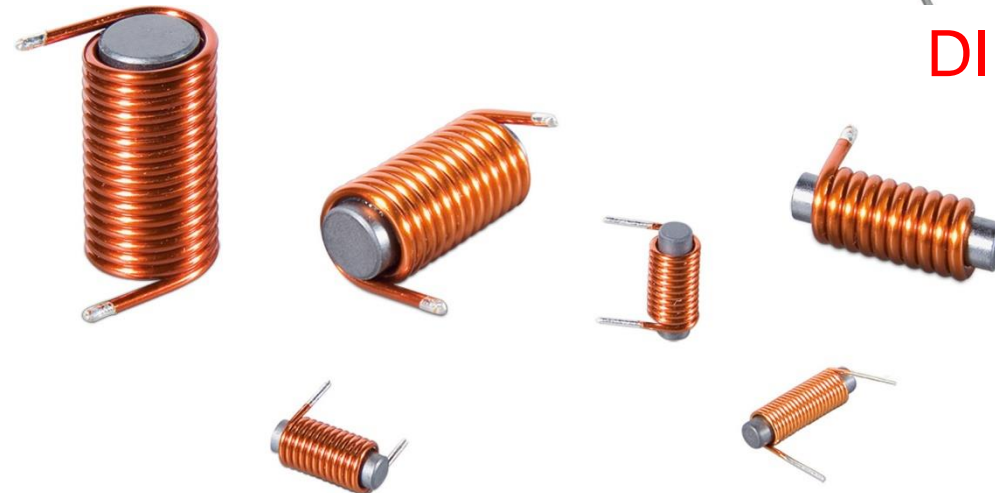
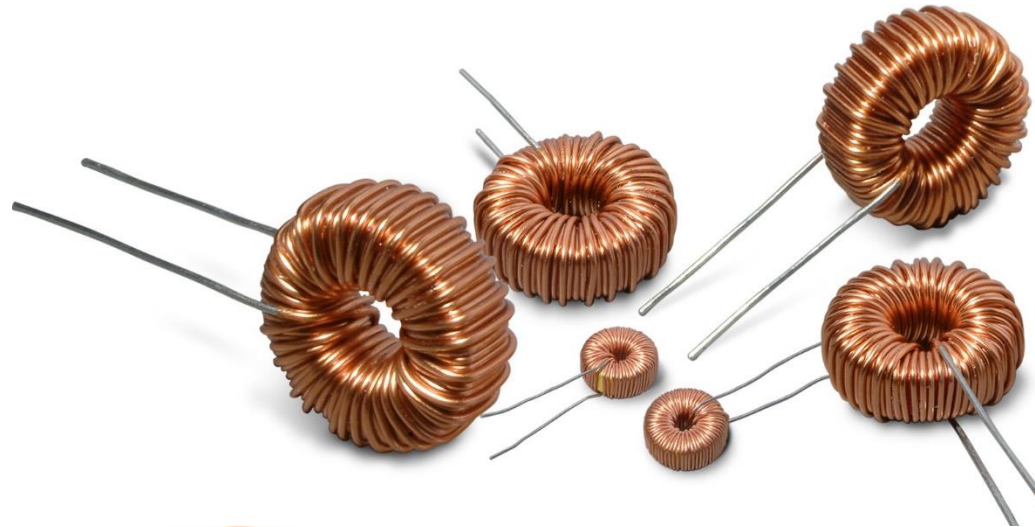
### General Information:

It is recommended that the temperature of the component does not exceed +125 °C under worst case conditions	
Operating Temperature	-40 up to +125 °C
Ambient Temperature (referring to $I_R$ )	-40 up to +70 °C
Storage Conditions (in original packaging)	< 40 °C ; < 75 % RH
Moisture Sensitivity Level (MSL)	1
Temperature Rise < 55 K	
Test conditions of Electrical Properties: +20 °C, 33 % RH if not specified differently	

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# Saturation





## DIFFERENTIAL MODE FILTERS

# Construction of a differential mode filter



**WE-SD**



**WE-FI**



## **Material – High losses**

MnZn

Iron powder

## **Relevant parameter**

Frequency characterization

Impedance

## **Saturation? Rated current?**

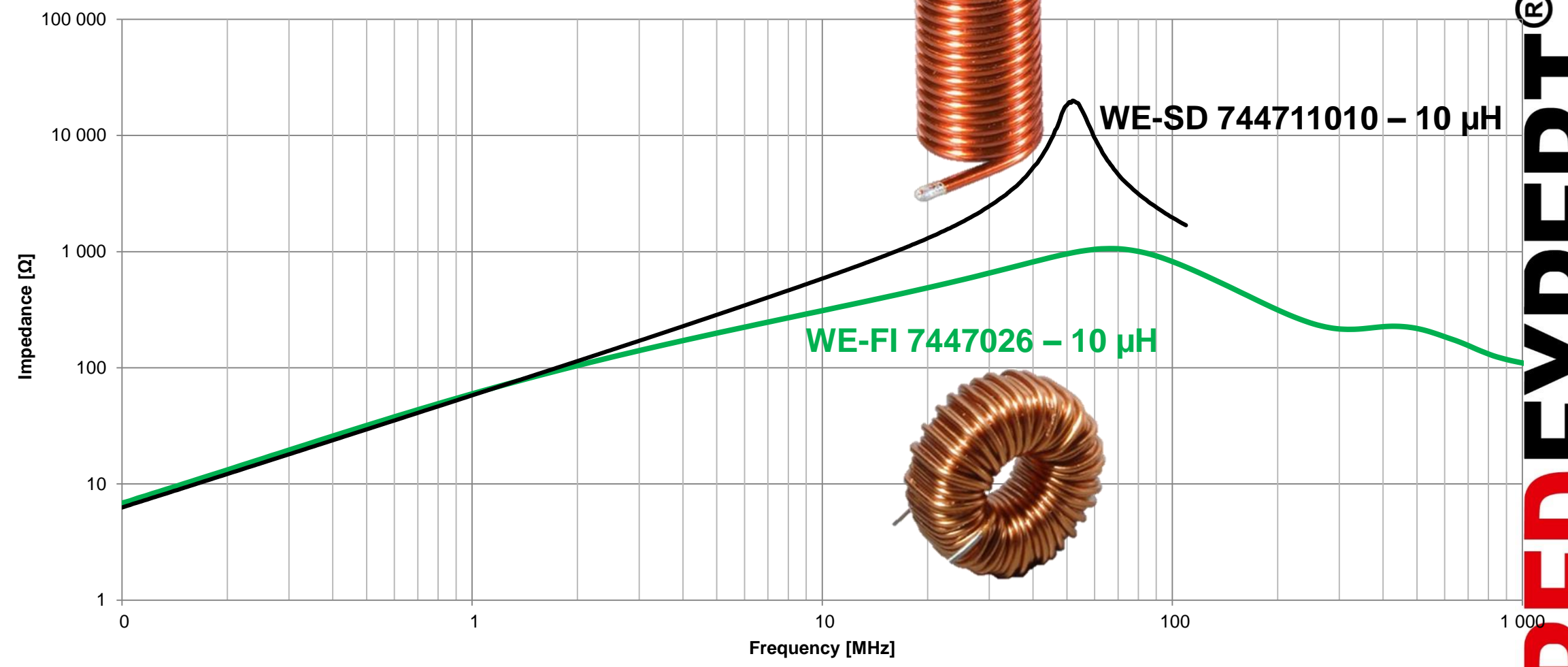
# Impedance



**WE-SD 744711010 – 10  $\mu$ H**



**WE-FI 7447026 – 10  $\mu$ H**



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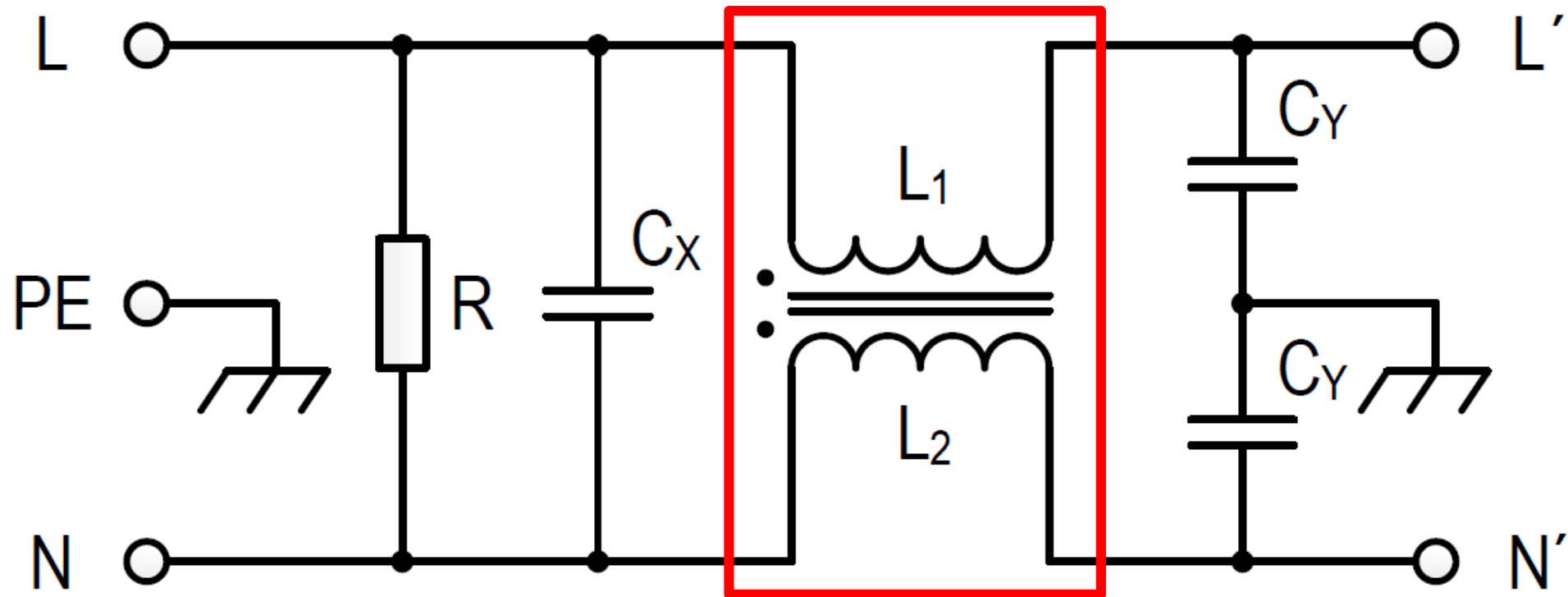
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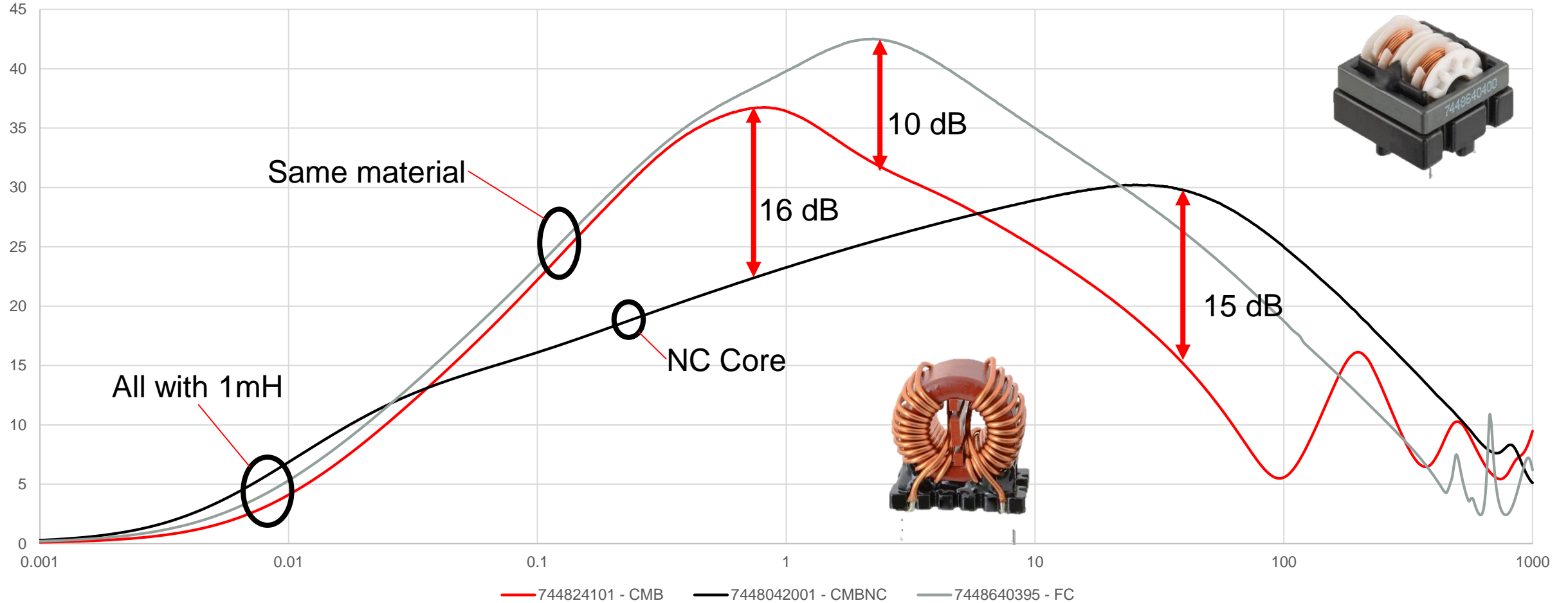
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# What am I filtering?



# Common mode attenuation



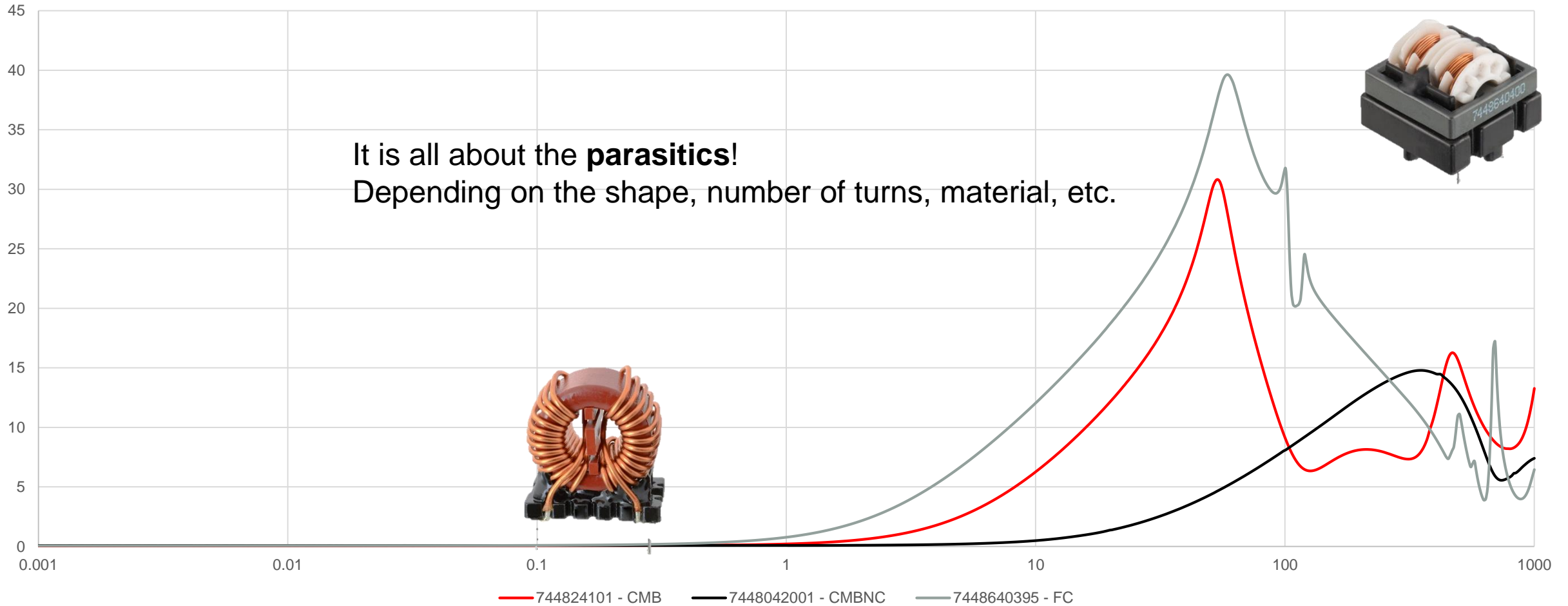
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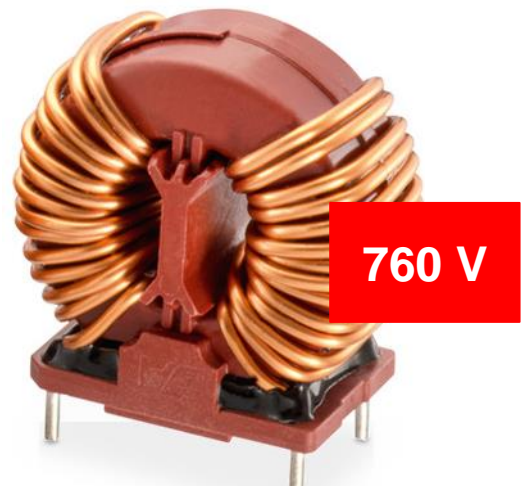
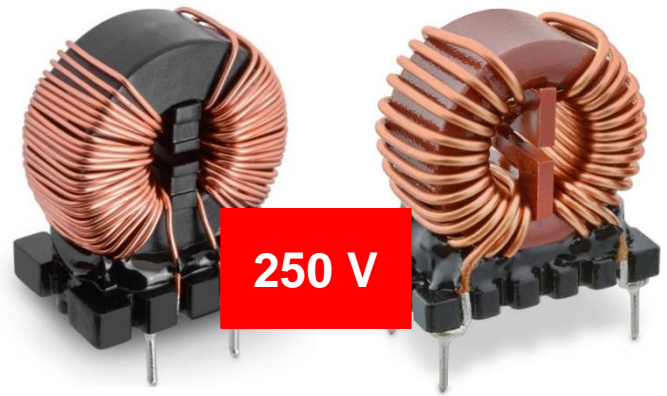
# Differential mode attenuation



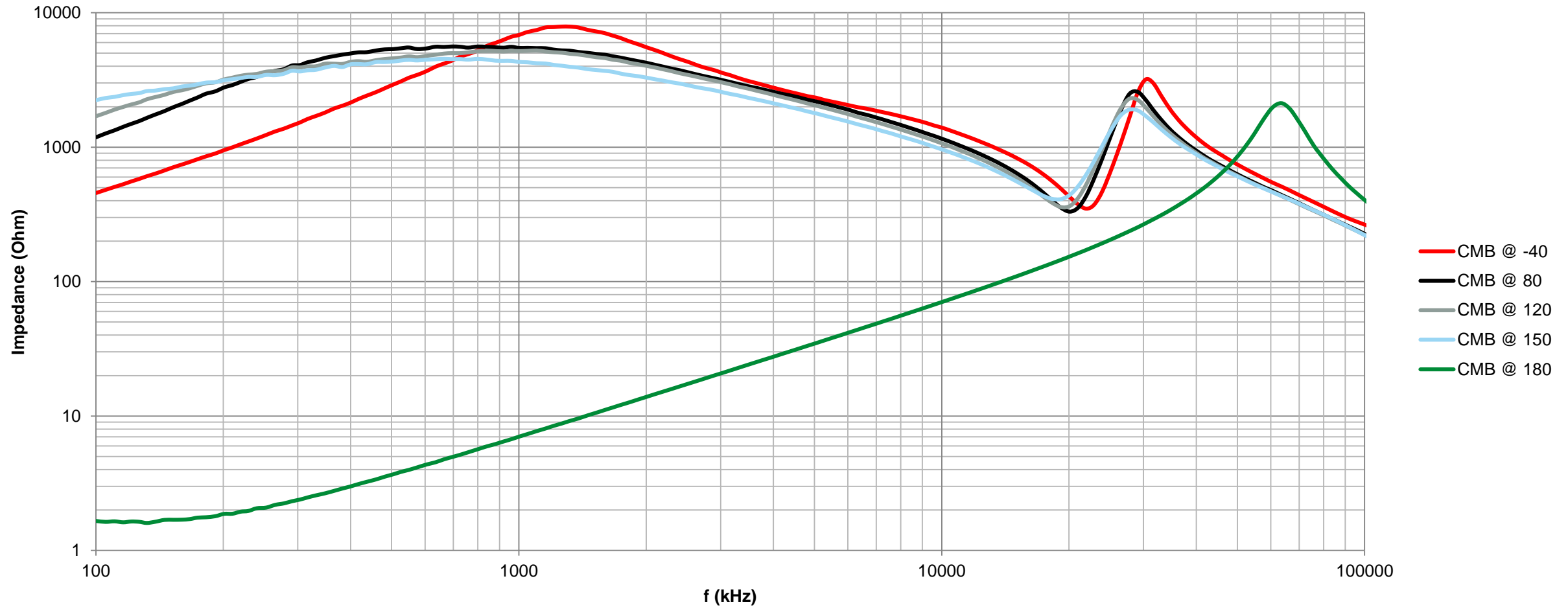
It is all about the **parasitics!**  
Depending on the shape, number of turns, material, etc.



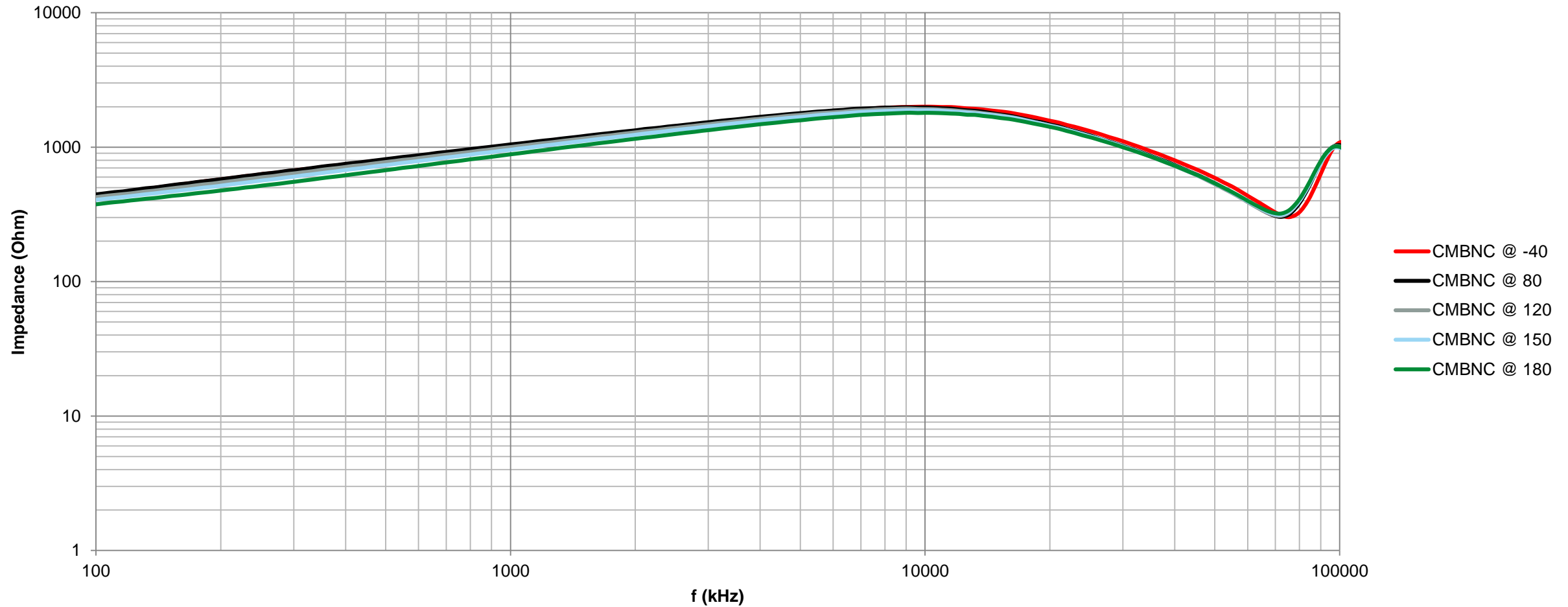
# Working voltage



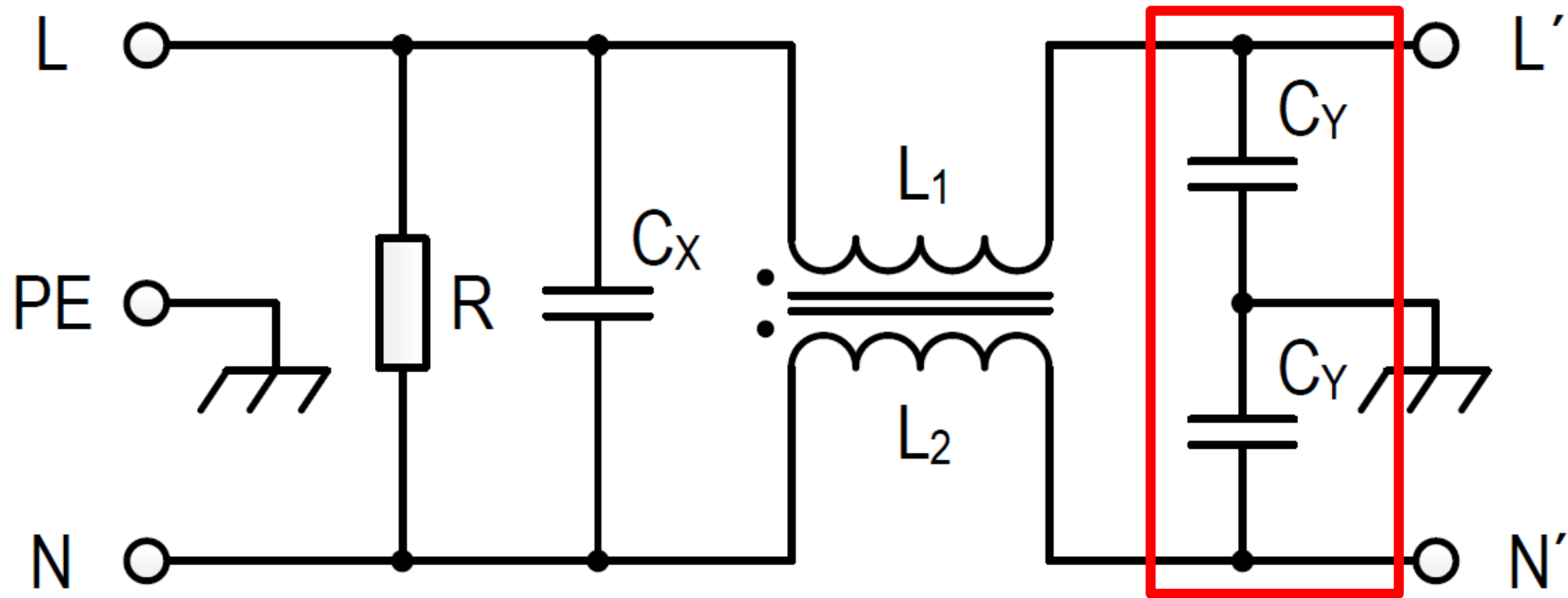
# Temperature – WE-CMB



# Temperature – WE-CMBNC



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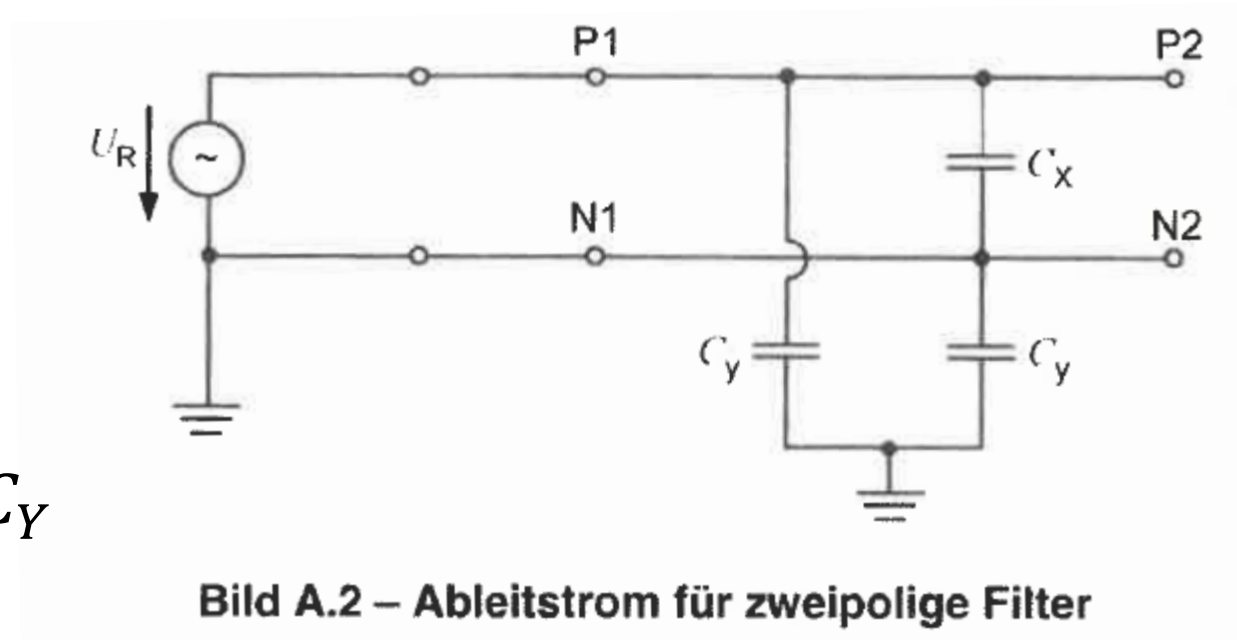


# CY – Leakage current



$$I_{LK} = \frac{U_R}{Z_{C_Y}}$$

$$I_{LK} = 2 * \pi * f_R * U_R * C_Y$$



# WE-CLFS Complete Line Filter Solution



- VR: 250 V (AC/DC)
- 1-Phase Filter
- Climatic Category 25/100/21  
(from -25 to +100°C /  
21 days Humidity test)
- Fast on connectors (max. 20A)
- Chassis Mounting (M4)

Single-Stage



Single-Stage  
Advanced



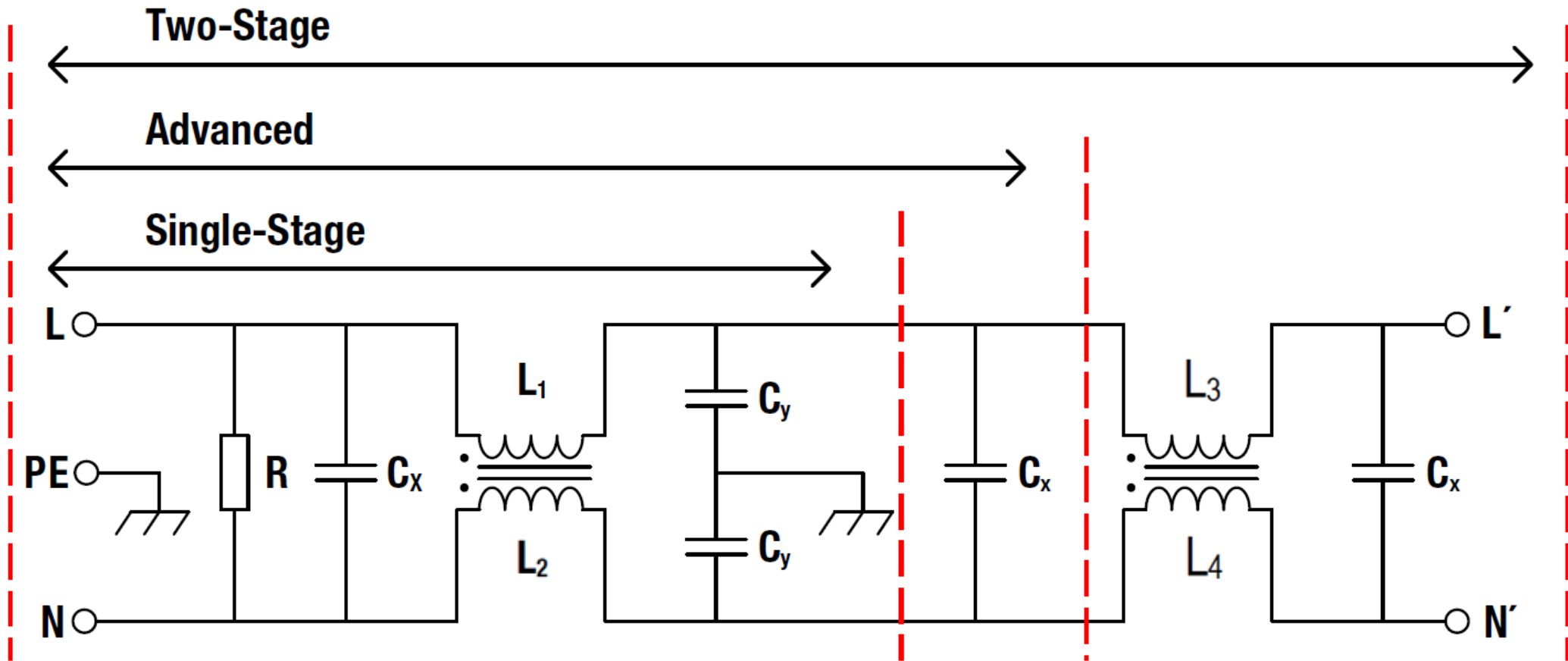
▪ **Certifications:**



Two-Stage



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WE-Article number	Rated Current $I_R$ [A]	Inductance L1 and L2 [mH]	Y-Capacitors $C_y$ [nF]	X-Capacitors $C_x$ [ $\mu$ F]	bleeding resistor R [kOhm]
810912001	1.5	20	2.2	0.22	1000
810912003	3	10	3.3	0.33	1000
810912006	6	10	3.3	0.33	1000
810912008	8	6	4.7	0.47	680
810912010	10	6	4.7	0.47	680
810912012	12	2.2	6.8	0.68	470
810912014	14	2.2	6.8	0.68	470
810912020	20	1	10	1	330

- During the design of the filter was important to keep the performance through the increasing rated current. The following effects were consider:
  - Inductance is reduced. Thicker wire in the same core – Reduced number of turns
  - CY increased to compensate the reduction of nominal inductance
  - CX increased to compensate the reduction in the leakage inductance due to the small number of turns.
  - R reduced to keep  $\tau = RC < 1$

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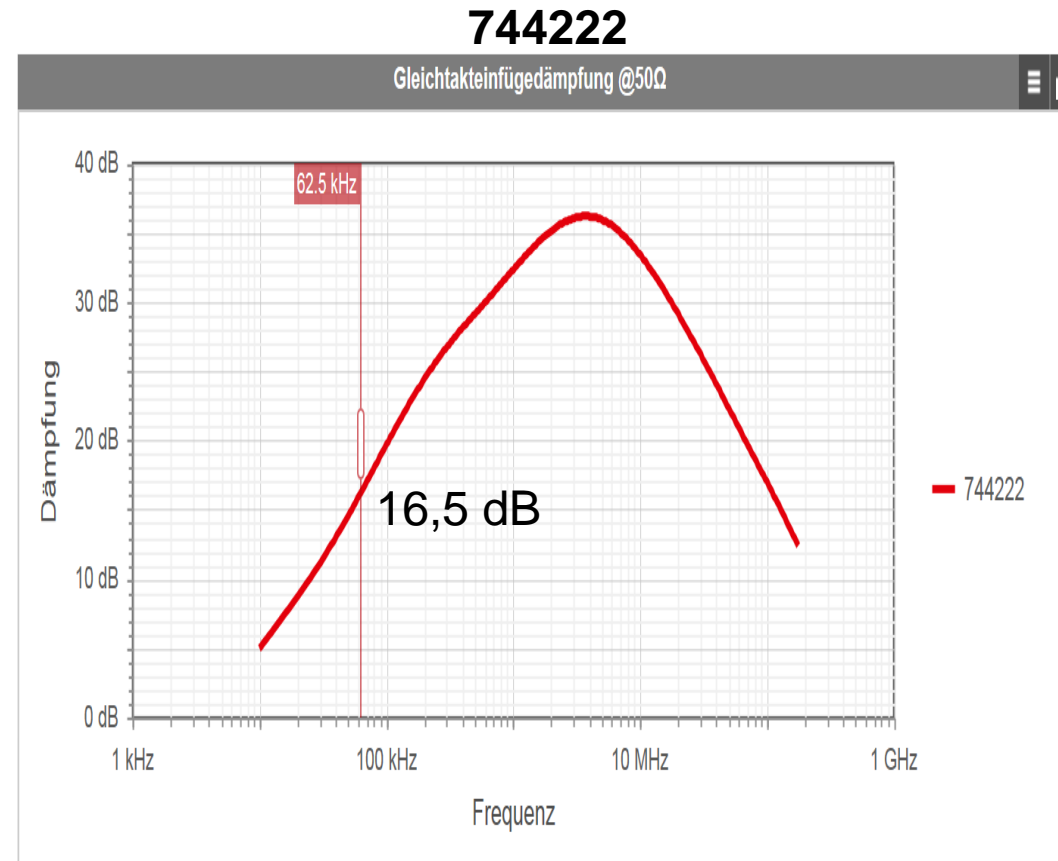
# Simulation of a filter for RS485 Specifications - EMI



- Where could most of the radiation come?
- RS-485 max. Cable length  $\rightarrow$  1,2 km
- $1,2 \text{ km} = \frac{\lambda}{4} \rightarrow$  High efficiency Antenna!
- $f_{\lambda} = \frac{c}{\lambda} = \frac{300000 \frac{\text{km}}{\text{s}}}{4,8 \text{ km}} = 62,5 \text{ kHz}$



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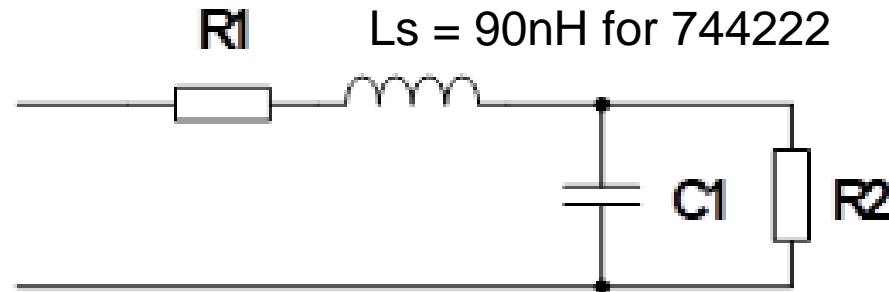
# Simulation of a filter for RS485

## Specifications – Datarate in differential mode

- Datarate max. 12Mbps (6MHz Base frequency with NRZ)
- 3dB frequency defined at 15MHz

- $R1=R2=120\text{ Ohm}$  (RS-485)
- C1?
- $A = 3\text{dB @ } 15\text{MHz!}$
- After some calculations
- $C1=181,38\text{ pF}$

- What is C1?

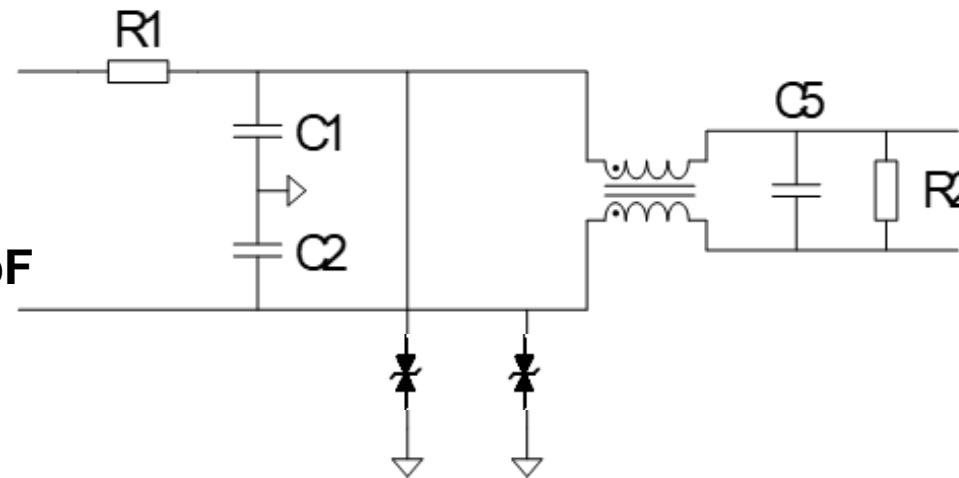


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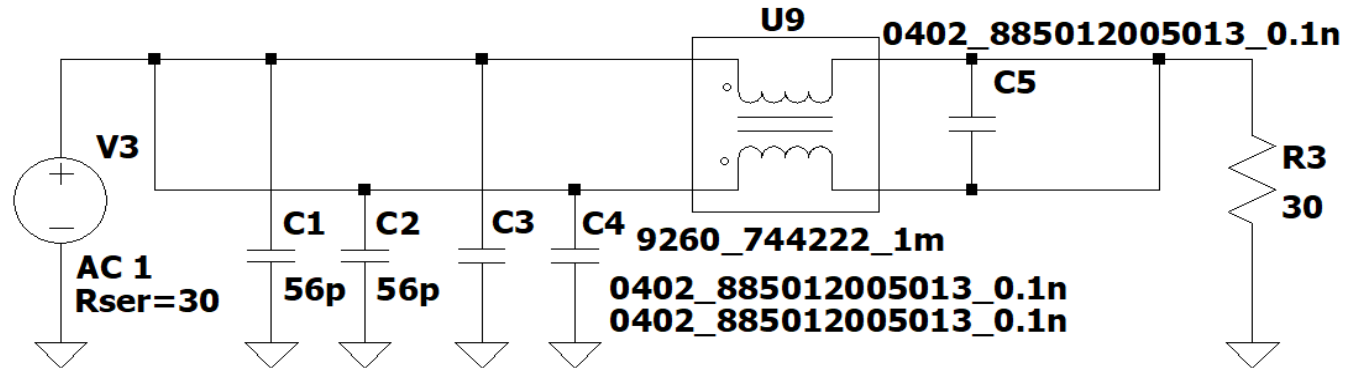


- Max Capacitance of the channel 181,38 pF
- TVS Diodes = 56 pF
- $C_y = 100 \text{ pF}$
- $C_x = 100 \text{ pF}$
- **Ctotal?**
- **$C_{total} = 100\text{pF} + 56/2\text{pF} + 100/2\text{pF} = 178 \text{ pF}$**

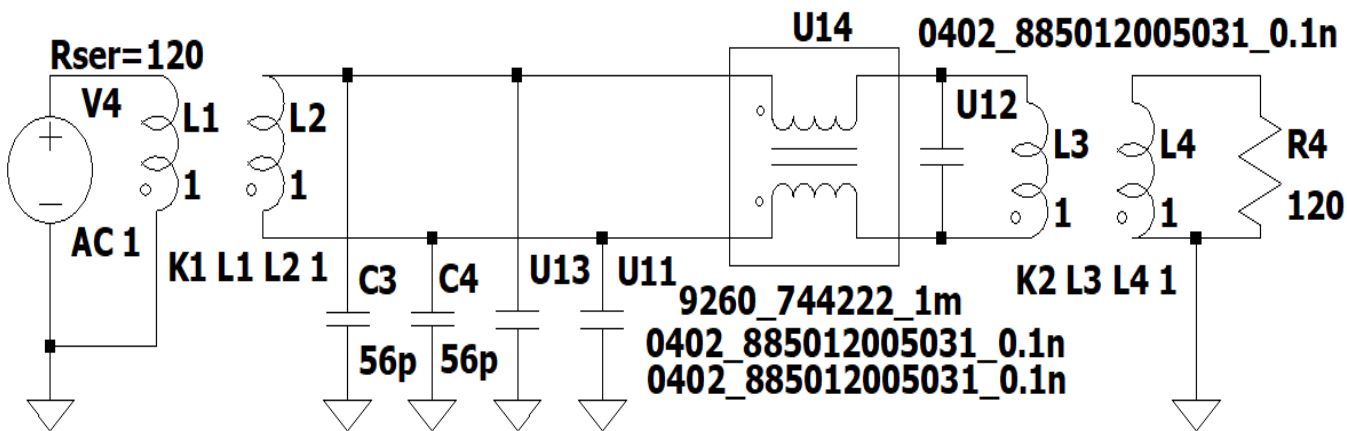


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## Common Mode



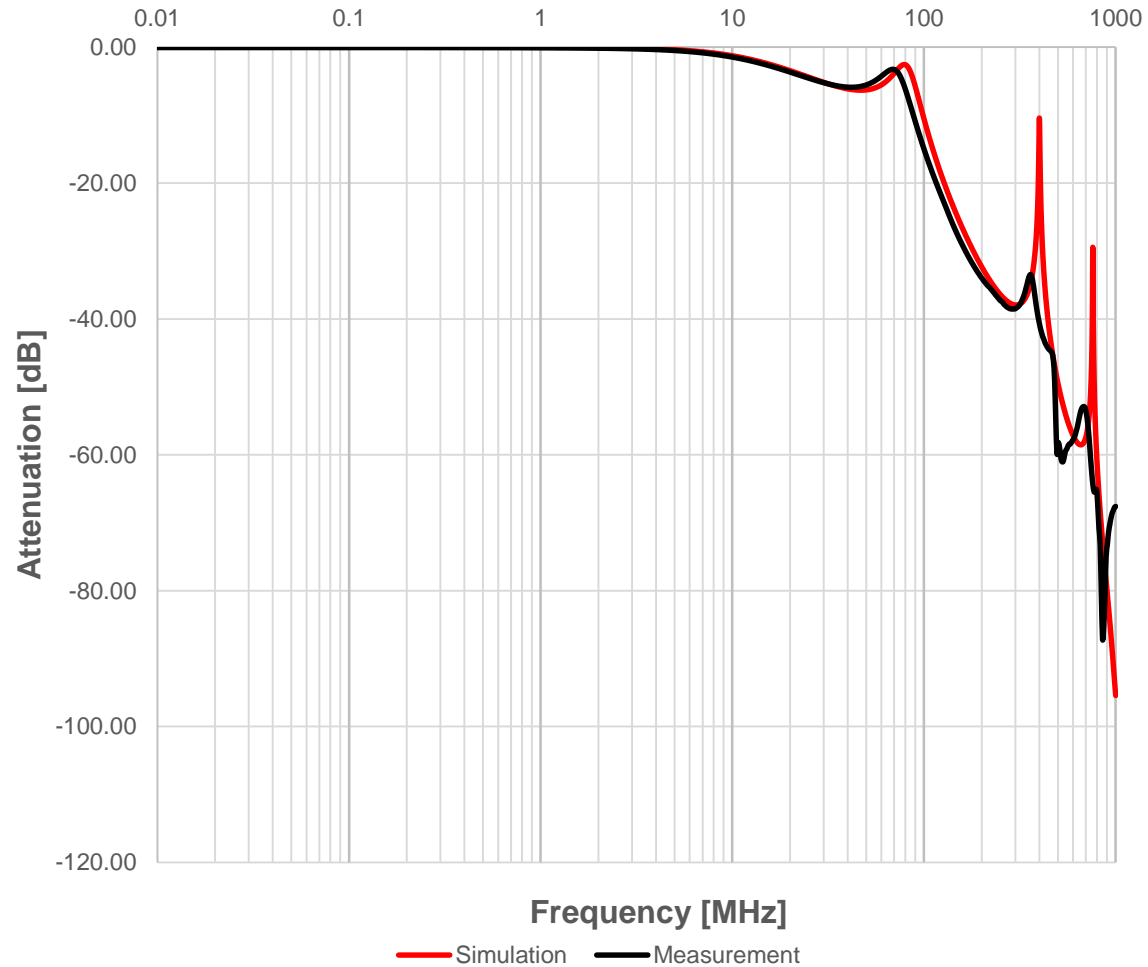
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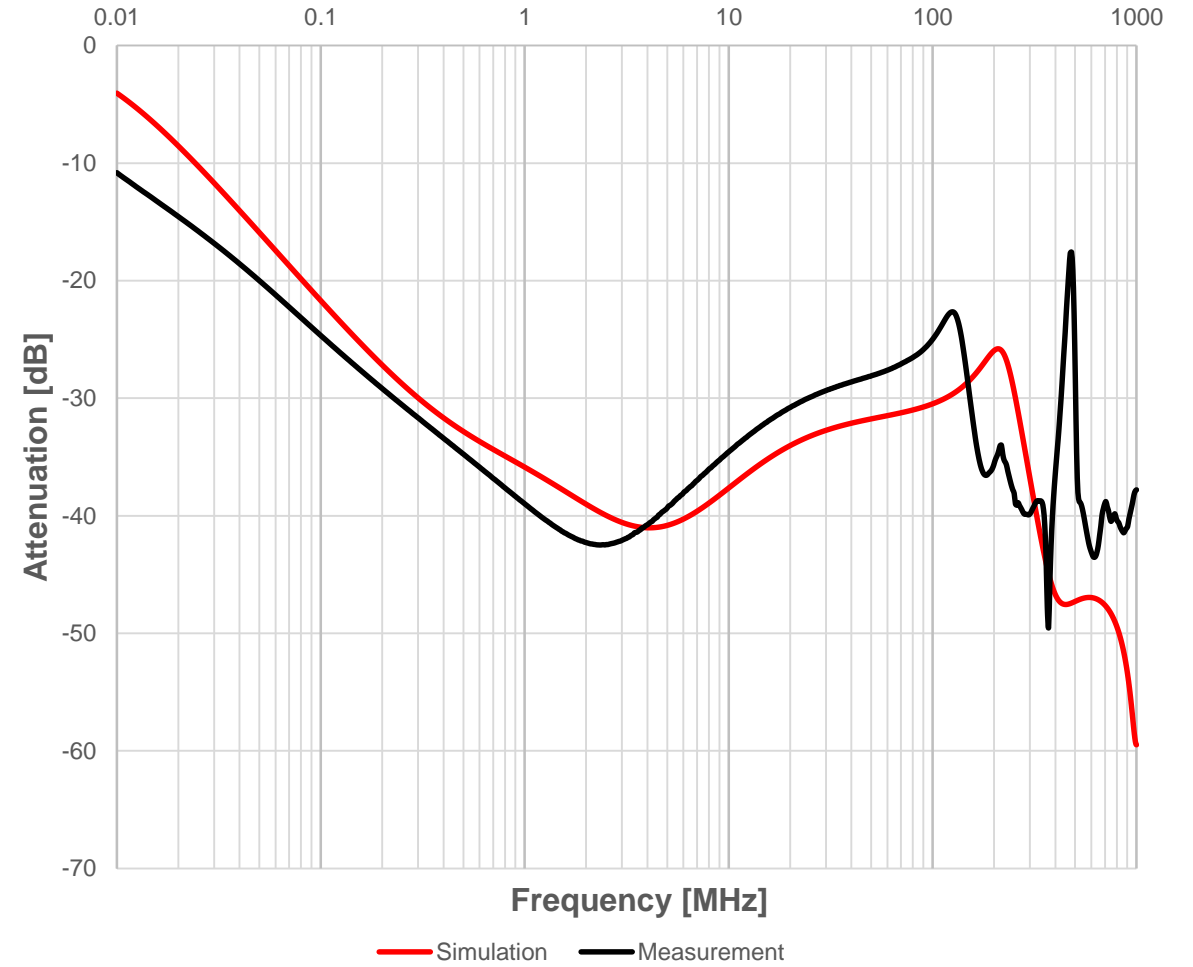
# Simulation of a filter for RS485



Differential Mode insertion loss



Common Mode insertion loss



# Design your EMC Filter



Test Board	
Quantity:	10

Resistor	
Quantity:	10
R:	1M $\Omega$

WA-SNSR	
Quantity:	20
Length:	15.9 mm

WR-TBL	
Quantity:	10
VDE:	450 VAC/24 A
UL:	300 VAC/16 A
R <sub>contact</sub> :	20 m $\Omega$
0.06 up to 2 mm <sup>2</sup> Wires	

WR-SMSH	
<b>7466113</b>	<b>7466114</b>
Quantity: 10	Quantity: 10
I <sub>h</sub> : 50 A	I <sub>h</sub> : 50 A
Thread: M3	Thread: M4

WE-LF			
<b>74466240007</b>	<b>7446622002</b>	<b>7446621007</b>	<b>7446620027</b>
Quantity: 1	Quantity: 1	Quantity: 1	Quantity: 1
L: 0.7 mH	L: 2.2 mH	L: 6.8 mH	L: 27 mH
I <sub>h</sub> : 4 A	I <sub>h</sub> : 2 A	I <sub>h</sub> : 1 A	I <sub>h</sub> : 0.4 A
R <sub>DC</sub> : 27 m $\Omega$	R <sub>DC</sub> : 100 m $\Omega$	R <sub>DC</sub> : 300 m $\Omega$	R <sub>DC</sub> : 1.200 m $\Omega$

WCAP-FTX2	
<b>890324023025</b>	
Pitch: 10 mm	
C: 0.15 $\mu$ F	
U <sub>h</sub> : 275 VAC	
dV/dt: 300 V/ $\mu$ S	

890324022007	
Pitch: 7.5 mm	
C: 0.015 $\mu$ F	
U <sub>h</sub> : 275 VAC	
dV/dt: 500 V/ $\mu$ S	

890324023006	
Pitch: 10 mm	
C: 0.01 $\mu$ F	
U <sub>h</sub> : 275 VAC	
dV/dt: 500 V/ $\mu$ S	

WCAP-CSSA	
<b>885352211002</b>	
Quantity: 10	
C: 680 pF	
U <sub>h</sub> : 250 VAC	
Safety Class: X1/Y2	

885352211003	
Quantity: 10	
C: 1000 pF	
U <sub>h</sub> : 250 VAC	
Safety Class: X1/Y2	

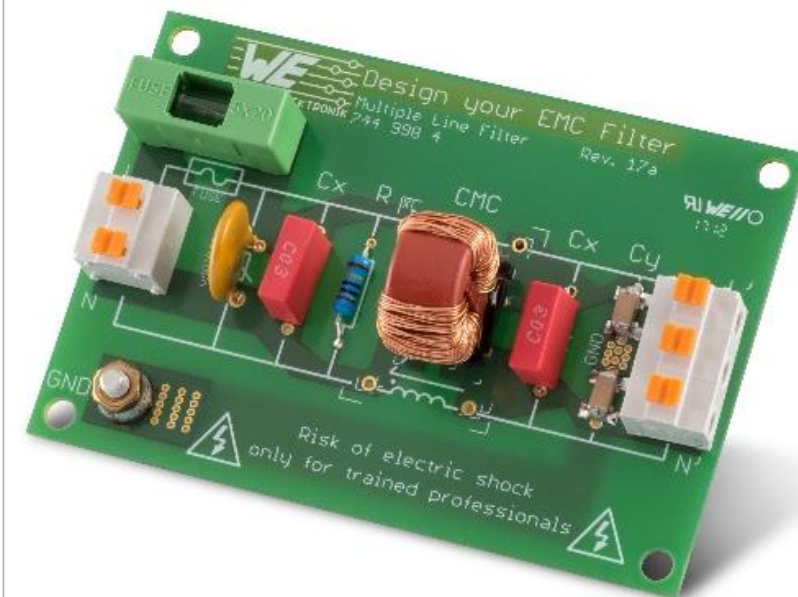
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Safety Class: X1/Y2	

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C: 2200 pF	
U <sub>h</sub> : 250 VAC	
Safety Class: X1/Y2	

WE-CMBNC	
<b>M</b>	
<b>7448030509</b>	
Quantity: 1	
L: 9 mH	
I <sub>h</sub> : 5 A	
R <sub>DC</sub> : 28 m $\Omega$	

L	
<b>7448040707</b>	
Quantity: 1	
L: 7 mH	
I <sub>h</sub> : 7 A	
R <sub>DC</sub> : 20 m $\Omega$	

WE-CMB		
S	M	L
<b>744822301</b>	<b>744823601</b>	<b>744824101</b>
Quantity: 2	Quantity: 2	Quantity: 2
L: 1 mH	L: 1 mH	L: 1 mH
I <sub>h</sub> : 3 A	I <sub>h</sub> : 6 A	I <sub>h</sub> : 10 A
R <sub>DC</sub> : 35 m $\Omega$	R <sub>DC</sub> : 13 m $\Omega$	R <sub>DC</sub> : 7 m $\Omega$
<b>744822222</b>	<b>744823422</b>	<b>744824622</b>
Quantity: 2	Quantity: 2	Quantity: 2
L: 2.2 mH	L: 2.2 mH	L: 2.2 mH
I <sub>h</sub> : 2 A	I <sub>h</sub> : 4 A	I <sub>h</sub> : 6 A
R <sub>DC</sub> : 70 m $\Omega$	R <sub>DC</sub> : 30 m $\Omega$	R <sub>DC</sub> : 20 m $\Omega$
<b>744822233</b>	<b>744823305</b>	<b>744824433</b>
Quantity: 2	Quantity: 2	Quantity: 2
L: 3.3 mH	L: 5 mH	L: 3.3 mH
I <sub>h</sub> : 1.5 A	I <sub>h</sub> : 2.5 A	I <sub>h</sub> : 4 A
R <sub>DC</sub> : 120 m $\Omega$	R <sub>DC</sub> : 95 m $\Omega$	R <sub>DC</sub> : 35 m $\Omega$
<b>744822110</b>	<b>744823210</b>	<b>744824310</b>
Quantity: 2	Quantity: 2	Quantity: 2
L: 10 mH	L: 10 mH	L: 10 mH
I <sub>h</sub> : 1 A	I <sub>h</sub> : 2 A	I <sub>h</sub> : 3 A
R <sub>DC</sub> : 360 m $\Omega$	R <sub>DC</sub> : 125 m $\Omega$	R <sub>DC</sub> : 105 m $\Omega$
<b>744822120</b>	<b>744823220</b>	<b>744824220</b>
Quantity: 2	Quantity: 2	Quantity: 2
L: 20 mH	L: 20 mH	L: 20 mH
I <sub>h</sub> : 0.5 A	I <sub>h</sub> : 1.5 A	I <sub>h</sub> : 2 A
R <sub>DC</sub> : 540 m $\Omega$	R <sub>DC</sub> : 270 m $\Omega$	R <sub>DC</sub> : 220 m $\Omega$





# Agenda

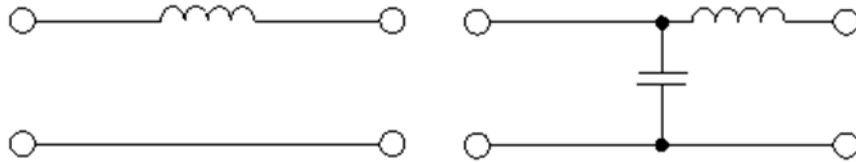


- Introduction
- The need for filters and the topologies
- Components and technologies
- Choosing a component for a filter
- Design and simulation of a filter
- **How to destroy a filter**



# Why your filter is not working ....

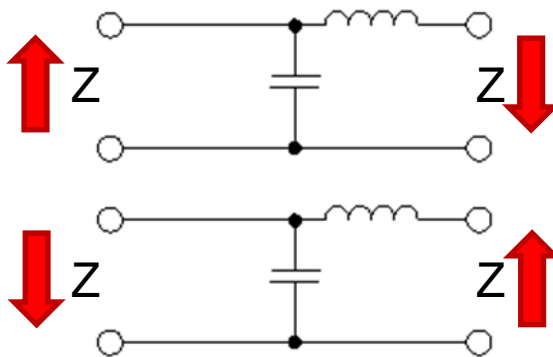
- Order of filter is correct?



- Wrong mode?:

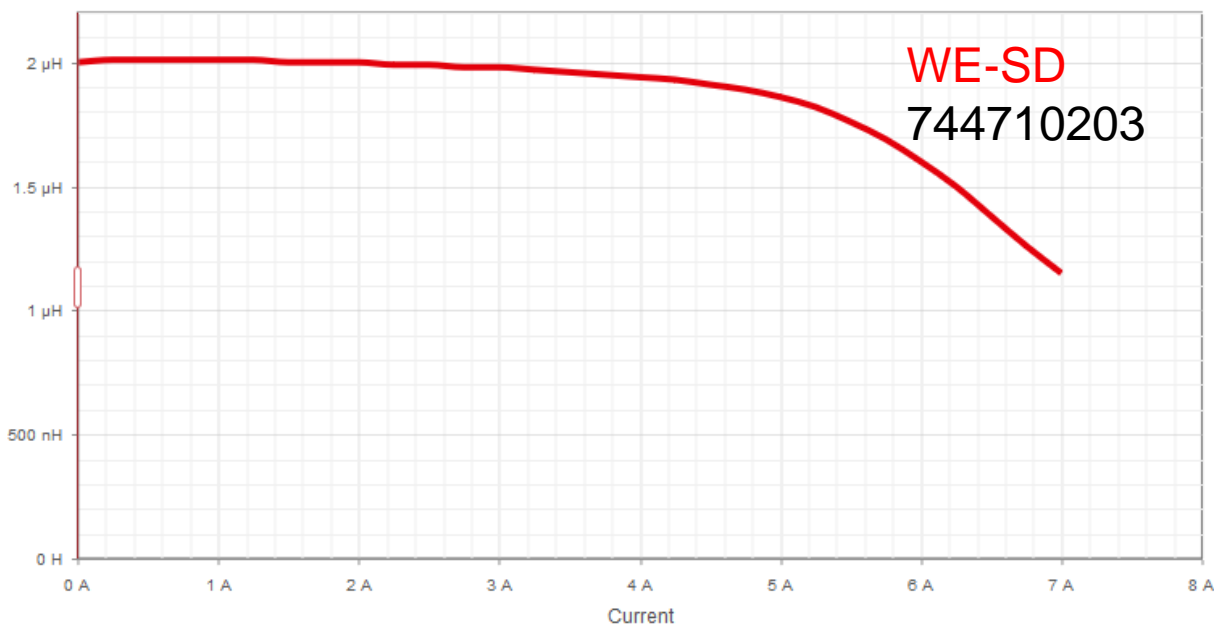


- Wrong orientation?

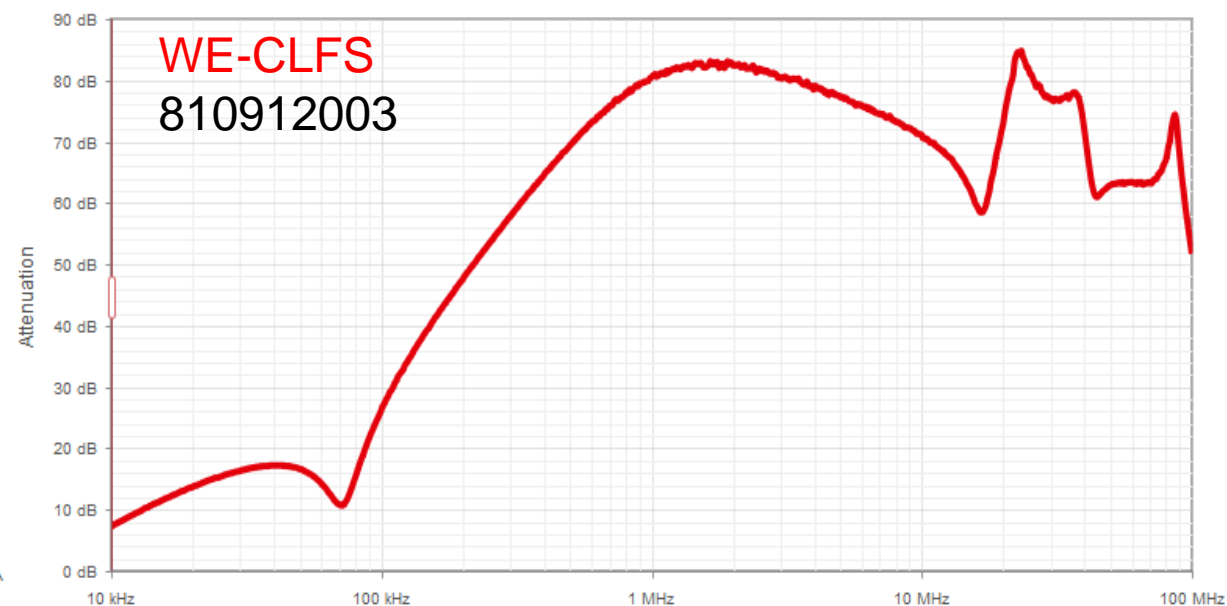


# Why your filter is not working ....

## • Saturation of inductors?

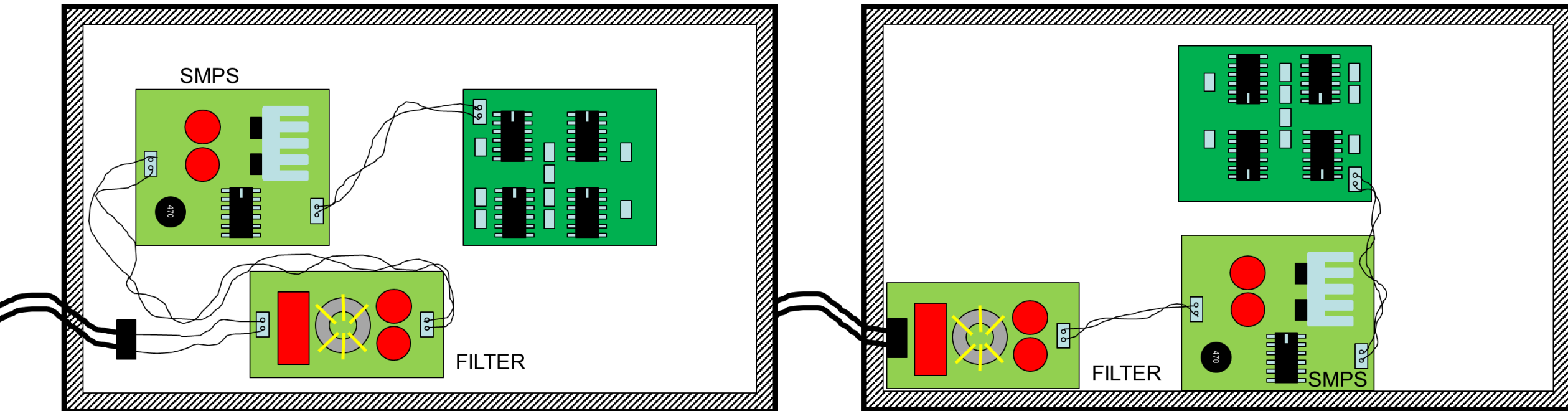


## • Parasitics in some frequency?



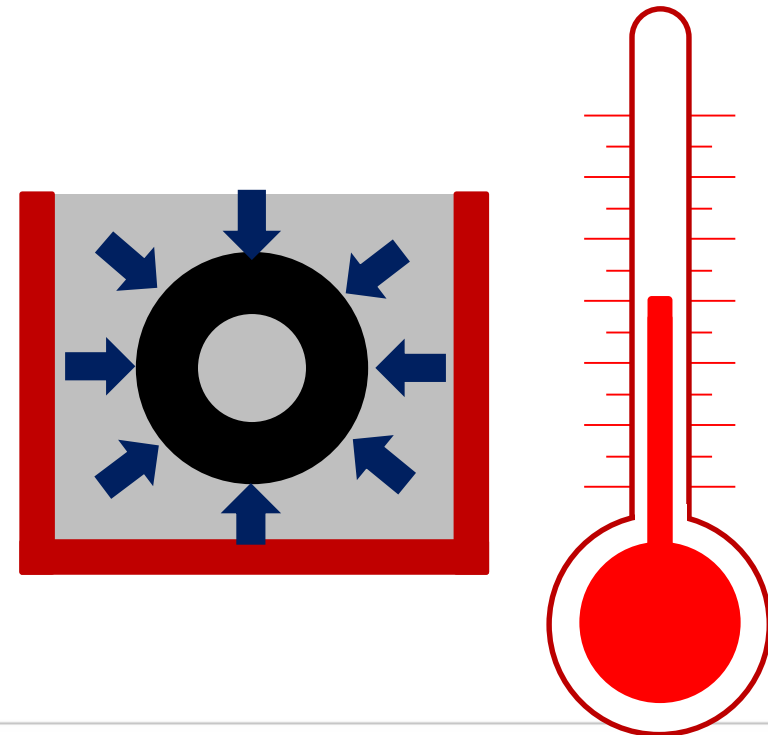
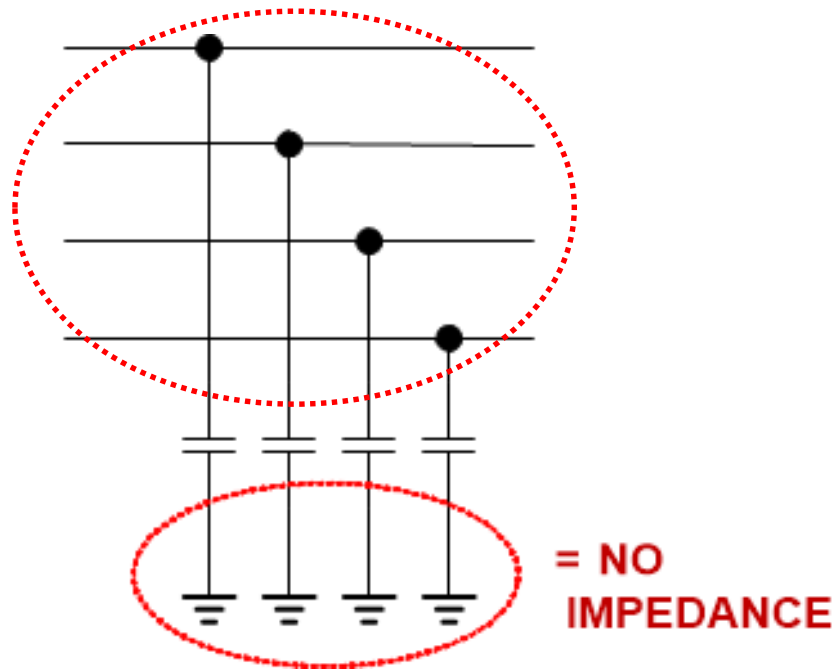
# Why your filter is not working ....

- Dangerous location?
- I/O Feedback



# Why your filter is not working ....

- Parasitics in layout?
- Potting materials?
- Low cost "equivalents"?



# Questions & Answers



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