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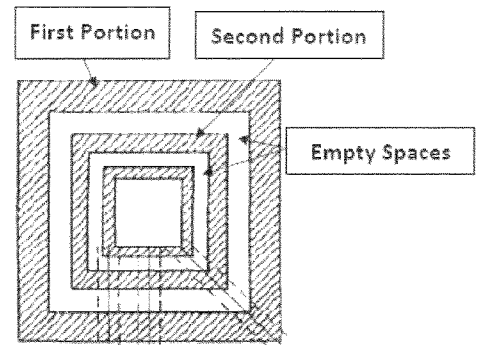
CC-C: Claim Chart Comparing claims 1, 12-14, 17, 21, 24 and 29 of the '31 Patent to Misra under 35 U.S.C. § 102

Prior art cited in this chart:

- Misra, Ita et al., “Experimental Investigations on the Impedance and Radiation Properties of a Three-Element Concentric Microstrip Antenna”, Microwave and Optical Technology Letters, Vol. 11, No. 2, February 5, 1990

Claims of the '431 Patent	Disclosure of the Prior Art																																																						
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1. A multi-band antenna comprising:	<p>“The present article deals with a concentric microstrip square-ring antenna containing three elements.” Misra, p. 67.</p> <p>“...the concentric microstrip square-ring antenna has a multiple band in total percent bandwidth with respect to the single square ring having the same physical dimension of the CMSRA.” Misra, p. 68.</p> <div style="text-align: center;"> <p><small>TABLE 1 Comparison of Percent BW Between Single Square-Ring and Concentric Square-Ring Antennas</small></p> <table border="1"> <thead> <tr> <th rowspan="2">Excitation</th> <th colspan="2">Single Square Ring</th> <th colspan="2">Concentric Square Ring</th> </tr> <tr> <th>Frequency Range in GHz</th> <th>% Bandwidth</th> <th>Frequency Range in GHz</th> <th>% Bandwidth</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>Center feed</td> <td>2.7 - 3.34 ± 0.04</td> <td>1.17</td> <td>2.65 - 2.65 ± 0.00</td> <td>1.11</td> </tr> <tr> <td></td> <td></td> <td></td> <td>2.71 - 2.81 ± 0.10</td> <td>2.32</td> </tr> <tr> <td></td> <td></td> <td></td> <td>2.87 - 2.95 ± 0.08</td> <td>2.87</td> </tr> <tr> <td>0.45 mm coax feed center</td> <td>2.68 - 2.76 ± 0.008</td> <td>2.49</td> <td>2.65 - 2.68 ± 0.01</td> <td>1.39</td> </tr> <tr> <td></td> <td></td> <td></td> <td>2.72 - 2.75 ± 0.03</td> <td>1.48</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Coaxial feed</td> <td>2.67 - 2.67 ± 0.003</td> <td>2.02</td> <td>2.67 - 2.65 ± 0.02</td> <td>1.44</td> </tr> <tr> <td></td> <td></td> <td></td> <td>2.72 - 2.73 ± 0.01</td> <td>1.47</td> </tr> <tr> <td></td> <td></td> <td></td> <td>2.74 - 2.77 ± 0.03</td> <td>2.5</td> </tr> <tr> <td></td> <td></td> <td></td> <td>2.77 - 2.79 ± 0.02</td> <td>2.53</td> </tr> </tbody> </table> <p>Table 1 – Misra</p> </div>	Excitation	Single Square Ring		Concentric Square Ring		Frequency Range in GHz	% Bandwidth	Frequency Range in GHz	% Bandwidth	Center feed	2.7 - 3.34 ± 0.04	1.17	2.65 - 2.65 ± 0.00	1.11				2.71 - 2.81 ± 0.10	2.32				2.87 - 2.95 ± 0.08	2.87	0.45 mm coax feed center	2.68 - 2.76 ± 0.008	2.49	2.65 - 2.68 ± 0.01	1.39				2.72 - 2.75 ± 0.03	1.48	Coaxial feed	2.67 - 2.67 ± 0.003	2.02	2.67 - 2.65 ± 0.02	1.44				2.72 - 2.73 ± 0.01	1.47				2.74 - 2.77 ± 0.03	2.5				2.77 - 2.79 ± 0.02	2.53
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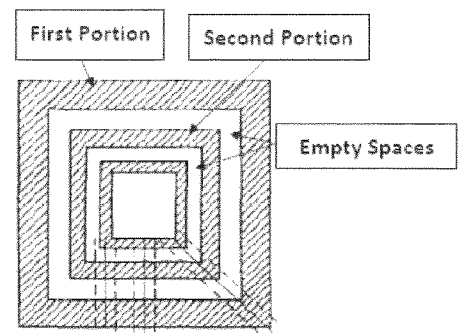
Annotated Figure 2(a) – Misra, p.67.

The caption of Fig. 2(a) reads: “Three-element concentric microstrip antenna.” Misra , p. 67.

said at least one multilevel structure comprising a plurality of electromagnetically coupled geometric elements,

“A three-element CMSRA has been designed and its measured impedance patterns have been compared with those of a single square-ring antenna of dimension equal to the largest element of the CMSRA.” Abstract, Misra, p. 67.
“Electromagnetic coupling is an attractive aspect [of a microstrip antenna] in a multilayered structure, which allows the antenna to be integrated with other components.” Misra , p. 67.

Fig. 2a of Misra illustrates a three-element-concentric-microstrip square antenna (CMSRA) having a multilevel structure with a plurality of electromagnetically coupled geometric elements. See, Fig. 2a, Misra , p. 67.



Annotated Figure 2(a) – Misra, p.67.

said plurality of geometric elements including at least two portions, a first portion being associated with a first selected frequency band and a second portion being associated with a second selected frequency band,

“The compared 1: 2 [voltage standing wave band width] VSWR BW ring and concentric ring at different feed locations is given in Table 1. It is seen that the total 1: 2 VSWR BW is increased for the three element microstrip square-ring antenna] CMSRA as compared to that of the single element. This effect is prominent at the feed location 0.45 cm away from the center of the ring.”

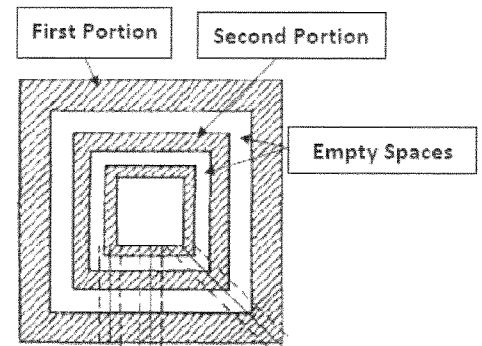
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Feed Location	Single Square Ring		Concentric Square Ring	
	Frequency range (GHz)	% Bandwidth	Frequency range (GHz)	% Bandwidth
Center feed	2.1 - 2.9 = 0.8	1.87	2.85 - 2.87 = 0.02 3.71 - 4.89 = 1.18	1.12 2.52
0.45 cm away from center	2.08 - 2.76 = 0.68	2.49	2.55 - 2.97 = 0.42 3.64 - 4.74 = 1.10	1.43 12.11
0.6 cm feed	2.03 - 2.67 = 0.64	2.02	2.62 - 2.81 = 0.19 3.74 - 4.71 = 0.97	1.44 8.6
	2.01 - 2.62 = 0.61	1.94	3.73 - 4.71 = 0.98	2.66

Table 1 – Misra

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said second portion being located substantially within the first portion,

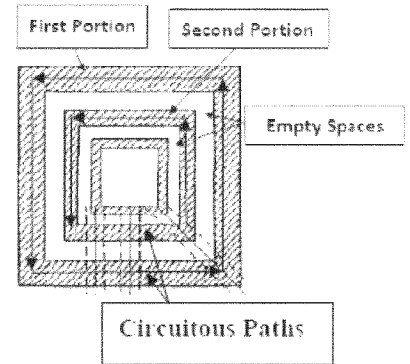
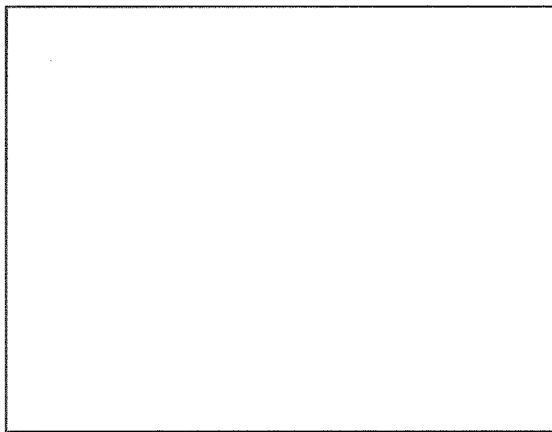


Annotated Figure 1 – Misra

said first and second portions defining empty spaces in an overall structure of the conductive radiating element to provide a circuitous current path within the first portion and within the second portion,

“We have first chosen the innermost square-ring antenna with side a and $w = 0.2$ cm. The spacing between the adjacent elements and their radii are chosen...” Misra , p. 68.

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Annotated Figure 2(a) – Misra, p.67.

and the current within said first portion providing said first selected frequency band with radio electric behavior substantially similar to the radio electric behavior of said second selected frequency band and the current within the second portion providing said second selected frequency band with radio electric behavior substantially similar to the radio electric behavior of said first selected frequency band.

“Comparison of the radiation pattern of a single ring and CMSRA (Figure 6) shows that over the entire bandwidth the nature of the radiation pattern is similar to that of the single ring operating at the fundamental mode. Figure 6 it is seen that radiation patterns for CMSRA remain unchanged with feed location.” Misra , p. 68.

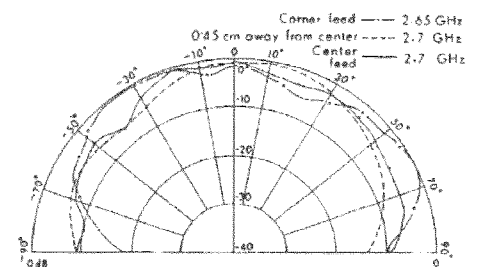


Figure 5 E-plane radiation pattern of single square-ring antenna at different feed locations

Figure 5 – Misra

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