

ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE

A dielectric filter exhibiting excellent filter characteristics is disclosed in which the manufacturing cost is reduced by forming coupling loops for dielectric resonators generally in the same shape. First through fourth TM double-mode dielectric resonators are aligned in a row with their openings facing in the same direction. First and second metallic panels are screwed to the resonators to cover their openings. An input loop and an output loop are mounted on the first loop in such a manner that they obliquely face the intersecting areas of the respective dielectric members of the first and fourth dielectric resonators, respectively. Also attached to the first panel are generally "V"-shaped coupling loops. Also disclosed is a dielectric duplexer constructed of a plurality of dielectric filters.

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