130 GHz 超広帯域ハイブリッド型ポリマ・ゾルゲルシリカ導波路マッハツェンダ型光変調器
130 GHz ultra-broadband hybrid polymer/sol-gel waveguide Mach-Zehnder modulators
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The electrical RF transmission  $S_{21}$  for Mach-Zehnder optical modulators based on a hybrid electro-optic polymer/sol-gel silica waveguide was demonstrated at a modulation frequency of up to 110 GHz (limit of our equipments) and then extrapolated to a 6 dB bandwidth of 130 GHz. The half-wave voltage and electrode length product corresponded to 4.15 Vcm (a single driving), which corresponds to 2.08 Vcm for a dual driven modulation. An in-device electro-optic coefficient,  $r_{33}$  of 140 pm/V at a wavelength of 1.55 mm was obtained for the ultra-broadband MZ modulators.