

Hi,

I have to simulate 8-layer PCBs with a particular stackup:

TOP =====GND Plane with DISCONTINUITY  
Dielectric 1  
INNER 1 == == == == == == == SIGNALS  
Dielectric 2  
INNER 2 == == == == == == == SIGNALS  
Dielectric 3  
INNER 3 =====CONTINUOUS GND Plane  
.....  
etc ....

IMPORTANT:

TOP-Layer has a GND plane with many and relativ great discontinuities  
thickness dielectric 1 and 2 = 0,050 mm !  
thickness dielectric 3 = 0,350 mm ! !

Conclusion:

a signal traces has partial 2 reference planes (0,050 mm and 0,400 mm),  
partial only one reference plane (0,400 mm).

Yes, I know, there is better solutions. But I have to simulate also THIS solution.

What Signal Integrity toll have you attended that are worthwhile  
to simulate this particular structure ? **Thanks for your time.**

**Best regards**

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