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Correction

The following changes should be made to the feature article by Frédéric Broydé and Evelyne Clavelier, "Maximum Electric and Magnetic Field Strengths at a Given Distance from Some Ideal Antennas," *IEEE Antennas and Propagation Magazine*, **50**, 4, August 2008, pp. 66-71.

The end of the caption of Figure 1 should read, "...(c) is E for the $\lambda/2$ dipole with sinusoidal current distribution; (d) is E for the $\lambda/2$ dipole with almost-exact current distribution; (e) is E_M for both $\lambda/2$ dipole models."

The beginning of the second sentence of the third paragraph of Section 6 should read, "A different rod diameter would produce similar characteristics, but the electric field strength would differ somewhat in the near-field region."

Equation (8) should be

$$E = \frac{\eta_0}{2\pi d} \sqrt{\frac{W}{R_0}} g. \quad (8)$$

The first sentence of the third paragraph of Section 7 should read, "EMC engineers might also be tempted to use Equations (4)-(10) as models for assessing the maximum field strengths produced by real antennas such that $D \leq \lambda/2$, regardless of their design."