



# Physics 704/804 Electromagnetic Theory II

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# Far Field



exponential replaced with

$$|\vec{x} - \vec{x}'| \ll r - \hat{n} \cdot \vec{x}' \quad \hat{n} = \vec{x} / |\vec{x}|$$

$$\lim_{kr \rightarrow \infty} \vec{A}(\vec{x}) = \frac{\mu_0}{4\pi} \frac{e^{ikr}}{r} \int \vec{J}(\vec{x}') e^{-ik\hat{n} \cdot \vec{x}'} d^3 \vec{x}'$$

$$= \frac{\mu_0}{4\pi} \frac{e^{ikr}}{r} \sum_{n=0} \frac{(-ik)^n}{n!} \int \vec{J}(\vec{x}') (\hat{n} \cdot \vec{x}')^n d^3 \vec{x}'$$

radiation pattern dominated by emission  
from first non-vanishing  $n$

# Magnetic Dipole/Electric Quadrupole Radiation



$n = 1$  term

$$\vec{A}(\vec{x}) = \frac{\mu_0}{4\pi} \frac{e^{ikr}}{r} \left( \frac{1}{r} - ik \right) \int \vec{J}(\vec{x}') (\vec{n} \cdot \vec{x}') d^3x'$$

Integrand looks like

$$\begin{pmatrix} A_x \\ A_y \\ A_z \end{pmatrix} \propto \int \begin{pmatrix} J_x \hat{n}_x & J_x \hat{n}_y & J_x \hat{n}_z \\ J_y \hat{n}_x & J_y \hat{n}_y & J_y \hat{n}_z \\ J_z \hat{n}_x & J_z \hat{n}_y & J_z \hat{n}_z \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} x' \\ y' \\ z' \end{pmatrix} d^3\vec{x}'$$

symmetrize and antisymmetrize operator action on  $\vec{J}, \vec{x}'$

$$\begin{aligned} \vec{J}\hat{n} \cdot \vec{x}' &= \frac{1}{2} [\vec{J}\hat{n} \cdot \vec{x}' + \vec{x}'\hat{n} \cdot \vec{J}] + \frac{1}{2} [\vec{J}\hat{n} \cdot \vec{x}' - \vec{x}'\hat{n} \cdot \vec{J}] = \frac{1}{2} [\vec{J}\hat{n} \cdot \vec{x}' + \vec{x}'\hat{n} \cdot \vec{J}] \\ &+ \frac{1}{2} [\hat{n} \times (\vec{J} \times \vec{x}')] = \frac{1}{2} [\vec{J}\hat{n} \cdot \vec{x}' + \vec{x}'\hat{n} \cdot \vec{J}] + \frac{1}{2} [(\vec{x}' \times \vec{J}) \times \hat{n}] \end{aligned}$$

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## magnetization from current

$$\vec{M} = \frac{1}{2} (\vec{x} \times \vec{J})$$

$$\vec{A}(\vec{x}) = \frac{ik\mu_0}{4\pi} (\hat{n} \times \vec{m}) \frac{e^{ikr}}{r} \left( 1 - \frac{1}{ikr} \right)$$

magnetic dipole moment

$$\vec{m} = \int \vec{M} d^3x = \frac{1}{2} \int (\vec{x} \times \vec{J}) d^3x$$

comparing with the electric dipole results,  $\vec{A}$  is identical, up to a constant factor, to the  $\vec{H}$  for the electric dipole. Transcribe fields from electric dipole by replacement  $\vec{p} \rightarrow \vec{m} / c$

# Fields



$$\vec{H} = \frac{1}{4\pi} \left\{ k^2 (\hat{n} \times \vec{m}) \times \hat{n} \frac{e^{ikr}}{r} + [3\hat{n}(\hat{n} \cdot \vec{m}) - \vec{m}] \left( \frac{1}{r^3} - \frac{ik}{r^2} \right) e^{ikr} \right\}$$

$$\vec{E} = -\frac{Z_0 k^2}{4\pi} (\hat{n} \times \vec{m}) \frac{e^{ikr}}{r} \left( 1 - \frac{1}{ikr} \right)$$

radiation zone

$$\vec{H} = \frac{k^2}{4\pi} (\hat{n} \times \vec{m}) \times \hat{n} \frac{e^{ikr}}{r}$$

$$\vec{E} = Z_0 \vec{H} \times \hat{n}$$

because of the reversal of  $\vec{E}$  and  $\vec{H}$ , the electric field is now perpendicular to the plane defined by  $\hat{n}$  and  $\vec{m}$ .

# Power



$$\frac{dP}{d\Omega} = \frac{1}{2} \operatorname{Re} \left[ r^2 \hat{n} \cdot \vec{E} \times \vec{H}^* \right]$$

$$\frac{dP}{d\Omega} = \frac{Z_0}{32\pi^2} k^4 \left| (\hat{n} \times \vec{m}) \times \hat{n} \right|^2$$

if all components of  $\vec{m}$  have the same phase

$$\frac{dP}{d\Omega} = \frac{Z_0}{32\pi^2} k^4 |\vec{m}|^2 \sin^2 \theta$$

# Electric Quadrupole Radiation

$$\frac{1}{2} \int [(\hat{n} \cdot \vec{x}') \vec{J} + (\hat{n} \cdot \vec{J}) \vec{x}'] d^3 \vec{x}' = \frac{-i\omega}{2} \int \vec{x}' (\hat{n} \cdot \vec{x}') \rho(\vec{x}') d^3 \vec{x}'$$

$$\vec{A}(\vec{x}) = -\frac{\mu_0 c k^2}{8\pi} \frac{e^{ikr}}{r} \left(1 - \frac{1}{ikr}\right) \int \vec{x}' (\hat{n} \cdot \vec{x}') \rho(\vec{x}') d^3 \vec{x}'$$

in radiation zone the expressions become

$$\vec{H} \approx ik\hat{n} \times \vec{A} / \mu_0 = -\frac{ick^3}{8\pi} \frac{e^{ikr}}{r} \int \hat{n} \times \vec{x}' (\hat{n} \cdot \vec{x}') \rho(\vec{x}') d^3 \vec{x}'$$

$$\vec{E} \approx ikZ_0 (\hat{n} \times \vec{A}) \times \hat{n} / \mu_0$$

Recall quadrupole moment tensor

$$Q_{ab} = \int (3x_a x_b - r^2 \delta_{ab}) \rho(\vec{x}) d^3 \vec{x}$$

$$\hat{n} \times \int \vec{x}' (\hat{n} \cdot \vec{x}') \rho(\vec{x}') d^3 \vec{x}' = \frac{1}{3} \hat{n} \times (Q \cdot \hat{n}) \quad (Q \cdot \hat{n})_a \equiv \sum_b Q_{ab} \hat{n}_b$$

# Radiation Pattern

$$\vec{H} = -\frac{ick^3}{24\pi} \frac{e^{ikr}}{r} \hat{n} \times (Q \cdot \hat{n})$$

$$\frac{dP}{d\Omega} = \frac{c^2 Z_0}{1152\pi^2} k^6 \left| (\hat{n} \times (Q \cdot \hat{n})) \times \hat{n} \right|^2$$

$$\left| (\hat{n} \times (Q \cdot \hat{n})) \times \hat{n} \right|^2 = Q^* \cdot Q - |\hat{n} \cdot Q|^2$$

angular integrals involve

$$\int n_a n_b d\Omega = \frac{4\pi}{3} \delta_{ab}$$

$$\int n_a n_b n_c n_d d\Omega = \frac{4\pi}{15} (\delta_{ab}\delta_{cd} + \delta_{ac}\delta_{bd} + \delta_{ad}\delta_{bc})$$

$$P = \frac{c^2 Z_0 k^6}{1440} \sum_{a,b} |Q_{ab}|^2$$

# Oscillating Spheroid



$$Q_{33} = Q_0, \quad Q_{11} = Q_{22} = -\frac{1}{2}Q_0$$

$$\frac{dP}{d\Omega} = \frac{c^2 Z_0 k^6}{512\pi^2} Q_0^2 \sin^2 \theta \cos^2 \theta$$

$$P = \frac{c^2 Z_0 k^6 Q_0^2}{960\pi}$$

# Spherical Waves

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$$\nabla^2 \Psi + k^2 \Psi = 0$$

$$\Psi = \sum_{l,m} f_{lm}(r) Y_{lm}(\theta, \phi)$$

$$\left[ \frac{d^2}{dr^2} + \frac{2}{r} \frac{d}{dr} + k^2 - \frac{l(l+1)}{r^2} \right] f_l(r) = 0$$

$$f_l(r) = \frac{1}{r^{1/2}} u_l(r)$$

$$\left[ \frac{d^2}{dr^2} + \frac{1}{r} \frac{d}{dr} + k^2 - \frac{(l+1/2)^2}{r^2} \right] f_l(r) = 0$$

solutions are Bessel Functions of order  $l + 1/2$