

Physics 704/804 Electromagnetic Theory II

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Applied to Spherical Harmonics



$$L_+ Y_{lm} = \sqrt{(l-m)(l+m+1)} Y_{lm}$$

$$L_- Y_{lm} = \sqrt{(l+m)(l-m+1)} Y_{lm}$$

$$L_z Y_{lm} = m Y_{lm}$$

$$\vec{L}^2 \vec{L} = \vec{L} L^2$$

$$\vec{L} \times \vec{L} = i \vec{L}$$

$$L_j \nabla^2 = \nabla^2 L_j$$

Vector Spherical Harmonics



$$\vec{X}_{lm} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{l(l+1)}} \vec{L} Y_{lm}(\theta, \phi)$$

$$\int \vec{X}_{l'm'}^* \cdot \vec{X}_{lm} d\Omega = \delta_{ll'} \delta_{mm'}$$

Did exercises in Chapter 12.11 of Arfken (3rd Edition) and obtained a lot of clarity

Show $\vec{X}_{lm} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{l(l+1)}} \vec{L} Y_{lm} =$

$$\hat{\theta} \left\{ \frac{-m}{\sqrt{l(l+1)} \sin \theta} Y_{lm} \right\} + \hat{\phi} \left\{ \frac{-i}{\sqrt{l(l+1)}} \frac{\partial Y_{lm}}{\partial \theta} \right\}$$

Verify the orthogonality relation

$$\int \vec{X}_{l'm'}^* \cdot \vec{X}_{lm} d\Omega = \delta_{ll'} \delta_{mm'}$$

Verify the sum rule

$$\sum_{m=-l}^l \left| \vec{X}_{lm}(\theta, \phi) \right|^2 = \frac{2l+1}{4\pi}$$

Show power for pure multipole formula from last time:

$$\frac{dP(l,m)}{d\Omega} = \frac{Z_0}{2k^2} |a(l,m)|^2 \left| \vec{X}_{lm} \right|^2$$

$$= \frac{Z_0}{2k^2 l(l+1)} |a(l,m)|^2 \left\{ \begin{aligned} & \frac{1}{2}(l-m)(l+m+1) \left| Y_{l,m+1} \right|^2 \\ & + \frac{1}{2}(l+m)(l-m+1) \left| Y_{l,m-1} \right|^2 + m^2 \left| Y_{l,m} \right|^2 \end{aligned} \right\}$$

Magnetic Multipole Field (TE)



$$\left(\vec{r} \cdot \vec{H}_{lm}^M \right) = \frac{l(l+1)}{k} g_l(kr) Y_{lm}(\theta, \phi)$$

$$\left(\vec{r} \cdot \vec{E}_{lm}^M \right) = 0$$

$$Z_0 k \vec{r} \cdot \vec{H} = \frac{1}{i} \vec{r} \cdot (\vec{\nabla} \times \vec{E}) = \frac{1}{i} (\vec{r} \times \vec{\nabla}) \cdot \vec{E} = L \cdot \vec{E}$$

$$\vec{L} \cdot \vec{E}_{lm}^M(r, \theta, \phi) = l(l+1) Z_0 g_l(r) Y_{lm}(\theta, \phi)$$

$$\vec{E}_{lm}^M = Z_0 g_l(r) \vec{L} Y_{lm}(\theta, \phi)$$

$$\vec{H}_{lm}^M = -\frac{i}{k Z_0} \vec{\nabla} \times \vec{E}_{lm}^M$$

General Solution



$$\vec{H} = \sum_{lm} \left[a_E(l, m) f_l(kr) \vec{X}_{lm} - \frac{i}{k} a_M(l, m) \vec{\nabla} \times g_l(kr) \vec{X}_{lm} \right]$$

$$\vec{E} = \sum_{lm} \left[\frac{i}{k} a_E(l, m) \vec{\nabla} \times f_l(kr) \vec{X}_{lm} + a_M(l, m) g_l(kr) \vec{X}_{lm} \right]$$

$$a_M(l, m) g_l(kr) = \frac{k}{\sqrt{l(l+1)}} \int Y_{lm}^* \vec{r} \cdot \vec{H} d\Omega$$

$$Z_0 a_M(l, m) g_l(kr) = - \frac{k}{\sqrt{l(l+1)}} \int Y_{lm}^* \vec{r} \cdot \vec{E} d\Omega$$

∴ knowledge at 2 different radii sufficient for complete knowledge of solution

Multipole Sources



$$\vec{\nabla} \cdot \frac{\vec{B}}{\mu} = 0$$

$$\vec{\nabla} \times \vec{E} - ikZ_0 \frac{\vec{B}}{\mu} = 0$$

$$\vec{\nabla} \cdot \vec{E} = \frac{\rho}{\epsilon_0}$$

$$\vec{\nabla} \times \frac{\vec{B}}{\mu_0} + ik\vec{E} / Z_0 = \vec{J} + \vec{\nabla} \times \vec{M}$$

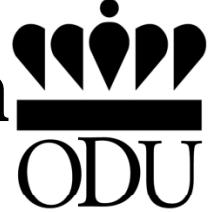
$$i\omega\rho = \vec{\nabla} \cdot \vec{J} \quad \vec{H}' = \frac{\vec{B}}{\mu_0} \quad \vec{E}' = \vec{E} + \frac{i}{\omega\epsilon_0} \vec{J}$$

$$\vec{\nabla} \cdot \vec{H}' = 0$$

$$\vec{\nabla} \times \vec{E} - ikZ_0 \frac{\vec{B}}{\mu} = \frac{i}{\omega\epsilon_0} \vec{\nabla} \times \vec{J}$$

equations are now like before

Inhomogeneous Helmholtz Equation



$$(\nabla^2 + k^2) \vec{r} \cdot \vec{H}' = -i \vec{L} \cdot (\vec{J} + \vec{\nabla} \times \vec{M})$$

$$(\nabla^2 + k^2) \vec{r} \cdot \vec{E}' = Z_0 k \vec{L} \cdot \left(\vec{M} + \frac{1}{k^2} \vec{\nabla} \times \vec{J} \right)$$

$$\vec{r} \cdot \vec{H}' = \frac{i}{4\pi} \int \frac{e^{ik|\vec{x}-\vec{x}'|}}{|\vec{x}-\vec{x}'|} \vec{L}' \cdot [\vec{J} + \vec{\nabla}' \times \vec{M}] d^3 \vec{x}'$$

$$\vec{r} \cdot \vec{E}' = -\frac{Z_0 k}{4\pi} \int \frac{e^{ik|\vec{x}-\vec{x}'|}}{|\vec{x}-\vec{x}'|} \vec{L}' \cdot \left[\vec{M} + \frac{1}{k^2} \vec{\nabla}' \times \vec{J} \right] d^3 \vec{x}'$$

$$\frac{1}{4\pi} \int d\Omega Y_{lm}^*(\theta, \phi) \frac{e^{ik|\vec{x}-\vec{x}'|}}{|\vec{x}-\vec{x}'|} = ik h_l^1(kr) j_l(kr') Y_{lm}^*(\theta, \phi)$$