

Lecture 6: electro-magnetic wave

- Electric potential in electro-dynamic
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- Energy stored in electro-magnetic field and Poynting's theorem.

Electric potential in electric-dynamic field

In stationary electric field, conservative E field: $\nabla \times \mathbf{E} = 0$ $V = \oint \mathbf{E} \cdot d\mathbf{l} = 0$

A scalar, magnetic potential, based on $\nabla \cdot \mathbf{B} = 0$

$$\mathbf{B} = \nabla \times \mathbf{A} \quad \text{Electro-dynamic field}$$

$$\nabla \times \mathbf{E} = -\frac{\partial \mathbf{B}}{\partial t} = -\frac{\partial}{\partial t}(\nabla \times \mathbf{A}) = \nabla \times \left(-\frac{\partial \mathbf{A}}{\partial t}\right) \implies \nabla \times \left(\mathbf{E} + \frac{\partial \mathbf{A}}{\partial t}\right) = 0$$

Stationary electric field:

$$\nabla \times \mathbf{E} = 0$$

$$\mathbf{E} = -\nabla V$$

Electro-dynamic field:

$$\nabla \times \left(\mathbf{E} + \frac{\partial \mathbf{A}}{\partial t}\right) = 0$$

$$\mathbf{E} + \frac{\partial \mathbf{A}}{\partial t} = -\nabla V$$

Maxwell's equations in vacuum

$$\begin{aligned}\nabla \cdot \mathbf{E} &= \rho/\epsilon \\ \nabla \times \mathbf{E} &= -\frac{\partial \mathbf{B}}{\partial t} \\ \nabla \cdot \mathbf{B} &= 0 \\ \nabla \times \mathbf{B} &= \mu \mathbf{J} + \frac{\mu \partial \mathbf{D}}{\partial t} = \mu \mathbf{J} + \frac{\mu \epsilon \partial \mathbf{E}}{\partial t}\end{aligned}$$

In vacuum

$$\begin{aligned}\nabla \cdot \mathbf{E} &= 0 \\ \nabla \times \mathbf{E} &= -\frac{\partial \mathbf{B}}{\partial t} \\ \nabla \cdot \mathbf{B} &= 0 \\ \nabla \times \mathbf{B} &= \mu_0 \epsilon_0 \frac{\partial \mathbf{E}}{\partial t}\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}\nabla \times (\nabla \times \mathbf{E}) &= -\frac{\partial}{\partial t} \nabla \times \mathbf{B} = -\mu_0 \epsilon_0 \frac{\partial^2 \mathbf{E}}{\partial t^2} \\ \nabla \times (\nabla \times \mathbf{B}) &= \mu_0 \epsilon_0 \frac{\partial}{\partial t} \nabla \times \mathbf{E} = -\mu_0 \epsilon_0 \frac{\partial^2 \mathbf{B}}{\partial t^2}\end{aligned}$$

Vector identity:

$$\nabla \times (\nabla \times \mathbf{V}) = \nabla (\nabla \cdot \mathbf{V}) - \nabla^2 \mathbf{V}$$

In vacuum

$$\begin{aligned}\nabla \cdot \mathbf{E} &= 0 \\ \nabla \cdot \mathbf{B} &= 0\end{aligned}$$

$$\nabla^2 \mathbf{V} = \nabla \cdot \nabla \mathbf{V} = \text{div}(\text{grad } \mathbf{V})$$

$$\frac{1}{c_0^2} \frac{\partial^2 \mathbf{E}}{\partial t^2} - \nabla^2 \mathbf{E} = \mathbf{0}$$

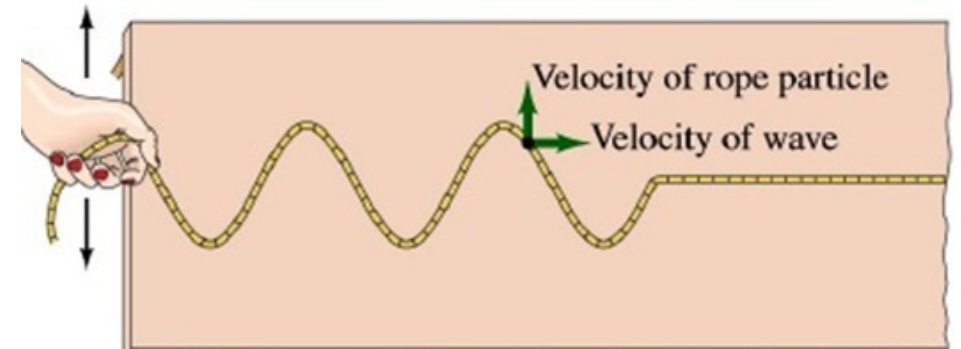
$$\frac{1}{c_0^2} \frac{\partial^2 \mathbf{B}}{\partial t^2} - \nabla^2 \mathbf{B} = \mathbf{0}$$

$$c_0 = \frac{1}{\sqrt{\mu_0 \epsilon_0}}$$

Typical wave equation in one dimension

The wave equation for a [plane wave](#) traveling in the x direction is

$$\nabla^2 \mathbf{E}(\mathbf{r}, t) - \frac{1}{c^2} \frac{\partial^2 \mathbf{E}(\mathbf{r}, t)}{\partial t^2} = 0$$



where v is the [phase velocity](#) of the wave and u represents the variable which is changing as the wave passes. This is the form of the wave equation which applies to a [stretched string](#).

$$\frac{\partial^2 E_y}{\partial x^2} = \epsilon_0 \mu_0 \frac{\partial^2 E_y}{\partial t^2}$$

$$c_0 = \frac{1}{\sqrt{\mu_0 \epsilon_0}} = 299,792,500 \text{ m/s}$$

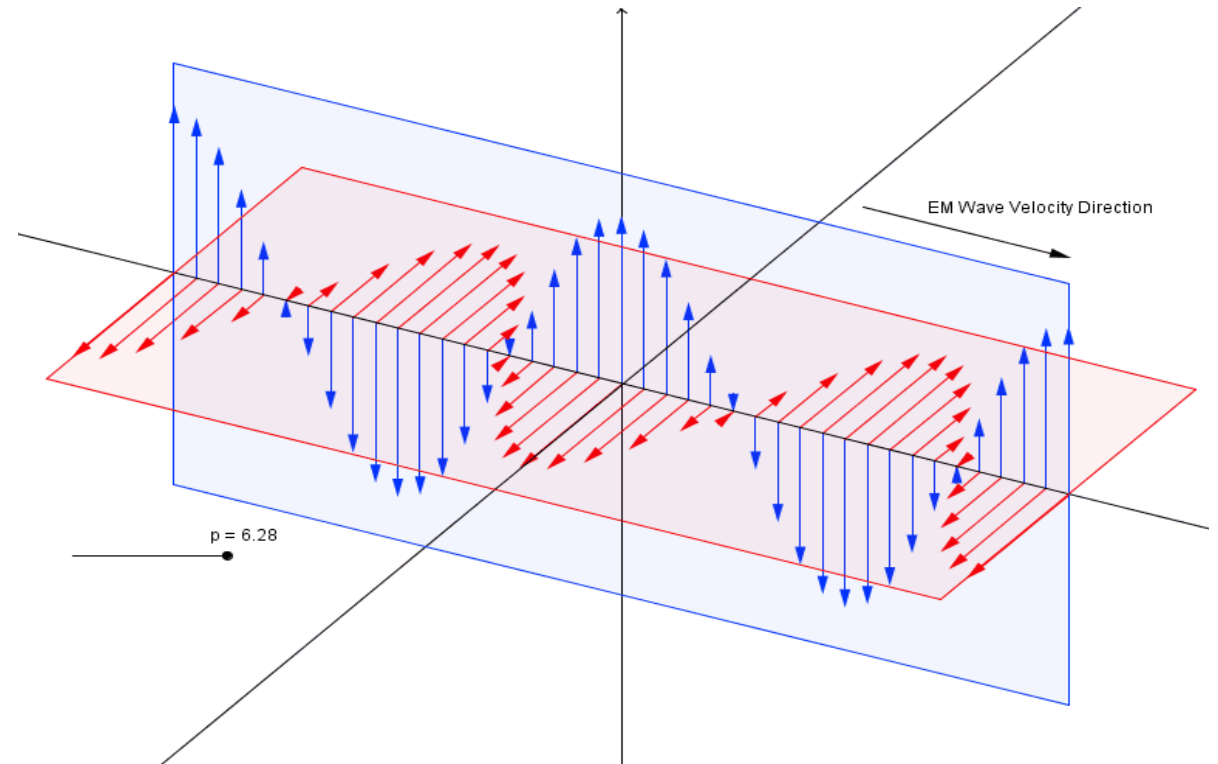
Electro-magnetic wave in 3D

$$\frac{1}{c_0^2} \frac{\partial^2 \mathbf{E}}{\partial t^2} - \nabla^2 \mathbf{E} = \mathbf{0}$$

$$\frac{1}{c_0^2} \frac{\partial^2 \mathbf{B}}{\partial t^2} - \nabla^2 \mathbf{B} = \mathbf{0}$$

Three dimension wave:

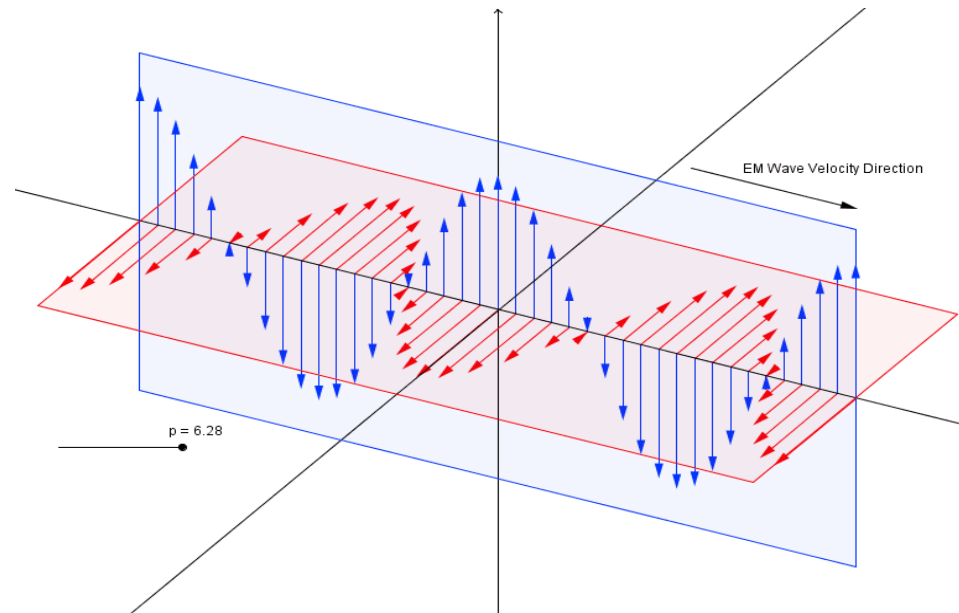
$$\frac{\partial^2 E}{\partial x^2} + \frac{\partial^2 E}{\partial y^2} + \frac{\partial^2 E}{\partial z^2} - \mu\epsilon \frac{\partial^2 E}{\partial t^2} = 0$$



$$c_0 = \frac{1}{\sqrt{\mu_0 \epsilon_0}} = 299,792,500 \text{ m/s}$$

Electro-magnetic radiation

Electromagnetic radiation consists of electromagnetic waves, which are synchronized oscillations of electric and magnetic fields that propagate at the speed of light through a vacuum. The oscillations of the two fields are perpendicular to each other and perpendicular to the direction of energy and wave propagation, forming a transverse wave.



Poynting's theorem: Power flow in electromagnetic fields

The energy transfer due to time-varying electric and magnetic fields is perpendicular to the fields

$$W = - \oint (\mathbf{E} \times \mathbf{H}) \cdot d\mathbf{s}$$

$$\oint_S \mathbf{A} \cdot d\mathbf{S} = \int_v \nabla \cdot \mathbf{A} dv$$

$$\nabla \times \mathbf{H} = \mathbf{J} + \frac{\partial \mathbf{D}}{\partial t}$$

$$\nabla \times \mathbf{E} = - \frac{\partial \mathbf{B}}{\partial t}$$

$$-\nabla \cdot (\mathbf{E} \times \mathbf{H}) = \mathbf{E} \cdot \nabla \times \mathbf{H} - \mathbf{H} \cdot \nabla \times \mathbf{E} = \mathbf{J} \cdot \mathbf{E} + \mathbf{E} \cdot \frac{\partial \mathbf{D}}{\partial t} + \mathbf{H} \cdot \frac{\partial \mathbf{B}}{\partial t}$$

$$\int_v \left(\mathbf{H} \cdot \frac{\partial \mathbf{B}}{\partial t} + \mathbf{E} \cdot \frac{\partial \mathbf{D}}{\partial t} + \mathbf{E} \cdot \mathbf{J} \right) dv = - \oint_S (\mathbf{E} \times \mathbf{H}) \cdot d\mathbf{s}$$

Either power loss or power required to accelerate charges

$$\frac{1}{2} \frac{\partial (\mathbf{B} \cdot \mathbf{H})}{\partial t} = \frac{1}{2} \frac{\partial (\mu \mathbf{H}^2)}{\partial t} = \mathbf{H} \cdot \frac{\partial \mathbf{B}}{\partial t}$$

$$\frac{1}{2} \frac{\partial (\mathbf{D} \cdot \mathbf{E})}{\partial t} = \frac{1}{2} \frac{\partial (\epsilon \mathbf{E}^2)}{\partial t} = \mathbf{E} \cdot \frac{\partial \mathbf{D}}{\partial t}$$

Energy density stored in magnetic field

Energy density stored in electric field

Example:

One conductor with DC current I_z , if R is the resistance per unit length.

Calculating the loss over the conductor in unit length.

$$E_z = I_z R$$

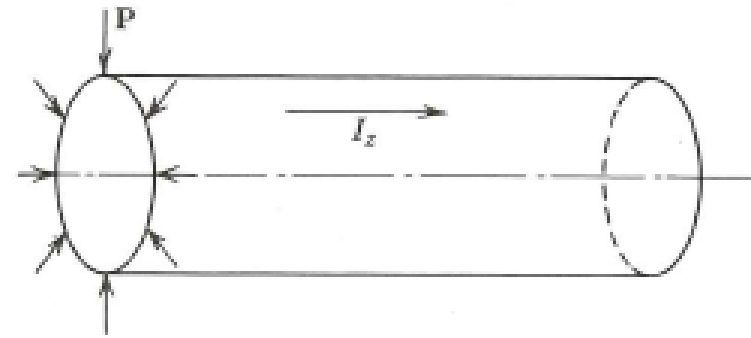
$$H_\phi = \frac{I_z}{2\pi r}$$

$$P_r = -E_z H_\phi = -\frac{RI_z^2}{2\pi r}$$

$$W = 2\pi r(-P_r) = I_z^2 R$$

P has no component normal to the end surfaces

Surface integral over the conductor



Poynting vector directed radially inward

Example:

$$\nabla \times \mathbf{E} = -\frac{\partial \mathbf{B}}{\partial t}, \quad (1)$$

$$\nabla \times \mathbf{H} = \mathbf{J} + \frac{\partial \mathbf{D}}{\partial t}, \quad (2)$$

$$\nabla \cdot \mathbf{D} = \rho, \quad (3)$$

$$\nabla \cdot \mathbf{B} = 0. \quad (4)$$

$$\int_v \nabla \cdot \mathbf{D} dv = \oint_S \mathbf{D} \cdot d\mathbf{S}$$

$$\oint_S \mathbf{D} \cdot d\mathbf{S} = \int_v \rho dv$$

Use (3) to show Gauss' law on integral form, i.e,

$$\oint_S \mathbf{D} \cdot d\mathbf{S} = Q_{\text{free in } S}.$$

Additionally find the field from a point charge Q located in the origin. Show that force acting on a small charge q with a distance r , is given by Coulomb's law:

$$\mathbf{F} = \frac{Qq}{4\pi\epsilon_0 r^2} \hat{\mathbf{r}},$$

where $\hat{\mathbf{r}}$ is a unit vector in the \mathbf{r} -direction.

$$\int_v \rho dv = Q = \oint_S \mathbf{D} \cdot d\mathbf{S} = \oint_S D dS = 4\pi r^2 D$$

$$\mathbf{E} = \frac{\mathbf{D}}{\epsilon_0} = \frac{Q}{4\pi\epsilon_0 r^2} \hat{\mathbf{r}}$$

$$\mathbf{F} = \frac{qQ}{4\pi\epsilon_0 r^2} \hat{\mathbf{r}}.$$

Example

Assume stationary conditions. Show that the scalar potential V in a linear, isotropic and homogeneous material satisfies Poisson's equation

$$\nabla^2 V = -\frac{\rho}{\epsilon}.$$

$$\mathbf{E} = -\nabla V$$

$$\nabla \cdot \mathbf{D} = \epsilon \nabla \cdot \mathbf{E} = \rho.$$

$$\epsilon \nabla \cdot (-\nabla V) = \rho,$$

$$\nabla^2 V = -\frac{\rho}{\epsilon_0}.$$

Summary

Maxwell's Equations:

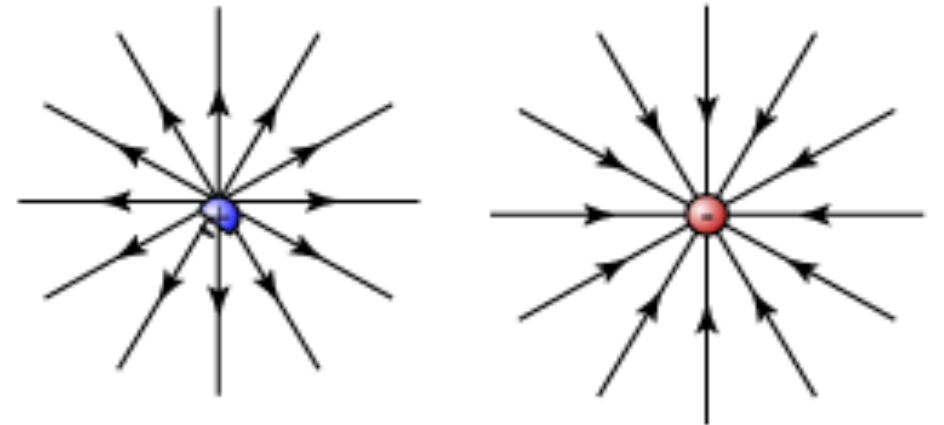
Name	Integral equations (SI convention)	Differential equations (SI convention)
Gauss's law	$\oiint_{\partial\Omega} \mathbf{D} \cdot d\mathbf{S} = \iiint_{\Omega} \rho_f dV$	$\nabla \cdot \mathbf{D} = \rho_f$
Ampère's circuital law (with Maxwell's addition)	$\oint_{\partial\Sigma} \mathbf{H} \cdot d\boldsymbol{\ell} = \iint_{\Sigma} \mathbf{J}_f \cdot d\mathbf{S} + \frac{d}{dt} \iint_{\Sigma} \mathbf{D} \cdot d\mathbf{S}$	$\nabla \times \mathbf{H} = \mathbf{J}_f + \frac{\partial \mathbf{D}}{\partial t}$
Gauss's law for magnetism	$\oiint_{\partial\Omega} \mathbf{B} \cdot d\mathbf{S} = 0$	$\nabla \cdot \mathbf{B} = 0$
Maxwell–Faraday equation (Faraday's law of induction)	$\oint_{\partial\Sigma} \mathbf{E} \cdot d\boldsymbol{\ell} = -\frac{d}{dt} \iint_{\Sigma} \mathbf{B} \cdot d\mathbf{S}$	$\nabla \times \mathbf{E} = -\frac{\partial \mathbf{B}}{\partial t}$

Electric field produced by charges

Electric field: $\vec{E} = \frac{Q}{4\pi\epsilon_0 r^2} \hat{r}$ in vacuum

Electric displacement field \mathbf{D} and $\mathbf{D} = \epsilon_0 \mathbf{E}$.

Coulomb's law: $\vec{F} = \frac{qQ}{4\pi\epsilon_0 r^2} \hat{r}$



Field pattern of
a pointed electrode

Operators

$$\nabla = \frac{\partial}{\partial x} \hat{\mathbf{x}} + \frac{\partial}{\partial y} \hat{\mathbf{y}} + \frac{\partial}{\partial z} \hat{\mathbf{z}}$$

$$\nabla D = \frac{\partial D}{\partial x} \hat{\mathbf{x}} + \frac{\partial D}{\partial y} \hat{\mathbf{y}} + \frac{\partial D}{\partial z} \hat{\mathbf{z}}$$

$$\nabla \cdot \mathbf{F} = \frac{\partial F_x}{\partial x} + \frac{\partial F_y}{\partial y} + \frac{\partial F_z}{\partial z}$$

$$\nabla \times \mathbf{A} = \left(\frac{\partial A_z}{\partial y} - \frac{\partial A_y}{\partial z} \right) \hat{\mathbf{x}} + \left(\frac{\partial A_x}{\partial z} - \frac{\partial A_z}{\partial x} \right) \hat{\mathbf{y}} + \left(\frac{\partial A_y}{\partial x} - \frac{\partial A_x}{\partial y} \right) \hat{\mathbf{z}}$$

$$\nabla^2 D = \nabla \cdot \nabla D = \frac{\partial^2 D}{\partial x^2} + \frac{\partial^2 D}{\partial y^2} + \frac{\partial^2 D}{\partial z^2}$$

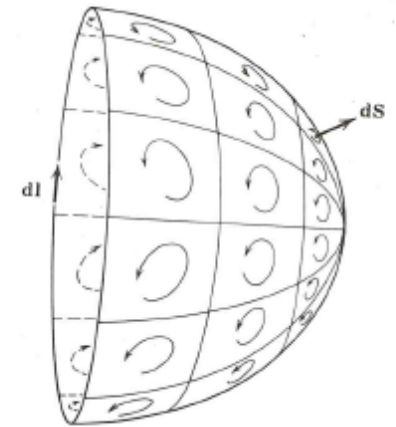
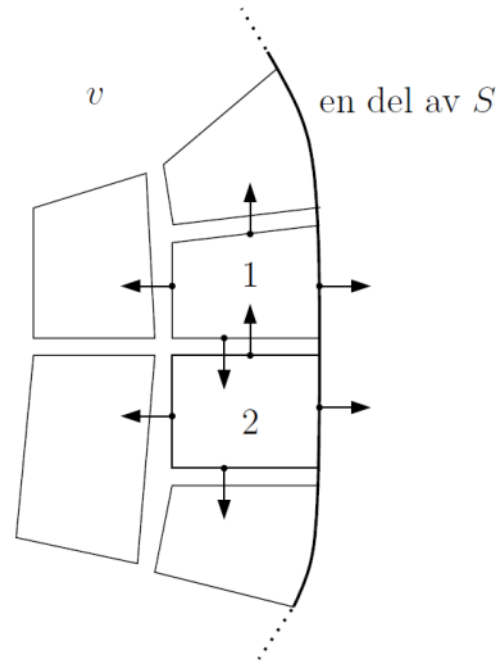
Vector identity:

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Divergence theorem and Stokes' theorem

$$\oint_S \mathbf{A} \cdot d\mathbf{S} = \int_v \nabla \cdot \mathbf{A} dv$$

$$\oint_C \mathbf{A} \cdot d\mathbf{l} = \int_S \nabla \times \mathbf{A} \cdot d\mathbf{S}$$



Electric field and potential (voltage)

- Potential is a scalar.
- $V = - \int \mathbf{E} \cdot d\mathbf{l}$

$$\boxed{\mathbf{E} = -\nabla V, \text{ V/m}} \quad \nabla V \equiv \text{grad} V$$

Poisson equation

Inserting $\mathbf{E} = -\nabla V$ into Maxwell's equation $\nabla \cdot \mathbf{E} = \rho/\epsilon_0$ gives

$$-\nabla \cdot (\nabla V) = \frac{\rho}{\epsilon_0},$$

which gives

$$\nabla^2 V = -\frac{\rho}{\epsilon_0}.$$

Gauss's law

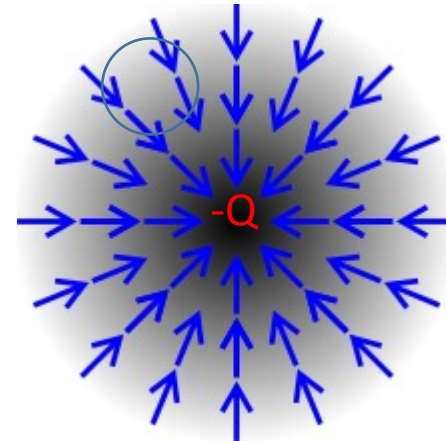
Electric flux flowing out of a closed surface = Enclosed total charges **divided by the permittivity**

Gauss's law

$$\nabla \cdot \mathbf{E} = \frac{\rho}{\epsilon}$$

$$\nabla \cdot \mathbf{D} = \rho$$

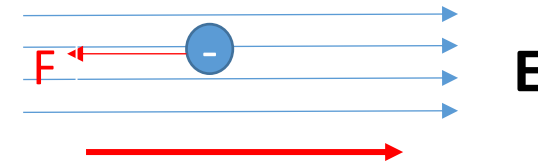
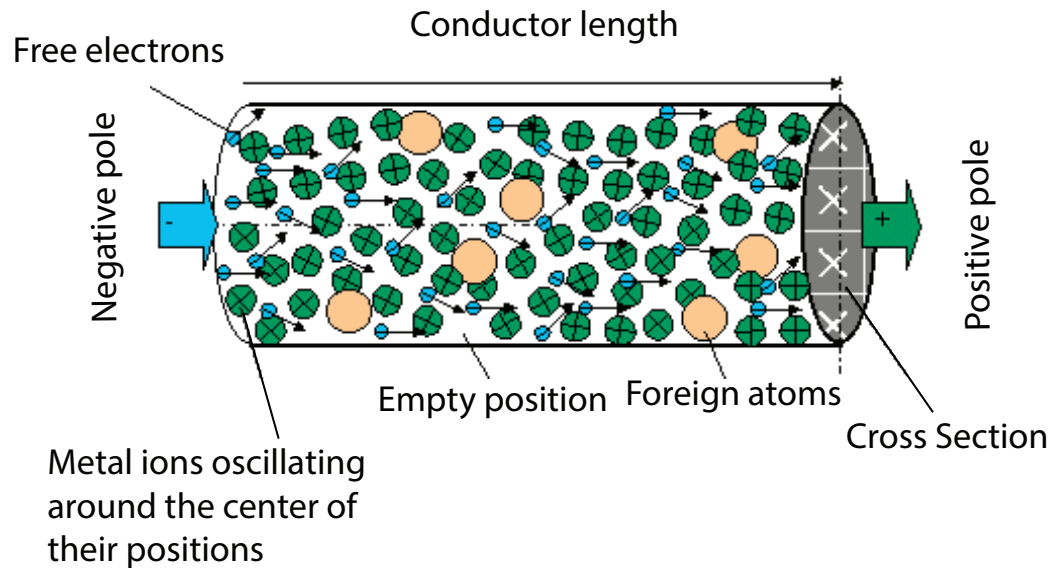
$$\mathbf{D} = \epsilon \mathbf{E}$$



$$\oint \mathbf{E} d\mathbf{s} = \oint \frac{-Q}{4\pi r^2 \epsilon_0} d\mathbf{s} = \frac{-Q}{\epsilon_0}$$

Current and electric field

Free charges move along electric field direction



$$\vec{J} = \sigma \vec{E}$$
$$\vec{F} = q \vec{E}$$

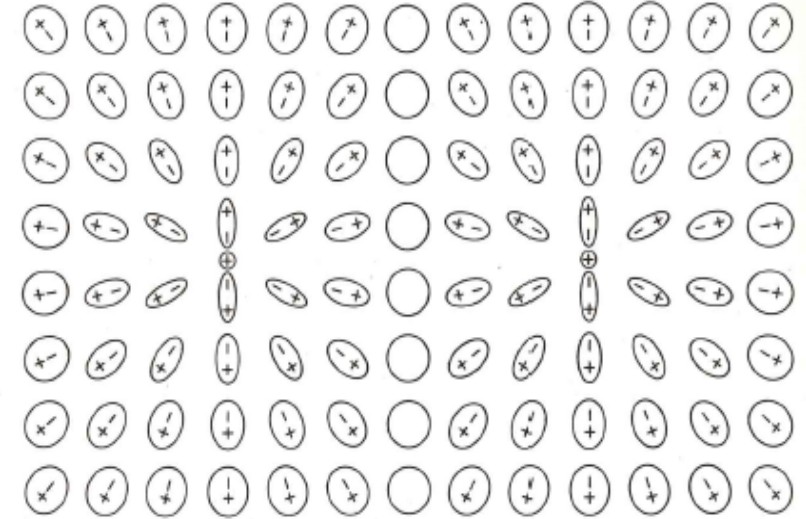
Ohm's law

Electric polarization and material permittivity

The influence of electric polarization: $\mathbf{D} = \varepsilon_0 \mathbf{E} + \mathbf{P}$

- $\mathbf{D} = \varepsilon_0 \mathbf{E} + \mathbf{P}$
- $\mathbf{P} = \varepsilon_0 \chi_e \mathbf{E}$
- $\mathbf{D} = \varepsilon_0 \mathbf{E} + \varepsilon_0 \chi_e \mathbf{E} = (1 + \chi_e) \varepsilon_0 \mathbf{E}$

- $(1 + \chi_e) = \varepsilon_r$ relative permittivity
- $\varepsilon = \varepsilon_r \varepsilon_0$ electric permittivity (dielectric material property)

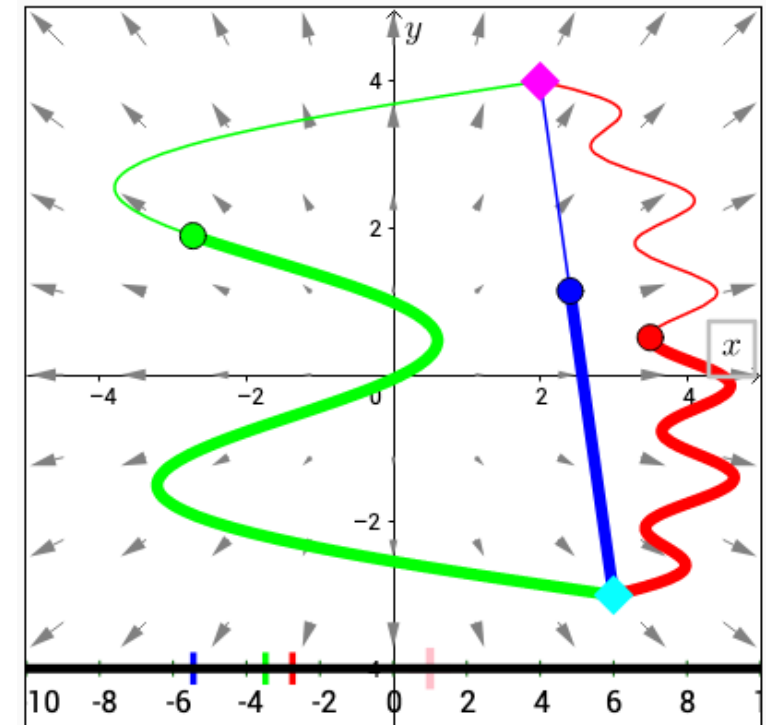
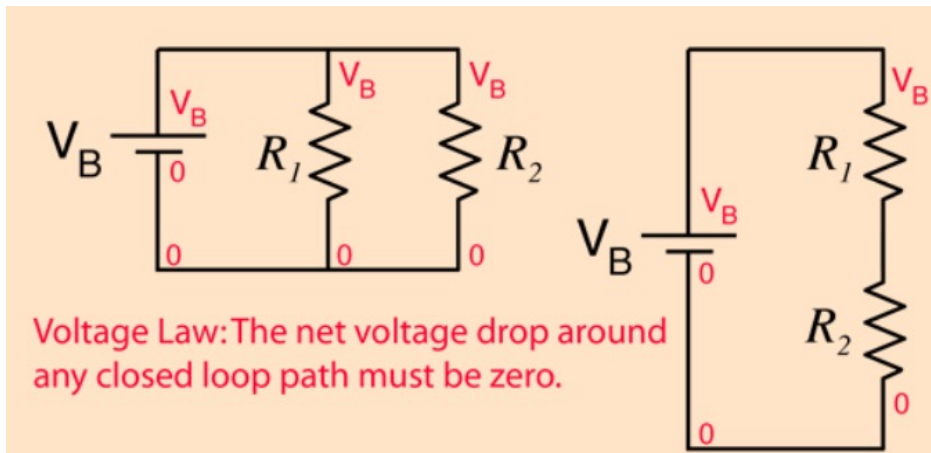


Conservative vector field: stationary electric field

Stationary Electric field is a conservative vector.

- Conservative vector fields have the property that the line integral is path independent.
- A conservative vector field is also irrotational. In three dimensions, it has vanishing curl. $\nabla \times \mathbf{E} = 0$.

- $V = - \oint_C \mathbf{E} \cdot d\mathbf{l} = 0$



Boundary conditions in electrostatics

Electric field involves more than one materials

$$D_{n1} \Delta S - D_{n2} \Delta S = \rho_s \Delta S$$

Gauss's law:

$$D_{n1} - D_{n2} = \rho_s$$

Conservative field : electrostatic electric field

$$\oint \mathbf{E} \cdot d\mathbf{l} = E_{t1} \Delta l - E_{t2} \Delta l = 0$$

$$E_{t1} = E_{t2}$$

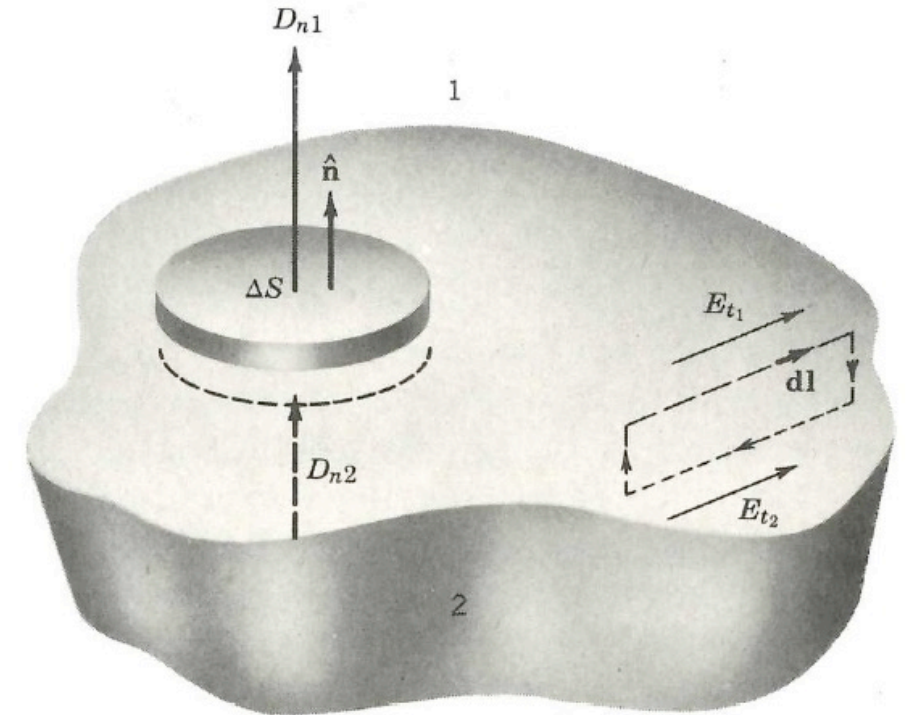
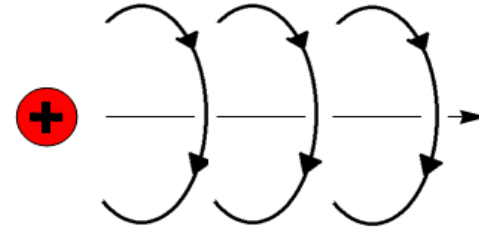


Fig. 1.14a Boundary between two different media.

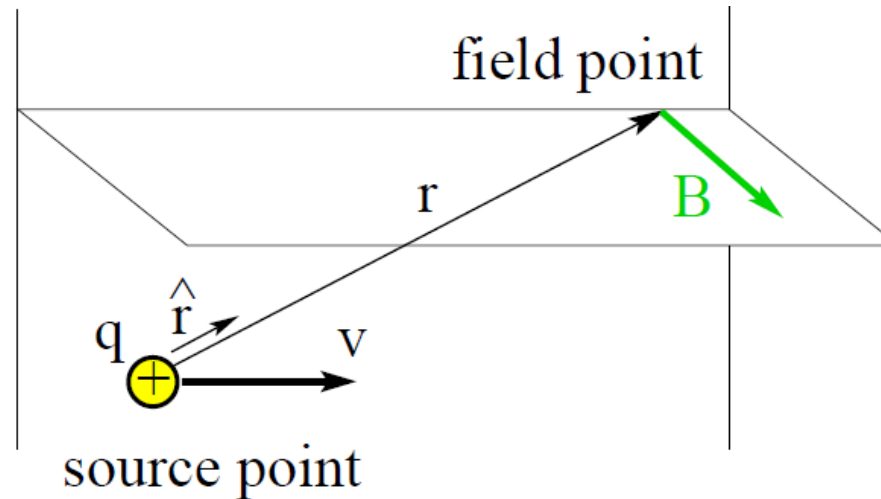
Charges in motion

Charges in *motion* (electrical current) produce a magnetic field .

$$\mathbf{B} = \frac{\mu_0}{4\pi} \frac{q\mathbf{v} \times \hat{\mathbf{r}}}{r^2}$$



$$\mathbf{H} = \frac{1}{4\pi} \frac{q\mathbf{v} \times \hat{\mathbf{r}}}{r^2} = \frac{\mathbf{B}}{\mu_0}$$



Electro-magnetic force

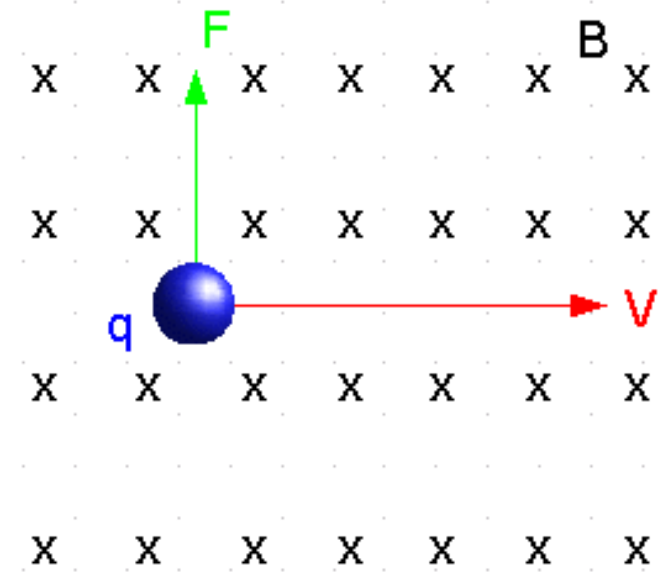
Force exerted by magnetic field \mathbf{B} on a moving point charge Q is:

Lorentz law

$$\mathbf{F} = q\mathbf{E} + q(\mathbf{v} \times \mathbf{B})$$

$$\mathbf{F} = Q \mathbf{v} \times \mathbf{B}$$

Magnetic force acting on a moving charge is always perpendicular to its moving direction, so magnetic force does not work on the charges, but changing the charges' moving direction



Magnetostatic: Ampere's law and Kirchhoff's law

At magnetostatic: No change of electric field involved, $\frac{\partial D}{\partial t} = 0$

Ampere's law

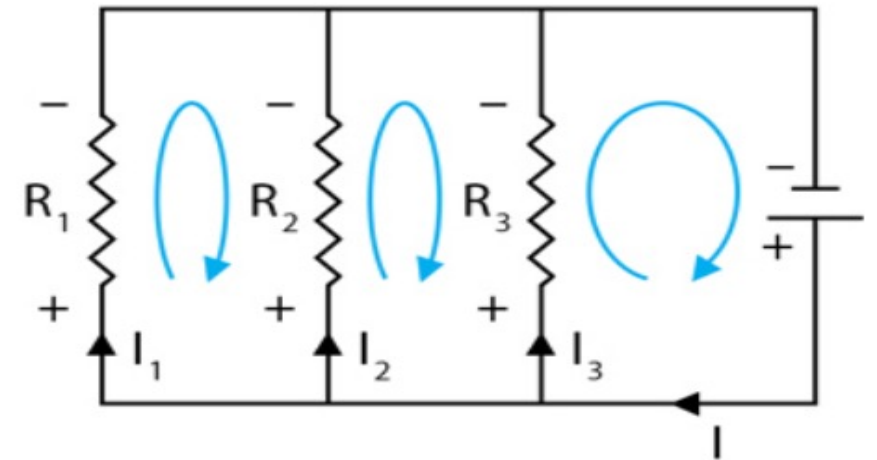
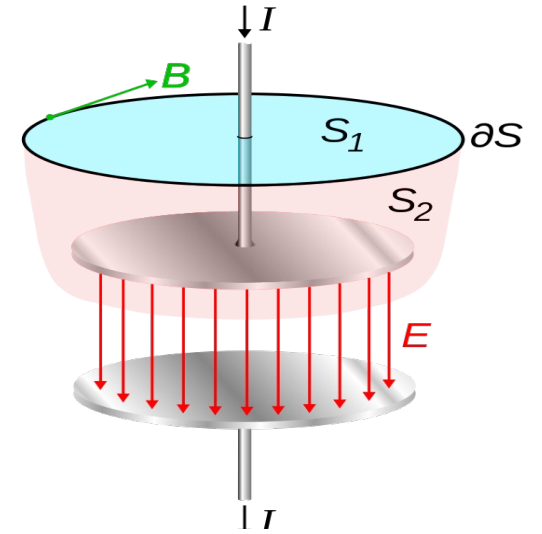
The integral of magnetic field around a closed curve is equal to the total electric current enclosed by the loop

$$\nabla \times \mathbf{H} = \mathbf{J} \qquad \nabla \times \mathbf{H} = \frac{\partial \mathbf{D}}{\partial t} + \mathbf{J}$$

Kirchhoff's Law

At any point in an electric circuit, the sum of the current is zero.

$$\oint_S \mathbf{J} \cdot d\mathbf{S} = 0.$$



$$I = I_1 + I_2 + I_3$$

Magnetization and material permeability

Magnetic field in material:

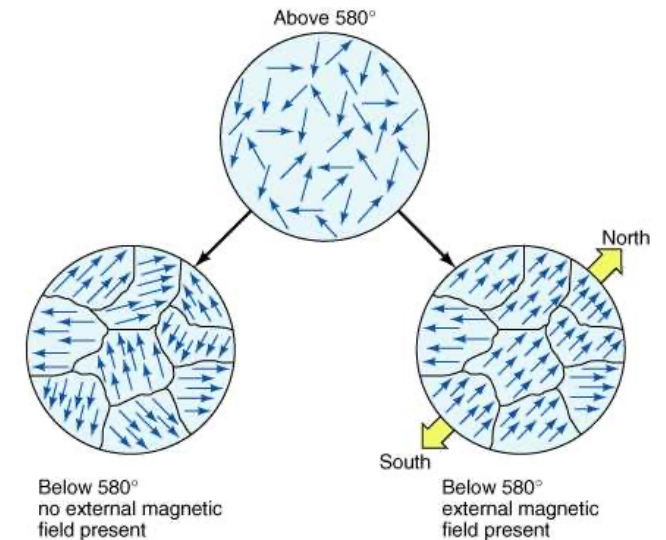
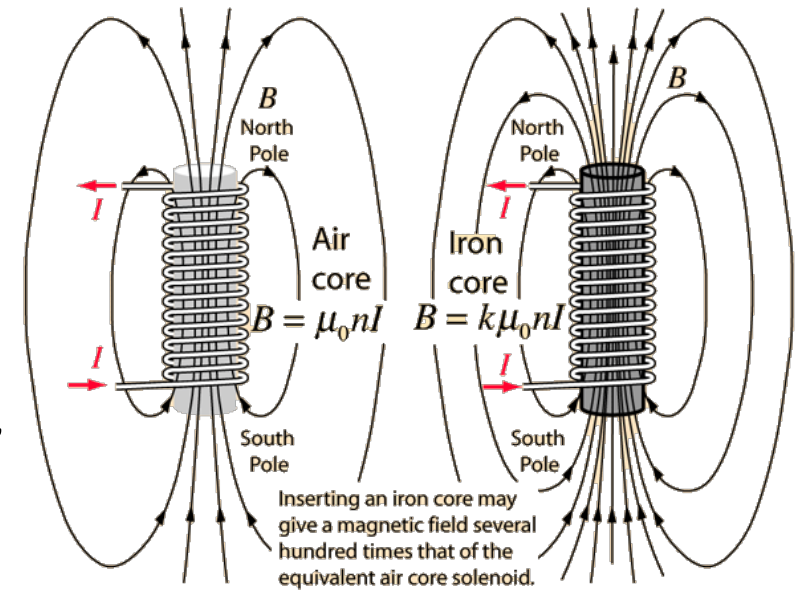
$$\mathbf{B} = \mu_0 \mathbf{H} \text{ in vacuum}$$

Once there is magnetic field applied to medium, the electronic spin motions in the atoms can be thought of as circulating current that produce a field \mathbf{M} , magnetization, which adds to magnetic field \mathbf{H} .

$$\mathbf{B} = \mu_0 (\mathbf{H} + \mathbf{M})$$

Magnetic susceptibility χ_m is used to quantify the additional field \mathbf{M} .

$$\mathbf{B} = \mu_0 (1 + \chi_m) \mathbf{H} = \mu \mathbf{H} = \mu_0 \mu_r \mathbf{H}$$



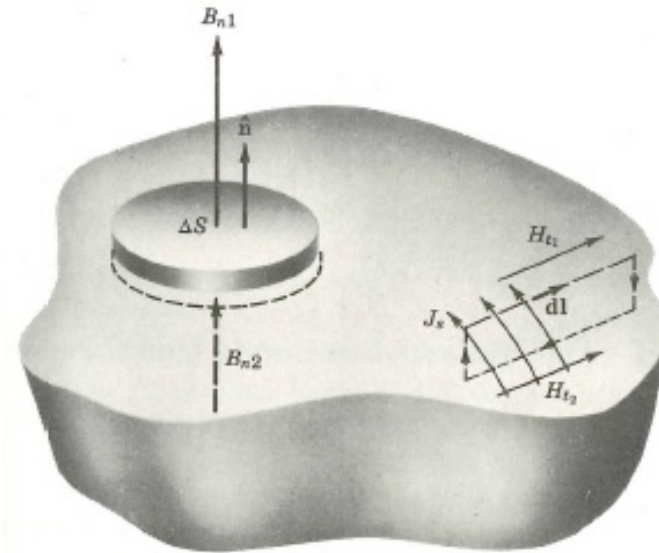
Boundary condition for static magnetic field

$$B_{n1} \Delta S = B_{n2} \Delta S$$

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$$\oint \mathbf{H} \cdot d\mathbf{l} = H_{t1} \Delta l - H_{t2} \Delta l = J_s \Delta l$$

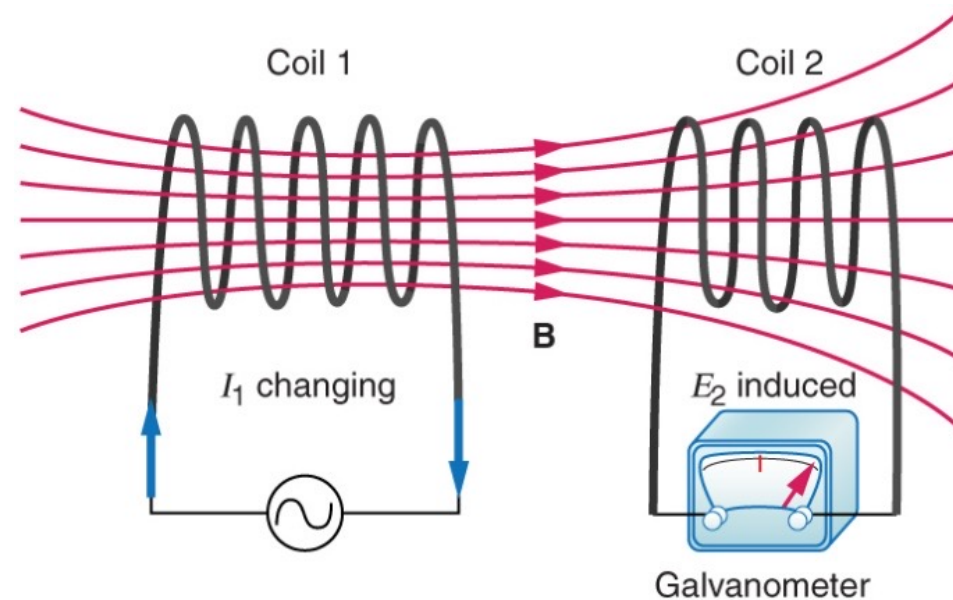
$$H_{t1} - H_{t2} = J_s$$



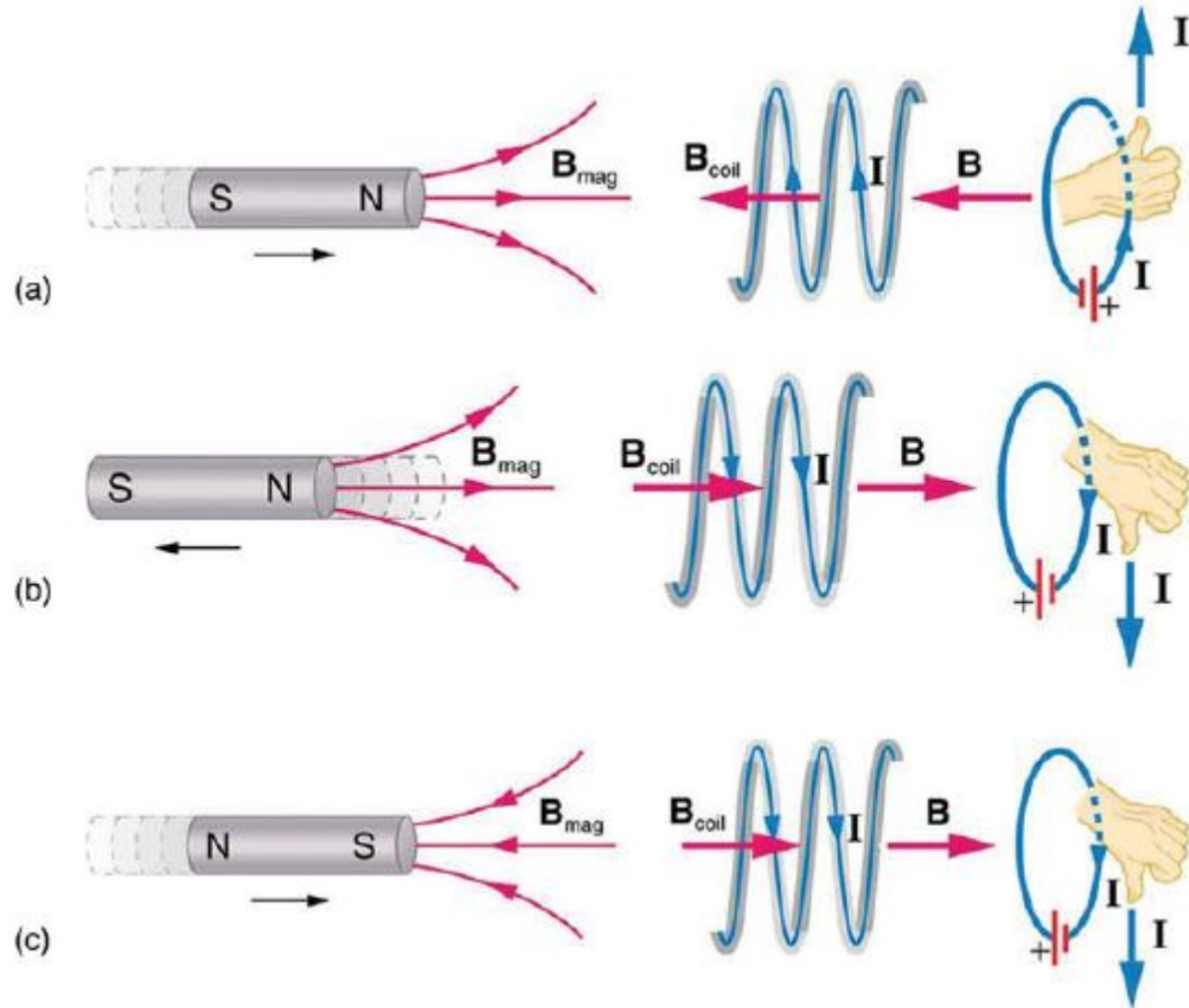
Faraday's law

$$\varepsilon = -\frac{d\phi}{dt} \quad \text{Faraday's law, } \phi = \int_s \mathbf{B} \cdot d\mathbf{S} \quad \text{is the magnetic flux.}$$

$$\nabla \times \mathbf{E} = -\frac{\partial \mathbf{B}}{\partial t}$$



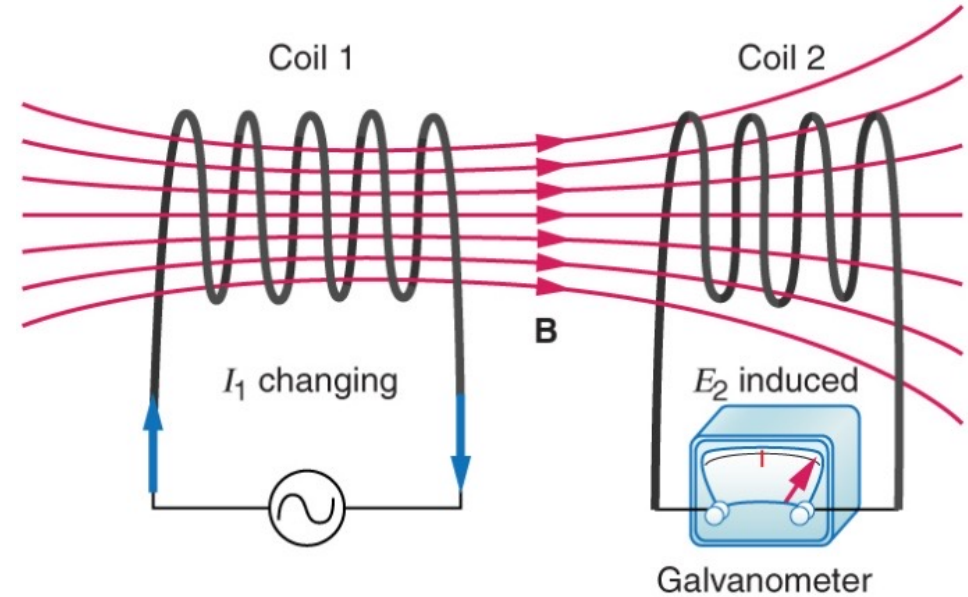
Lenz's law



Energy stored in inductance

$$L = \frac{\int_S \mathbf{B} \cdot d\mathbf{S}}{I}$$

$$P = \int_0^I LI \frac{dI}{dt} dt = \int_0^I LI dI = \frac{1}{2} LI^2$$



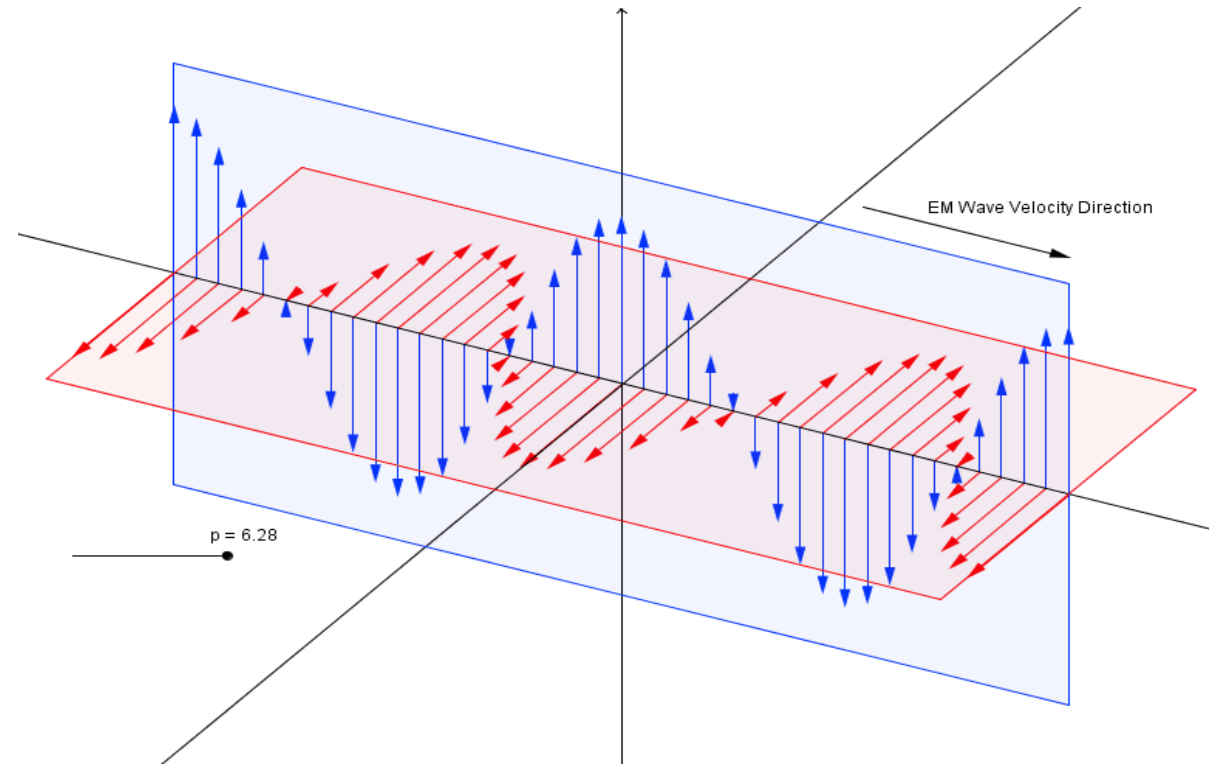
Electro-magnetic wave in 3D

$$\frac{1}{c_0^2} \frac{\partial^2 \mathbf{E}}{\partial t^2} - \nabla^2 \mathbf{E} = \mathbf{0}$$

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Three dimension wave:

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$$\int_v \left(\mathbf{H} \cdot \frac{\partial \mathbf{B}}{\partial t} + \mathbf{E} \cdot \frac{\partial \mathbf{D}}{\partial t} + \mathbf{E} \cdot \mathbf{J} \right) dv = - \oint_s (\mathbf{E} \times \mathbf{H}) \cdot d\mathbf{s}$$

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Energy density stored in magnetic field

Energy density stored in electric field

Maxwell's equations

$$\begin{aligned}\nabla \cdot \mathbf{D} &= \rho \\ \nabla \times \mathbf{E} &= -\frac{\partial \mathbf{B}}{\partial t} \\ \nabla \cdot \mathbf{H} &= 0 \\ \nabla \times \mathbf{H} &= \mathbf{J} + \frac{\partial \mathbf{D}}{\partial t}\end{aligned}$$

$$\mathbf{B} = \mu \mathbf{H}$$

$$\mathbf{D} = \epsilon \mathbf{E}$$

$$\mathbf{J} = \sigma \mathbf{E}$$

Lorentz law

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Thank you!