

# Short Introduction to (Classical) Electromagnetic Theory ( .. and applications to accelerators)

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# OUTLINE

- **Reminder of some mathematics,  
see also lecture R. Steerenberg**
- **Basic electromagnetic phenomena**
- **Maxwell's equations**
- **Lorentz force**
- **Motion of particles in electromagnetic fields**
- **Electromagnetic waves in vacuum**
- **Electromagnetic waves in conducting media**
  - **Waves in RF cavities**
  - **Waves in wave guides**

# Reading Material

- (1) J.D. Jackson, *Classical Electrodynamics* (Wiley, 1998 ..)
- (2) L. Landau, E. Lifschitz, *Klassische Feldtheorie*, Vol2. (Harri Deutsch, 1997)
- (3) W. Greiner, *Classical Electrodynamics*, (Springer, February, 22nd, 2009)
- (4) J. Slater, N. Frank, *Electromagnetism*, (McGraw-Hill, 1947, and Dover Books, 1970)
- (5) R.P. Feynman, *Feynman lectures on Physics*, Vol2.

For many details and derivations: (1) and (2)



## Variables and units used in this lecture

Formulae use SI units throughout.

$\vec{E}$  = electric field [V/m]

$\vec{H}$  = magnetic field [A/m]

$\vec{D}$  = electric displacement [C/m<sup>2</sup>]

$\vec{B}$  = magnetic flux density [T]

$q$  = electric charge [C]

$\rho$  = electric charge density [C/m<sup>3</sup>]

$\vec{j}$  = current density [A/m<sup>2</sup>]

$\mu_0$  = permeability of vacuum,  $4 \pi \cdot 10^{-7}$  [H/m or N/A<sup>2</sup>]

$\epsilon_0$  = permittivity of vacuum,  $8.854 \cdot 10^{-12}$  [F/m]

$c$  = speed of light,  $2.99792458 \cdot 10^8$  [m/s]



 **Scalar** and **vector** fields

Electric phenomena:  $\vec{E}$ ,  $\vec{D}$  and  $\Phi$

Magnetic phenomena:  $\vec{H}$ ,  $\vec{B}$  and  $\vec{A}$

→ Need to know how to calculate with vectors (see lecture by R. Steerenberg)

- Scalar and vector products
- Vector calculus

## Vector calculus ...

We can define a special vector  $\nabla$  (sometimes written as  $\vec{\nabla}$ ):

$$\nabla = \left( \frac{\partial}{\partial x}, \frac{\partial}{\partial y}, \frac{\partial}{\partial z} \right)$$

It is called the "gradient" and invokes "partial derivatives".

It can operate on a scalar function  $\phi(x, y, z)$ :

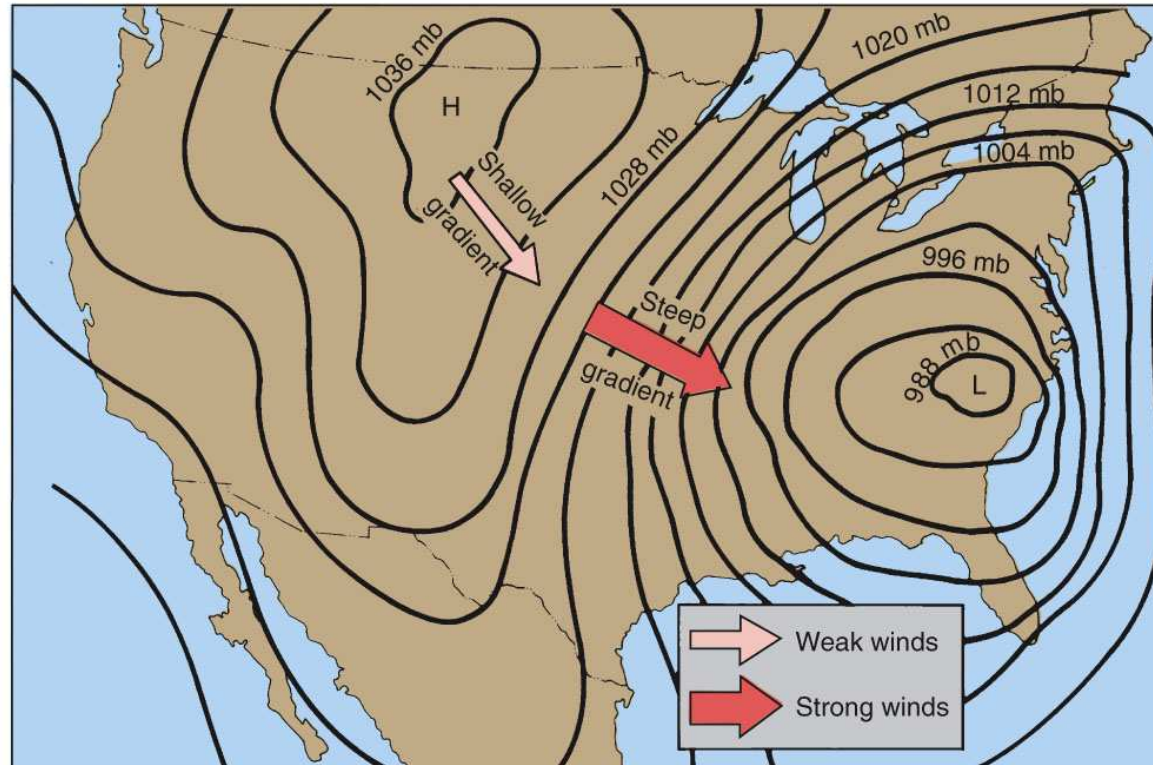
$$\nabla\phi = \left( \frac{\partial\phi}{\partial x}, \frac{\partial\phi}{\partial y}, \frac{\partial\phi}{\partial z} \right) = \vec{G} = (G_x, G_y, G_z)$$

and we get a vector  $\vec{G}$ . It is a kind of "slope" (steepness ..) in the 3 directions.

**Example:**  $\phi(x, y, z) = C \cdot \ln(r^2)$  with  $r = \sqrt{x^2 + y^2 + z^2}$

→  $\nabla\phi = (G_x, G_y, G_z) = \left( \frac{2C \cdot x}{r^2}, \frac{2C \cdot y}{r^2}, \frac{2C \cdot z}{r^2} \right)$

## Gradient (slope) of a scalar field



Lines of pressure (isobars)

Gradient is large (steep) where lines are close (fast change of pressure)

## Vector calculus ...

The gradient  $\nabla$  can be used as scalar or vector product with a vector  $\vec{F}$ , sometimes written as  $\vec{\nabla}$

Used as:

$$\nabla \cdot \vec{F} \quad \text{or} \quad \nabla \times \vec{F}$$

Same definition for products as before,  $\nabla$  treated like a "normal" vector, but results depends on how they are applied:

$\nabla \cdot \Phi$  is a vector

$\nabla \cdot \vec{F}$  is a scalar

$\nabla \times \vec{F}$  is a vector



# Operations on vector fields ...

Two operations of  $\nabla$  have special names:

Divergence (scalar product of gradient with a vector):

$$\operatorname{div}(\vec{F}) = \nabla \cdot \vec{F} = \frac{\partial F_1}{\partial x} + \frac{\partial F_2}{\partial y} + \frac{\partial F_3}{\partial z}$$

Physical significance: "amount of density", (see later)

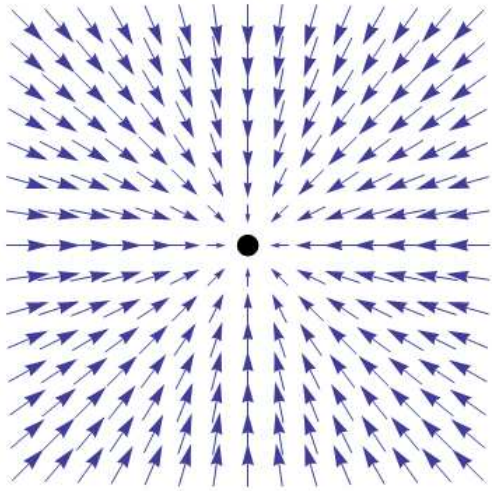
Curl (vector product of gradient with a vector):

$$\operatorname{curl}(\vec{F}) = \nabla \times \vec{F} = \left( \frac{\partial F_3}{\partial y} - \frac{\partial F_2}{\partial z}, \frac{\partial F_1}{\partial z} - \frac{\partial F_3}{\partial x}, \frac{\partial F_2}{\partial x} - \frac{\partial F_1}{\partial y} \right)$$

Physical significance: "amount of rotation", (see later)

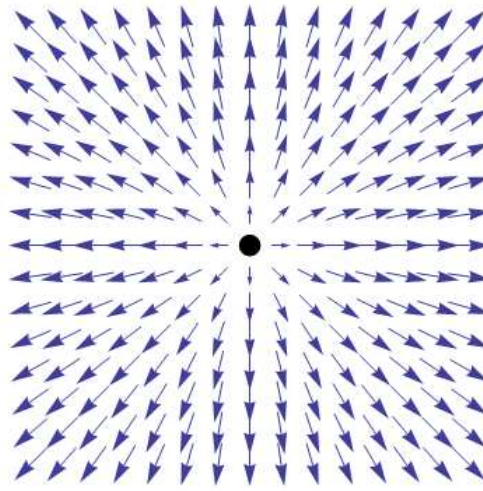
## Meaning of Divergence of fields ...

Field lines of a vector field  $\vec{F}$  seen from some origin:



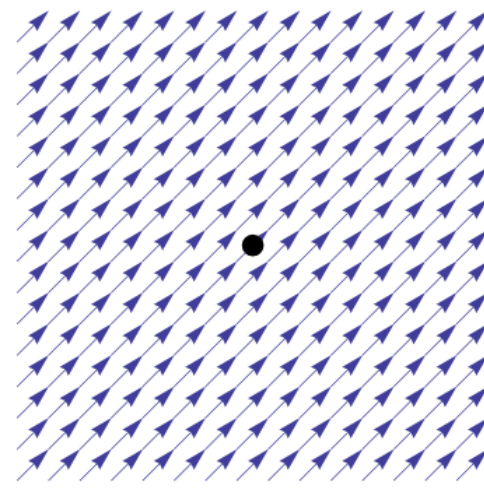
$$\nabla \vec{F} < 0$$

(sink)



$$\nabla \vec{F} > 0$$

(source)

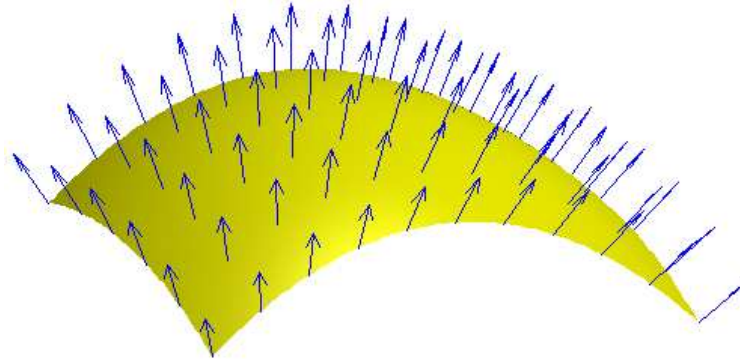


$$\nabla \vec{F} = 0$$

(fluid)

The divergence (scalar, a single number) characterizes what comes from (or goes to) the origin

# How much comes out ?



**Surface integrals:** integrate field vectors passing (perpendicular) through a surface  $S$  (or area  $A$ ), we obtain the **Flux**:

$$\rightarrow \int \int_A \vec{F} \cdot d\vec{A}$$

Density of field lines through the surface

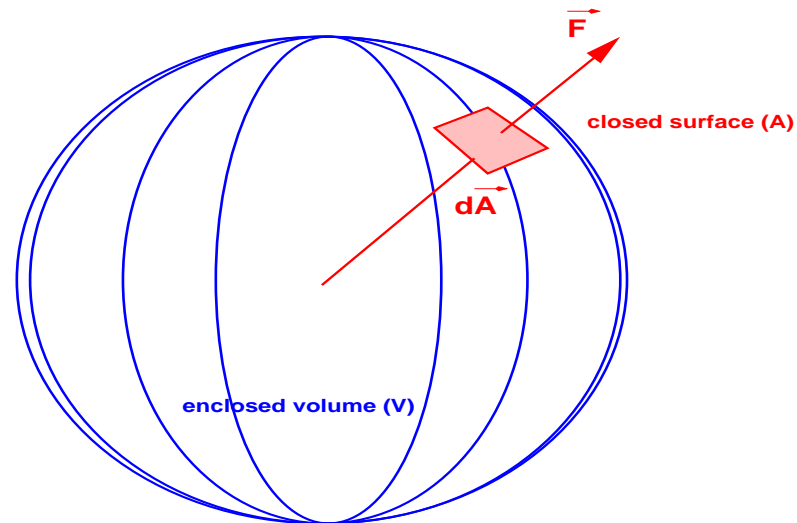
(e.g. amount of heat passing through a surface)

# Surface integrals made easier ...

Gauss' Theorem:

Integral through a **closed** surface (flux) is integral of divergence in the enclosed volume

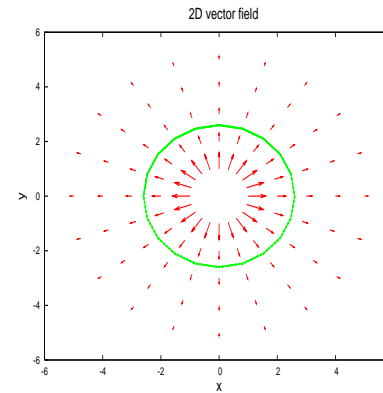
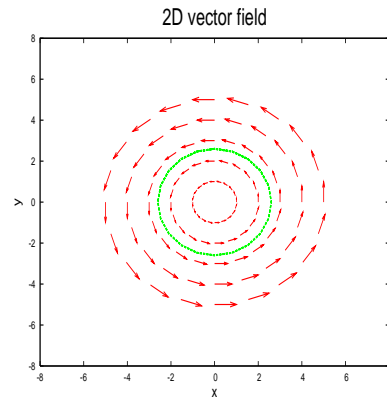
$$\int \int_A \vec{F} \cdot d\vec{A} = \int \int \int_V \nabla \cdot \vec{F} \cdot dV$$



Relates surface integral to divergence

# Meaning of curl of fields

The curl quantifies a rotation of vectors:



**Line integrals:** integrate field vectors along a line **C**:

$$\rightarrow \oint_C \vec{F} \cdot d\vec{r}$$

”sum up” vectors (length) in direction of line **C**

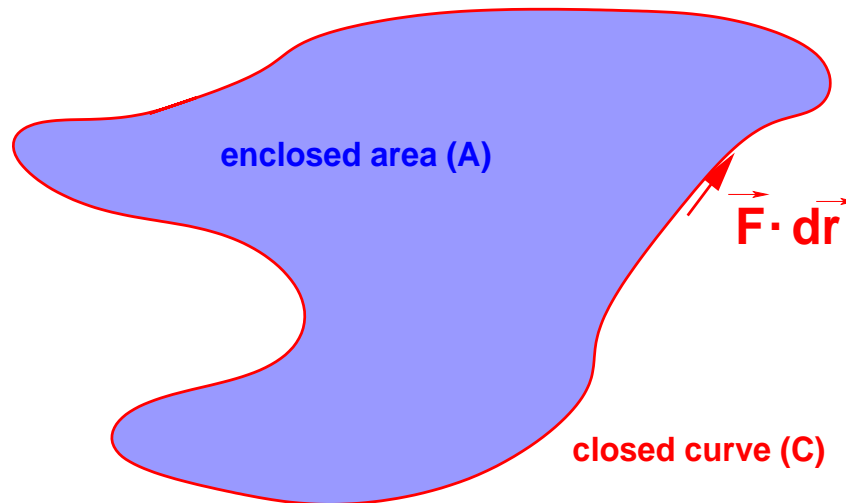
(e.g. work performed along a path ...)

## Line integrals made easier ...

Stokes' Theorem:

Integral along a **closed** line is integral of curl in the enclosed area

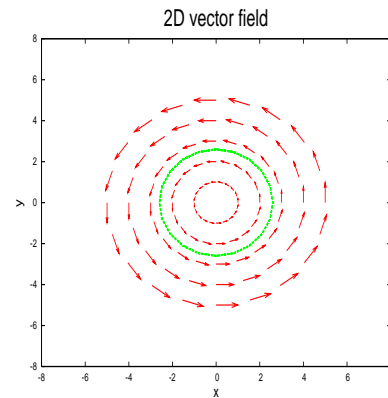
$$\oint_C \vec{F} \cdot d\vec{r} = \int \int_A \nabla \times \vec{F} \cdot d\vec{A}$$



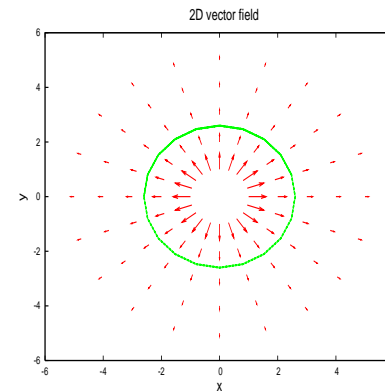
Relates line integral to curl

# Integration of (vector-) fields

Two vector fields:



$$\nabla \vec{F} = 0 \quad \nabla \times \vec{F} \neq 0$$



$$\nabla \vec{F} \neq 0 \quad \nabla \times \vec{F} = 0$$

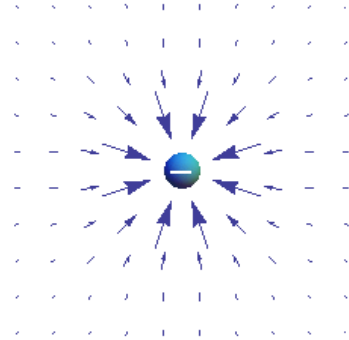
$$\oint_C \vec{F} \cdot d\vec{r} = \int \int_A \nabla \times \vec{F} \cdot d\vec{A}$$

Line integral for second vector field vanishes ...

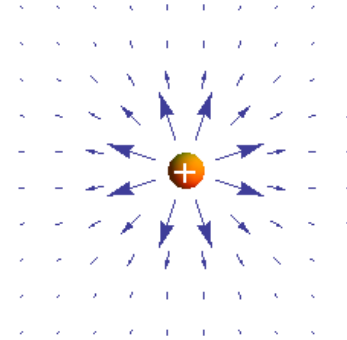
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## Electric fields from charges



(negative charges)



(positive charges)

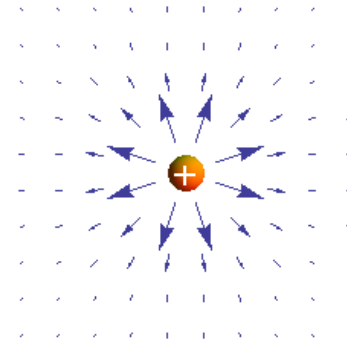
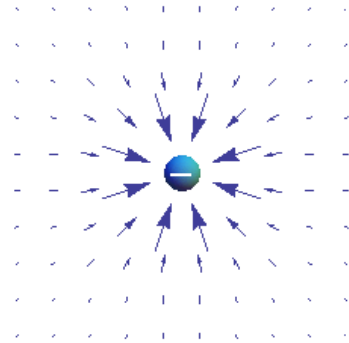
Assume fields from a positive or negative charge  $q$

Electric field  $\vec{E}$  is written as (Coulomb law):

$$\vec{E} = \frac{\pm q}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \cdot \frac{\vec{r}}{|r|^3}$$

with:  $\vec{r} = (x, y, z)$ ,  $|r| = \sqrt{x^2 + y^2 + z^2}$

# Applying Divergence and charges ..



We can do the (non-trivial<sup>\*)</sup>) computation of the divergence:

$$\operatorname{div} \vec{E} = \nabla \cdot \vec{E} = \frac{dE_x}{dx} + \frac{dE_y}{dy} + \frac{dE_z}{dz} = \frac{\rho}{\epsilon_0}$$

(negative charges)

$$\nabla \cdot \vec{E} < 0$$

(positive charges)

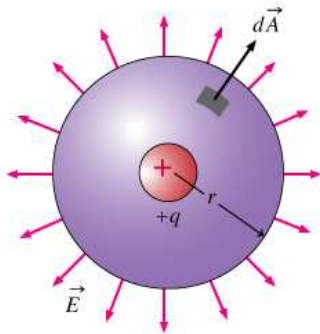
$$\nabla \cdot \vec{E} > 0$$

Divergence related to charge density  $\rho$  generating the field  $\vec{E}$

<sup>\*)</sup> for a point charge for example ..

# More formal/general: Gauss's Theorem (Maxwell's first equation ...)

$$\frac{1}{\epsilon_0} \int \int_A \vec{E} \cdot d\vec{A} = \frac{1}{\epsilon_0} \int \int \int_V \nabla \cdot \vec{E} \cdot dV = \frac{q}{\epsilon_0}$$
$$\nabla \cdot \vec{E} = \frac{\rho}{\epsilon_0}$$

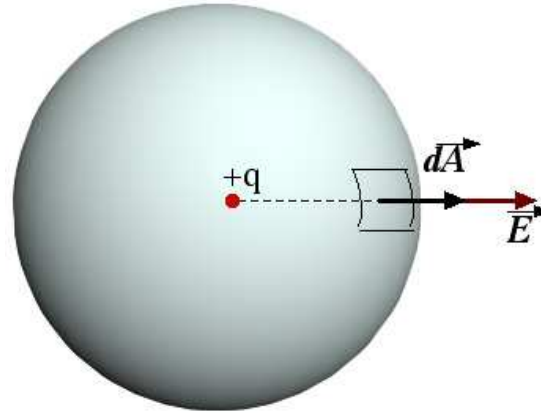


Flux of electric field  $\vec{E}$  through any closed surface proportional to net electric charge  $q$  enclosed in the region (**Gauss's Theorem**).

Written with charge density  $\rho$  we get Maxwell's first equation:

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

## Example: field from a charge $q$



A charge  $q$  generates a field  $\vec{E}$  according to:

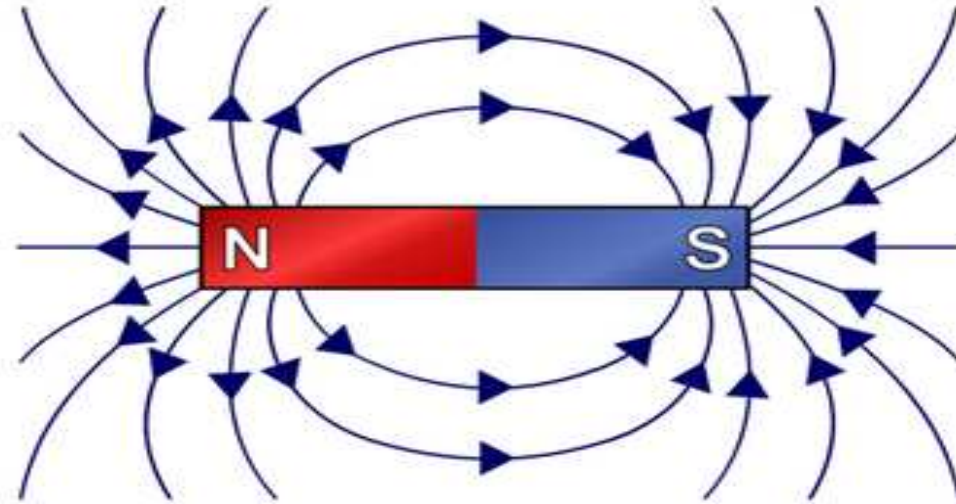
$$\vec{E} = \frac{q}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \frac{\vec{r}}{r^3}$$

Enclose it by a sphere:  $\vec{E} = \text{const.}$  on a sphere (area is  $4\pi \cdot r^2$ ):

$$\int \int_{\text{sphere}} \vec{E} \cdot d\vec{A} = \frac{q}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \int \int_{\text{sphere}} \frac{dA}{r^2} = \frac{q}{\epsilon_0}$$

Surface integral through sphere  $A$  is charge inside the sphere

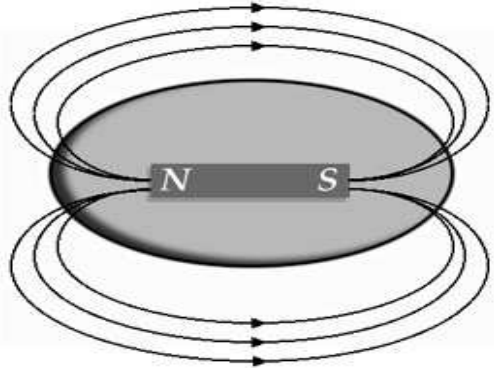
# Divergence of magnetic fields



**Definitions:**

Magnetic field lines from **North** to **South**

## Maxwell's second equation ...



$$\oint \int_A \vec{B} \cdot d\vec{A} = \iiint_V \nabla \cdot \vec{B} \, dV = 0$$
$$\nabla \cdot \vec{B} = 0$$

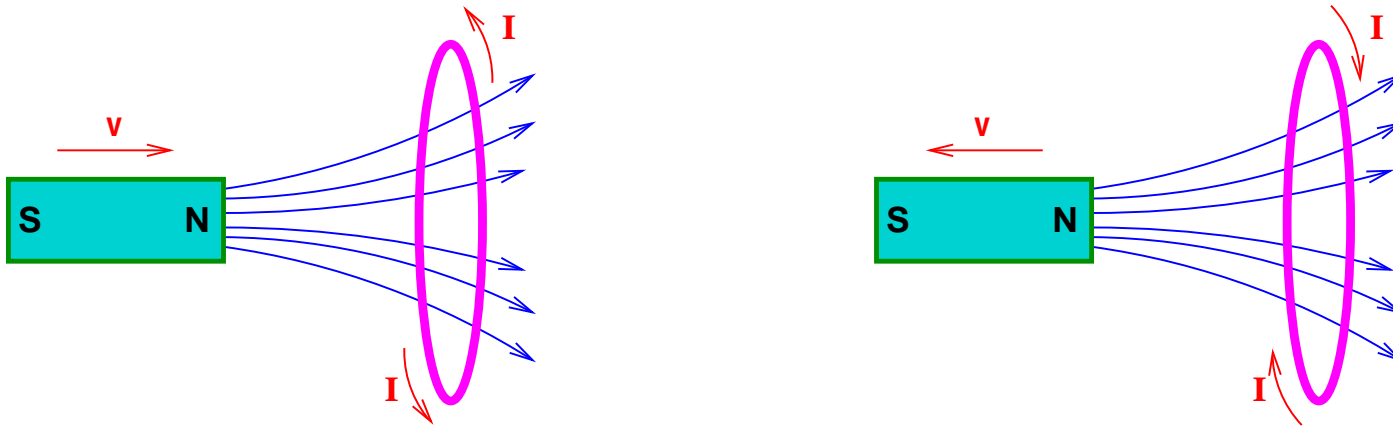
Closed field lines of magnetic flux density ( $\vec{B}$ ): What goes out **ANY** closed surface also goes in, Maxwell's second equation:

$$\nabla \cdot \vec{B} = \mu_0 \nabla \cdot \vec{H} = 0$$

→ Physical significance: no Magnetic Monopoles

## Maxwell's third equation ... (schematically)

Faradays law (electromagnetic induction):



- Changing magnetic flux through area of a coil introduces electric current  $I$
- Can be changed by moving magnet or coil

## Maxwell's third equation ... (formally)

A changing flux  $\Omega$  through an area  $A$  produces circulating electric field  $\vec{E}$ , i.e. a current  $I$  (Faraday)

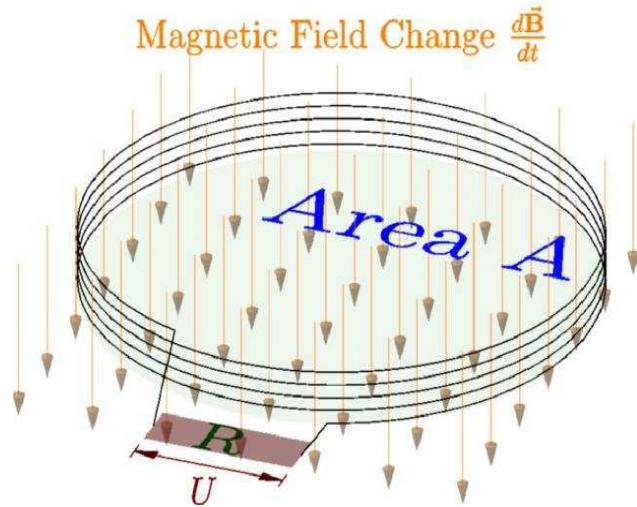
$$-\frac{\partial \Omega}{\partial t} = \frac{\partial}{\partial t} \underbrace{\int_A \vec{B} d\vec{A}}_{\text{flux } \Omega} = \oint_C \vec{E} \cdot d\vec{r}$$

► Flux can be changed by:

- Change of magnetic field  $\vec{B}$  with time  $t$  (e.g. transformers)
- Change of area  $A$  with time  $t$  (e.g. dynamos)



## Formally: Maxwell's third equation ...



$$-\int_A \frac{\partial \vec{B}}{\partial t} d\vec{A} = \underbrace{\int_A \nabla \times \vec{E} d\vec{A} = \oint_C \vec{E} \cdot d\vec{r}}_{\text{Stoke's formula}}$$

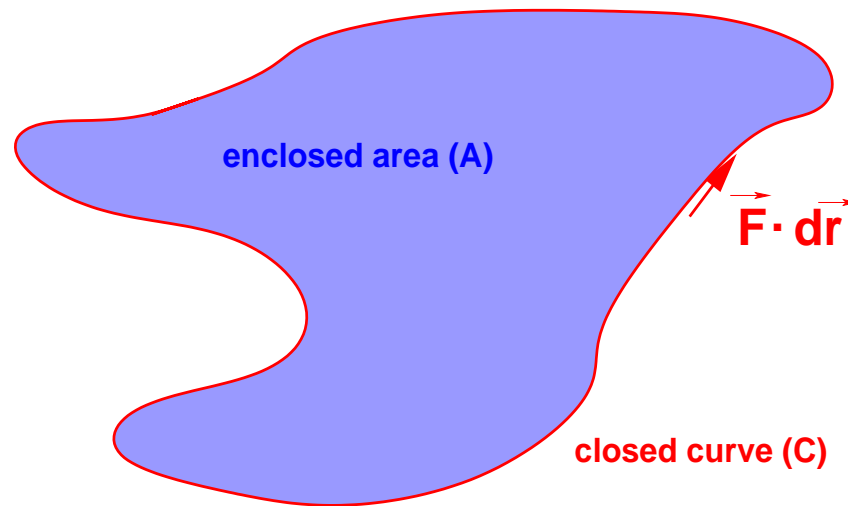
Changing magnetic field through an area induces circular electric field in coil around the area (Faraday)

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

Remember: large *curl* = strong circulating field

More general:

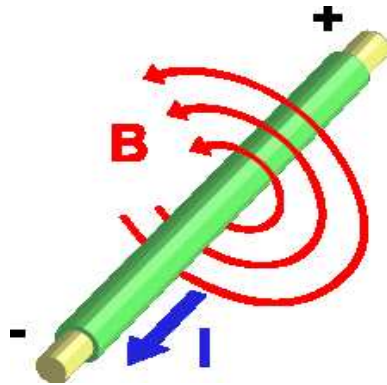
$$-\int_A \frac{\partial \vec{B}}{\partial t} d\vec{A} = \underbrace{\int_A \nabla \times \vec{E} d\vec{A} = \oint_C \vec{E} \cdot d\vec{r}}_{\text{Stoke's formula}}$$



Changing field through any area induces electric field in the (arbitrary) boundary

# Maxwell's fourth equation (part 1) ...

From Ampere's law, for example current density  $\vec{j}$ :



Static electric current induces circulating magnetic field

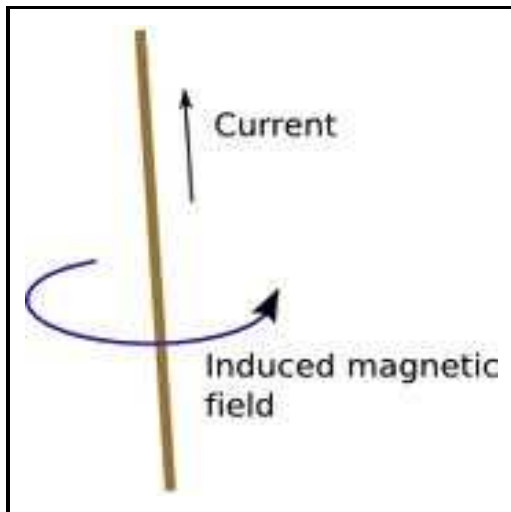
$$\nabla \times \vec{B} = \mu_0 \vec{j}$$

or in integral form the current density becomes the current  $I$ :

$$\int \int_A \nabla \times \vec{B} \cdot d\vec{A} = \int \int_A \mu_0 \vec{j} \cdot d\vec{A} = \mu_0 I$$

# Maxwell's fourth equation - application

For a static electric current  $I$  in a single wire we get Biot-Savart law (we have used Stoke's theorem and area of a circle  $A = r^2 \cdot \pi$ ):

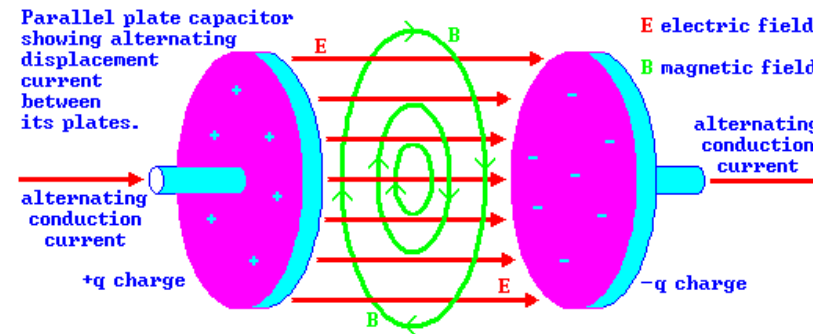


$$\vec{B} = \frac{\mu_0}{4\pi} \oint \vec{I} \cdot \frac{\vec{r} \cdot d\vec{r}}{r^3}$$
$$\vec{B} = \frac{\mu_0 I}{2\pi r}$$

For magnetic field calculations in electromagnets

# Do we need an electric current ?

From displacement current, for example charging capacitor  $\vec{j}_d$ :



## ■ Defining a Displacement Current $\vec{I}_d$ :

Not a current from moving charges

But a current from time varying electric fields

## Maxwell's fourth equation (part 2) ...

Displacement current  $I_d$  produces magnetic field, just like "actual currents" do ...

→ Time varying electric field induce magnetic field (using the current density  $\vec{j}_d$ )

$$\nabla \times \vec{B} = \mu_0 \vec{j}_d = \epsilon_0 \mu_0 \frac{\partial \vec{E}}{\partial t}$$

Remember: strong *curl* = strong circulating field

# Maxwell's complete fourth equation ...

Magnetic fields  $\vec{B}$  can be generated by two ways:

$$\nabla \times \vec{B} = \mu_0 \vec{j} \quad (\text{electrical current})$$

$$\nabla \times \vec{B} = \mu_0 \vec{j}_d = \epsilon_0 \mu_0 \frac{\partial \vec{E}}{\partial t} \quad (\text{changing electric field})$$

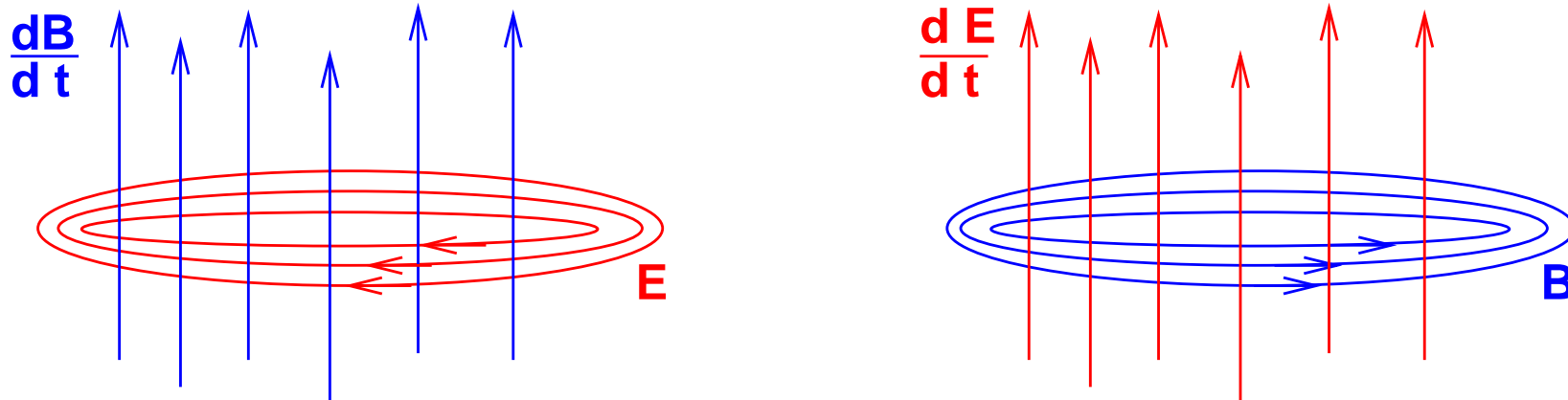
or putting them together:

$$\nabla \times \vec{B} = \mu_0 (\vec{j} + \vec{j}_d) = \mu_0 \vec{j} + \epsilon_0 \mu_0 \frac{\partial \vec{E}}{\partial t}$$

or in integral form (using Stoke's formula):

$$\underbrace{\oint_C \vec{B} \cdot d\vec{r}}_{\text{Stoke's formula}} = \int_A \nabla \times \vec{B} \cdot d\vec{A} = \int_A \left( \mu_0 \vec{j} + \epsilon_0 \mu_0 \frac{\partial \vec{E}}{\partial t} \right) \cdot d\vec{A}$$

## Summary: Static and Time Varying Fields

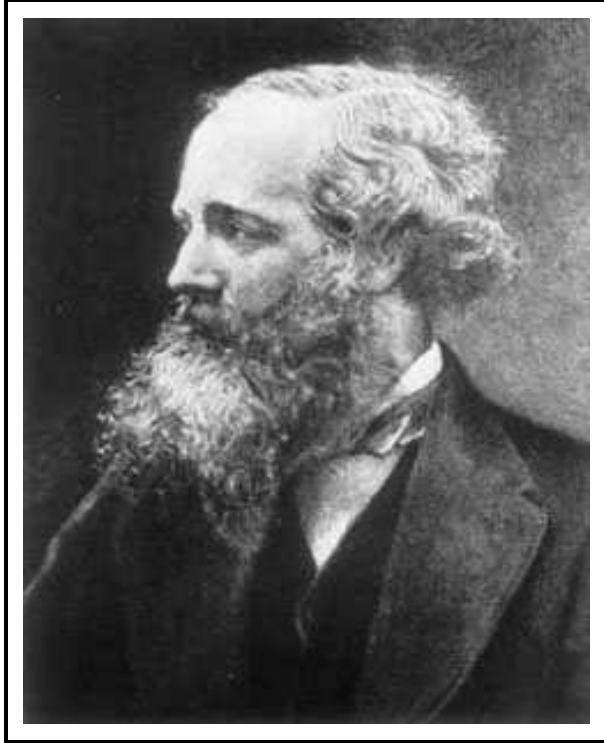


- ▶ Time varying magnetic fields produce circulating electric field:  $\text{curl}(\vec{E}) = \nabla \times \vec{E} = -\frac{d\vec{B}}{dt}$
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because of the  $\times$  they are perpendicular:  $\vec{E} \perp \vec{B}$



# Put together: Maxwell's Equations



$$\int_A \vec{E} \cdot d\vec{A} = \frac{Q}{\epsilon_0}$$

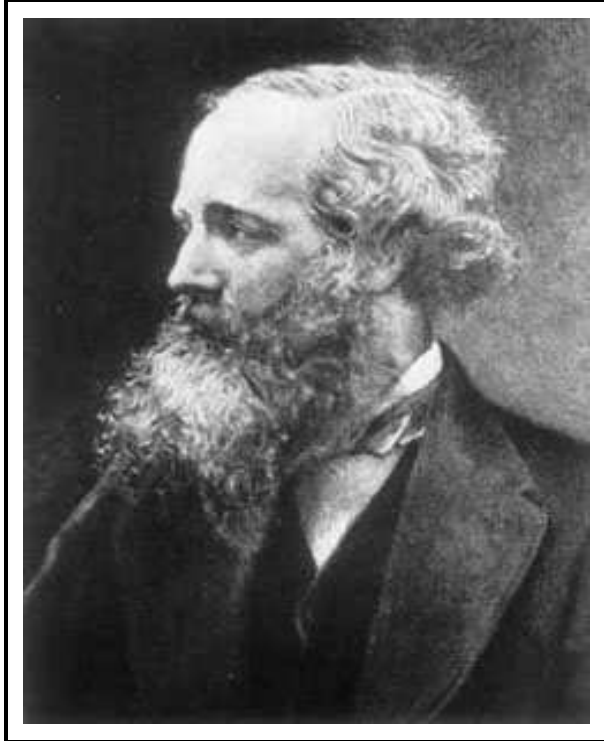
$$\int_A \vec{B} \cdot d\vec{A} = 0$$

$$\oint_C \vec{E} \cdot d\vec{r} = - \int_A \left( \frac{d\vec{B}}{dt} \right) \cdot d\vec{A}$$

$$\oint_C \vec{B} \cdot d\vec{r} = \int_A \left( \mu_0 \vec{j} + \mu_0 \epsilon_0 \frac{d\vec{E}}{dt} \right) \cdot d\vec{A}$$

Written in **Integral form**

# Put together: Maxwell's Equations



$$\begin{aligned}\nabla \cdot \vec{E} &= \frac{\rho}{\epsilon_0} \\ \nabla \cdot \vec{B} &= 0 \\ \nabla \times \vec{E} &= -\frac{d\vec{B}}{dt} \\ \nabla \times \vec{B} &= \mu_0 \vec{j} + \mu_0 \epsilon_0 \frac{d\vec{E}}{dt}\end{aligned}$$

Written in **Differential form**

## Maxwell in Physical terms

1. Electric fields  $\vec{E}$  are generated by charges and proportional to total charge
2. Magnetic monopoles do not exist
3. Changing magnetic flux generates circulating electric fields/currents
- 4.1 Changing electric flux generates circulating magnetic fields
- 4.2 Static electric current generates circulating magnetic fields

## Interlude and Warning !!

Maxwell's equation can be written in other forms.

Often used: **cgs (Gaussian) units** instead of **SI units**, example:

Starting from (SI):

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

we would use:

$$\vec{E}_{cgs} = \frac{1}{c} \cdot \vec{E}_{SI} \quad \text{and} \quad \epsilon_0 = \frac{1}{4\pi \cdot c}$$

and arrive at (cgs):

$$\nabla \cdot \vec{E} = 4\pi \cdot \rho$$

Beware: there are more different units giving:  $\nabla \cdot \vec{E} = \rho$

# Electromagnetic fields in material

In vacuum:

$$\vec{D} = \epsilon_0 \cdot \vec{E}, \quad \vec{B} = \mu_0 \cdot \vec{H}$$

In a material:

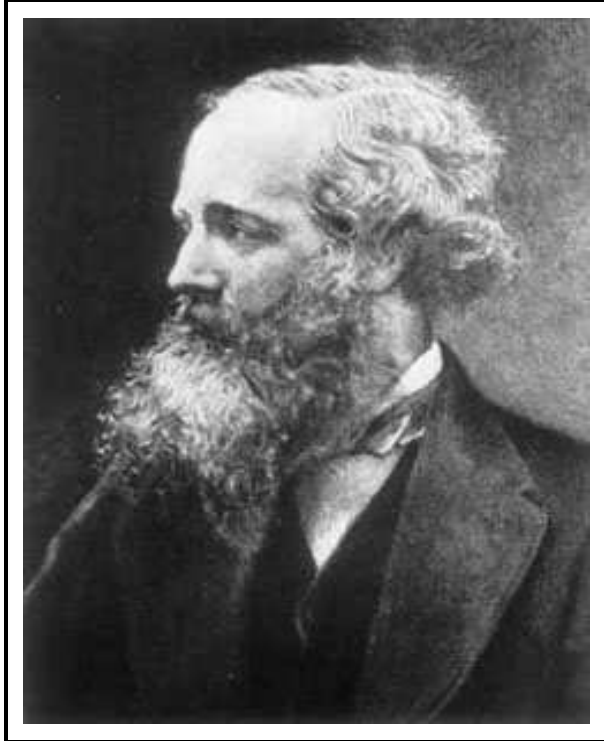
$$\vec{D} = \epsilon_r \cdot \epsilon_0 \cdot \vec{E}, \quad \vec{B} = \mu_r \cdot \mu_0 \cdot \vec{H}$$

$\epsilon_r$  is relative permittivity  $\approx [1 - 10^5]$

$\mu_r$  is relative permeability  $\approx [0(!) - 10^6]$

Origin: **polarization** and **Magnetization**

## Once more: Maxwell's Equations



$$\begin{aligned}\nabla \cdot \vec{D} &= \rho \\ \nabla \cdot \vec{B} &= 0 \\ \nabla \times \vec{E} &= -\frac{d\vec{B}}{dt} \\ \nabla \times \vec{H} &= \vec{j} + \frac{d\vec{D}}{dt}\end{aligned}$$

Re-factored in terms of the **free** current density  $\vec{j}$  and **free** charge density  $\rho$  ( $\mu_0 = 1, \epsilon_0 = 1$ ):

## Something on potentials:

Fields can be written as derivative of scalar and vector potentials  $\Phi(x, y, z)$  and  $\vec{A}(x, y, z)$ :

	Electric fields	Magnetic fields
<b>using:</b>	$\vec{E} = -\nabla\Phi$	$\vec{B} = \nabla \times \vec{A}$
<b>with:</b>	$\nabla \cdot \vec{E} = \frac{\rho}{\epsilon_0}$	$\nabla \times \vec{B} = \mu_0 \vec{j}$
<b>→</b>	$\nabla^2 \vec{\Phi} = -\frac{\rho}{\epsilon_0}$	$\nabla \times \nabla \times \vec{A} = \mu_0 \vec{j}$
<b>in short<sup>*)</sup>:</b>	$\Delta \vec{\Phi} = -\frac{\rho}{\epsilon_0}$	$\nabla^2 \times \vec{A} = \mu_0 \vec{j}$

Potentials are linked to charge  $\rho$  and current  $\vec{j}$

À bientôt → Special Relativity ...

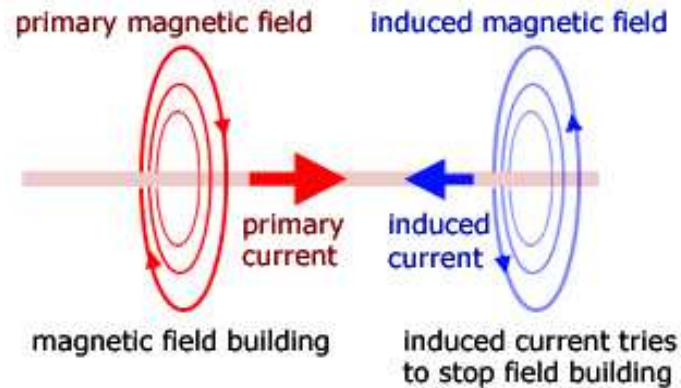
<sup>\*)</sup> (with some vector analysis and definitions ...)

# Applications of Maxwell's Equations

- Powering of magnets
- Lorentz force, motion in EM fields
  - Motion in electric fields
  - Motion in magnetic fields
- EM waves (in vacuum and in material)
- Boundary conditions
- EM waves in cavities and wave guides



# Powering and self-induction



- Induced magnetic flux  $\vec{B}$  changes with changing current
- ➔ Induces a current and magnetic field  $\vec{B}_i$  voltage in the conductor
- ➔ Induced current will oppose change of current (Lenz's law)
- ➔ We want to change a current to ramp a magnet ...

# Powering and self-induction

➤ Ramp rate defines required Voltage:

$$U = -L \frac{\partial I}{\partial t}$$

Inductance  $L$  in Henry ( $H$ )

➤ Example LHC:

- Typical ramp rate: 10 A/s
- With  $L = 15.1$  H per powering sector

➔ Required Voltage is  $\approx 150$  V

## Lorentz force on charged particles

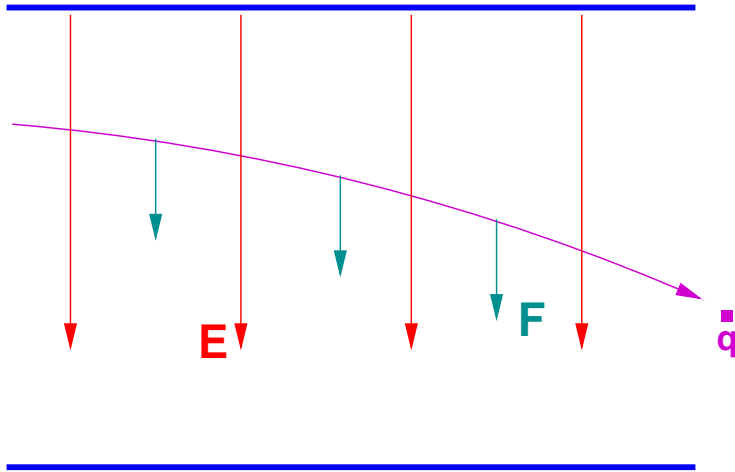
Moving ( $\vec{v}$ ) charged ( $q$ ) particles in electric ( $\vec{E}$ ) and magnetic ( $\vec{B}$ ) fields experience a force  $\vec{f}$  like (Lorentz force):

$$\vec{f} = q \cdot (\vec{E} + \vec{v} \times \vec{B})$$

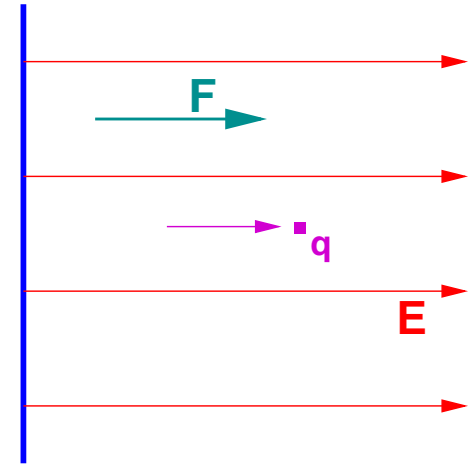
for the equation of motion we get (using Newton's law);

$$\frac{d}{dt}(m_0\vec{v}) = \vec{f} = q \cdot (\vec{E} + \vec{v} \times \vec{B})$$

# Motion in electric fields



$$\vec{v} \perp \vec{E}$$



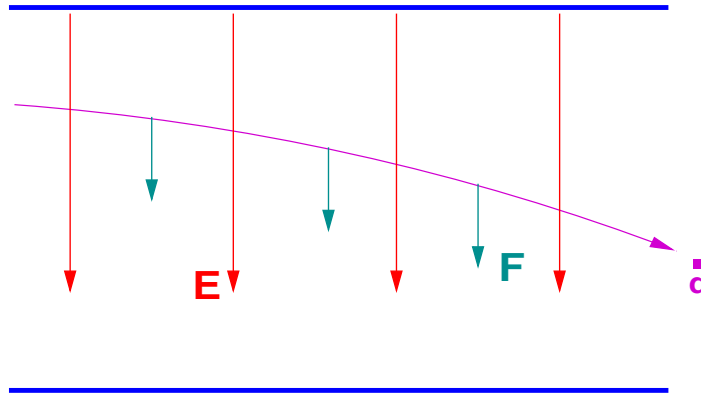
$$\vec{v} \parallel \vec{E}$$

Assume no magnetic field:

$$\frac{d}{dt}(m_0\vec{v}) = \vec{f} = q \cdot \vec{E}$$

Force always in direction of field  $\vec{E}$ , also for particles at rest.

# Motion in electric fields



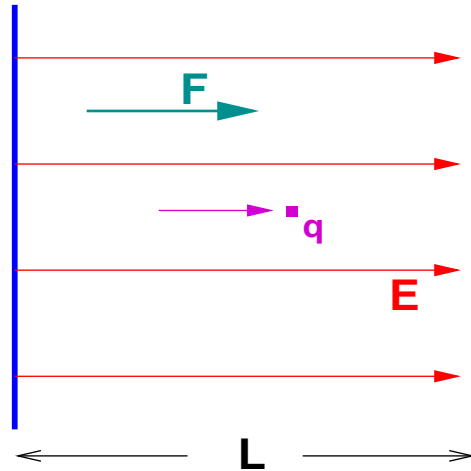
$$\frac{d}{dt}(m_0\vec{v}) = \vec{f} = q \cdot \vec{E}$$

The solution is:

$$\vec{v} = \frac{q \cdot \vec{E}}{m_0} \cdot t \quad \rightarrow \quad \vec{x} = \frac{q \cdot \vec{E}}{2m_0} \cdot t^2 \quad (\text{parabola})$$

Constant E-field deflects beams: TV, electrostatic separators (SPS, LEP)

# Motion in electric fields



$$\frac{d}{dt}(m_0\vec{v}) = \vec{f} = q \cdot \vec{E}$$

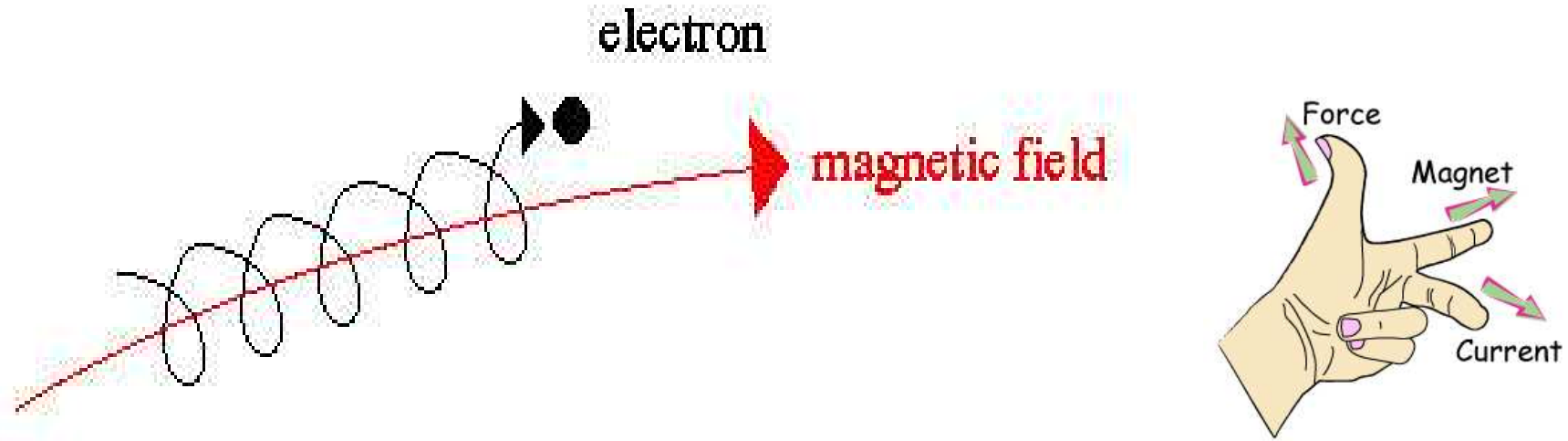
For constant field  $\vec{E} = (E, 0, 0)$  in x-direction the kinetic energy gain is:

$$\Delta T = qE \cdot L$$

It is a line integral of the force along the path !

Constant E-field gives uniform acceleration over length L

# Motion in magnetic fields



Assume first no electric field:

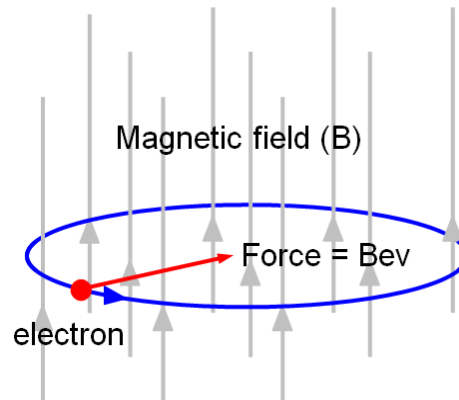
$$\frac{d}{dt}(m_0\vec{v}) = \vec{f} = q \cdot \vec{v} \times \vec{B}$$

Force is perpendicular to both,  $\vec{v}$  and  $\vec{B}$

No forces on particles at rest !

Particles will spiral around the magnetic field lines ...

# Motion in magnetic fields



Assuming that  $v_{\perp}$  is perpendicular to  $\vec{B}$   
We get a circular motion with radius  $\rho$ :

$$\rho = \frac{m_0 v_{\perp}}{q \cdot B}$$

defines the Magnetic Rigidity:  $B \cdot \rho = \frac{m_0 v}{q} = \frac{p}{q}$

Magnetic fields deflect particles, but no acceleration (synchrotron, ..)

(but can accelerate in betatron !)



# Motion in magnetic fields

**Practical units:**




$$B[T] \cdot \rho[m] = \frac{p[ev]}{c[m/s]}$$

**Example LHC:**



$$B = 8.33 \text{ T}, p = 7000 \text{ GeV}/c \rightarrow \rho = 2804 \text{ m}$$

## Use of static fields (some examples, incomplete)

### Magnetic fields

-  Bending magnets
-  Focusing magnets (quadrupoles)
-  Correction magnets (sextupoles, octupoles, orbit correctors, ..)

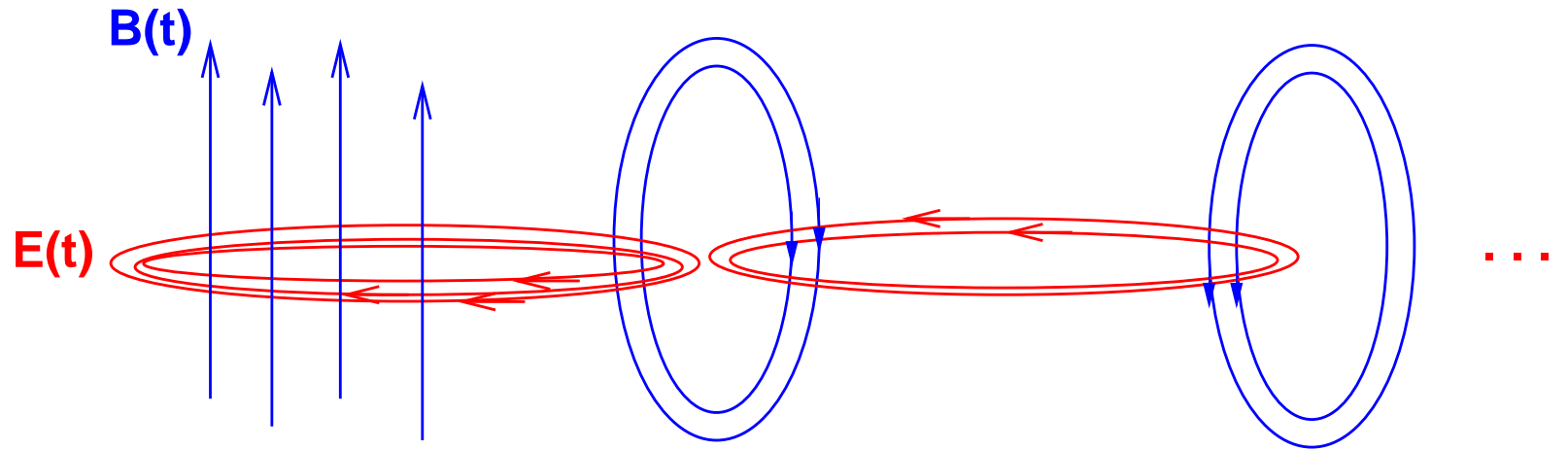
### Electric fields

-  Electrostatic separators (beam separation in particle-antiparticle colliders)
-  Very low energy machines

### What about non-static, time-varying fields ?



## Time Varying Fields (very schematic)



Time varying magnetic fields produce circulating electric fields

Time varying electric fields produce circulating magnetic fields

→ Can produce self-sustaining, propagating fields (i.e. waves)

## Electromagnetic waves in vacuum

Vacuum: only fields, no charges ( $\rho = 0$ ), no current ( $j = 0$ ) ...

$$\text{From: } \nabla \times \vec{E} = -\frac{\partial \vec{B}}{\partial t}$$

$$\implies \nabla \times (\nabla \times \vec{E}) = -\nabla \times \left(\frac{\partial \vec{B}}{\partial t}\right)$$

$$\implies -(\nabla^2 \vec{E}) = -\frac{\partial}{\partial t}(\nabla \times \vec{B})$$

$$\implies -(\nabla^2 \vec{E}) = -\mu_0 \epsilon_0 \frac{\partial^2 \vec{E}}{\partial t^2}$$

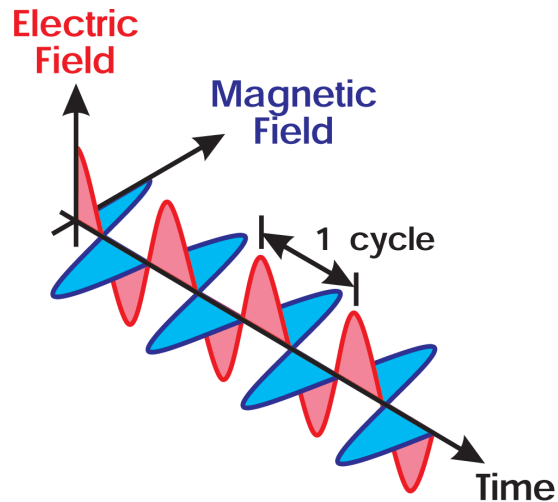
It happens to be:  $\mu_0 \cdot \epsilon_0 = \frac{1}{c^2}$

$$\nabla^2 \vec{E} = \frac{1}{c^2} \frac{\partial^2 \vec{E}}{\partial t^2} = \mu_0 \cdot \epsilon_0 \cdot \frac{\partial^2 \vec{E}}{\partial t^2}$$

Similar expression for the magnetic field:

$$\nabla^2 \vec{B} = \frac{1}{c^2} \frac{\partial^2 \vec{B}}{\partial t^2} = \mu_0 \cdot \epsilon_0 \cdot \frac{\partial^2 \vec{B}}{\partial t^2}$$

# Electromagnetic waves



$$\vec{E} = E_0 e^{i(\omega t - \vec{k} \cdot \vec{x})}$$

$$\vec{B} = B_0 e^{i(\omega t - \vec{k} \cdot \vec{x})}$$

$$|\vec{k}| = \frac{2\pi}{\lambda} = \frac{\omega}{c} \quad (\text{propagation vector})$$

$$\lambda = (\text{wave length, 1 cycle})$$

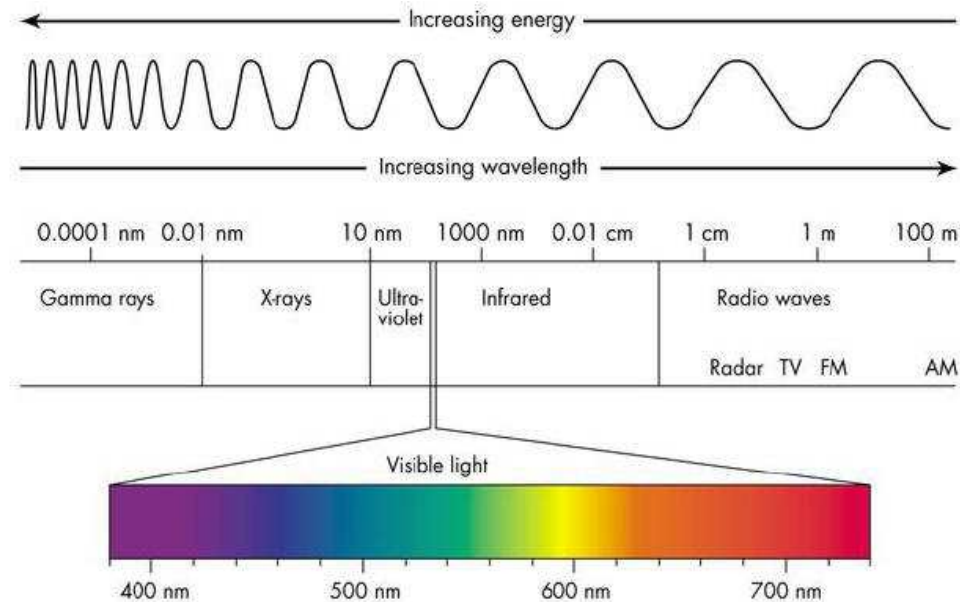
$$\omega = (\text{frequency} \cdot 2\pi)$$

$$c = \frac{\omega}{k} = (\text{wavevelocity})$$

Magnetic and electric fields are transverse to direction of propagation:  $\vec{E} \perp \vec{B} \perp \vec{k}$

Velocity of wave in vacuum: **299792458.000 m/s**

# Spectrum of Electromagnetic waves



**Example: yellow light**  $\rightarrow \approx 5 \cdot 10^{14}$  Hz (i.e.  $\approx 2$  eV !)  
**gamma rays**  $\rightarrow \leq 3 \cdot 10^{21}$  Hz (i.e.  $\leq 12$  MeV !)  
**LEP (SR)**  $\rightarrow \leq 2 \cdot 10^{20}$  Hz (i.e.  $\approx 0.8$  MeV !)

# Waves interacting with material

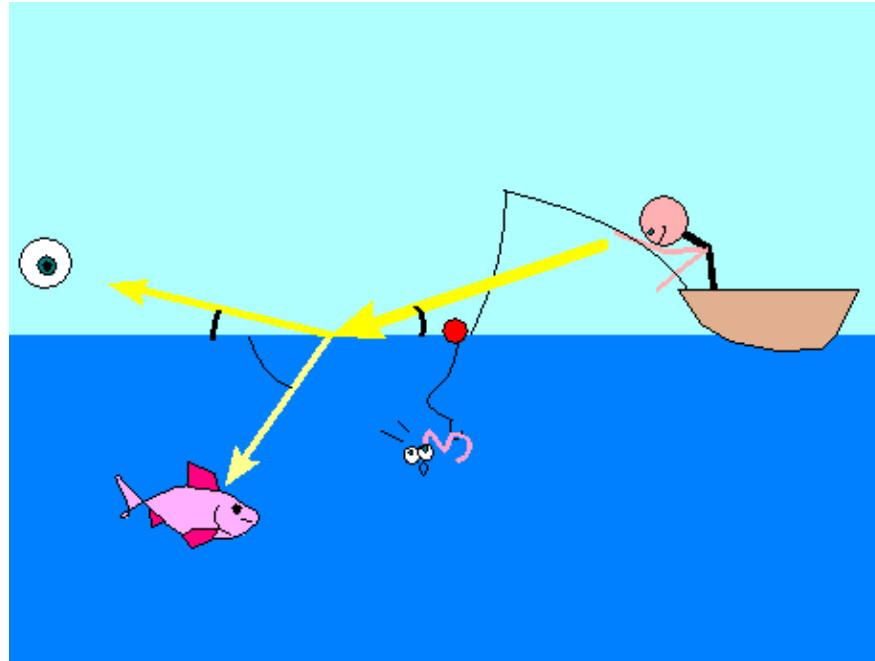
Need to look at the behaviour of electromagnetic fields at boundaries between different materials (air-glass, air-water, vacuum-metal, ...).

Have to consider two particular cases:

- Ideal conductor (i.e. no resistance), apply to:
  - RF cavities
  - Wave guides
  
- Conductor with finite resistance, apply to:
  - Penetration and attenuation of fields in material (skin depth)
  - Impedance calculations

Can be derived from Maxwell's equations, here only the results !

## Observation: between air and water



- Some of the light is reflected
- Some of the light is transmitted and refracted
- ➔ Reason are boundary conditions for fields between two materials



## Extreme case: ideal conductor

For an ideal conductor (i.e. no resistance) the tangential electric field must vanish, otherwise a surface current becomes infinite. Similar conditions for magnetic fields. We must have:

$$\vec{E}_{\parallel} = 0, \quad \vec{B}_n = 0$$

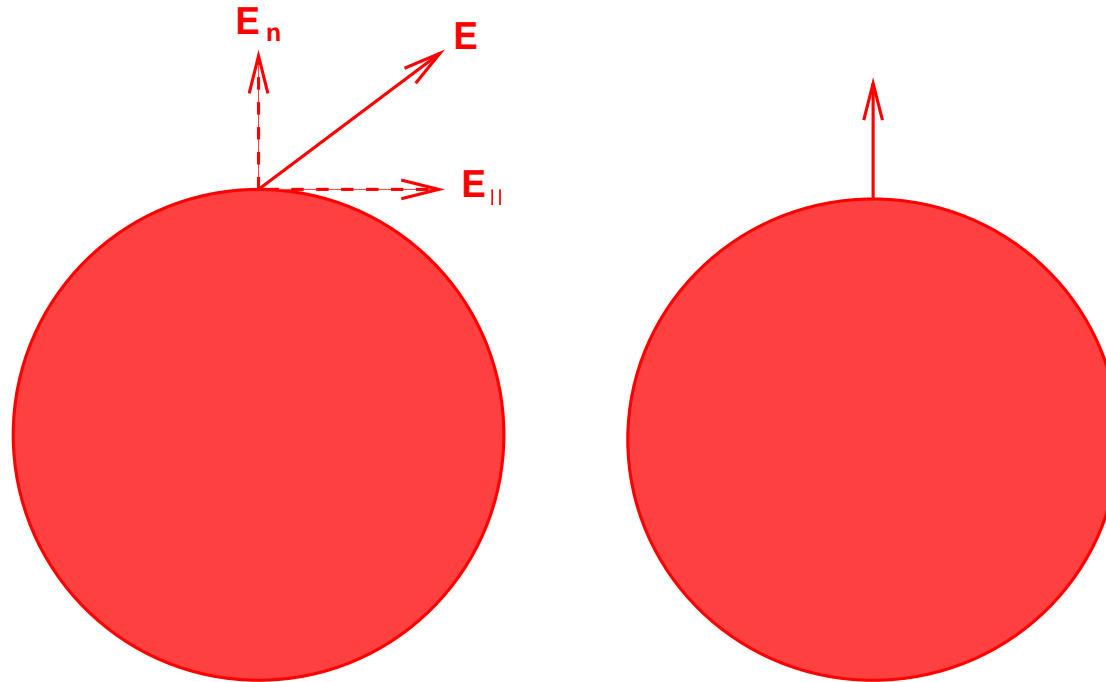
This implies:

- All energy of an electromagnetic wave is reflected from the surface.
- Fields at any point in the conductor are zero.
- Only some field patterns are allowed in **waveguides** and **RF cavities**

A very nice lecture in R.P.Feynman, Vol. II

## Boundary conditions: air and perfect conductor

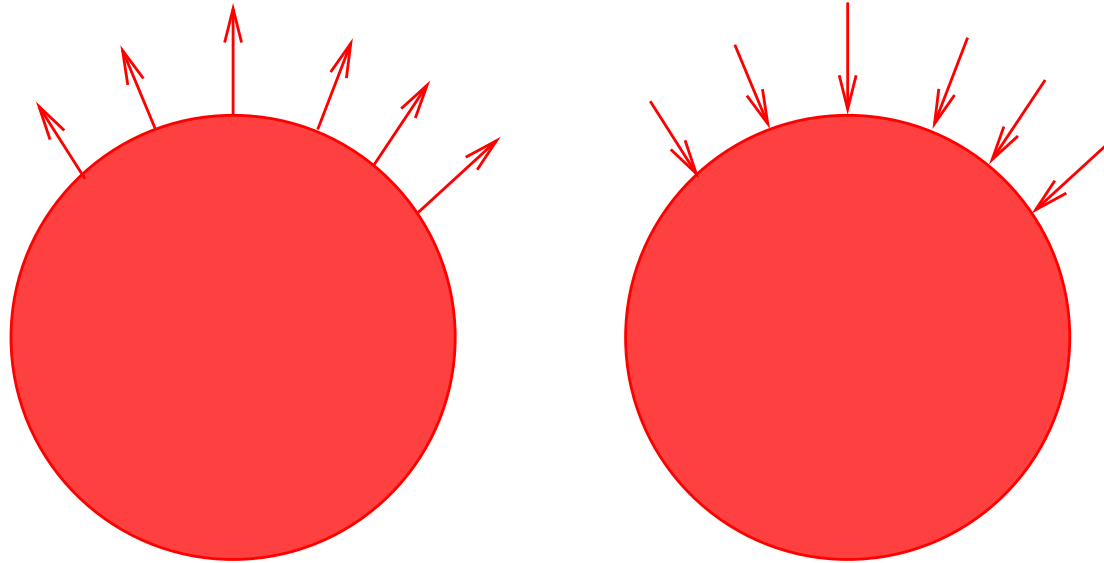
A simple case as demonstration ( $\vec{E}$ -fields on an ideally conducting sphere):



- Field parallel to surface  $E_{||}$  cannot exist (it would move charges and we get a surface current)
- Only field normal to surface  $E_n$  is possible

# Boundary conditions for fields

All electric field lines must be normal (perpendicular) to surface of a perfect conductor.





- All conditions for  $\vec{E}$ ,  $\vec{D}$ ,  $\vec{H}$ ,  $\vec{B}$  can be derived from Maxwell's equations (see bibliography, e.g. R.P.Feynman or J.D.Jackson)


## General boundary conditions for fields \*


Electromagnetic fields at boundaries between different materials with different permittivity and permeability ( $\epsilon^a, \epsilon^b, \mu^a, \mu^b$ ).

The requirements for the components are (summary of the results, not derived here !):

  $(E_{\parallel}^a = E_{\parallel}^b), (E_n^a \neq E_n^b)$

  $(D_{\parallel}^a \neq D_{\parallel}^b), (D_n^a = D_n^b)$

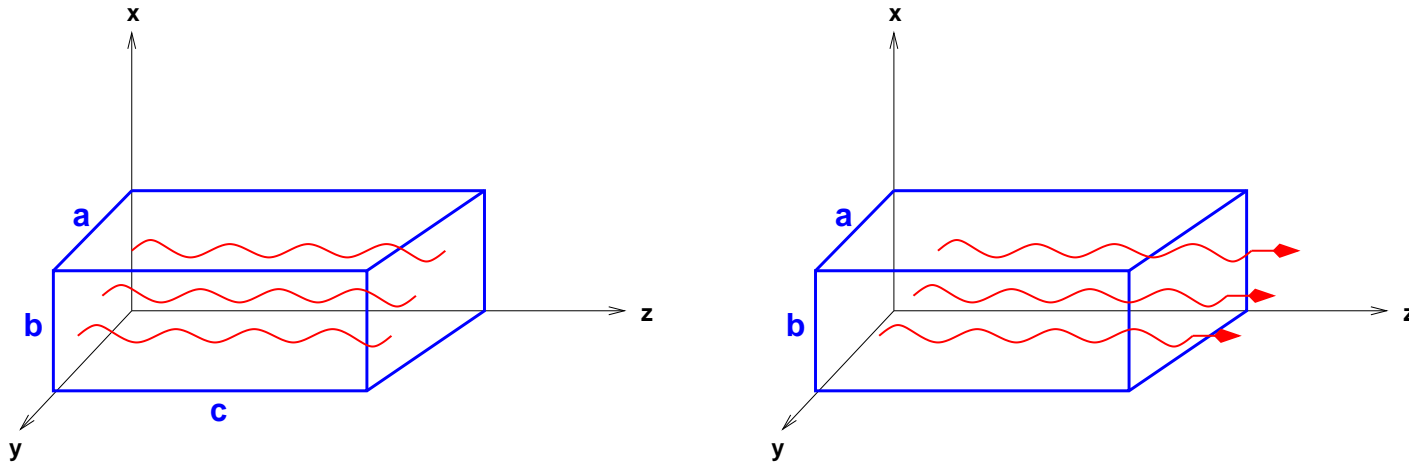
  $(H_{\parallel}^a = H_{\parallel}^b), (H_n^a \neq H_n^b)$

  $(B_{\parallel}^a \neq B_{\parallel}^b), (B_n^a = B_n^b)$

Conditions are used to compute reflection, refraction and refraction index  $n$ .

# Examples: cavities and wave guides

Rectangular, conducting cavities and wave guides (schematic)  
with dimensions  $a \times b \times c$  and  $a \times b$ :



- RF cavity, fields can persist and be stored (reflection !)
- Plane waves can propagate along wave guides, here in  $z$ -direction

# Fields in RF cavities

Assume a rectangular RF cavity ( $a, b, c$ ), ideal conductor.

Without derivations, the components of the fields are:

$$E_x = E_{x0} \cdot \cos(k_x x) \cdot \sin(k_y y) \cdot \sin(k_z z) \cdot e^{-i\omega t}$$

$$E_y = E_{y0} \cdot \sin(k_x x) \cdot \cos(k_y y) \cdot \sin(k_z z) \cdot e^{-i\omega t}$$

$$E_z = E_{z0} \cdot \sin(k_x x) \cdot \sin(k_y y) \cdot \cos(k_z z) \cdot e^{-i\omega t}$$

$$B_x = \frac{i}{\omega} (E_{y0} k_z - E_{z0} k_y) \cdot \sin(k_x x) \cdot \cos(k_y y) \cdot \cos(k_z z) \cdot e^{-i\omega t}$$

$$B_y = \frac{i}{\omega} (E_{z0} k_x - E_{x0} k_z) \cdot \cos(k_x x) \cdot \sin(k_y y) \cdot \cos(k_z z) \cdot e^{-i\omega t}$$

$$B_z = \frac{i}{\omega} (E_{x0} k_y - E_{y0} k_x) \cdot \cos(k_x x) \cdot \cos(k_y y) \cdot \sin(k_z z) \cdot e^{-i\omega t}$$

# Consequences for RF cavities

Field must be zero at conductor boundary, only possible under the condition:

$$k_x^2 + k_y^2 + k_z^2 = \frac{\omega^2}{c^2}$$

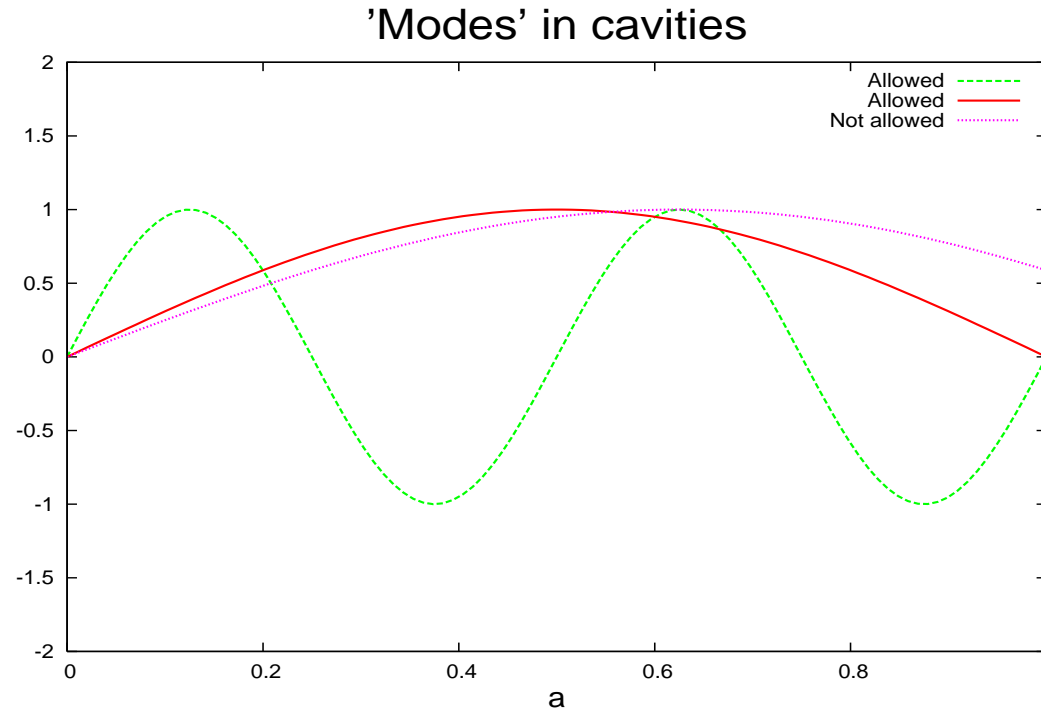
and for  $k_x, k_y, k_z$  we can write:

$$k_x = \frac{m_x \pi}{a}, \quad k_y = \frac{m_y \pi}{b}, \quad k_z = \frac{m_z \pi}{c},$$

The integer numbers  $m_x, m_y, m_z$  are called **mode numbers**, important for shape of cavity !

It means that a half wave length  $\lambda/2$  must always fit exactly the size of the cavity.

# Allowed modes



➤ Only modes which 'fit' into the cavity are allowed

➤  $\frac{\lambda}{2} = \frac{a}{4}$ ,  $\frac{\lambda}{2} = \frac{a}{1}$ ,  $\frac{\lambda}{2} = \frac{a}{0.8}$

➤ No electric field at boundaries, wave must have "nodes" at the boundaries



# Fields in wave guides

Similar considerations lead to (propagating) solutions in (rectangular) wave guides:

$$E_x = E_{x0} \cdot \cos(k_x x) \cdot \sin(k_y y) \cdot e^{-i(k_z z - \omega t)}$$

$$E_y = E_{y0} \cdot \sin(k_x x) \cdot \cos(k_y y) \cdot e^{-i(k_z z - \omega t)}$$

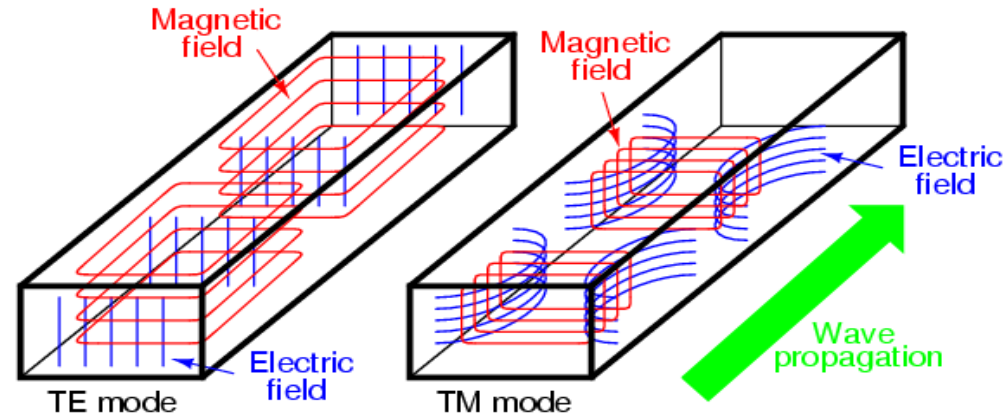
$$E_z = i \cdot E_{z0} \cdot \sin(k_x x) \cdot \sin(k_y y) \cdot e^{-i(k_z z - \omega t)}$$

$$B_x = \frac{1}{\omega} (E_{y0} k_z - E_{z0} k_y) \cdot \sin(k_x x) \cdot \cos(k_y y) \cdot e^{-i(k_z z - \omega t)}$$

$$B_y = \frac{1}{\omega} (E_{z0} k_x - E_{x0} k_z) \cdot \cos(k_x x) \cdot \sin(k_y y) \cdot e^{-i(k_z z - \omega t)}$$

$$B_z = \frac{1}{i \cdot \omega} (E_{x0} k_y - E_{y0} k_x) \cdot \cos(k_x x) \cdot \cos(k_y y) \cdot e^{-i(k_z z - \omega t)}$$

# The fields in wave guides



*Magnetic flux lines appear as continuous loops*  
*Electric flux lines appear with beginning and end points*

- Electric and magnetic fields through a wave guide
- Shapes are consequences of boundary conditions !
- Can be Transverse Electric (TE, no E-field in z-direction) or Transverse Magnetic (TM, no B-field in z-direction)

# Consequences for wave guides

Similar considerations as for cavities, no field at boundary.

We must satisfy again the condition:

$$k_x^2 + k_y^2 + k_z^2 = \frac{\omega^2}{c^2}$$

This leads to modes like:

$$k_x = \frac{m_x \pi}{a}, \quad k_y = \frac{m_y \pi}{b},$$

The numbers  $m_x, m_y$  are called **mode numbers** for planar waves in wave guides !

# Consequences for wave guides

Re-writing the condition as:

$$k_z^2 = \frac{\omega^2}{c^2} - k_x^2 - k_y^2$$

Propagation without losses requires  $k_z$  to be real, i.e.:

$$\frac{\omega^2}{c^2} > k_x^2 + k_y^2 = \left(\frac{m_x \pi}{a}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{m_y \pi}{b}\right)^2$$

which defines a cut-off frequency  $\omega_c$ . For lowest order mode:

$$\omega_c = \frac{\pi \cdot c}{a}$$

- Above cut-off frequency: propagation without loss
- Below cut-off frequency: attenuated wave (means it does not "really fit" and  $k$  is complex).

## Other case: finite conductivity

Starting from Maxwell equation:

$$\nabla \times \vec{H} = \vec{j} + \frac{d\vec{D}}{dt} = \underbrace{\vec{j} + \sigma \cdot \vec{E}}_{\text{Ohm's law}} + \epsilon \frac{d\vec{E}}{dt}$$

Wave equations:

$$\vec{E} = \vec{E}_0 e^{i(\omega t - \vec{k} \cdot \vec{x})}, \quad \vec{H} = \vec{H}_0 e^{i(\omega t - \vec{k} \cdot \vec{x})}$$

We have:

$$\frac{d\vec{E}}{dt} = i\omega \cdot \vec{E}, \quad \frac{d\vec{H}}{dt} = i\omega \cdot \vec{H}, \quad \nabla \times \vec{E} = -i\vec{k} \times \vec{E}, \quad \nabla \times \vec{H} = -i\vec{k} \times \vec{H}$$

Put together:

$$\vec{k} \times \vec{H} = i\sigma \cdot \vec{E} - \omega\epsilon \cdot \vec{E} = (i\sigma - \omega\epsilon) \cdot \vec{E}$$


# Finite conductivity - Skin Depth

Starting from:

$$\vec{k} \times \vec{H} = i\sigma \cdot \vec{E} - \omega\epsilon \cdot \vec{E} = (i\sigma - \omega\epsilon) \cdot \vec{E}$$

With  $\vec{B} = \mu \vec{H}$ :

$$\nabla \times \vec{E} = -i\vec{k} \times \vec{E} = -\frac{\partial \vec{B}}{\partial t} = -\mu \frac{\partial \vec{H}}{\partial t} = -i\omega\mu \vec{H}$$

Multiplication with  $\vec{k}$ :

$$\vec{k} \times (\vec{k} \times \vec{E}) = \omega\mu(\vec{k} \times \vec{H}) = \omega\mu(i\sigma - \omega\epsilon) \cdot \vec{E}$$

After some calculus and  $\vec{E} \perp \vec{H} \perp \vec{k}$ :

$$k^2 = \omega\mu(-i\sigma + \omega\epsilon)$$



# Finite conductivity - Skin Depth

With:

$$k^2 = \omega\mu(-i\sigma + \omega\epsilon)$$

For a good conductor  $\sigma \gg \omega\epsilon$ :

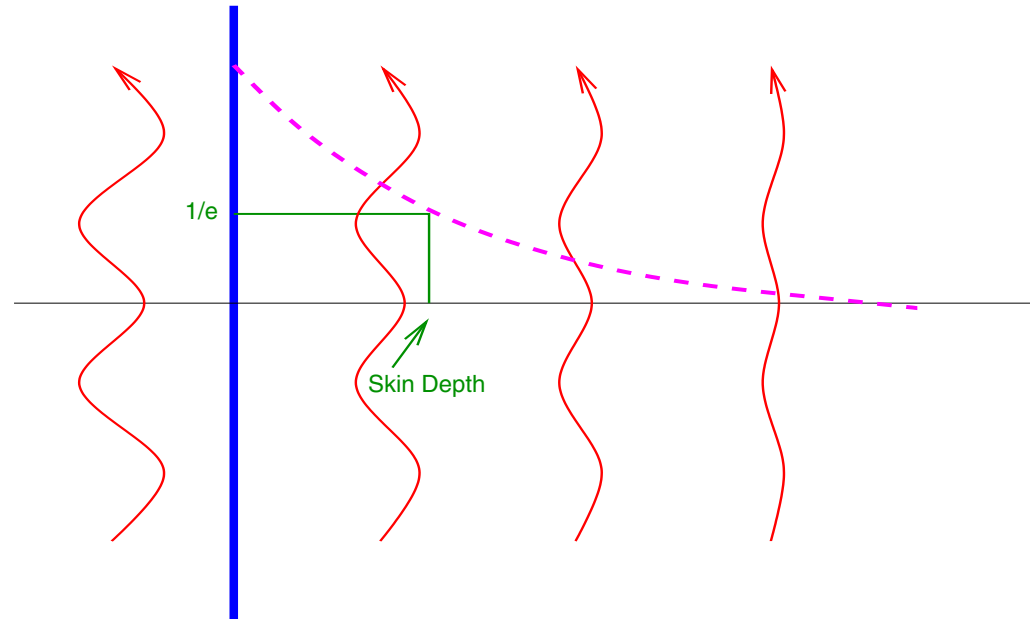
$$k^2 \approx -i\omega\mu\sigma \quad \rightarrow \quad k \approx \sqrt{\frac{\omega\mu\sigma}{2}}(1 - i) = \frac{1}{\delta}(1 - i)$$

$$\delta = \sqrt{\frac{2}{\omega\mu\sigma}}$$

is the Skin Depth



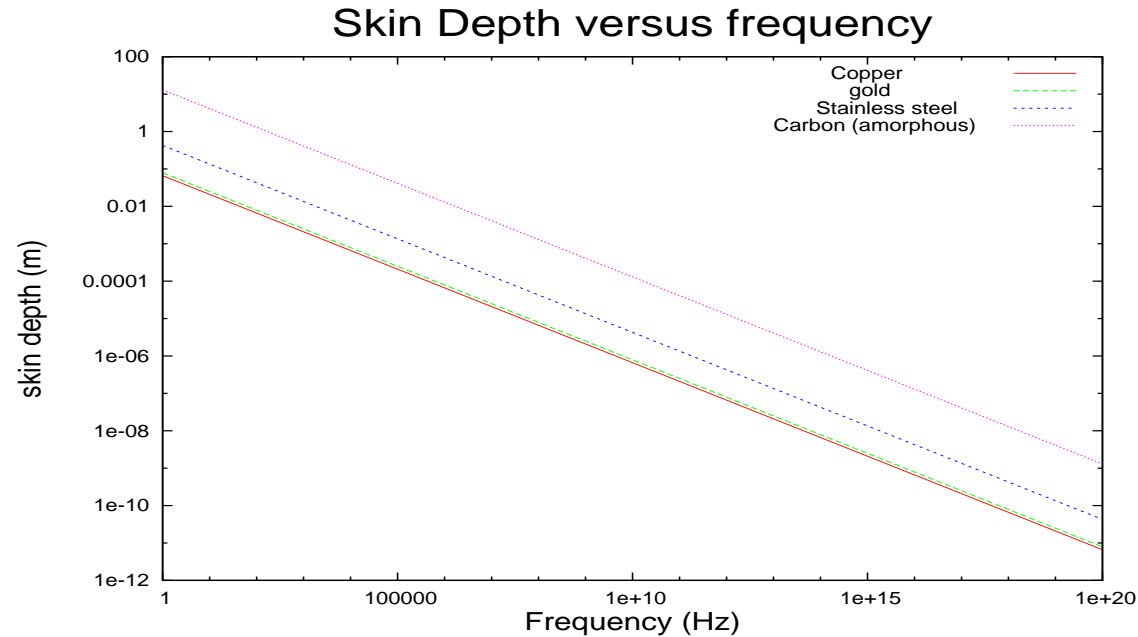
## Attenuated waves - skin depth



- Waves in conducting material are attenuated
- Defines Skin depth (attenuation to  $1/e$ )
- Wave form:  $e^{i(\omega t - kx)} = e^{i(\omega t - (1-i)x/\delta)} = e^{-\frac{x}{\delta}} \cdot e^{i(\omega t - \frac{x}{\delta})}$



# Skin depth - examples



➤ **Copper: 1 GHz  $\delta \approx 2.1 \mu\text{m}$ , 50 Hz  $\delta \approx 10 \text{ mm}$**

➤ **Gold 50 Hz  $\delta \approx 11 \text{ mm}$**

➤ **Q1: why do we use many cables for power lines ??**

➤ **Q2: why are SC cables very thin ?**

# Skin Depth - beam dynamics

For metal walls thicker than  $\delta$  we get **Resistive Wall Impedances**, see later on collective effects.

$$Z(\omega) \propto \delta \propto \omega^{-1/2}$$

- Largest impedance at low frequencies
- Cause longitudinal and transverse instabilities (see later)



## Done ...

- ▣ Review of basics and Maxwell's equations
- ▣ Lorentz force
- ▣ Motion of particles in electromagnetic fields
- ▣ Electromagnetic waves in vacuum
- ▣ Electromagnetic waves in conducting media
  - Waves in RF cavities
  - Waves in wave guides
  - Penetration of waves in material

To make things easier:

say "good bye" to Maxwell and "hello" to Einstein ...



**- BACKUP SLIDES -**

## Scalar products

Define a scalar product for (usual) vectors like:  $\vec{a} \cdot \vec{b}$ ,

$$\vec{a} = (x_a, y_a, z_a) \quad \vec{b} = (x_b, y_b, z_b)$$

$$\vec{a} \cdot \vec{b} = (x_a, y_a, z_a) \cdot (x_b, y_b, z_b) = (x_a \cdot x_b + y_a \cdot y_b + z_a \cdot z_b)$$

This product of two vectors is a scalar (number) not a vector.

(on that account: Scalar Product)

**Example:**

$$(-2, 2, 1) \cdot (2, 4, 3) = -2 \cdot 2 + 2 \cdot 4 + 1 \cdot 3 = 7$$

## Vector products (sometimes cross product)

Define a vector product for (usual) vectors like:  $\vec{a} \times \vec{b}$ ,

$$\vec{a} = (x_a, y_a, z_a) \quad \vec{b} = (x_b, y_b, z_b)$$

$$\begin{aligned} \vec{a} \times \vec{b} &= (x_a, y_a, z_a) \times (x_b, y_b, z_b) \\ &= \left( \underbrace{y_a \cdot z_b - z_a \cdot y_b}_{x_{ab}}, \underbrace{z_a \cdot x_b - x_a \cdot z_b}_{y_{ab}}, \underbrace{x_a \cdot y_b - y_a \cdot x_b}_{z_{ab}} \right) \end{aligned}$$

This product of two vectors is a vector, not a scalar (number), (on that account: **Vector Product**)

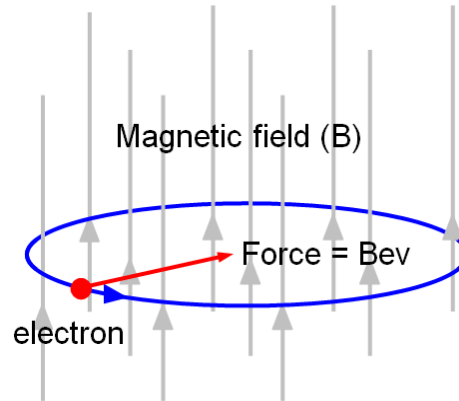
**Example 1:**

$$(-2, 2, 1) \times (2, 4, 3) = (2, 8, -12)$$

**Example 2 (two components only in the  $x - y$  plane):**

$$(-2, 2, 0) \times (2, 4, 0) = (0, 0, -12) \quad (\text{see R. Steerenberg})$$

## Is that the full truth ?



If we have a circulating E-field along the circle of radius R ?

→ should get acceleration !

Remember Maxwell's third equation:

$$\oint_C \vec{E} \cdot d\vec{r} = - \frac{d}{dt} \int_A \vec{B} \cdot d\vec{A}$$

$$\rightarrow 2\pi R E_\theta = - \frac{d\Phi}{dt}$$



# Motion in magnetic fields

■ This is the principle of a **Betatron**

- Time varying magnetic field creates circular electric field !
- Time varying magnetic field deflects the charge !

For a constant radius we need:

$$-\frac{m \cdot v^2}{R} = e \cdot v \cdot B \quad \rightarrow \quad B = -\frac{p}{e \cdot R}$$

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial t} B(r, t) = -\frac{1}{e \cdot R} \frac{dp}{dt}$$

$$\rightarrow B(r, t) = \frac{1}{2} \frac{1}{\pi R^2} \int \int B dS$$

**B-field on orbit must be half the average over the circle**

→ **Betatron condition**





## Some popular confusion ..

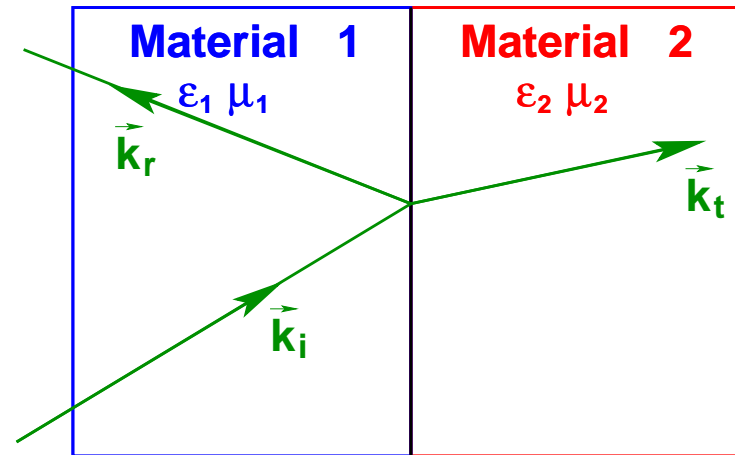
V.F.A.Q: why this strange mixture of  $\vec{E}$ ,  $\vec{D}$ ,  $\vec{B}$ ,  $\vec{H}$  ??

Materials respond to an applied electric  $\mathbf{E}$  field and an applied magnetic  $\mathbf{B}$  field by producing their own internal charge and current distributions, contributing to  $\mathbf{E}$  and  $\mathbf{B}$ . Therefore  $\mathbf{H}$  and  $\mathbf{D}$  fields are used to re-factor Maxwell's equations in terms of the **free** current density  $\vec{j}$  and **free** charge density  $\rho$ :

$$\begin{aligned}\vec{H} &= \frac{\vec{B}}{\mu_0} - \vec{M} \\ \vec{D} &= \epsilon_0 \vec{E} + \vec{P}\end{aligned}$$

$\vec{M}$  and  $\vec{P}$  are *Magnetization* and *Polarisation* in material

# Boundary conditions for fields

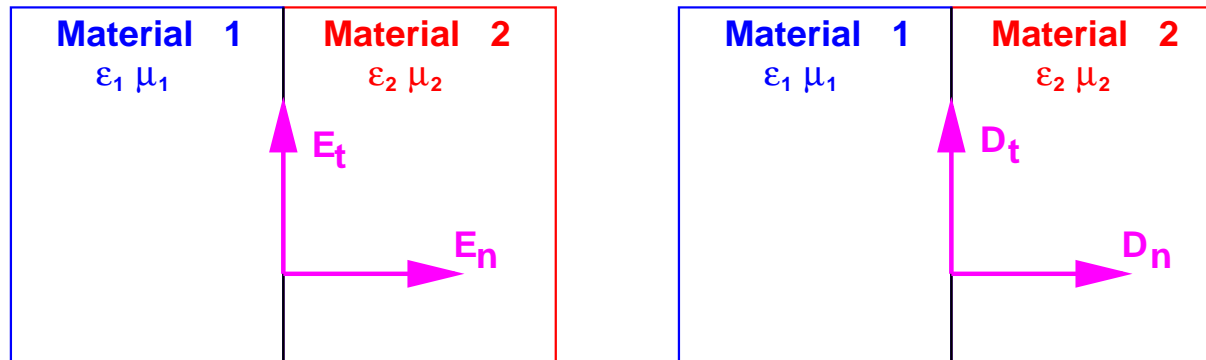


What happens when an incident wave ( $\vec{K}_i$ ) encounters a boundary between two different media ?

- Part of the wave will be reflected ( $\vec{K}_r$ ), part is transmitted ( $\vec{K}_t$ )
- What happens to the electric and magnetic fields ?



# Boundary conditions for fields

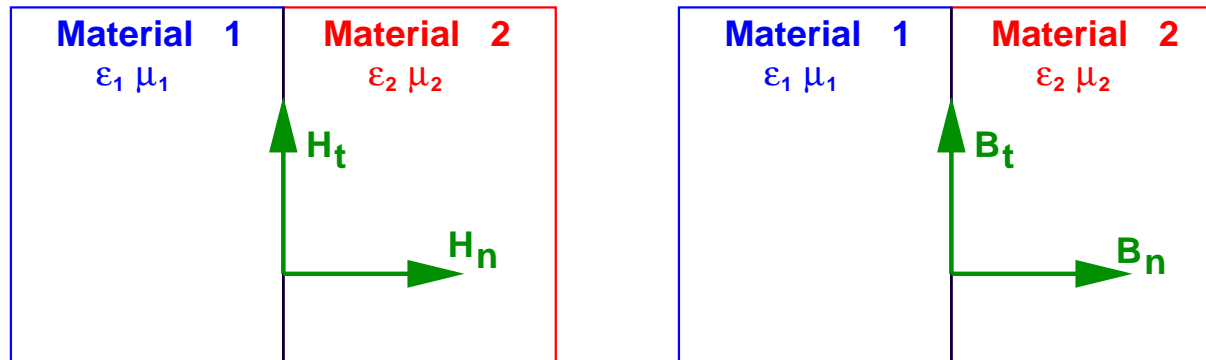


Assuming no surface charges:

- tangential  $\vec{E}$ -field constant across boundary ( $E_{1t} = E_{2t}$ )
- normal  $\vec{D}$ -field constant across boundary ( $D_{1n} = D_{2n}$ )



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