

# Short Introduction to (Classical) Electromagnetic Theory

( .. and applications to accelerators)

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## READING MATERIAL

- J.D. Jackson, *Classical Electrodynamics* (Wiley, 1998 ..)
- R.P. Feynman, *Feynman lectures on Physics*, Vol2.
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- A. Wolski, *Theory of electromagnetic fields*, Proc. CAS: "RF for accelerators", CERN-2011-007.

## Variables, units and (CERN) conventions

Maxwell's equations relate Electric and Magnetic fields from charge and current distributions (SI units).

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

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

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

$\vec{B}$  = magnetic field [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]

It is all about interactions ....

Electromagnetic fields reveal themselves **only** through their interaction with particles

Conveniently described by abstract models, i.e. vectors and potentials:  
(Classical) fields are models of "reality"

Used here: fields in vacuum:

Electric phenomena:  $\vec{D}$

Magnetic phenomena:  $\vec{B}$

Electric and Magnetic potentials:  $\phi$  and  $\vec{A}$

These are well described by Maxwell's equations

Note: theory of electromagnetism and electrodynamics is **not** complete without Special Relativity ...

## Objectives:

- Establish (non-relativistic) Maxwell's equations  
Using a physical and relaxed/informal approach
- Use them in these lectures to get relevant physics  
(wave guides, cavities, magnet and cable design, energy ramping ...)

Note: a simple list of formulae won't do (but there are quite a number of slides as a reference) !

## Look at some mathematics first

- Extension of previous lecture (R.S.), more related to this lecture
- Required to formulate Maxwell's equations but no need to understand details (just follow me step by step)

Initially look abstract, but provide a much better intuitive picture

## Recap: 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 number

**Example:**

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

## Need also Scalar Products (essential for Relativity)

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

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

Multiplication element by (corresponding) element:

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

This product is a "scalar" (single value), not a vector.

**Example:**

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

## Differentiation with vectors - several options:

Input or output can be a vector

Input or output can be a scalar (e.g. a function like:  $\phi(x, y, z)$ )

One defines a special vector  $\nabla$

called the "gradient":

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

Can be used like a vector (e.g. in vector and scalar products), for example:

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

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

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



Specific example for the last operation on a scalar function  $\phi(x, y, z)$ :

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

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

Example:  $\phi(x, y, z) = 0.1x^2 - 0.2xy + z^2$

$$\nabla \phi(x, y, z) = \begin{pmatrix} \frac{\partial\phi}{\partial x} \\ \frac{\partial\phi}{\partial y} \\ \frac{\partial\phi}{\partial z} \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 0.2x - 0.2y \\ -0.2x \\ 2z \end{pmatrix}$$

$\vec{\nabla}$  is very versatile !

$\vec{\nabla}$  can be used like a "normal" vector in all products and can act on a scalar function  $\phi$  (e.g. Potential) as well as on a vector  $\vec{F}$  (e.g. Force)

but the results are very different:

$\nabla \cdot \vec{F}$  is a scalar ( e.g. "density" of a source, see later)

$\nabla \cdot \phi$  is a vector ( e.g. electric field  $\vec{E}$ , force )

$\nabla \times \vec{F}$  is a pseudo-vector ( e.g. magnetic induction  $\vec{B}$  )

$\nabla \cdot \nabla$  is called  $\Delta$  (another important one !)

also contraptions like:  $\nabla \times (\nabla \times \vec{F})$ ,  $\nabla \cdot (\nabla \times \vec{F})$ ,  $\nabla \times (\vec{F}_1 \times \vec{F}_2)$  ..

If bored, prove:  $\nabla \times (\nabla \times \vec{F}) = \nabla \cdot (\nabla \cdot \vec{F}) - \Delta F$

Two operations with  $\nabla$  have special names:

**DIVERGENCE** (scalar product of  $\nabla$  with a vector):

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

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

**CURL** (vector product of  $\nabla$  with a vector):

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

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

## Example: Coulomb field of a point charge Q

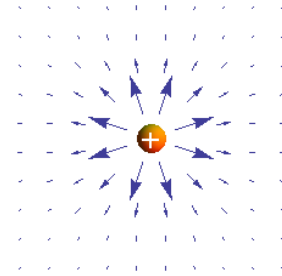
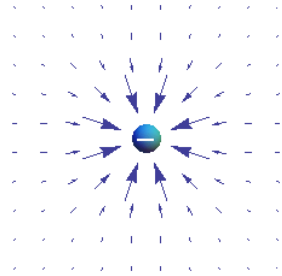
A charge Q generates a field  $\vec{E}(r)$  according to :

$$\vec{E}(r) = \frac{Q}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \frac{\vec{r}}{r^3}$$

depends only on r (rather :  $\frac{1}{r^2}$ )

all field lines pointing away from charge (source) :  $\vec{r}$

expect that divergence  $\text{div } \vec{E}$  has something to tell 



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)

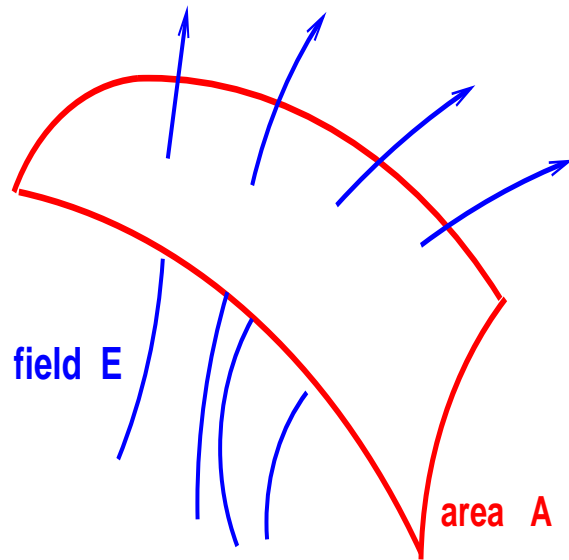
$$\nabla \cdot \vec{E} > 0$$

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

Charge density  $\rho$  is charge per volume:  $\rho = \frac{Q}{V} \implies \iiint \rho \, dV = Q$

<sup>\*)</sup> see backup slides if interested

## How to quantify electric (or magnetic) fields ?



Count field vectors (somehow)  
passing through an area

Counting is Integrating

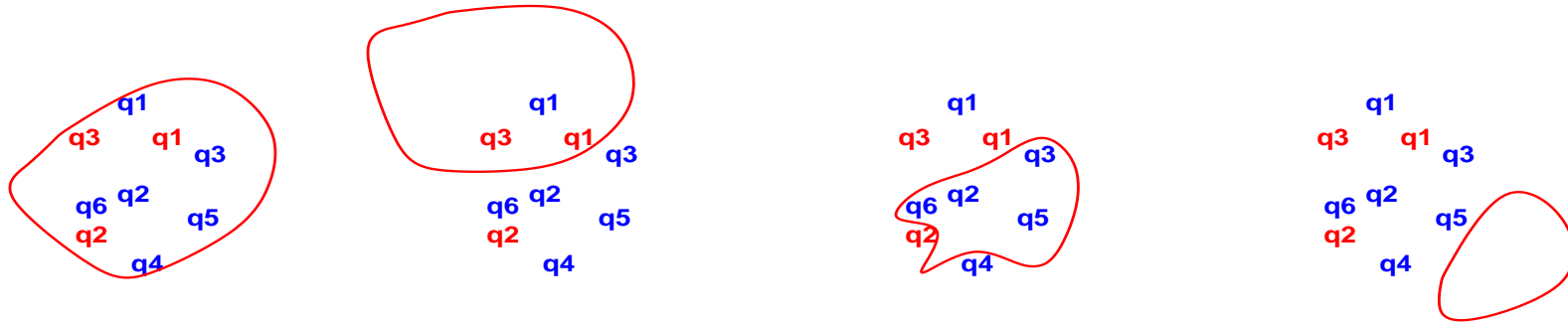
$$\Omega = \iint \vec{E} \cdot d\vec{A}$$

$\Omega$  is the **flux** through the area A

- Larger field - more flux
- Larger area - more flux

What if the area is closed, i.e. a surface ?

**Integrating fields (2D) - add field lines through the boundary:**



$$\int_{A_1} \vec{E} \cdot d\vec{A} = +3q$$

$$\int_{A_2} \vec{E} \cdot d\vec{A} = -1q$$

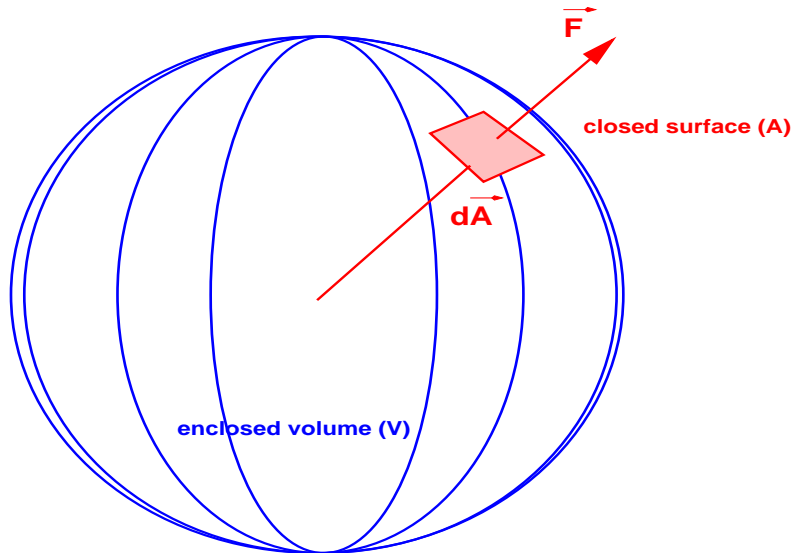
$$\int_{A_3} \vec{E} \cdot d\vec{A} = +4q$$

$$\int_{A_4} \vec{E} \cdot d\vec{A} = 0$$

**Any closed surface around charges "counts" the charges enclosed (independent of shape !!!) !**

- ➔ If positive: total net charge enclosed positive
- ➔ If negative: total net charge enclosed negative
- ➔ If zero: no charges enclosed

If the shape does not matter - make it a sphere (because it is easy to compute):



$$\Omega = \iint_A \vec{E} \cdot d\vec{A}$$

Count how many go in  $\phi_{in}$  and how many go out  $\phi_{out}$

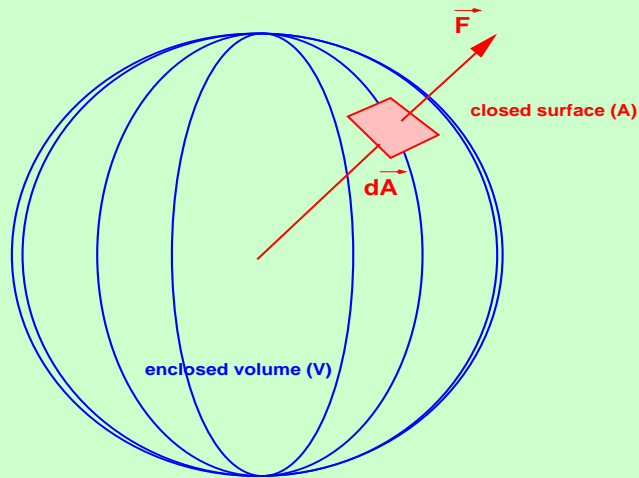
→ Difference is the flux through the sphere

Measures somehow what is diverging from the inside ...

Sounds like we should make some use of **div** ??



Used in the following: Gauss' theorem to evaluate flux integral:



$$\iint_A \vec{E} \cdot d\vec{A} = \iiint_V \nabla \cdot \vec{E} \cdot dV \quad \text{or}$$

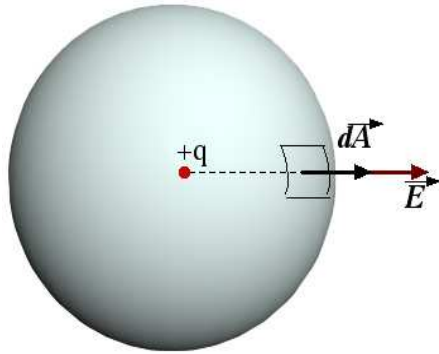
$$\iint_A \vec{E} \cdot d\vec{A} = \iiint_V \text{div } \vec{E} \cdot dV$$

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

Surface integral related to the divergence from the enclosed volume

Sum of all sources inside the volume gives the flux out of this region  
(remember the pictures a few slides ago)

## More formal: Maxwell's first equation using Gauss's



charge density  $\rho$  to charge  $Q$  :  $\int_V \frac{\rho}{\epsilon_0} \cdot dV = \frac{Q}{\epsilon_0}$

$$\int_A \vec{E} \cdot d\vec{A} = \int_V \nabla \cdot \vec{E} \cdot dV = \frac{Q}{\epsilon_0} = \left[ \int_V \frac{\rho}{\epsilon_0} \cdot dV \right]$$

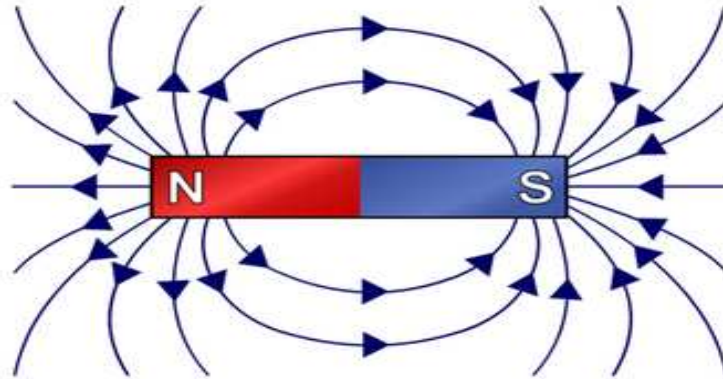
Written with charge density  $\rho$  we get Maxwell's first equation:

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

The higher the charge density:

- The larger the divergence of the field
- The more comes out/diverges

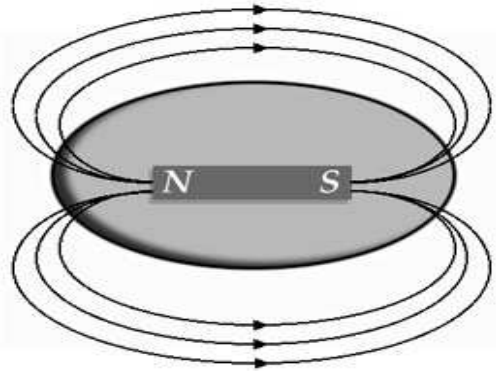
## What about magnetic fields ? ...



- Field lines of  $\vec{B}$  are always closed
- They have a direction (by definition): magnetic field lines from **North** to **South**
- $Q_{fcb}$ : which is the direction of the earth magnetic field lines ?

What about divergence of magnetic fields ?

Enclose it again in a surface:



$$\int \int_A \vec{B} \cdot d\vec{A} = \int \int \int_V \nabla \cdot \vec{B} \, dV = 0$$

Volume (thus  $dV$ ) is never = 0

→  $\nabla \cdot \vec{B} = \text{div } \vec{B} = 0$

What goes **into** the closed surface also goes **out**

→ Maxwell's second equation:  $\nabla \cdot \vec{B} = \text{div } \vec{B} = 0$

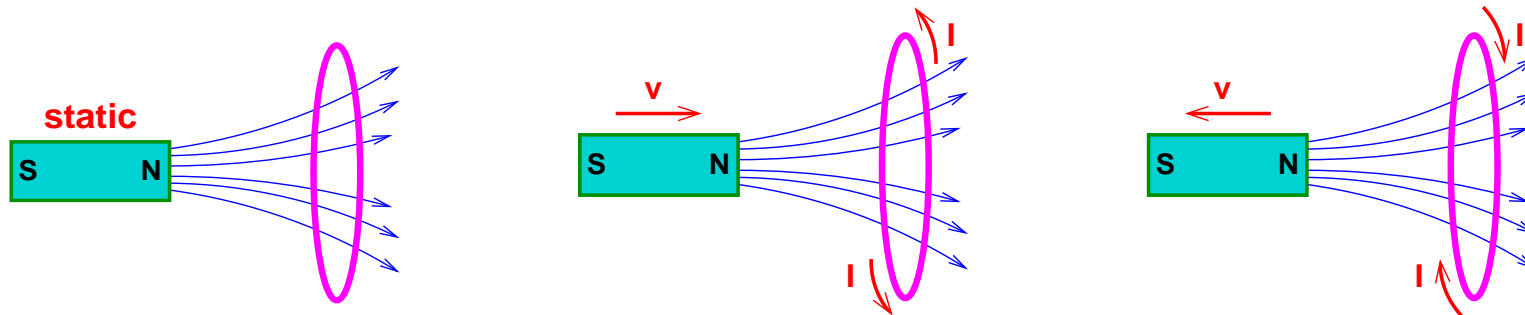
→ Physical significance: (probably) no Magnetic Monopoles

## Enter Faraday

Again look at the flux through an area (enclosed by a coil)

static flux :  $\Omega = \int_A \vec{B} \cdot d\vec{A}$

changing flux :  $\frac{\partial \Omega}{\partial t} = \int_A \frac{\partial(\vec{B})}{\partial t} \cdot d\vec{A}$



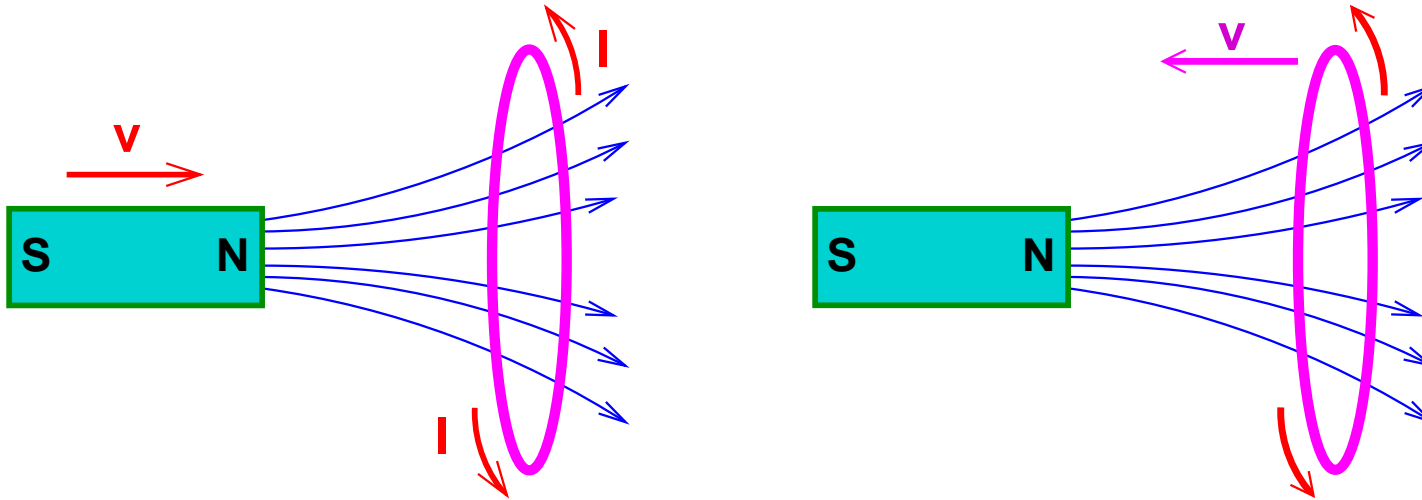
Moving the magnet changes the flux (density or number of lines) through the area  $\implies$

Induces a circulating (curling) electric field  $\vec{E}$  in the coil which "pushes" charges around the coil  $\implies$

Current **I** in the coil (observe its direction ..)

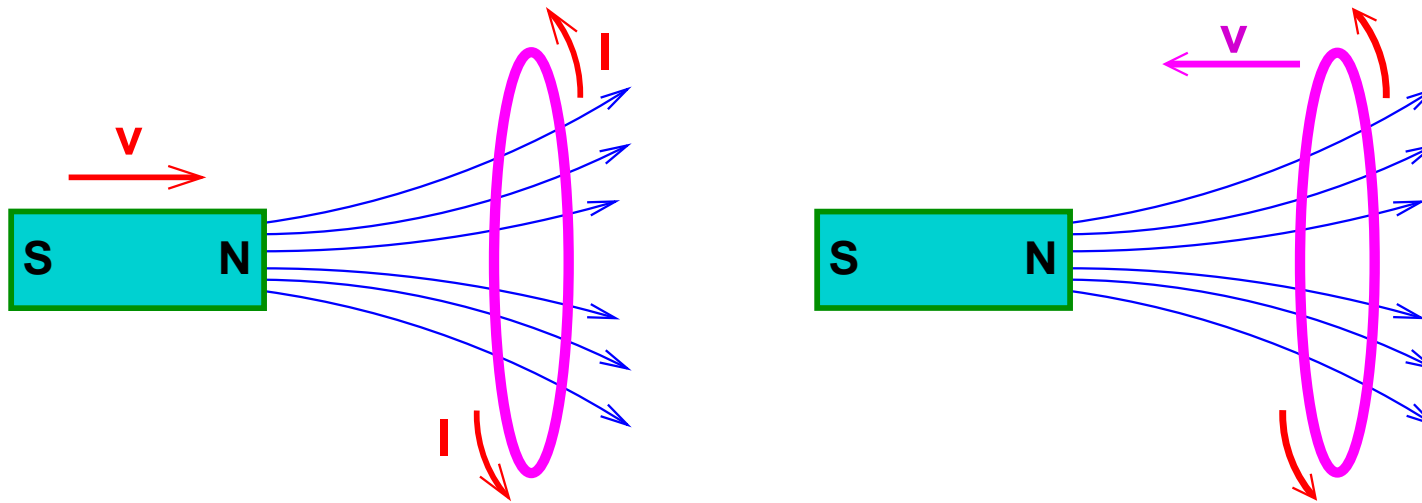
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If you think it is obvious - not for everybody :

**This** was the reason for Einstein to develop special relativity !!!

A changing flux  $\Omega$  through an area  $A$  produces circular electric field  $\vec{E}$ ,  
 "pushing" charges  $\implies$  a current  $I$

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

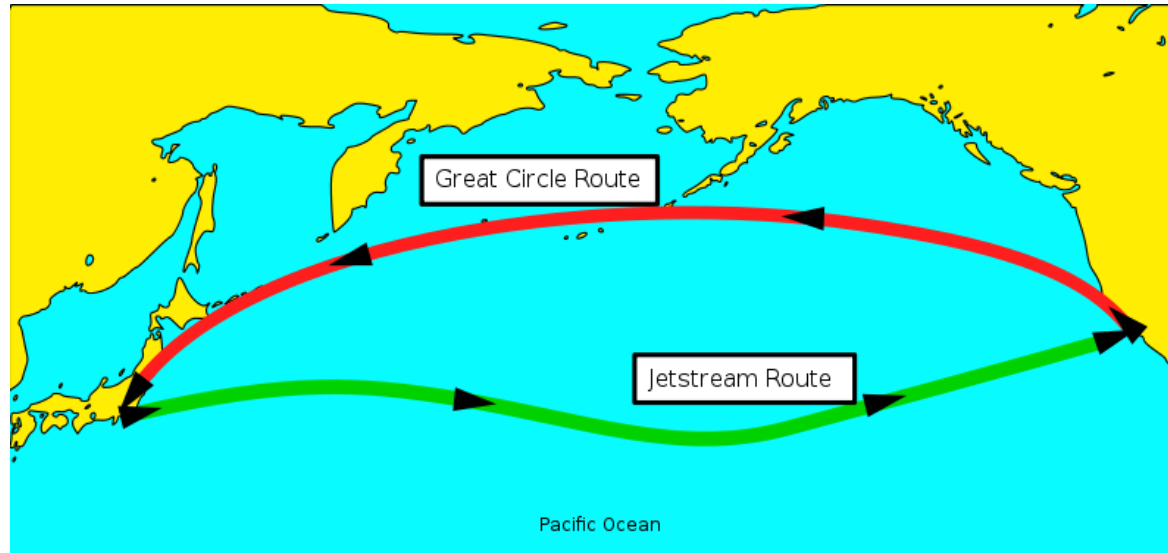
Flux can be changed by:

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

How to count "pushed charges"  $\left[ \int_C \vec{E} \cdot d\vec{r} \text{ is a } \underline{\text{line integral}} \right]$



Everyday example ..

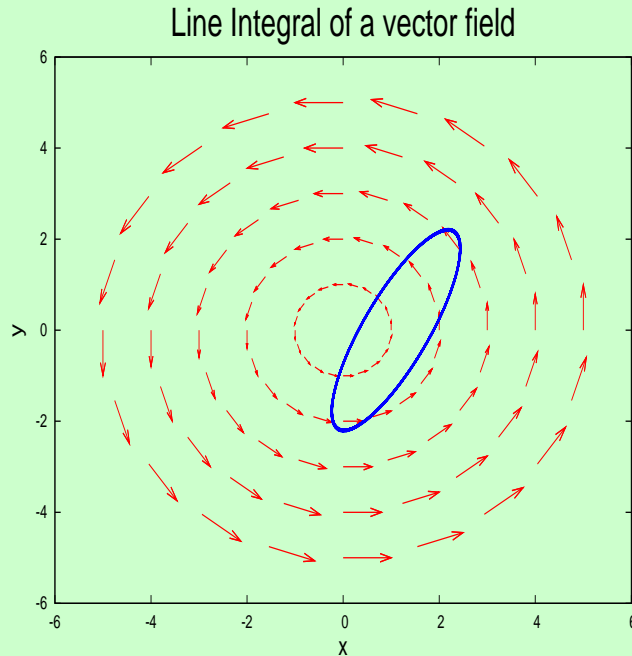


**Line integrals:** sum up "pushes" along the two Lines/Routes

**Optimize:** e.g. fuel consumption, time of flight

Note :  $\int_C \vec{F} \cdot d\vec{r}$  can be written as  $\iint_A \nabla \times \vec{F} \cdot d\vec{A}$  or  $\iint_A \text{curl } \vec{F} \cdot d\vec{A}$

## Used in the following: Stoke's theorem



$$\oint_C \vec{F} \cdot d\vec{r} = \iint_A \nabla \times \vec{F} \cdot d\vec{A} \quad \text{or}$$

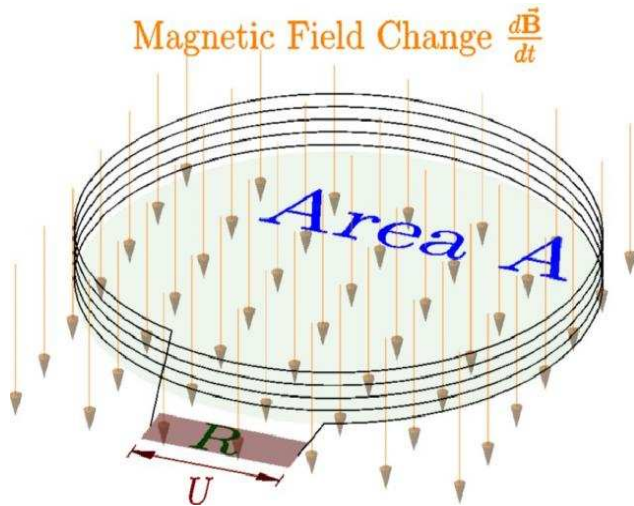
$$\oint_C \vec{F} \cdot d\vec{r} = \iint_A \text{curl } \vec{F} \cdot d\vec{A}$$

obviously :  $\text{div } \vec{F} = 0$

Summing up all vectors inside the area: net effect is the sum along the closed curve

➡ measures something that is "curling" inside and how strongly

One case use this theorem for a coil enclosing a closed area



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

$$\underbrace{\int_A - \frac{\partial \vec{B}}{\partial t} d\vec{A}}_{\text{same Integration}} = \int_A \nabla \times \vec{E} d\vec{A}$$

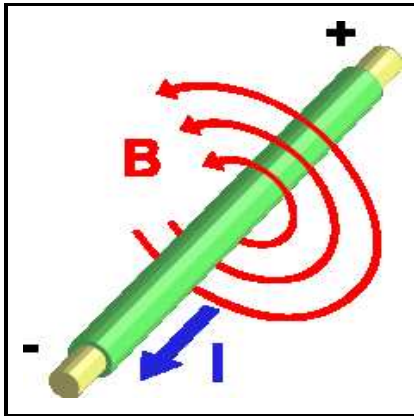
Re-written: changing magnetic field through an area induces curling electric field around the area (Faraday)

Maxwell' 3rd equation

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

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

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



$$\int_A \nabla \times \vec{B} \cdot d\vec{A} = \oint_C \vec{B} \cdot d\vec{r} = \int_A \mu_0 \vec{j} \cdot d\vec{A}$$

$\vec{j}$ : "amount" of charges through area  $\vec{A}$

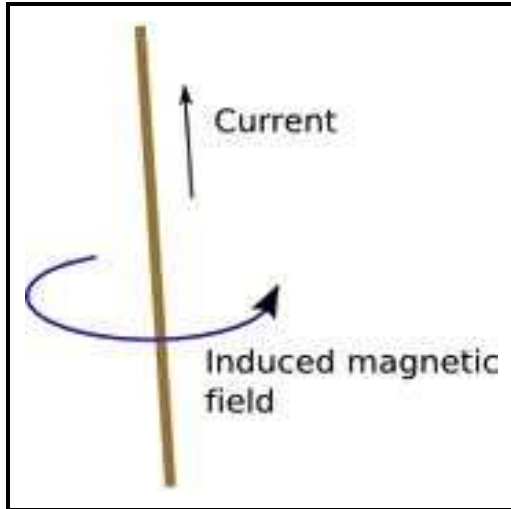
$$\int_A \mu_0 \vec{j} \cdot d\vec{A} = \mu_0 I \quad (\text{total current})$$

Static electric current induces circular magnetic field (magnets !)

Using the same argument as before:

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

For a static electric current  $I$  in a single wire we get Biot-Savart law (using the area of a circle  $A = r^2 \cdot \pi$ , we can easily do the integral):



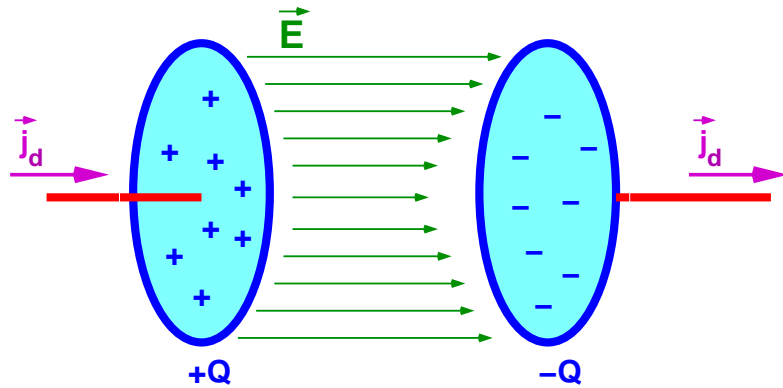
$$\vec{B} = \frac{\mu_0}{4\pi} \oint \vec{j} \cdot \frac{\vec{r} \cdot d\vec{r}}{r^3}$$

$$\vec{B} = \frac{\mu_0}{2\pi} \frac{\vec{j}}{r}$$

**Application: magnetic field calculations in wires**

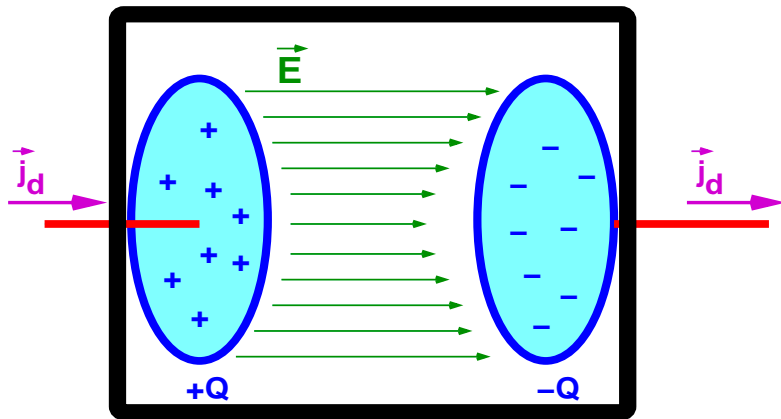
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Displacement Current :

$$\vec{j}_d = \frac{d\vec{E}}{dt}$$

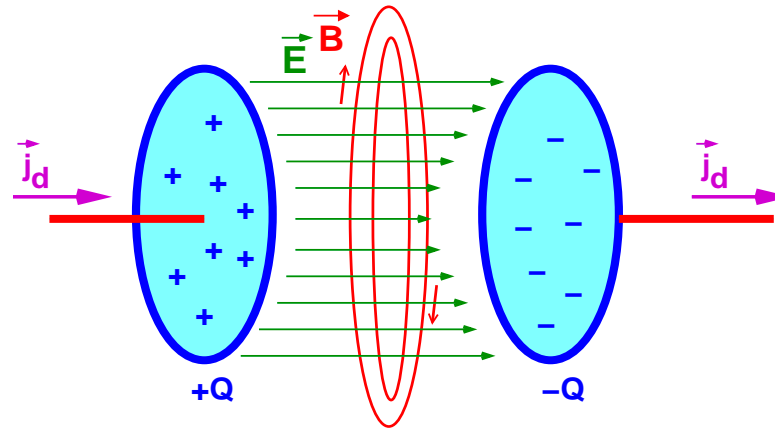
This is not a current from charges moving through a wire

This is a "current" from time varying electric fields

Once charged: fields are constant, (displacement) "current" stops

Cannot distinguish the origin of a current - apply Ampere's law to  $j_d$

→ Displacement current  $j_d$  produces magnetic field, just like "real currents" do ...



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

$$\nabla \times \vec{B} = \mu_0 \vec{j}_d = \epsilon_0 \mu_0 \frac{d\vec{E}}{dt}$$



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

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

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

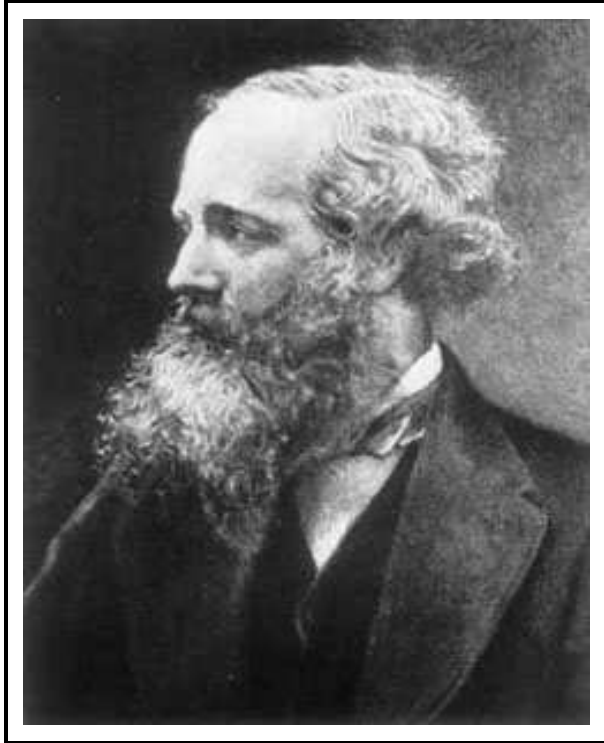
or putting them together to get Maxwell's fourth equation:

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

or in integral form:

$$\int_A \nabla \times \vec{B} \cdot d\vec{A} = \int_A \left( \mu_0 \vec{j} + \epsilon_0 \mu_0 \frac{\partial \vec{E}}{\partial t} \right) \cdot d\vec{A}$$

## SUMMARY: MAXWELL'S EQUATIONS



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

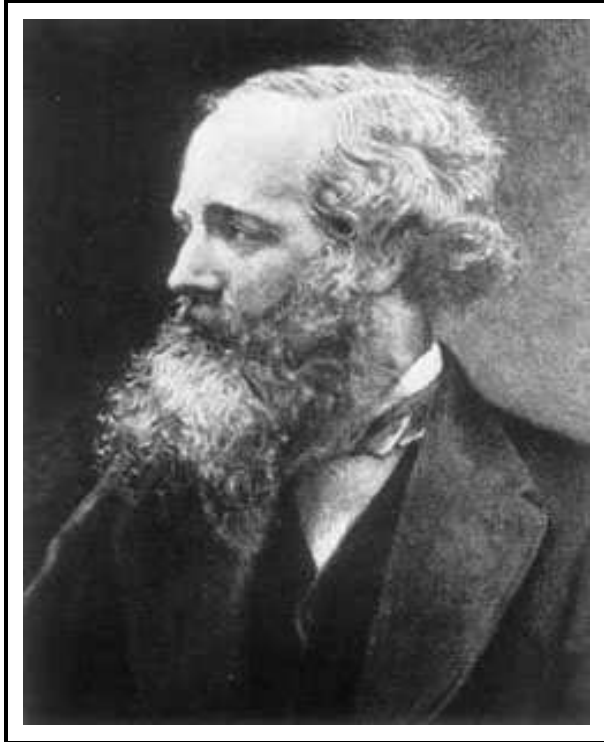
$$\int_A \vec{B} \cdot d\vec{A} = 0$$

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

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

Written in **Integral form**

## SUMMARY: MAXWELL'S EQUATIONS



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

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

$$\nabla \times \vec{E} = -\frac{d\vec{B}}{dt}$$

$$\nabla \times \vec{B} = \mu_0 \vec{j} + \mu_0 \epsilon_0 \frac{d\vec{E}}{dt}$$

Written in **Differential form (my preference)**

## V.G.F.A.Q:

Why :

$$\operatorname{div} \vec{E} = \frac{\rho}{\epsilon_0}$$

$$\operatorname{curl} \vec{E} = -\frac{d\vec{B}}{dt}$$

$$\operatorname{div} \vec{B} = 0$$

$$\operatorname{curl} \vec{B} = \mu_0 \vec{j} + \mu_0 \epsilon_0 \frac{d\vec{E}}{dt}$$

Why Not :

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

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

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

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

something ( $\vec{E}$ ) spreading out

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

???

$$\text{curl } \vec{E} = -\frac{d\vec{B}}{dt}$$

something ( $\vec{E}$ ) circulating

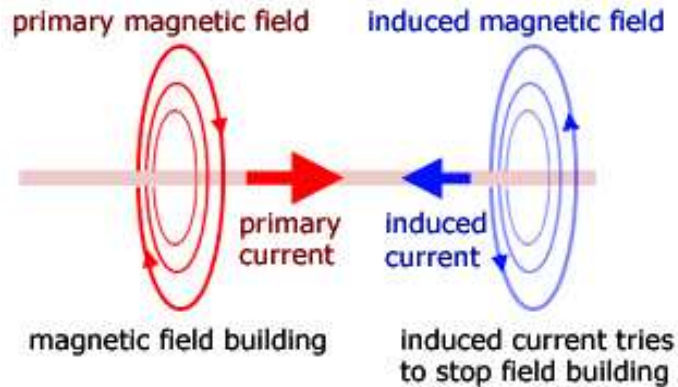
$$\oint_C \vec{E} \cdot d\vec{r} = -\int_A \left( \frac{d\vec{B}}{dt} \right) \cdot d\vec{A}$$

???

## Maxwell's Equations - compact

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

## Changing fields: Powering and self-induction



- Primary magnetic flux  $\vec{B}$  changes with changing current
- ➔ Induces an electric field, resulting in a current and induced magnetic field  $\vec{B}_i$
- ➔ Induced current will oppose a change of the primary current
- ➔ If we want to change a current to ramp a magnet ...  
Have to overcome this counteraction, applying a sufficient  
Voltage: if pushed, push harder

**Ramp rate determines required Voltage:**

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

**Inductance  $L$  in Henry ( $H$ )**

**Example:**

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

**→ Required Voltage is  $\approx 150 V$**



## Lorentz force on charged particles

Note:

Lorentz force is an ad hoc addition to Maxwell equations !

Can not be derived/understood without Relativity (but then it comes out easily !)

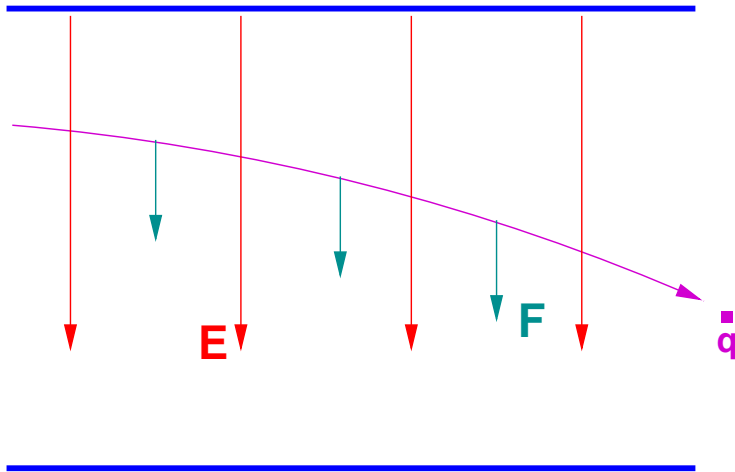
Moving ( $\vec{v}$ ) charged ( $q$ ) particles in electric ( $\vec{E}$ ) and magnetic ( $\vec{B}$ ) fields experience the Lorentz force  $\vec{f}$ :

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

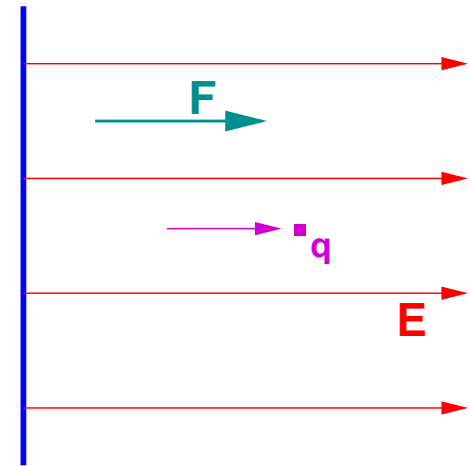
for the equation of motion we get (using Newton's law);

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

## Motion in electric fields



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



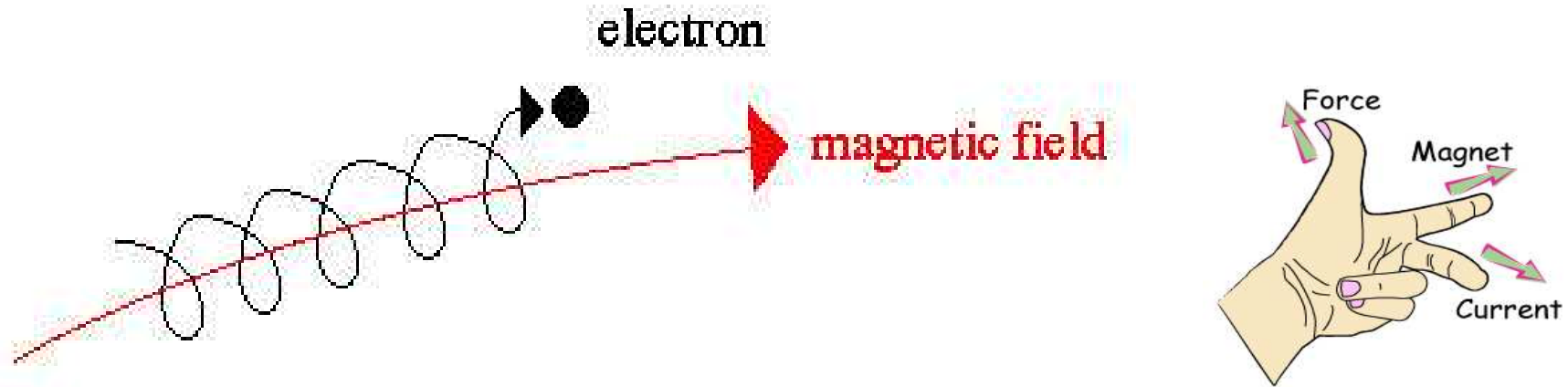
$$\vec{v} \parallel \vec{E}$$

**Assume no magnetic field:**

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

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

## Motion in magnetic fields



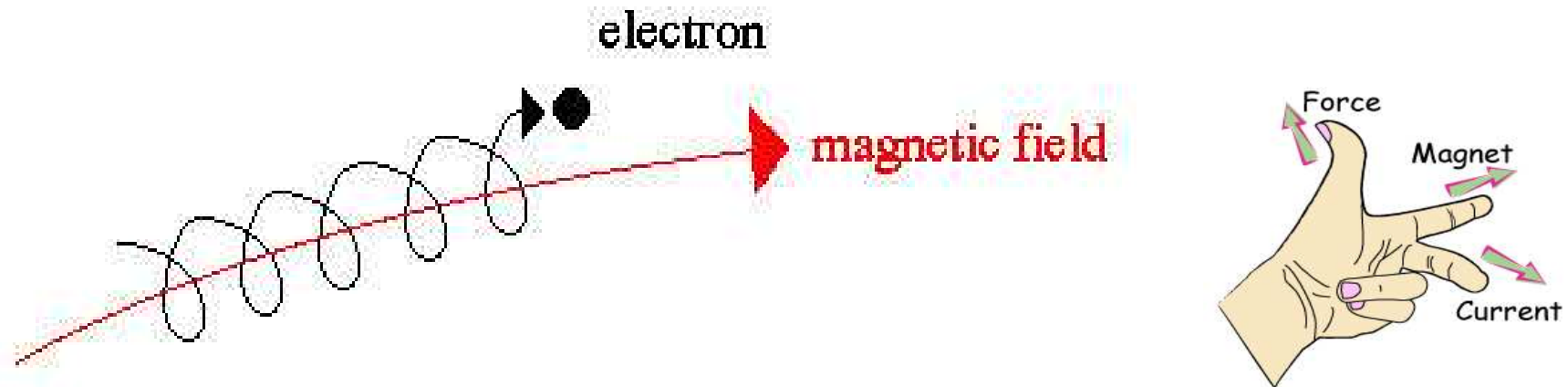
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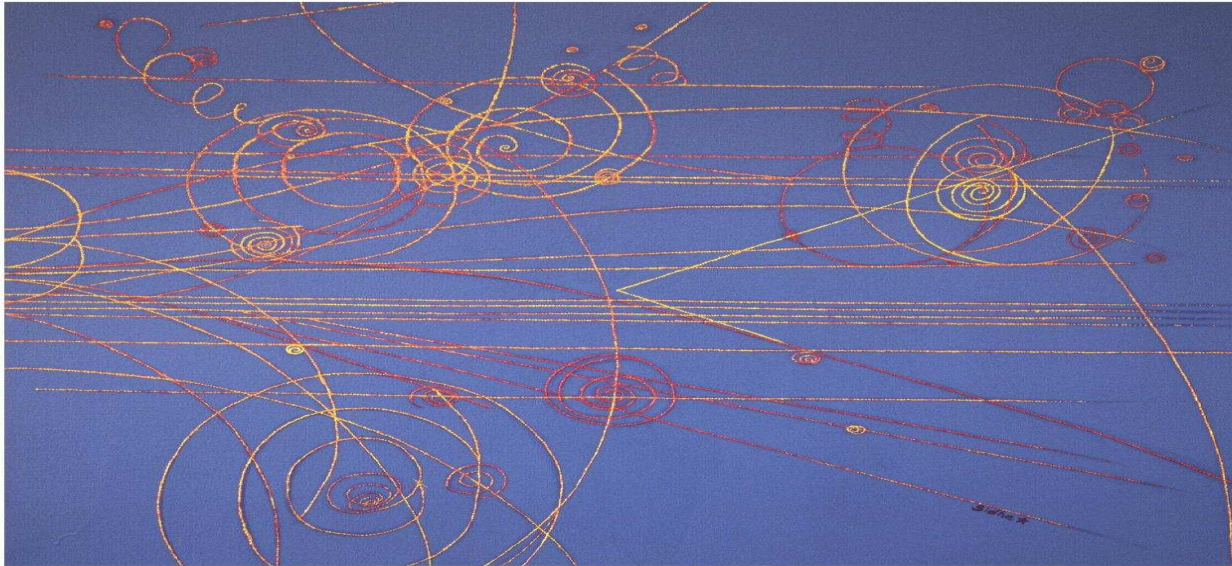
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**Yes,** but see next lecture ...

## Particle motion in magnetic fields - made visible



- Magnetic field perpendicular to motion
- Bending radius depends on momentum
- Bending radius depends on charge
- Direction of the magnetic field  $\vec{B}$  ???

**Practical units:**

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

**Example LHC:**

$$B = 8.33 \text{ T}, \quad p = 7^{12} \text{ eV/c} \quad \rightarrow \quad \rho = 2804 \text{ m}$$

**More - bending angle  $\alpha$  of a dipole magnet of length  $L$ :**

$$\alpha = \frac{B [T] \cdot L [m] \cdot 0.3}{p [GeV/c]}$$

**Example LHC:**

$$B = 8.33 \text{ T}, \quad p = 7000 \text{ GeV/c}, \quad L = 14.3 \text{ m} \quad \rightarrow \quad \alpha = 5.11 \text{ mrad}$$

## En passant: Energy in electric and magnetic fields

Energy density in electric field:

$$U_E = \frac{\text{energy}}{\text{volume}} = \frac{1}{2} \epsilon_0 E^2$$

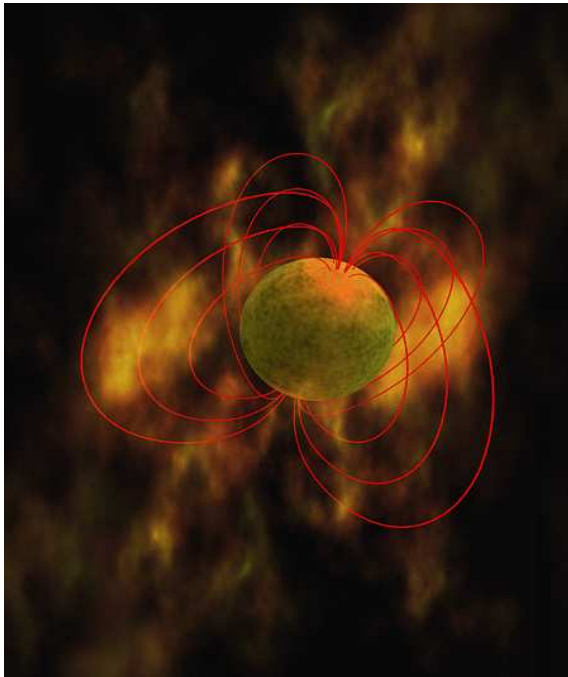
Energy density in magnetic field:

$$U_B = \frac{\text{energy}}{\text{volume}} = \frac{1}{2} \frac{B^2}{\mu_0}$$

Everyday example:  $B = 5 \cdot 10^{-5} \text{ T}$  (= 0.5 Gauss)

→  $U_B \approx 1 \text{ mJ/m}^3$

... and some really strong magnetic fields



Example : [CXOUJ164710.2 – 45516](#)

Diameter : 10 – 20 km

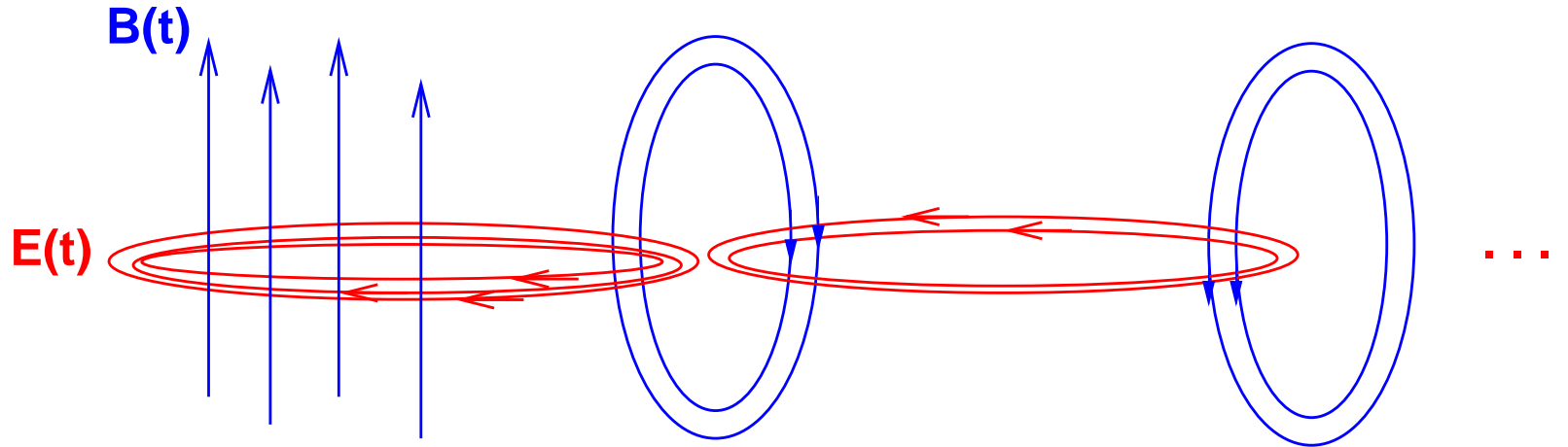
Field :  $\approx 10^{12}$  Tesla

As accelerator :  $\approx 10^{12}$  TeV

**Very fast time varying electromagnetic fields -  $\gamma$ -ray bursts up to  $10^{40}$  W**



## Time Varying Fields - (Maxwell 1864)



**Time varying magnetic fields produce circular electric fields**

**Time varying electric fields produce circular magnetic fields**

- Can produce self-sustaining, propagating fields (i.e. waves)**
- Rather useful picture (but without "Relativity": BIG problems)**

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

From  $\nabla \times \vec{E} = -\frac{\partial \vec{B}}{\partial t}$  educated guess and juggling with  $\nabla$ :

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

$$\nabla^2 \vec{E} = \mu_0 \cdot \epsilon_0 \cdot \frac{\partial^2 \vec{E}}{\partial t^2} = \frac{1}{c^2} \frac{\partial^2 \vec{E}}{\partial t^2} \quad (\text{same equation for } \vec{B})$$

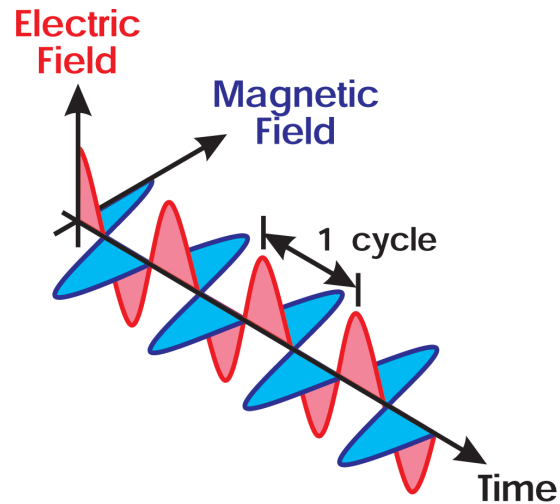
→ Equation for a wave with velocity:  $c = \frac{1}{\sqrt{\mu_0 \cdot \epsilon_0}}$

Challenge: try to derive the wave equation from the Integral Form

## Electromagnetic waves

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

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



Important quantities :

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

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

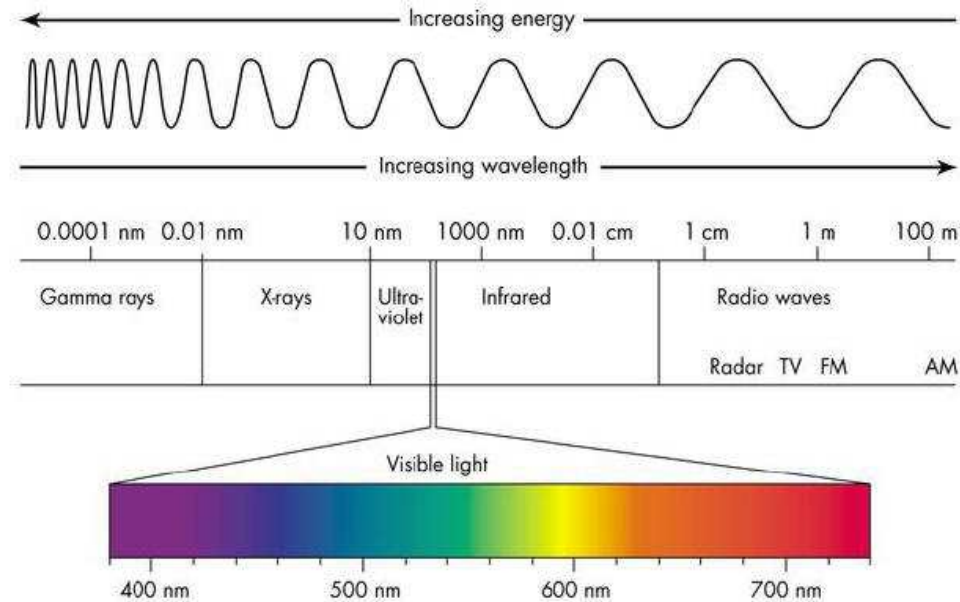
$$\omega = (\text{frequency} \cdot 2\pi)$$

Magnetic and electric fields are transverse to direction of propagation:

$$\vec{E} \perp \vec{B} \perp \vec{k}$$

Short wave length  $\rightarrow$  high frequency  $\rightarrow$  high energy

## Spectrum of Electromagnetic waves



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

**(For estimates using temperature:  $3$  K  $\approx 0.00025$  eV )**

Waves in material → Index of refraction:  $n$

Speed of electromagnetic waves in vacuum:  $c = \frac{1}{\sqrt{\mu_0 \cdot \epsilon_0}}$



$$n = \frac{\text{Speed of light in vacuum}}{\text{Speed of light in material}}$$

For water  $n \approx 1.33$




Depends on wavelength

$$n \approx 1.32 - 1.39$$

## Waves **impacting** material

Need to look at the behaviour of electromagnetic fields at boundaries between different materials

Important for highly conductive materials in accelerators, e.g.:

-  RF systems
-  Wave guides
-  Impedance calculations

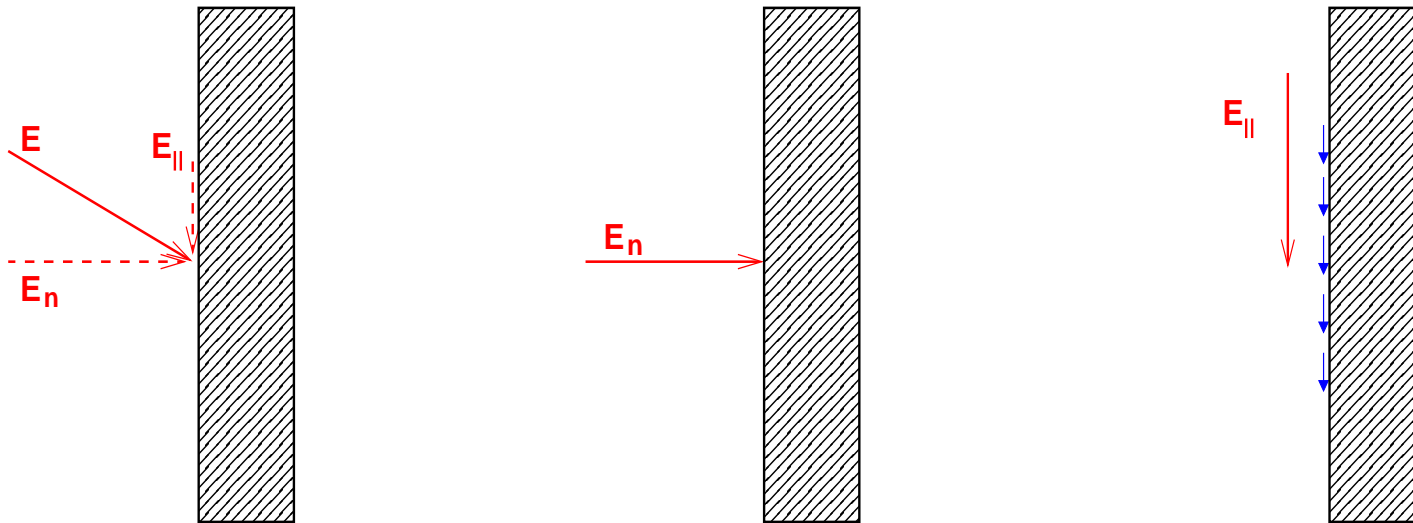
Can be derived immediately from Maxwell's equations

(using all  $\text{div}\vec{E}$ ,  $\text{div}\vec{B}$ ,  $\text{curl}\vec{E}$ ,  $\text{curl}\vec{B}$ )

Here only the results !

## Boundary conditions: air/vacuum and conductor

A simple case ( $\vec{E}$ -fields on a conducting surface):



Field parallel to surface  $E_{||}$  cannot exist (it would move charges and we get a surface current):  $E_{||} = 0$

➤ Only a field normal (orthogonal) to surface  $E_n$  is possible

## Extreme case: ideal conductor

For an ideal conductor (i.e. no resistance) we must have:

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

otherwise the surface current becomes infinite

This implies:

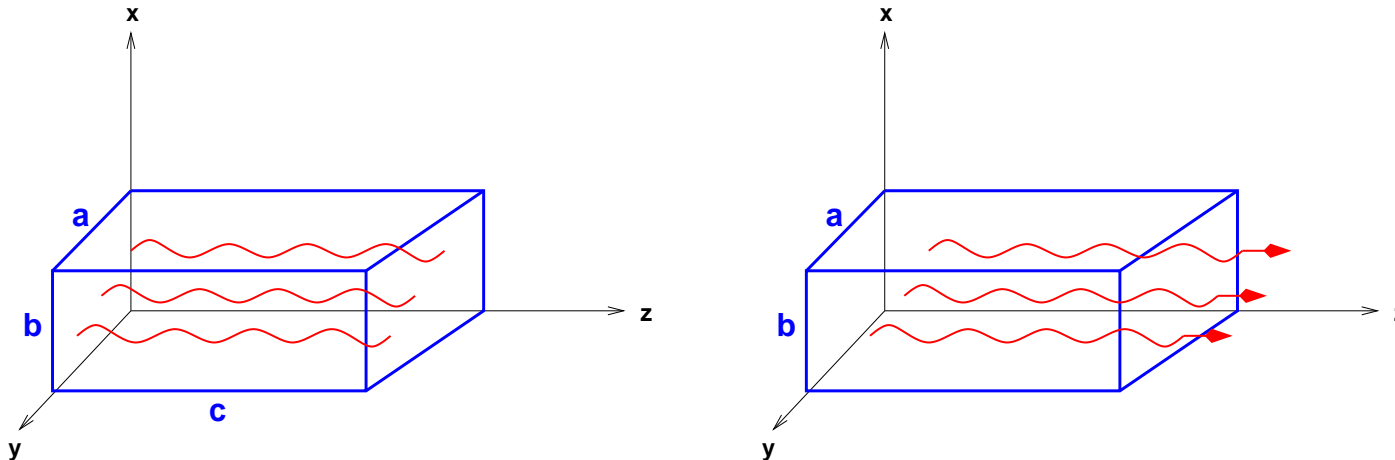
- All energy of an electromagnetic wave is reflected from the surface of an ideal conductor.
- Fields at any point in the ideal conductor are zero.
- Only some fieldpatterns are allowed in **waveguides** and **RF cavities**

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



## 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

(here just the basics, many details in "RF Systems" by Frank Tecker)

## Fields in RF cavities - as reference

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

Without derivations, the components of the fields are:

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

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

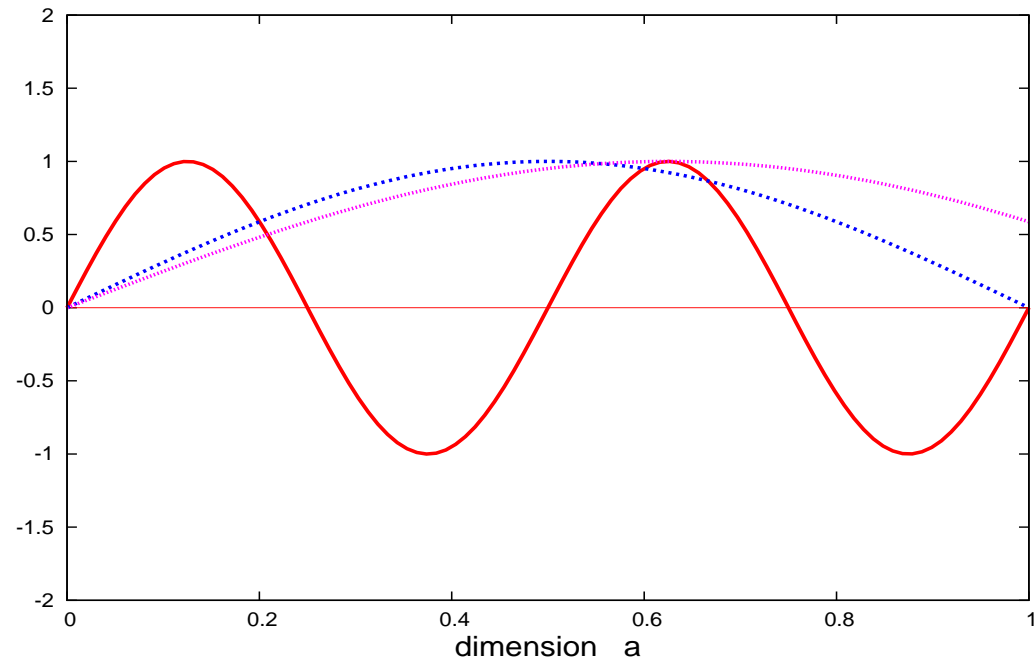
$$E_z = E_{z0} \cdot \sin(k_x x) \cdot \sin(k_y y) \cdot \cos(k_z z) \cdot e^{-i\omega t}$$

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

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

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### 'Modes' in cavities - 1 transverse dimension



No electric field at boundaries, wave must have "nodes" = zero fields at the boundaries

Only modes which 'fit' into the cavity are allowed

In the example:  $\frac{\lambda}{2} = \frac{a}{4}$ ,  $\frac{\lambda}{2} = \frac{a}{1}$ ,  $\frac{\lambda}{2} = \frac{a}{0.8}$

(then either "sin" or "cos" is 0)

## Consequences for RF cavities

Field must be zero at conductor boundary, only possible if:

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

and for  $k_x, k_y, k_z$  we can write, (then they all fit):

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

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

→ half wave length  $\lambda/2$  must always fit exactly the size of the cavity.

(For cylindrical cavities: use cylindrical coordinates )

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

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

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

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

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

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**This part is new:  $e^{i(k_z z)}$   $\implies$  something moving in z direction**

**In z direction: No Boundary - No Boundary Condition ...**

## 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 (no boundaries in direction of propagation  $z$ ):

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

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

Re-writing the condition as:

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

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
- At cut-off frequency: standing wave
- Below cut-off frequency: attenuated wave (it does not "fit in").

There is a very easy way to show that very high frequencies easily propagate !!!

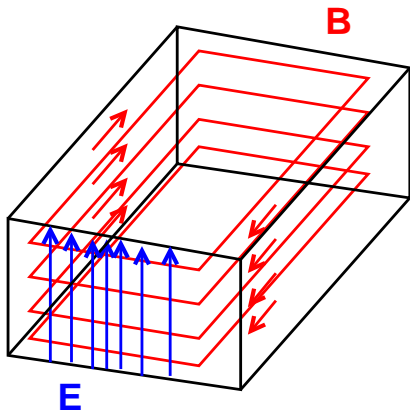
## Classification of modes:

Transverse electric modes (TE):  $E_z = 0$   $H_z \neq 0$

Transverse magnetic modes (TM):  $E_z \neq 0$   $H_z = 0$

Transverse electric-magnetic modes (TEM):  $E_z = 0$   $H_z = 0$

(Not all of them can be used for acceleration ... !)



Note (here a TE mode) :

Electric field lines end at boundaries

Magnetic field lines appear as "loops"



## Other case: finite conductivity

Starting from Maxwell equation:

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

Wave equations:

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

We want to know  $k$  with this new contribution:

$$k^2 = \frac{\omega^2}{c^2} - \underbrace{i\omega\sigma\mu}_{\text{new}}$$

## Consequence → Skin Depth

Electromagnetic waves can now penetrate into the conductor !

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

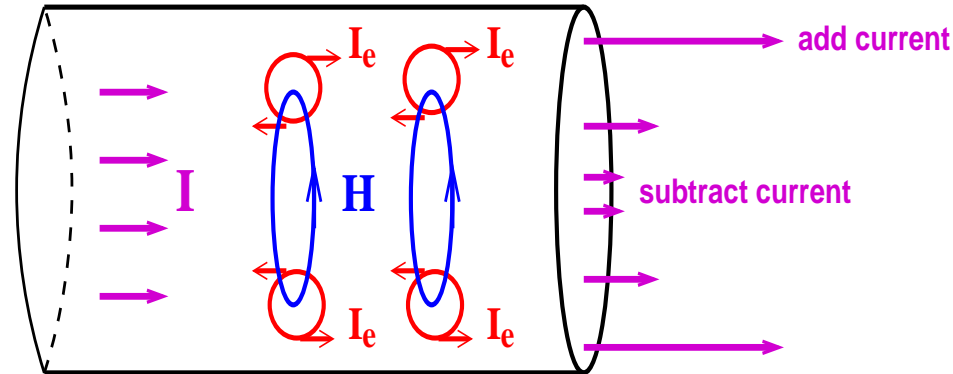
$$k^2 \approx -i\omega\mu\sigma \quad \rightarrow \quad k \approx \sqrt{\frac{\omega\mu\sigma}{2}}(1+i) = \frac{1}{\delta}(1+i)$$

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

is the Skin Depth

- High frequency currents "avoid" penetrating into a conductor, flow near the surface
- Penetration depth small for large conductivity

”Explanation” - inside a conductor (very schematic)



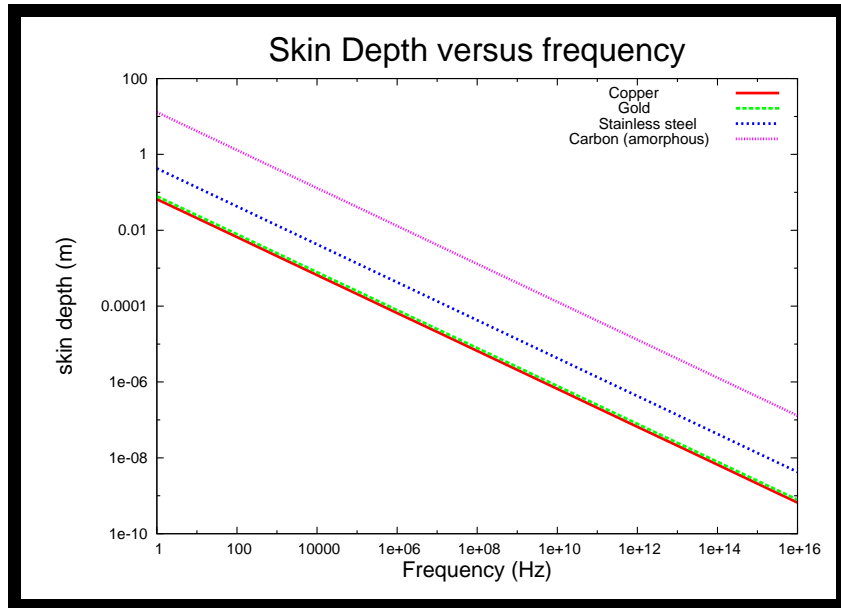
**Eddy currents  $I_E$  from changing  $\vec{H}$ -field:**  $\nabla \times \vec{E} = \mu_0 \frac{d\vec{H}}{dt}$

Cancel current flow in the centre of the conductor  $I - I_e$

Enforce current flow near the "skin" (surface)  $I + I_e$

Q: Why are high frequency cables thin ??

## Attenuated waves - penetration depth



Waves incident on conducting material are attenuated

Basically by the Skin depth :  
(attenuation to  $1/e$ )

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

**Wave form:**

$$e^{i(kz-\omega t)} = e^{i((1+i)z/\delta-\omega t)} = e^{-\frac{z}{\delta}} \cdot e^{i(\frac{z}{\delta}-\omega t)}$$

**Values of  $\delta$  can have a very large range ..**

➤ **Skin depth Copper ( $\sigma \approx 6 \cdot 10^7 \text{ S/m}$ ):**

**2.45 GHz:  $\delta \approx 1.5 \mu\text{m}$ ,      50 Hz:  $\delta \approx 10 \text{ mm}$**

**(there is an easy way to waste your money ...)**

➤ **Penetration depth Glass (strong variation,  $\sigma$  typically  $6 \cdot 10^{-13} \text{ S/m}$ ):**

**2.45 GHz:  $\delta > \text{km}$**

➤ **Penetration depth pig (strong variation,  $\sigma$  typically  $3 \cdot 10^{-2} \text{ S/m}$ ):**

**2.45 GHz:  $\delta \approx 6 \text{ cm}$**

➤ **Penetration depth Seawater ( $\sigma \approx 4 \text{ S/m}$ ):**

**76 Hz:  $\delta \approx 25 - 30 \text{ m}$**

## Done list:

1. Review of basics and write down Maxwell's equations
2. Add Lorentz force and motion of particles in EM fields
3. Electromagnetic waves in vacuum
4. Electromagnetic waves in conducting media
  - Waves in RF cavities
  - Waves in wave guides
  - Important concepts: mode numbers, cut-off frequency, skin depth

But still a few (important) problems to sort out →



- **BACKUP SLIDES** -

For a point charge  $Q$  with the field :  $\vec{E}(x, y, z) = \vec{E}(r) = \frac{Q}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \frac{\vec{r}}{r^3}$

one can write all the derivatives (used for DIV and CURL):

$$\frac{\partial E_x}{\partial x} = \frac{Q}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \left( \frac{1}{R^3} - \frac{3x^2}{R^5} \right) \quad \frac{\partial E_x}{\partial y} = \frac{-3Q}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \frac{xy}{R^5} \quad \frac{\partial E_x}{\partial z} = \frac{-3Q}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \frac{xz}{R^5}$$

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(it does not get any worse than this horror ..)



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$$\text{div } \vec{E} = \frac{\partial E_x}{\partial x} + \frac{\partial E_y}{\partial y} + \frac{\partial E_z}{\partial z} = \frac{Q}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \left( \frac{3}{R^3} - \frac{3}{R^5} (x^2 + y^2 + z^2) \right)$$

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$$\text{curl } \vec{E} = \left( \frac{\partial E_z}{\partial y} - \frac{\partial E_y}{\partial z}, \quad \frac{\partial E_x}{\partial z} - \frac{\partial E_z}{\partial x}, \quad \frac{\partial E_y}{\partial x} - \frac{\partial E_x}{\partial y} \right) = (0, 0, 0)$$

**(there is nothing circulating)**

## 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:

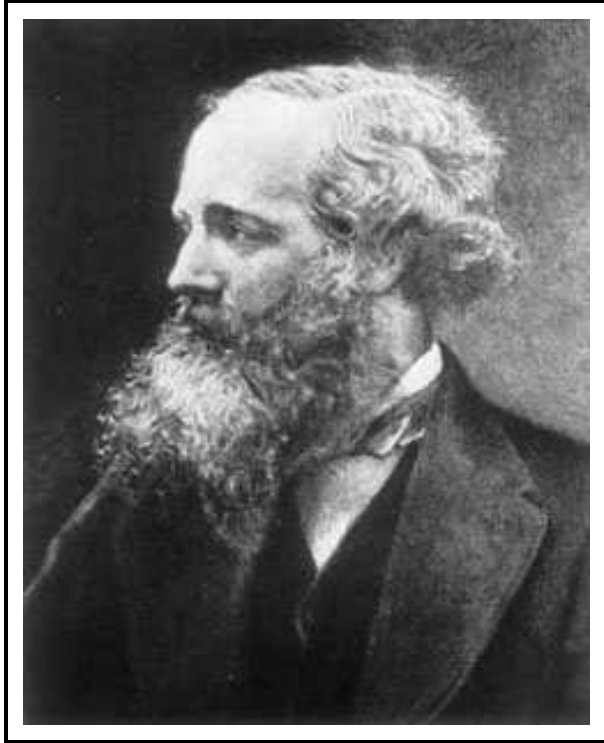
$$\vec{D} = \epsilon_r \cdot \epsilon_0 \cdot \vec{E}, \quad \vec{B} = \mu_r \cdot \mu_0 \cdot \vec{H}$$

$\epsilon_r$  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  $\rho$  ( $\mu_0 = 1, \epsilon_0 = 1$ ):

## Some popular confusion ..

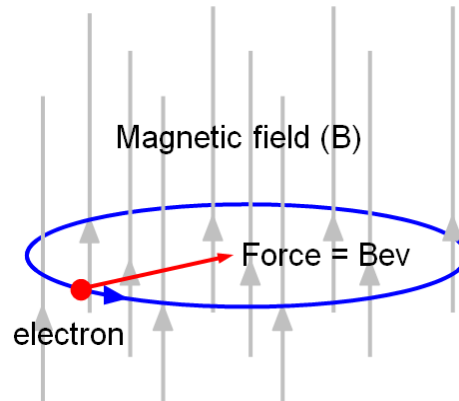
V.F.A.Q: why this strange mixture of  $\vec{E}$ ,  $\vec{D}$ ,  $\vec{B}$ ,  $\vec{H}$  ??

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

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

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

Is that the full truth ?



If we have a circular 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  $\rightarrow$  Betatron condition





## Other case: finite conductivity

Assume conductor with finite conductivity ( $\sigma_c = \rho_c^{-1}$ ), waves will penetrate into surface. Order of the skin depth is:

$$\delta_s = \sqrt{\frac{2\rho_c}{\mu\omega}}$$

i.e. depend on resistivity, permeability and frequency of the waves ( $\omega$ ).

We can get the **surface impedance** as:

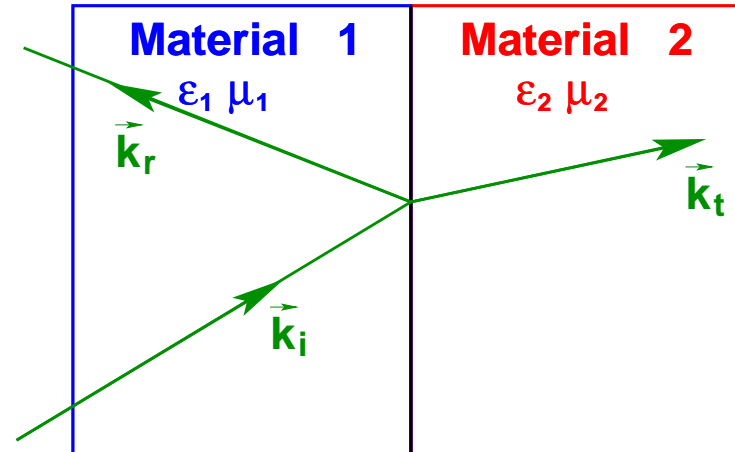
$$Z = \sqrt{\frac{\mu}{\epsilon}} = \frac{\mu\omega}{k}$$

the latter follows from our definition of  $k$  and speed of light.

Since the wave vector  $k$  is complex, the impedance is also complex. We get a phase shift between electric and magnetic field.



## Boundary conditions for fields

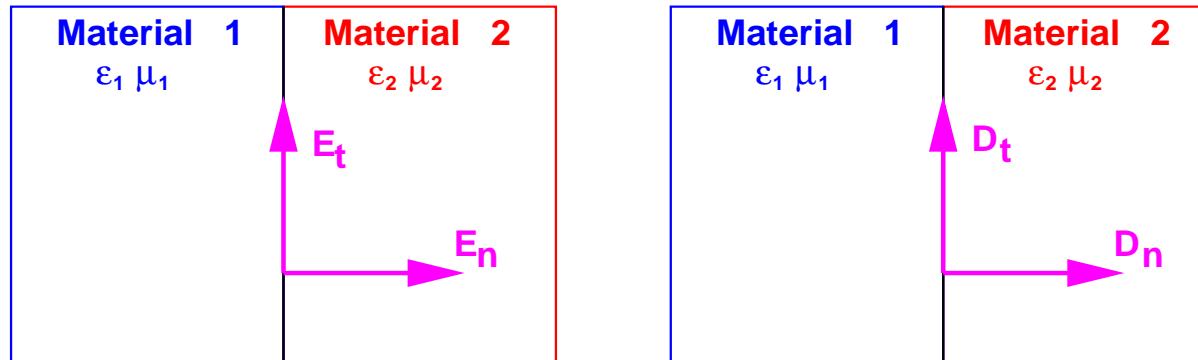


What happens when an incident wave ( $\vec{K}_i$ ) encounters a boundary between two different media ?

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



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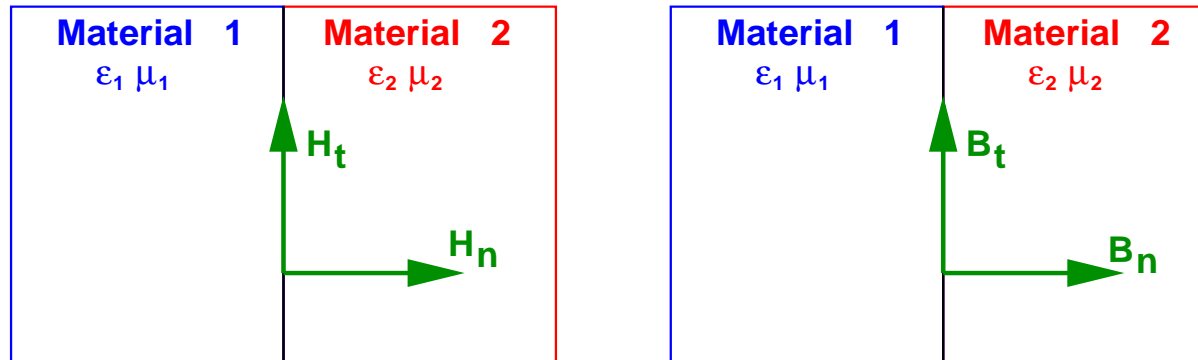


Assuming no surface charges:

- 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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