

Emission

Note Title

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Emission is essentially an eigen response of a system to a combination of oscillatory charges & currents:

$$\vec{j}_f, \rho_f \propto e^{-i\omega t}$$

In the simplest form, consider point-charge or currents:

$$(7.1) \quad \vec{j}_f, \rho_f = \left(\vec{j}_0 / \rho_0 \right) \delta(r) e^{-i\omega t}$$

① Emission in free space:

We begin by re-writing potential formulae

$$(7.2) \quad \left\{ \begin{array}{l} \vec{B} = \nabla \times \vec{A} \\ \vec{E} = -\nabla \phi - \frac{\partial \vec{A}}{\partial t} \end{array} \right.$$

Maxwell eqs are now reduced to

$$\begin{aligned} \text{div } \vec{E} = \frac{\rho}{\epsilon_0} &\rightarrow -\nabla^2 \phi - \frac{\partial}{\partial t} \nabla \cdot \vec{A} = \frac{\rho}{\epsilon_0} \\ \nabla \times \vec{E} = -\frac{\partial \vec{B}}{\partial t} + \vec{j} &\rightarrow \nabla \times \nabla \times \vec{A} = \frac{1}{c^2} \left(-\nabla \frac{\partial \rho}{\partial t} - \frac{\partial^2 \vec{A}}{\partial t^2} \right) + \mu_0 \vec{j} \\ \nabla (\nabla \cdot \vec{A}) - \nabla^2 \vec{A} &= -\frac{1}{c^2} \nabla \frac{\partial \rho}{\partial t} - \frac{1}{c^2} \frac{\partial^2 \vec{A}}{\partial t^2} + \mu_0 \vec{j} \end{aligned}$$

$$(7.3) \quad \left\{ \begin{array}{l} \nabla^2 \phi + \frac{1}{c^2} \frac{\partial}{\partial t} (\nabla \cdot \vec{A}) = -\frac{\rho}{\epsilon_0} \\ \nabla^2 \vec{A} - \frac{1}{c^2} \frac{\partial^2 \vec{A}}{\partial t^2} - \nabla \left(\nabla \cdot \vec{A} + \frac{1}{c^2} \frac{\partial \rho}{\partial t} \right) = -\mu_0 \vec{j} \end{array} \right.$$

Note that the fields are unchanged when

$$(7.4) \quad \vec{A} \rightarrow \vec{A} + \nabla \Lambda; \quad \phi \rightarrow \phi - \frac{\partial \Lambda}{\partial t} \quad (\text{Gauge transform})$$

$$(7.5) \quad \text{Lorentz Gauge: } \nabla \cdot \vec{A} + \frac{1}{c^2} \frac{\partial \rho}{\partial t} = 0$$

⇒ Max Eqs:

$$(25b) \quad \begin{cases} (\nabla^2 - \frac{1}{c^2} \frac{\partial^2}{\partial t^2}) \phi = -\frac{\rho}{\epsilon_0} \\ (\nabla^2 - \frac{1}{c^2} \frac{\partial^2}{\partial t^2}) \vec{A} = -\mu_0 \vec{j} \end{cases}$$

Consider now the Green's function of the wave eqn:

$$(26) \quad (\nabla^2 - \frac{1}{c^2} \frac{\partial^2}{\partial t^2}) G(\vec{r}, \vec{r}', t, t') = -4\pi \delta(\vec{r}-\vec{r}') \delta(t-t')$$

looking for $G(\vec{r}, \vec{r}', t, t')$ in spectral representation:

$$(27) \quad \begin{cases} G(\vec{r}, \vec{r}', t, t') = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int G_\omega(\vec{r}, \vec{r}', \omega, t) e^{-i\omega t} d\omega \\ \delta(t-t') = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int e^{-i\omega(t-t')} d\omega \end{cases}$$

$$\int (\nabla^2 + \frac{\omega^2}{c^2}) G_\omega(\vec{r}, \vec{r}', \omega, t) e^{-i\omega t} d\omega = -\int 4\pi \delta(\vec{r}-\vec{r}') e^{-i\omega(t-t')} d\omega$$

$$\Rightarrow \int d\omega e^{-i\omega t} \left[(\nabla^2 + \frac{\omega^2}{c^2}) G_\omega(\vec{r}, \vec{r}', \omega, t) e^{i\omega t'} + 4\pi \delta(\vec{r}-\vec{r}') \right] \Rightarrow$$

$$G_\omega e^{i\omega t'} = \frac{e^{\pm i\omega \frac{|\vec{r}-\vec{r}'|}{c}}}{|\vec{r}-\vec{r}'|}$$

$$G(\vec{r}, \vec{r}', t, t') = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int \frac{e^{\pm i\omega \frac{|\vec{r}-\vec{r}'|}{c} - i\omega(t-t')}}{|\vec{r}-\vec{r}'|} d\omega =$$

$$(28) \quad = \frac{1}{2\pi |\vec{r}-\vec{r}'|} \int e^{i\omega(t-t' \mp \frac{|\vec{r}-\vec{r}'|}{c})} d\omega = \frac{\delta(t-t' \mp \frac{|\vec{r}-\vec{r}'|}{c})}{|\vec{r}-\vec{r}'|}$$

⇒ solutions to (7.5b):

$$(7.9) \quad \vec{A}(\vec{r}, t) = \frac{\mu_0}{4\pi} \int \frac{\vec{j}(\vec{r}', t')}{|\vec{r} - \vec{r}'|} \delta\left(t - t' - \frac{|\vec{r} - \vec{r}'|}{c}\right) d^3 r' dt'$$

For monochromatic radiation

$$(7.10) \quad \vec{j}(\vec{r}', t) = \vec{j}(\vec{r}') e^{-i\omega t}$$

$$\vec{A}(\vec{r}, t) = \frac{\mu_0}{4\pi} \int \frac{\vec{j}(\vec{r}') e^{-i\omega t'}}{|\vec{r} - \vec{r}'|} \delta\left(t - t' - \frac{|\vec{r} - \vec{r}'|}{c}\right) d^3 r' dt' =$$

$$= \frac{\mu_0}{4\pi} \int d^3 r' \frac{\vec{j}(\vec{r}') e^{-i\omega\left[t - \frac{|\vec{r} - \vec{r}'|}{c}\right]}}{|\vec{r} - \vec{r}'|} =$$

$$(7.10) \quad \vec{A}(\vec{r}, t) = \frac{\mu_0}{4\pi} e^{-i\omega t} \int d^3 r' \frac{\vec{j}(\vec{r}') e^{i\frac{\omega}{c}|\vec{r} - \vec{r}'|}}{|\vec{r} - \vec{r}'|}$$

(field of the retarded potential)

with

$$(7.10a) \quad \vec{H} = \frac{1}{\mu_0} \nabla \times \vec{A} ; \quad \vec{E} = -i \frac{1}{\omega \epsilon_0} \nabla \times \vec{H} = i \frac{c}{\omega} \sqrt{\frac{\mu_0}{\epsilon_0}} \nabla \times \vec{H}$$

Fields of a localized source (size $d \ll \lambda$)

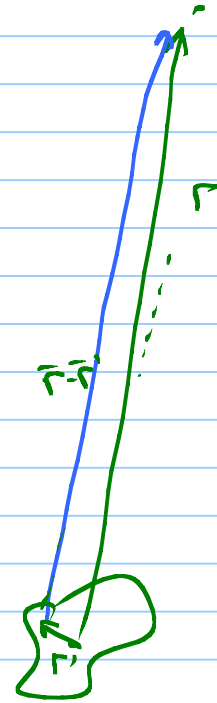
① near-field: $d \ll r \ll \lambda$

$$\Rightarrow e^{i\frac{\omega}{c}|\mathbf{r}-\mathbf{r}'|} = e^{2\pi i \frac{r}{\lambda}} \approx 1$$

(7.11)
$$A \approx \frac{\mu_0}{4\pi} e^{-i\omega t} \int d^3r' \frac{j(\mathbf{r}')}{|\mathbf{r}-\mathbf{r}'|}$$

② far-field: $d \ll \lambda \ll r$

$$A = \frac{\mu_0 e^{i\omega t}}{4\pi} \int d^3r' \frac{j(\mathbf{r}') e^{i\frac{\omega}{c}|\mathbf{r}-\mathbf{r}'|}}{|\mathbf{r}-\mathbf{r}'|}$$



(7.12)
$$|\mathbf{r}-\mathbf{r}'| = \sqrt{r^2 + r'^2 - 2\mathbf{r}\cdot\mathbf{r}'} \approx r - \hat{\mathbf{r}}\cdot\mathbf{r}'$$

$$\approx r - \hat{\mathbf{r}}\cdot\mathbf{r}', \quad \hat{\mathbf{r}} = \frac{\mathbf{r}}{r}$$

$$e^{i\frac{\omega}{c}|\mathbf{r}-\mathbf{r}'|} \approx \exp\left(i\frac{\omega}{c}(r - \hat{\mathbf{r}}\cdot\mathbf{r}')\right) \approx$$

$$\approx e^{i\frac{\omega}{c}r} + i\frac{\omega}{c} \exp\left(i\frac{\omega}{c}r\right) (-\hat{\mathbf{r}}\cdot\mathbf{r}') - \frac{\omega^2}{2c^2} \exp\left(i\frac{\omega}{c}r\right) (\hat{\mathbf{r}}\cdot\mathbf{r}')^2$$

$$\frac{1}{|\mathbf{r}-\mathbf{r}'|} \approx \frac{1}{r - \hat{\mathbf{r}}\cdot\mathbf{r}'} \approx \frac{1}{r} + \frac{\hat{\mathbf{r}}\cdot\mathbf{r}'}{r^2}$$

$$A \approx \frac{\mu_0}{4\pi r} e^{-i\omega t + i\frac{\omega}{c}r} \int d^3r' j(\mathbf{r}') \left[1 - i\frac{\omega}{c} \hat{\mathbf{r}}\cdot\mathbf{r}' \right] \left[1 + \frac{\hat{\mathbf{r}}\cdot\mathbf{r}'}{r} \right] \approx$$

(7.13)
$$A \approx \frac{\mu_0}{4\pi r} e^{-i\omega t + ikr} \int d^3r' j(\mathbf{r}') \left[1 + \frac{\hat{\mathbf{r}}\cdot\mathbf{r}'}{r} - i\hat{\mathbf{r}}\cdot\mathbf{r}' \right]$$

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dipole

quadrupole + magnetic dipole

leading term:

$$\int \underbrace{\rho(r')}_{u} \underbrace{dr'}_{dv} = - \int \vec{r}' (\vec{\nabla} \cdot \vec{j}) d^3 r' = -i\omega \int \rho(r') \vec{r}' d^3 r' =$$

$$\vec{\nabla} \cdot \vec{j} = -\frac{\partial \rho}{\partial t} = i\omega \rho = -i\omega \vec{p}$$

dipole moment

$$(2.14) \quad \vec{A} = -\frac{i\omega \mu_0}{4\pi r} e^{-i\omega t + i\vec{k} \cdot \vec{r}} \vec{p}$$

$$\vec{H} = \frac{\vec{\nabla} \times \vec{A}}{\mu_0} = -\frac{i\omega}{4\pi r} e^{-i\omega t + i\vec{k} \cdot \vec{r}} (\vec{n} \times \vec{p} - \frac{\vec{r} \times \vec{p}}{r^2})$$

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial x_1} \frac{e^{i\vec{k} \cdot \vec{r}}}{r} = \frac{1}{r} (e^{i\vec{k} \cdot \vec{r}} \cdot ik_1 - \frac{e^{i\vec{k} \cdot \vec{r}}}{r}) \frac{\partial}{\partial x_1} = \frac{e^{i\vec{k} \cdot \vec{r}}}{r} (ik_1 - \frac{1}{r}) \frac{x_1}{r}$$

$$= + \frac{\omega k \mu_0}{4\pi r} e^{-i\omega t + i\vec{k} \cdot \vec{r}} (\vec{n} \times \vec{p}) \left(1 - \frac{1}{ikr}\right) \approx$$

$$(2.15) \quad \vec{H} \approx \begin{cases} \frac{k^2 c}{4\pi r} e^{-i\omega t + i\vec{k} \cdot \vec{r}} (\vec{n} \times \vec{p}), & r \gg \lambda \\ \frac{\omega \mu_0}{4\pi r^2} e^{-i\omega t} \vec{n} \times \vec{p}, & r \ll \lambda \end{cases}$$

$$\vec{E} = \frac{1}{\epsilon_0} \vec{\nabla} \times \vec{H}$$

$$\vec{E} \approx \frac{1}{\epsilon_0} \frac{1}{4\pi} \vec{\nabla} \times \left[\frac{e^{-i\omega t + i\vec{k} \cdot \vec{r}}}{r^2} \right] (\vec{r} \times \vec{p}) =$$

$$= \frac{1}{\epsilon_0} \frac{k^2 c}{4\pi r} e^{-i\omega t + i\vec{k} \cdot \vec{r}} ik \left(1 - \frac{1}{ikr}\right) \vec{n} \times \vec{n} \times \vec{p} =$$

$$(2.16a) \quad = \frac{1}{\epsilon_0} k^2 c (\vec{n} \times \vec{n} \times \vec{p}) \frac{e^{-i\omega t + i\vec{k} \cdot \vec{r}}}{r} = \frac{1}{\epsilon_0} \vec{H} \times \vec{n}, \quad r \gg \lambda$$

$$\vec{E} \approx \frac{i\omega}{4\pi \epsilon_0} e^{-i\omega t} \left(\frac{1}{k}\right) \vec{\nabla} \times \left(\frac{\vec{r} \times \vec{p}}{r^3}\right) = -\frac{c}{4\pi} \frac{1}{\epsilon_0} e^{-i\omega t} \vec{\nabla} \times \left(\frac{\vec{r} \times \vec{p}}{r^3}\right) =$$

$$(2.16b) = -\frac{1}{4\pi} \frac{1}{\mu_0} \sqrt{\frac{\mu_0}{\epsilon_0}} e^{-i\omega t} \vec{j} \left(\frac{\vec{r} \times \vec{p}}{r^3} \right) = \boxed{\frac{1}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \frac{3\vec{n}(\vec{p} \cdot \vec{n}) - \vec{p}}{r^3}}_{\text{rad}}$$

for $r \gg \lambda$:

$$S = \frac{1}{2} \text{Re}(\vec{E} \times \vec{H}^*) = \frac{1}{2} \text{Re}[\epsilon_0 \vec{H} \times \vec{n} \times \vec{H}^*] = \frac{\epsilon_0 |\vec{H}|^2}{2} \\ = \left(\frac{k^2 c^2}{4\pi} \right) \frac{|\vec{p}|^2}{r^2}$$

$$\frac{dS}{d\Omega} = \frac{1}{2} \text{Re} [r^2 \vec{E} \times \vec{H}^*] = \frac{\epsilon_0 k^2 c^2}{32\pi^2} |(\vec{n} \times \vec{p}) \times \vec{n}|^2 =$$

$$(2.17) = \frac{\epsilon_0 k^2 c^2}{32\pi^2} |\vec{p}|^2 \sin^2 \theta \\ S_{\text{tot}} = \frac{k^2 c^2 \epsilon_0}{32\pi^2} |\vec{p}|^2 \int \sin^3 \theta d\theta = \frac{k^2 c^2 \epsilon_0}{12\pi} |\vec{p}|^2$$

Next leading terms

$$\vec{A} = \frac{\mu_0}{4\pi} \frac{e^{-i\omega t + i\vec{k} \cdot \vec{r}}}{r} \int \left(\frac{\vec{r} \cdot \vec{r}'}{r^2} - i\vec{k} \cdot \vec{r}' \right) \vec{j}(\vec{r}') d^3 r' =$$

$$= \frac{\mu_0}{4\pi} \frac{e^{-i\omega t + i\vec{k} \cdot \vec{r}}}{r} \left(\frac{1}{r} - i\vec{k} \right) \int (\vec{n} \cdot \vec{r}') \vec{j}(\vec{r}') d^3 r'$$

$$(\vec{n} \cdot \vec{r}') \vec{j}(\vec{r}') = \frac{1}{2} [(\vec{n} \cdot \vec{r}') \vec{j}] + (\vec{n} \cdot \vec{j}) \vec{r}' + \frac{1}{2} (\vec{r}' \times \vec{j}) \times \vec{n}$$

introducing magnetic moment:

$$\vec{m} = \frac{1}{2} \int \vec{r}' \times \vec{j} d^3 r', \text{ etc.}$$

$$\vec{A}_{\text{rad}} = \frac{\mu_0}{4\pi} \frac{e^{-i\omega t + i\vec{k} \cdot \vec{r}}}{r} \left(1 - \frac{1}{i\vec{k} \cdot \vec{r}} \right) \vec{n} \times \vec{m} \leftarrow \text{magnetic dipole potential}$$

radiation pattern, etc. identical to A_d , ...

except for polarization.

Remaining terms:

$$\frac{1}{2} \int [(\mathbf{n} \cdot \mathbf{r}') \mathbf{j} + (\mathbf{n} \cdot \mathbf{j}) \mathbf{r}'] d^3 r' = -\frac{i\omega}{2} \int r' (\mathbf{n} \cdot \mathbf{r}') \rho(\mathbf{r}') d^3 r',$$

leading to

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

$$Q_\alpha(\vec{n}) = \sum_\beta Q_{\alpha\beta} n_\beta, \quad Q_{\alpha\beta} = \int (3r_\alpha r_\beta - r^2 \delta_{\alpha\beta}) \rho(\mathbf{r}) d^3 r$$

