

**PHY 752 Solid State Physics  
11-11:50 AM MWF Olin 103**

**Plan for Lecture 23:**

- Optical and transport properties of metals (Chap. 11 in GGGPP)
- Macroscopic theory
- Drude model

**Note: Debye-Waller discussion postponed to consideration of Chapter 9.**

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| 9 Mon, 9/14/2015   | Chap. 2.4-2.7 | Densities of states                                      | #8                         |
| 10 Wed, 9/16/2015  | Chap. 3       | Free electron model                                      | #9                         |
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| Mon, 10/12/2015    |               | No class   | Take-home exam             |
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| 21 Mon, 10/19/2015 | Chap. 10      | X-ray and neutron diffraction                            | #HW19                      |
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| Wed, 12/02/2015    |               | Student presentations I                                  |                            |
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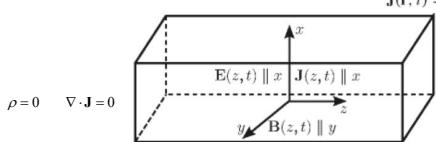
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**Maxwell's Equations (cgs Gaussian units)**

$$\text{div } \mathbf{E} = 4\pi\rho, \quad \text{curl } \mathbf{E} = -\frac{1}{c} \frac{\partial \mathbf{B}}{\partial t}$$

$$\text{div } \mathbf{B} = 0, \quad \text{curl } \mathbf{B} = \frac{1}{c} \frac{\partial \mathbf{E}}{\partial t} + \frac{4\pi}{c} \mathbf{J}$$

Assume pure time-harmonic frequency  $\omega$  and fixed geometry:  
 $\mathbf{E}(\mathbf{r}, t) = E(z)e^{-i\omega t} \hat{\mathbf{e}}_x$   
 $\mathbf{B}(\mathbf{r}, t) = B(z)e^{-i\omega t} \hat{\mathbf{e}}_y$   
 $\mathbf{J}(\mathbf{r}, t) = J(z)e^{-i\omega t} \hat{\mathbf{e}}_x$



**Figure 11.1** Geometry chosen for the description of transverse electromagnetic fields in isotropic materials. The electric field and the internal density current are in the  $x$ -direction, the magnetic field is in the  $y$ -direction, the wave propagation is along the  $z$ -direction.

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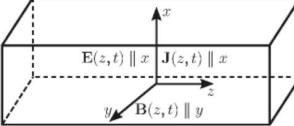
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$$\frac{dE(z)}{dz} = \frac{i\omega}{c} B(z),$$

$$-\frac{dB(z)}{dz} = -\frac{i\omega}{c} E(z) + \frac{4\pi}{c} J(z).$$
  

$$\frac{d^2E(z)}{dz^2} = -\frac{\omega^2}{c^2} E(z) - \frac{4\pi i\omega}{c^2} J(z)$$

Assume linear response of the electric field to produce the conductivity in terms of conductivity:

$$J_\alpha(\mathbf{r}, t) = \sum_\beta \int d\mathbf{r}' \int_{-\infty}^t \sigma_{\alpha\beta}(\mathbf{r}, \mathbf{r}', t, t') E_\beta(\mathbf{r}', t') dt' \quad (\alpha, \beta = x, y, z),$$

For our geometry:  $\mathbf{J}(\mathbf{r}, t) = \int_{-\infty}^{+\infty} d\mathbf{r}' \int_{-\infty}^{+\infty} dt' \sigma(\mathbf{r} - \mathbf{r}', t - t') \mathbf{E}(\mathbf{r}', t')$

with:  $\sigma(\mathbf{r} - \mathbf{r}', t - t') = 0$  for  $t' > t$ .

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Taking Fourier transform in space and time:

$$\sigma(\mathbf{q}, \omega) = \int_{-\infty}^{+\infty} e^{i(\mathbf{q}\cdot\mathbf{r}-\omega t)} \sigma(\mathbf{r}, t) d\mathbf{r} dt;$$

➡  $\boxed{\mathbf{J}(\mathbf{q}, \omega) = \sigma(\mathbf{q}, \omega) \mathbf{E}(\mathbf{q}, \omega)}$ .

For spatially uniform conductivity response, the  $\mathbf{q}$ -dependence is trivial:  $\mathbf{J}(\mathbf{r}) = \sigma(\omega) \mathbf{E}(\mathbf{r})$ ,

$$\frac{d^2E(z)}{dz^2} = -\frac{\omega^2}{c^2} E(z) - \frac{4\pi i\omega}{c^2} J(z) = -\frac{\omega^2}{c^2} \left[ 1 + \frac{4\pi i\sigma(\omega)}{\omega} \right] E(z).$$

For  $E(z) = E_0 e^{i(\omega/c)Nz}$  with  $q = N \frac{\omega}{c}$   $N \equiv$  complex refractive index

$$N^2 = 1 + \frac{4\pi i\sigma(\omega)}{\omega}$$

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Writing complex refractive index in terms of real functions

$$N(\omega) = n(\omega) + ik(\omega)$$

$$E(z) = E_0 e^{i(\omega/c)Nz} = E_0 e^{i(\omega/c)n\mathbf{z}} e^{-i(\omega/c)k\mathbf{z}} \equiv E_0 e^{i(\omega/c)n\mathbf{z}} e^{-z/\delta}$$

skin depth:  $\delta = \frac{c}{\omega k}$

In terms of dielectric function:

$$D(z) = \epsilon E(z) = (\epsilon_1 + i\epsilon_2) E(z)$$

$$\epsilon_1 = n^2 - k^2 \text{ and } \epsilon_2 = 2nk;$$

$$n^2 = \frac{1}{2} \left( \epsilon_1 + \sqrt{\epsilon_1^2 + \epsilon_2^2} \right) \text{ and } k^2 = \frac{1}{2} \left( -\epsilon_1 + \sqrt{\epsilon_1^2 + \epsilon_2^2} \right).$$

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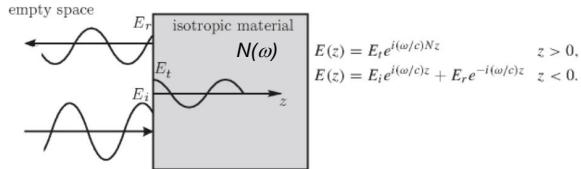
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In terms of complex conductivity:

$$\varepsilon(\omega) = 1 + \frac{4\pi i\sigma(\omega)}{\omega}$$

$$\varepsilon_1(\omega) = 1 - \frac{4\pi\sigma_2(\omega)}{\omega} \quad \text{and} \quad \varepsilon_2(\omega) = \frac{4\pi\sigma_1(\omega)}{\omega}.$$

Reflection of electromagnetic wave at a planar interface at normal interface



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Reflectivity:  $R = \left| \frac{E_r}{E_i} \right|^2 = \left| \frac{1 - N}{1 + N} \right|^2 = \frac{(n - 1)^2 + k^2}{(n + 1)^2 + k^2}.$

#### Summary of relationships

|                        |   |
|------------------------|---|
| Conductivity           | $\sigma = \sigma_1 + i\sigma_2$   |
| Dielectric constant    | $\varepsilon = \varepsilon_1 + i\varepsilon_2, \quad \varepsilon = 1 + \frac{4\pi i\sigma}{\omega}, \quad \varepsilon_1 = 1 - \frac{4\pi\sigma_2}{\omega}, \quad \varepsilon_2 = \frac{4\pi\sigma_1}{\omega}$ |
| Refractive index       | $N = n + ik, \quad n = N^2, \quad \varepsilon_1 = n^2 - k^2, \quad \varepsilon_2 = 2nk$   |
| Absorption coefficient | $n^2 = \frac{1}{2} \left( \varepsilon_1 + \sqrt{\varepsilon_1^2 + \varepsilon_2^2} \right), \quad k^2 = \frac{1}{2} \left( -\varepsilon_1 + \sqrt{\varepsilon_1^2 + \varepsilon_2^2} \right)$                 |
| Classical skin depth   | $\alpha(\omega) = 2\omega k/c \equiv \omega\varepsilon_2/nc$  |
| Surface impedance      | $\delta = c/\omega k$   |
| Reflectivity           | $Z = 4\pi/cN$   |
|                        | $R = \frac{(n - 1)^2 + k^2}{(n + 1)^2 + k^2}$ (at normal incidence)   |

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#### Analytic properties of dielectric function

$$\epsilon(t) = 0 \quad \text{for } t < 0.$$

$$\epsilon(\omega) = \int_0^\infty dt e^{i\omega t} \epsilon(t).$$

$$\epsilon(\omega) = \oint \frac{d\omega'}{2\pi i} \frac{\epsilon(\omega')}{\omega' - \omega - i\eta}.$$

$$\epsilon(\omega) - \epsilon^\infty = \oint \frac{d\omega'}{2\pi i} \frac{\epsilon(\omega') - \epsilon^\infty}{\omega' - \omega - i\eta}.$$

Here  $\eta$  represents a small infinitesimal imaginary contribution

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$$\epsilon(\omega) - \epsilon^\infty = \oint \frac{d\omega'}{2\pi i} \frac{\epsilon(\omega') - \epsilon^\infty}{\omega' - \omega - i\eta}.$$

Evaluation using Cauchy integral theorem

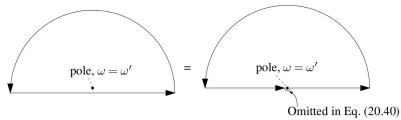


Figure 20.3: The integral at distance  $\eta$  above the real axis can be deformed into a contour integral on the real axis, with a contribution from a half-circuit around the pole at  $\omega = \omega'$ .

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In terms of principle parts integral over negative and positive frequencies

$$\epsilon(\omega) - \epsilon^\infty = \mathcal{P} \int \frac{d\omega'}{\pi i} \frac{\epsilon(\omega') - \epsilon^\infty}{\omega' - \omega}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Re}[\epsilon(\omega) - \epsilon^\infty] &= \mathcal{P} \int \frac{d\omega'}{\pi} \frac{\text{Im}[\epsilon(\omega') - \epsilon^\infty]}{\omega' - \omega} \\ \text{Im}[\epsilon(\omega) - \epsilon^\infty] &= -\mathcal{P} \int \frac{d\omega'}{\pi} \frac{\text{Re}[\epsilon(\omega') - \epsilon^\infty]}{\omega' - \omega}. \end{aligned}$$

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In terms of positive frequencies only

$$\begin{aligned} \epsilon_1(\omega) - \epsilon^\infty &= \mathcal{P} \int_0^\infty \frac{2\omega' d\omega'}{\pi} \frac{\epsilon_2(\omega')}{\omega'^2 - \omega^2} \\ \epsilon_2(\omega) &= -\mathcal{P} \int_0^\infty \frac{2\omega d\omega'}{\pi} \frac{\epsilon_1(\omega') - \epsilon^\infty}{\omega'^2 - \omega^2}. \end{aligned}$$

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## Analysis of reflectivity data

$$\tilde{r} = \frac{\tilde{n}-1}{\tilde{n}+1} \equiv \rho e^{i\theta}.$$

$$\ln\left(\frac{\tilde{r}(\omega)}{\tilde{r}(0)}\right) = \ln(\rho(\omega)/\rho(0)) + i(\theta(\omega) - \theta(0)),$$

$$\begin{aligned}\theta(\omega) - \theta(0) &= -\frac{1}{\pi} \mathcal{P} \int d\omega' \ln\left[\frac{\rho(\omega')}{\rho(0)}\right] \left[ \frac{1}{\omega' - \omega} - \frac{1}{\omega'^2} \right] \\ \Rightarrow \theta(\omega) &= -\frac{2\omega}{\pi} \mathcal{P} \int_0^\infty d\omega' \frac{\ln \rho(\omega')}{\omega'^2 - \omega^2}.\end{aligned}$$

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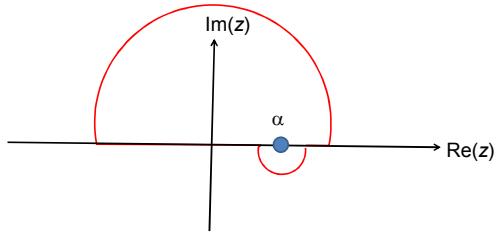
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## Some more detailed notes:

Analytic properties of the dielectric function (in the Drude model or from "first principles" -- Kramers-Kronig transform

Consider Cauchy's integral formula for an analytic function  $f(z)$ :

$$\oint dz f(z) = 0 \quad f(\alpha) = \frac{1}{2\pi i} \oint_{\text{includes } \alpha} dz \frac{f(z)}{z-\alpha}$$

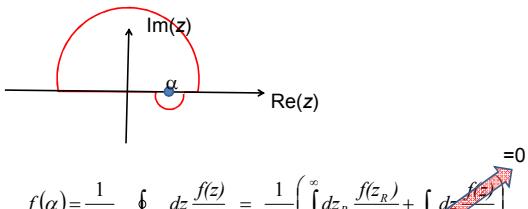


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## Kramers-Kronig transform -- continued



$$f(\alpha) = \frac{1}{2\pi i} \oint_{\text{includes } \alpha} dz \frac{f(z)}{z-\alpha} = \frac{1}{2\pi i} \left( \int_{-\infty}^{\alpha} dz_R \frac{f(z_R)}{z_R - \alpha} + \int_{\alpha}^{\infty} dz_R \frac{f(z_R)}{z_R - \alpha} \right) = 0$$

$$f(\alpha) = \frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} dz_R \frac{f(z_R)}{z_R - \alpha} = \frac{1}{2\pi i} P \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} dz_R \frac{f(z_R)}{z_R - \alpha} + \frac{1}{2} f(\alpha)$$

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## Kramers-Kronig transform -- continued

$$f(\alpha) = \frac{1}{2\pi i} P \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} dz_R \frac{f(z_R)}{z_R - \alpha} + \frac{1}{2} f(\alpha)$$

Suppose  $f(z_R) = f_R(z_R) + if_I(z_R)$ :

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{2}(f_R(\alpha) + if_I(\alpha)) = \frac{1}{2\pi i} P \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} dz_R \frac{f_R(z_R) + if_I(z_R)}{z_R - \alpha}$$

$$\Rightarrow f_R(\alpha) = \frac{1}{\pi} P \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} dz_R \frac{f_I(z_R)}{z_R - \alpha}$$

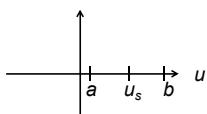
$$f_I(\alpha) = -\frac{1}{\pi} P \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} dz_R \frac{f_R(z_R)}{z_R - \alpha}$$

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### Some practical considerations



Principal parts integration :

$$P \int_a^b du g(u) = \lim_{\nu \rightarrow 0} \left( \int_a^{u_x - \nu} du g(u) + \int_{u_x + \nu}^b du g(u) \right)$$

Example:

$$\begin{aligned} P \int_a^b du \frac{1}{u-u_s} &= \lim_{\nu \rightarrow 0} \left( \int_a^{u_s-\nu} du \frac{1}{u-u_s} + \int_{u_s+\nu}^b du \frac{1}{u-u_s} \right) \\ &= \lim_{\nu \rightarrow 0} \left( \ln \left( \frac{\nu}{u_s-a} \right) + \ln \left( \frac{b-u_s}{\nu} \right) \right) = \ln \left( \frac{b-u_s}{u_s-a} \right) \end{aligned}$$

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### Kramers-Kronig transform -- continued

$$f_R(\alpha) = \frac{1}{\pi} P \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} dz_R \frac{f_I(z_R)}{z_R - \alpha}$$

$$f_I(\alpha) = -\frac{1}{\pi} P \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} dz_R \frac{f_R(z_R)}{z_R - \alpha}$$

This Kramers - Kronig transform is useful for the dielectric function

when  $f(z_R) \Rightarrow \frac{\varepsilon(\omega)}{\varepsilon_0} - 1$

Must show that : 1.  $f(z)$  is analytic for  $z_0 > 0$

Just show that: 1.  $f(z)$  is analytic for  $z_1 \geq 0$

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Kramers-Kronig transform – for dielectric function:

$$\frac{\varepsilon_R(\omega)}{\varepsilon_0} - 1 = \frac{1}{\pi} P \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} d\omega' \frac{\varepsilon_I(\omega')}{\varepsilon_0} \frac{1}{\omega' - \omega}$$

$$\frac{\varepsilon_I(\omega)}{\varepsilon_0} = -\frac{1}{\pi} P \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} d\omega' \left( \frac{\varepsilon_R(\omega')}{\varepsilon_0} - 1 \right) \frac{1}{\omega' - \omega}$$

with  $\varepsilon_R(-\omega) = \varepsilon_R(\omega)$ ;  $\varepsilon_I(-\omega) = -\varepsilon_I(\omega)$

$$\frac{\varepsilon_R(\omega)}{\varepsilon_0} - 1 = \frac{2}{\pi} P \int_0^{\infty} d\omega' \frac{\varepsilon_I(\omega')}{\varepsilon_0} \frac{\omega'}{\omega'^2 - \omega^2}$$

$$\frac{\varepsilon_I(\omega)}{\varepsilon_0} = -\frac{2}{\pi} P \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} d\omega' \left( \frac{\varepsilon_R(\omega')}{\varepsilon_0} - 1 \right) \frac{1}{\omega'^2 - \omega^2}$$

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Paul Karl Ludwig Drude 1863-1906



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Drude model:

Vibrations of charged particles near equilibrium:

$$m\delta\ddot{\mathbf{r}} = q\mathbf{E}_0 e^{-i\omega t} - m\omega_0^2\delta\mathbf{r} - m\gamma\delta\dot{\mathbf{r}}$$

For  $\delta\mathbf{r} \equiv \delta\mathbf{r}_0 e^{-i\omega t}$ ,  $\delta\mathbf{r}_0 = \frac{q\mathbf{E}_0}{m} \frac{1}{\omega_0^2 - \omega^2 - i\omega\gamma}$

Induced dipole:

$$\mathbf{p} = q\delta\mathbf{r} = \frac{q^2\mathbf{E}_0}{m} \frac{1}{\omega_0^2 - \omega^2 - i\omega\gamma} e^{-i\omega t}$$

Displacement field :

$$\mathbf{D} = \epsilon\mathbf{E} = \epsilon_0\mathbf{E} + \mathbf{P}$$

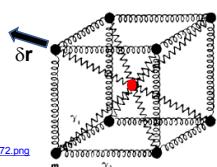
$$\mathbf{P} = \sum_i \mathbf{p}_i \delta^3(\mathbf{r} - \mathbf{r}_i)$$

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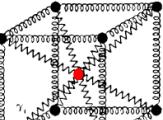
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Drude model:  
 Vibration of particle of charge  $q$  and mass  $m$  near equilibrium:



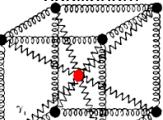
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$$m\delta \ddot{\mathbf{r}} = q\mathbf{E}_0 e^{-i\omega t} - m\omega_0^2 \delta \mathbf{r} - m\gamma \delta \dot{\mathbf{r}}$$

Note that:

- $\gamma > 0$  represents dissipation of energy.
- $\omega_0$  represents the natural frequency of vibration;  $\omega_0=0$  would represent a free (unbound) particle

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For  $\delta \mathbf{r} \equiv \delta \mathbf{r}_0 e^{-i\omega t}$ ,  $\delta \mathbf{r}_0 = \frac{q\mathbf{E}_0}{m} \frac{1}{\omega_0^2 - \omega^2 - i\omega\gamma}$

Induced dipole:

$$\mathbf{p} = q \delta \mathbf{r} = \frac{q^2 \mathbf{E}_0}{m} \frac{1}{\omega_0^2 - \omega^2 - i\omega\gamma} e^{-i\omega t}$$

The diagram shows a square lattice of particles connected by springs. A central particle is highlighted in red. A vector  $\delta\mathbf{r}$  points from the center of the lattice to the right. The springs are labeled with damping coefficients  $\gamma_1$  and  $\gamma_2$ . The mass of each particle is  $m$ .

Vibration of particle of charge  $q$  and mass  $m$  near equilibrium:

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Displacement field :

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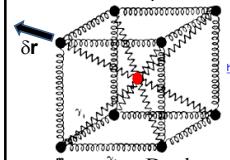
$$\mathbf{P} = \sum_i \mathbf{p}_i \delta^3(\mathbf{r} - \mathbf{r}_i) \approx N \sum_i f_i \mathbf{p}_i$$

$N$  = number dipole/volume

$f_i$  = fraction of type  $i$  dipoles

Drude model:

Vibration of particle of charge  $q$  and mass  $m$  near equilibrium:



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Drude model expression for permittivity :

$$\mathbf{D} = \varepsilon \mathbf{E} = \varepsilon_0 \mathbf{E} + \mathbf{P} = \varepsilon_0 \mathbf{E} + N \sum_i f_i \mathbf{p}_i$$

$$\mathbf{p}_i = q_i \partial \mathbf{r} = \frac{q_i^2 \mathbf{E}_0}{m_i} \frac{1}{\omega_i^2 - \omega^2 - i\omega\gamma_i} e^{-i\omega t}$$

$$\varepsilon \mathbf{E} = \varepsilon_0 \mathbf{E}_0 e^{-i\omega t} \left( 1 + N \sum_i f_i \frac{q_i^2}{\varepsilon_0 m_i} \frac{1}{\omega_i^2 - \omega^2 - i\omega\gamma_i} \right)$$

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Drude model dielectric function:

$$\frac{\varepsilon(\omega)}{\varepsilon_0} = 1 + N \sum_i f_i \frac{q_i^2}{\varepsilon_0 m_i} \frac{1}{\omega_i^2 - \omega^2 - i\omega\gamma_i}$$

$$= \frac{\varepsilon_R(\omega)}{\varepsilon_0} + i \frac{\varepsilon_I(\omega)}{\varepsilon_0}$$

$$\frac{\varepsilon_R(\omega)}{\varepsilon_0} = 1 + N \sum_i f_i \frac{q_i^2}{\varepsilon_0 m_i} \frac{\omega_i^2 - \omega^2}{(\omega_i^2 - \omega^2)^2 + \omega^2 \gamma_i^2}$$

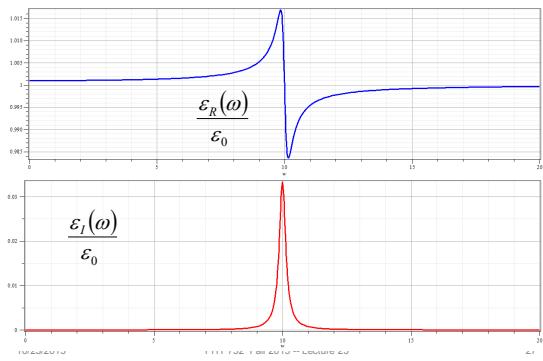
$$\frac{\varepsilon_l(\omega)}{\varepsilon_0} = N \sum_i f_i \frac{q_i^2}{\varepsilon_0 m_i} \frac{\omega \gamma_i}{(\omega_i^2 - \omega^2)^2 + \omega^2 \gamma_i^2}$$

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Drude model dielectric function:



Drude model dielectric function – some analytic properties:

$$\frac{\epsilon(\omega)}{\epsilon_0} = 1 + N \sum_i f_i \frac{q_i^2}{\epsilon_0 m_i} \frac{1}{\omega_i^2 - \omega^2 - i\omega\gamma_i}$$

$$\text{For } \omega \gg \omega_i \quad \frac{\epsilon(\omega)}{\epsilon_0} \approx 1 - \frac{1}{\omega^2} \left( N \sum_i f_i \frac{q_i^2}{\epsilon_0 m_i} \right) \\ \equiv 1 - \frac{\omega_p^2}{\omega^2}$$

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For  $\omega_0 = 0$  (representing a free particle of charge  $q_0$ , mass  $m_0$ )

$$\frac{\epsilon(\omega)}{\epsilon_0} = 1 + N \sum_{i=0} f_i \frac{q_i^2}{\epsilon_0 m_i} \frac{1}{\omega_i^2 - \omega^2 - i\omega\gamma_i} + N f_0 \frac{q_0^2}{\epsilon_0 m_0} \frac{1}{\omega(\gamma_0 - i\omega)} \\ \equiv \frac{\epsilon_b(\omega)}{\epsilon_0} + i \frac{\sigma(\omega)}{\epsilon_0 \omega}$$

Some details :

$$\mathbf{D} = \epsilon_b \mathbf{E} \quad \mathbf{J} = \sigma \mathbf{E}$$

$$\nabla \times \mathbf{H} = \mathbf{J} + \frac{\partial \mathbf{D}}{\partial t} = (\sigma - i\omega\epsilon_b) \mathbf{E} = \epsilon \frac{\partial \mathbf{E}}{\partial t} = -i\omega \left( \epsilon_b + \frac{i\sigma}{\omega} \right) \mathbf{E}$$

$$\Rightarrow \sigma(\omega) = N f_0 \frac{q_0^2}{m_0} \frac{1}{(\gamma_0 - i\omega)}$$

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Analysis for Drude model dielectric function:

$$\frac{\epsilon(\omega)}{\epsilon_0} = 1 + N \sum_i f_i \frac{q_i^2}{\epsilon_0 m_i} \frac{1}{\omega_i^2 - \omega^2 - i\omega\gamma_i}$$

$$\text{Let } f(z) = \frac{\epsilon(z)}{\epsilon_0} - 1 = N \sum_i f_i \frac{q_i^2}{\epsilon_0 m_i} \frac{1}{\omega_i^2 - z^2 - iz\gamma_i}$$

For  $|z| \gg \omega_i$

$$f(z) \approx -\frac{1}{z^2} \left( N \sum_i f_i \frac{q_i^2}{\epsilon_0 m_i} \right) \Rightarrow \text{vanishes at large } z$$

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Analysis for Drude model dielectric function – continued --  
Analytic properties:

$$f(z) = \frac{\epsilon(z)}{\epsilon_0} - 1 = N \sum_i f_i \frac{q_i^2}{\epsilon_0 m_i} \frac{1}{\omega_i^2 - z^2 - iz\gamma_i}$$

$f(z)$  has poles  $z_p$  at  $\omega_i^2 - z_p^2 - iz_p\gamma_i = 0$

$$z_p = -i \frac{\gamma_i}{2} \pm \sqrt{\omega_i^2 - \left(\frac{\gamma_i}{2}\right)^2}$$

Note that  $\Im(z_p) \leq 0 \Rightarrow f(z)$  is analytic for  $\Im(z_p) > 0$

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