



PHY 712 Electrodynamics

10-10:50 AM MWF in Olin 103

Notes for Lecture 26:

Complete reading of Chap. 9 & 10

A. Superposition of radiation

B. Scattered radiation



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PHY 712 -- Assignment #18

March 17, 2023

Finish reading Chapters 9 and 10 in **Jackson** .

1. Work problem 9.16(a) in **Jackson**. Note that you can use an approach similar to that discussed in Section 9.4 of the textbook, replacing the "center-fed" antenna with the given antenna configuration.

Note that your presentations will be given during the week of April 17th. Please think about your topic for your ~10 min. presentation.

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FRIDAY

MARCH 17, 2023

A Surprising Connection: Mathematical Coloring Problems & Supersymmetry!

The Four Color Map Conjecture was apparently the first example in the mathematical literature where a theorem was created that depended heavily on the existence of computer algorithms and IT applications. A related problem is the Graph Vertex Coloring Problem and recent study shows evidence that supersymmetry is connected with solutions of the Graph Vertex Coloring Problem.

Today at 3 PM in Olin 101



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Electromagnetic waves from time harmonic sources – review:

For scalar potential (Lorentz gauge, $k \equiv \frac{\omega}{c}$)

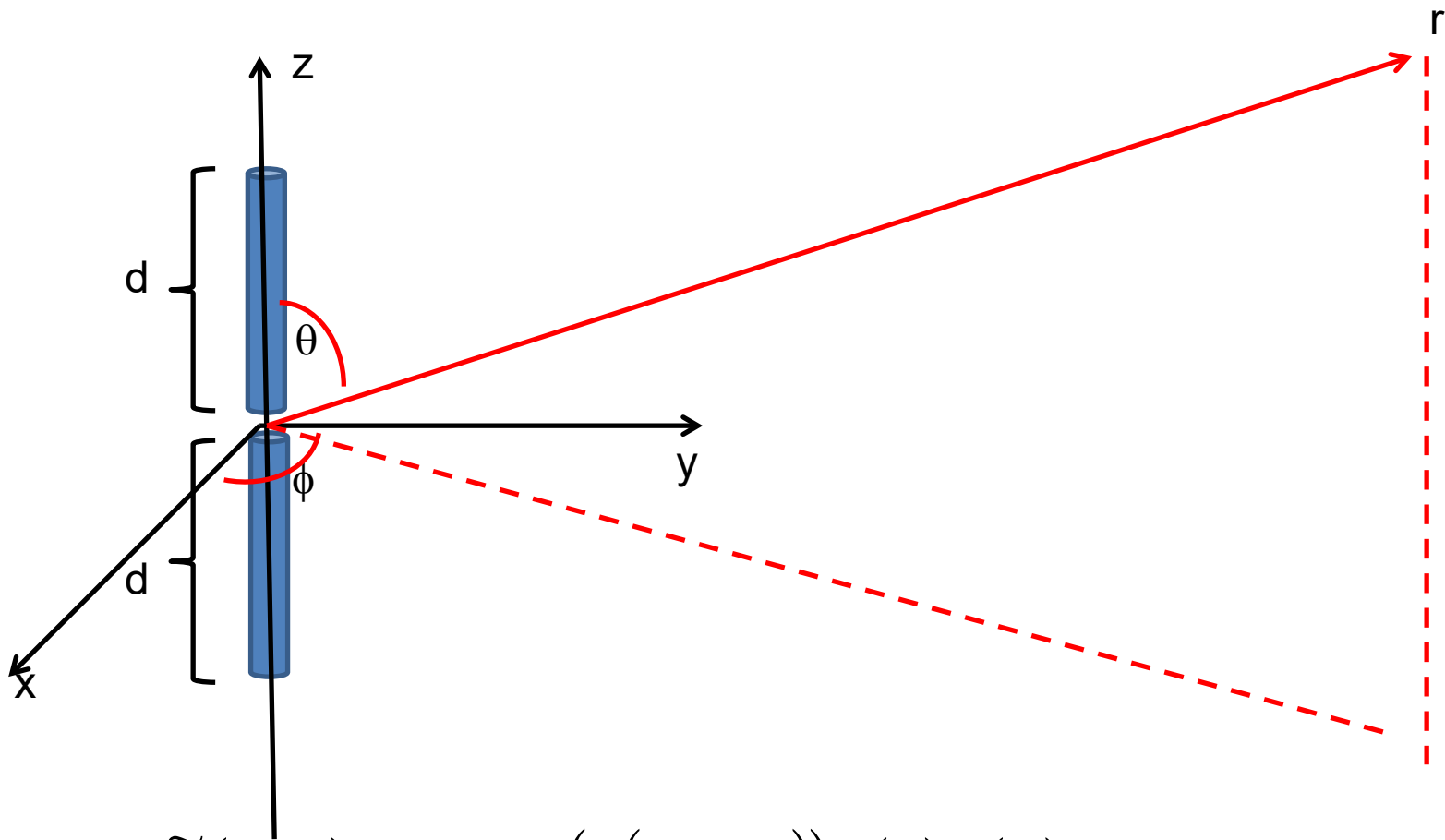
$$\tilde{\Phi}(\mathbf{r}, \omega) = \tilde{\Phi}_0(\mathbf{r}, \omega) + \frac{1}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \int d^3r' \frac{e^{ik|\mathbf{r}-\mathbf{r}'|}}{|\mathbf{r}-\mathbf{r}'|} \tilde{\rho}(\mathbf{r}', \omega)$$

For vector potential (Lorentz gauge, $k \equiv \frac{\omega}{c}$)

$$\tilde{\mathbf{A}}(\mathbf{r}, \omega) = \tilde{\mathbf{A}}_0(\mathbf{r}, \omega) + \frac{\mu_0}{4\pi} \int d^3r' \frac{e^{ik|\mathbf{r}-\mathbf{r}'|}}{|\mathbf{r}-\mathbf{r}'|} \tilde{\mathbf{J}}(\mathbf{r}', \omega)$$

Consider antenna source (center-fed)

Note – these notes differ from previous formulation $d/2 \leftrightarrow d$



$$\tilde{\mathbf{J}}(\mathbf{r}, \omega) = \hat{\mathbf{z}} I \sin(k(d - |z|)) \delta(x) \delta(y) \quad \text{for } -d \leq z \leq d$$

$$k \equiv \frac{\omega}{c}$$

Consider antenna source -- continued

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Consider antenna source -- continued

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Vector potential from source:

$$\tilde{\mathbf{A}}(\mathbf{r}, \omega) = \frac{\mu_0}{4\pi} \int d^3 r' \frac{e^{ik|\mathbf{r}-\mathbf{r}'|}}{|\mathbf{r}-\mathbf{r}'|} \tilde{\mathbf{J}}(\mathbf{r}', \omega)$$

$$\text{For } r \gg d \quad \tilde{\mathbf{A}}(\mathbf{r}, \omega) \approx \frac{\mu_0}{4\pi} \frac{e^{ikr}}{r} \int d^3 r' e^{-ik\hat{\mathbf{r}} \cdot \mathbf{r}'} \tilde{\mathbf{J}}(\mathbf{r}', \omega)$$

$$\tilde{\mathbf{A}}(\mathbf{r}, \omega) \approx \hat{\mathbf{z}} \frac{\mu_0}{4\pi} \frac{e^{ikr}}{r} I \int_{-d}^d dz' e^{-ikz' \cos \theta} \sin(k(d - |z'|))$$

Consider antenna source -- continued

$$\begin{aligned}\tilde{\mathbf{A}}(\mathbf{r}, \omega) &\approx \hat{\mathbf{z}} \frac{\mu_0}{4\pi} \frac{e^{ikr}}{r} I \int_{-d}^d dz e^{-ikz \cos \theta} \sin(k(d - |z|)) \\ &= \hat{\mathbf{z}} \frac{\mu_0}{4\pi} \frac{e^{ikr}}{kr} 2I \left[\frac{\cos(kd \cos \theta) - \cos(kd)}{\sin^2 \theta} \right]\end{aligned}$$

In the radiation zone :

$$\tilde{\mathbf{B}}(\mathbf{r}, \omega) = \nabla \times \tilde{\mathbf{A}}(\mathbf{r}, \omega) \approx ik\hat{\mathbf{r}} \times \tilde{\mathbf{A}}(\mathbf{r}, \omega)$$

$$\tilde{\mathbf{E}}(\mathbf{r}, \omega) \approx -ikc\hat{\mathbf{r}} \times (\hat{\mathbf{r}} \times \tilde{\mathbf{A}}(\mathbf{r}, \omega))$$

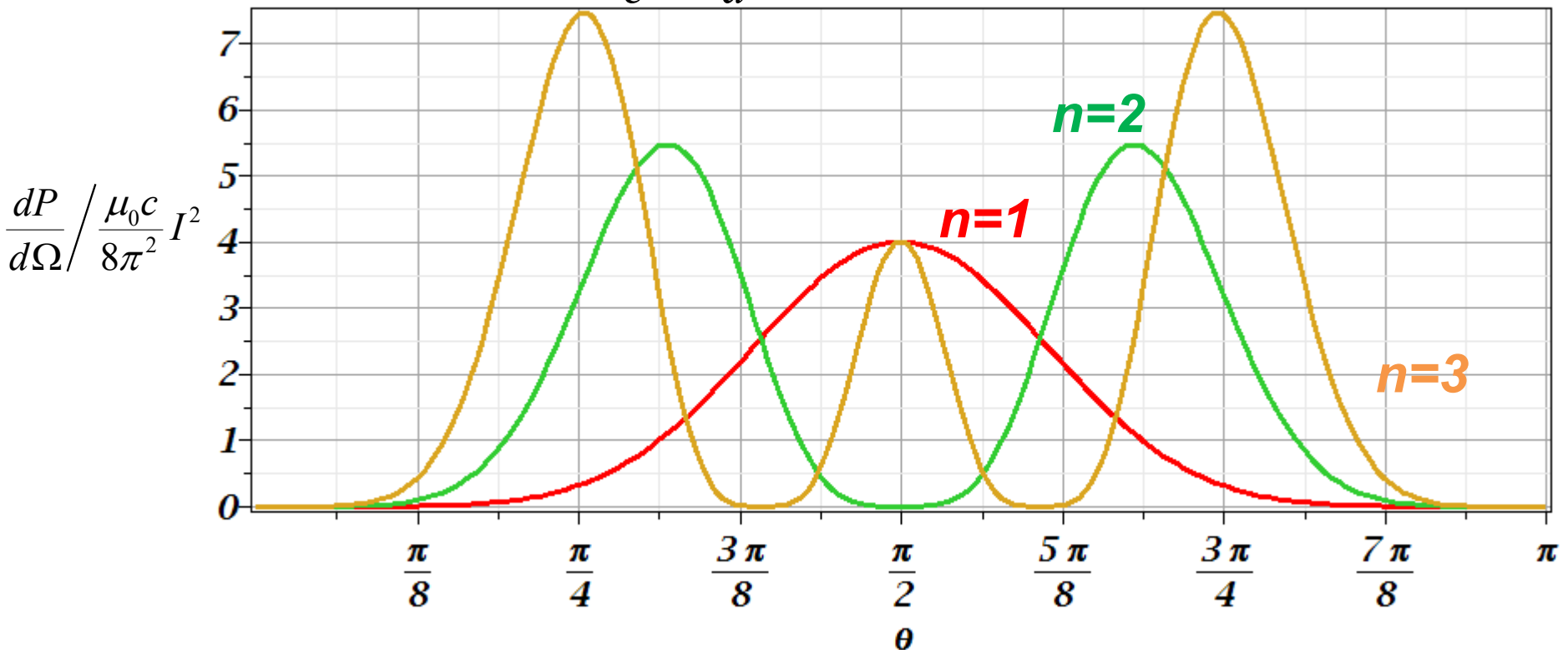
$$\frac{dP}{d\Omega} = \frac{1}{2\mu_0} r^2 \hat{\mathbf{r}} \cdot \Re(\tilde{\mathbf{E}}(\mathbf{r}, \omega) \times \tilde{\mathbf{B}}^*(\mathbf{r}, \omega)) = \frac{k^2 c}{2\mu_0} r^2 \left(|\tilde{\mathbf{A}}(\mathbf{r}, \omega)|^2 - |\hat{\mathbf{r}} \cdot \tilde{\mathbf{A}}(\mathbf{r}, \omega)|^2 \right)$$

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Consider antenna source -- continued

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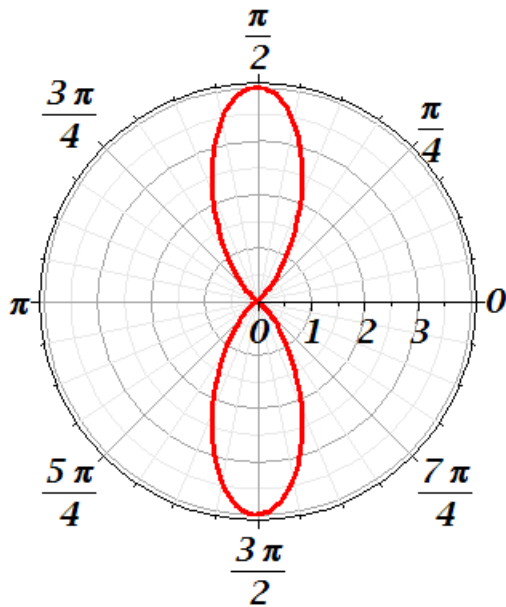
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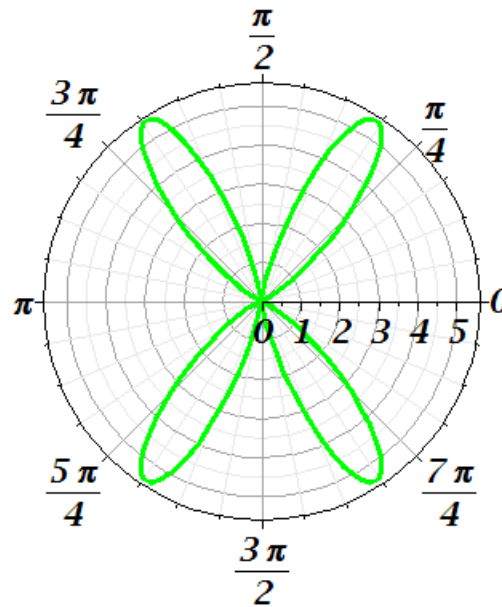
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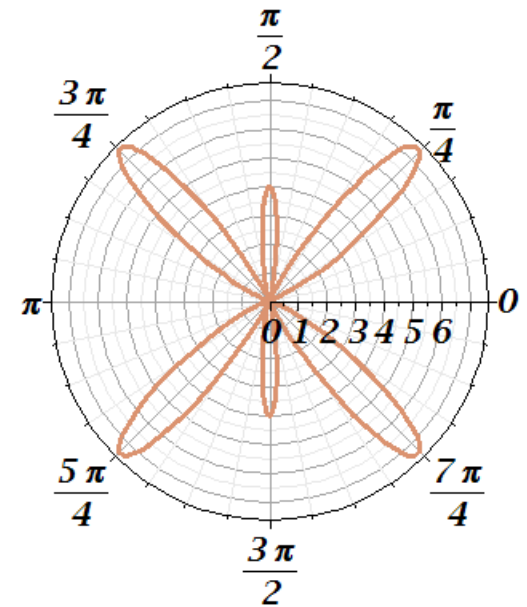
For $kd = n\pi$:



$n=1$

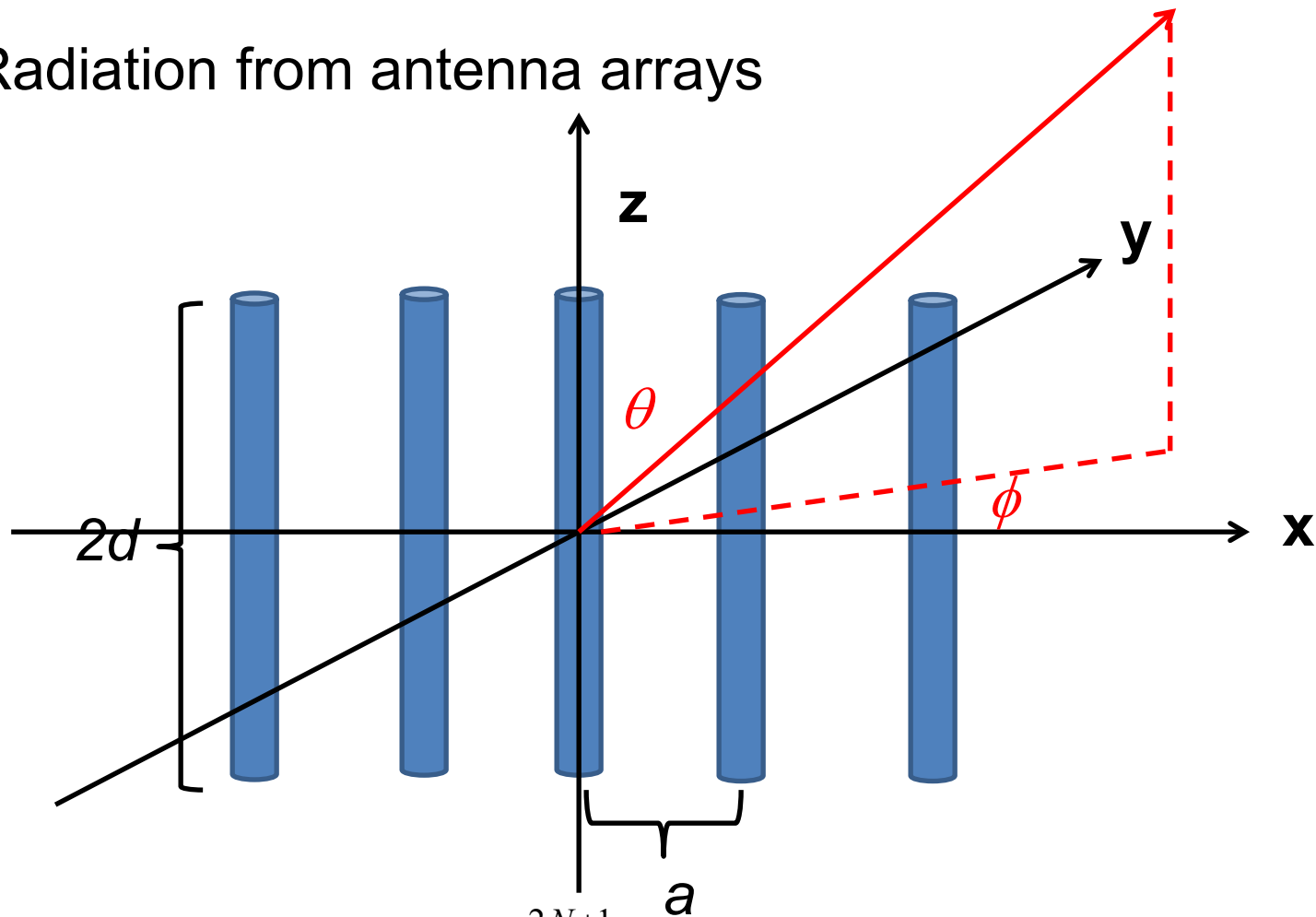


$n=2$



$n=3$

Radiation from antenna arrays



$$\tilde{\mathbf{J}}(\mathbf{r}, \omega) = \hat{\mathbf{z}} I \sin(k(d - |z|)) \sum_{j=1}^{2N+1} \delta(x - (N+1-j)a) \delta(y) \quad \text{for } -d \leq z \leq d$$

$$k \equiv \frac{\omega}{c} = \frac{n\pi}{d}; \quad n = 1, 2, 3, \dots$$

Note that these antennas are all “in phase”.

Radiation from antenna arrays -- continued

Vector potential from array source :

$$\tilde{\mathbf{A}}(\mathbf{r}, \omega) = \frac{\mu_0}{4\pi} \int d^3 r' \frac{e^{ik|\mathbf{r}-\mathbf{r}'|}}{|\mathbf{r}-\mathbf{r}'|} \tilde{\mathbf{J}}(\mathbf{r}', \omega) \approx \frac{\mu_0}{4\pi} \frac{e^{ikr}}{r} \int d^3 r' e^{-ik\hat{\mathbf{r}} \cdot \mathbf{r}'} \tilde{\mathbf{J}}(\mathbf{r}', \omega)$$

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$$\tilde{\mathbf{A}}(\mathbf{r}, \omega) \approx \hat{\mathbf{z}} \frac{\mu_0}{4\pi} \frac{e^{ikr}}{r} \left(\sum_{j=-N}^N e^{-ikaj \sin \theta \cos \phi} \right) I \int_{-d}^d dz e^{-ikz \cos \theta} \sin(k(d - |z|))$$

$$\sum_{j=-N}^N e^{-ikaj \sin \theta \cos \phi} = \frac{\sin(\frac{1}{2} ka(2N+1) \sin \theta \cos \phi)}{\sin(\frac{1}{2} ka \sin \theta \cos \phi)}$$

Digression – summation of a geometric series

$$\sum_{j=-N}^N e^{-iAj} = e^{-iA} \sum_{j=-N}^N e^{-iAj} + e^{iAN} - e^{-iA(N+1)}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \sum_{j=-N}^N e^{-iAj} &= \frac{e^{iAN} - e^{-iA(N+1)}}{1 - e^{-iA}} = \frac{e^{iA/2} e^{iAN} - e^{-iA(N+1)}}{e^{iA/2} (1 - e^{-iA})} \\ &= \frac{2i \sin(A(N+1/2))}{2i \sin(A/2)} \\ &= \frac{\sin(A(N+1/2))}{\sin(A/2)} \end{aligned}$$

$$\sum_{j=-N}^N e^{-ikaj \sin \theta \cos \varphi} = \frac{\sin\left(\frac{1}{2} ka (2N+1) \sin \theta \cos \varphi\right)}{\sin\left(\frac{1}{2} ka \sin \theta \cos \varphi\right)}$$

Radiation from antenna arrays -- continued

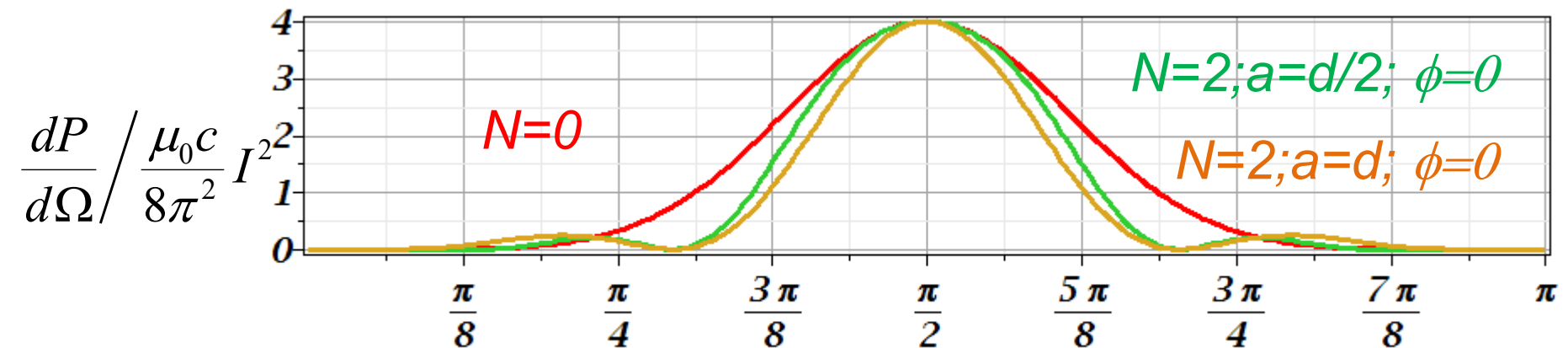
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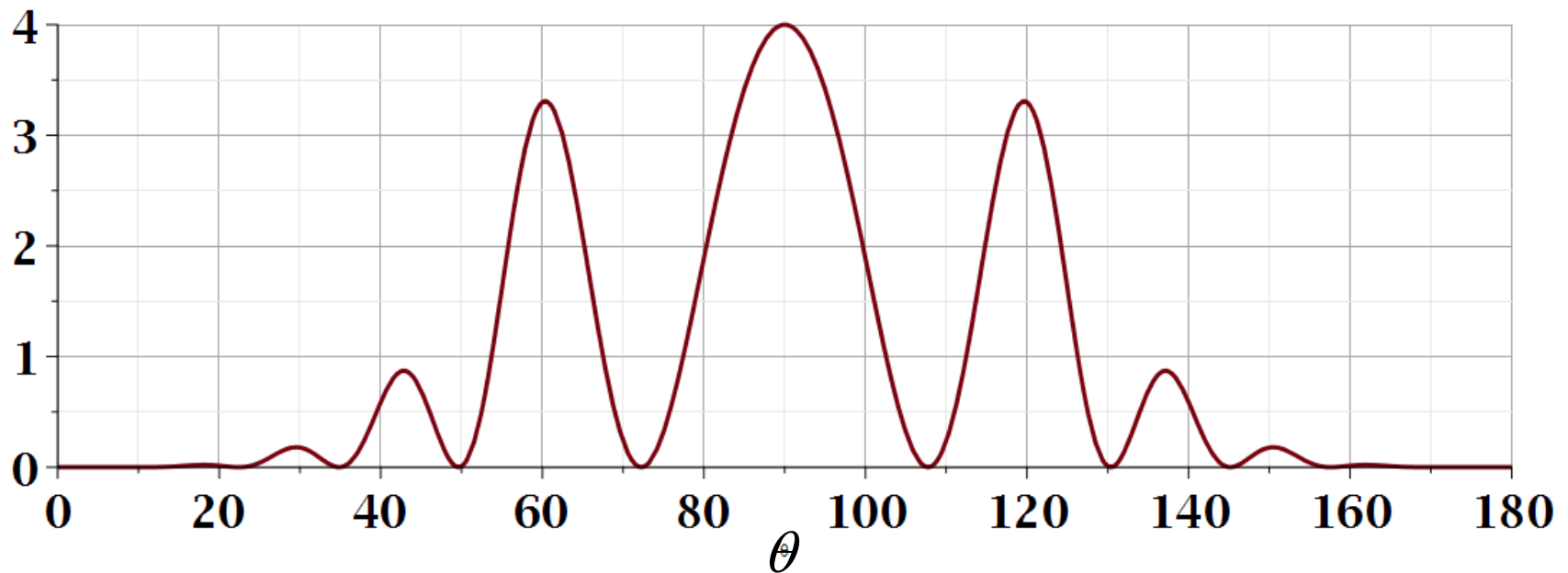
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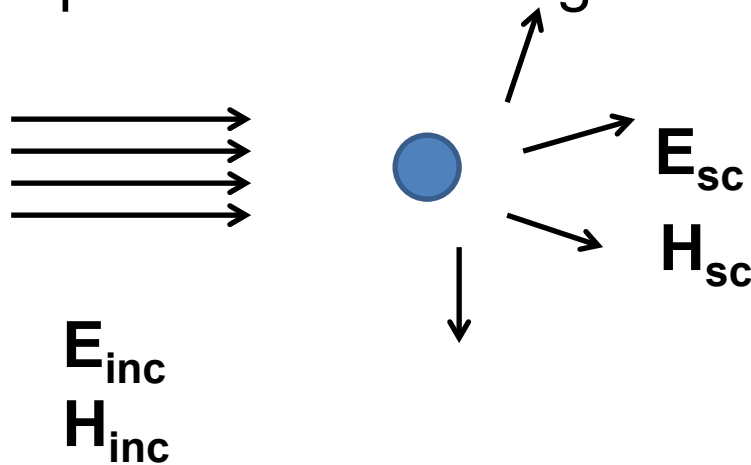
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Example for $\phi = 0, N = 10, kd = \pi = 2ka$



Additional amplitude patterns can be obtained by controlling relative phases of antennas.

Dipole radiation in light scattering by small (dielectric) particles



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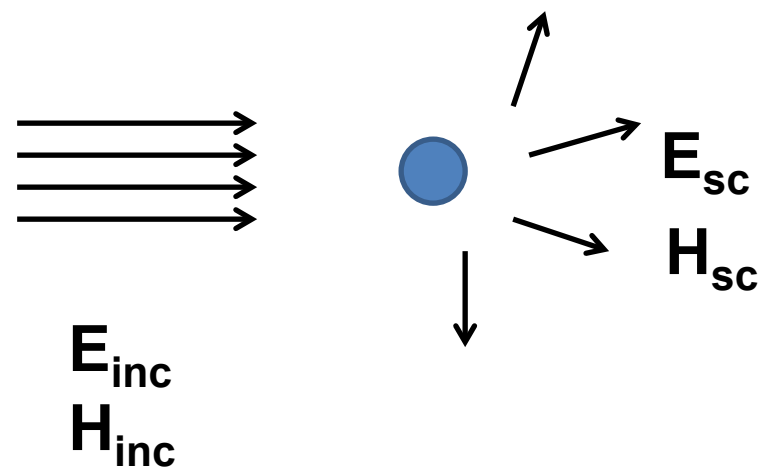
$$\mathbf{H}_{\text{inc}} = \frac{1}{\mu_0 c} \hat{\mathbf{k}}_0 \times \mathbf{E}_{\text{inc}}$$

In electric dipole approximation :

$$\mathbf{E}_{\text{sc}} = \frac{1}{4\pi\epsilon_0} k^2 \frac{e^{ikr}}{r} ((\hat{\mathbf{r}} \times \mathbf{p}) \times \hat{\mathbf{r}}) \quad \mathbf{H}_{\text{sc}} = \frac{1}{\mu_0 c} \hat{\mathbf{r}} \times \mathbf{E}_{\text{sc}}$$



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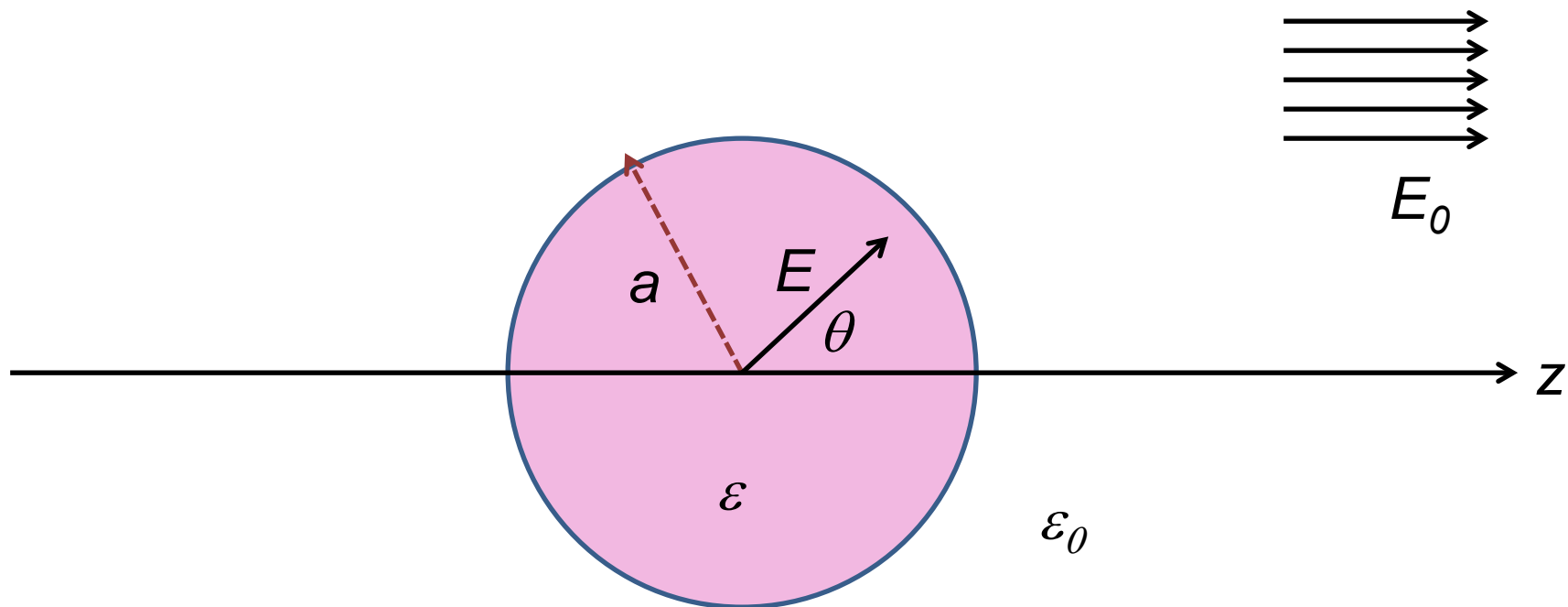
Scattering cross section:

$$\frac{d\sigma}{d\Omega}(\hat{\mathbf{r}}, \hat{\mathbf{v}}; \hat{\mathbf{k}}_0, \hat{\mathbf{v}}_0) = \frac{r^2 \hat{\mathbf{r}} \cdot \langle \mathbf{S}_{\text{sc}} \rangle_{\text{avg}}}{\hat{\mathbf{k}}_0 \cdot \langle \mathbf{S}_{\text{inc}} \rangle_{\text{avg}}}$$

$$= \frac{r^2 |\hat{\mathbf{v}} \cdot \mathbf{E}_{\text{sc}}|^2}{|\hat{\boldsymbol{\epsilon}}_0 \cdot \mathbf{E}_{\text{inc}}|^2} = \frac{k^4}{(4\pi\epsilon_0 E_0)^2} |\hat{\mathbf{v}} \cdot \mathbf{p}|^2$$

Recall previous analysis for electrostatic case:

Boundary value problems in the presence of dielectrics
– example:



$$\text{At } r = a: \quad \epsilon \frac{\partial \Phi_{<}(\mathbf{r})}{\partial r} = \epsilon_0 \frac{\partial \Phi_{>}(\mathbf{r})}{\partial r}$$
$$\frac{\partial \Phi_{<}(\mathbf{r})}{\partial \theta} = \frac{\partial \Phi_{>}(\mathbf{r})}{\partial \theta}$$

Boundary value problems in the presence of dielectrics

– example -- continued:

$$\Phi_{<}(\mathbf{r}) = \sum_{l=0}^{\infty} A_l r^l P_l(\cos \theta)$$

$$\Phi_{>}(\mathbf{r}) = \sum_{l=0}^{\infty} \left(B_l r^l + \frac{C_l}{r^{l+1}} \right) P_l(\cos \theta)$$

$$\text{At } r = a: \quad \epsilon \frac{\partial \Phi_{<}(\mathbf{r})}{\partial r} = \epsilon_0 \frac{\partial \Phi_{>}(\mathbf{r})}{\partial r}$$

$$\frac{\partial \Phi_{<}(\mathbf{r})}{\partial \theta} = \frac{\partial \Phi_{>}(\mathbf{r})}{\partial \theta}$$

$$\text{For } r \rightarrow \infty \quad \Phi_{>}(\mathbf{r}) = -E_0 r \cos \theta$$

Solution -- only $l = 1$ contributes

$$B_1 = -E_0$$

$$A_1 = -\left(\frac{3}{2 + \epsilon / \epsilon_0} \right) E_0$$

$$C_1 = \left(\frac{\epsilon / \epsilon_0 - 1}{2 + \epsilon / \epsilon_0} \right) a^3 E_0$$

Boundary value problems in the presence of dielectrics

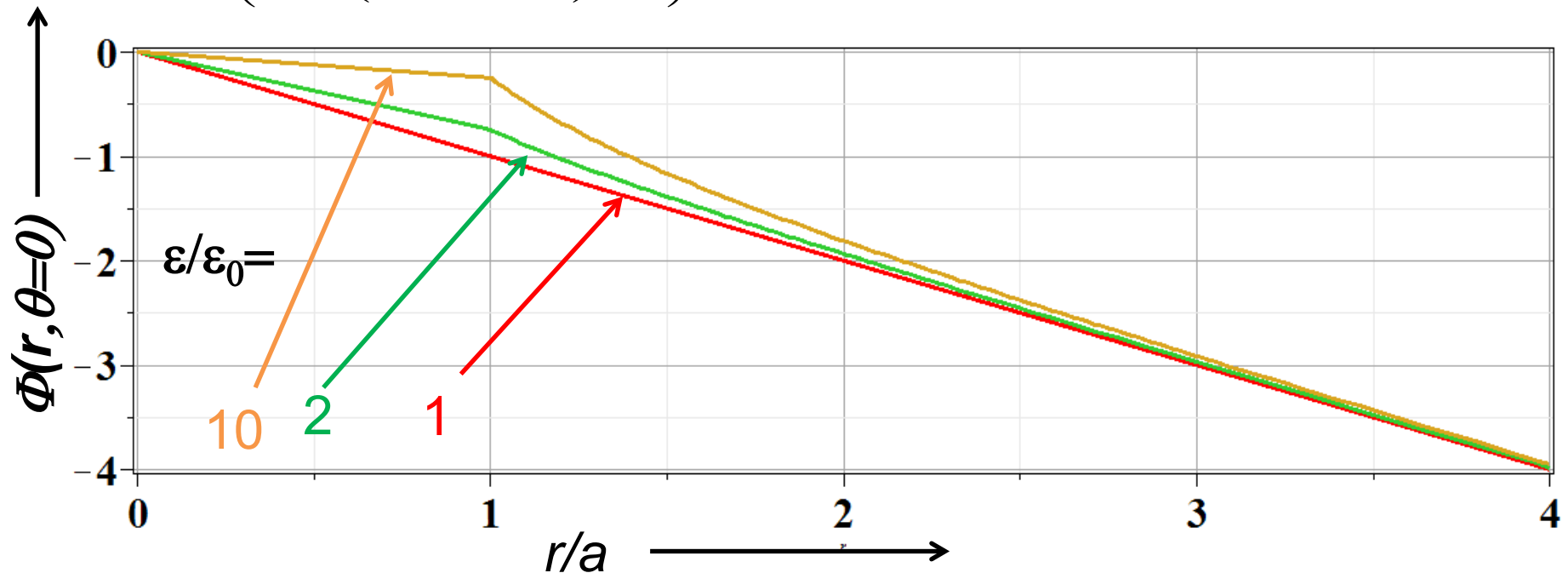
– example -- continued:

$$\Phi_{<}(\mathbf{r}) = -\left(\frac{3}{2 + \epsilon / \epsilon_0}\right) E_0 r \cos \theta$$

Induced dipole moment:

$$\Phi_{>}(\mathbf{r}) = -\left(r - \left(\frac{\epsilon / \epsilon_0 - 1}{2 + \epsilon / \epsilon_0}\right) \frac{a^3}{r^2}\right) E_0 \cos \theta$$

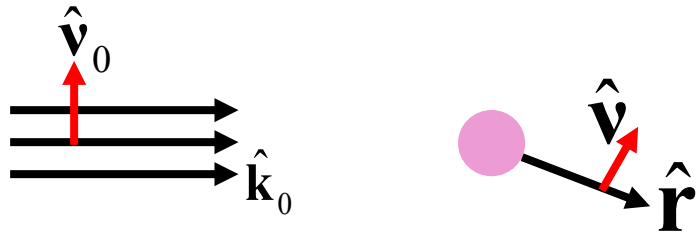
$$\mathbf{p} = 4\pi a^3 \epsilon_0 \left(\frac{\epsilon / \epsilon_0 - 1}{\epsilon / \epsilon_0 + 2}\right) \mathbf{E}_0$$



Estimation of scattering dipole moment:

Suppose the scattering particle is a dielectric sphere with permittivity ϵ and radius a :

Note polarization notation change for clarity.



$$\mathbf{p} = 4\pi a^3 \epsilon_0 \left(\frac{\epsilon / \epsilon_0 - 1}{\epsilon / \epsilon_0 + 2} \right) \mathbf{E}_{inc}$$

$$\mathbf{E}_{inc} = \hat{\mathbf{v}}_0 E_0 e^{ik\hat{\mathbf{k}}_0 \cdot \mathbf{r}}$$

Scattering cross section:

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{d\sigma}{d\Omega}(\hat{\mathbf{r}}, \hat{\mathbf{v}}; \hat{\mathbf{k}}_0, \hat{\mathbf{v}}_0) &= \frac{r^2 |\hat{\mathbf{v}} \cdot \mathbf{E}_{sc}|^2}{|\hat{\mathbf{v}}_0 \cdot \mathbf{E}_{inc}|^2} = \frac{k^4}{(4\pi\epsilon_0 E_0)^2} |\hat{\mathbf{v}} \cdot \mathbf{p}|^2 \\ &= k^4 a^6 \left| \frac{\epsilon / \epsilon_0 - 1}{\epsilon / \epsilon_0 + 2} \right|^2 |\hat{\mathbf{v}} \cdot \hat{\mathbf{v}}_0|^2 \end{aligned}$$



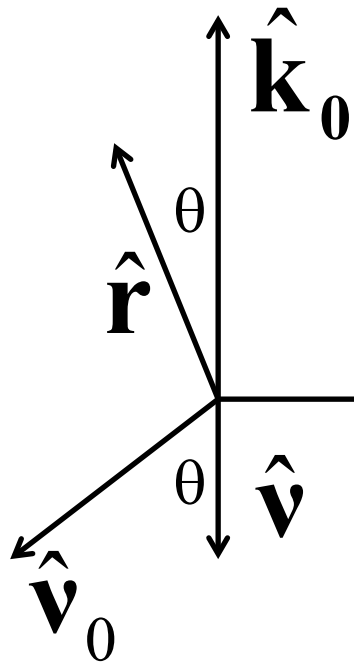
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Alternative Titles: John William Strutt, 3rd Baron Rayleigh of Terling Place

Lord Rayleigh, in full **John William Strutt, 3rd Baron Rayleigh of Terling Place**, (born November 12, 1842, Langford Grove, [Maldon](#), [Essex](#), England—died June 30, 1919, Terling Place, Witham, Essex), English physical scientist who made fundamental discoveries in the fields of [acoustics](#) and [optics](#) that are basic to the theory of [wave propagation](#) in fluids. He received the [Nobel Prize](#) for Physics in 1904 for his successful isolation of argon, an inert atmospheric gas.

Scattering by dielectric sphere with permittivity ϵ and radius a :

For \mathbf{E}_{inc} polarized in scattering plane:

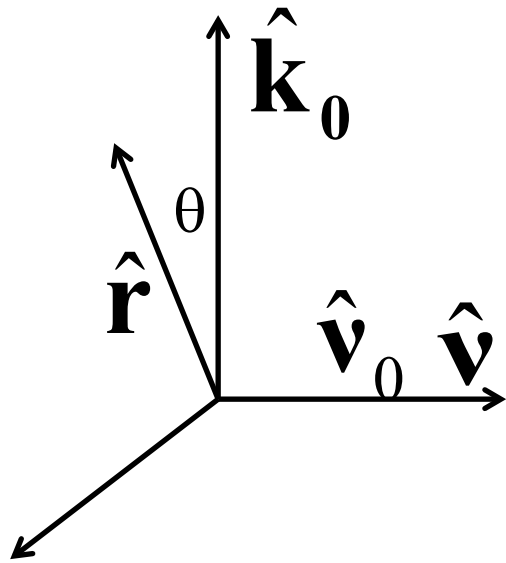


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Scattering by dielectric sphere with permittivity ϵ and radius a :

For \mathbf{E}_{inc} polarized perpendicular to scattering plane:

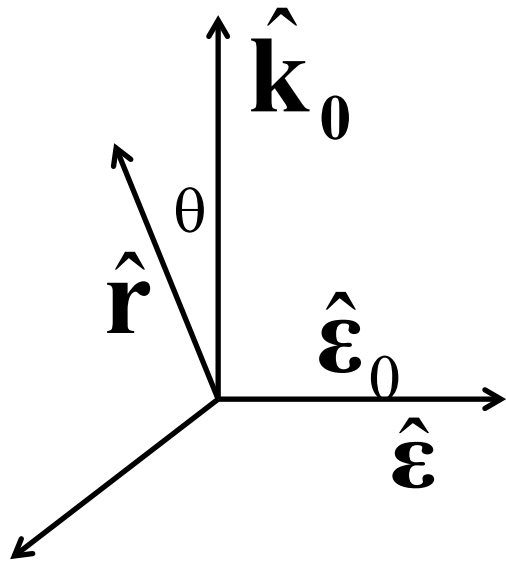


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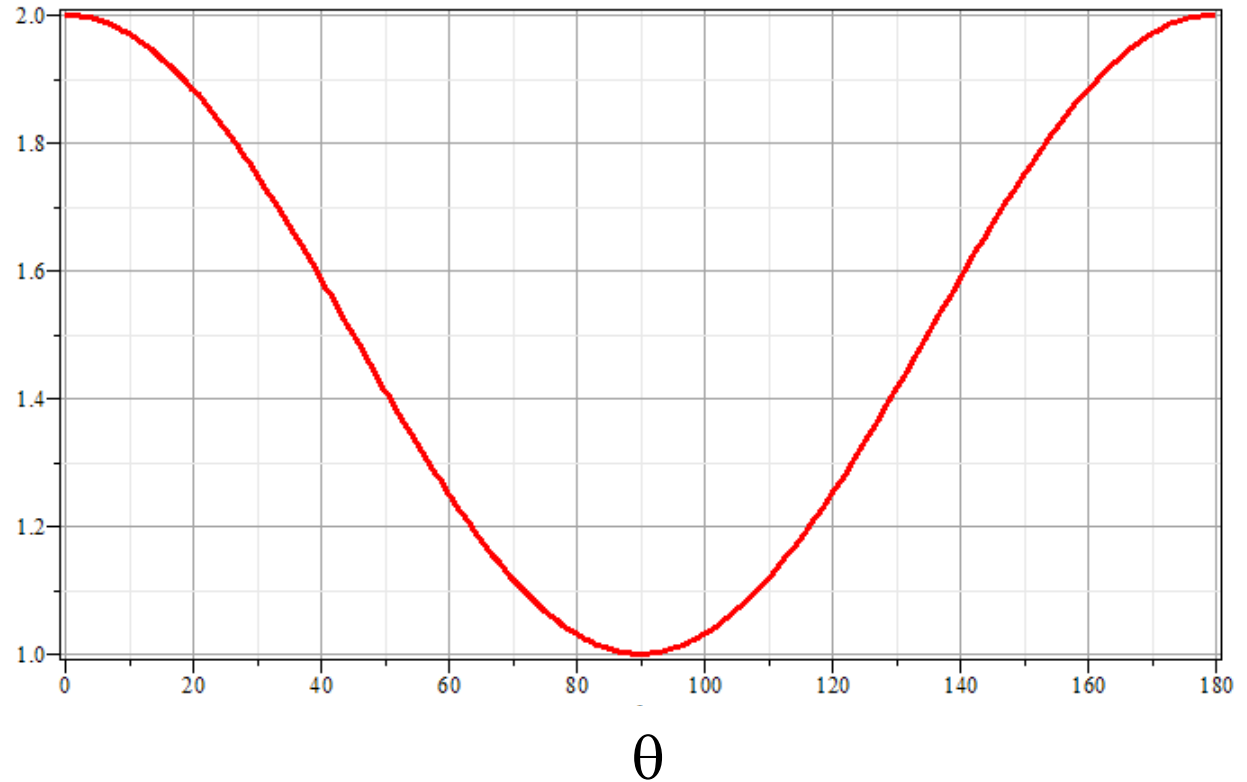
Assuming both incident polarizations are equally likely, average cross section is given by:

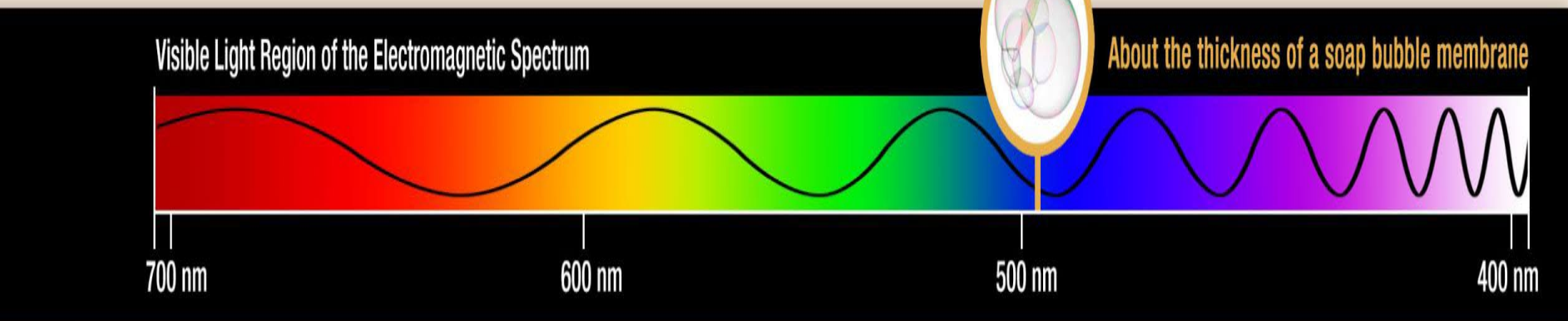
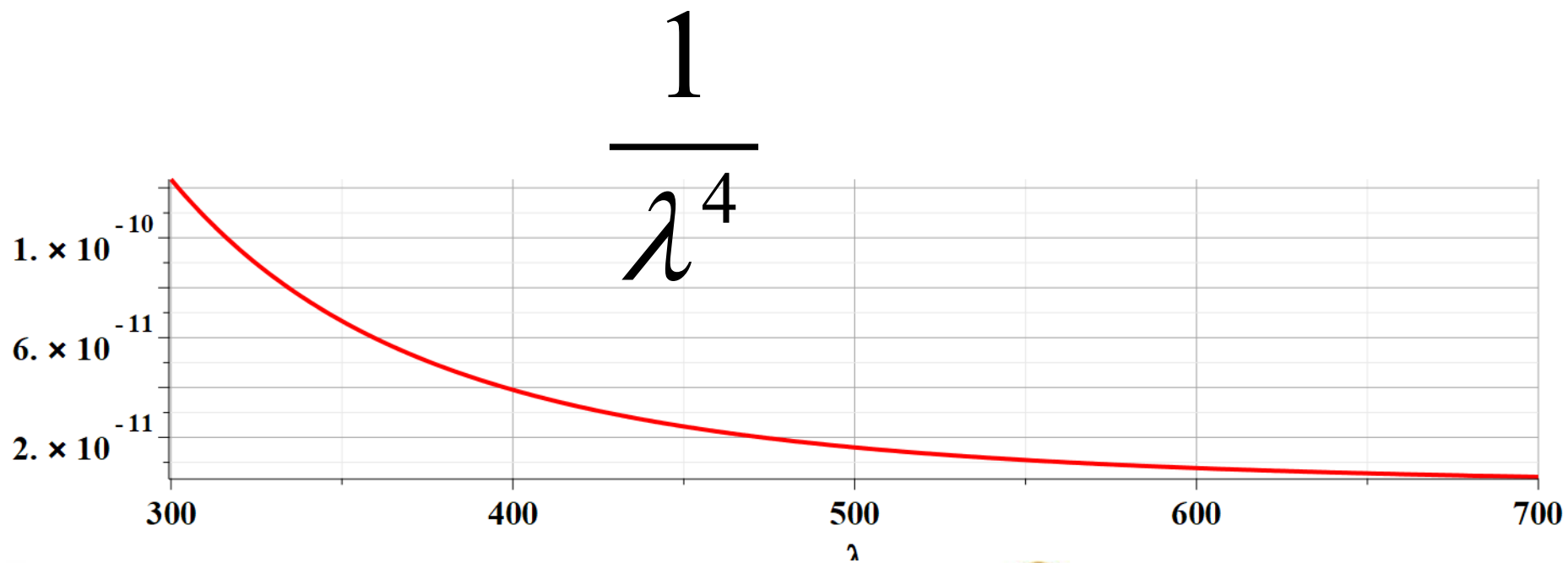
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Scattering by dielectric sphere with permittivity ϵ and radius a :



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Brief introduction to multipole expansion of electromagnetic fields (Chap. 9.7)

Sourceless Maxwell's equations

in terms of \mathbf{E} and \mathbf{H} fields with time dependence $e^{-i\omega t}$:

$$\nabla \times \mathbf{E} = ikZ_0 \mathbf{H} \quad \nabla \times \mathbf{H} = -ik\mathbf{E} / Z_0$$

$$\nabla \cdot \mathbf{E} = 0 \quad \nabla \cdot \mathbf{H} = 0$$

where $k \equiv \omega / c$ and $Z_0 \equiv \sqrt{\mu_0 / \epsilon_0}$

Decoupled equations:

$$\left(\nabla^2 + k^2\right)\mathbf{E} = 0 \quad \left(\nabla^2 + k^2\right)\mathbf{H} = 0$$

$$\mathbf{H} = -\frac{i}{kZ_0} \nabla \times \mathbf{E} \quad \mathbf{E} = \frac{iZ_0}{k} \nabla \times \mathbf{H}$$

Multipole expansion of electromagnetic fields -- continued

Note that:

$$(\nabla^2 + k^2)(\mathbf{r} \cdot \mathbf{E}) = 0 \quad (\nabla^2 + k^2)(\mathbf{r} \cdot \mathbf{H}) = 0$$

Convenient operators for angular momentum analysis

$$\text{Define: } \mathbf{L} \equiv \frac{1}{i}(\mathbf{r} \times \nabla)$$

$$\text{Note that } \mathbf{r} \cdot \mathbf{L} = 0$$

$$\nabla^2 = \frac{1}{r} \frac{\partial^2 r}{\partial r^2} - \frac{L^2}{r^2}$$

Eigenfunctions:

$$L^2 Y_{lm}(\theta, \phi) = - \left[\frac{1}{\sin \theta} \frac{\partial}{\partial \theta} \left(\sin \theta \frac{\partial}{\partial \theta} \right) + \frac{1}{\sin^2 \theta} \frac{\partial^2}{\partial \phi^2} \right] Y_{lm}(\theta, \phi) = l(l+1) Y_{lm}(\theta, \phi)$$

Multipole expansion of electromagnetic fields -- continued

Magnetic multipole field:

$$\mathbf{r} \cdot \mathbf{H}_{lm}^M \equiv \frac{l(l+1)}{k} g_l(kr) Y_{lm}(\theta, \phi)$$

$$\mathbf{r} \cdot \mathbf{E}_{lm}^M = 0$$

$$\mathbf{L} \cdot \mathbf{E}_{lm}^M = l(l+1) Z_0 g_l(kr) Y_{lm}(\theta, \phi)$$

spherical Bessel function



Electric multipole field:

$$\mathbf{r} \cdot \mathbf{E}_{lm}^E \equiv -Z_0 \frac{l(l+1)}{k} f_l(kr) Y_{lm}(\theta, \phi)$$

$$\mathbf{r} \cdot \mathbf{H}_{lm}^E = 0$$

$$\mathbf{L} \cdot \mathbf{H}_{lm}^E = l(l+1) f_l(kr) Y_{lm}(\theta, \phi)$$

spherical Bessel function



Multipole expansion of electromagnetic fields -- continued

Vector spherical harmonics: (for $l > 0$)

$$\mathbf{X}_{lm}(\theta, \phi) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{l(l+1)}} \mathbf{L} Y_{lm}(\theta, \phi)$$

Orthogonality conditions:

$$\int d\Omega \mathbf{X}_{l'm'}^*(\theta, \phi) \cdot \mathbf{X}_{lm}(\theta, \phi) = \delta_{ll'} \delta_{mm'}$$

$$\int d\Omega \mathbf{X}_{l'm'}^*(\theta, \phi) \cdot (\mathbf{r} \times \mathbf{X}_{lm}(\theta, \phi)) = 0$$

General expansion of fields:

$$\mathbf{H} = \sum_{lm} \left[a_{lm}^E f_l(kr) \mathbf{X}_{lm}(\theta, \phi) - \frac{i}{k} a_{lm}^M \nabla \times (g_l(kr) \mathbf{X}_{lm}(\theta, \phi)) \right]$$

$$\mathbf{E} = \sum_{lm} \left[\frac{i}{k} a_{lm}^E \nabla \times (f_l(kr) \mathbf{X}_{lm}(\theta, \phi)) + a_{lm}^M g_l(kr) \mathbf{X}_{lm}(\theta, \phi) \right]$$

Multipole expansion of electromagnetic fields -- continued

Time averaged power distribution of radiation far from source:

$$\frac{dP}{d\Omega} = \frac{Z_0}{2k^2} \left| \sum_{lm} (-i)^{l+1} \left[a_{lm}^E \mathbf{X}_{lm}(\theta, \phi) \times \hat{\mathbf{r}} + a_{lm}^M \mathbf{X}_{lm}(\theta, \phi) \right] \right|^2$$

For a pure multipole radiation with either a_{lm}^E or a_{lm}^M :

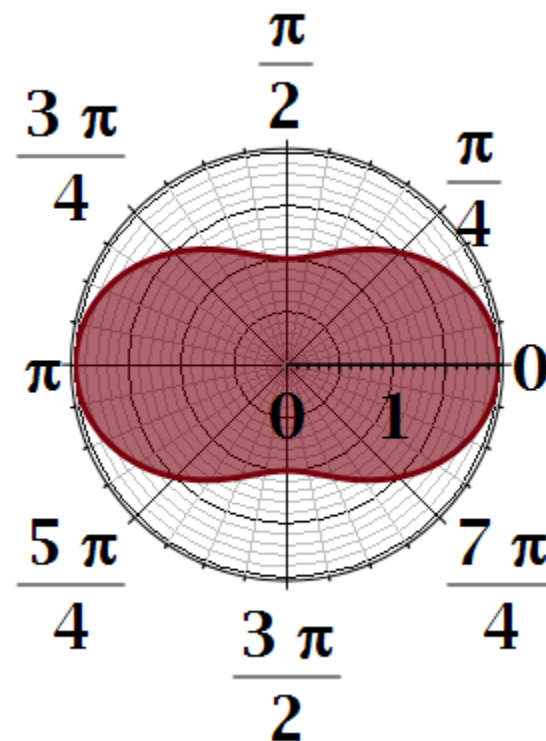
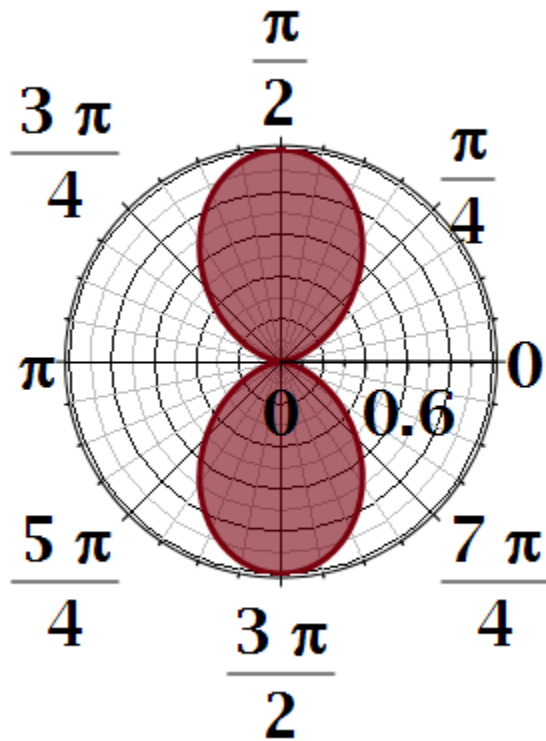
$$\frac{dP}{d\Omega} = \frac{Z_0}{2k^2} |a_{lm}|^2 |\mathbf{X}_{lm}(\theta, \phi)|^2$$

$$|\mathbf{X}_{lm}(\theta, \phi)|^2 = \frac{1}{2l(l+1)} \left(2m^2 |Y_{lm}|^2 + (l+m)(l-m+1) |Y_{l(m-1)}|^2 + (l-m)(l+m+1) |Y_{l(m+1)}|^2 \right)$$

For example: $l = 1$

$$|\mathbf{X}_{10}(\theta, \phi)|^2 = \frac{3}{8\pi} \sin^2 \theta$$

$$|\mathbf{X}_{11}(\theta, \phi)|^2 = |\mathbf{X}_{1-1}(\theta, \phi)|^2 = \frac{3}{16\pi} (1 + \cos^2 \theta)$$



For example: $l = 2$

$$|\mathbf{X}_{20}(\theta, \phi)|^2 = \frac{15}{8\pi} \sin^2 \theta \cos^2 \theta \quad |\mathbf{X}_{21}(\theta, \phi)|^2 = \frac{5}{16\pi} (1 - 3 \cos^2 \theta + 4 \cos^4 \theta) \quad |\mathbf{X}_{22}(\theta, \phi)|^2 = \frac{5}{16\pi} (1 - \cos^4 \theta)$$

