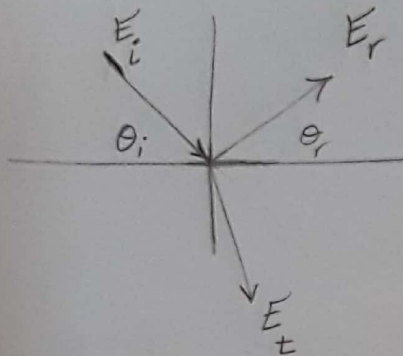


# 2 Ground Reflection (2 Ray Model)

\* Reflection From Perfect Conductor :



$E_i$  = incident Electric field

$E_r$  = reflected " "

$E_t$  = transmitted " "

Parallel-  
Vertical  
Polarization

Perpendicular-  
horizontal  
Polarization

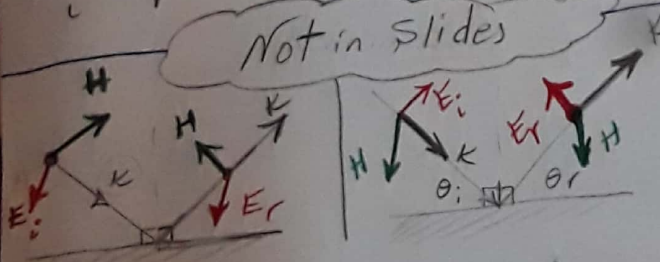
$$\theta_i = \theta_r$$

$$E_i = E_r$$

$$\theta_i = \theta_r$$

$$E_i = -E_r$$

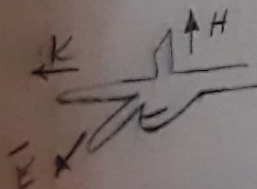
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$K \rightarrow$  Propagation direction

$E \rightarrow$  Electric field

$H \rightarrow$  magnetic field

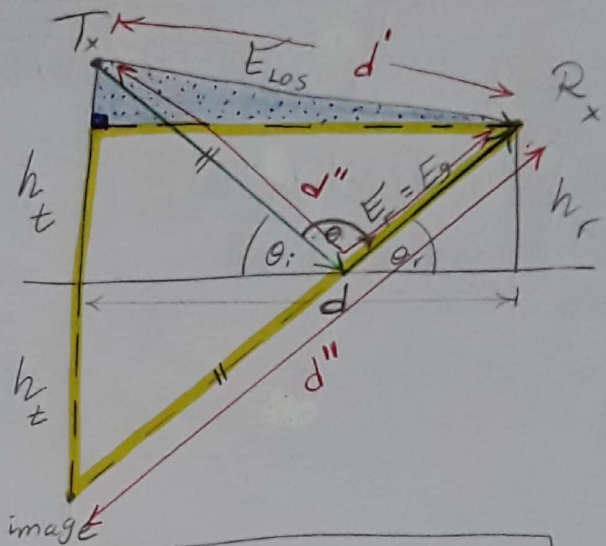


Right Hand  
Rule

\* use it when: ① reflection from Ground only

② LOS  
 $d \gg h_t, d \gg h_r$

\* 2 Ray Model is the 1<sup>st</sup> simple fading model



\* Given:

field equations

- $d =$  several Kms
- $d_0 =$  ref distance @  $E = E_0$
- $h_t = 50 - 100$  m

$$E_{tot} = E_{LOS} + E_g$$

$$|E|_{LOS} = \frac{E_0 d_0}{d} \quad (\text{inverse proportional})$$

$$P \propto \frac{1}{d^2} \quad [\text{in Free space LOS}]$$

$$E_{tot}(d) = \frac{E_0 d_0}{d} \quad \text{shortcut} \rightarrow * \frac{d}{d}$$

$$\& \text{Substitute: } d = 2\pi \frac{h_t h_r}{\lambda}$$

\* Required: Prove that in 2-Ray model Ground reflection:

$$① E_{tot}(d) = \frac{2E_0 d_0 (2\pi h_t h_r)}{\lambda d^2}$$

$$② P_r \propto \frac{1}{d^4}$$

$$③ P_r = \frac{P_t G_t G_r h_t^2 h_r^2}{d^4}$$

Reference: Rappoport Page 97

# Proof Solution

From the Shape Geometry:

$$d' = \sqrt{d^2 + (h_t - h_r)^2} = d \sqrt{1 + \frac{(h_t - h_r)^2}{d^2}} \rightarrow \text{From the blue dotted angle}$$

$$\because \sqrt{1 + \text{small}} \simeq 1 + \frac{1}{2} \text{small}$$

$$\therefore d' = d \left[ 1 + \frac{1}{2} \frac{(h_t - h_r)^2}{d^2} \right]$$

Simillary

$$d'' = d \left[ 1 + \frac{1}{2} \frac{(h_t + h_r)^2}{d^2} \right] \rightarrow \text{From the yellow angle}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \therefore \Delta d &= d'' - d' = d + \frac{(h_t + h_r)^2}{2d} - d - \frac{(h_t - h_r)^2}{2d} \\ &= \frac{h_t^2 + h_r^2 + 2h_t h_r - h_t^2 - h_r^2 + 2h_t h_r}{2d} \end{aligned}$$

$$\therefore \Delta d = \frac{2h_t h_r}{d} = \text{Path difference}$$

$$\therefore \Delta \theta = \beta \cdot \Delta d = \frac{2\pi}{\lambda} \cdot \Delta d = \frac{4\pi h_t h_r}{\lambda d} = \text{Phase shift} = \theta$$

$$\therefore E_{\text{Far Field}} = \frac{k}{r} e^{-j\beta r}, \quad E_{\text{reflect}} = \frac{k}{r} \rho e^{-j\beta d''}$$

$$\therefore E_{\text{tot}} = E_{\text{los}} + E_g = \frac{k}{r} e^{-j\beta d'} + \frac{k}{r} \rho e^{-j\beta(d' + \Delta d)}$$

$$E_{\text{tot}} = \frac{k}{r} e^{-j\beta d'} \left[ 1 - e^{-j\beta \Delta d} \right]$$

reflection Coef  
For perfect conductor:  $\rho = -1$

$$r = d \neq d' \neq d''$$

$$2 \sin\left(\frac{\theta}{2}\right)$$

$$\because d \gg \frac{4h_t h_r}{\lambda}$$

$$\therefore \sin \phi \simeq \phi$$

$$E_r = |E_r| = \frac{2k}{d} \sin\left(\frac{2\pi h_t h_r}{\lambda d}\right)$$



$$\therefore \frac{|E|}{T_{OT}} = \frac{K^{1 \rightarrow \text{Const}}}{d^2} \quad \left( \begin{array}{l} \text{Far Field -} \\ \text{2 Ray Model - Ground Reflection} \end{array} \right)$$

$$E \propto \frac{1}{d} \xrightarrow{\text{for any: "Far Field" except: 2-Ray Model or higher complexity}} P \propto \frac{1}{d^2}$$

$$\therefore E \propto \frac{1}{d^2} \xrightarrow{\begin{array}{l} \bullet \text{ 2 Ray} \\ \bullet \text{ Ground Reflect} \\ \bullet \text{ Far field} \end{array}} P \propto \frac{1}{d^4}$$

$$\therefore |E_{tot}(d)| = \frac{2\pi^2 (K) h_t h_r}{\lambda d^2} = |E_r| = \frac{2E_0 d_0 (2\pi h_t h_r)}{\lambda d^2} \quad \left( \begin{array}{l} \text{Const related to } E_0 \end{array} \right)$$

$$\therefore \left| \frac{E_{tot}}{E_0 d_0} \right| = \frac{4\pi h_t h_r}{\lambda d^2}$$

$$\therefore P_r \propto |E_{tot}|^2 \xrightarrow{\circ \circ} P_r \propto \left| \frac{E_{tot}}{E_0 d_0} \right|^2 \rightarrow P_r \propto \frac{1}{d^4}$$

$$\therefore P_r = \frac{P_t G_t G_r \lambda^2}{(4\pi)^2 d^2}$$

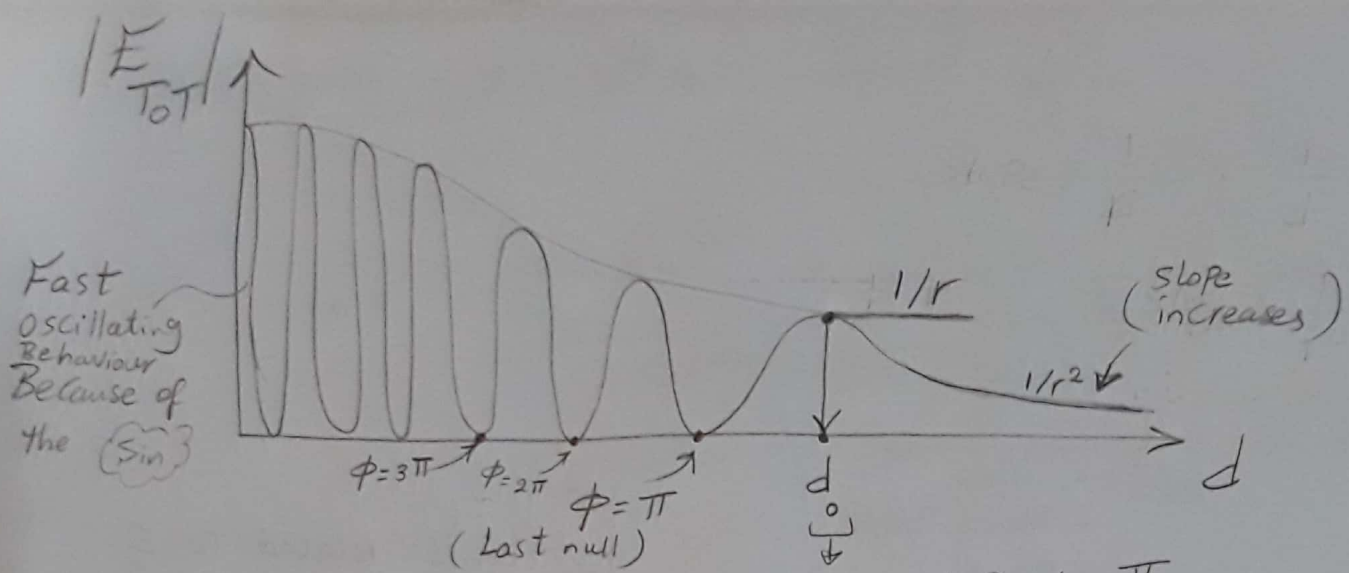
Free space "LOS"  $\leftarrow (4\pi)^2 d^2 \leftarrow \begin{array}{l} \text{where:} \\ e \geq 1 \end{array} \xrightarrow{\text{assume } e=1}$

$$\therefore P_r = \frac{P_t G_t G_r \lambda^2}{(4\pi)^2} \cdot \left| \frac{E_{tot}}{E_0 d_0} \right|^2$$

2 Ray  
Ground Reflection

$$= \frac{P_t G_t G_r \lambda^2}{(4\pi)^2} \cdot \frac{(4\pi)^2 h_t^2 h_r^2}{\lambda^2 d^4}$$

$$P_r = \frac{P_t G_t G_r h_t^2 h_r^2}{d^4} \quad \#$$



Last peak @  $\phi = \frac{\pi}{2}$  where:

$$\phi = \frac{2\pi h_t h_r}{\lambda d}$$

$$\therefore \frac{\pi}{2} = \frac{2\pi h_t h_r}{\lambda d}$$

$$\therefore d = d_0 = \frac{4 h_t h_r}{\lambda} = \text{reference distance @ } E = E_0$$

∴ for stable operation we choose  $d > d_0$  to avoid instability in the Signal Level due to speedy Variation in the amplitude of  $|E_{TOT}|$

$$\text{∴ if } d \gg \frac{4 h_t h_r}{\lambda} \quad \therefore \phi \ll \pi \quad \therefore \sin \phi \approx \phi$$

$$\therefore |E_{tot}|_{2\text{-Ray}} = \frac{2 E_0 d_0 (2\pi h_t h_r)}{\lambda d^2} \quad \left. \vphantom{\frac{2 E_0 d_0 (2\pi h_t h_r)}{\lambda d^2}} \right\} \text{(as Before)}$$

$$\therefore P_{r, 2\text{-Ray}} = \frac{P_T G_T G_r h_t^2 h_r^2}{d^4}$$

$$\therefore P_{2\text{-Ray}} \propto \frac{1}{d^4}$$

④ Prove That the 2-Ray Ground Reflection Power Decrease 40 dB Per decade or octave

Solution

$$\therefore P \propto \frac{1}{d^4}$$

$$\therefore \frac{P}{P_0} = \frac{d_0^4}{d^4}$$

$P_0$   
reference

$$\alpha = n$$

$$P_{dB} = P_{0dB} - 10 \log_{10} \left( \frac{d}{d_0} \right)^4 = P_0 - 10 \alpha \log_{10} \frac{d}{d_0}$$

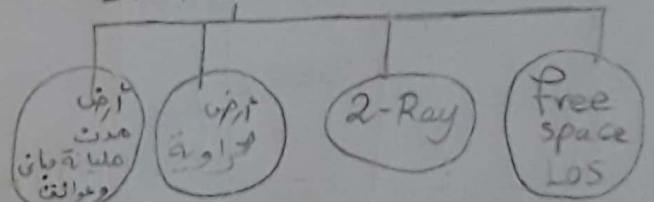
$$P_{dB} = P_{0dB} - 40 \log_{10} \frac{d}{d_0} = P_0 + 10 \alpha \log_{10} \frac{d_0}{d}$$

if: Power  $\rightarrow +$   
attenuation  $\rightarrow -$

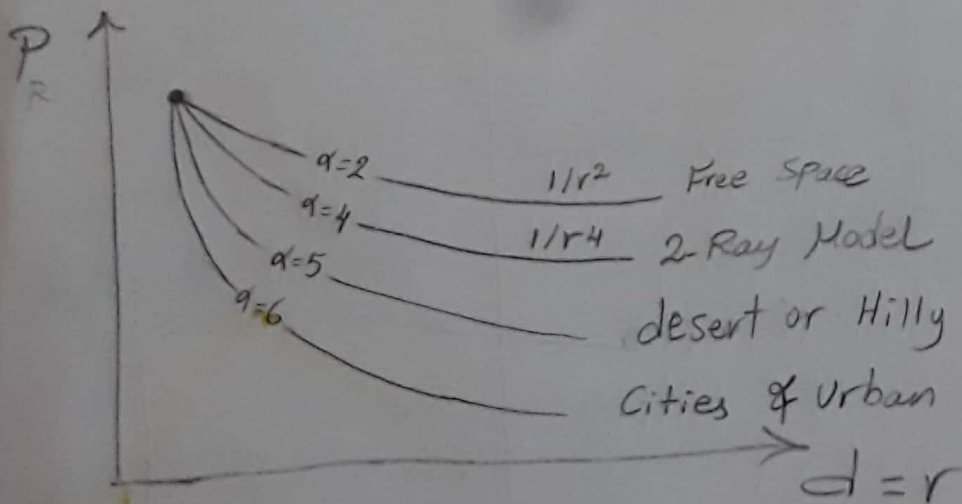
∴ In general:

$$P \propto \frac{1}{d^n}$$

Parameter depends on the Environment



destructive interference  $\leftarrow \alpha = 6$   
(Some times) Constructive interference  $\leftarrow \alpha = 3$



$\frac{E}{E_0} = \frac{d_0^2}{d^2}$ $\frac{P}{P_0} = \frac{d_0^4}{d^4}$	$\frac{E}{E_0} = \frac{d_0}{d}$ $\frac{P}{P_0} = \frac{d_0^2}{d^2}$
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