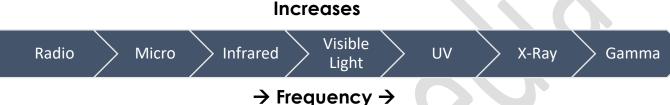
## **Electromagnetic Waves**

➤ EM waves are created as a result of vibrations between an electric field and a magnetic field.

## • Electromagnetic Spectrum



Increases

← Wave length ←

## Properties of EM waves

- > They are a type of Transverse waves
- > A medium is not necessary to travel.
- Don't care about Electric fields and Magnetic fields.
- > Travel in a straight line till it meets another medium.
- Matter absorbs an amount of energy when EM waves pass through it.
- > Every EM Wave has a same speed in a vacuum.
- They have a lower speed in other mediums. You can get it from below formula.

$$\mathbf{V} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{(\varepsilon \mu)}}$$
 
$$\varepsilon = \text{Permittivity}$$
 
$$\mu = \text{Permeability}$$