

Notes on Advanced Electrodynamics Electromagnetic Theory

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Chapter 1

Basic Electrodynamics Theory

1.1 Maxwell Equation

1.1.1 Maxwell Equation in Matter

Maxwell's equations in matter is written:

$$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \oint_{\partial\Omega} \mathbf{D} \cdot d\mathbf{S} = \iiint_{\Omega} \rho_f dV \\ \oint_{\partial\Sigma} \mathbf{H} \cdot d\boldsymbol{\ell} = \iint_{\Sigma} \mathbf{J}_f \cdot d\mathbf{S} + \frac{d}{dt} \iint_{\Sigma} \mathbf{D} \cdot d\mathbf{S} \\ \oint_{\partial\Omega} \mathbf{B} \cdot d\mathbf{S} = 0 \\ \oint_{\partial\Sigma} \mathbf{E} \cdot d\boldsymbol{\ell} = -\frac{d}{dt} \iint_{\Sigma} \mathbf{B} \cdot d\mathbf{S} \end{array} \right. \quad (1.1)$$

which is in differential view:

$$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \nabla \cdot \mathbf{D} = \rho_f \\ \nabla \times \mathbf{H} = \mathbf{J}_f + \frac{\partial \mathbf{D}}{\partial t} \\ \nabla \cdot \mathbf{B} = 0 \\ \nabla \times \mathbf{E} = -\frac{\partial \mathbf{B}}{\partial t} \end{array} \right. \quad (1.2)$$

with definition of auxiliary fields, electrical displacement and magnetizing field:

$$\mathbf{D} = \varepsilon_0 \mathbf{E} + \mathbf{P} = \varepsilon_0 \mathbf{E} + \varepsilon_0 \chi \mathbf{E} = \varepsilon_0 \varepsilon_r \mathbf{E} = \varepsilon \mathbf{E} \quad (1.3)$$

$$\mathbf{H} = \frac{\mathbf{B}}{\mu_0} - \mathbf{M} \Rightarrow \mathbf{B} = \mu_0(\mathbf{H} + \mathbf{M}) = \mu_0(1 + \chi_m)\mathbf{H} = \mu\mathbf{H} \quad (1.4)$$

and for current we have Ohm's Law¹:

$$\mathbf{J}_f = \mathbf{J}' + \mathbf{J}_o = \mathbf{J}' + \sigma\mathbf{E} \quad (1.5)$$

where \mathbf{J}' is external current and σ is conductivity of the medium, and charge conservation says:

$$\nabla \cdot \mathbf{J} + \frac{\partial \rho}{\partial t} = 0 \quad (1.6)$$

Relative Permittivity & Permeability Some times relative permittivity and permeability are not simply a scalar but a second order tensor:

$$\mathbf{D} = \overset{\leftrightarrow}{\varepsilon} \mathbf{E}, \quad \mathbf{B} = \overset{\leftrightarrow}{\mu} \mathbf{H} \quad (1.7)$$

and for some special mediums, they even have:

$$\mathbf{D} = \overset{\leftrightarrow}{\varepsilon} \mathbf{E} + \overset{\leftrightarrow}{\xi} \mathbf{H}, \quad \mathbf{B} = \overset{\leftrightarrow}{\mu} \mathbf{H} + \overset{\leftrightarrow}{\zeta} \mathbf{E} \quad (1.8)$$

Boundary Conditions boundary conditions of Maxwell equations writes:

$$\begin{cases} \mathbf{n}_{21} \cdot (\mathbf{D}_2 - \mathbf{D}_1) = \sigma_f \\ \mathbf{n}_{21} \cdot (\mathbf{H}_2 - \mathbf{H}_1) = 0 \\ \mathbf{n}_{21} \times (\mathbf{D}_2 - \mathbf{D}_1) = 0 \\ \mathbf{n}_{21} \times (\mathbf{H}_2 - \mathbf{H}_1) = \mathbf{K}_f \end{cases} \quad (1.9)$$

1.1.2 Maxwell Equation of Simple Harmonic Field

Wave Equation and Helmholtz Equation Wave function is:

$$\frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial t^2} = v^2 \nabla^2 u, \quad u = u(\mathbf{R}, t) \quad (1.10)$$

and separate the variables the equation becomes:

$$u = A(\mathbf{R})T(t) \Rightarrow A\ddot{T} = v^2 T \nabla^2 A \quad (1.11)$$

that is:

$$\frac{\nabla^2 A}{A} = \frac{\ddot{T}}{vT^2} = -k^2 \quad (1.12)$$

in which k is taken for simplicity, and we get Helmholtz equation:

$$(\nabla^2 + k^2) A(\mathbf{R}) = 0 \quad (1.13)$$

¹Refer to Eq.(3.49) of notes on General Physics for comments on free current \mathbf{J}_f .

Maxwell Equations in the form of Wave Equations From Eq.1.2 we can reshape Maxwell Equations into the form of wave equations:

$$\begin{cases} \nabla \times (\nabla \times \mathbf{H}) = \nabla \times \mathbf{J}_f + \nabla \times \frac{\partial \mathbf{D}}{\partial t} \\ \nabla \times (\nabla \times \mathbf{E}) = -\nabla \times \frac{\partial \mathbf{B}}{\partial t} \end{cases} \quad (1.14)$$

notice that \mathbf{J}_f is set to 0 in this situation and using Eq.1.3&1.4, additionally:

$$\nabla \times (\nabla \times \mathbf{A}) = \nabla (\nabla \cdot \mathbf{A}) - \nabla^2 \mathbf{A} \quad (1.15)$$

we have:

$$\begin{cases} \left(\nabla^2 - \mu\epsilon \frac{\partial^2}{\partial t^2} \right) \mathbf{E} = 0 \\ \left(\nabla^2 - \mu\epsilon \frac{\partial^2}{\partial t^2} \right) \mathbf{B} = 0 \end{cases} \quad (1.16)$$

Simple Harmonic Field Taking the simplest form of solves of the above equations:

$$\begin{cases} \mathbf{E}(\mathbf{R}, t) = \mathbf{E}(\mathbf{R})e^{-i\omega t} \\ \mathbf{B}(\mathbf{R}, t) = \mathbf{B}(\mathbf{R})e^{-i\omega t} \end{cases} \quad (1.17)$$

It's trivial to find out that:

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial t} = -i\omega \quad (1.18)$$

so Eq.1.16 can be rewrite into Helmholtz equations:

$$\begin{cases} (\nabla^2 + k^2) \mathbf{E} = 0 \\ (\nabla^2 + k^2) \mathbf{B} = 0 \end{cases} \quad (1.19)$$

where:

$$k^2 = \omega^2 \epsilon \mu = \frac{\omega^2}{c^2}, \quad c = \frac{1}{\sqrt{\epsilon \mu}} \quad (1.20)$$

and again take the simplest form of solutions of Eq.1.19, we have the wave function of **plane wave**:

$$\begin{cases} \mathbf{E}(\mathbf{R}) = \mathbf{E}_0 e^{i\mathbf{k} \cdot \mathbf{R}} \\ \mathbf{B}(\mathbf{R}) = \mathbf{B}_0 e^{i\mathbf{k} \cdot \mathbf{R}} \end{cases} \quad (1.21)$$

From Maxwell equations we have:

$$\begin{cases} \nabla \times \mathbf{E} = -\frac{\partial \mathbf{B}}{\partial t} = i\omega \mathbf{B} \\ \nabla \times \mathbf{H} = 0 + \frac{\partial \mathbf{D}}{\partial t} = -i\omega \epsilon \mathbf{E} \end{cases} \quad (1.22)$$

$$\Rightarrow \begin{cases} \mathbf{B}(\mathbf{R}) =_{(\text{time harmonic})} -\frac{i}{\omega} \nabla \times \mathbf{E}(\mathbf{R}) =_{(\text{plane wave})} \frac{\mathbf{k}}{\omega} \times \mathbf{E}(\mathbf{R}) \\ \mathbf{E}(\mathbf{R}) = \frac{i}{\epsilon \mu \omega} \nabla \times \mathbf{B}(\mathbf{R}) = \frac{ic}{k} \nabla \times \mathbf{B}(\mathbf{R}) = v \mathbf{B}(\mathbf{R}) \times \mathbf{e}_k \end{cases}$$

If take **impedance**:

$$Z = \sqrt{\frac{\mu}{\epsilon}} \quad (1.23)$$

can one rewrite:

$$Z\mathbf{H} = \mathbf{e}_k \times \mathbf{E} \quad (1.24)$$

Sommerfeld radiation condition Arnold Sommerfeld defined the condition of radiation for a scalar field satisfying the Helmholtz equation as

”the sources must be sources, not sinks of energy. The energy which is radiated from the sources must scatter to infinity; no energy may be radiated from infinity into ... the field.”

specifically:

$$\lim_{|\mathbf{r}| \rightarrow \infty} |x|^{\frac{n-1}{2}} \left(\frac{\partial}{\partial |\mathbf{r}|} - ik \right) u(x) = 0 \quad (1.25)$$

which implies at infinite far from the source, that in every direction in space, the wave has to tend to a plane wave propagating in that direction, and the difference between the actual wave and a plane wave propagatin in that direction has to decrease faster than $|x|^{\frac{n-1}{2}}$.

1.1.3 Energy

Energy density The energy density of any electromagnetic field is:

$$w = \frac{1}{2} (\mathbf{E} \cdot \mathbf{D} + \mathbf{B} \cdot \mathbf{H}) \quad (1.26)$$

of which proof is at 3.2.3 of Notes on General Physics.

Poynting Vector Energy conservation says:

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial t} \int_{\Omega} w dV + \int_{\Sigma\Omega} \mathbf{s} d\mathbf{S} + \int_{\Omega} p_l dV = 0 \quad (1.27)$$

where p_l is the power density of loss and \mathbf{s} is energy density flux vector, Poynting Vector. Using Eq.1.27 and Ohm's Law Eq.1.5:

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial t} \int_{\Omega} \frac{1}{2} (\mathbf{E} \cdot \mathbf{D} + \mathbf{B} \cdot \mathbf{H}) dV + \int_{\Omega} \sigma E^2 dV = - \int_{\Omega} (\nabla \cdot \mathbf{s}) dV \quad (1.28)$$

thus:

$$\nabla \cdot \mathbf{s} = -(\varepsilon E \dot{E} + \mu H \dot{H}) - \sigma E^2 = \mathbf{H} \cdot \nabla \times \mathbf{E} - \mathbf{E} \cdot \nabla \times \mathbf{H} = \nabla \cdot (\mathbf{E} \times \mathbf{H}) \quad (1.29)$$

then Poynting Vector is:

$$\mathbf{s} = \mathbf{E} \times \mathbf{H} \quad (1.30)$$

Momentum Flux

$$\mathbf{G} = \rho \mathbf{v} = \frac{1}{c^2} w \mathbf{v} = \frac{1}{c^2} \mathbf{s} \quad (1.31)$$

1.1.4 Energy of Harmonic Plane Wave (Complex Poynting Th.)

Using the solution in Eq.1.17&1.21 we have the simplest wave:

$$\begin{cases} \mathbf{E}(\mathbf{r}, t) = \mathbf{E}_0 e^{i(\varphi_E(\mathbf{R}) - \omega t)} = \tilde{\mathbf{E}}(\mathbf{r}) e^{-i\omega t} \\ \mathbf{H}(\mathbf{r}, t) = \mathbf{H}_0 e^{i(\varphi_H(\mathbf{R}) - \omega t)} = \tilde{\mathbf{H}}(\mathbf{r}) e^{-i\omega t} \end{cases} \quad (1.32)$$

for plane waves:

$$\varphi_i(\mathbf{r}) = \varphi_{i0} + \mathbf{k} \cdot \mathbf{R} \quad (1.33)$$

and define the actual field which can be measured as the real parts of those solution, can one describe the wave in complex forms, which means:

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbf{E}^{(\text{Real})}(t) &= \Re [\tilde{\mathbf{E}} e^{-i\omega t}] = \frac{1}{2} (\tilde{\mathbf{E}} e^{-i\omega t} + \tilde{\mathbf{E}}^* e^{i\omega t}) \\ \mathbf{H}^{(\text{Real})}(t) &= \Re [\tilde{\mathbf{H}} e^{-i\omega t}] = \frac{1}{2} (\tilde{\mathbf{H}} e^{-i\omega t} + \tilde{\mathbf{H}}^* e^{i\omega t}) \end{aligned} \quad (1.34)$$

and the energy is:

$$w = \frac{1}{2} \left(\varepsilon \Re [\tilde{\mathbf{E}} e^{-i\omega t}]^2 + \mu \Re [\tilde{\mathbf{H}} e^{-i\omega t}]^2 \right) \quad (1.35)$$

and its average²:

$$\langle w \rangle = \frac{1}{4} (\varepsilon \tilde{\mathbf{E}} \tilde{\mathbf{E}}^* + \mu \tilde{\mathbf{H}} \tilde{\mathbf{H}}^*) = \frac{1}{4} (\varepsilon \mathbf{E}_0 \mathbf{E}_0^* + \mu \mathbf{H}_0 \mathbf{H}_0^*) \quad (1.36)$$

$${}^2\Re [\tilde{\mathbf{E}} e^{-i\omega t}]^2 = \frac{1}{4} \langle \tilde{\mathbf{E}}^2 e^{-2i\omega} + \tilde{\mathbf{E}}^{*2} e^{2i\omega} + 2\tilde{\mathbf{E}} \tilde{\mathbf{E}}^* \rangle = \frac{1}{2} \tilde{\mathbf{E}} \tilde{\mathbf{E}}^*$$

Complex Poynting Vector The instantaneous Poynting vector can be defined:

$$\mathbf{s} = \frac{1}{2} \tilde{\mathbf{E}} \times \tilde{\mathbf{H}}^* \quad (1.37)$$

which stands for average energy flux vector, and can be proved by method similar to the one above.

1.2 Strum-Liouville Theory

Chapter 2

Plane Wave

2.1 Plane Wave in Dispersive Medium

2.1.1 Dispersive relation

For the influence of the external electromagnetic field on the medium is continuous, the electronic displacement is written:

$$\mathbf{D}(\mathbf{R}, t) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} dt' \varepsilon(t - t') \mathbf{E}(\mathbf{R}, t') \quad (2.1)$$

with $\varepsilon(t - t') = 0$ when $t - t' < 0$ as a result of cause-and-effect relationship. Thus for a simple harmonic wave:

$$\begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{E}(\mathbf{R}, t) \\ \mathbf{H}(\mathbf{R}, t) \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{E}(\mathbf{R}) \\ \mathbf{D}(\mathbf{R}) \end{bmatrix} e^{-i\omega t} \quad (2.2)$$

substitute Eq.2.2 into Eq.2.1 we have:

$$\mathbf{D}(\mathbf{R}) = \mathbf{E}(\mathbf{R}) \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} dt' \varepsilon(t - t') e^{-i\omega(t' - t)} = \varepsilon(\omega) \mathbf{E}(\mathbf{R}) \quad (2.3)$$

with dispersion relation:

$$\varepsilon(\omega) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \varepsilon(t) e^{i\omega t} dt \quad (2.4)$$

and one can also write:

$$\begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{B}(\mathbf{R}) \\ \mathbf{J}_f(\mathbf{R}) \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \mu(\omega) & \sigma(\omega) \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{H}(\mathbf{R}) \\ \mathbf{E}(\mathbf{R}) \end{bmatrix} \quad (2.5)$$

2.1.2 The propagation of a monochromatic plane wave in a dispersive medium

Recall the technic used in Eq.1.22 we get:

$$\mathbf{k} \times \mathbf{k} \times \mathbf{E} = -\omega^2 \mu_0 \varepsilon(\omega) \mathbf{E} \quad (2.6)$$

then:

$$k = \omega \sqrt{\mu_0 \varepsilon(\omega)} = k_0 \sqrt{\frac{\varepsilon(\omega)}{\varepsilon_0}} \quad (2.7)$$

Conductive Media In a conductive media, the Maxwell Eq. changes into:

$$\nabla \times \mathbf{B} = \mu_0 \left(\sigma_c \mathbf{E} + \varepsilon_b \frac{\partial \mathbf{E}}{\partial t} \right) \quad (2.8)$$

thus:

$$\mathbf{k} \times \mathbf{B} = -\omega \mu_0 \left(\varepsilon_b + i \frac{\sigma_c}{\omega} \right) \mathbf{E} \quad (2.9)$$

then can one define a complex permittivity:

$$\varepsilon_{\text{eff}} = \varepsilon_b + i \frac{\sigma_c}{\omega} \quad (2.10)$$

and complex $k - \omega$ dispersive relation.

One can also write:

$$\varepsilon(\omega) = \varepsilon' + i\varepsilon'' \quad (2.11)$$

accordingly:

$$\mathbf{k}(\omega) = \mathbf{k}' + i\mathbf{k}'' \quad (2.12)$$

and with $\mathbf{k} \cdot \mathbf{k} = \omega^2 \mu \varepsilon$ can derive \mathbf{k}' & \mathbf{k}'' easily.

Recall the definition of wave vector \mathbf{k} :

$$\mathbf{E} = \mathbf{E}_0 e^{-\mathbf{k}'' \cdot \mathbf{R}} e^{i(\mathbf{k}' \cdot \mathbf{R} - \omega t)} \quad (2.13)$$

It is obvious that the complex wave vector represents a plane wave (real part) with exponential decay (imaginary part).

2.2 Polarization of Monochromatic Plane Wave

2.2.1 Polarization Ellipse

For monochromatic plane wave:

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbf{E}(\mathbf{R}, t) &= (\mathbf{e}_1 E_{10} + \mathbf{e}_2 E_{20}) e^{i(\mathbf{k}\mathbf{R} - \omega t)} \\ &= (\mathbf{e}_1 |E_{10}| e^{i\delta_1} + \mathbf{e}_2 |E_{20}| e^{i\delta_2}) e^{i(\mathbf{k}\mathbf{R} - \omega t)} \end{aligned} \quad (2.14)$$

take the real part of the field and reorganize the expression using the substitution $\phi = \mathbf{k}\mathbf{R} - \omega t$:

$$\begin{aligned} \Re(\mathbf{E}) &= |E_{10}| (\cos \delta_1 \cos \phi - \sin \delta_1 \sin \phi) \mathbf{e}_1 \\ &\quad + |E_{20}| (\cos \delta_2 \cos \phi - \sin \delta_2 \sin \phi) \mathbf{e}_2 \\ &= E_1 \mathbf{e}_1 + E_2 \mathbf{e}_2 \end{aligned} \quad (2.15)$$

Reform the red and blue equality, we have:

$$\begin{bmatrix} \frac{E_1}{|E_{10}|} \\ \frac{E_2}{|E_{20}|} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \cos \delta_1 \cos \phi - \sin \delta_1 \sin \phi \\ \cos \delta_2 \cos \phi - \sin \delta_2 \sin \phi \end{bmatrix} \quad (2.16)$$

and right multiplied by $\begin{bmatrix} \sin \delta_2 & -\sin \delta_1 \\ \cos \delta_2 & -\cos \delta_1 \end{bmatrix}$, and the magnitude squared of the 2 sides of the equation should be the same:

$$\left(\frac{E_1}{|E_{10}|} \right)^2 + \left(\frac{E_2}{|E_{20}|} \right)^2 - 2 \left(\frac{E_1}{|E_{10}|} \right) \left(\frac{E_2}{|E_{20}|} \right) \cos \delta = \sin^2 \delta \quad (2.17)$$

where the substitution $\delta_2 - \delta_1 = \delta$ is used. And Eq.2.17 is the polarization ellipse of the wave.

2.2.2 Linear Polarization

If:

$$\delta = m\pi, \quad m \in \mathbb{Z} \quad (2.18)$$

then the polarization ellipse degenerates into a line:

$$\frac{E_2}{|E_{20}|} = (-1)^m \frac{E_1}{|E_{10}|} \quad (2.19)$$

2.2.3 Circular Polarization

If:

$$\delta = \left(m + \frac{1}{2} \right) \pi, \quad m \in \mathbb{Z}, \quad |E_{10}| = |E_{20}| = E_0 \quad (2.20)$$

then the polarization ellipse turns into a circle:

$$E_1^2 + E_2^2 = E_0^2 \quad (2.21)$$

Appendix A

Ex.1 Basic Electrodynamics Theory

Ex.1.1 Deriving the Frequency Domain Form of Maxwell's Equations Using Fourier Transform.

Solution: Assuming:

$$\begin{aligned}\mathcal{F}[\mathbf{E}](\mathbf{r}, \omega) &= \mathbf{e}, & \mathcal{F}[\mathbf{B}](\mathbf{r}, \omega) &= \mathbf{b} \\ \mathcal{F}[\mathbf{D}](\mathbf{r}, \omega) &= \mathbf{d} = \varepsilon \mathbf{e}, & \mathcal{F}[\mathbf{H}](\mathbf{r}, \omega) &= \mathbf{h} = \frac{1}{\mu} \mathbf{b} \\ \mathcal{F}[\rho](\mathbf{r}, \omega) &= \varrho, & \mathcal{F}[\mathbf{J}](\mathbf{r}, \omega) &= \mathbf{j}\end{aligned}\quad (\text{A.1})$$

Notice that:

$$\begin{aligned}\mathcal{F}[\dot{A}(t)](\mathbf{r}, \omega) &= \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \dot{A}(t) e^{-i\omega t} dt = i\omega \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} A(t) e^{-i\omega t} dt + 0 \\ &= i\omega \mathcal{F}[A(t)](\mathbf{r}, \omega)\end{aligned}\quad (\text{A.2})$$

and Laplacian obviously has no impact on the Fourier transformation, thus if Fourier transformation is applied to Maxwell equations, we have:

$$\begin{cases} \nabla \cdot \mathbf{d} = \varrho_f \\ \nabla \times \mathbf{h} = \mathbf{j}_f + i\omega \mathbf{d} \\ \nabla \cdot \mathbf{b} = 0 \\ \nabla \times \mathbf{e} = -i\omega \mathbf{b} \end{cases} \quad (\text{A.3})$$

Ex.1.5 The dielectric constant of a linear isotropic medium is $\varepsilon(\omega) = \varepsilon'(\omega) - i\varepsilon''(\omega)$, prove:

$$\begin{aligned}\varepsilon'(\omega) &= \varepsilon_0 - \frac{2}{\pi} \int_0^\infty \frac{z\varepsilon''(z)}{z^2 - \omega^2} dz \\ \varepsilon''(\omega) &= \frac{2\omega}{\pi} \int_0^\infty \frac{\varepsilon'(z)}{z^2 - \omega^2} dz\end{aligned}\tag{A.4}$$

Proof: First prove Kramers-Kronig relations, by Cauchy's residue theorem for complex integration:

$$0 = \oint \frac{\varepsilon(z)}{z - \omega} dz = \int_{-\infty}^\infty \frac{\varepsilon(z)}{z - \omega} dz - i\pi\varepsilon(\omega).\tag{A.5}$$

take $\varepsilon(\omega) = \varepsilon'(\omega) - i\varepsilon''(\omega)$ and rearrange it:

$$\begin{aligned}\varepsilon'(\omega) &= \frac{-1}{\pi} \int_{-\infty}^\infty \frac{\varepsilon''(z)}{z - \omega} dz = \frac{-2}{\pi} \int_0^\infty \frac{(z + \omega)\varepsilon''(z)}{z^2 - \omega^2} dz \\ &= \varepsilon_0 - \frac{2}{\pi} \int_0^\infty \frac{z\varepsilon''(z)}{z^2 - \omega^2} dz\end{aligned}\tag{A.6}$$

where ω is omitted for ε'' is an even function, and ε_0 is added to make sure $\varepsilon'(0) = \varepsilon_0$.

$$\begin{aligned}\varepsilon''(\omega) &= \frac{1}{\pi} \int_{-\infty}^\infty \frac{\varepsilon'(z)}{z - \omega} dz = \frac{2}{\pi} \int_0^\infty \frac{(z + \omega)\varepsilon'(z)}{z^2 - \omega^2} dz \\ &= \frac{2\omega}{\pi} \int_0^\infty \frac{\varepsilon'(z)}{z^2 - \omega^2} dz\end{aligned}\tag{A.7}$$

where z is omitted for ε' is an odd function.

Ex.1.8 (Complex Poynting Th.)

Proof: Notice:

$$\nabla \cdot (\mathbf{E} \times \mathbf{H}^*) = \mathbf{H}^* \cdot \nabla \times \mathbf{E} - \mathbf{E} \cdot \nabla \times \mathbf{H}^* \quad (\text{A.8})$$

and using the Maxwell Eq.:

$$\begin{cases} \nabla \times \mathbf{E} = -i\omega\mathbf{B} \\ \nabla \times \mathbf{H}^* = -i\omega\mathbf{D}^* + \mathbf{J}^* \end{cases} \quad (\text{A.9})$$

using it simplify Eq.A.8 with $\mathbf{B} = \boldsymbol{\mu} \cdot \mathbf{H}$, $\mathbf{D}^* = \boldsymbol{\epsilon}^* \cdot \mathbf{E}^*$:

$$\begin{aligned} \nabla \cdot (\mathbf{E} \times \mathbf{H}^*) &= -i\omega\mathbf{H}^* \cdot \mathbf{B} + i\omega\mathbf{E} \cdot \mathbf{D}^* - \mathbf{E} \cdot \mathbf{J}^* \\ &= -i\omega\mathbf{H}^* \cdot \boldsymbol{\mu} \cdot \mathbf{H} + i\omega\mathbf{E} \cdot \boldsymbol{\epsilon}^* \cdot \mathbf{E}^* - \mathbf{E} \cdot \mathbf{J}^* \end{aligned} \quad (\text{A.10})$$

thus:

$$\begin{aligned} \int_S d\mathbf{S} \cdot (\mathbf{E} \times \mathbf{H}^*) \\ = -i\omega \int_V dV (\mathbf{H}^* \cdot \boldsymbol{\mu} \cdot \mathbf{H} - \mathbf{E} \cdot \boldsymbol{\epsilon}^* \cdot \mathbf{E}^*) - \int_V dV \mathbf{E} \cdot \mathbf{J}^* \end{aligned} \quad (\text{A.11})$$

take:

$$\boldsymbol{\mu} = \mu' - i\mu, \quad \boldsymbol{\epsilon}^* = \epsilon' - i\epsilon'', \quad \mathbf{J}^* = \sigma^* \mathbf{E} \quad (\text{A.12})$$

then comes:

$$\begin{aligned} \int_S d\mathbf{S} \cdot (\mathbf{E} \times \mathbf{H}^*) \\ = -\omega \int_V dV (\mu' \mathbf{H}^* \cdot \mathbf{H} + \epsilon' \mathbf{E} \cdot \mathbf{E}^*) - \int_V dV \sigma^* \mathbf{E} \cdot \mathbf{E}^* \\ - i2\omega \int_V dV (w_{\text{wav}} - w_{\text{eav}}) \end{aligned} \quad (\text{A.13})$$

Ex.1.9 If take $\epsilon = \epsilon(\mathbf{r})$, prove:

$$\nabla^2 \mathbf{E} + k^2 \mathbf{E} = -\nabla \left(\mathbf{E} \cdot \frac{\nabla \epsilon}{\epsilon} \right) \quad (\text{A.14})$$

Proof: Notice:

$$\nabla \times \nabla \times \mathbf{E} = \omega^2 \mu \epsilon \mathbf{E} \quad (\text{A.15})$$

and:

$$\nabla \times \nabla \times \mathbf{E} = \nabla(\nabla \cdot \mathbf{E}) - \nabla^2 \mathbf{E} \quad (\text{A.16})$$

From Maxwell Eq.:

$$\nabla \cdot \mathbf{D} = 0 = \nabla \cdot (\varepsilon \mathbf{E}) \Rightarrow \nabla \cdot \mathbf{E} = \mathbf{E} \cdot \frac{\nabla \varepsilon}{\varepsilon} \quad (\text{A.17})$$

thus:

$$\omega^2 \mu \varepsilon \mathbf{E} = \nabla \times \nabla \times \mathbf{E} = \nabla \left(\mathbf{E} \cdot \frac{\nabla \varepsilon}{\varepsilon} \right) - \nabla^2 \mathbf{E} \quad (\text{A.18})$$

take $k^2 = \omega^2 \varepsilon \mu$:

$$(\nabla^2 + k^2) \mathbf{E} = \nabla \left(\mathbf{E} \cdot \frac{\nabla \varepsilon}{\varepsilon} \right) \quad (\text{A.19})$$