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**ELECTRODYNAMICS,
CONSERVATION LAWS,
and**

~~ELECTROMAGNETIC WAVES~~

(Next time)

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The Complete Maxwell Equations In Matter

There is one more bound charge effect: if \vec{P} changes with time, currents flow.

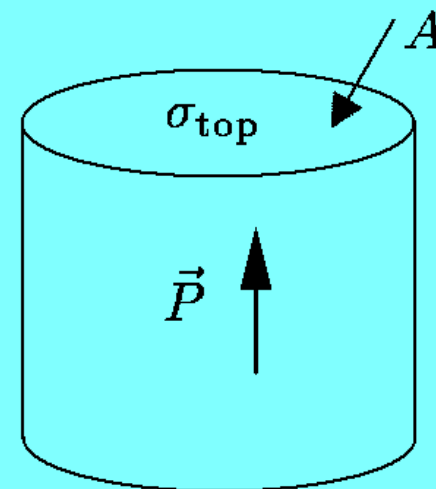
$$\sigma_{\text{top}} = \vec{P} \cdot \hat{n} ,$$

where \hat{n} is the upward normal, the direction of \vec{P} . So $Q = PA$, where $P = |\vec{P}|$, so

$$I = \frac{dQ}{dt} = \frac{dP}{dt} A \quad \Rightarrow \quad |\vec{J}| = \frac{dP}{dt} .$$

So

$$\vec{J}_b = \vec{\nabla} \times \vec{M} + \frac{\partial \vec{P}}{\partial t} .$$



If polarized material moves, there are other terms, but we'll assume that all our matter is static.



Starting with

$$\vec{\nabla} \cdot \vec{E} = \frac{\rho}{\epsilon_0} \quad \vec{\nabla} \times \vec{E} = -\frac{\partial \vec{B}}{\partial t}$$

$$\vec{\nabla} \cdot \vec{B} = 0 \quad \vec{\nabla} \times \vec{B} = \mu_0 \vec{J} + \mu_0 \epsilon_0 \frac{\partial \vec{E}}{\partial t}$$

and using

$$\rho = \rho_{\text{free}} - \vec{\nabla} \cdot \vec{P} , \quad \vec{J} = \vec{J}_{\text{free}} + \vec{\nabla} \times \vec{M} + \frac{\partial \vec{P}}{\partial t} ,$$

and the definitions

$$\vec{H} \equiv \frac{1}{\mu_0} \vec{B} - \vec{M} , \quad \vec{D} \equiv \epsilon_0 \vec{E} + \vec{P} ,$$

one finds

$$\begin{aligned} \vec{\nabla} \cdot \vec{D} &= \rho_{\text{free}} & \vec{\nabla} \times \vec{E} &= -\frac{\partial \vec{B}}{\partial t} \\ \vec{\nabla} \cdot \vec{B} &= 0 & \vec{\nabla} \times \vec{H} &= \vec{J}_{\text{free}} + \frac{\partial \vec{D}}{\partial t} \end{aligned}$$

Conductivity: Ohm's Law

$$\vec{J} = \sigma(\vec{E} + \vec{v} \times \vec{B}) ,$$

where \vec{v} is the velocity of the medium, and

$$\sigma \equiv \text{conductivity} ,$$

$$\rho \equiv \frac{1}{\sigma} = \text{resistivity} .$$

Units:

$$\begin{aligned} [\vec{J}] &= \frac{\text{C}}{\text{s} \cdot \text{m}^2} , \quad [\vec{E}] = \frac{\text{N}}{\text{C}} \quad \Rightarrow \quad [\sigma] = \frac{\text{C}}{\text{s} \cdot \text{m}^2} \frac{\text{C}}{\text{N}} = \frac{\text{C}^2}{\text{J m s}} \\ 1 \text{ Ohm } (\Omega) &\equiv \frac{1 \text{ volt}}{\text{ampere}} = \frac{\text{V}}{\text{A}} = \frac{\text{J/C}}{\text{C/s}} = \frac{\text{J s}}{\text{C}^2} \quad \Rightarrow \quad [\rho] = \Omega \cdot \text{m} . \end{aligned}$$

Drude Model of Resistivity

This is a very crude classical model. Assume:

- 1) Interatomic distance = λ .
- 2) Thermal velocity of electrons is given by

$$\frac{1}{2}m_e v_{\text{th}}^2 = \frac{3}{2}kT ,$$

where k = Boltzmann constant, T = temperature. For $T = 300\text{ K}$, $v_{\text{th}} = 1.17 \times 10^7\text{ cm/s} = 2.6 \times 10^5\text{ mile/hour}$.

- 3) $\Delta t = \lambda/v_{\text{th}}$ = mean time between collisions,
- 4) $\langle \vec{v} \rangle = \frac{1}{2} \vec{a} \Delta t$, where $\vec{a} = q\vec{E}/m_e$.
- 5) Let f = number of free electrons per atom or molecule.
- 6) Let n = number density of atoms or molecules. Then

$$\vec{J} = fnq \langle \vec{v} \rangle = \left(\frac{nf\lambda q^2}{2mv_{\text{th}}} \right) \vec{E} \quad \Longrightarrow \quad \sigma = \frac{nf\lambda q^2}{2mv_{\text{th}}} .$$

Numerically, for copper

$$\begin{aligned}
 n &= \frac{\text{density}}{\text{atomic weight}} (\text{Avogadro's number}) \\
 &= \frac{(8.96 \text{ g/cm}^3)}{(63.5 \text{ g/mole})} \left(6.022 \times 10^{23} \frac{\text{atoms}}{\text{mole}} \right) \\
 &= 8.50 \times 10^{22} / \text{cm}^3 .
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\lambda = \frac{1}{n^{1/3}} = 2.27 \times 10^{-8} \text{ cm}.$$

Drude model gives

$$\rho_{\text{Drude}} = 4.3 \times 10^{-7} \text{ } \Omega\text{-m} ,$$

while in reality

$$\rho_{\text{Copper}} = 1.68 \times 10^{-8} \text{ } \Omega\text{-m}.$$

So copper conducts about 25 times better than the Drude model predicts.

Typical Values of Resistivity

Griffiths, Table 7.1, resistivities in $\Omega\cdot\text{m}$:

Conductors:

Silver: 1.59×10^{-8}

Iron: 9.61×10^{-8}

Graphite: 1.6×10^{-5}

Semiconductors:

Sea water: 0.2

Germanium: 0.46

Silicon: 2500

Insulators:

Water (pure): 8.3×10^3

Glass: $10^9 - 10^{14}$

Teflon: $10^{22} - 10^{24}$

Faraday's Law and Inductors

Consider a long thin circular solenoid, of n turns per unit length, length ℓ , radius R , with $\ell \gg R$.

Inside $\vec{B} \approx B_0 \hat{z}$, outside $\vec{B} \approx 0$, since the return flux is spread over an area that grows with ℓ .

Ampere's law, $\oint \vec{B} \cdot d\vec{\ell} = \mu_0 E_{\text{enc}} \implies \vec{B} = n\mu_0 I_0 \hat{z}$.

Magnetic flux $\Phi_B = \pi R^2 (n\mu_0 I_0)$ per turn, so

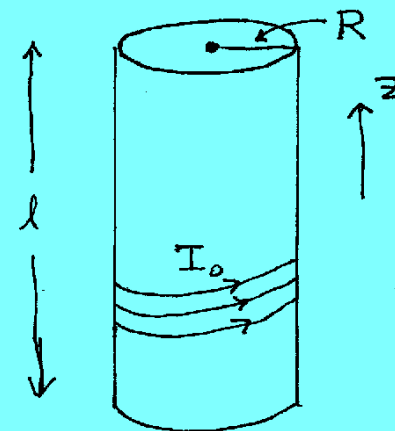
$$\Phi_B = \pi R^2 n^2 \mu_0 I_0 \ell = \mathcal{V} n^2 \mu_0 I_0 ,$$

where $\mathcal{V} = \text{volume} = \pi R^2 \ell$.

Inductance L is defined so that $\Phi_B = I_0 L$, and then

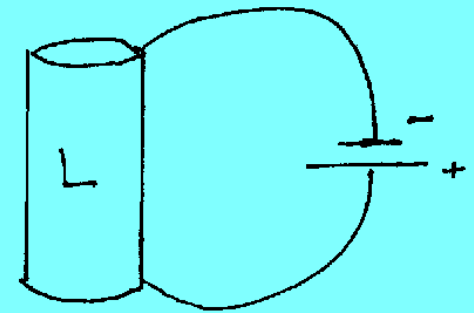
$$\varepsilon = -\frac{d\Phi_B}{dt} = -L \frac{dI_0}{dt}$$

For this system, $L = \mu_0 n^2 \mathcal{V}$



Inductors in Circuits

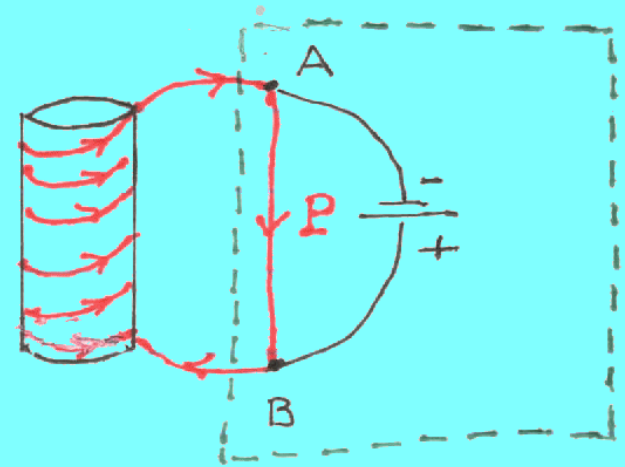
Suppose an inducting solenoid is connected to a battery:



Problem: Since \vec{B} is changing, $\vec{\nabla} \times \vec{E} \neq 0$, so $V(\vec{r})$ is not well-defined.

Solution: If $\vec{B} \approx 0$ outside the inductor, there is a simple solution. (\vec{B} outside is typically small because the return flux spreads out, especially if the length is much larger than the radius. Also, a large number of turns leads to significant inductance, even if the field inside is not very strong.)

If \vec{B} can be ignored outside the inductor, consider the path shown in red as P , and the region surrounded by the dashed line:



Inside the dashed line, $V(\vec{r})$ can be defined, since $\vec{\nabla} \times \vec{B} \approx 0$, and the region is simply connected (all loops are contractible).

The loop P runs along the center of the wire, except for segment between A and B . If the wire is a good conductor, \vec{E} will vanish inside the wire, so

$$\varepsilon = \oint_P \vec{E} \cdot d\vec{\ell} = \int_A^B \vec{E} \cdot d\vec{\ell} = \frac{\partial \Phi_B}{\partial t} = L \frac{dI}{dt} .$$

So

$$V(A) - V(B) = -L \frac{dI}{dt} .$$

Boundary Conditions from Maxwell Equations

$$\vec{\nabla} \cdot \vec{D} = \rho_{\text{free}} \quad \Longrightarrow \quad D_1^\perp - D_2^\perp = \sigma_{\text{free}} ,$$

$$\vec{\nabla} \cdot \vec{E} = \frac{\rho}{\epsilon_0} \quad \Longrightarrow \quad E_1^\perp - E_2^\perp = \frac{\sigma}{\epsilon_0} ,$$

$$\vec{\nabla} \cdot \vec{B} = 0 \quad \Longrightarrow \quad B_1^\perp - B_2^\perp = 0 ,$$

$$\vec{H} \equiv \frac{1}{\mu_0} \vec{B} - \vec{M} \quad \Longrightarrow \quad H_1^\perp - H_2^\perp = M_2^\perp - M_1^\perp .$$

where 1 = outside material, 2 = inside material.

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$$\vec{\nabla} \times \vec{E} = -\frac{\partial \vec{B}}{\partial t} \neq \infty \quad \Longrightarrow \quad \vec{E}_1^\parallel - \vec{E}_2^\parallel = 0 ,$$

$$\vec{D} = \epsilon_0 \vec{E} + \vec{P} \quad \Longrightarrow \quad \vec{D}_1^\parallel - \vec{D}_2^\parallel = \vec{P}_1^\parallel - \vec{P}_2^\parallel ,$$

$$\vec{\nabla} \times \vec{H} = \vec{J}_{\text{free}} + \frac{\partial \vec{D}}{\partial t} \quad \Longrightarrow \quad \vec{H}_1^\parallel - \vec{H}_2^\parallel = -\hat{n} \times \vec{K}_{\text{free}} ,$$

$$\vec{\nabla} \times \vec{B} - \mu_0 \vec{J} + \mu_0 \epsilon_0 \frac{\partial \vec{E}}{\partial t} \quad \Longrightarrow \quad \vec{B}_1^\parallel - \vec{B}_2^\parallel = -\mu_0 \hat{n} \times \vec{K} ,$$

where \hat{n} = unit outward vector, \vec{K} = surface current density.

Conservation of Energy: Poynting's Theorem

Conjecture: the electromagnetic energy stored in a volume \mathcal{V} is given by

$$U_{\text{EM},\mathcal{V}} = \frac{1}{2} \int_{\mathcal{V}} \left[\epsilon_0 |\vec{E}|^2 + \frac{1}{\mu_0} |\vec{B}|^2 \right] d^3x,$$

which is what we found by looking at the energy stored in capacitors and in solenoids. If so, then

$$\frac{dU_{\text{EM}}}{dt} = -P_{\text{particles}} - P_{\text{flux}},$$

where $P_{\text{particles}}$ is the power transferred to charged particles, and P_{flux} is the power transmitted electromagnetically through the boundary S of \mathcal{V} . We assume that no particles cross the boundary.

$$\begin{aligned}
 P_{\text{particles}} &= \sum_n \vec{F}_n \cdot \vec{v}_n \\
 &= \sum_n q_n (\vec{E}_n + \vec{v}_n \times \vec{B}_n) \cdot \vec{v}_n \\
 &= \sum_n q_n \vec{E}_n \cdot \vec{v}_n .
 \end{aligned}$$

For continuous matter, $q_n \rightarrow \rho \, d^3x$, so

$$P_{\text{particles}} = \int_V \rho \vec{v} \cdot \vec{E} \, d^3x = \int_V \vec{J} \cdot \vec{E} \, d^3x .$$

If the original conjecture is true,

$$\begin{aligned}
 P_{\text{flux}} &= -\frac{1}{2} \frac{d}{dt} \int_{\mathcal{V}} \left[\epsilon_0 |\vec{E}|^2 + \frac{1}{\mu_0} |\vec{B}|^2 \right] d^3x - \int_{\mathcal{V}} \vec{J} \cdot \vec{E} d^3x \\
 &= - \int_{\mathcal{V}} d^3x \left[\epsilon_0 \vec{E} \cdot \frac{\partial \vec{E}}{\partial t} + \frac{1}{\mu_0} \vec{B} \cdot \frac{\partial \vec{B}}{\partial t} + \frac{1}{\mu_0} \vec{E} \cdot \left(\vec{\nabla} \times \vec{B} - \mu_0 \epsilon_0 \frac{\partial \vec{E}}{\partial t} \right) \right] \\
 &= - \int_{\mathcal{V}} d^3x \left[-\frac{1}{\mu_0} \vec{B} \cdot (\vec{\nabla} \times \vec{E}) + \frac{1}{\mu_0} \vec{E} \cdot (\vec{\nabla} \times \vec{B}) \right] \\
 &= \frac{1}{\mu_0} \int_{\mathcal{V}} d^3x \vec{\nabla} \cdot (\vec{E} \times \vec{B}) .
 \end{aligned}$$

$$P_{\text{flux}} = \frac{1}{\mu_0} \int_V d^3x \vec{\nabla} \cdot (\vec{E} \times \vec{B}) ,$$

so,

$$P_{\text{flux}} = \oint_S \vec{S} \cdot d\vec{a} ,$$

where

$$\vec{S} = \frac{1}{\mu_0} \vec{E} \times \vec{B} ,$$

where \vec{S} is called the Poynting vector. \vec{S} describes the flow of energy in space, with units of joules per meter² per second.

Forms of energy conservation:

$$\frac{dU_{\text{EM},\nu}}{dt} = - \int_{\nu} \vec{\mathbf{J}} \cdot \vec{\mathbf{E}} d^3x - \oint_S \vec{\mathbf{S}} \cdot d\vec{\mathbf{a}} ,$$

or in its differential form,

$$\frac{\partial u_{\text{EM}}}{\partial t} = -\vec{\mathbf{J}} \cdot \vec{\mathbf{E}} - \vec{\nabla} \cdot \vec{\mathbf{S}} .$$

The work-energy theorem implies that

$$\int_{\nu} \vec{\mathbf{J}} \cdot \vec{\mathbf{E}} d^3x = \frac{dU_{\text{mech}}}{dt} ,$$

where U_{mech} is the mechanical energy of the particles, meaning the total kinetic energy plus any non-electromagnetic potential energy (e.g., gravitational energy, spring energy, etc.). Thus we can write

$$\frac{d}{dt} [U_{\text{EM},\nu} + U_{\text{mech},\nu}] = - \oint_S \vec{\mathbf{S}} \cdot d\vec{\mathbf{a}} .$$

From

$$\frac{d}{dt} [U_{\text{EM},V} + U_{\text{mech},V}] = - \oint_S \vec{S} \cdot d\vec{a} ,$$

we can write the differential form

$$\frac{\partial u}{\partial t} = -\vec{\nabla} \cdot \vec{S} ,$$

where

$$u = u_{\text{EM}} + u_{\text{mech}} ,$$

where u_{mech} is the density of mechanical energy.

Power Transmission

On the blackboard



Conservation of Momentum

On the blackboard

