

1. Express the wave function for one-dimensional harmonic waves in terms of the following parameters:

- Frequency and wavelength
- Period and wavelength
- Angular frequency and wave vector

2. Consider the plane electromagnetic wave in vacuum (in SI units) given by the expressions:

$$E_x = 0$$

$$E_y = 4 \cos[2\pi * 10^{14}(t - x/c) + \phi/2]$$

$$E_z = 0$$

- Calculate the frequency, wavelength, direction of motion, amplitude, initial phase angle, and polarization of the wave.
- Write an expression for the magnetic flux density.

3. Write an expression for the \vec{E} and \vec{B} fields that constitute a plane harmonic wave traveling in the $+z$ -direction. The wave is linearly polarized with its plane of vibration at 45° to the yz -plane.
4. A 500-nm harmonic EM wave, whose electric field is in the z -direction, is traveling in the y -direction in vacuum.
- What is the frequency of the wave?
 - Determine both v and k for this wave.
 - If the electric field amplitude is 700 V/m, what is the amplitude of the magnetic field?
 - Write an expression for both $E(t)$ and $B(t)$ given that each is zero at $x = 0$ and $t = 0$. Put in all the appropriate units.

5. Consider a linearly polarized plane electromagnetic wave traveling in the $+x$ -direction in free space having as its plane of vibration the xy -plane. Given that its frequency is 5 MHz and its amplitude is $E_0 = 0.05 \text{ V/m}$

- Find the period and wavelength of the wave.
- Write an expression for $E(t)$ and $B(t)$.
- Find the flux density, $\langle S \rangle$, of the wave.

6. A light wave travels from point A to point B in vacuum. Suppose we introduce into its path a flat glass plate ($n = 1.50$) of thickness $L = 1.00 \text{ mm}$. If the vacuum wavelength is 500 nm, how many waves span the space from A to B with and without the glass in place? What phase shift is introduced with the insertion of the plate?

