

# Section 2: Electromagnetics

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In this section, we will review the basics of charge, electricity, magnetism, and Maxwell equations.

## 4 Magnetostatics with Magnetic Media

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## 4.1 Effect of Magnetic Media

In our previous discussion, we only considered magnetostatics involving steady currents in a vacuum. Now we will examine...

- **Question:** What happens if matter is present?
- **Answer:** The magnetic field  $\vec{B}$  changes!
- **Reason:** Matter has micro-currents associated with the motion of the electrons around atoms, "atomic currents"
- **Aftermath:** So now we must consider two kinds of currents:
  - Conduction currents, involving free charges
  - Atomic currents, with no charge transport (to the first order)

Each atom has a magnetic dipole moment.

### Magnetic Dipole Moment

$$\vec{m}_i = \frac{1}{2} J_i \oint_c \vec{r}_i \times d\vec{l} \quad (75)$$

We can define a macroscopic vector quantity analogous to polarization, known as the **magnetization** or the magnetic dipole moment per unit volume.

### Magnetization

$$\vec{M} = \lim_{\Delta V \rightarrow 0} \frac{1}{\Delta V} \sum_i \vec{m}_i \quad (76)$$

In the **unmagnetized state**,  $\vec{M} = 0$  because  $\vec{m}_i$  have random orientations that cancel out. In the presence of an external  $\vec{B}$ , matter becomes organized and  $\vec{M}$  can become nonzero depending on the material properties.

**Magnetization Current:** How does magnetization give rise to currents?

**Figure 20**

For a uniform  $\vec{M}$ , currents cancel in the interior but not on the exterior. The result is a net surface current as shown in Figure 20.

Similarly, if  $\vec{M}$  is non-uniform, we can have an internal net current.

We can define a **Magnetization Current Density:**

$$\vec{j}_m = \nabla \times \vec{M} \tag{77}$$

## 4.2 Total Magnetic Field

To incorporate  $\vec{j}_m$  into Ampere's Law (Equation 72) we have to modify the magnetic field equations, just as we modified Gauss' law to include  $\rho_e$ .

As before, we still have no monopoles:

$$\nabla \cdot \vec{B} = 0$$

But now, Ampere's law becomes:

$$\nabla \times \vec{B} = \mu_o (\vec{j} + \vec{j}_m) \quad (78)$$

Using Equation 77, we can write this as:

$$\nabla \times \left( \frac{1}{\mu_o} \vec{B} - \vec{M} \right) = \vec{j}$$

Where  $(\frac{1}{\mu_o} \vec{B} - \vec{M})$  depends only on conduction current density  $\vec{j}$  as its source. As a results, we define a vector field:

### Magnetic Intensity or "H"-field

$$\vec{H} = \frac{1}{\mu_o} \vec{B} - \vec{M} \quad \left[ \frac{\text{A}}{\text{m}} \right] = [\text{Oersted}] \quad (79)$$

**Note:**  $1 \frac{\text{A}}{\text{m}} = 0.01257 \text{ Oersted}$

Finally, **Ampere's Law for Magnetic Media** is:

$$\nabla \times \vec{H} = \vec{j} \quad (80)$$

A comparison of Magnetostatics and Electrostatics:

Electrostatics	Magnetostatics
In vacuum (no $\rho_p$ )	In vacuum (no $\vec{j}_m$ )
$\nabla \cdot \vec{E} = \frac{q}{\epsilon_o}$ (isolated charges) $\nabla \cdot \vec{E} = \frac{\rho_e(\vec{r})}{\epsilon_o}$ (distributed charges) $\nabla \times \vec{E} = 0$	$\nabla \cdot \vec{B} = 0$ $\nabla \times \vec{B} = \mu_o \vec{j}$
With media effects (finite $\rho_p$ )	With media effects (finite $\vec{j}_m$ )
$\nabla \cdot \vec{E} = (\rho_f + \rho_p)/\epsilon_o$ $\nabla \cdot \vec{D} = \rho_f$ $\nabla \times \vec{E} = 0$	$\nabla \cdot \vec{B} = 0$ $\nabla \times \vec{B} = \mu_o(\vec{j} + \vec{j}_m)$ $\nabla \times \vec{H} = \vec{j}$

We can also derive the integral equation for magnetic intensity. From Equation 80, if we integrate over a surface element and apply Stokes theorem on a closed curve surrounding the surface, we get:

$$\int_S \nabla \times \vec{H} \cdot \hat{n} \, dA = \oint_C \vec{H} \cdot d\vec{l} = \int_S \vec{j} \cdot \hat{n} \, dA = J \quad (81)$$

**Important Note:** This only applies for Magnetostatics. It does not work for time-varying fields.

### 4.3 Constitutive Equations/Relations

Define magnetization as a response to external  $\vec{H}$ :

$$\vec{M} = \chi_m \vec{H}$$

If material is linear and isotropic, the magnetic susceptibility is constant.

$$\vec{B} = \mu_0 (\vec{H} + \vec{M})$$

In a way entirely analogous to the electric susceptibility leading to  $\vec{D} = \epsilon \vec{E}$  (2.39).

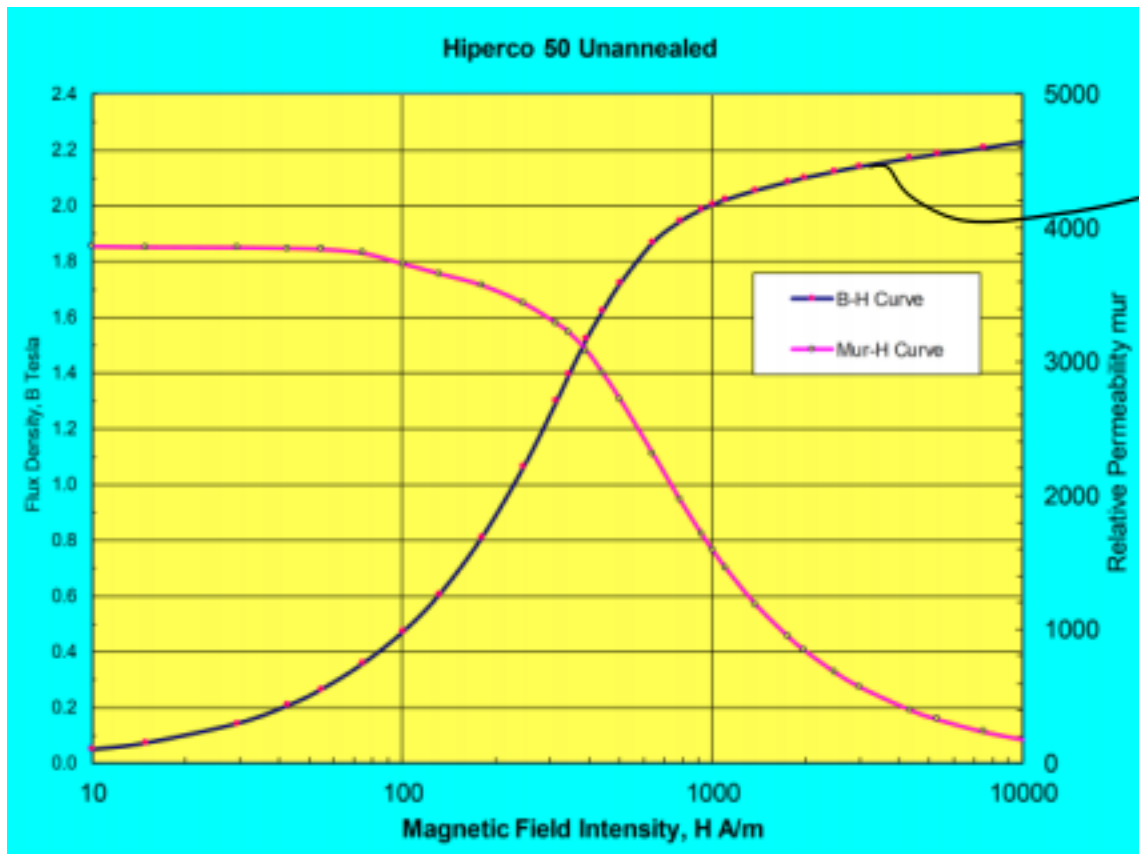
- All dielectrics oppose applied  $\vec{E}$  due to dipole orientation with  $\vec{E}$
- Magnetic materials can either add to or subtract from the external  $\vec{H}$ 
  - Positive  $\chi_m = \textbf{paramagnetic}$  materials, add to  $\vec{H}$ . Rare gases, like neon, also titanium, oxygen.
  - Negative  $\chi_m = \textbf{diamagnetic}$  material, subtracts from  $\vec{H}$ . Bismuth floats over permanent magnet
  - For both paramagnetic and diamagnetic materials, , on the order of  $10^{-5} - 10^{-6}$ , very small,  $|\chi_m| \ll 1$

Material	Susceptibility	Material	Susceptibility
<b>Diamagnetic:</b>		<b>Paramagnetic:</b>	
Bismuth	$-1.7 \times 10^{-4}$	Oxygen (O <sub>2</sub> )	$1.7 \times 10^{-6}$
Gold	$-3.4 \times 10^{-5}$	Sodium	$8.5 \times 10^{-6}$
Silver	$-2.4 \times 10^{-5}$	Aluminum	$2.2 \times 10^{-5}$
Copper	$-9.7 \times 10^{-6}$	Tungsten	$7.0 \times 10^{-5}$
Water	$-9.0 \times 10^{-6}$	Platinum	$2.7 \times 10^{-4}$
Carbon Dioxide	$-1.1 \times 10^{-8}$	Liquid Oxygen	$3.9 \times 10^{-3}$
		(-200° C)	
Hydrogen (H <sub>2</sub> )	$-2.1 \times 10^{-9}$	Gadolinium	$4.8 \times 10^{-1}$

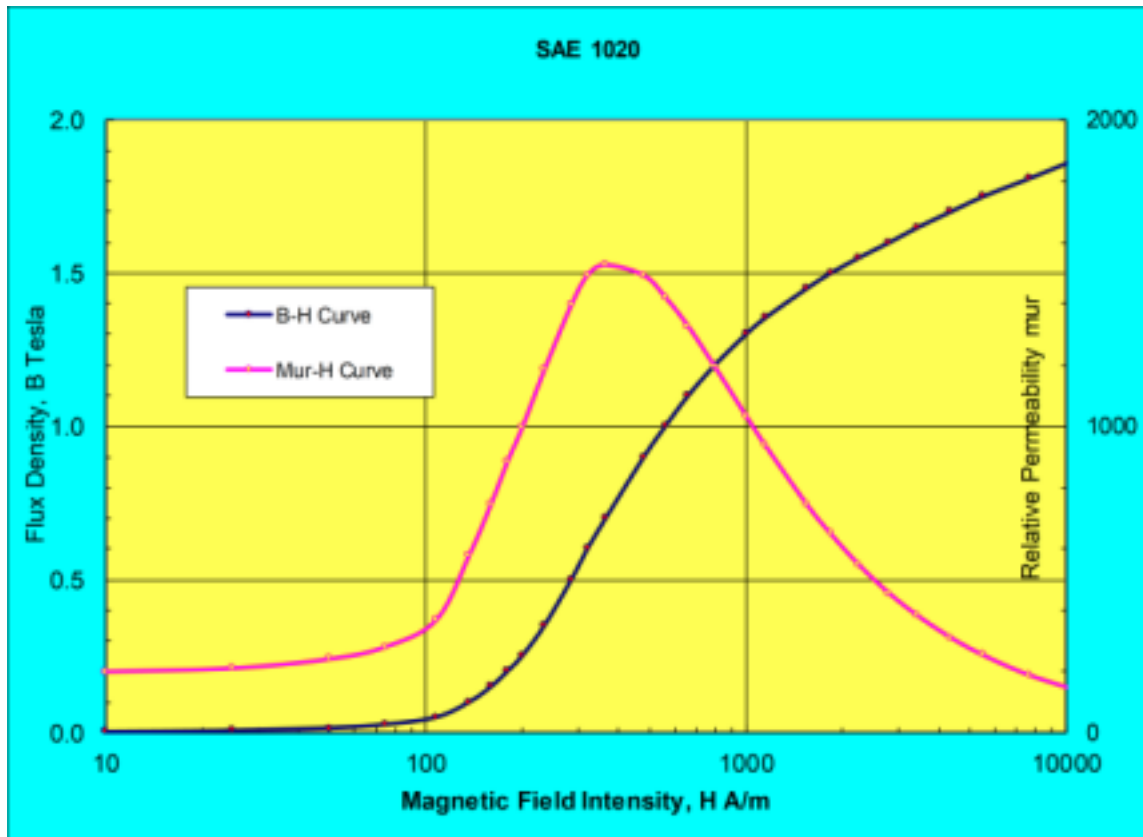
**Ferromagnetic** materials are different. They're super-paramagnetic (really, really add to the external  $\vec{H}$ ), and are highly nonlinear. Ex: Iron (Fe) and Hiperco (Cobalt-Iron, Co-Fe) where we need the experimental B-H curve to accurately model.

In ferromagnets, each magnetic dipole likes to point in the same direction as its neighbors. But this common alignment occurs over a "domain", a small region (microscopic but containing billions of dipoles). With no H-field, domains are oriented randomly, no net effect, no permanent net magnetization. But when H-field applied, domains line up, resulting in strong magnetization. For permanent magnets (also ferromagnets) the domains remain aligned.

Hiperco 50 (50-50 Co-Fe), also 30, 15 varieties (Co%)



Low Carbon Steel



Curie Temp - temperature at which material loses its ferromagnetic properties (becomes para-magnetic).

- Fe - 770° C
- Co - 1130° C

Samarium Cobalt (SmCo) high-temp permanent magnets, commonly found in EP systems, 300-500° C, 700° C Curie Temp

## RELATIVE PERMEABILITY

We know that (2.79)

$$\mu = \mu_0 \mu_r$$

Substituting in the magnetic susceptibility (2.82), so that now:

We define **Permeability** (a material property) as

$$\mu = \mu_0 (1 + \chi)$$

And (as we did with permittivity) we can define relative permeability as:



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#### 4.4 Boundary Conditions

Similar to Electrostatic B.C.'s, can show that for a surface current density,

And

## 4.5 Magnetic Flux

Magnetic flux is the flux through a given surface. Units [Webers] are the same as  $[\text{T}\cdot\text{m}^2]$  .

Note that flux through a closed surface is zero by Gauss's theorem and the magnetic monopole law.