

PH-214 Homework 4

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Problem 1

$$k = \langle 0, 2, 0 \rangle \quad \boxed{\text{Positive y-direction}}$$

$$\frac{1}{c_0} \frac{\partial^2 \vec{E}}{\partial t^2} = \frac{\partial^2 \vec{E}}{\partial y^2}$$

$$\frac{\partial \vec{E}}{\partial t} = -\omega E_0 \cos(2y - \omega t) \quad \frac{\partial^2 \vec{E}}{\partial t^2} = -\omega^2 E_0 \sin(2y - \omega t)$$

$$\frac{\partial \vec{E}}{\partial y} = 2E_0 \cos(2y - \omega t) \quad \frac{\partial^2 \vec{E}}{\partial y^2} = -4E_0 \sin(2y - \omega t)$$

$$\frac{-\omega^2}{c_0} = -4 \quad \rightarrow \quad \omega^2 = 4c_0$$

$$\omega = ck \quad \rightarrow \quad \boxed{c^2 k^2 \neq 4c}$$

$$\vec{E}_0 = \langle 1, 0, -1 \rangle \quad \vec{B}_0 = \left\langle \frac{-\sqrt{2}}{2}, 0, \frac{-\sqrt{2}}{2} \right\rangle$$

$$||\vec{E}_0|| = \sqrt{2} \quad \frac{E_0}{c} = B_0 \quad B_0 = \frac{\sqrt{2}}{c}$$

$$\boxed{\vec{B} = \left\langle -\frac{1}{c}, 0, \frac{1}{c} \right\rangle \sin(2y - \omega t)}$$

$$\vec{s} = \frac{1}{\mu_0} \vec{E} \times \vec{B} = \boxed{\frac{1}{\mu_0} \langle 0, 6.66 * 10^{-9}, 0 \rangle}$$

Problem 2

$$\nabla \times \vec{E} = i \vec{k} \times \vec{E} = \langle 0, 3\pi i, 0 \rangle \times \langle e^{i(3\pi y - \omega t)}, 0, 0 \rangle = \langle 0, 0, -3\pi e^{i(3\pi y - \omega t)} \rangle$$

$$\vec{B}_0 = \left\langle 0, 0, -\frac{1}{c} \right\rangle \quad \vec{B} = -\frac{1}{c} \hat{z} e^{i(3\pi y - \omega t)}$$

$$\frac{\partial \vec{B}}{\partial t} = \frac{1}{c} * -i\omega \hat{z} e^{i(3\pi y - \omega t)}$$

Problem 3

$$\sigma_{\text{Ray}} = \sigma_{\text{Th}} \left(\frac{\omega^2}{\omega^2 - \omega_0^2} \right)^2 \quad \omega_0 \gg \omega^2 = \frac{\omega^2}{\omega_0^2}$$

$$\frac{\langle P_{\text{Scat}720} \rangle}{\langle P_{\text{Scat}500} \rangle} = \left(\frac{\omega_{720}}{\omega_{500}} \right)^4 = \left(\frac{720}{500} \right)^4 = \boxed{4.3}$$

Problem 4

$$\phi_E = \frac{1}{4\pi\epsilon_0} * \frac{qdr \cos \theta}{r^3} = \frac{1}{4\pi\epsilon_0} * \frac{1.6 * 10^{-19} * 1 * 10^{-9}}{1} = \boxed{1.43 * 10^{-18} \text{ V}}$$