

## Electromagnetic Induction

- Experiments by Faraday in 1831 found that moving a magnet, or a current carrying wire, induces a current in a nearby circuit. (Joseph Henry found this induction first but didn't publish the results right away!)
- Faraday's Law = the electromotive force (EMF) produced in a circuit is proportional to the time rate of change of the magnetic flux,  $\Phi_m$ :

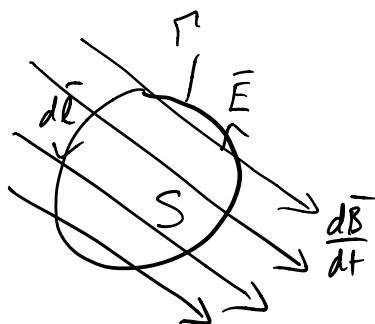
$$\text{EMF} = -\frac{1}{c} \frac{d\Phi_m}{dt}$$

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Artifact of Gaussian units

$$\text{EMF} \equiv \oint_C \vec{E} \cdot d\vec{l}$$

$$\Phi_m \equiv \int_S \vec{B} \cdot d\vec{a}$$



Note the minus sign: the EMF produces a current that goes against the change in flux: Lenz's Law

Nature abhors a change in flux

- Griffiths

Another way of writing Faraday's Law

$$\oint_{\Gamma} \bar{E} \cdot d\bar{l} = -\frac{1}{c} \int_S \frac{\partial \bar{B}}{\partial t} \cdot d\bar{a}$$

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Stokes

$$\int_S \bar{\nabla} \times \bar{E} \cdot d\bar{a} = -\frac{1}{c} \int_S \frac{\partial \bar{B}}{\partial t} \cdot d\bar{a}$$

$$\Rightarrow \boxed{\bar{\nabla} \times \bar{E} = -\frac{1}{c} \frac{\partial \bar{B}}{\partial t}}$$

Faraday's Law in differential form

- Faraday's Law holds anywhere, whether or not a circuit wire or other material is present.
- The  $\vec{E}$  produced by  $\frac{\partial \vec{B}}{\partial t}$  is called the Faraday electric field, as opposed to the Coulomb electric field due to charges.

Maxwell's Modification of Ampere's Law:

$$\text{Steady-state version} \Rightarrow \vec{\nabla} \times \vec{H} = \frac{4\pi}{c} \vec{J}_{\text{free}}$$

$$\Rightarrow \vec{\nabla} \cdot (\vec{\nabla} \times \vec{H}) = \phi = \frac{4\pi}{c} \vec{\nabla} \cdot \vec{J}_{\text{free}}$$

$$\Rightarrow \vec{\nabla} \cdot \vec{J} = \phi$$

But, for non-static conditions, the continuity equation holds

$$\vec{\nabla} \cdot \vec{J} = - \frac{\partial \phi}{\partial t}$$

From Gauss' Law:

$$\bar{\nabla} \cdot \bar{D} = 4\pi \rho$$

$$\Rightarrow \bar{\nabla} \cdot \bar{J} = - \frac{\partial}{\partial t} \left( \bar{\nabla} \cdot \frac{\bar{D}}{4\pi} \right) = - \bar{\nabla} \cdot \frac{\partial}{\partial t} \left( \frac{\bar{D}}{4\pi} \right)$$

$$\Rightarrow \bar{\nabla} \cdot \left[ \bar{J} + \frac{1}{4\pi} \frac{\partial \bar{D}}{\partial t} \right] = 0$$

call this  $\bar{J}'$

Going back to Ampère's Law and allowing for a time changing  $\rho$  ( $\frac{d\rho}{dt} \neq 0$ )

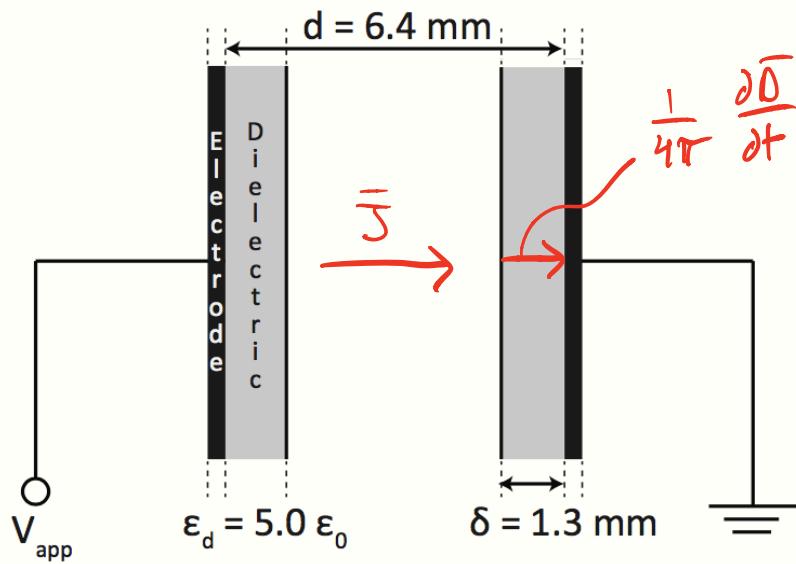
$$\bar{\nabla} \times \bar{H} = \frac{4\pi}{c} \bar{J}' = \frac{4\pi}{c} \bar{J} + \frac{1}{c} \frac{\partial \bar{D}}{\partial t}$$

Ampere-Maxwell Law

The new current term is known as  
the displacement current

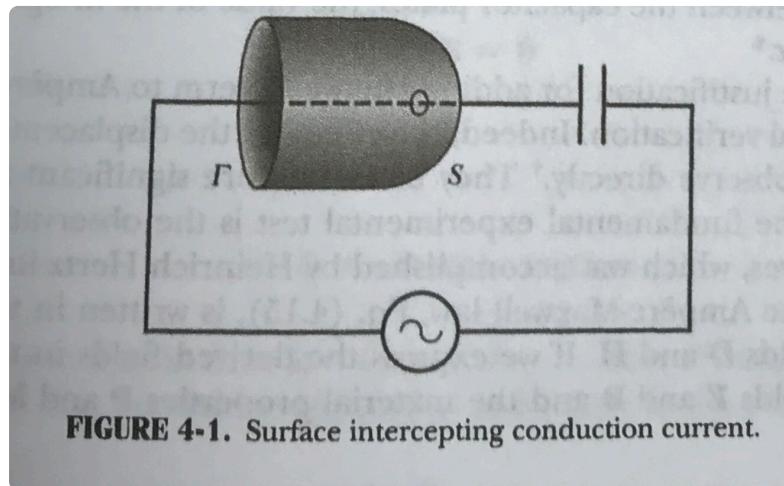
$$\bar{J}_d = \frac{1}{4\pi} \frac{\partial \bar{D}}{\partial t}$$

We saw an example of the displacement current that takes place in a radio frequency dielectric barrier discharge



Without the displacement current, Ampere's law would not hold.

To see this, consider Ampère's law for the following circuit

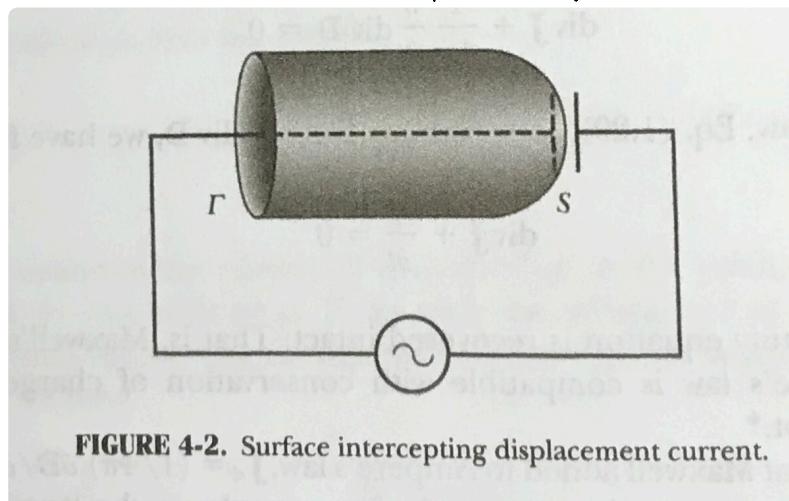


Using the steady-state Ampère's Law:

$$\oint \bar{H} \cdot d\bar{l} = \frac{4\pi}{c} \int \bar{J} \cdot d\bar{a} = \frac{4\pi}{c} I$$

$$_{\Gamma} \qquad \qquad \qquad _S$$

This result needs to be independent of  $S$ , but if we use the following  $S$ :



$\oint \bar{H} \cdot d\bar{l} = \emptyset \Rightarrow$  wrong! The current  
 is there in the form  
 of the displacement current

$$\oint \bar{H} \cdot d\bar{l} = \frac{4\pi}{c} \left\{ \bar{J} \cdot d\bar{a} + \frac{1}{c} \frac{d}{dt} \int \bar{D} \cdot d\bar{a} \right\} = \frac{4\pi}{c} I$$

$\underbrace{\hspace{10em}}_{\bar{J}}$        $\underbrace{\hspace{10em}}_{\frac{4\pi}{c} I}$   
 $\bar{D}$                    $S$

Expanding  $\bar{H}$  and  $\bar{D}$ , we get the  
 microscopic form of Ampere-Maxwell

$$\bar{\nabla} \times \bar{B} = \frac{4\pi}{c} \left( \bar{J}_{\text{free}} + \underbrace{\frac{\partial \bar{P}}{\partial t} + c \bar{\nabla} \times \bar{M}}_{\bar{J}_{\text{bound}}} \right) + \frac{1}{c} \underbrace{\frac{\partial \bar{E}}{\partial t}}_{\text{Maxwell Induction}}$$

$\underbrace{\hspace{10em}}_{\bar{J}_{\text{total}}}$   
 $\bar{J}_{\text{bound}}$

## Maxwell's Equations

Macroscopic

$$\nabla \cdot \bar{D} = 4\pi \rho_{\text{free}}$$

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

$$\nabla \times \bar{E} + \frac{1}{c} \frac{\partial \bar{B}}{\partial t} = 0$$

$$\nabla \times \bar{H} - \frac{1}{c} \frac{\partial \bar{D}}{\partial t} = \frac{4\pi}{c} \bar{J}_{\text{free}}$$

Microscopic

$$\nabla \cdot \bar{E} = 4\pi \rho_{\text{time}}$$

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

$$\nabla \times \bar{E} + \frac{1}{c} \frac{\partial \bar{B}}{\partial t} = 0$$

$$\nabla \times \bar{H} - \frac{1}{c} \frac{\partial \bar{E}}{\partial t} = \frac{4\pi}{c} \bar{J}_{\text{time}}$$

## Potential Functions of the Electromagnetic Field

For static fields,  $\bar{\nabla} \times \bar{E} = 0$

$$\Rightarrow \bar{E} = -\bar{\nabla} \phi$$

From  $\bar{\nabla} \cdot \bar{B} = 0$  we always have (static or not)

$$\Rightarrow \bar{B} = \bar{\nabla} \times \bar{A}$$

For the non-static scenario, from Faraday's Law

$$\begin{aligned}\bar{\nabla} \times \bar{E} &= -\frac{1}{c} \frac{\partial \bar{B}}{\partial t} = -\frac{1}{c} \frac{\partial}{\partial t} \bar{\nabla} \times \bar{A} \\ &= \bar{\nabla} \times \left( -\frac{1}{c} \frac{\partial \bar{A}}{\partial t} \right)\end{aligned}$$

The  $\bar{\nabla} \phi$  term vanishes from the curl

$$\Rightarrow \boxed{\bar{E} = -\bar{\nabla} \phi - \frac{1}{c} \frac{\partial \bar{A}}{\partial t}}$$

From  $\bar{B} = \bar{\nabla} \times \bar{A}$ , the choice of  $\bar{A}$  is unchanged by the addition of the gradient of an arbitrary scalar function

$$\bar{A}' = \bar{A} + \bar{\nabla} \varepsilon$$

$$\Rightarrow \bar{\nabla} \times \bar{A}' = \bar{\nabla} \times \bar{A} + \underbrace{\bar{\nabla} \times \bar{\nabla} \varepsilon}_{=0} = \bar{B}$$

If we use  $\bar{A}'$  in the equation for  $\bar{E}$

$$\bar{E} = -\bar{\nabla} \phi - \frac{1}{c} \frac{\partial}{\partial t} (\bar{A} + \bar{\nabla} \varepsilon)$$

$$= -\bar{\nabla} \left( \phi + \frac{1}{c} \frac{\partial \varepsilon}{\partial t} \right) - \frac{1}{c} \frac{\partial \bar{A}}{\partial t}$$

To make this equal to our original  $\bar{E}$ , we need to replace  $\phi$  with  $\phi'$

$$\phi' = \phi - \frac{1}{c} \frac{\partial \varepsilon}{\partial t}$$

→ By adding  $\bar{\nabla}E$  to  $\bar{A}$

$$\bar{A}' = \bar{A} + \bar{\nabla}E$$

And subtracting  $\frac{1}{c} \frac{\partial E}{\partial t}$  from  $\bar{\Phi}$

$$\bar{\Phi}' = \bar{\Phi} - \frac{1}{c} \frac{\partial E}{\partial t}$$

the equation for  $E$  is unchanged!

### → Gauge Transformation

We are free to pick the choice of gauge ( $E$ ) to impose additional conditions on  $\bar{A}$ . A vector field is not completely specified by its curl, but it is uniquely determined if both the curl and divergence are specified.

One choice of gauge is the  
Lorenz gauge

$$\bar{\nabla} \cdot \bar{A} = -\frac{1}{c} \frac{\partial \bar{\Phi}}{\partial t}$$

$$\Rightarrow \bar{\nabla} \cdot \bar{A} + \frac{1}{c} \frac{\partial \bar{\Phi}}{\partial t} = \phi$$

$$= \bar{\nabla} \cdot \bar{A}' - \bar{\nabla}^2 \bar{\epsilon} + \frac{1}{c} \frac{\partial \bar{\Phi}'}{\partial t} + \frac{1}{c^2} \frac{\partial^2 \bar{\epsilon}}{\partial t^2}$$

$$= \bar{\nabla} \cdot \bar{A}' + \frac{1}{c} \frac{\partial \bar{\Phi}'}{\partial t} - \underbrace{\left( \bar{\nabla}^2 \bar{\epsilon} - \frac{1}{c^2} \frac{\partial^2 \bar{\epsilon}}{\partial t^2} \right)}$$

For  $A'$  and  $\bar{\Phi}'$  to also satisfy the Lorenz condition, we must have

$$\bar{\nabla}^2 \bar{\epsilon} - \frac{1}{c^2} \frac{\partial^2 \bar{\epsilon}}{\partial t^2} = \phi$$

↓ wave equation

Using the potentials from the Lorenz gauge  
in Maxwell's equations:

$$\bar{\nabla} \cdot \bar{E} = 4\pi\varrho$$

$$\bar{E} = -\bar{\nabla}\phi - \frac{1}{c} \frac{\partial \bar{A}}{\partial t}$$

$$\Rightarrow \bar{\nabla}^2\phi + \frac{1}{c} \frac{\partial}{\partial t} \bar{\nabla} \cdot \bar{A} = -4\pi\varrho$$

From the Lorenz condition:

$$\bar{\nabla} \cdot \bar{A} = -\frac{1}{c} \frac{\partial \phi}{\partial t}$$

$$\Rightarrow \bar{\nabla}^2\phi - \frac{1}{c^2} \frac{\partial^2 \phi}{\partial t^2} = -4\pi\varrho$$

Also,

$$\bar{\nabla} \times \bar{B} - \frac{1}{c} \frac{\partial \bar{E}}{\partial t} = \frac{4\pi}{c} \bar{J}$$

$$\bar{B} = \bar{\nabla} \times \bar{A}$$

$$\Rightarrow \underbrace{\bar{\nabla} \times \bar{\nabla} \times \bar{A}} + \frac{1}{c} \bar{\nabla} \frac{\partial \bar{\Phi}}{\partial t} + \frac{1}{c^2} \frac{\partial^2 \bar{A}}{\partial t^2} = \frac{4\pi}{c} \bar{J}$$

$$\bar{\nabla} \times \bar{\nabla} \times \bar{A} = \bar{\nabla}(\bar{\nabla} \cdot \bar{A}) - \bar{\nabla}^2 \bar{A}$$

$$\Rightarrow \bar{\nabla}^2 \bar{A} - \frac{1}{c^2} \frac{\partial^2 \bar{A}}{\partial t^2} - \bar{\nabla} \left( \bar{\nabla} \cdot \bar{A} + \frac{1}{c} \frac{\partial \bar{\Phi}}{\partial t} \right) = -\frac{4\pi}{c} \bar{J}$$

$\underbrace{\quad}_{= 0 \text{ from Lorenz condition}}$

$$\boxed{\begin{aligned} \bar{\nabla}^2 \bar{A} - \frac{1}{c^2} \frac{\partial^2 \bar{A}}{\partial t^2} &= -\frac{4\pi}{c} \bar{J} \\ \bar{\nabla}^2 \bar{\Phi} - \frac{1}{c^2} \frac{\partial^2 \bar{\Phi}}{\partial t^2} &= -4\pi \rho \end{aligned}}$$

uncoupled wave equations

- Now, the equations for  $\bar{\Phi}$  and  $\bar{A}$  are uncoupled and can be solved separately.

- If no charge or current is present

$$\left. \begin{aligned} \bar{\nabla}^2 \bar{\Phi} - \frac{1}{c^2} \frac{\partial^2 \bar{\Phi}}{\partial t^2} &= \emptyset \\ \bar{\nabla}^2 \bar{A} - \frac{1}{c^2} \frac{\partial^2 \bar{A}}{\partial t^2} &= \emptyset \end{aligned} \right\} \text{no local sources}$$

If the time derivatives are zero:

$$\left. \begin{aligned} \bar{\nabla}^2 \bar{\Phi} &= -4\pi \rho \\ \bar{\nabla}^2 \bar{A} &= -\frac{4\pi}{c} \bar{J} \end{aligned} \right\} \text{static}$$

with solutions

$$\left. \begin{aligned} \bar{\Phi}(\bar{r}) &= \int_V \frac{\rho(\bar{r}')}{|\bar{r}-\bar{r}'|} d\bar{r}' \\ \bar{A}(\bar{r}) &= \frac{1}{c} \int_V \frac{\bar{J}(\bar{r}')}{|\bar{r}-\bar{r}'|} d\bar{r}' \end{aligned} \right\} \text{static}$$