

MoM
Wire dipole antenna

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boundary condition on the surface

$$E_z^s = -E_z^i \quad \text{for } -\frac{l}{2} \leq z \leq \frac{l}{2}, \rho = a,$$

$$E_t = 0 \quad (\text{PEC}) \quad 0 \leq \varphi \leq 2\pi$$

$$\text{for } a \ll l \quad J = J_z(z)$$

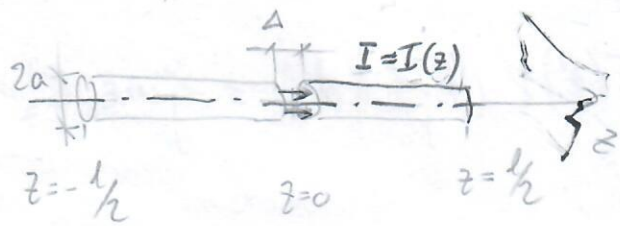
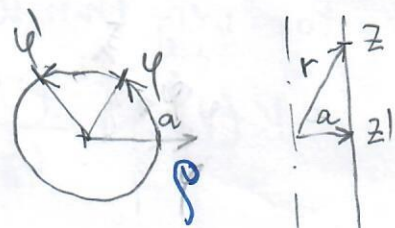


Fig. 1



E may be obtained from boundary condition.

El. field produced by current

$$j\omega\epsilon_0 \bar{E} = \Delta \bar{A} + k^2 \bar{A} \quad \text{p. 470, 15}$$

Where vect. potential A is related to J_z

$$\Delta A_z + k^2 A_z = -\mu_0 J_z \quad \Rightarrow \quad A_z = \int_{-l/2}^{l/2} I(z') G(z, z') dz' = \int_{-l/2}^{l/2} I(z') \frac{e^{-jkr}}{4\pi r} dz'$$

here

$$E_z = \frac{1}{j\omega\epsilon_0} \left[\frac{\partial^2 A_z}{\partial z^2} + k^2 A_z \right]$$

$$G(z, z') = \frac{e^{-jkr}}{4\pi r}$$

$$r \approx \sqrt{a^2 + (z - z')^2} \quad \text{p. 457, 471}$$

substitute A_z to E_z and put equal to $-E_z^i$, we obtain

$$\frac{1}{j\omega\epsilon_0} \int_{-l/2}^{l/2} \left[\frac{\partial^2 G(z, z')}{\partial z^2} + k^2 G(z, z') \right] I(z') dz' = -E_z^i \quad \text{at } \rho = a$$

current supposed to be on the axis of the dipole!

Pocklington integro-differential eq.

excitation - here delta gap voltage V_i

$$E_z^i = \begin{cases} V_i / \Delta & \text{over feed gap } \Delta \\ 0 & \text{elsewhere} \end{cases}$$

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Math solution

$$\int_{-l/2}^{l/2} I(z') K(z, z') dz' = -j\omega\epsilon_0 E_z^i \text{ at } \rho=a, \quad K(z, z') - \text{kernel}$$

for very thin wires

$$K(z, z') = \frac{e^{-jkr}}{4\pi r^5} \left[(1+jkr)(2r^2-3a^2) + (kar)^2 \right]$$

using pulse basis function and point matching at midpoints of segments z_m (see fig. 2) IE reduces to

$$\sum_{m=1}^N \alpha_m \int_{\Delta z_m} K(z_m, z') dz' = -j\omega\epsilon_0 E_z^i(z_m) \quad m=1, 2, \dots, N$$

N = 11

in simplified form

$$\sum_{m=1}^N \alpha_m I_{mm} = -E_z^i(z_m)$$

or

$$\alpha_1 I_{m_1} + \alpha_2 I_{m_2} + \dots + \alpha_n I_{m_n} = -E_z^i(z_m) = \frac{1}{j\omega\epsilon_0} \frac{1}{4\pi} \int_{z_m - \Delta z/2}^{z_m + \Delta z/2} \frac{e^{-jkr}}{r^5} \left[(1+jkr)(2r^2-3a^2) + (kar)^2 \right] dz'$$

or

$$[I][\alpha] = [-E_z^i]$$

$$[\alpha] = [I]^{-1} [-E_z^i]$$

input impedance $Z_{in} = \frac{V_i}{I_i}$
here a_6 - center of the wire $\propto \frac{N-1}{2} + 1$