

8-6 Normal Incidence at a Plane Conducting Boundary

- When an electromagnetic wave traveling in one medium impinges on another medium with a **different intrinsic impedance**, it experiences a reflection.
 - A plane conducting boundaries (8-6, 8-7)
 - An interface between two dielectric media (8-8, 8-9, 8-10)

Normal Incidence

- Assume
 - The incident wave ($\mathbf{E}_i, \mathbf{H}_i$) travels in a lossless medium ($\sigma_1 = 0$)
 - The boundary is an interface with a perfect conductor ($\sigma_2 = \infty$)

The Analogy between EM Waves and Transmission Lines

- EM waves:
 - Incoming wave with a certain frequency
 - Terminated by **a perfect conductor ($\eta = 0$)**
 - Waves are totally reflected.
- Transmission lines:
 - Voltage applied with a certain frequency
 - Terminated by **a short circuit ($Z = 0$)**
 - Voltage signals are totally reflected.

Medium 1 (lossless medium)

Incident waves

$$\mathbf{E}_i(z) = \mathbf{a}_x E_{i0} e^{-j\beta_1 z},$$

$$\mathbf{H}_i(z) = \mathbf{a}_y \frac{E_{i0}}{\eta_1} e^{-j\beta_1 z}, \quad \text{Travels in the } +z \text{ direction}$$

E_{i0} : magnitude of \mathbf{E}_i

β_1 : phase constant of medium 1

η_1 : intrinsic impedance of medium 1

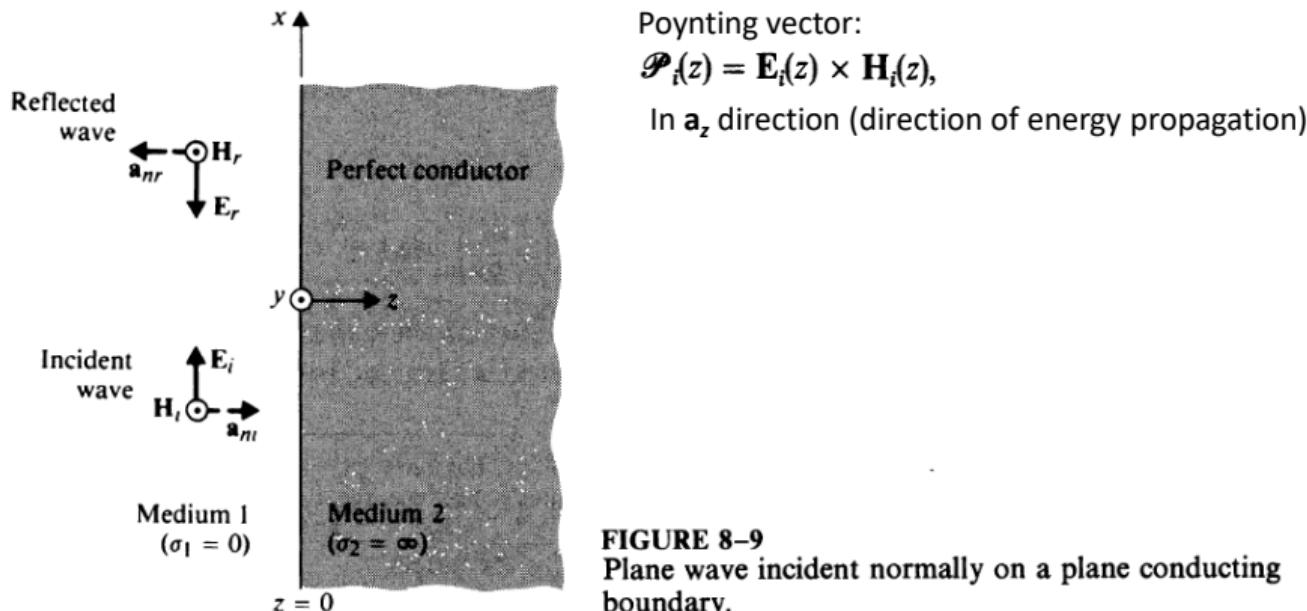


FIGURE 8-9

Plane wave incident normally on a plane conducting boundary.

Medium 2 (perfect conductor)

$$\mathbf{E}_2 = 0, \mathbf{H}_2 = 0$$

→ No wave is transmitted

Incident wave is reflected ($\mathbf{E}_r, \mathbf{H}_r$)

$$\mathbf{E}_r(z) = \mathbf{a}_x E_{r0} e^{+j\beta_1 z}, \quad \text{Travels in the } -z \text{ direction}$$

To be determined by B.C.

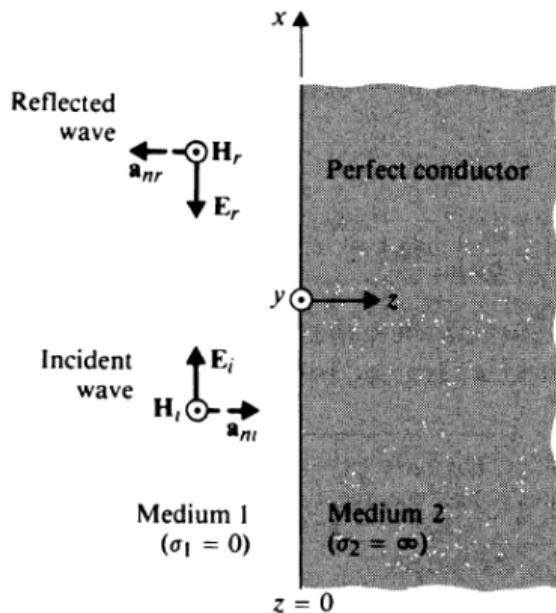


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Boundary

Total field in medium 1 = $\mathbf{E}_i + \mathbf{E}_r$

$$\mathbf{E}_1(z) = \mathbf{E}_i(z) + \mathbf{E}_r(z) = \mathbf{a}_x(E_{i0}e^{-j\beta_1 z} + E_{r0}e^{+j\beta_1 z}).$$



B.C.: $E_{1t} = E_{2t}$ at $z = 0$

$$\mathbf{E}_1(0) = \mathbf{a}_x(E_{i0} + E_{r0}) = \mathbf{E}_2(0) = 0,$$

Perfect conductor of medium 2

$$E_{r0} = -E_{i0}.$$

Thus, if \mathbf{E}_i is along \mathbf{a}_x , \mathbf{E}_r should be along $-\mathbf{a}_x$, as shown in the figure.

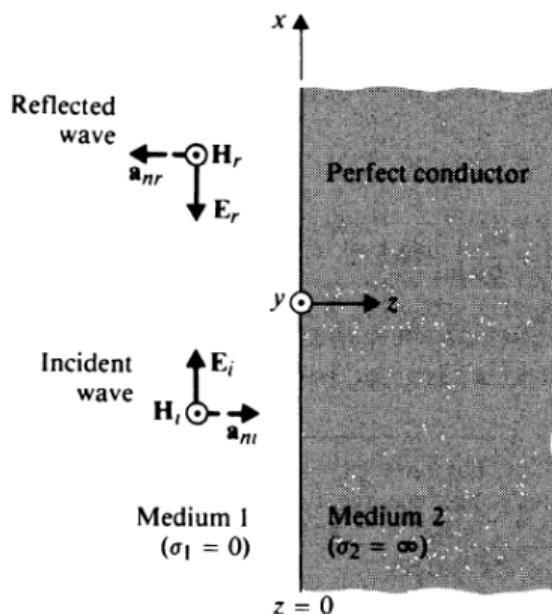


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E₁

$$\mathbf{E}_1(z) = \mathbf{E}_i(z) + \mathbf{E}_r(z) = \mathbf{a}_x(E_{i0}e^{-j\beta_1 z} + E_{r0}e^{+j\beta_1 z}).$$



$$E_{r0} = -E_{i0}.$$

$$\begin{aligned}\mathbf{E}_1(z) &= \mathbf{a}_x E_{i0} (e^{-j\beta_1 z} - e^{+j\beta_1 z}) \\ &= -\mathbf{a}_x j 2 E_{i0} \sin \beta_1 z.\end{aligned}$$

H₁

$$\mathbf{E}_r(z) = \mathbf{a}_x E_{r0} e^{+j\beta_1 z},$$

$$\mathbf{H}(\mathbf{R}) = \frac{1}{\eta_1} \mathbf{a}_n \times \mathbf{E}(\mathbf{R}) \quad (8-29)$$

$$\begin{aligned}\mathbf{H}_r(z) &= \frac{1}{\eta_1} \mathbf{a}_{nr} \times \mathbf{E}_r(z) = \frac{1}{\eta_1} (-\mathbf{a}_z) \times \mathbf{E}_r(z) \\ &= -\mathbf{a}_y \frac{1}{\eta_1} E_{r0} e^{+j\beta_1 z} = \mathbf{a}_y \frac{E_{i0}}{\eta_1} e^{+j\beta_1 z}.\end{aligned}$$

$$\mathbf{H}_i(z) = \mathbf{H}_i(z) + \mathbf{H}_r(z)$$

$$\mathbf{H}_i(z) = \mathbf{a}_y \frac{E_{i0}}{\eta_1} e^{-j\beta_1 z},$$

H_r and **H_i** are both along **a_y**, as shown in the figure

$$\mathbf{H}_1(z) = \mathbf{H}_i(z) + \mathbf{H}_r(z) = \mathbf{a}_y 2 \frac{E_{i0}}{\eta_1} \cos \beta_1 z.$$

$$\begin{aligned}\mathbf{E}_1(z) &= \mathbf{a}_x E_{i0} (e^{-j\beta_1 z} - e^{+j\beta_1 z}) \\ &= -\mathbf{a}_x j 2 E_{i0} \sin \beta_1 z.\end{aligned}$$

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$$\mathcal{P}_{av} = \frac{1}{2} \Re e(\mathbf{E} \times \mathbf{H}^*) \quad (8-96)$$

- \mathbf{E}_1 and \mathbf{H}_1 are in phase quadrature (i.e., in time quadrature)
- No average power is associated with the total electromagnetic wave in medium 1

Time-domain behavior

$$\begin{aligned}\mathbf{E}_1(z) &= \mathbf{a}_x E_{i0} (e^{-j\beta_1 z} - e^{+j\beta_1 z}) \\ &= -\mathbf{a}_x j 2 E_{i0} \sin \beta_1 z.\end{aligned}$$

$$\mathbf{H}_1(z) = \mathbf{H}_i(z) + \mathbf{H}_r(z) = \mathbf{a}_y 2 \frac{E_{i0}}{\eta_1} \cos \beta_1 z.$$



Total field in time domain

$$\mathbf{E}_1(z, t) = \Re[\mathbf{E}_1(z)e^{j\omega t}] = \mathbf{a}_x 2 E_{i0} \sin \beta_1 z \sin \omega t, \quad = \cos(\omega t - \pi/2)$$

$$\mathbf{H}_1(z, t) = \Re[\mathbf{H}_1(z)e^{j\omega t}] = \mathbf{a}_y 2 \frac{E_{i0}}{\eta_1} \cos \beta_1 z \cos \omega t.$$



Zeros and maxima along z for all t

$$\left. \begin{array}{l} \text{Zeros of } \mathbf{E}_1(z, t) \\ \text{Maxima of } \mathbf{H}_1(z, t) \end{array} \right\} \text{occur at } \beta_1 z = -n\pi, \quad \text{or } z = -n\frac{\lambda}{2}, \quad n = 0, 1, 2, \dots$$

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$$n = 0, 1, 2, \dots$$

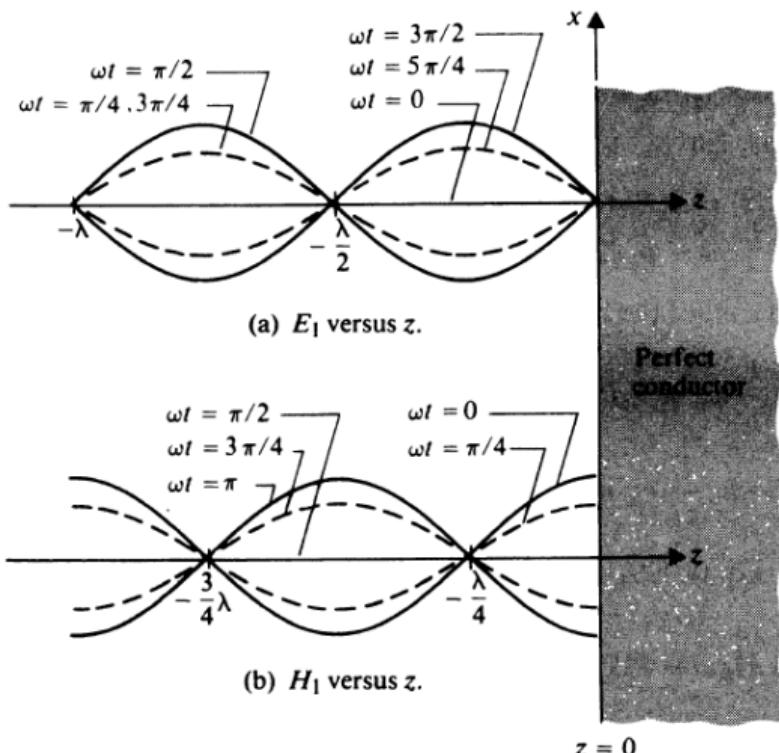


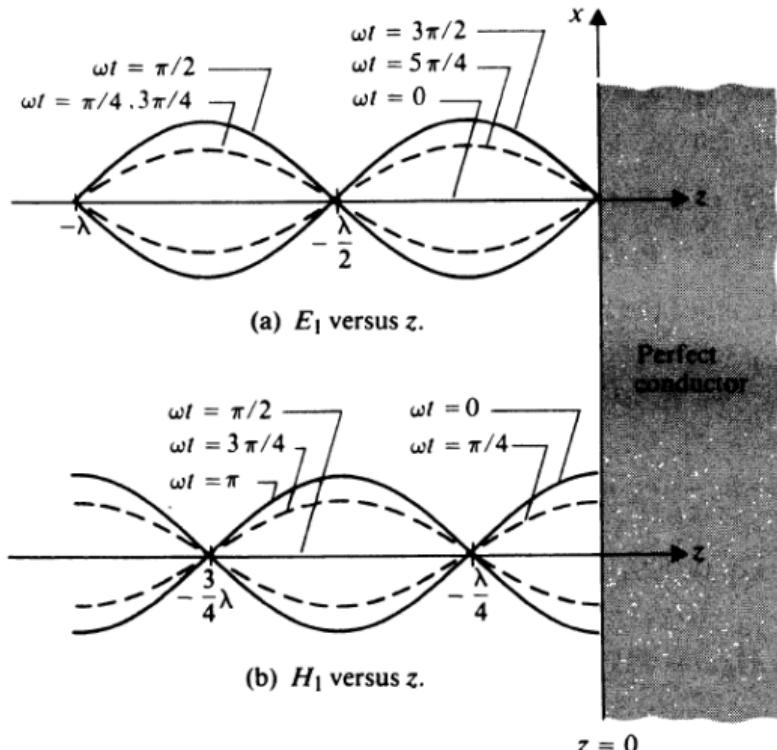
FIGURE 8-10
Standing waves of $\mathbf{E}_1 = \mathbf{a}_x E_1$ and $\mathbf{H}_1 = \mathbf{a}_y H_1$ for several values of ωt .

The total wave in medium 1 is a **standing wave** (not a traveling wave).

Space-time behavior:

- 1) \mathbf{E}_1 vanishes on the conducting boundary ($E_{r0} = -E_{i0}$) and at $-n\lambda/2$
- 2) \mathbf{H}_1 is a maximum on the conducting boundary ($H_{r0} = H_{i0} = E_{i0}/\eta_1$) and at $-n\lambda/2$
- 3) \mathbf{E}_1 and \mathbf{H}_1 are in time quadrature ($\pi/2$) and are shifted in space by $\lambda/4$

Recall:
 $\mathbf{E}_i: \mathbf{a}_x$ and $\mathbf{E}_r: -\mathbf{a}_x$
 $\mathbf{H}_i: \mathbf{a}_y$ and $\mathbf{H}_r: \mathbf{a}_y$



For a given t , both \mathbf{E}_1 and \mathbf{H}_1 vary sinusoidally with z

$$\mathbf{E}_1(z, t) = \mathbf{a}_x 2E_{i0} \sin \beta_1 z \sin \omega t,$$

$$\mathbf{H}_1(z, t) = \mathbf{a}_y 2 \frac{E_{i0}}{\eta_1} \cos \beta_1 z \cos \omega t.$$

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 $\mathbf{H}_1 = \mathbf{a}_y H_1$ for several values of ωt .

EXAMPLE 8–8 The far field of a short vertical current element $I d\ell$ located at the origin of a spherical coordinate system in free space is

$$\mathbf{E}(R, \theta) = \mathbf{a}_\theta E_\theta(R, \theta) = \mathbf{a}_\theta \left(j \frac{60\pi I d\ell}{\lambda R} \sin \theta \right) e^{-j\beta R} \quad (\text{V/m})$$

and

$$\mathbf{H}(R, \theta) = \mathbf{a}_\phi \frac{E_\theta(R, \theta)}{\eta_0} = \mathbf{a}_\phi \left(j \frac{I d\ell}{2\lambda R} \sin \theta \right) e^{-j\beta R} \quad (\text{A/m}),$$

where $\lambda = 2\pi/\beta$ is the wavelength.

- a) Write the expression for instantaneous Poynting vector.
- b) Find the total average power radiated by the current element.

$$(a) \vec{P}(t) = \vec{E}(t) \times \vec{H}(t)$$

$$(b) \vec{P}_{av} = \frac{1}{2} \operatorname{Re} [\vec{E} \times \vec{H}^*]$$

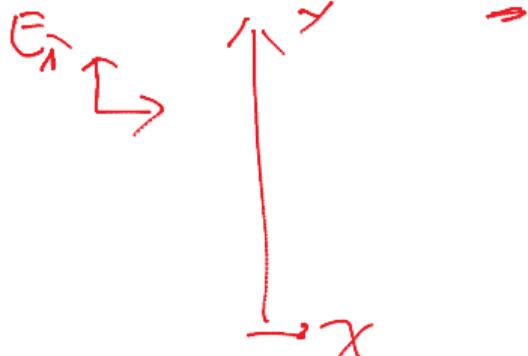
$$P = \int \vec{P}_{av} \cdot d\vec{s}$$

$$(a) \vec{E}(t) = \hat{a}_b \frac{60\pi I dl}{\pi R} \sin \theta \cos(\omega t - \beta R + \frac{\pi}{2})$$

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$$(b) \vec{H}^* = \hat{a}_b e^{j(\beta R - \frac{\pi}{2})}$$

EXAMPLE 8–9 A y -polarized uniform plane wave ($\mathbf{E}_i, \mathbf{H}_i$) with a frequency $100 = f$ (MHz) propagates in air in the $+x$ direction and impinges normally on a perfectly conducting plane at $x = 0$. Assuming the amplitude of \mathbf{E}_i to be 6 (mV/m), write the phasor and instantaneous expressions for (a) \mathbf{E}_i and \mathbf{H}_i of the incident wave; (b) \mathbf{E}_r and \mathbf{H}_r of the reflected wave; and (c) \mathbf{E}_t and \mathbf{H}_t of the total wave in air. (d) Determine the location nearest to the conducting plane where E_1 is zero.



$$(a) E_\lambda \quad H_\lambda$$

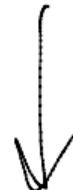
$$\vec{E}_\lambda = \hat{\alpha}_y \underline{E_{\lambda 0}} e^{-j\beta x}$$

per. mag. direction of propagation \Rightarrow

$$\vec{H}_\lambda = \frac{1}{\eta} \hat{\alpha}_n \times \vec{E}_\lambda$$

$$\vec{H}_\lambda = \frac{1}{\eta_0} \hat{\alpha}_x \times \vec{E}_\lambda$$

$$\beta = \frac{\omega}{\mu_p} = \frac{2\pi \cdot f}{c} = \frac{2\pi \cdot 10^8}{3 \times 10^8} = \frac{2\pi}{3}$$



$$\vec{E}_\lambda(t) = \hat{\alpha}_y \underline{E_{\lambda 0}} \cos(\underline{\omega t} - \underline{\beta x})$$

$$\vec{H}_\lambda(t) = \dots$$

$$(b) \vec{E}_r = \hat{\alpha}_y E_{r0} e^{+j\beta x}$$

-x propagation

8-7 Oblique Incidence at a Plane Conducting Boundary

- The behavior of the reflected wave depends on the polarization of the incident wave in oblique incidence.
- Plane of incidence: the plane containing the direction of propagation (of the incident wave) and the normal of the boundary surface.
- Consider the two cases separately
 - $\mathbf{E}_i \perp$ plane of incidence
 - $\mathbf{E}_i //$ plane of incidence

8-7.1 Perpendicular Polarization

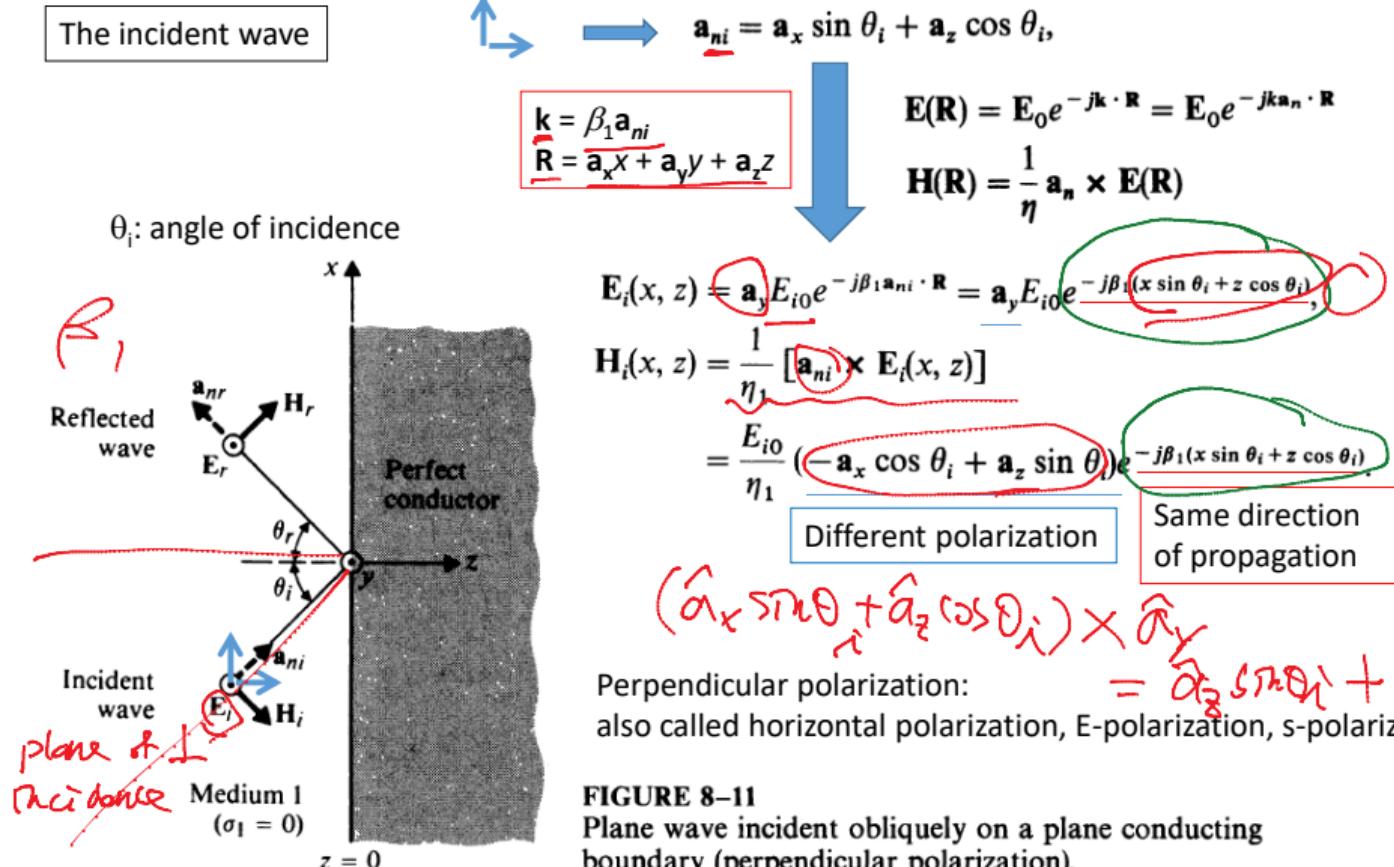


FIGURE 8-11

Plane wave incident obliquely on a plane conducting boundary (perpendicular polarization).

The reflected wave



$$\mathbf{a}_{nr} = \mathbf{a}_x \sin \theta_r - \mathbf{a}_z \cos \theta_r,$$

$$\mathbf{E}_r(x, z) = \mathbf{a}_y E_{r0} e^{-j\beta_1(x \sin \theta_r + z \cos \theta_r)},$$

$$\mathbf{k} = \beta_1 \mathbf{a}_{nr}$$

$$\mathbf{R} = \mathbf{a}_x x + \mathbf{a}_y y + \mathbf{a}_z z$$

Assuming polarization in \mathbf{a}_y (\mathbf{a}_y or $-\mathbf{a}_y$ can be confirmed later)

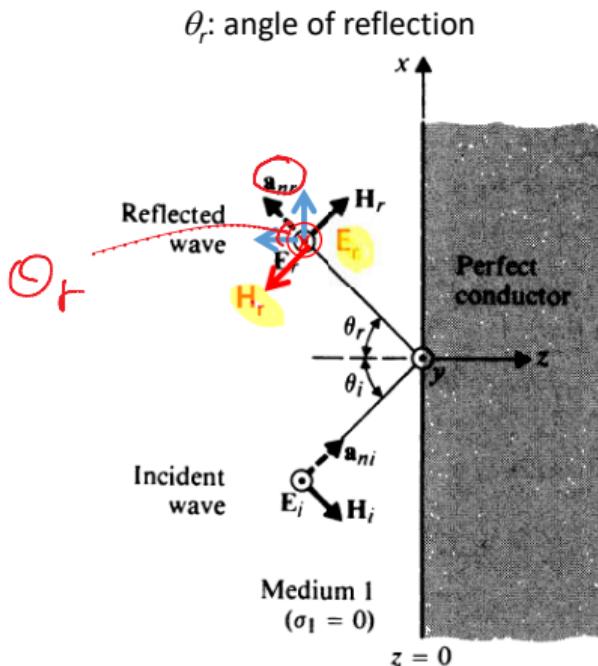
$$\mathbf{E}_r(x, z) = \mathbf{a}_y E_{r0} e^{-j\beta_1(x \sin \theta_r - z \cos \theta_r)}$$

$$(\hat{a}_x \sin \theta_r - \hat{a}_z \cos \theta_r).$$

$$(\hat{a}_x x + \hat{a}_y y + \hat{a}_z z)$$

$$= x \sin \theta_r$$

$$z \cos \theta_r$$



$$\mathbf{E}_1(x, 0) = \mathbf{E}_i(x, 0) + \mathbf{E}_r(x, 0)$$

$$= \mathbf{a}_y (E_{i0} e^{-j\beta_1 x \sin \theta_i} + E_{r0} e^{-j\beta_1 x \sin \theta_r}) = 0.$$

$$E_{r0} = -E_{i0} \quad \theta_r = \theta_i \quad \boxed{\text{Snell's law of reflection}}$$

Thus, if \mathbf{E}_i is in \mathbf{a}_y , \mathbf{E}_r should be along $-\mathbf{a}_y$, which is different from the figure.

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$$\mathbf{E}_r(x, z) = \mathbf{a}_y E_{r0} e^{-j\beta_1(x \sin \theta_r - z \cos \theta_r)}.$$



$$E_{r0} = -E_{i0} \quad \theta_r = \theta_i$$

$\boxed{\mathbf{E}_r}$

$$\mathbf{E}_r(x, z) = -\mathbf{a}_y E_{i0} e^{-j\beta_1(x \sin \theta_i - z \cos \theta_i)}.$$



$$\mathbf{H}(\mathbf{R}) = \frac{1}{\eta} \mathbf{a}_n \times \mathbf{E}(\mathbf{R})$$

$\boxed{\mathbf{H}_r}$

$$\mathbf{H}_r(x, z) = \frac{1}{\eta_1} [\mathbf{a}_{nr} \times \mathbf{E}_r(x, z)]$$

$$= \frac{E_{i0}}{\eta_1} (-\mathbf{a}_x \cos \theta_i - \mathbf{a}_z \sin \theta_i) e^{-j\beta_1(x \sin \theta_i - z \cos \theta_i)}.$$

$\vec{\mathbf{E}_f}$

The total field

$$\begin{aligned}\mathbf{E}_i(x, z) &= \mathbf{a}_y E_{i0} e^{-j\beta_1(x \sin \theta_i + z \cos \theta_i)}, \\ \mathbf{E}_r(x, z) &= -\mathbf{a}_y E_{i0} e^{-j\beta_1(x \sin \theta_i - z \cos \theta_i)}.\end{aligned}$$

$$\downarrow \quad \mathbf{E}_1 = \mathbf{E}_i + \mathbf{E}_r$$

$$\begin{aligned}\mathbf{E}_1(x, z) &= \mathbf{E}_i(x, z) + \mathbf{E}_r(x, z) \\ &= \mathbf{a}_y E_{i0} (e^{-j\beta_1 z \cos \theta_i} - e^{j\beta_1 z \cos \theta_i}) e^{-j\beta_1 x \sin \theta_i} \\ &= -\mathbf{a}_y j 2 E_{i0} \sin(\beta_1 z \cos \theta_i) e^{-j\beta_1 x \sin \theta_i}.\end{aligned}$$

$$e^{j\omega t} = \cos \omega t + j \sin \omega t$$

$$\mathbf{H}_i(x, z) = \frac{E_{i0}}{\eta_1} (-\mathbf{a}_x \cos \theta_i + \mathbf{a}_z \sin \theta_i) e^{-j\beta_1(x \sin \theta_i + z \cos \theta_i)}$$

$$\mathbf{H}_r(x, z) = \frac{E_{i0}}{\eta_1} (-\mathbf{a}_x \cos \theta_i - \mathbf{a}_z \sin \theta_i) e^{-j\beta_1(x \sin \theta_i - z \cos \theta_i)}$$

$$\downarrow \quad \mathbf{H}_1 = \mathbf{H}_i + \mathbf{H}_r$$

$$\begin{aligned}\mathbf{H}_1(x, z) &= -2 \frac{E_{i0}}{\eta_1} [\mathbf{a}_x \cos \theta_i \cos(\beta_1 z \cos \theta_i) e^{-j\beta_1 x \sin \theta_i} \\ &\quad + \mathbf{a}_z \sin \theta_i \sin(\beta_1 z \cos \theta_i) e^{-j\beta_1 x \sin \theta_i}].\end{aligned}$$

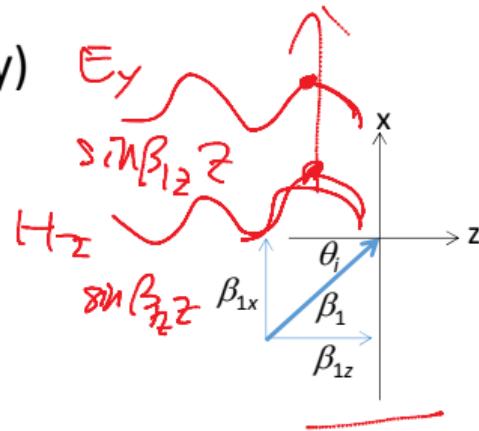
The total field

$$\mathbf{E}_1(x, z) = -\mathbf{a}_y j 2 E_{i0} \sin(\beta_1 z \cos \theta_i) e^{-j \beta_1 x \sin \theta_i}$$

$$\mathbf{H}_1(x, z) = -2 \frac{E_{i0}}{\eta_1} [\mathbf{a}_x \cos \theta_i \cos(\beta_1 z \cos \theta_i) e^{-j \beta_1 x \sin \theta_i} + \mathbf{a}_z j \sin \theta_i \sin(\beta_1 z \cos \theta_i) e^{-j \beta_1 x \sin \theta_i}]$$

E_{1y}

$H_{1x} H_{1z}$



- 1. Power along the z direction (\perp to boundary)

- E_{1y}, H_{1x}
- E_{1y}, H_{1x} maintain standing-wave patterns:
 - $E_{1y} \sim \sin(\beta_{1z} z)$, $H_{1x} \sim \cos(\beta_{1z} z)$, where $\beta_{1z} = \beta_1 \cos \theta_i$
- No average power in $+z$ direction
 - $\mathcal{P}_z = 1/2 \operatorname{Re}[E_{1y} \times H_{1x}^*]$
 - $E_{1y} \sim -j \times \exp(-j \beta_{1x} x)$; $H_{1x}^* \sim \exp(+j \beta_{1x} x) \rightarrow \mathcal{P}_z = 0$

- 2. Power along the x direction (\parallel to boundary)

- E_{1y}, H_{1z}
- Propagation in x direction
 - $\mathcal{P}_x = 1/2 \operatorname{Re}[E_{1y} \times H_{1z}^*] \neq 0$
 - E_{1y} and H_{1z} are in phase for both time and space (time: $-j$ and $-j(\theta = -90 \text{ degree})$; space: $\sin(\beta_{1z} z)$)

$$\mathbf{E}_1(x, z) = -\mathbf{a}_y j 2E_{i0} \sin(\beta_1 z \cos \theta_i) e^{-j\beta_1 x \sin \theta_i}.$$

$$\begin{aligned}\mathbf{H}_1(x, z) = & -2 \frac{E_{i0}}{\eta_1} [\mathbf{a}_x \cos \theta_i \cos(\beta_1 z \cos \theta_i) e^{-j\beta_1 x \sin \theta_i} \\ & + \mathbf{a}_z j \sin \theta_i \sin(\beta_1 z \cos \theta_i) e^{-j\beta_1 x \sin \theta_i}].\end{aligned}$$

E_{1y}

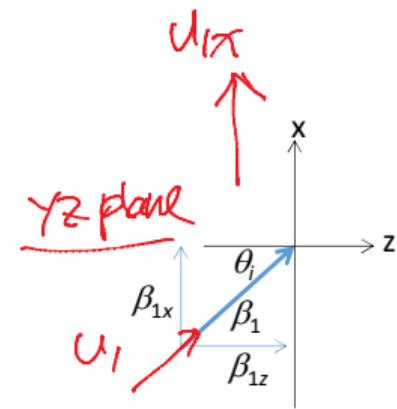
$H_{1x} H_{1z}$

- Phase velocity in x direction $u_p = \omega/\beta_{1x}$ (faster than u_1)

$$\underline{u_{1x}} = \frac{\omega}{\beta_{1x}} = \frac{\omega}{\beta_1 \sin \theta_i} = \frac{\underline{u_1}}{\sin \theta_i}$$

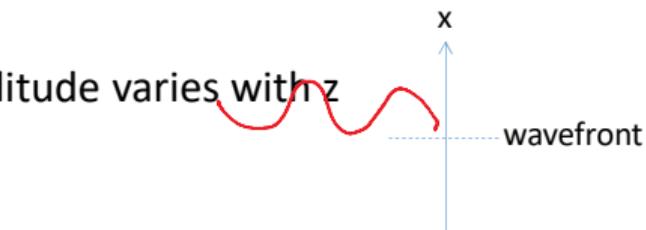
- Wavelength in x direction $\lambda = 2\pi/\beta_{1x}$ (longer than λ_1)

$$\underline{\lambda_{1x}} = \frac{2\pi}{\beta_{1x}} = \frac{\lambda_1}{\sin \theta_i}.$$



- 3. A nonuniform plane wave for the propagating wave in x direction

- E_{1y} (or H_{1z}) $\sim \sin(\beta_{1z} z)$ \rightarrow Amplitude varies with z



$$\mathbf{E}_1(x, z) = -\mathbf{a}_y j 2E_{i0} \sin(\beta_1 z \cos \theta_i) e^{-j\beta_1 x \sin \theta_i}$$

E_{1y}

$$\begin{aligned}\mathbf{H}_1(x, z) = & -2 \frac{E_{i0}}{\eta_1} [\mathbf{a}_x \cos \theta_i \cos(\beta_1 z \cos \theta_i) e^{-j\beta_1 x \sin \theta_i} \\ & + \mathbf{a}_z j \sin \theta_i \sin(\beta_1 z \cos \theta_i) e^{-j\beta_1 x \sin \theta_i}].\end{aligned}$$

$H_{1x} \ H_{1z}$

- 4. $\mathbf{E}_1 = 0$ for all x when $\sin(\beta_{1z} z) = 0$

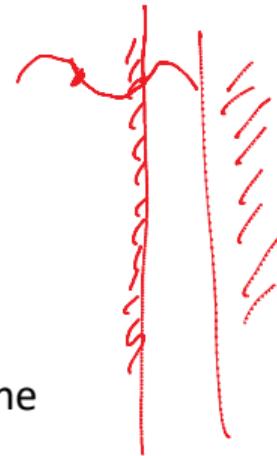
$$\beta_1 z \cos \theta_i = \frac{2\pi}{\lambda_1} z \cos \theta_i = -m\pi, \quad m = 1, 2, 3, \dots,$$

- That is, a conducting plate could be inserted at

$$z = -\frac{m\lambda_1}{2 \cos \theta_i}, \quad m = 1, 2, 3, \dots,$$

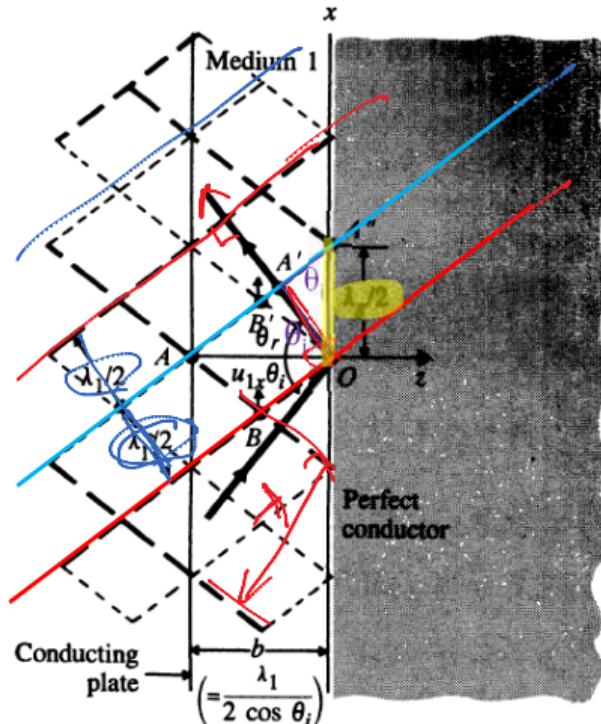
without changing \mathbf{E}_1 between the conducting plate and the conducting boundary

→ A transverse electric (TE) wave (\mathbf{E} transverse to plane of propagation (xz plane)) → only $E_{1y} \neq 0$) would bounce back and forth (i.e., a waveguide).



Long (thick) dashed line: plane wave crests (peaks)
 Short (thin) dashed line: plane wave troughs (valleys)

- Conducting surfaces: E_x and E_y are 180° out of phase $\rightarrow E(z=0) = 0$, such as O, A, and A''
- Intersections of two crests: $E = \text{max}$, along a_y (e.g., B)
- Intersections of two troughs: $E = \text{min}$, along $-a_y$ (e.g., B')
- OA': reflected wave from a crest (red) to a trough (blue), $= \lambda_1/2 \rightarrow \overline{OA}' = \frac{\lambda_1}{2} = \frac{\pi}{\beta_1}$,



- OA: length from the inserted plate to the boundary, $b \rightarrow \overline{OA} = b = \frac{\lambda_1}{2 \cos \theta_i}$.
- Also recall $z = -\frac{m\lambda_1}{2 \cos \theta_i}, \quad m = 1, 2, 3, \dots$
- Wavelength in x direction (traveling wave in the parallel-plate waveguide), $\lambda \cdot \frac{\lambda_1}{2} \quad \overline{OA} = \lambda_g/2 \quad \lambda_g = 2\overline{OA}' = 2 \frac{\overline{OA}'}{\sin \theta_i} \frac{\lambda_1}{2}$
 $= \frac{\lambda_1}{\sin \theta_i} > \lambda_1. \quad (\text{longer})$
- At $\theta_i = 0$ (normal incidence) \rightarrow no propagating wave in x direction

FIGURE 8–12
 Illustrating bouncing waves and interference patterns
 of oblique incidence at a plane conducting boundary
 (perpendicular polarization).

8-7.2 Parallel Polarization

The incident wave

$E_i, E_r; a_x, a_z$ components
 $H_i, H_r; a_y$ component



$$\mathbf{a}_{ni} = a_x \sin \theta_i + a_z \cos \theta_i,$$

$$\mathbf{k} = \beta_1 \mathbf{a}_{ni}$$

$$\mathbf{R} = a_x x + a_y y + a_z z$$

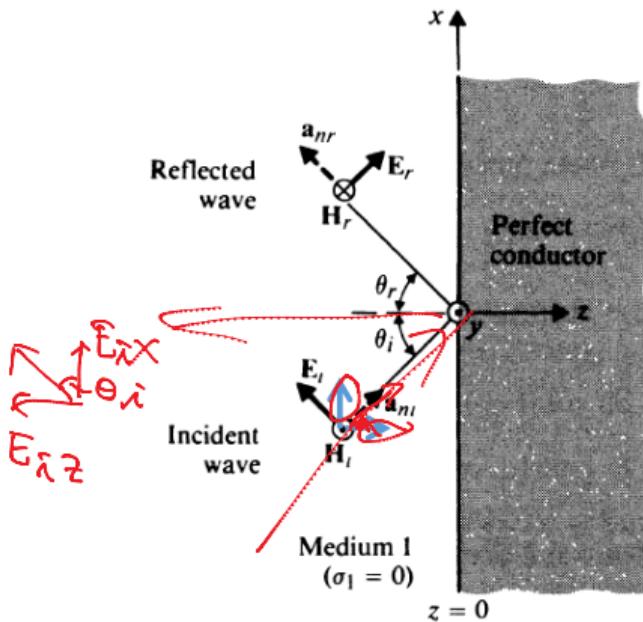
$$\mathbf{E}(\mathbf{R}) = \mathbf{E}_0 e^{-j\mathbf{k} \cdot \mathbf{R}} = \mathbf{E}_0 e^{-j\beta_1 \mathbf{a}_{ni} \cdot \mathbf{R}}$$

$$\mathbf{H}(\mathbf{R}) = \frac{1}{\eta} \mathbf{a}_n \times \mathbf{E}(\mathbf{R})$$

or

$$\mathbf{H}(\mathbf{R}) = \mathbf{H}_0 e^{-j\beta_1 \mathbf{a}_{ni} \cdot \mathbf{R}},$$

$$\mathbf{E}(\mathbf{R}) = -\eta \mathbf{a}_n \times \mathbf{H}(\mathbf{R})$$



$$\mathbf{E}_i(x, z) = E_{i0} (a_x \cos \theta_i - a_z \sin \theta_i) e^{-j\beta_1 (x \sin \theta_i + z \cos \theta_i)},$$

$$\mathbf{H}_i(x, z) = \frac{E_{i0}}{\eta_1} a_y e^{-j\beta_1 (x \sin \theta_i + z \cos \theta_i)}.$$

Same direction
of propagation

Different polarization

Parallel polarization:
also called vertical polarization, H-polarization, p-polarization

FIGURE 8-13

Plane wave incident obliquely on a plane conducting boundary (parallel polarization).

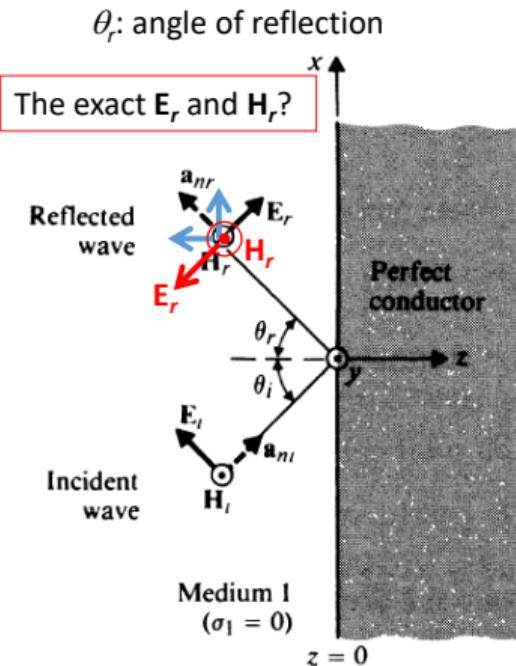
The reflected wave

$$\mathbf{a}_{nr} = \mathbf{a}_x \sin \theta_r - \mathbf{a}_z \cos \theta_r,$$

$$\mathbf{E}_i(x, z) = E_{i0}(\mathbf{a}_x \cos \theta_i - \mathbf{a}_z \sin \theta_i)e^{-j\beta_1(x \sin \theta_i + z \cos \theta_i)},$$

$$\mathbf{H}_i(x, z) = \mathbf{a}_y \frac{E_{i0}}{\eta_1} e^{-j\beta_1(x \sin \theta_i + z \cos \theta_i)}.$$

1. Propagation direction in phase term
2. Denote polarization



$$\mathbf{E}_r(x, z) = E_{r0}(\mathbf{a}_x \cos \theta_r + \mathbf{a}_z \sin \theta_r)e^{-j\beta_1(x \sin \theta_r - z \cos \theta_r)},$$

$$\mathbf{H}_r(x, z) = -\mathbf{a}_y \frac{E_{r0}}{\eta_1} e^{-j\beta_1(x \sin \theta_r - z \cos \theta_r)}.$$

Polarization

Propagation (same direction)

$$\vec{E} = -\eta \hat{a}_n \times \vec{H}$$

$$\text{B.C.: } E_{1t} = E_{2t} = 0$$

→ Total E_{1x} at boundary = 0

$$E_{ix}(x, 0) + E_{rx}(x, 0) = 0.$$

$$(E_{i0} \cos \theta_i)e^{-j\beta_1 x \sin \theta_i} + (E_{r0} \cos \theta_r)e^{-j\beta_1 x \sin \theta_r} = 0,$$

Should be satisfied for all x

$$E_{r0} = -E_{i0} \quad \theta_r = \theta_i$$

Snell's law of reflection

FIGURE 8-13

Plane wave incident obliquely on a plane conducting boundary (parallel polarization).

The total field

$$\mathbf{E}_i(x, z) = E_{i0}(\mathbf{a}_x \cos \theta_i - \mathbf{a}_z \sin \theta_i) e^{-j\beta_1(x \sin \theta_i + z \cos \theta_i)},$$

$$\mathbf{E}_r(x, z) = E_{r0}(\mathbf{a}_x \cos \theta_r + \mathbf{a}_z \sin \theta_r) e^{-j\beta_1(x \sin \theta_r - z \cos \theta_r)},$$

$$E_{r0} = -E_{i0}$$

$$\theta_r = \theta_i.$$

$$\downarrow$$

$$\mathbf{E}_1 = \mathbf{E}_i + \mathbf{E}_r$$

$$\begin{aligned}\mathbf{E}_1(x, z) &= \mathbf{E}_i(x, z) + \mathbf{E}_r(x, z) \\&= \mathbf{a}_x E_{i0} \cos \theta_i (e^{-j\beta_1 z \cos \theta_i} - e^{j\beta_1 z \cos \theta_i}) e^{-j\beta_1 x \sin \theta_i} \\&\quad - \mathbf{a}_z E_{i0} \sin \theta_i (e^{-j\beta_1 z \cos \theta_i} + e^{j\beta_1 z \cos \theta_i}) e^{-j\beta_1 x \sin \theta_i} \\ \text{or } \mathbf{E}_1(x, z) &= -2E_{i0} [\mathbf{a}_x j \cos \theta_i \sin (\beta_1 z \cos \theta_i) \\&\quad + \mathbf{a}_z \sin \theta_i \cos (\beta_1 z \cos \theta_i)] e^{-j\beta_1 x \sin \theta_i}.\end{aligned}$$

$$\mathbf{H}_i(x, z) = \mathbf{a}_y \frac{E_{i0}}{\eta_1} e^{-j\beta_1(x \sin \theta_i + z \cos \theta_i)}.$$

$$\mathbf{H}_r(x, z) = -\mathbf{a}_y \frac{E_{r0}}{\eta_1} e^{-j\beta_1(x \sin \theta_r - z \cos \theta_r)}.$$

$$\downarrow$$

$$\mathbf{H}_1 = \mathbf{H}_i + \mathbf{H}_r$$

$$\begin{aligned}\mathbf{H}_1(x, z) &= \mathbf{H}_i(x, z) + \mathbf{H}_r(x, z) \\&= \mathbf{a}_y 2 \frac{E_{i0}}{\eta_1} \cos (\beta_1 z \cos \theta_i) e^{-j\beta_1 x \sin \theta_i}.\end{aligned}$$

Similar notes as in perpendicular polarization

$$\mathbf{E}_1(x, z) = -2E_{i0}[\mathbf{a}_x j \cos \theta_i \sin(\beta_1 z \cos \theta_i) + \mathbf{a}_z \sin \theta_i \cos(\beta_1 z \cos \theta_i)]e^{-j\beta_1 x \sin \theta_i}$$

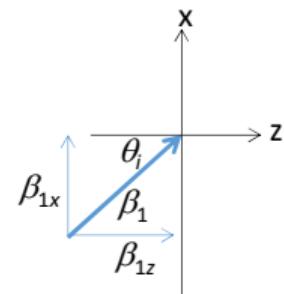
E_{1x}, E_{1z}

$$\mathbf{H}_1(x, z) = \mathbf{a}_y 2 \frac{E_{i0}}{\eta_1} \cos(\beta_1 z \cos \theta_i) e^{-j\beta_1 x \sin \theta_i}$$

H_{1y}

- 1. Power along the z direction (\perp to boundary)

- E_{1x}, H_{1y}
- E_{1x}, H_{1y} maintain standing-wave patterns:
 - ❖ $E_{1x} \sim \sin(\beta_{1z} z), H_{1y} \sim \cos(\beta_{1z} z)$, where $\beta_{1z} = \beta_1 \cos \theta_i$
- No average power in $+z$ direction
 - ❖ $\mathcal{P}_z = 1/2 \operatorname{Re}[E_{1x} \times H_{1y}^*]$
 - ❖ $E_{1x} \sim -j \times \exp(-j\beta_{1x} x); H_{1y}(t)^* \sim \exp(+j\beta_{1x} x) \rightarrow \mathcal{P}_z = 0$



- 2. Power along the x direction (\parallel to boundary)

- E_{1z}, H_{1y}
- Propagation in x direction (E_{1z}, H_{1y})
 - ❖ $\mathcal{P}_x = 1/2 \operatorname{Re}[E_{1z} \times H_{1y}^*] \neq 0$
 - ❖ E_{1z} and H_{1y} are in phase in both time and space (time: $\theta = 0$; space: $\cos(\beta_{1z} z)$)

$$\mathbf{E}_1(x, z) = -2E_{i0}[\mathbf{a}_x j \cos \theta_i \sin(\beta_1 z \cos \theta_i) + \mathbf{a}_z \sin \theta_i \cos(\beta_1 z \cos \theta_i)] e^{-j\beta_1 x \sin \theta_i}.$$

E_{1x} E_{1z}

$$\mathbf{H}_1(x, z) = \mathbf{a}_y 2 \frac{E_{i0}}{\eta_1} \cos(\beta_1 z \cos \theta_i) e^{-j\beta_1 x \sin \theta_i}.$$

H_{1y}

- Phase velocity in x direction $u_p = \omega / \beta_{1x}$ (faster than u_1) $u_{1x} = u_1 / \sin \theta_i$
- Wavelength in x direction $\lambda = 2\pi / \beta_{1x}$ (longer than λ_1)

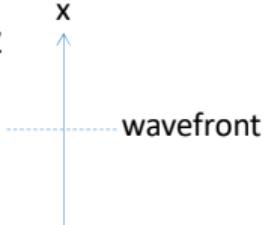
$$\lambda_{1x} = \frac{2\pi}{\beta_{1x}} = \frac{\lambda_1}{\sin \theta_i}.$$

Same as perpendicular polarization

- 3. A nonuniform plane wave for the propagating wave in x direction

- H_{1y} (or E_{1z}) $\sim \cos(\beta_1 z)$ → Amplitude varies with z

Same as perpendicular polarization



$$\begin{aligned}\mathbf{E}_1(x, z) = & -2E_{i0}[\mathbf{a}_x j \cos \theta_i \sin(\beta_1 z \cos \theta_i) \\ & + \mathbf{a}_z \sin \theta_i \cos(\beta_1 z \cos \theta_i)] e^{-j\beta_1 x \sin \theta_i}.\end{aligned}$$

$E_{1x} E_{1z}$

$$\mathbf{H}_1(x, z) = \mathbf{a}_y 2 \frac{E_{i0}}{\eta_1} \cos(\beta_1 z \cos \theta_i) e^{-j\beta_1 x \sin \theta_i}.$$

H_{1y}

- 4. $E_{1x} = 0$ for all x when $\sin(\beta_{1x} z) = 0$

$$\beta_1 z \cos \theta_i = \frac{2\pi}{\lambda_1} z \cos \theta_i = -m\pi, \quad m = 1, 2, 3, \dots,$$

- That is, a conducting plate could be inserted at

$$z = -\frac{m\lambda_1}{2 \cos \theta_i}, \quad m = 1, 2, 3, \dots,$$

without changing E_{1x} (**tangential component**) between the conducting plate and the conducting boundary

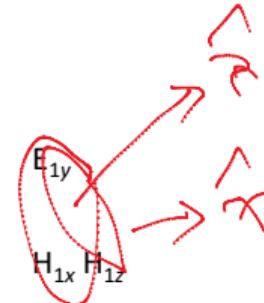
→ A **transverse magnetic (TM)** wave (\mathbf{H} transverse to plane of propagation (xz plane)) → only $H_{1y} \neq 0$) would bounce back and forth (i.e., a waveguide).

A Summary of Oblique Incidence

- Perpendicular polarization

$$\boxed{\begin{aligned}\mathbf{E}_1(x, z) &= -\mathbf{a}_y j 2 E_{i0} \sin(\beta_1 z \cos \theta_i) e^{-j \beta_1 x \sin \theta_i}, \\ \mathbf{H}_1(x, z) &= -2 \frac{E_{i0}}{\eta_1} [\mathbf{a}_x \cos \theta_i \cos(\beta_1 z \cos \theta_i) e^{-j \beta_1 x \sin \theta_i} \\ &\quad + \mathbf{a}_z j \sin \theta_i \sin(\beta_1 z \cos \theta_i) e^{-j \beta_1 x \sin \theta_i}].\end{aligned}}$$

$\vec{E} \times \vec{H}$



- Parallel polarization

$$\boxed{\begin{aligned}\mathbf{E}_1(x, z) &= -2 E_{i0} [\mathbf{a}_x j \cos \theta_i \sin(\beta_1 z \cos \theta_i) \\ &\quad + \mathbf{a}_z \sin \theta_i \cos(\beta_1 z \cos \theta_i)] e^{-j \beta_1 x \sin \theta_i}. \\ \mathbf{H}_1(x, z) &= \mathbf{a}_y 2 \frac{E_{i0}}{\eta_1} \cos(\beta_1 z \cos \theta_i) e^{-j \beta_1 x \sin \theta_i}.\end{aligned}}$$

$E_{1x} E_{1z}$
 H_{1y}

8-8 Normal Incidence at a Plane Dielectric Boundary

- When an electromagnetic wave is incident on the surface of a dielectric medium that has an intrinsic impedance different from that of the medium in which the wave is originated, **part of incident power is reflected and part is transmitted.**
- For a normal plane wave incident on a plane dielectric medium:
 - Dissipationless media ($\sigma_1 = \sigma_2 = 0$)
 - Normal incidence (8-8), Oblique incidence (8-10)

The incident wave

$$\mathbf{E}_i(z) = \mathbf{a}_x E_{i0} e^{-j\beta_1 z},$$

$$\mathbf{H}_i(z) = \mathbf{a}_y \frac{E_{i0}}{l_1} e^{-j\beta_1 z}$$

Propagating in +z

$$\vec{H} = \frac{1}{\eta} \hat{\mathbf{a}}_n \times \vec{E}$$

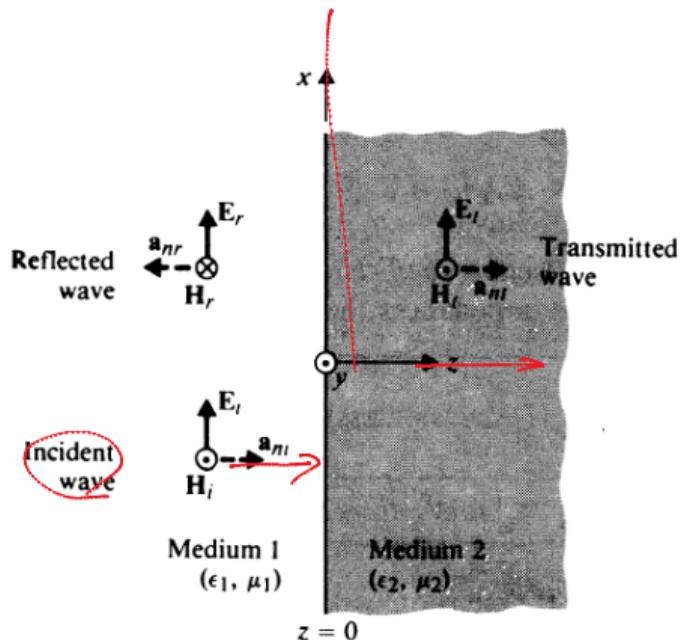


FIGURE 8-14
Plane wave incident normally on a plane dielectric boundary.

The reflected wave

$$\mathbf{E}_r(z) = \mathbf{a}_y E_{r0} e^{j\beta_1 z},$$

$$\rightarrow \mathbf{H}_r(z) = (-\mathbf{a}_z) \times \frac{1}{\eta_1} \mathbf{E}_r(z) = -\mathbf{a}_y \frac{E_{r0}}{\eta_1} e^{j\beta_1 z}.$$

Propagating in $-z$

$$\vec{H} = \frac{1}{\eta} \vec{\partial}_n \times \vec{E}$$

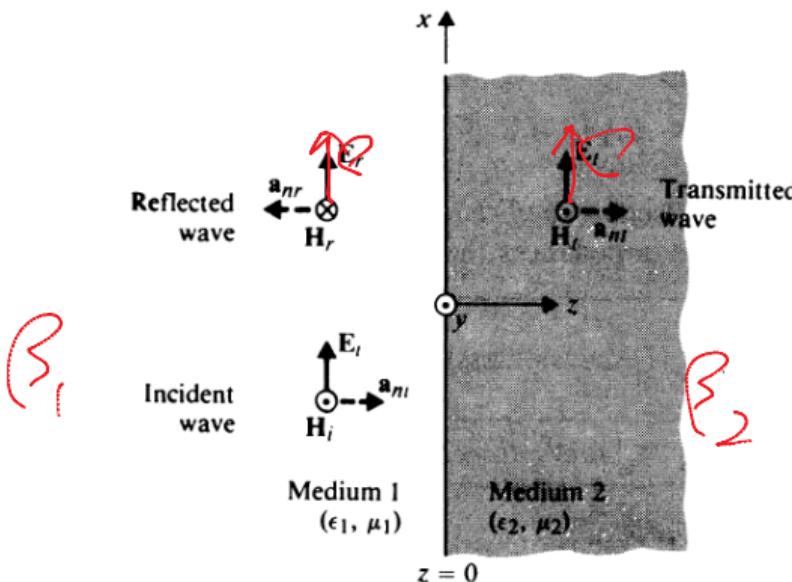
$$(-\hat{a}_z)$$

The transmitted wave

$$\mathbf{E}_t(z) = \mathbf{a}_x E_{t0} e^{-j\beta_2 z},$$

$$\rightarrow \mathbf{H}_t(z) = \mathbf{a}_z \times \frac{1}{\eta_2} \mathbf{E}_t(z) = \mathbf{a}_y \frac{E_{t0}}{\eta_2} e^{-j\beta_2 z},$$

Propagating in $+z$



E_{t0} : magnitude of \mathbf{E}_t

β_2 : phase constant of medium 2

η_2 : intrinsic impedance of medium 2

\mathbf{E}_r and \mathbf{E}_t are drawn arbitrarily
(E_{r0} and E_{t0} may be positive or negative,
depending on the relative magnitudes of
the constitutive parameters of the two
media.)

FIGURE 8-14

Plane wave incident normally on a plane dielectric boundary.

$$\mathbf{E}_i(z) = \mathbf{a}_x E_{i0} e^{-j\beta_1 z},$$

$$\mathbf{H}_i(z) = \mathbf{a}_y \frac{E_{i0}}{\eta_1} e^{-j\beta_1 z}.$$

$$\mathbf{E}_r(z) = \mathbf{a}_x E_{r0} e^{j\beta_1 z},$$

$$\mathbf{H}_r(z) = (-\mathbf{a}_z) \times \frac{1}{\eta_1} \mathbf{E}_r(z) = -\mathbf{a}_y \frac{E_{r0}}{\eta_1} e^{j\beta_1 z}.$$

$$\mathbf{E}_t(z) = \mathbf{a}_x E_{t0} e^{-j\beta_2 z},$$

$$\mathbf{H}_t(z) = \mathbf{a}_z \times \frac{1}{\eta_2} \mathbf{E}_t(z) = \mathbf{a}_y \frac{E_{t0}}{\eta_2} e^{-j\beta_2 z},$$

Two unknowns: E_{r0} and E_{t0}

Two B.C. equations: $\underline{E_{1t}} = \underline{E_{2t}}$; $\underline{H_{1t}} = \underline{H_{2t}}$ ($J_s = 0$)

$$\underline{\mathbf{E}_i(0)} + \underline{\mathbf{E}_r(0)} = \underline{\mathbf{E}_t(0)} \quad \text{or} \quad \underline{E_{i0} + E_{r0} = E_{t0}}$$

$$\underline{\mathbf{H}_i(0)} + \underline{\mathbf{H}_r(0)} = \underline{\mathbf{H}_t(0)} \quad \text{or} \quad \underline{\frac{1}{\eta_1} (E_{i0} - E_{r0}) = \frac{E_{t0}}{\eta_2}}.$$



$$\underline{E_{r0}} = \frac{\eta_2 - \eta_1}{\eta_2 + \eta_1} \underline{E_{i0}}$$

$$\underline{E_{t0}} = \frac{2\eta_2}{\eta_2 + \eta_1} \underline{E_{i0}}$$

$$E_{r0} = \frac{\eta_2 - \eta_1}{\eta_2 + \eta_1} E_{i0},$$

$$E_{t0} = \frac{2\eta_2}{\eta_2 + \eta_1} E_{i0}.$$



Reflection coefficient
 $= E_{r0}/E_{i0}$

$$\Gamma = \frac{E_{r0}}{E_{i0}} = \frac{\eta_2 - \eta_1}{\eta_2 + \eta_1} \quad (\text{Dimensionless})$$

Transmission coefficient
 $= E_{t0}/E_{i0}$

$$\tau = \frac{E_{t0}}{E_{i0}} = \frac{2\eta_2}{\eta_2 + \eta_1} \quad (\text{Dimensionless}).$$

Γ can be positive or negative

τ is always positive



$$1 + \Gamma = \tau \quad (\text{Dimensionless}).$$

For dissipative media (η_1 and η_2 are complex), Γ and τ equations **still apply***.

→ Γ and τ are **complex** in the general case

→ a **phase shift** is introduced at the interface upon reflection (or transmission)

*: the previous equations can be derived by considering complex η_c for **lossy media**, and complex k_c for **wave with attenuation** (they are all connected).

$$\Gamma = \frac{E_{r0}}{E_{i0}} = \frac{\eta_2 - \eta_1}{\eta_2 + \eta_1} \quad (\text{Dimensionless})$$

$$\tau = \frac{E_{t0}}{E_{i0}} = \frac{2\eta_2}{\eta_2 + \eta_1} \quad (\text{Dimensionless}).$$

\rightarrow If medium 2 is a perfect conductor ($\eta_2 = 0$)
 → $\Gamma = -1, \tau = 0$
 → $E_{r0} = -E_{i0}, E_{t0} = 0$
 → The incident wave is totally reflected (as discussed in Section 8-6)

If medium 2 is NOT a perfect conductor

- Partial reflection, partial transmission
- Total field in medium 1

E_{r0} replaced

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbf{E}_1(z) &= \mathbf{E}_i(z) + \mathbf{E}_r(z) = \mathbf{a}_x E_{i0} (e^{-j\beta_1 z} + \Gamma e^{j\beta_1 z}) \quad \text{Propagation } -z \\ &= \mathbf{a}_x E_{i0} [(1 + \Gamma) e^{-j\beta_1 z} + \Gamma (e^{j\beta_1 z} - e^{-j\beta_1 z})] \\ &= \mathbf{a}_x E_{i0} [(1 + \Gamma) e^{-j\beta_1 z} + \Gamma (j2 \sin \beta_1 z)] \end{aligned}$$



$$1 + \Gamma = \tau$$

$$\mathbf{E}_1(z) = \mathbf{a}_x E_{i0} [\tau e^{-j\beta_1 z} + \Gamma (j2 \sin \beta_1 z)].$$

$$\mathbf{E}_1(z) = \mathbf{a}_x E_{i0} [\tau e^{-j\beta_1 z} + \Gamma(j2 \sin \beta_1 z)].$$

1st term: a traveling wave with an amplitude τE_{i0}

2nd term: a standing wave with an amplitude $2\Gamma E_{i0}$

How to know?

Check in time domain:

traveling wave: $\cos(\omega t - \beta_1 z)$

standing wave: $\sin(\beta_1 z) (-\sin(\omega t))$  $|\mathbf{E}_1|$ has locations of max. and min. values?

$$\mathbf{E}_1(z) = \mathbf{a}_x E_{i0} (e^{-j\beta_1 z} + \Gamma e^{j\beta_1 z})$$



$$\Gamma = \frac{E_{r0}}{E_{i0}} = \frac{\eta_2 - \eta_1}{\eta_2 + \eta_1}$$

$$\mathbf{E}_1(z) = \mathbf{a}_x E_{i0} e^{-j\beta_1 z} (1 + \Gamma e^{j2\beta_1 z}).$$

For dissipationless media, η_1 and η_2 are real

$\rightarrow \Gamma$ and τ are real; Γ can be positive or negative

$$\tau = \frac{E_{r0}}{E_{i0}} = \frac{2\eta_2}{\eta_2 + \eta_1}$$

Check amplitude $|\mathbf{E}_1(z)|$

(1) $\Gamma > 0 (\eta_2 > \eta_1)$

max. of $|\mathbf{E}_1(z)|$: $E_{i0}(1+\Gamma)$, when $2\beta_1 z_{\max} = -2n\pi$ ($n = 0, 1, 2, \dots$),

$$\text{or } z_{\max} = -\frac{n\pi}{\beta_1} = -\frac{n\lambda_1}{2}, \quad n = 0, 1, 2, \dots$$

min. of $|\mathbf{E}_1(z)|$: $E_{i0}(1-\Gamma)$, when $2\beta_1 z_{\min} = -(2n+1)\pi$ $-2\pi, -3\pi, -5\pi \dots$

$$\text{or } z_{\min} = -\frac{(2n+1)\pi}{2\beta_1} = -\frac{(2n+1)\lambda_1}{4}, \quad n = 0, 1, 2, \dots$$

(2) $\Gamma < 0 (\eta_2 < \eta_1)$

max. of $|\mathbf{E}_1(z)|$: $E_{i0}(1-\Gamma)$,

min. of $|\mathbf{E}_1(z)|$: $E_{i0}(1+\Gamma)$,

In other words, the location for $|\mathbf{E}_1(z)|_{\max}$ and $|\mathbf{E}_1(z)|_{\min}$ when $\Gamma > 0$ are interchanged when $\Gamma > 0$.

Standing-wave ratio (SWR): ratio of maximum value to the minimum value of $|\mathbf{E}|$ of a standing wave

$$S = \frac{|E|_{\max}}{|E|_{\min}} = \frac{1 + |\Gamma|}{1 - |\Gamma|} \quad (\text{Dimensionless}).$$



Inverse relation of Γ and S

$$|\Gamma| = \frac{S - 1}{S + 1} \quad (\text{Dimensionless}).$$

Range of Γ : -1 to 1

Range of S: 1 to ∞

The magnetic field in medium 1:

$$\mathbf{H}_i(z) = \mathbf{a}_y \frac{E_{i0}}{\eta_1} e^{-j\beta_1 z}.$$

$$\mathbf{H}_r(z) = -\mathbf{a}_y \frac{E_{r0}}{\eta_1} e^{j\beta_1 z}.$$



$$\begin{aligned}\mathbf{H}_1(z) &= \mathbf{a}_y \frac{E_{i0}}{\eta_1} (e^{-j\beta_1 z} - \Gamma e^{j\beta_1 z}) \\ &= \mathbf{a}_y \frac{E_{i0}}{\eta_1} e^{-j\beta_1 z} (1 - \underline{\Gamma} e^{j2\beta_1 z}).\end{aligned}$$

Compared with

$$\mathbf{E}_1(z) = \mathbf{a}_x E_{i0} e^{-j\beta_1 z} (1 + \underline{\Gamma} e^{j2\beta_1 z}).$$

Compared with $\mathbf{E}_1(z)$: In a dissipationless medium, Γ is real.

$|\mathbf{H}_1(z)|$ is max. at locations where $|\mathbf{E}_1(z)|$ is min.

$|\mathbf{H}_1(z)|$ is min. at locations where $|\mathbf{E}_1(z)|$ is max.

The magnetic field in medium 2 (expressed in terms of E_{i0} and τ):

$$\mathbf{H}_t(z) = \mathbf{a}_y \frac{E_{t0}}{\eta_2} e^{-j\beta_2 z},$$



$$\mathbf{H}_t(z) = \mathbf{a}_y \frac{\tau}{\eta_2} E_{i0} e^{-j\beta_2 z}.$$

$$\tau = \frac{E_{t0}}{E_{i0}}$$

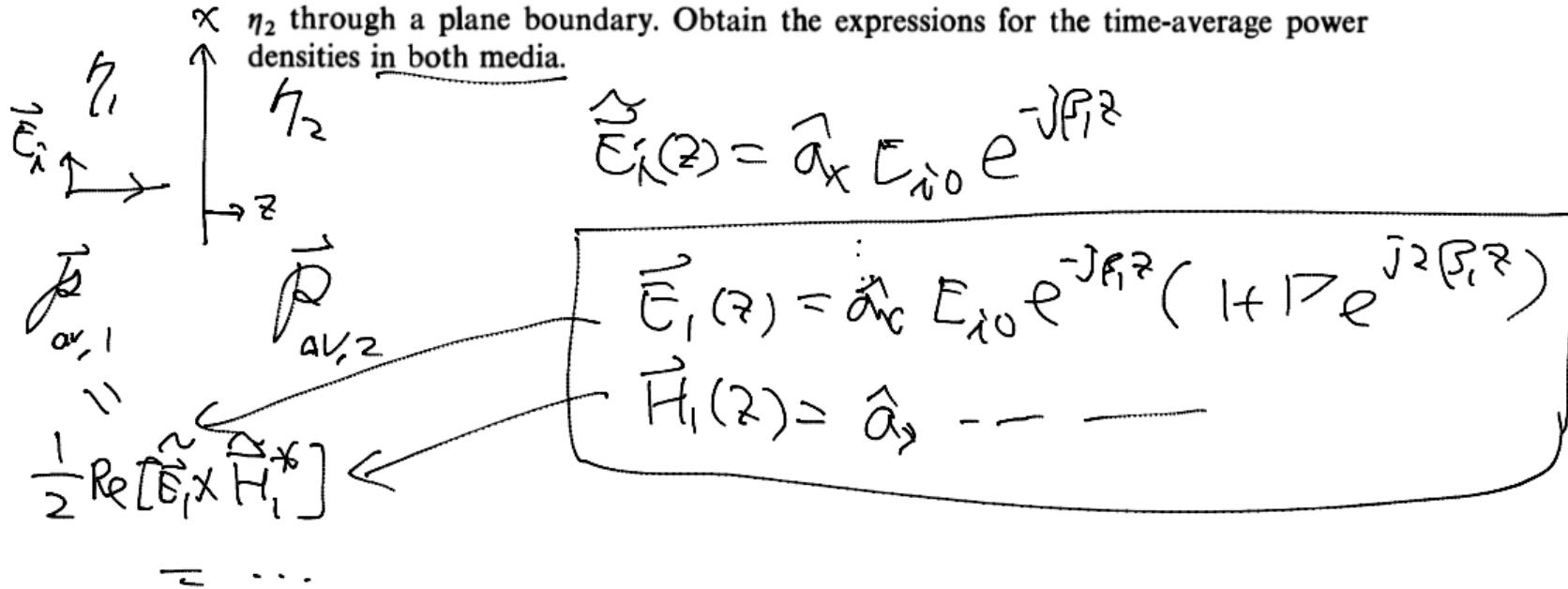
$$\mathbf{E}_t(z) = \mathbf{a}_x E_{t0} e^{-j\beta_2 z},$$



$$\mathbf{E}_t(z) = \mathbf{a}_x \tau E_{i0} e^{-j\beta_2 z}.$$

$$\frac{\vec{P}_{\text{av},2}}{\eta_2} = \frac{\vec{P}_{\text{av},1}}{\eta_1} \Rightarrow \frac{1-P^2}{\eta_1} = \frac{\eta_2^2}{\eta_2}$$

EXAMPLE 8-11 A uniform plane wave in a lossless medium with intrinsic impedance η_1 is incident normally onto another lossless medium with intrinsic impedance η_2 through a plane boundary. Obtain the expressions for the time-average power densities in both media.



8-9 Normal Incidence at Multiple Dielectric Interfaces (excluded)

8-10 Oblique Incidence at a Plane Dielectric Boundary

- Oblique incidence on a plane interface between two dielectric media.
 - Lossless media assumed

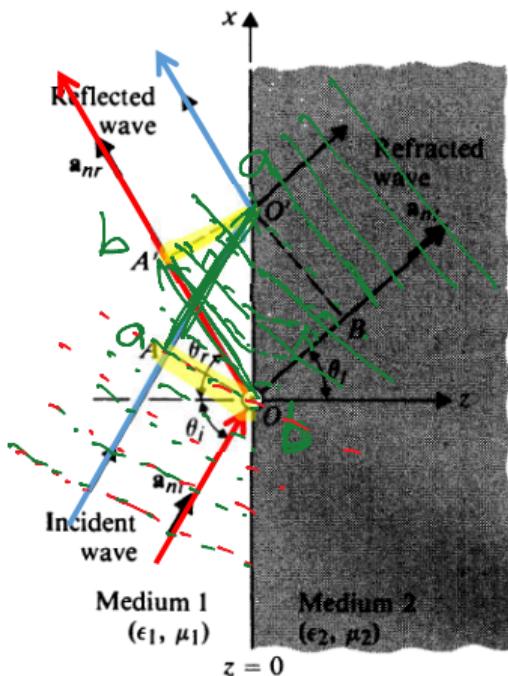
Intersection of wavefronts (surfaces of constant) with the plane of incidence

AO: incident waves

O'A': reflected waves

O'B: refracted waves

In medium 1, incident and reflected waves propagate with the same u_{p1}



\downarrow

$OA' = AO'$ $a \rightarrow a$

$b \rightarrow b$

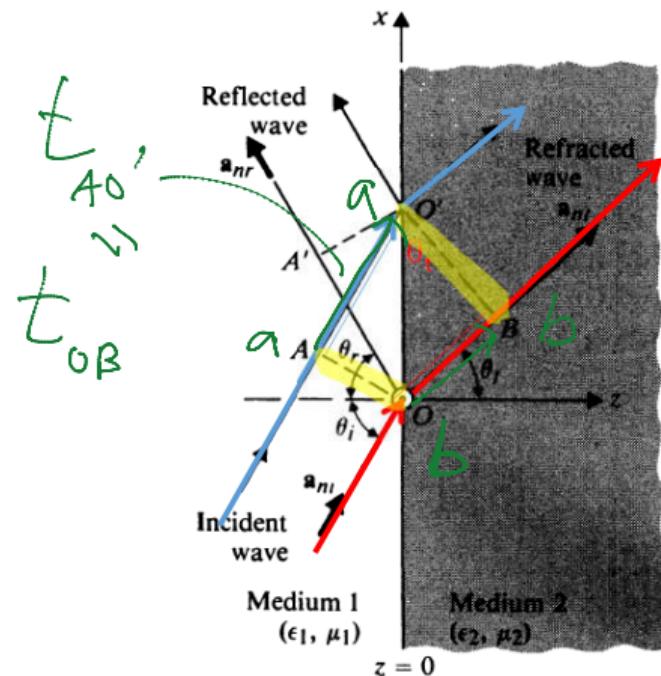
$\overline{OO'} \sin \theta_r = \overline{OO'} \sin \theta_i$

or $\boxed{\theta_r = \theta_i}$ Snell's law of reflection

FIGURE 8-16

Uniform plane wave incident obliquely on a plane dielectric boundary.

In medium 1, incident waves propagate with u_{p1}
 In medium 2, refracted waves propagate with u_{p2}
 The same time is taken for OB and AO'



$$\frac{t_{OB}}{t_{AO'}} = \frac{OB/u_{p2}}{AO'/u_{p1}} = \frac{OB}{AO'} \quad (\text{green bracket})$$

$$\frac{OB}{AO'} = \frac{\overline{OO'} \sin \theta_t}{\overline{OO'} \sin \theta_i} = \frac{u_{p2}}{u_{p1}},$$

$$\frac{\sin \theta_t}{\sin \theta_i} = \frac{u_{p2}}{u_{p1}} = \frac{\beta_1}{\beta_2} = \frac{n_1}{n_2},$$

Snell's law of
refraction

n : the index of refraction

By definition, n is the ratio of the speed of light
in free space to that in the medium $\rightarrow n = c/u_p$

$$u_p = \frac{\omega}{\beta}$$

FIGURE 8-16
 Uniform plane wave incident obliquely on a plane dielectric boundary.

Snell's law of refraction: at an interface between two dielectric media, the ratio of the sine of the angle of refraction (transmission) in medium 2 to the sine of the angle of incidence in medium 1 is equal to the ~~inverse ratio~~ of indices of refraction n_1/n_2

$$\frac{\sin \theta_t}{\sin \theta_i} = \frac{n_1}{n_2}$$

$$U_p \propto \sim \frac{1}{\sqrt{\epsilon}}$$

For nonmagnetic material, $\mu_1 = \mu_2 = \mu_0$

$$\frac{\sin \theta_t}{\sin \theta_i} = \sqrt{\frac{\epsilon_1}{\epsilon_2}} = \sqrt{\frac{\epsilon_{r1}}{\epsilon_{r2}}} = \frac{n_1}{n_2} = \frac{\eta_2}{\eta_1},$$

$$\frac{\sin \theta_t}{\sin \theta_i} = \frac{u_{p2}}{u_{p1}} \quad U_p = \frac{1}{\sqrt{\epsilon \mu}}$$

$$\eta = \sqrt{\frac{\mu}{\epsilon}}$$

$$\begin{array}{l} \bullet n, \sqrt{\epsilon}, \beta \\ \bullet \sin \theta, U_p, \eta \end{array}$$

$$\frac{\sin \theta_1}{\sin \theta_2} = \frac{U_{p1}}{U_{p2}} = \frac{\eta_1}{\eta_2} = \frac{\mu_2}{\mu_1} = \sqrt{\frac{\epsilon_2 \beta}{\epsilon_1 \beta_1}}$$

$$n_2 > 1 \rightarrow \theta_t < \theta_i$$

\rightarrow Wave will be bent toward normal (for oblique incidence to a denser medium)

For nonmagnetic material, $\mu_1 = \mu_2 = \mu_0$

And if medium 1 is free space: $\epsilon_{r1} = 1, n_1 = 1, \eta_1 = 120\pi$

$$\frac{\sin \theta_t}{\sin \theta_i} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{\epsilon_{r2}}} = \frac{1}{n_2} = \frac{\eta_2}{120\pi}.$$

- In these derivation, no indications of the wave polarizations have been made.



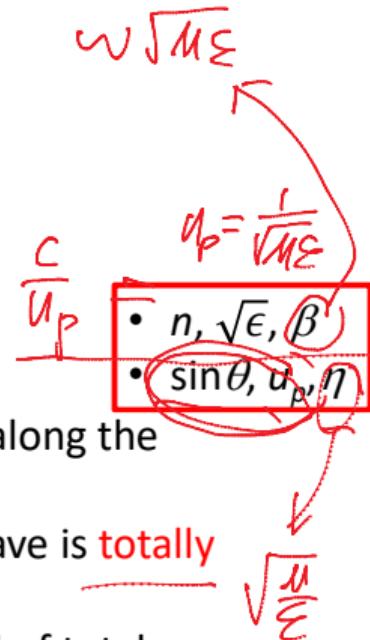
- Snell's law of reflection and Snell's law of refraction are independent of wave polarization.

8-10.1 Total Reflection

- For $\epsilon_1 > \epsilon_2$:

- wave in medium 1 is incident on a less dense medium 2
- $\theta_t > \theta_i$
- θ_t increases with θ_i ; When $\theta_t = \pi/2$, the refracted wave will glaze along the interface.
- A further increase in $\theta_i \rightarrow$ no refracted wave, and the incident wave is totally reflected.
- Critical angle θ_c : the angle of θ_i corresponds to $\theta_t = \pi/2$ (threshold of total reflection)

$$n_2 \downarrow \Rightarrow \theta_t \uparrow$$



Unit vectors for propagation direction

\mathbf{a}_{ni} : direction of incident waves

\mathbf{a}_{nr} : direction of reflected waves

\mathbf{a}_{nt} : direction of transmitted waves

$$\frac{\sin \theta_t}{\sin \theta_i} = \sqrt{\frac{\epsilon_1}{\epsilon_2}} = \frac{n_1}{n_2}$$

$\theta_i = \theta_c, \theta_t = \pi/2$

$$\sin \theta_c = \sqrt{\frac{\epsilon_2}{\epsilon_1}}$$

- $n, \sqrt{\epsilon}, \beta$
- $\sin \theta, u_p, \eta$

$$\theta_i = \theta_c$$

or

$$\theta_c = \sin^{-1} \sqrt{\frac{\epsilon_2}{\epsilon_1}} = \sin^{-1} \left(\frac{n_2}{n_1} \right).$$

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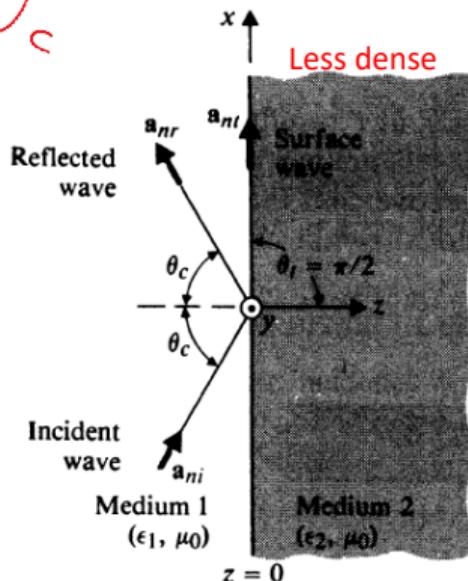
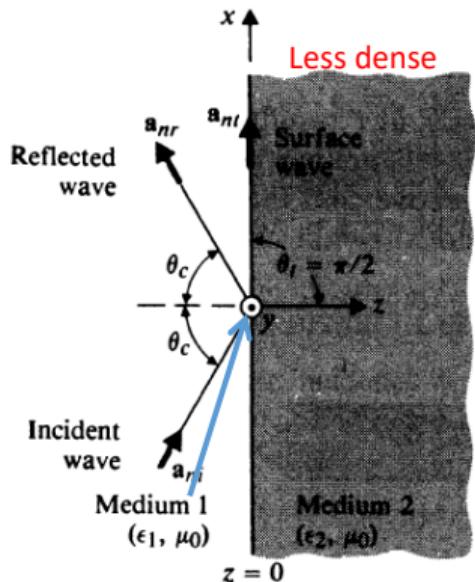


FIGURE 8-17

Plane wave incident at critical angle, $\epsilon_1 > \epsilon_2$.

What happens mathematically if $\theta_i > \theta_c$?



$$\frac{\sin \theta_t}{\sin \theta_i} = \sqrt{\frac{\epsilon_1}{\epsilon_2}} = \frac{n_1}{n_2}$$

\downarrow

$$\sin \theta_i > \sin \theta_c = \sqrt{\epsilon_2/\epsilon_1}$$

\downarrow

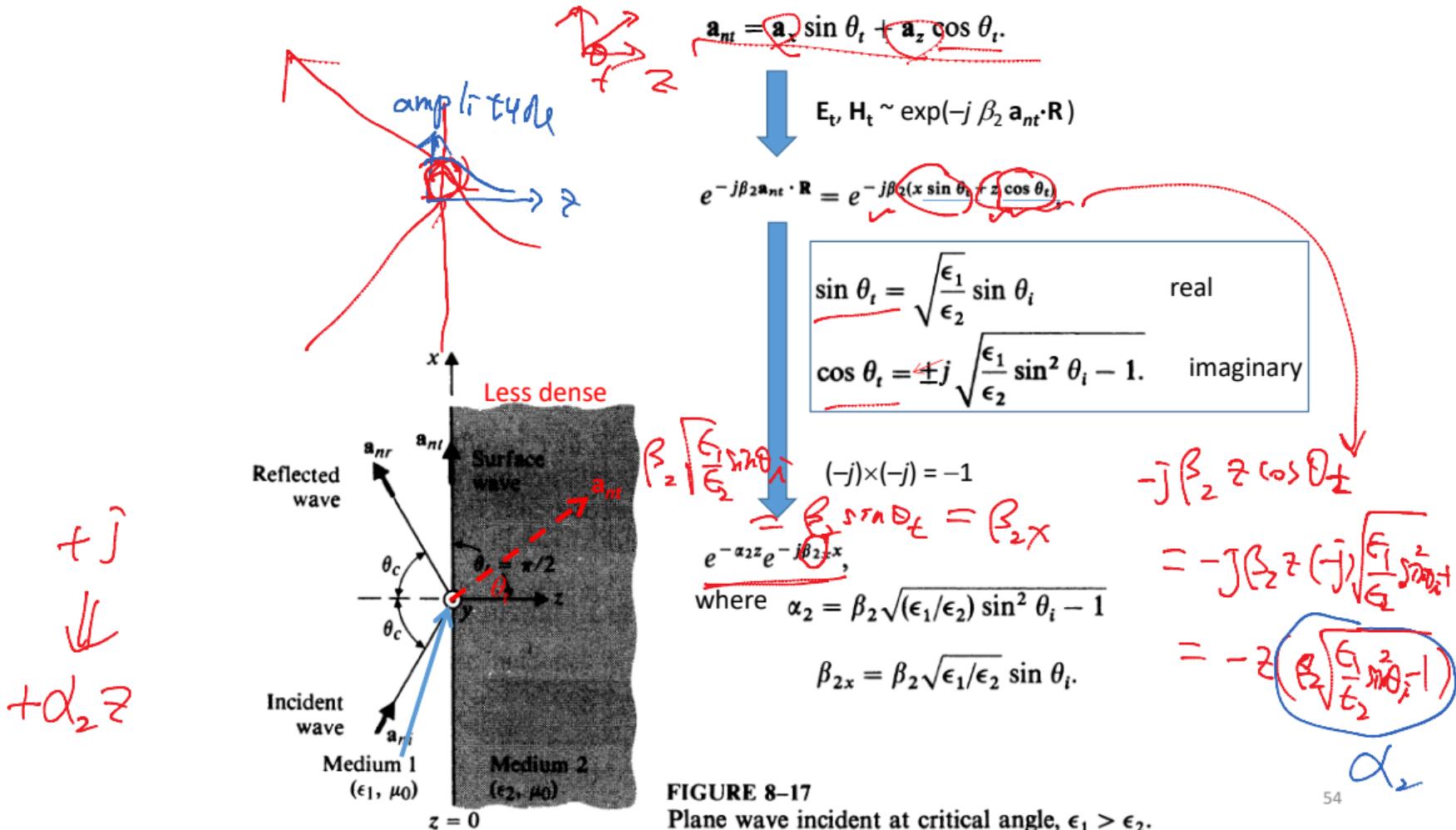
$\sin \theta_t = \sqrt{\frac{\epsilon_1}{\epsilon_2}} \sin \theta > 1,$

$\Rightarrow \sqrt{\frac{\epsilon_2}{\epsilon_1}}$

θ_t : not real
 $\sin \theta_t$: still real

$$\cos \theta_t = \sqrt{1 - \sin^2 \theta_t} = \pm j \sqrt{\frac{\epsilon_1}{\epsilon_2} \sin^2 \theta_i - 1}.$$

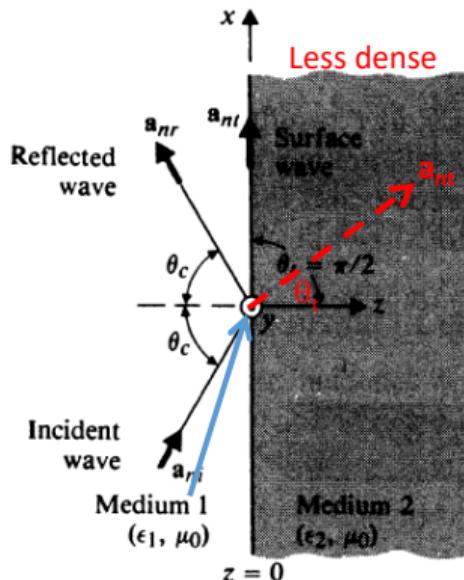
FIGURE 8-17
Plane wave incident at critical angle, $\epsilon_1 > \epsilon_2$.



Evanescence wave exists along the interface (in the x direction) $e^{-\alpha_2 z} e^{-j\beta_2 x x}$,

$e^{-\alpha_2 z}$ The evanescent wave attenuated exponentially (rapidly) in medium 2 in the normal direction (z direction);
No power is transmitted into medium 2

$e^{-j\beta_2 x x}$ The wave is tightly bound to the interface and is called a surface wave (Not a uniform plane wave due to $\exp(-\alpha_2 z)$)



Evanescence wave:
Attenuation in z direction
Propagation along x direction

FIGURE 8-17
Plane wave incident at critical angle, $\epsilon_1 > \epsilon_2$.

8-10.2 Perpendicular Polarization

- $\mathbf{E} \perp$ the plane of incidence
- Also called s-polarization (German origin: s = senkrecht = perpendicular)

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\perp electric field

The incident fields

$$\mathbf{E}_i(x, z) = \mathbf{a}_y E_{i0} e^{-j\beta_1(x \sin \theta_i + z \cos \theta_i)}$$

$$\mathbf{H}_i(x, z) = \frac{E_{i0}}{\eta_1} (-\mathbf{a}_x \cos \theta_i + \mathbf{a}_z \sin \theta_i) e^{-j\beta_1(x \sin \theta_i + z \cos \theta_i)}$$

$$\begin{aligned}\hat{\mathbf{a}}_{ni} &= \hat{\mathbf{a}}_z \cos \theta_i + \\ &\quad \hat{\mathbf{a}}_x \sin \theta_i\end{aligned}$$

polarization

propagation

$$\mathbf{H}(\mathbf{R}) = \frac{1}{\eta} \mathbf{a}_n \times \mathbf{E}(\mathbf{R})$$

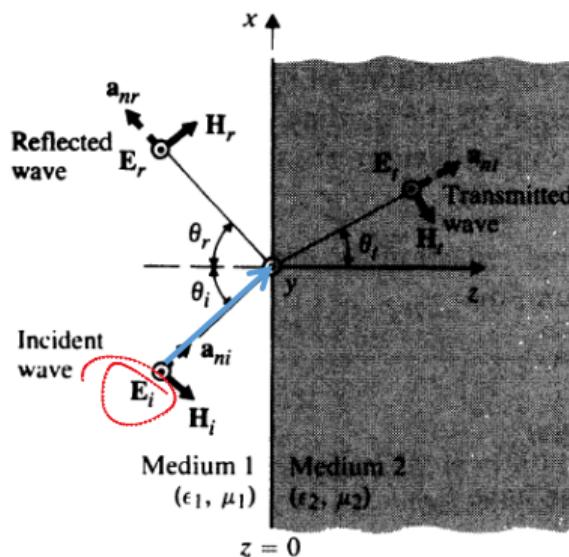


FIGURE 8–20
Plane wave incident on a plane dielectric boundary
(perpendicular polarization).

The reflected fields

$$\mathbf{E}_r(x, z) = \mathbf{a}_r E_{r0} e^{-j\beta_1(x \sin \theta_r - z \cos \theta_r)}$$

polarization

$$\mathbf{H}_r(x, z) = \frac{E_{r0}}{\eta_1} (\mathbf{a}_x \cos \theta_r + \mathbf{a}_z \sin \theta_r) e^{-j\beta_1(x \sin \theta_r - z \cos \theta_r)}.$$

propagation

$$\mathbf{H}(\mathbf{R}) = \frac{1}{\eta} \mathbf{a}_n \times \mathbf{E}(\mathbf{R})$$

method 1
to get \vec{H}

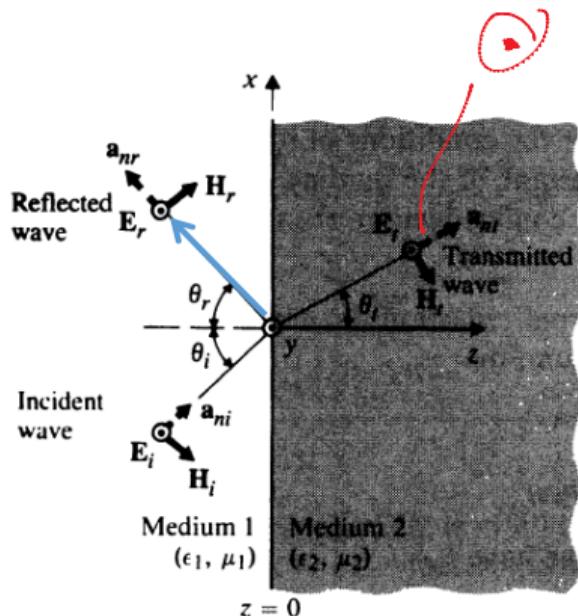


FIGURE 8–20
Plane wave incident on a plane dielectric boundary (perpendicular polarization).

method 2 to get \vec{H} :
refer to the figure

The transmitted fields

$$\mathbf{E}_t(x, z) = \underline{\mathbf{a}_y} E_{t0} e^{-j\beta_2(x \sin \theta_t + z \cos \theta_t)}$$

$$\mathbf{H}_t(x, z) = \frac{E_{t0}}{\eta_2} (-\mathbf{a}_x \cos \theta_t + \mathbf{a}_z \sin \theta_t) e^{-j\beta_2(x \sin \theta_t + z \cos \theta_t)}$$

polarization

propagation

$$\mathbf{H}(\mathbf{R}) = \frac{1}{\eta} \mathbf{a}_n \times \mathbf{E}(\mathbf{R})$$

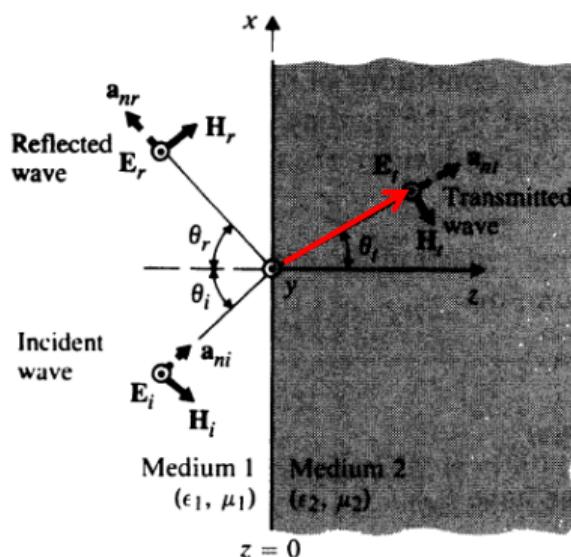


FIGURE 8–20
Plane wave incident on a plane dielectric boundary
(perpendicular polarization).

4 unknowns: E_{r0} , E_{t0} , θ_r , θ_t

B.C.: tangential \mathbf{E} and \mathbf{H} should be continuous

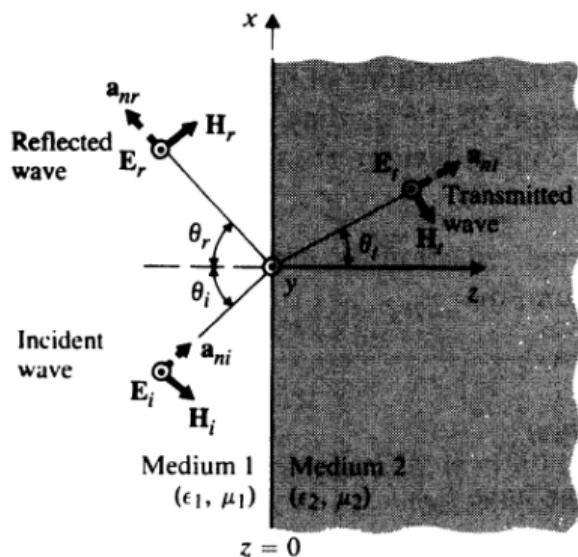


FIGURE 8–20
Plane wave incident on a plane dielectric boundary
(perpendicular polarization).

$$\mathbf{E}_i(x, z) = \mathbf{a}_y E_{i0} e^{-j\beta_1(x \sin \theta_i + z \cos \theta_i)}$$

$$\mathbf{H}_i(x, z) = \frac{E_{i0}}{\eta_1} (-\mathbf{a}_x \cos \theta_i + \mathbf{a}_z \sin \theta_i) e^{-j\beta_1(x \sin \theta_i + z \cos \theta_i)}.$$

$$\mathbf{E}_r(x, z) = \mathbf{a}_y E_{r0} e^{-j\beta_1(x \sin \theta_r - z \cos \theta_r)}$$

$$\mathbf{H}_r(x, z) = \frac{E_{r0}}{\eta_1} (\mathbf{a}_x \cos \theta_r + \mathbf{a}_z \sin \theta_r) e^{-j\beta_1(x \sin \theta_r - z \cos \theta_r)}.$$

$$\mathbf{E}_t(x, z) = \mathbf{a}_y E_{t0} e^{-j\beta_2(x \sin \theta_t + z \cos \theta_t)}$$

$$\mathbf{H}_t(x, z) = \frac{E_{t0}}{\eta_2} (-\mathbf{a}_x \cos \theta_t + \mathbf{a}_z \sin \theta_t) e^{-j\beta_2(x \sin \theta_t + z \cos \theta_t)}.$$

Tangential \mathbf{E} and \mathbf{H} should be continuous

$$E_{1y}$$

$$E_{iy}(x, 0) + E_{ry}(x, 0) = E_{ty}(x, 0)$$



$$E_{i0} e^{-j\beta_1 x \sin \theta_i} + E_{r0} e^{-j\beta_1 x \sin \theta_r} = E_{t0} e^{-j\beta_2 x \sin \theta_t}.$$

$$\beta_1 > \pi \theta_i = \beta_1, \sin \theta_r = \beta_2 \sin \theta_t$$

$$H_{1x}$$

$$H_{ix}(x, 0) + H_{rx}(x, 0) = H_{tx}(x, 0)$$



$$\frac{1}{\eta_1} (-E_{i0} \cos \theta_i e^{-j\beta_1 x \sin \theta_i} + E_{r0} \cos \theta_r e^{-j\beta_1 x \sin \theta_r}) = -\frac{E_{t0}}{\eta_2} \cos \theta_t e^{-j\beta_2 x \sin \theta_t}.$$

$$E_{i0}e^{-j\beta_1 x \sin \theta_i} + E_{r0}e^{-j\beta_1 x \sin \theta_r} = E_{t0}e^{-j\beta_2 x \sin \theta_t}. \quad (8-202)$$

$$\frac{1}{\eta_1} (-E_{i0} \cos \theta_i e^{-j\beta_1 x \sin \theta_i} + E_{r0} \cos \theta_r e^{-j\beta_1 x \sin \theta_r}) = -\frac{E_{t0}}{\eta_2} \cos \theta_t e^{-j\beta_2 x \sin \theta_t}. \quad (8-203)$$

The 2 equations are to be satisfied for **all x (boundary)**
 → Exponential terms that are functions of x (phase terms) must be equal (**phase matching**)

$$\beta_1 x \sin \theta_i = \beta_1 x \sin \theta_r = \beta_2 x \sin \theta_t,$$

$$\theta_r = \theta_i \qquad \sin \theta_t / \sin \theta_i = \beta_1 / \beta_2 = n_1 / n_2 \quad \begin{matrix} \text{Snell's law of reflection} \\ \text{Snell's law of refraction} \end{matrix}$$

Substitute in Eqs. (8-202) and (8-203)

$$\frac{1}{\eta_1} (E_{i0} - E_{r0}) \cos \theta_i = \frac{E_{t0}}{\eta_2} \cos \theta_t,$$

$$E_{i0} + E_{r0} = E_{t0}$$

$$\frac{1}{\eta_1} (E_{i0} - E_{r0}) \cos \theta_i = \frac{E_{t0}}{\eta_2} \cos \theta_t,$$

Derivation



Express E_{r0} and E_{t0}

$$\begin{aligned}\Gamma_{\perp} &= \frac{E_{r0}}{E_{i0}} = \frac{\eta_2 \cos \theta_i - \eta_1 \cos \theta_t}{\eta_2 \cos \theta_i + \eta_1 \cos \theta_t} \\ &= \frac{(\eta_2/\cos \theta_i) - (\eta_1/\cos \theta_i)}{(\eta_2/\cos \theta_i) + (\eta_1/\cos \theta_i)}\end{aligned}$$

Fresnel's equations

$$\begin{aligned}\tau_{\perp} &= \frac{E_{t0}}{E_{i0}} = \frac{2\eta_2 \cos \theta_i}{\eta_2 \cos \theta_i + \eta_1 \cos \theta_t} \\ &= \frac{2(\eta_2/\cos \theta_i)}{(\eta_2/\cos \theta_i) + (\eta_1/\cos \theta_i)}.\end{aligned}$$

Comparison with normal incidence

Normal incidence

$$\Gamma = \frac{E_{r0}}{E_{i0}} = \frac{\eta_2 - \eta_1}{\eta_2 + \eta_1}$$

$$\eta_1 \rightarrow (\eta_1 / \cos \theta_i)$$

$$\eta_2 \rightarrow (\eta_2 / \cos \theta_i)$$



$$\tau = \frac{E_{r0}}{E_{i0}} = \frac{2\eta_2}{\eta_2 + \eta_1}$$

$$1 + \Gamma = \tau$$

Oblique incidence

$$\begin{aligned} \Gamma_{\perp} &= \frac{E_{r0}}{E_{i0}} = \frac{\eta_2 \cos \theta_i - \eta_1 \cos \theta_i}{\eta_2 \cos \theta_i + \eta_1 \cos \theta_i} \\ &= \frac{(\eta_2 / \cos \theta_i) - (\eta_1 / \cos \theta_i)}{(\eta_2 / \cos \theta_i) + (\eta_1 / \cos \theta_i)} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \tau_{\perp} &= \frac{E_{r0}}{E_{i0}} = \frac{2\eta_2 \cos \theta_i}{\eta_2 \cos \theta_i + \eta_1 \cos \theta_i} \\ &= \frac{2(\eta_2 / \cos \theta_i)}{(\eta_2 / \cos \theta_i) + (\eta_1 / \cos \theta_i)}. \end{aligned}$$

$$1 + \Gamma_{\perp} = \tau_{\perp}$$

When $\theta_i = 0, \theta_r = \theta_t = 0$
 → reduce to normal incidence

If medium 2 is a perfect conductor, $\eta_2=0$

$$\begin{aligned}\Gamma_{\perp} &= \frac{E_{r0}}{E_{i0}} = \frac{\eta_2 \cos \theta_i - \eta_1 \cos \theta_t}{\eta_2 \cos \theta_i + \eta_1 \cos \theta_t} \\ &= \frac{(\eta_2/\cos \theta_i) - (\eta_1/\cos \theta_i)}{(\eta_2/\cos \theta_i) + (\eta_1/\cos \theta_i)}\end{aligned}$$

$\eta_2=0$

$$\Gamma_{\perp} = -1 \quad (E_{r0} = -E_{i0})$$

$$\begin{aligned}\tau_{\perp} &= \frac{E_{t0}}{E_{i0}} = \frac{2\eta_2 \cos \theta_i}{\eta_2 \cos \theta_i + \eta_1 \cos \theta_t} \\ &= \frac{2(\eta_2/\cos \theta_i)}{(\eta_2/\cos \theta_i) + (\eta_1/\cos \theta_i)}.\end{aligned}$$



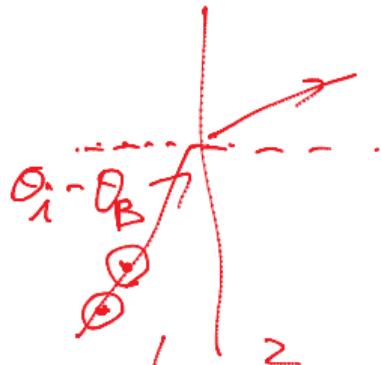
$$\tau_{\perp} = 0 \quad (E_{t0} = 0)$$

E tangential on the surface of conductor = 0.
No energy is transmitted across a perfectly conducting boundary (as was noted).

When reflection = 0 ?

$$\Gamma_{\perp} = \frac{E_{r0}}{E_{i0}} = \frac{\eta_2 \cos \theta_i - \eta_1 \cos \theta_t}{\eta_2 \cos \theta_i + \eta_1 \cos \theta_t}$$

$$= \frac{(\eta_2/\cos \theta_i) - (\eta_1/\cos \theta_i)}{(\eta_2/\cos \theta_i) + (\eta_1/\cos \theta_i)}$$



$$\Gamma_{\perp} = 0$$

Denote the $\theta_i = \theta_{B\perp}$ for no reflection

$$\eta_2 \cos \theta_{B\perp} = \eta_1 \cos \theta_i.$$

Derivation

$$\cos \theta_t = \sqrt{1 - \sin^2 \theta_t} = \sqrt{1 - \frac{n_1^2}{n_2^2} \sin^2 \theta_i}$$

By Snell's law of refraction

$$\sin^2 \theta_{B\perp} = \frac{1 - \mu_1 \epsilon_2 / \mu_2 \epsilon_1}{1 - (\mu_1 / \mu_2)^2}.$$

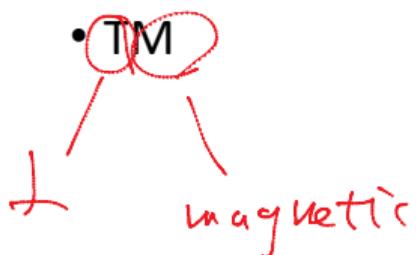
$\theta_{B\perp}$: Brewster angle of no reflection of s-polarization

For nonmagnetic material, $\mu_1 = \mu_2 = \mu_0$, $\theta_{B\perp}$ does not exist.

For materials $\epsilon_1 = \epsilon_2$ and $\mu_1 \neq \mu_2$ (very rare situation), $\theta_{B\perp}$ exists: $\sin \theta_{B\perp} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{1 + (\mu_1 / \mu_2)}}$

8-10.3 Parallel Polarization

- $\mathbf{E} \parallel$ the plane of incidence
- p-polarization



The incident fields

$$\mathbf{E}_i(x, z) = E_{i0}(\mathbf{a}_x \cos \theta_i - \mathbf{a}_z \sin \theta_i) e^{-j\beta_1(x \sin \theta_i + z \cos \theta_i)}$$

$$\mathbf{H}_i(x, z) = \frac{E_{i0}}{\eta_1} \mathbf{a}_y e^{-j\beta_1(x \sin \theta_i + z \cos \theta_i)}$$

polarization

propagation

$$\mathbf{H}(\mathbf{R}) = \frac{1}{\eta} \mathbf{a}_n \times \mathbf{E}(\mathbf{R})$$

$\tilde{\mathbf{E}} = -j\hat{\mathbf{a}}_n \times \tilde{\mathbf{H}}$
method 1

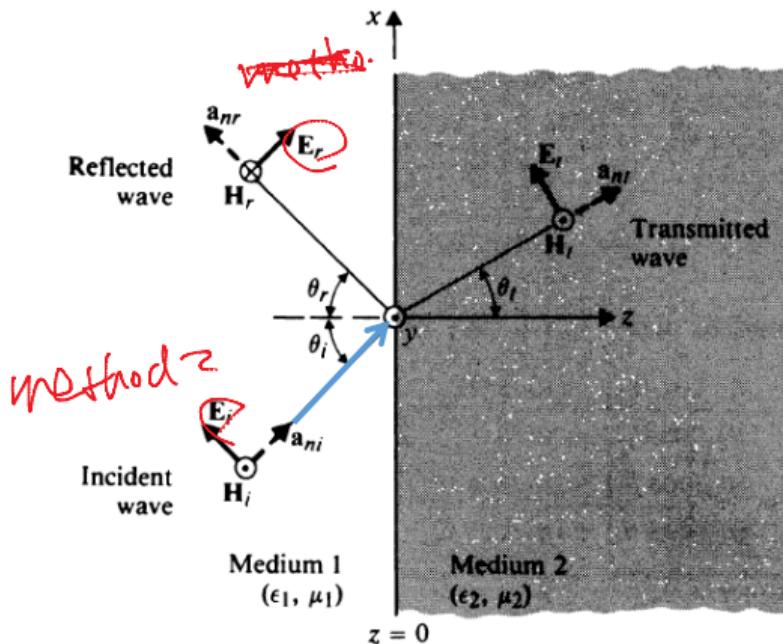


FIGURE 8–21

Plane wave incident obliquely on a plane dielectric boundary (parallel polarization).

The reflected fields

$$\mathbf{E}_r(x, z) = E_{r0}(\mathbf{a}_x \cos \theta_r + \mathbf{a}_z \sin \theta_r) e^{-j\beta_1(x \sin \theta_r - z \cos \theta_r)},$$

$$\mathbf{H}_r(x, z) = -\frac{\mathbf{a}_y}{\eta_1} e^{-j\beta_1(x \sin \theta_r - z \cos \theta_r)}.$$

polarization

propagation

$$\mathbf{H}(\mathbf{R}) = \frac{1}{\eta} \mathbf{a}_n \times \mathbf{E}(\mathbf{R})$$

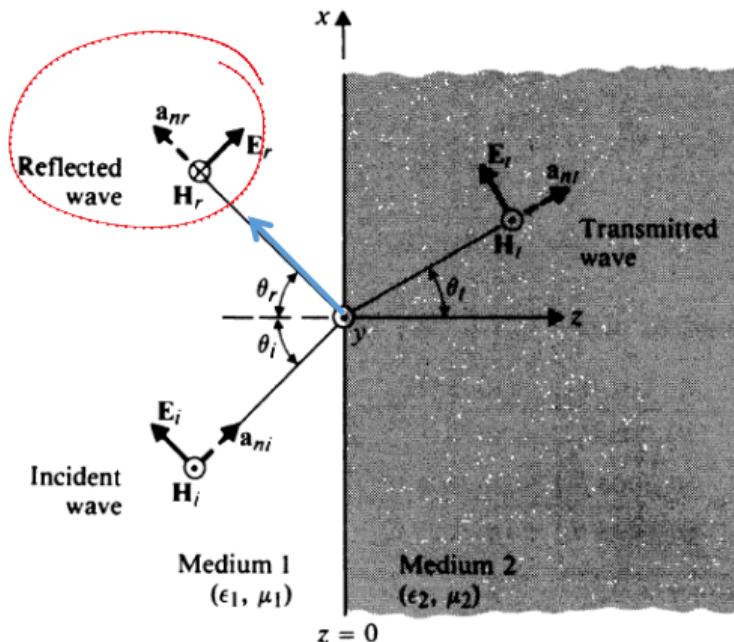


FIGURE 8–21

Plane wave incident obliquely on a plane dielectric boundary (parallel polarization).

The transmitted fields

$$\mathbf{E}_t(x, z) = E_{t0}(\mathbf{a}_x \cos \theta_t - \mathbf{a}_z \sin \theta_t) e^{-j\beta_2(x \sin \theta_t + z \cos \theta_t)},$$

$$\mathbf{H}_t(x, z) = \mathbf{a}_y \frac{E_{t0}}{\eta_2} e^{-j\beta_2(x \sin \theta_t + z \cos \theta_t)}.$$

polarization

propagation

$$\mathbf{H}(\mathbf{R}) = \frac{1}{\eta} \mathbf{a}_n \times \mathbf{E}(\mathbf{R})$$

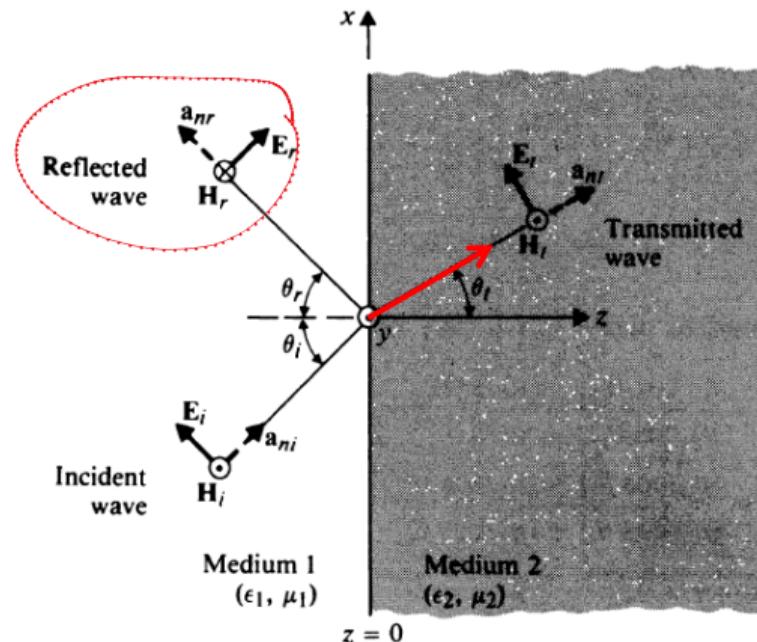


FIGURE 8–21

Plane wave incident obliquely on a plane dielectric boundary (parallel polarization).

$$\mathbf{E}_i(x, z) = E_{i0}(\mathbf{a}_x \cos \theta_i - \mathbf{a}_z \sin \theta_i) e^{-j\beta_1(x \sin \theta_i + z \cos \theta_i)}$$

$$\mathbf{H}_i(x, z) = \mathbf{a}_y \frac{E_{i0}}{\eta_1} e^{-j\beta_1(x \sin \theta_i + z \cos \theta_i)}$$

$$\mathbf{E}_r(x, z) = E_{r0}(\mathbf{a}_x \cos \theta_r + \mathbf{a}_z \sin \theta_r) e^{-j\beta_1(x \sin \theta_r - z \cos \theta_r)},$$

$$\mathbf{H}_r(x, z) = -\mathbf{a}_y \frac{E_{r0}}{\eta_1} e^{-j\beta_1(x \sin \theta_r - z \cos \theta_r)}.$$

$$\mathbf{E}_t(x, z) = E_{t0}(\mathbf{a}_x \cos \theta_t - \mathbf{a}_z \sin \theta_t) e^{-j\beta_2(x \sin \theta_t + z \cos \theta_t)},$$

$$\mathbf{H}_t(x, z) = \mathbf{a}_y \frac{E_{t0}}{\eta_2} e^{-j\beta_2(x \sin \theta_t + z \cos \theta_t)}.$$

Tangential **E** and **H** should be continuous at $z = 0$



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$$(E_{i0} + E_{r0}) \cos \theta_i = E_{t0} \cos \theta_t,$$

$$\frac{1}{\eta_1} (E_{i0} - E_{r0}) = \frac{1}{\eta_2} E_{t0}.$$

$$(E_{i0} + E_{r0}) \cos \theta_i = E_{t0} \cos \theta_t,$$

$$\frac{1}{\eta_1} (E_{i0} - E_{r0}) = \frac{1}{\eta_2} E_{t0}.$$



Express E_{r0} and E_{t0}

$$\Gamma_{||} = \frac{E_{r0}}{E_{i0}} = \frac{\eta_2 \cos \theta_t - \eta_1 \cos \theta_i}{\eta_2 \cos \theta_t + \eta_1 \cos \theta_i}$$

Fresnel's equations

$$\tau_{||} = \frac{E_{t0}}{E_{i0}} = \frac{2\eta_2 \cos \theta_i}{\eta_2 \cos \theta_t + \eta_1 \cos \theta_i}.$$

$$1 + \Gamma_{||} = \tau_{||} \left(\frac{\cos \theta_t}{\cos \theta_i} \right).$$

Different from the case in s-polarization

$$1 + \Gamma_{\perp} = \tau_{\perp},$$

When $\theta_i = 0, \theta_r = \theta_t = 0$

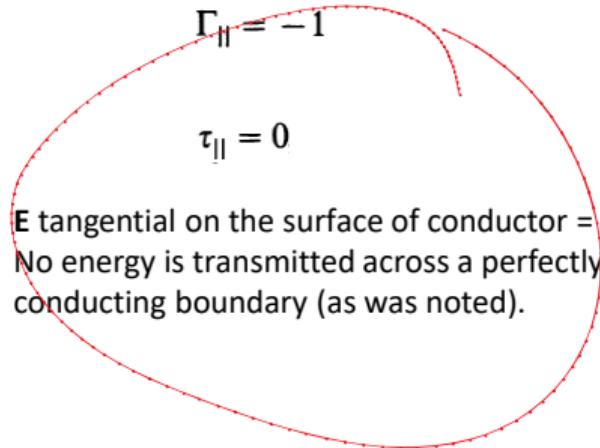
→ reduce to normal incidence

If medium 2 is a perfect conductor, $\eta_2=0$

$$\Gamma_{||} = \frac{E_{r0}}{E_{i0}} = \frac{\eta_2 \cos \theta_t - \eta_1 \cos \theta_i}{\eta_2 \cos \theta_t + \eta_1 \cos \theta_i}$$

$$\tau_{||} = \frac{E_{t0}}{E_{i0}} = \frac{2\eta_2 \cos \theta_i}{\eta_2 \cos \theta_t + \eta_1 \cos \theta_i}.$$

$$\eta_2=0$$

E tangential on the surface of conductor = 0.
No energy is transmitted across a perfectly conducting boundary (as was noted).

When is reflection = 0 ?

$$\Gamma_{||} = \frac{E_{r0}}{E_{i0}} = \frac{\eta_2 \cos \theta_t - \eta_1 \cos \theta_i}{\eta_2 \cos \theta_t + \eta_1 \cos \theta_i}$$



$$\Gamma_{||} = 0$$

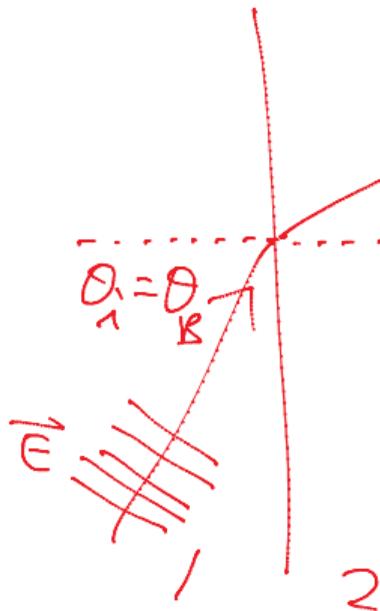
Denote the $\theta_i = \theta_{B||}$ for no reflection

$$\eta_2 \cos \theta_t = \eta_1 \cos \theta_{B||},$$

Derivation

$$\cos \theta_t = \sqrt{1 - \sin^2 \theta_t} = \sqrt{1 - \frac{n_1^2}{n_2^2} \sin^2 \theta_i}$$

By Snell's law of refraction



$\theta_{B\perp}$

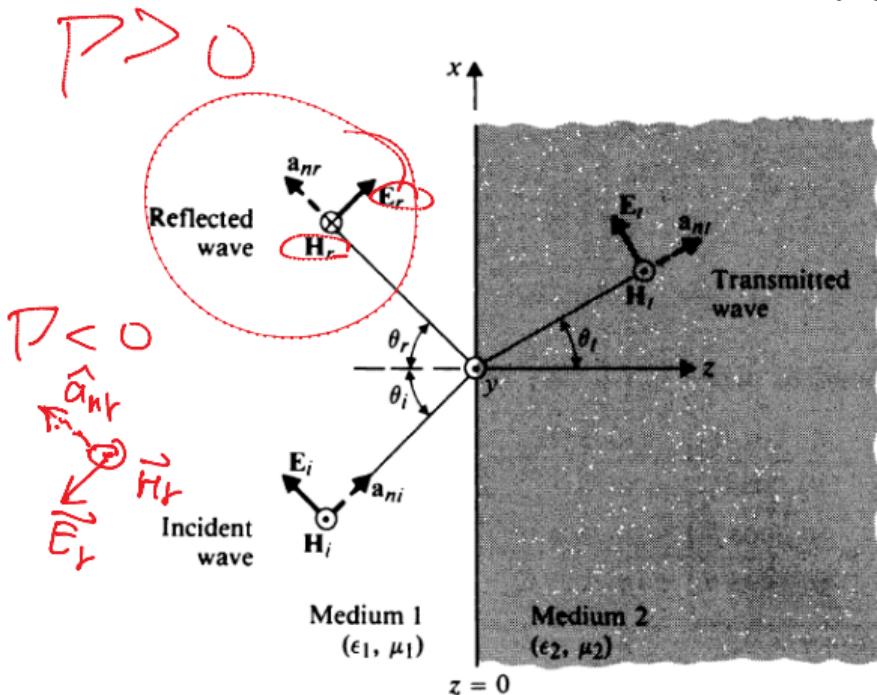
$$\boxed{\sin^2 \theta_{B||} = \frac{1 - \mu_2 \epsilon_1 / \mu_1 \epsilon_2}{1 - (\epsilon_1 / \epsilon_2)^2}}$$

$\theta_{B||}$: Brewster angle of no reflection of p-polarization

$\theta_{B||}$

Directions of \mathbf{E}_r , \mathbf{H}_r in figures 8-11, 8-13, 8-20, and 8-21 are chosen arbitrarily.
The actual directions depend on the **sign** of the expression.

- In Figs. 8-11 and 8-13, actual directions of \mathbf{E}_r , \mathbf{H}_r are opposite to those chosen because $E_{r0} = -E_{i0}$
- In Figs. 8-20 and 8-21, actual directions of \mathbf{E}_r , \mathbf{H}_r depends on the sign of Γ_{\perp} and $\Gamma_{||}$, respectively



$$\mathbf{E}_r(x, z) = E_{r0}(\mathbf{a}_x \cos \theta_r + \mathbf{a}_z \sin \theta_r)e^{-j\beta_1(x \sin \theta_r - z \cos \theta_r)},$$

$$\mathbf{H}_r(x, z) = -\mathbf{a}_y \frac{E_{r0}}{\eta_1} e^{-j\beta_1(x \sin \theta_r - z \cos \theta_r)}.$$

$$\Gamma_{||} = \frac{E_{r0}}{E_{i0}} = \frac{\eta_2 \cos \theta_t - \eta_1 \cos \theta_i}{\eta_2 \cos \theta_t + \eta_1 \cos \theta_i}$$

- If $\Gamma_{||} > 0$, \mathbf{H}_r is in $-\mathbf{a}_y$ direction (same as shown in figure)
- If $\Gamma_{||} < 0$, \mathbf{H}_r is in $+\mathbf{a}_y$ direction (opposite to that shown in figure)

FIGURE 8-21

Plane wave incident obliquely on a plane dielectric boundary (parallel polarization).

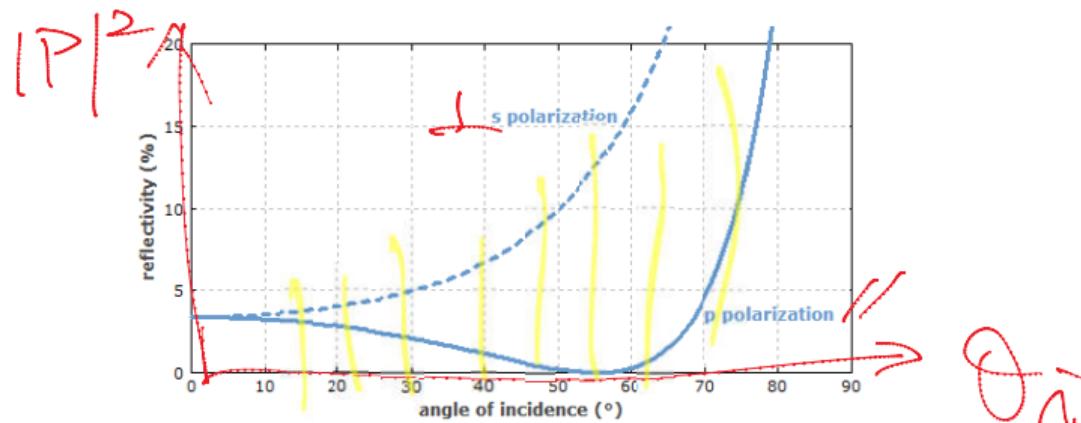
Comparison of $|\Gamma_{\perp}|^2$ and $|\Gamma_{||}|^2$

$$\Gamma_{\perp} = \frac{E_{r0}}{E_{i0}} = \frac{(\eta_2/\cos \theta_t) - (\eta_1/\cos \theta_i)}{(\eta_2/\cos \theta_t) + (\eta_1/\cos \theta_i)}$$

$$\Gamma_{||} = \frac{E_{r0}}{E_{i0}} = \frac{\eta_2 \cos \theta_t - \eta_1 \cos \theta_i}{\eta_2 \cos \theta_t + \eta_1 \cos \theta_i}$$

$|\Gamma_{\perp}|^2$ is always larger than $|\Gamma_{||}|^2$

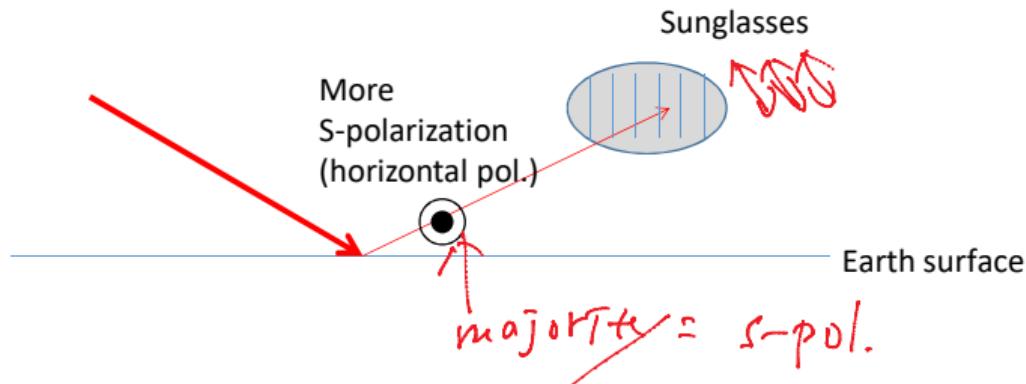
→ When an unpolarized light strikes a plane dielectric interface, the reflected wave will contain **more power in s-polarization** than p-polarization.



$$\begin{aligned}\mu_1 &= \mu_2 = \mu_0 \\ n_1 &= 1 \\ n_2 &= 1.45\end{aligned}$$

Power reflectivity of the interface for s and p polarization, if a beam is incident from air onto a medium with refractive index 1.45 (e.g., silica at 1064 nm).

Polaroid Sunglasses



The light reaching the eye is predominately s-polarization
(i.e., $\mathbf{E} \perp$ plane of reflection, or \mathbf{E} field is parallel to the earth surface)

Polaroid sunglasses (a polarizer) are designed to filter out this component \mathbf{E}_{\perp} .
As a result, a dim light of \mathbf{E}_{\parallel} will penetrate into the sunglasses.

For materials $\mu_1 = \mu_2$, $\theta_{B||}$:

$$\sin \theta_{B||} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{1 + (\epsilon_1/\epsilon_2)}}. \quad (\mu_1 = \mu_2)$$

or

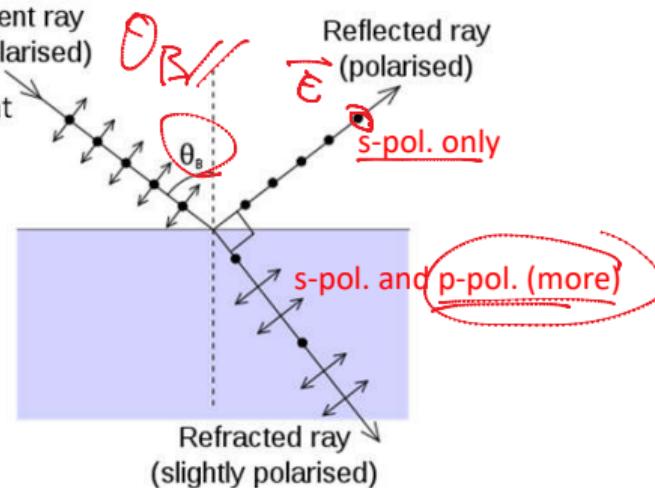
$$\theta_{B||} = \tan^{-1} \sqrt{\frac{\epsilon_2}{\epsilon_1}} = \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{n_2}{n_1} \right). \quad (\mu_1 = \mu_2)$$

Because of different formulas for Brewster angles for s- and p-polarization, it is possible to separate these 2 types of polarizations from an unpolarized light.

E.g.,

Light is incident at angle $\theta_{B||}$

→ no p-polarization component in the reflected light
or **only s-polarization** in the reflected light



(a) nonmagnetic. $\theta_{B,\parallel} = \sin^{-1} \frac{1}{\sqrt{1 + \frac{\epsilon_2}{\epsilon_1}}} = \dots = 33.6^\circ$

$$\epsilon_1 = \epsilon_0 \cdot 1$$

$$\epsilon_2 = \epsilon_0 \cdot 80$$

$$\epsilon_{T,\perp}$$

EXAMPLE 8-15 The dielectric constant of pure water is 80. (a) Determine the Brewster angle for parallel polarization, $\theta_{B,\parallel}$, and the corresponding angle of transmission. (b) A plane wave with perpendicular polarization is incident from air on water surface at $\theta_i = \theta_{B,\parallel}$. Find the reflection and transmission coefficients.

(b)

$$P_\perp = \frac{r_2/\omega_0 \epsilon - r_1 \cos \theta_{B,\parallel}}{r_2/\omega_0 \epsilon + r_1 \cos \theta_{B,\parallel}} \leftarrow (a)$$

$$T_\perp = \text{_____}$$

$$r_1 = 120\pi$$

$$r_2 = \sqrt{\frac{\mu_2}{\epsilon_2}} = \sqrt{\frac{\mu_0}{\epsilon_0 \cdot \rho_0}} = \frac{120\pi}{\sqrt{80}}$$