

## 2.2 N element Linear array

### Module:2 Linear and Planar Arrays

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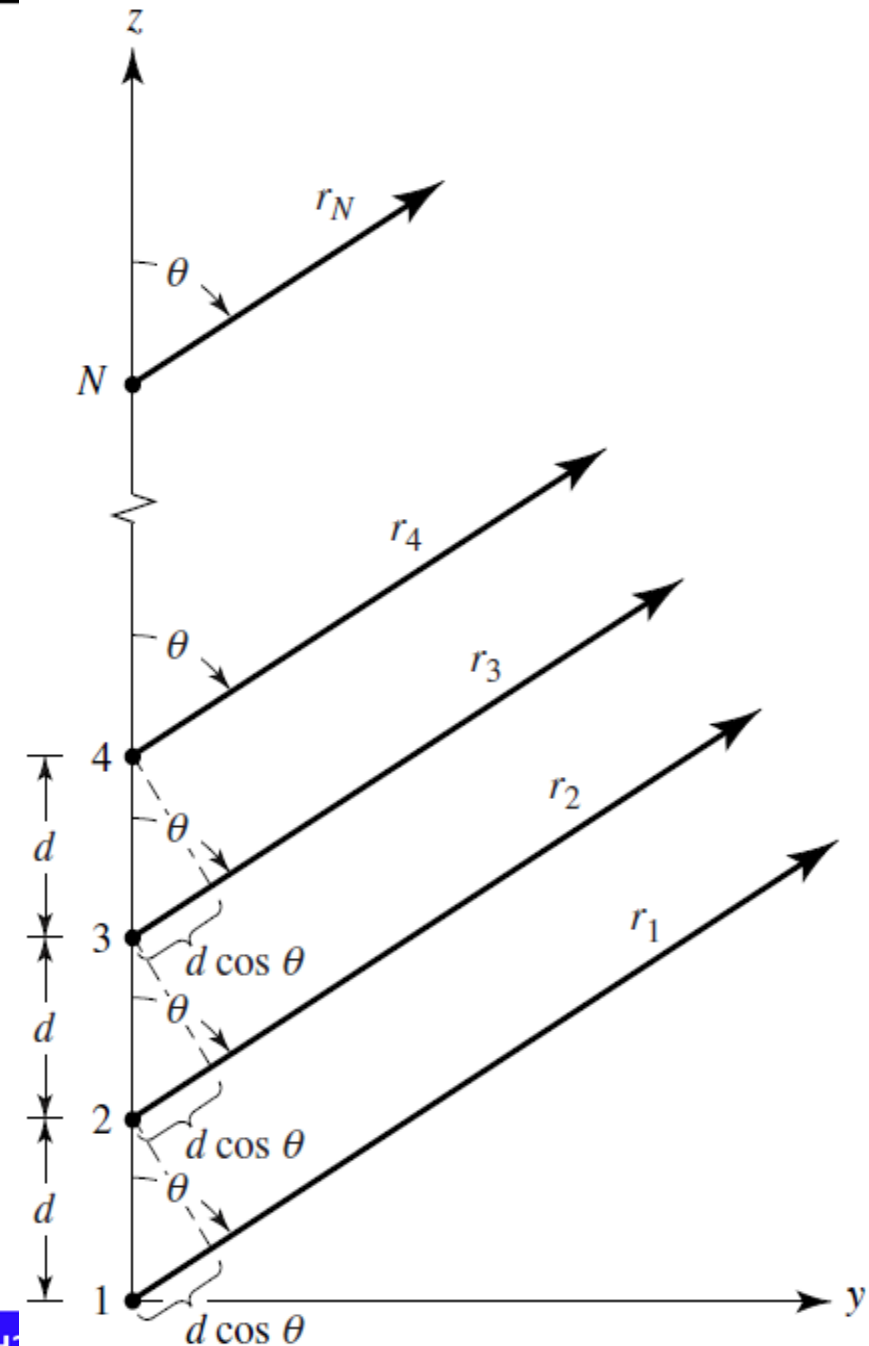
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- Two element array, N-element linear array - broadside array, End fire array - Directivity, radiation pattern, pattern multiplication. Non-uniform excitation - Binomial, Chebyshev distribution, Arrays: Planar array, circular array, Phased Array antenna (Qualitative study).
- Source of the contents: Constantine A. Balanis - Antenna theory analysis and design (2016)

# 1. N element linear array

- generalize the method to include  $N$  elements
- assume that all the elements have **identical amplitudes** but **each succeeding element has a  $\beta$  progressive phase lead current excitation relative to the preceding one** ( $\beta$  represents the phase by which the current in each element leads the current of the preceding element).
- *An array of identical elements all of identical magnitude and each with a progressive phase is referred to as a **uniform array**.*



# 1. N element linear array

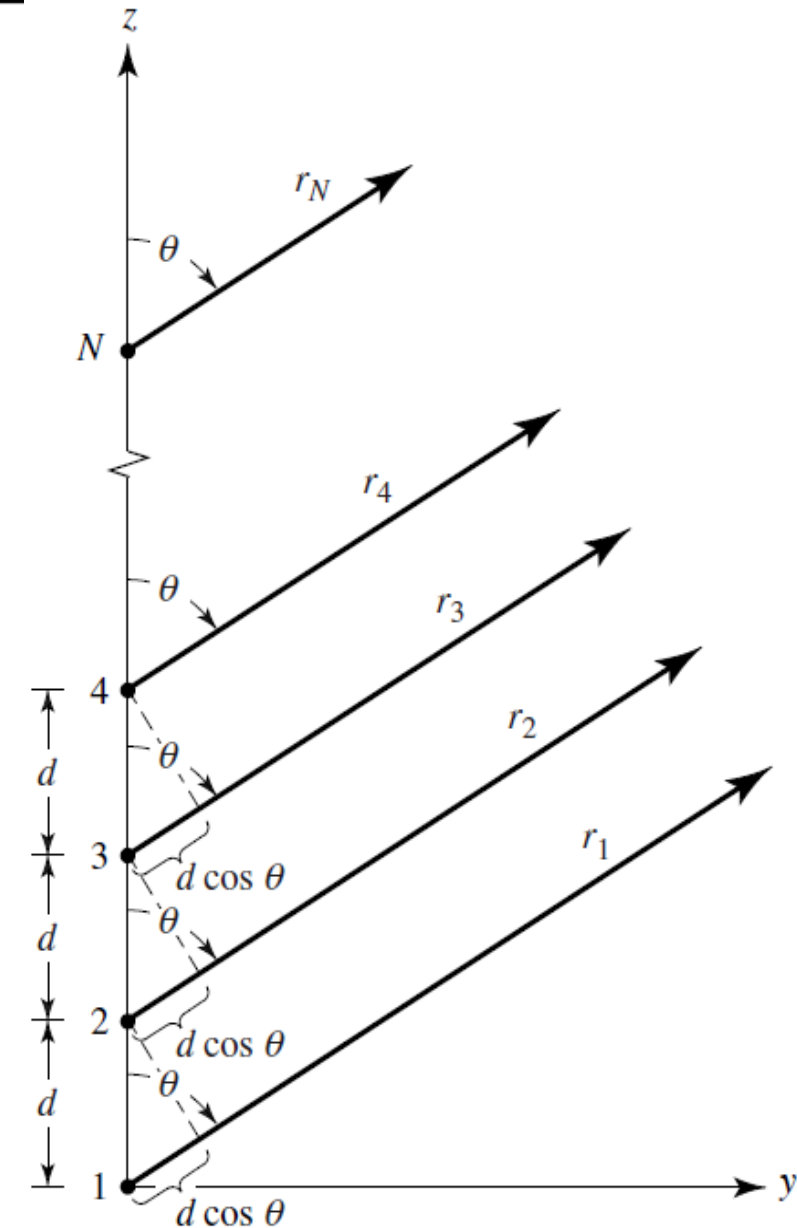
- array factor can be obtained by considering the elements to be point sources.
- If the actual elements are not isotropic sources, the **total field** can be formed by **multiplying the array factor of the isotropic sources by the field of a single element**.
- pattern multiplication rule (it applies only for arrays of identical elements).

$$AF = 1 + e^{+j(kd \cos \theta + \beta)} + e^{+j2(kd \cos \theta + \beta)} + \dots + e^{j(N-1)(kd \cos \theta + \beta)}$$

$$AF = \sum_{n=1}^N e^{j(n-1)(kd \cos \theta + \beta)}$$

$$AF = \sum_{n=1}^N e^{j(n-1)\psi}$$

where  $\psi = kd \cos \theta + \beta$

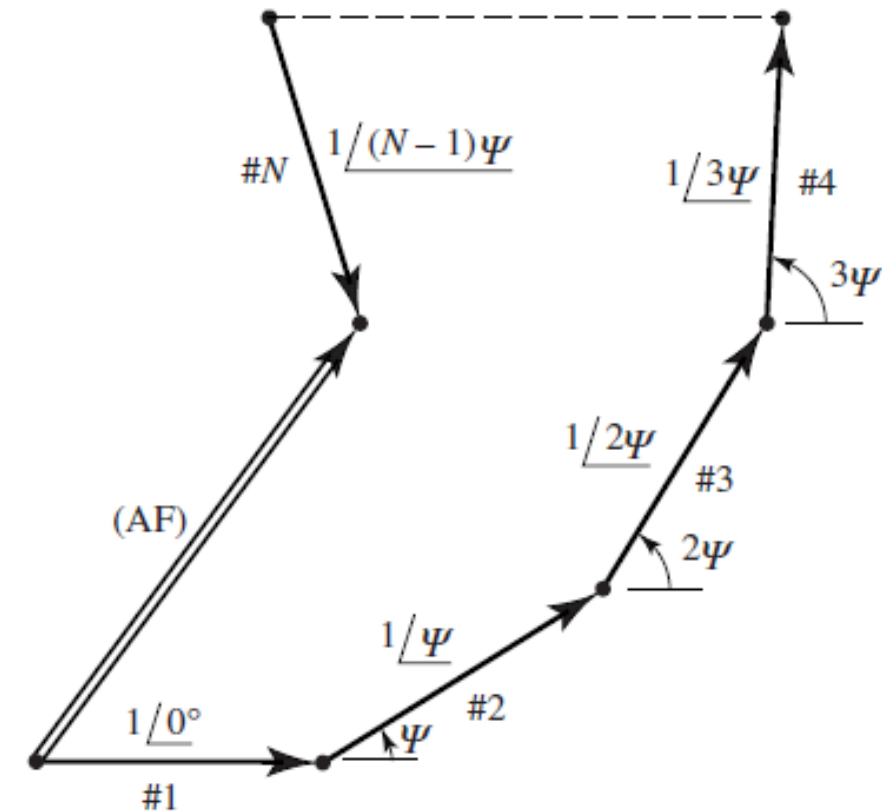


# 1. N element linear array

$$AF = \sum_{n=1}^N e^{j(n-1)\psi}$$

$$\text{where } \psi = kd \cos \theta + \beta$$

- Contribution of every element (with phase shifts) towards observation point
- total array factor for the uniform array is a summation of exponentials, it can be represented by the vector sum of  $N$  phasors each of unit amplitude and **progressive phase  $\psi$  relative to the previous one**
- the amplitude and phase of the AF can be controlled in uniform arrays by properly selecting the **relative phase  $\psi$  between the elements**;
- in nonuniform arrays, the amplitude as well as the phase can be used to control the formation and distribution of the total array factor.



(b) Phasor diagram

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$$AF = \sum_{n=1}^N e^{j(n-1)\psi}$$

$$\text{where } \psi = kd \cos \theta + \beta$$

- Multiplying both sides by  $e^{j\psi}$

$$(AF)e^{j\psi} = e^{j\psi} + e^{j2\psi} + e^{j3\psi} + \dots + e^{j(N-1)\psi} + e^{jN\psi}$$

- Subtracting AF from eqn above

$$AF(e^{j\psi} - 1) = (-1 + e^{jN\psi}) \quad AF = \left[ \frac{e^{jN\psi} - 1}{e^{j\psi} - 1} \right] = e^{j[(N-1)/2]\psi} \left[ \frac{e^{j(N/2)\psi} - e^{-j(N/2)\psi}}{e^{j(1/2)\psi} - e^{-j(1/2)\psi}} \right]$$

- If the reference point is the physical center of the array,

$$AF = \left[ \frac{\sin\left(\frac{N}{2}\psi\right)}{\sin\left(\frac{1}{2}\psi\right)} \right] \quad = e^{j[(N-1)/2]\psi} \left[ \frac{\sin\left(\frac{N}{2}\psi\right)}{\sin\left(\frac{1}{2}\psi\right)} \right]$$

$$AF \simeq \left[ \frac{\sin\left(\frac{N}{2}\psi\right)}{\frac{\psi}{2}} \right]$$

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•  $AF = \left[ \frac{\sin\left(\frac{N}{2}\psi\right)}{\sin\left(\frac{1}{2}\psi\right)} \right]$  For small values of  $\psi$ ,  $AF \simeq \left[ \frac{\sin\left(\frac{N}{2}\psi\right)}{\frac{\psi}{2}} \right]$

- The max value of AF is N. hence, when normalized:

$$(AF)_n = \frac{1}{N} \left[ \frac{\sin\left(\frac{N}{2}\psi\right)}{\sin\left(\frac{1}{2}\psi\right)} \right] \quad \text{for small values of } \psi$$

$$(AF)_n \simeq \left[ \frac{\sin\left(\frac{N}{2}\psi\right)}{\frac{N}{2}\psi} \right]$$

$$f_N(x) = \left| \frac{\sin(Nx)}{N \sin(x)} \right| \quad N = 1, 3, 5, 10, 20$$

$$f(x) = \frac{\sin(x)}{x}$$

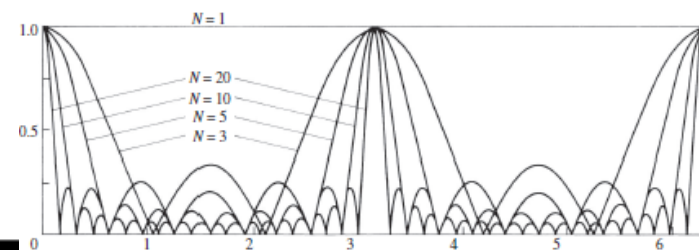
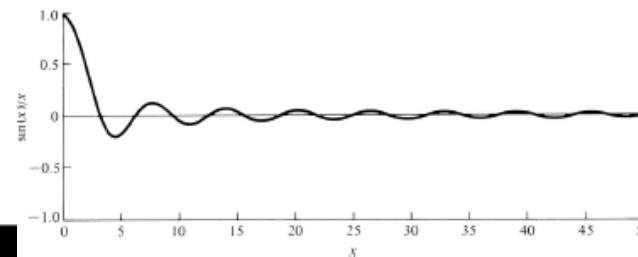


Figure II.1 Curves of  $|\sin(Nx)/N \sin(x)|$  function.



# 1. N element linear array

- **To find null**, equate  $(AF)_n = 0$

$$AF = \sum_{n=1}^N e^{j(n-1)\psi}$$

where  $\psi = kd \cos \theta + \beta$

$$(AF)_n = \frac{1}{N} \left[ \frac{\sin\left(\frac{N}{2}\psi\right)}{\sin\left(\frac{1}{2}\psi\right)} \right]$$

$$(AF)_n \simeq \left[ \frac{\sin\left(\frac{N}{2}\psi\right)}{\frac{N}{2}\psi} \right]$$

$$\sin\left(\frac{N}{2}\psi\right) = 0 \Rightarrow \frac{N}{2}\psi|_{\theta=\theta_n} = \pm n\pi \Rightarrow \theta_n = \cos^{-1} \left[ \frac{\lambda}{2\pi d} \left( -\beta \pm \frac{2n\pi}{N} \right) \right]$$

$n = 1, 2, 3, \dots$   
 $n \neq N, 2N, 3N, \dots$  with (6-10c)

$$\psi_{\theta_n} = \pm \frac{2n\pi}{N} = kd \cos \theta_n + \beta$$

$$\cos \theta_n = \frac{1}{kd} \left( -\beta \pm \frac{2n\pi}{N} \right) = \frac{\lambda}{2\pi d} \left( -\beta \pm \frac{2n\pi}{N} \right) \quad \text{This value should be } \leq 1$$

- At  $n=N$ ,  $(AF)_n = 1$  due to  $\sin(0)/0$  format. The values of  $n$  determine the order of the nulls (first, second, etc.). Thus the number of nulls that can exist will be a function of the element separation  $d$  and the phase excitation difference  $\beta$



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- To find maximum values,  $(AF)_n = 1$

when  $\psi$  is small, AF has maxima at  $m = 0$

$$\frac{\psi}{2} = \frac{1}{2}(kd \cos \theta + \beta)|_{\theta=\theta_m} = \pm m\pi \Rightarrow \theta_m = \cos^{-1} \left[ \frac{\lambda}{2\pi d}(-\beta \pm 2m\pi) \right]$$

$$\theta_m = \cos^{-1} \left( \frac{\lambda \beta}{2\pi d} \right)$$

which is the observation angle that makes  $\psi = 0$ .

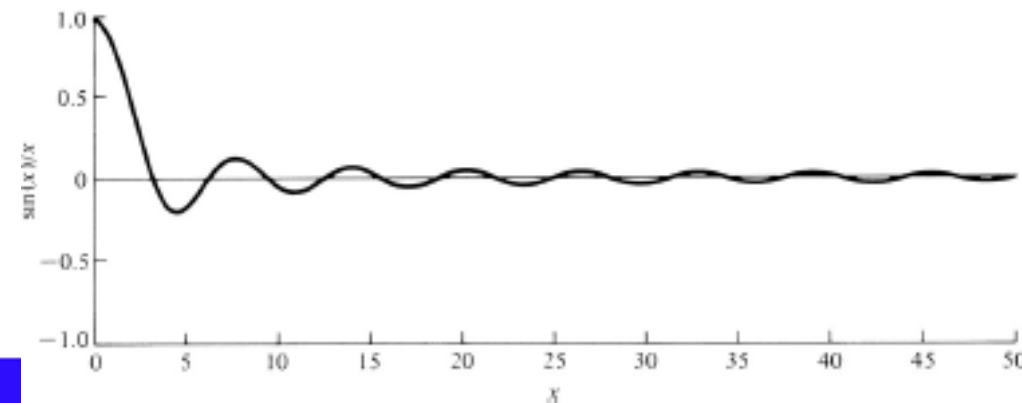
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$$(AF)_n = \frac{1}{N} \left[ \frac{\sin \left( \frac{N}{2} \psi \right)}{\sin \left( \frac{1}{2} \psi \right)} \right]$$

$$(AF)_n \simeq \left[ \frac{\sin \left( \frac{N}{2} \psi \right)}{\frac{N}{2} \psi} \right]$$

$$f(x) = \frac{\sin(x)}{x}$$



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- To find 3-dB point for the array factor,

$$(AF)_n = \frac{1}{N} \left[ \frac{\sin\left(\frac{N}{2}\psi\right)}{\sin\left(\frac{1}{2}\psi\right)} \right] \quad \frac{N}{2}\psi = \frac{N}{2}(kd \cos \theta + \beta)|_{\theta=\theta_h} = \pm 1.391$$

$$\Rightarrow \theta_h = \cos^{-1} \left[ \frac{\lambda}{2\pi d} \left( -\beta \pm \frac{2.782}{N} \right) \right]$$

Or  $\theta_h = \frac{\pi}{2} - \sin^{-1} \left[ \frac{\lambda}{2\pi d} \left( -\beta \pm \frac{2.782}{N} \right) \right]$

large values of  $d$  ( $d \gg \lambda$ ), it reduces to

$$\theta_h \simeq \left[ \frac{\pi}{2} - \frac{\lambda}{2\pi d} \left( -\beta \pm \frac{2.782}{N} \right) \right]$$

$$AF = \sum_{n=1}^N e^{j(n-1)\psi}$$

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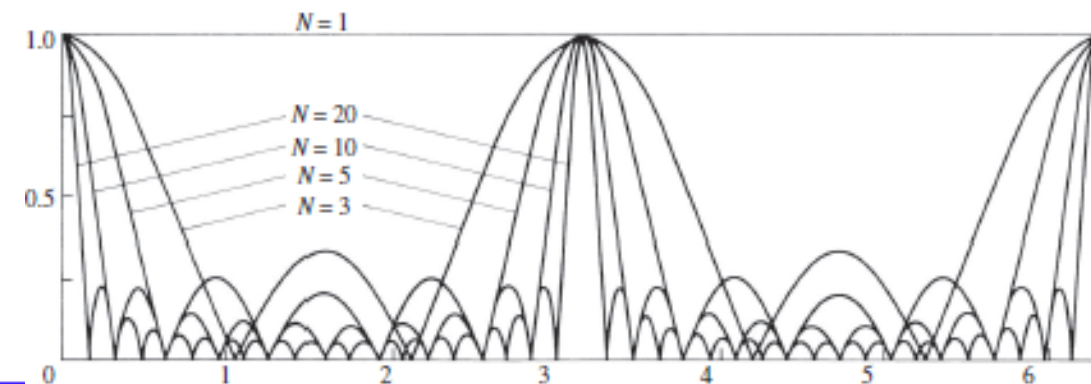


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$$AF = \sum_{n=1}^N e^{j(n-1)\psi} \quad \text{where } \psi = kd \cos \theta + \beta$$

To find HPBW for the array factor,

- half-power beamwidth  $\Theta_h$  can be found once the angles of the first maximum  $\Theta_h = 2|\theta_m - \theta_h|$  ; half-power point ( $\theta_h$ ) are determined.

$$(AF)_n = \frac{1}{N} \left[ \frac{\sin\left(\frac{N}{2}\psi\right)}{\sin\left(\frac{1}{2}\psi\right)} \right] \quad (AF)_n \simeq \left[ \frac{\sin\left(\frac{N}{2}\psi\right)}{\frac{N}{2}\psi} \right]$$

# 1. N element linear array

- **To find secondary maxima (maxima of minor lobes),**  
Numerator appears to be maximum

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where  $\psi = kd \cos \theta + \beta$

$$(AF)_n \simeq \left[ \frac{\sin\left(\frac{N}{2}\psi\right)}{\frac{N}{2}\psi} \right]$$

$$\sin\left(\frac{N}{2}\psi\right) = \sin\left[\frac{N}{2}(kd \cos \theta + \beta)\right] |_{\theta=\theta_s} \simeq \pm 1 \Rightarrow \frac{N}{2}(kd \cos \theta + \beta) |_{\theta=\theta_s}$$

$$\simeq \pm \left(\frac{2s+1}{2}\right) \pi \Rightarrow \theta_s \simeq \cos^{-1} \left\{ \frac{\lambda}{2\pi d} \left[ -\beta \pm \left(\frac{2s+1}{N}\right) \pi \right] \right\}$$

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$$\psi = kd \cos \theta + \beta \quad s = 1, 2, 3, \dots$$

$$\theta_s \simeq \frac{\pi}{2} - \sin^{-1} \left\{ \frac{\lambda}{2\pi d} \left[ -\beta \pm \left(\frac{2s+1}{N}\right) \pi \right] \right\}, \quad s = 1, 2, 3, \dots$$

large values of  $d(d \gg \lambda)$

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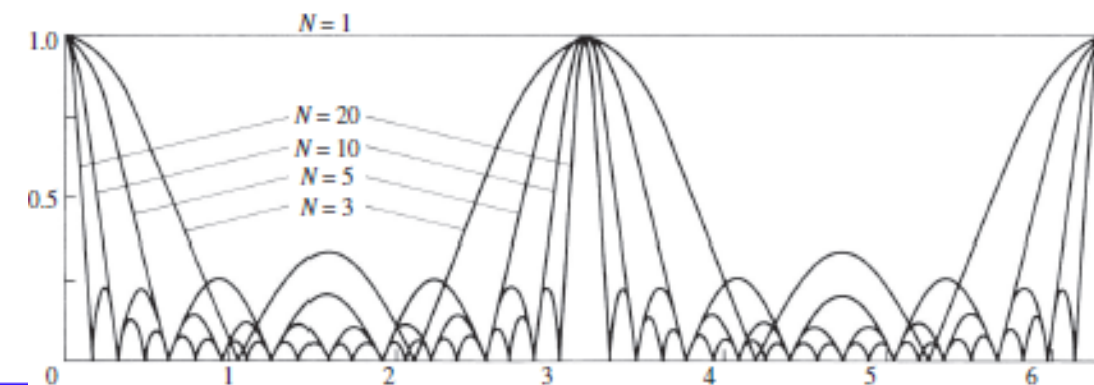


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- AF magnitude gets updated as

$$f_N(x) = \left| \frac{\sin(Nx)}{N \sin(x)} \right| \quad N = 1, 3, 5, 10, 20$$

$$(AF)_n \simeq \left[ \frac{\sin\left(\frac{N}{2}\psi\right)}{\frac{N}{2}\psi} \right]_{\theta=\theta_s, s=1} = \frac{2}{3\pi} = 0.212$$

In dB:

$$(AF)_n = 20 \log_{10} \left( \frac{2}{3\pi} \right) = -13.46 \text{ dB}$$

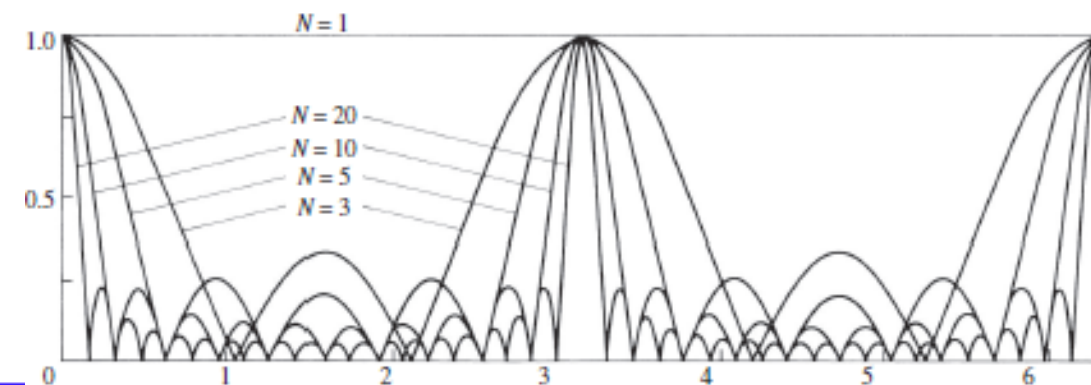


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- **To find secondary maxima (maxima of minor lobes),** maximum of the first minor lobe of AF when  $\psi$  is small

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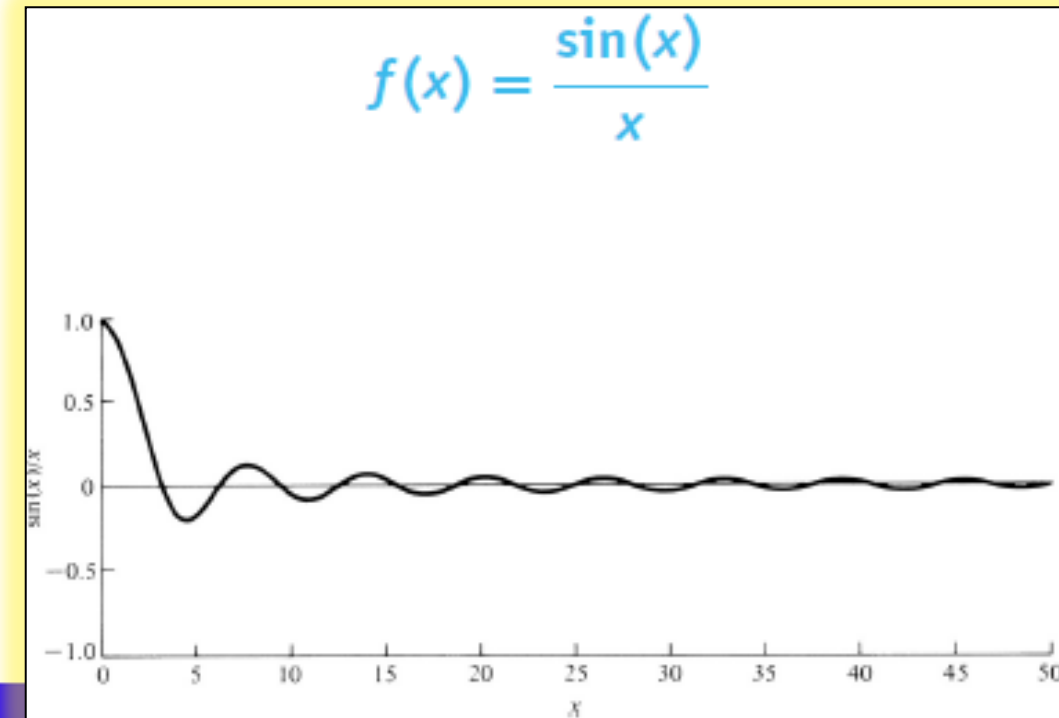
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$$(AF)_n \simeq \left[ \frac{\sin\left(\frac{N}{2}\psi\right)}{\frac{N}{2}\psi} \right]$$

$$\frac{N}{2}\psi = \frac{N}{2}(kd \cos \theta + \beta)|_{\theta=\theta_s} \simeq \pm \left( \frac{3\pi}{2} \right)$$

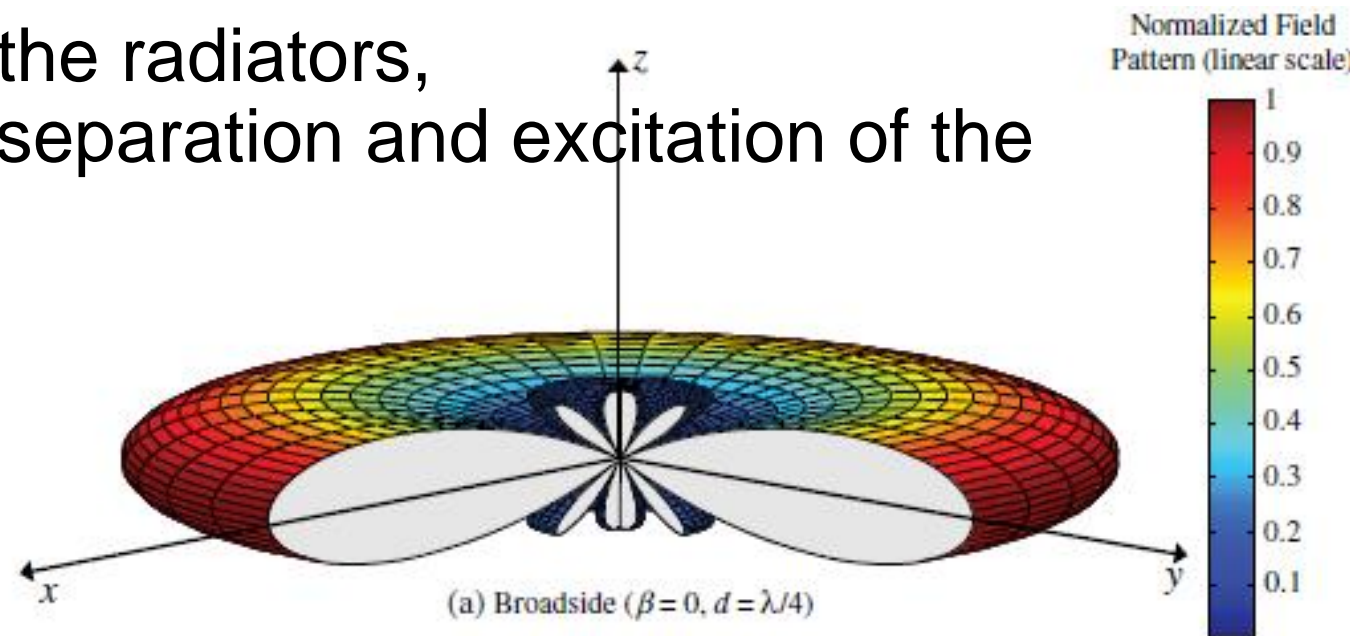
$$\theta_s = \cos^{-1} \left\{ \frac{\lambda}{2\pi d} \left[ -\beta \pm \frac{3\pi}{N} \right] \right\}$$





## 2. Broad side array

- In many applications it is desirable to have the maximum radiation of an array directed normal to the axis of the array [broadside;  $\theta_0 = 90^\circ$ ]
- the maxima of the single element and of the array factor should both be directed toward  $\theta_0 = 90^\circ$ .
- requirements of
  - a) single elements : choice of the radiators,
  - b) array factor: by the proper separation and excitation of the individual radiators.
- array factor to “radiate” efficiently broadside



## 2. Broad side array

$$(AF)_n = \frac{1}{N} \left[ \frac{\sin\left(\frac{N}{2}\psi\right)}{\sin\left(\frac{1}{2}\psi\right)} \right]$$

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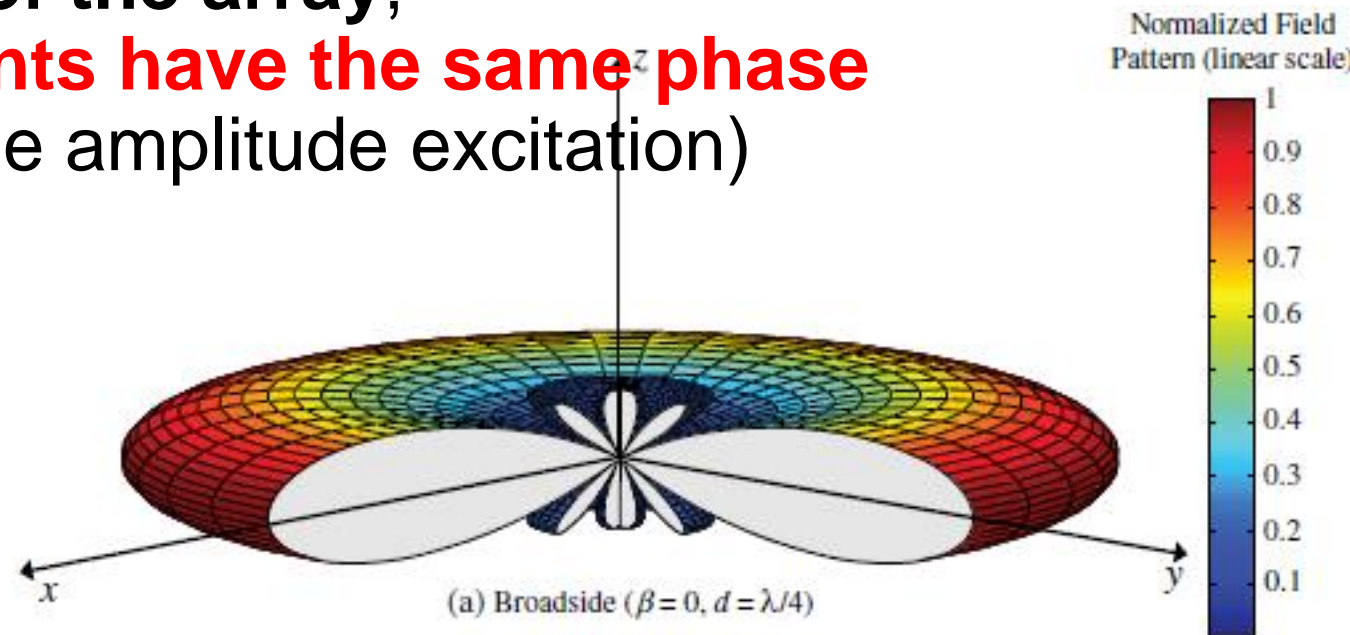
where  $\psi = kd \cos \theta + \beta$

- First maximum of the array factor occurs when  **$\psi$  at first maximum will be**  $\psi = kd \cos \theta + \beta = 0$

- We want it to occur at  $\theta = 90^\circ$

$$\psi = kd \cos \theta + \beta|_{\theta=90^\circ} = \beta = 0$$

- to have the maximum of the array factor of a uniform linear array directed broadside to the axis of the array, it is necessary that **all the elements have the same phase excitation** (in addition to the same amplitude excitation)





## 2. Broad side array

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$$(AF)_n \simeq \left[ \frac{\sin \left( \frac{N}{2} \psi \right)}{\frac{N}{2} \psi} \right]$$

- The separation between the elements can be of any value. To ensure that there are **no principal maxima in other directions**, which are referred to as **grating lobes**, the **separation between the elements should not be equal to multiples of a wavelength** ( $d \neq n\lambda$ ,  $n = 1, 2, 3, \dots$ ) when  $\beta = 0$ .
- If  $d = n\lambda$ ,  $n = 1, 2, 3, \dots$  and  $\beta = 0$ , this makes the array factor attain its maximum value.

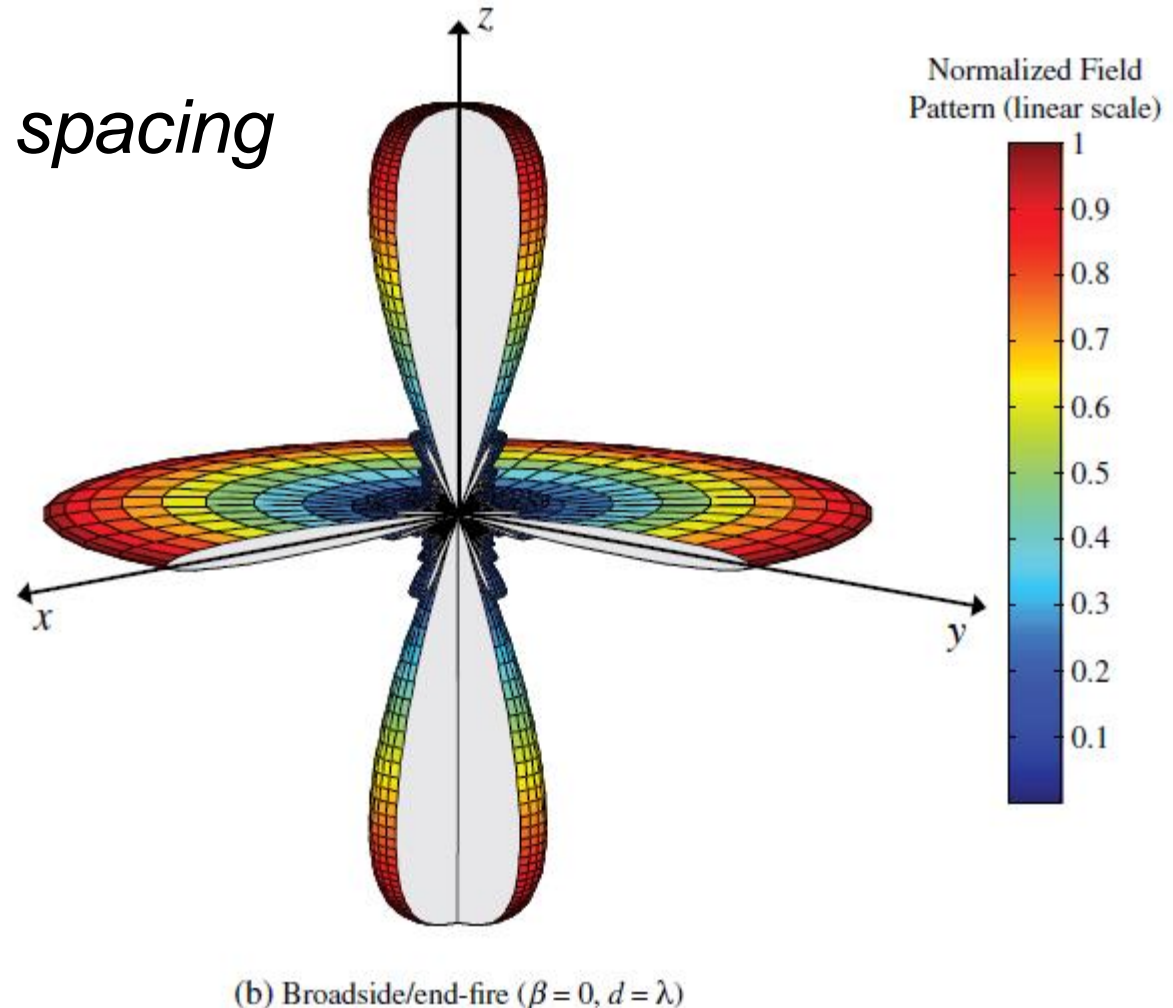
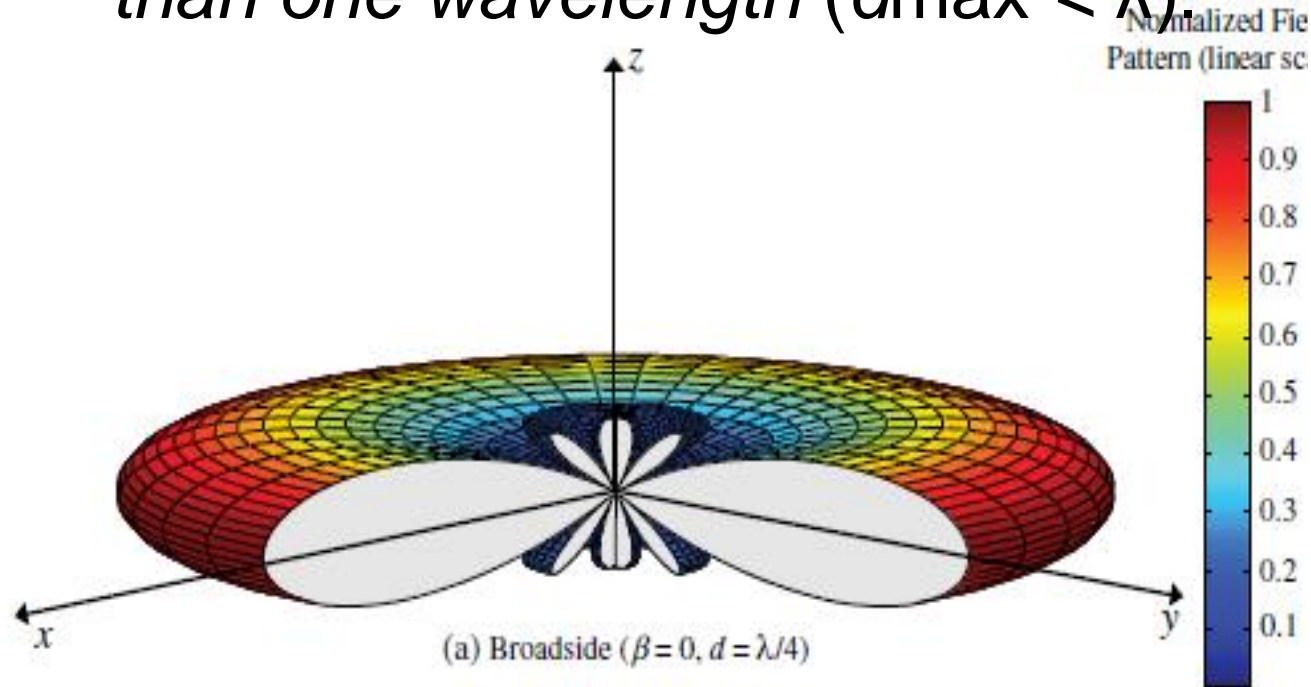
$$\psi = kd \cos \theta + \beta \bigg|_{\substack{d=n\lambda \\ \beta=0 \\ n=1,2,3,\dots}} = 2\pi n \cos \theta \big|_{\theta=0^\circ, 180^\circ} = \pm 2n\pi$$

- Thus for a uniform array with  $\beta = 0$  and  $d = n\lambda$ , in addition to having the maxima of the array factor directed broadside ( $\theta_0 = 90^\circ$ ) to the axis of the array, there are additional maxima directed along the axis ( $\theta_0 = 0^\circ, 180^\circ$ ) of the array (end-fire radiation).

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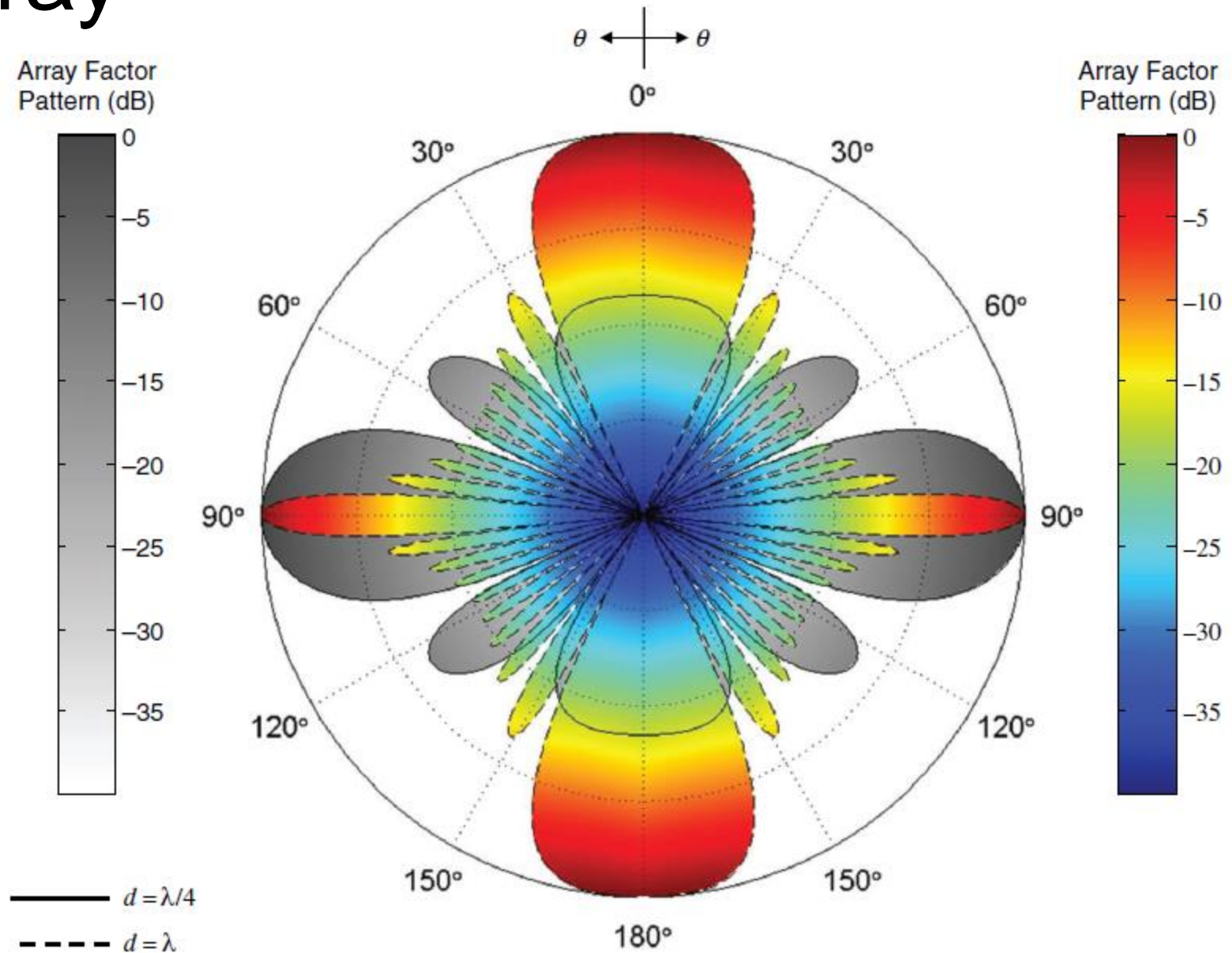
$$(AF)_n = \frac{1}{N} \left[ \frac{\sin\left(\frac{N}{2}\psi\right)}{\sin\left(\frac{1}{2}\psi\right)} \right]$$

- avoid multiple maxima, in addition to the main maximum, which are referred to as *grating lobes*.
- *To avoid any grating lobe, the largest spacing between the elements should be less than one wavelength ( $d_{\max} < \lambda$ ).*

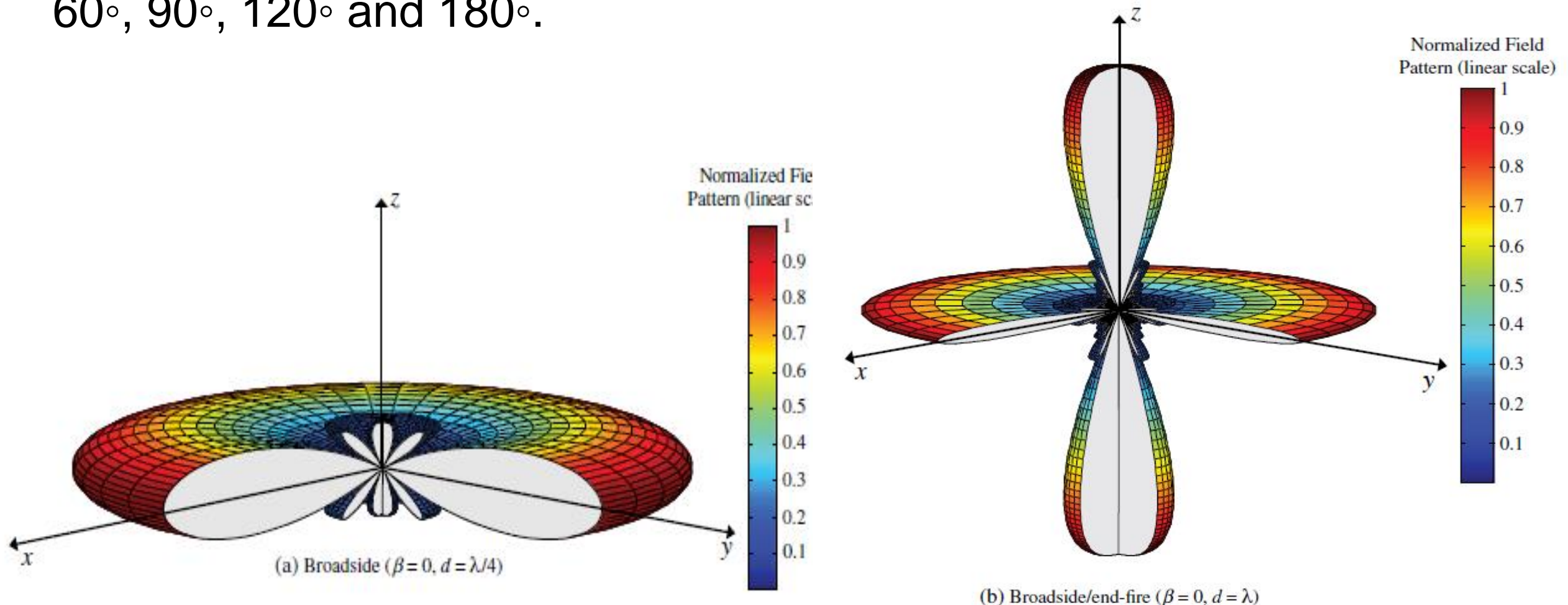


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- Comparison



- If the spacing between the elements is chosen between  $\lambda < d < 2\lambda$ , then the maximum of (a) toward  $\theta_0 = 0^\circ$  shifts toward the angular region  $0^\circ < \theta_0 < 90^\circ$  while the maximum toward  $\theta_0 = 180^\circ$  shifts toward  $90^\circ < \theta_0 < 180^\circ$ . When  $d = 2\lambda$ , there are maxima toward  $0^\circ$ ,  $60^\circ$ ,  $90^\circ$ ,  $120^\circ$  and  $180^\circ$ .





## 2. Broad side array

- Points of  
Nulls  
Maxima  
Half power  
Minor Lobe maxima

**TABLE 6.1** Nulls, Maxima, Half-Power Points, and Minor Lobe Maxima for Uniform Amplitude Broadside Arrays

NULLS	$\theta_n = \cos^{-1} \left( \pm \frac{n}{N} \frac{\lambda}{d} \right)$ $n = 1, 2, 3, \dots$ $n \neq N, 2N, 3N, \dots$
MAXIMA	$\theta_m = \cos^{-1} \left( \pm \frac{m\lambda}{d} \right)$ $m = 0, 1, 2, \dots$
HALF-POWER POINTS	$\theta_h \simeq \cos^{-1} \left( \pm \frac{1.391\lambda}{\pi Nd} \right)$ $\pi d/\lambda \ll 1$
MINOR LOBE MAXIMA	$\theta_s \simeq \cos^{-1} \left[ \pm \frac{\lambda}{2d} \left( \frac{2s+1}{N} \right) \right]$ $s = 1, 2, 3, \dots$ $\pi d/\lambda \ll 1$

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- Beamwidths

**TABLE 6.2** Beamwidths for Uniform Amplitude Broadside Arrays

FIRST-NULL BEAMWIDTH (FNBW)	$\Theta_n = 2 \left[ \frac{\pi}{2} - \cos^{-1} \left( \frac{\lambda}{Nd} \right) \right]$
HALF-POWER BEAMWIDTH (HPBW)	$\Theta_h \simeq 2 \left[ \frac{\pi}{2} - \cos^{-1} \left( \frac{1.391\lambda}{\pi Nd} \right) \right]$ $\pi d/\lambda \ll 1$
FIRST SIDE LOBE BEAMWIDTH (FSLBW)	$\Theta_s \simeq 2 \left[ \frac{\pi}{2} - \cos^{-1} \left( \frac{3\lambda}{2dN} \right) \right]$ $\pi d/\lambda \ll 1$

## 2.1 Broad side array: Directivity

$$(AF)_n = \frac{1}{N} \left[ \frac{\sin \left( \frac{N}{2} \psi \right)}{\sin \left( \frac{1}{2} \psi \right)} \right]$$

- to have the first maximum directed toward  $\theta_n = 90^\circ$ , then  **$\psi$  at first maximum will be**

$$\psi = kd \cos \theta + \beta|_{\theta=90^\circ} = \beta = 0$$

- to have the maximum of the array factor of a uniform linear array **directed broadside to the axis of the array**, it is necessary that all the elements have **the same phase excitation** (in addition to the same amplitude excitation).
- Array factor of Broadside array
- for a small spacing between the elements ( $d \ll \lambda$ ) can be approximated

$$(AF)_n = \frac{1}{N} \left[ \frac{\sin \left( \frac{N}{2} kd \cos \theta \right)}{\sin \left( \frac{1}{2} kd \cos \theta \right)} \right]$$

$$(AF)_n \simeq \left[ \frac{\sin \left( \frac{N}{2} kd \cos \theta \right)}{\left( \frac{N}{2} kd \cos \theta \right)} \right]$$

$$\psi = kd \cos \theta + \beta|_{\theta=90^\circ} = \beta = 0$$

## 2.1 Broad side array: Directivity

- The radiation intensity can be written as

$$U(\theta) = [(AF)_n]^2 = \left[ \frac{\sin\left(\frac{N}{2}kd \cos \theta\right)}{\frac{N}{2}kd \cos \theta} \right]^2 = \left[ \frac{\sin(Z)}{Z} \right]^2$$

$$Z = \frac{N}{2}kd \cos \theta$$

$$(AF)_n = \frac{1}{N} \left[ \frac{\sin\left(\frac{N}{2}kd \cos \theta\right)}{\sin\left(\frac{1}{2}kd \cos \theta\right)} \right]$$

$$(AF)_n \simeq \left[ \frac{\sin\left(\frac{N}{2}kd \cos \theta\right)}{\left(\frac{N}{2}kd \cos \theta\right)} \right]$$

- Directivity** is  $D_0 = \frac{4\pi U_{\max}}{P_{\text{rad}}} = \frac{U_{\max}}{U_0}$
- Hence we need  $U_{\max}$  (max intensity) and  $U_0$  (Average intensity)
- Max Radiation intensity** is  $U_{\max} = 1$  at  $Z=0$  (when  $\cos\theta=0$  with  $\theta = 90^\circ$ )



$$\psi = kd \cos \theta + \beta|_{\theta=90^\circ} = \beta = 0$$

## 2.1 Broad side array: Directivity

- The average radiation intensity can be written as

$$U_0 = \frac{1}{4\pi} P_{\text{rad}} = \frac{1}{2} \int_0^\pi \left[ \frac{\sin(Z)}{Z} \right]^2 \sin \theta \, d\theta$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \int_0^\pi \left[ \frac{\sin\left(\frac{N}{2}kd \cos \theta\right)}{\frac{N}{2}kd \cos \theta} \right]^2 \sin \theta \, d\theta$$

$$Z = \frac{N}{2}kd \cos \theta$$

$$dZ = -\frac{N}{2}kd \sin \theta \, d\theta$$

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$$(AF)_n = \frac{1}{N} \left[ \frac{\sin\left(\frac{N}{2}kd \cos \theta\right)}{\sin\left(\frac{1}{2}kd \cos \theta\right)} \right]$$

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$$Z = \frac{N}{2}kd \cos \theta$$

$$D_0 = \frac{4\pi U_{\text{max}}}{P_{\text{rad}}} = \frac{U_{\text{max}}}{U_0}$$

$$U_{\text{max}} = 1$$

$$\psi = kd \cos \theta + \beta|_{\theta=90^\circ} = \beta = 0$$

## 2.1 Broad side array: Directivity

- The average radiation intensity can be written as

$$U_0 = \frac{1}{4\pi} P_{\text{rad}} = \frac{1}{2} \int_0^\pi \left[ \frac{\sin(Z)}{Z} \right]^2 \sin \theta d\theta$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \int_0^\pi \left[ \frac{\sin\left(\frac{N}{2}kd \cos \theta\right)}{\frac{N}{2}kd \cos \theta} \right]^2 \sin \theta d\theta$$

$$Z = \frac{N}{2}kd \cos \theta$$

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$$= -\frac{1}{Nkd} \int_{+Nkd/2}^{-Nkd/2} \left[ \frac{\sin Z}{Z} \right]^2 dZ$$

For large array ( $Nkd/2 \rightarrow \text{large}$ ),

$$U_0 = \frac{1}{Nkd} \int_{-Nkd/2}^{+Nkd/2} \left[ \frac{\sin Z}{Z} \right]^2 dZ \simeq \frac{1}{Nkd} \int_{-\infty}^{+\infty} \left[ \frac{\sin Z}{Z} \right]^2 dZ$$

$$\int_{-\infty}^{+\infty} \left[ \frac{\sin(Z)}{Z} \right]^2 dZ = \pi$$

$$U_0 \simeq \frac{\pi}{Nkd}$$

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$$U_{\text{max}} = 1$$

$$\psi = kd \cos \theta + \beta|_{\theta=90^\circ} = \beta = 0$$

## 2.1 Broad side array: Directivity

- Directivity: 
$$D_0 = \frac{U_{\max}}{U_0} \simeq \frac{Nkd}{\pi} = 2N \left( \frac{d}{\lambda} \right)$$

- Total array length:  $L = (N - 1)d$

$$D_0 \simeq 2N \left( \frac{d}{\lambda} \right) \simeq 2 \left( 1 + \frac{L}{d} \right) \left( \frac{d}{\lambda} \right)$$

- For very large array ( $L \gg d$ )

$$D_0 \simeq 2N \left( \frac{d}{\lambda} \right) = 2 \left( 1 + \frac{L}{d} \right) \left( \frac{d}{\lambda} \right) \stackrel{L \gg d}{\simeq} 2 \left( \frac{L}{\lambda} \right)$$

$$(AF)_n = \frac{1}{N} \left[ \frac{\sin \left( \frac{N}{2} kd \cos \theta \right)}{\sin \left( \frac{1}{2} kd \cos \theta \right)} \right]$$

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$$U_0 \simeq \frac{\pi}{Nkd} \quad U_{\max} = 1$$

Given a linear, broadside, uniform array of 10 isotropic elements ( $N = 10$ ) with a separation of  $\lambda/4$  ( $d = \lambda/4$ ) between the elements, find the directivity of the array.

*Solution:* Using (6-44a)

$$D_0 \simeq 2N \left( \frac{d}{\lambda} \right) = 5 \text{ (dimensionless)} = 10 \log_{10}(5) = 6.99 \text{ dB}$$

### 3. End fire array

- As usual, for uniform array:

First maximum of the array factor occurs when  
 **$\psi$  at first maximum will be**

$$\psi = kd \cos \theta + \beta = 0$$

$$(AF)_n = \frac{1}{N} \left[ \frac{\sin \left( \frac{N}{2} \psi \right)}{\sin \left( \frac{1}{2} \psi \right)} \right]$$

$$AF = \sum_{n=1}^N e^{j(n-1)\psi}$$

where  $\psi = kd \cos \theta + \beta$

### 3. End fire array

$$AF = \sum_{n=1}^N e^{j(n-1)\psi}$$

$$\text{where } \psi = kd \cos \theta + \beta$$

- Instead of having the maximum radiation broadside to the axis of the array, it may be **desirable to direct it along the axis of the array** (end-fire). As a matter of fact, it may be necessary that it radiates **toward only one direction** (either  $\theta_0 = 0^\circ$  or  $180^\circ$ )
- To direct the first maximum toward  $\theta_0 = 0^\circ$ ,

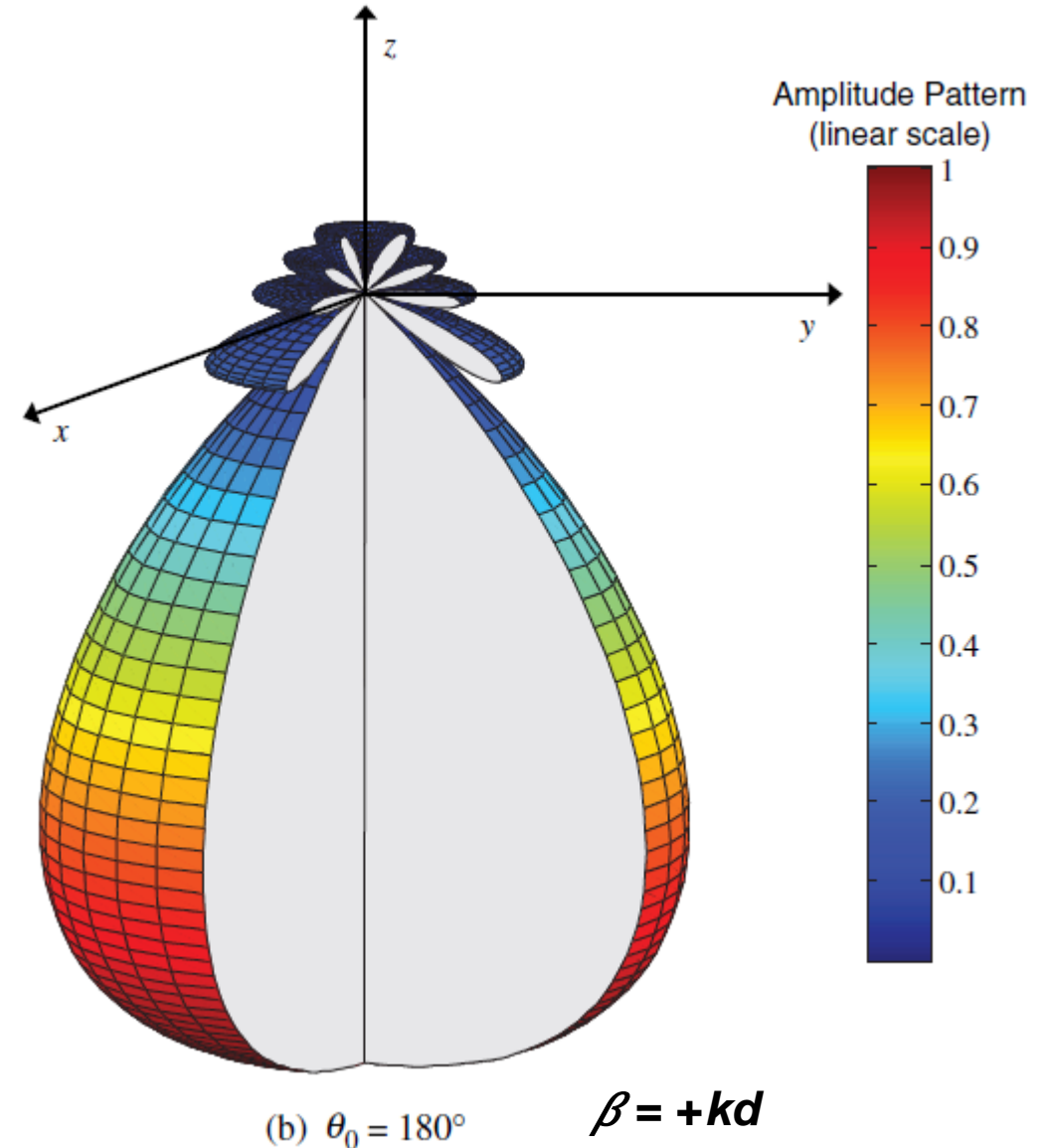
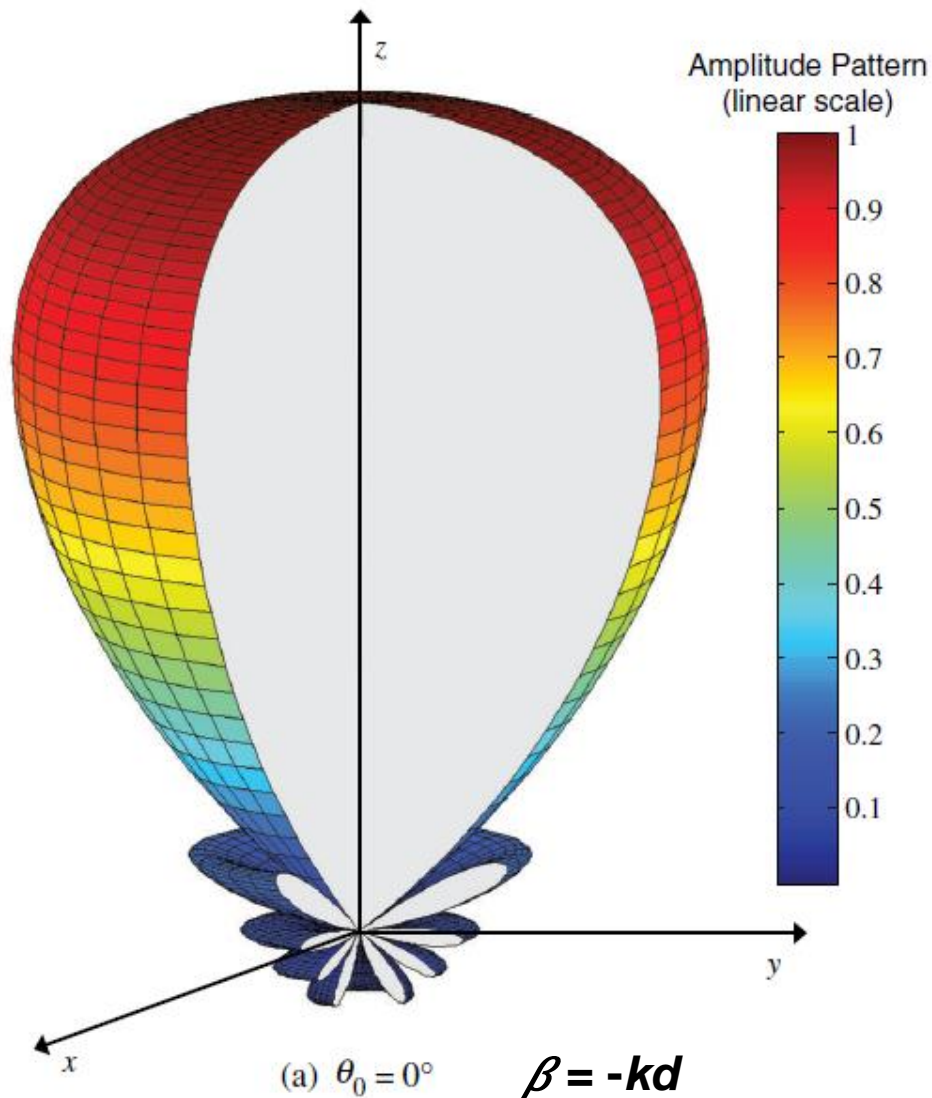
$$\psi = kd \cos \theta + \beta|_{\theta=0^\circ} = kd + \beta = 0 \Rightarrow \beta = -kd$$

- first maximum is desired toward  $\theta_0 = 180^\circ$ , then

$$\psi = kd \cos \theta + \beta|_{\theta=180^\circ} = -kd + \beta = 0 \Rightarrow \beta = kd$$

- end-fire radiation is accomplished when  $\beta = -kd$  (for  $\theta_0 = 0^\circ$ ) or  $\beta = kd$  (for  $\theta_0 = 180^\circ$ ).

Three-dimensional amplitude patterns for end-fire arrays toward  $\theta_0 = 0^\circ$  and  $180^\circ$  ( $N = 10$ ,  $d = \lambda/4$ )





$$AF = \sum_{n=1}^N e^{j(n-1)\psi}$$

where  $\psi = kd \cos \theta + \beta$

### 3. End fire array

- If the element separation is  **$d = \lambda/2$ , end-fire radiation exists simultaneously in both directions** ( $\theta_0 = 0^\circ$  and  $\theta_0 = 180^\circ$ ).
- If the **element spacing is a multiple of a wavelength** ( $d = n\lambda$ ,  $n = 1, 2, 3, \dots$ ), then in addition to having **end-fire radiation in both directions**, there also exist **maxima in the broadside directions**.

Thus for  **$d = n\lambda$** ,  $n = 1, 2, 3, \dots$  **there exist four maxima**; two in the broadside directions and two along the axis of the array.

- *To have **only one end-fire maximum** and **to avoid any grating lobes**, the maximum spacing between the elements should be less than  **$d_{\max} < \lambda/2$** .*



# 3. End fire array

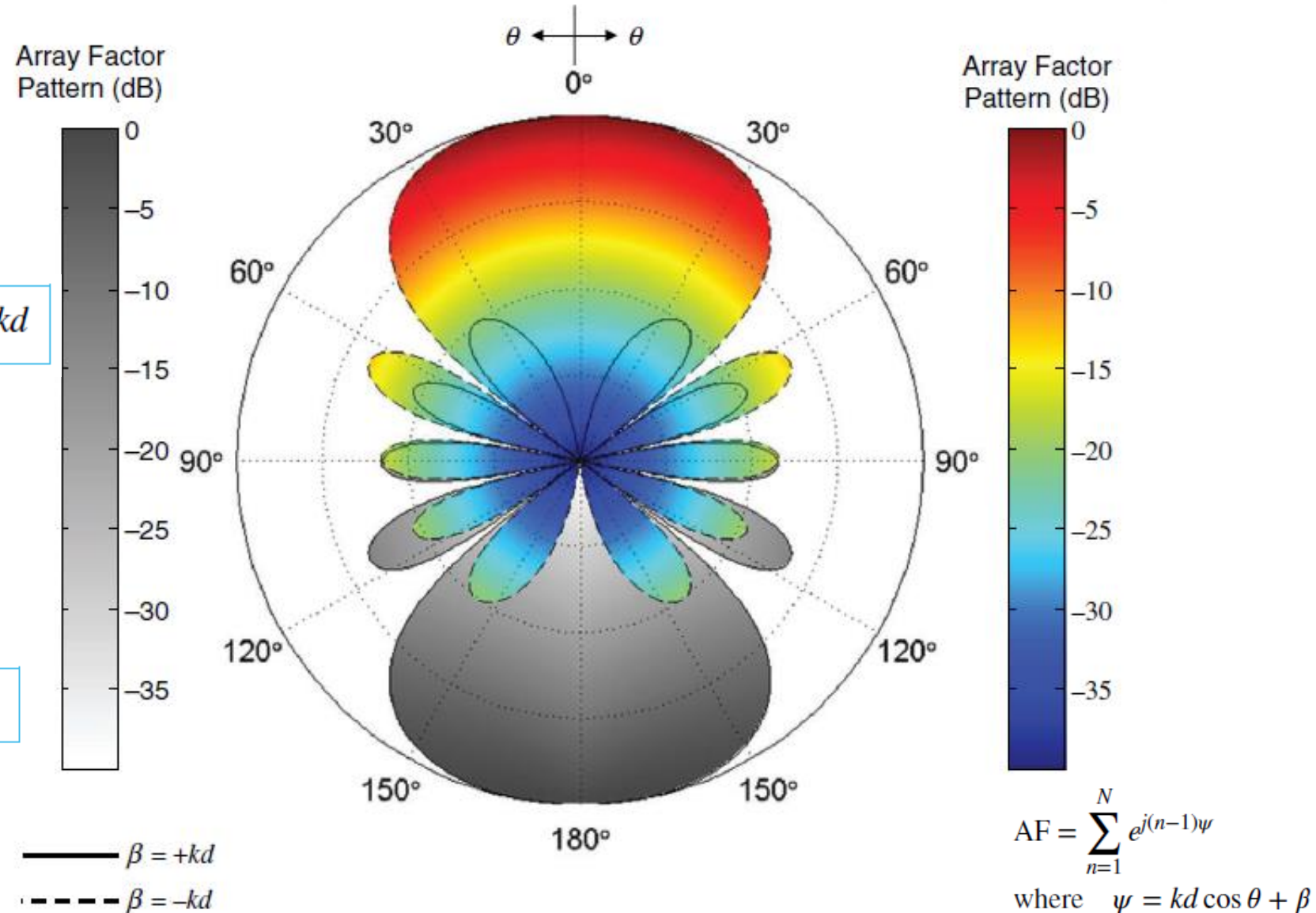
Array factor patterns of a 10-element uniform amplitude end-fire array ( $N = 10$ ,  $d = \lambda/4$ ).

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# 3. End fire array

- Points of  
Nulls  
Maxima  
Half power  
Minor Lobe maxima

**TABLE 6.3** Nulls, Maxima, Half-Power Points, and Minor Lobe Maxima for Uniform Amplitude Ordinary End-Fire Arrays

NULLS	$\theta_n = \cos^{-1} \left( 1 - \frac{n\lambda}{Nd} \right)$ $n = 1, 2, 3, \dots$ $n \neq N, 2N, 3N, \dots$
MAXIMA	$\theta_m = \cos^{-1} \left( 1 - \frac{m\lambda}{d} \right)$ $m = 0, 1, 2, \dots$
HALF-POWER POINTS	$\theta_h \simeq \cos^{-1} \left( 1 - \frac{1.391\lambda}{\pi dN} \right)$ $\pi d/\lambda \ll 1$
MINOR LOBE MAXIMA	$\theta_s \simeq \cos^{-1} \left[ 1 - \frac{(2s+1)\lambda}{2Nd} \right]$ $s = 1, 2, 3, \dots$ $\pi d/\lambda \ll 1$

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- Beamwidths

**TABLE 6.4** Beamwidths for Uniform Amplitude Ordinary End-Fire Arrays

FIRST-NULL BEAMWIDTH (FNBW)	$\Theta_n = 2 \cos^{-1} \left( 1 - \frac{\lambda}{Nd} \right)$
HALF-POWER BEAMWIDTH (HPBW)	$\Theta_h \simeq 2 \cos^{-1} \left( 1 - \frac{1.391\lambda}{\pi dN} \right)$ $\pi d/\lambda \ll 1$
FIRST SIDE LOBE BEAMWIDTH (FSLBW)	$\Theta_s \simeq 2 \cos^{-1} \left( 1 - \frac{3\lambda}{2Nd} \right)$ $\pi d/\lambda \ll 1$

**TABLE 6.7** Maximum Element Spacing  $d_{\max}$  to Maintain Either One or Two Amplitude Maxima of a Linear Array

Array	Distribution	Type	Direction of Maximum	Element Spacing
Linear	Uniform	Broadside	$\theta_0 = 90^\circ$ only	$d_{\max} < \lambda$
			$\theta_0 = 0^\circ, 90^\circ, 180^\circ$ <i>simultaneously</i>	$d = \lambda$
Linear	Uniform	Ordinary end-fire	$\theta_0 = 0^\circ$ only	$d_{\max} < \lambda/2$
			$\theta_0 = 180^\circ$ only	$d_{\max} < \lambda/2$
			$\theta_0 = 0^\circ, 90^\circ, 180^\circ$ <i>simultaneously</i>	$d = \lambda$



# 3.1 End fire array: Directivity

- For an end-fire array, with the maximum radiation in the  $\theta = 0^\circ$  direction, the array factor is given by

$$(AF)_n = \left[ \frac{\sin \left[ \frac{N}{2} kd(\cos \theta - 1) \right]}{N \sin \left[ \frac{1}{2} kd(\cos \theta - 1) \right]} \right]$$

- a small spacing between the elements ( $d \ll \lambda$ ), can be approximated by

$$(AF)_n \simeq \left[ \frac{\sin \left[ \frac{N}{2} kd(\cos \theta - 1) \right]}{\left[ \frac{N}{2} kd(\cos \theta - 1) \right]} \right]$$

$$AF = \sum_{n=1}^N e^{j(n-1)\psi}$$

where  $\psi = kd \cos \theta + \beta$

$$(AF)_n = \frac{1}{N} \left[ \frac{\sin \left( \frac{N}{2} \psi \right)}{\sin \left( \frac{1}{2} \psi \right)} \right]$$

- To direct the first maximum toward  $\theta_0 = 0^\circ$ ,

$$\psi = kd \cos \theta + \beta|_{\theta=0^\circ} = kd + \beta = 0 \Rightarrow \beta = -kd$$

- first maximum is desired toward  $\theta_0 = 180^\circ$ , then

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# 3.1 End fire array: Directivity

- Radiation intensity is

$$U(\theta) = [(AF)_n]^2 = \left[ \frac{\sin \left[ \frac{N}{2} kd(\cos \theta - 1) \right]}{\frac{N}{2} kd(\cos \theta - 1)} \right]^2 = \left[ \frac{\sin(Z)}{Z} \right]^2$$

$$Z = \frac{N}{2} kd(\cos \theta - 1)$$

- maximum value is unity ( $U_{max} = 1$ ) and it occurs at  $\theta = 0^\circ$ .

$$AF = \sum_{n=1}^N e^{j(n-1)\psi}$$

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# 3.1 End fire array: Directivity

- The average value of the radiation intensity is given by

$$U_0 = \frac{1}{4\pi} \int_0^{2\pi} \int_0^\pi \left[ \frac{\sin \left[ \frac{N}{2} kd(\cos \theta - 1) \right]}{\frac{N}{2} kd(\cos \theta - 1)} \right]^2 \sin \theta \, d\theta \, d\phi$$

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(large array ( $Nkd \rightarrow \text{large}$ ))

$$\simeq \frac{1}{Nkd} \int_0^\infty \left[ \frac{\sin(Z)}{Z} \right]^2 dZ$$

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- With length of array as  $L = (N - 1)d$  :  $N = \left( 1 + \frac{L}{d} \right)$

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$$D_0 \simeq 4N \left( \frac{d}{\lambda} \right) = 4 \left( 1 + \frac{L}{d} \right) \left( \frac{d}{\lambda} \right)$$

- for a large array ( $L \gg d$ )

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- Note: directivity of the end-fire array, is twice that for the broadside array

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where  $\psi = kd \cos \theta + \beta$

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$$Z = \frac{N}{2} kd (\cos \theta - 1)$$

$$U(\theta) = [(AF)_n]^2 = \left[ \frac{\sin \left[ \frac{N}{2} kd (\cos \theta - 1) \right]}{\frac{N}{2} kd (\cos \theta - 1)} \right]^2 = \left[ \frac{\sin(Z)}{Z} \right]^2$$

Given a linear, end-fire, uniform array of 10 elements ( $N = 10$ ) with a separation of  $\lambda/4$  ( $d = \lambda/4$ ) between the elements, find the directivity of the array factor. This array is identical to the broadside array of Example 6.3.

*Solution:* Using (6-49)

$$D_0 \simeq 4N \left( \frac{d}{\lambda} \right) = 10 \text{ (dimensionless)} = 10 \log_{10}(10) = 10 \text{ dB}$$

# Comparison of Broadside and Endfire array

Array	Directivity
BROADSIDE	$D_0 = 2N \left( \frac{d}{\lambda} \right) = 2 \left( 1 + \frac{L}{d} \right) \frac{d}{\lambda} \simeq 2 \left( \frac{L}{\lambda} \right)$ $N\pi d/\lambda \rightarrow \infty, L \gg d$
END-FIRE (ORDINARY)	$D_0 = 4N \left( \frac{d}{\lambda} \right) = 4 \left( 1 + \frac{L}{d} \right) \frac{d}{\lambda} \simeq 4 \left( \frac{L}{\lambda} \right)$ $2N\pi d/\lambda \rightarrow \infty, L \gg d$ <p>Only one maximum (<math>\theta_0 = 0^\circ</math> or <math>180^\circ</math>)</p>
	$D_0 = 2N \left( \frac{d}{\lambda} \right) = 2 \left( 1 + \frac{L}{d} \right) \frac{d}{\lambda} \simeq 2 \left( \frac{L}{\lambda} \right)$ <p>Two maxima (<math>\theta_0 = 0^\circ</math> and <math>180^\circ</math>)</p>