



MAGNETIC FIELDS AND CURRENTS

EE 3321 Electromagnetic Field Theory

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Electromagnetics and Photonics

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MAXWELL'S EQS.

Conditions: $\nabla \times \vec{H} = \vec{J}$
 $\nabla \cdot \vec{B} = 0$
 1. $\omega = 0$. $\vec{B} = [\mu] \vec{H}$
 2. Size $\ll \lambda$.

LORENTZ FORCE EQ.

$$\vec{F} = Q\vec{E} + Q\vec{u} \times \vec{B}$$

Force due to electric field Force due to magnetic field

MAGNETIC FIELDS AROUND CURRENT ELEMENTS

Biot-Savart Law

$$d\vec{H} = \frac{Id\vec{\ell} \times \hat{a}_R}{4\pi R^2} = \frac{Id\vec{\ell} \times \vec{R}}{4\pi |\vec{R}|^3}$$

Line Current: $\vec{H} = \int \frac{Id\vec{\ell} \times \hat{a}_R}{4\pi R^2}$

 $\vec{H}_\infty = (I/2\pi\rho) \hat{a}_\phi$

Surface Current: $\vec{H} = \iint_S \frac{\vec{K} ds \times \hat{a}_R}{4\pi R^2}$

 $\vec{H}_\infty = \vec{K} \times \hat{n} / 2$

Volume Current: $\vec{H} = \iiint_V \frac{\vec{J} dv \times \hat{a}_R}{4\pi R^2}$

MAGNETIC DIPOLE

Magnetic Dipole Moment

$$\vec{m} = \pi a^2 I \hat{n}$$

Magnetic Field

$$\vec{H} = \frac{|\vec{m}|}{4\pi r^2} (2 \cos \theta \hat{a}_r + \sin \theta \hat{a}_\theta)$$

FORCE THAT MAGNETIC FIELDS PUT ON CURRENT ELEMENTS

Differential Current: $d\vec{F} = Id\vec{\ell} \times \vec{B}$

Line Current: $\vec{F} = \int_L Id\vec{\ell} \times \vec{B}$

Surface Current: $\vec{F} = \iint_S \vec{K} ds \times \vec{B}$

Volume Current: $\vec{F} = \iiint_V \vec{J} dv \times \vec{B}$

FORCE BETWEEN TWO CURRENT ELEMENTS

$$d(d\vec{F}_1) = \frac{\mu}{4\pi} \frac{(I_1 d\vec{\ell}_1) \times (I_2 d\vec{\ell}_2) \times \hat{a}_{21}}{R_{21}^2}$$

$$\vec{F}_1 = \int_{L1} \int_{L2} d(d\vec{F}_1) = \frac{\mu I_1 I_2}{4\pi} \int_{L1} \int_{L2} \frac{d\vec{\ell}_1 \times d\vec{\ell}_2 \times \hat{a}_{21}}{R_{21}^2}$$

MAGNETIC TORQUE & MOMENT

Magnetic Dipole Moment: $\vec{m} = SI\hat{n}$ (A/m)
 $S \equiv$ area of loop

Torque: $\vec{T} = \vec{m} \times \vec{B}$
 Acts to reduce α and put m and B in same direction.

Rotation Axis

$$|\vec{T}| = BIS \sin \alpha$$