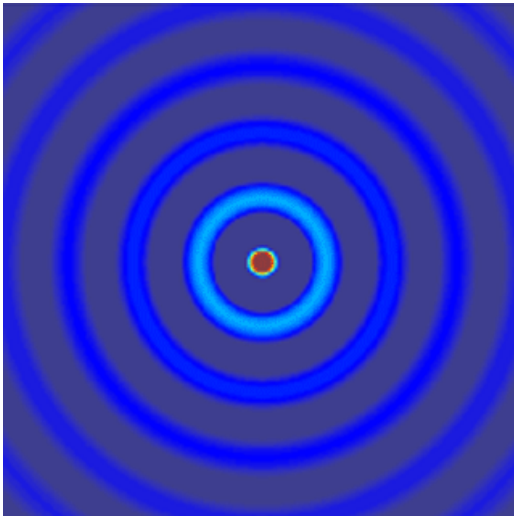


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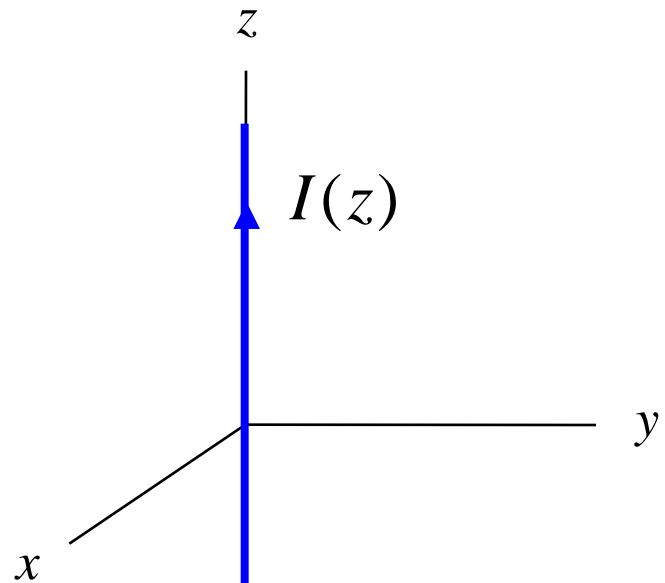


# Arbitrary Line Current

$$\text{TM}_z: A_z(z, \rho)$$

Introduce Fourier Transform:

$$\tilde{I}(k_z) = \int_{-\infty}^{+\infty} I(z) e^{+jk_z z} dz$$



$$I(z) = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{-\infty}^{+\infty} \tilde{I}(k_z) e^{-jk_z z} dk_z$$

# Arbitrary Line Current (cont.)

View this as a collection of phased line currents:

$$\begin{aligned} dI(z) &= I_0 e^{-jk_z z} \\ I_0 &= \frac{1}{2\pi} \tilde{I}(k_z) dk_z \end{aligned} \quad \left\{ \begin{array}{l} I(z) = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{-\infty}^{+\infty} \tilde{I}(k_z) e^{-jk_z z} dk_z \end{array} \right.$$

Then

$$\begin{aligned} dA_z &= \frac{\mu_0 I_0}{4j} H_0^{(2)}(k_\rho \rho) e^{-jk_z z} \quad (\text{from Notes 11}) \\ &= \frac{\mu_0}{4j} \left[ \left( \frac{1}{2\pi} \right) \tilde{I}(k_z) dk_z \right] H_0^{(2)}(k_\rho \rho) e^{-jk_z z} \end{aligned}$$

# Arbitrary Line Current (cont.)

Hence, from superposition, the total magnetic vector potential is

$$A_z = \frac{\mu_0}{8\pi j} \int_{-\infty}^{+\infty} \tilde{I}(k_z) H_0^{(2)}(k_\rho \rho) e^{-jk_z z} dk_z$$

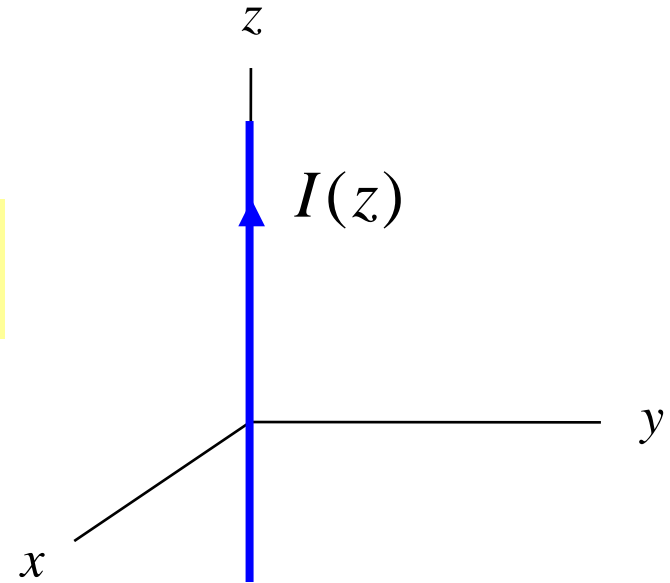
$$k_\rho = (k^2 - k_z^2)^{1/2}$$

$$k_\rho = \begin{cases} \sqrt{k^2 - k_z^2}, & |k_z| \leq k \\ -j\sqrt{k_z^2 - k^2}, & |k_z| \geq k \end{cases}$$

# Example

Uniform phased line current

$$I(z) = I_0 e^{-jk_{z0}z}$$



$$\begin{aligned}\tilde{I}(k_z) &= I_0 \int_{-\infty}^{+\infty} e^{-jk_{z0}z} e^{+jk_z z} dz \\ &= I_0 \int_{-\infty}^{+\infty} e^{j(k_z - k_{z0})z} dz \\ &= I_0 2\pi \delta(k_z - k_{z0})\end{aligned}$$

**Note:**

$$\begin{aligned}\delta(x) &= \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} e^{-jk_x x} dk_x \\ &= \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} e^{+jk_x x} dk_x\end{aligned}$$

# Example (cont.)

Hence

$$\begin{aligned} A_z &= \frac{\mu_0}{8\pi j} \int_{-\infty}^{+\infty} \tilde{I}(k_z) H_0^{(2)}(k_{\rho}\rho) e^{-jk_z z} dk_z \\ &= \frac{\mu_0}{8\pi j} \int_{-\infty}^{+\infty} [I_0 2\pi\delta(k_z - k_{z0})] H_0^{(2)}(k_{\rho}\rho) e^{-jk_z z} dk_z \\ &= \frac{\mu_0}{8\pi j} I_0 2\pi H_0^{(2)}(k_{\rho 0}\rho) e^{-jk_{z0} z} \\ &= \frac{\mu_0 I_0}{4j} H_0^{(2)}(k_{\rho 0}\rho) e^{-jk_{z0} z} \end{aligned}$$

where  $k_{\rho 0} = (k^2 - k_{z0}^2)^{1/2}$

# Example (cont.)

Hence

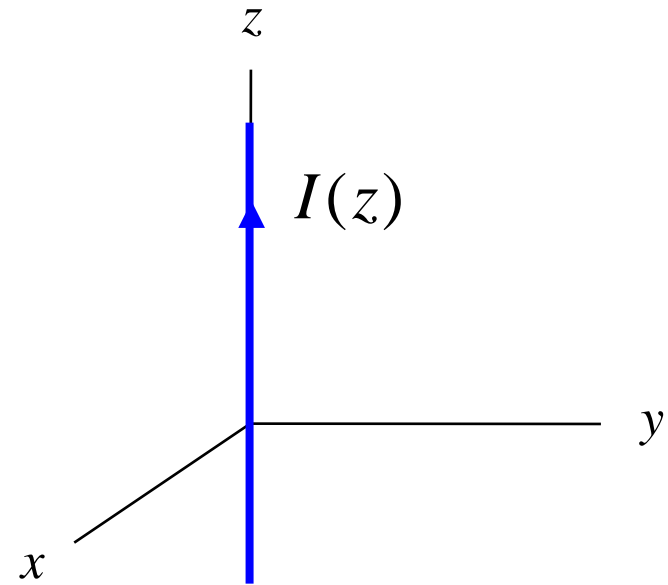
$$A_z = \left( \frac{\mu I_0}{4j} \right) H_0^{(2)}(k_{\rho 0} \rho) e^{-jk_{z0} z}$$

where

$$k_{\rho 0} = \left( k^2 - k_{z0}^2 \right)^{1/2}$$

If  $k_{z0}$  is real, then

$$k_{\rho 0} = \begin{cases} \sqrt{k^2 - k_{z0}^2}, & |k_{z0}| \leq k \\ -j\sqrt{k_{z0}^2 - k^2}, & |k_{z0}| \geq k \end{cases}$$



This is the correct choice of the wavenumber.

# Example (cont.)

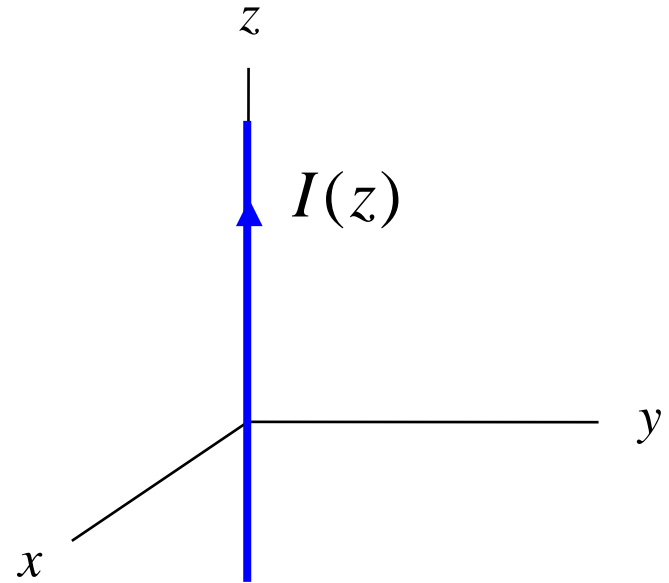
If  $k_{z0}$  is complex:

$$k_{z0} = \beta_{z0} - j\alpha_{z0}$$

$$k_{\rho0} = \left(k^2 - k_{z0}^2\right)^{1/2}$$

$0 < \beta_{z0} < k$  :  $\text{Im}(k_{\rho0}) > 0$  (improper)

$\beta_{z0} > k$  :  $\text{Im}(k_{\rho0}) < 0$  (proper)



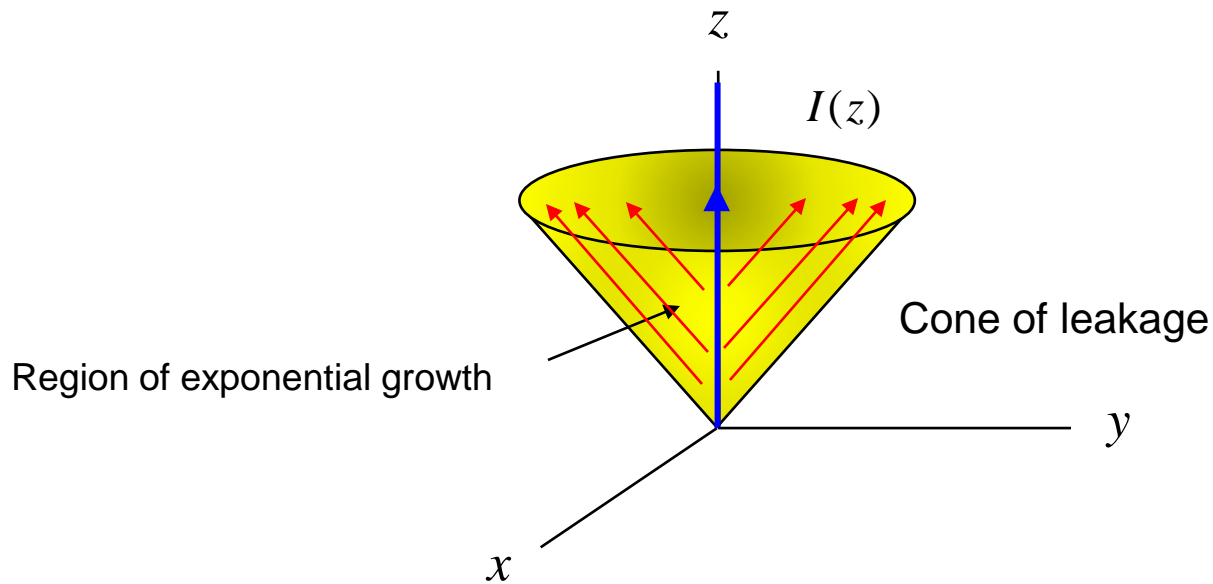
This is the “physical” choice of the wavenumber.

Note that the radiation condition at infinity is violated ( $z \rightarrow -\infty$ ), so we lose uniqueness. However, we can still talk about what choice of the square root is “physical.”



# Example (cont.)

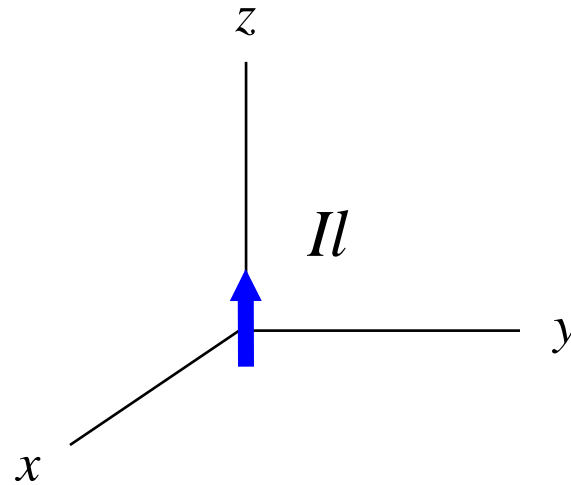
$$0 < \beta_{z0} < k : \text{Im}(k_{\rho0}) > 0 \text{ (improper)}$$



A semi-infinite leaky-wave line source produces a cone of radiation in the near field.

# Example

Dipole



$$I(z) = Il \delta(z)$$

$$\tilde{I}(k_z) = Il$$

# Example (cont.)

$$A_z = \frac{\mu_0}{8\pi j} \int_{-\infty}^{+\infty} \tilde{I}(k_z) H_0^{(2)}(k_\rho \rho) e^{-jk_z z} dk_z$$

Hence

$$A_z = (I\ell) \frac{\mu_0}{8\pi j} \int_{-\infty}^{+\infty} H_0^{(2)}(k_\rho \rho) e^{-jk_z z} dk_z$$

Also,

$$k_\rho = \begin{cases} \sqrt{k^2 - k_z^2}, & |k_z| \leq k \\ -j\sqrt{k_z^2 - k^2}, & |k_z| \geq k \end{cases}$$

$$A_z = (I\ell) \frac{\mu_0}{4\pi} \frac{e^{-jkr}}{r}$$

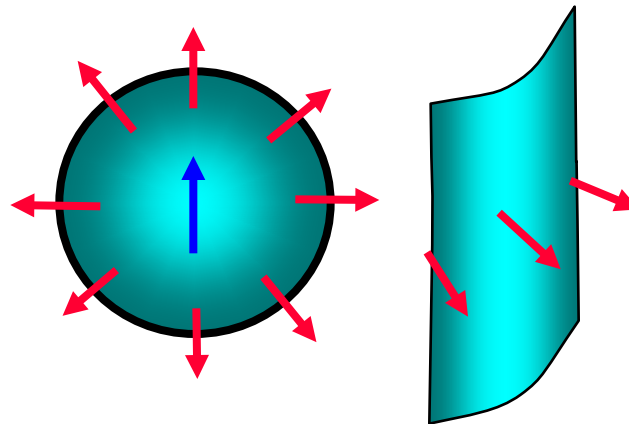
(from ECE 6340)

# Example (cont.)

Hence,

$$\frac{e^{-jkr}}{r} = \frac{1}{2j} \int_{-\infty}^{+\infty} H_0^{(2)}(k_\rho \rho) e^{-jk_z z} dk_z$$

A spherical wave is thus expressed as a collection of cylindrical waves.



# Example (cont.)

Use a change of variables:

$$k_z = (k_0^2 - k_\rho^2)^{1/2}$$
$$dk_z = -\frac{k_\rho}{(k_0^2 - k_\rho^2)^{1/2}} dk_\rho = -\frac{k_\rho}{k_z} dk_\rho$$

We then have

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{1}{2j} \int_{-\infty}^{+\infty} H_0^{(2)}(k_\rho \rho) e^{-jk_z z} dk_z &= \frac{-1}{2j} \int_{C_{CCW}} \left( \frac{k_\rho}{k_z} \right) H_0^{(2)}(k_\rho \rho) e^{-jk_z z} dk_\rho \\ &= \frac{1}{2j} \int_{C_{CW}} \left( \frac{k_\rho}{k_z} \right) H_0^{(2)}(k_\rho \rho) e^{-jk_z z} dk_\rho \end{aligned}$$

or

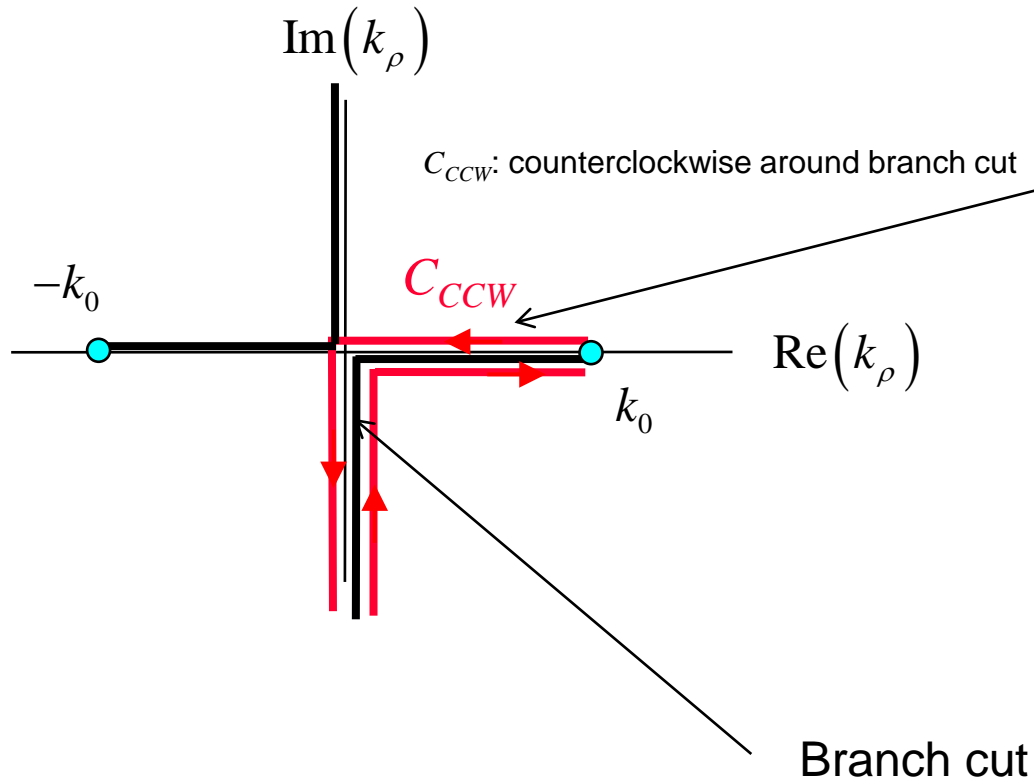
$$\frac{e^{-jkr}}{r} = \frac{1}{2j} \int_{-\infty}^{+\infty} \left( \frac{k_\rho}{k_z} \right) H_0^{(2)}(k_\rho \rho) e^{-jk_z z} dk_\rho$$

(The path has been deformed back to the real axis, please see the next two slides)

# Example (cont.)

Mapping equation for  $C$ :

$$k_z = \left(k_0^2 - k_\rho^2\right)^{1/2}$$



$$k_\rho \in C_{CCW}$$

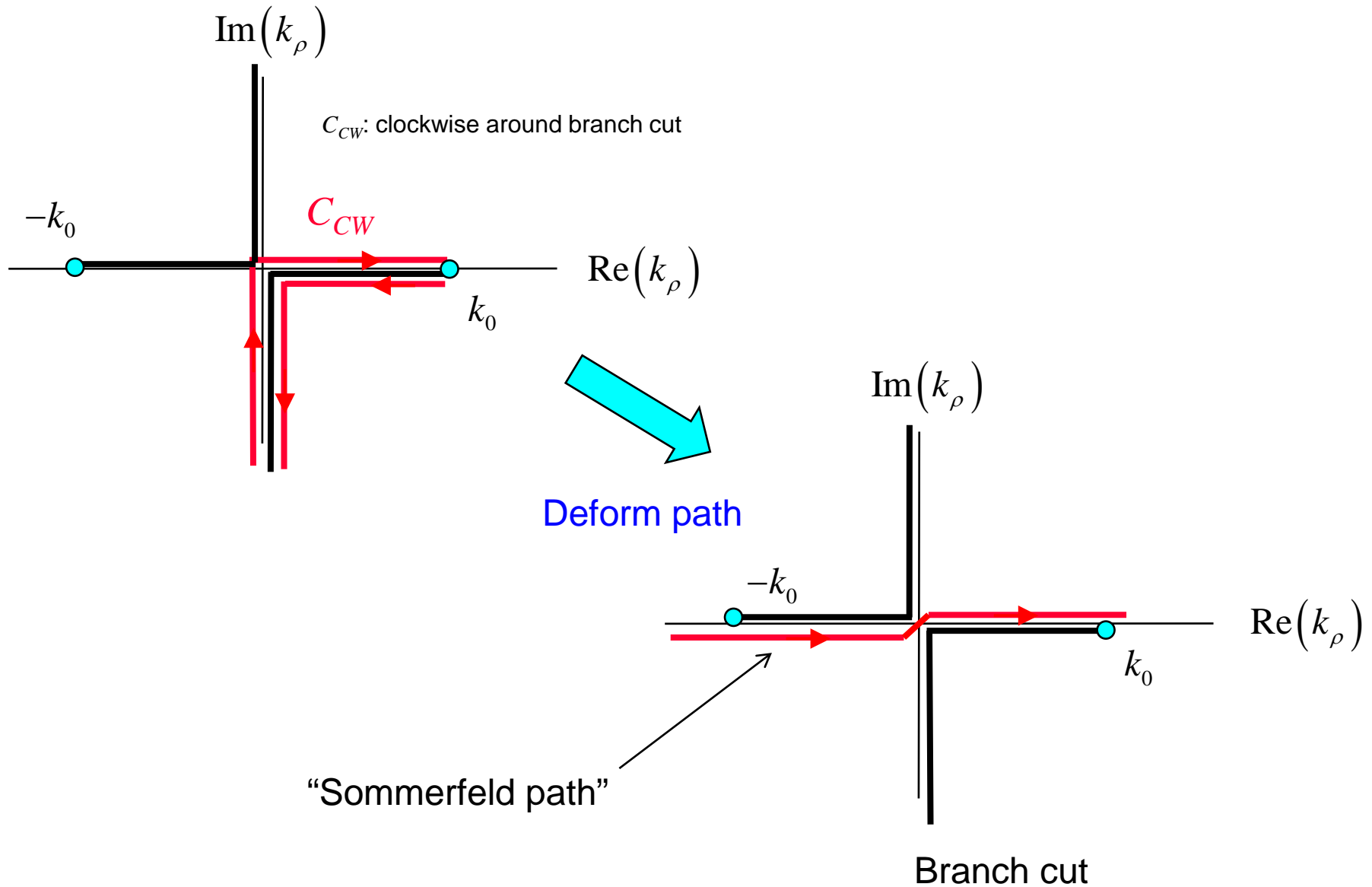
$$k_z \in (-\infty, \infty)$$

Note: The value of  $k_z$  is opposite across the branch cut.

The square root is defined so that when  $k_\rho$  is on the real axis we have:

$$k_z = -j\sqrt{k_\rho^2 - k_0^2} \quad , \quad k_\rho > k_0$$

# Example (cont.)



# Example (cont.)

Alternative form:

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{e^{-jkr}}{r} &= -\frac{j}{2} \int_{-\infty}^{+\infty} \left( \frac{k_\rho}{k_z} \right) H_0^{(2)}(k_\rho \rho) e^{-jk_z z} dk_\rho \\ &= -\frac{j}{2} \int_{-\infty}^0 \left( \frac{k_\rho}{k_z} \right) H_0^{(2)}(k_\rho \rho) e^{-jk_z z} dk_\rho - \frac{j}{2} \int_0^{+\infty} \left( \frac{k_\rho}{k_z} \right) H_0^{(2)}(k_\rho \rho) e^{-jk_z z} dk_\rho \\ &= -\frac{j}{2} \int_{\infty}^0 \left( \frac{k'_\rho}{k_z} \right) H_0^{(2)}(-k'_\rho \rho) e^{-jk_z z} dk'_\rho - \frac{j}{2} \int_0^{+\infty} \left( \frac{k_\rho}{k_z} \right) H_0^{(2)}(k_\rho \rho) e^{-jk_z z} dk_\rho \\ &= +\frac{j}{2} \int_{\infty}^0 \left( \frac{k'_\rho}{k_z} \right) H_0^{(1)}(k'_\rho \rho) e^{-jk_z z} dk'_\rho - \frac{j}{2} \int_0^{+\infty} \left( \frac{k_\rho}{k_z} \right) H_0^{(2)}(k_\rho \rho) e^{-jk_z z} dk_\rho \\ &= -\frac{j}{2} \int_0^{\infty} \left( \frac{k'_\rho}{k_z} \right) H_0^{(1)}(k'_\rho \rho) e^{-jk_z z} dk'_\rho - \frac{j}{2} \int_0^{+\infty} \left( \frac{k_\rho}{k_z} \right) H_0^{(2)}(k_\rho \rho) e^{-jk_z z} dk_\rho \\ &= -j \int_0^{\infty} \left( \frac{k_\rho}{k_z} \right) J_0(k_\rho \rho) e^{-jk_z z} dk_\rho \quad J_0(z) = \frac{1}{2} \left( H_0^{(1)}(z) + H_0^{(2)}(z) \right) \end{aligned}$$

$$k'_\rho = -k_\rho$$

$$H_0^{(2)}(-z) = -H_0^{(1)}(+z)$$



# Example (cont.)

Hence we have:

$$\frac{e^{-jkr}}{r} = \frac{1}{j} \int_0^{+\infty} \left( \frac{k_\rho}{k_z} \right) J_0(k_\rho \rho) e^{-jk_z z} dk_\rho$$

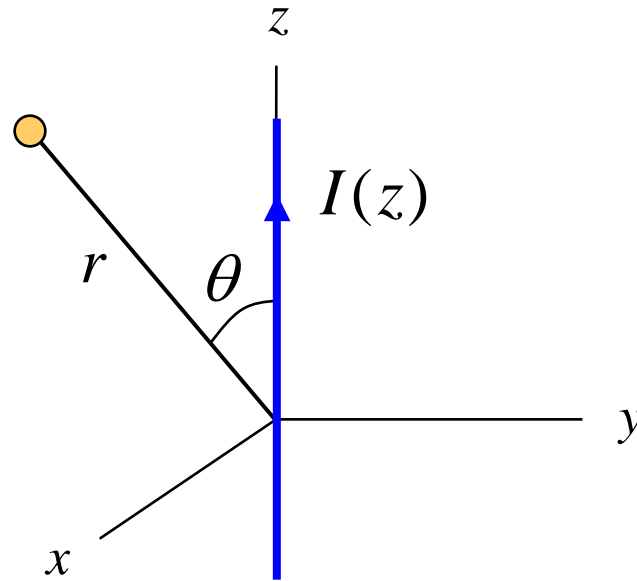
$$\frac{e^{-jkr}}{r} = \frac{1}{2j} \int_{-\infty}^{+\infty} \left( \frac{k_\rho}{k_z} \right) H_0^{(2)}(k_\rho \rho) e^{-jk_z z} dk_\rho$$

## Sommerfeld Identities

The integrals are along a “Sommerfeld path” that stays slightly above or below the branch cuts.

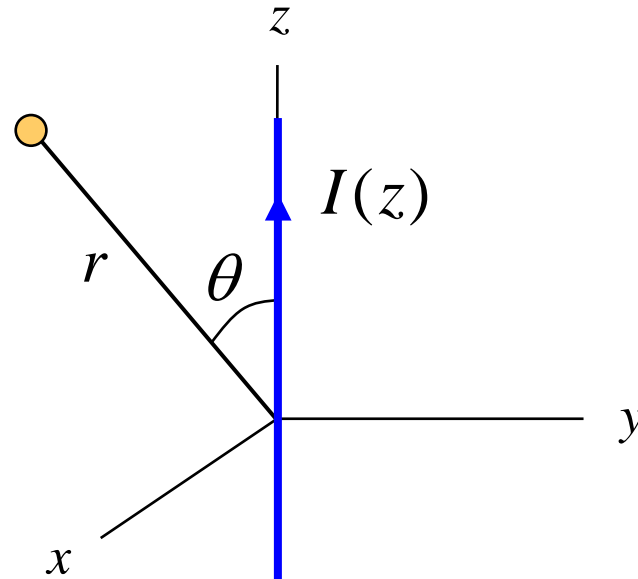
# Far-Field Identity

This identity is useful for calculating the far-field of finite (3-D) sources in cylindrical coordinates.



Note: We assume that the current decays at  $z = \pm \infty$  fast enough so that a 3-D far field exists.

# Far-Field Identity (cont.)



Exact solution:

$$A_z = \frac{\mu_0}{8\pi j} \int_{-\infty}^{+\infty} \tilde{I}(k_z) H_0^{(2)}(k_\rho \rho) e^{-jk_z z} dk_z$$

# Far-Field Identity (cont.)

From ECE 6340, as  $r \rightarrow \infty$

$$\underline{A} \sim \frac{\mu_0}{4\pi} \left( \frac{e^{-jkr}}{r} \right) \underline{a}(\theta, \phi)$$

$$\begin{aligned} \underline{a}(\theta, \phi) &= \int_V \underline{J}(\underline{r}') e^{jk(x' \sin \theta \cos \phi + y' \sin \theta \sin \phi + z' \cos \theta)} dx' dy' dz' \\ &= \hat{z} \frac{\mu_0}{4\pi} \left( \frac{e^{-jkr}}{r} \right) \int_{-\infty}^{+\infty} I(z') e^{jkz' \cos \theta} dz' \end{aligned}$$

Hence

$$A_z \sim \frac{\mu_0}{4\pi} \left( \frac{e^{-jkr}}{r} \right) \tilde{I}(k \cos \theta)$$

# Far-Field Identity (cont.)

Hence, comparing these two,

$$\frac{\mu_0}{8\pi j} \int_{-\infty}^{+\infty} \tilde{I}(k_z) H_0^{(2)}(k_\rho \rho) e^{-jk_z z} dk_z \sim \frac{\mu_0}{4\pi} \left( \frac{e^{-jkr}}{r} \right) \tilde{I}(k \cos \theta)$$

or

$$\int_{-\infty}^{+\infty} \tilde{I}(k_z) H_0^{(2)}(k_\rho \rho) e^{-jk_z z} dk_z \sim 2j \left( \frac{e^{-jkr}}{r} \right) \tilde{I}(k \cos \theta)$$

as  $r \rightarrow \infty$

# Far-Field Identity (cont.)

To generalize this identity, use

$$H_n^{(2)}(x) \sim \sqrt{\frac{2}{\pi x}} e^{-j(x - \frac{n\pi}{2} - \frac{\pi}{4})}$$

Hence

$$H_n^{(2)}(x) \sim j^n H_0^{(2)}(x)$$

# Far-Field Identity (cont.)

Therefore, we have

$$\int_{-\infty}^{+\infty} \tilde{I}(k_z) H_n^{(2)}(k_\rho \rho) e^{-jk_z z} dk_z \sim 2j^{n+1} \left( \frac{e^{-jkr}}{r} \right) \tilde{I}(k \cos \theta)$$

Note: This is valid for  $\rho \rightarrow \infty$

Hence, this is valid for  $r \rightarrow \infty, \theta \neq 0, 180^\circ$

# Far-Field Identity (cont.)

Since the current function is arbitrary, we can write

$$\int_{-\infty}^{+\infty} f(k_z) H_n^{(2)}(k_\rho \rho) e^{-jk_z z} dk_z \sim 2j^{n+1} \left( \frac{e^{-jkr}}{r} \right) f(k \cos \theta)$$

for  $r \rightarrow \infty, \theta \neq 0, 180^\circ$