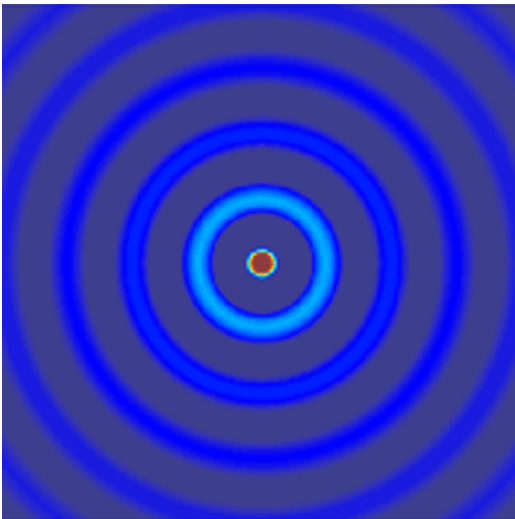


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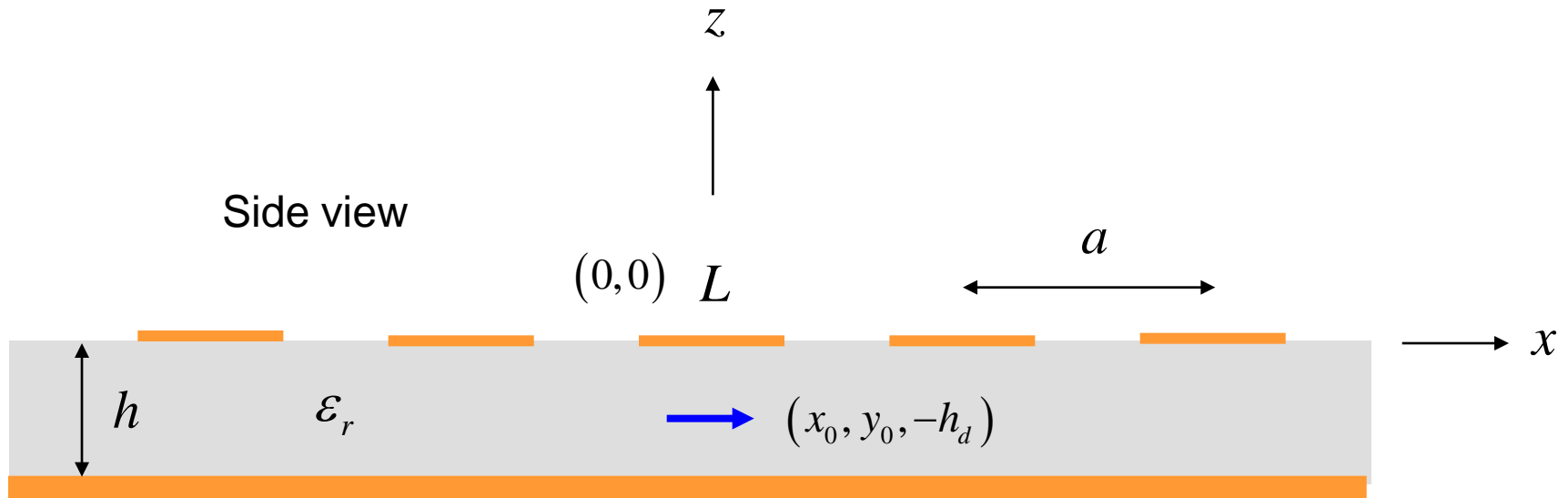


# Overview

In this set of notes we examine the **Array Scanning Method** (ASM) for calculating the field of a single source near an infinite periodic structure.

# ASM Geometry

Consider an infinite 2D periodic array of metal patches excited by a **single** (nonperiodic) dipole source.

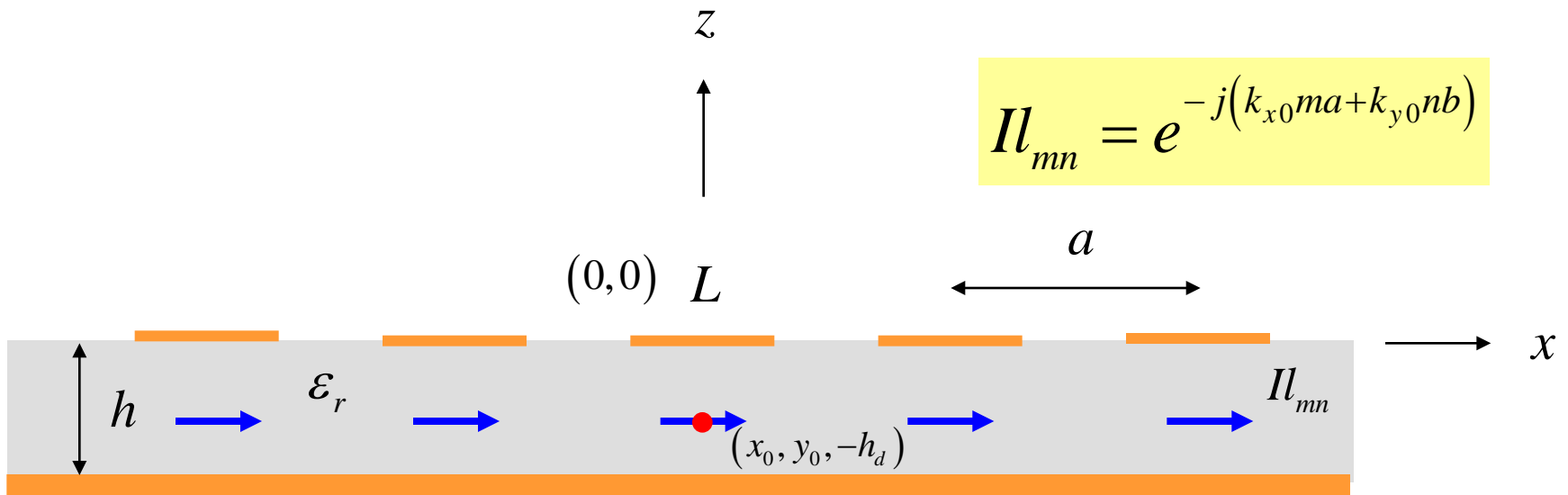


Patches :  $L \times W$

Unit cell :  $a \times b$

# ASM Analysis

We first consider an infinite 2D periodic array of metal patches excited by an infinite periodic array of dipole sources.



This is an infinite periodic “phased array” problem.

# ASM Analysis (cont.)

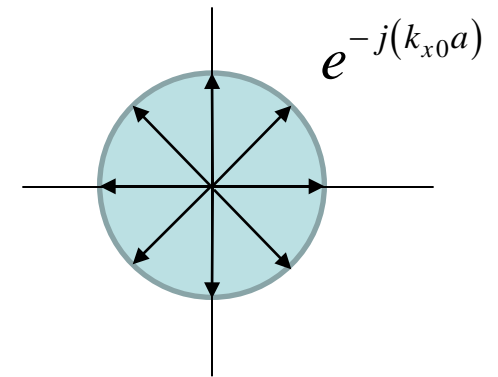
We use the following identity:

$$\int_{-\pi/a}^{\pi/a} e^{-j(k_{x0}ma)} dk_{x0} = \frac{e^{-j(k_{x0}ma)} \Big|_{-\pi/a}^{\pi/a}}{-jma} = \frac{e^{-j(m\pi)} - e^{+j(m\pi)}}{-jma} = 0$$

$$m \neq 0$$

Picture for  $m = 1$

$$-\pi < k_0 a < \pi$$



Complex plane

Hence we can say that

$$\int_{-\pi/a}^{\pi/a} e^{-j(k_{x0}ma)} dk_{x0} = \begin{cases} 0, & m \neq 0 \\ \frac{2\pi}{a}, & m = 0 \end{cases}$$

# ASM Analysis (cont.)

Denote

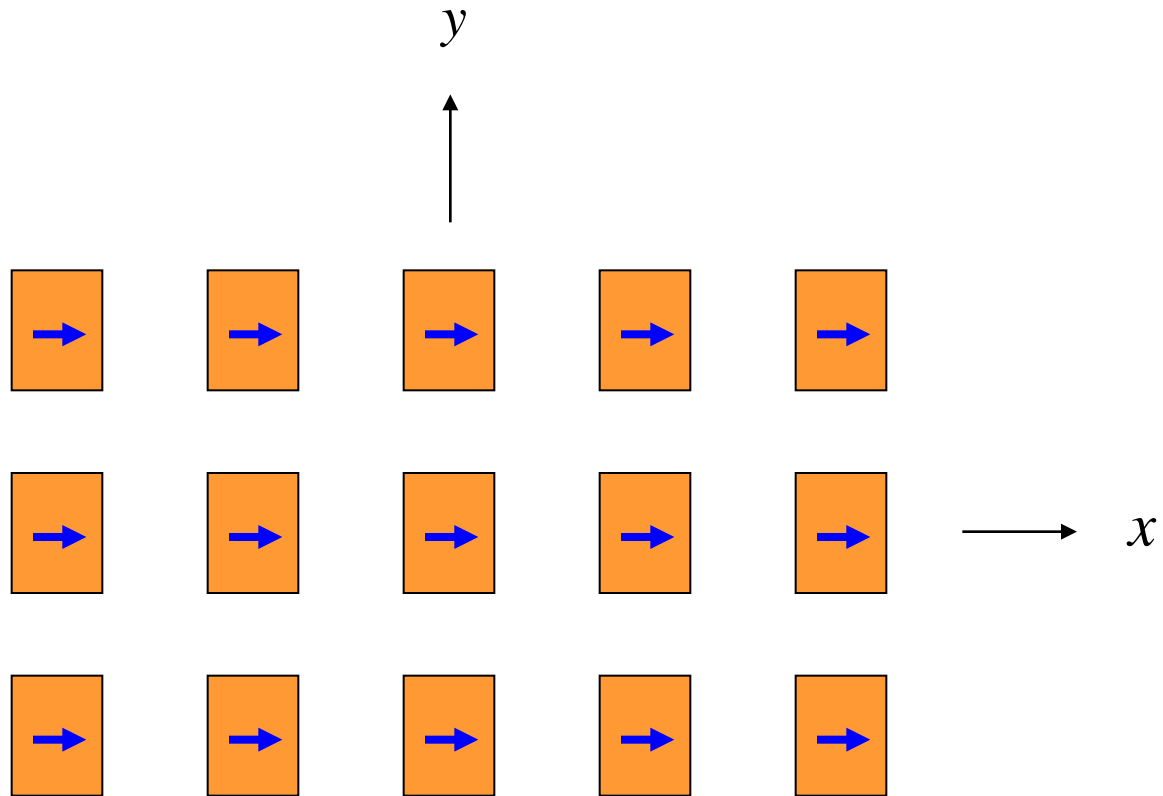
$E_x^\infty(x, y, z; k_{x0}, k_{y0})$  = field produced by infinite periodic array problem  
with phasing  $(k_{x0}, k_{y0})$

Then

$\frac{a}{2\pi} \int_{-\pi/a}^{\pi/a} E_x^\infty(x, y, z; k_{x0}, k_{y0}) dk_{x0}$  = field produced by  
*a single column* of dipole sources

# ASM Analysis (cont.)

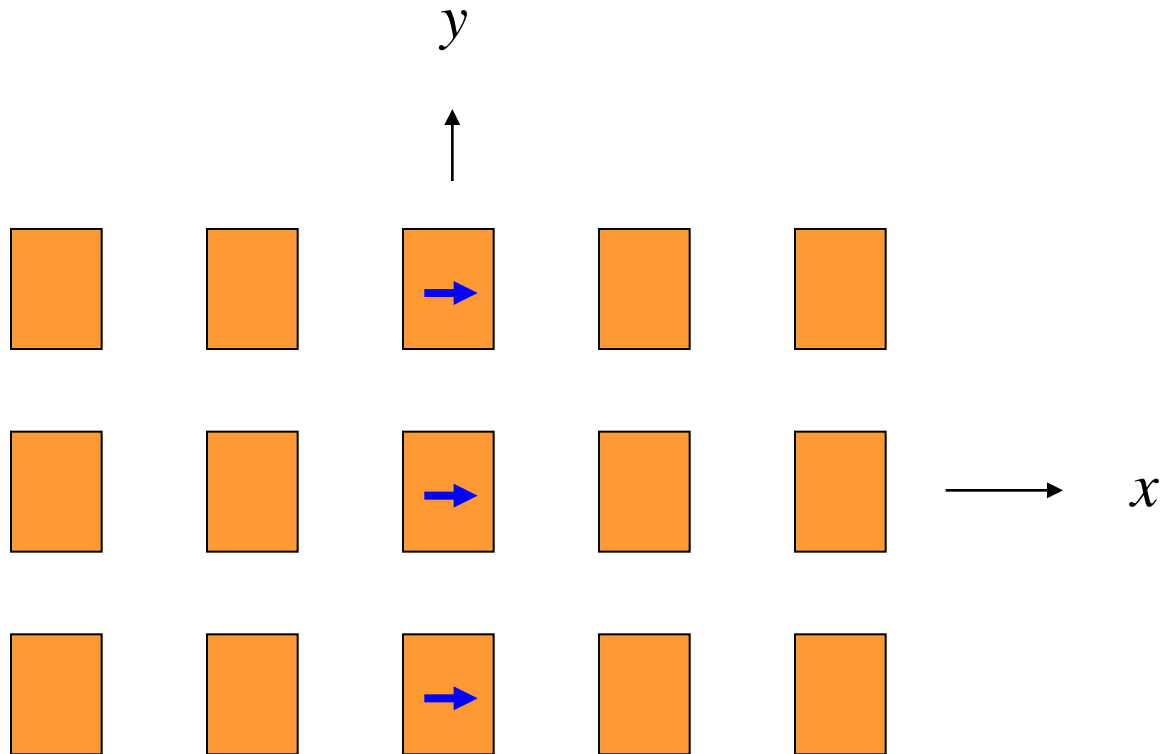
$$E_x^\infty(x, y, z; k_{x0}, k_{y0}) = \text{field from 2D array of phased dipoles}$$



# ASM Analysis (cont.)

$$\frac{a}{2\pi} \int_{-\pi/a}^{\pi/a} E_x^\infty(x, y, z; k_{x0}, k_{y0}) dk_{x0} = \text{field from single column of dipoles}$$

(phased in the  $y$  direction)





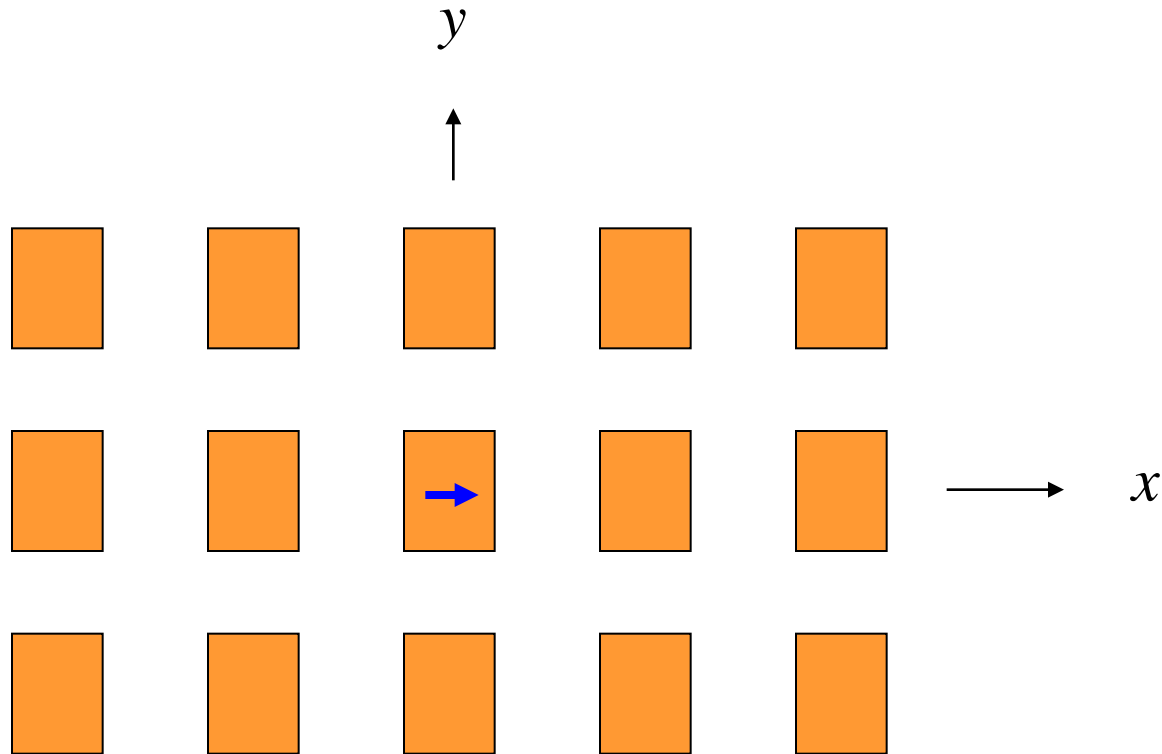
# ASM Analysis (cont.)

Next, we apply the same procedure to the phasing in the  $y$  direction:

$$\int_{-\pi/b}^{\pi/b} e^{-j(k_{y0}mb)} dk_{y0} = \begin{cases} 0, & m \neq 0 \\ \frac{2\pi}{b}, & m = 0 \end{cases}$$

# ASM Analysis (cont.)

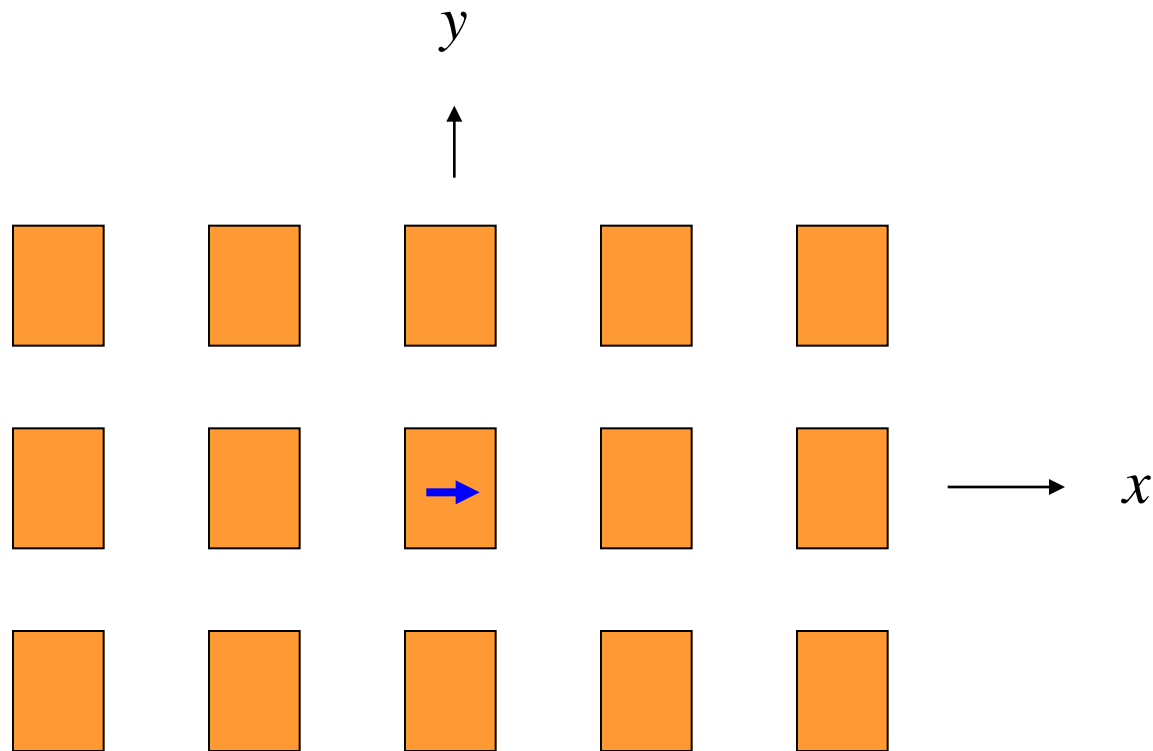
$$\frac{ab}{(2\pi)^2} \int_{-\pi/b}^{\pi/b} \int_{-\pi/a}^{\pi/a} E_x^\infty(x, y, z; k_{x0}, k_{y0}) dk_{x0} dk_{y0} = \text{field from a single dipole}$$



# ASM Analysis (cont.)

## Conclusion:

$$E_x(x, y, z) = \frac{ab}{(2\pi)^2} \int_{-\pi/b}^{\pi/b} \int_{-\pi/a}^{\pi/a} E_x^\infty(x, y, z; k_{x0}, k_{y0}) dk_{x0} dk_{y0}$$



# ASM Analysis (cont.)

After doing the method of moments (please see the Appendix), the result for the infinite phased array problem will be in the form

$$E_x^\infty(x, y, z; k_{x0}, k_{y0}) = \sum_{p=-\infty}^{\infty} \sum_{q=-\infty}^{\infty} A(k_{xp}, k_{yq}; z) e^{-j(k_{xp}x + k_{yq}y)}$$

**Floquet expansion**

# ASM Analysis (cont.)

$$E_x(x, y, z) = \frac{ab}{(2\pi)^2} \int_{-\pi/b}^{\pi/b} \int_{-\pi/a}^{\pi/a} \sum_{p=-\infty}^{\infty} \sum_{q=-\infty}^{\infty} A(k_{xp}, k_{yq}; z) e^{-j(k_{xp}x + k_{yq}y)} dk_{x0} dk_{y0}$$



Please see the next slide.

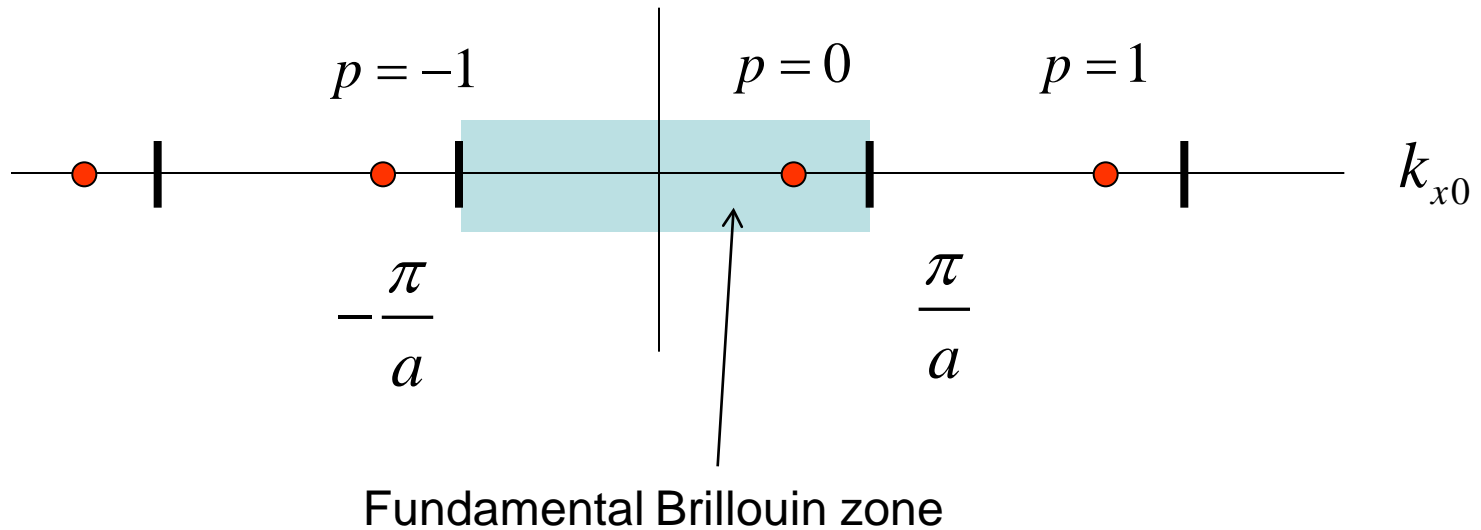
$$E_x(x, y, z) = \frac{ab}{(2\pi)^2} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} A(k_{x0}, k_{y0}; z) e^{-j(k_{x0}x + k_{y0}y)} dk_{x0} dk_{y0}$$

This is the “unfolded” form (the integration limits are infinite).

# ASM Analysis (cont.)

Physical explanation of the path unfolding (illustrated for the  $k_{x0}$  integral):

$$k_{xp} = k_{x0} + \frac{2\pi p}{a}$$



# Appendix

In this appendix we use the method of moments to calculate

$$E_x^\infty(x, y, z; k_{x0}, k_{y0})$$

# Appendix (cont.)

Assume that unknown current on the (0,0) patch in the 2D array problem is of the following form:

$$J_{sx}^{00}(x, y) = A_x^{00} B_x^{00}(x, y)$$

$$B_x^{00}(x, y) = \cos\left(\frac{\pi x}{L}\right), \quad |x| < L/2, \quad |y| < W/2$$

The EFIE is then

$$A_x^{00} E_x^\infty \left[ B_x^{00} \right] + E_x^\infty \left[ J_{sx}^{dip00} \right] = 0, \quad |x| < L/2, \quad |y| < W/2$$

Note that the “ $\infty$ ” superscript stands for “infinite periodic” (i.e., the fields due to the infinite periodic array of patch currents).

The EFIE is enforced on the (0,0) patch; it is then automatically enforced on all patches.



# Appendix (cont.)

We have, using Galerkin's method,

$$A_x^{00} \int_{S_0} B_x^{00}(x, y) E_x^\infty [B_x^{00}] dS + \int_{S_0} B_x^{00}(x, y) E_x^\infty [J_{sx}^{dip00}] dS = 0$$

Define

$$Z_{xx}^\infty = - \int_{S_0} B_x^{00}(x, y) E_x^\infty [B_x^{00}] dS$$

$$R^{00} = \int_{S_0} B_x^{00}(x, y) E_x^\infty [J_{sx}^{dip00}] dS$$

We then have

$$A_x^{00} Z_{xx}^\infty = R^{00}$$

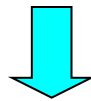
# Appendix (cont.)

The (0,0) patch current amplitude is then

$$A_x^{00}(k_{x0}, k_{y0}) = \frac{R^{00}(k_{x0}, k_{y0})}{Z_{xx}^{\infty}(k_{x0}, k_{y0})}$$

We also have

$$Z_{xx}^{single} = -\frac{1}{(2\pi)^2} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \tilde{G}_{xx}(k_x, k_y) \left[ \tilde{B}_x^{00}(k_x, k_y) \right]^2 dk_x dk_y$$



$$Z_{xx}^{\infty} = -\frac{(2\pi)^2}{ab} \sum_{p=-\infty}^{\infty} \sum_{q=-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{1}{(2\pi)^2} \tilde{G}_{xx}(k_{xp}, k_{yq}) \left[ \tilde{B}_x^{00}(k_{xp}, k_{yq}) \right]^2$$

# Appendix (cont.)

For the RHS term we have

$$\begin{aligned}
 R^{00} &= \int_{S_0} B_x^{00}(x, y) E_x^\infty \left[ J_{sx}^{dip00} \right] dS \\
 &= \int_{S_0} J_{sx}^{dip00}(x, y) E_x^\infty \left[ B_x^{00} \right] dS \\
 &= E_x^\infty \left[ B_x^{00} \right] (x_0, y_0, -h_d)
 \end{aligned}$$

This follows from reciprocity for a single unit cell together with the periodic SDI method.

The field from the periodic array of patch basis functions is

$$\begin{aligned}
 E_x^\infty(x, y, z; k_{x0}, k_0) \left[ B_x^\infty \right] &= \frac{(2\pi)^2}{ab} \sum_{p=-\infty}^{\infty} \sum_{q=-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{1}{(2\pi)^2} \tilde{G}_{xx}(k_{xp}, k_{yq}; z, 0) \\
 &\quad \cdot \tilde{B}_x^{00}(k_{xp}, k_{yq}) e^{-j(k_{xp}x + k_{yq}y)}
 \end{aligned}$$

# Appendix (cont.)

Hence, we have

$$R^{00}(k_{x0}, k_{y0}) = \frac{(2\pi)^2}{ab} \sum_{p=-\infty}^{\infty} \sum_{q=-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{1}{(2\pi)^2} \tilde{G}_{xx}(k_{xp}, k_{yq}; -h_d, 0) \tilde{B}_x^{00}(k_{xp}, k_{yq}) \cdot e^{-j(k_{xp}x_0 + k_{yq}y_0)}$$

where

$$\tilde{B}_x^{00}(k_{xp}, k_{yq}) = \left( \frac{\pi}{2} LW \right) \text{sinc} \left( k_{yq} \frac{W}{2} \right) \left[ \frac{\cos \left( k_{xp} \frac{L}{2} \right)}{\left( \frac{\pi}{2} \right)^2 - \left( k_{xp} \frac{L}{2} \right)^2} \right]$$

# Appendix (cont.)

We then have, for the contribution due to the patches:

$$E_x^{\infty, patches} (x, y, z; k_{x0}, k_{y0}) = A_x^{00} (k_{x0}, k_{y0}) \frac{(2\pi)^2}{ab} \sum_{p=-\infty}^{\infty} \sum_{q=-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{1}{(2\pi)^2} \tilde{G}_{xx} (k_{xp}, k_{yq}; z, 0) \cdot \tilde{B}_x^{00} (k_{xp}, k_{yq}) e^{-j(k_{xp}x + k_{yq}y)}$$

For the contribution due to the dipoles:

$$E_x^{\infty, dipoles} (x, y, z; k_{x0}, k_{y0}) = Il \frac{(2\pi)^2}{ab} \sum_{p=-\infty}^{\infty} \sum_{q=-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{1}{(2\pi)^2} \tilde{G}_{xx} (k_{xp}, k_{yq}; z, -h_d) \cdot (1) e^{-j(k_{xp}x + k_{yq}y)}$$

# Appendix (cont.)

We have that

$$A_x^{00}(k_{x0}, k_{y0}) = A_x^{00}(k_{xp}, k_{yq})$$

(This is because we have the same physical dipole excitation for either set of phasing wavenumbers.)

We then have

$$E_x^{\infty, patches}(x, y, z; k_{x0}, k_{y0}) = \frac{(2\pi)^2}{ab} \sum_{p=-\infty}^{\infty} \sum_{q=-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{1}{(2\pi)^2} A_x^{00}(k_{xp}, k_{yq}) \tilde{G}_{xx}(k_{xp}, k_{yq}; z, 0) \cdot \tilde{B}_x^{00}(k_{xp}, k_{yq}) e^{-j(k_{xp}x + k_{yq}y)}$$

# Appendix (cont.)

We then use

$$E_x^\infty(x, y, z; k_x, k_y) = E_x^{\infty, \text{dipoles}}(x, y, z; k_x, k_y) + E_x^{\infty, \text{patches}}(x, y, z; k_x, k_y)$$

so that

$$E_x^\infty(x, y, z; k_{x0}, k_{y0}) = \frac{(2\pi)^2}{ab} \sum_{p=-\infty}^{\infty} \sum_{q=-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{1}{(2\pi)^2} A_x^{00}(k_{xp}, k_{yq}) \tilde{G}_{xx}(k_{xp}, k_{yq}; z, 0) \cdot \tilde{B}_x^{00}(k_{xp}, k_{yq}) e^{-j(k_{xp}x + k_{yq}y)}$$
$$+ \frac{(2\pi)^2}{ab} \sum_{p=-\infty}^{\infty} \sum_{q=-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{1}{(2\pi)^2} H \tilde{G}_{xx}(k_{xp}, k_{yq}; z, -h_d) e^{-j(k_{xp}x + k_{yq}y)}$$

# Appendix (cont.)

We therefore identify

$$A(k_{xp}, k_{yq}; z) = \frac{(2\pi)^2}{ab} \frac{1}{(2\pi)^2} A_x^{00}(k_{xp}, k_{yq}) \tilde{G}_{xx}(k_{xp}, k_{yq}; z, 0) \tilde{B}_x^{00}(k_{xp}, k_{yq}) \\ + \frac{(2\pi)^2}{ab} \frac{1}{(2\pi)^2} \Pi \tilde{G}_{xx} \tilde{G}_{xx}(k_{xp}, k_{yq}; z, -h_d)$$



# Appendix (cont.)

Note: When calculating the field in the original problem, there is no need to use the ASM to find the fields from the original (single) dipole; we can also find this directly using the (non-periodic) SDI method.

We then have

$$E_x(x, y, z) = E_x^{dipole}(x, y, z) + \frac{ab}{(2\pi)^2} \int_{-\pi/b}^{\pi/b} \int_{-\pi/a}^{\pi/a} A_x^{00}(k_{x0}, k_{y0}) \left[ \frac{(2\pi)^2}{ab} \sum_{p=-\infty}^{\infty} \sum_{q=-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{1}{(2\pi)^2} \tilde{G}_{xx}(k_{xp}, k_{yq}; z, 0) \right] \cdot \tilde{B}_x^{00}(k_{xp}, k_{yq}) e^{-j(k_{xp}x + k_{yq}y)} dk_{x0} dk_{y0}$$