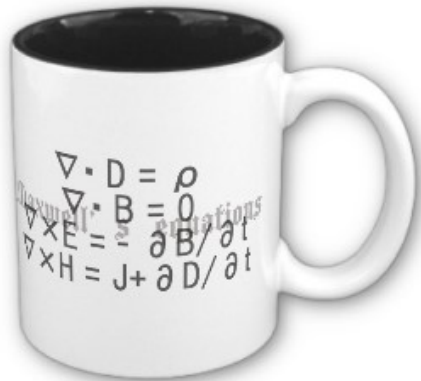


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Intermediate EM Waves

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Notes 9

Fields of a Guided Wave



Theorem on Field Representation:

Assume

$$\left. \begin{aligned} \underline{E}(x, y, z) &= \underline{E}_0(x, y) e^{-\gamma z} \\ \underline{H}(x, y, z) &= \underline{H}_0(x, y) e^{-\gamma z} \end{aligned} \right\} \text{Guided wave}$$

Then

$$\begin{aligned} \underline{E}_t &= \underline{E}_t(E_z, H_z) \\ \underline{H}_t &= \underline{H}_t(E_z, H_z) \end{aligned}$$

The “*t*” subscript denotes transverse (to *z*)

Fields of a Guided Wave (cont.)

Proof (for E_y)

$$\nabla \times \underline{H} = j \omega \epsilon_c \underline{E}$$

so
$$E_y = \frac{1}{j\omega\epsilon_c} \left(-\frac{\partial H_z}{\partial x} + \frac{\partial H_x}{\partial z} \right)$$

or
$$E_y = \frac{1}{j\omega\epsilon_c} \left(-\frac{\partial H_z}{\partial x} - \gamma H_x \right)$$

Now solve for H_x :

$$\nabla \times \underline{E} = -j \omega \mu \underline{H}$$

Need H_x



Fields of a Guided Wave (cont.)

$$\begin{aligned} H_x &= -\frac{1}{j\omega\mu} \left(\frac{\partial E_z}{\partial y} - \frac{\partial E_y}{\partial z} \right) \\ &= -\frac{1}{j\omega\mu} \left(\frac{\partial E_z}{\partial y} + \gamma E_y \right) \end{aligned}$$

Substituting this into the equation for E_y yields the following result:

$$E_y = \frac{1}{j\omega\epsilon_c} \left(-\frac{\partial H_z}{\partial x} - \gamma H_x \right)$$



$$E_y = \frac{1}{j\omega\epsilon_c} \left[-\frac{\partial H_z}{\partial x} - \gamma \left(-\frac{1}{j\omega\mu} \right) \left(\frac{\partial E_z}{\partial y} + \gamma E_y \right) \right]$$

Next, multiply by $-j\omega\mu(j\omega\epsilon_c) = k^2$

Fields of a Guided Wave (cont.)

$$k^2 E_y = j\omega\mu \frac{\partial H_z}{\partial x} - \gamma \frac{\partial E_z}{\partial y} - \gamma^2 E_y$$

so

$$E_y = \left(\frac{j\omega\mu}{\gamma^2 + k^2} \right) \frac{\partial H_z}{\partial x} - \left(\frac{\gamma}{\gamma^2 + k^2} \right) \frac{\partial E_z}{\partial y}$$

The other components may be found similarly.

Fields of a Guided Wave (cont.)

Summary of Fields

$$E_x = \left(\frac{-j\omega\mu}{k^2 + \gamma^2} \right) \frac{\partial H_z}{\partial y} - \left(\frac{\gamma}{k^2 + \gamma^2} \right) \frac{\partial E_z}{\partial x}$$

$$E_y = \left(\frac{j\omega\mu}{\gamma^2 + k^2} \right) \frac{\partial H_z}{\partial x} - \left(\frac{\gamma}{\gamma^2 + k^2} \right) \frac{\partial E_z}{\partial y}$$

$$H_x = \left(\frac{j\omega\varepsilon}{k^2 + \gamma^2} \right) \frac{\partial E_z}{\partial y} - \left(\frac{\gamma}{k^2 + \gamma^2} \right) \frac{\partial H_z}{\partial x}$$

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Fields of a Guided Wave (cont.)

These may be written more compactly as

$$\underline{E}_t = \frac{j\omega\mu}{k^2 + \gamma^2} (\hat{z} \times \nabla_t H_z) - \frac{\gamma}{k^2 + \gamma^2} (\nabla_t E_z)$$

$$\underline{H}_t = \frac{-j\omega\varepsilon}{k^2 + \gamma^2} (\hat{z} \times \nabla_t E_z) - \frac{\gamma}{k^2 + \gamma^2} (\nabla_t H_z)$$

Where the 2-D gradient is defined as

$$\nabla_t \Phi \equiv \hat{x} \frac{\partial \Phi}{\partial x} + \hat{y} \frac{\partial \Phi}{\partial y}$$

Fields of a Guided Wave (cont.)

In cylindrical coordinates we have

$$\nabla_t \Phi = \hat{\rho} \frac{\partial \Phi}{\partial \rho} + \hat{\phi} \frac{1}{\rho} \frac{\partial \Phi}{\partial \phi}$$

We can thus also express the fields of a guided wave in terms of E_z and H_z in cylindrical coordinates (please see next slide).

Fields of a Guided Wave (cont.)

Summary of Fields

cylindrical coordinates

$$E_{\rho} = -\frac{j\omega\mu}{k^2 + \gamma^2} \frac{1}{\rho} \left(\frac{\partial H_z}{\partial \phi} \right) - \frac{\gamma}{k^2 + \gamma^2} \left(\frac{\partial E_z}{\partial \rho} \right)$$

$$E_{\phi} = \frac{j\omega\mu}{k^2 + \gamma^2} \left(\frac{\partial H_z}{\partial \rho} \right) - \frac{\gamma}{k^2 + \gamma^2} \frac{1}{\rho} \left(\frac{\partial E_z}{\partial \phi} \right)$$

$$H_{\rho} = \frac{j\omega\varepsilon}{k^2 + \gamma^2} \frac{1}{\rho} \left(\frac{\partial E_z}{\partial \phi} \right) - \frac{\gamma}{k^2 + \gamma^2} \left(\frac{\partial H_z}{\partial \rho} \right)$$

$$H_{\phi} = -\frac{j\omega\varepsilon}{k^2 + \gamma^2} \left(\frac{\partial E_z}{\partial \rho} \right) - \frac{\gamma}{k^2 + \gamma^2} \frac{1}{\rho} \left(\frac{\partial H_z}{\partial \phi} \right)$$

Types of Guided Waves

TEM_z mode: $E_z = 0$ $H_z = 0$ Transmission line

TM_z mode: $E_z \neq 0$ $H_z = 0$ Waveguide

TE_z mode: $E_z = 0$ $H_z \neq 0$ Waveguide

Hybrid mode: $E_z \neq 0$ $H_z \neq 0$ Fiber-optic guide

Wavenumber Property of TEM Wave

Assume a TEM wave:

$$E_z = 0$$

$$H_z = 0$$

To avoid having a completely zero field, $\gamma^2 + k^2 = 0$

$$\longrightarrow \gamma = \pm jk$$

$$k = k' - jk''$$

We then have

$$\gamma = jk$$

Note: The plus sign is chosen to give a decaying wave:

$$e^{-\gamma z} = e^{-jkz} = e^{-jk'z} e^{-k''z}$$

Wavenumber Property (cont.)

Propagation constant vs. wavenumber notation:

$$\begin{aligned}\gamma &= \alpha + j\beta \\ k_z &= \beta - j\alpha\end{aligned}$$

$$k_z = -j\gamma, \quad \gamma = jk_z$$

Note that k_z is called the “propagation wavenumber” of the mode.

$$e^{-\gamma z} \Rightarrow e^{-jk_z z}$$

$$e^{-\gamma z} = e^{-jk_z z} = e^{-\alpha z} e^{-j\beta z}$$

TEM mode:

$$k_z = k$$

Note:

A TEM mode can propagate on a lossless transmission line at any frequency.

Wavenumber Property (cont.)

The field on a lossless transmission line is a TEM mode (proven later).

Lossless TL:

$$k_z = \omega\sqrt{LC} = k = \omega\sqrt{\mu\varepsilon}$$

so $LC = \mu\varepsilon$

$$v_p = \frac{1}{\sqrt{LC}} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{\mu\varepsilon}}$$

$$v_p = c_d$$

The phase velocity is equal to the speed of light in the dielectric.

Wavenumber Property (cont.)

Lossy TL (dielectric but no conductor loss): The mode is still a TEM mode

Hence

$$k_z = -j\gamma = -j\sqrt{(R + j\omega L)(G + j\omega C)} = k = \omega\sqrt{\mu\epsilon_c} = \omega\sqrt{\mu(\epsilon'_c - j\epsilon''_c)}$$

Note:

The TEM_z assumption requires that $R = 0$.

Otherwise, $E_z \neq 0$ (from Ohm's law).

$$\Rightarrow -j\sqrt{(j\omega L)(G + j\omega C)} = \omega\sqrt{\mu(\epsilon'_c - j\epsilon''_c)}$$

$$\Rightarrow -(j\omega L)(G + j\omega C) = \omega^2\mu(\epsilon'_c - j\epsilon''_c)$$

Real part: $LC = \mu\epsilon'_c$

Imaginary part: $LG = \omega\mu\epsilon''_c$

Dividing these two equations gives us:

$$G = (\omega C) \frac{\epsilon''_c}{\epsilon'_c}$$

Static Property of TEM Wave

The fields of a TEM mode may be written as:

$$\begin{aligned}\underline{E}(x, y, z) &= \underline{E}_0(x, y) e^{-\gamma z} \\ &= \underline{E}_{t0}(x, y) e^{-\gamma z}\end{aligned}$$

$$\underline{H}(x, y, z) = \underline{H}_{t0}(x, y) e^{-\gamma z} \quad \gamma = jk_z = jk$$

Theorem

$\underline{E}_{t0}(x, y)$ and $\underline{H}_{t0}(x, y)$ are 2D static field functions.

Static Property of TEM Wave (cont.)

Proof

$$\begin{aligned}\nabla \times \underline{E}_{t0} &= \begin{vmatrix} \hat{x} & \hat{y} & \hat{z} \\ \frac{\partial}{\partial x} & \frac{\partial}{\partial y} & \frac{\partial}{\partial z} \\ E_{x0} & E_{y0} & 0 \end{vmatrix} \\ &= \hat{z} \left(\frac{\partial E_{y0}}{\partial x} - \frac{\partial E_{x0}}{\partial y} \right)\end{aligned}$$

Therefore, only a z component of the curl exists.
We next prove that this must be zero.

Static Property of TEM Wave (cont.)

Use

$$\begin{aligned}\nabla \times \underline{E} &= \nabla \times (\underline{E}_{t0} e^{-\gamma z}) \\ &= e^{-\gamma z} \nabla \times \underline{E}_{t0} + \nabla(e^{-\gamma z}) \times \underline{E}_{t0} \\ &= e^{-\gamma z} \nabla \times \underline{E}_{t0} - \gamma e^{-\gamma z} \hat{\underline{z}} \times \underline{E}_{t0}\end{aligned}$$

$$\hat{\underline{z}} \cdot (\nabla \times \underline{E}) = e^{-\gamma z} \hat{\underline{z}} \cdot (\nabla \times \underline{E}_{t0})$$

Also,

$$\begin{aligned}\hat{\underline{z}} \cdot (\nabla \times \underline{E}) &= \hat{\underline{z}} \cdot (-j\omega\mu\underline{H}) \\ &= -j\omega\mu H_z = 0\end{aligned}$$

Static Property of TEM Wave (cont.)

Hence

$$\hat{\underline{z}} \cdot (\nabla \times \underline{E}_{t0}) = 0$$

Therefore,

$$\nabla \times \underline{E}_{t0}(x, y) = \underline{0}$$

Static Property of TEM Wave (cont.)

Also,

$$\nabla \cdot \underline{\underline{E}} = 0 \quad (\text{No charge density in the time-harmonic steady state, for a homogeneous medium})$$

Therefore, $\nabla \cdot (\underline{\underline{E}}_{t0} e^{-\gamma z}) = 0$

$$(\nabla \cdot \underline{\underline{E}}_{t0}) e^{-\gamma z} + \underline{\underline{E}}_{t0} \cdot \nabla (e^{-\gamma z}) = 0$$

$$(\nabla \cdot \underline{\underline{E}}_{t0}) e^{-\gamma z} + \underline{\underline{E}}_{t0} \cdot \left(\hat{\underline{\underline{z}}} (-\gamma e^{-\gamma z}) \right) = 0$$

Hence, $\nabla \cdot \underline{\underline{E}}_{t0} (x, y) = 0$

Static Property of TEM Wave (cont.)

$$\nabla \times \underline{E}_{t0}(x, y) = \underline{0}$$

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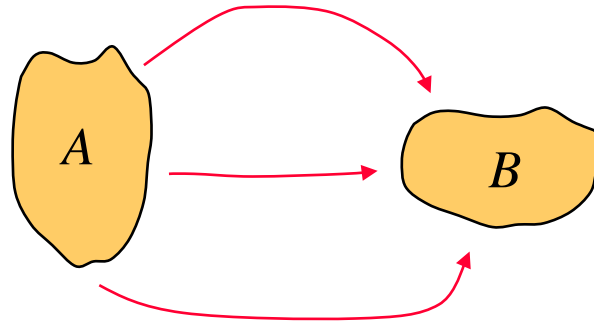
$$\Rightarrow \underline{E}_{t0} = -\nabla\Phi(x, y)$$

$$\nabla \cdot \underline{E}_{t0} = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \nabla^2\Phi = 0$$

Static Property of TEM Wave (cont.)

$$\underline{E}_{t0}(x, y) = -\nabla\Phi(x, y)$$



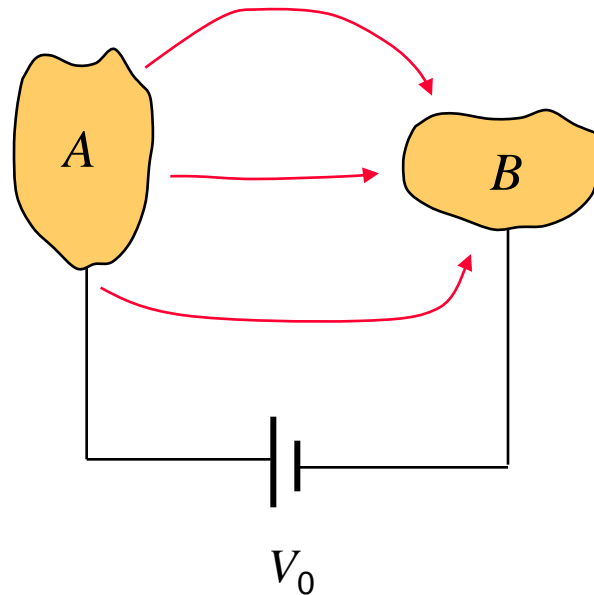
$$\nabla^2\Phi(x, y) = 0$$

$\Phi = \text{constant on } A \text{ or } B$ (since $\underline{E}_{\text{tan}} = \underline{0}$ on conductors)

The potential function is unique (because of the uniqueness theorem of statics), and hence is the same as a static potential function (which also obeys the Laplace equation and the same BCs).

Static Property of TEM Wave (cont.)

The static property shows us why a TEM_z wave can exist on a transmission line (two parallel conductors).



Transmission line

A nonzero field can exist at DC.

Static Property of TEM Wave (cont.)

The static property also tells us why a TEM_z wave cannot exist inside of a **waveguide** (hollow conducting pipe).



Waveguide

No field can exist inside at DC.

(This would violate Faraday's law:

at DC the voltage drop around a closed path must be zero.)



Static Property of TEM Wave (cont.)

Similarly,

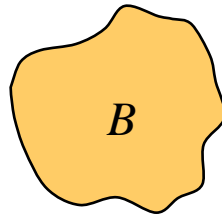
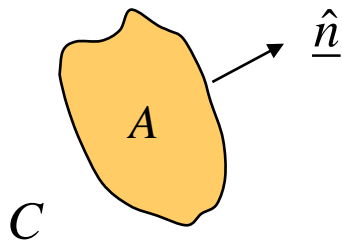
$$\nabla \times \underline{H}_{t0} = \underline{0}$$

$$\nabla \cdot \underline{H}_{t0} = 0$$

so

$$\underline{H}_{t0} = -\nabla \Phi_m(x, y)$$

$$\nabla^2 \Phi_m = 0$$



$$\left[\begin{array}{l} \nabla^2 \Phi_m = 0 \\ \frac{\partial \Phi_m}{\partial n} = 0 \end{array} \right] \quad C_1 \text{ and } C_2$$

$$(\underline{H}_{t0} \cdot \hat{n} = 0)$$

TEM Mode: Magnetic Field

$$\nabla \times \underline{H} = j \omega \epsilon_c \underline{E}$$

$$\underline{E} = \frac{1}{j \omega \epsilon_c} \begin{vmatrix} \hat{x} & \hat{y} & \hat{z} \\ \frac{\partial}{\partial x} & \frac{\partial}{\partial y} & -\gamma \\ H_x & H_y & 0 \end{vmatrix}$$

so

$$E_x = \frac{\gamma}{j \omega \epsilon_c} H_y \quad E_y = -\frac{\gamma}{j \omega \epsilon_c} H_x$$

TEM Magnetic Field (cont.)

Also,

$$\frac{\gamma}{j\omega\epsilon_c} = \frac{jk_z}{j\omega\epsilon_c} = \frac{jk}{j\omega\epsilon_c} = \frac{\omega\sqrt{\mu\epsilon_c}}{\omega\epsilon_c} = \sqrt{\frac{\mu}{\epsilon_c}} = \eta$$

so

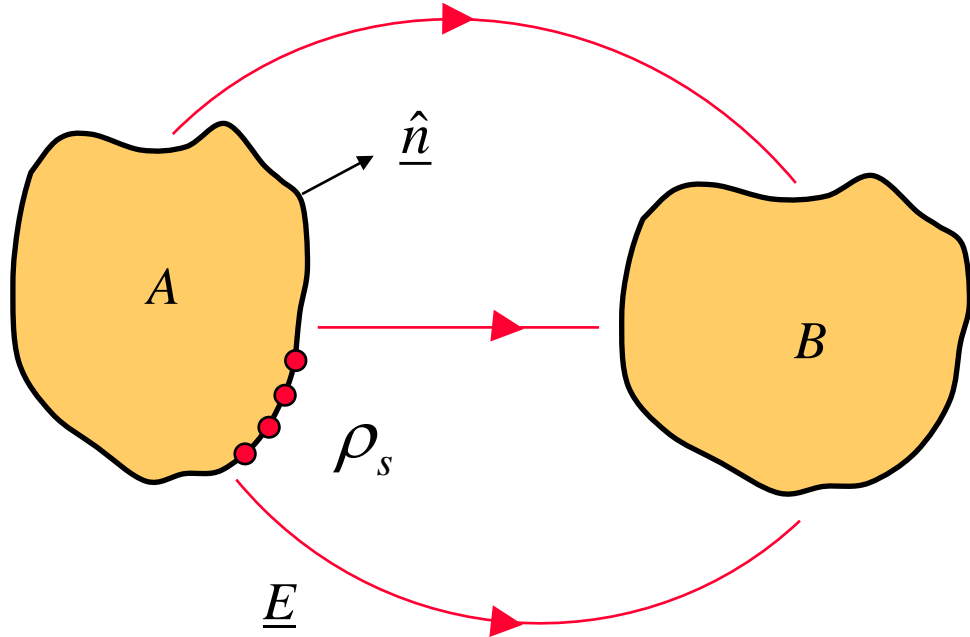
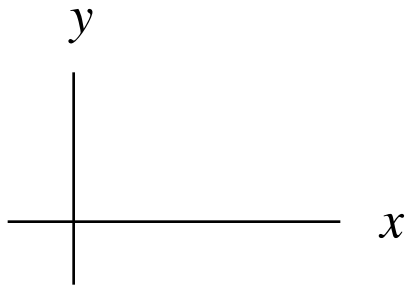
$$E_x = \eta H_y$$
$$E_y = -\eta H_x$$

This can be written as

$$\underline{H} = \frac{1}{\eta} (\underline{\hat{z}} \times \underline{E})$$

TEM Mode: Current and Charge Density

TEM mode



$$\rho_l = \oint_{C_A} \rho_s(l) dl$$

$$\rho_l = CV$$

C = capacitance / length

$$V = \int_A^B \underline{E} \cdot d\underline{r}$$

$$\underline{J}_s = \underline{\hat{n}} \times \underline{H} = \underline{\hat{n}} \times \left[\frac{1}{\eta} \underline{\hat{z}} \times \underline{E} \right]$$

TEM Mode: Current and Charge Density (cont.)

$$\underline{\hat{n}} \times (\underline{\hat{z}} \times \underline{E}) = \underline{\hat{z}} (\underline{\hat{n}} \cdot \underline{E}) - \underline{E} (\underline{\hat{n}} \cdot \underline{\hat{z}})$$

$$\underline{A} \times (\underline{B} \times \underline{C}) = \underline{B}(\underline{A} \cdot \underline{C}) - \underline{C}(\underline{A} \cdot \underline{B})$$

so

$$\underline{J}_s = \underline{\hat{z}} \frac{1}{\eta} (\underline{\hat{n}} \cdot \underline{E}) = \underline{\hat{z}} \frac{1}{\eta \epsilon} (\underline{\hat{n}} \cdot \underline{D})$$

Hence

$$\underline{J}_s = \underline{\hat{z}} \left(\frac{\rho_s}{\epsilon \eta} \right)$$

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

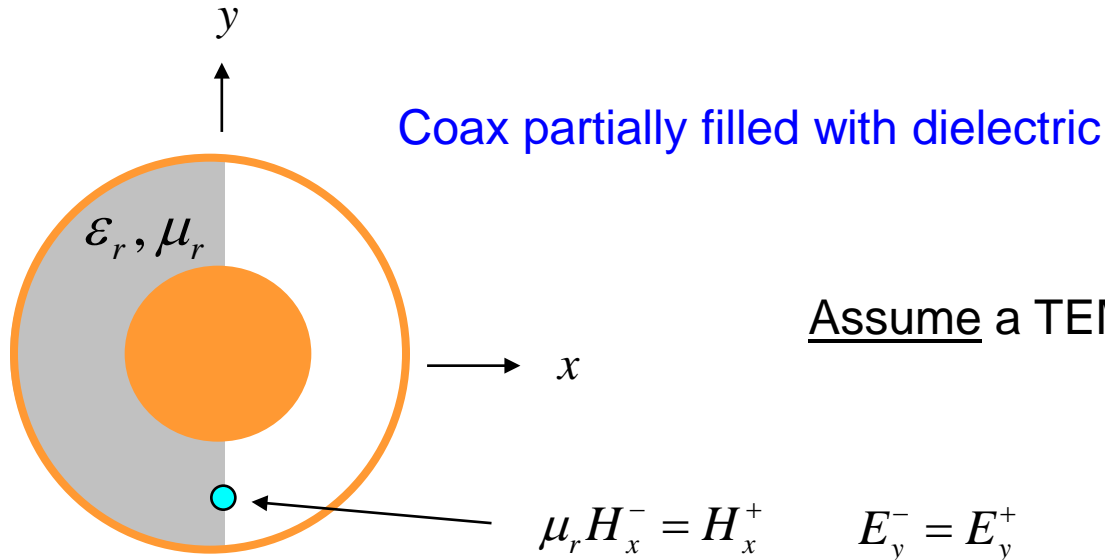
Note:

In general

$$\epsilon \neq \epsilon_c$$

TEM Mode: Homogeneous Substrate

A TEM_z mode requires a homogeneous substrate.



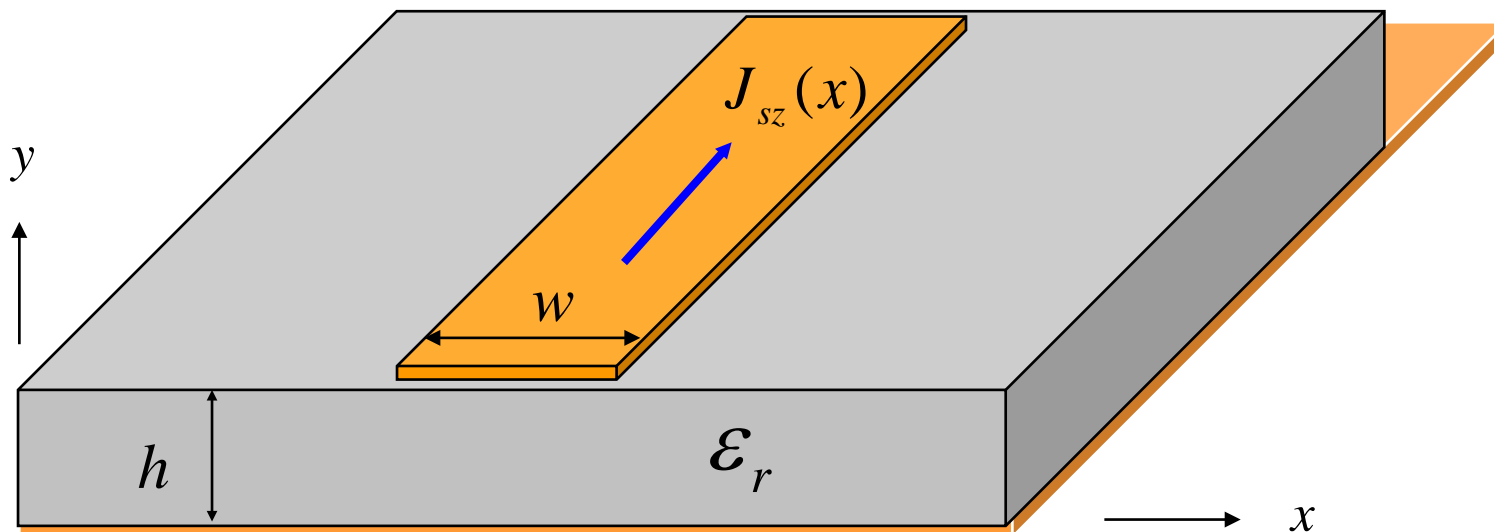
$$\left. \begin{array}{l} x = 0^+ : \frac{E_y^+}{H_x^+} = -\eta_0 \\ x = 0^- : \frac{E_y^-}{H_x^-} = -\eta_1 \end{array} \right\} \frac{E_y^+ \left(\frac{H_x^-}{H_x^+} \right)}{E_y^- \left(\frac{H_x^+}{H_x^-} \right)} = \frac{\eta_0}{\eta_1} = \sqrt{\frac{\epsilon_r}{\mu_r}} \quad \text{BCs} \quad \left(\frac{1}{\mu_r} \right) = \sqrt{\frac{\epsilon_r}{\mu_r}}$$

Take the ratio

Contradiction!

$$\sqrt{\mu_r \epsilon_r} = 1$$

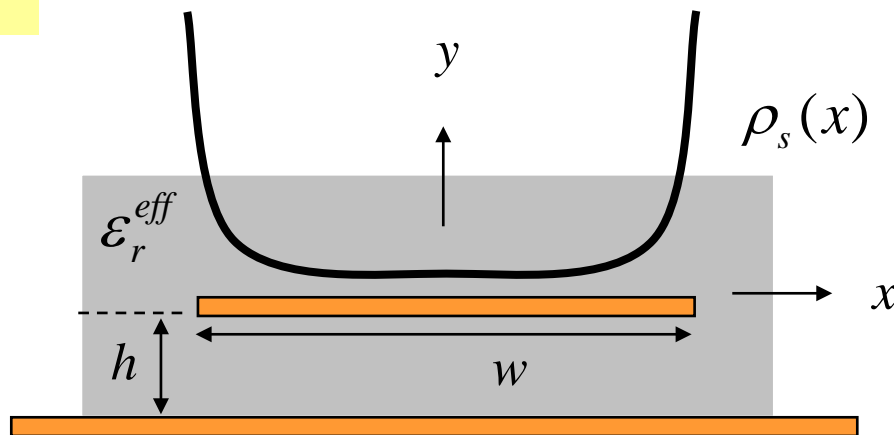
Example: Microstrip Line



$$k_z = k_0 \sqrt{\epsilon_r^{eff}}$$

Assume a TEM mode:
(requires a homogeneous space of material)

$$J_{sz} = \frac{1}{\epsilon_0 \epsilon_r \eta^{eff}} \rho_s(x)$$



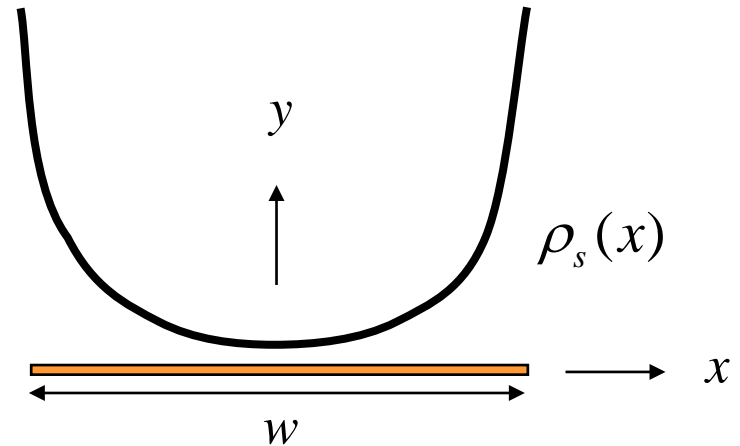
Homogeneous model

Example (cont.)

Strip in free space (or homogeneous space) with a static charge density (no ground plane):

$$\rho_s(x) = \left(\frac{1/\pi}{\sqrt{(w/2)^2 - x^2}} \right) \rho_l$$

(This was first derived by Maxwell using conformal mapping.)



$$\rho_l = \int_{-w/2}^{w/2} \rho_s(x) dx$$

Hence:

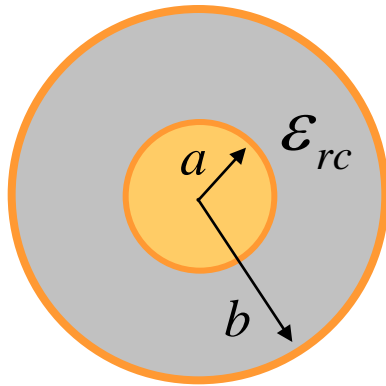
$$J_{sz}(x) \approx \left(\frac{1/\pi}{\sqrt{(w/2)^2 - x^2}} \right) I_0$$

In this result, I_0 is the total current [Amps] on the strip at $z = 0$.

This is accurate for a **narrow** strip (since we ignored the ground plane).

Example: Coaxial Cable

Find \underline{E} , \underline{H}



$$\Phi = \Phi(\rho)$$

We first find \underline{E}_{t0} and \underline{H}_{t0}

$$\underline{E}_{t0}(x, y) = -\nabla\Phi(x, y)$$

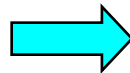
$$\nabla^2\Phi(\rho) = 0$$

$$\Phi(a) = V_0$$

$$\Phi(b) = 0$$

$$\rho \frac{\partial\Phi}{\partial\rho} = c_1$$

$$\frac{\partial\Phi}{\partial\rho} = \frac{c_1}{\rho}$$



$$\Phi = c_1 \ln \rho + c_2$$

$$\frac{1}{\rho} \frac{\partial}{\partial\rho} \left(\rho \frac{\partial\Phi}{\partial\rho} \right) = 0$$

Example (cont.)

Boundary conditions:

$$c_1 \ln a + c_2 = V_0$$

$$c_1 \ln b + c_2 = 0$$

so

$$c_1 (\ln a - \ln b) = V_0$$

Hence

$$c_1 = \frac{V_0}{\ln\left(\frac{a}{b}\right)} \quad c_2 = -c_1 \ln b = -\frac{V_0 \ln b}{\ln\left(\frac{a}{b}\right)}$$

Therefore

$$\Phi = \left(\frac{V_0}{\ln\left(\frac{a}{b}\right)} \right) \ln(\rho) + \left(-\frac{V_0 \ln b}{\ln\left(\frac{a}{b}\right)} \right) = \frac{V_0}{\ln\left(\frac{a}{b}\right)} \ln\left(\frac{\rho}{b}\right)$$

Example (cont.)

$$\Phi = \frac{V_0}{\ln\left(\frac{a}{b}\right)} \ln\left(\frac{\rho}{b}\right)$$

$$\underline{E}_{t0}(x, y) = -\nabla\Phi(x, y) = -\hat{\underline{\rho}} \frac{\partial\Phi}{\partial\rho}$$

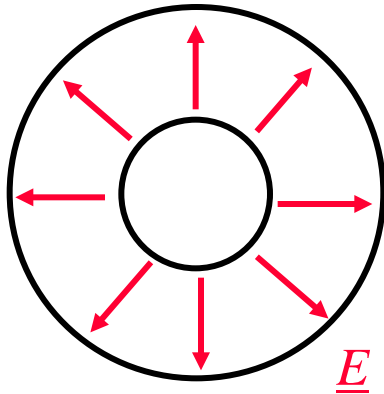
Hence

$$\underline{E}_{t0} = -\hat{\underline{\rho}} \left(\frac{1}{\rho}\right) \frac{V_0}{\ln\left(\frac{a}{b}\right)}$$

or

$$\underline{E}_{t0} = \hat{\underline{\rho}} \left(\frac{1}{\rho}\right) \frac{V_0}{\ln\left(\frac{b}{a}\right)}$$

Example (cont.)



$$\underline{H} = \frac{1}{\eta} \underline{\hat{z}} \times \underline{E} = \frac{1}{\eta} \underline{\hat{z}} \times (\underline{\hat{\rho}} E_{\rho})$$
$$\Rightarrow \underline{H} = \underline{\hat{\phi}} \left(\frac{E_{\rho}}{\eta} \right) \quad \eta = \sqrt{\frac{\mu}{\epsilon_c}}$$

The three-dimensional fields are then as follows:

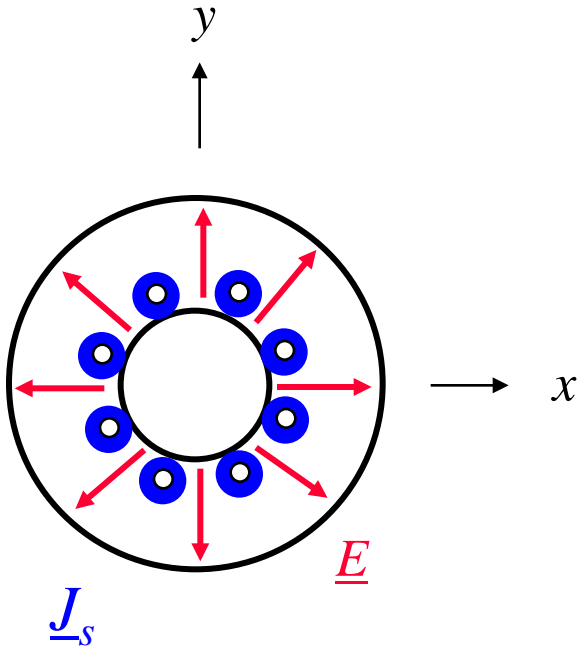
$$\underline{E} = \underline{\hat{\rho}} \left(\frac{1}{\rho} \right) \frac{V_0}{\ln \left(\frac{b}{a} \right)} e^{-jkz}$$
$$\underline{H} = \underline{\hat{\phi}} \left(\frac{1}{\eta \rho} \right) \frac{V_0}{\ln \left(\frac{b}{a} \right)} e^{-jkz}$$

This result is valid at
any frequency.

$$k = \omega \sqrt{\mu \epsilon_c}$$

Example (cont.)

Find the characteristic impedance.

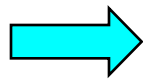


$$V^+ = V_0 e^{-jkz}$$

$$\begin{aligned} I^+ &= 2\pi a J_{sz} = 2\pi a H_\phi(a) \\ &= 2\pi a \left(\frac{1}{\eta a} \right) \frac{V_0}{\ln\left(\frac{b}{a}\right)} e^{-jkz} \end{aligned}$$

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

$$Z_0 = \frac{V^+}{I^+}$$



$$Z_0 = \frac{\eta}{2\pi} \ln\left(\frac{b}{a}\right) \quad [\Omega]$$

Example (cont.)

Find (L, C) for lossless coax.

$$\sqrt{LC} = \sqrt{\mu\epsilon} \quad (\text{assume } \mu = \mu_0)$$

$$\sqrt{\frac{L}{C}} = Z_0$$

Use

$$Z_0 = \frac{\eta}{2\pi} \ln\left(\frac{b}{a}\right)$$

Solve for L and C (multiply and divide the above two equations):

$$C = \frac{2\pi\epsilon_0\epsilon_r}{\ln\left(\frac{b}{a}\right)} \quad [\text{F/m}]$$

$$L = \frac{\mu_0}{2\pi} \ln\left(\frac{b}{a}\right) \quad [\text{H/m}]$$

Example (cont.)

Find (L, C, G) for lossy coax.

$$LC = \mu\epsilon'_c$$

$$\sqrt{\frac{L}{C}} = Z_0^{lossless}$$

$$Z_0^{lossless} = \sqrt{\frac{\mu_0}{\epsilon'_c}} \frac{1}{2\pi} \ln\left(\frac{b}{a}\right)$$

Use

$$G = (\omega C) \frac{\epsilon''_c}{\epsilon'_c}$$

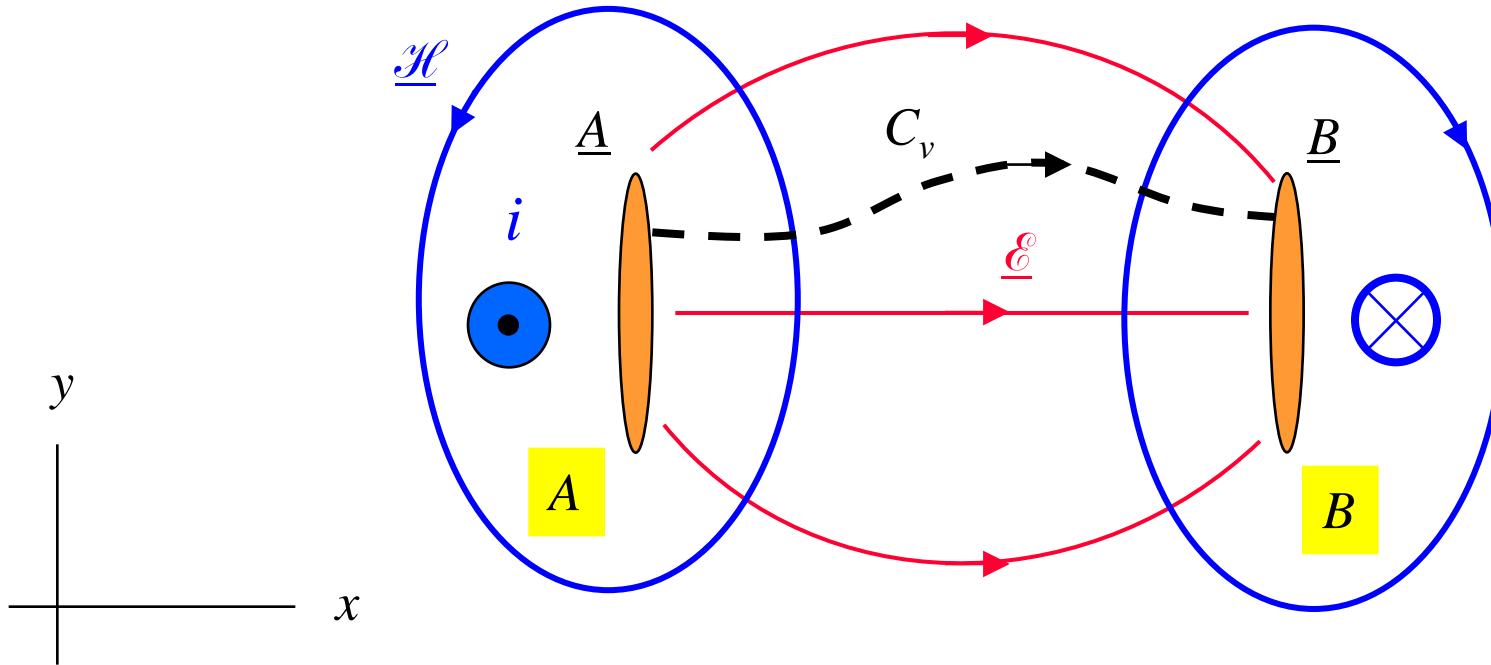
Result:

$$C = \frac{2\pi\epsilon_0\epsilon'_{rc}}{\ln\left(\frac{b}{a}\right)} \quad [\text{F/m}]$$

$$L = \frac{\mu_0}{2\pi} \ln\left(\frac{b}{a}\right) \quad [\text{H/m}]$$

$$G = (\omega C) \frac{\epsilon''_{rc}}{\epsilon'_{rc}} \quad [\text{S/m}]$$

TEM Mode: Telegrapher's Eqs.



TEM mode (lossless conductors)

$$v = \int_{\underline{A}}^{\underline{B}} \underline{E} \cdot \underline{dr}$$

Telegrapher's Eqs. (cont.)

$$v = \int_{\underline{A}}^{\underline{B}} (\mathcal{E}_x dx + \mathcal{E}_y dy)$$

$$\frac{\partial v}{\partial z} = \int_{\underline{A}}^{\underline{B}} \left(\frac{\partial \mathcal{E}_x}{\partial z} dx + \frac{\partial \mathcal{E}_y}{\partial z} dy \right)$$

Note:
The voltage v is path independent in the (x,y) plane.

$$\begin{aligned} \oint_C \underline{\mathcal{E}} \cdot \underline{dr} &= \int_S (\nabla \times \underline{\mathcal{E}}) \cdot \underline{\hat{z}} ds \\ &= \int_S -\cancel{\frac{\partial \mathcal{B}_z}{\partial t}} ds \\ &= 0 \end{aligned}$$

Telegrapher's Eqs. (cont.)

Use $\nabla \times \underline{\mathcal{E}} = -\frac{\partial \underline{\mathcal{B}}}{\partial t}$

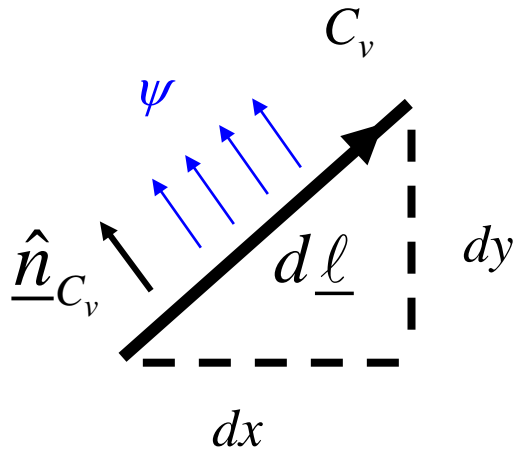
Take x and y components:

$$-\frac{\partial \mathcal{B}_x}{\partial t} = \frac{\cancel{\partial \mathcal{E}_z}}{\partial y} - \frac{\partial \mathcal{E}_y}{\partial z} \qquad -\frac{\partial \mathcal{B}_y}{\partial t} = -\frac{\cancel{\partial \mathcal{E}_z}}{\partial x} + \frac{\partial \mathcal{E}_x}{\partial z}$$

Hence, we have

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{\partial v}{\partial z} &= \int_A^B \left(-\frac{\partial \mathcal{B}_y}{\partial t} dx + \frac{\partial \mathcal{B}_x}{\partial t} dy \right) \\ &= \frac{\partial}{\partial t} \int_A^B (\mathcal{B}_x dy - \mathcal{B}_y dx) \end{aligned}$$

Telegrapher's Eqs. (cont.)



$$\begin{aligned}\hat{n}_{C_v} d\ell &= \hat{z} \times d\underline{\ell} = \hat{z} \times (\hat{x}dx + \hat{y}dy) \\ &= \underline{\hat{y}}dx - \underline{\hat{x}}dy\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}\int_A^B (\mathcal{B}_x dy - \mathcal{B}_y dx) &= -\int_A^B (\hat{x}\mathcal{B}_x + \hat{y}\mathcal{B}_y) \cdot (\underline{\hat{y}}dx - \underline{\hat{x}}dy) \\ &= -\int_A^B \underline{\mathcal{B}} \cdot \hat{n}_{C_v} dl = -\psi_l\end{aligned}$$

(flux per meter)

But

$$L \equiv \frac{\psi_l}{i}$$

$$\psi_l = Li$$

so

$$\frac{\partial v}{\partial z} = \frac{\partial}{\partial t}(-Li)$$

Hence

$$\frac{\partial v}{\partial z} = -L \frac{\partial i}{\partial t}$$

Note:

L is the magnetostatic (DC) value
(a fixed number).

Telegrapher's Eqs. (cont.)

If we add R into the equation:

$$\frac{\partial v}{\partial z} = -Ri - L \frac{\partial i}{\partial t}$$

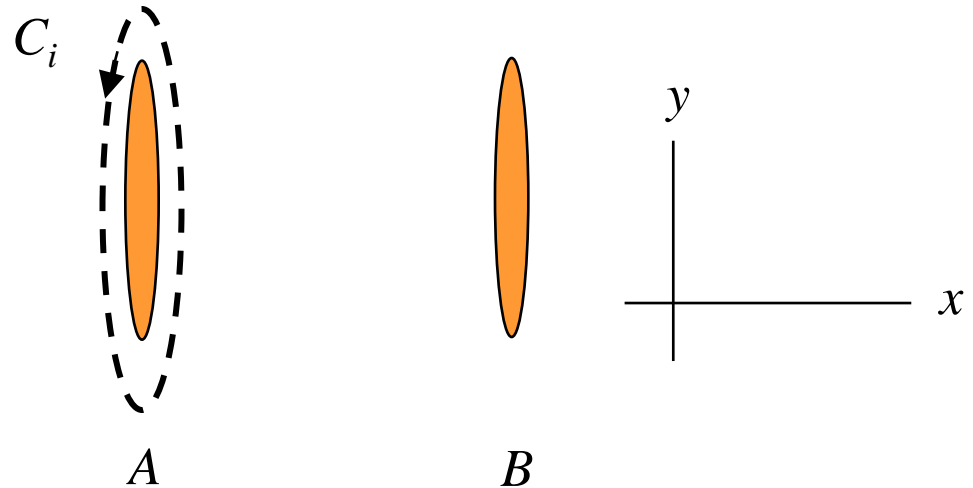
This is justifiable if the mode is approximately a TEM mode (small conductor loss).

Please see the derivation in the Appendix.

Telegrapher's Eqs. (cont.)

Now use this path:

The contour C_i hugs the A conductor.



Ampere's law:
$$i = \oint_{C_i} \underline{\mathcal{H}} \cdot d\underline{r} = \oint_{C_i} (\mathcal{H}_x dx + \mathcal{H}_y dy)$$

so
$$\frac{\partial i}{\partial z} = \oint_{C_i} \left(\frac{\partial \mathcal{H}_x}{\partial z} dx + \frac{\partial \mathcal{H}_y}{\partial z} dy \right)$$

Note:

There is no displacement current through the surface, since $E_z = 0$.

Telegrapher's Eqs. (cont.)

Now use

$$\nabla \times \underline{\mathcal{H}} = \frac{\partial \underline{\mathcal{D}}}{\partial t} + \underline{\mathcal{J}}$$

Take x and y components:

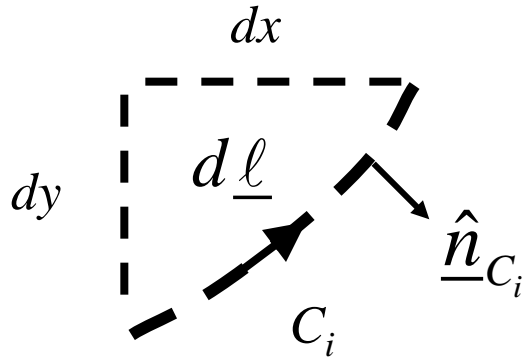
$$\begin{aligned} \cancel{\frac{\partial \mathcal{H}_z}{\partial y}} - \frac{\partial \mathcal{H}_y}{\partial z} &= \frac{\partial \mathcal{D}_x}{\partial t} + \mathcal{J}_x \\ -\cancel{\frac{\partial \mathcal{H}_z}{\partial x}} + \frac{\partial \mathcal{H}_x}{\partial z} &= \frac{\partial \mathcal{D}_y}{\partial t} + \mathcal{J}_y \end{aligned}$$

Telegrapher's Eqs. (cont.)

Hence

$$\begin{aligned}\frac{\partial i}{\partial z} &= \oint_{C_i} \left(\frac{\partial \mathcal{Q}_y}{\partial t} dx - \frac{\partial \mathcal{Q}_x}{\partial t} dy \right) + \oint_{C_i} (\mathcal{J}_y dx - \mathcal{J}_x dy) \\ &= \frac{\partial}{\partial t} \oint_{C_i} (\mathcal{Q}_y dx - \mathcal{Q}_x dy) + \oint_{C_i} (\mathcal{J}_y dx - \mathcal{J}_x dy)\end{aligned}$$

Telegrapher's Eqs. (cont.)



$$\begin{aligned}\underline{\hat{n}}_{C_i} dl &= -\underline{\hat{z}} \times d\underline{\ell} = -\underline{\hat{z}} \times (\underline{\hat{x}}dx + \underline{\hat{y}}dy) \\ &= -\underline{\hat{y}}dx + \underline{\hat{x}}dy\end{aligned}$$

$$\underline{\mathcal{D}} \cdot \underline{\hat{n}}_{C_i} = \rho_s$$

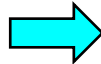
$$\oint_{C_i} \mathcal{D}_y dx - \mathcal{D}_x dy = -\oint_{C_i} (\underline{\hat{x}}\mathcal{D}_x + \underline{\hat{y}}\mathcal{D}_y) \cdot (-\underline{\hat{y}}dx + \underline{\hat{x}}dy) - \oint_{C_i} \underline{\mathcal{D}} \cdot \underline{\hat{n}}_{C_i} dl = -\oint_{C_i} \rho_s dl = -\rho_l^A = -\rho_l$$

$$\oint_{C_i} \mathcal{J}_y dx - \mathcal{J}_x dy = -\oint_{C_i} \underline{\mathcal{J}} \cdot \underline{\hat{n}}_{C_i} dl = -i_{leak}$$

But

$$C \equiv \rho_l / v$$

$$G \equiv i_{leak} / v$$



$$\rho_l = Cv$$

$$i_{leak} = Gv$$

Note:
C and G are the static
(DC) values.

Telegrapher's Eqs. (cont.)

Hence

$$\frac{\partial i}{\partial z} = \frac{\partial}{\partial t} (-Cv) - Gv$$

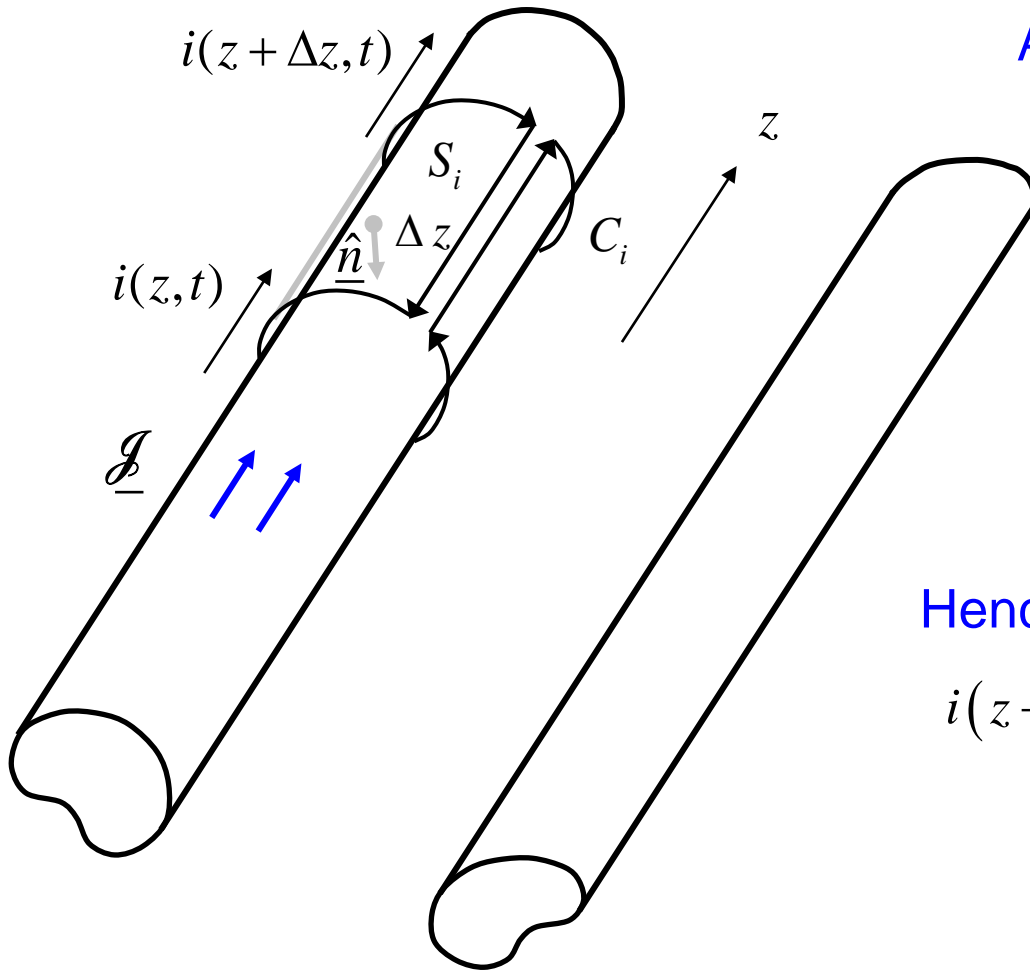
or

$$\frac{\partial i}{\partial z} = -C \frac{\partial v}{\partial t} - Gv$$

Appendix

Alternate derivation of second Telegrapher's equation

$$\oint_{C_i} \underline{\mathcal{H}} \cdot d\underline{r} = i(z + \Delta z, t) - i(z, t)$$

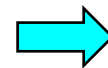


Ampere's law:

$$\begin{aligned} \oint_{C_i} \underline{\mathcal{H}} \cdot d\underline{r} &= \int_{S_i} \underline{J} \cdot \hat{n} dS + \frac{d}{dt} \int_{S_i} \underline{D} \cdot \hat{n} dS \\ &= -i_{leak} - \frac{d}{dt}(\rho_l \Delta z) \\ &= -\Delta z Gv - \Delta z \frac{d}{dt}(Cv) \end{aligned}$$

Hence

$$i(z + \Delta z, t) - i(z, t) = -\Delta z Gv - \Delta z \frac{d}{dt}(Cv)$$



$$\frac{\partial i}{\partial z} = -Gv - C \frac{\partial v}{\partial t}$$

Appendix (cont.)

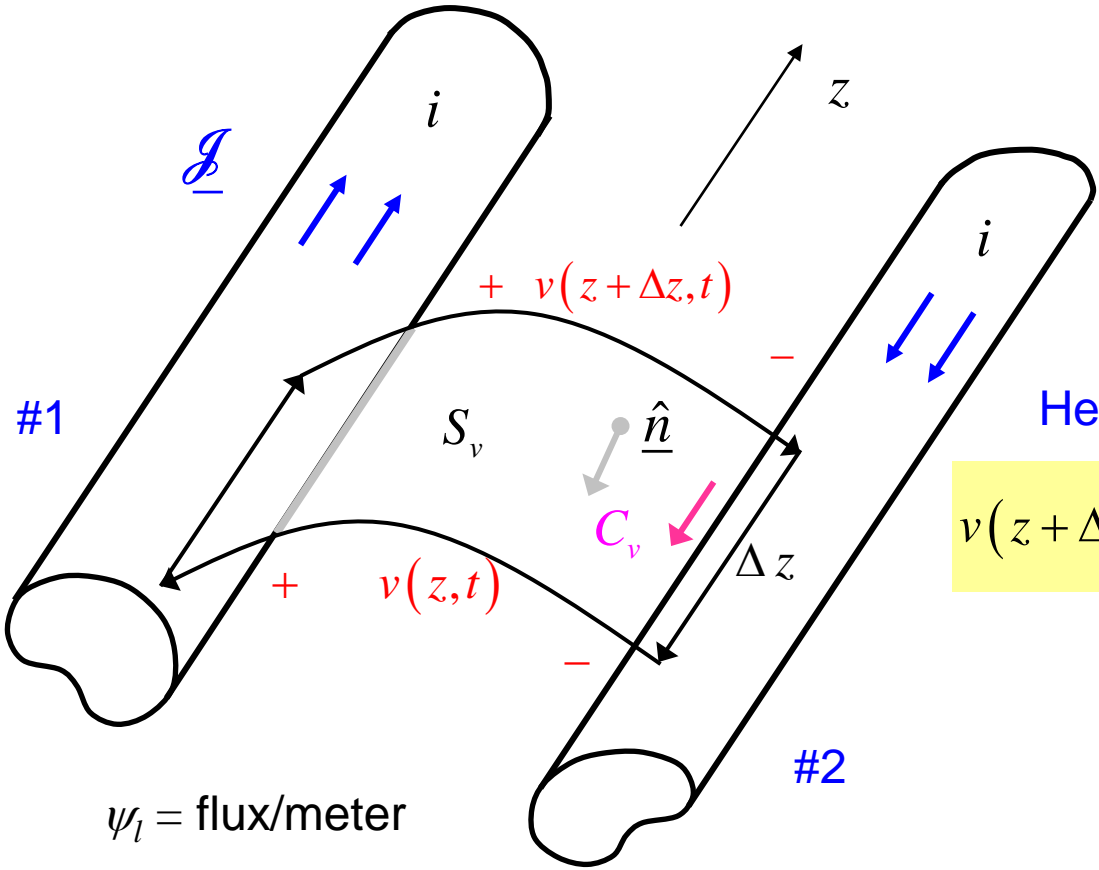
Include R

Assume that current still flows in the z direction only, and R is unique in the time domain.

$$\oint_{C_v} \underline{\mathcal{E}} \cdot d\underline{r} = v(z + \Delta z, t) - v(z, t) + \underbrace{(R_1 + R_2) \Delta z i}_R$$

Faraday's law:

$$\begin{aligned} \oint_{C_v} \underline{\mathcal{E}} \cdot d\underline{r} &= -\frac{d}{dt} \int_{S_v} \underline{\mathcal{B}} \cdot \hat{n} dS \\ &= -\frac{d}{dt} (\psi_l \Delta z) \\ &= -\Delta z \frac{d}{dt} (Li) \end{aligned}$$



Hence:

$$v(z + \Delta z, t) - v(z, t) + R \Delta z i = -\Delta z \frac{d}{dt} (Li)$$

$$\frac{\partial v}{\partial z} = -Ri - L \frac{\partial i}{\partial t}$$