

Physics Notes

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Topic: Electromagnetic Waves

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Electromagnetic waves and their characteristics (qualitative ideas only), Transverse of electromagnetic waves, Electromagnetic spectrum (radio waves, microwaves, infrared, visible, ultraviolet, x-rays, gamma rays) including elementary facts about their uses.



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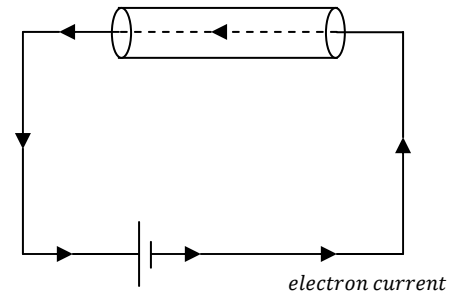
Q.1. Explain 'Conduction Current' and 'Displacement Current'?

Ans. **Conduction Current:**

In conduction current, electrons move and complete the loop.

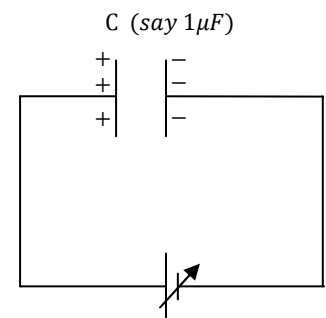
Current flowing in wire is an example of conduction current.

$$I_{cond} = \frac{dq}{dt}$$



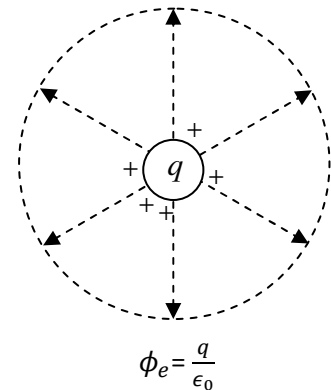
Displacement Current:

When a variable voltage is applied across a capacitor, charge does not flow in the complete loop. Charges move in outer circuit from one place to another. No charge flows in between the two plates. Such a current which is due to displacement of charges is called **Displacement Current**.



V → variable
(say 0→10V)

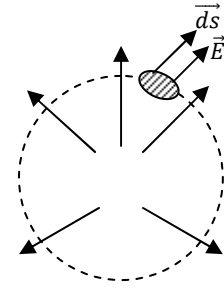
$$\begin{aligned} I_d &= \frac{d(q)}{dt} \\ &= \frac{d}{dt} (\epsilon_0 \phi_e) \\ &= \epsilon_0 \frac{d}{dt} \phi_e \\ &= \epsilon_0 \frac{d}{dt} \int E ds \end{aligned}$$



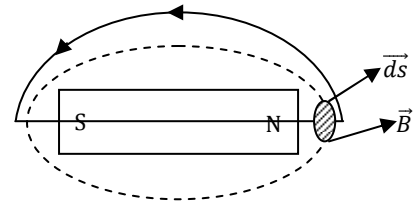
$$\phi_e = \frac{q}{\epsilon_0}$$

Q2. Write and Explain Maxwell's equations?

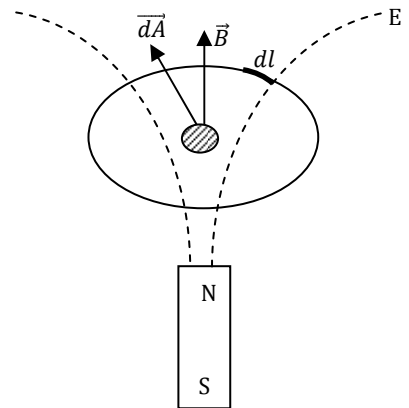
Ans.1. $\oint \vec{E} \cdot \vec{ds} = \frac{q}{\epsilon_0}$ (Gauss's law in electrostatics)



2. $\oint \vec{B} \cdot \vec{ds} = 0$ (Gauss's law in magnetostatics)



3. $e = \frac{-d\phi}{dt}$
 $= \frac{-d}{dt} \int \vec{B} \cdot \vec{dA}$

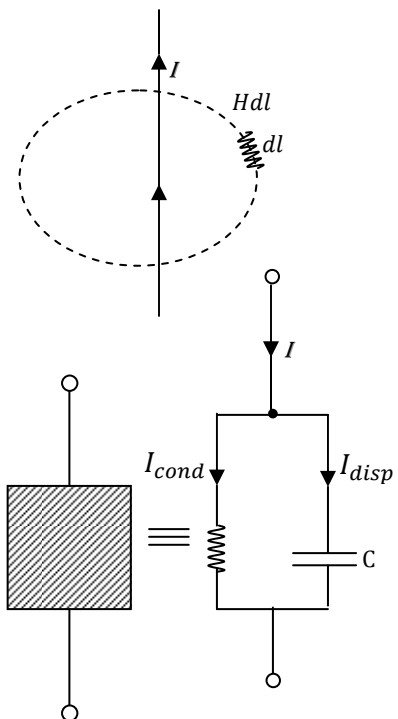


$\oint E \cdot dl = \frac{-d}{dt} [\int \vec{B} \cdot \vec{dA}]$ (Faradays law of electromagnetic induction)

4. $\oint H \cdot dl = I$ (Ampere circuit Law)

Ampere Maxwell Law

$\oint H \cdot dl = I_{cond} + I_{dis}$
 $= I_{cond} + \frac{d(q)}{dt}$
 $= I_{cond} + \epsilon_0 \frac{d}{dt} \phi_e$
 $= I_{cond} + \epsilon_0 \frac{d\phi_e}{dt}$
 $= I_{cond} + \epsilon_0 \frac{d}{dt} (\int E \cdot ds)$ (Ampere Maxwell Law)



5. Lorentz Force

$\vec{F} = q(\vec{E} + \vec{V} \times \vec{B})$

Q3. History of Electromagnetic waves? From concept to practical.

Ans. MAXWELL (1865)

Predicted existence of *em* waves with mathematical analysis.

HERTZ (1888)

Performed experiment to demonstrate *em* waves.

$$\lambda \rightarrow 6 \text{ metre}$$

J.C. BOSE (JAGDISH CHANDER BOSE) (1895)

$$5\text{mm} < \lambda < 25\text{mm} \text{ (lab level)}$$

G.C. Marconi (1896)

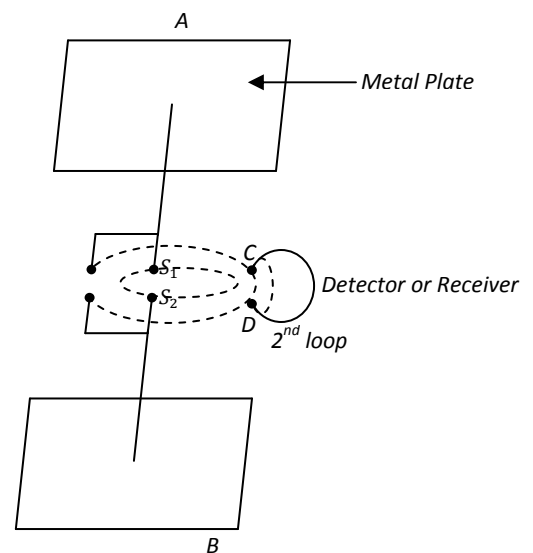
Wireless communication across English Channel (50 km)

Q4. Explain construction, working of Hertz Experiments?

Ans. $\lambda = \frac{c}{f}$ [C → speed, f → frequency]

$$= \frac{3 \times 10^8}{5 \times 10^7} = 6\text{m}$$

A and B are two large square metal plates of copper or zinc. They are connected to metallic spheres s_1 and s_2 . Potential difference is applied. Spark is produced between s_1 and s_2 and electromagnetic waves of high frequency are radiated. Two plates act as capacitor. The oscillating magnetic field linked with ring produces large induced *emf* which causes a spark to appear at the spheres C and D.



Dielectric strength of air

$$= 30 \frac{\text{KV}}{\text{cm}}$$

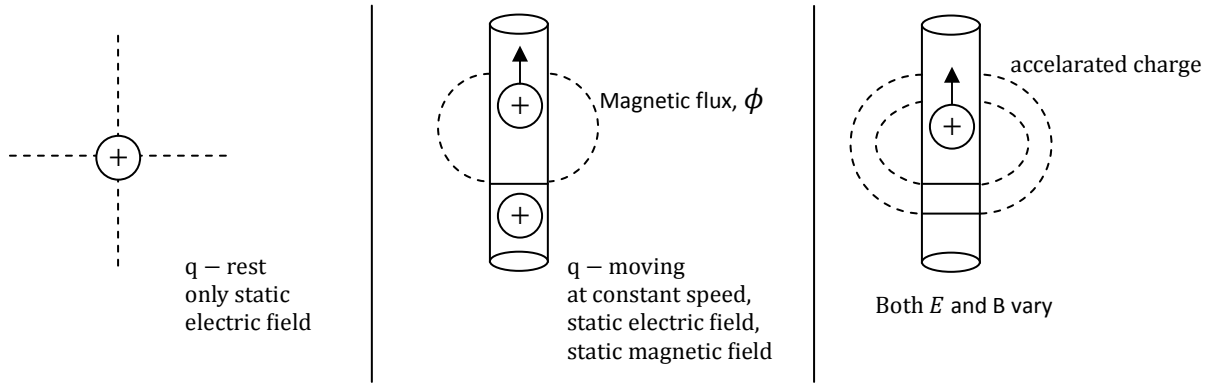
$$f = \frac{1}{2\pi\sqrt{LC}}$$

$$= 5 \times 10^7 \text{ HZ}$$

Q5. Characteristics/Facts of *em* waves?

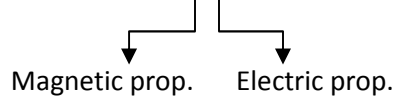
Ans.

1. Electromagnetic waves are produced by accelerated or oscillating charge



2. Electromagnetic waves can travel without medium

3. Speed in space, in vacuum, is $\frac{1}{\sqrt{\mu_0 \epsilon_0}} = 3 \times 10^8$



Speed in any material, say water $v = \frac{1}{\sqrt{\mu_r \mu_0 \epsilon_r \epsilon_0}} < C (3 \times 10^8 \text{m/sec})$

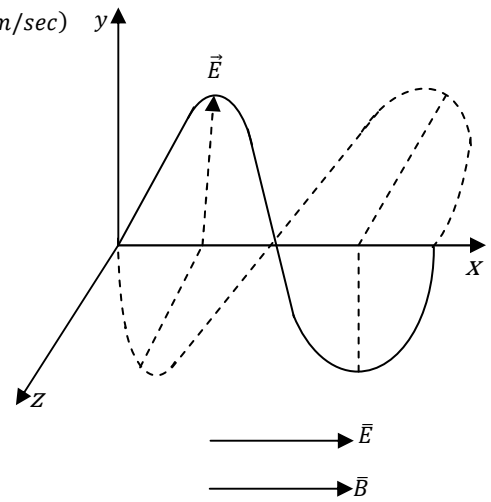
4. $E \rightarrow X - Y$ plane

$B \rightarrow X - Z$ plane

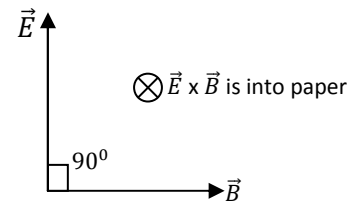
E and B become zero, max, min simultaneously.

\vec{E} and \vec{B} (phasors) are in phase.

$$\frac{E}{B} = C (3 \times 10^8 \text{m/ sec in vaccum})$$



5. \vec{E} and \vec{B} (in SI Units) are perpendicular to each other. Direction of propagation of wave is $(\vec{E} \times \vec{B})$ or $(\vec{E} \times \vec{H})$ is "Pointing vector".



$$6. \text{ speed, } v = \frac{1}{\sqrt{\mu_r \mu_0 \epsilon_r \epsilon_0}}$$

$$= \frac{1}{\sqrt{\mu_r \mu_0 \epsilon_r \epsilon_0}} < 3 \times 10^8 \quad (\text{For medium other than vacuum})$$

$$7. \text{ Intensity} = \frac{\text{Energy}}{\text{Area time}}$$

$$= \frac{En}{\text{Area time}} \left(\frac{\text{length}}{\text{length}} \right)$$

$$= \frac{\text{Energy}}{\text{volume}} \times \text{velocity}$$

$$= (\text{Energy Density}) \times C$$

$$8. \text{ Energy, } U = mc^2$$

$$U = (mc) \cdot C$$

$$U = pc$$

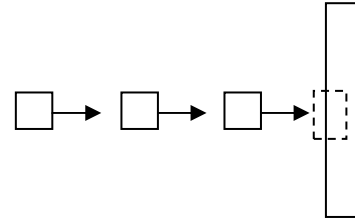
$$\boxed{\frac{U}{C} = P}$$

Case I: 100% absorb (No reflection)

$$\Delta p = \frac{U}{C} \quad (\Delta p \rightarrow \text{change in momentum})$$

$$\boxed{F_{\text{absorbed}} = \frac{\Delta P}{\Delta t} = \frac{U/C}{\Delta t} = n \cdot \left(\frac{U}{C} \right)}$$

$n \rightarrow$ no. of photons/sec



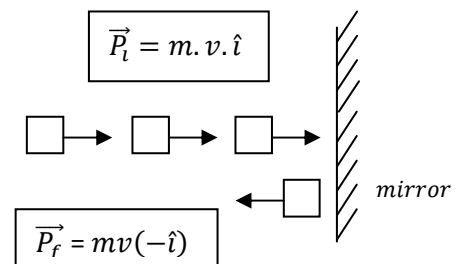
Case II: 100% reflection

$$|\Delta \vec{P}| = 2p$$

$$\Delta P = 2 \left(\frac{U}{C} \right)$$

$$\vec{P}_f = mv(-\hat{i})$$

$$\boxed{F_{\text{ref}} = \frac{\Delta P}{\Delta t} = \frac{2 \left(\frac{U}{C} \right)}{\Delta t} = n \cdot 2 \left(\frac{U}{C} \right)}$$

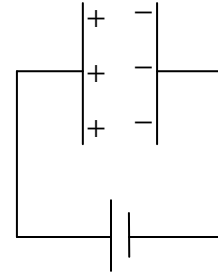


Q6. Prove ratio of electric to magnetic energy in em wave is 50 : 50?

Ans. **Electrical Energy Density:**

$$\begin{aligned}
 1. \text{ Electrical Energy Density} &= \frac{\text{Electric Energy}}{\text{Volume}} \\
 &= \frac{\frac{1}{2} CV^2}{A.l} \\
 &= \frac{\frac{1}{2} (\epsilon_0 \frac{A}{l}) V^2}{A.l} \\
 u_\epsilon &= \frac{1}{2} \epsilon_0 \frac{(\epsilon_0 \frac{A}{l}) V^2}{A.l}
 \end{aligned}$$

$$u_\epsilon = \frac{1}{2} \epsilon_0 E^2$$



2. **Magnetic Energy Density:**

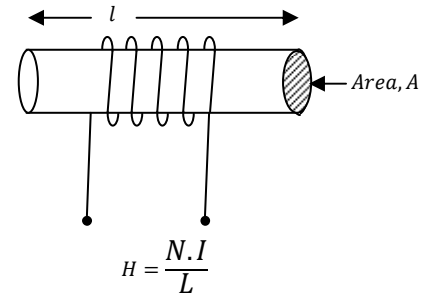
$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{Magnetic Energy Density, } u_m &= \frac{\frac{1}{2} LI^2}{\text{Volume}} \\
 &= \frac{\frac{1}{2} LI^2}{A.l} \\
 &= \frac{1}{2} \left(\frac{N^2}{R_e} \right) \frac{I^2}{A.l} \\
 &= \frac{1}{2} \left(\frac{N^2}{l} \right) \frac{I^2}{A.l} \cdot \mu_0 A \\
 &= \frac{1}{2} \mu_0 \left(\frac{NI}{l} \right)^2
 \end{aligned}$$

$$u_m = \frac{1}{2} \mu_0 H^2$$

$$u_m = \frac{1}{2} \mu_0 \frac{B^2}{\mu_0^2}$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \frac{B^2}{\mu_0}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 3. \quad \frac{u_E}{u_{avg}} &= \frac{\frac{1}{2} \epsilon_0 E^2}{\frac{1}{2} \frac{B^2}{\mu_0}} \\
 &= \mu_0 \epsilon_0 \left(\frac{E}{B} \right)^2 \\
 &= \mu_0 \epsilon_0 C^2 \\
 &= \mu_0 \epsilon_0 \left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{\mu_0 \epsilon_0}} \right)^2 \\
 &= \frac{\mu_0 \epsilon_0}{\mu_0 \epsilon_0} \\
 &= 1
 \end{aligned}$$



$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{Total Energy Density} &= u_E + u_{mag} \\
 &= \frac{1}{2} \epsilon_0 E_{rms}^2 + \frac{1}{2} \frac{B_{rms}^2}{\mu_0} \\
 &= \frac{1}{2} \epsilon_0 E_{rms}^2 + \frac{1}{2} \epsilon_0 E_{rms}^2 \\
 &= \epsilon_0 E_{rms}^2 \\
 &= \epsilon_0 \left(\frac{E_{max}}{\sqrt{2}} \right)^2 \\
 &= \frac{\epsilon_0 E_{max}^2}{2}
 \end{aligned}$$