

Magnetic Dipole and Electric Quadrupole

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Take the $n=1$ term:

$$\vec{A}(\vec{x}) = \frac{\mu_0}{4\pi} \frac{e^{ikr}}{r} (-ik) \int d^3x' \vec{J}(\vec{x}') \hat{n} \cdot \vec{x}'$$

$$\vec{J}(\hat{n} \cdot \vec{x}') = \frac{1}{2} \left[(\hat{n} \cdot \vec{x}') \vec{J} + (\hat{n} \cdot \vec{J}) \vec{x}' \right] + \frac{1}{2} (\vec{x}' \times \vec{J}) \times \hat{n}$$

$$\text{as } J_i x_j = \frac{1}{2} (J_i x_j + J_j x_i) + \frac{1}{2} (J_i x_j - J_j x_i)$$

(a) take the 2nd term first: remember the magnetization

$$\vec{M} = \frac{1}{2} \vec{x} \times \vec{J} \Rightarrow \text{the 2nd term gives}$$

$$\vec{A}(\vec{x}) = \frac{ik\mu_0}{4\pi} \frac{e^{ikr}}{r} \int d^3x' \hat{n} \times \vec{M}(\vec{x}') \Rightarrow$$

$$\Rightarrow \left(\vec{A}(\vec{x}) = \frac{ik\mu_0}{4\pi} \frac{e^{ikr}}{r} \hat{n} \times \vec{m} \right) \sim \text{magnetic dipole radiation.}$$

where $\vec{m}$ is the magnetic dipole moment:

$$\vec{m} = \int d^3x' \vec{M}(\vec{x}')$$

$\Rightarrow$ can find $\vec{E}, \vec{H}$.

$$(b) \text{ take the 1st term: } \frac{1}{2} \int d^3x' \left[n_i x'_i J_j + n_i J_i x'_j \right] =$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \int d^3x' \vec{J} \cdot \vec{\nabla}' (x'_j (\hat{n} \cdot \vec{x}')) = (\text{parts}) = -\frac{1}{2} \int d^3x' x'_j (\hat{n} \cdot \vec{x}')$$

$$\underbrace{\vec{\nabla}' \cdot \vec{J}}_{i\omega\rho} = -\frac{i\omega}{2} \int d^3x' x'_j (\hat{n} \cdot \vec{x}') \rho(\vec{x}') \Rightarrow$$

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$$\Rightarrow \vec{A}(\vec{r}) = -\frac{\mu_0}{4\pi} \frac{\omega k}{2} \frac{e^{ikr}}{r} \int d^3x' \cdot \vec{x}' (\hat{n} \cdot \vec{x}') \rho(\vec{x}')$$

electric quadrupole radiation:

$$\vec{H} = \frac{1}{\mu_0} \vec{\nabla} \times \vec{A} = \frac{ik}{\mu_0} \hat{n} \times \vec{A}; \quad \vec{E} = \frac{i}{\omega \epsilon_0} \vec{\nabla} \times \vec{H} =$$

$$= \frac{i}{\omega \epsilon_0} ik \hat{n} \times \vec{H} = -\frac{1}{c \epsilon_0} \frac{ik}{\mu_0} \hat{n} \times (\hat{n} \times \vec{A}) = -i\omega \hat{n} \times (\hat{n} \times \vec{A})$$

To find $\vec{H}$ need $\hat{n} \times \int d^3x' \cdot \vec{x}' (\hat{n} \cdot \vec{x}') \rho(\vec{x}')$.

Quadrupole moment tensor $Q_{\alpha\beta} = \int d^3x (3x_\alpha x_\beta - r^2 \delta_{\alpha\beta}) \rho$

$$\Rightarrow \left[\hat{n} \times \int d^3x' \cdot \vec{x}' (\hat{n} \cdot \vec{x}') \rho(\vec{x}') \right]_i = \epsilon_{ijk} n_j \int d^3x' \cdot x'_k \rho(\vec{x}')$$

$$n_e \cdot x'_e \rho(\vec{x}') = \frac{1}{3} \epsilon_{ijk} n_j n_e Q_{ke} = \frac{1}{3} \hat{n} \times \vec{Q}$$

with $(\vec{Q})_\alpha = Q_{\alpha\beta} n_\beta \Rightarrow \left(\vec{H} = -\frac{i}{8\pi} \omega k^2 \frac{e^{ikr}}{r} \cdot \frac{1}{3} \hat{n} \times \vec{Q} \right)$

$$\left(\vec{E} = -\frac{1}{c \epsilon_0} \hat{n} \times \vec{H} = \frac{i}{24\pi} \frac{\omega k^2}{c \epsilon_0} \frac{e^{ikr}}{r} \hat{n} \times (\hat{n} \times \vec{Q}) \right)$$

Radiated power is (time averaged)

$$\frac{dP}{d\Omega} = \frac{1}{2} \text{Re} [r^2 \hat{n} \cdot (\vec{E} \times \vec{H}^*)] = \frac{1}{2} r^2 \frac{1}{3^2 (8\pi)^2} \frac{\omega^2 k^4}{c \epsilon_0} \frac{1}{r^2}$$

$$\cdot \hat{n} \cdot ((\hat{n} \times (\hat{n} \times \vec{Q})) \times (\hat{n} \times \vec{Q}^*))$$

$$\hat{n} \cdot [(\hat{n} \times (\vec{a} \times \vec{Q})) \times (\hat{n} \times \vec{Q}^*)] = \hat{n} \cdot [(\hat{n} (\hat{n} \cdot \vec{Q}) - \vec{Q}) \times (\hat{n} \times \vec{Q}^*)] = \hat{n} \cdot [(\hat{n} \cdot \vec{Q}) (\hat{n} (\hat{n} \cdot \vec{Q}^*) - \vec{Q}^*) - \hat{n} (|\vec{Q}|^2 + \vec{Q} \cdot (\vec{a} \cdot \vec{Q}))]$$

$$= (\hat{n} \cdot \vec{Q})^2 - |\vec{Q}|^2 + (\hat{n} \cdot \vec{Q})^2 = -Q_{\alpha\beta} n_{\beta} Q_{\alpha\gamma}^* n_{\gamma} +$$

$$+ Q_{\alpha\beta} n_{\alpha} n_{\beta} Q_{\gamma\delta}^* n_{\gamma} n_{\delta}$$

$$\Rightarrow \left(\frac{dP}{d\Omega} = \frac{c k^6}{2(24\pi)^2 \epsilon_0} (Q_{\alpha\beta} n_{\beta} Q_{\alpha\gamma}^* n_{\gamma} - Q_{\alpha\beta} n_{\alpha} n_{\beta} Q_{\gamma\delta}^* n_{\gamma} n_{\delta}) \right)$$

One can integrate this using $Q_{\alpha\alpha} = 0 \Rightarrow$

$$\rho = \frac{c k^6}{1440 \pi \epsilon_0} |Q_{\alpha\beta}|^2$$

Example: ~~spherical~~ ^{ellipsoidal} charge distribution

$$\Rightarrow Q_{zz} = Q_0, \quad Q_{xx} = Q_{yy} = -Q_0/2 \quad \text{as } Q_{\alpha\alpha} = 0$$

$$Q_{ij} = 0 \quad i \neq j$$

$$\Rightarrow Q_{\alpha\beta} n_{\beta} \cdot Q_{\alpha\gamma} n_{\gamma} = +\left(\frac{Q_0}{2}\right)^2 (n_x^2 + n_y^2) + Q_0^2 n_z^2 =$$

$$= \frac{Q_0^2}{4} \sin^2 \theta + Q_0^2 \cos^2 \theta$$

$$Q_{\alpha\beta} n_{\alpha} n_{\beta} = -\frac{Q_0}{2} (n_x^2 + n_y^2) + Q_0 n_z^2 = -\frac{Q_0}{2} \sin^2 \theta + Q_0 \cos^2 \theta$$

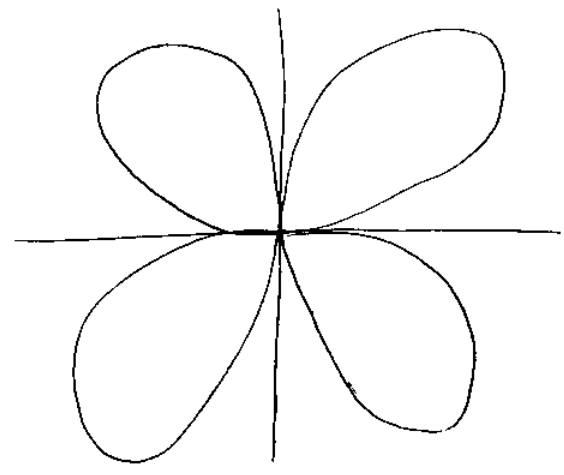
$$\Rightarrow |Q_{\alpha\beta} n_{\alpha} n_{\beta}|^2 = \frac{Q_0^2}{4} \sin^4 \theta + Q_0^2 \cos^4 \theta - Q_0^2 \sin^2 \theta \cos^2 \theta$$

$$\Rightarrow Q_{\alpha\beta} u_{\beta} Q_{\alpha\gamma} u_{\gamma} - (Q_{\alpha\beta} u_{\alpha} u_{\beta})^2 = \frac{Q_0^2}{4} \sin^2 \theta \cos^2 \theta +$$

$$+ Q_0^2 \sin^2 \theta \cos^2 \theta + Q_0^2 \sin^2 \theta \cos^2 \theta$$

$$\Rightarrow \left(\frac{dP}{d\Omega} = \frac{ck^6 q}{2(4\pi\epsilon_0)^2 \epsilon_0} Q_0^2 \sin^2 \theta \cos^2 \theta \right)$$

quadrupole radiation
pattern:

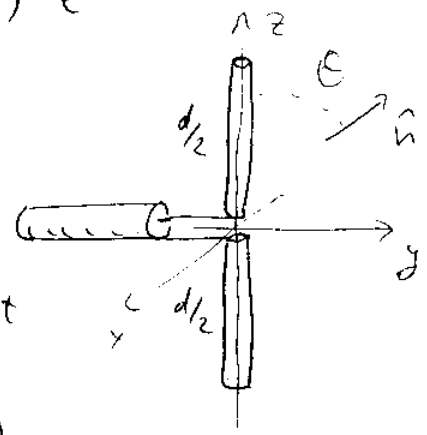


Center - Fed Linear Antenna

In some cases we do not need to expand the vector-potential in the radiation zone:

$$\vec{A} = \frac{\mu_0}{4\pi} \frac{e^{ikr}}{r} \int d^3x' \vec{J}(\vec{x}') e^{-ik\hat{n} \cdot \vec{x}'}$$

Consider a center-fed
linear antenna of length d :



$$\vec{J} = I \sin\left(\frac{kd}{2} - k|z|\right) \delta(x) \delta(y) \hat{z} \cdot e^{-i\omega t}$$

vanishes at the ends ($z = \pm d/2$).