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Department of Physics, IIT Kanpur

PHY103A: Lecture # 20

(Text Book: Intro to Electrodynamics by Griffiths, 3rd Ed.)

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Notes

- Mid-sem: Feb 22, Thursday, 8-10 am
- Course coverage up to class on Monday (Feb 12)
- Q1: 10; Q2=10; Midsem: 80; Endsem: 120
- Regraded Quiz # 1 will be returned after midsem

Summary of Lecture # 19:

- Magnetic Vector Potential**

$$\nabla \cdot \mathbf{B} = 0 \quad \Rightarrow \quad \mathbf{B} = \nabla \times \mathbf{A}$$

One can always redefine the vector potential such that its divergence is zero $\nabla \cdot \mathbf{A} = 0$

$$\Rightarrow \quad -\nabla^2 \mathbf{A} = \mu_0 \mathbf{J} \quad \Rightarrow \quad \mathbf{A}(\mathbf{r}) = \frac{\mu_0}{4\pi} \int \frac{\mathbf{J}(\mathbf{r}')}{r} d\tau'$$

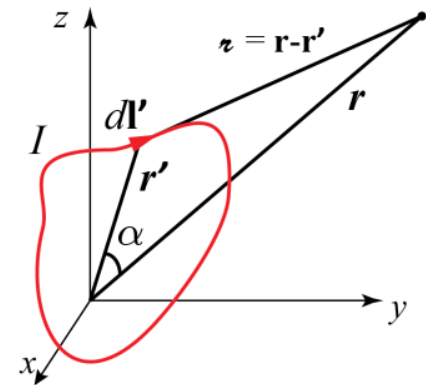
- Magnetostatic Boundary Conditions (Consequences of the fundamental laws):**

$$B^\perp_{\text{above}} = B^\perp_{\text{below}} \quad B^\parallel_{\text{above}} - B^\parallel_{\text{below}} = \mu_0 K$$

$$A^\perp_{\text{above}} = A^\perp_{\text{below}} \quad A^\parallel_{\text{above}} = A^\parallel_{\text{below}}$$

- Multipole Expansion of vector potential**

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbf{A}(\mathbf{r}) = & \frac{\mu_0 I}{4\pi} \frac{1}{r} \oint d\mathbf{l}' + \frac{\mu_0 I}{4\pi} \frac{1}{r^2} \oint r' \cos \alpha d\mathbf{l}' \\ & + \frac{\mu_0 I}{4\pi} \frac{1}{r^3} \oint (r')^2 \left(\frac{3}{2} \cos \alpha - \frac{1}{2} \right) d\mathbf{l}' + \dots \end{aligned}$$



- Magnetic dipole moment**

$$\mathbf{A}_{\text{dip}}(\mathbf{r}) = \frac{\mu_0}{4\pi} \frac{\mathbf{m} \times \hat{\mathbf{r}}}{r^2} \quad \mathbf{m} \equiv I \int d\mathbf{a}'$$

Magnetic Vector Potential:

Prob. 5.23 (Griffiths, 3rd Ed.): What is the current density \mathbf{J} that would produce the magnetic potential $\mathbf{A} = k\hat{\phi}$

$$\mathbf{A} = k\hat{\phi}$$

$$\mathbf{B} = \nabla \times \mathbf{A} = \frac{1}{s} \frac{\partial}{\partial s} (sk) \hat{\mathbf{z}} = \frac{k}{s} \hat{\mathbf{z}}$$

$$\mathbf{J} = \frac{1}{\mu_0} (\nabla \times \mathbf{B}) = \frac{1}{\mu_0} \left[-\frac{\partial}{\partial s} \left(\frac{k}{s} \right) \right] \hat{\phi} = \frac{k}{\mu_0 s^2} \hat{\phi}$$

Magnetic Vector Potential:

Prob. 5.22 (Griffiths, 3rd Ed.): Find the magnetic vector potential due to a finite wire and using that find the magnetic field.

$$\mathbf{A}(\mathbf{r}) = \frac{\mu_0}{4\pi} \int \frac{\mathbf{J}(\mathbf{r}')}{r} d\tau'$$

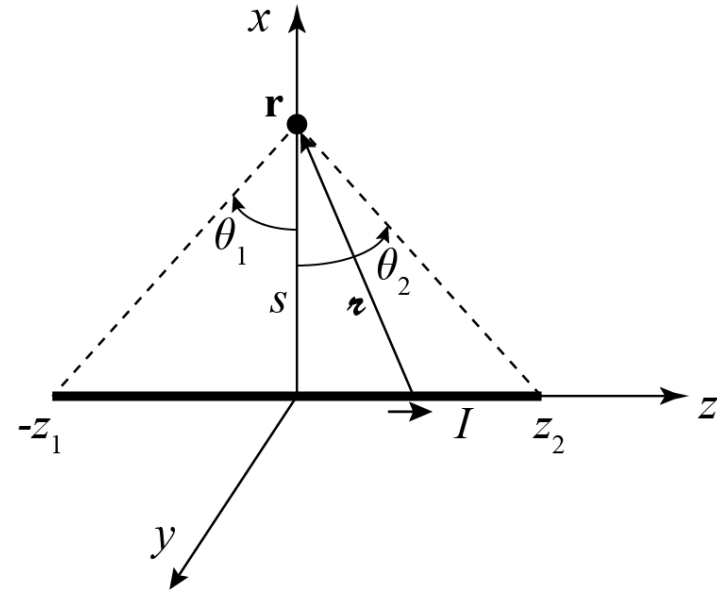
$$\rightarrow \mathbf{A} = \frac{\mu_0}{4\pi} \int_{-z_1}^{z_2} \frac{I}{r} dz \hat{\mathbf{z}} = \frac{\mu_0 I}{4\pi} \int_{-z_1}^{z_2} \frac{1}{\sqrt{s^2 + z^2}} dz \hat{\mathbf{z}}$$

$$= \frac{\mu_0 I}{4\pi} \ln \left[\frac{z_2 + \sqrt{z_2^2 + s^2}}{-z_1 + \sqrt{z_1^2 + s^2}} \right] \hat{\mathbf{z}}$$

$$\mathbf{B} = \nabla \times \mathbf{A} = -\frac{\partial A_z}{\partial s} \hat{\boldsymbol{\phi}}$$

$$= -\frac{\partial}{\partial s} \left(\frac{\mu_0 I}{4\pi} \ln \left[\frac{z_2 + \sqrt{z_2^2 + s^2}}{-z_1 + \sqrt{z_1^2 + s^2}} \right] \right) \hat{\boldsymbol{\phi}}$$

$$= \frac{\mu_0 I}{4\pi s} \left(\frac{z_2}{\sqrt{z_2^2 + s^2}} + \frac{z_1}{\sqrt{z_1^2 + s^2}} \right) \hat{\boldsymbol{\phi}} = \frac{\mu_0 I}{4\pi s} (\sin\theta_2 + \sin\theta_1) \hat{\boldsymbol{\phi}}$$



Magnetostatics in matter (magnetic field in matter)

What is Polarization? - dipole moment per unit volume

- The dipole moment is caused either by stretch of an atom/molecule or by rotation of polar molecules
- Polarization in the direction parallel to the applied electric field

What is Magnetization? - magnetic dipole moment per unit volume

- The magnetic dipole moment is caused by electric charges in motion:
(i) electrons orbiting around nuclei & (ii) electrons spinning about their own axes.
- In some material, magnetization is in the direction parallel to \mathbf{B} (Paramagnets).
- In some other material, magnetization is opposite to \mathbf{B} (Diamagnets).
- In other, there can be magnetization even in the absence of \mathbf{B} (Ferromagnets).
 - Magnetization in Ferromagnetic material is much higher.
 - If a ferromagnetic material is exposed to strong-enough magnetic field, the magnetization in the material does not return to zero after the field is removed and this way the material becomes a permanent magnet.

The Field of a Magnetized Object:

$$\mathbf{A}_{\text{dip}}(\mathbf{r}) = \frac{\mu_0}{4\pi} \frac{\mathbf{m} \times \hat{\mathbf{r}}}{r^2} = \frac{\mu_0}{4\pi} \int_{\text{vol}} \frac{\mathbf{M}(\mathbf{r}') \times \hat{\mathbf{z}}}{r^2} d\tau'$$

$$= \frac{\mu_0}{4\pi} \int_{\text{vol}} \left[\mathbf{M}(\mathbf{r}') \times \nabla' \left(\frac{1}{r} \right) \right] d\tau'$$

$$[\text{Using } \nabla' \left(\frac{1}{r} \right) = \frac{\hat{\mathbf{z}}}{r^2}]$$

$$= \frac{\mu_0}{4\pi} \int_{\text{vol}} \frac{1}{r} [\nabla' \times \mathbf{M}(\mathbf{r}')] d\tau' - \frac{\mu_0}{4\pi} \int_{\text{vol}} \nabla' \times \left[\frac{\mathbf{M}(\mathbf{r}')}{r} \right] d\tau'$$

$$[\text{Using } \nabla \times (f\mathbf{A}) = f(\nabla \times \mathbf{A}) - \mathbf{A} \times (\nabla f)]$$

$$= \frac{\mu_0}{4\pi} \int_{\text{vol}} \frac{1}{r} [\nabla' \times \mathbf{M}(\mathbf{r}')] d\tau' + \frac{\mu_0}{4\pi} \oint_{\text{surf}} \frac{1}{r} [\mathbf{M}(\mathbf{r}') \times d\mathbf{a}']$$

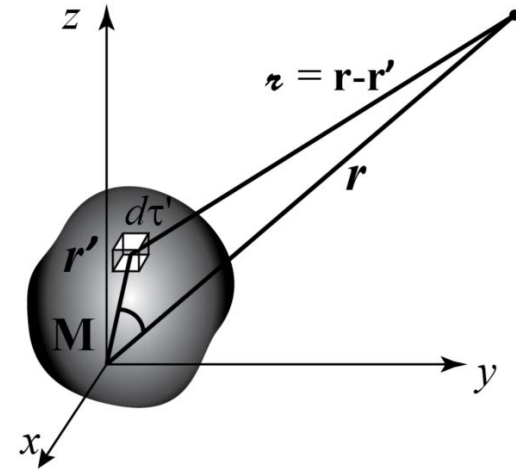
[Griffiths Prob. 1.60 (b)

$$\int_{\text{vol}} (\nabla \times \mathbf{V}) d\tau = - \oint_{\text{surf}} \mathbf{V} \times d\mathbf{a}]$$

$$= \frac{\mu_0}{4\pi} \int_{\text{vol}} \frac{\mathbf{J}_b(\mathbf{r}')}{r} d\tau' + \frac{\mu_0}{4\pi} \oint_{\text{surf}} \frac{\mathbf{K}_b(\mathbf{r}')}{r} d\mathbf{a}'$$

$$\mathbf{J}_b(\mathbf{r}') = \nabla' \times \mathbf{M}(\mathbf{r}') \quad \text{Volume current}$$

$$\mathbf{K}_b(\mathbf{r}') = \mathbf{M}(\mathbf{r}') \times \hat{\mathbf{n}} \quad \text{Surface current}$$



Ampere's law in magnetized material:

$$\mathbf{J}_b(\mathbf{r}') = \nabla' \times \mathbf{M}(\mathbf{r}')$$

Volume current

$$\mathbf{K}_b(\mathbf{r}') = \mathbf{M}(\mathbf{r}') \times \hat{\mathbf{n}}$$

Surface current

Total volume current is

$$\mathbf{J} = \mathbf{J}_f + \mathbf{J}_b$$

What happens to the Ampere's law?

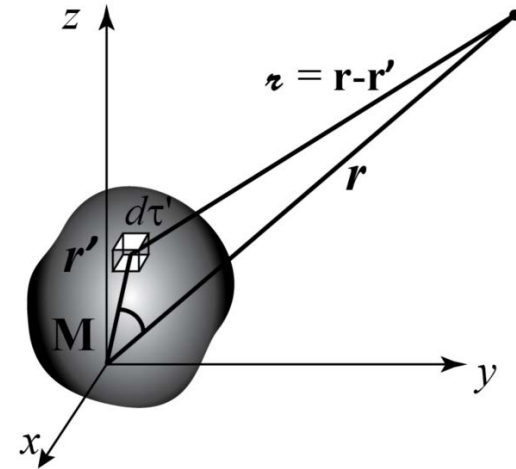
$$\nabla \times \mathbf{B} = \mu_0 \mathbf{J} = \mu_0 (\mathbf{J}_f + \mathbf{J}_b) = \mu_0 (\mathbf{J}_f + \nabla \times \mathbf{M})$$

$$\text{Or, } \nabla \times \left(\frac{\mathbf{B}}{\mu_0} - \mathbf{M} \right) = \mathbf{J}_f$$

$$\text{Define: } \mathbf{H} \equiv \frac{\mathbf{B}}{\mu_0} - \mathbf{M} \quad \text{Which means } \mathbf{B} \equiv \mu_0 (\mathbf{H} + \mathbf{M})$$

$$\text{So, } \nabla \times \mathbf{H} = \mathbf{J}_f \quad \text{Ampere's law in magnetized material (differential form)}$$

$$\text{And, } \oint \mathbf{H} \cdot d\mathbf{l} = I_{f\text{enc}} \quad \text{Ampere's law in magnetized material (integral form)}$$



Magnetic Susceptibility and Permeability

In paramagnetic and diamagnetic materials, the magnetization is proportional to the applied field

$$\mathbf{M} = \chi_m \mathbf{H}$$

- χ_m is called the magnetic susceptibility
- χ_m is a dimensionless quantity
- χ_m is positive for paramagnetic and negative for diamagnets
- Typical values of χ_m are around 10^{-5}

The magnetic field thus becomes

$$\mathbf{B} \equiv \mu_0(\mathbf{H} + \mathbf{M}) = \mu_0(\mathbf{H} + \chi_m \mathbf{H}) = \mu_0(1 + \chi_m)\mathbf{H}$$

$$\text{So, } \mathbf{B} \equiv \mu \mathbf{H}$$

$$\mu \equiv \mu_0(1 + \chi_m)$$

is called the permeability of the material

All the best for midsem