

- 1.1 Infinite flat sheet of charge density  $\sigma$  in x-y plane oscillates along x-axis  $\vec{V} = V_0 \hat{x} \cos \omega t$ .

- a) Find all EM fields  
b) Find power radiated / area

The vector potential  $\vec{A}$  .. obeys

$$(D^2 - \frac{1}{c^2} \frac{\partial^2}{\partial t^2}) \vec{A}(\vec{r}, t) = \frac{4\pi}{c} J(\vec{r}, t) \quad \text{No J}$$

with soln  $\vec{A}(\vec{r}, t) = \frac{1}{c} \int d\vec{r}' \vec{J}(\vec{r}', t - |\vec{r} - \vec{r}'|/c) / |\vec{r} - \vec{r}'| \frac{1}{c} \rightarrow \frac{\mu_0}{4\pi}$

if  $\vec{J}(\vec{r}', t') = \vec{J}(\vec{r}') e^{-i\omega t'}$  as in this case

$$\vec{A}(\vec{r}, t) = \frac{1}{c} \int d\vec{r}' \frac{\vec{J}(\vec{r}') e^{-i\omega t'}}{|\vec{r} - \vec{r}'|} e^{-i\omega t' i w/c |\vec{r} - \vec{r}'|}$$

$$\vec{A}(\vec{r}, t) = \left\{ \frac{1}{c} \int d\vec{r}' \frac{\vec{J}(\vec{r}')}{|\vec{r} - \vec{r}'|} e^{ikl|\vec{r} - \vec{r}'|} \right\} e^{-i\omega t} \quad \frac{1}{c} \rightarrow \frac{\mu_0}{4\pi}$$

If we were looking at localized source and far field region, at this point we would start expanding  $|\vec{r} - \vec{r}'|$  in powers of  $1/r$ . However, here the source is clearly not localized and we better not do this.

Instead write  $\vec{J}(\vec{r}')$  explicitly and try to do integral

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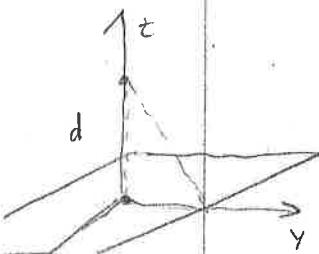
$$\vec{J}(\vec{r}) = \sigma V_0 \delta(z) \hat{x} \quad \text{indep of } x, y$$

$$\vec{A}(0, 0, z, t) = \frac{1}{c} \int dx dy dz \frac{\sigma V_0 \delta(z)}{[x'^2 + y'^2 + (z' - z)^2]^{1/2}} e^{ik[x'^2 + y'^2 + (z' - z)^2]^{1/2}} e^{-i\omega t}$$

clearly  $\vec{A}$   
indep of  $x, y$   
by symmetry

$$= \frac{1}{c} \sigma V_0 \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} dx \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} dy \frac{e^{ik(x'^2 + y'^2 + z^2)^{1/2}}}{(x'^2 + y'^2 + z^2)^{1/2}} e^{-i\omega t}$$

change to plane polar coordinates  $x' = p \cos \theta$ ,  $y' = p \sin \theta$



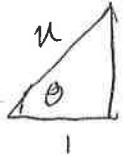
$$\vec{A}(x, y, z, t) = \frac{\hat{x}}{c} \sigma V_0 \int_0^{\omega} \int_0^{2\pi} d\theta \int_0^{\infty} dp \frac{e^{ik\sqrt{p^2+z^2}}}{\sqrt{p^2+z^2}} e^{-iwt}$$

let  $p = z \tan \theta$   
 $dp = z \sec^2 \theta d\theta$



$$\vec{A}(x, y, z, t) = \frac{\hat{x}}{c} \sigma V_0 2\pi \int_0^{\pi/2} z \tan \theta z \sec \theta d\theta \frac{e^{ikz \sec \theta}}{z \sec \theta} e^{-iwt}$$

$$= \frac{\hat{x}}{c} 2\pi \sigma V_0 z e^{-iwt} \int_0^{\pi/2} d\theta \sec \theta \tan \theta e^{ikz \sec \theta}$$



Now define  $u = \sec \theta = 1/\cos \theta$   
 $du = \sec \theta \tan \theta d\theta$

$$\int_1^{\infty} du e^{iku}$$

$$= \lim_{\alpha \rightarrow 0} \int_1^{\infty} e^{-\alpha u + iku} du$$

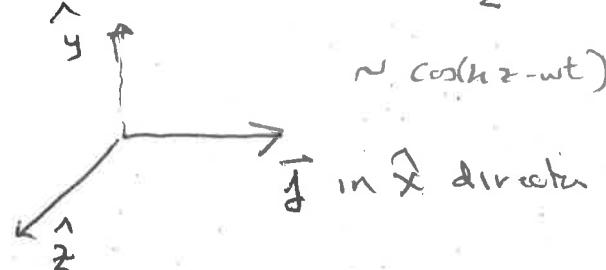
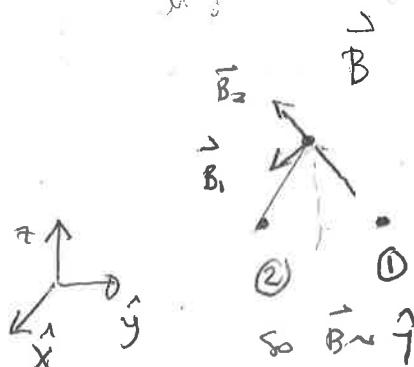
$$= \lim_{\alpha \rightarrow 0} \frac{1}{-\alpha + ik} e^{-\alpha u + iku} \Big|_1^{\infty} = \frac{e^{ikz}}{-ik}$$

$$\vec{A}(x, y, z, t) = \frac{\hat{x}}{c} 2\pi \sigma V_0 z e^{-iwt} \frac{i e^{ikz}}{kz}$$

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This is sort of expected  $\vec{A}$  must be indep of  $x$  and  $y$   
 clearly by symmetry. Also with infinite plane there is  
 nothing to set scale so expect  $\vec{A}$  to be indep of  $z$ !  
 Except compare nos wavelength  $k$ .

$$\vec{B} = \vec{\nabla} \times \vec{A} = \begin{vmatrix} \hat{x} & \hat{y} & \hat{z} \\ \frac{\partial}{\partial x} & \frac{\partial}{\partial y} & \frac{\partial}{\partial z} \\ A_x & A_y & A_z \end{vmatrix} = \hat{y} \frac{\partial A_x}{\partial z}$$



$$\vec{B} = -\hat{y} \frac{M_0 \sigma V_0}{2} e^{-iwt} e^{ikz}$$

$\sim \cos(kz - wt)$

$$\text{Also } \phi(r,t) = \int d\vec{r}' \frac{p(r',t - \frac{|r-\vec{r}'|}{c})}{|r-\vec{r}'|} = \int d\vec{r}' \frac{\sigma \delta(z')}{|x'^2 + y'^2 + (z' - z)^2|^{\frac{3}{2}}}$$

$$p(r',t) = \sigma \delta(z')$$

$$4\pi \rightarrow \frac{1}{60}$$

$$\phi(r,t) = -i(\sigma \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} dx' \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} dy' \frac{1}{\sqrt{x'^2 + y'^2 + z^2}})$$

$$\vec{A} = \hat{x} \frac{\mu_0 \sigma v_0 i e^{-iwt}}{c} e^{ikz} \left| \frac{d\phi}{dz} \right| = +i(\sigma \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} dx' \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} dy' \frac{z}{(x'^2 + y'^2 + z^2)^{\frac{3}{2}}})$$

$$\frac{d\phi}{dz} = 4\pi \int_0^{\infty} r dr \int_0^{2\pi} d\theta \frac{z}{(r^2 + z^2)^{\frac{3}{2}}}$$

$$= 4\pi \sigma 2\pi z \frac{-1}{(r^2 + z^2)^{\frac{1}{2}}} \Big|_0^{\infty} = 2\pi \sigma \text{ as expected}$$

$$4\pi \sigma h_{60}$$

thus  $\vec{E} = -\frac{1}{c} \frac{\partial \vec{A}}{\partial t} + \vec{\nabla} \phi$

$$\vec{E} = 2\pi \sigma \hat{z} - \frac{2\pi \sigma v_0 \hat{x}}{c} e^{-iwt} e^{ikz}$$

$$\vec{B} = -\hat{y} \frac{2\pi \sigma v_0}{c} e^{-iwt} e^{ikz}$$

using  $w = ck$

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$$\frac{1}{c} \rightarrow \frac{\mu_0}{4\pi}$$

$$b) \vec{s} = \frac{c}{8\pi} \vec{E} \times \vec{B}^* = \frac{c}{8\pi} \begin{vmatrix} \hat{x} & \hat{y} & \hat{z} \\ E_x & 0 & E_z \\ 0 & B_y^* & 0 \end{vmatrix} = \frac{c}{8\pi} \left[ (-E_z B_y^*) \hat{x} + (E_x B_y^*) \hat{z} \right]$$

$$= \frac{c}{8\pi} \left( +2\pi \sigma \frac{2\pi \sigma v_0}{c} \hat{x} + \frac{2\pi \sigma v_0}{c} \cdot \frac{2\pi \sigma v_0}{c} \hat{z} \right) \quad \text{time average over } r \text{ and } z$$

$$\vec{s} = \frac{\pi}{2} \sigma^2 v_0 (\hat{x}) + \cancel{\frac{\pi}{2} \sigma^2 v_0 \hat{z}}$$

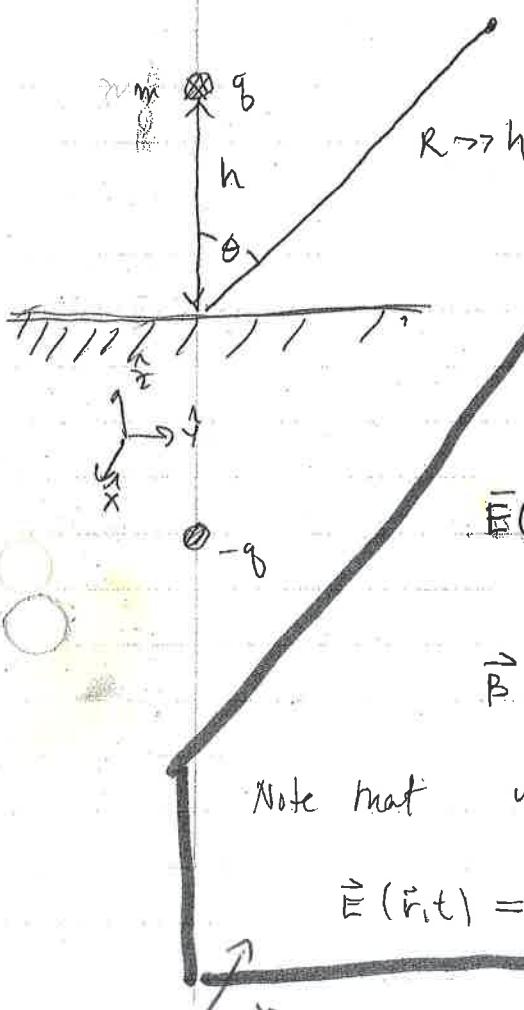
$$\vec{s} \cdot \hat{z} = \frac{\pi}{2} \sigma^2 v_0$$

$$\frac{\pi}{2} \sigma^2 v_0^2$$

$$\text{Power radiated/area} = \frac{\pi}{2} \sigma^2 v_0^2$$

$$\rightarrow \frac{1}{4\epsilon_0} \frac{1}{2} \frac{\mu_0}{4\pi} \sigma^2 v_0^2$$

4. Particle  $m, q$  dropped from rest height  $h$  above horizontal conductor plane. calculate radiation power as a ratio of  $\theta, R$   
First polarization of radiation.



The charge  $q$  is accelerated with acceleration  $-g\hat{z}$

A charge  $-q$  (its image) is accelerated with acceleration  $+g\hat{z}$  below plane

The radiation fields of an accelerated charge are given by

$$\vec{E}(\vec{r}, t) = q \frac{\vec{r} \times (\vec{r} - \frac{r\vec{v}}{c}) \times \hat{v}}{c^2 (r - \frac{r\vec{v}}{c})^3} \quad | \quad r = t - \frac{r}{c}$$

$$\vec{B} = \frac{\vec{r}}{r} \times \vec{E} \quad \text{where}$$

$$\vec{v} = \vec{v}(t)$$

$\vec{r} = \vec{r}(t)$   $\leftarrow$  distance from position of particle to observation point.  
 $t$  (reduced to observation point).

Note that when  $v/c \ll 1$  this becomes

$$\vec{E}(\vec{r}, t) = q \frac{\vec{r} \times (\vec{r} \times \hat{v})}{c^2 r^3} \quad \vec{B} = \frac{\vec{r}}{r} \times \vec{E} \frac{1}{c}$$

We have  $\hat{v} = -g\hat{z}$   $\vec{r} \approx R \sin \theta \hat{x} + R \cos \theta \hat{z}$  for  $R \gg h$

$$\text{so } \vec{r} \times \hat{v} = -gR \sin \theta \hat{x} \quad \vec{r} \times (\vec{r} \times \hat{v}) = +gR^2 \sin^2 \theta \hat{z} - gR^2 \cos \theta \sin \theta \hat{y}$$

$$\text{since } r \approx R \text{ we get } \vec{E}(\vec{r}, t) \approx q \frac{g}{c^2 R} (\hat{z} \sin \theta - \hat{y} \cos \theta) \sin \theta$$

$$\text{and } \vec{B} = q \frac{g}{c^2 R} (\hat{x} \sin^2 \theta + \hat{x} \cos^2 \theta) \sin \theta = q \frac{g}{c^2 R} \hat{x} \sin \theta \frac{1}{4\pi \epsilon_0}$$

$$\text{then } \vec{S} = \frac{1}{4\pi} \vec{E} \times \vec{B} = \frac{c}{4\pi} \frac{g^2}{R^2 c^4} (\hat{y} \sin \theta + \frac{1}{2} \hat{w} \theta)$$

$$\frac{1}{4\pi \epsilon_0 c^2} = \frac{m}{4\pi \epsilon_0}$$

$\vec{E} \perp \vec{r}$   
expected?

$$\Rightarrow \hat{r} = \frac{1}{2} g^2 \hat{z} \text{ independent of } \theta$$

Must calculate image fields to this approximation all we have is that  $g \Rightarrow -g$  and  $g \Rightarrow -g$ . This introduces identical contribution to both  $\vec{B}$  and  $\vec{E}$ ,

$$\vec{B}_T = \frac{2qg}{c^2 R} \hat{x} \sin \theta \quad \vec{E}_T = \frac{2qg}{c^2 R} (\hat{z} \sin \theta - \hat{y} \cos \theta) \sin \theta$$

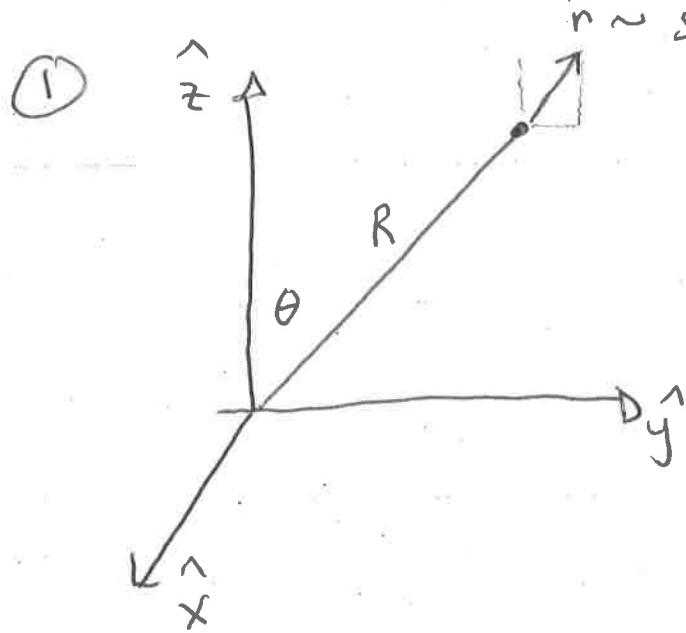
$$\vec{s} = \frac{c}{4\pi} \vec{E} \times \vec{B} = \frac{c}{\pi} \frac{q^2 g^2}{c^4 R^2} (\hat{y} \sin \theta + \hat{z} \cos \theta) \sin^2 \theta$$

Note  $|s| \sim \frac{1}{R^2} \text{ cm}^2 \theta$  gives dependence on  $\theta$  and  $R$

Dimensional check  $\frac{q^2}{R} \sim \text{energy}$   $\frac{q^2}{c^3 R} \sim \frac{L^2 T^3}{T^4 L^3} \sim \frac{1}{L^2 T}$

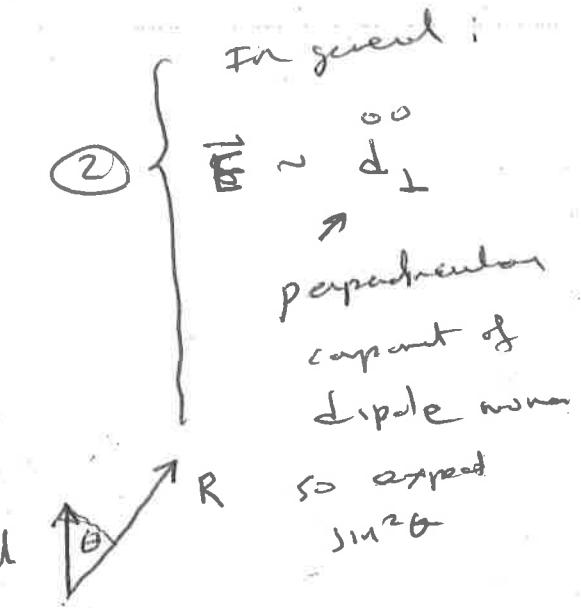
so  $[s] \propto \frac{\text{energy}}{L^2 T}$  which is flux density as desired

The electric field is linearly polarized in the plane of  $\vec{r}$  (i.e. particle motion) and  $\vec{R}$ . It is  $\perp$  to  $\vec{R}$  obviously



$$\vec{r} \sim \sin \theta \hat{y} + \cos \theta \hat{z}$$

radially outward



In general:

$$\vec{E} \sim \frac{d}{r^3}$$

perpendicular component of dipole moment

$$\sin^2 \theta$$