

Differential forms of Maxwell's equations in vacuum:

Ampere: $\oint \vec{B} \cdot d\vec{l} = \mu_0 \epsilon_0 \frac{d\phi_E}{dt} \rightarrow \frac{\partial B}{\partial x} = \mu_0 \epsilon_0 \frac{\partial E}{\partial t}$

Faraday: $\oint \vec{E} \cdot d\vec{l} = -\frac{d\phi_B}{dt} \rightarrow \frac{\partial E}{\partial x} = -\frac{\partial B}{\partial t}$

$E = E_p \sin(kx - \omega t) \rightarrow \frac{\partial E}{\partial x} = k E_p \cos(kx - \omega t) \leftarrow$

$B = B_p \sin(kx - \omega t) \rightarrow -\frac{\partial B}{\partial t} = +\omega B_p \cos(kx - \omega t) \leftarrow$

Ampere: $\mu_0 \epsilon_0 \omega E_p = k B_p \rightarrow \frac{E_p}{B_p} = \frac{k}{\omega \mu_0 \epsilon_0}$

Faraday: $k E_p = \omega B_p \rightarrow \frac{E_p}{B_p} = \frac{\omega}{k} = \text{wave speed} = c$

$\frac{\mu_0 \epsilon_0 \omega}{k} = \frac{k}{\omega} \rightarrow \left(\frac{\omega}{k}\right)^2 = \frac{1}{\mu_0 \epsilon_0}$

↓
wave speed = $\frac{1}{\sqrt{4\pi \times 10^{-7} \times 8.85 \times 10^{-12}}}$

$c = 3 \cdot 10^8 \text{ m/s}$

EM Wave equation:

Start with differential form of Maxwell's Equations:

$\frac{\partial}{\partial t} \left(\frac{\partial B}{\partial x} = \mu_0 \epsilon_0 \frac{\partial E}{\partial t} \right)$ (Ampere) $\rightarrow \frac{\partial^2 B}{\partial t \partial x} = \mu_0 \epsilon_0 \frac{\partial^2 E}{\partial t^2}$

$\frac{\partial}{\partial x} \left(\frac{\partial E}{\partial x} = -\frac{\partial B}{\partial t} \right)$ (Faraday) $\rightarrow \frac{\partial^2 E}{\partial x^2} = -\frac{\partial^2 B}{\partial x \partial t}$

$\frac{\partial^2 E}{\partial x^2} = \mu_0 \epsilon_0 \frac{\partial^2 E}{\partial t^2}$

Wave equation for electric field $\frac{1}{c^2} = 3 \cdot 10^8 \text{ m/s}$

Similarly:

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial x} \left(\frac{\partial B}{\partial x} = -\mu_0 \epsilon_0 \frac{\partial E}{\partial t} \right)$$

(Ampere)

$$\frac{\partial^2 B}{\partial x^2} = -\mu_0 \epsilon_0 \frac{\partial^2 E}{\partial x \partial t}$$

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial t} \left(\frac{\partial E}{\partial x} = -\frac{\partial B}{\partial t} \right)$$

(Faraday's)

$$\frac{\partial^2 E}{\partial t \partial x} = -\frac{\partial^2 B}{\partial t^2}$$

$$\frac{\partial^2 B}{\partial x^2} = \mu_0 \epsilon_0 \frac{\partial^2 B}{\partial t^2}$$

Wave equation for magnetic field, speed: $\frac{1}{\sqrt{\mu_0 \epsilon_0}} = 3 \times 10^8 \text{ m/s}$

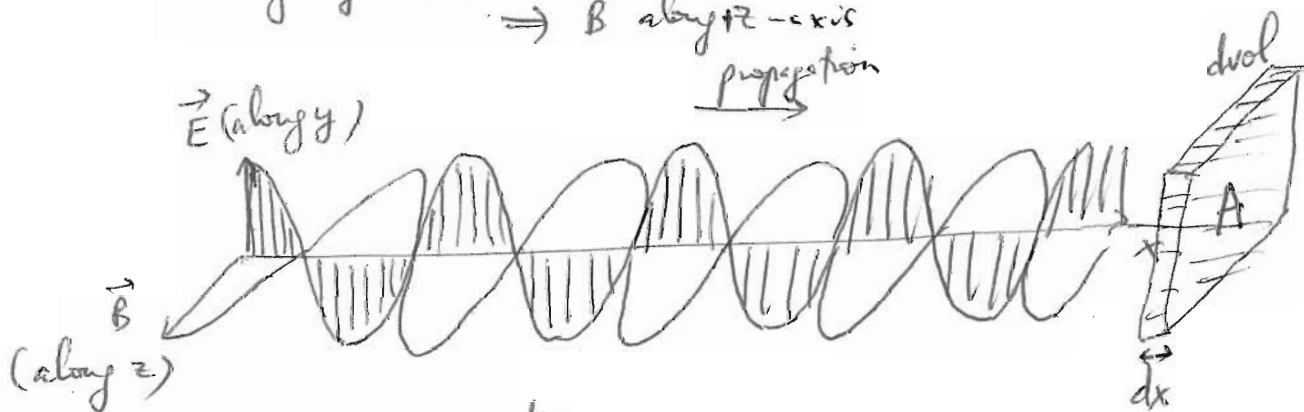
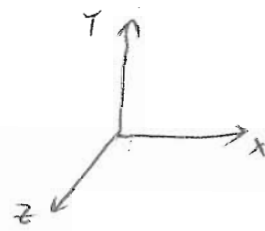
Intensity of EM waves:

Propagation along x-axis

Polarization (direction of \vec{E})

along y-axis

$\Rightarrow \vec{B}$ along z-axis
propagation



Wave Intensity: $S = \frac{dU}{dt} \cdot A$ (? ~~area~~ in terms of E & B?)

$$dU = u \cdot dVol = u \cdot dx A \rightarrow \frac{dU}{dt} = u \frac{dx}{dt} A = \left(\frac{1}{2} \epsilon_0 E^2 + \frac{1}{2\mu_0} B^2 \right) c A$$

↓ Total energy ↓ EM energy density ↓ wave speed c

EM wave intensity: $S = \frac{c}{2} \left(\epsilon_0 E^2 + \frac{B^2}{\mu_0} \right)$

More compact form:

$$\frac{E}{B} = c \quad \text{or} \quad B = \frac{E}{c}$$

$$S = \frac{c}{2} \left(\epsilon_0 E^2 + \frac{E^2}{c^2 \mu_0} \right) = \boxed{c \epsilon_0 E^2}$$

$$\frac{1}{\sqrt{\mu_0 \epsilon_0}} = c \rightarrow \frac{1}{\mu_0 \epsilon_0} = c^2 \rightarrow \boxed{\frac{1}{c^2 \mu_0} = \epsilon_0}$$

$$\text{Also: } S = c \epsilon_0 E^2 = c^2 \epsilon_0 E \left(\frac{E}{c} \right) = c^2 \epsilon_0 E B = \boxed{\frac{EB}{\mu_0}}$$

$$c^2 \epsilon_0 = \frac{1}{\mu_0}$$

Generally:

$$\vec{S} = \frac{\vec{E} \times \vec{B}}{\mu_0}$$

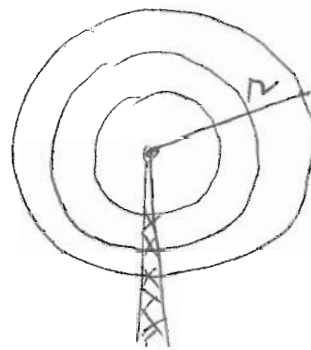
(This why we said propagation direction was given by $\vec{E} \times \vec{B}$)

EM wave intensity & power:

↓ energy per unit time P

$$S = \frac{1}{A} \frac{dU}{dt} = \frac{P}{A}$$

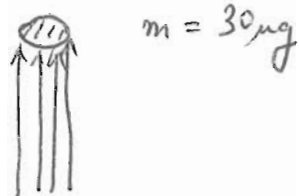
Spherical EM waves:



$$S = \frac{P}{4\pi r^2}$$

spheres $\rightarrow A = 4\pi r^2$
Intensity falls as inverse square law

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$m = 30 \mu\text{g}$

Laser beam P ?

Assume foil reflects all light

$$\text{Radiation pressure} = \frac{\bar{S}}{c} \times 2$$

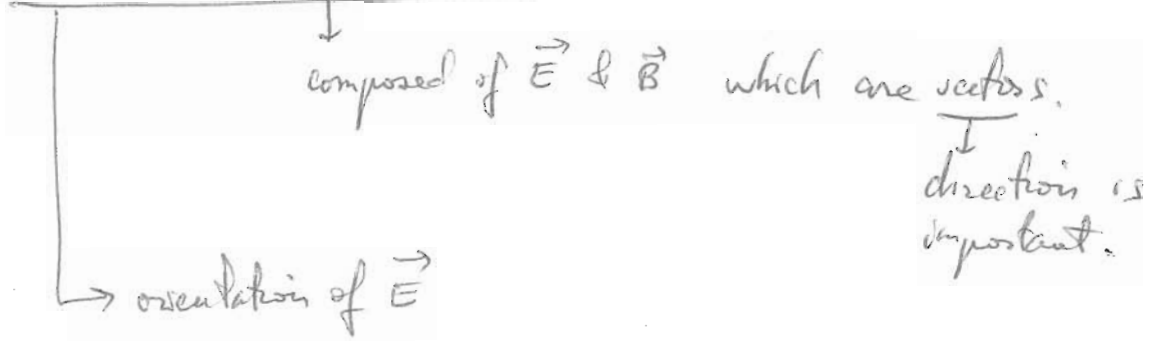
$$\text{Force} = \text{Rad. Press.} \times A = mg$$

$$\frac{\bar{S}}{c} 2A = mg$$

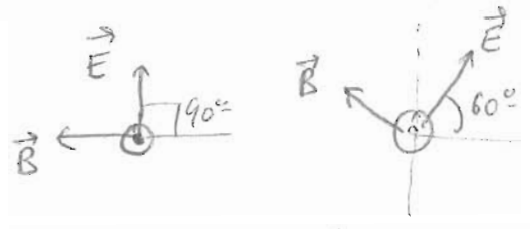
$$\frac{\bar{P}}{Ac} 2A = mg \rightarrow \bar{P} = \frac{mgc}{2}$$
$$= \frac{30 \times 10^{-9} \times 9.81 \times 3 \times 10^8}{2}$$
$$= \frac{9 \times 9.81}{2} \text{ W}$$
$$= 44.1 \text{ W}$$

EM waves can exert pressure like gas molecules
→ They are also particles. (→ quantum physics)
photons

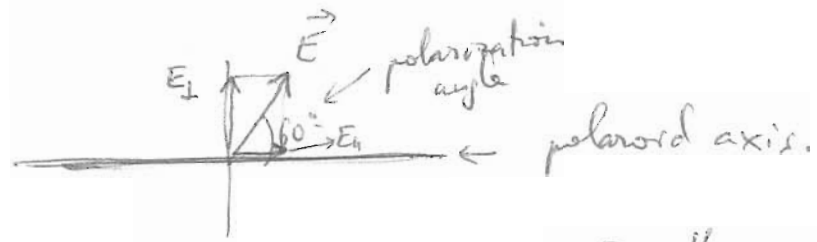
34.36 | Polarization in EM waves:



Frontview of some EM wave = (propagation toward us)



Polaroid materials: special axis such that only waves with polarization along that axis can propagate through.



$E_{||} = E \cos 60^\circ$ going thru.

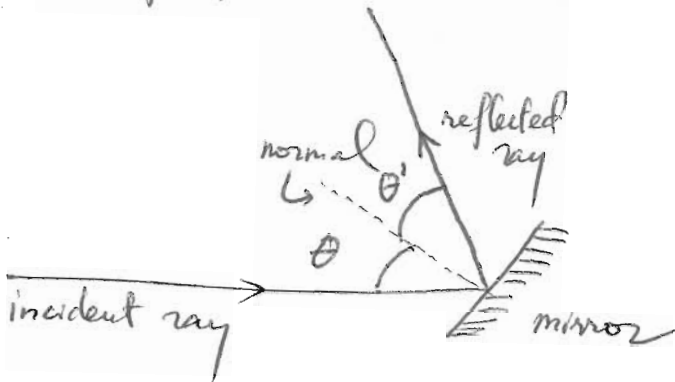
Intensity: $\propto E^2$ \rightarrow intensity passing thru is $\cos^2 60^\circ$ of original intensity

Unpolarized: \vec{E} can point along any direction $\rightarrow \frac{1}{2}$ along horizontal & $\frac{1}{2}$ along vertical.

Ch. 35 Reflection & Refraction:

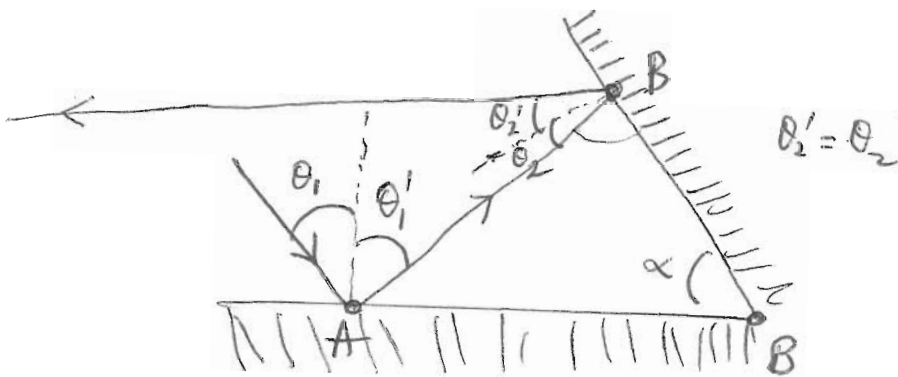
Geometrical optics: propagation of light using light rays
 (no wave properties, just direction of propagation)

Law of reflection: $\theta' = \theta$



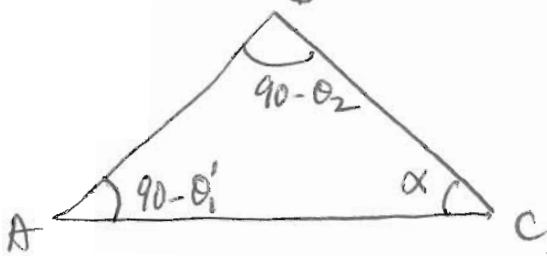
θ is incident angle
 θ' is reflected angle

Multiple reflections:



$$\theta_1' = \theta_1$$

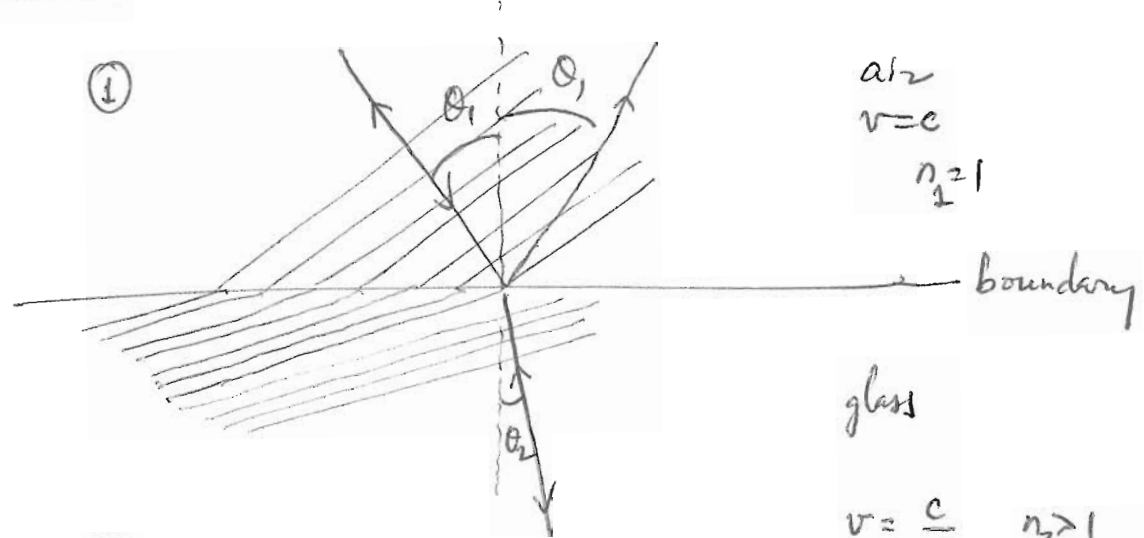
I can obtain θ_2' from θ_1 and α by using geometry:



$$180^\circ = 90 - \theta_1' + 90 - \theta_2' + \alpha$$

$$\theta_2 = \overset{\theta_1}{\alpha - \theta_1} = \theta_2'$$

Refraction:



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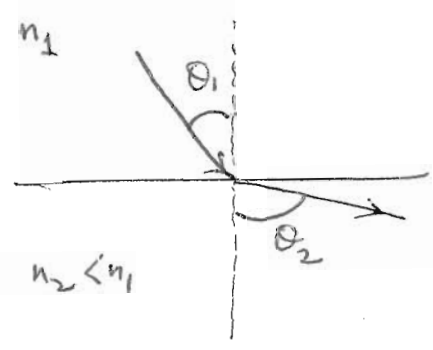
$$n_1 \sin \theta_1 = n_2 \sin \theta_2$$

Snell's Law or Law of refraction.

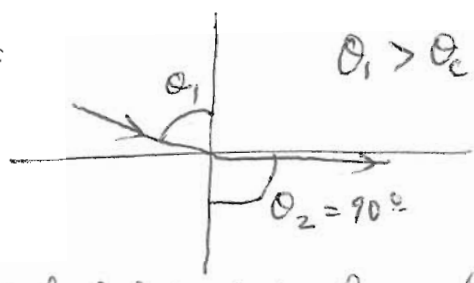
(angle of refraction, w.r.t. the normal, is smaller than incident angle when light ray travels from lower index to a higher index medium)

Usually higher density \rightarrow higher index of refraction n or lower wave speed)

\rightarrow Light ray goes from higher n_1 to a lower n_2



possible:



Refracted light travels parallel to boundary
 \rightarrow there is no light in medium #2:
Total internal reflection

θ_c : is the first θ_1 such that $\theta_2 = 90^\circ$:
(smallest)

$$n_1 \sin \theta_c = n_2 \sin 90^\circ$$

$$\rightarrow \theta_c = \sin^{-1} \left(\frac{n_2}{n_1} \right)$$

$$n_2 < n_1 \text{ or } \frac{n_2}{n_1} < 1$$

Smallest incident angle for
total internal reflection

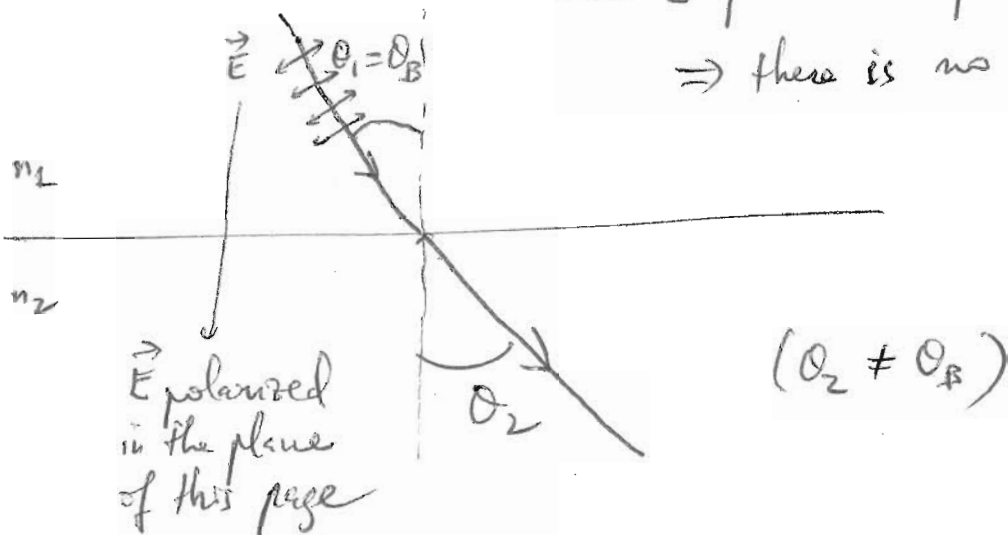
all reflection, no refraction

→ Any situation with all refraction and no reflection?

Yes, at the Brewster's angle: $\theta_B = \tan^{-1} \frac{n_2}{n_1}$

and \vec{E} polarized in plane of page.

⇒ there is no reflection.



if \vec{E} is polarized at an angle w.r.t. plane of this page then its polarization would have a component perpendicular to the page which is not affected by the Brewster's angle → there would be some reflection due to this component.