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refraction index $n = \sqrt{\epsilon/\epsilon_0}$
depends on ω

For ex, water has $\epsilon \approx 80$ @ $\omega < 10^9$ s⁻¹

$$\text{has } \epsilon \approx 80 \Rightarrow n \approx 9$$

but @ optical frequencies $\omega \sim 10^{15}$ s⁻¹,

$$\text{water has } n \approx 1.33$$

1) $n(\omega)$ depends on ω

2) $n(\omega)$ could be complex.

Im n causes Attenuation.

$$\text{Plane wave } \vec{E}(\vec{x}, t) = \vec{E}_0 e^{i(kz - \omega t)}$$

$$k = \frac{n(\omega)\omega}{c} : \text{complex for complex } n$$

$$k = k_r + i k_i$$

$$k_r = \frac{\text{Re } n}{c} \omega$$

$$k_i = \frac{\text{Im } n}{c} \omega$$

$$\vec{E} = \vec{E}_0 e^{i(k_r z - \omega t) - k_i z}$$

$$\text{Power } \vec{S} = \vec{E} \times \vec{B} \propto |\vec{E}|^2$$

$$S = S_0 e^{-2k_i z} \text{ Attenuation.}$$

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ω -dependence of $n(\omega)$, or even of $\text{Re } n(\omega)$

→ dispersion of wave packets

→ slows down signal rate.

Medium, $\vec{D} = \epsilon(\omega) \epsilon_0 \vec{E} = \epsilon_0 \vec{E} + \vec{P}$

$$\vec{E} = \vec{E}_0 e^{-i\omega t}$$

Suppose $\vec{P}(t)$ lags behind $\vec{E}(t)$

$$\vec{P}(t) = \vec{P}_0 e^{-i(\omega t + \delta t)}$$

$$= \vec{P}_0 e^{+i\omega \delta t} e^{-i\omega t}$$

$$\vec{P} = \epsilon_0 (\epsilon - 1) \vec{E} \rightarrow \epsilon - 1 = |\epsilon - 1| e^{i\omega \delta t}$$

→ complex $\epsilon - 1 \Rightarrow$ complex $\epsilon(\omega)$

$$\boxed{\text{Im } \epsilon(\omega) > 0}$$

Wave Power & work

$$\delta W = \iiint d^3x \vec{E} \cdot \delta \vec{D}$$

$$\text{Power} = \iiint d^3x \vec{E} \cdot \frac{\partial \vec{D}}{\partial t}$$

$$\langle \text{Power} \rangle = \iiint d^3x \frac{1}{2} \text{Re} \left[\vec{E}_0^* \cdot \frac{\partial \vec{D}_0}{\partial t} e^{-i\omega t} \right]$$

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$$\vec{D}_0 = \epsilon_0 \epsilon \vec{E}_0$$

$$\text{Re}(\vec{E}_0^* \cdot \epsilon \vec{E}_0 - i\omega \vec{E}_0) = |\vec{E}|^2 \epsilon_0 \underbrace{\text{Re}(-i\omega \epsilon(\omega))}_{\omega \times \text{Im} \epsilon(\omega)}$$

$$\langle \text{Power loss} \rangle = \frac{1}{2} \epsilon_0 \omega \text{Im}(\epsilon(\omega)) \int (d^3x) |\vec{E}_0|^2$$

$$\text{Energy density} = \frac{1}{2} \epsilon_0 \text{Re}(\epsilon) |\vec{E}_0|^2$$

$$\frac{\text{Power loss density}}{\text{Energy density}} = \frac{\omega \text{Im} \epsilon}{\text{Re} \epsilon}$$

$\hookrightarrow \frac{1}{2} \frac{d^2}{dt^2} \times \text{attenuation rate } (2\alpha)$

$$2\alpha = \left(\frac{\omega}{v} = kc \right) \times \frac{\text{Im} \epsilon}{\text{Re} \epsilon}$$

$$\alpha \frac{v}{k} = \frac{1}{2} \frac{\text{Im} \epsilon}{\text{Re} \epsilon} \approx \frac{\text{Im} n}{\text{Re} n}$$

for $n = \sqrt{\epsilon}$

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Another source of EM power loss

→ conductivity

$$\vec{J}_{\text{cond}} = \sigma \vec{E}$$

$$\rightarrow \text{Power loss density} = \vec{J} \cdot \vec{E} = \sigma E^2$$

$$\langle \text{Power loss density} \rangle = \frac{1}{2} \text{Re}(\sigma) |E_0|^2$$

$$\text{Net loss density} = \frac{1}{2} |E_0|^2 \times (\text{Re}(\sigma) + \omega \epsilon_0 \text{Im}(\epsilon))$$

$$\text{Maxwell Ampere } \nabla \times \vec{H} = \vec{J} + \frac{\partial \vec{D}}{\partial t}$$

$$\text{net current } \vec{J}_{\text{net}} = \vec{J}_{\text{cond}} + \left(\vec{J}_{\text{disp}} = \frac{\partial \vec{D}}{\partial t} \right)$$

$$= \sigma \vec{E} + \omega \epsilon_0 \vec{E}$$

$$= \sigma_c(\omega) \vec{E}$$

complex effective conductivity σ_c

$$\sigma_c = \sigma(\omega) + i\omega \epsilon_0 \epsilon''(\omega)$$

$$\epsilon_{\text{eff}}(\omega) = \frac{\sigma_c(\omega)}{i\omega \epsilon_0} = \epsilon'(\omega) + \frac{i\sigma(\omega)}{\omega \epsilon_0}$$

$$\rightarrow \text{power loss density} = \frac{1}{2} |E_0|^2 \times \text{Re}(\omega \epsilon_{\text{eff}})$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} |E_0|^2 \times \omega \epsilon_0 \text{Im}(\epsilon_{\text{eff}}(\omega))$$

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Maxwell Eqs

~~$$\nabla \times \vec{B} = \frac{\partial \vec{E}}{\partial t} + \mu_0 \vec{J}$$~~

~~$$\nabla \times \vec{E} = -\frac{\partial \vec{B}}{\partial t} - \mu_0 \vec{J}$$~~

$$\nabla \times \vec{H} = 0 - (\omega \epsilon_0 \epsilon_{eff}(\omega)) \times \vec{E}$$

$$\rightarrow \nabla \times \nabla \times \vec{H} = \omega^2 \mu_0 \epsilon_0 \epsilon_{eff}(\omega) \cdot \vec{H}$$

$$\nabla^2 \vec{H} \rightarrow +k^2 \vec{H} \text{ for a plane wave}$$

$$k^2 = \frac{\omega^2}{c^2} \times \epsilon_{eff}(\omega)$$

$$k^2 = \frac{\omega^2}{c^2} \left[n^2(\omega) = \epsilon_{eff}(\omega) \right]$$

includes its imaginary part.

A conductor @ a low frequency

$$\rightarrow \epsilon_{eff} = \epsilon + \frac{\sigma}{\omega} \approx \frac{\sigma}{\omega}$$

$$n = \frac{1+i}{\sqrt{2}} \times \sqrt{\frac{\sigma}{2\omega\epsilon_0}}$$

$$k = \frac{n\omega}{c} = (1+i) \sqrt{\frac{\sigma\omega\mu_0}{2}} = \frac{1+i}{\delta}$$

$\delta \equiv$ skin depth

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Another source of Power loss \rightarrow attenuation
In a magnetic material, if magnetic field
losses behind the ext. mag. field.

$$\rightarrow \vec{B} = \mu \mu_0 \vec{H} \quad \text{with } \mu \text{ is complex } \mu(\omega)$$

$\text{Im}(\mu) > 0$

$$\rightarrow \mu^2(\omega) = G_{eff}(\omega) \times \mu(\omega)$$

both G_{eff} & μ contribute
to magnetic parts.

Source of Power loss: magnetic work

$$\delta W = \int \vec{H} \cdot \delta \vec{B} d^3x$$

$$\text{Power} = \int \vec{H} \cdot \frac{\partial \vec{B}}{\partial t} d^3x$$

$$\text{time-averaged } \vec{H} \cdot \frac{\partial \vec{B}}{\partial t} \rightarrow \vec{H} \times -\omega \vec{B}$$

$$\rightarrow \frac{1}{2} \text{Re}(\vec{H}^* \times -\omega \vec{B})$$

$$= \frac{\omega}{2} \text{Im}(\vec{H}^* \vec{B} = \mu_0 |\vec{H}|^2)$$

$$\rightarrow \text{Power loss} = \frac{\mu_0}{2} \omega \text{Im}(\mu) \times \int |\vec{H}|^2 d^3x$$