

22-2) $\rho_F, \underline{J}_F, \underline{P}, \underline{M}$ all given functions of $(\underline{r}, t)$

General equations satisfied by potentials are

$$\nabla^2 \phi + \frac{\partial}{\partial t}(\nabla \cdot \underline{A}) = -\frac{1}{\epsilon_0}(\rho_F - \nabla \cdot \underline{P}) \quad (22-4) \quad (1)$$

$$\nabla^2 \underline{A} - \mu_0 \epsilon_0 \frac{\partial^2 \underline{A}}{\partial t^2} - \nabla(\nabla \cdot \underline{A} + \mu_0 \epsilon_0 \frac{\partial \phi}{\partial t}) = -\mu_0(\underline{J}_F + \nabla \wedge \underline{M} + \frac{\partial \underline{P}}{\partial t}) \quad (22-5) \quad (2)$$

Lorentz condition for a vacuum is $(\sigma = 0, \epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon_0, \mu \rightarrow \mu_0)$

$$\nabla \cdot \underline{A} + \mu_0 \epsilon_0 \frac{\partial \phi}{\partial t} = 0$$

With the Lorentz condition above applied we can write (1) as

$$\nabla^2 \phi - \mu_0 \epsilon_0 \left(\frac{\partial^2 \phi}{\partial t^2} \right) = -\frac{1}{\epsilon_0}(\rho_F - \nabla \cdot \underline{P}) \quad (1)$$

and (2) becomes

$$\nabla^2 \underline{A} - \mu_0 \epsilon_0 \frac{\partial^2 \underline{A}}{\partial t^2} = -\mu_0(\underline{J}_F + \nabla \wedge \underline{M} + \frac{\partial \underline{P}}{\partial t}) \quad (2)$$

(1) is now a function of ϕ only (assuming $\rho, \underline{P}$ are known)

(2) is a function of $\underline{A}$ only ($\underline{J}_F, \underline{M}, \underline{P}$ known functions)
 thus the equations are separable.

22-5) Potential equations for l.c.h medium are given by

$$(22-8) (1) \quad \nabla^2 \underline{A} - \mu\sigma \frac{\partial \underline{A}}{\partial t} - \mu\varepsilon \frac{\partial^2 \underline{A}}{\partial t^2} - \nabla \left(\nabla \cdot \underline{A} + \mu\varepsilon \frac{\partial \phi}{\partial t} + \mu\sigma \phi \right)$$

$$(22-8) (2) \quad \nabla^2 \phi + \nabla \cdot \frac{\partial \underline{A}}{\partial t} = -\frac{\rho_f}{\varepsilon} \quad = -\mu \underline{J}_f'$$

In the Coulomb gauge $\nabla \cdot \underline{A} = 0$

$$(2) \text{ becomes } \nabla^2 \phi = -\rho_f/\varepsilon$$

(1) becomes

$$\nabla^2 \underline{A} - \mu\sigma \frac{\partial \underline{A}}{\partial t} - \mu\varepsilon \frac{\partial^2 \underline{A}}{\partial t^2} - \nabla \left(\mu\varepsilon \frac{\partial \phi}{\partial t} + \mu\sigma \phi \right) = -\mu \underline{J}_f'$$

If the medium is also non-conducting $\sigma = 0$ and $\underline{J}_f = \underline{J}_f'$

(1) becomes

$$\nabla^2 \underline{A} - \mu\varepsilon \frac{\partial^2 \underline{A}}{\partial t^2} = -\mu \underline{J}_f + \mu\varepsilon \frac{\partial}{\partial t} (\nabla \phi)$$

$$22-7) \quad \rho_f = 0, \quad \underline{J}_f = 0, \quad \underline{M} = 0, \quad \underline{P} = \underline{P}(\underline{r}, t)$$

$$(22-4) \quad \nabla^2 \phi + \frac{\partial}{\partial t} (\nabla \cdot \underline{A}) = -\frac{1}{\epsilon_0} (\rho_f - \nabla \cdot \underline{P})$$

$$(22-5) \quad \nabla^2 \underline{A} - \mu_0 \epsilon_0 \frac{\partial^2 \underline{A}}{\partial t^2} - \nabla (\nabla \cdot \underline{A} + \mu_0 \epsilon_0 \frac{\partial \phi}{\partial t}) = -\mu_0 (\underline{J}_f + \nabla \wedge \underline{M} + \frac{\partial \underline{P}}{\partial t})$$

(a) With $\rho_f = \underline{J}_f = \underline{M} = 0$ we obtain

$$\nabla^2 \phi + \frac{\partial}{\partial t} (\nabla \cdot \underline{A}) = \nabla \cdot \underline{P} / \epsilon_0 \quad (1)$$

$$\nabla^2 \underline{A} - \mu_0 \epsilon_0 \frac{\partial^2 \underline{A}}{\partial t^2} - \nabla (\nabla \cdot \underline{A} + \mu_0 \epsilon_0 \frac{\partial \phi}{\partial t}) = -\mu_0 \frac{\partial \underline{P}}{\partial t} \quad (2)$$

If $\underline{A} = \mu_0 \epsilon_0 \left(\frac{\partial \underline{\pi}}{\partial t} \right)$; $\phi = -\nabla \cdot \underline{\pi}$; $\frac{\underline{P}}{\epsilon_0} = \nabla^2 \underline{\pi} - \mu_0 \epsilon_0 \frac{\partial^2 \underline{\pi}}{\partial t^2}$

then (1) becomes

$$-\nabla \cdot \nabla (\nabla \cdot \underline{\pi}) + \frac{\partial}{\partial t} (\nabla \cdot \frac{\partial \underline{\pi}}{\partial t}) \mu_0 \epsilon_0 = \nabla \cdot \left[-\nabla^2 \underline{\pi} + \mu_0 \epsilon_0 \frac{\partial^2 \underline{\pi}}{\partial t^2} \right]$$

$$-\nabla \cdot \nabla (\nabla \cdot \underline{\pi}) + \mu_0 \epsilon_0 \frac{\partial^2}{\partial t^2} (\nabla \cdot \underline{\pi}) = \mu_0 \epsilon_0 \frac{\partial^2}{\partial t^2} (\nabla \cdot \underline{\pi}) - \nabla \cdot [\nabla^2 \underline{\pi}]$$

$$-\nabla \cdot \nabla (\nabla \cdot \underline{\pi}) = -\nabla \cdot [\nabla (\nabla \cdot \underline{\pi}) - \nabla \wedge (\nabla \wedge \underline{\pi})]$$

$$= -\nabla \cdot \nabla (\nabla \cdot \underline{\pi}) + \underbrace{\nabla \cdot \nabla \wedge (\nabla \wedge \underline{\pi})}_{\text{div curl of any vector is zero}}$$

thus we have satisfied (1)

(2) becomes

$$\mu_0 \epsilon_0 \frac{\partial}{\partial t} [\nabla^2 \underline{\pi}] - \mu_0 \epsilon_0 \frac{\partial^3 \underline{\pi}}{\partial t^3} - \nabla (\nabla \cdot \frac{\partial \underline{\pi}}{\partial t}) \mu_0 \epsilon_0 + \mu_0 \epsilon_0 \frac{\partial}{\partial t} [\nabla (\nabla \cdot \underline{\pi})] =$$

$$= + \mu_0 \epsilon_0 \left(\frac{\partial \nabla^2 \pi}{\partial t} - \mu_0 \epsilon_0 \frac{\partial^2 \pi}{\partial t^2} \right)$$

$\Rightarrow$ two sides of equation are equal, and we have satisfied (2)

$$(b) \quad \underline{E} = -\underline{\nabla} \phi - \frac{\partial \underline{A}}{\partial t} ; \quad \underline{B} = \underline{\nabla} \wedge \underline{A}$$

$$\Rightarrow \underline{E} = \underline{\nabla}(\underline{\nabla} \cdot \underline{\pi}) - \mu_0 \epsilon_0 \frac{\partial^2 \underline{\pi}}{\partial t^2}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{where } \underline{\nabla}(\underline{\nabla} \cdot \underline{\pi}) &= \underline{\nabla} \wedge (\underline{\nabla} \wedge \underline{\pi}) + \nabla^2 \underline{\pi} \\ &= \underline{\nabla} \wedge (\underline{\nabla} \wedge \underline{\pi}) - \frac{\rho}{\epsilon_0} + \mu_0 \epsilon_0 \left(\frac{\partial^2 \underline{\pi}}{\partial t^2} \right) \end{aligned}$$

$\Rightarrow$

$$\underline{E} = \underline{\nabla} \wedge (\underline{\nabla} \wedge \underline{\pi}) - \frac{\rho}{\epsilon_0}$$

$$\text{and } \underline{B} = \underline{\nabla} \wedge \underline{A} = \mu_0 \epsilon_0 \underline{\nabla} \wedge \left(\frac{\partial \underline{\pi}}{\partial t} \right)$$

Alternatively

Start from

$$\nabla^2 \pi - \mu_0 \epsilon_0 \frac{\partial^2 \pi}{\partial t^2} = -\frac{\rho}{\epsilon_0} \quad (3)$$

Take divergence of both sides of equation

$$\underline{\nabla} \cdot (\nabla^2 \underline{\pi}) - \mu_0 \epsilon_0 \frac{\partial}{\partial t} \left[\underline{\nabla} \cdot \frac{\partial \underline{\pi}}{\partial t} \right] = -\frac{\underline{\nabla} \cdot \rho}{\epsilon_0}$$

$$\underline{\nabla} \cdot [\underline{\nabla}(\underline{\nabla} \cdot \underline{\pi}) - \underline{\nabla} \wedge (\underline{\nabla} \wedge \underline{\pi})] - \mu_0 \epsilon_0 \frac{\partial}{\partial t} \left[\underline{\nabla} \cdot \frac{\partial \underline{\pi}}{\partial t} \right] = -\frac{\underline{\nabla} \cdot \rho}{\epsilon_0}$$

$$\nabla^2 (\underline{\nabla} \cdot \underline{\pi}) + \mu_0 \epsilon_0 \frac{\partial}{\partial t} \left[\underline{\nabla} \cdot \frac{\partial \underline{\pi}}{\partial t} \right] = \frac{\underline{\nabla} \cdot \rho}{\epsilon_0}$$

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But this is identical to (1) if $\phi = -\nabla \cdot \underline{\Pi}$
and $\underline{A} = \mu_0 \epsilon_0 \frac{\partial \underline{\Pi}}{\partial t}$

Taking the derivative w.r.t time of (3) we obtain

$$\nabla^2 \left(\frac{\partial \Pi}{\partial t} \right) - \mu_0 \epsilon_0 \frac{\partial^3 \Pi}{\partial t^3} = - \frac{\partial \rho / \partial t}{\epsilon_0}$$

$$\mu_0 \epsilon_0 \nabla^2 \left(\frac{\partial \Pi}{\partial t} \right) - \mu_0^2 \epsilon_0^2 \frac{\partial^3}{\partial t^3} \left(\frac{\partial \Pi}{\partial t} \right) = - \mu_0 \frac{\partial \rho}{\partial t}$$

If $\phi = -\nabla \cdot \underline{\Pi}$ and $\underline{A} = \mu_0 \epsilon_0 \frac{\partial \underline{\Pi}}{\partial t}$ this becomes

$$\nabla^2 \underline{A} - \mu_0 \epsilon_0 \frac{\partial^2 \underline{A}}{\partial t^2} = - \mu_0 \frac{\partial \rho}{\partial t} \quad (4)$$

$$\text{but } \nabla \cdot \underline{A} + \mu_0 \epsilon_0 \frac{\partial \phi}{\partial t} = \mu_0 \epsilon_0 \frac{\partial (\nabla \cdot \underline{\Pi})}{\partial t} = \mu_0 \epsilon_0 \frac{\partial (\nabla \cdot \underline{\Pi})}{\partial t}$$

the gradient of $= 0$
 therefore we can add this expression to the equation (4)

giving

$$\nabla^2 \underline{A} - \mu_0 \epsilon_0 \frac{\partial^2 \underline{A}}{\partial t^2} - \nabla (\nabla \cdot \underline{A} + \mu_0 \epsilon_0 \frac{\partial \phi}{\partial t}) = - \mu_0 \frac{\partial \rho}{\partial t}$$

which is exactly equation (2).

$$22-8) \quad \rho_f = \underline{J}_f = \underline{P} = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \nabla^2 \phi + \frac{\partial}{\partial t} (\underline{\nabla} \cdot \underline{A}) = 0 \quad - (1)$$

$$\underline{\nabla}^2 \underline{A} - \mu_0 \epsilon_0 \frac{\partial^2 \underline{A}}{\partial t^2} - \underline{\nabla} (\underline{\nabla} \cdot \underline{A} + \mu_0 \epsilon_0 \frac{\partial \phi}{\partial t}) = -\mu_0 (\underline{\nabla} \wedge \underline{M}) \quad - (2)$$

Using $\underline{\nabla}^2 \underline{\pi} - \mu_0 \epsilon_0 \left(\frac{\partial^2 \underline{\pi}}{\partial t^2} \right) = -\mu_0 \underline{M}$

taking curl of both sides

$$\underline{\nabla} \wedge \underline{\nabla}^2 \underline{\pi} - \mu_0 \epsilon_0 \frac{\partial^2}{\partial t^2} (\underline{\nabla} \wedge \underline{\pi}) = -\mu_0 \underline{\nabla} \wedge \underline{M}$$

$$\underline{\nabla} \wedge (\underline{\nabla} (\underline{\nabla} \cdot \underline{\pi}) - \underline{\nabla} \wedge (\underline{\nabla} \wedge \underline{\pi})) - \mu_0 \epsilon_0 \frac{\partial^2}{\partial t^2} (\underline{\nabla} \wedge \underline{\pi}) = -\mu_0 \underline{\nabla} \wedge \underline{M}$$

$$\underbrace{\underline{\nabla} \wedge \underline{\nabla} (\underline{\nabla} \cdot \underline{\pi})}_{\text{identically zero}} - \underline{\nabla} \wedge (\underline{\nabla} \wedge (\underline{\nabla} \wedge \underline{\pi})) - \mu_0 \epsilon_0 \frac{\partial^2}{\partial t^2} (\underline{\nabla} \wedge \underline{\pi}) = -\mu_0 \underline{\nabla} \wedge \underline{M}$$

identically zero

$$- \underbrace{\underline{\nabla} (\underline{\nabla} \cdot (\underline{\nabla} \wedge \underline{\pi}))}_{\text{identically zero}} + \underline{\nabla}^2 (\underline{\nabla} \wedge \underline{\pi}) - \mu_0 \epsilon_0 \frac{\partial^2}{\partial t^2} (\underline{\nabla} \wedge \underline{\pi}) = -\mu_0 \underline{\nabla} \wedge \underline{M}$$

$$\underline{\nabla}^2 (\underline{\nabla} \wedge \underline{\pi}) - \mu_0 \epsilon_0 \frac{\partial^2}{\partial t^2} (\underline{\nabla} \wedge \underline{\pi}) = -\mu_0 \underline{\nabla} \wedge \underline{M}$$

This is identically equal to (2) above if

$$\underline{A} = \underline{\nabla} \wedge \underline{\pi} \quad \underline{\text{and}} \quad \underline{\nabla} (\underline{\nabla} \cdot \underline{A} + \mu_0 \epsilon_0 \frac{\partial \phi}{\partial t}) = 0$$

If (i) is satisfied then $\nabla^2 \phi + \frac{\partial}{\partial t} (\underline{\nabla} \cdot \underline{A}) = 0$

The latter two conditions reduce to the following, when $\underline{A} = \underline{\nabla} \wedge \underline{\pi}$

$$\underline{\nabla} \left(\underbrace{\underline{\nabla} \cdot \underline{\nabla} \wedge \underline{\pi}}_{\text{Zero}} + \mu_0 \epsilon_0 \frac{\partial \phi}{\partial t} \right) = 0$$

$$\nabla^2 \phi + \frac{\partial}{\partial t} \left(\underbrace{\underline{\nabla} \cdot (\underline{\nabla} \wedge \underline{\pi})}_{\text{Zero}} \right) = 0$$

or $\mu_0 \epsilon_0 \frac{\partial (\underline{\nabla} \phi)}{\partial t} = 0 \Rightarrow \underline{\nabla} \phi$ independent of time.

and $\nabla^2 \phi = 0$

Thus we conclude that $\underline{A} = \underline{\nabla} \wedge \underline{\pi}$
and $\underline{\nabla}^2 \phi = 0$ ($\phi = \phi(t)$)

$$\underline{E} = -\underline{\nabla} \phi - \frac{\partial \underline{A}}{\partial t} \quad \underline{B} = \underline{\nabla} \wedge \underline{A}$$

$$\Rightarrow \underline{E} = -\underline{\nabla} \phi - \underline{\nabla} \wedge \frac{\partial \underline{\pi}}{\partial t}$$

and $\underline{B} = \underline{\nabla} \wedge (\underline{\nabla} \wedge \underline{\pi}) = -\underline{\nabla}^2 \underline{\pi} + \underline{\nabla} (\underline{\nabla} \cdot \underline{\pi})$