



# Scalar vector potentials, Green's Functions, surface equivalence principle

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# Module 1: Review of EM Principles

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- Maxwell's equations
- Applications of Computational Electromagnetics
- Electrostatics and Magnetostatics
- Wave equation and propagation
- Scalar and vector potentials
- Surface equivalence principle
- Greens Function
- Boundary conditions
- Linear algebra for computational EM



# References

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- Walton C. Gibson: The Method of Moments in Electromagnetics, 1<sup>st</sup> Ed., Chapman and Hall, Chapter 2



# Equations Review

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$$\nabla^2 \phi + k^2 \phi = 0$$



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$$\nabla^2 \phi = f$$



# Helmholtz Theorem

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$$\mathbf{F} = -\nabla\phi + \nabla \times \mathbf{A}$$

Curl Free Part:  
irrotational

Divergence Free Part:  
Solenoidal



# Scalar and Vector Potential

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$$\vec{E} = -j\omega\vec{A} - \nabla\phi$$

$\vec{A}$  Magnetic Vector Potential

$\phi$  Electric Scalar Potential

$$\nabla \times \vec{A} = \vec{B}$$

$$\nabla \cdot \vec{A} = -j\omega\mu\epsilon\phi \quad \text{Lorentz Gauge}$$



# Scalar and Vector Potential

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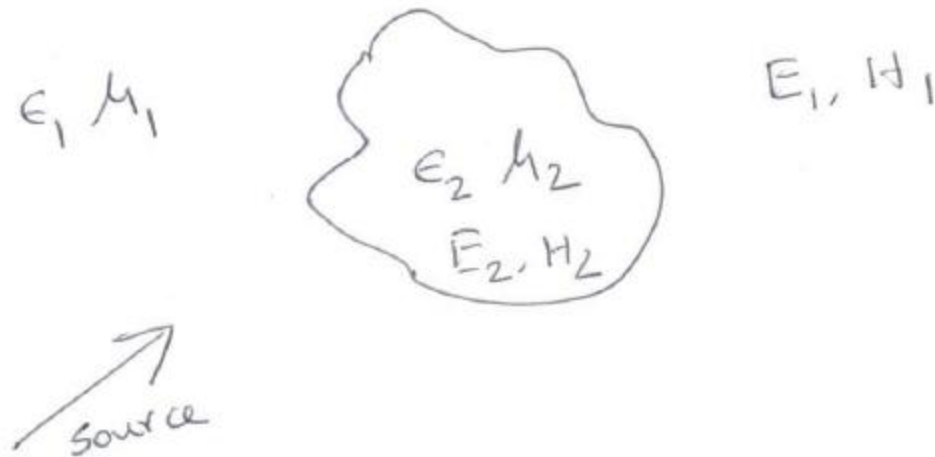
$$(\nabla^2 + k^2)A = -\mu J$$

$$(\nabla^2 + k^2)\phi = -\frac{\rho}{\epsilon}$$



# Surface Equivalence Principle

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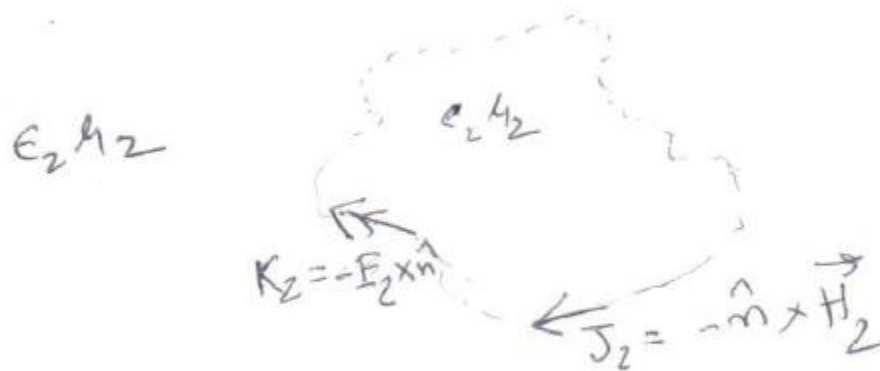
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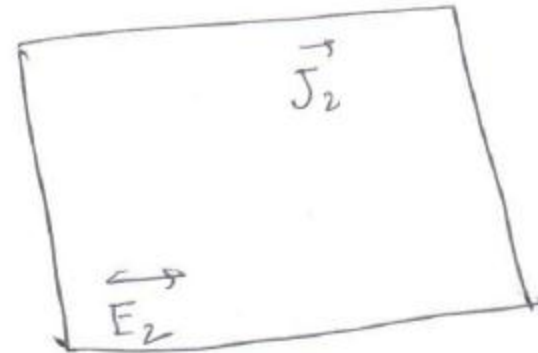
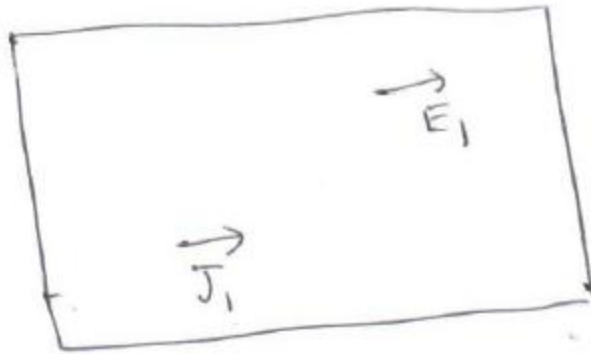
Null Fields



# Reciprocity Theorem

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Scenario 1



Scenario 2

$$\langle \vec{E}_1, \vec{J}_2 \rangle = \langle \vec{E}_2, \vec{J}_1 \rangle$$



# Green's Function: Electrostatics

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$$\left(\nabla^2 + k^2\right)\phi = -\frac{\rho}{\epsilon} \quad k=0 \text{ for static}$$

$$\nabla^2 g(r, r') = -\frac{\delta(r - r')}{\epsilon}$$

$$g(r, r') = \frac{C_1}{|r - r'|} + C_2$$

$$\phi(r) = \int dr' \rho(r') g(r, r')$$

Find C1 using Gauss Divergence Theorem

$$\oiint_S \vec{A} \cdot d\vec{s} = \iiint_V \nabla \cdot \vec{A} dv$$



# Green's Function: Magnetostatics

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$$\left(\nabla^2 + k^2\right)A = -\mu J \quad k=0 \text{ for static}$$

$$\nabla^2 g(r, r') = -\mu \delta(r - r')$$

$$g(r, r') = \frac{C_1}{|r - r'|} + C_2$$

$$\vec{A}(r) = \mu \epsilon \int dr' \vec{I} \cdot g(r, r') J(r')$$



# Green's Function: Full wave

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$$(\nabla^2 + k^2)\phi = -\frac{\rho}{\varepsilon}$$

$$[\nabla^2 + k^2]g(r, r') = -\frac{\partial(r - r')}{\varepsilon}$$

$$g(r, r') = C_1 \frac{e^{-jk|r-r'|}}{|r-r'|} + C_2 \frac{e^{+jk|r-r'|}}{|r-r'|}$$

$$g(r, r') = \frac{1}{4\pi\varepsilon} \frac{e^{-jk|r-r'|}}{|r-r'|}$$



# Electric Field Green's Function

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$$G_E = g(r, r') \left( \bar{I} + \frac{\nabla \nabla'}{k^2} \right)$$

$$E(r) = \int dr' G_E(r, r') \cdot \vec{J}(r')$$



# Linear Algebra

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- Direct Solver
- Iterative Solver





# LU Decomposition

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$$\begin{bmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} & a_{13} \\ a_{21} & a_{22} & a_{23} \\ a_{31} & a_{32} & a_{33} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} l_{11} & 0 & 0 \\ l_{21} & l_{22} & 0 \\ l_{31} & l_{32} & l_{33} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} u_{11} & u_{12} & u_{13} \\ 0 & u_{22} & u_{23} \\ 0 & 0 & u_{33} \end{bmatrix} .$$

[http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/LU\\_decomposition](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/LU_decomposition)

