

8(4): Checking the Note by Doug Lindstrom

The starting point is the Lorentz postulate:

$$\Gamma_{\mu\nu}^a = d_\mu q_\nu^a + \omega_{\mu b}^a q_\nu^b \quad - (1)$$

antisymmetry:  $\Gamma_{\mu\nu}^a = -\Gamma_{\nu\mu}^a \quad - (2)$

From Note 379(5):

$$\omega_{\mu b}^a q_\nu^b = \omega_{\mu}^a q_\nu \quad - (3)$$

For each a index, eq. (1) is therefore:

$$\Gamma_{\mu\nu}^a = d_\mu q_\nu^a + \omega_{\mu}^a q_\nu \quad - (4)$$

By definition,

$$\text{Trace } \Gamma_{\mu\nu} = \Gamma_{00} + \Gamma_{11} + \Gamma_{22} + \Gamma_{33} = 0 \quad - (5)$$

from eq. (2). Using the ECE postulate:

$$d_0 A_0 + \omega_0 A_0 + \sum_{i=1}^3 d_i A_i + \omega_i A_i = 0 \quad - (6)$$

where:

$$d_\mu = \left( \frac{1}{c} \frac{\partial}{\partial t}, \underline{\nabla} \right) \quad - (7)$$

$$A_\mu = \left( \frac{\phi}{c}, \underline{A} \right) \quad - (8)$$

$$\omega_\mu = \left( \frac{\omega_0}{c}, \underline{\omega} \right) \quad - (9)$$

So:

$$\frac{1}{c^2} \left( \frac{\partial \phi}{\partial t} + \omega_0 \phi \right) - \underline{\nabla} \cdot \underline{A} + \underline{\omega} \cdot \underline{A} = 0 \quad - (10)$$

The Lorenz condition is:

$$\frac{1}{c^2} \frac{\partial \phi}{\partial t} + \underline{\nabla} \cdot \underline{A} = 0 \quad - (11)$$

From eqs. (10) and (11):

$$\boxed{\frac{1}{c^2} \omega_0 \phi + \underline{\omega} \cdot \underline{A} = 2 \underline{\nabla} \cdot \underline{A}} \quad - (12)$$

This is a new antisymmetry equation for any situation in electrodynamics.

The antisymmetry equation is therefore eq. (12) and:

$$\underline{E} = -\underline{\nabla} \phi + \underline{\omega} \phi = -\frac{\partial \underline{A}}{\partial t} - \omega_0 \underline{A} \quad - (13)$$

$$\frac{\partial A_z}{\partial t} + \frac{\partial A_y}{\partial z} = \omega_y A_z + \omega_z \frac{\partial A_y}{\partial t} \quad - (14)$$

$$\frac{\partial A_x}{\partial z} + \frac{\partial A_z}{\partial x} = \omega_z A_x + \omega_x A_z \quad - (15)$$

$$\frac{\partial A_y}{\partial x} + \frac{\partial A_x}{\partial y} = \omega_x A_y + \omega_y A_x \quad - (16)$$

Eq. (11) means:

$$\square \phi = \rho / \epsilon_0 \quad - (17)$$

$$\square \underline{A} = \mu_0 \underline{J} \quad - (18)$$

$\phi$  and  $\underline{A}$  are found experimentally from the  
and  $\underline{J}$  is the current.

Then  $\underline{\omega}$  is found for eqs. (14) to (16). In order to find  $\omega_0$ , eqs. (12) and (13) are solved simultaneously knowing  $\phi$ ,  $A$  and  $\underline{\omega}$ . Hence  $A$  and  $\underline{\omega}$  can be found from the subsidiary equations. The electric field strength  $\underline{E}$  is found for eq. (13) and the magnetic flux density from:

$$\underline{B} = \nabla \times \underline{A} - \underline{\omega} \times \underline{A} \quad (19)$$

The electric field strength for circuit / vacuum interaction is:

$$\underline{E} = -\underline{\omega} \phi \quad (20)$$

and the magnetic flux density for circuit / vacuum interaction is

$$\underline{B}_1 = -\underline{\omega} \times \underline{A} \quad (21)$$


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