# **Electromagnetic Field Theory 1** (fundamental relations and definitions)

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## **Fundamental Question of Classical Electrodynamics**

A specified distribution of elementary charges is in state of arbitrary (but known) motion. At certain time we pick one of them and ask what is the force acting on it.

Rather difficult question – will not be fully answered

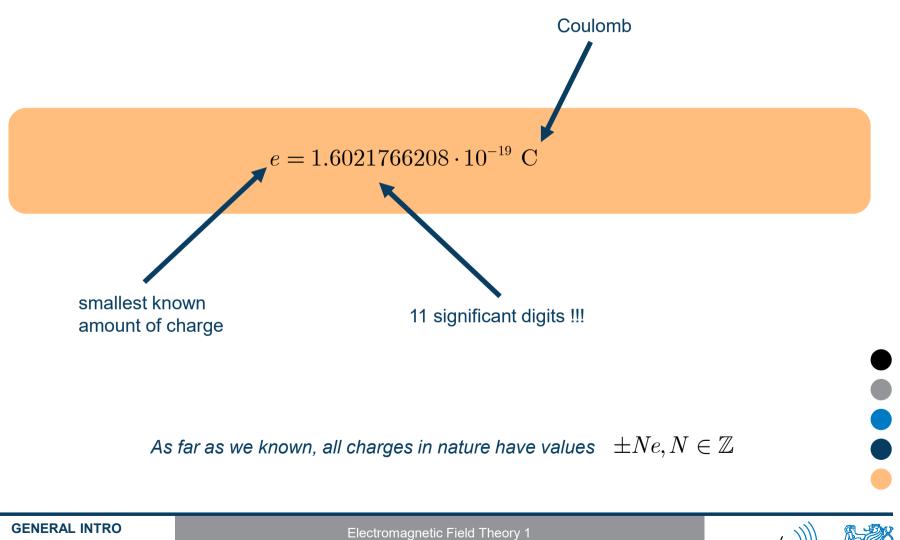


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#### **Elementary Charge**



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Amount of charge is conserved in every frame (even non-inertial).

Neutrality of atoms has been verified to 20 digits

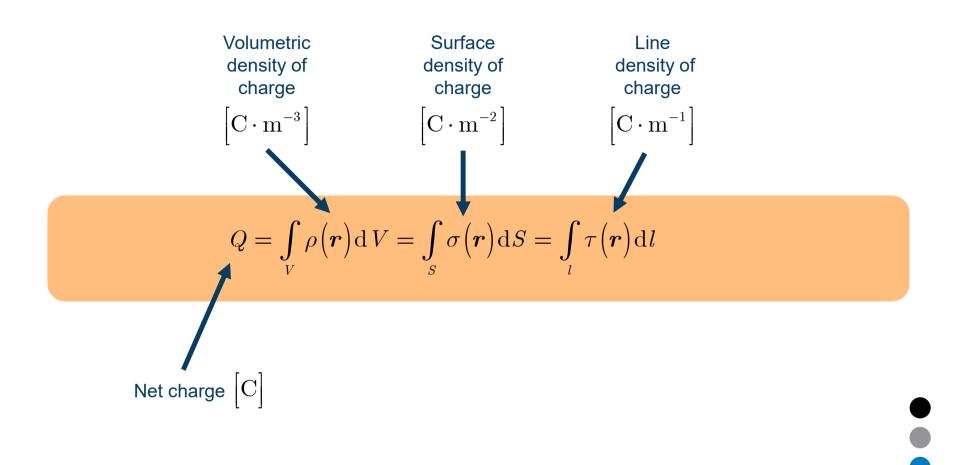


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# **Continuous approximation of charge distribution**



#### Continuous approximation allows for using powerful mathematics



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There exist a specified distribution of static elementary charges. We pick one of them and ask what is the force acting on it.

This will be answered in full details

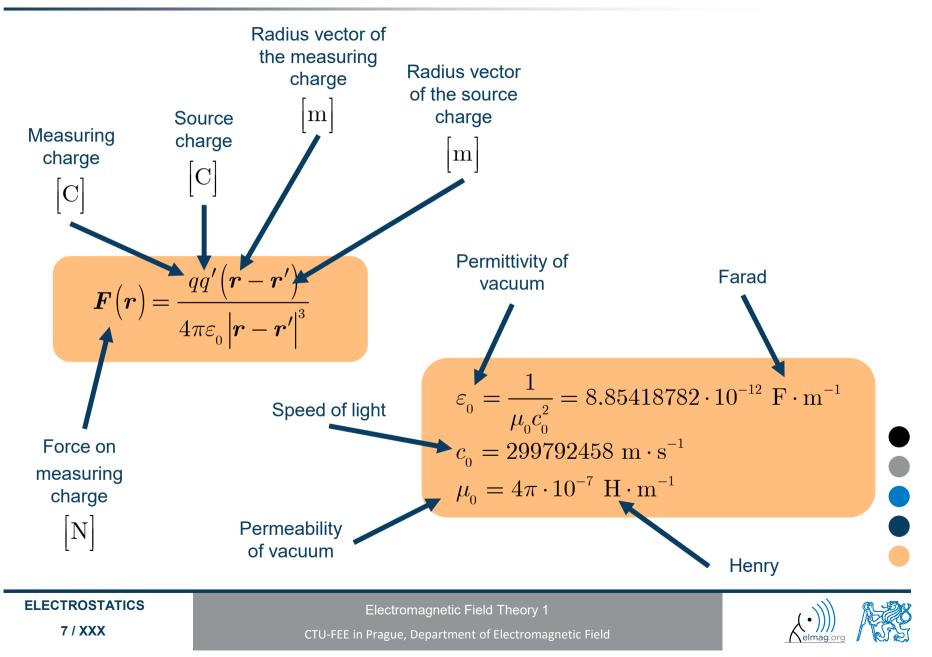
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# Coulomb('s) Law



## **Coulomb('s)** Law + Superposition Principle

$$\boldsymbol{F}(\boldsymbol{r}) = \frac{q}{4\pi\varepsilon_0} \sum_{n} \frac{q'_n \left(\boldsymbol{r} - \boldsymbol{r}'_n\right)}{\left|\boldsymbol{r} - \boldsymbol{r}'_n\right|^3}$$

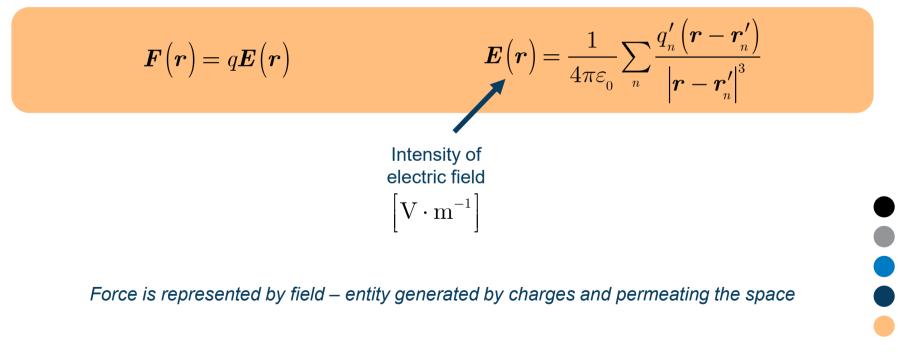
Entire electrostatics can be deduced from this formula



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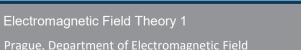






## **Continuous Distribution of Charge**

Continuous description of charge allows for using powerful mathematics

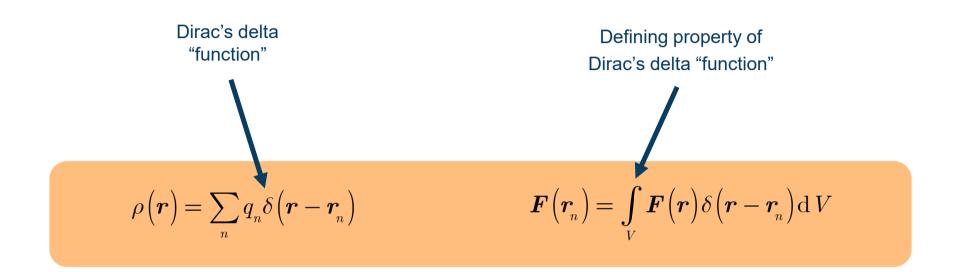




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## **Continuous Description of a Point Charge**

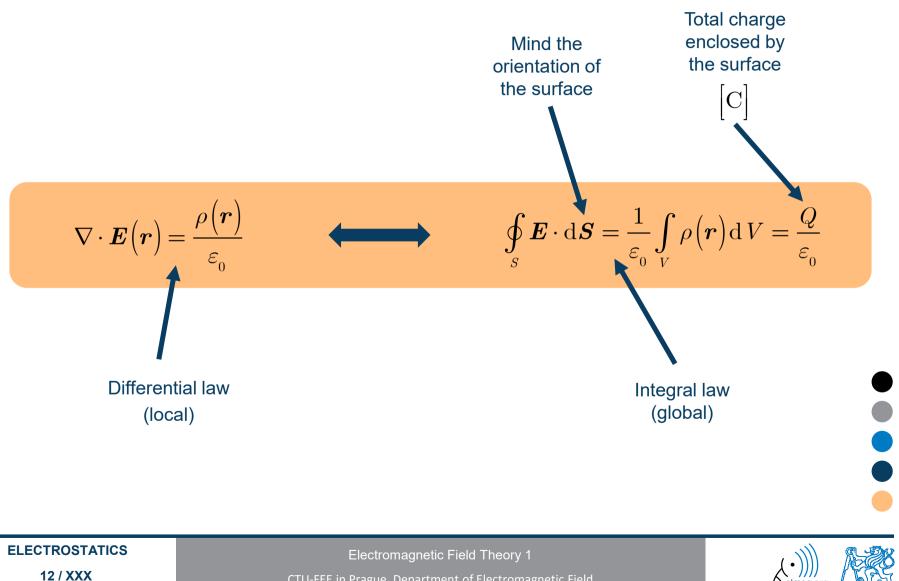




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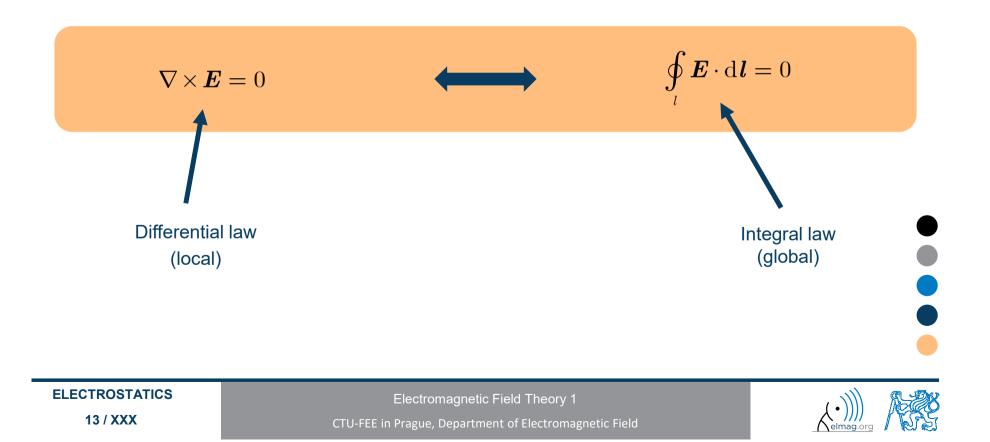
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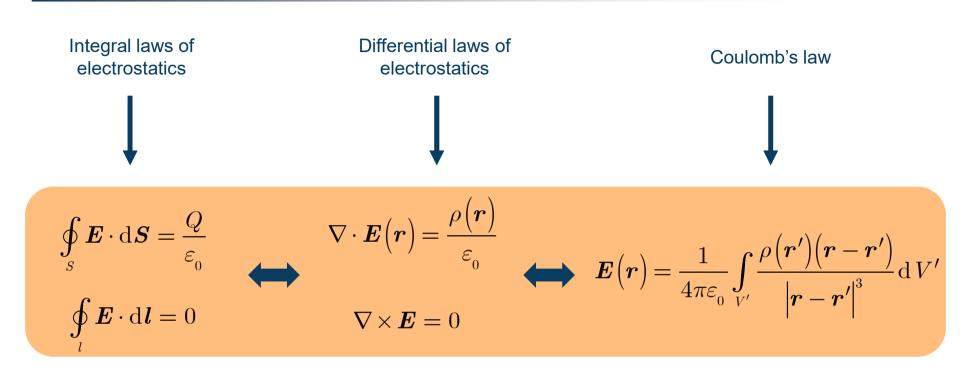


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#### **Various Views on Electrostatics**



The physics content is the same, the formalism is different.



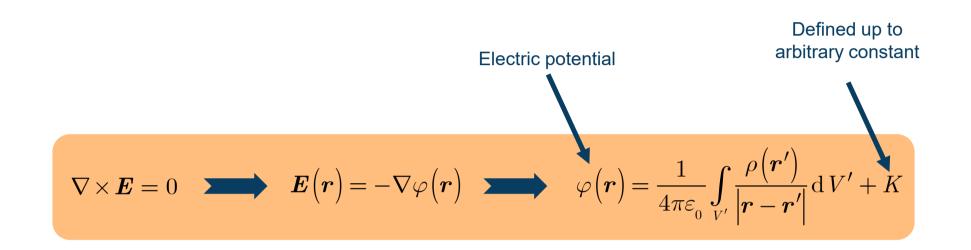
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## **Electric potential**



Scalar description of electrostatic field



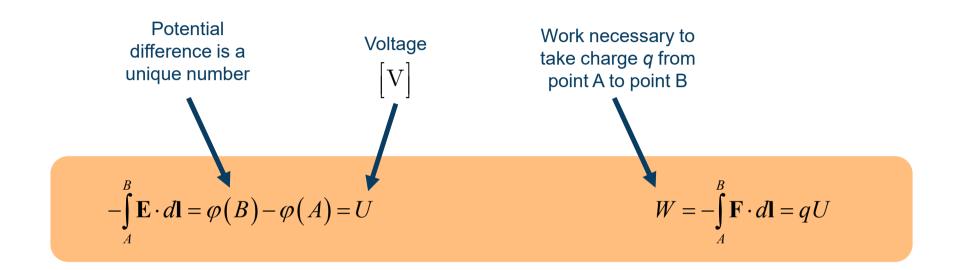
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## Voltage



Voltage represents connection of abstract field theory with experiments

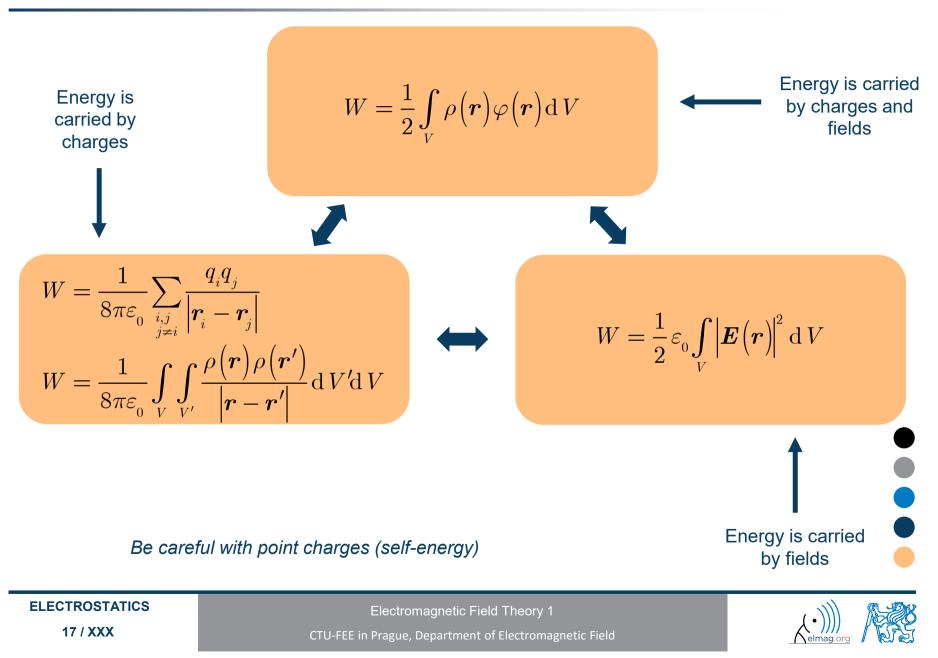


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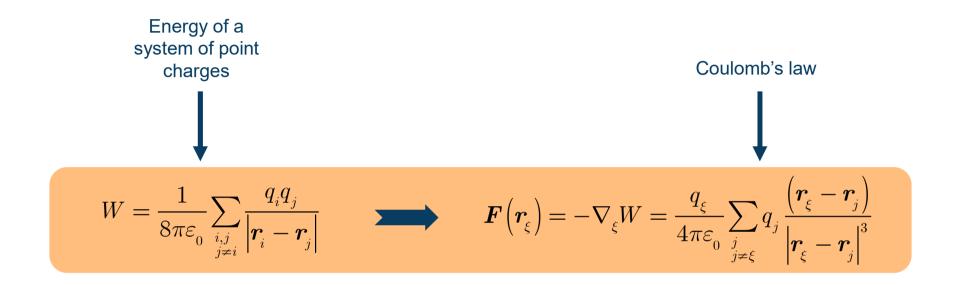
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#### **Electrostatic Energy**



#### **Electrostatic Energy vs Force**



Electrostatic forces are always acting so to minimize energy of the system

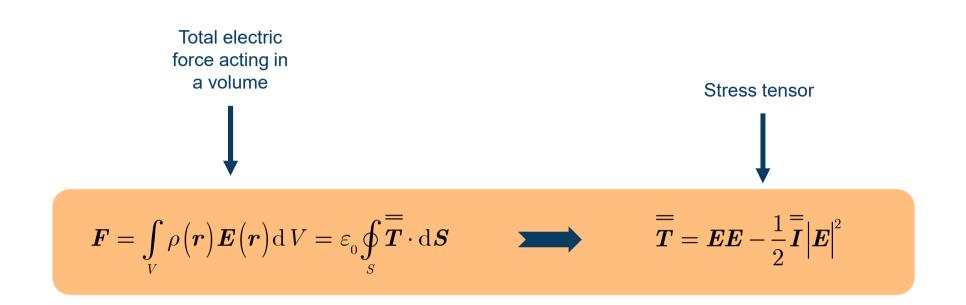


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#### **Electric Stress Tensor**



All the information on the volumetric Coulomb's force is contained at the boundary



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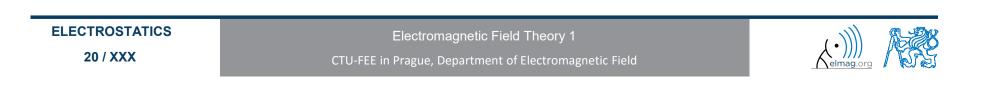
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Ideal conductor contains unlimited amount of free charges which under action of external electric field rearrange so as to annihilate electric field inside the conductor.

In 3D, the free charge always resides on the external bounding surface of the conductor.

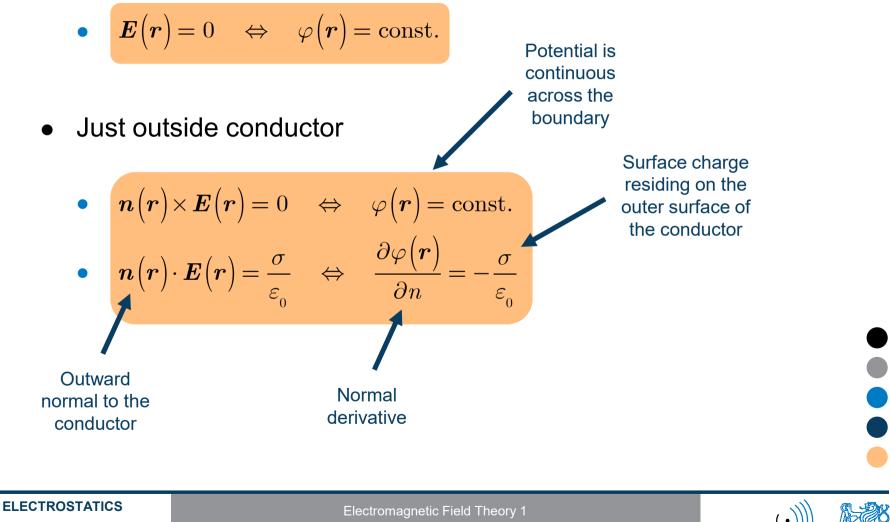
In 1D and 2D it is not so

Generally free charges in conductors move so as to minimize the energy



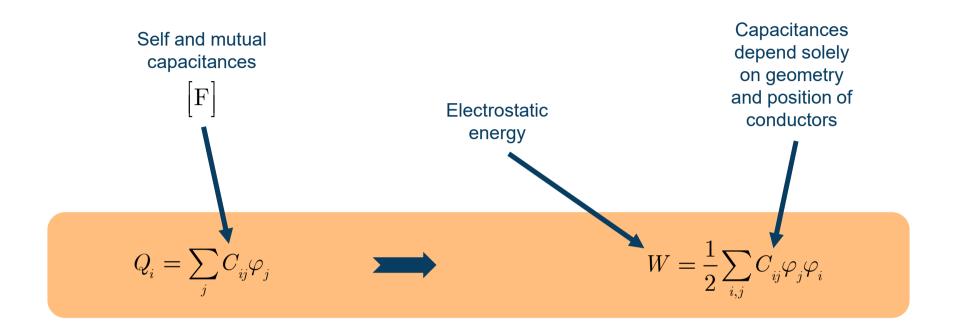
## **Boundary Conditions on Ideal Conductor**

Inside conductor



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## Capacitance of a System of N conductors



Electrostatic system is fully characterized by capacitances (we know the energy)



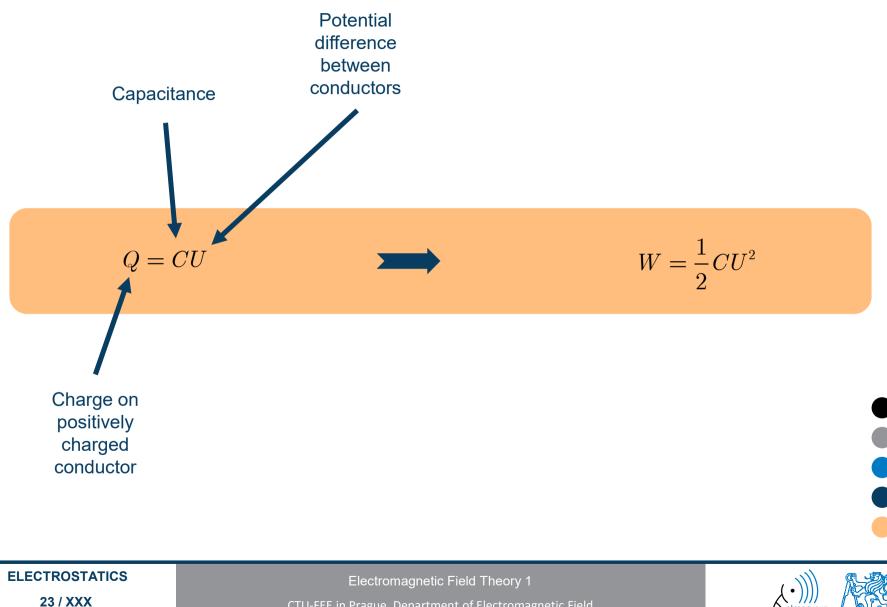
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## **Capacitance of a System of two conductors**



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$$\Delta \varphi \! \left( \boldsymbol{r} \right) \! = \! - \frac{\rho \! \left( \boldsymbol{r} \right)}{\varepsilon_{_{0}}}$$

The solution to Poisson's equation is unique in a given volume once the potential is known on its bounding surface and the charge density is known through out the volume.



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$$\Delta\varphi(\boldsymbol{r}) = 0$$

The solution to Laplace's equation is unique in a given volume once the potential is known on its bounding surface.



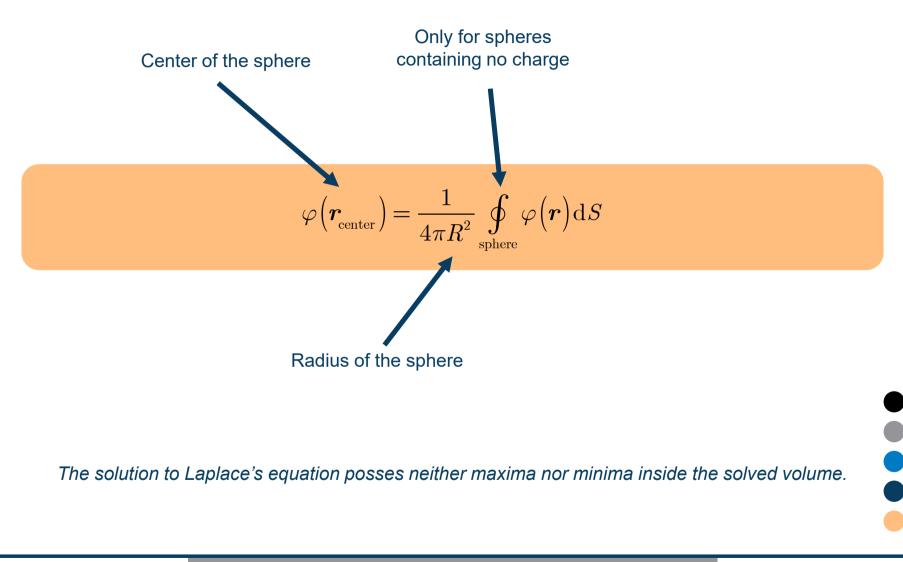
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#### **Mean Value Theorem**

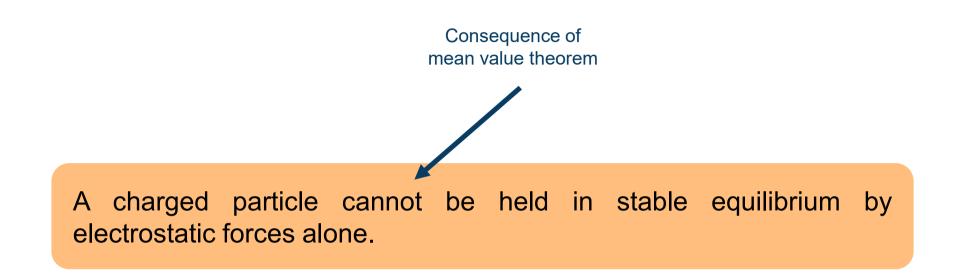


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# Earnshaw('s) Theorem



Mind that the solution to Laplace's equation posses neither maxima nor minima inside the solved volume. This means that charged particle will always travel towards the boundary.



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When solving field generated by charges in the presence of conductors, it is sometimes possible to remove the conductor and mimic its boundary conditions by adding extra charges to the exterior of the solution volume. The unicity theorem claims that this is a correct solution.

Image method always works with planes and spheres.



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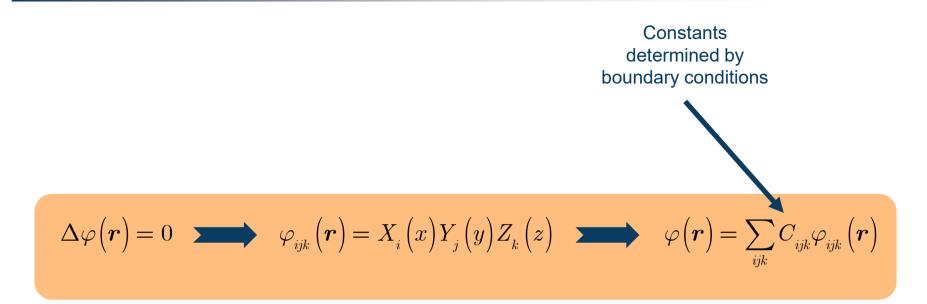
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#### **Separation of Variables**



Semi-analytical method for canonical problems



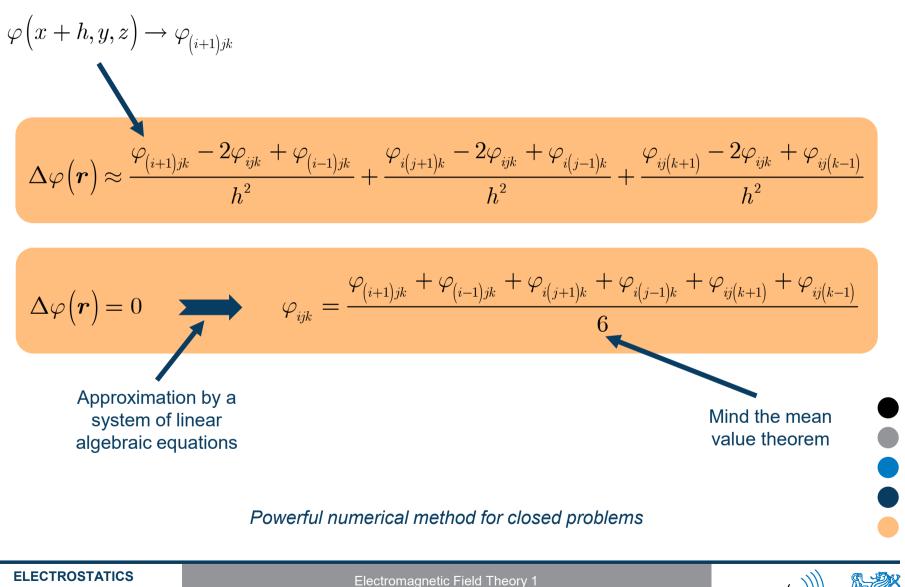
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### **Finite Differences**

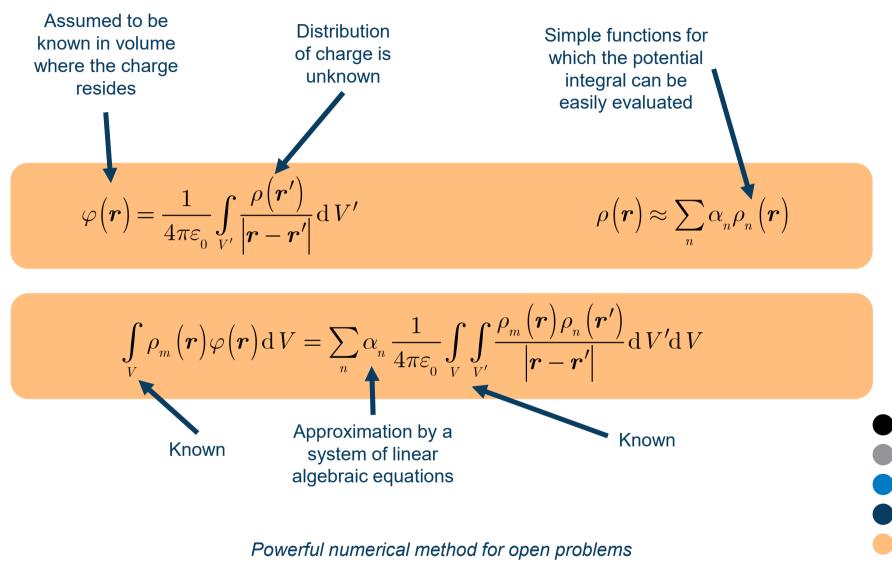


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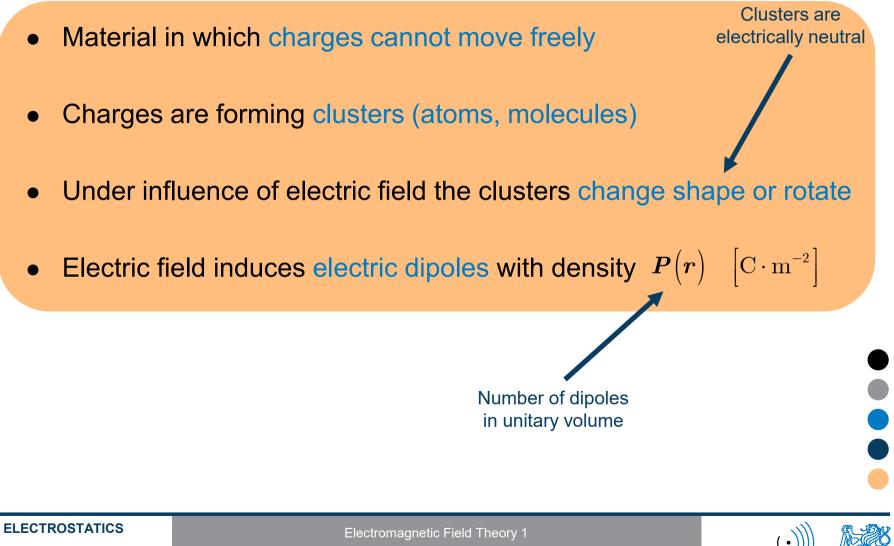
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### **Method of Moments**

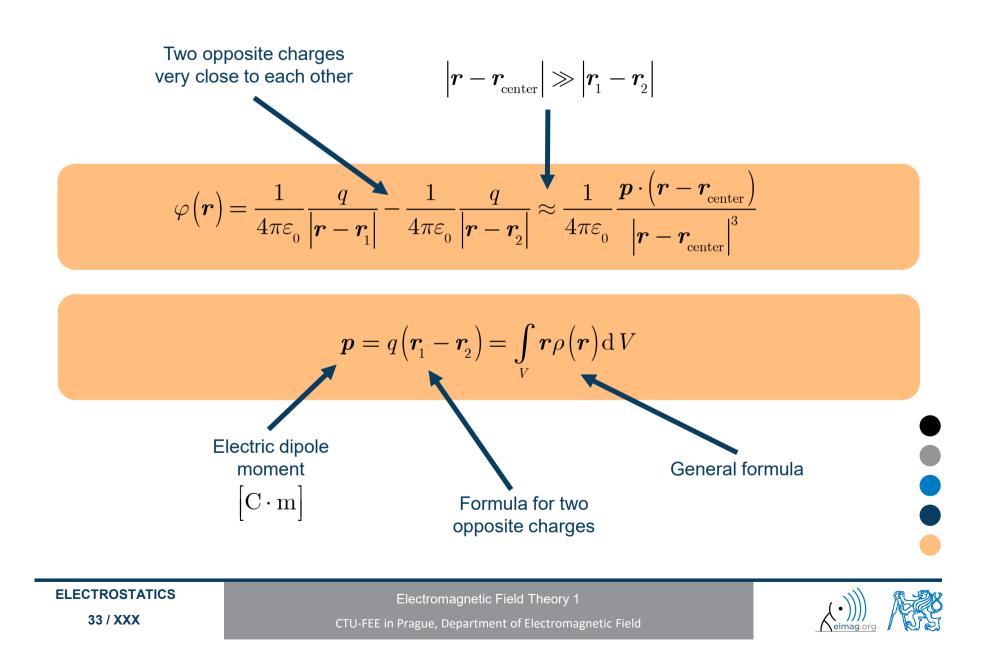




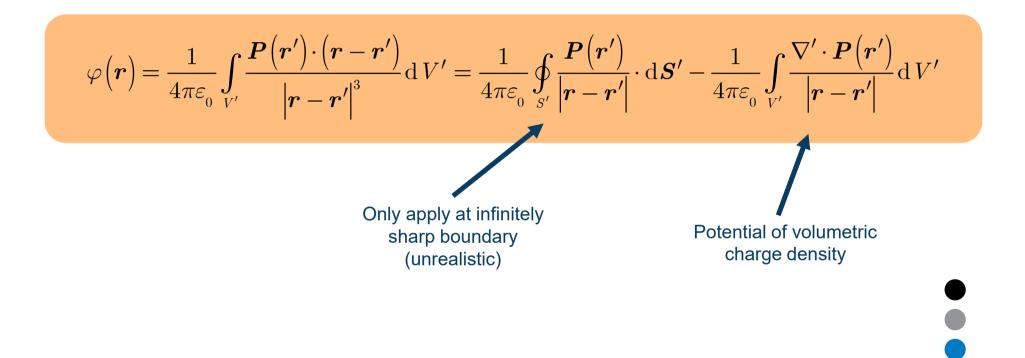


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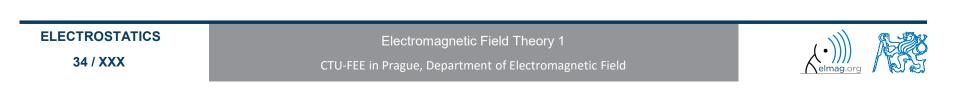
#### **Electric Field of a Dipole**



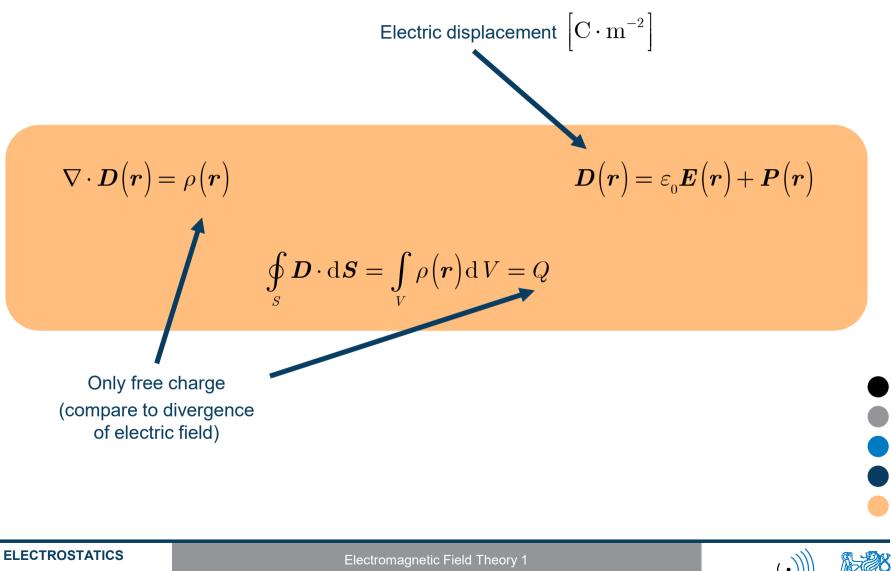
### **Field Produced by Polarized Matter**



This formula holds very well outside the matter and, curiously, it also well approximates the field inside



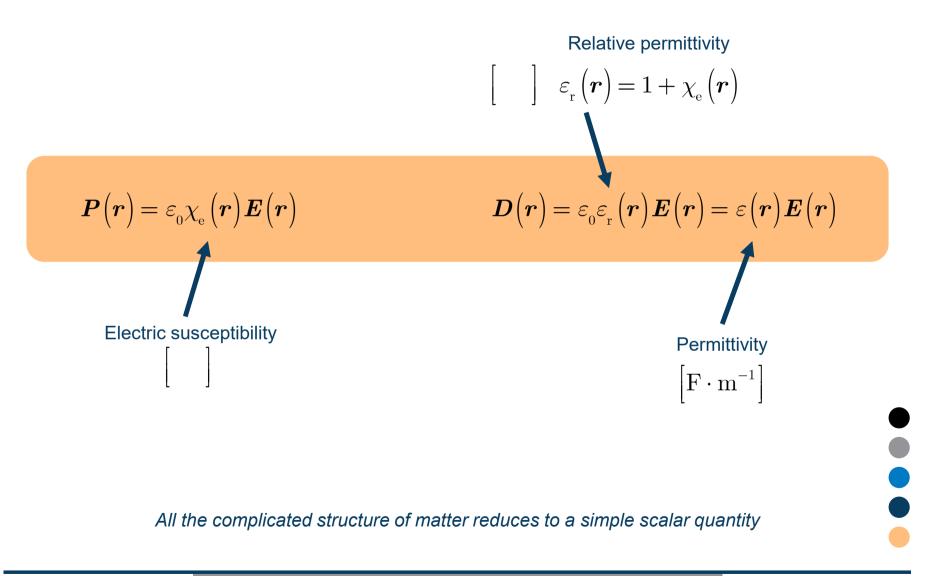
## **Electric Displacement**



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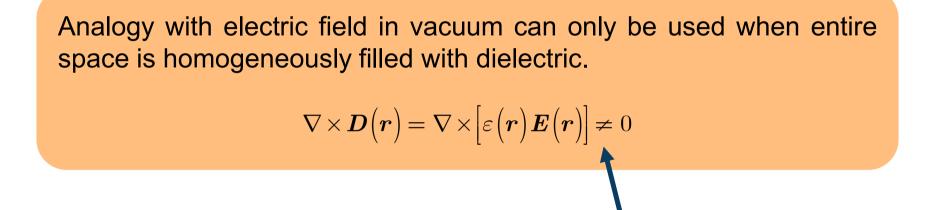
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#### **Linear Isotropic Dielectrics**



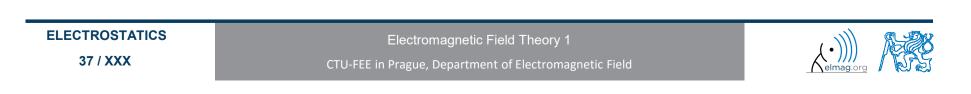


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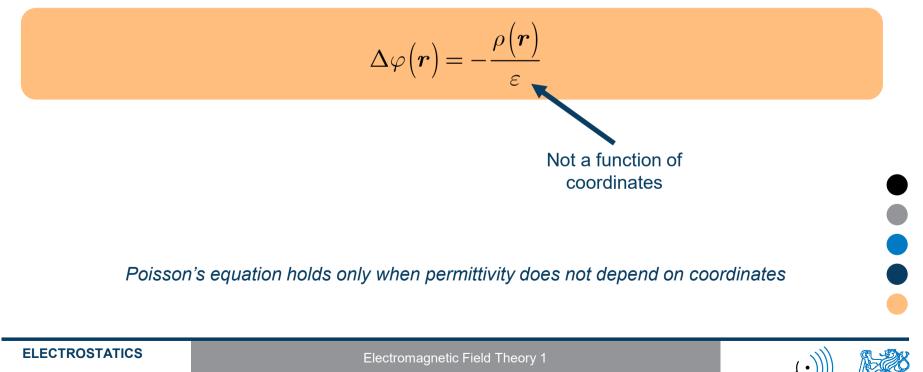


Inequality is due to boundaries

Analogy with vacuum can only be used when space is homogeneously filled with dielectric



$$\nabla \times \boldsymbol{E}(\boldsymbol{r}) = 0 \Leftrightarrow \boldsymbol{E}(\boldsymbol{r}) = -\nabla \varphi(\boldsymbol{r}) \qquad \Longrightarrow \qquad \nabla \cdot \left[\varepsilon(\boldsymbol{r}) \nabla \varphi(\boldsymbol{r})\right] = -\rho(\boldsymbol{r})$$



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$$\boldsymbol{n}(\boldsymbol{r}) \times \left[\boldsymbol{E}_{1}(\boldsymbol{r}) - \boldsymbol{E}_{2}(\boldsymbol{r})\right] = 0 \quad \Leftrightarrow \quad \varphi_{1}(\boldsymbol{r}) - \varphi_{2}(\boldsymbol{r}) = 0$$
$$\boldsymbol{n}(\boldsymbol{r}) \cdot \left[\varepsilon_{1}\boldsymbol{E}_{1}(\boldsymbol{r}) - \varepsilon_{2}\boldsymbol{E}_{2}(\boldsymbol{r})\right] = \sigma \quad \Leftrightarrow \quad \varepsilon_{1}\frac{\partial\varphi_{1}(\boldsymbol{r})}{\partial n} - \varepsilon_{2}\frac{\partial\varphi_{2}(\boldsymbol{r})}{\partial n} = -\sigma$$
Normal pointing to region (1)

#### Both conditions are needed for unique solution



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# **Electrostatic Energy in Dielectrics**

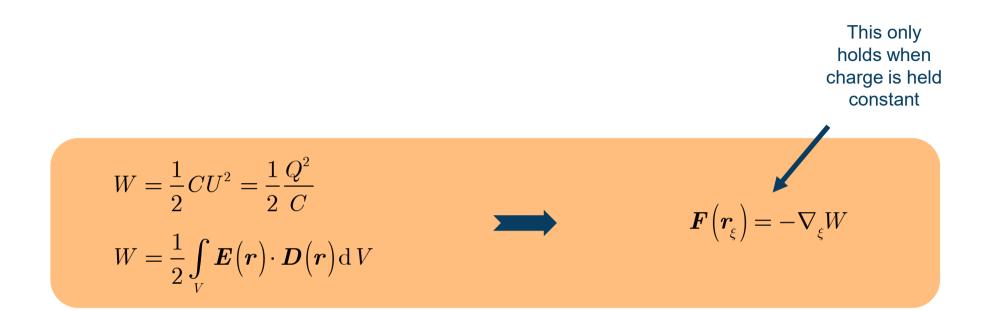


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#### **Forces on Dielectrics**



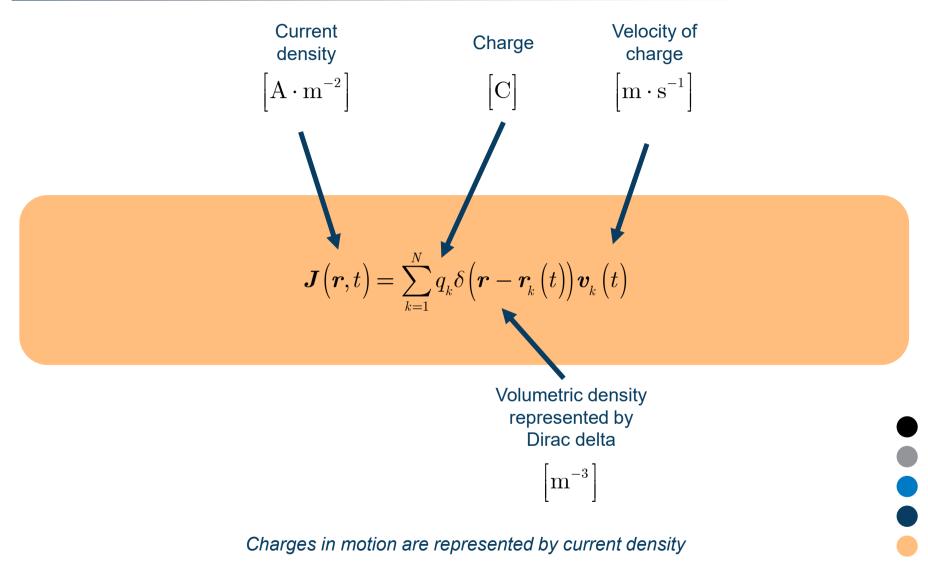


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# **Electric Current**





#### **Local Charge Conservation**

$$\nabla \cdot \boldsymbol{J}(\boldsymbol{r},t) = -\frac{\partial}{\partial t} \sum_{k=1}^{N} q_k \delta\left(\boldsymbol{r} - \boldsymbol{r}_k\left(t\right)\right) = -\frac{\partial \rho\left(\boldsymbol{r},t\right)}{\partial t}$$

#### Charge is conserved locally at every space-time point

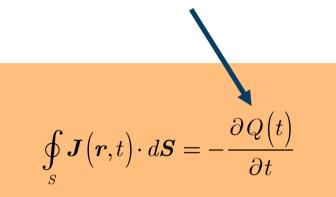


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# **Global Charge Conservation**

When charge leaves a given volume, it is always accompanied by a current through the bounding envelope

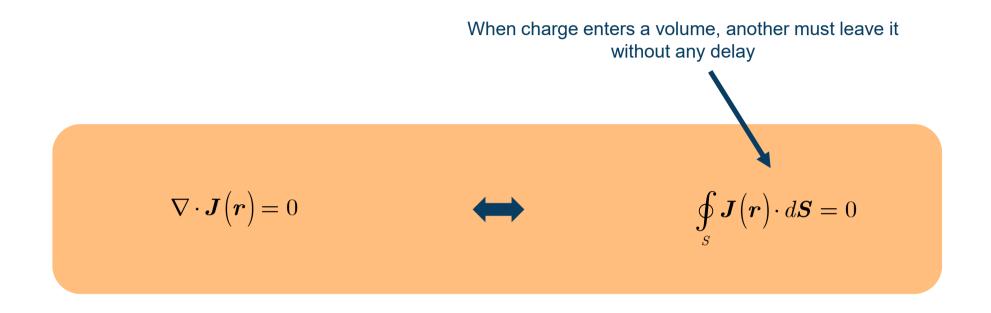


Charge can neither be created nor destroyed. It can only be displaced.



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#### There is no charge accumulation in stationary flow

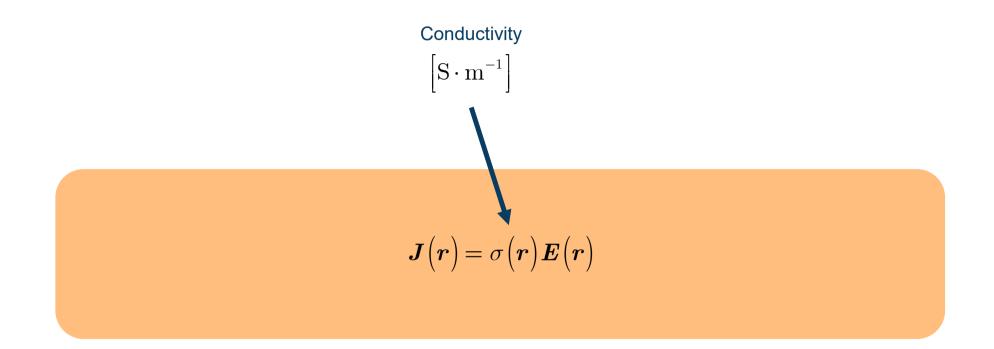


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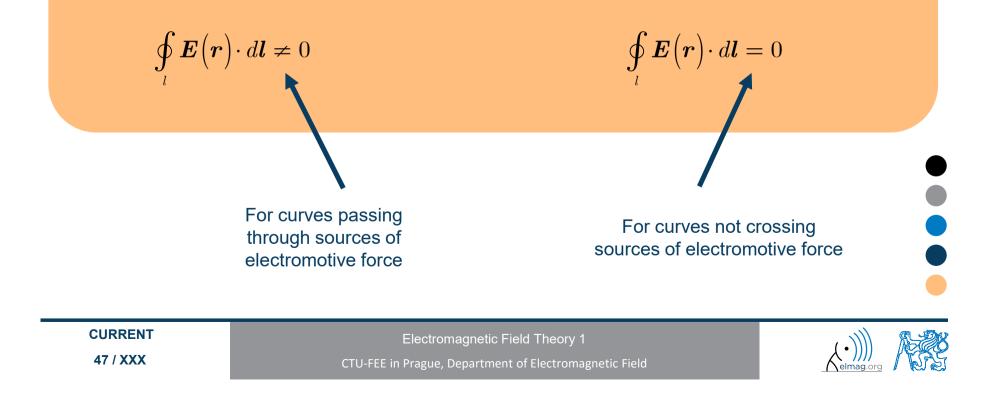
This simple linear relation holds for enormous interval of electric field strengths

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Stationary flow of charges cannot be caused by electrostatic field. The motion forces are non-conservative, are called electromotive forces, and are commonly of chemical, magnetic or photoelectric origin.



## **Boundary Conditions for Stationary Current**

$$\begin{split} \boldsymbol{n}(\boldsymbol{r}) \times \left[\boldsymbol{E}_{1}(\boldsymbol{r}) - \boldsymbol{E}_{2}(\boldsymbol{r})\right] &= 0 \quad \Leftrightarrow \quad \varphi_{1}(\boldsymbol{r}) - \varphi_{2}(\boldsymbol{r}) = 0 \\ \boldsymbol{n}(\boldsymbol{r}) \cdot \left[\varepsilon_{1}\boldsymbol{E}_{1}(\boldsymbol{r}) - \varepsilon_{2}\boldsymbol{E}_{2}(\boldsymbol{r})\right] &= \sigma \quad \Leftrightarrow \quad \varepsilon_{1}\frac{\partial\varphi_{1}(\boldsymbol{r})}{\partial n} - \varepsilon_{2}\frac{\partial\varphi_{2}(\boldsymbol{r})}{\partial n} = -\sigma \\ \boldsymbol{n}(\boldsymbol{r}) \cdot \left[\sigma_{1}\boldsymbol{E}_{1}(\boldsymbol{r}) - \sigma_{2}\boldsymbol{E}_{2}(\boldsymbol{r})\right] &= 0 \quad \Leftrightarrow \quad \sigma_{1}\frac{\partial\varphi_{1}(\boldsymbol{r})}{\partial n} - \sigma_{2}\frac{\partial\varphi_{2}(\boldsymbol{r})}{\partial n} = 0 \end{split}$$

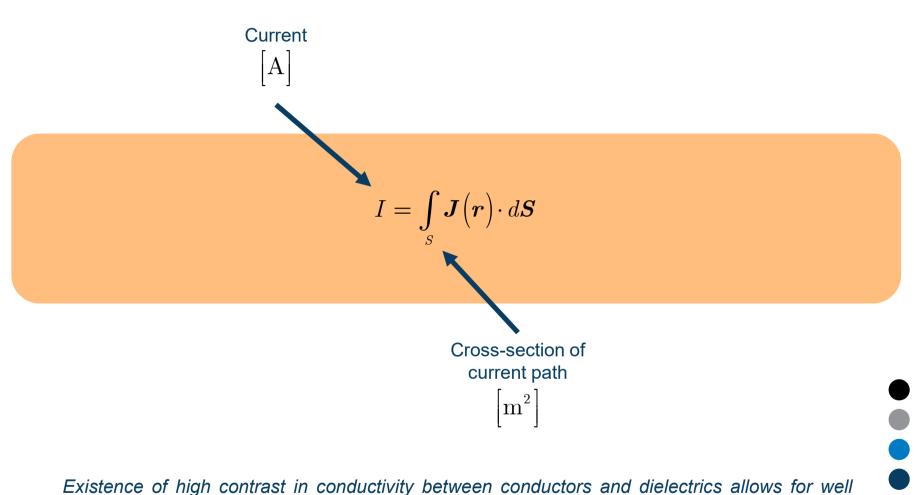
Charge conservation forces the continuity of current across the boundary



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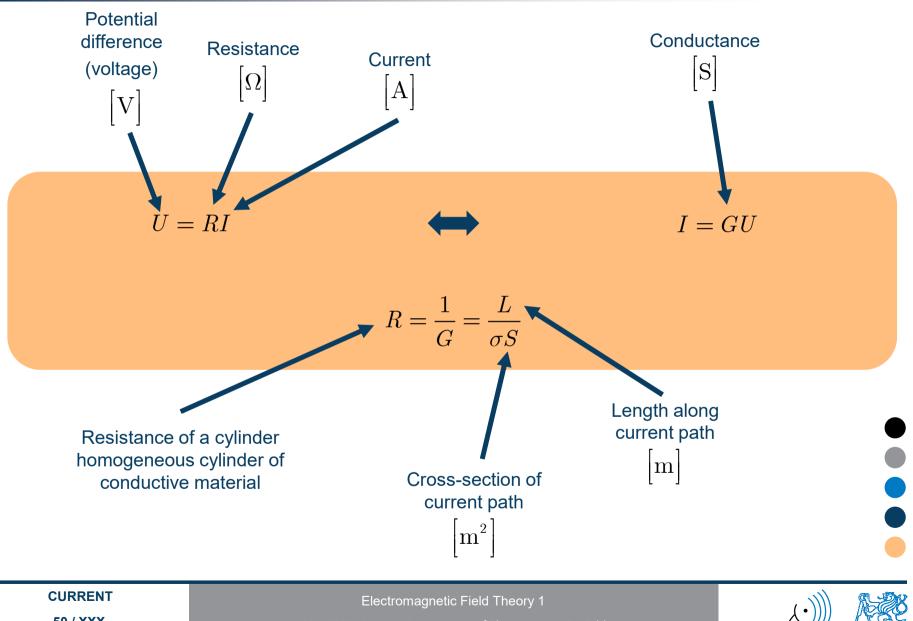
Existence of high contrast in conductivity between conductors and dielectrics allows for well defined current paths.



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## **Resistance (Conductance)**

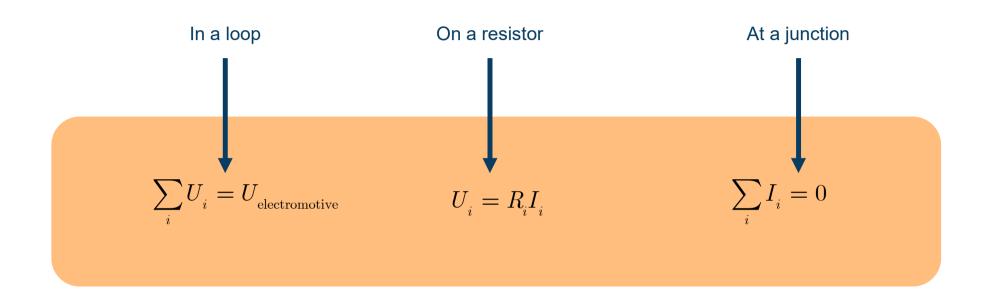


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# **Resistive Circuits and Kirchhoff('s) Laws**



Kirchhoff's laws are a consequence of electrostatics and law's of stationary current flow



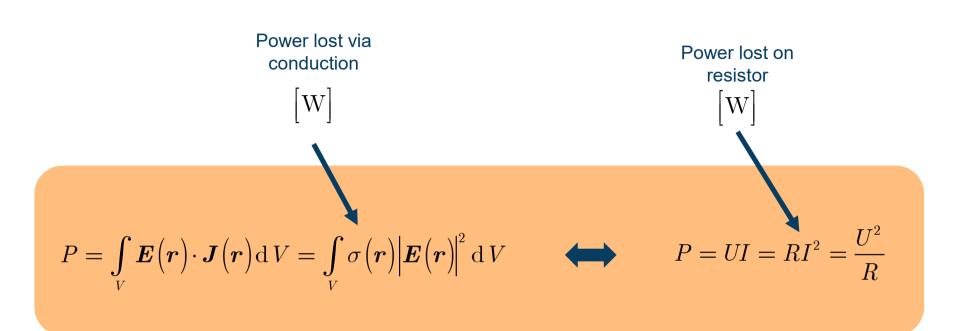
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# Joule('s) Heat



#### Electric field within conducting material produce heat



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# **Fundamental Question of Magnetostatics**

There exist a specified distribution of stationary current. We pick a differential volume of it and ask what is the force acting on it.



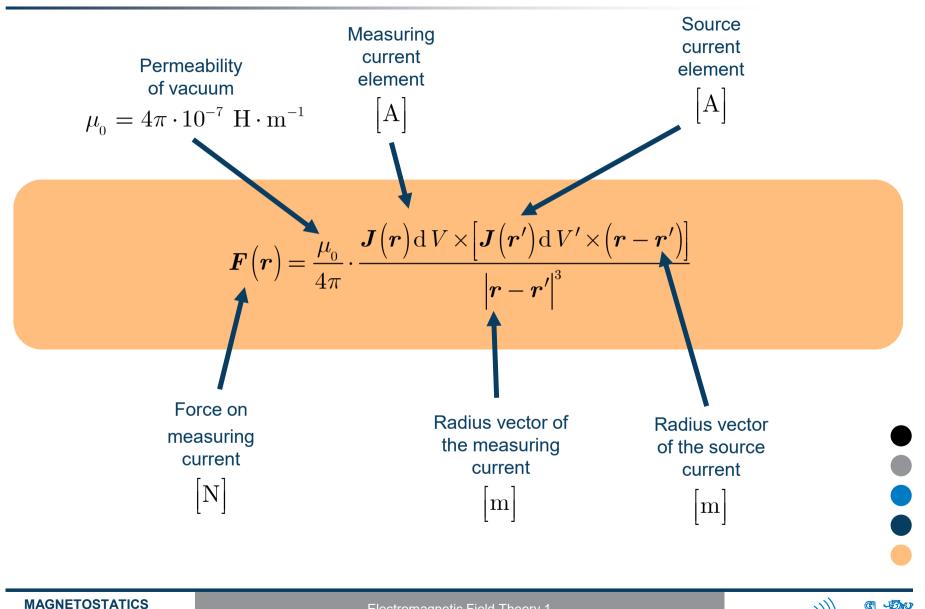


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# **Biot-Savart('s)** Law





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# **Biot-Savart('s)** Law + Superposition Principle

$$\boldsymbol{F}(\boldsymbol{r}) = \boldsymbol{J}(\boldsymbol{r}) d V \times \frac{\mu_0}{4\pi} \int_{V'} \frac{\boldsymbol{J}(\boldsymbol{r}') \times (\boldsymbol{r} - \boldsymbol{r}')}{|\boldsymbol{r} - \boldsymbol{r}'|^3} d V'$$

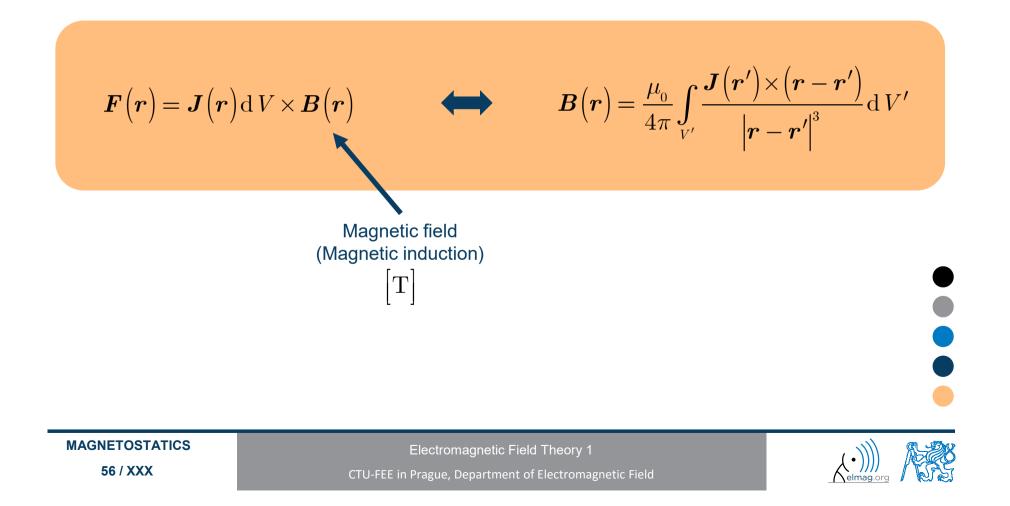
#### Entire magnetostatics can be deduced from this formula



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# **Divergence of Magnetic Field**

$$\nabla \cdot \boldsymbol{B}(\boldsymbol{r}) = 0$$
  $\longleftrightarrow$   $\int_{S} \boldsymbol{B}(\boldsymbol{r}) \cdot d\boldsymbol{S} = 0$ 

There are no point sources of magnetostatic field

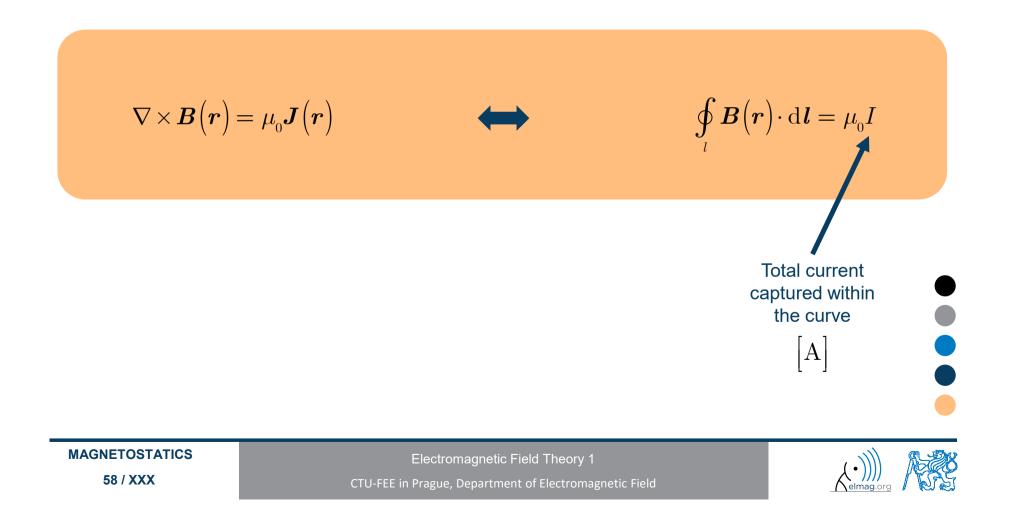
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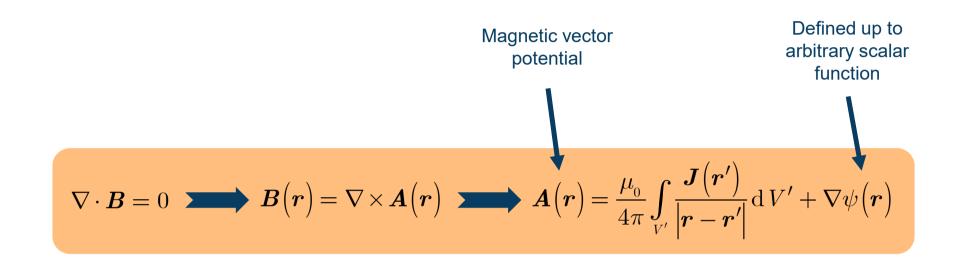
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# Curl of Magnetic Field – Ampere('s) Law



### **Magnetic Vector Potential**



Reduced description of magnetostatic field



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$$\Delta \boldsymbol{A}(\boldsymbol{r}) = -\mu_{0}\boldsymbol{J}(\boldsymbol{r})$$

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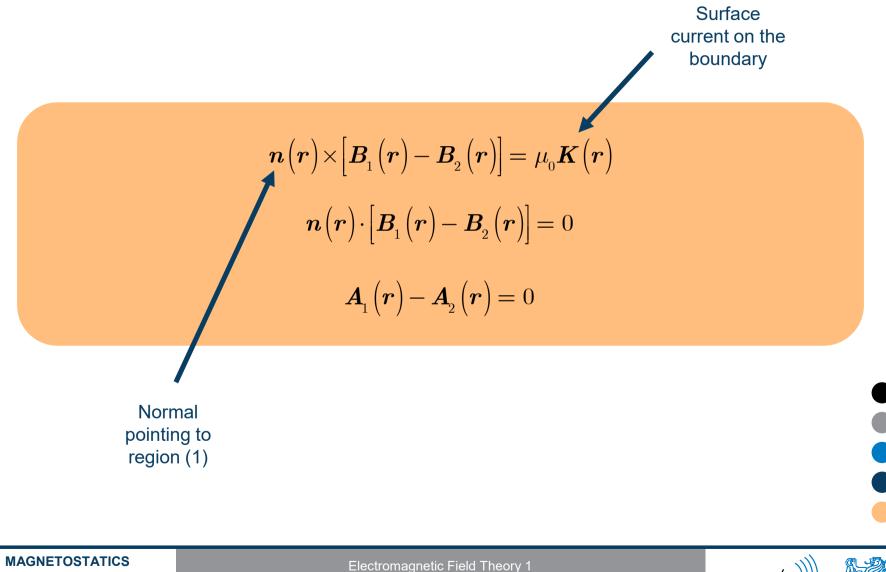


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## **Boundary Conditions**



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### **Magnetostatic Energy**

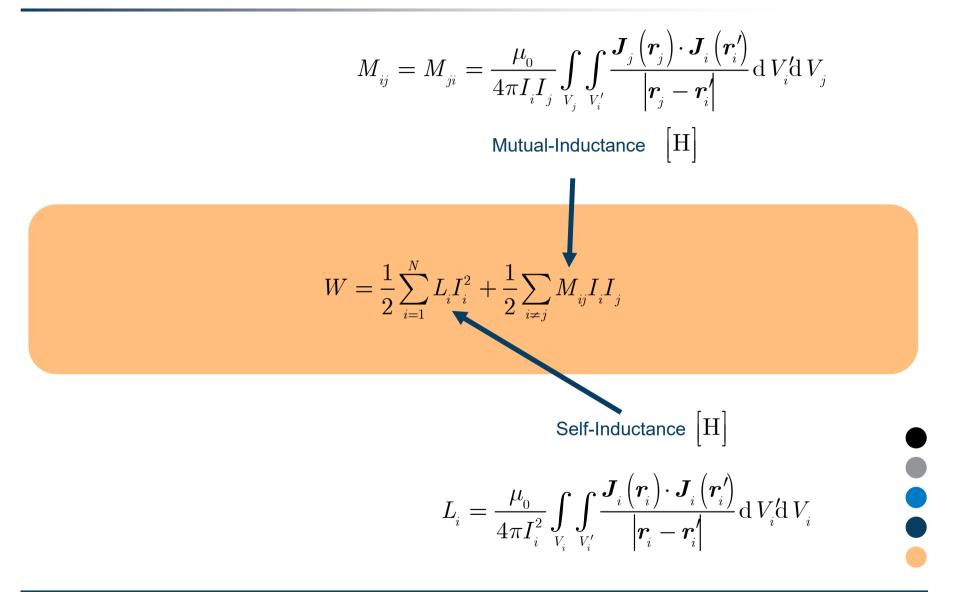
For now it is just a formula that works – it must be derived with the help of time varying fields

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## **Magnetostatic Energy – Current Circuits**



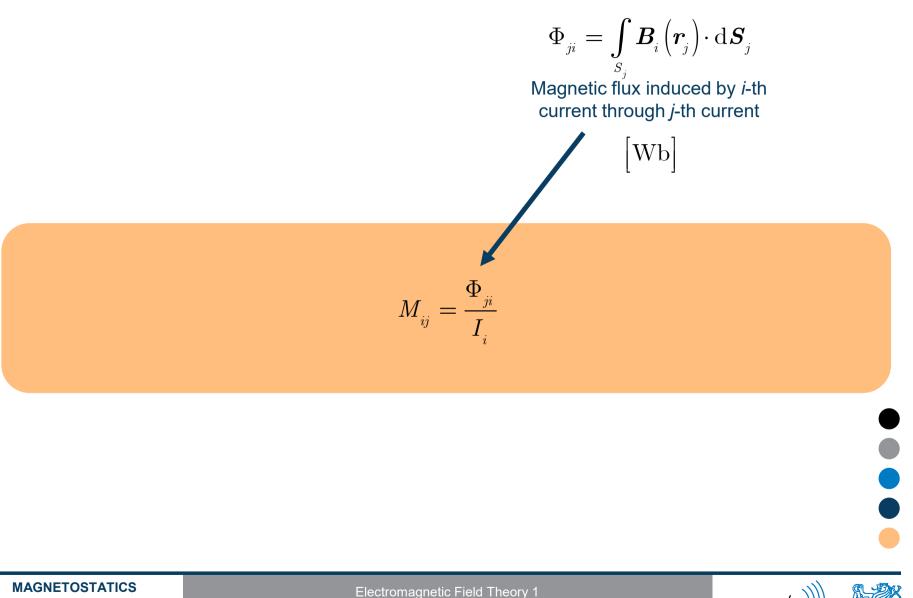


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### **Mutual Inductance – Thin Current Loop**





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- Material response is due to magnetic dipole moments
- Magnetic moment comes from spin or orbital motion of an electron
- Magnetic field tends to align magnetic moments
- Magnetic field induces magnetic dipoles with density  $m{M}(m{r}) = |\mathrm{A}\cdot\mathrm{m}^{-1}|$

Number of dipoles in unitary volume

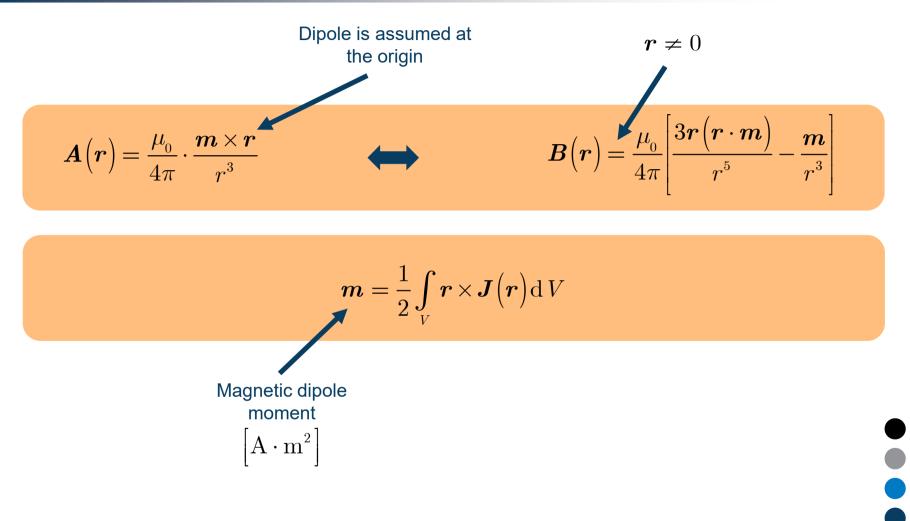


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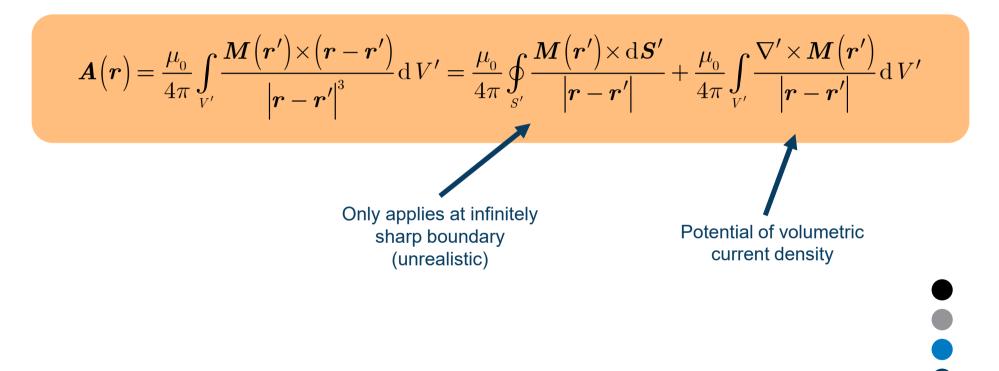
# Magnetic Field of a Dipole



Magnetic dipole approximates infinitesimally small current loop



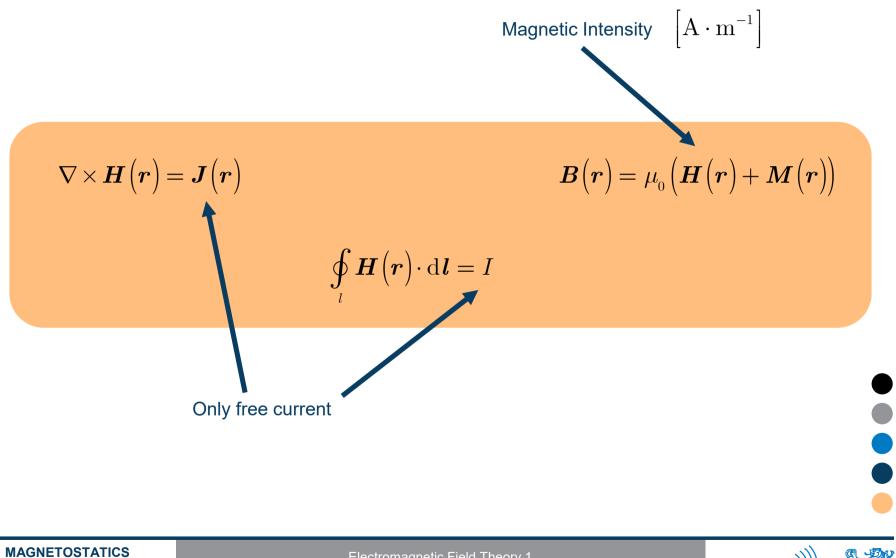
# **Field Produced by Magnetized Matter**



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## **Magnetic Intensity**

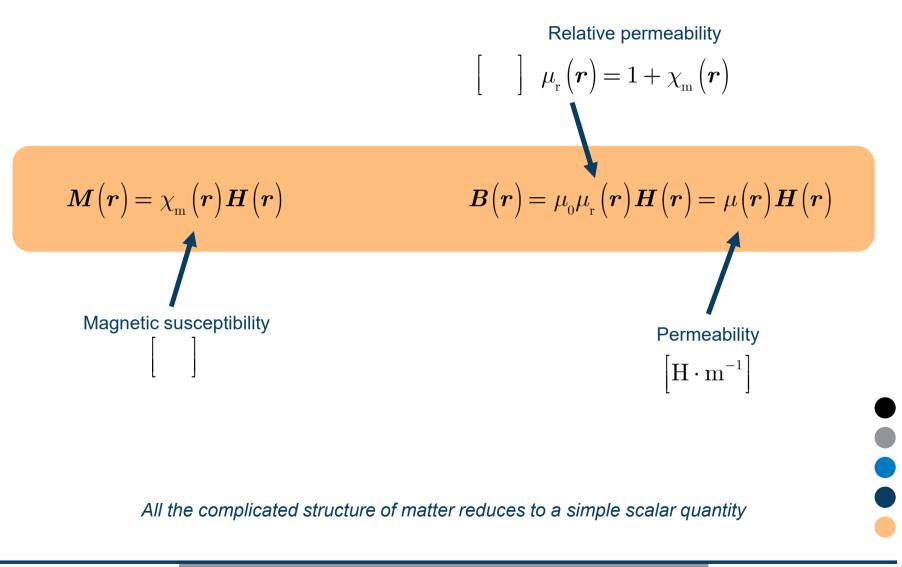




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# **Linear Isotropic Magnetic Materials**



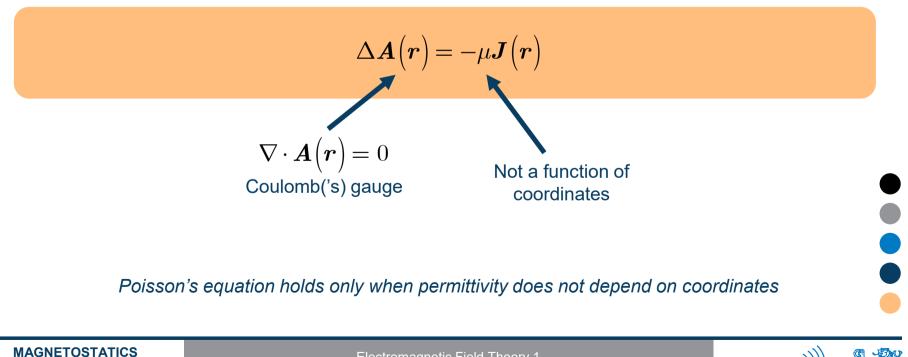


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$$\nabla \cdot \boldsymbol{B}(\boldsymbol{r}) = 0 \Leftrightarrow \boldsymbol{B}(\boldsymbol{r}) = \nabla \times \boldsymbol{A}(\boldsymbol{r}) \quad \Longrightarrow \quad \nabla \times \left[\frac{1}{\mu(\boldsymbol{r})} \nabla \times \boldsymbol{A}(\boldsymbol{r})\right] = \boldsymbol{J}(\boldsymbol{r})$$

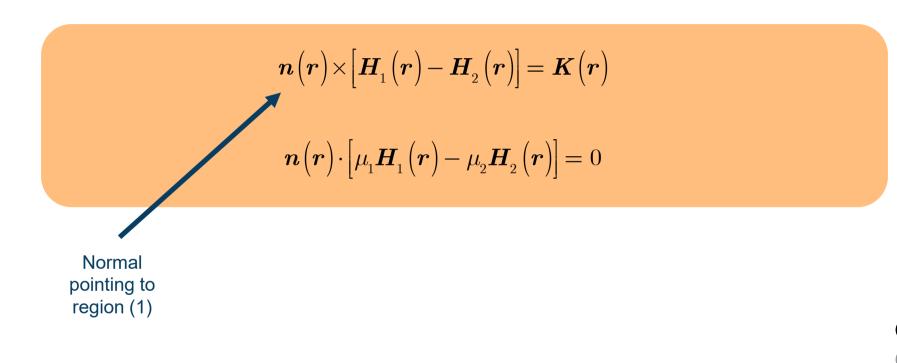




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### **Magnetic Material Boundaries**



#### Both conditions are needed for unique solution



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# **Magnetostatic Energy in Magnetic Material**



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- Paramagnetic small positive susceptibility (small attraction linear)
- Diamagnetic small negative susceptibility (small repulsion linear)
- Ferromagnetic "large positive susceptibility" (large attraction – nonlinear)





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### **Ferromagnetic Materials**

- Spins are ordered within domains
- Magnetization is a non-linear function of field intensity
- Magnetization curve Hysteresis, Remanence
- Susceptibility can only be defined as local approximation
- Above Curie('s) temperature ferromagnetism disappears

Exact calculations are very difficult – use simplified models (soft material, permanent magnet)



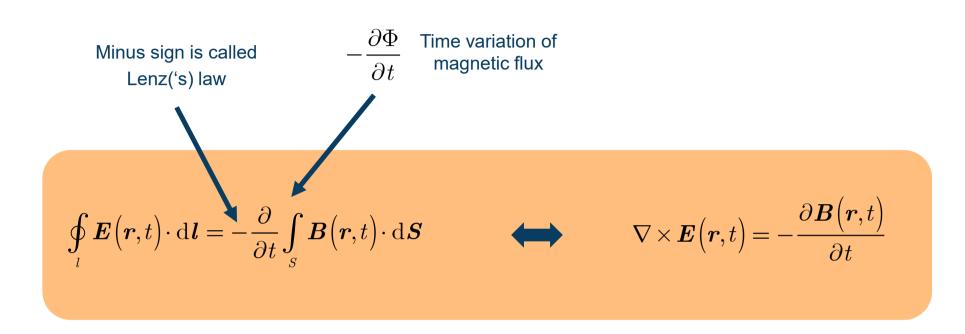
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# Faraday('s) Law



*Time variation in magnetic field produces electric field that tries to counter the change in magnetic flux (electromotive force)* 

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The current created by time variation of magnetic flux is directed so as to oppose the flux creating it.

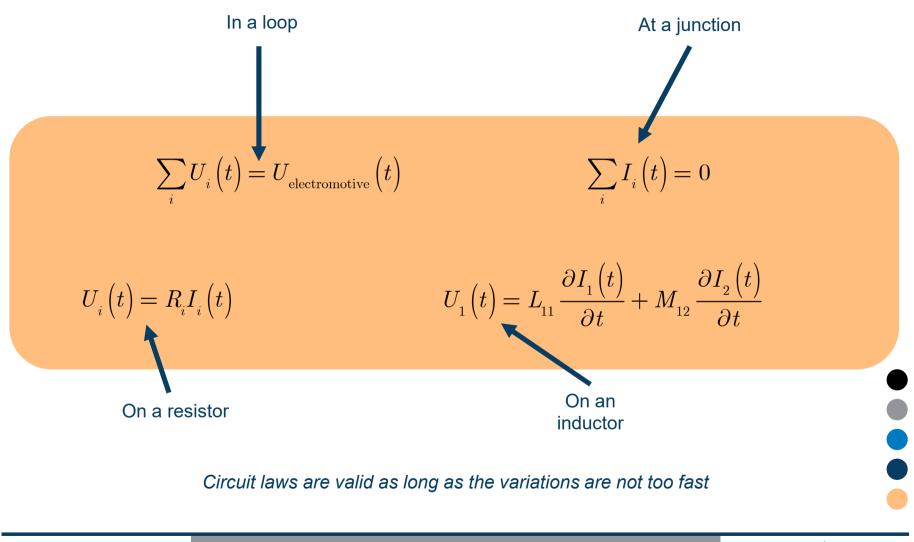
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# **Time Varying RL Circuits**



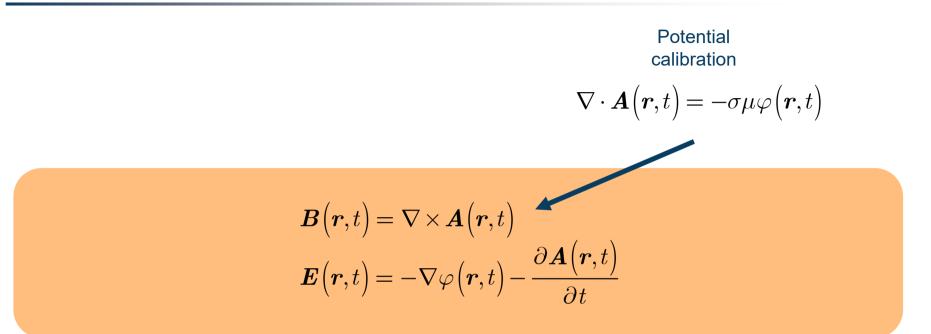


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### **Time Varying Potentials**



In time varying fields scalar potential becomes redundant

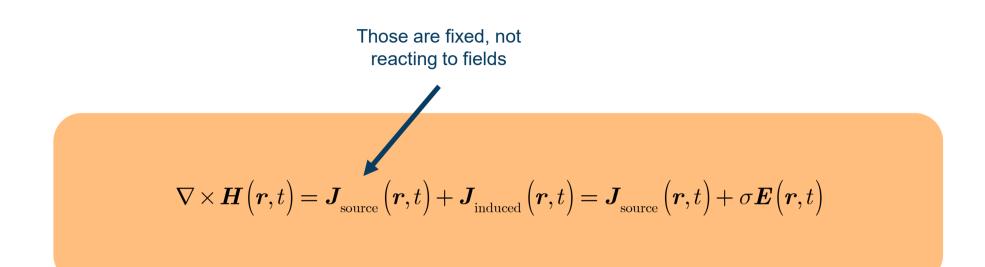


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# **Source and Induced Currents**



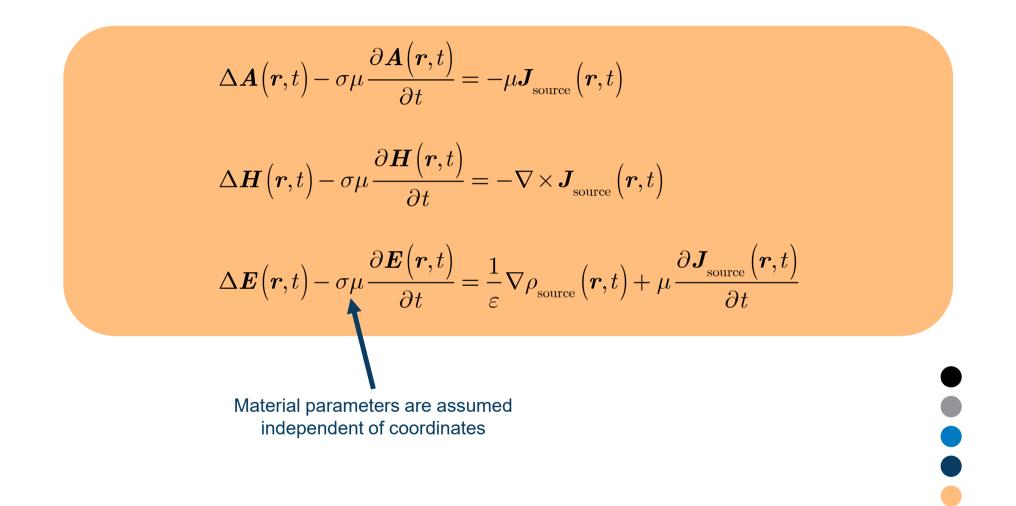




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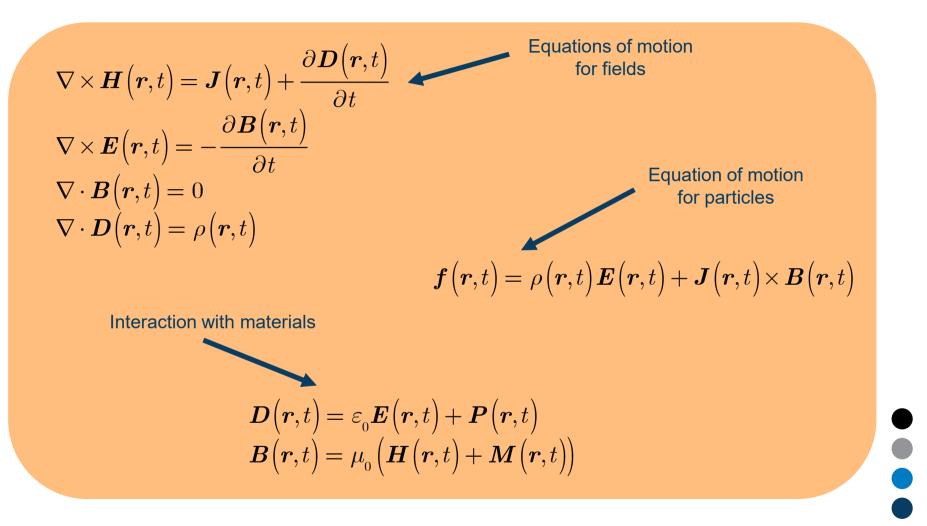




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# Maxwell('s)-Lorentz('s) Equations



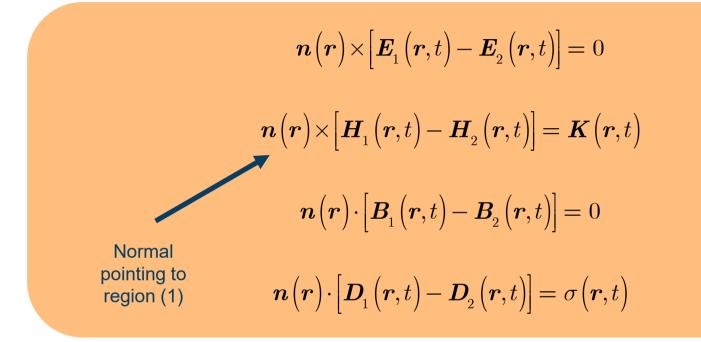
Absolute majority of things happening around you is described by these equations

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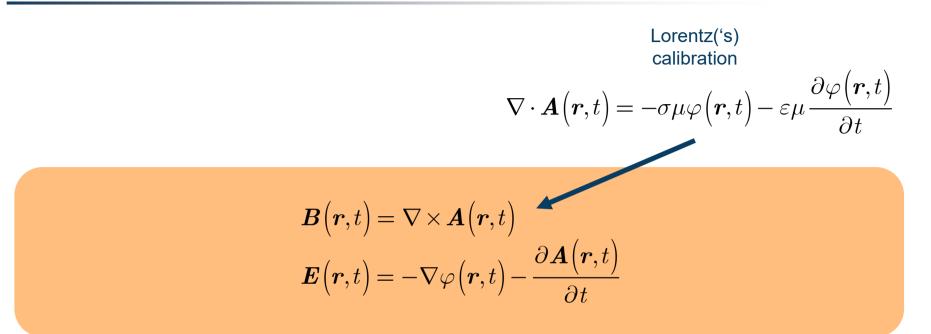


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## **Electromagnetic Potentials**

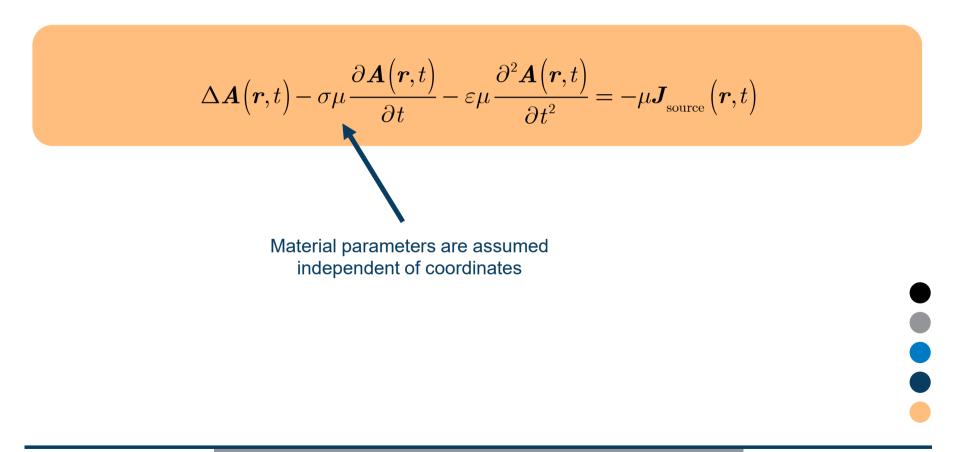




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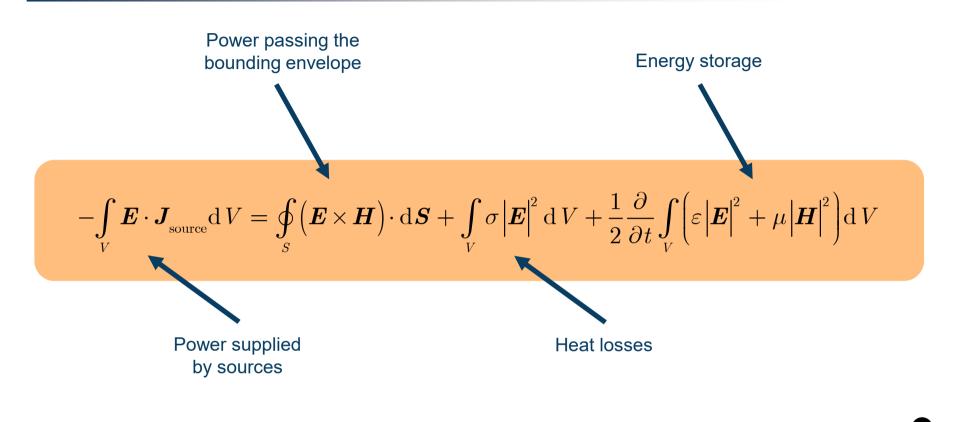


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# Poynting('s)-Umov('s) Theorem



#### Energy balance in an electromagnetic system

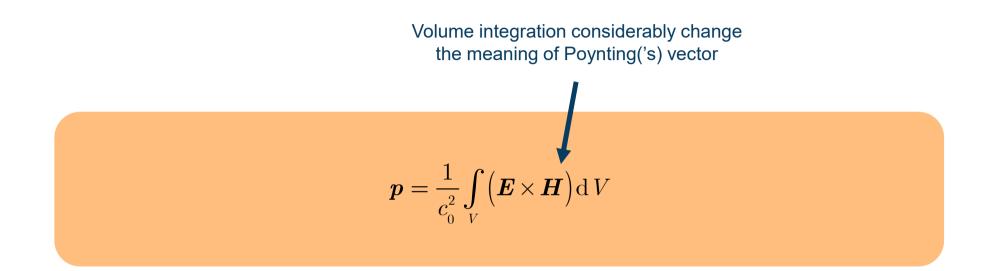
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# **Linear Momentum Carried by Fields**



This formula is only valid in vacuum. In material media things are more tricky.



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# **Angular Momentum Carried by Fields**

$$\boldsymbol{L} = \frac{1}{c_0^2} \int_{V} \boldsymbol{r} \times \left( \boldsymbol{E} \times \boldsymbol{H} \right) \mathrm{d} V$$

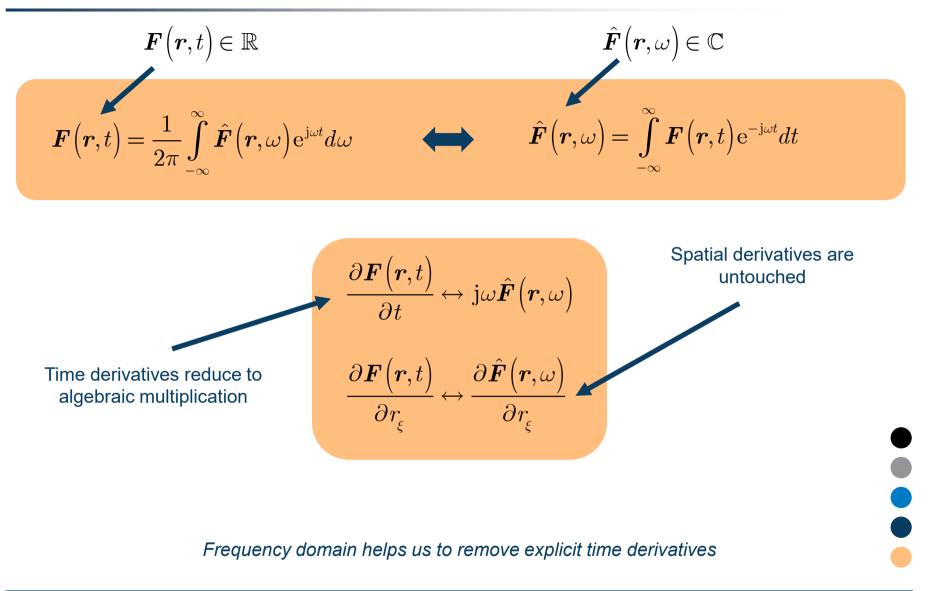
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# **Frequency Domain**





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Reduced frequency domain representation

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# **Maxwell('s) Equations – Frequency Domain**

$$\nabla \times \hat{\boldsymbol{H}}(\boldsymbol{r},\omega) = \hat{\boldsymbol{J}}(\boldsymbol{r},\omega) + j\omega\varepsilon\hat{\boldsymbol{E}}(\boldsymbol{r},\omega)$$
$$\nabla \times \hat{\boldsymbol{E}}(\boldsymbol{r},\omega) = -j\omega\mu\hat{\boldsymbol{H}}(\boldsymbol{r},\omega)$$
$$\nabla \cdot \hat{\boldsymbol{H}}(\boldsymbol{r},\omega) = 0$$
$$\nabla \cdot \hat{\boldsymbol{E}}(\boldsymbol{r},\omega) = \frac{\hat{\rho}(\boldsymbol{r},\omega)}{\varepsilon}$$

#### We assume linearity of material relations

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# **Wave Equation – Frequency Domain**

$$\Delta \hat{\boldsymbol{A}}(\boldsymbol{r},\omega) - j\omega\mu(\sigma + j\omega\varepsilon)\hat{\boldsymbol{A}}(\boldsymbol{r},\omega) = -\mu\hat{\boldsymbol{J}}_{source}(\boldsymbol{r},\omega)$$

Helmholtz('s) equation

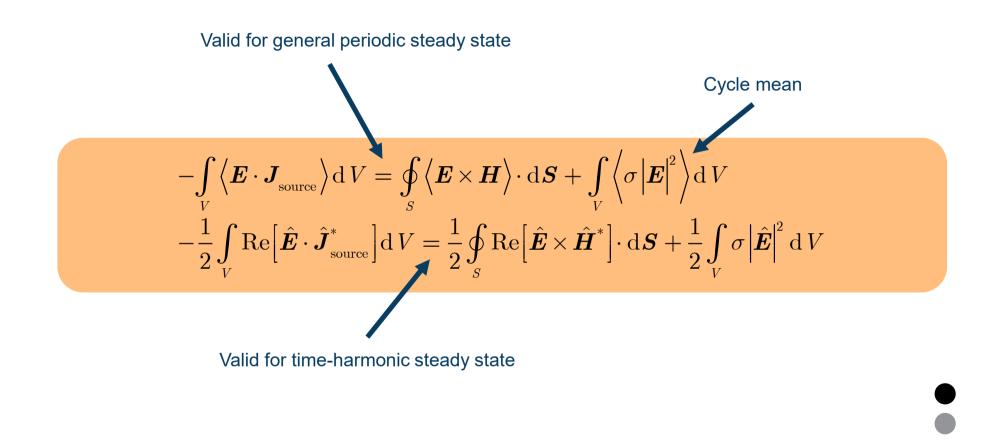


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# Heat Balance in Time-Harmonic Steady State





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### **Plane Wave**

 $\hat{oldsymbol{E}}ig(oldsymbol{r},\omegaig)=oldsymbol{E}_{_0}ig(\omegaig)\mathrm{e}^{_{-\mathrm{j}koldsymbol{n}\cdotoldsymbol{r}}}$ 

 $\hat{\boldsymbol{H}}(\boldsymbol{r},\omega) = \frac{k}{\omega\mu} [\boldsymbol{n} \times \boldsymbol{E}_{0}(\omega)] e^{-jk\boldsymbol{n}\cdot\boldsymbol{r}}$ 

 $\boldsymbol{n}\cdot\boldsymbol{E}_{_{0}}\left(\omega
ight)=0$ 

 $\boldsymbol{n}\cdot\boldsymbol{H}_{0}\left(\omega\right)=0$ 

 $k^2 = -\mathbf{j}\omega\mu\big(\sigma + \mathbf{j}\omega\varepsilon\big)$ 

Unitary vector representing the direction of propagation

Electric and magnetic fields are mutually orthogonal

Electric and magnetic fields are orthogonal to propagation direction

Wave-number

#### The simplest wave solution of Maxwell('s) equations

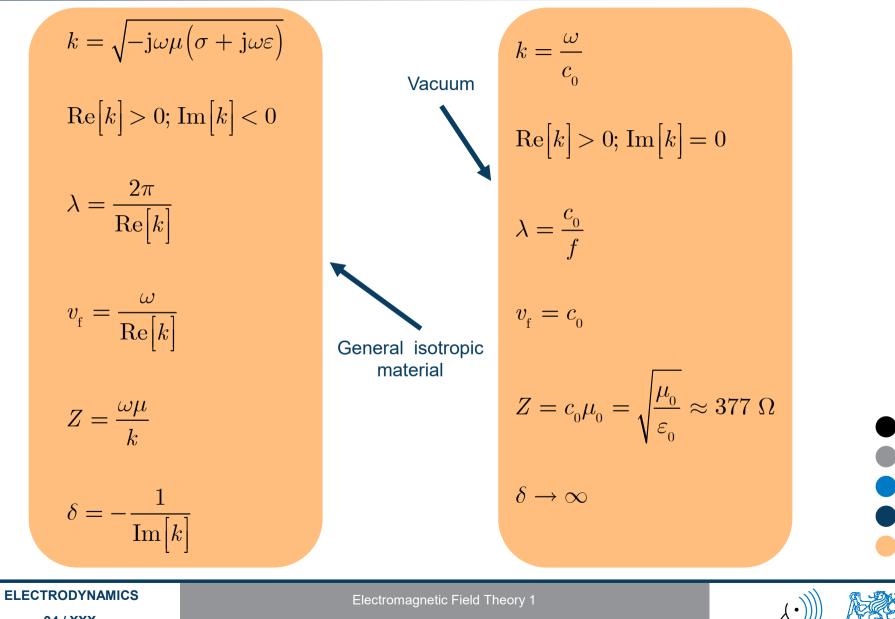


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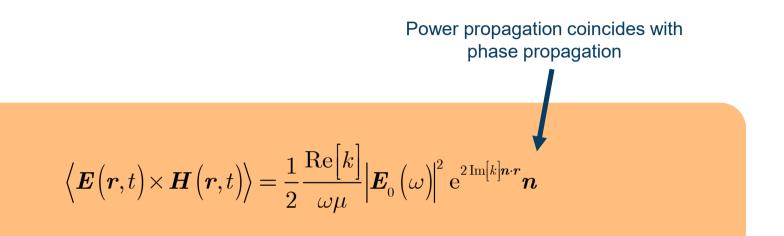
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# **Cycle Mean Power Density of a Plane Wave**





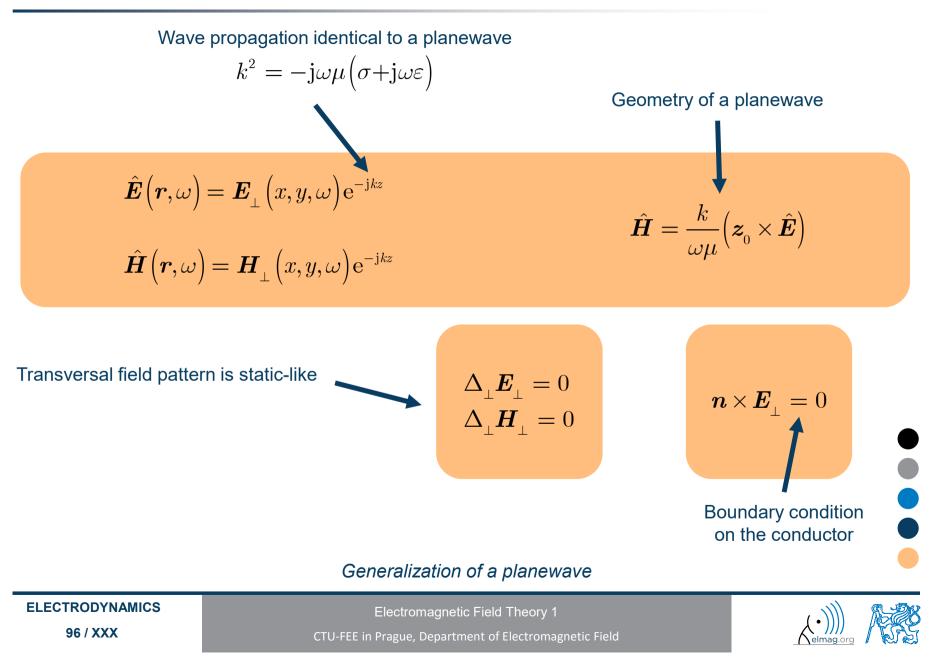


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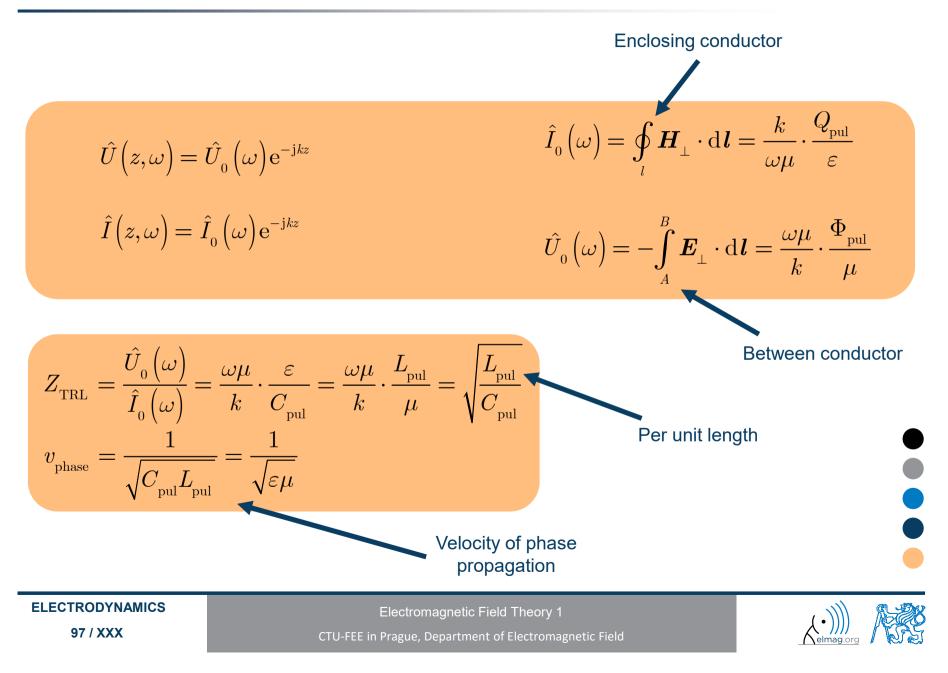
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### **Guided TEM Wave**



### **Circuit Parameters of the TEM Wave**



### **The Telegraph Equations**

$$\begin{split} \frac{\partial U\left(z,t\right)}{\partial z} &= -L_{\rm pul} \frac{\partial I\left(z,t\right)}{\partial t} \\ \frac{\partial I\left(z,t\right)}{\partial z} &= -C_{\rm pul} \frac{\partial U\left(z,t\right)}{\partial t} \end{split}$$

#### Circuit analog of Maxwell's equations

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