

$$\nabla \times \vec{e} = -\frac{\partial \vec{b}}{\partial t}$$

$$\nabla \times \vec{h} = \vec{j} + \frac{\partial \vec{d}}{\partial t}$$

$$\nabla \cdot \vec{d} = \rho$$

$$\nabla \cdot \vec{b} = 0$$

Continuity: $\nabla \cdot \vec{j} = -\frac{\partial \rho}{\partial t}$

Constitutive relations:

$$\vec{d} = \epsilon_0 \vec{e} + \vec{p} \quad \vec{b} = \mu_0 (\vec{h} + \vec{m})$$

Let us assume ① no currents or charge.

$$\vec{j} = 0 \quad \rho = 0.$$

② non-magnetic $\Rightarrow \mu = \mu_0 \quad \vec{m} = 0.$

$$\nabla \times (\nabla \times \vec{e}) = -\frac{\partial (\nabla \times \vec{b})}{\partial t}$$

$$\nabla \times \nabla \times \vec{e} = -\frac{\partial (\nabla \times \mu_0 \vec{h})}{\partial t} = -\mu_0 \frac{\partial}{\partial t} \left(\frac{\partial \vec{d}}{\partial t} \right)$$

$$\vec{d} = \epsilon_0 \vec{e} + \vec{p}$$

$$\nabla \times \nabla \times \vec{e} = -\mu_0 \frac{\partial}{\partial t} \left(\frac{\partial (\epsilon_0 \vec{e} + \vec{p})}{\partial t} \right)$$

$$\nabla (\nabla \cdot \vec{e}) - \nabla^2 \vec{e} = -\mu_0 \epsilon_0 \frac{\partial^2 \vec{e}}{\partial t^2} + \mu_0 \frac{\partial^2 \vec{p}}{\partial t^2}$$

$$\nabla^2 \vec{e} - \mu_0 \epsilon_0 \frac{\partial^2 \vec{e}}{\partial t^2} - \nabla (\nabla \cdot \vec{e}) = \mu_0 \frac{\partial^2 \vec{p}}{\partial t^2}$$

Free space : $\nabla \cdot \vec{e} = 0$ ($\nabla \cdot \vec{d} = 0$),
 $\vec{p} = 0$

$$\Rightarrow \nabla^2 \vec{e} - \mu_0 \epsilon_0 \frac{\partial^2 \vec{e}}{\partial t^2} = 0.$$

$$\text{or } \nabla^2 \vec{e} - \frac{1}{c_0^2} \frac{\partial^2 \vec{e}}{\partial t^2} = 0 \quad c_0 = \frac{1}{\sqrt{\epsilon_0 \mu_0}}$$

Now suppose $\vec{p} = \epsilon_0 \chi \vec{e}$ (a material with an index)

$$\Rightarrow \nabla^2 \vec{e} - \frac{1}{c_0^2} \frac{\partial^2 \vec{e}}{\partial t^2} - \nabla(\nabla \cdot \vec{e}) = \mu_0 \frac{\partial^2}{\partial t^2} (\epsilon_0 \chi \vec{e})$$

if non-dispersive

$$\frac{\partial^2}{\partial t^2} (\epsilon_0 \chi \vec{e}) = \epsilon_0 \chi \frac{\partial^2 \vec{e}}{\partial t^2}$$

$$\nabla \cdot \vec{d} = 0 \Rightarrow \nabla \cdot (\epsilon_0 \vec{e} + \epsilon_0 \chi \vec{e}) = 0 \Rightarrow \epsilon_0 (1 + \chi) \nabla \cdot \vec{e} = 0$$

if material is isotropic $\nabla \cdot \vec{e} = 0$ (homogeneous) (χ is a scalar) $\Rightarrow \nabla \cdot \vec{e} = 0$.

aside: (Remember inhomogeneous $\Rightarrow \chi = \chi(r)$)
 anisotropic $\Rightarrow \chi = \overleftrightarrow{\chi}$ ← tensor.

\therefore for $\vec{p} = \epsilon_0 \chi \vec{e}$.

$$\Rightarrow \nabla^2 \vec{e} - \frac{1}{c_0^2} \frac{\partial^2 \vec{e}}{\partial t^2} - \mu_0 \epsilon_0 \chi \frac{\partial^2 \vec{e}}{\partial t^2} = 0.$$

$$\nabla^2 \vec{e} - \left(\frac{1}{c_0^2} + \epsilon_0 \chi \mu_0 \right) \frac{\partial^2 \vec{e}}{\partial t^2} = 0$$

$$\nabla^2 \vec{e} - \underbrace{\left(\mu_0 \epsilon_0 + \epsilon_0 \chi \mu_0 \right)}_{\frac{1}{c^2}} \frac{\partial^2 \vec{e}}{\partial t^2} = 0. \quad \left. \begin{array}{l} \text{Helmholtz} \\ \text{Eqn.} \end{array} \right\}$$

$$\therefore \frac{1}{c^2} = \mu_0 \epsilon$$

We usually say light travels at $\frac{c_0}{n}$ in a medium $\Rightarrow \frac{1}{c^2} = \frac{n^2}{c_0^2} = \mu_0 \epsilon_0 (1 + \chi)$.

$$\text{or } \boxed{n = \sqrt{1 + \chi}}$$

Now lets do non-linear (still non-dispersive, isotropic and homogenous).

$$\Rightarrow \vec{P} = \vec{P}_{NL} = \vec{P}_0 + a_2 \vec{E}^2 + a_3 \vec{E}^3$$

(see page 7 of previous notes).

Inhomogeneous.

$$\Rightarrow \epsilon = \epsilon(\vec{r}) = \epsilon_0 (1 + \chi(\vec{r}))$$

Approximate as locally homogenous. (say at r_0).
use Helmholtz eqn with $\epsilon = \epsilon(r_0)$

Dispersive: $\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon(\nu)$. (see page 9 of previous notes).