

# 1

Show  $\vec{E} \cdot \vec{B} = 0$  for TE and TM waves.

For TE waves,  $E_z = 0$ , and Maxwell's equations yields:

$$\begin{aligned}E_x &= \frac{i}{(\omega/c)^2 - k^2} \omega \frac{\partial B_z}{\partial y} \\E_y &= -\frac{i}{(\omega/c)^2 - k^2} \omega \frac{\partial B_z}{\partial x} \\B_x &= \frac{i}{(\omega/c)^2 - k^2} k \frac{\partial B_z}{\partial x} \\B_y &= \frac{i}{(\omega/c)^2 - k^2} k \frac{\partial B_z}{\partial y}\end{aligned}$$

Thus,

$$\begin{aligned}\vec{E} \cdot \vec{B} &= E_x B_x + E_y B_y + E_z B_z \\&= \left( \frac{i}{(\omega/c)^2 - k^2} \right)^2 \omega k \left( \frac{\partial B_z}{\partial y} \frac{\partial B_z}{\partial x} - \frac{\partial B_z}{\partial y} \frac{\partial B_z}{\partial x} \right) + 0 B_z \\&= 0\end{aligned}$$

An analogous argument works for the TM case.

## 2

$$\langle \vec{S} \rangle = \frac{1}{2\mu_0} \text{Re} \left( \vec{E} \times \vec{B}^* \right)$$

Note that because the  $x$  and  $y$  components of  $\vec{E}$  and  $\vec{B}$  are purely imaginary, the only non-zero component of the Poynting vector is in the  $z$  direction. So

$$\begin{aligned} \langle \vec{S} \rangle &= \frac{1}{2\mu_0} \frac{\omega k \pi^2 B_0^2}{\left( (\omega/c)^2 - k^2 \right)^2} \left[ \left( \frac{n}{b} \right)^2 \cos^2 \left( \frac{m\pi x}{a} \right) \sin^2 \left( \frac{n\pi y}{b} \right) \right. \\ &\quad \left. + \left( \frac{m}{a} \right)^2 \sin^2 \left( \frac{m\pi x}{a} \right) \cos^2 \left( \frac{n\pi y}{b} \right) \right] \hat{z}. \\ \int \langle \vec{S} \rangle \cdot d\vec{a} &= \frac{1}{8\mu_0} \frac{\omega k \pi^2 B_0^2}{\left( (\omega/c)^2 - k^2 \right)^2} ab \left[ \left( \frac{n}{b} \right)^2 + \left( \frac{m}{a} \right)^2 \right] \end{aligned}$$

In the last step I used

$$\int_0^a \sin^2(m\pi x/a) dx = \int_0^a \cos^2(m\pi x/a) dx = a/2; \quad \int_0^b \sin^2(n\pi y/b) dy = \int_0^b \cos^2(n\pi y/b) dy = b/2.]$$

Similarly,

$$\begin{aligned} \langle u \rangle &= \frac{1}{4} \left( \epsilon_0 \vec{E} \cdot \vec{E}^* + \frac{1}{\mu_0} \vec{B} \cdot \vec{B}^* \right) \\ &= \frac{\epsilon_0}{4} \frac{\omega^2 \pi^2 B_0^2}{\left[ (\omega/c)^2 - k^2 \right]^2} \left[ \left( \frac{n}{b} \right)^2 \cos^2 \left( \frac{m\pi x}{a} \right) \sin^2 \left( \frac{n\pi y}{b} \right) + \left( \frac{m}{a} \right)^2 \sin^2 \left( \frac{m\pi x}{a} \right) \cos^2 \left( \frac{n\pi y}{b} \right) \right] \\ &\quad + \frac{1}{4\mu_0} \left\{ B_0^2 \cos^2 \left( \frac{m\pi x}{a} \right) \cos^2 \left( \frac{n\pi y}{b} \right) \right. \\ &\quad \left. + \frac{k^2 \pi^2 B_0^2}{\left[ (\omega/c)^2 - k^2 \right]^2} \left[ \left( \frac{n}{b} \right)^2 \cos^2 \left( \frac{m\pi x}{a} \right) \sin^2 \left( \frac{n\pi y}{b} \right) + \left( \frac{m}{a} \right)^2 \sin^2 \left( \frac{m\pi x}{a} \right) \cos^2 \left( \frac{n\pi y}{b} \right) \right] \right\}. \\ \int \langle u \rangle da &= \boxed{\frac{ab}{4} \left\{ \frac{\epsilon_0}{4} \frac{\omega^2 \pi^2 B_0^2}{\left[ (\omega/c)^2 - k^2 \right]^2} \left[ \left( \frac{n}{b} \right)^2 + \left( \frac{m}{a} \right)^2 \right] + \frac{B_0^2}{4\mu_0} + \frac{1}{4\mu_0} \frac{k^2 \pi^2 B_0^2}{\left[ (\omega/c)^2 - k^2 \right]^2} \left[ \left( \frac{n}{b} \right)^2 + \left( \frac{m}{a} \right)^2 \right] \right\}}. \end{aligned}$$

These results can be simplified, using Eq. 9.190 to write  $\left[ (\omega/c)^2 - k^2 \right] = (\omega_{mn}/c)^2$ ,  $\epsilon_0 \mu_0 = 1/c^2$  to eliminate  $\epsilon_0$ , and Eq. 9.188 to write  $\left[ (m/a)^2 + (n/b)^2 \right] = (\omega_{mn}/\pi c)^2$ :

$$\int \langle \mathbf{S} \rangle \cdot d\mathbf{a} = \frac{\omega k abc^2}{8\mu_0 \omega_{mn}^2} B_0^2, \quad \int \langle u \rangle da = \frac{\omega^2 ab}{8\mu_0 \omega_{mn}^2} B_0^2.$$

Evidently

$$\frac{\text{energy per unit time}}{\text{energy per unit length}} = \frac{\int \langle \mathbf{S} \rangle \cdot d\mathbf{a}}{\int \langle u \rangle da} = \frac{kc^2}{\omega} = \frac{c}{\omega} \sqrt{\omega^2 - \omega_{mn}^2} = v_g \text{ (Eq. 9.192).} \quad \text{qed}$$

## 3

Using Product Rule #5, Eq. 10.43  $\Rightarrow$

$$\begin{aligned}
\nabla \cdot \mathbf{A} &= \frac{\mu_0}{4\pi} q c \mathbf{v} \cdot \nabla [(c^2 t - \mathbf{r} \cdot \mathbf{v})^2 + (c^2 - v^2)(r^2 - c^2 t^2)]^{-1/2} \\
&= \frac{\mu_0 q c}{4\pi} \mathbf{v} \cdot \left\{ -\frac{1}{2} [(c^2 t - \mathbf{r} \cdot \mathbf{v})^2 + (c^2 - v^2)(r^2 - c^2 t^2)]^{-3/2} \nabla [(c^2 t - \mathbf{r} \cdot \mathbf{v})^2 + (c^2 - v^2)(r^2 - c^2 t^2)] \right\} \\
&= -\frac{\mu_0 q c}{8\pi} [(c^2 t - \mathbf{r} \cdot \mathbf{v})^2 + (c^2 - v^2)(r^2 - c^2 t^2)]^{-3/2} \mathbf{v} \cdot \{ -2(c^2 t - \mathbf{r} \cdot \mathbf{v}) \nabla(\mathbf{r} \cdot \mathbf{v}) + (c^2 - v^2) \nabla(r^2) \}.
\end{aligned}$$

Product Rule #4  $\Rightarrow$

$$\begin{aligned}
\nabla(\mathbf{r} \cdot \mathbf{v}) &= \mathbf{v} \times (\nabla \times \mathbf{r}) + (\mathbf{v} \cdot \nabla) \mathbf{r}, \text{ but } \nabla \times \mathbf{r} = \mathbf{0}, \\
(\mathbf{v} \cdot \nabla) \mathbf{r} &= \left( v_x \frac{\partial}{\partial x} + v_y \frac{\partial}{\partial y} + v_z \frac{\partial}{\partial z} \right) (x \hat{\mathbf{x}} + y \hat{\mathbf{y}} + z \hat{\mathbf{z}}) = v_x \hat{\mathbf{x}} + v_y \hat{\mathbf{y}} + v_z \hat{\mathbf{z}} = \mathbf{v}, \text{ and} \\
\nabla(r^2) &= \nabla(\mathbf{r} \cdot \mathbf{r}) = 2\mathbf{r} \times (\nabla \times \mathbf{r}) + 2(\mathbf{r} \cdot \nabla) \mathbf{r} = 2\mathbf{r}. \text{ So}
\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
\nabla \cdot \mathbf{A} &= -\frac{\mu_0 q c}{8\pi} [(c^2 t - \mathbf{r} \cdot \mathbf{v})^2 + (c^2 - v^2)(r^2 - c^2 t^2)]^{-3/2} \mathbf{v} \cdot [-2(c^2 t - \mathbf{r} \cdot \mathbf{v}) \mathbf{v} + (c^2 - v^2) 2\mathbf{r}] \\
&= \frac{\mu_0 q c}{4\pi} [(c^2 t - \mathbf{r} \cdot \mathbf{v})^2 + (c^2 - v^2)(r^2 - c^2 t^2)]^{-3/2} \{ (c^2 t - \mathbf{r} \cdot \mathbf{v}) v^2 - (c^2 - v^2)(\mathbf{r} \cdot \mathbf{v}) \}. \\
&\quad \text{But the term in curly brackets is: } c^2 t v^2 - v^2(\mathbf{r} \cdot \mathbf{v}) - c^2(\mathbf{r} \cdot \mathbf{v}) + v^2(\mathbf{r} \cdot \mathbf{v}) = c^2(v^2 t - \mathbf{r} \cdot \mathbf{v}). \\
&= \frac{\mu_0 q c^3}{4\pi} \frac{(v^2 t - \mathbf{r} \cdot \mathbf{v})}{[(c^2 t - \mathbf{r} \cdot \mathbf{v})^2 + (c^2 - v^2)(r^2 - c^2 t^2)]^{3/2}}.
\end{aligned}$$

Meanwhile, from Eq. 10.42,

$$\begin{aligned}
-\mu_0 \epsilon_0 \frac{\partial V}{\partial t} &= -\mu_0 \epsilon_0 \frac{1}{4\pi \epsilon_0} q c \left( -\frac{1}{2} \right) [(c^2 t - \mathbf{r} \cdot \mathbf{v})^2 + (c^2 - v^2)(r^2 - c^2 t^2)]^{-3/2} \times \\
&\quad \frac{\partial}{\partial t} [(c^2 t - \mathbf{r} \cdot \mathbf{v})^2 + (c^2 - v^2)(r^2 - c^2 t^2)] \\
&= -\frac{\mu_0 q c}{8\pi} [(c^2 t - \mathbf{r} \cdot \mathbf{v})^2 + (c^2 - v^2)(r^2 - c^2 t^2)]^{-3/2} [2(c^2 t - \mathbf{r} \cdot \mathbf{v}) c^2 + (c^2 - v^2)(-2c^2 t)] \\
&= -\frac{\mu_0 q c^3}{4\pi} \frac{(c^2 t - \mathbf{r} \cdot \mathbf{v} - c^2 t + v^2 t)}{[(c^2 t - \mathbf{r} \cdot \mathbf{v})^2 + (c^2 - v^2)(r^2 - c^2 t^2)]^{3/2}} = \nabla \cdot \mathbf{A}. \quad \checkmark
\end{aligned}$$