



Sheet (2)

1. A hypothetical isotropic antenna is radiating in free-space. At a distance of 100 m from the antenna, the total electric field (E_θ) is measured to be 5 V/m. Find the
- Power density (W_{rad})
 - Power radiated (P_{rad})

$$\begin{aligned} \text{(a)} \quad W_{\text{rad}} &= \frac{1}{2} [\underline{E} \times \underline{H}^*] = \frac{E^2}{2\eta} \hat{a}_r = \frac{5^2 \hat{a}_r}{2(120\pi)} = 0.03315 \hat{a}_r \text{ watts/m}^2 \\ \text{(b)} \quad P_{\text{rad}} &= \oint_S W_{\text{rad}} dS = \int_0^{2\pi} \int_0^\pi (0.03315) (r^2 \sin\theta d\theta d\phi) \\ &= \int_0^{2\pi} \int_0^\pi (0.03315) (100)^2 \sin\theta d\theta d\phi \\ &= 2\pi (0.03315) (100)^2 \int_0^\pi \sin\theta d\theta = 2\pi (0.03315) (100)^2 \cdot 2 \\ &= 4165.75 \text{ watts} \end{aligned}$$

2. The power radiated by a lossless antenna is 10 watts. The directional characteristics of the antenna are represented by the radiation intensity of $U = B_0 \cos^3 \theta$ (watts/unit solid angle) ($0 \leq \theta \leq \pi/2$, $0 \leq \phi \leq 2\pi$)
- Find the
- Maximum power density (in watts/square meter) at a distance of 1,000 m (assume far-field distance). Specify the angle where this occurs.
 - Exact and approximate beam solid angle Ω_A .
 - Directivity, exact and approximate, of the antenna (dimensionless and in dB).
 - Gain, exact and approximate, of the antenna (dimensionless and in dB).



$$U = B_0 \cos^3 \theta$$

$$(a) P_{rad} = \int_0^{2\pi} \int_0^{\pi/2} U \sin \theta \, d\theta \, d\phi = B_0 \int_0^{2\pi} \int_0^{\pi/2} \cos^3 \theta \sin \theta \, d\theta \, d\phi$$

$$= 2\pi B_0 \int_0^{\pi/2} \cos^3 \theta \sin \theta \, d\theta$$

$$P_{rad} = 2\pi B_0 \left(-\frac{\cos^4 \theta}{4} \right) \Big|_0^{\pi/2} = \frac{\pi}{2} B_0 = 10 \Rightarrow B_0 = \frac{20}{\pi} = 6.3662$$

$$U = 6.3662 \cos^3 \theta$$

$$W = \frac{U}{r^2} = \frac{6.3662}{r^2} \cos^3 \theta = \frac{6.3662}{(10^3)^2} \cos^3 \theta = 6.3662 \times 10^{-6} \cos^3 \theta$$

$$W|_{max} = 6.3662 \times 10^{-6} \cos^3 \theta \Big|_{max} = 6.3662 \times 10^{-6} \text{ Watts/m}^2$$

$$(b) D_0 = \frac{4\pi U_{max}}{P_{rad}} = \frac{4\pi (6.3662)}{10} = 8 = 9 \text{ dB}$$

$$(c) G_0 = e_t D_0 = 8 = 9 \text{ dB}$$

3. In target-search ground-mapping radars it is desirable to have echo power received from a target, of constant cross section, to be independent of its range. For one such application, the desirable radiation intensity of the antenna is given by

$$U(\theta, \phi) = \left\{ \begin{array}{ll} 1 & 0^\circ \leq \theta < 20^\circ \\ 0.342 \csc(\theta) & 20^\circ \leq \theta < 60^\circ \\ 0 & 60^\circ \leq \theta \leq 180^\circ \end{array} \right\} 0^\circ \leq \phi \leq 360^\circ$$

Find the directivity (in dB) using the exact formula.



$$U(\theta, \varphi) = \begin{cases} 1 & 0^\circ \leq \theta \leq 20^\circ \\ 0.342 \csc(\theta) & 20^\circ \leq \theta \leq 60^\circ \\ 0 & 60^\circ \leq \theta \leq 180^\circ \end{cases} \quad 0^\circ \leq \varphi \leq 360^\circ$$

$$P_{\text{rad}} = \int_0^{2\pi} \int_0^\pi U(\theta, \varphi) \sin\theta \, d\theta \, d\varphi = 2\pi \left[\int_0^{20^\circ} \sin\theta \, d\theta + \int_{20^\circ}^{60^\circ} 0.342 \csc(\theta) \times \sin\theta \, d\theta \right]$$

$$= 2\pi \left\{ -\cos\theta \Big|_0^{\pi/9} + 0.342 \cdot \theta \Big|_{\pi/9}^{\pi/3} \right\}$$

$$= 2\pi \left\{ \left[-\cos\left(\frac{\pi}{9}\right) + 1 \right] + 0.342 \left(\frac{\pi}{3} - \frac{\pi}{9} \right) \right\}$$

$$= 2\pi \left\{ \left[-0.93969 + 1 \right] + 0.342 \pi \left(\frac{2}{9} \right) \right\}$$

$$= 2\pi \left\{ 0.06031 + 0.23876 \right\} = 1.87912$$

$$D_0 = \frac{4\pi U_{\text{max}}}{P_{\text{rad}}} = \frac{4\pi (1)}{1.87912} = 6.68737 = 8.25255 \text{ dB.}$$

4. The normalized radiation intensity of a given antenna is given by
(a) $U = \sin\theta \sin\varphi$, (b) $U = \sin\theta \sin^2\varphi$, (c) $U = \sin^2\theta \sin^3\varphi$
 The intensity exists only in the $0 \leq \theta \leq \pi$, $0 \leq \varphi \leq \pi$ region, and it is zero elsewhere. Find the
 (a) Exact directivity (dimensionless and in dB).
 (b) Azimuthal and elevation plane half-power beam widths (in degrees).



$$D_0 = \frac{4\pi U_{\max}}{P_{\text{rad}}}$$

(a) $U = \sin\theta \sin\phi$ for $0 \leq \theta \leq \pi$, $0 \leq \phi \leq \pi$

$U_{\max} = 1$ and it occurs when $\theta = \phi = \pi/2$.

$$P_{\text{rad}} = \int_0^\pi \int_0^\pi U \sin\theta d\theta d\phi = \int_0^\pi \sin\phi d\phi \int_0^\pi \sin^2\theta d\theta = 2\left(\frac{\pi}{2}\right) = \pi.$$

Thus $D_0 = \frac{4\pi(1)}{\pi} = 4 = 6.02 \text{ dB}$

The half-power beamwidths are equal to

$$\text{HPBW (az.)} = 2[90^\circ - \sin^{-1}(1/2)] = 2(90^\circ - 30^\circ) = 120^\circ$$

$$\text{HPBW (el.)} = 2[90^\circ - \sin^{-1}(1/2)] = 2(90^\circ - 30^\circ) = 120^\circ$$

In a similar manner, it can be shown that for

(b) $U = \sin\theta \sin^2\phi \Rightarrow D_0 = 5.09 = 7.07 \text{ dB}$

$$\text{HPBW (el.)} = 120^\circ, \text{HPBW (az.)} = 90^\circ$$

(c)

$$U = \sin^2\theta \sin^3\phi \Rightarrow D_0 = \frac{9\pi}{4} = 7.07 = 8.49 \text{ dB}$$

$$\text{HPBW (el.)} = 90^\circ, \text{HPBW (az.)} = 74.93^\circ$$

5. Find the directivity (dimensionless and in dB) for the antenna of Problem 4 using Kraus' approximate formula.

(a)

$$U = \sin\theta \cdot \sin\phi; \text{ (a) } D_0 \approx \frac{41253}{\theta_{1d} \theta_{2d}} = \frac{41253}{120(120)} = 2.86 = 4.57 \text{ dB}$$

(b) $D_0 \approx 3.82 = 5.82 \text{ dB}$

(c) $D_0 \approx 6.12 = 7.87 \text{ dB}$

6. The normalized radiation intensity of an antenna is rotationally symmetric in ϕ , and it is represented by



$$U = \begin{cases} 1 & 0^\circ \leq \theta < 30^\circ \\ 0.5 & 30^\circ \leq \theta < 60^\circ \\ 0.1 & 60^\circ \leq \theta < 90^\circ \\ 0 & 90^\circ \leq \theta \leq 180^\circ \end{cases}$$

(a) What is the directivity (above isotropic) of the antenna (in dB)?

$$\begin{aligned} \text{(a) } D_0 &= \frac{4\pi U_{\max}}{P_{\text{rad}}} = \frac{U_{\max}}{U_0} \\ P_{\text{rad}} &= \int_0^{2\pi} \int_0^\pi U \sin\theta \, d\theta \, d\phi = 2\pi \int_0^\pi U \sin\theta \, d\theta = 2\pi \left\{ \int_0^{30^\circ} \sin\theta \, d\theta + \right. \\ &\quad \left. \int_{30^\circ}^{60^\circ} (0.5) \sin\theta \, d\theta + \int_{60^\circ}^{90^\circ} (0.1) \sin\theta \, d\theta \right\} = 2\pi \left\{ (-\cos\theta) \Big|_0^{30^\circ} + \left(-\frac{\cos\theta}{2}\right) \Big|_{30^\circ}^{60^\circ} + (-0.1 \cos\theta) \Big|_{60^\circ}^{90^\circ} \right\} \\ \text{(cont'd)} &= 2\pi \left\{ (-0.866 + 1) + \left(\frac{-0.5 + 0.866}{2}\right) + \left(\frac{-0 + 0.5}{10}\right) \right\} \\ P_{\text{rad}} &= 2\pi \{-0.866 + 1 - 0.25 + 0.433 + 0.05\} = 2\pi(0.367) \\ &= 0.734 \cdot \pi = 2.3059 \\ D_0 &= \frac{1(4\pi)}{2.3059} = 5.4496 = 7.3636 \text{ dB} \end{aligned}$$

7. The radiation intensity of an antenna is given by $U(\theta, \phi) = \cos^4\theta \sin^2\phi$, for $0 \leq \theta \leq \pi/2$ and $0 \leq \phi \leq 2\pi$ (i.e., in the upper half-space). It is zero in the lower half-space.

Find the

- Exact directivity (dimensionless and in dB)
- Elevation plane half-power beam width (in degrees).



$$\begin{aligned}
 (a) \quad P_{\text{rad}} &= \int_0^{2\pi} \int_0^{\pi} U(\theta, \phi) \sin\theta \, d\theta \, d\phi = \int_0^{2\pi} \sin^2\phi \, d\phi \cdot \int_0^{\pi/2} \cos^4\theta \sin\theta \, d\theta \\
 &= (\pi) \left(\frac{1}{5}\right) = \frac{\pi}{5}. \\
 U_{\text{max}} &= U(\theta=0^\circ, \phi=\pi/2) = 1. \\
 D_0 &= \frac{4\pi U_{\text{max}}}{P_{\text{rad}}} = \frac{4\pi}{(\pi/5)} = 20 = 13.0 \text{ dB} \\
 (b) \quad \text{Elevation Plane: } &\theta \text{ varies, } \phi \text{ fixed} \\
 &\rightarrow \text{choose } \phi = \pi/2. \\
 U(\theta, \phi=\pi/2) &= \cos^4\theta, \quad 0 \leq \theta \leq \pi/2. \\
 \cos^4\left[\frac{\text{HPBW}(\text{el.})}{2}\right] &= \frac{1}{2} \\
 \text{HPBW}(\text{el.}) &= 2 \cdot \cos^{-1}\{\sqrt{0.5}\} = 65.5^\circ.
 \end{aligned}$$

8. The far-zone electric-field intensity (array factor) of an end-fire two-element array antenna, placed along the z-axis and radiating into free-space, is given by

$$E = \cos\left[\frac{\pi}{4}(\cos\theta - 1)\right] \frac{e^{-jkr}}{r}, \quad 0 \leq \theta \leq \pi$$

Find the directivity using Kraus' approximate formula

$$\begin{aligned}
 (a) \quad E|_{\text{max}} &= \cos\left[\frac{\pi}{4}(\cos\theta - 1)\right] \Big|_{\text{max}} = 1 \quad \text{at } \theta = 0^\circ. \\
 0.707 E_{\text{max}} &= 0.707 \cdot (1) = \cos\left[\frac{\pi}{4}(\cos\theta_1 - 1)\right] \\
 \frac{\pi}{4}(\cos\theta_1 - 1) &= \pm \frac{\pi}{4} \Rightarrow \theta_1 = \begin{cases} \cos^{-1}(2) = \text{does not exist} \\ \cos^{-1}(0) = 90^\circ = \frac{\pi}{2} \text{ rad.} \end{cases} \\
 \Theta_{1r} = \Theta_{2r} &= 2\left(\frac{\pi}{2}\right) = \pi \\
 D_0 &\simeq \frac{4\pi}{\Theta_{1r}\Theta_{2r}} = \frac{4\pi}{\pi^2} = \frac{4}{\pi} = 1.273 = 1.049 \text{ dB}
 \end{aligned}$$

9. The normalized far-zone field pattern of an antenna is given by

$$E = \begin{cases} (\sin\theta \cos^2\phi)^{1/2} & 0 \leq \theta \leq \pi \text{ and } 0 \leq \phi \leq \pi/2, 3\pi/2 \leq \phi \leq 2\pi \\ 0 & \text{elsewhere} \end{cases}$$

Find the directivity using



- (a) The exact expression
(b) Kraus' approximate formula

$$U = \frac{1}{2\eta} |E|^2 = \frac{1}{2\eta} \sin\theta \cos^2\phi \Rightarrow U_{\max} = \frac{1}{2\eta}$$

$$(a). \text{Prad} = 2 \int_0^{\pi/2} \int_0^{\pi} \frac{1}{2\eta} \sin^2\theta \cos^2\phi \, d\theta \, d\phi = \frac{1}{\eta} \left(\frac{\pi}{4}\right) \left(\frac{\pi}{2}\right) = \frac{\pi^2}{8\eta}$$

$$D_0 = \frac{4\pi U_{\max}}{\text{Prad}} = \frac{4\pi \left(\frac{1}{2\eta}\right)}{\frac{\pi^2}{8\eta}} = \frac{16}{\pi} = 5.09 = 7.07 \text{ dB}$$

(b). $U_{\max} = \frac{1}{2\eta}$ at $\theta = \pi/2, \phi = 0$

In the elevation plane through the maximum $\phi = 0$ and $u = \frac{1}{2\eta} \sin\theta$.
The 3-dB point occurs when
 $u = 0.5 U_{\max} = 0.5 \left(\frac{1}{2\eta}\right) = \frac{1}{2\eta} \sin\theta_1 \Rightarrow \theta_1 = \sin^{-1}(0.5) = 30^\circ$
Therefore $\Theta_{1d} = 2(90 - 30) = 120^\circ$

In the azimuth plane through the maximum $\theta = \pi/2$ and $u = \frac{1}{2\eta} \cos^2\phi$.
The 3-dB point occurs when $u = 0.5 U_{\max} = 0.5 \left(\frac{1}{2\eta}\right) = \frac{1}{2\eta} \cos^2\theta_1 \Rightarrow$
 $\phi_1 = \cos^{-1}(0.707) = 45^\circ, \Theta_{2d} = 2(90 - 45) = 90^\circ$

Therefore using Kraus' formula $D_0 \approx \frac{41,253}{120 \cdot (90)} = 3.82 = 5.82 \text{ dB}$

10. A uniform plane wave is traveling in the positive z-direction. Find the polarization (linear, circular, or elliptical), sense of rotation (CW or CCW), axial ratio (AR), and tilt angle τ (in degrees) when

- (a) $E_x = E_y, \Delta\phi = \phi_y - \phi_x = 0$
 (b) $E_x \neq E_y, \Delta\phi = \phi_y - \phi_x = 0$
 (c) $E_x = E_y, \Delta\phi = \phi_y - \phi_x = \pi/2$
 (d) $E_x = E_y, \Delta\phi = \phi_y - \phi_x = -\pi/2$
 (e) $E_x = E_y, \Delta\phi = \phi_y - \phi_x = \pi/4$
 (f) $E_x = E_y, \Delta\phi = \phi_y - \phi_x = -\pi/4$
 (g) $E_x = 0.5E_y, \Delta\phi = \phi_y - \phi_x = \pi/2$
 (h) $E_x = 0.5E_y, \Delta\phi = \phi_y - \phi_x = -\pi/2$

In all cases, justify the answer.



- (a) Linear because $\Delta\phi = 0$.
- (b) Linear because $\Delta\phi = 0$.
- (c) Circular because 1. $E_x = E_y$
2. $\Delta\phi = \pi/2$.
CCW because E_y leads E_x , $AR=1$, $\tau = 90^\circ$
- (d) Circular because 1. $E_x = E_y$
2. $\Delta\phi = -\pi/2$
CW because E_y lags E_x , $AR=1$, $\tau = 90^\circ$
- (e) Elliptical because $\Delta\phi$ is not multiples of $\pi/2$.
CCW because E_y leads E_x . $AR = OA/OB$
Letting $E_x = E_y = E_0$
 $OA = E_0 [0.5(1+1+\sqrt{2})]^{1/2} = 1.30656 E_0$
 $OB = E_0 [0.5(1+1-\sqrt{2})]^{1/2} = 0.541196 E_0$ } $\Rightarrow AR = \frac{1.30656}{0.541196} = 2.414$
 $\tau = 90^\circ - \frac{1}{2} \tan^{-1} \left[\frac{2(1) \cos(45^\circ)}{1-1} \right] = 90^\circ - \frac{1}{2} \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{1.414}{0} \right)$
 $= 90^\circ - \frac{1}{2}(90^\circ) = 45^\circ$
- (f) Elliptical because $\Delta\phi$ is not multiples of $\pi/2$
CW because E_y lags E_x
From above $OA = 1.30656 E_0$
 $OB = 0.541196 E_0$ } $\Rightarrow AR = \frac{1.30656}{0.541196} = 2.414$
From above $\tau = 90^\circ - \frac{1}{2}(90^\circ) = 45^\circ$
- (g) Elliptical because 1. $E_x \neq E_y$
2. $\Delta\phi$ is not zero or multiples of π .
CCW because E_y leads E_x .
 $OA = E_y \left\{ \frac{1}{2} [0.25 + 1 + 0.75] \right\}^{1/2} = E_y$
 $OB = E_y \left\{ \frac{1}{2} [0.25 + 1 - 0.75] \right\}^{1/2} = 0.5 E_y$ } $\Rightarrow AR = \frac{1}{0.5} = 2$.
 $\tau = 90^\circ - \frac{1}{2} \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{0}{-0.75} \right) = 90^\circ - \frac{1}{2}(180^\circ) = 0^\circ$
- (h) Elliptical because 1. $E_x \neq E_y$
2. $\Delta\phi$ is not zero or multiples of π .
CW because E_y lags E_x .
From above $OA = E_y$
 $OB = 0.5 E_y$ } $\Rightarrow AR = \frac{1}{0.5} = 2$
 $\tau = 90^\circ - \frac{1}{2}(180^\circ) = 0^\circ$

Good Luck