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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

(a) Power density (W_{rad})

(b) Power radiated (P_{rad})

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_ocos³ θ (watts/unit solid angle) ($0 \le \theta \le \pi/2$, $0 \le \phi \le 2\pi$) Find the

(a) Maximum power density (in watts/square meter) at a distance of 1,000 m (assume far-field distance). Specify the angle where this occurs.

(b) Exact and approximate beam solid angle Ω_A .

(c) Directivity, exact and approximate, of the antenna (dimensionless and in dB).

(d) Gain, exact and approximate, of the antenna (dimensionless and in 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

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

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

- 4. The normalized radiation intensity of a given antenna is given by
 (a) U=sinθsinφ, (b) U=sinθsin²φ, (C) U=sin²θsin³φ
 The intensity exists only in the 0≤θ≤π, 0≤φ≤π 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).

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- **5.** Find the directivity (dimensionless and in dB) for the antenna of Problem 4 using Kraus' approximate formula.
- 6. The normalized radiation intensity of an antenna is rotationally symmetric in φ , and it is represented by

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

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

- 7. The radiation intensity of an antenna is given by U(θ,φ)=cos⁴θsin²φ , for 0≤θ≤π/2and0≤φ≤2π(i.e., inthe upper half-space). It is zero in the lower half-space. Find the
 (a) Exact directivity (dimensionless and in dB)
 (b) Elevation plane half-power beam width (in degrees).
- 8. The far-zone electric-field intensity (array factor) of an end-fire twoelement array antenna, placed along the z-axis and radiating into freespace, is given by

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

Find the directivity using Kraus' approximate formula

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

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

Find the directivity using

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



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- 10. A uniform plane wave, of 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) Ex =Ey, Δφ=φy-φx =0
 (b) Ex ≠Ey, Δφ=φy-φx =0
 (c) Ex =Ey, Δφ=φy-φx =π/2
 (d) Ex =Ey, Δφ=φy-φx =-π/2
 (e) Ex =Ey, Δφ=φy-φx =π/4
 (f) Ex =Ey, Δφ=φy-φx =π/2
 (g) Ex =0.5Ey, Δφ=φy-φx =π/2
 (h) Ex =0.5Ey, Δφ=φy-φx =π/2
 - (h) Ex =0.5Ey, $\Delta \phi = \phi y \phi x = -\pi/2$ Inall cases, justify the answer.

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1. The normalized radiation intensity of an antenna is symmetric, and it can be approximated by

$$U(\theta) = \begin{cases} 1 & 0^{\circ} \le \theta < 30^{\circ} \\ \frac{\cos(\theta)}{0.866} & 30^{\circ} \le \theta < 90^{\circ} \\ 0 & 90^{\circ} \le \theta \le 180^{\circ} \end{cases}$$

And it is independent of φ . Find the

(a) Exact directivity by integrating the function

(b) Approximate directivity using Kraus' formula.

2. Repeat Problem 8 when

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