MAGNETISM & INDUCTION

"I believe that there is a subtle magnetism in Nature, which, if we unconsciously yield to it, will direct us aright" — Henry David Thoreau

MAGNETS

ARMENIA

IRAN



MAGNETIC POLES

- Every magnet, no matter its shape, has two ends or faces, called poles
 - The poles are where the magnetic effect is the strongest
- If a magnet is suspended by a thread, one pole will always point towards the north
- By the IIth Century the Chinese were already taking advantage of this effect to aid in navigation



MAGNETIC POLES

- Every magnet has a north pole and a south pole
- Like poles repel
- Unlike pole attract
 - A lot like electric charge
 - But with one very important difference



MAGNETIC POLES

- While you can easily separate positive from negative charges, you *cannot* separate north from south poles
 - You will always have both
 - Just like every coin has two sides, "heads" and "tails"
- There's no such thing as a magnetic monopole (as far as we can tell)



MAGNETIC FIELDS

- Just like it can useful to talk about the electric field surrounding an electric charge, we can also imagine a *magnetic field* surrounding a magnet
- The shape of the field is revealed by the magnetic field lines
 - (They will look very reminiscent of electric field lines)

MAGNETIC FIELDS

• Facts:

- I. field lines point from north to south
 - (the direction a compass needle would point)
- 2. field lines never cross
- 3. density of field lines is proportional to the strength of the field





MAKING MAGNETISM

- Only iron and a few other materials such as cobalt, nickel, and gadolinium show strong magnetic effects
 - These materials are called ferromagnets
- All other materials show *slight* magnetic effects that can be detected only the most sensitive instruments



MAKING MAGNETISM

- In 1820, Hans Christian Oersted was experimenting with electricity and magnetism
- A stationary charge and a magnet won't influence each other
- But! when he placed a compass near a wire, as soon as he connected the battery and current began to flow, the compass needle deflected!
- A magnetic field is produced by the motion of electric charge



MAKING MAGNETISM

- Just as an electric charge is surrounded by an electric field, a moving charge is surrounded by a magnetic field
 - Charges in motion have both an electric and a magnetic field

(a)



SANITY CHECK

 So where's the motion of electric charge in a bar magnet?



SANITY CHECK

- So where's the motion of electric charge in a bar magnet?
 - While the magnet as a whole may be stationary, it is made of atoms whose electrons are in constant motion around the atomic nuclei
 - This moving charge constitutes a tiny current and produces a magnetic field



SANITY CHECK

- More important, electrons can be thought of as spinning about their own axes like tops
 - The spinning electron creates another magnetic field
- Typically, the field due to the electron spin predominates over the field due to orbital motion



DOMAINS

The magnetic fields of individual iron atoms are strong

- Interactions among adjacent iron atoms cause large clusters of them to line up with one another
- These clusters of aligned atoms are called
 magnetic domains

NdFeB-Aufschnitt

DOMAINS

- The difference between an ordinary piece of iron and an iron magnet is the alignment of the domains
 - In common iron nail = randomly oriented
 - But in presence of a strong magnetic field, the aligned domains grow
- If a permanent magnet is dropped or heated, the domains may jostle out of alignment

DOMAINS







Non-Magnetic Material (no domains)

Magnetic Material Magnet (domains, but not lined up) (domains, and all are lined up)



MORAL OFTHE STORY

 Magnetic fields are produced by the motion of electric charge

- Since moving charges produce a magnetic field, we can expect there to be a magnetic field around any and all current-carrying wires
- If you arrange a bunch of compasses around a current-carrying wire, the compasses will line up with the magnetic field
 - a pattern of concentric circles around the wire
- If the current reverses direction, the compasses turn around, showing that the direction of the magnetic field changes also

(a) When there is no current in the wire, the compasses align with Earth's magnetic field



(b) When there is a current in the wire, the compasses align with the stronger magnetic field near the wire



RIGHT HAND RULE, PART I

 The right hand rule is a tool to help us figure out the direction of the magnetic field relative to the current



- The strength of the magnetic field around a current-carrying wire depends on two quantities:
 - I. How much current passes through the wire: *I*
 - 2. How you are from the wire: *r*



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$$B = \frac{\mu_0 I}{2\pi r}$$

- B represents the magnetic field
- Measured in **Teslas** (**T**)
- μ_0 is called the **permeability of free space**
 - $\mu_0 = 4\pi \times 10^{-7} \,\text{Tm/A}$
 - It's a measure of how accepting a vacuum is of a magnetic field

EXAMPLE |

- A vertical electric wire in the wall of a building carries a current of 25 A upward. What is the magnitude and direction of magnetic field at a point 10 cm to the right of the wire?
 - Ans. B = 5.0×10^{-5} T into the page

- If the wire is bent into a loop, the magnetic field lines become bunched up inside the loop
- Bend it into another loop and the concentration of field lines inside becomes twice that of the single loop
- The magnetic field intensity is proportional to the number of loops



• A current-carrying coil of wire is an **electromagnet**



a) current-carrying wire

b) current-carrying loop

c) coil of loops







- Sometimes a piece of iron is placed inside the coil of an electromagnet
- The magnetic domains in the iron are induced into alignment, increasing the magnetic field intensity
- Beyond a certain limit, the magnetic field in the iron "saturates," so iron isn't used in the cores of the strongest electromagnets

- A superconducting electromagnet can generate a powerful magnetic field indefinitely without using any power
- At Fermilab near Chicago, superconducting electromagnets guide high-energy particles around the four-mile-circumference accelerator
- Superconducting magnets can also be found in magnetic resonance imaging (MRI) devices in hospitals



https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=zPqEEZa2Gis

MAGNETIC FORCES ON ELECTRIC CURRENT

- An electric current exerts a force on a magnet, such as a compass needle
- By Newton's Third Law, the reverse must be true as well: a magnet exerts a force on a current-carrying wire

MAGNETIC FORCES ON ELECTRIC CURRENT

- The magnitude of the force on electric current due to a magnetic field depends on 4 quantities:
- I. Strength of the magnetic field: **B**
- 2. Current in the wire: I
- Length of wire in the magnetic field: ℓ
- 4. Angle the wire makes with the magnetic field: θ





MAGNETIC FORCE ON ELECTRIC CURRENT



RIGHT HAND RULE, PART 2

 The magnetic force will always be perpendicular to both the direction of the current and the direction of the magnetic field


EXAMPLE 2

- A wire carrying a 30-A current has length $\ell = 12$ cm between the pole faces of a magnet at an angle $\theta = 60^{\circ}$. The magnetic field is approximately uniform at 0.90 T. What is the force on the wire?
 - Answer: $F_B = 2.8$ N into the board



MAGNETIC FORCE ON MOVING CHARGES

- Magnetic fields exert a force on electric current
- That's the same as saying magnetic field exert a force on moving charges

MAGNETIC FORCE ON MOVING CHARGES

- The magnitude of the force on a moving charge due to a magnetic field depends on 4 quantities:
- I. Strength of the magnetic field: B
- 2. Charge of the particle: q
- 3. Velocity of the particle: v
- 4. Angle the velocity makes with the magnetic field: θ



MAGNETIC FORCE ON MOVING CHARGES





RIGHT HAND RULE, PART 21/2

- Only work for positive charges!
- For negative charges, either remember that the force will be in the opposite direction of whatever the right hand rule yields
- Or use your left hand



EXAMPLE 3

- A proton having a speed of 5.0×10⁶ m/s in a magnetic field feels a force of 8.0×10⁻¹⁴ N toward the west when it moves vertically upward. When moving horizontally in a northerly direction, it feels zero force. What is the magnitude and direction of the magnetic field in this region?
 - Answer: B = 0.10T north

EXAMPLE 4

- An proton travels at 2.0×10⁷ m/s in a plane perpendicular to a 0.010-T magnetic field.
 Describe its path. (q_p = 1.6×10⁻¹⁹ C, m_p = 1.67×10⁻²⁷ kg)
 - Answer: circle with radius r = 20.9 m

ELECTROMAGNETIC INDUCTION

 In 1831, two physicists, Michael Faraday in England and Joseph Henry in the United States, independently discovered that magnetism could produce an electric current in a wire





ELECTROMAGNETIC INDUCTION

Ammeter [Measures Current] Switch 0 .10 +10 **Magnetic Core** Battery (Iron)

ELECTROMAGNETIC INDUCTION

- A changing magnetic field will produce a voltage
- This phenomenon is known as electromagnetic induction

ELECTROMAGNETIC INDUCTION

- The production of voltage depends only on the relative motion of the conductor with respect to the magnetic field
- Whether the magnetic field moves past the conductor or the conductor moves through the magnetic field, the results are the same



ELECTROMAGNETIC INDUCTION

- The voltage induced depends on how quickly the wire traverses the magnetic field
 - The faster the motion, the greater the voltage
- Also depends on the number of loops in the wire that the magnetic field passes through
 - Doubling the number of loops doubles the voltage induced



ELECTROMAGNETIC INDUCTION

- Nothing comes for free!
 - The induced current in the wire creates its own magnetic field that will always resist the motion of the magnet
 - So, pushing a magnet into a coil with more loops requires more work



- Faraday investigated what factors influence the magnitude of the voltage induced
- He found that it depends on how much of a magnetic field is able to pass through the coil
- This can be achieved two ways:
 - Change the strength of the magnetic field
 - And/or change cross-sectional area of the coil



- Product of the magnetic field and cross-sectional area is called the *magnetic flux*
- $\mathbf{\Phi} = B_{\perp}A = BA \sin \mathbf{\theta}$
 - Measured in webers (Wb)
- The induced voltage will be proportional the *rate of change* of the magnetic flux



• Faraday's Law of Induction:

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$$V = N\Delta \Phi / \Delta t$$

- V is the voltage induced
- N is the number of loops
- $\Delta \Phi / \Delta t$ is the change in flux per time

- An induced voltage always gives rise to a current whose magnetic field opposes the original magnetic field which produced it
 - This is known as **Lenz's Law**

- Try to push the magnet into the coil and current will counter-clockwise, creating a magnetic field that repels the incoming magnet
- Try to pull the magnet *out of* the coil and current will run clockwise, creating a magnetic field that *attracts* the outgoing magnet



SANITY CHECK

- Some modern stove burners are based on induction. That is, an AC current passes around a coil that is the burner. Why will it heat a metal pan but not a glass container?
 - Answer: the AC current sets up a changing magnetic field which induces current in the bottom of the pan
 - The pan offers resistance, so electric energy is transformed to heat
 - The glass offers very high resistance, so very little current flows

EXAMPLE 5

- A circular, 100-loop coil of wire has a radius of 12 cm. it is exposed to a perpendicular magnetic field which grows at a steady rate of 0.33 T/s. What is the induced voltage, and in what direction will current flow?
 - Answer: V = 1.49 V
 - Current will flow counterclockwise



- The discoveries that current produces a magnetic field and changing magnetic fields induce a current has allowed us to harness electric energy in unprecedented ways
- Enter the electric generator and electric motor
- These two inventions launched human civilization into one powered by electricity in a way batteries alone could never hope to do

- Electric motors convert electrical energy into mechanical energy
- Electric generators convert mechanical energy into electrical energy





- How to build an electric generator:
- Plunge a magnet into and out of a coil of wire
 - Magnet enters → field strength inside coil increases, induce voltage directed one way
 - Magnet exits → field strength diminishes, voltage induced in opposite direction
 - Greater frequency of field change = greater voltage
 - Frequency of alternating voltage = frequency of changing magnetic field in loop



- More practical:
 - Rotate coil in stationary magnetic field
 - When loop is perpendicular to the field, the max field lines pass through it
 - As it rotates, the loop encircles fewer and fewer field lines until it's parallel, when it encloses none at all
 - Rotation continues, it encloses an increasing number of field lines until it's perpendicular again, when it's made a half rotation



- As the loop rotates, the magnitude and direction of the voltage (and current) change
- One complete voltage cycle is produced for every full rotation of the loop



- The voltage induced by the generator alternates and produces an *alternating current* (AC)
- Current changes magnitude and direction periodically
- Standard AC in North America cycles through magnitude and direction 60 times every second — 60 Hz

- Complex generators:
- To make your generator even better:
 - use a coil with many loops
 - add an iron core
 - produce the external magnetic field using powerful electromagnets

- Attach the armature of your assembly to a turbine
- Rotate the turbine using wind, falling water, or (most typically) steam





Turbine blades

Steam outlet

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Magnetic

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field

What's the source of energy?

ELECTRIC MOTORS

• An electric motor is simply a generator run in

reverse



ELECTRIC MOTORS/ GENERATORS

- In fact, cars have devices that function as both a motor and a generator
 - When extra power is needed for accelerating or going uphill, this device draws current from a battery and acts as a motor
 - Braking or rolling downhill cause the wheels to exert a torque on the device so it acts as a generator and recharges the battery

TRANSFORMERS

Power Plant



240,000 V

Transformer







120V

TRANSFORMERS

 A transformer is a device for increasing or decreasing an AC voltage

TRANSFORMERS








- A transformer consists of two coils of wire known as the primary and secondary coils
- The two coils can be interwoven (with insulated wire) or linked by a soft iron core
- Transformers are built so that (nearly) all magnetic flux produced by current in the primary also passes through the secondary



- Faraday's Law tells us that induced voltage is proportional to the number of loops in the coil
- primary voltage
 number of primary turns
 = secondary voltage
 number of secondary turns

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$$V_P/N_P = V_S/N_S$$

- If the secondary coil has more loops than the primary, the secondary voltage will be greater than the primary
 - Called a step-up transformer
- If the secondary coil has less loops than the primary, the secondary voltage will be less than the primary
 - Called a step-down transformer

- You still don't get something for nothing! Energy is always conserved
- A transformer actually transfers energy from one coil to the other. The rate at which energy is transferred is the power
- The power used in the secondary is supplied by the primary
 - $P = I_P V_P = I_S V_S$
 - If the secondary has more voltage, it will have less current, and vice versa

EXAMPLE 6

- A transformer in a portable radio reduces 120-V to 9.0 V.The secondary contains 30 turns and the radio draws 400 mA.
 - a) How many turns in the primary?
 - b) What's the current in the primary?
 - c) Calculate the power transferred.
- a) Answer: $N_P = 400 \text{ loops}$
- b) Answer: $I_P = 0.030 \text{ A}$
- c) Answer: P = 3.6 W