

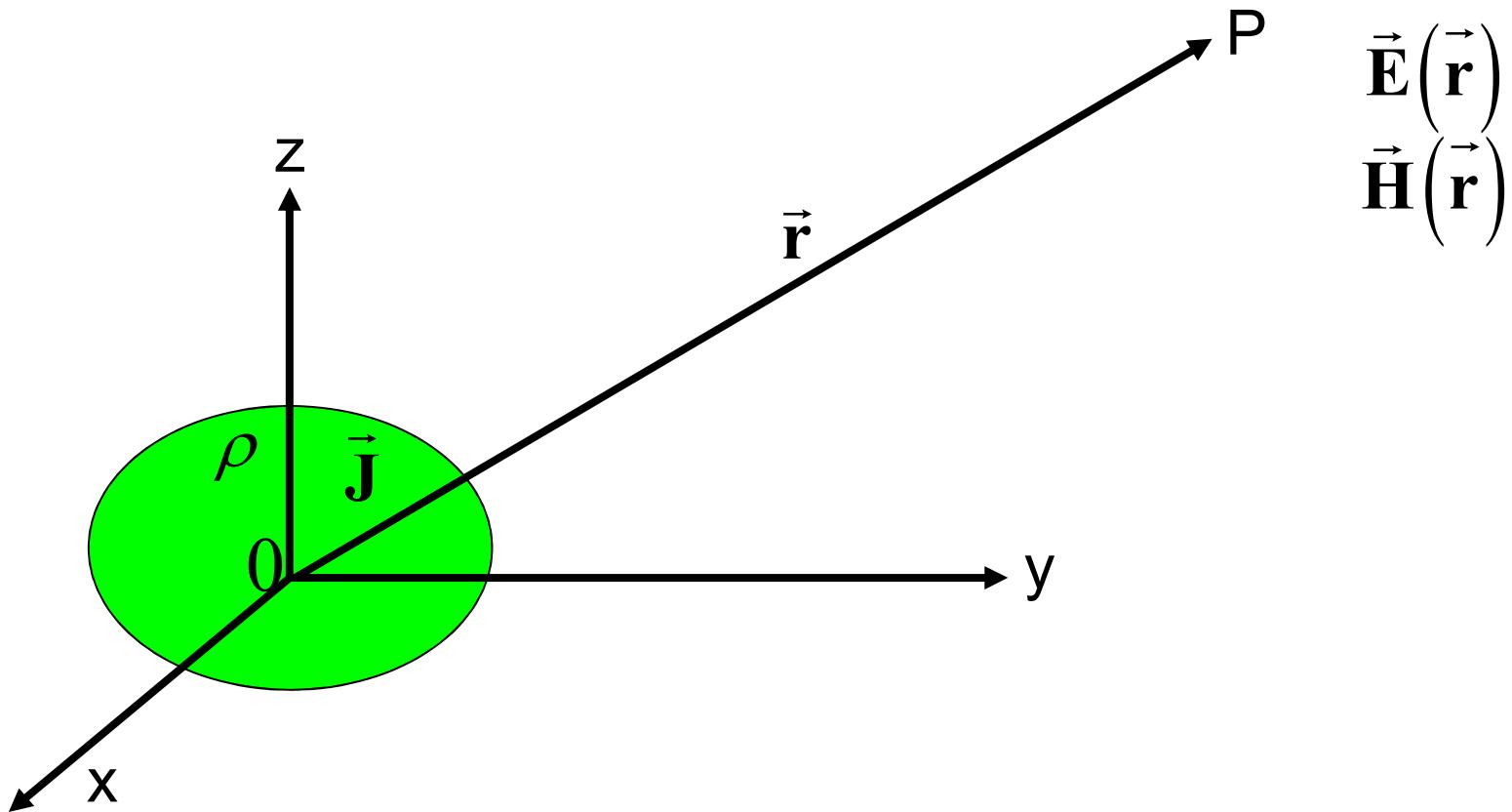
# Corso di Laurea in Ingegneria Informatica, Biomedica e delle Telecomunicazioni

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# Summary of the past lecture

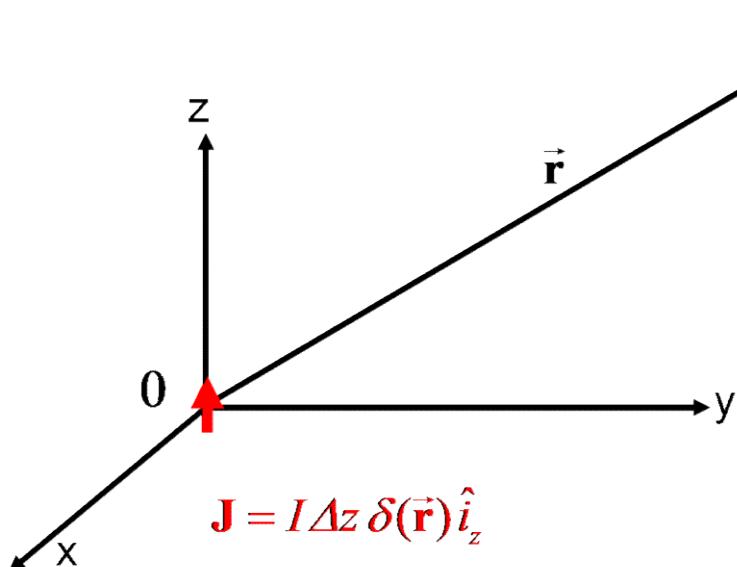
## Radiation problem



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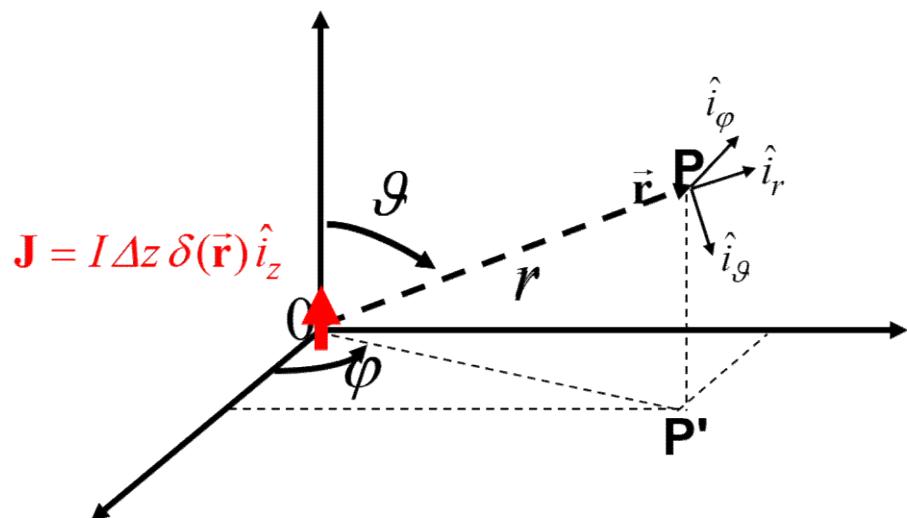
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and the Poynting vector:

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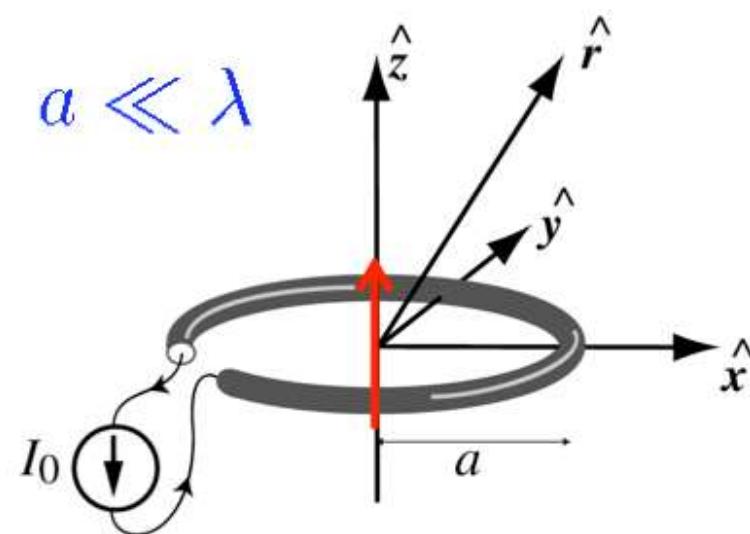
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# Small loop antenna

- A simple and inexpensive antenna type is the loop antenna.



$$\Delta S = \pi a^2$$



## **Small loop antenna**

Electrically small antennas are those whose overall length (circumference) is usually less than about one-tenth of a wavelength ( $C < \lambda/10$ ).

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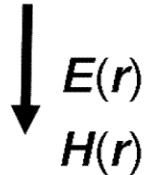
$$\mathbf{J} = I\delta(z)\delta(r-a)\hat{i}'_\phi$$



$$\nabla^2 \mathbf{A} + k^2 \mathbf{A} = -\mu \mathbf{J} \quad \text{Vector Helmholtz equation}$$



$$\mathbf{H} = \frac{1}{\mu} \nabla \times \mathbf{A} \quad \text{and} \quad \mathbf{E} = -j\omega \mathbf{A} + \frac{\nabla \nabla \cdot \mathbf{A}}{j\omega \epsilon \mu}$$



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$$\mathbf{J} = I\delta(z)\delta(r-a)\hat{i}'_\phi$$

$$\mathbf{A}(\vec{\mathbf{r}}) = \frac{\mu}{4\pi} \int \mathbf{J}(\vec{\mathbf{r}}') \frac{e^{-j\beta|\vec{\mathbf{r}}-\vec{\mathbf{r}}'|}}{|\vec{\mathbf{r}}-\vec{\mathbf{r}}'|} d\vec{\mathbf{r}}' = \frac{\mu}{4\pi} \int_0^{2\pi} d\varphi' I \frac{e^{-j\beta|\vec{\mathbf{r}}-\vec{\mathbf{r}}'|}}{|\vec{\mathbf{r}}-\vec{\mathbf{r}}'|} a \hat{i}'_\phi$$

$$\approx \frac{j\beta I \mu \Delta S}{4\pi} \frac{e^{-j\beta r}}{r} \left[ 1 + \frac{1}{j\beta r} \right] \sin \vartheta \hat{i}_\phi$$

.. by assuming that the current  $I$  in the small loop is constant and that the radius of the loop  $a \ll \lambda$

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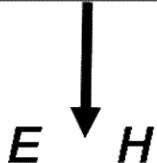
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The E.M. field radiated by the small loop antenna

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Because of the problem symmetry there is no dependence on the azimuth angle  $\varphi$ .

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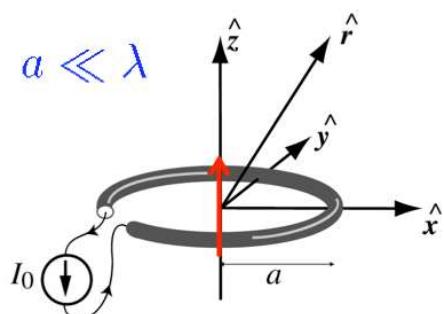
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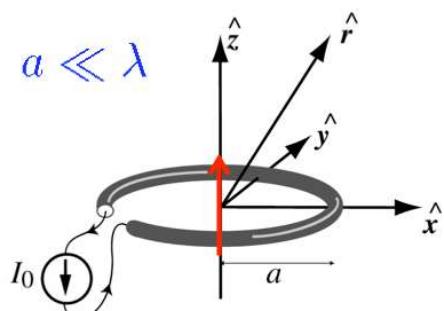
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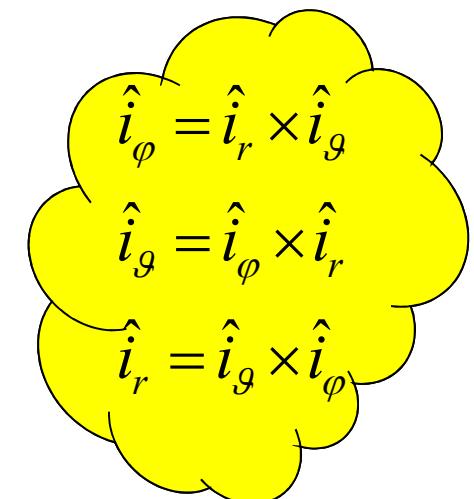
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In the far-field case ( $r \gg \lambda$ ), we have

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and the Poynting vector is:

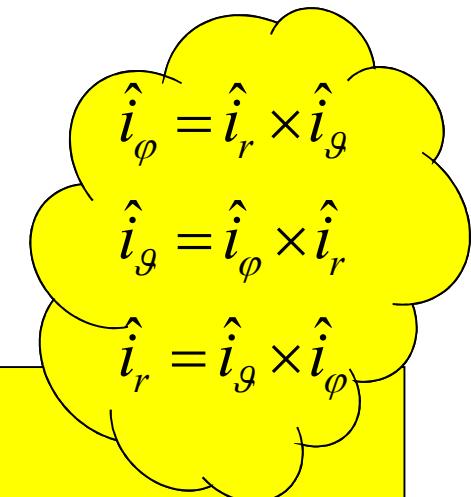
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$$\hat{i}_\phi = \hat{i}_r \times \hat{i}_\vartheta$$
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- Similarly to the elementary electrical dipole, to further characterize the small loop antenna behavior one can evaluate the Poynting vector and the associated power over a sphere centered in the origin:

$$P = \frac{1}{2} \iint_S [\mathbf{E} \times \mathbf{H}^*] \cdot \hat{i}_r dS = -\frac{1}{2} \int_0^{2\pi} d\varphi \int_0^\pi r^2 \sin\vartheta E_\vartheta H_\vartheta^* d\vartheta$$


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I)  $dS = r^2 \sin\vartheta d\vartheta d\varphi$

II)  $[\mathbf{E} \times \mathbf{H}^*] \cdot \hat{i}_r = [(E_\vartheta \hat{i}_\vartheta) \times (H_\vartheta^* \hat{i}_\vartheta + H_r^* \hat{i}_r)] \cdot \hat{i}_r = -E_\vartheta H_\vartheta^*$

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The reactive part depends on  $r$ . Its sign is positive showing that there is an excess of stored **magnetic** energy in the neighbor of the magnetic dipole (see Poynting's theorem)

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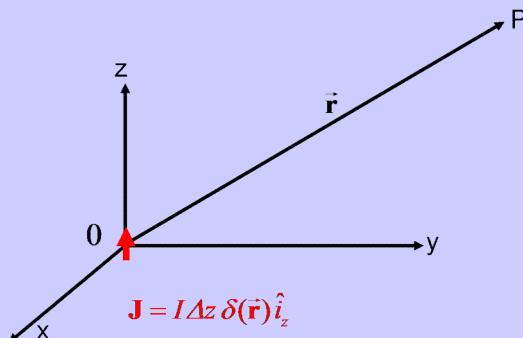


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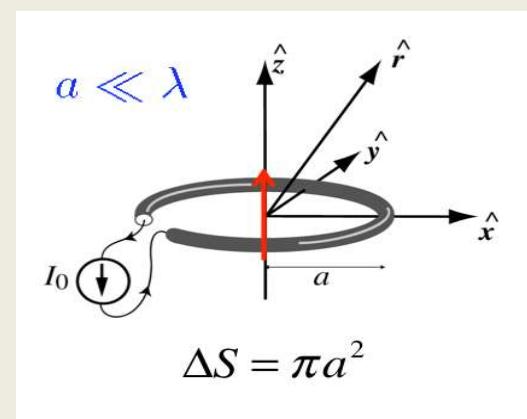
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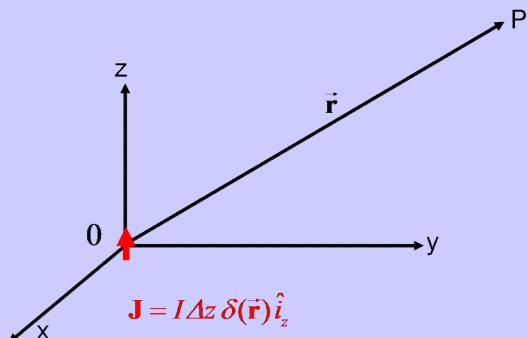
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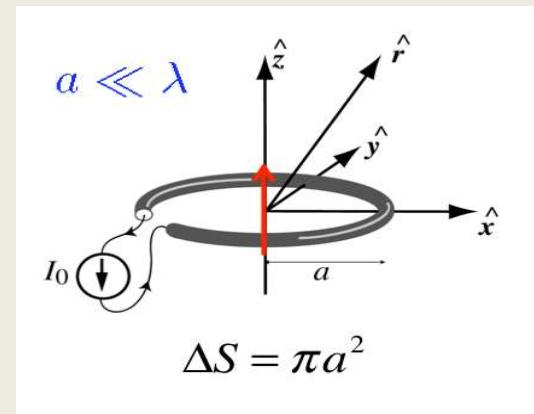
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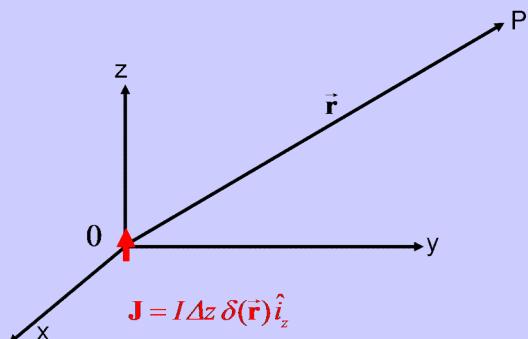


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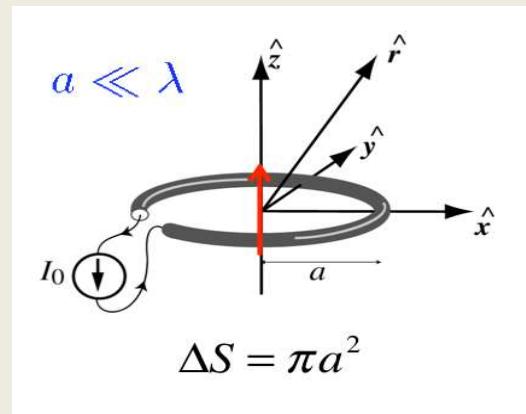
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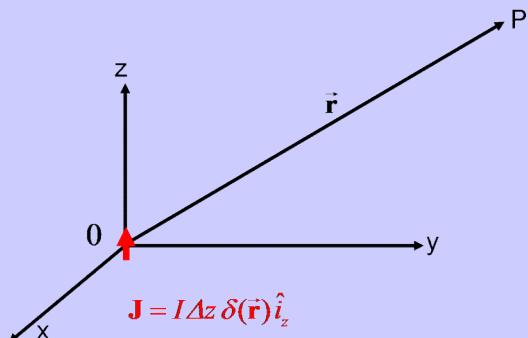
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$$\zeta \mathbf{H} = \hat{i}_r \times \mathbf{E}$$



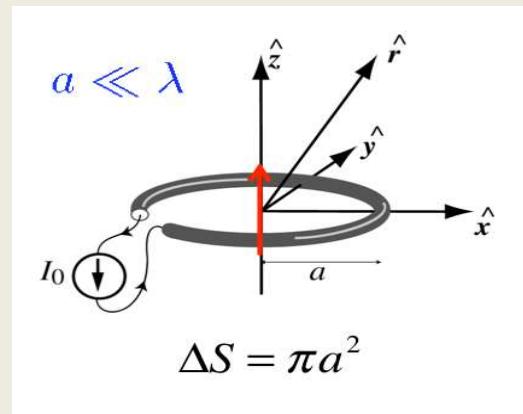
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# Magnetic Sources

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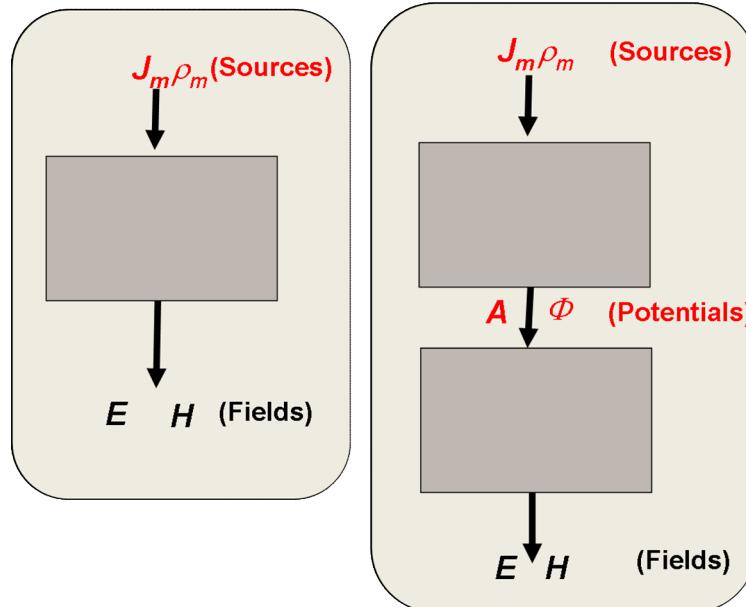
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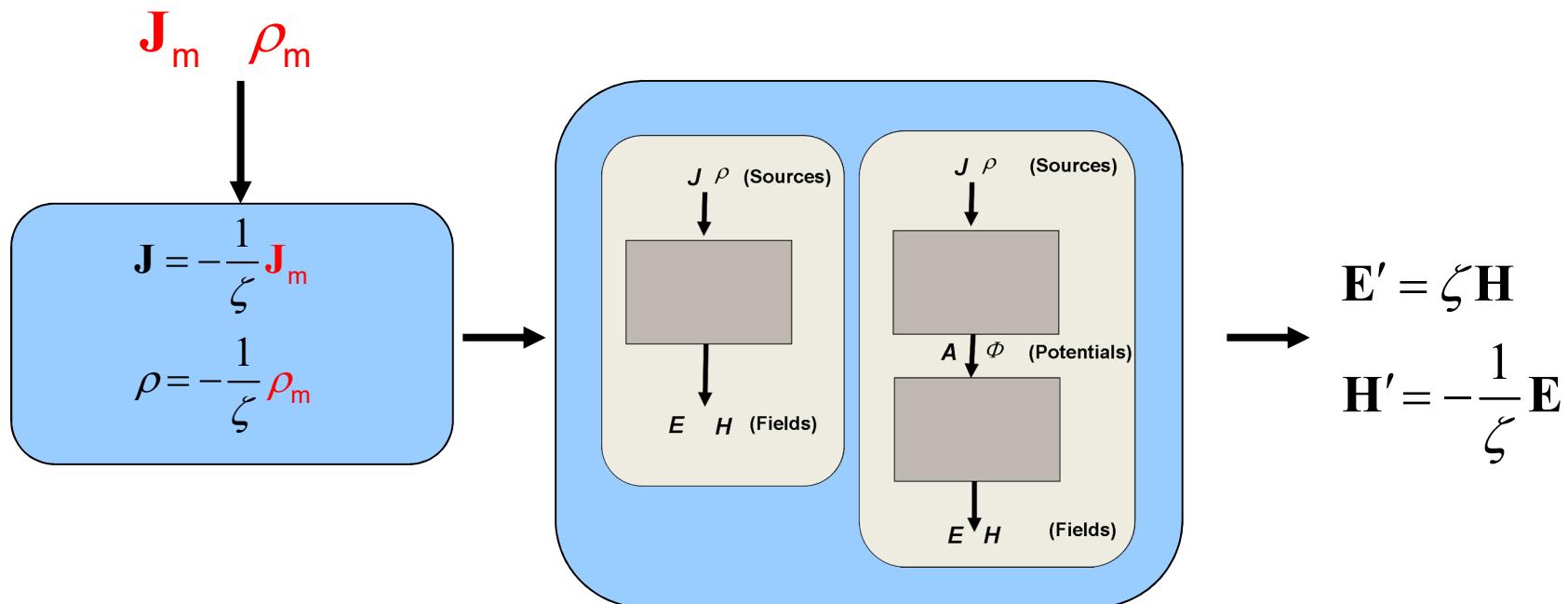
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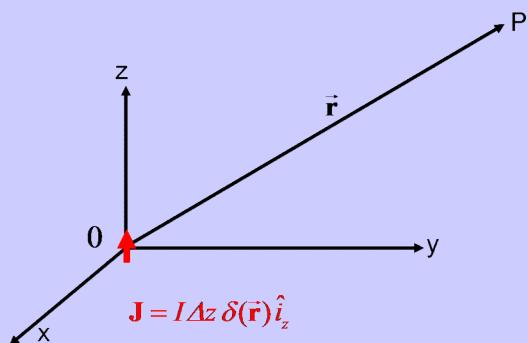
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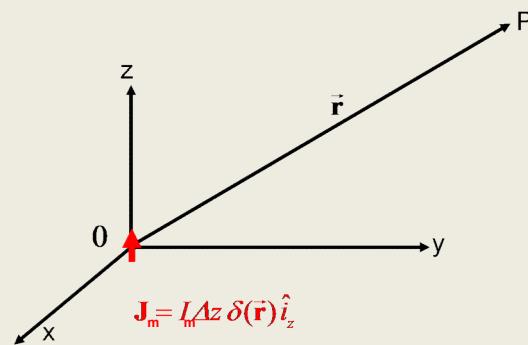
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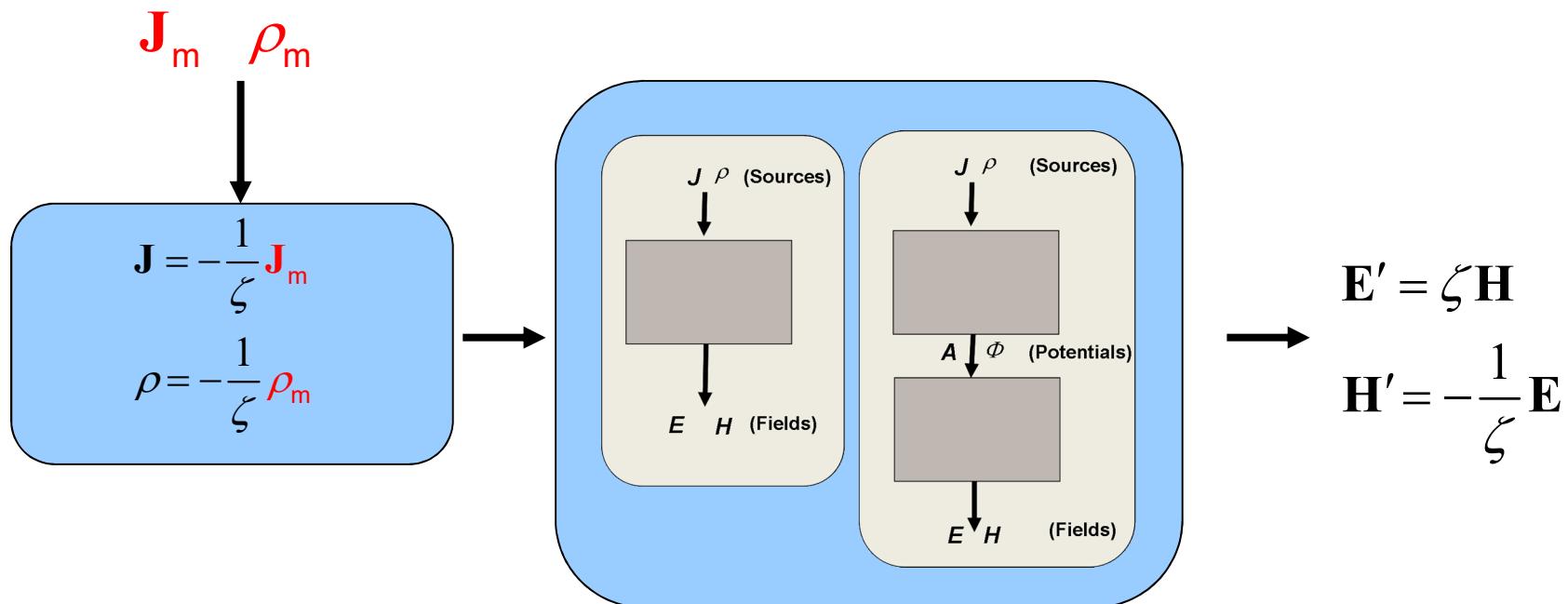
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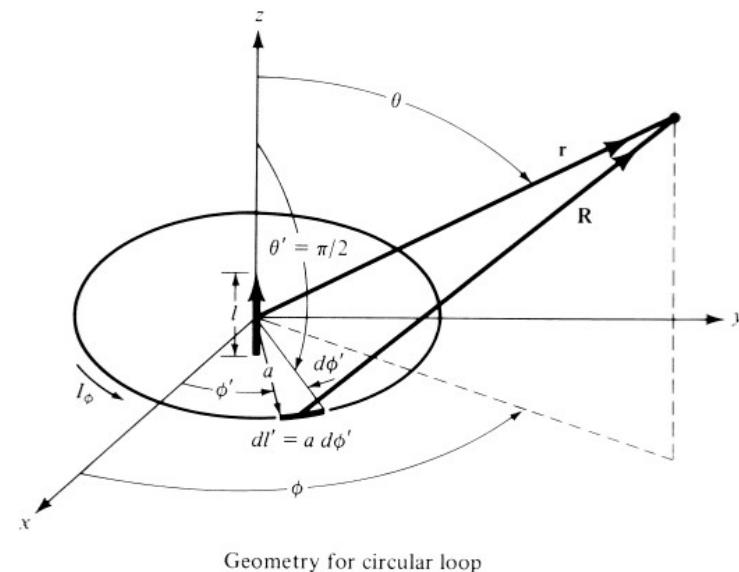


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## Ampere equivalence theorem

By invoking the Duality theorem it is possible to demonstrate that the small loop antenna is equivalent to an elementary magnetic dipole, provided that:

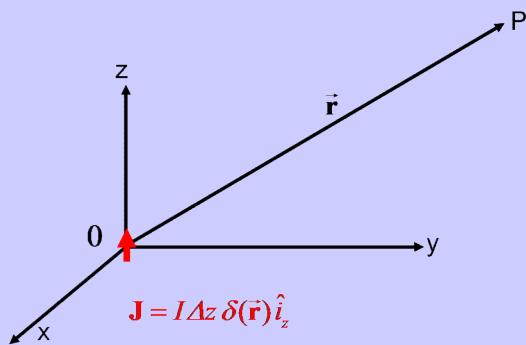
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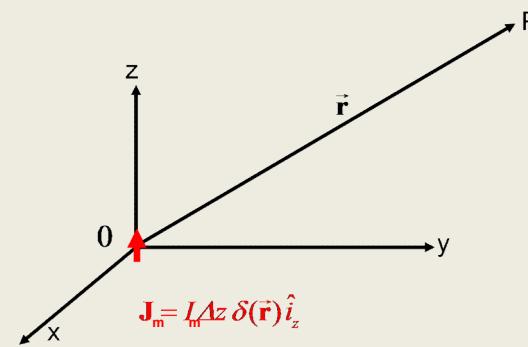
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