

# **Campi Elettromagnetici**

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# Color legend

New formulas, important considerations,  
important formulas, important concepts

Very important for the discussion

Memo

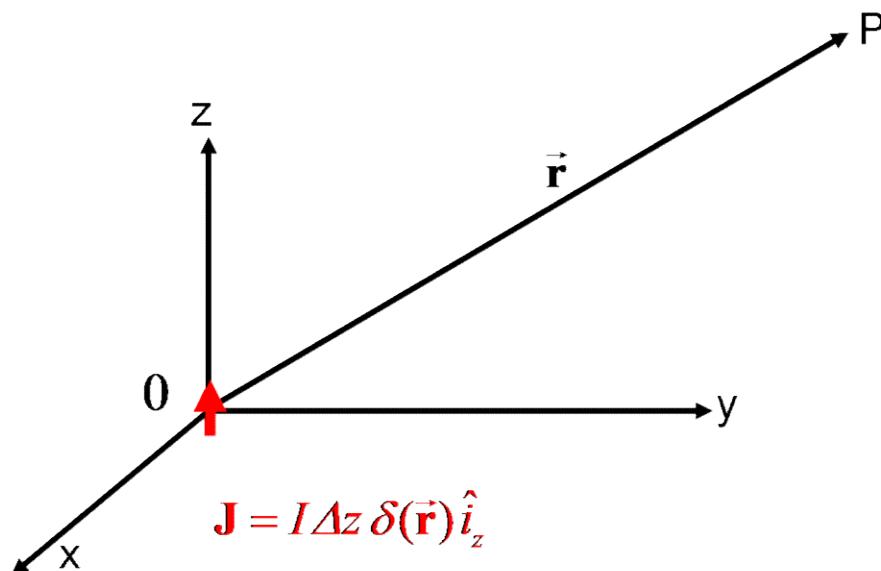
Mathematical tools to be exploited

Mathematics

# Elementary electrical dipole

- A  $\delta$ -source radiating element is also known as elementary electrical dipole.

$$\mathbf{J} = I \Delta z \delta(\vec{r}) \hat{i}_z = I \Delta z \delta(x) \delta(y) \delta(z) \hat{i}_z$$

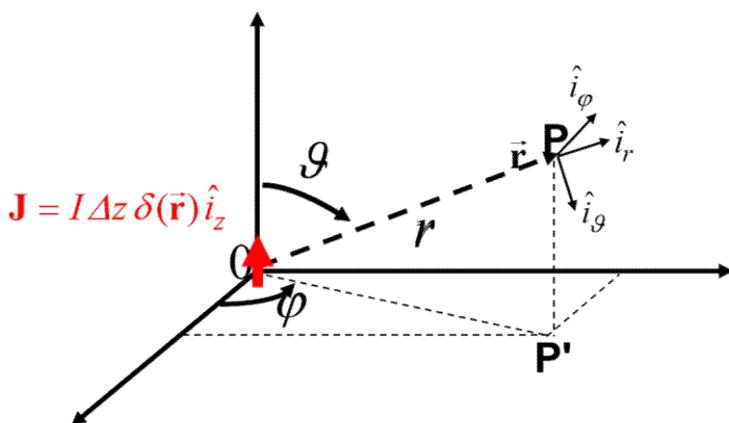


- Why are we interested in such a radiating element?
- Why is such a radiating element referred to as elementary electrical dipole?
- How can we physically approximate an elementary electrical dipole?

# Elementary electrical dipole: far field

The E.M. field radiated by the elementary electrical dipole

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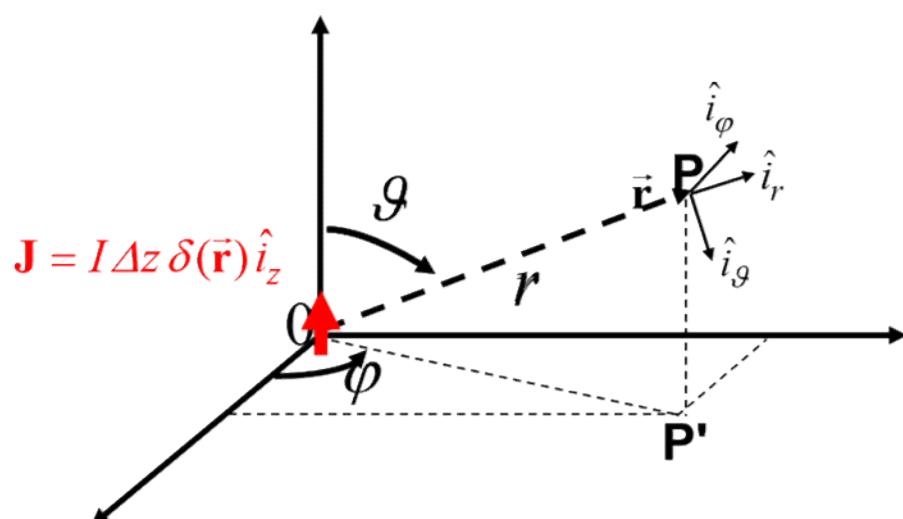
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$$dS = r^2 \sin \vartheta d\vartheta d\varphi$$

$$[\mathbf{E} \times \mathbf{H}^*] \cdot \hat{i}_r = \left[ (E_\vartheta \hat{i}_\vartheta + E_r \hat{i}_r) \times (H_\varphi^* \hat{i}_\varphi) \right] \cdot \hat{i}_r = E_\vartheta H_\varphi^* \hat{i}_r \cdot \hat{i}_r = E_\vartheta H_\varphi^*$$

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$$\left( \frac{j\beta}{r} + \frac{1}{r^2} + \frac{1}{j\beta r^3} \right) \left( \frac{-j\beta}{r} + \frac{1}{r^2} \right) = \left( \frac{\beta}{r} \right)^2 + \cancel{\frac{j\beta}{r^3}} - \cancel{\frac{j\beta}{r^3}} + \cancel{\frac{1}{r^4}} - \cancel{\frac{1}{r^4}} - j \frac{1}{\beta r^5} = \left( \frac{\beta}{r} \right)^2 - j \frac{1}{\beta r^5} = \frac{\beta^2}{r^2} \left[ 1 - j \frac{1}{(\beta r)^3} \right]$$

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- Note that in the far-field case only the first active power term exists and it does not depend on  $r$
- Note that the real part of the power, in lossless medium, is independent of  $r$ , therefore if one consider two different spherical surfaces one gets the same result. Only the so-called radiative terms contribute.
- The reactive part depends on  $r$ . Its sign is negative showing that there is an excess of stored electric energy in the neighbor of the electrical dipole (see Poynting's theorem)

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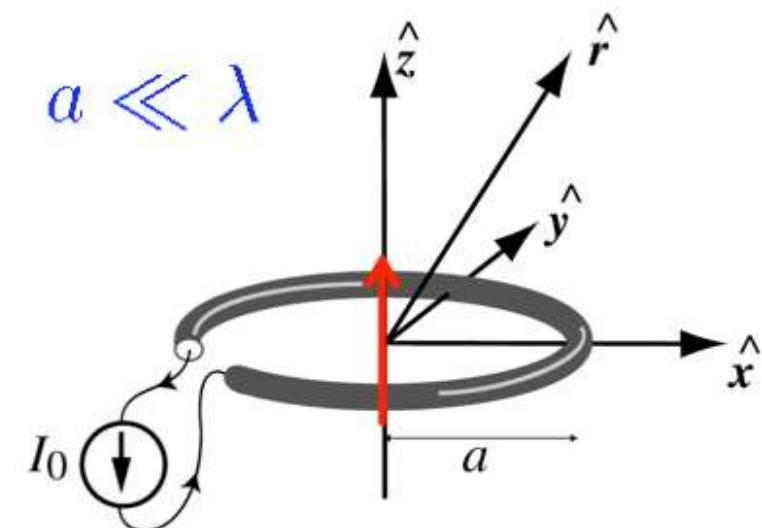
$$\int_0^\pi d\vartheta \sin^3 \vartheta = \int_0^\pi d\vartheta \sin \vartheta (1 - \cos^2 \vartheta) = \int_{-1}^1 dx (1 - x^2) = \left[ x - \frac{1}{3}x^3 \right]_{-1}^1 = \frac{4}{3}$$

$$x = \cos \vartheta$$

$$dx = -d\vartheta \sin \vartheta$$

# Small loop antenna

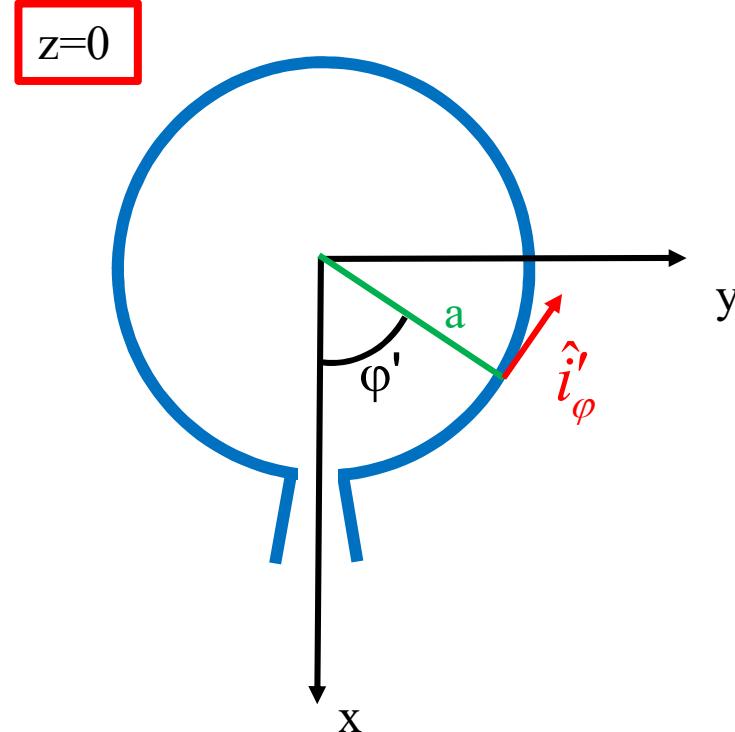
A simple and inexpensive antenna type is the loop antenna



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

# Small loop antenna

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



$\downarrow J$

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

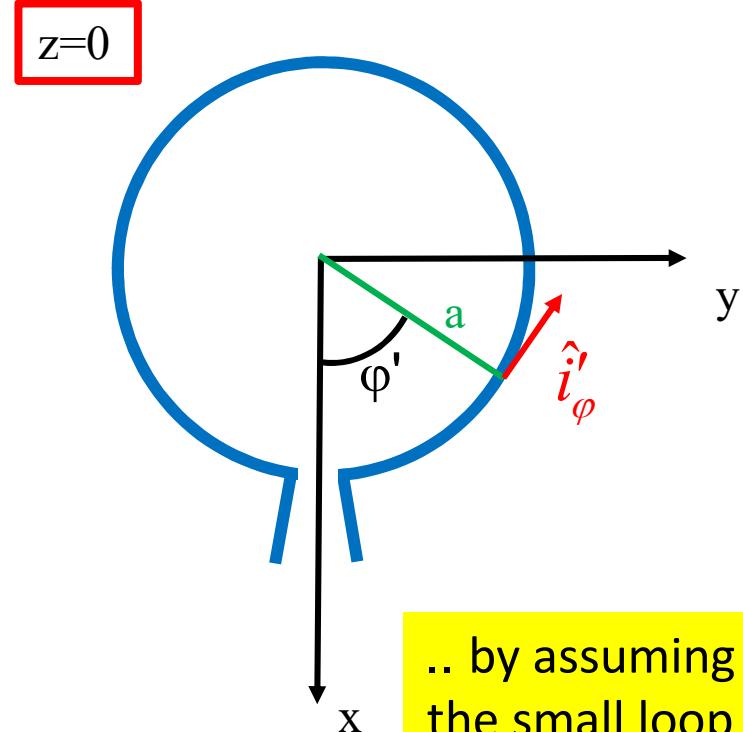
$$\mathbf{A}(\mathbf{r}) = \frac{\mu}{4\pi} \int \mathbf{J}(\mathbf{r}') \frac{e^{-jk|\mathbf{r}-\mathbf{r}'|}}{|\mathbf{r}-\mathbf{r}'|} d\mathbf{r}'$$

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

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$E$

$H$

.. 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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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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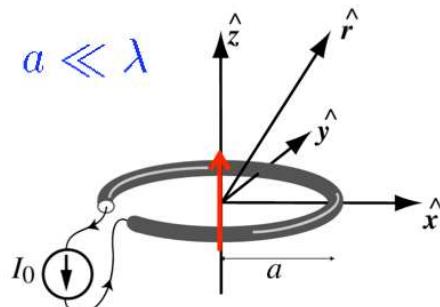
... for  $r \gg \lambda$  ( $\beta r \gg 1$ ) simplifies as

$$\begin{cases} H_r = 0 \\ H_\vartheta = -\frac{\beta \Delta s I}{2\lambda r} \sin \vartheta \exp(-j\beta r) = \frac{-E_\varphi}{\zeta} \\ E_\varphi = \frac{\zeta \beta \Delta s I}{2\lambda r} \sin \vartheta \exp(-j\beta r) \end{cases}$$

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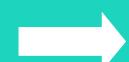
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