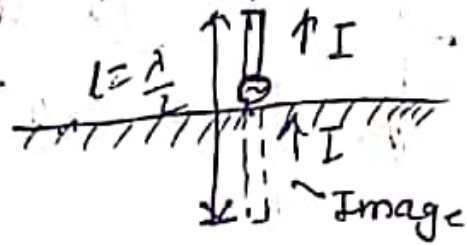


## → Quarter - wave Monopole Antenna

half of a half - wave dipole antenna

$$l = \frac{\lambda}{2}$$



$$P_{rad} = 18.28 I_0^2$$

$$R_{rad} = \frac{2 P_{rad}}{I_0^2}$$

$$R_{rad} = 36.5 \Omega$$

$$Z_{in} = 36.5 + j21.25 \Omega$$

(Ex. 13.2, 13.1)

### \* ANTENNA CHARACTERISTICS :-

- (a.) Antenna pattern, (b.) Radiation intensity, (c.) directive gain
- (d.) power gain.

### A. Antenna Patterns :-

When the amplitude of a specified component of the  $\vec{E}$  field is plotted, it is called the field pattern or voltage pattern.

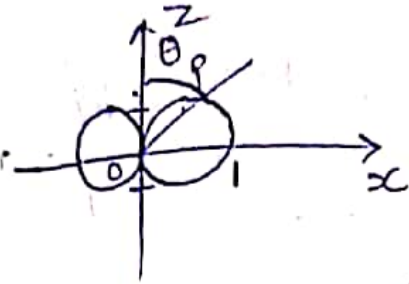
When square of  $\vec{E}$  field is plotted, it is called the power pattern.

$|E_s|$  vs  $\theta$  for a  $\phi = \text{const}^\circ$  - Vertical pattern

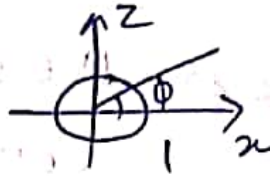
$|E_s|$  vs  $\phi$  for  $\theta = 90^\circ \Rightarrow$  H-pattern.

for Hertzian dipole

$$f(\theta) = |\sin\theta|$$



Vertical pattern



Horizontal pattern



3-D pattern

$f^2(\theta) = \sin^2\theta$  for power pattern.

An antenna pattern (or radiation pattern) is a three-dimensional plot of its radiation at far field.

B. Radiation Intensity :-

$$U(\theta, \phi) = r^2 \rho_{\text{ave}} \quad \text{--- (1)}$$

$$P_{\text{rad}} = \oint_S \rho_{\text{ave}} ds = \oint_S \rho_{\text{ave}} r^2 \sin\theta d\theta d\phi$$

$$= \oint_S U(\theta, \phi) \underbrace{\sin\theta d\theta d\phi}_{\text{diff solid angle (sr)}}$$

$$= \int_{\phi=0}^{2\pi} \int_{\theta=0}^{\pi} U(\theta, \phi) d\Omega$$

$$U_{ave} = \frac{P_{rad}}{4\pi}$$

c. Directive Gain :- The directive gain

$G_d(\theta, \phi)$  of an antenna is a measure of the concentration of the radiated power in a particular direction  $(\theta, \phi)$

$$G_d(\theta, \phi) = \frac{U(\theta, \phi)}{U_{ave}} = \frac{4\pi U(\theta, \phi)}{P_{rad}} \quad \text{--- (1)}$$

$$P_{ave} = \frac{G_d}{4\pi r^2} P_{rad} \quad \text{--- (2)}$$

It is ability of antenna to direct radiated power in a given direction.

For an isotropic antenna,  $G_d = 1$ .

Directivity :-  $D$  of an antenna is the ratio of the maximum radiation intensity to the average radiation intensity.

$$D = \frac{U_{max}}{U_{ave}} = G_{d \max} \quad \text{--- (3)}$$

$$\text{or } D = \frac{U_{max}}{\frac{P_{rad}}{4\pi}} = \frac{4\pi U_{max}}{P_{rad}} \quad \text{--- (4)}$$



for Hertzian dipole,

$$G_d(\theta, \phi) = 1.5 \sin^2 \theta, D = 1.5 \quad (4)$$

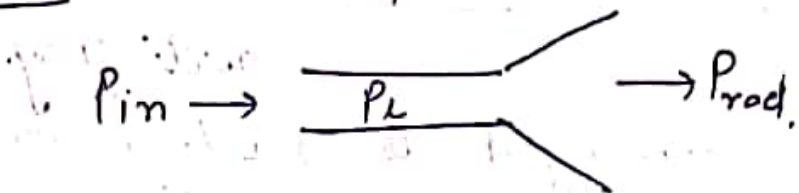
∴ the max. value of  $\sin^2 \theta = 1$  for the  $\frac{\lambda}{2}$  dipole.

$$G_d(\theta, \phi) = \frac{\eta}{\pi R_{rad}} f^2(\theta), D = 1.64 \quad (5)$$

$$\eta = 120\pi, R_{rad} = 73\Omega$$

$$f(\theta) = \frac{\cos\left(\frac{\pi}{2} \cos\theta\right)}{\sin\theta} \quad (7)$$

∴ Power Gain :-



$$P_{in} = P_L + P_{rad}$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} |I_{in}|^2 (R_L + R_{rad}) \quad (8)$$

$I_{in}$  = peak current

$R_L$  = ohmic resistance.

$$G_p(\theta, \phi) = \frac{4\pi U(\theta, \phi)}{P_{in}} \quad (9)$$

Radiation efficiency ( $\eta_r$ ) :- Ratio of the power gain in any specified direction  $(\theta, \phi)$  to directive gain in that direction.

$$\eta_r = \frac{G_p}{G_{d1}} = \frac{P_{rad}}{P_{in}}$$

$$\eta_r = \frac{P_{rad}}{P_{in}} = \frac{R_{rad}}{R_{rad} + R_e} \quad \text{--- (10)}$$

$$\left. \begin{aligned} D(\text{dB}) &= 10 \log_{10} D \\ G(\text{dB}) &= 10 \log_{10} G \end{aligned} \right\} \text{--- (11)}$$

$$r_{min} = \frac{2d^2}{\lambda}$$

$d = l$  for electric dipole antenna

$d = 2r_0$  small-loop antenna

Antenna Arrays :- It is a group of radiating elements arranged to produce particular radiation characteristics.

Consider two Hertzian dipoles placed in free space.

at  $(0, 0, \frac{d}{2})$

$$I_{1s} = I_0 \angle \alpha$$

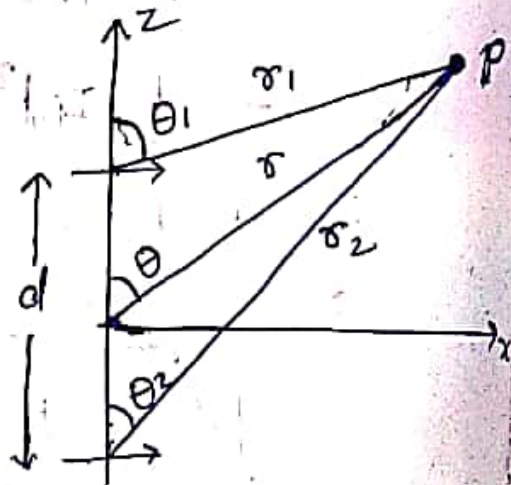
at  $(0, 0, -\frac{d}{2})$

$$I_{2s} = I_0 \angle 0$$

$\alpha =$  phase diff. b/w two currents

at P

$$E_s = E_{1s} + E_{2s}$$



$$= \frac{j\eta \beta I_0 d}{4\pi} \left[ \cos\theta_1 \frac{e^{-j\beta r_1}}{r_1} e^{j\alpha a_{\theta_1}} \hat{\rho}_1 + \cos\theta_2 \frac{e^{-j\beta r_2}}{r_2} e^{j\alpha a_{\theta_2}} \hat{\rho}_2 \right]$$

∴ P is far from the array

$$\theta_1 \approx \theta \approx \theta_2 \quad \& \quad a_{\theta_1} \approx a_{\theta} \approx a_{\theta_2}$$

$$r_1 \approx r \approx r_2 \quad (\text{in amplitude})$$

$$r_1 \approx r - \frac{d}{2} \cos\theta$$

$$r_2 \approx r + \frac{d}{2} \cos\theta \quad \left\{ \begin{array}{l} \text{in phase (3)} \end{array} \right.$$

$$E_s = \frac{j\eta \beta I_0 d}{4\pi r} \cos\theta e^{-j\beta r} e^{j\alpha/2} \left[ e^{j(\beta d \cos\theta)/2} + e^{-j(\beta d \cos\theta)/2} e^{-j\alpha/2} \right] \hat{\rho}_0$$

$$= \frac{j\eta \beta I_0 d}{4\pi r} \cos\theta e^{-j\beta r} e^{j\alpha/2} \left[ \frac{1}{2} (\beta d \cos\theta + \alpha) \right] \hat{\rho}_0$$

$$\boxed{AF = 2 \cos \left[ \frac{1}{2} (\beta d \cos\theta + \alpha) \right] e^{j\alpha/2}} \quad \text{--- (4) --- (5)}$$

the far field due to a two element array -

$$E(\text{total}) = (E \text{ due to single element at origin}) * (\text{array factor})$$

resultant pattern = unit pattern \* group pattern

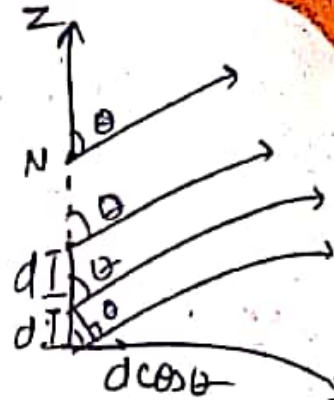
This is known as pattern multiplication --- (6)

Now for N-element array

$$I_{1s} = I_0 \cos\alpha, \quad I_{2s} = I_0 \cos 2\alpha, \quad I_{3s} = I_0 \cos 3\alpha \dots$$



for the uniform linear array



$$AF = 1 + e^{j\psi} + e^{2j\psi} + e^{3j\psi} + \dots + e^{j(N-1)\psi} \quad (7)$$

where  $\psi = \beta d \cos \theta + \alpha$  — (8)

$$\beta = \frac{2\pi}{\lambda}$$

∴  $1 + x + x^2 + x^3 + \dots + x^{N-1} = \frac{1-x^N}{1-x}$

$$AF = \frac{1 - e^{jN\psi}}{1 - e^{j\psi}} \quad (9)$$

$$AF = \frac{e^{jN\psi/2} - 1}{e^{j\psi/2} - 1} = \frac{e^{jN\psi/2} e^{jN\psi/2} - e^{-jN\psi/2}}{e^{j\psi/2} e^{j\psi/2} - e^{-j\psi/2}} \quad (10)$$

$$= \frac{e^{j(N-1)\psi/2} \sin(N\psi/2)}{\sin(\psi/2)} \quad (11)$$

$$|AF| = \left| \frac{\sin \frac{N\psi}{2}}{\sin \frac{\psi}{2}} \right|, \quad \psi = \beta d \cos \theta + \alpha \quad (12)$$

1. for principle max  $\psi = 0$

$$\beta d \cos \theta + \alpha \Rightarrow \cos \theta = \frac{-\alpha}{\beta d}$$

2. when  $|AF| = 0$ ,  $|AF|$  has nulls

$$\frac{N\psi}{2} = \pm k\pi$$

③  $\psi = 0, \theta = 90^\circ, \alpha = 0$  (broadside array)

4.  $\psi = 0, \theta = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ \pi \end{bmatrix}, \alpha = \begin{bmatrix} -\beta d \\ \beta d \end{bmatrix}$  (end fire array)