

Maxwell's Equations

James Clerk Maxwell 1831 - 1879.

~~Four~~

$$\nabla \cdot \vec{E} = \frac{\rho}{\epsilon_0}$$

$\epsilon_0 = 8.854 \times 10^{-12}$ permittivity constant

$$\nabla \cdot \vec{B} = 0$$

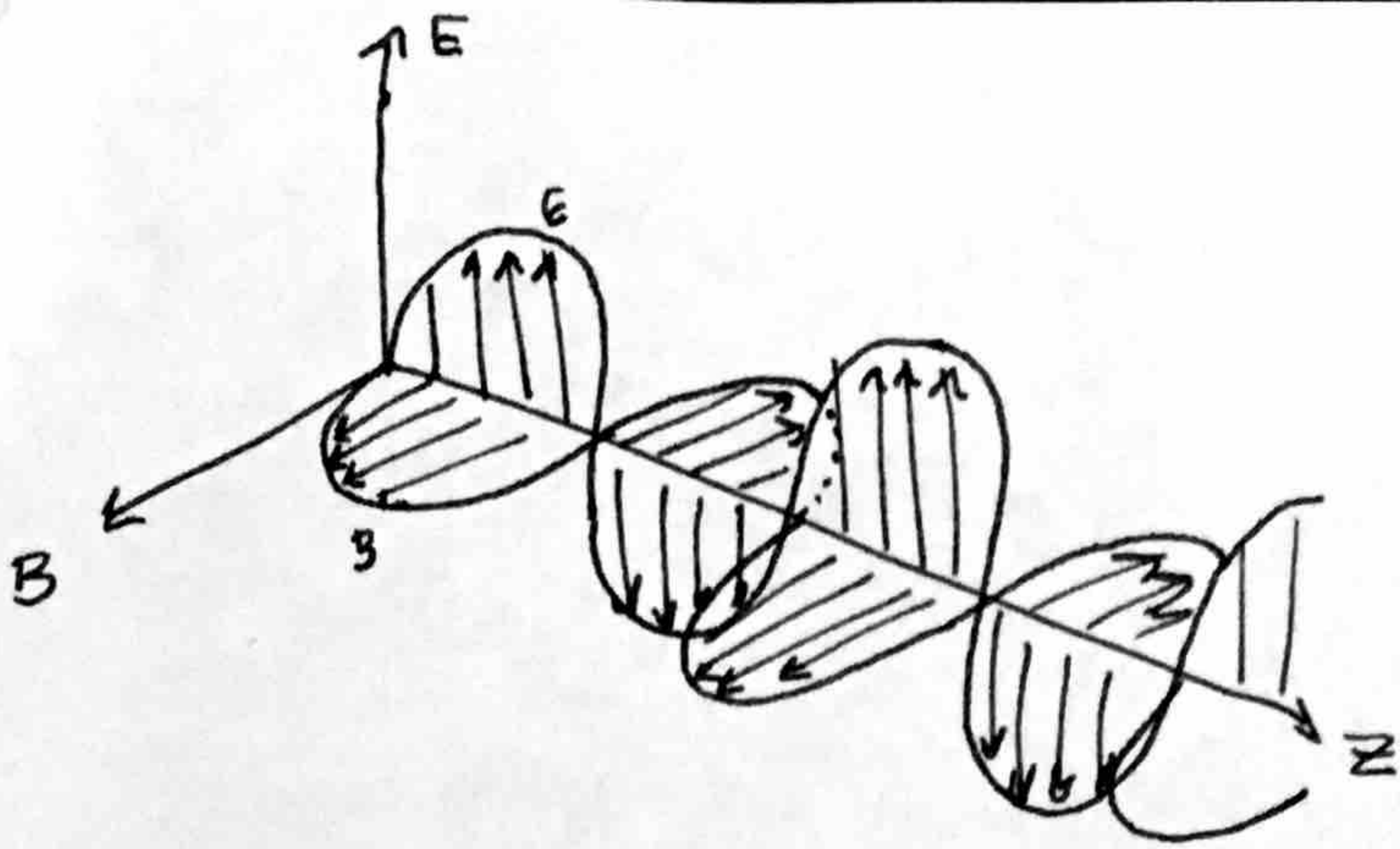
$\nabla = \left(\frac{\partial}{\partial x_1}, \dots, \frac{\partial}{\partial x_n} \right)$

$$\nabla \times \vec{E} = - \frac{\partial \vec{B}}{\partial t}$$

$$\nabla \times \vec{B} = \mu_0 \epsilon_0 \frac{\partial \vec{E}}{\partial t} + \mu_0 \vec{J}$$

Set of 4 basic PDE that form the foundation for our understanding of classical Electromagnetism.

- Electric/magnetic fields are related
 - generated by charges and currents.
 - Demonstrate how electric and magnetic fields propagate at speed of light



• Vector calculus has simplified these equations.

Gauss' Law $\nabla \cdot \mathbf{E} = \frac{\rho}{\epsilon_0}$

Electric flux leaving a volume is prop. to charge inside.

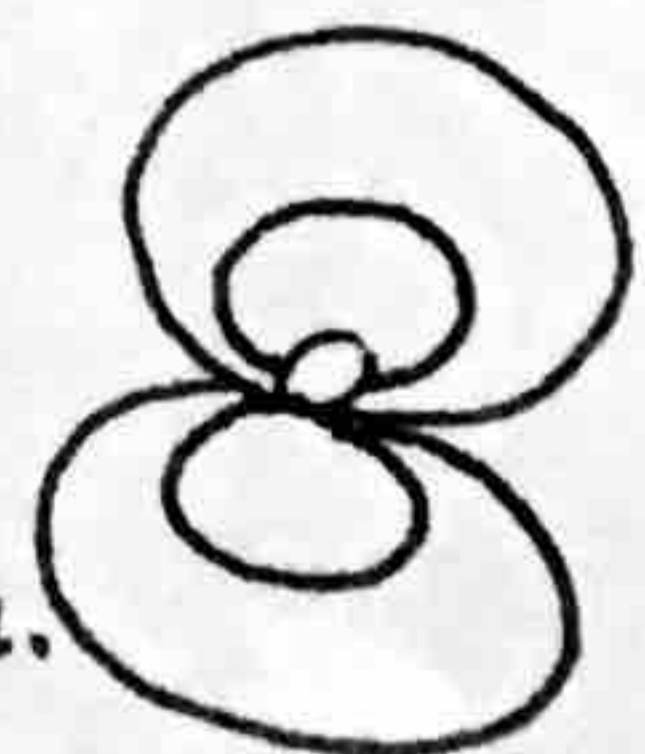
Have an electric charge sitting in a Gaussian surface, relates the electric flux to charge.

Gauss' Law Magnetism

$$\nabla \cdot \mathbf{B} = 0$$

- Essentially no magnetic monopoles.
- Magnetic fields only come in dipoles.
- Field lines form infinite loops.

• Magnetic field enters a volume must exit a volume, vice-versa.



• Magnetic flux through any Gaussian surface is zero

Gaussian Laws are about flux.

How the flow of electric or magnetic fields through a surface or volume ~~affects the area~~ is related to changes inside.

- Next ~~to~~ 2 equations ~~to~~ have to do w/ the phenomena of electromagnetic induction
- How electric/magnetic ~~fields~~ affect ~~electric and magnetic~~ each other as they move with time.

~~to~~ Faraday's Law of Induction (1831)

$$\nabla \times \vec{E} = -\frac{\partial \vec{B}}{\partial t}$$

describes how varying magnetic field creates, or "induces" magnetic

idea field

This basic ~~form~~ of electromagnetic radiation can be seen in simple electric generators

- general principle

rotating bar magnet magnet, "generates", induces electric field in wire.

Ampère's Law (with Maxwell's addition)

$$\nabla \times \vec{B} = \mu_0 \epsilon_0 \frac{\partial \vec{E}}{\partial t} + \mu_0 \vec{J} \quad \vec{J} = \text{total current per unit area.}$$

- States essentially the opposite.
- 1.) Magnetic fields can be induced by electric current

André-Marie Ampère (1823)
discovered

- relates integrated mag. field around a closed loop to the electric current passing through a loop.

2.) Maxwell's addition
around a closed loop
integrated magnetic fields can be induced by changing electric ~~current~~ fields

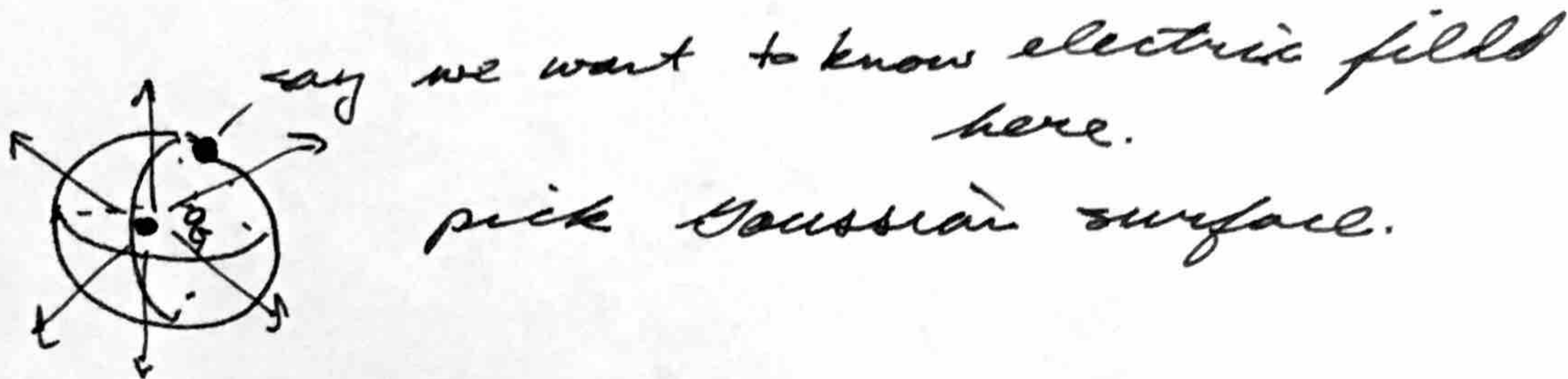
- This makes it mathematically consistent for non-static fields.

Example

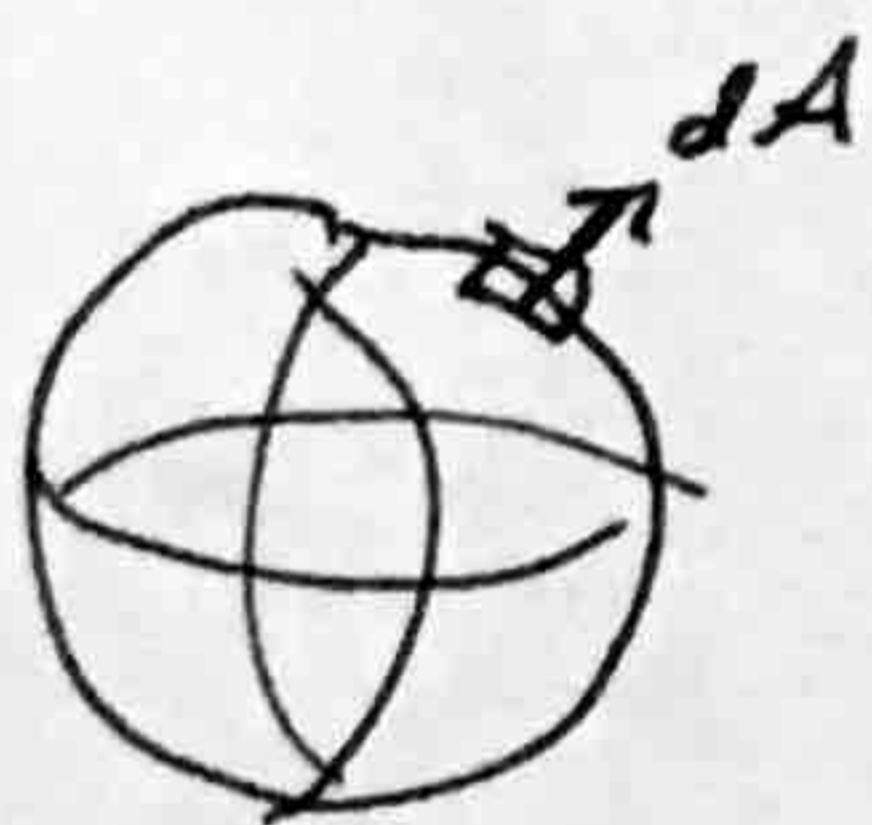
Gauss's Law

$$\nabla \cdot \vec{E} = \frac{\rho}{\epsilon_0}$$

$$\oint_{\mathcal{V}} \vec{E} \cdot d\vec{A} = \frac{\rho(\text{charge enclosed})}{\epsilon_0}$$



pick Gaussian surface.



dA ~~are~~ are always pointing in same direction, parallel

~~$$\oint \vec{E} \cdot d\vec{A} = \frac{\rho}{\epsilon_0}$$~~

$$\oint E dA = \frac{\rho}{\epsilon_0}$$

↓
dot
product
goes away

$$E(4\pi r^2) = \frac{\rho}{\epsilon_0}$$

$$E = \frac{1}{4\pi r^2} \frac{\rho}{\epsilon_0}$$

, coulomb's constant

$$E = \frac{k\rho}{r^2}$$