

OPTICS III

Derivations for Fresnel equations

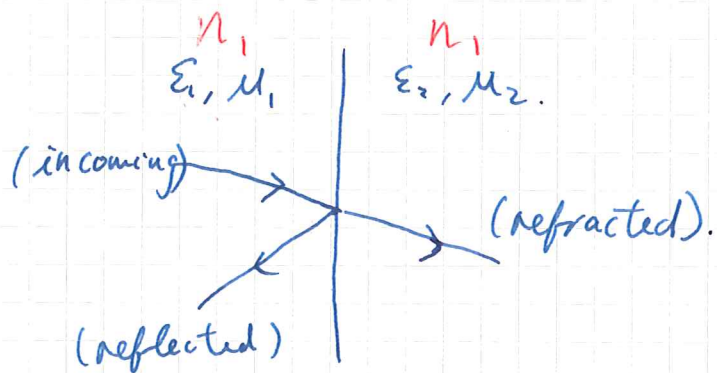


Fresnel Equations:

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Boundary Conditions:

Maxwell's equations must be satisfied at the interface as well as in the bulk materials.



$$\oint \vec{E} \cdot d\vec{A} = \Sigma q$$

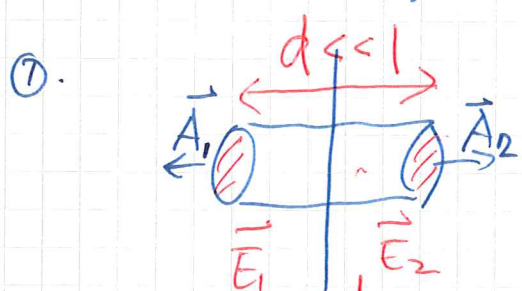
$$\oint \vec{E} \cdot d\vec{s}$$

$$\oint \epsilon \vec{E} \cdot d\vec{s} = \Sigma q = Q_{\text{enc}} \quad (\text{Gauss})$$

$$\oint \vec{E} \cdot d\vec{l} = -\frac{d}{dt} \iint \vec{B} \cdot d\vec{s} \quad (\text{Faraday})$$

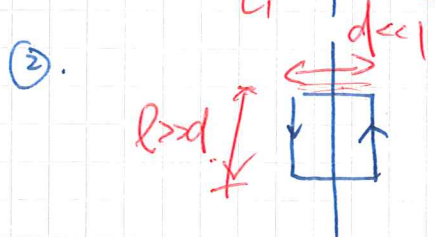
$$\oint \vec{B} \cdot d\vec{s} = 0 \quad (\text{Gauss})$$

$$\oint \frac{\vec{B}}{\mu} \cdot d\vec{l} = \iint \vec{J} \cdot d\vec{A} + \frac{d}{dt} \iint \vec{E} \cdot d\vec{s} \quad (\text{Ampere})$$



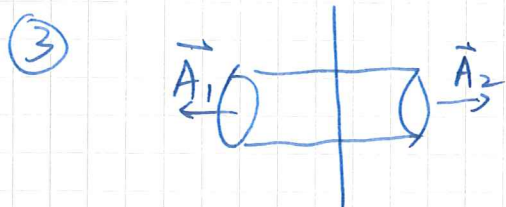
$$(\epsilon_2 \vec{E}_2 - \epsilon_1 \vec{E}_1) \cdot \vec{A} = 0 \quad \vec{E}_2 \cdot \vec{A}_2 + \vec{E}_1 \cdot \vec{A}_1$$

$$\Rightarrow \boxed{\epsilon_1 E_{1\perp} = \epsilon_2 E_{2\perp}} \quad \text{--- (1)}$$

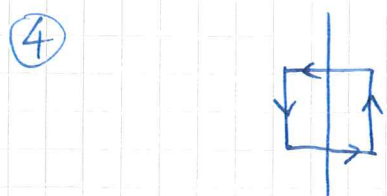


$$\oint \vec{E} \cdot d\vec{l} = (\vec{E}_2 - \vec{E}_1) \cdot \vec{l} = -\frac{d}{dt} \iint \vec{B} \cdot d\vec{s} = 0$$

$$\boxed{E_{2\parallel} = E_{1\parallel}} \quad \downarrow 0$$



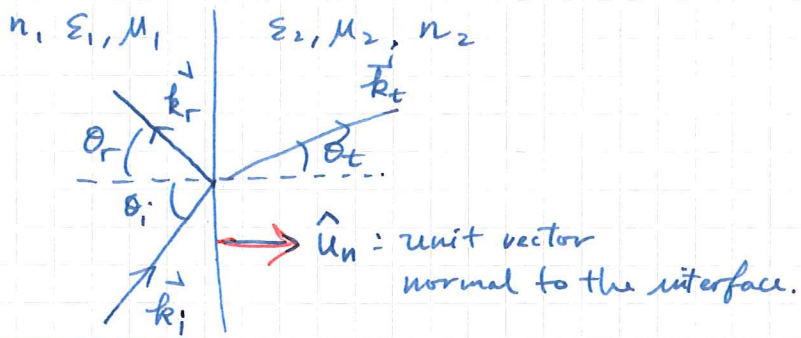
$$\boxed{B_{1\perp} = B_{2\perp}} \quad \text{--- (3)}$$



$$\left(\frac{\vec{B}_2}{\mu_2} - \frac{\vec{B}_1}{\mu_1} \right) \cdot \vec{l} = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \boxed{\frac{B_{1\parallel}}{\mu_1} = \frac{B_{2\parallel}}{\mu_2}}$$

Electromagnetic wave approach



$$\vec{E}_i(\vec{r}, t) = \vec{E}_{i0} \cos(\vec{k}_i \cdot \vec{r} - \omega_i t) \quad \frac{c}{n_i} = v_i = \frac{\omega_i}{k_i}, \quad n = \frac{c}{v}$$

$$\vec{E}_r(\vec{r}, t) = \vec{E}_{r0} \cos(\vec{k}_r \cdot \vec{r} - \omega_r t) \quad (\text{reflected})$$

$$\vec{E}_t(\vec{r}, t) = \vec{E}_{t0} \cos(\vec{k}_t \cdot \vec{r} - \omega_t t) \quad (\text{transmitted})$$

② ~~$E_{1,||} = E_{2,||}$~~

$$(\vec{E}_i + \vec{E}_r) \times \hat{u}_n = \vec{E}_t \times \hat{u}_n$$

$$\Rightarrow (\vec{E}_{i0} \times \hat{u}_n) \cos(\vec{k}_i \cdot \vec{r} - \omega_i t) + (\vec{E}_{r0} \times \hat{u}_n) \cos(\vec{k}_r \cdot \vec{r} - \omega_r t) = (\vec{E}_{t0} \times \hat{u}_n) \cos(\vec{k}_t \cdot \vec{r} - \omega_t t)$$

* This equation holds for all times and any pt. \vec{r} on the interface.

Remark: For a eqn:

$$a_2 x^2 + a_1 x + a_0 + b_2 y^2 + b_1 y = 0$$

is valid for all x and y , then $a_2 = a_1 = a_0 = b_2 = b_1 = 0$.

$$\Rightarrow \cos(\vec{k}_i \cdot \vec{r} - \omega_i t) = \cos(\vec{k}_r \cdot \vec{r} - \omega_r t) = \cos(\vec{k}_t \cdot \vec{r} - \omega_t t)$$

and $\vec{E}_{i0} \times \hat{u}_n + \vec{E}_{r0} \times \hat{u}_n = \vec{E}_{t0} \times \hat{u}_n$

$$\Rightarrow \omega_i = \omega_r = \omega_t \quad \& \quad \begin{cases} (\vec{k}_i - \vec{k}_r) \cdot \vec{r} |_{\text{interface}} = 0 \\ (\vec{k}_i - \vec{k}_t) \cdot \vec{r} |_{\text{interface}} = 0 \end{cases}$$

(N.B. $v = \frac{\omega}{k}$)

$\Rightarrow \vec{k}_i - \vec{k}_r$ and $\vec{k}_i - \vec{k}_t$ are parallel to \hat{u}_n .

$$\Rightarrow (\vec{k}_i - \vec{k}_r) \times \hat{u}_n = (\vec{k}_i - \vec{k}_t) \times \hat{u}_n = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow k_i \sin \theta_i = k_r \sin \theta_r$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{\omega_i}{v_i} \sin \theta_i = \frac{\omega_r}{v_r} \sin \theta_r \Rightarrow$$

$$\boxed{\theta_i = \theta_r} \quad (\text{law of Reflection})$$

On the other hand, $(\vec{k}_i - \vec{k}_t) \times \hat{n}_n = 0$

(3)

$$\Rightarrow k_i \sin \theta_i = k_t \sin \theta_t$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{\omega_i}{v_1} \sin \theta_i = \frac{\omega_t}{v_2} \sin \theta_t$$

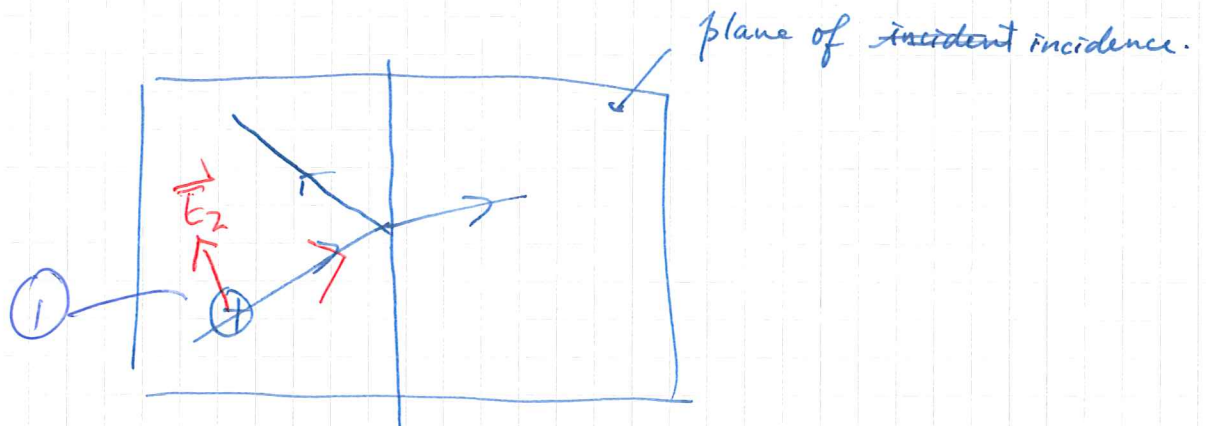
$$\Rightarrow \frac{c}{v_1} \sin \theta_i = \frac{c}{v_2} \sin \theta_t$$

$$\Rightarrow \boxed{n_1 \sin \theta_i = n_2 \sin \theta_t} \quad \text{Snell's law.}$$

* We can derive the laws by matching the B.C. at the interface.

Next, I want to solve \vec{E}_r, \vec{E}_t from \vec{E}_i by the B.C.s.

But they depend on the polarization of the incident light.



1) $\vec{E}_i \perp$ to the plane of incidence.

2) $\vec{E}_i \parallel$ to the plane of incidence

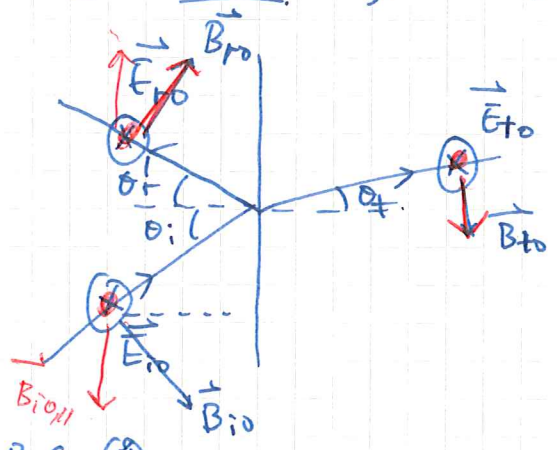
Case 1: $\vec{E}_i \perp$ to the plane-of-incidence.

Recall that $E_o = v B_o$ and $\vec{E}, \vec{B}, \vec{k}$ are orthogonal to each other.

$$\rightarrow \left. \begin{aligned} \vec{k} \times \vec{E} &= v \vec{B} \\ \vec{k} \cdot \vec{E} &= 0 \end{aligned} \right\}$$

Now, from B.C. ①: $\vec{E}_{oi} + \vec{E}_{ri} \quad \vec{E}_{to} + \vec{E}_{ro} = \vec{E}_{to}$.

We know that $\vec{E}_{ro}, \vec{E}_{to}$ are perpendicular to the plane-of-incidence by symmetry. We now assume they are parallel to \vec{E}_{io} i.e.



$$\boxed{\vec{E}_{io} + \vec{E}_{ro} = \vec{E}_{to}} \quad \text{--- (a)}$$

Next, we apply B.C. ②.

$$\frac{B_{||}}{n_1} = \frac{B_{||}}{n_2} \Rightarrow -\frac{B_{ro}}{n_1} \cos \theta_i + \frac{B_{ro}}{n_1} \cos \theta_r = -\frac{B_t \cos \theta_t}{n_2}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{v_1 n_1} (\vec{E}_{to} - \vec{E}_{io}) = \frac{1}{v_2 n_2} (\vec{E}_{io} - \vec{E}_{ro}) \cos \theta_i = \frac{1}{v_2 n_2} E_{to} \cos \theta_t$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{n_1}{n_2} (\vec{E}_{io} - \vec{E}_{ro}) \cos \theta_i = \frac{n_2}{n_2} E_{to} \cos \theta_t \quad \text{--- (b)}$$

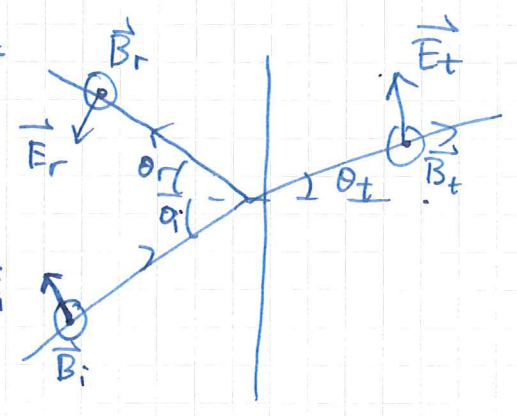
$$\begin{aligned} \text{amplitude of reflection coeff.} = r_{\perp} &= \frac{\vec{E}_{ro}}{\vec{E}_{io}} = \frac{\frac{n_1}{n_2} \cos \theta_i - \frac{n_2}{n_2} \cos \theta_t}{\frac{n_2}{n_2} \frac{n_1}{n_1} \cos \theta_i + \frac{n_2}{n_2} \cos \theta_t} \\ \text{amplitude transmission coefficient} = t_{\perp} &= \frac{\vec{E}_{to}}{\vec{E}_{io}} = \frac{2 \frac{n_1}{n_2} \cos \theta_i}{\frac{n_1}{n_2} \cos \theta_i + \frac{n_2}{n_2} \cos \theta_t} \end{aligned}$$

\vec{E} -field \perp to the plane-of-incidence.

Case 2: \vec{E} parallel to the plane-of-incidence.

B.C. 2 $\Rightarrow E_{1||} = E_{2||}$

$\Rightarrow E_{i0} \cos \theta_i - E_{r0} \cos \theta_r = E_{t0} \cos \theta_t$ — (C)



B.C. 4 $\Rightarrow \frac{B_{1||}}{\mu_1} = \frac{B_{2||}}{\mu_2}$

$\Rightarrow \frac{B_{i0}}{\mu_1} + \frac{B_{r0}}{\mu_1} = \frac{B_{t0}}{\mu_2}$

$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{v_1 \mu_1} (E_{i0} + E_{r0}) = \frac{1}{v_2 \mu_2} E_{t0}$ — (d)

$$r_{||} = \left(\frac{E_{r0}}{E_{i0}} \right)_{||} = \frac{\frac{n_2}{\mu_2} \cos \theta_t - \frac{n_1}{\mu_1} \cos \theta_i}{\frac{n_2}{\mu_2} \cos \theta_t + \frac{n_1}{\mu_1} \cos \theta_i}$$

$$t_{||} = \left(\frac{E_{t0}}{E_{i0}} \right)_{||} = \frac{2 n_1 \cos \theta_i}{\frac{n_1}{\mu_1} \cos \theta_t + \frac{n_2}{\mu_2}}$$

In most cases, we can assume $\mu_1 \approx \mu_2 \approx \mu_0$, and Snell's law.

$r_{\perp} = - \frac{\sin(\theta_i - \theta_t)}{\sin(\theta_i + \theta_t)}$

$t_{\perp} = \frac{2 \sin \theta_t \cos \theta_i}{\sin(\theta_i + \theta_t)}$

$r_{||} = \frac{\tan(\theta_i - \theta_t)}{\tan(\theta_i + \theta_t)}$ ←

$t_{||} = \frac{2 \sin \theta_t \cos \theta_i}{\sin(\theta_i + \theta_t) \cos(\theta_i - \theta_t)}$

Fresnel Equations

if $\theta_i + \theta_t = \frac{\pi}{2}$
 $r_{||} = 0$

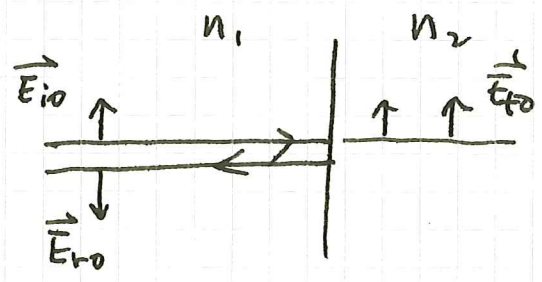
- These eqns are related to the specific field directions from which they were derived.

Some Appl Application.

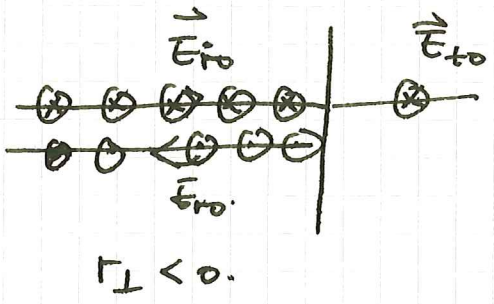
1) Normal incidence ($\theta_i = 0$).

Snell's law $\Rightarrow \theta_t = 0$.

$$\left. \begin{aligned} r_{\perp} &= \frac{n_1 - n_2}{n_1 + n_2}, & t_{\perp} &= \frac{2n_1}{n_1 + n_2} \\ r_{\parallel} &= \frac{n_2 - n_1}{n_2 + n_1}, & t_{\parallel} &= \frac{2n_1}{n_2 + n_1} \end{aligned} \right\} r_{\perp} = -r_{\parallel}$$



(E \parallel to plane of incidence)
 $n_2 > n_1$
 $(r_{\parallel} > 0) \quad E_{r,\parallel} > 0$

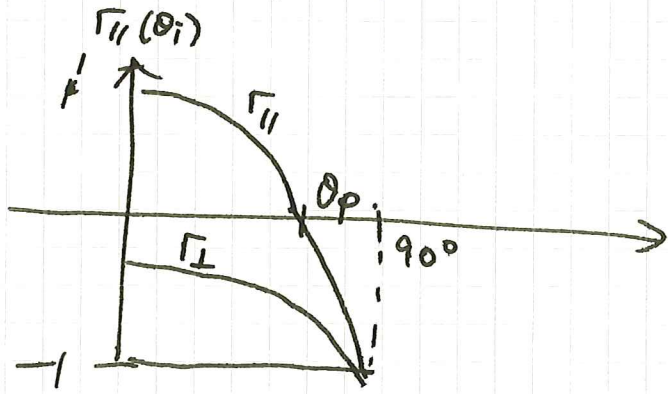


(E \perp to plane of incidence).
 $(r_{\perp} < 0)$

\Rightarrow The electric field is flipped after reflection if $n_2 > n_1$.

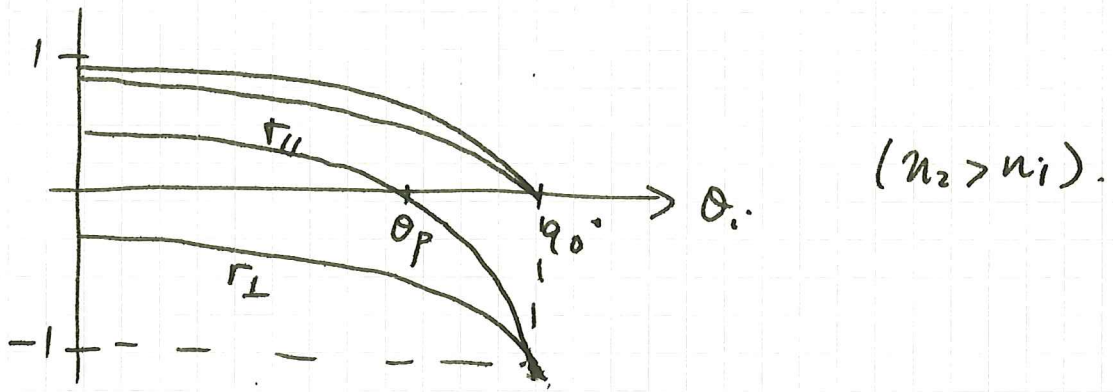
2) Brewster's law.

We consider $r_{\parallel}(\theta_i)$. At when $\theta_i + \theta_t = 90^\circ \Rightarrow r_{\parallel} = 0$.



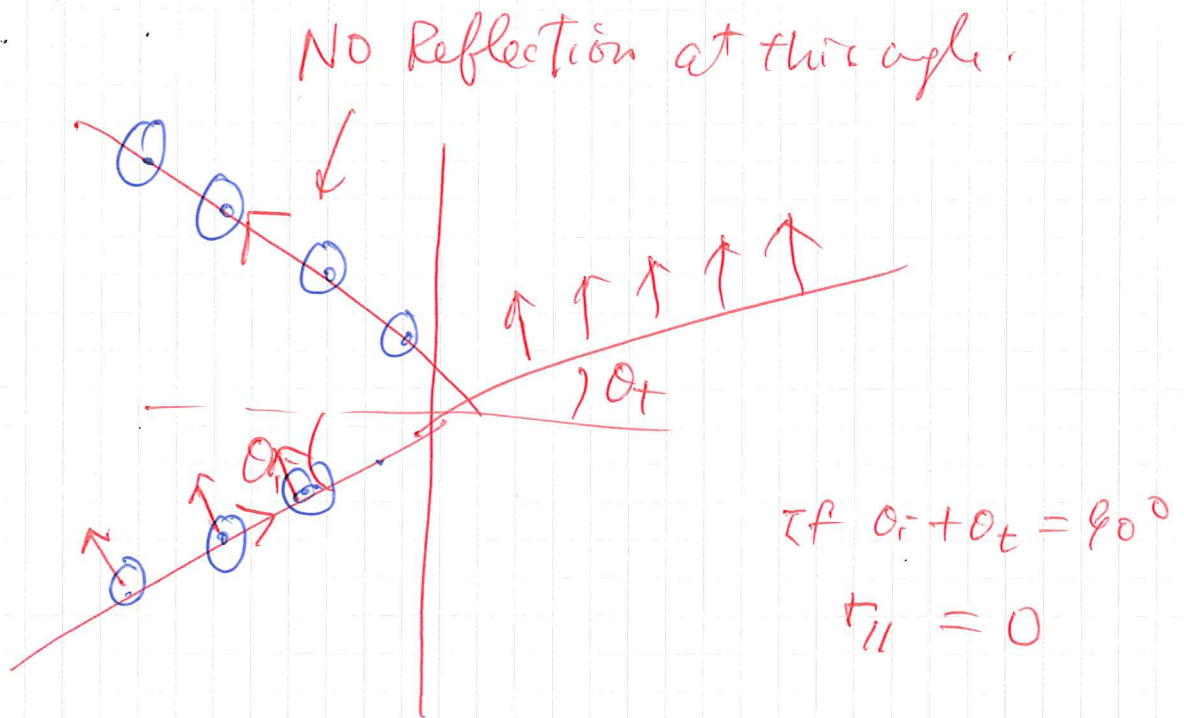
($n_2 > n_1$).

\Rightarrow There is NO reflection for EM which parallel to the incident plane.
 $\theta_i \Rightarrow$ All EM wave ~~can~~ will pass through the interface without any reflection (Brewster's law)



③. When $\theta_i = 90^\circ$, $|r_{\parallel}|, |r_{\perp}| \approx 1 \Rightarrow$ All lights are reflected.
 $r_{\parallel}, r_{\perp} \rightarrow -1$

• Hold the ~~book~~ slide near your eye and increasing θ_i , the amount of light reflected will increase and the slide will look like a perfect mirror as $\theta_i \rightarrow 90^\circ$.




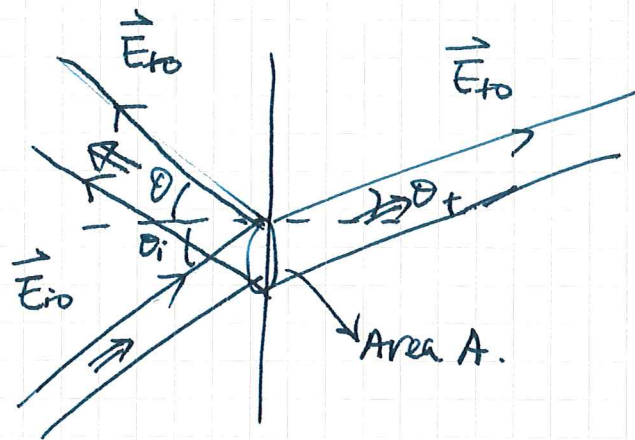
Reflectance and Transmittance

Recall that for a EM wave, the Poynting vector

$$\vec{S} = \frac{1}{\mu_0} \vec{E} \times \vec{B}$$

And the intensity $I = \langle S \rangle_{\text{time average}} = \frac{1}{2\mu_0} E_0^2 \cdot \frac{c\epsilon_0}{2} E_0^2$

 the average energy per unit time crossing a unit area normal to \vec{S} .



⇒ Area cross-sectional area (normal to the Poynting vectors) are $A \cos \theta_i$, $A \cos \theta_r$, $A \cos \theta_t$.

⇒ Incident Power = $I_i A \cos \theta_i = E_{i0}^2$
for incident beam

for reflected beam = $I_r A \cos \theta_r$

for transmitted beam = $I_t A \cos \theta_t$.

Reflectance $R \equiv \frac{I_r A \cos \theta_r}{I_i A \cos \theta_i} = \frac{I_r}{I_i} = \frac{E_{r0}^2}{E_{i0}^2} = r^2$

Transmittance $T = \frac{I_t \cos \theta_t}{I_i \cos \theta_i} = \frac{n_2 \cos \theta_t E_{t0}^2}{n_1 \cos \theta_i E_{i0}^2} = \left(\frac{n_2 \cos \theta_t}{n_1 \cos \theta_i} \right) t^2$

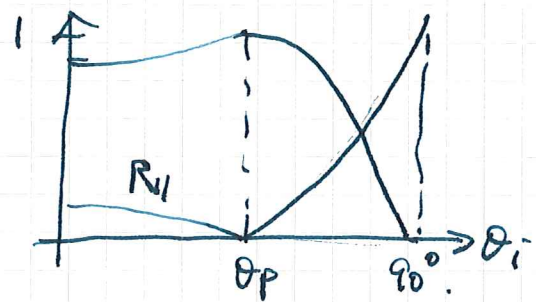
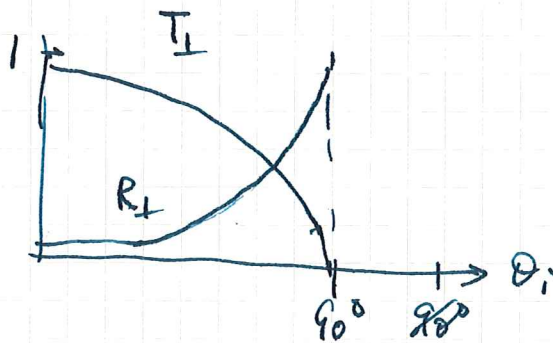
Energy conservation : Energy flowing into area $A =$ Energy flowing outward from it. (9)

$$I_i A \cos \theta_i = I_r A \cos \theta_r + I_t A \cos \theta_t$$

$$\Rightarrow n_i E_{i0}^2 \cos \theta_i = n_i E_{r0}^2 \cos \theta_i + n_t E_{t0}^2 \cos \theta_t$$

$$\Rightarrow 1 = \frac{E_{r0}^2}{E_{i0}^2} + \frac{n_t E_{t0}^2 \cos \theta_t}{n_i E_{i0}^2 \cos \theta_i}$$

$$\Rightarrow \boxed{1 = R + T}$$



At normal incidence, the reflectance is very small