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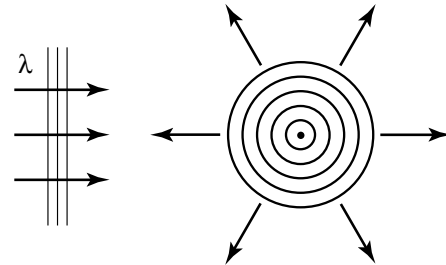
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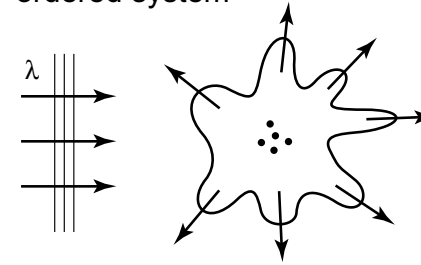


Scattering, Diffraction, and Refraction

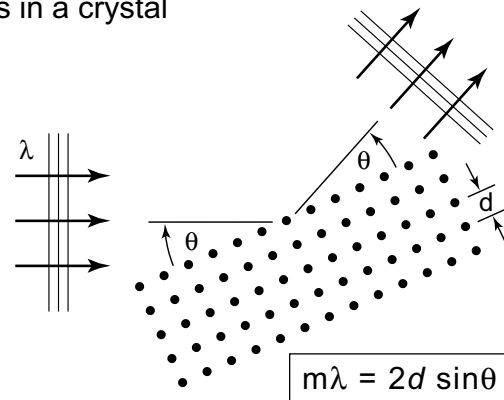
(a) Isotropic scattering from a point object



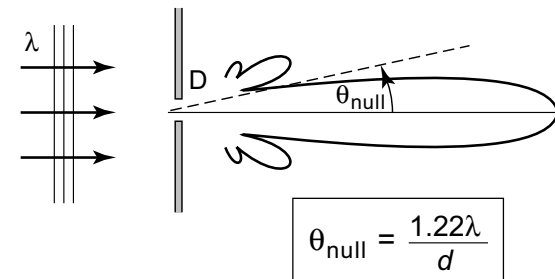
(b) Non-isotropic scattering from a partially ordered system



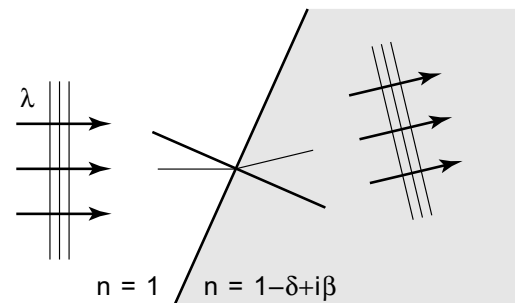
(c) Diffraction by an ordered array of atoms, as in a crystal



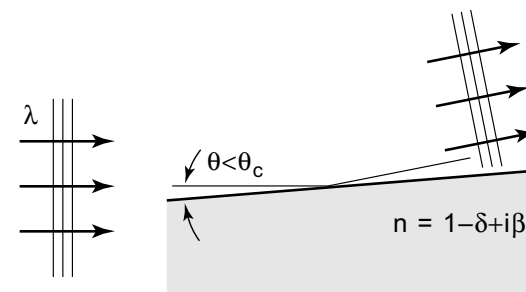
(d) Diffraction from a well-defined geometric structure, such as a pinhole



(e) Refraction at an interface



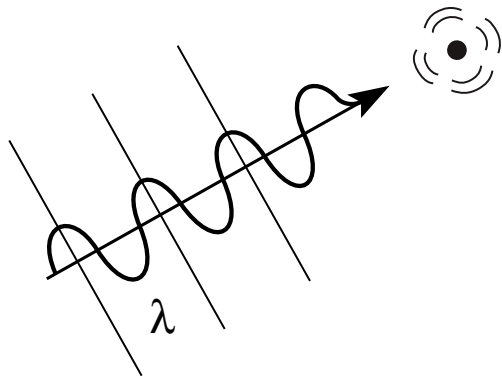
(f) Total external reflection



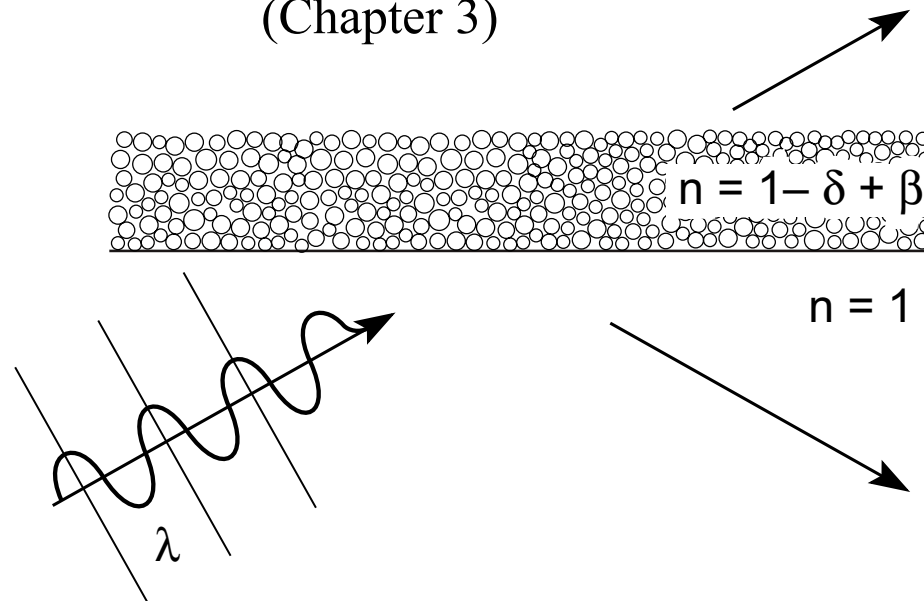


Scattering, Refraction, and Reflection

Single scatterer,
electron or atom,
in vacuum.
(Chapter 2)



Many atoms, each
with many electrons,
constituting a “material”.
(Chapter 3)



- How are scattering, refraction, and reflection related?
- How do these differ for amorphous and ordered (crystalline) materials?
- What is the role of forward scattering?



Maxwell's Equations



Wave Equation

(in vacuum)
(Chapter 2)

Radiation by a single electron (“dipole radiation”)

Scattering cross-sections

Scattering by a free electron (“Thomson scattering”)

Scattering by a single bound electron (“Rayleigh scattering”)

Scattering by a multi-electron atom

Atomic “scattering factors”, f_0' and f_0''

(in a material)
(Chapter 3)

Refractive index with many atoms present

Role of forward scattering

Contributions to refractive index by bound electrons

Refractive index for soft x-rays and EUV

$$n = 1 - \delta + i\beta \quad (\delta, \beta \ll 1)$$

$$\begin{array}{cc} \downarrow & \downarrow \\ f_0' & f_0'' \end{array}$$

Determining f_0' and f_0'' ; measurements and Kramers-Kronig

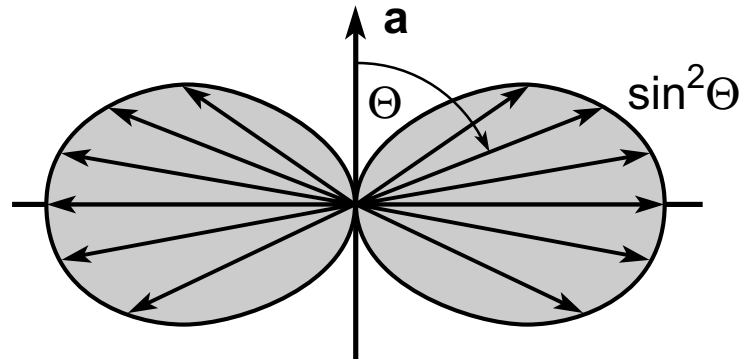
Total external reflection

Reflectivity vs. angle

Brewster's angle



Radiation by an Accelerated Charge: Scattering by Free and Bound Electrons



$$\frac{dP}{d\Omega} = \frac{e^2 |\mathbf{a}|^2 \sin^2 \Theta}{16\pi^2 \epsilon_0 c^3} \quad (2.34)$$

$$r_e = \frac{e^2}{4\pi \epsilon_0 m c^2} \quad (2.44)$$

$$\sigma_e = \frac{8\pi}{3} r_e^2 \quad (2.45)$$

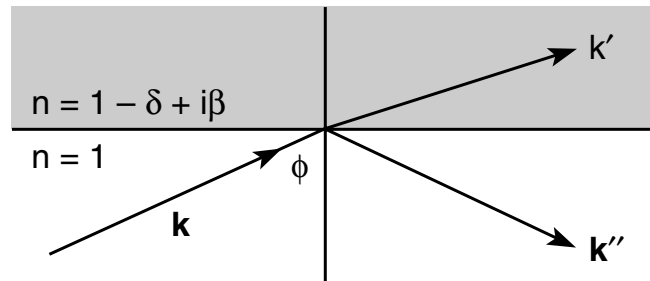
$$\sigma = \frac{8\pi}{3} r_e^2 \frac{\omega^4}{(\omega^2 - \omega_s^2)^2 + (\gamma \omega)^2} \quad (2.51)$$

$$f(\Delta \mathbf{k}, \omega) = \sum_{s=1}^Z \frac{\omega^2 e^{-i \Delta \mathbf{k} \cdot \Delta \mathbf{r}_s}}{\omega^2 - \omega_s^2 + i \gamma \omega} \quad (2.66)$$

$$f^0(\omega) = \sum_{s=1}^Z \frac{\omega^2}{\omega^2 - \omega_s^2 + i \gamma \omega} \quad (2.72)$$



WAVE PROPAGATION AND REFRACTIVE INDEX AT EUV AND SOFT X-RAY WAVELENGTHS



$$n(\omega) = 1 - \frac{n_a r_e \lambda^2}{2\pi} (f_1^0 - i f_2^0) \quad (3.9)$$

$$n(\omega) = 1 - \delta + i\beta \quad (3.12)$$

$$l_{\text{abs}} = \frac{\lambda}{4\pi\beta} \quad (3.22)$$

$$\sigma_{\text{abs.}} = 2r_e \lambda f_2^0(\omega) \quad (3.28)$$

$$\Delta\phi = \left(\frac{2\pi\delta}{\lambda} \right) \Delta r \quad (3.29)$$

$$\theta_c = \sqrt{2\delta} \quad (3.41)$$

$$R_{s,\perp} \simeq \frac{\delta^2 + \beta^2}{4} \quad (3.50)$$

$$\phi_B \simeq \frac{\pi}{4} - \frac{\delta}{2} \quad (3.60)$$



Maxwell's Equations and the Wave Equation

Maxwell's equations:

$$\nabla \times \mathbf{H} = \frac{\partial \mathbf{D}}{\partial t} + \mathbf{J} \quad (\text{Ampere's law}) \quad (2.1) \quad , \quad \mathbf{J} = -\text{env} \quad (2.10)$$

$$\nabla \times \mathbf{E} = -\frac{\partial \mathbf{B}}{\partial t} \quad (\text{Faraday's law}) \quad (2.2)$$

$$\nabla \cdot \mathbf{B} = 0 \quad (2.3)$$

$$\nabla \cdot \mathbf{D} = \rho \quad (\text{Coulomb's law}) \quad (2.4)$$

$$\mathbf{D} = \epsilon_0 \mathbf{E} \quad (2.5)$$

$$\mathbf{B} = \mu_0 \mathbf{H} \quad (2.6)$$

The transverse wave equation:

$$\left(\frac{\partial^2}{\partial t^2} - c^2 \nabla^2 \right) \mathbf{E}_T(\mathbf{r}, t) = -\frac{1}{\epsilon_0} \frac{\partial \mathbf{J}_T(\mathbf{r}, t)}{\partial t} \quad (3.1)$$



The Wave Equation

From Maxwell's Equations, take the curl of equation 2.2

$$\nabla \times \left[\nabla \times \mathbf{E} = -\frac{\partial \mathbf{B}}{\partial t} \right] \quad (2.2)$$

and use the vector identity from Appendix D.1, pg. 440,

$$\nabla \times (\nabla \times \mathbf{A}) = \nabla(\nabla \cdot \mathbf{A}) - \nabla^2 \mathbf{A} \quad (D.7)$$

to form the Wave Equation

$$\left(\frac{\partial^2}{\partial t^2} - c^2 \nabla^2 \right) \mathbf{E}(\mathbf{r}, t) = -\frac{1}{\epsilon_0} \left[\frac{\partial \mathbf{J}(\mathbf{r}, t)}{\partial t} + c^2 \nabla \rho(\mathbf{r}, t) \right] \quad (2.7)$$

where

$$c \equiv \frac{1}{\sqrt{\epsilon_0 \mu_0}} \quad (2.8)$$

where $\mathbf{J}(\mathbf{r}, t)$ is the current density in vacuum and ρ is the charge density:

$$\mathbf{J}(\mathbf{r}, t) = qn(\mathbf{r}, t)\mathbf{v}(\mathbf{r}, t) \quad (2.10)$$

For transverse waves the Wave Equation reduces to

$$\left(\frac{\partial^2}{\partial t^2} - c^2 \nabla^2 \right) \mathbf{E}_T(\mathbf{r}, t) = -\frac{1}{\epsilon_0} \frac{\partial \mathbf{J}_T(\mathbf{r}, t)}{\partial t} \quad (3.1)$$



Relationships Among \mathbf{E} , \mathbf{H} and \mathbf{S} for a Plane Wave in Vacuum

Among \mathbf{E} and \mathbf{H} , take $\nabla \times \mathbf{E}(\mathbf{r}, t) = -\frac{\partial \mathbf{B}(\mathbf{r}, t)}{\partial t}$, with $\mathbf{B} = \mu_0 \mathbf{H}$ in vacuum to obtain

$$\nabla \times \mathbf{E} = -\mu_0 \frac{\partial \mathbf{H}}{\partial t}$$

Write \mathbf{E} and \mathbf{H} , in terms of Fourier representations

$$\mathbf{E}(\mathbf{r}, t) = \iint_{\mathbf{k}\omega} \mathbf{E}_{\mathbf{k}\omega} e^{-i(\omega t - \mathbf{k} \cdot \mathbf{r})} \frac{d\omega d\mathbf{k}}{(2\pi)^4} \quad \text{and} \quad \mathbf{H}(\mathbf{r}, t) = \iint_{\mathbf{k}\omega} \mathbf{H}_{\mathbf{k}\omega} e^{-i(\omega t - \mathbf{k} \cdot \mathbf{r})} \frac{d\omega d\mathbf{k}}{(2\pi)^4}$$

The ∇ and $\partial/\partial t$ operates on the fields become algebraic multipliers on the Fourier-Laplace coefficients $\mathbf{E}_{\mathbf{k}\omega}$ and $\mathbf{H}_{\mathbf{k}\omega}$

$$\mathbf{H}_{\mathbf{k}\omega} = \sqrt{\frac{\epsilon_0}{\mu_0}} \mathbf{k}_0 \times \mathbf{E}_{\mathbf{k}\omega}$$

using the inverse transforms

$$\mathbf{H}(\mathbf{r}, t) = \sqrt{\frac{\epsilon_0}{\mu_0}} \mathbf{k}_0 \times \mathbf{E}(\mathbf{r}, t) \quad (2.29)$$

and

$$\mathbf{S}(\mathbf{r}, t) = \sqrt{\frac{\epsilon_0}{\mu_0}} |\mathbf{E}|^2 \mathbf{k}_0 \quad (2.31)$$



Electric Field Radiated by an Accelerated Charge

Inverting eq. (3.1) in \mathbf{k} , ω - space

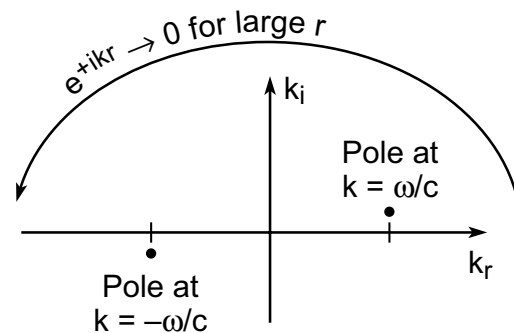
$$\mathbf{E}(\mathbf{r}, t) = \int_{\mathbf{k}} \int_{\omega} \left(-\frac{i\omega}{\epsilon_0} \right) \frac{\mathbf{J}_{T_{k\omega}} e^{-i(\omega t - \mathbf{k} \cdot \mathbf{r})}}{(\omega^2 - k^2 c^2)} \frac{d\omega d\mathbf{k}}{(2\pi)^4} \quad (2.19)$$

Where now for an accelerated electron

$$\mathbf{J}_{T_{k\omega}} = -e \mathbf{v}_T(\omega) \quad (2.21)$$

Then

$$\mathbf{E}(\mathbf{r}, t) = \frac{ie}{\epsilon_0} \int_{\mathbf{k}} \int_{\omega} \frac{\omega \mathbf{v}_T(\omega) e^{-i(\omega t - \mathbf{k} \cdot \mathbf{r})}}{\omega^2 - k^2 c^2} \frac{d\omega d\mathbf{k}}{(2\pi)^4} \quad (2.22)$$



$$\mathbf{E}(\mathbf{r}, t) = \frac{e}{4\pi\epsilon_0 c^2 r} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} (-i\omega) \mathbf{v}_T(\omega) e^{-i\omega(t-r/c)} \frac{d\omega}{2\pi} \quad (2.24)$$

$$\mathbf{E}(\mathbf{r}, t) = \frac{e}{4\pi\epsilon_0 c^2 r} \frac{d\mathbf{v}_T(t - r/c)}{dt}$$

or

$$\boxed{\mathbf{E}(\mathbf{r}, t) = \frac{e \mathbf{a}_T(t - r/c)}{4\pi\epsilon_0 c^2 r}} \quad (2.25)$$



Power Radiated by an Accelerated Point Charge

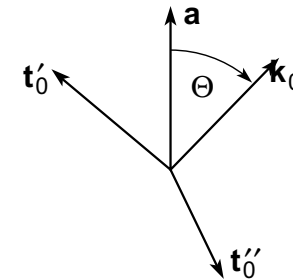
Combining $\mathbf{E}(\mathbf{r}, t) = \frac{e\mathbf{a}_T(t - r/c)}{4\pi\epsilon_0 c^2 r}$ (2.25) and $\mathbf{S}(\mathbf{r}, t) = \sqrt{\frac{\epsilon_0}{\mu_0}} |\mathbf{E}|^2 \mathbf{k}_0$ (2.31)

one obtains the *instantaneous power per unit area* radiated by an accelerated electron

$$\mathbf{S}(\mathbf{r}, t) = \frac{e^2 |\mathbf{a}_T|^2}{16\pi^2 \epsilon_0 c^3 r^2} \mathbf{k}_0 \quad (2.32) \quad \begin{cases} \mathbf{k}_0, \text{ propagation direction} \\ |\mathbf{a}_T| = |\mathbf{a}| \sin \Theta \end{cases}$$

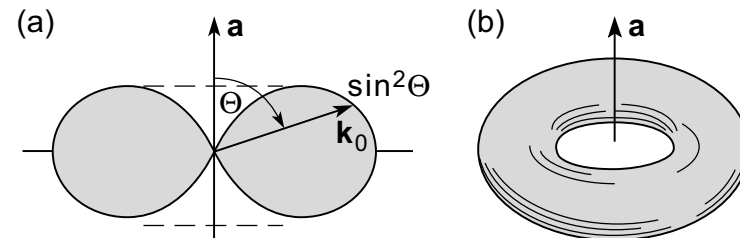
For an angle Θ between the direction of acceleration, \mathbf{a} , and the observation direction, \mathbf{k}_0 , the instantaneous power per unit area is

$$\mathbf{S}(\mathbf{r}, t) = \frac{e^2 |\mathbf{a}|^2 \sin^2 \Theta}{16\pi^2 \epsilon_0 c^3 r^2} \mathbf{k}_0 \quad (2.33)$$



Noting that $\mathbf{S} = (dP/dA)\mathbf{k}_0$ and $dA = r^2 d\Omega$, one obtains the power per unit solid angle

$$\boxed{\frac{dP}{d\Omega} = \frac{e^2 |\mathbf{a}|^2 \sin^2 \Theta}{16\pi^2 \epsilon_0 c^3}} \quad (2.34)$$



the well known “donut-shaped” radiation pattern characteristic of a radiator whose size is much smaller than the wavelength (“dipole radiation”).



Total Power Radiated by an Accelerated Point Charge

The total power radiated, P , is determined by integrating \mathbf{S} over the area of a distant sphere:

$$P = \int\int_{\text{area}} \mathbf{S} \cdot d\mathbf{A} = \int\int_{\text{solid angle}} \mathbf{S} \cdot (r^2 d\Omega \mathbf{k}_0) \quad (2.35)$$

where for $0 \leq \Theta \leq \pi$ and $0 \leq \phi \leq 2\pi$ we have $d\Omega = \sin \Theta d\Theta d\phi$, thus

$$P = \int\int \left[\frac{e^2 |\mathbf{a}|^2 \sin^2 \Theta}{16\pi^2 \epsilon_0 c^3 r^2} \mathbf{k}_0 \right] \cdot r^2 \sin \Theta d\Theta d\phi \mathbf{k}_0$$

Thus the *instantaneous power radiated* to all angles by an oscillating electron of acceleration a is

$$P = \frac{8\pi}{3} \left(\frac{e^2 |\mathbf{a}|^2}{16\pi^2 \epsilon_0 c^3} \right) \quad (2.36)$$

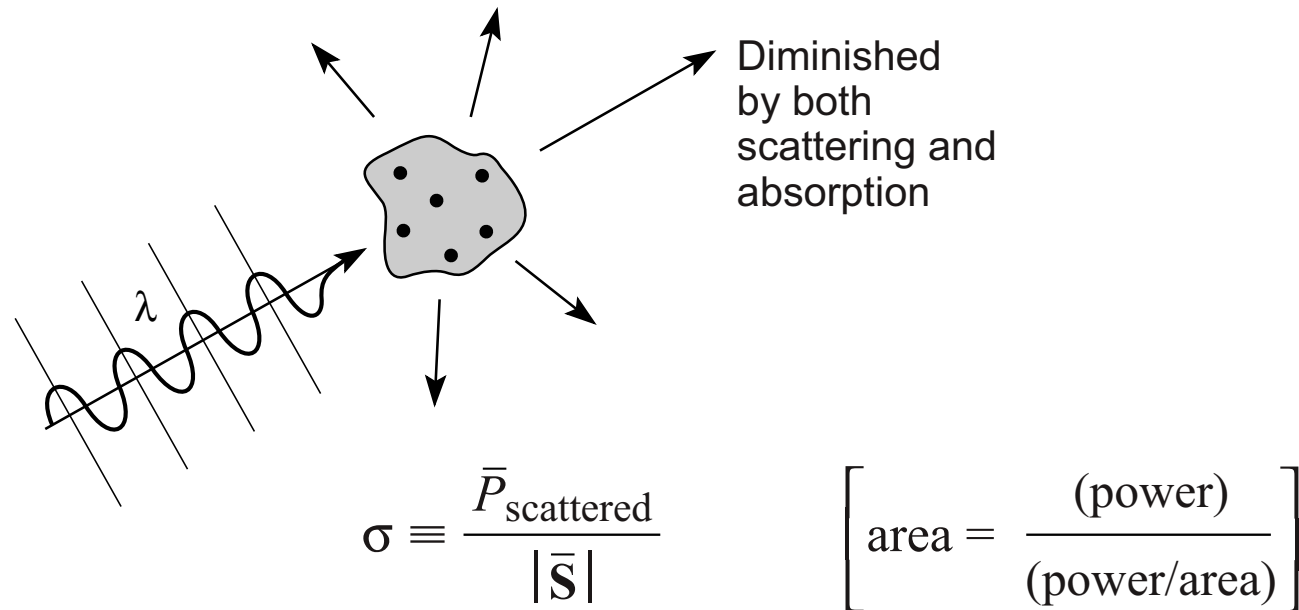
For sinusoidal motion, averaging over a full cycle, $\sin^2 \omega t$ or $\cos^2 \omega t$, introduces a factor of 1/2

$$\bar{P} = \frac{1}{2} \cdot \frac{8\pi}{3} \left(\frac{e^2 |\mathbf{a}|^2}{16\pi^2 \epsilon_0 c^3} \right)$$



Scattering Cross-Sections

Measures the ability of an object to remove particles or photons from a directed beam and send them into new directions



- Isotropic or anisotropic?
- Energy or wavelength dependent?



Scattering by a Free Electron

Define the cross-section as the average power radiated to all angles, divided by the average incident power per unit area

$$\sigma \equiv \frac{\bar{P}_{\text{scatt.}}}{|\bar{\mathbf{S}}_i|} \quad (2.38)$$

For an incident electromagnetic wave of electric field $\mathbf{E}_i(\mathbf{r}, t)$

$$\bar{\mathbf{S}} = \frac{1}{2} \sqrt{\frac{\epsilon_0}{\mu_0}} |\mathbf{E}_i|^2 \mathbf{k}_0 \quad (2.39)$$

For a free electron the incident field causes an oscillatory motion described by Newton's second equation of motion, $\mathbf{F} = m\mathbf{a}$, where \mathbf{F} is the Lorentz force on the electron

$$m\mathbf{a} = -e[\mathbf{E}_i + \mathbf{v} \times \mathbf{B}_i] \quad (2.40)$$

↗ small

Thus the instantaneous acceleration is

$$\mathbf{a}(\mathbf{r}, t) = -\frac{e}{m} \mathbf{E}_i(\mathbf{r}, t) \quad (2.42)$$



Scattering by a Free Electron (continued)

The average power scattered by an oscillating electron is

$$\bar{P}_{\text{scatt.}} = \frac{1}{2} \frac{8\pi}{3} \frac{e^2 \left(\frac{e^2}{m^2} |\mathbf{E}_i|^2 \right)}{16\pi^2 \epsilon_0 c^3}$$

The scattering cross-section is

$$\sigma = \frac{\bar{P}_{\text{scatt.}}}{|\bar{\mathbf{S}}|} = \frac{\frac{4\pi}{3} \left(\frac{e^4 |\mathbf{E}_i|^2}{16\pi^2 \epsilon_0 m^2 c^3} \right)}{\frac{1}{2} \sqrt{\frac{\epsilon_0}{\mu_0}} |\mathbf{E}_i|^2}$$

Introducing the “classical electron radius”

$$r_e = \frac{e^2}{4\pi \epsilon_0 m c^2} \quad (2.44)$$

One obtains the scattering cross-section for a single free electron

$$\boxed{\sigma_e = \frac{8\pi}{3} r_e^2} \quad (2.45)$$

which we observe is independent of wavelength. This is referred to as the Thomson cross-section (for a free electron), after J.J. Thomson. Numerically $r_e = 2.82 \times 10^{-13}$ cm and $\sigma_e = 6.65 \times 10^{-25}$ cm². The differential Thomson scattering cross-section is



Scattering by a Bound Electron

For an electromagnetic wave incident upon a bound electron of resonant frequency ω_s , the force equation can be written semi-classically as

$$m \frac{d^2 \mathbf{x}}{dt^2} + m\gamma \frac{d\mathbf{x}}{dt} + m\omega_s^2 \mathbf{x} = -e(\mathbf{E}_i + \underbrace{\mathbf{v} \times \mathbf{B}_i}_{\simeq 0}) \quad (2.48)$$

with an acceleration term ($m\mathbf{a}$), a damping term, a restoring force term, and the Lorentz force exerted by the fields. For an incident electric field

$$\mathbf{E} = \mathbf{E}_i e^{-i\omega t}$$

the harmonic motion will be driven at the same frequency, ω , so that

$$\mathbf{x} = \frac{1}{\omega^2 - \omega_s^2 + i\gamma\omega} \frac{e\mathbf{E}_i}{m} \quad (2.49)$$

$$\mathbf{a} = \frac{-\omega^2}{\omega^2 - \omega_s^2 + i\gamma\omega} \frac{e\mathbf{E}_i}{m} \quad (2.50)$$

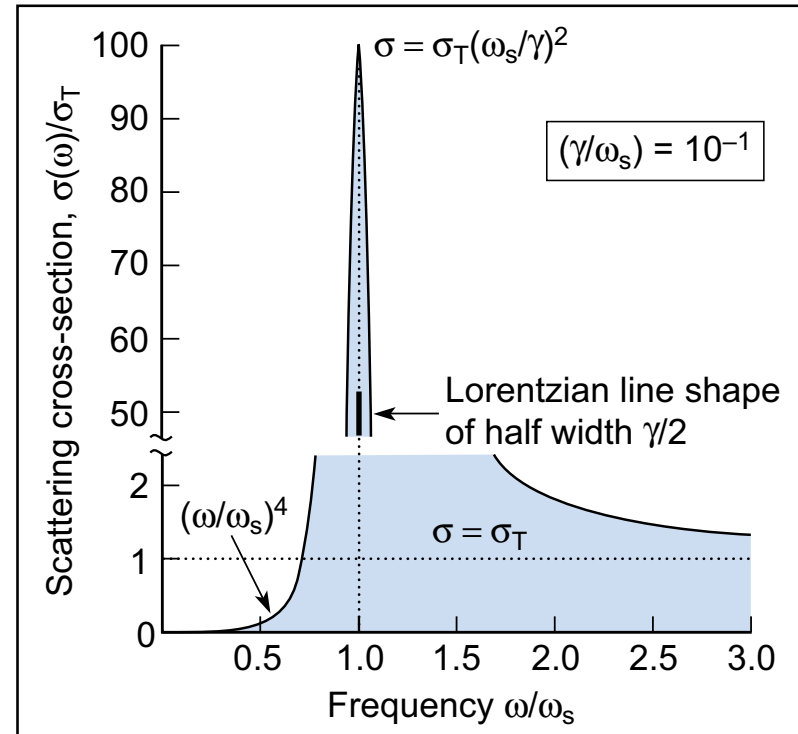
Following the same procedures used earlier, one obtains the scattering cross-section for a bound electron of resonant frequency, ω_s

$$\sigma = \frac{8\pi}{3} r_e^2 \frac{\omega^4}{(\omega^2 - \omega_s^2)^2 + (\gamma\omega)^2} \quad (2.51)$$



Semi-Classical Scattering Cross-Section for a Bound Electron

$$\sigma = \frac{8\pi}{3} r_e^2 \frac{\omega^4}{(\omega^2 - \omega_s^2)^2 + (\gamma\omega)^2} \quad (2.51)$$



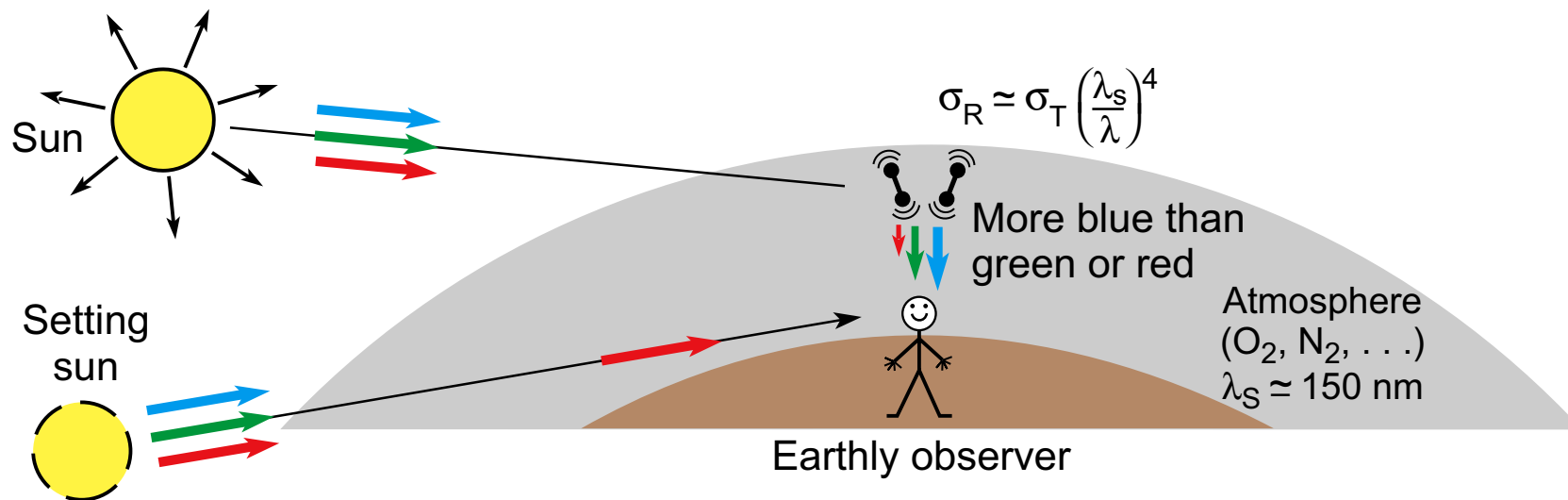
Note that below the resonance, for $\omega^2 \ll \omega_s^2$

$$\sigma_R = \frac{8\pi}{3} r_e^2 \left(\frac{\omega}{\omega_s} \right)^4 = \frac{8\pi}{3} r_e^2 \left(\frac{\lambda_s}{\lambda} \right)^4 \quad (2.52)$$

This is the Rayleigh scattering cross-section (1899) for a bound electron, with $\omega/\omega_s \ll 1$, which displays a very strong λ^{-4} wavelength dependence.



The sky appears blue because of the strong wavelength dependence of scattering by bound electrons.



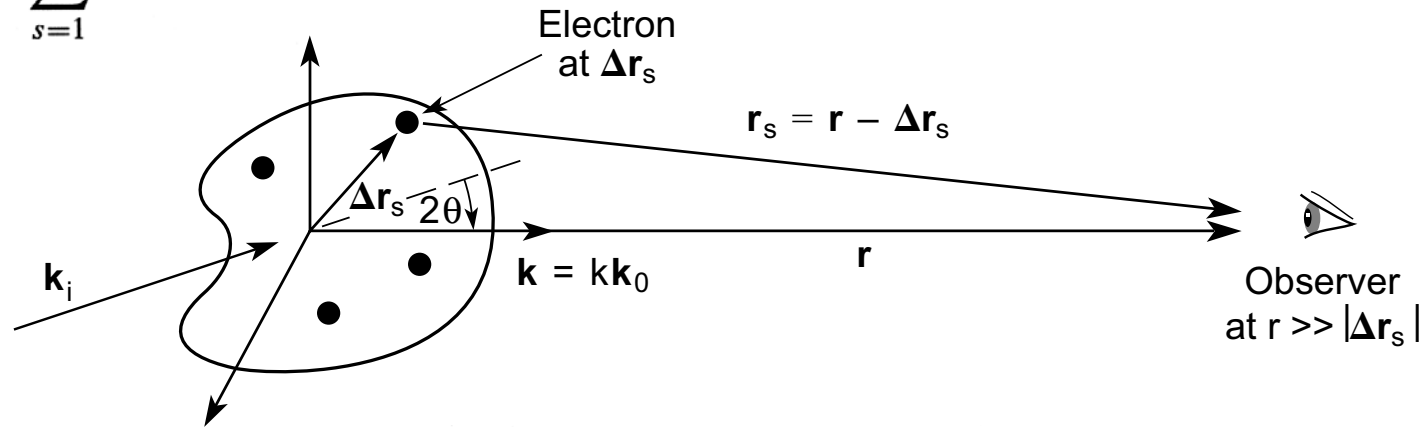
- UV resonances in O₂ and N₂, at 8.6 and 8.2 eV
- Red (1.8 eV, 700 nm), green (2.3 eV, 530 nm), and blue light (3.3 eV, 380 nm)
- Density fluctuations essential
- Long path at sunset, color of clouds
- Photon energy and wavelength effects. Volcanic eruptions



Scattering by a Multi-Electron Atom

Semi-classical model of an atom with Z electrons and nucleus of charge $+Ze$ at $\mathbf{r} = 0$.

$$n(\mathbf{r}, t) = \sum_{s=1}^Z \delta[\mathbf{r} - \Delta\mathbf{r}_s(t)] \quad (2.53)$$



For each electron

$$m \frac{d^2 \mathbf{x}_s}{dt^2} + m \gamma \frac{d\mathbf{x}_s}{dt} + m \omega_s^2 \mathbf{x}_s = -e(\mathbf{E}_i + \underbrace{\mathbf{v}_s \times \mathbf{B}}_{\simeq 0}) \quad (2.58)$$

The acceleration has an additional phase term due to the position, $\Delta\mathbf{r}_s$, within the atom:

$$\mathbf{a}_s(t) = \frac{-\omega^2}{\omega^2 - \omega_s^2 + i\gamma\omega} \frac{e}{m} \mathbf{E}_i e^{-i(\omega t - \mathbf{k}_i \cdot \Delta\mathbf{r}_s)} \quad (2.61)$$

The scattered electric field at a distance \mathbf{r} summed for all Z electrons, is

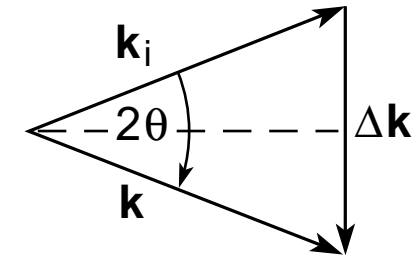
$$\mathbf{E}(\mathbf{r}, t) = \frac{-e^2}{4\pi\epsilon_0 mc^2} \sum_{s=1}^Z \frac{\omega^2 E_i \sin \Theta}{\omega^2 - \omega_s^2 + i\gamma\omega} \frac{1}{r_s} e^{-i[\omega(t - r_s/c) - \mathbf{k}_i \cdot \Delta\mathbf{r}_s]}$$

where $\mathbf{r}_s \equiv \mathbf{r} - \Delta\mathbf{r}_s$ and $r_s = |\mathbf{r}_s|$. For $r \gg \Delta r_s$, $r_s \simeq r - \mathbf{k}_0 \cdot \Delta\mathbf{r}_s$ (2.62)



Scattering by a Multi-Electron Atom (continued)

$$E(\mathbf{r}, t) = -\frac{r_e}{r} \left[\underbrace{\sum_{s=1}^Z \frac{\omega^2 e^{-i\Delta\mathbf{k} \cdot \Delta\mathbf{r}_s}}{\omega^2 - \omega_s^2 + i\gamma\omega}}_{f(\Delta\mathbf{k}, \omega)} \right] E_i \sin \Theta e^{-i\omega(t-r/c)} \quad (2.65)$$



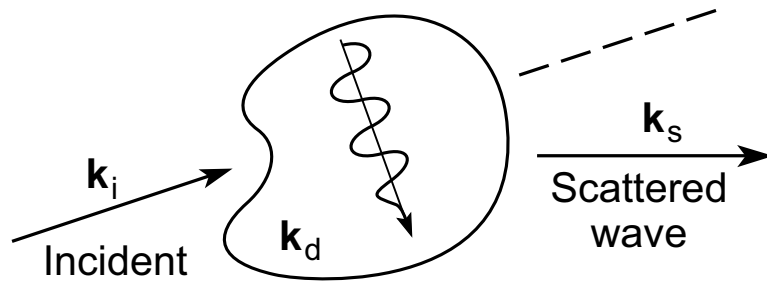
$$\Delta\mathbf{k} = \mathbf{k} - \mathbf{k}_i$$

$$|\Delta\mathbf{k}| = 2k_i \sin \theta$$

where the quantity $f(\Delta\mathbf{k}, \omega)$ is the complex atomic scattering factor, which tells us the scattered electric field due to a multi-electron atom, relative to that of a single free electron (eq. 2.43). Note the dependence on frequency ω (photon energy $\hbar\omega$), the various resonant frequencies ω_s (resonant energies $\hbar\omega_s$), and the phase terms due to the various positions of electrons within the atom, $\Delta\mathbf{k} \cdot \Delta\mathbf{r}_s$.



A General Scattering Diagram



$|\mathbf{k}_d| = 2\pi/d$ represents a spatial non-uniformity in the medium, such as atoms of periodicity d , a grating, or a density distribution due to a wave motion.

$$\mathbf{J}(\mathbf{r}, t) = -e n(\mathbf{r}, t) \mathbf{v}(\mathbf{r}, t) \quad (2.10)$$

$$\mathbf{J}_{\text{scatt}} e^{-i(\omega_s t - \mathbf{k}_s \cdot \mathbf{r})} = -e f^0(\omega_i) n_d e^{-i(\omega_d t - \mathbf{k}_d \cdot \mathbf{r})} \frac{-e \mathbf{E}_i}{-i \omega_i m} e^{-i(\omega_i t - \mathbf{k}_i \cdot \mathbf{r})}$$

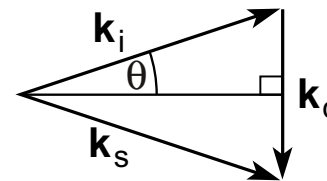
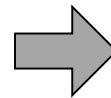
matching exponents

$$\omega_s = \omega_i + \omega_d$$

$$\mathbf{k}_s = \mathbf{k}_i + \mathbf{k}_d$$

If the density distribution is stationary

$$\left. \begin{aligned} |\mathbf{k}_i| &= \frac{\omega}{c} = \frac{2\pi}{\lambda} \\ |\mathbf{k}_s| &= \frac{\omega}{c} = \frac{2\pi}{\lambda} \end{aligned} \right\} \therefore \text{the scattering diagram is isosceles}$$



$$\mathbf{k}_i + \mathbf{k}_d = \mathbf{k}_s$$

$$\sin \theta = \frac{k_d/2}{k_i}$$

$$\sin \theta = \frac{\lambda}{2d}$$

$$\lambda = 2d \sin \theta \quad (2.62)$$

(Bragg's Law, 1913)

(Reference: See chapter 4, eqs. 4.1 to 4.6)



The Atomic Scattering Factor

$$f(\Delta\mathbf{k}, \omega) = \sum_{s=1}^Z \frac{\omega^2 e^{-i\Delta\mathbf{k} \cdot \Delta\mathbf{r}_s}}{\omega^2 - \omega_s^2 + i\gamma\omega} \quad (2.66)$$

In general the $\Delta\mathbf{k} \cdot \Delta\mathbf{r}_s$ phase terms do not simplify, but in two cases they do. Noting that $|\Delta\mathbf{k}| = 2k_i \sin\theta = 4\pi/\lambda \sin\theta$, and that the radius of the atom is of order the Bohr radius, a_0 , the phase factor is then bounded by

$$|\Delta\mathbf{k} \cdot \Delta\mathbf{r}_s| \leq \frac{4\pi a_0}{\lambda} \sin\theta \quad (2.70)$$

The atomic scattering factor $f(\Delta\mathbf{k}, \omega)$ simplifies significantly when

$$|\Delta\mathbf{k} \cdot \Delta\mathbf{r}_s| \rightarrow 0 \quad \text{for } a_0/\lambda \ll 1 \quad (\text{long wavelength limit}) \quad (2.71a)$$

$$|\Delta\mathbf{k} \cdot \Delta\mathbf{r}_s| \rightarrow 0 \quad \text{for } \theta \ll 1 \quad (\text{forward scattering}) \quad (2.71b)$$

In each of these two cases the atomic scattering factor $f(\Delta\mathbf{k}, \omega)$ reduces to

$$f^0(\omega) = \sum_{s=1}^Z \frac{\omega^2}{\omega^2 - \omega_s^2 + i\gamma\omega} \quad (2.72)$$

where we denote these special cases by the superscript zero.



Complex Atomic Scattering Factors

$$f^0(\omega) = \sum_{s=1}^Z \frac{\omega^2}{\omega^2 - \omega_s^2 + i\gamma\omega} = f_1^0(\omega) - if_2^0(\omega) \quad (2.72)$$

(2.79)

which some write as

$$f(\omega) = Z - f_1(\omega) - if_2(\omega)$$



Atomic Scattering Cross-Sections

Comparing the scattered electric field for a multi-electron atom (2.65) with that for the free electron (2.43), the atomic scattering cross-sections are readily determined by the earlier procedures to be

$$\frac{d\sigma(\omega)}{d\Omega} = r_e^2 |f^0(\omega)|^2 \sin^2 \Theta \quad (2.75)$$

$$\sigma(\omega) = \frac{8\pi}{3} r_e^2 |f^0(\omega)|^2 \quad (2.76)$$

where

$$f^0(\omega) = \sum_s \frac{g_s \omega^2}{\omega^2 - \omega_s^2 + i\gamma\omega} \quad (2.77)$$

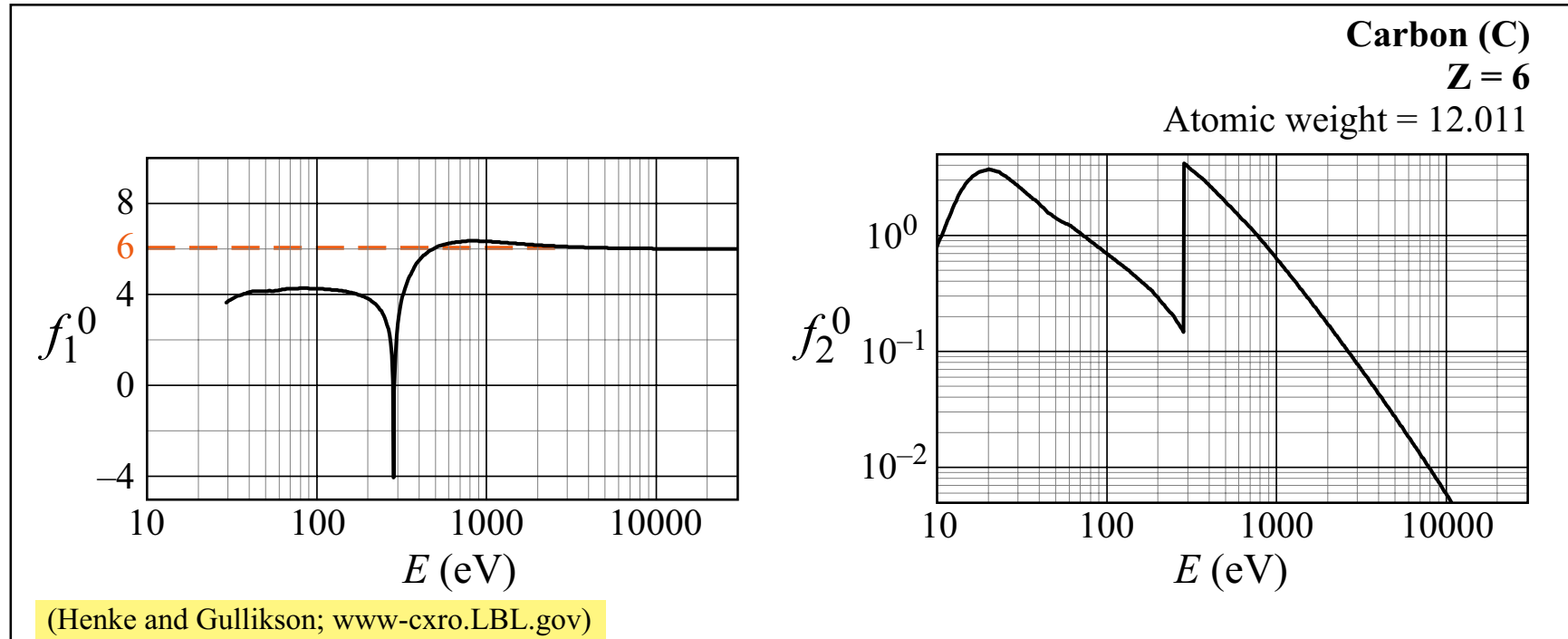
and where the super-script zero refers to the special circumstances of long wavelength ($\lambda \gg a_0$) or forward scattering ($\theta \ll 1$). With the Bohr radius $a_0 = 0.529 \text{ \AA}$, the long wavelength condition is easily satisfied for soft x-rays and EUV. Note too that we have introduced the concept of oscillator strengths, g_s , associated with each resonance, normalized by the condition

$$\sum_s g_s = Z \quad (2.73)$$



Example: Complex Atomic Scattering Factor for Carbon

$$f^0(\omega) = f_1^0(\omega) - i f_2^0(\omega) \quad (2.79)$$



Note that for $\hbar\omega \gg \hbar\omega_s$, $f_1^0 \rightarrow Z$. This works here for carbon $f_1^0 \rightarrow 6$, but note that in general this conflicts with the condition $\lambda \gg a_0$. For the case of carbon at 4 Å wavelength ($\lambda \gg a_0$), and thus $\hbar\omega = 3 \text{ keV}$ ($\gg \hbar\omega_s \sim 274 \text{ eV}$), the atomic scattering cross-section (2.76) becomes

$$\sigma(\omega) \simeq \frac{8\pi}{3} r_e^2 Z^2 = \underline{Z^2 \sigma_e} \quad (2.78c)$$

that is, all Z electrons are scattering cooperatively (in-phase) - the so-called N^2 effect.



Atomic Scattering Factors for Carbon (Z = 6)



$$\sigma_a(\text{barns/atom}) = \mu(\text{cm}^2/\text{g}) \times 19.95$$

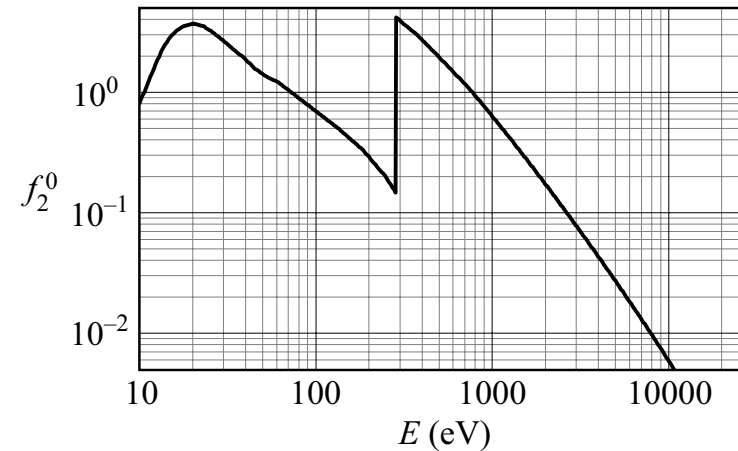
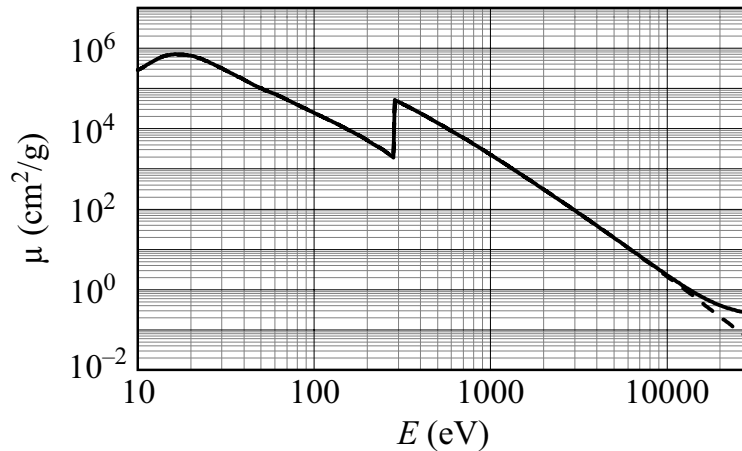
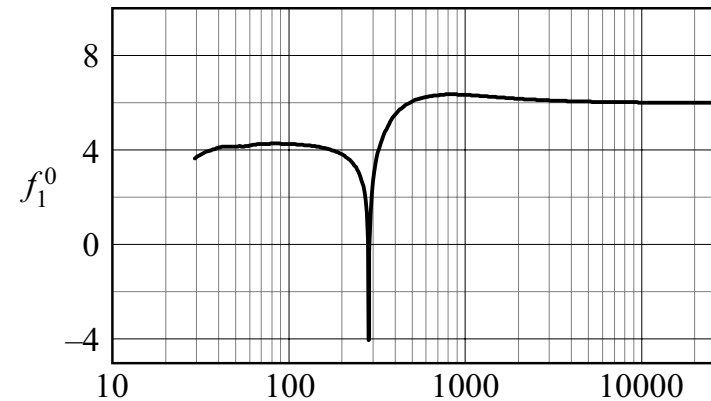
$$E(\text{keV})\mu(\text{cm}^2/\text{g}) = f_2^0 \times 3503.31$$

Energy (eV)	f_1^0	f_2^0	μ (cm ² /g)
30	3.692	2.664E+00	3.111E+05
70	4.249	1.039E+00	5.201E+04
100	4.253	6.960E-01	2.438E+04
300	2.703	3.923E+00	4.581E+04
700	6.316	1.174E+00	5.878E+03
1000	6.332	6.328E-01	2.217E+03
3000	6.097	7.745E-02	9.044E+01
7000	6.025	1.306E-02	6.536E+00
10000	6.013	5.892E-03	2.064E+00
30000	6.000	4.425E-04	5.168E-02

Carbon (C)

Z = 6

Atomic weight = 12.011



Edge Energies: K 284.2 eV

(Henke and Gullikson; www-cxro.lbl.gov)



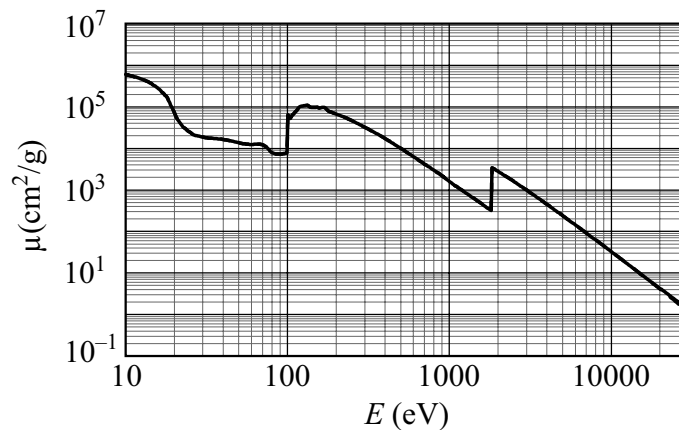
Atomic Scattering Factors for Silicon (Z = 14)



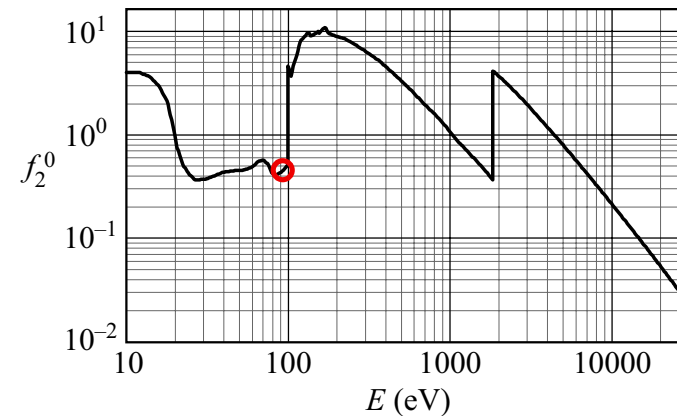
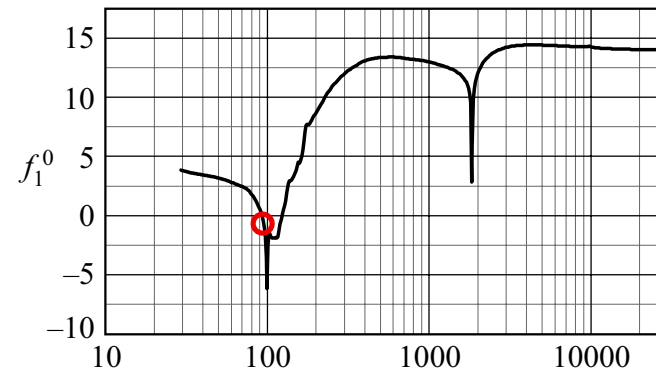
$$\sigma_a(\text{barns/atom}) = \mu(\text{cm}^2/\text{g}) \times 46.64$$

$$E(\text{keV})\mu(\text{cm}^2/\text{g}) = f_2^0 \times 1498.22$$

Energy (eV)	f_1^0	f_2^0	$\mu(\text{cm}^2/\text{g})$
30	3.799	3.734E-01	1.865E+04
70	2.448	5.701E-01	1.220E+04
100	-5.657	4.580E+00	6.862E+04
300	12.00	6.439E+00	3.216E+04
700	13.31	1.951E+00	4.175E+03
1000	13.00	1.070E+00	1.602E+03
3000	14.23	1.961E+00	9.792E+02
7000	14.33	4.240E-01	9.075E+01
10000	14.28	2.135E-01	3.199E+01
30000	14.02	2.285E-02	1.141E+00



Silicon (Si)
Z = 14
Atomic weight = 28.086



Edge Energies: K 1838.9 eV L₁ 149.7 eV
L₂ 99.8 eV
L₃ 99.2 eV

(Henke and Gullikson; [www-cxro.LBL.gov](http://www-cxro.lbl.gov))



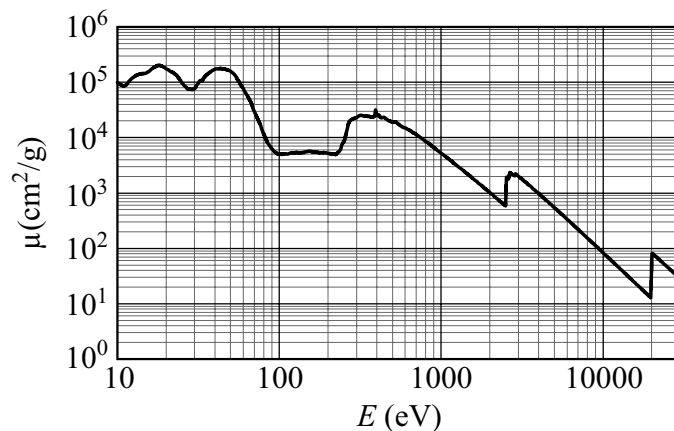
Atomic Scattering Factors for Molybdenum (Z = 42)



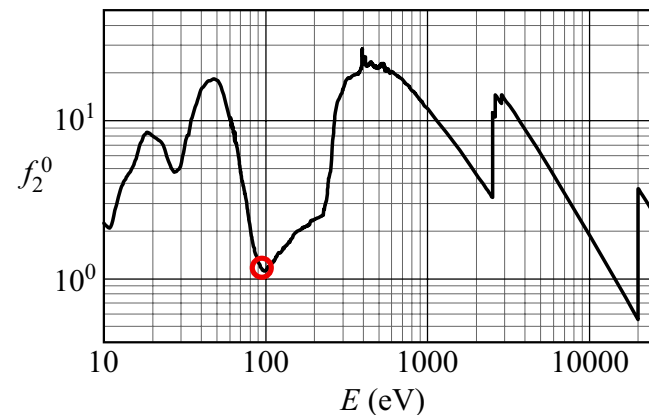
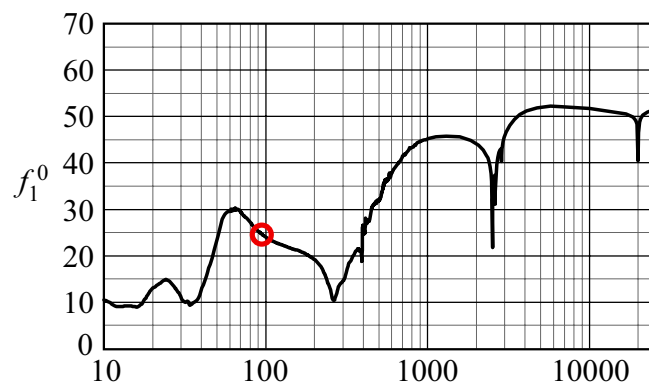
$$\sigma_a(\text{barns/atom}) = \mu(\text{cm}^2/\text{g}) \times 159.31$$

$$E(\text{keV})\mu(\text{cm}^2/\text{g}) = f_2^0 \times 438.59$$

Energy (eV)	f_1^0	f_2^0	$\mu(\text{cm}^2/\text{g})$
30	1.071	5.292E+00	7.736E+04
70	19.38	4.732E+00	2.965E+04
100	14.02	1.124E+00	4.931E+03
300	4.609	1.568E+01	2.292E+04
700	31.41	1.819E+01	1.140E+04
1000	35.15	1.188E+01	5.210E+03
3000	35.88	1.366E+01	1.997E+03
7000	42.11	3.493E+00	2.189E+02
10000	41.67	1.881E+00	8.248E+01
30000	42.04	1.894E+00	2.769E+01



Molybdenum (Mo)
Z = 42
 Atomic weight = 95.940



Edge Energies:	K	19999.5 eV	L ₁	2865.5 eV	M ₁	506.3 eV	N ₁	63.2 eV
			L ₂	2625.1 eV	M ₂	411.6 eV	N ₂	37.6 eV
			L ₃	2520.2 eV	M ₃	394.0 eV	N ₃	35.5 eV
					M ₄	231.1 eV		
					M ₅	227.9 eV		

(Henke and Gullikson; www-cxro.LBL.gov)



Complex Atomic Scattering Factors

$$f^0(\omega) = \sum_{s=1}^Z \frac{\omega^2}{\omega^2 - \omega_s^2 + i\gamma\omega} = f_1^0(\omega) - if_2^0(\omega) \quad (2.72)$$

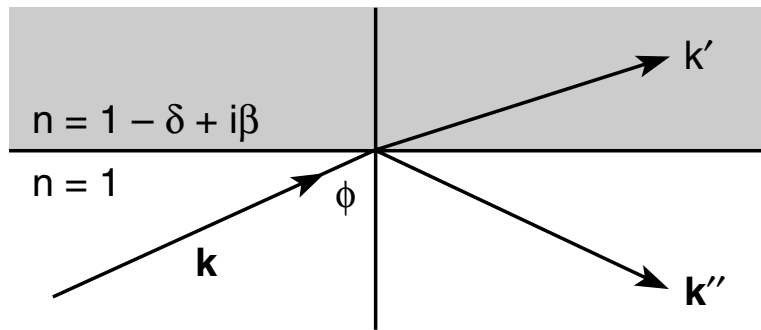
(2.79)

which some write as

$$f(\omega) = Z - f_1(\omega) - if_2(\omega)$$



Wave Propagation and Refractive Index at X-Ray Wavelengths



$$n(\omega) = 1 - \frac{n_a r_e \lambda^2}{2\pi} (f_1^0 - i f_2^0) \quad (3.9)$$

$$n(\omega) = 1 - \delta + i\beta \quad (3.12)$$

$$l_{\text{abs}} = \frac{\lambda}{4\pi\beta} \quad (3.22)$$

$$\sigma_{\text{abs.}} = 2r_e \lambda f_2^0(\omega) \quad (3.28)$$

$$\Delta\phi = \left(\frac{2\pi\delta}{\lambda} \right) \Delta r \quad (3.29)$$

$$\theta_c = \sqrt{2\delta} \quad (3.41)$$

$$R_{s,\perp} \simeq \frac{\delta^2 + \beta^2}{4} \quad (3.50)$$

$$\phi_B \simeq \frac{\pi}{4} - \frac{\delta}{2} \quad (3.60)$$



The Wave Equation and Refractive Index

The transverse wave equation is

$$\left(\frac{\partial^2}{\partial t^2} - c^2 \nabla^2 \right) \mathbf{E}_T(\mathbf{r}, t) = -\frac{1}{\epsilon_0} \frac{\partial \mathbf{J}_T(\mathbf{r}, t)}{\partial t} \quad (3.1)$$

For the special case of forward scattering the positions of the electrons within the atom ($\Delta \mathbf{k} \cdot \Delta \mathbf{r}_s$) are irrelevant, as are the positions of the atoms themselves, $n(\mathbf{r}, t)$. The contributing current density is then

$$\mathbf{J}_0(\mathbf{r}, t) = -en_a \sum_s g_s \mathbf{v}_s(\mathbf{r}, t) \quad (3.2)$$

where n_a is the average density of atoms, and

$$\sum_s g_s = Z$$



The Wave Equation and Refractive Index (Continued)

The oscillating electron velocities are driven by the incident field \mathbf{E}

$$\mathbf{v}(\mathbf{r}, t) = \frac{e}{m} \frac{1}{(\omega^2 - \omega_s^2) + i\gamma\omega} \frac{\partial \mathbf{E}(\mathbf{r}, t)}{\partial t} \quad (3.2)$$

such that the contributing current density is

$$\mathbf{J}_0(\mathbf{r}, t) = -\frac{e^2 n_a}{m} \sum_s \frac{g_s}{(\omega^2 - \omega_s^2) + i\gamma\omega} \frac{\partial \mathbf{E}(\mathbf{r}, t)}{\partial t} \quad (3.4)$$

Substituting this into the transverse wave equation (3.1), one has

$$\left(\frac{\partial^2}{\partial t^2} - c^2 \nabla^2 \right) \mathbf{E}_T(\mathbf{r}, t) = \frac{e^2 n_a}{\epsilon_0 m} \sum_s \frac{g_s}{(\omega^2 - \omega_s^2) + i\gamma\omega} \frac{\partial^2 \mathbf{E}_T(\mathbf{r}, t)}{\partial t^2}$$

Combining terms with similar operators

$$\left[\left(1 - \frac{e^2 n_a}{\epsilon_0 m} \sum_s \frac{g_s}{(\omega^2 - \omega_s^2) + i\gamma\omega} \right) \frac{\partial^2}{\partial t^2} - c^2 \nabla^2 \right] \mathbf{E}_T(\mathbf{r}, t) = 0 \quad (3.5)$$



Refractive Index in the Soft X-Ray and EUV Spectral Region

Written in the standard form of the wave equation as

$$\left[\frac{\partial^2}{\partial t^2} - \frac{c^2}{n^2(\omega)} \nabla^2 \right] \mathbf{E}_T(\mathbf{r}, t) = 0 \quad (3.6)$$

The frequency dependent refractive index $n(\omega)$ is identified as

$$n(\omega) \equiv \left[1 - \frac{e^2 n_a}{\epsilon_0 m} \sum_s \frac{g_s}{(\omega^2 - \omega_s^2) + i\gamma\omega} \right]^{1/2} \quad (3.7)$$

For EUV/SXR radiation ω^2 is very large compared to the quantity $e^2 n_a / \epsilon_0 m$, so that to a high degree of accuracy the index of refraction can be written as

$$n(\omega) = 1 - \frac{1}{2} \frac{e^2 n_a}{\epsilon_0 m} \sum_s \frac{g_s}{(\omega^2 - \omega_s^2) + i\gamma\omega} \quad (3.8)$$

which displays both positive and negative dispersion, depending on whether ω is less or greater than ω_s . Note that this will allow the refractive index to be more or less than unity, and thus the phase velocity to be less or greater than c .



Refractive Index in the Soft X-Ray and EUV Spectral Region (continued)

$$n(\omega) = 1 - \frac{1}{2} \frac{e^2 n_a}{\epsilon_0 m} \sum_s \frac{g_s}{(\omega^2 - \omega_s^2) + i\gamma\omega} \quad (3.8)$$

Noting that

$$r_e = \frac{e^2}{4\pi\epsilon_0 m c^2}$$

and that for forward scattering

$$f^0(\omega) = \sum_s \frac{g_s \omega^2}{\omega^2 - \omega_s^2 + i\gamma\omega}$$

where this has complex components

$$f^0(\omega) = f_1^0(\omega) - i f_2^0(\omega)$$

The refractive index can then be written as

$$n(\omega) = 1 - \frac{n_a r_e \lambda^2}{2\pi} [f_1^0(\omega) - i f_2^0(\omega)] \quad (3.9)$$

which we write in the simplified form

$$n(\omega) = 1 - \delta + i\beta \quad (3.12)$$

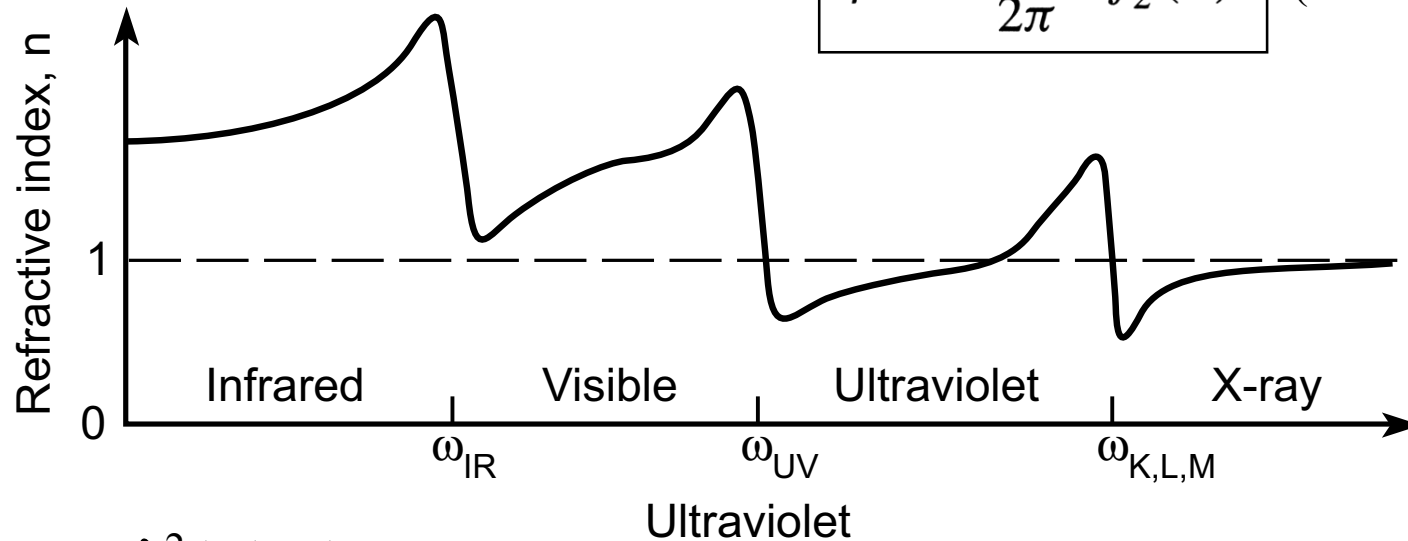


Refractive Index from the IR to X-Ray Spectral Region

$$n(\omega) = 1 - \delta + i\beta \quad (3.12)$$

$$\delta = \frac{n_a r_e \lambda^2}{2\pi} f_1^0(\omega) \quad (3.13a)$$

$$\beta = \frac{n_a r_e \lambda^2}{2\pi} f_2^0(\omega) \quad (3.13b)$$



- λ^2 behavior
- δ & $\beta \ll 1$
- δ -crossover



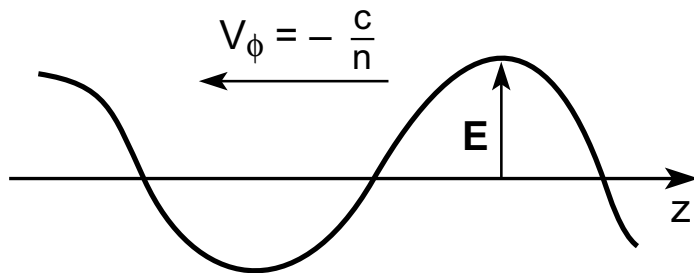
Phase Velocity and Refractive Index

The wave equation can be written as

$$\left(\frac{\partial}{\partial t} - \frac{c}{n(\omega)} \nabla \right) \left(\frac{\partial}{\partial t} + \frac{c}{n(\omega)} \nabla \right) \mathbf{E}_T(\mathbf{r}, t) = 0 \quad (3.10)$$

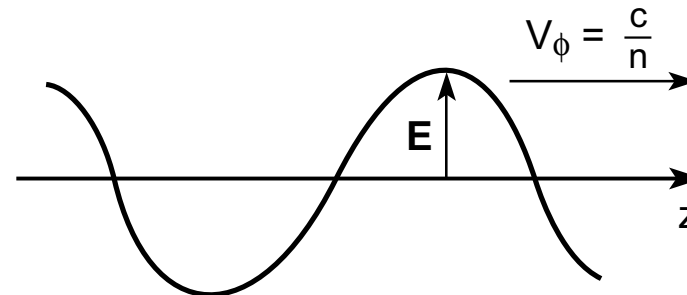
The two bracketed operators represent left and right-running waves

$$\left(\frac{\partial}{\partial t} - \frac{c}{n} \frac{\partial}{\partial z} \right) E_x = 0$$



Left-running wave

$$\left(\frac{\partial}{\partial t} + \frac{c}{n} \frac{\partial}{\partial z} \right) E_x = 0$$



Right-running wave

where the phase velocity, the speed with which crests of fixed phase move, is not equal to c as in vacuum, but rather is

$$v_\phi = \frac{c}{n(\omega)} \quad (3.11)$$



Phase Variation and Absorption of Propagating Waves

For a plane wave $\mathbf{E}(\mathbf{r}, t) = \mathbf{E}_0 e^{-i(\omega t - \mathbf{k} \cdot \mathbf{r})}$ (3.14)

in a material of refractive index n , the complex dispersion relation is

$$\frac{\omega}{k} = \frac{c}{n} = \frac{c}{1 - \delta + i\beta} \quad (3.15)$$

Solving for k

$$k = \frac{\omega}{c} (1 - \delta + i\beta) \quad (3.16)$$

Substituting this into (3.14), in the propagation direction defined by $\mathbf{k} \cdot \mathbf{r} = kr$

$$\mathbf{E}(\mathbf{r}, t) = \mathbf{E}_0 e^{-i[\omega t - (\omega/c)(1 - \delta + i\beta)r]}$$

or

$$\mathbf{E}(\mathbf{r}, t) = \underbrace{\mathbf{E}_0 e^{-i\omega(t-r/c)}}_{\text{vacuum propagation}} \underbrace{e^{-i(2\pi\delta/\lambda)r}}_{\phi\text{-shift}} \underbrace{e^{-(2\pi\beta/\lambda)r}}_{\text{decay}} \quad (3.17)$$

where the first exponential factor represents the phase advance had the wave been propagating in vacuum, the second factor (containing $2\pi\delta r/\lambda$) represents the modified phase shift due to the medium, and the factor containing $2\pi\beta r/\lambda$ represents decay of the wave amplitude.



Intensity and Absorption in a Material of Complex Refractive Index

For complex refractive index n

$$\mathbf{H}(\mathbf{r}, t) = n \sqrt{\frac{\epsilon_0}{\mu_0}} \mathbf{k}_0 \times \mathbf{E}(\mathbf{r}, t) \quad (3.18)$$

The average intensity, in units of power per unit area, is

$$\bar{I} = |\bar{\mathbf{S}}| = \frac{1}{2} |\operatorname{Re}(\mathbf{E} \times \mathbf{H}^*)| \quad (3.19)$$

or

$$\bar{I} = \frac{1}{2} \operatorname{Re}(n) \sqrt{\frac{\epsilon_0}{\mu_0}} |\mathbf{E}|^2 \quad (3.20)$$

Recalling that

$$\mathbf{E}(\mathbf{r}, t) = \underbrace{\mathbf{E}_0 e^{-i\omega(t-r/c)}}_{\text{vacuum propagation}} \underbrace{e^{-i(2\pi\delta/\lambda)r}}_{\phi\text{-shift}} \underbrace{e^{-(2\pi\beta/\lambda)r}}_{\text{decay}} \quad (3.17)$$

$$\bar{I} = \frac{1}{2} \operatorname{Re}(n) \sqrt{\frac{\epsilon_0}{\mu_0}} |\mathbf{E}_0|^2 e^{-2(2\pi\beta/\lambda)r}$$

or

$$\bar{I} = \bar{I}_0 e^{-(4\pi\beta/\lambda)r} \quad (3.21)$$

the wave decays with an exponential decay length

$$\boxed{l_{\text{abs}} = \frac{\lambda}{4\pi\beta}} \quad (3.22)$$



Absorption Lengths

$$l_{\text{abs}} = \frac{\lambda}{4\pi\beta} \quad (3.22)$$

Recalling that $\beta = n_a r_e \lambda^2 f_2^0(\omega)/2\pi$

$$l_{\text{abs}} = \frac{1}{2n_a r_e \lambda f_2^0(\omega)} \quad (3.23)$$

In Chapter 1 we considered experimentally observed absorption in thin foils, writing

$$\frac{\bar{I}}{\bar{I}_0} = e^{-\rho\mu r} \quad (3.24)$$

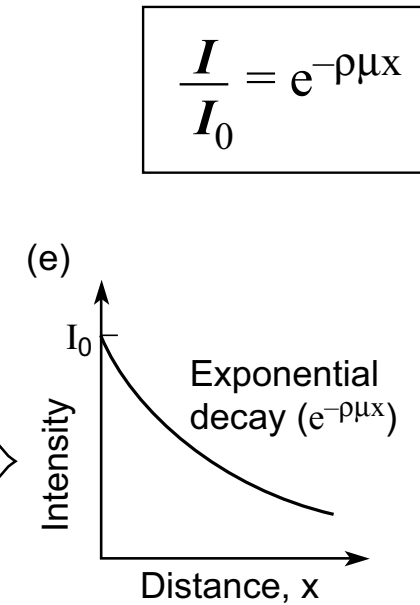
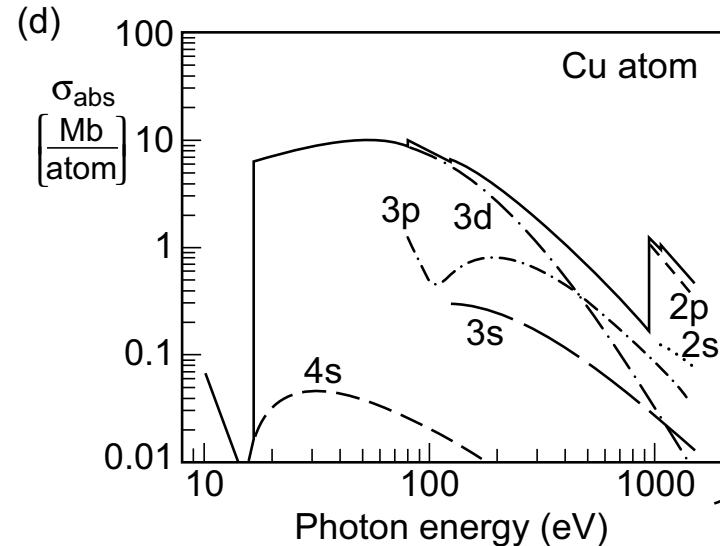
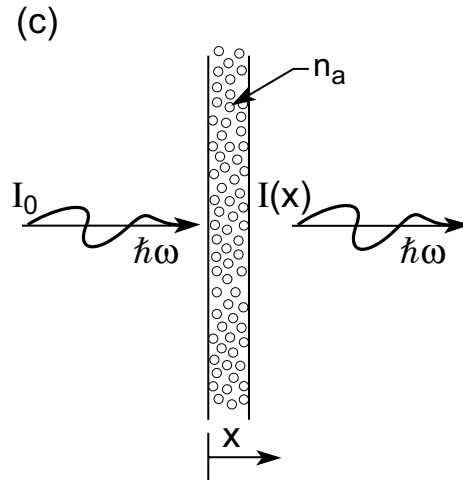
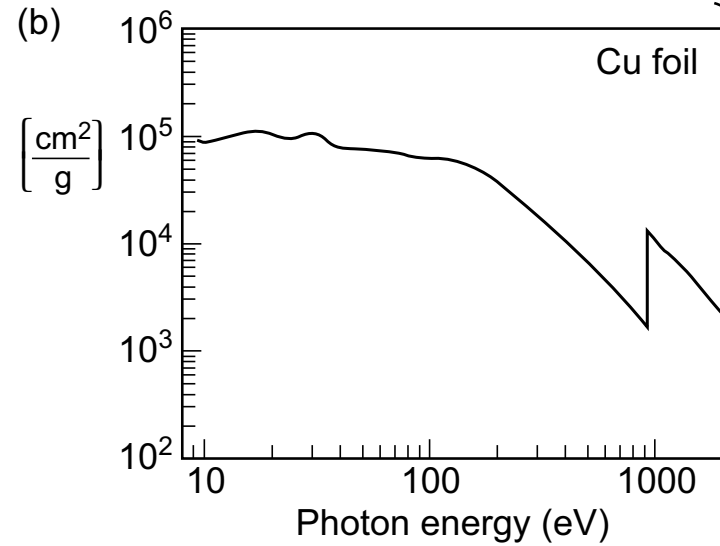
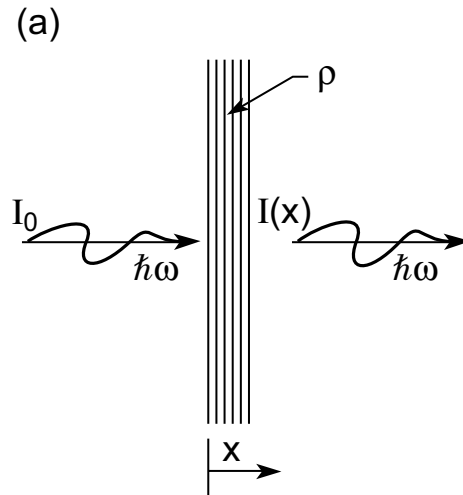
where ρ is the mass density, μ is the absorption coefficient, r is the foil thickness, and thus $l_{\text{abs}} = 1/\rho\mu$. Comparing absorption lengths, the macroscopic and atomic descriptions are related by

$$\mu = \frac{2r_e\lambda}{Am_u} f_2^0(\omega) \quad (3.26)$$

where $\rho = m_a n_a = Am_u n_a$, m_u is the atomic mass unit, and A is the number of atomic mass units



Photoabsorption by Thin Foils and Isolated Atoms



$$\frac{I}{I_0} = e^{-\rho\mu x}$$

$$\frac{I}{I_0} = e^{-n_a\sigma_{\text{abs}}x}$$



Phase Shift Relative to Vacuum Propagation

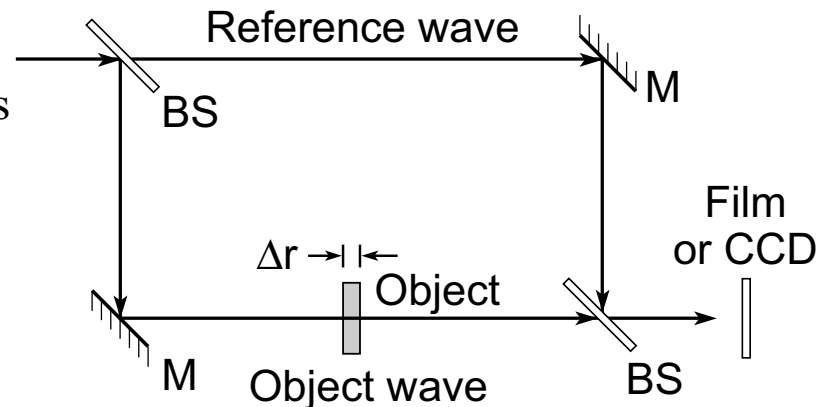
For a wave propagating in a medium of refractive index $n = 1 - \delta + i\beta$

$$\mathbf{E}(\mathbf{r}, t) = \underbrace{\mathbf{E}_0 e^{-i\omega(t-r/c)}}_{\text{vacuum propagation}} \underbrace{e^{-i(2\pi\delta/\lambda)r}}_{\phi\text{-shift}} \underbrace{e^{-(2\pi\beta/\lambda)r}}_{\text{decay}} \quad (3.23)$$

the phase shift $\Delta\phi$ relative to vacuum, due to propagation through a thickness Δr is

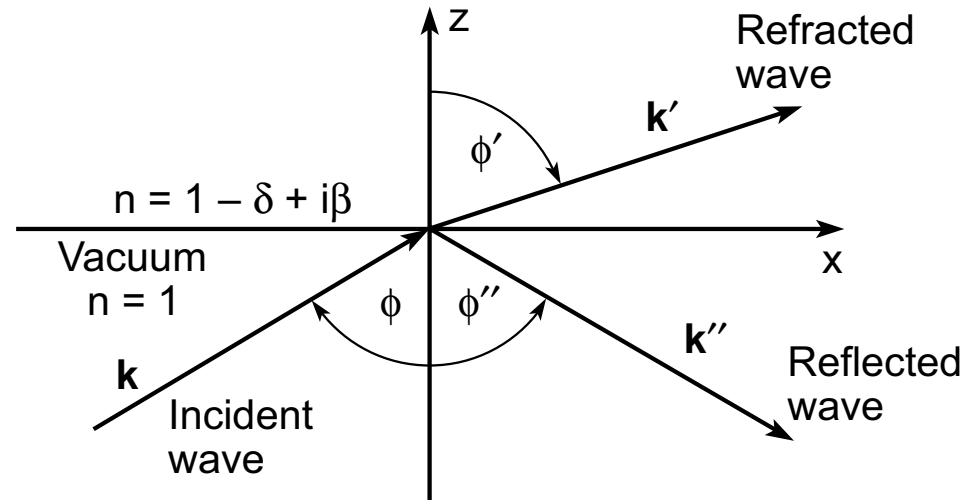
$$\Delta\phi = \left(\frac{2\pi\delta}{\lambda} \right) \Delta r \quad (3.29)$$

- Flat mirrors at short wavelengths
- Transmissive, flat beamsplitters
- Bonse and Hart interferometer
- Diffractive optics for SXR/EUV





Reflection and Refraction at an Interface



incident wave: $\mathbf{E} = \mathbf{E}_0 e^{-i(\omega t - \mathbf{k} \cdot \mathbf{r})}$ (3.30a)

refracted wave: $\mathbf{E}' = \mathbf{E}'_0 e^{-i(\omega t - \mathbf{k}' \cdot \mathbf{r})}$ (3.30b)

reflected wave: $\mathbf{E}'' = \mathbf{E}''_0 e^{-i(\omega t - \mathbf{k}'' \cdot \mathbf{r})}$ (3.30c)

- (1) All waves have the same frequency, ω , and $|\mathbf{k}| = |\mathbf{k}''| = \frac{\omega}{c}$
- (2) The refracted wave has phase velocity

$$V_\phi = \frac{\omega'}{k'} = \frac{c}{n}, \text{ thus } k' = |\mathbf{k}'| = \frac{\omega}{c} (1 - \delta + i\beta)$$



Boundary Conditions at an Interface

- **E** and **H** components parallel to the interface must be continuous

$$\mathbf{z}_0 \times (\mathbf{E}_0 + \mathbf{E}_0'') = \mathbf{z}_0 \times \mathbf{E}_0' \quad (3.32a)$$

$$\mathbf{z}_0 \times (\mathbf{H}_0 + \mathbf{H}_0'') = \mathbf{z}_0 \times \mathbf{H}_0' \quad (3.32b)$$

- **D** and **B** components perpendicular to the interface must be continuous

$$\mathbf{z}_0 \cdot (\mathbf{D}_0 + \mathbf{D}_0'') = \mathbf{z}_0 \cdot \mathbf{D}_0' \quad (3.32c)$$

$$\mathbf{z}_0 \cdot (\mathbf{B}_0 + \mathbf{B}_0'') = \mathbf{z}_0 \cdot \mathbf{B}_0' \quad (3.32d)$$



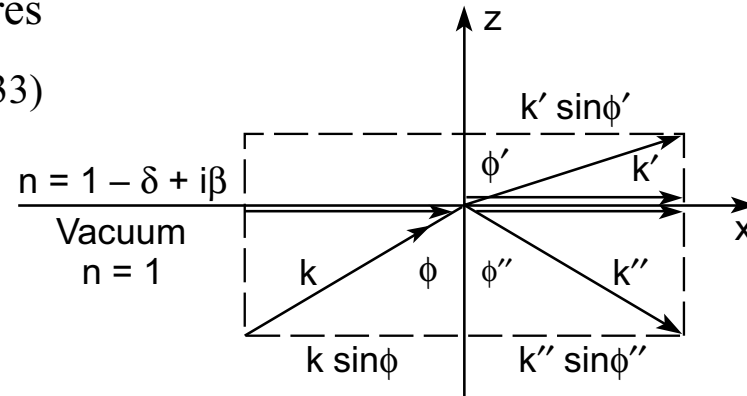
Spatial Continuity Along the Interface

Continuity of parallel field components requires

$$(\mathbf{k} \cdot \mathbf{x}_0 = \mathbf{k}' \cdot \mathbf{x}_0 = \mathbf{k}'' \cdot \mathbf{x}_0) \quad \text{at } z = 0 \quad (3.33)$$

$$k_x = k'_x = k''_x \quad (3.34a)$$

$$k \sin \phi = k' \sin \phi' = k'' \sin \phi'' \quad (3.34b)$$



Conclusions:

Since $k = k''$ (both in vacuum)

$$\sin \phi = \sin \phi'' \quad (3.35a)$$

$$\therefore \boxed{\phi = \phi''} \quad (3.35b)$$

The angle of incidence equals the angle of reflection

$$k \sin \phi = k' \sin \phi' \quad (3.36)$$

$$k = \frac{\omega}{c} \quad \text{and} \quad k' = \frac{\omega'}{c/n} = \frac{n\omega}{c}$$

$$\sin \phi = n \sin \phi'$$

$$\boxed{\sin \phi' = \frac{\sin \phi}{n}} \quad (3.38)$$

Snell's Law, which describes refractive turning, for complex n.



Total External Reflection of Soft X-Rays and EUV Radiation

Snell's law for a refractive index of $n \simeq 1 - \delta$, assuming that $\beta \rightarrow 0$

$$\sin \phi' = \frac{\sin \phi}{1 - \delta} \quad (3.39)$$

Consider the limit when $\phi' \rightarrow \frac{\pi}{2}$

$$1 = \frac{\sin \phi_c}{1 - \delta}$$

$$\sin \phi_c = 1 - \delta \quad (3.40)$$

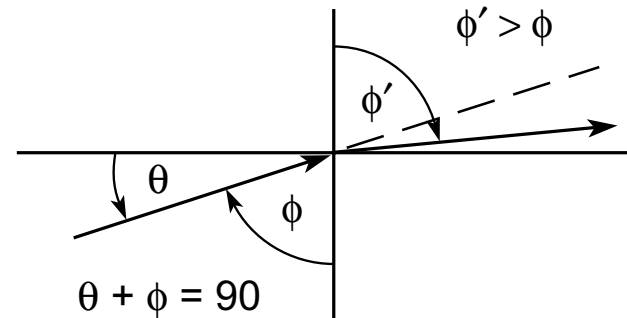
$$\sin(90^\circ - \theta_c) = 1 - \delta$$

$$\cos \theta_c = 1 - \delta$$

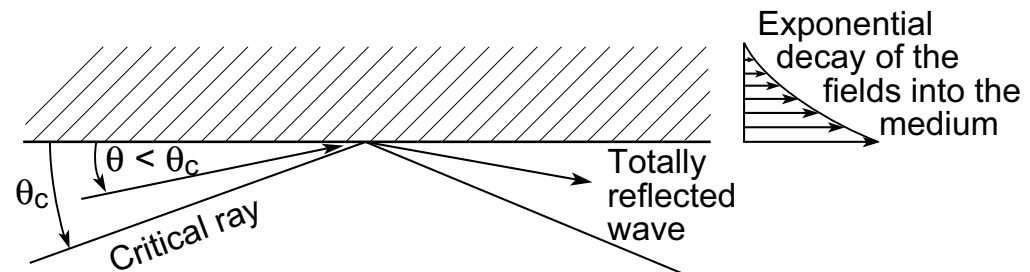
$$1 - \frac{\theta_c^2}{2} + \dots = 1 - \delta$$

$$\boxed{\theta_c = \sqrt{2\delta}} \quad (3.41)$$

The critical angle for total external reflection.



Glancing incidence ($\theta < \theta_c$) and total external reflection





Total External Reflection (continued)

$$\boxed{\theta_c = \sqrt{2\delta}} \quad (3.41)$$

$$\delta = \frac{n_a r_e \lambda^2 f_1^0(\lambda)}{2\pi}$$

$$\theta_c = \sqrt{2\delta} = \sqrt{\frac{n_a r_e \lambda^2 f_1^0(\lambda)}{\pi}} \quad (3.42a)$$

The atomic density n_a , varies slowly among the natural elements, thus to first order

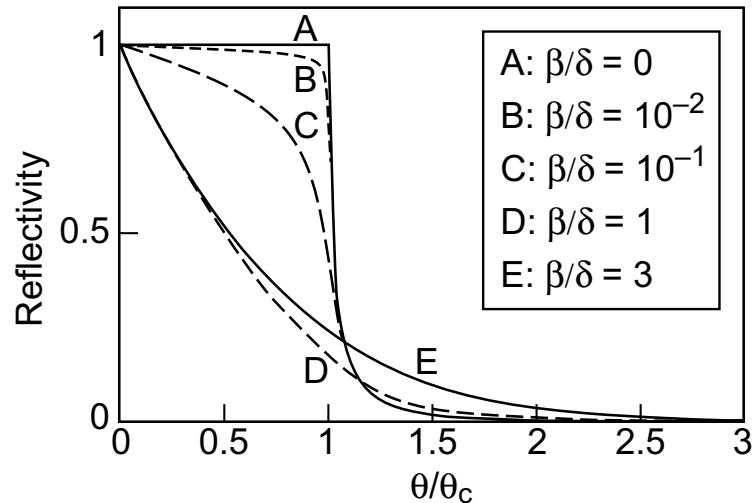
$$\theta_c \propto \lambda \sqrt{Z} \quad (3.42b)$$

where f_1^0 is approximated by Z . Note that f_1^0 is a complicated function of wavelength (photon energy) for each element.



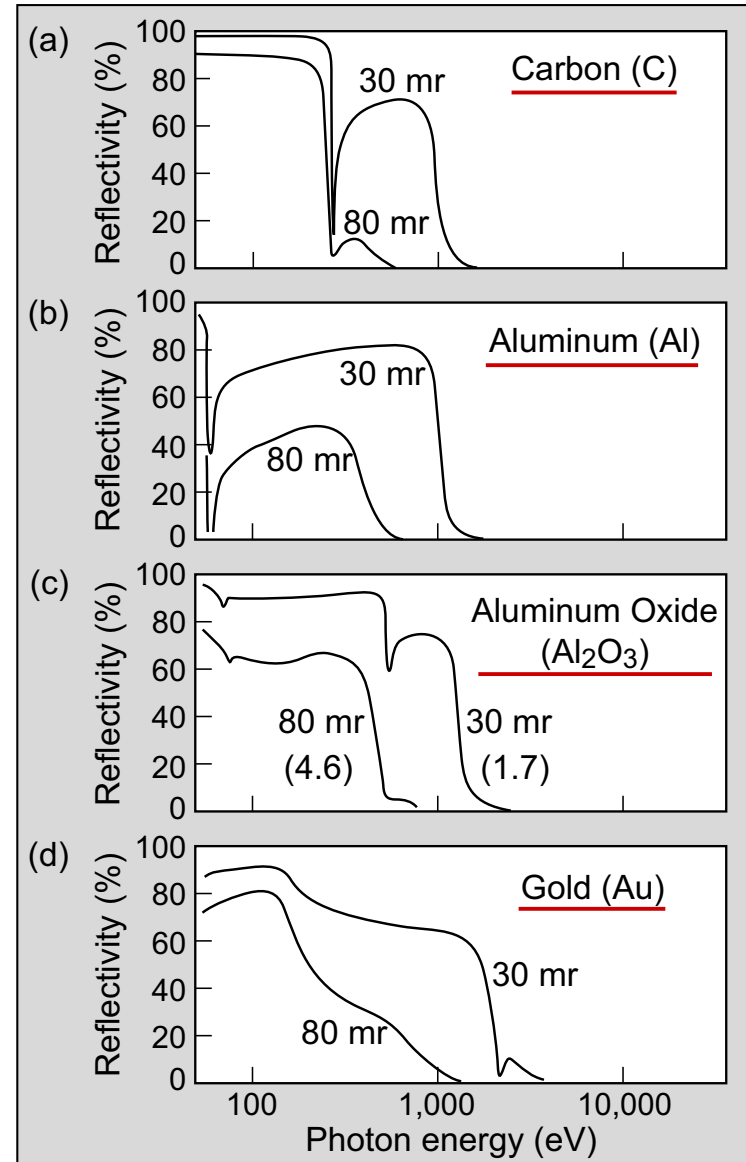
Total External Reflection with Finite Absorption

Glancing incidence reflection
as a function of β/δ



- finite β/δ rounds the sharp angular dependence
- cutoff angle and absorption edges can enhance the sharpness
- note the effects of oxide layers and surface contamination

... for real materials



(Henke, Gullikson, Davis)



Reflection at an Interface (s-polarization)

E_0 perpendicular to the plane of incidence (s-polarization)

tangential electric fields continuous

$$E_0 + E''_0 = E'_0 \quad (3.43)$$

tangential magnetic fields continuous

$$H_0 \cos \phi - H''_0 \cos \phi = H'_0 \cos \phi' \quad (3.44)$$

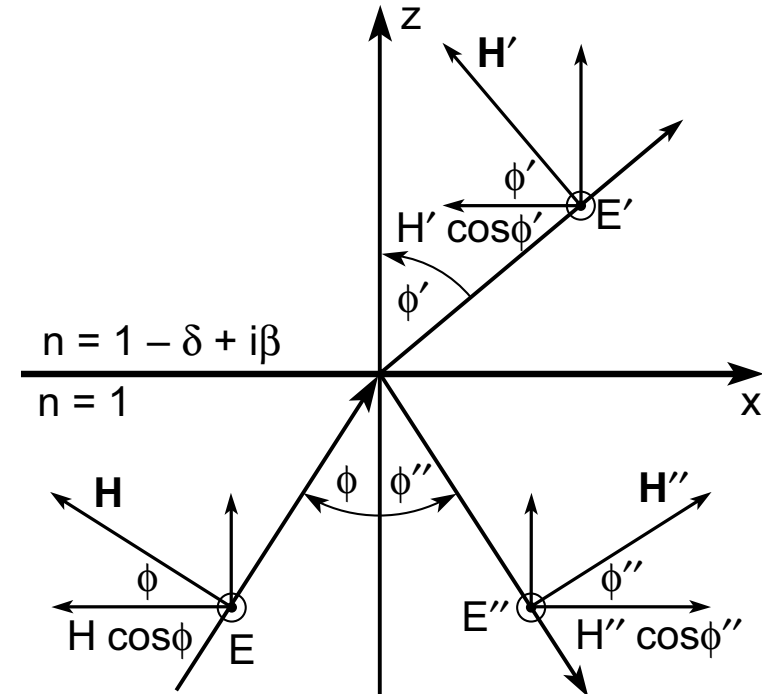
$$\mathbf{H}(\mathbf{r}, t) = n \sqrt{\frac{\epsilon_0}{\mu_0}} \mathbf{k}_0 \times \mathbf{E}(\mathbf{r}, t) \Rightarrow H = n \sqrt{\frac{\epsilon_0}{\mu_0}} E$$

$$\sqrt{\frac{\epsilon_0}{\mu_0}} E_0 \cos \phi - \sqrt{\frac{\epsilon_0}{\mu_0}} E''_0 \cos \phi = n \sqrt{\frac{\epsilon_0}{\mu_0}} E'_0 \cos \phi'$$

$$(E_0 - E''_0) \cos \phi = n E'_0 \cos \phi' \quad (3.45)$$

Snell's Law:

$$\sin \phi' = \frac{\sin \phi}{n}$$



Three equations in three unknowns
(E'_0, E''_0, ϕ') (for given E_0 and ϕ)



Reflection at an Interface (continued)

E_0 perpendicular to the plane of incidence (s-polarization)

$$\frac{E'_0}{E_0} = \frac{2 \cos \phi}{\cos \phi + \sqrt{n^2 - \sin^2 \phi}} \quad (3.47)$$

$$\frac{E''_0}{E_0} = \frac{\cos \phi - \sqrt{n^2 - \sin^2 \phi}}{\cos \phi + \sqrt{n^2 - \sin^2 \phi}} \quad (3.46)$$

The reflectivity R is then

$$R = \frac{\bar{I}''}{\bar{I}_0} = \frac{|\bar{\mathbf{S}}''|}{|\bar{\mathbf{S}}|} = \frac{\frac{1}{2} \text{Re}(\mathbf{E}_0'' \times \mathbf{H}_0''^*)}{\frac{1}{2} \text{Re}(\mathbf{E}_0 \times \mathbf{H}_0^*)} \quad (3.48)$$

With $n = 1$ for both incident and reflected waves,

$$R = \frac{|E''_0|^2}{|E_0|^2}$$

Which with Eq. (3.46) becomes, for the case of perpendicular (s) polarization

$$R_s = \frac{|\cos \phi - \sqrt{n^2 - \sin^2 \phi}|^2}{|\cos \phi + \sqrt{n^2 - \sin^2 \phi}|^2} \quad (3.49)$$



Normal Incidence Reflection at an Interface

Normal incidence ($\phi = 0$)

$$R_s = \frac{|\cos \phi - \sqrt{n^2 - \sin^2 \phi}|^2}{|\cos \phi + \sqrt{n^2 - \sin^2 \phi}|^2} \quad (3.49)$$

$$R_{s,\perp} = \frac{|1 - n|^2}{|1 + n|^2} = \frac{(1 - n)(1 - n^*)}{(1 + n)(1 + n^*)}$$

For $n = 1 - \delta + i\beta$

$$R_{s,\perp} = \frac{(\delta - i\beta)(\delta + i\beta)}{(2 - \delta + i\beta)(2 - \delta - i\beta)} = \frac{\delta^2 + \beta^2}{(2 - \delta)^2 + \beta^2}$$

Which for $\delta \ll 1$ and $\beta \ll 1$ gives the reflectivity for x-ray and EUV radiation at normal incidence ($\phi = 0$) as

$$\boxed{R_{s,\perp} \simeq \frac{\delta^2 + \beta^2}{4}} \quad (3.50)$$

Example: Nickel @ 300 eV (4.13 nm) $\left. \begin{array}{l} \text{From table C.1, p. 433} \\ f_1^0 = 17.8 \quad f_2^0 = 7.70 \\ \delta = 0.0124 \quad \beta = 0.00538 \end{array} \right\} R_{\perp} = 4.58 \times 10^{-5}$



Glancing Incidence Reflection (s-polarization)

$$R_s = \frac{\left| \cos \phi - \sqrt{n^2 - \sin^2 \phi} \right|^2}{\left| \cos \phi + \sqrt{n^2 - \sin^2 \phi} \right|^2} \quad (3.49)$$

For $\theta = 90^\circ - \phi \leq \theta_c$

where $\theta_c = \sqrt{2\delta} \ll 1$

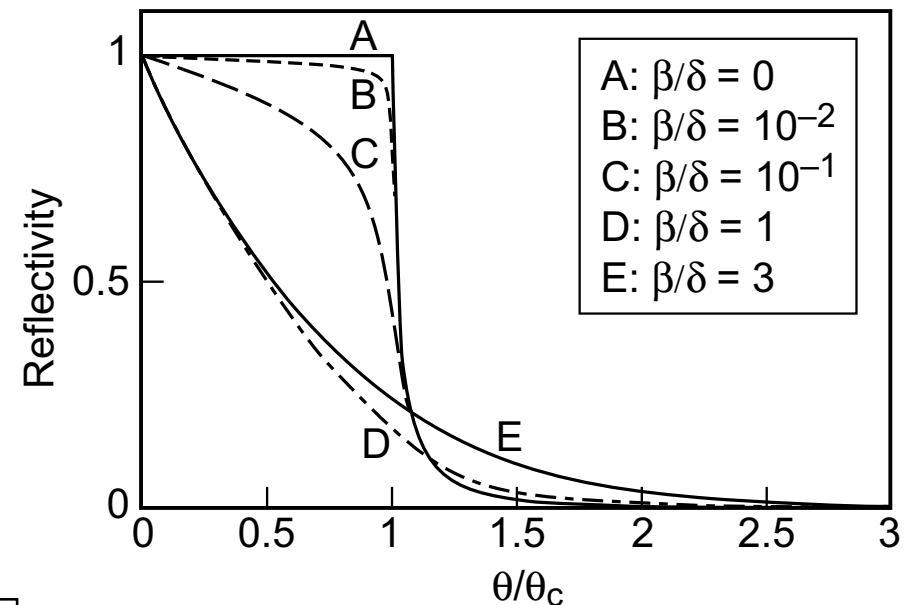
$$\cos \phi = \sin \theta \simeq \theta$$

$$\sin^2 \phi = 1 - \cos^2 \phi = 1 - \sin^2 \theta \simeq 1 - \theta^2$$

For $n = 1 - \delta + i\beta$

$$n^2 = (1 - \delta)^2 + 2i\beta(1 - \delta) - \beta^2$$

$$R_{s,\theta} = \frac{\left| \theta - \sqrt{(\theta^2 - \theta_c^2) + 2i\beta} \right|^2}{\left| \theta + \sqrt{(\theta^2 - \theta_c^2) + 2i\beta} \right|^2} \quad (\theta \ll 1)$$



E. Nähring, “Die Totalreflexion der Röntgenstrahlen”, Physik. Zeitstr. XXXI, 799 (Sept. 1930).



Reflection at an Interface (p-polarization)

E_0 parallel to the plane of incidence (p-polarization)

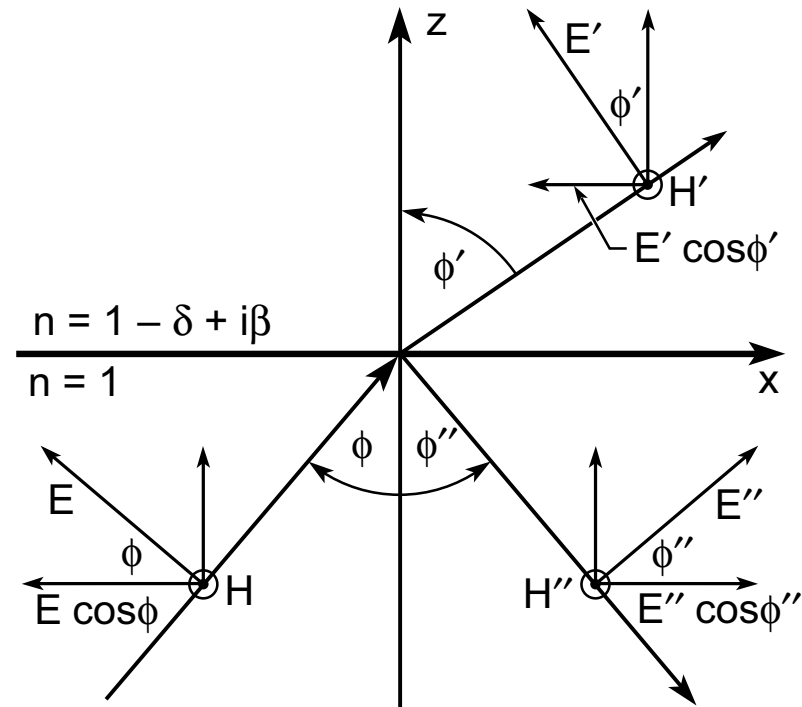
$$\frac{E''_0}{E_0} = \frac{n^2 \cos \phi - \sqrt{n^2 - \sin^2 \phi}}{n^2 \cos \phi + \sqrt{n^2 - \sin^2 \phi}} \quad (3.54)$$

$$\frac{E'_0}{E_0} = \frac{2n \cos \phi}{n^2 \cos \phi + \sqrt{n^2 - \sin^2 \phi}} \quad (3.55)$$

The reflectivity for parallel (p) polarization is

$$R_p = \left| \frac{E''_0}{E_0} \right|^2 = \frac{\left| n^2 \cos \phi - \sqrt{n^2 - \sin^2 \phi} \right|^2}{\left| n^2 \cos \phi + \sqrt{n^2 - \sin^2 \phi} \right|^2} \quad (3.56)$$

which is similar in form but slightly different from that for s-polarization. For $\phi = 0$ (normal incidence) the results are identical.





Brewster's Angle for X-Rays and EUV

For p-polarization

$$R_p = \left| \frac{E_0''}{E_0} \right|^2 = \frac{\left| n^2 \cos \phi - \sqrt{n^2 - \sin^2 \phi} \right|^2}{\left| n^2 \cos \phi + \sqrt{n^2 - \sin^2 \phi} \right|^2} \quad (3.56)$$

There is a minimum in the reflectivity where the numerator satisfies

$$n^2 \cos \phi_B = \sqrt{n^2 - \sin^2 \phi_B} \quad (3.58)$$

Squaring both sides, collecting like terms involving ϕ_B , and factoring, one has

$$n^2(n^2 - 1) = (n^4 - 1) \sin^2 \phi_B$$

or
$$\sin \phi_B = \frac{n}{\sqrt{n^2 + 1}}$$

the condition for a minimum in the reflectivity, for parallel polarized radiation, occurs at an angle given by

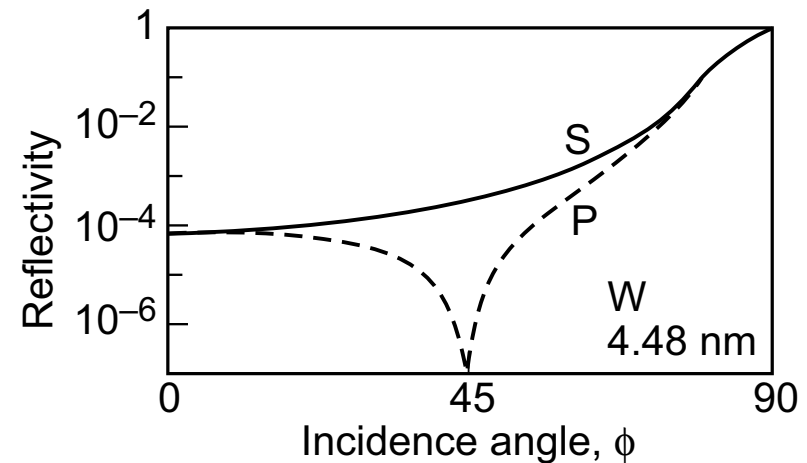
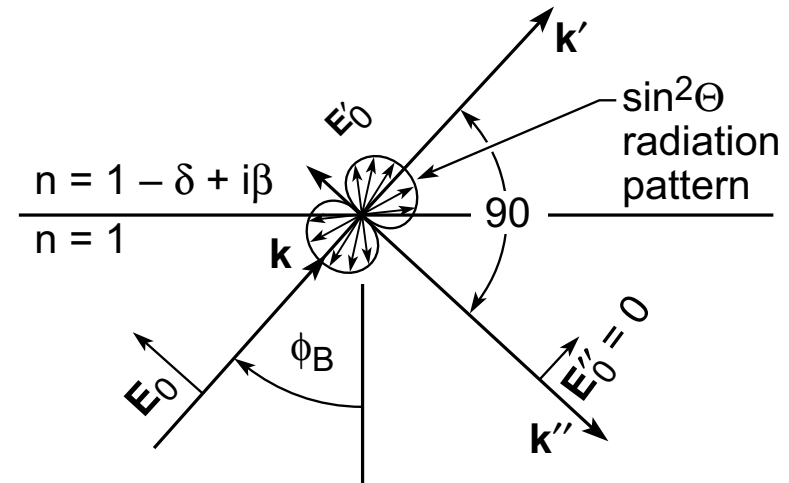
$$\tan \phi_B = n \quad (3.59)$$

For complex n , Brewster's minimum occurs at

$$\tan \phi_B = 1 - \delta$$

or

$$\phi_B \simeq \frac{\pi}{4} - \frac{\delta}{2} \quad (3.60)$$

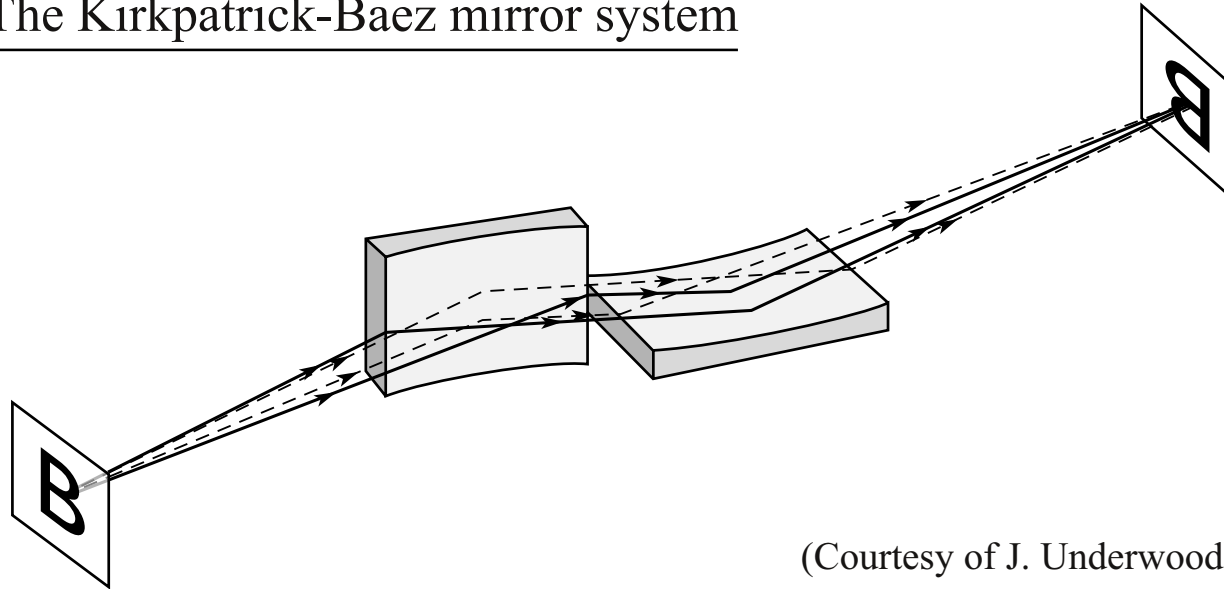


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Focusing with Curved, Glancing Incidence Optics

The Kirkpatrick-Baez mirror system

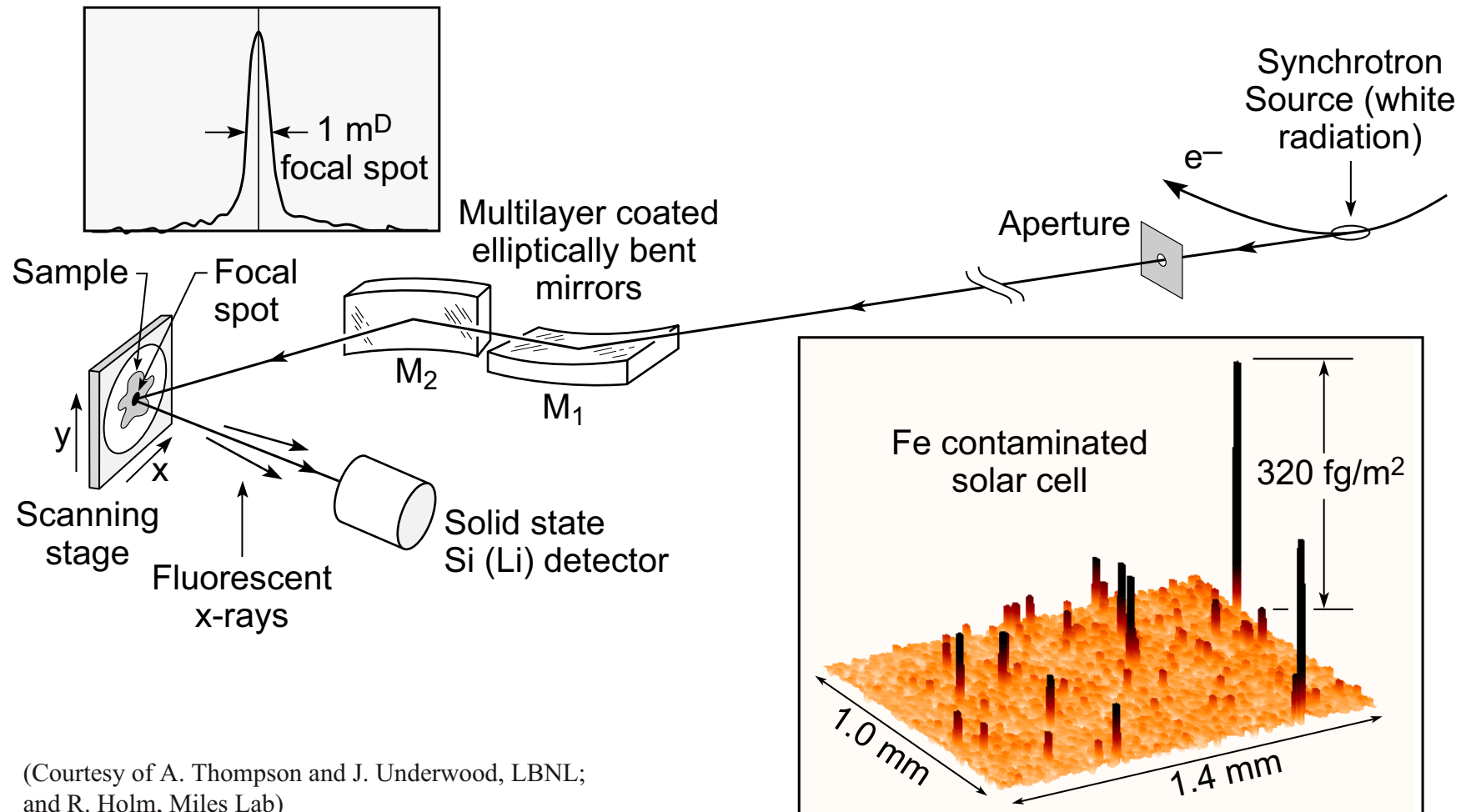


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- Two crossed cylinders (or spheres)
- Astigmatism cancels
- Fusion diagnostics
- Common use in synchrotron radiation beamlines
- See hard x-ray microprobe, chapter 4, figure 4.14



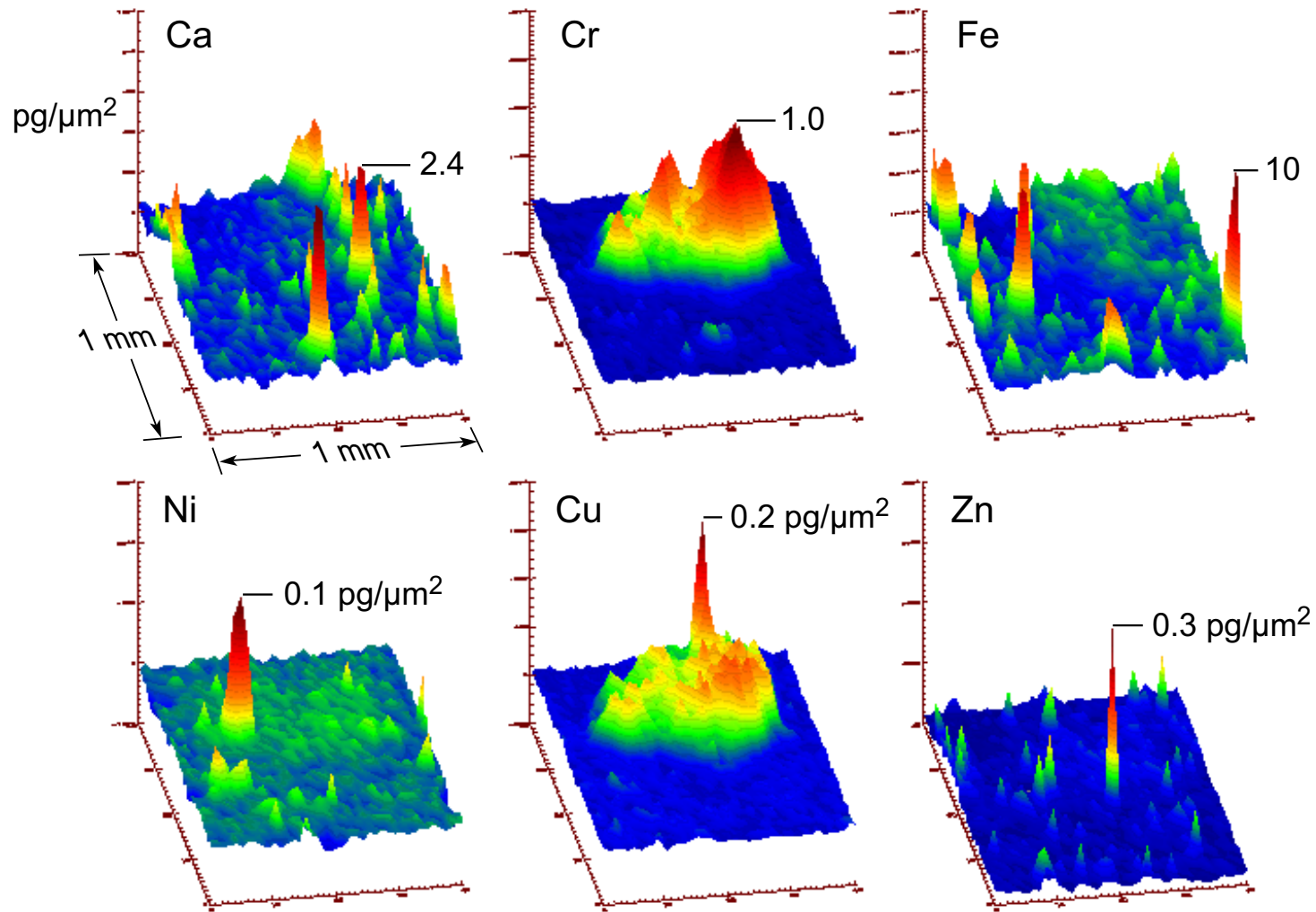
Buried, Trace Amounts of Iron in a Defective Silicon Solar Cell



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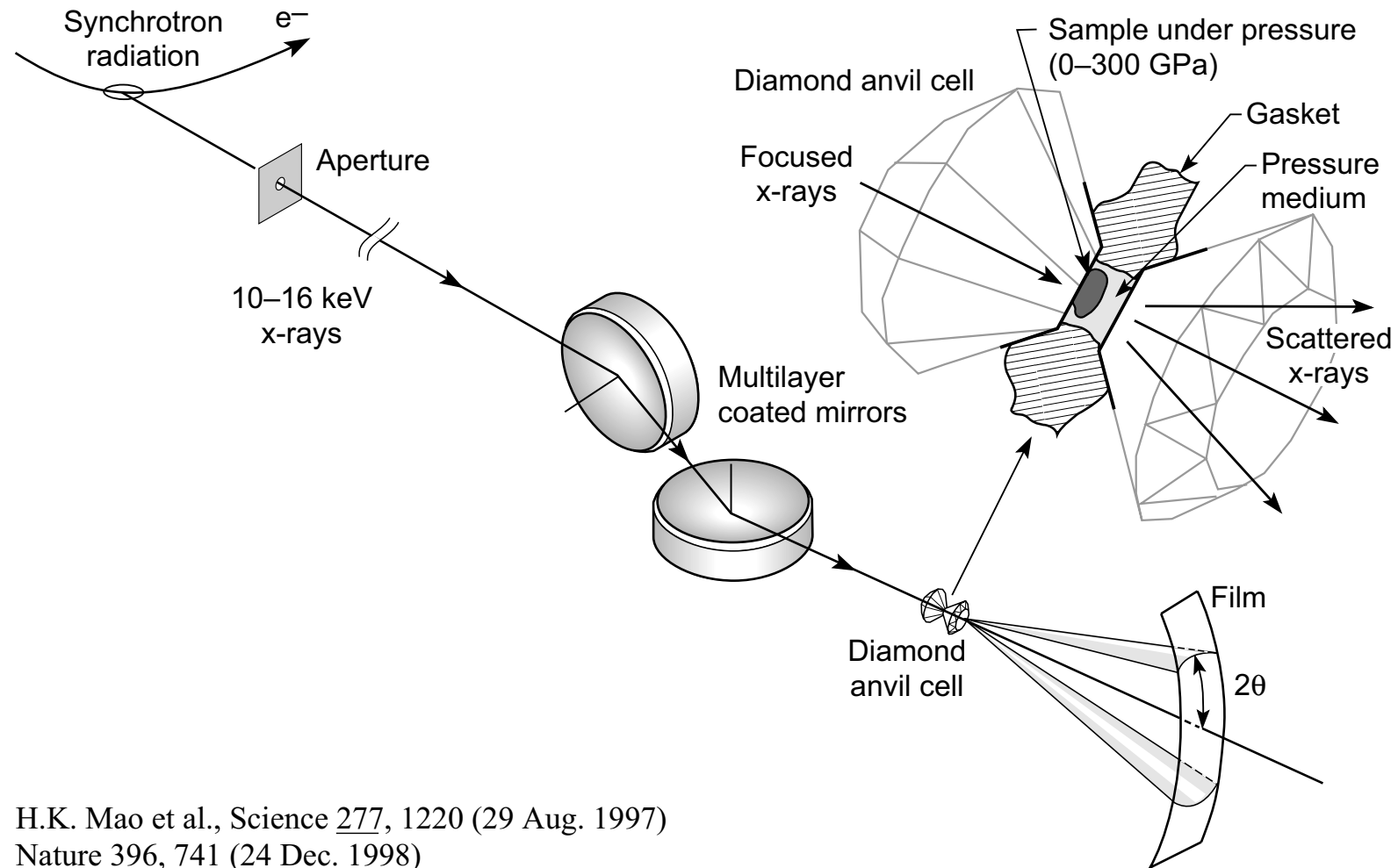
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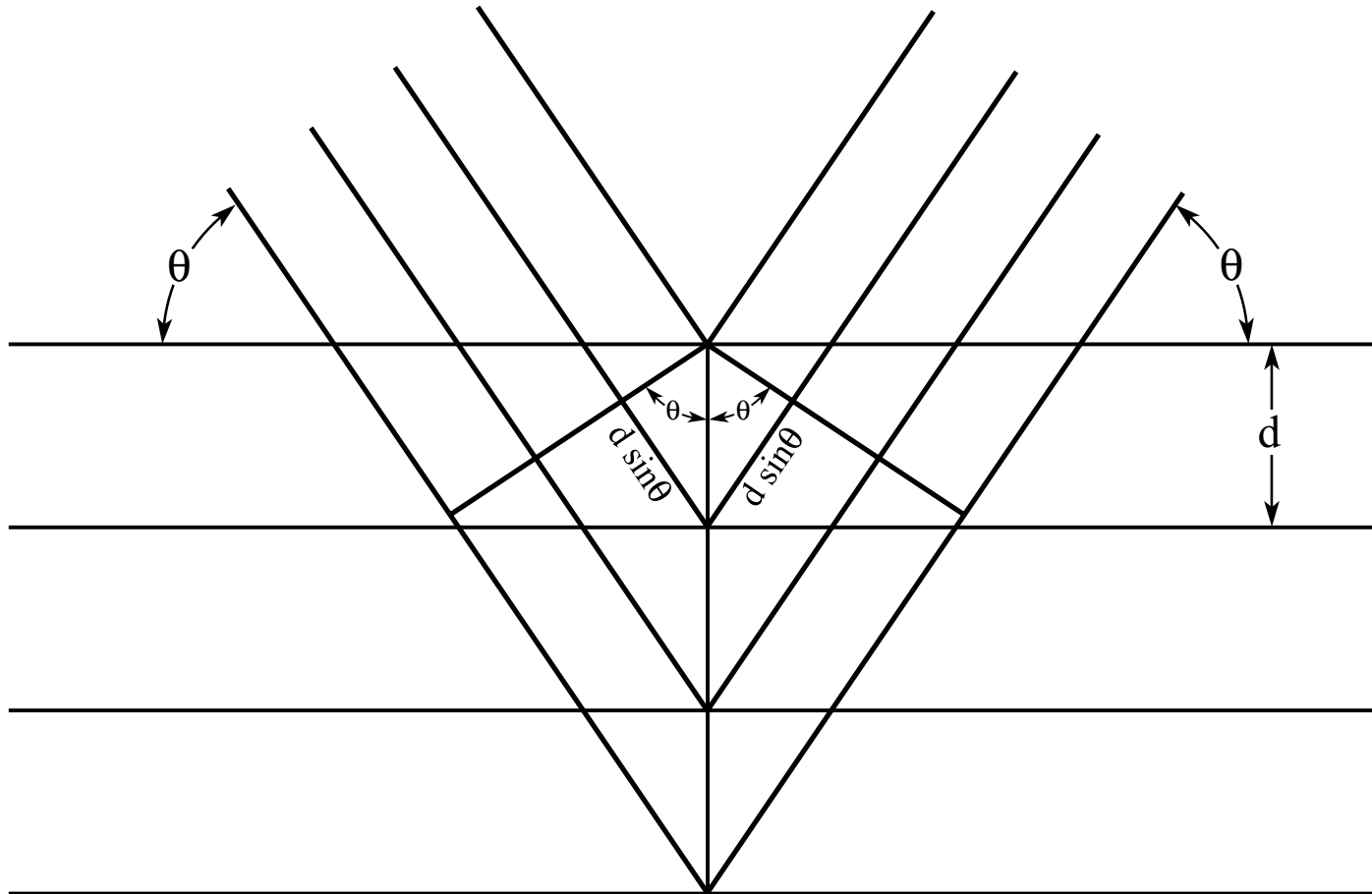
High Resolution X-Ray Diffraction Under High Pressure Using Multilayer Coated Focusing Optics



H.K. Mao et al., *Science* 277, 1220 (29 Aug. 1997)
Nature 396, 741 (24 Dec. 1998)



Bragg Scattering, or Diffraction, Seen as a Reflection from Crystal Planes



Constructive interference occurs when the additional path length is equal to an integral number of wavelengths:

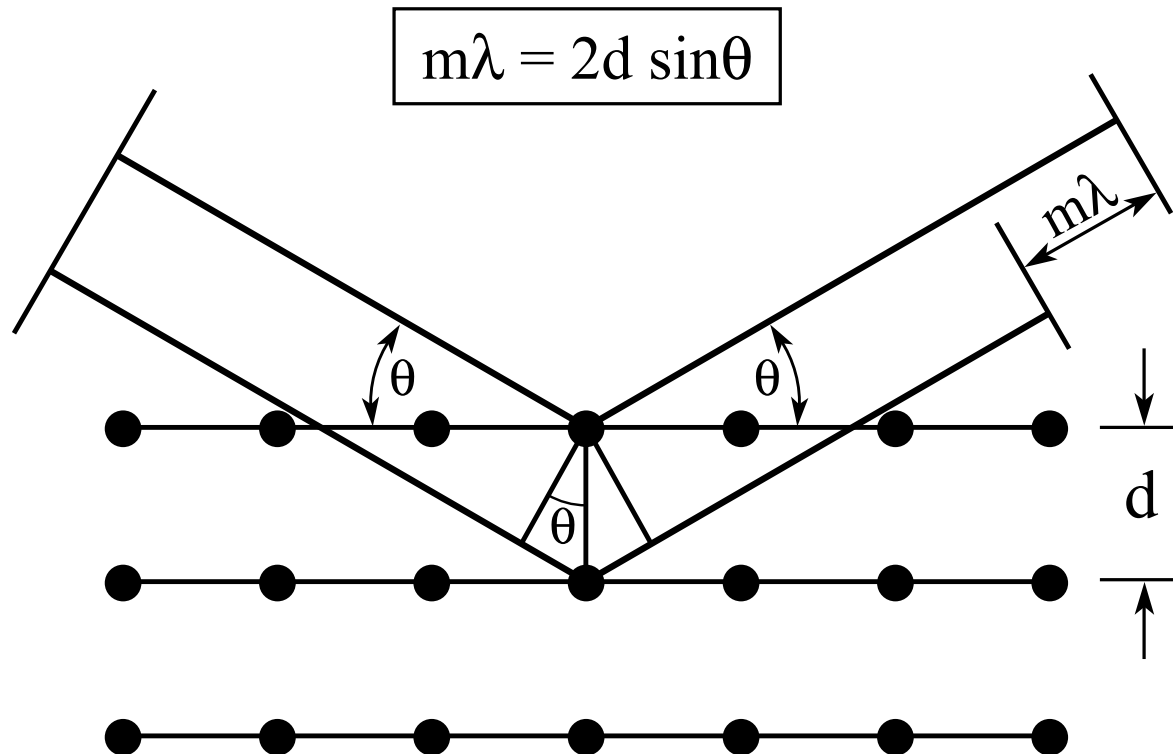
$$m\lambda = 2d \sin\theta$$

(Bragg's Law)
($m = 1, 2, \dots$)

R.B. Leighton, *Principles of Modern Physics* (McGraw-Hill, New York, 1959), section 12.4.



The Derivation of Bragg's Law



The path difference of radiation “reflecting” off sequential planes must be equal to an interger number of wavelengths.

The angle θ is measured from the crystal plane, and the distance between planes is referred to as the “d-spacing”.

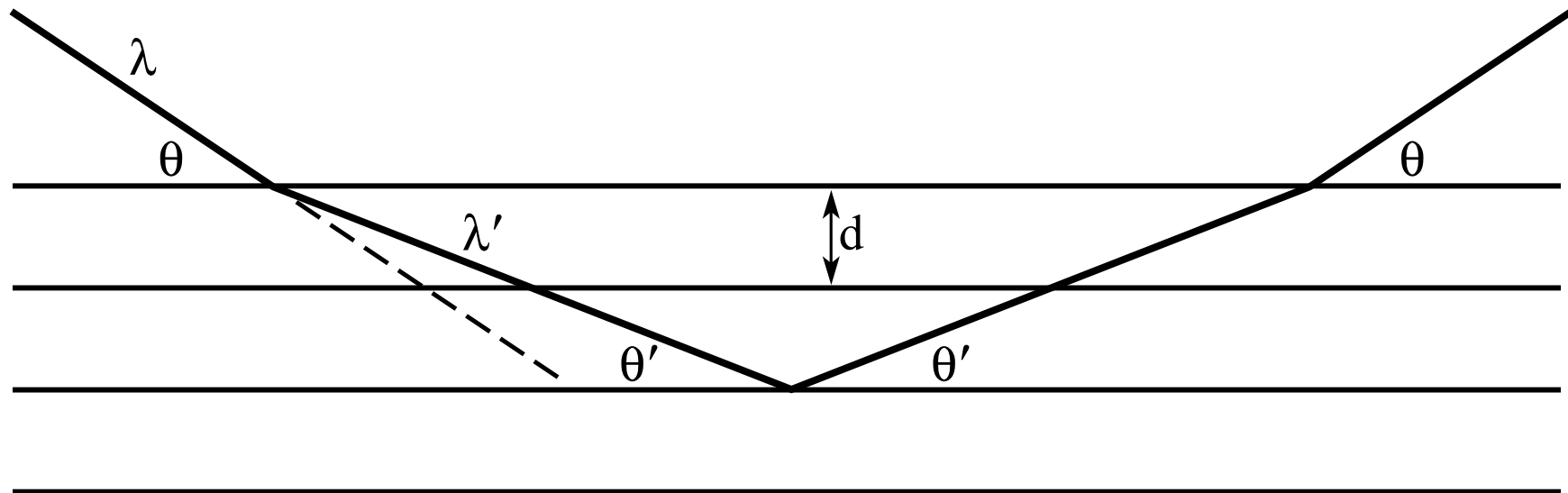
From A.H. Compton and S.K. Allison, *X-Rays in Theory and Experiment* (D.Van Nostrand, New York, 1926), p.29.
Also see M. Siegbahn, *The Spectroscopy of X-Rays* (Oxford University Press, London, 1925), p.16.



X-Rays are Refracted Entering a Crystal

Refraction of x-rays at a crystal surface requires a small correction to the Bragg condition:

$$m\lambda = 2d \sin\theta \left(1 - \frac{4\bar{\delta}d^2}{m^2\lambda^2}\right)$$



R.B. Leighton, *Principles of Modern Physics* (McGraw-Hill, New York, 1959), p. 456.