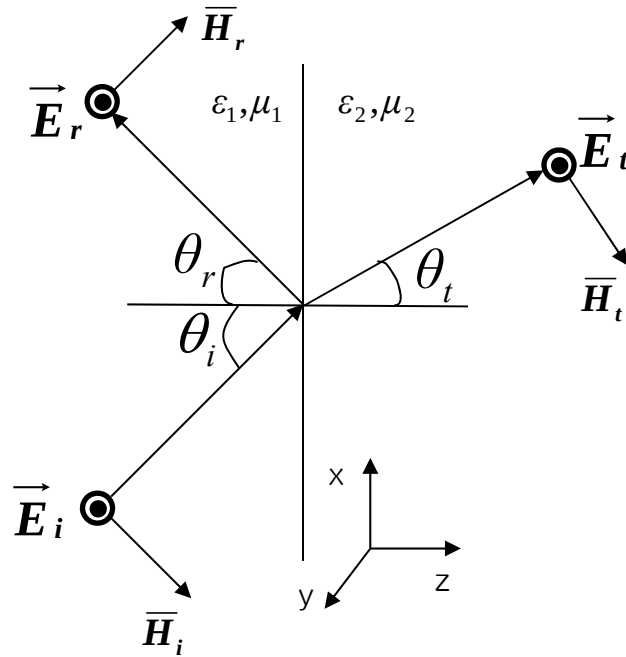


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Perpendicular Polarization

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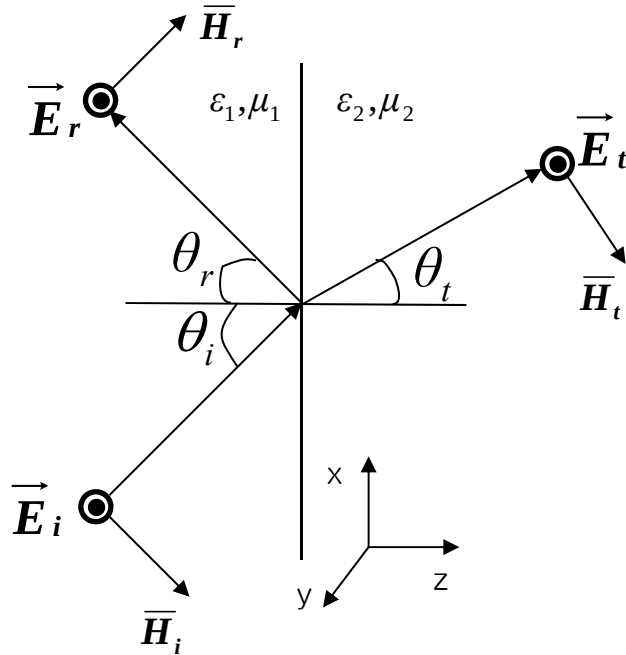
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Unknowns: $\Gamma, \tau, \theta_r, \theta_t$

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B.C.'s at $z=0$

$$1) \overline{E}_{\tan} \text{ continuous } (\overline{E}_i + \overline{E}_r = \overline{E}_t)$$

$$\exp(-j\beta_{1x}x) + \Gamma \exp(-j\beta_{rx}x) = \tau \exp(-j\beta_{2x}x)$$

$$\therefore (a) \beta_{1x} = \beta_{rx} = \beta_{2x} \text{ and } (b) 1 + \Gamma = \tau$$

From $\beta_{1x} = \beta_{rx} = \beta_{2x}$: $\beta_{\tan}$ all identical

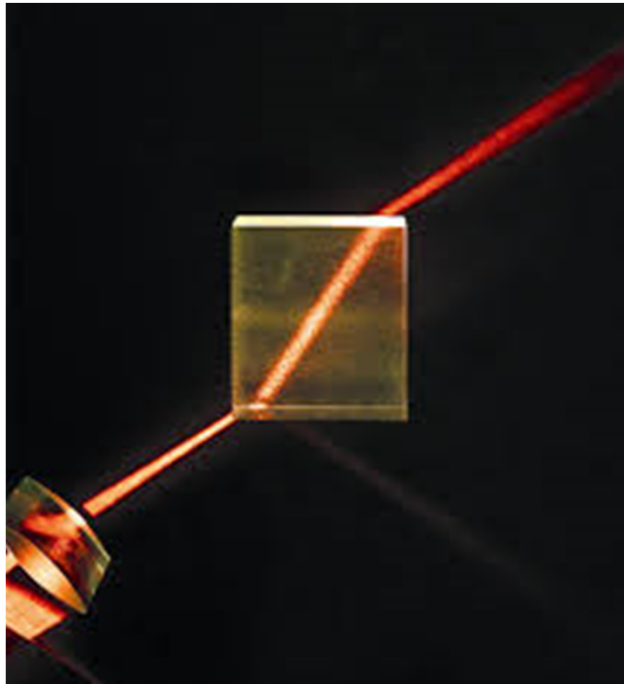
$$\sin\theta_i = \sin\theta_r \quad \omega\sqrt{\mu_1\epsilon_1} \sin\theta_i = \omega\sqrt{\mu_2\epsilon_2} \sin\theta_t$$

With $\mu_1 = \mu_2$ and $n = \sqrt{\epsilon_r}$

$$n_1 \sin\theta_i = n_2 \sin\theta_t: \text{ Snell's Law}$$

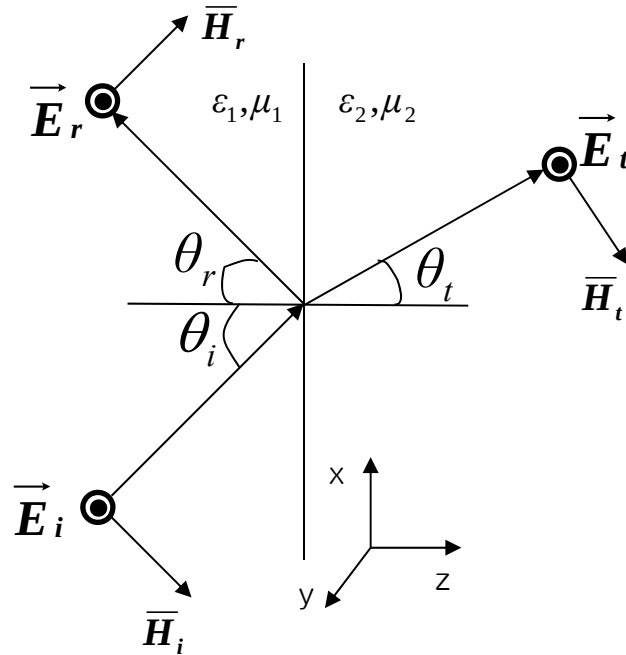
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Snell's Law: $n_1 \sin \theta_i = n_2 \sin \theta_t$



→ Refraction

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B.C.'s at $z=0$

2) $\bar{H}_{\tan}$ continuous

$$-\frac{\cos \theta_i}{\eta_1} + \frac{\cos \theta_i}{\eta_1} \Gamma = -\frac{\cos \theta_t}{\eta_2} \tau$$

With $1 + \Gamma = \tau$,

$$\bar{H}_i = (-\bar{x} \cos \theta_i + \bar{z} \sin \theta_i) \frac{E_i}{\eta_1} \exp(-j\beta_{1x}x) \exp(-j\beta_{1z}z)$$

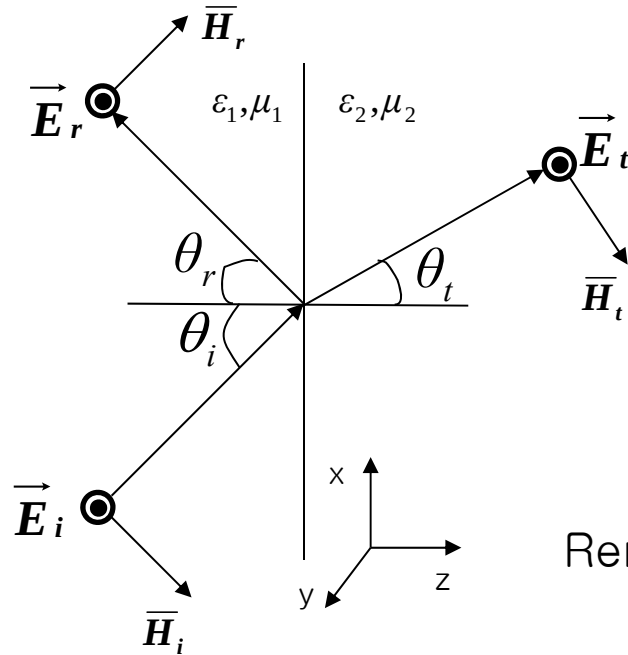
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$$\Gamma_{\perp} = \frac{\eta_2 / \cos \theta_t - \eta_1 / \cos \theta_i}{\eta_2 / \cos \theta_t + \eta_1 / \cos \theta_i}$$

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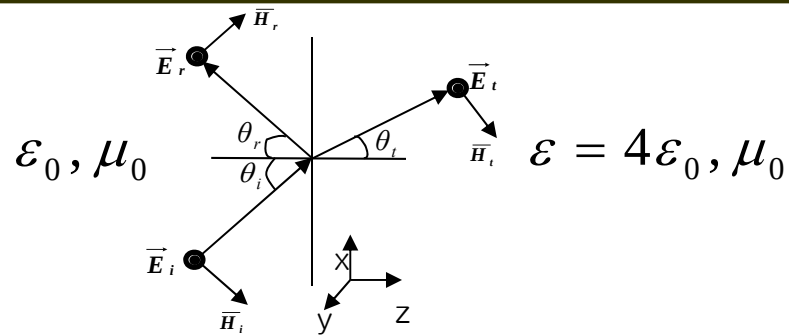
Remember for normal incident

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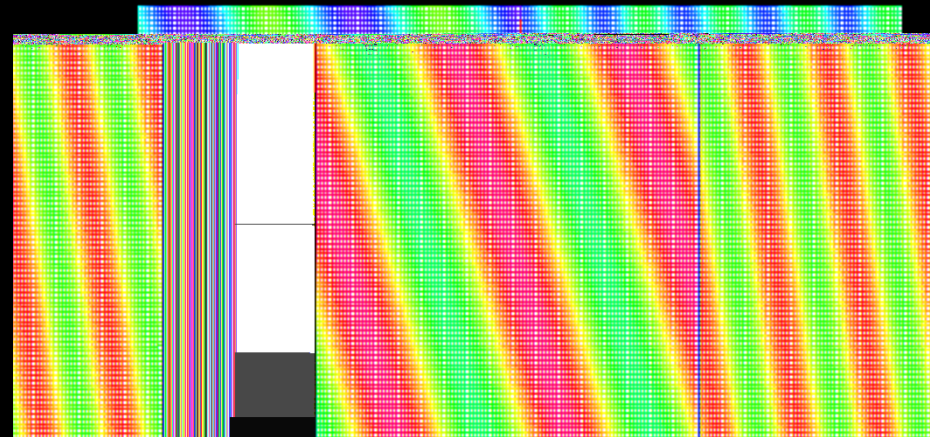
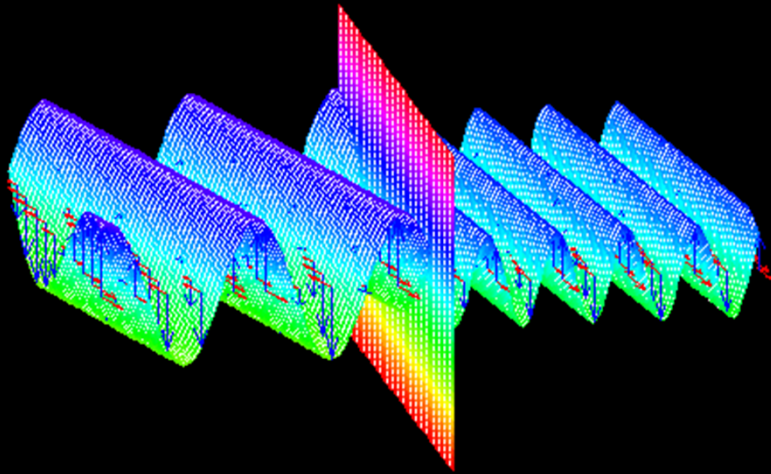
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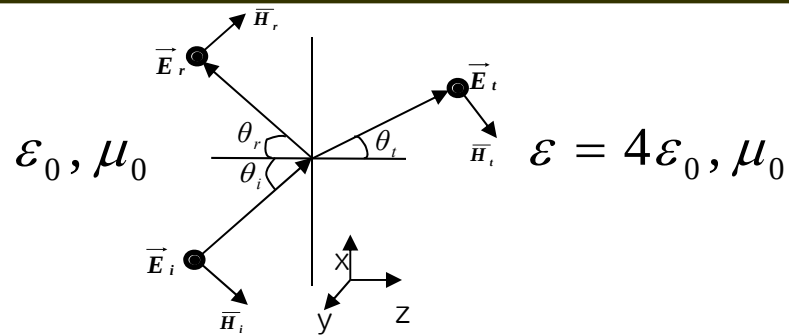
$$\text{For } \theta_i = 20^\circ \quad \theta_t = \sin^{-1} \left[\frac{1}{2} \sin(20^\circ) \right] \approx 9.85^\circ$$

$$\Gamma = -0.3542, \quad \tau = 0.6458$$

Incident and Transmitted Waves



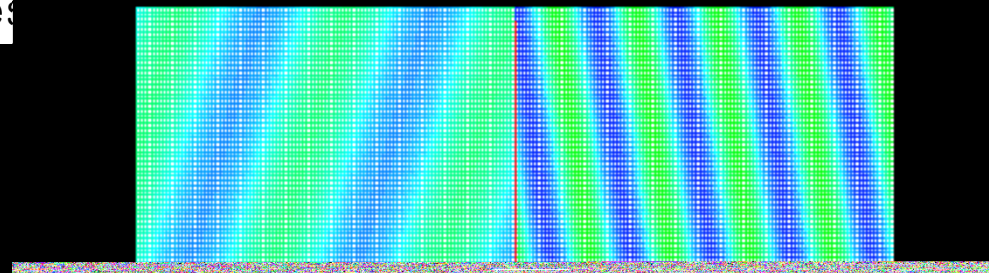
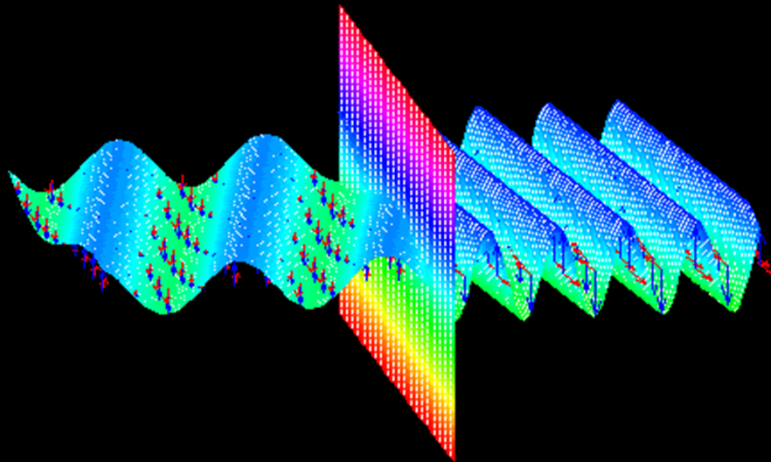
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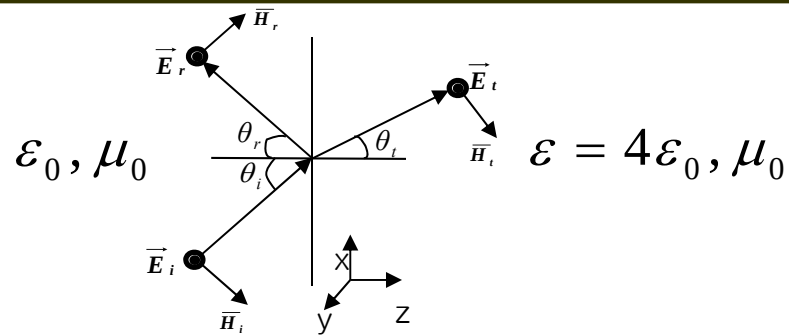
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Reflected and Transmitted Waves



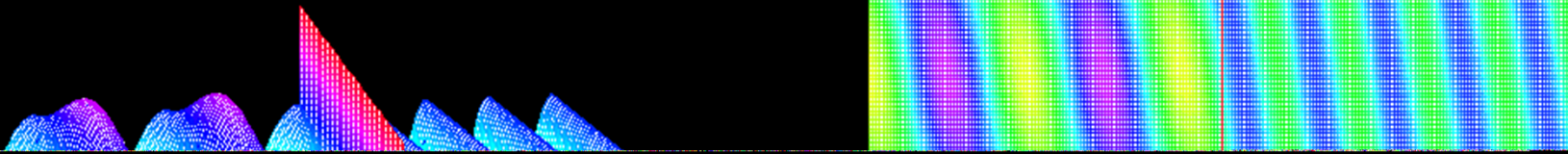
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For $\theta_i = 20^\circ$ $\theta_t \approx 9.85^\circ$

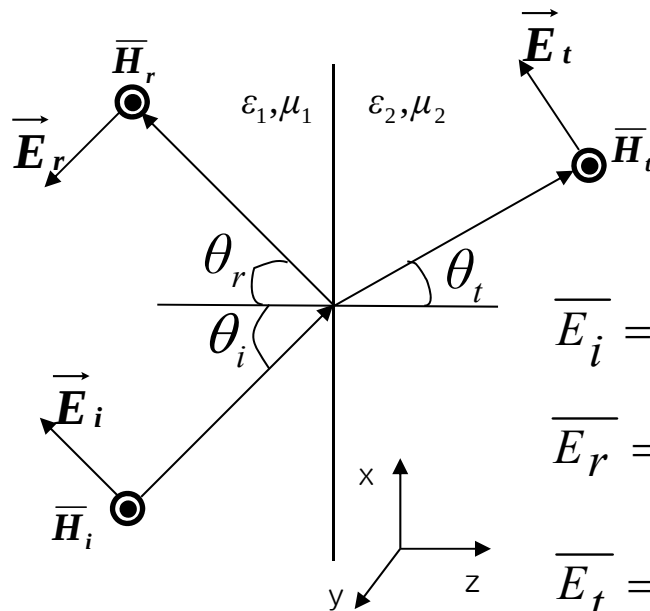
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Total and Transmitted Waves



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✓ Parallel Polarization



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$$\overline{E_i} = (\overline{x} \cos \theta_i - \overline{z} \sin \theta_i) H_i \eta_1 \exp(-j\beta_{1x}x) \exp(-j\beta_{1z}z)$$

$$\overline{E_r} = (-\overline{x} \cos \theta_r - \overline{z} \sin \theta_r) H_r \eta_1 \exp(-j\beta_{rx}x) \exp(j\beta_{rz}z)$$

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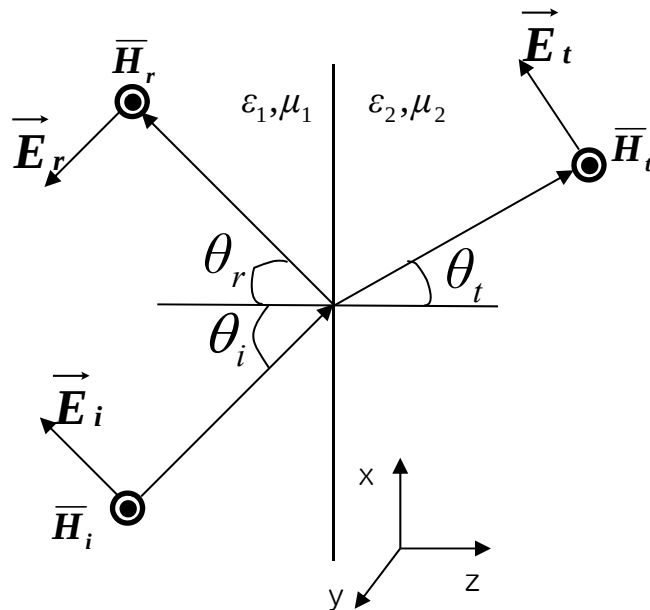
$$\frac{E_r}{E_i} = \Gamma$$

$$\frac{H_r}{H_i} = -\Gamma$$

$$\frac{H_t}{H_i} = \frac{E_t / \eta_2}{E_i / \eta_1} = \tau \frac{\eta_1}{\eta_2}$$

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✓ Parallel Polarization



$$\frac{H_r}{H_i} = -\Gamma \quad \frac{H_t}{H_i} = \frac{E_t / \eta_2}{E_i / \eta_1} = \tau \frac{\eta_1}{\eta_2}$$

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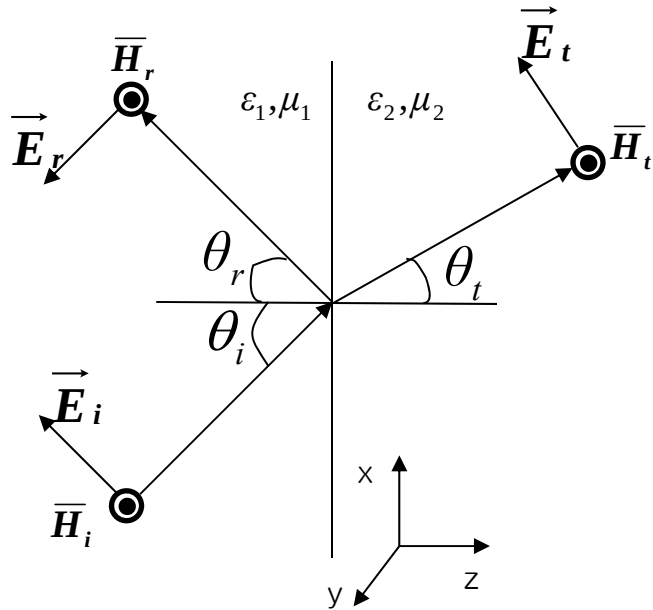
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B.C.'s at $z=0$

$$1) \bar{H}_{\tan} \text{ continuous } (\bar{H}_i + \bar{H}_r = \bar{H}_t)$$

$$\exp(-j\beta_{1x}x) - \Gamma \exp(-j\beta_{rx}x) = \frac{\eta_1}{\eta_2} \tau \exp(-j\beta_{2x}x)$$

$$\therefore (a) \beta_{1x} = \beta_{rx} = \beta_{2x} \quad (b) \quad 1 - \Gamma = \frac{\eta_1}{\eta_2} \tau$$

From $\beta_{1x} = \beta_{rx} = \beta_{2x}$: $\beta_{\tan}$ all identical

$$\therefore \sin\theta_i = \sin\theta_r \quad \text{and} \quad \omega\sqrt{\mu_1\epsilon_1}\sin\theta_i = \omega\sqrt{\mu_2\epsilon_2}\sin\theta_t$$

With $\mu_1 = \mu_2$ and $n = \sqrt{\epsilon_r}$

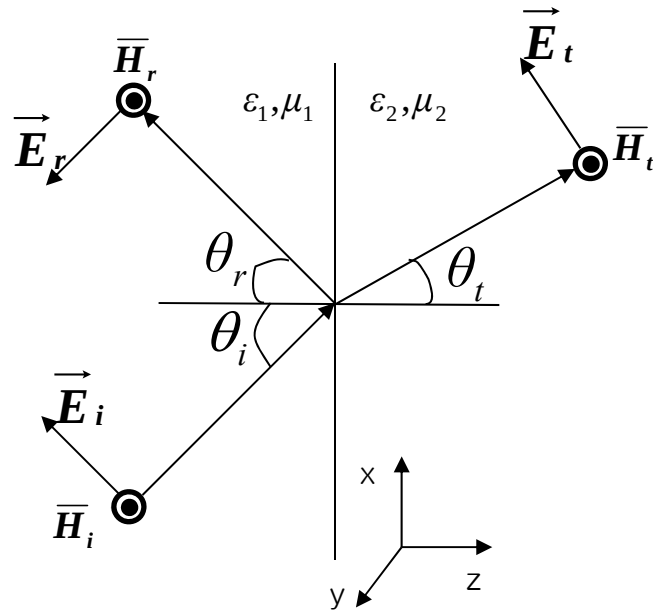
$n_1 \sin\theta_i = n_2 \sin\theta_t$: Snell's Law

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B.C.'s at $z=0$

2) $\vec{E}_{\text{tan}}$ continuous

$$\cos \theta_i + \Gamma \cos \theta_i = \tau \cos \theta_t$$

With $1 - \Gamma = \frac{\eta_1}{\eta_2} \tau$,

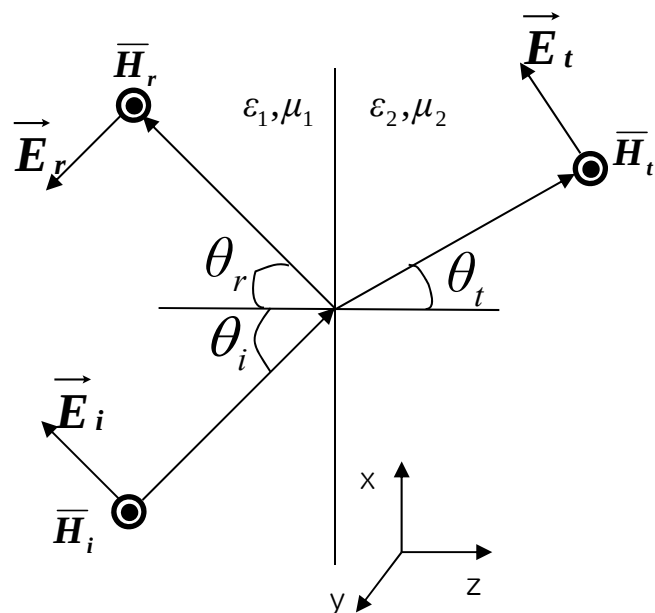
$$\Gamma_{\parallel} = \frac{\eta_2 \cos \theta_t - \eta_1 \cos \theta_i}{\eta_2 \cos \theta_t + \eta_1 \cos \theta_i}, \quad \tau_{\parallel} = \frac{2\eta_2 \cos \theta_i}{\eta_2 \cos \theta_t + \eta_1 \cos \theta_i}$$

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$$\Gamma_{\parallel} = \frac{\eta_2 \cos \theta_t - \eta_1 \cos \theta_i}{\eta_2 \cos \theta_t + \eta_1 \cos \theta_i}, \quad \tau_{\parallel} = \frac{2\eta_2 \cos \theta_i}{\eta_2 \cos \theta_t + \eta_1 \cos \theta_i}$$

Remember for normal incident

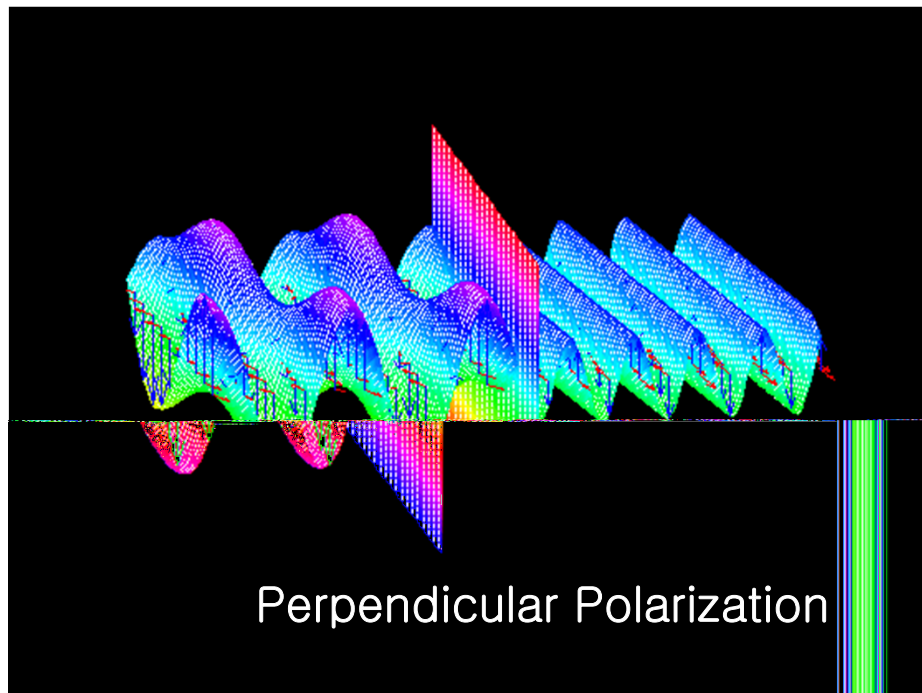
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For oblique incidence of parallel polarization, effectively

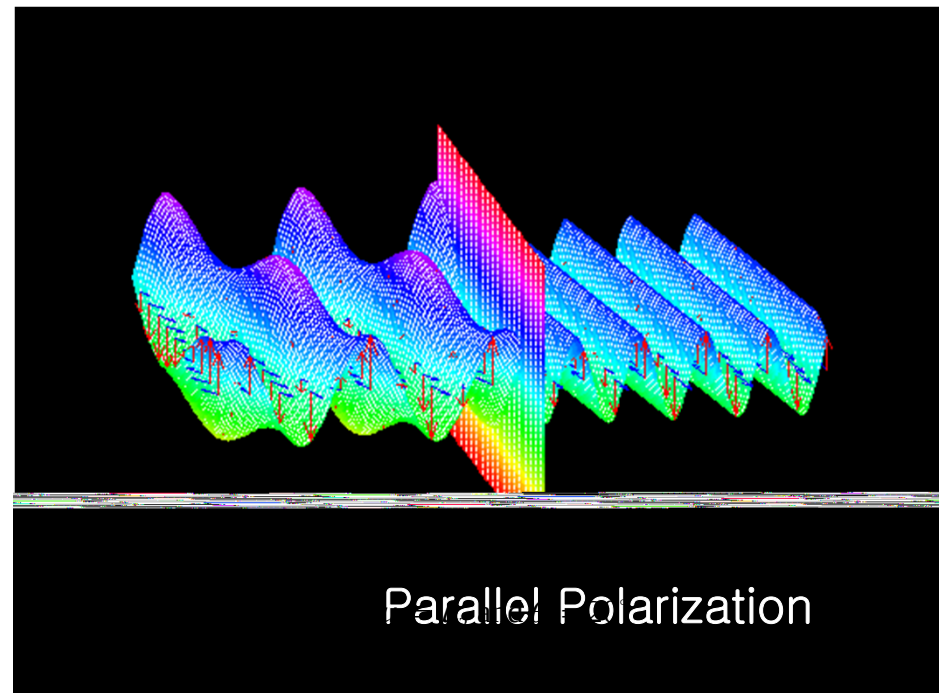
$$\eta_1 \Rightarrow \eta_1 \cos \theta_i, \quad \eta_2 \Rightarrow \eta_2 \cos \theta_t$$

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$$4\varepsilon_1 = \varepsilon_2, \mu_1 = \mu_2 \text{ and } \theta_i = 20^\circ$$



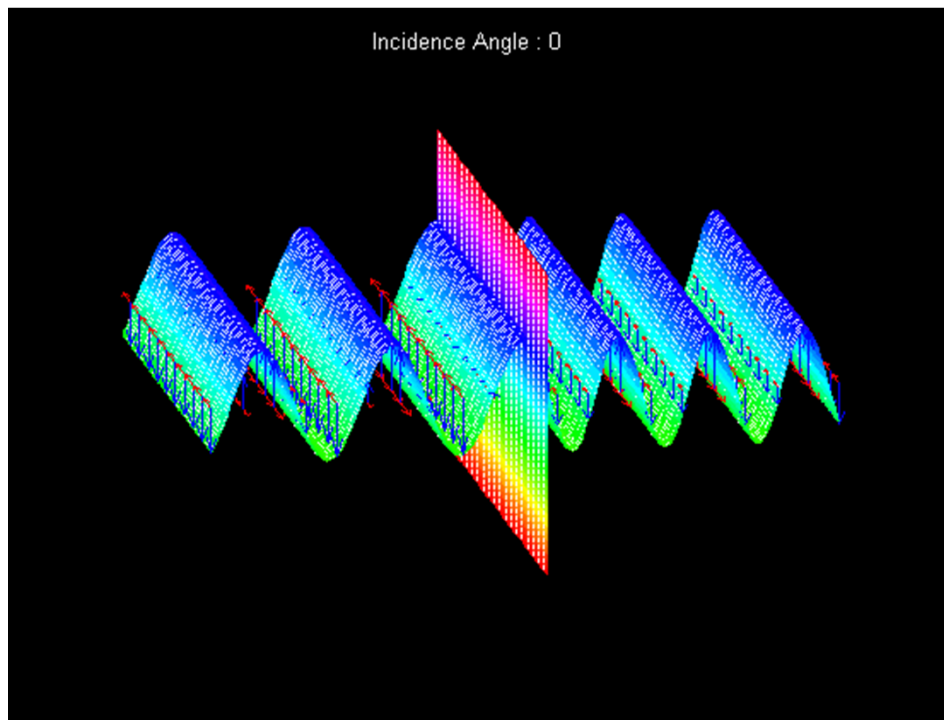
$$\theta_t = 9.85^\circ, \Gamma = -0.354, \tau = 0.646$$



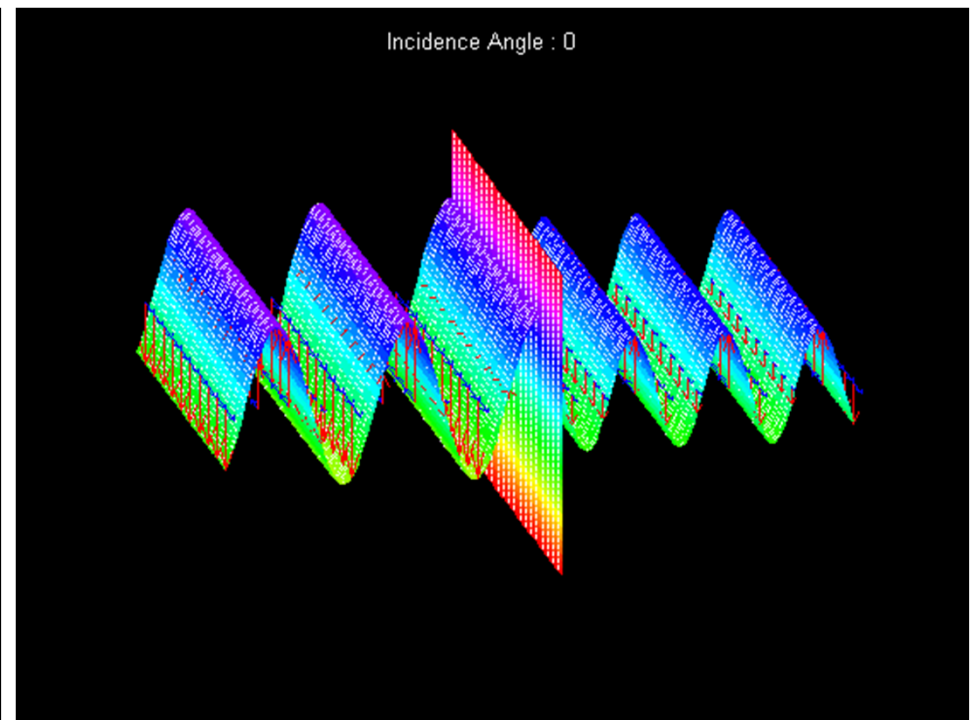
$$\theta_t = 9.85^\circ, \Gamma = -0.312, \tau = 0.656$$

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$$2\varepsilon_1 = \varepsilon_2, \mu_1 = \mu_2 \text{ and } \theta_i : \text{from } 0^\circ \text{ to } 90^\circ$$



Perpendicular



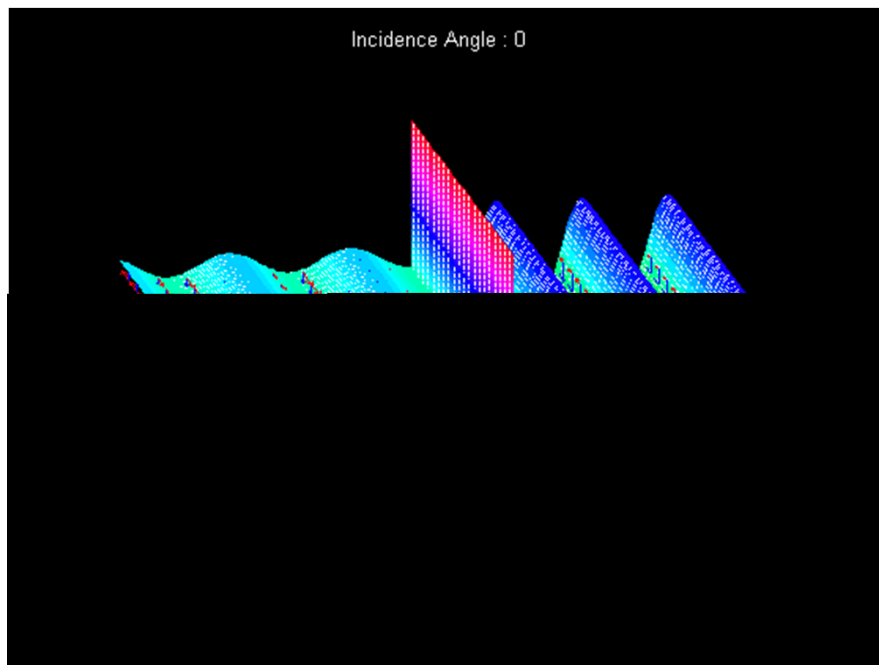
Parallel

Do you see any difference?

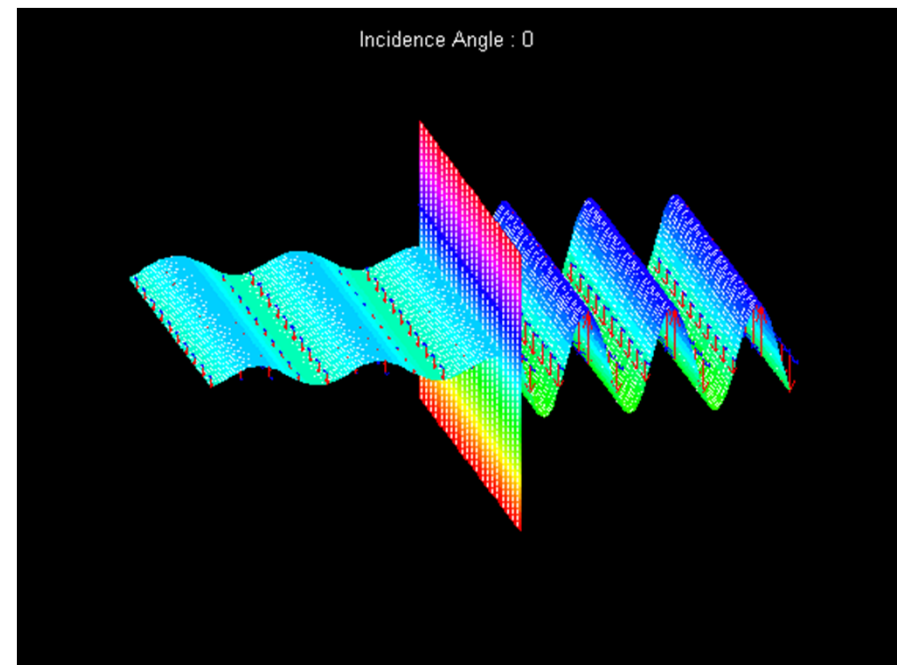
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Reflected and Transmitted Waves only



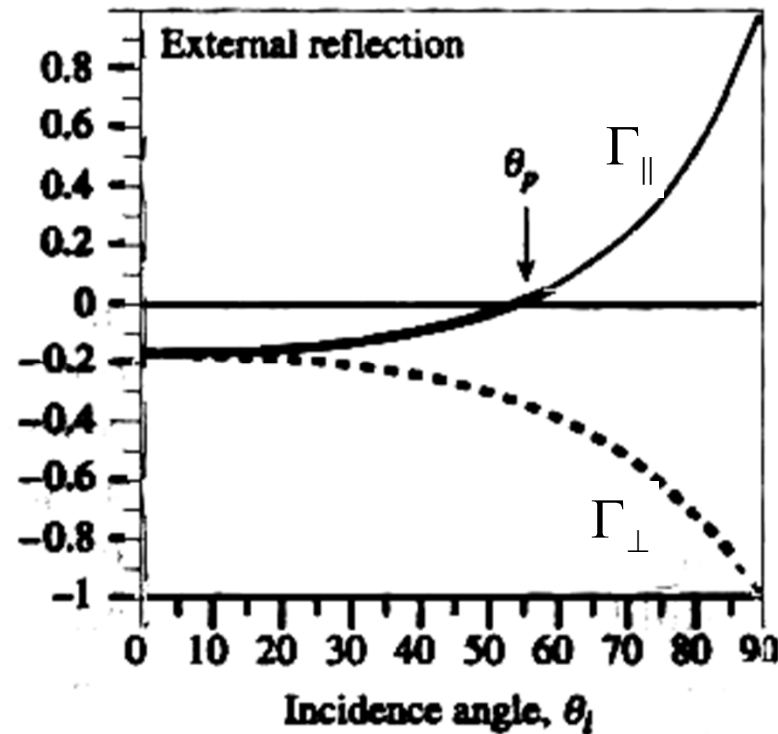
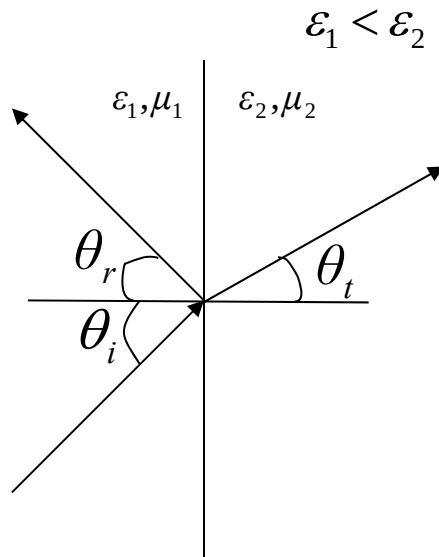
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Parallel

Do you see any difference?

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For a certain incident angle, there is no reflection for parallel polarization

→ Brewster angle

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$$\text{For } \Gamma_{\perp} = \frac{\eta_2 / \cos \theta_t - \eta_1 / \cos \theta_i}{\eta_2 / \cos \theta_t + \eta_1 / \cos \theta_i} = 0$$

$$\sqrt{\frac{\mu}{\epsilon_2}} \frac{1}{\cos \theta_t} - \sqrt{\frac{\mu}{\epsilon_1}} \frac{1}{\cos \theta_i} = 0$$

$$\therefore n_1 \cos \theta_i = n_2 \cos \theta_t,$$

$$\text{But } n_1 \sin \theta_i = n_2 \sin \theta_t \quad (\text{Snell's law})$$

$$\therefore \text{No } \theta_i \text{ exists.}$$

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$$\text{For } \Gamma_{\parallel} = \frac{\eta_2 \cos \theta_t - \eta_1 \cos \theta_i}{\eta_2 \cos \theta_t + \eta_1 \cos \theta_i} = 0$$

$$\sqrt{\frac{\mu}{\epsilon_2}} \cos \theta_t - \sqrt{\frac{\mu}{\epsilon_1}} \cos \theta_i = 0$$

$$\therefore n_2 \cos \theta_i = n_1 \cos \theta_t \quad \text{and} \quad n_1 \sin \theta_i = n_2 \sin \theta_t$$

$$\sin^2 \theta_i = \frac{n_2^2}{n_1^2 + n_2^2} \quad \text{and} \quad \cos^2 \theta_i = \frac{n_1^2}{n_1^2 + n_2^2} \quad \therefore \theta_i = \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{n_2}{n_1} \right)$$

$$\text{For the previous demo, } \theta_i = \tan^{-1}(\sqrt{2}) = 54.7^\circ$$

For dielectric materials, Brewster angle exists only for parallel polarization

(Assuming $\mu_1 = \mu_2$)

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- Incident sun light has both perpendicular and parallel polarization
- At Brewster angle, only light with perpendicular polarization gets reflected
- A polarizer can block light with certain polarization
- Then, reflection of sun light can be entirely blocked

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