

# Maxwell's Equations [ In differential form ] :-

$$\text{Div } D = \rho$$

Gauss Law of Electrostatics

$$\text{Div } B = 0$$

Magnetostatics

$$\text{curl } H = J + J_d$$

Modification in Ampere Law

$$\text{curl } E = -\frac{\delta B}{\delta t}$$

Faraday Law

Maxwell gives four eq<sup>n</sup>s which are based upon electrostatics and two are based upon magnetostatics and the whole Maxwell's eq<sup>n</sup> can be written as

- (i)  $\text{Div } D = \rho$
- (ii)  $\text{Div } B = 0$
- (iii)  $\text{curl } H = J + J_d$
- (iv)  $\text{curl } E = -\frac{\delta B}{\delta t}$

Maxwell's first eq<sup>n</sup> :-

1. This is also known as Gauss law of electrostatics. According to this law the divergence of electric displacement vector (D) is discontinuous i.e; it is equal to volume charge density ( $\rho$ ).

$\text{Div } D = \rho$

where D is the electric displacement vector whose unit is  $\text{Coulomb/m}^2$

proof:- When a dielectric substance is placed in an electric field then two charges are created in the dielectric substance known as bound charge and free charge.

From Gauss law of electrostatics,

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$\epsilon_0 = 8.85 \times 10^{-12} \text{ C}^2/\text{Nm}^2$

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The bound charge is associated with bound charge density and free charge is associated with free charge density, which can be expressed as

$$\oint \mathbf{E} \cdot d\mathbf{s} = \frac{1}{\epsilon_0} (q + q') \quad \text{--- (i)}$$

$$q = \int \rho \, dV \quad \text{--- (ii)}$$

$$q' = \int \rho' \, dV \quad \text{--- (iii)}$$

Now, from eq<sup>n</sup> (i), (ii) & (iii), we get

$$\oint \mathbf{E} \cdot d\mathbf{s} = \frac{1}{\epsilon_0} \left[ \int \rho \, dV + \int \rho' \, dV \right] \quad \text{--- (iv)}$$

Now the bound charge density in term of polarisation can be expressed as

$$\rho' = -\text{div } \mathbf{P} = -\text{Div } \mathbf{P}$$

then put in eq<sup>n</sup> (iv), it will

converts in the form

$$\int E \cdot ds = \frac{1}{\epsilon_0} \int \rho dv - \frac{1}{\epsilon_0} \int \text{Div } P dv$$

Now, from Gauss divergence theorem the surface integral can be converted into volume integral i.e.,

$$\int \text{Div } E \cdot dv = \frac{1}{\epsilon_0} \int \rho dv - \frac{1}{\epsilon_0} \int \text{Div } P dv$$

$$\int \text{Div } E \cdot dv + \frac{1}{\epsilon_0} \int \text{Div } P \cdot dv = \frac{1}{\epsilon_0} \int \rho dv$$

$$\int \text{Div} \left( E + \frac{P}{\epsilon_0} \right) dv = \frac{1}{\epsilon_0} \int \rho dv$$

$$\frac{1}{\epsilon_0} \int \text{Div} (\epsilon_0 E + P) dv = \frac{1}{\epsilon_0} \int \rho dv$$

$$\int \text{Div } D \cdot dv = \int \rho dv$$

$$\boxed{\text{Div } D = \rho}$$

This is the required expression of Maxwell's 1st eq<sup>n</sup> which

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shows that divergence of electric displacement vector is discontinuous.