

4.35) First, we compute the bound current-density of the magnetic particle, as follows:

$$\begin{aligned}
 \mathbf{J}_{\text{bound}}^{(e)}(r, t) &= \mu_0^{-1} \nabla \times \mathbf{M}(r, t) = \mu_0^{-1} \nabla \times [M_0 \text{Sphere}(r/R) (\underbrace{\cos \theta \hat{\mathbf{r}} - \sin \theta \hat{\boldsymbol{\theta}}}_{\hat{\mathbf{z}}})] \\
 &= \mu_0^{-1} M_0 \left\{ -\frac{\partial[r \text{Sphere}(r/R) \sin \theta]}{r \partial r} - \frac{\partial[\text{Sphere}(r/R) \cos \theta]}{r \partial \theta} \right\} \hat{\boldsymbol{\phi}} \\
 &= \mu_0^{-1} M_0 \left\{ -\frac{[\text{Sphere}(r/R) - r \delta(r-R)] \sin \theta}{r} + \frac{\text{Sphere}(r/R) \sin \theta}{r} \right\} \hat{\boldsymbol{\phi}} \\
 &= \mu_0^{-1} M_0 \delta(r - R) \sin \theta \hat{\boldsymbol{\phi}}.
 \end{aligned} \tag{1}$$

It is seen that the bound current is confined to the sphere's surface, flowing in the azimuthal direction $\hat{\boldsymbol{\phi}}$. The Fourier transform of the current-density is given by

$$\begin{aligned}
 \mathbf{J}_{\text{bound}}^{(e)}(\mathbf{k}, \omega) &= \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \mu_0^{-1} M_0 \delta(r - R) \sin \theta \hat{\boldsymbol{\phi}} \exp[-i(\mathbf{k} \cdot \mathbf{r} - \omega t)] dr dt \\
 &= \mu_0^{-1} M_0 [2\pi \delta(\omega)] \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \delta(r - R) (\hat{\mathbf{z}} \times \hat{\mathbf{r}}) \exp(-i\mathbf{k} \cdot \mathbf{r}) dr \\
 &= 2\pi \mu_0^{-1} M_0 \delta(\omega) \hat{\mathbf{z}} \times \int_{r=0}^{\infty} \int_{\theta=0}^{\pi} \delta(r - R) (\cos \theta \hat{\mathbf{k}}) \exp(-ikr \cos \theta) 2\pi r^2 \sin \theta d\theta dr \\
 &= 4\pi^2 \mu_0^{-1} M_0 \delta(\omega) (\hat{\mathbf{z}} \times \hat{\mathbf{k}}) \int_{r=0}^{\infty} r^2 \delta(r - R) [\int_{\theta=0}^{\pi} \sin \theta \cos \theta \exp(-ikr \cos \theta) d\theta] dr \\
 &= -8i\pi^2 \mu_0^{-1} M_0 \delta(\omega) (\hat{\mathbf{z}} \times \hat{\mathbf{k}}) \int_{r=0}^{\infty} \frac{\sin(kr) - kr \cos(kr)}{k^2} \delta(r - R) dr \quad \leftarrow \boxed{\text{G&R 3.715-11}} \\
 &= -8i\pi^2 \mu_0^{-1} M_0 \delta(\omega) (\hat{\mathbf{z}} \times \hat{\mathbf{k}}) [\sin(kR) - kR \cos(kR)]/k^2.
 \end{aligned} \tag{2}$$

Now, in the Fourier domain, the vector potential is related to the total current-density as follows:

$$\mathbf{A}(\mathbf{k}, \omega) = \mu_0 \mathbf{J}_{\text{total}}^{(e)}(\mathbf{k}, \omega) / [k^2 - (\omega/c)^2]. \tag{3}$$

An inverse Fourier transform thus yields the vector potential in the space-time domain, that is,

$$\begin{aligned}
 \mathbf{A}(\mathbf{r}, t) &= -\frac{8i\pi^2 M_0}{(2\pi)^4} \hat{\mathbf{z}} \times \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \delta(\omega) \hat{\mathbf{k}} \left\{ \frac{\sin(kR) - kr \cos(kR)}{k^2 [k^2 - (\omega/c)^2]} \right\} \exp[i(\mathbf{k} \cdot \mathbf{r} - \omega t)] dk d\omega \\
 &= -\frac{iM_0}{2\pi^2} \hat{\mathbf{z}} \times \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \hat{\mathbf{k}} \left[\frac{\sin(kR) - kr \cos(kR)}{k^4} \right] \exp(i\mathbf{k} \cdot \mathbf{r}) dk \\
 &= -\frac{iM_0}{2\pi^2} (\hat{\mathbf{z}} \times \hat{\mathbf{r}}) \int_{k=0}^{\infty} \int_{\theta=0}^{\pi} \cos \theta \left[\frac{\sin(kR) - kr \cos(kR)}{k^4} \right] \exp(ikr \cos \theta) 2\pi k^2 \sin \theta d\theta dk \\
 &= -i(M_0/\pi) (\hat{\mathbf{z}} \times \hat{\mathbf{r}}) \int_{k=0}^{\infty} \left[\frac{\sin(kR) - kr \cos(kR)}{k^2} \right] \int_{\theta=0}^{\pi} \sin \theta \cos \theta \exp(ikr \cos \theta) d\theta dk \\
 &= (2M_0/\pi r^2) (\hat{\mathbf{z}} \times \hat{\mathbf{r}}) \int_0^{\infty} \frac{\sin(kR) - kr \cos(kR)}{k^2} \times \frac{\sin(kr) - kr \cos(kr)}{k^2} dk \quad \leftarrow \boxed{\text{G&R 3.715-11}}
 \end{aligned}$$

$$= (2M_0/\pi r^2)(\hat{\mathbf{z}} \times \hat{\mathbf{r}}) \int_0^\infty \frac{d}{dk} [\sin(kR)/k] \times \frac{d}{dk} [\sin(kr)/k] dk. \quad (4)$$

To evaluate the integral appearing in the above equation, note that $\sin(\alpha k)/k$ is the Fourier transform of $\frac{1}{2}\text{Rect}(x/2\alpha)$, which implies that $d[\sin(\alpha k)/k]/dk$ is the Fourier transform of $-(ix/2)\text{Rect}(x/2\alpha)$. It is not difficult to show that $\int_{-\infty}^\infty F(k)G(k)dk = 2\pi \int_{-\infty}^\infty f(x)g(-x)dx$. Finally, taking note of the fact that the integrand in Eq.(4) is an even function of k , we write

$$\begin{aligned} \int_0^\infty \frac{d}{dk} [\sin(kR)/k] \times \frac{d}{dk} [\sin(kr)/k] dk &= \pi \int_{-\infty}^\infty (-ix/2)\text{Rect}(x/2R) \times (ix/2)\text{Rect}(-x/2r) dx \\ &= (\pi/4) \int_{-\min(r,R)}^{\min(r,R)} x^2 dx = (\pi/6) \min(r^3, R^3). \end{aligned} \quad (5)$$

Substitution into Eq.(4), and also replacing $\hat{\mathbf{z}} \times \hat{\mathbf{r}}$ with $\sin \theta \hat{\phi}$, now yields

$$\mathbf{A}(\mathbf{r}, t) = \begin{cases} M_0 r \sin \theta \hat{\phi} / 3; & r \leq R, \\ M_0 R^3 \sin \theta \hat{\phi} / (3r^2); & r \geq R. \end{cases} \quad (6)$$