

Dispersion relation: $\omega = \omega(\mathbf{k})$... relation between frequency and wavenumber vector

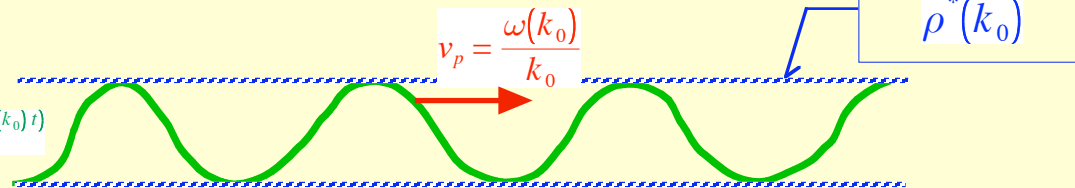
... represents physical properties of a wave

- **Phase velocity:** $v_p = \frac{\omega}{k} \hat{\mathbf{k}}$... propagation speed of **single-mode wave** ($k = k_0$ in 1D case)

v_p always has the same direction as $\mathbf{k}$.

1D case

$$\rho(r, t) = \rho^*(k_0) e^{i(k_0 r - \omega(k_0) t)}$$

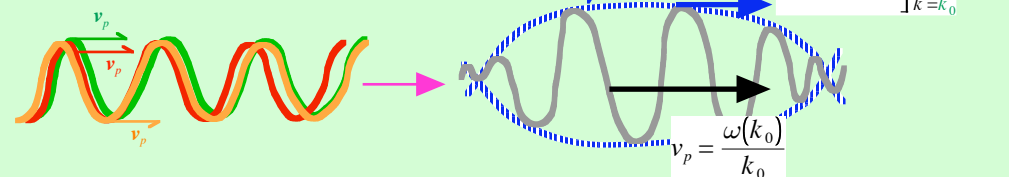


- **Group velocity:** $v_g = \frac{\partial \omega}{\partial k}$... propagation speed of the **envelope of multi-mode wave** ($k_0 - \Delta k \leq k \leq k_0 + \Delta k$ in 1D case)

v_g does not always have the same direction as $\mathbf{k}$, except for 1D case.

1D case

$$\rho(r, t) = \int \rho^*(k_0 + \Delta k') e^{i[(k_0 + \Delta k') r - \omega(k_0 + \Delta k') t]} d\Delta k' = G(r - v_g t) e^{i(k_0 r - \omega(k_0) t)}$$



Mathematical description of a multi-mode wave:

1D case

$$\rho(r, t) = \int \rho^*(k_0 + \Delta k') e^{i[(k_0 + \Delta k')r - \omega(k_0 + \Delta k')t]} d\Delta k'$$

$$(k_0 + \Delta k')r - \left[\omega(k_0) + \left. \frac{\partial \omega}{\partial k} \right|_{k=k_0} \Delta k' \right] t = k_0 r - \omega(k_0) t + \Delta k' \left[r - \left. \frac{\partial \omega}{\partial k} \right|_{k=k_0} t \right]$$

Taylor expansion (1st order)

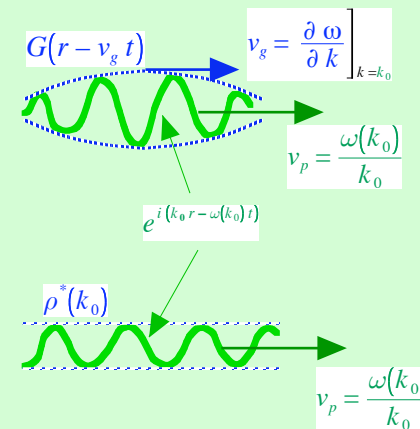
$$\int \rho^*(k_0 + \Delta k') e^{i \Delta k' \left[r - \left. \frac{\partial \omega}{\partial k} \right|_{k=k_0} t \right]} d\Delta k' e^{i(k_0 r - \omega(k_0) t)}$$

$$= G(r - v_g t)$$

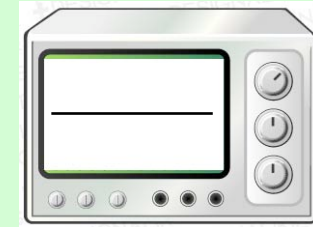
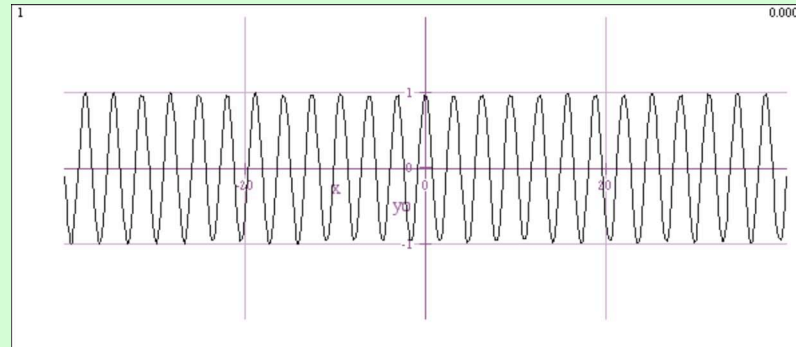
$$v_g = \left. \frac{\partial \omega}{\partial k} \right|_{k=k_0}$$

single-mode wave

$$\rho(r, t) = \rho^*(k_0) e^{i(k_0 r - \omega(k_0) t)}$$

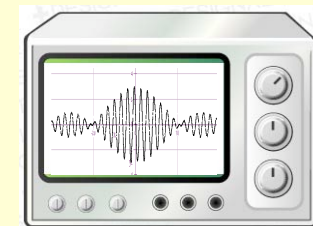
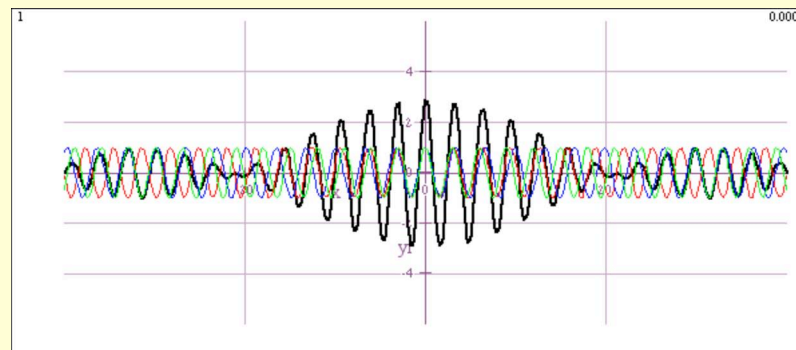


Propagation of single-mode wave



$\Delta k = 0 \Rightarrow$ no energy, single-mode wave cannot be detected

Propagation of multi-mode wave



$\Delta k \neq 0 \Rightarrow$ non-zero energy, modulated wave (black pattern) can be detected

Velocity diagram

Dispersion relation of sound wave: $\omega(k) = \pm k c_{s0}$

Phase velocity

$$\mathbf{v}_p = \frac{\omega}{k} \hat{\mathbf{k}} = \pm c_{s0} \hat{\mathbf{k}} \quad (+\dots \text{forward}, -\dots \text{backward})$$

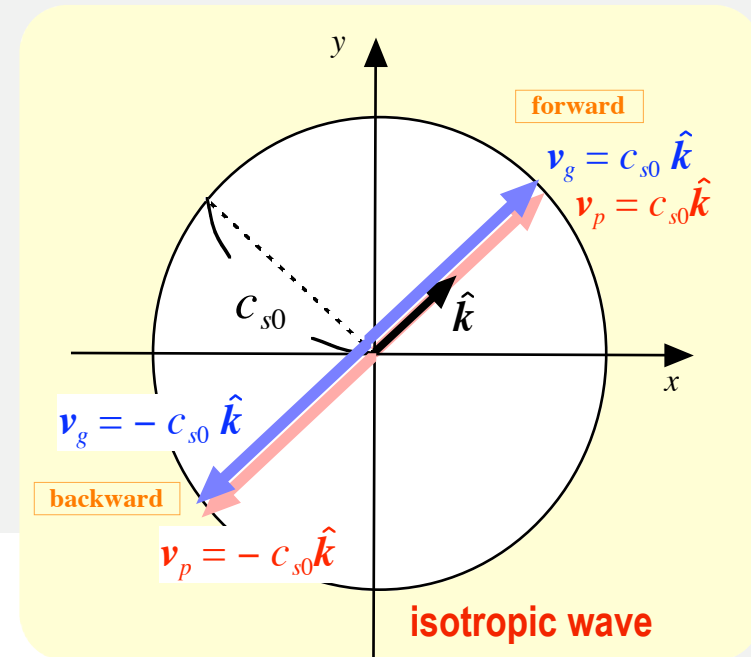
$|\mathbf{v}_p|$ is independent of the direction of $\mathbf{k}$ ($\hat{\mathbf{k}}$)... isotropic

$|\mathbf{v}_p|$ is independent of the magnitude of $\mathbf{k}$ (k)... non-dispersive

Group velocity

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbf{v}_g &= \frac{\partial \omega}{\partial \mathbf{k}} = \begin{pmatrix} \frac{\partial \omega}{\partial k_x} \\ \frac{\partial \omega}{\partial k_y} \\ \frac{\partial \omega}{\partial k_z} \end{pmatrix} \\ &= \pm c_{s0} \begin{pmatrix} \frac{\partial \sqrt{k_x^2 + k_y^2 + k_z^2}}{\partial k_x} \\ \frac{\partial \sqrt{k_x^2 + k_y^2 + k_z^2}}{\partial k_y} \\ \frac{\partial \sqrt{k_x^2 + k_y^2 + k_z^2}}{\partial k_z} \end{pmatrix} = \pm c_{s0} \begin{pmatrix} \frac{2 k_x}{2 \sqrt{k_x^2 + k_y^2 + k_z^2}} \\ \frac{2 k_y}{2 \sqrt{k_x^2 + k_y^2 + k_z^2}} \\ \frac{2 k_z}{2 \sqrt{k_x^2 + k_y^2 + k_z^2}} \end{pmatrix} = \pm c_{s0} \begin{pmatrix} \frac{k_x}{k} \\ \frac{k_y}{k} \\ \frac{k_z}{k} \end{pmatrix} = \pm c_{s0} \hat{\mathbf{k}} \end{aligned}$$

Equal to the phase velocity



Physical properties of sound wave: (obtained from amplitude relations)

- $\omega \rho_0 \mathbf{v}^* = k p^* \Rightarrow \mathbf{v}_1 // k$... longitudinal wave

- $k \cdot \mathbf{v}^* \neq 0 \Rightarrow \nabla \cdot \mathbf{v}_1 \neq 0$... compressional wave

- $p^* = c_{s0}^2 \rho^*$, $\omega \rho_0 \mathbf{v}^* = k p^*$... same phase for $\rho_1, p_1, \mathbf{v}_1$

- $\rho^* = \frac{\rho_0}{\omega} k \cdot \mathbf{v}^* \Rightarrow \rho_1 = \frac{\rho_0}{\omega} k \cdot \mathbf{v}_1 = \frac{\rho_0}{\omega} (-i) \nabla \cdot \mathbf{v}_1$... phase difference of $\pi/2$ for ρ_1 and $\nabla \cdot \mathbf{v}_1$

$$\nabla \cdot \mathbf{v}_1 = ik \cdot \mathbf{v}_1$$

Magnetic wave

$$p_0 = 0$$

Linearized ideal MHD equations

$$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \frac{\partial \rho_1(x, y, z, t)}{\partial t} = -\rho_0 \nabla \cdot \mathbf{v}_1(x, y, z, t) \\ \rho_0 \frac{\partial \mathbf{v}_1(x, y, z, t)}{\partial t} = -\nabla p_1(x, y, z, t) + \frac{1}{\mu_0} (\nabla \times \mathbf{B}_1(x, y, z, t)) \times \mathbf{B}_0 \\ \frac{\partial p_1(x, y, z, t)}{\partial t} = \gamma \frac{p_0}{\rho_0} \frac{\partial \rho_1(x, y, z, t)}{\partial t} \\ \frac{\partial \mathbf{B}_1(x, y, z, t)}{\partial t} = \nabla \times (\mathbf{v}_1(x, y, z, t) \times \mathbf{B}_0) \end{array} \right.$$

$$p_0 = 0, p_1 = 0 \longrightarrow$$



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Dispersion relation of magnetic wave

$$\begin{aligned}\frac{\partial \rho_1(x, y, z, t)}{\partial t} &= -\rho_0 \nabla \cdot \mathbf{v}_1(x, y, z, t) \\ \rho_0 \frac{\partial \mathbf{v}_1(x, y, z, t)}{\partial t} &= \frac{1}{\mu_0} (\nabla \times \mathbf{B}_1(x, y, z, t)) \times \mathbf{B}_0 \\ \frac{\partial \mathbf{B}_1(x, y, z, t)}{\partial t} &= \nabla \times (\mathbf{v}_1(x, y, z, t) \times \mathbf{B}_0)\end{aligned}$$

Partial differential equations

$$\begin{aligned}\rho_1(x, y, z, t) &= \rho^* e^{i(\mathbf{k} \cdot \mathbf{r} - \omega t)} \\ \mathbf{v}_1(x, y, z, t) &= \mathbf{v}^* e^{i(\mathbf{k} \cdot \mathbf{r} - \omega t)} \\ \mathbf{B}_1(x, y, z, t) &= \mathbf{B}^* e^{i(\mathbf{k} \cdot \mathbf{r} - \omega t)}\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}-i\omega \rho^* e^{i(\mathbf{k} \cdot \mathbf{r} - \omega t)} &= -\rho_0 i \mathbf{k} \cdot \mathbf{v}^* e^{i(\mathbf{k} \cdot \mathbf{r} - \omega t)} \\ -i\omega \rho_0 \mathbf{v}^* e^{i(\mathbf{k} \cdot \mathbf{r} - \omega t)} &= \frac{1}{\mu_0} [i \mathbf{k} \times \mathbf{B}^* e^{i(\mathbf{k} \cdot \mathbf{r} - \omega t)}] \times \mathbf{B}_0 \\ -i\omega \mathbf{B}^* e^{i(\mathbf{k} \cdot \mathbf{r} - \omega t)} &= i \mathbf{k} \times [\mathbf{v}^* e^{i(\mathbf{k} \cdot \mathbf{r} - \omega t)} \times \mathbf{B}_0]\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}\omega \rho^* &= \rho_0 \mathbf{k} \cdot \mathbf{v}^* \\ \omega \rho_0 \mathbf{v}^* &= -\frac{1}{\mu_0} (\mathbf{k} \times \mathbf{B}^*) \times \mathbf{B}_0 \\ \omega \mathbf{B}^* &= -\mathbf{k} \times (\mathbf{v}^* \times \mathbf{B}_0)\end{aligned}$$

Algebraic equations

$$\nabla \cdot \mathbf{B}_1(x, y, z, t) = 0 \longrightarrow i \mathbf{k} \cdot \mathbf{B}_1(x, y, z, t) = 0 \Rightarrow \mathbf{k} \cdot \mathbf{B}^* = 0$$

oscillation direction of magnetic field $\perp$ propagation direction

... common property

e^i -form

$$\nabla \times ?_1 \Rightarrow i \mathbf{k} \times ?_1$$

$$\nabla \times (?_1 \times \mathbf{B}_0) \Rightarrow i \mathbf{k} \times (?_1 \times \mathbf{B}_0)$$

when $\mathbf{B}_0$ is a constant vector

differential operation
 $\Rightarrow$ algebraic operation

$$\omega \rho^* = \rho_0 \mathbf{k} \cdot \mathbf{v}^*$$

$$\omega \rho_0 \mathbf{v}^* = -\frac{1}{\mu_0} [\mathbf{k} \times \mathbf{B}^*] \times \mathbf{B}_0 = -\frac{1}{\mu_0} [(k \cdot \mathbf{B}_0) \mathbf{B}^* - (\mathbf{B}^* \cdot \mathbf{B}_0) \mathbf{k}]$$

$$\omega \mathbf{B}^* = -\mathbf{k} \times [\mathbf{v}^* \times \mathbf{B}_0] = -[(k \cdot \mathbf{B}_0) \mathbf{v}^* - (\mathbf{k} \cdot \mathbf{v}^*) \mathbf{B}_0]$$

triple vector product:
 $(\mathbf{A} \times \mathbf{B}) \times \mathbf{C} = \mathbf{B} (\mathbf{A} \cdot \mathbf{C}) - \mathbf{A} (\mathbf{B} \cdot \mathbf{C})$

apply $\mathbf{k} \cdot$, $\mathbf{B}_0 \cdot$ to both hands

We have to consider two directions, $\mathbf{k}$ and $\mathbf{B}_0$.

$\cdot \mathbf{B}_0$

$$(\omega \rho_0 \mathbf{v}^*) \cdot \mathbf{B}_0 = \left(-\frac{1}{\mu_0} [\mathbf{k} \times \mathbf{B}^*] \times \mathbf{B}_0 \right) \cdot \mathbf{B}_0 = 0$$

$$\mathbf{v}^* \cdot \mathbf{B}_0 = 0$$

oscillation direction of velocity $\perp$ magnetic field

... common property

$\cdot \mathbf{k}$

$$\begin{aligned} (\omega \rho_0 \mathbf{v}^*) \cdot \mathbf{k} &= \left(-\frac{1}{\mu_0} [(k \cdot \mathbf{B}_0) \mathbf{B}^* - (\mathbf{B}^* \cdot \mathbf{B}_0) \mathbf{k}] \right) \cdot \mathbf{k} \\ \Rightarrow \omega \rho_0 \mathbf{k} \cdot \mathbf{v}^* &= -\frac{1}{\mu_0} [(k \cdot \mathbf{B}_0) (\mathbf{k} \cdot \mathbf{B}^*) - (\mathbf{B}^* \cdot \mathbf{B}_0) k^2] = 0 \end{aligned}$$

$\cdot \mathbf{B}_0$

$$\begin{aligned} \omega \mathbf{B}^* \cdot \mathbf{B}_0 &= -[(k \cdot \mathbf{B}_0) \mathbf{v}^* - (\mathbf{k} \cdot \mathbf{v}^*) \mathbf{B}_0] \cdot \mathbf{B}_0 \\ \Rightarrow \omega \mathbf{B}^* \cdot \mathbf{B}_0 &= -[(k \cdot \mathbf{B}_0) \mathbf{v}^* \cdot \mathbf{B}_0 - (\mathbf{k} \cdot \mathbf{v}^*) B_0^2] = 0 \end{aligned}$$

$\cdot \mathbf{k}$

$$0 = 0$$

eliminate $\mathbf{B}^* \cdot \mathbf{B}_0$

$$\left(\omega^2 - k^2 \frac{B_0^2}{\mu_0 \rho_0} \right) (\mathbf{k} \cdot \mathbf{v}^*) = 0$$

$$= v_{A0}^2 \text{ Alfvén speed}$$

$$\left(\omega^2 - k^2 \boxed{\frac{B_0^2}{\mu_0 \rho_0}} \right) (k \bullet v^*) = 0$$

$= v_{A0}^2$

1) $k \bullet v^* = 0$

2) $k \bullet v^* \neq 0$

1) $\mathbf{k} \cdot \mathbf{v}^* = 0 \Rightarrow \nabla \cdot \mathbf{v}_1 = 0$... *incompressional wave* $\Rightarrow$ **Shear Alfvén wave**

$$\omega \rho^* = -\rho_0 \mathbf{k} \cdot \mathbf{v}^* \rightarrow \rho^* = 0$$

$$\omega \rho_0 \mathbf{v}^* = -\frac{1}{\mu_0} [\mathbf{k} \times \mathbf{B}^*] \times \mathbf{B}_0 = -\frac{1}{\mu_0} [(k \cdot B_0) \mathbf{B}^* - (\mathbf{B}^* \cdot B_0) \mathbf{k}]$$

$$\omega \mathbf{B}^* = -\mathbf{k} \times [\mathbf{v}^* \times \mathbf{B}_0] = -[(k \cdot B_0) \mathbf{v}^* - \underbrace{(k \cdot \mathbf{v}^*)}_{=0} B_0]$$

eliminate $\mathbf{B}^*$

$$\omega^2 \rho_0 \mathbf{v}^* = -\frac{1}{\mu_0} \left[- (k \cdot B_0)^2 \mathbf{v}^* + (k \cdot B_0) (\mathbf{v}^* \cdot B_0) \mathbf{k} \right]$$

$= 0$

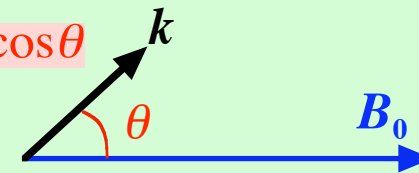
... common property

$$\omega^2 \rho_0 \mathbf{v}^* = -\frac{1}{\mu_0} \left[- (k \cdot B_0)^2 \mathbf{v}^* \right]$$

$$\omega = \pm \frac{k \cdot B_0}{\sqrt{\mu_0 \rho_0}}$$

dispersion relation

$$\omega = \pm k v_{A0} \cos \theta$$



Velocity diagram

Dispersion relation of shear Alfvén wave: $\omega(k) = \pm \frac{k \cdot B_0}{\sqrt{\mu_0 \rho_0}} = \pm k v_{A0} \cos \theta$

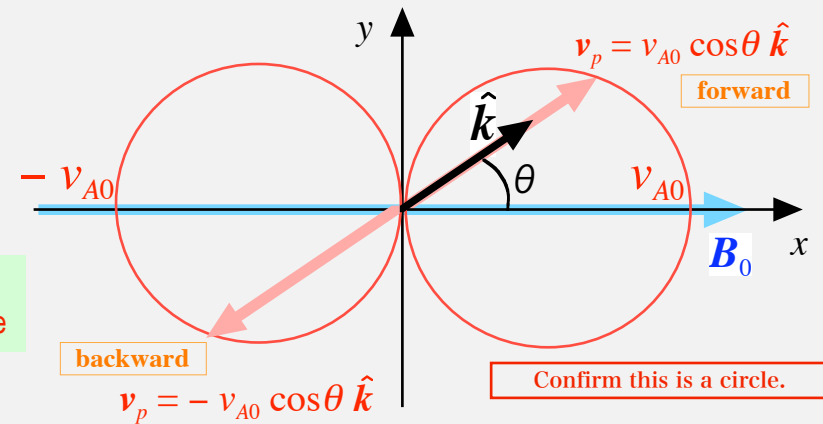
Phase velocity

$$v_p = \frac{\omega}{k} \hat{k} = \pm v_{A0} \cos \theta \hat{k}$$

(+... forward, -... backward)

$|v_p|$ is dependent on the direction of k ($\hat{k}$)... non-isotropic

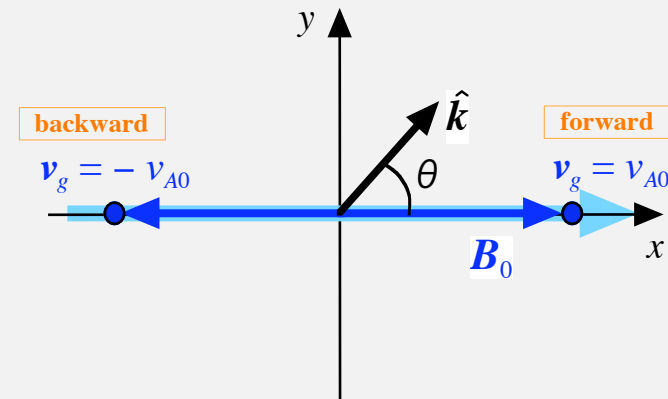
$|v_p|$ is independent of the magnitude of k ($|k|$)... non-dispersive



Group velocity

$$v_g = \frac{\partial \omega}{\partial k} = \pm \begin{pmatrix} \frac{\partial}{\partial k_x} \\ \frac{\partial}{\partial k_y} \\ \frac{\partial}{\partial k_z} \end{pmatrix} \frac{k \cdot B_0}{\sqrt{\mu_0 \rho_0}}$$

$$= \pm \begin{pmatrix} \frac{\partial}{\partial k_x} \\ \frac{\partial}{\partial k_y} \\ \frac{\partial}{\partial k_z} \end{pmatrix} \frac{k_x B_0 + k_y 0 + k_z 0}{\sqrt{\mu_0 \rho_0}} = \pm \begin{pmatrix} \frac{B_0}{\sqrt{\mu_0 \rho_0}} \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} = \pm \begin{pmatrix} v_{A0} \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$$



Energy (wave packet) is always transported along magnetic field B_0 .