

Calculando o Campo Indução Magnética e o Campo Elétrico

Vamos agora calcular os campos $\mathbf{B}$ e $\mathbf{E}$. Começemos com o cálculo de $\mathbf{B}$:

$$\mathbf{B} = \nabla \times \mathbf{A}$$

ou, em termos de componentes,

$$B_i = \sum_{j=1}^3 \sum_{k=1}^3 \varepsilon_{ijk} \partial_j A_k,$$

onde ε_{ijk} é o símbolo de Levi-Civita, que é dado por

$$\varepsilon_{ijk} = \begin{cases} 1, & \text{se } (i, j, k) \text{ for uma permutação par de } (1, 2, 3), \\ 0, & \text{se pelo menos dois dos índices } i, j, k \text{ forem iguais e} \\ -1, & \text{se } (i, j, k) \text{ for uma permutação ímpar de } (1, 2, 3). \end{cases}$$

Também utilizemos a notação

$$\partial_j = \frac{\partial}{\partial x_j},$$

para $j = 1, 2, 3$. A convenção de Einstein para somas permite que escrevamos

$$B_i = \varepsilon_{ijk} \partial_j A_k,$$

onde subentendemos que os índices j e k estão somados de 1 a 3, porque aparecem repetidos no mesmo termo. Temos, assim,

$$\begin{aligned} \partial_j A_k &= \frac{q}{c} \partial_j \left(\frac{v_k}{R - \mathbf{R} \cdot \boldsymbol{\beta}} \right) \\ &= \frac{q}{c} \left[\frac{\partial_j v_k}{R - \mathbf{R} \cdot \boldsymbol{\beta}} + v_k \partial_j \left(\frac{1}{R - \mathbf{R} \cdot \boldsymbol{\beta}} \right) \right] \\ &= \frac{q}{c} \left[\frac{\partial_j v_k}{R - \mathbf{R} \cdot \boldsymbol{\beta}} - \frac{v_k}{(R - \mathbf{R} \cdot \boldsymbol{\beta})^2} (\partial_j R - \boldsymbol{\beta} \cdot \partial_j \mathbf{R} - \mathbf{R} \cdot \partial_j \boldsymbol{\beta}) \right]. \end{aligned}$$

Também,

$$\begin{aligned} \partial_j v_k &= \frac{dv_k}{dt_R} \partial_j t_R \\ &= a_k \partial_j t_R, \end{aligned}$$

onde

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbf{a} &\equiv \frac{d\mathbf{v}}{dt_R} \\ &= \frac{d\mathbf{v}(t_R)}{dt_R} \end{aligned}$$

e, portanto,

$$a_k = \hat{\mathbf{x}}_k \cdot \mathbf{a}.$$

Façamos agora o cálculo de $\partial_j t_R$:

$$\begin{aligned}\partial_j t_R &= \partial_j \left(t - \frac{R}{c} \right) \\ &= -\frac{1}{c} \partial_j R.\end{aligned}$$

Mas,

$$\begin{aligned}\partial_j R &= \frac{1}{2R} \partial_j R^2 \\ &= \frac{1}{2R} \partial_j (\mathbf{R} \cdot \mathbf{R}) \\ &= \frac{\mathbf{R}}{R} \cdot \partial_j \mathbf{R}\end{aligned}$$

e, portanto,

$$\begin{aligned}\partial_j t_R &= -\frac{1}{c} \frac{\mathbf{R}}{R} \cdot \partial_j \mathbf{R} \\ &= -\frac{1}{c} \hat{\mathbf{R}} \cdot \partial_j \mathbf{R}\end{aligned}$$

Como

$$\mathbf{R} = \mathbf{r} - \mathbf{r}_0(t_R),$$

segue que

$$\begin{aligned}\partial_j \mathbf{R} &= \hat{\mathbf{x}}_j - \frac{d\mathbf{r}_0(t_R)}{dt_R} \partial_j t_R \\ &= \hat{\mathbf{x}}_j - \mathbf{v} \partial_j t_R.\end{aligned}$$

Sendo assim,

$$\begin{aligned}\partial_j t_R &= -\frac{1}{c} \hat{\mathbf{R}} \cdot \partial_j \mathbf{R} \\ &= -\frac{1}{c} \hat{\mathbf{R}} \cdot (\hat{\mathbf{x}}_j - \mathbf{v} \partial_j t_R) \\ &= -\frac{1}{c} \hat{\mathbf{R}} \cdot \hat{\mathbf{x}}_j + \hat{\mathbf{R}} \cdot \beta \partial_j t_R,\end{aligned}$$

ou seja,

$$(1 - \hat{\mathbf{R}} \cdot \beta) \partial_j t_R = -\frac{1}{c} \hat{\mathbf{R}} \cdot \hat{\mathbf{x}}_j,$$

resultando em

$$\partial_j t_R = -\frac{1}{c} \frac{\hat{\mathbf{R}} \cdot \hat{\mathbf{x}}_j}{(1 - \hat{\mathbf{R}} \cdot \boldsymbol{\beta})}.$$

Portanto,

$$\partial_j v_k = -\frac{a_k}{c} \frac{\hat{\mathbf{R}} \cdot \hat{\mathbf{x}}_j}{(1 - \hat{\mathbf{R}} \cdot \boldsymbol{\beta})}.$$

O próximo passo é calcularmos $\partial_j R$, que, como vimos logo acima,

$$\partial_j R = \frac{\mathbf{R}}{R} \cdot \partial_j \mathbf{R}$$

e, então, como já temos $\partial_j \mathbf{R}$, vem¹:

$$\begin{aligned} \partial_j R &= \hat{\mathbf{R}} \cdot (\hat{\mathbf{x}}_j - \mathbf{v} \partial_j t_R) \\ &= \hat{\mathbf{R}} \cdot \hat{\mathbf{x}}_j - \hat{\mathbf{R}} \cdot \mathbf{v} \partial_j t_R \\ &= \hat{\mathbf{R}} \cdot \hat{\mathbf{x}}_j + \frac{\hat{\mathbf{R}} \cdot \frac{\mathbf{v}}{c}}{(1 - \hat{\mathbf{R}} \cdot \boldsymbol{\beta})} \hat{\mathbf{R}} \cdot \hat{\mathbf{x}}_j \\ &= \left(1 + \frac{\hat{\mathbf{R}} \cdot \boldsymbol{\beta}}{1 - \hat{\mathbf{R}} \cdot \boldsymbol{\beta}} \right) \hat{\mathbf{R}} \cdot \hat{\mathbf{x}}_j \\ &= \frac{1 - \hat{\mathbf{R}} \cdot \boldsymbol{\beta} + \hat{\mathbf{R}} \cdot \boldsymbol{\beta}}{1 - \hat{\mathbf{R}} \cdot \boldsymbol{\beta}} \hat{\mathbf{R}} \cdot \hat{\mathbf{x}}_j \\ &= \frac{\hat{\mathbf{R}} \cdot \hat{\mathbf{x}}_j}{1 - \hat{\mathbf{R}} \cdot \boldsymbol{\beta}}. \end{aligned}$$

A seguir, o próximo termo no cálculo de $\partial_j A_k$ tem a quantidade $\partial_j \mathbf{R}$ que, já vimos que é dada por:

$$\partial_j \mathbf{R} = \hat{\mathbf{x}}_j - \mathbf{v} \partial_j t_R.$$

Logo, usando nosso resultado para $\partial_j t_R$, dá

$$\partial_j \mathbf{R} = \hat{\mathbf{x}}_j + \boldsymbol{\beta} \frac{\hat{\mathbf{R}} \cdot \hat{\mathbf{x}}_j}{(1 - \hat{\mathbf{R}} \cdot \boldsymbol{\beta})}.$$

¹Notemos que, só para esclarecer a notação, escrevemos, por exemplo,

$$\mathbf{r} = \hat{\mathbf{x}}_k x_k.$$

Logo,

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbf{r} \cdot \hat{\mathbf{x}}_j &= (\hat{\mathbf{x}}_k \cdot \hat{\mathbf{x}}_j) x_k \\ &= \delta_{kj} x_k \\ &= x_j. \end{aligned}$$

Então, segue que

$$\begin{aligned}\boldsymbol{\beta} \cdot \partial_j \mathbf{R} &= \boldsymbol{\beta} \cdot \hat{\mathbf{x}}_j + \boldsymbol{\beta} \cdot \boldsymbol{\beta} \frac{\hat{\mathbf{R}} \cdot \hat{\mathbf{x}}_j}{(1 - \hat{\mathbf{R}} \cdot \boldsymbol{\beta})} \\ &= \boldsymbol{\beta} \cdot \hat{\mathbf{x}}_j + \beta^2 \frac{\hat{\mathbf{R}} \cdot \hat{\mathbf{x}}_j}{(1 - \hat{\mathbf{R}} \cdot \boldsymbol{\beta})}.\end{aligned}$$

Finalmente, só falta calcularmos o seguinte fator:

$$\begin{aligned}\partial_j \boldsymbol{\beta} &= \frac{1}{c} \partial_j \mathbf{v} \\ &= \frac{1}{c} \frac{d\mathbf{v}}{dt_R} \partial_j t_R \\ &= -\frac{\mathbf{a}}{c^2} \frac{\hat{\mathbf{R}} \cdot \hat{\mathbf{x}}_j}{(1 - \hat{\mathbf{R}} \cdot \boldsymbol{\beta})}.\end{aligned}$$

Assim,

$$\begin{aligned}\partial_j A_k &= \frac{q}{c} \left[\frac{\partial_j v_k}{R - \mathbf{R} \cdot \boldsymbol{\beta}} - \frac{v_k}{(R - \mathbf{R} \cdot \boldsymbol{\beta})^2} (\partial_j R - \boldsymbol{\beta} \cdot \partial_j \mathbf{R} - \mathbf{R} \cdot \partial_j \boldsymbol{\beta}) \right] \\ &= \frac{q}{c} \left[\frac{\partial_j v_k}{R (1 - \hat{\mathbf{R}} \cdot \boldsymbol{\beta})} - \frac{v_k (\partial_j R - \boldsymbol{\beta} \cdot \partial_j \mathbf{R} - R \hat{\mathbf{R}} \cdot \partial_j \boldsymbol{\beta})}{R^2 (1 - \hat{\mathbf{R}} \cdot \boldsymbol{\beta})^2} \right] \\ &= \frac{q}{c} \left[\frac{\partial_j v_k}{R (1 - \hat{\mathbf{R}} \cdot \boldsymbol{\beta})} + \frac{v_k \hat{\mathbf{R}} \cdot \partial_j \boldsymbol{\beta}}{R (1 - \hat{\mathbf{R}} \cdot \boldsymbol{\beta})^2} - \frac{v_k (\partial_j R - \boldsymbol{\beta} \cdot \partial_j \mathbf{R})}{R^2 (1 - \hat{\mathbf{R}} \cdot \boldsymbol{\beta})^2} \right].\end{aligned}$$

Substituindo as derivadas parciais, temos

$$\begin{aligned}\partial_j A_k &= \frac{q}{c} \left[\frac{-a_k \hat{\mathbf{R}} \cdot \hat{\mathbf{x}}_j}{Rc (1 - \hat{\mathbf{R}} \cdot \boldsymbol{\beta})^2} - \frac{v_k \hat{\mathbf{R}} \cdot \mathbf{a} \hat{\mathbf{R}} \cdot \hat{\mathbf{x}}_j}{Rc^2 (1 - \hat{\mathbf{R}} \cdot \boldsymbol{\beta})^3} \right. \\ &\quad \left. - \frac{v_k}{R^2 (1 - \hat{\mathbf{R}} \cdot \boldsymbol{\beta})^2} \left(\frac{(1 - \beta^2) \hat{\mathbf{R}} \cdot \hat{\mathbf{x}}_j}{(1 - \hat{\mathbf{R}} \cdot \boldsymbol{\beta})} - \beta_j \right) \right]\end{aligned}$$

onde

$$\beta_j = \frac{v_j}{c}.$$

Notemos que

$$\begin{aligned}\varepsilon_{ijk}v_k\beta_j &= \varepsilon_{ijk}\beta_jv_k \\ &= \frac{1}{c}\varepsilon_{ijk}v_jv_k \\ &= 0,\end{aligned}$$

pois, das propriedades do símbolo de Levi-Civita, vemos que

$$\begin{aligned}\varepsilon_{ijk}v_jv_k &= -\varepsilon_{ikj}v_jv_k \\ &= -\varepsilon_{ikj}v_kv_j\end{aligned}$$

e, como neste resultado, j e k são índices mudos, fazemos $j \rightarrow k$ e $k \rightarrow j$. Com isso, vem:

$$\begin{aligned}\varepsilon_{ijk}v_jv_k &= -\varepsilon_{ikj}v_kv_j \\ &= -\varepsilon_{ijk}v_jv_k,\end{aligned}$$

isto é,

$$2\varepsilon_{ijk}v_jv_k = 0.$$

Em termos vetoriais, podemos escrever

$$\begin{aligned}\mathbf{B} &= \frac{q}{c} \left[\frac{-\hat{\mathbf{R}} \times \mathbf{a}}{Rc \left(1 - \hat{\mathbf{R}} \cdot \boldsymbol{\beta}\right)^2} - \frac{\left(\hat{\mathbf{R}} \cdot \mathbf{a}\right) \hat{\mathbf{R}} \times \mathbf{v}}{Rc^2 \left(1 - \hat{\mathbf{R}} \cdot \boldsymbol{\beta}\right)^3} \right. \\ &\quad \left. - \frac{(1 - \beta^2) \hat{\mathbf{R}} \times \mathbf{v}}{R^2 \left(1 - \hat{\mathbf{R}} \cdot \boldsymbol{\beta}\right)^3} \right].\end{aligned}$$

Notemos que o termo proporcional a $\boldsymbol{\beta} \times \mathbf{v}$ se anula.

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No final da aula, eu fotografei (veja figura)

Figure 1: Fotografia da lousa no final da aula.

o que tinha na lousa, que era

$$\nabla \times \mathbf{A} = -\frac{q}{D^2} \hat{\mathbf{R}} \times \boldsymbol{\beta} - \frac{q}{cD} \left[\frac{\mathbf{R} \times \mathbf{a}}{cD} + \frac{\mathbf{R} \times \boldsymbol{\beta} \hat{\mathbf{R}} \cdot \mathbf{v} + \mathbf{R} \times \boldsymbol{\beta} \frac{\mathbf{R} \cdot \mathbf{a}}{c} - \mathbf{R} \times \boldsymbol{\beta} \boldsymbol{\beta} \cdot \mathbf{v}}{D^2} \right],$$

onde

$$D = R - \mathbf{R} \cdot \boldsymbol{\beta}.$$

O primeiro termo entre colchetes pode ser separado dos demais e o termo fora dos colchetes pode ser colocado dentro. Assim,

$$\boldsymbol{\nabla} \times \mathbf{A} = -\frac{q}{c} \left(\frac{\mathbf{R} \times \mathbf{a}}{cD^2} \right) - \frac{q}{cD} \left[\frac{c\hat{\mathbf{R}} \times \boldsymbol{\beta}}{D} + \frac{\mathbf{R} \times \boldsymbol{\beta} \hat{\mathbf{R}} \cdot \mathbf{v} + \mathbf{R} \times \boldsymbol{\beta} \frac{\mathbf{R} \cdot \mathbf{a}}{c} - \mathbf{R} \times \boldsymbol{\beta} \boldsymbol{\beta} \cdot \mathbf{v}}{D^2} \right].$$

Vamos trabalhar com os termos entre colchetes. Então,

$$\begin{aligned} \boldsymbol{\nabla} \times \mathbf{A} &= -\frac{q}{c} \left(\frac{\mathbf{R} \times \mathbf{a}}{cD^2} \right) - \frac{q}{cD} \left[\frac{c\hat{\mathbf{R}} \times \boldsymbol{\beta} D + \mathbf{R} \times \boldsymbol{\beta} \hat{\mathbf{R}} \cdot \mathbf{v} + \mathbf{R} \times \boldsymbol{\beta} \frac{\mathbf{R} \cdot \mathbf{a}}{c} - \mathbf{R} \times \boldsymbol{\beta} \boldsymbol{\beta} \cdot \mathbf{v}}{D^2} \right] \\ &= -\frac{q}{c} \left(\frac{\mathbf{R} \times \mathbf{a}}{cD^2} \right) - \frac{q}{cD} \left[\frac{c\hat{\mathbf{R}} \times \boldsymbol{\beta} (R - \mathbf{R} \cdot \boldsymbol{\beta}) + \mathbf{R} \times \boldsymbol{\beta} \hat{\mathbf{R}} \cdot \mathbf{v} + \mathbf{R} \times \boldsymbol{\beta} \frac{\mathbf{R} \cdot \mathbf{a}}{c} - \mathbf{R} \times \boldsymbol{\beta} \boldsymbol{\beta} \cdot \mathbf{v}}{D^2} \right] \\ &= -\frac{q}{c} \left(\frac{\mathbf{R} \times \mathbf{a}}{cD^2} \right) - \frac{q}{cD} \left[\frac{c\hat{\mathbf{R}} \times \boldsymbol{\beta} R - c\hat{\mathbf{R}} \times \boldsymbol{\beta} \mathbf{R} \cdot \boldsymbol{\beta} + \mathbf{R} \times \boldsymbol{\beta} \hat{\mathbf{R}} \cdot \mathbf{v} + \mathbf{R} \times \boldsymbol{\beta} \frac{\mathbf{R} \cdot \mathbf{a}}{c} - \mathbf{R} \times \boldsymbol{\beta} \boldsymbol{\beta} \cdot \mathbf{v}}{D^2} \right] \\ &= -\frac{q}{c} \left(\frac{\mathbf{R} \times \mathbf{a}}{cD^2} \right) - \frac{q}{cD} \left[\frac{\mathbf{R} \times \mathbf{v} - \mathbf{R} \times \boldsymbol{\beta} \hat{\mathbf{R}} \cdot \mathbf{v} + \mathbf{R} \times \boldsymbol{\beta} \hat{\mathbf{R}} \cdot \mathbf{v} + \mathbf{R} \times \boldsymbol{\beta} \frac{\mathbf{R} \cdot \mathbf{a}}{c} - \mathbf{R} \times \boldsymbol{\beta} \boldsymbol{\beta} \cdot \mathbf{v}}{D^2} \right] \\ &= -\frac{q}{c} \left(\frac{\mathbf{R} \times \mathbf{a}}{cD^2} \right) - \frac{q}{cD} \left[\frac{\mathbf{R} \times \mathbf{v} + \mathbf{R} \times \mathbf{v} \mathbf{R} \cdot \mathbf{a} / c^2 - \mathbf{R} \times \boldsymbol{\beta} \boldsymbol{\beta} \cdot \mathbf{v}}{D^2} \right] \\ &= -\frac{q}{c} \left(\frac{\mathbf{R} \times \mathbf{a}}{cD^2} \right) - \frac{q}{cD} \left[\frac{\mathbf{R} \times \mathbf{v} + \mathbf{R} \times \mathbf{v} \mathbf{R} \cdot \mathbf{a} / c^2 - \mathbf{R} \times \mathbf{v} \boldsymbol{\beta} \cdot \boldsymbol{\beta}}{D^2} \right] \\ &= -\frac{q}{c} \left(\frac{\mathbf{R} \times \mathbf{a}}{cD^2} \right) - \frac{q}{cD} \mathbf{R} \times \mathbf{v} \left(\frac{1 + \mathbf{R} \cdot \mathbf{a} / c^2 - \beta^2}{D^2} \right). \end{aligned}$$

Agora podemos ver que, de fato, esse resultado ainda pode ficar igual ao encontrado acima, pois

$$\begin{aligned} \boldsymbol{\nabla} \times \mathbf{A} &= -\frac{q}{c} \left[\frac{\mathbf{R} \times \mathbf{a}}{cD^2} + \frac{\mathbf{R} \times \mathbf{v} \mathbf{R} \cdot \mathbf{a}}{c^2 D^3} + \frac{\mathbf{R} \times \mathbf{v} (1 - \beta^2)}{D^3} \right] \\ &= -\frac{q}{c} \left[\frac{\mathbf{R} \times \mathbf{a}}{c(R - \mathbf{R} \cdot \boldsymbol{\beta})^2} + \frac{\mathbf{R} \times \mathbf{v} \mathbf{R} \cdot \mathbf{a}}{c^2 (R - \mathbf{R} \cdot \boldsymbol{\beta})^3} + \frac{\mathbf{R} \times \mathbf{v} (1 - \beta^2)}{(R - \mathbf{R} \cdot \boldsymbol{\beta})^3} \right] \\ &= -\frac{q}{c} \left[\frac{\hat{\mathbf{R}} \times \mathbf{a}}{cR (1 - \hat{\mathbf{R}} \cdot \boldsymbol{\beta})^2} + \frac{\hat{\mathbf{R}} \times \mathbf{v} \hat{\mathbf{R}} \cdot \mathbf{a}}{Rc^2 (1 - \hat{\mathbf{R}} \cdot \boldsymbol{\beta})^3} + \frac{\hat{\mathbf{R}} \times \mathbf{v} (1 - \beta^2)}{R^2 (1 - \hat{\mathbf{R}} \cdot \boldsymbol{\beta})^3} \right], \end{aligned}$$

que dá

$$\mathbf{B} = \frac{q}{c} \left[-\frac{\hat{\mathbf{R}} \times \mathbf{a}}{cR (1 - \hat{\mathbf{R}} \cdot \boldsymbol{\beta})^2} - \frac{\hat{\mathbf{R}} \times \mathbf{v} \hat{\mathbf{R}} \cdot \mathbf{a}}{Rc^2 (1 - \hat{\mathbf{R}} \cdot \boldsymbol{\beta})^3} - \frac{\hat{\mathbf{R}} \times \mathbf{v} (1 - \beta^2)}{R^2 (1 - \hat{\mathbf{R}} \cdot \boldsymbol{\beta})^3} \right],$$

exatamente o resultado obtido acima, que é

$$\mathbf{B} = \frac{q}{c} \left[\frac{-\hat{\mathbf{R}} \times \mathbf{a}}{Rc \left(1 - \hat{\mathbf{R}} \cdot \boldsymbol{\beta}\right)^2} - \frac{\left(\hat{\mathbf{R}} \cdot \mathbf{a}\right) \hat{\mathbf{R}} \times \mathbf{v}}{Rc^2 \left(1 - \hat{\mathbf{R}} \cdot \boldsymbol{\beta}\right)^3} - \frac{\left(1 - \beta^2\right) \hat{\mathbf{R}} \times \mathbf{v}}{R^2 \left(1 - \hat{\mathbf{R}} \cdot \boldsymbol{\beta}\right)^3} \right].$$

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