

# Notes 63(10)

## Simple solution of the Resonant Helmholtz Equation

If we start with eq (25) of notes 63(9) with a positive sign convention sign:

$$\begin{aligned} (x^2 + y^2 + z^2) \nabla^2 \phi - x \frac{\partial \phi}{\partial x} - y \frac{\partial \phi}{\partial y} - z \frac{\partial \phi}{\partial z} + \phi \\ = - (x^2 + y^2 + z^2) \frac{f_0}{\epsilon_0} \cos(\underline{\kappa} \cdot \underline{r}) \end{aligned} \quad - (1)$$

and use:

$$\left. \begin{aligned} x &= x_0 e^{i \underline{\kappa} \cdot \underline{r}} \\ y &= y_0 e^{i \underline{\kappa} \cdot \underline{r}} \\ z &= z_0 e^{i \underline{\kappa} \cdot \underline{r}} \end{aligned} \right\} - (2)$$

Then  $\underline{R} \cdot \underline{R}^* = x_0^2 + y_0^2 + z_0^2 = \frac{1}{\kappa_0^2} - (3)$

and eq (1) becomes:

$$\nabla^2 \phi + \kappa_0^2 \phi = - \frac{f_0}{\epsilon_0} \cos(\underline{\kappa} \cdot \underline{r}) \quad - (4)$$

which is a simple undamped oscillator.

For each particle:

$$\nabla^2 \phi + \kappa_{0,i}^2 \phi = - \frac{f_0}{\epsilon_0} \cos(\underline{\kappa}_i \cdot (\underline{r} - \underline{r}_i)) \quad - (5)$$

$$\rho(\underline{r}) = \sum_{i=1}^n e_i \delta(\underline{r} - \underline{r}_i)$$