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Lecture 33

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Wave equation for nonlinear optics:

$$\nabla^2 \vec{E} - \frac{1}{c^2} \frac{\partial^2 \vec{E}}{\partial t^2} = \mu_0 \frac{\partial^2 \vec{P}_{NL}}{\partial t^2}$$

Exponential notation:

Convenient to use $E = E_0 e^{i\omega t}$

rather than $E = E_0 \cos \omega t$

have $E = \text{real field} = \text{Re} \{ E_0 e^{i\omega t} \} = \text{Re} \{ \tilde{E} \}$

However, $P_{NL}(t) \neq \text{Re} \{ 2d \tilde{E}^2 \} = 2d E_0^2 \cos^2 \omega t$

wrong amp, missing dc term

Exponential trick breaks down with nonlinear terms
need to write out:

if $E(t) = \text{Re} \tilde{E}(t) \leftarrow \text{complex form}$

$$= \frac{1}{2} (\tilde{E} + \tilde{E}^*)$$

so

$$\tilde{E}^2 = \frac{1}{4} (\tilde{E}^2 + \tilde{E}^{*2} + 2\tilde{E}\tilde{E}^*)$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \left[\frac{1}{2} (\tilde{E}^2 + \tilde{E}^* \tilde{E}) + \text{c.c.} \right]$$

so take

$$P_{NL}(t) = \text{Re} \{ \tilde{P}_{NL} \} = \frac{1}{2} (\tilde{P}_{NL} + \tilde{P}_{NL}^*)$$

$$\tilde{P}_{NL} = 2d \cdot \frac{1}{2} (\tilde{E}^2 + \tilde{E}^* \tilde{E}) = d (\tilde{E}^2 + \tilde{E}^* \tilde{E})$$

For example: if $\vec{E} = E_1 e^{i\omega_1 t} + E_2 e^{i\omega_2 t}$

$$\tilde{P}_{NL}(t) = d [|E_1|^2 e^{2i\omega_1 t} + |E_2|^2 e^{2i\omega_2 t} + 2 E_1 E_2 e^{i(\omega_1 + \omega_2)t} + |E_1|^2 + |E_2|^2 + \underbrace{E_1^* E_2 e^{-i(\omega_1 - \omega_2)t} + E_1 E_2^* e^{i(\omega_1 - \omega_2)t}}_{\text{can replace with c.c.}}]$$

$$P_{NL}(2\omega_1) = d |E_1|^2 \quad] \text{ second harmonic generation}$$

$$P_{NL}(2\omega_2) = d |E_2|^2$$

$$P_{NL}(\omega_1 + \omega_2) = 2d E_1 E_2$$

$$P_{NL}(\omega_1 - \omega_2) = 2d E_1 E_2^* \quad] \text{ 3 wave mixing}$$

From $\vec{E} \vec{E}^*$ term

$$P_{NL}(0) = d (|E_1|^2 + |E_2|^2)$$

Source at 5 different frequencies

Generally write $P_{NL}(\omega_1 + \omega_2) = g d E(\omega_1) E(\omega_2)$

g : symmetry factor = 2 if $\omega_1 \neq \omega_2$
 = 1 if $\omega_1 = \omega_2$

$$E(-\omega_1) = E(\omega_1)^*$$

For third order, more complicated:

$$P_{NL}(\omega_1 + \omega_2 + \omega_3) = g \chi^{(3)} E(\omega_1) E(\omega_2) E(\omega_3)$$

g = # of unique orderings of $(\omega_1, \omega_2, \omega_3)$

$g = 6$ if $\omega_1 \neq \omega_2 \neq \omega_3$
 $= 3$ if $\omega_1 = \omega_2 \neq \omega_3$
 $= 1$ if $\omega_1 = \omega_2 = \omega_3$

Also, in reality, d depends on frequencies

$$d = d(\omega_1, \omega_2; \omega_3)$$

so $P(\omega_1 + \omega_2) \neq P(\omega_1 - \omega_2)$ in general
→ dispersion

Tensor Character

Really $P_i(\omega_3) = \sum_{jk} g_{ijk} E_j(\omega_1) E_k(\omega_2)$

$d_{ijk} = 2^{nd}$ order nonlinear tensor.

must have $d_{ijk} = d_{ikj}$, so write as d_{ij}
 $I = 1$ to 6 as before.

But before had r_{Ij} , $I = 1$ to 6

$$\Delta \eta_{ij} = \sum_k r_{ijk} E_k$$

But d_{ij} has same crystal symmetry dependence as r_{ij}

KPP $r_{ij} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \\ r_{41} & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & r_{41} & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & r_{63} \end{bmatrix}$

$$d_{ij} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 & d_{14} & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & d_{14} & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & d_{36} \end{bmatrix}$$

Also an additional symmetry approximately holds

$$d_{ijk} \approx d_{jik} \approx d_{kji}$$

called Kleinman symmetry

So in KDP $d_{14} = d_{xyx} \approx d_{36} = d_{zxy}$
 $= 4.1 \times 10^{-24} \frac{C}{V^2}$ $= 3.8 \times 10^{-24} \frac{C}{V^2}$

Note, this gives yet more factors of 2!

Say have $E_y(\omega_1) E_z(\omega_2)$

Then in KDP get $P_x(\omega_2) = g d_{xyx} E_y(\omega_1) E_z(\omega_2)$
 $= \gamma d_{14} E_y(\omega_1) E_z(\omega_2)$
don't add $d_{xzy} E_z(\omega_2) E_y(\omega_1)$
already counted in g

But if $\omega_1 = \omega_2 = \omega$:

$$P_x(2\omega) = d_{xyx} E_y(\omega) E_z(\omega) + d_{xzy} E_y(\omega) E_z(\omega)$$
$$= \gamma d_{14} E_y(\omega) E_z(\omega)$$

No factor if using say d_{17}

$$P_x(2\omega) = d_{x7z} E_z(\omega) E_z(\omega)$$

For 2nd order, get factor of two if two different input fields, not if two identical fields
(in polarization & frequency)

For simplicity, we will write

$$P(\omega_1 + \omega_2) = 2d' Z(\omega_1) Z(\omega_2)$$

d' modified by these effects
& includes multiple d_{ijk} 's as needed.