

PHYS 942 homework assignment #05

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Names (≤ 3 , write clearly): _____

Due: Monday, November 5, 2018, at the lecture. **Show all your steps!**

1. (10 points) A FM radio station emits 100 kW through a vertical dipole antenna at 90 MHz. What is the peak-to-peak electric field of the emitted waves 30 km away?
2. (40 points) Consider a rotating charge distribution $\rho(\mathbf{x}, t) = \rho(r, \theta, \phi - \omega t)$, where ω is the rotation frequency.

(a) Expand $\rho(\mathbf{x}, t)$ into a Fourier series in time. Show that

$$\rho(\mathbf{x}, t) = \rho_0(\mathbf{x}) + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \text{Re}[2\rho_n(\mathbf{x})e^{-in\omega t}]$$

and determine $\rho_n(\mathbf{x})$.

- (b) From (a), calculate the Cartesian multipole moments up to the quadrupole for a single charge q rotating around the z axis at distance R with frequency ω .
 - (c) At which frequencies does the rotating charge radiate?
3. (40 points) Zangwill, problem 20.1.