

$$\vec{H} = \frac{1}{\mu_0} \vec{B} - \vec{M} \quad \text{div} \vec{H} = \text{div} \vec{M}, \quad \text{curl} \vec{H} = \vec{J}_{\text{free}}$$

Boundary conditions: $H_{\parallel(\text{in})} - H_{\parallel(\text{out})} = K_{\text{free}}$

$$H_{\perp(\text{in})} - H_{\perp(\text{out})} = M_{\perp(\text{in})} - M_{\perp(\text{out})}$$

Paramagnetism: Material contains dipoles (usually unpaired electrons) that partially align with the magnetic fields yielding to the $\vec{m} \times \vec{B}$ torque. So $\vec{M} \propto \vec{B}$, and in same direction.

Diamagnetism: Electron orbit is affected by an external \vec{B} . A bogus quasiclassical argument: Assume a circular orbit of an electron (charge $-e$), radius R , speed v . Time-averaged current is

$$I = \frac{-ev}{2\pi R}$$

So dipole moment is $\vec{m} = I \vec{a} = \frac{-ev}{2\pi R} \pi R^2 \hat{z} = -\frac{1}{2} evR \hat{z}$

where \hat{z} is the rotation axis.

Note — for a given radius, $|\vec{m}| \propto |v|$. opposite to rotation axis (since $q = -e$)

What direction is additional force from \vec{B} on this "current?"

$$\vec{F} = q \vec{v} \times \vec{B} = -e \vec{v} \times \vec{B}$$

if orbital axis is \hat{z} , then $\vec{v} = v \hat{\phi}$. For $\vec{B} = B \hat{z}$, $-e \vec{v} \times \vec{B} = -evB \hat{r}$ inward. So an external \vec{B} will cause orbit to speed up, increasing \vec{m} in a direction against \vec{B} .

Diamagnetism is weaker than paramagnetism, so net effect is paramagnetic unless paramagnetism vanishes (such as when all electrons are paired).

For dia/paramagnetic materials, $\vec{M} \propto \vec{B}$: linear materials.

Can write as

$$\vec{M} = \chi \vec{B}, \quad \text{where } \chi > 0 \text{ (paramagnetic) or } \chi < 0 \text{ (diamagnetic).}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Now, } \vec{H} &= \frac{\vec{B}}{\mu_0} - \vec{M} \\ &= \frac{\vec{B}}{\mu_0} - \chi \vec{B} \\ &= \vec{B} \left(\frac{1}{\mu_0} - \chi \right) \end{aligned}$$

Can also write as \vec{M} in terms of \vec{H} :

$$\vec{M} = \chi \vec{B} = \chi \frac{\vec{H}}{\left(\frac{1}{\mu_0} - \chi \right)}$$

$$\chi_m \equiv \frac{\chi}{\left(\frac{1}{\mu_0} - \chi \right)} \quad \text{magnetic susceptibility}$$

and $\vec{M} = \chi_m \vec{H}$ ← most common formulation!

$$\vec{B} = \mu_0 (\vec{H} + \vec{M}) = \mu_0 (1 + \chi_m) \vec{H}$$

call $\mu = \mu_0 (1 + \chi_m)$ magnetic permeability.

$\mu > \mu_0$ for paramagnetic materials

$< \mu_0$ diamagnetic

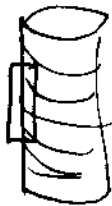
$\vec{B} = \mu \vec{H}$ can use much the same way as $\vec{D} = \epsilon \vec{E}$ in electrostatics.

χ_m is usually $\sim 10^{-6} - 10^{-4}$, so these effects are generally small. Weird exception is gadolinium: $\chi_m = 0.5$!

Example: Infinite solenoid, where inside filled with a substance of suscep. χ_m .

Use symmetry to find \vec{H} :

amperian loop



$$(H_{in} - H_{out})_z = nI \quad ; \quad H_\phi = H_r = 0 \quad \text{by symmetry}$$

$$\text{So } \vec{H}_{in} = nI \hat{z}$$

$$\text{and } \vec{B}_{in} = \mu_0 nI \hat{z} = \mu_0 (1 + \chi_m) \hat{z}$$

$$\vec{K}_b = \vec{M} \times \hat{n} = \chi_m (\vec{H} \times \hat{n}) = \chi_m nI \hat{\phi}$$