

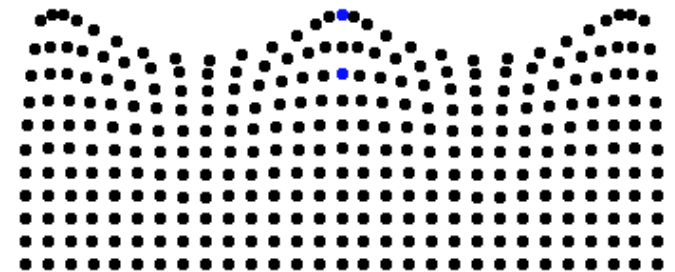
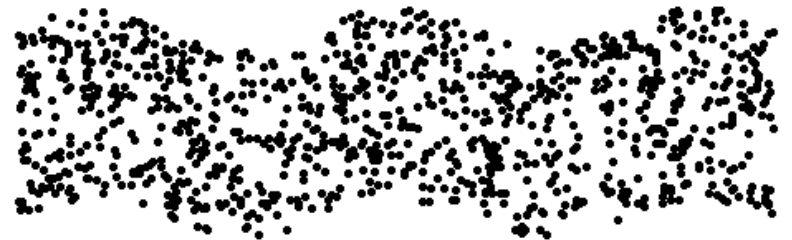
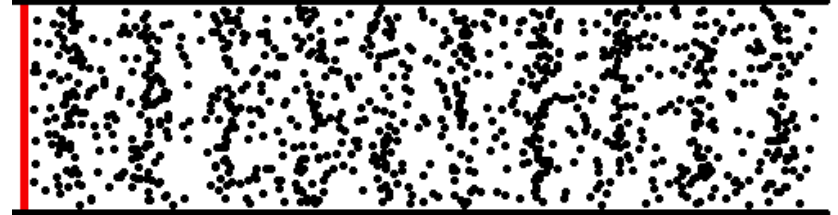
Plasma Astrophysics

Chapter 5: Waves in Plasma

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What defines a wave?

- Mechanical Example:
 - Sound, string, water
- Energy transfer
- Restoring forces:
 - Pressure, tension, gravity
- Characteristics:
 - Wave speed
 - Motion of medium
 - Direction of propagation
- Dispersion relation – very important



Simple wave representation

- For plane waves propagating with wave vector $\mathbf{k} = (k_x, k_y, k_z)$ and angular frequency ω , [where $\mathbf{r} = (x, y, z)$ is the position vector]

$$U = C_U \exp[i(\mathbf{k} \cdot \mathbf{r} - \omega t)]$$

- And for propagation in only the x-direction

$$U = C_U \exp[i(kx - \omega t)]$$

- Constant phase is maintained for a point on the wave when,

$$\frac{d}{dt}(kx - \omega t) = 0$$

$$\frac{d(kx)}{dt} - \omega = 0$$

$$\frac{dx}{dt} = \frac{\omega}{k} = v_p$$



Phase speed

Wave group speed

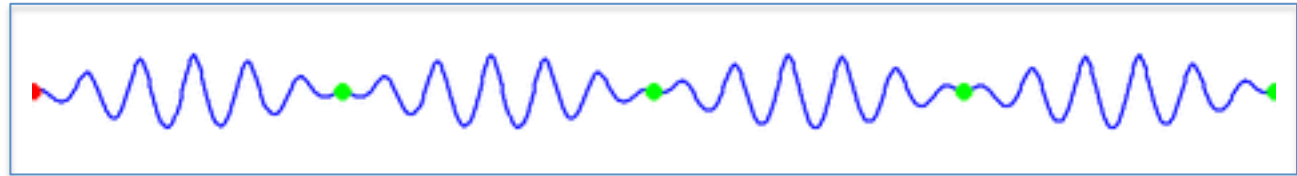
- Phase speed is not the rate of information (i.e., energy) transfer
- Group speed is similarly defined, but for constant phase on a modulated wave envelope,

$$U \propto \exp[i(\Delta kx - \Delta \omega t)]$$

- Giving,

$$\frac{d}{dt}(\Delta kx - \Delta \omega t) = 0$$

$$\frac{dx}{dt} = \frac{\Delta \omega}{\Delta k}$$



$$\lim_{\Delta \omega \rightarrow 0} \left(\frac{\Delta \omega}{\Delta k} \right) = \boxed{\frac{d\omega}{dk}} = v_g \quad \text{group speed}$$

Wave dispersion relation

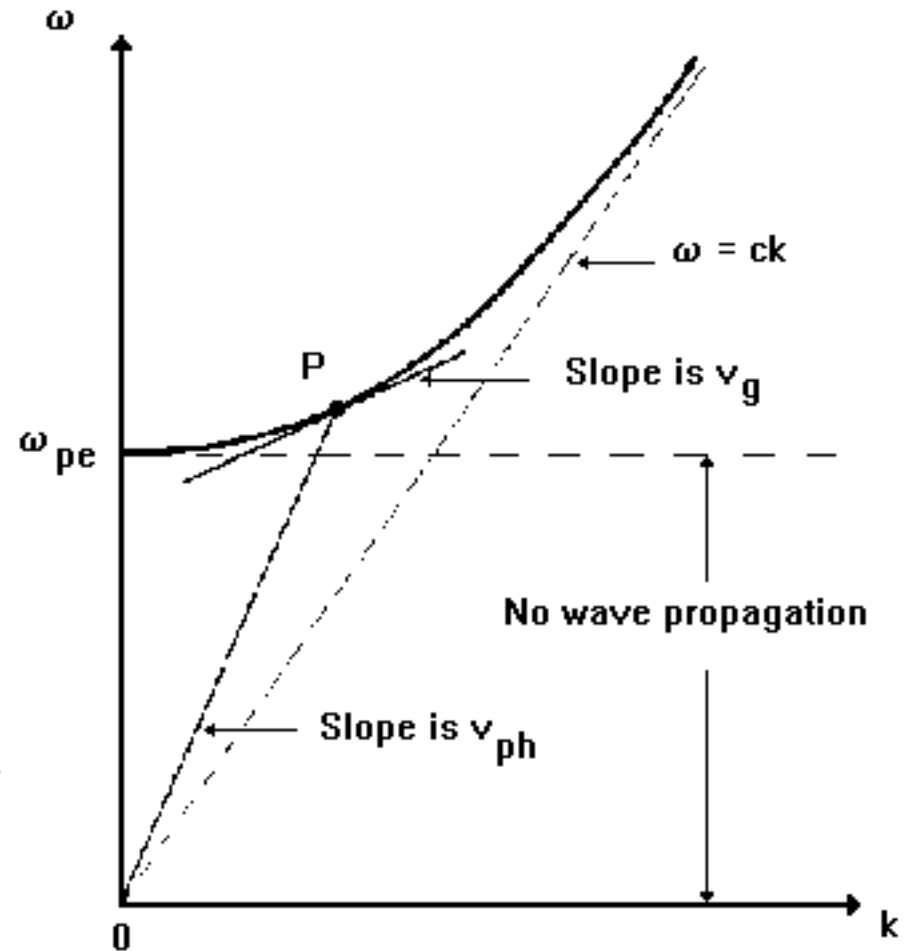
- Everything is contained in *dispersion relation*,

$$\omega = \omega(k)$$

- k often complex, but wave propagate only for,

$$\mathcal{R}(\omega(k)) \neq 0$$

- Dispersion relation indicates cutoffs and resonances



What makes plasma waves

Plasma properties

- Gas-like

- charged

- Magnetic field

- **Fluid equations**

- mass continuity
- equation of motion
- energy equation
- ideal equation of state

- **Electromagnetic equations**

- Maxwell's equations
- induction equation
- Ohm's law

Fluid equation

- Mass continuity: $\frac{\partial \rho}{\partial t} + \nabla \cdot (\rho \mathbf{v}) = 0$

- Using vector identity, it expands as:

$$\frac{\partial \rho}{\partial t} + (\mathbf{v} \cdot \nabla) \rho + \rho \nabla \cdot \mathbf{v} = 0$$

- Consider gravity force ($\rho \mathbf{g}$), **equation of Motion:**

$$\rho \frac{\partial \mathbf{v}}{\partial t} + \rho (\mathbf{v} \cdot \nabla) \mathbf{v} = -\nabla p + \mathbf{J} \times \mathbf{B} + \rho \mathbf{g}$$

- Ideal Equation of state: $p = \frac{R}{\mu} \rho T$

$$R = k_B / m_i$$

μ is mean atomic weight

- Energy (entropy) equation:

$$\frac{D}{Dt} \left(\frac{p}{\rho^\gamma} \right) = -L$$

$$\frac{D}{Dt} = \frac{\partial}{\partial t} + \mathbf{v} \cdot \nabla$$

Convective time derivative

- L represents all energy losses. Only consider adiabatic case ($L=0$)

Modified energy equation

Apply change rule

$$\frac{D}{Dt} \left(\frac{p}{\rho^\gamma} \right) = \frac{1}{\rho^\gamma} \frac{Dp}{Dt} - \frac{\gamma p}{\rho^{\gamma+1}} \frac{D\rho}{Dt} = 0$$

Expand D/Dt

$$\frac{1}{\rho^\gamma} \frac{\partial p}{\partial t} + \frac{1}{\rho^\gamma} (\mathbf{v} \cdot \nabla) p - \frac{\gamma p}{\rho^{\gamma+1}} \frac{\partial \rho}{\partial t} - \frac{\gamma p}{\rho^{\gamma+1}} (\mathbf{v} \cdot \nabla) \rho = 0$$

$$\frac{\partial p}{\partial t} + (\mathbf{v} \cdot \nabla) p - \frac{\gamma p}{\rho} \left[\frac{\partial \rho}{\partial t} + (\mathbf{v} \cdot \nabla) \rho \right] = 0$$

But $-\left[\frac{\partial \rho}{\partial t} + (\mathbf{v} \cdot \nabla) \rho \right] = \rho \nabla \cdot \mathbf{v}$ from mass continuity equation,

$$\frac{\partial p}{\partial t} + (\mathbf{v} \cdot \nabla) p + \frac{\gamma p}{\rho} (\rho \nabla \cdot \mathbf{v}) = 0$$

$$\frac{\partial p}{\partial t} + (\mathbf{v} \cdot \nabla) p = -\gamma p \nabla \cdot \mathbf{v}$$

Electromagnetic equation

Ampere's law: $\nabla \times \mathbf{B} = \mu_0 \mathbf{J}$

Solenoidal constraints: $\nabla \cdot \mathbf{B} = 0$

Faraday's law: $\frac{\partial \mathbf{B}}{\partial t} = -\nabla \times \mathbf{E}$

Gauss's law: $\nabla \cdot \mathbf{E} = \frac{\rho_e}{\epsilon_0}$

Ohm's law: $\mathbf{J} = \sigma(\mathbf{E} + \mathbf{v} \times \mathbf{B})$

Induction equation: $\frac{\partial \mathbf{B}}{\partial t} = \nabla \times (\mathbf{v} \times \mathbf{B})$

diffusivity term is ignored

Wave assumptions

- Wave amplitudes are small
⇒ allows for linearization of MHD equations
- Basic state is a static equilibrium

Equation of motion: $0 = -\nabla p_0 + \mathbf{J}_0 \times \mathbf{B}_0 + \rho_0 \mathbf{g}$ (A)

Solenoidal constraints: $\nabla \cdot \mathbf{B}_0 = 0$ (B)

Ideal equation of state: $p_0 = \frac{R}{\mu} \rho_0 T_0$ (C)

- Quantities X_0 and \mathbf{X}_0 are the initial equilibrium state
- Not necessary to static

Wave perturbations

- After wave initiation,

$$\mathbf{B} = \mathbf{B}_0 + \mathbf{B}_1(\mathbf{r}, t)$$

$$\mathbf{v} = \mathbf{v}_0 + \mathbf{v}_1(\mathbf{r}, t)$$

$$\rho = \rho_0 + \rho_1(\mathbf{r}, t)$$

$$p = p_0 + p_1(\mathbf{r}, t)$$

$$T = T_0 + T_1(\mathbf{r}, t)$$

– \mathbf{X} and X are perturbed quantities

– \mathbf{X}_1 and X_1 are applied perturbation ($\ll \mathbf{X}_0$ and X_0 quantities)

- Static initial condition:

– $\mathbf{v}_0 = 0$, $\mathbf{v} = \mathbf{v}_1(\mathbf{r}, t)$

– Initial quantities are time independent $\frac{\partial \mathbf{X}_0}{\partial t} = 0$, $\frac{\partial X_0}{\partial t} = 0$,

MHD linearization

- Put perturbed quantities into MHD equations and neglect products of small terms (i.e., $X_1 Y_1$)
- Continuity equation:

$$\frac{\partial \rho}{\partial t} + \nabla \cdot (\rho \mathbf{v}) = 0$$

$$\cancel{\frac{\partial \rho_0}{\partial t}} + \frac{\partial \rho_1}{\partial t} + \nabla \cdot (\rho_0 \mathbf{v}_1) + \nabla \cdot (\cancel{\rho_1 \mathbf{v}_1}) = 0$$

- But with $\frac{\partial \rho_0}{\partial t} = 0$ and dropping $X_1 Y_1$ terms,

$$\frac{\partial \rho_1}{\partial t} + \nabla \cdot (\rho_0 \mathbf{v}_1) = 0$$

MHD linearization (cont.)

- Equation of motion:

$$\rho \frac{\partial \mathbf{v}}{\partial t} + \rho(\mathbf{v} \cdot \nabla)\mathbf{v} = -\nabla p + \mathbf{J} \times \mathbf{B} + \rho \mathbf{g}$$

$$\rho_0 \frac{\partial \mathbf{v}_1}{\partial t} + \rho_1 \frac{\partial \mathbf{v}_1}{\partial t} + \rho_0(\mathbf{v}_1 \cdot \nabla)\mathbf{v}_1 + \rho_1(\mathbf{v}_1 \cdot \nabla)\mathbf{v}_1 =$$

$$-\nabla p_0 - \nabla p_1 + \mathbf{J}_0 \times \mathbf{B}_0 + \mathbf{J}_0 \times \mathbf{B}_1 + \mathbf{J}_1 \times \mathbf{B}_0 + \mathbf{J}_1 \times \mathbf{B}_1 + \rho_0 \mathbf{g} + \rho_1 \mathbf{g}$$

- Neglecting $X_1 Y_1$ terms and substituting for \mathbf{J} ,

$$\rho_0 \frac{\partial \mathbf{v}_1}{\partial t} = -\nabla p_1 + \frac{\nabla \times \mathbf{B}_0}{\mu_0} \times \mathbf{B}_1 + \frac{\nabla \times \mathbf{B}_1}{\mu_0} \times \mathbf{B}_0 + \rho_1 \mathbf{g} + (-\nabla p_0 + \mathbf{J}_0 \times \mathbf{B}_0 + \rho_0 \mathbf{g})$$

- But, $-\nabla p_0 + \mathbf{J}_0 \times \mathbf{B}_0 + \rho_0 \mathbf{g} = 0$

$$\rho_0 \frac{\partial \mathbf{v}_1}{\partial t} = -\nabla p_1 + \frac{\nabla \times \mathbf{B}_0}{\mu_0} \times \mathbf{B}_1 + \frac{\nabla \times \mathbf{B}_1}{\mu_0} \times \mathbf{B}_0 + \rho_1 \mathbf{g}$$

MHD linearization (cont.)

- **Adiabatic energy equation:** $\frac{\partial p}{\partial t} + (\mathbf{v} \cdot \nabla)p = -\gamma p \nabla \cdot \mathbf{v}$

$$\cancel{\frac{\partial p_0}{\partial t}} + \frac{\partial p_1}{\partial t} + (\mathbf{v}_1 \cdot \nabla)p_0 + \cancel{(\mathbf{v}_1 \cdot \nabla)p_1} = -\gamma p_0 \nabla \cdot \mathbf{v}_1 - \cancel{\gamma p_1 \nabla \cdot \mathbf{v}_1}$$

- But $\frac{\partial p_0}{\partial t} = 0$ and dropping $X_1 Y_1$ terms,

$$\frac{\partial p_1}{\partial t} + (\mathbf{v}_1 \cdot \nabla)p_0 = -\gamma p_0 \nabla \cdot \mathbf{v}_1$$

- **Induction equation:**

$$\frac{\partial \mathbf{B}}{\partial t} = \nabla \times (\mathbf{v} \times \mathbf{B})$$

$$\cancel{\frac{\partial \mathbf{B}_0}{\partial t}} + \frac{\partial \mathbf{B}_1}{\partial t} = \nabla \times (\mathbf{v}_1 \times \mathbf{B}_0) + \cancel{\nabla \times (\mathbf{v}_1 \times \mathbf{B}_1)}$$

- But $\frac{\partial \mathbf{B}_0}{\partial t} = 0$ and dropping $X_1 Y_1$ terms,

$$\frac{\partial \mathbf{B}_1}{\partial t} = \nabla \times (\mathbf{v}_1 \times \mathbf{B}_0)$$

MHD linearization (cont.)

- Ideal equation of state: $p = \frac{R}{\mu} \rho T$

$$p_0 + p_1 = \frac{R}{\mu} \rho_0 T_0 + \frac{R}{\mu} \rho_1 T_0 + \frac{R}{\mu} \rho_0 T_1 + \frac{R}{\mu} \rho_1 T_1$$

- But $p_0 = \frac{R}{\mu} \rho_0 T_0$ and dropping $X_1 Y_1$ terms,

$$p_1 = \frac{R}{\mu} \rho_1 T_0 + \frac{R}{\mu} \rho_0 T_1$$

- Solenoidal constraints: $\nabla \cdot \mathbf{B} = 0$

$$\nabla \cdot \mathbf{B}_0 + \nabla \cdot \mathbf{B}_1 = 0$$

- But with $\nabla \cdot \mathbf{B}_0 = 0$

$$\nabla \cdot \mathbf{B}_1 = 0$$

Summary of linearized MHD equations

$$\frac{\partial \rho_1}{\partial t} + \nabla \cdot (\rho_0 \mathbf{v}_1) = 0 \quad (5.1)$$

$$\rho_0 \frac{\partial \mathbf{v}_1}{\partial t} = -\nabla p_1 + \frac{\nabla \times \mathbf{B}_0}{\mu_0} \times \mathbf{B}_1 + \frac{\nabla \times \mathbf{B}_1}{\mu_0} \times \mathbf{B}_0 + \rho_1 \mathbf{g} \quad (5.2)$$

$$\frac{\partial p_1}{\partial t} + (\mathbf{v}_1 \cdot \nabla) p_0 = -\gamma p_0 \nabla \cdot \mathbf{v}_1 \quad (5.3)$$

$$\frac{\partial \mathbf{B}_1}{\partial t} = \nabla \times (\mathbf{v}_1 \times \mathbf{B}_0) \quad (5.4)$$

$$p_1 = \frac{R}{\mu} \rho_1 T_0 + \frac{R}{\mu} \rho_0 T_1 \quad (5.5)$$

$$\nabla \cdot \mathbf{B}_1 = 0 \quad (5.6)$$

Simple wave solutions

- Looking for plane waves of form,

$$U = C_U \exp [i(\mathbf{k} \cdot \mathbf{r} - \omega t)]$$

- with angular frequency ω , wave vector $\mathbf{k} = (k_x, k_y, k_z)$, with position vector $\mathbf{r} = (x, y, z)$. Note, $k = 2\pi/\lambda$.

$$\mathbf{k} \cdot \mathbf{r} = k_x x + k_y y + k_z z$$

$$\mathbf{k} \cdot \mathbf{k} = k^2 = k_x^2 + k_y^2 + k_z^2$$

- Useful solutions for Fourier analysis since,

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial t} \rightarrow -i\omega, \quad \frac{\partial^2}{\partial t^2} \rightarrow -\omega^2, \quad \frac{\partial}{\partial x} \rightarrow -ik_x, \quad \frac{\partial^2}{\partial x^2} \rightarrow -k_x^2$$

$$\nabla \rightarrow i\mathbf{k}, \quad \nabla \cdot \rightarrow i\mathbf{k} \cdot, \quad \nabla \times \rightarrow i\mathbf{k} \times$$

Acoustic (pressure) wave equations

- Ignore magnetic field and gravity (i.e., $\mathbf{B} = \mathbf{g} = 0$)
- Assume homogeneous medium
- From equilibrium (A), $\nabla p_0 = 0$ and $p_0 = \text{const.}$
- From simplicity, $\rho_0 = \text{const.}$

- Linearized equations reduce to:

$$(5.1) \quad \frac{\partial \rho_1}{\partial t} + \rho_0 \nabla \cdot \mathbf{v}_1 = 0 \quad \rightarrow \quad -i\omega \rho_1 + i\rho_0(\mathbf{k} \cdot \mathbf{v}_1) = 0 \quad (5.7)$$

$$(5.2) \quad \rho_0 \frac{\partial \mathbf{v}_1}{\partial t} = -\nabla p_1 \quad \rightarrow \quad -i\omega \rho_0 \mathbf{v}_1 = -i\mathbf{k} p_1 \quad (5.8)$$

$$(5.3) \quad \frac{\partial p_1}{\partial t} = -\gamma p_0 \nabla \cdot \mathbf{v}_1 \quad \rightarrow \quad -i\omega p_1 = -i\gamma p_0(\mathbf{k} \cdot \mathbf{v}_1) \quad (5.9)$$

Acoustic wave properties

- From (5.8)

$$\mathbf{v}_1 = \left(\frac{p_1}{\omega \rho_0} \right) \mathbf{k} \quad (5.10)$$

- \mathbf{v}_1 parallel to \mathbf{k}
- particle motion along propagation direction (longitudinal)

- Also

- From (5.7)
$$\frac{\rho_1}{\rho_0} = \frac{(\mathbf{k} \cdot \mathbf{v}_1)}{\omega} \quad (5.11)$$

- From (5.9)
$$p_1 = \gamma p_0 \frac{(\mathbf{k} \cdot \mathbf{v}_1)}{\omega} = \frac{\gamma p_0 \rho_1}{\rho_0}$$

- Defining the sound speed

$$c_s^2 = \frac{\gamma p_0}{\rho_0}$$

$$p_1 = c_s^2 \rho_1 \quad (5.12)$$

- for $\mathbf{k} \cdot \mathbf{v}_1 \neq 0$, then ρ_1 and $p_1 \neq 0$ (**compressive**)

Acoustic dispersion relation

- Taking scalar product with \mathbf{k} to eq(5.10),

$$\mathbf{k} \cdot \mathbf{v}_1 = \left(\frac{p_1}{\omega \rho_0} \right) \mathbf{k} \cdot \mathbf{k} = \left(\frac{p_1}{\omega \rho_0} \right) k^2$$

- Rearranging eq(5.11) and (5.12),

$$(\mathbf{k} \cdot \mathbf{v}_1) = \frac{\omega \rho_1}{\rho_0}$$

$$\rho_1 = \frac{p_1}{c_s^2}$$

- Substitute, $(\mathbf{k} \cdot \mathbf{v}_1) = \frac{\omega p_1}{c_s^2 \rho_0}$

- Equating $\mathbf{k} \cdot \mathbf{v}_1$,

$$\left(\frac{p_1}{\omega \rho_0} \right) k^2 = \frac{\omega p_1}{c_s^2 \rho_0}$$

$$\boxed{\omega^2 = k^2 c_s^2} \quad (5.13) \quad \textit{Dispersion relation}$$

Acoustic phase and group speeds

- *Phase speed:*

- From eq (5.13): $\frac{\omega}{k} = \pm c_s$

$$\mathbf{v}_p = v_p \mathbf{k}' = \pm c_s \mathbf{k}'$$

- *Group velocity:*

$$\mathbf{v}_g = \frac{\partial \omega}{\partial \mathbf{k}} = \left(\frac{\partial \omega}{\partial k_x}, \frac{\partial \omega}{\partial k_y}, \frac{\partial \omega}{\partial k_z} \right)$$

- From eq (5.13): $\omega^2 = c_s^2(k_x^2 + k_y^2 + k_z^2)$

- Differentiating, $2\omega \frac{\partial \omega}{\partial \mathbf{k}} = c_s^2(2k_x, 2k_y, 2k_z)$

$$\frac{\partial \omega}{\partial \mathbf{k}} = \frac{c_s^2}{\omega}(k_x, k_y, k_z)$$

$$\mathbf{v}_g = c_s^2 \frac{k}{\omega} \mathbf{k}' = \pm c_s \mathbf{k}'$$

Acoustic wave complications

- Consider hydrostatic equilibrium, $\nabla p_0 = -\rho_0 \mathbf{g}$

$$p_0(z) = p_0(0) \exp(-z/H)$$

$$\rho_0(z) = \rho_0(0) \exp(-z/H)$$

- Where H is the pressure scale height,

$$H = \frac{p_0}{\rho_0 g} = \frac{RT}{g}$$

- Pressure variations follow

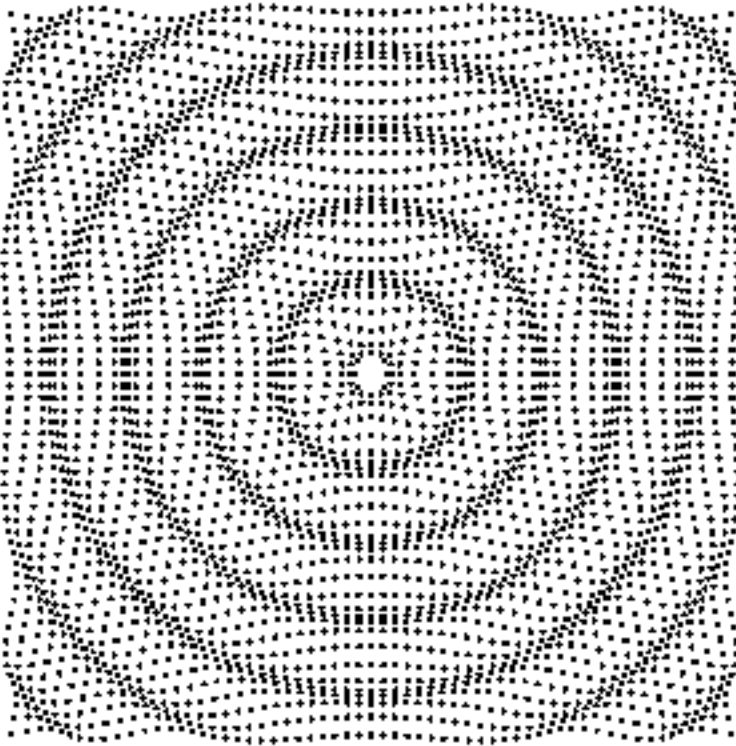
$$\frac{\partial^2 Q}{\partial t^2} - c_s^2(z) \frac{\partial^2 Q}{\partial z^2} + \Omega_s^2(z) Q = 0$$

$$\omega^2 = k_z^2 c_s^2 + \Omega_s^2$$

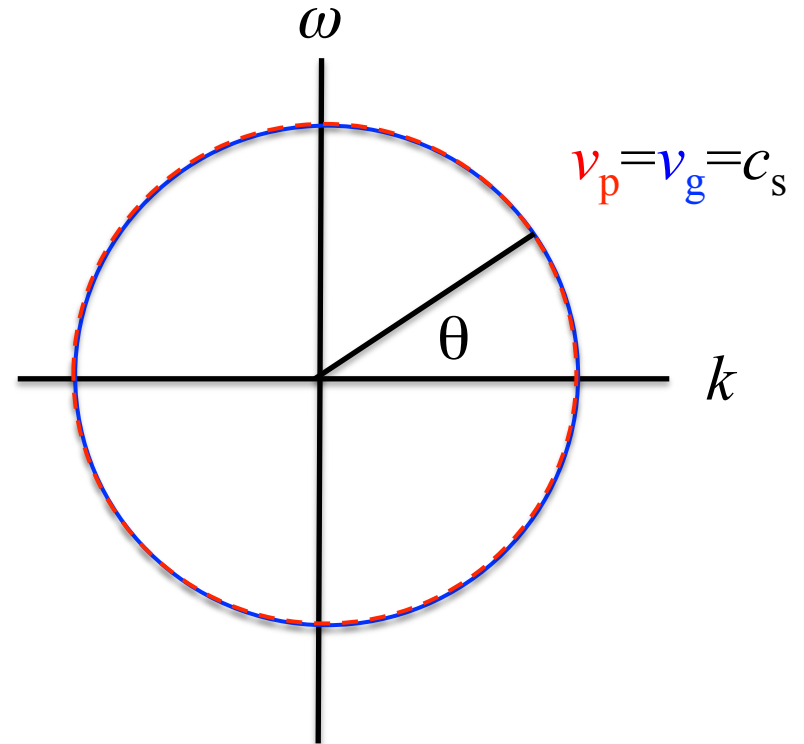
- Real solutions (propagation) for $k_z > 0$

$$\omega > \Omega_s = \omega_{ac} = \frac{c_s}{2H}$$

Acoustic wave summary

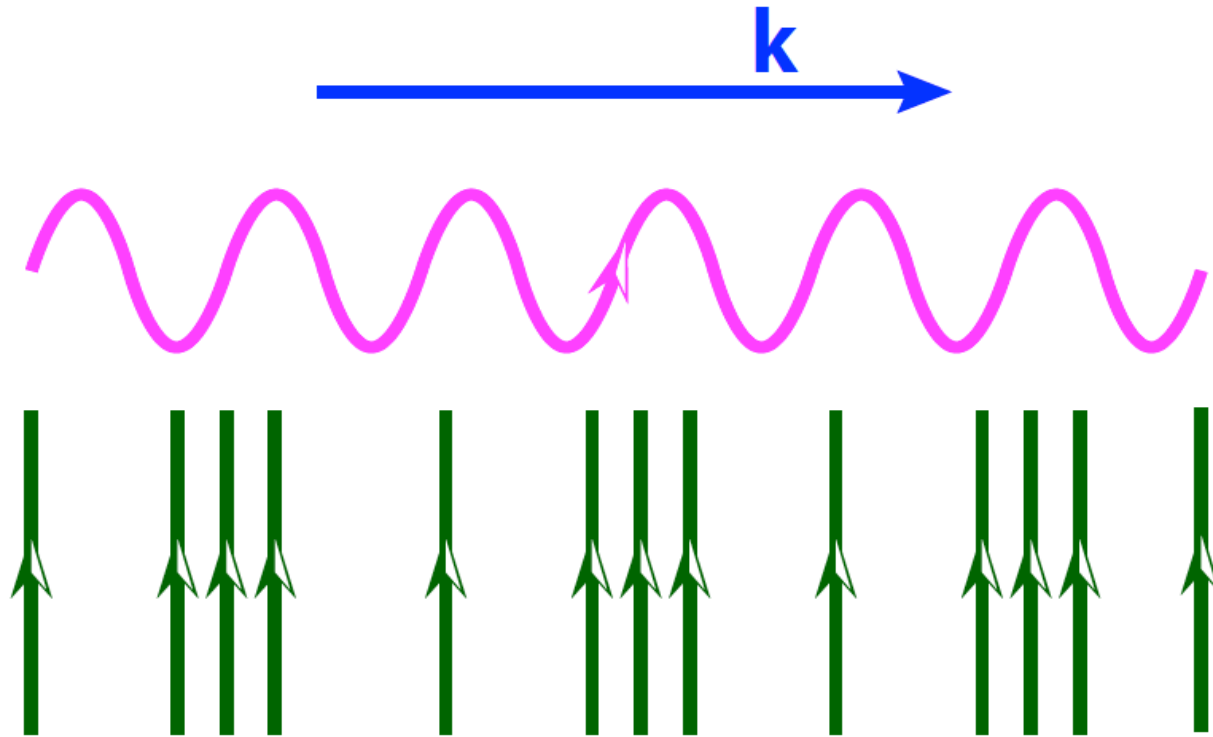


- Restoring force: pressure
- Directionality: isotropic



- Phase speed: c_s
- Group speed: c_s

Waves in magnetic field



- There are two type of propagating waves in magnetic field
- Because magnetic field has two forces, magnetic tension and magnetic pressure.
- Both forces are coming $\mathbf{J} \times \mathbf{B}$ force

Alfven wave equations

- Ignore pressure and gravity (i.e., $p_0 = \mathbf{g} = 0$)
 - From equilibrium (A), $0 = \mu_0(\mathbf{J}_0 \times \mathbf{B}_0) = (\nabla \times \mathbf{B}_0) \times \mathbf{B}_0$
 - Assume no pressure variations, $p_1 = \rho_1 = 0$
 - Assume uniform equilibrium field distribution, $\mathbf{B}_0 = B_0 \hat{z}$
- Linearized equations reduce to:

$$(5.1) \quad \nabla \cdot \mathbf{v}_1 = 0 \rightarrow i(\mathbf{k} \cdot \mathbf{v}_1) = 0 \quad (5.14)$$

$$(5.2) \quad \rho_0 \frac{\partial \mathbf{v}_1}{\partial t} = \frac{(\nabla \times \mathbf{B}_1)}{\mu_0} \times \mathbf{B}_0 \rightarrow i\omega \rho_0 \mathbf{v}_1 = \frac{(i\mathbf{k} \times \mathbf{B}_1)}{\mu_0} \times \mathbf{B}_0 \quad (5.15)$$

$$(5.4) \quad \frac{\partial \mathbf{B}_1}{\partial t} = \nabla \times (\mathbf{v}_1 \times \mathbf{B}_0) \rightarrow -i\omega \mathbf{B}_1 = i\mathbf{k} \times (\mathbf{v}_1 \times \mathbf{B}_0) \quad (5.16)$$

$$(5.6) \quad \nabla \cdot \mathbf{B}_1 \rightarrow i\mathbf{k} \cdot \mathbf{B}_1 = 0 \quad (5.17)$$

(shear) Alfvén wave properties

- From eq (5.1), $\nabla \cdot \mathbf{v}_1 = 0$
- no divergent/convergent motions (**incompressible**)
- From eq (5.14), $\mathbf{k} \cdot \mathbf{v}_1 \equiv kv_1 \cos \theta_{kv_1} = 0$

$$\theta_{kv_1} = 90^\circ$$

- \mathbf{v}_1 at right angles to \mathbf{k} (**transverse**)
- Taking scalar product with \mathbf{B}_0 ,
- From eq (5.15),

$$-\omega \rho_0 \mathbf{v}_1 \cdot \mathbf{B}_0 = \frac{(\mathbf{k} \times \mathbf{B}_1)}{\mu_0} \times \mathbf{B}_0 \cdot \mathbf{B}_0 = 0 \quad (\nabla \cdot \mathbf{B}_0 = 0)$$

$$\mathbf{v}_1 \cdot \mathbf{B}_0 \equiv v_1 B_0 \cos \theta_{v_1 B} = 0$$

$$\theta_{v_1 B} = 90^\circ \quad (5.18)$$

- \mathbf{v}_1 at right angles to \mathbf{B}_0 (**perpendicular**)

(Shear) Alfvén wave properties (cont.)

- Expand eq (5.16) using standard vector identity,

$$\begin{aligned} -\omega \mathbf{B}_1 &= \mathbf{k} \times (\mathbf{v}_1 \times \mathbf{B}_0) \\ &= (\mathbf{k} \cdot \mathbf{B}_0) \mathbf{v}_1 - (\mathbf{k} \cdot \mathbf{v}_1) \mathbf{B}_0 \end{aligned}$$

- But $(\mathbf{k} \cdot \mathbf{v}_1) = 0$ from eq (5.14),

$$-\omega \mathbf{B}_1 = (\mathbf{k} \cdot \mathbf{B}_0) \mathbf{v}_1 \quad (5.19)$$

- Taking scalar product with \mathbf{B}_0 ,

$$-\omega \mathbf{B}_1 \cdot \mathbf{B}_0 = (\mathbf{k} \cdot \mathbf{B}_0) (\mathbf{v}_1 \cdot \mathbf{B}_0)$$

- But $(\mathbf{v}_1 \cdot \mathbf{B}_0) = 0$ from eq (5.18),

$$\mathbf{B}_1 \cdot \mathbf{B}_0 \equiv B_0 B_1 \cos \theta_{B_0 B_1} = 0 \quad (5.20)$$

$$\cos \theta_{B_0 B_1} = 90^\circ$$

- \mathbf{B}_1 at right angles to \mathbf{B}_0 (**perpendicular**)

(Shear) Alfven dispersion relation

- Multiply eq (5.16) by ω and substitute for \mathbf{v}_1 from eq (5.15),

$$\omega^2 \mathbf{B}_1 = \frac{1}{\mu_0 \rho_0} \mathbf{k} \times \{[(\mathbf{k} \times \mathbf{B}_1) \times \mathbf{B}_0] \times \mathbf{B}_0\} \quad (5.21)$$

- Expanding inner triple vector product,

$$\begin{aligned} (\mathbf{A} \times \mathbf{B}) \times \mathbf{C} &= (\mathbf{C} \cdot \mathbf{A})\mathbf{B} - (\mathbf{C} \cdot \mathbf{B})\mathbf{A} \\ (\mathbf{k} \times \mathbf{B}_1) \times \mathbf{B}_0 &= (\mathbf{B}_0 \cdot \mathbf{k})\mathbf{B}_1 - (\mathbf{B}_0 \cdot \mathbf{B}_1)\mathbf{k} \end{aligned}$$

- But $(\mathbf{B}_0 \cdot \mathbf{B}_1) = 0$ from eq (5.20),

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbf{k} \times \{[(\mathbf{k} \times \mathbf{B}_1) \times \mathbf{B}_0] \times \mathbf{B}_0\} &= \mathbf{k} \times \{[(\mathbf{B}_0 \cdot \mathbf{k})\mathbf{B}_1] \times \mathbf{B}_0\} \\ &= (\mathbf{k} \cdot \mathbf{B}_0)[(\mathbf{B}_0 \cdot \mathbf{k})\mathbf{B}_1] - (\mathbf{k} \cdot [(\mathbf{B}_0 \cdot \mathbf{k})\mathbf{B}_1])\mathbf{B}_0 \\ &= (\mathbf{k} \cdot \mathbf{B}_0)^2 \mathbf{B}_1 - (\mathbf{k} \cdot \mathbf{B}_1)(\mathbf{B}_0 \cdot \mathbf{k})\mathbf{B}_0 \end{aligned}$$

- And $(\mathbf{k} \cdot \mathbf{B}_1) = 0$ from eq (5.17),

$$\mathbf{k} \times \{[(\mathbf{k} \times \mathbf{B}_1) \times \mathbf{B}_0] \times \mathbf{B}_0\} = (\mathbf{k} \cdot \mathbf{B}_0)^2 \mathbf{B}_1$$

(Shear) Alfvén dispersion relation (cont.)

- From eq (5.21), $\omega^2 \mathbf{B}_1 = \frac{(\mathbf{k} \cdot \mathbf{B}_0)^2}{\mu_0 \rho_0} \mathbf{B}_1$

$$\omega^2 = \frac{(\mathbf{k} \cdot \mathbf{B}_0)^2}{\mu_0 \rho_0} \quad (5.22)$$

- Recall that $\mathbf{B}_0 = B_0 \hat{\mathbf{z}}$ and $(\mathbf{k} \cdot \hat{\mathbf{z}}) = k_z = k \cos \theta_{k B_0}$,

$$\omega^2 = \frac{(\mathbf{k} \cdot \hat{\mathbf{z}})^2 B_0^2}{\mu_0 \rho_0} = \frac{(k \cos \theta_{k B_0})^2 B_0^2}{\mu_0 \rho_0}$$

- Defining *the Alfvén speed*,

$$v_A^2 = \frac{B_0^2}{\mu_0 \rho_0}$$

- **Dispersion relation** is

$$\omega^2 = (k \cos \theta_{k B_0})^2 v_A^2 \quad (5.23)$$

(Shear) Alfvén phase and group speeds

- Shear Alfvén waves are **anisotropic**
 - $(\mathbf{k} \cdot \mathbf{B}_0)$ term in eq (5.22), the generalized dispersion relation

- Phase speed:

From eq (5.23)

$$\frac{\omega}{k} = \pm v_A \cos \theta_{k B_0} = v_p$$

- Group velocity:

$$\mathbf{v}_g = \frac{\partial \omega}{\partial \mathbf{k}} = \left(\frac{\partial \omega}{\partial k_x}, \frac{\partial \omega}{\partial k_y}, \frac{\partial \omega}{\partial k_z} \right)$$

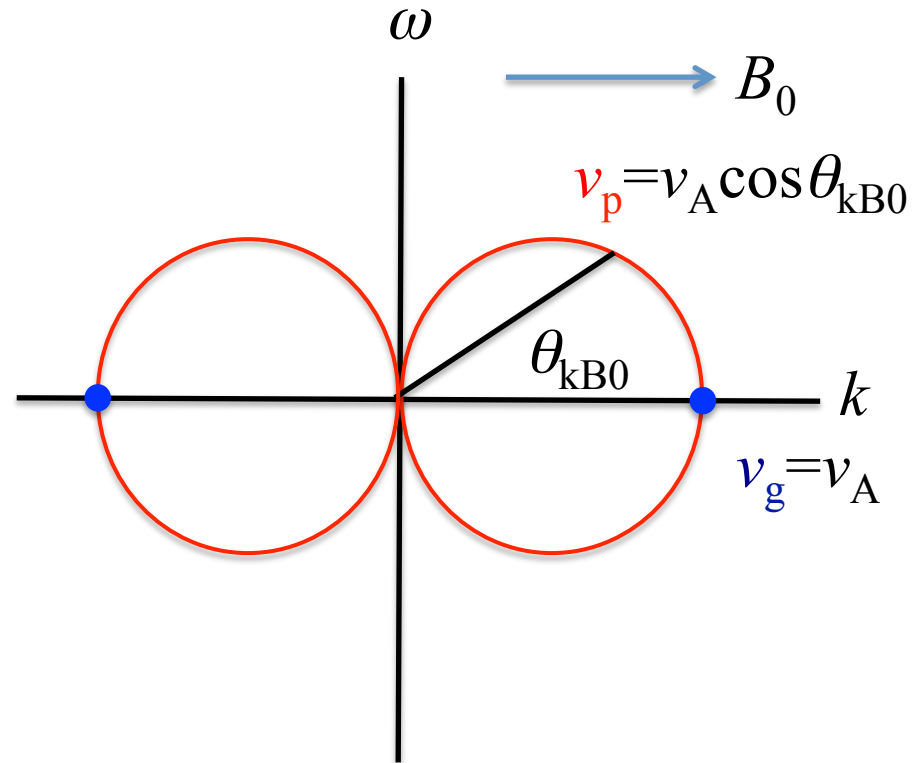
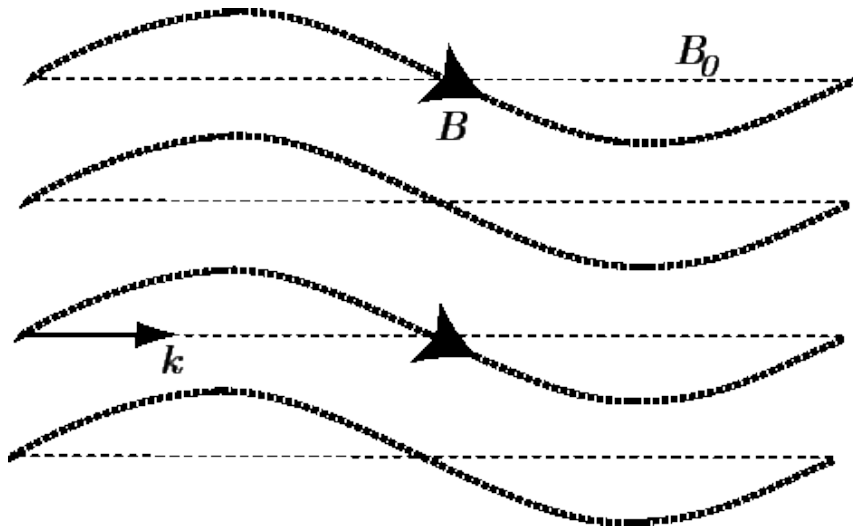
From eq (5.23)

$$\begin{aligned} \omega &= \pm v_A k \cos \theta_{k B_0} \\ &= \pm v_A k_z \end{aligned}$$

- Differentiating:

$$\frac{\partial \omega}{\partial \mathbf{k}} = \pm v_A \hat{\mathbf{z}} = \mathbf{v}_g$$

(shear) Alfvén wave summary

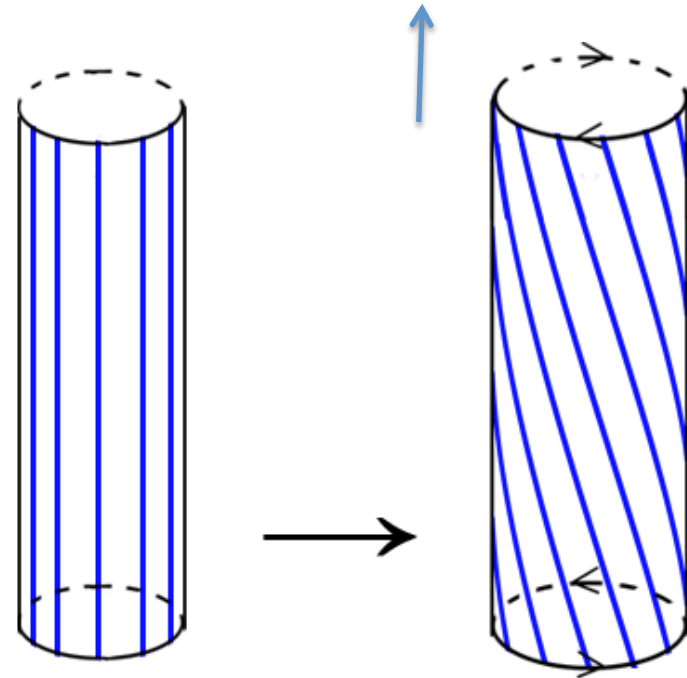


- Restoring force: B-field tension
- Directionality: anisotropic

- Phase speed: $v_A \cos \theta_{kB0}$
- Group speed: v_A

Torsional Alfvén wave

- In cylindrically symmetric geometry with an axial field (B_z), there exist waves which possess only azimuthal component
- Such wave as known as **torsional Alfvén wave**
- Torsional Alfvén wave propagates with $v_p = v_A$ along axial magnetic field



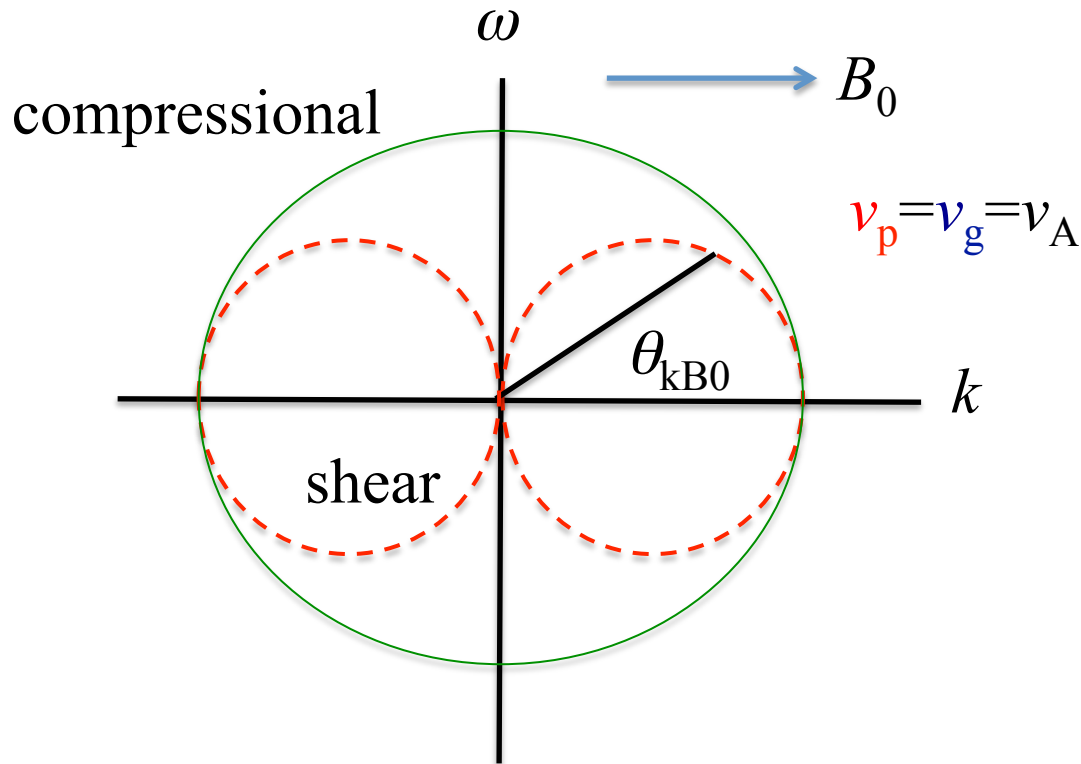
Compressional Alfven wave

- In shear Alfven wave, we assume incompressible ($\nabla \cdot \mathbf{v}_1 = 0$).
- If we consider **compression** (by magnetic pressure), we obtain another solution of Alfven wave. This is called *compressional Alfven wave*
- Dispersion relation is

$$\omega = kv_A$$

- The phase velocity and group velocity is $v_p = v_g = v_A$
- Compressional Alfven wave is **isotropic**
- If $\theta_{kB_0} = \pi/2$ (perpendicular direction against \mathbf{B}_0), $\mathbf{v}_1 \parallel \mathbf{k}$. So it is **compression wave**
- If $\theta_{kB_0} = 0$ (parallel direction to \mathbf{B}_0), compressional wave is matched with shear Alfven wave (not compressional)

Compressional Alfvén wave summary

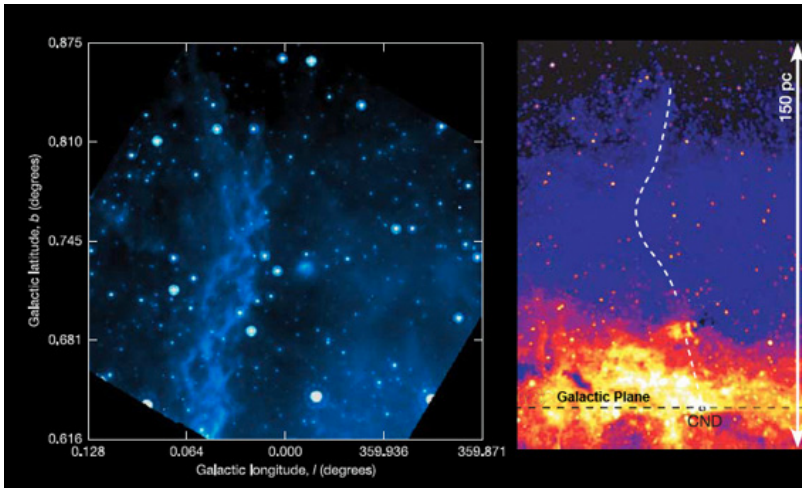


- Restoring force: B-field tension & magnetic pressure
- Directionality: isotropic

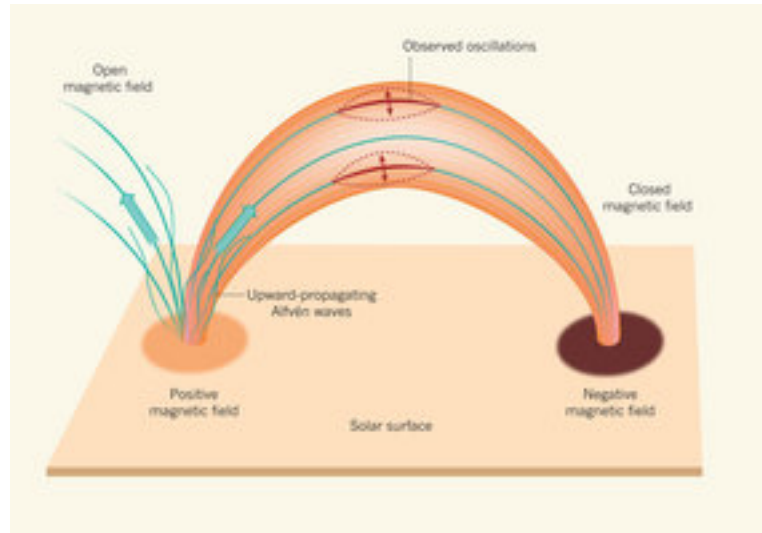
Alfven wave example

Alfven wave in solar corona (Hinode, Ca II H spectral line)

Double helix nebula in the galaxy (IR)



Movie here



Magnetoacoustic wave equation

- Ignore gravity (i.e., $\mathbf{g} = 0$), consider compressible (gas pressure & magnetic pressure)
 - assume uniform equilibrium field distribution, $\mathbf{B}_0 = B_0 \hat{\mathbf{z}}$

- Linearized equations reduce to, $\hat{\mathbf{B}}_0 \equiv \mathbf{B}_0 / B_0$

$$\frac{\omega^2 \mathbf{v}_1}{v_A^2} = k^2 \cos^2(\theta_{k B_0}) \mathbf{v}_1 - (\mathbf{k} \cdot \mathbf{v}_1) k \cos(\theta_{k B_0}) \hat{\mathbf{B}}_0 + \left[\left(1 + \frac{c_s^2}{v_A^2} \right) (\mathbf{k} \cdot \mathbf{v}_1) - k \cos(\theta_{k B_0}) (\hat{\mathbf{B}}_0 \cdot \mathbf{v}_1) \right] \mathbf{k} \quad (5.24)$$

- with resulting **dispersion relation**,

$$\omega^4 - \omega^2 k^2 (c_s^2 + v_A^2) + c_s^2 v_A^2 k^4 \cos^2 \theta_{k B_0} = 0$$

Derivation of dispersion relation for magnetoacoustic wave

- First Eq(5.24) * \mathbf{k} & Eq (5.24) * \mathbf{B}_0 (dot product)
- From these two equations, deleted $(\mathbf{v}_1 \cdot \mathbf{k})$ & $(\mathbf{v}_1 \cdot \hat{\mathbf{B}}_0)$

Magnetoacoustic wave properties

- *Phase velocities:*

$$\frac{\omega^2}{k^2} = v_f^2 = \frac{(c_s^2 + v_A^2) + \sqrt{(c_s^2 + v_A^2)^2 - 4c_s^2 v_A^2 \cos^2(\theta_{kB_0})}}{2}$$

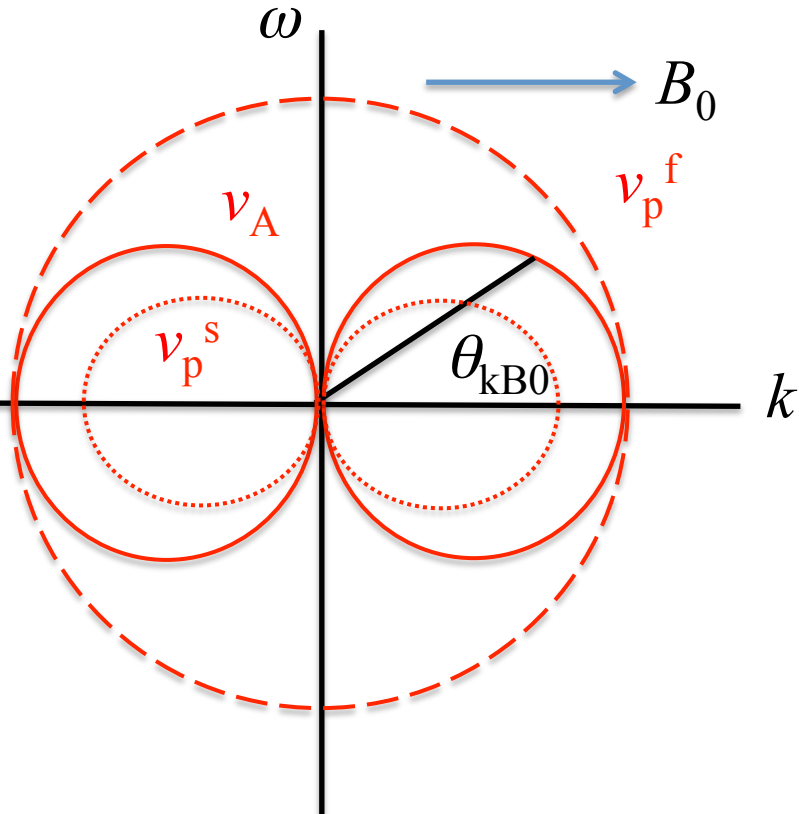
$$v_s^2 = \frac{(c_s^2 + v_A^2) - \sqrt{(c_s^2 + v_A^2)^2 - 4c_s^2 v_A^2 \cos^2(\theta_{kB_0})}}{2}$$

Wave Mode	Propagation	Low-beta	High-beta
Alfven	Along B_0	Magnetic tension	
Fast	isotropic	Magnetic pressure	Gas pressure
Slow	Roughly along B_0	Gas pressure	Magnetic tension

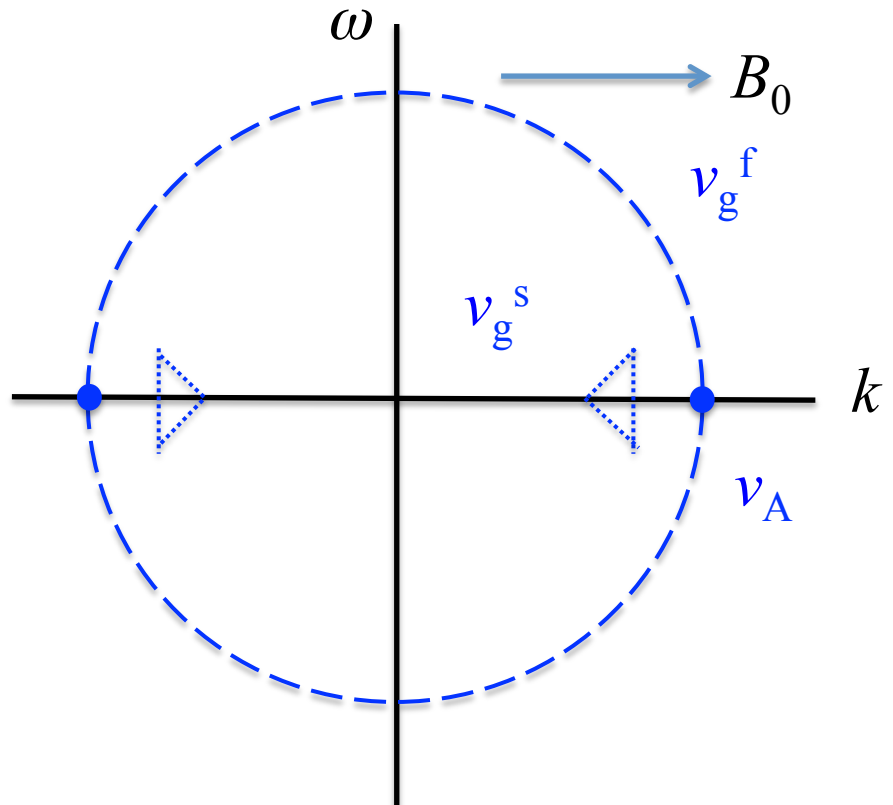
Magnetoacoustic wave phase and group speeds

For **low-beta** case ($c_s < v_A$)

Phase speed

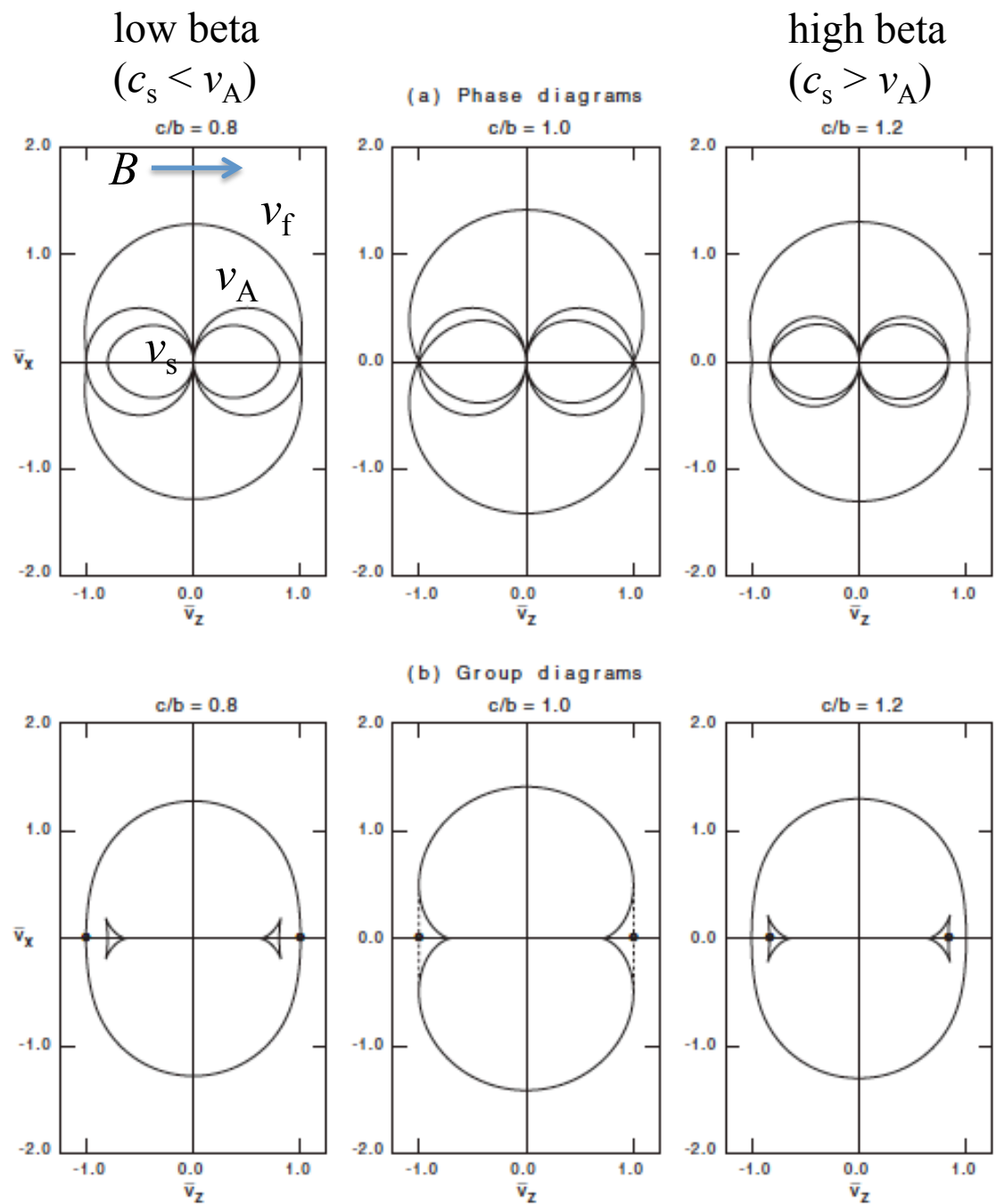


Group speed



Magnetoacoustic wave phase and group speeds (cont.)

- **Low beta case:** ($c_s < v_A$)
 - **Fast mode** propagates at Alfvén speed
 - **Slow mode** \sim 1D sound wave guided by field
- **High beta case:** ($c_s > v_A$)
 - **Fast mode** behaves like sound wave (restoring force is magnetic pressure)
 - **Slow mode** propagates at Alfvén speed



Summary 1

- **Acoustic waves**
 - particle motion along k direction (longitudinal)
 - phase and group speeds are c_s in all directions (isotropic)
- **(Shear) Alfven waves**
 - particle motion at right angles to k direction (transverse)
 - B perturbation at right angles to k direction (perpendicular)
 - phase speed varies as $v_A \cos \theta_{kB0}$ (anisotropic)
 - group speed is v_A along B direction (anisotropic)
- **Magnetoacoustic waves**
- **Alfven** – as above
- **Fast** – gas and B pressure in phase, also isotropic
- **Slow** – gas and B pressure out of phase, also anisotropic

Sound speed and Alfven speed

- Typical velocity of Sound wave and Alfven wave in the universe

Sound wave

- When $\gamma=5/3$, $m=0.5m_i$, $\mu=0.5$ (fully ionized hydrogen gas),

$$c_s \simeq 1.66 \times 10^4 T_0^{1/2} \text{ (cm/s)} \qquad p = nk_B T = \frac{\rho}{\mu m_p} T$$

- $T_0 \sim 10^4$ (stellar atmosphere) $\Rightarrow c_s \sim 16$ km/s
- $T_0 \sim 10^8$ (cluster of galaxies) $\Rightarrow c_s \sim 1.6 \times 10^3$ km/s

Alfven wave

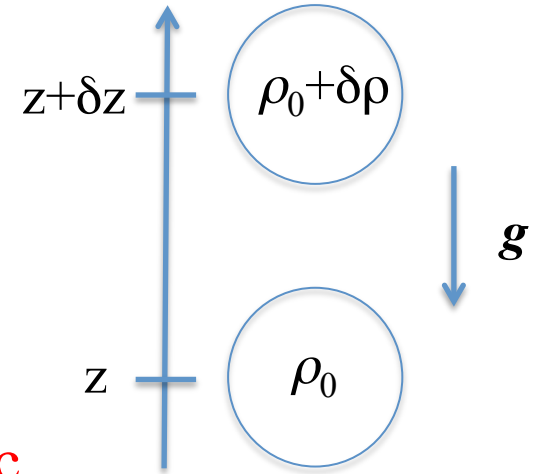
$$v_A = 2.8 \times 10^5 \left(\frac{B}{1 \mu\text{G}} \right) \left(\frac{n_0}{1 \text{cm}^{-3}} \right)^{-1/2} \text{ (cm/s)}$$

Waves in gravitational field

- Next, we consider the wave propagating in the gravitational field.
- Such waves, we called *gravity wave* (not gravitational wave)
- Internal gravity wave
- Acoustic gravity wave

Internal gravity wave

- Consider a blob of plasma, which displaced vertically a distance δz from equilibrium
- **Assumption:**
 - (1) Remains in pressure equilibrium with its surrounding
 - (2) Density changes inside the blob are **adiabatic**
- At original height z , the blob are in equilibrium balance between pressure gradient and gravity



$$\frac{dp_0}{dz} = -\rho_0 g \quad (5.25)$$

Internal gravity wave (cont.)

- **Outside** the blob the pressure and density at height $z+\delta z$ are $p_0+\delta p_0$ & $\rho_0+\delta\rho_0$, by eq (5.25),

$$\delta p_0 = -\rho_0 g \delta z, \quad \delta \rho_0 = \frac{d\rho_0}{dz} \delta z \quad (5.26)$$

- **Inside** the blob the pressure and density at height $z+\delta z$ are $p_0+\delta p$ & $\rho_0+\delta\rho$, by assumption (1),

$$\delta p = \delta p_0 = -\rho_0 g \delta z \quad (5.27)$$

- Assumption (2) means that, as the blob rises, its pressure and density obey $p/\rho^\gamma = \text{const}$, So that $\delta p = c_s^2 \delta \rho$, from eq (5.27) internal density change as

$$\delta \rho = -\frac{\rho_0 g \delta z}{c_s^2} \quad (5.28)$$

Internal gravity wave (cont.)

- Since the new density inside the blob differs from the ambient density at its new height, the blob experiences a **buoyancy force**
- From eq (5.26) & (5.28),

$$g(\delta\rho_0 - \delta\rho) = -N^2\rho_0\delta z \quad (5.29)$$

$$N^2 = -g \left(\frac{1}{\rho_0} \frac{d\rho_0}{dz} + \frac{g}{c_s^2} \right)$$

Brunt-Vaisala frequency

- An alternative expression is obtained by eq(5.25) & adiabatic EoS ($p_0 = \rho_0 RT_0/\mu$, $p_0/\rho_0^\gamma = \text{const}$):

$$N^2 = -\frac{g}{T_0} \left[\frac{dT_0}{dz} + \left(\frac{dT}{dz} \right)_{ad} \right]$$

- where $\left(\frac{dT}{dz} \right)_{ad} = -(\gamma - 1) \frac{T_0 g}{c_s^2}$

Internal gravity wave (cont.)

- In general, N varies with height z but, in particular case when the equilibrium temperature (T_0) is **uniform** (no dependence on height),

$$N^2 = \frac{(\gamma - 1)g^2}{c_s^2}$$

- In the presence of a **horizontal magnetic field**, Brunt-Vaisala frequency is increased to

$$N^2 = -g \left(\frac{1}{\rho_0} \frac{d\rho_0}{dz} + \frac{g}{c_s^2 + v_A^2} \right)$$

- Or in case of uniform temperature

$$N^2 = \frac{g^2}{c_s^2} \left(\gamma - \frac{c_s^2}{c_s^2 + v_A^2} \right)$$

Internal gravity wave (cont.)

- If the only resultant force acting on the plasma blob is due to **buoyancy**, (eq. 5.29), the equation of motion becomes

$$\rho_0 \frac{d^2(\delta z)}{dt^2} = -N^2 \rho_0 \delta z \quad (5.30)$$

- When $N^2 > 0$, this is **simple harmonic motion** with frequency $\omega = N$
- So that the temperature decreases with height more slowly than adiabatic (= isothermal)

$$-\frac{dT_0}{dz} < -\left(\frac{dT}{dz}\right)_{ad}$$

Schwarzschild criterion for convective stability

- If temperature decreases with height faster than adiabatic, the condition $N^2 > 0$ is violated \Rightarrow solution of eq(5.30) is exponentially growing (*convective instability*)
- The region of the solar interior where this is so is **convection zone**
- (Using entropy, we can also discuss this criterion)

Internal gravity wave (cont.)

- The simple harmonic motion leads to expect the existence of **gravity waves** when $N^2 > 0$ due to the tendency for plasma to oscillate slowly with frequency N

- Linearize equation:

$$\omega^2 \mathbf{v}_1 = c_s^2 \mathbf{k}(\mathbf{k} \cdot \mathbf{v}_1) + i(\gamma - 1)g(\mathbf{k} \cdot \mathbf{v}_1)\hat{\mathbf{z}} + igk v_{1z}$$

- Taking scalar product with \mathbf{k} and $\hat{\mathbf{z}}$ in turn and gathering together terms in v_{1z} and $\mathbf{k}^* \mathbf{v}_1$,

$$igk^2 v_{1z} = (\mathbf{k} \cdot \mathbf{v}_1) \{ \omega^2 - c_s^2 k^2 - i(\gamma - 1)gk_z \}$$

$$(\omega^2 - igk_z) v_{1z} = (\mathbf{k} \cdot \mathbf{v}_1) \{ c_s^2 k_z + i(\gamma - 1)g \}$$

- Then an elimination of $(\mathbf{k}^* \mathbf{v}_1)/v_{1z}$

$$(\omega^2 - igk_z) \{ \omega^2 - c_s^2 k^2 - i(\gamma - 1)gk_z \} = igk^2 \{ c_s^2 k_z + i(\gamma - 1)g \}$$

(5.31)

Internal gravity wave (cont.)

- The object is to seek waves with a frequency of the order of Brunt-Vaisala frequency (N) and **much slower than that of sound waves**, so

$$\omega \approx g/c_s \ll kc_s$$

- The wavelength is much smaller than a scale-height,. Eq (5.31) reduces to

$$\omega^2 c_s^2 \approx (\gamma - 1)g^2(1 - k_z^2/k^2)$$

- $\theta_g = \cos^{-1}(k_z/k)$: the inclination between the propagation direction and z-axis

- The dispersion relation (temperature is uniform) is

$$\omega = N \sin \theta_g$$

Internal gravity wave

where

$$N^2 = \frac{(\gamma - 1)g^2}{c_s^2}$$

- Typical value for N^{-1} is 50s. So the gravity mode tends to be rather slow by comparison with other wave

Properties of internal gravity wave

- **Phase speed:** $v_p = \frac{\omega}{k} = \frac{N}{k} \sin \theta_g$

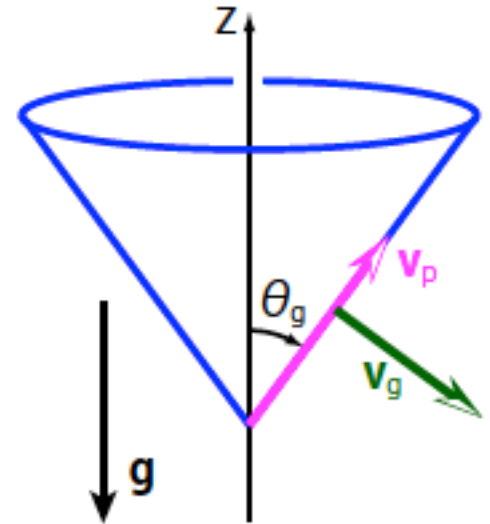
- They propagate along two cones with angle θ_g (not propagate in vertical direction)

- z-component of **group velocity:**

$$v_{gz} = \frac{\partial \omega}{\partial k_z} = -\frac{\omega k_z}{k^2}$$

- A group of upwind propagating wave carries energy **downward** (negative direction)

- group velocity is in a direction perpendicular to the surface of the cone with angle θ_g



Acoustic-gravity wave

- Consider propagation of **sound (acoustic) wave** in gravitational field (consider **compressibility** and **buoyancy forces** are present together)
- Using linearize equation is the same as internal gravity wave:

$$\omega^2 \mathbf{v}_1 = c_s^2 \mathbf{k}(\mathbf{k} \cdot \mathbf{v}_1) + i(\gamma - 1)g(\mathbf{k} \cdot \mathbf{v}_1)\hat{\mathbf{z}} + igk v_{1z}$$

- We consider $\mathbf{k}=(k_x, k_z)$ and $\mathbf{v}_1=(v_x, v_z)$
- After some calculation, we get dispersion relation

$$\omega^4 - \left\{ k_x^2 + \left(k_z + i \frac{\gamma g}{2c_s^2} \right)^2 + \frac{\gamma^2 g^2}{4c_s^4} \right\} c_s^2 \omega^2 + (\gamma - 1)g^2 k_x^2 = 0$$

Acoustic-gravity wave (cont.)

- We define $N^2 = \frac{(\gamma - 1)g^2}{c_s^2}$, $N_s^2 = \frac{\gamma^2 g^2}{4c_s^2}$,

$$\mathbf{k}' = \mathbf{k} + i \frac{N_s}{c_s} \hat{z}, \quad \sin^2 \theta_g = 1 - \frac{k_z'^2}{k'^2} = \frac{k_x^2}{k'^2}$$

- The dispersion relation is rewritten as

$$\omega^4 - \left(k'^2 + \frac{N_s^2}{c_s^2} \right) c_s^2 \omega^2 + N^2 c_s^2 k'^2 \sin^2 \theta_g' = 0$$

- When $\gamma=2$, $N_s=N$. But this is not realistic. When $\gamma=5/3$, $N_s \simeq 1.02N$
So usually $N_s \geq N$
- When $\omega^2 \ll k'^2 c_s^2$, $\omega \simeq N \sin^2 \theta_g'$. This is *internal gravity mode (g-mode)*.
- When $\omega^2 \gg N$, $\omega \simeq k' c_s$. This is *acoustic wave mode (p-mode)*.

Acoustic-gravity wave (cont.)

- When this wave propagates **perpendicular direction** ($\theta'_g = 0$),
$$\omega^2 = N_s^2 + k'^2 c_s^2$$
- Therefore, **p-mode** only exists when $\omega > N_s$
- If acoustic-gravity wave propagates **not perpendicular direction**, there are two solutions ($k'^2 > 0$, $\omega^2 > 0$)
- Dispersion relation is

$$\omega^2 = \frac{1}{2} \left(k'^2 c_s^2 + N_s^2 \pm \sqrt{(k'^2 c_s^2 + N_s^2)^2 - 4N^2 c_s^2 k'^2 \sin^2 \theta'_g} \right)$$

- From this, the solutions are $\omega < N \sin \theta'_g$ or $\omega > N_s$

Acoustic-gravity wave (cont.)

- **higher frequency mode** ($\omega > N_s$) is usually **p-mode**
but group velocity is $v_g < c_s$ even though phase velocity is $v_p > c_s$
- In the limit of $\omega \rightarrow N_s$, $v_p \rightarrow \infty$ and $v_g \rightarrow 0$
- **Lower frequency mode** ($\omega < N \sin \theta'_g$) is usually **g-mode**
and phase velocity is $v_p < c_s$
- In the limit of $\omega \rightarrow N \sin \theta'_g$, $v_p \rightarrow 0$
- The wave with the frequency between N_s and $N \sin \theta'_g$ does not propagate (decays in short distance), called **evanescent**
- If k' is purely imaginary, the **standing wave** can exist in this frequency.
But no energy can be propagated.

Acoustic-gravity wave (cont.)

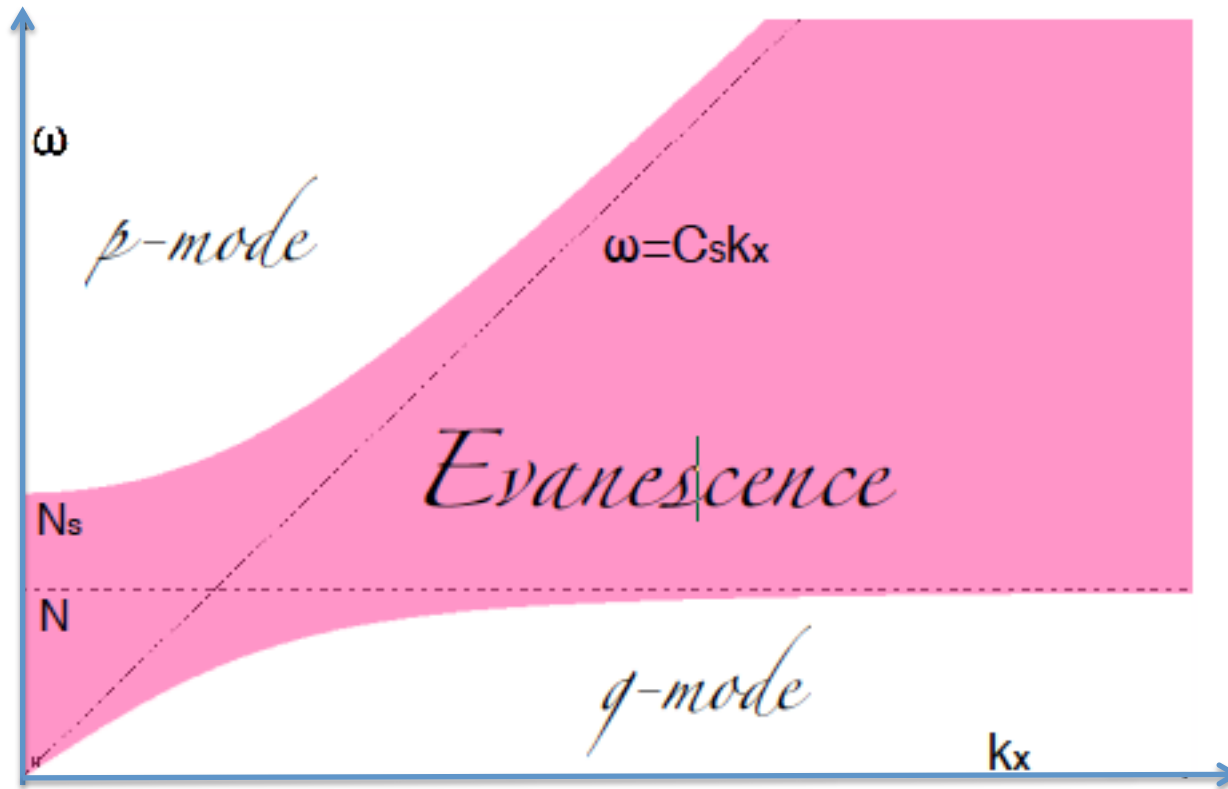
- Next, we investigate the wave which propagates perpendicular direction against k_x and ω ($\theta'_g = \pi/2$)
- The dispersion relation is

$$\omega^4 - \left(k_x^2 + k_z'^2 + \frac{N_s^2}{c_s^2} \right) c_s^2 \omega^2 + N^2 c_s^2 k_x^2 = 0$$
$$\rightarrow \omega^2(\omega^2 - N_s^2) - (\omega^2 - N^2)c_s^2 k_x^2 = k_z'^2 c_s^2 \omega^2$$

- From this, the two solution is $k_x^2 > 0$, $\omega^2 > 0$
Therefore the condition for $k_z' > 0$ is

$$\omega^2(\omega^2 - N_s^2) > (\omega^2 - N^2)c_s^2 k_x^2$$

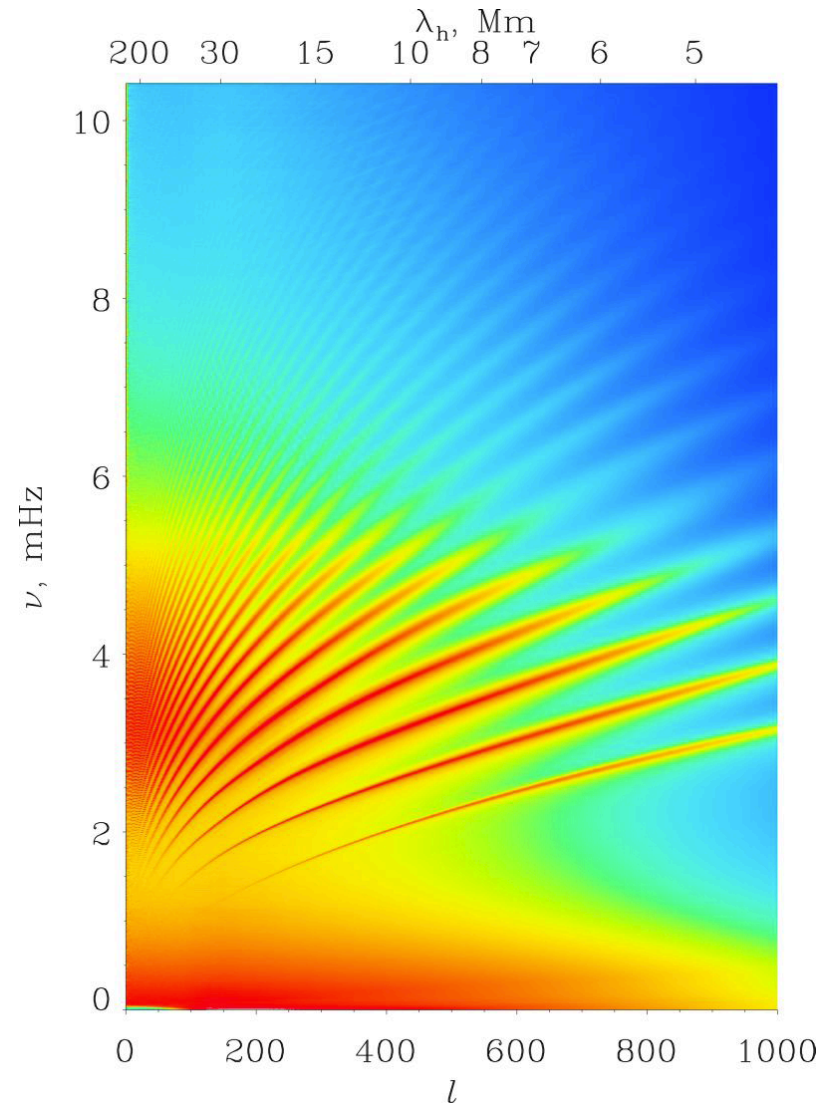
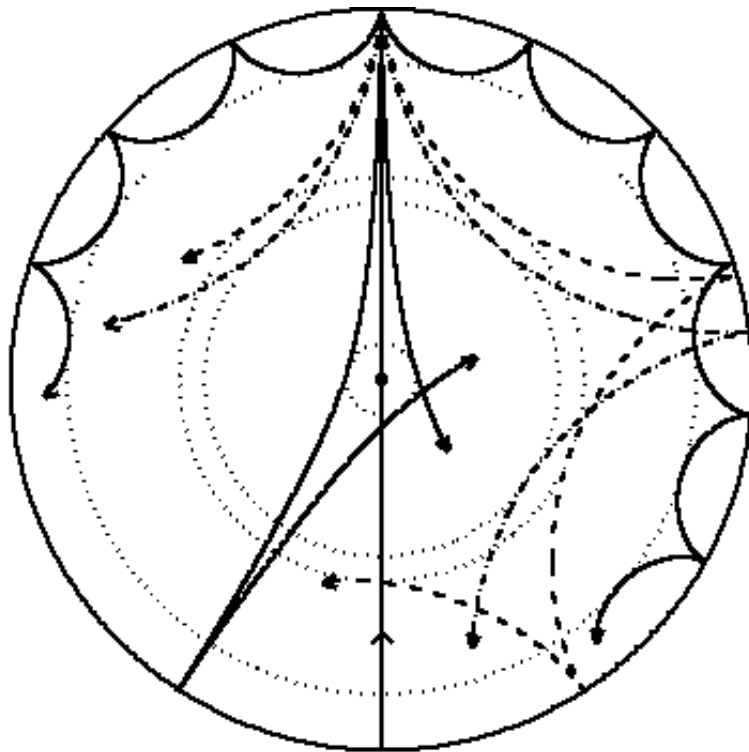
Acoustic-gravity wave (cont.)



- This condition divides the $\omega - k_x$ plane. This figure sometimes referred as a **diagnostic diagram**

Acoustic gravity wave example

Helioseismology



Summary 2

- We have two type of waves propagating in the gravitational field.
 - g-mode (internal gravity wave) restoring by buoyancy force
 - p-mode (acoustic wave) restoring by pressure
- Between these two modes, evanescent region exists.

Exercise 2-3

Derivation of dispersion relation of magneto-acoustic waves

From linearized equation:

$$\frac{\omega^2 \mathbf{v}_1}{v_A^2} = k^2 \cos^2(\theta_{k B_0}) \mathbf{v}_1 - (\mathbf{k} \cdot \mathbf{v}_1) k \cos(\theta_{k B_0}) \hat{\mathbf{B}}_0 + \left[\left(1 + \frac{c_s^2}{v_A^2} \right) (\mathbf{k} \cdot \mathbf{v}_1) - k \cos(\theta_{k B_0}) (\hat{\mathbf{B}}_0 \cdot \mathbf{v}_1) \right] \mathbf{k}$$

Exercise 2-3 (cont.)

- Dot product of \mathbf{k}

$$\mathbf{k} \cdot \hat{\mathbf{B}}_0 = k \cos(\theta_{k B_0})$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{\omega^2 \mathbf{v}_1}{v_A^2} \cdot \mathbf{k} = k^2 \cos^2(\theta_{k B_0}) \mathbf{v}_1 \cdot \mathbf{k} - \underbrace{k \cos(\theta_{k B_0}) (\mathbf{k} \cdot \mathbf{v}_1) (\mathbf{k} \cdot \hat{\mathbf{B}}_0)}_{\text{red underline}}$$

$$+ \left[\left(1 + \frac{c_s^2}{v_A^2} \right) (\mathbf{k} \cdot \mathbf{v}_1) - \underbrace{k \cos(\theta_{k B_0}) (\hat{\mathbf{B}}_0 \cdot \mathbf{v}_1)}_{\text{blue underline}} \right] k^2$$

$$\Rightarrow = \left[k^2 \cos^2(\theta_{k B_0}) + k^2 \left(1 + \frac{c_s^2}{v_A^2} \right) - \underbrace{k^2 \cos^2(\theta_{k B_0})}_{\text{red underline}} \right] (\mathbf{k} \cdot \mathbf{v}_1)$$

$$- \underbrace{k^3 \cos(\theta_{k B_0}) (\mathbf{v}_1 \cdot \hat{\mathbf{B}}_0)}_{\text{blue underline}}$$

$$= k^2 \left(1 + \frac{c_s^2}{v_A^2} \right) (\mathbf{k} \cdot \mathbf{v}_1) - k^3 \cos(\theta_{k B_0}) (\mathbf{v}_1 \cdot \hat{\mathbf{B}}_0)$$

$$\left[\frac{\omega^2}{v_A^2} - k^2 \left(1 + \frac{c_s^2}{v_A^2} \right) \right] (\mathbf{k} \cdot \mathbf{v}_1) = k^3 \cos(\theta_{k B_0}) (\mathbf{v}_1 \cdot \hat{\mathbf{B}}_0) \quad (4)$$

Exercise 2-3 (cont.)

- Dot product of $\hat{\mathbf{B}}_0 \Rightarrow \mathbf{k} \cdot \hat{\mathbf{B}}_0 = k \cos(\theta_{k B_0})$

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{\omega^2 \mathbf{v}_1}{v_A^2} \cdot \hat{\mathbf{B}}_0 &= \underline{k^2 \cos^2(\theta_{k B_0}) \mathbf{v}_1 \cdot \hat{\mathbf{B}}_0} - (\mathbf{k} \cdot \mathbf{v}_1) k \cos(\theta_{k B_0}) \\ &+ \left[\left(1 + \frac{c_s^2}{v_A^2} \right) (\mathbf{k} \cdot \mathbf{v}_1) - \underline{k \cos(\theta_{k B_0}) (\mathbf{v}_1 \cdot \hat{\mathbf{B}}_0)} \right] \mathbf{k} \cdot \hat{\mathbf{B}}_0 \\ &= \left(1 + \frac{c_s^2}{v_A^2} \right) k \cos(\theta_{k B_0}) (\mathbf{k} \cdot \mathbf{v}_1) - k \cos(\theta_{k B_0}) (\mathbf{k} \cdot \mathbf{v}_1) \\ &= \left(\frac{c_s^2}{v_A^2} \right) k \cos(\theta_{k B_0}) (\mathbf{k} \cdot \mathbf{v}_1) \quad (5) \end{aligned}$$

Exercise 2-3 (cont.)

- From eq(4) & (5), vanish $(\mathbf{k} \cdot \mathbf{v}_1)$ and $(\mathbf{v}_1 \cdot \hat{\mathbf{B}}_0)$

$$\left[\frac{\omega^2}{v_A^2} - k^2 \left(1 + \frac{c_s^2}{v_A^2} \right) \right] \frac{v_A^2}{c_s^2 k \cos(\theta_{kB_0})} = k^3 \cos(\theta_{kB_0}) \frac{v_A^2}{\omega^2}$$

$$\Rightarrow \omega^4 - k^2(c_s^2 + v_A^2)\omega^2 - c_s^2 v_A^2 k^4 \cos^2(\theta_{kB_0}) = 0$$