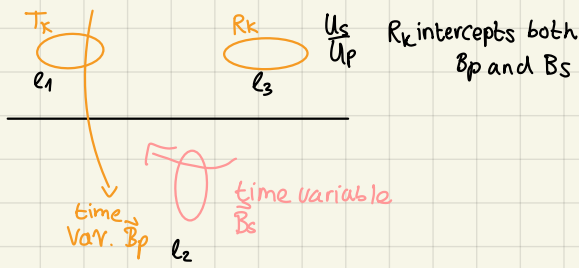


Continue derivation of response function of electromagnetic induction (EMI) using of the RL-analogy.



↑ subsurface with inductive props represented by "Eddy" currents sensitive to conductivity

$$I_{l2} = \frac{i\omega L_{12} I_1}{R_{l2} + i\omega L_{l2}} e^{i\omega t} = \frac{L_{12}}{L_{l2}} \frac{i\alpha I_1}{1 + i\alpha} e^{i\omega t} = \frac{L_{12}}{L_{l2}} \frac{i\alpha I_1}{1 + i\alpha} e^{i\omega t}$$

$$\alpha = \omega \frac{L_{l2}}{R_e}$$

$$U_p = -L_{13} \frac{dI_1}{dt} = -L_{13} i\omega I_1 e^{i\omega t}$$

$$U_s = -L_{23} \frac{dI_{l2}}{dt} = i\omega \left[ \frac{i\omega L_{12} I_1}{R_{l2} + i\omega L_{l2}} \right] e^{i\omega t}$$

$$\frac{U_s}{U_p} = -\frac{L_{23} L_{12}}{L_{l2} L_{13}} \left[ \frac{1}{(1 + \alpha^2)} (i\alpha + \alpha^3) \right]$$

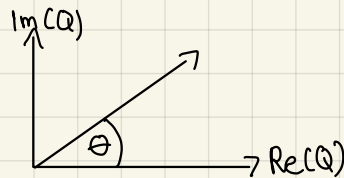
↑ real and imaginary parts are clear

Derivation is straight forward but a bit fiddly

•  $\frac{U_s}{U_p}$  at  $R_x$  depends on geometry factor  $\frac{-L_{23} L_{12}}{L_{l2} L_{13}}$

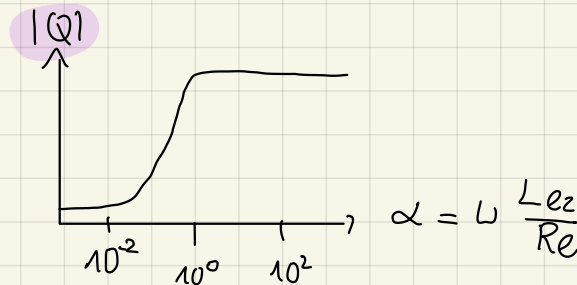
•  $\frac{U_s}{U_p}$  at  $R_x$  depends complex  $Q = \frac{1}{(1 + \alpha^2)} (i\alpha + \alpha^3)$

For the interpretation it is useful to visualize  $|Q|$  or  $\angle Q$  (phase angle).



$|Q|$ : calculate or look it up

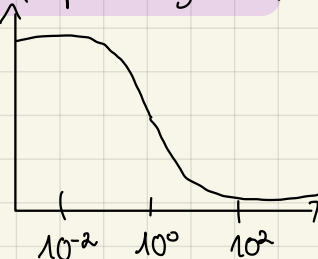
$$|Q| = \left| \frac{\alpha^2 + i\alpha}{\alpha^2 + 1} \right|$$



• if  $\alpha$  is large we are in the conductive limit  
→  $U_s$  is large; much signal from subsurface

• if  $\alpha$  is small (e.g.  $R_e$  large or  $\omega=0$ ) we are in the resistive limit and there is little signal from the subsurface

$$\angle Q = \text{phase angle of } Q = \arctan \left( \frac{\text{Im}(Q)}{\text{Re}(Q)} \right)$$



The phase angle of  $Q$  provides information of the phasing between  $U_s$  and  $U_p$ .

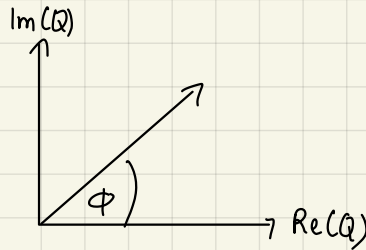
## Continuation with EMI

The phase angle  $\angle Q$ ;  $\arg(Q)$  provides information about the phasing between  $\frac{U_s}{U_p}$ .  
What is the phase angle of  $Q$ ?

$$Q = \frac{\alpha^2 + i\alpha}{\alpha^2 + 1}$$

$$\tan(\theta) = \frac{\text{Im}}{\text{Re}} = \frac{\alpha}{\alpha^2} = \frac{1}{\alpha}$$

$$= \arctan\left(\frac{1}{\alpha}\right)$$



More interesting is phase difference btw  $U_s$  and  $U_p$

$$U_s = -L_{23} i\omega \frac{L_{12}}{L_{22}} \frac{i\alpha}{(1+i\alpha)} e^{i\omega t}$$

$$= C i \frac{\alpha^2 + i\alpha}{1 + \alpha^2} = C \left( \frac{-\alpha + i\alpha^2}{1 + \alpha^2} \right)$$

How turn in proper complex number:

$$\frac{i\alpha (1-i\alpha)}{(1+i\alpha)(1-i\alpha)} = \frac{i\alpha (1-i\alpha)}{1 + \alpha^2} = \frac{\alpha^2 + i\alpha}{1 + \alpha^2}$$

$$\angle(U_s) = \angle U_s = \tan^{-1}\left(\frac{\frac{\alpha^2}{1+\alpha^2}}{\frac{-\alpha}{1+\alpha^2}}\right) = \tan^{-1}(-\alpha) = \tan^{-1}\left(\omega \frac{L_e}{R}\right) \Rightarrow \left[0, \frac{\pi}{2}\right]$$

← induction parameter

$$\angle(U_p) = \angle U_p = \frac{\pi}{2}$$

Conceptual meaning:  $U_p$  is  $\frac{\pi}{2}$  offset at  $R_x$  relative to  $T_x$  (b/c induction current is largest when change of  $B$  is largest)



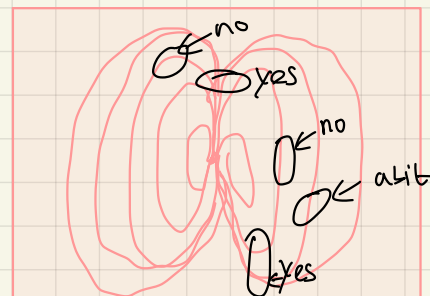
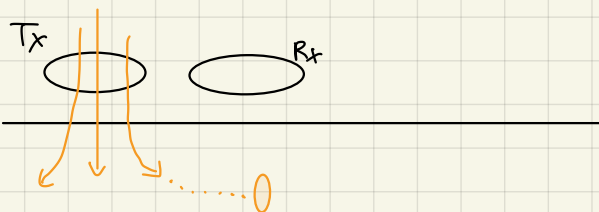
$U_s$  is also offset  $\frac{\pi}{2}$  but the phase offset depends on subsurface properties (inductive vs resistive limits)

$\Rightarrow$  Phase shift can be used to characterize the subsurface and also to investigate w dependency.

## Typical/idealize EMI anomaly

In EMI the anomaly shape depends on the target and on the coupling geometry:  $L_{12}, L_{23}, L_{13}$   
• normal component to magnetic field? (loop orientation + position)

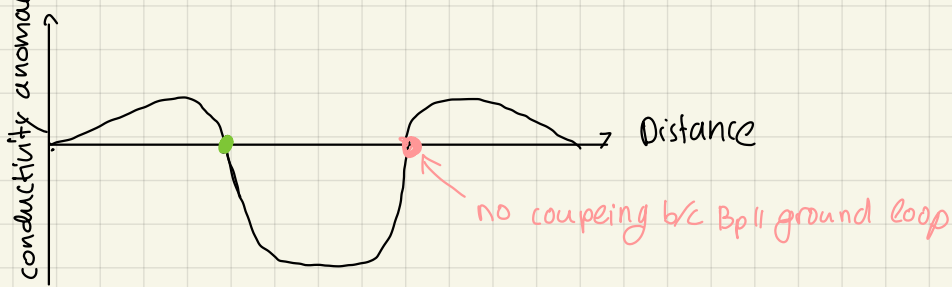
Infer anomaly type for co-planar acquisition:



## case 1: transmitter above target

## Case 2: receiver above target

Typical shape for point target emerges from coupling geometry



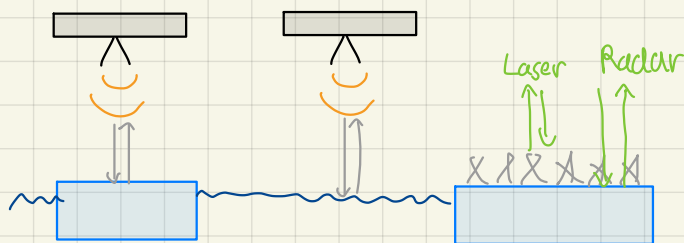
Application examples - sea ice



### Sea ice problem

- x Earth System + Industry relevance is clear
  - x airborne EMI can measure sea ice thickness along flight tracks.
- (great! Still too little coverage to achieve objectives. However perfect for validating/calibrating global sea ice maps)

For polar coverage satellites are required, more specifically: altimeters



h: Freeboard

Archimedes principle will give you the thickness (of Gravimetry)

Recho location principle  
=> "surface topography"

Ice SAT: Laser  
Cryo SAT: Radar