

and:

$$\begin{aligned}
 |\tilde{u}_{tot}^{\parallel}(x, t)| &\equiv \sqrt{\tilde{u}_{tot}^{\parallel}(x, t) \cdot \tilde{u}_{tot}^{\parallel*}(x, t)} \\
 &= \frac{|\tilde{A}|}{\rho_o c} \sqrt{\left(1 - |\tilde{R}| e^{i(2kx + \Delta\phi_{BA}^o)}\right) \cdot \left(1 - |\tilde{R}| e^{i(2kx + \Delta\phi_{BA}^o)}\right)^*} \\
 &= \frac{|\tilde{A}|}{\rho_o c} \sqrt{\left(1 - |\tilde{R}| e^{i(2kx + \Delta\phi_{BA}^o)}\right) \cdot \left(1 - |\tilde{R}| e^{-i(2kx + \Delta\phi_{BA}^o)}\right)} \\
 &= \frac{|\tilde{A}|}{\rho_o c} \sqrt{1 - |\tilde{R}| e^{i(2kx + \Delta\phi_{BA}^o)} - |\tilde{R}| e^{-i(2kx + \Delta\phi_{BA}^o)} + |\tilde{R}|^2} \\
 &= \frac{|\tilde{A}|}{\rho_o c} \sqrt{1 - |\tilde{R}| \left\{ e^{i(2kx + \Delta\phi_{BA}^o)} + e^{-i(2kx + \Delta\phi_{BA}^o)} \right\} + |\tilde{R}|^2} \\
 &= \frac{|\tilde{A}|}{\rho_o c} \sqrt{1 - 2|\tilde{R}| \cos(2kx + \Delta\phi_{BA}^o) + |\tilde{R}|^2}
 \end{aligned}$$

Thus, *e.g.* for an observer/listener's position $x = 0$, **.and.** for **equal-strength** over-pressure amplitudes $|\tilde{A}| = |\tilde{B}| \Rightarrow |\tilde{R}| \equiv |\tilde{B}|/|\tilde{A}| = 1$ (*i.e.* a **pure** standing wave!) these formulae simplify to:

$$|\tilde{p}_{tot}(x = 0, t)| = \sqrt{2} |\tilde{A}| \sqrt{1 + \cos \Delta\phi_{BA}^o} \quad \text{and:} \quad |\tilde{u}_{tot}^{\parallel}(x = 0, t)| = \frac{\sqrt{2} |\tilde{A}|}{\rho_o c} \sqrt{1 - \cos \Delta\phi_{BA}^o}$$

Thus, we see that when: $\Delta\phi_{BA}^o = 0, \pm 2\pi, \pm 4\pi, \dots = \pm n_{\text{even}} \pi$ that: $\cos \Delta\phi_{BA}^o = +1$ and thus:

$$|\tilde{p}_{tot}(x = 0, t)| = 2 |\tilde{A}| \quad \text{and:} \quad |\tilde{u}_{tot}^{\parallel}(x = 0, t)| = 0$$

i.e. we have complete constructive (destructive) interference associated with the two individual complex over-pressure (longitudinal particle velocity) amplitudes, respectively.

We also see that when: $\Delta\phi_{BA}^o = \pm 1\pi, \pm 3\pi, \pm 5\pi, \dots = \pm n_{\text{odd}} \pi$ that: $\cos \Delta\phi_{BA}^o = -1$ and thus:

$$|\tilde{p}_{tot}(x = 0, t)| = 0 \quad \text{and:} \quad |\tilde{u}_{tot}^{\parallel}(x = 0, t)| = 2 |\tilde{A}| / \rho_o c$$

i.e. we have complete destructive (constructive) interference associated with the two individual complex over-pressure (longitudinal particle velocity) amplitudes, respectively.

Hence, we can also now see that when $|\tilde{R}| \equiv |\tilde{B}|/|\tilde{A}| \neq 1$, it is **not** possible to ever achieve **complete** constructive/destructive interference effects between the two individual right- and left-moving complex over-pressure and/or longitudinal particle velocity amplitudes.

$$\text{Since: } \tilde{p}_{tot}(x, t) = \tilde{A} \left[1 + |\tilde{R}| e^{i(2kx + \Delta\phi_{BA}^o)} \right] e^{i(\omega t - kx)} \quad \text{and:} \quad \tilde{u}_{tot}^{\parallel}(x, t) = \frac{\tilde{A}}{\rho_o c} \left[1 - |\tilde{R}| e^{i(2kx + \Delta\phi_{BA}^o)} \right] e^{i(\omega t - kx)},$$

the phases of the complex total/resultant pressure and longitudinal particle velocity associated with the two counter-propagating 1-D monochromatic plane waves are given by: