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Constants

$$e = 1.602 \times 10^{-19} \text{ C (charge on } e^- \text{ or } p^+)$$

$$1 \text{ eV} = 1.602 \times 10^{-19} \text{ J}$$

$$m_e = 9.11 \times 10^{-31} \text{ kg}$$

$$m_p = 1.67 \times 10^{-27} \text{ kg}$$

$$k = 1/(4\pi\epsilon_0) = 8.99 \times 10^9 \text{ N m}^2/\text{C}^2$$

$$\epsilon_0 = 8.85 \times 10^{-12} \text{ F/m (or } \text{C}^2/\text{N m}^2)$$

$$\mu_0 = 4\pi \times 10^{-7} \text{ T m/A}$$

$$1 \text{ T} = 10^4 \text{ G}$$

$$g = 9.8 \text{ m/s}^2$$

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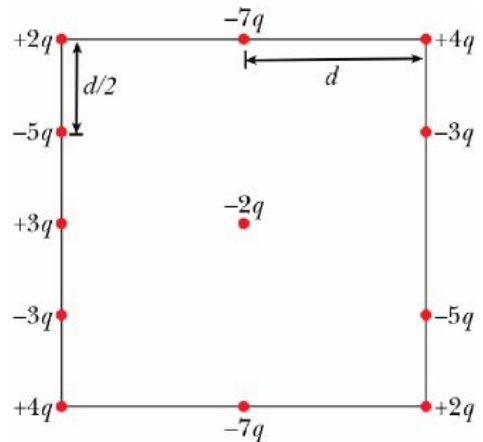
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QUESTIONS

(Put your solutions under each question!)

1. In the figure, a central particle of charge $-2q$ is surrounded by a square array of charged particles, separated by either distance d or $d/2$ along the perimeter of the square.
 - a. What are the magnitude and direction of the net electrostatic force on the central particle due to the other particles? (Hint: Some forces on the central particle cancel each other!)
 - b. What is the work you need to apply to bring central particle to its place from infinity?



i) Some of the forces cancel each other!

$\vec{F} = k \frac{1q_1 1q_2}{r^2} \hat{r}$, $\vec{F}_{net} = \sum_{i=1}^n \frac{k 1-2q 1q_i}{r_i^2} \hat{r}_i$ (1)

$\vec{F}_{net} = k 1-2q \left(\frac{12q}{r^2} \hat{r}_1 + \frac{1-5q}{r^2} \hat{r}_2 + \frac{13q}{r^2} \hat{r}_3 + \frac{1-3q}{r^2} \hat{r}_4 + \frac{14q}{r^2} \hat{r}_5 + \frac{1-7q}{r^2} \hat{r}_6 + \frac{12q}{r^2} (-\hat{r}_1) + \frac{1-5q}{r^2} (-\hat{r}_2) + \frac{1-3q}{r^2} (-\hat{r}_3) + \frac{14q}{r^2} (-\hat{r}_4) + \frac{1-7q}{r^2} (-\hat{r}_5) \right)$

each 0.5

only survival force is due to $3q$ (1) (0.5)

$\vec{F}_{net} = k 1-2q \frac{13q}{r^2} \hat{r}_3 = k \frac{6q}{d^2} (-\hat{x}) = \frac{1}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \frac{6q^2}{d^2} (-\hat{x})$

ii) To bring the central particle. First find the potential present at that central point. Potential is a scalar quantity. No cancellations as force vectors. $V = k \frac{q}{r}$

$V_{net} = \sum_{i=1}^n V_i = k \left(\frac{-7q-7q+3q}{d} + \frac{+4q+4q+2q+2q}{d\sqrt{2}} + \frac{-5q-5q-3q-3q}{[d^2+(d/2)^2]^{1/2}} \right)$ (2.75)

$= \frac{9}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \left(\frac{-11}{d} + \frac{12}{d\sqrt{2}} + \frac{-16}{d\sqrt{5/2}} \right) = \frac{9}{4\pi\epsilon_0 d} (-11 + 6\sqrt{2} - 32/\sqrt{5}) = \frac{9}{4\pi\epsilon_0 d} (-16.8)$

$= \frac{-4.2q}{\pi\epsilon_0 d}$ (1.25)

Now find the required potential energy (or work)

$W = \Delta U = (U_f - U_i) = U_f - 0 = (-2q) \left(\frac{-4.2q}{\pi\epsilon_0 d} \right) = \frac{8.4q^2}{\pi\epsilon_0 d}$ (1)

2. A charge of 40 nC is uniformly distributed along the axis from $x = 0$ to $x = 2$ m. Determine the magnitude of the electric field at a point on the x -axis with $x = 8$ m. (Take $k = 8.99 \times 10^9 \text{ N m}^2 / \text{C}^2$, $1 \text{ nC} = 10^{-9} \text{ C}$)

Diagram: A horizontal axis with a red segment from $x=0$ to $x=2$ representing a charge distribution. A point is marked at $x=8$. A small element dx is shown with a double-headed arrow. The distance from the element to the point is $r = 8-x$.

Equations:

$$E(x=8) = ?$$

$$E = k \frac{q}{r^2} \rightarrow dE = k \frac{dq}{r^2} \quad \lambda = \frac{Q}{L} = \frac{dq}{dx}$$

$$\rightarrow dE = k \frac{\lambda dx}{(8-x)^2} = k \lambda \frac{dx}{(8-x)^2} \quad \left\{ \begin{array}{l} \lambda = \frac{40 \text{ nC}}{2 \text{ m}} \\ \text{②} \end{array} \right.$$

$$\rightarrow \int dE = k \lambda \int_0^2 \frac{dx}{(8-x)^2} = k \lambda \left[\frac{1}{8-x} \right]_0^2 = k \lambda \left(\frac{1}{8-2} - \frac{1}{8-0} \right) = k \lambda \left(\frac{1}{6} - \frac{1}{8} \right)$$

$$\rightarrow E(x=8) = \int dE = \left(8.99 \times 10^9 \frac{\text{N m}^2}{\text{C}^2} \right) \frac{40 \text{ nC}}{2 \text{ m}} \frac{(8-6) \text{ m}}{48 \text{ m}^2} = \boxed{7.49 \text{ N/C}}$$

magnitude

3. A uniform electric field $a\hat{i} + b\hat{j}$ intersects a surface of area A . What is the flux through this area if the surface lies (a) in the yz plane? (b) in the xz plane? (c) in the xy plane? Your answers should be in terms of a , b and A .

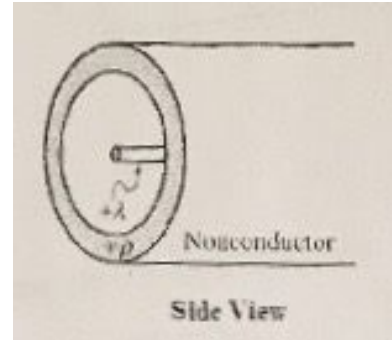
Q3)

a) $\Phi_E = \vec{E} \cdot \vec{A} = (a\hat{i} + b\hat{j}) \cdot A\hat{i} = aA$
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b) $\Phi_E = (a\hat{i} + b\hat{j}) \cdot (A\hat{j}) = bA$
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c) $\Phi_E = (a\hat{i} + b\hat{j}) \cdot A\hat{k} = 0$
 (2 pt) (1 pt)

4. An infinitely long cylindrical insulating shell of inner radius a and outer radius b has a uniform volume charge density ρ . A line of uniform linear charge density λ is placed along the axis of the shell (the figure below). Determine the electric field in terms of a, b, ρ, λ . (Hint: Choose a Gaussian cylinder of radius r and length L . Then apply Gauss' law.)
- $r < a$
 - $a < r < b$
 - $b < r$



Q4) Gauss' law: $\vec{E} \cdot (\text{Gaussian Surface Area}) = \frac{(\text{Total enclosed charge})}{\epsilon_0}$

So, if $r < a$:

$$E(2\pi rL) = \frac{\lambda L}{\epsilon_0} \Rightarrow E = \frac{\lambda}{2\pi r\epsilon_0} \hat{r}$$

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If $a < r < b$:

$$E(2\pi rL) = \frac{\lambda L + \rho\pi(r^2 - a^2)L}{\epsilon_0}$$

$$E = \frac{\lambda + \rho\pi(r^2 - a^2)}{2\pi r\epsilon_0} \hat{r}$$

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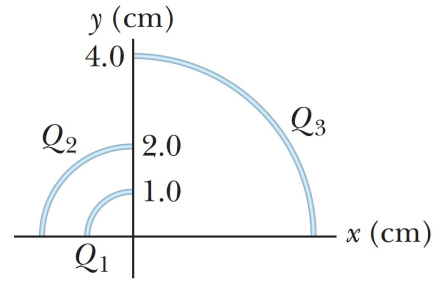
If $r > b$:

$$E(2\pi rL) = \frac{\lambda L + \rho\pi(b^2 - a^2)L}{\epsilon_0}$$

$$E = \frac{\lambda + \rho\pi(b^2 - a^2)}{2\pi r\epsilon_0} \hat{r}$$

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5. In the Figure, three thin plastic rods form quarter-circles with a common center of curvature at the origin. The uniform charges on the rods are $Q_1 = +30 \text{ nC}$, $Q_2 = +3.0 Q_1$, and $Q_3 = -8.0 Q_1$. What is the net electric potential at the origin due to the rods? (Take $k=9 \times 10^9 \text{ N m}^2/\text{C}^2$). $1 \text{ nC} = 10^{-9} \text{ C}$.



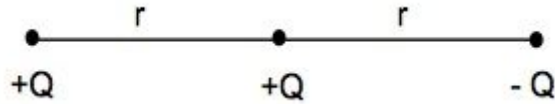
$$V_i = k \frac{Q_i}{r_i} \quad (4)$$

$$V = V_1 + V_2 + V_3 = k \left\{ \frac{Q_1}{r_1} + \frac{Q_2}{r_2} + \frac{Q_3}{r_3} \right\} \quad (5)$$

$$= \frac{9 \times 10^9 \times 30 \times 10^{-9}}{10^{-2}} \left\{ \frac{1}{1} + \frac{3}{2} - \frac{8}{4} \right\}$$

$$= \boxed{1.35 \times 10^5 \text{ volt}} \quad (7)$$

6. Three charges are placed in a line as shown. What is the total potential energy of these charges? Your answer should be in terms of kQ^2/r .



Use $U_{ij} = k \frac{q_i q_j}{r_{ij}} \quad (5)$ $U_{\text{total}} = \sum_i \sum_j k \frac{q_i q_j}{r_{ij}}$

$$\Rightarrow U = k \left\{ \frac{Q^2}{r} - \frac{Q^2}{2r} - \frac{Q^2}{r} \right\} = \boxed{-k \frac{Q^2}{2r}} \quad (5)$$

7. A parallel-plate capacitor with square plates 14 cm on a side and separated by 2.0 mm is connected to a battery and charged to 12V. (a) What is the charge on the capacitor? (b) How much energy is stored in the capacitor? (c) The battery is then disconnected from the capacitor and the plate separation is then increased to 3.5 mm. By how much is the energy increased when the plate separation is changed?

$$a) \varphi_0 = C_0 V_0 = \frac{\epsilon_0 A}{d_0} V_0 = \frac{8,85 \times 10^{-12} \times (0,14)^2}{0,002} \times 12 = 1,04 \text{ nC}$$

$$b) U_0 = \frac{1}{2} \varphi_0 V_0 = \frac{1}{2} 1,04 \times 10^{-9} \times 12 = 6,24 \text{ nJ}$$

$$c) \varphi' = \varphi_0, \quad E' = E_0 \quad \text{because} \quad E = \frac{\varphi}{A \epsilon_0}$$

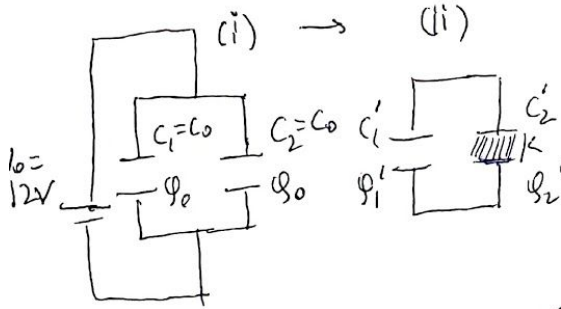
$$V = E d \Rightarrow \frac{V'}{d'} = \frac{V_0}{d_0} \Rightarrow V' = \frac{V_0}{d_0} \cdot d'$$

$$U' = \frac{1}{2} \varphi' V' = \frac{1}{2} \varphi_0 V_0 \frac{d'}{d_0} = U_0 \cdot \frac{d'}{d_0}$$

$$\Delta U = U' - U_0 = \frac{d'}{d_0} U_0 - U_0 = \left(\frac{d'}{d_0} - 1 \right) U_0 = \left(\frac{3,5}{2} - 1 \right) U_0$$

$$= \left(\frac{3,5}{2} - 1 \right) \cdot 6,24 \text{ nJ} = 4,68 \text{ nJ}$$

8. Two parallel-plate capacitors, each having a capacitance of $C_1 = C_2 = 2 \mu\text{F}$, are connected in parallel across a 12-V battery. The parallel combination is then disconnected from the battery and a dielectric slab of constant $K = 2.5$ is inserted between the plates of the capacitor C_2 , completely filling the gap. After the dielectric is inserted, find (a) the charge on each capacitor, and (b) the total energy stored in the capacitors.



$$a) \quad \varphi_0 = C_0 V_0 = 2 \mu\text{F} \times 12 \text{ V} \\ = 24 \mu\text{C}$$

$$\varphi_{\text{total}} = 2 \times 24 = 48 \mu\text{C} \quad (1)$$

$$\text{in (ii)} \quad C_{\text{eq}} = C_1' + C_2' = C_0 + K C_0 = 2 \mu\text{F} + 2.5 \times 2 \mu\text{F} = 7 \mu\text{F} \quad (2)$$

$$V' = \frac{\varphi_{\text{total}}}{C_{\text{eq}}} = \frac{48 \mu\text{C}}{7 \mu\text{F}} = 6.86 \text{ V} \Rightarrow \varphi_1' = C_1' \cdot V' = 2 \mu\text{F} \times 6.86 \text{ V} = 13.7 \mu\text{C}$$

$$\varphi_2' = C_2' \cdot V' = 5 \mu\text{F} \times 6.86 \text{ V} = 34.3 \mu\text{C} \quad (1)$$

$$b) \quad U = U_1 + U_2 = \frac{1}{2} \varphi_1' \cdot V' + \frac{1}{2} \varphi_2' \cdot V' = 165 \mu\text{J}$$