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**Phy102 Physics II**  
**Midterm Examination**  
**November 11, 2021 17:00 – 18:30**  
**Good Luck!**

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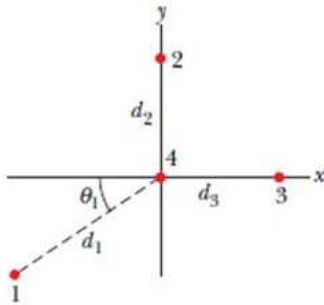
**DURATION:** 90 minutes

- ◇ Answer all the questions.
- ◇ Write the solutions explicitly and clearly. Use the physical terminology.
- ◇ You are allowed to use Formulae Sheet.
- ◇ Calculator is allowed.
- ◇ You are not allowed to use any other electronic equipment in the exam.

Question	Grade	Out of
1A		15
1B		15
2		20
3		20
4		20
5		20
<b>TOTAL</b>		110

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1. A) In figure, all four particles are fixed in the  $xy$ -plane, and  $q_1 = -3.20 \times 10^{-19} \text{ C}$ ,  $q_2 = +3.20 \times 10^{-19} \text{ C}$ ,  $q_3 = +6.40 \times 10^{-19} \text{ C}$ ,  $q_4 = +3.20 \times 10^{-19} \text{ C}$ ,  $\theta_1 = 35.0^\circ$ ,  $d_1 = 3.00 \text{ cm}$  and  $d_2 = d_3 = 2.00 \text{ cm}$ .



What are the magnitude and direction of the net electrostatic force on particle 4 due to the other three particles?

Target particle: 4

$q_1 = -3.2 \times 10^{-19} \text{ C}$   
 $q_2 = +3.2 \times 10^{-19} \text{ C}$   
 $q_3 = +6.4 \times 10^{-19} \text{ C}$   
 $q_4 = +3.2 \times 10^{-19} \text{ C}$   
 $\theta_1 = 35^\circ$   
 $d_1 = 3 \times 10^{-2} \text{ m}$   
 $d_2 = d_3 = 2 \times 10^{-2} \text{ m}$

$\vec{F}_{4net} = \sum_{i=1}^3 \vec{F}_{4i}$   
 $= \vec{F}_{41} + \vec{F}_{42} + \vec{F}_{43}$

x & y-components

$F_{4net,x} = F_{43,x} + F_{41,x}$   
 $F_{4net,y} = F_{42,y} + F_{41,y}$

$\Rightarrow F_{4net,x} = -F_{43} - F_{41} \cos 35^\circ$   
 $= -k \frac{q_4 |q_3|}{d_3^2} - k \frac{q_4 |q_1|}{d_1^2} \cos 35^\circ$   
 $= -(8.99 \times 10^9 \text{ Nm}^2/\text{C}^2) (3.2 \times 10^{-19} \text{ C})^2 \left( \frac{2}{(2 \times 10^{-2} \text{ m})^2} + \frac{\cos 35^\circ}{(3 \times 10^{-2} \text{ m})^2} \right) = -5.44 \times 10^{-24} \text{ N}$

$F_{4net,y} = -F_{42} - F_{41} \sin 35^\circ$   
 $= -k \frac{q_4 |q_2|}{d_2^2} - k \frac{q_4 |q_1|}{d_1^2} \sin 35^\circ$   
 $= -(8.99 \times 10^9 \text{ Nm}^2/\text{C}^2) (3.2 \times 10^{-19} \text{ C})^2 \left( \frac{1}{(2 \times 10^{-2} \text{ m})^2} + \frac{\sin 35^\circ}{(3 \times 10^{-2} \text{ m})^2} \right) = -2.89 \times 10^{-24} \text{ N}$

$F_{4net} = \sqrt{F_{4net,x}^2 + F_{4net,y}^2} = \sqrt{(-5.44 \times 10^{-24} \text{ N})^2 + (-2.89 \times 10^{-24} \text{ N})^2} = 6.16 \times 10^{-24} \text{ N}$

$\tan \theta = \frac{F_{4net,y}}{F_{4net,x}} = \frac{-2.89 \times 10^{-24}}{-5.44 \times 10^{-24}} \Rightarrow \theta = \tan^{-1} \frac{-2.89}{-5.44} = 27.98^\circ \approx 28^\circ$

III. quadrant  $\theta = 203^\circ$   
 magnitude  
 angle

- B) The density of conduction electrons in aluminum is  $2.1 \times 10^{29} \text{ m}^{-3}$ . What is the drift velocity in an aluminum conductor that has a  $2.0 \mu\text{m}$  by  $3.0 \mu\text{m}$  rectangular cross section and when a  $32.0 \text{ mA}$  current flows through the conductor?

$$\begin{aligned}
 n &= 2.1 \times 10^{29} \text{ m}^{-3} \\
 i &= 32 \times 10^{-3} \text{ A} \\
 A &= (2 \times 10^{-6} \text{ m})(3 \times 10^{-6} \text{ m}) \\
 v_d &=?
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\vec{J} = ne\vec{v}_d$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \textcircled{3} J &= nev_d \\
 \textcircled{3} J &= \frac{i}{A}
 \end{aligned}
 \left. \vphantom{\begin{aligned} \textcircled{3} J &= nev_d \\ \textcircled{3} J &= \frac{i}{A} \end{aligned}} \right\} \frac{i}{A} = nev_d$$

$$\Rightarrow v_d = \frac{i}{Ane} = \frac{32 \times 10^{-3} \text{ A}}{(2 \times 10^{-6} \text{ m})(3 \times 10^{-6} \text{ m})(2.1 \times 10^{29} \text{ m}^{-3})(1.602 \times 10^{-19} \text{ C})}$$

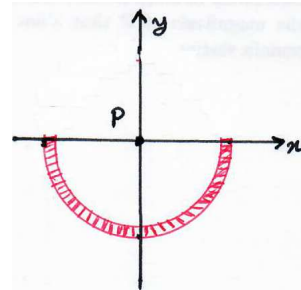
$$= \boxed{0.016 \text{ m/s}}$$

$$\frac{\text{A}}{\text{m}^2 \text{ m}^{-3} \text{ C}} \sim \frac{\text{C/s}}{\text{m}^2 \text{ m}^{-3} \text{ C}} \sim \text{m/s}$$

unit check

2. Semicircular wire shown in figure below has a non-uniform charge distribution  $\lambda(\theta) = \lambda_0 \cos\theta$ .

Find the electric field at point P in unit vector notation and in terms of total charge Q.  
 (Hint:  $\int \cos^2 ax dx = x/2 + \sin 2ax/4a$ )



$$dE = \frac{k dq}{R^2} = \frac{k \lambda R d\theta}{R^2} = \frac{k \lambda_0 \cos\theta}{R} d\theta$$

$$x\text{-components are cancelling due to symmetry}$$

$$dE_y = |dE| \cos\theta = \frac{k \lambda_0 \cos^2\theta}{R} d\theta$$

$$E_y = E = \frac{k \lambda_0}{R} \int_{-\pi/2}^{\pi/2} \cos^2\theta d\theta = \frac{k \lambda_0}{R} \left[ \frac{\theta}{2} + \frac{\sin 2\theta}{4} \right]_{-\pi/2}^{\pi/2}$$

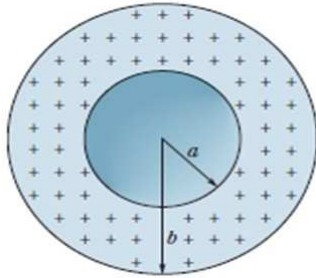
$$= \frac{k \lambda_0 \pi}{2R} \Rightarrow \vec{E} = \frac{k \lambda_0 \pi}{2R} \hat{j}$$

in terms of Q

$$Q = \int \lambda ds = \int_{-\pi/2}^{\pi/2} \lambda_0 \cos\theta R d\theta = \lambda_0 R \sin\theta \Big|_{-\pi/2}^{\pi/2} = 2\lambda_0 R$$

$$\Rightarrow \vec{E} = \frac{1}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \frac{Q}{2R} \frac{\pi}{2R} \hat{j} = \frac{Q}{16\pi\epsilon_0 R^2} \hat{j}$$

3. Figure shows a spherical shell with uniform volume charge density  $\rho = (1.56 \times 10^{-9} \text{ C/m}^3)$ , inner radius  $a = 10 \text{ cm}$ , and outer radius  $b = 2.00a$ .

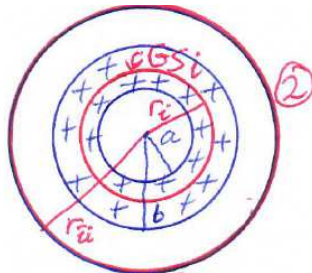


What is the magnitude of the electric field at radial distances

i  $r = 1.5a$

ii  $r = 3.00b$

Hints: Use Gauss' Law. Volume of the spherical shell:  $\frac{4}{3}\pi(b^3 - a^3)$ .



$\rho = 1.56 \times 10^{-9} \text{ C/m}^3$   
 $a = 10 \times 10^{-2} \text{ m}$   
 $b = 2a$   
 $r_i = 1.5a$   
 $r_u = 3b$   
 $V_{ss} = \frac{4}{3}\pi(b^3 - a^3)$

$\oint \vec{E} \cdot d\vec{A} = \frac{q_{enc}}{\epsilon_0}$ ,  $\rho = \frac{q}{V} = \frac{q_{enc}}{V_{enc}}$ ,  $\vec{E} \parallel \vec{A}$   
 i)  $\oint \vec{E} \cdot d\vec{A} = \frac{q_{enc}}{\epsilon_0} \Rightarrow E 4\pi r_i^2 = \frac{q_{enc}}{\epsilon_0}$   $\left\{ q_{enc} = ? \right.$   
 $G_{S_i} \Rightarrow q_{enc} = \rho V_{enc} = \rho \frac{4}{3}\pi(r_i^3 - a^3)$   
 $\Rightarrow E 4\pi r_i^2 = \rho \frac{4}{3}\pi(r_i^3 - a^3)$   $\left\{ r_i = 1.5a \right.$   
 $\Rightarrow E = \frac{\rho}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \frac{(4.5a)^3 - a^3}{1.5a^2} = \frac{\rho a}{3\epsilon_0} \left( \frac{2.375}{2.25} \right)$   
 $E(r=1.5a) = \frac{(1.56 \times 10^{-9} \text{ C/m}^3)(10 \times 10^{-2} \text{ m})}{3 \times 8.85 \times 10^{-12} \text{ C}^2/(\text{Nm}^2)} \left( \frac{2.375}{2.25} \right) = \boxed{6.20 \text{ N/C}}$   
 ii)  $E 4\pi r_u^2 = \frac{q_{enc}}{\epsilon_0} \Rightarrow q_{enc} = \rho \frac{4}{3}\pi(b^3 - a^3)$   
 $G_{S_u} \Rightarrow E 4\pi r_u^2 = \rho \frac{4}{3}\pi(b^3 - a^3)$   $\left\{ r_u = 3b \right.$   
 $\Rightarrow E = \frac{\rho}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \frac{b^3 - a^3}{(3b)^2} = \frac{\rho 7a}{108\epsilon_0}$   
 $E(r=3b) = \frac{(1.56 \times 10^{-9} \text{ C/m}^3) 7(10 \times 10^{-2} \text{ m})}{108 \times 8.85 \times 10^{-12} \text{ C}^2/(\text{Nm}^2)} = \boxed{1.14 \text{ N/C}}$

4. The electric potential at points in an xy plane is given by  $V = 4x^2 - 2y^3$ .  
**In unit vector notations**, what is the electric field at point (1m, 2m)?

$$V(x,y) = 4x^2 - 2y^3 \quad \& \quad E_s = -\frac{\partial V}{\partial s}$$

$$\vec{E} = -\frac{\partial V}{\partial x} \hat{i} - \frac{\partial V}{\partial y} \hat{j} = -8x \hat{i} + 6y^2 \hat{j}$$

$$\vec{E}(x=1\text{m}, y=2\text{m}) = \boxed{-8 \hat{i} + 24 \hat{j}}$$



5. In figure below, the parallel plate capacitor of plate area  $2 \times 10^{-2} \text{ m}^2$  is filled with two dielectric slabs, each with thickness  $2.00 \text{ mm}$ . One slab has dielectric constant 3.00, and the other, 4.00. **How much charge** does the  $7.00 \text{ V}$  battery store on the capacitor?



$A = 2 \times 10^{-2} \text{ m}^2$   
 $d = 2 \times 10^{-3} \text{ m}$   
 $K_1 = 3 \text{ \& } K_2 = 4$   
 $V = 7 \text{ V}$   
 $q = ?$

in series connection

$C_1 = K_1 \epsilon_0 \frac{A}{d} = 3 \epsilon_0 \frac{A}{d}$   
 $C_2 = K_2 \epsilon_0 \frac{A}{d} = 4 \epsilon_0 \frac{A}{d}$

$C_{\text{equiv}} = \frac{C_1 C_2}{C_1 + C_2} = \frac{12}{7} \epsilon_0 \frac{A}{d} = \frac{12}{7} (8.85 \times 10^{-12} \text{ C}^2 / (\text{Nm}^2)) \frac{2 \times 10^{-2} \text{ m}^2}{2 \times 10^{-3} \text{ m}}$   
 $= 1.52 \times 10^{-10} \text{ F}$

$C_{\text{equiv}} = \frac{q}{V} \Rightarrow q = C_{\text{equiv}} V = (1.52 \times 10^{-10} \text{ F}) 7 \text{ V} = 1.06 \times 10^{-9} \text{ C}$

$\frac{\text{C}^2 \text{ m}^2}{\text{Nm}^2 \text{ m}} \sim \text{F} \sim \frac{\text{C}}{\text{V}} = \frac{\text{C}}{\text{J/C}} = \frac{\text{C}^2}{\text{J}}$   
 mit check