

Name solutions

EE 311

Final Exam

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Closed Text and Notes

- 1) Be sure you have 15 pages.
- 2) Write only on the question sheets. Show all your work. If you need more room for a particular problem, use the reverse side of the same page.
- 3) Write neatly, if your writing is illegible then print.
- 4) The last 6 pages contain equations that may be of use to you.
- 5) This exam is worth 200 points.

(12 pts) 1. Shown are two co-centric conducting shells. The first conducting shell has inner radius  $a$  and outer radius  $b$ . The second conducting shell has inner radius  $c$  and outer radius  $d$ . The outer surface of the outer conductor is tied to ground. The two conducting shells are initially uncharged. A point charge of  $+Q$  is placed at the center of the shells. What is the total charge in each of the following regions.

Inner surface of the inner shell  $-Q$

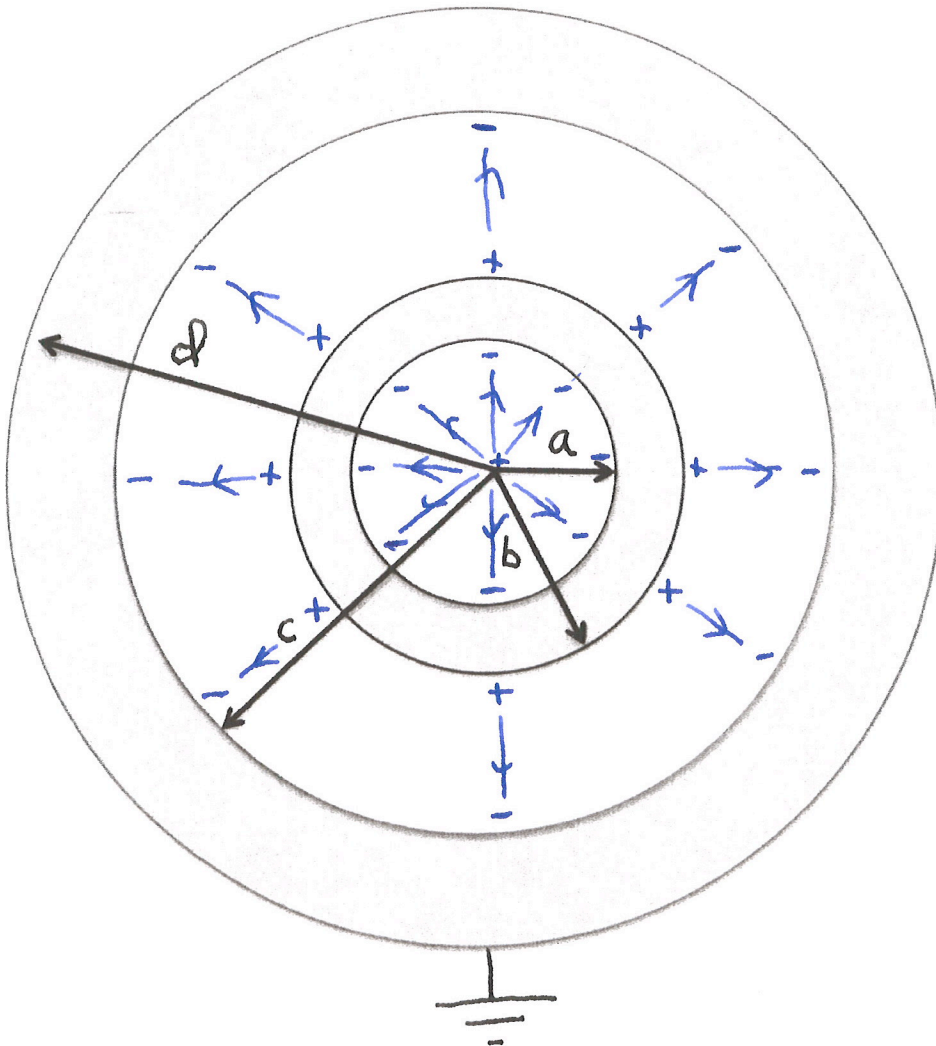
Interior of the inner shell  $0$

Outer surface of the inner shell  $+Q$

Inner surface of the outer shell  $-Q$

Interior of the outer shell  $0$

Outer surface of the outer shell  $0$



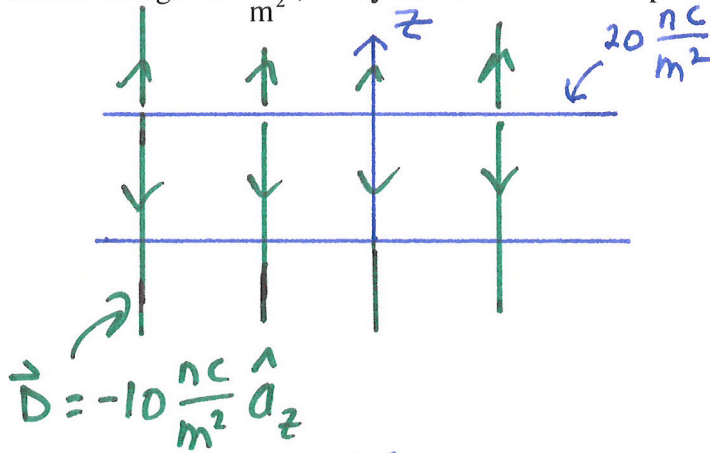
(5 pts) 2. The plane  $z = 10$  m carries charge  $20 \frac{\text{nC}}{\text{m}^2}$ , everywhere else is free space. The electric field intensity at the origin is,

A)  $-10 \hat{a}_z \frac{\text{V}}{\text{m}}$

B)  $-18\pi \hat{a}_z \frac{\text{V}}{\text{m}}$

C)  $-72\pi \hat{a}_z \frac{\text{V}}{\text{m}}$

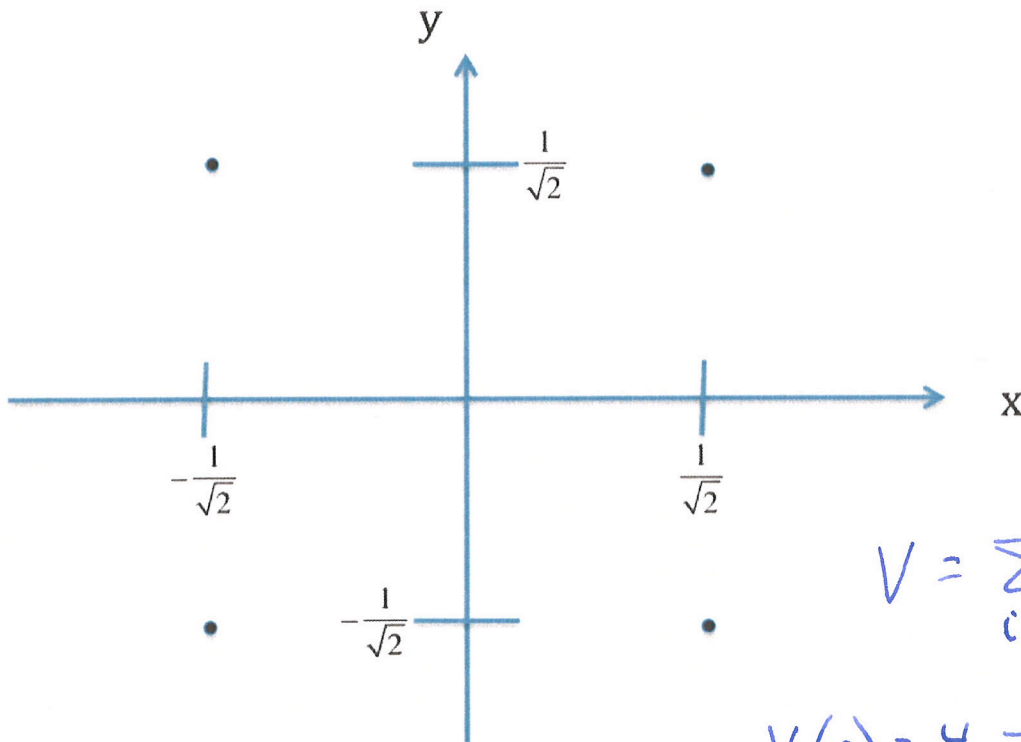
D)  $-360\pi \hat{a}_z \frac{\text{V}}{\text{m}}$



$$\vec{D} = -10 \frac{\text{nC}}{\text{m}^2} \hat{a}_z$$

$$\vec{E} = \frac{\vec{D}}{\epsilon_0} = -\frac{10^{-8} \frac{\text{C}}{\text{m}^2}}{(10^{-9}/36\pi) \text{ F/m}} \hat{a}_z = -360\pi \hat{a}_z \frac{\text{V}}{\text{m}}$$

(5 pts) 3. For the arrangement of charges shown each of value  $\frac{10^{-9}}{36}$  C, and



With  $V(r = \infty) = 0$ , the potential at the origin is

A) 0V

B)  $\infty$  V

C) 4 V

D) 1 V

E) none of the above

$$V = \sum_i \frac{Q_i}{4\pi\epsilon_0 r_i}$$

$$V(0) = 4 \frac{1}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \frac{(10^{-9}/36) \text{ C}}{1 \text{ m}}$$

$$= \frac{1}{\pi(10^{-9}/36\pi)} \frac{(10^{-9}/36)}{1} \text{ V}$$

$$= 1 \text{ V}$$

(5 pts) 4. How much energy is stored in an arrangement of two point charges, one of charge  $\frac{10^{-4}}{9}$  C at location  $(0, 1\text{m}, 0)$  and one of charge  $10^{-5}$  C at  $(0, 2\text{m}, 0)$ ?

- A) 0 J  
 B) 0.5 J  
 C) 1 J  
 D) 2 J

placing the first charge, the  $\frac{10^{-4}}{9}$  C at  $(0, 1\text{m}, 0)$  requires no work.  
 The work to place the second charge is

$$W = \frac{(10^{-4}/9) \cdot 10^{-5}}{4\pi\epsilon_0} = \frac{(10^{-4}/9) \cdot 10^{-5}}{4\pi(10^{-9}/36\pi)} \text{ J}$$

$$= 1 \text{ J}$$

(5 pts) 6. A parallel-plate capacitor connected to a battery stores twice as much charge with a given dielectric as it does with air as dielectric. The susceptibility of the dielectric is

- A) 0  
 B) 1  
 C) 2  
 D) 3  
 E) 4

air                      dielectric

$$Q = \epsilon_0 A \frac{V}{d} \qquad 2Q = \epsilon_r \epsilon_0 \frac{V}{d}$$

$$\epsilon_r = 2 = (1 + \chi) \Rightarrow \chi = 1$$

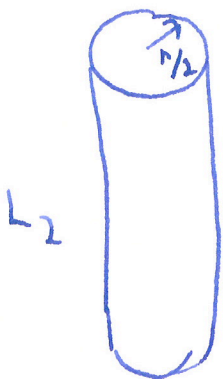
(5 pts) 7. A potential difference  $V$  is applied to a mercury column in a cylindrical container. The mercury is now poured into another cylindrical container of half the radius and the same potential difference  $V$  is applied across the ends. As a result of this change of space, the resistance is increased

- A) 16 times  
 B) 8 times  
 C) 4 times  
 D) 2 times



$$\text{Volume} = \pi r^2 L_1$$

$$R_1 = \rho \frac{L_1}{\pi r^2}$$



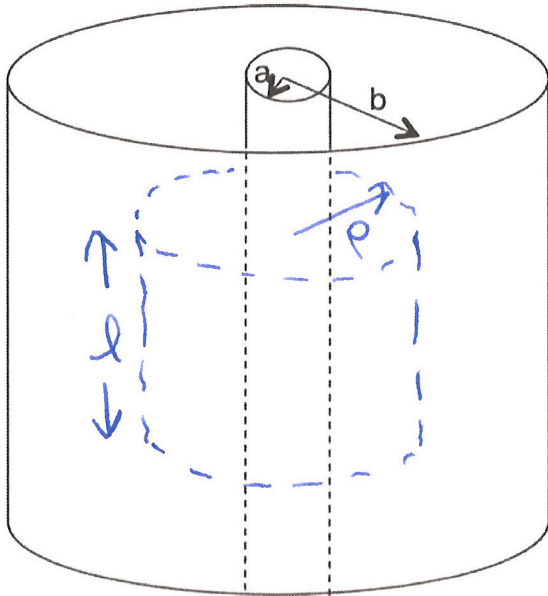
$$\text{Volume} = \pi \left(\frac{r}{2}\right)^2 L_2 = \pi r^2 L_1$$

$$L_2 = 4L_1$$

$$R_2 = \rho \frac{4L_1}{\pi (r/2)^2} = 16 \rho \frac{L_1}{\pi r^2}$$



(10 pts) 5. Derive the capacitance per unit length for the coaxial cable shown. The inner conductor has radius  $a$ , the outer conductor radius  $b$ , and free space is between the conductors.



assume a total charge of  $+Q$  on length  $l$  of the inner conductor, hence  $-Q$  on the inside of the outer conductor.

using Gauss's law on the dashed cylinder

$$\oint \vec{D} \cdot d\vec{s} = Q_{enc}l$$

$$D_p 2\pi\rho l = Q$$

$$\vec{D} = \frac{Q}{2\pi\rho l} \hat{a}_\rho \Rightarrow \vec{E} = \frac{Q}{2\pi\epsilon_0\rho l} \hat{a}_\rho$$

$$V = -\int_b^a \vec{E} \cdot d\vec{l} = -\int_b^a \frac{Q}{2\pi\epsilon_0\rho l} \hat{a}_\rho \cdot d\rho \hat{a}_\rho$$

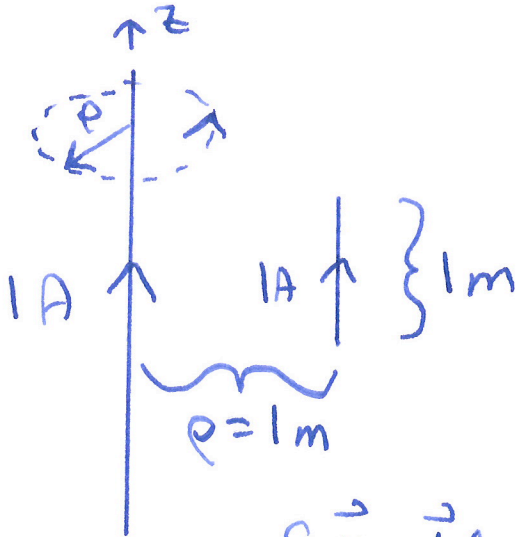
$$= -\frac{Q}{2\pi\epsilon_0 l} \int_b^a \frac{d\rho}{\rho} = -\frac{Q}{2\pi\epsilon_0 l} \ln\rho \Big|_b^a$$

$$= -\frac{Q}{2\pi\epsilon_0 l} \ln\left(\frac{a}{b}\right) = \frac{Q}{2\pi\epsilon_0 l} \ln\left(\frac{b}{a}\right)$$

$$C = \frac{Q}{V} = \frac{Q}{\frac{Q}{2\pi\epsilon_0 l} \ln\left(\frac{b}{a}\right)} = \frac{2\pi\epsilon_0 l}{\ln(b/a)}$$

$$\frac{C}{l} = \frac{2\pi\epsilon_0}{\ln(b/a)}$$

- (10 pts) 8. An infinite wire is along the z-axis and carries a current of 1A in the  $\hat{a}_z$  direction. A second wire of length 1m carries a current of 1 A in the direction  $\hat{a}_z$  direction, is parallel to the first wire and is 1 m away. (You can think of the conduction as a sliding bar of length 1 m on a rail system.) What is the force on the 1 m wire? I want a numerical value including the direction of the force.



$$\vec{F} = + \int I d\vec{l} \times \vec{B}$$

so we need to find  $\vec{B}$   
 First find  $\vec{H}$  using  
 Ampere's Law around  
 circular path shown

$$\oint \vec{H} \cdot d\vec{l} = I_{\text{enclosed}}$$

$$H_{\phi} 2\pi\rho = I \quad \Rightarrow \quad \vec{H} = \frac{I}{2\pi\rho} \hat{a}_{\phi}$$

$$\vec{B} = \mu_0 \vec{H} = \frac{\mu_0 I}{2\pi\rho} \hat{a}_{\phi}$$

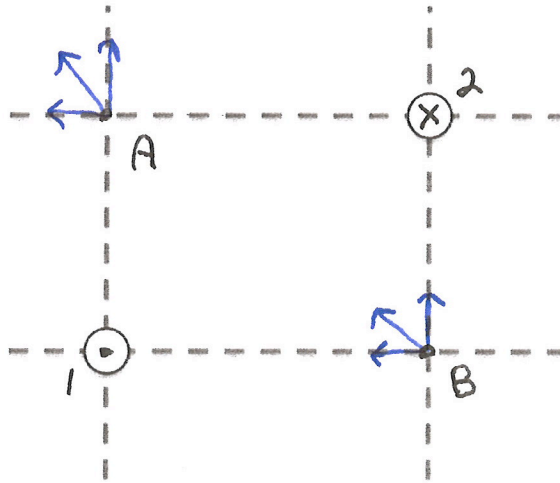
$$\vec{B}(\rho=1\text{m}) = \frac{(4\pi \times 10^{-7} \frac{\text{H}}{\text{m}})(1\text{A})}{2\pi(1\text{m})} \hat{a}_{\phi} = 2 \times 10^{-7} \frac{\text{Wb}}{\text{m}^2} \hat{a}_{\phi}$$

$$\vec{F} = + \int_0^{1\text{m}} (1\text{A}) dz \hat{a}_z \times (2 \times 10^{-7} \frac{\text{Wb}}{\text{m}^2} \hat{a}_{\phi})$$

$$= 2 \times 10^{-7} \frac{\text{A Wb}}{\text{m}^2} \int_0^{1\text{m}} dz (-\hat{a}_{\rho}) = -2 \times 10^{-7} \frac{\text{A Wb}}{\text{m}} \hat{a}_{\rho}$$

$$\vec{F} = -2 \times 10^{-7} \text{N} \hat{a}_{\rho}$$

(5 pts) 9. In the diagram, wire one carries a current  $I$  flowing out-of-the page and wire 2 carries the same current  $I$  but flowing into the page.



The directions of the magnetic field intensities at positions A and B, defined at the point of intersection of the dashed lines, are,

A)  $\downarrow \downarrow$

F)  $\searrow \searrow$

K)  $\nearrow \swarrow$

B)  $\uparrow \downarrow$

**G)**  $\nwarrow \nwarrow$

L)  $\swarrow \nearrow$

C)  $\downarrow \uparrow$

H)  $\searrow \nearrow$

M)  $\swarrow \swarrow$

D)  $\rightarrow \leftarrow$

I)  $\nwarrow \searrow$

N)  $\leftarrow \rightarrow$

E)  $\nearrow \nearrow$

J)  $\uparrow \uparrow$

(5 pts) 10. For  $z > 0$   $\mathbf{D} = 2\hat{\mathbf{a}}_x + 2\hat{\mathbf{a}}_y + 2\hat{\mathbf{a}}_z \frac{C}{m^2}$  and the relative permittivity is  $\epsilon_r = 2$ . For  $z < 0$  the relative permittivity is  $\epsilon_r = 4$ . If the  $z = 0$  plane is a sheet charge of density  $2 \frac{C}{m^2}$ , the electric flux density for  $z < 0$  is

- A)  $\mathbf{D} = 4\hat{\mathbf{a}}_x + 4\hat{\mathbf{a}}_y + 2\hat{\mathbf{a}}_z \frac{C}{m^2}$   
 B)  $\mathbf{D} = 4\hat{\mathbf{a}}_x + 4\hat{\mathbf{a}}_y \frac{C}{m^2}$   
 C)  $\mathbf{D} = 1\hat{\mathbf{a}}_x + 1\hat{\mathbf{a}}_y \frac{C}{m^2}$   
 D)  $\mathbf{D} = 1\hat{\mathbf{a}}_x + 1\hat{\mathbf{a}}_y + 2\hat{\mathbf{a}}_z \frac{C}{m^2}$   
 E) none of the above

$D_{N1} = 2\hat{\mathbf{a}}_z \frac{C}{m^2}$   
 $D_{T1} = 2\hat{\mathbf{a}}_x + 2\hat{\mathbf{a}}_y \frac{C}{m^2}$   
 $E_{T2} = E_{T1} = \frac{D_{T1}}{2\epsilon_0} = \frac{1}{\epsilon_0} \hat{\mathbf{a}}_x + \frac{1}{\epsilon_0} \hat{\mathbf{a}}_y \frac{C}{m^2}$   
 $D_{T2} = 4\epsilon_0 E_{T2} = 4\hat{\mathbf{a}}_x + 4\hat{\mathbf{a}}_y \frac{C}{m^2}$   
 $D_{N1} - D_{N2} = 2 \frac{C}{m^2} \quad D_{N2} = D_{N1} - 2 \frac{C}{m^2} = 0$

(5 pts) 11. For  $z > 0$   $\mathbf{B} = 2\hat{\mathbf{a}}_x + 2\hat{\mathbf{a}}_y + 2\hat{\mathbf{a}}_z \frac{Wb}{m^2}$  and the relative permeability is  $\mu_r = 2$ . For  $z < 0$  the relative permeability is  $\mu_r = 1$ . If the  $z = 0$  plane is a sheet current of density  $\frac{1}{4\pi \times 10^{-7}} \frac{A}{m} \hat{\mathbf{a}}_x$ , the magnetic flux density for  $z < 0$  is

- A)  $\mathbf{B} = 1\hat{\mathbf{a}}_x + 2\hat{\mathbf{a}}_y + 2\hat{\mathbf{a}}_z \frac{Wb}{m^2}$   
 B)  $\mathbf{B} = 2\hat{\mathbf{a}}_x + 1\hat{\mathbf{a}}_y + 2\hat{\mathbf{a}}_z \frac{Wb}{m^2}$   
 C)  $\mathbf{B} = 4\hat{\mathbf{a}}_x + 2\hat{\mathbf{a}}_y + 2\hat{\mathbf{a}}_z \frac{Wb}{m^2}$   
 D)  $\mathbf{B} = 2\hat{\mathbf{a}}_x + 4\hat{\mathbf{a}}_y + 2\hat{\mathbf{a}}_z \frac{Wb}{m^2}$   
 E) none of the above

$K_x = \frac{1}{4\pi \times 10^{-7}} \frac{A}{m}$   
 $B_{N1} = 2\hat{\mathbf{a}}_z \frac{Wb}{m^2}$   
 $B_{T1} = 2\hat{\mathbf{a}}_x + 2\hat{\mathbf{a}}_y \frac{Wb}{m^2}$   
 $B_{N2} = B_{N1} = 2\hat{\mathbf{a}}_z \frac{Wb}{m^2}$   
 $H_{2x} = H_{1x} = \frac{B_{1x}}{2\mu_0} = \frac{2}{2\mu_0} = \frac{1}{\mu_0}$   
 $B_{2x} = \mu_0 H_{2x} = 1$

$$H_{1y} W - H_{2y} W = \frac{-1}{4\pi \times 10^{-7}} W$$

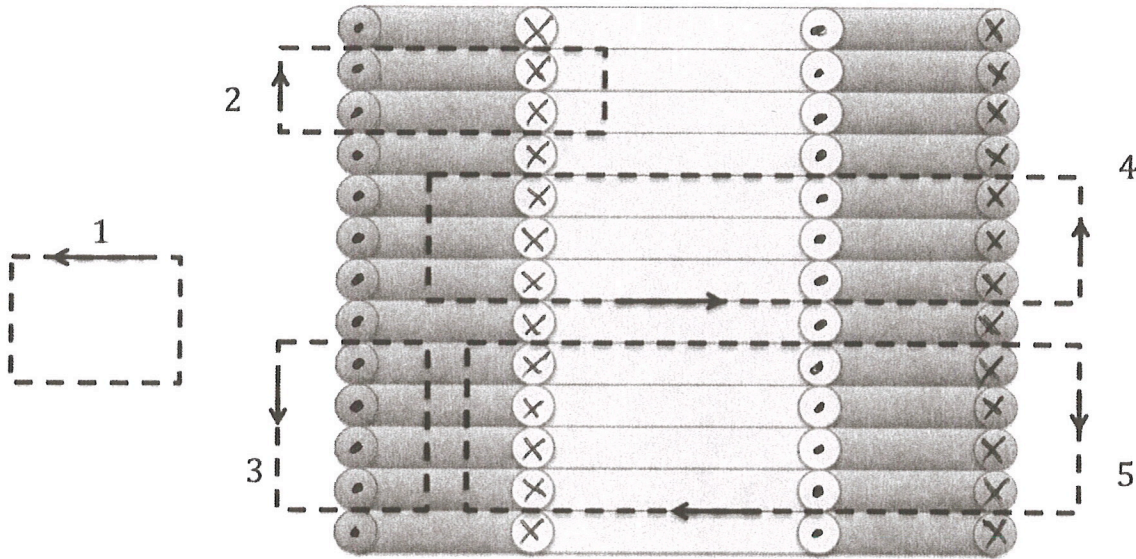
$$H_{2y} = H_{1y} + \frac{1}{4\pi \times 10^{-7}} = \frac{2}{2\mu_0} + \frac{1}{4\pi \times 10^{-7}} = \frac{2}{\mu_0}$$

$$B_{2y} = \mu_0 H_{2y} = 2$$

$$\vec{B}_2 = 1\hat{\mathbf{a}}_x + 2\hat{\mathbf{a}}_y + 2\hat{\mathbf{a}}_z \frac{Wb}{m^2}$$



(10 pts) 12. Two solenoids have the same number of turns per unit length. They have different diameters and are co-axial. Shown is a cut through the length of the two solenoids indicating the direction of current flow where the same current, 1 A, is flowing in each solenoid. For the paths shown, which are in the same plane as the cut shown through the solenoid, evaluate the following integrals,



$$\oint_1 \mathbf{H} \cdot d\mathbf{l} = 0$$

$$\oint_2 \mathbf{H} \cdot d\mathbf{l} = 0$$

$$\oint_3 \mathbf{H} \cdot d\mathbf{l} = 4A$$

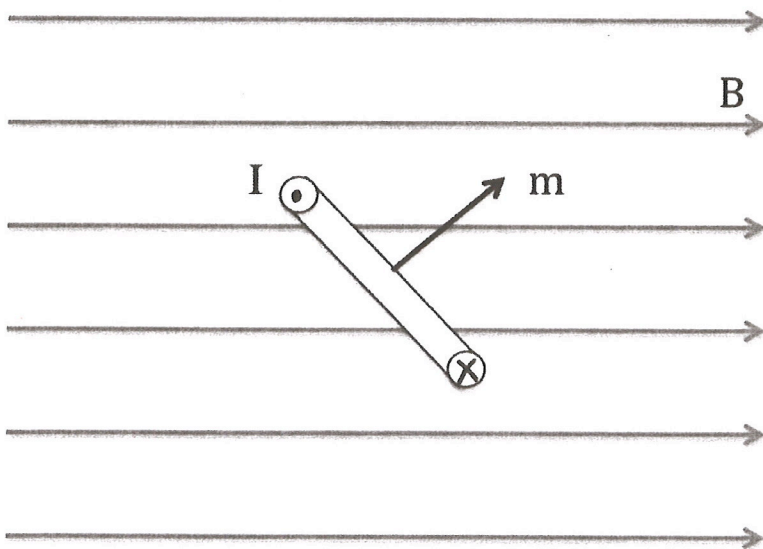
$$\oint_4 \mathbf{H} \cdot d\mathbf{l} = -3A$$

$$\oint_5 \mathbf{H} \cdot d\mathbf{l} = 4A$$

(6 pts) 13. Fill in the table with the standard units for the following

magnetic flux density, <b>B</b>	$\frac{Wb}{m^2}$ or T
Magnetic field intensity, <b>H</b>	A/m
Electric Field Intensity, <b>E</b>	V/m
Electric Flux Density, <b>D</b>	C/m <sup>2</sup>
Electric flux, $\Psi$	C
Magnetic flux, $\Psi$	Wb

(5 pts) 14. A circular loop of wire carrying current  $I$  is in a constant magnetic flux density as show. Shown is a cut through the circular lool.

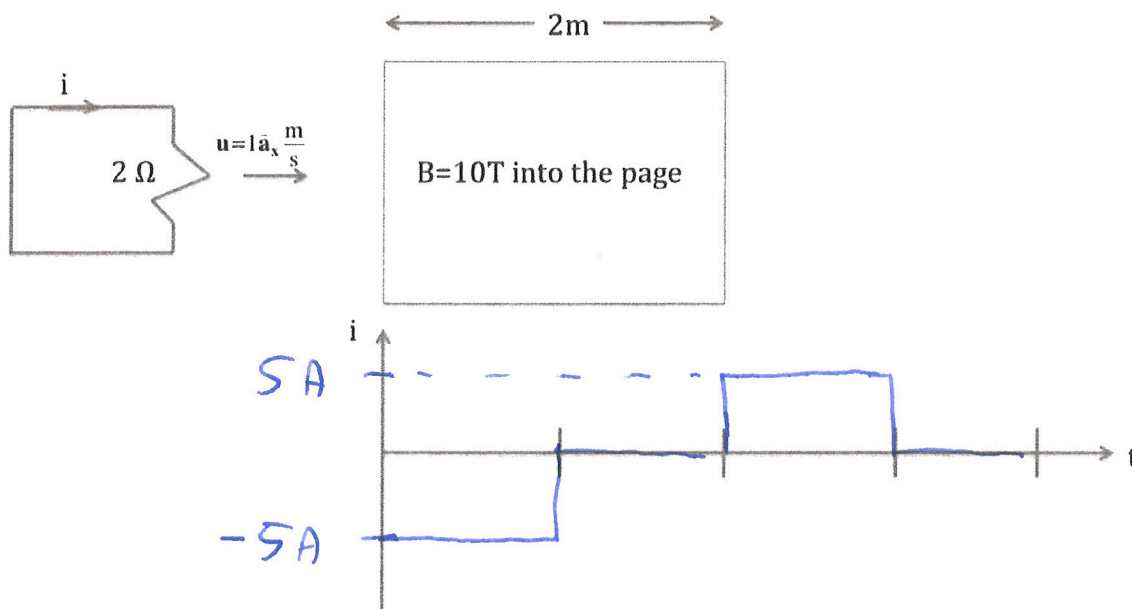


The circular loop will

- A) will not rotate because the net magnetic force on a current loop in a constant magnetic field is zero.
- B) rotate clockwise
- C) rotate counterclockwise



(15 pts) 15. A 1 m x 1 m square loop contains a  $2 \Omega$  resistor and is moving at 1 m/s towards a region of uniform magnetic field 10 T into the page and of width 2 m. Assume the rectangular loop begins to enter the 2 m wide region of uniform magnetic field at  $t=0$ . Plot the current versus time in the  $2 \Omega$  resistor from  $t = 0$  to  $t = 7$  s. Assume the current is positive if flowing in a clockwise direction.



$0 < t < 1 \text{ s}$  the loop is entering the  $\vec{B}$ -field

$A = \text{area in the } \vec{B}\text{-field} = 4t$

$$\Psi = 4t \left( 10 \frac{\text{Wb}}{\text{m}^2} \right) \quad \frac{d\Psi}{dt} = 4 \left( 10 \frac{\text{Wb}}{\text{m}^2} \right) = 1 \frac{\text{m}}{\text{s}} \left( 10 \frac{\text{Wb}}{\text{m}^2} \right) = 10 \text{ V}$$

$i$  will flow in a direction to oppose this increase in flux into the loop so  $i = -\frac{10 \text{ V}}{2 \Omega} = -5 \text{ A}$

$1 \text{ s} < t < 3 \text{ s}$  loop is completely in the  $B$ -field.

$$\text{so } \frac{d\Psi}{dt} = 0 \Rightarrow i = 0$$

$3 \text{ s} < t < 5 \text{ s}$  the loop is leaving the  $B$ -field. The flux into the loop will now decrease at the same rate it was increasing for  $0 < t < 1 \text{ s}$

$$\text{so } i = +5 \text{ A}$$

$t > 5 \text{ s}$  the loop is out of the  $B$ -field

$$\text{so } \Psi = 0, \quad \frac{d\Psi}{dt} = 0, \quad \text{and } i = 0$$

(16 pts) 16. The following is the equation of the magnetic field intensity of an EM wave in free space.

$$\mathbf{H} = 10 \cos(1.884 \times 10^7 t - 6.28 \times 10^{-2} z) \hat{\mathbf{a}}_x \frac{\text{A}}{\text{m}}$$

A) What is the wavelength of the wave?

$$\beta = \frac{2\pi}{\lambda} = 6.28 \times 10^{-2} \text{ m}^{-1}$$

$$\lambda = 100 \text{ m}$$

B) What is the frequency of the wave in Hz?

$$\omega = 2\pi f = 1.884 \times 10^7 \text{ s}^{-1}$$

$$f = 3 \times 10^6 \text{ Hz}$$

C) What is the velocity of the wave?

$$u = \frac{\omega}{\beta} = \frac{1.884 \times 10^7 \text{ s}^{-1}}{6.28 \times 10^{-2} \text{ m}^{-1}} = 3 \times 10^8 \frac{\text{m}}{\text{s}}$$

$$\vec{u} = 3 \times 10^8 \frac{\text{m}}{\text{s}} \hat{\mathbf{a}}_z$$

D) What is the electric field intensity of the wave?

$$|\vec{E}| = \eta_0 |\vec{H}| = (377 \Omega) (10 \frac{\text{A}}{\text{m}}) = 3770 \frac{\text{V}}{\text{m}}$$

$$\vec{E} = -3770 \cos(1.884 \times 10^7 t - 6.28 \times 10^{-2} z) \hat{\mathbf{a}}_y \frac{\text{V}}{\text{m}}$$

(20 pts) 17. A plane wave that has  $\vec{E}_i = 50 \sin(6 \times 10^8 \pi t - 4\pi y) \hat{a}_x \frac{V}{m}$  travels in a lossless dielectric with  $\epsilon_1 = 4\epsilon_0$ ,  $\mu_1 = \mu_0$ , and impinges normally onto a lossless dielectric with  $\epsilon_2 = 16\epsilon_0$  and  $\mu_2 = \mu_0$ . Determine the complete expressions for  $\vec{E}_r$ ,  $\vec{H}_r$ ,  $\vec{E}_t$ , and  $\vec{H}_t$ .

$$\eta_1 = \sqrt{\frac{\mu_0}{4\epsilon_0}} = \sqrt{\frac{12.6 \times 10^{-7} \text{ H/m}}{4(8.854 \times 10^{-12} \text{ F/m})}} = 188.6 \Omega$$

$$\eta_2 = \sqrt{\frac{\mu_0}{16\epsilon_0}} = \sqrt{\frac{12.6 \times 10^{-7} \text{ H/m}}{16(8.854 \times 10^{-12} \text{ F/m})}} = 94.31 \Omega$$

$$\Gamma = \frac{\eta_2 - \eta_1}{\eta_2 + \eta_1} = \frac{94.31 - 188.6}{94.31 + 188.6} = -0.333$$

$$\tau = \frac{2\eta_2}{\eta_2 + \eta_1} = \frac{2(94.31)}{94.31 + 188.6} = +0.667$$

$$u_2 = \frac{1}{\sqrt{\mu_0 16\epsilon_0}} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{(12.6 \times 10^{-7} \frac{\text{H}}{\text{m}})(16)(8.854 \times 10^{-12} \frac{\text{F}}{\text{m}})}} = 7.5 \times 10^7 \frac{\text{m}}{\text{s}}$$

$$\beta_2 = \frac{\omega}{u_2} = \frac{6 \times 10^8 \pi \text{ s}^{-1}}{7.5 \times 10^7 \text{ m/s}} = 8\pi \text{ m}^{-1}$$

$$\vec{E}_r = -16.67 \sin(6 \times 10^8 \pi t + 4\pi y) \hat{a}_x \frac{V}{m}$$

$$\vec{H}_r = -\frac{16.67}{188.6} \sin(6 \times 10^8 \pi t + 4\pi y) \hat{a}_z \frac{A}{m}$$

$$= -0.08837 \sin(6 \times 10^8 \pi t + 4\pi y) \hat{a}_z \frac{A}{m}$$

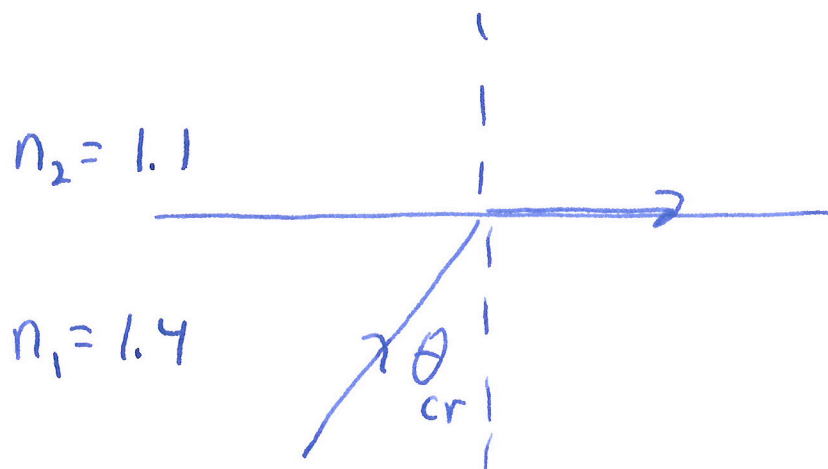
$$\vec{E}_t = 33.35 \sin(6 \times 10^8 \pi t - 8\pi y) \hat{a}_x \frac{V}{m}$$

$$\vec{H}_t = -\frac{33.35}{94.31} \sin(6 \times 10^8 \pi t - 8\pi y) \hat{a}_z \frac{A}{m}$$

$$= -0.354 \sin(6 \times 10^8 \pi t - 8\pi y) \hat{a}_z \frac{A}{m}$$

(6 pts) 18. Material A has an index of refraction of 1.4 and material B an index of refraction of 1.1. For light in material A, the critical angle at the boundary between the two materials is

- A)  $0^\circ$
- B)  $38.2^\circ$
- C)  $51.8^\circ$
- D)  $90^\circ$
- E)  $180^\circ$
- F) none of the above



$$n_1 \sin \theta_{cr} = n_2 \sin \frac{\pi}{2} = n_2$$

$$\sin \theta_{cr} = \frac{n_2}{n_1} = \frac{1.1}{1.4} = 0.7857$$

$$\theta_{cr} = \sin^{-1}(0.7857) = 51.78^\circ$$