

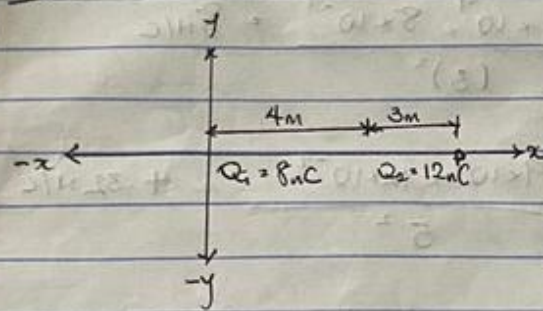
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PHY 102 ASSIGNMENT

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 Ans: Distinguish between the terms: electric field and electric field intensity.
Electric field: This is a region of space in which an electric charge will experience an electric force while electric field intensity: This is the force per unit charge.

6) A positive charge $Q_1 = 8\text{ nC}$ is at the Origin and a second positive charge $Q_2 = 12\text{ nC}$ is on the x-axis at $x = 4\text{ m}$. find

- the net electric field at a point P on the x-axis at $x = 7\text{ m}$.
- the electric field at point Q on the y-axis at $y = 3\text{ m}$ due to charges.



$$E_1 = \frac{kq_1}{(r_1)^2} = \frac{9 \times 10^9 \times 8 \times 10^{-9}}{7^2} = 1.4694 \text{ N/C}$$

$$E_2 = \frac{kq_2}{(r_2)^2} = \frac{9 \times 10^9 \times 12 \times 10^{-9}}{3^2} = 12 \text{ N/C}$$

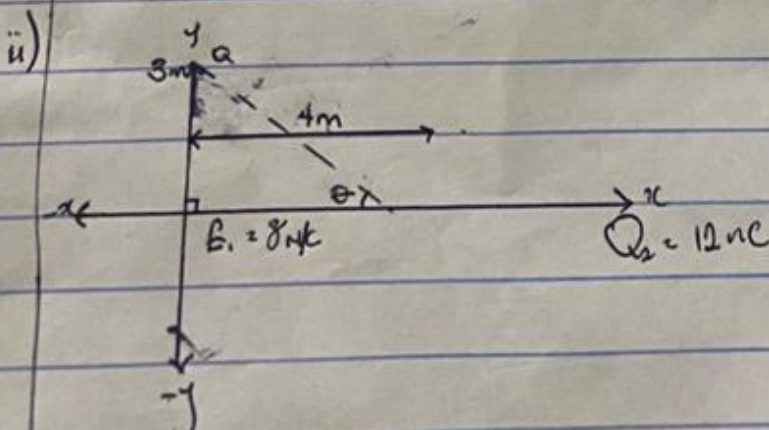
Vector	Angle	x-Comp	y-Comp
$E_1 = 1.4694 \text{ N/C}$	0°	$1.4694 \times \cos 0 = 1.4694$	0
$E_2 = 12 \text{ N/C}$	0°	$12 \times \cos 0 = 13.4694$	0

$$E = \sqrt{\sum E_x^2 + \sum E_y^2}$$

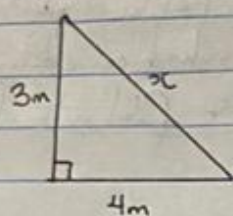
$$E = \sqrt{\sum E_x^2}$$

$$E = \sqrt{13.4694^2}$$

$$E = 13.4694 \text{ N/C} \approx 13.5 \text{ N/C}$$



To find the distance between electric field of point p and Q, we use Pythagoras theorem:

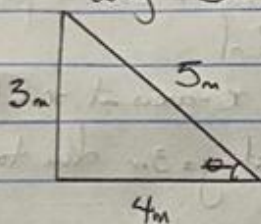


$$x^2 = 3^2 + 4^2$$

$$x^2 = 9 + 16 = 25$$

$$x = \sqrt{25} = 5m$$

Using Sin:



$$\sin \theta = 3/5$$

$$\theta = \sin^{-1}(3/5)$$

$$\theta = 36.87^\circ$$

$$\therefore E_1 = \frac{kq_1}{(r_1)^2} = \frac{9 \times 10^9 \times 8 \times 10^{-9}}{(3)^2} = 8 \text{ N/C}$$

$$E_2 = \frac{kq_2}{(r_2)^2} = \frac{9 \times 10^9 \times 12 \times 10^{-9}}{5^2} = 4.32 \text{ N/C}$$

Vector	Angle	x-Comp	y-Comp
$E_1 = 8 \text{ N/C}$	90°	$8 \times \cos 90 = 0$	$8 \times \sin 90 = 8$
$E_2 = 4.32 \text{ N/C}$	36.87°	$4.32 \times \cos 36.87$ $= 3.4560$	$4.32 \times \sin 36.87 = 2.592$
		<u>3.4560</u>	<u>10.592</u>

$$E = \sqrt{\sum E_x^2 + \sum E_y^2}$$

$$E = \sqrt{3.4560^2 + 10.592^2}$$

$$E = 11.2 \text{ N/C}$$

- 3) State formulae of the following types of charges:
- (i) Volume charge density: $\rho = \frac{dq}{dv} \Rightarrow dq = \rho dv$
 - (ii) Surface charge density: $\sigma = \frac{dq}{dA} \Rightarrow dq = \sigma dA$
 - (iii) Linear charge density: $\lambda = \frac{dq}{dl} \Rightarrow dq = \lambda dl$

(b) Explain with appropriate equations, the electric potential difference.

Ans

→ Electric potential difference between two points in an electric field can be defined as the work done per unit charge against forces when a charge is moved from one point to another. It is measured in Volt or joules per Coulomb. It is a scalar quantity.

Formulas for electric Potential Difference

→ Electric potential difference in a uniform electric field

$$V_B - V_A = \frac{W_{CA}}{q_0} \rightarrow B \rightarrow A$$

→ Electric potential difference is the potential energy per unit charge

$$V_B - V_A = \frac{\Delta U}{q_0}$$

→ Electric potential energy due to single point charge

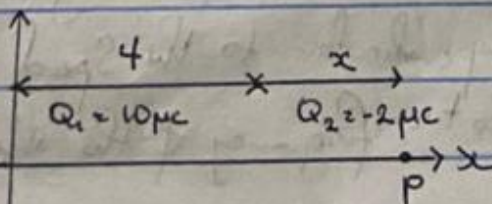
$$V_B - V_A = \frac{Q}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \left[\frac{1}{r_B} - \frac{1}{r_A} \right]$$

→ Electric potential due to several point charge

$$V_P = \frac{1}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \left[\frac{Q_1}{r_1} + \frac{Q_2}{r_2} + \frac{Q_3}{r_3} + \frac{Q_4}{r_4} \right]$$

- (c) Two point charges $Q_1 = 10\mu\text{C}$ and $Q_2 = -2\mu\text{C}$ are arranged along the x-axis at $x = 0$ and $x = 4\text{m}$ respectively. Find the position along the x-axis where $V = 0$.

Soln



3a) State formulation of the following ⁱⁿ electric field of charges:

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$$30) V_p = \frac{1}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \left[\frac{q_1}{r_1} + \frac{q_2}{r_2} \right]$$

$$\text{Let } V_p = 0$$

$$0 = 9 \times 10^9 \left[\frac{10 \times 10^{-6}}{4+x} + \frac{(-2 \times 10^{-6})}{x} \right]$$

$$0 = 9 \times 10^9 \left[\frac{10 \times 10^{-6}}{4+x} - \frac{2 \times 10^{-6}}{x} \right]$$

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$$0 = \frac{90000}{4+x} - \frac{18000}{x}$$

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$$(4+x)(x) \cdot 0 = \frac{90000(4+x)(x)}{4+x}$$

$$- \frac{18000(4+x)(x)}{x}$$

$$0 = 90000x - 18000(4+x)$$

$$0 = 90000x - 72000 - 18000x$$

$$72000 = 90000x - 18000x$$

$$72000 = 72000x$$

$$x = 1\text{m}$$

$$\therefore 4+x = 4+1 = 5\text{m}$$

\therefore The position along the x-axis is 5m when $V=0$

4a) What is Magnetic flux

Ans: This is defined as the strength of a Magnetic field represented by a line of forces. It is represented with the symbol Φ and Mathematically given as $\Phi = BA$

6) An electron with a rest mass of 9.11×10^{-31} Kg moves in a circular orbit of radius 1.4×10^{-7} m in a uniform magnetic field of 3.5×10^{-2} weber/meter square, perpendicular to the speed with which electron moves. Find the cyclotron frequency of the moving electron

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$$\omega = \frac{qB}{m_p}$$

$$F_c = Qv \sin \theta \text{ where } \theta = 90^\circ$$

$$F_c = QvB = \frac{mv^2}{r}$$

$$v = \frac{qBr}{m}$$

$$v = \frac{-1.6 \times 10^{-19} \times 3.5 \times 10^{-1} \times 1.4 \times 10^{-9}}{9.11 \times 10^{-31}}$$

$$v = -8.60593 \text{ m/s}$$

Hence, The angular speed, $\omega = \frac{qB}{m_p}$

$$= \frac{1.6 \times 10^{-19} \times 3.5 \times 10^{-1}}{9.11 \times 10^{-31}}$$

$$= 6.147 \times 10^{10} \text{ rad/s}$$

4c) In 4b.) above we were given!

→ Mass of the electron = $9.11 \times 10^{-31} \text{ kg}$

→ Radius = $1.4 \times 10^{-9} \text{ m}$

→ Magnetic field = $3.5 \times 10^{-1} \text{ weber / meter square}$

And we were asked to find the cyclotron frequency which is equal to the angular speed. So we find the angular speed using $\omega = \frac{qB}{m}$ and substitute the parameters to get $6.147 \times 10^{10} \text{ rad s}^{-1}$

5a) State the Biot - Savart Law

Ans: This states that the Magnetic field intensity at any point to a steady current in an infinitely long straight wire is proportional to the current and inversely proportional to the distance from the point to the wire where there is a constant called permeability of free space.

5b) Using the Biot-Savart Law, show that the Magnitude of the Magnetic field of a straight Current-Carrying Conductor is given as

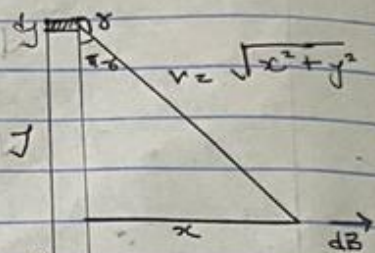
$$B = \frac{\mu_0 I}{2\pi r}$$

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$$B = \frac{\mu_0 I}{4\pi} \int_{-a}^a \frac{d \sin \theta}{r^2}$$

$$\sin(\pi - \theta) = \sin \theta$$

$$\therefore B = \frac{\mu_0 I}{4\pi} \int_{-a}^a \frac{d \sin(\pi - \theta)}{r^2}$$



From the diagram, $r^2 = x^2 + y^2$ (Pythagoras theorem)

$$B = \frac{\mu_0 I}{4\pi} \int_{-a}^a \frac{d \sin(\pi - \theta)}{x^2 + y^2} \quad \text{--- (I)}$$

$$\text{But } \sin(\pi - \theta) = \frac{x}{\sqrt{x^2 + y^2}} = \frac{x}{(x^2 + y^2)^{1/2}} \quad \text{--- (II)}$$

Substituting (II) into (I)

$$B = \frac{\mu_0 I}{4\pi} \int_{-a}^a \frac{dx}{(x^2 + y^2)^{3/2}}$$

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Recall $dx = dy$

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