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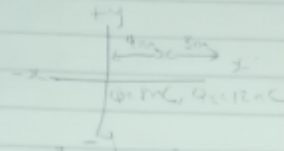
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PH 102

Assignment

An electric field is a region of space in which an electric charge will experience an electric force while electric field intensity can be defined as force per unit electric charge.

$Q_1 = 9 \text{ nC}$, $Q_2 = 12 \text{ nC}$ are on the x-axis at $x = 4 \text{ cm}$. Find the net electric field at point P on the x-axis $x = 2 \text{ cm}$.



$$E_1 = kq/r^2 = 9 \times 10^9 \times 9 \times 10^{-9} / 16 = 1.4694 \text{ N/C}$$

$$E_2 = kQ_2/r^2 = 9 \times 10^9 \times 12 \times 10^{-9} / 16 = 12 \text{ N/C}$$

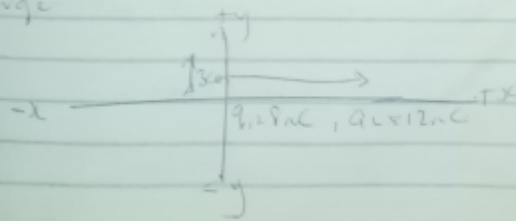
Vector	Angle	X-component	Y-component
$E_1 = 1.4694 \text{ N/C}$	0	$1.4694 \cos 0 = 1.4694$	0
	0	$12 \cos 0 = 12$	0

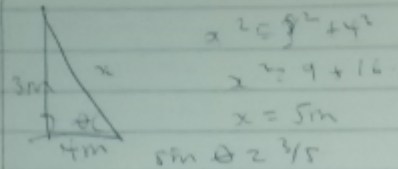
$$E = \sqrt{E_1^2 + E_2^2}$$

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

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The electric field at point q on the y-axis at $y = 3 \text{ m}$ due to the charge





$$\theta = \sin^{-1}(3/5) \therefore \theta = 36.87^\circ$$

$$E_1 = \frac{kQ_1}{r^2} = 9 \times 10^9 \times 9 \times 10^{-9} = 81 \text{ N/C}$$

$$E_2 = \frac{kQ_2}{r^2} = \frac{9 \times 10^9 \times 1.3 \times 10^{-9}}{5^2} = 4.32 \text{ N/C}$$

Vector	Angle	x component	y component
$E_1 = 81 \text{ N/C}$	90°	$81 \cos 90^\circ = 0$	$81 \sin 90^\circ = 81$
$E_2 = 4.32 \text{ N/C}$	36.87°	$4.32 \cos 36.87^\circ = 3.45577$	$4.32 \sin 36.87^\circ = 2.592$
		3.45577	10.592

$$E = \sqrt{E_x^2 + E_y^2} = \sqrt{3.456^2 + 10.592^2}$$

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

3 Formulation of the following definitions of charge

(i) volume charge density $= \rho = \frac{dq}{dv} = dq \cdot \rho \cdot dv$

(ii) surface charge density $= \sigma = \frac{dq}{da} \Rightarrow dq = \sigma \cdot da$

(iii) linear charge density $\lambda = \frac{dq}{dl} = dq \cdot dl$

4 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 transported from one point to another.

a When the electric potential v is in a uniform electric field.

$$V_B - V_A = W(A \rightarrow B) / q$$

b Electric potential difference is also the potential energy per unit charge.

$$V_B - V_A = \frac{W}{q}$$

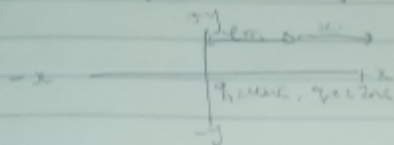
c We also have electric potential due to a single point charge.

$$V_B - V_A = \frac{q}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \left(\frac{1}{r_B} - \frac{1}{r_A} \right)$$

d We also have electric potential due to several point charge.

$$V = k_{\text{elec}} (q_1/r_1 + q_2/r_2 + q_3/r_3 + \dots + q_n/r_n)$$

C. $Q_1 = 10 \mu\text{C}$ and $Q_2 = 2 \mu\text{C}$ are along the x-axis at $x = 0$ and $x = 4$ cm respectively. Find the position along the x-axis where $V = 0$



$$V_f = k_{\text{elec}} (q_1/r_1 + q_2/r_2)$$

let $V_f = 0$

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

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

Multiply all through by $(4+x)(x)$

$$(4+x)(x) \cdot 0 = \frac{90000}{4+x} (4+x)(x) - 18000/x (4+x)(x)$$

$$0 = 90000x - 1800(4+x)$$

$$92000 = 90000 - 1800x$$

$$7200 = 7200x$$

$$x = 1$$

$$\therefore 4+x = 4+1 = 5$$

So the position along the x-axis where $V = 0$ is 5 cm

10. Magnetic flux is defined as the strength of magnetic field represented by the lines of force. It is represented by symbol Φ

b. $M_A = 9.11 \times 10^{-31} \text{ kg}$, $v = 1.6 \times 10^6 \text{ m/s}$, $B = 3.5 \times 10^{-2} \text{ Wb/m}^2$, $\theta = 90^\circ$

$$F_B = qvB \sin \theta, \text{ where } \theta = 90^\circ$$

$$F_B = qvB$$

$$F_B = mv^2/r$$

$$v = \frac{qBr}{m}, \quad v = \frac{1.6 \times 10^{-19} \times 3.5 \times 10^{-2} \times 1.4 \times 10^{-2}}{9.11 \times 10^{-31}}$$

$$v = 8.65 \times 10^8 \text{ m/s}$$

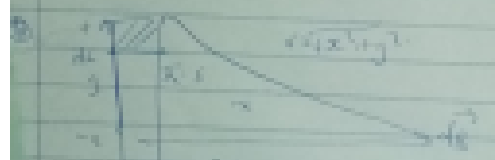
$$\text{Hence angular speed: } \omega = \frac{qB}{m} = \frac{1.6 \times 10^{-19} \times 3.5 \times 10^{-2}}{9.11 \times 10^{-31}} = 6.247 \times 10^{10} \text{ rad/s}$$

4. We were told to find the cyclotron frequency which is the angular speed. The formulae was provided above and the values were substituted into the formulae.

5. State what is meant by...

- i) The vector $d\vec{b}$ is perpendicular to $d\vec{l}$ (which points in the direction of the current) and to unit vector \hat{r} directed from $d\vec{l}$ to point A.
- ii) The magnitude of $d\vec{b}$ is inversely proportional to r^2 .
- iii) The magnitude of $d\vec{b}$ is proportional to the current I and to the magnitude of the length element $d\vec{l}$.
- iv) The magnitude of $d\vec{b}$ is proportional to $\sin\theta$, where θ is the angle between \vec{l} and \hat{r} .

$$\text{Therefore } \vec{B} \rightarrow \frac{\mu_0}{4\pi} \cdot I \frac{d\vec{l} \times \hat{r}}{r^2}$$



$$B = \frac{\mu_0 I}{4\pi} \int_0^{\pi} dl \sin\theta$$

$$= \frac{\mu_0 I}{4\pi} \int_0^{\pi} dl \sin\theta \cos\theta$$

From diagram, $dl \cos\theta = r$

$$r = dl \cos\theta \implies dl = \frac{r}{\cos\theta}$$

$$\text{And } \sin\theta \cos\theta = \frac{r}{2l} \implies \frac{r}{2l} = \frac{r}{2l} \implies \frac{r}{2l} = \frac{r}{2l}$$

Substituting (3) into (2).

$$B = \frac{\mu_0 I}{4\pi} \int_0^{\pi} dl = \frac{\mu_0 I}{4\pi} \int_0^{\pi} \frac{r}{2l} dl$$

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

Recall $dx = dy$

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

$$B = \frac{\mu_0 I x}{4\pi} \int_{-a}^a \frac{1}{(x^2 + y^2)^{3/2}} dy \quad \text{--- (6)}$$

$$\int \frac{dy}{(x^2 + y^2)^{3/2}} = \frac{1}{x^2} \frac{y}{(x^2 + y^2)^{1/2}}$$

Equation 6

$$B = \frac{\mu_0 I x}{4\pi} \left[\frac{y}{x^2 (x^2 + y^2)^{1/2}} \right]_{-a}^a$$

$$B = \frac{\mu_0 I}{4\pi} \left(\frac{2a}{x^2 (x^2 + a^2)^{1/2}} \right)$$

$$B = \frac{\mu_0 I}{4\pi x} \left(\frac{2a}{(x^2 + a^2)^{1/2}} \right)$$

$(x^2 + a^2)^{1/2} \approx a$ if $a \gg x \rightarrow$

In a physical condition, we have axial symmetry about the y-axis. Thus, at all point in a circle of radius r , around the conductor the magnitude of B is

$$B = \frac{\mu_0 I}{2\pi r} \quad \text{--- (7)}$$