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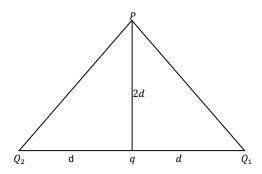
Course Title: Electricity, Magnetism and Modern Physics

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COVID-19 HOLIDAY ASSIGNMENT

Instruction: Answer Four (4) Questions in All - two from Section A and two from section B.

- 1. (a) Explain with the aid of a diagram how you can produce a negatively charged sphere by method of induction.
 - (b) Each of two small spheres is charged positively, the combined charge being $5.0 \times 10^{-5}C$. If each sphere is repelled from the other by a force of 1.0N when the spheres are 2.0m apart, calculate the charge on each sphere.
 - (c) Three charges were positioned as shown in the figure below. If $Q_1 = Q_2 = 8\mu C$ and d = 0.5m, determine q if the electric field at P is zero.



- 2. (a) Distinguish between the terms: electric field and electric field intensity.
 - (b) A positive charge $Q_1 = 8nC$ is at the origin, and a second positive charge $Q_2 = 12nC$ is on the x -axis at x = 4m. Find
 - (i) the net electric field at a point P on the x axis at x = 7m.
 - (ii) the electric field at a point Q on the y axis at y = 3m due to the charges.
- 3. (a) State the formulation of the following identities of charges:
 - (i) Volume Charge density (ii) Surface Charge density (iii) Linear Charge density
 - (b) Explain with appropriate equations, the electric potential difference
 - Two point charges $Q_1 = 10\mu c$ and $Q_2 = -2\mu c$ are arranged along the x-axis at x = 0 and x=4m respectively. Find the position along the x-axis where v = 0.
- 4 (a) What is Magnetic flux?
 - (b) An electron with a rest mass of 9.11 x 10 $^{-31}$ kg moves in a circular orbit of radius $1.4 \times 10^{-7}m$ in a uniform magnetic field of 3.5 x 10 $^{-1}$ Weber/meter square, perpendicular to the speed with which electron moves. Find the cyclotron frequency of the moving electron.

- (c) Discuss your answer in 4b above.
- 5. (a) State the Biot-Savart Law.
 - (b) Using the Biot-Savart Law, show that the magnitude of the magnetic field of a straight current-carrying conductor is given as

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

- 6. (a) Explain the practical application of Faraday's Law in the production of sound in an electric guitar.
 - (b) A coil consists of 300 turns of wire having a total resistance of 2.0Ω . Each turn is a square of side 10cm, and a uniform magnetic field directed perpendicular to the plane of the coil is turned on. If the field changes linearly from 0 to 10T in $0.5 \, sec$,
 - (i) What is the magnitude of the induced emf in the coil while the field is changing?
 - (ii) What is the magnitude of the induced current in the coil while the field is changing?
 - (c) The plane of a rectangular coil of dimensions 5cm by 8cm is perpendicular to the direction of a magnetic field B. If the coil has 75 turns and a total resistance of 8Ω , at what rate must the magnitude of the B change in order to induce a current of 0.1A in the windings of the coil?