

المادة Principles of physics (10th edition)
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CH 23: Gauss's law

Problems: 1, 6, 17, 18, 23, 39

P1: An infinite line of charge produces a field of magnitude $1.7 \times 10^4 \text{ N/C}$ at distance 9.0 m . Find the field magnitude at distance 2.0 m

sol:

The magnitude of electric field produced by uniformly charged infinite lines is

$$E = \frac{\lambda}{2\pi\epsilon_0 r}$$

$$E = 1.7 \times 10^4 \text{ at } r = 9.0 \text{ m}$$

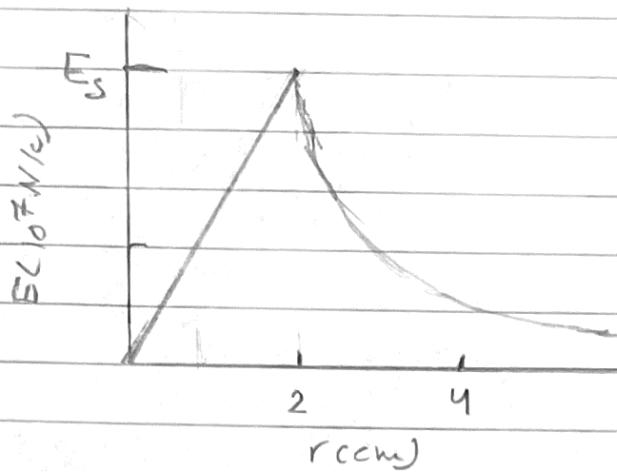
$$\begin{aligned} \lambda &= E 2\pi\epsilon_0 r \\ &= 1.7 \times 10^4 \times 2 \times 3.14 \times 8.85 \times 10^{-12} \times 9 \\ &= 8.5 \times 10^{-6} \text{ C/m} \end{aligned}$$

$$E \text{ at } r = 2 \text{ m}$$

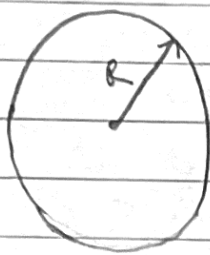
$$E = \frac{\lambda}{2\pi\epsilon_0 r} = \frac{8.5 \times 10^{-6}}{2 \times 3.14 \times 8.85 \times 10^{-12} \times 2}$$

$$E = 76500 \text{ N/C}$$

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 P6: Figure 23-23 gives the magnitude of the electric field inside and outside a sphere with a positive charge distributed uniformly throughout its volume. The scale of the vertical axis is set by $E_s = 10 \times 10^7 \text{ N/C}$. (a) What is the charge on the sphere? (b) What is the field magnitude at $r = 8.0 \text{ m}$

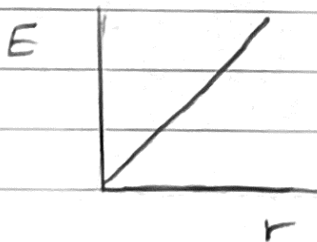


Sol:



The electric field inside a uniform sphere of charge

$$E = \frac{kq}{R^3} r \quad r \leq R$$

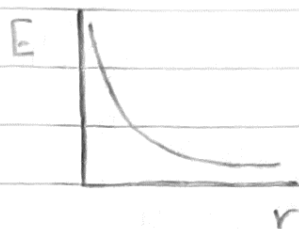


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$$E = \frac{kq}{r^2}$$

$$r > R$$

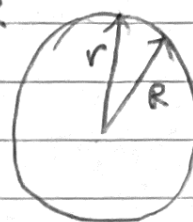


So from the figure the radius of the sphere is 2 cm

a)

$$E = \frac{kq}{R^3} r$$

$$r = R$$



$$E = \frac{kqR}{R^3}$$

$$E = \frac{kq}{R^2}$$

$$q = \frac{ER^2}{k} = \frac{10 \times 10^7 \times (2 \times 10^{-2})^2}{9 \times 10^9}$$

$$= 4.44 \times 10^{-6} \text{ C}$$

$$q = 4.44 \text{ } \mu\text{C}$$

b) E at $r = 8 \text{ m}$ ($r > R$)

$$E = \frac{kq}{r^2}$$

$$= \frac{9 \times 10^9 \times 4.44 \times 10^{-6}}{(8)^2}$$

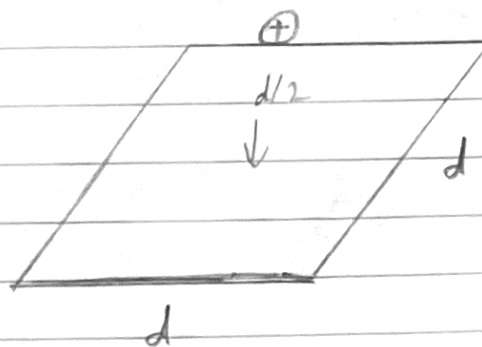
$$= 625 \text{ N/C}$$

$$= 6.25 \times 10^2 \text{ N/C}$$

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P17: In Figure 23-30, a proton is a distance $d/2$ directly above the center of a square of side d . What is the magnitude of the electric flux through the square? (Hint: Think of the square as one face of a cube with edge d .)



sol: imagine a closed Gaussian surface in the shape of cube of edge d , with a proton charge $q = 1.6 \times 10^{-19} \text{ C}$ located at the center of the cube

$$\phi_{\text{total cube}} = \frac{q}{\epsilon_0} = \frac{1.6 \times 10^{-19}}{8.85 \times 10^{-12}} = 1.808 \times 10^{-8} \text{ N}\cdot\text{m}^2/\text{C}$$

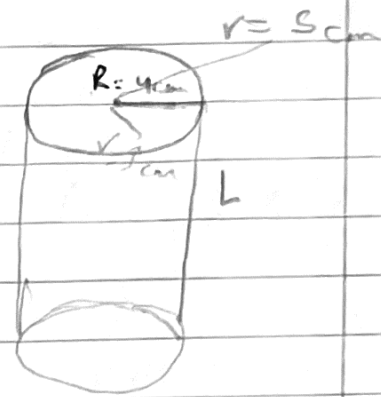
* The flux through the square is one-sixth of the $\phi_{\text{total cube}}$.

$$\phi_{\text{one surface}} = \frac{\phi_{\text{total cube}}}{6} = \frac{1.808 \times 10^{-8}}{6} = 3.013 \times 10^{-9} \text{ N}\cdot\text{m}^2/\text{C}$$

P18: A long nonconducting solid cylinder of radius 4.0 cm has a nonuniform volume charge density ρ that is a function of radial distance r from the cylinder axis: $\rho = Ar^2$. For $A = 6.3 \text{ } \mu\text{C}/\text{m}^3$ what is the magnitude of the electric field at (a) $r = 3.0 \text{ cm}$ and (b) $r = 5.0 \text{ cm}$?

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a) $R = 4 \text{ cm} = 0.04 \text{ m}$
 $\rho = Ar^2$, $A = 6.3 \text{ Mc/m}^3$

for cylinder

$$V = \pi r^2 L$$

$$dV = 2\pi r L dr$$

$$Q = \int \rho dV$$

$$= \int Ar^2 \cdot 2\pi r L dr$$

$$= \int_0^R 2\pi A r^3 L dr$$

$$Q = \frac{2\pi L A r^4}{4}$$

$$\Rightarrow \boxed{Q_{en} = \frac{\pi L A r^4}{2}}$$

Gauss law $\Phi = E \cdot A$

$$\frac{Q_{en}}{\epsilon_0} = E \cdot A$$

$$\frac{Q_{en}}{\epsilon_0} = E \cdot 2\pi r L$$

$$E = \frac{Q_{en}}{\epsilon_0} \frac{1}{2\pi r L}$$

$$= \frac{\pi L A r^4}{2\epsilon_0} \frac{1}{2\pi r L}$$

$$\boxed{E = \frac{A r^3}{4\epsilon_0}}$$

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$$E \text{ at } r = 3 \text{ cm} = 3 \times 10^{-2} \text{ m} \quad r < R$$

$$E = \frac{Ar^3}{4\epsilon_0} = \frac{6.3 \times 10^{-6} (0.03)^3}{4 \times 8.85 \times 10^{-12}} = 4.8 \text{ N/C}$$

b) $E \text{ at } r = 5 \text{ cm} = 5 \times 10^{-2} \text{ m} \quad r > R$

$$Q_{\text{total}} = \int_0^R \rho \, dv$$

$$= \frac{\pi L A R^4}{2}$$

$$= \frac{3.14 \times 6.3 \times 10^{-6} \times (4 \times 10^{-2})^4}{2} L$$

$$Q_{\text{total}} = 2.53 \times 10^{-11} L$$

$$\frac{Q_{\text{total}}}{L} = \lambda = 2.53 \times 10^{-11} \text{ C/m}$$

$$\Rightarrow E \cdot A = \frac{Q_{\text{total}}}{\epsilon_0}$$

$$E \cdot 2\pi r L = \frac{Q_{\text{total}}}{\epsilon_0}$$

$$E = \frac{1}{2\pi r L \epsilon_0} Q_{\text{total}}$$

$$\text{or } \frac{\lambda}{2\pi r \epsilon_0}$$

$$= \frac{1}{2\pi r \epsilon_0} 2.5 \times 10^{-11}$$

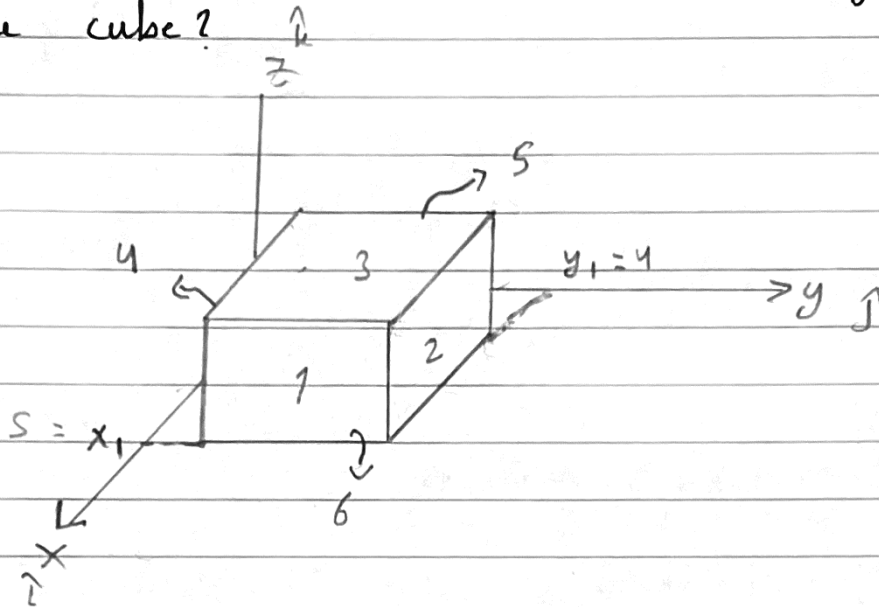
$$= \frac{2.5 \times 10^{-11}}{2 \times 3.14 \times 0.05 \times 8.85 \times 10^{-12}}$$

$$= 8.9 \text{ N/C}$$

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P23: Figure 23-34 shows a closed Gaussian surface in the shape of a cube of edge length 2.00 m, with one corner at $x_1 = 5.00$ m, $y_1 = 4.00$ m. The cube lies in a region where the electric field vectors is given by $\vec{E} = +23\hat{i} - 2y^2\hat{j} - 16\hat{k}$ N/C with y in meters. What is the net charge contained by the cube?



Sol

$$Q_{\text{enc}} = \epsilon_0 \Phi \quad , \quad \Phi = \oint \vec{E} \cdot d\vec{A}$$

Face (1) at $x = 5$ m, $A = \int d\vec{A} = 2 \times 2 = 4 \text{ m}^2 \hat{i}$

$$\begin{aligned} \Phi_1 &= \vec{E} \cdot \vec{A} \\ &= (+23\hat{i} - 2y^2\hat{j} - 16\hat{k}) \cdot 4\hat{i} \\ &= 23\hat{i} \cdot 4\hat{i} + 0 + 0 \\ &= +92 \text{ N}\cdot\text{m}^2/\text{C} \end{aligned}$$

Face (2) at $y = 4$ m, $A = 4 \text{ m}^2 \hat{j}$

$$\begin{aligned} \Phi_2 &= (23\hat{i} - 2y^2\hat{j} - 16\hat{k}) \cdot 4\hat{j} \\ &= 0 - 2y^2 \cdot 4\hat{j} \cdot \hat{j} - 0 \\ &= -8y^2 \\ &= -8(4)^2 \\ &= -128 \text{ N}\cdot\text{m}^2/\text{C} \end{aligned}$$

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Face (3) at $z = 2 \text{ m}$ $A = 4 \text{ m}^2 \hat{k}$

$$\begin{aligned} \Phi_3 &= (23\hat{i} - 2y^2\hat{j} - 16\hat{k}) \cdot 4\hat{k} \\ &= 0 - 0 - 16\hat{k} \cdot 4\hat{k} \\ &= -64 \text{ Nm}^2/\text{C} \end{aligned}$$

Face (4) at $y = 2 \text{ m}$ $A = -4 \text{ m}^2 \hat{j}$

$$\begin{aligned} \Phi_4 &= (23\hat{i} - 2y^2\hat{j} - 16\hat{k}) \cdot -4\hat{j} \\ &= 0 - 2y^2\hat{j} \cdot -4\hat{j} - 0 \\ &= 8y^2 \\ &= 8(2)^2 \\ &= 32 \text{ Nm}^2/\text{C} \end{aligned}$$

Face (5) at $x = 3 \text{ m}$ $(5-2) \Rightarrow 2 \text{ lolo}$
 $A = -4 \text{ m}^2 \hat{i}$

$$\begin{aligned} \Phi_5 &= (23\hat{i} - 2y^2\hat{j} - 16\hat{k}) \cdot -4\hat{i} \\ &= 23\hat{i} \cdot -4\hat{i} \\ &= -92 \text{ Nm}^2/\text{C} \end{aligned}$$

Face 6 at $z = 0$ $A = -4 \text{ m}^2 \hat{k}$

$$\begin{aligned} \Phi_6 &= (23\hat{i} - 2y^2\hat{j} - 16\hat{k}) \cdot -4\hat{k} \\ &= -16\hat{k} \cdot -4\hat{k} \\ &= 64 \text{ Nm}^2/\text{C} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \Rightarrow \Phi_{\text{tot}} &= \Phi_1 + \Phi_2 + \Phi_3 + \Phi_4 + \Phi_5 + \Phi_6 \\ &= 92 + -128 + -64 + 32 + -92 + 64 \\ &= -96 \text{ Nm}^2/\text{C} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} Q_{\text{enc}} &= \epsilon_0 \Phi = 8.85 \times 10^{-12} \times -96 = -8.496 \times 10^{-10} \text{ C} \\ &= -0.8496 \text{ nC} \end{aligned}$$

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P39: A uniformly charged conducting sphere of 0.60 m diameter has surface charge density $5.7 \mu\text{C}/\text{m}^2$. Find (a) the net charge on the sphere and (b) the total electric flux leaving the surface. (c) What is the net flux through a concentric Gaussian sphere of radius 2.0 m?

Sol: diameter $d = 0.60 \text{ m}$, radius $r = \frac{d}{2} = 0.30 \text{ m}$

surface charge density $\sigma = 5.7 \mu\text{C}/\text{m}^2 = 5.7 \times 10^{-6} \text{ C}/\text{m}^2$

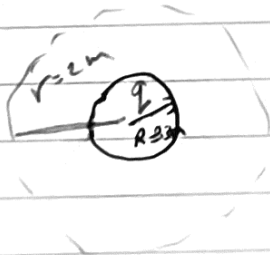
a) The net charge on the sphere = charge density \times surface area

$$\begin{aligned} Q &= \sigma \times A \\ &= \sigma \times 4\pi r^2 \\ &= 5.7 \times 10^{-6} \times 4 \times 3.14 \times (0.30)^2 \\ &= 6.44 \times 10^{-6} \text{ C} \\ &= 6.44 \mu\text{C} \end{aligned}$$

b)
$$\Phi = \frac{Q}{\epsilon_0} = \frac{6.44 \times 10^{-6}}{8.85 \times 10^{-12}} = 728054.2$$

$\approx 7.3 \times 10^5 \text{ Nm}^2/\text{C}$

c)



$$\begin{aligned} \Phi &= \frac{Q}{\epsilon_0} \\ &= \frac{6.44 \times 10^{-6}}{8.85 \times 10^{-12}} \\ &= 7.3 \times 10^5 \text{ Nm}^2/\text{C} \end{aligned}$$