

Physics 02: Electricity and magnetism

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Evaluation exam of physics 02

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Exercise 1

Tick (✓) the correct answer (3 pts)

1- Like charges:

a- repel. ✓

b- attract each other.

2- Outer electrons in conductors are:

a- weakly bound to the nuclei. ✓

b- tightly bound to the nuclei.

3- Electric force is:

a- $F = k \frac{|q_1 \cdot q_2|}{r}$

b- $F = k \frac{|q_1 \cdot q_2|}{r^2}$ ✓

c- $F = k \frac{|q_1 \cdot q_2|}{\sqrt{r}}$

4-Gauss's theorem is :

a- $\oint_S \vec{E} \cdot d\vec{S} = \frac{Q_{enclosed}}{\epsilon_0}$ ✓

b- $\oint_L \vec{E} \cdot d\vec{L} = \frac{Q_{enclosed}}{\epsilon_0}$

c- $\oint_S \vec{E} \cdot d\vec{S} = \frac{Q_{outer}}{\epsilon_0}$

5- The electric field is zero:

a- inside the conductor. ✓

b- outside a charged conductor.

c- just outside a charged conductor.

6- Any net charge on an isolated conductor reside:

a- on its surface. ✓

b- inside the conductor (volume distribution).

c- on its center.

7- Charge Q on the capacitor depends:

a- on the applied difference of potential V .

b- on geometry and size of capacitor.

c- material between plates.

d- all these factors. ✓

8- When n capacitors are associated in series, the equivalent capacitance is:

a- lower than the capacitance of each one of the associated capacitors. ✓

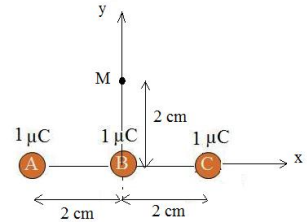
b- greater than the capacitance of each one of the associated capacitors.

EXERCISE 02

A(-a,0), B(0,0)

C(a,0), M(0,a)

a = 2 cm



1- The electric field at the point M.

$$\vec{E}(M) = \vec{E}_A(M) + \vec{E}_B(M) + \vec{E}_C(M)$$

$$\vec{E}_A(M) = k \frac{q}{AM^3} \overrightarrow{AM}$$

$$\vec{E}_B(M) = k \frac{q}{BM^3} \overrightarrow{BM}$$

$$\vec{E}_C(M) = k \frac{q}{CM^3} \overrightarrow{CM}$$

$$\overrightarrow{AM} = a\vec{i} + a\vec{j}, \quad \overrightarrow{BM} = a\vec{j}, \quad \overrightarrow{CM} = -a\vec{i} + a\vec{j}$$

$$AM = CM = a\sqrt{2}, \quad BM = a$$

$$\vec{E}_A(M) = k \frac{q}{(a\sqrt{2})^3} (a\vec{i} + a\vec{j}) = k \frac{q}{(2\sqrt{2})a^2} (\vec{i} + \vec{j})$$

$$\vec{E}_B(M) = k \frac{q}{a^3} (a\vec{j}) = k \frac{q}{a^2} (\vec{j})$$

$$\vec{E}_C(M) = k \frac{q}{(a\sqrt{2})^3} (-a\vec{i} + a\vec{j})$$

$$= k \frac{q}{(2\sqrt{2})a^2} (-\vec{i} + \vec{j})$$

$$\vec{E}(M) = \vec{E}_A(M) + \vec{E}_B(M) + \vec{E}_C(M)$$

$$\vec{E}(M) = k \frac{q}{a^2} \left[\frac{1}{2\sqrt{2}} (\vec{i} + \vec{j} - \vec{i} + \vec{j}) + (\vec{j}) \right]$$

$$\vec{E}(M) = k \frac{q}{a^2} \left[\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} + 1 \right] \vec{j}$$

$$\vec{E}(M) = 9 \times 10^9 \frac{10^{-6}}{(2 \times 10^{-2})^2} \left[\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} + 1 \right] \vec{j}$$

$$\vec{E}(M) = 3.84 \times 10^7 \vec{j}$$

$$E(M) = 3.84 \times 10^7 \text{ N/C}$$

EXERCISE 03

1- Determination of the electric field

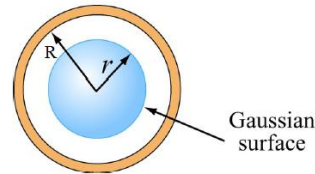
From Gauss's law:

$$\oint \vec{E} \cdot d\vec{S} = \frac{Q_{\text{enclosed}}}{\epsilon_0}$$

$$E \times S_G = \frac{Q_{\text{enclosed}}}{\epsilon_0}$$

$$S_G = 4\pi r^2$$

$$\Rightarrow E \times 4\pi r^2 = \frac{Q_{\text{enclosed}}}{\epsilon_0}$$



Case 1: $r < R$

$$\oint \vec{E} \cdot d\vec{S} = \frac{Q_{\text{enclosed}}}{\epsilon_0} = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow E \times 4\pi r^2 = \frac{q}{\epsilon_0} = 0 \Rightarrow \mathbf{E}_1 = \mathbf{0}$$

Case 2: $r > R$

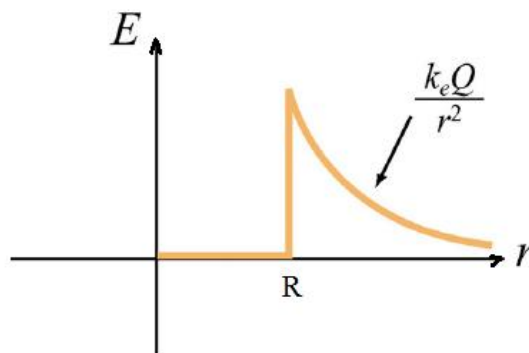
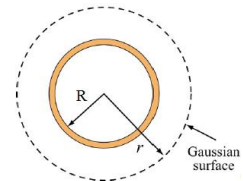
$$\oint \vec{E} \cdot d\vec{S} = \frac{Q_{\text{enclosed}}}{\epsilon_0}$$

$$\Rightarrow E_2 \times S_G = \frac{Q_{\text{enclosed}}}{\epsilon_0} \Rightarrow E_2 \times 4\pi r^2 = \frac{Q}{\epsilon_0}$$

$$\Rightarrow E_2 = \frac{Q}{4\pi\epsilon_0 r^2} = kQ \frac{1}{r^2}$$

$$Q = \sigma 4\pi R^2 \Rightarrow E_2 = \frac{\sigma 4\pi R^2}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \frac{1}{r^2}$$

$$\Rightarrow E_2 = \frac{\sigma R^2}{\epsilon_0} \frac{1}{r^2}$$



2- Determination of the potential

$$\vec{E} = -\overrightarrow{\text{grad}} V$$

Case 2: $r > R$

$$\begin{aligned} E_2 = \frac{\sigma R^2}{\epsilon_0} \frac{1}{r^2} &\Rightarrow E_2 = -\frac{\partial V_2}{\partial r} \Rightarrow dV_2 = -E_2 dr \Rightarrow dV_2 = -\frac{\sigma R^2}{\epsilon_0} \frac{1}{r^2} dr \\ &\Rightarrow V_2 = \frac{\sigma R^2}{\epsilon_0} \frac{1}{r} + C_2 \\ V_2(\infty) = 0 &\Rightarrow C_2 = 0 \Rightarrow V_2 = \frac{\sigma R^2}{\epsilon_0} \frac{1}{r} \end{aligned}$$

Case 1: $r < R$

$$\begin{aligned} dV_1 = -E_1 dr &\Rightarrow dV_1 = -0 dr = 0 \\ &\Rightarrow V_1 = C_1 \end{aligned}$$

we have: $V_2(R) = V_1(R)$

$$\Rightarrow V_2 = \frac{\sigma R^2}{\epsilon_0} \frac{1}{R} = C_1$$

$$\Rightarrow C_1 = \frac{\sigma R}{\epsilon_0} \Rightarrow V_1 = \frac{\sigma R}{\epsilon_0}$$

