

BPT-401

Date - 23/03/2021

Divergence theorem,

$$\int_V \underline{(\nabla \cdot \underline{U})} d\tau = \oint_S \underline{\underline{\underline{U \cdot d\vec{a}}}}}$$



dielectric material



✓ The electric field \vec{E}_1 due to \vec{P} is same as the field produced by surface bound charges

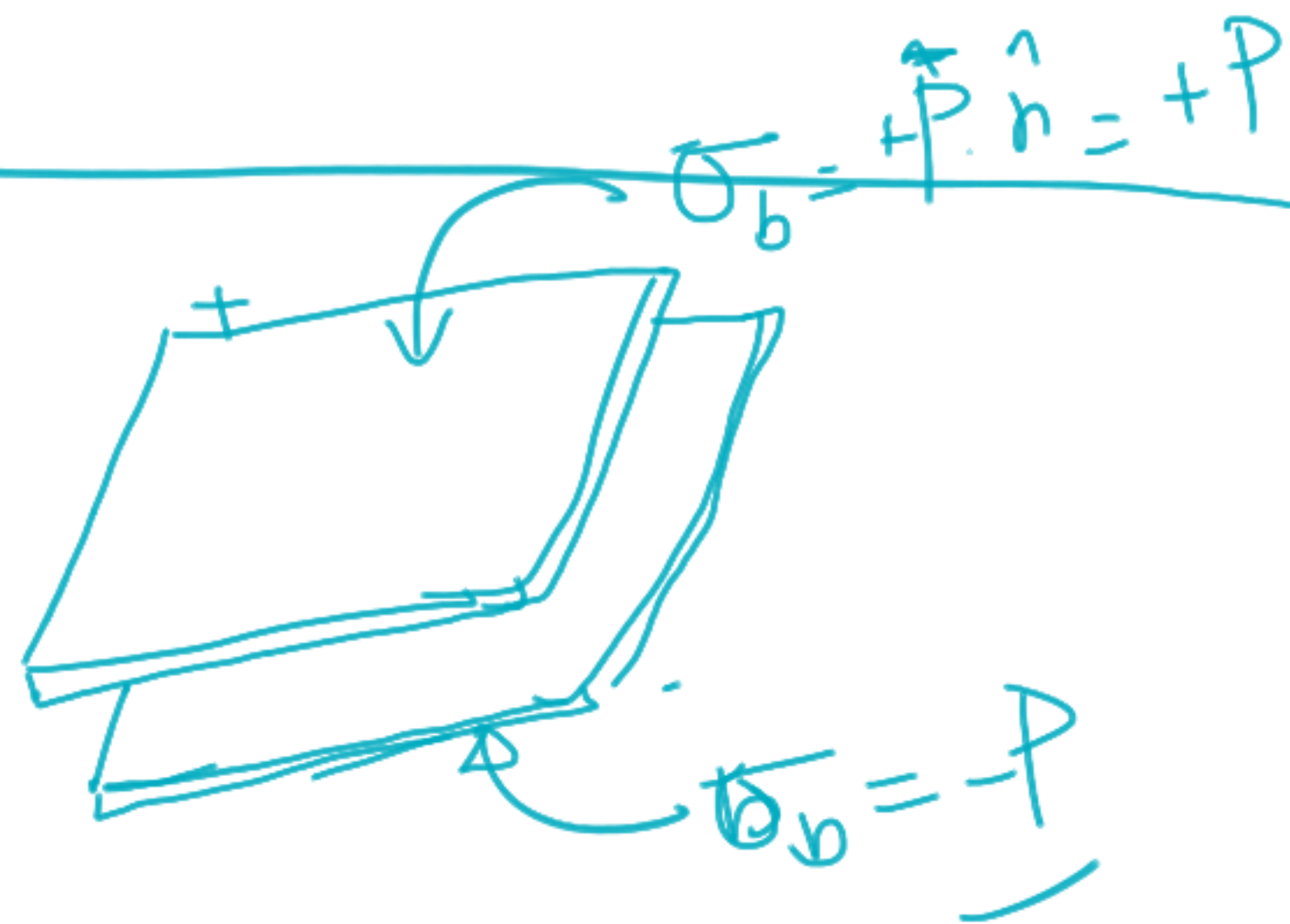
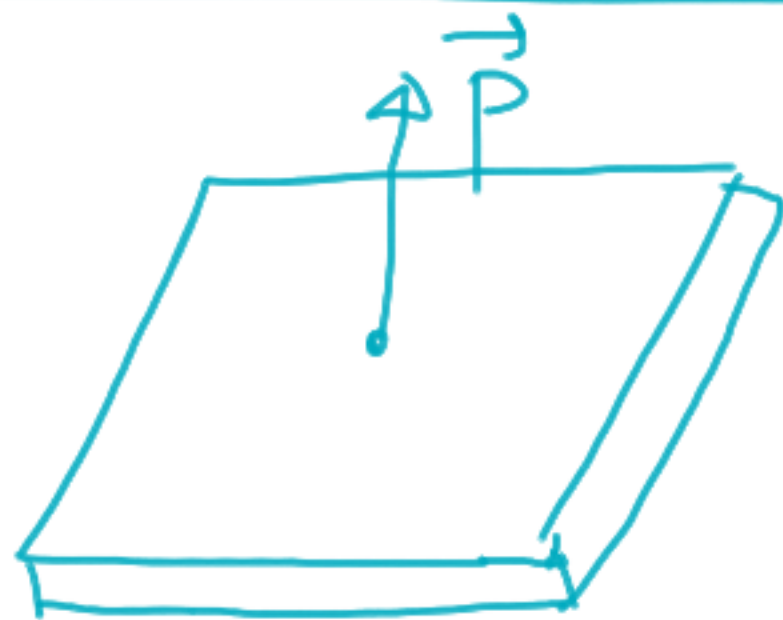
$$\sigma_b = \vec{P} \cdot \hat{n}$$

and volume bound charges $\rho_b = -\vec{\nabla} \cdot \vec{P}$

✓ check

$$\vec{E} = \vec{E}_0 + \vec{E}_1 \rightarrow \text{Field due to } \vec{P}$$

\downarrow
 total field
 \rightarrow Field by which you created \vec{P}



\vec{P} is the polarisation in the slab

upper surface, $\sigma_b = \hat{n} \cdot \vec{P} = P$, \hat{n} upwards
 lower surface, $\sigma_b = \hat{n} \cdot \vec{P} = -P$, \hat{n} downwards

Using Gauss's theorem, electric field

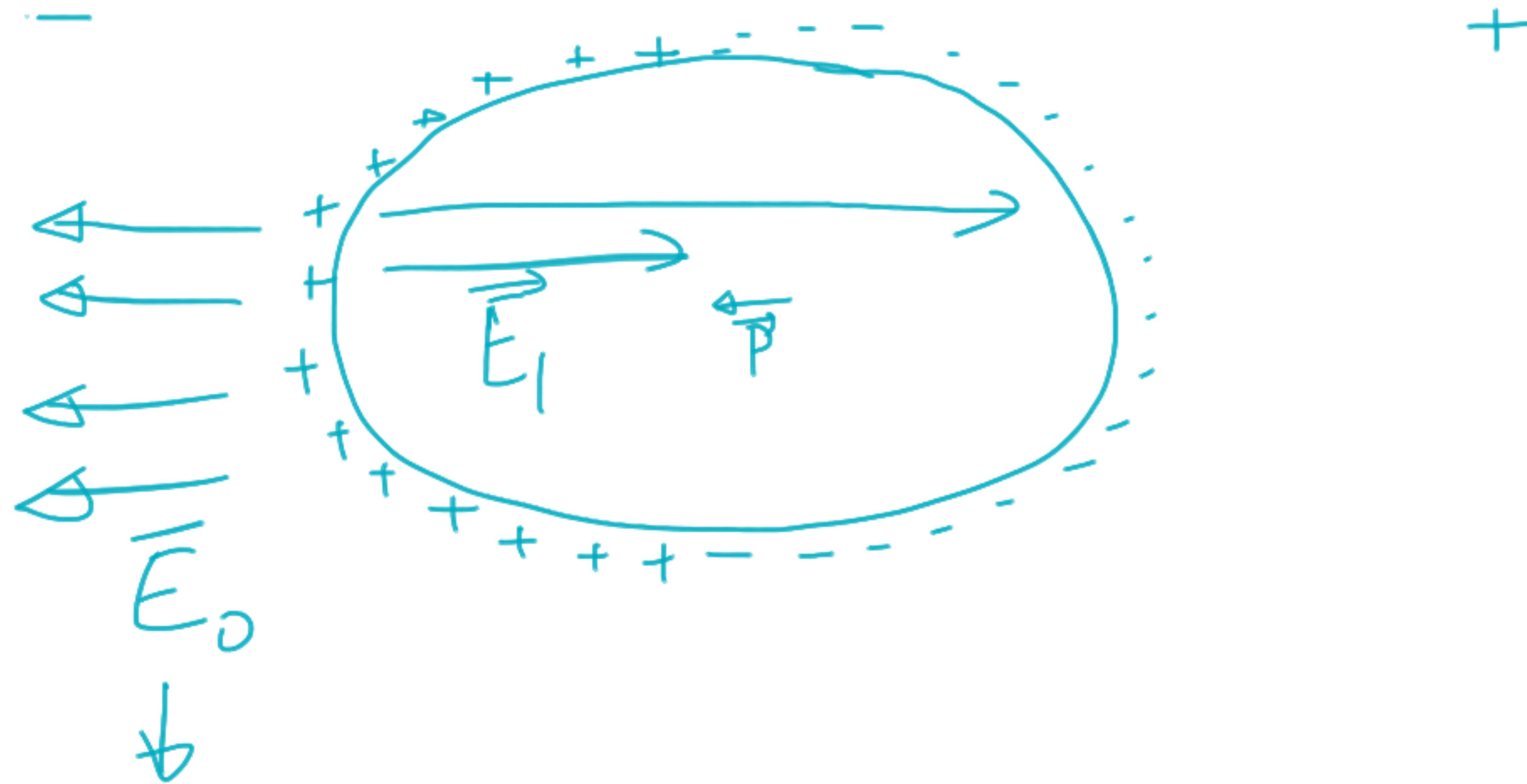
$$\bar{E}_1 = -\frac{151}{\epsilon_0} = -\frac{P}{\epsilon_0} \checkmark$$

total field,

$$\bar{E} = \bar{E}_0 + \bar{E}_1 = \bar{E}_0 - \frac{P}{\epsilon_0} \hat{z}$$

↓ ↓
Applied field

✓ Polarisation \bar{E}_0 occurs due to

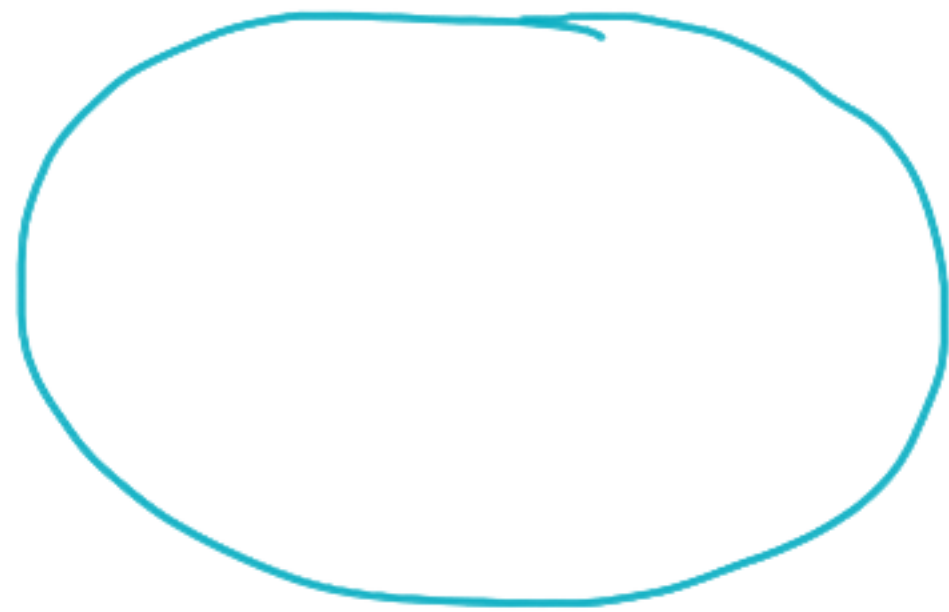


Depolarisation field E_1

Gauss's law in dielectrics :

On the surface, $\sigma_b = \vec{P} \cdot \hat{n}$,

\Rightarrow Volume bound charges $\rho_b = -\nabla \cdot \vec{P}$



Total charge density

$$\rho = \rho_b + \rho_f \leftarrow \text{free charge}$$

\downarrow
bound charge due to polarisation

Gauss's law in differential form

$$\epsilon_0 \vec{\nabla} \cdot \vec{E} = \rho = \rho_b + \rho_f$$

$$\vec{E} = \vec{E}_0 + \vec{E}_1$$

$\downarrow \quad \quad \downarrow$
 $\text{free} \quad \quad \text{bound}$

$$\Rightarrow \epsilon_0 \vec{\nabla} \cdot \vec{E} = \rho_b + \rho_f, \quad \text{we know, } \rho_b = -\vec{\nabla} \cdot \vec{P}$$

$$\Rightarrow \epsilon_0 \vec{\nabla} \cdot \vec{E} = -\vec{\nabla} \cdot \vec{P} + \rho_f$$

$$\Rightarrow \vec{\nabla} \cdot (\epsilon_0 \vec{E} + \vec{P}) = \rho_f$$

Gauss's law
in differential form

$$\vec{\nabla} \cdot \vec{D} = \rho_f$$

where, $\vec{D} = \epsilon_0 \vec{E} + \vec{P}$
 \hookrightarrow electric displacement

$$\boxed{\vec{\nabla} \cdot \vec{D} = \rho_f}$$

$$\vec{D} =$$

integral form,

$$\oint \vec{D} \cdot d\vec{a} = Q_{enc}$$

\Downarrow total
Represents free charge enclosed
in the volume

Example : A long straight wire carrying uniform line charge λ , is surrounded by rubber insulation of radius 'a'. Find \vec{D} .

$\lambda =$ charge per unit length

$$= \frac{q}{L}$$



Gauss's law, $\oint \vec{D} \cdot d\vec{a} = Q_{\text{free}}^{\text{enc}}$

$$Q_{\text{free}}^{\text{enc}} = \lambda l$$

$$D(2\pi s l) = \lambda l$$

$$\vec{D} = \frac{\lambda}{2\pi s} \hat{s}$$

↳ electric displacement

outside

$$\vec{D} = \epsilon_0 \vec{E} + \vec{P} = \frac{\lambda}{2\pi s} \hat{s}$$

$$\vec{D} = \epsilon_0 \vec{E} = \frac{\lambda}{2\pi s} \hat{s}$$

\vec{P} = value we do not know
Inside the rubber

