

# Midterm 3

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## 1 Memory Bank

1.  $v_d = i/(nqA)$  ... Charge drift velocity in a current  $i$  in a conductor with number density  $n$  and area  $A$ .
2.  $P = IV$  ... Relationship between power, current, and voltage.
3.  $\vec{F} = q\vec{v} \times \vec{B}$  ... The Lorentz force on a charge  $q$  with velocity  $\vec{v}$  in a magnetic field  $\vec{B}$ .
4.  $\vec{F} = I\vec{L} \times \vec{B}$  ... The Lorentz force on a conductor of length  $\vec{L}$  carrying a current  $I$  in a magnetic field  $\vec{B}$ .
5.  $\int \vec{B} \cdot d\vec{l} = \mu_0 I_{enc}$  ... Ampère's Law.
6.  $\epsilon = -Nd\phi/dt$  ... Faraday's Law.
7.  $\phi = \vec{B} \cdot \vec{A}$  ... Definition of magnetic flux.
8. Faraday's Law using **Inductance**,  $M$ :  $emf = -M \frac{dI}{dt}$ .
9. Typically, we refer to *mutual inductance* between two objects as  $M$ , and *self inductance* as  $L$ . Self-inductance:  $\Delta V = -L(dI/dt)$ .
10. Units of inductance:  $V \text{ s } A^{-1}$ , which is called a Henry, or H.
11.  $B = \mu_0 nI$  ... The B-field of a solenoid,  $n = N/L$  is the turn density, and  $I$  is the current.

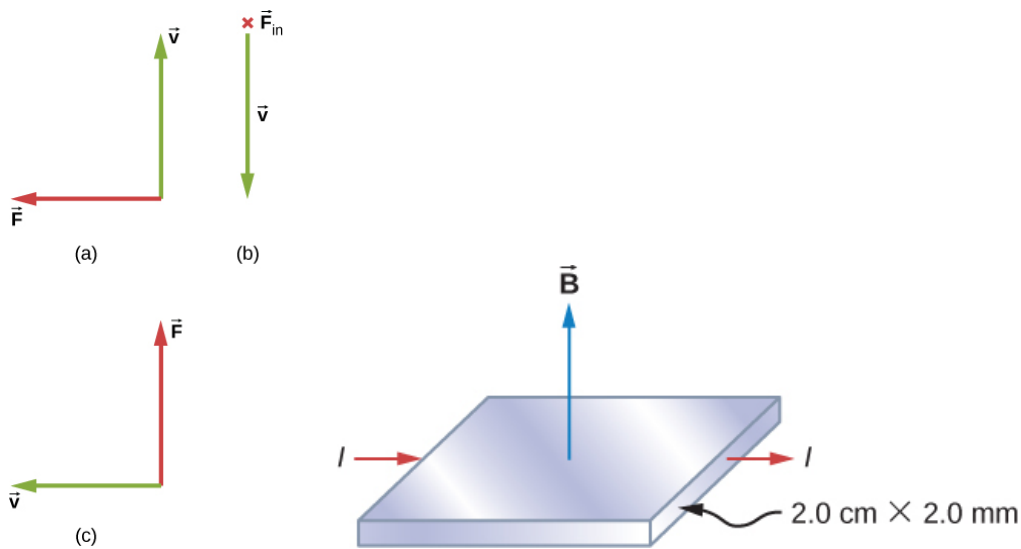


Figure 1: (Left) A current  $I$  experiences a force  $F$  in a B-field.

## 2 Chapter 11: Magnetic Forces and Fields

- Consider Fig. 1 (left). In each of the three cases, determine the direction of the B-field given that  $F$  is the Lorentz force.
  - a: into the page
  - b: to the left
  - c: out of the page
- Consider Fig. 1 (right). **The Hall Effect.** An E-field exists in the vertical direction and a B-field is perpendicular to the direction of charge velocity. (a) Show that if the E-field force on a charge balances the Lorentz force on a charge, that  $v = E/B$ . (b) If the E-field is constant,  $E = \Delta V / \Delta x$ . Show that

$$\Delta V = \frac{B \Delta x I}{n q_e A} \quad (1)$$

where  $n$  is the charge carrier density,  $q_e$  is the electron charge,  $A$  is the cross-sectional area of the conductor, and  $I$  is the current. Plug in  $B = 1.33$  T,  $\Delta x = 2$  cm,  $I = 10$  A,  $n = 2 \times 10^{28} \text{ m}^{-3}$ ,  $A = 1 \text{ mm}^2$ , and  $q_e$  is the charge of an electron.

83 microvolts

- A proton has a magnetic field due to its spin. The field is similar to that created by a circular current loop  $0.65 \times 10^{-15}$  m in radius with a current of  $1.05 \times 10^4$  A. Find the maximum torque on a proton in a 2.50-T field. (This is a significant torque on a small particle.)

$3.5 \times 10^{-26}$  N m

## 3 Chapter 12: Sources of Magnetic Fields

- (a) What is the B-field inside a solenoid with 500 turns per meter, carrying a current of 0.3 A? (b) Suppose we insert a piece of metal inside the solenoid, boosting  $\mu_0$  by a factor of 5000. What is the new B-field?

0.19 mT, 0.950 T

- Consider Fig. 2. **Mass spectrometer.** Suppose that the velocity of the charged particles moving to the right is  $v = E/B$ . (a) Show that if  $v = E/B$ ,  $F_{\text{net}} = 0$  in the region in the top left<sup>1</sup>. (b) Recall that the centripetal force on a particle of mass  $m$  is  $mv^2/r$ . Set this equal to the magnitude of the Lorentz force to prove that

$$r = \frac{mE}{qB^2} \quad (2)$$

<sup>1</sup>Molecules that do not have this velocity will hit the sides of this portion of the instrument.

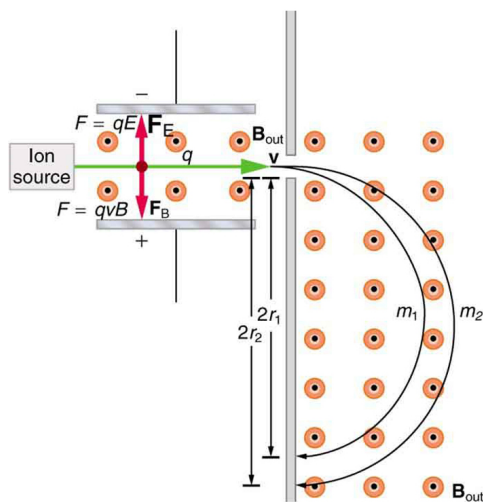


Figure 2: A basic diagram of a *toroid*, which is a solenoid wrapped into a circular tube.

The mass of an oxygen nucleus is 16 times that of a proton (mass of proton:  $1.67 \times 10^{-27}$  kg). Suppose oxygen ions with the charge of 1 proton are sent through the mass-septometer. The E-field is 10 V/m, and the B-field is 0.01 T. What is the distance  $r$ ?

1.67 cm

## 4 Chapter 13: Electromagnetic Induction

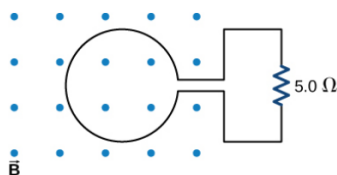


Figure 3: A voltage is induced on a loop by a changing B-field.

1. The magnetic field in Fig. 3 flows out of the page through a single ( $N = 1$ ) loop, and changes in magnitude according to

$$\frac{\Delta B}{\Delta t} = \frac{B_0}{T_0} (\sin(2\pi ft)) \quad (3)$$

The loop has a radius  $r$ . (a) In terms of the given variables, what is the induced voltage in the circuit? (b) If  $B_0 = 0.1$  T,  $r = 0.1$  m,  $f = 10^3$  Hz, and  $T = 1$  ms, what is the induced emf at  $t = 0$ ? (c) What about  $t_1 = 0.16$  ms? (d) What is the current through the resistor at  $t_1$ ?

$$\epsilon = -A \frac{\Delta B}{\Delta t} = \pi r^2 \frac{B_0}{T_0} \sin(2\pi ft)$$

Induced voltage is 0 Volts at  $t = 0$ . Induced voltage at 0.16 ms: also 0 because it's 320 times pi inside the sine function, so 0 amps at that time.

## 5 Chapter 14: Inductance

1. What is (a) the rate at which the current through a 0.50-H coil is changing if an emf of 0.150 V is induced across the coil?

0.3 A/s

2. When a camera uses a flash, a fully charged capacitor discharges through an inductor. In what time must the 0.100-A current through a 2.00-mH inductor be switched on or off to induce a 500-V emf?

0.4 microseconds