

CALCULUS-BASED PHYSICS-2: ELECTRICITY, MAGNETISM, AND THERMODYNAMICS (PHYS180-02): UNIT 5

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UNIT 4 REVIEW

Suppose a bundle of wires is carrying current along what we call the \hat{z} direction. Each wire runs along the z-axis and they are close enough to ignore the fact that the volume of each wire prevents it from being exactly on the z-axis. One wire carries +2.0 A, another carries +1.5 A, and a third carries -0.5 A. What is the B-field strength at a distance of 1 cm away in the x-y plane?

- A: 6 Gauss
- B: 0.6 Gauss
- C: 6 Tesla
- D: 0.6 Tesla

Suppose a loop of current exists in the x-y plane, and a uniform B-field is in the \hat{z} direction. Which of the following will occur?

- A: The loop will not rotate - there is no torque.
- B: The loop will rotate 180 degrees - there is torque.
- C: The loop will rotate 90 degrees - there is torque.
- D: The loop will rotate -90 degrees - there is negative torque.

SUMMARY

Reading: Chapters 13 and 14

This weekend:

1. 13.1-2: Faraday's and Lenz's Law
2. 13.3: Motional EMF
3. 13.4: Induced E-fields

Next week: Chapter 14.1-3

FARADAY'S LAW AND LENZ'S LAW

FARADAY'S LAW

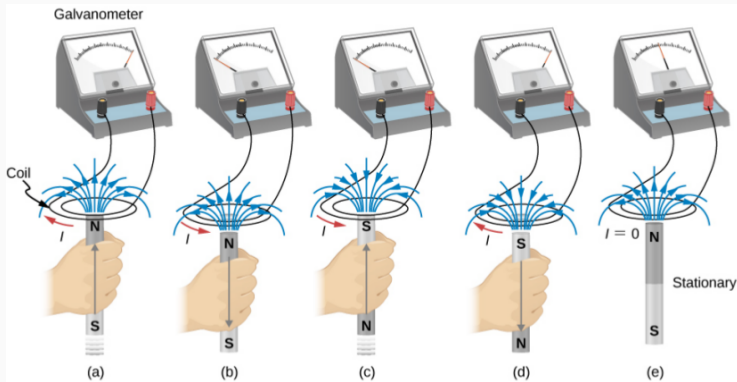


Figure 1: Not only does moving charge create B-fields, but B-fields can create moving charge. Study each of the cases above, and (Professor) define the concept of *magnetic flux*.

FARADAY'S LAW

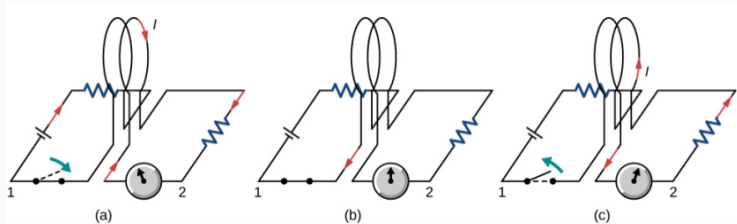


Figure 2: In addition to a moving magnetic field, *other circuits* can make current flow in a circuit. The effect must have something to do with *changing* magnetic fields.

Faraday's Law

The emf ϵ induced is the negative change in the magnetic flux Φ_m per unit time. Any change in the magnetic field or change in orientation of the area of the coil with respect to the magnetic field induces a voltage (emf).

$$\phi_m = \int_S \vec{B} \cdot d\vec{A} \quad (1)$$

$$\epsilon = -\frac{d\phi_m}{dt} \quad (2)$$

The unit of magnetic flux is the Webter, or $1 \text{ Wb} = 1 \text{ T m}^2$.

FARADAY'S LAW

Example: A square coil has sides 0.25 m long and is tightly wound with 200 turns of wire. The resistance of the coil 5.0 Ohms. The coil is placed in a spatially uniform magnetic field that is directed perpendicular to the face of the coil and whose magnitude is decreasing by -0.040 T/s . (a) What is the magnitude of the emf induced in the coil? (b) What is the magnitude of the current circulating through the coil?

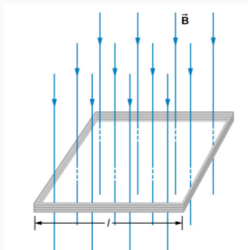


Figure 3: A 200 turn loop in a B-field.

Lenz's Law

The direction of the induced emf drives current around a wire loop to always oppose the change in magnetic flux that causes the emf.

Example: A magnetic field B is directed outward perpendicular to the plane of a circular coil of radius $r = 0.50$ m. The field is cylindrically symmetrical with respect to the center of the coil, and its magnitude decays exponentially according to

$$B(t) = B_0 \exp(-at) \quad (3)$$

with $B_0 = 1.5$ T and $a = 5.0 \text{ s}^{-1}$. (a) Calculate the emf induced in the coil at the times $t_0 = 0$, $t_1 = 0.05$, and $t_2 = 1.0$ seconds. (b) Determine the current in the coil if the resistance is 10 Ohms.

CONCLUSION

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ANSWERS - CHAPTER 13 AND UNIT 4 REVIEW

- B

- A

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ANSWERS - CHAPTER 14

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