

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

2 Chapter 11: Magnetic Forces and Fields

1. 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

2. 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.

a. $F = qE$
 $F = qvB$
 $B = \frac{F}{qv}$
 $\boxed{v = \frac{F}{qB}}$

b. $\Delta V = E(\Delta x)$
 $\Delta V = vB(\Delta x)$
 $\Delta V = B(\Delta x) \frac{I}{nq_e A}$

$\Delta V = \frac{B(\Delta x)I}{nq_e A} = \frac{(1.33)(0.02)(10)}{(2 \times 10^{28})(1.6 \times 10^{-19})(0.001)^2} = 8.3 \times 10^{-5} \text{ V}$

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

$T_{\max} = (1.05 \times 10^4)(\pi)(0.65 \times 10^{-15})^2(2.5)$
 $= 3.5 \times 10^{-26} \text{ Nm}$

$A = \pi r^2$
 $T_{\max} = N I A B, N=1$
 $T_{\max} = I A B$
 $T_{\max} = I \pi (r^2) B$

3 Chapter 12: Sources of Magnetic Fields

1. (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 μ_0 by a factor of 5000. What is the new B -field?

a. $B = \mu_0 n I$
 $= (4\pi \times 10^{-7})(0.3)(500)$
 $= 1.8 \times 10^{-4} \text{ T}$

b. $B = \mu_0 n I \cdot 5000$
 $= (1.8 \times 10^{-4})(5000)$
 $= 0.942$
 $= 9.4 \times 10^{-1} \text{ T}$