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Hw chapter 2 prob 5, 6, 9, 12, 16, 18, 29  
1) find electric field a distance  $z$  above center of circular loop of radius  $r$  that carries uniform line charge  $\lambda$

$$R = \sqrt{r^2 + z^2} \quad dE = \frac{1}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \frac{dq}{R^2} \cos\theta = \frac{1}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \frac{dq}{(r^2+z^2)^{3/2}} \cos\theta$$


$$R = \sqrt{r^2 + z^2} \quad R = r^2 + z^2 \\ \cos\theta = \frac{z}{R} = \frac{z}{\sqrt{r^2 + z^2}}$$

$$dq = \lambda dx$$

$$dE = \frac{1}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \frac{dq}{(r^2+z^2)^{3/2}}$$

$$E \int dE = \int_0^{2\pi r} \frac{kz}{4\pi\epsilon_0 (r^2+z^2)^{3/2}} dz$$

$$= \frac{k}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \frac{2}{(r^2+z^2)^{3/2}} (2\pi r) = \boxed{\frac{kzr}{2\pi\epsilon_0 (r^2+z^2)^{3/2}}}$$

2) find electric field distance  $z$  above center of flat circular disk of radius  $R$  that carries  $\sigma$ . What does your formula give in limit  $R \rightarrow \infty$ ? also check close  $z \approx R$   $dE = \sigma dx$   $dE = \sigma dx$

$$\text{we know that } dE = \frac{1}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \frac{dq}{(z^2+r^2)^{3/2}} \cos\theta = \frac{1}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \frac{dq z}{(z^2+r^2)^{3/2}}$$


$$E = \int_0^R \frac{1}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \frac{dq}{(z^2+r^2)^{3/2}} = \sigma (2\pi r) \int_0^R \frac{r dr}{(z^2+r^2)^{3/2}} = 2\pi \sigma k z R \int_0^R \frac{r dr}{(z^2+r^2)^{3/2}}$$

$$E = \frac{2\pi \sigma z R^2}{2\pi \epsilon_0} \int_0^R \frac{r dr}{(z^2+r^2)^{3/2}} \quad \text{use symbols}$$

$$= \frac{2\pi}{2\epsilon_0} \left( \int_0^R \frac{r dr}{(r^2 + R^2)^{3/2}} \right) = \frac{2\pi}{2\epsilon_0} \left( \frac{1}{2} \left( \frac{1}{r^2 + R^2} \right)^{1/2} \right)_0^R$$

$$= \frac{2\pi}{2\epsilon_0} \left( \frac{1}{2} \left( \frac{1}{R^2 + R^2} \right)^{1/2} + \frac{1}{2} \right) = \boxed{\frac{2\pi}{2\epsilon_0} \left( \frac{-1}{(2R)^{1/2}} + 1 \right)}$$

Now for  $R \rightarrow \infty$   $E = \frac{1}{2\epsilon_0} (0 + 1) = \boxed{\frac{1}{2\epsilon_0}}$

For  $277R$ ,  
 $E \approx \frac{1}{2\epsilon_0} \left( \frac{-1}{277^2} + 1 \right) = \boxed{0}$

- Q) Suppose electric field in some region is found to be  $E = k/r^2$  in spherical coords ( $k$  is constant)
- a) find charge density  $\rho$

$$\rho = \epsilon_0 (k \cdot E)$$

Since we're in spherical coords  
 $\nabla \cdot E = \frac{1}{r^2} \left( \frac{d}{dr} (r^2 E_r) \right) = \frac{1}{r^2} \left( \frac{d}{dr} (r^2 (kr^3)) - \right)$

$$= \frac{1}{2} (5r^2 k) = 5r^2 k \quad \text{so} \quad P = \epsilon_0 (5r^2 k)$$

b) find total charge contained in sphere of radius R, centered at origin, (2 different ways)  
 1st way is using gauss law

$$\oint E \cdot d\alpha = \frac{\rho_{\text{enc}}}{\epsilon_0}$$

$$\rho_{\text{enc}} = \epsilon_0 \cdot \oint E \cdot d\alpha = \epsilon_0 \cdot (5kR^3) \cdot (4\pi R^2) R$$

$$= \epsilon_0 \cdot 5 \cdot 4\pi R^5 k = \boxed{\epsilon_0 (4\pi R^5 k)}$$

2nd way

$$d\alpha = \rho dV \\ = (5r^2 k \epsilon_0) dV = (5r^2 k \epsilon_0) (4\pi r^2 dr)$$

$$dV = 4\pi r^2 dr$$

$$q = \int d\alpha = \int_0^R (5k \epsilon_0 r^2) 4\pi r^2 dr$$

$$= 20k \epsilon_0 \pi \int_0^R r^4 dr = 20k \epsilon_0 \pi \left( \frac{r^5}{5} \right)_0^R =$$

$$= \boxed{4\pi R k \epsilon_0 R^5}$$

R) Use Gauss Law to find electric field inside a uniformly charged solid sphere (charge density  $\rho$ ).

$$\text{Gauss law} \oint \vec{E} \cdot d\vec{a} = \frac{Q_{\text{enc}}}{\epsilon_0}$$

$$\vec{E} \cdot \frac{C_o}{(4\pi r^2)} = \frac{Q_{\text{enc}}}{\epsilon_0}$$

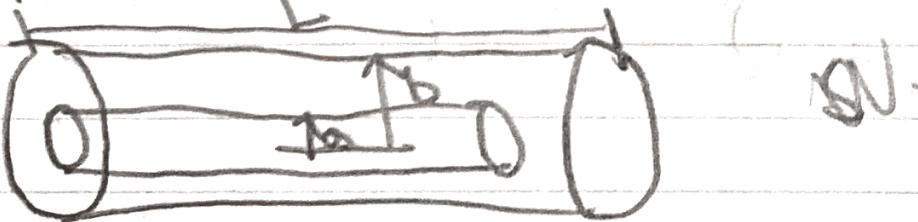
$$\vec{E}(4\pi r^2) = \frac{Q_{\text{enc}}}{\epsilon_0} \hat{r} \quad \vec{E} = \frac{1}{4\pi \epsilon_0} \frac{Q_{\text{enc}}}{r^2} \hat{r}$$

$$Q_{\text{enc}} = \int_V \rho dV = \rho \frac{4}{3}\pi r^3$$

$$\vec{E} = \frac{1}{4\pi \epsilon_0} \rho \left(\frac{4}{3}\pi r^3\right) \hat{r}$$

$$= \boxed{\frac{\rho r}{3\epsilon_0} \hat{r}}$$

(b) long coaxial cable (fig 2.2b) comes in from volume charge density  $\rho$  on inner cylinder (radius  $a$ ) and uniform surface charge density on outer cylindrical shell (radius  $b$ ). This surface charge is  $-$  and is of just the right magnitude that the cable as a whole is electrically neutral. Find electric field in each of the three regions.



i) Inside the inner cylinder (radius  $a$ )

$$\text{Gauss law } \int E \cdot da = Q_{\text{enc}}$$

$$Q_{\text{enc}} = \int p dV \quad dV = s ds d\theta dz$$

$$= \int_0^r \int_0^{2\pi} \int_0^L p (s ds d\theta dz) = p L \int_0^r s ds = p L \frac{s^2}{2}$$

$$E \cdot da = E(2\pi s L) = Q_{\text{enc}}$$

$$|E| (2\pi s L) = \frac{2\pi p s^2 L}{\epsilon_0}$$

$$|E| = \boxed{\frac{PS}{2\varepsilon_0} S}$$

ii) between the cylinders ( $a < s < b$ )

$$\rho_{enc} = \int_0^L \int_0^{2\pi} \int_a^b ps ds d\theta dz = p \frac{\pi L a^2}{2}$$

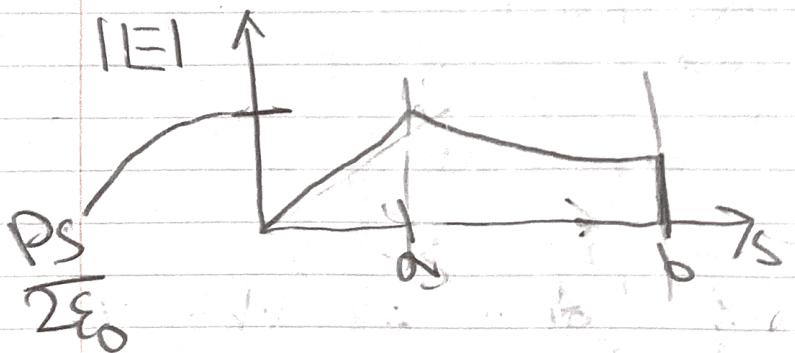
$$|E(2\pi sL)| = \frac{p s L^2}{\varepsilon_0}$$

$$|E| = \frac{p s L^2 S}{2\pi L \varepsilon_0} = \boxed{\frac{ps^2}{2\varepsilon_0} S}$$

iii) outside the cable ( $s > b$ )

$$\rho_{enc} = 0 \\ \text{so } \rho E_{ext} = 0 \Rightarrow 0$$

thus  $E(s) = 0$

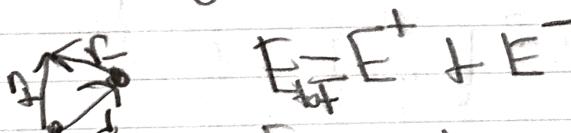


- B) Two spheres each of radius  $R$  and carrying  $+p$  and  $-p$ , respectively, placed so they partially overlap. Distances from positive center to neg. center is  $d$ . Show that the field in region is constant, and find its value.



From prob 2.12 we know  
 $E = \frac{pr^+}{3\epsilon_0}$  for a uniformly charged solid sphere  
 this will be for + sphere

$$E = \frac{pr^-}{3\epsilon_0} \text{ for the negative sphere}$$



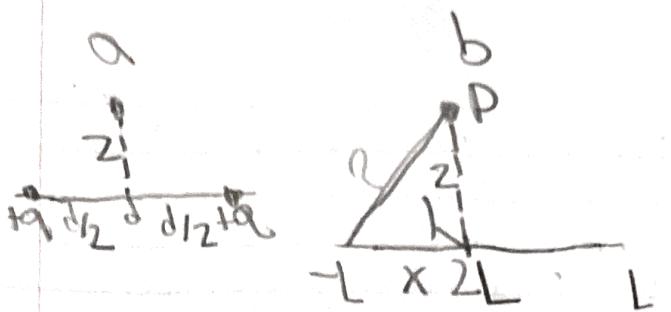
$$E = E^+ + E^-$$

$$E = \frac{pr^+}{3\epsilon_0} + \frac{pr^-}{3\epsilon_0} = \frac{p(r^+ + r^-)}{3\epsilon_0}$$

We know that  $r^+ + r^- = d$

$$\text{So } E = \boxed{\frac{pd}{3\epsilon_0}}$$

- C) Use eqn 2.27 / 2.3 find potential at distance  $z$  above center of charge. Each case, compute  $E = -\nabla V$ , compare answer to Expt 2, prob 6. Suppose we change right hand charged in Fig 2.39 a to  $-q$ , what is potential at  $P$ ? What field does that suggest?



$$V(r) = \frac{1}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \sum_{i=1}^n \frac{q_i}{r_i}$$

$$V = \frac{1}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \int \frac{1}{r} dr$$

$$V = \frac{1}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \int \frac{\sigma(r)}{2} dr$$

for fig a

$$\text{Diagram of a right-angled triangle in the } xy\text{-plane. The vertical leg is } d_1, \text{ the horizontal leg is } d_2, \text{ and the hypotenuse is } \sqrt{d_1^2 + d_2^2}. \text{ A point charge } q \text{ is at the top vertex. A point } P \text{ is at } (x, z) \text{ in the triangle.}$$

$$V = \frac{1}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \left( \frac{q}{\sqrt{d_1^2 + z^2}} + \frac{q}{\sqrt{d_2^2 + z^2}} \right) = \frac{1}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \left( \frac{2q}{\sqrt{d_1^2 + z^2}} \right)$$

$$E = -\nabla V = -\left( \frac{\partial V}{\partial x} \hat{i} + \frac{\partial V}{\partial y} \hat{j} + \frac{\partial V}{\partial z} \hat{k} \right) = -\frac{2q}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \frac{z}{\sqrt{d_1^2 + z^2}} \left( \frac{1}{\sqrt{d_1^2 + z^2}} \right) \hat{k}$$

$$= -\frac{2q}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \left( -\frac{1}{2} \cdot \frac{1}{4} \frac{z^2}{(d_1^2 + z^2)^2} \right) = \boxed{\frac{2qz}{4\pi\epsilon_0(d_1^2 + z^2)^2}} \hat{k}$$

For fig b

$$V = \frac{1}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \int_{-L}^L \frac{1}{\sqrt{x^2 + z^2}} dx = \frac{1}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \int_{-L}^L \frac{dx}{\sqrt{x^2 + z^2}}$$

use SymPy to solve

$$= \frac{1}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \ln \left( \frac{L + \sqrt{L^2 + z^2}}{-L + \sqrt{L^2 + z^2}} \right)$$

$$E = -\nabla V = -\frac{1}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \frac{1}{z^2} \left( \ln \left( \frac{L + \sqrt{L^2 + z^2}}{-L + \sqrt{L^2 + z^2}} \right) \right)$$

use wolfram

$$= -\frac{1}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \left( \frac{-2}{z^2 + L^2 - L(L^2 + z^2)} \right)^{1/2} \hat{k}$$

(5 cont) For fig C

$$V = \frac{1}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \int \frac{R^2 \sigma r dr}{\sqrt{z^2 + r^2}} = \frac{2\pi R}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \int_0^R \frac{r dr}{\sqrt{z^2 + r^2}} \quad \sigma = \frac{2^2 \pi R^2}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \quad dv = 2\sigma$$

$$= \frac{\pi \sigma}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \int_0^R \frac{r dr}{\sqrt{z^2 + r^2}} = \frac{\sigma}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \pi z^2 R^2 = \frac{\sigma}{2\epsilon_0} \int_0^R \sqrt{z^2 + r^2} R dr$$

$$\frac{\sigma}{2\epsilon_0} \left( \sqrt{z^2 + R^2} - z \right)^{1/2} \quad E = -\nabla V = -\frac{\sigma}{2\epsilon_0} \frac{d(\sqrt{z^2 + R^2} - z)^{1/2}}{dz}$$

$$= \boxed{-\frac{\sigma}{2\epsilon_0} \left( \frac{1}{2} \frac{(-z + \sqrt{z^2 + R^2})^{1/2}}{\sqrt{z^2 + R^2}} \right)^{1/2}}$$

If one of the charges is changed to  $-q$  then the electric potential at pt P is 0 and thus the electric field will be 0

29) Check that Eq 2.29 satisfies Poisson eqn; by applying Laplacian and using Eq 1.102

$$V(r) = \frac{1}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \int \frac{\rho(r')}{r'} dV \quad 2.29$$

$$\nabla^2 \frac{1}{r} = -\frac{q}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \quad 1.102$$

$$\text{so } \nabla^2 V = -\frac{q}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \quad \text{poisson eqn}$$

$$\vec{r} = \vec{r} - \vec{r}' \quad \nabla^2 V = -4\pi \delta(\vec{r} - \vec{r}')$$

apply Laplacian to 2.29

$$\nabla^2 V(\vec{r}) = \frac{1}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \int \rho(\vec{r}') dV$$

$$= \frac{1}{4\pi\epsilon_0} ((-4\pi \delta^3(\vec{r} - \vec{r}')) \rho(\vec{r}')) dV = -\frac{1}{\epsilon_0} \rho(\vec{r}') \delta^3(\vec{r} - \vec{r}')) dV$$

for dirac delta func in 3 dim

$$\text{In space } \rho(\vec{r}') \delta^3(\vec{r} - \vec{r}') = \rho(\vec{r})$$

$$\text{so } \nabla^2 V(\vec{r}) = -\frac{\rho(\vec{r})}{\epsilon_0}$$