



Ch-01

Electric Charges & Fields

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ELECTRIC CHARGES AND FIELDS CH-1

Charge :- intrinsic property of a matter due to which it experience electric and magnetic effects. [symbol - Q , unit - coulomb 'C', dimension - $[AT]$]

Properties of charges :- (i) Quantisation - $Q = \pm n e$

(ii) conservation of charge - $Q_1, Q_2, Q_3 \Rightarrow Q_4, Q_5, Q_6$ then $Q_1 + Q_2 + Q_3 = Q_4 + Q_5 + Q_6$

Coulomb's Law :-

$$F = \frac{1}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \frac{q_1 q_2}{r^2}$$

where $K = 9 \times 10^9 \text{ Nm}^2/\text{C}^2$

$$F = \frac{K q_1 q_2}{r^2}$$

$$F \rightarrow \text{Max } \frac{dF}{dQ} = 0$$

$$\vec{F}_{21} = K q_1 q_2 \frac{(\vec{r}_2 - \vec{r}_1)}{|\vec{r}_2 - \vec{r}_1|^3}$$

$$\vec{F}_{12} = K q_1 q_2 \frac{(\vec{r}_1 - \vec{r}_2)}{|\vec{r}_1 - \vec{r}_2|^3}$$

q_1, q_2 with sign

Principle of superposition :-

$$F_{\text{net on } q_n} = \vec{F}_{n1} + \vec{F}_{n2} + \vec{F}_{n3} + \dots + \vec{F}_{n(n-1)}$$

Third charge in equilibrium type -

* If q_1 and $q_2 \rightarrow$ opposite sign. 3rd charge will be kept outside & near to smaller charge & $x = \left(\frac{\sqrt{q_1}}{\sqrt{q_2} - \sqrt{q_1}} \right) L$, where $q_1 \rightarrow$ smaller

* If q_1 and q_2 are of same sign third charge will be kept b/w the charges and near to smaller charge & then $x = \left(\frac{\sqrt{q_1}}{\sqrt{q_1} + \sqrt{q_2}} \right) L$ where $q_1 \rightarrow$ smaller charge and x is distance from q_1 .

Relative permittivity :- $\epsilon_r = \frac{\epsilon_m}{\epsilon_0}$ $F_m = \frac{F_0}{\epsilon_r}$, $\epsilon_0 = 8.85 \times 10^{-12} \text{ C}^2/\text{Nm}^2$

Equivalent distance in vacuum :-

$$dV = \int \epsilon_r d\vec{r}$$

Electric field :-

$$E_P = \frac{KQ}{r^2}$$

$$\vec{E}_P = \frac{KQ \cdot \vec{r}}{r^3}$$



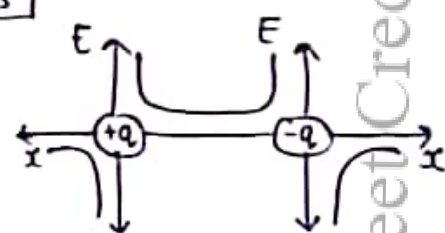
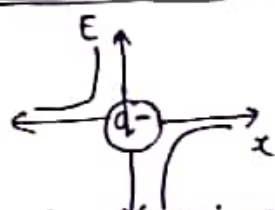
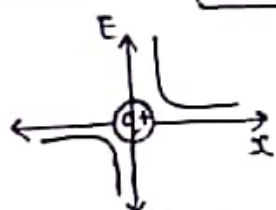
[valid for point charges only]

For system of charges :-

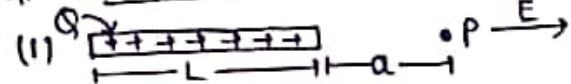
$$\vec{E}_{\text{net}} = \vec{E}_1 + \vec{E}_2 + \vec{E}_3$$

Graph E vs x :-

$$E \xrightarrow{(+ve)} \quad E \xleftarrow{(-ve)}$$



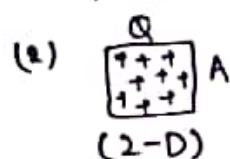
Electric field due to charge distribution :-



$$E = \frac{KQ}{a(a+L)}$$

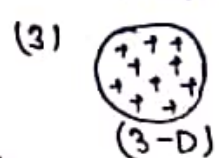
$$\lambda = Q/L$$

λ - linear charge density.



$$\sigma = \frac{Q}{A}$$

$\sigma \rightarrow$ surface charge density



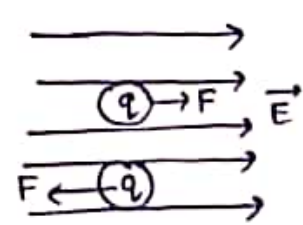
$$\rho = \frac{Q}{V}$$

$\rho \rightarrow$ volume charge density

Force on charge placed in an \vec{E} field :-

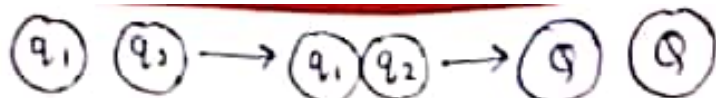
$$\vec{F} = q\vec{E}$$

with sign

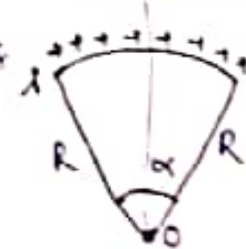
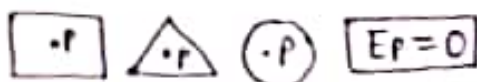


...spheres are touched:-

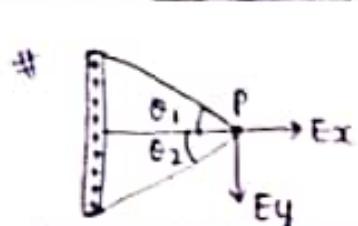
$$Q = \frac{q_1 + q_2}{2}$$



Electric field due to closed system:-



$$E_0 = \frac{2K\lambda \sin \frac{\alpha}{2}}{R}$$



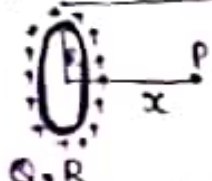
$$E_x = \frac{K\lambda}{d} (\sin \theta_2 + \sin \theta_1)$$

$$E_y = \frac{K\lambda}{d} (\cos \theta_1 - \cos \theta_2)$$

$$E_p = \frac{\lambda}{2\pi \epsilon_0 d}$$

$$E_p = \frac{\sqrt{2} K \lambda}{d}$$

E field due to uniformly charge ring:-



$$E_p = \frac{KQx}{(R^2 + x^2)^{3/2}}$$

$$E_p = \frac{KQ}{x^2}$$

for $x \gg R$

$$E=0$$

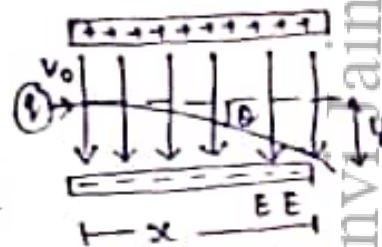
at $x=0$
for center

$$E_{\max} = \frac{2KQ}{3\sqrt{3}R^2}$$

Ring
at $x = \pm \frac{R}{\sqrt{2}}$

Motion in 2D:-

consider \Rightarrow x direction motion | y-direction motion
and solve



Electric field lines:- (1) originate from (+) charge and terminate on (-)ve charge.

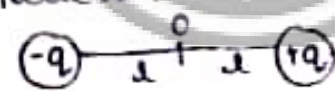
(2) doesn't form closed loops. (3) don't terminate in free space.

(4) Relative no of & Magnitude of field lines

(5) relative closeness of field lines < Magnitude of field

(6) $E=0$ inside a conductor

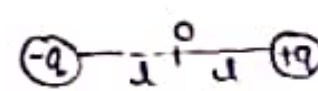
Dipole moment:-



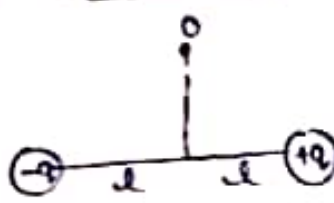
$$\vec{p} = q \times 2a$$

direction of \vec{p} is (+)ve to (+)ve

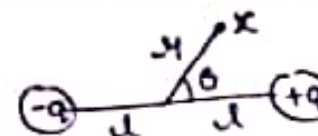
Electric field due to dipole:-



$$E_{\text{net}} = \frac{2kq}{r^3}$$



$$E_{\text{on}} \text{ or } E_{\perp} = -\frac{K\vec{p}}{r^3}$$



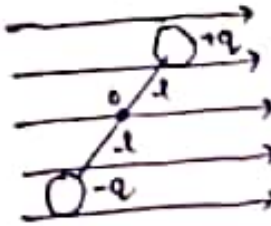
$$E_x = \frac{Kp}{r^3} \sqrt{3\cos^2\theta + 1}$$

general point

Torque on dipole placed in an E field:-

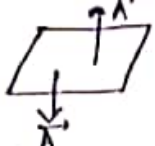

$$\vec{\tau} = \vec{p} \times \vec{E} = pE \sin \theta$$

[Electric field tries to align dipole along its own direction.]

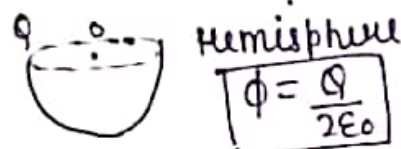
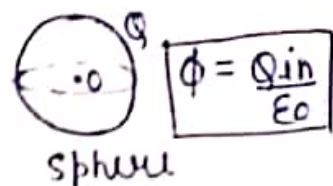
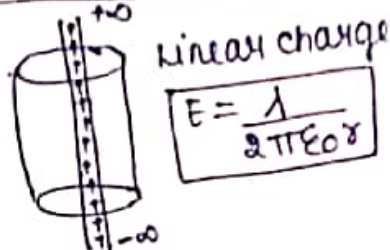
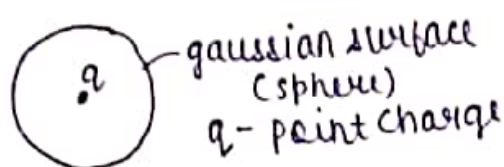


Time period of SHM of dipole in an E field:-

$$T = 2\pi \sqrt{\frac{mI}{2qE}}$$

- # Area Vector:-   Area vector is \perp to plane. Both direction for open surfaces (2D) and normally outward for closed surfaces (3D).
- # Electric flux (ϕ):- For uniform \vec{E} field - $\phi = \vec{E} \cdot \vec{A}$ For non-uniform \vec{E} field - $\phi = \int d\phi = \int \vec{E} \cdot d\vec{A}$

- # Gauss's law:- $\phi_{\text{net closed surface}} = \frac{Q_{\text{in}}}{\epsilon_0}$ (with sign)



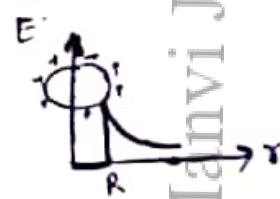
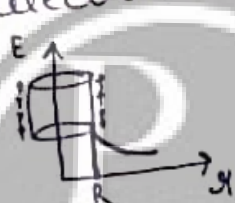
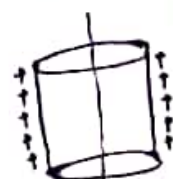
- # \vec{E} field due to long cylindrical wire:-

inside - $E = 0$ for conducting solid, hollow and dielectric hollow cylinder

outside - $E = \frac{\sigma R}{r\epsilon_0}$ for conducting solid, hollow and dielectric hollow cylinder

$E = \frac{\rho r}{2\epsilon_0}$ for dielectric solid

$E = \frac{\rho R^2}{2\epsilon_0 r}$ for dielectric solid



- # \vec{E} field due to spheres:-

outside - ($r > R$): Any sphere consider q at centre

inside - ($r < R$): Any sphere except solid dielectric $E = 0$

$E = \frac{kQr}{R^3}$ for non conducting solid sphere

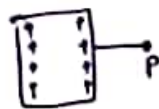
$E = \frac{kQ}{r^2}$



- # Electric field due to sheet (infinite charged):-

$E = \frac{\sigma}{2\epsilon_0}$

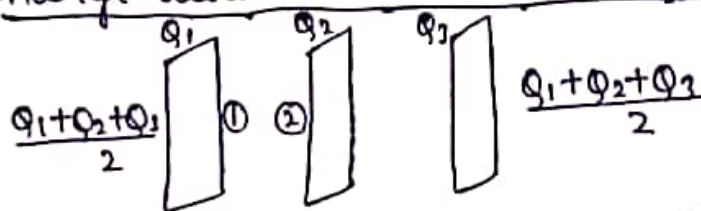
- # Electric field due to charged plate:- $E = \frac{\sigma}{\epsilon_0}$



- # $E = 0$ inside the material of conductor.



- # charge distribution on surfaces of plates:-



surface (1) = $\frac{Q_1 - Q_2 - Q_3}{2}$
surface (2) = $-\left(\frac{Q_1 - Q_2 - Q_3}{2}\right)$

on outward surfaces = $\frac{\text{sum of charges on plates}}{2}$
inward surfaces have equal and opp. charges