

EEL 3470: ELECTROMAGNETIC FIELDS

Solution of Homework 5

1. Problem 2.62

P2.62: For $y < 0$, $\epsilon_{r1} = 4.0$ and $\mathbf{E}_1 = 3\mathbf{a}_x + 6\pi\mathbf{a}_y + 4\mathbf{a}_z$ V/m. At $y = 0$, $\rho_s = 0.25$ nC/m². If $\epsilon_{r2} = 5.0$ for $y > 0$, find \mathbf{E}_2 .

Solution

$\mathbf{E}_1 = 3\mathbf{a}_x + 6\pi\mathbf{a}_y + 4\mathbf{a}_z$ V/m	(g) $\mathbf{E}_2 = 3\mathbf{a}_x + 20.7\mathbf{a}_y + 4\mathbf{a}_z$ V/m
(a) $\mathbf{E}_{N1} = 6\pi\mathbf{a}_y$	(f) $\mathbf{E}_{N2} = \mathbf{D}_{N2}/5\epsilon_0 = 20.7\mathbf{a}_y$
(b) $\mathbf{E}_{T1} = 3\mathbf{a}_x + 4\mathbf{a}_z$	(c) $\mathbf{E}_{T2} = \mathbf{E}_{T1} = 3\mathbf{a}_x + 4\mathbf{a}_z$
(d) $\mathbf{D}_{N1} = \epsilon_{r1}\epsilon_0\mathbf{E}_{N1} = 24\pi\epsilon_0\mathbf{a}_y$	(e) $\mathbf{D}_{N2} = 0.92\mathbf{a}_y$

$$(e) \mathbf{a}_{21} \cdot (\mathbf{D}_1 - \mathbf{D}_2) = \rho_s, \quad -\mathbf{a}_y \cdot (D_{N1} - D_{N2})\mathbf{a}_y = \rho_s, \quad D_{N2} - D_{N1} = \rho_s$$

$$D_{N2} = \rho_s + D_{N1} = 0.25 \frac{nC}{m^2} + 24 \left(\frac{10^{-9} F}{36\pi m} \right) \pi \frac{nC}{m^2} = 0.92 \frac{nC}{m^2}$$

2. Problem 2.63

P2.63: For $z \leq 0$, $\epsilon_{r1} = 9.0$ and for $z > 0$, $\epsilon_{r2} = 4.0$. If \mathbf{E}_1 makes a 30° angle with a normal to the surface, what angle does \mathbf{E}_2 make with a normal to the surface?

Solution

Refer to Figure P2.63.

$$E_{T1} = E_1 \sin \theta_1, \quad E_{T2} = E_2 \sin \theta_2, \quad \text{and} \quad E_{T1} = E_{T2}$$

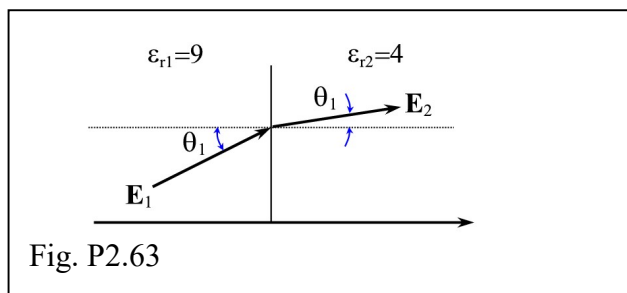
also

$$D_{N1} = \epsilon_{r1}\epsilon_0 E_1 \cos \theta_1, \quad D_{N2} = \epsilon_{r2}\epsilon_0 E_2 \cos \theta_2, \quad \text{and} \quad D_{N1} = D_{N2} \quad (\text{since } \rho_s = 0)$$

Therefore

$$\frac{E_{T1}}{D_{N1}} = \frac{E_{T2}}{D_{N2}}, \quad \text{and after routine math we find } \theta_2 = \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{\epsilon_{r2}}{\epsilon_{r1}} \tan \theta_1 \right)$$

Using this formula we obtain for this problem $\theta_2 = 14^\circ$.



3. Problem 2.73

P2.73: An inhomogeneous dielectric fills a parallel plate capacitor of surface area $50. \text{ cm}^2$ and thickness 1.0 cm . You are given $\epsilon_r = 3(1 + z)$, where z is measured from the bottom plate in cm . Determine the capacitance.

Solution

Place $+Q$ at $z = d$ and $-Q$ at $z = 0$.

$$\rho_s = \frac{Q}{S},$$

$$\mathbf{D} = -\frac{Q}{S} \mathbf{a}_z,$$

$$\mathbf{E} = -\frac{Q}{\epsilon_r \epsilon_o S} \mathbf{a}_z$$

$$V_{do} = -\int_0^d \mathbf{E} \cdot d\mathbf{L} = -\int_0^d \frac{-Q}{\epsilon_r \epsilon_o S} \mathbf{a}_z \cdot dz \mathbf{a}_z = \frac{Q}{\epsilon_o S} \int_0^d \frac{dz}{\epsilon_r}$$

evaluating the integral:

$$\int_0^d \frac{dz}{\epsilon_r} = \int_0^d \frac{dz}{3(1+z)} = \frac{1}{3} \ln(1+z) \Big|_0^d = \frac{1}{3} \ln 2 \text{ cm}$$

$$C = \frac{Q}{V_{do}} = \frac{3\epsilon_o S}{\ln 2} = \frac{3(8.854 \times 10^{-12} \text{ F/m})(50 \text{ cm}^2)}{(\ln(2) \text{ cm})} \left(\frac{\text{m}}{100 \text{ cm}} \right)^2 = 19 \text{ pF}$$

4. Problem 3.5

$$\mathbf{H}_o = \mathbf{H}_1 + \mathbf{H}_2$$

Referring to the figure,

$$\mathbf{R} = 3\mathbf{a}_y - 4\mathbf{a}_z, R = 5,$$

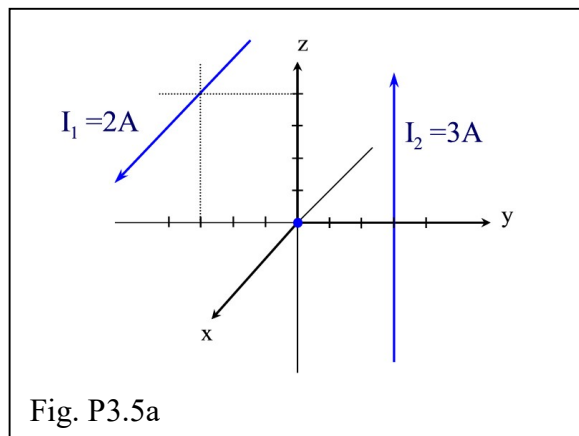
$$\mathbf{a}_R = 0.6\mathbf{a}_y - 0.8\mathbf{a}_z$$

$$\mathbf{a}_\phi = \mathbf{a}_x \times \mathbf{a}_R = 0.80\mathbf{a}_y + 0.60\mathbf{a}_z$$

$$\mathbf{H}_1 = \frac{I_1}{2\pi\rho} \mathbf{a}_\phi$$

$$= \frac{2A}{2\pi} \frac{(0.80\mathbf{a}_y + 0.60\mathbf{a}_z)}{5\text{m}}$$

$$= 51\mathbf{a}_y + 38\mathbf{a}_z \text{ mA/m}$$



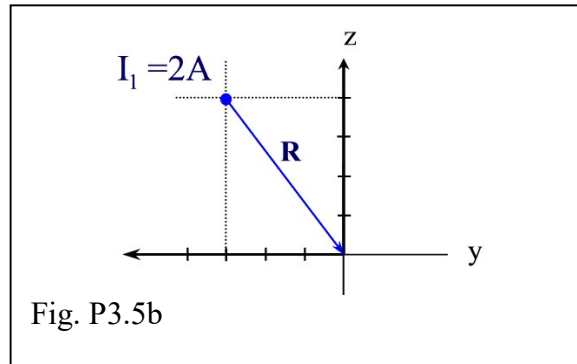
$$\mathbf{H}_2 = \frac{I_2}{2\pi\rho} \mathbf{a}_\phi$$

$$= \frac{3A}{2\pi} \frac{\mathbf{a}_x}{3m} = 159 \mathbf{a}_x \text{ mA/m}$$

$$\mathbf{H}_o = 159 \mathbf{a}_x + 51 \mathbf{a}_y + 38 \mathbf{a}_z \text{ mA/m}$$

Or with 2 significant digits

$$\mathbf{H}_o = 160 \mathbf{a}_x + 51 \mathbf{a}_y + 38 \mathbf{a}_z \text{ mA/m}$$



5. Problem 3.8

By inspection of the figure, we see that only the arc portions of the loop contribute to \mathbf{H} .

From a ring example we have:

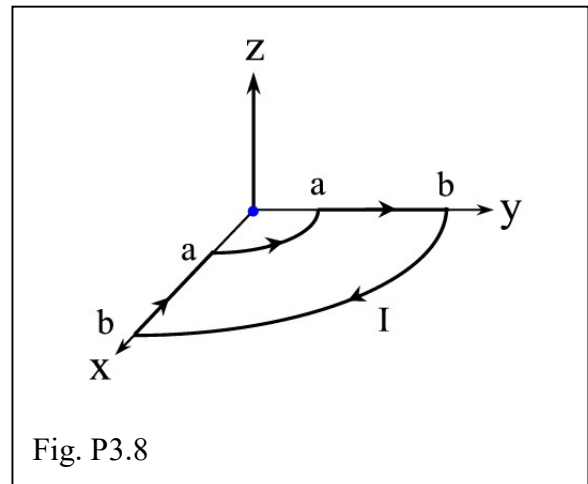
$$\mathbf{H} = \frac{Ia^2 \mathbf{a}_z}{4\pi(h^2 + a^2)^{3/2}} \int_0^{2\pi} d\phi$$

For $h = 0$ and $\rho = a$ segment of the loop:

$$\mathbf{H}_a = \frac{Ia^2 \mathbf{a}_z}{4\pi a^3} \int_0^{\pi/2} d\phi = \frac{I}{8a} \mathbf{a}_z$$

$$\text{For } h=0 \text{ and } \rho = b: \mathbf{H}_b = \frac{Ib^2 \mathbf{a}_z}{4\pi b^3} \int_{\pi/2}^0 d\phi = \frac{-I}{8b} \mathbf{a}_z;$$

$$\text{So } \mathbf{H}_{TOT} = \frac{I}{8} \left(\frac{1}{a} - \frac{1}{b} \right) \mathbf{a}_z = \frac{1}{8} \left(\frac{1}{0.02} - \frac{1}{0.06} \right) \mathbf{a}_z = 4.2 \mathbf{a}_z \frac{A}{m}$$



6. Problem 3.11

$$\mathbf{H} = \frac{NI}{2h} \left[\frac{h-z}{\sqrt{(h-z)^2 + a^2}} + \frac{z}{\sqrt{z^2 + a^2}} \right] \mathbf{a}_z$$

$$\mathbf{H} = \frac{200(1A)}{2(0.1m)} \left[\frac{0.1-0.05}{\sqrt{(0.1-0.05)^2 + 0.01^2}} + \frac{0.05}{\sqrt{0.05^2 + 0.01^2}} \right] \mathbf{a}_z = 1961 \frac{A}{m} \mathbf{a}_z$$

Or $\mathbf{H} = 1960 \text{ A/m } \mathbf{a}_z$

The approximate solution, assuming $10\text{cm} \gg 1\text{cm}$, is

$$\mathbf{H} = \frac{NI}{h} \mathbf{a}_z = \frac{200(1A)}{0.1m} \mathbf{a}_z = 2000 \frac{A}{m} \mathbf{a}_z$$