

Electromagnetic (I) Second Examination

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1. Given a scalar field Φ and a vector field \vec{A} , derive the expressions of
 $\nabla\Phi$
 $\nabla \cdot \vec{A}$
 $\nabla^2\Phi$

in cylindrical coordinates. (Note: $\nabla \cdot \vec{A} = \lim_{\Delta v \rightarrow 0} \frac{\oint \vec{A} \cdot d\vec{s}}{\Delta v}$) (15 %)

2. Use the Maxwell's equations to show the electric field \vec{E} and magnetic field \vec{H} in the free space without any sources satisfy the following equations: (15 %)

$$\nabla^2 \vec{E} - \mu_0 \epsilon_0 \frac{\partial^2 \vec{E}}{\partial t^2} = 0$$

$$\nabla^2 \vec{H} - \mu_0 \epsilon_0 \frac{\partial^2 \vec{H}}{\partial t^2} = 0$$

3. An infinitely extended positive line charge ρ_l is distributed over the axis of an infinitely extended cylindrical dielectric shell of an inner radius R_i and outer radius R_o , as shown in Fig. 1. The dielectric constant of the shell is ϵ_r . Determine the electric field \vec{E} , electric flux density \vec{D} , polarization vector \vec{P} , and potential function V as functions of the radial distance r for $0 < r < \infty$. Assume $V(R_i) = 0$. (15 %)

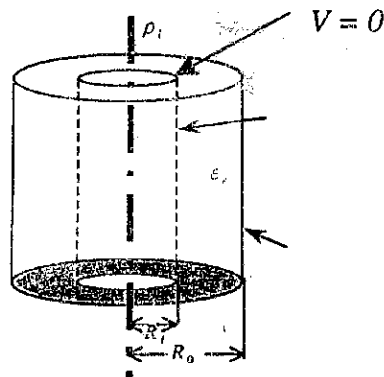


Fig. 1

4. A Current I flows along a straight wire from a point charge $Q_1(t)$ located at $(0,0,0)$ to a point charge $Q_2(t)$ at $(\frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2})$ as shown in Fig. 2. Find the absolute value of the line integral of \vec{H} around the closed loop $ABDCA$ in terms of I . (15 %)

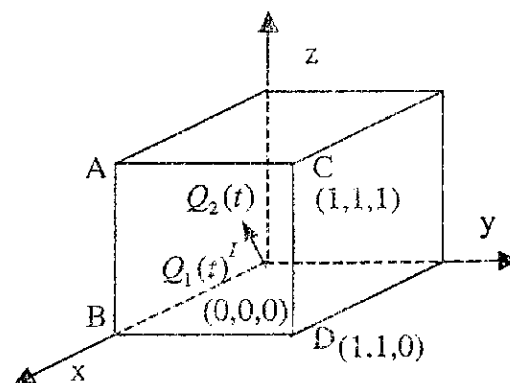


Fig. 2

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5. Two dielectric media with permittivities ϵ_1 and ϵ_2 are separated by a boundary with no free charge as shown in Fig. 3. The electric field intensity in medium 1 at the point P_1 has a magnitude E_1 and makes an angle α_1 with the normal. Determine the magnitude and direction of the electric field intensity E_2 at point P_2 in media 2. in terms of α_1 and E_1 .

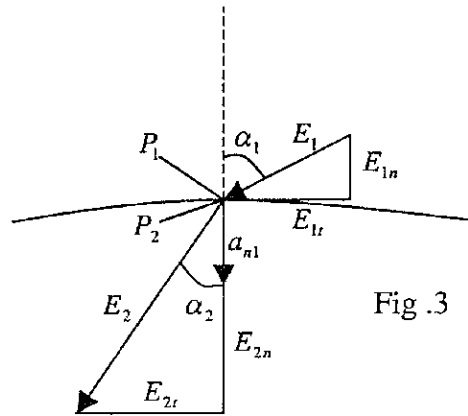


Fig. 3

(15 %)

6. A volume charge is distributed throughout a sphere of radius $a(\text{m})$, and centered at the origin, with uniform density $\rho_0(\text{C}/\text{m}^3)$. Find the energy stored in the electric field of this charge distribution. (15 %)
7. What is the displacement current? Compare and contrast the displacement current with the current due to flow of charges. (10 %)