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# **Engineering Electromagnetics**

**Current & Conductors** 







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## Current & Current Density (1)

• Current:

$$I = \frac{dQ}{dt}$$

- Unit A (ampère)
- Current is defined as the motion of positive charges



## Current & Current Density (2)

- Current: rate of movement of charge crossing a given reference plane (of one coulomb per second)
- Current density: **J** (A/m<sup>2</sup>)
- The increment of current  $\Delta I$  crossing an incremental surface  $\Delta S$  normal to the current density:

$$\Delta I = J_N \Delta S$$

• If the current density is not perpendicular to the surface:

$$\Delta I = \mathbf{J} \cdot \Delta \mathbf{S}$$

• Total current:

$$I = \int_{S} \mathbf{J}.d\mathbf{S}$$





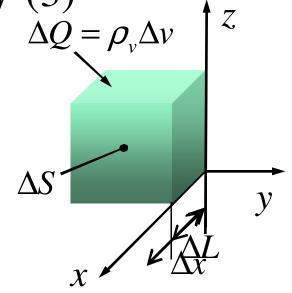
## Current & Current Density (3)

$$\Delta Q = \rho_{v} \Delta v = \rho_{v} \Delta S \Delta L$$

$$\Delta Q = \rho_{v} \Delta S \Delta x$$

$$\Delta I = \frac{\Delta Q}{\Delta t}$$

$$\rightarrow \Delta I = \rho_{v} \Delta S \frac{\Delta x}{\Delta t}$$



$$= \rho_{v} \Delta S v_{x}$$

$$\Delta I = J_{x} \Delta S$$

$$\rightarrow J_{x} = \rho_{v} v_{x}$$

$$\rightarrow \boxed{\mathbf{J} = \rho_{v} \mathbf{v}}$$





### **Ex.** 1

## Current & Current Density (4)

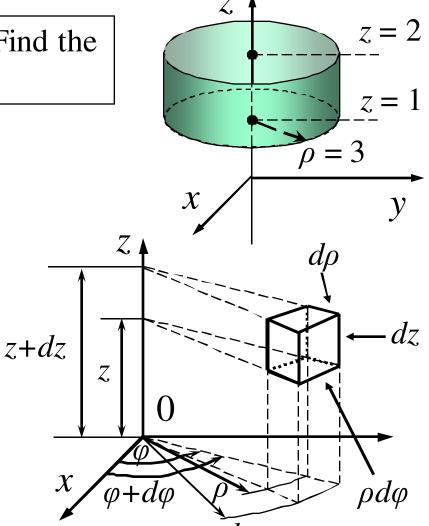
Given  $\mathbf{J} = 2\rho z \mathbf{a}_{\rho} + 7z\sin^2\varphi \mathbf{a}_{\varphi}$  mA/m<sup>2</sup>. Find the total current leaving the circular band.

$$I = \int_{S} \mathbf{J} \cdot d\mathbf{S} = \int_{S} \mathbf{J} \Big|_{\rho=3} \cdot d\mathbf{S}$$

$$\mathbf{J} \Big|_{\rho=3} = 2 \times 3z \mathbf{a}_{\rho} + 7z \sin^{2} \varphi \mathbf{a}_{\varphi}$$

$$= 6z \mathbf{a}_{\rho} + 7z \sin^{2} \varphi \mathbf{a}_{\varphi}$$

$$d\mathbf{S} = \rho d\varphi dz \mathbf{a}_{\rho} = 3d\varphi dz \mathbf{a}_{\rho}$$







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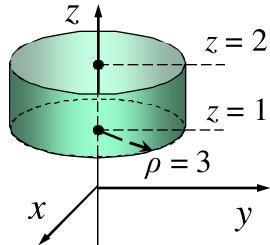
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Given  $\mathbf{J} = 2\rho z \mathbf{a}_{\rho} + 7z \sin^2 \varphi \mathbf{a}_{\varphi}$  mA/m<sup>2</sup>. Find the total current leaving the circular band.

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$$\frac{=6z\mathbf{a}_{\rho} + 7z\sin^{2}\varphi\mathbf{a}_{\varphi}}{d\mathbf{S} = \rho d\varphi dz\mathbf{a}_{\rho} = 3d\varphi dz\mathbf{a}_{\rho}} \rightarrow \mathbf{J}\big|_{\rho=3} \cdot d\mathbf{S} = 18zd\varphi dz$$







## Current & Current Density (6)

The current leaving a closed surface:  $I = \oint_{S} \mathbf{J} \cdot d\mathbf{S}$ 

The total charge in the surface:  $Q_i$ 

The law of conservation of charge

$$\to I = \oint_{S} \mathbf{J} \cdot d\mathbf{S} = -\frac{dQ_{i}}{dt}$$

- in circuit analysis, I = dQ/dt because this is an entering current
- in electromagnetism, I = -dQ/dt because this is a leaving one





## Current & Current Density (7)

$$I = \oint_{S} \mathbf{J} \cdot d\mathbf{S} = -\frac{dQ_{i}}{dt}$$

$$\oint_{S} \mathbf{J} \cdot d\mathbf{S} = \int_{V} (\nabla \cdot \mathbf{J}) dv \quad \text{(div. theo.)}$$

$$Q_{i} = \int_{V} \rho_{v} dv$$

$$\rightarrow (\nabla \cdot \mathbf{J}) \Delta v = -\frac{\partial \rho_{v}}{\partial t} \Delta v \rightarrow \left| \nabla \cdot \mathbf{J} = -\frac{\partial \rho_{v}}{\partial t} \right|$$





### Ex. 2

## Current & Current Density (9)

Consider the current density 
$$\mathbf{J} = \frac{e^{-t}}{r} \mathbf{a}_r$$
 A/m<sup>2</sup>.

$$-\frac{\partial \rho_{v}}{\partial t} = \nabla \cdot \mathbf{J} = \nabla \cdot \left(\frac{e^{-t}}{r} \mathbf{a}_{r}\right)$$

$$\nabla \cdot \mathbf{D} = \frac{1}{r^{2}} \frac{\partial}{\partial r} (r^{2} D_{r}) + \frac{1}{r \sin \theta} \frac{\partial}{\partial \theta} (\sin \theta D_{\theta}) + \frac{1}{r \sin \theta} \frac{\partial D_{\phi}}{\partial \varphi}$$

$$\rightarrow -\frac{\partial \rho_{v}}{\partial t} = \frac{1}{r^{2}} \frac{\partial}{\partial r} \left( r^{2} \frac{e^{-t}}{r} \right) = \frac{e^{-t}}{r^{2}} \rightarrow \rho_{v} = -\int \frac{e^{-t}}{r^{2}} dt + K(r) = \frac{e^{-t}}{r^{2}} + K(r)$$

Suppose  $\rho_v \to 0$  as  $t \to \infty$ , then K(r) = 0

$$\rightarrow \rho_{v} = \frac{e^{-t}}{r^{2}} \text{ C/m}^{3} \rightarrow v_{r} = \frac{J_{r}}{\rho_{v}} = \left(\frac{e^{-t}}{r}\right) / \left(\frac{e^{-t}}{r^{2}}\right) = r \text{ m/s}$$





### **Current & Conductors**

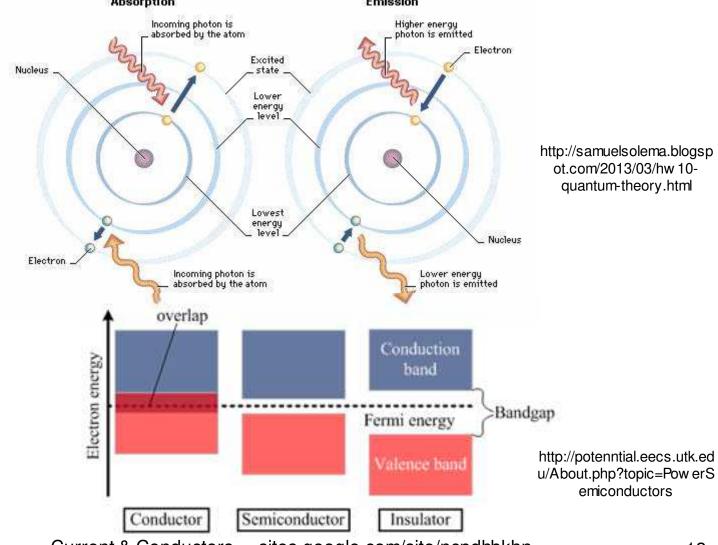
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# Metallic Conductors (1)





## Metallic Conductors (2)

$$\mathbf{F} = -e\mathbf{E}$$

- In free space, the electron will accelerate
- In conductors, the electron will soon obtain a constant average velocity:

$$\mathbf{v}_d = -\mu_e \mathbf{E}$$

- $\mu_e$ : the mobility of an electron, m<sup>2</sup>/Vs, positive
- Ex.: Al: 0.0012; Cu: 0.0032; Ag: 0.0056
- $\mathbf{J} = \rho_{v} \mathbf{v}$
- $\rightarrow \mathbf{J} = -\rho_e \mu_e \mathbf{E}$



## Metallic Conductors (3)

$$\mathbf{J} = -\rho_e \mu_e \mathbf{E}$$

- $\rho_e$ : free-electron charge density, negative
- **J** is in the same direction as **E**

$$J = \sigma E$$

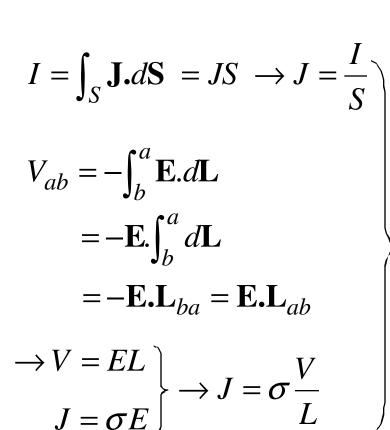
- $\sigma$ : conductivity, S/m
- Ex.: Al:  $3.82 \times 10^7$ ; Cu:  $5.80 \times 10^7$ ; Ag:  $6.17 \times 10^7$

$$\sigma = -\rho_e \mu_e$$





## Metallic Conductors (4)



Uniform 
$$J$$

$$L$$

$$L$$

$$\Rightarrow \sigma \frac{V}{L} = \frac{I}{S} \rightarrow V = \frac{L}{\sigma S} I$$

$$R = \frac{L}{\sigma S}$$
(Ohm's law)

$$R = \frac{V_{ab}}{I} = \frac{-\int_{b}^{a} \mathbf{E}.d\mathbf{L}}{\int_{S} \sigma \mathbf{E}.d\mathbf{S}}$$





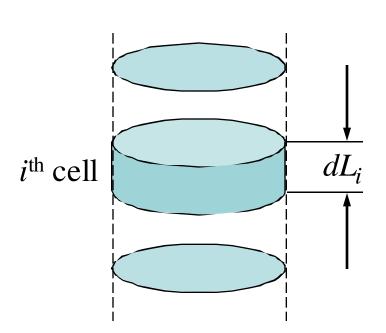


## Metallic Conductors (5)

$$R_i = \frac{dL_i}{\sigma_i S_i}$$

$$\rightarrow R = \sum_{i=1}^{N} R_i = \sum_{i=1}^{N} \frac{dL_i}{\sigma_i S_i}$$

$$\rightarrow R = \int \frac{dL}{\sigma S}$$







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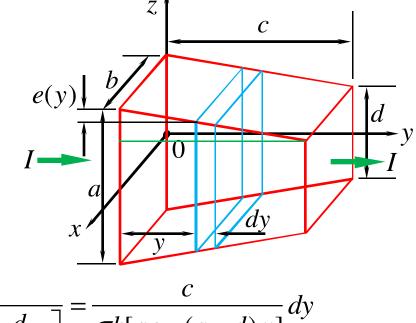
## Metallic Conductors (6)

$$dR = \frac{dy}{\sigma S(y)}$$

$$S(y) = b[a - 2e(y)]$$

$$a - d$$

$$\frac{e(y)}{y} = \frac{\frac{a-d}{2}}{c} \rightarrow e(y) = \frac{a-d}{2c} y$$



$$\rightarrow dR = \frac{dy}{\sigma b \left[ a - 2\frac{a - d}{2c} y \right]} = \frac{c}{\sigma b \left[ ac - (a - d) y \right]} dy$$

$$\to R = \int_{y=0}^{c} \frac{c}{\sigma b[ac - (a-d)y]} dy$$





#### **Ex. 2**

## Metallic Conductors (7)

A material with conductivity  $\sigma = m/\rho + k$ , where m & k are constants, fills the space between two concentric, cylindrical conductors of radii a & b. L is the length of each conductor. Find the resistance of the material?

$$R_{i} = \frac{dL_{i}}{\sigma_{i}S_{i}}$$

$$dL_{i} = d\rho$$

$$\sigma_{i} = \frac{m}{\rho} + k$$

$$S_{i} = 2\pi\rho L$$

$$\rightarrow R = \int_{a}^{b} \frac{d\rho}{(k\rho + m)2\pi L} = \frac{1}{2\pi Lk} \ln \frac{kb + m}{ka + m}$$







## Metallic Conductors (8)

$$R = \frac{V}{I} = \frac{-\int_{b}^{a} \mathbf{E} . d\mathbf{L}}{\int_{S} \sigma \mathbf{E} . d\mathbf{S}}$$

$$\mathbf{E} = E(\boldsymbol{\rho})\mathbf{a}_{\boldsymbol{\varphi}}$$

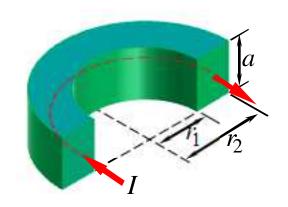
$$V = \int_{\varphi=0}^{\pi} \left[ E(\rho) \mathbf{a}_{\varphi} \right] \cdot \left( \rho d\phi \mathbf{a}_{\varphi} \right)$$

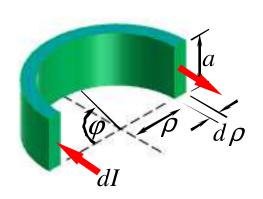
$$= \int_{\varphi=0}^{\pi} E(\rho) \rho d\phi = E(\rho) \rho \int_{0}^{\pi} d\phi = E(\rho) \rho \pi \rightarrow E(\rho) = \frac{V}{\pi \rho}$$

$$I = \int_{S} \sigma \mathbf{E} . d\mathbf{S} = \int_{\rho = r_{1}}^{r_{2}} \left[ \sigma E(\rho) \mathbf{a}_{\varphi} \right] . \left( ad \rho \mathbf{a}_{\varphi} \right) = \int_{\rho = r_{1}}^{r_{2}} \sigma E(\rho) ad \rho$$

$$= \int_{\rho=r_1}^{r_2} \sigma \frac{V}{\pi \rho} ad\rho = \frac{\sigma Va}{\pi} \ln \frac{r_2}{r_1}$$

$$\rightarrow R = \frac{V}{\frac{\sigma Va}{\pi} \ln \frac{r_2}{r_1}} = \boxed{\frac{\pi}{\sigma a \ln \frac{r_2}{r_1}}}$$







Metallic Conductors (9)



Ex. 4

$$R = \frac{V}{I} = \frac{-\int_{b}^{a} \mathbf{E} . d\mathbf{L}}{\int_{S} \sigma \mathbf{E} . d\mathbf{S}}$$

(Method 1)

$$\nabla .\mathbf{D} = \rho_{v} = 0 \to \nabla .\varepsilon \mathbf{E} = 0$$

$$\nabla .\mathbf{D} = \frac{1}{\rho} \frac{\partial}{\partial \rho} (\rho D_{\rho}) + \frac{1}{\rho} \frac{\partial D_{\varphi}}{\partial \varphi} + \frac{\partial D_{z}}{\partial z}$$

$$\to \frac{1}{\rho} \frac{\partial}{\partial \rho} (\rho \varepsilon E_{\rho}) = 0$$

$$\to E_{\rho} = \frac{C}{\rho} \to \mathbf{E} = \frac{C}{\rho} \mathbf{a}_{\rho}$$

$$V = \int_{a}^{b} \mathbf{E} \cdot d\mathbf{L} = \int_{a}^{b} \frac{C}{\rho} \mathbf{a}_{\rho} \cdot d\rho \mathbf{a}_{\rho} = C \ln \frac{b}{a} \rightarrow C = \frac{V}{\ln(b/a)} \rightarrow \mathbf{E} = \frac{V}{\rho \ln(b/a)} \mathbf{a}_{\rho}$$

$$I = \int_{S} \sigma \mathbf{E} . d\mathbf{S} = \int_{z=0}^{L} \int_{\varphi=0}^{2\pi} \sigma \frac{V}{\rho \ln(b/a)} \mathbf{a}_{\rho} . \rho d\varphi dz \mathbf{a}_{\rho} = \frac{\sigma V 2\pi L}{\ln(b/a)}$$

$$\rightarrow R = \frac{V}{I} = \frac{V}{\sigma V 2\pi L} = \frac{\ln(b/a)}{2\pi\sigma L}$$

$$\ln(b/a)$$
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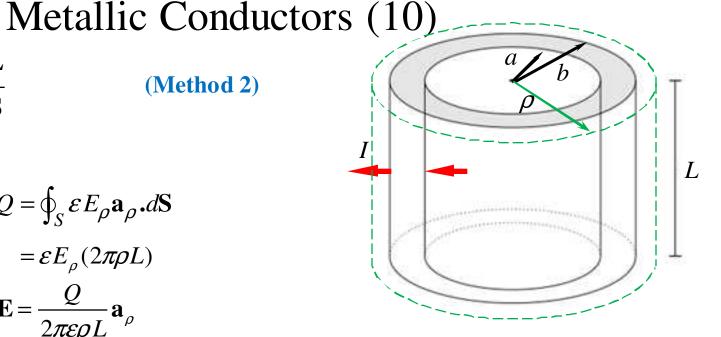
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**Ex. 4** 

$$R = \frac{V}{I} = \frac{-\int_{b}^{a} \mathbf{E} \cdot d\mathbf{L}}{\int_{S} \sigma \mathbf{E} \cdot d\mathbf{S}}$$
 (Method 2)

$$\left. \begin{array}{l} Q = \oint_{S} \mathbf{D} . d\mathbf{S} \\ \mathbf{E} = E_{\rho} \mathbf{a}_{\rho} \end{array} \right\} \rightarrow Q = \oint_{S} \varepsilon E_{\rho} \mathbf{a}_{\rho} . d\mathbf{S} \\ = \varepsilon E_{\rho} (2\pi \rho L) \\ \rightarrow \mathbf{E} = \frac{Q}{2\pi \varepsilon \rho L} \mathbf{a}_{\rho} \end{array}$$



$$V = \int_{a}^{b} \mathbf{E} \cdot d\mathbf{L} = \int_{a}^{b} \frac{Q}{2\pi\epsilon\rho L} \mathbf{a}_{\rho} \cdot d\rho \mathbf{a}_{\rho} = \frac{Q}{2\pi\epsilon L} \ln \frac{b}{a}$$

$$I = \int_{S} \sigma \mathbf{E} \cdot d\mathbf{S} = \int_{z=0}^{L} \int_{\varphi=0}^{2\pi} \sigma \frac{Q}{2\pi\epsilon\rho L} \mathbf{a}_{\rho} \cdot \rho d\varphi dz \mathbf{a}_{\rho} = \frac{\sigma Q}{\epsilon}$$

$$\Rightarrow R = \frac{V}{I} = \frac{\frac{Q}{2\pi\epsilon L} \ln \frac{b}{a}}{\frac{\sigma Q}{2\pi\epsilon\rho L}} = \frac{\ln(b/a)}{2\pi\sigma L}$$





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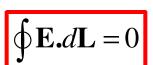
## Conductor Properties & Boundary Conditions (1)

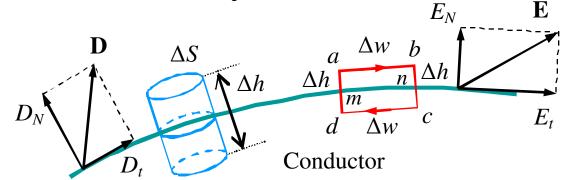
- Given some electrons in the interior of a conductor
- They will begin to accelerate away from each other, until they reach the surface of the conductor
- <u>Characteristic 1</u>: the charge density inside a conductor is zero, the exterior surface has a surface charge density
- Within a conductor: no charge → no current → no electric field intensity (Ohm)
- <u>Characteristic 2</u>: the electric field intensity within the conductor is zero



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## Conductor Properties & Boundary Conditions (2)



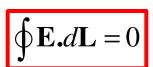


$$\to \int_a^b \mathbf{E}_{ab} \cdot d\mathbf{L}_{ab} = E_t \int_a^b dL_{ab} = E_t \Delta w$$

$$\begin{bmatrix}
\int_{c}^{d} \mathbf{E}_{cd} \cdot d\mathbf{L}_{cd} \\
\mathbf{E}_{\text{within conductor}} = 0
\end{bmatrix} \rightarrow \mathbf{E}_{cd} = 0 \rightarrow \int_{c}^{d} \mathbf{E}_{cd} \cdot d\mathbf{L}_{cd} = 0$$



## Conductor Properties & Boundary Conditions (3)



$$D_{N}$$
 $D_{t}$ 
 $D_{t}$ 

$$\rightarrow \int_{a}^{b} + \int_{b}^{c} + \int_{c}^{d} + \int_{d}^{a} = 0$$

$$\int_{b}^{c} \mathbf{E}_{bc} \cdot d\mathbf{L}_{bc} = \int_{b}^{n} \mathbf{E}_{bn} \cdot d\mathbf{L}_{bn} + \int_{n}^{c} \mathbf{E}_{nc} \cdot d\mathbf{L}_{nc}$$

$$\mathbf{E}_{\text{within conductor}} = 0 \rightarrow \mathbf{E}_{nc} = 0$$

$$\mathbf{E}_{bn} = \mathbf{E}_{N,b} + \mathbf{E}_{tt}$$

$$\rightarrow \int_{b}^{c} \mathbf{E}_{bc} \cdot d\mathbf{L}_{bc} = -\int_{b}^{n} E_{N,b} dL_{bn}$$

$$E_{N,b} \approx \text{const}$$





Conductor Properties & Boundary Conditions (4)

$$\oint \mathbf{E} \cdot d\mathbf{L} = 0$$

$$D_{N}$$
 $D_{t}$ 
 $D_{t}$ 

$$\Rightarrow E_t \Delta w - \frac{E_{N,b} \Delta h}{2} + 0 + \frac{E_{N,a} \Delta h}{2} = 0$$

$$\Delta h \to 0$$

$$\Rightarrow E_t \Delta w = 0 \quad \Rightarrow E_t = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow D_t = \varepsilon_0 E_t = 0 \quad \Rightarrow D_t = E_t = 0$$

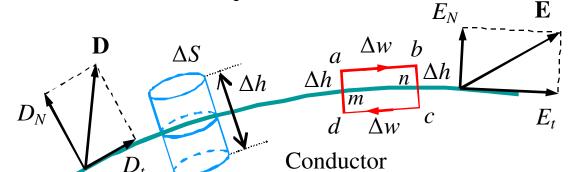




## Conductor Properties & Boundary Conditions (5)

$$E_{tt} = 0$$

$$\oint_{S} \mathbf{D}.d\mathbf{S} = Q$$



$$\rightarrow \int_{\text{top}} + \int_{\text{bottom}} + \int_{\text{sides}} = \rho_{S} \Delta S$$

$$\int_{\text{top}} = \int_{\text{top}} \mathbf{D}_{N} \cdot d\mathbf{S}_{\text{top}} = \int_{\text{top}} D_{N} dS_{\text{top}} = D_{N} \Delta S$$

$$\int_{\text{bottom}} = \int_{\text{bottom}} 0 \cdot d\mathbf{S}_{\text{bottom}} = 0$$

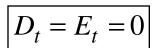
$$\int_{\text{sides}} = \int_{\text{s. top}} \mathbf{D}_{N} \cdot d\mathbf{S}_{\text{s, top}} + \int_{\text{s. bottom}} 0 \cdot d\mathbf{S}_{\text{s, bottom}} = 0$$

$$\to D_N \Delta S = \rho_S \Delta S \to D_N = \rho_S = \varepsilon_0 E_N$$



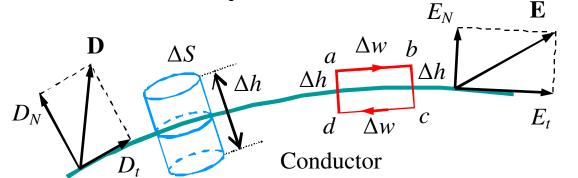


## Conductor Properties & Boundary Conditions (6)



$$D_N = \varepsilon_0 E_N = \rho_S$$

$$V_{xy} = -\int_{y}^{x} \mathbf{E}.d\mathbf{L} = 0$$



### Characteristics of conductors in static field:

- 1. The static EFI inside a conductor is zero
- 2. The static EFI at the surface of a conductor is everywhere directed normal to that surface
- 3. The conductor surface is an equipotential surface





## Conductor Properties & Boundary Conditions (7)

#### Ex.

Given  $V = x^2 - 10yz$  V & P(2, 1, 2) lies on a conductor – free space boundary. Find V,  $\mathbf{E}$ ,  $\mathbf{D}$ ,  $\rho_S$  at P, & the equation of the conductor surface.

$$V_{P} = 2^{2} - 10 \times 1 \times 2 = -16 \text{ V} \quad \rightarrow -16 = x^{2} - 10 \text{ yz}$$

$$\mathbf{E} = -\nabla V = -\nabla (x^{2} - 10 \text{ yz}) = -2x\mathbf{a}_{x} + 10z\mathbf{a}_{y} + 10 \text{ ya}_{z} \text{ V/m}$$

$$\rightarrow \mathbf{E}_{P} = \left(-2x\mathbf{a}_{x} + 10z\mathbf{a}_{y} + 10y\mathbf{a}_{z}\right)\Big|_{x=2, y=1, z=2}$$

$$= -40\mathbf{a}_{x} + 20\mathbf{a}_{y} + 10\mathbf{a}_{z} \text{ V/m}$$

$$\mathbf{D}_{P} = \varepsilon_{0}\mathbf{E}_{P} = 8.854 \times 10^{-12} \left(-40\mathbf{a}_{x} + 20\mathbf{a}_{y} + 10\mathbf{a}_{z}\right) \text{ C/ m}^{2}$$

$$\rho_{S,P} = D_{N}$$

$$D_{N,P} = |\mathbf{D}_{P}| = 8.854 \times 10^{-12} \sqrt{40^{2} + 20^{2} + 10^{2}} = 406 \text{ pC/m}^{2}$$

$$\rightarrow \rho_{S,P} = 406 \text{ pC/m}^{2}$$





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## The Method of Images (1)

$$+Q \bullet$$

Equipotential surface,  $V=0$ 
 $-Q \bullet$ 

Equipotential surface,  $V=0$ 

- Dipole: the plane between the 2 charges is zero potential
- That plane can be represented by a vanishingly thin conducting plane, infinite in extent
- → the dipole can be substituted for a system of a charge and a conducting plane, & then the fields above the conducting plane obtain equivalence





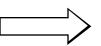


## The Method of Images (2)

+ Q •

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Equipotential surface, V = 0



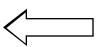
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 $-Q \bullet$ 

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Equipotential surface, V = 0



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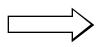


#### **Ex.** 1

## The Method of Images (3)



Equipotential surface, V = 0



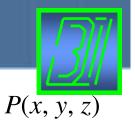
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$$\underbrace{\text{Purface}}_{}, V = 0$$

- 1. Coulomb's law
- 2. Gauss' law
- 3. Laplace's equation

& 
$$\mathbf{E} = -\nabla V$$

$$-1$$
 \*  $+5$  \*  $-\rho_{\rm L}$ 





#### **Ex. 2**

## The Method of Images (4)

Given Q at (0, 0, d). Find the potential & EFI at  $\overline{P}$ ?

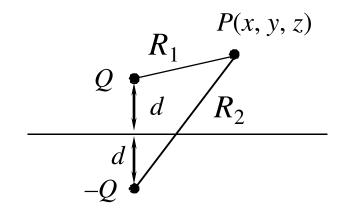
$$V_{+Q} = \frac{Q}{4\pi\varepsilon_0 R_1} = \frac{Q}{4\pi\varepsilon_0 \sqrt{x^2 + y^2 + (z - d)^2}}$$



Equipotential surface, V = 0

$$V_{-Q} = \frac{-Q}{4\pi\varepsilon_0 R_2} = \frac{-Q}{4\pi\varepsilon_0 \sqrt{x^2 + y^2 + (z+d)^2}}$$

$$V = \frac{Q}{4\pi\varepsilon_0} \left[ \frac{1}{\sqrt{x^2 + y^2 + (z - d)^2}} - \frac{1}{\sqrt{x^2 + y^2 + (z + d)^2}} \right]$$



$$\mathbf{E} = -\nabla V = -\frac{Q}{4\pi\varepsilon_0} \left[ \left( \frac{x}{R_2^3} - \frac{x}{R_1^3} \right) \mathbf{a}_x + \left( \frac{y}{R_2^3} - \frac{y}{R_1^3} \right) \mathbf{a}_y + \left( \frac{z+d}{R_2^3} - \frac{z-d}{R_1^3} \right) \mathbf{a}_z \right]$$







#### **Ex. 3**

## The Method of Images (5)

Find the potential at *P* ?

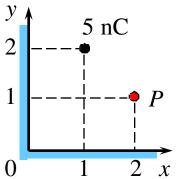
$$R_1 = \sqrt{1^2 + 1^2} = 1.41$$

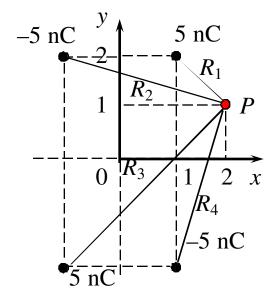
$$R_2 = \sqrt{3^2 + 1^2} = 3.16$$

$$R_3 = \sqrt{3^2 + 3^2} = 4.24$$

$$R_4 = \sqrt{1^2 + 3^2} = 3.16$$

$$V_P = \frac{5 \times 10^{-9}}{4\pi\varepsilon_0} \left( \frac{1}{R_1} - \frac{1}{R_2} + \frac{1}{R_3} - \frac{1}{R_4} \right) = 14.03 \text{ V}$$





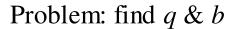




#### Ex. 4

## The Method of Images (6)

A point charge Q at a distance d from a center of a grounded conducting sphere of radius a. Find the image charge?

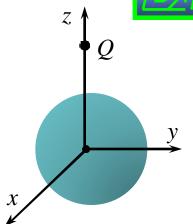


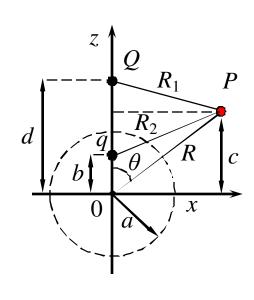
$$R_1 = \sqrt{(d - R\cos\theta)^2 + (R\sin\theta)^2} = \sqrt{R^2 + d^2 - 2Rd\cos\theta}$$

$$R_2 = \sqrt{(R\cos\theta - b)^2 + (R\sin\theta)^2} = \sqrt{R^2 + b^2 - 2Rb\cos\theta}$$

$$V_P = \frac{Q}{4\pi\varepsilon R_1} - \frac{q}{4\pi\varepsilon R_2} = \frac{Q}{4\pi\varepsilon R_1} - \frac{mQ}{4\pi\varepsilon R_2} = \frac{Q}{4\pi\varepsilon} \left(\frac{1}{R_1} - \frac{m}{R_2}\right)$$

$$R = a \to V_P = 0 \qquad \to \frac{1}{R_1} - \frac{m}{R_2} = 0 \qquad \to \begin{cases} m = \frac{a}{d} \to q = -\frac{a}{d}Q \\ b = \frac{a^2}{d} \end{cases}$$









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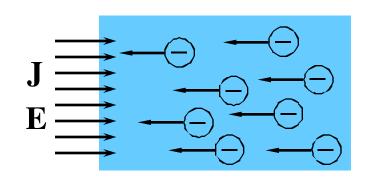




## Semiconductors

- Germani, silicon
- Conductivity of conductors:

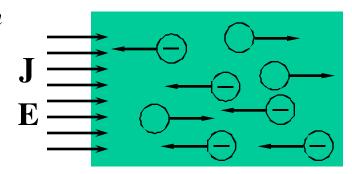
$$\sigma = -\rho_e \mu_e$$



Conductivity of semiconductors:

$$\sigma = -\rho_e \mu_e + \rho_h \mu_h$$

• *h*: hole



- At 300K:
  - $-\mu_{e, \text{ Germani}}$ : 0.36 m<sup>2</sup>/Vs;  $\mu_{h, \text{ Germani}}$ : 0.17 m<sup>2</sup>/Vs
  - $-\mu_{e, \text{ Silicon}}$ : 0.12 m<sup>2</sup>/Vs;  $\mu_{h, \text{ Silicon}}$ : 0.025 m<sup>2</sup>/Vs





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## Applications – Faraday's Cage



https://lifeonthebluehighways.com/2013/04/20/faradays-cage/

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$$Q \longrightarrow \mathbf{F} = \frac{Q_1 Q_2}{4\pi \varepsilon R^2} \mathbf{a}_R \longrightarrow \mathbf{E} = \frac{Q}{4\pi \varepsilon R^2} \mathbf{a}_R \longrightarrow \mathbf{D} = \varepsilon \mathbf{E}$$

$$W = -Q \int \mathbf{E} . d\mathbf{L} \longrightarrow V = -\int \mathbf{E} . d\mathbf{L} \longrightarrow C = \frac{Q}{V}$$

$$I = \frac{dQ}{dt} \longrightarrow R = \frac{V}{I}$$