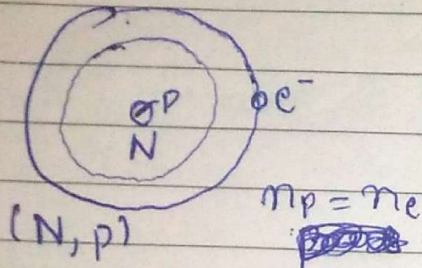


Electrostatics

- Study of → force b/w charged particle system
 → Energy stored in the system
 → Work done on the charge particle system while distributing the electric field



Elementary charge
 $e = 1.6 \times 10^{-19} \text{ C}$

Coulomb's law

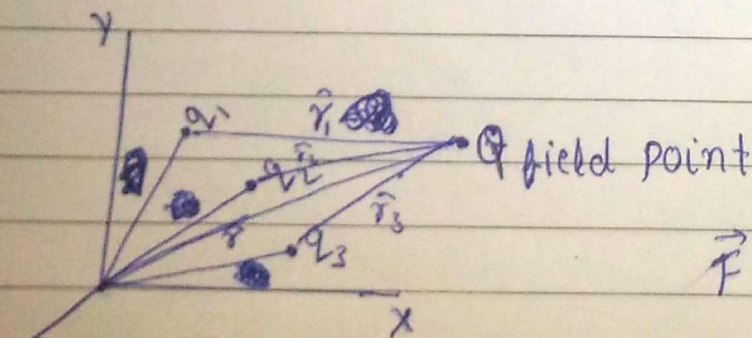
$$\vec{F} = \frac{1}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \frac{q_1 q_2}{r^2} \hat{r}$$

→ permittivity of free space
 $8.85 \times 10^{-12} \text{ C}^2/\text{Nm}^2$

Diagram showing two point charges q_1 and q_2 separated by a distance r . Vectors \vec{r}_1 and \vec{r}_2 point from the charges to a common point. The force vector \vec{F}_{21} is shown pointing from q_1 towards q_2 .

$$\vec{F}_{21} = K \frac{q_1 q_2}{|\vec{r}_{21}|^2} \hat{r}_{21}$$

Concept of Electric Field



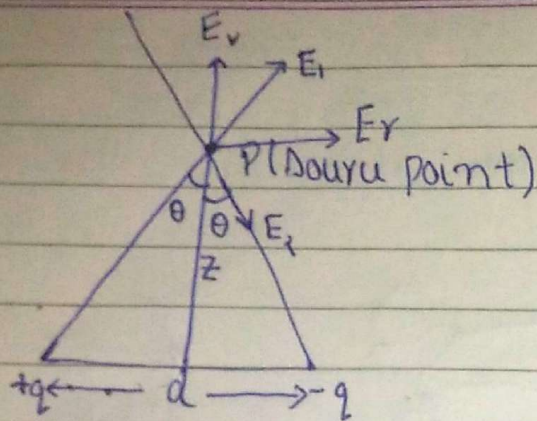
If we have several charge points q_1, q_2, \dots, q_n at a distance $\vec{r}_1, \vec{r}_2, \dots, \vec{r}_n$.

$$\vec{F} = \vec{F}_1 + \vec{F}_2 + \dots + \vec{F}_n$$

$$= \frac{Q}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \left(\frac{q_1}{r_1^2} \hat{r}_1 + \frac{q_2}{r_2^2} \hat{r}_2 + \dots + \frac{q_n}{r_n^2} \hat{r}_n \right)$$

$$\therefore \vec{E}(\vec{r}) = \frac{1}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \sum_{i=1}^n \frac{q_i}{r_i^2} \hat{r}_i$$

↑ from field point



$$|E_1| = |E_2|$$

$$\therefore E_v = 0$$

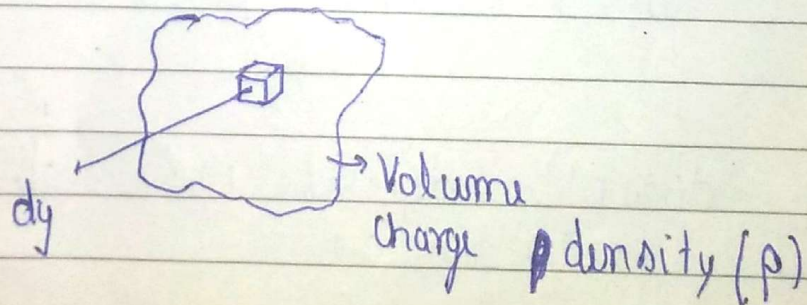
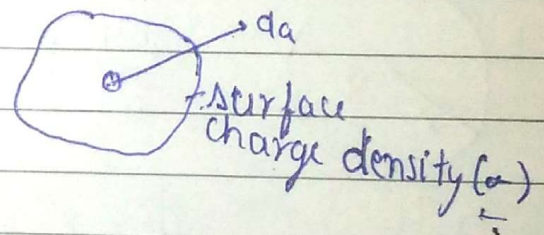
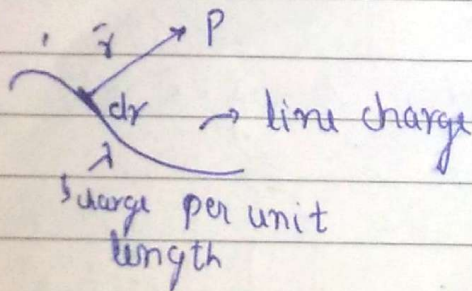
$$E_y = \frac{1}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \left(\frac{q \sin\theta}{r^2} \right)$$

$$\text{Where, } r^2 = \left(\frac{d}{2}\right)^2 + z^2$$

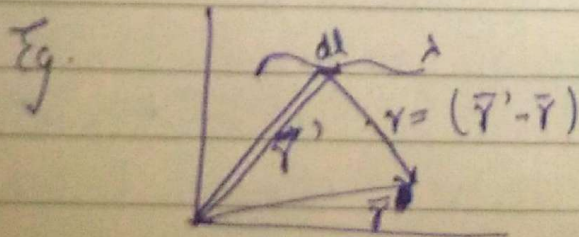
$$\therefore E_y = \frac{1}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \frac{qd}{\left(z^2 + \frac{d^2}{4}\right)^{3/2}}$$

If source point is very far away, i.e., $z \gg d$

$$\therefore E_y = \frac{1}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \frac{qd}{z^3} \hat{r}$$

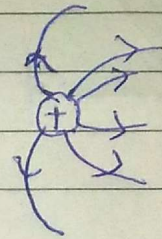
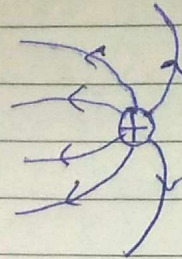
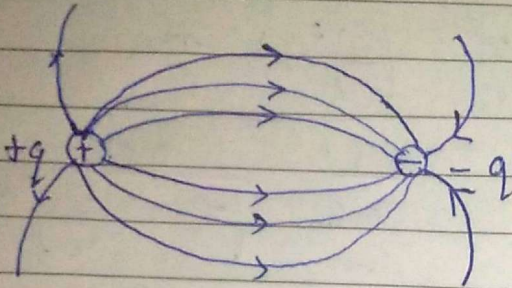


$$\vec{E} = \frac{1}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \int \frac{dq}{r^2} \hat{r}$$

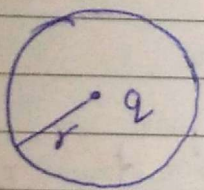


$$E = \frac{1}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \int \frac{dq (\vec{r} - \vec{r}')}{|\vec{r} - \vec{r}'|^3}$$

Electric field lines v/s Electric vector field
 The direction is tangent at any point.
 No. of field lines per unit area gives the idea about the field strength.



Gauss's Law



For point charge and a spherical surface, the total flux going through the spherical surface $\phi = \oint \vec{E} \cdot d\vec{s}$

$$d\vec{s} = r^2 \sin\theta d\theta d\phi$$

$$= \int_0^{2\pi} \int_0^{\pi} \frac{q \vec{r}}{4\pi \epsilon_0 r^2} r^2 \sin\theta d\theta d\phi$$

$$= \frac{q}{\epsilon_0}$$

Therefore, ϕ doesn't depend upon the shape of the surface.

Suppose instead of a single charge at the origin we have a bunch of charge scattered in the surface, therefore flux through that encloses them all $\oint \vec{E} \cdot d\vec{s} = \sum_{i=1}^n \oint \vec{E}_i \cdot d\vec{s} = \frac{Q_{\text{enclosed}}}{\epsilon_0}$

total charge enclosed inside the particular surface.

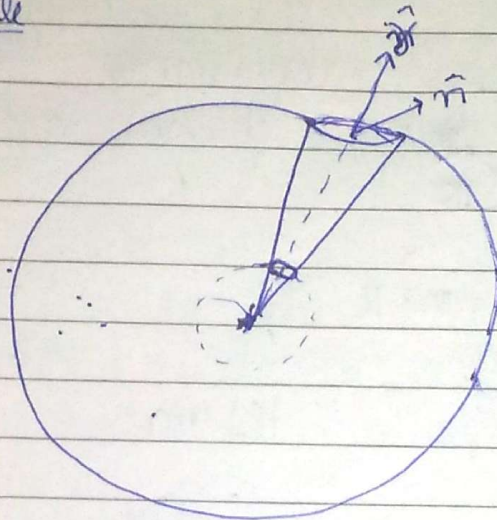
We know that $\oint \vec{E} \cdot d\vec{s} = \int (\nabla \cdot \vec{E}) dV = \int \left(\frac{\rho}{\epsilon_0} \right) dV$

divergence charge density

$$\nabla \cdot \vec{E} = \frac{\rho}{\epsilon_0}$$

$$Q_{\text{enclosed}} = \int \rho dV$$

Solid Angle



$$d\Omega = \frac{\hat{n} \cdot \hat{r} da}{r^2}$$

Solid Angle

The total solid angle

$$\oint \frac{\hat{n} \cdot \hat{r} da}{r^2} = 4\pi$$

The flux of electric field originated from the charge can be calculated

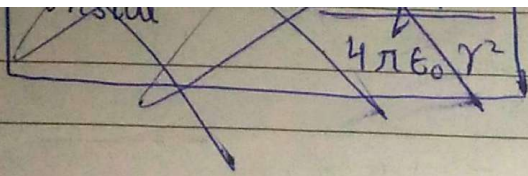
$$\phi = \oint \vec{E} \cdot \hat{n} da = \int \frac{q \hat{r} \cdot \hat{n}}{4\pi\epsilon_0 r^3} da = \frac{q}{\epsilon_0} = \frac{Q_{\text{enclosed}}}{\epsilon_0}$$

Application of Gauss's law

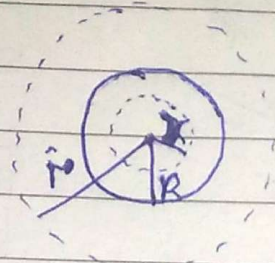
$$\oint \vec{E} \cdot d\vec{a} = \frac{Q_{\text{enclosed}}}{\epsilon_0}$$

To find out Electric field.

- i) \vec{E} should be uniform on the Gaussian surface
- ii) $\vec{E} \cdot d\vec{a}$ must have some definite notation
 $\vec{E} \parallel d\vec{a}$ or $\vec{E} \perp d\vec{a}$



① Uniform charged hollow surface



uniformly charged distribution

$$\oint \vec{E} \cdot d\vec{a} = \frac{q}{\epsilon_0} \quad r > R$$

$$\oint |\vec{E}| \cdot d\vec{a} = |\vec{E}| \oint d\vec{a} = |\vec{E}| 4\pi r^2$$

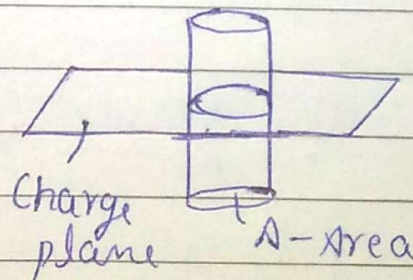
Electric field inside : $\oint \vec{E} \cdot d\vec{a} = 0$; E.F. outside : $\vec{E}_{out} = \frac{q}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \cdot \frac{\hat{r}}{r^2}$

Infinite plane $\sigma = \text{charge density}$

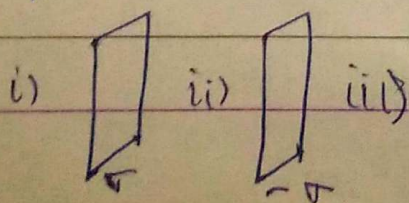
$$\oint |\vec{E}| d\vec{a} = \frac{\sigma A}{\epsilon_0}$$

$$|\vec{E}| \cdot \int d\vec{a} = \frac{\sigma A}{\epsilon_0}$$

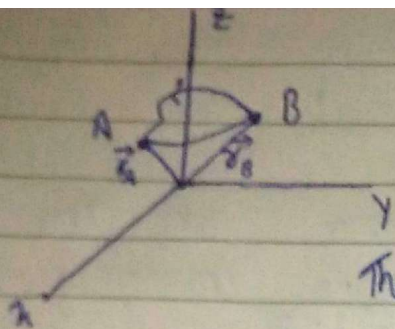
$$|\vec{E}| = \frac{\sigma}{\epsilon_0} \hat{n}$$



Two infinite planes carry equal & opp. uniform charge of $\pm\sigma$



Find the EF in each of these regions



$$E = \frac{1}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \frac{q}{r^2} \hat{r}$$

The line integral of \vec{E} $\int_A^B \vec{E} \cdot d\vec{l}$

Therefore, $\vec{E} \cdot d\vec{l} = \frac{1}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \frac{1}{r^2} dr$

$$\int_A^B \vec{E} \cdot d\vec{l} = \int_A^B \frac{q dr}{4\pi\epsilon_0 r^2} = \frac{q}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \left[\frac{1}{r_A} - \frac{1}{r_B} \right]$$

According to Stoke's theorem

$$\oint (\nabla \times \vec{v}) \cdot d\vec{a} = \oint \vec{v} \cdot d\vec{l}$$

$$\nabla \times \vec{v} \cdot d\vec{a} = \nabla \cdot d\vec{l}$$

The electric field is conserved

Definition - (v) Electrostatic potential

$\nabla \times \vec{E} = 0$, the line of an \vec{E} around the closed loop is zero.

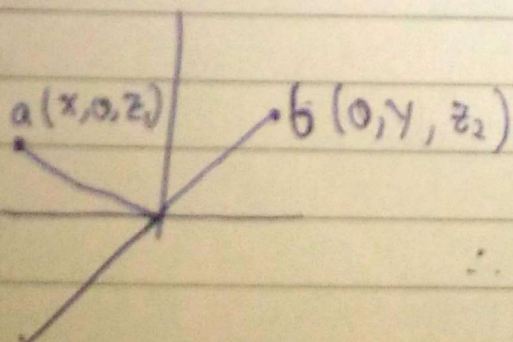
The line integral is independent of path, we can find a function V

$$V(r) = - \int_A^r \vec{E} \cdot d\vec{l}$$

↓
Scalar quantity.

$A \rightarrow$ any reference point

The function V is dependent on the point r . This is called potential.



$$V(b) = - \int_0^b \vec{E} \cdot d\vec{l}$$

$$V(a) = - \int_a^0 \vec{E} \cdot d\vec{l}$$

$$\therefore V(b) - V(a) = - \int_a^b \vec{E} \cdot d\vec{l}$$

(Potential diff.)

Suppose, we wish to move a charge q a distance dl in an electric field \vec{E} .

The force acting on the charge particle having charge q .

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

Therefore, we must apply eq. & opposite force to the force associated with \vec{E} .

The differential work done by the external force moving q is

$$-dW = -q\vec{E} \cdot d\vec{l}$$

The work required to move the charge from infinite to finite distance

$$W = -q \int_{\text{infinite}}^{\text{finite}} \vec{E} \cdot d\vec{l}$$

Suppose we have a non-uniform electric field $\vec{E} = y\hat{i} + x\hat{j} + z\hat{k}$ determine the work done on a charge $2q$ from $B(1,0,1)$ to $A(0.8,0.6,1)$ along the shortest route.

Ans

$$W = -2q \int_B^A \vec{E} \cdot d\vec{l}$$

$$= -2q \int_B^A (y dx + x dy + z dz)$$

$$= -2q \left[\frac{y^2}{2} + \frac{x^2}{2} + \frac{z^2}{2} \right]_B^A$$

$$= -2q \left[\frac{1}{2} (0.8^2 + 0.6^2 + 1^2) - \frac{1}{2} (1^2 + 0^2 + 1^2) \right]$$

Electric potential of a system
 i) Uniformly charged hollow sphere
 $V(\infty) = 0$, $V(r) = - \int_{\infty}^r \vec{E} \cdot d\vec{l} = \frac{q}{4\pi\epsilon_0 r}$

On the surface $V(R) = \frac{q}{4\pi\epsilon_0 R}$

Inside = $-\int_{\infty}^R \vec{E} \cdot d\vec{r}$

