

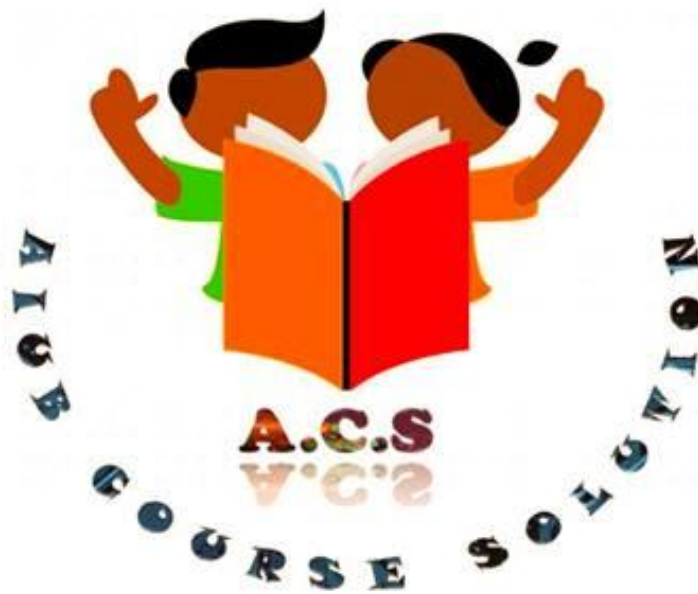
AIUB COURSE SOLUTION

PHYSICS -2

ELECTRIC FIELD

NEW MATH SOLUTION

Summer-16



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Electric Field

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Electric field due to a point charge:

5E:

What is the magnitude of a point charge whose electric field 50 cm away has the magnitude 2.0 N/C?

$$|+q| = ?$$

Given that,

$$r = 50 \text{ cm}$$

$$= \frac{50}{100}$$

$$= 0.5 \text{ m}$$

$$E = 2.0 \text{ N/C}$$

$$\frac{1}{4\pi\epsilon_0} = 9 \times 10^9 \text{ Nm}^2/\text{C}^2$$

$$|+q| = ?$$

$$\text{We know, } E = \frac{1}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \cdot \frac{q}{r^2}$$

$$E = k \cdot \frac{q}{r^2}$$

$$\Rightarrow E r^2 = k q$$

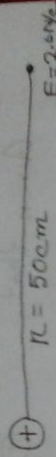
$$\Rightarrow k q = E r^2$$

$$\Rightarrow q = \frac{E r^2}{k}$$

$$\Rightarrow q = \frac{2.0 \times (0.5)^2}{9 \times 10^9} \text{ C}$$

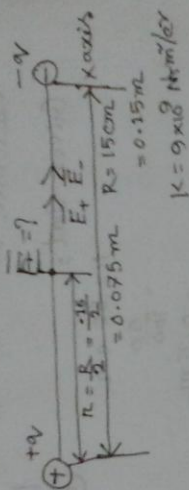
$$= 5.5 \times 10^{-11} \text{ C}$$

Answer: $5.5 \times 10^{-11} \text{ C}$



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GE: Two particles equal charge magnitudes $2.0 \times 10^{-8} \text{ C}$ but opposite signs are held 15 cm apart. What are the magnitude and direction of E at the point midway between the charges?



Given that,

$$R = 15 \text{ cm}$$

$$= 0.15 \text{ m}$$

$$R = \frac{R}{2}$$

$$= \frac{0.15}{2}$$

$$= 0.075 \text{ m}$$

$$\frac{1}{4\pi\epsilon_0} = 9 \times 10^9 \text{ Nm}^2/\text{C}^2$$

$$|q| = 2.0 \times 10^{-8} \text{ C}$$

$$E = ?$$

We know

$$E_+ = \frac{1}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \cdot \frac{|+q|}{r^2}$$

$$\Rightarrow \vec{E}_+ = k \cdot \frac{q}{r^2} \cdot \hat{i}$$

Again,

$$E_- = \frac{1}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \cdot \frac{|-q|}{r^2}$$

$$= k \cdot \frac{q}{r^2} \cdot \hat{i}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Now, } \vec{E} &= \vec{E}_+ + \vec{E}_- \\ &= k \cdot \frac{q}{r^2} \cdot \hat{i} + k \cdot \frac{q}{r^2} \cdot \hat{i} \\ &= 2 \left(k \cdot \frac{q}{r^2} \right) \hat{i} \\ &= 2 \times 9 \times 10^9 \cdot \frac{2.0 \times 10^{-8}}{(0.075)^2} \hat{i} \\ &= 640000 \hat{i} \\ &= 6.4 \times 10^5 \hat{i} \text{ N/C} \end{aligned}$$

Answer:

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13P: What is the magnitude and direction of the electric field at the center of the square of if $q = 1.0 \times 10^{-8} \text{ C}$ and $a = 5.0 \text{ cm}$? $\vec{E} = \frac{2kq}{a^2} \hat{i}$

X-axis

$$-q: \vec{E} = k \frac{1-q}{r^2}$$

$$E_{x-} = k \frac{q}{\left(\frac{a}{\sqrt{2}}\right)^2}$$

$$= k \frac{q}{\frac{a^2}{2}}$$

$$\vec{E}_{x-} = \frac{2kq}{a^2} \left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}\right) \hat{i}$$

$$\vec{E}_{x-} = - \frac{2kq}{a^2} \hat{i}$$

$$+2q: \vec{E}_{x+} = k \frac{1-2q}{r^2}$$

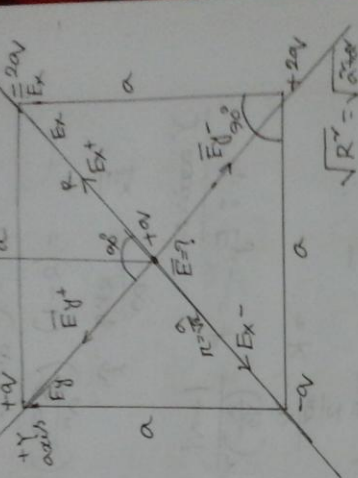
$$= k \frac{2q}{\left(\frac{a}{\sqrt{2}}\right)^2}$$

$$= k \frac{2q}{\frac{a^2}{2}}$$

$$\vec{E}_{x+} = 2 \left(\frac{2kq}{a^2} \right) \hat{i}$$

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$$\sqrt{R^2} = \sqrt{2kq^2}$$

$$\Rightarrow R = \sqrt{2kq^2}$$

$$= a\sqrt{2}$$

$$\frac{R}{2} = \frac{a\sqrt{2}}{2}$$

$$R = \frac{a\sqrt{2}}{\sqrt{2}\sqrt{2}}$$

$$= \frac{a}{\sqrt{2}}$$

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$$\bar{E}_x = \bar{E}_{x-} + \bar{E}_{x+}$$

$$= -1 \left(\frac{2kq}{\alpha v} \right) \hat{i} + 2 \left(\frac{2kq}{\alpha v} \right) \hat{i}$$

$$= (2-1) \left(\frac{2kq}{\alpha v} \right) \hat{i}$$

$$\bar{E}_x = \frac{2kq}{\alpha v} \hat{i}$$

Y axis:

$$+q : \bar{E}_{y-} = k \frac{1+\alpha}{\left(\frac{a}{\sqrt{2}}\right)^2}$$

$$= k \frac{a}{\frac{a^2}{2}}$$

$$\bar{E}_{y-} = \frac{2kq}{\alpha v} (-\hat{j})$$

$$= -\frac{2kq}{\alpha v} \hat{j}$$

$$+2q : \bar{E}_{y+} = k \frac{1+2\alpha}{\left(\frac{a}{\sqrt{2}}\right)^2}$$

$$= k \frac{2a}{\frac{a^2}{2}}$$

$$\bar{E}_{y+} = 2 \left(\frac{2kq}{\alpha v} \right) \hat{j}$$

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$$\begin{aligned}\vec{E}_y &= \vec{E}_y - + \vec{E}_y + \\ &= -1 \left(\frac{2Kq}{a^2} \right) \hat{j} + 2 \left(\frac{2Kq}{a^2} \right) \hat{j} \\ &= (2-1) \left(\frac{2Kq}{a^2} \right) \hat{j}\end{aligned}$$

$$\vec{E}_y = \frac{2Kq}{a^2} \hat{j}$$

$$\begin{aligned}E_x &= E_x + E_y + 2E_x E_y \cos 90^\circ \\ \sqrt{E_x} &= \sqrt{E_x + E_y} \quad \left[E_x = E_y = \frac{2Kq}{a^2} \right]\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}E &= \sqrt{E_x + E_y} \\ &= \sqrt{E_x + E_x}\end{aligned}$$

$$= \sqrt{2E_x}$$

$$= \frac{2Kq}{a^2} \sqrt{2}$$

$$= \frac{2 \times 9 \times 10^9 \times 1.0 \times 10^{-8}}{(0.05)^2} \times \sqrt{2}$$

Given that,

$$= 1.02 \times 10^5 \text{ N/C}$$

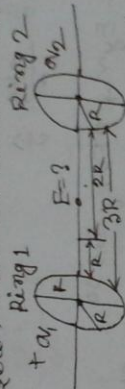
$$a = 5.0 \text{ cm} = 0.05 \text{ m}$$

$$q = 1.0 \times 10^{-8} \text{ C}$$

Answer:

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18E: Shows two parallel nonconducting rings arranged with their central axes along a common line. Ring 1 has uniform charge q_1 and radius R ; ring 2 has uniform charge q_2 and the same radius R . The rings are separated by a distance $3R$. The net electric field at point P on the common line, at distance R from ring 1, is zero, what is the ratio q_1/q_2 ?



E field due to the q_1 charge of Ring 1 at the point is R .

$$E_1 = \frac{q_1 R}{4\pi\epsilon_0 (R^2 + R^2)^{3/2}}$$

E field due to the q_2 charge of Ring 2 at the point is R .

$$E_2 = \frac{q_2 2R}{4\pi\epsilon_0 (R^2 + 4R^2)^{3/2}}$$

$$= \frac{q_2 R}{2\pi\epsilon_0 (R^2 + 4R^2)^{3/2}}$$

According to the problem,

$$E_1 = E_2$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{q_1 R}{4\pi\epsilon_0 (R^2 + R^2)^{3/2}} = \frac{q_2 R}{2\pi\epsilon_0 (R^2 + 4R^2)^{3/2}}$$

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$$\Rightarrow \frac{a_1}{a_2} = \frac{2(R^2 + R^2)^{\frac{3}{2}}}{(R^2 + 4R^2)^{\frac{3}{2}}}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{a_1}{a_2} = \frac{2(2R^2)^{\frac{3}{2}}}{(5R^2)^{\frac{3}{2}}}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{a_1}{a_2} = \frac{2}{5}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{a_1}{a_2} = \frac{5.66 R^3}{11.18 R^3}$$

$$\therefore \frac{a_1}{a_2} = 0.51$$

Answer: /

L has charge -q unit

Q3P: A nonconducting rod of length L has charge -q unit

uniformly distributed along its length.

(a) What is the linear charge density of the rod?

(b) What is the electric field at point P, a distance

a from the end of the rod?

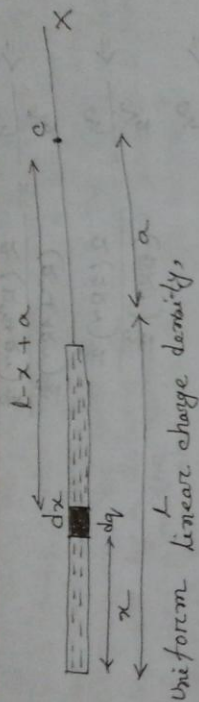
(c) If P were very far from the rod compared to L, the

rod would look like a point charge. Show that your

answer to (c) reduces to the electric field of a point charge for

$a \gg L$.

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Uniform linear charge density,

$$\lambda = \frac{Q}{L} = \frac{dq}{dx}$$

$$\therefore dq = \lambda dx$$

The electric field due to the charge \$dq\$,

$$dE = \frac{1}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \frac{dq}{(l+a-x)^2}$$

$$= \frac{1}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \frac{\lambda dx}{(l+a-x)^2}$$

$$E = \int_0^L dE$$

$$= \frac{\lambda}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \int_{x=0}^{x=L} \frac{dx}{(l+a-x)^2}$$

Let, \$l+a-x=u\$

$$\Rightarrow -dx = du$$

$$\therefore \int \frac{dx}{(l+a-x)^2} = - \int \frac{du}{u^2}$$

$$\frac{1}{u} = \frac{1}{l+a-x}$$

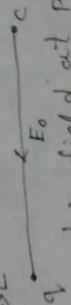
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$$\therefore E = \frac{\lambda}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \left[\frac{1}{l+a-x} \right]_0^l$$

$$E = \frac{\lambda}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \left[\frac{1}{l+a-l} - \frac{1}{l+a-0} \right]$$

$$E = \frac{\lambda}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \left[\frac{1}{a} - \frac{1}{l+a} \right]$$

④ If $a \gg l$



The net electric field at point c.

$$E_0 = \frac{1}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \frac{q}{a^2}$$

Electric field due to an electric dipole
 p: Consider two charged particles of magnitude q but opposite sign, separated by a distance d . If $z \gg d$, find the electric field E due to the dipole at point P , a distance z from the midpoint of the dipole and on the dipole axis. Hence write E in terms of the electric dipole moment p .

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

$$\vec{E}_- = \frac{1}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \frac{q}{r_-^2} (-\hat{r}_-)$$

$$\therefore \vec{E} = \vec{E}_+ + \vec{E}_-$$

$$= \frac{q}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \left[\frac{1}{r_+^2} - \frac{1}{r_-^2} \right] \hat{r}$$

$$= \frac{q}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \left[\frac{1}{\left(z - \frac{d}{2}\right)^2} - \frac{1}{\left(z + \frac{d}{2}\right)^2} \right] \hat{r}$$

$$\vec{E} = \frac{q}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \left[\frac{1}{\left(z - \frac{d}{2}\right)^2} - \frac{1}{\left(z + \frac{d}{2}\right)^2} \right] \hat{r}$$

If $z \gg d$

Binomial theorem:

$$(1+x)^n = 1 + \frac{nx}{1} + \frac{n(n-1)x^2}{2!} + \frac{n(n-1)(n-2)x^3}{3!} + \dots$$

$$\therefore \vec{E} = \frac{q}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \left[\frac{1}{\left\{2\left(1 - \frac{d}{2z}\right)\right\}^2} - \frac{1}{\left\{2\left(1 + \frac{d}{2z}\right)\right\}^2} \right] \hat{r}$$

$$\left[\frac{1}{2^2 \left(1 - \frac{d}{2z}\right)^2} - \frac{1}{2^2 \left(1 + \frac{d}{2z}\right)^2} \right] \hat{r}$$

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$$E = \frac{q}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \left[\frac{1}{z^2 \left(1 - \frac{d}{2z}\right)^2} - \frac{1}{z^2 \left(1 + \frac{d}{2z}\right)^2} \right] \hat{r}$$

$$\vec{E} = \frac{q}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \cdot \frac{1}{z^2} \left[\frac{1}{\left(1 - \frac{d}{2z}\right)^2} - \frac{1}{\left(1 + \frac{d}{2z}\right)^2} \right] \hat{r}$$

$$\vec{E} = \frac{q}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \cdot \frac{1}{z^2} \left[\left(1 - \frac{d}{2z}\right)^{-2} - \left(1 + \frac{d}{2z}\right)^{-2} \right] \hat{r}$$

$$\vec{E} = \frac{q}{4\pi\epsilon_0 z^2} \left[\left(1 - \frac{d}{2z}\right)^{-2} - \left(1 + \frac{d}{2z}\right)^{-2} \right] \hat{r}$$

$$\vec{E} = \frac{q}{4\pi\epsilon_0 z^2} \left[\left\{ 1 + \left(-\frac{d}{2z}\right) + \dots \right\}^{-2} - \left\{ 1 + \frac{d}{2z} \right\}^{-2} \right] \hat{r}$$

$$\vec{E} = \frac{q}{4\pi\epsilon_0 z^2} \left[\left\{ 1 + (-2) \cdot \left(-\frac{d}{2z}\right) + \dots \right\} - \left\{ 1 + \frac{d}{2z} \right\} \right] \hat{r}$$

$$\vec{E} = \frac{q}{4\pi\epsilon_0 z^2} \left[\left(1 + \frac{d}{z}\right) - \left(1 + \frac{d}{z}\right) \right] \hat{r}$$

$$\vec{E} = \frac{q}{4\pi\epsilon_0 z^2} \left(1 + \frac{d}{z} - 1 - \frac{d}{z} \right) \hat{r}$$

$$\vec{E} = \frac{q}{4\pi\epsilon_0 z^2} \left(2 \cdot \frac{d}{z} \right) \hat{r}$$

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$$\vec{E} = \frac{q d}{2\pi\epsilon_0 z^3} \hat{r}$$

\therefore Electric dipole moment

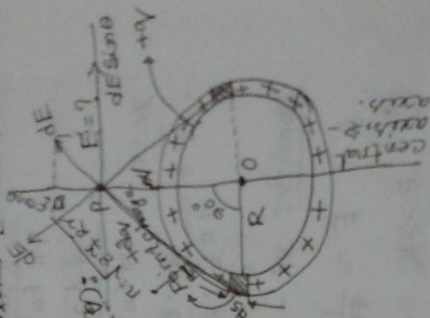
$p = \text{charge} \times \text{distance}$

$$\Rightarrow \vec{p} = q \times d \cdot \hat{r} \quad \therefore \vec{E} = \frac{1}{2\pi\epsilon_0 z^3}$$

Ans/

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Electric field due to a line of charge:
 Consider a thin ring of radius R with a uniform positive linear charge density λ around its circumference. What is the electric field E at point P .



E due to a line of charge (ring):

$$dE = \frac{1}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \frac{1 + \cos\theta}{r^2}$$

Linear charge density $\lambda = \frac{\text{charge}}{\text{length}}$

$$\lambda = \frac{dq}{ds}$$

$$dq = \lambda ds$$

$$dE = \frac{1}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \frac{\lambda ds}{(\sqrt{R^2 + z^2})^2}$$

$$= \frac{1}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \frac{\lambda ds}{(R^2 + z^2)}$$

$$E = \int_0^{2\pi R} dE \cos\theta$$

$$E = \int_0^{2\pi R} \frac{1}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \frac{\lambda ds}{R^2 + z^2} \frac{z}{\sqrt{R^2 + z^2}}$$

z is fixed, variable $\lambda = S$

$$= \int_0^{2\pi R} \frac{\lambda z}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \frac{ds}{(R^2 + z^2)^{3/2}}$$

$$1 + \frac{z^2}{R^2} = \frac{R^2 + z^2}{R^2}$$

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$$= \frac{\lambda z}{4\pi\epsilon_0 (z^2 + R^2)^{\frac{3}{2}}} \int_0^{2\pi R} ds$$

$$= \frac{\lambda z}{4\pi\epsilon_0 (z^2 + R^2)^{\frac{3}{2}}} (2\pi R)$$

$$= \frac{\lambda \{2\pi R\}}{4\pi\epsilon_0 (z^2 + R^2)^{\frac{3}{2}}}$$

$$\therefore \vec{E} = \frac{\lambda \hat{r}}{4\pi\epsilon_0 (z^2 + R^2)^{\frac{3}{2}}}$$

Property: If $-q$

$$\vec{E} = \frac{1}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \frac{qz}{(z^2 + R^2)^{\frac{3}{2}}} (-\hat{r})$$

(2) $z \gg R$

$$E = \frac{1}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \frac{qz}{(z^2 + R^2)^{\frac{3}{2}}}$$

$$= \frac{1}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \frac{q}{z^2}$$

$$= \frac{q}{4\pi\epsilon_0 z^2}$$

the ring.

$$\textcircled{3} \text{ E at the center of the ring. } V = \frac{1}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \frac{q(0)}{R^3}$$

$$E = \frac{1}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \frac{q(0)}{(0^2 + R^2)^{\frac{3}{2}}} \quad E = 0$$