

- ① A rectangular coil is placed in a field of $\vec{B} = (2\hat{a}_x + \hat{a}_y) \text{ wb/m}^2$. The coil is in y-z plane and has dimensions of $2\text{m} \times 2\text{m}$. It carries a current of 1A. Find the torque about the z-axis.

Solⁿ $\vec{m} = IS \hat{a}_n = 1 \times 4 \hat{a}_x$
 $\vec{T} = \vec{m} \times \vec{B} = 4 \hat{a}_x \times (2\hat{a}_x + \hat{a}_y) = 4 \hat{a}_z \text{ (N-m)}$

Ans.

- ② The vector magnetic potential, \vec{A} due to a direct current in a conductor in free space is given by $\vec{A} = (x^2 + y^2) \hat{a}_z$ ($\mu\text{wb/m}^2$). Determine the magnetic field produced by the current element at (1, 2, 3).

Solⁿ $\vec{A} = (x^2 + y^2) \hat{a}_z \text{ } \mu\text{wb/m}^2$
 we have $\vec{B} = \nabla \times \vec{A} = \begin{vmatrix} \hat{a}_x & \hat{a}_y & \hat{a}_z \\ \frac{\partial}{\partial x} & \frac{\partial}{\partial y} & \frac{\partial}{\partial z} \\ 0 & 0 & x^2 + y^2 \end{vmatrix}$
 $= [(2y) \hat{a}_x - (2x) \hat{a}_y] \times 10^{-6}$

$\vec{B} \big|_{(1,2,3)} = (4 \hat{a}_x - 2 \hat{a}_y) \times 10^{-6}$

$\vec{H} = \frac{\vec{B}}{\mu_0} = \frac{1}{4\pi \times 10^{-7}} (4\hat{a}_x - 2\hat{a}_y) 10^{-6}$
 $= (3.978 \hat{a}_x - 4.77 \hat{a}_y) \text{ A/m}$

- ③ A current element 4 cm long is along y-axis with a current of 10 mA flowing in y-direction. Determine the force on the current element due to the magnetic field if the magnetic field $\vec{H} = \frac{5\hat{a}_x}{\mu}$ A/m

Solⁿ

$$\vec{F} = I \vec{L} \times \vec{B} \quad ; \quad I \vec{L} = 10 \times 10^{-3} \times 0.04 \hat{a}_y$$

$$\therefore \vec{F} = 10 \times 10^{-3} \times 0.04 \hat{a}_y \times 5 \hat{a}_x$$

$$= -2.0 \hat{a}_z \text{ mN}$$

Ans.

$$\vec{B} = \frac{1}{\mu} \mu \vec{H} = \mu \frac{5\hat{a}_x}{\mu} = 5\hat{a}_x$$

- ④ A charge of 12 C has velocity of $5\hat{a}_x + 2\hat{a}_y + 3\hat{a}_z$ m/s. Determine the force on the charge in the field of
- (a) $\vec{E} = 18\hat{a}_x + 5\hat{a}_y + 10\hat{a}_z$ (V/m),
- (b) $\vec{B} = 4\hat{a}_x + 4\hat{a}_y + 3\hat{a}_z$ (Wb/m²)

Solⁿ (a) \vec{F} on Q due to \vec{E} is

$$\vec{F} = q\vec{E} = 12(18\hat{a}_x + 5\hat{a}_y + 10\hat{a}_z)$$

$$= 216\hat{a}_x + 60\hat{a}_y + 120\hat{a}_z$$

or, $F = q|\vec{E}| = 12\sqrt{18^2 + 5^2 + 10^2} = 254.27 \text{ N}$

(b) The force \vec{F} on the charge due to \vec{B} is

$$\vec{F} = q(\vec{v} \times \vec{B})$$

$$\vec{v} \times \vec{B} = \begin{vmatrix} \hat{a}_x & \hat{a}_y & \hat{a}_z \\ 5 & 2 & -3 \\ 4 & 4 & 3 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$\therefore \vec{F} = 12 (18 \hat{a}_x - 27 \hat{a}_y + 12 \hat{a}_z)$$

$$|\vec{F}| = 12 \sqrt{324 + 729 + 144}$$

$$\therefore \boxed{F = 415.17 \text{ N}}$$

(5) If $\vec{H} = y \cos 2x \hat{a}_x + (y + e^x) \hat{a}_z$, determine \vec{J} at the origin.

Solⁿ The differential form of Ampere's circuit law is

$$\vec{\nabla} \times \vec{H} = \vec{J}$$

$$\therefore \vec{J} = \begin{vmatrix} \hat{a}_x & \hat{a}_y & \hat{a}_z \\ \frac{\partial}{\partial x} & \frac{\partial}{\partial y} & \frac{\partial}{\partial z} \\ y \cos 2x & 0 & y + e^x \end{vmatrix}$$

$$= \hat{a}_x - e^x \hat{a}_y - \cos 2x \hat{a}_z$$

$$\vec{J} \big|_{(0,0,0)} = (\hat{a}_x - \hat{a}_y - \hat{a}_z) \text{ (A/m}^2\text{)}$$

Ans

⑥ If the magnetic flux density in a medium is given by $\vec{B} = \frac{1}{\rho} \cos \phi \hat{a}_\phi$, what is the flux crossing the surface defined by $-\frac{\pi}{4} < \phi \leq \frac{\pi}{4}$, $0 \leq z \leq 2\text{m}$.

Solⁿ $\vec{B} = \frac{1}{\rho} \cos \phi \hat{a}_\phi$

By definition $\Phi = \int_S \vec{B} \cdot d\vec{S}$

$$= \int_S \frac{1}{\rho} \cos \phi \hat{a}_\phi \cdot \rho d\phi dz \hat{a}_\phi$$

$$= \int_{z=0}^2 dz \int_{\phi=-\pi/4}^{\pi/4} \cos \phi d\phi$$

$$= 2.83 \text{ (wb)} \quad \underline{\text{Ans}}$$

⑦ A charged particle of mass 1 kg and charge 2C starts at the origin with zero initial velocity in a region where $\vec{E} = 3 \hat{a}_z \text{ (V/m)}$. Find the following:

- (a) The force on the particle
(b) The time it takes to reach point (0, 0, 12 m)

(c) It's velocity and acceleration at 'P'

(d) It's K.E. at P.

Solⁿ (a) $\vec{F} = q \vec{E} = 6 \hat{a}_z \text{ N}$ Ans

(b) $m \frac{d\vec{v}}{dt} = 6 \hat{a}_z$ $\frac{dv_x}{dt} = 0$
 $\frac{dv_y}{dt} = 0$

$\Rightarrow \vec{v} = 6t \hat{a}_z + C$

at $t=0$, initial velocity $= 0$

$\therefore C = 0$

$\therefore \vec{v} = 6t \hat{a}_z \text{ m/s.}$ Ans

(c)

$\frac{dz}{dt} = 6t$

$\therefore z = 3t^2 + A$

at $t=0$, $x=0$, $y=0$, $z=0$ (at origin)

$\therefore A = 0$

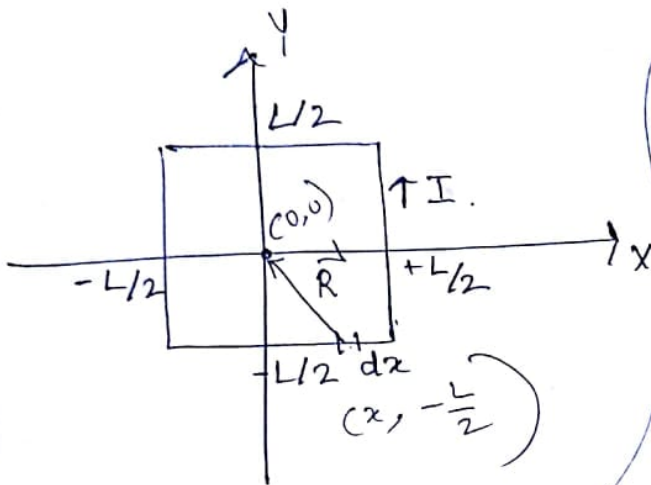
$z = 3t^2$

\therefore when $z=12$, $t^2 = 4$
 $\therefore t = 2 \text{ sec}$ Ans

$v(0,0,12\text{m}) = 6 \cdot 2 = 12 \hat{a}_z \text{ m/s.}$ Ans
 $f = 6 \hat{a}_z \text{ m/s}^2$ Ans

$K.E. = \frac{1}{2} m v^2 = \frac{1}{2} (12)^2 = 6 \cdot 12 = 72 \text{ J}$ Ans

(8) Find \vec{H} at the centre of a square current loop of side 'L'.



for $0 \leq x \leq L/2$, $y = -L/2$

$$d\vec{H} = \frac{I d\vec{\ell} \times \hat{a}_R}{4\pi R^2} \quad (\text{A/m})$$

$$= \frac{I dx \hat{a}_x \times \left[-x \hat{a}_x + \frac{L}{2} \hat{a}_y \right]}{4\pi \left[x^2 + \left(\frac{L}{2} \right)^2 \right]^{3/2}}$$

By symmetry, each half-side contributes the same amount of \vec{H} at the centre.

total field at origin

$$= 8 \cdot \int_0^{L/2} \frac{I dx \left(\frac{L}{2} \right) \hat{a}_z}{4\pi \left(x^2 + \left(\frac{L}{2} \right)^2 \right)^{3/2}}$$

$$= \frac{2\sqrt{2} I}{\pi L} \hat{a}_z$$

on \hat{a}_n

where \hat{a}_n is the unit normal to the plane of the loop as given by the usual right-hand rule.

(a) In the region $0 < \rho < 0.5 \text{ m}$,
 the cylindrical co-ordinates,
 the current density is
 $\vec{J} = 4.5 e^{-2\rho} \hat{a}_z \text{ (A/m}^2\text{)}$

& $\vec{J} = 0$ elsewhere.
 Use Ampere's law to find \vec{H} .

Soln

$$\oint \vec{H} \cdot d\vec{l} = 2\pi\rho H\phi = I_{enc}$$

$$= \int \vec{J} \cdot d\vec{s}$$

$$= \int_{\phi=0}^{2\pi} \int_{\rho=0}^{\rho} 4.5 e^{-2\rho} \hat{a}_z \cdot \rho d\rho d\phi \hat{a}_z$$

$$\boxed{\vec{H} = \frac{0.297}{\rho} \hat{a}_\phi \text{ (A/m)}}$$