

RC for Mid 1

Chapter 3

Outline

- Some tips
- Coulomb's Law & Gauss's Law
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- Conductors & Dielectrics in Static Electric Field
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- Capacitance
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Fundamental Postulates

Postulates of Electrostatics in Free Space	
Differential Form	Integral Form
$\nabla \cdot \mathbf{E} = \frac{\rho}{\epsilon_0}$	$\oint_S \mathbf{E} \cdot d\mathbf{s} = \frac{Q}{\epsilon_0}$
$\nabla \times \mathbf{E} = 0$	$\oint_C \mathbf{E} \cdot d\boldsymbol{\ell} = 0$

Gauss' s Law ←

Coulomb's Law

1. Electric Field due to a System of Discrete Charges

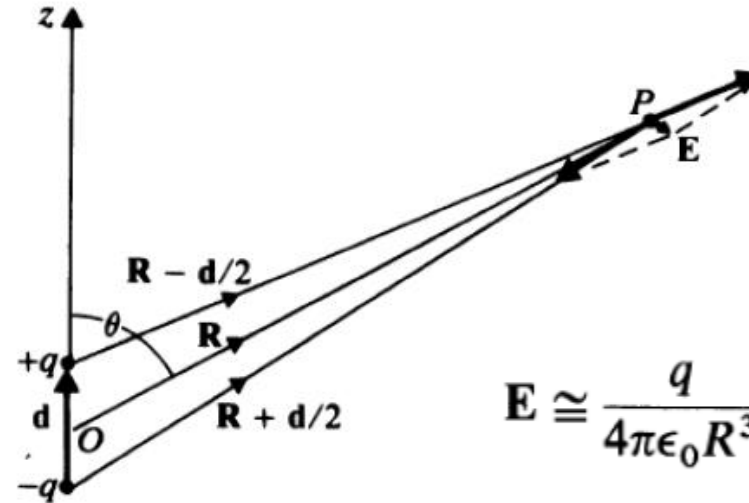
$$\mathbf{E}_p = \frac{q(\mathbf{R} - \mathbf{R}')}{4\pi\epsilon_0|\mathbf{R} - \mathbf{R}'|^3} \quad (\text{V/m}).$$



$$\mathbf{E} = \frac{1}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \sum_{k=1}^n \frac{q_k(\mathbf{R} - \mathbf{R}'_k)}{|\mathbf{R} - \mathbf{R}'_k|^3} \quad (\text{V/m}).$$

$$\mathbf{F}_{12} = q_2 \mathbf{E}_{12} = \mathbf{a}_R \frac{q_1 q_2}{4\pi\epsilon_0 R^2} \quad (\text{N}).$$

Electric Dipole (important!)



$$\mathbf{E} \cong \frac{q}{4\pi\epsilon_0 R^3} \left[3 \frac{\mathbf{R} \cdot \mathbf{d}}{R^2} \mathbf{R} - \mathbf{d} \right].$$

Dipole moment:

Definition - The product of the charge q and the vector \mathbf{d}

$$\mathbf{p} = q\mathbf{d}.$$

2. For a surface or line charge

$$\mathbf{E} = \frac{1}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \int_{S'} \mathbf{a}_R \frac{\rho_s}{R^2} ds' \quad (\text{V/m}).$$

$$\mathbf{E} = \frac{1}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \int_{L'} \mathbf{a}_R \frac{\rho_\ell}{R^2} d\ell' \quad (\text{V/m}),$$

Summing scalars is easier
than summing vector!!!

$$\vec{E}(\vec{r}) = -\nabla V(\vec{r})$$

To calculate the field

Potential:

$$V(\vec{r}) = \sum_{i=1} \frac{q_i}{4\pi\epsilon_0 |\vec{r} - \vec{r}_i|} \quad \text{Point Charges}$$

$$V(\vec{r}) = \int_L \frac{\lambda(\vec{r}_s)}{4\pi\epsilon_0 |\vec{r} - \vec{r}_s|} dl_s \quad \text{Line Charges}$$

$$V(\vec{r}) = \iint_S \frac{\sigma(\vec{r}_s)}{4\pi\epsilon_0 |\vec{r} - \vec{r}_s|} dS_s \quad \text{Surface Charges}$$

$$V(\vec{r}) = \iiint_V \frac{\rho(\vec{r}_s)}{4\pi\epsilon_0 |\vec{r} - \vec{r}_s|} dV_s \quad \text{Volume charges}$$



Gauss' s Law

$$\mathbf{E} = \frac{1}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \int_{V'} \mathbf{a}_R \frac{\rho}{R^2} dv' \quad (\text{V/m}),$$

$$\mathbf{E} = \frac{1}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \int_{S'} \mathbf{a}_R \frac{\rho_s}{R^2} ds' \quad (\text{V/m}).$$

$$\mathbf{E} = \frac{1}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \int_{L'} \mathbf{a}_R \frac{\rho_\ell}{R^2} d\ell' \quad (\text{V/m}),$$

or

$$\oint_S \mathbf{E} \cdot d\mathbf{s} = \frac{Q}{\epsilon_0}.$$

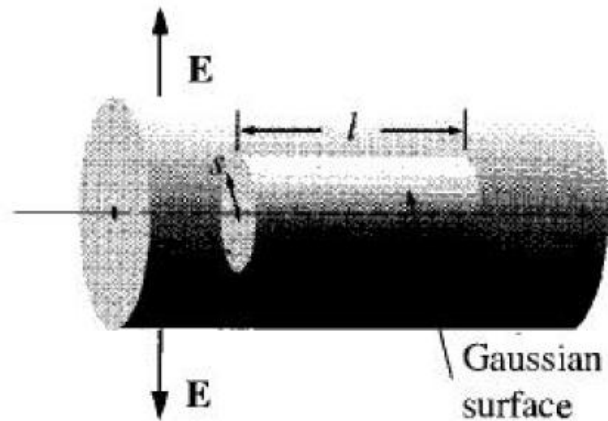
**When Gauss' s Law is useful*

**The examples on the lecture slides*

S : can be any hypothetical closed surface

Practice

A long cylinder (Fig. 2.21) carries a charge density that is proportional to the distance from the axis: $\rho = ks$, for some constant k . Find the electric field inside this cylinder.



$$\mathbf{E} = \frac{1}{3\epsilon_0} ks^2 \hat{\mathbf{s}}.$$

Electric Potential

$$\nabla \times \mathbf{E} = 0 \quad \Rightarrow \quad \boxed{\mathbf{E} = -\nabla V}$$

Calculation !

$$\boxed{V_2 - V_1 = - \int_{P_1}^{P_2} \mathbf{E} \cdot d\ell \quad (\text{V}).}$$

In going **against** the E field the electric potential V **increases**

$V(R)$ of **a point charge at origin**

$$V_2 - V_1 = - \int_{P_1}^{P_2} \mathbf{E} \cdot d\boldsymbol{\ell} \quad (\text{V}).$$

With reference point at infinity

$$V = - \int_{\infty}^R \left(\mathbf{a}_R \frac{q}{4\pi\epsilon_0 R^2} \right) \cdot (\mathbf{a}_R dR),$$

$$V = \frac{q}{4\pi\epsilon_0 R} \quad (\text{V}).$$

Potential difference between any two points

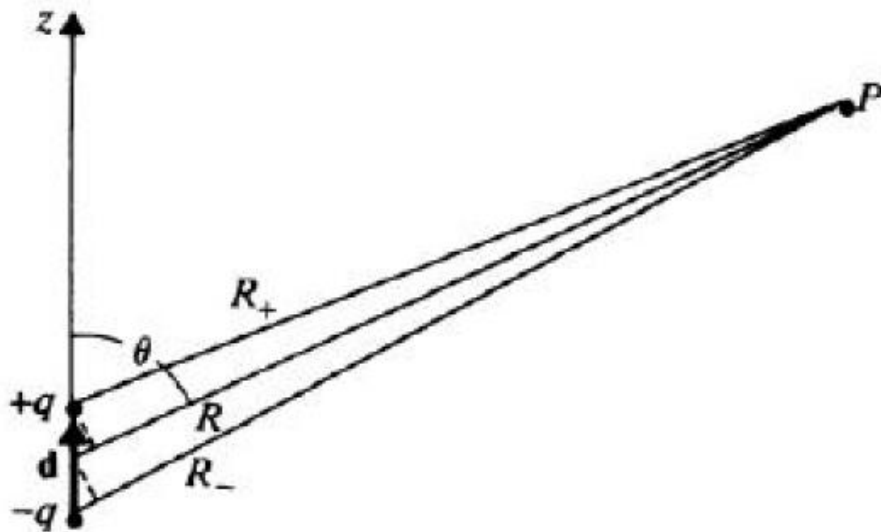
$$V_{21} = V_{P_2} - V_{P_1} = \frac{q}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \left(\frac{1}{R_2} - \frac{1}{R_1} \right).$$

A charge is moved from P_1 to P_2 (against the E field if $V_{21} > 0$)

V due to n Discrete Point Charges

$$V = \frac{1}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \sum_{k=1}^n \frac{q_k}{|\mathbf{R} - \mathbf{R}'_k|} \quad (\text{V}).$$

V due to dipole



$$V = \frac{qd \cos \theta}{4\pi\epsilon_0 R^2}$$

$$V = \frac{\mathbf{p} \cdot \mathbf{a}_R}{4\pi\epsilon_0 R^2} \quad (\text{V}),$$

where $\mathbf{p} = q\mathbf{d}$.

$$\mathbf{d} \cdot \mathbf{a}_R = d \cos \theta$$

$$V = \frac{qd \cos \theta}{4\pi\epsilon_0 R^2}$$



$$\mathbf{E} = -\nabla V = -\mathbf{a}_R \frac{\partial V}{\partial R} - \mathbf{a}_\theta \frac{1}{R} \frac{\partial V}{\partial \theta}$$

$$= \frac{p}{4\pi\epsilon_0 R^3} (\mathbf{a}_R 2 \cos \theta + \mathbf{a}_\theta \sin \theta).$$

Conductors in Static Electric field

Inside a Conductor (Under Static Conditions)
$\rho = 0$ $\mathbf{E} = 0$



By Gauss's law

At a state of equilibrium

The tangential component of the E field on a conductor surface is zero.



Boundary Conditions at a Conductor/Free Space Interface
$E_t = 0$ $E_n = \frac{\rho_s}{\epsilon_0}$

*Eg 3-11

EXAMPLE 3-13 Consider two spherical conductors with radii b_1 and b_2 ($b_2 > b_1$) that are connected by a conducting wire. The distance of separation between the conductors is assumed to be very large in comparison to b_2 so that the charges on the spherical conductors may be considered as uniformly distributed. A total charge Q is deposited on the spheres. Find (a) the charges on the two spheres, and (b) the electric field intensities at the sphere surfaces.

Solution

- a) Refer to Fig. 3-22. Since the spherical conductors are at the same potential, we have

$$\frac{Q_1}{4\pi\epsilon_0 b_1} = \frac{Q_2}{4\pi\epsilon_0 b_2}$$

or

$$\frac{Q_1}{Q_2} = \frac{b_1}{b_2}.$$

Hence the charges on the spheres are directly proportional to their radii. But, since

$$Q_1 + Q_2 = Q,$$

we find that

$$Q_1 = \frac{b_1}{b_1 + b_2} Q \quad \text{and} \quad Q_2 = \frac{b_2}{b_1 + b_2} Q.$$

b) The electric field intensities at the surfaces of the two conducting spheres are

$$E_{1n} = \frac{Q_1}{4\pi\epsilon_0 b_1^2} \quad \text{and} \quad E_{2n} = \frac{Q_2}{4\pi\epsilon_0 b_2^2},$$

so

$$\frac{E_{1n}}{E_{2n}} = \left(\frac{b_2}{b_1}\right)^2 \frac{Q_1}{Q_2} = \frac{b_2}{b_1}.$$

The electric field intensities are therefore inversely proportional to the radii, being higher at the surface of the smaller sphere which has a larger curvature. ■

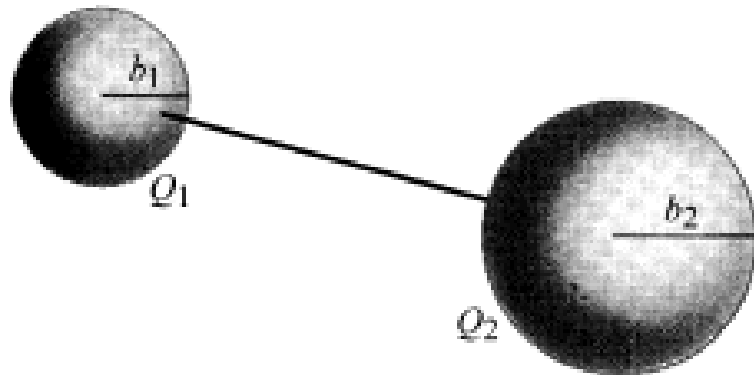


FIGURE 3-22

Two connected conducting spheres (Example 3-13).

Dielectrics in Static Electric field

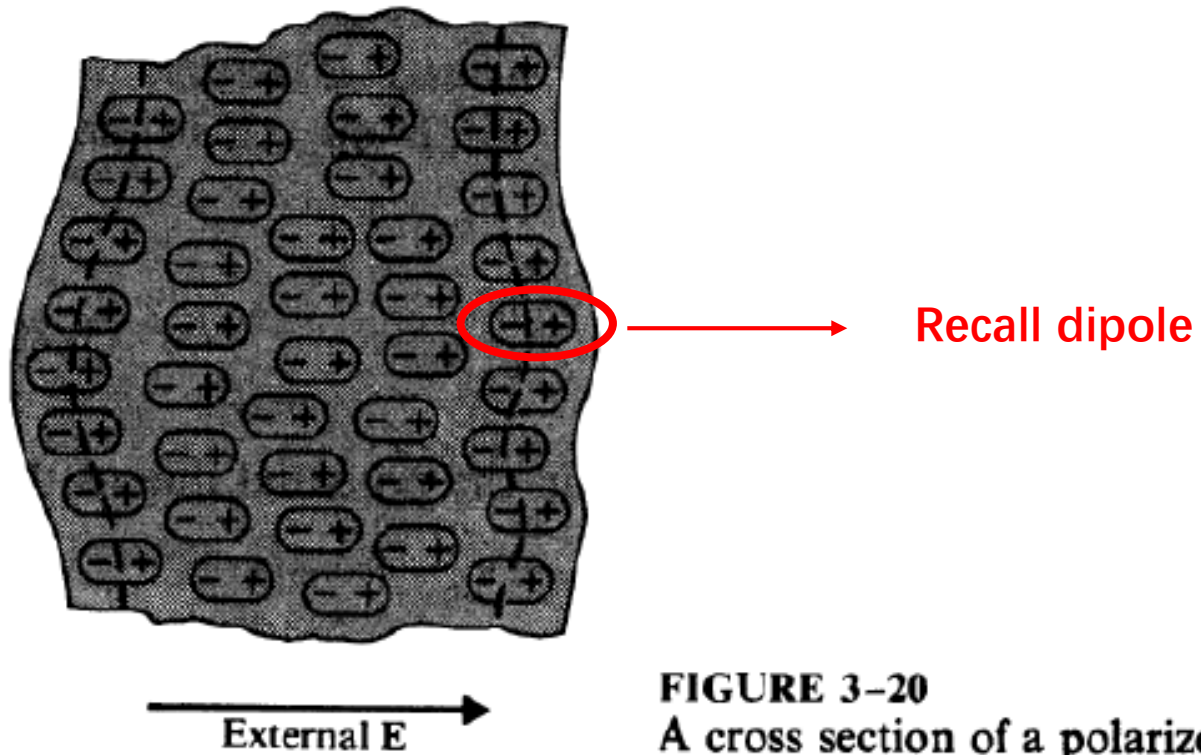


FIGURE 3-20
A cross section of a polarized dielectric medium.

Polarization

Surface Charge
Distribution



$$\rho_{ps} = \mathbf{P} \cdot \mathbf{a}_n$$

Volume Charge
Distribution



$$\rho_p = -\nabla \cdot \mathbf{P}$$

Polarization charge densities,
or bound-charge densities

- Polarization vector:

$N = n\Delta v$,
where N is the Total # in a volume (Δv);
 n is the number density

$$\mathbf{P} = \lim_{\Delta v \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sum_{k=1}^{n\Delta v} \mathbf{p}_k}{\Delta v} \quad (\text{C/m}^2),$$

$$\mathbf{p} = q\mathbf{d}$$

$$\mathbf{P} = n\mathbf{p} = nq\mathbf{d}$$

* Lecture slides p15-18

Modified Maxwell's Equations

Equations of Electrostatics in Any Medium

$$\nabla \cdot \mathbf{D} = \rho \quad (\text{C/m}^3),$$

$$\nabla \times \mathbf{E} = 0.$$

Important!

$$\mathbf{D} = \epsilon_0 \mathbf{E} + \mathbf{P} \quad (\text{C/m}^2).$$

Where D: electric flux density, electric displacement

Permittivity

– For linear and isotropic medium,

$\mathbf{P} = \epsilon_0 \chi_e \mathbf{E}$, χ_e dimensionless quantity called *electric susceptibility*

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbf{D} &= \epsilon_0(1 + \chi_e)\mathbf{E} \\ &= \epsilon_0 \epsilon_r \mathbf{E} = \epsilon \mathbf{E} \quad (\text{C/m}^2), \end{aligned}$$

Relative permittivity
(dielectric constant)

$$\epsilon_r = 1 + \chi_e = \frac{\epsilon}{\epsilon_0}$$

ϵ : absolute permittivity (or simply permittivity)

Anisotropic Medium

The ϵ_r is different for different directions of the electric field

– **D** and **E** vectors generally have different directions

– $\overline{\epsilon}$ is a tensor

$$\begin{bmatrix} D_x \\ D_y \\ D_z \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \epsilon_{11} & \epsilon_{12} & \epsilon_{13} \\ \epsilon_{21} & \epsilon_{22} & \epsilon_{23} \\ \epsilon_{31} & \epsilon_{32} & \epsilon_{33} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} E_x \\ E_y \\ E_z \end{bmatrix}.$$

Biaxial: $\epsilon_1 \neq \epsilon_2 \neq \epsilon_3$

$$\begin{bmatrix} D_x \\ D_y \\ D_z \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \epsilon_1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & \epsilon_2 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & \epsilon_3 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} E_x \\ E_y \\ E_z \end{bmatrix}.$$

$$\begin{aligned} D_x &= \epsilon_1 E_x, \\ D_y &= \epsilon_2 E_y, \\ D_z &= \epsilon_3 E_z. \end{aligned}$$

Uniaxial: $\epsilon_1 = \epsilon_2 \neq \epsilon_3$

EXAMPLE 3–12 A positive point charge Q is at the center of a spherical dielectric shell of an inner radius R_i and an outer radius R_o . The dielectric constant of the shell is ϵ_r . Determine \mathbf{E} , V , \mathbf{D} , and \mathbf{P} as functions of the radial distance R .

Solution The geometry of this problem is the same as that of Example 3–11. The conducting shell has now been replaced by a dielectric shell, but the procedure of solution is similar. Because of the spherical symmetry, we apply Gauss's law to find \mathbf{E} and \mathbf{D} in three regions: (a) $R > R_o$; (b) $R_i < R < R_o$; and (c) $R < R_i$. Potential V is found from the negative line integral of \mathbf{E} , and polarization \mathbf{P} is determined by the relation

$$\mathbf{P} = \mathbf{D} - \epsilon_0 \mathbf{E} = \epsilon_0(\epsilon_r - 1)\mathbf{E}. \quad (3-107)$$

The \mathbf{E} , \mathbf{D} , and \mathbf{P} vectors have only radial components. Refer to Fig. 3–21(a), where the Gaussian surfaces are not shown in order to avoid cluttering up the figure.

a) $R > R_o$

The situation in this region is exactly the same as that in Example 3–11. We have, from Eqs. (3–73) and (3–74),

$$E_{R1} = \frac{Q}{4\pi\epsilon_0 R^2}$$

$$V_1 = \frac{Q}{4\pi\epsilon_0 R}.$$

From Eqs. (3–102) and (3–107) we obtain

$$D_{R1} = \epsilon_0 E_{R1} = \frac{Q}{4\pi R^2} \quad (3-108)$$

and

$$P_{R1} = 0. \quad (3-109)$$

b) $R_i < R < R_o$

The application of Gauss's law in this region gives us directly

$$E_{R2} = \frac{Q}{4\pi\epsilon_0\epsilon_r R^2} = \frac{Q}{4\pi\epsilon R^2}, \quad (3-110)$$

$$D_{R2} = \frac{Q}{4\pi R^2}, \quad (3-111)$$

$$P_{R2} = \left(1 - \frac{1}{\epsilon_r}\right) \frac{Q}{4\pi R^2}. \quad (3-112)$$

Note that D_{R2} has the same expression as D_{R1} and that both E_R and P_R have a discontinuity at $R = R_o$. In this region,

$$\begin{aligned} V_2 &= -\int_{\infty}^{R_o} E_{R1} dR - \int_{R_o}^R E_{R2} dR \\ &= V_1 \Big|_{R=R_o} - \frac{Q}{4\pi\epsilon} \int_{R_o}^R \frac{1}{R^2} dR \\ &= \frac{Q}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \left[\left(1 - \frac{1}{\epsilon_r}\right) \frac{1}{R_o} + \frac{1}{\epsilon_r R} \right]. \end{aligned} \quad (3-113)$$

c) $R < R_i$

Since the medium in this region is the same as that in the region $R > R_o$, the application of Gauss's law yields the same expressions for E_R , D_R , and P_R in

both regions:

$$E_{R3} = \frac{Q}{4\pi\epsilon_0 R^2},$$

$$D_{R3} = \frac{Q}{4\pi R^2},$$

$$P_{R3} = 0.$$

To find V_3 , we must add to V_2 at $R = R_i$ the negative line integral of E_{R3} :

$$\begin{aligned} V_3 &= V_2 \Big|_{R=R_i} - \int_{R_i}^R E_{R3} dR \\ &= \frac{Q}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \left[\left(1 - \frac{1}{\epsilon_r}\right) \frac{1}{R_o} - \left(1 - \frac{1}{\epsilon_r}\right) \frac{1}{R_i} + \frac{1}{R} \right]. \end{aligned} \quad (3-114)$$

The variations of $\epsilon_0 E_R$ and D_R versus R are plotted in Fig. 3-21(b). The difference $(D_R - \epsilon_0 E_R)$ is P_R and is shown in Fig. 3-21(c). The plot for V in Fig. 3-21(d) is a composite graph for V_1 , V_2 , and V_3 in the three regions. We note that D_R is a continuous curve exhibiting no sudden changes in going from one medium to another and that P_R exists only in the dielectric region. ■

Boundary Conditions

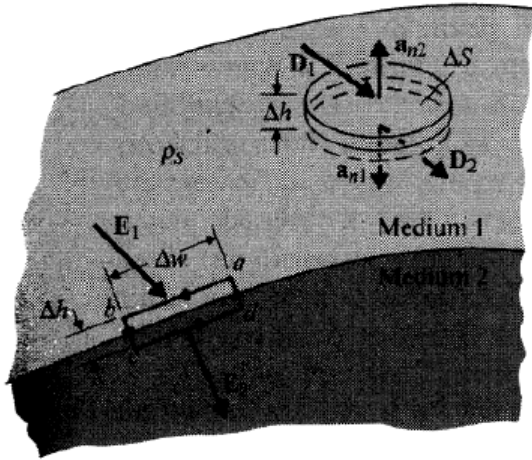


FIGURE 3-23
An interface between two media.

Tangential components, $E_{1t} = E_{2t}$;
Normal components, $\mathbf{a}_{n2} \cdot (\mathbf{D}_1 - \mathbf{D}_2) = \rho_s$.

1. For a dielectric (Medium 1)/conductor (Medium 2) interface:

$$\mathbf{D}_2 = 0 \quad \Rightarrow \quad D_{1n} = \epsilon_1 E_{1n} = \rho_s,$$

2. For no charge existing at the interface

$$\rho_s = 0, \quad \Rightarrow \quad \begin{aligned} D_{1n} &= D_{2n} \\ \epsilon_1 E_{1n} &= \epsilon_2 E_{2n}. \end{aligned}$$

Capacitance

The ratio Q/V unchanged

$$Q = CV,$$

C : capacitance (C/V, or Farad)

Series

$$\frac{1}{C_{sr}} = \frac{1}{C_1} + \frac{1}{C_2} + \cdots + \frac{1}{C_n}.$$

Parallel

$$C_{||} = C_1 + C_2 + \cdots + C_n.$$

$$V_1 = p_{11}Q_1 + p_{12}Q_2 + \cdots + p_{1N}Q_N,$$

$$V_2 = p_{21}Q_1 + p_{22}Q_2 + \cdots + p_{2N}Q_N,$$

$$\vdots$$

$$V_N = p_{N1}Q_1 + p_{N2}Q_2 + \cdots + p_{NN}Q_N.$$

p_{ij} : **coefficients of potential**; depends on
1. Shape and position of the conductor
2. Permittivity of surroundings

Capacitor

$E \perp$ conductor surfaces (equipotential surfaces)

$$C = \frac{Q}{V_{12}} \quad (\text{F}).$$

$$Q_1 = c_{11}V_1 + c_{12}V_2 + \cdots + c_{1N}V_N,$$

$$Q_2 = c_{21}V_1 + c_{22}V_2 + \cdots + c_{2N}V_N,$$

$$\vdots$$

$$Q_N = c_{N1}V_1 + c_{N2}V_2 + \cdots + c_{NN}V_N,$$

c_{ii} : **coefficients of capacitance**
 c_{ij} : **coefficients of induction** ($i \neq j$)

Electrostatic Energy & Forces

A charge Q_1 in free space. Work required to bring a **second** charge Q_2 from infinity to a distance R_{12} (position 2): $W = Q_2 V_{2\infty} = Q_2 V_2$

$$W_2 = Q_2 V_2 = Q_2 \frac{Q_1}{4\pi\epsilon_0 R_{12}}$$

Against E field of charge Q_1
(V_2 is due to charge Q_1)

Rewrite $W_2 = Q_2 V_2 = Q_2 \frac{Q_1}{4\pi\epsilon_0 R_{12}}$

$$W_2 = Q_1 \frac{Q_2}{4\pi\epsilon_0 R_{12}} = Q_1 V_1$$

$$Q_1 V_1 = Q_2 V_2$$

$$\rightarrow Q_1 V_1 + Q_2 V_2 = 2Q_1 V_1 = 2W_2$$

$$W_2 = \frac{1}{2}(Q_1 V_1 + Q_2 V_2)$$

General Expression

$$W_e = \frac{1}{2} \sum_{k=1}^N Q_k V_k \quad (\text{J}),$$

Potential V_k is caused by all the other charges

$$V_k = \frac{1}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \sum_{\substack{j=1 \\ (j \neq k)}}^N \frac{Q_j}{R_{jk}}$$

Energy Density

For a continuous charge distribution of density

ρ

$$W_e = \frac{1}{2} \int_{V'} \rho V dv \quad (\text{J}).$$

Volume

Electrical potential



$$W_e = \frac{1}{2} \int_{V'} (\nabla \cdot \mathbf{D}) V dv.$$

$$W_e = \frac{1}{2} \int_{V'} \mathbf{D} \cdot \mathbf{E} dv \quad (\text{J}).$$

$$W_e = \frac{1}{2} \int_{V'} \epsilon E^2 dv \quad (\text{J}).$$

$$W_e = \frac{1}{2} \int_{V'} \frac{D^2}{\epsilon} dv \quad (\text{J}).$$



$$W_e = \int_{V'} w_e dv.$$

$$w_e = \frac{1}{2} \mathbf{D} \cdot \mathbf{E} \quad (\text{J/m}^3)$$

$$w_e = \frac{1}{2} \epsilon E^2 \quad (\text{J/m}^3)$$

$$w_e = \frac{D^2}{2\epsilon} \quad (\text{J/m}^3).$$

Force & Torque

Mechanical **work** done **by the system**:

$$dW = \mathbf{F}_Q \cdot d\boldsymbol{\ell},$$

\mathbf{F}_Q : total electric force acting on the body

$$\mathbf{F}_Q = -\nabla W_e \quad (\text{N}).$$

$$(T_Q)_z = -\frac{\partial W_e}{\partial \phi} \quad (\text{N} \cdot \text{m}).$$

Practice

P.3–36 Determine the capacitance of an isolated conducting sphere of radius b that is coated with a dielectric layer of uniform thickness d . The dielectric has an electric susceptibility χ_e .

P.3–42 Find the electrostatic energy stored in the region of space $R > b$ around an electric dipole of moment \mathbf{p} .

$$\begin{aligned}\mathbf{E} &= -\nabla V = -\mathbf{a}_R \frac{\partial V}{\partial R} - \mathbf{a}_\theta \frac{1}{R} \frac{\partial V}{\partial \theta} \\ &= \frac{p}{4\pi\epsilon_0 R^3} (\mathbf{a}_R 2 \cos \theta + \mathbf{a}_\theta \sin \theta).\end{aligned}$$

P3.36

Consider the electric field \mathbf{E}_1 in the region $b < R < b+d$.

$$\mathbf{E}_1 = \mathbf{a}_R \frac{Q}{4\pi \epsilon_0 (R^2 + X_e R^2)} \dots\dots (1)$$

Where,

Electric susceptibility is denoted as X_e ,

Absolute permittivity is denoted as ϵ_0 ,

Charge is denoted as Q.

Consider the electric field \mathbf{E}_1 in the region $R > b+d$.

$$\mathbf{E}_2 = \mathbf{a}_R \frac{Q}{4\pi \epsilon_0 R^2} \dots\dots (2)$$

Consider the formula and find V.

$$V = -\int_{b+d}^b \mathbf{E}_1 \cdot d\mathbf{R} - \int_{\infty}^{b+d} \mathbf{E}_2 \cdot d\mathbf{R} \dots\dots (3)$$

Substitute equations (1) and (2) in (3).

$$\begin{aligned} V &= -\int_{b+d}^b \left(\mathbf{a}_R \frac{Q}{4\pi \epsilon_0 (R^2 + X_e R^2)} \right) \cdot d\mathbf{R} - \int_{\infty}^{b+d} \left(\mathbf{a}_R \frac{Q}{4\pi \epsilon_0 R^2} \right) \cdot d\mathbf{R} \\ &= -\int_{b+d}^b \left(\frac{Q}{4\pi \epsilon_0 (R^2 + X_e R^2)} \right) dR - \int_{\infty}^{b+d} \left(\frac{Q}{4\pi \epsilon_0 R^2} \right) dR \\ &= -\int_{b+d}^b \left(\frac{Q}{4\pi \epsilon_0 (1+X_e) R^2} \right) dR - \int_{\infty}^{b+d} \left(\frac{Q}{4\pi \epsilon_0 R^2} \right) dR \\ &= -\left(\frac{Q}{4\pi \epsilon_0} \left[-\frac{1}{(1+X_e)R} \right]_{b+d}^b - \left[\frac{1}{R} \right]_{\infty}^{b+d} \right) \\ V &= \frac{Q}{4\pi \epsilon_0} \left[\frac{1}{(1+X_e)R} \right]_{b+d}^b + \left[\frac{1}{R} \right]_{\infty}^{b+d} \\ &= \frac{Q}{4\pi \epsilon_0} \left[\frac{1}{(1+X_e)(b)} - \frac{1}{(1+X_e)(b+d)} \right] + \left[\frac{1}{b+d} \right] \\ &= \frac{Q}{4\pi \epsilon_0} \left[\frac{1}{(1+X_e)} \left(\frac{1}{b} - \frac{1}{b+d} \right) \right] + \left[\frac{1}{b+d} \right] \\ &= \frac{Q}{4\pi \epsilon_0} \left[\frac{1}{(1+X_e)} \left(\frac{d}{b(b+d)} \right) \right] + \left[\frac{1}{b+d} \right] \\ V &= \frac{Q}{4\pi \epsilon_0} \left[\frac{1}{(1+X_e)} \left(\frac{d}{b(b+d)} + \frac{1+X_e}{b+d} \right) \right] \\ &= \frac{Q}{4\pi \epsilon_0} \left[\frac{1}{(1+X_e)} \left(\frac{d}{b(b+d)} + \frac{b(1+X_e)}{b(b+d)} \right) \right] \\ &= \frac{Q}{4\pi \epsilon_0} \left[\frac{1}{(1+X_e)} \left(\frac{b(1+X_e)+d}{b(b+d)} \right) \right] \\ &= \frac{Q}{4\pi \epsilon_0} \left[\frac{1}{(1+X_e)} \left(\frac{b(X_e)+b+d}{b(b+d)} \right) \right] \\ V &= \frac{Q}{4\pi \epsilon_0} \left[\frac{1}{(1+X_e)} \left(\frac{X_e}{b+d} + \frac{1}{b} \right) \right] \\ V &= \frac{Q}{4\pi \epsilon_0 (1+X_e)} \left[\frac{X_e}{b+d} + \frac{1}{b} \right] \dots\dots (4) \end{aligned}$$

Consider the formula and find capacitance (C).

$$C = \frac{Q}{V}$$

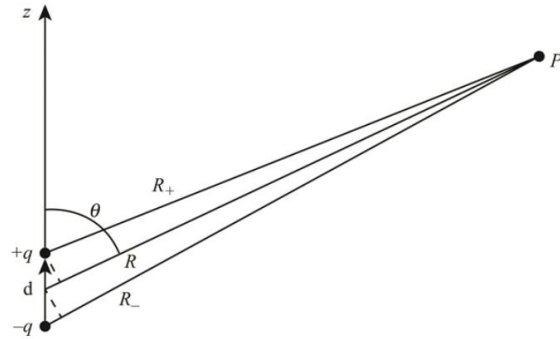
Substitute equation (4) for V.

$$\begin{aligned} C &= \frac{Q}{\frac{Q}{4\pi \epsilon_0 (1+X_e)} \left[\frac{X_e}{b+d} + \frac{1}{b} \right]} \\ &= \frac{1}{\frac{1}{4\pi \epsilon_0 (1+X_e)} \left[\frac{X_e}{b+d} + \frac{1}{b} \right]} \\ &= \frac{4\pi \epsilon_0 (1+X_e)}{\left(\frac{X_e}{b+d} + \frac{1}{b} \right)} \end{aligned}$$

Thus, the capacitance value of an isolated conducting sphere is

$$\boxed{\frac{4\pi \epsilon_0 (1+X_e)}{\left(\frac{X_e}{b+d} + \frac{1}{b} \right)}}$$

P3.42



Consider the value of electric field intensity in spherical coordinates.

$$\mathbf{E} = \frac{P}{4\pi \epsilon_0 R^3} (2\mathbf{a}_R \cos \theta + \mathbf{a}_\theta \sin \theta) \dots\dots (1)$$

Where,

Absolute permittivity is denoted as ϵ_0 .

Distance between the field points (P) to charge (q) is denoted as R .

Angle between the axis and field point line is denoted as θ .

Consider the formula to find electrostatic energy.

$$W_e = \frac{1}{2} \int_{V'} \epsilon_0 E^2 dv$$

Rewrite the equation.

$$W_e = \frac{1}{2} \int_{V'} \epsilon_0 \mathbf{E}^2 dv \dots\dots (2)$$

Substitute equation (1) in (2).

$$\begin{aligned} W_e &= \frac{1}{2} \int_{V'} \epsilon_0 \left(\frac{P}{4\pi \epsilon_0 R^3} (2\mathbf{a}_R \cos \theta + \mathbf{a}_\theta \sin \theta) \right)^2 dv \\ &= \frac{\epsilon_0}{2} \left(\frac{P}{4\pi \epsilon_0 R^3} \right)^2 \int_{V'} (2\mathbf{a}_R \cos \theta + \mathbf{a}_\theta \sin \theta)^2 dv \\ &= \frac{\epsilon_0}{2} \left(\frac{P}{4\pi \epsilon_0 R^3} \right)^2 \int_{V'} (4 \cos^2 \theta + \sin^2 \theta) dv \end{aligned}$$

Expand the volume integral.

$$\begin{aligned}
 W_e &= \frac{\epsilon_0}{2} \left(\frac{p}{4\pi \epsilon_0} \right)^2 \int_0^{2\pi} d\phi \int_0^\pi d\theta \int_b^\infty \frac{1}{R^6} (4\cos^2 \theta + \sin^2 \theta) R^2 \sin \theta dR \\
 &= \frac{\epsilon_0}{2} \left(\frac{p}{4\pi \epsilon_0} \right)^2 \int_0^{2\pi} d\phi \int_0^\pi d\theta \int_b^\infty \frac{1}{R^4} (4\cos^2 \theta + \sin^2 \theta) \sin \theta dR \\
 &= \frac{\epsilon_0}{2} \left(\frac{p}{4\pi \epsilon_0} \right)^2 \int_0^{2\pi} d\phi \int_0^\pi d\theta \left[\frac{1}{-3R^3} (4\cos^2 \theta + \sin^2 \theta) \sin \theta \right]_b^\infty \\
 &= \frac{\epsilon_0}{2} \left(\frac{p}{4\pi \epsilon_0} \right)^2 \int_0^{2\pi} d\phi \int_0^\pi \left[\frac{1}{3b^3} (4\cos^2 \theta + \sin^2 \theta) \sin \theta \right] d\theta
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 W_e &= \frac{\epsilon_0}{2(3b^3)} \left(\frac{p}{4\pi \epsilon_0} \right)^2 \int_0^{2\pi} d\phi \left[\frac{-7\cos \theta - \cos 3\theta}{4} \right]_0^\pi \\
 &= \frac{\epsilon_0}{2(3b^3)} \left(\frac{p}{4\pi \epsilon_0} \right)^2 \int_0^{2\pi} d\phi \left[\frac{-7(-1) - (-1)}{4} - \frac{-7-1}{4} \right] \\
 &= \frac{\epsilon_0}{2(3b^3)} \left(\frac{p}{4\pi \epsilon_0} \right)^2 \int_0^{2\pi} d\phi \left[\frac{8}{4} - \frac{-8}{4} \right] \\
 &= \frac{\epsilon_0}{2(3b^3)} \left(\frac{p}{4\pi \epsilon_0} \right)^2 \int_0^{2\pi} d\phi [4]
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 W_e &= \frac{2\epsilon_0}{3b^3} \left(\frac{p}{4\pi \epsilon_0} \right)^2 \int_0^{2\pi} d\phi \\
 &= \frac{2\epsilon_0}{3b^3} \left(\frac{p}{4\pi \epsilon_0} \right)^2 [\phi]_0^{2\pi} \\
 &= \frac{2\epsilon_0}{3b^3} \left(\frac{p}{4\pi \epsilon_0} \right)^2 [2\pi] \\
 &= \frac{4\pi \epsilon_0}{3b^3} \left(\frac{p}{4\pi \epsilon_0} \right)^2
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 W_e &= \frac{4p^2}{16(3b^3)\pi \epsilon_0} \\
 &= \frac{p^2}{12\pi \epsilon_0 b^3}
 \end{aligned}$$

Thus, the value of the electrostatic energy is

$$\boxed{\frac{p^2}{12\pi \epsilon_0 b^3}}$$

Thank you very much!