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- B. The E-field is non-zero at that point
- C. You can conclude nothing at all about the E-field at that point

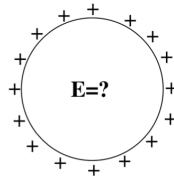
The potential is constant everywhere along a line in space.

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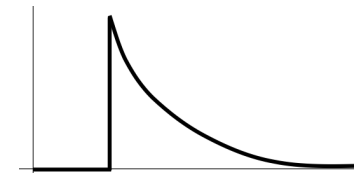
- A. The E-field has a constant magnitude along the line.
- B. The E-field is zero along that line.
- C. You can conclude nothing at all about the magnitude of \mathbf{E} along that line.

A spherical *shell* has a uniform positive charge density on its surface. (There are no other charges around.)

What is the electric field *inside* the sphere?



- A. $\mathbf{E} = 0$ everywhere inside
- B. \mathbf{E} is non-zero everywhere in the sphere
- C. $\mathbf{E} = 0$ only at the very center, but non-zero elsewhere inside the sphere.
- D. Not enough information given



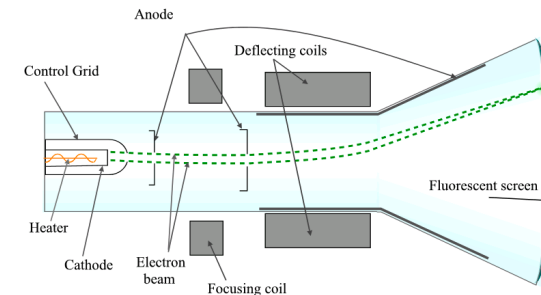
Could this be a plot of $|\mathbf{E}(r)|$? Or $V(r)$? (for SOME physical situation?)

- A. Could be $E(r)$, or $V(r)$
- B. Could be $E(r)$, but can't be $V(r)$
- C. Can't be $E(r)$, could be $V(r)$
- D. Can't be either
- E. ???

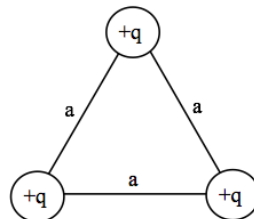
We usually choose $V(r \rightarrow \infty) \equiv 0$ when calculating the potential of a point charge to be $V(r) = +kq/r$. How does the potential $V(r)$ change if we choose our reference point to be $V(R) = 0$ where R is close to $+q$.

- A. $V(r)$ is positive but smaller than kq/r
- B. $V(r)$ is positive but larger than kq/r
- C. $V(r)$ is negative
- D. $V(r)$ doesn't change (V is independent of choice of reference)

ELECTROSTATIC POTENTIAL ENERGY

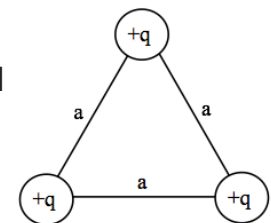


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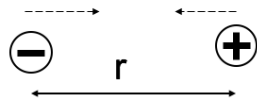


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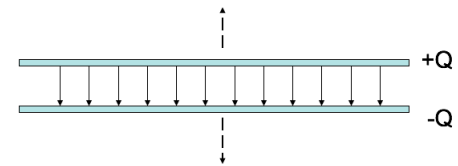
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Two charges, $+q$ and $-q$, are a distance r apart. As the charges are slowly moved together, the total field energy

$$\frac{\epsilon_0}{2} \int E^2 d\tau$$

- A. increases
- B. decreases
- C. remains constant



A parallel-plate capacitor has $+Q$ on one plate, $-Q$ on the other. The plates are isolated so the charge Q cannot change. As the plates are pulled apart, the total electrostatic energy stored in the capacitor:

- A. increases
- B. decreases
- C. remains constant.