

Q1. 21 January Shift 1

A point charge of 10^{-8}C is placed at origin. The work done in moving a point charge $2\mu\text{C}$ from point $A(4, 4, 2)\text{m}$ to $B(2, 2, 1)\text{m}$ is ____ J. ($\frac{1}{4\pi\epsilon_0} = 9 \times 10^9$ in SI units)

- (1) 45×10^{-6} (2) 15×10^{-6} (3) 0 (4) 30×10^{-6}

Q2. 21 January Shift 2

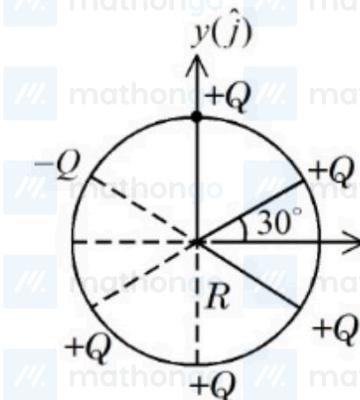
Consider two identical metallic spheres of radius R each having charge Q and mass m . Their centers have an initial separation of $4R$. Both the spheres are given an initial speed of u towards each other. The minimum value of u , so that they can just touch each other is :

(Take $k = \frac{1}{4\pi\epsilon_0}$ and assume $kQ^2 > Gm^2$ where G is the Gravitational constant)

- (1) $\sqrt{\frac{kQ^2}{2mR} \left(1 - \frac{Gm^2}{kQ^2}\right)}$ (2) $\sqrt{\frac{kQ^2}{4mR} \left(1 - \frac{Gm^2}{kQ^2}\right)}$
 (3) $\sqrt{\frac{kQ^2}{2mR} \left(1 - \frac{Gm^2}{2kQ^2}\right)}$ (4) $\sqrt{\frac{kQ^2}{4mR} \left(1 + \frac{Gm^2}{kQ^2}\right)}$

Q3. 22 January Shift 1

Six point charges are kept 60° apart from each other on the circumference of a circle of radius R as shown in figure. The net electric field at the center of the circle is ____ . (ϵ_0 is permittivity of free space)



- (1) $\frac{Q}{4\pi\epsilon_0 R^2}(\sqrt{3}\hat{i} - \hat{j})$ (2) $-\frac{5Q}{8\pi\epsilon_0 R^2}(\hat{i} + \sqrt{3}\hat{j})$
 (3) $-\left(\frac{5Q}{8\pi\epsilon_0 R^2}\right)(\hat{i} - 3\hat{j})$ (4) $-\frac{Q}{4\pi\epsilon_0 R^2}(\sqrt{3}\hat{i} - \hat{j})$

Q4. 22 January Shift 1

A simple pendulum has a bob with mass m and charge q . The pendulum string has negligible mass. When a uniform and horizontal electric field \vec{E} is applied, the tension in the string changes. The final tension in the string, when pendulum attains an equilibrium position is ____ . (g: acceleration due to gravity)

- (1) $\sqrt{m^2g^2 + q^2E^2}$ (2) $m g + qE$ (3) $mg - qE$ (4) $\sqrt{m^2g^2 - q^2E^2}$

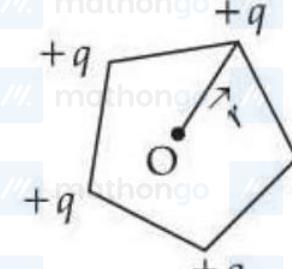
Questions with Answer Keys**Q5. 22 January Shift 1**

Electric field in a region is given by $\vec{E} = Ax\hat{i} + By\hat{j}$, where $A = 10 \text{ V/m}^2$ and $B = 5 \text{ V/m}^2$. If the electric potential at a point $(10, 20)$ is 500 V, then the electric potential at origin is ____ V.

- (1) 0 (2) 2000 (3) 500 (4) 1000

Q6. 22 January Shift 2

Five positive charges each having charge q are placed at the vertices of a pentagon as shown in the figure. The electric potential (V) and the electric field (\vec{E}) at the center O of the pentagon due to these five positive charges are:



- (1) $V = \frac{5q}{4\pi\epsilon_0 r}$ and $\vec{E} = \frac{5\sqrt{3}q}{8\pi\epsilon_0 r^2} \hat{r}$
 (3) $V = 0$ and $\vec{E} = 0$

- (2) $V = \frac{5q}{4\pi\epsilon_0 r}$ and $\vec{E} = 0$
 (4) $V = \frac{5q}{4\pi\epsilon_0 r}$ and $\vec{E} = \frac{5q}{4\pi\epsilon_0 r^2} \hat{r}$

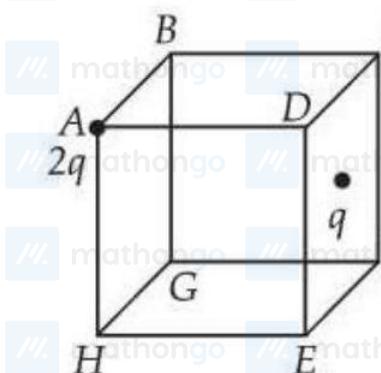
Q7. 22 January Shift 2

Three small identical bubbles of water having same charge on each coalesce to form a bigger bubble. Then the ratio of the potentials on one initial bubble and that on the resultant bigger bubble is :

- (1) $3^{2/3} : 1$ (2) $1 : 2^{2/3}$ (3) $1 : 3^{2/3}$ (4) $1 : 3^{1/3}$

Q8. 23 January Shift 1

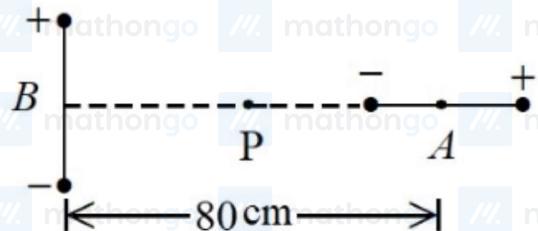
Two point charges $2q$ and q are placed at vertex A and centre of face $CDEF$ of the cube as shown in figure. The electric flux passing through the cube is :



- (1) $\frac{3q}{2\epsilon_0}$ (2) $\frac{3q}{4\epsilon_0}$ (3) $\frac{q}{\epsilon_0}$ (4) $\frac{3q}{\epsilon_0}$

Q9. 23 January Shift 2

Two short dipoles (*A*, *B*), *A* having charges $\pm 2\mu\text{C}$ and length 1 cm and *B* having charges $\pm 4\mu\text{C}$ and length 1 cm are placed with their centres 80 cm apart as shown in the figure. The electric field at a point *P*, equi-distant from the centres of both dipoles is ____ N/C.



- (1) $\frac{9}{16}\sqrt{2} \times 10^4$ (2) $9\sqrt{2} \times 10^4$ (3) $4.5\sqrt{2} \times 10^4$ (4) $\frac{9}{16}\sqrt{2} \times 10^5$

Q10. 23 January Shift 2

Two charges $7\mu\text{C}$ and $-2\mu\text{C}$ are placed at $(-9, 0, 0)$ cm and $(9, 0, 0)$ cm respectively in an external field $E = \frac{A}{r^2}\hat{r}$, where $A = 9 \times 10^5 \text{ N/C.m}^2$. Considering the potential at infinity is 0, the electrostatic energy of the configuration is ____ J.

- (1) 49.3 (2) -90.7 (3) 24.3 (4) 1.4

Q11. 24 January Shift 1

There are three co-centric conducting spherical shells *A*, *B* and *C* of radii *a*, *b* and *c* respectively ($c > b > a$) and they are charged with charge q_1 , q_2 and q_3 respectively. The potentials of the spheres *A*, *B* and *C* respectively, are :

- (1) $\frac{1}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \left(\frac{q_1+q_2+q_3}{a} \right)$, $\frac{1}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \left(\frac{q_1+q_2+q_3}{b} \right)$, $\frac{1}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \left(\frac{q_1+q_2+q_3}{c} \right)$
 (2) $\frac{1}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \left(\frac{q_1}{a} + \frac{q_2}{b} + \frac{q_3}{c} \right)$, $\frac{1}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \left(\frac{q_1+q_2+q_3}{b} \right)$, $\frac{1}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \left(\frac{q_1+q_2+q_3}{c} \right)$
 (3) $\frac{1}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \left(\frac{q_1}{a} + \frac{q_2}{b} + \frac{q_3}{c} \right)$, $\frac{1}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \left(\frac{q_1+q_2}{b} + \frac{q_3}{c} \right)$, $\frac{1}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \left(\frac{q_1+q_2+q_3}{c} \right)$
 (4) $\frac{1}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \left(\frac{q_1+q_2+q_3}{a} \right)$, $\frac{1}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \left(\frac{q_1+q_2}{b} + \frac{q_3}{c} \right)$, $\frac{1}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \left(\frac{q_1}{a} + \frac{q_2}{b} + \frac{q_3}{c} \right)$

Q12. 24 January Shift 1

Three charges $+2q$, $+3q$ and $-4q$ are situated at $(0, -3a)$, $(2a, 0)$ and $(-2a, 0)$ respectively in the *xy* plane. The resultant dipole moment about origin is ____.

- (1) $2qa(7\hat{i} - 3\hat{j})$ (2) $2qa(3\hat{j} - \hat{i})$ (3) $2qa(3\hat{i} - 7\hat{j})$ (4) $2qa(3\hat{j} - 7\hat{i})$

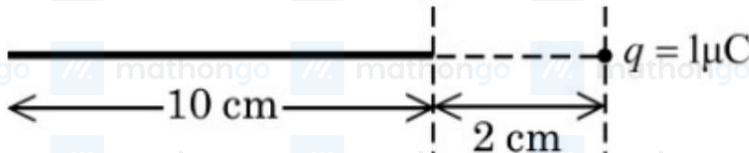
Q13. 24 January Shift 1

The electrostatic potential in a charged spherical region of radius *r* varies as $V = ar^3 + b$, where *a* and *b* are constants. The total charge in the sphere of unit radius is $\alpha \times \pi a \epsilon_0$. The value of α is ____.
(permittivity of vacuum is ϵ_0)

- (1) -9 (2) -12 (3) -8 (4) -6

Q14. 24 January Shift 2

A point charge $q = 1\mu\text{C}$ is located at a distance 2 cm from one end of a thin insulating wire of length 10 cm having a charge $Q = 24\mu\text{C}$, distributed uniformly along its length, as shown in figure. Force between q and wire is ____ N.



(Use : $\frac{1}{4\pi\epsilon_0} = 9 \times 10^9 \text{ N.m}^2/\text{C}^2$)

Q15. 28 January Shift 1

Two point charges of 1 nC and 2 nC are placed at the two corners of equilateral triangle of side 3 cm. The work done in bringing a charge of 3 nC from infinity to the third corner of the triangle is ____ μJ .

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

- (1) 27 (2) 5.4 (3) 2.7 (4) 3.3

Q16. 28 January Shift 2

Identify the correct statements :

- A. Electrostatic field lines form closed loops.
- B. The electric field lines point radially outward when charge is greater than zero.
- C. The Gauss - Law is valid only for inverse - square force.
- D. The workdone in moving a charged particle in a static electric field around a closed path is zero.
- E. The motion of a particle under Coulomb's force must take place in a plane.

Choose the correct answer from the options given below :

- (1) A, B, D, E Only (2) A, C, E Only (3) A, B, C, D Only (4) B, C, D, E Only

ANSWER KEYS

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| 1. (4) | 2. (2) | 3. (4) | 4. (1) | 5. (2) | 6. (2) | 7. (3) | 8. (4) |
| 9. (1) | 10. (1) | 11. (3) | 12. (1) | 13. (2) | 14. 90 | 15. (3) | 16. (4) |