

# ECE259: Electromagnetism

Final exam, April 19th, 2024

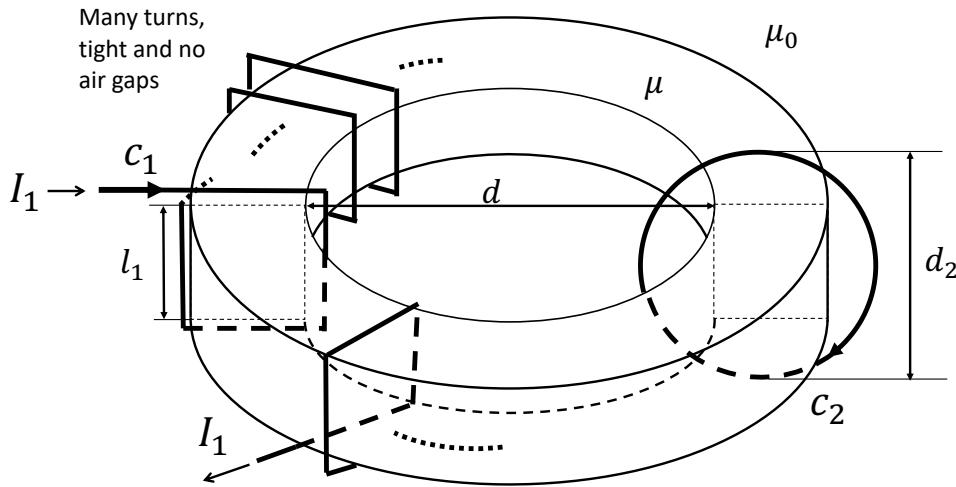
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# SOLUTION

## Instructions

- Duration: 2 hours 30 minutes (9:30-12:00)
- Exam Paper Type: A. Closed book. Only the aid sheet provided at the end of this booklet is permitted.
- Calculator Type: 2. All non-programmable electronic calculators are allowed.
- **Only answers that are fully justified will be given full marks!**
- Please write with a **dark** pen or pencil. This test will be scanned.

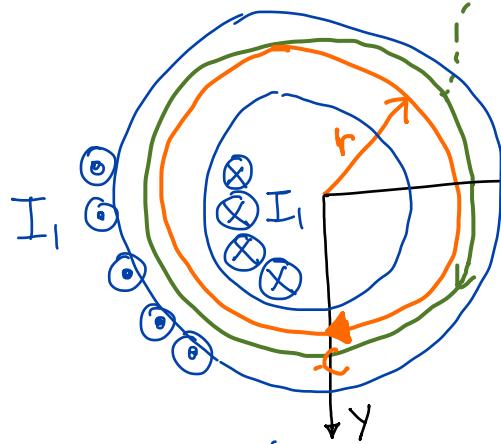
**Question 1 [20 points]**

We have a toroidal core made by a linear material with permeability  $\mu \gg \mu_0$ . The core has a square cross-section of size  $l_1 \times l_1$ , and inner diameter  $d$ . A coil  $c_1$  made by a conductive wire is wrapped around the core many times, very tightly, leaving no air gaps. This coil makes  $N_1$  turns around the core, and  $N_1$  is very high. A circular circuit  $c_2$  of diameter  $d_2$  is present on one side of the core, and has only one turn. You can assume that  $\mathbf{H} = 0$  outside the core.

- A DC current  $I_1$  is sent through coil  $c_1$ . Use Ampere's law to find the magnetic flux density  $\mathbf{B}_1$  inside the core [7 points];
- Find the self inductance  $L_{11}$  of circuit  $c_1$  [7 points];
- Find the mutual inductance  $L_{12}$  between circuit  $c_1$  and circuit  $c_2$  [4 points];
- If we double the number of turns  $N_1$ , by how much the self inductance  $L_{11}$  will increase? Explain, from a physical standpoint, why the inductance increases by such factor. [2 points]

Please justify all your answers.

a) Top view



Due to symmetry  
and that there are  
many windings,

$$\bar{H}_1 = H_1(r) \bar{a}_\varphi$$

H direction and  
only function  
of r  
[2pt]

Choose circle of radius r as Amperian path [1 pt]

$$\oint_C \bar{H}_1 \cdot d\bar{l} = N_1 \cdot I_1 \quad \int_{\varphi=0}^{2\pi} H_1(r) \underbrace{\bar{a}_\varphi \cdot \bar{a}_\varphi}_{1} d\varphi = N_1 \cdot I_1$$

$$\underbrace{H(r) 2\pi r}_{\text{left hand side}} = \underbrace{N_1 \cdot I_1}_{\text{right hand side}}$$

$$\bar{H}_1 = \frac{N_1 I_1}{2\pi r} \bar{a}_\varphi$$

H calculation  
[2pt]  
(1pt left  
hand side  
1pt right  
hand side)

$$\bar{B} = \mu \bar{H}_1 = \frac{\mu N_1 I_1}{2\pi r} \bar{a}_\varphi$$

B calculation: [2pt]

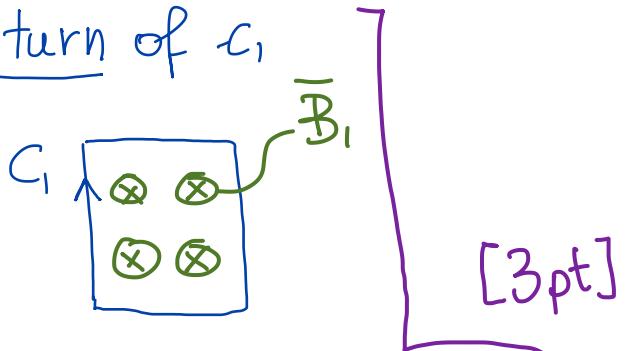
b) Magnetic flux through one turn of  $C_1$

$$\Phi_t = \int \bar{B}_1 \cdot d\bar{S} =$$

$$\frac{1pt}{2} \quad S$$

$$= \int_{r=d/2}^{d/2+l_1} \int_{z=0}^{l_1} \mu \frac{N_1 I_1}{2\pi r} d\varphi dz dr$$

Right  $d\bar{S}$   
[1pt]



$$\bar{a}_\varphi \cdot \bar{a}_\varphi d\varphi dr = \frac{\mu N_1 I_1}{2\pi} l_1 \int_{d/2}^{d/2+l_1} \frac{1}{r} dr =$$

calculations: 1pt

$$= \frac{\mu N_1 I_1}{2\pi} l_1 \ln\left(\frac{d/2+l_1}{d/2}\right) = \frac{\mu N_1 I_1}{2\pi} l_1 \ln\left(1 + \frac{2l_1}{d}\right)$$

Flux through the entire circuit  $-C_1$

$$\Phi = N_1 \cdot \Phi_t = \frac{\mu N_1^2 I_1}{2\pi} l_1 \ln\left(1 + \frac{2l_1}{d}\right)$$

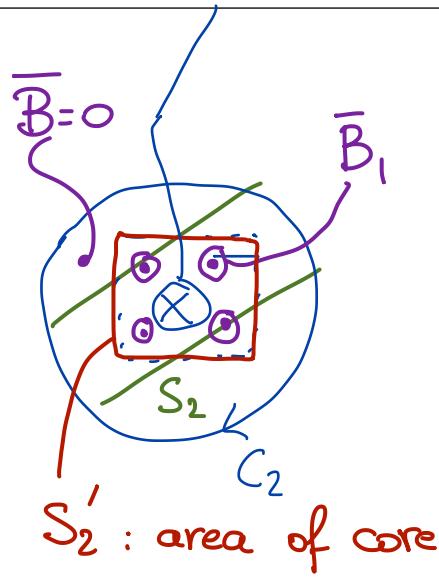
Flux entire circuit  
[2pt]

Inductance of  $-C_1$

$$L_{11} = \frac{\Phi_1}{I_1} = \frac{\mu N_1^2}{2\pi} l_1 \ln\left(1 + \frac{2l_1}{d}\right) \quad [1pt]$$

Correct direction [1pt]

c) Must calculate flux through  $S_2$ , going into the page



Flux calculat. [2pt]

$$\begin{aligned}\Phi_2 &= \int_{S_2} \bar{B} \cdot d\bar{S}_2 = \int_{S'_2} \bar{B}_1 \cdot d\bar{S}_2 = \\ &= \int_{S'_2} \underbrace{\frac{\mu N_1 I_1}{2\pi r} \bar{a}_\varphi \cdot (-\bar{a}_\varphi)}_{-1} d\bar{S}'_2 = \\ &= - \int_{S'_2} \underbrace{\frac{\mu N_1 I_1}{2\pi r}} d\bar{S}'_2 = - \Phi_t =\end{aligned}$$

this is the flux through one turn of  $\mathcal{G}$ :  $\Phi_t$

L calc [1pt]

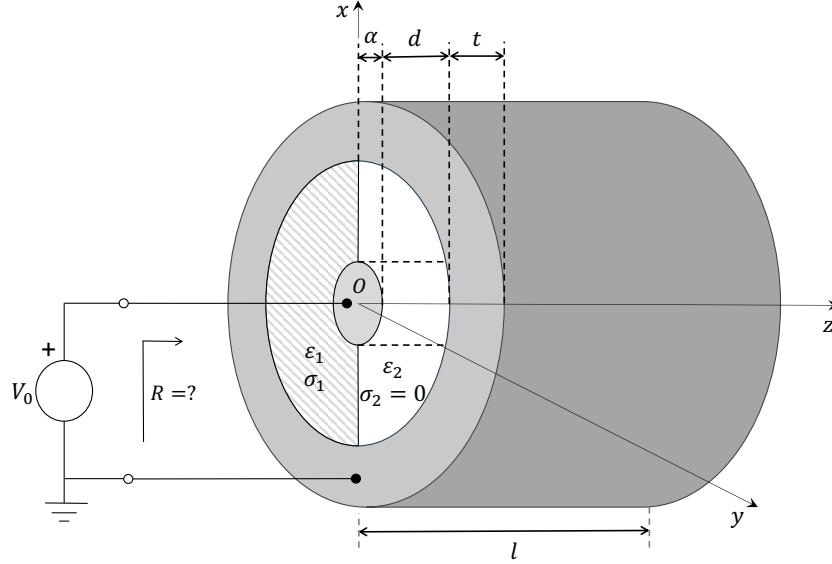
$$L_{12} = \frac{\Phi_2}{I_1} = - \frac{\mu N_1}{2\pi} l_1 \ln \left( 1 + \frac{2l_1}{d} \right)$$

d) If  $N_1$  doubles,  $L_{11}$  will quadruple, [1pt] for increase factor

Since:

- doubling  $N_1$  doubles the magnetic flux density  $\bar{B}_1$  in the core
- doubling  $N_1$  also doubles the area enclosed by  $C_1 \Rightarrow$  double flux

[1pt]  
for explanation

**Question 2 [20 points]**

Consider the coaxial cable shown in the figure. The cable has length  $l$  and is made by:

- an inner cylindrical conductor of radius  $\alpha$ ;
- an outer cylindrical conductor of thickness  $t$ , separated by the inner conductor by a distance  $d$ .

Both the inner and outer conductor can be assumed to be perfect conductors. The volume inside the cable is filled by two different materials:

- dielectric 1 in the left half (striped region in the figure). It has permittivity  $\epsilon_1$  and is lossy ( $\sigma_1 \neq 0$ );
- dielectric 2 in the right half (white region in the figure). It has permittivity  $\epsilon_2$  and is not conductive ( $\sigma_2 = 0$ ).

You can assume that:

- the volume density of free charge is zero in both dielectrics;
- there is no free charge at the interface between them;
- all fringing (edge) effects due to the finite length of the cable are negligible.

A DC voltage source is applied as shown. Answer the following questions, justifying all your answers.

- solve the Poisson's equation to determine the potential  $V$  in both dielectrics [12 points];
- determine the resistance  $R$  of the cable seen by the voltage source [8 points];

a) consider dielectric 1

Poisson's equation

$$\nabla \cdot (\epsilon_1 \nabla V) = -\rho_v$$

$\left. \begin{array}{l} \text{uniform} \\ \text{in this} \\ \text{region} \end{array} \right] [1 \text{ pt}]$

$\left. \begin{array}{l} \hookrightarrow = 0 \text{ (assumption)} \\ \text{given} \end{array} \right] 1 \text{ pt}$

Simplifying  
Poisson  
equation  
[2pt]

$$\nabla^2 V = 0$$

Cylindrical symmetry + neglecting edge effects

$$V = V(r, \cancel{\theta}, \cancel{z})$$

Form of  
 $V$   
[2pt]

$$\cancel{\frac{1}{r} \frac{\partial}{\partial r} \left[ r \frac{\partial V}{\partial r} \right]} = 0 ; r \frac{\partial V}{\partial r} = C_1 ; \frac{\partial V}{\partial r} = \frac{C_1}{r}$$

Solving for  $V$

$$V(r) = C_1 \ln r + C_2$$

[2pt]

Boundary conditions

$$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} V(\alpha) = V_0 \\ V(\alpha+d) = 0 \end{array} \right. ; \quad \left\{ \begin{array}{l} c_1 \ln \alpha + c_2 = V_0 \\ c_1 \ln(\alpha+d) + c_2 = 0 \end{array} \right.$$

Boundary cond's  
[2pt]

$$c_1 \ln\left(\frac{\alpha}{\alpha+d}\right) = V_0 ; \quad c_1 = \frac{V_0}{\ln\left(\frac{\alpha}{\alpha+d}\right)} = -\frac{V_0}{\ln\left(1+\frac{d}{\alpha}\right)}$$

$$c_2 = -c_1 \ln(\alpha+d) = +V_0 \frac{\ln(\alpha+d)}{\ln\left(1+\frac{d}{\alpha}\right)}$$

$$V(r) = \frac{-V_0}{\ln\left(1+\frac{d}{\alpha}\right)} \ln(r) + V_0 \frac{\ln(\alpha+d)}{\ln\left(1+\frac{d}{\alpha}\right)} = V_0 \boxed{\frac{\ln\left(\frac{\alpha+d}{r}\right)}{\ln\left(1+\frac{d}{\alpha}\right)}}$$

V  
[2pt]

In dielectric 2, the Poisson equation still reads  $\nabla^2 V = 0$

$\Rightarrow V(r)$  has the same expression

[2pt]

$$b) \bar{E} = -\nabla V = -\frac{\partial V}{\partial r} \bar{a}_r = + \frac{V_0}{\ln\left(1+\frac{d}{\alpha}\right)} \frac{1}{r} \bar{a}_r \quad \boxed{\bar{E} \text{ calculat.}} \quad \boxed{[2pt]}$$

$\bar{J}_i = 0$  im dielectric 2 since  $\sigma_2 = 0$  ]  $[1pt]$   $\bar{J}$  in dieel. 2

$$\bar{J}_i = \sigma_1 \bar{E} \text{ im dielectric 1}$$

$$\bar{J}_i = \frac{\sigma_1 V_0}{\ln\left(1+\frac{d}{\alpha}\right)} \frac{1}{r} \bar{a}_r$$

$[1pt]$

$\bar{J}$  in dieel 1

Current flowing from inner conductor to outer

$$I = \int \bar{J}_i \cdot d\bar{S}$$

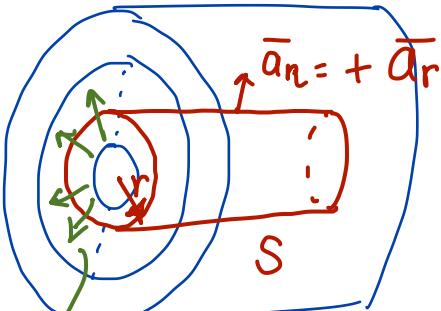
Integr. limits

$$[1pt]$$

$$= \int_{\varphi=\pi}^{2\pi} \int_{z=0}^l \frac{\sigma_1 V_0}{\ln\left(1+\frac{d}{\alpha}\right)} \frac{1}{r} \bar{a}_r \cdot \bar{a}_r \cdot r d\varphi dz =$$

Correct

$$\bar{d}S: [1pt]$$



$$\bar{J}_i$$

I calculation from  $\bar{J}$

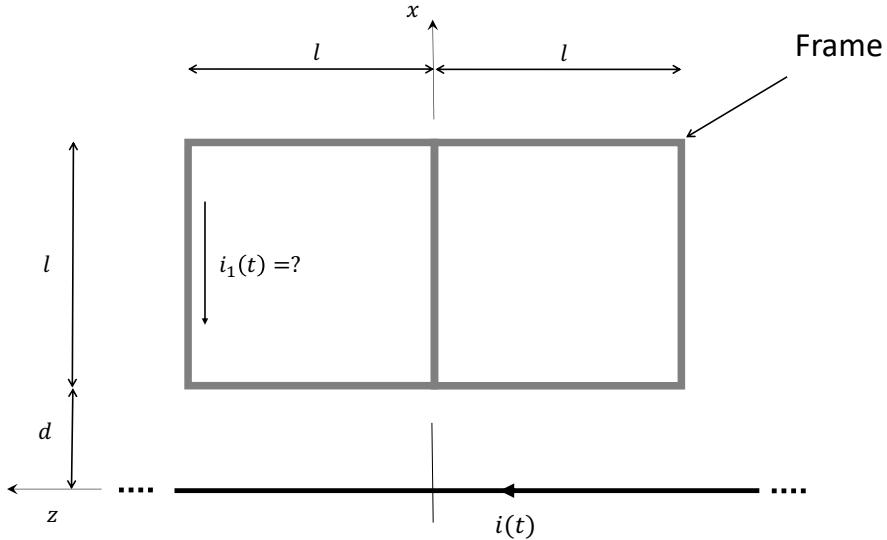
$[3pt]$

$$= \frac{\sigma_i V_0}{\ln(1+d/\alpha)} \pi l$$

$$R = \frac{V_0}{I} = \frac{\cancel{V_0}}{\sigma_i \cancel{V_0} \pi l} = \frac{\ln(1+d/\alpha)}{\sigma_i l \pi}$$

$$\frac{\ln(1+d/\alpha)}{\sigma_i l \pi}$$

R calculation [1pt]

**Question 3 [20 points]**

You are leading the team responsible for the electrical design of a quantum computer. The gray metallic frame in the figure is part of the chassis of the computer, which serves also as a shield from external interference. This frame is metallic and consists of two square loops, each with edge length  $l$ . Each edge of the frame (that is, each section of length  $l$ ) has resistance  $R$  and negligible inductance. The frame is in the  $x - z$  plane, at a distance  $d$  from the  $z$  axis. The whole structure is in air. Along the  $z$  axis there is a very long straight line carrying an AC current  $i(t) = I_0 \cos(\omega_0 t)$ . The quantum computer prototype is not functioning properly, and you want to determine if there are unwanted currents flowing in the frame that may cause interference.

- Calculate the magnetic field  $\mathbf{H}(t)$  produced by current  $i(t)$  in the whole space. You can neglect any effect due to displacement currents [4 points];
- Find the electromotive force  $\mathcal{V}_L$  induced on the left loop of the frame. Find the electromotive force  $\mathcal{V}_R$  induced on the right loop of the frame. Sketch the direction that you consider for the two loops (path orientation) [6 points]
- Draw an equivalent circuit of the frame. Indicate the value of each circuit element [6 points];
- Find the current  $i_1(t)$  circulating on the left loop of the frame [4 points].

a) Due to cylindrical symmetry of line

$$\bar{H}(r) = H(r) \bar{a}_\varphi$$

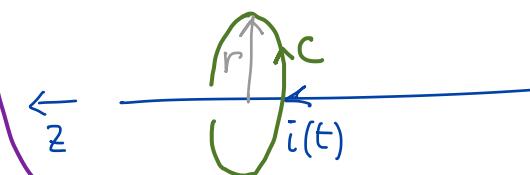
[1pt]

Ampere's Law

$$\oint_C \bar{H} \cdot d\bar{l} = I$$

Circular path, radius  $r$

[1pt]



$$H(r,t) 2\pi r = i(t)$$

[0.5pt] [0.5pt]

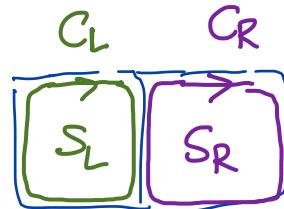
$$H = \frac{i(t)}{2\pi r} \bar{a}_\varphi = \frac{I_0 \cos(\omega_0 t)}{2\pi r} \bar{a}_\varphi$$

[1pt]

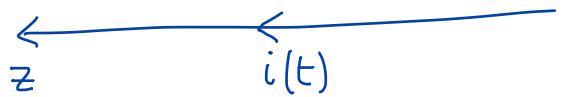
b) Faraday's Law on left loop  $C_L$

$$\mathcal{V}_{\text{emf},L} = - \frac{d}{dt} \int_{S_L} \bar{B} \cdot d\bar{S} =$$

Use of Faraday's Law: [1pt]



Grader: check that EMF expression is consistent with orientation



of path



Correct  $\bar{dS}$

[6.spt] [0.spt]

[1pt]

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$$\mathcal{V}_L = - \frac{d}{dt} \left\{ \int_{r=d}^{d+l} \int_{z=0}^l \underbrace{\frac{\mu_0 I_0 \cos(\omega_0 t)}{2\pi r} \overline{a}_\varphi}_{1} \cdot \overline{a}_\varphi dr dz \right\} =$$

$$= - \frac{d}{dt} \left\{ \frac{\mu_0 I_0}{2\pi} \cos(\omega_0 t) l \int_d^{d+l} \frac{1}{r} dr \right\} =$$

[1pt]

$$= - \frac{\mu_0 I_0}{2\pi} l \ln \left( \frac{d+l}{d} \right) \frac{d}{dt} \left\{ \cos(\omega_0 t) \right\} =$$

$$= \frac{\mu_0 I_0}{2\pi} l \ln \left( 1 + \frac{l}{d} \right) \omega_0 \sin(\omega_0 t)$$

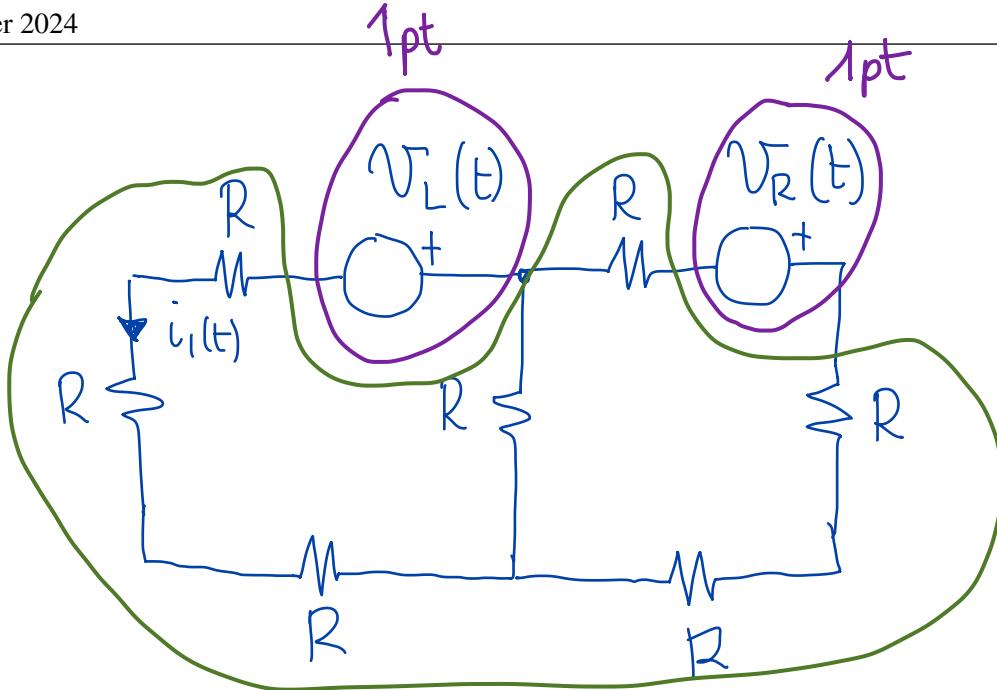
$\mathcal{V}_R$  has the same expression since  $\bar{B}$  over the right frame is the same

# Circuit: right topology : 2 pt (two loops)

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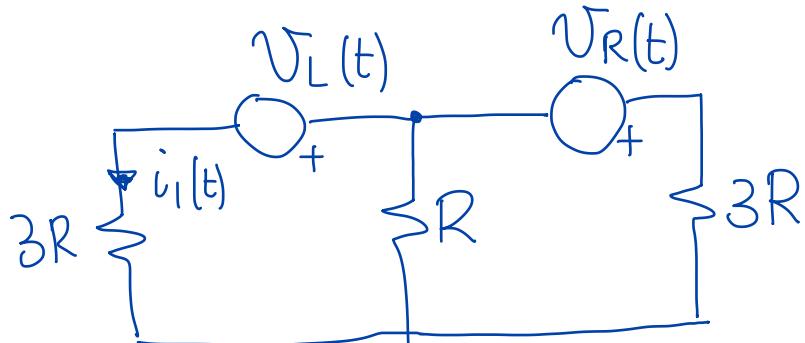
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c)

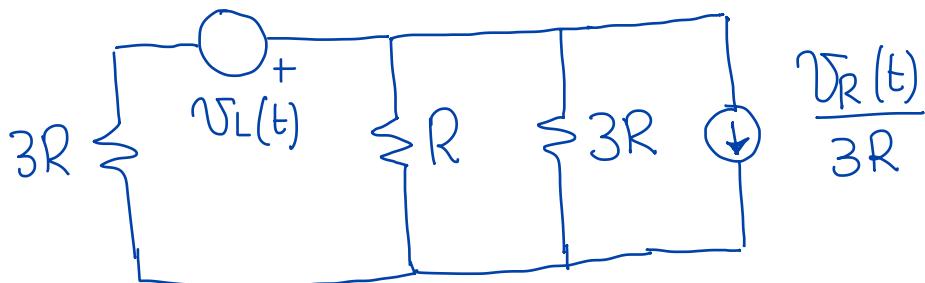


resistors:  
[2pt]

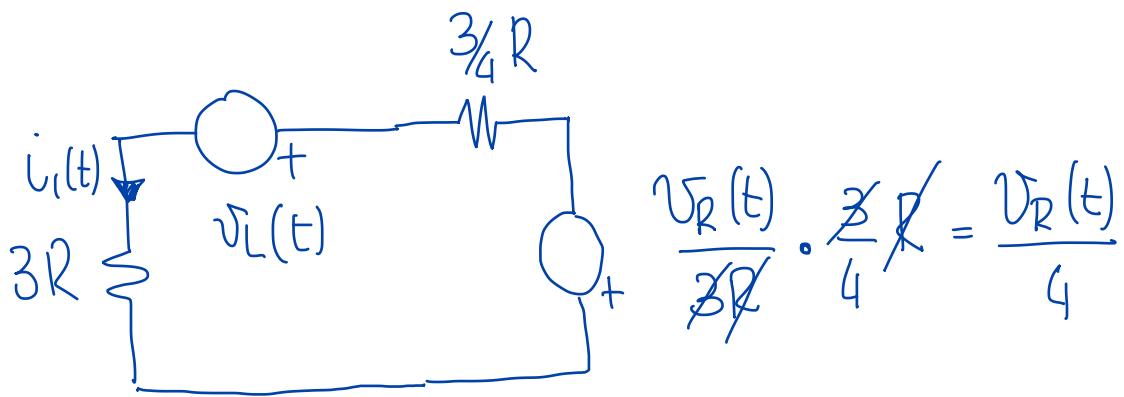
d)



Solving for  $i_1(t)$ :  
[4pts]



$$3R/R = \frac{3R^2}{4R} = \frac{3}{4}R$$



$$\frac{V_R(t)}{\cancel{3R}} \cdot \cancel{\frac{3}{4}R} = \frac{V_R(t)}{4}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 i_1(t) &= -\frac{V_L(t) + \frac{V_R(t)}{4}}{(3+\frac{3}{4})R} = \frac{\cancel{\frac{8}{4}}}{\cancel{\frac{15}{4}}R} \cdot 2 \frac{\mu_0 I_0}{2\pi} \ell \ln\left(1 + \frac{\ell}{d}\right) \omega_0 \sin(\omega_0 t) \\
 &= \frac{1}{3R} \frac{\mu_0 I_0}{\pi} \ell \ln\left(1 + \frac{\ell}{d}\right) \omega_0 \sin(\omega_0 t)
 \end{aligned}$$

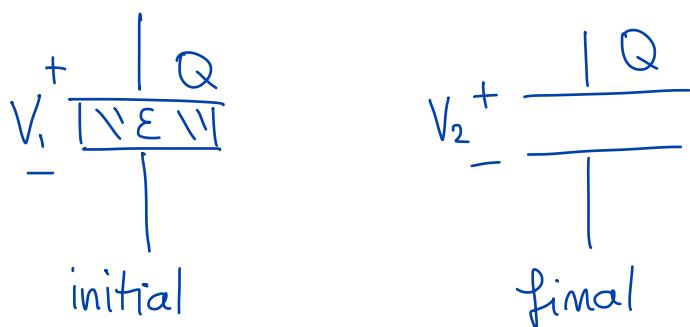
## **Question 4.1 [4 points]**

We have a capacitor made by two parallel metallic plates and a block of perfect dielectric in between. Initially, the capacitor is connected to a voltage source. Then, the voltage source is disconnected. Finally, the dielectric block is removed. Is the energy stored in the capacitor in its final state

- lower than
  - the same as
  - higher than

right answer: [1pt]

the energy stored in the capacitor in the initial state? [4 points]. Justify your answer.



Q remains the same ] [1pt]

C decreases [1pt]

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

$$We = \frac{1}{2} CV^2 = \frac{1}{2} C \frac{Q^2}{C^2} = \frac{1}{2} \frac{Q^2}{C}$$

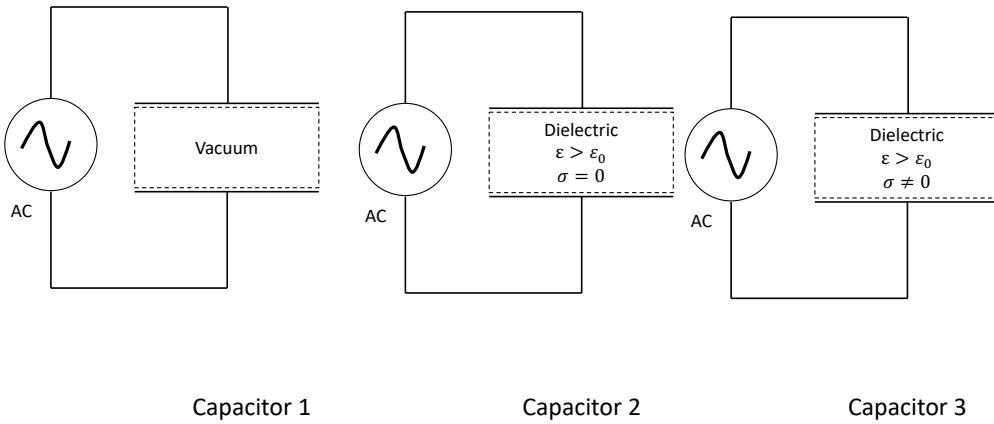
unchanged

decreases

$\Rightarrow$  We increases  $\Rightarrow$  "higher than"

Explanation:  
[3pt]  
in total



**Question 4.2 [6 points]**

We have three identical parallel plate capacitors, all connected to a sinusoidal voltage source. In capacitor 1, there is vacuum between the plates. In capacitor 2, there is an ideal dielectric with  $\epsilon > \epsilon_0$  and  $\sigma = 0$ . In capacitor 3, there is a lossy dielectric with  $\epsilon > \epsilon_0$  and  $\sigma \neq 0$ .

Consider the region between the plates of each capacitor, and answer these questions (with justification):

- in which capacitor (or capacitors) a current density due to free charges  $\mathbf{J}$  is present in that region? [2 points]
- in which capacitor (or capacitors) a displacement current density  $\mathbf{J}_d$  is present in that region? [2 points]
- in which capacitor (or capacitors) there is a motion of polarization charges in that region? With motion, we refer to any motion, even by a small distance [2 points]

Right Answer [1pt]

a) only in capacitor 3, since free charges

are present only in conductive media where  $\sigma \neq 0$

Explanation: [1pt]

b)  $\bar{J}_d = \frac{\partial \bar{D}}{\partial t} = \epsilon \frac{\partial \bar{E}}{\partial t}$  ← Explanation : [1pt]

Right answer : [1pt]

In all three capacitors there is a time-varying  $\bar{E} \Rightarrow$  displacement current

density

Right answer : [1pt]

Explanation : [1pt]

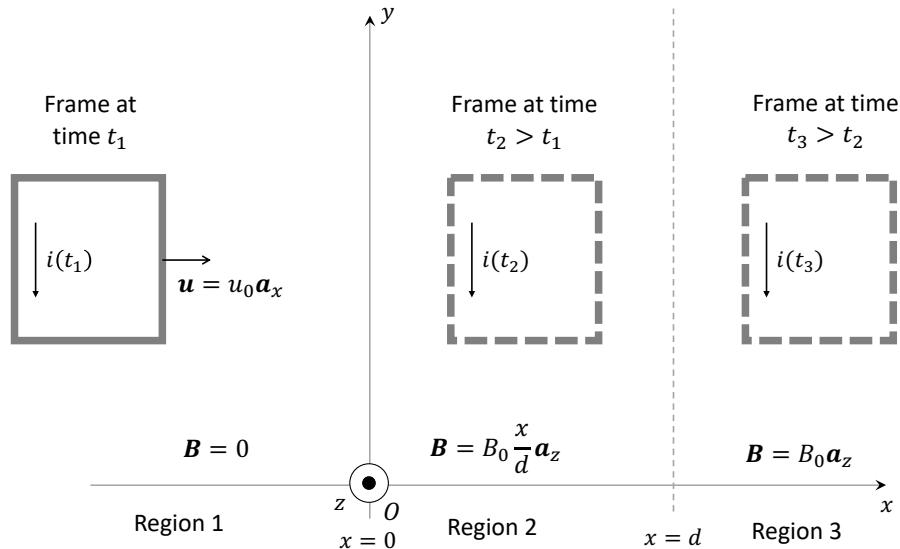
c) In capacitors 2 and 3, since there is

a material that polarizes in the  $\bar{E}(t)$

direction  $\Rightarrow$  motion of polarization

changes.

Not in capacitor 1, where there are no charges (it's vacuum)

**Question 4.3 [10 points]**

A metallic frame is traveling with uniform velocity  $\mathbf{u} = u_0 \mathbf{a}_x$  in the direction of the positive  $x$  axis ( $u_0 > 0$ ).

- Initially, at time  $t_1$ , the frame is entirely in region 1 ( $x < 0$ ). In this region,  $\mathbf{B} = 0$ ;
- At time  $t_2 > t_1$ , the whole frame is in region 2 ( $0 < x < d$ ). In this region,  $\mathbf{B} = B_0 \frac{x}{d} \mathbf{a}_z$ , where  $B_0$  is a positive constant;
- Finally, at time  $t_3 > t_2$ , the whole frame is in region 3 ( $x > d$ ). In this region,  $\mathbf{B} = B_0 \mathbf{a}_z$ .

Let  $i(t)$  be the current induced in the frame. Please answer the following questions, and justify each answer:

- Is  $i(t_2)$  zero, positive, or negative? [2 points]
- Is  $i(t_3)$  zero, positive, or negative? [2 points]
- At time  $t_2$ , is the frame accelerating, decelerating, or still moving with constant velocity? Why? [3 points]
- At time  $t_3$ , is the frame accelerating, decelerating, or moving with constant velocity? Why? [3 points]

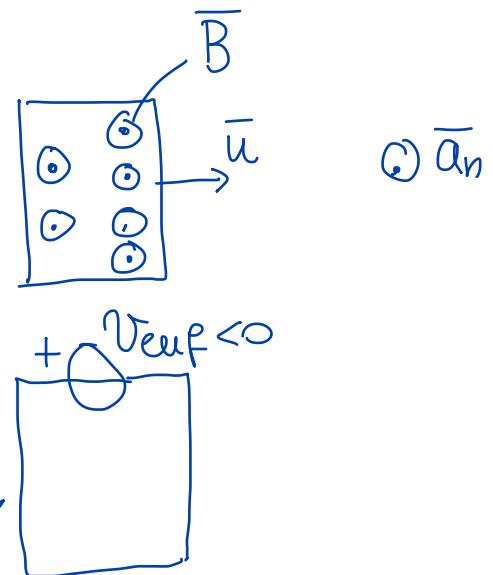
For each point: right answer: [1pt]

explanation : [1pt]

- a) when the frame is in region 2, the magnetic flux through it is increasing  
(measured out of the page)

$$\Rightarrow V_{\text{emf}} = - \frac{d\Phi_m}{dt} < 0$$

$$\Rightarrow i(t_2) < 0$$



Can also be determined using

Lenz's law

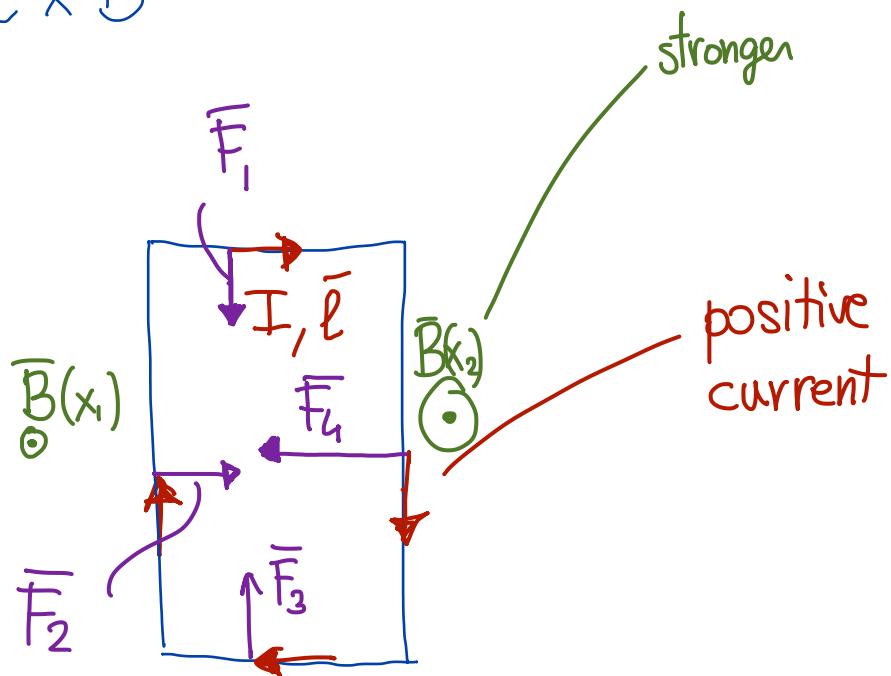
- b)  $i(t_3) = 0$  since  $\Phi_m$  remains constant

when the frame is fully in region 3

explanation : [1pt]

c) Forces acting on each edge of the frame

$$\bar{F} = I \bar{l} \times \bar{B}$$



$$\bar{F}_1 + \bar{F}_3 = 0$$

$|\bar{F}_4| > |\bar{F}_2|$  since  $|B|$  higher on right edge

$\Rightarrow$  deceleration explanation : [2pt]

Alternative justification:

- induced currents will dissipate energy by Joule's law
- such energy is taken away from kinetic energy (it cannot come from anywhere else)

d) There is no current induced

$\Rightarrow$  no net magnetic force

$\Rightarrow$  constant velocity

explanation : [2pt]

## 1. Coordinate Systems

### 1.1 Cartesian coordinates

Position vector:  $\mathbf{R} = x\mathbf{a}_x + y\mathbf{a}_y + z\mathbf{a}_z$

Differential length elements:  $d\mathbf{l}_x = \mathbf{a}_x dx$ ,  $d\mathbf{l}_y = \mathbf{a}_y dy$ ,  $d\mathbf{l}_z = \mathbf{a}_z dz$

Differential surface elements:  $d\mathbf{S}_x = \mathbf{a}_x dy dz$ ,  $d\mathbf{S}_y = \mathbf{a}_y dx dz$ ,  $d\mathbf{S}_z = \mathbf{a}_z dx dy$

Differential volume element:  $dV = dx dy dz$

### 1.2 Cylindrical coordinates

Position vector:  $\mathbf{R} = r\mathbf{a}_r + z\mathbf{a}_z$

Differential length elements:  $d\mathbf{l}_r = \mathbf{a}_r dr$ ,  $d\mathbf{l}_\phi = \mathbf{a}_\phi r d\phi$ ,  $d\mathbf{l}_z = \mathbf{a}_z dz$

Differential surface elements:  $d\mathbf{S}_r = \mathbf{a}_r r d\phi dz$ ,  $d\mathbf{S}_\phi = \mathbf{a}_\phi r dr dz$ ,  $d\mathbf{S}_z = \mathbf{a}_z r d\phi dr$

Differential volume element:  $dV = r dr d\phi dz$

### 1.3 Spherical coordinates

Position vector:  $\mathbf{R} = R\mathbf{a}_R$

Differential length elements:  $d\mathbf{l}_R = \mathbf{a}_R dR$ ,  $d\mathbf{l}_\theta = \mathbf{a}_\theta R d\theta$ ,  $d\mathbf{l}_\phi = \mathbf{a}_\phi R \sin \theta d\phi$

Differential surface elements:  $d\mathbf{S}_R = \mathbf{a}_R R^2 \sin \theta d\theta d\phi$ ,  $d\mathbf{S}_\theta = \mathbf{a}_\theta R \sin \theta dR d\phi$ ,  $d\mathbf{S}_\phi = \mathbf{a}_\phi R dR d\theta$

Differential volume element:  $dV = R^2 \sin \theta dR d\theta d\phi$

## 2. Relationship between coordinate variables

-	Cartesian	Cylindrical	Spherical
$x$	$x$	$r \cos \phi$	$R \sin \theta \cos \phi$
$y$	$y$	$r \sin \phi$	$R \sin \theta \sin \phi$
$z$	$z$	$z$	$R \cos \theta$
$r$	$\sqrt{x^2 + y^2}$	$r$	$R \sin \theta$
$\phi$	$\tan^{-1} \frac{y}{x}$	$\phi$	$\phi$
$z$	$z$	$z$	$R \cos \theta$
$R$	$\sqrt{x^2 + y^2 + z^2}$	$\sqrt{r^2 + z^2}$	$R$
$\theta$	$\cos^{-1} \frac{z}{\sqrt{x^2 + y^2 + z^2}}$	$\tan^{-1} \frac{r}{z}$	$\theta$
$\phi$	$\tan^{-1} \frac{y}{x}$	$\phi$	$\phi$

### 3. Dot products of unit vectors

.	$\mathbf{a}_x$	$\mathbf{a}_y$	$\mathbf{a}_z$	$\mathbf{a}_r$	$\mathbf{a}_\phi$	$\mathbf{a}_z$	$\mathbf{a}_R$	$\mathbf{a}_\theta$	$\mathbf{a}_\phi$
$\mathbf{a}_x$	1	0	0	$\cos \phi$	$-\sin \phi$	0	$\sin \theta \cos \phi$	$\cos \theta \cos \phi$	$-\sin \phi$
$\mathbf{a}_y$	0	1	0	$\sin \phi$	$\cos \phi$	0	$\sin \theta \sin \phi$	$\cos \theta \sin \phi$	$\cos \phi$
$\mathbf{a}_z$	0	0	1	0	0	1	$\cos \theta$	$-\sin \theta$	0
$\mathbf{a}_r$	$\cos \phi$	$\sin \phi$	0	1	0	0	$\sin \theta$	$\cos \theta$	0
$\mathbf{a}_\phi$	$-\sin \phi$	$\cos \phi$	0	0	1	0	0	0	1
$\mathbf{a}_z$	0	0	1	0	0	1	$\cos \theta$	$-\sin \theta$	0
$\mathbf{a}_R$	$\sin \theta \cos \phi$	$\sin \theta \sin \phi$	$\cos \theta$	$\sin \theta$	0	$\cos \theta$	1	0	0
$\mathbf{a}_\theta$	$\cos \theta \cos \phi$	$\cos \theta \sin \phi$	$-\sin \theta$	$\cos \theta$	0	$-\sin \theta$	0	1	0
$\mathbf{a}_\phi$	$-\sin \phi$	$\cos \phi$	0	0	1	0	0	0	1

### 4. Differential operators

#### 4.1 Gradient

$$\nabla V = \frac{\partial V}{\partial x} \vec{a}_x + \frac{\partial V}{\partial y} \vec{a}_y + \frac{\partial V}{\partial z} \vec{a}_z = \frac{\partial V}{\partial r} \vec{a}_r + \frac{1}{r} \frac{\partial V}{\partial \phi} \vec{a}_\phi + \frac{\partial V}{\partial z} \vec{a}_z = \frac{\partial V}{\partial R} \vec{a}_R + \frac{1}{R} \frac{\partial V}{\partial \theta} \vec{a}_\theta + \frac{1}{R \sin \theta} \frac{\partial V}{\partial \phi} \vec{a}_\phi$$

#### 4.2 Divergence

$$\nabla \cdot \vec{A} = \frac{\partial A_x}{\partial x} + \frac{\partial A_y}{\partial y} + \frac{\partial A_z}{\partial z} = \frac{1}{r} \frac{\partial (r A_r)}{\partial r} + \frac{1}{r} \frac{\partial A_\phi}{\partial \phi} + \frac{\partial A_z}{\partial z} = \frac{1}{R^2} \frac{\partial (R^2 A_R)}{\partial R} + \frac{1}{R \sin \theta} \frac{\partial (\sin \theta A_\theta)}{\partial \theta} + \frac{1}{R \sin \theta} \frac{\partial A_\phi}{\partial \phi}$$

#### 4.3 Laplacian

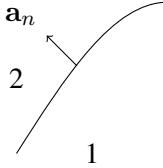
$$\nabla^2 V = \frac{\partial^2 V}{\partial x^2} + \frac{\partial^2 V}{\partial y^2} + \frac{\partial^2 V}{\partial z^2} = \frac{1}{r} \frac{\partial}{\partial r} \left( r \frac{\partial V}{\partial r} \right) + \frac{1}{r^2} \frac{\partial^2 V}{\partial \phi^2} + \frac{\partial^2 V}{\partial z^2} = \frac{1}{R^2} \frac{\partial}{\partial R} \left( R^2 \frac{\partial V}{\partial R} \right) + \frac{1}{R^2 \sin \theta} \frac{\partial}{\partial \theta} \left( \sin \theta \frac{\partial V}{\partial \theta} \right) + \frac{1}{R^2 \sin^2 \theta} \frac{\partial^2 V}{\partial \phi^2}$$

#### 4.4 Curl

$$\begin{aligned} \nabla \times \vec{A} &= \left( \frac{\partial A_z}{\partial y} - \frac{\partial A_y}{\partial z} \right) \vec{a}_x + \left( \frac{\partial A_x}{\partial z} - \frac{\partial A_z}{\partial x} \right) \vec{a}_y + \left( \frac{\partial A_y}{\partial x} - \frac{\partial A_x}{\partial y} \right) \vec{a}_z \\ &= \left( \frac{1}{r} \frac{\partial A_z}{\partial \phi} - \frac{\partial A_\phi}{\partial z} \right) \vec{a}_r + \left( \frac{\partial A_r}{\partial z} - \frac{\partial A_z}{\partial r} \right) \vec{a}_\phi + \frac{1}{r} \left( \frac{\partial (r A_\phi)}{\partial r} - \frac{\partial A_r}{\partial \phi} \right) \vec{a}_z \\ &= \frac{1}{R \sin \theta} \left( \frac{\partial (\sin \theta A_\phi)}{\partial \theta} - \frac{\partial A_\theta}{\partial \phi} \right) \vec{a}_R + \frac{1}{R} \left( \frac{1}{\sin \theta} \frac{\partial A_R}{\partial \phi} - \frac{\partial (R A_\phi)}{\partial R} \right) \vec{a}_\theta \\ &+ \frac{1}{R} \left( \frac{\partial (R A_\theta)}{\partial R} - \frac{\partial A_R}{\partial \theta} \right) \vec{a}_\phi \end{aligned}$$

## 5. Electromagnetic formulas

**Table 1** Electrostatics

$\mathbf{F} = \frac{1}{4\pi\varepsilon} \frac{Q_1 Q_2}{ \mathbf{R}_2 - \mathbf{R}_1 ^3} (\mathbf{R}_2 - \mathbf{R}_1)$	$\mathbf{E} = \frac{1}{4\pi\varepsilon} \int_v \frac{(\mathbf{R} - \mathbf{R}')}{ \mathbf{R} - \mathbf{R}' ^3} dQ'$
$\nabla \times \mathbf{E} = 0$	$\nabla \cdot \mathbf{D} = \rho_v$
$\oint_C \mathbf{E} \cdot d\mathbf{l} = 0$	$\oint_S \mathbf{D} \cdot d\mathbf{S} = Q$
$\mathbf{E} = -\nabla V$	$V = \frac{1}{4\pi\varepsilon} \int_v \frac{dQ'}{ \mathbf{R} - \mathbf{R}' }$
$V = V(P_2) - V(P_1) = \frac{W}{Q} = - \int_{P_1}^{P_2} \mathbf{E} \cdot d\mathbf{l}$	
$\mathbf{D} = \varepsilon_0 \mathbf{E} + \mathbf{P} = \varepsilon \mathbf{E}$	$\mathbf{P} = \chi_e \varepsilon_0 \mathbf{E}$
$\rho_{p,v} = -\nabla \cdot \mathbf{P}$	
$\rho_{p,s} = -\mathbf{a}_n \cdot (\mathbf{P}_2 - \mathbf{P}_1)$	
$\mathbf{a}_n \cdot (\mathbf{D}_2 - \mathbf{D}_1) = \rho_s$	
$E_{1,t} = E_{2,t}$	
$Q = CV$	$W_e = \frac{1}{2} QV$
$W_e = \frac{1}{2} \int_v \rho_v V dv = \frac{1}{2} \int_{\mathbb{R}^3} \mathbf{D} \cdot \mathbf{E} dv$	
$\nabla \cdot (\varepsilon \nabla V) = -\rho_v$	$\nabla \cdot (\varepsilon \nabla V) = 0$

**Table 2** Magnetostatics

$\mathbf{F}_m = q\mathbf{u} \times \mathbf{B}$	$\mathbf{F}_m = I\mathbf{l} \times \mathbf{B}$	
$\nabla \times \mathbf{B} = \mu\mathbf{J}$	$\nabla \cdot \mathbf{B} = 0$	$\mathbf{B} = \nabla \times \mathbf{A}$
$\oint_C \mathbf{B} \cdot d\mathbf{l} = \mu I$	$\oint_S \mathbf{B} \cdot d\mathbf{S} = 0$	$\nabla \cdot \mathbf{A} = 0$
$\mathbf{B} = \frac{\mu I}{4\pi} \int_{c'} \frac{d\mathbf{l}' \times (\mathbf{R} - \mathbf{R}')}{ \mathbf{R} - \mathbf{R}' ^3}$	$\mathbf{A} = \frac{\mu I}{4\pi} \int_{c'} \frac{d\mathbf{l}'}{ \mathbf{R} - \mathbf{R}' }$	$\mathbf{A} = \frac{\mu}{4\pi} \int_{v'} \frac{\mathbf{J}}{ \mathbf{R} - \mathbf{R}' } dv'$
$\mathbf{B} = \mu_0 (\mathbf{H} + \mathbf{M}) = \mu \mathbf{H}$	$\mathbf{M} = \chi_m \mathbf{H}$	
$\mathbf{J}_{m,s} = \mathbf{M} \times \mathbf{a}_n$	$\mathbf{J}_m = \nabla \times \mathbf{M}$	
$B_{1,n} = B_{2,n}$	$\mathbf{a}_n \times (\mathbf{H}_2 - \mathbf{H}_1) = \mathbf{J}_s$	
$\nabla \times \mathbf{H} = \mathbf{J}$	$\oint \mathbf{H} \cdot d\mathbf{l} = I$	
$\Phi = \int_S \mathbf{B} \cdot d\mathbf{S}$	$W_m = \frac{1}{2} \int_{vol} \mathbf{B} \cdot \mathbf{H} dv$	
$L = \frac{N\Phi}{I} = \frac{2W_m}{I^2}$	$L_{12} = \frac{N_2 \Phi_{12}}{I_1} = \frac{N_2}{I_1} \int_{S_2} \mathbf{B}_1 \cdot d\mathbf{S}_2$	
$\mathcal{R} = \frac{l}{\mu S}$	$V_{mmf} = NI$	

**Table 3** Faraday's law, Ampere-Maxwell law

$V_{emf} = \oint_C (\mathbf{u} \times \mathbf{B}) \cdot d\mathbf{l} - \int_S \frac{\partial \mathbf{B}}{\partial t} \cdot d\mathbf{S}$	$V_{emf} = \oint_C \mathbf{E} \cdot d\mathbf{l} = -\frac{d\Phi}{dt}$
$\oint_C \mathbf{H} \cdot d\mathbf{l} = \int_S \mathbf{J} \cdot d\mathbf{S} + \frac{d}{dt} \int_S \mathbf{D} \cdot d\mathbf{S}$	$\nabla \times \mathbf{H} = \mathbf{J} + \frac{\partial \mathbf{D}}{\partial t}$

**Table 4** Currents

$I = \int_S \mathbf{J} \cdot d\mathbf{S}$	$\mathbf{J} = \rho \mathbf{u} = \sigma \mathbf{E}$
$\nabla \cdot \mathbf{J} = -\frac{\partial \rho_v}{\partial t}$	$\mathbf{P} = \int_{vol} (\mathbf{E} \cdot \mathbf{J}) dv$
$J_{2,n} - J_{1,n} = -\frac{\partial \rho_s}{\partial t}$	$\sigma_2 J_{1,t} = \sigma_1 J_{2,t}$
$R = \frac{l}{\sigma S}$	$\sigma = -\rho_e \mu_e = \frac{1}{\rho}$