PH 220

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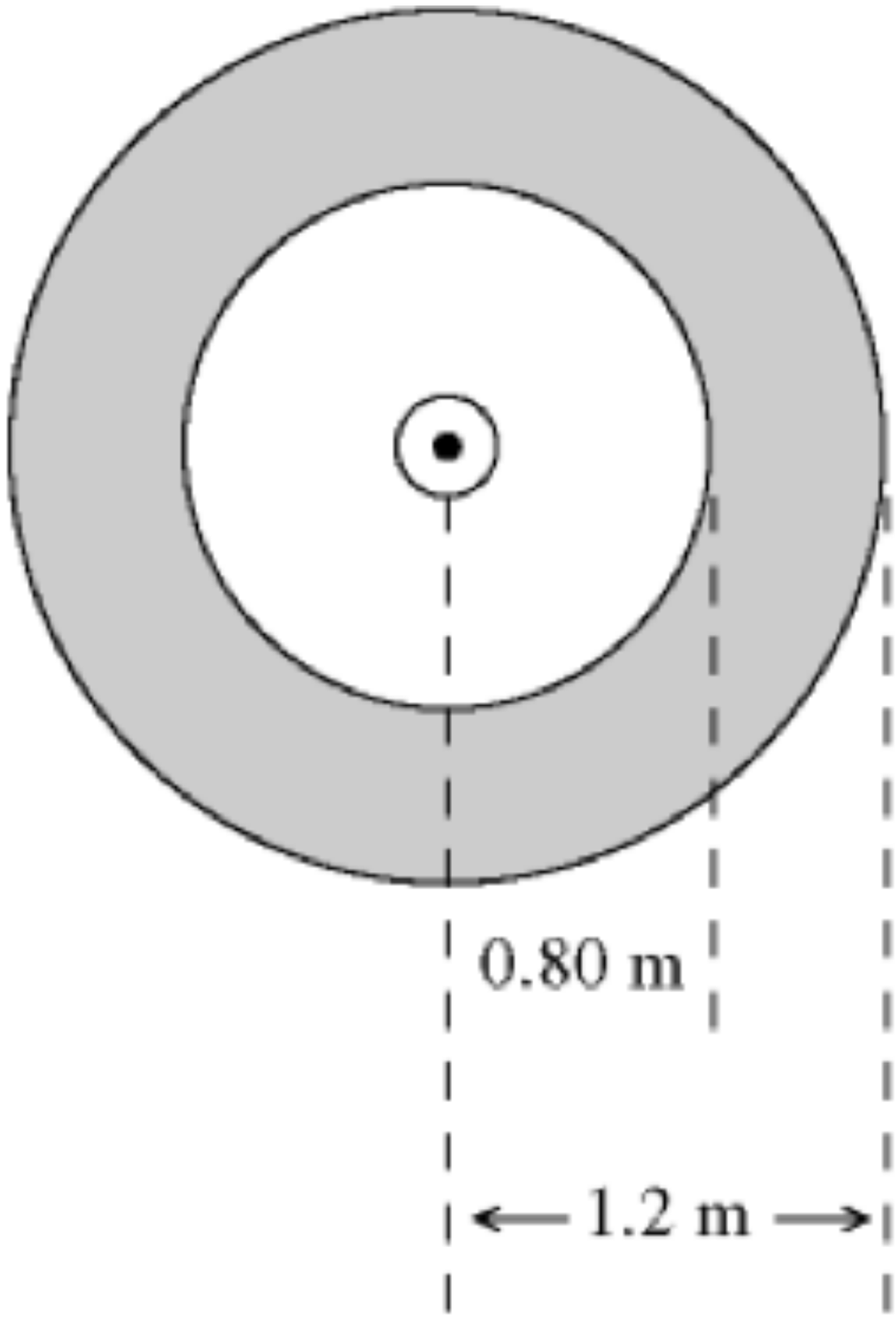
Gauss's Law Practice



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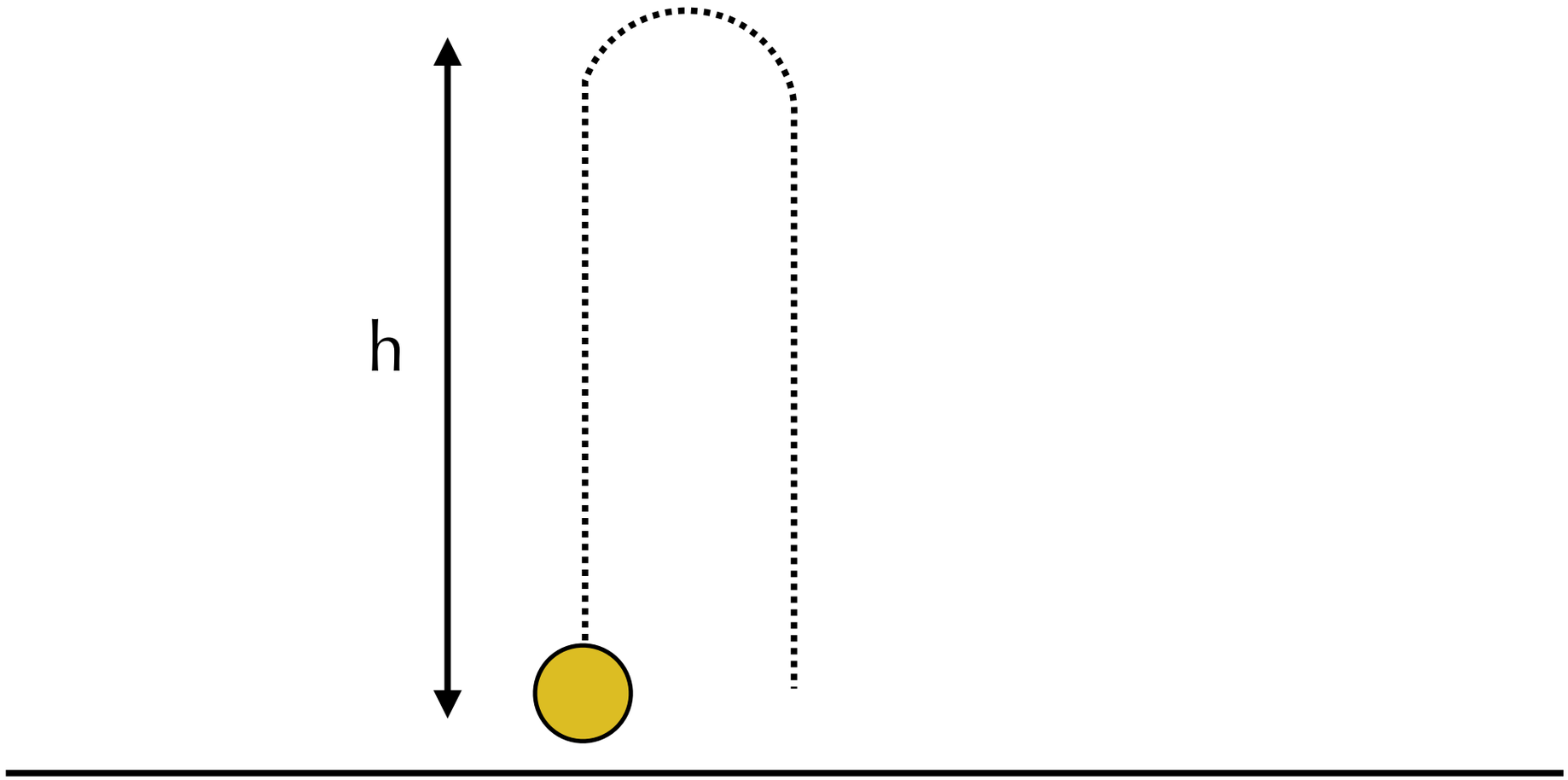

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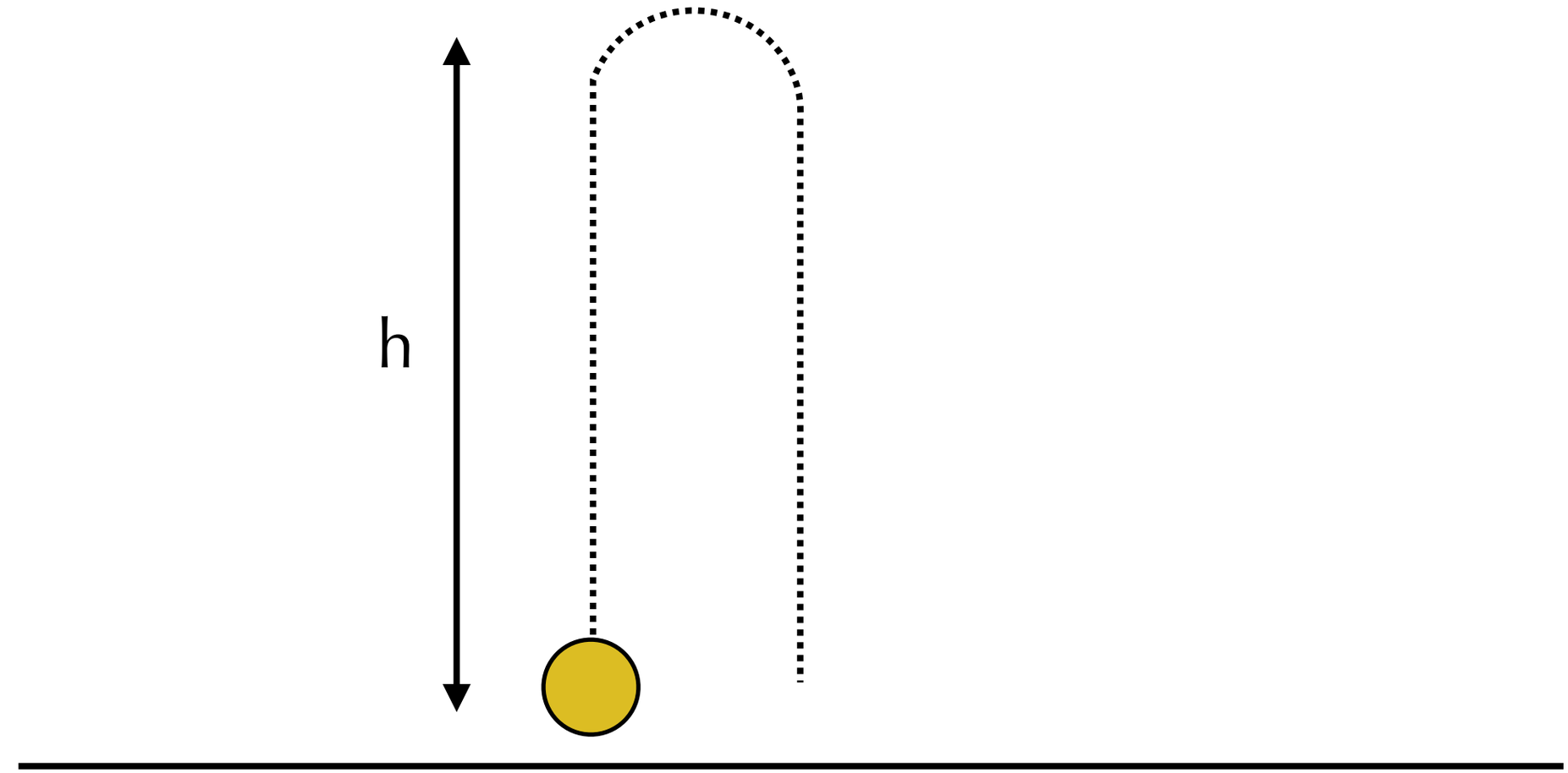

$$\Delta U_g = -W_g$$

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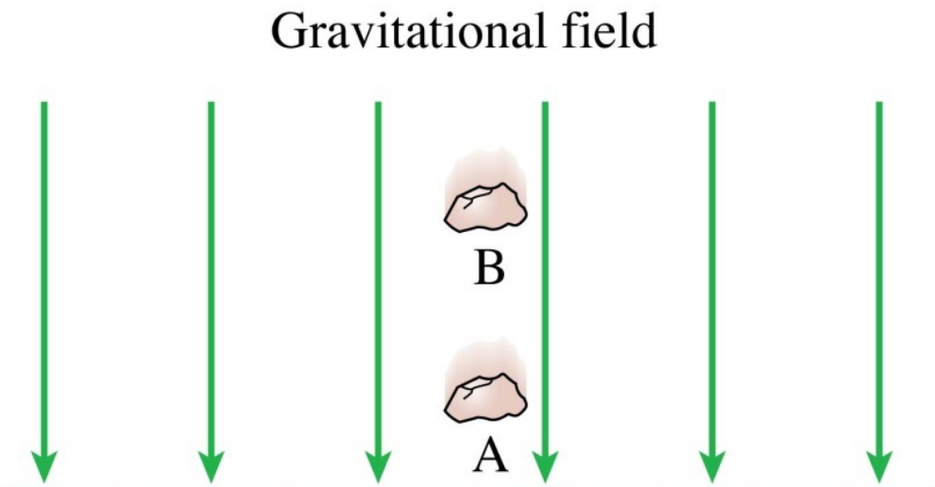

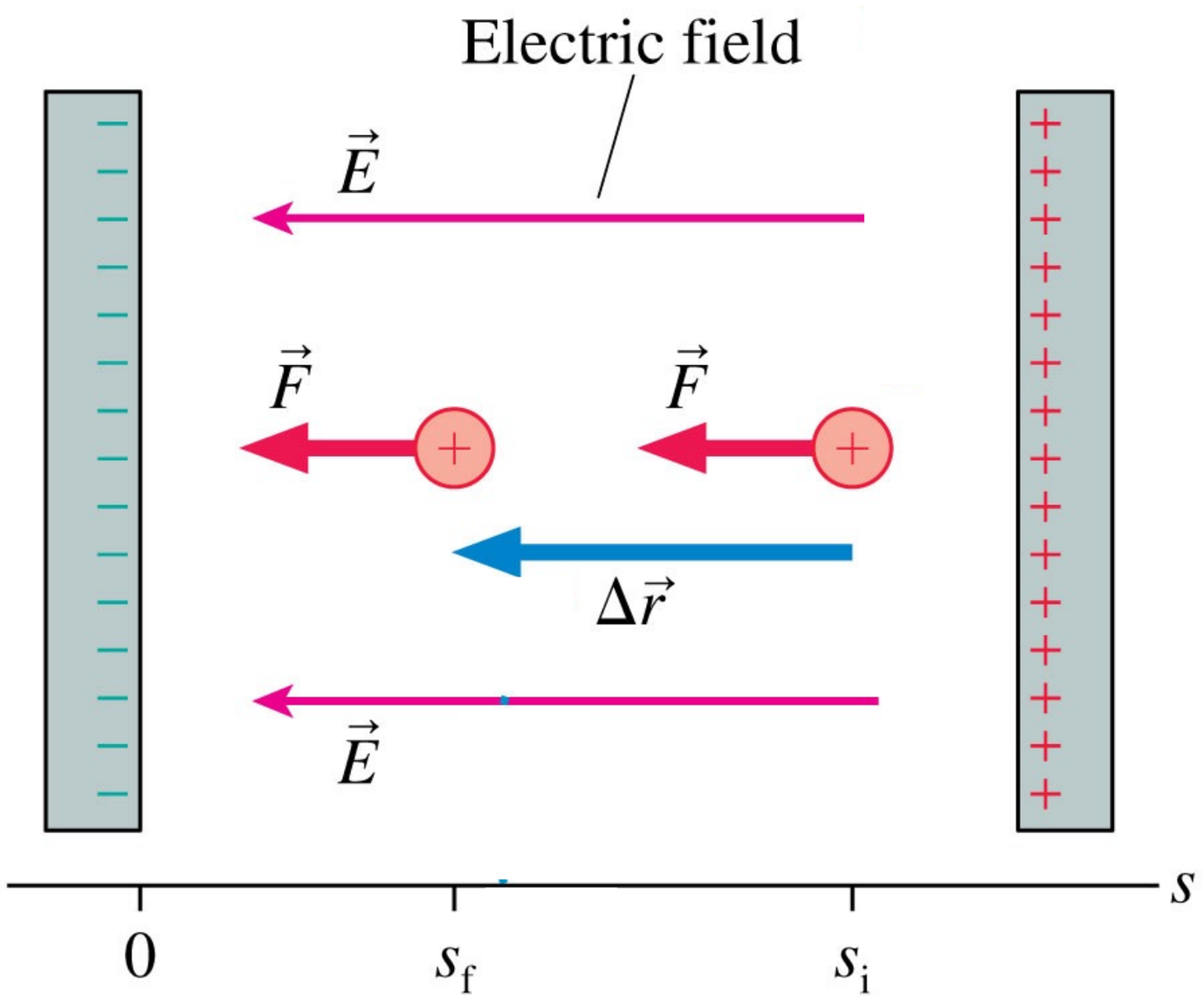

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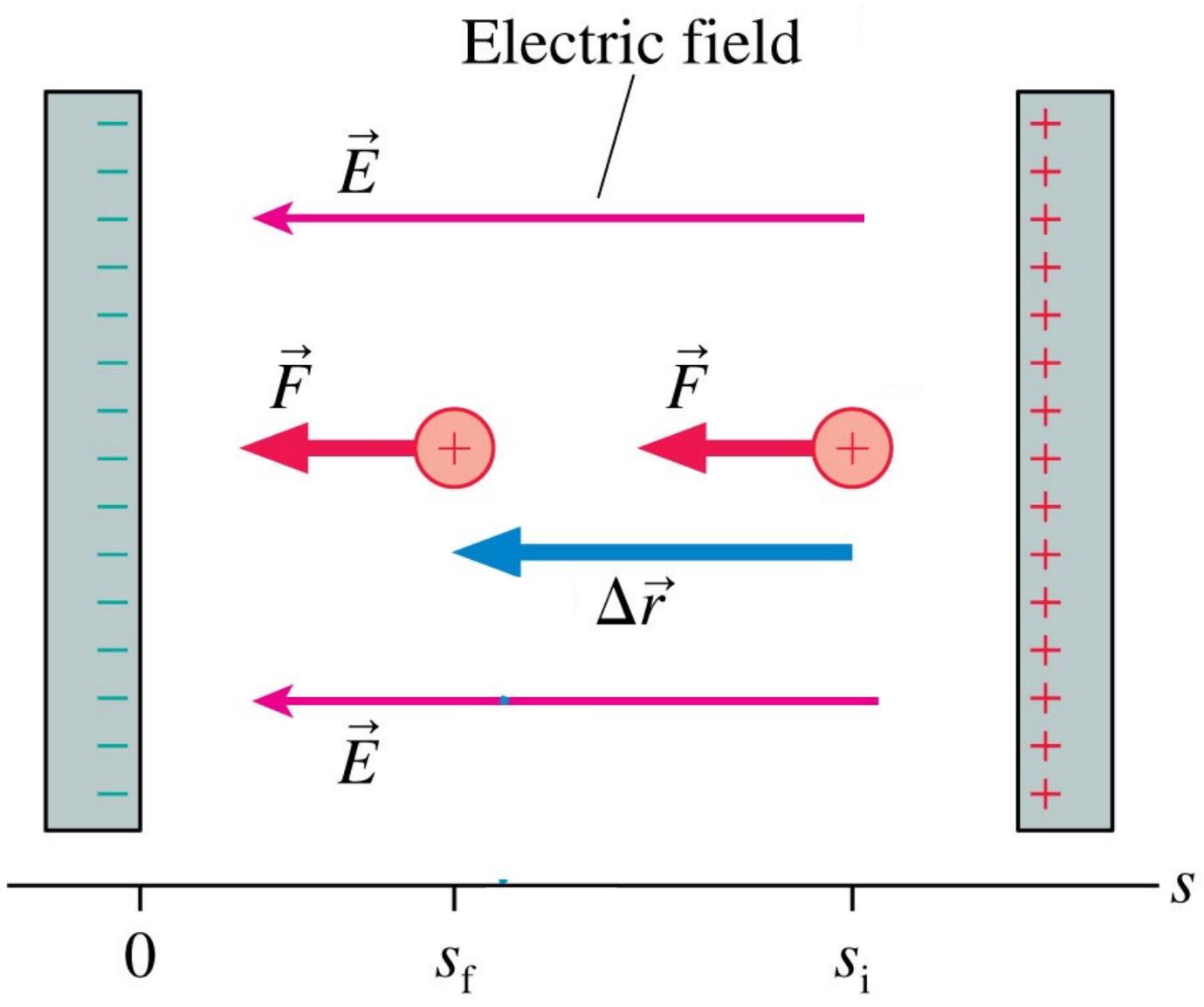

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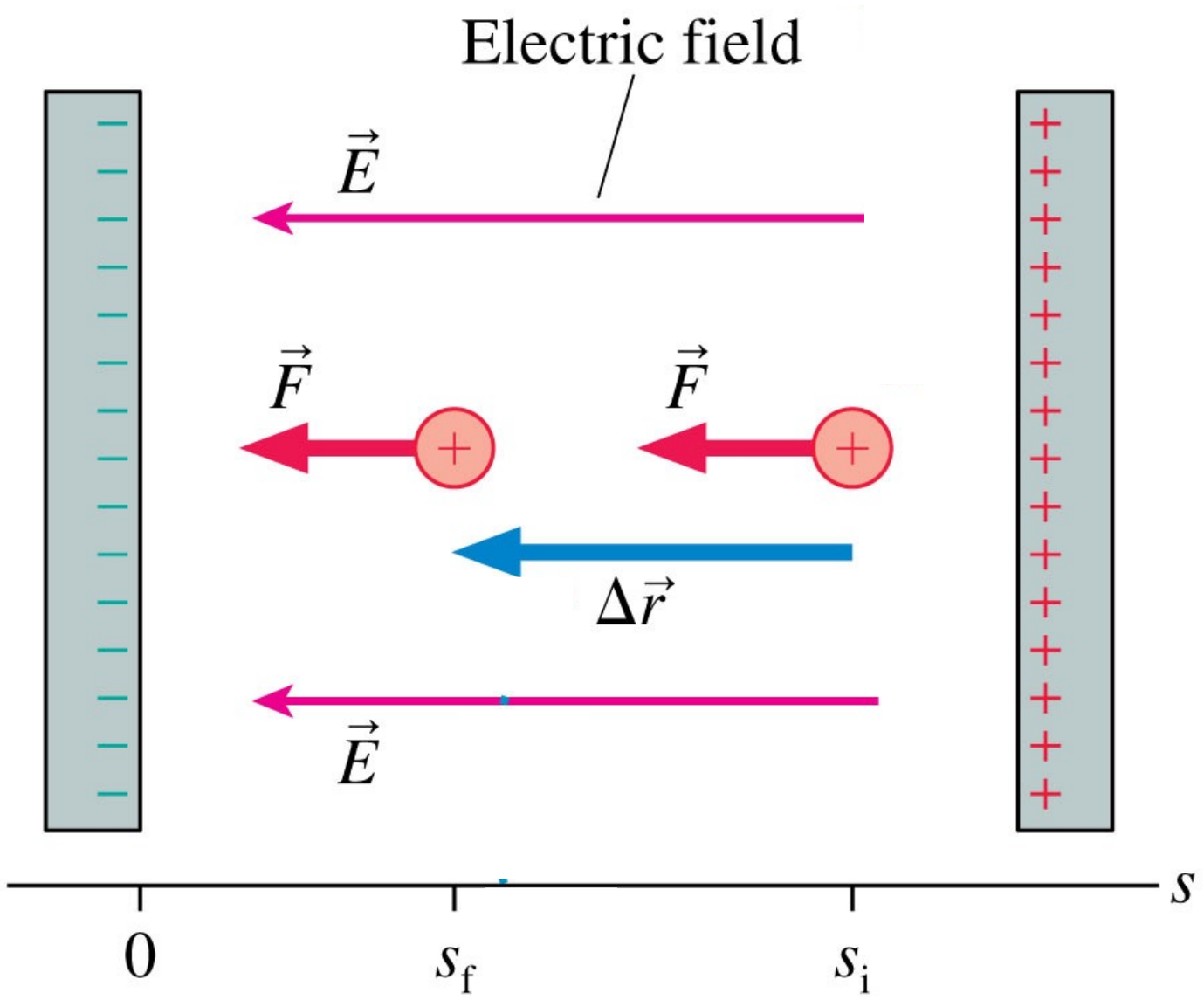

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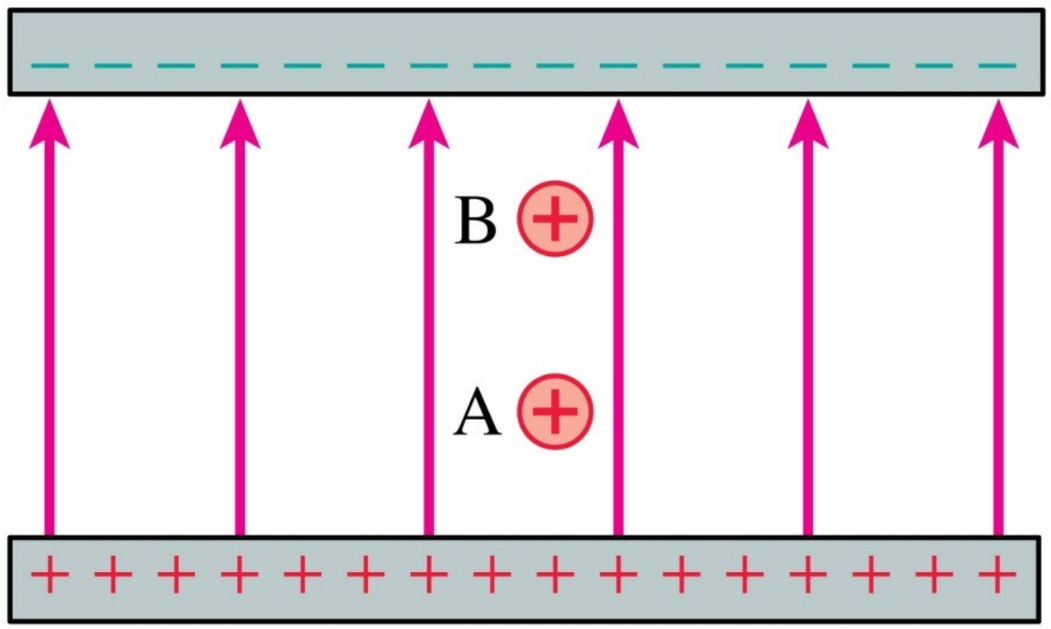

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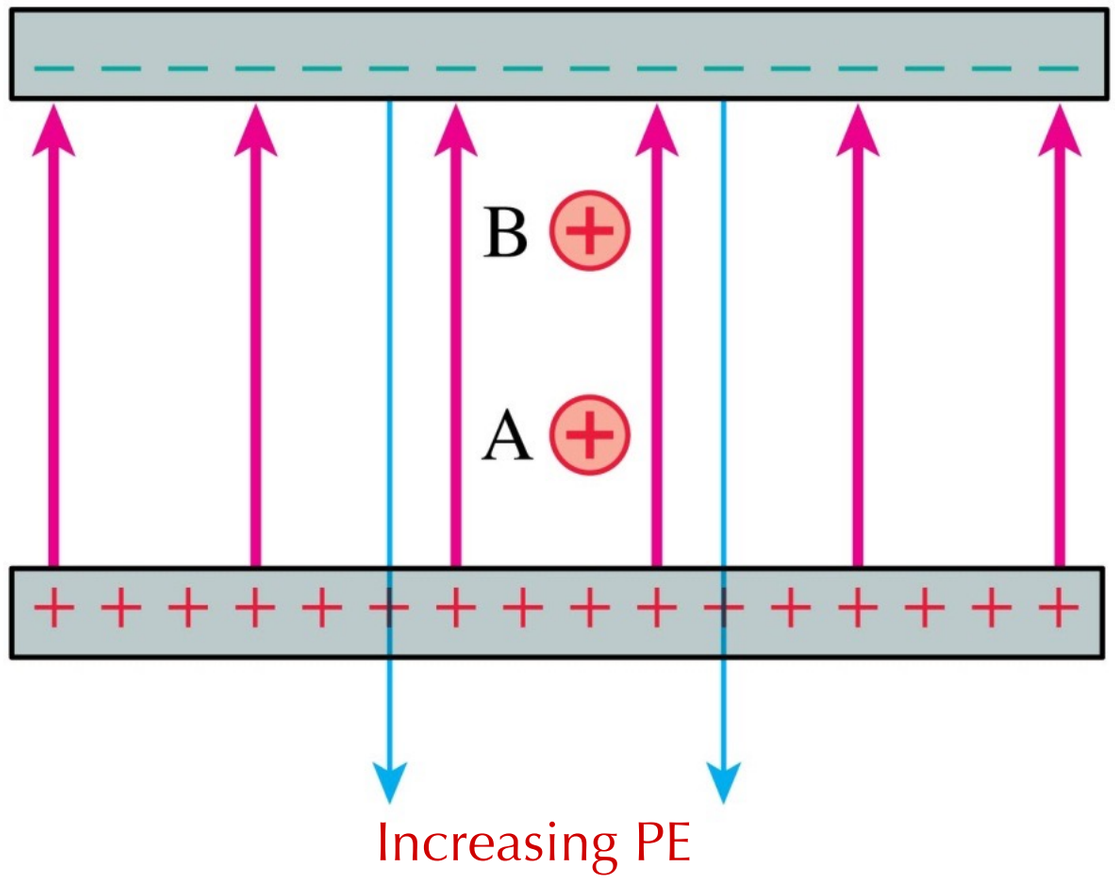

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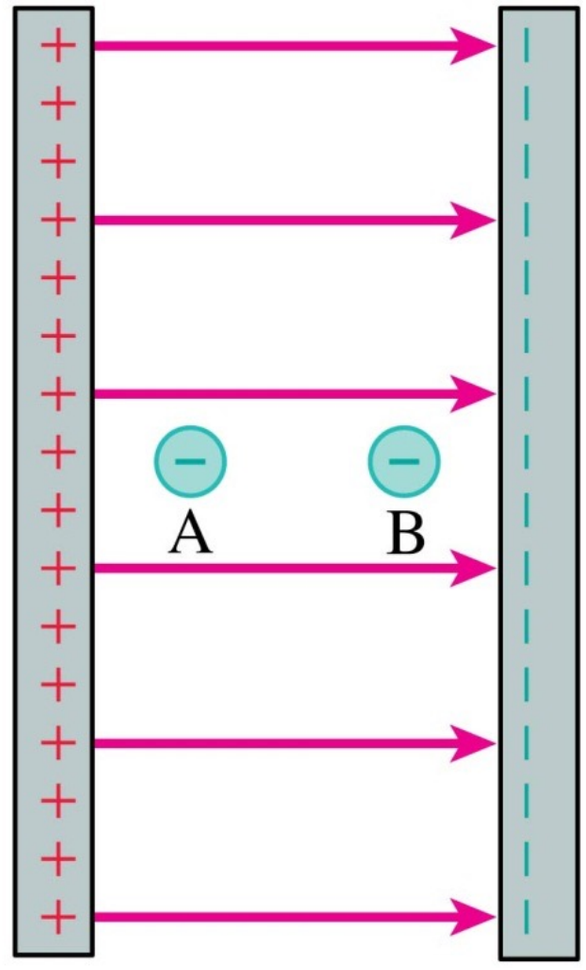

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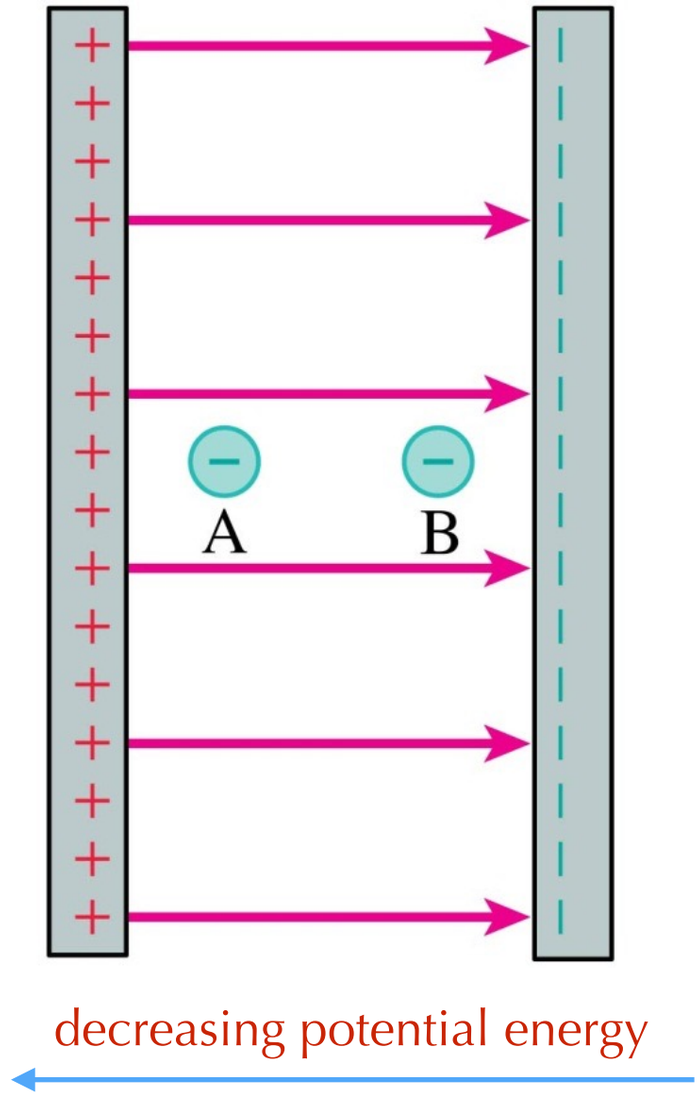
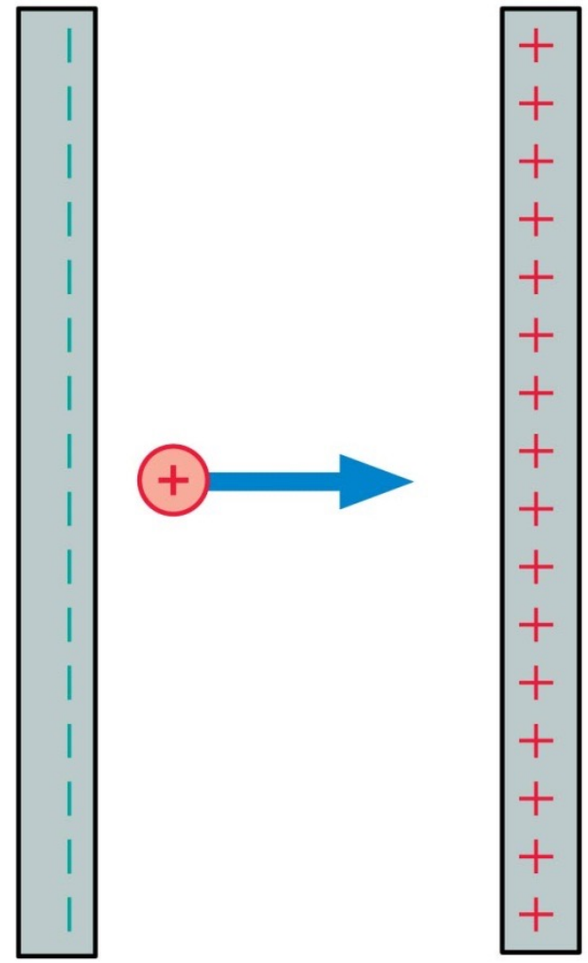


A positive charge moves as shown. Its kinetic energy

A. Increases.
B. Decreases.
C. Remains constant.



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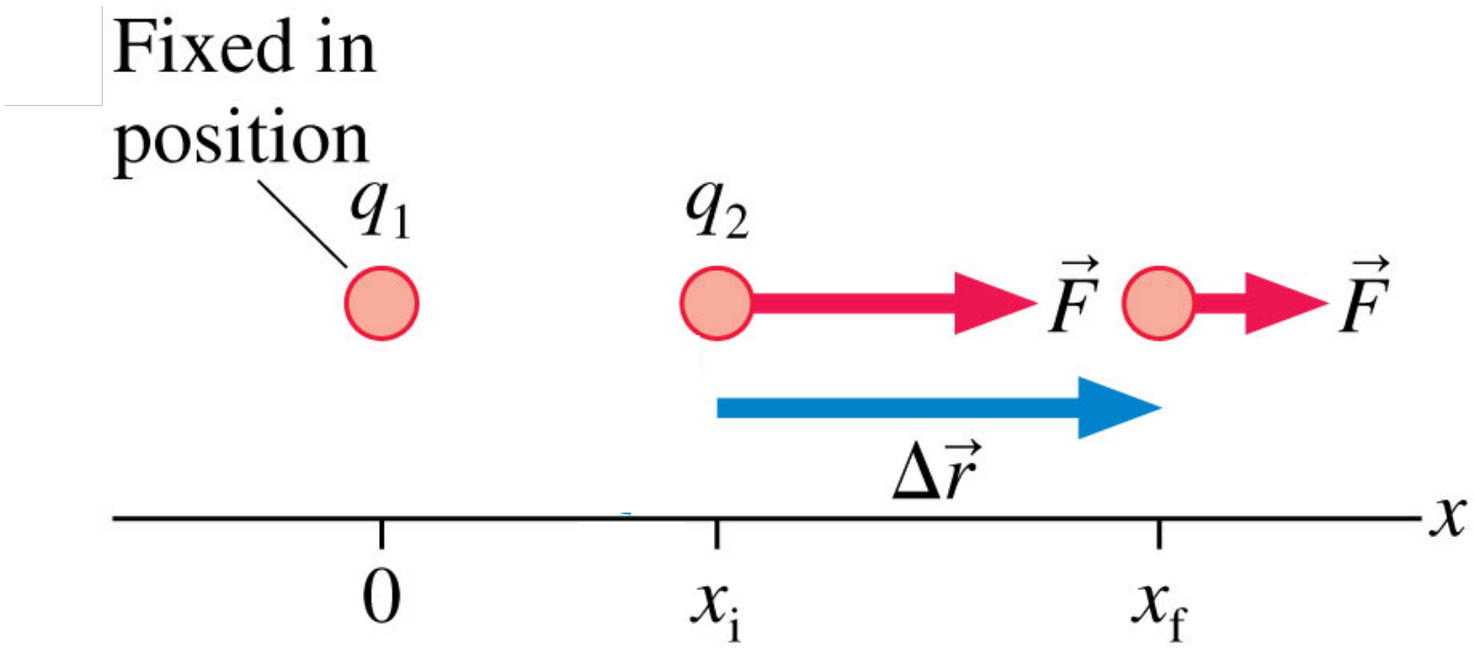

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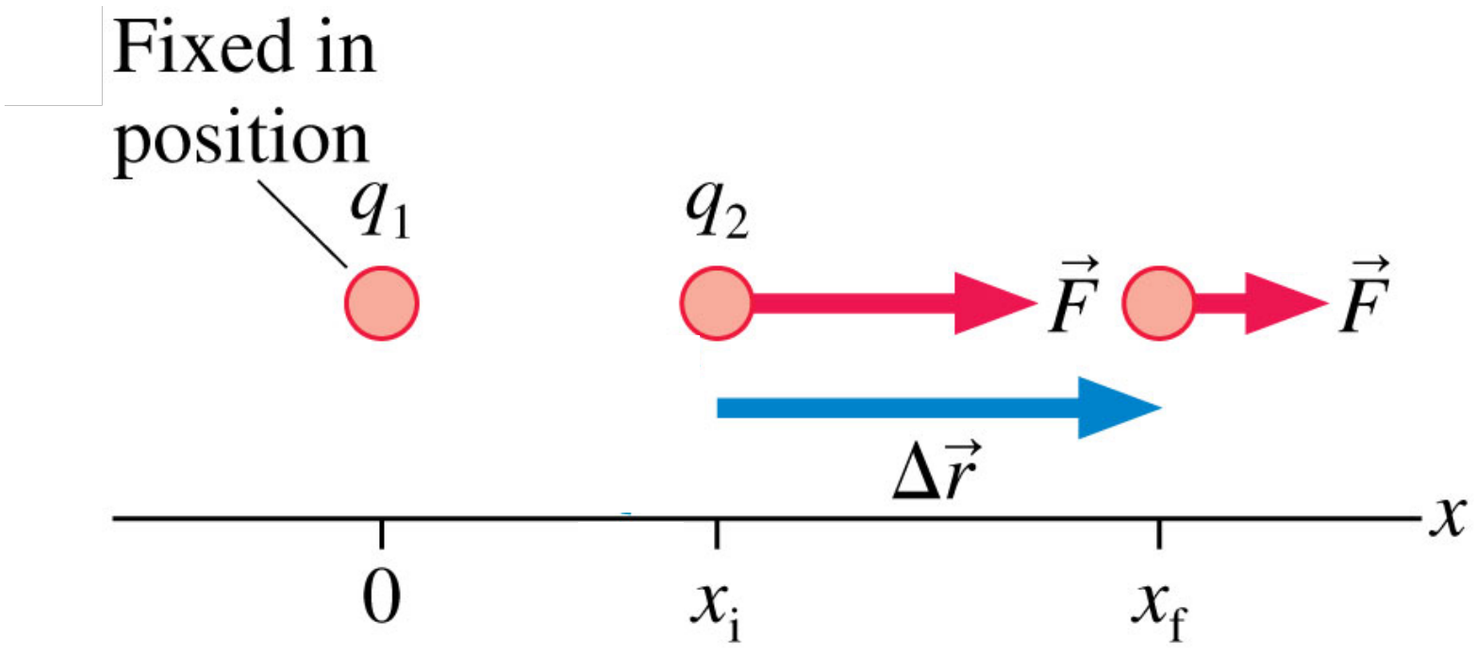

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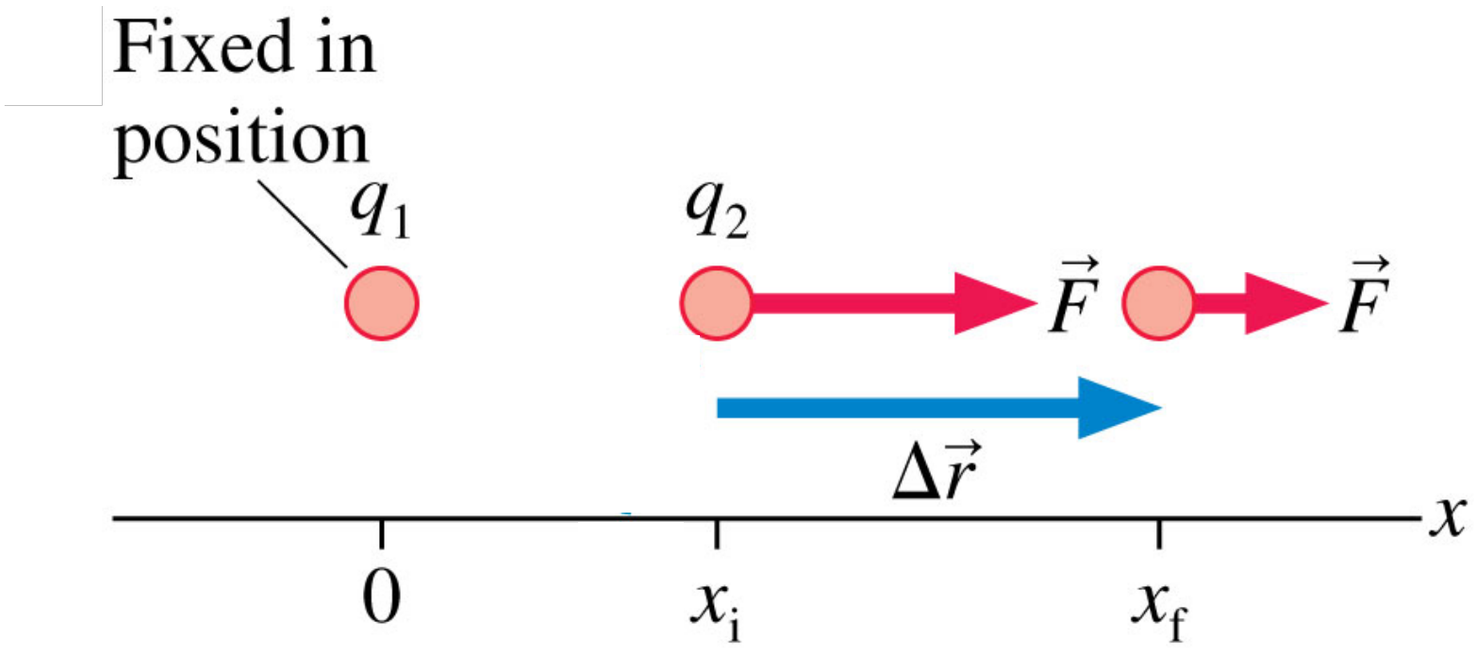

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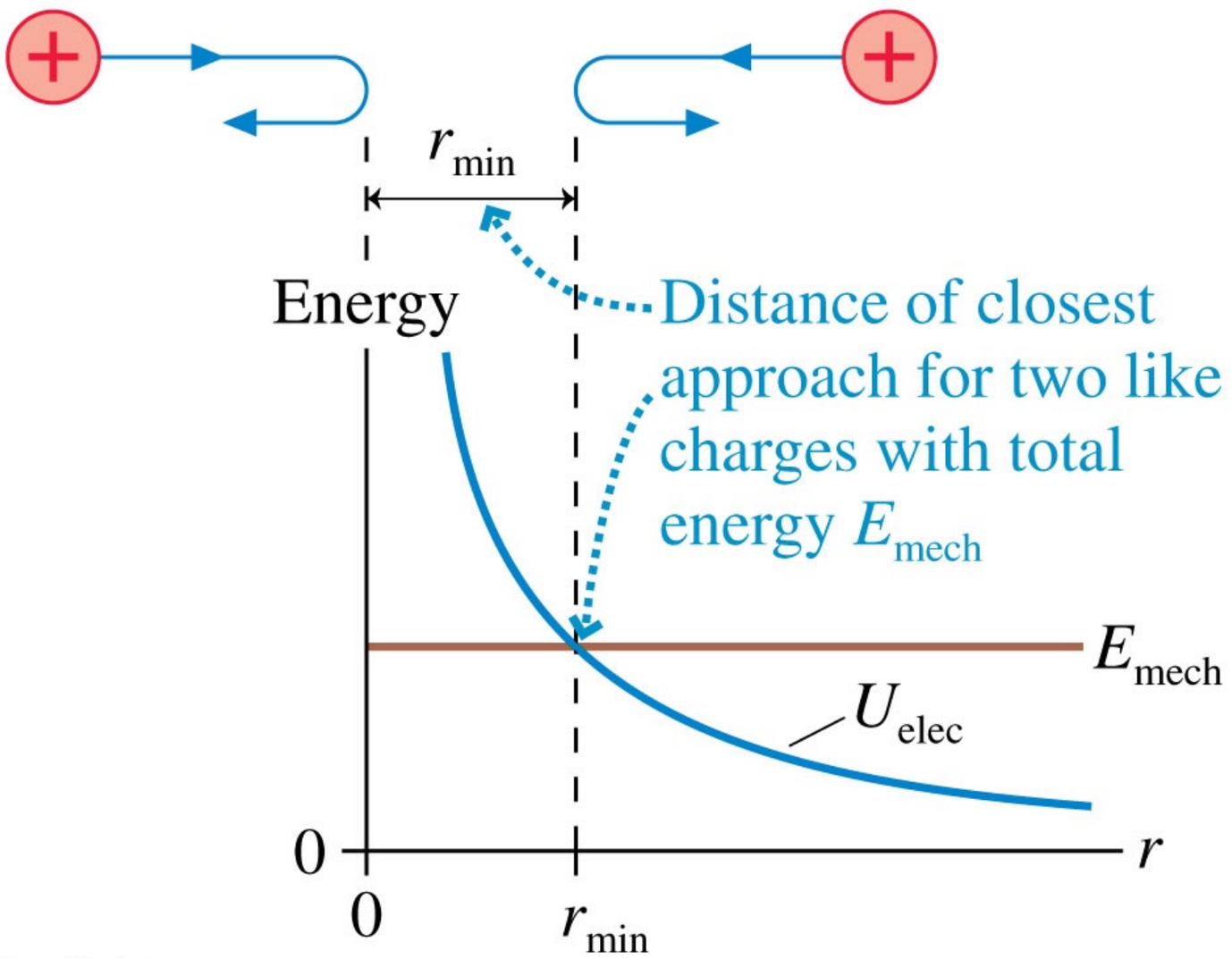

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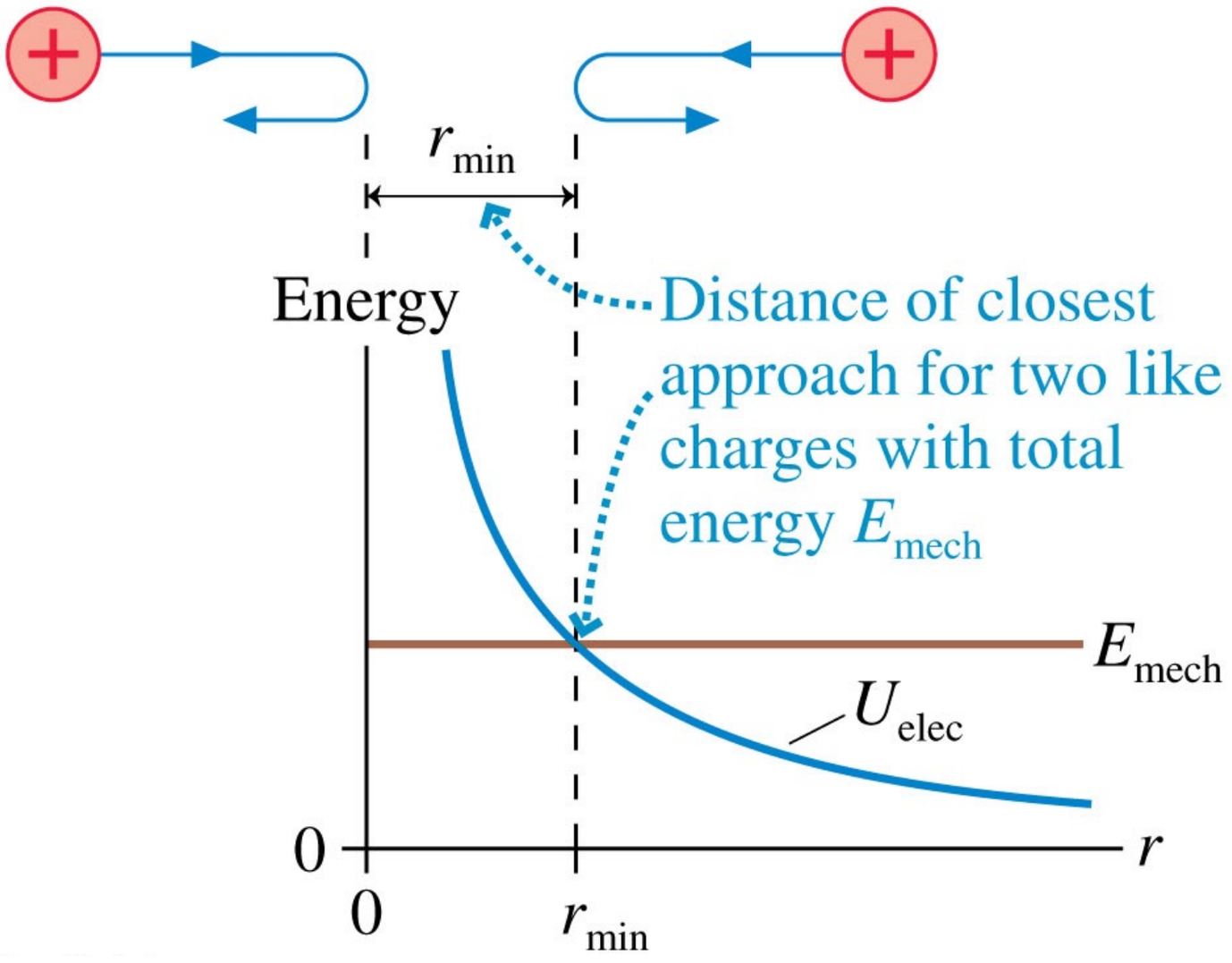

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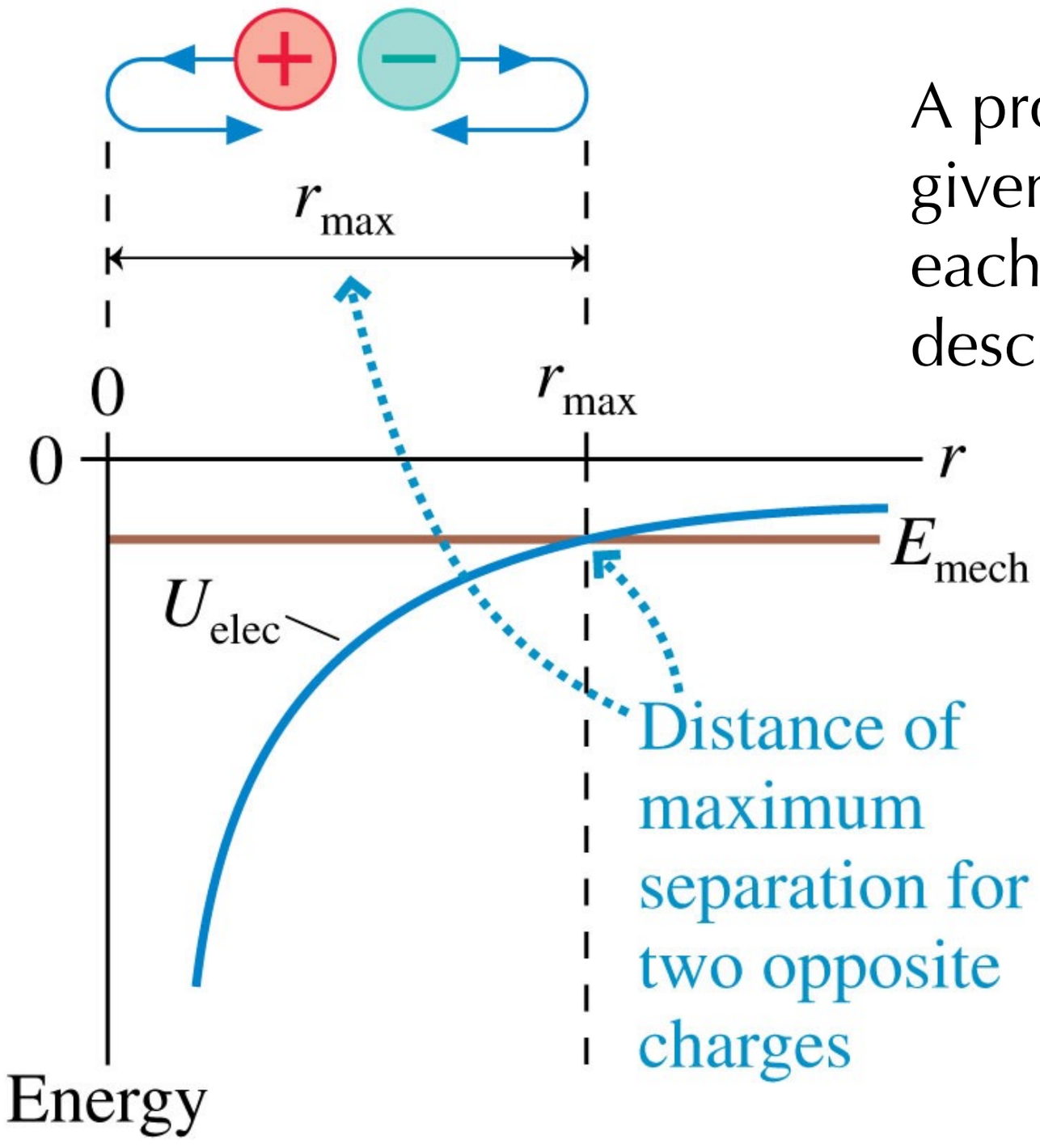

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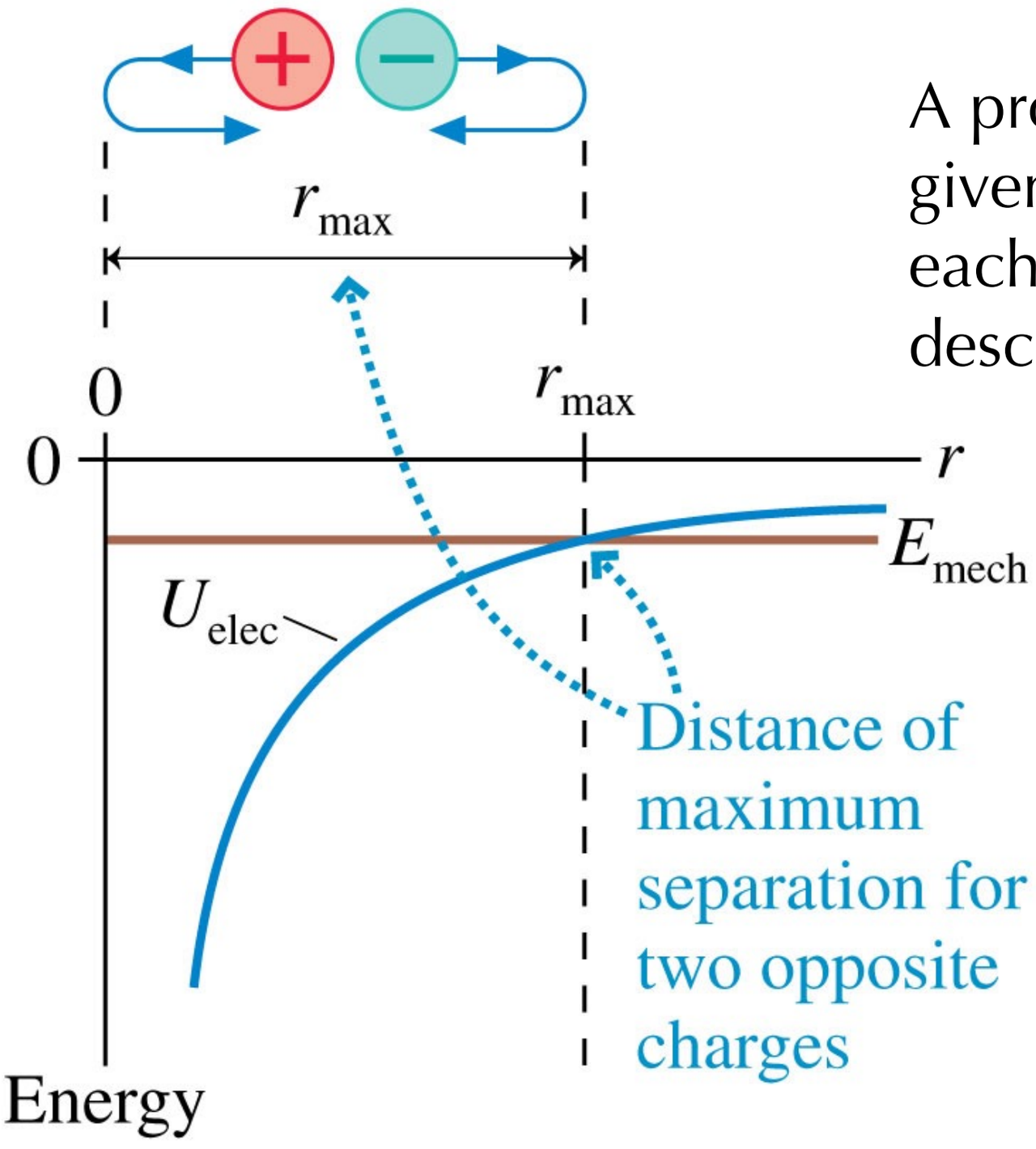

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Opposite signs, so U is Negative.

U increases in magnitude as r decreases.

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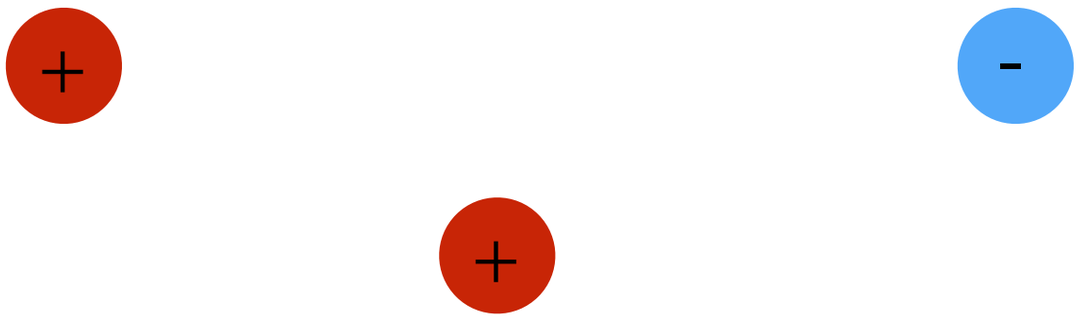
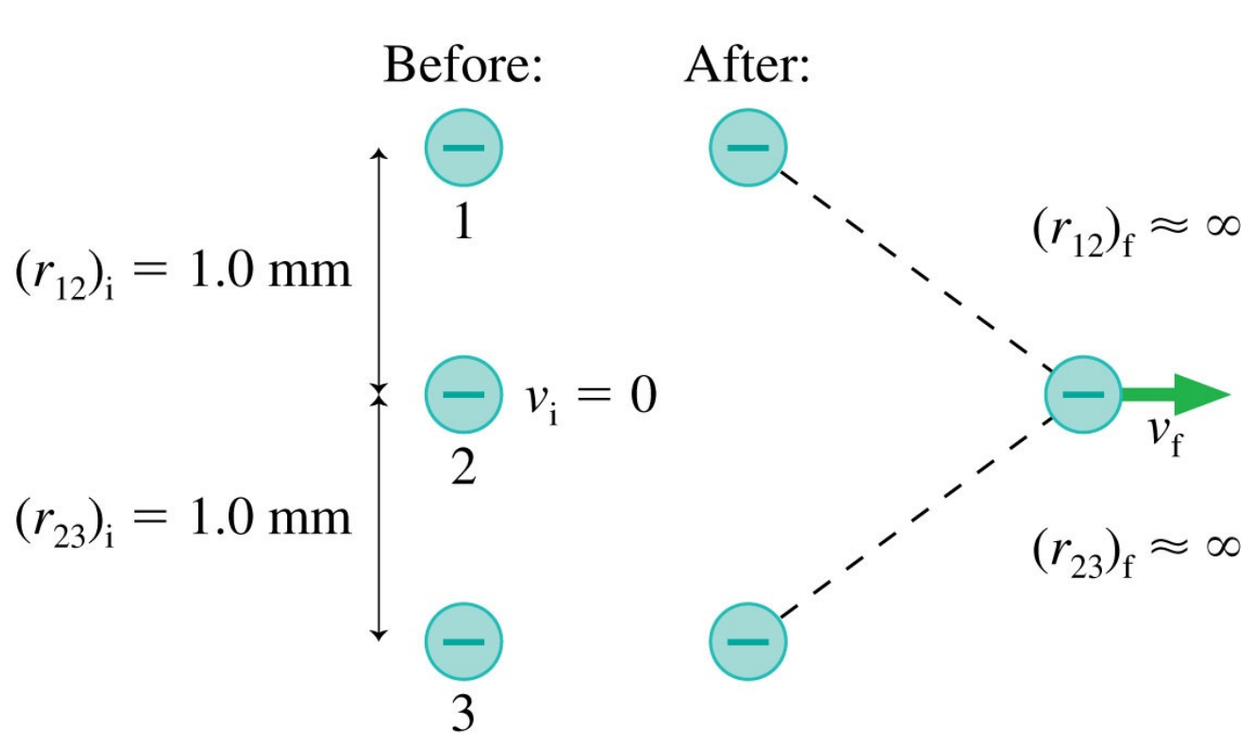


$$U = \sum_{i \neq j} \frac{k q_i q_j}{r_{ij}}$$

Example

Three electrons are spaced 1.0 mm apart on a vertical line. If the center electron is nudged horizontally by a very small distance, what will its speed be when it is very far away?



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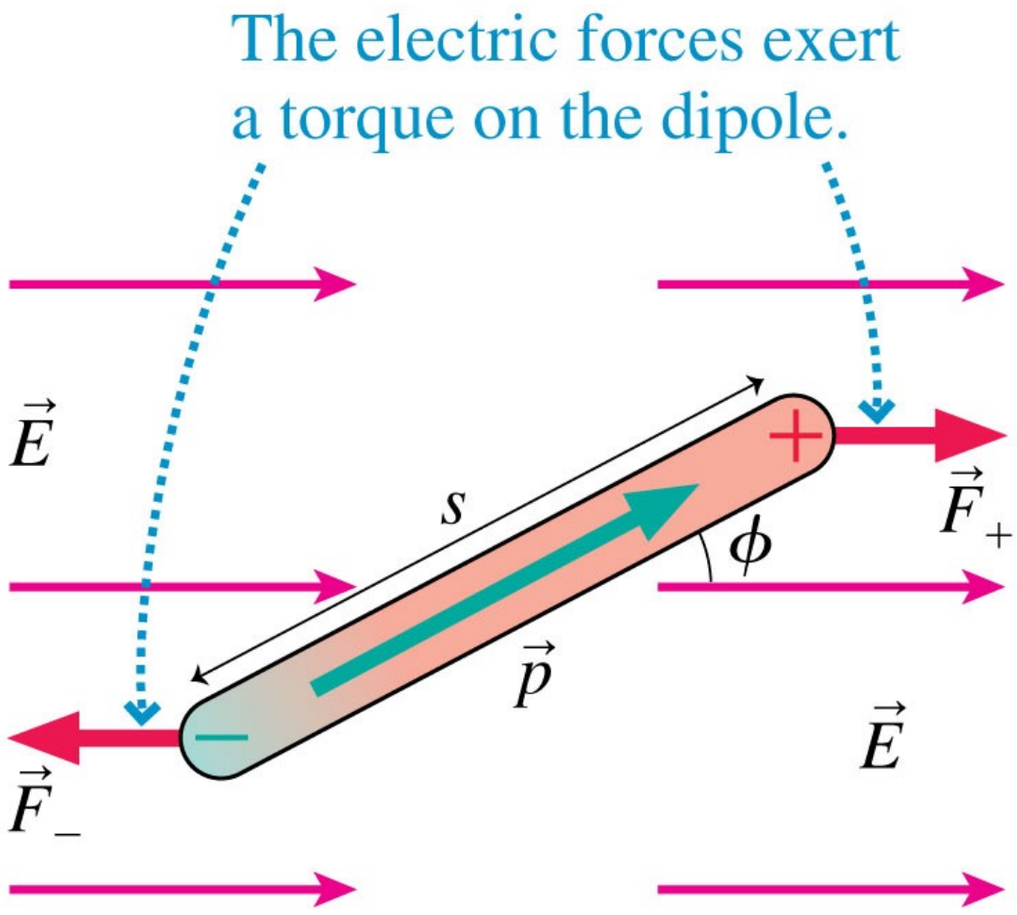

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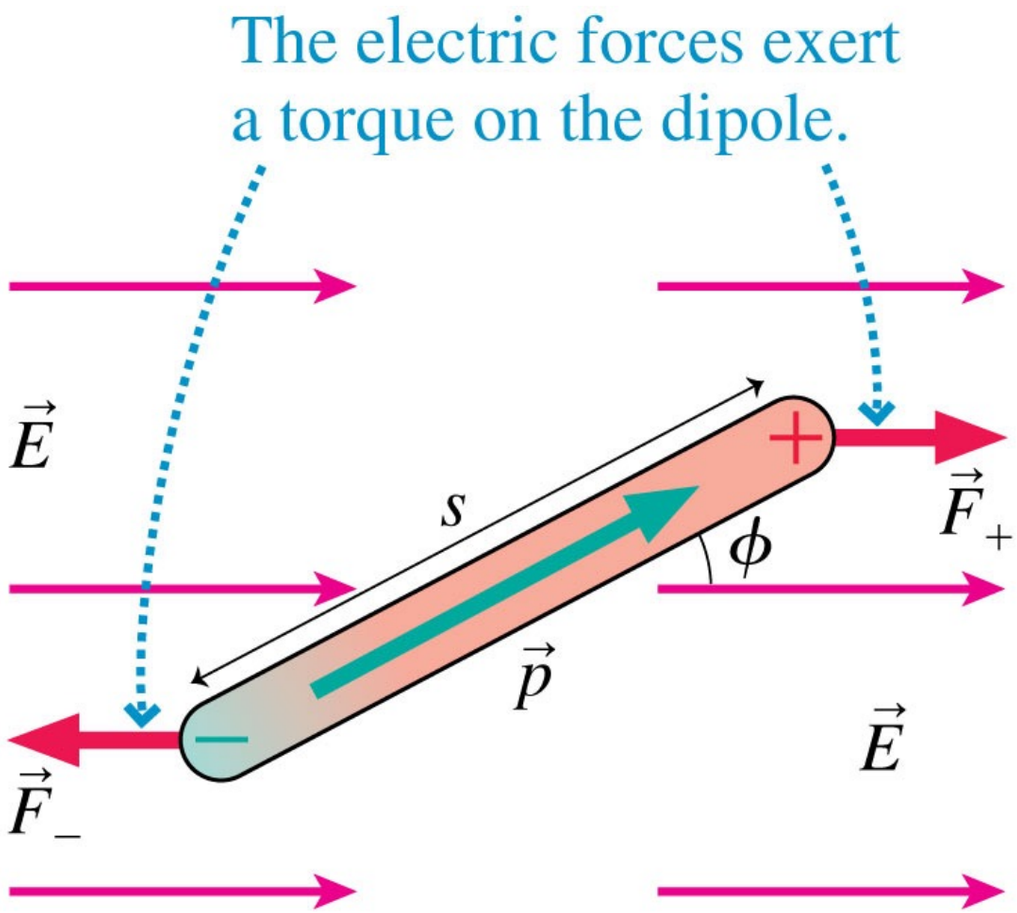

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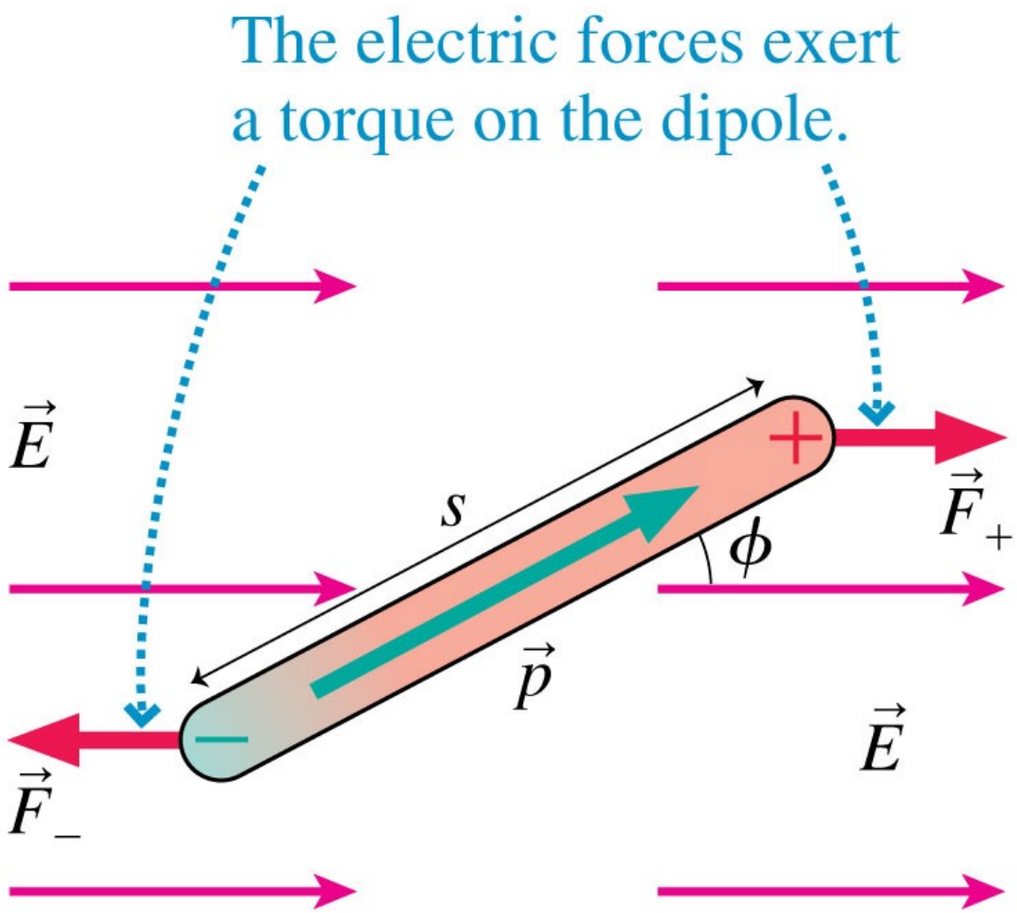

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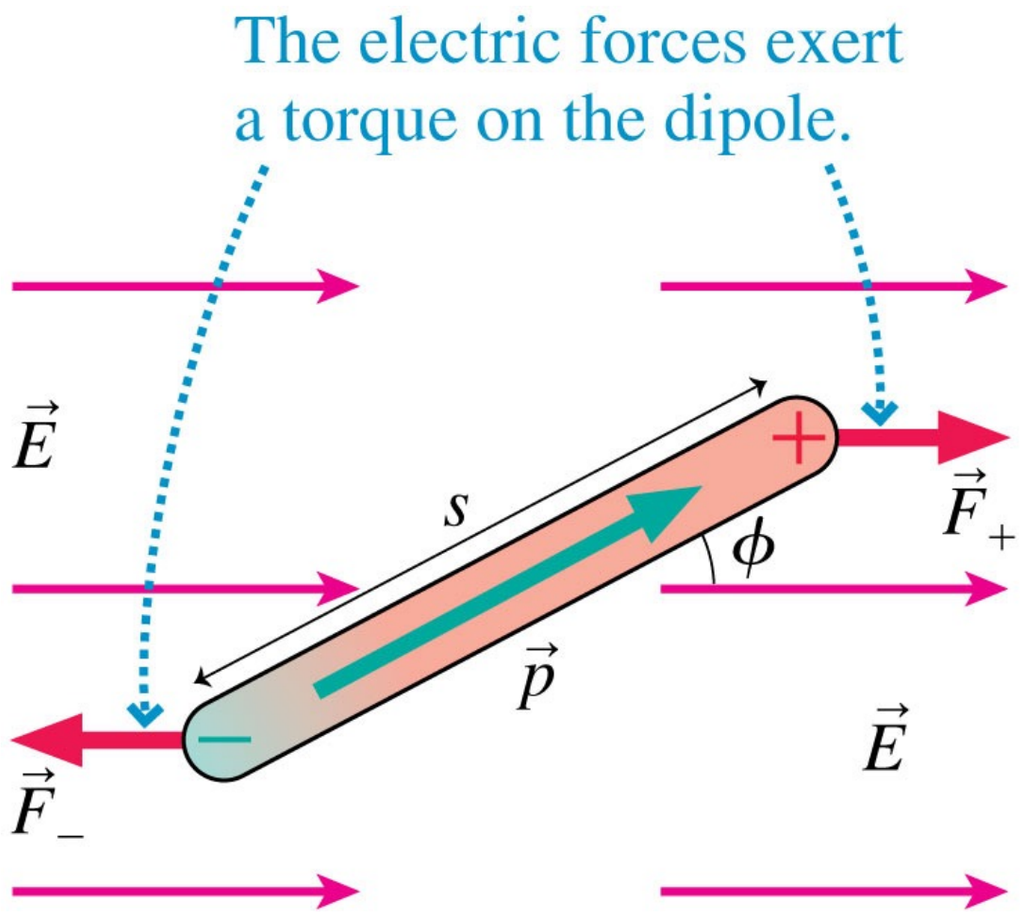

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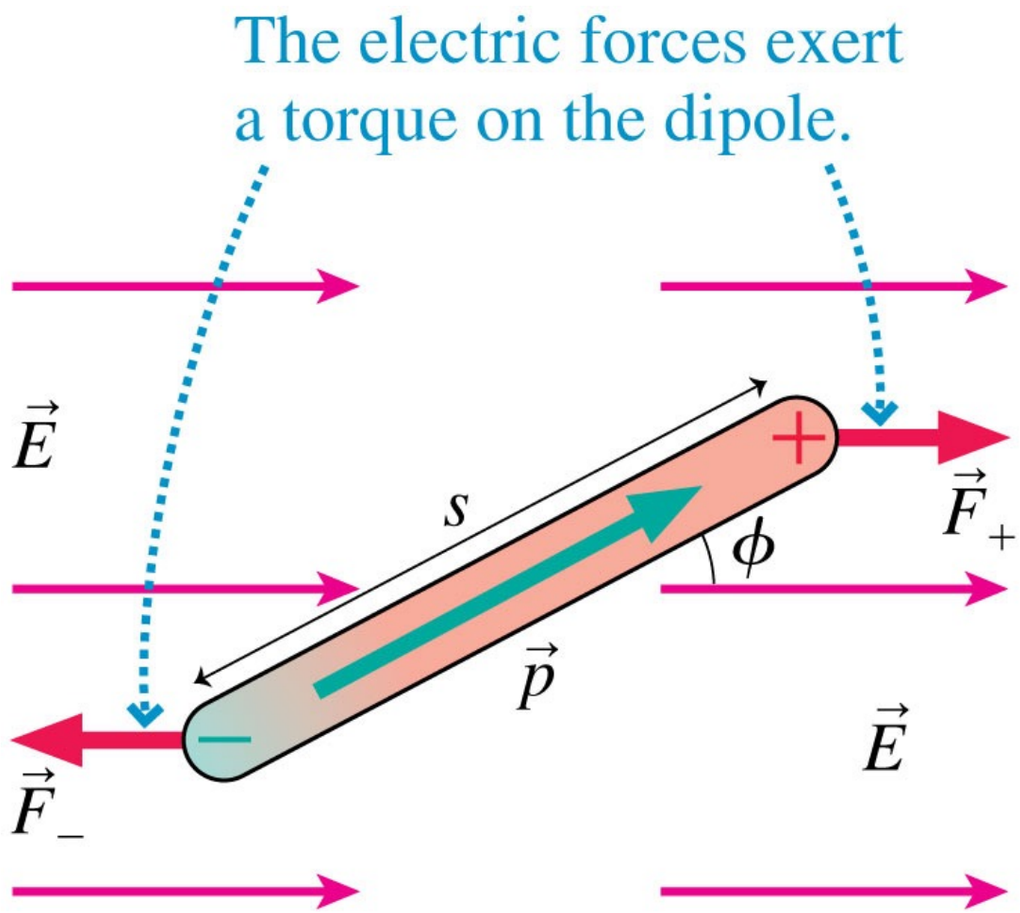

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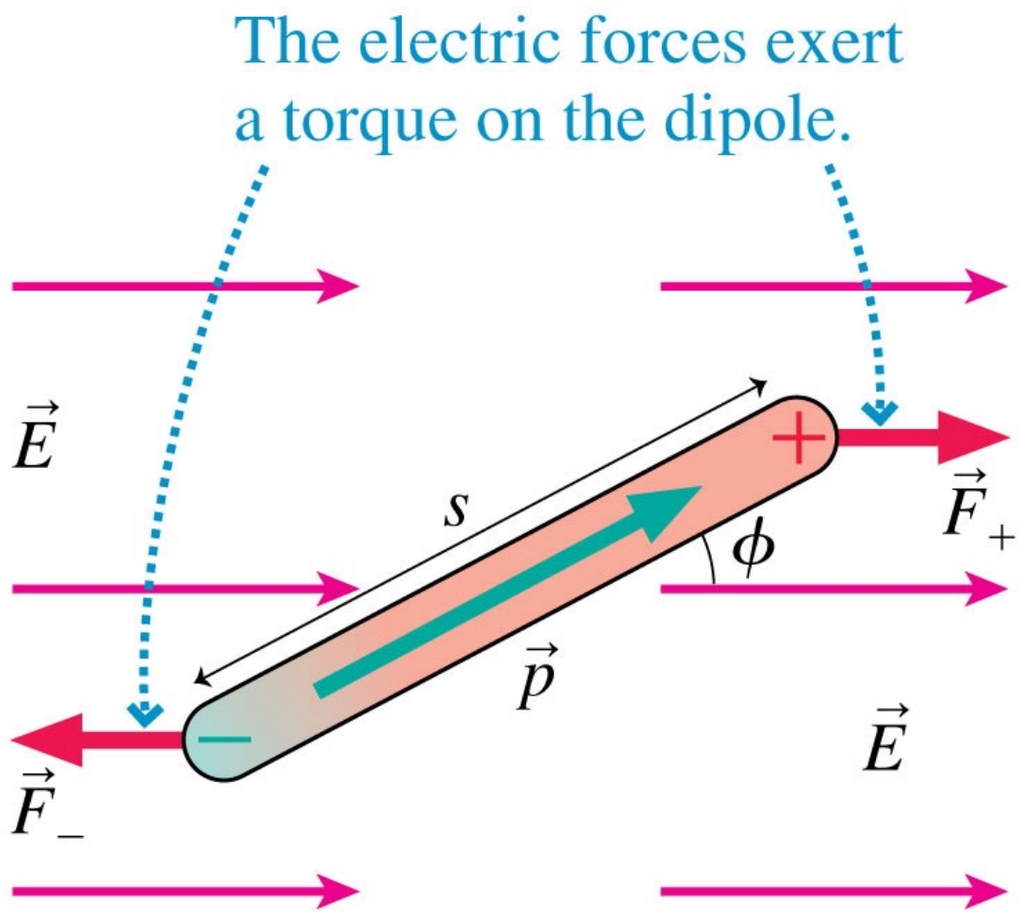

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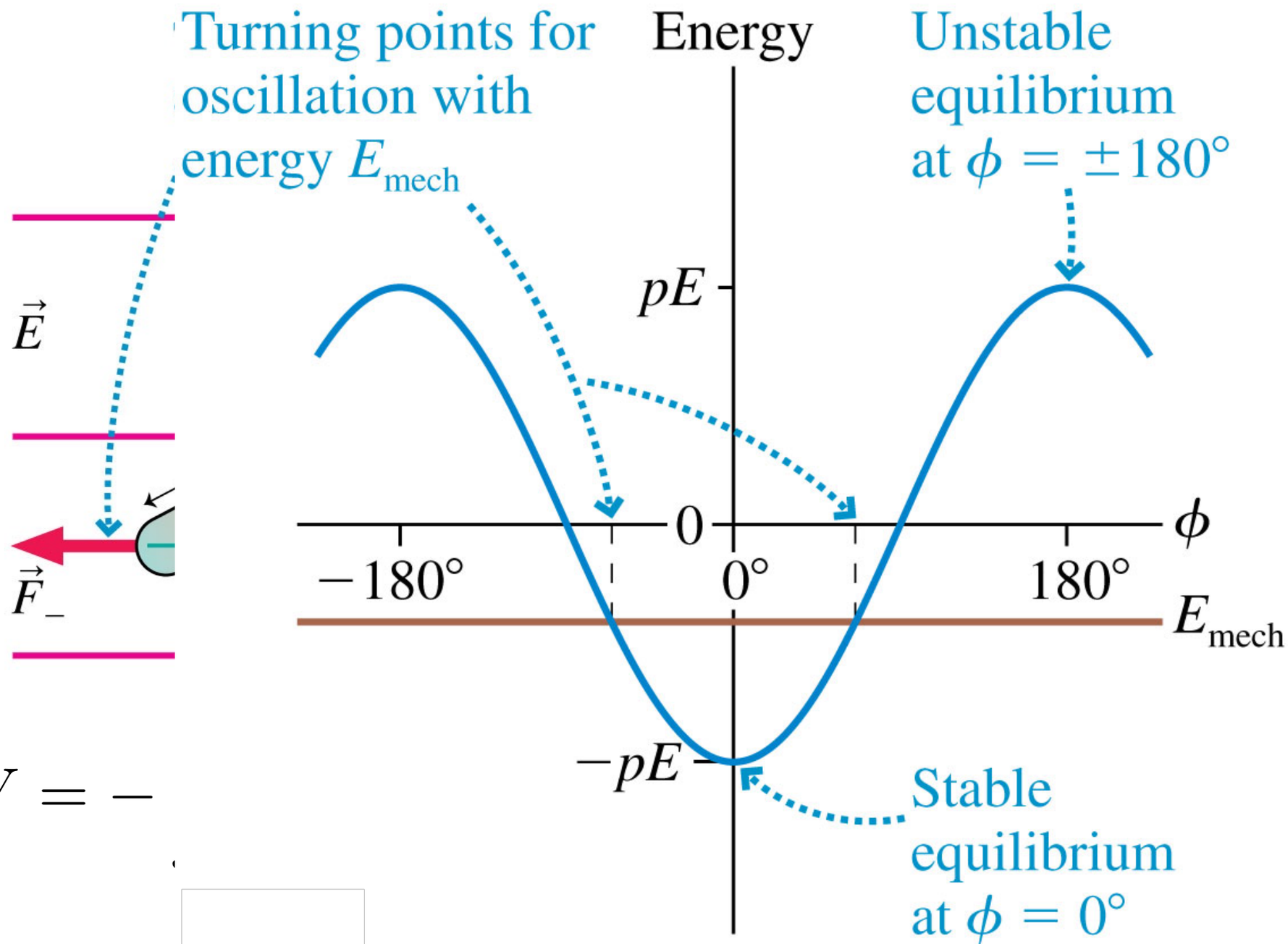

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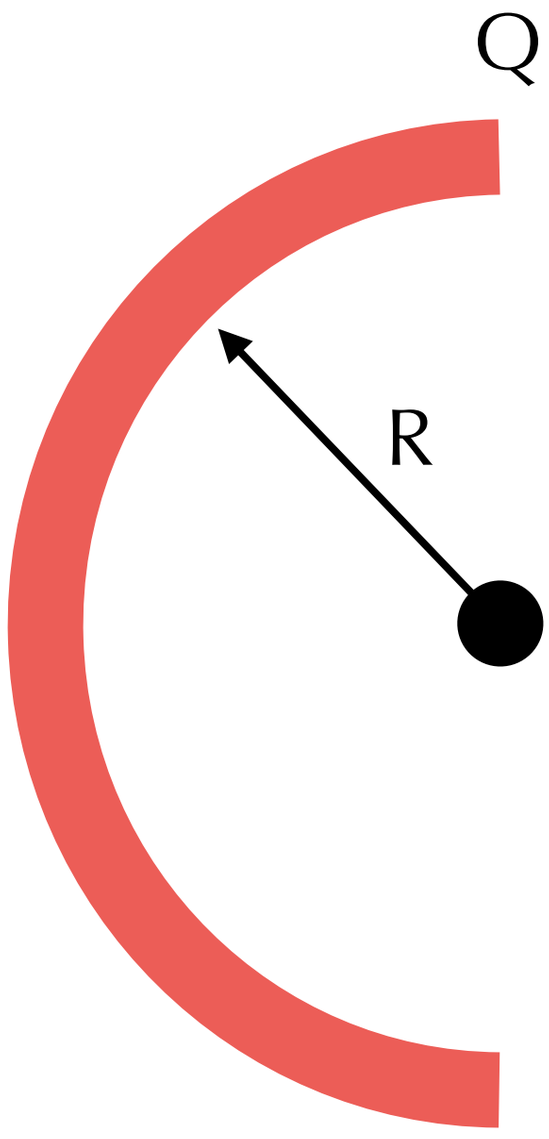
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