

PV 202  
- Do intro to webassign tonight!

## Continuous Q Distributions

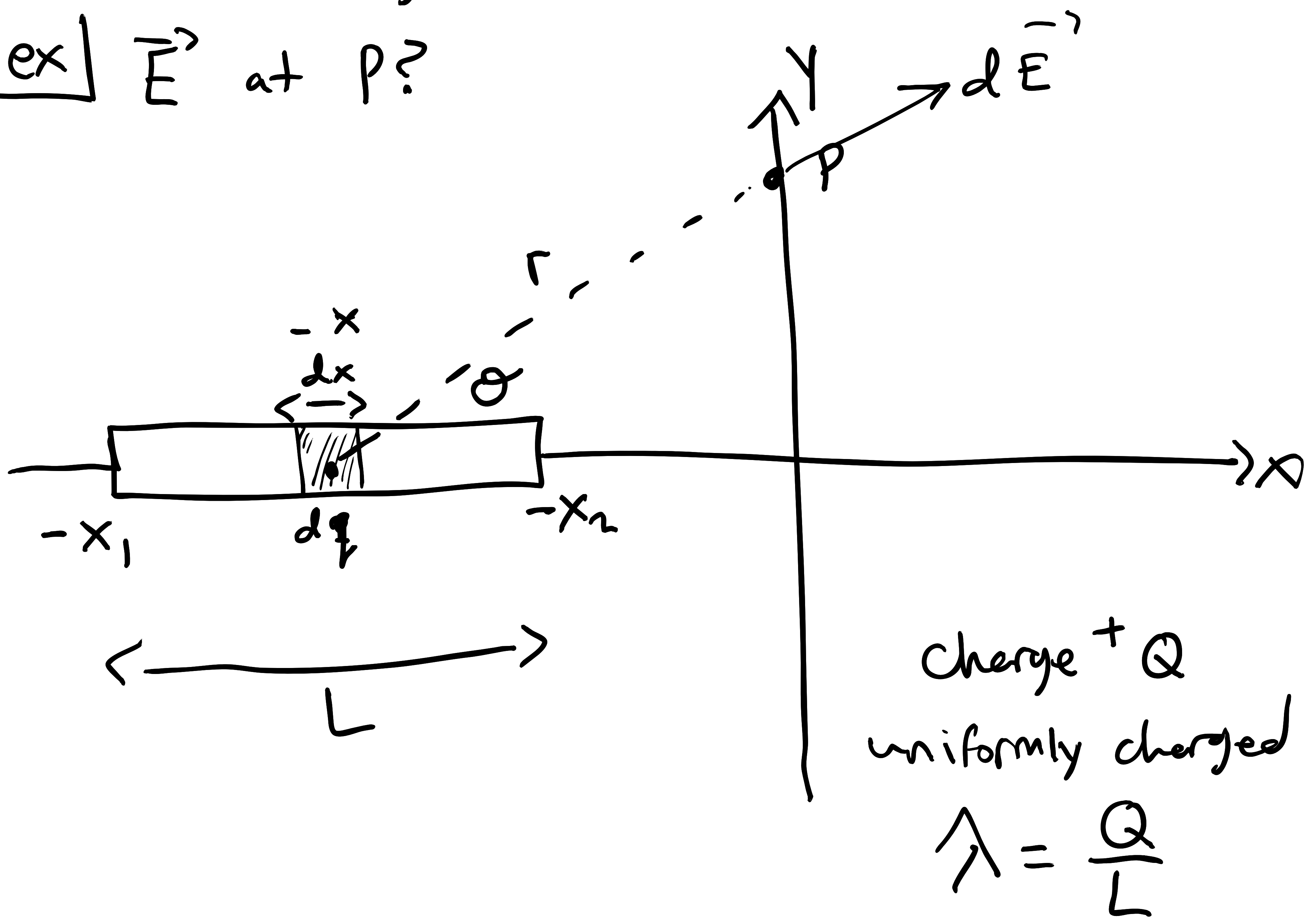
$$dE = k \frac{dq}{r^2}$$

$$\vec{E} = \int d\vec{E}$$

$$E_x = \int dE_x$$

$$E_y = \int dE_y$$

ex]  $\vec{E}$  at P?



$$d\vec{E} = dE_r \hat{r} = dE_x \hat{i} + dE_y \hat{j}$$

$$dE_r = k \frac{dq}{r^2}$$

$$dE_x = k \frac{dq}{r^2} \cos \theta$$

$$dE_y = k \frac{dq}{r^2} \sin \theta$$

$$dq?$$

$$Q = \lambda \cdot L$$

$$dq = \lambda \cdot dx$$

using geometry:

$$\sin \theta = \frac{y}{r}$$

$$\tan \theta = \frac{y}{-x}$$

$$\Rightarrow x = -y \cot \theta$$

$$\cancel{dx} = -y \frac{d}{d\theta} \cot \theta$$

Now we  
have  $dx$ !

$$dx = y \csc^2 \theta d\theta$$

$$dE_x = k\lambda \frac{y \csc^2 \theta d\theta}{y^2 / \sin^2 \theta} \cos \theta d\theta$$

$$dE_x = \frac{k\lambda}{y} \cos \theta d\theta$$

$$E_x = \int dE_x = \int_{\theta_1}^{\theta_2} \frac{k\lambda}{y} \cos \theta d\theta$$

$$= \frac{k\lambda}{y} (\sin \theta_2 - \sin \theta_1)$$

$$dE_y = \frac{k\lambda}{y} \sin \theta d\theta$$

$$E_y = \int dE_y = \int_{\theta_1}^{\theta_2} \frac{k\lambda}{y} \sin \theta d\theta$$

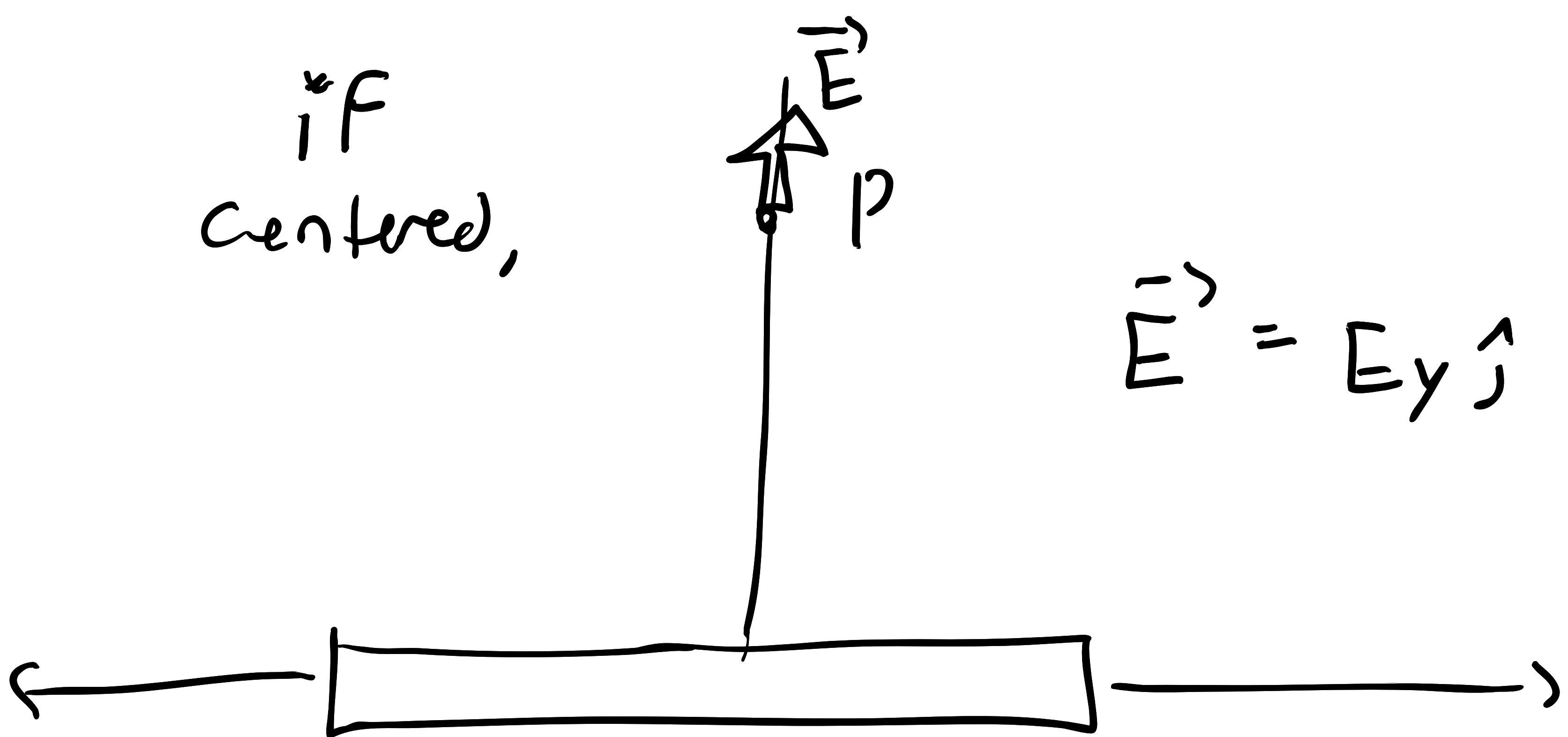
$$= \frac{k\lambda}{y} (\cos(\theta_1) - \cos \theta_2)$$

$$\vec{E} = E_x \hat{i} + E_y \hat{j}$$

Since  $\frac{\sin \theta}{y} = \frac{1}{r}$ ,

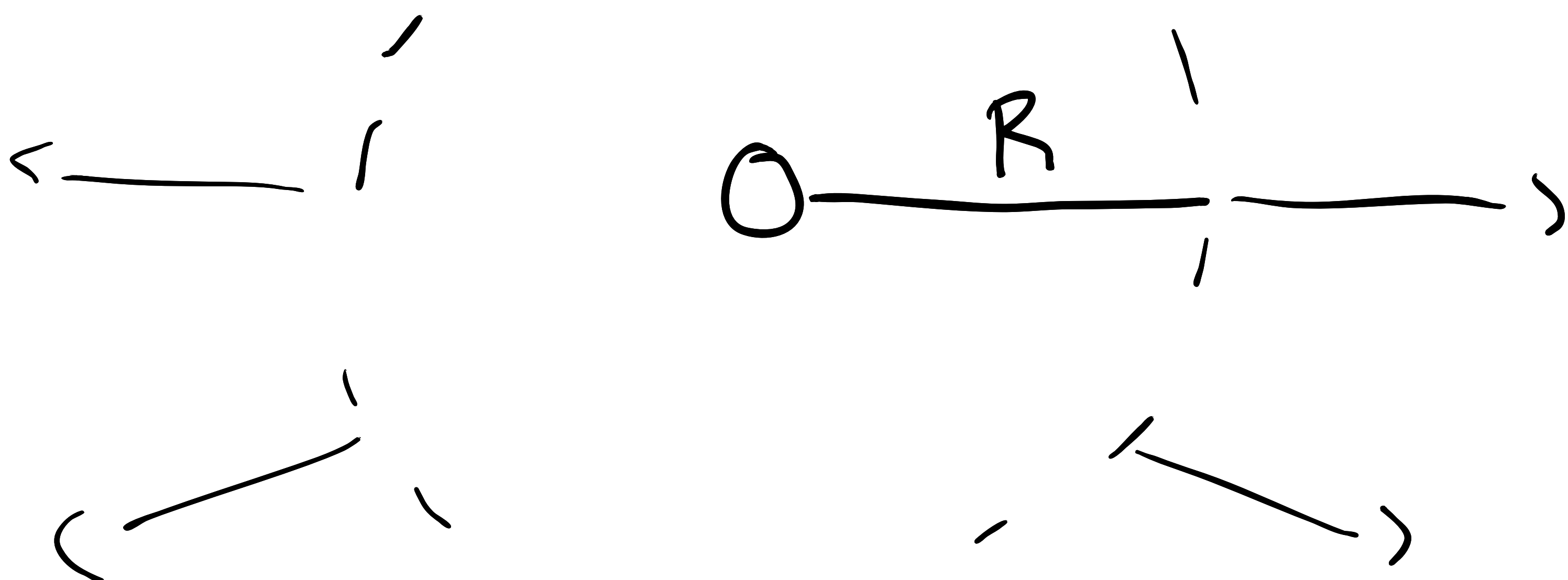
$$E_x = kA \left( \frac{1}{r_2} - \frac{1}{r_1} \right)$$

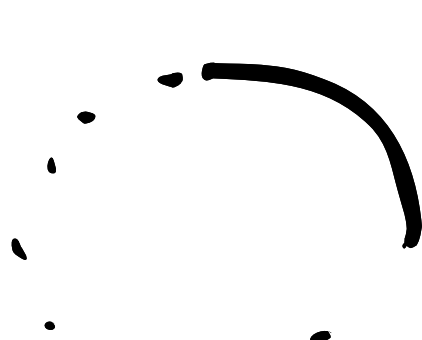
(distance instead of  $\theta$ )

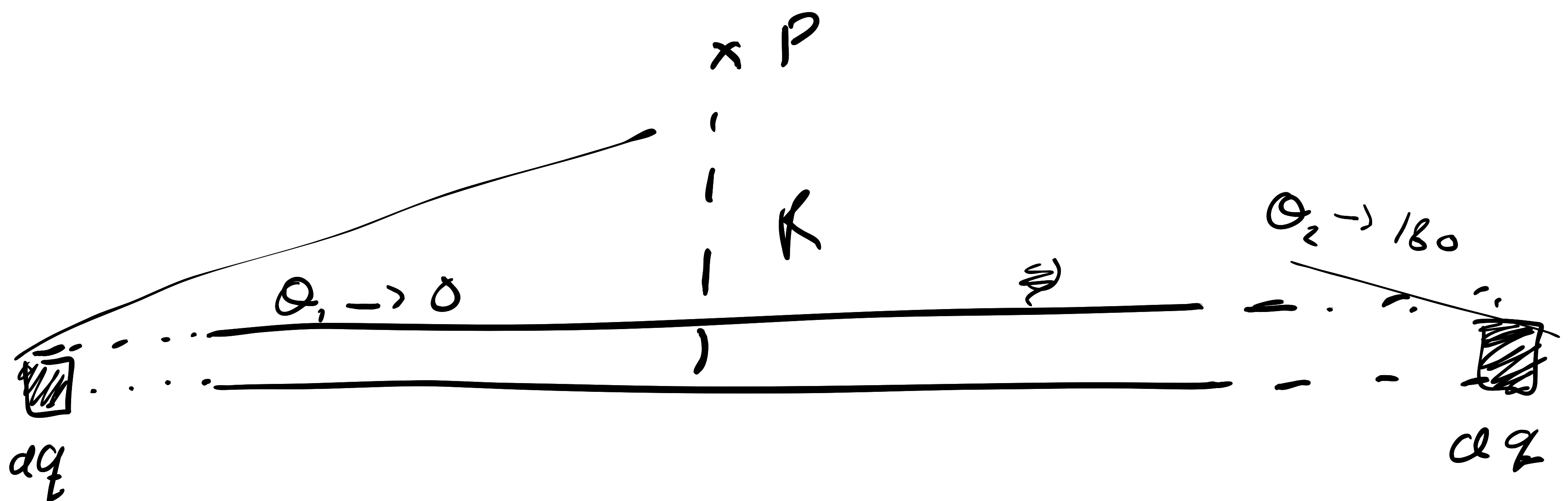


(bc symmetry!)

This  $\vec{E}$ -field is radial.



could do  $\vec{E}$  for  
 be  , ! , .....  
Infinite Line of Charge



$$E_x = 0$$

$$E_x = \frac{k\lambda}{R} (\sin \overset{180^\circ}{\theta_2} - \sin \overset{0^\circ}{\theta_1}) = 0$$

$$E_R = -\frac{k\lambda}{R} (\overset{-1}{\cos \theta_2} - \overset{1}{\cos \theta_1}) =$$

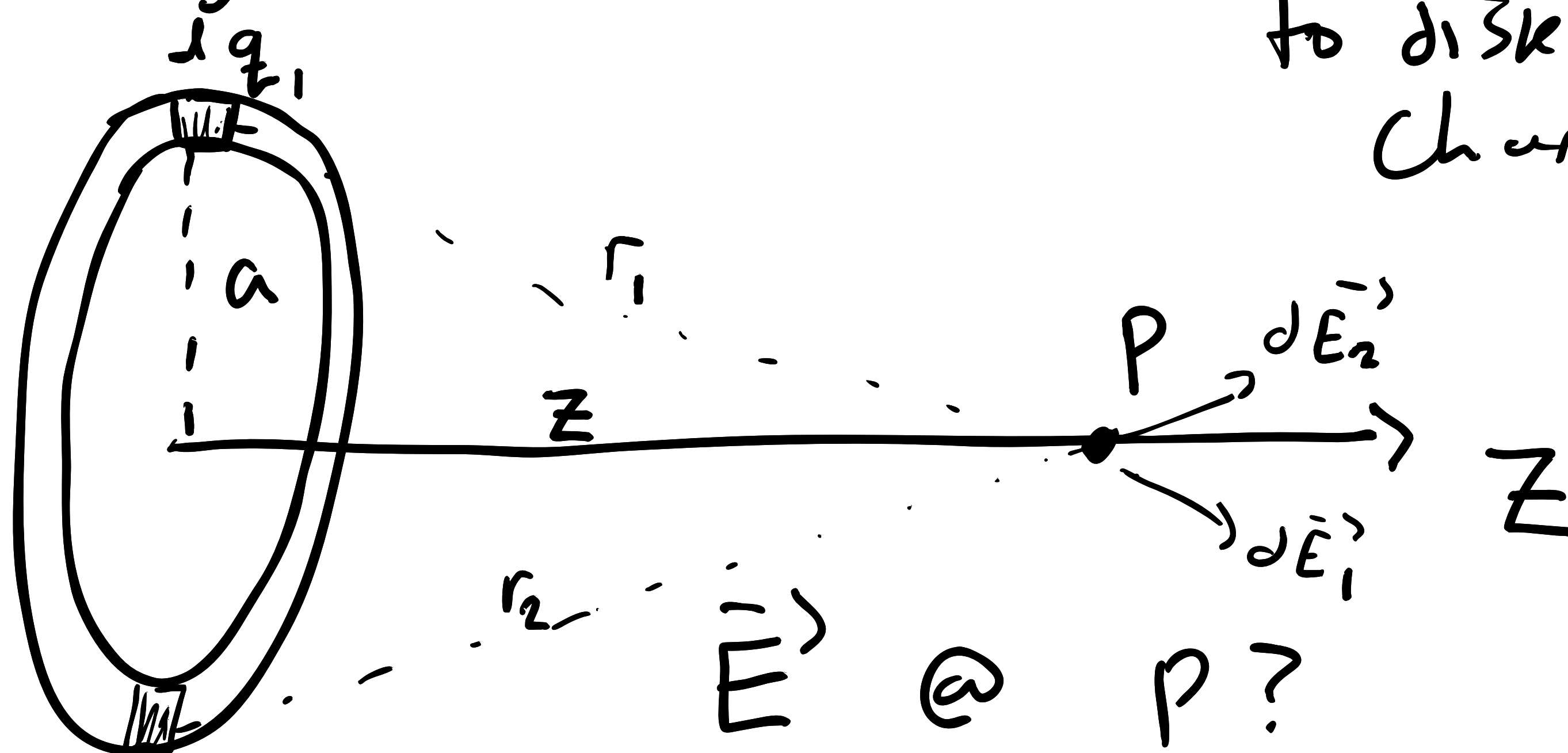
forget this  
 minus  
 earlier

$$= 2 \frac{k\lambda}{R}$$

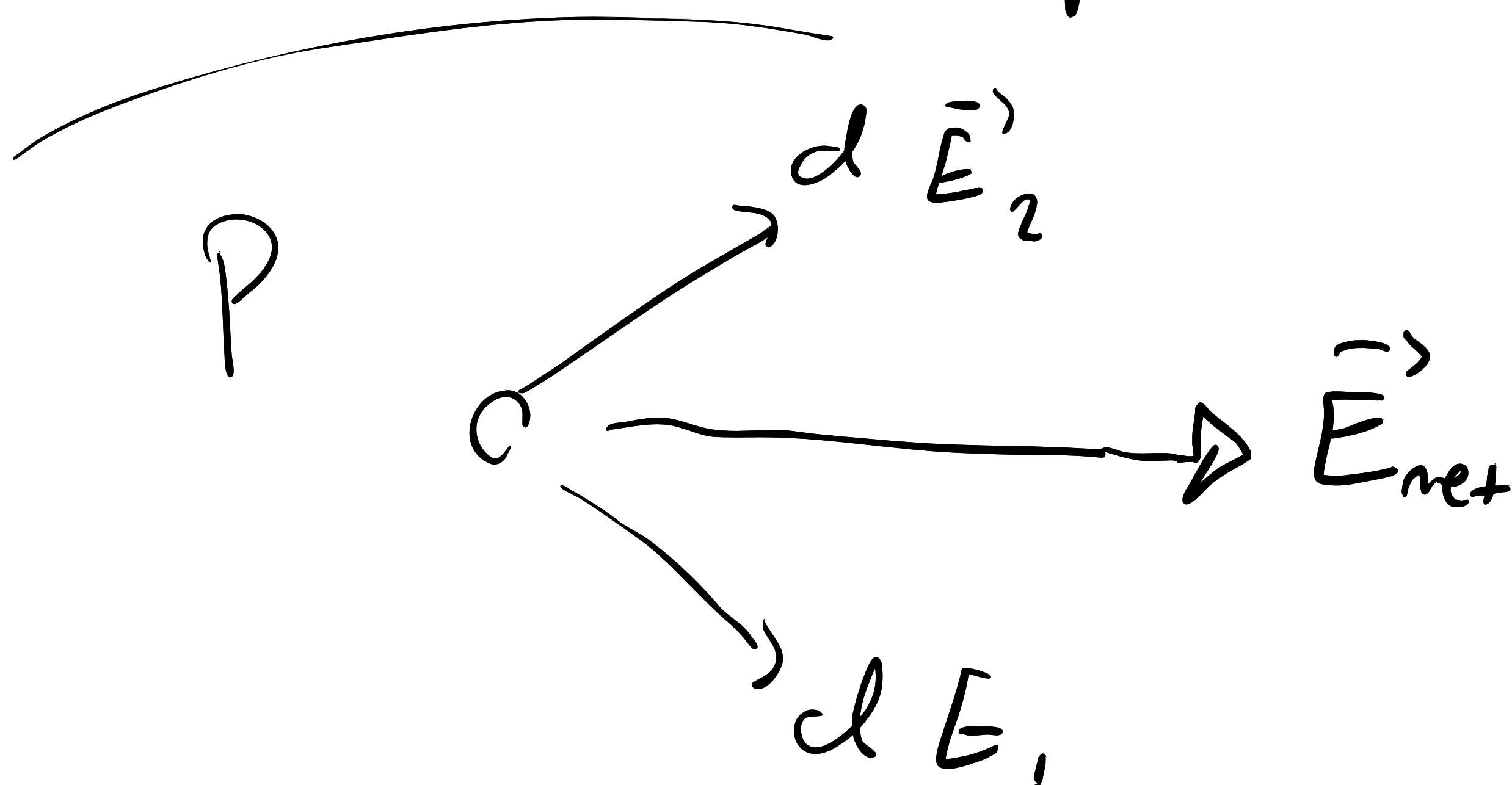
$$\vec{E} = E_R = \frac{2k\lambda}{R} \hat{r} \quad (\text{radial direction w/r/wire})$$

# Ring of Charge Q

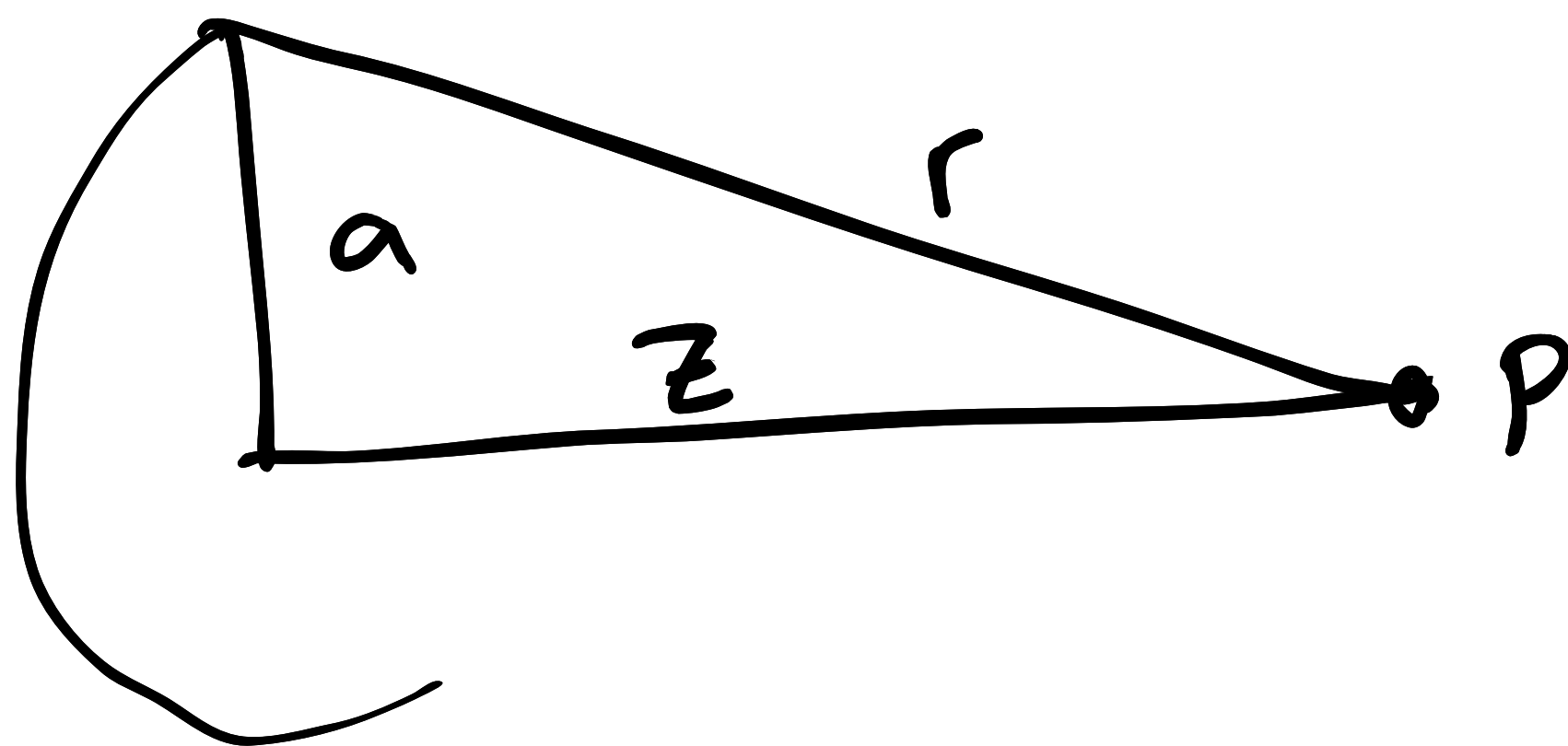
(on our way to disk of charge)



$$dq_2 \quad dE = \frac{k dq}{r^2}$$



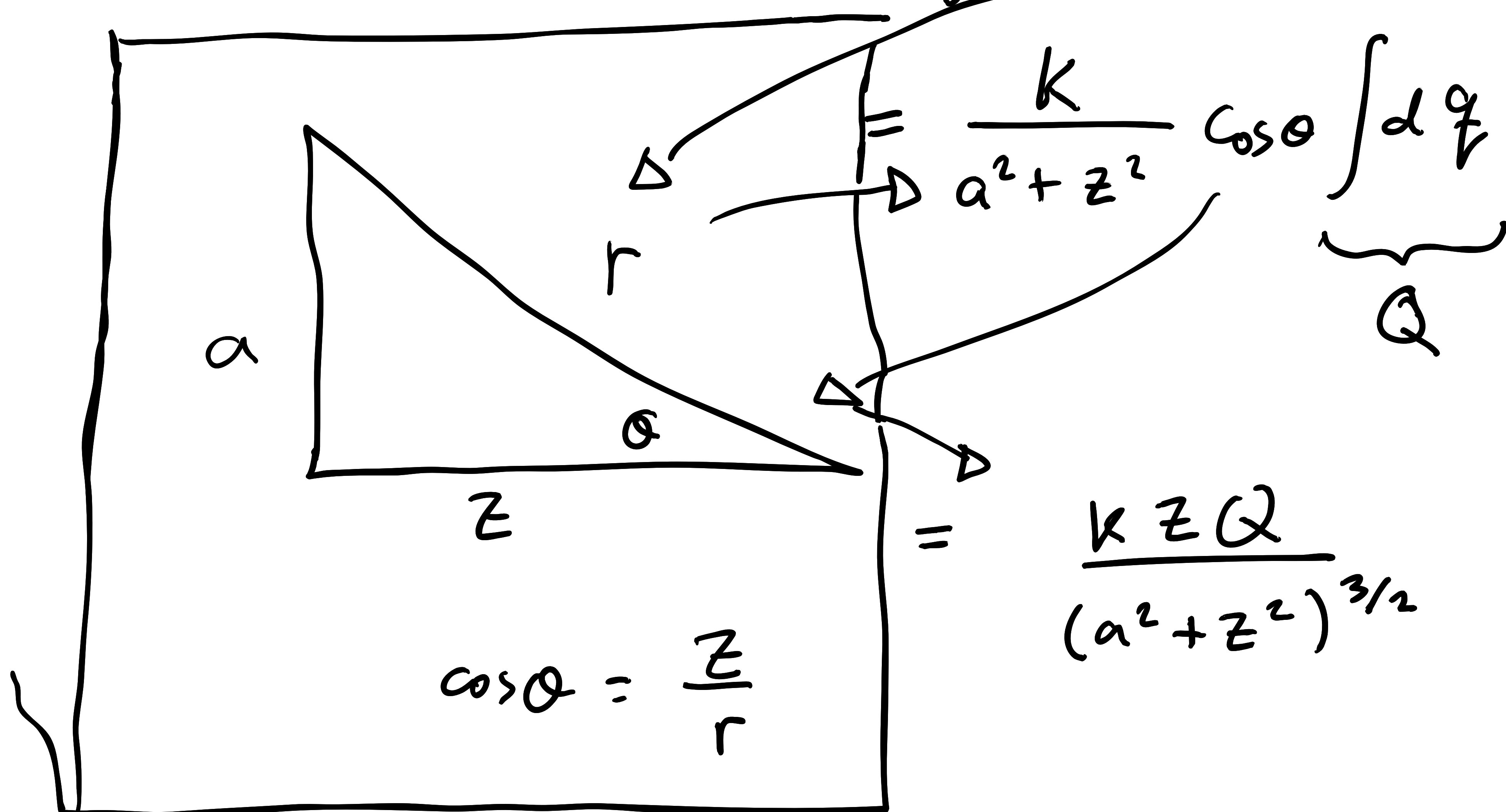
consider  $\triangle$ :



$$r^2 = a^2 + z^2$$

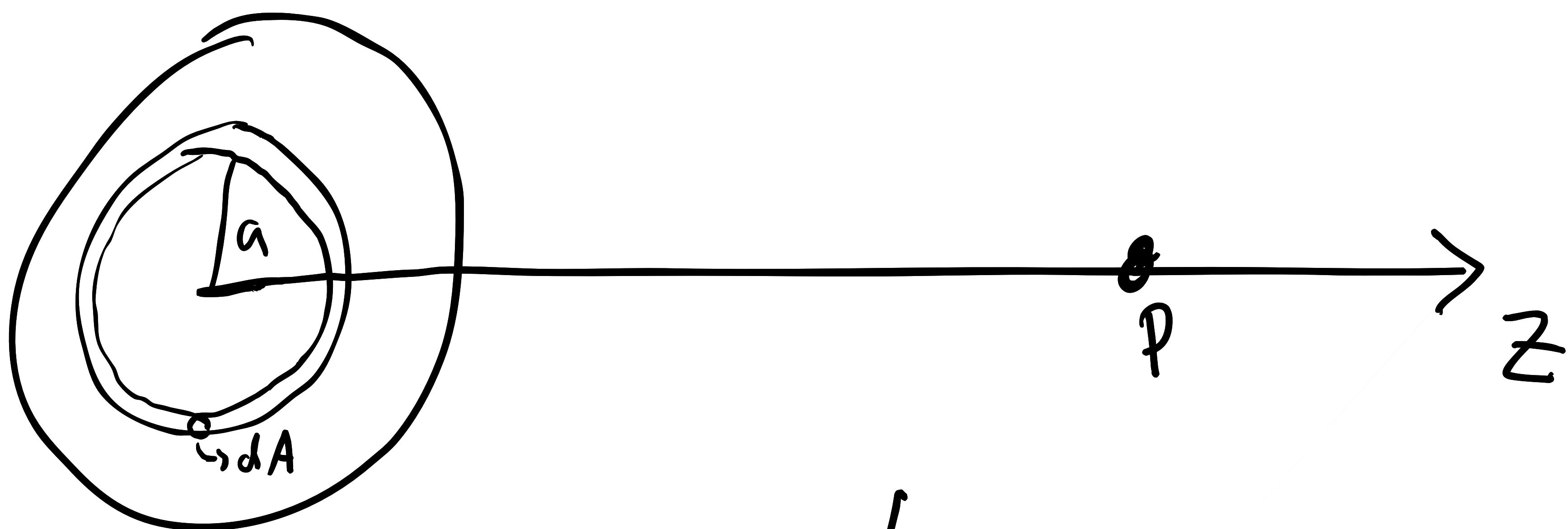
$$E = \int dE = \int k \frac{dq}{r^2} \cos \theta$$

$$E_z = \int dE_z = \int k \frac{dq}{r^2} \cos \theta$$



$$= \frac{k z Q}{(a^2 + z^2)^{3/2}}$$

Disk ( $r=R$ ) of Surface  
Charge Density  $\sigma$



$$E_{\text{disk}} = \int dE_{\text{ring}}$$

Came  
in  
handy!

$$dE_{\text{ring}} = \frac{k z dq}{(a^2 + z^2)^{3/2}}$$

$$2\pi a da$$

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$$dq_{\text{ring}} = \sigma dA_{\text{ring}} = \sigma \cancel{2\pi a da} = \cancel{2\pi a da}$$

$$E_{\text{ring}} = \int dE_r = 2\sigma k z \int_0^R \frac{a da}{(a^2 + z^2)^{3/2}}$$

$a da$



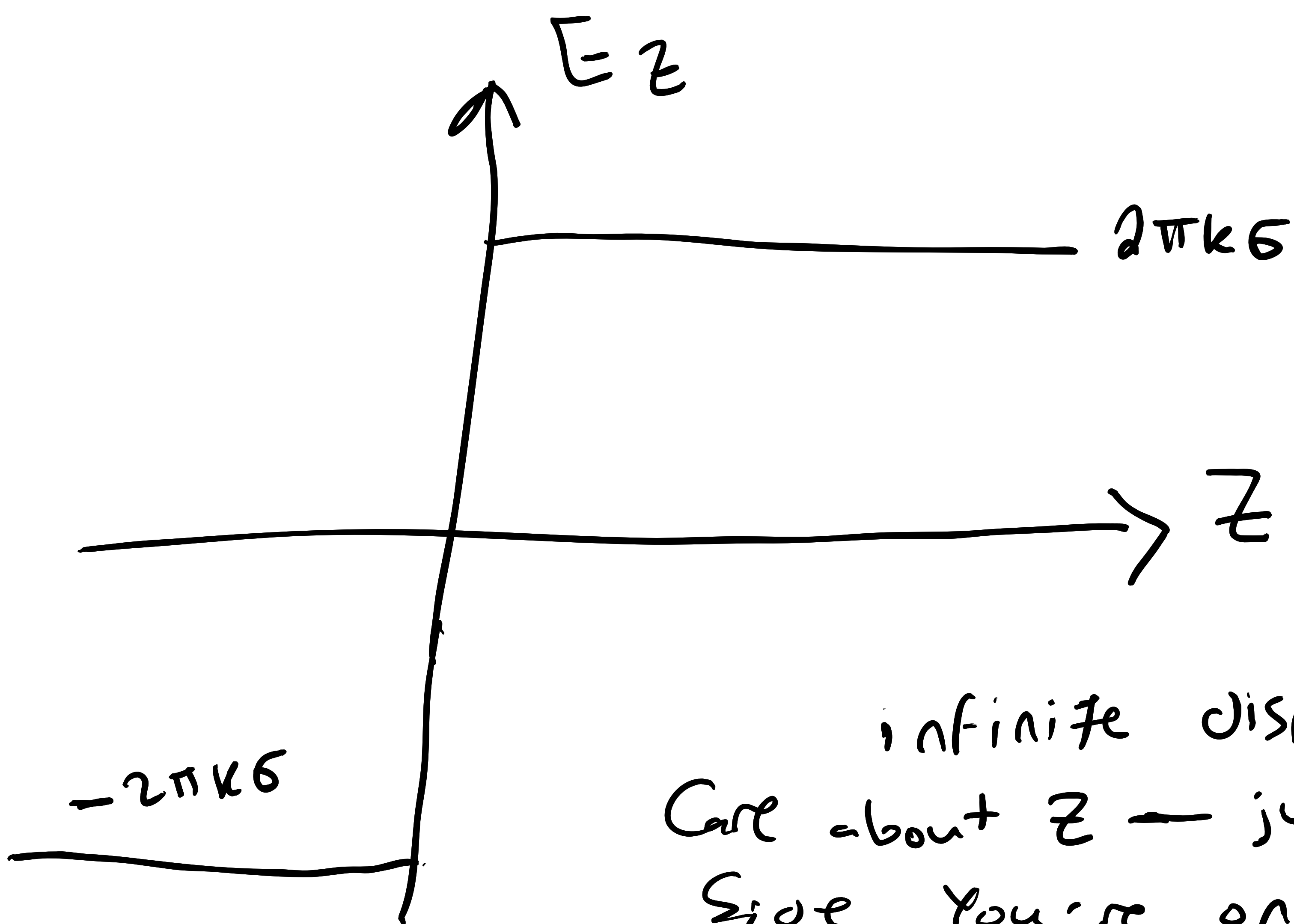
$$E_z = \frac{2\pi k \sigma z}{\sqrt{z^2}} \left( 1 - \frac{1}{\sqrt{1 + \frac{R^2}{z^2}}} \right)$$

if  $z > 0$ ,  $\sqrt{z^2} = +|z|$

if  $z < 0$ ,  $\sqrt{z^2} = -|z|$

$R \rightarrow \infty: \left( 1 - \frac{1}{\sqrt{1 + \frac{R^2}{z^2}}} \right) \rightarrow 1$

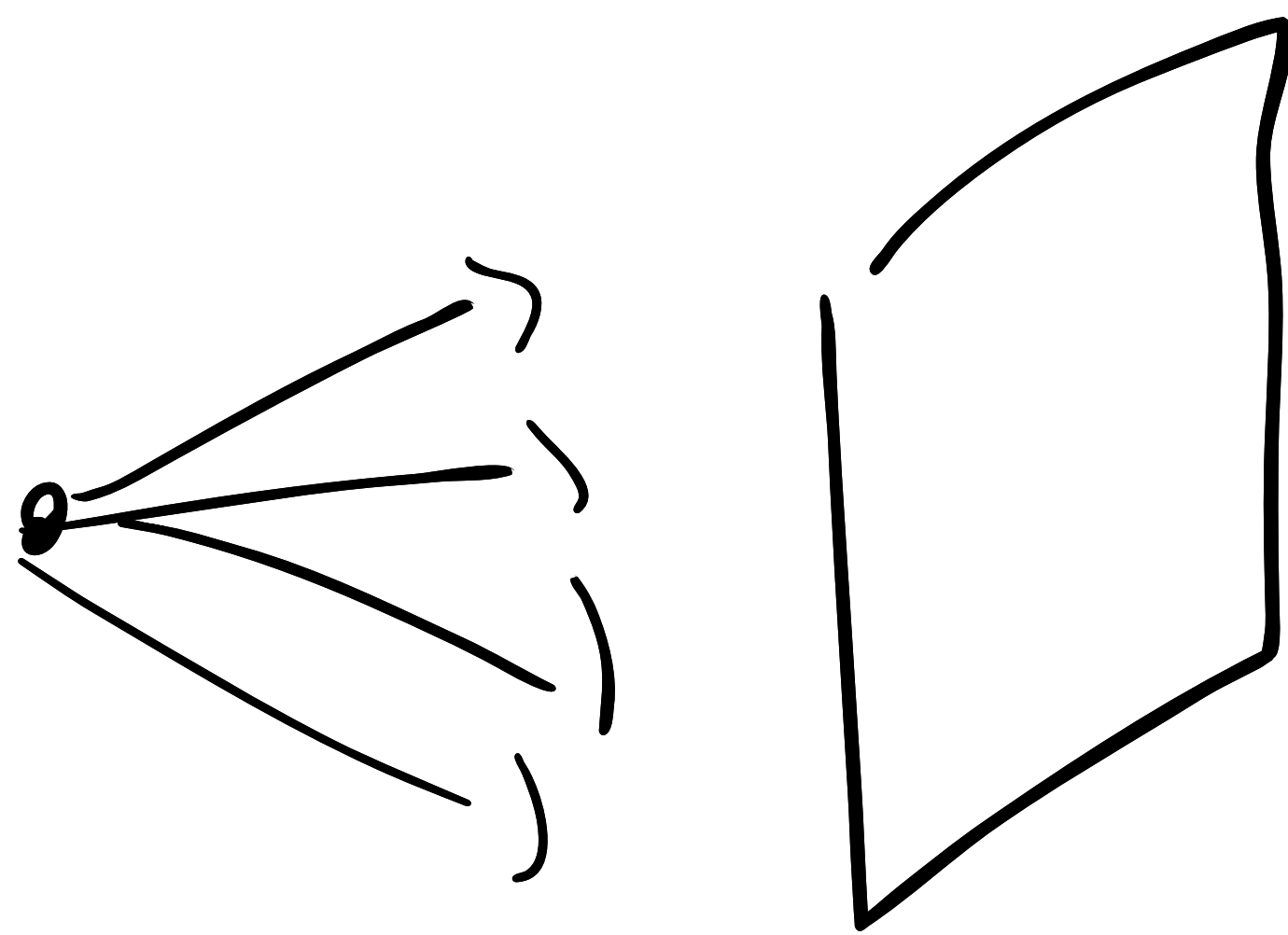
$E_z = \pm 2\pi k \sigma$



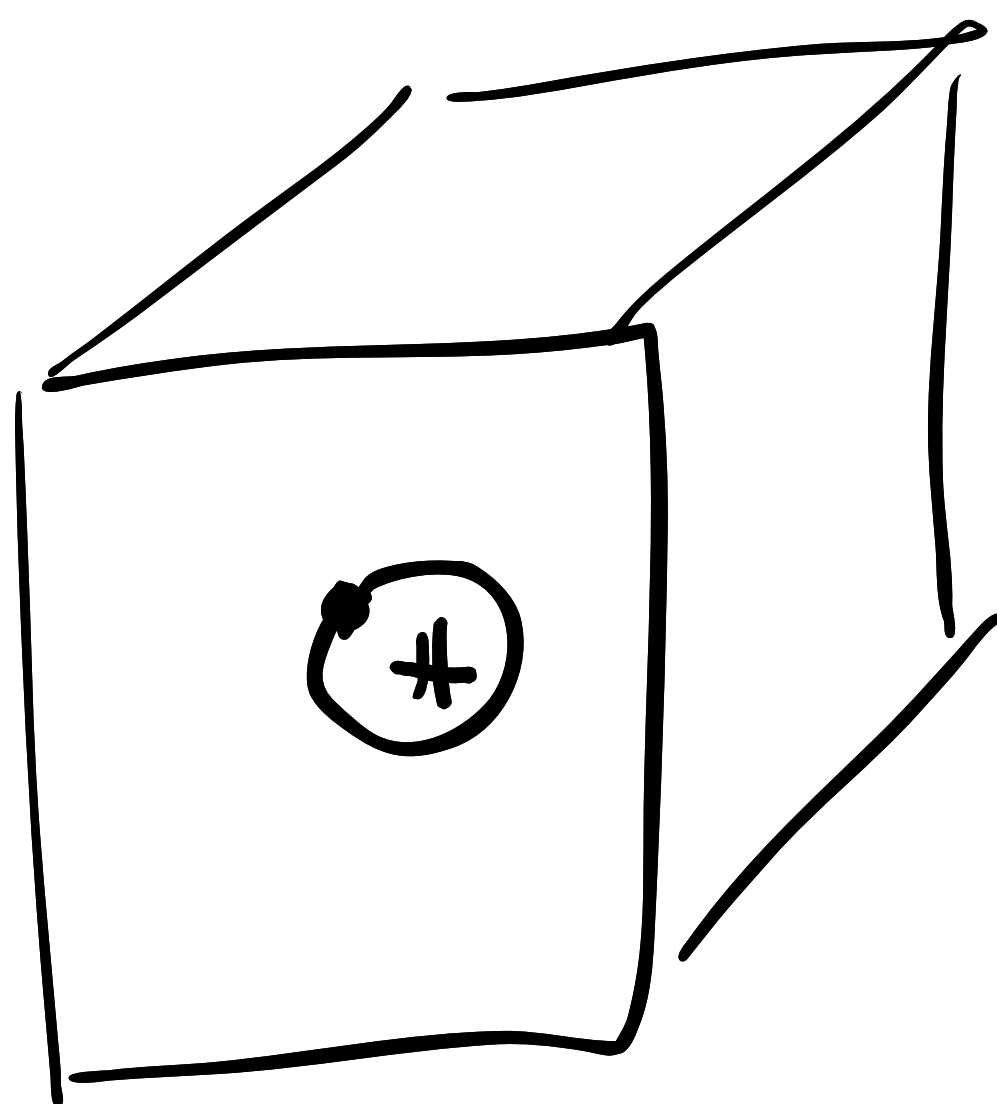
infinite disk don't  
Care about  $z$  — just which  
side you're on.

# Electric Flux and Gauss's Law

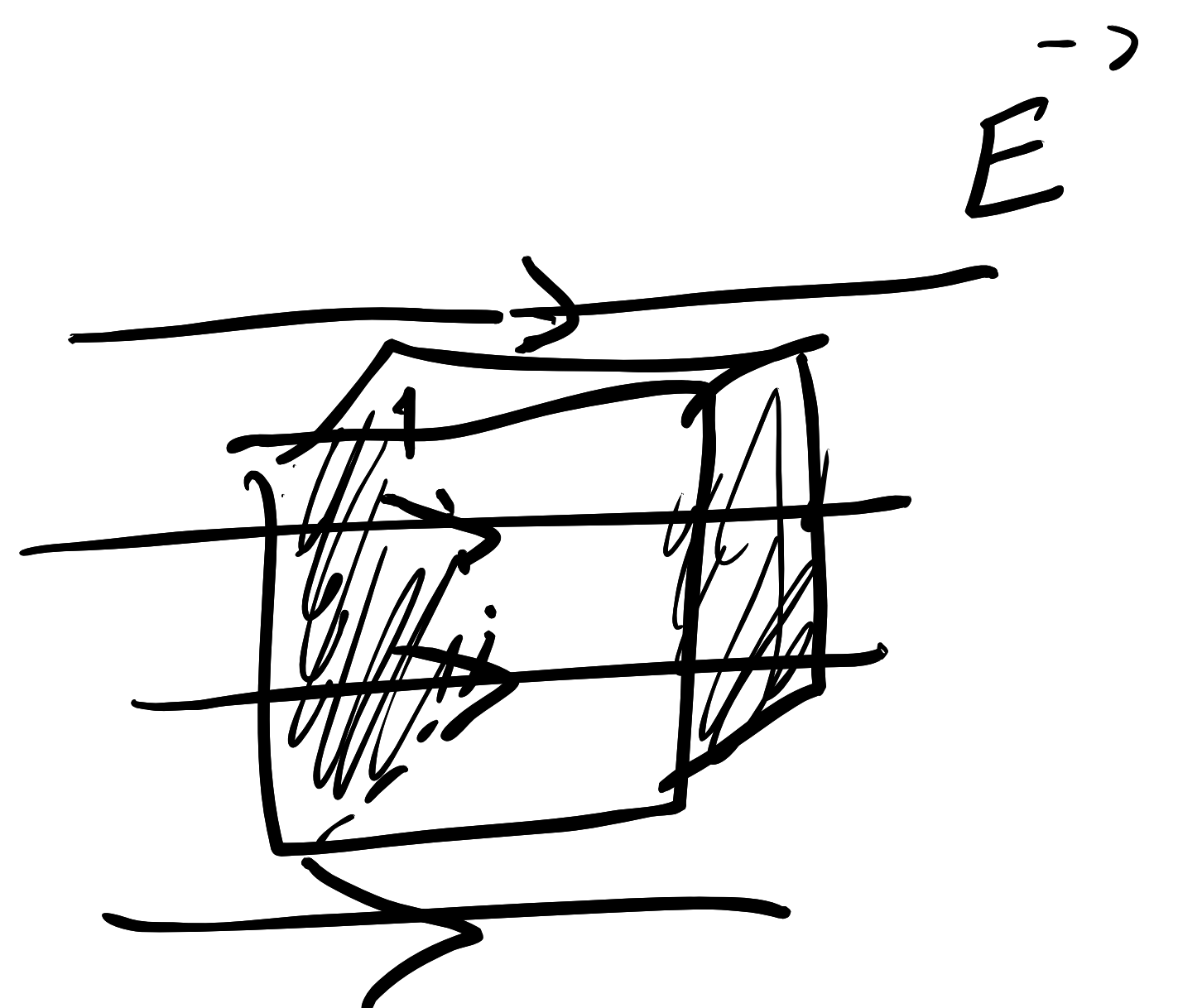
electric flux:  $\phi_{el} = \vec{E} \cdot \vec{A}$  (fish through a net)  
 $= EA \cos \theta$



or :



net flux  $\neq 0$



net flux = 0

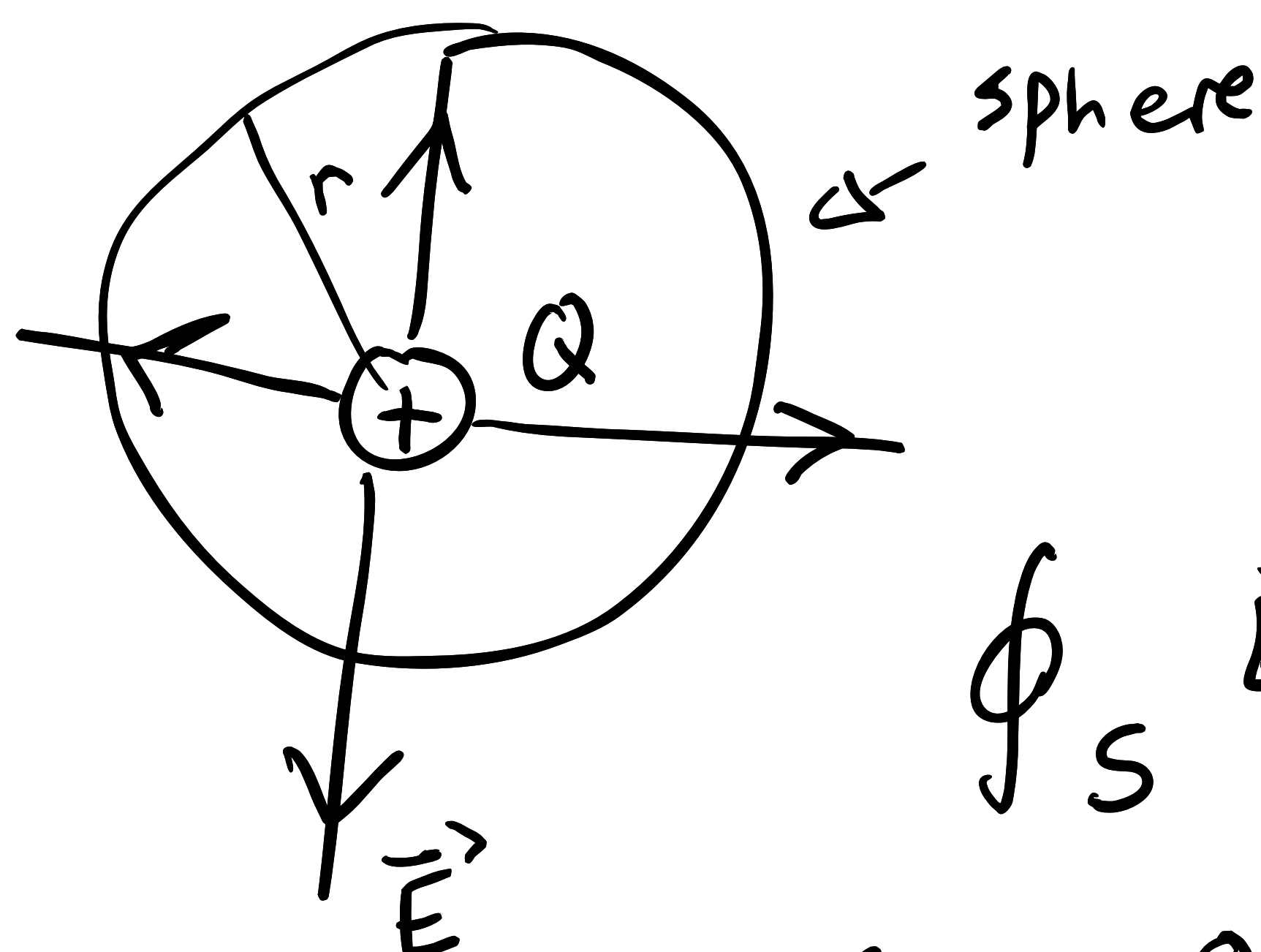
box w/ net  $\phi_e$  has enclosed charge.  
 In fact, if no enclosed charge,  
 net  $\phi_e = 0$ , (If a line goes in,  
 it must go out.)

Gauss's Law:

$$\phi_s = \oint \vec{E} \cdot \hat{n} dA = \frac{Q_{enc}}{\epsilon_0}$$

electric flux through  
 closed surface  $S$

ex



$$\oint_S \vec{E} \cdot \hat{n} dA =$$

$$= \oint_S k \frac{Q}{r^2} \hat{r} \cdot \hat{r} dA_{\text{sphere}}$$

$$= \frac{kQ}{r^2} 4\pi r^2$$

$$k = \frac{1}{4\pi\epsilon_0}$$

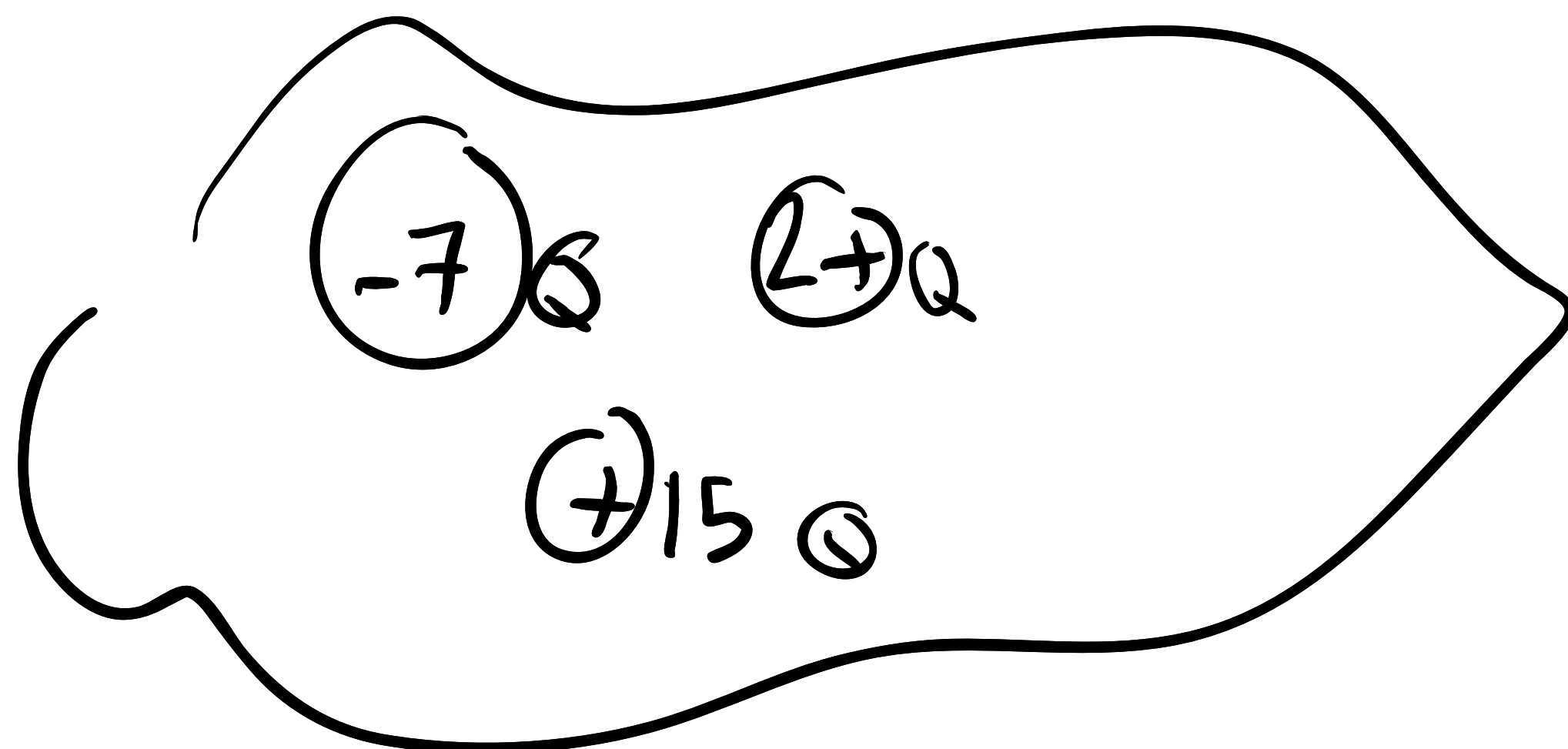
$$k \frac{Q}{r^2} 4\pi r^2 = \frac{1}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \frac{Q}{r^2} \cancel{4\pi r^2}$$

$$= \frac{Q}{\epsilon_0} \quad \text{Proof!}$$

Gauss's Law says

$$\phi_s = \frac{Q_{enc}}{\epsilon_0}$$

ex



$$\phi = \frac{Q_{enc}}{\epsilon_0}$$

$$= \frac{10Q}{\epsilon_0}$$