Problems

25. Four charged particles are at the corners of a square of side a as shown in Figure P23.25. Determine (a) the electric field at the location of charge q and (b) the total electric force exerted on q.

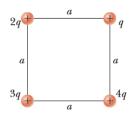
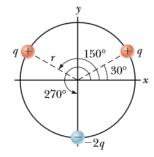


Figure P23.25

26. Three point charges lie along a circle of radius r at angles of 30°, 150°, and 270° as shown in Figure P23.26. Find a symbolic expression for the resultant electric field at the center of the circle.



31. Three point charges are located on a circular arc as shown in Figure P23.31. (a) What is the total electric field at *P*, the center of the arc? (b) Find the electric force that would be exerted on a −5.00-nC point charge placed at *P*.

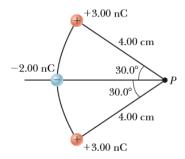


Figure P23.31