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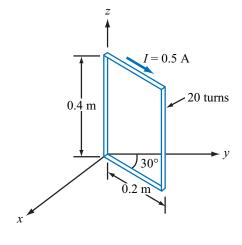
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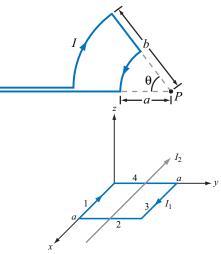
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NOTE: You must show complete work for full credit. Report numerical solutions to two significant figures unless otherwise specified.

- 1. The rectangular loop shown in the figure to the right [Ulaby et al., Fig. P5.4] consists of 20 closely wrapped turns and is hinged along the z-axis. The plane of the loop makes an angle of  $30^{\circ}$  with the y-axis, and the current in the windings is 0.5 A. What is the magnitude of the torque exerted on the loop in the presence of a uniform magnetic field  $\mathbf{B} = \hat{\mathbf{y}}1.2$  T? When viewed from above, is the expected direction of rotation clockwise or counterclockwise? [modified from Ulaby et al. 5.4, p. 274]
- 2. The loop shown to the right [Ulaby et al., Fig. P5.9] consists of radial lines and segments of circles whose centers are at point P. Determine the magnetic field H at P in terms of a, b, θ, and I. [Ulaby et al. 5.9, p. 275]
- 3. A square loop, placed as shown in the accompanying figure [Ulaby et al., Fig. P5.20] has 2 m sides and carries a current  $I_1 = 5$  A. If a straight, long conductor carrying a current  $I_2 = 10$  A is introduced and placed just above the midpoints of two of the loop's sides, determine the net force acting on the loop. [Ulaby et al. 5.20, p. 278]

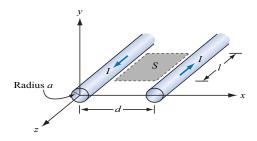




- 4. A thin current element extending between z = -L/2 and z = L/2 carries a current I along the  $+\hat{\mathbf{z}}$  through a circular cross-section of of radius A. [Ulaby et al. 5.29, p. 279]
  - a. Find A at a point P located very far from the origin. Assume that R is so much larger than L that point P may be considered at approximately the same distance from every point along the current element.
  - b. Determine the corresponding **H**.
- 5. Given that a current sheet with surface current density  $\mathbf{J}_{\mathrm{S}} = \hat{\mathbf{x}}4\,(\mathrm{A/m})$  exists at y = 0, the interface between two magnetic media, and  $\mathbf{H}_{1} = \hat{\mathbf{z}}8\,(\mathrm{A/m})$  in medium 1 (y > 0), determine  $\mathbf{H}_{2}$  in medium 2 (y < 0). [modified from Ulaby et al. 5.33, p. 279.]

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6. Obtain an expression for the self-inductance per unit length for the parallel wire transmission line of Ulaby's Fig. 5-27(a), shown at the right, in terms of a, d, and  $\mu$ , where a is the radius of the wires, d is the axisto-axis distance between the wires, and  $\mu$  is the permeability of the medium in which they reside. [Ulaby et al. 5.37, p. 280]



7. A solenoid with a length of 20 cm and a radius of 5 cm consists of 400 turns and carries a current of 12 A. If z=0 represents the midpoint of the solenoid, generate a plot for  $|\mathbf{H}(z)|$  along the axis of the solenoid for a range  $-20\,\mathrm{cm} \le z \le 20\,\mathrm{cm}$ . Please use MATLAB to generate the solution numerically and indicate how you did it. Include a copy of the computer code that you create to solve the problem. [Modified from Ulaby et al. 5.38, p. 280]