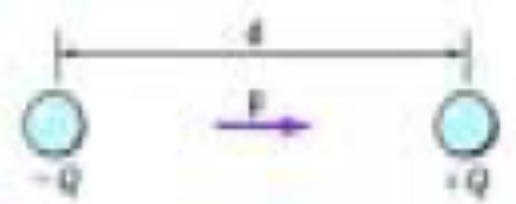


Lecture - 18

- Capacitance C is defined as: $C \equiv \frac{Q}{V}$
- The work necessary to charge a capacitor upto charge Q : $W = \frac{1}{2} \frac{Q^2}{C} = \frac{1}{2} C V^2$

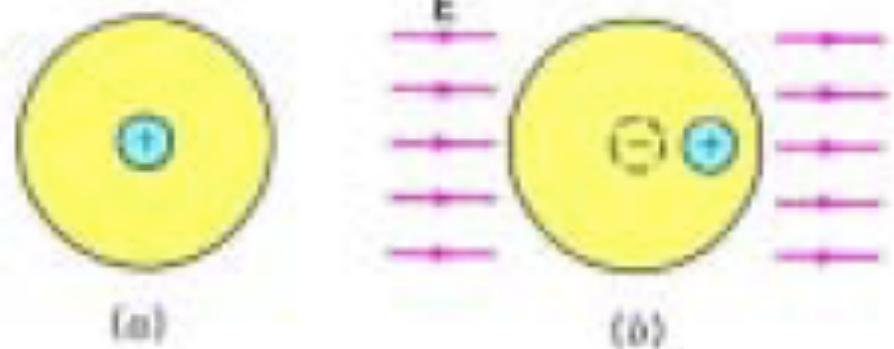
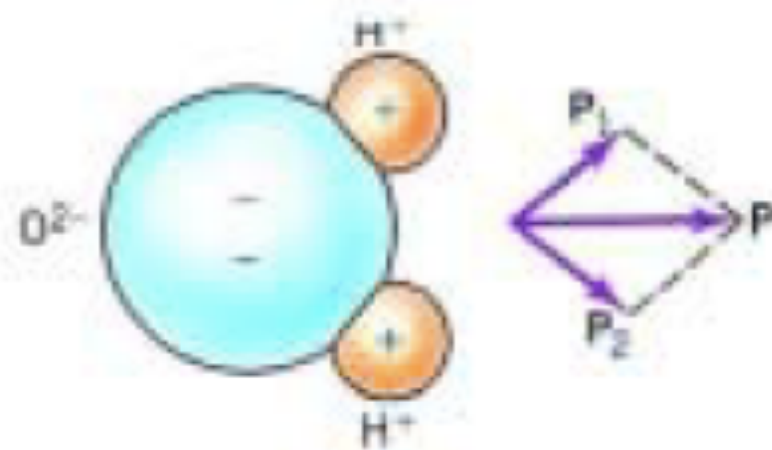
Dipoles

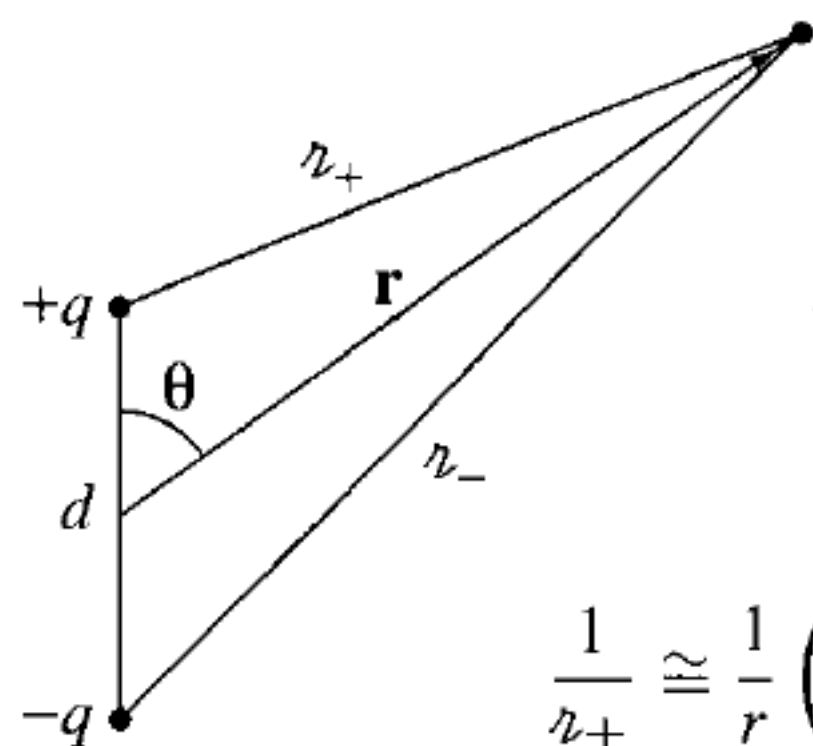
What is dipole? The arrangement of a pair of equal and opposite charges separated by some distance is called an electric dipole.



Permanent dipole: such as molecules of HCl, CO, and H₂O.

Induced dipole: An electric field may also induce a charge separation in an atom or a nonpolar molecule.





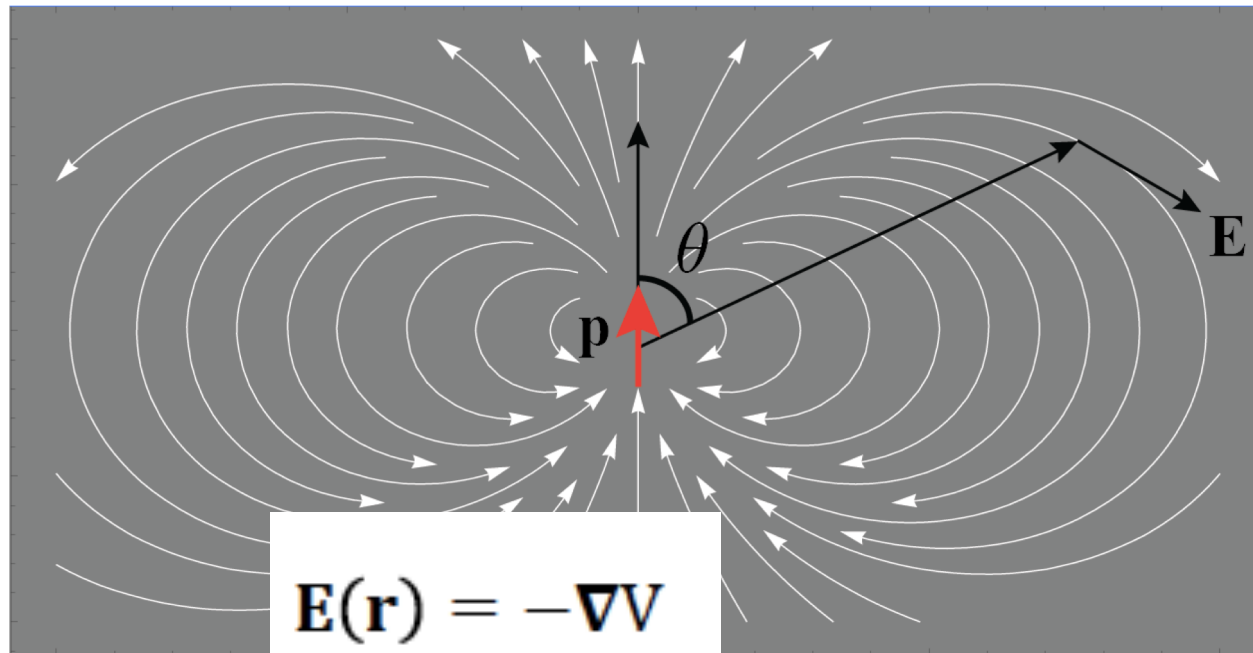
$$V(\mathbf{r}) = \frac{1}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \left(\frac{q}{r_+} - \frac{q}{r_-} \right)$$

$$r_{\pm}^2 = r^2 + (d/2)^2 \mp rd \cos \theta = r^2 \left(1 \mp \frac{d}{r} \cos \theta + \frac{d^2}{4r^2} \right).$$

$$\frac{1}{r_{\pm}} \cong \frac{1}{r} \left(1 \mp \frac{d}{r} \cos \theta \right)^{-1/2} \cong \frac{1}{r} \left(1 \pm \frac{d}{2r} \cos \theta \right), \quad r \gg d.$$

$$\frac{1}{r_+} - \frac{1}{r_-} \cong \frac{d}{r^2} \cos \theta,$$

$$V(\mathbf{r}) \cong \frac{1}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \frac{qd \cos \theta}{r^2}.$$



$$V = \frac{1}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \frac{\hat{\mathbf{r}} \cdot \mathbf{p}}{r^2} = \frac{p}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \frac{\cos\theta}{r^2}$$

ing form negative charge to the positive charge.

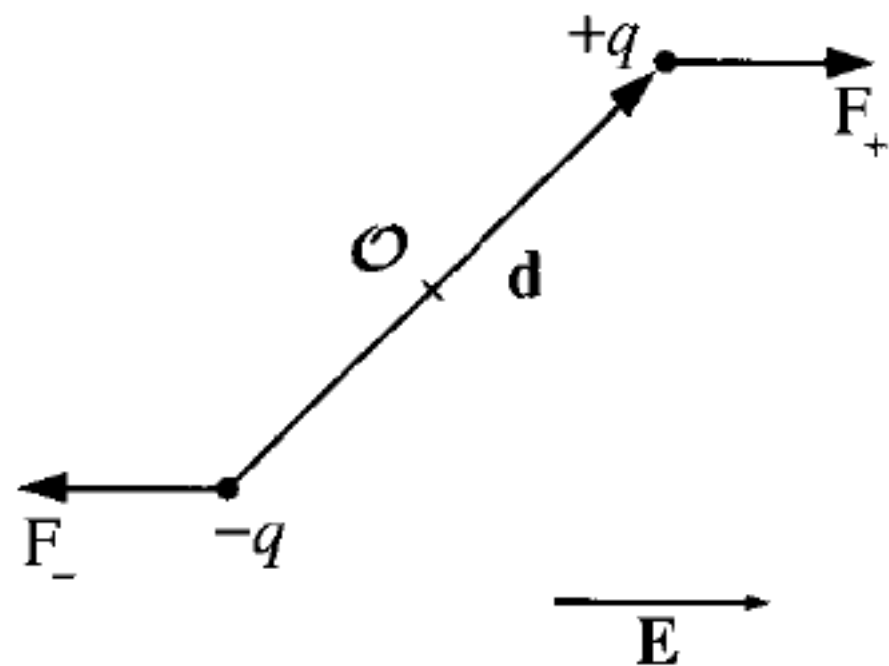
$$V(r, \theta) = \frac{\hat{\mathbf{r}} \cdot \mathbf{p}}{4\pi\epsilon_0 r^2} = \frac{p \cos\theta}{4\pi\epsilon_0 r^2}.$$

$$E_r = -\frac{\partial V}{\partial r} = \frac{2p \cos\theta}{4\pi\epsilon_0 r^3},$$

$$E_\theta = -\frac{1}{r} \frac{\partial V}{\partial \theta} = \frac{p \sin\theta}{4\pi\epsilon_0 r^3},$$

$$E_\phi = -\frac{1}{r \sin\theta} \frac{\partial V}{\partial \phi} = 0.$$

$$\mathbf{E}_{\text{dip}}(r, \theta) = \frac{p}{4\pi\epsilon_0 r^3} (2 \cos\theta \hat{\mathbf{r}} + \sin\theta \hat{\boldsymbol{\theta}}).$$



$$\mathbf{F}_+ = q\mathbf{E},$$

$$\mathbf{F}_- = -q\mathbf{E}$$

$$\begin{aligned}\mathbf{N} &= (\mathbf{r}_+ \times \mathbf{F}_+) + (\mathbf{r}_- \times \mathbf{F}_-) \\ &= [(\mathbf{d}/2) \times (q\mathbf{E})] + [(-\mathbf{d}/2) \times (-q\mathbf{E})] = q\mathbf{d} \times \mathbf{E}.\end{aligned}$$

$$\boxed{\mathbf{N} = \mathbf{p} \times \mathbf{E}.}$$

Most everyday objects belong to one of two large classes: **conductors** and **insulators** (or **dielectrics**)

Conductors : Substances contains an “unlimited” supply of charges that are free to move about through the material.

Dielectrics : all charges are attached to specific atoms or molecules. All they can do is move a bit within the atom or molecule.

Dielectrics : Microscopic displacements are not as dramatics as the wholesale rearrangement of charge in conductor, but their **cumulative effects** account for the characteristic behavior of dielectric materials.