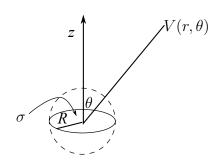
- 1. A conducting sphere of radius R has an amount of charge Q over it. This sphere is placed in an otherwise uniform electric field  $\vec{E}_0$ . The potential of the sphere is found to be  $V_0$ . Find the potential in the region outside the sphere.
- 2. A sphere of radius R has a surface charge given by the surface charge density  $\sigma = k \cos 3\theta$  where k is a constant. Find the potential inside and outside the sphere.
- 3. A ring of radius R has a charge Q uniformly spread along it. The ring is placed on the x-y plane with the z-axis coinciding with its axis. Find the potential  $V(r,\theta)$  in the region surrounding the ring.



4. Solve Laplace's equation by separation of variables in cylindrical co-ordinates, assuming there is no dependence on z.