

- 4 (a) (i) Define *electric field strength*.

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- (ii) Fig. 4.1 shows a charge $+q$ at point X in a uniform electric field of electric field strength E .

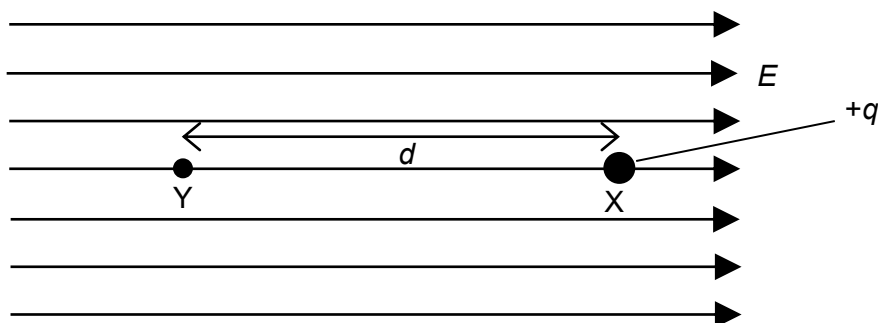


Fig. 4.1

The charge at point X is moved to point Y through a distance d . Using your answer to (i), deduce an expression for the work done on the charge by the electric force.

work done by electric force =

[1]

- (iii) The potential difference between points X and Y is V . Using your answer from (ii), deduce an expression for V in terms of E and d .

$V = \dots\dots\dots$ [1]

- (iv) Draw a line in Fig. 4.1 joining points which are at the same electric potential as point X. [1]

- (v) Between X and Y, state the point which is at a higher electric potential.

$\dots\dots\dots$ [1]

- (b)** In the vacuum of an X-ray tube, electrons are accelerated from rest through a potential difference of 10 kV between the cathode and the anode.

Calculate

- (i)** the speed of electrons arriving at the anode.

speed = m s⁻¹ [2]

- (ii)** the minimum wavelength X-rays that are produced.

minimum wavelength = m [2]

[Total: 9]

