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Electromagnetism Homework #2

Question 1: 

b) For $|x| \geq a$, $|\vec{E}| = \frac{kQ}{x^2}$, looking like a point charge.

For $-a \leq x \leq 0$ & $2b \leq x < b$, $\vec{E} = 0$, which is the inside of a Conductor.

For $0 < x < 2b$, $|\vec{E}| = \frac{kQ}{(x-b)^2}$, being a point charge at $x=b$.

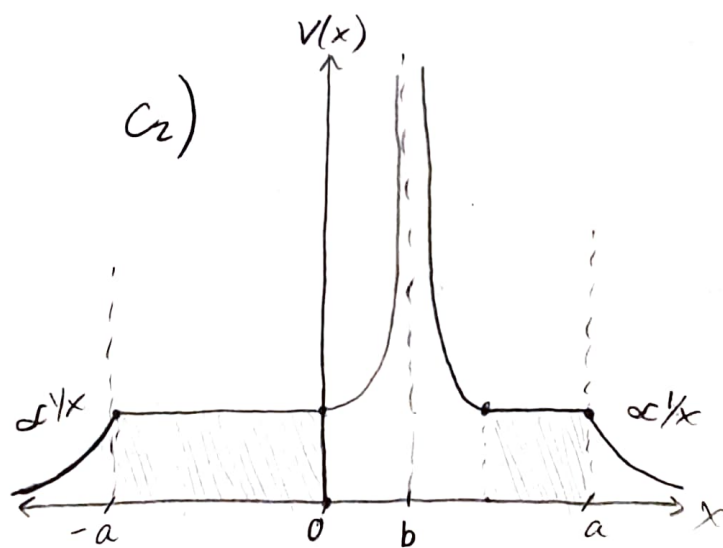
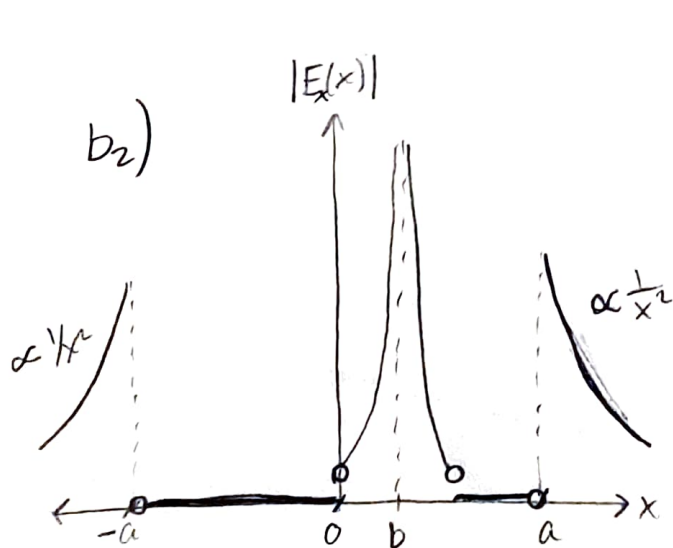
a) For the inner surface, $\sigma_{\text{inner}} = \frac{Q}{4\pi b^2}$, since the point charge is centered in the internal sphere.

For the outer surface, $\sigma_{\text{outer}} = \frac{Q}{4\pi a^2}$, and will always be uniform for any internal charge distribution.

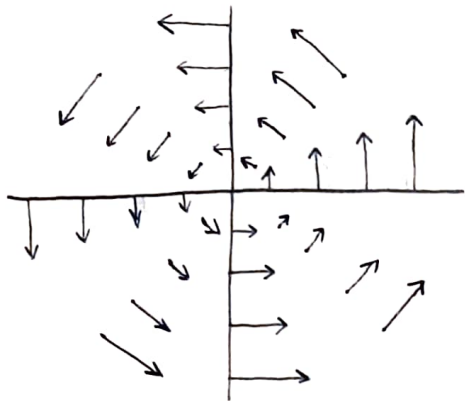
c) For $|x| \geq a$, $V = \frac{kQ}{|x|}$, like a point charge

For $-a \leq x \leq 0$ & $2b \leq x < b$, $V = \frac{kQ}{a}$, uniform voltage inside conductor.

For $0 < x < 2b$, $V = \frac{kQ}{|x-b|}$, a voltage from the point charge inside.



$$f(x, y) = -y\hat{x} + x\hat{y} = -R\sin\theta\hat{x} + R\cos\theta\hat{y} = R(-\sin\theta\hat{x} + \cos\theta\hat{y}) = r,\hat{\phi}$$



See Vector
Graph Attached

Question 2: Let $\vec{E} = \frac{B_0}{2\tau}(-y\hat{x} + x\hat{y}) \Leftrightarrow \vec{E}(r) = \frac{B_0}{2\tau} r(\sin\theta\hat{x} + \cos\theta\hat{y}) = \frac{B_0 R}{2\tau} \hat{\phi}$

a) $[B_0] = \frac{[E][\tau]}{[x]} = \frac{N \cdot s}{C \cdot m} = \boxed{\frac{kg}{C \cdot s}}$

b) $\oint \vec{E} \cdot d\vec{l} = \frac{B_0 R}{2\tau} \int_0^{2\pi} \hat{\phi} \cdot R \hat{\phi} d\phi = \frac{2\pi B_0 R^2}{2\tau} = \boxed{\frac{B_0}{\tau} (\pi R^2)}$

c) $\oint \vec{E} \cdot d\vec{l} = \int_{-a/2}^{a/2} (\vec{E}(\frac{b}{2}, y) - \vec{E}(-\frac{b}{2}, y)) \cdot \hat{y} dy + \int_{-b/2}^{b/2} (\vec{E}(x, -\frac{a}{2}) - \vec{E}(x, \frac{a}{2})) \cdot \hat{x} dx$
 $= \frac{B_0}{2\tau} \left(\frac{b \cdot a}{2} + \frac{b \cdot a}{2} + \frac{a \cdot b}{2} + \frac{a \cdot b}{2} \right) = \frac{4B_0}{4\tau} (ab) = \boxed{\frac{B_0}{\tau} (ab)}$

d) $\vec{\nabla} \times \vec{E} = - \begin{vmatrix} \hat{i} & \hat{j} & \hat{k} \\ E_x & E_y & E_z \\ \frac{\partial}{\partial x} & \frac{\partial}{\partial y} & \frac{\partial}{\partial z} \end{vmatrix} = - \left(\frac{\partial(-y)}{\partial y} - \frac{\partial(x)}{\partial x} \right) \hat{z} = \boxed{2\hat{z}}$

The curl is a uniform vector field pointing 2 up everywhere.

$\oint_{\partial A} \vec{E} \cdot d\vec{l} = \int (\vec{\nabla} \times \vec{E}) \cdot d\vec{A} = \frac{B_0}{2\tau} (2\hat{z}) \cdot d\vec{A} = \frac{B_0}{\tau} \cdot A \cdot \hat{z} \cdot \hat{z} = \boxed{\frac{B_0}{\tau} (A)} \checkmark$

e) There is no ϕ | $\vec{E} = -\vec{\nabla}\phi$, since $\vec{\nabla} \times \vec{E} \neq 0$.

We could create infinite energy with a field like this.

Any loop we have a charge move around will gain kinetic energy, so infinite power \Rightarrow Loads of \$.

$\vec{\nabla} \times \vec{E} = -\mu_0 \vec{J}_m - \frac{\partial \vec{B}}{\partial t}$

Assuming no changing \vec{B} fields,
it would require magnetic monopole current.

Statically, nothing is being violated.

However, it would need something like magnetic monopoles, so technically $\vec{\nabla} \cdot \vec{B} = 0$ is violated.

Question 3:

$$a) V = \int_{-d/2}^{d/2} \frac{k dq}{r} = \int_{-d/2}^{d/2} \frac{k \lambda}{(x^2 + y^2)^{1/2}} dy = 2k\lambda \int_0^{d/2} \frac{dy}{(x^2 + y^2)^{1/2}}$$

$$= 2k\lambda \tanh^{-1} \left(\frac{y}{\sqrt{x^2 + y^2}} \right) \Big|_0^{d/2} = 2k\lambda \tanh^{-1} \left(\frac{d/2}{\sqrt{x^2 + (d/2)^2}} \right)$$

$$V(x) = 2k\lambda \tanh^{-1} \left(\frac{d}{2\sqrt{x^2 + (d/2)^2}} \right)$$

$$b) E_x = -\frac{\partial V}{\partial x} = -\frac{\partial}{\partial x} V(x) = -2k\lambda \frac{\partial}{\partial x} \left(\tanh^{-1} \left(\frac{d}{2\sqrt{x^2 + (d/2)^2}} \right) \right)$$

$$= -2k\lambda \cdot \frac{d/2}{x\sqrt{x^2 + (d/2)^2}} = \frac{-k\lambda d}{x\sqrt{x^2 + (d/2)^2}}$$

$$E_x(x) = \frac{-k\lambda d}{x\sqrt{x^2 + (d/2)^2}}$$

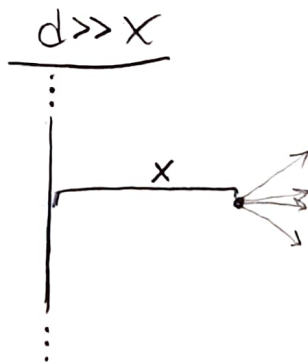
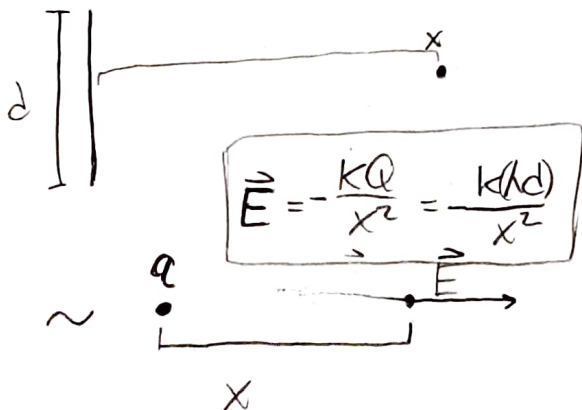
$$c) \lim_{x \gg d} E_x(x) = \lim_{x \gg d} \frac{-k\lambda d}{x\sqrt{x^2}} = -\frac{k\lambda d}{x^2}$$

$$\lim_{x \gg d} E_x(x) = -\frac{k\lambda d}{x^2}$$

$$\lim_{d \gg x} E_x(x) = \lim_{d \gg x} \frac{-k\lambda d}{x\sqrt{(d/2)^2}} = -\frac{2k\lambda d}{xd}$$

$$\lim_{d \gg x} E_x(x) = -\frac{2k\lambda}{x}$$

$$d) \quad x \gg d$$

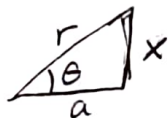


For small x looks like $d \rightarrow \infty$.

$$\vec{E}_x \propto \frac{1}{x}$$

Question 4

$$a) \frac{\partial B(x)}{\partial x} = \frac{\mu_0 I}{4\pi} \int \frac{Id\vec{l} \times \hat{r}}{r^2} = \frac{\mu_0 I}{4\pi} \int \frac{dl}{r^2} \cos\theta$$



$$= \frac{\mu_0 I}{4\pi} \int_0^{2\pi} \frac{a d\phi}{a^2 + x^2} \cdot \frac{a}{\sqrt{a^2 + x^2}} = \frac{\mu_0 I}{4\pi} \cdot \frac{a^2}{(a^2 + x^2)^{3/2}} \cdot 2\pi$$

$$\frac{\partial B(x)}{\partial x} = \frac{\mu_0 I}{2} \cdot \frac{a^2}{(a^2 + x^2)^{3/2}}$$

$$B(x) = \int_{x-1/2}^{x+1/2} \frac{\mu_0 I}{2} \cdot \frac{a^2}{(a^2 + x^2)^{3/2}} dx = \frac{\mu_0 I}{2} \left(\frac{x}{\sqrt{a^2 + x^2}} \right) \Big|_{x-1/2}^{x+1/2}$$

$$B(x) = \frac{\mu_0 I}{2} \left(\frac{x+1/2}{\sqrt{a^2 + (x+1/2)^2}} - \frac{x-1/2}{\sqrt{a^2 + (x-1/2)^2}} \right)$$

$$\lim_{L \rightarrow \infty} B(x) = \frac{\mu_0 I}{2} (1 - (-1)) = \frac{2\mu_0 I}{2}$$

$$\lim_{L \rightarrow \infty} B(x) = \mu_0 I$$

b) Examples attached!



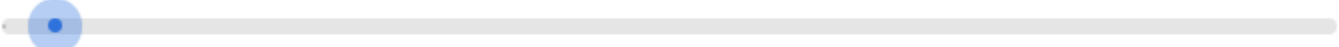
$$f(x) = \frac{a}{2} \left(\frac{2x+1}{\sqrt{\left(2 \cdot \frac{a}{L}\right)^2 + (2x+1)^2}} - \frac{2x-1}{\sqrt{\left(2 \cdot \frac{a}{L}\right)^2 + (2x-1)^2}} \right)$$



$$a = 0.4$$



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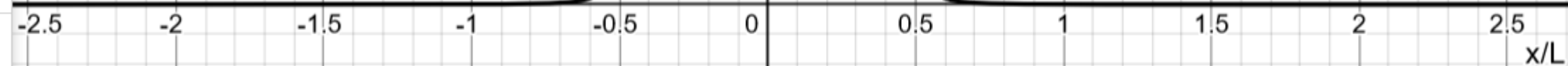
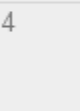
$$L = 7.73$$



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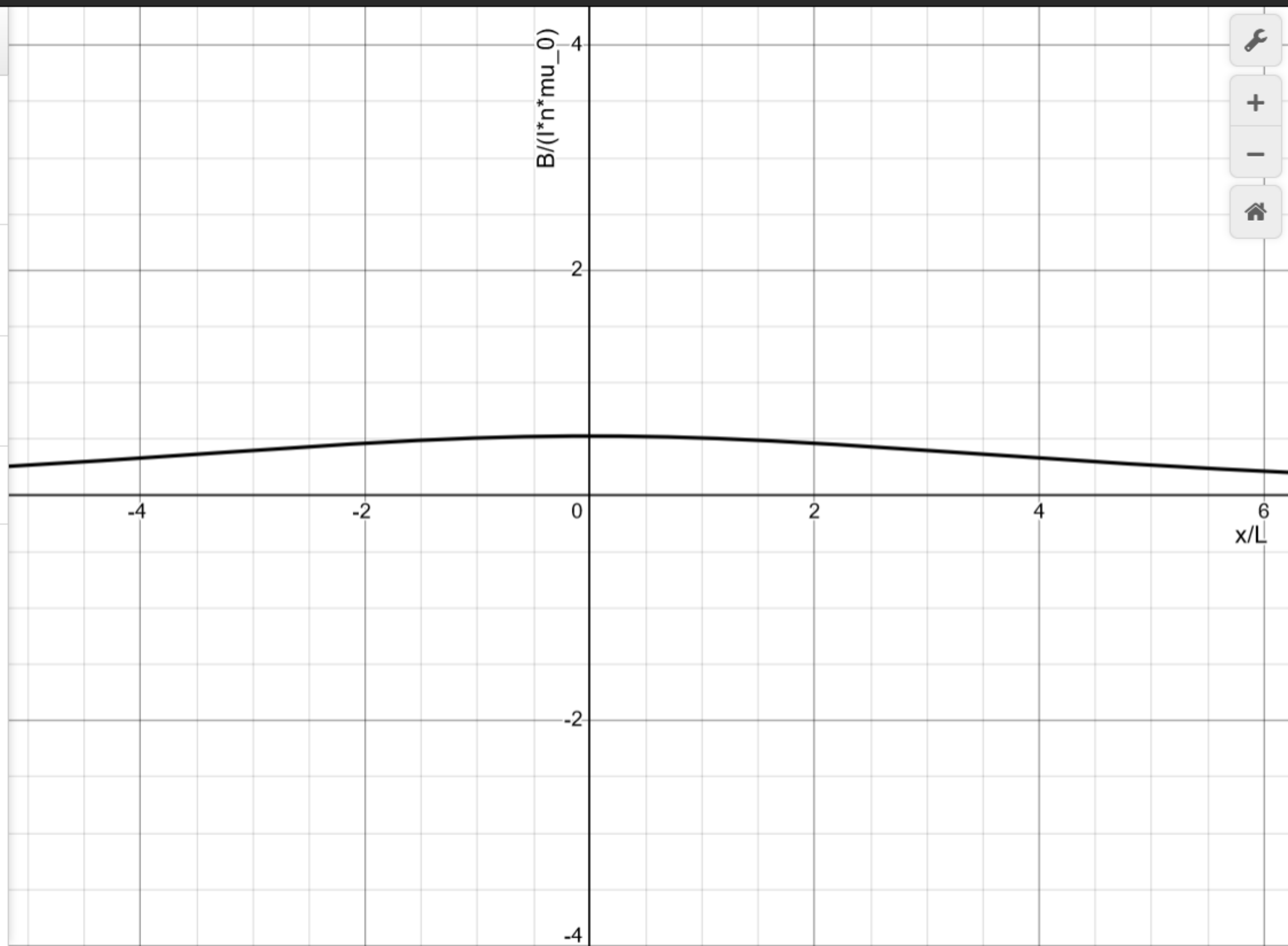
1 ⌵ $f(x) = \frac{a}{2} \left(\frac{2x+1}{\sqrt{\left(2 \cdot \frac{a}{L}\right)^2 + (2x+1)^2}} - \frac{2x-1}{\sqrt{\left(2 \cdot \frac{a}{L}\right)^2 + (2x-1)^2}} \right)$ ×

2 ▶ $a = 7$ ×
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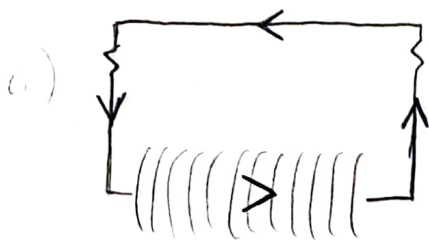
3 ▶ $L = 1.06$ ×
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4 ×

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c) Show that the solution is:



$$\oint \vec{B} \cdot d\vec{l} = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \vec{B}(x) dx + 0 + 0 + 0$$

$$= \mu_0 I$$

The \perp terms, would equal and cancel.

The line at ∞ is effectively ∞ distance from the B-field ($1/r$ decay).

d) $|\vec{B}| = \frac{\mu_0 I}{2\pi r}$. Supposing an infinitely long MRI,

$$\vec{B} = \mu_0 I a \Rightarrow I = \frac{\vec{B}}{\mu_0 a}$$

The current has to be very very large.

Sending so much current through copper wire would definitely melt it in seconds.

Moreover, as T increases, the resistivity of copper increases, and that means it would limit current.

$$I \sim \frac{10^{\leftarrow |\vec{B}|}}{10^{-6} \cdot 10^0 \leftarrow \text{radius}} \quad \boxed{\sim 10^7 \text{ A}}$$

$\mu_0 \rightarrow$ \leftarrow radius

We've gotten around this problem with superconducting coils.

When I was talking to some folks at Boston Memorial Hospital, the technicians said it was liquid helium & Niobium-Titanium coils. There's copper in there somewhere, but it is 100% superconductors.