PHYS 313

HW 06: Assignment 6

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Problem 3.2:

In one sentence, justify Earnshaw's Theorem.

Solution

Problem 3.3:

Find the general solution to Laplace's equation in spherical coordinates, for the case where V depends only on r. Do the same for cylindrical coordinates, assuming V depends only on s.

Solution

Problem 3.4:

- 1. Show that the average electric field over a spherical surface, due to charges outside the sphere, is the same as the field at the center.
- 2. What is the average due to charges inside the sphere?

Solution