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Answer Sheet

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Part I	9 / 12
Part II	9 / 11
Total Grade	18 / 23

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4. The electric potential in a certain region is given by  $V = 7x - 3x^2y + 2yz^2$ . The electric field over this region is given by:

- A)  $\vec{E} = (6xy - 7)\hat{i} + (3x^2 - 2z^2)\hat{j} - 4yz\hat{k}$   
 B) 0  
 C)  $\vec{E} = -(6xy - 7)\hat{i} - (3x^2 - 2z^2)\hat{j} - 4yz\hat{k}$   
 D)  $\vec{E} = (6xy - 7)\hat{i} - (3x^2 - 2z^2)\hat{j} + 4yz\hat{k}$   
 E)  $\vec{E} = -(6xy - 7)\hat{i} - (3x^2 + 2z^2)\hat{j} - 4yz\hat{k}$

$$E_x = -\left(\frac{\partial V}{\partial x}\right) = -(7 - 6xy) = 6xy - 7$$

$$E_y = -\left(\frac{\partial V}{\partial y}\right) = -(-3x^2 + 2z^2) = 3x^2 - 2z^2$$

$$E_z = -\left(\frac{\partial V}{\partial z}\right) = -(4yz) = -4yz$$

5. An electric dipole has a dipole moment of  $2 \times 10^{-9} \text{ C}\cdot\text{m}$  in the negative x-direction. A torque of  $3.5 \times 10^{-7} \text{ N}\cdot\text{m}$  in the positive z-direction is exerted on the dipole when it is in a uniform electric field. The magnitude and direction of the electric field is:

- A)  $5.7 \times 10^{-3} \text{ N/C}$ , positive y-axis  
 B)  $175 \text{ N/C}$ , negative y-axis  
 C)  $175 \text{ N/C}$ , negative z-axis  
 D)  $175 \text{ N/C}$ , negative x-axis  
 E)  $175 \text{ N/C}$ , positive y-axis

$$\vec{L} = p \times \vec{E}$$

$$L = pE \sin \theta$$

$$\frac{L}{p} = E \sin \theta$$

$$\frac{3.5 \times 10^{-7}}{2 \times 10^{-9}} = 175$$



6. Five positive charges are placed in a box. The first charge has a magnitude  $q$ . The second charge has a magnitude which is twice the first charge. The third charge has a magnitude which is twice the second charge. The fourth charge has a magnitude which is twice the third charge. The fifth charge has a magnitude which is twice the fourth charge. The net electric flux through the box is  $6.8 \times 10^7 \text{ N}\cdot\text{m}^2/\text{C}$ . The magnitude of the charge  $q$  is:

- A)  $425 \mu\text{C}$     B)  $1.6 \times 10^{-19} \text{ C}$     C)  $47.2 \mu\text{C}$     D)  $19.4 \mu\text{C}$     E)  $16.6 \mu\text{C}$

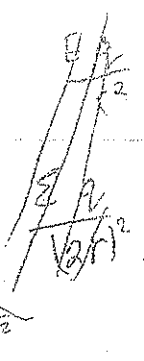
$$\phi = \frac{32q}{\epsilon_0}$$

$$q = \frac{6.8 \times 10^7 \times 8.85 \times 10^{-12}}{32}$$

7. Charge is distributed uniformly on the surface of a large flat plate. The electric field at 2 mm from the plate is  $35 \text{ N/C}$ . The electric field at 4 mm from the plate is:

- A)  $16.5 \text{ N/C}$     B)  $37 \text{ V/m}$     C)  $66 \text{ N/C}$     D)  $8.25 \text{ V/m}$     E)  $35 \text{ V/m}$

$$E = 35 \text{ N/C}$$



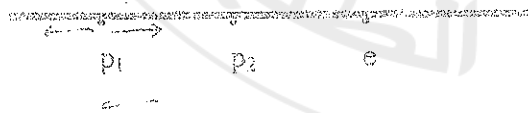
$$\epsilon_0 = 8.85 \times 10^{-12} \text{ C}^2/\text{N}\cdot\text{m}^2 \quad e = 1.6 \times 10^{-19} \text{ C}$$

Part I: Multiple-Choice Problems, 1 Point Each

1. A "free" electron and a "free" proton are placed in an identical electric field. Which of the following is the CORRECT statement?
- A) The magnitude of the electrostatic force acting on the proton is greater than that acting on the electron
  - B) The direction of the electrostatic force acting on the proton is the same as that acting on the electron
  - C) The magnitude of the acceleration of the proton is less than that of the electron
  - D) The magnitude of the acceleration of the proton is greater than that of the electron
  - E) The magnitude of the acceleration of the proton is equal to that of the electron

2. A positively charged glass rod attracts an object suspended by a nonconducting thread. This means that:
- A) The object is definitely negatively charged
  - B) The object is possibly positively charged
  - C) The object is possibly negatively charged
  - D) The object is definitely positively charged

3. Two protons ( $p_1$  and  $p_2$ ) and an electron  $e$  lie on a straight line as shown. The directions of the electrostatic force from  $p_2$  on  $p_1$ ; the force from  $e$  on  $p_1$  and the total force on  $p_1$ , respectively, are:



- A)  $\rightarrow, \leftarrow, 0$      B)  $\leftarrow, \rightarrow, \leftarrow$     C)  $\leftarrow, \rightarrow, 0$     D)  $\rightarrow, \rightarrow, \rightarrow$     E)  $\leftarrow, \leftarrow, \rightarrow$

6) For the electric dipole shown in the figure, the electric field on the positive y-axis, at  $y = a$ , is given by:

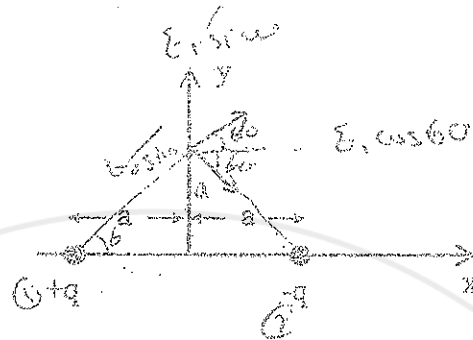
A)  $\frac{1}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \frac{q}{\sqrt{2}a^2} \hat{j}$

B)  $\frac{1}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \frac{q}{\sqrt{2}a^2} \hat{i}$

C)  $\frac{1}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \frac{q}{a^2} \hat{i}$

D)  $\frac{-1}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \frac{q}{\sqrt{2}a^2} \hat{i}$

E) zero



$$= \frac{kq}{r^2} \cos 60 + \frac{kq}{r^2} \cos 60$$

$$= \frac{kq}{(2a)^2} \cdot \frac{1}{2} + \frac{kq}{(2a)^2} \cdot \frac{1}{2}$$

$$= \frac{kq}{4a^2} + \frac{kq}{4a^2}$$

$$= \frac{kq}{2a^2}$$

7) The magnitude of the force exerted by a 400 N/C electric field on a 0.2  $\mu\text{C}$  point charge is:

A) 0.08 N

B)  $8.0 \times 10^{-3}$  N

C)  $8.0 \times 10^{-5}$  N

D) 8.0 N

E)  $2.0 \times 10^{11}$  N

$$\frac{F}{q} = E \quad F = qE$$

$$= 0.2 \times 10^{-6} \times 400$$

8) At the center of a uniformly charged ring, choose the correct statement regarding the electric field  $E$  and the electric potential  $V$ :

A)  $E = 0$  and  $V = 0$  ✗

B)  $E \neq 0$  and  $V = 0$  ✗

C)  $E \neq 0$  and  $V \neq 0$  ✗

D)  $E = 0$  and  $V \neq 0$  ✗

E)  $E = 0$  only if the ring is conductor and  $V \neq 0$

9) Two thin spherical shells, one of radius  $R$  and the other of radius  $2R$ , surround an isolated point charge. The ratio of the electric flux through the large sphere to the electric flux through the small one is:

A) 1/2

B) 1/4

C) 4

D) 2

E) 1

$$\Phi =$$

8. The energy stored in a  $17\text{-}\mu\text{F}$  capacitor is  $1.40\text{ J}$ . The charge on the capacitor is:  
 A)  $56\text{ }\mu\text{C}$     B)  $65\text{ }\mu\text{C}$     C)  $112\text{ }\mu\text{C}$     D)  $69\text{ }\mu\text{C}$     E)  $47\text{ }\mu\text{C}$

$$U = \frac{q^2}{2C}$$

$$U = 1.40 = \frac{q^2}{2 \times 17 \times 10^{-6}}$$

$$q = 8.5 \times 10^{-6}$$

9. A parallel-plate capacitor having air between its plates is charged to  $38.5\text{ V}$ . The capacitor is then isolated from the charging source and the space between the plates filled with Plexiglas ( $\kappa = 3.12$ ). The new potential difference across the capacitor is:  
 A)  $38.5\text{ V}$     B)  $15.5\text{ V}$     C)  $12.3\text{ V}$     D)  $95\text{ V}$     E)  $14.5\text{ V}$

$$C = \frac{\epsilon_0 A}{d}$$

$$K \epsilon_0 \frac{A}{d}$$

$$C = 9.12 \times 10^{-12}$$

$$C = \frac{q}{AE}$$

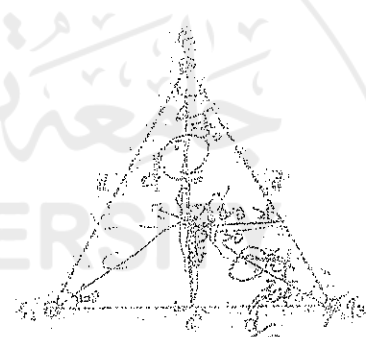
Three equal positive charges of magnitude  $q$  each are placed at the corners of an equilateral triangle of sides  $d$  as shown in the figure. Answer the following three questions:

10. The magnitude of the electric potential at the center (the point  $p$ ) of the triangle is:

- A)  $3q/(4\pi\epsilon_0 d^2)$   
 B)  $0$   
 C)  $3\sqrt{3}q/(4\pi\epsilon_0 d^2)$   
 D)  $3q^2/(4\pi\epsilon_0 d)$   
 E)  $3\sqrt{3}q/(4\pi\epsilon_0 d)$

$$V = \frac{Kq}{r}$$

$$V = \frac{3Kq}{\frac{d}{\sqrt{3}}}$$



$$V = \frac{q}{4\pi\epsilon_0 r}$$

$$= \frac{1}{K} \frac{q}{AE}$$

$$= \frac{1}{3.12} \times 38.5$$

11. The magnitude of the electric field at the center (the point  $p$ ) of the triangle is:

- A)  $0$   
 B)  $3q/(4\pi\epsilon_0 d)$   
 C)  $3\sqrt{3}q/(4\pi\epsilon_0 d^2)$   
 D)  $3q/(4\pi\epsilon_0 d^2)$   
 E)  $3\sqrt{3}q/(4\pi\epsilon_0 d)$

$$\frac{3\sqrt{3}q}{4\pi\epsilon_0 d}$$

$$2E \cos 45$$

$$\frac{d}{2} \times \frac{1}{r}$$

$$r^2 = \frac{4d^2 - d^2}{4}$$

$$r = \frac{3}{4}d$$

$$r^2 = \frac{d^2}{4}$$

$$r = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}d$$

$$\frac{3}{16}d^2 + \frac{d^2}{4} = r^2$$

$$\frac{\sqrt{3}}{4}d$$

$$\frac{3}{4}d$$

12. The electric potential energy stored in the system of the three charges is:

- A)  $3q/(4\pi\epsilon_0 d^2)$   
 B)  $3q^2/(4\pi\epsilon_0 d)$   
 C)  $3\sqrt{3}q/(4\pi\epsilon_0 d^2)$   
 D)  $0$   
 E)  $3\sqrt{3}q/(4\pi\epsilon_0 d)$

$$U = -P \cdot E$$

$$\frac{3d^2 + 4d^2}{16} = x^2 \quad \frac{3}{16}d^2 + \frac{d^2}{4} = x^2$$

$$\frac{7d^2}{16} = x^2$$

$$\frac{7}{16}d^2 = x^2$$

$$\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} = \frac{d}{2x} \quad U = q \cdot \phi$$

$$x = \frac{d}{\sqrt{3}}$$

$$E = \frac{Kq}{d}$$

$$\frac{\sqrt{3}d}{4}$$

$$\frac{\sqrt{3}d}{4}$$

$$\frac{3\sqrt{3}Kq}{d} - \frac{\sqrt{3}Kq}{d}$$

$$\frac{\sqrt{3}}{3}$$

$$\frac{2\sqrt{3}Kq}{d^2} \cdot \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} = \frac{3Kq}{d^2}$$

$$\frac{4Kq_1}{\sqrt{3}d} + \frac{4Kq_2}{\sqrt{3}d} + \frac{4Kq_3}{\sqrt{3}d}$$

$$\frac{\sqrt{3}}{3}$$

$$\frac{2\sqrt{3}Kq}{d^2} \cdot \frac{1}{2} - \frac{3Kq}{d^2} =$$

$$\frac{\sqrt{3}}{3}d$$

Part II:

Essay Problem 1:

A nonconducting solid sphere of radius  $R$  has a nonuniform volume charge density

$\rho(r) = A/r + Br^2$  with the radial distance  $r$  is measured from the sphere's center and  $A$  and  $B$  are constants.

a) What are the SI units of the constant  $A$ ? (2 points)

SI unit of  $A$  is  $\frac{C}{m^2}$  (2)

$\rho = \frac{Q}{V}$   
 $\frac{C}{m^3} = \frac{mA}{m^3}$

$\frac{C}{m^3} = \frac{A}{m} + B$   
 $\frac{m^2 A}{m^3} = \frac{B}{m^3}$

b) What are the SI units of the constant  $B$ ? (2 points)

SI unit of  $B$  is  $\frac{C}{m^5}$  (1)

c) What is total charge on the sphere? (4 points)

$$Q = \int_0^R (A/r + Br^2) 4\pi r^2 dr$$

$$4\pi \int_0^R (Ar + Br^3) dr$$

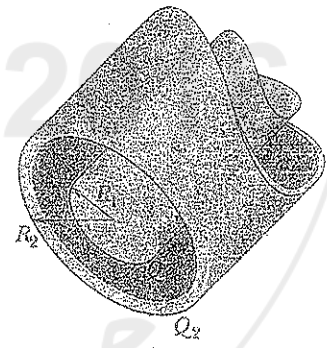
$$4\pi \left( \frac{Ar^2}{2} + \frac{Br^4}{4} \right) \Big|_0^R = 4\pi \left( \frac{AR^2}{2} + \frac{BR^4}{4} \right)$$

ok (3)

$V = \frac{4}{3}\pi R^3$   
 $dV = 4\pi r^2 dr$

Essay Problem 2:

The figure shows a section of a conducting rod of radius  $R_1$  and length  $L$  inside a thin coaxial conducting cylindrical shell with radius  $R_2$  and length  $L$ . The net charge on the rod  $Q_1 = +3 \mu C$ . The net charge on the shell  $Q_2 = -6 Q_1$ .

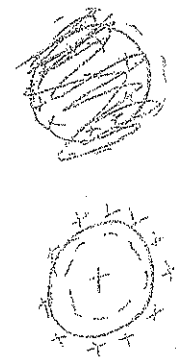


a) What is the charge on the interior surface of the shell? (2 points)

$Q = 20 \mu C$  (1)

b) What is the charge on the exterior surface of the shell? (2 points)

$Q_2 + Q_1 = (-6 \times 3) + 3 = -18 + 3 = -15 C$  (2)



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Constants:

$\epsilon_0 = 8.85 \times 10^{-12} \text{ C}^2/\text{N}\cdot\text{m}^2$     $e = 1.6 \times 10^{-19} \text{ C}$     $m_e = 9.11 \times 10^{-31} \text{ kg}$     $m_p = 1.67 \times 10^{-27} \text{ kg}$

1. A "free" electron and a "free" proton are placed in an identical electric field. Which of the following is the True statement?

- A) The magnitude of the electrostatic force acting on the proton is greater than that acting on the electron
- B) The direction of the electrostatic force acting on the proton is the same as that acting on the electron
- C) The magnitude of the acceleration of the proton is less than that of the electron**
- D) The magnitude of the acceleration of the proton is greater than that of the electron
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$F = ma$

$p = m_p a \rightarrow a = \frac{F}{m_p}$

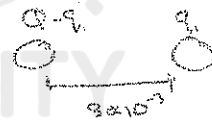
$e = m_e a \rightarrow a = \frac{F}{m_e}$

$q = 10^{-6}$

2. A charge of  $9 \mu\text{C}$  is to be split into two parts that are then separated by  $3 \text{ cm}$ . The maximum possible magnitude of the electrostatic force between those two parts is:

- A)  $2 \times 10^4 \text{ N}$**
- B)  $8 \times 10^3 \text{ N}$
- C)  $2.4 \times 10^3 \text{ N}$
- D)  $7.3 \times 10^3 \text{ N}$
- E)  $4.5 \times 10^6 \text{ N}$

$F = \frac{k(Q-q)q}{R^2}$



$\frac{dF}{dq} = \frac{k}{R^2} [Q - 2q] = 0$

$F = \frac{k}{R^2} [q(Q-q)]$

$= \frac{k}{R^2} [Qq - q^2]$

$Q = 2q \rightarrow \frac{Q}{2} = q$

$F = \frac{k \frac{Q}{2} \times \frac{Q}{2}}{R^2} = \frac{(8.99 \times 10^9) (9 \times 10^{-6})^2}{(3 \times 10^{-3})^2} = 0.036$

3. The electric potential in a certain region is given by  $V = 7x - 3x^2y + 2yz^2$ . The electric field over this region is given by:

- A)  $\underline{E = (6xy - 7)\mathbf{i} + (3x^2 - 2z^2)\mathbf{j} + 4yz\mathbf{k}}$**
- B) 0
- C)  $\underline{E = -(6xy - 7)\mathbf{i} - (3x^2 - 2z^2)\mathbf{j} - 4yz\mathbf{k}}$
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- E)  $\underline{E = -(6xy - 7)\mathbf{i} - (3x^2 + 2z^2)\mathbf{j} - 4yz\mathbf{k}}$

$E_x = -\frac{\partial V}{\partial x} = -(7 + 6xy)\mathbf{i}$

$E_y = -\frac{\partial V}{\partial y} = -(3x^2 + 2z^2)\mathbf{j}$

$E_z = -\frac{\partial V}{\partial z} = -(4yz)\mathbf{k}$

$\frac{kQ^2}{4R^2} = \frac{9 \times 10^9 \times 81 \times 10^{-12}}{4 \times 9 \times 10^{-6}} = 20.25 \times 10^3$

4. An electric dipole has a dipole moment of  $2 \times 10^{-9} \text{ C}\cdot\text{m}$  in the negative x-direction. A torque of  $3.5 \times 10^{-7} \text{ N}\cdot\text{m}$  in the positive z-direction is exerted on the dipole when it is in a uniform electric field. The magnitude and direction of the electric field is:

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- C)  $175 \text{ N/C}$ , negative z-axis
- D)  $175 \text{ N/C}$ , negative x-axis
- E)  $175 \text{ N/C}$ , positive y-axis

$p = 2 \times 10^{-9}$

$\vec{T} = 3.5 \times 10^{-7} \mathbf{k}$

$\vec{T} = \vec{p} \times \vec{E}$

$3.5 = 2 \times 10^{-9} \times E$

$E = \frac{3.5 \times 10^{-7}}{2 \times 10^{-9}}$

dir  $-\hat{i} \times \hat{i} = \hat{k}$



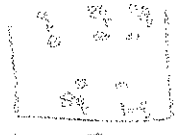
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$q_{\text{net}} = q + 2q + 4q + 8q + 16q = 31q$

$\Phi = \frac{q_{\text{net}}}{\epsilon_0} \rightarrow \Phi = \frac{31q}{8.85 \times 10^{-12}} = 6.3 \times 10^7$



6. A spherical conducting shell has a positive charge  $Q$ . A particle with a positive charge  $q$  is placed at the center of the cavity. The charge on the inner surface of the shell and the net charge on the outer surface of the shell, respectively, are:

- A)  $Q, 0$   
 B)  $0, 0$   
 C)  $q, Q - q$   
**D)  $-q, Q + q$**   
 E)  $-q, 0$

$Q_{\text{net}} = q_{\text{inner}} + q_{\text{outer}}$



$\frac{31q}{\epsilon_0} = 6.3 \times 10^7$

$31q = 6.3 \times 10^7 \times 8.85 \times 10^{-12}$

$31q = 5.57 \times 10^{-4}$

$q = \frac{5.57 \times 10^{-4}}{31} = 1.8 \times 10^{-5} \text{ C} = 18 \mu\text{C}$

7. A nonconducting solid sphere of radius  $R$  has a nonuniform volume charge density  $\rho(r) = A/r + Br^2$  with the radial distance  $r$  is measured from the sphere's center,  $A$  and  $B$  are constants. The SI units of the constants  $A$  and  $B$  respectively are:

- A)  $\text{C}/\text{m}^3, \text{C}/\text{m}^3$   
**B)  $\text{C}/\text{m}^2, \text{C}/\text{m}^5$**   
 C)  $\text{C}/\text{m}^5, \text{C}/\text{m}^5$   
 D)  $\text{C}/\text{m}^5, \text{C}/\text{m}^2$   
 E) unit-less, unit-less

Volume  $= \frac{4}{3}\pi r^3$

$\rho = \frac{Q}{\text{Volume}}$

$\rho = \frac{A}{r} + Br^2$

$\frac{\text{C}}{\text{m}^3} = \frac{A}{\text{m}}$

$A = \text{C}\cdot\text{m}^2$

$\frac{\text{C}}{\text{m}^3} = B \cdot \text{m}^2$

$B = \frac{\text{C}}{\text{m}^5}$

8. An infinitely long, nonconducting, solid cylinder of radius  $R$  has a nonuniform volume charge density given by  $\rho(r) = \gamma r^2$  where  $\gamma$  is a positive constant and  $r$  is the radial distance from the axis of the cylinder. The magnitude of the electric field at a radial distance  $z > R$  is:

- A)  $(\gamma R^4) / (4\pi\epsilon_0)$**   
 B)  $(\gamma z^3) / (4\pi\epsilon_0)$   
 C) 0; because the cylinder is infinitely long  
 D)  $(\gamma z^3) / (4\epsilon_0)$   
 E) infinity; because the cylinder is infinitely long

$\int E \cdot dA$

$q = \int \rho \, dV$

$q = \int \gamma r^2 \times (2\pi r \, dz \, dr)$

$q = 8\pi\gamma L \int r^3 \, dr$

$q_{\text{enc}} = 8\pi\gamma L \times \frac{R^4}{4}$

$\rho = \gamma r^2$

$q = \int \rho \, dV$

$\Phi = \frac{q_{\text{enc}}}{\epsilon_0} = \frac{8\pi\gamma L R^4}{4\epsilon_0}$

$V = LA\pi r^2$

$dV = 2\pi L r \, dr$

$$C = \frac{Q}{V} = \frac{\sigma A}{d} = \frac{\epsilon_0 \sigma A}{d}$$

$$C = \frac{Q}{V} = \frac{\sigma A}{d} = \frac{\epsilon_0 \sigma A}{d}$$

9. The capacitance of a parallel-plate capacitor can be increased by:
- A) increasing the charge  $\times$
  - B) decreasing the charge  $\times$
  - C) decreasing the distance between the plates  $\checkmark$
  - D) increasing the distance between the plates  $\times$
  - E) decreasing the plate area  $\times$

$$\frac{2}{5} = \frac{3}{5} \times 0.6$$

10. An electron moves in a circular path around a proton of radius  $5.29 \times 10^{-11}$  m. The proton is at rest at the center of the circle, the kinetic energy of the circulating electron is:
- A)  $4.4 \times 10^{-18}$  J
  - B)  $2.18 \times 10^{-18}$  J  $\checkmark$
  - C)  $8.7 \times 10^{-18}$  J
  - D)  $8.2 \times 10^{-18}$  J
  - E)  $-4.4 \times 10^{-18}$  J

$$m v^2 = \frac{m v^2}{r}$$

$$a = \frac{v^2}{r}$$

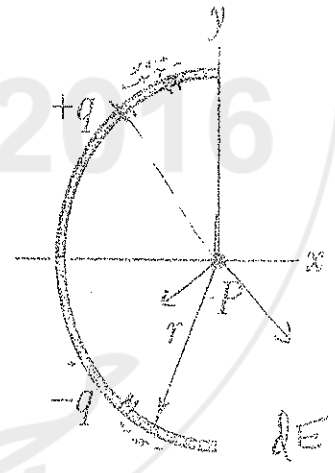


11. Charge is distributed uniformly on the surface of a large flat plate. The electric field at 2 mm from the plate is 35 N/C. The electric field at 4 mm from the plate is:
- A) 16.5 N/C
  - B) 37 V/m
  - C) 66 N/C
  - D) 8.25 V/m
  - E) 35 V/m  $\checkmark$

$$E = \frac{\rho}{\epsilon_0}$$

$E$  is constant

12. A thin glass rod is bent into a semicircle of radius  $r$ . A charge  $+q$  is distributed uniformly along the upper half, and a charge  $-q$  is distributed uniformly along the lower half as in the figure. Answer the following two questions.



12. The magnitude and direction of the electric field at point P at the center of the semicircle is:

- A)  $q/(\pi^2 \epsilon_0 r^2)$  vertically downward  $\checkmark$
- B)  $q/(\pi^2 \epsilon_0 r^2)$  vertically upward  $\times$
- C) zero  $\times$
- D)  $q/(\pi^2 \epsilon_0 r)$  vertically downward  $\times$
- E)  $q/(\pi^2 \epsilon_0 r^3)$  vertically downward  $\times$

$$2\pi r^2$$

$$V = -\int E \cdot dr$$

13. The electric potential at point P at the center of the semicircle is:

- A)  $q/(\pi^2 \epsilon_0 r^2)$
- B)  $q/(\pi^2 \epsilon_0 r^2)$  vertically upward
- C)  $q/(\pi^2 \epsilon_0 r)$
- D) zero  $\checkmark$
- E)  $q/(\pi^2 \epsilon_0 r^3)$  vertically downward

$$V = \frac{kq}{r} = k\lambda \int \frac{dr}{r}$$

$$E = \int k \frac{Q}{\pi a} \frac{1}{a}$$

$$E = k \lambda \int \frac{dr}{R^2}$$

$$E = k \lambda \left[ \frac{r}{R^2} \right]$$

$$E = -k \lambda \frac{q}{\pi R^2}$$

$$\frac{kQ}{\pi R} \frac{dr}{R}$$

$$k \frac{2\pi R}{\pi} \frac{dr}{R^2}$$

$$\frac{-1}{x} = \frac{x^{-1}}{-1}$$

$$\frac{x^{-2-1}}{-2-1}$$

14. The energy stored in a 12- $\mu\text{F}$  capacitor is 120  $\mu\text{J}$ . The charge on the capacitor is:  
 A) 60  $\mu\text{C}$     B) 36  $\mu\text{C}$     C) 312  $\mu\text{C}$     D) 60  $\mu\text{C}$     E) 41  $\mu\text{C}$

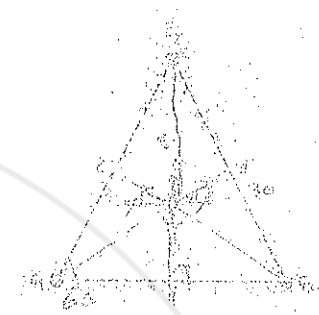
Solve

Three equal positive charges of magnitude  $q$  each are placed at the corners of an equilateral triangle of sides  $d$  as shown in the figure. Answer the following three questions: (See Geometry of equilateral triangle below)

15. The magnitude of the electric potential at the center (the point  $p$ ) of the triangle is:

- A)  $3 q / (4\pi\epsilon_0 d^2)$
- B)  $3 q / (4\pi\epsilon_0 d)$
- C)  $3\sqrt{3} q / (4\pi\epsilon_0 d^2)$
- D)  $3\sqrt{3} q / (4\pi\epsilon_0)$
- E)  $3 q / (4\pi\epsilon_0 d)$

$V = V_1 + V_2 + V_3$



$r^2 = d^2 \left(\frac{d}{2}\right)^2$   
 $r = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} d$

16. The magnitude of the electric field at the center (the point  $p$ ) of the triangle is:

- A) 0
- B)  $3 q^2 / (4\pi\epsilon_0 d)$
- C)  $3\sqrt{3} q / (4\pi\epsilon_0 d^2)$
- D)  $3 q / (4\pi\epsilon_0 d^2)$
- E)  $3\sqrt{3} q / (4\pi\epsilon_0 d)$

$E = \frac{kq}{r^2} + \frac{kq}{r^2} + \frac{kq}{r^2}$

$S = \int \frac{3}{r} dr$   
 $S = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} d$

17. The electric potential energy stored in the system of the three charges is:

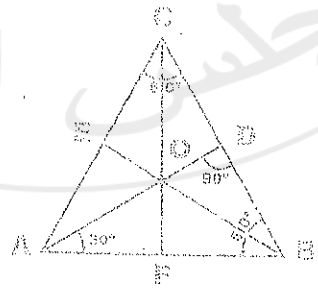
- A)  $3 q / (4\pi\epsilon_0 d^2)$
- B)  $3\sqrt{3} q / (4\pi\epsilon_0 d^2)$
- C)  $3 q^2 / (4\pi\epsilon_0 d)$
- D) 0
- E)  $3\sqrt{3} q / (4\pi\epsilon_0 d)$

$V = \frac{U}{q}$

$U = q \cdot V$

$V = \frac{kq}{\frac{\sqrt{3}d}{2}} = \frac{2kq}{\sqrt{3}d}$

Geometry:  
 For equilateral triangle,  
 Length of CO = 2/3 length of CF  
 Length of BO = 2/3 length of BE  
 Length of AO = 2/3 length of AD



$V = V \cos 30$   
 $= V \cos 30$   
 $= \frac{3kq}{\sqrt{3}d} \cdot \frac{1}{2}$

$U = 3 \cdot V \Rightarrow \frac{3kq}{\sqrt{3}d}$

$V = \frac{U}{q}$

$U = Vq = \frac{kq^2}{r}$

$\frac{3kq^2}{\sqrt{3}d}$   
 $\frac{3kq^2}{\sqrt{3}d}$   
 $\frac{3kq^2}{\sqrt{3}d}$



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Answer Sheet

Q#	A	B	C	D	E
1			✓		
2			✓		
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$e = 1.6 \times 10^{-19} \text{ C}$   
 $\mu_0 = 4\pi \times 10^{-7} \text{ T.m/A}$

$m_e = 9.11 \times 10^{-31} \text{ kg}$   
 $m_p = 1.67 \times 10^{-27} \text{ kg}$

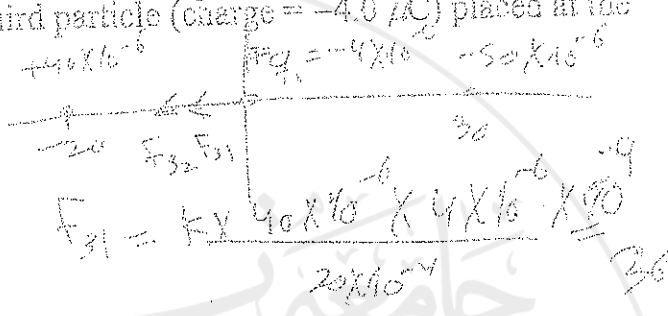
$\epsilon_0 = 8.85 \times 10^{-12} \text{ C}^2/\text{N.m}^2$   
 $1 \text{ eV} = 1.6 \times 10^{-19} \text{ J}$

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**Multiple Choice**

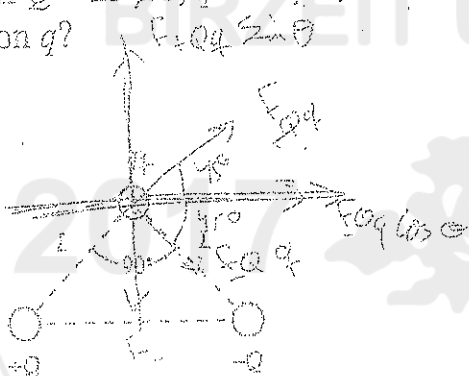
Identify the choice that best completes the statement or answers the question.

1. A particle (charge =  $+40 \mu\text{C}$ ) is located on the x axis at the point  $x = -20 \text{ cm}$ , and a second particle (charge =  $-50 \mu\text{C}$ ) is placed on the x axis at  $x = +30 \text{ cm}$ . What is total electrostatic force on a third particle (charge =  $-4.0 \mu\text{C}$ ) placed at the origin ( $x = 0$ )?



- a.  $-36 \text{ N}$
- b.  $16 \text{ N}$
- c.  $-56 \text{ N}$
- d.  $36 \text{ N}$
- e.  $56 \text{ N}$

2. If  $Q = 25 \mu\text{C}$ ,  $q = 10 \mu\text{C}$ , and  $L = 40 \text{ cm}$  in the figure, what is the electrostatic force on  $q$ ?



$$F = \frac{25 \times 10^{-6} \times 10 \times 10^{-6}}{(40 \times 10^{-2})^2} = 5.6 \times 10^{-6} \text{ N}$$

- a.  $28 \text{ j N}$
- b.  $-22 \text{ i N}$
- c.  $20 \text{ i N}$
- d.  $14 \text{ i N}$
- e. zero

$$5.6 \cos \theta + 5.6 \sin \theta$$

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A particle with a charge of  $5 \times 10^{-6}$  C and a mass of  $25 \mu$  moves uniformly with a speed of  $7$  m/s in a circular orbit around a stationary particle with a charge of  $-5 \times 10^{-6}$  C. The radius of the orbit is:

- a. 0
- b. 0.23 m
- c. 0.62 m
- d. 1.6 m
- e. 4.4 m

$$F = \frac{mv^2}{r} = \frac{kq^2}{r^2}$$

$$F_{12} = \frac{q_1 q_2 k}{r^2} = \frac{mv^2}{r}$$

$$= \frac{25 \times 10^{-6} \times 25 \times 10^{-6} \times 9 \times 10^9}{r^2} = \frac{25 \times 9 \times 10^{-7}}{r^2}$$

$$= \frac{2.25 \times 10^{-6}}{r^2}$$

$$r = 6.23 \times 10^{-2} \text{ m}$$

4. Positive charge  $+Q$  is uniformly distributed on the upper half of a semicircular rod and negative charge  $-Q$  is uniformly distributed on the lower half. What is the direction of the electric field at point P, the center of the semicircle?

- a.  $\uparrow$
- b.  $\downarrow$
- c.  $\leftarrow$
- d.  $\rightarrow$
- e.  $\nearrow$



5. The dipole moment of a dipole in a  $300$  N/C electric field is initially perpendicular to the field, but it rotates so it is in the same direction as the field. If the moment has a magnitude of  $2 \times 10^{-9}$  C · m the work done by the field is:

- a.  $-12 \times 10^{-7}$  J
- b.  $-6 \times 10^{-7}$  J
- c. 0
- d.  $6 \times 10^{-7}$  J
- e.  $12 \times 10^{-7}$  J

$$W = \int P \cos \theta$$

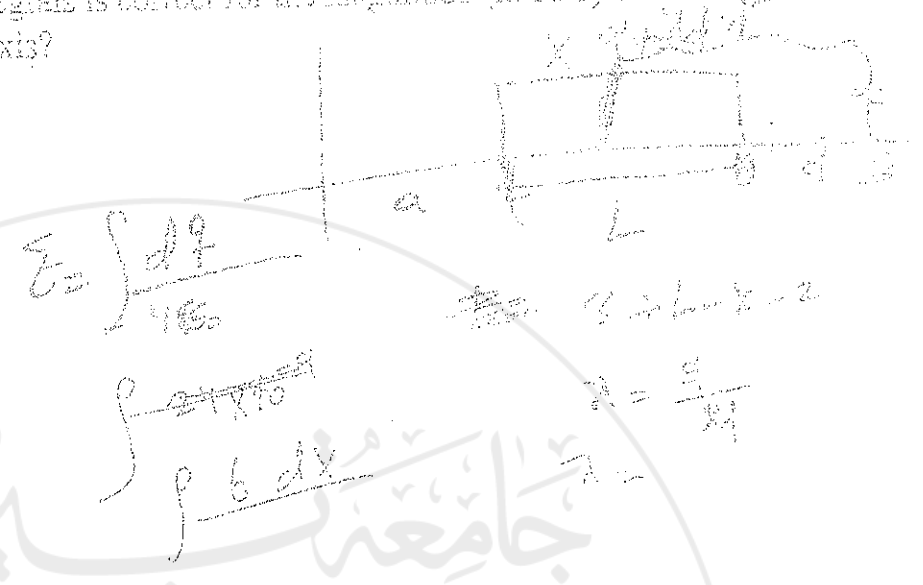
$$300 \times 2 \times 10^{-9}$$

$$E = \frac{q}{L^2}$$

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6. A  $24\mu\text{C}$  charge is distributed uniformly along the  $x$  axis from  $x = 2$  m to  $x = 6$  m. Which of the following integrals is correct for the magnitude (in  $\text{N/C}$ ) of the electric field at  $x = +8$  m on the  $x$  axis?

- a.  $\int_2^6 \frac{54dx}{(8-x)^2}$
- b.  $\int_2^6 \frac{216dx}{(8-x)^2}$
- c.  $\int_2^6 \frac{54dx}{x^2}$
- d.  $\int_2^6 \frac{216dx}{x^2}$
- e.  $\int_0^8 \frac{54dx}{(8-x)^2}$



7. A particle ( $q = 3.0$  mC,  $m = 20$  g) has a speed of  $20$  m/s when it enters a region where the electric field has a constant magnitude of  $80$  N/C and a direction which is the same as the velocity of the particle. What is the speed of the particle  $3.0$  s after it enters this region?

- a.  $68$  m/s
- b.  $41$  m/s
- c.  $56$  m/s
- d.  $80$  m/s
- e.  $36$  m/s

Handwritten calculations for question 7:

$$E = 80, q = 3, m = 20$$

$$m\vec{a} = q\vec{E}$$

$$20 \times 10^{-3} \frac{\text{C}}{\text{kg}} = 80 \times 3 \times 10^{-3}$$

$$a = 12$$

8. The flux of the electric field  $(24 \text{ N/C})\hat{i} + (30 \text{ N/C})\hat{j} + (16 \text{ N/C})\hat{k}$  through a  $2.0 \text{ m}^2$  portion of the  $xy$  plane is:

- a.  $32 \text{ N} \cdot \text{m}^2/\text{C}$
- b.  $34 \text{ N} \cdot \text{m}^2/\text{C}$
- c.  $42 \text{ N} \cdot \text{m}^2/\text{C}$
- d.  $48 \text{ N} \cdot \text{m}^2/\text{C}$
- e.  $60 \text{ N} \cdot \text{m}^2/\text{C}$

Handwritten calculations for question 8:

$$V = V_0 + at$$

$$= 20 + (12)(3)$$

$$\int (16)\hat{k} \cdot dA\hat{k}$$

$$16A =$$

$$\Sigma = \frac{4\pi R}{16} = \frac{\pi}{4}$$

$$E = \frac{Q}{\epsilon_0 \Sigma} = \frac{Q}{\epsilon_0 \frac{\pi R^2}{4}} = \frac{4Q}{\pi R^2 \epsilon_0}$$

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9. Charge  $Q$  is distributed uniformly throughout an insulating sphere of radius  $R$ . The magnitude of the electric field at a point  $R/4$  from the center is:

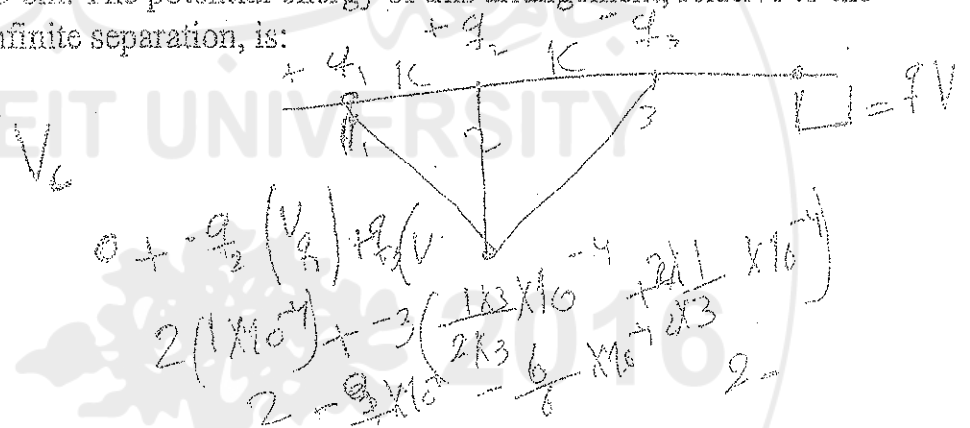
- a.  $Q/4\pi\epsilon_0 R^2$
- b.  $Q/\pi\epsilon_0 R^2$
- c.  $3Q/4\pi\epsilon_0 R^2$
- d.  $Q/8\pi\epsilon_0 R^2$
- e.  $Q/16\pi\epsilon_0 R^2$

$$\frac{Q}{4\pi\epsilon_0 R^2} = \frac{Q}{4\pi\epsilon_0 \left(\frac{R^2}{16}\right)}$$

$$E = \frac{Q}{4\pi\epsilon_0 \frac{R^2}{16}} = \frac{4Q}{\pi\epsilon_0 R^2}$$

10. Three particles lie on the  $x$  axis: particle 1, with a charge of  $1 \times 10^{-8}$  C is at  $x = 1$  cm, particle 2, with a charge of  $2 \times 10^{-8}$  C is at  $x = 2$  cm, and particle 3, with a charge of  $-3 \times 10^{-8}$  C, is at  $x = 3$  cm. The potential energy of this arrangement, relative to the potential energy for infinite separation, is:

- a.  $+5 \times 10^{-4}$  J
- b.  $-5 \times 10^{-4}$  J
- c.  $+9 \times 10^{-4}$  J
- d.  $-9 \times 10^{-4}$  J
- e. zero



11. A conducting sphere of radius 5 cm has a charge density of  $2 \times 10^{-6}$  C/m<sup>2</sup> on its surface. Its electric potential is:

- a.  $1.1 \times 10^4$  V
- b.  $2.2 \times 10^4$  V
- c.  $2.3 \times 10^5$  V
- d.  $3.6 \times 10^5$  V
- e.  $7.2 \times 10^6$  V

$$E = \frac{\sigma}{\epsilon_0} = \frac{2 \times 10^{-6}}{\epsilon_0}$$

$$V = \frac{E \cdot r}{1} = \frac{2 \times 10^{-6} \times 0.05}{\epsilon_0} = \frac{1 \times 10^{-7}}{\epsilon_0}$$

$$V = \frac{Q}{4\pi\epsilon_0 R} = \frac{\sigma \cdot 4\pi R^2}{4\pi\epsilon_0 R} = \frac{\sigma R}{\epsilon_0}$$

$$V = \frac{2 \times 10^{-6} \times 0.05}{\epsilon_0} = \frac{1 \times 10^{-7}}{\epsilon_0}$$



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12. The electric field in a region of space is given by  $E_x = (3.0x) \text{ N/C}$ ,  $E_y = E_z = 0$ , where  $x$  is in m. Points A and B are on the  $x$  axis at  $x_A = 3.0 \text{ m}$  and  $x_B = 5.0 \text{ m}$ . Determine the potential difference  $V_B - V_A$ .

- a.  $-24 \text{ V}$   
 b.  $+24 \text{ V}$   
 c.  $-18 \text{ V}$   
 d.  $+30 \text{ V}$   
 e.  $-6.0 \text{ V}$

$$V_B - V_A = - \int_A^B E_x \cdot dx$$

$$= - \int_3^5 3x \cdot dx = - \left[ \frac{3x^2}{2} \right]_3^5$$

$$= - \left( \frac{3 \cdot 25}{2} - \frac{3 \cdot 9}{2} \right) = - \left( \frac{75}{2} - \frac{27}{2} \right) = - \frac{48}{2} = -24 \text{ V}$$

13. When a positive charge is released and moves along an electric field line, it moves to a position of
- a. lower potential and lower potential energy.  
 b. lower potential and higher potential energy.  
 c. higher potential and lower potential energy.  
 d. higher potential and higher potential energy.  
 e. greater magnitude of the electric field.

14. The electric potential at any point in space is given by  $V = 3xy^2z$ , the electric field at any point in space is given by:

- a.  $-3y^2z\mathbf{i} - 6xyz\mathbf{j} - 3xy^2\mathbf{k}$   
 b.  $3y^2z\mathbf{i} + 6xyz\mathbf{j} + 3xy^2\mathbf{k}$   
 c.  $-6y\mathbf{j}$   
 d.  $-6xyz\mathbf{k}$   
 e.  $-3x\mathbf{i} - 6y\mathbf{j} - 3z\mathbf{k}$

$$E_x = - \frac{\partial V}{\partial x} = -3y^2z$$

$$E_y = - \frac{\partial V}{\partial y} = -6xyz$$

$$E_z = - \frac{\partial V}{\partial z} = -3xy^2$$



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ضع إشارة (X) في اثنين من المربع المقابل للمدرس شحبات ودائرة على رقم الشحبة.

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تعليمات:

- (1) لا تفتح ورقة الامتحان حتى يسمح لك بذلك.
- (2) اكتب اسمك ورقمك في اعلى هذه الصفحة.
- (3) اختر الجواب الأكثر قرباً للجواب الصحيح وانقله على هذه الصفحة، وذلك بوضع إشارة (X) في الخانة المناسبة.
- (4) السؤال الذي له أكثر من إجابة يعطى علامة صفر.
- (5) يجب إعادة أوراق الامتحان كاملة.
- (6) عدد الأسئلة 13 سؤالاً.

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
A						X	X					X
B			X					X	X			
C	X									X	X	
D		X										
E				X	X							

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$$v = 5 \times 10^6 \text{ C/m}^2$$

$$r = 10^{-3} \text{ m}$$

1. A particle with a charge of  $5 \times 10^{-6} \text{ C}$  and a mass of  $10 \text{ g}$  moves uniformly with a speed of  $17 \text{ m/s}$  in a circular orbit around a stationary particle with a charge of  $-48 \times 10^{-6} \text{ C}$ . The radius of the orbit is:

- A) 0.75 m  
 B) 0.23 m  
 C) 1.50 m  
 D) 0.62 m  
 E) 3.00 m

$$\frac{4\pi k q_1 q_2}{r^2} = \frac{mv^2}{r}$$

$$\frac{5 \times 10^{-6} \times 48 \times 10^{-6}}{r^2} = \frac{10 \times 10^{-3} \times (17)^2}{r}$$

$$216 \times 10^{-12} = 140 r$$

2. 16 C of charge are placed on a spherical conducting shell. A 9 C point charge is placed at the center of the cavity. The net charge in coulombs on the outer surface of the shell is:

- A) -7 C  
 B) +7 C  
 C) 0 C  
 D) +25 C  
 E) +16 C



3. The work in joules required to carry a 15.0-C charge from a 15.0-V equipotential surface to a 6.0-V equipotential surface and then to a 11.0-V surface is:

- A) zero  
 B) -60 J  
 C) 60 J  
 D) 45 J  
 E) -45 J

$$W = -\Delta U = -q \Delta V$$

$$= -15 \times (11 - 15)$$

4. The electric potential in a certain region of space is given by  $V = -5r^2 + 3r$ , where  $V$  is in volts and  $r$  is in meters. In this region the equipotential surfaces are:

- A) concentric cylinders with the x axis as the cylinder axis  
 B) planes parallel to the yz plane  
 C) unknown unless the charge is given  
 D) planes parallel to the x axis  
 E) concentric spheres centered at the origin

$$E = -10r + 3$$

5. An electric dipole with dipole moment  $\mathbf{p} = (3.0\mathbf{i} + 6.0\mathbf{j}) \times 10^{-24} \text{ C}\cdot\text{m}$  is in an electric field  $\mathbf{E} = (1 + 2.0\mathbf{k}) \times 10^3 \text{ N/C}$ . The torque acting on the dipole is:

- A)  $(18\mathbf{i} - 9\mathbf{j} - 12\mathbf{k}) \times 10^{-21} \text{ N}\cdot\text{m}$   
 B)  $(18\mathbf{i} + 9\mathbf{j} + 12\mathbf{k}) \times 10^{-21} \text{ N}\cdot\text{m}$   
 C)  $(12\mathbf{i} + 6\mathbf{j} + 6\mathbf{k}) \times 10^{-21} \text{ N}\cdot\text{m}$   
 D)  $3.0 \times 10^{-21} \text{ N}\cdot\text{m}$   
 E)  $(12\mathbf{i} - 9\mathbf{j} - 6\mathbf{k}) \times 10^{-21} \text{ N}\cdot\text{m}$

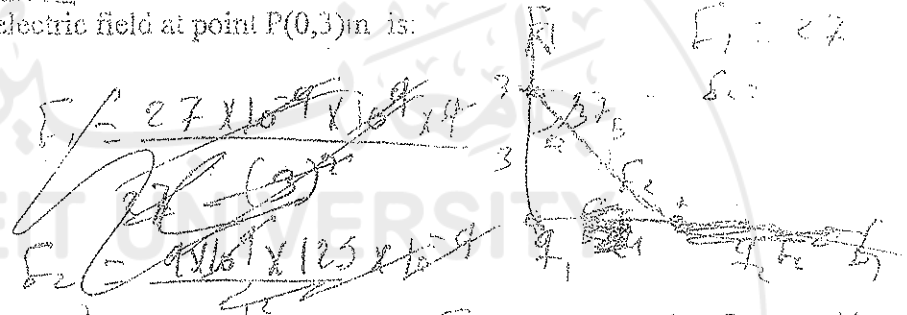
$$\tau = \mathbf{p} \times \mathbf{E}$$

$$\begin{vmatrix} \mathbf{i} & \mathbf{j} & \mathbf{k} \\ 3 & 6 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 2 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$= 6(12\mathbf{i}) - 9(2\mathbf{k})$$

6. Two point charges  $q_1 = 27 \times 10^{-9} \text{ C}$  is located at  $(0,0) \text{ m}$ , and  $q_2 = -125 \times 10^{-9} \text{ C}$  is located at  $(4,0) \text{ m}$ . The electric field at point  $P(0,3) \text{ m}$  is:

- A)  $36\mathbf{j} \text{ N/C}$   
 B)  $36\mathbf{i} \text{ N/C}$   
 C)  $27\mathbf{i} + 72\mathbf{j} \text{ N/C}$   
 D)  $27\mathbf{i} + 36\mathbf{j} \text{ N/C}$   
 E)  $27\mathbf{i} \text{ N/C}$



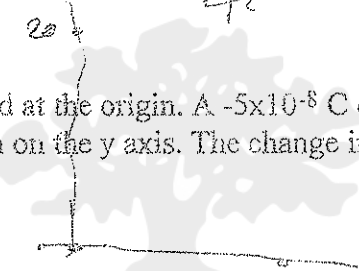
$$E_1 = \frac{27 \times 10^{-9}}{4\pi\epsilon_0 (3)^2} \mathbf{j}$$

$$E_2 = \frac{-125 \times 10^{-9}}{4\pi\epsilon_0 (4^2 + 3^2)^{3/2}} (4\mathbf{i} - 3\mathbf{j})$$

$$E_2 = 9 \times 125 = \frac{1125}{(5)^3}$$

7. A  $8 \times 10^{-8} \text{ C}$  charge is fixed at the origin. A  $-5 \times 10^{-8} \text{ C}$  charge is moved from  $x = 10 \text{ cm}$  on the  $x$  axis to  $y = 20 \text{ cm}$  on the  $y$  axis. The change in potential energy is:

- A)  $1.8 \times 10^{-4} \text{ J}$   
 B) zero  
 C)  $-1.1 \times 10^{-4} \text{ J}$   
 D)  $-1.8 \times 10^{-5} \text{ J}$   
 E)  $9.0 \times 10^{-5} \text{ J}$



$$\Delta U = U_f - U_i$$

$$8 \times 10^{-8} \left[ \frac{-5 \times 10^{-8}}{4\pi\epsilon_0 (20 \times 10^{-2})} \right] - 8 \times 10^{-8} \left[ \frac{-5 \times 10^{-8}}{4\pi\epsilon_0 (10 \times 10^{-2})} \right]$$

8. A 5-cm radius conducting sphere has a charge density of  $5 \times 10^{-6} \text{ C/m}^2$  on its surface. Its electric potential, relative to the potential far away, is:

- A)  $1.1 \times 10^4 \text{ V}$   
 B)  $7.2 \times 10^6 \text{ V}$   
 C)  $2.2 \times 10^4 \text{ V}$   
 D)  $4.5 \times 10^4 \text{ V}$   
 E)  $3.6 \times 10^5 \text{ V}$



$$E = \frac{\sigma}{\epsilon_0} = \frac{5 \times 10^{-6}}{4\pi\epsilon_0 (0.05)^2}$$

$$dV = \int \mathbf{E} \cdot d\mathbf{s}$$

$$V = \frac{1}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \int \frac{dq}{r^2}$$

$$9 \times 10^9 \times 8 \times 10^{-8} \times 5 \times 10^{-6}$$

$$3.6 \times 10^7$$

$$\frac{8 \times 10^{-8} \times 5 \times 10^{-6} \times 9 \times 10^9}{4\pi\epsilon_0}$$

9. The electric potential at points in an xyz space is given by:  
 $V = 3x^2y - 3y^2z + 4z^2$  V/m<sup>3</sup>. The electric field at the point P(1,0,2) is

- A)  $E = 0$
- B)  $E = -12i - 3j - 16k$  N/C
- C)  $E = -12i + 9j + 4k$  N/C
- D)  $E = -16i + 5j$  N/C
- E)  $E = -12i - 3j + 12k$  N/C

$$E_x = 6xy - 3y^2z + 4z^2 \quad z=2 \rightarrow 16$$

$$E_y = 3x^2 - 6yz + \dots = -3$$

$$E_z = -3y^2 + 8xz = 0$$

10. A charged oil drop with a mass of  $8.0 \times 10^{-3}$  kg is held suspended by an upward electric field of 200 N/C. The charge on the drop is:

- A)  $+2 \times 10^{-4}$  C
- B)  $+2.5 \times 10^{-4}$  C
- C)  $+4 \times 10^{-4}$  C
- D)  $-2.5 \times 10^{-4}$  C
- E)  $-4 \times 10^{-4}$  C

$$8 \times 10^{-3} \times 10 = q \cdot E$$

$$8 \times 10^{-2} = q \cdot 200$$

11. The flux of the electric field  $(4i + 5j + 8k)$  N/C through a  $4.0 \text{ m}^2$  portion of the xy plane is:

- A)  $24 \text{ N} \cdot \text{m}^2/\text{C}$
- B)  $16 \text{ N} \cdot \text{m}^2/\text{C}$
- C)  $32 \text{ N} \cdot \text{m}^2/\text{C}$
- D)  $20 \text{ N} \cdot \text{m}^2/\text{C}$
- E)  $64 \text{ N} \cdot \text{m}^2/\text{C}$



12. An alpha particle has a mass of  $6.54 \times 10^{-27}$  kg and a charge  $+2e$  is released from rest in a uniform electric field of magnitude  $4.00 \times 10^4$  N/C. The acceleration of the particle in  $\text{m/s}^2$  is:

- A)  $1.93 \times 10^{12}$
- B)  $3.86 \times 10^{12}$
- C)  $0.48 \times 10^{12}$
- D)  $0.96 \times 10^{12}$
- E)  $2.41 \times 10^{12}$

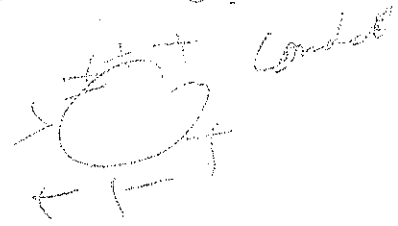
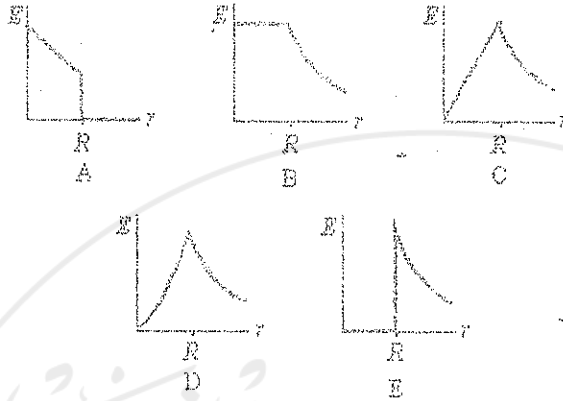
$$ma = q \times 10^4 \times 2 \times 1.6 \times 10^{-19}$$

$$6.54 \times 10^{-27} \cdot a = 12.8 \times 10^{-15}$$

$$a = \frac{12.8 \times 10^{-15}}{6.54 \times 10^{-27}}$$

$\times 10^{12}$

15. Which of the following graphs represents the magnitude of the electric field as a function of the distance from the center of a solid charged conducting sphere of radius  $R$ ?



- a. A
- b. B
- c. C
- d. D
- e. E

16. Charge of uniform linear density ( $4.0 \text{ nC/m}$ ) is distributed along an infinite thin wire placed on the x-axis. Determine the magnitude of the electric field on the y axis at  $y = 2.5 \text{ m}$ .

- a.  $36 \text{ N/C}$
- b.  $29 \text{ N/C}$
- c.  $43 \text{ N/C}$
- d.  $50 \text{ N/C}$
- e.  $58 \text{ N/C}$

$$E = \frac{\lambda}{2\pi\epsilon_0 y} = \frac{4}{2(3.14)2.5} \quad \lambda = \frac{q}{h}$$

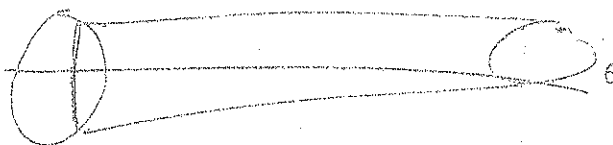
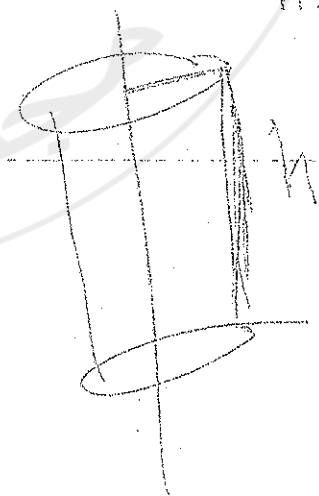
$$E = \frac{\lambda k}{\epsilon_0} = \frac{7k}{\epsilon_0}$$

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$$E = \frac{\lambda}{2\pi\epsilon_0 y}$$

0.287

1.25



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Answer Sheet

Q#	A	B	C	D	E
1	A	X			
2	E	X			
3	A	X			
4	C	X			
5	E	X			
6	B	✓			
7	B	X			
8	B	X			
9	D	✓			
10	B	✓			
11	A	X			
12	B	X			
13	A	X			
14	A	X			
15	D	✓			
16	B	✓			
17	B	X			
18	D	X			
19	E	X			
20	B	X			

Ch 5: electric current  
 Ch 6: electric circuit

test bank

Q1. At a certain distance from a charged particle, the magnitude of the electric field is 500 V/m and the electric potential is -3 kV. The electric charge on the particle is:

- (A) 2  $\mu\text{C}$
- B. 4  $\mu\text{C}$
- C. -2  $\mu\text{C}$
- D. 0.5  $\mu\text{C}$
- E. 6  $\mu\text{C}$

$E = \frac{kq}{r^2}$   
 $V = -\int E \cdot ds$   
 $V = -\frac{kq}{r} \Rightarrow +3 \times 10^3 = +500 \cdot r$   
 $r = 166.6 \text{ m}$

$q = ?$   
 $E = \frac{kq}{r^2}$

Q2. An electron is moving in a circular path around a long, uniformly charged wire carrying  $\lambda = 2.5 \text{ nC/m}$ . the speed of the electron is:

$F = ma$   
 $\frac{mv^2}{r} = \frac{kq_1q_2}{r^2}$

- A.  $2.8 \times 10^6 \text{ m/s}$
- B.  $1.4 \times 10^6 \text{ m/s}$
- C.  $2.8 \times 10^4 \text{ m/s}$
- D.  $2 \times 10^6 \text{ m/s}$
- (E)  $5.6 \times 10^6 \text{ m/s}$

$v^2 = v_0^2 + 2ax$   
 $v_f = v_0 + at$   
 $\Delta x = v_0t + \frac{1}{2}at^2$   
 $F_g + F_e = \frac{mev^2}{r}$



Q3. A spherical charge distribution of radius R is given by  $\rho = \rho_0 r^2/R^2$ , where r is the radial distance and  $\rho$  is the volume charge density. The total charge is:

- (A)  $4\pi\rho_0 R^3/3$
- B.  $4\pi\rho_0 R^2/5$
- C.  $4\pi\rho_0 r^5/5R^2R$
- D.  $\rho_0 R^3/5$
- E.  $4\pi\rho_0 R^3/5$

$\rho = \frac{\rho_0 r^2}{R^2}$

charge density =  $\frac{\text{charge (q)}}{\text{volume}}$

$\rho_0 r^2 \int \frac{1}{R^2} dr$

$\int \left( \frac{\rho_0 r^2}{R^2} \right) dr$

$\frac{1}{R^2} R^{-2+1}$   
 $\frac{1}{R} \frac{-1}{-1}$   
 $-\frac{1}{R}$

$\frac{4\pi r^2 \rho_0 r^2}{R^2} \cdot \frac{1}{R}$

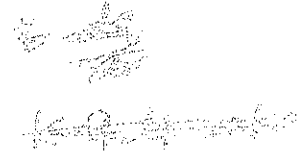
$\frac{d}{dr} \left( \frac{\rho_0 r^3}{3R^2} \right)$

$\frac{\rho_0}{3R^2} \cdot \frac{4\pi r^3}{3} = \frac{4\pi \rho_0 r^3}{9R^2}$



Q4: A small object has charge  $Q$ . Charge  $q$  is removed from it and placed on a second small object. The two objects are placed far apart. For the force that each object exerts on the other to be a maximum  $q$  should be:

- A.  $Q/2$
- B.  $Q/4$
- C.  $Q$
- D.  $Q/3$
- E.  $2Q/3$



Q5: Positive charge  $+Q$  is uniformly distributed on the upper half a semicircular rod of radius  $R$  and negative charge  $-Q$  is uniformly distributed on the lower half. What is the magnitude and direction of the electric field at point  $P$ , the center of the semicircle?

- A.  $Q/(\pi\epsilon_0 R^2)$  and  $\uparrow$
- B.  $Q/(\pi^2\epsilon_0 R^2)$  and  $\downarrow$
- C.  $Q/(\pi^2\epsilon_0 R^2)$  and  $\leftarrow$
- D.  $Q/(4\pi\epsilon_0 R^2)$  and  $\downarrow$



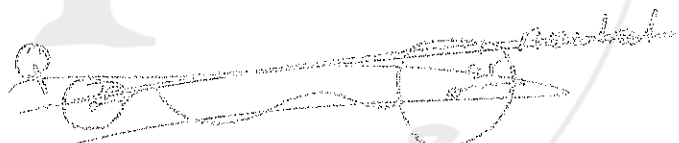
E. 0

$$E = EQ \cos \theta + EQ \cos \theta = 0$$

$$E_R = E \sin \theta + E \sin \theta$$

Q6: Two conducting spheres are far apart. The smaller sphere carries a total charge  $Q$ . The larger sphere has a radius that is twice that of the smaller and is neutral. After the two spheres are connected by a conducting wire, the charges on the smaller and larger spheres, respectively, are:

- A.  $Q/2$  and  $Q/2$
- B.  $Q/3$  and  $2Q/3$
- C.  $2Q/3$  and  $Q/3$
- D. zero and  $Q$
- E.  $2Q$  and  $-Q$



$$k \frac{Q}{r^2} = k \frac{q}{(2r)^2}$$

$$\frac{Q}{r^2} = \frac{q}{4r^2} \quad [Q=0]$$

$$Q = \frac{1}{4} q \quad \leftarrow k \frac{Q}{r^2}$$

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~~$Q_1 = Q_2 = q$~~

~~$Q_1 = Q_2 = q = 0$~~

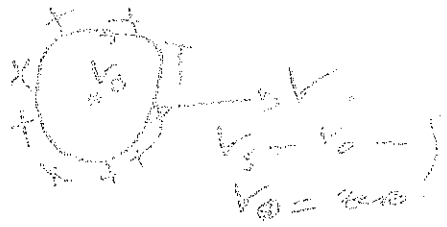
~~$q(Q - 1) = 0$~~

~~$k \frac{(Q - q)q}{r^2} = k \frac{q}{r^2}$~~

~~$F_1 = k \frac{(Q - q)q}{r^2}$~~

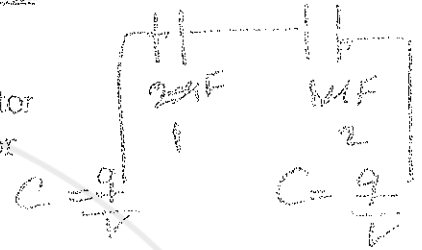
Q7. A hollow conducting sphere is charged to a potential  $V$ . The potential at its center is:

- A.  $2V$
- B.  $V$**
- C.  $-V$
- D.  $2V$
- E.  $V$



Q8. A  $2\text{-}\mu\text{F}$  and a  $1\text{-}\mu\text{F}$  capacitor are connected in series and a potential difference is applied across the combination. The  $2\text{-}\mu\text{F}$  capacitor has:

- A. twice the charge of the  $1\text{-}\mu\text{F}$  capacitor
- B. half the charge of the  $1\text{-}\mu\text{F}$  capacitor**
- C. twice the potential difference of the  $1\text{-}\mu\text{F}$  capacitor
- D. half the potential difference of the  $1\text{-}\mu\text{F}$  capacitor
- E. none of the above



Q9. Three  $10\mu\text{C}$  charges, initially far apart, are brought into a line where they are spaced by  $100\mu\text{m}$  intervals. The work required to assemble this charge distribution is:

- A. Zero
- B.  $50\text{ J}$
- C.  $9 \times 10^3\text{ J}$
- D.  $4.5 \times 10^4\text{ J}$**
- E.  $2.25 \times 10^4\text{ J}$



work =  $0 + q_2 V_{\text{from } 1} + q_3 V_{\text{from } 1} + V_{\text{from } 2}$

**D.  $4.5 \times 10^4\text{ J}$**  =  $0 + 10 \left( \frac{kq_1}{r_{12}} \right) + 10 \left( \frac{kq_1}{r_{13}} \right) + \left( \frac{kq_2}{r_{23}} \right)$   
 $8.99 \times 10^9 + 10 \left( 4.496 \times 10^{10} \right) + \left( 8.99 \times 10^9 \right)$

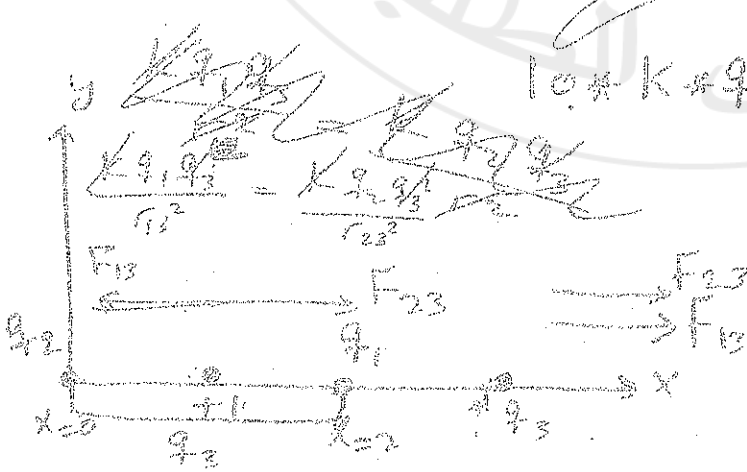
Q10. Three point charges lie along the x axis. The positive charge  $q_1 = 15\mu\text{C}$  is at  $x = -2\text{ m}$ , the positive charge  $q_2 = 6\mu\text{C}$  is at the origin, and the net electrostatic force on  $q_3$  is zero. The position of  $q_3$  is:

- A.  $0.500\text{ m}$
- B.  $0.775\text{ m}$**
- C.  $-0.775\text{ m}$
- D.  $2.775\text{ m}$
- E.  $-0.500\text{ m}$

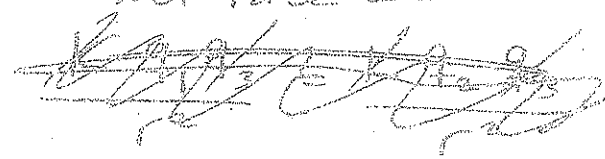
~~Force = 0~~

$15/r_{13}^2 = 6/r_{23}^2$   
 $\frac{15}{r_{13}^2} = \frac{6}{r_{23}^2}$   
 $r_{23}^2 = 0.4 r_{13}^2$   
 $r_{23} = 0.63$

$\left( \frac{kq_1}{r_{12}^2} \right) + \left( \frac{kq_1}{r_{13}^2} \right) = \left( \frac{kq_2}{r_{23}^2} \right)$   
 $10 \times k \times q \left( \frac{1}{r_{12}^2} + \frac{1}{r_{13}^2} = \frac{1}{r_{23}^2} \right)$



Net force = 0



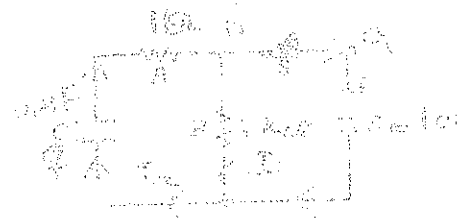
Q11) For the circuit shown if  $R=1\text{ k}\Omega$ ,  $C=10\text{ }\mu\text{F}$ , and  $\mathcal{E}=50\text{ V}$ . If the switch is closed at  $t=0$  s. The charge on the capacitor at  $t=\infty$  is:

- A.  $10\text{ }\mu\text{C}$
- B.  $50\text{ }\mu\text{C}$
- C.  $200\text{ }\mu\text{C}$
- D.  $100\text{ }\mu\text{C}$
- E. None of these

$$q = EC(1 - e^{-t/\tau})$$

$$I_m = \frac{\mathcal{E}}{R} e^{-t/\tau}$$

$$\mathcal{E} - \frac{q}{C} - I_m R = 0$$



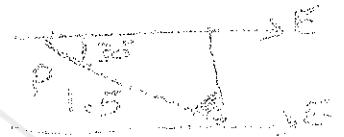
Q12) A dipole with dipole moment  $1.5\text{ nC}\cdot\text{m}$  is oriented at  $30^\circ$  to  $4.0\text{ MN/C}$  electric field. The magnitude of the torque on the dipole is:

- A.  $3 \times 10^{-3}\text{ N}\cdot\text{m}$
- B.  $5.2 \times 10^{-3}\text{ N}\cdot\text{m}$
- C.  $6 \times 10^{-3}\text{ N}\cdot\text{m}$
- D.  $3 \times 10^3\text{ N}\cdot\text{m}$
- E.  $6 \times 10^3\text{ N}\cdot\text{m}$

$$p = 1.5\text{ nC}\cdot\text{m}$$

$$\tau = p \cdot E \cdot \sin\theta$$

$$p \cdot E \cdot \sin 30^\circ$$



Q13) An electric field is given by  $\vec{E} = E_0 \left(1 + \frac{z}{a}\right) \hat{j}$ . Where  $E_0$  and  $a$  are constants. The electric flux through the square in the  $xz$ -plane bounded by the points  $(0,0,0)$ ,  $(0,0,a)$ ,  $(a,0,0)$ ,  $(a,0,a)$  is:

- A. 0
- B.  $3E_0 a^2 / 2$
- C.  $E_0 a^2 / 2$
- D.  $E_0 a^2$
- E. None of the above



Q14) Two conductors are made of the same material and have the same length. Conductor A is a solid wire of diameter  $1.0\text{ mm}$ . Conductor B is a hollow tube of outer diameter  $2.0\text{ mm}$  and inner diameter  $1.0\text{ mm}$ . The ratio of  $R_A/R_B$  is:

- A.  $1/3$
- B. 1
- C. 2
- D. 4
- E. 3

$$r_A = 0.5\text{ mm}$$

$$r_B = 1.5\text{ mm}$$

$$\frac{R_A}{R_B} = \frac{0.5}{1.5}$$



Q15) The electric potential (in Volts) at points in space is given by

$V = x^2 + y^2 + z^{3/2}$ . The magnitude of the electric field (in volts/m) at the point (1m, -2m, 0m) are:

- A.  $(5)^{1/2}$
- B.  $(9)^{1/2}$
- C. Zero
- D.  $(20)^{1/2}$
- E. 6

$$V = x^2 + y^2 + z^{3/2}$$

$$\frac{dV}{dx} = 2x \quad \frac{dV}{dy} = 2y \quad \frac{dV}{dz} = \frac{3}{2}z^{1/2}$$

$$\vec{E} = 2x\hat{i} + 2y\hat{j} + \frac{3}{2}z^{1/2}\hat{k}$$

$$2\hat{i} + -4\hat{j} + 0\hat{k} \quad (\sqrt{4+16} = 2\sqrt{5})$$

Q16) A battery has an emf of 16 V. The terminal voltage of the battery is 12 V when delivering 20 W of power to an external resistor R. The values of R and the internal resistor  $r_{in}$  are:

- A. 6.73  $\Omega$  and 1.97  $\Omega$
- B. 7.2  $\Omega$  and 2.4  $\Omega$
- C. 10  $\Omega$  and 1  $\Omega$
- D. 10  $\Omega$  and 2  $\Omega$
- E. need more information to answer

$$\frac{Q}{t} E R = 20 \text{ watt}$$

$$I(R) = 20 \text{ watt}$$

$$I = 1.667$$

$$\text{Power} = QV = IR$$

Q17) Two concentric imaginary spherical surfaces of radius R and 2R respectively surround a positive point charge Q located at the center of the surfaces. When compared to the electric flux  $\Phi_1$  through the surface of radius R, the electric flux  $\Phi_2$  through the surface of radius 2R is

- A.  $\Phi_2 = \Phi_1/4$
- B.  $\Phi_2 = \Phi_1/2$
- C.  $\Phi_2 = \Phi_1$
- D.  $\Phi_2 = 2\Phi_1$
- E.  $\Phi_2 = 4\Phi_1$



$$\Phi_1 = QEL^2$$

$$\Phi_2 = EL^2$$

$$\frac{\Phi_1}{\Phi_2} = \frac{EK^2}{EL^2} = \frac{R^2}{(2R)^2} = \frac{1}{4}$$

$$\frac{\Phi_1}{\Phi_2} = 2 \quad \Phi_1 = 2\Phi_2$$

198 The sum of the currents entering a junction equals the sum of the currents leaving a junction because

- A. charge is neither created nor destroyed at a junction
- B. there are no transformations of energy from one type to another in a circuit loop.
- C. capacitors tend to maintain current through them at a constant value.
- D. current is used up when it leaves a junction.
- E. the potential of the nearest battery is the potential at the junction.

199 How much heat is produced in the  $10\text{-}\Omega$  resistor in  $5.0\text{ s}$  when  $\mathcal{E} = 18\text{ V}$

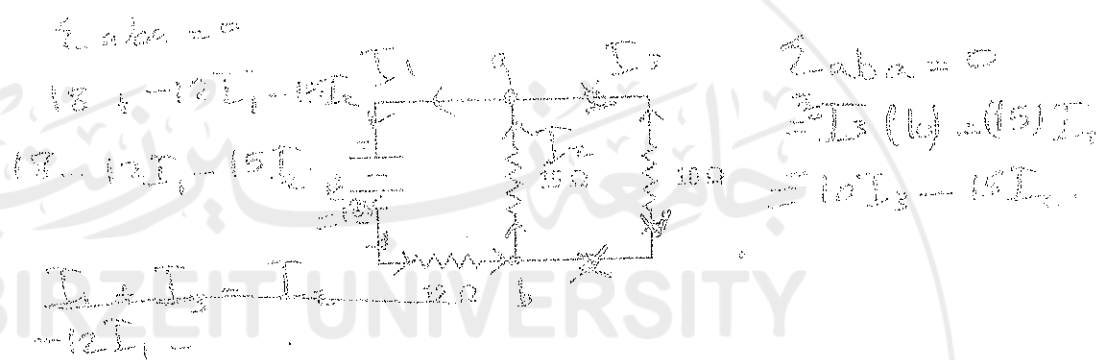
A.  $72\text{ J}$   $\sum i_a i_b = 0$

B.  $32\text{ J}$

C.  $50\text{ J}$

D.  $18\text{ J}$

E.  $90\text{ J}$



200 : A  $10\text{ k}\Omega$  resistor and a capacitor are connected in series and then a  $12\text{ V}$  potential difference is applied across them. The potential across the capacitor rises from zero to  $5\text{ V}$  in  $1.3\text{ }\mu\text{s}$ . The capacitance of the capacitor is:

- A.  $161\text{ }\mu\text{F}$
- B.  $161\text{ pF}$
- C.  $240\text{ pF}$
- D.  $90\text{ }\mu\text{F}$
- E.  $40\text{ pF}$

