

Assignment 2

1. Lorentz Force $\vec{F} = q \left(\frac{\vec{v}}{c} \times \vec{B} + \vec{E} \right)$.

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\therefore magnetic field alone $\Rightarrow \vec{F}_M = q \frac{\vec{v}}{c} \times \vec{B}$.

Work done by \vec{F}_M when charge moves displacement $\vec{v} dt$ is $dW = \vec{F}_M \cdot \vec{v} dt$
 $= 0$.

\therefore magnetic fields do no work since $\vec{F}_M \perp \vec{v}$.

2. We must solve $\nabla \cdot (\vec{A} + \nabla \chi) = 0$ for χ .

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$$\nabla \cdot \vec{A} + \nabla^2 \chi = 0.$$

$$\nabla^2 \chi = -\nabla \cdot \vec{A} \quad (1)$$

Recall Poisson's eqn. $\nabla^2 \Phi = -4\pi\rho$

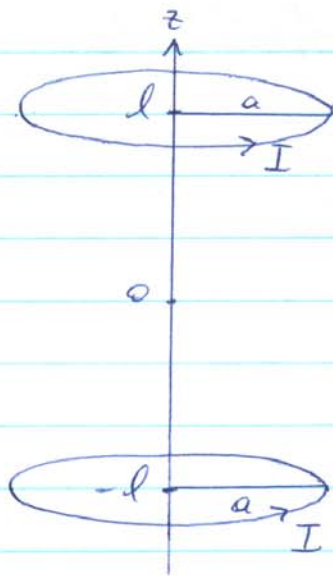
$$\Rightarrow \Phi(\vec{r}) = \int \frac{\rho(\vec{r}') d^3 r'}{|\vec{r} - \vec{r}'|}$$

Similarly we can solve (1) if we replace Φ by χ and ρ by $\frac{\nabla \cdot \vec{A}}{4\pi}$.

$$\therefore \chi(\vec{r}) = \frac{1}{4\pi} \int \frac{\nabla' \cdot \vec{A}(\vec{r}') d^3 r'}{|\vec{r} - \vec{r}'|}$$

where $\nabla' = \left(\frac{\partial}{\partial x'}, \frac{\partial}{\partial y'}, \frac{\partial}{\partial z'} \right)$.

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a) Field along z axis due to coil at origin is

$$\vec{B}(0, 0, z) = \frac{2\pi I a^2}{c (a^2 + z^2)^{3/2}} \hat{z}.$$

Field due to coil 1 at $z = -l$ is:

$$\vec{B}_1(0, 0, z) = \frac{2\pi I a^2}{c [a^2 + (z+l)^2]^{3/2}} \hat{z}.$$

Field due to coil 2 at $z = +l$ is:

$$\vec{B}_2(0, 0, z) = \frac{2\pi I a^2}{c [a^2 + (z-l)^2]^{3/2}} \hat{z}$$

\therefore field of both coils on z axis is

$$\vec{B}(0, 0, z) = \vec{B}_1(0, 0, z) + \vec{B}_2(0, 0, z)$$

$$= \frac{2\pi I a^2}{c} \left\{ [a^2 + (z+l)^2]^{-3/2} + [a^2 + (z-l)^2]^{-3/2} \right\} \hat{z}$$

$$b) \quad \vec{B}(0, 0, z) = \hat{z} B(z)$$

$$B(z) = B(0) + z \left. \frac{dB}{dz} \right|_0 + \frac{z^2}{2} \left. \frac{d^2B}{dz^2} \right|_0 + \frac{z^3}{3} \left. \frac{d^3B}{dz^3} \right|_0 + \dots$$

But due to reflection symmetry about the $x y$ plane (containing $z=0$) we require

$$B(z) = B(-z) \Rightarrow \left. \frac{dB}{dz} \right|_0 = \left. \frac{d^3B}{dz^3} \right|_0 = \dots = 0.$$

$$c) \quad \frac{dB}{dz} = \frac{2\pi I a^2}{c} \left\{ \begin{aligned} &-\frac{3}{2} z(z+l) \left[a^2 + (z+l)^2 \right]^{-5/2} \\ &-\frac{3}{2} z \cdot (z-l) \left[a^2 + (z-l)^2 \right]^{-5/2} \end{aligned} \right\}$$

$$= -\frac{6\pi I a^2}{c} \left\{ (z+l) \left[a^2 + (z+l)^2 \right]^{-5/2} + (z-l) \left[a^2 + (z-l)^2 \right]^{-5/2} \right\}$$

$$\frac{d^2B}{dz^2} = -\frac{6\pi I a^2}{c} \left\{ \begin{aligned} &\left[a^2 + (z+l)^2 \right]^{-5/2} - \frac{5}{2} z \cdot (z+l)^2 \left[a^2 + (z+l)^2 \right]^{-7/2} \\ &+ \left[a^2 + (z-l)^2 \right]^{-5/2} - \frac{5}{2} z (z-l)^2 \left[a^2 + (z-l)^2 \right]^{-7/2} \end{aligned} \right\}$$

$$\left. \frac{d^2B}{dz^2} \right|_{z=0} = -\frac{6\pi I a^2}{c} \left\{ 2 \cdot \left[a^2 + l^2 \right]^{-5/2} - 10 l^2 \left[a^2 + l^2 \right]^{-7/2} \right\}$$

$$0 = \left. \frac{d^2B}{dz^2} \right|_{z=0} \Rightarrow 0 = 2 \left[a^2 + l^2 \right]^{-5/2} - 10 l^2 \left[a^2 + l^2 \right]^{-7/2}$$

$$= a^2 + l^2 - 5 l^2.$$

$$0 = a^2 - 4d^2.$$

$$\therefore a = 2d.$$

Hence if $a = 2d$, $B(z) = B(0) + O(z^4)$.

$$\text{d) charge of electron} = 4.8 \times 10^{-10} \text{ esu} \\ = 1.6 \times 10^{-19} \text{ Coul.}$$

$$\therefore 1.6 \times 10^{-19} \text{ Coul} = 4.8 \times 10^{-10} \text{ esu.}$$

$$1 \text{ Coul} = 3 \times 10^9 \text{ esu.}$$

$$1 \text{ amp} = 3 \times 10^9 \text{ esu/sec.}$$

$$\therefore I (\text{amps}), 3 \times 10^9 = I (\text{esu/sec}).$$

$$I (\text{amp}), \frac{3 \times 10^9}{3 \times 10^{10}} = \frac{I (\text{esu/sec})}{3 \times 10^{10}}.$$

$$\therefore \frac{I (\text{amps})}{10} = \frac{I (\text{esu/sec})}{c}$$

ii) From part a we find:

$$\vec{B}(0,0,0) = \hat{z} \frac{2\pi I a^2}{c} \left\{ 2 \left[a^2 + d^2 \right]^{-3/2} \right\}$$

Helmholtz Condition is $a = 2d$.

$$\vec{B}(0,0,0) = \hat{z} \frac{2\pi I a^2}{c} 2 \left(a^2 + \frac{a^2}{4} \right)^{-3/2} \\ = \hat{z} \frac{4\pi I a^2}{c} \frac{1}{a^3} \left(\frac{5}{4} \right)^{-3/2}$$

$$\vec{B}(0,0,0) = \hat{z} \frac{4\pi I}{ac} \left(\frac{4}{5}\right)^{3/2}$$

$$= \hat{z} \frac{32\pi}{5^{3/2}} \frac{I}{ac}$$

For Helmholtz coil with N turns

$$\vec{B}(0,0,0) = \hat{z} \frac{32\pi}{5^{3/2}} \frac{NI}{ac} \quad (1)$$

We are given I in amps. But I in above formula is in esu/sec. But $\frac{I(\text{esu/sec})}{c} = \frac{I(\text{amps})}{10}$

$$\therefore \vec{B}(0,0,0) = \hat{z} \frac{32\pi}{5^{3/2}} \frac{N}{a} \frac{I(\text{amps})}{10}$$

$$= \hat{z} \frac{32\pi}{5^{3/2}} \frac{50}{30\text{cm}} \frac{20\text{amps}}{10}$$

$$= \hat{z} \frac{32\pi}{5^{3/2}} \frac{1000}{300}$$

$\therefore \vec{B}(0,0,0) = 30 \hat{z}$ gauss is field at center of coil.

iii) $B_{\text{Earth}} \approx 0.5$ gauss.

$$(1) \Rightarrow \frac{I}{c} = \frac{5^{3/2}}{32\pi} B(0) \frac{a}{N}$$

$$\frac{I(\text{amps})}{10} = \frac{5^{3/2}}{32\pi} B(0)(\text{gauss}) \frac{a(\text{cm})}{(N \text{ turns})}$$

$$\therefore I (\text{amps}) = 10 \frac{5^{3/2}}{32\pi} \frac{1 \text{ gauss}}{2} \frac{30 \text{ cm}}{50 \text{ turns}}$$

$$= \frac{1}{3} \text{ amp.}$$

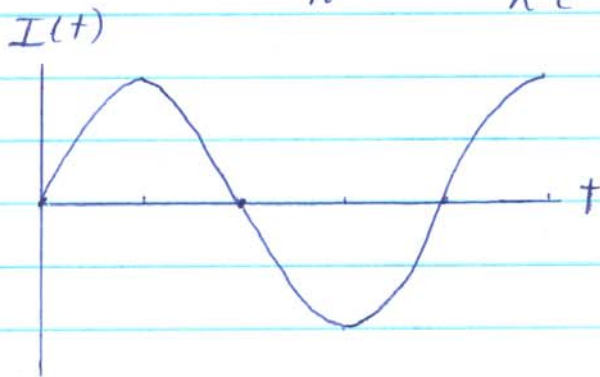
One would need to be careful that direction of field opposes \vec{B}_{Earth} rather than adding to it!

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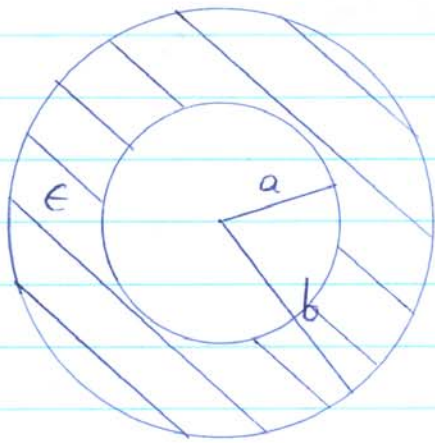
b) Voltage $\mathcal{E} = \left| -\frac{1}{c} \frac{d\Phi}{dt} \right|$

$$= \frac{BA\omega}{c} \sin \omega t.$$

c) Current $I = \frac{\mathcal{E}}{R} = \frac{BA\omega}{Rc} \sin \omega t$.



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First we find \vec{D} using $\int_S \vec{D} \cdot d\vec{a} = 4\pi \int_V \rho_{\text{free}} dV.$

By symmetry $\vec{D} = D(r) \hat{r}.$

$$\therefore \int_S \vec{D} \cdot d\vec{a} = D(r) \int_S da = D(r) 4\pi r^2.$$

surface of sphere of radius r

$$r < a. \quad D(r) 4\pi r^2 = 0 \quad (\text{No charge inside conductor})$$

$$D(r) = 0.$$

$$r > a \quad D(r) 4\pi r^2 = 4\pi Q$$

$$\vec{D}(r) = \frac{Q}{r^2} \hat{r}.$$

Next we find electric field.

$$r < a \quad \vec{E} = 0.$$

$$a < r < b \quad \vec{E} = \frac{\vec{D}}{\epsilon} = \frac{Q}{\epsilon r^2} \hat{r}.$$

$$r > b \quad \vec{E} = \frac{\vec{D}}{\epsilon} = \frac{Q}{r^2} \hat{r}.$$

Next we find Polarization.

$$r < a \quad \vec{P} = 0.$$

$$\begin{aligned} a < r < b \quad \vec{P} &= \frac{\vec{D} - \vec{E}}{4\pi} = (\epsilon - 1) \frac{\vec{E}}{4\pi} \\ &= \frac{\epsilon - 1}{4\pi\epsilon} \frac{Q}{r^2} \hat{r} \end{aligned}$$

$$r > b \quad \vec{P} = 0.$$

a) bound surface ^{charge} density at $r = a$ is

$$\begin{aligned} \sigma_b(r=a) &= \vec{P} \Big|_{r=a} \cdot (-\hat{r}) \\ &= - \frac{(\epsilon - 1)}{4\pi\epsilon} \frac{Q}{a^2} \end{aligned}$$

bound surface charge density at $r = b$ is

$$\begin{aligned} \sigma_b(r=b) &= \vec{P} \Big|_{r=b} \cdot \hat{r} \\ &= \frac{\epsilon - 1}{4\pi\epsilon} \frac{Q}{b^2} \end{aligned}$$

One can check that total induced charge is 0.

$$b) \quad \Phi(0) - \Phi(\infty) = - \int_{\infty}^0 \vec{E} \cdot d\vec{l}$$

For convenience pick path $d\vec{l} = dr \hat{r}$.

$$\begin{aligned} \Phi(0) &= - \left\{ \int_{\infty}^b \frac{Q}{r^2} dr + \int_b^a \frac{Q}{\epsilon r^2} dr + \int_a^0 0 dr \right\} \\ &= - \left\{ \left[-\frac{Q}{r} \right]_{\infty}^b + \left[-\frac{Q}{\epsilon r} \right]_b^a \right\} \end{aligned}$$

$$= - \left\{ -\frac{Q}{b} - \frac{Q}{\epsilon a} + \frac{Q}{\epsilon b} \right\}$$

$$\Phi(0) = Q \left(\frac{1}{b} + \frac{1}{\epsilon} \left(\frac{1}{a} - \frac{1}{b} \right) \right)$$

check: if $\epsilon = 1 \Rightarrow \Phi(0) = \frac{Q}{a}$.

$$6. \quad \nabla \cdot \vec{J}_{\text{free}} = \nabla \cdot \left\{ \frac{c}{4\pi} \left[\nabla \times \vec{H} - \frac{1}{c} \frac{d\vec{D}}{dt} \right] \right\}$$

$$= -\frac{1}{4\pi} \frac{d}{dt} (\nabla \cdot \vec{D})$$

$$= -\frac{1}{4\pi} \frac{d}{dt} (4\pi \rho_{\text{free}})$$

$$\nabla \cdot \vec{J}_{\text{free}} = -\frac{d\rho_{\text{free}}}{dt}$$

\Rightarrow continuity eqn. is satisfied.

$$7. \quad \nabla \cdot \vec{E} = 4\pi \rho \quad \int_S \vec{E} \cdot d\vec{a} = 4\pi \int_V \rho dV.$$

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Flux of electric field coming out of a unit volume is 4π times charges inside unit vol.

$$\nabla \cdot \vec{B} = 0 \quad \int_S \vec{B} \cdot d\vec{a} = 0$$

Flux of magnetic field out of any closed surface is 0. i.e. no magnetic monopoles.

$$\nabla \times \vec{E} = -\frac{1}{c} \frac{\partial \vec{B}}{\partial t} \quad \oint \vec{E} \cdot d\vec{l} = -\frac{1}{c} \frac{\partial}{\partial t} \int_S \vec{B} \cdot d\vec{a}$$

A changing magnetic field creates a rotating electric field. Faraday Law

$$\nabla \times \vec{B} = \frac{4\pi}{c} \vec{J} + \frac{1}{c} \frac{\partial \vec{E}}{\partial t} \quad \oint \vec{B} \cdot d\vec{l} = \frac{4\pi}{c} \int_S \vec{J} \cdot d\vec{a} + \frac{1}{c} \frac{\partial}{\partial t} \int_S \vec{E} \cdot d\vec{a}$$

The second term $\frac{1}{c} \frac{\partial \vec{E}}{\partial t}$ is called the displacement current term. We see that it creates a rotating magnetic field from a changing electric field. The first term $\frac{4\pi}{c} \vec{J}$ creates a magnetic field due to a current-

This is called Ampere's Law.