

Summary Page week 1

charges + - opposite attract like repel

Cancelation/screening

$$\mathbf{F} = \frac{k Q_1 Q_2}{r^2} \quad \text{Coulombs Law}$$

vector sum of forces

Superposition Principle – solution (A+B)= solution (A)+ solution (B)

$$\vec{\mathbf{E}} = \frac{\vec{\mathbf{F}}}{q_T} \quad \text{Electric field} \quad q_T (+ \text{ test charge})$$

E Field Lines

E Field behavior in/at-surface-of metals

$$\sum_{\text{surf}} \mathbf{E}_{\perp} \Delta A = \frac{q_{\text{inside}}}{\epsilon_0} \quad \text{Gausses' Law} \quad k = \frac{1}{4\pi \epsilon_0}$$

Electrostatics (stationary charges)

Back drop Newton's famous work on gravity

- attractive force at a distance

$$F = G(m_1 m_2) / R^2$$

electrostatic forces

• sometimes attractive !

sometimes repulsive !

du Fay 1733 — 2 kinds of electricity

*rubbed amber

-

*rubbed glass

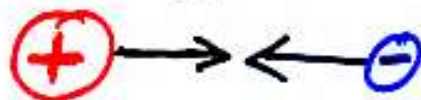
+

Ben. Franklin assigned
opposite signs to 2 types

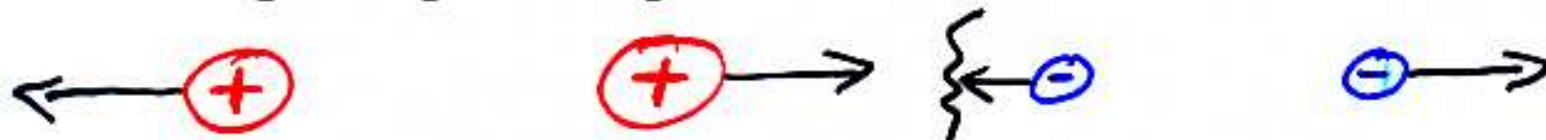
of electricity !!

• + & - charges leads to attractive & repulsive forces

unlike charges attract (attractive force)



like charges repel (repulsive force)



• + & - charges leads to notion of "cancellation"

{!!! charge does not disappear !! }



charge close together "screen" or hide each others presence

• quantity of charge Q [measured in Coulomb = C]

Millikan Oil drop experiment (1906)

added small charges to oil drop & found smallest units of Q

$$Q(\text{electron, } e^-) = -1.6 (10)^{-19} \text{ C}$$

$$Q(\text{proton, } p^+) = +1.6 (10)^{-19} \text{ C}$$

Actually 1 C is huge

usually use $(10)^{-6} \text{ C} = 1 \mu \text{ C}$

micro coulomb

Examples

F = force on q_1 (due to q_2)

q_1
-6 C

F = force on q_2 (due to q_1)

q_2
+4 C

F = F by Newton's 3rd Law (and later, Coulomb's Law)

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q_1
+6 C

q_2
+4 C

F = force on q_2 (due to q_1)

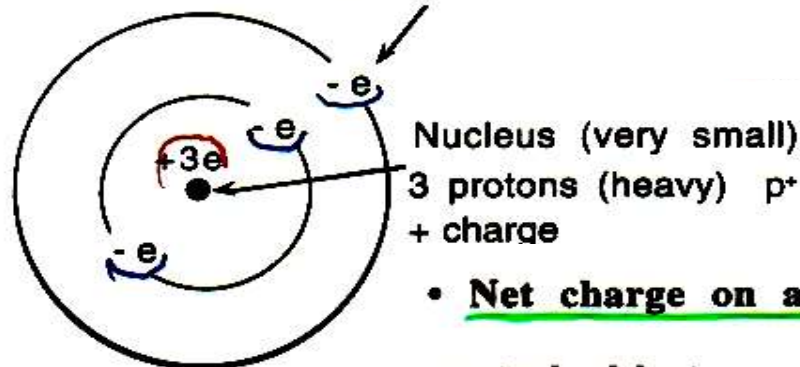
Note: forces along straight line between charges

- All matter contains + & - charges : organized in Atoms

Atoms

Example Li

electrons (light) e^-
- charge
in orbits



e^- = charge on electron & proton
= smallest unit of charge
= $1.6 (10)^{-19}$ Coulombs (C)

Where does charge come from?

- Net charge on an object ("cancellation")

$$Q_{net} = Q_{e^-} + Q_{p^+}$$

neutral object

$$Q_{net} = 0$$

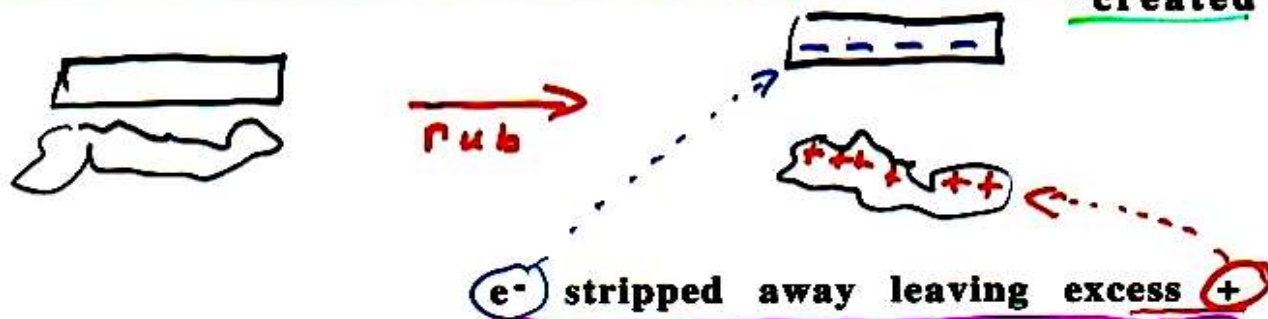
+ charged object

more protons

- charged object

more electrons

- when + & - charges become separated & charge on object "created"



- Conservation of charge

The total charge of an isolated system can not change.

charge can be moved around but sum is constant.

Electrostatic force

2 point charges



q_1

Coulomb's Law

$$\mathbf{F} = k \frac{q_1 q_2}{r^2} = \frac{1}{4\pi \epsilon_0} \frac{q_1 q_2}{r^2}$$



q_2

$$k = 8.99 (10)^9 \frac{\text{Nm}^2}{\text{C}^2}$$

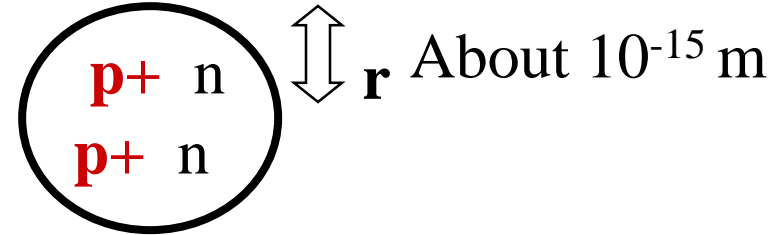
$$\epsilon_0 = 8.85 (10)^{-12} \frac{\text{C}^2}{\text{Nm}^2}$$

- Force depends on magnitude of both charges ($q_1 q_2$ like $m_1 m_2$ in Newton's Gravity)
- Force decreases with distance like $1/r^2$ (again like Newton's Gravity)
- Force acts along straight line between point charges (again like Newton's Gravity)
- Force very big 10^{39} bigger than Gravity

Note: $1e^- \longrightarrow -1.6 (10)^{-19} \text{ C}$

or $1\text{C} \longrightarrow 6.3 (10)^{18} e^-$

Consider the He nucleus:



What is the repulsion force between protons?

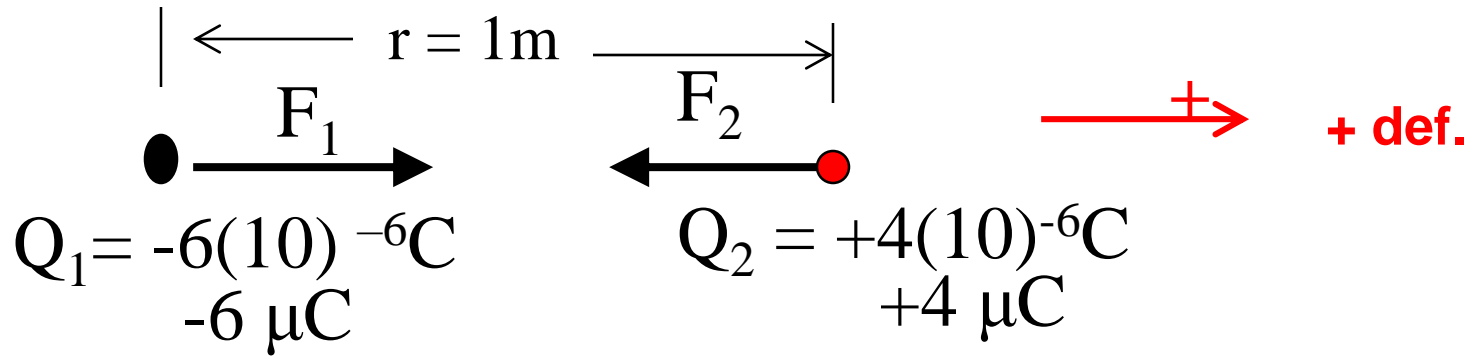
$$F = \frac{k q^2}{r^2} = \frac{8.99 (10)^9 [1.6 (10)^{-19}]^2}{(10^{-15})^2} \left[\frac{\text{Nm}^2}{\text{C}^2} \right] \left[\frac{\text{C}^2}{\text{m}^2} \right]$$

$F \sim 230 \text{ N}$ repulsive

Strong nuclear force (see end of sem.) balances this repulsion.

Example

Forces and directions on Q_1 & Q_2



$$F = \frac{kQ_1Q_2}{r^2} = \frac{9(10)^9 \left[6(10)^{-6} \right] \left[4(10)^{-6} \right]}{1^2} \quad \frac{\text{Nm}^2}{\text{C}^2} \frac{\text{CC}}{\text{m}^2}$$

$= 216(10)^{-3}\text{N}$ in magnitude **signs come from + definition**

$F_1 = F_{\text{on1 due to 2}} = +.216\text{N}$ (attractive = toward other charge)

$F_2 = F_{\text{on2 due to 1}} = -.216\text{N}$ (attractive = toward other [1] charge)

Force reaction force pair NEWTON's 3rd LAW

If two one-second collections of 1 Coulomb each were concentrated at points one meter apart, the force between them could be calculated from Coulomb's Law. For this particular case, that calculation becomes

$$F = \frac{(9 \times 10^9 \text{ N} \cdot \text{m}^2 / \text{C}^2)(1\text{C})(1\text{C})}{1\text{m}^2} = 9 \times 10^9 \text{ N}$$

$$F = (9 \times 10^9 \text{ N})(1\text{lb} / 4.45 \text{ N})(1 \text{ ton} / 2000 \text{ lb}) = 1.01 \text{ Million tons!}$$

If two such charges could indeed be concentrated at two points a meter apart, they would move away from each other under the influence of this enormous force, even if they had to rip themselves out of solid steel to do so!

<http://hyperphysics.phy-astr.gsu.edu/hbase/electric/elefor.html#c1>

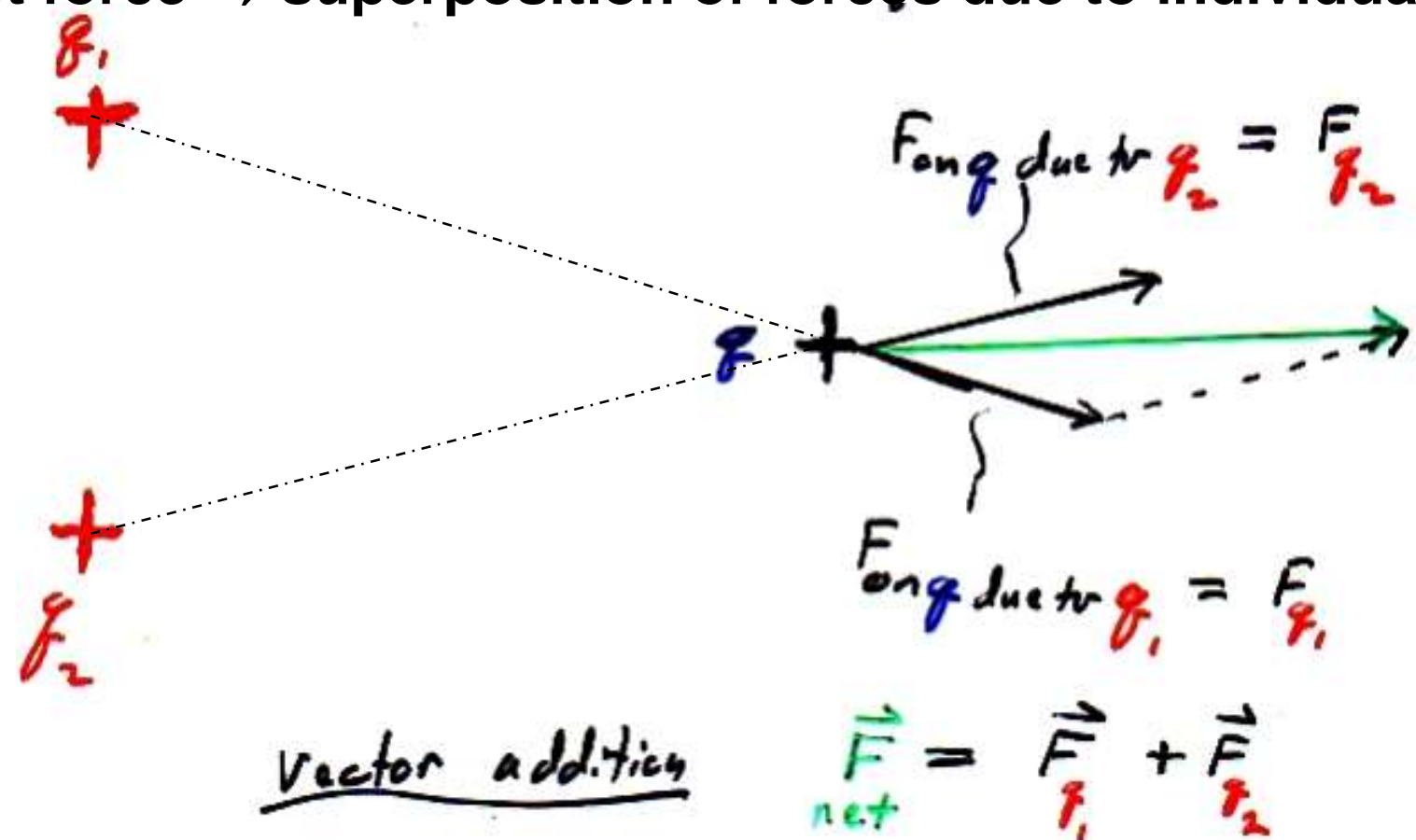
• **Implicit - Superposition Principle** From Newton's Laws
-Force between any 2 point charges - given by Coulombs Law

• To get force on any point charge, Q, due to a collection of other charges {Q1, Q2, Q2, ...}

One adds up Coulombs law forces (like vectors) for pairs Q & Q1, Q & Q2, Q & Q3. ...

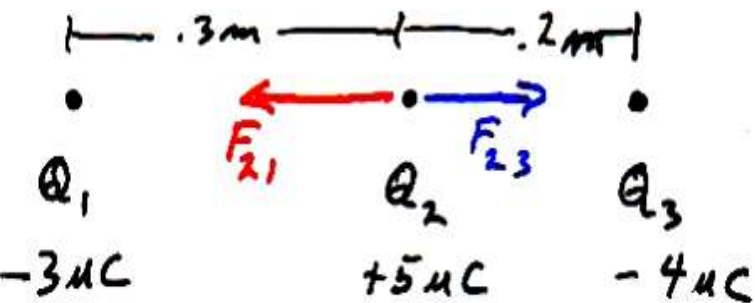
typical charges in the 10^{-6} C = micro C = μ C , range

Net force \rightarrow superposition of forces due to individual charges



Example: 3 co-linear charges

Consider force on Q_2



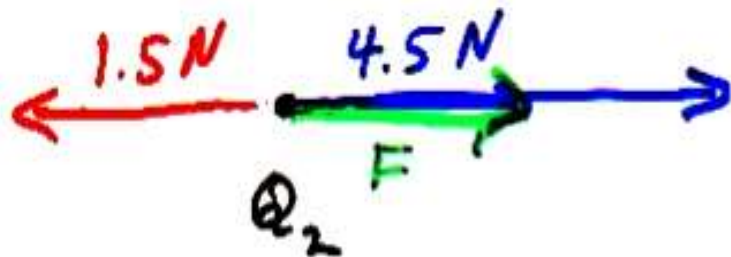
$$F_{23} = \frac{k Q_3 Q_2}{r_{23}^2} = \frac{9(10)^9 [4(10)^6] [5(10)^6]}{(0.2)^2} \text{ N}$$

$$= \frac{180 (10)^3}{.04} \text{ N} = \boxed{4.5 \text{ N} = F_{23}} \text{ attractive toward 3 to right}$$

$$F_{21} = k \frac{Q_1 Q_2}{r_{12}^2} = \frac{9(10)^9 [3(10)^6] [5(10)^6]}{(0.3)^2} \text{ N}$$

$$= \frac{-135(10)^3}{.09} \text{ N} = \boxed{1.5 \text{ N} = F_{21}} \text{ attractive toward 1 to left}$$

Consider total force F on Q_2



+ direction def.

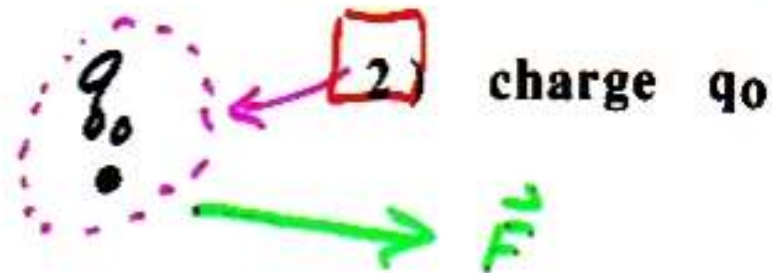
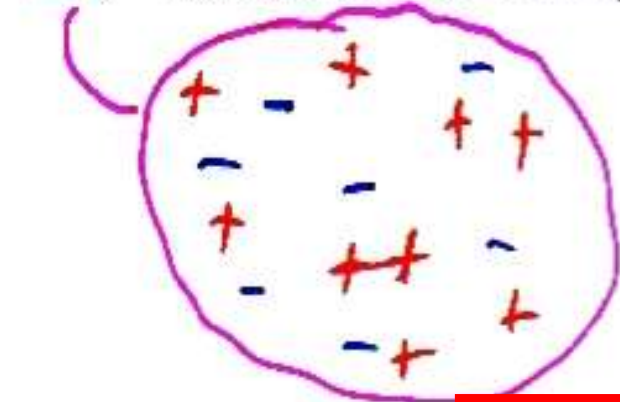


$$F = (+4.5 - 1.5) \text{ N} = +3 \text{ N to right}$$

Electric Field = Force per unit charge

divide universe in 2 parts [we only care about 2) q_0]

1) collection of charges $\{Q_1, Q_2, \dots\}$ exert net force F on



• Define \vec{E}

$$\vec{E} = \frac{\vec{F}}{q_0}$$

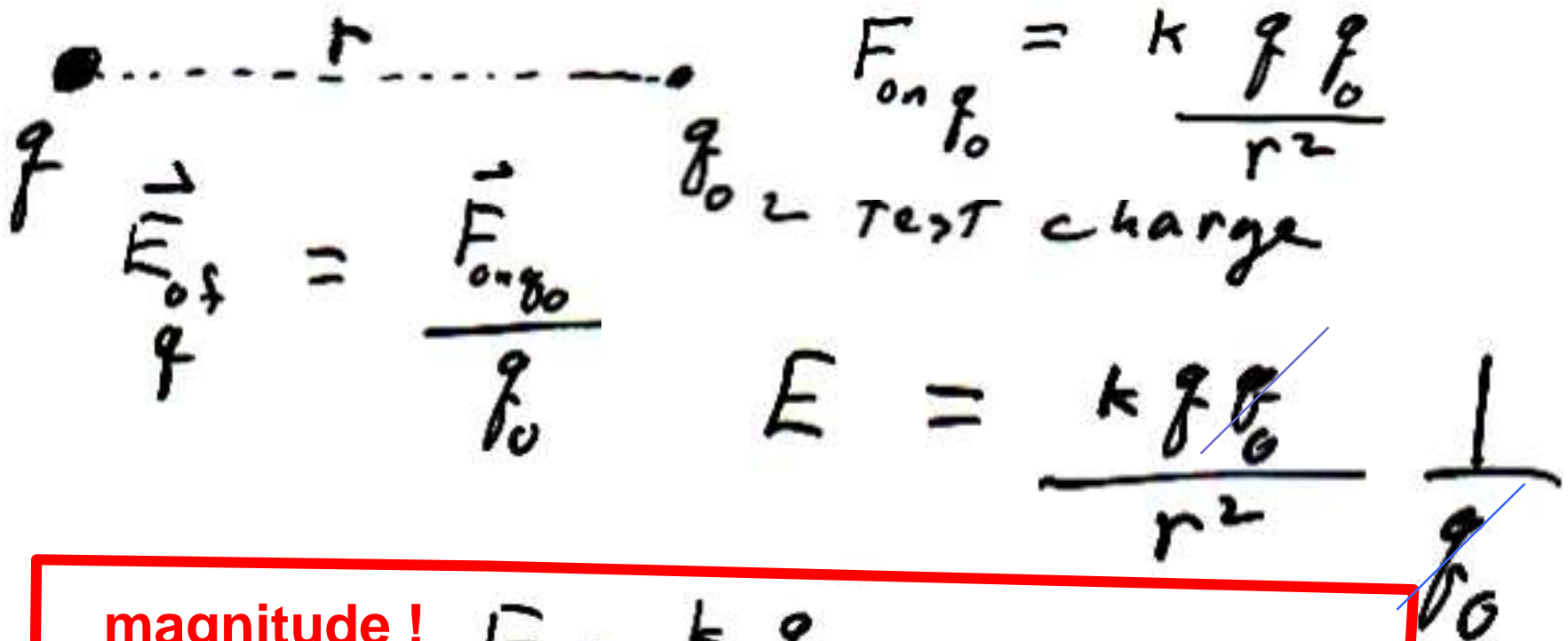
or

$$\vec{F} = q_0 \vec{E}$$

collection of charges create \vec{E} & q_0 comes along and feels \vec{F}

Even if q_0 had not come along the electric field would be sitting there in space waiting for any charge that eventually happened by !!!

Electric field of one point charge



magnitude !

$$E = \frac{k q}{r^2}$$

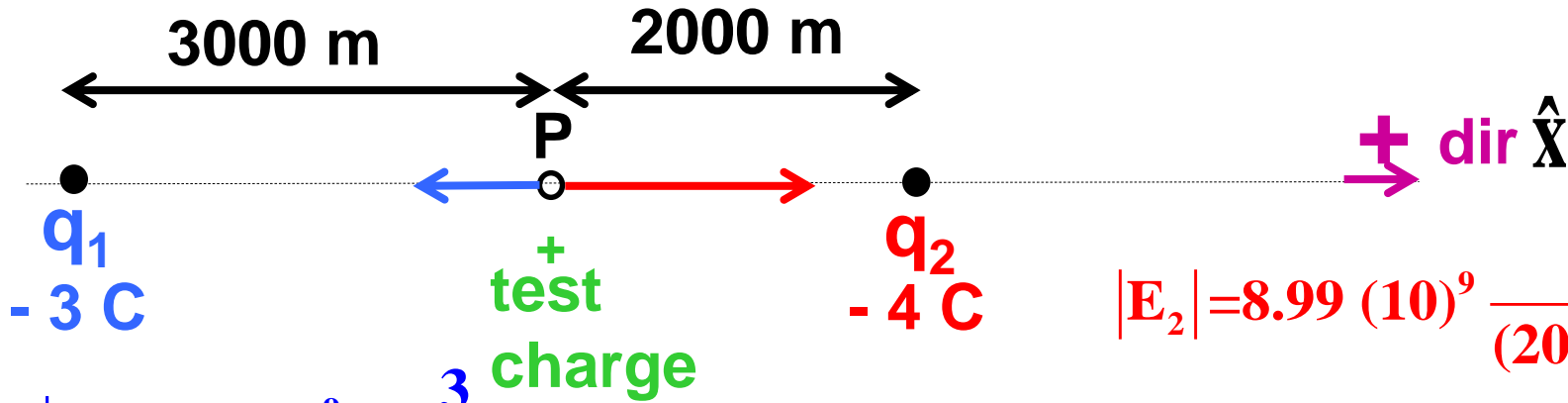
**Direction = direction of force on + test charge !
on straight line between points**

Group of point charges:

add electric fields of point charges like vectors !!

Example: E at point, P, between 2 point charges

$$\mathbf{E} = k \frac{q}{r^2}$$



$$|\mathbf{E}_1| = 8.99 (10)^9 \frac{3}{(3000)^2}$$

$$= 8.99 \cdot \frac{3}{3^2} (10)^3$$

$$\frac{\text{Nm}^2}{\text{C}^2} \frac{\text{C}}{\text{m}^2} = \frac{\text{N}}{\text{C}}$$

$$|\mathbf{E}_2| = 8.99 (10)^9 \frac{4}{(2000)^2}$$

$$= 8.99 \cdot \frac{4}{2^2} (10)^3$$

$$|\mathbf{E}_2| = 8.99 (10)^3 \text{ N/C}$$

$$|\mathbf{E}_1| = 3 (10)^3 \text{ N/C}$$

$$\vec{\mathbf{E}} = \vec{\mathbf{E}}_1 + \vec{\mathbf{E}}_2 = [-|\vec{\mathbf{E}}_1| + |\vec{\mathbf{E}}_2|] \hat{x}$$

$$\vec{\mathbf{E}} = \vec{\mathbf{E}}_1 + \vec{\mathbf{E}}_2 = [-3 + 8.99] (10)^3 \hat{x} \text{ N/C}$$

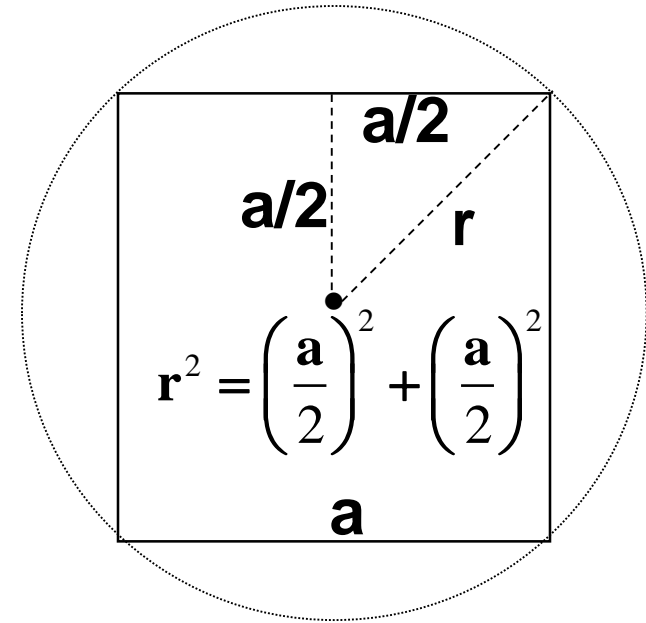
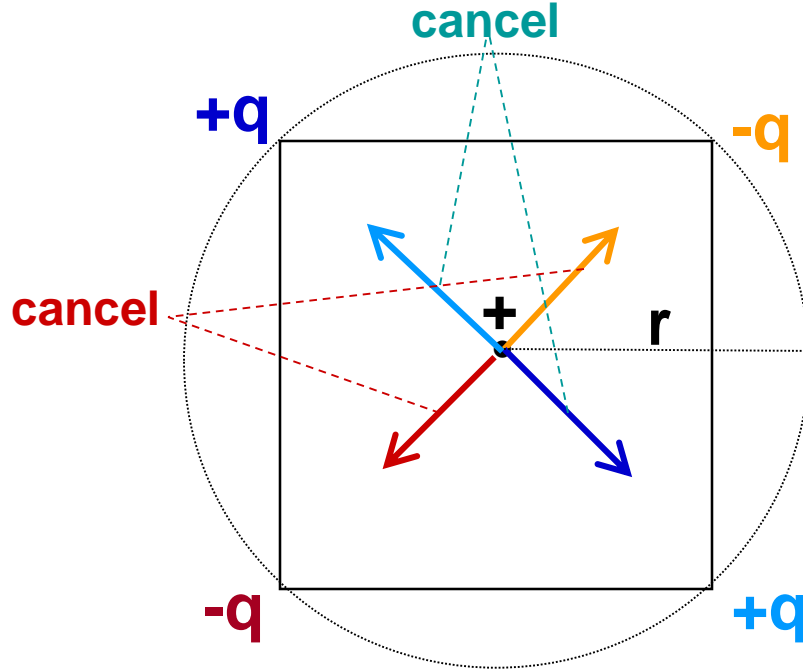
$$\vec{\mathbf{E}} = 5.99 (10)^3 \hat{x} \text{ N/C}$$

Vector addition of E fields: use symmetry to simplify when possible

Q. Electric field at center

(place + test charge at center)

homework problem help



$$\mathbf{E} = k \frac{q}{r^2}$$

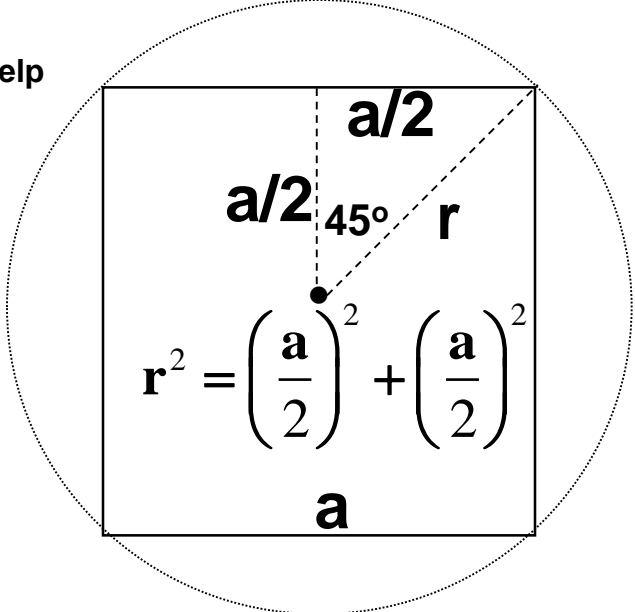
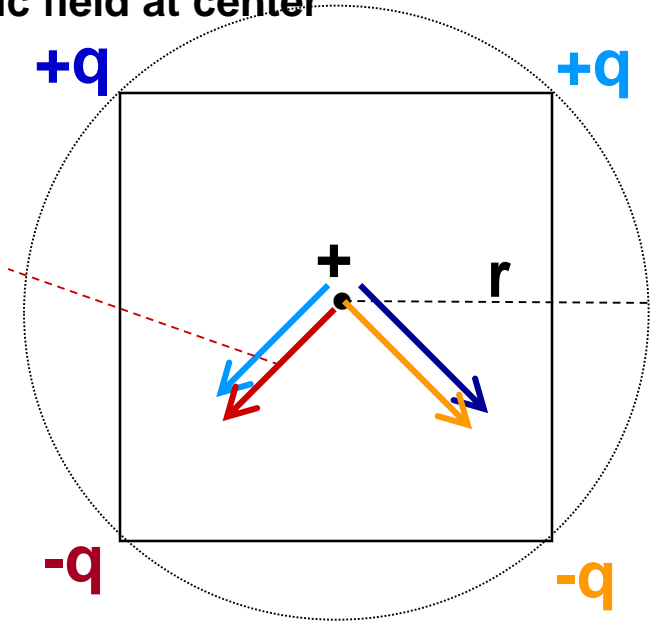
q 's the same r 's the same \Rightarrow \mathbf{E} 's the same

E fields cancel so $E_{\text{tot}}=0$

Vector addition of E fields: symmetry continued

homework problem help

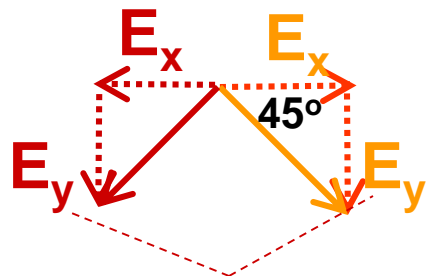
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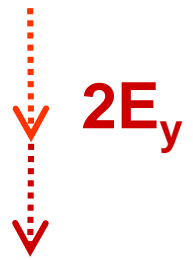
$$\mathbf{E} = k \frac{q}{r^2}$$

q's the same r's the same \Rightarrow E's the same

cancel

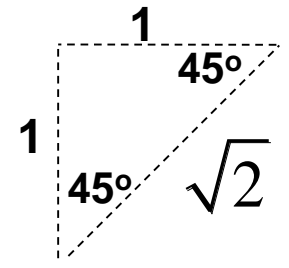
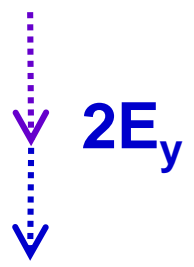


superimpose



$$\mathbf{E}_y = k \frac{q}{r^2} \sin(45^\circ) = k \frac{q}{r^2} \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$$

similarly



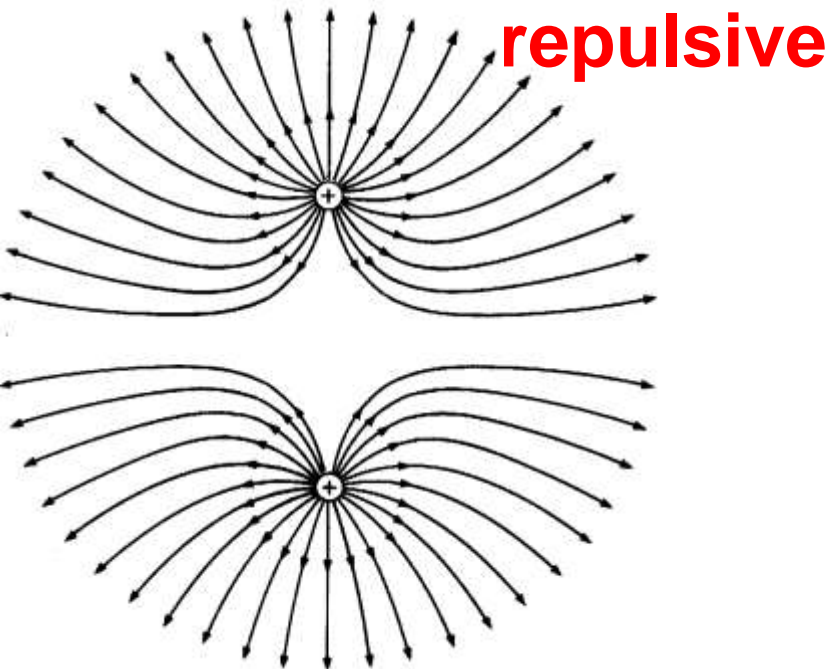
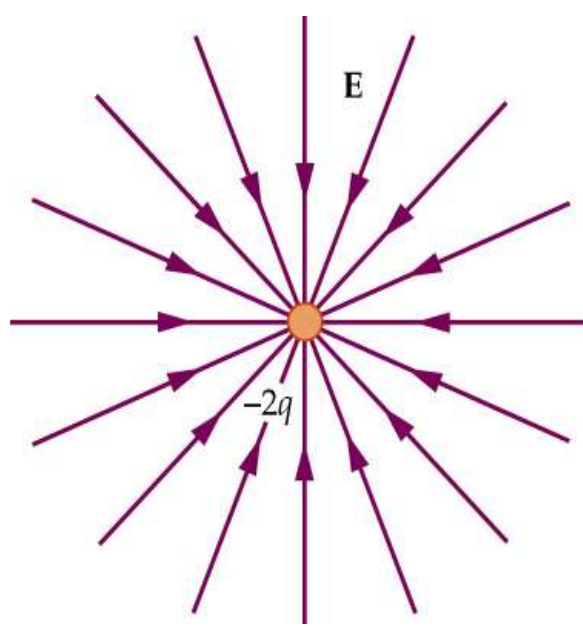
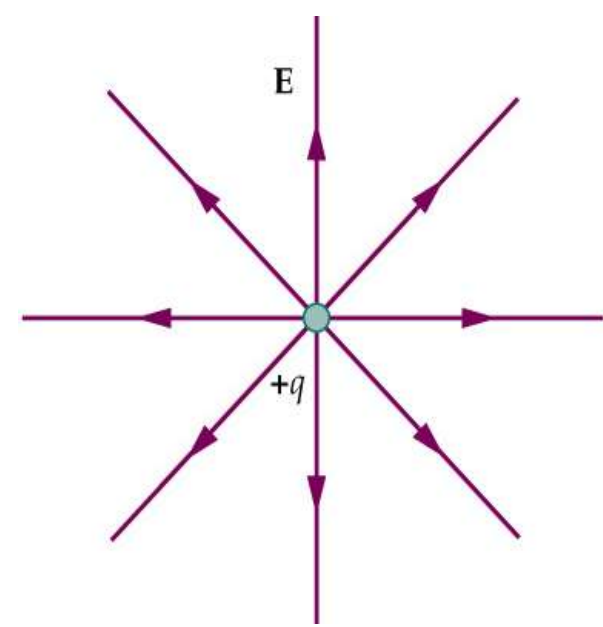
-y direction

$$\mathbf{E}_{\text{tot}} = 4\mathbf{E}_y \quad (-\hat{y})$$

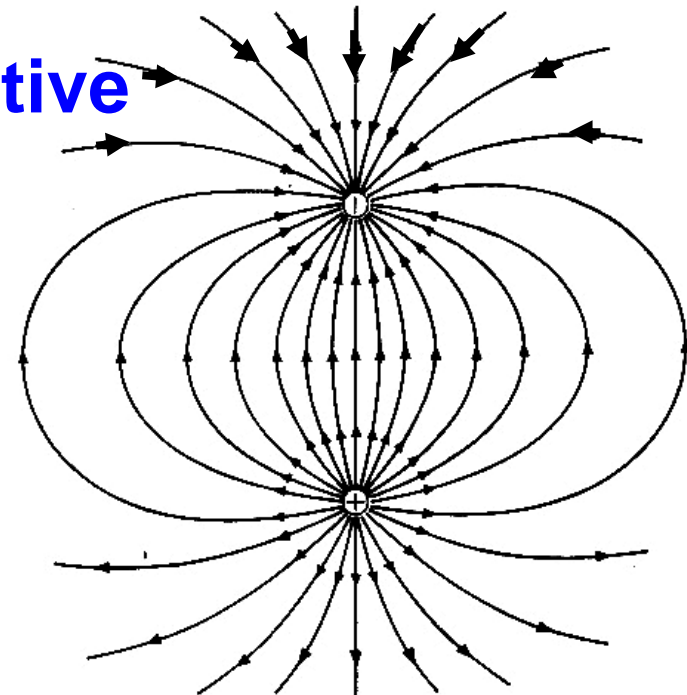
E Field Lines

- direction = force direction on + test charge (away from +) (toward -)

- line density \propto field magnitude



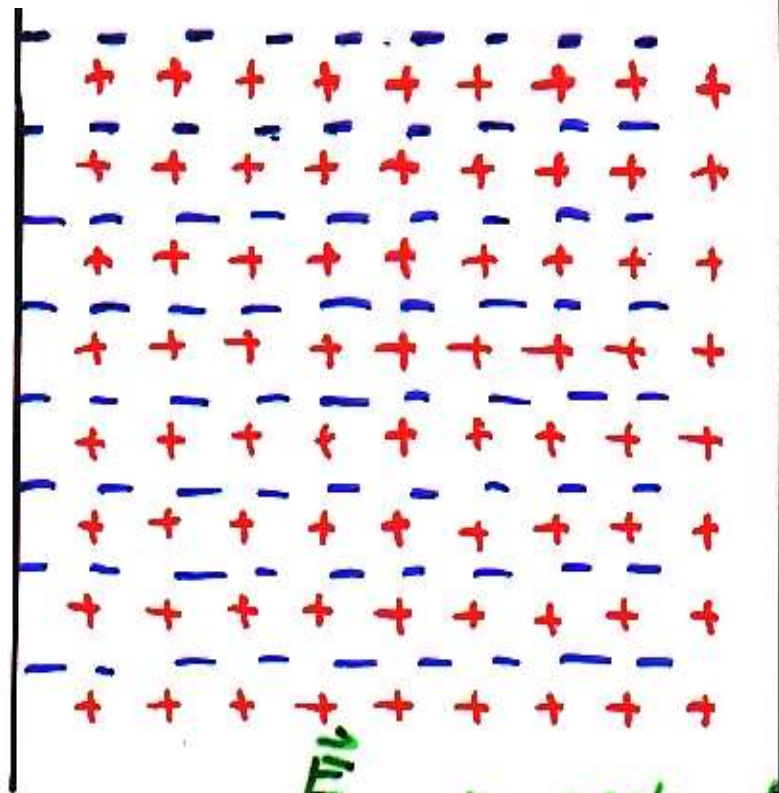
attractive



Metal

+ fixed
on lattice

- electron
fluid



Static (no charge motion) condition

For Metal

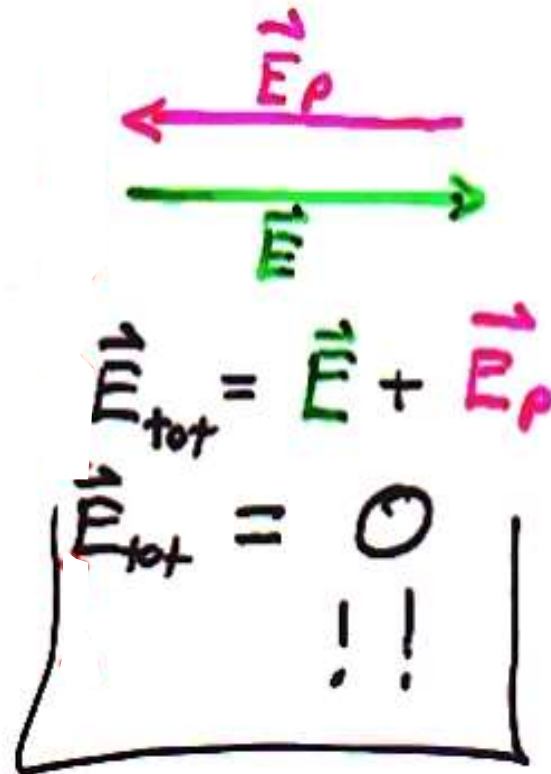
- ① e^- (charge) free to flow
- ② all charge on outside surface (static conditions)
- ③ \vec{E} inside metal $\equiv 0$ (static conditions)
- ④ \vec{E} field at surface of metal is \perp to the surface



t = later
 e^- no place to go

$t = \text{later}$
 e^- no place
to go

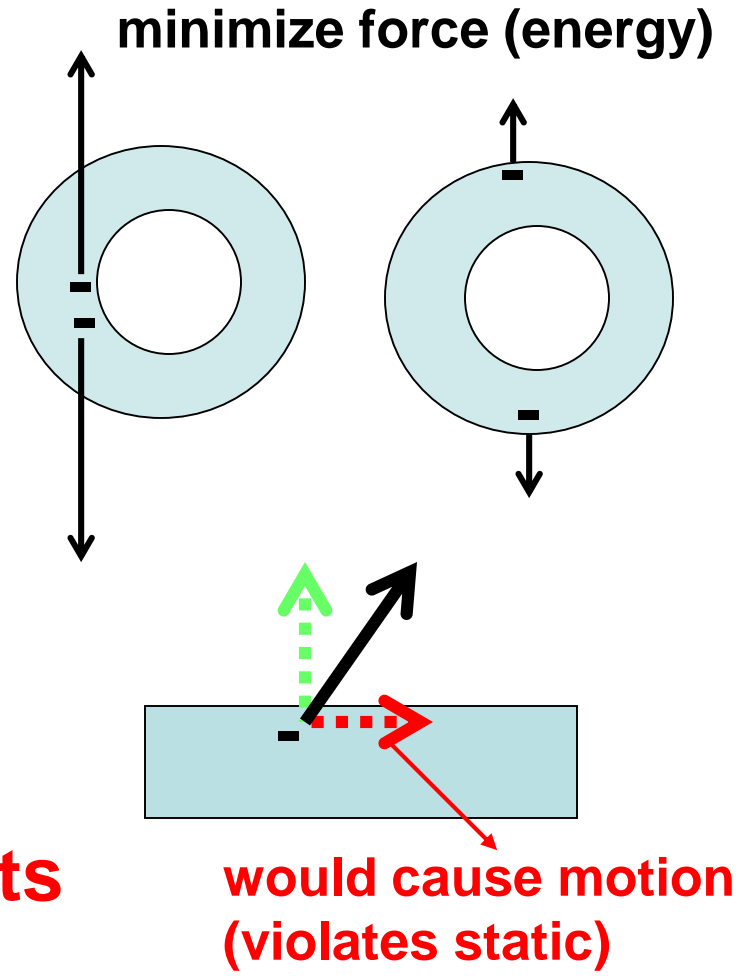
- interior charge screened
- unbalanced surface charge
↳ creates polarization field



total electric field in metal = 0!!
[as long as charge not flowing]

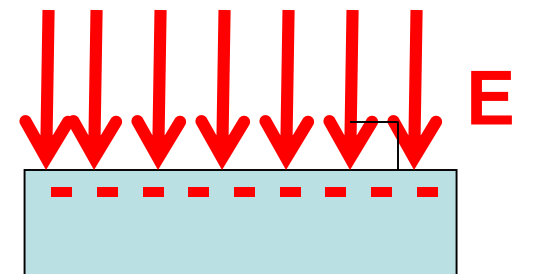
For Metal

- ① e^- (charge) free to flow
- ② all charge on outside surface (static conditions)
- ③ \vec{E} inside metal $\equiv 0$ (static conditions)
- ④ \vec{E} field at surface of metal is \perp to the surface
- ⑤ E concentrate at sharp points (low radius of curvature)

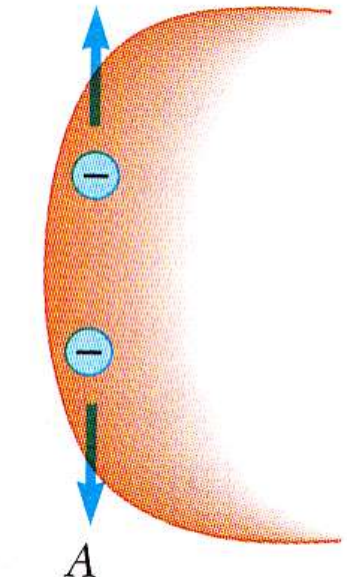


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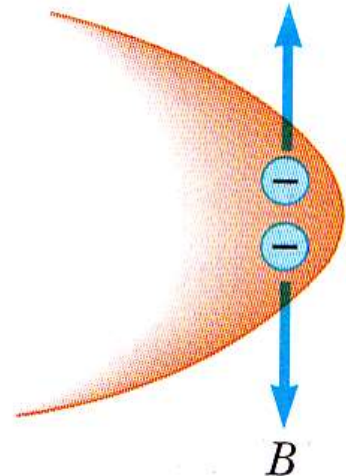
∞ flat plane
Electric field constant
Electric field \perp surface!!!!



E concentrate at sharp points (low radius of curvature)

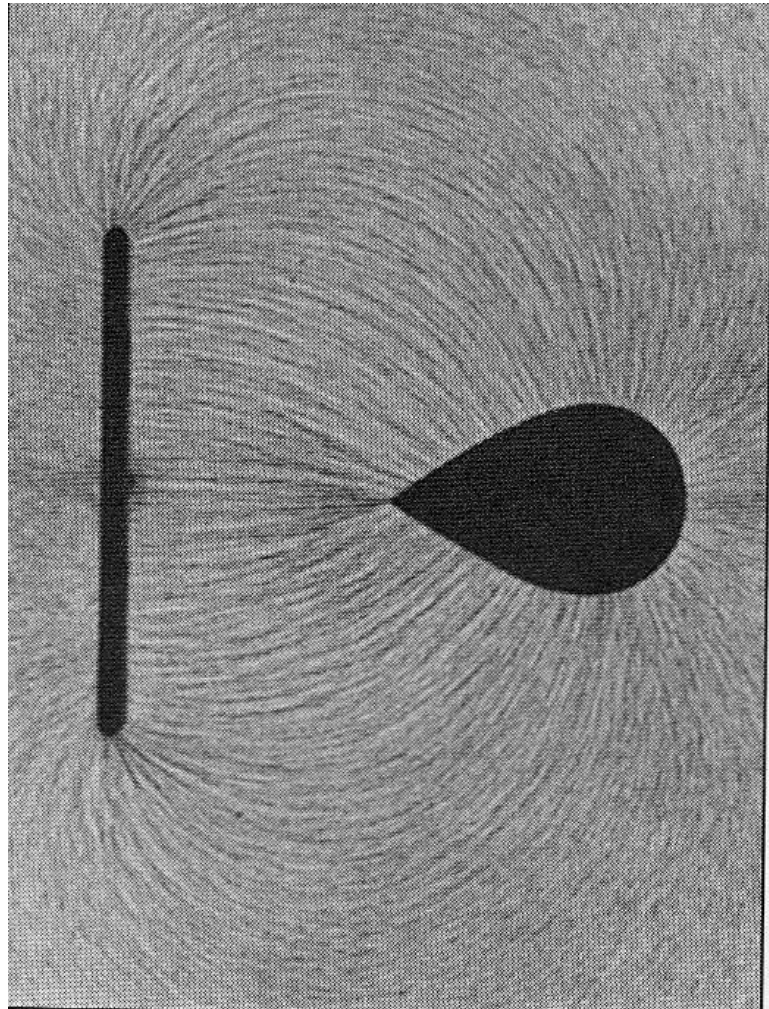


can move apart
-decrease density

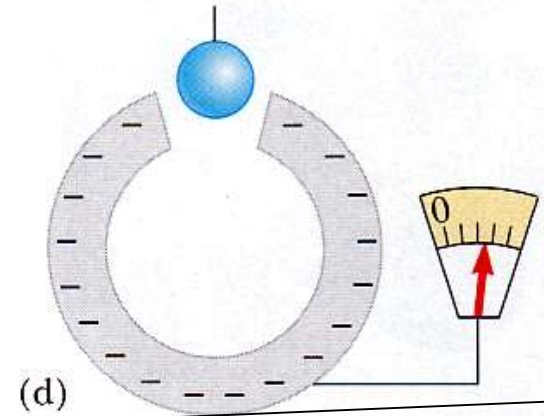
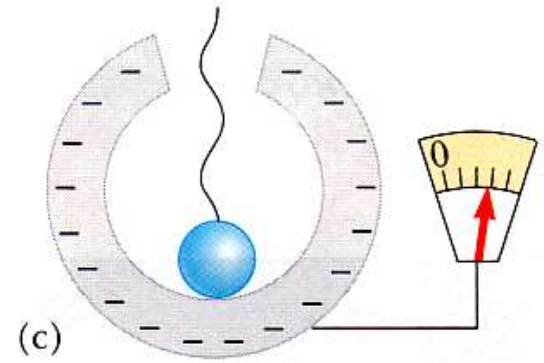
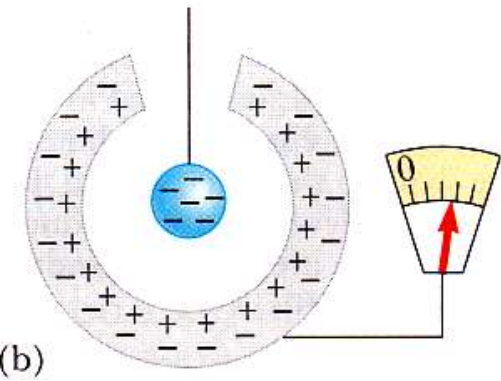
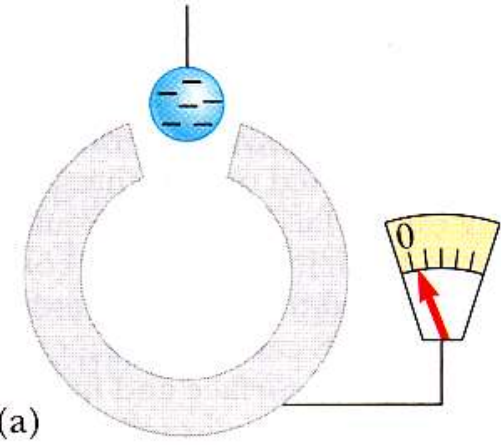


can't move apart
(surf. contains)

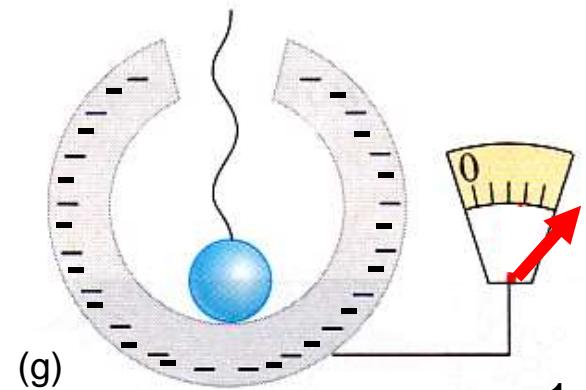
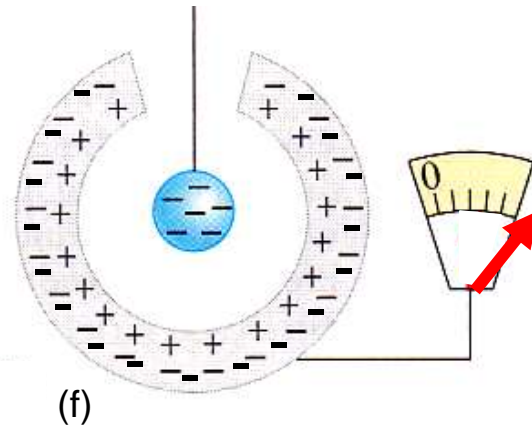
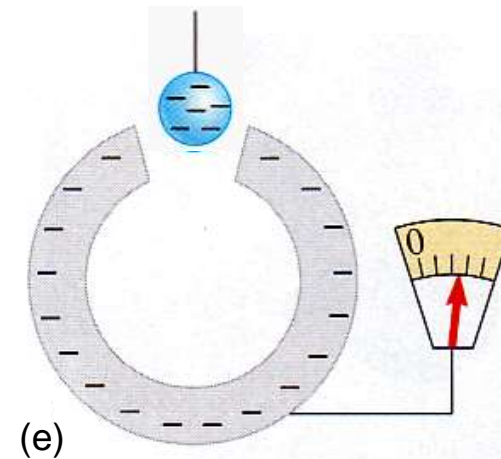
enough E
can actually
rip charges
from surface



Faraday Bucket



can accumulate charge !!



Van de Graaff generator

continuous charge accumulation !!

sharp points – big electric field

+ charge left on rubber belt

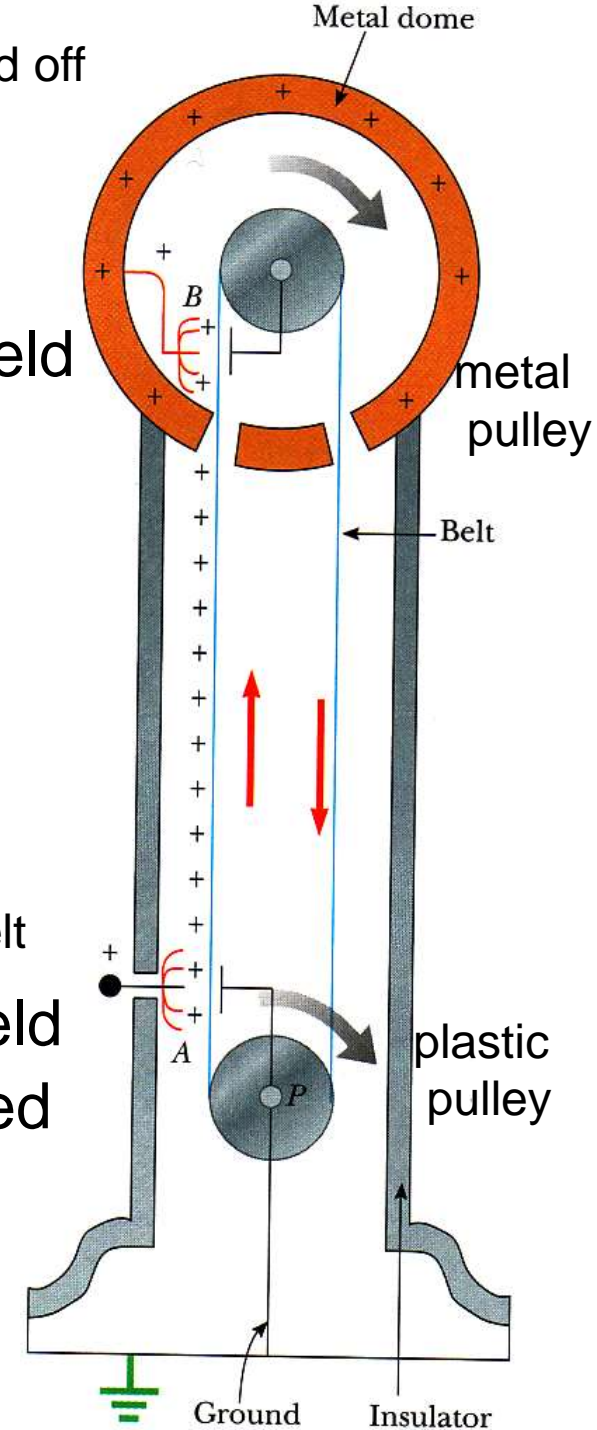
+ charge on rubber belt

- charge on rubber belt drained

- static charge induced on inside of rubber belt

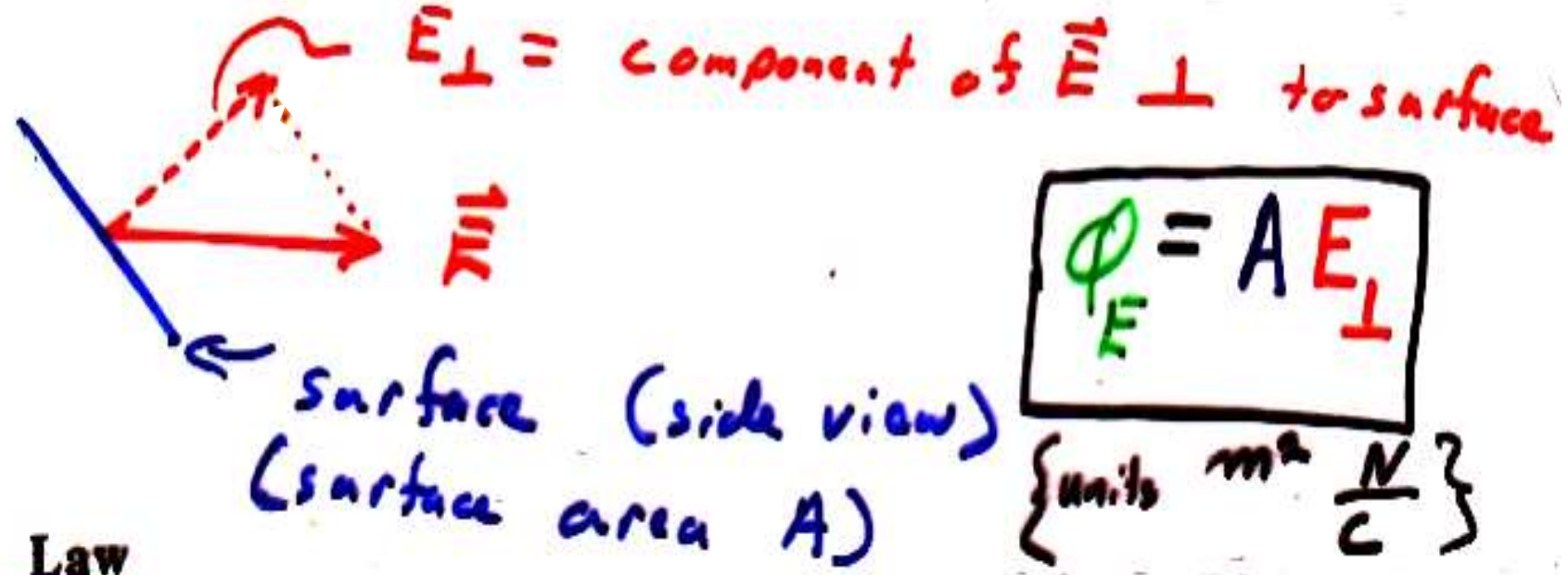
sharp points – big electric field
charge transferred

+ pulled off belt

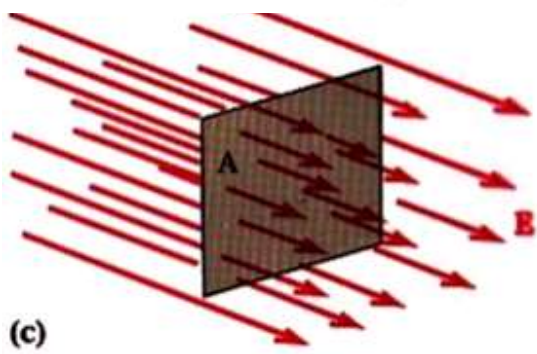
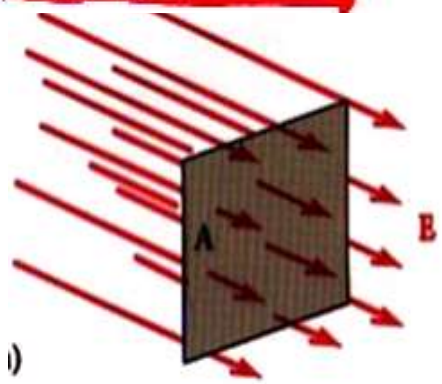


Electric Flux

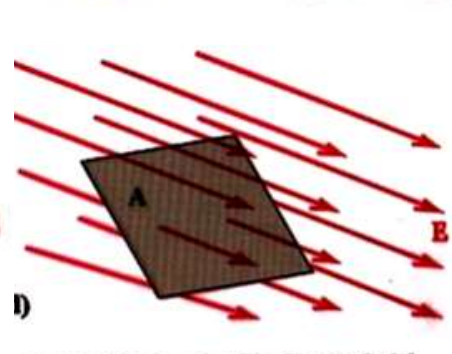
• Electric Flux, Φ_E , through a surface of area, A



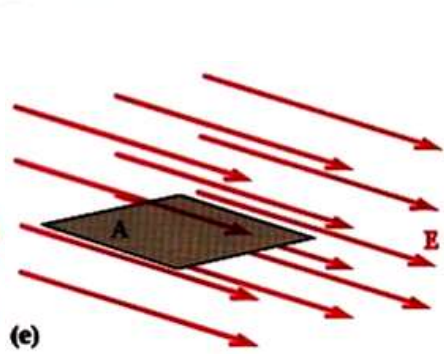
Gauss's Law



Larger field, larger flux



Area not perpendicular to field, smaller flux



Area parallel to field, zero flux

$E_{\perp} = 0 !$
 $\Rightarrow \Phi_E = 0$

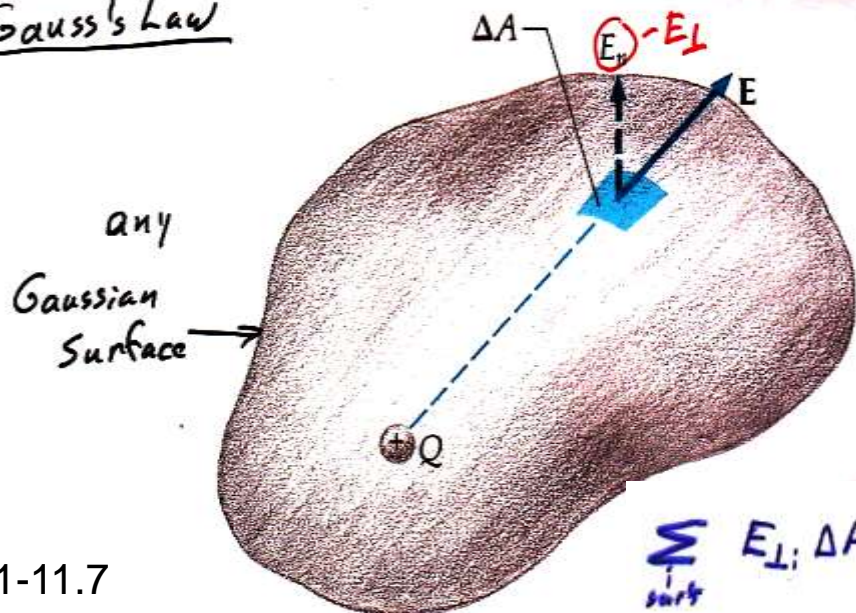
Gauss's Law

The net electric flux (Φ_E) through any closed surface is directly proportional to the net electric charge (Q) enclosed by that surface.

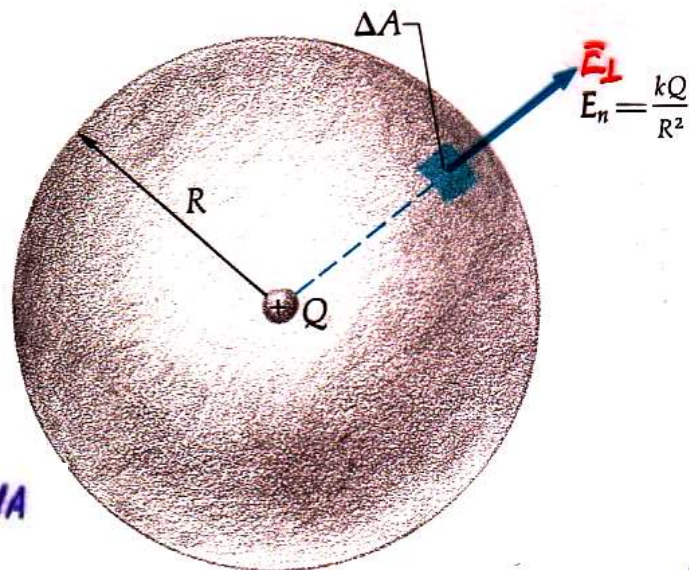
$$\Phi_E = \frac{Q_{\text{inside}}}{\epsilon_0}$$

$$\sum_{\text{surf}} \mathbf{E}_{\perp} \Delta A = \frac{Q_{\text{inside}}}{\epsilon_0} = \Phi_E$$

Gauss's Law

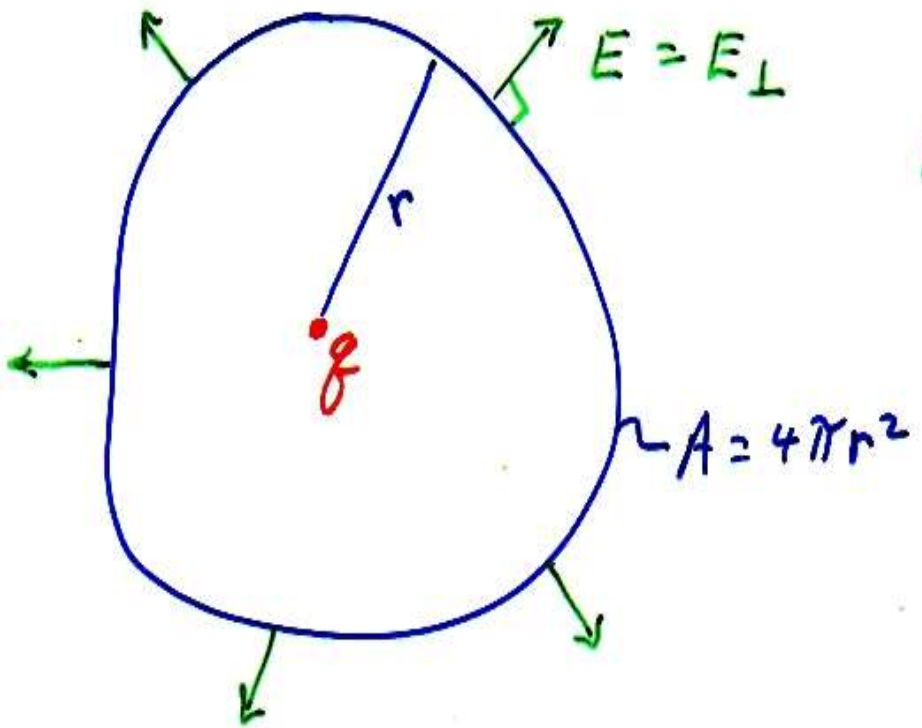


Special surface sphere



$$\sum_{\text{surf}} E_{\perp i} \Delta A_i = \Phi_E = \oint_{\text{surf}} E_{\perp} dA$$

Point Charge (Gauss's Law Applications cont.)



$$E_L A = \frac{q}{\epsilon_0}$$
$$E \sqrt{4\pi r^2} = \frac{q}{\epsilon_0}$$

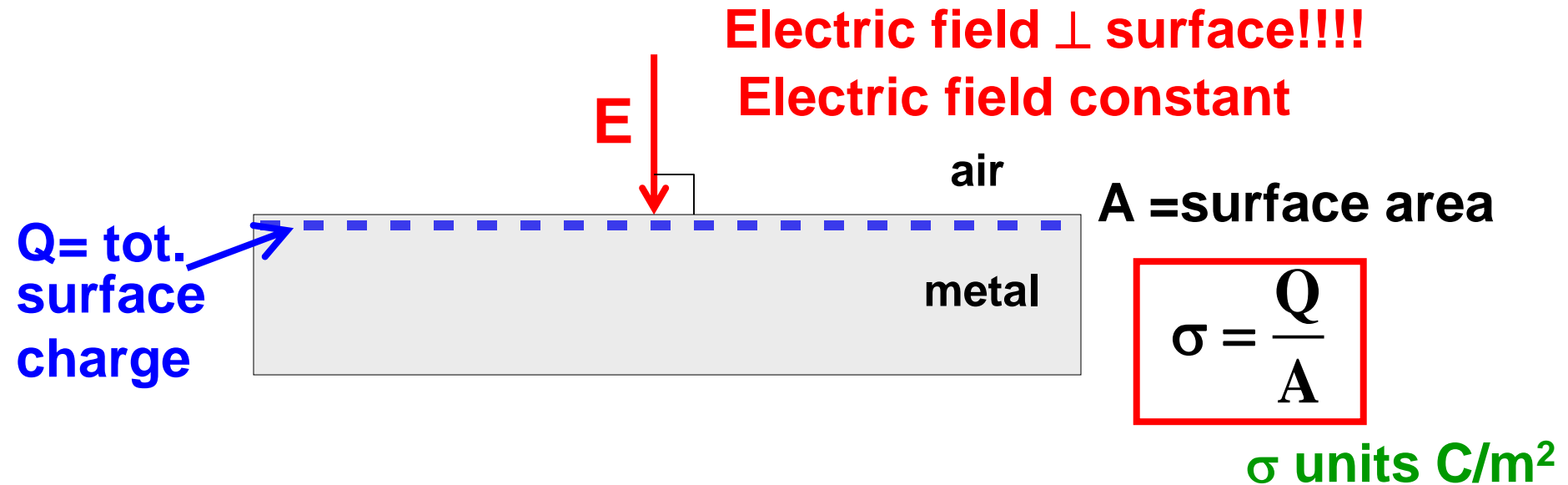
$$E = \frac{1}{4\pi \epsilon_0} \frac{q}{r^2}$$

Note: add q_0 at a r and find force on q_0

$$F = \frac{1}{4\pi \epsilon_0} \frac{q q_0}{r^2}$$

Coulomb's Law
 \Updownarrow
Gauss's Law

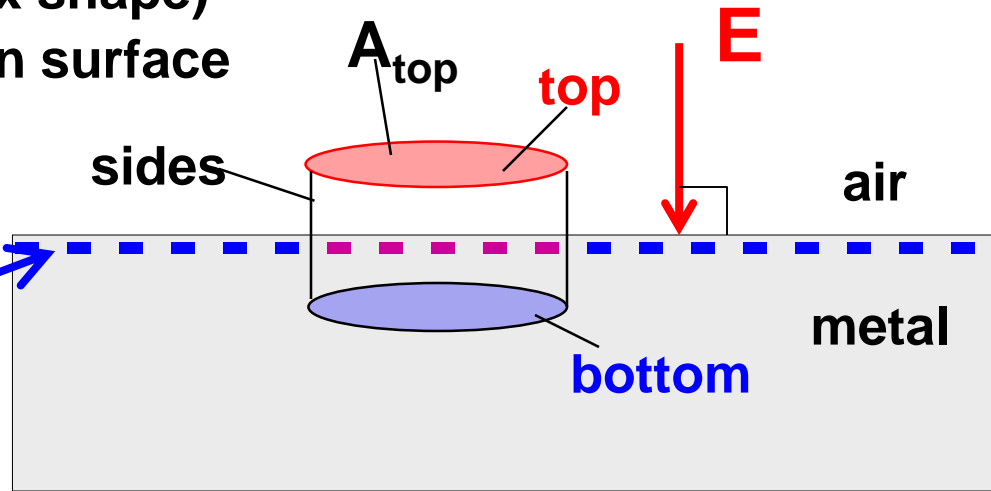
Surface charge density & E field for metal



Q. What is relation between E and σ ?

Electric field above charged metal surface

(pill box shape)
Gaussian surface



A_{tot} = surface area

$$\sigma = \frac{Q}{A} \quad Q = \sigma A$$

σ units C/m^2

$Q = \text{tot. surface charge}$

Gauss

$$\varphi_{\text{tot}} = \frac{Q_{\text{in}}}{\epsilon_0}$$

$$\varphi_{\text{tot}} = \frac{\sigma A_{\text{top}}}{\epsilon_0}$$

$$\varphi_{\text{tot}} = \varphi_{\text{top}} + \varphi_{\text{bottom}} + \varphi_{\text{sides}}$$

E is \perp top

$$\varphi_{\text{top}} = E A_{\text{top}}$$

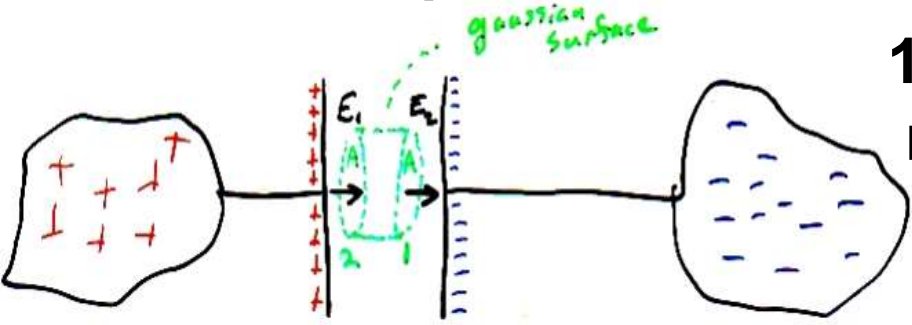
$E=0$ in metal
 $E \parallel$ side in air

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$$\frac{\cancel{\sigma A_{\text{top}}}}{\epsilon_0} = E \cancel{A_{\text{top}}} \Rightarrow$$

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

Consider 2 // plates connected to charge reservoirs.



1. The E field, by symmetry, must run straight across the gap.

2. Apply Gauss's Law

$$\Rightarrow \vec{E} = \text{constant in gap}$$

No enclosed charge $\therefore \Phi_{\text{net}} = 0$

$$\Phi_{\text{net}} = \Phi_1 + \Phi_2 + \cancel{\Phi_{\text{sides}}} = 0$$

0 because sides \parallel to \vec{E}

$$\therefore -[\Phi]_2 = [\Phi]_1$$

$$-[-E_2 A] = [E_1 A]$$

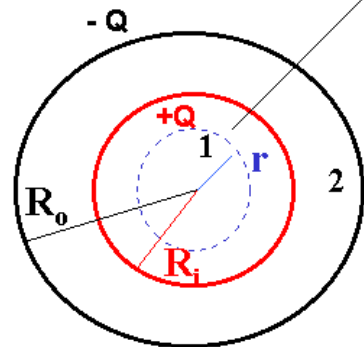
$$E_2 A = E_1 A$$

$$[E_1 = E_2] \Rightarrow \underline{E \text{ constant}} \text{ between plates}$$

3. Metal Plates

$$\Rightarrow \text{we know } E = \frac{\sigma}{\epsilon_0} = \frac{Q_{\text{tot}}}{A_{\text{TOT}}} \frac{1}{\epsilon_0}$$

hollow spherical shells: R_i (charge $+Q$) and R_o (charge $-Q$)

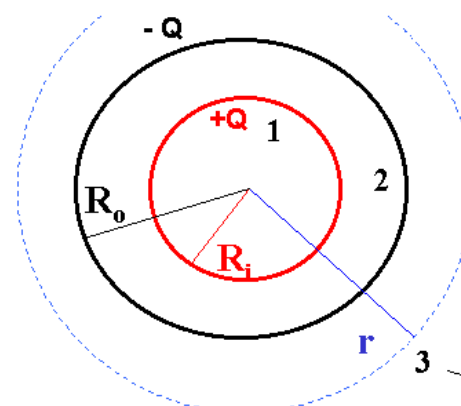


Region 1 $r < R_i$

$$Q_{in} = 0 \Rightarrow E_1 = 0$$

3 Gaussian surfaces
with r in region 1, 2 & 3

hollow spherical shells: R_i (charge $+Q$) and R_o (charge $-Q$).

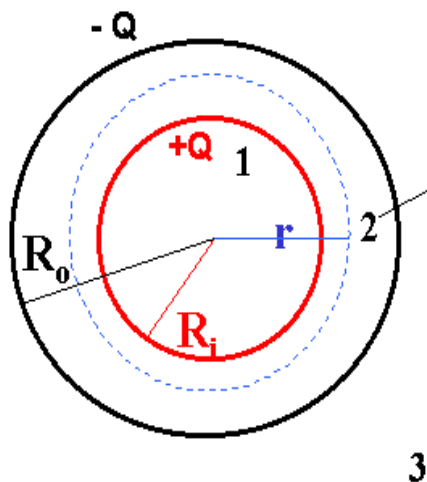


3 Gaussian surfaces
with r in region 1, 2 & 3

Region 3 $r > R_o$

$$E_3 \ 4\pi r^2 = \frac{(+Q - Q)}{\epsilon_0} = 0 \Rightarrow E_3 = 0$$

hollow spherical shells: R_i (charge $+Q$) and R_o (charge $-Q$).



Region 2 $R_i < r < R_o$

$$E_2 \ 4\pi r^2 = \frac{+Q}{\epsilon_0}$$

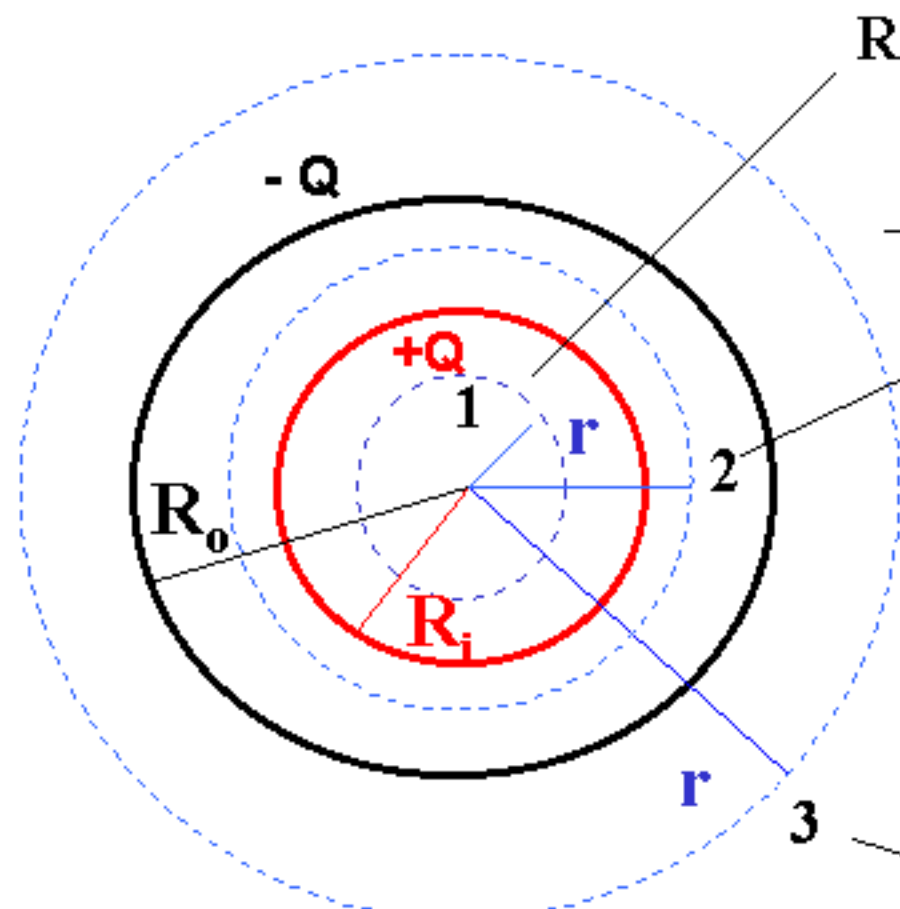
$$\Downarrow$$

$$E_2 = \frac{+Q}{4\pi \epsilon_0 r^2}$$

3 Gaussian surfaces
with r in region 1, 2 & 3

1-15a-b-c

hollow spherical shells: R_i (charge $+Q$) and R_o (charge $-Q$).



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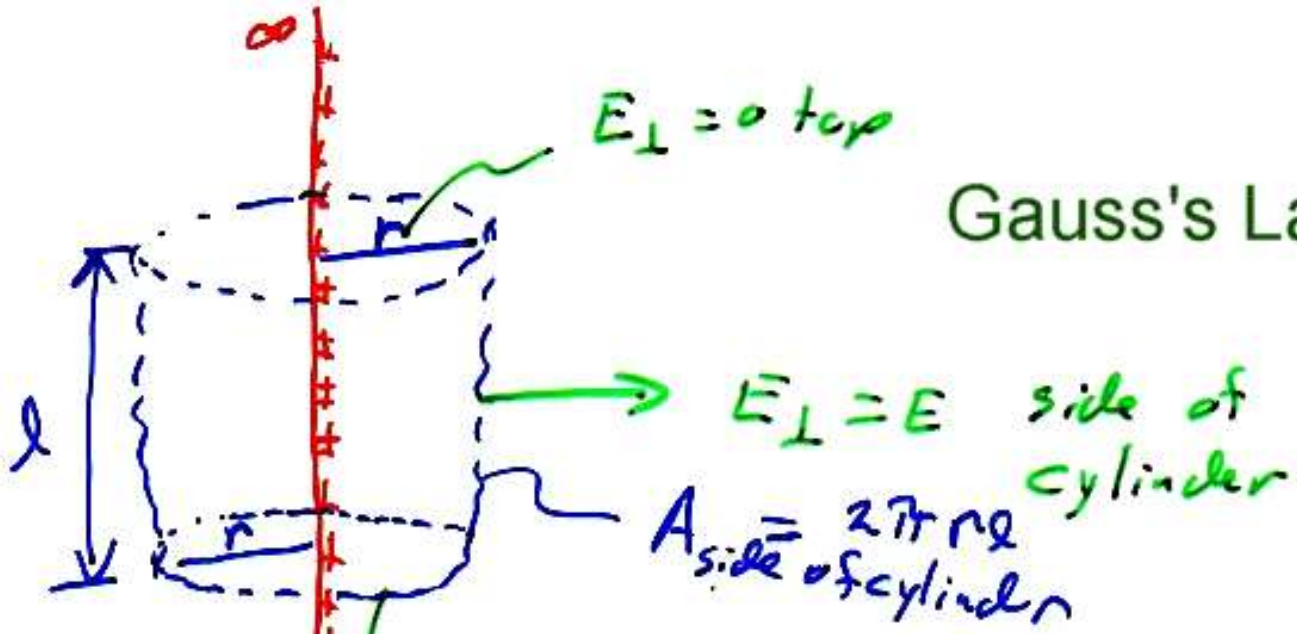
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with r in region 1, 2 & 3**

∞ line of charge of density λ ($\frac{C}{m}$)

Gauss's Law application

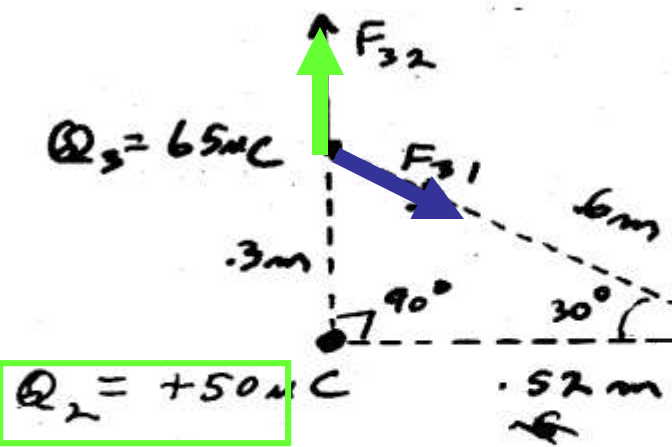


$$E A = \frac{Q_{\text{encl.}}}{\epsilon_0}$$

$$\vec{E} (2\pi r l) = \frac{(\lambda l)}{\epsilon_0}$$

$$E = \frac{1}{2\pi\epsilon_0} \frac{\lambda}{r}$$

Find force on Q_3
for 3 charges (non colinear)
on right triangle



Brute force electric force vector addition

$Q_1 = -86\mu\text{C}$

$Q_2 = +50\mu\text{C}$

$$F_{32} = \frac{9 (10)^9 [65 (10)^{-6}] [50 (10)^{-6}]}{.3^2} = \frac{29250 (10)^3}{0.09}$$

$$= \frac{29.25}{.09} = 325\text{ N} = F_{32} \quad \text{away from } 2$$

$$F_{31} = \frac{9 (10)^9 [65 (10)^{-6}] [86 (10)^{-6}]}{(.6)^2} = \frac{50310 (10)^3}{0.36}$$

$$= -\frac{50.31}{.36} = 140\text{ N} = F_{31} \quad \text{toward } 1$$

will assign direction
absolute

