

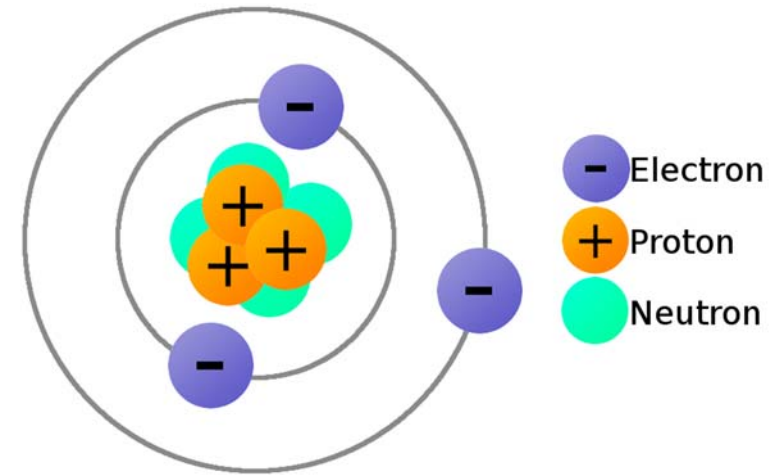
Lecture 4 Electrostatics (1)

1. Electric Charge
2. Electrostatic Force
3. Coulomb's Law
4. Electric Field
5. Coding Examples

1. Electric Charge

■ Sources of Electric Charge

- All matter is made up of atoms.
- Atoms contain
 - Protons (+)
 - Neutrons (0)
 - Electrons (−)
- Protons and neutrons are tightly bound to atoms.
- Electrons can move away from their atoms.



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▪ **Charging / Charged / Ionization**

- An object acquires electrons. → Negatively charged
- An object loses electrons. → Positively charged

▪ **Charging Mechanisms**

- By contacts: contact electrification, triboelectric effect
- By pressure: piezoelectric effect
- By heat: pyroelectric effect
- By charge or electric field: influence charging, corona charging
- Electrochemical charging: battery
- Diffusion charging: aerosol particles are brought into contact with gas phase ions

▪ Charge of An Electron

- Charge is quantized.
- Elementary charge:

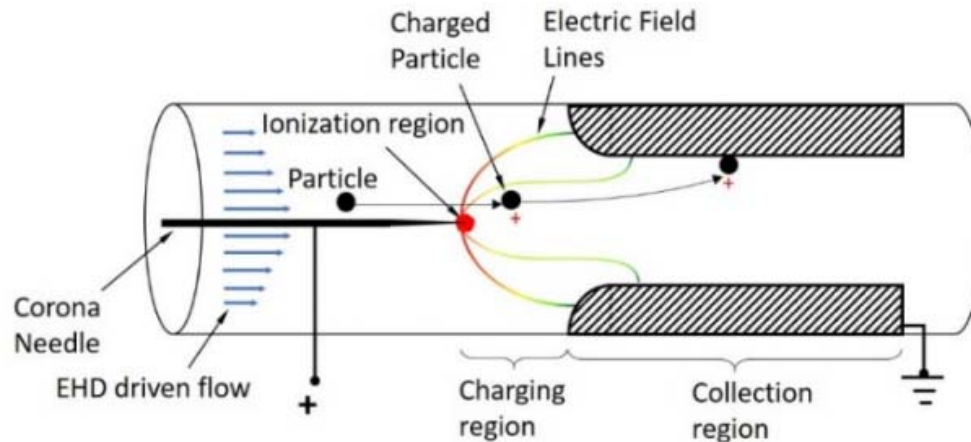
$$e = 1.602\,176\,634 \times 10^{-19} \text{ C}$$

- Unit of charge: C (Coulomb)
- Charge of an electron: $Q_e = -e$
- Charge of a proton: $Q_p = +e$

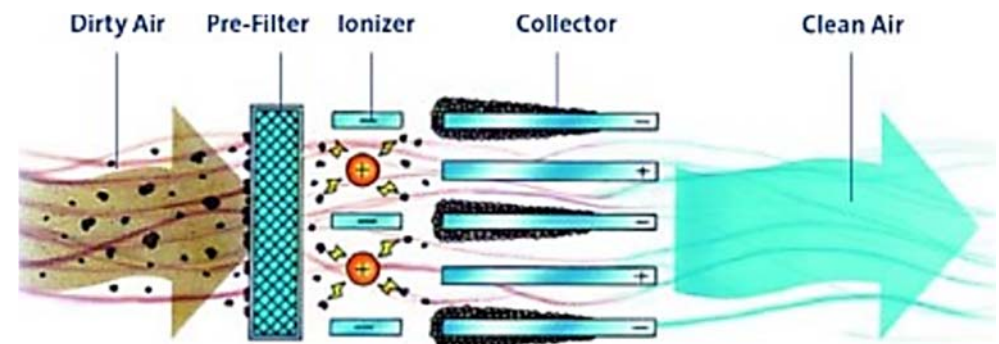
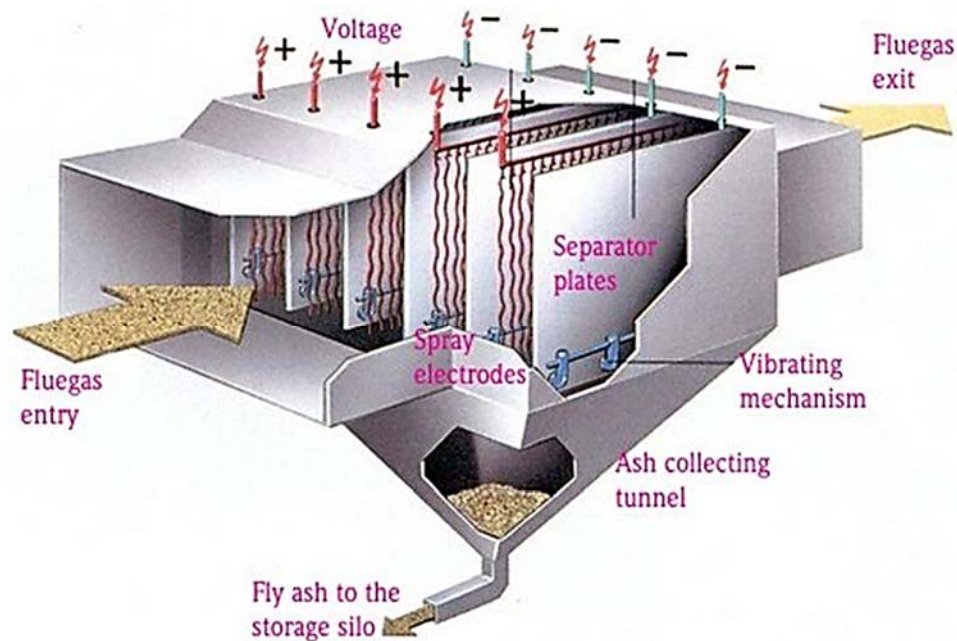
▪ Charge Conservation

- The total electric charge in an isolated system never changes.
- The net quantity of electric charge, the amount of positive charge minus the amount of negative charge in the universe, is always *conserved*.

- **Corona (= air ionization with bluish violet light) Charging**

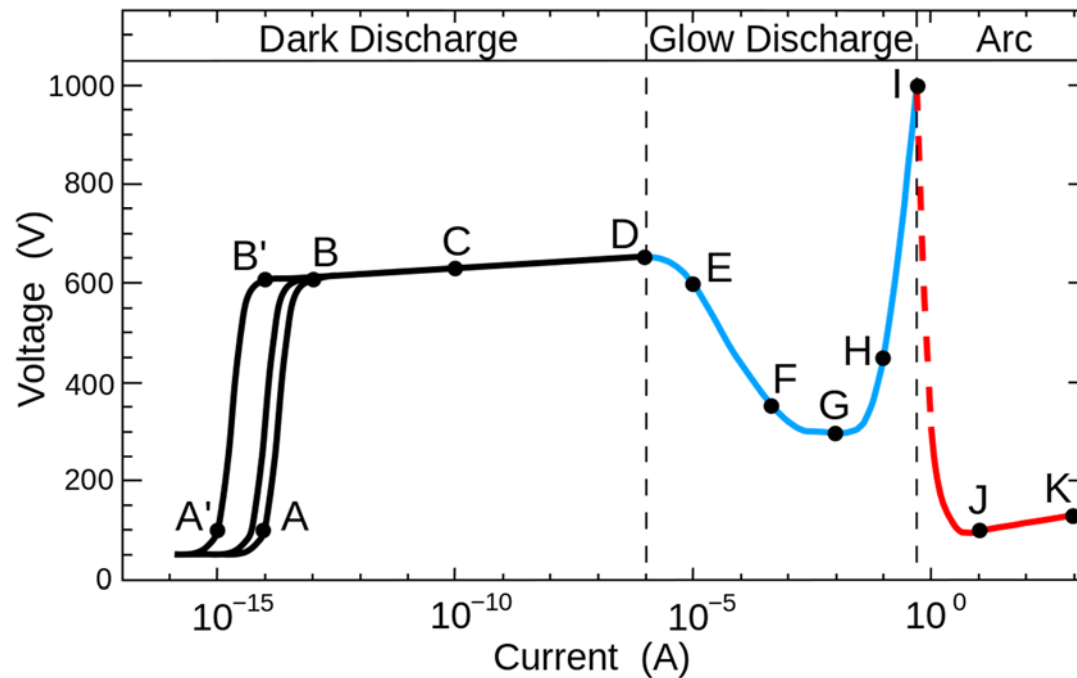


- **Electrostatic Precipitator, Air Purifier**



■ Discharge

- An object loses all of its charges either by regaining all of its lost electrons or by losing all of its acquired electrons.
- Electrical discharge in gases



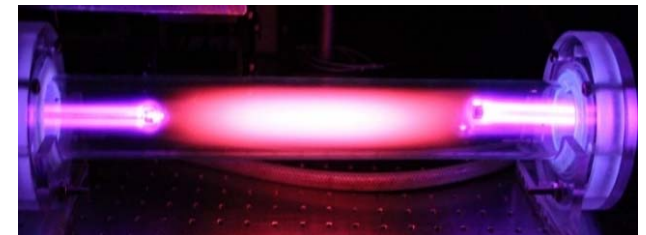
A: cosmic radiation random pulses

C: Townsend discharge

E: corona discharge = air breakdown by high electric field

G: glow discharge = passage of electric current through a gas

J: arc discharge = with continuous current



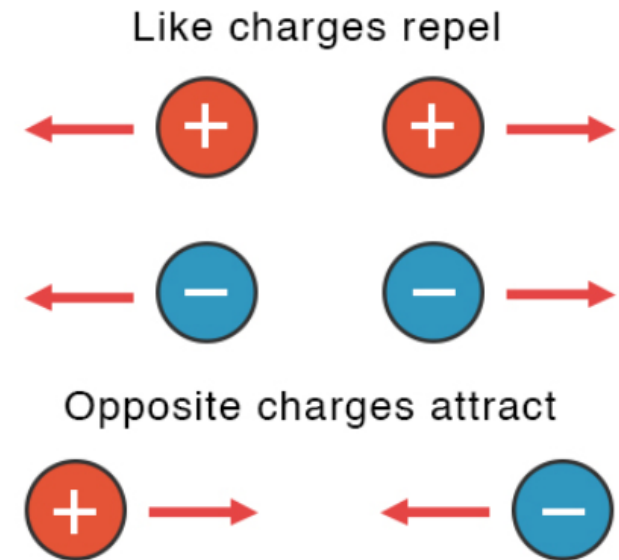
2. Electrostatic Force

▪ Electrostactic Force in Materials

- In atoms, protons & electrons exert force on each other.
- Forces between molecules

▪ Electrostatic Force in Industrial Applications

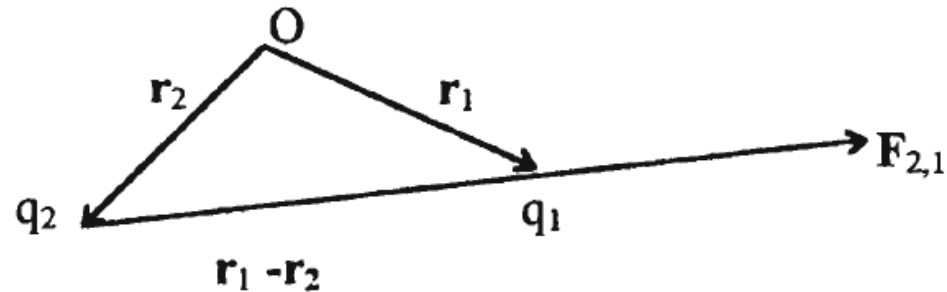
- Printers: laser printer, ink jet printers
- Air purifier, electrostatic precipitator
- Electrostatic spray gun (coating)
- Forensics: electrostatic dust print lifting
- Particle separation and sizing
- Electrostatic atomization: liquids to uniformly dispersed aerosol
- Plastics identification for recycling
- Powder coating



3. Coulomb's Law

■ Coulomb's Law

$$\mathbf{F}_{2,1} = \frac{q_2 q_1 (\mathbf{r}_1 - \mathbf{r}_2)}{4\pi\epsilon_0 |\mathbf{r}_1 - \mathbf{r}_2|^3}$$



$\epsilon_0 = 8.854 \times 10^{-12}$ F/m : permittivity of vacuum

$$1/(4\pi\epsilon_0) \simeq 9 \times 10^9 \text{ m/F}$$

$$\mathbf{F}_1 = \sum_{i=2}^n \mathbf{F}_{i,1} = \frac{q_1}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \sum_{i=2}^n \frac{q_i (\mathbf{r}_1 - \mathbf{r}_i)}{|\mathbf{r}_1 - \mathbf{r}_i|^3}$$

Example:

- Coulomb force in the hydrogen atom

$$Q_e = -1.6 \times 10^{-19} \text{ C}, Q_p = 1.6 \times 10^{-19} \text{ C}, R = 5.3 \times 10^{-11} \text{ m}$$

$$F = 9 \times 10^9 \frac{(1.6 \times 10^{-19})^2}{(5.3 \times 10^{-11})^2} = 8.2 \times 10^{-8} \text{ N}$$

4. Electric Field

■ Electric Field and Force

$$\mathbf{F}_1 = q_1 \mathbf{E}$$

■ Electric Field

$$\mathbf{E}(\mathbf{r}) = \frac{1}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \sum_{i=1}^n \frac{q_i(\mathbf{r} - \mathbf{r}_i)}{|\mathbf{r} - \mathbf{r}_i|^3}$$

$$\vec{\mathbf{E}}(\vec{\mathbf{r}}) = \lim_{i \rightarrow \infty} \sum_i \frac{1}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \frac{\rho_l(\vec{\mathbf{r}}_i) \Delta l_i (\vec{\mathbf{r}} - \vec{\mathbf{r}}_i)}{|\vec{\mathbf{r}} - \vec{\mathbf{r}}_i|^3} = \frac{1}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \int_l \frac{\rho_l(\vec{\mathbf{r}}') (\vec{\mathbf{r}} - \vec{\mathbf{r}}')}{|\vec{\mathbf{r}} - \vec{\mathbf{r}}'|^3} dl'$$

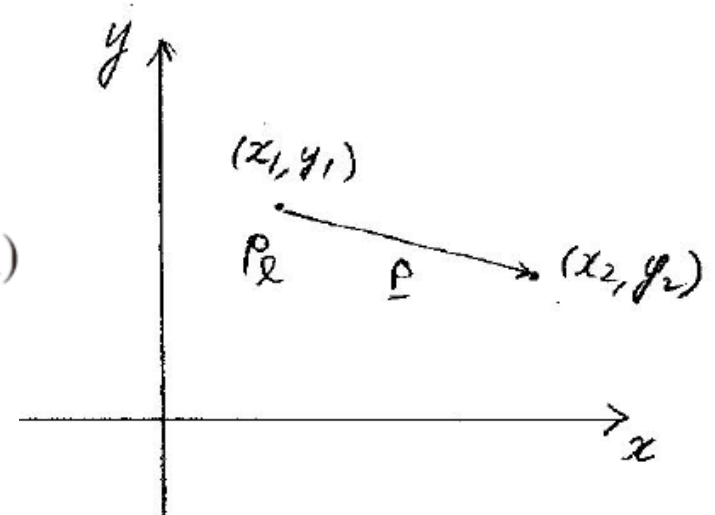
$$\vec{\mathbf{E}}(\vec{\mathbf{r}}) = \frac{1}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \int_{S'} \frac{\rho_s(\vec{\mathbf{r}}') (\vec{\mathbf{r}} - \vec{\mathbf{r}}')}{|\vec{\mathbf{r}} - \vec{\mathbf{r}}'|^3} dS'$$

$$\vec{\mathbf{E}}(\vec{\mathbf{r}}) = \frac{1}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \int_{V'} \frac{\rho_v(\vec{\mathbf{r}}') (\vec{\mathbf{r}} - \vec{\mathbf{r}}')}{|\vec{\mathbf{r}} - \vec{\mathbf{r}}'|^3} dV'$$

Example: Electric field of an infinite line charge

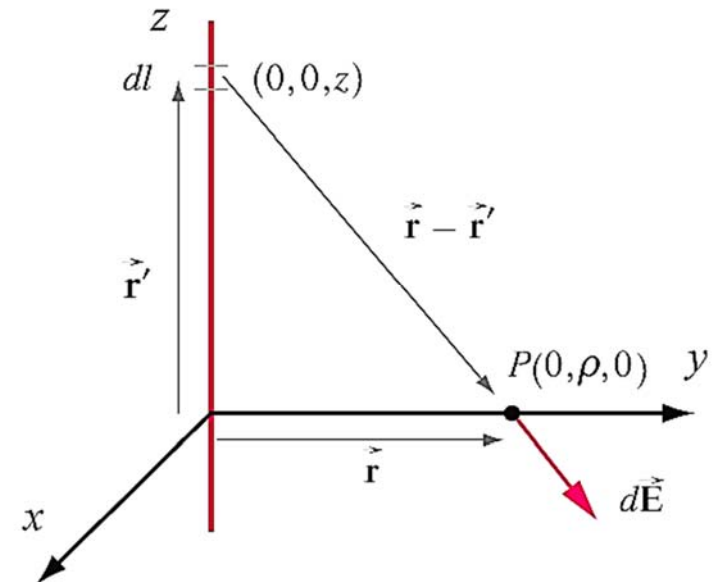
$$\vec{E}(\vec{r}) = \frac{1}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \int_{z=-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{\rho_l \rho dz}{(\rho^2 + z^2)^{3/2}} \hat{\rho} = \frac{\rho_l}{2\pi\epsilon_0 \rho} \hat{\rho} \text{ (V/m)}$$

$$\boldsymbol{\rho} = (x_2, y_2) - (x_1, y_1) = (x_2 - x_1)\hat{\mathbf{x}} + (y_2 - y_1)\hat{\mathbf{y}}$$



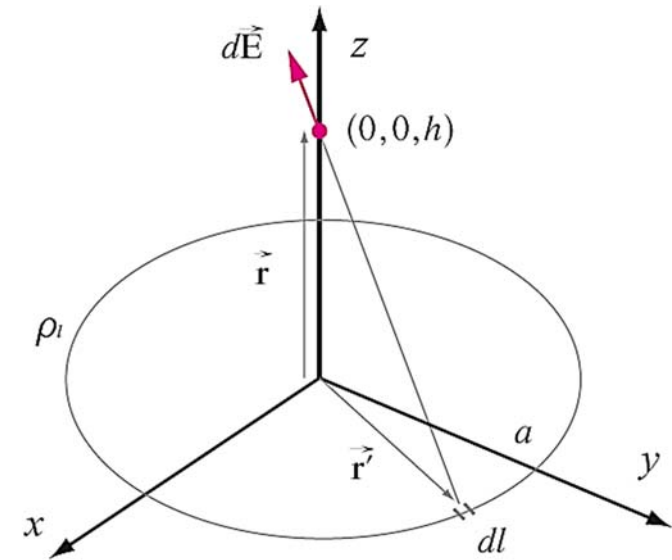
Example: Electric field of a finite line charge

$$d\mathbf{E} = \frac{1}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \frac{\rho_\ell dz}{(\rho^2 + z^2)^{3/2}} (\rho \hat{\boldsymbol{\rho}} - z \hat{\mathbf{z}})$$



$$\mathbf{E} = \frac{\rho_\ell}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \int_{z_1}^{z_2} \frac{\rho \hat{\boldsymbol{\rho}} - z \hat{\mathbf{z}}}{(\rho^2 + z^2)^{3/2}} dz = \frac{\rho_\ell}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \left[\frac{z \hat{\boldsymbol{\rho}}}{\rho R} + \frac{\hat{\mathbf{z}}}{R} \right]_{z_1}^{z_2} = \frac{\rho_\ell}{4\pi\epsilon_0 \rho} \left[\left(\frac{z_2}{R_2} - \frac{z_1}{R_1} \right) \hat{\boldsymbol{\rho}} + \left(\frac{\rho}{R_2} - \frac{\rho}{R_1} \right) \hat{\mathbf{z}} \right]$$

Example: Electric field of a loop charge



$$d\mathbf{E} = \frac{1}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \frac{\rho_\ell a d\varphi}{(h^2 + a^2)^{3/2}} (h\hat{\mathbf{z}} - a\hat{\mathbf{p}}) = \frac{\rho_\ell a}{4\pi\epsilon_0 R^3} (h\hat{\mathbf{z}} - a\cos\varphi\hat{\mathbf{x}} - a\sin\varphi\hat{\mathbf{y}}) d\varphi$$

$$\mathbf{E} = \frac{\rho_\ell a}{4\pi\epsilon_0 R^3} \int_{\varphi_1}^{\varphi_2} (h\hat{\mathbf{z}} - a\cos\varphi\hat{\mathbf{x}} - a\sin\varphi\hat{\mathbf{y}}) d\varphi$$

$$= \frac{\rho_\ell a}{4\pi\epsilon_0 R^3} [h(\varphi_2 - \varphi_1)\hat{\mathbf{z}} - a(\sin\varphi_2 - \sin\varphi_1)\hat{\mathbf{x}} + a(\cos\varphi_2 - \cos\varphi_1)\hat{\mathbf{y}}]$$

$$R = \sqrt{a^2 + h^2}$$

$$\mathbf{E} = \frac{\rho_\ell (2\pi a) h}{4\pi\epsilon_0 R^3} \hat{\mathbf{z}} \quad (\text{full loop})$$

Example: Electric field of a finite rectangular surface charge

Field point $\mathbf{r} = (0, 0, 0)$

Source point $\mathbf{r}' = (x, y, z)$, $x_1 \leq x \leq x_2$, $y_1 \leq y \leq y_2$

$$\mathbf{R} = \mathbf{r} - \mathbf{r}' = (-x, -y, -z)$$

$$d\mathbf{E} = \frac{\rho_s}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \frac{\mathbf{R} dx dy}{R^3} = -\frac{1}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \frac{x\hat{\mathbf{x}} + y\hat{\mathbf{y}} + z\hat{\mathbf{z}}}{R^3} dx dy, \quad R = \sqrt{x^2 + y^2 + z^2}$$

$$\mathbf{E} = -\frac{\rho_s}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \int_{x_1}^{x_2} \int_{y_1}^{y_2} \frac{x\hat{\mathbf{x}} + y\hat{\mathbf{y}} + z\hat{\mathbf{z}}}{R^3} dx dy = \frac{\rho_s}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \left[\left[\log(R + y)\hat{\mathbf{x}} + \log(R + x)\hat{\mathbf{y}} - \tan^{-1} \frac{xy}{zR} \hat{\mathbf{z}} \right]_{x_1}^{x_2} \right]_{y_1}^{y_2}$$

$$\mathbf{E} = -\frac{\rho_s}{2\epsilon_0} \hat{\mathbf{z}} \quad (\text{infinite plate})$$

Example: Surface ring charge

Field point $\mathbf{r} = (0, 0, h)$

Source point $\mathbf{r}' = (\rho, \varphi, 0)$, $\rho_1 \leq \rho \leq \rho_2$, $\varphi_1 \leq \varphi \leq \varphi_2$

$$\mathbf{R} = \mathbf{r} - \mathbf{r}' = h\hat{\mathbf{z}} - \rho\hat{\boldsymbol{\rho}}$$

$$d\mathbf{E} = \frac{\rho_s}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \frac{\mathbf{R} \rho d\rho d\varphi}{R^3} = -\frac{1}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \frac{x\hat{\mathbf{x}} + y\hat{\mathbf{y}} + z\hat{\mathbf{z}}}{R^3} dx dy, \quad R = \sqrt{x^2 + y^2 + z^2} = \sqrt{\rho^2 + z^2}$$

$$\mathbf{E} = \frac{\rho_s}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \int_0^{2\pi} d\varphi \int_{\rho_1}^{\rho_2} d\rho \frac{h\hat{\mathbf{z}} - \rho\hat{\boldsymbol{\rho}}}{R^3} = \frac{\rho_s h}{2\epsilon_0} \hat{\mathbf{z}} \left[\frac{-1}{R} \right]_{\rho_1}^{\rho_2} = \frac{\rho_s h}{2\epsilon_0} \left(\frac{1}{R_1} - \frac{1}{R_2} \right) \hat{\mathbf{z}}$$

$$R_1 = \sqrt{\rho_1^2 + h^2}, \quad R_2 = \sqrt{\rho_2^2 + h^2}$$

$$\mathbf{E} = \frac{\rho_s}{2\epsilon_0} \frac{h}{|h|} \hat{\mathbf{z}} \quad (\text{infinite plate})$$

5. Coding Examples

Example 1:

Infinite line charge: charge density σ (C/m), location (x_s, y_s) m

Field point: $P(x, y)$ m

Find the electric field $\mathbf{E}$ at P .

(Solution)

- Formulas

$$\mathbf{E} = \frac{\sigma \boldsymbol{\rho}}{2\pi\epsilon_0 \rho^2} ; \quad \boldsymbol{\rho} = (x - x_s)\hat{\mathbf{x}} + (y - y_s)\hat{\mathbf{y}}$$

- Code

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# EM-Lec4-Example 1: Single line charge
# Given a line charge at (xs,ys) m with charge density s (C/m)and
# the field point P(x,y) m, find the electric field E at P
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```
from math import *
e0=8.853e-12;pi=3.141593
while True:
    s=float(input('Charge density s (C/m) ='))
    xs,ys=map(float,input('Line charge position xs,ys (m) =').split())
    x,y=map(float,input('Field point x,y (m) =').split())
```

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rx=x-xs;ry=y-ys
r=sqrt(rx**2+ry**2)
ex=s/(2*pi*e0)*rx/r**2
ey=s/(2*pi*e0)*ry/r**2

print(' E (V/m) = (',ex,',',ey,')')
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'''
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Charge density s (C/m) =

-2e-9

Line charge position xs,ys (m) =

3 4

Field point x,y (m) =

1 2

E (V/m) = (8.988756666810751 , 8.988756666810751)

Charge density s (C/m) =

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'''
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Example 2:

1) 문제

n infinite line charge:

Charge 1: density σ_1 (C/m), location (x_1, y_1) m

...

Charge n : density σ_n (C/m), location (x_n, y_n) m

Field point: $P(x, y)$ m

Find the electric field $\mathbf{E}$ at P .

2) 수식

$$\mathbf{E} = \frac{1}{2\pi\epsilon_0} \sum_{i=1}^n \frac{\sigma_i \mathbf{\rho}_i}{\rho_i^2}, \quad \mathbf{\rho}_i = (x - x_i)\hat{\mathbf{x}} + (y - y_i)\hat{\mathbf{y}}$$

3) 코드

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# EM-04-Python-Ex2: Multiple line charges
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# Given line charges at (xi,yi) m with charge density si (C/m), i=1,2,...
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# (선전류 개수는 코드실행시 결정)
```

```
# and the field point P(x,y) m, find the electric field E at P
```

```

from math import *
e0=8.853e-12;pi=3.141593
xs=[0]*100; ys=[0]*100; s=[0]*100
# xs, ys, s는 모두 갯수가 100인 list이며 0의 값으로 초기화
# xs[0] 부터 xs[99]까지 총 100개 list 변수 사용 가능
# 변수 뒤에 [ ]는 list라 하면 변경가능하며 데이터형도 모두 수용가능한 배열. 지금의 경우 ]
# 1차원 배열. 2차원 배열은 s[i][j]로 표현. List를 사용하려면 사용하기 전에 초기화 해야 함.
while True: # while loop 1
    i=0; ex=0; ey=0
    x,y=map(float,input('Field point x,y (m) =').split())
    while True: # while loop 2
        print('Line charge no.=' ,i)
        s[i]=float(input('Charge density s (C/m)(0 to finish defining line charges) ='))
        if s[i]==0:
            break # get out of while loop 2
        xs[i],ys[i]=map(float,input('Line charge position xs,ys (m) =').split())
        rx=x-xs[i];ry=y-ys[i]
        r=sqrt(rx**2+ry**2)
        ex=ex+s[i]/(2*pi*e0)*rx/r**2
        ey=ey+s[i]/(2*pi*e0)*ry/r**2
        i=i+1
    print('E (V/m) = (',ex,',',ey,')')

```

4) 코드 수행결과

Field point x,y (m) =

1 2

Line charge no.= 0

Charge density s (C/m)(0 to finish defining line charges) =
3e-9

Line charge position xs,ys (m) =

3 4

Line charge no.= 1

Charge density s (C/m)(0 to finish defining line charges) =
-1e-10

Line charge position xs,ys (m) =

4 6

Line charge no.= 2

Charge density s (C/m)(0 to finish defining line charges) =
0

E (V/m) = (-13.267404840212667 , -13.19549478687818)

Field point x,y (m) == Process Stopped ==

Press Enter to exit terminal

Example 3:

A point charges: charge q C, location (x_s, y_s, z_s) m

Field point: $P(x, y, z)$

Find the electric field $\mathbf{E}$ at P .

(Solution)

- Formulas

$$\mathbf{E} = \frac{1}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \frac{q\mathbf{R}}{R^3}, \quad \mathbf{R} = (x - x_s)\hat{\mathbf{x}} + (y - y_s)\hat{\mathbf{y}} + (z - z_s)\hat{\mathbf{z}}$$

- Codes

Example 4:

n point charges:

Charge 1: charge q_1 C, location (x_1, y_1, z_1) m

...

Charge n : density q_n C, location (x_n, y_n, z_n) m

Field point: $P(x, y, z)$

Find the electric field $\mathbf{E}$ at P .

(Solution)

- Formulas

$$\mathbf{E} = \frac{1}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \sum_{i=1}^n \frac{q_i \mathbf{R}_i}{R_i^3}, \quad \mathbf{R}_i = (x - x_i)\hat{\mathbf{x}} + (y - y_i)\hat{\mathbf{y}} + (z - z_i)\hat{\mathbf{z}}$$

- Codes

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