## Physics 132-01 Test 2

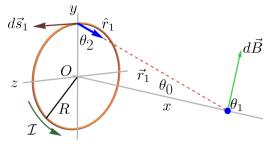
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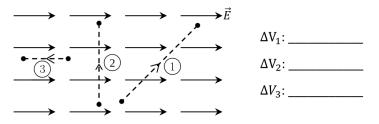
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Questions (5 for 8 pts. apiece) Answer in complete, well-written sentences WITHIN the spaces provided.

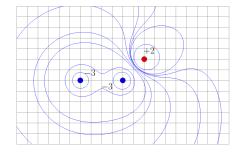
1. Consider the figure of a ring of electric current and the  $\vec{B}$  field produced by the point current in  $d\vec{s_1}$  on the ring's axis. How is  $\theta_2$  related to  $\theta_1$ ? Prove your assertion.



2. The figure below shows electric field vectors in a region of space. In traveling along each of the dotted-line paths below, is the change in electric potential  $\Delta V$  positive, negative, or zero? (Think: if pushing a positive charge +q along the path with your hand would require doing positive work, then you would be increasing the potential energy of the system.) Explain your reasoning.



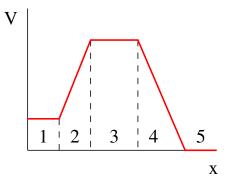
3. Consider the figure below of three charges (red is positive, blue is negative) and their equipotential lines. Draw a representative set of field lines including directions for each of the charges. What reasoning did you apply to draw the field lines?



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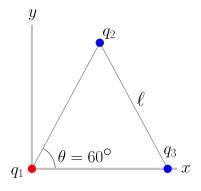
4. When we turn the lights on in a room the lights come on essentially instantaneously. In our study of circuits and current flow we found the drift velocity of the electrons in the wire was slow - usually  $\approx 10^{-5} m/s$ . Explain why these slow moving electrons can cause the lights to come on so quickly.

5. The figure below shows the electric potential V as a function of x. Which region along the x axis has the largest electric field? Which region has the lowest? Explain your reasoning.



**Problems** (3). Clearly show all reasoning for full credit. Use a separate sheet to show your work.

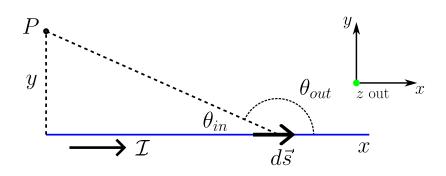
1. 15 pts. Three point charges are located at the corners of an equilateral triangle as shown in the figure with the values  $q_1 > 0$ ,  $q_2 < 0$ ,  $q_3 < 0$ , and  $\ell$ . What is the vector force on  $q_2$  in terms of the charges,  $\ell$ ,  $\theta$ , and any other constants? Explain how you arrive at the angles you used.



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2. 20 pts. What is the magnetic field  $\vec{B}$  at a point P which is a distance y away from the end of a thin wire of length  $\mathcal{L}$  carrying current  $\mathcal{I}$  as shown in the figure? Start from the Biot-Savart Law and get your answer in terms of  $\mathcal{L}$ , y,  $\mathcal{I}$ , and any other necessary quantities.



- 3. 25 pts. A neutral particle is at rest in a uniform magnetic field of magnitude  $|\vec{B}|$ . At time t = 0 it decays into two charged particles each with mass m and with charges +q and -q. The two particles move off on separate paths with opposite velocities. Both paths lie in a plane perpendicular to  $\vec{B}$ . At a later time they collide.
  - 1. Why are the velocities opposite to one another?
  - 2. What is the time from the decay to the collision? Express your answer in terms of m, q and B and any other constants.

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## Physics 132-01 Equations Test 2

$$\vec{F}_{G} = -G \frac{m_{1}m_{2}}{r_{12}^{2}} \hat{r} \qquad \vec{F}_{C} = k_{e} \frac{q_{1}q_{2}}{r_{12}^{2}} \hat{r} \qquad \vec{E} \equiv \frac{\vec{F}}{q_{0}} \qquad \vec{E} = k_{e} \sum_{i} \frac{q_{i}}{r_{i}^{2}} \hat{r}_{i} \qquad \vec{E} = k_{e} \int \frac{dq}{r^{2}} \hat{r} \qquad k_{e} = \frac{1}{4\pi\epsilon_{0}}$$

$$\vec{E}_{dipole} = k_{e} \frac{q(2a)}{(x^{2} + a^{2})^{3/2}} \hat{j} \qquad \vec{E}_{ring} = k_{e} \frac{qx}{(x^{2} + R^{2})^{3/2}} \hat{i} \qquad \vec{E}_{plane} = 2\pi k_{e} \eta \hat{k} = \frac{\eta}{2\epsilon_{0}} \hat{k}$$

$$\vec{E}_{disk} = 2\pi k_{e} \eta \left[ 1 - \frac{z}{\sqrt{z^{2} + R^{2}}} \right] \hat{k} = \frac{\eta}{2\epsilon_{0}} \left[ 1 - \frac{z}{\sqrt{z^{2} + R^{2}}} \right] \hat{k}$$

$$W \equiv \int \vec{F} \cdot d\vec{s} \quad \Delta V \equiv \frac{\Delta PE}{q_{0}} = -\int_{A}^{B} \vec{E} \cdot d\vec{s} \quad E = -\frac{dV}{ds} \quad V = k_{e} \frac{q}{r} \quad V = k_{e} \sum_{i} \frac{q_{i}}{r_{i}}$$

$$V = k_e \int \frac{dq}{r} \quad V = Ed \quad I = \frac{dQ}{dt} \quad Q = \int Idt \quad V = IR \quad P = IV \quad R_{equiv} = \sum R_i$$

The algebraic sum of the potential changes  $I = nqv_d A$ across all the elements of a closed loop is zero.

$$\begin{split} \vec{F}_B &= q\vec{v} \times \vec{B} \quad |\vec{F}_B| = |qvB\sin\alpha| \quad \vec{B} = k_m \int \frac{Id\vec{s} \times \hat{r}}{r^2} \quad k_m = \frac{\mu_0}{4\pi} \quad \vec{B}_{ring} = \frac{\mu_o IR^2}{2} \frac{1}{(x^2 + R^2)^{3/2}} \, \hat{i} \\ \vec{p}_0 &= \vec{p}_1 \quad KE_0 + PE_0 = KE_1 + PE_1 \quad KE = \frac{1}{2}mv^2 \quad PE = qV \\ \vec{F} &= m\vec{a} \qquad |\vec{F}_{cent}| = m\frac{v^2}{r} \qquad x = \frac{a}{2}t^2 + v_0t + x_0 \qquad v = at + v_0 \\ \frac{dx^n}{dx} &= nx^{n-1} \qquad \frac{df(u)}{dx} = \frac{df}{du}\frac{du}{dx} \qquad \frac{d}{dx}f(x) \cdot g(x) = f\frac{dg}{dx} + g\frac{df}{dx} \\ \langle x \rangle &= \frac{1}{N}\sum_i x_i \quad \sigma = \sqrt{\frac{\sum_i (x_i - \langle x \rangle)^2}{N - 1}} \quad \Delta x_{total} = \sqrt{\Delta x_1^2 + \Delta x_2^2 + \dots} \quad A = 4\pi r^2 \quad V = Ah \quad V = \frac{4}{3}\pi r^3 \end{split}$$

$$N = \frac{1}{i} \sqrt{N-1} \sqrt{$$

$$\int \frac{1}{x} dx = \ln x \quad \int x^n dx = \frac{x^{n+1}}{n+1} \quad \int e^{ax} dx = \frac{e^{ax}}{a} \quad \int \frac{1}{\sqrt{x^2 + a^2}} dx = \ln \left[ x + \sqrt{x^2 + a^2} \right]$$

$$\int \frac{x}{\sqrt{x^2 + a^2}} dx = \sqrt{x^2 + a^2} \quad \int \frac{x^2}{\sqrt{x^2 + a^2}} dx = \frac{1}{2}x\sqrt{x^2 + a^2} - \frac{1}{2}a^2 \ln \left[ x + \sqrt{x^2 + a^2} \right]$$

$$\int \frac{x^3}{\sqrt{x^2 + a^2}} dx = \frac{1}{3}(-2a^2 + x^2)\sqrt{x^2 + a^2} \quad \int \frac{1}{(x^2 + a^2)^{3/2}} dx = \frac{x}{a^2\sqrt{x^2 + a^2}}$$

$$\int \frac{x}{(x^2 + a^2)^{3/2}} dx = \frac{-1}{\sqrt{x^2 + a^2}} \quad \int \frac{1}{x^2 + a^2} dx = \frac{1}{a}\tan^{-1}\left(\frac{x}{a}\right)$$

## Physics 132-01 Constants

$T_{boiling}$ (N <sub>2</sub> )	77 K	$T_{freezing}$ (N <sub>2</sub> )	63 K
$T_{boiling}$ (water)	373 $K~{\rm or}~100^{\circ}{\rm C}$	$T_{freezing}$ (water)	273 $K$ or $0^{\circ}\mathrm{C}$
$L_v(\text{water})$	$2.26\times 10^6~J/kg$	$L_f$ (water)	$3.33 \times 10^5 \ J/kg$
$L_v(N_2)$	$2.01 \times 10^5 \ J/kg$	c (copper)	$3.87 \times 10^2 J/kg - ^{\circ} C$
c (water)	$4.19\times 10^3~J/kg-K$	c (steam)	0.69 J/kg - K
c (iron)	$4.5 \times 10^2 J/kg - k$	c (aluminum)	$9.0 \times 10^2 J/kg - K$
$\rho$ (water)	$1.0  imes 10^3 kg/m^3$	$P_{atm}$	$1.01\times 10^5~N/m^2$
R	8.31J/K - mole	g	$9.8 \ m/s^2$
0 K	$-273^{\circ}$ C	Speed of light $(c)$	$3.0  imes 10^8 \ m/s$
proton/neutron mass	$1.67 \times 10^{-27} \ kg$	$k_B$	$1.38 \times 10^{-23} \ J/K$
Gravitation constant	$6.67 \times 10^{-11} N - m^2/kg^2$	$1.0 \ \mathrm{eV}$	$1.6\times 10^{-19}~J$
e electronic charge	$1.6 \times 10^{-19} C$	Electron mass	$9.11\times 10^{-31}~kg$
Permittivity constant $(\epsilon_0)$	$8.85 \times 10^{-12} \frac{kg^2}{N-m^2}$	$1 \ u$	$1.67\times 10^{-27}~kg$
Permeability constant $(\mu_0)$	$4\pi  imes 10^{-7} \ Tm/A$	Earth-Sun distance	$1.5\times 10^{11}~m$
$k_e = 1/4\pi\epsilon_0$	$8.99 \times 10^9 \ N - m^2/C^2$	Earth's mass	$5.97\times 10^{24}~kg$
$k_m = \mu_o/4\pi$	$10^{-7} \ Tm/A$	Earth's radius	$6.37 \times 10^6 m$

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