

# ELIZADE UNIVERSITY, ILARA-MOKIN, ONDO STATE FACULTY OF ENGINEERING DEPARTMENT OF ELECTRICAL AND ELECTRONICS ENGINEERING

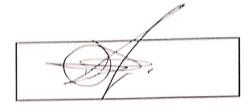
### FIRST SEMESTER EXAMINATION, 2019/2020 ACADEMIC SESSION

**COURSE TITLE: ELECTROMAGNETIC FIELDS** 

**COURSE CODE: EEE 313** 

**EXAMINATION DATE: 11<sup>TH</sup> FEBRUARY, 2020** 

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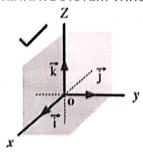


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TIME ALLOWED: 3 HRS

#### **INSTRUCTIONS:**

- 1. ANSWER QUESTION 1 AND ANY OTHER FOUR QUESTIONS (TOTAL OF 5 QUESTIONS)
- 2. SEVERE PENALTIES APPLY FOR MISCONDUCT, CHEATING, POSSESSION OF UNAUTHORIZED MATERIALS DURING EXAM.
- 3. YOU ARE **NOT** ALLOWED TO BORROW CALCULATORS AND ANY OTHER WRITING MATERIALS DURING THE EXAMINATION.
- 4. SEPARATION VECTOR  $\xi$  IS **ALWAYS** r r' i.e. FIELD POINT SOURCE POINT.
- 5. COULOMB'S LAW:  $\vec{\mathbf{E}} = \frac{1}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \frac{q}{\xi^2} \hat{\xi}$  VACUUM PERMITIVITY  $\epsilon_0: 8.854 \times 10^{-12} \; \mathrm{Fm}^{-1}$
- 6. COLOUMB'S CONSTANT  $k_e=rac{1}{4\pi\epsilon_0}=8.988 imes 10^9~\mathrm{Nm}^2\mathrm{C}^{-2}$
- 7. USE THE FOLLOWING COORDINATE SYSTEM THROUGHOUT THE EXAM



Include appropriate units in your answers. The speed of light, permittivity and permeability in free space are given by  $c=3\times 10^8$  m/s,  $\varepsilon_0=8.854\times 10^{-12}$  Fm<sup>-1</sup> and  $\mu_0=4\pi\times 10^{-7}$  N/A<sup>2</sup> respectively. All symbols should be taken as standard. The unit of  $\vec{B}$  is Nm<sup>-1</sup>A<sup>-1</sup>.

## QUESTION #1 [20 Marks]

Figure Q1a shows a thick spherical shell of charge of uniform volume charge density  $\rho$ . Plot  $\vec{E}$  due to the shell for distances r from the center of the shell ranging from 0cm to 50cm. Assume that  $\rho = 2.0 \times 10^{-6} C/m^3$ , a = 15 cm, and b = 30 cm.

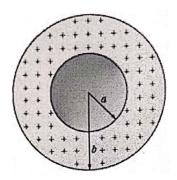


Figure Q1a: Thick Spherical Shell

b)
i.) Five charges each of 1 nC are placed as shown in Figure Q1b. Suppose four of the charges are placed on the four edges of a square of sides 10 nm, while the fifth charge is placed in the center of the square, determine the total energy stored in the configuration of the five charges. (Take  $\varepsilon_0 = 8.854 \times 10^{-12}$  F/m)

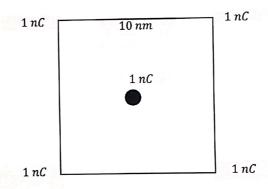


Figure Q1b: Energy Stored in Discrete Configuration

ii.) Calculate the work done in moving an 8-C charge from A (2,3,1) to B (0,0,1) along the path  $y=2x^2, z=2$  in the electric field E=10xy i+5yz j+10z k V/C. [3 marks]

## QUESTION #2 [10 Marks]

- a) Space vehicles traveling through Earth's radiation belt can intercept a significant number of electrons. The resulting charge build-up can damage electronic components and disrupt operations. Suppose a 4 m diameter-wide spherical metallic satellite accumulates 40  $\mu$ C in one orbital revolution. (i) Find the resulting surface charge density. (ii) Calculate the magnitude of the electric field just outside the surface of the satellite due to surface charge. [4 marks]
- b) A sphere of radius R has a (volume) charge density proportional to the distance from the origin,  $\rho = kr$ , for some constant k. Find the electric field everywhere inside and outside the sphere. (Hint: There are two regions, r < R and  $r \ge R$ . The charge density is not uniform; you must integrate to get the enclosed charge). [6 marks]

## QUESTION #3 [10 Marks]

- a) A non-uniform electric field is given by the expression  $\vec{E} = y i + 2z j + 4z k$ . With the aid of a diagram, determine the electric flux through a rectangular surface in the zy plane extending from z = 0 to z = 1 and from y = 0 to y = 4. [4 marks]
- b) The diagram in Figure Q3a shows a non-conducting rod with uniformly distributed charge +Q. The rod forms a half-circle of radius N and produces an electric field  $\overrightarrow{E_{arc}}$  at its center of curvature P. If the arc of Figure Q3a is collapsed in a single point-charge +Q at a distance R from P (see Figure Q3b, by what factor is the electric field  $E_{arc}$  multiplied? Hint: label the differential length ds, label the coordinates of ds in terms of  $\theta$ , obtain the separation vector  $\vec{\xi}$ , and apply Coulomb's law while noting that  $dQ = \lambda ds = \lambda N d\theta$ . Compute the ratio  $\frac{electric \ field \ at \ P \ in \ Fig \ 2b}{E_{arc} \ at \ P \ in \ Fig \ 2a}$

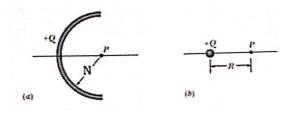


Figure Q3: Configuration of Uniformly Distributed Charges

## QUESTION #4 [10 Marks]

a) The diagram in Figure Q4 shows two square arrays of charged particles. The squares, which are centered on point P, are misaligned. The particles are separated by either d or d/2 along the perimeters of the squares. What are the magnitude and direction of the net electric field at P?

[4 marks]

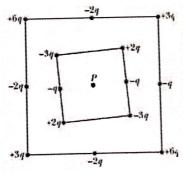


Figure Q4: Configuration of Discrete Charges

b) Consider a rod of length l has a uniform charge density of  $\lambda$  and a total charge Q. Compute the electric field at a point P along the axis of the rod, a distance d from the left end. [6 marks]

<b>QUESTION #5</b>	[10	Marks]
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(a) State the two boundary conditions for propagation of static electric field in a conductor-free space interface.

[2 marks]

(b) Given the potential field  $V = 200(x^2 - y^2)$  and a point P(2,1,3) that is stipulated to lie on a conductor-free space interface, determine at point P:

(i) Potential V

[1 mark]

(ii) Equation of the conductor surface

[2 marks]

(iii) Electric field  $\vec{E}$ 

[3 marks]

(iv) Surface charge  $\rho_s$ . Take  $\epsilon_o = 8.854 \times 10^{-12} \text{ F/m}$ 

[2 marks]

### QUESTION #6 [10 Marks]

(a) Derive the Poisson equation and the Laplace equation. State 1-D form of both equations

[4 marks]

(b) Given the volume charge density in free space as  $\rho_v = -2 \times 10^7 \varepsilon_o \, x \, C/m^3$ . If the potential V=0 V at x=0 and V=2 V at x=3 mm. At x=1 mm determine:

(i) Potential V

[3 marks]

(ii) Electric field E<sub>x</sub>

[3 marks]

## QUESTION #7 [10 Marks]

(a)

(i) List two sources of static magnetic field.

[2 marks]

(ii) State Bio-Savart's Law.

[2 marks]

(iii) What are the similarities and differences between Bio-Savart's law and Coulomb's law

[2 marks]

(b) An electron moves with a velocity of  $5 \times 10^7$  m/s in the j-direction through a point in free space where the magnitude of the applied magnetic field is 2 Telsa in the k-direction. If the force on an electron at this point is given as  $\vec{\mathbf{F}} = (9.5 \times 10^{-14})i + (9.5 \times 10^{-14})j$ , determine the electric field at the point. Note: electron charge  $e = 1.602 \times 10^{-19}C$ . Use Lorentz force law.

[4 marks]