

Practice Problems for Common Exam 3

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$$I = \frac{1}{A} \frac{\Delta E}{\Delta t} = \frac{\rho}{A} \quad I = \frac{\rho_{av}}{A} = \frac{\rho_{av}}{4\pi r^2}$$

$$\beta = 10 \text{ dB} \log \left(\frac{I}{I_0} \right) \quad \beta_2 - \beta_1 = 10 \text{ dB} \log \frac{I_2}{I_1}$$

$$f_o = f_s \left(\frac{v + v_o}{v - v_s} \right)$$

$$f_n = n \frac{v}{2L} = n f_1 \quad n = 1, 2, 3, \dots$$

$$f_n = n \frac{v}{4L} = n f_1 \quad n = 1, 3, 5, \dots$$

1. The intensity at a distance of 4.0 m from a source that is radiating equally in all directions is $9.85 \times 10^{-7} \text{ W/m}^2$. What is the intensity level in dB at a distance of 6 m?

$$I = \frac{P}{4\pi R^2}$$

$$P = I * 4\pi R^2 = 9.85 \times 10^{-7} * 4\pi 4^2 = 1.98 \times 10^{-4} \text{ W}$$

$$I = \frac{P}{4\pi R^2} = \frac{1.98 \times 10^{-4}}{4\pi 6^2} = 4.37 \times 10^{-7} \quad \beta = 10 \text{ dB} \log \frac{4.37 \times 10^{-7}}{10^{-12}} = 56.4 \text{ dB}$$

2. The intensity of a certain sound wave is $2 \times 10^{-7} \text{ W/m}^2$. If its intensity is raised by 30 decibels, what is the new intensity in W/m^2 ?

$$\beta_2 - \beta_1 = 10 \text{dB} \log \frac{I_2}{I_1}$$

$$3 = \log \frac{I_2}{I_1} \quad I_2 = I_1 * 10^3 = 2 \times 10^{-4}$$

3. A factory siren indicating the end of the shift has a frequency of 80 Hz. What frequency is perceived by the occupant of a car traveling away from the factory at 30 m/s? The speed of the sound is 343 m/s.

$$f_{\text{source}} = 80\text{Hz}, v_o = -30 \text{ m/s and } v_{\text{source}} = 0$$

$$f_o = f_s \left(\frac{v + v_o}{v - v_s} \right)$$

$$f_{\text{driver}} = 80 \frac{343 - 30\text{m/s}}{343} = 73\text{Hz}$$

4. A factory siren indicating the end of the shift has a frequency of 82 Hz. If the occupant of a car traveling away from the factory perceives frequency of 76 Hz, what is the speed of the car? The speed of the sound is 343 m/s.

$$f_o = f_s \left(\frac{V + V_o}{V - V_s} \right)$$

$$82 \text{ Hz} \frac{343 - v}{343} = 76 \text{ Hz} \quad \frac{343 - v}{343} = \frac{76}{82} = 0.93$$

$$\frac{343 - v}{343} = 0.93 \quad 343 - v = 317.9 \quad v = 343 - 317.9 = 25.1 \text{ m/s}$$

5. A 500-Hz whistle is moved toward a listener at a speed of 10.0 m/s. At the same time, the listener moves at a speed of 20.0 m/s in a direction away from the whistle. What is the apparent frequency heard by the listener? (The speed of sound is 340 m/s.)

$f_{\text{source}} = 245\text{Hz}$, v_o - **negative** and v_{source} - **positive**

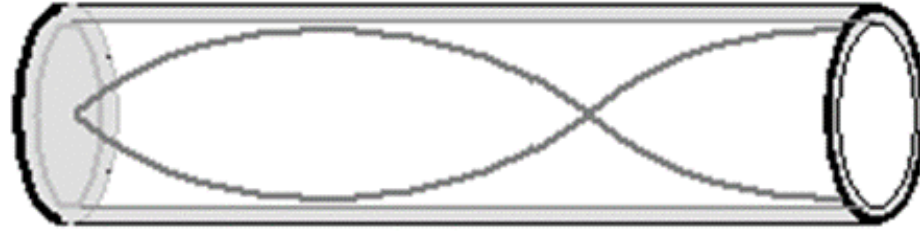
$$f_o = f_s \left(\frac{V + V_o}{V - V_s} \right)$$

$$f_{\text{driver}} = f_{\text{source}} \frac{343 - 20 \text{ m/s}}{343 - 10 \text{ m/s}} = 485\text{Hz}$$

6. If an organ pipe shown is to resonate at 370 Hz, what is its required length?

$v = 343 \text{ m/s}$

$$f_n = n \frac{v}{4L}$$



$n=3$

$$L = \frac{nv}{4f_3} = \frac{3 \cdot 343}{4 \cdot 370} = 0.70 \text{ m}$$

7. An organ pipe, open at both ends, is 2.2 m long. If the velocity of sound in air is 343 m/s, the frequency of third harmonic of this pipe is:

$$f_n = n \frac{v}{2L}$$

$$f = 3 \frac{343}{2 * 2.2} = 234 \text{ Hz}$$

In a resonating pipe that is open at one end and closed at the other end, there

A) are displacement nodes at each end.

B) are displacement antinodes at each end.

C) is a displacement node at the open end and a displacement antinode at the closed end.

D) is a displacement node at the closed end and a displacement antinode at the open end.

Electric charge:

$$q = Ne$$

$$8.99 \times 10^9 \text{ Nm}^2/\text{C}^2$$

$$\mathbf{F} = k \frac{q_1 q_2}{r^2}$$

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

$$\mathbf{F} = q\mathbf{E}$$

$$q\mathbf{E} = m\mathbf{a}$$

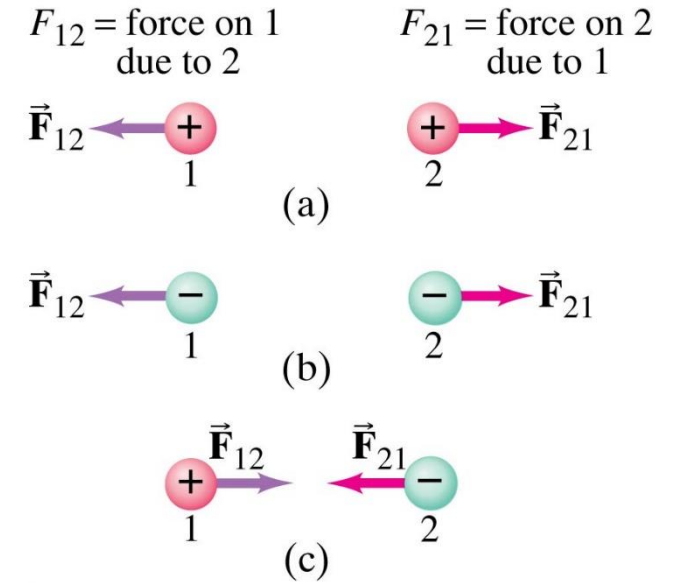
$$PE = q\Delta V$$

$$KE = \frac{1}{2} mv^2$$

$$q\Delta V + \Delta K = 0$$

$$q\Delta V = \frac{1}{2} mv^2$$

$$\Delta V = Ed$$



8. The attractive electrostatic force between the two point charges $4 \times 10^{-6} \text{C}$ and Q has a magnitude of 1.77 N when the separation between charges is 25 cm . The sign and magnitude of the charge Q is closest to ($k = 8.99 \times 10^9 \text{ N/mC}^2$)

$$F = k \frac{q_1 q_2}{r^2} \quad q_2 = \frac{F r^2}{k q_1} = \frac{1.77 * 0.25^2}{8.99 \times 10^9 4 \times 10^{-6}} = 3 \times 10^{-6} \text{C}$$

negative

9. A 2 mg particle carrying a charge of 4nC is placed in an uniform electric field of magnitude of 100 N/C. Find the particle's acceleration.

$$ma = qE \quad m = 2 \times 10^{-6} \text{kg} \quad q = 4 \times 10^{-9} \text{C}$$

$$a = \frac{qE}{m} = \frac{4 \times 10^{-9} * 100}{2 \times 10^{-6}} = 0.2 \text{ m/s}^2$$

If a point charge of $-3.0 \mu\text{C}$ experiences an electrostatic upward force of $27 \mu\text{N}$ at a certain location in the laboratory, what are the magnitude and direction of the electric field at that location?

$$F = qE \quad E = \frac{F}{q} = \frac{27 \times 10^{-6}}{3 \times 10^{-6}} = 9 \text{N/C downward}$$

10. Determine the magnitude and direction of the electric field midway between a -8nC and a -6nC charge 60 cm apart. ($k=8.99\times 10^9\text{N/mC}^2$)



$$E_1 = k \frac{Q_1}{r^2} = 8.99 \times 10^9 \frac{8 \times 10^{-9}}{0.3^2} = 799 \frac{\text{N}}{\text{C}} \quad \text{to the left}$$

$$E_2 = k \frac{Q_2}{r^2} = 8.99 \times 10^9 \frac{6 \times 10^{-9}}{0.3^2} = 599 \frac{\text{N}}{\text{C}} \quad \text{to the right}$$

$$E_{\text{net}} = 599\text{N/C} - 799\text{N/C} = -200\text{N/C} \quad \text{to the left}$$

11. What is the speed of a proton that has been accelerated from rest through a potential difference of 4.0 kV? ($m_p=1.67 \times 10^{-27}$ kg, $e=1.6 \times 10^{-19}$ C)

$$q\Delta V = \frac{1}{2}mv^2$$

$$v = \sqrt{\frac{2q\Delta V}{m}} = \sqrt{\frac{2 * 1.6 \times 10^{-19} * 4000V}{1.67 \times 10^{-27}}} = 8.8 \times 10^5 \text{ m/s}$$

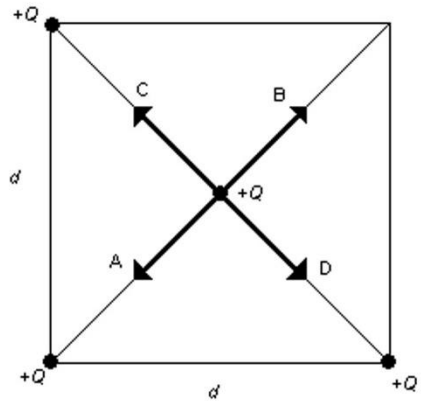
Two tiny beads are 25 cm apart with no other charges or fields present. Bead A carries $10\ \mu\text{C}$ of charge and bead B carries $1\ \mu\text{C}$. Which one of the following statements is true about the magnitudes of the electric forces on these beads?

- A) The force on A is 10 times the force on B.
- B) The force on B is 10 times the force on A.
- C) The force on A is exactly equal to the force on B.**
- D) The force on A is 100 times the force on B.
- E) The force on B is 100 times the force on A.

Three equal charges $+Q$ are at three of the corners of a square of side d .

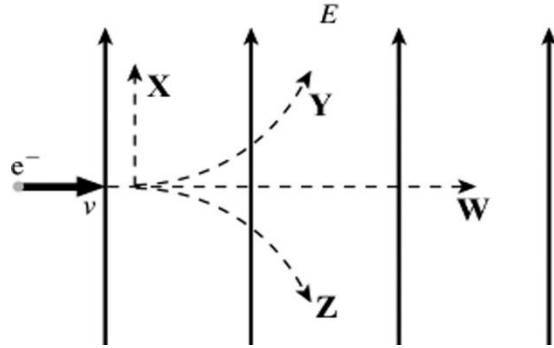
A fourth charge $+Q$ of equal magnitude is at the center of the square as shown in the figure

Which one of the arrows shown represents the net force acting on the charge at the center of the square?



- A) A
- B) B**
- C) C
- D) D
- E) None of the above

An electron is initially moving to the right when it enters a uniform electric field directed upwards, as shown in the figure. Which trajectory (**X**, **Y**, **Z**, or **W**) will the electron follow in the field?



- A) trajectory **W**
- B) trajectory **X**
- C) trajectory **Y**
- D) trajectory Z**
- E) None of the above

Current: $I = \frac{\Delta q}{\Delta t} = \frac{Ne}{t}$ $R = \rho \frac{L}{A}$; $V = I \cdot R$ $P = \frac{E}{\Delta t}$ $P = I \cdot V$; $P = I^2 R$ $P = \frac{V^2}{R}$

AC current: $V = V_m \sin \omega t$ $V_{\text{rms}} = \frac{V_m}{\sqrt{2}}$ $I_{\text{rms}} = \frac{I_m}{\sqrt{2}}$ $P_{\text{avg}} = \frac{V_{\text{rms}}^2}{R}$ $P_{\text{avg}} = I_{\text{rms}}^2 R$

Circuits: in series : $R_{\text{eq}} = R_1 + R_2 + \dots + R_n$ **in parallel:** $R_{\text{eqv}} = \left(\frac{1}{R_1} + \frac{1}{R_2} \right)^{-1}$ $\sum V = 0$ $\sum I = 0$

12. A current of 1.60 mA flows in a wire. How many electrons are flowing past any point in the wire in 5 min? $e = 1.6 \times 10^{-19} \text{C}$ 5 min = 300 s

$$I = \frac{Ne}{t} \quad N = \frac{I * t}{e} = \frac{1.6 \times 10^{-3} * 300}{1.6 \times 10^{-19}} = 3 \times 10^{18} \text{ electrons}$$

13. When a 1.0-m length of metal wire is connected to a 1.5 V battery, a current of 8.0 mA flows through it. What is the diameter of the wire? The resistivity of the metal is $2.24 \times 10^{-8} \Omega \cdot \text{m}$.

$$R = \rho \frac{\ell}{A} \quad V = IR \quad R = \frac{V}{I} = \frac{1.5 \text{ V}}{8 \times 10^{-3}} = 187.5 \Omega$$

$$A = \pi r^2 \quad \pi r^2 = \frac{\rho L}{R}$$

$$\text{diameter} = 2r = 2 \sqrt{\frac{\rho L}{\pi R}} = 2 \sqrt{\frac{2.24 \times 10^{-8} * 1 \text{ m}}{\pi 187.5}} = 12 \times 10^{-6} \text{ m}$$

15. A 100 W lightbulb has a resistance of 12Ω when cold (20°C) and 140Ω when on (hot). Calculate the temperature of the filament when hot assuming an average temperature coefficient of resistivity $\alpha = 0.0045/^\circ\text{C}$.

$$R - R_0 = R_0 \alpha (T - T_0)$$

$$(T - T_0) = \frac{R - R_0}{R_0 \alpha} \quad T = T_0 + \frac{R - R_0}{R_0 \alpha} = 20^\circ\text{C} + \frac{140 - 20}{20 * 0.0045} = 1353^\circ\text{C}$$

16. An electrical heating coil of resistance of 28Ω is used to heat up a 3.0 kg of water at 20.0°C . What is the current in the heating coil if the water warms up to 60.0°C in 5 min ? (specific heat of water is $4186 \text{ J/kg}^\circ\text{C}$)

$$mc\Delta T = Pt \quad mc\Delta T = I^2R*t$$

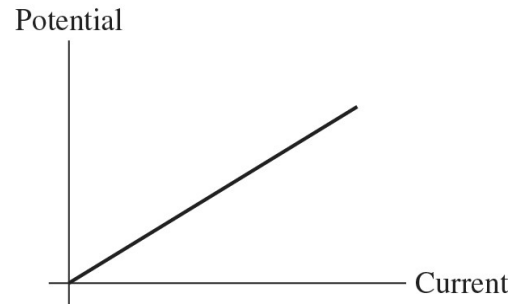
$$I = \sqrt{\frac{mc\Delta T}{Rt}} = \sqrt{\frac{3*4186*(60-20)}{28*5*60}} = 7.7 \text{ A}$$

17. A 200-W driveway light bulb is on 10 hours per day. Assuming the power company charges 10 cents for each kilowatt-hour of electricity used, estimate the annual cost to operate the bulb. (1 year = 365 days)

$$E = Pt = 0.2 \text{ kW} * (10 * 365) \text{ hours} = 730 \text{ kWh}$$

$$\text{cost} = \$0.1 * 730 \text{ kWh} = \$ 73.0$$

For the graph shown in the figure, what physical quantity does the slope of the graph represent for ohmic material?



- A) power
- B) resistivity
- C) $1/(\text{resistivity})$
- D) resistance**
- E) $1/(\text{resistance})$

A wire of resistivity ρ must be replaced in a circuit by a wire of the same material but four times as long. If, however, the total resistance is to remain as before, the diameter of the new wire must

- A) be the same as the original diameter.
- B) be one-half the original diameter.
- C) be one-fourth the original diameter.
- D) be two times the original diameter.**
- E) be four times the original diameter.

When the current through a resistor is increased by a factor of 4, the power dissipated by the resistor

- A) decreases by a factor of 4.
- B) decreases by a factor of 16.
- C) increases by a factor of 16.**
- D) increases by a factor of 4.
- E) increases by a factor of 2.

18. An ac voltage of $80V \cdot \sin(377\text{rad/s} \cdot t)$ is applied across a resistor of 35Ω . What is the average power dissipated in the resistor?

$$V_{\text{rms}} = \frac{V_{\text{max}}}{\sqrt{2}} = \frac{80}{\sqrt{2}} = 56.7V \quad I_{\text{rms}} = \frac{V_{\text{rms}}}{R} = \frac{56.7}{35} = 1.62 A$$

$$P = I_{\text{rms}}^2 * R = 1.62^2 * 35 = 92 W$$

or

$$P = \frac{V_{\text{rms}}^2}{R} = \frac{56.7^2}{35} = 92 W$$

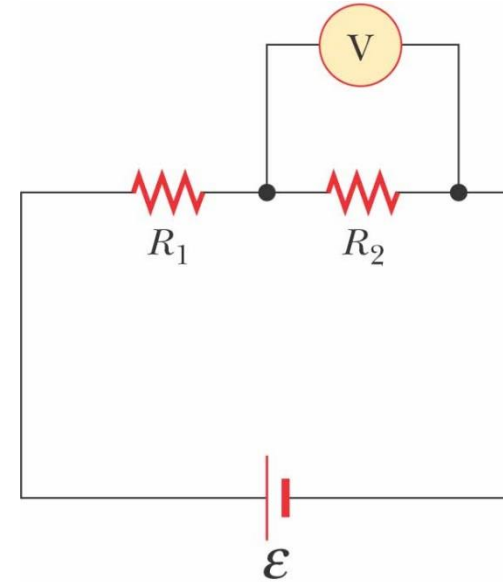
For $R_1 = 5 \Omega$, $R_2 = 10 \Omega$ and $\text{emf} = 30 \text{ V}$, (a) find the current in the circuit, (b) potential difference across the resistor R_2 , and (c) power dissipated in the R_2 resistor

$$V = IR_{\text{eqv}}$$

$$(a) \quad I = \frac{\text{emf}}{R_1 + R_2} = \frac{30}{15} = 2A$$

$$(b) \quad V = IR_2 = 2A * 10\Omega = 20V$$

$$(c) \quad P = I^2 R_2 = (2A)^2 * 10\Omega = 40 \text{ W}$$



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