

EMT PP - 2022

(1) Given info

Positive charge =  $+q$

Negative charge =  $-q$

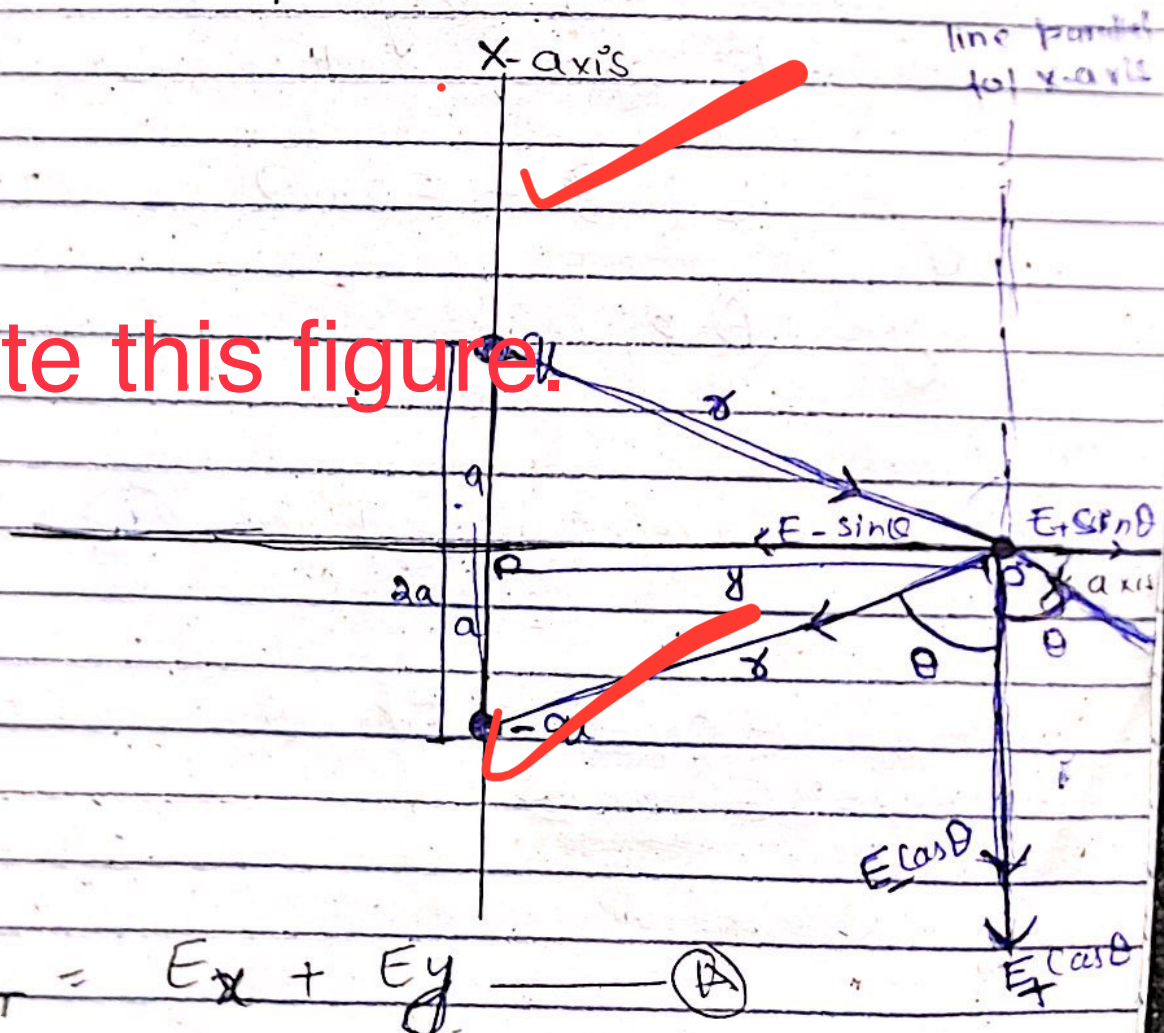
Both charges equidistant from origin

Separation =  $2a$

$E$  at  $P$  on  $y$ -axis = ?

$y \gg a$   $\epsilon_0 = 8.85 \times 10^{-12}$

Sketching the dipole as per the given info



Elaborate this figure.

Electric field along x-axis

$$E_x = E_+ \cos \theta + E_- \cos \theta \quad \text{--- (1)}$$

Electric field along y-axis

$$E_y = E_+ \sin \theta + E_- \sin \theta$$

As evident from the figure that both  $\sin \theta$  components are equal in magnitude but opposite in direction, so they will cancel-out each other, so

$$E_y = E \sin \theta - E \sin \theta$$

$$E_y = 0$$

~~This is~~

Suppress the subscript in (1) too

$$E_x = E \cos \theta + E \cos \theta$$

$$E_x = 2E \cos \theta$$

Put in (A)

$$E_T = E_x + E_y$$

$$E_T = 2E \cos \theta + 0$$

$$E_T = 2E \cos \theta \quad \text{(B)}$$

Going for  $\cos \theta$

$$\cos \theta = \frac{\text{base}}{\text{hypotenuse}}$$

$$\cos \theta = \frac{2a}{r}$$

Going for  $E$

As we know

$$E = \frac{F}{q_0} = \frac{kq_0q}{r_0 r^2}$$

$$E = \frac{kq_0q}{r^2}$$

crossing for  $r^2$

Putting Pythagorean theorem in figure

$$r^2 = y^2 + a^2$$

Putting this in place of  $r$

$$E = \frac{kqQ}{y^2 + a^2}$$

And also

$$\cos\theta = \frac{2a}{\sqrt{y^2 + a^2}}$$

Putting both of the values in (B)

$$E_T = 2 \left( \frac{kqQ}{y^2 + a^2} \right) \left( \frac{2a}{\sqrt{y^2 + a^2}} \right)$$

$$E_T = 2 \left( \frac{1}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \frac{qQ}{y^2 + a^2} \right) \frac{2a}{\sqrt{y^2 + a^2}}$$

$$E_T = \frac{qQa}{\pi\epsilon_0 (y^2 + a^2)^{3/2}}$$

As we know from the definition of dipole moment

$$\vec{P} = qd/d = qa$$

So

$$E_T = \frac{\bar{P}}{\pi \epsilon_0 (y^2 + a^2)^{3/2}}$$

Now, as the condition is given that  $y \gg a$ , so  $a$  will be neglected.

$$E_T = \frac{\bar{P}}{\pi \epsilon_0 (y^2)^{3/2}}$$

$$E_T = \frac{\bar{P}}{\pi \epsilon_0 y^3}$$

This is the total electric field due to a dipole under given conditions.

(b) Given info

Source charge =  $Q$

distance =  $r$

Vector form of electric field =  $\vec{E} = ?$

Graph of  $\vec{E} = ?$

From the definition of

$$E = \frac{F}{q_1 q_2} \quad (1)$$

As we know

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

Here

$$F = \frac{1}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \frac{Q(q_1)}{r^2}$$

$$F = \frac{Qq_1}{4\pi\epsilon_0 r^2}$$

Put in (1)

$$E = \frac{Qq_1}{4\pi\epsilon_0 r^2 q_1}$$

So,

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

OR

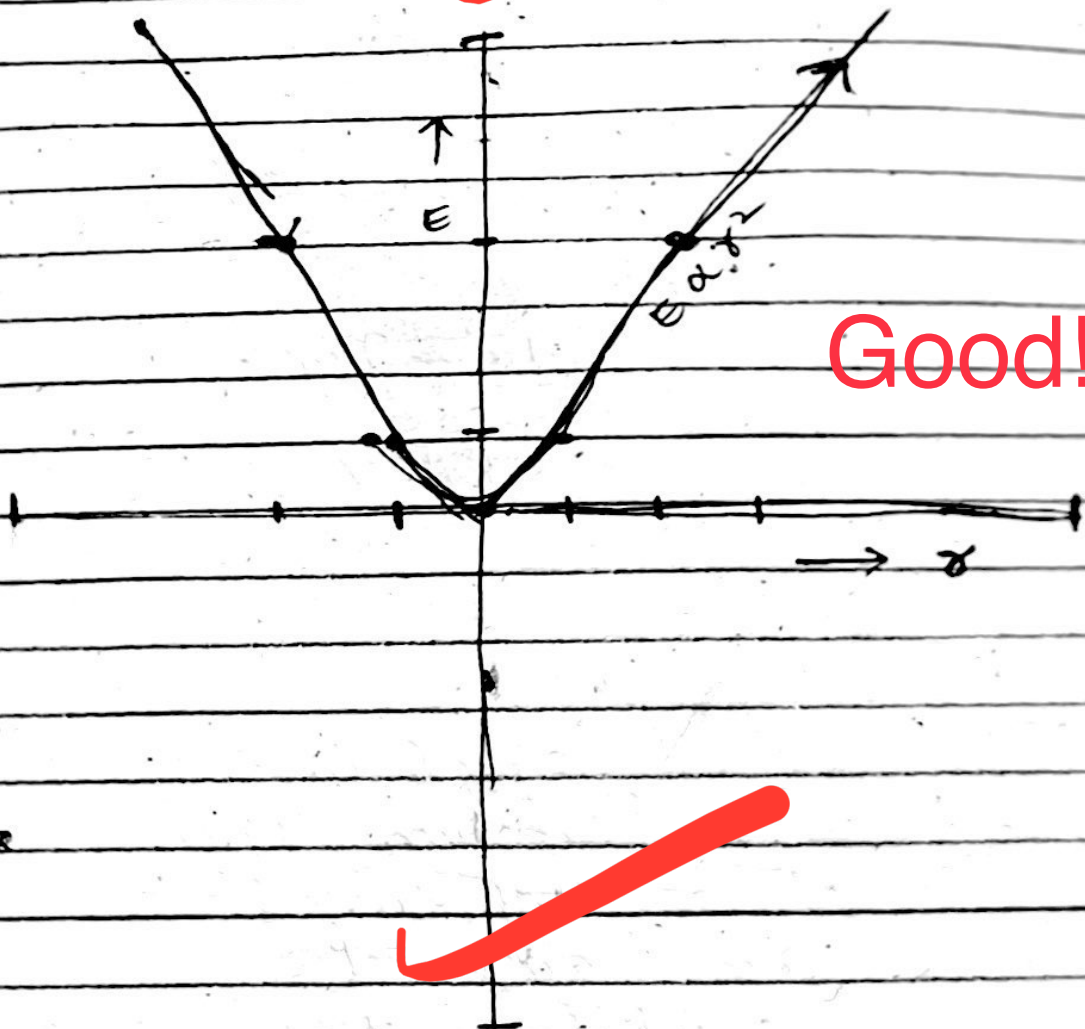
$$E = k \frac{Q}{r^2}$$

Graphical explanation

From the equation

$$E \propto \frac{1}{r^2}$$

Sketching  $E$  w.r.t  $r^2$

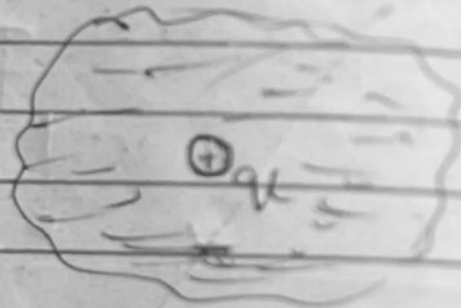


## (c) Electric field and a dipole

### Electric field:

A region surrounding the charge in which the charge exerts its electrostatic force on other charges is called the electric field. ~~Mathematically~~

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



Where

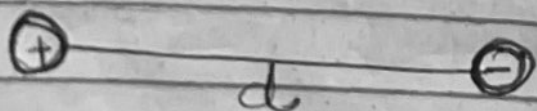
$F$  = electrostatic force

$q_0$  = point charge

### Derivation?

### Dipole

Two charges ~~equal~~ equal in magnitude & opposite in direction when placed at a very small distance from each other constitute a dipole. ~~Mathematically~~



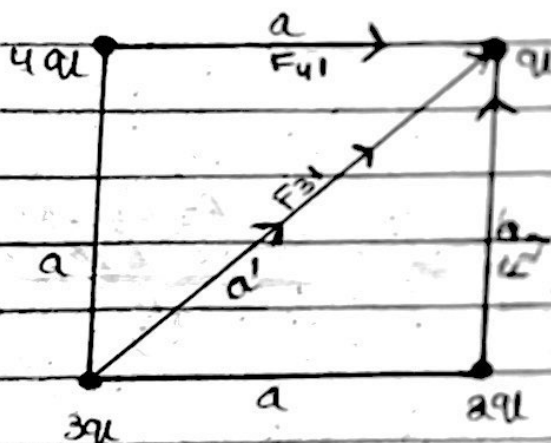


Q5(a)

Given info:

- 4 charges, counter clockwise arranged on corners of a square
- charge =  $q_1, 2q_1, 3q_1, 4q_1$
- square's arm length =  $a$
- E-Field at  $q_1 = ?$
- E-Force at  $q_1 = ?$

Sketching the given condition:



Electric Force on  $q_1$ :

$$F_T = F_{21} + F_{31} + F_{41} \quad \text{--- (A)}$$

$$F_{21} = k \frac{q_1 q_2}{r^2} = \frac{k (2q_1)(q_1)}{(a)^2} = \frac{2kq_1^2}{a^2}$$

$$F_{41} = k \frac{q_1 q_2}{r^2} = \frac{k (4q_1)(q_1)}{a^2} = \frac{4kq_1^2}{a^2}$$

For  $F_{31}$ , we have to calculate the  $3q_1$ 's distance from  $q_1$ , which is  $a'$ .

By Pythagorean theorem

$$\text{hyp}^2 = \text{per}^2 + \text{base}^2$$

$$(a')^2 = \sqrt{a^2 + a^2}$$

$$(a')^2 = 2a^2$$

$$a' = a\sqrt{2}$$

So

$$F = \frac{kq_1q_1}{a^2} = \frac{k(3q_1)(q_1)}{(a')^2} = \frac{3kq_1^2}{2a^2}$$

Putting all in (A)

$$F_T = \frac{2kq_1^2}{a^2} + \frac{4kq_1^2}{a^2} + \frac{3kq_1^2}{2a^2}$$

$$F_T = \frac{kq_1^2}{a^2} \left( 2 + 4 + \frac{3}{2} \right)$$

$$F_T = \frac{kq_1^2}{a^2} \left( 6 + \frac{3}{2} \right)$$

$$F_1 = \frac{kq_1^2}{a^2} \left( \frac{12+3}{2} \right)$$

$$F_T = \frac{kq_1^2}{a^2} \left( \frac{15}{2} \right)$$

$$F_T = \frac{15kq_1^2}{2a^2}$$

Electric field at charge

We know that

$$E = \frac{F}{q_1} = \frac{F}{q_1}$$

$$E = \frac{15kq_1^2}{2a^2} \times \frac{1}{q_1}$$

$$E = \frac{15kq_1}{2a^2}$$

b) Given info

→ Parallel plate capacitor

→ Space between plates = 1mm

→ Surface Area of each plate = ?

→ Capacitance = 1F

→  $\epsilon_0 = 8.85 \times 10^{-12} \text{ C}^2 \text{ N}^{-1} \text{ m}^{-2}$

Soln:

$$d = 1 \text{ mm} = 1 \times 10^{-3} \text{ m}$$

$$C = 1 \text{ F}$$

$$A = ?$$

We know that

$$C = \frac{A \epsilon_0}{d}$$

$$A = \frac{cd}{\epsilon_0}$$

$$A = \frac{(1)(1 \times 10^{-3})}{8.85 \times 10^{-12}}$$

$$A = 1.13 \times 10^8 \text{ m}^2$$

It is possible to build it in  
b.

From the amount of the  
required area, it is not  
possible or at least near

impossible to build a capacitor with such dimensions in a lab.

(5)  
~~Capacitance =~~

c) Given info:

Separation b/w 11 plates =  $d = x$

di-electric const =  $\epsilon_r = 8$

Thickness =  $T = \frac{1}{3}x$

Capacitance = ?

Formula

$$C = \frac{A \epsilon_0 \epsilon_r}{d}$$

Going for Area:

$$A = (d)(T)$$

$$= x \left( \frac{1}{3}x \right)$$

$$= \frac{1}{3}x^2$$

So

$$C = \frac{\frac{1}{3}x^2 (0.85 \times 10^{-12}) (8)}{x}$$

$$= \frac{(12.85 \times 10^{-12}) (\gamma) (\gamma)}{3}$$

So

$$C = \gamma \cdot 12.85 \times 10^{-12}$$

Good!