

Second Semester Honours

ELECTROSTATICS

Electric Flux and Gauss theorem

- 1) A charge Q is placed at the centre of the edge of a cube .What is the flux through the cube. A) $\frac{q}{4\epsilon_0}$
- 2) A charge Q is placed at the centre of the face of a cube .What is the flux through the cube. A) $\frac{q}{2\epsilon_0}$
- 3) If a charge Q is placed at the corner of a cube, then what is the flux through the cube .Also find the flux through the faces of the cube. A) $\frac{q}{8\epsilon_0}, \frac{q}{24\epsilon_0}$
- 4) A charge Q is placed at the centre of a cube. What is the flux through the cube. Also find the flux through any surface of the cube. A) $\frac{q}{\epsilon_0}, \frac{q}{6\epsilon_0}$
- 5) a charge q is distributed uniformly on a ring of radius r . A sphere of equal radius r is constructed with its centre at the periphery of ring .Calculate the flux of electric field through the surface of the sphere.
- 6) A charge q is placed at the centre of an imaginary hemispherical surface .Find the flux of electric field due to this charge through the surface of the hemisphere.
- 7) A charge q is placed at a distance $a/2$ above the centre of a horizontal square surface of edge a as shown in the figure . Find flux through the square surface. A) $\frac{q}{6\epsilon_0}$
- 8) There is a straight rod of linear charge density λ , inside a cube of side a .What is the maximum possible value of electric flux through the cube. A) $\sqrt{3}a\lambda$
- 9) the electric flux from a cube of edge L is ϕ .What will be its value if edge of the cube is made $2L$ and charge enclosed is halved $\phi/2$
- 10) if the electric flux entering an enclosed surface is ϕ_1 and leaving the surface is ϕ_2 .find amount of charge enclosed in the closed surface .
- 11) Find the electric flux through each face of a cube bounded by the surfaces $x=0, x=a, y=0, y=a, z=0, z=a$ when the electric field E in the region is given by $E = E_0 \frac{x}{a} \hat{i}$. Also find the charge contained inside the cube. A) $E_0 a^2$
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- 13) a solid sphere of radius R has a charge Q distributed in the volume with a charge density $\rho = k r^a$,where k and a are constants and r is the distance from the centre .If the electric field at $r = \frac{R}{2}$ is $1/8$ times that at $r=R$,find the value of a . a) $a=2$
- 14) A charged sphere of radius R carries a positive charge whose volume charge density depends only on the distance r from the centre of the sphere as $\rho = \rho_0(1 - \frac{r}{R})$, where ρ_0 is constant. Find electric field inside and out side of the sphere as a function of distance r . Also Find maximum intensity and corresponding distance. $E_{\max} = \frac{\rho_0 R}{6\epsilon_0}$
- 15) Consider an atom with atomic number Z as consisting of a positive point charge at the centre and surrounded by a distribution of negative electricity uniformly distributed within a sphere of radius R .Find the electric field at a point inside the atom at a distance r from the centre. Also find electric field outside the atom.

16) If an electric field is given by $10\hat{i} + 3\hat{j} + 4\hat{k}$, calculate the electric flux through a surface of area 10 units lying in yz plane.

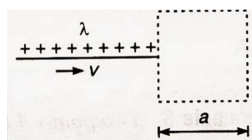
17) The electric field in a region is given by $E = a\hat{i} + b\hat{j}$. here a and b are constants. Find net flux passing through a square area of side L parallel to Y-Z plane.

18) Eight dipoles of charges of magnitude e are placed inside a cube. The total electric flux coming out of the cube will be

- a) $8e/\epsilon$ b) $16e/\epsilon$ c) e/ϵ d) zero

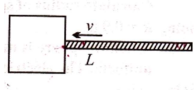
19) A cube of side L is placed in a uniform field $E = E\hat{i}$. Net flux through the cube is a) Zero b) $L^2 E$ c) $4L^2 E$ d) $6L^2$

20) Figure shows an imaginary cube of side 'a'. A uniformly charged rod of length a moves towards right at a constant speed v. At $t=0$



, the right end of the rod just touches the left face of the cube. Plot a graph between electric flux passing through the cube versus time.

21) Figure shows an imaginary cube of side $L/2$. A uniformly charged rod of length L moves towards right at a constant speed v. At $t=0$, the left end of the rod just touches the right face of the cube. Plot a



graph between electric flux passing through the cube versus time.

22) A point charge q is placed on the apex of a cone of semi vertical angle θ . The electric flux through the base of the cone is i) $q/2\epsilon_0(1 - \cos \theta)$

23) A charge q is placed at the centre of an uncharged hollow conducting sphere of radius r

. Find surface charge density on the inner sphere and on the outer surface.

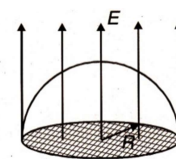
$$\frac{-q}{4\pi r^2}, \frac{q}{4\pi r^2}$$

24) The electrostatic potential inside a charged spherical ball is given by $\phi = ar^2 + b$, where r is the distance from the centre; a, b are constants. Then the charge density inside the ball is a) $-6a\epsilon_0$

26) Total electric flux associated with unit positive charge in vacuum is :

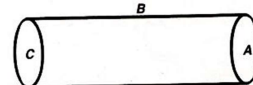
a) $\frac{1}{\epsilon_0}$

27) A hemispherical surface of radius R is kept in a uniform electric field E as shown in figure. The electric flux through the curved surface is a) $E\pi R^2$



28) In the above question what is the flux perpendicular to the base of the body : a) $E\pi R^2$

29) A hollow cylinder has a charge q within it. If ϕ is the electric flux associated with the curved surface B, the flux linked with the plane surface A will be :



a) $\frac{1}{2}(\frac{q}{\epsilon_0} - \phi)$

30) A point charge q is placed at the centre of a cylinder of radius R and length L. Find the flux crossing through the curved surface.

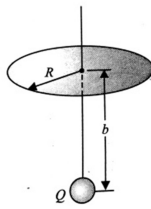
a) $\frac{q}{\epsilon_0}(\frac{L}{\sqrt{L^2 + 4R^2}})$

31) A cube of side L is placed in a electric field $\vec{E} = E\hat{i}$. The net electric flux through the cube is : a) zero

32) Two charges q_1 and $-q_2$ are placed at A and B respectively. A line of force emanates from q_1 at angle α with the line AB. At what angle will it

terminate at $-q_2$. $\beta = 2\sin^{-1}(\sqrt{\frac{q_1}{q_2}}\sin(\frac{\alpha}{2}))$

33) A point charge Q is located on the axis of a disk of radius R at a distance b from the plane of the disk. Show that if one fourth of the electric flux from the charge passes through the disk, then $R = \sqrt{3}b$



34) A Point charge q is fixed at the origin. Calculate the electric flux through the infinite plane $y=a$. a)

$$\frac{q}{2\epsilon_0}$$

35) Two conducting plates A and B are parallel .A is given a charge Q_1 and Q_2 .The charge on the inner side of B is

$$a) - \left(\frac{Q_1 - Q_2}{2} \right)$$

36) Two point charges q and $-q$ are $2L$ apart. Find the flux of the electric field strength vector across a circle of radius R placed at middle of the line.

$$\frac{q}{\epsilon_0} \left(1 - \frac{L}{\sqrt{L^2 + R^2}} \right)$$

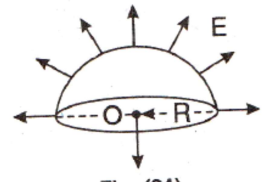
37) A cone of base radius R and height h is located in a uniform electric field parallel to its base. What is the electric flux entering the cone. a). $E h R$

38) A point charge Q is placed at the corner of a square of side a , then find the flux through the square. A) Zero

39) Electric potential inside a charged ball depends only on the distance from its centre as $\phi = ar^2 + b$ where a and b is constant. Find charge density inside the ball. A) $-6a\epsilon_0$

40) Show by the principal of superposition that if a cavity is removed from a uniformly charged sphere the field inside the cavity is $\frac{\rho \vec{a}}{3\epsilon_0}$ where ρ the density of charge is and $\vec{a}$ is the vector from the centre of the sphere to the centre of cavity.

41) A wire of linear charge density λ passes through a cuboid of length L , Breadth b and height h in such a manner that flux through the cuboid is maximum. The position of wire is now changed, so that the flux through the cuboid is minimum. If $L > b > h$, then the ratio of maximum flux to minimum flux will be a) $\frac{\sqrt{L^2 + b^2 + h^2}}{h}$



42) A hemispherical body is placed in a radial electric field E normal to the curved surface as shown in the figure. The flux linked with the curved surface will be a) $2\pi R^2 E$

43) In the above question, if the electric field is produced by placing a point charge q at centre O , then flux linked with the curved surface will be a)

$$\frac{q}{2\epsilon_0}$$

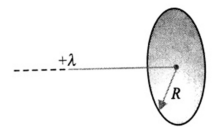
44) The total electric flux, leaving spherical surface of radius R and surrounding N electric dipole is a) Zero

44) A capacitor of capacitance C is charged to a potential V and is placed inside a closed surface. The electric flux through the closed surface is a) Zero

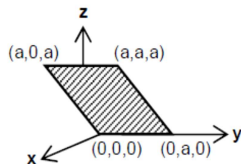
45) A charge q is distributed uniformly within the material of a hollow sphere of inner and outer radii a and b .The electric field at a point P at a distance x away from the centre for $a < x < b$ is a)

$$\frac{q(x^3 - a^3)}{4\pi\epsilon_0 x^2 (b^3 - a^3)}$$

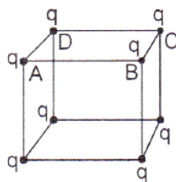
46) A very long uniformly charged thread oriented along the axis of a circle of radius R rests on its centre with one of the ends. The charge of the thread per unit length is λ . Find the flux of the vector E across the circle area. A) $\frac{\lambda R}{2\epsilon_0}$



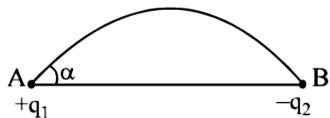
47) Consider an electric field $\vec{E} = E_0 \hat{x}$ Where E_0 is a constant. The flux through the shaded area due to this field is a) $E_0 a^2$



48) Eight point charges having value q each are fixed at the vertices of a cube. The electric flux through square surface ABCD of the cube is a) $\frac{q}{6\epsilon_0}$



49) Two charges $+q_1$ & $-q_2$ are placed at A and B respectively. A line of force emerges from q_1 at angle α with line AB. At what angle will it terminate at $-q_2$?



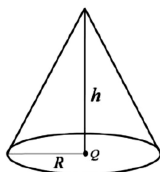
a) $2 \sin^{-1} \left(\sin \frac{\alpha}{2} \sqrt{\frac{q_1}{q_2}} \right)$

50) The intensity of an electric field depends only on the coordinates x and y as $\vec{E} = \frac{\alpha(x\hat{i} + y\hat{j})}{x^2 + y^2}$ where α is a constant. Calculate the charge within a sphere of radius R having its centre at origin. A) $q = 4\pi\epsilon_0\alpha R$

51) A point charge q is fixed at the origin. Calculate the electric flux through the infinite plane $y=a$.

a) $\frac{q}{2\epsilon_0}$

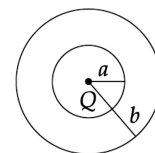
52) Consider a charge Q at the origin of 3-dimensional coordinate system. The flux of the electric field through the curved surface of a cone that has a height h and a circular base of radius



R (as shown in the figure) is a) $\frac{q}{2\epsilon_0}$

53) The region between two concentric spheres of radii 'a' and 'b', respectively (see figure),

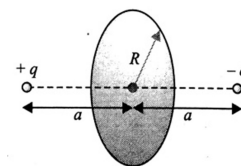
has volume charge density $\rho = \frac{A}{r}$ where A is a constant and r is the distance from the centre. At the centre of the spheres is a point charge Q . The value of A such that the electric field in the region between the spheres will be constant, is:



a) $\frac{C}{2\pi a^2}$

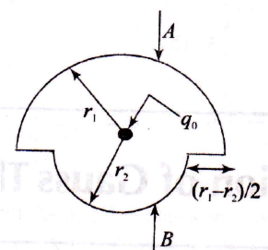
54) A solid sphere of radius R is uniformly charged and has charge per unit volume . Find the flux passing through a plane located at a distance r_0 ($r_0 < R$) from the centre. a) $\frac{\pi \rho r_0}{3 \epsilon_0} (R^2 - r_0^2)$

55) Two point charges $+q$ and $-q$ are placed $2R$ distance apart. Consider a circle of radius R placed perpendicular to the line joining charges, at its mid-point. Electric flux through the circle is



a) $\frac{q}{\epsilon_0} \left(\frac{\sqrt{2}-1}{\sqrt{2}} \right)$

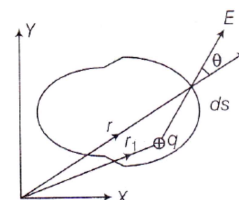
56) A and B are semi-spherical surfaces of radius r_1 and r_2 ($r_1 > r_2$) with E_1 and E_2 as the electric fields at their surfaces. Charge q_0 is placed as shown. What is the condition which may be



satisfied? A) $\frac{\phi_1}{\phi_2} = 1, \frac{r_1}{\sqrt{E_2}} = \frac{r_2}{\sqrt{E_1}}$

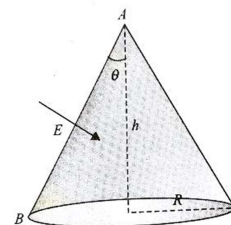
57) A charge q is placed at some distance along the axis of a uniformly charged disc of surface charge density σ . The flux due to the charge q through the disc is ϕ . The electric force on charge q exerted by the disc is a) $\sigma \phi$

58) Flux through an elementary area ds of the Gaussian surface is given



by a) $\frac{q}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \frac{(\vec{r} - \vec{r}_1) \cdot d\vec{s}}{|\vec{r} - \vec{r}_1|^3}$

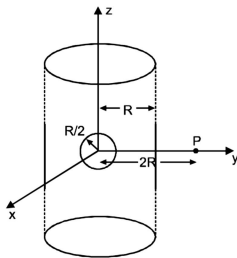
60) A conic surface is placed in a uniform electric field E as shown in the figure such that the field is perpendicular to the surface on the side AB. The base of the cone is of radius R and



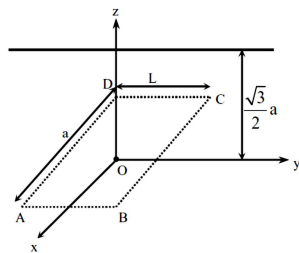
the height of the cone is h . The angle of the cone θ . Find the magnitude of the flux that enters the cone's curved surface from the left side.

a) $E R [h \cos \theta + \pi \frac{R}{2} \sin \theta]$

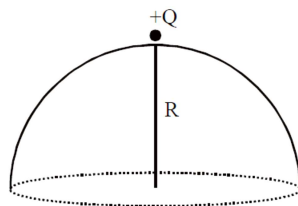
61) An infinite long solid cylinder of radius R has a uniform volume charge density ρ . It has a spherical cavity of radius $R/2$ with its centre on the axis of the cylinder, as shown in the figure. The magnitude of the electric field at the point P , which is at a distance $2R$ from the axis of the cylinder, is given by the expression $\frac{23 \rho R}{16 k_0}$. The value of k is a) 6



62) An infinite long uniform line charge distribution of charge per unit length λ lies parallel to the y -axis in the Y - Z plane at $Z = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} a$. If the magnitude of the flux of the electric field through the rectangular surface $ABCD$ lying in the X - Y plane with its centre at the origin is $\frac{\lambda L}{n \epsilon_0}$, then the value of n is a) 6



63) A point charge $+Q$ is placed just outside an imaginary hemispherical surface of radius R as shown in the figure. Which of the following statements is/are correct?



(A) The electric flux passing through the curved surface of the hemisphere is A) $-\frac{Q}{2 \epsilon_0} (1 - \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}})$

(B) The component of the electric field normal to the flat surface is constant over the surface

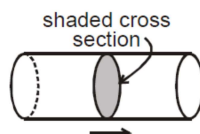
(C) Total flux through the curved and the flat surfaces is $\frac{Q}{\epsilon_0}$

(D) The circumference of the flat surface is an equipotential

64) The electrostatics flux through a rectangular area of $\frac{7}{47} \text{ m}^2$ lying in a plane $2x + 3y + 6z = 10$ due to an

electric field $(8 \hat{i} + 6 \hat{j} + 10 \hat{k}) \text{ V/m}$ will be in (V/m) a) 2

65) A current I flows through a cylindrical rod of uniform cross-section area A and resistivity ρ . The electric



flux through the shaded cross-section of rod as shown in figure is : a) $\varphi = \rho I$