

Electrodynamics (PHY 514) : 2006

Assignment 9 :

This problem set is due **Thursday March 9**, at the end of the lecture. Feel free to discuss the problems with others in the class, but you must write your own solutions. Simply writing the answer without showing a derivation will obtain zero credit.

1. A spherical shell of radius a and with uniform surface charge density, σ , is rotating with angular velocity $\omega \hat{\mathbf{e}}_z$.
 - (a) What is its magnetic moment?
 - (b) Draw the magnetic field far from the sphere
 - (c) Discuss the distribution of $\mathbf{E} \times \mathbf{B}$ and $\mathbf{E} \cdot \mathbf{B}$ far from the sphere.
2. A circular loop of wire carrying current I_0 is coaxial with an infinite cylinder of permeability μ . The radius of the wire loop is a , and the radius of the cylinder is b , with $b < a$.
 - (a) Show that the vector potential due to the presence of the cylinder outside the cylinder is

$$A_\phi = \frac{\mu_0 I a}{\pi} \int_0^\infty dk \Psi(k) K_1(ka) K_1(k\rho) \cos(kz)$$
$$\Psi(k) = \frac{(\mu - \mu_0) k b I_0(kb) I_1(kb)}{(\mu - \mu_0) k b K_0(kb) I_1(kb) + \mu_0} \quad (1)$$

- (b) Find the vector potential inside the cylinder.
3. The plane of a circular loop of wire of radius a , carrying current I_0 , is parallel to and a distance b from an infinite slab of material with permeability μ and thickness t .
 - (a) Show that the vector potential on the other side of the slab is

$$A_\phi = 2\mu I a \int_0^\infty dk \frac{\mu_0^2 J_1(k\rho) J_1(ka) e^{-kz}}{(\mu + \mu_0)^2 - (\mu - \mu_0)^2 e^{-2kt}} \quad (2)$$

- (b) Find the vector potential in the other two regions.
4. A magnetic dipole \mathbf{m} is embedded at the center of a sphere of radius a and permeability μ .
- (a) What is the magnetic scalar potential ϕ_M everywhere?
 - (b) What is the magnetic field \mathbf{B} everywhere?
 - (c) What is the \mathbf{H} field everywhere.
 - (d) What is the magnetic dipole density \mathbf{M} everywhere?
 - (e) What is $\nabla \cdot \mathbf{M}$ everywhere?
 - (f) What is $\nabla \times \mathbf{M}$ everywhere?