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**[Keelektrikan dan Kemagnetan]**

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**Instruction:** Answer all **FIVE** questions. Students are allowed to answer all questions in Bahasa Malaysia or in English.

*[Arahan: Jawab semua **LIMA** soalan. Pelajar dibenarkan menjawab semua soalan sama ada dalam Bahasa Malaysia atau Bahasa Inggeris.]*

1. A long dielectric cylinder, with radius  $a$ , contains free charges of density  $\rho_f = r/\alpha$  where  $\alpha$  is a constant. Consider the cylinder of length  $l$ . Obtain the electric field in the regions  $r \leq a$  and  $r \geq a$ .

[Satu silinder dielektrik yang panjang berjejari  $a$  mengandungi ketumpatan cas bebas  $\rho_f = r/\alpha$  di mana  $\alpha$  adalah pemalar. Pertimbangkan silinder tersebut sepanjang  $l$ . Dapatkan medan elektrik di kawasan  $r \leq a$  dan  $r \geq a$ .]

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2. A spherical dielectric of radius  $R$  is polarized with polarization vector  $\vec{P} = (K/r^\alpha) \hat{r}$ ,  $\hat{r}$  is the radial unit vector and  $\alpha$  is a constant.

[Suatu sfera dielektrik telah terkutub dengan vektor pengkutuban

$\vec{P} = (K/r^\alpha) \hat{r}$ ,  $\hat{r}$  merupakan vektor unit jejarian dan  $\alpha$  adalah pemalar.]

- (a) Calculate the density of volume bound charges,  $\rho_b$ , and the density of surface bound charges,  $\sigma_b$ . Show that the total amount of bound charges is zero.

[Hitung ketumpatan isipadu cas terikat,  $\rho_b$ , dan ketumpatan permukaan cas terikat,  $\sigma_b$ . Tunjukkan bahawa jumlah cas terikat adalah sifar.]

- (b) If  $\chi_0$  is the electric susceptibility of the dielectric sphere, obtain the electric filed  $E$  produced in the sphere. Then, using the Gauss' law for dielectric, calculate the density of volume free charges,  $\rho_f$ , in the sphere.

[Jika  $\chi_0$  adalah kerentanan elektrik bagi sfera dielektrik tersebut, dapatkan medan elektrik  $E$  di dalam sfera. Kemudian dengan menggunakan hukum Gauss bagi dielektrik, hitung ketumpatan isipadu cas bebas,  $\rho_f$ , di dalam sfera.]

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3. (i) Prove that the surface free charge density on the surface of a conductor is  $\sigma = \epsilon_0 E_\perp$  where  $E_\perp$  is the component of electric field normal to the conductor surface.

Buktikan bahawa ketumpatan permukaan cas bebas di permukaan konduktor adalah  $\sigma = \epsilon_0 E_\perp$  di mana  $E_\perp$  adalah komponen medan elektrik yang tegak lurus dengan permukaan konduktor.

- (ii) A capacitor in a shape of a sphere contains two concentric spherical shells with radius  $r_a$  and  $r_b$  ( $r_a < r_b$ ). The inner shell is earthed and the outer shell has potential  $V_0$ . The space between the shell is filled with charges such that the density of the charges is  $\rho = \rho_0 r^2$  ( $\rho_0$  is a constant).  
*[Satu kapasitor berbentuk sfera mengandungi dua petala sfera konduktor yang sepusat berjejari  $r_a$  dan  $r_b$  ( $r_a < r_b$ ). Petala bahagian dalam di bumikan dan petala bahagian luar mempunyai keupayaan elektrik  $V_0$ . Ruang di antara kedua petala telah diisi dengan cas di mana ketumpatan casnya adalah  $\rho = \rho_0 r^2$  ( $\rho_0$  adalah pemalar).]*
- (a) Using the Poisson's equation, calculate the electric potential,  $V$ , produced in the space between the two conductors.  
*[Dengan menggunakan persamaan Poisson, hitung keupayaan elektrik,  $V$ , yang terhasil di ruang antara kedua konduktor.]*
- (b) What is the surface charge density on each conductor?  
*[Apakah ketumpatan permukaan cas bebas di tiap-tiap konduktor?]*
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4. Using the Bio-Savart's law, calculate the magnetic field  $\mathbf{B}$  at point P due to the flow of current  $I$  in the wire with configuration as shown in Figure 1 below.  
*[Dengan menggunakan hukum Biot-Savart, hitung medan magnet  $\mathbf{B}$  di titik P akibat dari pengaliran arus  $I$  pada dawai yang berkonfigurasi seperti di Rajah 1 di bawah.]*

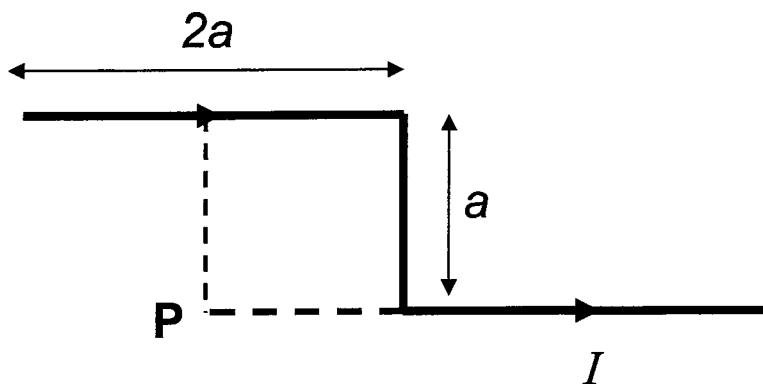


Figure 1 [Rajah 1]

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5. (a) Prove that a magnetic field produced by a perfect solenoid is  $B_z = \mu_0 n I$  where  $n$  is the number of turns per meter.  
*[Buktikan bahawa medan magnet yang dihasilkan oleh satu solenoid unggul adalah  $B_z = \mu_0 n I$  di mana  $n$  adalah bilangan lilitan per meter.]*
- (b) A long solenoid of length  $L$  with  $N$  number of turns and of radius  $a$  contains within it a magnetic medium with relative magnetic permeability constant  $\mu_I$ . See Figure 2.  
*[Satu solenoid sepanjang  $L$  dengan bilangan lilitan  $N$  dan berjejari  $a$  mengandungi bahan magnet dengan pemalar relatif ketelapan magnet  $\mu_I$  di bahagian dalamnya. Lihat Rajah 2.]*

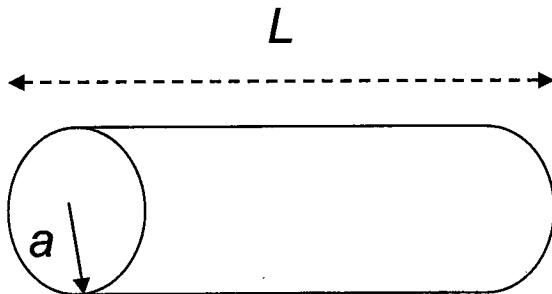


Figure 2 [Rajah 2]

- (i) Obtain the magnetic vector potential  $\mathbf{A}$  in the regions internal and external to the solenoid:  $r < a$  and  $r \geq a$ .  
*[Dapatkan vektor keupayaan magnet  $\mathbf{A}$  di bahagian dalam dan luar solenoid:  $r < a$  dan  $r \geq a$ .]*
- (ii) Find  $\mathbf{H}$ , and  $\mathbf{M}$ , for  $r < a$ . Then calculate  $\vec{\lambda}_e$  and  $\vec{J}_e$ .  
*[Cari  $\mathbf{H}$ , dan  $\mathbf{M}$ , bagi  $r < a$ . Kemudian hitung  $\vec{\lambda}_e$  dan  $\vec{J}_e$ .]*

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## Vector Dérivatives

### Cartesian Coordinates

$$d\ell = \hat{i} dx + \hat{j} dy + \hat{k} dz, \quad dV = dx dy dz$$

$$\nabla f = \hat{i} \frac{\partial f}{\partial x} + \hat{j} \frac{\partial f}{\partial y} + \hat{k} \frac{\partial f}{\partial z}$$

$$\nabla \cdot \mathbf{A} = \frac{\partial A_x}{\partial x} + \frac{\partial A_y}{\partial y} + \frac{\partial A_z}{\partial z}$$

$$\nabla \times \mathbf{A} = \hat{i} \left( \frac{\partial A_z}{\partial y} - \frac{\partial A_y}{\partial z} \right) + \hat{j} \left( \frac{\partial A_x}{\partial z} - \frac{\partial A_z}{\partial x} \right) + \hat{k} \left( \frac{\partial A_y}{\partial x} - \frac{\partial A_x}{\partial y} \right)$$

$$\nabla^2 f = \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x^2} + \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial y^2} + \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial z^2}$$

### Cylindrical Coordinates

$$d\ell = \hat{r} dr + \hat{\phi} r d\phi + \hat{k} dz, \quad dV = r dr d\phi dz$$

$$\nabla f = \hat{r} \frac{\partial f}{\partial r} + \hat{\phi} \frac{1}{r} \frac{\partial f}{\partial \phi} + \hat{k} \frac{\partial f}{\partial z}$$

$$\nabla \cdot \mathbf{A} = \frac{1}{r} \frac{\partial}{\partial r} (r A_r) + \frac{1}{r} \frac{\partial A_\phi}{\partial \phi} + \frac{\partial A_z}{\partial z}$$

$$\nabla \times \mathbf{A} = \hat{r} \left( \frac{1}{r} \frac{\partial A_z}{\partial \phi} - \frac{\partial A_\phi}{\partial z} \right) + \hat{\phi} \left( \frac{\partial A_r}{\partial z} - \frac{\partial A_z}{\partial r} \right) + \hat{k} \left[ \frac{1}{r} \frac{\partial}{\partial r} (r A_\phi) - \frac{1}{r} \frac{\partial A_r}{\partial \phi} \right]$$

$$\nabla^2 f = \frac{1}{r} \frac{\partial}{\partial r} \left( r \frac{\partial f}{\partial r} \right) + \frac{1}{r^2} \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial \phi^2} + \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial z^2}$$

### Spherical Coordinates

$$d\ell = \hat{r} dr + \hat{\theta} r d\theta + \hat{\phi} r \sin \theta d\phi, \quad dV = r^2 \sin \theta dr d\theta d\phi$$

$$\nabla f = \hat{r} \frac{\partial f}{\partial r} + \hat{\theta} \frac{1}{r} \frac{\partial f}{\partial \theta} + \hat{\phi} \frac{1}{r \sin \theta} \frac{\partial f}{\partial \phi}$$

$$\nabla \cdot \mathbf{A} = \frac{1}{r^2} \frac{\partial}{\partial r} (r^2 A_r) + \frac{1}{r \sin \theta} \frac{\partial}{\partial \theta} (\sin \theta A_\theta) + \frac{1}{r \sin \theta} \frac{\partial A_\phi}{\partial \phi}$$

$$\nabla \times \mathbf{A} = \frac{\hat{r}}{r \sin \theta} \left[ \frac{\partial}{\partial \theta} (\sin \theta A_\phi) - \frac{\partial A_\theta}{\partial \phi} \right] + \frac{\hat{\theta}}{r} \left[ \frac{1}{\sin \theta} \frac{\partial A_r}{\partial \phi} - \frac{\partial}{\partial r} (r A_\phi) \right] + \frac{\hat{\phi}}{r} \left[ \frac{\partial}{\partial r} (r A_\theta) - \frac{\partial A_r}{\partial \theta} \right]$$

$$\nabla^2 f = \frac{1}{r^2} \frac{\partial}{\partial r} \left( r^2 \frac{\partial f}{\partial r} \right) + \frac{1}{r^2 \sin \theta} \frac{\partial}{\partial \theta} \left( \sin \theta \frac{\partial f}{\partial \theta} \right) + \frac{1}{r^2 \sin^2 \theta} \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial \phi^2}$$

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## Vector Formulas

$$\mathbf{A} \cdot (\mathbf{B} \times \mathbf{C}) = (\mathbf{A} \times \mathbf{B}) \cdot \mathbf{C} = \mathbf{C} \cdot (\mathbf{A} \times \mathbf{B}) = (\mathbf{C} \times \mathbf{A}) \cdot \mathbf{B} = \mathbf{B} \cdot (\mathbf{C} \times \mathbf{A})$$

$$\mathbf{A} \times (\mathbf{B} \times \mathbf{C}) = \mathbf{B}(\mathbf{A} \cdot \mathbf{C}) - \mathbf{C}(\mathbf{A} \cdot \mathbf{B})$$

$$(\mathbf{A} \times \mathbf{B}) \cdot (\mathbf{C} \times \mathbf{D}) = (\mathbf{A} \cdot \mathbf{C})(\mathbf{B} \cdot \mathbf{D}) - (\mathbf{A} \cdot \mathbf{D})(\mathbf{B} \cdot \mathbf{C})$$

### *Derivatives of Sums*

$$\nabla(f + g) = \nabla f + \nabla g$$

$$\nabla \cdot (\mathbf{A} + \mathbf{B}) = \nabla \cdot \mathbf{A} + \nabla \cdot \mathbf{B}$$

$$\nabla \times (\mathbf{A} + \mathbf{B}) = \nabla \times \mathbf{A} + \nabla \times \mathbf{B}$$

### *Derivatives of Products*

$$\nabla(fg) = f\nabla g + g\nabla f$$

$$\nabla \cdot (\mathbf{A} \cdot \mathbf{B}) = \mathbf{A} \times (\nabla \times \mathbf{B}) + \mathbf{B} \times (\nabla \times \mathbf{A}) + (\mathbf{A} \cdot \nabla) \mathbf{B} + (\mathbf{B} \cdot \nabla) \mathbf{A}$$

$$\nabla \cdot (f\mathbf{A}) = f(\nabla \cdot \mathbf{A}) + \mathbf{A} \cdot (\nabla f)$$

$$\nabla \cdot (\mathbf{A} \times \mathbf{B}) = \mathbf{B} \cdot (\nabla \times \mathbf{A}) - \mathbf{A} \cdot (\nabla \times \mathbf{B})$$

$$\nabla \times (f\mathbf{A}) = f(\nabla \times \mathbf{A}) - \mathbf{A} \times (\nabla f)$$

$$\nabla \times (\mathbf{A} \times \mathbf{B}) = \mathbf{A}(\nabla \cdot \mathbf{B}) - \mathbf{B}(\nabla \cdot \mathbf{A}) + (\mathbf{B} \cdot \nabla) \mathbf{A} - (\mathbf{A} \cdot \nabla) \mathbf{B}$$

### *Second Derivatives*

$$\nabla \times (\nabla \times \mathbf{A}) = \nabla(\nabla \cdot \mathbf{A}) - \nabla^2 \mathbf{A}$$

$$\nabla \cdot (\nabla \times \mathbf{A}) = 0$$

$$\nabla \times (\nabla f) = 0$$

### *Integral Theorems*

$$\int_V (\nabla \cdot \mathbf{A}) dV = \oint_S \mathbf{A} \cdot \hat{\mathbf{n}} dS \quad \text{Gauss's (divergence) Theorem}$$

$$\int_S (\nabla \times \mathbf{A}) \cdot \hat{\mathbf{n}} dS = \oint_C \mathbf{A} \cdot d\ell \quad \text{Stokes's (curl) Theorem}$$

$$\int_a^b (\nabla f) \cdot d\ell = f(b) - f(a)$$

$$\int_V (f \nabla^2 g - g \nabla^2 f) dV = \oint_S (f \nabla g - g \nabla f) \cdot \hat{\mathbf{n}} dS \quad \text{Green's Theorem}$$

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## Physical Constants

$c = 2.998 \times 10^8 \text{ m/s}$	Speed of light
$\mu_0 = 4\pi \times 10^{-7} \text{ N/A}^2$ (or H/m)	Permeability constant in vacuum
$\epsilon_0 = \frac{1}{\mu_0 c^2} = 8.854 \times 10^{-12} \text{ C}^2/\text{Nm}^2$ (or F/m)	Permittivity constant in vacuum
$\frac{1}{4\pi\epsilon_0} = 10^{-7} c^2 = 8.988 \times 10^9 \text{ Nm}^2/\text{C}^2$	
$e = 1.602 \times 10^{-19} \text{ C}$	Magnitude of electron charge
$m_e = 0.9109 \times 10^{-30} \text{ kg}$	Electron mass

## Useful Integrals

$$\int \frac{dx}{\sqrt{a^2 + x^2}} = \ln \left( x + \sqrt{a^2 + x^2} \right)$$

$$\int \frac{dx}{a^2 + x^2} = \frac{1}{a} \arctan \frac{x}{a}$$

$$\int \frac{dx}{(a^2 + x^2)^{3/2}} = \frac{x}{a^2 \sqrt{a^2 + x^2}}$$

## Binomial Expansion

$$(1 + \epsilon)^p = 1 + p\epsilon + \frac{p(p-1)}{2!}\epsilon^2 + \frac{p(p-1)(p-2)}{3!}\epsilon^3 + \dots$$

## Notation for Position Vector

$$\mathbf{x} = \hat{\mathbf{i}} x + \hat{\mathbf{j}} y + \hat{\mathbf{k}} z$$

$$r = |\mathbf{x}| = \sqrt{x^2 + y^2 + z^2} \quad \text{and} \quad \hat{\mathbf{r}} = \frac{\mathbf{x}}{r}$$