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## ELE401: Field Theory

### Term Test #2

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Sections: 01 - 08  
 Time: ~ 1.75 hour

**Instructions:**

- o **Closed book test.** Aids such as vector operators and integral tables will be provided if needed. **No questions are to be asked during the test.** If some aspect of a question is unclear make suitable assumptions -- write down the assumptions -- and continue solving the problem. **Calculators will not be required and are not permitted.**
- o **Answer all three (3) questions.** Weight of each question is indicated. Part marks will be given. **Note** that there are **60 marks** available in total, but only **40 marks** are needed for a complete paper; i.e. 20 bonus marks are possible.
- o Clearly show all work in the space provided. If a "**Right**" answer appears without any indication on how it was derived that answer will be considered to be "**Wrong**". Use the back sides of pages if more working space is needed. **Underline** or **[box]** your simplified answers and show proper units.

Questions	Available Marks	Your Marks
Question 1	20 marks	
Question 2	20 marks	
Question 3	20 marks	
Total Marks	40 (60 with bonus)	

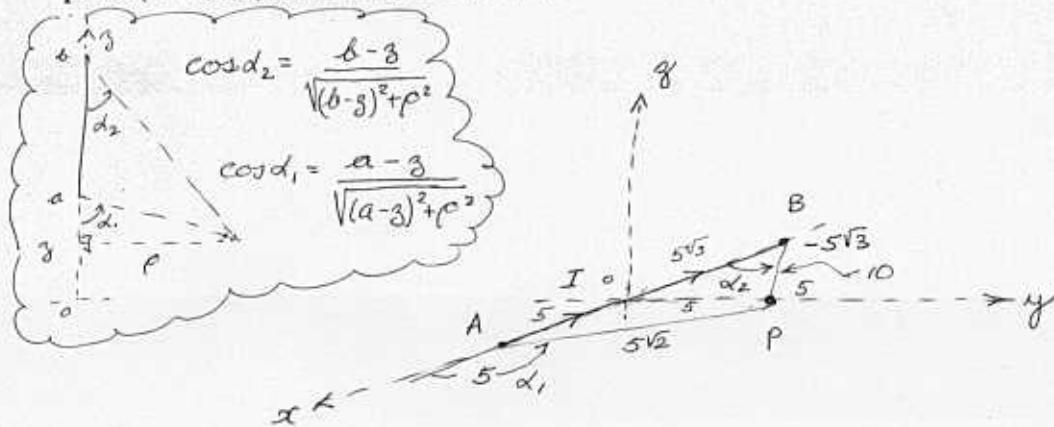
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**Problem 1: Four Short Questions: [20 marks]****(a) Magnetic Vector Field H Due To A Finite Line Of Current: [6 marks]**

Use the expression for the H - field due to a short line of current "I" located on the z- axis, i.e.

$$\mathbf{H} = \frac{I}{4\pi\rho} (\cos\alpha_2 - \cos\alpha_1) \mathbf{a}_\phi \quad [\text{A/m}]$$

to solve for the H - field caused by a short line of current I [A] flowing from point A( 5, 0, 0) to point B(- 5\sqrt{3}, 0, 0) as sensed at point P(0, 5, 0).



$$\begin{aligned} \therefore \vec{H} &= \frac{I}{4\pi\rho} \left[ \frac{5\sqrt{3}}{10} + \frac{5}{5\sqrt{2}} \right] (-\vec{a}_x) \times \vec{a}_y \\ &= \frac{I}{20\pi} \left[ \frac{\sqrt{13}\sqrt{2} + 2}{2\sqrt{2}} \right] (-\vec{a}_z) \end{aligned}$$

$\boxed{\vec{H} = -\frac{I}{40\sqrt{2}\pi} [\sqrt{6}+2] \vec{a}_z \quad [\text{A/m}]}$

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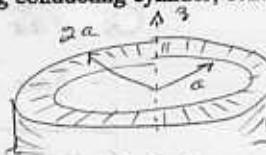
$\vec{H} = \frac{+I}{40\sqrt{2}\pi} [2+\sqrt{6}] \vec{a}_y \quad [\text{A/m}]$

## Continuation Problem 1:

## (b) Magnetization and Bound Volume and Surface Current Densities: [6 marks]

If the magnetic intensity vector field  $\mathbf{H}$  inside a hollow infinitely long conducting cylinder, centered on the  $z$ -axis, is given by:

$$\mathbf{H} = \frac{3}{\rho} \mathbf{a}_\phi [H/m]$$



The inner radius of the cylinder is "a" [m] and the outer is "2a" [m] and  $\mu_r = 3.0$  for the material inside the cylinder.

(i) Develop the expressions for the magnetization vector field  $\mathbf{M}$  [A/m].

$$\therefore X_m = \mu_r - 1 = 3 - 1 = 2$$

$$\therefore \boxed{\mathbf{M} = X_m \mathbf{H} = 2 \left( \frac{3}{\rho} \right) \mathbf{a}_\phi + \frac{6}{\rho} \mathbf{a}_\phi [A/m]}$$

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$$\mathbf{M} = \frac{9}{\rho} \mathbf{a}_\phi [A/m]$$

(ii) Solve for the volume current density  $\mathbf{J}_b$ , and the magnetization surface current density  $\mathbf{K}_b$  on both surfaces of the cylinder.

$$\mathbf{J}_b = \nabla \times \mathbf{M} = \frac{1}{\rho} \begin{vmatrix} \mathbf{a}_\rho & \rho \mathbf{a}_\phi & \mathbf{a}_z \\ \frac{\partial}{\partial \rho} & \frac{\partial}{\partial \phi} & \frac{\partial}{\partial z} \\ 0 & \rho \left( \frac{6}{\rho} \right) & 0 \end{vmatrix} = 0 \quad \therefore \mathbf{J}_b = 0$$

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$$\mathbf{K}_b = + \frac{9}{a} \mathbf{a}_z [A/m]$$

$$\mathbf{K}_b = - \frac{9}{2a} \mathbf{a}_z [A/m]$$

$$\boxed{\mathbf{K}_b @ a = + \frac{6}{a} \mathbf{a}_z [A/m]} \quad \text{Likewise} \quad \boxed{\mathbf{K}_b @ 2a = \frac{6}{\rho} \mathbf{a}_\phi \times \mathbf{a}_\rho @ \rho=2a}$$

$$\therefore \boxed{\mathbf{K}_b @ 2a = - \frac{3}{a} \mathbf{a}_z [A/m]}$$

(iii) Determine the expression for the sum of  $I_{bv} + I_{bs}$ , where " $I_{bv}$ " is the bound volume current and " $I_{bs}$ " is the bound surface current.

$$\therefore \mathbf{J}_b = 0 \quad \therefore I_{bv} = 0$$

$$\begin{aligned} \therefore I_{bs} &= \oint_{@2a} \mathbf{K}_b \times \mathbf{a}_\rho \cdot (2a) d\phi \mathbf{a}_\phi + \oint_{@a} \mathbf{K}_b \times (-\mathbf{a}_\rho) \cdot a d\phi \mathbf{a}_\phi \\ &= \int_{\phi=0}^{2\pi} -\frac{3}{a} \mathbf{a}_z \times \mathbf{a}_\rho \cdot 2a d\phi \mathbf{a}_\phi + \int_{\phi=2\pi}^0 + \frac{6}{a} \mathbf{a}_z \times (-\mathbf{a}_\rho) \cdot a d\phi \mathbf{a}_\phi \\ &= -6(2\pi) + \left( -\frac{6}{a} \right) a(-2\pi) = -12\pi + 12\pi = 0 \end{aligned}$$

$$\therefore \boxed{I_{bv} + I_{bs} = 0}$$

## Continuation Problem 1:

## (c) Magnetic Boundary Conditions: [6 marks]

The boundary between two different magnetic materials is given by the equation  $y = 0$ .

Region 1: ( $y < 0$ ) has relative permeability  $\mu_r = 1.0$  and  $\mathbf{H}_1 = 1 \mathbf{a}_x + 2 \mathbf{a}_y + 3 \mathbf{a}_z$  [A/m].

Region 2: ( $y > 0$ ) has  $\mu_r = 3.0$  and a surface current density on the boundary  $\mathbf{K} = +4 \mathbf{a}_z$  [A/m].

Solve for  $\mathbf{B}_1$ ,  $\mathbf{B}_2$ ,  $\mathbf{H}_2$ , and  $\mathbf{K}_b$  in both regions.

REGION ①:

$$\mu_1 = 1.0 \mu_0$$

$$\mathbf{H}_1 = 1 \mathbf{a}_x + 2 \mathbf{a}_y + 3 \mathbf{a}_z$$

$$\therefore \boxed{\mathbf{B}_1 = \mu_0 (\mathbf{a}_x + 2\mathbf{a}_y + 3\mathbf{a}_z)}$$

REGION ②:

$$\mu_2 = 3.0 \mu_0$$

$$\vec{a}_{n12} = \vec{a}_y$$

$$\mathbf{K} = 4 \mathbf{a}_z \text{ [A/m]}$$

But in Region ②

$$x_m = 3 - 1 = 2$$

$$\therefore \mathbf{M} = -6 \mathbf{a}_x + \frac{4}{3} \mathbf{a}_y + 6 \mathbf{a}_z$$

$$\therefore \mathbf{K}_{b2} = \mathbf{M} \times (-\vec{a}_y)$$

$$= \frac{6}{3} \mathbf{a}_z + 6 \mathbf{a}_x$$

$$\therefore \boxed{\mathbf{K}_{b2} = 6(\mathbf{a}_x + \mathbf{a}_z) \text{ [A/m]}}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbf{B}_{1N} &= \mathbf{B}_1 \cdot \vec{a}_{n12} \\ &= \mathbf{B}_1 \cdot \vec{a}_y \\ &= 2 \mu_0 = \mathbf{B}_{2N} \end{aligned}$$

$$\therefore \text{Where } \mathbf{H}_{1N} = \frac{1}{2} \mathbf{K} \times \vec{a}_{n12} = \frac{1}{2} (4 \mathbf{a}_z) \times (-\vec{a}_y) = +2 \mathbf{a}_x \text{ [A/m]}$$

$$\therefore \mathbf{H}_{2N} = \frac{1}{2} (4 \mathbf{a}_z) \times \vec{a}_y = -2 \mathbf{a}_x \text{ [A/m]}$$

$$\therefore \text{Therefore } \mathbf{H}_1 = \mathbf{H}'_1 + \mathbf{H}_{1E} \quad \therefore \mathbf{H}'_1 = \mathbf{H}_1 - \mathbf{H}_{1E} \\ = \mathbf{a}_x + 2\mathbf{a}_y + 3\mathbf{a}_z - 2\mathbf{a}_x$$

$$\text{NOTE: The ('') FIELD is due to the effect of the } K \text{, } \mathbf{H}'_1 = -\mathbf{a}_x + 2\mathbf{a}_y + 3\mathbf{a}_z$$

$$\therefore \text{Therefore } \mathbf{H}'_1 = \mathbf{H}'_1 - \mathbf{H}'_{1m} \text{ where } \mathbf{H}'_{1m} = (\mathbf{H}'_1 \cdot \vec{a}_{n12}) \vec{a}_{n12}$$

$$= (\mathbf{H}'_1 \cdot \vec{a}_y) \vec{a}_y \\ = 2 \vec{a}_y$$

$$\therefore \mathbf{H}'_1 = -\mathbf{a}_x + 2\mathbf{a}_y + 3\mathbf{a}_z - 2\mathbf{a}_y$$

$$= -\mathbf{a}_x + 3\mathbf{a}_y$$

$$\text{But } \mathbf{H}'_1 = \mathbf{H}'_{2E} = -\mathbf{a}_x + 3\mathbf{a}_y \quad \therefore \mathbf{H}'_2 = \mathbf{H}'_{2E} + \mathbf{H}_{2N} \\ = -\mathbf{a}_x + 3\mathbf{a}_y + \frac{2}{3} \mathbf{a}_y$$

$$\therefore \text{Finally } \mathbf{H}_2 = \mathbf{H}'_2 + \mathbf{H}_{2E} \\ = -\mathbf{a}_x + \frac{2}{3} \mathbf{a}_y + 3\mathbf{a}_y - 2\mathbf{a}_x \\ = -3\mathbf{a}_x + \frac{2}{3} \mathbf{a}_y + 3\mathbf{a}_y \text{ [A/m]}$$

$$\therefore \boxed{\mathbf{B}_2 = \mu_0 (-9\mathbf{a}_x + 2\mathbf{a}_y + 9\mathbf{a}_z) \text{ [T]}}$$

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$\vec{B}$ , the same

$$\mathbf{K}_{b1} = 0$$

$$\mathbf{K}_{b2} = 3(\mathbf{a}_x + \mathbf{a}_z) \text{ [A/m]}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbf{H}_2 &= -3 \mathbf{a}_x + \mathbf{a}_y + 3 \mathbf{a}_z \text{ [A/m]} \\ &= 1 \mathbf{a}_x + 2 \mathbf{a}_y + 6 \mathbf{a}_z \text{ [A/m]} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbf{H}_2 &= -6 \mathbf{a}_x + \mathbf{a}_y + 6 \mathbf{a}_z \text{ [A/m]} \\ \therefore \mathbf{B}_2 &= \mu_0 (-6\mathbf{a}_x + 2\mathbf{a}_y + 6\mathbf{a}_z) \text{ [T]} \end{aligned}$$

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$$\therefore \boxed{\mathbf{B}_2 = 3\mu_0 \mathbf{H}_2}$$

In Region ①

$$x_m = 0$$

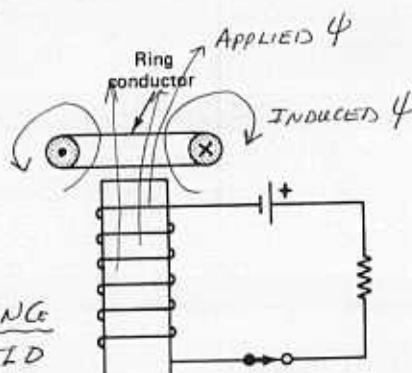
$$\therefore \boxed{\mathbf{K}_{b1} = 0 \text{ A/m}}$$

## Continuation Problem 1:

## (d) Induced Currents: [2 marks]

For the diagram shown below circle all of the correct answers which would cause the current to be flowing in the conducting ring in the direction as shown.

- (i) The switch has been closed for a long time.
- (ii) The switch has been open for a long time.
- (iii) The switch is just being closed.
- (iv) The switch is just being opened.



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(iii) THE SWITCH IS  
JUST BEING CLOSED

THE INDUCED  
FIELD IS SUPPORTING  
THE APPLIED FIELD  
∴ THE APPLIED FIELD  
MUST BE DECREASING.

∴ THE SWITCH IS JUST BEING OPENED!

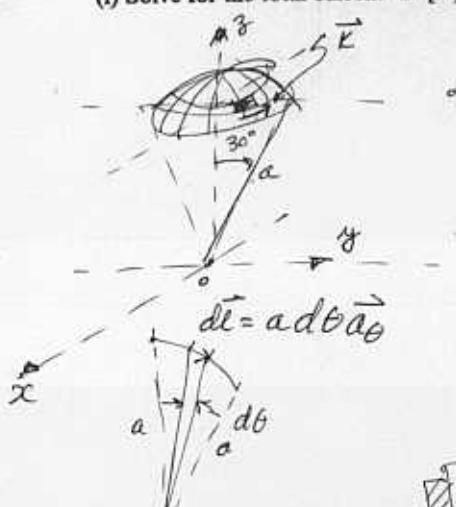
Problem 2: Current, Magnetic Field Vector, Vector Magnetic Potential and Inductance:  
[20 marks]

## (a) A Dome of Surface Current Density: [10 marks]

A dome, defined by  $r = a$ ;  $0 \leq \theta \leq \pi/6$ ;  $0 \leq \phi \leq 2\pi$ , carries a surface current density

$$K = K_0 \sin \theta \ a_\phi \quad [A/m]$$

- (i) Solve for the total current "T" [A] flowing on the dome. (Hint: use  $I = \int K \times a_n \cdot dI$ )



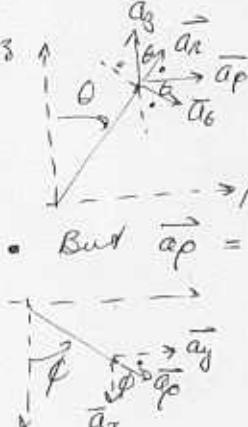
$$\begin{aligned} \therefore I &= \int_{\theta=0}^{\pi/6} K_0 \sin \theta \vec{a}_\phi \times \vec{a}_n \cdot \vec{a} d\theta \vec{a}_\theta \\ &= a K_0 \int_0^{\pi/6} \sin \theta d\theta \\ &= a K_0 \left[ -\cos \theta \right]_0^{\pi/6} \\ &= a K_0 \left[ -\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} + 1 \right] \\ I &= a K_0 \left[ 1 - \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} \right] [A] \end{aligned}$$

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 $I = \frac{1}{2} a K_0 [A]$

## Continuation Problem 2:

(ii) Derive the magnetic intensity vector field expression  $\vec{H}$  at the origin due to the surface current density  $\vec{K}$ . Use the incremental version of the **Biot-Savart Law** and clearly indicate what are the components  $\vec{r}, \vec{r}', (\vec{r} - \vec{r}'), |\vec{r} - \vec{r}'|$ ; and what is "ds" in this case.

Hint:  $\int \sin^3 \theta d\theta = - \int \sin^2 \theta d\cos \theta = \int (\cos^2 \theta - 1) d\cos \theta$

- $d\vec{H} = \frac{\vec{K} ds \times (\vec{r} - \vec{r}')}{4\pi |\vec{r} - \vec{r}'|^3}; \vec{r} = 0; \vec{r}' = a \vec{a}_r; \therefore \vec{r} - \vec{r}' = -a \vec{a}_r$
- $ds = r^2 \sin \theta d\theta d\phi$        $(\vec{r} - \vec{r}') = a$   
 $= a^2 \sin \theta d\theta d\phi$        $|\vec{r} - \vec{r}'|^3 = a^3$
- Therefore  $d\vec{H} = \frac{K_0 \sin \theta \vec{a}_\phi \times (-a \vec{a}_r)}{4\pi a^3} d\theta d\phi$
- $d\vec{H} = -\frac{K_0 \sin^2 \theta d\theta d\phi \vec{a}_\theta}{4\pi}$
- But  $\vec{H} = -\frac{K_0}{4\pi} \int_{\phi=0}^{2\pi} \int_{\theta=0}^{\pi/6} \sin^2 \theta d\theta d\phi \vec{a}_\theta$   
  
... has  $\vec{a}_\theta = \vec{a}_\theta(\theta)$ !  
 $\phi=0 \theta=0$  ... must be converted to rectangular unit vectors.
- But  $\vec{a}_\theta = \cos \theta \vec{a}_\phi + \sin \theta \vec{a}_r$   
 $\vec{a}_\theta = \cos \theta (\cos \phi \vec{a}_x + \sin \phi \vec{a}_y)$   
 $\therefore \vec{a}_\theta = \cos \theta (\cos \phi \vec{a}_x + \sin \phi \vec{a}_y) - \sin \theta \vec{a}_z$   
NOTE: That the  $\cos \phi$  &  $\sin \phi$  terms will become zero if  $\phi: 0 \rightarrow 2\pi$ . Therefore the  $\vec{a}_x$  and  $\vec{a}_y$  term can be dropped.  $\therefore \vec{a}_\theta = -\sin \theta \vec{a}_z$
- $\therefore \vec{H}_i = +\frac{K_0}{4\pi} \int_{\phi=0}^{2\pi} \int_{\theta=0}^{\pi/6} \sin^3 \theta d\theta d\phi \vec{a}_z$   
 $= \frac{K_0 \cancel{2\pi}}{4\pi} \int_{\theta=0}^{\pi/6} (\cos^2 \theta - 1) d\cos \theta \vec{a}_z$   
 $= \frac{K_0}{2} \left[ \frac{\cos^3 \theta}{3} - \cos \theta \right]_0^{\pi/6} \vec{a}_z = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{8} - \frac{4\sqrt{3}}{8} + \frac{2}{3}$   
 $= \frac{K_0}{2} \left[ \frac{1}{3} \left( \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} \right)^3 - \left( \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} \right) - \frac{1}{3}(1) + 1 \right] \vec{a}_z = -\frac{3\sqrt{3}}{8} + \frac{2}{3}$   
 $= \frac{K_0}{2} \left[ \frac{1}{3} \cdot \frac{3}{4} \cdot \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} - \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} - \frac{1}{3} + 1 \right] \vec{a}_z \Rightarrow \vec{H} = \frac{K_0}{2} \left[ \frac{2}{3} - \frac{3\sqrt{3}}{8} \right] \vec{a}_z$

"A"  $\vec{a}_z [A/m]$   
 $H = \frac{5K_0}{48} \vec{a}_z [A/m]$

## Continuation Problem 2:

(b) An Infinitely Long Current Carrying Cylinder centred on the z - axis: [ 10 marks]

An infinitely long non-magnetic cylinder of radius "b" [m] centered on the z-axis supports a volume current density given by:

$$\mathbf{J} = J_0 \rho^2 \mathbf{a}_z [A/m]$$

(i) Solve for the total current "I" [A] flowing in the cylinder.

$$\begin{aligned} I &= \int_S \vec{J} \cdot d\vec{s} = \int_{\phi=0}^{2\pi} \int_{\rho=0}^b J_0 \rho^2 \rho d\phi d\rho \\ &= 2\pi J_0 \frac{\rho^4}{4} \Big|_0^b = \frac{b^4 \pi J_0}{2} [A] \end{aligned}$$

$$\therefore I = \frac{b^4 \pi J_0}{2} [A]$$



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$$I = \frac{1}{2} a^4 \pi J_0 [A]$$

(ii) Derive the expressions for the H field inside and outside of the conductor.

$$\text{Inside: } (\rho < b) \quad \oint \vec{H} \cdot d\vec{l} = I_{\text{enc}} \quad H_\phi 2\pi\rho = \frac{J_0 \rho^3}{a} J_0$$

$$H_\phi = \frac{J_0 \rho^3}{4} \quad \therefore \boxed{\vec{H} = \frac{J_0 \rho^3}{4} \hat{a}_\phi [A/m]}$$

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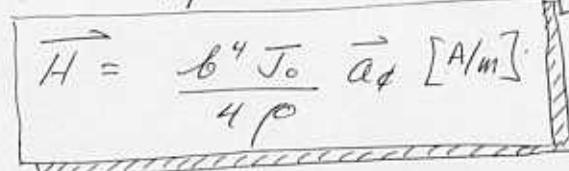
$$\text{Outside: } (\rho > b) \quad \oint \vec{H} \cdot d\vec{l} = I_{\text{enc}}$$

$$H_\phi 2\pi\rho = \frac{b^4 \pi J_0}{2}$$

$$H_\phi = \frac{b^4 J_0}{4\rho}$$

$$\therefore \boxed{\vec{H} = \frac{b^4 J_0}{4\rho} \hat{a}_\phi [A/m]}$$

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 $\vec{H} = \frac{a^4 J_0}{4\rho} \hat{a}_\phi [A/m]$



## Continuation Problem 2:

(iii) Solve for the vector magnetic potential  $\vec{A}$  inside of the conductor if  $\vec{A} = 0$  at  $\rho = b$  [m] using the vector Poisson Equation.

$$\nabla^2 \vec{A} = -\mu_0 \vec{J} \quad \text{Since } \vec{J} = J_z \hat{a}_z \text{ then } \vec{A} = A_z \hat{a}_z \text{ and} \\ \left. \begin{array}{l} \text{due to symmetry} \\ \text{considerations} \end{array} \right\}$$

$$\therefore \frac{1}{\rho} \frac{\partial}{\partial \rho} \left( \rho \frac{\partial A_z}{\partial \rho} \right) + \dots = -\mu_0 J_0 \rho^2 \quad A_z = A_z(\rho)$$

• multiplying both sides by  $\rho$ :

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial \rho} \left( \rho \frac{\partial A_z}{\partial \rho} \right) = -\mu_0 J_0 \rho^3$$

• integrating both sides w.r.t.  $\rho$ :

$$\rho \frac{\partial A_z}{\partial \rho} = -\frac{\mu_0 J_0 \rho^4}{4} + C_1$$

• dividing both sides by  $\rho$ :

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial \rho} A_z = -\frac{\mu_0 J_0 \rho^3}{4} + \frac{C_1}{\rho}$$

• Integrating both sides w.r.t.  $\rho$  for a second time:

$$A_z = -\frac{\mu_0 J_0 \rho^4}{16} + C_1 \ln \rho + C_2$$

• Therefore:  $\vec{A} = \left( -\frac{\mu_0 J_0 \rho^4}{16} + C_1 \ln \rho + C_2 \right) \hat{a}_z$

• Since  $\vec{H} = \frac{J_0 \rho^3}{4} \hat{a}_\phi$  therefore  $\vec{B} = \frac{\mu_0 J_0 \rho^3}{4} \hat{a}_\phi$

Then by comparing  $\nabla \times \vec{A} = \frac{\mu_0 J_0 \rho^3}{4} \hat{a}_\phi$   
we find that  $C_1 = 0$ .

• The constant  $C_2$  can be evaluated from  
 $\vec{A} = 0$  @  $\rho = b$ . Therefore:

$$-\frac{\mu_0 J_0 b^4}{16} + C_2 = 0 \quad \text{or} \quad C_2 = +\frac{\mu_0 J_0 b^4}{16}$$

• Therefore:  $A_z = -\frac{\mu_0 J_0 \rho^4}{16} + \frac{\mu_0 J_0 b^4}{16}$

$$= \frac{\mu_0 J_0}{16} (b^4 - \rho^4)$$

• Therefore:

$$\boxed{\vec{A} = \frac{\mu_0 J_0}{16} (b^4 - \rho^4) \hat{a}_z [\text{wb/m}]}$$

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$$\vec{A} = +\frac{\mu_0 J_0}{16} (a^4 - \rho^4) \hat{a}_z [\text{wb/m}]$$

## Continuation Problem 2:

(iv) If the magnetic energy density inside the conductor is given by  $w_m = \frac{\mu_0 J_o^2 \rho^6}{32} [J/m^3]$

calculate the internal self-inductance,  $L_{int}$  for an "l" [m] length of the conductor.

$$\therefore W_m = \int_V w_m dv = \int_0^l \int_0^b \int_{z=0}^{l/2\pi} \frac{\mu_0 J_o^2 \rho^6}{32} \rho d\rho d\phi dz$$

$$= \frac{\mu_0 J_o^2}{32} \frac{\rho^8}{8} \left| \phi \right|_{0}^{2\pi} \left| z \right|_{0}^l = \frac{\mu_0 J_o^2 b^8 l^2 \pi^2}{32 (8)}$$

$$W_m = \frac{\mu_0 b^8 l \pi J_o^2}{128} [J]; \text{ But } L_{int} = \frac{2 W_m}{I^2}$$

$$\therefore L_{int} = \frac{2 \mu_0 b^8 l \pi J_o^2}{128} = \frac{2 \mu_0 l}{128} \frac{\pi^2}{16} \boxed{L_{int} = \frac{\mu_0 l}{16 \pi} [H]}$$

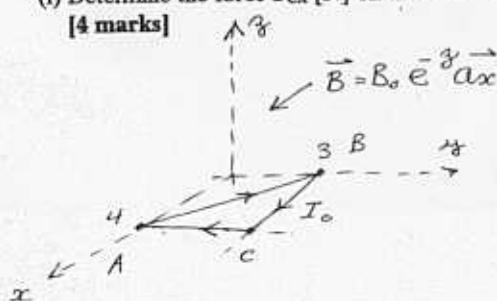
## Problem 3: Forces, Torques, and Induced EMF: [20 marks]

A triangular conducting loop connects the points A(4, 0, 0), B(0, 3, 0), and C(4, 3, 0).

(a) A current  $I_o$  [A] is flowing in the ABC direction in the circuit in the presence of an external magnetic field  $\vec{B} = B_o e^{-y} \hat{a}_x$  [T].

(i) Determine the force  $F_{CA}$  [N] on the current flowing in the CA side of the triangular loop.

[4 marks]



$$d\vec{F}_{CA} = I_o dy \hat{a}_y \times B_o e^{-y} \hat{a}_x$$

$$[y=0] \quad -\hat{a}_y$$

$$= I_o dy \hat{a}_y \times B_o \hat{a}_x$$

$$= -I_o B_o dy \hat{a}_y$$

$$\vec{F}_{CA} = -I_o B_o \int_0^3 dy \hat{a}_y$$

$$\therefore \vec{F}_{CA} = + 3 I_o B_o \hat{a}_y [N]$$

(ii) Calculate the value of the total force  $\vec{F}_T = \vec{F}_{AB} + \vec{F}_{BC} + \vec{F}_{CA}$  on the circuit. [2 marks]

Since  $\vec{B}$  is uniform over the three sides of the circuit then

$$\sum \vec{F} = 0 \quad \therefore \boxed{\vec{F}_T = 0}$$

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$$F_{CA} = + 4 I_o B_o \hat{a}_y [N]$$

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## Continuation Problem 3:

(iii) Solve for the torque  $T_{CA}$  [Nm] on the side CA taken about the origin. [5 marks]  $d\vec{T} = \vec{r} \times d\vec{F}$ 

$$\begin{aligned}
 d\vec{T}_{CA} &= (4\vec{ax} + y\vec{ay}) \times (-I_o B_o dy \vec{az}) \\
 &= -I_o B_o \left( 4\vec{ax} \times \vec{az} + y\vec{ay} \times \vec{az} \right) dy \\
 &\quad \text{---} \quad \text{---} \\
 &= -I_o B_o (y\vec{ax} - 4\vec{ay}) dy \\
 \vec{T}_{CA} &= -I_o B_o \int_0^3 (y\vec{ax} - 4\vec{ay}) dy \\
 &= -I_o B_o \left[ \frac{y^2}{2} \vec{ax} - 4y \vec{ay} \right]_0^3 \\
 &= -I_o B_o \left[ -\frac{9}{2} \vec{ax} + 12 \vec{ay} \right] \\
 \therefore \vec{T}_{CA} &= +3I_o B_o \left( +\frac{3}{2} \vec{ax} - 4\vec{ay} \right) [\text{N-m}]
 \end{aligned}$$

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$$\begin{aligned}
 \vec{T}_{CA} &= 4I_o B_o (2\vec{ax} - 3\vec{ay}) [\text{N-m}]
 \end{aligned}$$

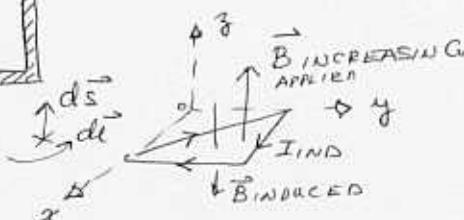
(iv) Determine the total torque  $\vec{T}_T = \vec{T}_{AB} + \vec{T}_{BC} + \vec{T}_{CA}$  taken about the point B. [3 marks]

$$\begin{aligned}
 \vec{T}_T &= I_o \vec{S} \times \vec{B} \quad \text{where } \vec{S} = \frac{1}{2} (3)(4) \vec{az} = \text{Surface area of the cct.} \\
 \vec{T}_T &= I_o 6\vec{az} \times B_o \vec{ax} = 6I_o B_o \vec{ay} = '6\vec{ay}' \\
 \therefore \vec{T}_T &= 6I_o B_o \vec{ay} [\text{N-m}]
 \end{aligned}$$

(b) The triangular loop is in the presence of a time-varying magnetic field  $B = B_o t \vec{az}$  [T].(i) Calculate the voltage,  $V_{emf}$ , induced in the loop. [4 marks]

$$\begin{aligned}
 V_{emf} &= -\frac{d}{dt} \psi = -\frac{d}{dt} \int_S \vec{B} \cdot d\vec{S} = -\frac{d}{dt} \int_S B_o t \vec{az} \cdot d\vec{S} \\
 &= -\frac{d}{dt} (B_o t)(6)
 \end{aligned}$$

$V_{emf} = -6B_o [\text{V}]$



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(ii) Indicate the direction that an induced current would be flowing. [2 marks]

I<sub>IND</sub> WOULD FLOW IN THE ABC DIRECTION!