

Subject: Electro Magnetic Field

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Q 1 (a)

Transform the vector  $B = y i (x+z) j$   
located at Point  $(-2, b, 3)$  into  
cylindrical coordinates

Ans:

$$B = y i (x+z) j$$

given points are  $(-2, b, 3)$

$$B = y i (x_j + z_j)$$

$$B = y x_{ij} + y z_{ij}$$

$$\rho = \sqrt{x^2 + y^2}$$

$$\rho = \sqrt{(-2)^2 + (b)^2}$$

$$\rho = 6.32$$

As we know that

$$z = z$$

So

$$z = 3$$

As we know that

$$\phi = \tan^{-1} \left( \frac{y}{x} \right)$$

$$\phi = \tan^{-1} \left( \frac{6}{-2} \right)$$

$$\phi = \tan^{-1} (-3)$$

$$\phi = -71.56$$

so

$$B = 6.32, -71.56, 3 \text{ ans}$$

**Q1 (b)**

Convert the Point  $(3, 4, 5)$  from Cartesian to spherical coordinates.

Ans: Solve

$$P(3, 4, 5)$$

$$x = 3, y = 4, z = 5$$

In Spherical coordinate System

$\gamma, \theta, \phi$

$$\gamma = \sqrt{x^2 + y^2 + z^2}$$

$$\gamma = \sqrt{(3)^2 + (4)^2 + (5)^2}$$

$$\gamma = \sqrt{9 + 16 + 25}$$

$$\gamma = \sqrt{50}$$

$$\gamma = 7.07$$

As

$$\theta = \tan^{-1}(y/x)$$

$$\theta = \tan^{-1}(4/3)$$

$$\theta = \tan^{-1}(1.33)$$

$$\theta = 53.1^\circ$$

As

$$\phi = \tan^{-1}\left(\frac{\sqrt{x^2 + y^2}}{z}\right)$$

$$\phi = \tan^{-1}\left(\frac{\sqrt{(3)^2 + (4)^2}}{5}\right)$$

$$\phi = \tan^{-1} \left( \frac{\sqrt{9+16}}{5} \right)$$

$$\phi = \tan^{-1} \left( \frac{\sqrt{25}}{5} \right)$$

$$\phi = \tan^{-1} \left( \frac{5}{5} \right)$$

$$\phi = \tan^{-1} (1)$$

$$\phi = 45$$

$$\gamma = 7.67, \quad \theta = 53.1^\circ, \quad \phi = 45$$

Q1 (c)

Find the spherical coordinates  
of  $A(2, 3, -1)$   
 $\gamma, \theta, \phi$

Ans: Solve

$$\gamma = \sqrt{x^2 + y^2 + z^2}$$

$$r = \sqrt{(2)^2 + (3)^2 + (-1)^2}$$

$$r = \sqrt{4+9+1}$$

$$r = \sqrt{14}$$

$$r = 3.74$$

$$\theta = \tan^{-1} \left( \frac{y}{x} \right)$$

$$\theta = \tan^{-1} \left( \frac{3}{2} \right)$$

$$\theta = \tan^{-1} (1.5)$$

$$\theta = 56.3^\circ$$

As

$$\phi = \tan^{-1} \left( \frac{\sqrt{x^2+y^2}}{z} \right)$$

$$\phi = \tan^{-1} \left( \frac{\sqrt{(2)^2+(3)^2}}{-1} \right)$$

$$\phi = \tan^{-1} \left( \frac{\sqrt{4+9}}{-1} \right)$$

$$\phi = \tan^{-1} \left( \frac{\sqrt{13}}{-1} \right)$$

$$\phi = \tan^{-1}(-3.60)$$

$$\phi = 74.4$$

$$r = 3.74, \theta = 56.3^\circ, \phi = 74.4$$

### Q 1 (d)

Find the Cartesian coordinates of B (4, 25, 120)

Ans: The Point B(4, 25, 120) is given in spherical (r,  $\theta$ ,  $\phi$ ) so we have to find (x, y, z)

Now

$$x = r \sin \theta \cos \phi$$

$$x = 4 \sin(25) \cos(120)$$

$$x = 4 (0.42) (-0.5)$$

$$x = -0.84$$

As  $y = r \sin \theta \sin \phi$

$$y = 4 \sin(25) \cdot \sin(72.6)$$

$$y = 4 (0.42) (0.86)$$

$$y = 1.45$$

As

$$z = r \cos \theta$$

$$z = 4 \cos(25)$$

$$z = 4 (0.90)$$

$$z = 3.62$$

$$(x, y, z) = (-0.84, 1.45, 3.62) \text{ Ans}$$

### Q 1 (c)

Find the force between two charges when they are brought in contact and separated by 4 cm apart charges are 2 nC and -1 nC, in  $\mu\text{N}$ .



Ans :

Given data

$$q_1 = 2 \text{ nC} \quad , \quad q_2 = -1 \text{ nC}$$

$$d = 4 \text{ cm}$$

Required

$$F = ?$$

where  $F = k \frac{q_1 q_2}{r^2}$

As  $k = \frac{1}{4\pi\epsilon_0}$

$$F = \frac{2 \times 10^{-9} \times -1 \times 10^{-9}}{4(3.14) \times 8.85 \times 10^{-12} \times (4 \times 10^{-2})^2}$$

$$F = -1.124 \times 10^{-5}$$

$$F = -11.24 \mu\text{N}$$

## Q 1 (f)

Find the electric field intensity of two charges  $-2C$  and  $-1C$  separated by a distance  $1m$  in air.

Ans: Given data

$$q_1 = -2C, \quad q_2 = -1C$$

$$d = 1m$$

Required  $E = ?$

$$k = 9 \times 10^9$$

$$E_1 = \frac{k q_1}{d^2}$$

$$E_1 = \frac{9 \times 10^9 \times -2}{(1)^2}$$

$$E_1 = -18 \times 10^9 \text{ V/m}$$

Now

$$E_2 = \frac{k q_2}{d^2}$$

$$E_2 = \frac{9 \times 10^9 \times (-1)}{(1)^2}$$

$$E_2 = -9 \times 10^9 \text{ V/m}$$

As

$$E_T = E_1 + E_2$$

$$E_T = -18 \times 10^9 + (-9 \times 10^9)$$

$$E_T = -18 \times 10^9 - 9 \times 10^9$$

$$E_T = -27 \times 10^9 \text{ V/m}$$

Q 1 (g)

Determine the charge that produce an electric field strength of  $40 \text{ V/cm}$  at a distance of  $30 \text{ cm}$  in vacuum  $\epsilon_n (10^{-8} \text{ C})$

Ans: Given data

$$E = 40 \text{ V/cm}, d = 30 \text{ cm}$$

Required

$$Q = ?$$

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

$$E d^2 = k Q$$

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

Put values in this equation

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

$$Q = \frac{40 \times (30)^2}{9 \times 10^9}$$

$$Q = \frac{40 \times 900}{9 \times 10^9}$$

$$Q = 4 \times 10^{-6} \text{ C}$$

$$Q = 4 \mu\text{C}$$

## Q1 (h)

A charge of  $2 \times 10^{-7}$  is acted upon by a force of  $0.1 \text{ N}$ . Determine the distance to the other charge of  $4.5 \times 10^{-7} \text{ C}$ , both the charges are in vacuum.

Ans: Given data

$$q_1 = 2 \times 10^{-7} \text{ C}$$

$$q_2 = 4.5 \times 10^{-7} \text{ C}$$

$$F = 0.1 \text{ N}$$

$$k = 9 \times 10^9$$

Required

$$d = ?$$

By using formula

$$F = k \frac{q_1 q_2}{d^2}$$

$$d^2 = k \frac{q_1 q_2}{F}$$

Now Putting values

$$d^2 = \frac{9 \times 10^9 (2 \times 10^{-7}) (4.5 \times 10^{-7})}{0.1}$$

$$d^2 = 8.1 \times 10^{-3}$$

As

$$d^2 = 0.0081$$

Now taking underroot on bothside

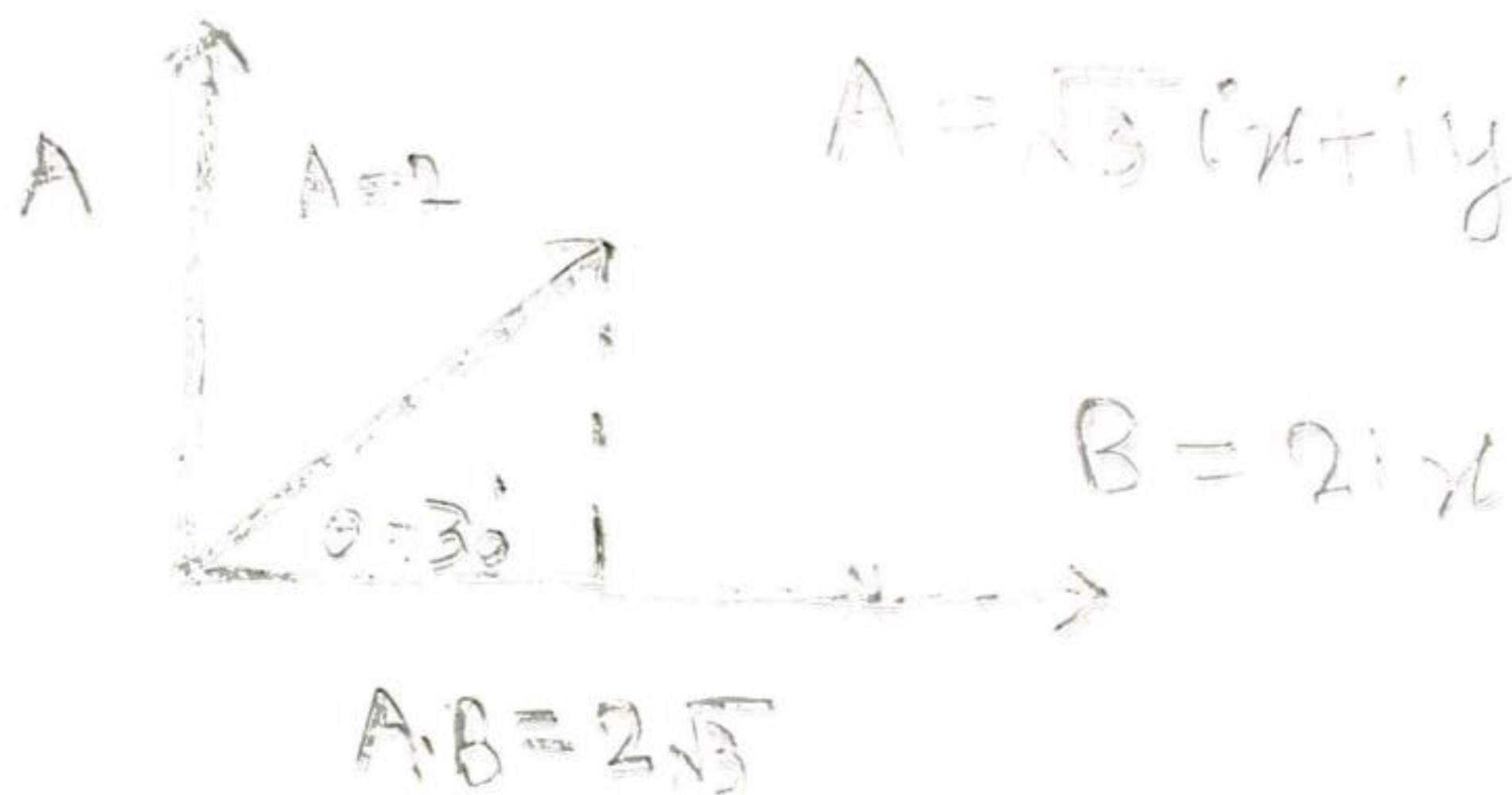
$$\sqrt{d^2} = \sqrt{0.0081}$$

$$d = 0.09 \text{ m}$$

$$d = 9 \times 10^{-2} \text{ m}$$

Q2 (a)

Find the angle between the vectors shown in fig



Ans:

$$A \cdot B = |A| |B| \cos \theta$$

$$A \cdot B = 2\sqrt{3}$$

$$|A| = \sqrt{2^2}$$

$$|B| = \sqrt{2^2}$$

$$|A| = 2$$

$$|B| = 2$$

Put these values in  $A \cdot B = |A| |B| \cos \theta$

$$2\sqrt{3} = 2 \times 2 \cos \theta$$

$$2\sqrt{3} = 4 \cos \theta$$

$$\frac{2\sqrt{3}}{4} = \cos \theta$$

$$\cos \theta = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$$

$$\theta = \cos^{-1} \left( \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} \right)$$

$$\theta = \cos^{-1} \left( \frac{1.73}{2} \right)$$

$$\theta = \cos^{-1} (0.866)$$

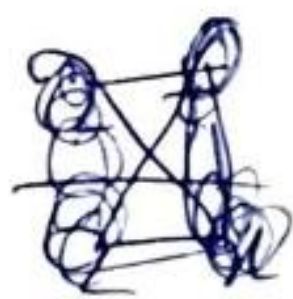
$$\theta = 30^\circ$$

Q2 (b)

Find the gradient of each of the following function where a and b are constant

i)  $f = ax^2 + by^3z$

Sol:  $f = ax^2 + by^3z$



$$\frac{df}{dx} = \frac{d}{dx} (ax^2 + by^3z)$$

$$\frac{df}{dx} = 2ax$$

$$\frac{df}{dy} = \frac{d}{dy} (ax^2 + by^3z)$$



$$\frac{df}{dy} = 3by^2z$$

$$\frac{df}{dz} = \frac{d}{dz} (ax^2 + by^3z)$$

$$\frac{df}{dz} = by^3$$

$$\nabla f(x, y, z) = (2ax + 3by^2z, by^3)$$

ii)  $f = ar^2 \sin \phi + brz \cos 2\phi$

Sol: gradient for spherical

$$\nabla f = \frac{df}{dr} \hat{r} + \frac{1}{r} \frac{df}{d\theta} \hat{\theta} + \frac{1}{r \sin \theta} \frac{df}{d\phi} \hat{\phi}$$

So

$$\nabla f = \frac{d}{dr} (ar^2 \sin \phi + brz \cos 2\phi) \hat{r} + \frac{1}{r} \frac{d}{d\theta}$$

$$(ar^2 \sin \phi + brz \cos 2\phi) \hat{\theta} + \frac{1}{r \sin \theta} \frac{d}{d\phi} (ar^2 \sin \phi + brz \cos 2\phi) \hat{\phi}$$

Now take partial derivatives

$$\nabla f = (2ar \sin \phi + bz \cos 2\phi) \hat{r} + \frac{1}{r} (0) \\ + \frac{1}{r \sin \theta} (ar^2 \cos \phi - 2brz \sin 2\phi) \hat{\phi}.$$

So

$$\nabla f = (2ar \sin \phi + bz \cos 2\phi) \hat{r} + \\ \frac{1}{r \sin \theta} (ar^2 \cos \phi - 2brz \sin 2\phi) \hat{\phi}$$

Now gradient for cylindrical

$$\nabla f = \frac{df}{d\rho} \hat{\rho} + \frac{1}{\rho} \frac{df}{d\phi} \hat{\phi} + \frac{df}{dz} \hat{z}$$

$$\nabla f = \frac{d}{d\rho} (ar^2 \sin \phi + brz \cos 2\phi) \hat{\rho} + \\ \frac{1}{\rho} \frac{d}{d\phi} (ar^2 \sin \phi + brz \cos 2\phi) \hat{\phi} + \\ \frac{d}{dz} (ar^2 \sin \phi + brz \cos 2\phi) \hat{z}$$

Now take partial derivatives:

The first term becomes zero

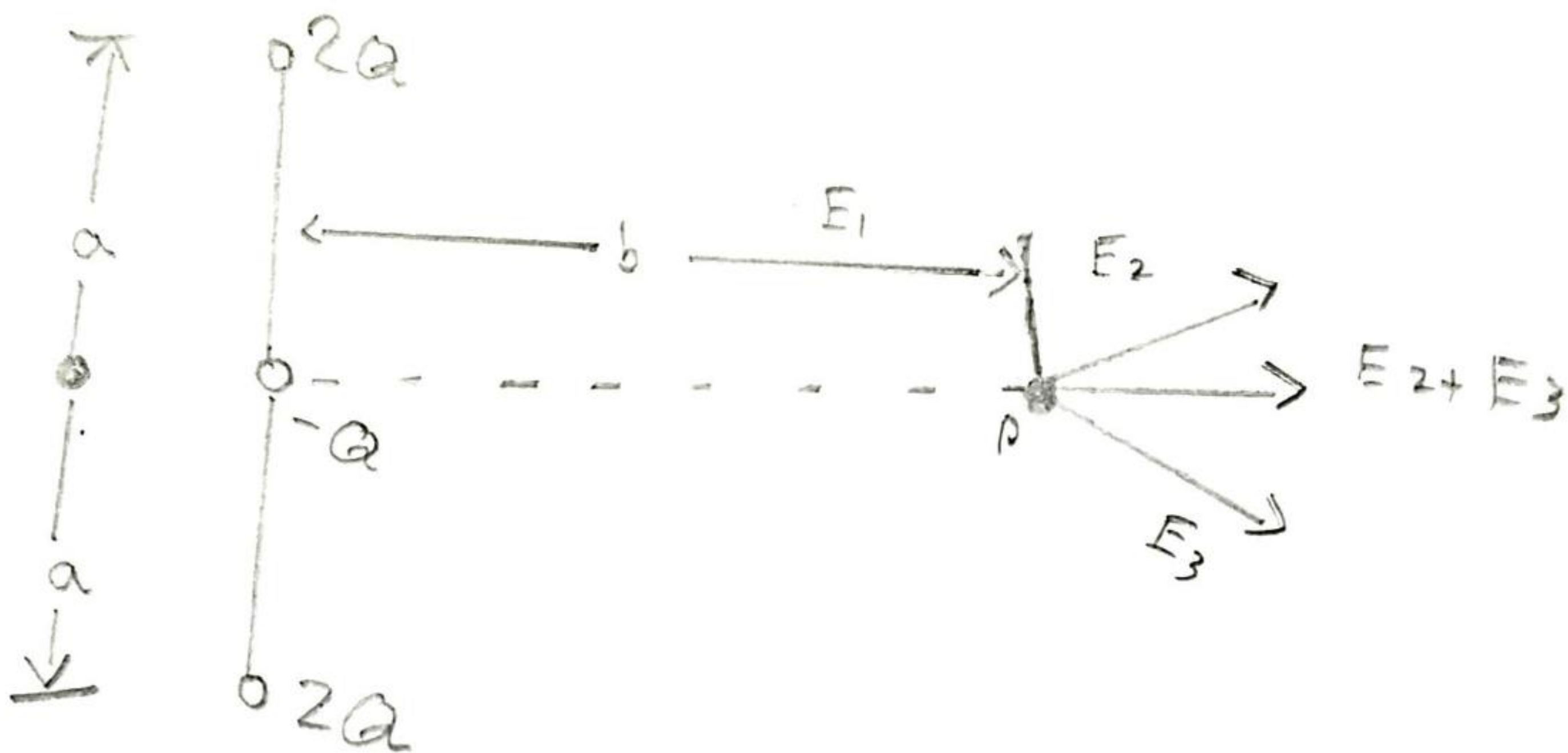
$$\nabla f = \frac{1}{\rho} (ar^2 \cos \phi - 2brz \sin 2\phi) \hat{\phi} + \\ (br \cos 2\phi) \hat{z}.$$

So

$$\nabla F = \frac{1}{y} (ar^2 \cos \phi - 2brz \sin 2\phi) \hat{\phi} + (br \cos 2\phi) \hat{z}$$

Q3

Three Point Charges are Placed on the y axis as shown. Find the electric field at Point P on the x axis



Ans: The distance between charge  $2Q$  and Point "P" is

$$\text{So } r^2 = b^2 + a^2$$

$$r = \sqrt{b^2 + a^2}$$

let assume that charge  $2Q$  make angle  $(\alpha)$  and  $(-\alpha)$  with  $x$ -axis

$$\begin{aligned} \text{magnitude of } |\vec{E}_1| = |\vec{E}_2| &= \frac{kq}{r^2} \\ &= \frac{k(2Q)}{r^2} \\ &= \frac{k(2Q)}{b^2 + a^2} \end{aligned}$$

So Resultant of  $\vec{E}_1$  and  $\vec{E}_2$  is

$$\vec{E}_{1+2} = \vec{E}_1 + \vec{E}_2 = E_{1x} + E_{2x}$$

( $y$ -component will be cancel)

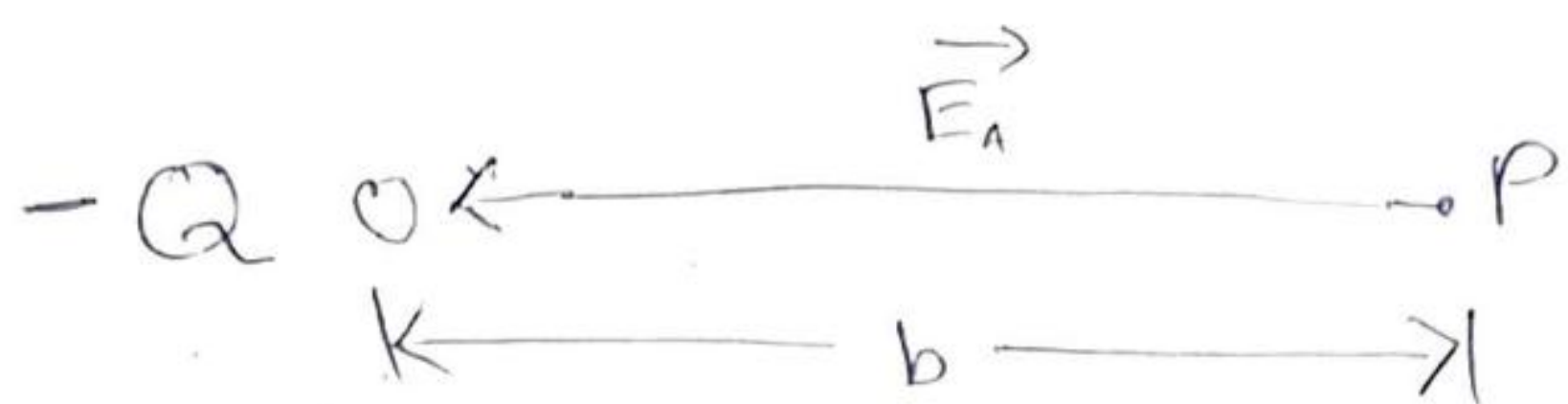
$$= \frac{k(2Q)}{b^2 + a^2} (\cos(\alpha) + \cos(-\alpha))$$

$$= \frac{k(2Q)}{b^2 + a^2} (2\cos(\alpha) \because \cos(\alpha) = \cos(-\alpha))$$

$$\vec{E}_{1+2} = \frac{4kQ\cos(\alpha)}{b^2 + a^2}$$

- Now electric field at Point 'P' due to charge " $-Q$ "

As charge is negative electric field at point will be directed towards charge " $-Q$ ".



$$\vec{E}_A = -k \frac{Q}{b^2}$$

Net electric field at point P will be

$$\vec{E}_{\text{net}} = \vec{E}_A + (\vec{E}_1 + \vec{E}_2)$$

$$= -\frac{kQ}{b^2} + \frac{4kQ \cos \alpha}{b^2 + a^2}$$

$$= \frac{-kQ(a^2 + b^2) + 4kQb^2 \cos \alpha}{b^2(a^2 + b^2)}$$

$$= \frac{kQ}{b^2(a^2 + b^2)} \left[ 4b^2 \cos \alpha - (a^2 + b^2) \right]$$

where  $k = 9 \times 10^9 \text{ Nm}^2/\text{C}^2$

$$\vec{E}_{\text{net}} = \frac{9 \times 10^9 \cdot Q}{b^2(a^2+b^2)} \left[ 4b^2 \cos \alpha - (a^2+b^2) \right]$$

Now

$$\alpha = \tan^{-1} \left( \frac{a}{b} \right)$$

So

$$\vec{E}_{\text{net}} = \frac{9 \times 10^9 \cdot Q}{b^2(a^2+b^2)} \left[ 4b^2 \cos \left[ \tan^{-1} \left( \frac{a}{b} \right) \right] - (a^2+b^2) \right]$$