

SOLUTION TO WORK SHEET 4

Subject: PHYSICS

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Chapter : Electrostatics

Topic: Intensity of infinite long charged wire, plane thin sheet.

Multiple Choice Questions :

1 x 15 = 15

1. Electric field intensity due to uniformly charged infinitely long straight wire is

- a) $2\lambda/r$ b) $2\lambda r$ c) $r/2\lambda$ d) $2\lambda r^2$

Ans : (a) $2\lambda/r$

2. Electric field intensity due to a thin infinite plane sheet of charge is

- a) $2\sigma\epsilon_0$ b) $\sigma/2\epsilon_0$ c) $2/\sigma\epsilon_0$ d) 0

Ans : (b) $\sigma/2\epsilon_0$

3. E related to r for thin infinite plane sheet of charge –

- a) $E \propto r$ b) $E \propto 1/r$ c) $E = r$ d) independent

Ans : (d) independent

4. Nature of E vs r graph for charged infinitely long wire is

- a) circular b) straight line c) rectangular hyperbola d) elliptical

Ans: (c) rectangular hyperbola

5. Electric field intensity of the infinite plane sheet has uniform thickness

- a) σ/ϵ_0 b) $\sigma\epsilon$ c) ϵ_0/σ d) $\sigma/2\epsilon_0$

Ans : (a) σ/ϵ_0

6. The dimensional formula of electric intensity is

- a) $[MLT^{-2}A^{-1}]$ b) $[MLT^{-3}A^{-1}]$ c) $[ML^2T^{-3}A^{-1}]$ d) $[ML^2T^{-3}A^{-2}]$

Ans : (b) $[MLT^{-3}A^{-1}]$

7. Two thin infinite parallel sheets have uniform surface densities of charge $+\sigma$ and $-\sigma$. Electric field in the space between the two sheets will be

- a) σ/ϵ_0 b) $\sigma/2\epsilon_0$ c) $2\sigma/\epsilon_0$ d) zero

Ans : (a) σ/ϵ_0

8. As per the condition mentioned in question 7 the electric field between the sheets increases by

- a) increasing the separation of the plates
b) decreases by decreasing the separation of the plates
c) remains constant
d) both a) and b) are correct

Ans: c) remains constant

9. The electric field intensity at a distance of 4cm due to infinite line charge is 18×10^4 N/C. Calculate The linear charge density.

- a) 4×10^7 C/m b) 4×10^{-7} C/m c) 4×10^2 C/m d) zero

Ans : (b) 4×10^{-7} C/m

10. Metal plates I ($+\sigma$) and II ($-\sigma$) are parallel and close to each other. On their inner faces, the plates have surface charge densities of opposite signs and of magnitude $8.85 \times 10^{-20} \text{ C/m}^2$. What is the electric field between the plates?

- a) 10^{-8} N/C b) 10^8 N/C c) zero d) $2 \times 10^{-8} \text{ N/C}$

Ans : (a) 10^{-8} N/C

11. In lieu of question no 10 also find out what will be the electric field to the left and to the right of the plates?

- a) $2 \times 10^{-7} \text{ N/C}$ b) $2 \times 10^7 \text{ N/C}$ c) zero d) $5 \times 10^5 \text{ N/C}$

Ans (c) zero

12. Electric field intensity due to uniformly charged thin infinite non-conducting plane sheet of surface charge density σ at a distance r is

- a) σ/ϵ_0 b) $\sigma/2\epsilon_0$ c) $\sigma/2r$ d) $\sigma/2\epsilon_0 r$

Ans : (b) $\sigma/2\epsilon_0$

13. Dielectric constant of air is

- a) $8.85 \times 10^{-12} \text{ C}^2 \text{ N}^{-1} \text{ m}^{-2}$ b) 1 c) infinite d) zero

Ans : (b) 1

14. A thin straight wire of length 30 cm is given a charge of $15 \mu\text{C}$. Calculate electric field and its direction at a distance of 10 cm from the wire

- a) $9 \times 10^6 \text{ N/C}$ b) $4 \times 10^2 \text{ N/C}$ c) $9 \times 10^{-6} \text{ N/C}$ d) $4 \times 10^{-2} \text{ N/C}$

Ans : (a) $9 \times 10^6 \text{ N/C}$

15. Two parallel large thin metal sheets have equal surface densities of $2.56 \times 10^{-11} \text{ C/m}^2$ of opposite signs. The electric field between these sheets is

- a) 1.5 N/C b) $1.5 \times 10^{-10} \text{ N/C}$ c) 3 N/C d) $3 \times 10^{-10} \text{ N/C}$

Ans : (c) 3 N/C

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