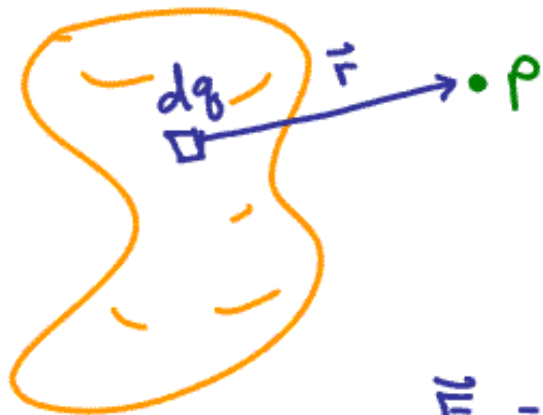


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Last Time

$$V_p = \int \frac{k dq}{r}$$



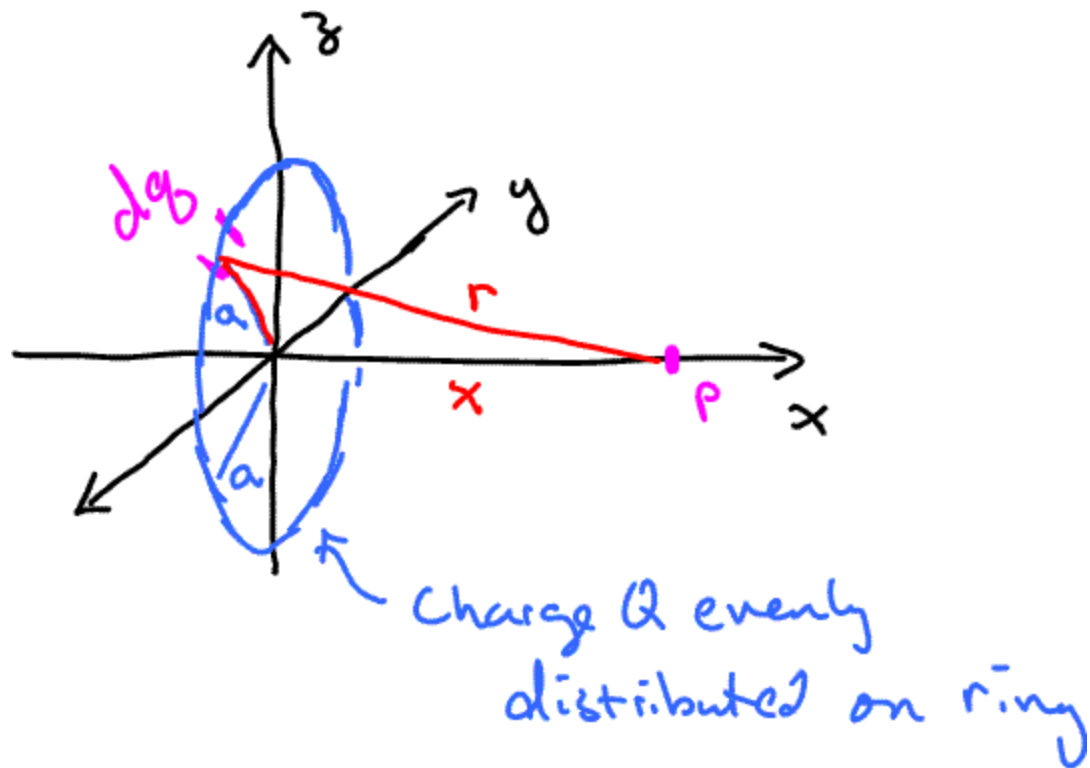
Scalar

~ Simple to calculate

$$\vec{E} = -\vec{\nabla} V$$

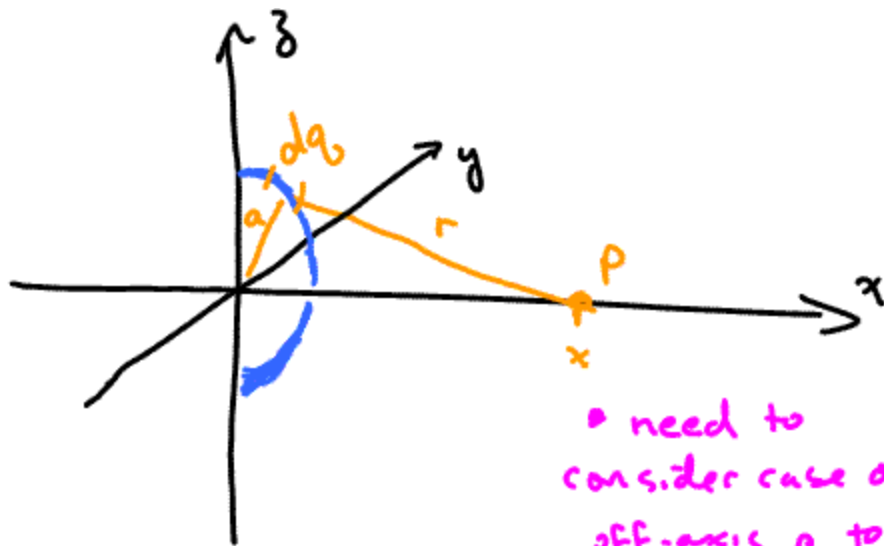
$$\vec{E}(x, y, z) = -\frac{\partial V}{\partial x} \hat{i} - \frac{\partial V}{\partial y} \hat{j} - \frac{\partial V}{\partial z} \hat{k}$$

$$E_s = -\frac{dV}{ds}$$



$$V_P = \frac{kQ}{(a^2 + x^2)^{1/2}}$$

$$\vec{E}_P = \frac{kQx}{(a^2 + x^2)^{3/2}} \hat{x}$$



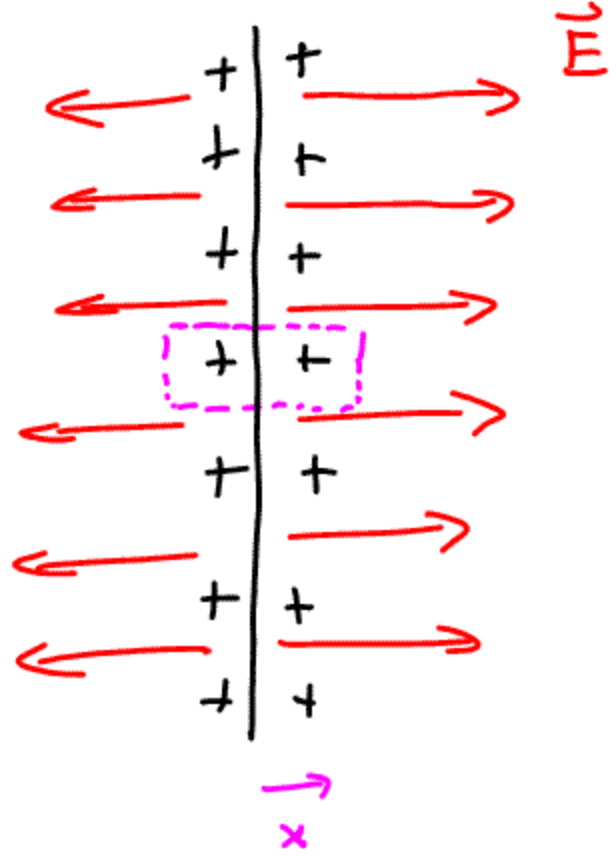
Was asked at end of class last time about what happens if we have a semicircle of charge

• need to consider case of off-axis P to bring in the z and y dependence

on axis $V_p = \int \frac{k dq}{r} \sim \frac{k Q}{(a^2 + x^2)^{1/2}}$

$$\frac{\partial V_p}{\partial x} \quad \frac{\partial V_p}{\partial y} \quad \frac{\partial V_p}{\partial z}$$

$$E_p = -\nabla V_p = \frac{k Q x \vec{x}}{(a^2 + x^2)^{3/2}}$$



∞ sheet
 uniform chg. density
 $\sigma \sim \text{Coul/m}^2$

What is \vec{E} as
 fn of σ ?



$$\oint \vec{E} \cdot d\vec{A} = \frac{Q_{\text{enc}}}{\epsilon_0}$$

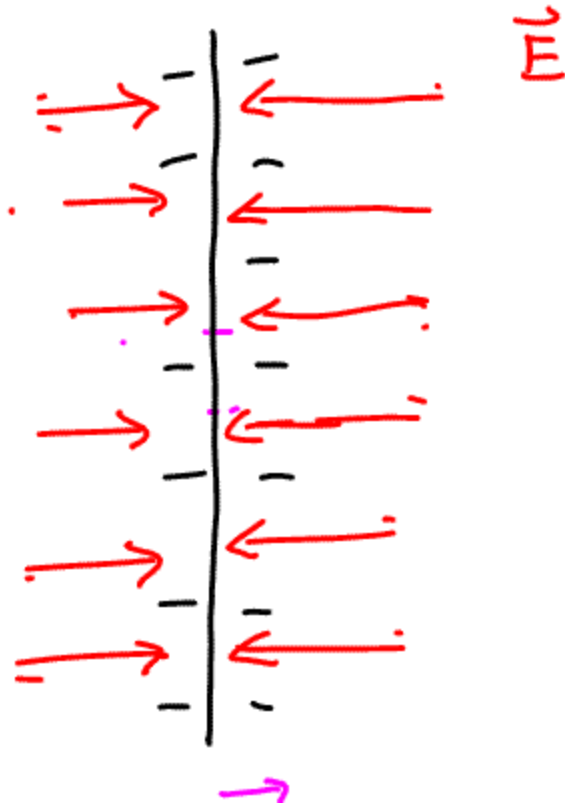
$$2|\vec{E}|A$$

$$\oint \vec{E} \cdot d\vec{A} = \int_{\text{Pipe}} \vec{E} \cdot d\vec{A} + \int_{\text{endcap 1}} + \int_{\text{endcap 2}}$$

Note: A pink arrow points to the Pipe integral with the text $\vec{E} \cdot d\vec{A} = 0$.

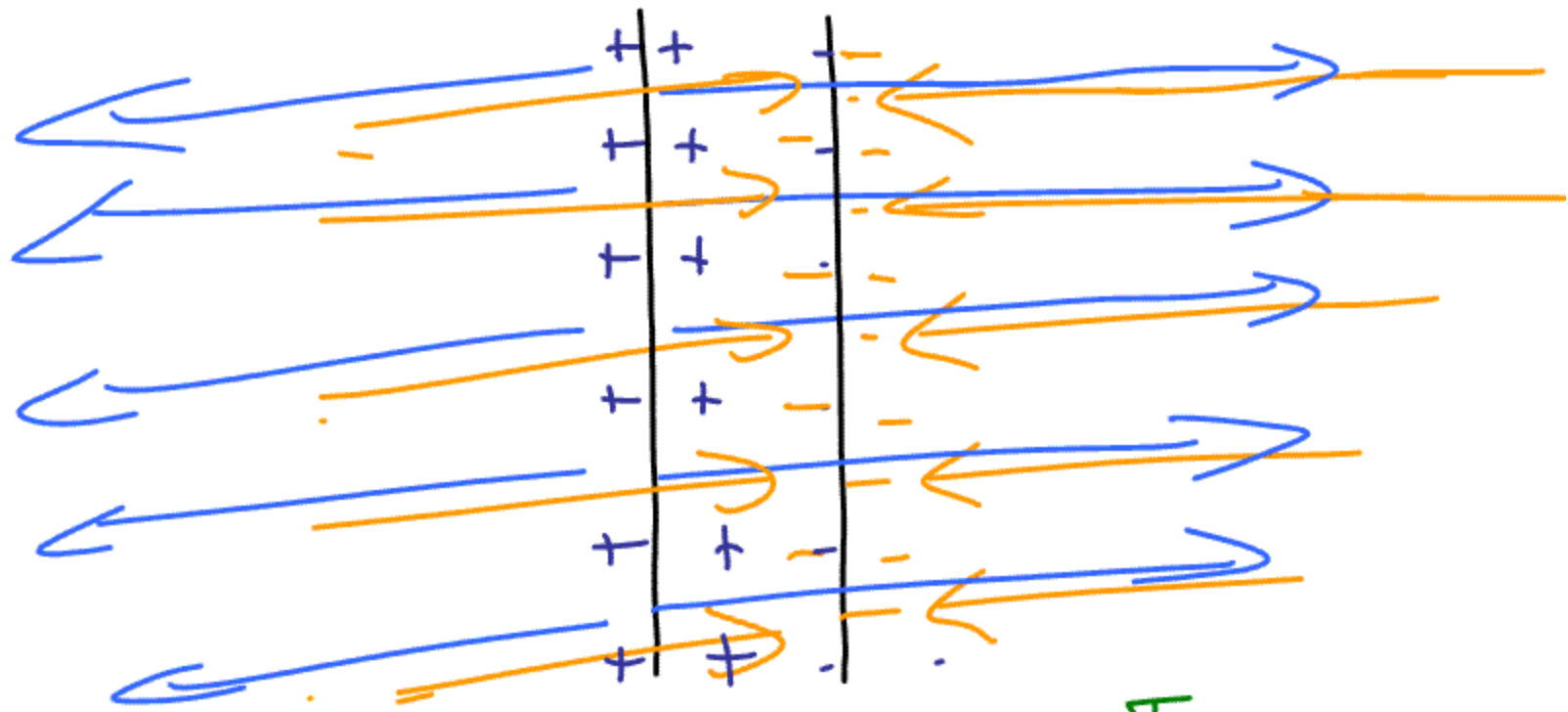
$$2|\vec{E}|A = \frac{\sigma A}{\epsilon_0} \quad Q_{\text{encl}}$$

$$|\vec{E}| = \frac{\sigma}{2\epsilon_0}$$



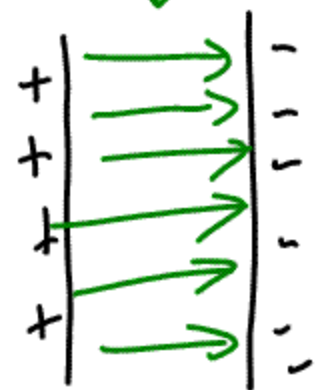
Again

$$|\vec{E}| = \frac{\sigma}{2\epsilon_0}$$



$$|\vec{E}| = \frac{V}{d}$$

$$|\vec{E}| = 0$$



$$|\vec{E}| = 0$$

Parallel plate capacitor \leftarrow distance

$$V_{\text{between plates}} = - \int \vec{E} \cdot d\vec{s} = -|E|d$$

$$\left(\frac{w}{q} \frac{F \cdot ds}{q} \right) \nearrow |\Delta V| = \frac{\nabla d}{\epsilon_0}$$

if $\Delta V = 1 \text{ volt}$

e^- goes from "-" plate to "+" plate

$$KE_{e^-} = q_e V = eV$$

unit of energy $\equiv eV$ 1 electron-Volt of energy/work to move e^- from 1 plate to other

$$1 \text{ eV} = (1.6 \times 10^{-19} \text{ Coul.})(1 \text{ volt}) = 1.6 \times 10^{-19} \text{ Joules}$$

$$E = mc^2$$

↑
eV

$\frac{\text{eV}}{c^2}$ is a unit of MASS

$$\frac{\text{MeV}}{c^2}$$

Not the same "c"



each sphere has
radius R

Fat Apart

$$V_+ = \frac{kQ}{R}$$

$$V_+ \propto Q$$

$$V_{\pm} = V_+ - V_- = \frac{2kQ}{R}$$

$$V_{\pm} \propto Q$$

$$V_- \propto Q$$

$$V_- = -\frac{kQ}{R}$$



define capacitance as the constant of proportionality

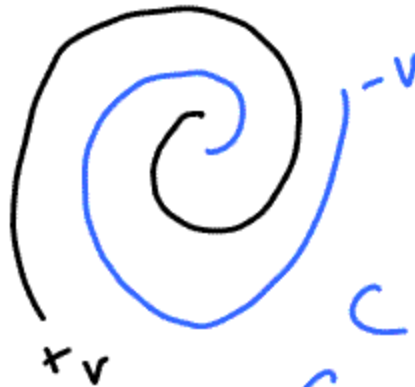
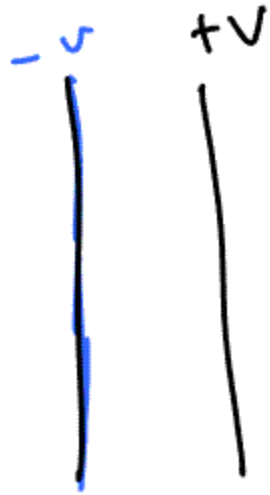
$$Q_+ = C_+ V_+ \quad Q_- = C_- V_-$$

$$Q = C_{+-} V_{+-}$$



capacitance
depends
only
on geometry

Capacitance quantifies how much charge a system can hold at a given potential difference



$$Q = CV$$

Capacitance, C Units Farads

C calorie

C heat capacity

C coulomb

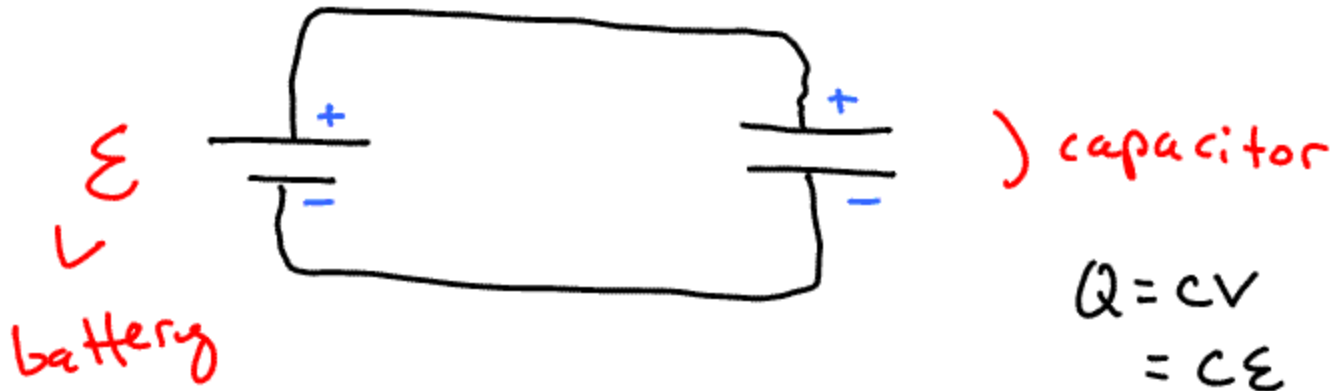
C speed of light

Units Farads

Capacitance is a measure of potential diff for given charge in system

EMF = Electromotive force

our first circuit



$$Q = CV$$
$$= C\mathcal{E}$$

Capacitors act as reservoirs of charge
 \mathcal{E} maintains a potential diff
across terminals