

PHYS 121

Jan. 29, 2024

- To do:
- Complete HW4 by 23:59 on Friday
 - Complete Pre-lab #1 before start of Lab #1
 - Quiz #1 on PrairieLearn

Wednesday, January 31.

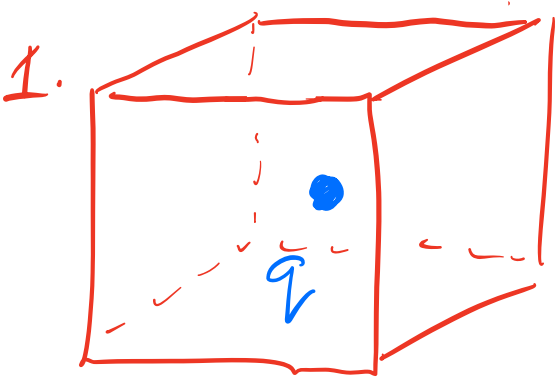
You do not have to come to
EME 0050 to complete the quiz.

Last Time:

$$\Phi = \oint \vec{E} \cdot d\vec{A} \quad (1)$$

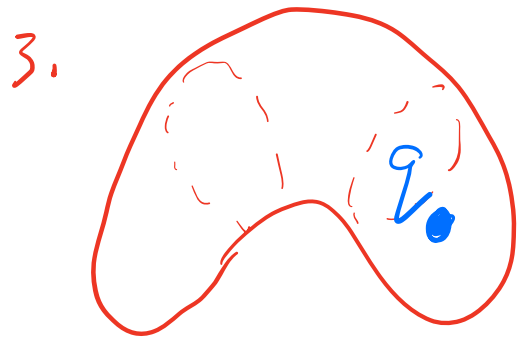
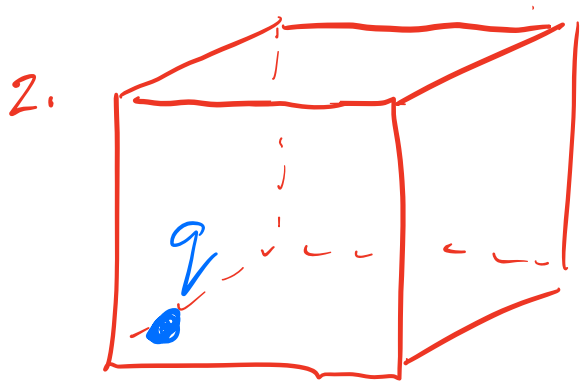
closed
surface

- Φ is :
- ✓ prop. to total charge enclosed by surface
 - ✓ indep. of position of charge enclosed by surface
 - ✓ indep. of surface shape.



If q is the same
in all three
cases, then

$$\Phi_1 = \Phi_2 = \Phi_3$$



Today: Gauss's Law

will show that $\Phi = \frac{q_{\text{encl}}}{\epsilon_0}$ (2)

Require (1) = (2) \Rightarrow $\oint \vec{E} \cdot d\vec{A} = \frac{q_{\text{encl}}}{\epsilon_0}$

Find flux through a closed surface containing a point charge q .

- free to pick shape of surface & position of pt. charge

- Make choices that simplify the calc.

$$\Phi = \oint \vec{E} \cdot d\vec{A}$$

▣ If $\vec{E} \parallel d\vec{A}$, then $\vec{E} \cdot d\vec{A}$

$$= E dA \underbrace{\cos 0}_{1}$$

perpendicular
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$$= E dA$$

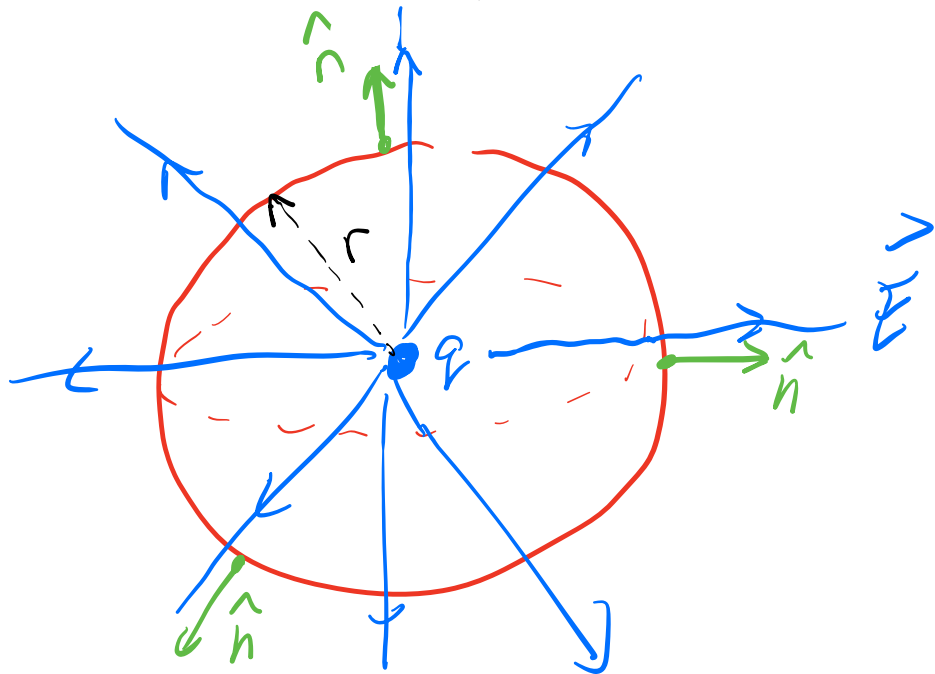
▣ If $\vec{E} \perp d\vec{A}$, then $\vec{E} \cdot d\vec{A}$

$$= E dA \underbrace{\cos 90^\circ}_0$$

$$= 0$$

▣ If \vec{E} has const. mag. everywhere on surface, then we can take E outside integral.

- Choose a spherical surface w/ q at the centre of the sphere.



For this geometry $\vec{E} \parallel \hat{n}$

$$\begin{aligned} \therefore \vec{E} \cdot d\vec{A} &= E dA \underbrace{\cos 0}_1 \\ &= \bar{E} dA. \end{aligned}$$

Note that pt. charge electric field has mag. $k_e \frac{q}{r^2}$ at surface of sphere.

$\therefore \bar{E}$ has a const mag. everywhere on surface of sphere \rightarrow factor \bar{E} out of integral.

$$\Phi = \oint \vec{E} \cdot d\vec{A} = \underbrace{\oint E dA}_{\vec{E} \parallel d\vec{A}} = E \underbrace{\oint dA}_{E \text{ is const.}}$$

Note $\oint dA$ requires us to add up all the little patches of area that make entire surface of sphere.

$$\begin{aligned} \oint dA &= \text{surface area of sphere} \\ &= 4\pi r^2 \end{aligned}$$

$$\Phi = \oint \vec{E} \cdot d\vec{A} = E (4\pi r^2)$$

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$$\Phi = \frac{k_e q}{\cancel{r^2}} (4\pi \cancel{r^2}) = \cancel{4\pi} k_e q$$

$$\Phi = \frac{q}{\epsilon_0}$$

Valid for any position of q inside a closed surface of any shape.

To emphasize that q must be inside closed surface, usually add a subscript q_{encl} .

$$\Phi = \oint \vec{E} \cdot d\vec{A}$$
$$\Phi = \frac{q_{\text{encl}}}{\epsilon_0}$$

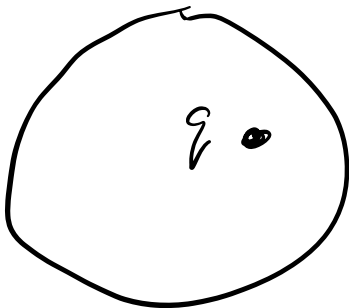
$$\oint \vec{E} \cdot d\vec{A} = \frac{q_{\text{encl}}}{\epsilon_0}$$

Gauss's Law.

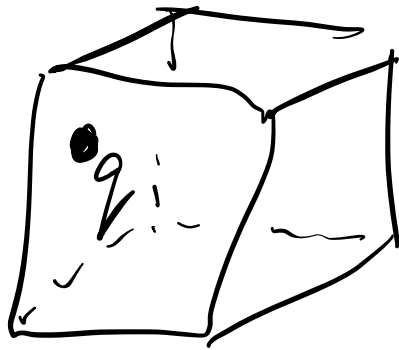
Since we can form any arbitrary dist'n of charges by assembling a collection of pt charges, Gauss's is valid for any kind of charge dist'n (not just pt. charges).

E.g. what is Φ ?

$$\Phi = \frac{q}{\epsilon_0}$$

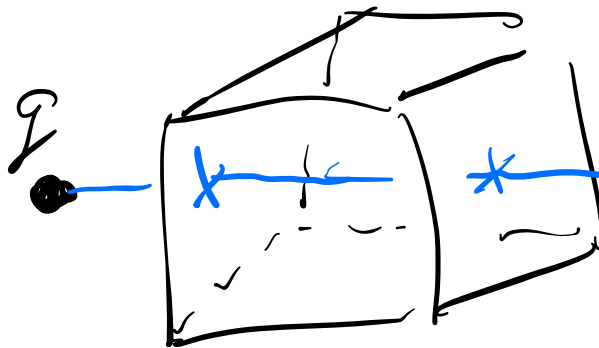


Eg.



$$\bar{\Phi} = \frac{q}{\epsilon_0}$$

Eg

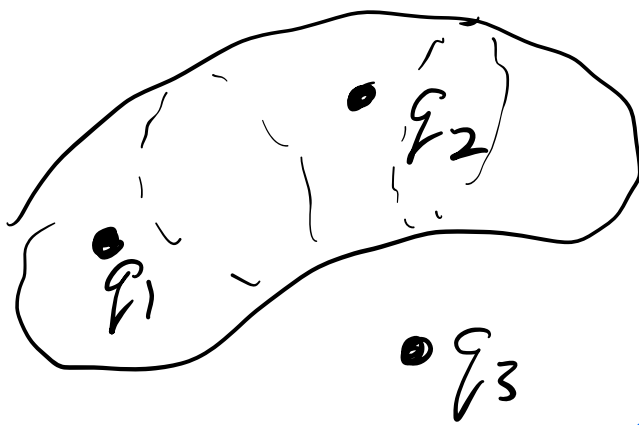


$$\bar{\Phi} = 0$$

since
 $q_{\text{enc}} = 0$

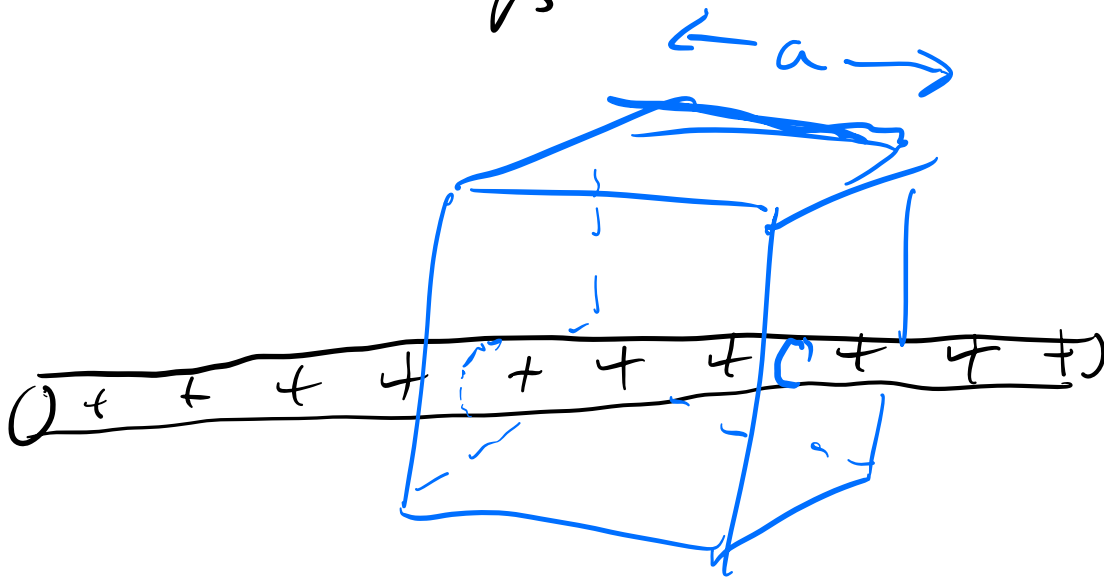
(q outside
 closed surface)

Eg.



$$\bar{\Phi} = \frac{q_1 + q_2}{\epsilon_0}$$

Eg.



charge per unit length of rod is $\lambda = \frac{Q}{L}$

What is $\overline{\Phi}$? $\overline{\Phi} = \frac{q_{\text{encl}}}{\epsilon_0}$

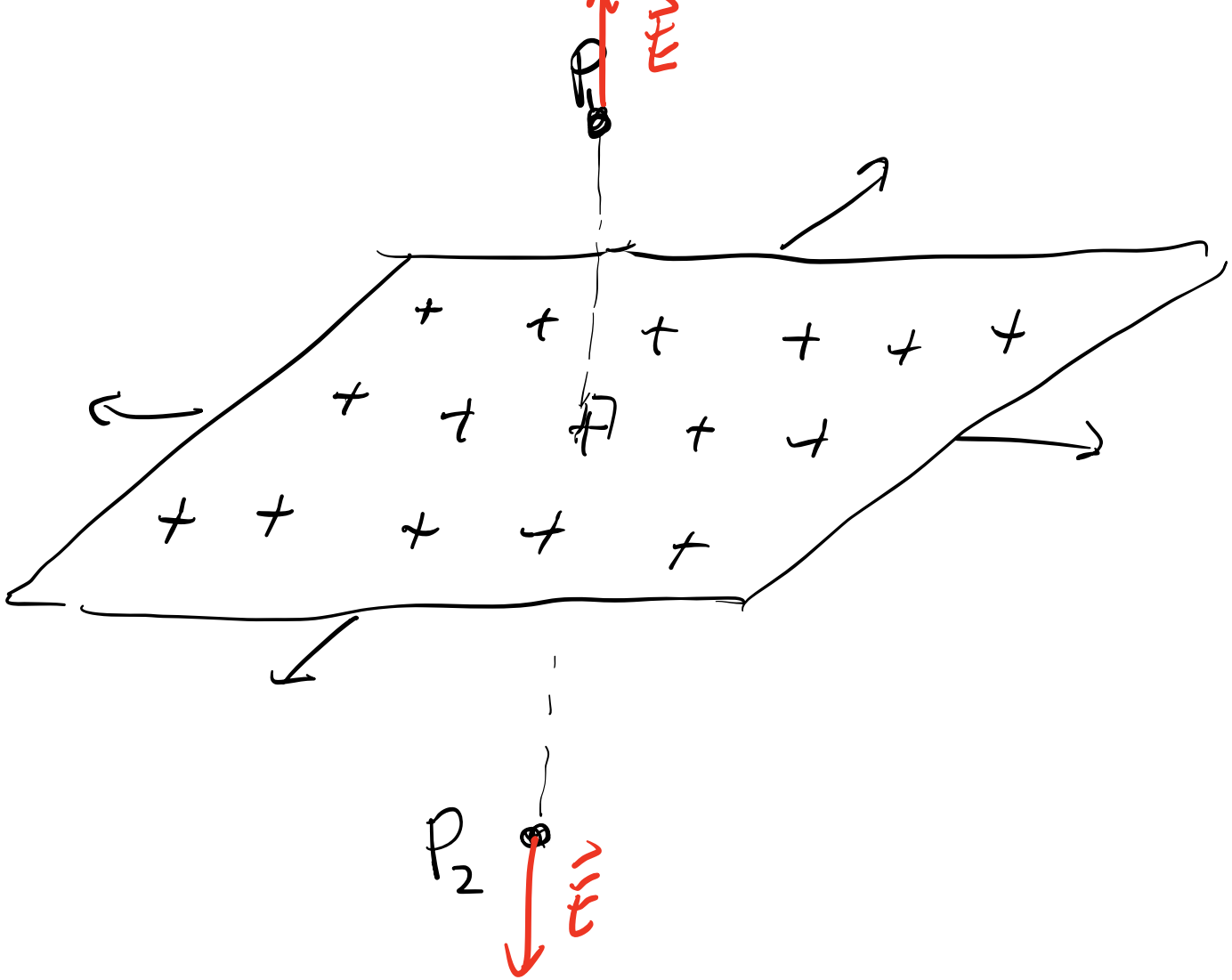
q_{encl} is total charge inside cube.

Need to mult. the charge per unit length of rod by the length of rod that is inside cube. That length is a .

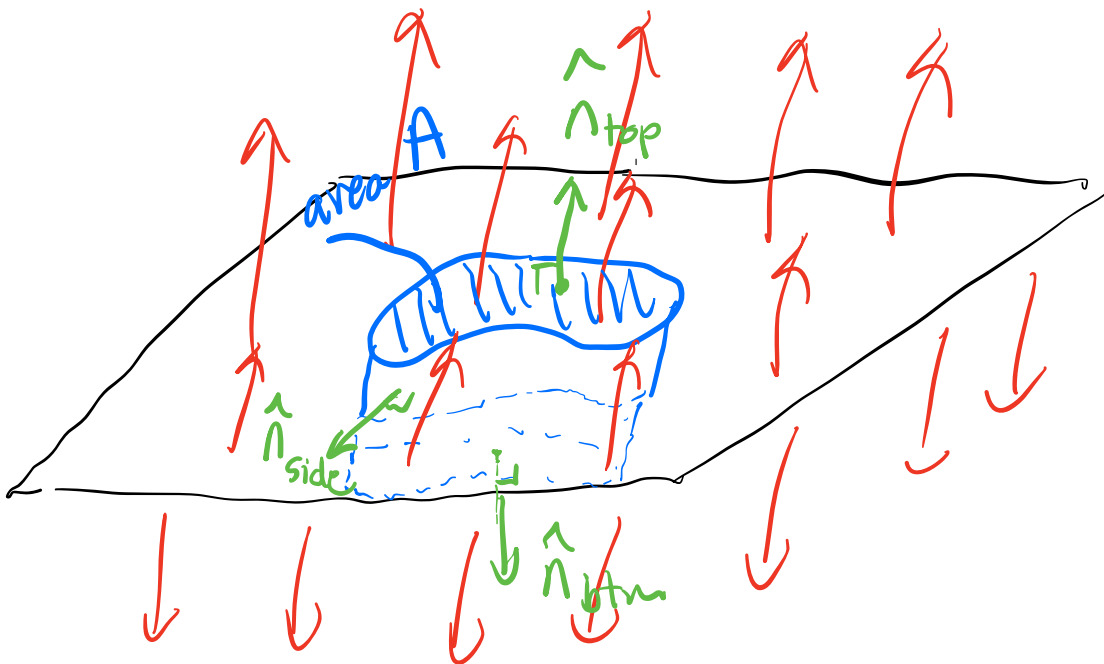
$$q_{\text{encl}} = \lambda a$$

$$\overline{\Phi} = \frac{\lambda a}{\epsilon_0}$$

Let's use Gauss's law to find the electric field due to a uniformly charged sheet.



By symmetry \vec{E} anywhere above sheet is upwards & it is downwards below the sheet.



Pick our surface s.t. it has flat top & btm that are always the same dist. from sheet.

$$\hat{n}_{\text{top}} \parallel \vec{E} \quad \vec{E} \cdot d\vec{A}_{\text{top}} = E dA_{\text{top}}$$

$$\hat{n}_{\text{btm}} \parallel \vec{E} \quad \vec{E} \cdot d\vec{A}_{\text{btm}} = E dA_{\text{btm}}$$

$$\hat{n}_{\text{side}} \perp \vec{E} \quad \vec{E} \cdot d\vec{A}_{\text{side}} = 0$$

$$\begin{aligned} \Phi &= \oint \vec{E} \cdot d\vec{A} = \int \vec{E} \cdot d\vec{A}_{\text{top}} + \int \vec{E} \cdot d\vec{A}_{\text{btm}} + \int \vec{E} \cdot d\vec{A}_{\text{side}} \\ &= \int E dA_{\text{top}} + \int E dA_{\text{btm}} \end{aligned}$$

Since top & btm surfaces are const. dist. from sheet, E is const.

$$\Phi = E \underbrace{\int dA_{\text{top}}}_A + E \underbrace{\int dA_{\text{btm}}}_A = 2EA$$

$$\Phi = 2EA$$

$$\Phi = \frac{q_{\text{encl}}}{\epsilon_0}$$

$$\Phi = \frac{\sigma A}{\epsilon_0}$$

If sheet has charge per unit area σ .

$$\text{Then } q_{\text{encl}} = \sigma A$$

$$\cancel{2EA} = \frac{\cancel{\sigma A}}{\epsilon_0}$$

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

uniformly charged sheet.