



Correction of SW N° 01 Electricity

Part 1: ELECTROSTATICS "point charges »

Exercise 1 :

- The potentiel on point O :

$$V_O = V_A + V_B + V_C = k \frac{q_A}{OA} + k \frac{q_B}{OB} + k \frac{q_C}{OC}$$

$$OA=OB=OC=R$$

$$V_O = k \frac{(-q)}{R} + k \frac{(+q)}{R} + k \frac{(+q)}{R} \Rightarrow V_O = k \frac{q}{R}$$

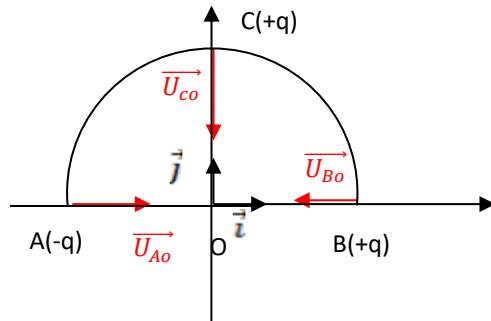
- Electric Field on point O :

$$\vec{E}_O = \vec{E}_A + \vec{E}_B + \vec{E}_C$$

with

$$\vec{E}_A = k \frac{q_A}{(OA)^2} \vec{u}_{AO}, \quad \vec{E}_B = k \frac{q_B}{(OB)^2} \vec{u}_{BO}$$

$$\vec{E}_C = k \frac{q_C}{(OC)^2} \vec{u}_{CO}$$



$$\vec{u}_{AO} = \vec{i}, \quad \vec{u}_{BO} = -\vec{i}, \quad \vec{u}_{CO} = -\vec{j}$$

$$\text{so } \vec{E}_O = k \frac{(-q)}{R^2} \vec{i} + k \frac{q}{R^2} (-\vec{i}) + k \frac{q}{R^2} (-\vec{j}) \Rightarrow \vec{E}_O = -k \frac{q}{R^2} (2\vec{i} + \vec{j})$$

- Electrostatic Force on point O

$$\vec{F}_O = q' \vec{E}_O = q \vec{E}_O = -k \frac{q^2}{R^2} (2\vec{i} + \vec{j})$$

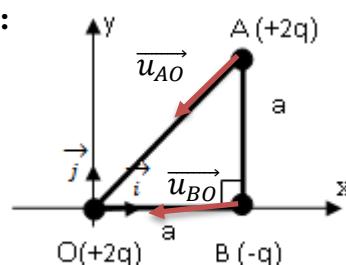
Exercise 2

- Electrostatic force exerted on the charge q_A :

$$\vec{E}_o = \vec{E}_{Bo} + \vec{E}_{Ao}$$

$$\vec{E}_{Bo} = k \frac{q_B}{(BO)^2} \vec{u}_{Bo}, \quad \vec{E}_{Ao} = k \frac{q_A}{(OA)^2} \vec{u}_{oA}$$

With $q_A=+2q$, $q_B=-q$, $q_o=+2q$ and $AB=OB=a$



According to Pitagor's right triangle rule (ABO); $OA^2 = BO^2 + BA^2$

$$OA^2 = a^2 + a^2 = 2a^2$$



$$\overrightarrow{u_{BO}} = -\vec{i}, \quad \overrightarrow{u_{AO}} = -\cos \frac{\pi}{4} \vec{i} - \sin \frac{\pi}{4} \vec{j} = -\frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} \vec{i} - \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} \vec{j}$$

$$\overrightarrow{E_o} = k \frac{-q}{a^2} \vec{i} - k \frac{(2q)}{2a^2} \left(\frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} \vec{i} + \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} \vec{j} \right) \Rightarrow \overrightarrow{F_A} = -\frac{kq}{a^2} \left[\left(1 + \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} \right) \vec{i} + \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} \vec{j} \right]$$

- Electric force on point O:

$$\overrightarrow{F_O} = q_O \overrightarrow{E_o}$$

$$\Rightarrow \overrightarrow{F_O} = -\frac{k2q^2}{a^2} \left[\left(1 + \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} \right) \vec{i} + \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} \vec{j} \right]$$

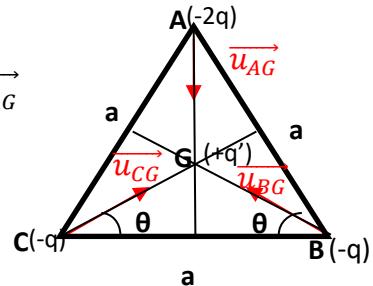
- Potentiel on point O

$$\begin{aligned} V_O &= V_A + V_B = k \frac{q_A}{AO} + k \frac{q_B}{BO} \\ &\Rightarrow V_M = k \frac{-q}{a} + k \frac{2q}{a\sqrt{2}} \end{aligned}$$

Exercise 3 :

- Electrostatic Force on point G :

$$\begin{aligned} \overrightarrow{F_G} &= \overrightarrow{F_{BG}} + \overrightarrow{F_{CG}} + \overrightarrow{F_{AG}} \\ \overrightarrow{F_{BG}} &= k \frac{q_G q_B}{(GB)^2} \overrightarrow{u_{BG}}, \quad \overrightarrow{F_{CG}} = k \frac{q_G q_C}{(CG)^2} \overrightarrow{u_{CG}}, \quad \overrightarrow{F_{AG}} = k \frac{q_G q_A}{(AG)^2} \overrightarrow{u_{AG}} \\ \text{with } q_A &= -2q, q_B = -q, q_C = -q \text{ et } q_M = +q' \\ AG^2 &= BG^2 = CG^2 = a^2/3 \end{aligned}$$



$$\overrightarrow{u_{AG}} = -\vec{j}, \quad \overrightarrow{u_{BG}} = -\cos \theta \vec{i} + \sin \theta \vec{j} \text{ and } \overrightarrow{u_{CG}} = \cos \theta \vec{i} + \sin \theta \vec{j}$$

$$\theta = \frac{\pi}{6} (30^\circ) \text{ so } \cos \frac{\pi}{6} = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} \text{ and } \sin \frac{\pi}{6} = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\overrightarrow{u_{BG}} = -\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} \vec{i} + \frac{1}{2} \vec{j} \text{ and with } \overrightarrow{u_{CG}} = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} \vec{i} + \frac{1}{2} \vec{j}$$

$$\overrightarrow{F_{BG}} = k \frac{(-qq')}{a^2/3} \left(-\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} \vec{i} + \frac{1}{2} \vec{j} \right), \quad \overrightarrow{F_{CG}} = k \frac{(-qq')}{a^2/3} \left(\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} \vec{i} + \frac{1}{2} \vec{j} \right), \quad \overrightarrow{F_{AG}} = k \frac{(-2qq')}{a^2/3} (-\vec{j})$$

$$\overrightarrow{F_G} = -3k \frac{qq'}{a^2} \left(\left(-\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} + \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} \right) \vec{i} + \left(\frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{2} - 2 \right) \vec{j} \right)$$

$$\overrightarrow{F_G} = -3k \frac{qq'}{a^2} (-\vec{j})$$

$$\overrightarrow{F_G} = 3k \frac{qq'}{a^2} \vec{j}$$



- Electric field on point G

$$\vec{F}_G = q_G \vec{E}_G \Rightarrow \vec{E}_G = \frac{\vec{F}_G}{q_G}$$

$$q_G = q'$$

$$\Rightarrow \vec{E}_G = \frac{\vec{F}_G}{q'} = 3k \frac{q}{a^2} \vec{j}$$

- Potentiel on point M

$$V_G = V_A + V_B + V_C = k \frac{q_A}{AG} + k \frac{q_B}{BG} + k \frac{q_C}{CG}$$

$$\Rightarrow V_G = k \frac{(-2q)}{a/\sqrt{3}} + k \frac{(-q)}{a/\sqrt{3}} + k \frac{(-q)}{a/\sqrt{3}}$$

$$\Rightarrow V_G = -4\sqrt{3} \frac{kq}{a}$$

Exercise 4 :

- Electrostatic Force on point D :

$$\vec{F}_D = \vec{F}_{BD} + \vec{F}_{CD} + \vec{F}_{AD}$$

$$\vec{F}_{BD} = k \frac{q_D q_B}{(DB)^2} \vec{u}_{BD}, \quad \vec{F}_{CD} = k \frac{q_D q_C}{(CD)^2} \vec{u}_{CD}, \quad \vec{F}_{AD} = k \frac{q_D q_A}{(AD)^2} \vec{u}_{AD}$$

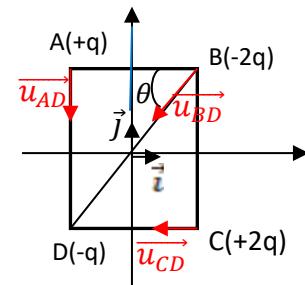
with $q_A = +q$, $q_B = -2q$, $q_C = +2q$ et $q_D = -q$

$AD = BD = a$

$$BD^2 = CD^2 + BC^2 = a^2 + a^2 = 2a^2$$

$$BD = a\sqrt{2}$$

$$\cos \theta = \frac{AB}{BD} = \frac{a}{a\sqrt{2}} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} = \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}, \quad \sin \theta = \frac{AD}{BD} = \frac{a}{a\sqrt{2}} = \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} \text{ so } \theta = \frac{\pi}{4}$$



$$\cos\left(\frac{\pi}{2} - \varphi\right) = \sin \varphi$$

$$\sin\left(\frac{\pi}{2} - \varphi\right) = \cos \varphi$$

$$\vec{u}_{AD} = -\vec{j}, \quad \vec{u}_{CD} = -\vec{i} \text{ and } \vec{u}_{BD} = -\cos \theta \vec{i} - \sin \theta \vec{j}$$

$$\theta = \frac{\pi}{4} \quad \text{So} \quad \cos \frac{\pi}{4} = \sin \frac{\pi}{4} = \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}$$

$$\vec{u}_{BD} = -\frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} \vec{i} - \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} \vec{j}$$



$$\overrightarrow{F_{BD}} = k \frac{(-2q)(-q)}{2a^2} \left(-\frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} \vec{i} - \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} \vec{j} \right) = k \frac{q^2}{a^2} \left(-\frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} \vec{i} - \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} \vec{j} \right),$$

$$\overrightarrow{F_{CD}} = k \frac{(+2q)(-q)}{a^2} (-\vec{i}) = 2k \frac{q^2}{a^2} \vec{i},$$

$$\overrightarrow{F_{AD}} = k \frac{(+q)(-q)}{a^2} (-\vec{j}) = k \frac{q^2}{a^2} \vec{j}$$

$$\overrightarrow{F_D} = k \frac{q^2}{a^2} \left(-\frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} \vec{i} - \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} \vec{j} \right) + 2k \frac{q^2}{a^2} \vec{i} + k \frac{q^2}{a^2} \vec{j}$$

$$\overrightarrow{F_O} = k \frac{q^2}{a^2} \left(\left(-\frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} + 2 \right) \vec{i} + \left(-\frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} + 1 \right) \vec{j} \right)$$

- Electric Field on point O :**

$$\overrightarrow{E_O} = \overrightarrow{E_{BO}} + \overrightarrow{E_{CO}} + \overrightarrow{E_{AO}} + \overrightarrow{E_{DO}}$$

$$\overrightarrow{E_{BO}} = k \frac{q_B}{(OB)^2} \overrightarrow{u_{BO}}, \quad \overrightarrow{E_{CO}} = k \frac{q_C}{(CO)^2} \overrightarrow{u_{CO}}, \quad \overrightarrow{E_{AO}} = k \frac{q_A}{(AO)^2} \overrightarrow{u_{AO}}, \quad \overrightarrow{E_{DO}} = k \frac{q_D}{(DO)^2} \overrightarrow{u_{DO}}$$

and $q_A = +q$, $q_B = -2q$, $q_C = +2q$ et $q_D = -q$

$$AO^2 = \left(\frac{a}{2}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{a}{2}\right)^2 = \frac{a^2}{2} \text{ So } AO^2 = BO^2 = CO^2 = DO^2 = \frac{a^2}{2}$$

($BO = a\sqrt{2}/2$ So $BO^2 = a^2/2$)

$$\overrightarrow{u_{BO}} = -\cos \theta \vec{i} - \sin \theta \vec{j} = -\frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} \vec{i} - \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} \vec{j}$$

$$\overrightarrow{u_{AO}} = \sin \alpha \vec{i} - \cos \alpha \vec{j} = \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} \vec{i} - \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} \vec{j},$$

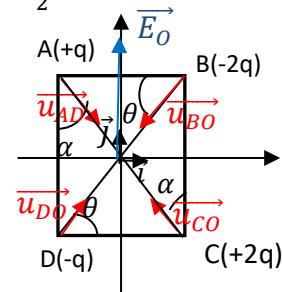
$$\overrightarrow{u_{CO}} = -\sin \alpha \vec{i} + \cos \alpha \vec{j} = -\frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} \vec{i} + \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} \vec{j}$$

$$\overrightarrow{u_{DO}} = \cos \theta \vec{i} + \sin \theta \vec{j} = \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} \vec{i} + \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} \vec{j} \quad (\text{with } \theta = \alpha = \frac{\pi}{4} \text{ So } \cos \frac{\pi}{4} = \sin \frac{\pi}{4} = \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2})$$

$$\overrightarrow{E_{BO}} = k \frac{(-2q)}{a^2/2} \left(-\frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} \vec{i} - \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} \vec{j} \right), \quad \overrightarrow{E_{CO}} = k \frac{(-q)}{a^2/2} \left(-\frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} \vec{i} + \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} \vec{j} \right)$$

$$\overrightarrow{E_{AO}} = k \frac{q}{a^2/2} \left(\frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} \vec{i} - \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} \vec{j} \right), \quad \overrightarrow{E_{DO}} = k \frac{(-q)}{a^2/2} \left(\frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} \vec{i} + \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} \vec{j} \right)$$

$$\text{So } \overrightarrow{E_O} = 2k \frac{q}{a^2} \left[\left(-2 \left(-\frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} \right) + 2 \left(-\frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} \right) + \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} - \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} \right) \vec{i} + \left(-2 \left(-\frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} \right) + 2 \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} - \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} - \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} \right) \vec{j} \right]$$





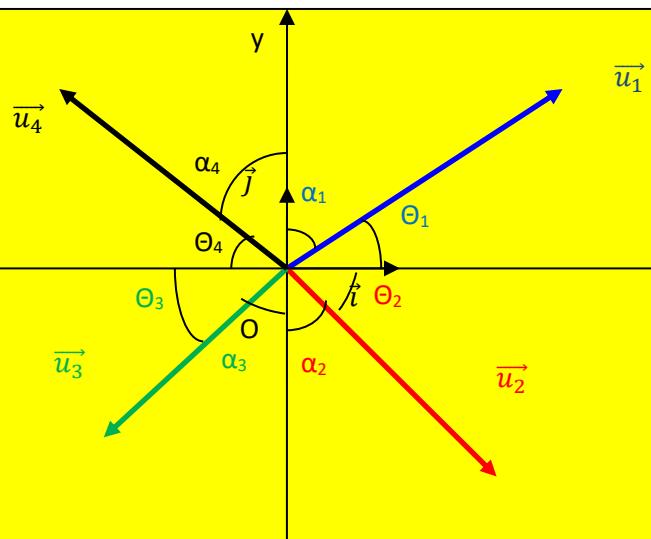
$$\Rightarrow \overrightarrow{E_O} = 2\sqrt{2}k \frac{q}{a^2} \vec{j}$$

- Potentiel on point O**

$$V_O = V_A + V_B + V_C + V_D = k \frac{q_A}{OA} + k \frac{q_B}{OB} + k \frac{q_C}{OC} + k \frac{q_D}{OD}$$

$$\Rightarrow V_O = k \frac{(+q)}{a/\sqrt{2}} + k \frac{(-2q)}{a/\sqrt{2}} + k \frac{(2q)}{a/\sqrt{2}} + k \frac{(-q)}{a/\sqrt{2}}$$

$$\Rightarrow V_O = 0$$



$$\overrightarrow{u_1} = \cos \theta_1 \vec{i} + \sin \theta_1 \vec{j} \quad \text{ou} \quad \overrightarrow{u_1} = \sin \alpha_1 \vec{i} + \cos \alpha_1 \vec{j}$$

$$\overrightarrow{u_2} = \cos \theta_2 \vec{i} - \sin \theta_2 \vec{j} \quad \text{ou} \quad \overrightarrow{u_2} = \sin \alpha_2 \vec{i} - \cos \alpha_2 \vec{j}$$

$$\overrightarrow{u_3} = -\cos \theta_3 \vec{i} - \sin \theta_3 \vec{j} \quad \text{ou} \quad \overrightarrow{u_3} = -\sin \alpha_3 \vec{i} - \cos \alpha_3 \vec{j}$$

$$\overrightarrow{u_4} = -\cos \theta_4 \vec{i} + \sin \theta_4 \vec{j} \quad \text{ou} \quad \overrightarrow{u_4} = -\sin \alpha_4 \vec{i} + \cos \alpha_4 \vec{j}$$