



## Correction of SW N° 01 Electricity

### Part 2: ELECTROSTATICS

#### Charges distribution

#### Exercise 5 :

- The electric field components  $dE_x$  and  $dE_y$  resulting from the charge in the elementary element of length  $dy$  defined by the angle  $\theta$ .

The elementary electric field  $d\vec{E}$ , at point M, created by the linear charge element  $dq$  present in the element of length  $dl$ .

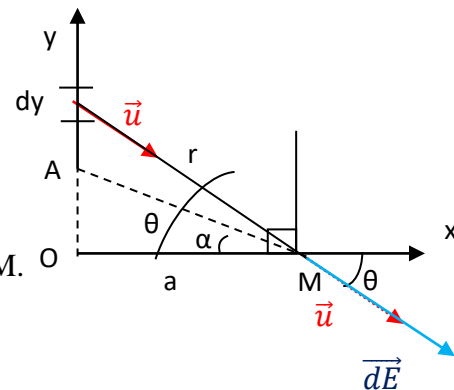
The charge is on the axis (Oy) so  $dl=dy$  and  $dq=\lambda dy$

$$d\vec{E} = k \frac{dq}{r^2} \vec{u}$$

(with  $r$  is the distance between the elementary charge  $dq$

and the point M) and  $\vec{u}$  is directed from  $dq$  to the point M.

$$\vec{u} = \cos \theta \vec{i} - \sin \theta \vec{j}$$



$$d\vec{E} = k \frac{dq}{r^2} \vec{u} = k \frac{\lambda dy}{r^2} (\cos \theta \vec{i} - \sin \theta \vec{j}) \Rightarrow \begin{cases} dE_x = k \frac{\lambda dy}{r^2} \cos \theta \\ dE_y = -k \frac{\lambda dy}{r^2} \sin \theta \end{cases}$$

We have three variables:  $y$ ,  $r$  and  $\theta$ ; we need to choose one variable and write the other two as a function of this variable

In this case the variable chosen is  $\theta$  which varies from  $\alpha$  to  $\pi/2$ .

Write  $r$  and  $y$  as functions of  $\theta$   $\pi/2$ .

$$\cos \theta = \frac{a}{r} \Rightarrow r = \frac{a}{\cos \theta} \quad \text{with « a » is the distance OM and it does not depend on } \theta.$$

$$\text{tg } \theta = \frac{y}{a} \Rightarrow y = a \text{ tg } \theta$$

$$\Rightarrow dy = a d(\text{tg } \theta) = \frac{a}{\cos^2 \theta} d\theta$$



$$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} dE_x = k \frac{\lambda \frac{a}{\cos^2 \theta} d\theta}{\frac{a^2}{\cos^2 \theta}} \cos \theta \\ dE_y = -k \frac{\lambda \frac{a}{\cos^2 \theta} d\theta}{\frac{a^2}{\cos^2 \theta}} \sin \theta \end{array} \right. \Rightarrow \left\{ \begin{array}{l} dE_x = k \frac{\lambda}{a} \cos \theta d\theta \\ dE_y = -k \frac{\lambda}{a} \sin \theta d\theta \end{array} \right.$$

- The  $E_x$  and  $E_y$  components of the electric field created by the wire (Ay) and its modulus:

The studied load changes or is located from point A, corresponding to angle  $\alpha$ , to infinity, corresponding to angle  $\pi/2$ .

$$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} E_x = \int_{\alpha}^{\pi/2} dE_x = k \frac{\lambda}{a} \int_{\alpha}^{\pi/2} \cos \theta d\theta \\ E_y = \int_{\alpha}^{\pi/2} dE_y = -k \frac{\lambda}{a} \int_{\alpha}^{\pi/2} \sin \theta d\theta \end{array} \right. \Rightarrow \left\{ \begin{array}{l} E_x = k \frac{\lambda}{a} (\sin(\pi/2) - \sin \alpha) \\ E_y = k \frac{\lambda}{a} (-\cos(\pi/2) + \cos \alpha) \end{array} \right.$$

$$\Rightarrow \left\{ \begin{array}{l} E_x = k \frac{\lambda}{a} (1 - \sin \alpha) \\ E_y = k \frac{\lambda}{a} \cos \alpha \end{array} \right.$$

$$\Rightarrow \vec{E} = k \frac{\lambda}{a} (1 - \sin \alpha) \vec{i} + k \frac{\lambda}{a} \cos \alpha \vec{j}$$

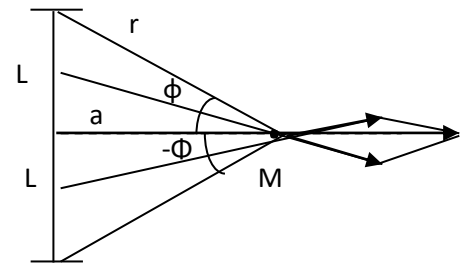
The modulus of the electric field:  $|\vec{E}| = \sqrt{\left(k \frac{\lambda}{a} (1 - \sin \alpha)\right)^2 + \left(k \frac{\lambda}{a} \cos \alpha\right)^2}$

- The expression of the electric field at the point M equidistant from the ends of the wire of length  $2L$ :

In this case, the angle  $\theta$  varies from  $(-\Phi)$  to  $\Phi$ .

$$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} E_x = \int_{-\Phi}^{\Phi} dE_x = k \frac{\lambda}{a} \int_{-\Phi}^{\Phi} \cos \theta d\theta \\ E_y = \int_{-\Phi}^{\Phi} dE_y = -k \frac{\lambda}{a} \int_{-\Phi}^{\Phi} \sin \theta d\theta \end{array} \right.$$

$$\Rightarrow \left\{ \begin{array}{l} E_x = k \frac{\lambda}{a} (\sin \Phi - \sin(-\Phi)) \\ E_y = -k \frac{\lambda}{a} (-\cos \Phi - (-\cos(-\Phi))) \end{array} \right.$$



$$\Rightarrow \left\{ \begin{array}{l} E_x = k \frac{\lambda}{a} (\sin \Phi + \sin \Phi) \\ E_y = k \frac{\lambda}{a} (\cos \alpha - \cos \alpha) = 0 \end{array} \right.$$



$$\Rightarrow \vec{E} = 2k \frac{\lambda}{a} \sin\Phi \vec{i}$$

*When symmetrical about the (Ox) axis, the electric field will have a single component along the x-axis, the other component being zero.*

$$\sin\Phi = \frac{L}{r} = \frac{L}{\sqrt{L^2+a^2}} \quad \text{so} \quad \vec{E} = 2k \frac{\lambda L}{a\sqrt{L^2+a^2}} \vec{i}, \quad r = \sqrt{L^2+a^2}$$

**- The electric field for an infinite wire**

In this case  $\theta$  varies from  $(-\pi/2)$  to  $\pi/2$

$$\begin{cases} E_x = \int_{-\pi/2}^{\pi/2} dE_x = k \frac{\lambda}{a} \int_{-\pi/2}^{\pi/2} \cos\theta d\theta \\ E_y = \int_{-\pi/2}^{\pi/2} dE_y = -k \frac{\lambda}{a} \int_{-\pi/2}^{\pi/2} \sin\theta d\theta \end{cases}$$

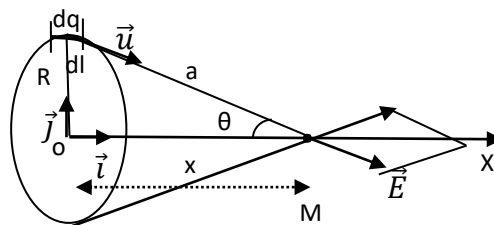
$$\Rightarrow \begin{cases} E_x = k \frac{\lambda}{a} (\sin \pi/2 - \sin(-\pi/2)) \\ E_y = -k \frac{\lambda}{a} (-\cos \pi/2 + \cos(-\pi/2)) \end{cases}$$

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$$\Rightarrow \vec{E} = 2k \frac{\lambda}{a} \vec{i}$$

**Exercise 6 :**

- 1- Electrostatic field We're looking for the elementary field ( $\vec{dE}$ ) created by the Charge element  $dq$  present in the element of length  $dl$ .



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$$\vec{dE} = \frac{k dq}{a^2} \vec{u} \Rightarrow \vec{dE} = \frac{k \lambda dl}{R^2 + x^2} (\cos\theta \vec{i} - \sin\theta \vec{j})$$

According to the relationship of Pitagorth :  $a^2=R^2+x^2$  and  $\vec{u} = \cos\theta \vec{i} - \sin\theta \vec{j}$



We have symmetry with respect to the axis (Ox), so the electric field has a single component  $E_x$ , ( $E_y=0$ ) and  $\cos\theta = \frac{x}{a} = \frac{x}{\sqrt{R^2+x^2}}$

So  $dE_x = \frac{k\lambda}{R^2+x^2} \frac{x}{\sqrt{R^2+x^2}} dl \Rightarrow dE_x = k\lambda \frac{x}{(R^2+x^2)^{\frac{3}{2}}} dl$ , (There is a single variable (l) and x and R are constant with respect to l).

$$E_x = k\lambda \frac{x}{(R^2+x^2)^{\frac{3}{2}}} \int_0^{2\pi R} dl = k\lambda \frac{x}{(R^2+x^2)^{\frac{3}{2}}} 2\pi R \text{ with } k=1/(4\pi\epsilon_0)$$

$$\text{So } E = \frac{\lambda}{2\epsilon_0} \frac{xR}{(R^2+x^2)^{\frac{3}{2}}}$$

## 2- Electrostatic Potential :

$$\vec{E} = -\overrightarrow{\text{grad}}V = -\frac{dV}{dx}\vec{i} \Rightarrow E = -\frac{dV}{dx}$$

$$V = -\int E dx = -\frac{\lambda R}{2\epsilon_0} \frac{1}{2} \int \frac{2x}{(R^2+x^2)^{\frac{3}{2}}} dx$$

$$\int U' U^n = \frac{U^{n+1}}{n+1} \text{ pour } \int \frac{U'}{U} = \ln U$$

$$U=R^2+x^2 ; n=-3/2, U'=2x \text{ so } \frac{(R^2+x^2)^{-\frac{3}{2}+1}}{-\frac{3}{2}+1} = \frac{(R^2+x^2)^{-\frac{1}{2}}}{-\frac{1}{2}} = \frac{-2}{\sqrt{R^2+x^2}}$$

$$V = -\int E dx = -\frac{\lambda R}{2\epsilon_0} \frac{1}{2} \left( \frac{-2}{\sqrt{R^2+x^2}} \right)$$

$$\text{So } V = \frac{\lambda R}{2\epsilon_0} \frac{1}{\sqrt{R^2+x^2}}$$

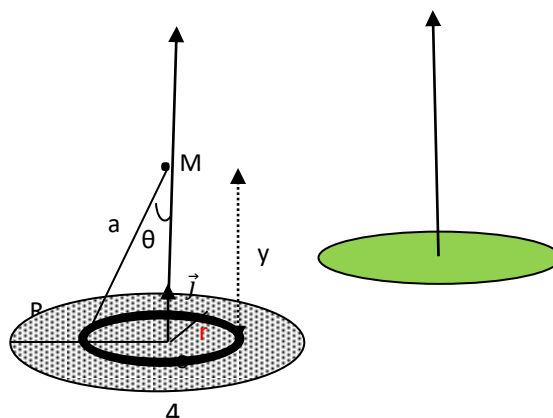
## Exercise 7 :

### 1- Electrostatic Potential :

We are looking for the elemental potential dV created by the Charge element dq present in the elemental surface. ds. ( $dq=\sigma ds$ )

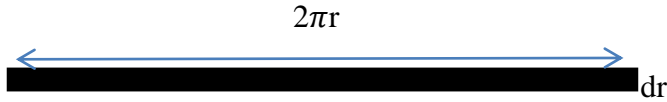
$$dv = k \frac{dq}{r}$$

$$dq=\sigma ds$$





The elementary surface in this case is a ring of radius  $r$  (with  $0 < r < R$ ) and thickness  $dr$  and  $ds = 2\pi r dr$ .



$$ds = 2\pi r dr$$

$$S = \pi r^2 \Rightarrow ds = 2\pi r dr$$

$$dv = k \frac{dq}{a} = k \frac{\sigma ds}{\sqrt{r^2 + y^2}} = k \frac{\sigma 2\pi r dr}{\sqrt{r^2 + y^2}}$$

$$v = k\sigma\pi \int_0^R \frac{2r dr}{\sqrt{r^2 + y^2}}$$

$$\int U' U^n = \frac{U^{n+1}}{n+1}$$

$$U = r^2 + y^2, \quad n = -1/2; \quad U' = 2r dr$$

$$v = k\sigma\pi \int_0^R 2r dr (r^2 + y^2)^{-1/2}$$

$$v = k\sigma\pi \frac{(r^2 + y^2)^{1/2}}{\frac{1}{2}}$$

$$v = 2k\sigma\pi \sqrt{r^2 + y^2}$$

$$v = 2k\sigma\pi (\sqrt{R^2 + y^2} - \sqrt{y^2})$$

$$v = 2k\sigma\pi (\sqrt{R^2 + y^2} - |y|)$$

$$v = k\sigma\pi \int_0^R \frac{2r dr}{\sqrt{r^2 + y^2}} = 2k\sigma\pi \sqrt{R^2 + y^2} - 2k\sigma\pi \sqrt{0 + y^2}$$

$$v = 2k\sigma\pi (\sqrt{R^2 + y^2} - |y|)$$

$$v =: \begin{cases} y > 0 & v = 2k\sigma\pi (\sqrt{R^2 + y^2} - y) \\ y < 0 & v = 2k\sigma\pi (\sqrt{R^2 + y^2} + y) \end{cases}$$



- Calculate of electrostatic Feild :

$$\vec{E} = -\overrightarrow{grad} V = -\frac{dV}{dy}\vec{j} \Rightarrow E = -\frac{dV}{dy}$$

$$\vec{E} = \begin{cases} y > 0 & E_y = -2k\sigma\pi \left( \frac{y}{\sqrt{R^2 + y^2}} - 1 \right) \\ y < 0 & E_y = -2k\sigma\pi \left( \frac{y}{\sqrt{R^2 + y^2}} + 1 \right) \end{cases}$$

- Calculating the electric field using the direct method:

with  $dq = \sigma ds = dq = \sigma 2\pi r dr$ , according to the relationship of Pitagorth:

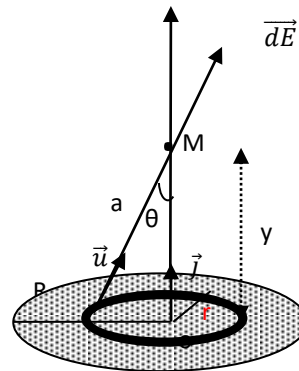
$$a^2 = r^2 + y^2 \text{ and } \vec{u} = \sin\theta\vec{i} + \cos\theta\vec{j}$$

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$$\text{so } dE_y = \frac{k \sigma 2\pi r dr}{r^2 + y^2} \frac{y}{\sqrt{r^2 + y^2}} \Rightarrow dE_y = k \sigma \pi y \frac{2r dr}{(r^2 + y^2)^{\frac{3}{2}}}$$

$$E_y = k \sigma \pi y \int_0^R \frac{2r dr}{(r^2 + y^2)^{\frac{3}{2}}} = -2k \sigma \pi y \left( \frac{1}{\sqrt{R^2 + y^2}} - \frac{1}{|y|} \right),$$



with  $k=1/(4\pi\epsilon_0)$

so we have tow cases

$$E = E_y: \begin{cases} y > 0 & E_y = -\frac{\sigma}{2\epsilon_0} \left( \frac{y}{\sqrt{R^2 + y^2}} - 1 \right) \\ y < 0 & E_y = -\frac{\sigma}{2\epsilon_0} \left( \frac{y}{\sqrt{R^2 + y^2}} + 1 \right) \end{cases}$$

## 2- The electric field as the disk radius R tends towards infinity :

$$\lim_{R \rightarrow \infty} E: \begin{cases} y > 0 & E_y = \frac{\sigma}{2\epsilon_0} \\ y < 0 & E_y = -\frac{\sigma}{2\epsilon_0} \end{cases} \text{ so } \lim_{R \rightarrow \infty} |E| = \frac{\sigma}{2\epsilon_0}$$