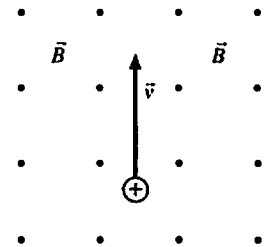


# 35 Electromagnetic Fields and Waves

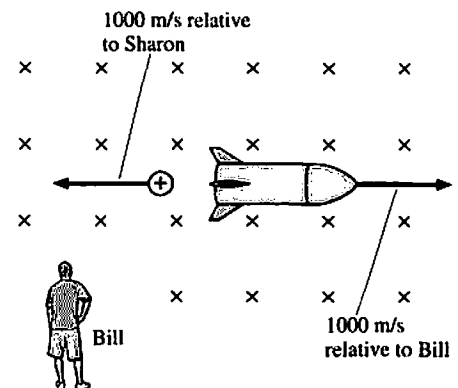
## 35.1 $E$ or $B$ ? It Depends on Your Perspective

1. In frame  $S$ , a positive charge moves through the magnetic field shown.
  - a. Draw a vector on the charge to show the magnetic force in  $S$ .
  - b. What are the speed  $V$  and direction of a reference frame  $S'$  in which there is no magnetic force? Explain.



- c. What are the type and direction of any fields in  $S'$  that could cause the observed force on the charge?

2. Sharon drives her rocket through a magnetic field, traveling to the right at a speed of 1000 m/s as measured by Bill. As she passes Bill, she shoots a positive charge backward at a speed of 1000 m/s relative to her.

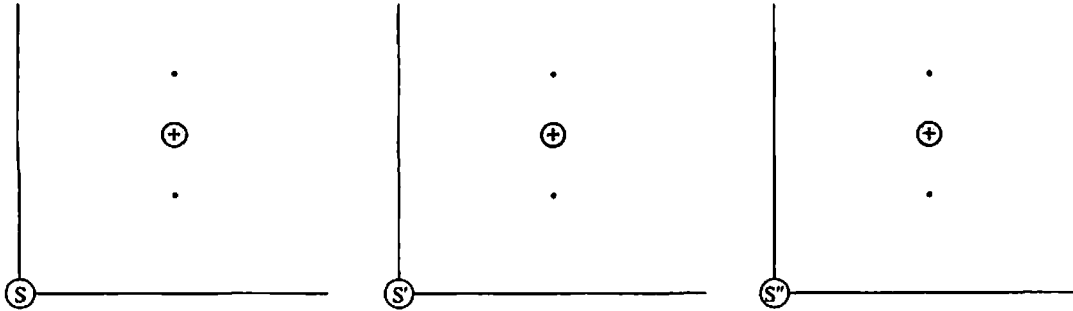


- a. According to Bill, what kind of force or forces act on the charge? In which directions? Explain.
- b. According to Sharon, what kind of force or forces act on the charge? In which directions? Draw the forces on the charge.

3. In frame S, a positive charge moves to the right at speed  $v$ . Frame S' travels to the right at speed  $V = v$  relative to S. Frame S'' travels to the right at speed  $V = 2v$  relative to S. The figure below shows the charge three times, once in each reference frame.

a. For each:

- Draw and label a velocity vector on the charge showing its motion in that frame.
- Draw and label the electric and magnetic field vectors due to the charge at the points above and below the charge. Use the notation of circled  $\times$  and  $\bullet$  to show fields into or out of the page.



b. Does it make sense to talk about “the” magnetic field? Why or why not?

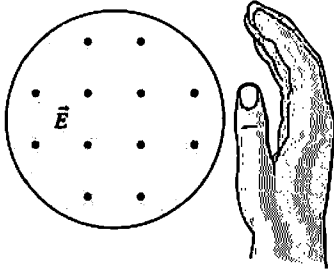


### 35.2 The Field Laws Thus Far

### 35.3 The Displacement Current

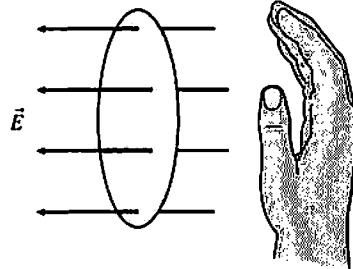
4. If you curl the fingers of your right hand as shown, is the electric flux positive or negative?

a.



Sign of  $\Phi_e$  \_\_\_\_\_

b.



Sign of  $\Phi_e$  \_\_\_\_\_

5. If you curl the fingers of your right hand as shown, is the emf positive or negative?

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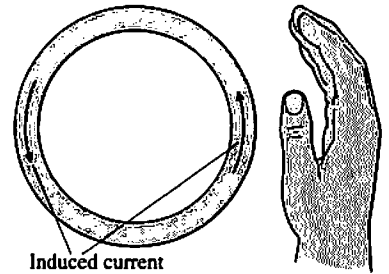
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6. What is the current through surface S?

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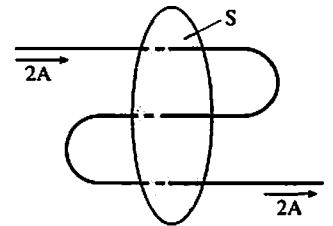
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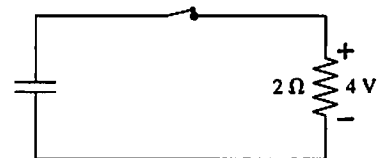
7. The capacitor in this circuit was initially charged, then the switch was closed. At this instant of time, the potential difference across the resistor is  $\Delta V_R = 4$  V.

a. At this instant of time, what is the current through the resistor?

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b. At this instant of time, what is the current through the space between the capacitor plates?

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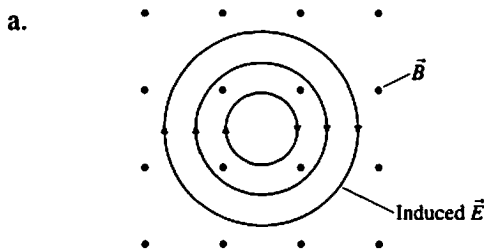


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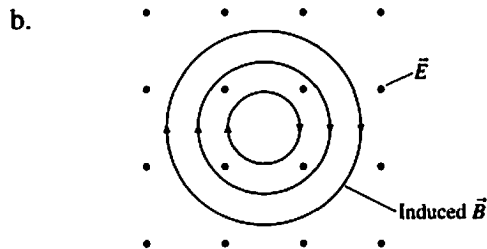
c. At this instant of time, what is the displacement current through the space between the capacitor plates?

d. Is the displacement current really a current? If so, what are the moving charges? If not, what is the displacement current?

8. Consider these two situations:



Is the magnetic field strength increasing, decreasing, or not changing? Explain.



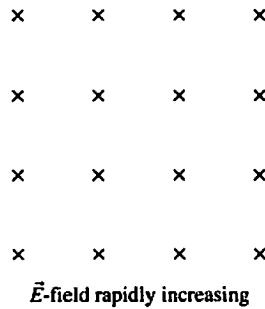
Is the electric field strength increasing, decreasing, or not changing? Explain.

9. Consider these two situations:

a. Draw the induced electric field.



b. Draw the induced magnetic field.

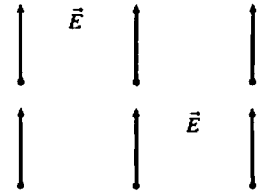


## 35.4 Maxwell's Equations

## 35.5 Electromagnetic Waves

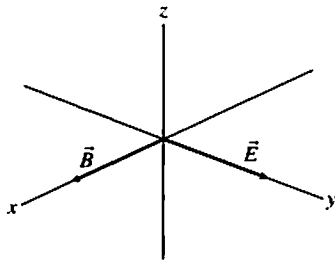
## 35.6 Properties of Electromagnetic Waves

10. This is an electromagnetic plane wave traveling into the page. Draw the magnetic field vectors  $\vec{B}$  at the dots.

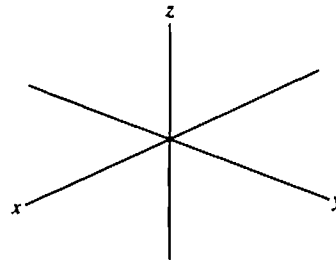


11. This is an electromagnetic wave at one instant of time.

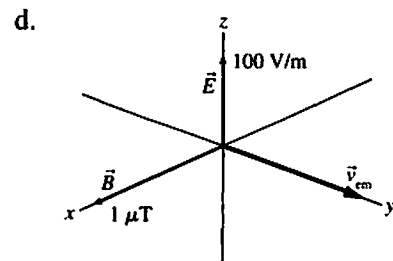
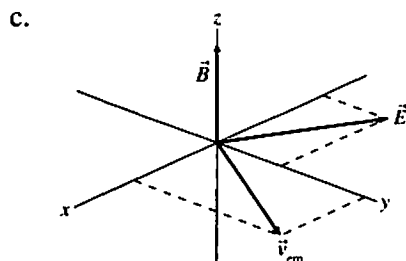
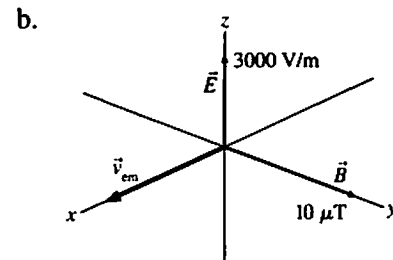
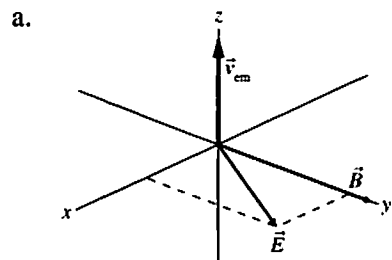
a. Draw the velocity vector  $\vec{v}_{em}$ .



b. Draw  $\vec{E}$ ,  $\vec{B}$ , and  $\vec{v}_{em}$  a half cycle later.



12. Do the following represent possible electromagnetic waves? If not, why not?



13. The intensity of an electromagnetic wave is  $10 \text{ W/m}^2$ . What will be the intensity if:

a. The amplitude of the electric field is doubled?

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b. The amplitude of the magnetic field is doubled?

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c. The amplitudes of both the electric field and the magnetic field are doubled?

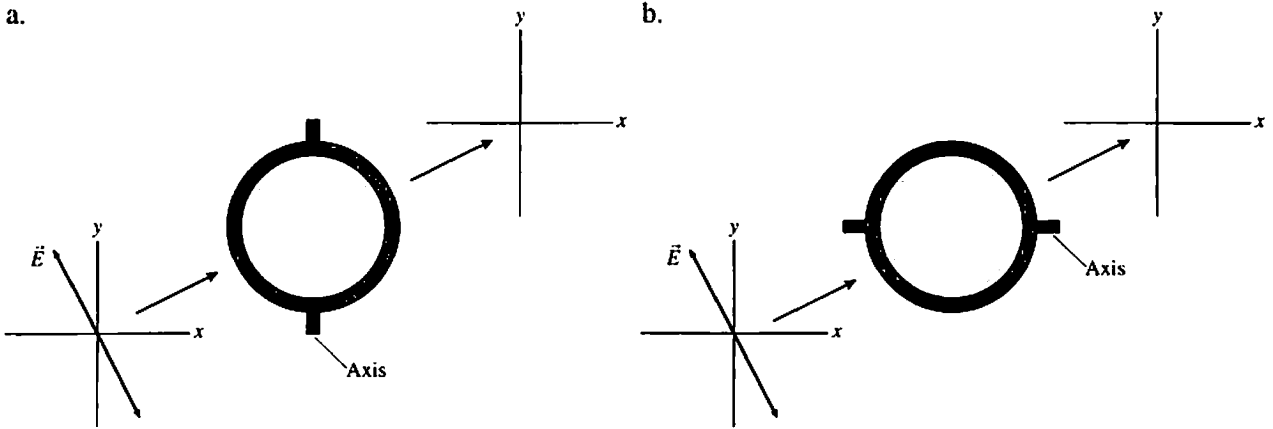
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d. The frequency is doubled?

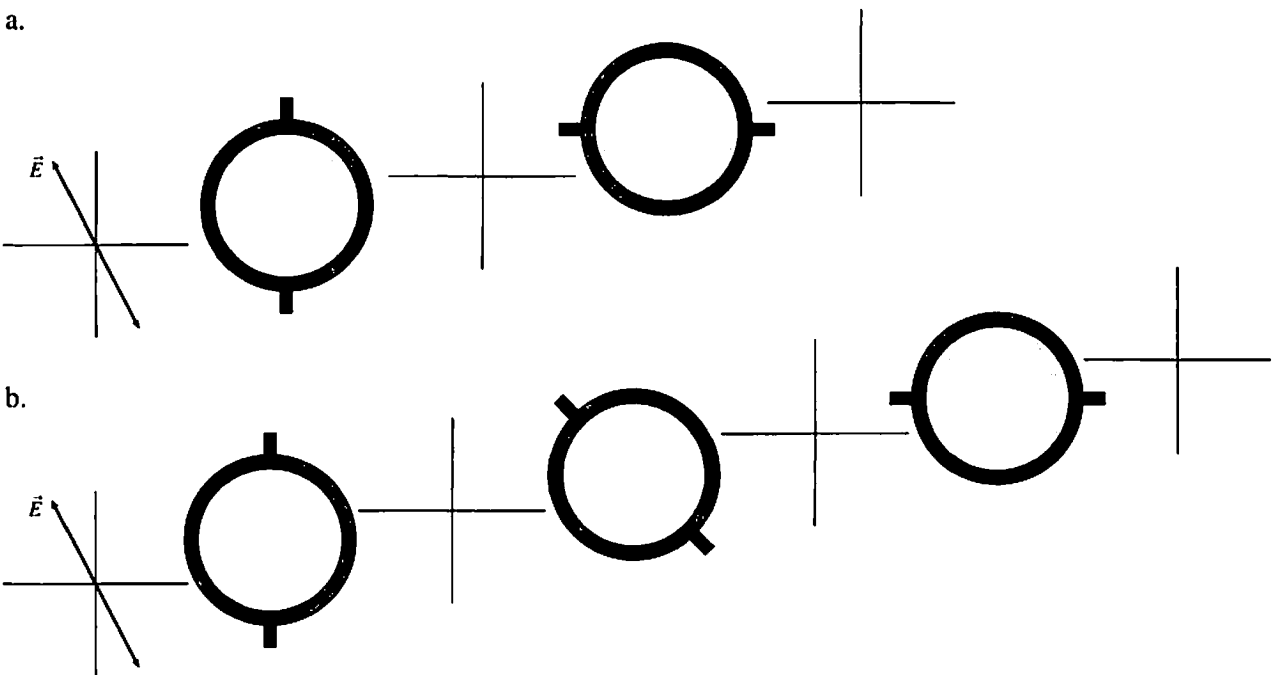
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## 35.7 Polarization

14. A polarized electromagnetic wave passes through a polarizing filter. Draw the electric field of the wave after it has passed through the filter.



15. A polarized electromagnetic wave passes through a series of polarizing filters. Draw the electric field of the wave after it has passed through each filter.



16. The intensity of a polarized electromagnetic wave is  $10 \text{ W/m}^2$ . What will be the intensity of the wave after it passes through a polarizing filter whose axis makes the following angle with the plane of polarization?

$$\theta = 0^\circ \quad \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$$

$$\theta = 60^\circ \quad \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$$

$$\theta = 30^\circ \quad \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$$

$$\theta = 90^\circ \quad \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$$

$$\theta = 45^\circ \quad \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$$