



Exercise 1:

- Let us take as a closed surface (surface of *Gauss*), a cylinder of radius x and length l and axis the infinite wire.

By reason of symmetry the field \vec{E} is radial (carried by ox)

$$\Phi(\vec{E}) = \Phi_{S_1}(\vec{E}) + \Phi_{S_2}(\vec{E}) + \Phi_{S_3}(\vec{E})$$

$$\Phi(\vec{E}) = \iint_{S_1} \vec{E} \cdot \vec{dS}_1 + \iint_{S_2} \vec{E} \cdot \vec{dS}_2 + \iint_{S_3} \vec{E} \cdot \vec{dS}_3$$

Field \vec{E} is perpendicular to the normal at any point on both bases \vec{S}_1 And \vec{S}_2

$$\text{So: } \vec{E} \cdot \vec{dS}_1 = \vec{E} \cdot \vec{dS}_2 = 0 \Rightarrow \Phi_{S_1}(\vec{E}) = \Phi_{S_2}(\vec{E}) = 0$$

Also, the field \vec{E} is parallel to the normal of the lateral surface \vec{S}_3

$$\Phi_{S_3}(\vec{E}) = \iint_{S_3} E \cdot dS_3 = E \cdot S_3 = E \cdot 2\pi \cdot x \cdot l$$

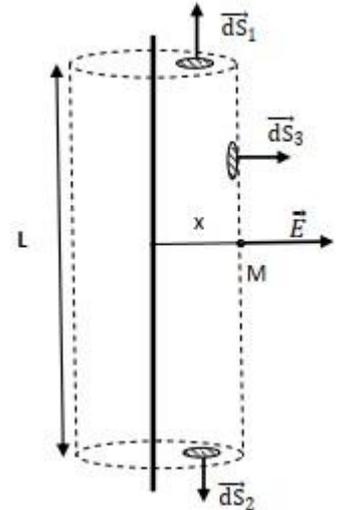
The total charge contained in the surface of *Gauss* is.

$$Q = \int dq = \lambda \int dl = \lambda \cdot l$$

By applying the theorem of *Gauss*

$$E \cdot 2\pi \cdot x \cdot l = \frac{\lambda l}{\epsilon_0}$$

$$\boxed{E = \frac{\lambda}{2\pi x \epsilon_0}}$$



$$\mathbf{V} = \int -E dx = - \int \frac{\lambda}{2\pi x \epsilon_0} dx = - \frac{\lambda}{2\pi \epsilon_0} \ln(r) + cte$$

Exercise 2:

Let us take as the surface of *Gauss* a cylinder with an axis perpendicular to the plane. Because of symmetry the field \vec{E} is perpendicular to the plane (*P*) The flow of the vector \vec{E} emerging from the surface of *Gauss* is:

$$\Phi(\vec{E}) = \Phi_{S_1}(\vec{E}) + \Phi_{S_2}(\vec{E}) + \Phi_{S_3}(\vec{E})$$

$$\Phi(\vec{E}) = \iint_{S_1} \vec{E} \cdot \vec{dS}_1 + \iint_{S_2} \vec{E} \cdot \vec{dS}_2 + \iint_{S_3} \vec{E} \cdot \vec{dS}_3$$

Field \vec{E} is perpendicular to the normal of the lateral surface $\vec{S}_3 \Rightarrow \Phi_{S_3} = 0$

On the other hand, we have nothing to do with the two bases S_1 And S_2 ,

field \vec{E} is parallel to the normal so

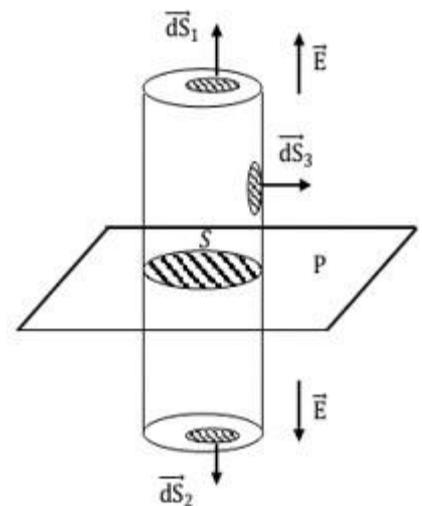
$$\Phi(\vec{E}) = \Phi_{S_1} + \Phi_{S_2} = ES_1 + ES_2 = 2ES_1 = 2ES \quad (S_1 = S_2 = S)$$

So the charge contained in the surface of *Gauss* is

$$Q = \iint_s dq = \sigma \iint_s dS = \sigma S \quad \text{with } (S_1 = S_2 = S)$$

We apply Gauss' theorem:

$$\Phi(\vec{E}) = 2ES = \frac{\sigma S}{\epsilon_0} \Rightarrow E = \frac{\sigma}{2\epsilon_0}$$



2) By analogy with question 1, the field \vec{E}' created by the plan(P') is

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

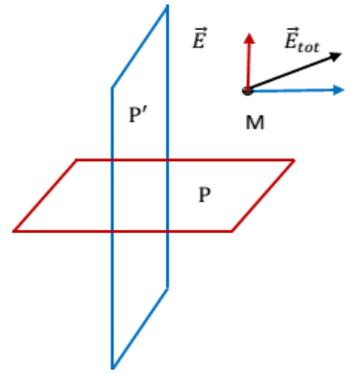
Total Field \vec{E} resulting is then:

$$\vec{E}_{tot} = \vec{E} + \vec{E}'$$

$$E_{tot} = \sqrt{E^2 + E'^2}$$

$$E_{tot} = \sqrt{\left(\frac{\sigma}{2\epsilon_0}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{\sigma}{\epsilon_0}\right)^2} = \frac{\sqrt{5}}{2} \frac{\sigma}{\epsilon_0}$$

$$\boxed{\mathbf{E}_{tot} = \frac{\sqrt{5}}{2} \frac{\sigma}{\epsilon_0}}$$



Exercise 3:

By application of Gauss's Theorem, let us calculate the electrostatic field created by a sphere with center O and radius R charged with a constant volume density positive ρ

For reasons of symmetry, the vector E is radial and has the same modulus at any point of a sphere with center O and radius r (Gaussian surface)

1st case $r < R$:

$$\Phi(\vec{E}) = \oiint_S \vec{E}_1 \cdot d\vec{S} = \oiint_S E_1 \cdot dS = E_1 \cdot S = E_1 4\pi r^2$$

The total charge of the sphere is

$$Q = \iiint \rho dV = \rho \cdot \int_0^R dV = \rho \cdot V$$

$$Q = \rho \frac{4}{3} \pi r^3$$

By applying gauss's theorem

$$E_1 4\pi r^2 = \frac{\rho 4\pi r^3}{3\epsilon_0}$$

$$\boxed{\mathbf{E}_1 = \frac{\rho}{3\epsilon_0} \mathbf{r}}$$

2nd case $r > R$:

$$\Phi(\vec{E}) = \oiint_S \vec{E}_2 \cdot d\vec{S} = \oiint_S E_2 \cdot dS = E_2 \cdot S = E_2 4\pi r^2$$

The total charge of the sphere is

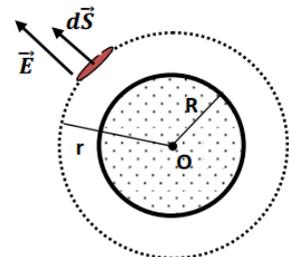
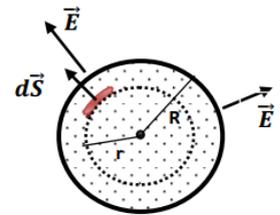
$$Q = \iiint \rho dV = \rho \cdot \int_0^R dV = \rho \cdot V$$

$$Q = \rho \frac{4}{3} \pi R^3$$

By applying gauss's theorem

$$E_2 4\pi r^2 = \frac{\rho 4\pi R^3}{3\epsilon_0}$$

$$\boxed{\mathbf{E}_2 = \frac{\rho R^3}{3\epsilon_0 r^2}}$$



2) Electrical potential

$$r < R: V_1 = -\frac{\rho r^2}{6\epsilon_0} + C_1$$

$$r > R: V_2 = \frac{\rho R^3}{6\epsilon_0 r} + C_2$$

By writing the boundary conditions we have

$$V_2(\infty) = 0 \Rightarrow C_2 = 0$$

$$V_1(R) = V_2(R) \Rightarrow C_1 = \frac{\rho R^2}{2\epsilon_0}$$