

Practice Final B
Solutions

$$(1) (a) \lambda = \frac{v}{\omega} = \frac{v}{2\pi f} = \frac{3 \times 10^8}{7.10 \times 10^5 \cdot 2\pi} = 67.2 \text{ [m]}$$

$$(b) I = \frac{P}{A} = \frac{5 \times 10^4}{4\pi \cdot (1.77 \times 10^4)^2} = 1.27 \times 10^{-5} \left[\frac{\text{W}}{\text{m}^2} \right]$$

(2) we determine:

$$\begin{aligned} k(0) &= \frac{1}{2} \cdot 1 \cdot 1^2 = \frac{1}{2} \\ U(0) &= \frac{1}{2} \cdot 1 \cdot 1^2 = \frac{1}{2} \end{aligned} \quad \left. \right\} \Rightarrow \frac{1}{4} \text{ of the way through half cycle} \quad \hookrightarrow \phi = \frac{\pi}{4}$$

Amplitude is where $k=0 \Rightarrow U=1 \Rightarrow A=\sqrt{2}$

$$\omega = \sqrt{\frac{k}{m}} = 1$$

$$\text{Thus: } x(t) = A \sin(\omega t + \phi) = \sqrt{2} \sin(t + \frac{\pi}{4})$$

$$\text{And: } U(t) = \frac{1}{2} k x^2 = 1 \sin^2(t + \frac{\pi}{4})$$

(3) • Traveling

- Most likely traveling
- Standing
- Standing
- Traveling

(4) The speed of sound in water is faster than in air.

$$v = \sqrt{\frac{B}{\rho}} = \sqrt{\frac{2.2 \times 10^9}{10^3}} = 1483 \left[\frac{\text{m}}{\text{s}} \right] > 343 \left[\frac{\text{m}}{\text{s}} \right]$$

$$(5) A = 1.5$$

$$k = 2$$

$$\pm = - \quad \left. \right\} \text{ might traveling}$$

$$\omega = 2 \quad \left. \right\} \text{ kinda hard to pinpoint so anything } 1 < \omega < 3 \text{ is full credit}$$

$$\phi = 0$$

(6) (a)

$$\frac{1}{\frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{2}} = 1$$

(b)

$$\frac{1}{\frac{1}{3} + \frac{1}{3} + \frac{1}{3}} = \frac{1}{3} [S2]$$

(c) Springs act like capacitors, so

$$q \left[\frac{N}{m} \right]$$

(7) For small angles θ ,

$$\ddot{\theta} = -\frac{g}{l} \sin\theta$$

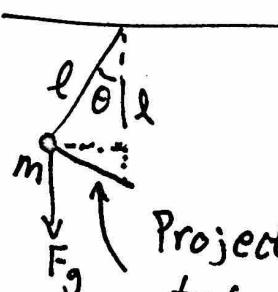


This is a SHO equation

if $\sin\theta \sim \theta$, thus:

$$\ddot{\theta} = -\frac{g}{l} \theta = -\omega^2 \theta$$

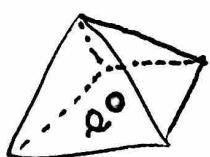
$$\Rightarrow T = 2\pi \sqrt{\frac{l}{g}} = \frac{2\pi}{\omega}$$



Project F_g here
to find tangential
acceleration $\ddot{\theta}$
- sign refers to
restoring force

(8) $P = P_0 + \rho g h = 9.3 \times 10^6 + 730 \cdot 8.57 \cdot 15 = 9.40 \times 10^6 \text{ [Pa]}$

(9)

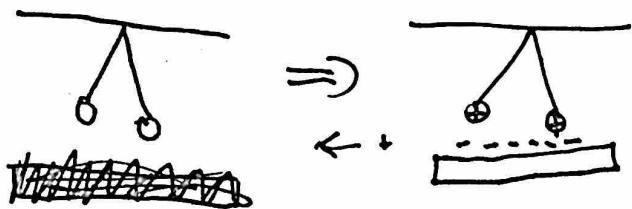


Half the flux goes below the pyramid,
and so $\frac{1}{8}$ th goes through each upper face.

$$\Phi = \frac{\Phi_{enc}}{\epsilon_0} \Rightarrow \Phi_{\text{one face}} = \frac{\Phi_{enc}}{8\epsilon_0}$$

(10) The larger sphere, they each have equal potentials at their surfaces

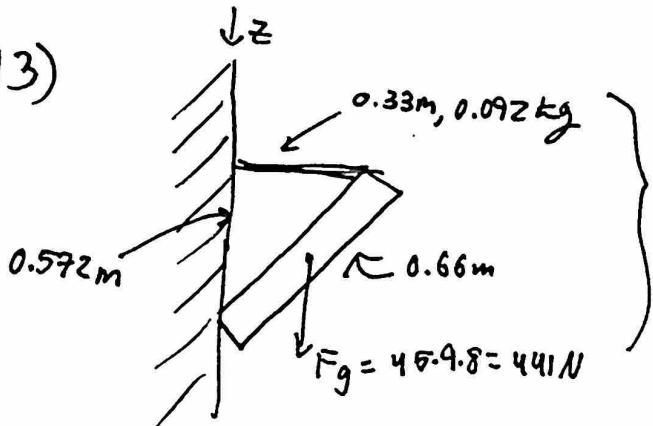
(11)



→ will be closer together if the plate is large since positive charges are pushed away and negative charges are attracted

(12) E : an infinite sheet is scale invariant!

(13)



$$\text{Now, } F_z = 441 \cdot 0.33 \sin\left(\frac{\pi}{6}\right) \Rightarrow 127.3 \text{ [N]} = F$$

$$m = \frac{0.092}{0.33} = 0.276$$

$$\nu = \sqrt{\frac{F}{m}}, f = \frac{\nu}{2\pi}$$

$$\Rightarrow f = 32.4 \text{ Hz}$$

(15.59 in your textbook)

(14) Treating these as point charges:

$$V = 2 \cdot \frac{q}{4\pi\epsilon_0 r} = \frac{2 \cdot 1.6 \times 10^{-19}}{4\pi \cdot 8.85 \times 10^{-12} \cdot 10^{-9}} = 0.048 \text{ [V]}$$

$$C = \frac{Q}{V} = \frac{2 \cdot 1.609 \times 10^{-19}}{0.048} = 6.68 \times 10^{-18} \text{ [F]}$$

$$\Rightarrow \text{Pair} \Rightarrow 1.33 \times 10^{-17} \text{ [F]}$$

\Rightarrow Whole genome:

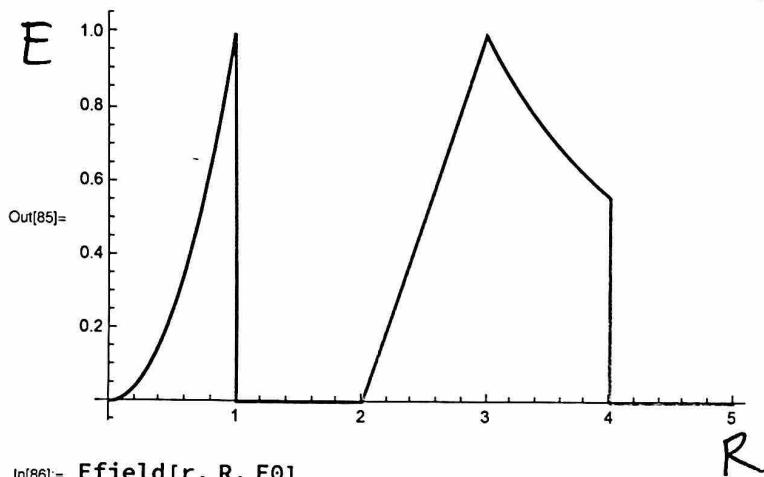
$$C = 3 \times 10^9 \cdot 1.33 \times 10^{-17} = 4 \times 10^{-8} \text{ [F]} = 40 \text{ [F]}$$

(15)

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In[84]:= Efield[r_, R_, E0_] := Piecewise[{{E0 \left(\frac{r}{R}\right)^2, 0 < r < R}, {0, R < r < 2 R}, {E0 \left(\frac{r}{R} - 2\right), 2 R < r < 3 R}, {E0 \left(\frac{3 R}{r}\right)^2, 3 R < r < 4 R}, {0, 4 R < r}}]
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Given this

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Plot[Efield[r, 1, 1], {r, 0, 5}, Exclusions → None]
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In[86]:= Efield[r, R, E0]
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Out[86]=
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$$\begin{cases} \frac{E0 r^2}{R^2} & 0 \leq r \leq R \\ 0 & R < r \leq 2 R \\ E0 \left(-2 + \frac{r}{R}\right) & 2 R < r \leq 3 R \\ \frac{9 E0 R^2}{r^2} & 3 R < r \leq 4 R \\ 0 & \text{True} \end{cases}$$

$$Q_{\text{enc}} = 4\pi \epsilon_0 r^2 E$$

From spherical symmetry

$$\text{In[87]} = Q_{\text{enc}}[r, R, \epsilon_0, E_0] := \text{Piecewise}\left[\left\{\left\{4\pi \epsilon_0 r^2 E_0 \left(\frac{r}{R}\right)^2, 0 \leq r \leq R\right\}, \right.\right.$$

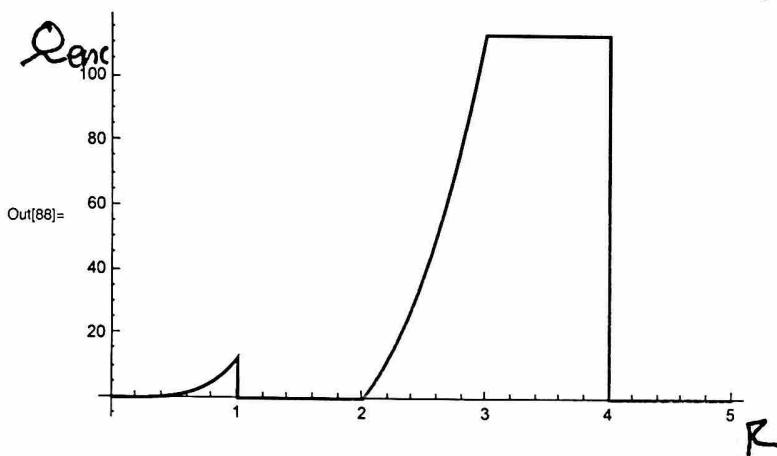
$$\{0, R < r \leq 2R\},$$

$$\left\{4\pi \epsilon_0 r^2 E_0 \left(\frac{r}{R} - 2\right), 2R < r \leq 3R\right\},$$

$$\left\{4\pi \epsilon_0 r^2 E_0 \left(\frac{3R}{r}\right)^2, 3R < r \leq 4R\right\},$$

$$\{0, 4R < r\}\right]$$

`Plot[Qenc[r, 1, 1, 1], {r, 0, 5}, Exclusions → None]`



`In[88] = Qenc[r, R, E0, \epsilon0]`

$$\text{Out[88]} = \begin{cases} \frac{4E_0 \pi r^4 \epsilon_0}{R^2} & 0 \leq r \leq R \\ 0 & R < r \leq 2R \\ 4E_0 \pi r^2 \left(-2 + \frac{r}{R}\right) \epsilon_0 & 2R < r \leq 3R \\ 36E_0 \pi R^2 \epsilon_0 & 3R < r \leq 4R \\ 0 & \text{True} \end{cases}$$

$$\text{In[90]} = D\left[\left(\frac{r}{R}\right)^2, r\right]$$

$$D\left[\left(\frac{r}{R} - 2\right), r\right] \quad dQ = \rho dV = \rho \cdot 4\pi r^2 dr$$

$$D\left[\left(\frac{3R}{r}\right)^2, r\right]$$

$$\text{Out[90]} = \frac{2r}{R^2}$$

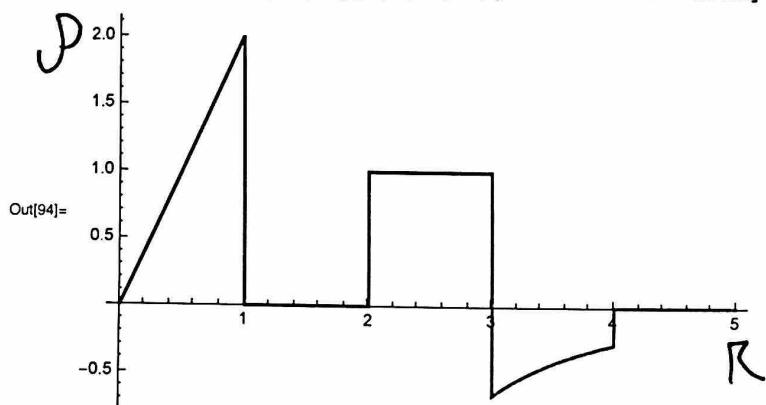
$$\text{Out[91]} = \frac{1}{R}$$

$$\text{Out[92]} = -\frac{18R^2}{r^3}$$

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In[93]:= rho[r_, R_, E0_, ε0_] := Piecewise[{{{{ε0 E0 2 r / R^2, 0 ≤ r ≤ R}, {0, R < r ≤ 2 R}, {{ε0 E0 1 / R, 2 R < r ≤ 3 R}, {-ε0 E0 18 R^2 / r^3, 3 R < r ≤ 4 R}, {0, 4 R < r}}}}]
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\leftarrow Substitute in

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Plot[rho[r, 1, 1, 1], {r, 0, 5}, Exclusions → None]
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In[95]:= rho[r, R, E0, ε0]
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$$\text{Out}[95]= \begin{cases} \frac{2 E0 r \epsilon0}{R^2} & 0 \leq r \leq R \\ 0 & R < r \leq 2 R \\ \frac{E0 \epsilon0}{R} & 2 R < r \leq 3 R \\ -\frac{18 E0 R^2 \epsilon0}{r^3} & 3 R < r \leq 4 R \\ 0 & \text{True} \end{cases}$$

\leftarrow we know this because
 E is discontinuous here

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In[96]:=
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$$-\frac{1}{4 \pi R^2} \frac{4 E0 \pi R^4 \epsilon0}{R^2} \leftarrow$$

Surface charge at $r=R$

$$-\frac{1}{4 \pi (4 R)^2} 36 E0 \pi R^2 \epsilon0 \leftarrow$$

Surface charge at $r=4R$

$$\text{Out}[96]= -E0 \epsilon0 = σ(R)$$

$$\text{Out}[97]= -\frac{9 E0 \epsilon0}{16} = σ(4R)$$

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In[119]= $Assumptions = {Element[R, Reals]};
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Efieldold[r_, R_, E0_] := Piecewise[{{E0 (r/R)^2, 0 <= r <= R},  
{0, R < r < 2R},  
{E0 (r/R - 2), 2R < r < 3R},  
{E0 (3R/r)^2, 3R < r < 4R},  
{0, 4R < r}}]
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{0, R < r < 2R},  
{E0 (r/R - 2), 2R < r < 3R},  
{E0 (3R/r)^2, 3R < r < 7R/2},  
{0, 7R/2 < r}}]
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U = Integrate[epsilon_0 Efieldold[r, R, E0]^2/2, {r, 0, infinity}] [[1]] [[1]] [[1]]  
U // N
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U = Integrate[epsilon_0 Efieldnew[r, R, E0]^2/2, {r, 0, infinity}] [[1]] [[1]] [[1]]  
U // N
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Out[122]= 1067 E0^2 R epsilon_0  
1920
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$$\uparrow U = \frac{\epsilon_0}{2} \int_{\text{all space}} E^2 dV$$

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Out[123]= 0.555729 E0^2 R epsilon_0
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Out[124]= 4649 E0^2 R epsilon_0  
10290
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Out[125]= 0.451798 E0^2 R epsilon_0
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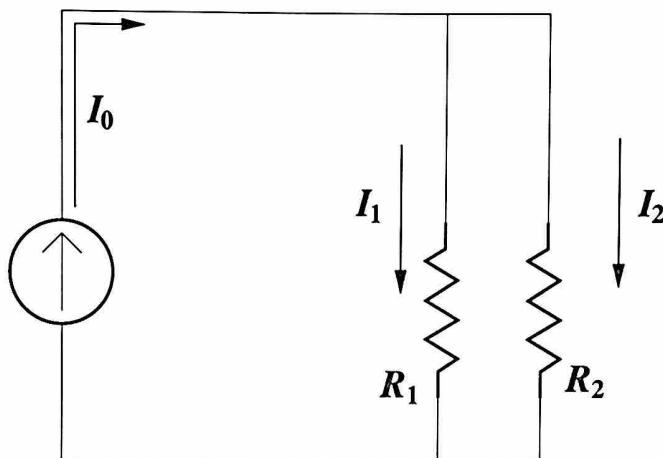
Intuitively, there is less of a polarization,
so less energy is needed in the second
configuration. I.e. the system does work.

From MIT ocw 8.022

PROBLEM ~~16~~ (16)

In this problem, you will look at a circuit that contains a constant *current source*: the total current which comes out of this device is always I_0 no matter what EMF is required. The switch S is closed at $t = 0$.

First, this source is hooked up to a pair of resistors in parallel:



- (a) Find the EMF \mathcal{E} produced by the constant current source, as well as the currents I_1 (flowing through resistor R_1) and I_2 (flowing through R_2).

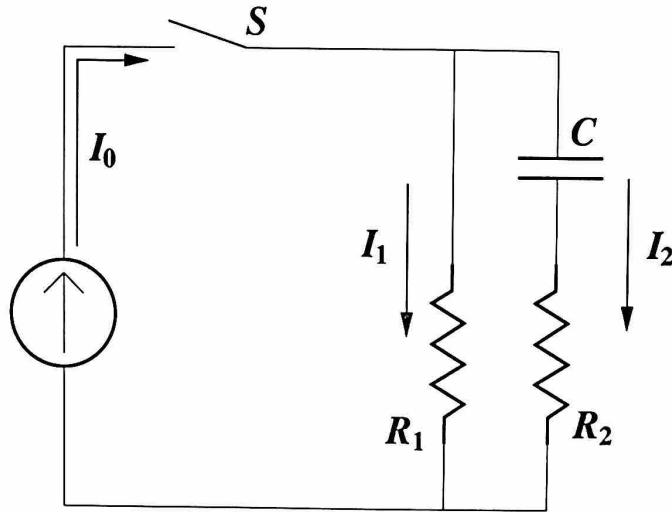
The resistors in parallel have an equivalent resistance given by $1/R_{\text{eq}} = 1/R_1 + 1/R_2$, or $R_{\text{eq}} = R_1 R_2 / (R_1 + R_2)$. The EMF produced by the current source is thus

$$\mathcal{E} = \frac{I_0 R_1 R_2}{R_1 + R_2} .$$

The currents through the two resistors are given by

$$I_1 = \frac{\mathcal{E}}{R_1} = \frac{I_0 R_2}{R_1 + R_2}$$
$$I_2 = \frac{\mathcal{E}}{R_2} = \frac{I_0 R_1}{R_1 + R_2} .$$

The circuit is now modified: a capacitor and a switch are added. The capacitor is initially uncharged.



The switch is closed at $t = 0$.

(b) Find the initial currents $I_1(t = 0)$, $I_2(t = 0)$, and the late time currents, $I_1(t \rightarrow \infty)$, $I_2(t \rightarrow \infty)$. You should be able to do this with very little calculation. (Express your answers in terms of I_0 and the parameters of the circuit.)

At $t = 0$, there is no charge on the capacitor and it behaves identically to the circuit in part (a). At late times, the capacitor is fully charged and no current flows through R_2 .

$$I_1(t = 0) = \frac{I_0 R_2}{R_1 + R_2}, \quad I_2(t = 0) = \frac{I_0 R_1}{R_1 + R_2}$$

$$I_1(t \rightarrow \infty) = I_0, \quad I_2(t \rightarrow \infty) = 0.$$

(c) Use Kirchhoff's laws to write down two equations relating $I_1(t)$, $I_2(t)$, I_0 , and the charge on the capacitor Q . Write down a third equation relating Q to I_2 .

$$I_0 = I_1 + I_2, \quad I_1 R_1 - I_2 R_2 - \frac{Q}{C} = 0, \quad I_2 = \frac{dQ}{dt}.$$

(d) Using the results of (c), find the late time charge, $Q(t \rightarrow \infty)$. (Express your answer in terms of I_0 and the parameters of the circuit.)

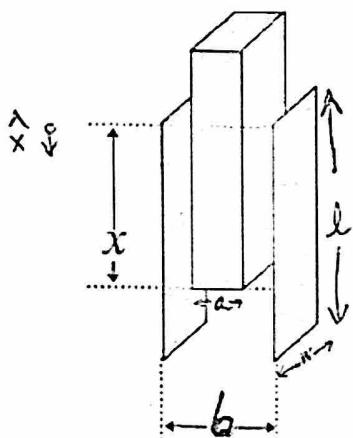
For $t \rightarrow \infty$ we have $I_2 = 0$, $I_1 = I_0$. Plugging into Kirchhoff and solving for Q , we find

$$I_0 R_1 - \frac{Q}{C} = 0$$

$$\longrightarrow Q = I_0 R_1 C.$$

(17)

Problem 17 Capacitance and Energy) (20 pts)



Consider a parallel plate capacitor with plate separation b and a sheet of metal of thickness a , as shown in the figure. Here, $b < a$. For this problem, consider the plates of the capacitor to be large enough so that fringing fields can be neglected.

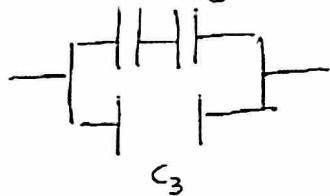
- a) Does the capacitance of the capacitor rise or fall after the metal sheet is inserted between the plates of the capacitor?

IT RISES (^{TOTAL} CHARGE REMAINS SAME, VOLTAGE DROPS).

- b) If the capacitance of the capacitor before the metal sheet was inserted was given by C_0 , what is the capacitance after insertion of the metal sheet?

AT POSITION x THERE ARE EFFECTIVELY THREE

CAPACITORS :



	Area	Length	C
C_1	$x \cdot w$	$\frac{b-a}{2}$	$\frac{xw}{4\pi(b-a)/2}$
C_2	xw	$\frac{b-a}{2}$	$\frac{xw}{4\pi(b-a)/2}$
C_3	$(l-x)w$	b	$\frac{(l-x)w}{4\pi b}$

$$C_{\text{TOTAL}} = C_3 + \frac{1}{\frac{1}{C_1} + \frac{1}{C_2}} = \frac{(l-x)w}{4\pi b} + \frac{xw}{4\pi(b-a)} = \frac{lw}{4\pi b} + \frac{xw\alpha}{4\pi b(b-a)}$$

$$= C_0 + \frac{xw\alpha}{4\pi b(b-a)} = C_0 \left[1 + \left(\frac{x}{l} \right) \left(\frac{a}{b-a} \right) \right]$$

ACCEPTABLE IF ASSUMED TOTALLY INSIDE, I.E $x=e \Rightarrow C_{\text{TOTAL}} = C_0 \frac{b}{b-a}$

c) Consider a charge an amount of charge $+Q$ and $-Q$ placed on the plates of the capacitor. What is the energy stored in the capacitor before and after the metal plate is inserted between the plates?

$$\underline{\text{BEFORE}} \quad U_{\text{BEFORE}} = \frac{1}{2} \frac{Q^2}{C_0}$$

$$\underline{\text{AFTER}} \quad U_{\text{AFTER}} = \frac{1}{2} \frac{Q^2}{C_{\text{new}}} = \frac{1}{2} \frac{Q^2}{C_0} \frac{1}{1 + \frac{\alpha x}{\epsilon(b-a)} \times} \\ \hookrightarrow \text{function of } x \quad \text{Note: } 1 + \frac{\alpha x}{\epsilon(b-a)} > 1 \Rightarrow U_{\text{AFTER}} < U_{\text{BEFORE}}$$

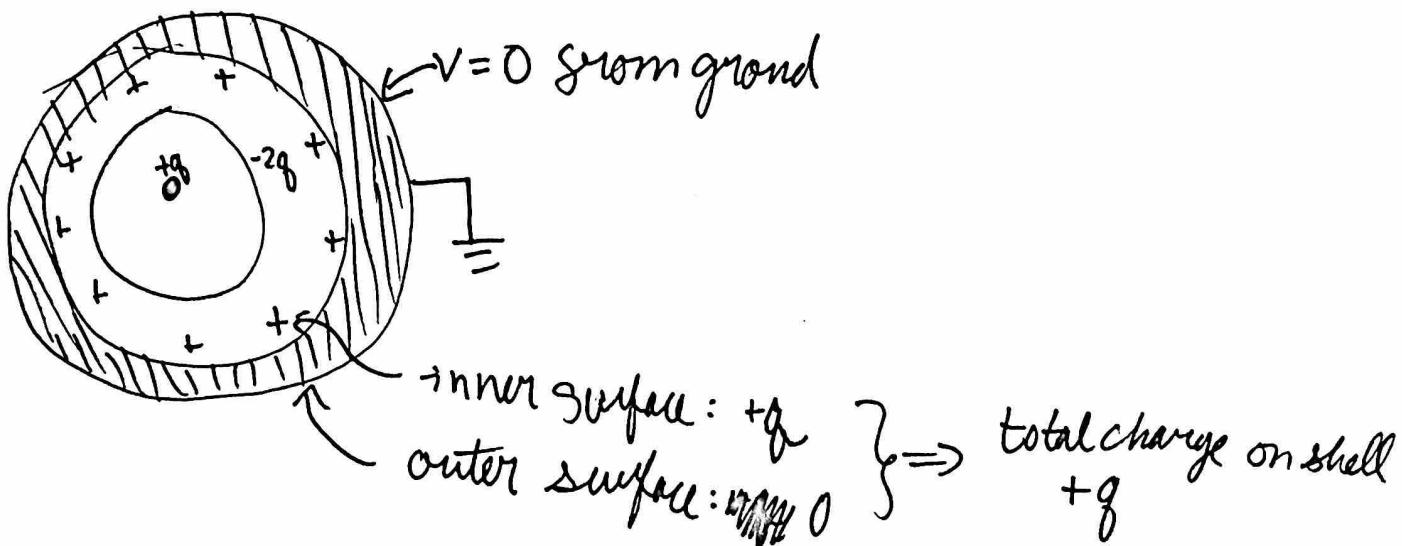
d) Given the equation $F = -\frac{\partial U}{\partial x}$, where x is the length of the metal plate that is

inserted between the capacitor plates, what is the force on the metal? Which direction does it tend to move the metal plate?

$$F = -\frac{\partial U}{\partial x} = \frac{1}{2} \frac{Q^2}{C_0} \cdot \frac{1}{\left[1 + \frac{\alpha x}{\epsilon(b-a)}\right]^2} \cdot \frac{\alpha}{\epsilon(b-a)}$$

The force is along \hat{x} (positive F resulted from)
 It pulls the metal sheet inside derivative
 the capacitor

(18)



$$E = \frac{q_{\text{enc}}}{\epsilon_0 a} = \frac{q_{\text{enc}}}{4\pi\epsilon_0 r^2}$$

$$E = \begin{cases} \frac{q}{4\pi\epsilon_0 r^2} & 0 < r < r_1 \\ -\frac{q}{4\pi\epsilon_0 r^2} & r_1 < r < r_2 \\ 0 & r_2 < r < r_3 \\ 0 & r_3 < r < \infty \end{cases}$$

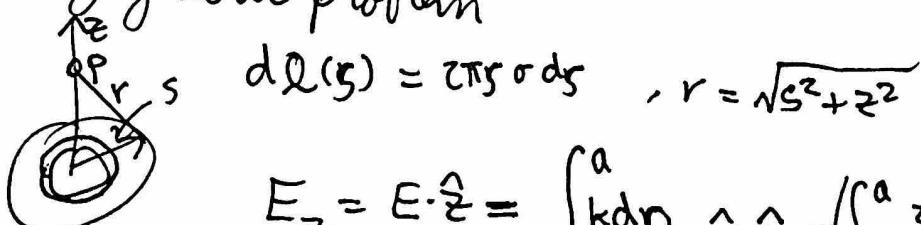
(19) Use Bernoulli's Equation:

$$\cancel{P_i + \rho g y_i + \frac{1}{2} \rho v_i^2 = P_f + \rho g y_f + \frac{1}{2} \rho v_f^2}$$

$$\Rightarrow v_f = 43.4 \left[\frac{m}{s} \right] \quad (\text{which is the same as if it fell})$$

96 m starting at $v = 1 \text{ m/s}$

(20) Very generic problem



$$E_z = E \cdot \hat{z} = \int_0^a \frac{k dr}{r^2} \hat{r} \cdot \hat{z} = \left(\int_0^a \frac{2\pi s \sigma \cdot k}{(s^2 + z^2)^{3/2}} ds \right) \hat{z}$$

integral you'd
be given

$$= 2\pi \sigma k \left(1 - \frac{z}{\sqrt{s^2 + z^2}} \right)$$