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Objectives

Ch 29: Magnetic fields due to currents

29-1 Magnetic field due to a current

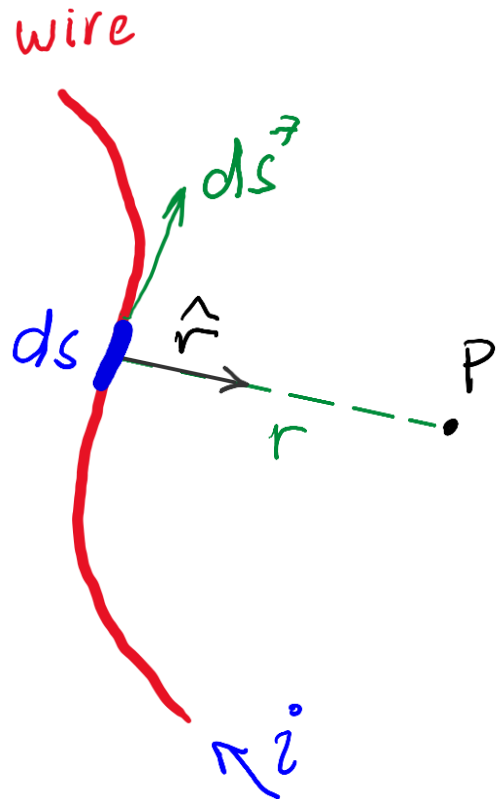
29-2 Force between two parallel currents

29-3 Ampere's Law

29-4 Solenoids and toroids

29-5 A current-carrying coil as a magnetic dipole

29.1 Biot-Savart Law



$d\vec{s}$ a length vector
 magnitude = length of segment ds
 direction = along the current
 tangent to the wire

Magnetic field produced at
 point P by length ds of the wire

$$d\vec{B} = \frac{\mu_0}{4\pi} \frac{i d\vec{s} \times \hat{r}}{r^2}$$

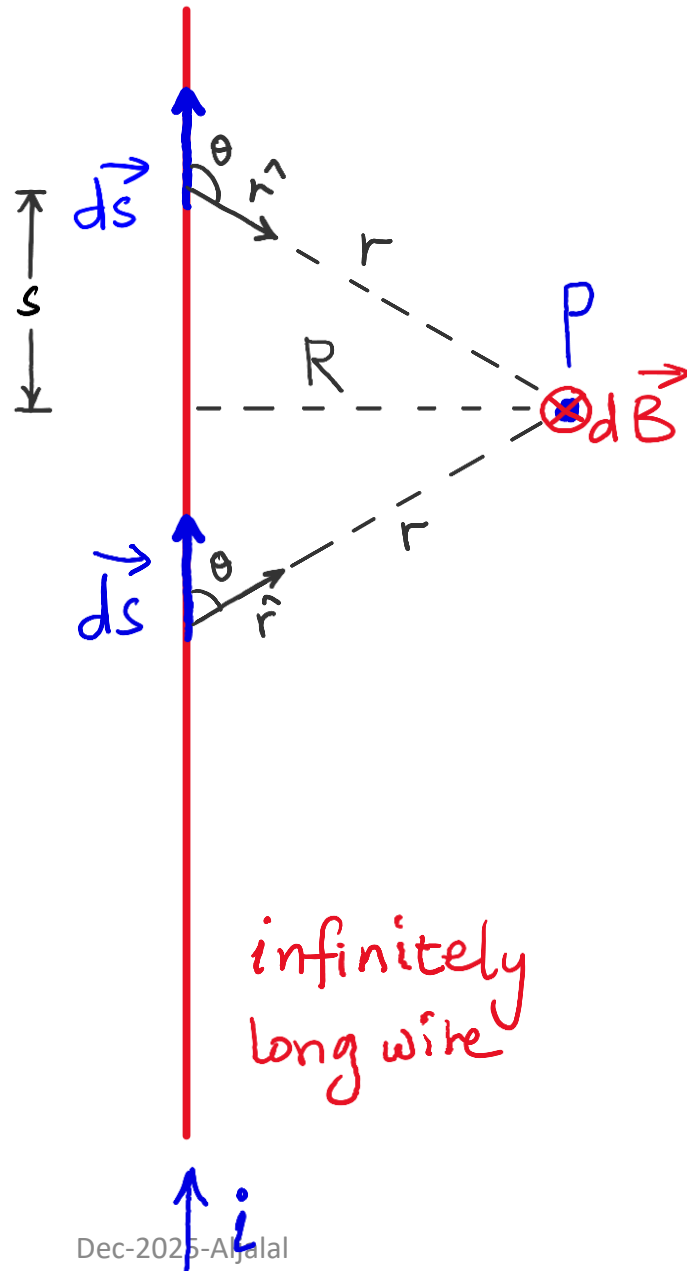
μ_0 Permeability Constant
 $4\pi \times 10^{-7} \frac{T \cdot m}{A}$
 $\hat{r}$ unit vector pointing from ds to point P
 $|\hat{r}| = 1$
 r distance between point P and ds

Magnetic field at point P by the whole wire

$$\vec{B} = \int_{\text{wire}} d\vec{B}$$

vector sum

Magnetic Field Due to a Long Straight Wire



$$d\vec{B} = \frac{\mu_0}{4\pi} \frac{i d\vec{s} \times \hat{r}}{r^2}$$

$$\vec{B} = \int_{\text{wire}} d\vec{B}$$

$d\vec{B}$ from all segments points in the same direction.
 $\Rightarrow$ sum contributions from all segments algebraically.

$$\sin(\theta) = \sin(180^\circ - \theta) = \frac{R}{r}$$

$$dB = \frac{\mu_0}{4\pi} \frac{i ds \sin\theta}{r^2}$$

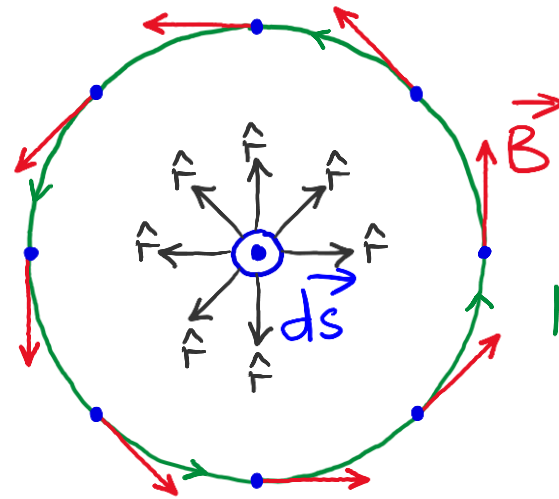
$r = \sqrt{s^2 + R^2}$

$$dB = \frac{\mu_0}{4\pi} \frac{i ds R}{(s^2 + R^2)^{3/2}} = \left[\frac{s}{R^2 (s^2 + R^2)^{1/2}} \right]_{-\infty}^{\infty} = \frac{2}{R^2}$$

$$B = \frac{\mu_0 i R}{4\pi} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{ds}{(s^2 + R^2)^{3/2}}$$

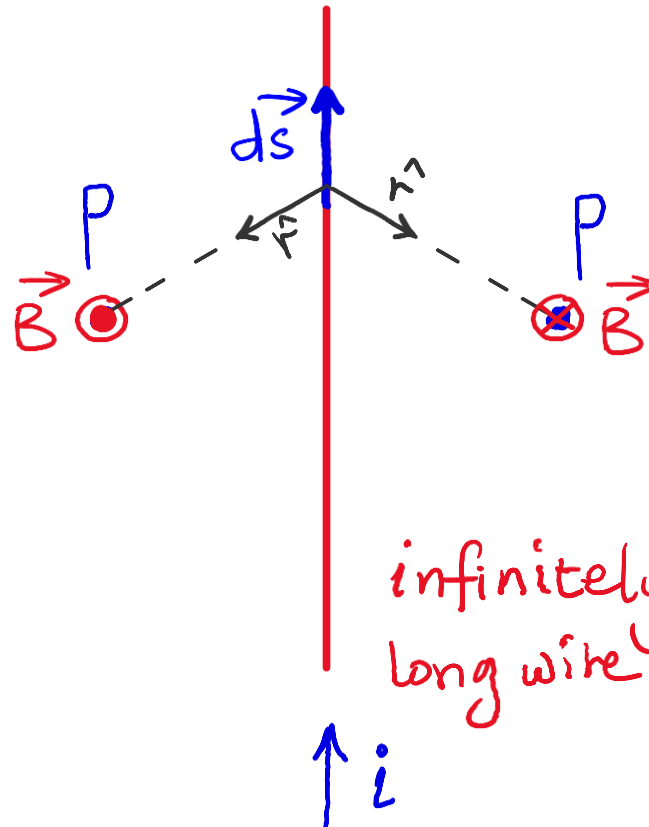
$$B = \frac{\mu_0 i}{2\pi R}$$

Top view

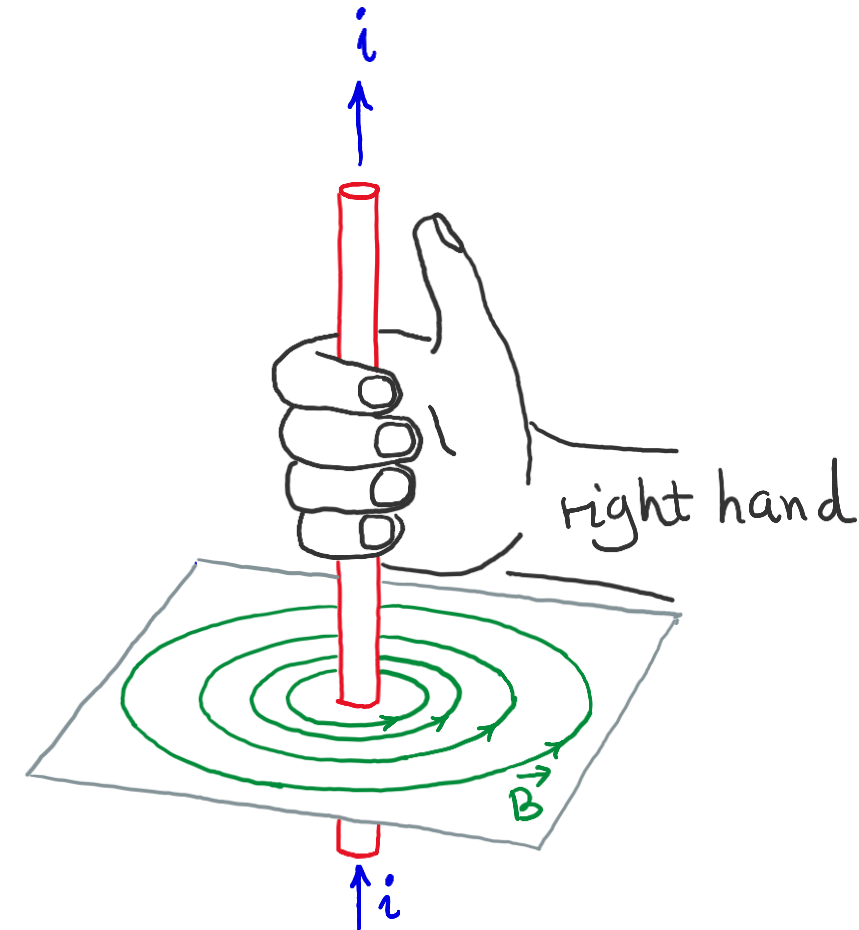


Magnetic field line is a circle

Side view



infinitely long wire



$$d\vec{B} = \frac{\mu_0}{4\pi} \frac{i d\vec{s} \times \hat{r}}{r^2}$$

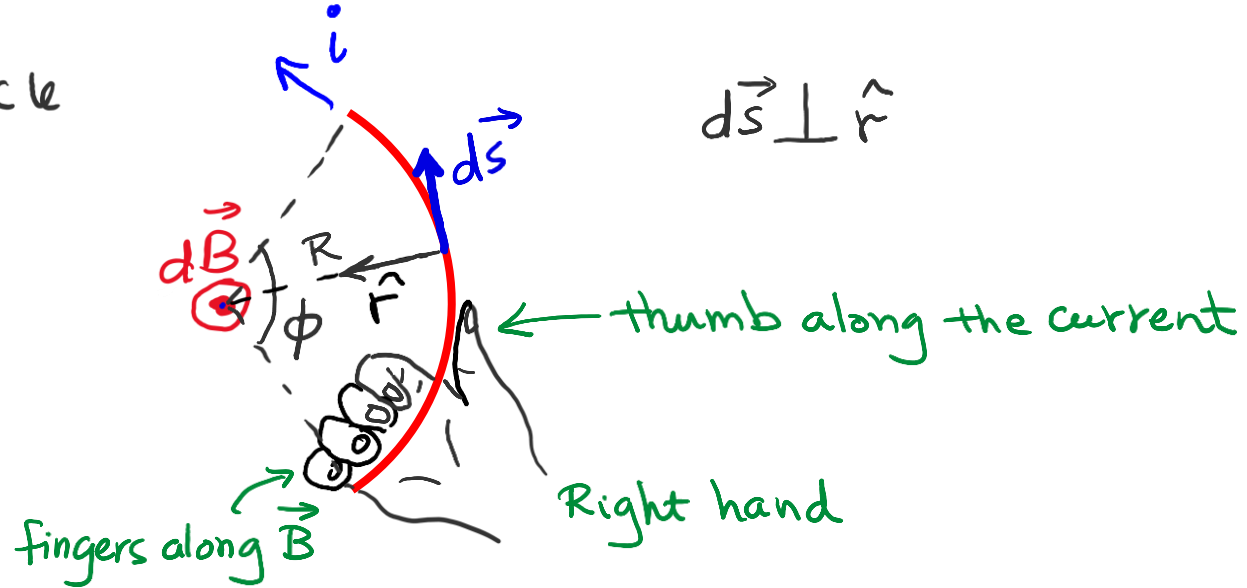
$$B = \frac{\mu_0 i}{2\pi R}$$

Magnetic Field Due to a Circular Arc

A circular arc = part of a circle

$$d\vec{B} = \frac{\mu_0}{4\pi} \frac{i d\vec{s} \times \hat{r}}{r^2}$$

$$\vec{B} = \frac{\mu_0}{4\pi} \int_{\text{arc}} \frac{i d\vec{s} \times \hat{r}}{r^2}$$



At the center of
a circular arc

$$|d\vec{s} \times \hat{r}| = ds |\hat{r}| \sin 90^\circ = ds$$

$d\vec{s} \times \hat{r}$ has the same direction for all segments

$r = R$ constant

$$B = \frac{\mu_0 i}{4\pi} \int_{\text{arc}} \frac{ds}{R^2} = \frac{\mu_0 i}{4\pi R^2} \int_{\text{arc}} ds = \frac{\mu_0 i}{4\pi} \frac{S}{R^2}$$

length of the arc

$$S = R\phi$$

ϕ = angle subtended by the arc

At the center

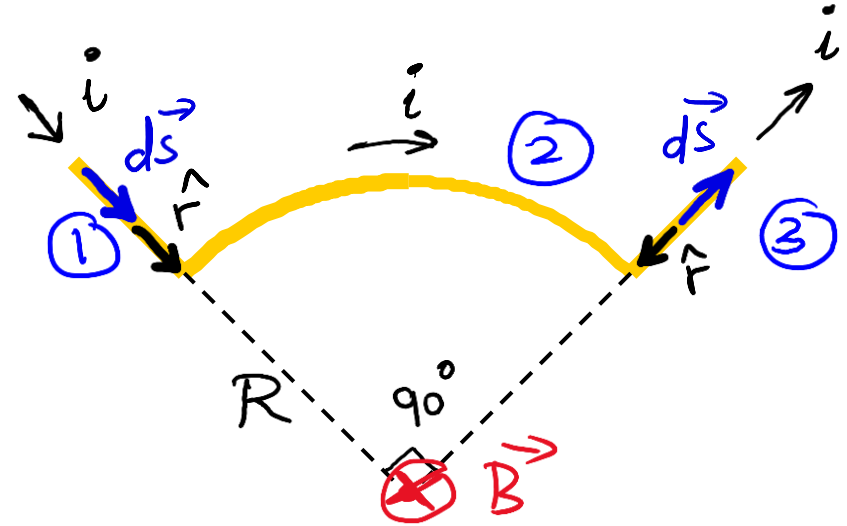
$$B = \frac{\mu_0 i}{4\pi R} \phi$$

for a complete circle $\phi = 2\pi$

Example

What magnetic field does the current produce at the center?

$$\vec{B} = \vec{B}_1 + \vec{B}_2 + \vec{B}_3$$



$$\left. \begin{array}{l} \text{for } \textcircled{1} \quad |d\vec{s} \times \hat{r}| = ds \sin 0^\circ = 0 \\ \text{for } \textcircled{3} \quad |d\vec{s} \times \hat{r}| = ds \sin 180^\circ = 0 \end{array} \right\} \quad \begin{array}{l} d\vec{B} = \frac{\mu_0}{4\pi} \frac{i d\vec{s} \times \hat{r}}{r^2} \\ B_1 = B_3 = 0 \end{array}$$

$$B = B_2 = \frac{\mu_0 i}{4\pi} \frac{\phi}{R} = \frac{\mu_0 i}{4\pi} \frac{\pi/2}{R} = \frac{\mu_0 i}{8R} \quad \text{into the page.}$$

Example

$$i_1 = 15 \text{ A}$$

$$i_2 = 30 \text{ A}$$

$$d = 5 \text{ cm}$$

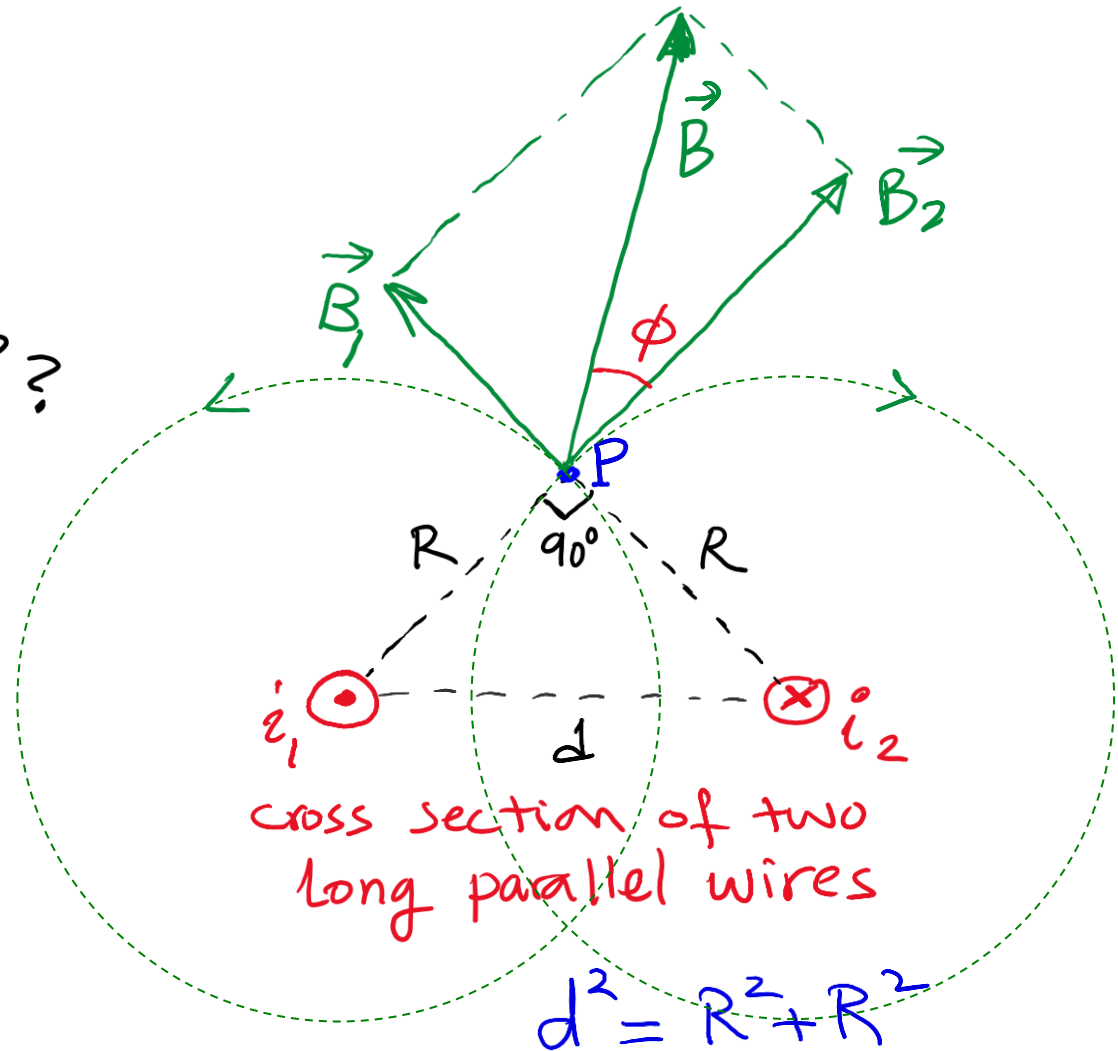
What is the magnetic field at point P?

$$B_1 = \frac{\mu_0 i_1}{2\pi R} = \frac{\mu_0 \sqrt{2}}{2\pi d} i_1$$

$$B_2 = \frac{\mu_0 i_2}{2\pi R} = \frac{\mu_0 \sqrt{2}}{2\pi d} i_2$$

$$B = \sqrt{B_1^2 + B_2^2} = \frac{\mu_0 \sqrt{2}}{2\pi d} \sqrt{i_1^2 + i_2^2}$$

$$\phi = \tan^{-1}\left(\frac{B_1}{B_2}\right) = \tan^{-1}\left(\frac{i_1}{i_2}\right)$$



$$d^2 = R^2 + R^2$$
$$\Rightarrow R = \frac{d}{\sqrt{2}}$$

29-2 Force between two parallel currents

$$B_a = \frac{\mu_0 i_a}{2\pi d}$$

$$B_b = \frac{\mu_0 i_b}{2\pi d}$$

$$\vec{F}_{ab} = i_a \vec{L}_a \times \vec{B}_b$$

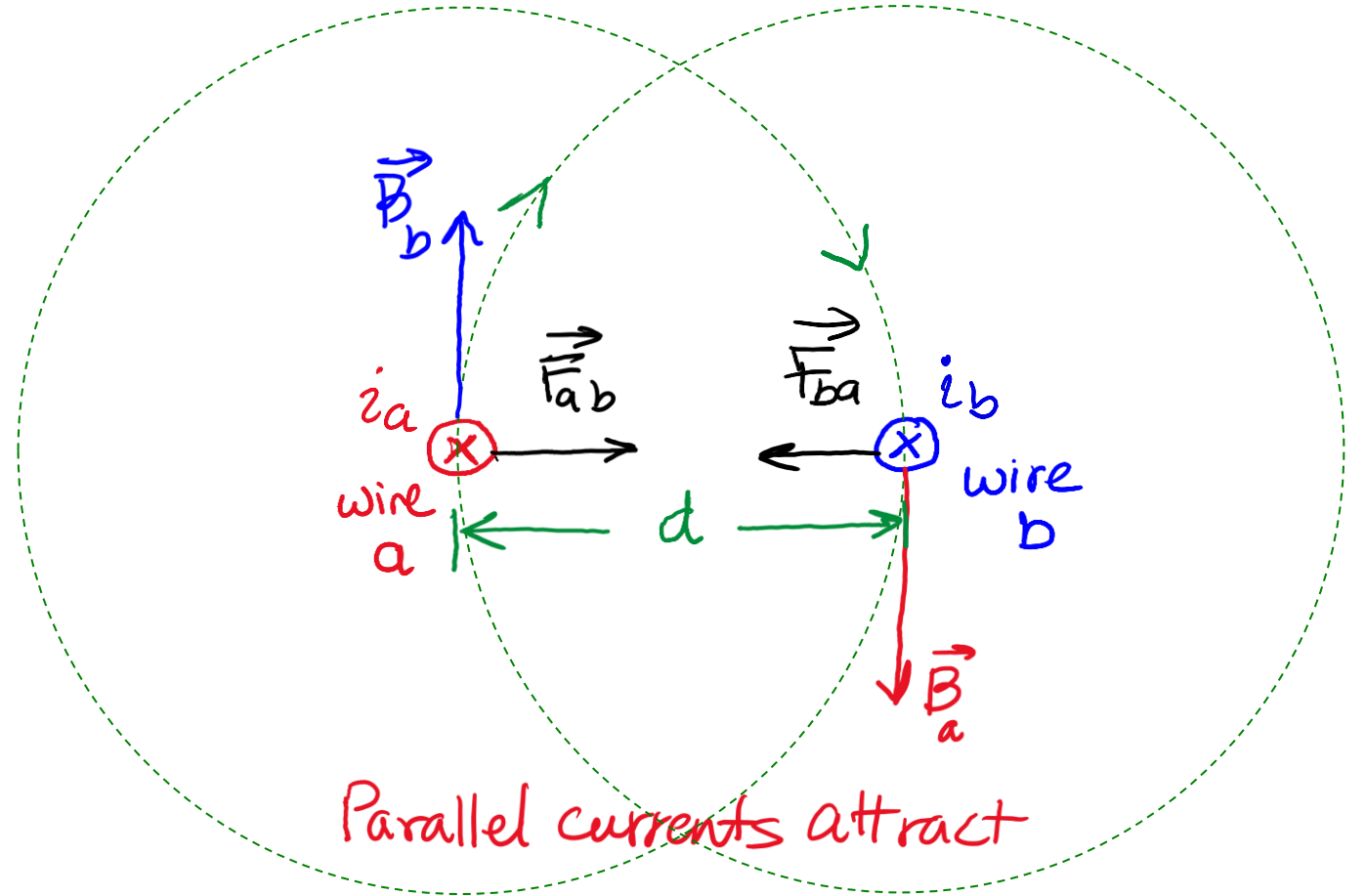
on due

$$F_{ab} = i_a L_a \frac{\mu_0 i_b}{2\pi d} = \frac{\mu_0 L_a i_a i_b}{2\pi d}$$

$$\vec{F}_{ba} = i_b \vec{L}_b \times \vec{B}_a$$

on due

$$F_{ba} = i_b L_b \frac{\mu_0 i_a}{2\pi d} = \frac{\mu_0 L_b i_a i_b}{2\pi d}$$



$$\frac{F_{ab}}{L_a} = \frac{F_{ba}}{L_b} = \frac{\mu_0 i_a i_b}{2\pi d}$$

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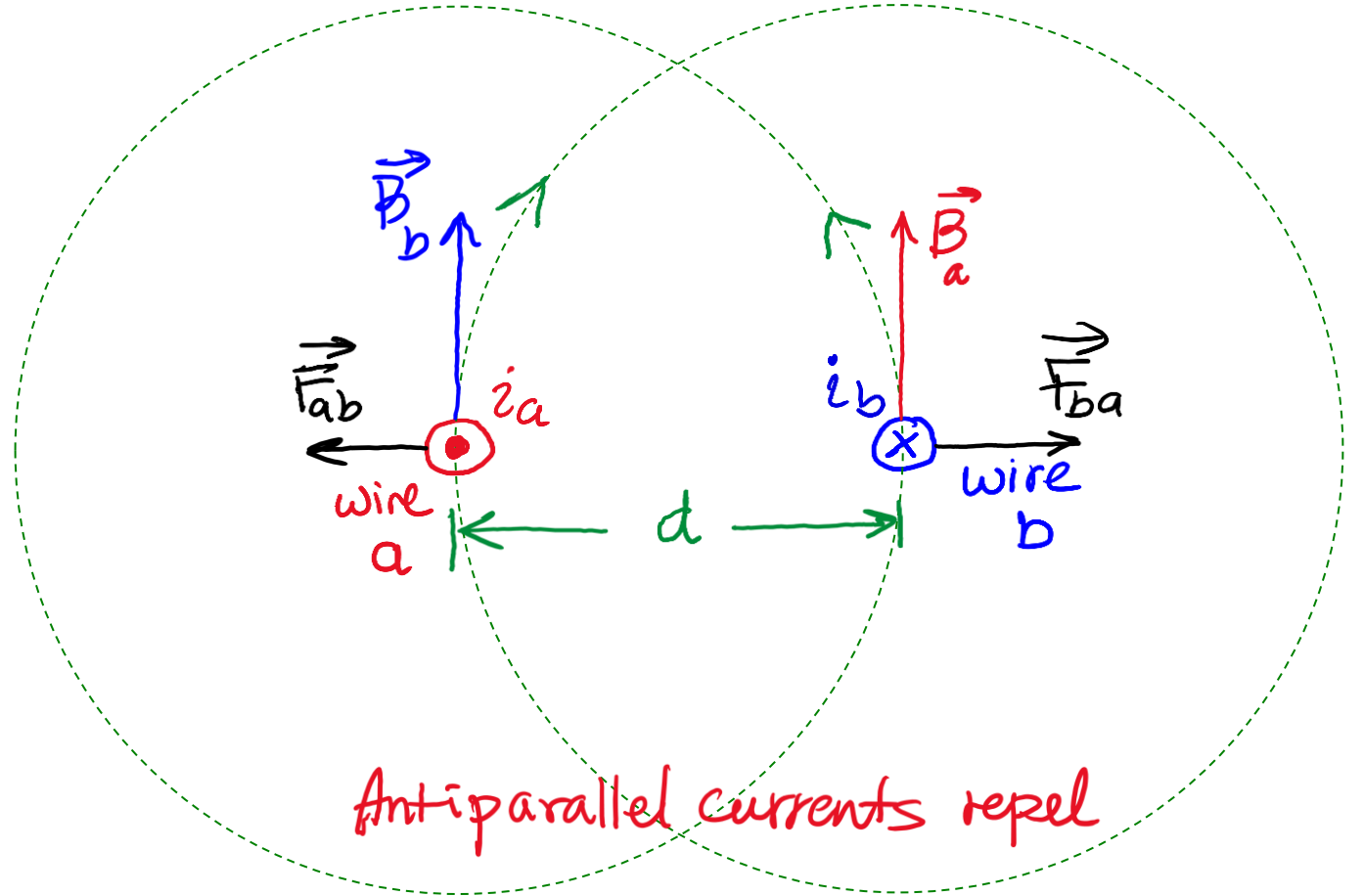
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$$\frac{F_{ab}}{L_a} = \frac{F_{ba}}{L_b} = \frac{\mu_0 i_a i_b}{2\pi d}$$

Gauss' Law

Closed Surface

$$\epsilon_0 \oint \vec{E} \cdot d\vec{A} = q_{enc}$$

Surface

Area vector

charge enclosed within the surface

$$\epsilon_0 = 8.85 \times 10^{-12} \frac{C}{Vm}$$

Closed Surface = Gaussian Surface

Ampere's Law

Closed line (loop)

$$\oint \vec{B} \cdot d\vec{s} = \mu_0 i_{enc}$$

line

length vector

current enclosed within the closed line (loop)

$$\mu_0 = 4\pi \times 10^{-7} \frac{T \cdot m}{A}$$

closed loop = Amperian loop

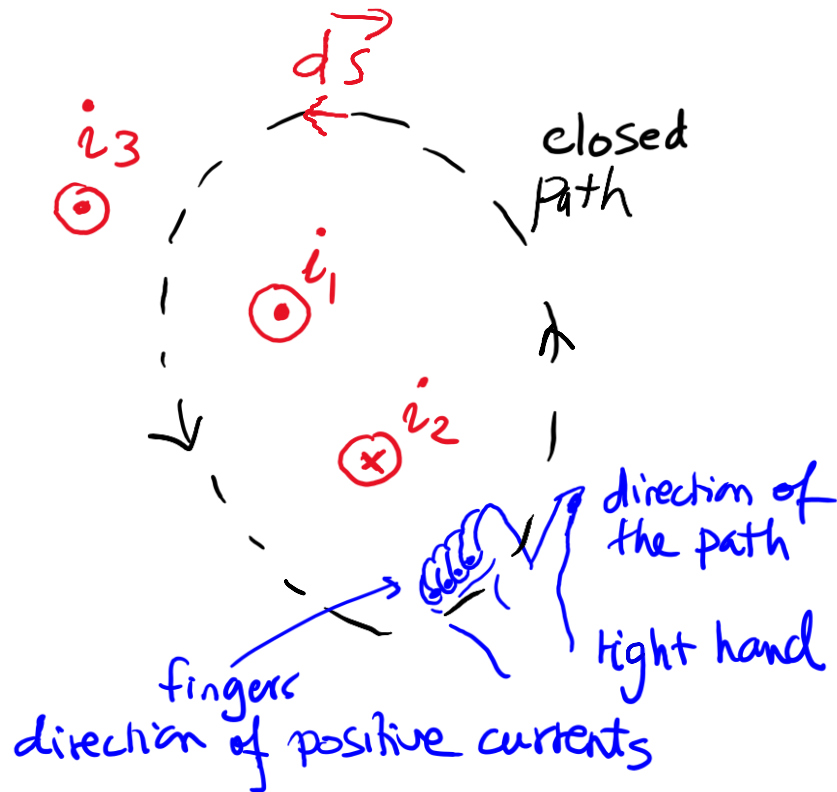
Ampere's Law

$$\oint \vec{B} \cdot d\vec{s} = \mu_0 i_{enc}$$

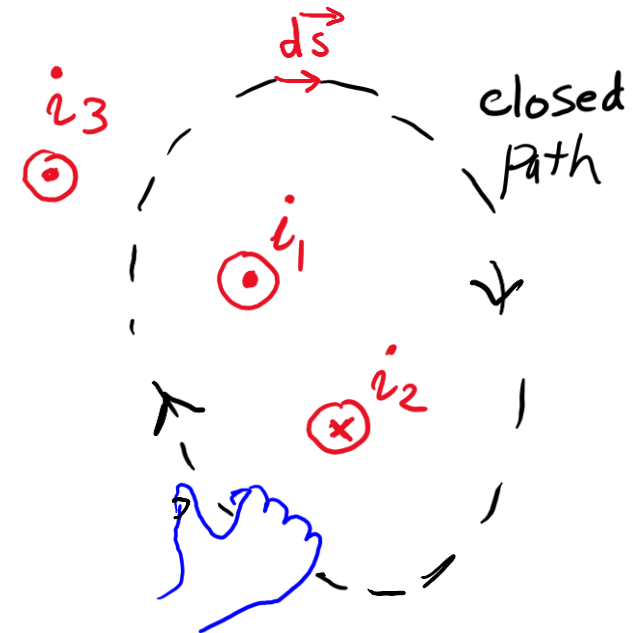
Line integral along a closed path

length vector
 magnitude: length of a small segment
 direction: tangent to the path

current enclosed by the closed path



$$\oint \vec{B} \cdot d\vec{s} = \mu_0 (i_1 - i_2)$$



$$\oint \vec{B} \cdot d\vec{s} = \mu_0 (-i_1 + i_2)$$

Magnetic Field Inside a Long Straight Wire

From symmetry, the magnetic field has the same magnitude at all points on a circle of radius r .

Ampere's Law

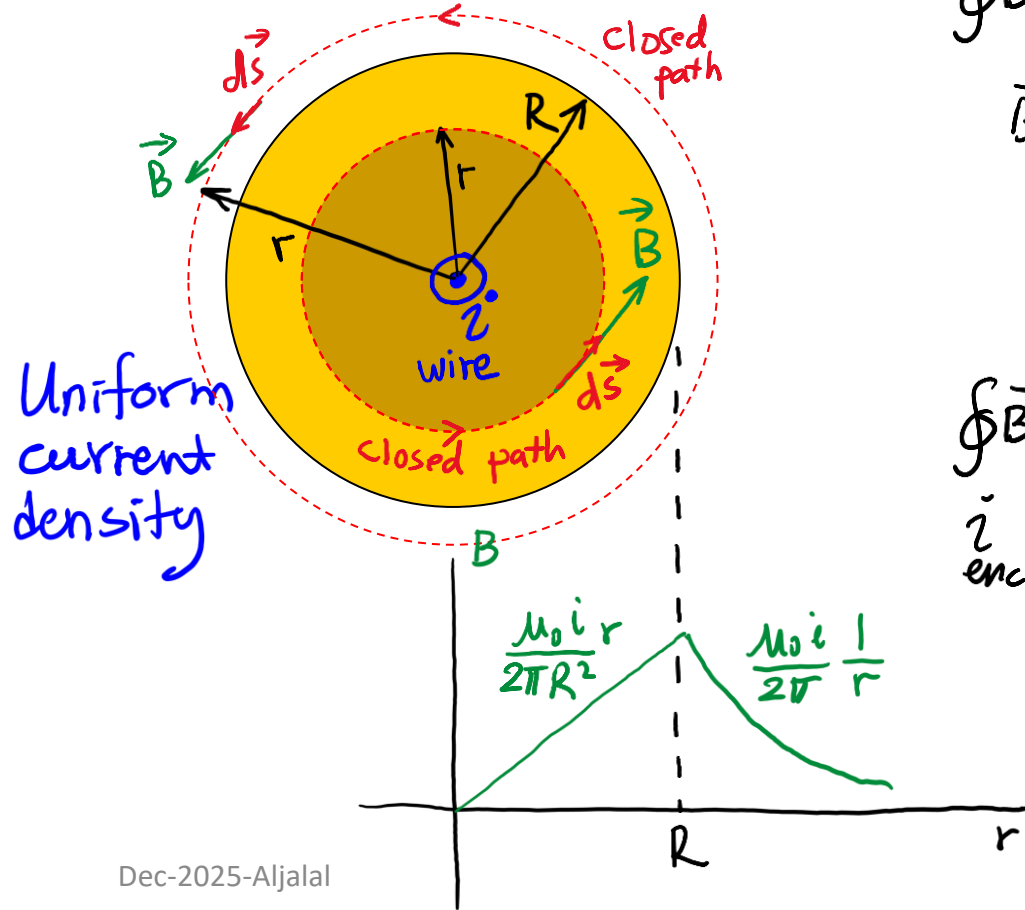
$$\oint \vec{B} \cdot d\vec{s} = \mu_0 i_{enc}$$

Outside $r > R$

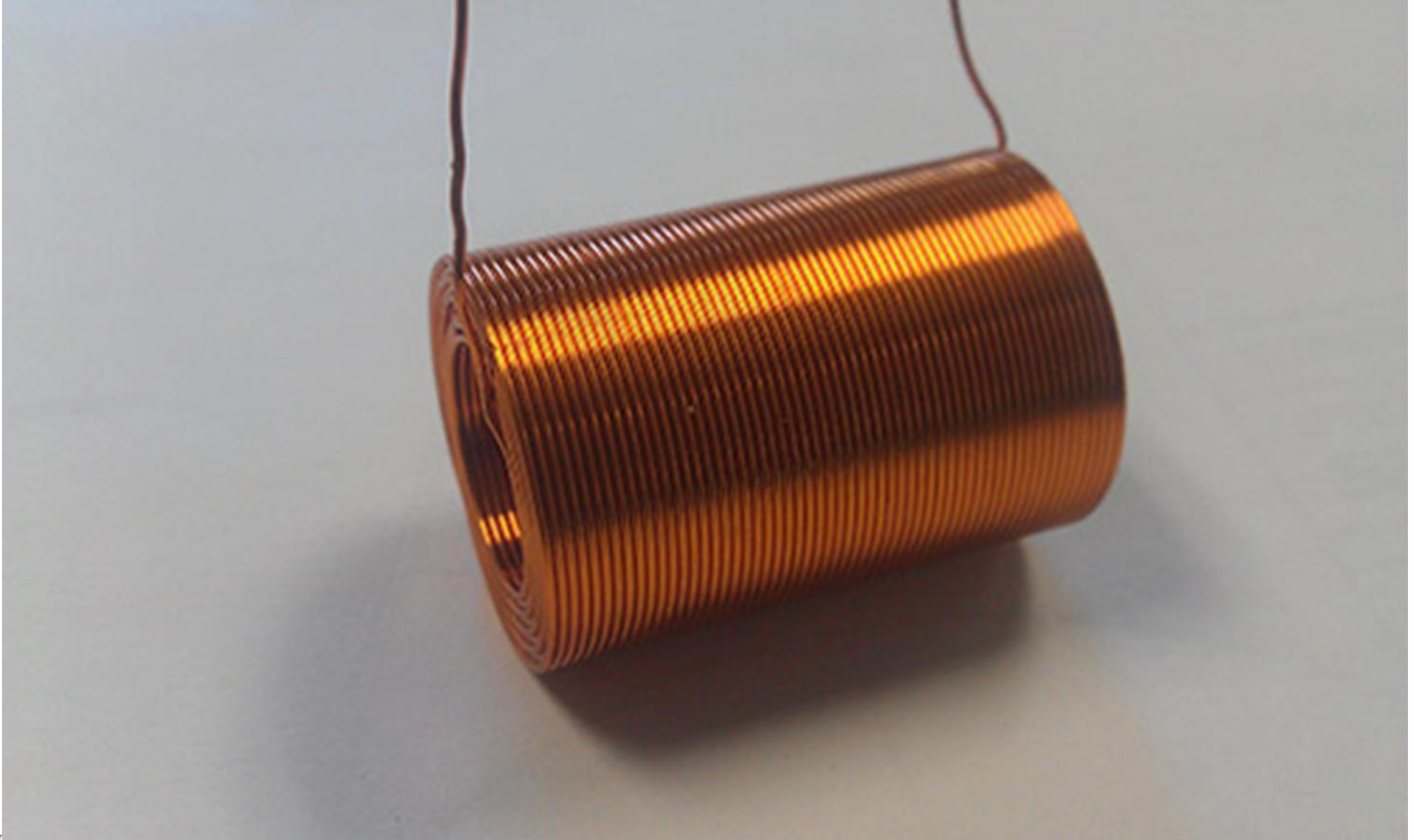
$$\left. \begin{aligned} \oint \vec{B} \cdot d\vec{s} &= \oint B ds = B \oint ds = B(2\pi r) \\ \vec{B} \cdot d\vec{s} &= B ds \cos 0^\circ \end{aligned} \right\} \begin{aligned} B(2\pi r) &= \mu_0 i \\ i_{enc} &= i \end{aligned} \Rightarrow B = \frac{\mu_0 i}{2\pi} \frac{1}{r}$$

Inside $r < R$

$$\left. \begin{aligned} \oint \vec{B} \cdot d\vec{s} &= \oint B ds = B \oint ds = B(2\pi r) \\ i_{enc} &= i \frac{\text{enclosed area}}{\text{total area}} = i \frac{\pi r^2}{\pi R^2} = i \frac{r^2}{R^2} \end{aligned} \right\} \begin{aligned} B(2\pi r) &= \mu_0 i \frac{r^2}{R^2} \\ \Rightarrow B &= \frac{\mu_0 i}{2\pi R^2} r \end{aligned}$$



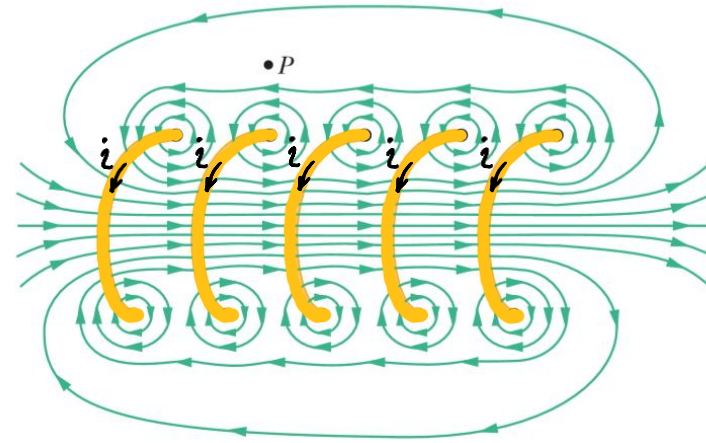
A solenoid





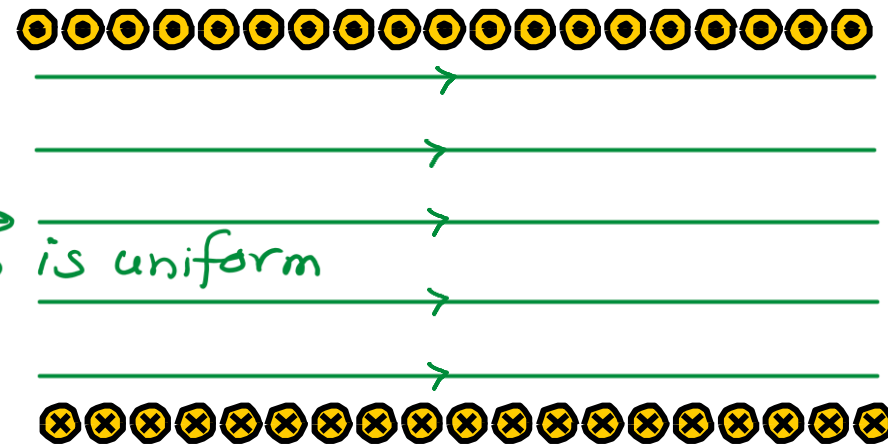
Solenoid

Short



Infinitely long
Turns are tightly packed

outside: $\vec{B} = 0$



inside: $\vec{B}$ is uniform

wire

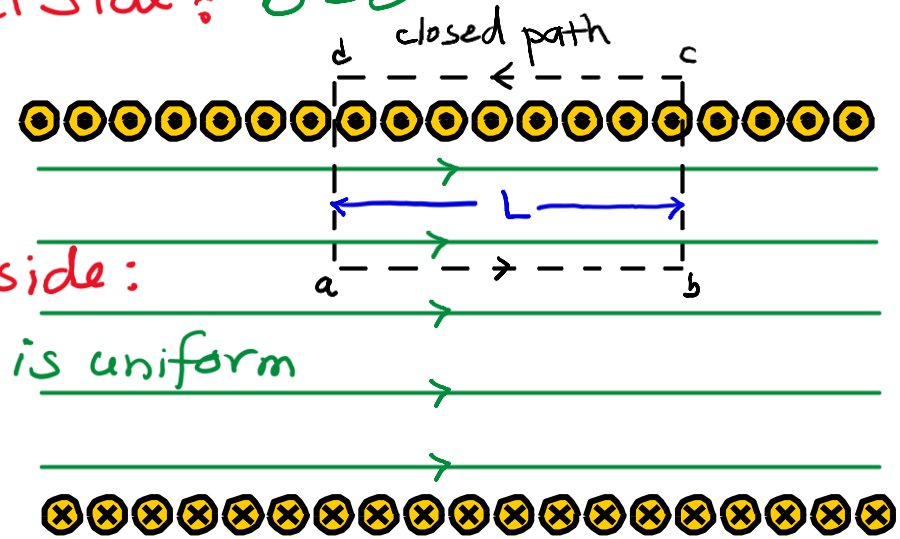
cross sectional view

Infinitely long solenoid



Solenoid

outside: $\vec{B} = 0$



inside:

$\vec{B}$ is uniform

wire

cross sectional view

$$\oint \vec{B} \cdot d\vec{s} = \mu_0 i_{enc}$$

$$\int_a^b \vec{B} \cdot d\vec{s} + \int_b^c \vec{B} \cdot d\vec{s} + \int_c^d \vec{B} \cdot d\vec{s} + \int_d^a \vec{B} \cdot d\vec{s} = \mu_0 i_{enc}$$

$$BL + 0 + 0 + 0 = \mu_0 i_{enc}$$

number of turns
within L

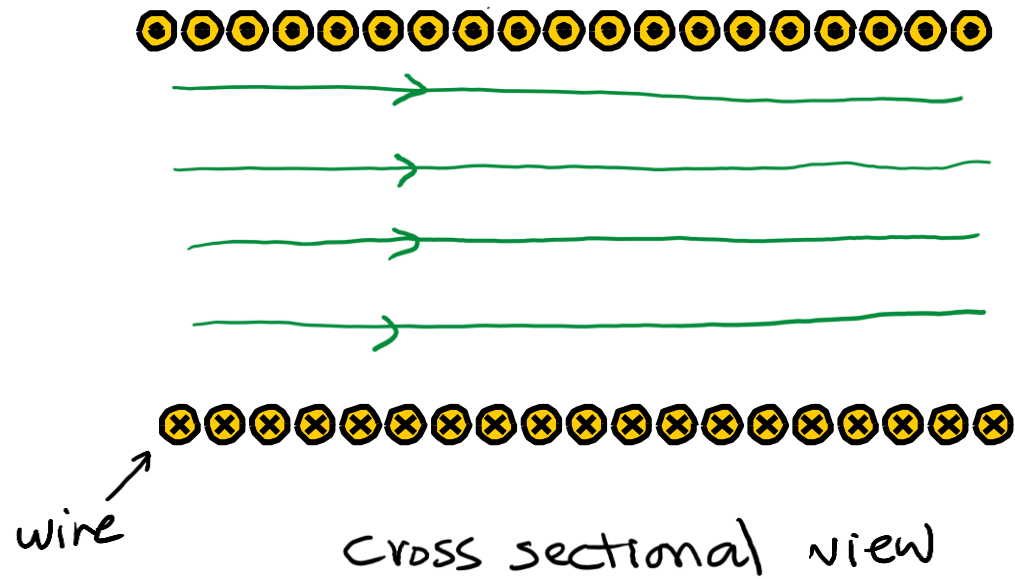
$$BL = \mu_0 Ni$$

$$B = \mu_0 \frac{N}{L} i = \mu_0 n i$$

number of
turns per
unit length

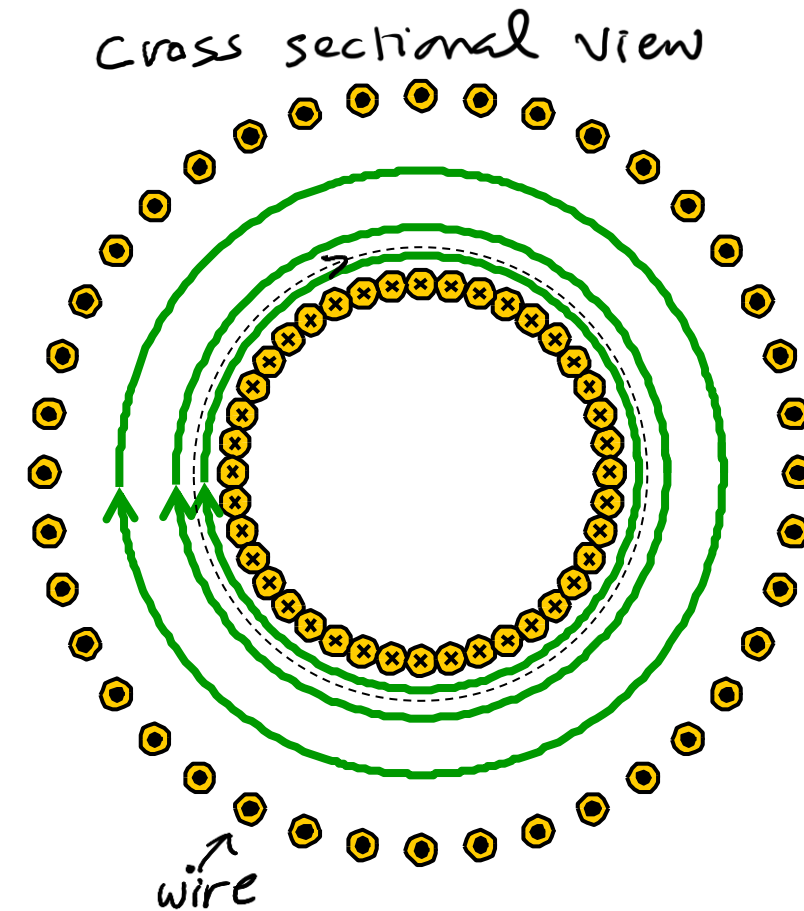
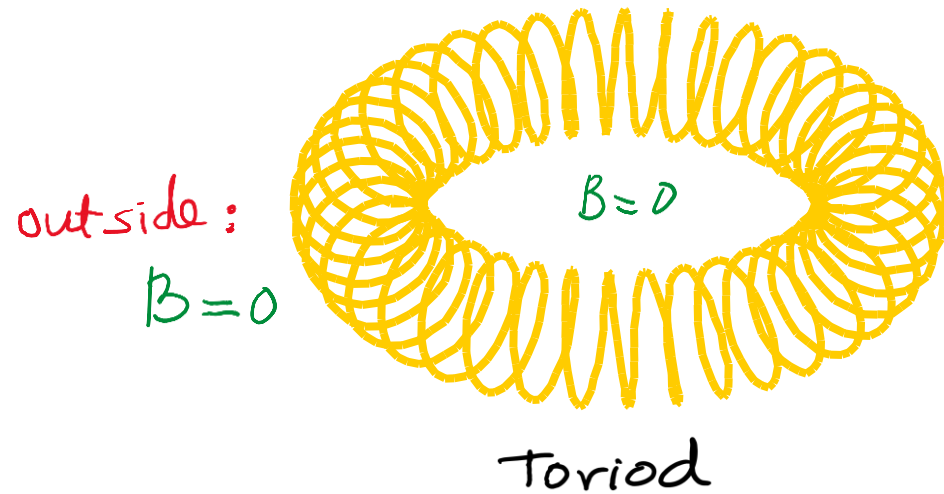
$$B = \mu_0 n i$$

Solenoids



A toroid



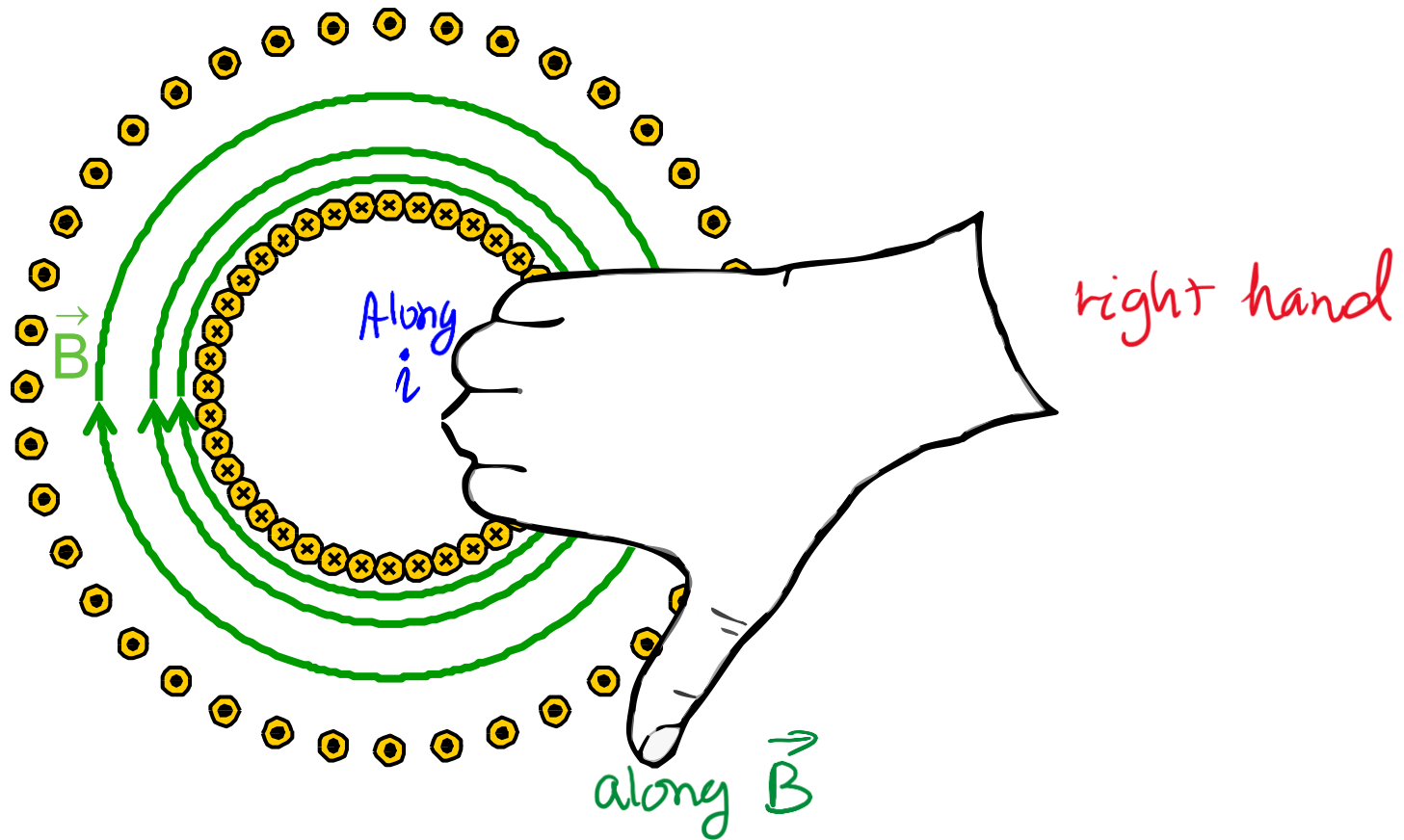


$$\oint \vec{B} \cdot d\vec{s} = \mu_0 i_{enc}$$

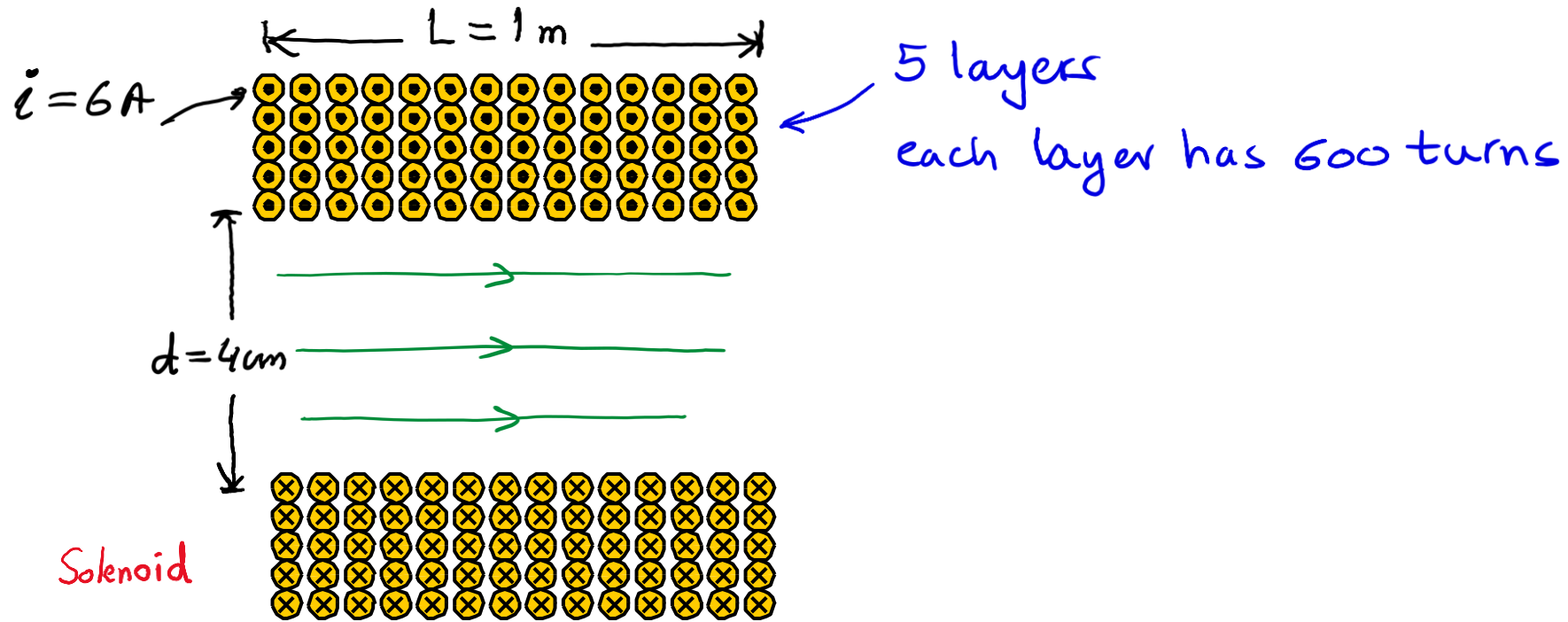
$$B(2\pi r) = \mu_0 N i$$

total number of turns

$$B = \frac{\mu_0 N i}{2\pi r}$$



Example



What is the magnetic field at the center?

$$B = \mu_0 n i = 4\pi \times 10^{-7} \left(\frac{600 \times 5}{1} \right) 6 \text{ T}$$

29-5 A Current-Carrying as a Magnetic Dipole

A current loop produces a magnetic field like that of a bar magnet.

Along the z -axis

$$B(z) = \frac{\mu_0 i R^2}{2(R^2 + z^2)^{3/2}}$$

For $z \gg R$

$$B(z) \approx \frac{\mu_0 i R^2}{2z^3} = \frac{\mu_0 i \pi R^2}{2 \pi z^3} = \frac{\mu_0 i A}{2 \pi z^3}$$

$$\vec{B}(z) \approx \frac{\mu_0 \vec{\mu}}{2 \pi z^3}$$

Magnetic dipole
moment for
a coil

