

## Chapters 21-22 (Coulomb's Law and Electric Fields)

1- A charge of  $+3.2 \times 10^{-6}$  C is placed at the origin. A second charge ( $q_2$ ) is placed at  $x = 3.0$  m. If a charge of  $1.0 \times 10^{-6}$  C experiences no force if placed at  $x = 4.0$  m, then  $q_2$  is: (A:  $-0.2 \times 10^{-6}$  C)

2- A proton is shot out along the  $+x$ -axis from the origin with a speed of  $1.0 \times 10^6$  m/s. In this region a uniform electric field of 2500 N/C exists in the negative  $x$ -direction. Find the distance traveled by the proton before it momentarily comes to rest. (A: 2.1 m)

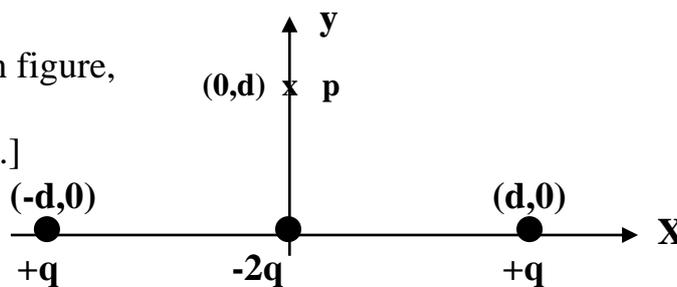
3- An electric dipole consists of charges  $+2e$  and  $-2e$  separated by  $0.78 \times 10^{-9}$  m. It is in an electric field of strength  $3.0 \times 10^6$  N/C. Calculate the magnitude of the torque on the dipole when the dipole is perpendicular to the field. [ $e$  is the magnitude of the charge on the electron.]. (A:  $7.5 \times 10^{-22}$  N m)

4- Two fixed particles, of charges  $q_1 = +1.0 \times 10^{-6}$  C and  $q_2 = -9.0 \times 10^{-6}$  C, are 10 cm apart. How far from each should a third charge be located so that no net electrostatic force acts on it? (A: 5 cm from  $q_1$  and 15 cm from  $q_2$ )

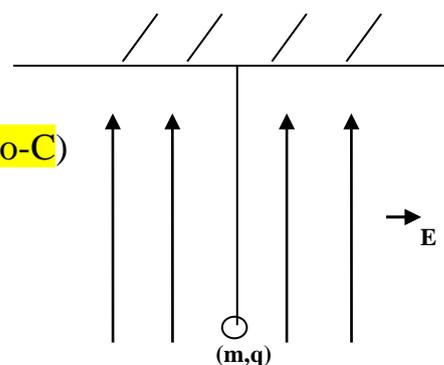
5- An electric dipole consists of two opposite charges, each of magnitude  $5.0 \times 10^{-19}$  C, separated by a distance of  $1.00 \times 10^{-9}$  m. The dipole is placed in an electric field of strength  $2.45 \times 10^5$  N/C. Calculate the magnitude of the torque exerted on the dipole when the dipole moment is perpendicular to the electric field. (A:  $1.2 \times 10^{-22}$  N m)

6- Consider two identical conductor spheres, A and B. Initially, sphere A has a charge of  $-80$  Q and Sphere B has a charge of  $+20$  Q. If the spheres touched and then are separated by a distance of 0.3 m, what is the resultant force between them? [Take  $Q = 5.7 \times 10^{-8}$  C]. (A: 0.3 N)

7- For the arrangement of charges shown in figure, the electric field at the point P is: (A:  $1.3 \times k \times q/d^2$ ) in the negative  $y$ -direction.]



8- In figure, a 0.3 g metallic ball hangs from an insulating string in a vertical electric field of 4000 N/C directed upward as shown. If the tension in the string is 0.005 N, then the charge on the ball is: (A: -0.52 micro-C)



9- A particle of mass 5.0 g and charge 40 mC moves in a region of space where the electric field is uniform and given by  $E = -5.5 \hat{i}$  (N/C). If the velocity of the particle at  $t = 0$  is given by  $v = 50 \hat{j}$  (m/s), find the speed of the particle at  $t = 2$  s. [ $\hat{i}$ , and  $\hat{j}$  are the unit vectors in the directions of  $x$ , and  $y$  respectively]. (A: 101 m/s)