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# **University Physics 227N/232N**

### **Ch: 26-27: Magnetism and Magnetic Induction**

Lab this Friday, Mar 21: Ohms Law and DC RC Circuits So NO QUIZ this Friday! But you have homework!

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Happy Birthday to Clayton Kershaw, Harvey Weinstein, Glenn Close, David Livingstone, and Frederic Joliot-Curie (1935 Nobel)



# **Reviewing So Far**

- Magnetic fields point from north to south pole
  - There are no magnetic monopoles

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- Bar magnets have north and south poles (magnetic dipoles)
- Earth's magnetic north pole is its geographical south pole
- Magnetic field is a vector field, denoted by  $\vec{B}$  [T]

 $\vec{F}_{\rm magnetic} = q \vec{v} \times \vec{B}$ 

 Its direction is given by the right hand rule and sign of the charge, and magnitude by

 $F_{\text{magnetic}} = |q| v B \sin \theta$ 

- Charged particles with velocity perpendicular to B move in circles or arcs of circles
  - The revolution frequency is independent of particle velocity:
    cyclotron motion
- A component of velocity along B will make this path into a spiral or corkscrew motion



#### **Review Ponderable**

- Magnetic fields can be used to make charged particles go faster or slower.
  - True
  - False



#### **Review Ponderable**

- A magnetic field exerts a force on an electrically charged particle...
  - Always
  - Never

- If the particle is moving parallel the field lines
- If the particle is moving at an angle to the field lines
- If the particle is at rest

### Ponderable

- A uniform magnetic field points out of this page. An electron that's moving in the plane of the page will circle as viewed from above the page.
  - A. clockwise
  - B. counterclockwise





### **Review: Moving Charges = Currents**

We often have a lot of moving charges together in conductors

• This is a current, 
$$I \equiv \frac{dq}{dt}$$
  $q\vec{v} = q \frac{d\vec{L}}{dt} \Rightarrow q\vec{v} = \frac{dq}{dt}\vec{L} = I\vec{L}$ 

- A current-carrying conductor experiences a magnetic force
- This is similar to the  $\vec{F} = q\vec{v} \times \vec{B}$  equation (just move the dt over)



# Example

- A square wire loop of side length L=33 cm is placed in an area of magnetic field (shaded) as shown on the right, and can turn around the vertical dotted axis. The loop is flat and the field B=0.3 T points to the right. A constant current of *I*=1 A is run through the loop.
  - What is the torque on the loop around the vertical axis?
  - As seen from the power supply end, does it turn clockwise or counterclockwise?





#### **Concept: DC Electric Motors**

- The electric motor is a vital technological application of the torque on a current loop.
- A current loop spins between permanent magnet poles.
- In a DC motor, the commutator keeps reversing the current direction to keep the loop spinning in the same direction.





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# How To Create A Magnetic Field

Recall: (Stationary) electric charges produce electric fields

$$\vec{E} = \sum \frac{kq_i}{r_i^2} \hat{r}_i$$

- Magnets don't have point charges. Indeed, all magnetic fields come from currents (moving electric charges)
  - This is another deep connection between electricity/magnetism
- The equation for this is known as the Biot-Savart Law

$$d\vec{B} = \frac{\mu_0}{4\pi} \; \frac{Id\vec{L} \times \hat{r}}{r^2}$$

 $I d\vec{L}$ 

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$$\mu_0 \equiv 4\pi \times 10^{-7} \,\mathrm{T} - \mathrm{m/A}$$

 $d\vec{B}$  (into the page)

- Here  $\vec{r}$  is measured to the location of the magnetic field  $\vec{B}$  that is created by the current I in a small length  $d\vec{L}$ 



(follows your right fingers around your right thumb) "around" the current element I dL



### **Concept: Magnetic Field Lines Are Closed Loops**



- Recall: there are no magnetic monopoles (charges)
  - Electric field lines started and stopped at electric charges
  - So magnetic field lines don't have anywhere to start or stop
  - All magnetic field lines are closed loops (some "close" at infinity)
- This even includes what look like starts and stops at north and south poles of bar magnets
  - The field lines here are actually connected inside the magnet. The magnetic fields are created by lots of little lined up loops of current at the atomic level.





#### Back to Biot-Savart: Magnetic Field fom Current Line

- What's the magnetic field from an infinite line of current?
  - We've got the magnetic field from a small section of that line Biot-Savart gives us that.
  - Add up all of those contributions to find the total magnetic field at a certain distance away from the line of current.
  - Recall: We did this for a line of (unmoving) electric charge before and got an electric field that pointed radially out or in from the line of charge, with a 1/r field strength dependence.



# **Back to Biot-Savart: Magnetic Field from Current Line**



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# **Problem: Infinite Lines of Current**



$$B = \frac{\mu_0 I}{2\pi r}$$

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(r is distance from line, direction is right hand around I)

... and remember

$$\vec{F}_{\rm B \ field \ on \ current} = I \vec{L} \times \vec{R}$$

$$\mu_0 \equiv 4\pi \times 10^{-7} \mathrm{T} - \mathrm{m/A}$$

Now consider two parallel infinite lines of *I*=1A current separated by 1m.

$$I = 1 \text{ A}$$
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- Do they attract or repel each other? (remember right hand rules)

- With what force per meter do they attract or repel each other?
- What happens if you reverse the direction of one of the currents?



### Ponderable

- The figure shows a flexible conducting wire passing through a magnetic field that points out of the page. The wire is deflected upward, as shown. In which direction is current flowing in the wire?
  - A. To the left
  - B. To the right



### Ponderable

- A flexible wire is wound into a flat spiral as shown in the figure. If a current flows in the direction shown, will the coil tighten or loosen?
  - A. The coil will tighten.
  - B. The coil will loosen.





#### **Lines and Loops**

- We can also work through the math for the magnetic field from a current going in a circle (a "current loop")
  - This requires fancier art than I can easily draw... ☺
  - Symmetry: The B field along the axis must point along the axis!



#### And Then A Miracle Occurs (or, "Todd skips the math")

- We could work through all the math (yawn)
  - Or those who are interested (or masochists) can work through it and ask me questions via email (yay!)

Along axis of current loop with radius *a* : (*x* is distance from center of loop)



- The 1/x<sup>3</sup> dependence looks (kinda) like an electric dipole
- We can make the loop very small this becomes the simplest type of magnet (like our bar magnets), a magnetic dipole
- Really like a little (infinitely short) bar magnet



# **Concept: Dipole Moment**

- Physicists said "hey, this looks kinda fundamental"
  - Can't really make any isolated closed current to create a magnetic field simpler than a small loop
  - Let's put all the stuff about the loop in one quantity and call it something new: magnetic dipole moment
  - Let's also give it the symbol  $\mu\,$  just to confuse future students.
    - This is **not** related to  $\mu_0$  doesn't even have the same units!

 $\vec{\mu} = I\vec{A}$  ( $\vec{A}$  is area of loop)

- Then for a very small loop, along the axis:  $B = \frac{\mu_0 \ \mu}{2\pi m^3}$
- "Kinda fundamental" at the level of atoms and beyond
  - Atoms have moving electrons: current loops!! Magnetic dipoles!
  - Some atoms look like little bar magnets!

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 Even weirder: charged subatomic particles have magnetic moments, even the electron!



### Ponderable

- A constant magnetic field is applied through a material that's not the vacuum
  - Atoms of the material look like little bar magnets



- What kind of force do they experience in the magnetic field?
  - Are the north poles attracted in one direction?
  - Are the south poles attracted in one direction?
  - Are those two directions the same or different?



# **Magnetization and Magnetic Domains**

 Usually groups of atoms ("domains") align to each other's magnetic fields anyway in a ferromagnetic material





# **Concept: Magnetism in Matter**

- Magnetism in matter arises from atomic current loops associated with orbiting and spinning electrons.
- In ferromagnetic materials like iron, strong interactions among individual magnetic dipoles result in large-scale magnetic properties, including strong attraction to magnets.
- Paramagnetic materials exhibit much weaker magnetism.
- Diamagnetic materials respond oppositely, and are repelled by magnets.



### **Concept: Ampère's Law**

- Gauss's law for electricity provides a global description of the electric field in relation to charge that is equivalent to Coulomb's law.
- Analogously, Ampère's law provides a global description of the magnetic field in relation to moving charge that is equivalent to the Biot-Savart law.
  - But where Gauss's law involves a surface integral over a closed surface, Ampère's law involves a line integral around a closed loop.
  - For steady currents, Ampère's law says

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$$\oint \vec{B} \cdot d\vec{r} = \mu_0 I_{\text{enclosed}}$$

 where the integral is taken around any closed loop, and I<sub>encircled</sub> is the current encircled by that loop.



### Using Ampère's Law

- Ampère's law is always true, but it can be used to calculate magnetic fields only in cases with sufficient symmetry.
  - Then it's possible to choose an "amperian" loop around which  $\oint \vec{B} \cdot d\vec{r}$  can be evaluated in terms of the unknown *B*.
  - An example: Ampère' s law quickly gives the 1/r field of a line current—or outside any current distribution with line symmetry.

Cross section of a long cylindrical wire. Any field line can serve as an amperian loop, for evaluating the field both outside and inside the wire.





### Problem



 A current of *I*=1A is evenly distributed through a long cylindrical perfectly conducting wire of radius *r*=3 mm.

- Find the magnetic field 10 cm from the center of the wire.
- Find the magnetic field 1 mm from the center of the wire.



# **Fields of Charge/Current Distributions**



### Ponderable

• Which of the following statements is TRUE?

- A. A metal wire is bent into a square and carries a uniform current throughout it. The net magnetic field at the center of this square is zero.
- B. The net magnetic field inside a conductor must be zero.
- C. Two long, current-carrying wires run parallel to each other. If these wires tend to push away from each other, the currents in them must be going in opposite directions.

