Charged Conductor Problem (1)



Consider a metal cube with a charge 2C on it positioned inside a cubic metal shell with a charge -1C on it.

• Find the charge Q_{int} on the interior surface and the charge Q_{ext} on the exterior surface of the shell.





A conducting spherical shell of inner radius $r_1 = 4$ cm and outer radius $r_2 = 6$ cm carries no net charge. Now we place a point charge $q = -1\mu$ C at its center.

- (a) Find the surface charge densities σ_1 and σ_2 .
- (b) Find the electric fields E_1 and E_2 in the immediate vicinity of the shell.
- (c) What happens to the electric fields inside and outside the shell when a second point charge $Q = +1\mu$ C is placed a distance d = 20cm from the center of the shell?
- (d) Which objects exert a force on the second point charge?



Charged Conductor Problem (3)



A point charge $q_p = -7\mu$ C is positioned at the center of a conducting spherical shell with a charge $q_s = +4\mu$ C on it.

- Find the direction (inward/outward) of the electric field at the points A and B.
- Find the charge q_s^{int} on the inner surface and the charge q_s^{ext} on the outer surface of the shell.





A long conducting cylinder of radius $R_0 = 3$ cm carries a charge per unit length $\lambda_c = 5.0 \mu$ C/m. It is surrounded by a conducting cylindrical shell of radii $R_1 = 7$ cm and $R_2 = 11$ cm. The shell carries a charge per unit length $\lambda_s = -8.0 \mu$ C/m.

- (a) Find the linear charge densities λ_1 , λ_2 on the inner and outer surfaces of the shell.
- (b) Find the electric fields E_0 , E_1 , E_3 in the vicinity of the three conducting surfaces.



Charged Conductor Problem (5)



Consider two concentric shells with charges on them as indicated.

• Find the charges q_A, q_B, q_C, q_D on each of the four surfaces.

