



✓ Question 1

a) Two point charges of 2 nC, 4 nC, positioned at (-1,0,0), (0,-2,0), respectively. Calculate the potential at (0,0,1). Also, calculate the energy of that system of charges. Given $\epsilon_0 = 10^{-9} / 36\pi$ F/m.

b) Write down the general expression used in calculating the capacitance, and use it to derive the capacitance of a coaxial cable of length L m, with inner and outer conductors have radii a, and b respectively (b>a). Hence, or otherwise, determine the resistance of the dielectric material between the conductors.

✓ Question 2

Given a circular current loop of radius 12 cm situated in the xy plane at z = 0 cm, and passing a current of 8 A. Use Biot-Savart law to derive the magnetic field intensity H; expressed in cylindrical coordinates. Hence, calculate H at (0,0,5) cm. Given $\mu_0 = 4\pi \times 10^{-7}$ A/m.

Question 3

a) Consider an infinitely long transmission line consisting of two concentric cylinders having their axes along the z-axis. The inner conductor has radius a and carries current I while the outer conductor has inner radius b and thickness w and carries return current -I. Assuming that current is uniformly distributed in both conductors, determine H, for $b \leq \rho \leq b+w$ and $\rho \geq b+w$.

b) Write down the point form of Maxwell's equations.

✓ Question 4

A particle of mass 2 kg having a 4 C charge starts at the origin with velocity $8\mathbf{a}_z$ m/s and travels in a region where $\mathbf{B} = 5\mathbf{a}_y$ Wb/m². At t = 4 s, calculate

(a) The velocity and acceleration of the particle

(b) The magnetic force on it

$$\mathbf{F} = Q\mathbf{E}$$

$$\mathbf{v} = \mathbf{a}_z$$

$$\frac{d\mathbf{v}_x}{dt} = a_x$$

$$a_y$$

$$v_x$$

$$v_y$$

$$v_z$$