

Section 1

Linear charge elasticity, $\lambda = \frac{Q}{\frac{2\pi R}{4}} = \frac{2Q}{\pi R}$

Infinitesimal charge, $dQ = \lambda dS$, $dS = r d\Theta$

field due to dQ : $dE = \frac{\lambda}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \frac{d\Theta}{r^2}$

Components of the field

$$dE_x = dE \cos(\Theta) \rightarrow E_x = \int dE_x$$

$$dE_y = dE \sin(\Theta) \rightarrow E_y = \int dE_y$$

The electric field at P :

$$dE_x = \frac{1}{2\pi^2\epsilon_0} \frac{Q}{r^2} \cos \Theta d\Theta$$

$$\begin{aligned} E_x &= \int dE_x \\ &= \frac{1}{2\pi^2\epsilon_0} \frac{Q}{R^2} \int_0^{\pi/2} \cos \Theta d\Theta \\ &= \frac{1}{2\pi^2\epsilon_0} \frac{Q}{R^2} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} E_y &= \int dE_y \\ &= \frac{1}{2\pi^2\epsilon_0} \frac{Q}{R^2} \int_0^{\pi/2} \sin \Theta d\Theta \\ &= \frac{1}{2\pi^2\epsilon_0} \frac{Q}{R^2} \end{aligned}$$

Section 2

Linear charge elasticity, $\lambda = \frac{Q}{\frac{2\pi R}{3}} = \frac{3Q}{2\pi R}$

Infinitesimal charge, $dQ = \lambda dS$, $dS = Rd\Theta$

field due to dQ : $dE = \frac{\lambda}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \frac{d\Theta}{R^2}$

Components of the field

$$\begin{aligned}dE_x &= dE \cos(\Theta) \\ &= \frac{-3}{8\pi^2\epsilon_0} \frac{Q}{R^2} \cos \Theta d\Theta\end{aligned}$$

$$E_x = \int dE_x = \frac{-3}{8\pi^2\epsilon_0} \frac{Q}{R^2} \int_{-\pi/3}^{\pi/3} \cos \Theta d\Theta = \sin \Theta \Big|_{-\pi/3}^{\pi/3}$$

$$E_x = \frac{3\sqrt{3}}{8\pi^2\epsilon_0} \frac{Q}{R^2} \hat{i}$$

$$dE_y = dE \sin \Theta \rightarrow E_y = \int dE_y = 0$$

all vertical components will cancel out due to the symmetry of the arc

Section 3

Linear charge elasticity, $\lambda = \frac{Q}{2\pi R/4} = \frac{2Q}{\pi R}$

Infinitesimal charge, $dQ = \lambda dS$, $dS = rd\Theta$

field due to dQ : $dE = \frac{\lambda}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \frac{d\Theta}{r^2}$

Let dE_+ be the field due to dQ_+ and let dE_- , be the field due to dQ_- then field at point P is superposition of these two $dE_+ + dE_-$

Due to symmetry of the problem, horizontal components cancel out. So,

$$E_x = 0$$

$$\begin{aligned} dE_y &= dE_{+,y} + dE_{-,y} = 2dE_{+,y} \\ &= 2 \frac{1}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \frac{dQ_+}{r^2} \cos \Theta \end{aligned}$$

$$E_y = \int dE_y = \frac{1}{\pi\epsilon_0} \frac{Q}{r^2} (\sin \Theta|_0^{\pi/2}) \hat{j}$$

$$E_y = -\frac{1}{\pi^2\epsilon_0} \frac{Q}{r^2}$$

Section 4

Linear charge elasticity, $\lambda = \frac{Q}{\pi r}$

Infinitesimal charge, $dQ = \lambda dS$, $dS = r d\Theta$

field due to dQ : $dE = \frac{\lambda}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \frac{d\Theta}{r}$

Components of the field

$$\begin{aligned}dE_x &= dE \sin(\Theta) \\ &= \frac{1}{4\pi^2\epsilon_0} \frac{Q}{r^2} \sin \Theta d\Theta\end{aligned}$$

$$E_x = \int_0^{\pi} dE_x = -\frac{1}{4\pi^2\epsilon_0} \frac{Q}{r^2} \cos \Theta \Big|_0^{\pi}$$

$$E_x = \frac{1}{2\pi^2\epsilon_0} \frac{Q}{r^2}$$

$$dE_y = dE \cos \Theta \rightarrow E_y = \int dE_y = 0$$

all vertical components will cancel out due to the symmetry of the arc

Section 5

$$E_X = \frac{1}{2\pi^2}$$

Linear charge elasticity, $\lambda = \frac{Q}{\pi r}$

Infinitesimal charge, $dQ = \lambda dS$, $dS = r d\Theta$

field due to dQ : $dE = \frac{\lambda}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \frac{d\Theta}{r}$

Components of the field

$$\begin{aligned} dE_x &= dE \cos(\Theta) \\ &= \frac{1}{2\pi^2\epsilon_0} \frac{Q}{R^2} \cos \Theta d\theta \end{aligned}$$

$dE_y = dE \sin(\Theta) \rightarrow E_y = \int dE_y = 0$ The y component of the electric field is zero due to the symmetry of the problem

The electric field at P :

$$\begin{aligned} E &= \int_0^\pi \left[\frac{1}{4\pi^2\epsilon_0} \frac{Q}{r^2} \sin \Theta d\Theta \right] \hat{i} \\ &= - \left[\frac{1}{4\pi^2\epsilon_0} \frac{Q}{r^2} \cos \Theta \right]_0^\pi \hat{i} \\ &= \frac{1}{2\pi^2\epsilon_0} \frac{Q}{r^2} \hat{i} \end{aligned}$$