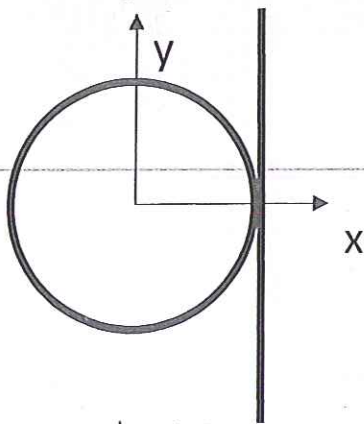


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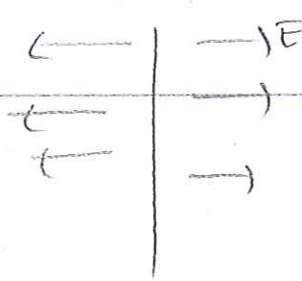
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An infinite plane that is perpendicular to the x-axis and a spherical shell of radius  $a$  centered at the origin are tangent to each other. They both have uniform surface charge density  $\sigma$  (see figure). Find all three components of the electric field for points on the y-axis.

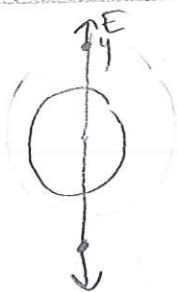


for inf. plane



$$E_p = \frac{\sigma}{2\epsilon_0} (-\hat{x})$$

for sphere



inside sphere shell  $\vec{E} = 0$  (no charge)

$$y > a \quad E \cdot 4\pi y^2 = \frac{q_{enc}}{\epsilon_0} = \frac{4\pi a^2 \sigma}{\epsilon_0}$$

$$\vec{E} = \frac{\sigma a^2}{\epsilon_0 y^2} \hat{y}$$

$$y < -a \quad \vec{E} = \frac{\sigma a^2}{\epsilon_0 y^2} (-\hat{y})$$

Sum all

$$E = \frac{\sigma}{2\epsilon_0} (-\hat{x}) \quad |x| < a$$

$$E = -\frac{\sigma}{2\epsilon_0} \hat{x} + \frac{\sigma a^2}{\epsilon_0 y^2} \hat{y} \quad x > a$$

$$E = -\frac{\sigma}{2\epsilon_0} \hat{x} - \frac{\sigma a^2}{\epsilon_0 y^2} \hat{y} \quad x < -a$$

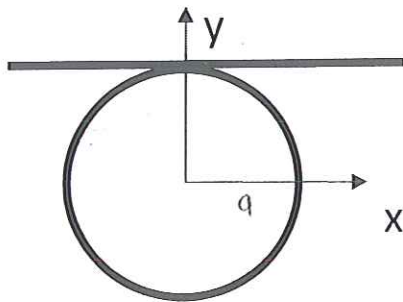
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for inf. plane  $\begin{matrix} \uparrow \uparrow \\ \downarrow \downarrow \end{matrix} \frac{\sigma}{\epsilon_0} \downarrow \downarrow$

$$\vec{E}_p = \frac{\sigma}{2\epsilon_0} (-\hat{y}) \text{ on } x \text{ axis!}$$

for spherical shell

inside shell  $-a < x < a$ ,  $\vec{E}_{in} = 0$  (no charge inside)

$$x > a \Rightarrow E \cdot 4\pi x^2 = \frac{q_M}{\epsilon_0} = \frac{\sigma \cdot 4\pi a^2}{\epsilon_0}$$

$$\Rightarrow \vec{E} = \frac{\sigma a^2}{\epsilon_0 x^2} \hat{x}$$

$$x < -a \Rightarrow E = \frac{\sigma a^2}{\epsilon_0 x^2} (-\hat{x})$$

Sum all E

$$\vec{E} = -\frac{\sigma}{2\epsilon_0} \hat{y} \quad |x| < a \text{ inside shell}$$

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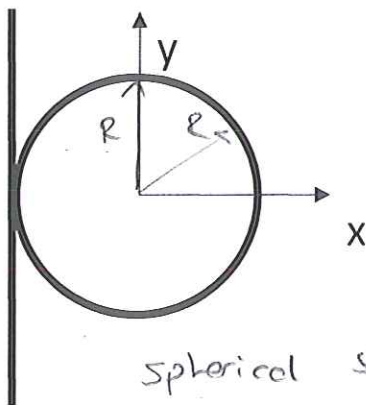
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An infinite plane that is perpendicular to the x-axis and a spherical shell of radius  $R$  centered at the origin are tangent to each other. They both have uniform surface charge density  $\sigma$  (see figure). Find all three components of the electric field for points on the y-axis.



for infinite plane

$$\vec{E}_P = \frac{\sigma}{2\epsilon_0} \hat{x} \quad (\text{for every point in } xy \text{ axis})$$

spherical shell

inside shell

$-R < y < R$  no charge  $\Rightarrow \vec{E}_{in} = 0$

$$\vec{E} dA = q_{en} / \epsilon_0$$

$y > R$   $\vec{E} \cdot 4\pi y^2 = \frac{\sigma \cdot 4\pi R^2}{\epsilon_0} \Rightarrow \vec{E} = \frac{\sigma \cdot R^2}{\epsilon_0 y^2} \hat{y}$

(Note this is for a point choose on +y axis)

$y < -R$   $\vec{E} \cdot 4\pi y^2 = \frac{\sigma \cdot 4\pi R^2}{\epsilon_0} \Rightarrow \vec{E} = \frac{\sigma R^2}{\epsilon_0 y^2} (-\hat{y})$

so sum up

$\vec{E} = \frac{\sigma}{2\epsilon_0} \hat{x} \quad |y| < R \text{ inside shell}$

$= \frac{\sigma}{2\epsilon_0} \hat{x} + \frac{\sigma R^2}{\epsilon_0 y^2} \hat{y} \quad y > R$

$= \frac{\sigma}{2\epsilon_0} \hat{x} - \frac{\sigma R^2}{\epsilon_0 y^2} \hat{y} \quad y < -R$

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Section 3

Quiz 2

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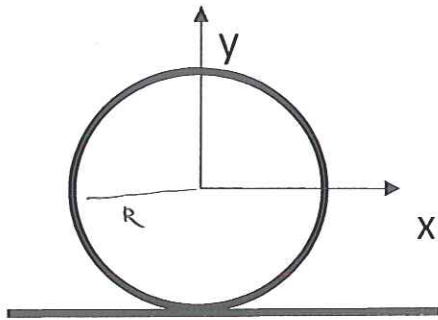
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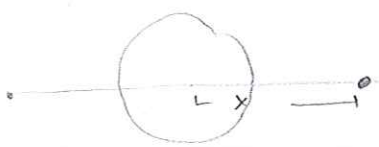
An infinite plane that is perpendicular to the  $y$ -axis and a spherical shell of radius  $R$  centered at the origin are tangent to each other. They both have uniform surface charge density  $\sigma$  (see figure). Find all three components of the electric field for points on the  $x$ -axis.



infin. plane  $\vec{E}_p = \frac{\sigma}{2\epsilon_0} \hat{y}$  on  $x$  axis

$\begin{matrix} \uparrow \uparrow \uparrow \\ \hline \sigma \\ \downarrow \downarrow \downarrow \end{matrix}$

for spherical shell  
inside  $-R < x < R$ ,  $E_{in} = 0$  (no charge inside)



for any point  $x > R$  on  $x$

$$E \cdot 4\pi x^2 = \frac{q_{enc}}{\epsilon_0} = \frac{\sigma \cdot 4\pi R^2}{\epsilon_0} \Rightarrow \vec{E} = \frac{\sigma R^2}{\epsilon_0 x^2} \hat{x}$$

when  $x < -R$  on neg.  $x$  axis

$$\vec{E} = \frac{\sigma R^2}{\epsilon_0 x^2} (-\hat{x})$$

Sum all fields

$$\vec{E} = \frac{\sigma}{2\epsilon_0} \hat{y} \quad |x| < R \quad (\text{inside shell})$$

$$E = \frac{\sigma}{2\epsilon_0} \hat{y} + \frac{\sigma R^2}{\epsilon_0 x^2} \hat{x} \quad x > R$$

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