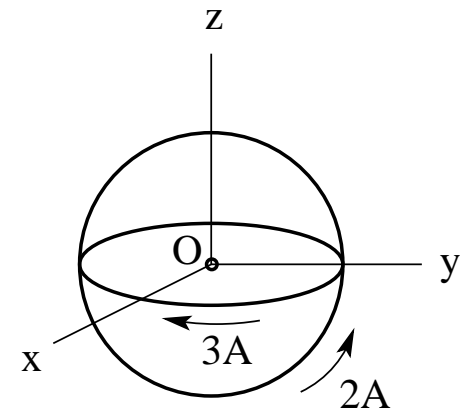
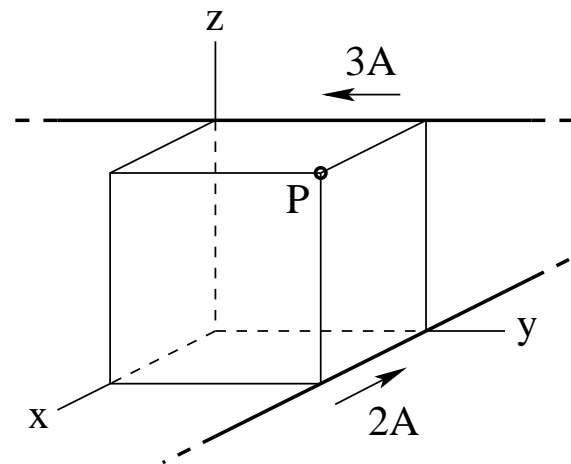


# Unit Exam III: Problem #1 (Spring '11)



(a) Two very long straight wires carry currents as shown. A cube with edges of length 8cm serves as scaffold. Find the magnetic field at point  $P$  in the form  $\mathbf{B} = B_x \hat{\mathbf{i}} + B_y \hat{\mathbf{j}} + B_z \hat{\mathbf{k}}$  with  $B_x, B_y, B_z$  in SI units.

(b) Two circular currents of radius 5cm, one in the  $xy$ -lane and the other in the  $yz$ -plane, carry currents as shown. Both circles are centered at point  $O$ . Find the magnetic field at point  $O$  in the form  $\mathbf{B} = B_x \hat{\mathbf{i}} + B_y \hat{\mathbf{j}} + B_z \hat{\mathbf{k}}$  with  $B_x, B_y, B_z$  in SI units.



**Solution:**

$$(a) \quad B_x = 0, \quad B_y = \frac{\mu_0(2A)}{2\pi(0.08\text{m})} = 5\mu\text{T}, \quad B_z = \frac{\mu_0(3A)}{2\pi(0.08\text{m})} = 7.5\mu\text{T}.$$

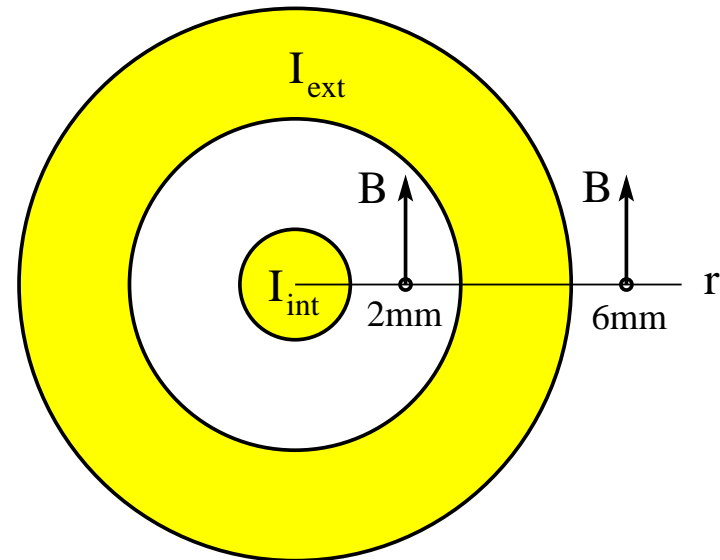
$$(b) \quad B_x = \frac{\mu_0(2A)}{2(0.05\text{m})} = 25.1\mu\text{T}, \quad B_y = 0, \quad B_z = -\frac{\mu_0(3A)}{2(0.05\text{m})} = -37.7\mu\text{T}.$$

## Unit Exam III: Problem #2 (Spring '11)



The coaxial cable shown has surfaces at radii 1mm, 3mm, and 5mm. The magnetic field is the same at radii 2mm and 6mm, namely  $B = 7\mu\text{T}$  in the direction shown.

- (a) Find magnitude (in SI units) and direction (in/out) of the current  $I_{\text{int}}$  flowing through the inner conductor.
- (b) Find magnitude (in SI units) and direction (in/out) of the current  $I_{\text{ext}}$  flowing through the outer conductor.



**Solution:**

$$(a) (7\mu\text{T})(2\pi)(0.002\text{m}) = \mu_0 I_{\text{int}} \Rightarrow I_{\text{int}} = 0.07\text{A} \quad (\text{out})$$

$$(b) (7\mu\text{T})(2\pi)(0.006\text{m}) = \mu_0(I_{\text{int}} + I_{\text{ext}}) \Rightarrow I_{\text{int}} + I_{\text{ext}} = 0.21\text{A} \quad (\text{out})$$
$$\Rightarrow I_{\text{ext}} = 0.14\text{A} \quad (\text{out})$$

## Unit Exam III: Problem #3 (Spring '11)

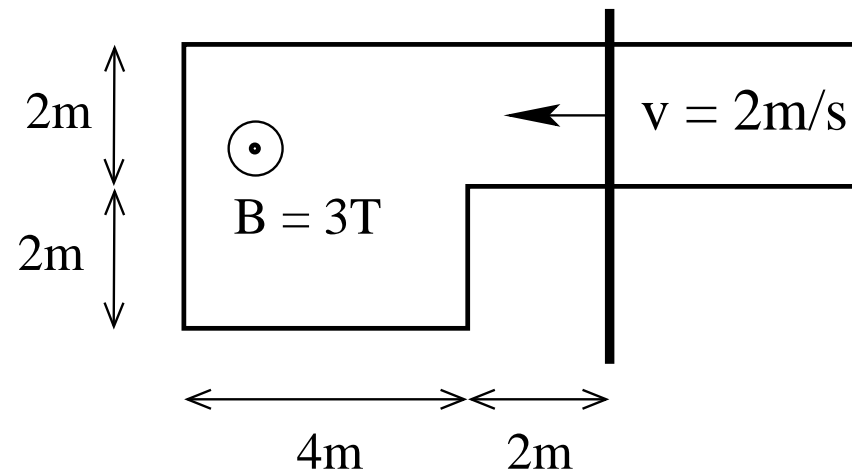


A conducting frame with a moving conducting rod is located in a uniform magnetic field as shown. The rod moves at constant velocity.

(a) Find the magnetic flux  $\Phi_B$  through the frame and the induced emf  $\mathcal{E}$  around the frame at the instant shown.

(b) Find the magnetic flux  $\Phi_B$  through the frame and the induced emf  $\mathcal{E}$  around the frame two seconds later.

Write magnitudes only (in SI units), no directions.



**Solution:**

(a)  $\Phi_B = (20\text{m}^2)(3\text{T}) = 60\text{Wb}$ ,  $\mathcal{E} = (2\text{m/s})(3\text{T})(2\text{m}) = 12\text{V}$ .

(b)  $\Phi_B = (8\text{m}^2)(3\text{T}) = 24\text{Wb}$ ,  $\mathcal{E} = (2\text{m/s})(3\text{T})(4\text{m}) = 24\text{V}$ .