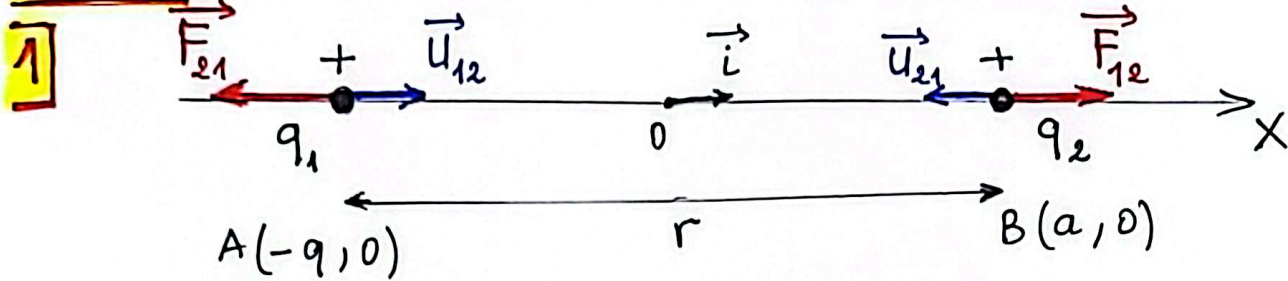


Solution of

* Series 2 - Part 1 *

Ex1:

$q_1, q_2 > 0 \Rightarrow$ we have a repulsive force.

$\vec{F}_{12}$: Force exerted by q_1 on q_2 .

$\vec{F}_{21}$: " " by q_2 on q_1 .

2 According to Coulomb's law:

$$* \vec{F}_{12} = K \frac{q_1 q_2}{r_{12}^2} \cdot \vec{u}_{12}$$

$$; K = \frac{1}{4\pi\epsilon_0} = 9 \cdot 10^9 \text{ (SI)}$$

The unit vector $\vec{u}_{12} = \frac{\vec{AB}}{\|\vec{AB}\|}$; $r_{12} = \|\vec{AB}\|$

$$\Rightarrow \vec{F}_{12} = K \frac{q_1 q_2}{\|\vec{AB}\|^3} \cdot \vec{AB} ; \vec{AB} \begin{pmatrix} 2a \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \Rightarrow r_{12} = \|\vec{AB}\| = 2a$$

$$\vec{u}_{12} = \vec{i} \Rightarrow \vec{F}_{12} = K \frac{q_1 q_2}{4a^2} \cdot \vec{i}$$

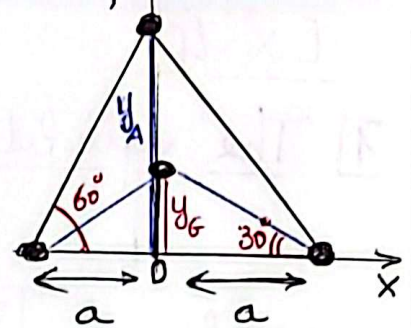
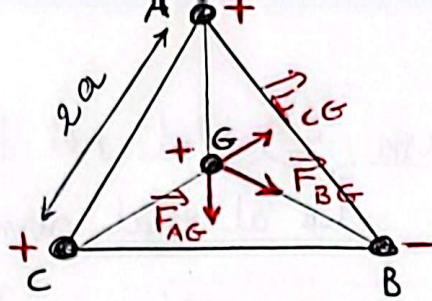
$$* \vec{F}_{21} = K \frac{q_2 q_1}{r_{21}^2} \cdot \vec{u}_{21} ; \vec{u}_{21} = -\vec{i}$$

$$\Rightarrow \vec{F}_{21} = -K \frac{q_1 q_2}{4a^2} \cdot \vec{i}$$

We conclude that : $\vec{F}_{12} = -\vec{F}_{21}$ and $\|\vec{F}_{12}\| = \|\vec{F}_{21}\|$

EX 2:

The force exerted by the charges on the center of the triangle is :



$$\vec{F}_G = \vec{F}_{AG} + \vec{F}_{BG} + \vec{F}_{CG}$$

$$\vec{F}_{AG} = K \frac{q^2}{\|\vec{AG}\|^3} \cdot \vec{AG} \quad ; \quad \vec{F}_{BG} = -K \frac{q^2}{\|\vec{BG}\|^3} \cdot \vec{BG}$$

$$\vec{F}_{CG} = K \frac{q^2}{\|\vec{CG}\|^3} \cdot \vec{CG}$$

We know that : $\|\vec{AG}\| = \|\vec{BG}\| = \|\vec{CG}\|$ in equilateral triangle

$$\Rightarrow \vec{F}_G = \frac{K q^2}{\|\vec{AG}\|^3} \cdot (\vec{AG} - \vec{BG} + \vec{CG}) \quad (*)$$

The coordinates of the charges are :

$$A(0, y_A) \quad ; \quad B(a, 0) \quad ; \quad C(-a, 0) \quad ; \quad G(0, y_G)$$

we have: $\sin 60^\circ = \frac{y_A}{2a} \Rightarrow \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} = \frac{y_A}{2a} \Rightarrow y_A = a\sqrt{3}$

$$\tan 30^\circ = \frac{y_G}{a} \Rightarrow \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} = \frac{y_G}{a} \Rightarrow y_G = \frac{a}{\sqrt{3}}$$

$$\vec{AG} = (y_G - y_A)\vec{j} = \left(\frac{a}{\sqrt{3}} - a\sqrt{3}\right)\vec{j} \Rightarrow \vec{AG} = -\frac{2a}{\sqrt{3}}\vec{j}$$

$$\vec{BG} = -a\vec{i} + \frac{a}{\sqrt{3}}\vec{j}$$

$$\vec{CG} = a\vec{i} + \frac{a}{\sqrt{3}}\vec{j}$$

$$\Rightarrow \vec{AG} - \vec{BG} + \vec{CG} = \frac{2a}{\sqrt{3}}(\sqrt{3}\vec{i} - \vec{j}) \quad ; \quad \|\vec{AG}\| = \frac{2a}{\sqrt{3}}$$

We replace this result in (*) $\Rightarrow$

$$\vec{F}_G = -\frac{K q^2}{8a^3} \cdot 3\sqrt{3} \left[\frac{2a}{\sqrt{3}}(\sqrt{3}\vec{i} - \vec{j}) \right] = \frac{3K q^2}{4a^2} (-\sqrt{3}\vec{i} + \vec{j})$$

$$\Rightarrow F_G = \|\vec{F}_G\| = \frac{3K q^2}{2a^2} \quad ; \quad \text{D.A: } q = 1 \mu\text{m} \quad ; \quad 2a = 1\text{cm}$$

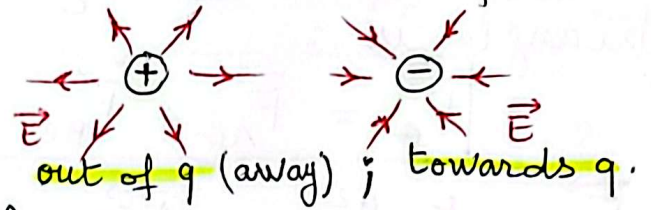
$$\Rightarrow F_G = 135 \text{ N}$$

Il faut convertir les unités en (SI)

EX 3:

- 1) The equilibrium $\Rightarrow$ Not net force (Resultant force is zero)
 $\hookrightarrow$ at that point $E = 0$ Total electric field

We have: $\vec{E} = \frac{kq}{r^2} \cdot \vec{u}$

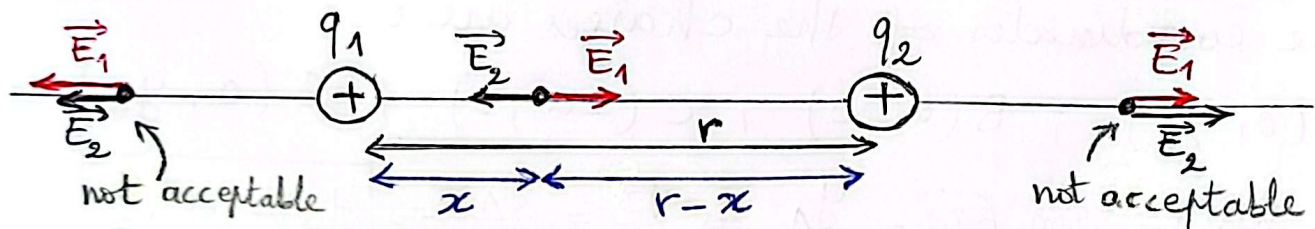


* We must find the point where:

$\vec{E}_1 + \vec{E}_2 = \vec{0} \Rightarrow \vec{E}_1 = -\vec{E}_2$ the same electric field but in opposite direction.

This will only be achieved if we choose a point on the same line of the two charges.

- Case 1:



- On the left of q_1 , $\vec{E}_1$ and $\vec{E}_2$ are in the same direction $\Rightarrow$ not acceptable ($\vec{E}_1 + \vec{E}_2 \neq \vec{0}$)
- On the right of q_2 , $\vec{E}_1$ and $\vec{E}_2$ are in the same direction $\Rightarrow$ not acceptable ($\vec{E}_1 + \vec{E}_2 \neq \vec{0}$)
- In the middle of the two charges (and closer to the smaller one) $\Rightarrow$ acceptable ($\vec{E}_1 + \vec{E}_2 = \vec{0}$)

we have:

$\vec{E}_1 = \frac{kq_1}{x^2} \cdot \vec{u}_1$

; $\|\vec{E}_1\| = E_1 = \frac{k|q_1|}{x^2}$

$\vec{E}_2 = \frac{kq_2}{(r-x)^2} \cdot \vec{u}_2$

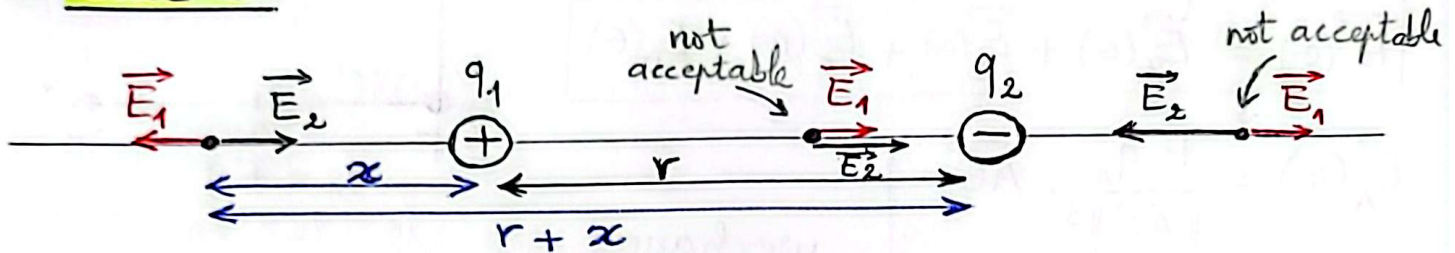
; $\|\vec{E}_2\| = E_2 = \frac{k|q_2|}{(r-x)^2}$

$\vec{u}_1, \vec{u}_2$: unit vectors of $\vec{E}_1$ and $\vec{E}_2$ respectively.

$$E_1 = E_2 \Rightarrow \frac{k|q_1|}{x^2} = \frac{k|q_2|}{(r-x)^2} \Rightarrow \sqrt{|q_1|} \cdot (r-x) = \sqrt{|q_2|} \cdot x$$

Hence:
$$x = \frac{\sqrt{|q_1|} \cdot r}{\sqrt{|q_1|} + \sqrt{|q_2|}}$$

- Case 2:



- In the middle of the two charges, $\vec{E}_1$ and $\vec{E}_2$ are in the same direction $\Rightarrow$ not acceptable ($\vec{E}_1 + \vec{E}_2 \neq \vec{0}$).
- On the right of q_2 , $\|\vec{E}_2\| > \|\vec{E}_1\|$ because $|q_2| > |q_1|$ and $r_1 > r_2$ $\Rightarrow$ not acceptable ($\vec{E}_1 + \vec{E}_2 \neq \vec{0}$)
- On the left of q_1 , $\Rightarrow$ acceptable ($\vec{E}_1 + \vec{E}_2 = \vec{0}$).

$$E_1 = E_2 \Rightarrow \frac{k|q_1|}{x^2} = \frac{k|q_2|}{(r+x)^2} \Rightarrow \sqrt{|q_1|} \cdot (r+x) = \sqrt{|q_2|} \cdot x$$

Hence:
$$x = \frac{\sqrt{|q_1|} \cdot r}{\sqrt{|q_2|} - \sqrt{|q_1|}}$$

2 According to the first question, this correspond to the first case:
$$x = \frac{\sqrt{|q_1|} \cdot r}{\sqrt{|q_1|} + \sqrt{|q_2|}}$$

D.A: $q_1 = +2 \text{ nC}$; $q_2 = +18 \text{ nC}$; $r = 25 \text{ cm}$

$$x = \frac{\sqrt{2 \cdot 10^{-9}} \cdot 25 \cdot 10^{-2}}{\sqrt{2 \cdot 10^{-9}} + \sqrt{18 \cdot 10^{-9}}} = \frac{\sqrt{2 \cdot 10^{-9}} \cdot 25 \cdot 10^{-2}}{\sqrt{2 \cdot 10^{-9}} (1 + 3)}$$

$$\Rightarrow x = 6,25 \cdot 10^{-2} \text{ m} = 6,25 \text{ cm}$$

EX 4:

1 In presence of multiple charges :

$$E = \sum_i E_i = \frac{K q_i}{r_i^2}$$

At the point G we have :

$$\vec{E}(G) = \vec{E}_A(G) + \vec{E}_B(G) + \vec{E}_C(G) + \vec{E}_D(G)$$

$$\vec{E}_A(G) = \frac{K q_A}{\|\vec{AG}\|^3} \cdot \vec{AG}$$

$$\vec{E}_B(G) = \frac{K q_B}{\|\vec{BG}\|^3} \cdot \vec{BG}$$

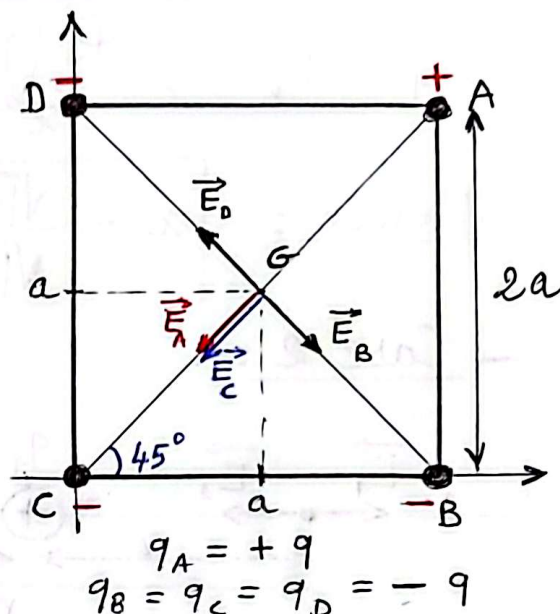
$$\vec{E}_C(G) = \frac{K q_C}{\|\vec{CG}\|^3} \cdot \vec{CG}$$

$$\vec{E}_D(G) = \frac{K q_D}{\|\vec{DG}\|^3} \cdot \vec{DG}$$

we have :

$$\|\vec{AG}\| = \|\vec{BG}\| = \|\vec{CG}\| = \|\vec{DG}\|$$

$$\Rightarrow \vec{E}(G) = \frac{K q}{\|\vec{AG}\|^3} (\vec{AG} - \vec{BG} - \vec{CG} - \vec{DG})$$



* G the center of the square $\Rightarrow G(a, a)$

$$\sin \frac{\pi}{4} = \frac{a}{CG} \Rightarrow \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} = \frac{a}{CG} \Rightarrow CG = \sqrt{2} \cdot a$$

Or: by calculating the modulus of the vector $\vec{AG}$.

$$\|\vec{AG}\| = AG = \sqrt{a^2 + a^2} \Rightarrow AG = \sqrt{2} \cdot a$$

Now, we find the different vectors :

$$\text{Exp: } \vec{AG} = (x_G - x_A) \cdot \vec{i} + (y_G - y_A) \cdot \vec{j}$$

$$\vec{AG} = -a \vec{i} - a \vec{j}$$

$$\vec{BG} = -a \vec{i} + a \vec{j}$$

$$\vec{CG} = a \vec{i} + a \vec{j}$$

$$\vec{DG} = a \vec{i} - a \vec{j}$$

$$\vec{AG} - \vec{BG} - \vec{CG} - \vec{DG} = -2a \vec{i} - 2a \vec{j}$$

$$\|\vec{AG}\|^3 = AG^3 = 2\sqrt{2} \cdot a^3$$

by replacing in the expression of $\vec{E}(G)$, we find:

$$\vec{E}(G) = \frac{-Kq \cdot 2a}{2\sqrt{2} \cdot a^3} \cdot (\vec{i} + \vec{j}) \Rightarrow \boxed{\vec{E}(G) = -\frac{K \cdot q}{\sqrt{2} \cdot a^2} (\vec{i} + \vec{j})}$$

* The modulus of the electric field vector is:

$$\boxed{E(G) = \|\vec{E}(G)\| = \frac{K \cdot q}{a^2}} \quad \text{its unit is: (V/m) or (N/C)}$$

2 The force exerted by the other charges on q_G :

$$\boxed{\vec{F}(G) = q_G \cdot \vec{E}(G)}$$

we have: $q_G = +q \Rightarrow \boxed{\vec{F}(G) = -\frac{K \cdot q^2}{\sqrt{2} \cdot a^2} (\vec{i} + \vec{j})}$

* The modulus of the electric force vector is:

$$\boxed{F(G) = \|\vec{F}(G)\| = \frac{K \cdot q^2}{a^2}} \quad \text{its unit is: (N)}$$

3 The electric potential V :

In the presence of multiple charges:

$$\boxed{V = \sum_i V_i = \sum_i \frac{K \cdot q_i}{r_i}} \quad \text{is a scalar}$$

* $V(G)$ is the electric potential created by all the charges at the point G :

$$\boxed{V(G) = V_A(G) + V_B(G) + V_C(G) + V_D(G)}$$

$$V_A(G) = \frac{K q_A}{AG}$$

$$V_B(G) = \frac{K q_B}{BG}$$

$$V_C(G) = \frac{K q_C}{CG}$$

$$V_D(G) = \frac{K q_D}{DG}$$

$$\Rightarrow V(G) = \frac{Kq}{\sqrt{2} \cdot a} (+1 - 1 - 1 - 1) \Rightarrow \boxed{V(G) = -\frac{\sqrt{2} K \cdot q}{a}}$$

* $V(c)$ is the electric potential created at the origin of the coordinates $\equiv$ at the point $C(0,0)$:

$$V(c) = V_A(c) + V_B(c) + V_D(c)$$

we note that we only consider the charges located at the vertices of the square ABCD.

$$\left. \begin{aligned} V_A(c) &= \frac{K q_A}{AC} \\ V_B(c) &= \frac{K q_B}{BC} \\ V_D(c) &= \frac{K q_D}{DC} \end{aligned} \right\} \Rightarrow V(c) = \frac{K \cdot q}{2a} \cdot \left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} - 1 - 1 \right) = \frac{K \cdot q}{2a} \cdot \left(\frac{1 - 2\sqrt{2}}{\sqrt{2}} \right)$$

we have: $AC = \sqrt{(2a)^2 + (2a)^2} = 2\sqrt{2} \cdot a$
 $BC = DC = 2a$

$$V(c) = \frac{K \cdot q}{2\sqrt{2} \cdot a} \cdot (1 - 2\sqrt{2})$$

D.A:

$$q = 2 \mu C \quad ; \quad a = 10 \text{ cm} \quad ; \quad K = 9 \cdot 10^9 (\text{SI})$$

$$* \quad E(G) = \frac{K \cdot q}{a^2}$$

$$E(G) = \frac{9 \cdot 10^9 \cdot 2 \cdot 10^{-6}}{(10 \cdot 10^{-2})^2} \Rightarrow E(G) = 18 \cdot 10^5 \text{ V/m}$$

$$* \quad F(G) = \frac{K \cdot q^2}{a^2}$$

$$F(G) = \frac{9 \cdot 10^9 \cdot (2 \cdot 10^{-6})^2}{(10 \cdot 10^{-2})^2} \Rightarrow F(G) = 3,6 \text{ N}$$

$$* \quad V(G) = -\frac{\sqrt{2} \cdot K \cdot q}{a}$$

$$V(G) = -\frac{\sqrt{2} \cdot 9 \cdot 10^9 \cdot 2 \cdot 10^{-6}}{10 \cdot 10^{-2}} \Rightarrow V(G) = -2,54 \cdot 10^5 \text{ V}$$

$$* \quad V(c) = \frac{K \cdot q}{2\sqrt{2} \cdot a} (1 - 2\sqrt{2})$$

$$V(c) = \frac{9 \cdot 10^9 \cdot 2 \cdot 10^{-6} (1 - 2\sqrt{2})}{2\sqrt{2} \cdot 10 \cdot 10^{-2}} \Rightarrow V(c) = -1,16 \cdot 10^5 \text{ V}$$