

BEFORE CLASS:

dig into your memory for what you know about the gravitational force

RECITATIONS START THIS Thursday!

**FIRST HOMEWORK ASSIGNMENT IS DUE
11:59PM Tuesday Sept 8**

class web site

<http://www.physics.rutgers.edu/ugrad/227H>

Physics 227H: Honors Analytical Physics II

electricity and magnetism

Problem solving techniques and strategies

Both numerical and symbolic

More conceptual, more mathematical than 227

Electricity and magnetism

Textbook:

Halliday, Resnick and Walker, 10th edition

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the instructors

Prof. Karin Rabe (lectures): theoretical materials physics
PhD in physics from MIT 1987
AT&T Bell Labs 1987-1989, on the faculty at Yale 1989-2000
on Rutgers faculty since 2000
Board of Governors Professor and member of the National
Academy of Sciences, 2013

Siddhartha Saha

recitations; PhD student in biophysics, focusing on machine
learning

The lectures

55 minutes, 2x per week + a LOT of material

This can only work with our full attention!

CLASS GUIDELINES

- Please keep your video on
- Name yourself with the first name you want to be called (you should correct me if I don't pronounce correctly) and your last name
- Stay muted during the lecture portions
- Answer all the poll questions to the best of your ability – they are not graded but they let me know if we need to discuss more about a particular concept

want to get the maximal benefit for effort put in

The recitations

1 hour 20 minutes, 1x per week

Taught by PhD student Siddhartha Saha

- Math topics
- Solving example problems as a bridge between the lectures and the homework

Pre-recitation problems

These are the “easy” warm-up problems that review the physics you have learned before and help you transition to the problems assigned in the homework

Problems will be posted on the class website.

You should do the problems BEFORE recitation and if you have any difficulties, visit the background reading link or ask one of the instructors

Bring the problems and your solutions to recitation for discussion/presentation

Homework

WebAssign

Due Tuesdays 11:59 PM

WebAssign class key: rutgers 9188 7020

Office hours

Professor Rabe

Sundays 6:00-7:30 PM

Mondays 11:00-12:00

Tuesdays 11:00-12:00

on Zoom

TA office hours to be announced

Coursework and Grades

Exam 1: 15%, Exam 2: 20%, Final: 30%, HW: 20%, Quiz 15%

Exams 1 and 2 will be in class

First recitation this week

1st HW due: Tuesday September 8 at 11:59PM

Physics department gradebook – link on class website

$$N2: \vec{F} = m\vec{a}$$

If acceleration of an object is nonzero, there must be a net force on the object

Force and acceleration are **VECTORS**
direction and magnitude

UNITS – SI

Acceleration m/s²

Force N

Mass kg

N2: $\vec{F} = m\vec{a}$

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Acceleration m/s^2

Force N

Mass kg

$$1 \text{ N} = (1 \text{ kg}) (1 \text{ m/s}^2)$$

Types of forces that you learned about in Analytical Physics I

Contact forces:

“applied” force = push

normal force (at a surface)

String tension: pull

Static and kinetic friction, drag force

Force at a distance:

gravity

A new force

Bill Nye will demonstrate for us:

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=oU8Fe6846d4>

A new force

Gravity

Acts at a distance

Attractive

very small

Proportional to mass

new force

Acts at a distance

Attractive AND repulsive

easy to make large

proportional to “electric charge”

Electricity and magnetism

Focus on “fields” as fundamental entities

Electric field $\mathbf{E}(\mathbf{r})$

Magnetic field $\mathbf{B}(\mathbf{r})$

First example of a “classical field theory”

First example of a “unified field theory”

Electromagnetism

$$\begin{aligned}\nabla \cdot \mathbf{E} &= \frac{\rho}{\epsilon_0} & \nabla \cdot \mathbf{B} &= 0 \\ \nabla \times \mathbf{E} &= -\frac{\partial \mathbf{B}}{\partial t} & \nabla \times \mathbf{B} &= \mu_0 \mathbf{j} + \frac{1}{c^2} \frac{\partial \mathbf{E}}{\partial t}.\end{aligned}$$

Maxwell's equations: fields, charge, current

$$\mathbf{F} = q(\mathbf{E} + \mathbf{v} \times \mathbf{B}).$$

Electromagnetism

$$\oint \vec{E} \cdot d\vec{A} = q_{\text{enc}}/\epsilon_0 \quad \oint \vec{E} \cdot d\vec{s} = -\frac{d\Phi_B}{dt}$$

$$\oint \vec{B} \cdot d\vec{A} = 0 \quad \oint \vec{B} \cdot d\vec{s} = \mu_0\epsilon_0 \frac{d\Phi_E}{dt} + \mu_0 i_{\text{enc}}$$

Maxwell's equations: fields, charge, current

$$\mathbf{F} = q(\mathbf{E} + \mathbf{v} \times \mathbf{B}).$$

Electrostatics: HRW Chapters 21-25

$$\oint \vec{E} \cdot d\vec{A} = q_{\text{enc}}/\epsilon_0 \quad \oint \vec{E} \cdot d\vec{s} = 0$$

Maxwell's equations: electric field & charge

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

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new force

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Attractive AND repulsive

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Charge, like mass, is a scalar property of objects/particles.

Mass is positive

Charge can be positive or negative

Masses attract

Like charges repel

opposite charges attract

Force laws for two point particles

Law of gravity (HRW 13-2)

Force on particle 2 due to particle 1 is directly towards particle 1

Magnitude depends on inverse square of separation

Unit of mass is kilograms (kg)

$G = 6.67408 \times 10^{-11} \text{ N m}^2/\text{kg}^2$

$$F = G \frac{m_1 m_2}{r^2}$$

Law of electric force (Coulomb's law) (HRW 21-4)

Force on particle 2 due to particle 1 is along line connecting them

Magnitude depends on inverse square of separation

Towards particle 1 if $q_1 q_2 < 0$, away if $q_1 q_2 > 0$

$$F = \frac{k q_1 q_2}{r^2}$$

Unit of charge is Coulombs (C)

$k = 8.99 \times 10^9 \text{ N m}^2/\text{C}^2$

Force on particle 1 due to particle 2 satisfies Newton's 3rd law

Compute the gravitational and electric forces for two protons

$$F = G \frac{m_1 m_2}{r^2}$$

$$F = \frac{k q_1 q_2}{r^2}$$

For $r = 1 \text{ nm}$

Ratio: $G m^2 / (k e^2)$

Compute the gravitational and electric forces for two protons
(attn to units and sig figs)

$$\frac{kq^2}{r^2} = 8.99 \times 10^9 \frac{Nm^2}{C^2} (1.60 \times 10^{-19} C)^2 / (1.00 \times 10^{-9} m)^2$$

$$\frac{Gm^2}{r^2} = 6.67 \times 10^{-11} \frac{Nm^2}{kg^2} (1.67 \times 10^{-27} kg)^2 / (1.00 \times 10^{-9} m)^2$$

$2.30 \times 10^{-10} N$ vs $1.86 \times 10^{-46} N$

Ratio is independent of r: 8.08×10^{-37}

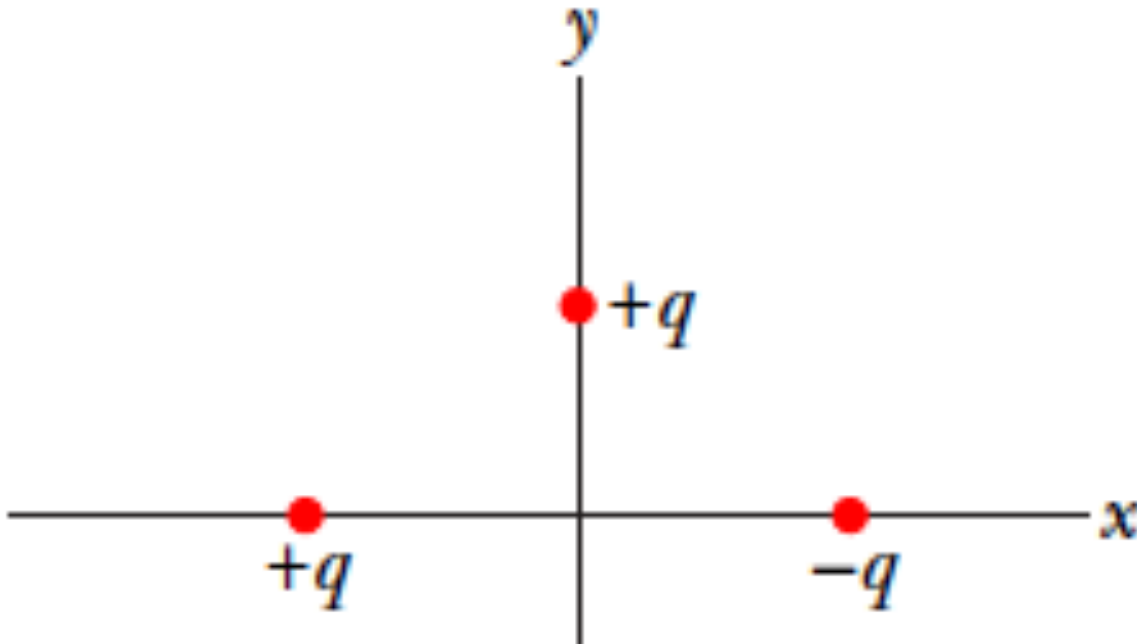
Force law for more than two point particles

SUPERPOSITION: forces on particle add like vectors (HRW 21-4)
(also true for gravitational force: HRW 13-3)

$$\vec{F}_1 = \vec{F}_{12} + \vec{F}_{13}$$

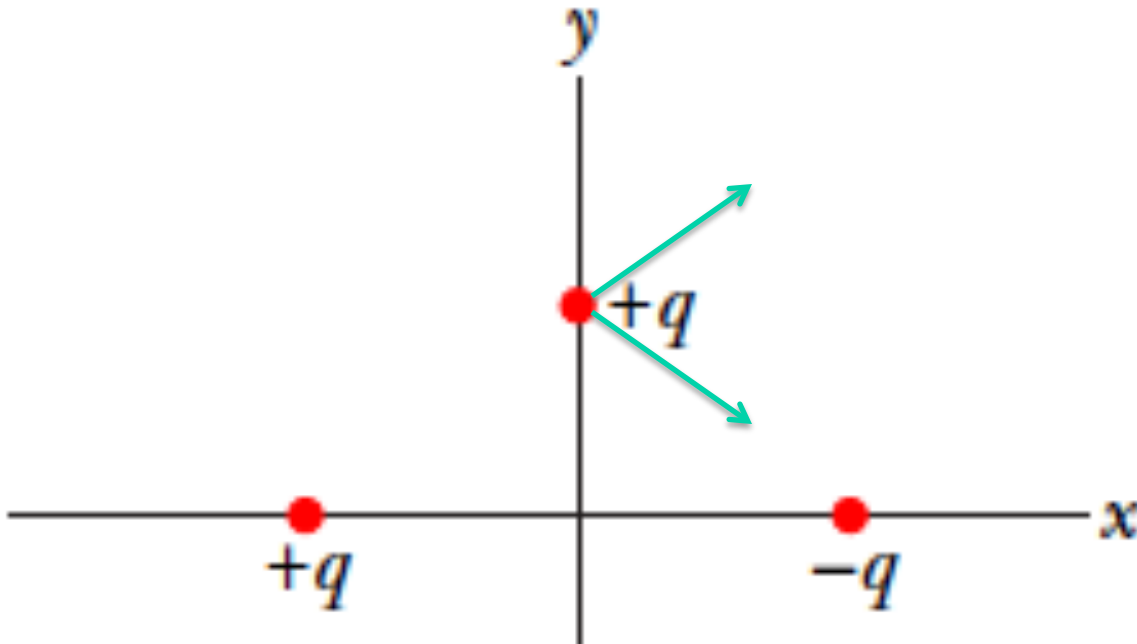
Example:

What is the direction of the net electric force on the middle particle, if the particles on the x axis are equidistant from the origin?



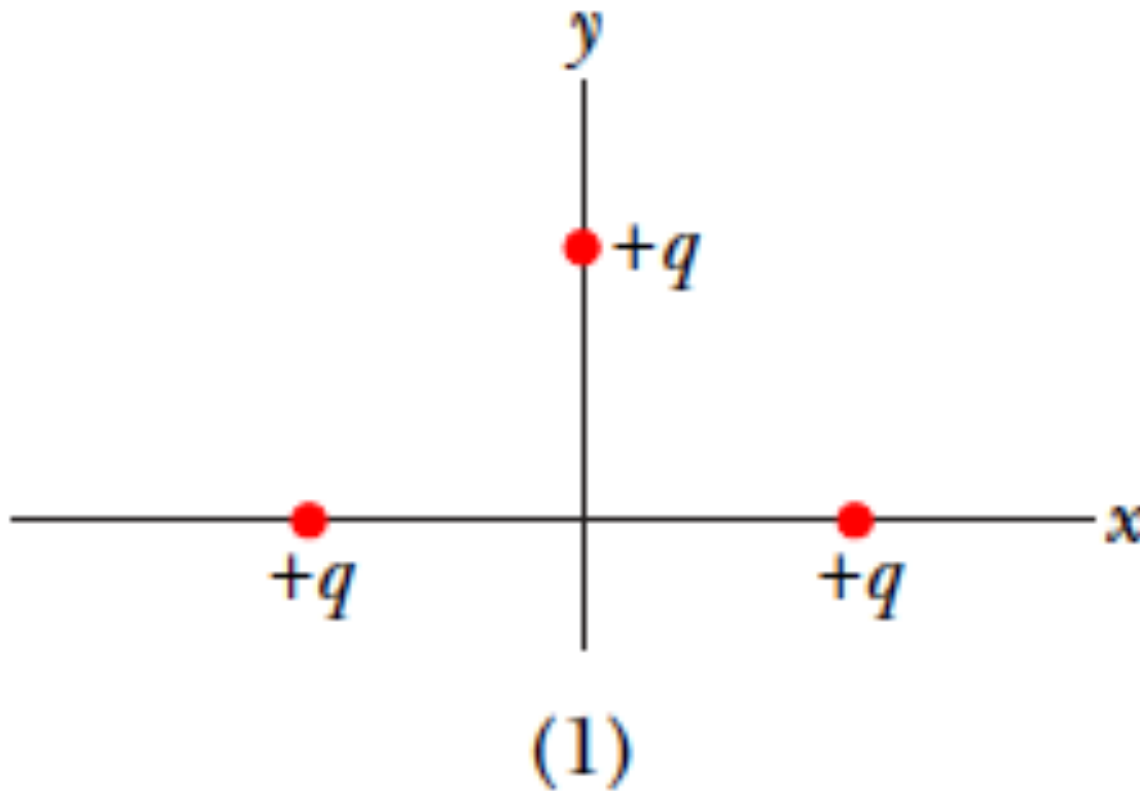
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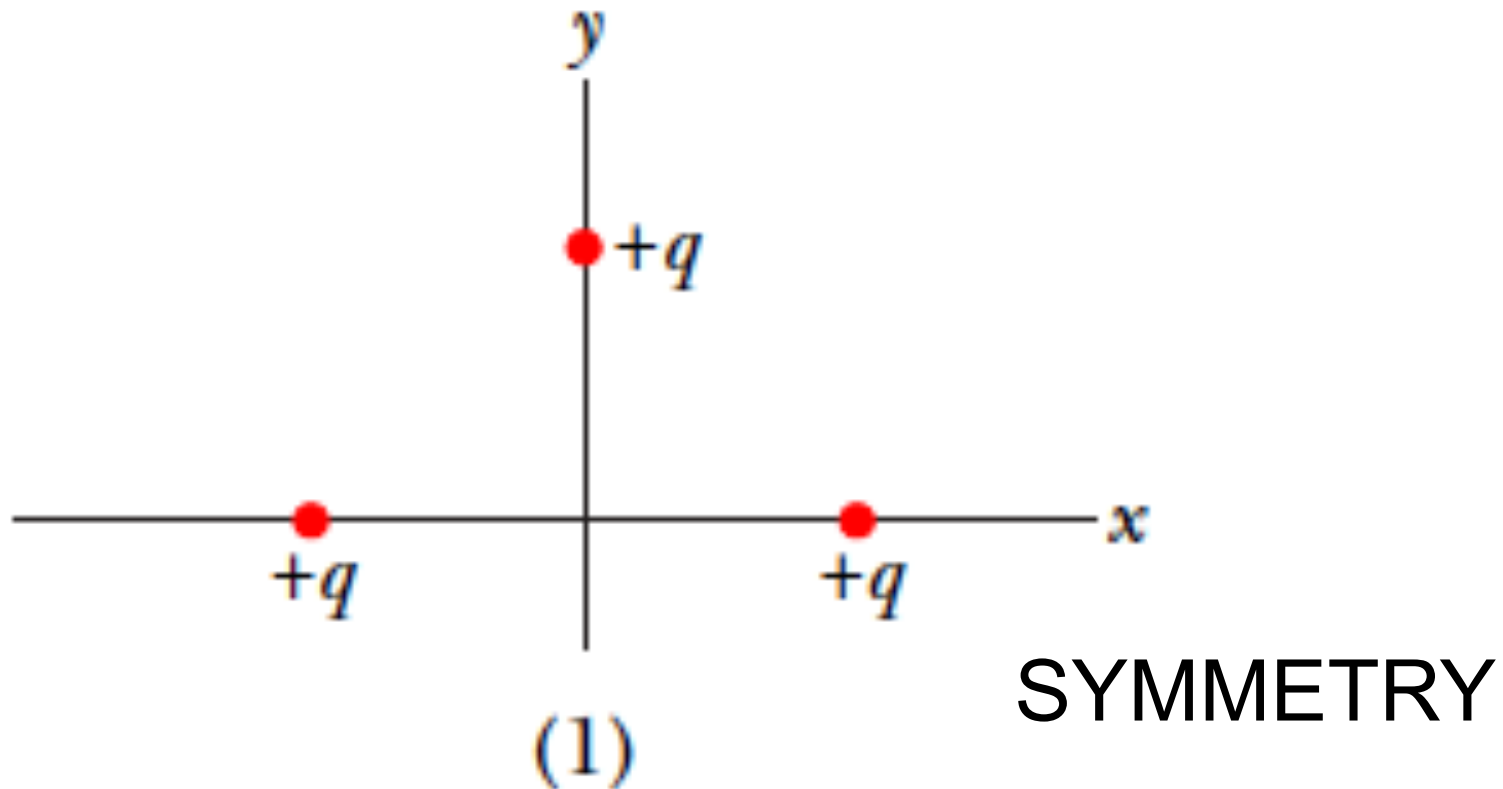
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Four particles with identical charges q are arranged as shown below. In which of the three arrangements is the magnitude of the net electric force on the central charge LARGEST?



(a)



(b)



(c)