

PROBLEM SET 3

! CONSIDER A DIODE OF VOLTAGE V_0 AND gap length d .

Let a current density J be composed of two species

such that $J_1 = \alpha J$ and $J_2 = (1 - \alpha) J$ (so that $J = J_1 + J_2$).

Let the mass of ions in species 1 be m_1 and those

of species 2 be m_2 . What is the effective mass

m_{eff} that should be used in the resulting Child Langmuir

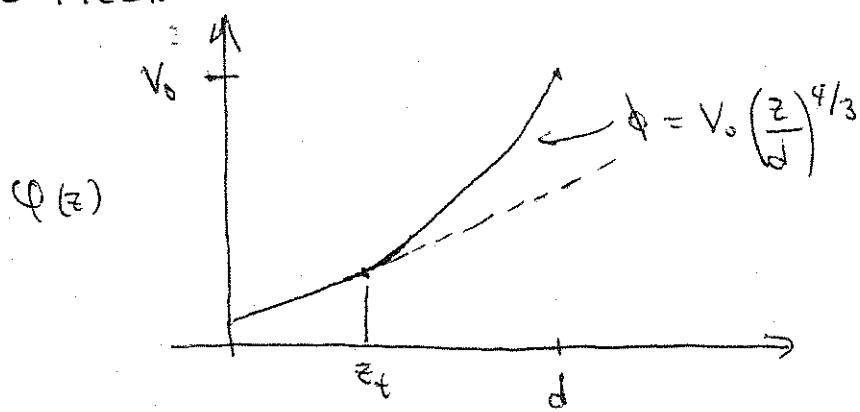
$$\text{Law: } J = \frac{4}{9} \epsilon_0 \left(\frac{zq}{m_{\text{eff}}} \right)^{1/2} \frac{V_0^{3/2}}{d^2}$$

(Both ion species have charge q).

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PROBLEM? CONSIDER THE FOLLOWING DIODE OF VOLTAGE V_0
AND LENGTH d .

Suppose at some time $t_p > t = \frac{3d}{(2qV_0)^{1/2}}$ THE
CURRENT IS ABSURDLY TURNED OFF. WHAT VOLTAGE WAVEFORM
IS REQUIRED TO ENSURE THAT THE ELECTRIC FIELD AT THE
TAIL OF THE TUBE IS IDENTICAL TO THE CHILD-LANGMUIR
ELECTRIC FIELD?



TED Problem 1

- 1/ Consider a \perp unbunched ion beam described by

$f_1(\vec{x}_1, \vec{x}_1', s) \sim$ single particle distribution
satisfying Vlasov's equation.

$$H_L = \frac{1}{2} \vec{x}_1'^2 + \frac{k_x(s)x^2}{2} + \frac{k_y(s)y^2}{2} + \frac{q^2}{m\delta b^2 c^2} \phi$$

$$\nabla_L^2 \phi = -\frac{q}{\epsilon_0} \int d\vec{x}' f(\vec{x}_1, \vec{x}_1', s)$$

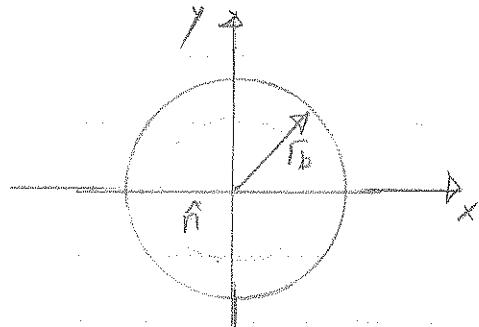
$$\phi(r=r_p) = 0$$

Grounded pipe boundary condition,
 r_p = pipe radius.

- a) What are the first-order particle equations of motion for $\frac{d}{ds}\vec{x}_1$ and $\frac{d}{ds}\vec{x}_1'$ derived from H_L ?
- b) Using the results of part a), what is the 2nd-order particle equation of motion for $\frac{d^2}{ds^2}\vec{x}_1$?
- c) Use the particle equations of motion to calculate $\frac{d}{ds}$ of the single-particle Hamiltonian H_L and the "angular momentum"
 $P_\theta = xy' - yx'$.
 I.e., $\frac{d}{ds} H_L = ?$, $\frac{d}{ds} P_\theta = ?$
- d) Use the expressions of part c) to show that for $k_x = \text{const}$, $k_y = \text{const}$, and $f_1 = f_1(H_L)$ that $H_L = \text{const}$. Here $f(H_L)$ can be any function of H_L with $f(H_L) \geq 0$.
- e) Use the expressions of part c) to show that for axisymmetric beams ($\frac{\partial}{\partial \theta} = 0$) with $k_x = k_y = k(s)$ and $f_1 = f_1(H_L)$ that $P_\theta = \text{const}$.

TED Problem 2

2) Consider a uniform density beam in free-space with circular cross-section, edge radius r_b , and uniform in z ($\partial/\partial z = 0$).



r_b = beam edge radius.

$$r = \sqrt{x^2 + y^2}$$

$R = \text{const.}$

$$\lambda = q \hat{n} \pi r_b^2 = \text{lne-charge}$$

a) Directly construct the solution to Poisson's equation

$$\left(\frac{\partial^2}{\partial x^2} + \frac{\partial^2}{\partial y^2} \right) \phi = \frac{1}{\epsilon_0} \frac{\partial}{\partial r} \left(r \frac{\partial \phi}{\partial r} \right) = \begin{cases} \frac{\lambda}{\epsilon_0}, & r < r_b \\ 0, & r > r_b. \end{cases}$$

satisfying

$$\frac{\partial \phi}{\partial \theta} = 0 \quad \text{and} \quad \lim_{r \rightarrow \infty} \frac{\partial \phi}{\partial r} = \frac{\lambda}{2\pi\epsilon_0 r}$$

b) Take derivatives of the interior solution ($r < r_b$) in part a) to obtain formulas for

$$E_x = -\frac{\partial \phi}{\partial x}$$

$$E_y = -\frac{\partial \phi}{\partial y}$$

c) Show that the ellipsoidal beam formulas

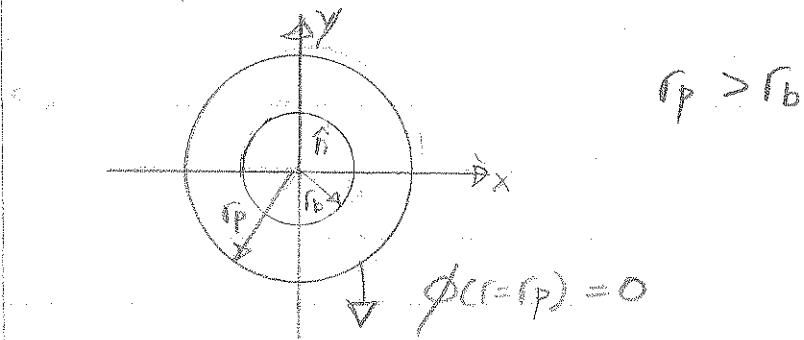
$$E_x = -\frac{\partial \phi}{\partial x} = \frac{\lambda}{\pi\epsilon_0} \frac{x/k_x}{k_x^2 + k_y^2}$$

$$E_y = -\frac{\partial \phi}{\partial y} = \frac{\lambda}{\pi\epsilon_0} \frac{y/k_y}{k_x^2 + k_y^2}$$

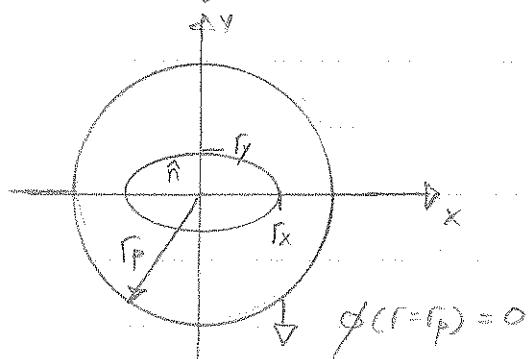
reduce to the results in part c) for a round beam with $k_x = k_y = k$.

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- d) Would a grounded, conducting pipe of radius $r = r_p > r_b$ change the answers in part b)?



- e) Would a grounded conducting pipe of radius $r = r_p > r_x, r_y$ change the fields calculated in class for the elliptical beam case with $r_x \neq r_y$? (no need to calculate any changes, just explain answer)



TED Problem 3.

3/ For a KV distribution:

$$n(x,y) = \int dx' dy' f_1 = \begin{cases} \hat{n} & ; \frac{x^2}{\Gamma_x^2} + \frac{y^2}{\Gamma_y^2} < 1 \\ 0 & ; \frac{x^2}{\Gamma_x^2} + \frac{y^2}{\Gamma_y^2} \geq 1 \end{cases}$$

Use this result to verify the formulas

$$\Gamma_x = 2 \langle x^2 \rangle_1^{1/2}$$

$$\Gamma_y = 2 \langle y^2 \rangle_1^{1/2}$$

Hint: Integrals may be more easily carried out if the elliptical integration domain is transformed to a circular domain.

$$\frac{x^2}{\Gamma_x^2} + \frac{y^2}{\Gamma_y^2} = 1 \quad \text{Elliptical beam edge}$$

$$x = \Gamma_x p \cos \Psi$$

$$y = \Gamma_y p \sin \Psi$$

$$\rightarrow p^2 \cos^2 \Psi + p^2 \sin^2 \Psi = 1$$

$\int p^2 = 1$
beam edge.

can

carry out integration in
 $p-\Psi$ variables to simplify.