

PHYS 1441 – Section 002

Lecture #19

Monday, Nov. 16, 2020

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- CH27

- Cyclotron Frequency
- Torque on a Current Loop
- Magnetic Dipole Moment

- CH28

- Source of Magnetic Field
- Magnetic Field Due to a Straight Wire
- Ampere's Law

Today's homework is homework #10, due 11pm, Tuesday, Dec. 1!!

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Announcements

- Reading assignments: CH28.6 – 10
- The final exam date and time
 - 11am – 12:20pm, 80min, Wed. Dec. 16
 - No class Monday, Dec. 14
- Term 2 results
 - Class average: 62.2/104 equivalent to 58.5/100
 - Previous quizzes: 65.7/100 and 58.6/100
 - Top score: 104/104



Example 27 – 7

Electron's path in a uniform magnetic field. An electron travels at the speed of $2.0 \times 10^7 \text{ m/s}$ in a plane perpendicular to a 0.010-T magnetic field. What is the radius of the electron's path?

What is formula for the centripetal force? $F = ma = m \frac{v^2}{r}$

Since the magnetic field is perpendicular to the motion of the electron, the magnitude of the magnetic force is $F = evB$

Since the magnetic force provides the centripetal force, we can establish an equation with the two forces $F = evB = m \frac{v^2}{r}$

 $r = \frac{mv}{eB} = \frac{(9.1 \times 10^{-31} \text{ kg}) \cdot (2.0 \times 10^7 \text{ m/s})}{(1.6 \times 10^{-19} \text{ C}) \cdot (0.010 \text{ T})} = 1.1 \times 10^{-2} \text{ m}$

Cyclotron Frequency

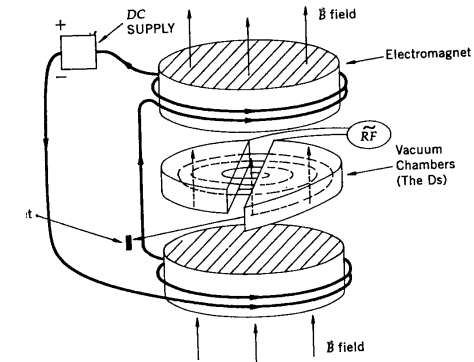
- The time required for a particle of charge q moving w/ a constant speed v to make one circular revolution in a uniform magnetic field, $\vec{B} \perp \vec{v}$, is

$$T = \frac{2\pi r}{v} = \frac{2\pi}{v} \frac{mv}{qB} = \frac{2\pi m}{qB}$$

- Since T is the period of rotation, the frequency of the rotation is

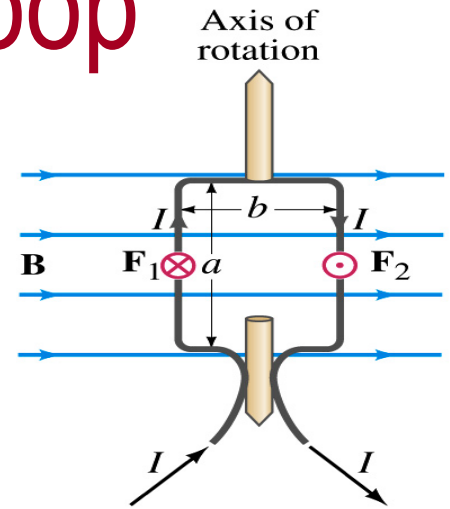
$$f = \frac{1}{T} = \frac{qB}{2\pi m}$$

- This is the cyclotron frequency, the frequency of a particle with charge q in a cyclotron accelerator
 - While r depends on v , the frequency is independent of v and r .



Torque on a Current Loop

- What do you think will happen to a closed rectangular loop of wire with an electric current as shown in the figure?
 - It will rotate! Why?
 - The magnetic field exerts force on both vertical sections of wire.
 - Where is this principle used in?
 - Ammeters, motors, volt-meters, speedometers, etc
- The two forces on the different sections of the wire exerts net torque in the same direction about the rotational axis along the symmetry axis of the wire.
- What happens when the wire? (Poll 20)
 - It will not turn beyond 90 degrees without changing current direction



Torque on a Current Loop

- So what would be the magnitude of this torque?

- What is the magnitude of the force on the section of the wire with length a ?

- $F_a = IaB$
- The moment arm of the coil is $b/2$

- So the total torque is the sum of the torques by each of the forces

$$\tau = IaB \frac{b}{2} + IaB \frac{b}{2} = IabB = IAB$$

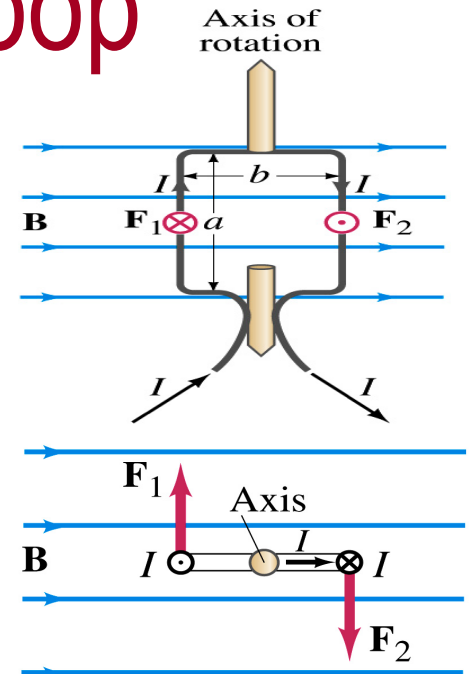
- Where $A = ab$ is the area of the coil loop

- What is the total net torque if the coil consists of N loops of wire?

$$\tau = NIAB$$

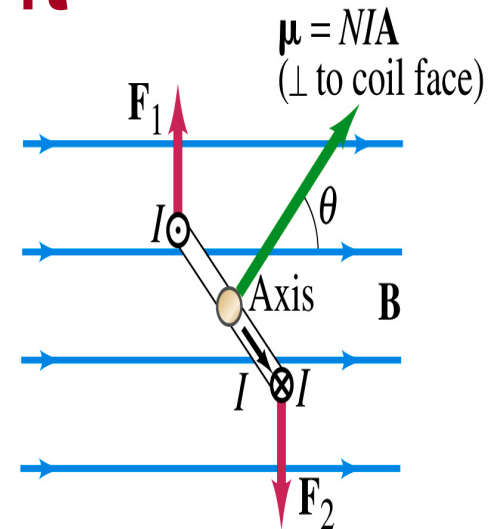
- If the coil makes an angle θ w/ the field

$$\tau = NIAB \sin \theta$$



Magnetic Dipole Moment

- The formula derived in the previous page for a rectangular coil is valid for any shape of the coil
- The quantity $NI\mathcal{A}$ is called the **magnetic dipole moment of the coil** (Poll 2)



- It is a vector quantity $\vec{\mu} = NI \vec{A}$
- Its direction is the same as that of the area vector $\mathbf{A}$ and is perpendicular to the plane of the coil consistent with the right-hand rule
 - When your fingers cup around the loop in the same direction as the current, your thumb points to the direction of the magnetic moment
- The tendency of an object to interact with an external magnetic field
- Using the definition of magnetic moment, the torque can be rewritten in vector form

$$\vec{\tau} = NI \vec{A} \times \vec{B} = \vec{\mu} \times \vec{B}$$

Magnetic Dipole Potential Energy

- Where else did you see the same form of the torque?
 - Remember the torque due to electric field on an electric dipole? $\vec{\tau} = \vec{p} \times \vec{E}$
 - The potential energy of the electric dipole is
 - $U = -\vec{p} \cdot \vec{E}$
- How about the potential energy of a magnetic dipole?
 - The work done by the torque is
 - $U = \int \tau d\theta = \int NIAB \sin \theta d\theta = -\mu B \cos \theta + C$
 - If we chose $U=0$ at $\theta=\pi/2$, then $C=0$
 - Thus the potential energy is $U = -\mu B \cos \theta = -\vec{\mu} \cdot \vec{B}$
 - Very similar to the electric dipole

Example 27 – 12

Magnetic moment of a hydrogen atom. Determine the magnetic dipole moment of the electron orbiting the proton of a hydrogen atom, assuming (in the Bohr model) it is in its ground state with a circular orbit of radius $0.529 \times 10^{-10} \text{ m}$.

What provides the centripetal force? **The Coulomb force**

So we can obtain the speed of the electron from $F = \frac{e^2}{4\pi\epsilon_0 r^2} = \frac{m_e v^2}{r}$

 $v = \sqrt{\frac{e^2}{4\pi\epsilon_0 m_e r}} = \sqrt{\frac{(8.99 \times 10^9 \text{ N} \cdot \text{m}^2 / \text{C}^2) \cdot (1.6 \times 10^{-19} \text{ C})^2}{(9.1 \times 10^{-31} \text{ kg}) \cdot (0.529 \times 10^{-10} \text{ m})}} = 2.19 \times 10^6 \text{ m/s}$

Since the electric current is the charge that passes through the given point per unit time, we can obtain the current

$$I = \frac{e}{T} = \frac{ev}{2\pi r}$$

Since the area of the orbit is $A = \pi r^2$, we obtain the hydrogen magnetic moment

$$\mu = IA = \frac{ev}{2\pi r} \pi r^2 = \frac{evr}{2} = \frac{er}{2} \sqrt{\frac{e^2}{4\pi\epsilon_0 m_e r}} = \frac{e^2}{4} \sqrt{\frac{r}{\pi\epsilon_0 m_e}}$$

Sources of Magnetic Field

- We have learned so far about the effects of magnetic field on the electric current and the moving charge
- We will now learn about the dynamics of magnetism
 - How do we determine magnetic field strengths in certain situations?
 - How do two wires with electric current interact?
 - What is the general approach to finding the connection between current and magnetic field?



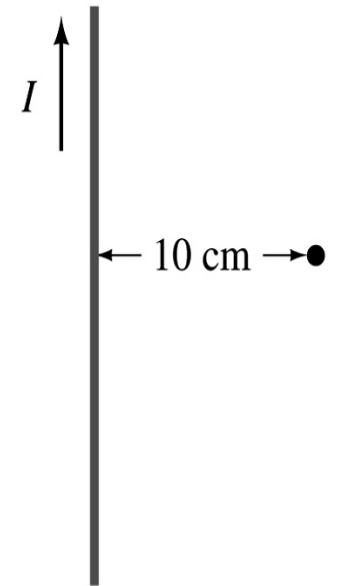
Magnetic Field due to a Straight Wire

- The magnetic field due to the current flowing through a straight wire forms a circular pattern around the wire
 - What do you imagine the strength of the field is as a function of the distance from the wire?
 - It must be weaker as the distance increases
 - How about as a function of current?
 - Directly proportional to the current
 - Indeed, the above are experimentally verified $B \propto \frac{I}{r}$
 - This is valid as long as $r \ll$ the length of the wire
 - The proportionality constant is $\mu_0/2\pi$, thus the field strength becomes

$$B = \frac{\mu_0 I}{2\pi r}$$
 - μ_0 is the permeability of free space $\mu_0 = 4\pi \times 10^{-7} \text{ T} \cdot \text{m/A}$

Example 28 – 1

Calculation of B near a wire. A vertical electric wire in the wall of a building carries a DC current of 25A upward. What is the magnetic field at a point 10cm due East of this wire?



Using the formula for the magnetic field near a straight wire

$$B = \frac{\mu_0 I}{2\pi r}$$

So we can obtain the magnetic field at 10cm away as

$$B = \frac{\mu_0 I}{2\pi r} = \frac{(4\pi \times 10^{-7} \text{ T} \cdot \text{m/A}) \cdot (25 \text{ A})}{(2\pi) \cdot (0.01 \text{ m})} = 5.0 \times 10^{-5} \text{ T}$$