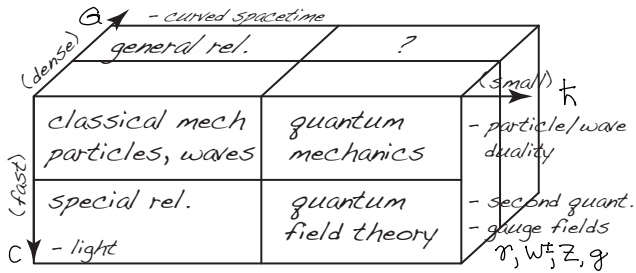


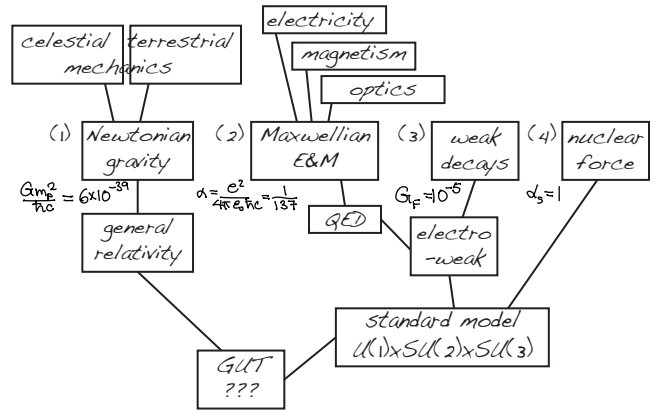
# Survey of Electromagnetism

## \* Realms of Mechanics



- ~ E&M was second step in unification
- ~ the stimulus for special relativity
- ~ the foundation of QED → standard model

## \* Unification of Forces



## \* Electric charge (duFay, Franklin)

- ~ +, - equal & opposite (QCD:  $r+g+b=0$ )
- ~  $e = 1.6 \times 10^{-19}$  C, quantized ( $g_n < 2 \times 10^{-21}$  e)
- ~ locally conserved (continuity)

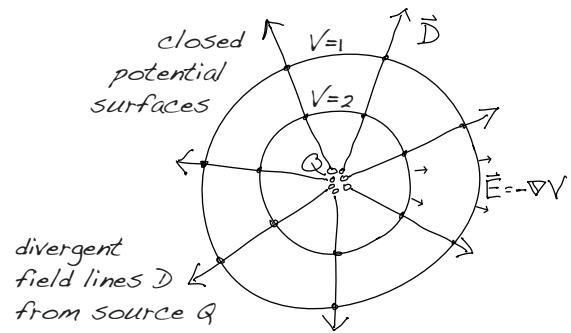
## \* Electric potential

$\vec{F} = q\vec{E}$ force field	$\vec{F} = m\vec{g}$ grav. field
$U = q\int \vec{E} \cdot d\vec{l}$ energy potential	$U = mgh$ "danger"

## \* Electric Force (Coulomb, Cavendish)

## \* Electric Field (Faraday)

- ~ action at a distance vs. locality
- field "mediates" or carries force
- extends to quantum field theories
- ~ field is everywhere always  $\vec{E}(\vec{x}, t)$
- differentiable, integrable
- field lines, equipotentials
- ~ powerful techniques for solving complex problems



## \* Field lines / Flux

- ~ E is tangent to the field lines
- Flux = # of field lines
- ~ density of the lines = field strength
- D is called "electric flux density"
- ~ note:  $\frac{A}{r^2} = \Omega$  independent of distance

## \* Equipotential surfaces / Flow

- ~ no work done to field lines
- Equipotentials = surfaces of const energy
- ~ work is done along field line
- Flow = # of potential surfaces crossed

$$\Phi_D \equiv \int \vec{D} \cdot d\vec{a}$$

electric flux flows from (+) → (-)  
all flux lines begin at + and end at - charge

$$\vec{D} = \epsilon \vec{E} = \Phi_D / A$$

$$\mathcal{E}_E \equiv \int \vec{E} \cdot d\vec{l}$$

$$V = -\mathcal{E}_E$$

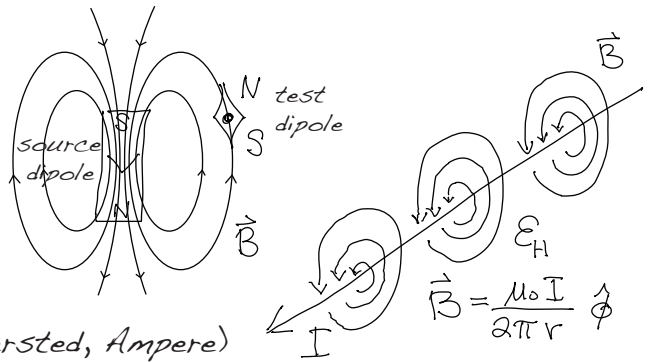
- ~ potential if flow is independent of path
- ~ circulation or EMF in a closed loop

$$\vec{E} = -\nabla V$$

**\* Magnetic field**

- ~ no magnetic charge (monopole)
- ~ field lines must form loops
- ~ permanent magnetic dipoles first discovered

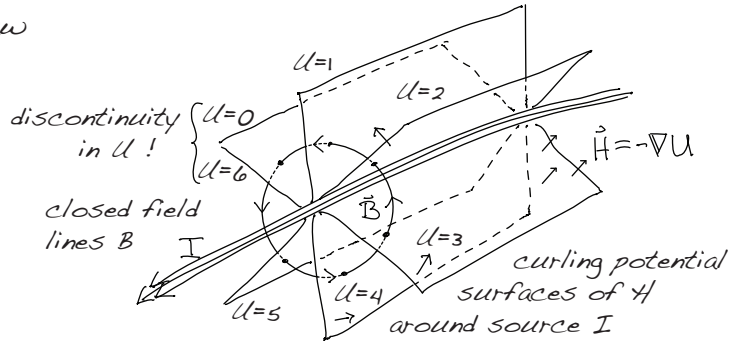
torque:  $\vec{\tau} = \vec{\mu} \times \vec{B}$   
 energy:  $U = -\vec{\mu} \cdot \vec{B}$   
 force:  $\vec{F} = \nabla(\vec{\mu} \cdot \vec{B})$



- ~ electric current shown to generate fields (Oersted, Ampere)
- ~ magnetic dipoles are current loops
- ~ Biot-Savart law - analog of Coulomb law

$$\vec{F} = \int I d\vec{l} \times \underbrace{\frac{\mu_0}{4\pi} \int \frac{I d\vec{l}' \times \hat{r}}{r^2}}_{\vec{B}}$$

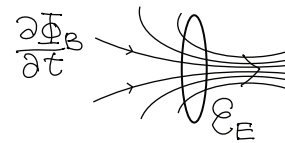
- ~ B = flux density  $\vec{B} = \mu \vec{H} = \Phi_B / A$
- ~ H = field intensity



**\* Faraday law**

- ~ opposite of Orsted's discovery: changing magnetic flux induces potential (EMF)
- ~ electric generators, transformers

$$\mathcal{E}_E = -\frac{\partial \Phi_B}{\partial t}$$



**\* Maxwell equations**

- ~ added displacement current - D lines have +/- charge at each end
- ~ changing displacement current equivalent to moving charge
- ~ derived conservation of charge and restored symmetry in equations
- ~ predicted electromagnetic radiation at the speed of light  $c = \frac{1}{\sqrt{\epsilon_0 \mu_0}}$

$$I_d = \frac{\partial \Phi_D}{\partial t}$$

**Maxwell equations**

$$\nabla \cdot \vec{D} = \rho \quad \nabla \times \vec{E} + \partial_t \vec{B} = \vec{0}$$

$$\nabla \cdot \vec{B} = 0 \quad \nabla \times \vec{H} - \partial_t \vec{D} = \vec{J}$$

**Constitutive equations**

$$\vec{D} = \epsilon \vec{E} \quad \vec{B} = \mu \vec{H} \quad \vec{J} = \sigma \vec{E}$$

**Lorentz force**

$$\vec{F} = q(\vec{E} + \vec{v} \times \vec{B}) = \int (\rho \vec{E} + \vec{J} \times \vec{B})$$

**Continuity**

$$\nabla \cdot \vec{J} + \partial_t \rho = 0$$

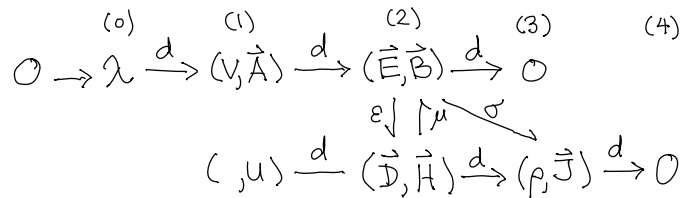
**Potentials**

$$\vec{E} = -\nabla V - \partial_t \vec{A} \quad \vec{B} = \nabla \times \vec{A}$$

**Gauge transformation**

$$V \rightarrow V - \partial_t \lambda \quad \vec{A} \rightarrow \vec{A} + \nabla \lambda$$

$\Phi_D = Q_{encl}$	$\Phi_B = 0$
$\mathcal{E}_E = -\frac{\partial \Phi_B}{\partial t}$	$\mathcal{E}_H = I_{encl} + \frac{\partial \Phi_D}{\partial t}$



**Wave equation**  $-\square^2 (V, \vec{A}) = (\rho, \mu \vec{J})$