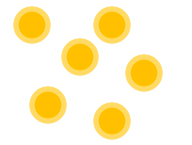


Mon.	2.5 Conductors		
Wed.	3.1-.2 Laplace & Images	<i>Poster Session: Hedco 7pm~9pm</i>	
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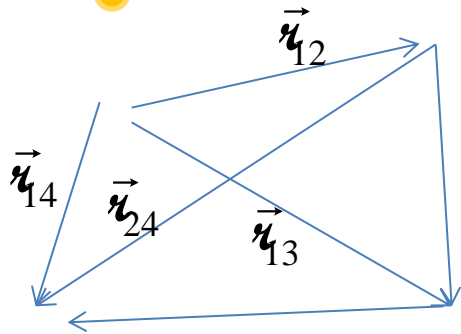
Work to construct charge distribution

Source charges

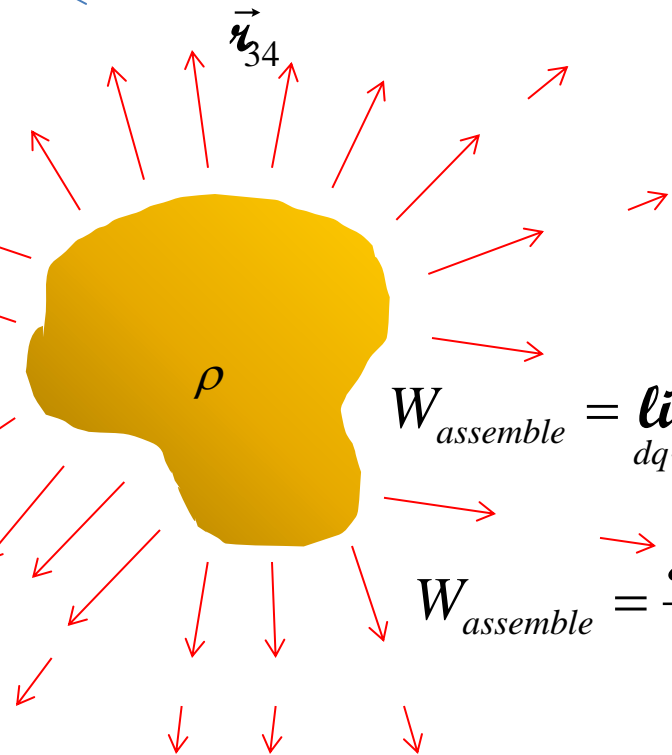
sensing charge, Q



$$W(a \rightarrow b) = \int_a^b \vec{F}_{you} \cdot d\vec{l} = Q \left(- \int_a^b \vec{E} \cdot d\vec{l} \right) = Q\Delta V$$



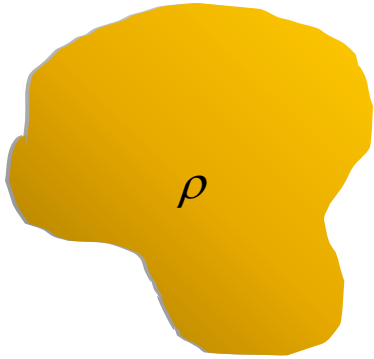
$$W = \sum_{i=2}^n \sum_{j=1}^{i-1} \frac{1}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \frac{q_i q_j}{|\mathbf{r}_{ij}|} = \frac{1}{2} \left[\frac{1}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \sum_{i=1}^n \sum_{i \neq j} \frac{q_i q_j}{r_{ij}} \right] = \dots = \frac{1}{2} \sum_{i=1}^n q_i V(P_i)$$



$$W_{assemble} = \lim_{dq \rightarrow 0} \frac{1}{2} \sum_{i=1}^n dq_i V(P_i) = \lim_{d\tau \rightarrow 0} \frac{1}{2} \sum_{i=1}^n (\rho d\tau) V(P_i) = \frac{1}{2} \int \rho V d\tau$$

$$W_{assemble} = \frac{\epsilon_0}{2} \int_{\text{all space}} E^2 d\tau$$

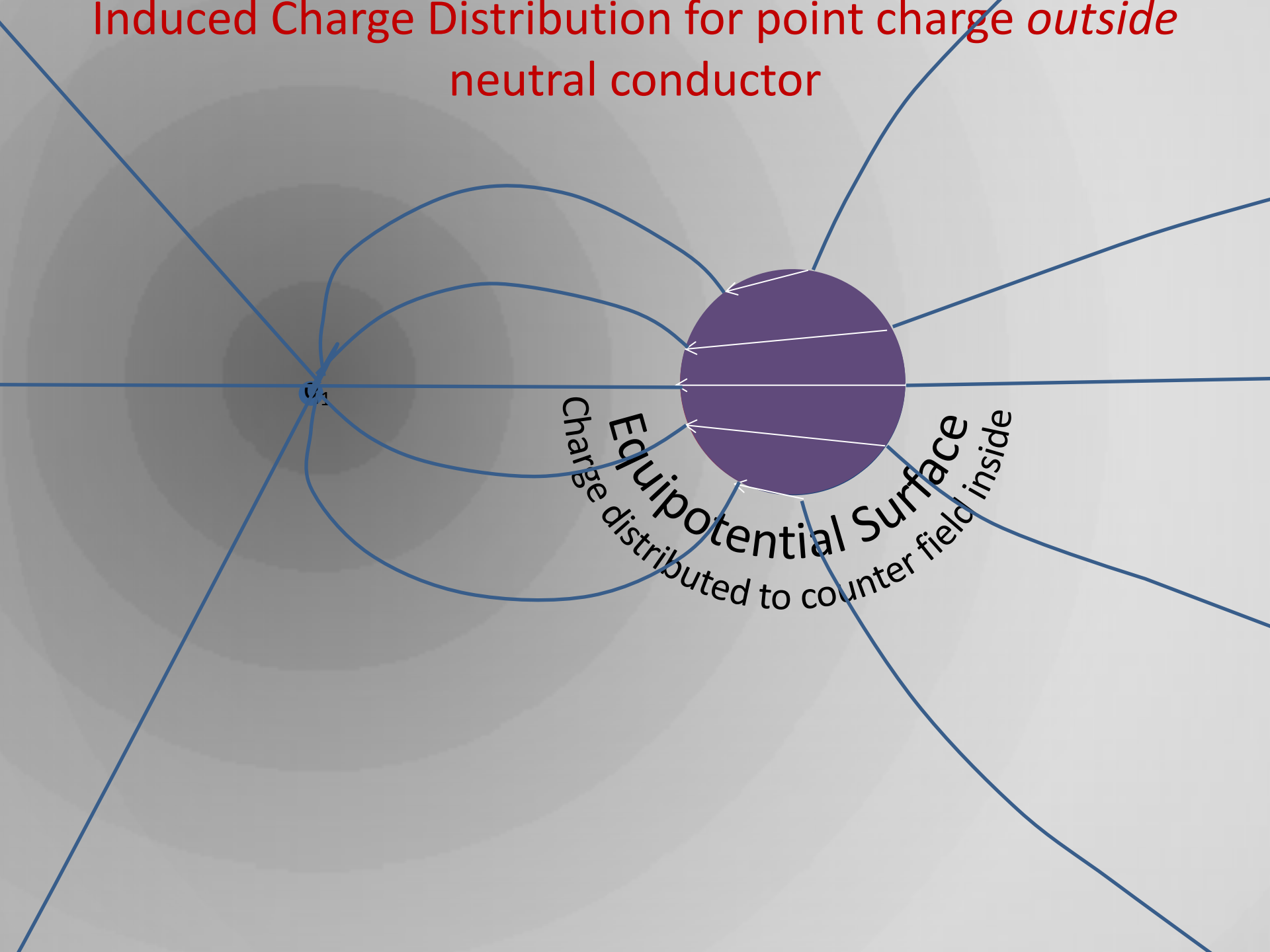
'building' a Conductor



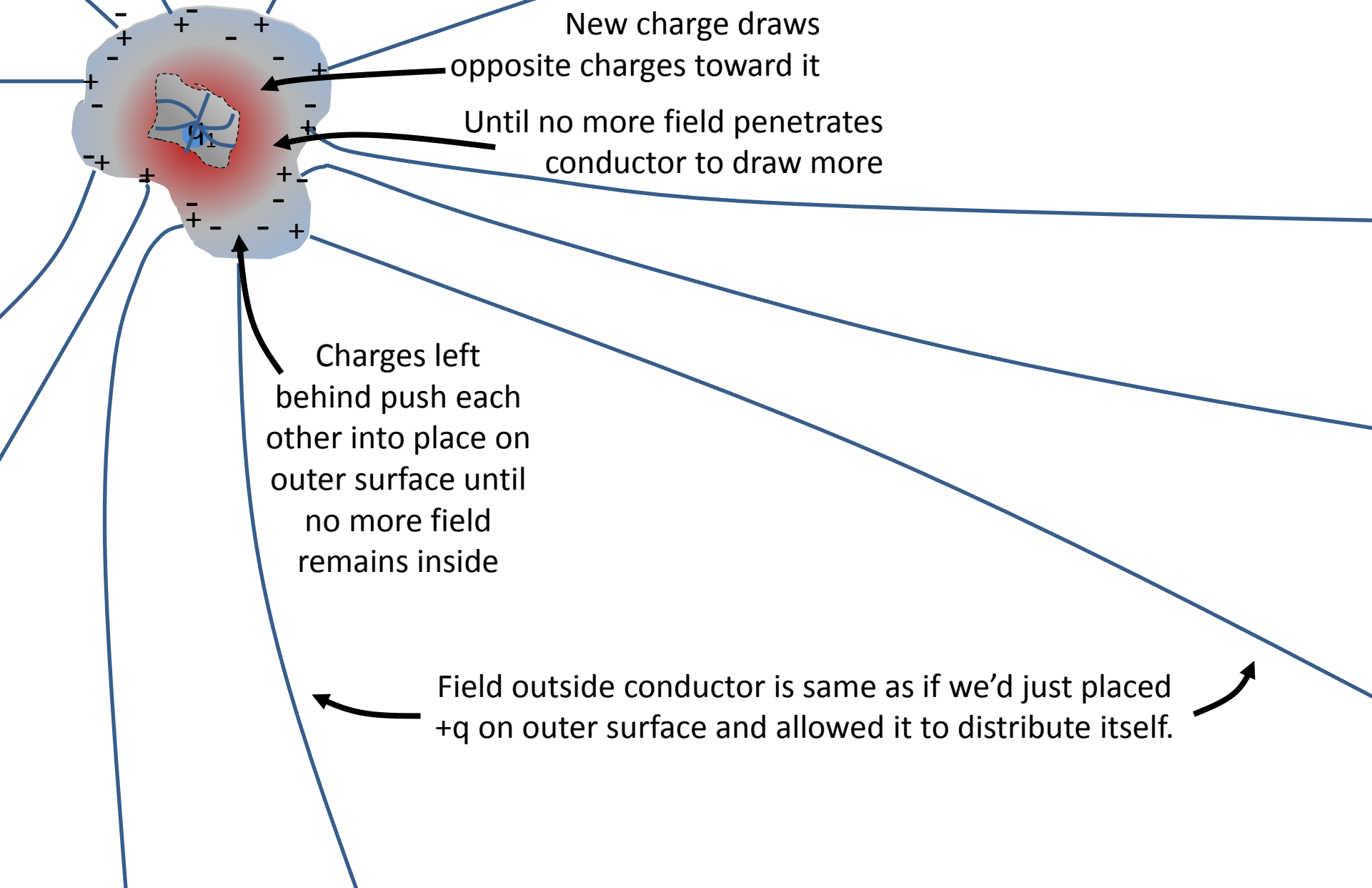
Properties of a Conductor

- (i) $E = 0$ inside a conductor (eventually)
- (ii) $\rho = 0$ inside a conductor
- (iii) Any net charge resides on the surface(s) of a conductor
- (iv) V is constant throughout a conductor
- (v) \vec{E} is perpendicular to the surface, just outside a conductor

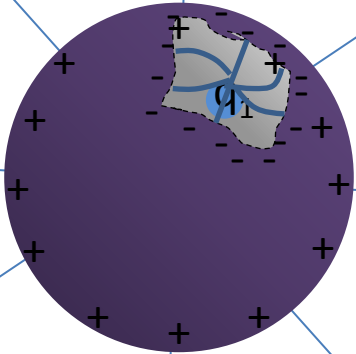
Induced Charge Distribution for point charge *outside* neutral conductor



Induced Charge Distribution for point charge *inside* neutral conductor



Induced Charge Distribution for point charge *inside* neutral conductor



Strength of external field dictated by added charge

Geometry of external field dictated by geometry of conductor surface
not location of added charge

Exercise:



(problem 2.39) Two spherical cavities, of radii a and b , are hollowed out from the interior of a (neutral) conducting sphere of radius R . At the center of each cavity a point charge is placed – call these charges q_a and q_b .

- (a) Find the surface charge densities σ_a , σ_b , and σ_R .
- (b) What is the field outside the conductor?
- (c) What is the field within each cavity?
- (d) What is the force on q_a , that on q_b ?

Force on patch of Surface Charge

$$d\vec{F}_{\rightarrow dq} = (dq)\vec{E}_{\text{other}@patch}$$

$$\vec{E}_{\text{other}@patch} = \vec{E}_{\text{total}@patch} - \vec{E}_{\text{patch}@patch}$$

$$0_{\text{inside}} \quad \frac{\sigma}{2\epsilon_0} \hat{n}_{\text{in}}$$

$$\vec{E}_{\text{other}@patch} = -\frac{\sigma}{2\epsilon_0} \hat{n}_{\text{in}} = \frac{\sigma}{2\epsilon_0} \hat{n}_{\text{out}}$$

$$d\vec{F}_{\rightarrow dq} = (dq) \frac{\sigma}{2\epsilon_0} \hat{n}_{\text{out}}$$

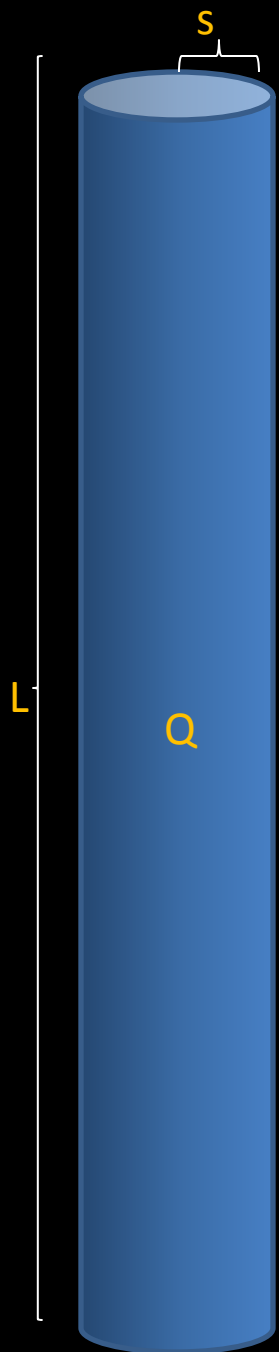
$$dq = \sigma da$$

$$d\vec{F}_{\rightarrow dq} = (da) \frac{\sigma^2}{2\epsilon_0} \hat{n}_{\text{out}} = (da) 2\epsilon_0 E_{\text{other}@patch}^2 \hat{n}_{\text{out}}$$

$$\vec{P}_E \equiv \frac{d\vec{F}_{\rightarrow dq}}{da} = \frac{\sigma^2}{2\epsilon_0} \hat{n}_{\text{out}} = \frac{E_{\text{patch}}^2}{2\epsilon_0} \hat{n}_{\text{out}}$$

Exercise:

A “very long” ,hollow, metal cylinder of radius s and length L carries a total charge Q . What is the outward electrostatic pressure due to all the charges repelling each other.

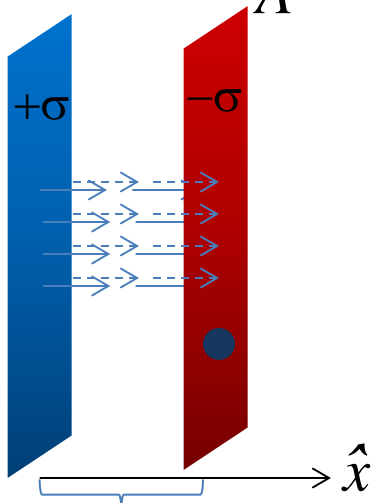


Capacitance

$$C \equiv \frac{Q}{\Delta V}$$

Example: Parallel Plates

$$\vec{E} = \frac{\sigma}{\epsilon_0} \hat{x} = \frac{1}{\epsilon_0} \frac{Q}{A} \hat{x}$$



$$\Delta V_{r \rightarrow l} = - \int_r^l \vec{E} \cdot d\vec{l} = \frac{1}{\epsilon_0} \frac{Q}{A} d$$

$$C \equiv \frac{Q}{\Delta V_{r \rightarrow l}} = \frac{A}{\epsilon_0 d}$$

Exercise: concentric cylinders

