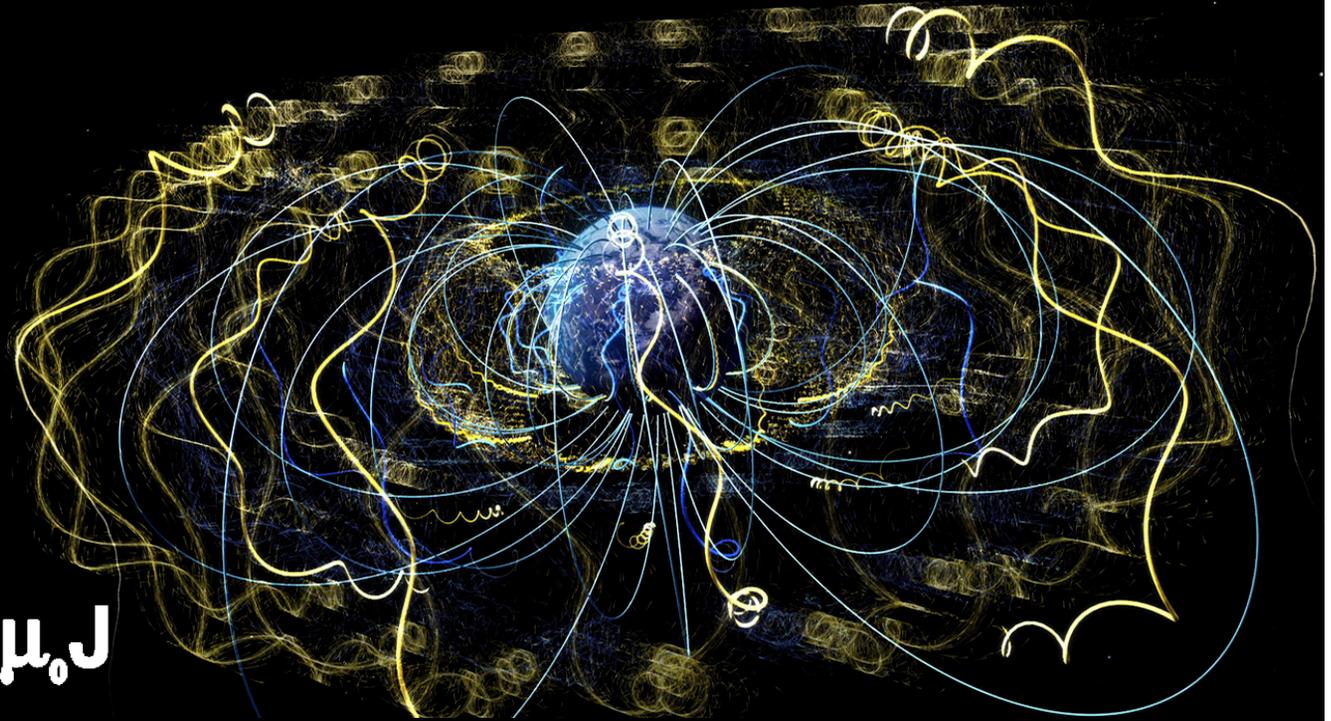


$$\nabla \cdot \mathbf{E} = \frac{\rho}{\epsilon_0}$$

$$\nabla \cdot \mathbf{B} = 0$$

$$\nabla \times \mathbf{E} = -\frac{\partial \mathbf{B}}{\partial t}$$

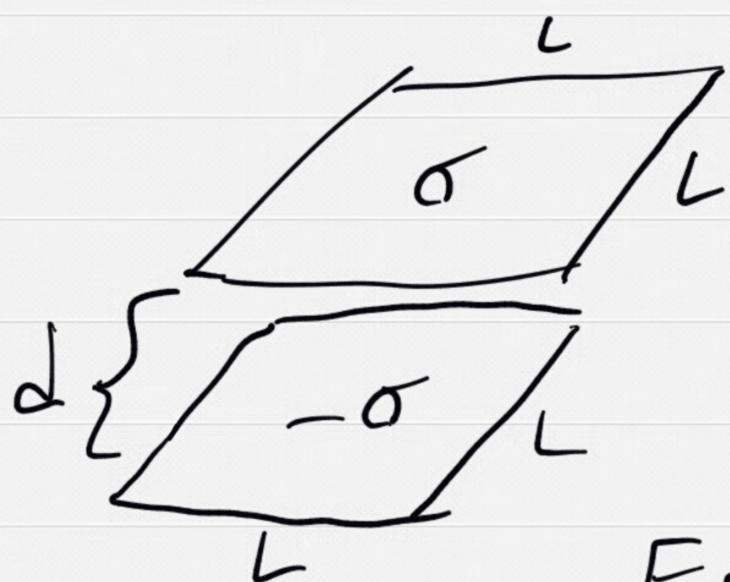
$$\nabla \times \mathbf{B} = \mu_0 \epsilon_0 \frac{\partial \mathbf{E}}{\partial t} + \mu_0 \mathbf{J}$$



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# Example: Capacitor

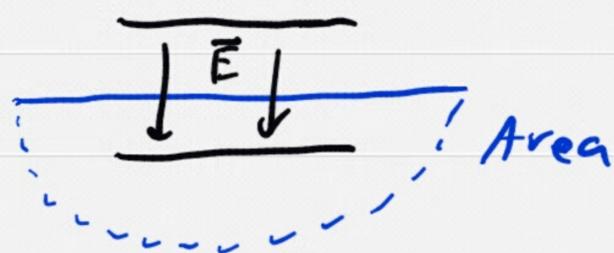


$$\vec{E} = -\frac{\sigma}{\epsilon_0} \hat{z}$$

between plates

Force on bottom plate

$$\vec{F} = \oint \vec{T} \cdot d\vec{a}$$



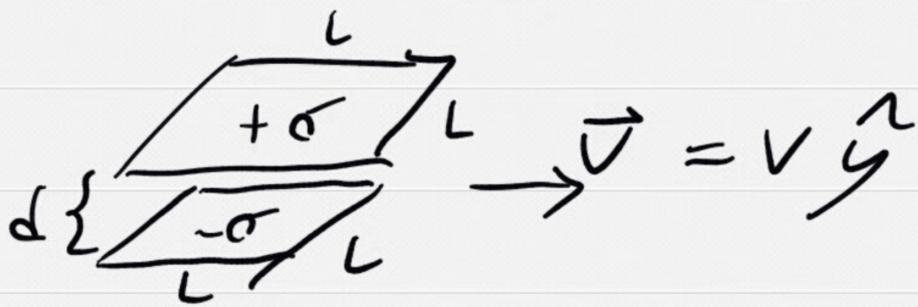
$$F_z = \oint (T_{zx} da_x + T_{zy} da_y + T_{zz} da_z)$$
$$= \oint T_{zz} da_z \quad (da_x = da_y = 0 \text{ for surface between plates})$$

$$T_{zz} = \epsilon_0 (E_z E_z - \frac{1}{2} \delta_{zz} E^2)$$
$$= \frac{\epsilon_0}{2} (E_z^2 - E_x^2 - E_y^2)$$
$$= \frac{\epsilon_0}{2} \left(\frac{\sigma}{\epsilon_0}\right)^2$$
$$= \frac{\sigma^2}{2\epsilon_0}$$

$$F_z = \oint T_{zz} da_z$$
$$= \frac{\sigma^2 L^2}{2\epsilon_0}$$

Note  $F_z = \sigma L^2 \cdot \frac{\sigma}{2\epsilon_0}$   
 $= Q_{bot} \cdot E_{top}$

## Example: Moving Capacitor



Between plates:

$$\vec{E} = -\frac{\sigma}{\epsilon_0} \hat{z}$$
$$\vec{B} = -\mu_0 \sigma v \hat{x}$$

$$\Rightarrow \vec{g}_{EM} = \mu_0 \epsilon_0 \vec{S}$$
$$= \epsilon_0 (\vec{E} \times \vec{B})$$
$$= \mu_0 \sigma^2 v \hat{y}$$

$$\vec{P}_{EM} = \vec{g}_{EM} \cdot \text{volume}$$
$$= \mu_0 \sigma^2 v d L^2 \hat{y}$$

Now move top plate down  
w/  $u_z = -u \hat{z}$

$$F_{y6} = Q_{top} (\hat{u}_z \times \vec{B}_x) \text{ on top plate}$$
$$= \sigma L^2 \cdot (-u \hat{z} \times -\frac{1}{2} \mu_0 \sigma v \hat{x})$$

↑ average field  
⊙ top plate

$$= \frac{1}{2} \mu_0 \sigma^2 L^2 u v \hat{y}$$

$$\Delta P_{y6} = \int F_{y6} dt = \frac{1}{2} \mu_0 \sigma^2 L^2 v \int u dt$$
$$= \frac{1}{2} \mu_0 \sigma^2 L^2 v d$$

- Also  $\vec{E}$  from  $\frac{\partial \vec{B}}{\partial t}$  as top plate moves

$$\vec{B}_{\text{above}} = 0$$

$$\vec{B}_{\text{below}} = -\mu_0 \sigma v \hat{x}$$

$$\oint \vec{E} \cdot d\vec{\ell} = \frac{d}{dt} \int \vec{B} \cdot d\vec{a}$$

$$(\vec{E}_{\text{above}} - \vec{E}_{\text{below}}) \cdot L = \frac{d}{dt} (\vec{B}_{\text{below}} \cdot L \cdot d)$$
$$= \vec{B}_{\text{below}} \cdot L \cdot -v$$

$$\Rightarrow \vec{E}_{\text{above}} - \vec{E}_{\text{below}} = \vec{B}_{\text{below}} \cdot -v$$
$$= \mu_0 \sigma v \hat{x}$$

$$\Rightarrow \vec{E}_{\text{above}} = \frac{1}{2} \mu_0 \sigma v \hat{x}$$

$$\vec{E}_{\text{below}} = -\frac{1}{2} \mu_0 \sigma v \hat{x}$$

$$F_y = Q_{\text{bottom}} \cdot \vec{E}_{\text{below}} \quad \text{on bottom plate}$$

$$= -\sigma L^2 \cdot -\frac{1}{2} \mu_0 \sigma v \hat{x}$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \mu_0 \sigma^2 L^2 v \hat{x}$$

$$\Rightarrow \Delta p_y = \frac{1}{2} \mu_0 \sigma^2 L^2 v d \hat{x}$$

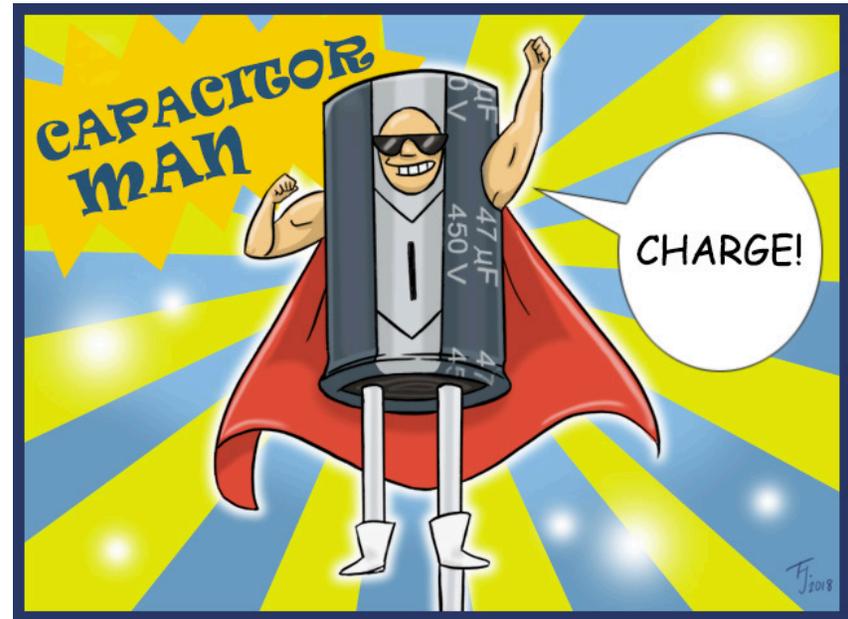
$$\Rightarrow \Delta p_y = \mu_0 \sigma^2 L^2 v d \hat{x}$$

$$= p_{yEM}(0) //$$

Capacitor gains momentum from EM fields!

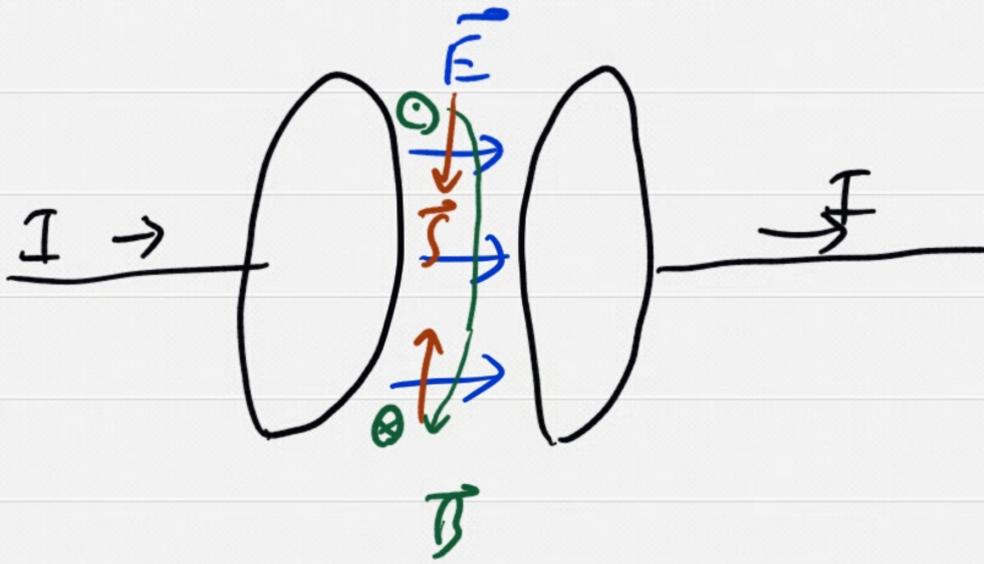
# Check Your Understanding

- Which direction do the electric and magnetic fields point between the plates of a charging capacitor?
- Which direction is the Poynting vector?



$$\vec{S} = \frac{1}{\mu_0} (\vec{E} \times \vec{B})$$

Q1:



$$\vec{E} = \frac{\sigma}{\epsilon_0} \hat{z}$$

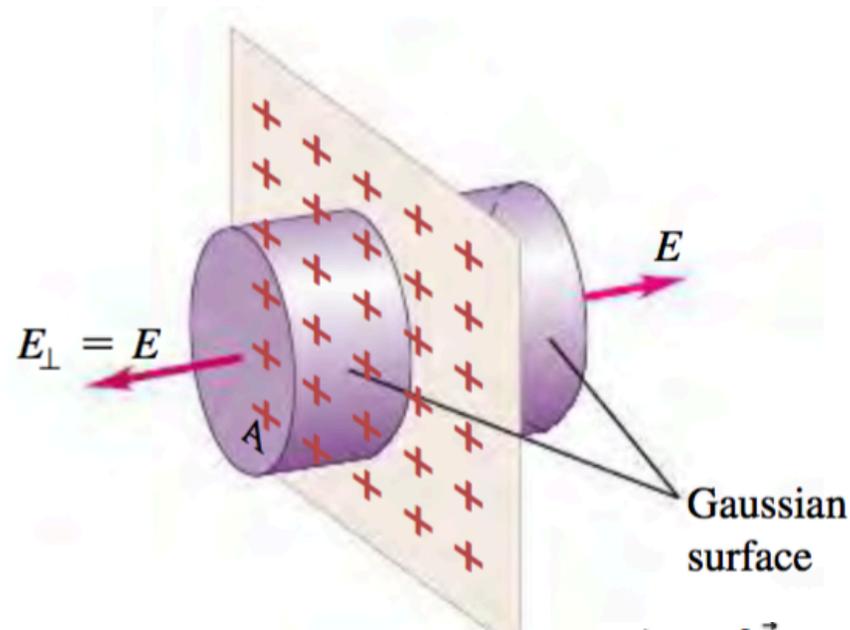
$$\vec{B} = \frac{\mu_0 I r}{2\pi R^2} \hat{\phi}$$

$$\vec{S} = \frac{1}{\mu_0} (\vec{E} \times \vec{B})$$

$$= \boxed{-\frac{\sigma I r}{2\pi \epsilon_0 R^2} \hat{r}}$$

# Check Your Understanding

- Use the Maxwell stress tensor to show that there is no net force on a finite portion of an infinite sheet of charge with area  $A$ .



$$T_{ij} = \epsilon_0 \left( E_i E_j - \frac{1}{2} \delta_{ij} E^2 \right) + \frac{1}{\mu_0} \left( B_i B_j - \frac{1}{2} \delta_{ij} B^2 \right)$$

$$\vec{F} = \frac{d\vec{p}_{mech}}{dt} = \oint \vec{T} \cdot \vec{da} - \frac{d\vec{p}_{EM}}{dt}$$

$$Q2: \quad \vec{E} = \frac{\sigma}{2\epsilon_0} \hat{n} \quad \checkmark \quad \hat{n} = \pm \hat{z}$$

$$T = \epsilon_0 \begin{pmatrix} -\frac{1}{2}E^2 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & -\frac{1}{2}E^2 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & \frac{1}{2}E^2 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$= \frac{\sigma^2}{8\epsilon_0} \begin{pmatrix} -1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\int_{top} \vec{T} \cdot d\vec{a} = \int T_{zz} da_z = \frac{\sigma^2}{8\epsilon_0}$$

$$\int_{bottom} \vec{T} \cdot d\vec{a} = \int T_{zz} \cdot -da_z = -\frac{\sigma^2}{8\epsilon_0}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \int_{sides} \vec{T} \cdot d\vec{a} &= \int T_{xx} \cdot da_x \hat{x} \\ &\quad + \int T_{yy} \cdot da_y \hat{y} \\ &= 0 \end{aligned}$$

$$\Rightarrow \int \vec{T} \cdot d\vec{a} = 0$$