

## 24-9 Applying Gauss' Law: Spherical Symmetry

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## Question 546

Which one of the graphs shown in Figure 2 represents the variation of the magnitude of the electric field with the distance from the center of a solid charged conducting sphere of radius  $R$  in electrostatic equilibrium?

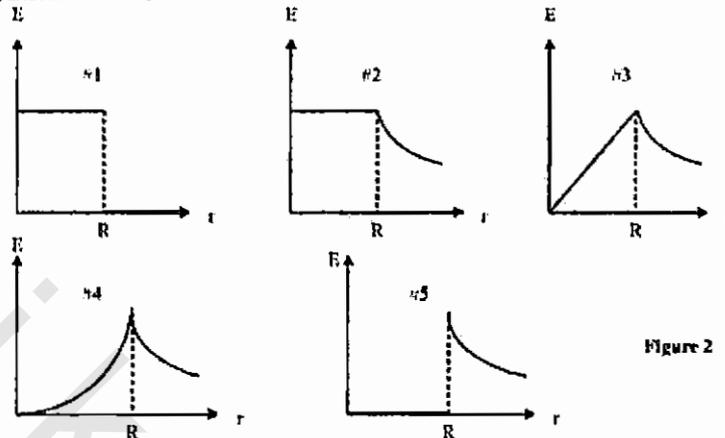


Figure 2

- (a) #5  
 (b) #2  
 (c) #3  
 (d) #1  
 (e) #4

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## Question 547

Two conducting spheres are far apart. The smaller sphere carries a total charge of 4 micro-C, and the larger sphere carries a total charge of 2 micro-C. The larger sphere has a radius that is twice that of the smaller sphere. After the two spheres are connected by a thin conducting wire, the charges on the smaller and larger spheres, respectively, are:

- (a) 3 micro-C and 3 micro-C  
 (b) 2 micro-C and 4 micro-C  
 (c) -2 micro-C and 8 micro-C  
 (d) 0 micro-C and 6 micro-C  
 (e) -4 micro-C and 10 micro-C

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## Question 548

A solid insulating sphere has a charge of 20 micro-C uniformly distributed throughout its volume. The magnitude of the electric fields inside the sphere at  $r = 2$  cm and outside the sphere at  $r = 10$  cm, measured from the center of the sphere, are equal. Find the volume charge density of the sphere.

- (a) 48 milli-C/m<sup>3</sup>.  
 (b) 24 milli-C/m<sup>3</sup>.  
 (c) 12 milli-C/m<sup>3</sup>.  
 (d) 54 milli-C/m<sup>3</sup>.  
 (e) 20 milli-C/m<sup>3</sup>.

Question 549

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A long nonconducting cylinder (radius 12.0 cm) has a charge of uniform density  $5.0 \text{ nano-C/m}^3$  distributed through its column. Determine the magnitude of the electric field 5.0 cm from the axis of the cylinder. [See figure (3)].

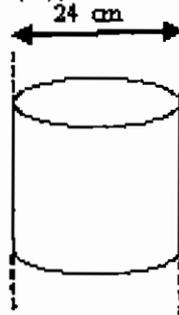


Figure (3)

- (a) 14 N/C.
- (b) 4 N/C.
- (c) 22 N/C.
- (d) 34 N/C.
- (e) 31 N/C.

Question 550

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0.37-60%

A nonconducting shell has a uniform negative charge of magnitude  $5.0 \times 10^{-5} \text{ C}$ . Its inner and outer radii are 5.0 cm and 6.0 cm, respectively. The electric field at  $r = 3.0 \text{ cm}$ , from the center, is:

- (a)  $4.5 \times 10^9 \text{ N/C}$ , inward.
- (b)  $1.5 \times 10^9 \text{ N/C}$ , outward.
- (c)  $4.5 \times 10^9 \text{ N/C}$ , inward.
- (d)  $1.5 \times 10^9 \text{ N/C}$ , inward.
- (e) zero.

Question 551

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A hollow metallic sphere, of radius 2.0 cm, is filled with a non-conducting material which carries a charge of 5.0 pico-C distributed uniformly throughout its volume. What is the magnitude of the electric field 1.5 cm from the center of the sphere?

- (a) zero.
- (b) 17 N/C.
- (c) 90 N/C.
- (d) 84 N/C.
- (e) 68 N/C.

Question 552

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A non conducting sphere, of radius 4.0 m, has a charge density of  $2.0 \text{ micro-C/m}^3$ . What is the electric field at a distance 1.7 m from the center?

- (a)  $4.8 \times 10^3 \text{ N/C}$ .
- (b)  $6.2 \times 10^3 \text{ N/C}$ .
- (c)  $1.3 \times 10^5 \text{ N/C}$ .
- (d)  $1.9 \times 10^5 \text{ N/C}$ .
- (e)  $2.5 \times 10^5 \text{ N/C}$ .

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  - (c) 20 milli-C/m<sup>3</sup>
  - (d) 54 milli-C/m<sup>3</sup>
  - (e) 48 milli-C/m<sup>3</sup>
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