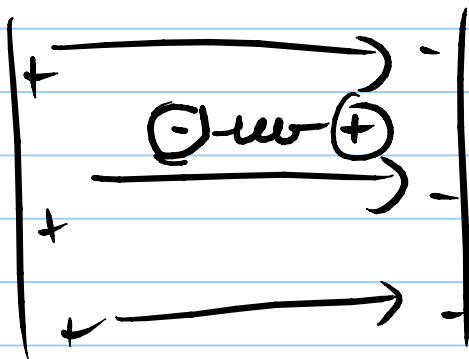


# LINEAR DIELECTRICS

Note Title

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$$\vec{P} = \alpha E \quad \begin{array}{l} \text{dipole mom} \\ \text{atom} \\ \uparrow n \# \text{ atoms/vol} \end{array}$$

$$\vec{P} = \epsilon_0 \chi_e E \quad \begin{array}{l} \text{dipole mom} \\ \text{vol} \end{array}$$

$$n \alpha \vec{E} = \vec{P} \quad \text{glass}$$

$$\uparrow \uparrow \quad \rightarrow \epsilon_0 \chi_e \vec{E}$$

$$n \alpha = \epsilon_0 \chi_e \quad \leftarrow \text{measure in cap?}$$

$$\vec{D} = \epsilon_0 \vec{E} + \vec{P} = \epsilon_0 \vec{E} + \epsilon_0 \chi_e \vec{E}$$

↑ displacement vector  $= \epsilon_0 (1 + \chi_e) \vec{E}$

↑ sus

$$\vec{D} = \epsilon \vec{E}$$

↑ permittivity

$1 + \chi_e =$  "relative permittivity"  
or dielectric constant

$$1 + \chi_e = \frac{\epsilon}{\epsilon_0} = K$$

$\epsilon_0$  permittivity in free space ( $\chi_e = 0$ )

$K = 1$  in free space

$$3 < \frac{1+\chi_e}{k} < 5$$

in air  $\chi_e = 0.00059$  at STP

$$\vec{\nabla} \cdot \vec{E} = \rho / \epsilon_0 \quad \text{Gauss's law}$$

$$= \frac{\rho_f + \rho_b}{\epsilon_0} \Rightarrow \epsilon_0 \vec{\nabla} \cdot \vec{E} = \rho_f + \rho_b$$

$$\rho_b = -\vec{\nabla} \cdot \vec{P}$$

$$\epsilon_0 \vec{\nabla} \cdot \vec{E} = \rho_f - \vec{\nabla} \cdot \vec{P}$$

$$\epsilon_0 \vec{\nabla} \cdot \vec{E} + \vec{\nabla} \cdot \vec{P} = \rho_f$$

$$\vec{\nabla} \cdot \underbrace{[\epsilon_0 \vec{E} + \vec{P}]}_{\vec{D}} = \rho_f \Rightarrow$$

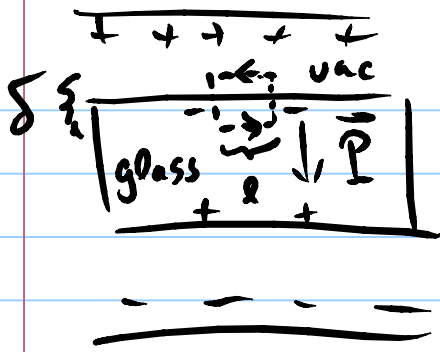
$$\vec{\nabla} \cdot \vec{D} = \rho_f$$

To determine a vector field need 2 relations

$$(1) \vec{\nabla} \cdot \vec{D} = ?$$

$$(2) \vec{\nabla} \times \vec{D} = ?$$

$$\vec{\nabla} \times (\epsilon_0 \vec{E} + \vec{P}) = \epsilon_0 \underbrace{\vec{\nabla} \times \vec{E}}_0 + \vec{\nabla} \times \vec{P}$$



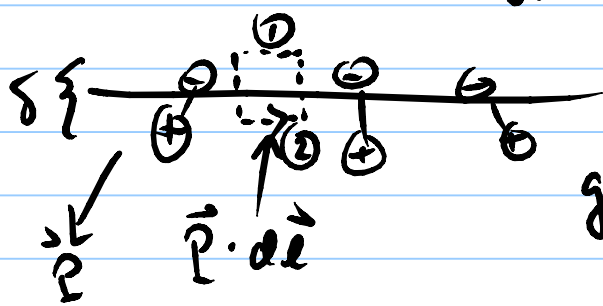
$$\int \vec{\nabla} \times \vec{P} \cdot d\vec{a} = \oint \vec{P} \cdot d\vec{e}$$

let  $\delta \rightarrow 0$

$$\begin{aligned} \vec{P} &= 0 \text{ vac} & \vec{P} \times \vec{n} &= 0 \\ \vec{P} &\neq 0 \text{ glass} & \vec{P} \perp d\vec{e} & \int \vec{P} \cdot d\vec{e} = 0 \end{aligned}$$

$$\Rightarrow \vec{\nabla} \times \vec{P} = 0$$

$$\vec{P} = 0 \quad \oplus$$



vac

glass

$$\oint \vec{P} \cdot d\vec{l}$$

$$\int \vec{P} \cdot d\vec{l} = 0$$

$$\int \vec{P} \cdot d\vec{l} \neq 0$$

$$\int \vec{P} \cdot d\vec{l} = 0$$

vac. side

$$\vec{\nabla} \times \vec{P} \neq 0$$