

FIELD n POTENTIAL

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$$F = qE$$

$$dW = F \cdot dx = qE \cdot dx$$

$$dW = -q \cdot dV \quad -q \cdot dV = qE \cdot dx \Rightarrow E = -\frac{dV}{dx} \quad V = -\int \vec{E} \cdot d\vec{x}$$

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$$E = -\frac{dV}{dx}; E = 0 \Rightarrow \frac{dV}{dx} = 0 \Rightarrow V \text{ is constant}$$

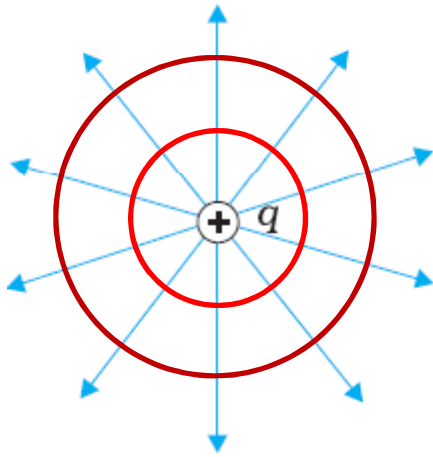
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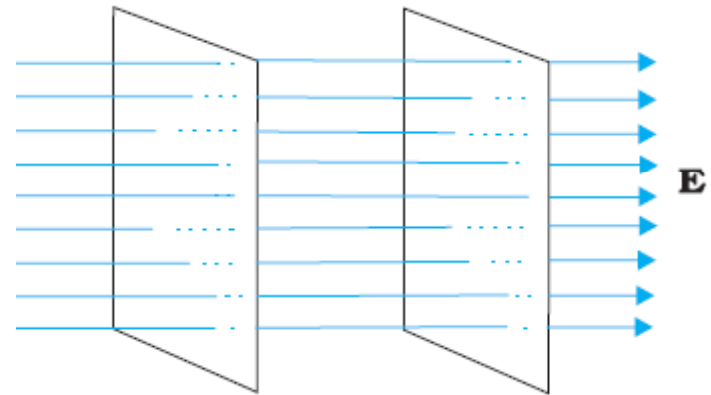
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Equipotential Surface ; Surface where potential is same i.e. $\Delta V = 0$



$$V = f(x, y, z)$$



$$\Rightarrow \mathbf{E} = -\frac{\partial V}{\partial x} \hat{i} - \frac{\partial V}{\partial y} \hat{j} - \frac{\partial V}{\partial z} \hat{k}$$

$$V = xy + z^2 \text{ at } (1,1) \quad \mathbf{E} = -y - x - 2z \text{ at } (1,1) \Rightarrow \mathbf{E} = -\hat{i} - \hat{j} - 2\hat{k}$$