

Task 1

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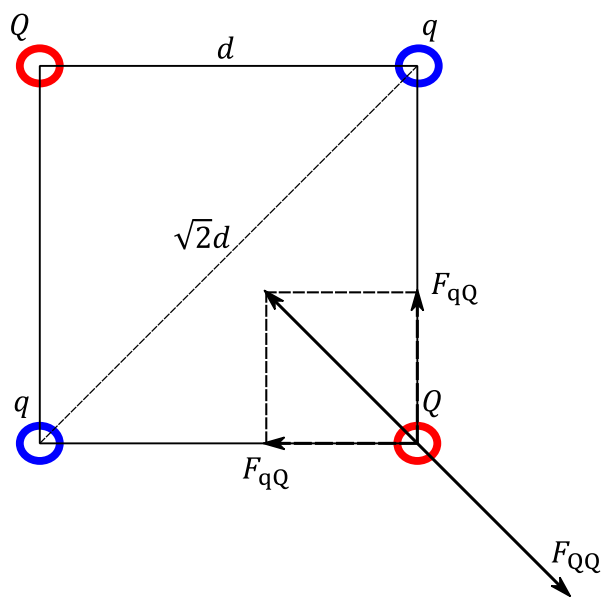
Force between the charges q and Q

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Coulomb constant

Length of the square's edge

Q	[C]
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F_{qQ}	[N]
F_{QQ}	[N]
k	[Nm ² /C ²]
d	[m]



Constants:

$$k = 8.98755 \cdot 10^{-9} \text{Nm}^2/\text{C}^2$$

Formulas:

$$F_{qQ} = \frac{kqQ}{d^2}$$

$$F_{QQ} = \frac{kQ^2}{2d^2}$$

$$\frac{F_{QQ}}{\sqrt{2}} = -F_{qQ}$$

Solution:

$$\frac{F_{QQ}}{\sqrt{2}} = -F_{qQ}$$

Substitute expressions

$$\frac{kQ^2}{2\sqrt{2}d^2} = -\frac{kqQ}{d^2}$$

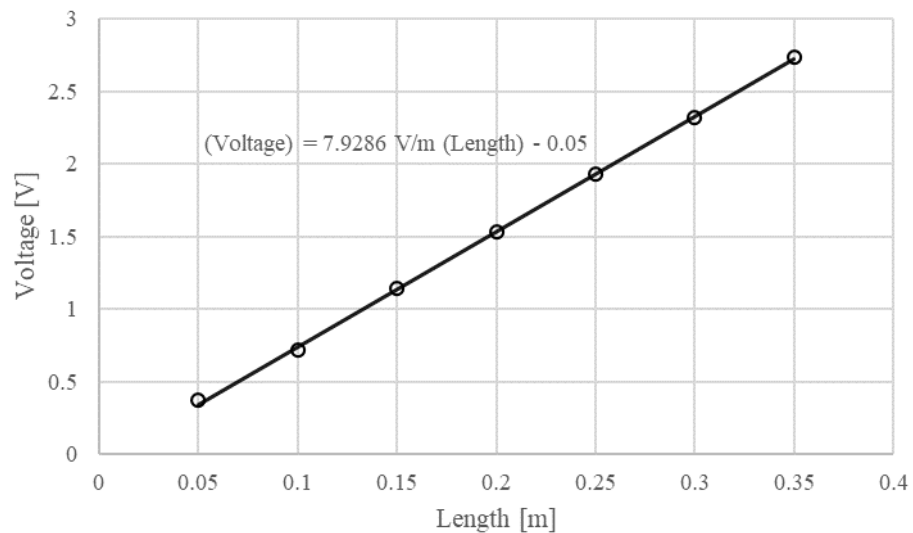
Use algebra

$$q = -\frac{Q}{2\sqrt{2}}$$

Substitute initial values

Task 2

Diameter of the log of play dough	D	[m]
Cross-sectional area of the log of play dough	A	[m ²]
Current in the electric circuit	I	[A]
Resistance of the electric circuit	R	[Ω]
Voltage over the electric circuit	U	[V]
Resistivity of the play dough	ρ	[Ωm]



Formulas:

$$\rho = \frac{RA}{l}$$

$$U = RI$$

$$A = \frac{\pi D^2}{4}$$

Solution:

$$U = RI$$

solve for R

$$R = \frac{U}{I}$$

$$\rho = \frac{RA}{l}$$

substitute expressions

$$\rho = \frac{U\pi D^2}{4Il}$$

substitute initial values and $U/l = 7.9286 \text{ V/m}$

Task 3

Source voltage (electromotive force)	ε	[V]
Terminal voltage	U	[V]
Resistance of the conductor	R_C	[Ω]
Resistance internal resistance of the voltage source	R_I	[Ω]
Total resistance of the circuit	R	[Ω]
Current through the circuit	I	[A]

Formulas:

$$R = R_C + R_I$$

$$\varepsilon = RI$$

$$U = R_I I$$

Solution:

Current through the circuit:

$$\varepsilon = RI$$

solve for I

$$I = \frac{\varepsilon}{R}$$

substitute expressions

$$I = \frac{\varepsilon}{R_C + R_I}$$

substitute initial values

Terminal voltage:

$$U = R_I I$$

substitute expressions

$$\Delta d = \frac{m_{ice}}{wl\rho_{ice}}$$

Substitute initial values

Task 4

Source voltage (electromotive force)	ε	[V]
Voltage over the resistor	U_R	[V]
Voltage over the internal resistance of the voltage source	U_S	[V]
Resistance of the resistor	R_R	[Ω]
Resistance internal resistance of the voltage source	R_S	[Ω]
Total resistance of the circuit	R	[Ω]
Current through the circuit	I	[A]
Power at which electrical energy is converted into heat in the resistor	P_R	[W]
Power at which electrical energy is converted into heat in the voltage source	P_S	[W]
Time for which electrical energy is converted into heat	t	[s]
Chemical energy converted into heat in the voltage source	E_S	[J]

Formulas:

$$\varepsilon = U_R + U_S$$

$$\varepsilon = RI$$

$$U_R = R_R I$$

$$U_S = R_S I$$

$$P_R = U_R I = R_R I^2$$

$$P_S = U_S I = R_S I^2$$

$$R = R_R + R_S$$

$$E_S = P_S t$$

Solution:

Electrical power of the resistor

$$\varepsilon = RI$$

solve for I

$$I = \frac{\varepsilon}{R}$$

substitute expressions

$$I = \frac{\varepsilon}{R_R + R_S}$$

$$P_R = U_R I = R_R I^2$$

substitute expressions

$$P_R = R_R \left(\frac{\varepsilon}{R_R + R_S} \right)^2$$

Substitute initial values

Chemical energy converted into heat inside the voltage source:

$$P_S = U_S I = R_S I^2$$

substitute expression

$$P_S = R_S \left(\frac{\varepsilon}{R_R + R_S} \right)^2$$

$$E_S = P_S t$$

substitute expression

$$E_S = R_S \left(\frac{\varepsilon}{R_R + R_S} \right)^2 t$$

substitute initial values

Task 5

Source voltage (electromotive force)	ε	[V]
Terminal voltage (also the voltage over the external conductor)	U_R	[V]
Voltage over the internal resistance of the voltage source	U_I	[V]
Resistance of the external conductor	R_R	[Ω]
Resistance internal resistance of the voltage source	R_I	[Ω]
Total resistance of the circuit	R	[Ω]
Current through the circuit	I	[A]
Power at which electrical energy is converted into heat in the external conductor	P_R	[W]
Power at which electrical energy is converted into heat in the voltage source	P_I	[W]
Power that the battery produces	P	[W]

Formulas:

$$\varepsilon = U_R + U_I$$

$$\varepsilon = RI$$

$$U_R = R_R I$$

$$U_I = R_I I$$

$$P_R = U_R I = R_R I^2$$

$$P_I = U_I I = R_I I^2$$

$$P = \varepsilon I = RI^2$$

$$R = R_R + R_I$$

$$E_S = P_S t$$

Solution:

Power produced by the battery:

$$P = \varepsilon I$$

substitute initial values

Power drained by the external conductor:

$$P_R = U_R I$$

substitute initial values

The power that the voltage source uses:

$$\varepsilon = U_R + U_I$$

solve for U_I

$$U_I = \varepsilon - U_R$$

$$P_I = U_I I$$

substitute expression

$$P_I = (\mathcal{E} - U_R) I$$

substitute initial values

The voltage drop in the source:

use the expression obtained earlier

$$U_I = \mathcal{E} - U_R$$

substitute initial values