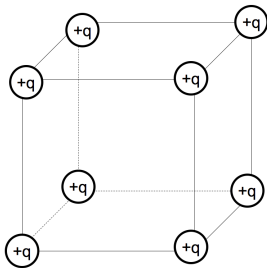


I feel that Exam 1 was a fair assessment.

- A. Strongly Agree
- B. Agree
- C. Neither Agree/Disagree
- D. Disagree
- E. Strongly Disagree



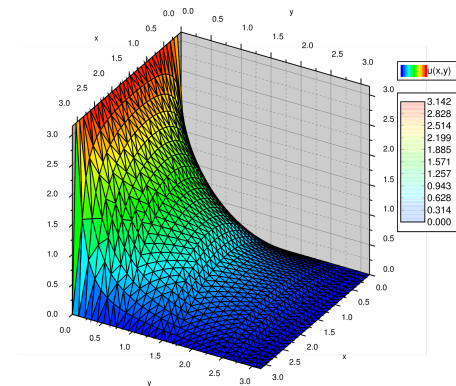
If you put a positive test charge at the center of this cube of charges, could it be in stable equilibrium?

- A. Yes
- B. No
- C. ???

I feel that Exam 1 was aligned with what we have been doing (in class and on homework).

- A. Strongly Agree
- B. Agree
- C. Neither Agree/Disagree
- D. Disagree
- E. Strongly Disagree

SEPARATION OF VARIABLES (CARTESIAN)



Say you have three functions $f(x)$, $g(y)$, and $h(z)$. $f(x)$ depends on x but not on y or z . $g(y)$ depends on y but not on x or z . $h(z)$ depends on z but not on x or y .

If $f(x) + g(y) + h(z) = 0$ for all x, y, z , then:

- A. All three functions are constants (i.e. they do not depend on x, y, z at all.)
- B. At least one of these functions has to be zero everywhere.
- C. All of these functions have to be zero everywhere.
- D. All three functions have to be linear functions in x, y , or z respectively (such as $f(x) = ax + b$)

Our example problem has the following boundary conditions:

- $V(0, y > 0) = 0$; $V(a, y > 0) = 0$
- $V(x_0 \rightarrow a, y = 0) = V_0$; $V(x, y \rightarrow \infty) = 0$

If $X'' = c_1 X$ and $Y'' = c_2 Y$ with $c_1 + c_2 = 0$, which is constant is positive?

- A. c_1
- B. c_2
- C. It doesn't matter either can be

If our general solution contains the function,

$$X(x) = Ae^{\sqrt{c}x} + Be^{-\sqrt{c}x}$$

What does our solution look like if $c < 0$; what about if $c > 0$?

- A. Exponential; Sinusoidal
- B. Sinusoidal; Exponential
- C. Both Exponential
- D. Both Sinusoidal
- E. ???