

## HOME ASSIGNMENT

1. If a particle of charge  $q$  is moving with velocity  $v$  along the  $z$ -axis and the magnetic field  $B$  is acting along the  $x$ -axis, use the expression  $\vec{F} = q(\vec{v} \times \vec{B})$  to find the direction of the force  $F$  acting on it. A beam of proton passes undeflected with a horizontal velocity  $v$ , through a region of electric and magnetic fields, mutually perpendicular to each other and normal to the direction of the beam. If the magnitudes of the electric and magnetic fields are 100 kV/m and 50 mT respectively, calculate
  - (a) velocity  $v$  of the beam.
  - (b) the force with which it strikes a target on a screen if the proton beam current is equal to 0.80 mA.
2. A beam of  $\alpha$ -particles projected along  $+X$ -axis, experiences a force due to a magnetic field along the  $+ Y$ -axis. What is the direction of the magnetic field?
3. Define one tesla using the expression the magnetic force acting on a particle charge  $q$  moving with velocity  $v$  in a magnetic field  $B$ .
4. A proton and an electron travelling along parallel paths enter a region of uniform magnetic field, acting perpendicular to their paths. Which of them will move in a circular path with higher frequency?
5. Two protons of equal kinetic energies enter a region of uniform magnetic field. The first proton enters normal to the field direction while the second enters at  $30^\circ$  to the field direction. Name the trajectories followed by them.

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1.) Given

$$\vec{v} \rightarrow \text{along } x\text{-axis} \cdot \vec{v} = v\hat{i}$$

$$\vec{B} \rightarrow \text{along } y\text{-axis} \cdot \vec{B} = B\hat{j}$$

$$\vec{F} = q\vec{v} \times \vec{B}$$

$$\vec{F} = q(v\hat{i}) \times (B\hat{j})$$

$$\vec{F} = qvB\hat{k}$$

$\therefore$  The force is acting along the  $z$ -axis.

$\rightarrow$  Condition: electric & magnetic forces on the beam must be equal and opp<sup>t</sup>. So that the charged particle is pass undeviated through crossed electric and magnetic field: i.e.

$$eE = evB$$

$$(a) \rightarrow v = \frac{E}{B} = \frac{100 \times 10^3}{50 \times 10^3} = 2 \times 10^6$$

$$(b) P = \frac{AP}{\Delta t} = \frac{mv}{\frac{v}{i}} = \frac{mv^2 i}{v}$$

$$= \frac{1.67 \times 10^{-27} \times 2 \times 10^6 \times 0.80 \times 10^{-3}}{1.6 \times 10^{-19}}$$

$$= 1.675 \times 10^{-5} \text{ N}$$

(2.) Given that: -

$\alpha$ -particle  $\rightarrow$  (positive charge)  $\rightarrow$  moving along  
+x-axis.

force experienced due to magnetic field is in  
the +y-axis

$$\vec{v} \times \vec{B} = \vec{F} \quad (\text{force is vector product})$$

magnetic field should be in the direction  
of z-axis ~~and~~ as per also right-  
hand screw rule for cross product vectors.

(3.) "One tesla is that magnetic field in which  
a charge of 1C moving with a velocity  
of  $1 \text{ m/s}$  at right angle to the field  
experience a force of one newton."

(4.) Mass of electron is low as compared to  
proton.

Hence when both enter into the uniform  
magnetic field region, the electron will  
move in a circular path with higher  
frequency in the opposite direction to  
current.

(5.) (i) when an electron enters normal to the  
field direction, the trajectory is circular.

(ii) when the electron enters  $30^\circ$  to the  
field direction, the trajectory is helical.