

Problem 1: Find the vector potential of an infinite solenoid with n turns per unit length, radius R , and current I .

Problem 2:

Example 5.13. Find the magnetic dipole moment of the “bookend-shaped” loop shown in Fig. 5.52. All sides have length w , and it carries a current I .

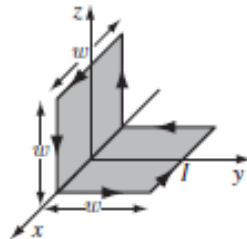


FIGURE 5.52

Problem 3 and 4

Problem 5.34 Show that the magnetic field of a dipole can be written in coordinate-free form:

$$\mathbf{B}_{\text{dp}}(\mathbf{r}) = \frac{\mu_0}{4\pi} \frac{1}{r^3} [3(\mathbf{m} \cdot \hat{\mathbf{r}})\hat{\mathbf{r}} - \mathbf{m}]. \quad (5.89)$$

Problem 5.35 A circular loop of wire, with radius R , lies in the xy plane (centered at the origin) and carries a current I running counterclockwise as viewed from the positive z axis.

- What is its magnetic dipole moment?
- What is the (approximate) magnetic field at points far from the origin?
- Show that, for points on the z axis, your answer is consistent with the *exact* field (Ex. 5.6), when $z \gg R$.