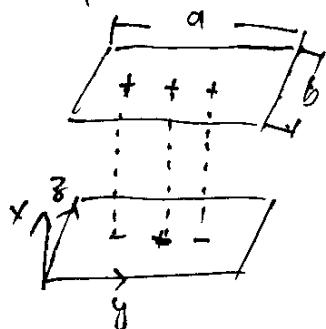


then Biot-Savart law tells us

$$\vec{B}_1(x) = \frac{\mu_0 i}{2\pi(d+x)} \hat{y} \quad \vec{B}_2(x) = \frac{\mu_0 i}{2\pi(d-x)} \hat{y}$$

$$\therefore \vec{B} = \vec{B}_1 + \vec{B}_2 \\ = \frac{\mu_0 i d}{2\pi(d^2 - x^2)} \hat{y}.$$

8H:



from the problem, we see  $\frac{\partial E_x}{\partial x}, \frac{\partial H_y}{\partial y}$  are zero.

let  $a$  and  $b$  be the dimensions of each plate, and  $d$  their distance of separation. Let  $\rho_s$  be the density of surface charge on the top plate, and  $-\rho_s$  the density on the lower plate. Since the charges are stationary, the resulting field is independent of time, and  $\vec{J} = 0$ . The differential laws at a point not on the plates, consequently, reduce to the simpler forms.

$$\nabla \times \vec{E} = 0 \quad \nabla \cdot \vec{B} = 0 \\ \nabla \times \vec{H} = 0 \quad \nabla \cdot \vec{D} = 0.$$

Introducing  $\vec{D} = \epsilon_0 \vec{E}$ ,  $\vec{B} = \mu_0 \vec{H}$ .  $\Rightarrow \nabla \cdot \vec{H} = 0 \quad \nabla \cdot \vec{E} = 0$

i)  $\vec{E}$  satisfy:  $\nabla \times \vec{E} = 0 \quad \nabla \cdot \vec{E} = 0$

$\vec{H}$  .. :  $\nabla \times \vec{H} = 0 \quad \nabla \cdot \vec{H} = 0$

$\vec{E}$  and  $\vec{H}$  are uncoupled, deal with the  $\vec{E}$  field first.