

Chapter 17

5.

$$\begin{aligned}
 W &= k \left(\frac{q_1 q_2}{r_{12}} + \frac{q_1 q_3}{r_{13}} + \frac{q_2 q_3}{r_{23}} \right) \\
 &= (8.99 \times 10^9 \frac{\text{N}\cdot\text{m}^2}{\text{C}^2}) \left(\frac{(5.5 \times 10^{-6} \text{C})(-6.5 \times 10^{-6} \text{C})}{0.12 \text{m}} + \frac{(5.5 \times 10^{-6} \text{C})(2.5 \times 10^{-6} \text{C})}{0.20 \text{m}} \right. \\
 &\quad \left. + \frac{(-6.5 \times 10^{-6} \text{C})(2.5 \times 10^{-6} \text{C})}{0.16 \text{m}} \right) \\
 &= (8.99 \times 10^9 \text{N}\cdot\text{m}^2/\text{C}^2) \left(-2.98 \times 10^{-10} \text{C}^2/\text{m} + 6.88 \times 10^{-11} \text{C}^2/\text{m} \right) \\
 &= (8.99 \times 10^9 \text{N}\cdot\text{m}^2/\text{C}^2) \left(-3.31 \times 10^{-10} \text{C}^2/\text{m} \right) = -3.0 \text{ J}
 \end{aligned}$$

10.

$+9.0 \mu\text{C} (q_1)$ $-3.0 \mu\text{C} (q_2)$

$$\begin{aligned}
 E_1 &= \frac{k q_1}{r_1^2} = \frac{(8.99 \times 10^9 \text{N}\cdot\text{m}^2/\text{C}^2)(9.0 \times 10^{-6} \text{C})}{2.0 \times 10^{-4} \text{m}^2} \\
 &= 4.0 \times 10^8 \text{ N/C} \\
 E_3 &= \frac{(8.99 \times 10^9 \text{N}\cdot\text{m}^2/\text{C}^2)(3.0 \times 10^{-6} \text{C})}{2.0 \times 10^{-4} \text{m}^2} \\
 &= 1.3 \times 10^8 \text{ N/C}
 \end{aligned}$$

$-3.0 \mu\text{C} (q_4)$ $-3.0 \mu\text{C} (q_3)$

$$\begin{aligned}
 r_1^2 = r_2^2 = r_3^2 = r_4^2 &= (0.010 \text{m}^2 + 0.010 \text{m}^2) \\
 &= 2.0 \times 10^{-4} \text{m}^2
 \end{aligned}$$

\vec{E}_2 and \vec{E}_4 are equal in magnitude and opposite in direction. They add to zero. \vec{E}_1 and \vec{E}_3 are in the same direction.

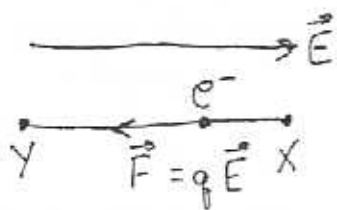
$$E_{\text{total}} = |\vec{E}_1 + \vec{E}_3| = 5.3 \times 10^8 \text{ N/C}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \vec{E}_{\text{total}} &= +5.3 \times 10^8 \text{ N/C} \cos 45^\circ \hat{i} - 5.3 \times 10^8 \text{ N/C} \sin 45^\circ \hat{j} \\
 &= +3.7 \times 10^8 \text{ N/C} \hat{i} - 3.7 \times 10^8 \text{ N/C} \hat{j}
 \end{aligned}$$

or $5.3 \times 10^8 \text{ N/C}$ at 45° below the $+x$ -axis

$$\begin{aligned}
 V &= k \left(\frac{q_1}{r_1} + \frac{q_2}{r_2} + \frac{q_3}{r_3} + \frac{q_4}{r_4} \right) = 8.99 \times 10^9 \text{N}\cdot\text{m}^2/\text{C}^2 \left(\frac{9.0 \times 10^{-6} \text{C}}{1.4 \times 10^{-2} \text{m}} + \frac{3(-3.0 \times 10^{-6} \text{C})}{1.4 \times 10^{-2} \text{m}} \right) \\
 &= 0 \text{ Volts}
 \end{aligned}$$

23.



(a) Y is at the higher potential
(Think of a positive charge attracting an electron.)

$$(b) V_Y - V_X = \frac{8.0 \times 10^{-19} \text{ J}}{1.602 \times 10^{-19} \text{ C}} = 5.0 \text{ V}$$

$$31. \quad \Delta V = V_p - V_s = 500.0 \text{ kV} - 200.0 \text{ kV} = 300.0 \text{ kV}$$

$$\Delta KE = q \Delta V = (+2e)(300.0 \times 10^3 \text{ V}) = 600.0 \times 10^3 \text{ eV} \\ = 6.000 \times 10^5 \text{ eV}$$

$$= (6.000 \times 10^5 \text{ eV})(1.602 \times 10^{-19} \text{ J/eV})$$

$$= 9.612 \times 10^{-14} \text{ J}$$

$$97. \quad E = \frac{1}{2} CV^2$$

$$U_0 = \frac{1}{2} C_0 V^2$$

$$U = \frac{1}{2} \frac{\epsilon C_0 V^2}{C} = \epsilon U_0 = 3U_0$$