Module 21: Faraday's Law

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Faraday's Law

Fourth (Final) Maxwell's Equation Underpinning of Much Technology

Demonstration: Falling Magnet

Magnet Falling Through a Ring





Falling magnet slows as it approaches a copper ring which has been immersed in liquid nitrogen.

Demonstration: Jumping Rings

Jumping Ring



An aluminum ring jumps into the air when the solenoid beneath it is energized

What is Going On?





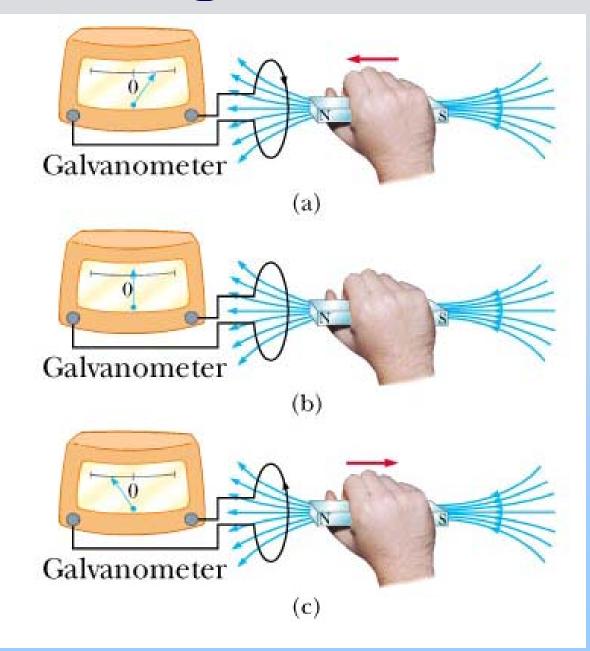
It looks as though the conducting loops have current in them (they behave like magnetic dipoles) even though they aren't hooked up

Demonstration: Induction

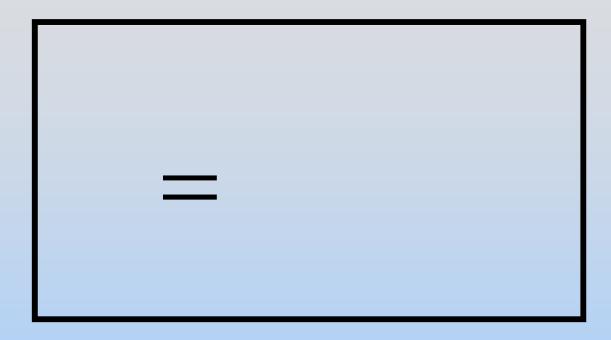


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Electromagnetic Induction



Faraday's Law of Induction



A changing magnetic flux induces an EMF

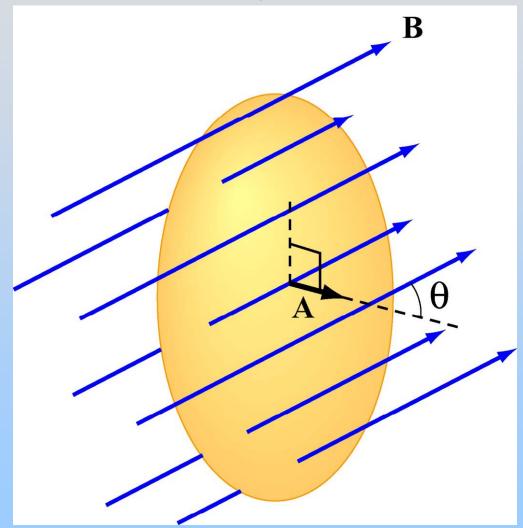
What is EMF?

$\mathcal{E} - \oint \vec{\mathbf{E}} \cdot d\vec{\mathbf{s}}$

Looks like potential. It's a "driving force" for current

Magnetic Flux Thru Wire Loop

Analogous to Electric Flux (Gauss' Law)



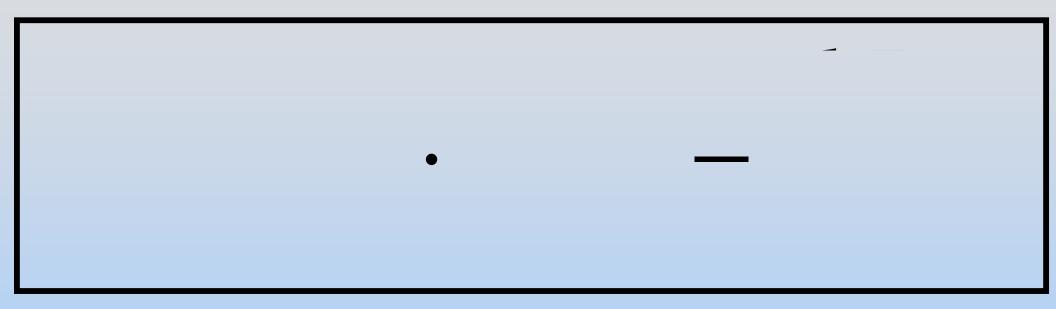
<u>(1) Uniform **B**</u>

$$\Phi_{B} = B_{\perp}A = BA\cos\theta = \vec{\mathbf{B}}\cdot\vec{\mathbf{A}}$$

(2) Non-Uniform B

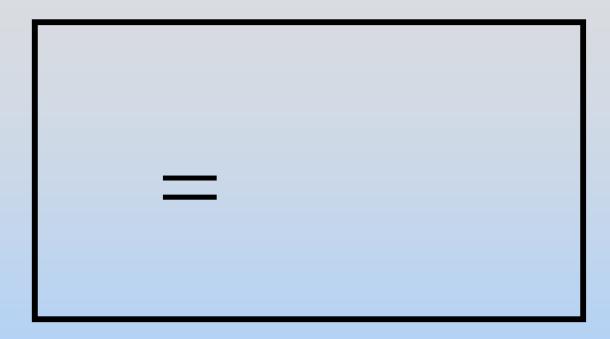


Faraday's Law of Induction



A changing magnetic flux *induces* an EMF, a curling E field

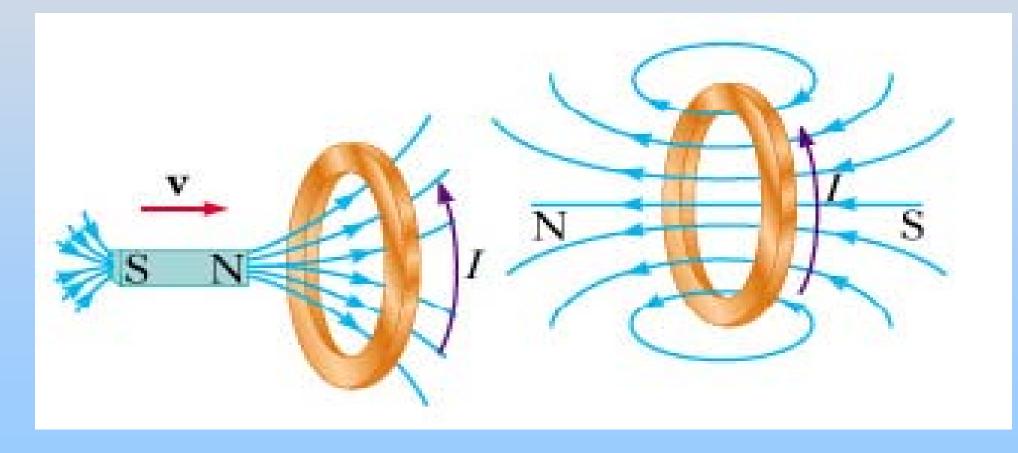
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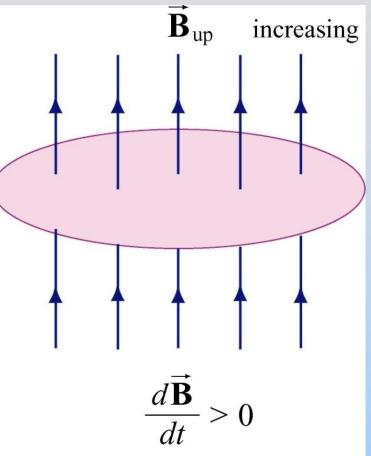
Minus Sign? Lenz's Law

Induced EMF is in direction that **opposes the change** in flux that caused it



Concept Question: Loop

The magnetic field through a wire loop is pointed upwards and *increasing* with time. The induced current in the coil is

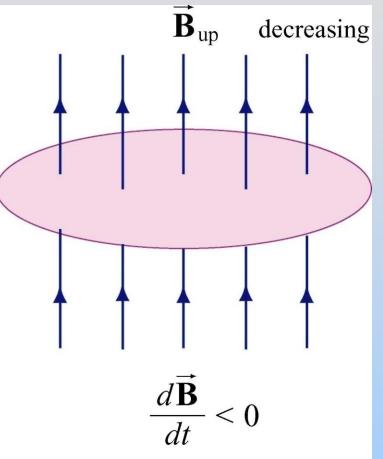


 Φ is up and increasing

- 1. Clockwise as seen from the top
- 2. Counterclockwise

Concept Question: Loop

The magnetic field through a wire loop is pointed upwards and *decreasing* with time. The induced current in the coil is



 Φ is up and decreasing

- 1. Clockwise as seen from the top
- 2. Counterclockwise

Ways to Induce EMF $\mathcal{E} = -\frac{d}{dt} \left(BA\cos\theta\right)$

Quantities which can vary with time:

- Magnitude of B
- Area A enclosed by the loop
- Angle θ between B and loop normal

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Magnet Falling Through a Ring



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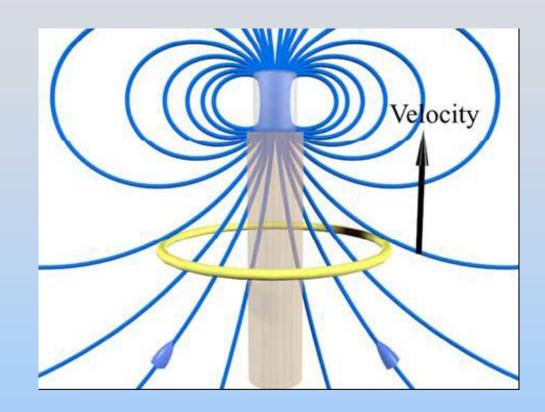
Falling magnet slows as it approaches a copper ring which has been immersed in liquid nitrogen.

A rectangular wire loop is pulled thru a uniform B field penetrating its top half, as shown. The induced current and the force and torque on the loop are:

- 1. Current CW, Force Left, No Torque
- 2. Current CW, No Force, Torque Rotates CCW
- 3. Current CCW, Force Left, No Torque
- 4. Current CCW, No Force, Torque Rotates CCW
- 5. No current, force or torque

Concept Question: Faraday's Law: Loop

A coil moves up from underneath a magnet with its north pole pointing upward. The current in the coil and the force on the coil:

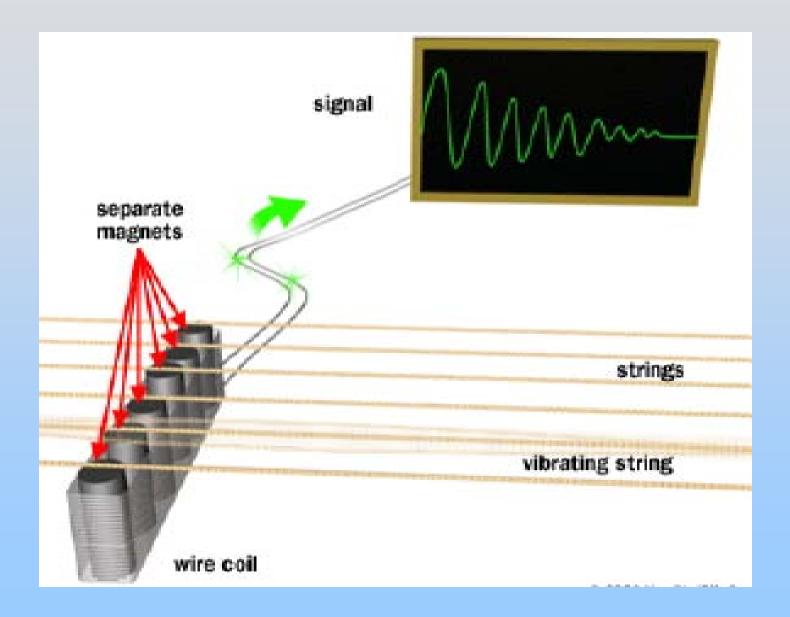


- 1. Current clockwise; force up
- 2. Current counterclockwise; force up
- 3. Current clockwise; force down
- 4. Current counterclockwise; force down

Technology

Many Applications of Faraday's Law

Electric Guitar



Metal Detector

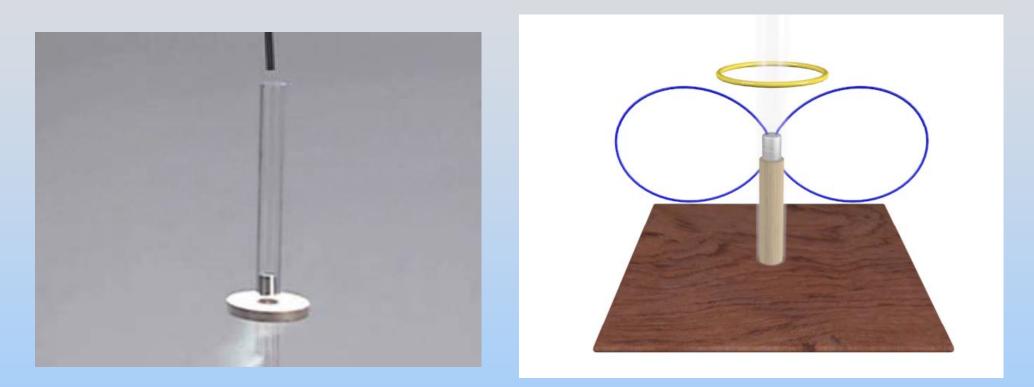
See Animation of how VLF metal detectors work: http://home.howstuffworks.com/metal-detector2.htm

Induction Stovetops

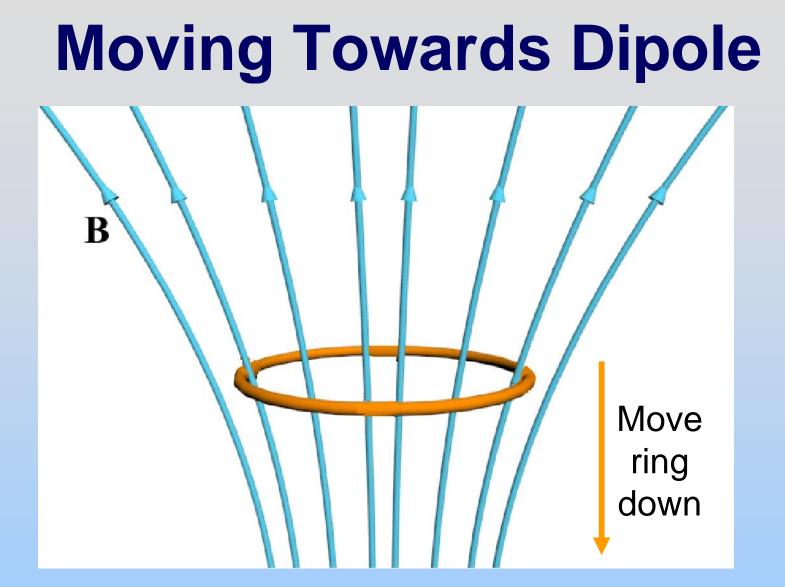
Ground Fault Interrupters (GFI)

Experiment 5: Faraday's Law of Induction

Example: Magnitude of B Magnet Falling Through a Ring

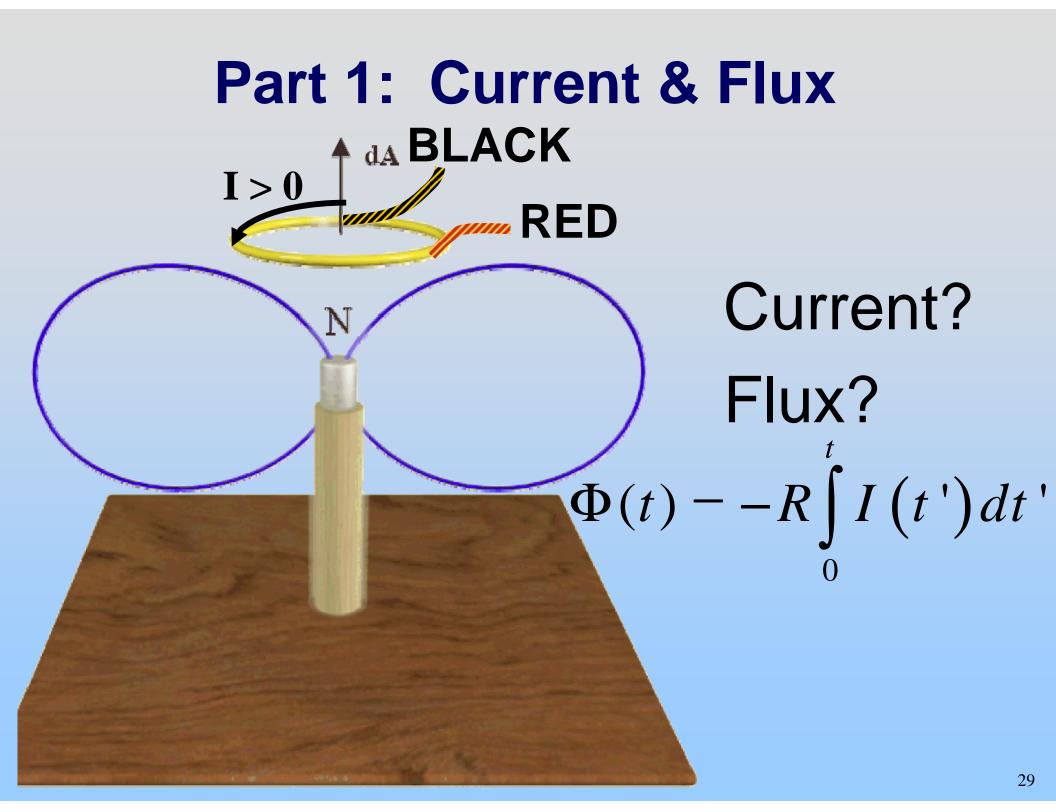


Falling magnet approaches a copper ring or Copper Ring approaches Magnet



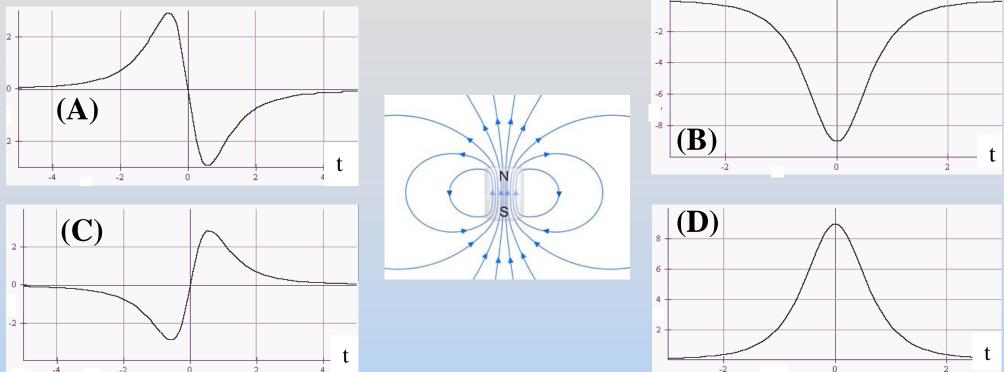
As ring approaches, what happens to flux?

Flux up increases



Concept Question Predictions: Flux & Current

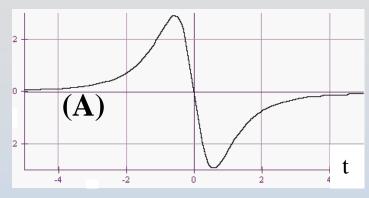
Concept Q. : Flux Measurement

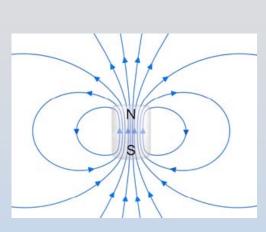


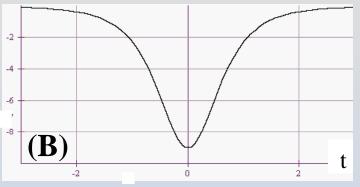
Moving from above to below and back, you will measure a *flux* of:

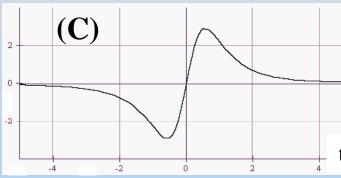
- 1. A then A 5. B then B
- 2. C then C 6. D then D
- 3. A then C 7. B then D
- 4. C then A 8. D then B

Concept Q.: Current Measurement

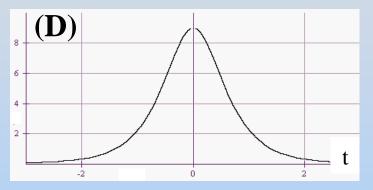








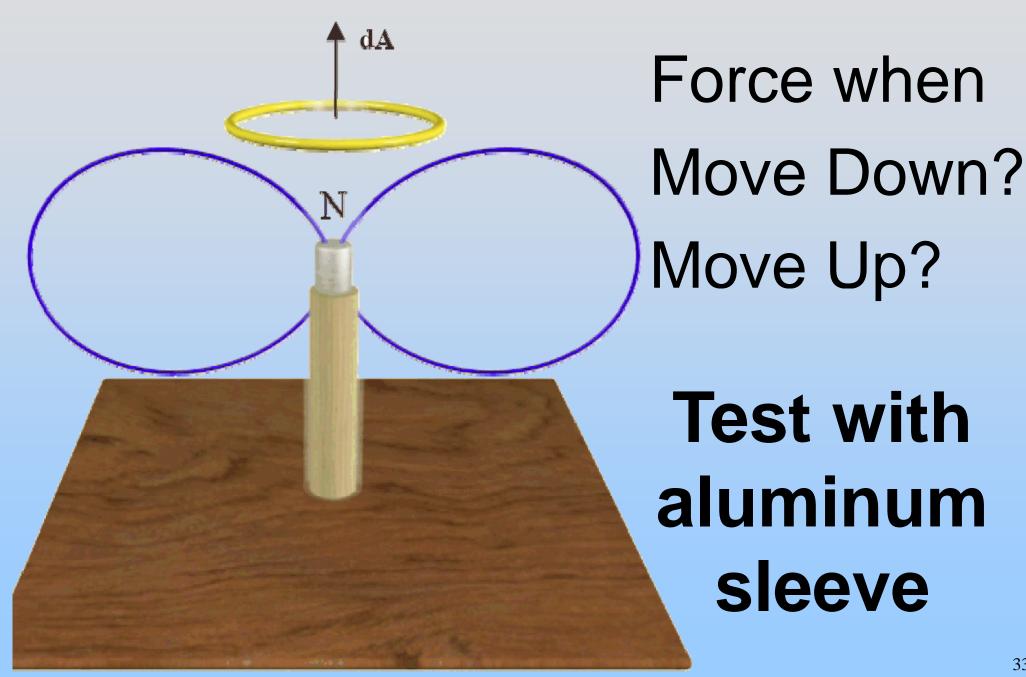
NOTE: CCW is positive!



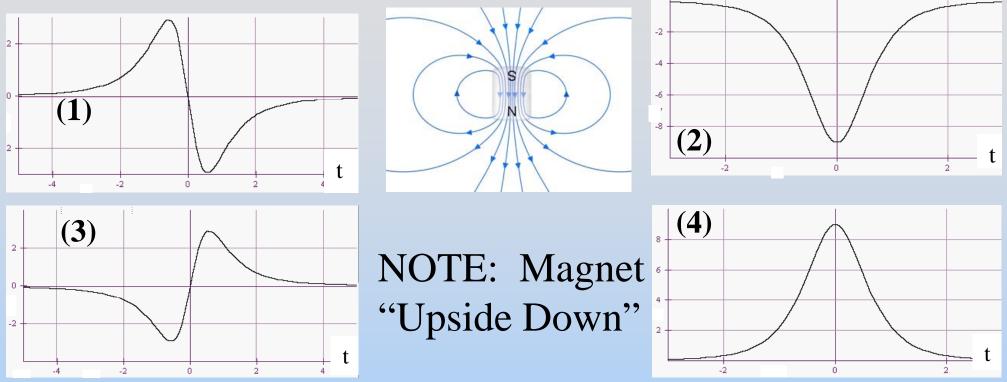
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- 1. A then A 5. B then B
- 2. C then C 6. D then D
- 3. A then C 7. B then D
- 4. C then A 8. D then B

Part 2: Force Direction

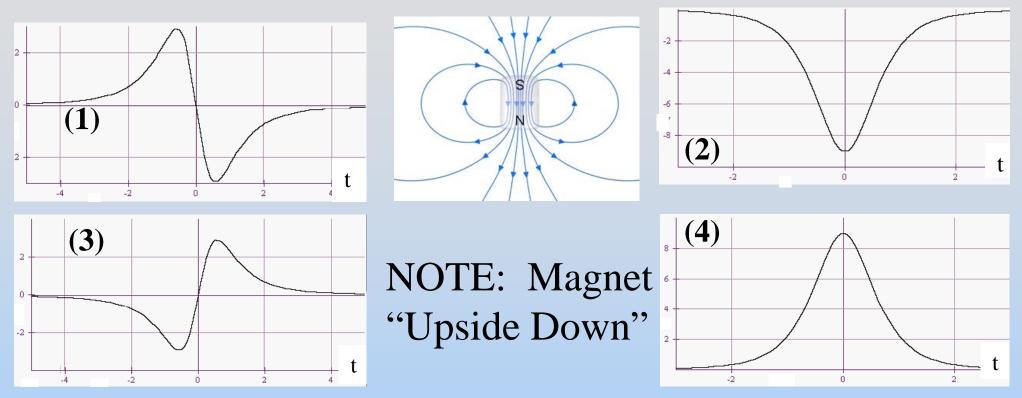


Concept Question: Flux Behavior



Moving from below to above, you would measure a *flux* best represented by which plot above (taking upward flux as positive)?

Concept Q.: Current Behavior

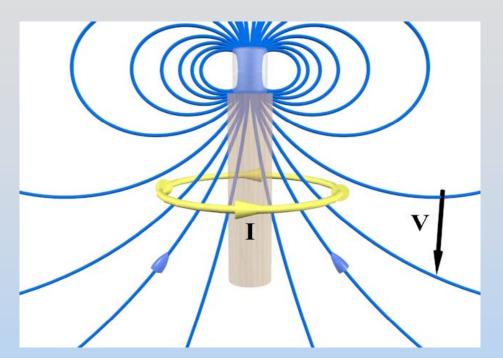


Moving from *above* to *below*, you would measure a *current* best represented by which plot above (taking counterclockwise current as positive)?

Concept Question Confirming Predictions? Flux & Current

Concept Question Question: Wrap-Up Faraday's Law

Concept Q.: Loop Below Magnet



A conducting loop is below a magnet and moving downwards. This induces a current as pictured. The *I* ds x B force on the coil is

- **0% 1.** Up
- 0% 2. Down
- **0%** 3. Zero

Ways to Induce EMF $\mathcal{E} = -\frac{d}{dt} \left(BA\cos\theta\right)$

Quantities which can vary with time:

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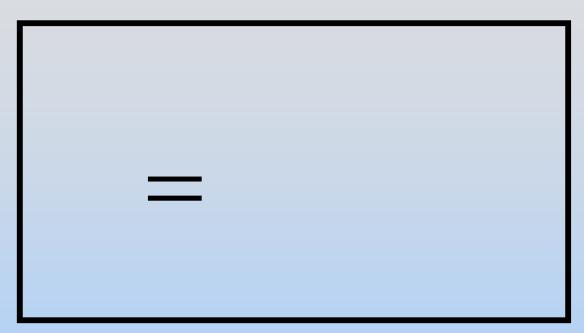
The last of the Maxwell's Equations (Kind of)

Maxwell's Equations Creating Electric Fields

$$\oint_{S} \vec{\mathbf{E}} \cdot d\vec{\mathbf{A}} = \frac{Q_{in}}{\varepsilon_{0}} \qquad (\text{Gauss's Law})$$

$$\oint_{C} \vec{\mathbf{E}} \cdot d\vec{\mathbf{s}} = -\frac{d\Phi_{B}}{dt} \qquad (\text{Faraday's Law})$$

Faraday's Law of Induction



Changing magnetic flux induces an EMF

Lenz: Induction opposes change

Faraday's Law Problem Solving Session

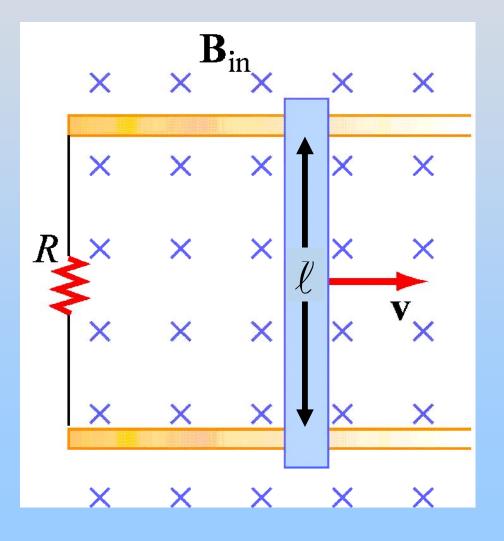
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Quantities which can vary with time:

- Magnitude of B e.g. Falling Magnet
- Area A enclosed by the loop
- Angle θ between B and loop normal

Problem: Changing Area

Conducting rod pulled along two conducting rails in a uniform magnetic field B at constant velocity v



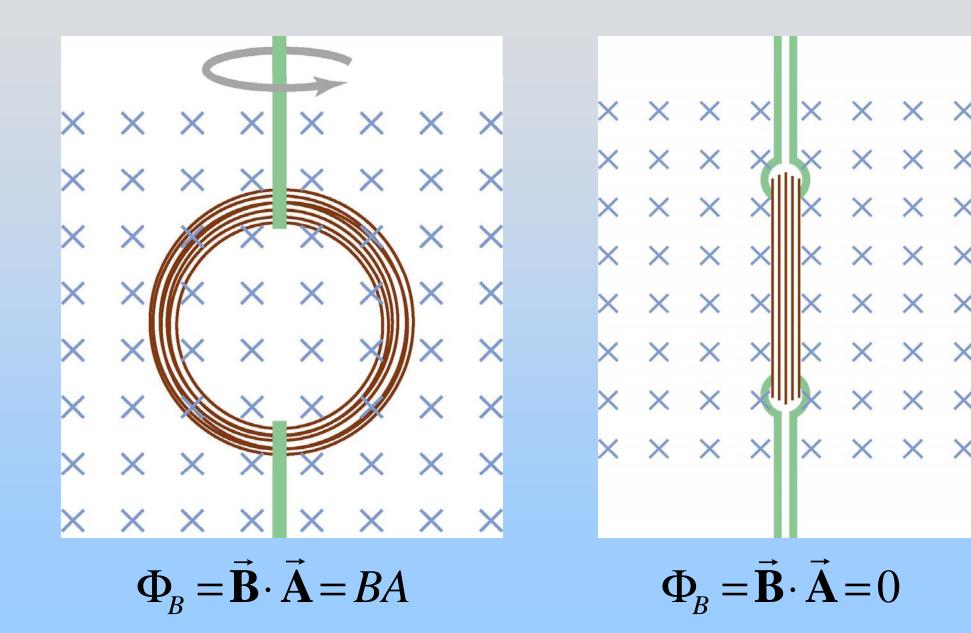
- 1. Direction of induced current?
- 2. Direction of resultant force?
- 3. Magnitude of EMF?
- 4. Magnitude of current?
- Power externally supplied to move at constant v?

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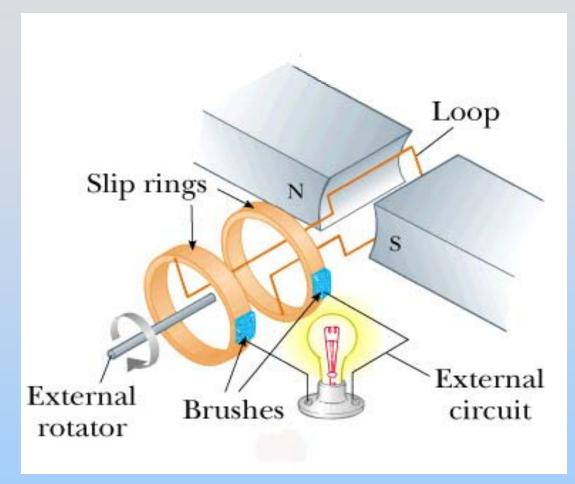
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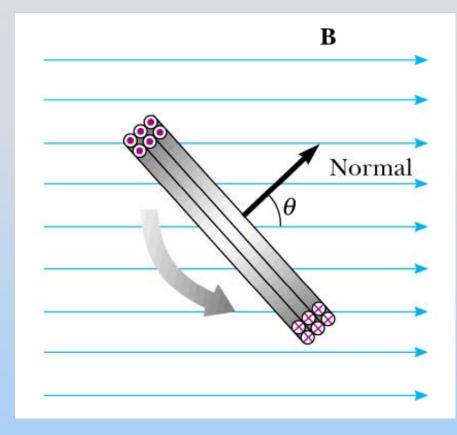
- Magnitude of B e.g. Moving Coil & Dipole
- Area A enclosed e.g. Sliding bar
- Angle θ between B and loop normal

Changing Angle



Motors & Generators

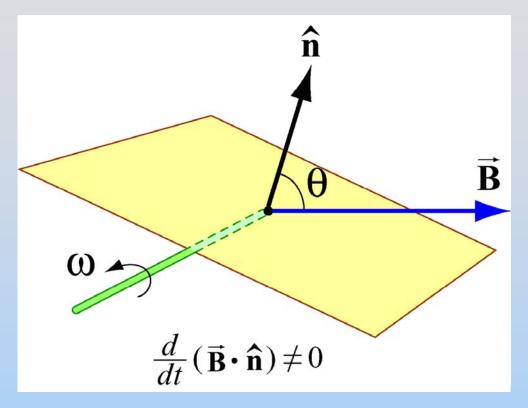




Concept Question Question: Generator

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A square coil rotates in a magnetic field directed to the right. At the time shown, the current in the square, when looking down from the top of the square loop, will be

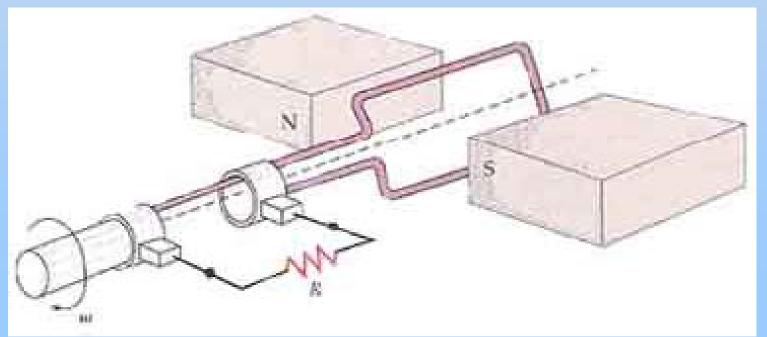


- 1. Clockwise
- 2. Counterclockwise
- 3. Neither, the current is zero
- 4. I don't know

Problem: Generator

Square loop (side L) spins with angular frequency a in a field of strength B. It is hooked to a load R.

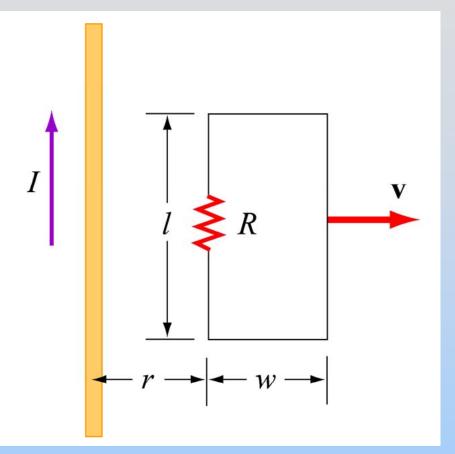
- 1) Write an expression for current I(t) assuming the loop is vertical at time t = 0.
- 2) How much work from generator per revolution?
- 3) To make it twice as hard to turn, what do you do to *R*?



Concept Question Question: Wrap-Up Faraday's Law

Concept Question: Circuit

A circuit in the form of a rectangular piece of wire is pulled away from a long wire carrying current / in the direction shown in the sketch. The induced current in the rectangular circuit is



- 1. Clockwise
- 2. Counterclockwise
- 3. Neither, the current is zero

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