

MATLAB EXERCISE 1.30 Visualizing the electric dipole field. For the electric dipole from the previous MATLAB exercise, write a program in MATLAB that displays its electric field intensity [magnitude of \mathbf{E} in Eq.(1.43) (from the book)] in the plane $y = 0$ using MATLAB function `pcolor`. (*ME1.30.m on IR*)

SOLUTION:

Figure S1.17 shows the resulting electric field distribution for the dipole.

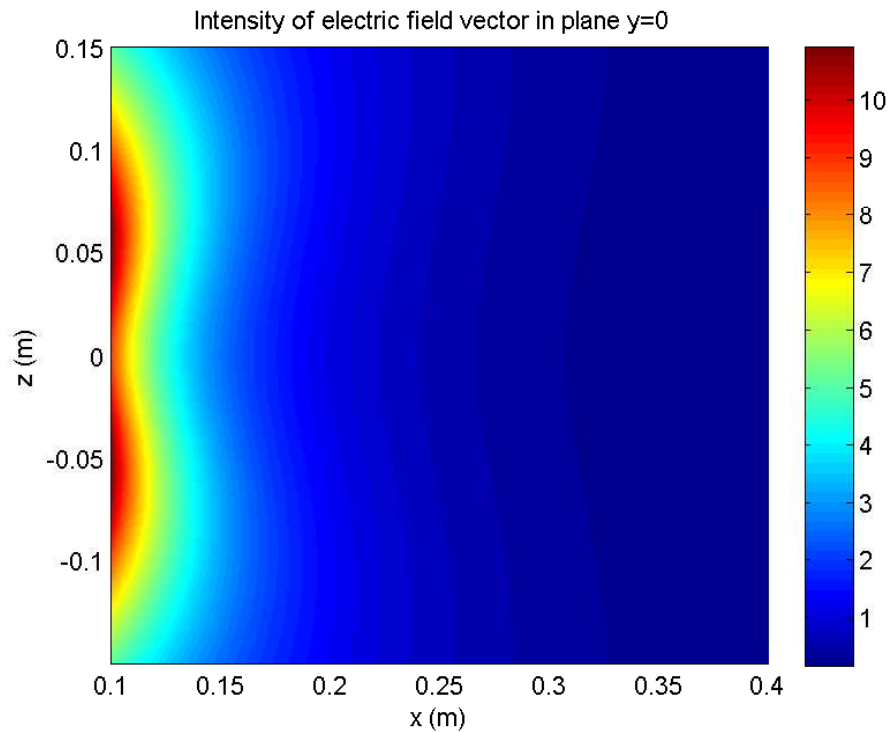


Figure S1.17 Electric field distribution obtained by MATLAB function `pcolor` in the plane $y = 0$ for an electric dipole at the coordinate origin with $\mathbf{p} = 1 \text{ pCm } \hat{\mathbf{z}}$; for MATLAB Exercise 1.30.

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% Book: MATLAB-Based Electromagnetics (Pearson Prentice Hall)  
% Author: Branislav M. Notaros  
% Instructor Resources  
% (c) 2011  
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% This MATLAB code or any part of it may be used only for  
% educational purposes associated with the book  
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% Visualizing the electric dipole field
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clear all;  
close all;  
eo = 8.854e-12; % Permittivity of air (F/m)  
p = 10^(-12); % Moment of electric dipole (C m)  
[x,z]=meshgrid(0.1:0.001:0.4, -0.15:0.001:0.15);  
% Radial distance  
r = sqrt(x.^2 + z.^2);  
% Electric field  
E = p./(4*pi*eo*r.^3).*sqrt(((2*z./r).^2 + (x./r)).^2);  
figure(1);  
pcolor(x,z,E);  
xlabel('x (m)');  
ylabel('z (m)');  
title('Intensity of electric field vector in plane y=0');  
shading interp;  
colorbar;
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