

**MATLAB EXERCISE 1.43** **Field computation in postprocessing of the MoM solution.** Write a function `fieldE()` in MATLAB that evaluates, in postprocessing, the electric field intensity vector at an arbitrary point in space due to a charged body [e.g., the cube in Fig.1.22 (from the book)], whose charge distribution, approximately described by Eq.(1.55) (from the book), is determined by the MoM analysis. The input to the program contains `EPS0,x0,y0,z0,rhos,S,x,y,z`, where `EPS0` is the permittivity of air (or another dielectric surrounding the body) and `(x0,y0,z0)` are Cartesian coordinates of the field point, while `rhos,S,x,y,z` are arrays containing the surface charge densities and surface areas of MoM patches, and coordinates of their centers. (*fieldE.m on IR*)

**SOLUTION:**

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% Book: MATLAB-Based Electromagnetics (Pearson Prentice Hall)
% Author: Branislav M. Notaros
% Instructor Resources
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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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% Field computation in postprocessing of the MoM solution

function [E,uniteE,Emag] = fieldE(EPS0,x0,y0,z0,rhos,S,x,y,z)
if nargin == 7
    r = sqrt((x0-x).^2 + y0^2 + z0^2);
    E = [(x0-x)./r.^3; y0./r.^3; z0./r.^3]*(rhos.*S'/(4*pi*EPS0));
end;
if nargin == 8
    r = sqrt((x0-x).^2 + (y0-y).^2 + z0^2);
    E = [(x0-x)./r.^3; (y0-y)./r.^3; z0./r.^3]*(rhos.*S'/(4*pi*EPS0));
end;
if nargin == 9
    r = sqrt((x0-x).^2 + (y0-y).^2 + (z0-z).^2);
    E = [(x0-x)./r.^3; (y0-y)./r.^3; (z0-z)./r.^3]*(rhos.*S'/(4*pi*EPS0));
end;
Emag = vectorMag(E);
uniteE = E/Emag;
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