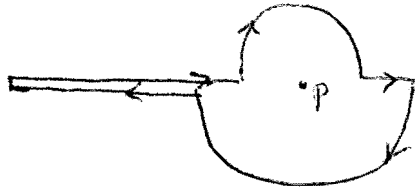


17.P.45



The straight wires do not contribute to the field at P, because the  $d\vec{l} \times \hat{r}$  term in Biot-Savart is zero.

The field due to a full circle at its center is  $B = \frac{\mu_0 I}{2R}$

For a semi-circle, the field is  $\frac{1}{2} \frac{\mu_0 I}{2R} = \frac{\mu_0 I}{4R}$

By the right-hand rule, both semicircles give fields at P that are into the page.

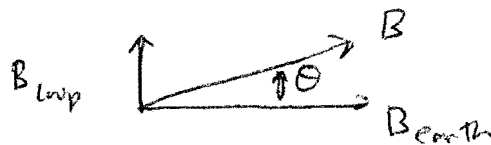
$$B = \frac{\mu_0 I}{4R_1} + \frac{\mu_0 I}{4R_2} = \frac{\mu_0 I}{4} \left( \frac{1}{R_1} + \frac{1}{R_2} \right) \quad \otimes$$

17.P.49

$$B = N \left( \frac{\mu_0 I}{2R} \right) = (3 \text{ turns}) \left( \frac{(4\pi \times 10^{-7}) (0.25 \text{ A})}{2(0.15 \text{ m})} \right)$$

$$= 3.1 \times 10^{-6} \text{ T} \quad \otimes \text{ into page}$$

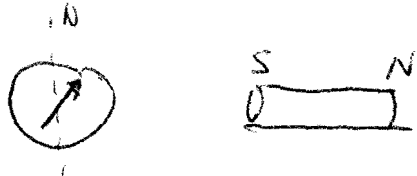
From the top view



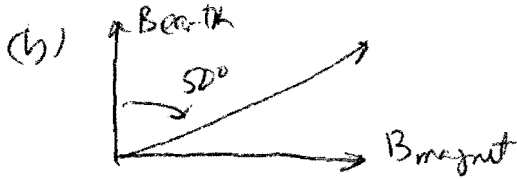
$$\tan \theta = \frac{B_{\text{loop}}}{B_{\text{wire}}} = \frac{3.1 \times 10^{-6} \text{ T}}{2 \times 10^{-5} \text{ T}} = 0.157$$

$$\theta = 8.90 \quad \text{deflection is inward}$$

17.P.50



(a) The N pole of the compass needle is pulled toward the bar magnet, so the nearer pole of the magnet must be a S pole

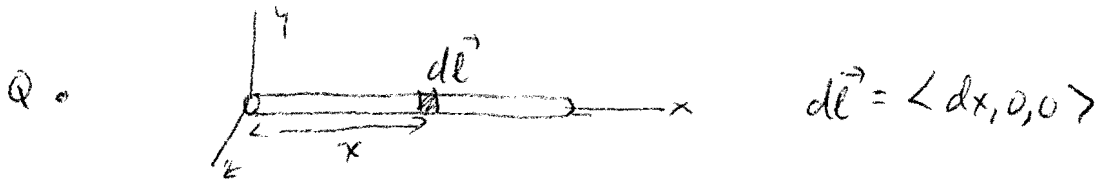


$$\tan 50^\circ = \frac{B_{\text{magnet}}}{B_{\text{earth}}}$$

$$B_{\text{magnet}} = B_{\text{earth}} \tan 50^\circ = 2.4 \times 10^{-5} \text{ T}$$

$$B_{\text{magnet}} = \frac{\mu_0}{4\pi} \frac{2\mu}{r^3} \Rightarrow \mu = \frac{B_{\text{magnet}} r^3}{2 \frac{\mu_0}{4\pi}} = \frac{(2.4 \times 10^{-5} \text{ T})(0.15 \text{ m})^3}{2 (10^{-7})} = 0.49 \text{ A}\cdot\text{m}^2$$

17.P.55 P.



(a)  $B_Q = 0$  because  $d\vec{l} \times \hat{r} = 0$  in Biot-Savart law.

(b) The vector from  $d\vec{l}$  to P is  $\vec{r} = \langle -w-x, h, 0 \rangle - \langle x, 0, 0 \rangle = \langle -w-x, h, 0 \rangle$

$$\hat{r} = \frac{\vec{r}}{|\vec{r}|} = \frac{\langle -w-x, h, 0 \rangle}{\sqrt{(w+x)^2 + h^2}}$$

$$d\vec{l} \times \hat{r} = \langle dx, 0, 0 \rangle \times \frac{\langle -w-x, h, 0 \rangle}{\sqrt{(w+x)^2 + h^2}} = \frac{\langle 0, 0, h dx \rangle}{\sqrt{(w+x)^2 + h^2}}$$

$$d\vec{B} = \frac{\mu_0 I}{4\pi} \frac{d\vec{l} \times \hat{r}}{r^2} = \frac{\mu_0 I}{4\pi} \frac{1}{(w+x)^2 + h^2} \frac{\langle 0, 0, h dx \rangle}{\sqrt{(w+x)^2 + h^2}}$$

$\vec{B}$  has only a z component

$$B_z = \frac{\mu_0 I}{4\pi} \int_0^d \frac{h dx}{[(w+x)^2 + h^2]^{3/2}}$$