

# Magnetism



"Heavier-than-air flying machines are impossible." Lord Kelvin, president, Royal Society, 1895.

Iron



unmagnetized

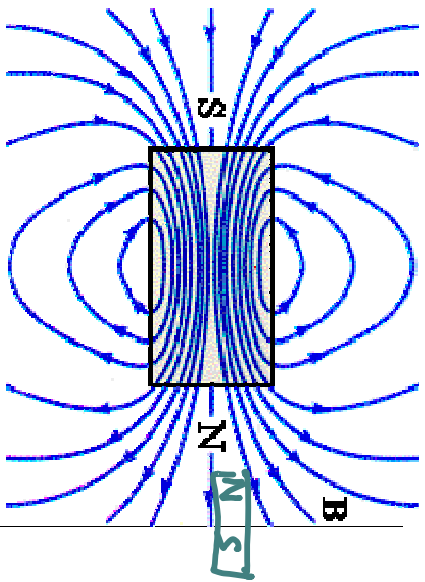
Iron



magnetized

# Magnetic Fields

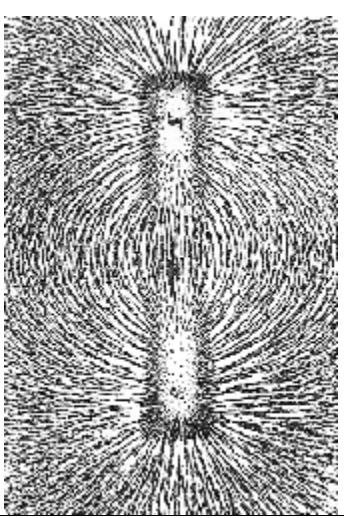
- Magnetic poles are found in Pairs



- Magnetic field lines go from

from N to S outside of the magnet.

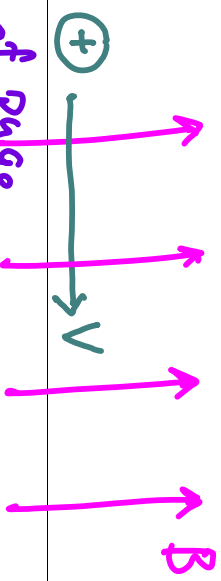
Indicate direction of force on a North Pole.



- Right hand rule for force on a moving charge in a B-field

- Four fingers towards  $v$
- Palm facing  $B$  and curl toward  $B$
- Thumb is direction of  $F$

$F$  out of page



$F$  - force  
 $v$  - Velocity  
 $B$  - magnetic field



# Force on Moving Charge

- $$\mathbf{F}_B = q \cdot \mathbf{v} \times \mathbf{B}$$

$q$  - charge (C)  
 $\mathbf{v}$  - velocity ( $\frac{m}{s}$ )  
 $\mathbf{B}$  - magnetic field strength (T)

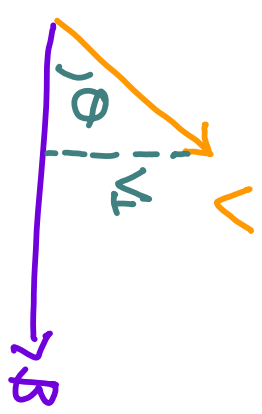
- $$F_B = q \cdot v \cdot B \sin\theta$$

- where  $\theta$  is the smaller angle between

$\mathbf{v}$  &  $\mathbf{B}$

- When is  $F$  zero?  $v=0$  or

$v \parallel B$



- When is  $F$  a maximum/minimum?  $v \perp B$

- Units of B-field? Tesla,  $T = \frac{N}{C(\frac{m}{s})} = \frac{N}{A \cdot m}$

# E-Field vs. B-field, force on charge

## ■ Differences

– The electric force is direction of E-field, the magnetic force is  $\perp$  to B-field.

– Which force requires the charge to be moving?

$$F_B$$

– Which force does work on the particle?

$$F_e, W_B = 0, W = \int F \cdot dx$$

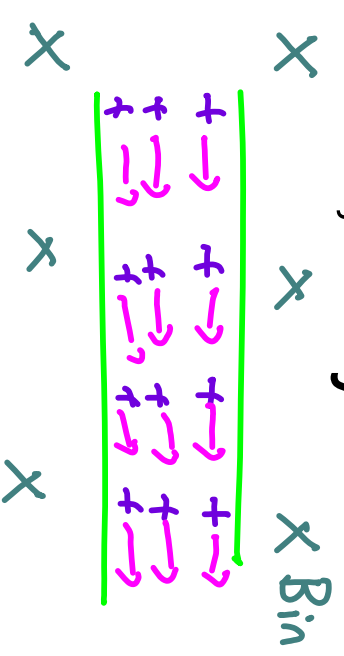
– Can the magnetic force alter the speed or KE of the particle? *No, only changes*

*direction*

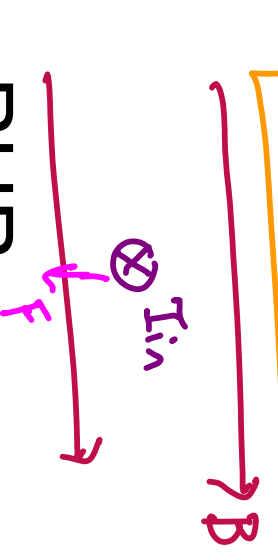
# Force on Current-Carrying Wire

- Are the charges moving in a current-carrying wire? **YES**

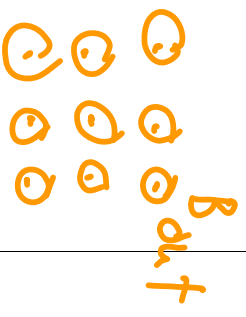
- If they are in a magnetic field, they must experience a *force*



$$F_B = I \cdot L \times B$$



- RHR



# Torque on Loop

- A magnetic force acts of which sides?

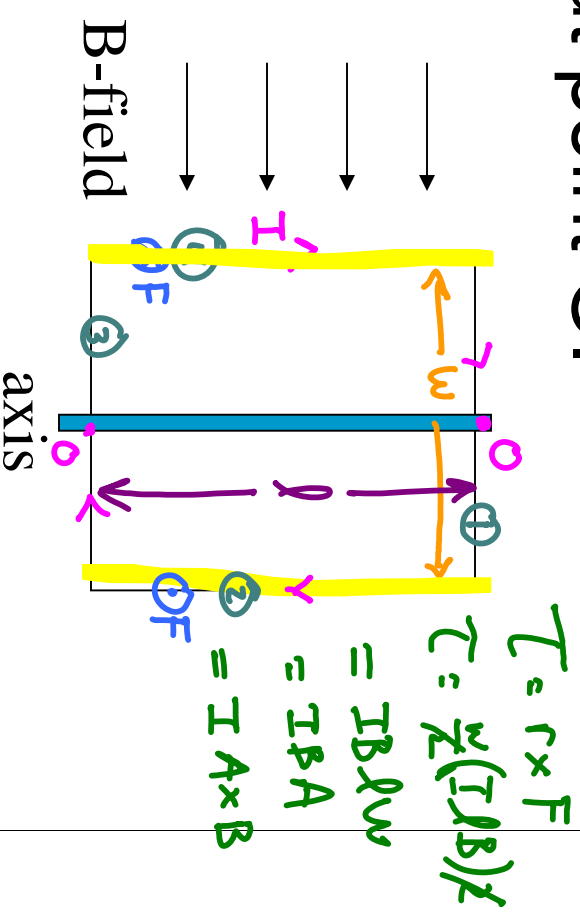
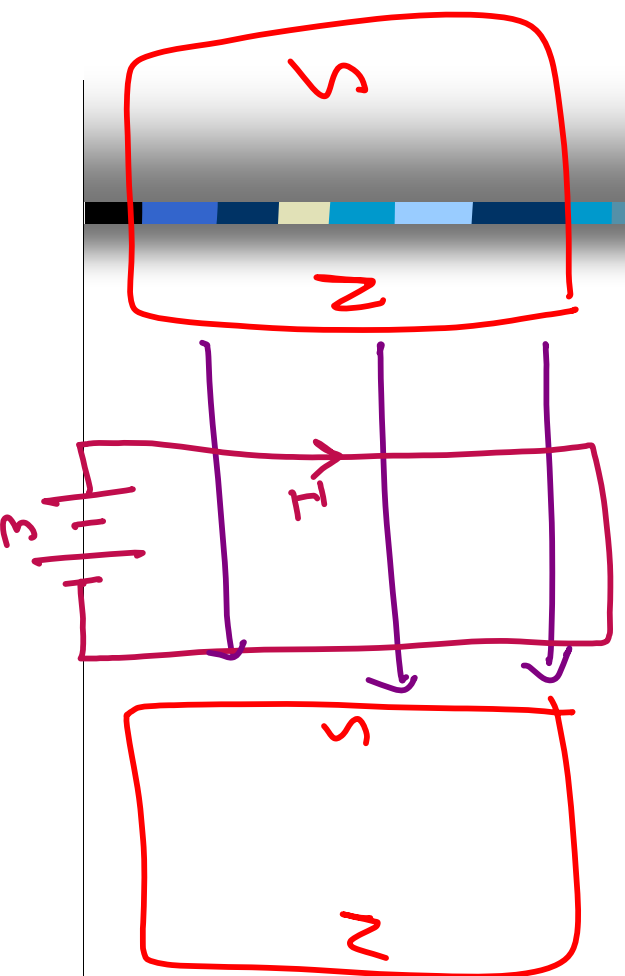
2 sides

- What is the magnitude and direction of these forces?

$$F = I \ell \times B$$

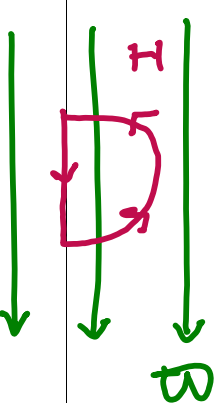
$$= I \ell B$$

- Now find torque about point O.



# Examples

1. Case 1 and 2.
2. General statement for a closed-loop in a magnetic field.  $F_B = 0$
3. An electron in a TV is moving at  $8 \times 10^6$  m/s along the x-axis. A magnetic field of 0.025 T is directed at  $60^\circ$  to the x-axis in the xy plane. Calculate the force and acceleration of the electron.  $F = qv \times B$  &  $F = ma$ ,  $F = 2.77 \times 10^{-14}$  N,  $a = 3.1 \times 10^{16} \frac{m}{s^2}$
4. A semicircle of wire carries 5 A in a magnetic field of 2 T. Find magnetic force on wire.  $F = 0$



l. #1 #2

