Magnetic Fields Assignment

SOLUTIONS

1.

various options are given and not exclusive

a)



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a) Force is proportional to $\sin\theta$, where θ is the angle between direction of the current and the direction of the magnetic field.

If θ is 0° (parallel) or 180° (antiparallel), sin $\theta = 0$ so F = 0.

b)
$$F = I\Delta lB \sin \theta$$

 $= 0.951 \times 20.1 \times 10^{-2} \times 4.99 \times 1$
 $= 0.954 \text{N (3 s.f.)}$ /2
c) $B = \frac{F}{I\Delta l \sin \theta}$
 $= \frac{0.954}{0.951 \times 20.1 \times 10^{-2} \times \sin(25.0^{\circ})}$
 $= 11.8 \text{ T (3 s.f.)}$ /2
d) $\theta = \sin^{-1} \left(\frac{F}{I\Delta lB}\right)$
 $= \sin^{-1} \left(\frac{0.954 \times 2}{0.951 \times 20.1 \times 10^{-2} \times 11.8}\right)$
 $= 57.7^{\circ} (3 \text{ s.f.})$ /2
4.
a) voice coil frame

b)

magnet structure

Since the "voice coil" runs between two magnet poles, it will experience a force when current flows through it.

The input voltage to the coil (and therefore current since Ohm's law I = V/R applies and resistance is constant) alternates with the signal, so that according the right hand rule the force on the coil (and therefore the cone) is either out of the speaker or into the speaker at any moment.

This continual in-out motion produces compressions and rarefactions in the air, which is sound.

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