# PHYS 122-Lecture 9: Magnetic Field and Magnetic Forces

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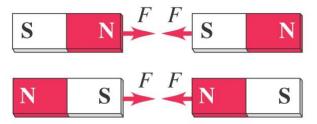
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Today: Chap 27: Magnetic Fields

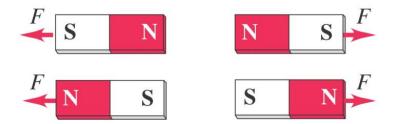
# Magnetic poles

• Figure 27.1 at the right shows the forces between magnetic poles.

(a) Opposite poles attract.

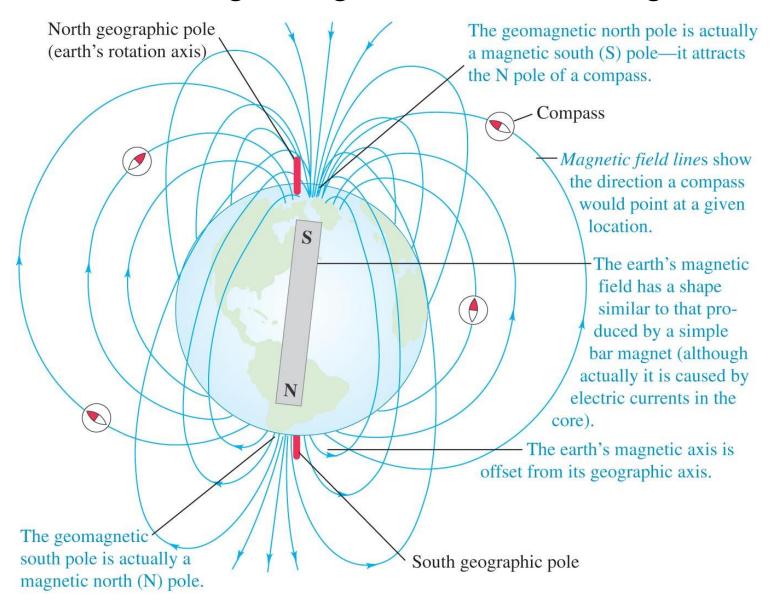


(b) Like poles repel.



#### Magnetic field of the earth

• The earth itself is a magnet. Figure 27.3 shows its magnetic field.

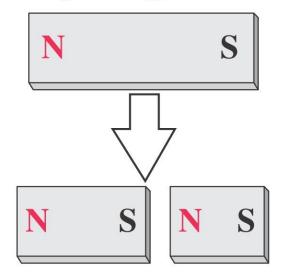


#### **Magnetic monopoles**

- Breaking a bar magnet does not separate its poles, as shown in Figure 27.4 at the right.
- There is no experimental evidence for magnetic monopoles.

In contrast to electric charges, magnetic poles always come in pairs and can't be isolated.

Breaking a magnet in two ...



... yields two magnets, not two isolated poles.

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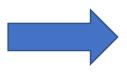
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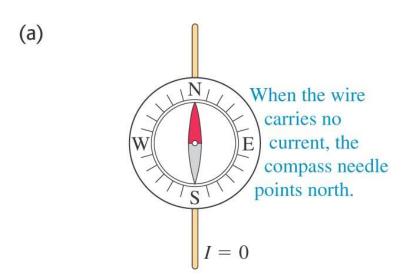


$$\nabla \cdot \vec{B} = 0$$

"The No-Name Law"
No Magnetic Monopoles

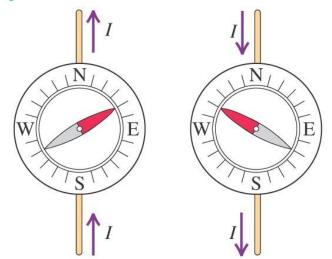
#### Electric current and magnets

- In 1820, Hans Oersted discovered that a current-carrying wire causes a compass to deflect. (See Figure 27.5 at the right.)
- This discovery revealed a connection between moving charge and magnetism.



When the wire carries a current, the compass needle deflects. The direction of deflection depends on the direction of the current.

(b)



#### The magnetic field

- A moving charge (or current) creates a *magnetic field* in the surrounding space.
- The magnetic field exerts a force on any other moving charge (or current) that is present in the field.

# The magnetic force on a moving charge

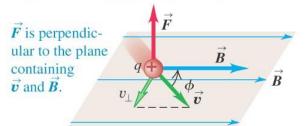
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(a)

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(b)

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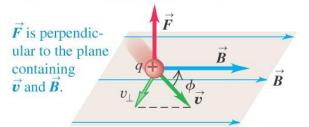
$$\overrightarrow{F_B} = q(\overrightarrow{v} \times \overrightarrow{B})$$

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#### Magnetic force as a vector product

- We can write the magnetic force as a vector product (see Figure 27.7 below).
- The right-hand rule gives the direction of the force on a *positive* charge.

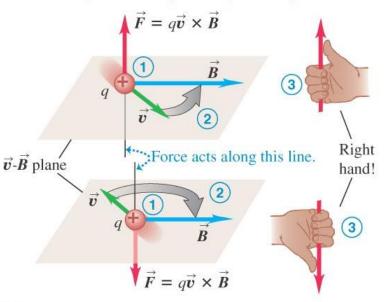
(a)

Right-hand rule for the direction of magnetic force on a positive charge moving in a magnetic field:

1 Place the  $\vec{v}$  and  $\vec{B}$  vectors tail to tail.

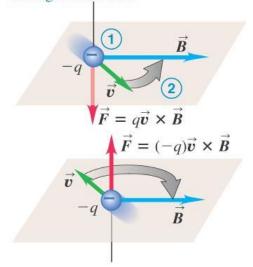
2 Imagine turning  $\vec{v}$  toward  $\vec{B}$  in the  $\vec{v}$ - $\vec{B}$  plane (through the smaller angle).

3 The force acts along a line perpendicular to the  $\vec{v} \cdot \vec{B}$  plane. Curl the fingers of your *right hand* around this line in the same direction you rotated  $\vec{v}$ . Your thumb now points in the direction the force acts.



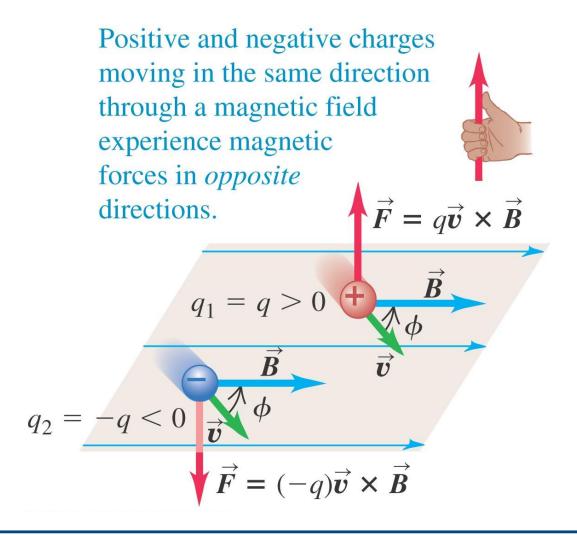
(b)

If the charge is negative, the direction of the force is *opposite* to that given by the right-hand rule.



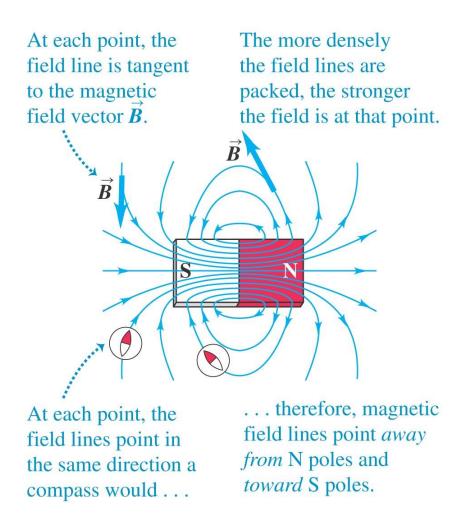
# Equal velocities but opposite signs

• Two charges of equal magnitude but opposite signs moving in the same direction in the same field will experience magnetic forces in opposite directions. (See Figure 27.8 below.)



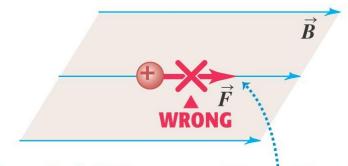
#### Magnetic field lines

• Figure 27.11 below shows the *magnetic field lines* of a permanent magnet.

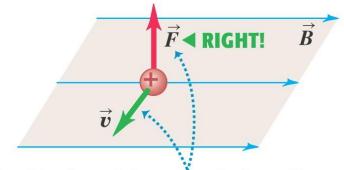


#### Magnetic field lines are not lines of force

• It is important to remember that magnetic field lines are *not* lines of magnetic force. (See Figure 27.12 below.)



Magnetic field lines are *not* "lines of force." The force on a charged particle is not along the direction of a field line.



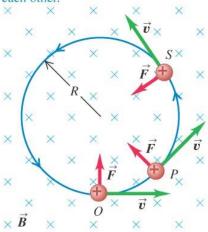
The direction of the magnetic force depends on the velocity  $\vec{v}$ , as expressed by the magnetic force law  $\vec{F} = q\vec{v} \times \vec{B}$ .

#### Motion of charged particles in a magnetic field

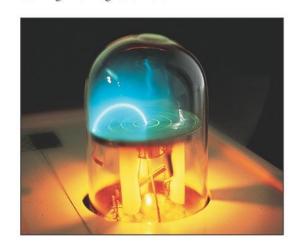
- A charged particle in a magnetic field always moves with constant speed.
- Figure 27.17 at the right illustrates the forces and shows an experimental example.
- If the velocity of the particle is perpendicular to the magnetic field, the particle moves in a circle of radius R = mv/|q|B.
- The number of revolutions of the particle per unit time is the *cyclotron frequency*.

(a) The orbit of a charged particle in a uniform magnetic field

A charge moving at right angles to a uniform  $\vec{B}$  field moves in a circle at constant speed because  $\vec{F}$  and  $\vec{v}$  are always perpendicular to each other



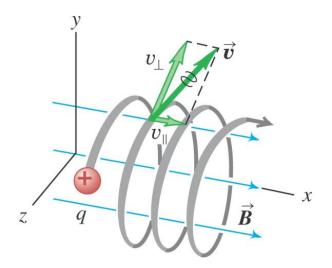
**(b)** An electron beam (seen as a blue arc) curving in a magnetic field



#### **Helical motion**

- If the particle has velocity components parallel to and perpendicular to the field, its path is a *helix*. (See Figure 27.18 at the right.)
- The speed and kinetic energy of the particle remain constant.

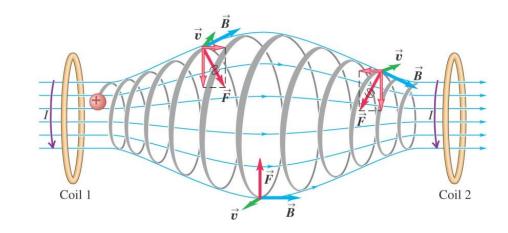
This particle's motion has components both parallel  $(v_{\parallel})$  and perpendicular  $(v_{\perp})$  to the magnetic field, so it moves in a helical path.

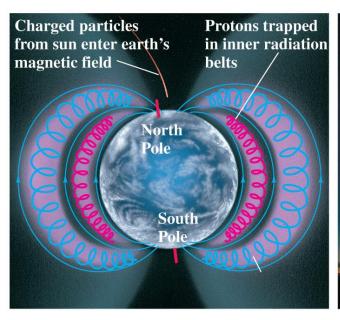


#### A nonuniform magnetic field

- Figure 27.19 at the right shows charges trapped in a *magnetic* bottle, which results from a nonuniform magnetic field.
- Figure 27.20 below shows the Van Allen radiation belts and the resulting aurora. These belts are due to the earth's nonuniform field.

(a)







(b)