6.6. Capacity



C depends only from shape of the conductor:

Ball with radius R

 $C = 4\pi\varepsilon_0 \cdot R$ 

Ball with charge Q against  

$$\infty$$
  
far away wall:  
 $U = \frac{1}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \frac{Q}{R}; U \sim Q$   
 $Q = C \cdot U$ ,

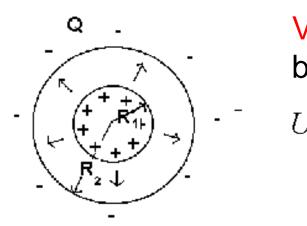
with C as capacity

$$[C] = Farad = \frac{C}{V}$$

Capacitor:

At a given voltage: Seperation of charge depends on C !

#### Spherical condensor:



 $\Rightarrow$ 

$$\vec{E} = \frac{1}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \frac{Q}{r^2} \vec{e}_r$$
; Potential:  $\varphi(r) = \frac{1}{4\pi\epsilon_0}$   
Voltage U between both  
ballcups:

$$U = \varphi_1(R_1) - \varphi_1(R_2) = \frac{1}{4\pi\varepsilon_0} \left\{ \frac{Q}{R_1} - \frac{Q}{R_2} \right\}$$
$$= \frac{Q}{4\pi\varepsilon_0} \frac{R_2 - R_1}{R_1 \cdot R_2} = \frac{Q}{C} \quad \text{mit} \quad \frac{1}{C} = \frac{1}{4\pi\varepsilon_0} \frac{R_2 - R_1}{R_1 \cdot R_2}$$

U (d)

Special case:  $R_1 \approx R_2 = R$  and thus  $\Delta R \ll R$ 

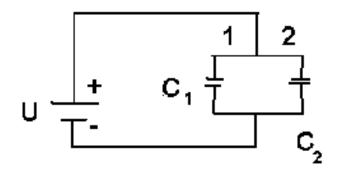
 $C = \varepsilon_0 \frac{4\pi R^2}{\Delta R} = \varepsilon_0 \frac{A}{\Delta R}$  Plate condensor:

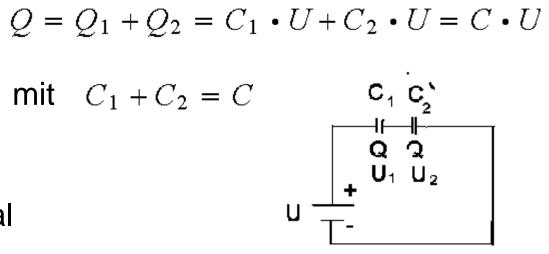
Segment of a spherical condensor with R  $\rightarrow \infty$ 

**C**= $\varepsilon_0 \frac{A}{d}$  **d** distance of the plates

Potential difference : 
$$U = \frac{Q}{C}$$
  
Elektric field:  $|\vec{E}| = \frac{d\varphi}{dx} = \frac{\varphi_{+} - \varphi_{-}}{d} = \frac{U}{d} \Rightarrow U = E \cdot d$ 

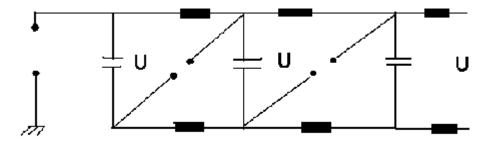
### Set-up of Condensers

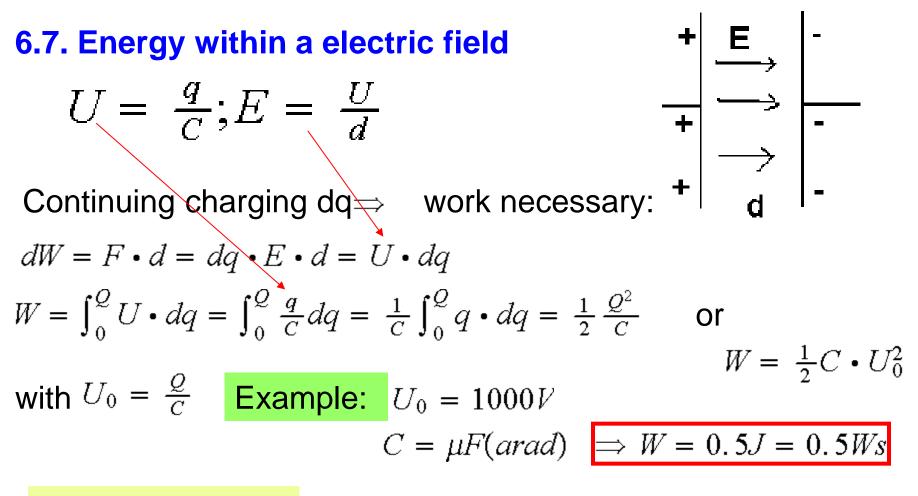




$$U_1 + U_2 = U; \frac{Q}{C_1} + \frac{Q}{C_2} = \frac{Q}{C}$$







1Ws:Wattsecond

Where is energy situated?

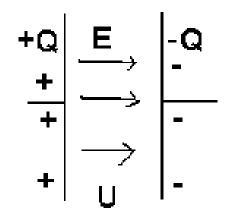
$$W = \frac{1}{2}C \cdot U_0^2 = \frac{1}{2}\varepsilon_0 \frac{A}{d}E_0^2 \cdot d^2 = \frac{1}{2}\varepsilon_0 \cdot E_0^2 \cdot V$$

V: Volume of the field region!

Energy is situated in the electric field

Definition of displacement density:

$$Q = C \cdot U = \varepsilon_0 \frac{A}{d} E \cdot d = \varepsilon_0 \cdot A \cdot E$$
  
Surface density:  $\sigma = \frac{Q}{A} = \varepsilon_0 \cdot E = D_0$ 



 $\vec{D}_0 = \epsilon_0 \cdot \vec{E}$  Displacement density of the vacuum

## 6.8.Matter in a electric field

Matter: Conductor, distance of the plates: d

$$Q = C_0 \cdot U_0; U_0 = E \cdot d$$

-Q ---

+

Bringing in of an conductor: Voltage decreases

with conductor: 
$$U = E(d-a) \Rightarrow U = \frac{d-a}{d} \cdot U_0$$

because Q= constant  $C = \frac{d}{d-a} \cdot C_0$ 

i.e.: Capacity increases!

## Insulator in a electric field!

Without dielectric matter:  $Q = C_0 \cdot U_0$ 

with: 
$$U = \frac{Q}{C} = \frac{C_0 \cdot U_0}{C} =$$

**Dielectric constant** 

$$C = \varepsilon \cdot \varepsilon_0 \cdot \frac{A}{d}$$
 for plate condensor

# How to explain it?

Without dielectricum:

$$\Phi_0 = E_0 \cdot A = \frac{Q_0}{\varepsilon_0} : *$$

 $\frac{U_0}{c}$ 

= 3

With dielectricum:  $U = \frac{U_0}{\varepsilon} \implies E = \frac{E_0}{\varepsilon}$ 

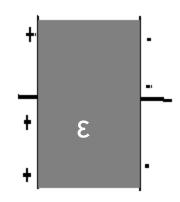
$$\Phi = E \cdot A = \frac{Q}{\varepsilon_0} \quad \Phi = \frac{E_0}{\varepsilon} \cdot A = \frac{Q_0}{\varepsilon_0 \cdot \varepsilon} \Longrightarrow Q = \frac{Q_0}{\varepsilon}$$

On the plates  $Q_0!$ 

Difference  $Q_P$ :

Field lines stop at the surface of the dielectricum

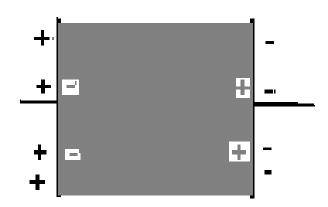
Glas	ε =5-10
Water	81.1 (18°)
Air	1.000576



$$Q_P = Q_0 - Q = Q_0 (1 - \frac{1}{\varepsilon}) = \varepsilon_0 \cdot \frac{\varepsilon - 1}{\varepsilon} A \cdot E_0;$$

Surface charge density on the dielectricum

$$\sigma_P = \frac{Q_P}{A} = \varepsilon_0 \cdot \frac{\varepsilon - 1}{\varepsilon} \cdot E_0 = \varepsilon_0 \cdot (\varepsilon - 1) \cdot E$$



With field

Without field

Elektric dipolmoment of the isolator:

$$\vec{P} = Q_P \cdot \vec{d} = \sigma_P \cdot A \cdot \vec{d} = \varepsilon_0 \cdot (\varepsilon - 1) \cdot V \cdot \vec{E}$$

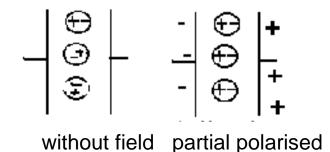
Polarisation:  $\vec{p} = \frac{\vec{p}}{V}$   $\vec{p} = \varepsilon_0 \cdot (\varepsilon - 1) \cdot \vec{E} = \varepsilon \cdot \varepsilon_0 \cdot \vec{E} - \varepsilon_0 \cdot \vec{E}$ 

### **Polarisation:**

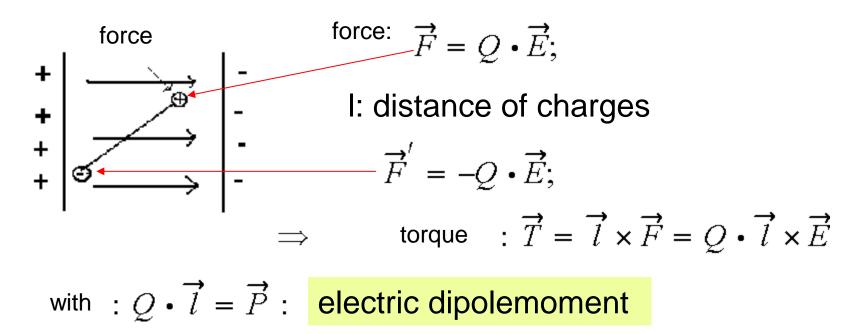
a) Molecules without permanent dipolmoment

Electric dipolmoments get induced! ',Displacement polarisation"

## b) Molecules with a permanent dipolemoment

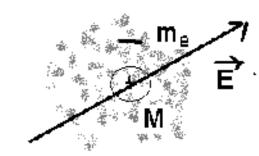


"Orientation polarisation"



$$\vec{T} = \vec{P} \times \vec{E}$$

Polarisibility of atoms in electric alternating fields :



 $\vec{E}$  : outer field, masses M, m<sub>e</sub> with M >>m<sub>e</sub>

the electron gets moved by force

out of balance

 $m_e \frac{d^2 x}{dt^2} + m_e \cdot \omega_0^2 \cdot x = q \cdot E_x^0 \cdot \cos \omega t$  solution with  $x = x_0 * \cos \omega t$ 

$$\omega^2 \cdot m_e \cdot x_0 \cdot \cos \omega t + m_e \cdot \omega_0^2 \cdot x_0 \cdot \cos \omega t = q \cdot E_x^0 \cdot \cos \omega t$$

