



19222 Electrical Machines and Control

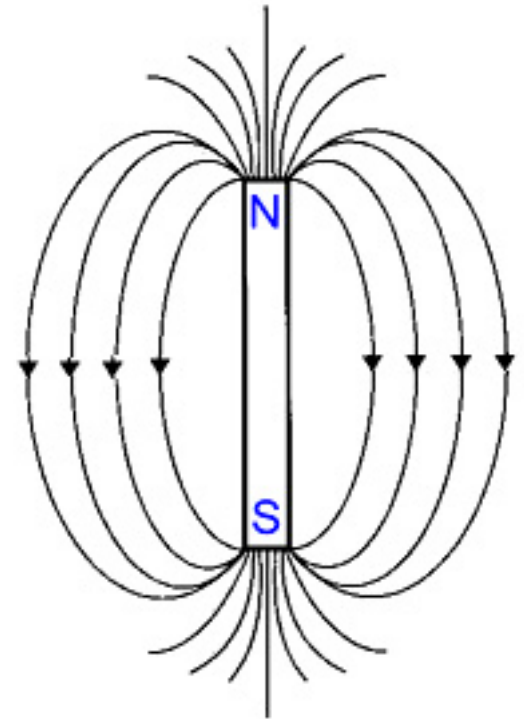
Electromagnetism (part I)

Electromagnetism

- Aim: impart an understanding of electromagnetic principles
- Important as electromagnetism underpins the operation of many electrical machines
- Linkage between electrical and mechanical worlds

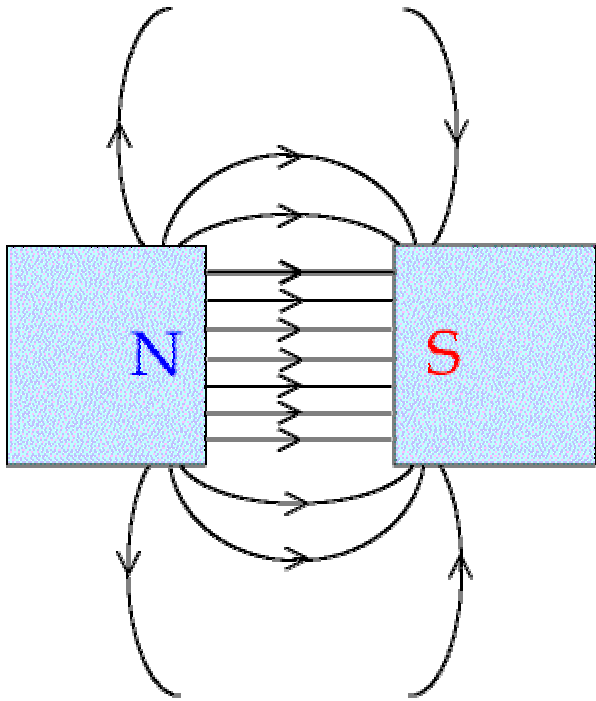
Electromagnetism

- Magnetic field around a bar magnet
- Two “poles” dictated by direction of the field
- Opposite poles attract (aligned magnetic field)
- Same poles repel (opposing magnetic field)

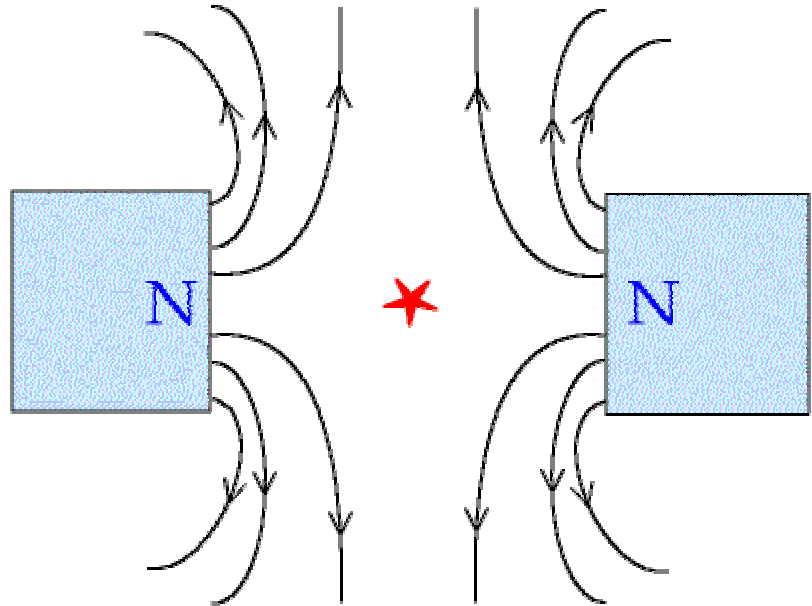


Electromagnetism

Attracting Poles

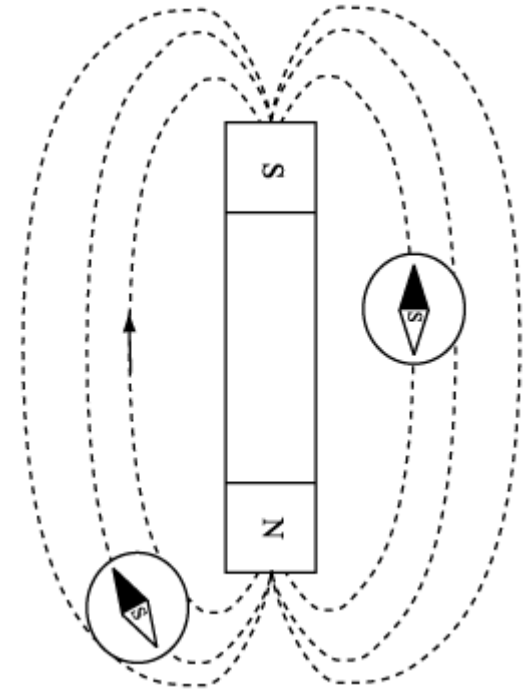


Poles which Repel



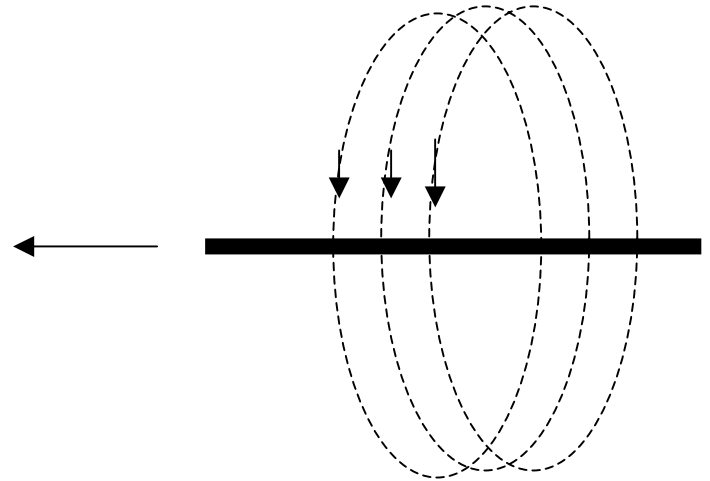
Field Detector

- Can use a compass to map out magnetic field
- Field forms closed “flux lines” around the magnet
- Magnetic flux measured in Webers (Wb)
- Symbol Φ



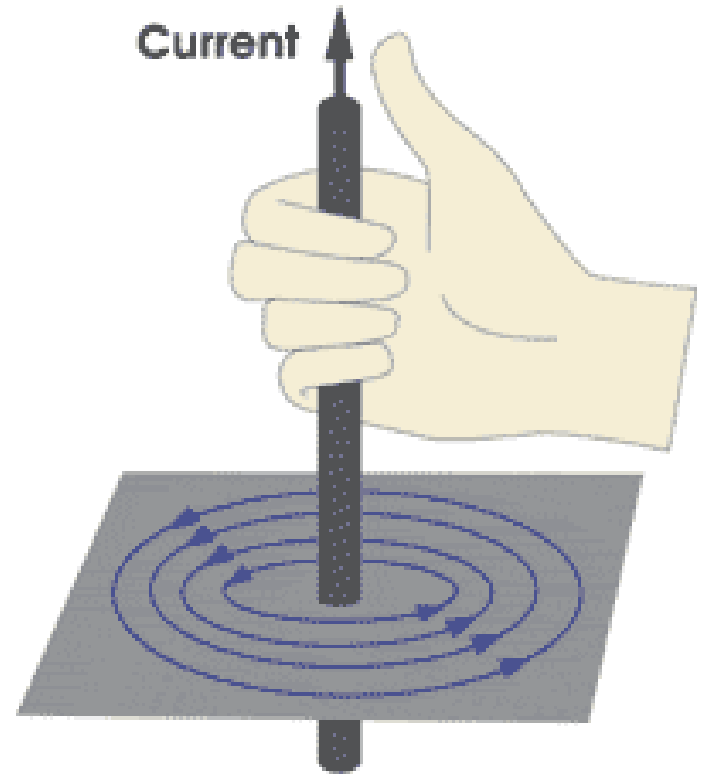
Magnetic Field Conductor

- A magnetic field also forms round a conductor along which a current is flowing
- Field can be described using “right hand screw rule”



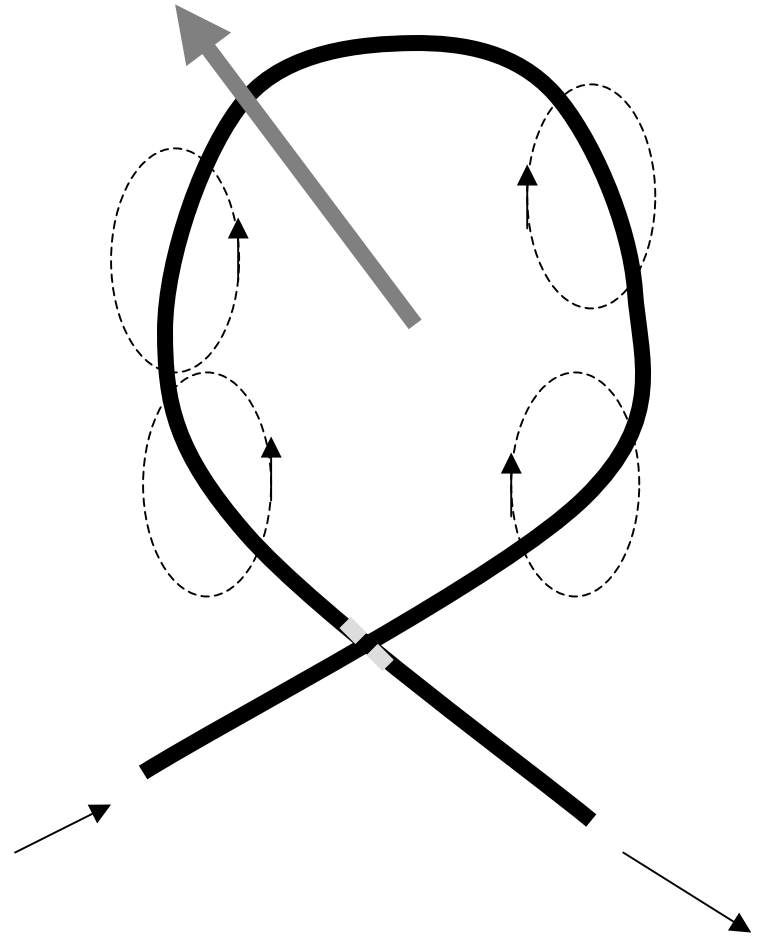
Right Hand Rule

- Thumb indicates direction of current flow
- Finger curl indicates the direction of field



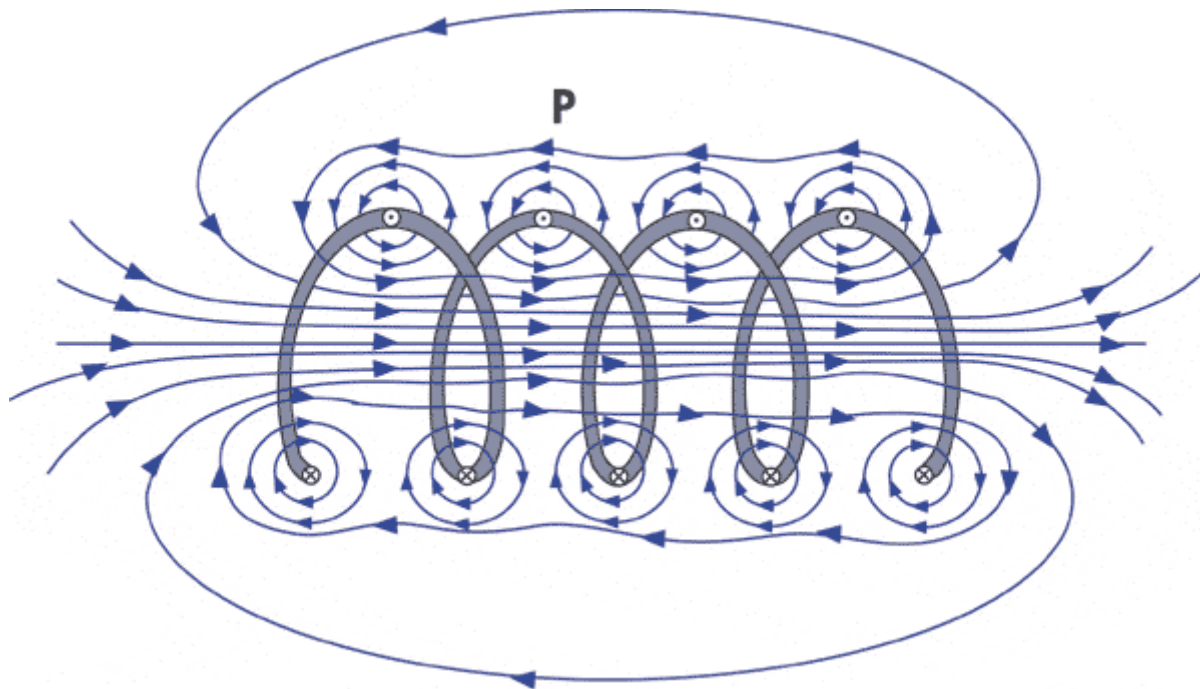
Wire Coil

- Notice that a coil of wire will produce a perpendicular field



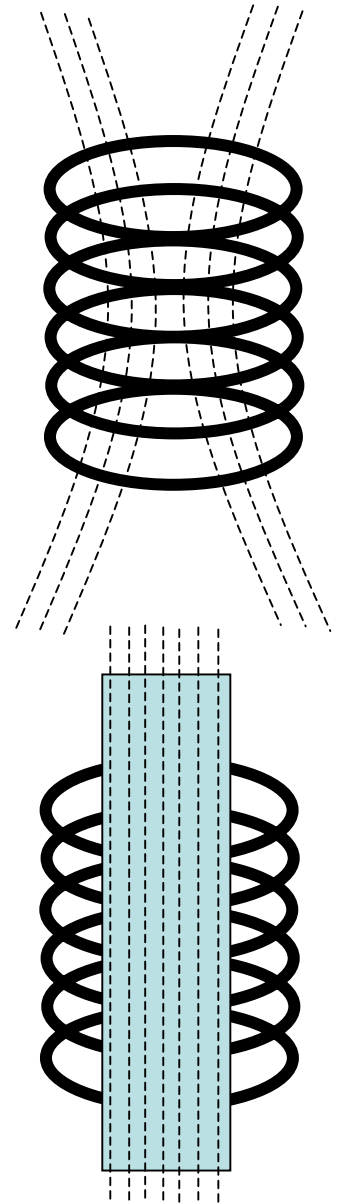
Magnetic field: coil

- A series of coils produces a field similar to a bar magnet – but weaker!



Magnetic field: coil

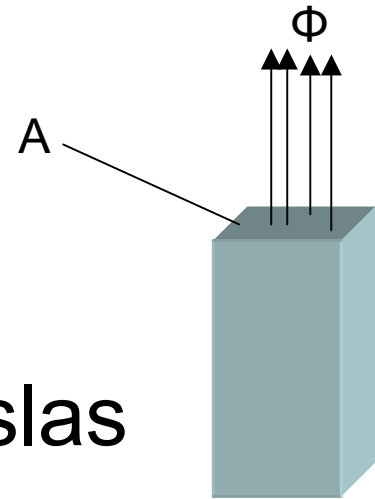
- Placing a ferrous material inside the coil increases the magnetic field
- Acts to concentrate the field also notice field lines are parallel inside ferrous element
- 'flux density' has increased



Flux Density

$$\mathbf{B} = \frac{\Phi}{A}$$

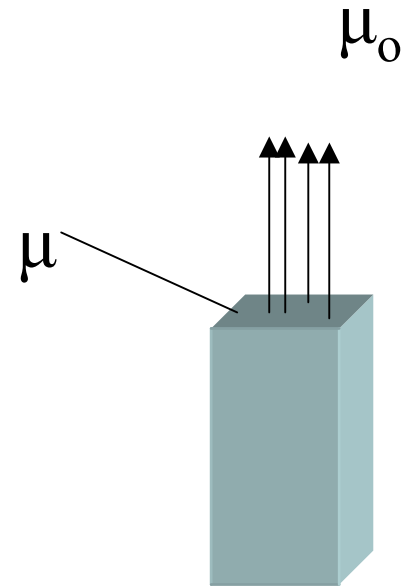
- Flux density measured in Teslas (T)



Permeability

- Permeability μ is a measure of the ease by which a magnetic flux can pass through a material (Wb/Am)
- Permeability of free space $\mu_0 = 4\pi \times 10^{-7}$ (Wb/Am)
- Relative permeability:

$$\mu_r = \frac{\mu}{\mu_0}$$

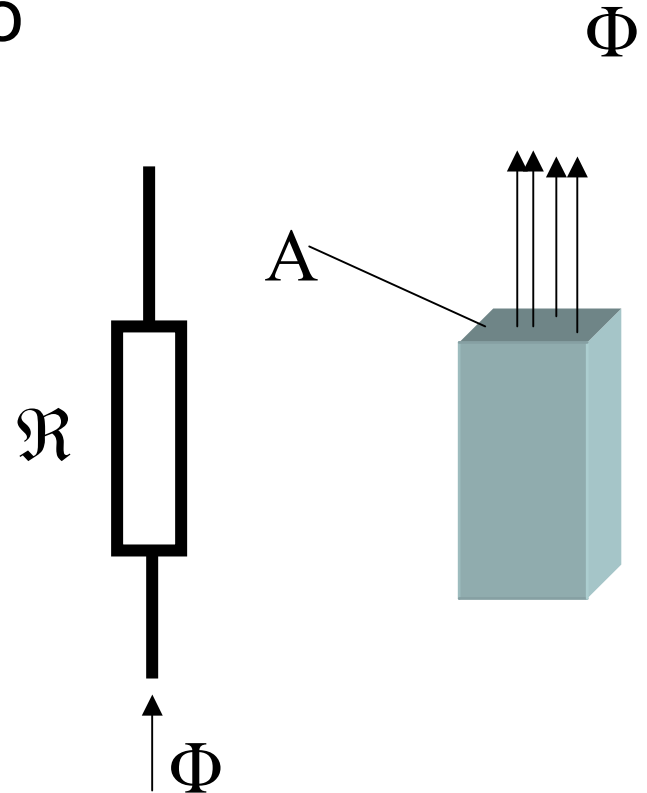


Reluctance

- Reluctance: \mathcal{R} “resistance” to flow of magnetic flux

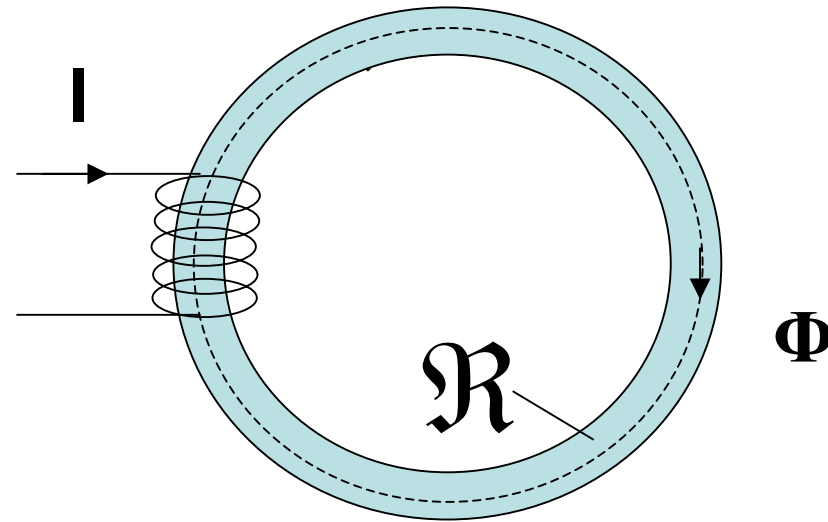
$$\mathcal{R} = \frac{l}{\mu A} \quad (\text{At/Wb})$$

- Associated with “magnetic circuit” – flux equivalent to current
- What’s equivalent of voltage?



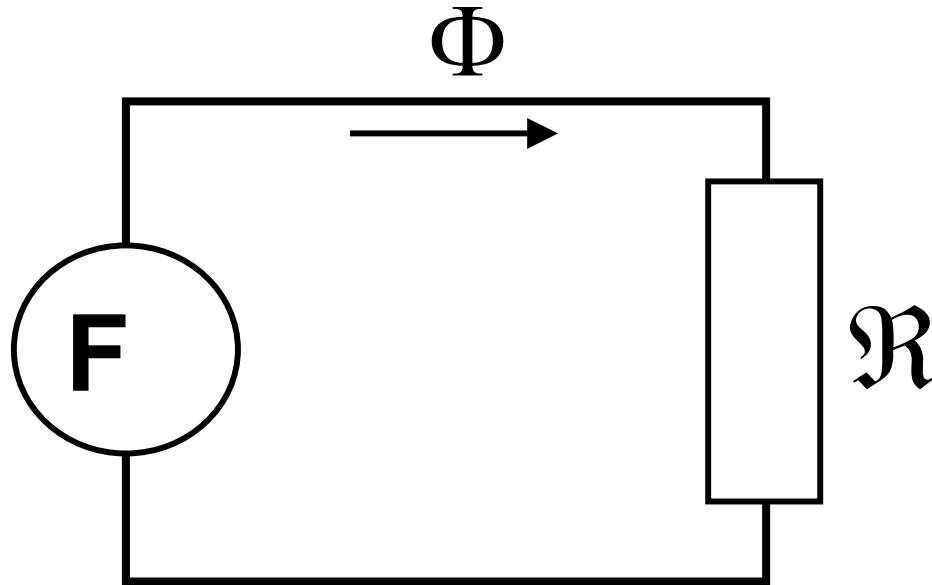
Magnetomotive Force

- Coil generates magnetic field in ferrous torroid
- Driving force \mathbf{F} needed to overcome torroid reluctance \mathcal{R}
- Magnetic equivalent of ohms law



$$\Phi = \frac{\mathbf{F}}{\mathcal{R}} \quad (\text{T})$$

Circuit Analogy



Magnetomotive Force

- The MMF is generated by the coil
- Strength related to number of turns and current measured in Ampere turns (At)

$$\mathbf{F} = NI$$

$$\Phi = \frac{NI}{\mathfrak{R}}$$

Field Intensity

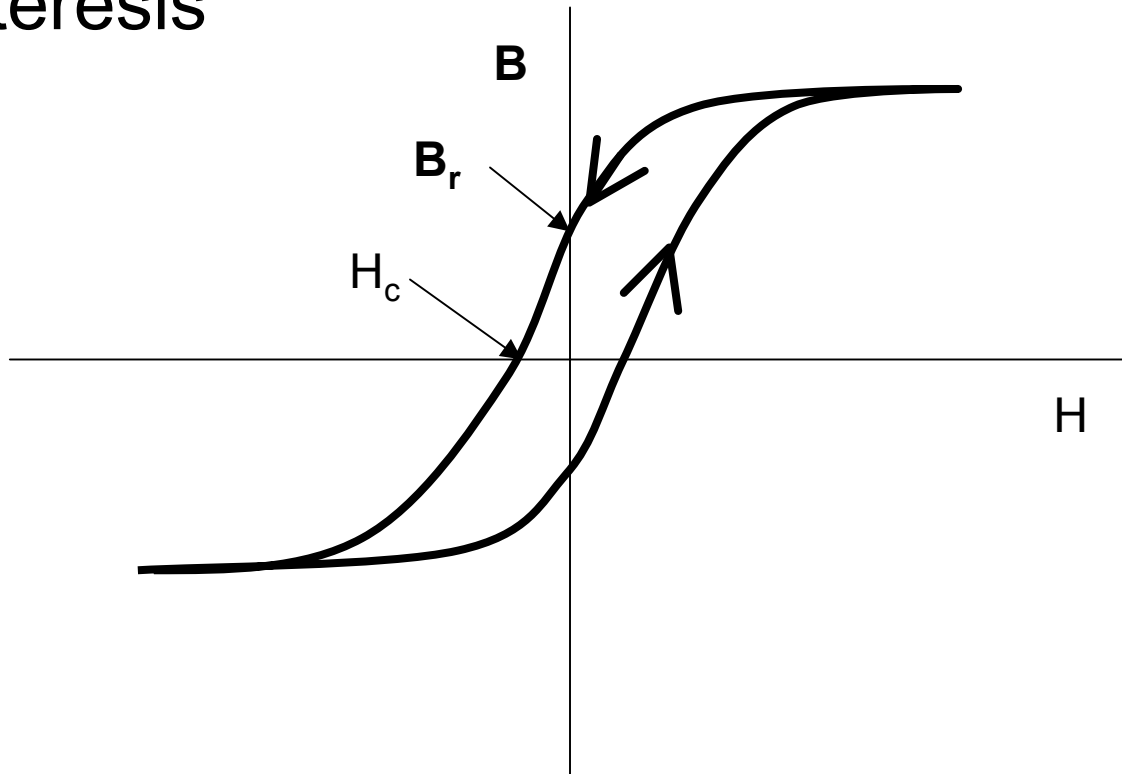
- The longer the magnetic path the greater the MMF required to drive the flux
- Magnetomotive force per unit length is known as the “magnetizing force” or “field intensity” H

$$H = F / l \text{ (At/m)}$$

- Magnetizing force and flux density related by:
$$\mathbf{B} = \mu H \text{ (T)}$$

Hysteresis

- The relationship between \mathbf{B} and \mathbf{H} is complicated by non-linearity and “hysteresis”

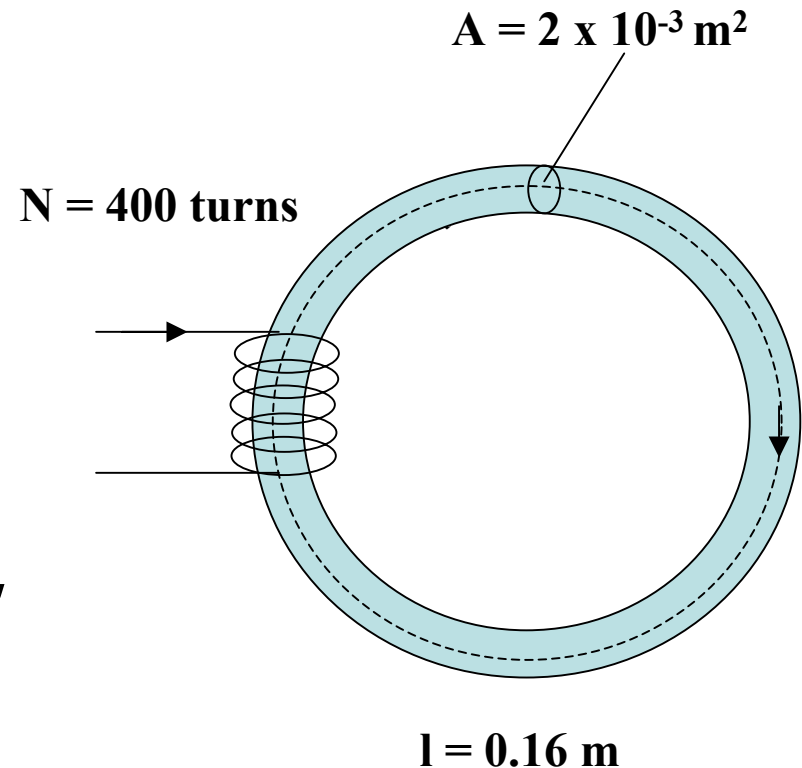


Example

- Find the value of l needed to develop a magnetic flux of 4×10^{-4} Wb
- The permeability of the material is 1.818×10^{-3} Wb/Am
- Flux density

$$B = \frac{\Phi}{A} = \frac{4 \times 10^{-4}}{2 \times 10^{-3}} = 0.2 \text{ T}$$

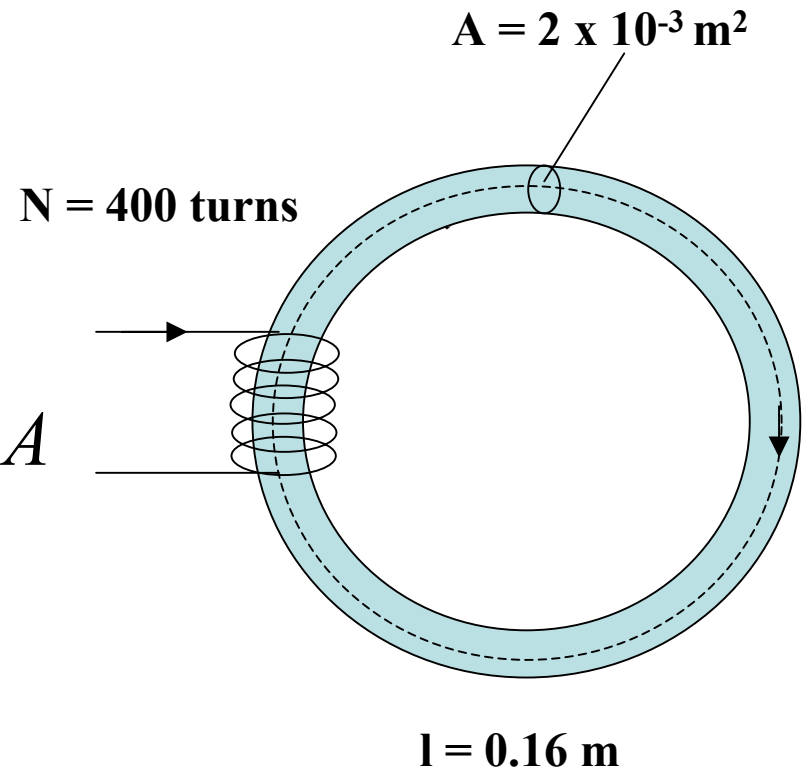
$$H = \frac{B}{\mu} = \frac{0.2}{1.818 \times 10^{-3}} = 110 \text{ At / m}$$



Example

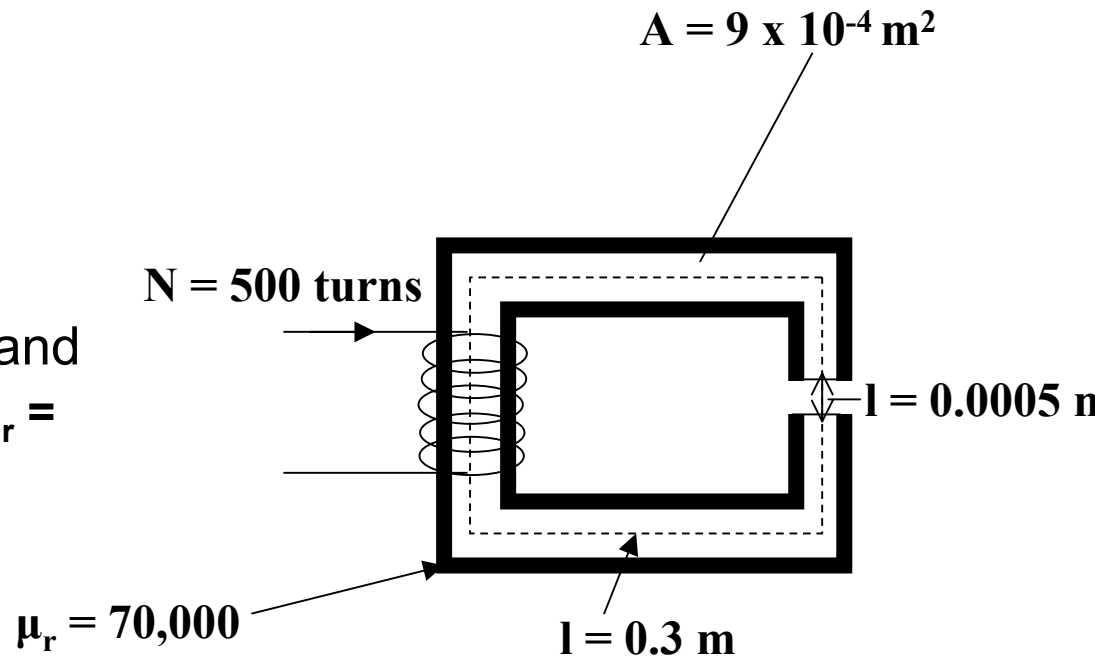
$$\mathbf{F} = NI = Hl$$

$$I = \frac{Hl}{N} = \frac{110 \times 0.16}{400} = 44 \text{ mA}$$



Example 2

- Find the flux if the flux density is 1.0 T
- The current in the coil
- The magnetic field strength in the air gap and in the magnetic core ($\mu_r = 70,000$)



Example 2

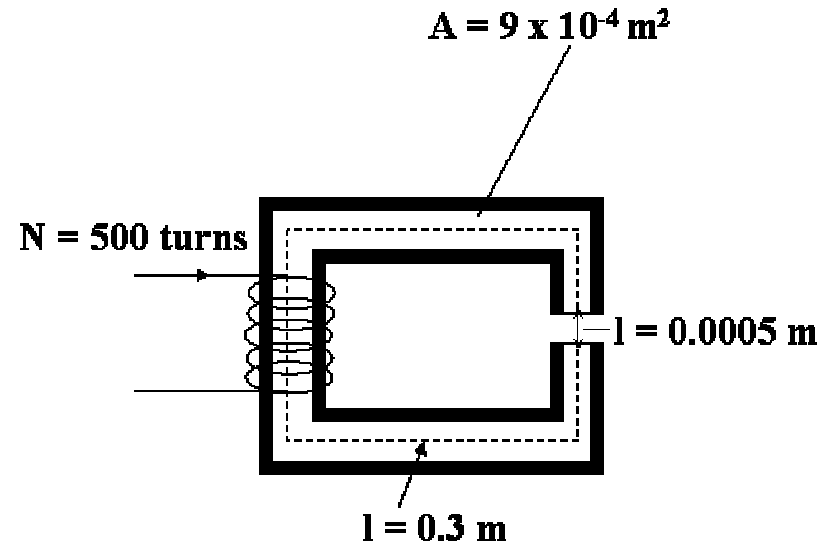
$$A_c = A_g = 9 \times 10^{-4} \text{ m}^2$$

$$l_g = 0.0005 \text{ m}$$

$$l_c = 0.3 \text{ m}$$

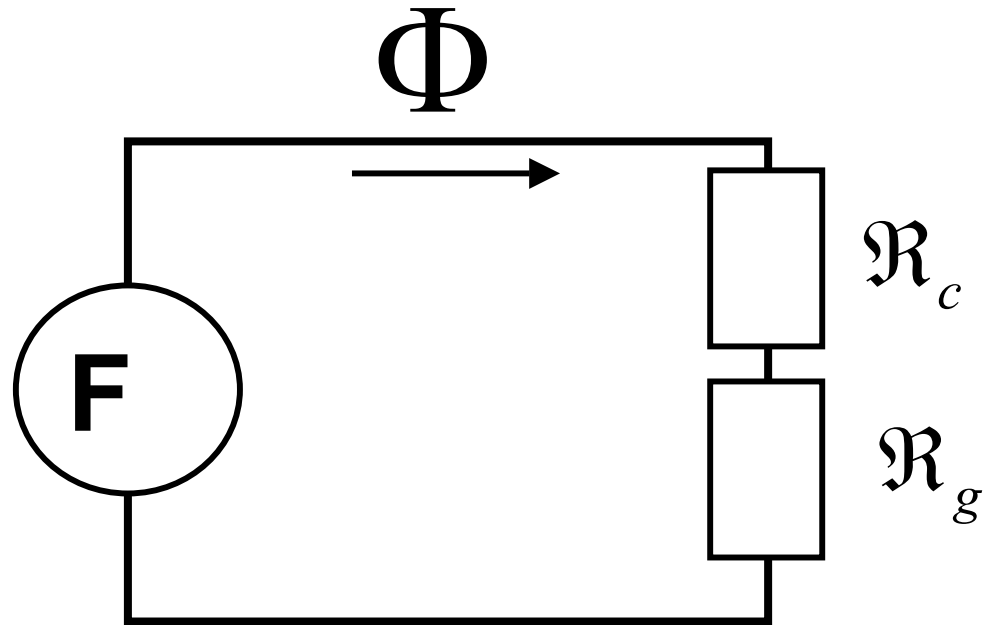
$$\Phi = \mathbf{B}A = 1.0 \times 9 \times 10^{-4} = 9 \times 10^{-4} \text{ Wb}$$

$$\mathbf{F} = \Phi \mathcal{R}_c + \Phi \mathcal{R}_g = \mathbf{F}_c + \mathbf{F}_g$$



To find current need
to find MMF – use
ohm's law
equivalent!

Circuit Analogy



Example 2

Air Gap:

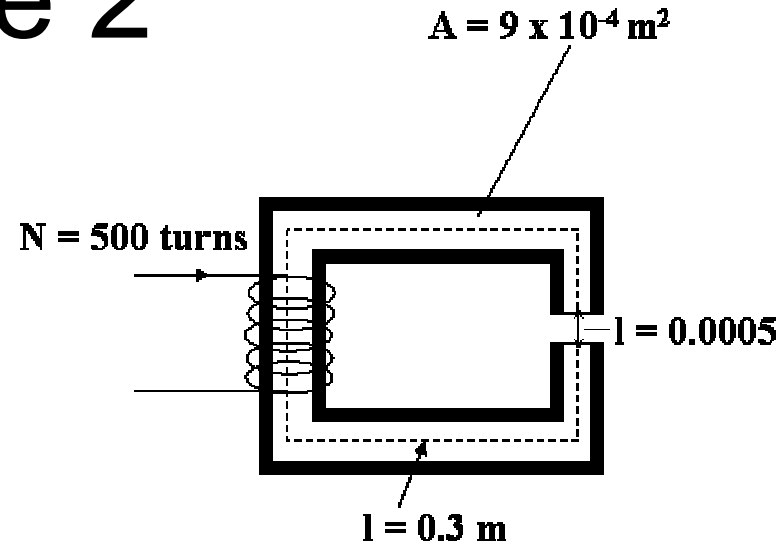
$$\mathcal{R}_g = \frac{l_c}{\mu_o A_g} = \frac{5 \times 10^{-4}}{(4\pi \times 10^{-7})(9 \times 10^{-4})}$$
$$= 4.42 \times 10^5 \text{ At/Wb}$$

$$\mathbf{F}_g = \Phi \mathcal{R}_g = 9 \times 10^{-4} \times 4.42 \times 10^5 = 397.9 \text{ At}$$

Core:

$$\mathcal{R}_c = \frac{l_c}{\mu_r \mu_o A_c} = \frac{0.3}{(7 \times 10^4)(4\pi \times 10^{-7})(9 \times 10^{-4})}$$
$$= 3789.4 \text{ At/Wb}$$

$$\mathbf{F}_c = \Phi \mathcal{R}_c = 9 \times 10^{-4} \times 3789.4 = 3.41 \text{ At}$$

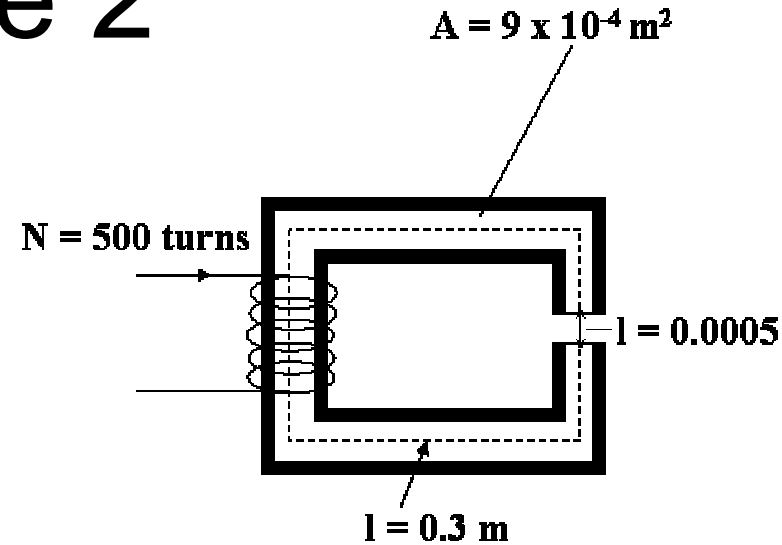


Example 2

$$F = F_c + F_g$$

$$3.41 + 397.9 = 401.31 \text{ At}$$

$$I = \frac{F}{N} = \frac{401.31}{500} = 0.8 \text{ A}$$



Example 2

$$H_c = \frac{\mathbf{B}}{\mu_r \mu_o} = \frac{1}{(7 \times 10^4)(4\pi \times 10^{-7})} = 11.37 \text{ At / m}$$

$$H_g = \frac{\mathbf{B}}{\mu_o} = \frac{1}{(4\pi \times 10^{-7})} = 7.96 \times 10^5 \text{ At / m}$$

