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1. A  $+18 \mu\text{C}$  point charge **A** is fixed in the space.

(1) A positively charged particle **B** with  $6 \mu\text{C}$  starts to move toward charge **A** with an initial speed  $98 \text{ m/s}$  and could come as close as  $1 \text{ mm}$  from charge **A**. The mass of particle **B** is  $150 \text{ g}$ . What is the initial distance between these two charges? [5]

(2) When charge **B** comes to a halt  $1 \text{ mm}$  from charge **A**, you wish to push charge **B** further to a point P that is  $0.5 \text{ mm}$  away from charge **A**. What work should you do? [5]

2. There are four charges A - D on the plane. The equipotential curves are described in the following figure.

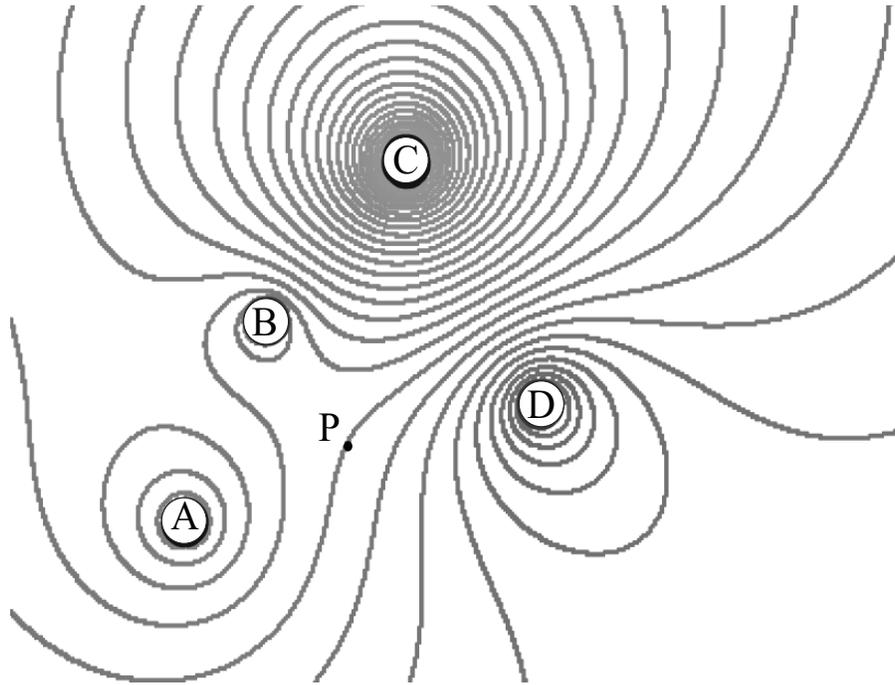


Figure 1:

(1) Suppose A is positively charged. State the signs of all the remaining charges B - D.

(2) Which charge has the largest magnitude? You must explain your answer succinctly.

(3) Indicate the direction of the electric field at P.