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Discussion 10/13 (6a)

$$\vec{F} = q \vec{v} \times \vec{B} \quad (\text{for moving, charged particles})$$

(current (electric))
$$\vec{F} = I \vec{l} \times \vec{B}$$

#1) $\vec{B} = (A/y) \hat{k}$

$$\vec{F}_{\text{top}} = I a \frac{A}{l+a} \hat{i} \times \hat{k} \quad \vec{B} = \frac{A}{l+a} \hat{k}$$

$$= -I a \frac{A}{l+a} \hat{j}$$

$$\vec{F}_{\text{bot}} = I a \frac{A}{l} (-\hat{i} \times \hat{k})$$

$$I a \frac{A}{l} \hat{j}$$

