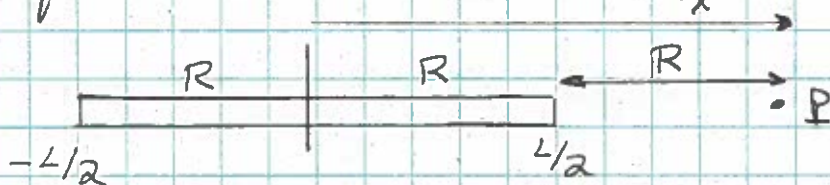


The two straight sections contribute the same potential at P and the semicircle is from WB25-11 (done in class).

For a straight section, use the result from the example done in class:



from inclass example
$$V_s = K\lambda \ln \left\{ \frac{x + L/2}{x - L/2} \right\}$$

where $x = 2R$ and $L/2 = R$

So
$$V_s = K\lambda \ln \left\{ \frac{2R + R}{2R - R} \right\} = K\lambda \ln(3)$$

from WB25-11,
$$V_c = \frac{KQ}{R} = \frac{K}{R} \lambda \pi R = K\lambda \pi$$

∴ Total potential at P is:

$$\begin{aligned} V &= 2V_s + V_c \\ &= 2K\lambda \ln(3) + K\lambda \pi \end{aligned}$$

or,
$$\begin{aligned} V &= K\lambda \left\{ 2\ln(3) + \pi \right\} \\ &= \frac{\lambda}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \left\{ 2\ln(3) + \pi \right\} \end{aligned}$$