



Potential at P:

$$V = \sum_j \frac{Kq_j}{r_j} = \frac{Kq_1}{r_1} + \frac{Kq_2}{r_2} + \frac{Kq_3}{r_3}$$

$$r_2 = y = 4\text{cm}; \quad r_3 = x = 3\text{cm}$$

$$r_1 = \sqrt{x^2 + y^2} = 5\text{cm}.$$

∴ $V = 1768\text{V}$

Part b: What is the potential energy of an electron at P?

$$U = qV = -eV = \underline{\underline{-2.829 \times 10^{-16}\text{J}}}$$

