

**PHYS 703 Test 2**  
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As always, you may use any valid approach, but please explain each step carefully and fully.

1. [10 points] A thin non-conducting spherical surface is maintained at a potential  $\Phi(r = R, \theta) = V_0 + V_1 \cos(\theta)$ .
  - (a) What is the potential inside the sphere?
  - (b) What is the electric field inside the sphere?
  - (c) What is the charge density and the total charge on the surface of the sphere?
  
2. [5 points]

What is the potential due to a dipole  $\vec{p}$  at the origin?  
Derive from this the electric field at large distances from the origin.