## Homework #2 — due Wednesday, January 31

Numbers refer to the problems in Griffiths

From Wednesday, January 24:

## 1. Problem C

Two parallel conducting plates are separated by a distance d and are held at electric potentials  $V_1$  and  $V_2$ , as shown in the diagram. Assume  $V_2 > V_1$ . The region between the plates is filled with two equal sized slabs of linear dielectric materials, with permeabilities  $\epsilon_1$  and  $\epsilon_2$ .



- (a) Assume that the boundary surface between the dielectrics has no free charge on it. Calculate the **D** and **E** fields in the region between the plates. Also calculate the bound charge density  $\rho_b$  in both dielectrics, and the surface bound charge  $\sigma_b$  at the interface between them.
- (b) Repeat part (a), but now with a free charge density  $\sigma_f$  on the interface between the dielectrics.
- 2. 6.17

From Friday, January 26:

- 3. 7.40
- 4. 7.63

From Monday, January 29:

- 5. 8.1
- 6. 8.2