## 2011-12 PreAP Magnetism 6

Let's talk more about breaking magnetic field lines (previous HW, just before Q3). Also, look at the generator discussion at the bottom of the "Induction" notes.



Loop is horizontal

A loop is rotated counter-clockwise (CCW) about a diameter in a magnetic field.

- A. \* When the loop is vertical, is it breaking any magnetic field lines?
- B. So is there any I<sub>induced</sub> when the loop is vertical?

*Or*, by the right-hand rule, the top of the vertical loop is moving parallel to *B*, so there can't be a *RHR* force (*q* and *B* can't be parallel).

- C. When the loop is horizontal, is it breaking any magnetic field lines?
- D. Is there any  $I_{induced}$  when the loop is horizontal?
- E. Using either Lenz's Law or the RHR, determine the direction of I<sub>induced</sub> in the horizontal loop, as viewed from above.

Use Lenz's Law or the RHR to figure out the direction of I induced in these next two examples.



A generator generates" electricity by wires being turned thru magnetic fields (or vice versa). Generators take mechanical energy from wind, moving steam (as in power plants), or a belt in your car and turn it into electrical energy. If hooked up in reverse (electricity in) a generator becomes a motor, which takes electrical energy and turns it into motion. A generator can be a motor. A motor can be a generator. Both contain magnets and wires.

## 5. Motor, Generator, or Both?

- A. \_\_\_\_ Creates electricity.
- B. \_\_\_\_ Has loops of wire in it.
- C. \_\_\_\_ Creates motion.
- D. \_\_\_\_ Is turned by a force.
- E. \_\_\_\_ Device 1 (below).

- F. \_\_\_\_Can make electricity.
- G. \_\_\_\_Used in a hydroelectric dam.
- H. \_\_\_\_Opens the windows in a car.
- I. \_\_\_\_\_Turns when electricity is applied .
- J. \_\_\_\_ Device 2 (below).



1A) No