

What is the magnitude of magnetic force per unit length on a wire carrying a current of 8 A and making an angle of 30° with the direction of a uniform magnetic field of 0.15 T?

Current in the wire, $I = 8 \text{ A}$

Magnitude of the uniform magnetic field, $B = 0.15 \text{ T}$

Angle between the wire and magnetic field, $\theta = 30^\circ$.

Magnetic force per unit length on the wire is given as: $F = BI \sin\theta$

$$= 0.15 \times 8 \times 1 \times \sin 30^\circ$$

$$= 0.6 \text{ N m}^{-1}$$

Hence, the magnetic force per unit length on the wire is 0.6 N m^{-1} .