



$$E = \frac{\lambda}{2\pi y \epsilon_0} \hat{y}$$

We require $\vec{F} = 0$, hence

$$Q [E + (\vec{v} \times \vec{B})] = 0 \Rightarrow \vec{E} = -(\vec{v} \times \vec{B}) = \vec{B} \times \vec{v}$$

Since $\hat{E} = \hat{y}$, and $\hat{v} = \hat{x}$, we require $\hat{B} \times \hat{v} = \hat{E}$

$$\Rightarrow \hat{B} \times \hat{x} = \hat{y} \quad \therefore \hat{B} = \hat{z}. \quad \text{So } E = Bv$$

$$B = \frac{\mu_0 I}{2\pi y} = \frac{\mu_0 \lambda v}{2\pi y} \quad \text{then} \quad \frac{\lambda}{2\pi y \epsilon_0} = \frac{\mu_0 \lambda}{2\pi y} v^2 \Rightarrow v = \frac{1}{\sqrt{\epsilon_0 \mu_0}} = c,$$

the speed of light!