## PHYSICS II

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## Problems

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## Q24.1

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## Q24.8

You slide a slab of dielectric between the plates of a parallel-plate capacitor. As you do this, the charges on the plates remain constant.

What effect does adding the dielectric have on the potential difference between the capacitor plates?
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