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Exercise E4 Toroidal Coil
(written test, approx. 5 % of a 120-minute written test, SS2021)

A magnetic field with a flux density of at least $50 ~\rm mT$ is to be achieved in a ring-shaped coil (toroidal coil).
The coil has 60 turns, wound around soft iron with $\mu_{\rm r} = 1200$.
The average field line length in the coil should be $l = 12 ~\rm cm$.

Result

$\mu_{0} = 4\pi\cdot 10^{-7} {{\rm Vs}\over{\rm Am}}$

What is the minimum current that must flow through a single winding?

Path

The magnetic field strength of a toroidal coil is given as:

$$\begin{align*} H &= {{N \cdot I}\over{l}} \end{align*}$$

Based on the flux density the magnetic field strength can be derived by $B = \mu_0 \mu_{\rm r} \cdot H$.
By this, the formula can be rearranged:

$$\begin{align*} H &= {{N \cdot I}\over{l}} \\ {{B}\over{ \mu_0 \mu_{\rm r}}} &= {{N \cdot I}\over{l}} \\ I &= {{B \cdot l}\over{ \mu_0 \mu_{\rm r} \cdot N}} \end{align*}$$

Putting in the numbers: $$\begin{align*} I &= {{ 0.05 {~\rm T} \cdot 0.12{~\rm m} }\over{ 4\pi\cdot 10^{-7} {{\rm Vs}\over{\rm Am}} \cdot 1'200 \cdot 60}} \\ &= 0.6631... {{\rm T\cdot m}\over{ {{\rm Vs}\over{\rm Am}} }} &= 0.6631... {{\rm {{\rm Vs}\over{\rm m^2}} \cdot m}\over{ {{\rm Vs}\over{\rm Am}} }} &= 0.6631... ~\rm A \end{align*}$$