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$$V(\theta, \phi) = V \sin \theta (1 - \cos \theta) e^{i\phi}$$

surface

From table of spherical harmonics:

$$Y_{11} = -\sqrt{\frac{3}{8\pi}} \sin \theta e^{i\phi}$$

$$Y_{21} = -\sqrt{\frac{15}{8\pi}} \sin \theta \cos \theta e^{i\phi}$$

Then, $\sin \theta e^{i\phi} = -\sqrt{\frac{8\pi}{3}} Y_{11}$,

and $\sin \theta \cos \theta e^{i\phi} = -\sqrt{\frac{8\pi}{15}} Y_{21}$.

$$V(\theta, \phi) = V \sin \theta (1 - \cos \theta) e^{i\phi} = V \left[\sqrt{\frac{8\pi}{3}} Y_{11} + \sqrt{\frac{8\pi}{15}} Y_{21} \right]$$

The general term for the potential outside the sphere is:

$$\Phi(r, \theta, \phi) = \sum_{l,m} B_{lm} \frac{1}{r^{l+1}} Y_{lm}(\theta, \phi)$$

By continuity at the surface:

$$\Phi(a, \theta, \phi) = \sum_{l, m} B_{lm} \frac{1}{a^{l+1}} Y_{lm}(\theta, \phi) = V(\theta, \phi) =$$

$$= V \left[-\sqrt{\frac{8\pi}{3}} Y_{11} + \sqrt{\frac{8\pi}{15}} Y_{21} \right].$$

Then, simply, $\frac{B_{11}}{a^2} = -\sqrt{\frac{8\pi}{3}} V$ and $\frac{B_{21}}{a^3} = \sqrt{\frac{8\pi}{15}} V$

$$\Phi(r, \theta, \phi) = -\sqrt{\frac{8\pi}{3}} \frac{a^2}{r^2} Y_{11}(\theta, \phi) + \sqrt{\frac{8\pi}{15}} \frac{a^3}{r^3} Y_{21}(\theta, \phi) =$$

$$= \frac{-Va^2 \sin\theta e^{i\phi}}{r^2} - \frac{Va^3 \sin\theta \cos\theta e^{i\phi}}{r^3}$$

$$= \frac{Va^2 e^{i\phi}}{r^2} \sin\theta \left(1 - \cos\theta \frac{a}{r} \right)$$

outside the sphere.