

Lecture #2: Units and Physical Quantities

- A **physical quantity** characterizes event or process in terms suitable for numerical specification and manipulation. Length, time, volume, absorbed dose are all physical quantities.

- A **unit** is a selected reference sample of a physical quantity. Every physical quantity should be expressed as the product of a numerical value and a unit.

- Example **unit conversion**: Suppose we are given a dose rate in mGy/day and want to convert this to Gy/h.

$$2.3 \frac{\text{mGy}}{\text{day}} \times \frac{\text{Gy}}{1,000 \text{ mGy}} \times \frac{1 \text{ day}}{24 \text{ h}} = 9.583 \times 10^{-5} \frac{\text{Gy}}{\text{h}}$$

- Common **Non SI Units** (see <http://physics.nist.gov/cuu/Units/>)

- ångström (Å): 1 Å = 0.1 nm = 10⁻¹⁰ m
- unified atomic mass unit (u): 1 u = 1.66054 × 10⁻²⁷ kg
- electron volt (eV): 1 eV = 1.60218 × 10⁻¹⁹ J
- barn (b): 10⁻²⁸ m²
- curie (Ci): 1 Ci = 3.7 × 10¹⁰ Bq
- roentgen (R): 1 R = 2.58 × 10⁻⁴ C/kg
- rad (rad): 1 rad = 1 cGy = 10⁻² Gy
- rem (rem): 1 rem = 1 cSv = 10⁻² Sv

- **Superposition principle** says that doses and dose rates that arise from different radiation sources can be added together. total dose rate (dr) = {dr}₁ + {dr}₂ + ...

- **Cell mass (m), volume (V), density (ρ)** equations

Cell Mass - Soft tissue in human body has ~ same density as water (1 g cm⁻³). Since the human body is composed of cells, let's assume cells also have about the same density as water.

$$m = \rho V = (10^{-9} \text{ cm}^3 / \text{cell}) \times (1 \text{ g/cm}^3) = 10^{-9} \text{ g/cell}$$

$$= 10^{-9} \text{ g/cell} \times \left(\frac{10^9 \text{ ng}}{\text{g}} \right) = 1 \text{ ng/cell}$$

How many cells in the human body?

$$\text{No. cells} = \left(\frac{\text{mass of human}}{\text{mass of cell}} \right) = \left(\frac{175 \text{ lb}}{2.2 \times 10^{-12} \text{ lb}} \right) = 7.95 \times 10^{13} \text{ cells}$$

Expect about 10¹¹ to 10¹³ cells in human body

How long for radiation to pass through a cell?

An electron traveling at the speed of light passes through 10 μm of water (tissue):

$$\text{Distance (m)} = \text{time (s)} \times \text{speed (m/s)}$$

$$\text{time} = \frac{\text{distance}}{\text{speed}} = \frac{10 \mu\text{m} \times \left(\frac{\text{m}}{10^6 \mu\text{m}} \right)}{3 \times 10^8 \frac{\text{m}}{\text{s}}} = 3.3333 \times 10^{-14} \text{ s}$$

$$= 3.3333 \times 10^{-14} \text{ s} \times \left(\frac{10^{12} \text{ ps}}{\text{s}} \right) = 0.033333 \text{ ps (pico seconds)}$$

SI prefixes		
Factor	Name	Symbol
10 ²⁴	yotta	Y
10 ²¹	zetta	Z
10 ¹⁸	exa	E
10 ¹⁵	peta	P
10 ¹²	tera	T
10 ⁹	giga	G
10 ⁶	mega	M
10 ³	kilo	k
10 ²	hecto	h
10 ¹	deka	da
0		
10 ⁻¹	deci	d
10 ⁻²	centi	c
10 ⁻³	milli	m
10 ⁻⁶	micro	μ
10 ⁻⁹	nano	n
10 ⁻¹²	pico	p
10 ⁻¹⁵	femto	f
10 ⁻¹⁸	atto	a
10 ⁻²¹	zepto	z
10 ⁻²⁴	yocto	y

Rest Mass & Energies

$m_e = 0.51099890 \text{ MeV}$

$m_p = 938.272 \text{ MeV}$

$m_n = 939.56533 \text{ MeV}$

$1 u = 931.494013 \text{ MeV}$

Fundamental Physical Constants — Frequently used constants

Quantity	Symbol	Value	Unit	Relative std. uncert. σ_r
speed of light in vacuum	c, c_0	299 792 458	m s ⁻¹	(exact)
magnetic constant	μ_0	$4\pi \times 10^{-7}$ $= 12.566370614... \times 10^{-7}$	N A ⁻² N A ⁻²	(exact) (exact)
electric constant $1/\mu_0 c^2$	ϵ_0	$8.854 187 817... \times 10^{-12}$	F m ⁻¹	(exact)
Newtonian constant of gravitation	G	$6.6742(10) \times 10^{-11}$	m ³ kg ⁻¹ s ⁻²	1.5×10^{-4}
Planck constant	h	$6.626 0693(11) \times 10^{-34}$	J s	1.7×10^{-7}
$h/2\pi$	\hbar	$1.054 571 68(18) \times 10^{-34}$	J s	1.7×10^{-7}
elementary charge	e	$1.602 176 53(14) \times 10^{-19}$	C	8.5×10^{-8}
magnetic flux quantum $h/2e$	Φ_0	$2.067 833 72(18) \times 10^{-15}$	Wb	8.5×10^{-8}
conductance quantum $2e^2/h$	G_0	$7.748 091 733(26) \times 10^{-5}$	S	3.3×10^{-9}
electron mass	m_e	$9.109 3826(16) \times 10^{-31}$	kg	1.7×10^{-7}
proton mass	m_p	$1.672 621 71(29) \times 10^{-27}$	kg	1.7×10^{-7}
proton-electron mass ratio	m_p/m_e	1836.152 672 61(85)		4.6×10^{-10}
fine-structure constant $e^2/4\pi\epsilon_0\hbar c$	α	$7.297 352 568(24) \times 10^{-3}$		3.3×10^{-9}
inverse fine-structure constant	α^{-1}	137.035 999 11(46)		3.3×10^{-9}
Rydberg constant $\alpha^2 m_e c/2\hbar$	R_∞	10 973 731.568 525(73)	m ⁻¹	6.6×10^{-12}
Avogadro constant	N_A, L	$6.022 1415(10) \times 10^{23}$	mol ⁻¹	1.7×10^{-7}
Faraday constant $N_A e$	F	96 485.3383(83)	C mol ⁻¹	8.6×10^{-8}
molar gas constant	R	8.314 472(15)	J mol ⁻¹ K ⁻¹	1.7×10^{-6}
Boltzmann constant R/N_A	k	$1.380 6505(24) \times 10^{-23}$	J K ⁻¹	1.8×10^{-6}
Stefan-Boltzmann constant $(\pi^2/60)k^4/h^3 c^2$	σ	$5.670 400(40) \times 10^{-8}$	W m ⁻² K ⁻⁴	7.0×10^{-6}
Non-SI units accepted for use with the SI				
electron volt: (e/C) J	eV	$1.602 176 53(14) \times 10^{-19}$	J	8.5×10^{-8}
(unified) atomic mass unit $1 u = m_a = \frac{1}{12} m(^{12}\text{C})$	u	$1.660 538 86(28) \times 10^{-27}$	kg	1.7×10^{-7}

$Energy = E = hv = \frac{hc}{\lambda} = 1.6 \times 10^{-19} \text{ J} = 1 \text{ eV}$ (e⁻ accelerated thru 1 V)

$Activity = A = 3.7 \times 10^{10} \text{ Bq} = 1 \text{ Ci}$ (1 g of ²²⁶Ra); 1 Bq = 1 dps

$Proton = p = {}^1_1\text{H} = 1.67262158 \times 10^{-27} \text{ kg} = 938.271998 \text{ MeV}$

$Neutron = n = {}^1_0\text{n} = 1.67492716 \times 10^{-27} \text{ kg} = 939.565330 \text{ MeV}$

$Electron = e^- = {}^0_{-1}\text{e} = 9.10938188 \times 10^{-31} \text{ kg} = 0.510998902 \text{ MeV}$

$1 \text{ amu} = A = 1.66053873 \times 10^{-27} \text{ kg} = 931.494013 \text{ MeV}$

$Alpha = \alpha = {}^4_2\text{He}$ (α decay from low n-to-p ratio; ${}^A_Z\text{X} \rightarrow {}^{A-4}_{Z-2}\text{Y} + \alpha$)

$Beta = \beta^- = {}^0_{-1}\text{e}$ (emission from high n-to-p ratio; $n \rightarrow p + \beta^- + \bar{\nu}_e$)

$Positron = \beta^+ = {}^0_{+1}\text{e}$ (emission from low n-to-p ratio if α not possible)

Electron Capture = Emission from low n-to-p ratio if α and β⁻ not possible

Gamma Ray Emission = γ = photons (nuclei in excited state after transformation; ${}^A_Z\text{X}^* \rightarrow {}^A_Z\text{X} + \gamma$)

Photoelectric Effect = Vacancy in lower shell → characteristic x-rays/auger electrons emitted

▷ Photon interacts with entire atom → ejects photoelectron from K shell; $E_e = E_\gamma - E_{\text{binding}}$

Compton Effect = Vacancy in lower shell → characteristic x-rays/auger electrons emitted

▷ Incident photon scatters off atomic electron; altered wavelength

Pair Production = Incident photon completely absorbed; replaced with β⁻ β⁻

▷ $E_\gamma \geq 1.022 \text{ MeV}; E_e = E_p = (E_\gamma - 1.022)/2$

Coulomb Barrier = $E_{\text{cb}} = 1.44 \frac{Z_p Z_t}{R_p + R_t} \text{ MeV}, R = 1.4 A^{1/3}$

Lectures #3 and #4: The Atom

- 1st known fission reactor “built” about 1.7 billion years ago in Africa.

- Each **electron and proton** has a **charge** equal to 1.60217653 × 10⁻¹⁹ C.

- **Atom** uniquely identified by # of neutrons (N) and # of protons (Z) in the nucleus

Z = atomic number...N = neutron number...A = (N + Z) = mass number

- **N/Z Ratios**: As Z increases, N/Z increases (more neutrons needed to bind nucleus)

- **Ionization**: process whereby one or more electrons are liberated from an atom; Z and A remain the same; atom becomes positively charged (because e⁻ is removed)

- **Ionizing Radiation**: (1) Atomic or sub-atomic particles with sufficient kinetic energy to ionize matter. Electrons, positrons, neutrons, protons, alpha (⁴He²⁺) particles; (2) Very energetic photons (electromagnetic radiation); x-rays and γ-rays

- **Elements**: All atoms of same element have same Z, but may have different A.

- **Isotope (or nuclide)**: Atom with specific # of protons and neutrons is termed a nuclide. Can either be **stable** (Z and N do not change) or **unstable** (Z or N spontaneously change). **Unstable nuclides are radioactive.**

- **Isobar**: same mass # (A = N + Z) but different # of neutrons and protons; Examples: ¹⁴B, ¹⁴C, ¹⁴N and ¹⁴O

- **Isotone**: same neutron number (N) but different number of protons; Examples: ¹³B, ¹⁴C, ¹⁵N and ¹⁶O

- **Isomers (same N and Z)**: Nuclides can sometimes exist in different long-lived excited states. Isomers transition to other (more stable) nuclear configurations at different rates (half-lives). They also emit different quantities and types of ionizing radiation. Examples: Tellurium; ^{99m}Te is an isomer of ⁹⁹Te (superscript m stands for metastable); Silver; ^{108m}Ag is an isomer of ¹⁰⁸Ag

- **Hydrogen (H)**: ${}^1_1\text{H} \rightarrow {}^3_1\text{H} \rightarrow \text{T}$

(also called **tritium**, T) Mass number (A): 3

Atomic number (Z): 1

Neutron number (N): 2

- The **mass of an atom** can be estimated by summing the masses of the electrons, protons and neutrons forming that atom

- The **atomic mass unit (u)** is defined so that the mass of one ¹²C atom is exactly 12 u.

- The **atomic weight** of an atom is the ratio of the atom's mass to 1/12th the mass of a neutral atom of ¹²C in its ground state; naturally occurring elements are often a mixture of several isotopes. Atomic weight of an element is the sum of the atomic weight of each isotope times the **isotopic abundance**

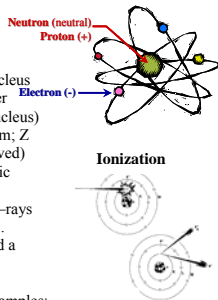
- **Avogadro's constant** is the number of atoms in 12 grams of ¹²C; $N_A = 6.02214150 \times 10^{23}$ atoms/mol

- **Atom densities** (atoms cm⁻³) on order of **10²¹ cm⁻³ to 10²³ cm⁻³** for solids and liquids; 1000X lower for gases.

$A = \sum_i (\gamma_i / 100) A_i$

▷ γ_i is the % isotopic abundance

▷ A_i is the atomic weight



How many atoms in the human body? Water is the largest

constituent of the human body, and the molecular

weight of water is 18 u (18 g/mol). Suppose the human

body weights 100 kg. Then $\frac{18 \text{ g/mol}}{6.022 \times 10^{23} \text{ atom/mol}} = 2.989 \times 10^{-23} \text{ g/H}_2\text{O}$

$$100 \frac{\text{kg}}{\text{human body}} \cdot \frac{1000 \text{ g}}{1 \text{ kg}} \cdot \frac{\text{atom H}_2\text{O}}{2.989 \times 10^{-23} \text{ g}} = 3.3456 \times 10^{27} \frac{\text{atoms of H}_2\text{O}}{\text{human body}}$$

$$1 \frac{\text{g}}{\text{cm}^3} \cdot \frac{\text{H}_2\text{O}}{2.989 \times 10^{-23} \text{ g}} = 3.35 \times 10^{22} \frac{\text{H}_2\text{O}}{\text{cm}^3}$$

Size and density are related

Atom or molecular density (Eq. 1.4): $N = \frac{\rho}{A} N_A$ Atom or molecules cm⁻³

where N_A is Avogadro's constant, ρ is density (g cm⁻³) and A is the atomic or molecular mass (g) of the substance. For **solids and liquids**, the effective volume and size of an atom or molecule is $\frac{1}{N} = \frac{1}{\frac{\rho}{A} N_A} = \frac{A}{\rho N_A}$ cm³ per atom or molecule

Effective diameter of atom or molecule

$$d = \left(\frac{1}{N} \right)^{1/3} = \left(\frac{A}{\rho N_A} \right)^{1/3}$$

Electron unlikely to be found further away from nucleus than d/2



Size of Nucleus (Section 1.2.8)

- The size of nucleus can be approximated by a sphere of radius where $R_0 \cong 1.25 \times 10^{-13} \text{ cm}$ and A is atomic weight

$R = R_0 A^{1/3}$

Lorentz Factor $\frac{1}{\gamma^2} = 1 - \beta^2$ or $\beta^2 = 1 - \frac{1}{\gamma^2}$
 $\gamma = \frac{1}{\sqrt{1 - (v/c)^2}} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{1 - \beta^2}}$

Mass $m = \frac{m_0}{\sqrt{1 - (v/c)^2}} = \frac{m_0}{\sqrt{1 - \beta^2}} = m_0 \gamma$

Velocity $v = c \sqrt{1 - \frac{1}{\gamma^2}}$

Time Dilation $t = \frac{t_0}{\sqrt{1 - (v/c)^2}} = \frac{t_0}{\sqrt{1 - \beta^2}} = \gamma t_0$

Lorentz Contraction $L = L_0 \sqrt{1 - \beta^2} = L_0 / \gamma$

Momentum $p = \sqrt{2mT} = \sqrt{\text{kg} \cdot \text{J} \frac{1 \text{ kg} \cdot \text{m}^2/\text{s}^2}{1 \text{ J}}} = \sqrt{\text{kg}^2 \text{m}^2/\text{s}^2} = \text{kg} \cdot \text{m/s}$
 $p = mv = (\gamma m_0)v = \text{kg} \cdot \text{m/s}$ **Classical!**
 $p = \frac{h\nu}{c} = h/\lambda$ **Relativistic!**
 photon momentum

Kinetic Energy $T = \frac{1}{2}mv^2 = \frac{1}{2}(mv) \cdot (mv) \frac{1}{m} = \frac{p^2}{2m}$
 $T = E - m_0c^2 = \frac{m_0c^2}{\sqrt{1 - \beta^2}} - m_0c^2$
 $= m_0c^2 \left[\frac{1}{\sqrt{1 - \beta^2}} - 1 \right]$
 $= (\gamma - 1)m_0c^2$

Total Energy
 $E = mc^2 = \gamma m_0c^2$
 $E(v) = \frac{m_0c^2}{\sqrt{1 - (v/c)^2}}$
 $E = \sqrt{(m_0c^2)^2 + (pc)^2} = \sqrt{(\text{MeV})^2 + (\frac{\text{MeV}}{\text{m/s}} \cdot \text{m/s})^2} = \text{MeV}$

$\beta = (v/c)$	Lorentz factor (γ)
0.0001	1.000000005
0.001	1.000000500
0.01	1.000050004
0.1	1.005037815
0.2	1.020620726
0.3	1.048284837
0.4	1.091089451
0.5	1.154700538
0.6	1.250000000
0.7	1.400280084
0.8	1.666666667
0.9	2.294157339
0.99	7.088812050
0.999	22.366272042
0.9999	70.712445952

UV radiation (**photon energy**): What is the kinetic energy of UV radiation with a wavelength of 290 nm?

$$v = \frac{c}{\lambda} = \frac{3 \times 10^8 \text{ m/s} \cdot 10^9 \text{ nm}}{290 \text{ nm}} = 1.0345 \times 10^{15} \text{ s}^{-1} = 1.0345 \times 10^{15} \text{ Hz}$$

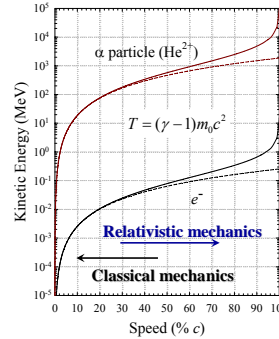
$$E = h \cdot \nu = 6.626 \times 10^{-34} \text{ J} \cdot \text{s} \cdot (1.0345 \times 10^{15} \text{ Hz}) \cdot \frac{1 \text{ s}^{-1}}{1 \text{ Hz}} \cdot \frac{\text{eV}}{1.6022 \times 10^{-19} \text{ J}}$$

$$= 4.278 \text{ eV}$$

For comparison, 3.89 eV (Cs) to 24.59 eV (He) is the minimum amount of energy required to liberate a bound electron (i.e., produce ionization)

UV radiation with a wavelength shorter than about 124 nm ($E = 10 \text{ eV}$) is often considered ionizing.

Kinetic energy as a function of speed



- Heavy particles must acquire more kinetic energy than light particles to become relativistic.
- For most application, particles traveling at speeds less than 0.001 to 0.01 c may be considered non-relativistic.
- If an electron is not relativistic, heavier particles will not be relativistic

Uncertainty position

$$\Delta x \Delta p \geq \frac{h}{2\pi}$$

← Planck's constant
 ↑ Uncertainty momentum

Uncertainty in the location of an electron

$$p = mv = 9.1 \times 10^{-31} \text{ kg} \times 300 \text{ m/s} = 2.7 \times 10^{-28} \text{ kg} \cdot \text{m/s}$$

$$\Delta p = m \Delta v = (0.01\%) \cdot 2.7 \times 10^{-28} \text{ kg} \cdot \text{m/s}$$

$$= 2.7 \times 10^{-32} \text{ kg} \cdot \text{m/s}$$

$$\Delta x \geq \frac{h}{2\pi \Delta p} = \frac{6.626 \times 10^{-34} \text{ J} \cdot \text{s}}{2\pi \cdot 2.7 \times 10^{-32} \text{ kg} \cdot \text{m/s}}$$

$$= 0.00390 \text{ m} (= 0.39 \text{ cm})$$

Conclusion: Location of e⁻ is highly uncertain

Why are atom's so big?

$$\frac{h}{2\pi \Delta x m_0} = \frac{6.626 \times 10^{-34} \text{ J} \cdot \text{s}}{2\pi \cdot 0.0528 \text{ nm} \cdot \frac{\text{kg} \cdot \text{m}^2/\text{s}^2}{1 \text{ J}} \cdot \frac{1 \text{ electron}}{9.11 \times 10^{-31} \text{ kg}}}$$

$$= 2.1924 \times 10^6 \text{ m/s}$$

Homework problem 2.14 and 2.15 relate to neutrons and electrons "trapped" in the nucleus (~10⁻¹⁵ m) instead of inside the atom (10⁻¹⁰ m)

$$\Delta p = \gamma v \geq \frac{h}{2\pi \Delta x m_0}$$

$$\gamma v \geq 2.1924 \times 10^6 \text{ m/s} \rightarrow v \geq 2.1924 \times 10^6 \text{ m/s}$$

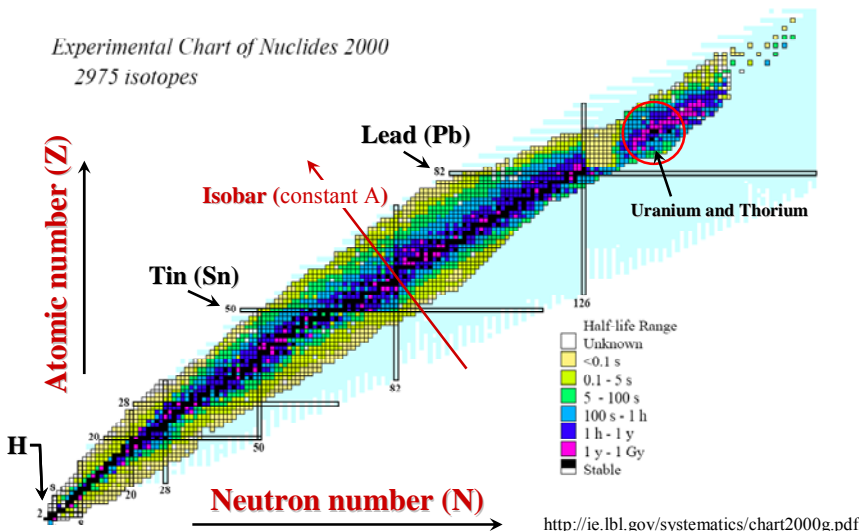
0.7308% of c (non-relativistic, so $\gamma \approx 1$)

$$T = \frac{1}{2}mv^2 = \frac{1}{2} \cdot 9.11 \times 10^{-31} \text{ kg} \cdot (2.1924 \times 10^6 \text{ m/s})^2$$

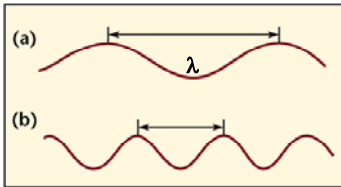
$$= 13.67 \text{ eV}$$

← Kinetic energy (speed) of electron keeps it from spiraling into the nucleus

Chart of the nuclides



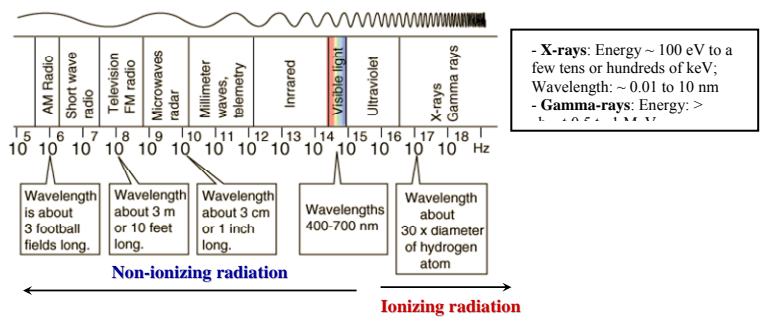
Electromagnetic waves



Speed of light (c) = wavelength (λ) \times frequency (ν)

Energy (E) = Planck's constant (h) $\times \nu$
 $6.626 \times 10^{-34} \text{ J}\cdot\text{s}$

Electromagnetic Spectrum



Compton scattering

$\lambda_f - \lambda_i = \Delta\lambda = \frac{h}{m_0 c} (1 - \cos\theta)$

$$E' = \frac{E}{1 + E(1 - \cos\theta_s) / m_e c^2}$$

Properties of cosine

$\cos 0^\circ = 1$
$\cos 30^\circ = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} = 0.8660$
$\cos 45^\circ = \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} = 0.7071$
$\cos 60^\circ = \frac{1}{2} = 0.5000$
$\cos 90^\circ = 0$

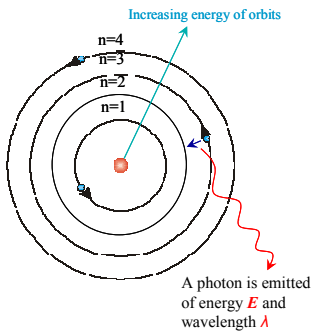
{angle in degree} $\cdot \frac{\pi}{180} = \text{angle in radian}$

$$\lambda' = \lambda + \frac{hc}{m_e c^2} (1 - \cos\theta_s) = \lambda + \frac{4.1356673 \times 10^{-15} \text{ eV}\cdot\text{s} \cdot (3 \times 10^8 \text{ m/s})}{511 \text{ MeV} \cdot 10^6 \text{ eV/MeV}} (1 - \cos\theta_s)$$

$$= \lambda + (2.4279847 \times 10^{-12} \text{ m}) \cdot (1 - \cos\theta_s) \cdot \{\text{unit conversion factor}\}$$

Development of the Modern Atomic Model

Bohr model revisited:



Hydrogen wavelength:

$$\frac{1}{\lambda} = R_H \left[\frac{1}{n_0^2} - \frac{1}{n^2} \right]$$

$$R_H = 1.0967758 \times 10^7 \text{ m}^{-1}$$

From particle duality: $E = h\nu$
 $c = \lambda\nu$
 $E = \frac{hc}{\lambda}$

$R_H = \text{Rydberg constant}$
 $h = \text{Planck's constant}$
 $c = \text{Speed of light in vacuum}$

$$\frac{1}{\lambda_{n \rightarrow n_0}} = \frac{m_e Z^2 e^4}{8 \epsilon_0^2 c h^3} \left[\frac{1}{n_0^2} - \frac{1}{n^2} \right] = R_\infty \left[\frac{1}{n_0^2} - \frac{1}{n^2} \right], \quad n > n_0$$

$$\frac{1}{\lambda} = R_H \left[\frac{1}{n_0^2} - \frac{1}{n^2} \right]$$

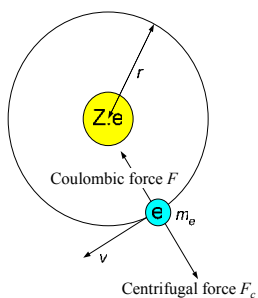
$$E_n = -\frac{m_e (Ze^2)^2}{8 \epsilon_0^2 n^2 h^2}, \quad n = \sqrt{-\frac{m_e (Ze^2)^2}{E_n 8 \epsilon_0^2 h^2}}$$

$$R_H = 1.0967758 \times 10^7 \text{ m}^{-1}$$

$$E_{n \rightarrow m} = \frac{m_e Z^2 e^4}{8 \epsilon_0^2 h^2} \left[\frac{1}{m^2} - \frac{1}{n^2} \right] = 13.6056923 \text{ eV} \cdot \left[\frac{1}{m^2} - \frac{1}{n^2} \right] Z^2$$

Development of the Modern Atomic Model

Bohr model revisited:



Centrifugal force: $F_c = \frac{m_e v^2}{r}$

Coulombic force: $F = \frac{(Z \cdot e) \cdot e}{4\pi\epsilon_0 r^2}$

For electron to remain in orbit: $\frac{m_e v^2}{r} = \frac{(Z \cdot e) \cdot e}{4\pi\epsilon_0 r^2}$ [1]

Orbit defined from angular momentum L :

$$L \equiv m_e v r = n \frac{h}{2\pi}, \quad n = 1, 2, 3, \dots$$
 [2]

Simultaneously solve [1] and [2] to obtain:

$$v_n = \frac{Ze^2}{2\epsilon_0 n h}, \quad r_n = \frac{n^2 h^2 \epsilon_0}{\pi m_e Z e^2}, \quad n = 1, 2, 3, \dots$$

$\epsilon_0 = \text{Permittivity of free space}$

