

ATOMS

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the atomic structure Several
theories are...**

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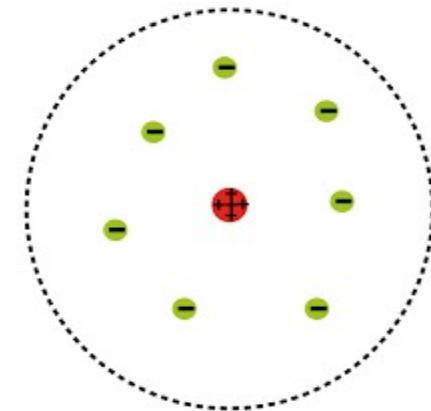
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Rutherford Atomic Model

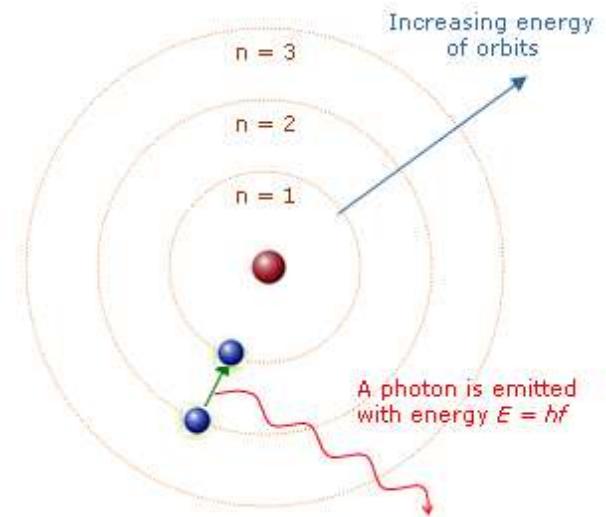
Alpha Scattering experiment

- Nucleus –
- Circular Orbits -

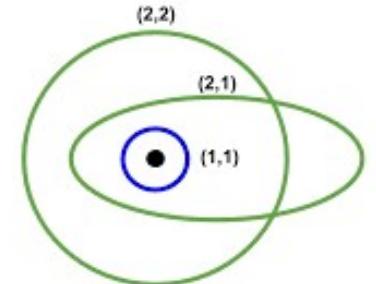


Bohr Atomic Model

- Stationary Orbits
- Angular momentum
- Fixed finite energy states



Somerfield's Relativistic Model

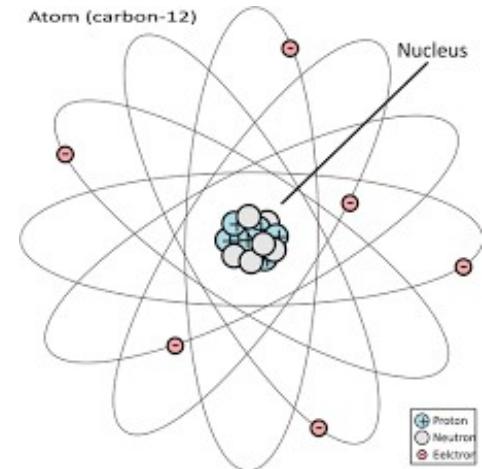


- Elliptical orbits
- Fine structure of spectral lines

(One spectral line composed of more number of spectral lines)

Vector Atom Model

This model is the extension
of Rutherford-Bohr-
Sommerfield
Atomic Models



JJ THOMSON - Plum Pudding model

According to his theory

- Total positive charge - reddish part in the watermelon
- negative charge – electrons – nuts in the watermelon

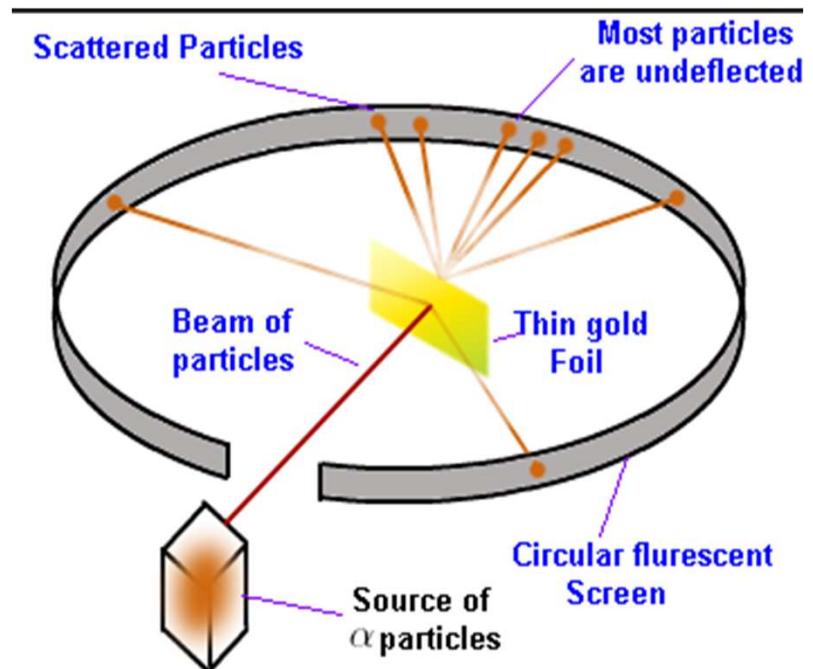


RUTHERFORD ALPHA SCATTERING EXPERIMENT

Experimental Arrangement:

- Alpha particles source – Bi^{214}
- 0.2 micrometer thick gold foil
- ZnS Screen

- Image source www.zigya.com



Graphical Analysis

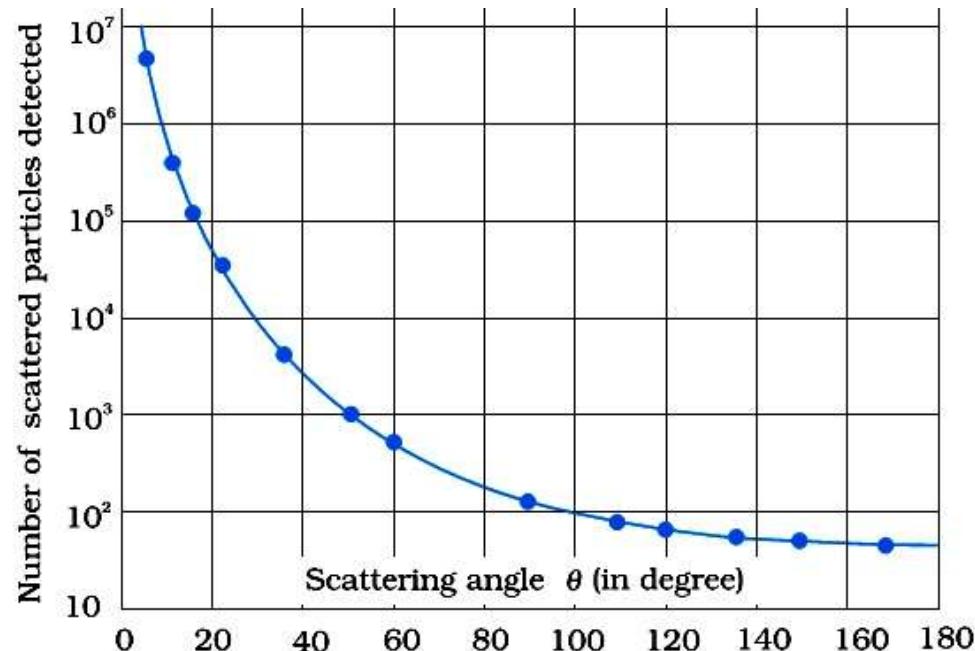


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Observations

- Deflection of alpha particles is very less
- Only 0.14% of alpha particles scattered by more than one degree
- Only one out of 8000 alpha particles deflected by more than 90 degree
(1 D Head on collision)

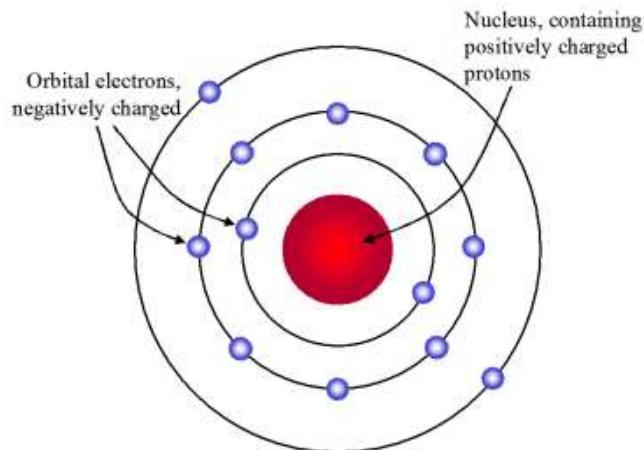
Conclusions:

- Atom is almost empty
- Entire mass of the atom is concentrated at the centre of the atom called **nucleus**
- Size of the nucleus is very small and is the order of one fermi
- Size of the atom is **100000** times more than the nucleus

Rutherford Atomic Model / Planetary Model

- In every atom, total heavy positive charge located at the centre of the atom called nucleus.
- Size of the atom is the order of 1 A^0 and size of the nucleus is the order of 1 fermi (10^{-15} m)

- Nucleus is surrounded by electrons
- Electrons revolve around the nucleus in circular orbits



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Theory: Distance of Closest Approach

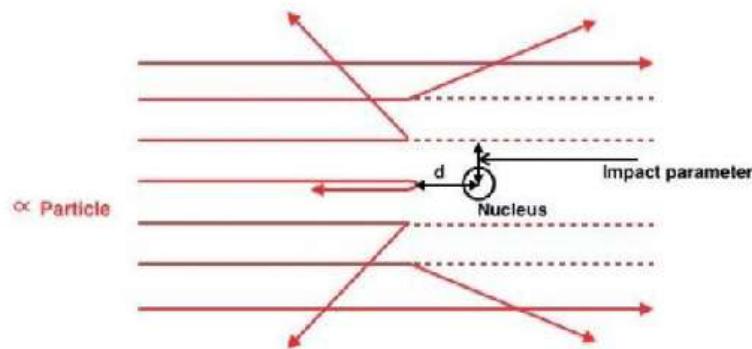


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According to conservation of energy $KE = PE$

Kinetic energy of alpha particle = Electrostatic potential energy
between nucleus and alpha particle

$$K.E_{(\alpha)} = P.E_{(N,\alpha)}$$

$$\frac{1}{2} m v_0^2 = \frac{1}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \cdot \frac{q_1 q_2}{b}$$

where v_0 - initial velocity of α -particle

q_1 - charge of the nucleus = Ze

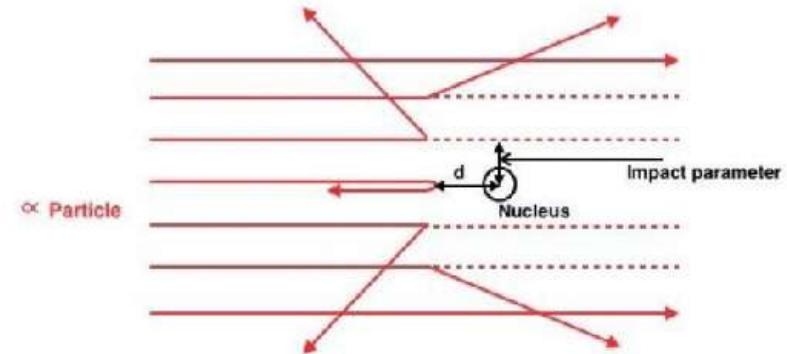
q_2 - charge of α -particle = $2e$

b - distance to closest approach

$$\therefore \frac{1}{2} m v_0^2 = \frac{1}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \cdot \frac{(Ze)(2e)}{b}$$

$$\Rightarrow b = \frac{Ze^2}{\pi\epsilon_0 m v_0^2}$$

$$\text{or } b = \frac{2Ze^2}{4\pi\epsilon_0 \text{K.E}}$$



Impact Parameter

Perpendicular distance between initial direction of alpha particle and the nucleus

Scattering angle

Angle between initial and final directions of alpha particle.

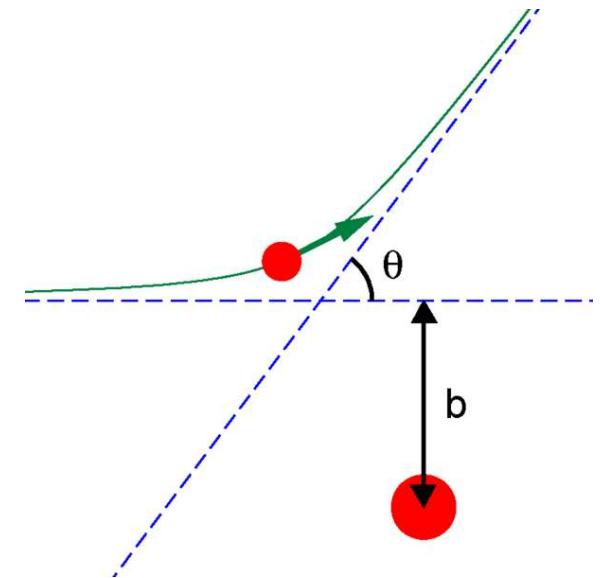


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Rutherford Scattering Formula:

Number of alpha particles scattered, N

$$N(\theta) = \frac{z^2 e^4 n t \alpha}{4 \pi^2 K E^2 \sin^4(\theta/2)}$$

$$\Rightarrow N(\theta) \propto \frac{1}{\sin^4(\theta/2)}$$

Where, n – number of atoms per unit volume of gold foil

t – thickness of the gold foil

Q – probable number of particles on the surface of the target per unit area

r – distance between gold foil and the screen

Drawbacks:

- Electrons are moving – must radiate energy
- Due to loss of energy – electron radius should decrease and fall in the nucleus

Thus atom cannot be a stable.

Rutherford was unable to explain the stability of the atom

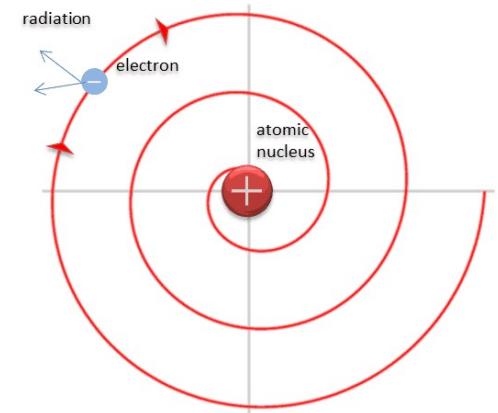


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BOHR ATOMIC MODEL

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POSTULATES

- Nucleus
- Stationary Orbits
- Angular momentum quantised
- Energy emitted by the atom $E = h\nu$

Stationary Orbits

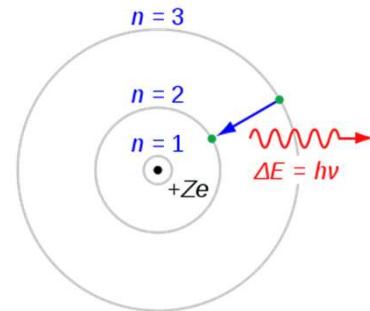


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- Each atom has certain definite stable energy states/orbits in which electrons revolve continuously.
- As long as the electrons are revolving in these energy states, electrons will not lose energy and gain energy.

Angular momentum quantised

- Fixed finite set of energy states are allowed for with angular momentum quantised

$$L = \frac{nh}{2\pi}$$

$$mvz = \frac{nh}{2\pi}$$

Where $n = 1, 2, 3, \dots$ or K, L, M, N, \dots

called **Principal Quantum number**

Energy Emission

Energy emitted by the atom $E = h\nu$

$$\Delta E = E_i - E_f = h\nu \quad E_i > E_f$$

BOHR THEORY

Radius of the electron in an orbit:

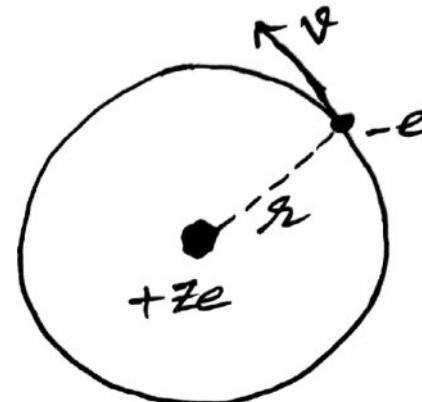
From his postulate, angular momentum

$$mv\vartheta = \frac{nh}{2\pi}$$

$$v = \frac{nh}{2\pi m\vartheta} \rightarrow ①$$

$$F_{\text{centrifugal}} = \frac{mv^2}{\vartheta} \quad F_{\text{Coulombic}} = \frac{1}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \cdot \frac{q_1 q_2}{\vartheta^2} = \frac{1}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \cdot \frac{(ze)(e)}{\vartheta^2}$$

$$F_{\text{centrifugal}} = F_{\text{Coulombic}}$$



$$\frac{mv^2}{r} = \frac{1}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \cdot \frac{(ze)(e)}{r^2}$$

$$\Rightarrow r = \frac{ze^2}{4\pi\epsilon_0 mv^2} \rightarrow ②$$

$$\Rightarrow r = \frac{ze^2}{4\pi\epsilon_0 m \left[\frac{nh}{2\pi m \alpha} \right]^2}$$

$$\Rightarrow r = \frac{ze^2}{4\pi\epsilon_0 m \frac{n^2 h^2}{4\pi^2 m \alpha^2}}$$

$$\Rightarrow r = \frac{ze^2}{4\pi\epsilon_0 m \frac{n^2 h^2}{4\pi m^2 r^2}}$$

$$\Rightarrow r = \frac{ze^2 \pi m r}{\epsilon_0 n^2 h^2}$$

$$\Rightarrow r = \frac{n^2 h^2 \epsilon_0}{ze^2 \pi m}$$

In general, $r_n = \frac{n^2 h^2 \epsilon_0}{ze^2 \pi m} \rightarrow ③$

$$r_n \propto n^2$$

$$\boxed{\frac{r_1}{r_2} = \frac{n_1^2}{n_2^2}}$$

$$r_n \propto \frac{1}{z} \Rightarrow \boxed{\frac{r_1}{r_2} = \frac{z_2}{z_1}}$$

For hydrogen atom, $z = 1$

$$\therefore r_n = \frac{n^2 h^2 \epsilon_0}{e^2 \pi m} \rightarrow \textcircled{*}$$

Planck's constant $h = 6.625 \times 10^{-34} \text{ Js}$

Permittivity of the free space $\epsilon_0 = 8.85 \times 10^{-12} \text{ C}^2/\text{Nm}^2$

Mass of the electron $m = 9.1 \times 10^{-31} \text{ kg}$

Charge of the electron $e = 1.6 \times 10^{-19} \text{ C}$

$$r_n = 0.529 n^2 \text{ } \text{\AA} \rightarrow \textcircled{4}$$

Velocity of the electron

$$v = \frac{nh}{2\pi m R} \rightarrow ①$$

$$R_n = \frac{n^2 h^2 \epsilon_0}{ze^2 \pi m} \rightarrow ③$$

$$v = \frac{nh}{2\pi m \left[\frac{n^2 h^2 \epsilon_0}{ze^2 \pi m} \right]}$$

$$\Rightarrow v = \frac{ze^2}{2nh\epsilon_0}$$

$$\text{In general, } v_n = \frac{ze^2}{2nh\epsilon_0} \rightarrow ⑤$$

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$$v_n \propto z$$
$$v_n \propto \frac{1}{n}$$

For hydrogen atom, $z=1$

$$\therefore v_n = \frac{e^2}{2nh\epsilon_0} \rightarrow **$$

$$\Rightarrow v_n = \frac{e^2 c}{2nh\epsilon_0 c}$$

$$\text{If } n=1, \frac{e^2}{2h\epsilon_0 c} = \frac{1}{137}$$

$$\boxed{\therefore v_{n=1} = \frac{c}{137}}$$

Energy of electrons in Stationary Orbit

$$T.E = E_n = P.E + K.E$$

Kinetic Energy:

$$K.E_n = \frac{1}{2} m v_n^2 = \frac{1}{2} m \left[\frac{ze^2}{2\pi n \hbar \epsilon_0} \right]^2$$

$$\Rightarrow K.E_n = \frac{1}{2} m \frac{z^2 e^4}{4\pi^2 n^2 \hbar^2 \epsilon_0^2}$$

$$\Rightarrow K.E_n = \frac{z^2 e^4 m}{8\pi^2 n^2 \hbar^2 \epsilon_0^2} \longrightarrow ⑥ \quad K.E \propto z^2$$
$$K.E \propto \frac{1}{n^2}$$

Potential Energy:

$$P.E_n = \frac{1}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \frac{z_1 z_2}{r_n}$$

$$\Rightarrow P.E_n = \frac{1}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \frac{(ze)(-e)}{r_n}$$

$$\Rightarrow P.E = \frac{-ze^2}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \frac{n^2 h^2 \epsilon_0}{ze^2 \pi m}$$

$$\Rightarrow P.E = \frac{-ze^2 (ze^2 m)}{4n^2 h^2 \epsilon_0^2}$$

$$\therefore P.E = \frac{-z^2 e^4 m}{4n^2 h^2 \epsilon_0^2} \rightarrow \textcircled{7}$$

Total Energy of the electron:

$$T.E = E_n = P.E + K.E$$

$$\Rightarrow E_n = \frac{-z^2 e^4 m}{4n^2 h^2 \epsilon_0^2} + \frac{z^2 e^4 m}{8n^2 h^2 \epsilon_0^2}$$

$$\Rightarrow E_n = \frac{-z^2 e^4 m}{8n^2 h^2 \epsilon_0^2} + \frac{z^2 e^4 m}{8n^2 h^2 \epsilon_0^2}$$

$$\therefore E_n = \frac{-z^2 e^4 m}{8n^2 h^2 \epsilon_0^2} \quad \rightarrow \textcircled{8}$$

$E_n = -K.E = \frac{1}{2} P.E$

$$\Rightarrow K.E_n = \frac{z^2 e^4 m}{8n^2 h^2 \epsilon_0^2} \rightarrow \textcircled{6}$$

$$\therefore P.E = \frac{-z^2 e^4 m}{4n^2 h^2 \epsilon_0^2} \rightarrow \textcircled{7}$$

$$\therefore E_n = \frac{-z^2 e^4 m}{8\pi^2 \hbar^2 \epsilon_0^2} \longrightarrow \textcircled{3}$$

$$E_n \propto z^2, \quad E_n \propto \frac{1}{n^2} \Rightarrow \boxed{\frac{E_1}{E_2} = \frac{n_2^2}{n_1^2}}$$

For hydrogen atom, $z = 1$

$$\therefore E_n = \frac{-me^4}{8\pi^2 \hbar^2 \epsilon_0^2}$$

$$\Rightarrow \boxed{E_n = \frac{-13.6}{n^2} \text{ eV}} \longrightarrow \textcircled{4}$$

BOHR THEORY

DRAWBACKS

Limitations of Bohr Theory

- Spectra of atoms more complex than hydrogen
- Distribution and arrangement of electrons
- Variation in the intensity of the spectral lines
- Fine structure of spectral lines
- Chemical bonding
- Zeeman Effect
- Stark effect

Energy Levels in Hydrogen Atom

Energy of the electron
in nth orbit

$$E_n = \frac{-me^4}{8n^2\hbar^2\epsilon_0^2}$$

$$E_n = \frac{-13.6}{n^2} \text{ eV}$$

$$E_1 = -13.6 \text{ eV}$$

$$E_2 = \frac{-13.6}{2^2} = -3.4 \text{ eV}$$

$$E_3 = \frac{-13.6}{3^2} = -1.51 \text{ eV}$$

$$E_4 = \frac{-13.6}{4^2} = -0.85 \text{ eV}$$

$$E_5 = \frac{-13.6}{5^2} = -0.54 \text{ eV}$$

$$E_6 = \frac{-13.6}{6^2} = -0.38 \text{ eV}$$

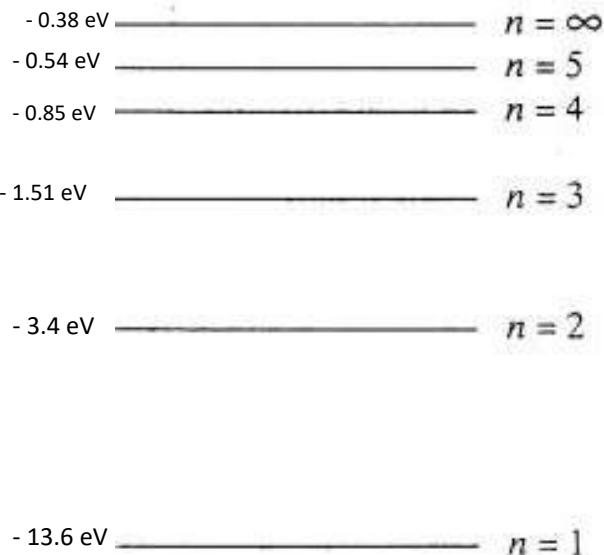
$$E_2 - E_1 = 10.2 \text{ eV}$$

$$E_3 - E_2 = 1.89 \text{ eV}$$

$$E_4 - E_3 = 0.66 \text{ eV}$$

$$E_5 - E_4 = 0.31 \text{ eV}$$

$$E_6 - E_5 = 0.16 \text{ eV}$$



Wave length or Wave number:

Energy of electron in the nth orbit $E_n = \frac{-z^2 e^4 m}{8 \pi^2 \hbar^2 \epsilon_0^2} = \frac{-z^2 e^4 m}{8 \epsilon_0^2 \hbar^2} \left(\frac{1}{n^2}\right)$

$$E_{n_1} = \frac{-z^2 e^4 m}{8 \epsilon_0^2 \hbar^2} \left(\frac{1}{n_1^2}\right)$$

$$E_{n_2} = \frac{-z^2 e^4 m}{8 \epsilon_0^2 \hbar^2} \left(\frac{1}{n_2^2}\right)$$

$$\therefore \Delta E = E_2 - E_1$$

$$\Rightarrow \Delta E = \frac{-z^2 e^4 m}{8 \epsilon_0^2 \hbar^2} \left(\frac{1}{n_2^2}\right) - \frac{-z^2 e^4 m}{8 \epsilon_0^2 \hbar^2} \left(\frac{1}{n_1^2}\right)$$

$$h\nu = \frac{z^2 e^4 m}{8 \epsilon_0^2 \hbar^2} \left[\frac{1}{n_1^2} - \frac{1}{n_2^2} \right]$$

$$\gamma = \frac{ze^4 m}{8\epsilon_0^2 h^3} \left[\frac{1}{n_1^2} - \frac{1}{n_2^2} \right]$$

$$c = \gamma \lambda \Rightarrow \gamma = \frac{c}{\lambda}$$

$$\therefore \frac{c}{\lambda} = \frac{ze^4 m}{8\epsilon_0^2 h^3} \left[\frac{1}{n_1^2} - \frac{1}{n_2^2} \right]$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{\lambda} = \frac{ze^4 m}{8\epsilon_0^2 h^3 c} \left[\frac{1}{n_1^2} - \frac{1}{n_2^2} \right]$$

$$\frac{me^4}{8\epsilon_0^2 ch^3} = R, \text{ Rydberg constant}$$

$$= 1.097 \times 10^7 \text{ m}^{-1}$$

$$\therefore \frac{1}{\lambda} = z^2 R \left[\frac{1}{n_1^2} - \frac{1}{n_2^2} \right]$$

for hydrogen atom, $z = 1$

$$\therefore \frac{1}{\lambda} = R \left[\frac{1}{n_1^2} - \frac{1}{n_2^2} \right]$$

Hydrogen Spectrum:

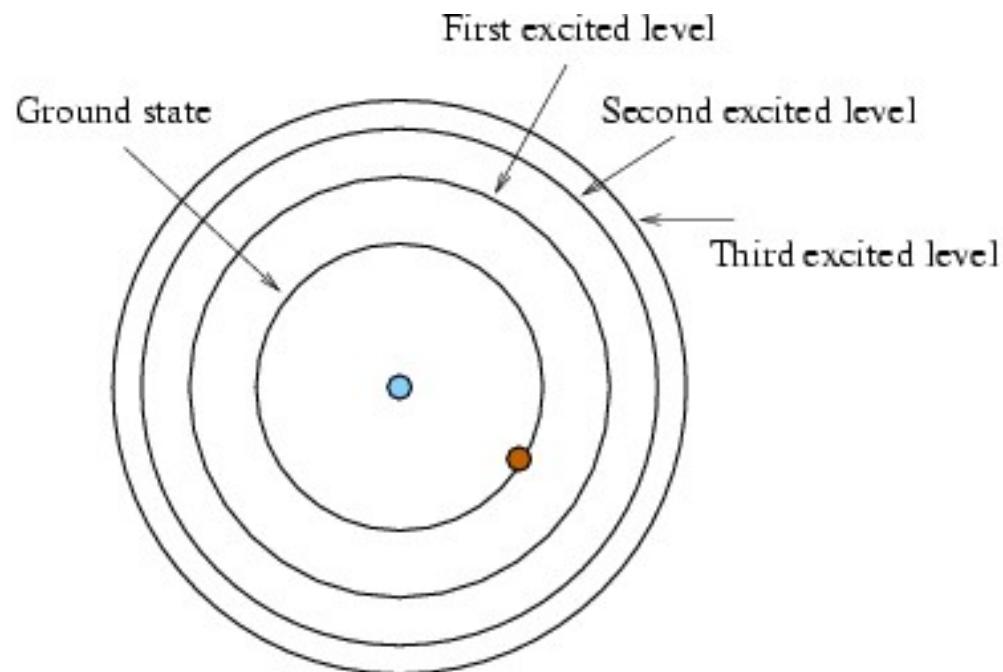


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Hydrogen Spectral Series

- Lyman series

$$\frac{1}{\lambda} = R \left(\frac{1}{1^2} - \frac{1}{n^2} \right), \text{ where } n = 2, 3, 4, \dots$$

- Balmer series

$$\frac{1}{\lambda} = R \left(\frac{1}{2^2} - \frac{1}{n^2} \right), \text{ where } n = 3, 4, 5, \dots$$

- Paschen series

$$\frac{1}{\lambda} = R \left(\frac{1}{3^2} - \frac{1}{n^2} \right), \text{ where } n = 4, 5, 6, \dots$$

- Brackett series

$$\frac{1}{\lambda} = R \left(\frac{1}{4^2} - \frac{1}{n^2} \right), \text{ where } n = 5, 6, 7, \dots$$

- Pfund series

$$\frac{1}{\lambda} = R \left(\frac{1}{5^2} - \frac{1}{n^2} \right), \text{ where } n = 6, 7, 8, \dots$$

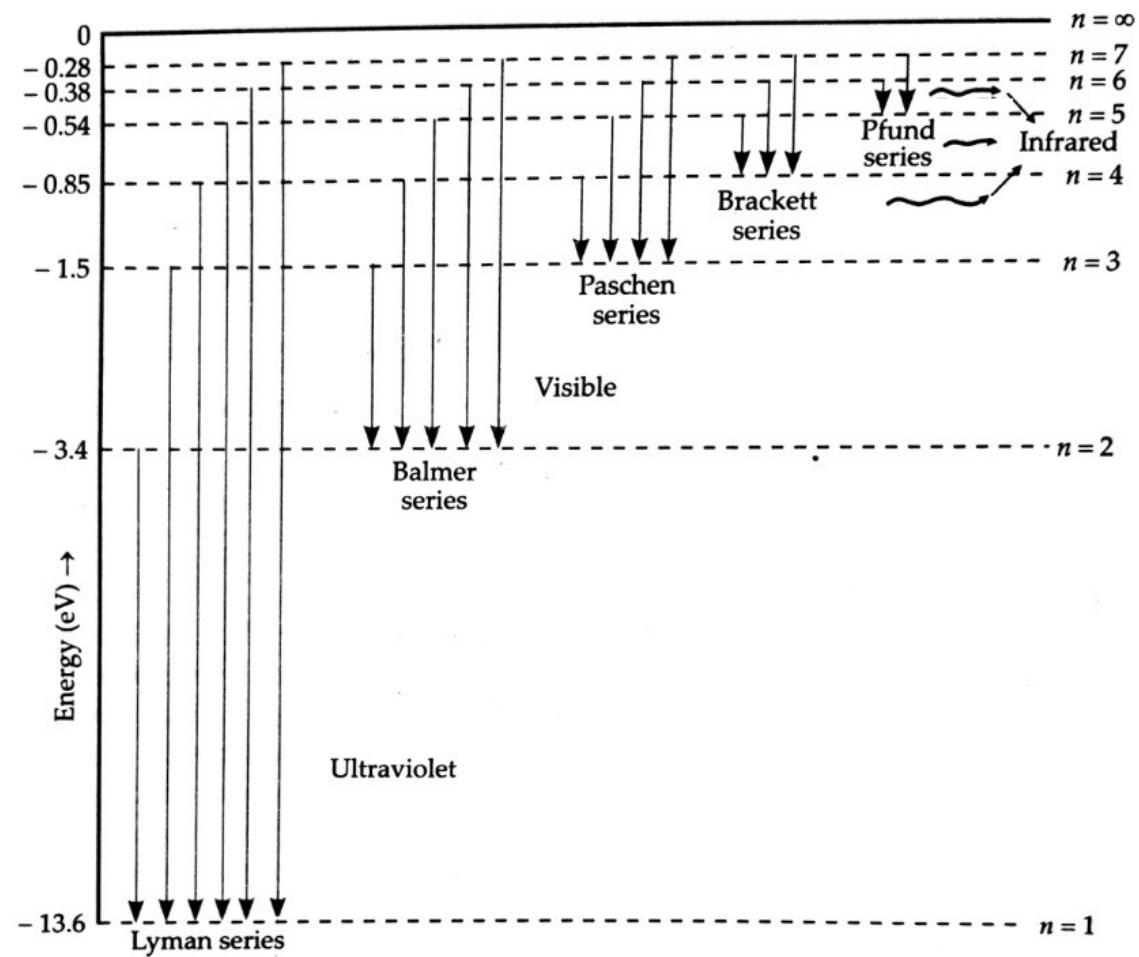


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Hydrogen Spectral Series – Limiting lines

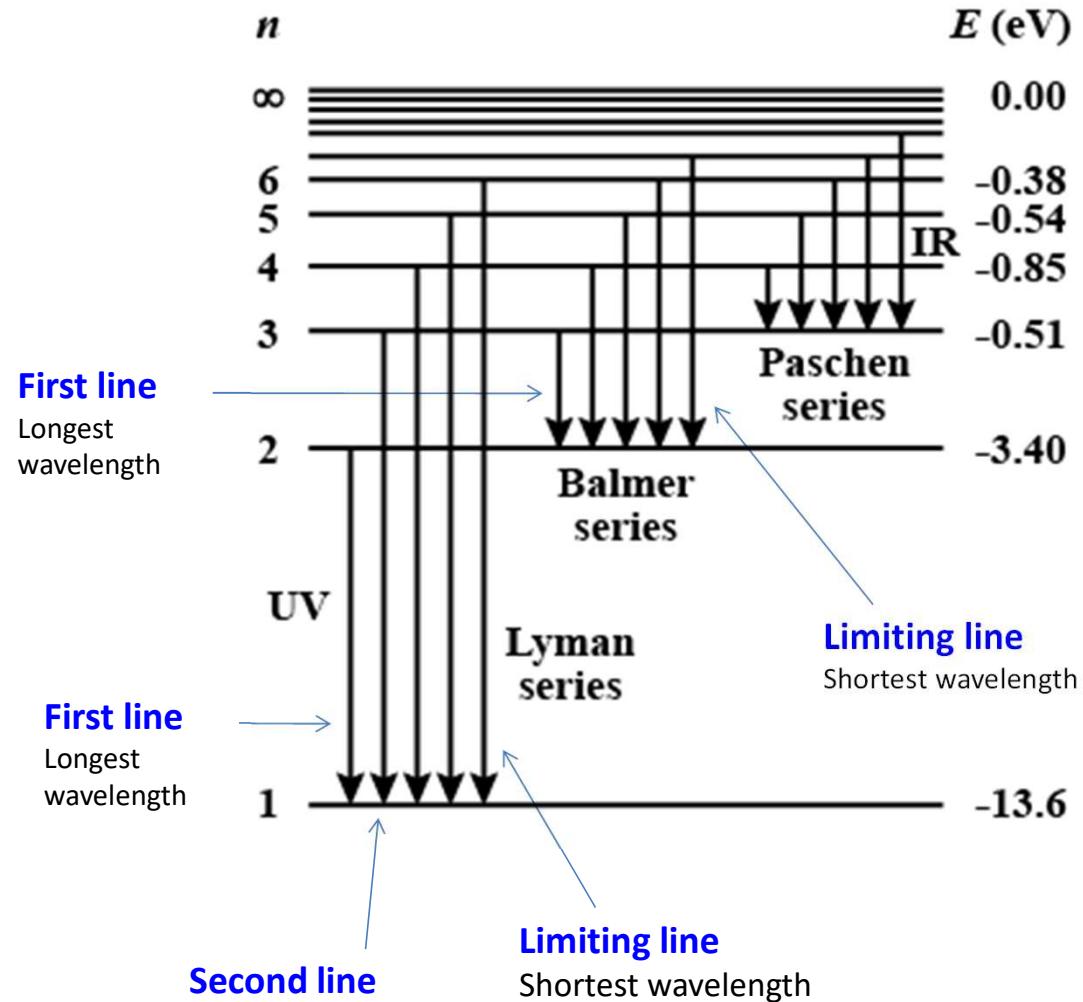


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Lyman series:

First line:

$$\frac{1}{\lambda} = R \left[\frac{1}{n_1^2} - \frac{1}{n_2^2} \right]$$

For first line $n_1 = 1$ and $n_2 = 2$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{\lambda_1} = R \left[1 - \frac{1}{4} \right] = R \left[\frac{4-1}{4} \right]$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{\lambda_1} = \frac{3R}{4}$$

$$\therefore \lambda_1 = \frac{4}{3R}$$

$$\Rightarrow \lambda_1 = \frac{4}{3 \times 10.97 \times 10^6} = 1216 \text{ \AA}^\circ$$

Second line:

For second line $n_1 = 1$ & $n_2 = 3$

$$\therefore \frac{1}{\lambda_2} = R \left[\frac{1}{1^2} - \frac{1}{3^2} \right]$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{\lambda_2} = R \left[1 - \frac{1}{9} \right] = R \left[\frac{8}{9} \right]$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{\lambda_2} = \frac{8R}{9}$$

$$\Rightarrow \lambda_2 = \frac{9}{8R}$$

$$\Rightarrow \lambda_2 = \frac{9}{8 \times 10.97 \times 10^6} = 1026 \text{ \AA}$$

Limiting line:

for Limiting line $n_1 = 1$ & $n_2 = \infty$
shortest wavelength

$$\therefore \frac{1}{\lambda_\infty} = R \left[\frac{1}{r_2} - \frac{1}{\infty} \right] = R$$

$$\Rightarrow \lambda_\infty = \frac{1}{R} = \frac{1}{10.97 \times 10^6}$$

$$= 912 \text{ \AA}$$

Balmer series:

First line:

For first line $n_1 = 2$ & $n_2 = 3$

$$\therefore [\lambda_1]^{-1} = R \left[\frac{1}{2^2} - \frac{1}{3^2} \right]$$

$$\Rightarrow [\lambda_1]^{-1} = R \left[\frac{1}{4} - \frac{1}{9} \right] = R \frac{[9-4]}{36}$$

$$\Rightarrow \lambda_1^{-1} = \frac{5R}{36}$$

$$\Rightarrow \lambda_1 = \frac{36}{5R}$$

$$\lambda_1 = \frac{36}{5 \times 1.97 \times 10^7}$$

$$\Rightarrow \lambda_1 = 6563 \text{ \AA}$$

Limiting line:

For limiting line $n_1 = 2$ & $n_2 = \infty$

$$\therefore \frac{1}{\lambda_\infty} = R \left[\frac{1}{2^2} - \frac{1}{\infty^2} \right]$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{\lambda_\infty} = R \left[\frac{1}{4} \right]$$

$$\Rightarrow \lambda_\infty = \frac{4}{R}$$

$$\Rightarrow \lambda_\infty = \frac{4}{1.97 \times 10^7} = 3637 \text{ \AA}$$

Paschen Series

First line:

First line wave length (Longest wave length)= 18752 Å°

Limiting line:

Limiting line wave length (Shortest wave length) = 8204 Å°

PROBLEMS

ATOMS LESSON

Find the radius of the electron in the 2nd orbit of hydrogen atom

Given

$$n = 2$$

$$r_2 = ?$$

$$r_n = 0.529 n^2 A$$

$$\therefore r_{n=2} = 0.529 (2)^2$$

$$r_2 = 0.529 \times 4$$

$$r_2 = 2.116 \text{ \AA}$$

Calculate the velocity of the electron revolving in the 1st orbit.

Given

$$n = 1$$

$$v_n = \frac{e^2}{2nh\epsilon_0}$$

$$\therefore v_1 = \frac{e^2}{2h\epsilon_0} = \frac{1.6 \times 10^{-19} \times 1.6 \times 10^{-19}}{2 \times 6.625 \times 10^{-34} \times 8.9 \times 10^{-12}}$$

$$= \frac{2.56 \times 10^{-38}}{117.925 \times 10^{-46}}$$

$$= 0.0217 \times 10^8$$

$$= 2.17 \times 10^6 \text{ m/s}$$

A photon of energy 12.09 eV is absorbed by an electron in the first energy state of hydrogen atom. Find, to which energy electron will go.

Given $E = h\nu = 12.09 \text{ eV}$

$$n_i = 1, n_f = ?$$

$$E_i = -13.6 \text{ eV}$$

$$\therefore E_{nf} = -13.6 + 12.09 = -1.51 \text{ eV}$$

$$E_n \propto \frac{1}{n^2} \quad \frac{E_i}{E_{nf}} = \frac{n_f^2}{1^2} \quad \Rightarrow n_f^2 = \frac{-13.6}{-1.51} = 9$$
$$\therefore n_f = 3$$

Find the ratio of time periods of the electrons revolving in the first and third energy states of hydrogen atom.

Given

$$n_1 = 1 \quad , \quad n_2 = 3$$

$$\frac{T_1}{T_2} = ?$$

$$T \propto n^3 \Rightarrow \frac{T_1}{T_2} = \frac{1^3}{3^3} = \frac{1}{27}$$

$$\therefore T_1 : T_2 = 1 : 27$$

Find the ratio of limiting lines wavelength in Lyman, Balmer and Paschen series in hydrogen spectra.

$$\lambda_{L_\infty} : \lambda_{B_\infty} : \lambda_{P_\infty} = ?$$

Limiting line in Lyman series

$$\frac{1}{\lambda_{L_\infty}} = R \left[\frac{1}{1^2} - \frac{1}{\infty^2} \right] = R$$

$$\Rightarrow \lambda_{L_\infty} = \frac{1}{R}$$

Limiting line in Balmer series

$$\frac{1}{\lambda_{B_\infty}} = R \left[\frac{1}{2^2} - \frac{1}{\infty^2} \right] = \frac{R}{4}$$

$$\Rightarrow \lambda_{B_\infty} = \frac{4}{R}$$

Limiting line in Paschen series

$$\frac{1}{\lambda_{P_\infty}} = R \left[\frac{1}{3^2} - \frac{1}{\infty^2} \right] = \frac{R}{9}$$

$$\Rightarrow \lambda_{P_\infty} = \frac{9}{R}$$

$$\therefore \lambda_L : \lambda_B : \lambda_{P_\infty} = \frac{1}{R} : \frac{4}{R} : \frac{9}{R}$$
$$= 1 : 4 : 9$$

DE-BROGLIE COMMENT ON BOHR THEORY

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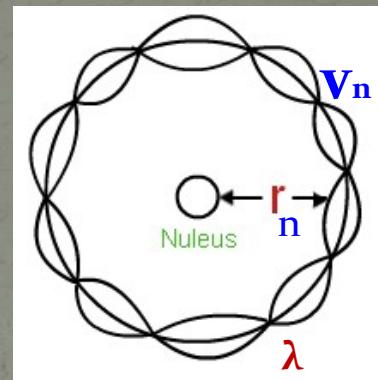
Circumference of the orbit = $2\pi r_n$

For a possible orbit, $2\pi r_n = n\lambda$

According to de-Broglie

$$\text{wavelength, } \lambda = \frac{h}{mv_n}$$

v_n - is speed of electron in
 n^{th} orbit.



$$\therefore 2\pi r_n = n \cdot \frac{h}{mv_n}$$

$$\Rightarrow \boxed{mv_n r_n = n \frac{h}{2\pi}}$$

Angular momentum of the electron revolving around the nucleus quantised