

Q1) Radius of electron orbit: $r = \frac{n^2 a_0}{Z}$

$$r = \frac{16 a_0}{3} = \frac{16 (0.0529 \text{ nm})}{3} = 0.2821 \text{ nm}$$
$$= 2.821 \times 10^{-10} \text{ m.}$$

$$F_{\text{centripetal}} = F_{\text{Coulomb}}$$

$$\frac{mv^2}{r} = \frac{kZe^2}{r^2}$$

$$v^2 = \frac{kZe^2}{mr} = \frac{(8.99 \times 10^9 \frac{\text{Nm}^2}{\text{C}^2}) 3 (1.60 \times 10^{-19} \text{ C})^2}{(9.11 \times 10^{-31} \text{ kg}) (2.821 \times 10^{-10} \text{ m})}$$

$$v = 1.639 \times 10^6 \frac{\text{m}}{\text{s}}$$

$$T = \frac{C}{v} = \frac{2\pi r}{v} = \frac{2\pi (2.821 \times 10^{-10})}{(1.639 \times 10^6)} = 1.082 \times 10^{-15} \text{ s.}$$

$$N = \frac{10^{-8}}{T} = 9.246 \times 10^6 \text{ revolutions}$$

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2.) Can we confine an electron inside an atomic nucleus?

Suppose the scale of the nucleus is $\sim 10^{-15}$ m.
Use the uncertainty principle to calculate a momentum uncertainty and then find the corresponding kinetic energy.

$$\Delta p \Delta x \geq \frac{\hbar}{2} \quad \Delta p \geq \frac{\hbar}{2\Delta x} = \frac{6.63 \times 10^{-34}}{4\pi \times 10^{-15} \text{ m.}}$$

$$= 5.28 \times 10^{-20} \text{ kg m/s}$$

$$\Delta E = \frac{(\Delta p)^2}{2m} = \frac{(5.28 \times 10^{-20})^2}{2(9.1 \times 10^{-31})} \frac{\text{kg}^2/\text{s}^2}{\text{kg}} = 1.53 \times 10^{-9} \text{ J}$$

$$= 9.57 \times 10^9 \text{ eV.}$$

$$m_e c^2 = 8.19 \times 10^{-14} \text{ J} = 5.11 \times 10^6 \text{ eV}$$

$$(\Delta E)^2 = (\Delta p)^2 c^2 + m_e^2 c^4$$

$$(\Delta E)^2 = [(5.28 \times 10^{-20})(3 \times 10^8)]^2 + (9.1 \times 10^{-31} \cdot (3 \times 10^8)^2)^2$$

$$(\Delta E)^2 = 2.51 \times 10^{-22} \text{ J}$$

$$\Delta E = 1.58 \times 10^{-11} \text{ J}$$

$$= 9.9 \text{ MeV} \quad \checkmark \quad 99 \text{ MeV}$$

Ionization energy $13.6 \text{ eV} \ll \Delta E$

electron cannot be confined to nucleus!

Q3)

$$\frac{p^2}{2m} = E$$

$d = 5 \text{ nM}$ atomic spacing

$$p = \sqrt{2mE}$$

$$\lambda = \frac{h}{p} = \frac{h}{\sqrt{2mE}} = \frac{hc}{\sqrt{2mc^2E}}$$

$$\lambda = \frac{1240}{\sqrt{2 \cdot (3.727 \times 10^9 \text{ eV}) \cdot (4.7 \times 10^6 \text{ eV})}}$$
$$= 5.176 \times 10^{-6} \text{ nM.}$$

b.) $\lambda = \frac{hc}{\sqrt{2mc^2E}}$

$$\lambda^2 = \frac{(hc)^2}{2mc^2E}$$

$$E = \frac{(hc)^2}{2mc^2\lambda^2} = \frac{(1240)^2}{2(3.727 \times 10^9)(5^2)} = 8.251 \times 10^{-6} \text{ eV}$$

c.) It is not surprising since $\lambda \ll d$
and E is tiny to get $\lambda \sim d$.

$$Q4) \Delta E = 20.0 - 13.6 = 6.4 \text{ eV}$$

$$6.4 \text{ eV} = \frac{1}{2} m v^2.$$

$$v = \sqrt{\frac{2 \times 6.4}{m}}$$

$$v = \left(\frac{2 \times (6.4) \times 1.6 \times 10^{-19} \text{ J/eV}}{9.11 \times 10^{-31} \text{ kg}} \right)^{\frac{1}{2}}$$

$$v = \sqrt{2.248 \times 10^{12}} \text{ m/s}$$

$$v = 1.49 \times 10^6 \text{ m/s}.$$

Q5) $E_n = -\frac{13,6}{n^2} \text{ eV} \quad n=1, 2, 3, \dots$

for a transition from $n=1$ to $n=4$ we have

$$\Delta E = E_4 - E_1 = -13,6 \left(\frac{1}{4^2} - \frac{1}{1^2} \right)$$

$$= 12,75 \text{ eV.} \quad 2$$

b) Different ways the atom can de-excite:

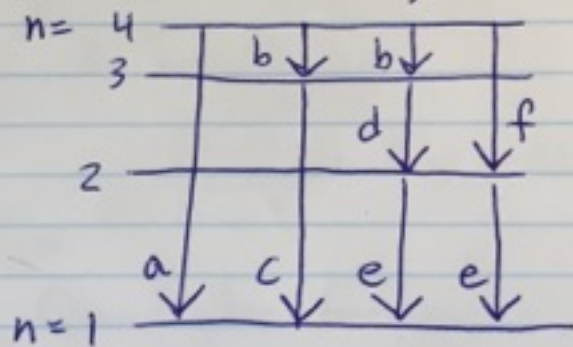
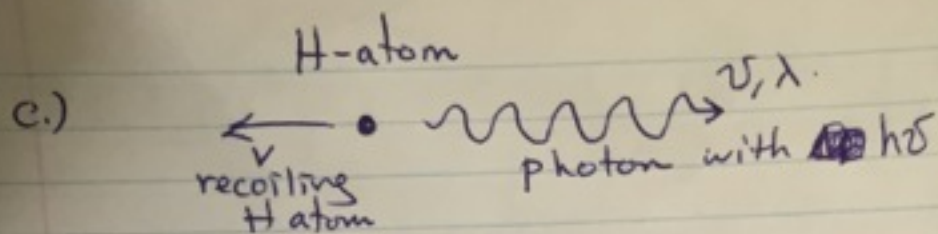


Table of energies:

a:	12,75 eV
b:	0,6319 eV
c:	12,089 eV
d:	1,889 eV
e:	10,200 eV
f:	2,550 eV



Conservation of energy: $\Delta E = \frac{1}{2}mv^2 + h\nu$

Conservation of momentum: $p = mv = \frac{h}{\lambda} = \frac{h\nu}{c}$

From momentum:

$$\frac{p^2}{2m} = \frac{h^2\nu^2}{2mc^2}$$

So we have

$$\frac{h^2\nu^2}{2mc^2} + h\nu - \Delta E = 0$$

Quadratic formula:

$$\nu = \frac{-h \pm \sqrt{h^2 + \frac{2h^2\Delta E}{mc^2}}}{(h^2/mc^2)}$$

$$h\nu = \left(-1 \pm \sqrt{1 + \frac{2\Delta E}{mc^2}}\right) mc^2$$

Use the positive solution!

$$h\nu = \left(-1 + \sqrt{1 + \frac{2\Delta E}{mc^2}}\right) mc^2$$

$$(1+x)^{1/2} = 1 + \frac{1}{2}x - \frac{x^2}{8} + \dots$$

$$h\nu = mc^2 \left(-1 + 1 + \frac{1}{2} \left(\frac{2\Delta E}{mc^2} \right) - \frac{1}{8} \left(\frac{2\Delta E}{mc^2} \right)^2 + \dots \right)$$

$$h\nu = \Delta E - \frac{1}{2} \frac{(\Delta E)^2}{mc^2} + \dots$$

Energy of recoiling atom

$$K = \Delta E - h\nu$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \left(\frac{(12.75 \text{ eV})^2}{100 \text{ eV} \cdot 9.38 \times 10^8}$$

$$= 8.128 \times 10^{-8} \text{ eV} = 1.3 \times 10^{-26} \text{ J}$$

$$v = \sqrt{\frac{2K}{m}} = \sqrt{\frac{2 \times 1.3 \times 10^{-26} \text{ J}}{1.67 \times 10^{-27} \text{ kg}}}$$

$$v = \overset{4.07}{\cancel{3.94}} \text{ m/s.}$$

→ If only the 1st order term in the binomial expansion is kept $h\nu = \Delta E$ and the atom recoil vanishes. ($v=0$)

subtract $\frac{2}{10}$ marks for this bad assumption!

