

46. We rewrite Eq. 39-9 as

$$\frac{h}{m\lambda} - \frac{h}{m\lambda'} \cos \phi = \frac{v}{\sqrt{1 - (v/c)^2}} \cos \theta ,$$

and Eq. 39-10 as

$$\frac{h}{m\lambda'} \sin \phi = \frac{v}{\sqrt{1 - (v/c)^2}} \sin \theta .$$

We square both equations and add up the two sides:

$$\left(\frac{h}{m}\right)^2 \left[\left(\frac{1}{\lambda} - \frac{1}{\lambda'} \cos \phi\right)^2 + \left(\frac{1}{\lambda'} \sin \phi\right)^2 \right] = \frac{v^2}{1 - (v/c)^2} ,$$

where we use $\sin^2 \theta + \cos^2 \theta = 1$ to eliminate θ . Now the right-hand side can be written as

$$\frac{v^2}{1 - (v/c)^2} = -c^2 \left[1 - \frac{1}{1 - (v/c)^2} \right] ,$$

so

$$\frac{1}{1 - (v/c)^2} = \left(\frac{h}{mc}\right)^2 \left[\left(\frac{1}{\lambda} - \frac{1}{\lambda'} \cos \phi\right)^2 + \left(\frac{1}{\lambda'} \sin \phi\right)^2 \right] + 1 .$$

Now we rewrite Eq. 39-8 as

$$\frac{h}{mc} \left(\frac{1}{\lambda} - \frac{1}{\lambda'} \right) + 1 = \frac{1}{\sqrt{1 - (v/c)^2}} .$$

If we square this, then it can be directly compared with the previous equation we obtained for $[1 - (v/c)^2]^{-1}$. This yields

$$\left[\frac{h}{mc} \left(\frac{1}{\lambda} - \frac{1}{\lambda'} \right) + 1 \right]^2 = \left(\frac{h}{mc}\right)^2 \left[\left(\frac{1}{\lambda} - \frac{1}{\lambda'} \cos \phi\right)^2 + \left(\frac{1}{\lambda'} \sin \phi\right)^2 \right] + 1 .$$

We have so far eliminated θ and v . Working out the squares on both sides and noting that $\sin^2 \phi + \cos^2 \phi = 1$, we get

$$\lambda' - \lambda = \Delta\lambda = \frac{h}{mc}(1 - \cos \phi) .$$