

## Chapter 5 – The Wavelike Properties of Particles

$$5-1. \quad (a) \quad \lambda = \frac{h}{p} = \frac{h}{mv} = \frac{(6.63 \times 10^{-34} \text{ J}\cdot\text{s})(3.16 \times 10^7 \text{ s/y})}{(10^{-3} \text{ kg})(1 \text{ m/y})} = 2.1 \times 10^{-23} \text{ m}$$

$$(b) \quad v = \frac{h}{m\lambda} = \frac{6.63 \times 10^{-34} \text{ J}\cdot\text{s}}{(10^{-3} \text{ kg})(10^{-2} \text{ m})} = 6.6 \times 10^{-29} \text{ m/s} = 2.1 \times 10^{-21} \text{ m/y}$$

$$5-2. \quad \lambda = \frac{h}{p} \approx \frac{h}{E/c} = \frac{hc}{E} = \frac{1240 \text{ MeV}\cdot\text{fm}}{100 \text{ MeV}} = 12.4 \text{ fm}$$

$$5-3. \quad E_k = eV_o = \frac{p^2}{2m} = \frac{h^2}{2m\lambda^2} = \frac{(hc)^2}{2mc^2\lambda^2} \quad V_o = \frac{1}{e} \cdot \frac{(1240 \text{ eV}\cdot\text{nm})^2}{2(5.11 \times 10^5 \text{ eV})(0.04 \text{ nm})^2} = 940 \text{ V}$$

$$5-4. \quad \lambda = \frac{h}{p} = \frac{h}{\sqrt{2mE_k}} = \frac{hc}{\sqrt{2mc^2E_k}} \quad (\text{from Equation 5-2})$$

$$(a) \text{ For an electron: } \lambda = \frac{1240 \text{ eV}\cdot\text{nm}}{[(2)(0.511 \times 10^6 \text{ eV})(4.5 \times 10^3 \text{ eV})]^{1/2}} = 0.0183 \text{ nm}$$

$$(b) \text{ For a proton: } \lambda = \frac{1240 \text{ eV}\cdot\text{nm}}{[(2)(938.3 \times 10^6 \text{ eV})(4.5 \times 10^3 \text{ eV})]^{1/2}} = 4.27 \times 10^{-4} \text{ nm}$$

$$(c) \text{ For an alpha particle: } \lambda = \frac{1240 \text{ eV}\cdot\text{nm}}{[(2)(3.728 \times 10^9 \text{ eV})(4.5 \times 10^3 \text{ eV})]^{1/2}} = 2.14 \times 10^{-4} \text{ nm}$$

$$5-5. \quad \lambda = h/p = h/\sqrt{2mE_k} = hc/[2mc^2(1.5kT)]^{1/2} \quad (\text{from Equation 5-2})$$

$$\text{Mass of } N_2 \text{ molecule} = 2 \times 14.0031 \text{ u}(931.5 \text{ MeV}/c^2) = 2.609 \times 10^4 \text{ MeV}/c^2 = 2.609 \times 10^{10} \text{ eV}/c^2$$

$$\lambda = \frac{1240 \text{ eV}\cdot\text{nm}}{[(2)(2.609 \times 10^{10} \text{ eV})(1.5)(8.617 \times 10^{-5} \text{ eV/K})(300 \text{ K})]^{1/2}} = 0.0276 \text{ nm}$$

$$5-6. \quad \lambda = \frac{h}{p} = \frac{h}{\sqrt{2mE_k}} = \frac{hc}{\sqrt{2mc^2E_k}} = \frac{1240 \text{ eV}\cdot\text{nm}}{[2(939.57 \times 10^6 \text{ eV})(0.02 \text{ eV})]^{1/2}} = 0.202 \text{ nm}$$

5-7. (a) If there is a node at each wall, then  $n(\lambda/2) = L$  where  $n = 1, 2, 3, \dots$  or  $\lambda = 2L/n$ .

$$(b) \quad p = h/\lambda = hm/2L \quad E = p^2/2m = (hn/2L)^2/2m = h^2n^2/8mL^2$$

$$E_n = \frac{(hc)^2n^2}{8mc^2L^2}$$

$$\text{For } n = 1: E_1 = \frac{(1240 \text{ eV}\cdot\text{nm})^2(1)^2}{8(938 \times 10^6 \text{ eV})(0.01 \text{ nm})^2} = 2.05 \text{ eV}$$

$$\text{For } n = 2: E_2 = 2.05 \text{ eV}(2)^2 = 8.20 \text{ eV}$$

5-8. (a)  $\lambda/\lambda_c = 10^2$  is a nonrelativistic situation, so

$$\lambda/\lambda_c = [(hc/\sqrt{2mc^2E_k})/(hc/mc^2)] = (mc^2/2E_k)^{1/2}$$

$$E_k = \frac{mc^2}{2(\lambda/\lambda_c)^2} = \frac{0.511 \times 10^6 \text{ eV}}{2(10^2)^2} = 25.6 \text{ eV}$$

(b)  $\lambda/\lambda_c = 0.2$  is relativistic for an electron, so  $\lambda = h/\gamma mu \rightarrow \gamma u = h/\lambda m$

$$\frac{u/c}{\sqrt{1-(u/c)^2}} = \frac{h}{mc\lambda} = \frac{\lambda_c}{\lambda}$$

$$\frac{(u/c)^2}{1-(u/c)^2} = \left(\frac{\lambda_c}{\lambda}\right)^2 \rightarrow u/c = \frac{\lambda_c/\lambda}{[1 + (\lambda_c/\lambda)^2]^{1/2}}$$

$$u/c = \frac{(1/0.2)}{[1 + (1/0.2)^2]^{1/2}} = 0.981 \rightarrow \gamma = 5.10$$

$$E_k = mc^2(\gamma - 1) = 0.511 \text{ MeV}(\gamma - 1) = 2.10 \text{ MeV}$$

(Problem 5-8 continued)

$$(c) \quad \lambda/\lambda_c = 10^{-3}$$

$$u/c = \frac{(1/10^{-3})}{[1 + (1/10^{-3})^2]^{1/2}} = 0.9999 \rightarrow \gamma = 1000$$

$$E_k = mc^2(\gamma - 1) = 0.511 \text{ MeV}(999) = 510 \text{ MeV}$$

$$5-9. \quad E_k = mc^2(\gamma - 1) \quad p = \gamma mu$$

$$(a) \quad E_k = 2 \text{ GeV} \quad mc^2 = 0.938 \text{ GeV}$$

$$\gamma - 1 = E_k/mc^2 = 2 \text{ GeV}/0.938 \text{ GeV} = 2.132 \quad \text{Thus, } \gamma = 3.132$$

$$\text{Because, } \gamma = 1/\sqrt{1 - (u/c)^2} \quad \text{where } u/c = 0.948$$

$$\lambda = \frac{h}{p} = \frac{h}{\gamma mc(u/c)} = \frac{hc}{\gamma mc^2(u/c)}$$

$$= \frac{1240 \text{ eV}\cdot\text{nm}}{(3.132)(938 \times 10^6 \text{ eV})(0.948)} = 4.45 \times 10^{-7} \text{ nm} = 0.445 \text{ fm}$$

$$(b) \quad E_k = 200 \text{ GeV}$$

$$\gamma - 1 = E_k/mc^2 = 200 \text{ GeV}/0.938 \text{ GeV} = 213. \quad \text{Thus, } \gamma = 214 \text{ and } u/c = 0.9999$$

$$\lambda = \frac{1240 \text{ MeV}\cdot\text{fm}}{(214)(938 \text{ MeV})(0.9999)} = 6.18 \times 10^{-3} \text{ fm}$$

$$5-10. \quad n\lambda = D \sin \phi \quad (\text{Equation 5-5})$$

$$\sin \phi = \frac{n\lambda}{D} = \frac{n}{D} \frac{hc}{\sqrt{2mc^2 E_k}} \quad (\text{see Problem 5-6})$$

$$= \frac{1}{0.215 \text{ nm}} \cdot \frac{1240 \text{ eV}\cdot\text{nm}}{[2(5.11 \times 10^5 \text{ eV})]^{1/2} \sqrt{E_k}} = \frac{(5.705 \text{ eV})^{1/2}}{\sqrt{E_k}}$$

(Problem 5-10 continued)

$$(a) \sin \phi = \frac{(5.705 \text{ eV})^{1/2}}{\sqrt{75 \text{ eV}}} = 0.659 \quad \phi = \sin^{-1}(0.659) = 41.2^\circ$$

$$(b) \sin \phi = \frac{(5.705 \text{ eV})^{1/2}}{\sqrt{100 \text{ eV}}} = 0.570 \quad \phi = \sin^{-1}(0.570) = 34.8^\circ$$

$$5-11. \quad \lambda = \frac{h}{p} = \frac{h}{\sqrt{2m_p E_k}} = 0.25 \text{ nm}$$

Squaring and rearranging,

$$E_k = \frac{h^2}{2m_p \lambda^2} = \frac{(hc)^2}{2(m_p c^2) \lambda^2} = \frac{(1240 \text{ eV} \cdot \text{nm})^2}{2(938 \times 10^6 \text{ eV})(0.25 \text{ nm})^2}$$

$$E_k = 0.013 \text{ eV}$$

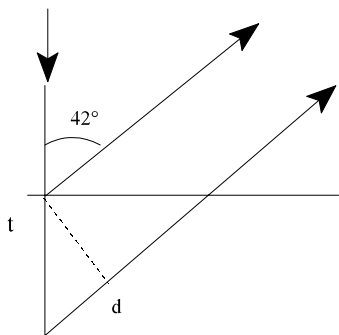
$$n\lambda = D \sin \phi \rightarrow \sin \phi = n\lambda/D = (1)(0.25 \text{ nm})/0.304 \text{ nm}$$

$$\sin \phi = 0.822 \rightarrow \phi = 55^\circ$$

$$\begin{aligned} 5-12. \quad (a) \quad n\lambda = D \sin \phi \quad \therefore \quad D &= \frac{n\lambda}{\sin \phi} = \frac{nhc}{\sin \phi \sqrt{2m c^2 E_k}} \\ &= \frac{(1)(1240 \text{ eV} \cdot \text{nm})}{(\sin 55.6^\circ)[2(5.11 \times 10^5 \text{ eV})(50 \text{ eV})]^{1/2}} = 0.210 \text{ nm} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} (b) \quad \sin \phi &= \frac{n\lambda}{D} = \frac{(1)(1240 \text{ eV} \cdot \text{nm})}{(0.210 \text{ nm})[2(5.11 \times 10^5 \text{ eV})(100 \text{ eV})]^{1/2}} \\ &= 0.584 \quad \phi = \sin^{-1}(0.584) = 35.7^\circ \end{aligned}$$

5-13.



$$d = t \cos 42^\circ$$

$$n\lambda = t + d = t(1 + \cos 42^\circ) = 0.30 \text{ nm}(1 + \cos 42^\circ)$$

For the first maximum  $n = 1$ , so  $\lambda = 0.523 \text{ nm}$

$$\lambda = \frac{h}{p} = \frac{h}{\sqrt{2mE_k}} \rightarrow E_k = \frac{h^2}{2m\lambda^2} = \frac{(hc)^2}{2mc^2\lambda^2}$$

$$E_k = \frac{(1240 \text{ eV}\cdot\text{nm})^2}{2(939.6 \times 10^6 \text{ eV})(0.523 \text{ nm})^2} = 3.0 \times 10^{-3} \text{ eV}$$

5-14.  $\lambda = \frac{D \sin \phi}{n}$  (Equation 5-6)

For 54 eV electrons  $\lambda = 0.165 \text{ nm}$  and  $\sin \phi = (0.165 \text{ nm})n/0.215 \text{ nm} = 0.767n$

For  $n = 2$  and larger  $\sin \phi > 1$ , so no values of  $n$  larger than one are possible.

5-15.  $\sin \phi = n\lambda/D$  (Equation 5-6)

$$\begin{aligned} \lambda &= h/p = h/\sqrt{2mE_k} = hc/\sqrt{2mc^2E_k} \\ &= \frac{1240 \text{ eV}\cdot\text{nm}}{[2(0.511 \times 10^6 \text{ eV})(350 \text{ eV})]^{1/2}} = 0.0656 \text{ nm} \end{aligned}$$

$$\sin \phi = n(0.0656 \text{ nm})/0.315 \text{ nm} = 0.208n$$

For  $n = 1$ ,  $\phi = 12^\circ$  For  $n = 2$ ,  $\phi = 24.6^\circ$  For  $n = 3$ ,  $\phi = 38.6^\circ$

For  $n = 4$ ,  $\phi = 56.4^\circ$  This is the largest possible  $\phi$ . All larger  $n$  values have  $\sin \phi > 1$ .

$$5-16. \quad (a) \quad \Delta t < \frac{1}{f} = \frac{1}{100,000 \text{ s}^{-1}} = 10^{-5} \text{ s} = 10 \mu\text{s}$$

$$(b) \quad \Delta f \Delta t \approx \frac{1}{2\pi} \quad \therefore \quad \Delta f \approx \frac{1}{2\pi \Delta t} = \frac{1}{2\pi \times 10^{-5} \text{ s}} = 1.59 \times 10^4 \text{ Hz}$$

$$5-17. \quad (a) \quad y = y_1 + y_2$$

$$= 0.002 \text{ m} \cos(8.0x/\text{m} - 400t/\text{s}) + 0.002 \text{ m} \cos(7.6x/\text{m} - 380t/\text{s})$$

$$= 2(0.002 \text{ m}) \cos\left[\frac{1}{2}(8.0x/\text{m} - 7.6x/\text{m}) - \frac{1}{2}(400t/\text{s} - 380t/\text{s})\right]$$

$$\times \cos\left[\frac{1}{2}(8.0x/\text{m} + 7.6x/\text{m}) - \frac{1}{2}(400t/\text{s} + 380t/\text{s})\right]$$

$$= 0.004 \text{ m} \cos(0.2x/\text{m} - 10t/\text{s}) \times \cos(7.8x/\text{m} - 390t/\text{s})$$

$$(b) \quad v = \frac{\bar{\omega}}{\bar{k}} = \frac{390/\text{s}}{7.8/\text{m}} = 50 \text{ m/s}$$

$$(c) \quad v_g = \frac{\Delta\omega}{\Delta k} = \frac{20/\text{s}}{0.4/\text{m}} = 50 \text{ m/s}$$

$$(d) \quad \text{Successive zeros of the envelope requires that } 0.2 \Delta x/\text{m} = \pi, \text{ thus } \Delta x = \frac{\pi}{0.2} = 5\pi \text{ m with}$$

$$\Delta k = k_1 - k_2 = 0.4 \text{ m}^{-1} \text{ and } \Delta x = \frac{2\pi}{\Delta k}.$$

$$5-18. \quad (a) \quad v = f\lambda \quad \text{Thus, } \frac{dv}{d\lambda} = f + \lambda \frac{df}{d\lambda}, \text{ multiplying by } \lambda, \quad \lambda \frac{dv}{d\lambda} = \lambda f + \lambda^2 \frac{df}{d\lambda} = v + \frac{\lambda^2}{2\pi} \frac{d\omega}{d\lambda}$$

$$- \frac{\lambda^2}{2\pi} \frac{d\omega}{d\lambda} = v - \lambda \frac{dv}{d\lambda} \quad \text{Because } k = 2\pi/\lambda, \quad dk = -(2\pi/\lambda^2)d\lambda \text{ and}$$

$$\frac{d\omega}{dk} = v_g = v - \lambda \frac{dv}{d\lambda}$$

$$(b) \quad v \text{ decreases as } \lambda \text{ decreases. } dv/d\lambda \text{ is positive.}$$

5-19. (a)  $c = f\lambda = \lambda/T \rightarrow T = \lambda/c = 2 \times 10^{-2} \text{ m} / 3 \times 10^8 \text{ m/s} = 6.7 \times 10^{-11} \text{ s/wave}$

The number of waves =  $0.25 \mu\text{s} / (6.7 \times 10^{-11} \text{ s/wave}) = 3.73 \times 10^3$

Length of the packet = (# waves)( $\lambda$ ) =  $2 \times 10^{-2} \text{ m} (3.73 \times 10^3) = 74.6 \text{ m}$

(b)  $f = c/\lambda = (3 \times 10^8 \text{ m/s}) / 2 \times 10^{-2} \text{ m} = 1.50 \times 10^{10} \text{ Hz}$

(c)  $\Delta\omega\Delta t \approx 1 \rightarrow \Delta\omega \approx 1/\Delta t = 1/0.25 \times 10^{-6} \text{ s} = 4.0 \times 10^6 \text{ rad/s} = 637 \text{ kHz}$

5-20.  $\Delta\omega\Delta t \approx 1 \rightarrow \Delta\omega \approx 1/\Delta t = 1/0.25 \text{ s} = 4.0 \text{ rad/s}$  or  $\Delta f \approx 0.6 \text{ Hz}$

5-21.  $\Delta\omega\Delta t \approx 1 \rightarrow (2\pi\Delta f)\Delta t = 1$  Thus,  $\Delta t \approx 1/(2\pi \times 5000) = 3.2 \times 10^{-5} \text{ s}$

5-22. (a)  $\lambda = h/p = h/\sqrt{2mE_k} = hc/\sqrt{2mc^2E_k}$   

$$= \frac{1240 \text{ eV}\cdot\text{nm}}{[2(0.511 \times 10^6 \text{ eV})(5 \text{ eV})]^{1/2}} = 0.549 \text{ nm}$$

$d\sin\theta = \lambda/2$  For first minimum (see Figure 5-16).

$d = \frac{\lambda}{2\sin\theta} = \frac{0.549 \text{ nm}}{2\sin 5^\circ} = 3.15 \text{ nm}$  slit separation

(b)  $\sin 5^\circ = 0.5 \text{ cm}/L$  where  $L$  = distance to detector plane  $L = \frac{0.5 \text{ cm}}{2\sin 5^\circ} = 5.74 \text{ cm}$

5-23. (a) The particle is found with equal probability in any interval in a force-free region. Therefore, the probability of finding the particle in any interval  $\Delta x$  is proportional to  $\Delta x$ . Thus, the probability of finding the sphere *exactly* in the middle, i.e., with  $\Delta x = 0$  is zero.

(b) The probability of finding the sphere somewhere within 24.9 cm to 25.1 cm is proportional to  $\Delta x = 0.2 \text{ cm}$ . Because there is a force free length  $L = 48 \text{ cm}$  available to the sphere and the probability of finding it somewhere in  $L$  is unity, then the probability that it will be found in  $\Delta x = 0.2 \text{ cm}$  between 24.9 cm and 25.1 cm (or any interval of equal size) is:  
 $P\Delta x = (1/48)(0.2 \text{ cm}) = 0.00417$ .

5-24. Because the particle must be in the box,  $\int_0^L \Psi^* \Psi dx = 1 = \int_0^L A^2 \sin^2(\pi x/L) dx = 1$

Let  $u = \pi x/L$ ;  $x = 0 \rightarrow u = 0$ ;  $x = L \rightarrow u = \pi$  and  $dx = (L/\pi)du$ , so we have

$$\int_0^\pi A^2 (L/\pi) \sin^2 u du = A^2 (L/\pi) \int_0^\pi \sin^2 u du = 1$$

$$(L/\pi) A^2 \int_0^\pi \sin^2 u du = (L/\pi) A^2 \left[ \frac{u}{2} - \frac{\sin 2u}{4} \right]_0^\pi = (L/\pi) A^2 (\pi/2) = (LA^2)/2 = 1$$

$$\therefore A^2 = 2/L \rightarrow A = (2/L)^{1/2}$$

5-25. (a) At  $x = 0$ :  $P dx = |\Psi(0,0)|^2 dx = |A e^0|^2 dx = A^2 dx$

(b) At  $x = \sigma$ :  $P dx = |A e^{-\sigma^2/4\sigma^2}|^2 dx = |A e^{-1/4}|^2 dx = 0.61 A^2 dx$

(c) At  $x = 2\sigma$ :  $P dx = |A e^{-4\sigma^2/4\sigma^2}|^2 dx = |A e^{-1}|^2 dx = 0.14 A^2 dx$

(d) The electron will most likely be found at  $x = 0$ , where  $P dx$  is largest.

5-26. (a) One does not know at which oscillation of small amplitude to start or stop counting.

$$f = \frac{N}{\Delta t} \quad \Delta f = \frac{\Delta N}{\Delta t} \approx \frac{1}{\Delta t}$$

(b)  $\lambda = \frac{\Delta x}{N}$  and  $k = \frac{2\pi}{\lambda} = \frac{2\pi N}{\Delta x}$ , so  $\Delta k = \frac{2\pi \Delta n}{\Delta x} \approx \frac{2\pi}{\Delta x}$

5-27.  $\Delta E \Delta t \approx \hbar \rightarrow \Delta E \approx \hbar/\Delta t = \frac{1.055 \times 10^{-34} J \cdot s}{10^{-7} s (1.60 \times 10^{-19} J/eV)} \approx 6.6 \times 10^{-9} eV$



$$5-28. \quad \Delta x \Delta p \approx \hbar \quad \therefore \Delta x \approx \frac{\hbar}{\Delta p} = \frac{\hbar}{m \Delta v} = \frac{1.055 \times 10^{-34} \text{ J}\cdot\text{s}}{(10^{-6} \times 10^{-3} \text{ kg})(0.01 \times 0.01 \text{ m/s})} \approx 10^{-21} \text{ m}$$

$$5-29. \quad \Delta E \Delta t \approx \hbar \rightarrow \Delta E \approx \hbar / \Delta t = \frac{6.58 \times 10^{-16} \text{ eV}\cdot\text{s}}{3.823 \text{ d}(8.64 \times 10^4 \text{ s/d})} \approx 1.99 \times 10^{-21} \text{ eV}$$

The energy uncertainty of the excited state is  $\Delta E$ , so the  $\alpha$  energy can be no sharper than  $\Delta E$ .

$$5-30. \quad \Delta x \Delta p \approx \hbar \rightarrow \lambda \Delta p \approx h \rightarrow \Delta p \approx h / \lambda. \text{ Because } \lambda = h / p, p = h / \lambda; \text{ thus } \Delta p = p.$$

$$5-31. \quad \text{For the cheetah } p = mv = 30 \text{ kg}(40 \text{ m/s}) = 1200 \text{ kg}\cdot\text{m/s}. \text{ Because } \Delta p = p \text{ (see Problem 5-30),}$$

$$\Delta x \approx \hbar / \Delta p = 50 \text{ J}\cdot\text{s} / 1200 \text{ kg}\cdot\text{m/s} \approx 4.2 \times 10^{-2} \text{ m} = 4.2 \text{ cm}$$

$$5-32. \quad \text{Because } c = f\lambda \text{ for photon, } \lambda = cf = hc/hf = hc/E, \text{ so}$$

$$E = hc / \lambda = \frac{1240 \text{ eV}\cdot\text{nm}}{5.0 \times 10^{-3} \text{ nm}} = 2.48 \times 10^5 \text{ eV}$$

$$\text{and } p = E / c = \frac{2.48 \times 10^5 \text{ eV}}{3.0 \times 10^8 \text{ m/s}} = 8.3 \times 10^{-7} \text{ eV}\cdot\text{s/m}$$

For electron:

$$\Delta p = h / \Delta x = \frac{4.14 \times 10^{-15} \text{ eV}\cdot\text{s}}{5.0 \times 10^{-12} \text{ m}} = 8.3 \times 10^{-4} \text{ eV}\cdot\text{s/m}$$

Notice that  $\Delta p$  for the electron is 1000 times larger than  $\lambda$  for the photon.

5-33. (a) For  $^{48}\text{Ti}$ :  $\Delta E_u(\text{upper state}) \approx \hbar/\Delta t = \frac{1.055 \times 10^{-34} \text{ J}\cdot\text{s}}{1.4 \times 10^{-14} \text{ s} (1.60 \times 10^{-13} \text{ J/MeV})} \approx 4.71 \times 10^{-10} \text{ MeV}$

$$\Delta E_L(\text{lower state}) \approx \hbar/\Delta t = \frac{1.055 \times 10^{-34} \text{ J}\cdot\text{s}}{3.0 \times 10^{-12} \text{ s} (1.60 \times 10^{-13} \text{ J/MeV})} \approx 2.20 \times 10^{-10} \text{ MeV}$$

$$\Delta E(\text{total}) = \Delta E_u + \Delta E_L = 6.91 \times 10^{-10} \text{ MeV}$$

$$\frac{\Delta E_T}{E} = \frac{6.91 \times 10^{-10} \text{ MeV}}{1.312 \text{ MeV}} = 5.3 \times 10^{-10}$$

(b) For  $\text{H}\alpha$ :  $\Delta E_u \approx \frac{1.055 \times 10^{-34} \text{ J}\cdot\text{s}}{10^{-8} \text{ s} (1.60 \times 10^{-19} \text{ J/eV})} \approx 6.59 \times 10^{-8} \text{ eV}$

and  $\Delta E_L \approx 6.59 \times 10^{-8} \text{ eV}$  also.

$\Delta E_T = 1.32 \times 10^{-7} \text{ eV}$  is the uncertainty in the  $\text{H}\alpha$  transition energy of 1.9 eV.

5-34. The size of the object needs to be of the order of the wavelength of the 10 MeV neutron.

$\lambda = h/p = h/\gamma mu$ .  $\gamma$  and  $u$  are found from:

$$E_k = m_n c^2 (\gamma - 1) \quad \text{or} \quad \gamma - 1 = 10 \text{ MeV} / 939 \text{ MeV}$$

$$\gamma = 1 + 10/939 = 1.0106 = 1/(1 - u^2/c^2)^{1/2} \quad \text{or} \quad u = 0.14 c$$

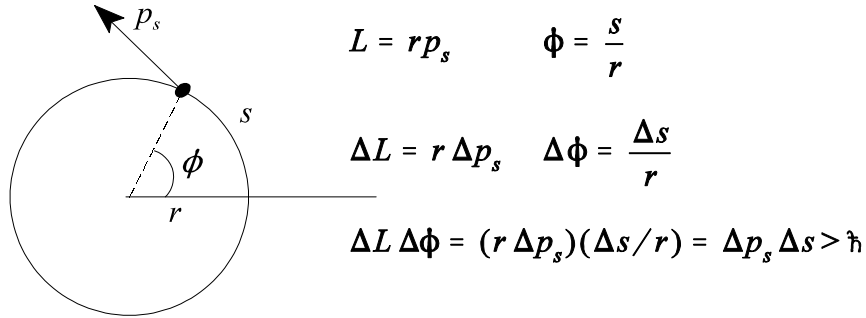
Then,  $\lambda = h/\gamma mu = hc/[\gamma mc^2(u/c)]$

$$= \frac{1240 \text{ eV}\cdot\text{nm}}{[(1.0106)(939 \times 10^6 \text{ eV})(0.14)]} = 9.33 \times 10^{-6} \text{ nm} = 9.33 \text{ fm}$$

Nuclei are of this order of size and could be used to show the wave character of 10 MeV neutrons.

5-35.  $\Delta E \Delta t \approx \hbar \quad \therefore \quad \tau \approx \Delta t \approx \frac{\hbar}{\Delta E} = \frac{1.055 \times 10^{-34} \text{ J}\cdot\text{s}}{(1 \text{ eV})(1.602 \times 10^{-19} \text{ J/eV})} = 6.6 \times 10^{-16} \text{ s}$

5-36.



In the Bohr model,  $L = n\hbar$  and may be known as well as  $\Delta L \approx 0.1 \hbar$ . Then  $\Delta \phi > \hbar/(0.1 \hbar) = 10 \text{ rad}$ . This exceeds one revolution, so that  $\phi$  is completely unknown.

5-37.  $E = hf \rightarrow \Delta E = h \Delta f$

$$\Delta E \Delta t \approx h \rightarrow \Delta f \Delta t \approx 1 \text{ where } \Delta t = 0.85 \text{ ms}$$

$$\Delta f = 1/0.85 \text{ ms} = 1.$$

$$\text{For } \lambda = 0.01 \text{ nm} \quad f = c/\lambda = \frac{3.00 \times 10^8 \text{ m/s} \times 10^9 \text{ nm/s}}{0.01 \text{ nm}} = 3.00 \times 10^{19} \text{ Hz}$$

$$f = 3.00 \times 10^{19} \text{ Hz}$$

$$\frac{\Delta f}{f} = \frac{1.18 \times 10^9 \text{ Hz}}{3.00 \times 10^{19} \text{ Hz}} = 3.9 \times 10^{-11}$$

5-38.  $\Delta p \Delta x \approx \hbar \rightarrow \Delta p \approx \hbar/\Delta x = \hbar/1 \text{ fm}$  Thus  $(\Delta p)^2 = \overline{p^2} = \hbar^2/(1 \text{ fm})^2$

For neutron:

$$E = \frac{p^2}{2m_n} = \frac{\hbar^2}{(1 \text{ fm})^2} \cdot \frac{1}{2m_n} = \frac{(\hbar c)^2}{2m_n c^2 (1 \text{ fm})^2} = \frac{(197.3 \text{ MeV} \cdot \text{fm})^2}{2(939 \text{ MeV})(1 \text{ fm})^2} = 20.7 \text{ MeV}$$

For electron: The electron is relativistic, because classical kinetic energy  $p^2/2m$  is much larger than the rest energy. Therefore,

(Problem 5-38 continued)

$$E^2 = (pc)^2 + (m_e c^2)^2$$

$$E^2 = (\hbar c)^2 / (fm)^2 + (m_e c^2)^2$$

$$E^2 = (197.30 \text{ MeV} \cdot \text{fm})^2 / (fm)^2 + (0.511 \text{ MeV})^2$$

$$E^2 = 3.8928 \times 10^4 \text{ MeV}^2$$

$$\therefore E = 197.30 \text{ MeV}$$

$$\text{and } E_{\kappa} = 197.30 \text{ MeV} - 0.511 \text{ MeV} = 196.79 \text{ MeV}$$

5-39. (a)  $E^2 = p^2 c^2 + m^2 c^4$ ,  $E = hf = \hbar \omega$ ,  $p = h/\lambda = \hbar/k$ ,  $\hbar^2 \omega^2 = \hbar^2 k^2 c^2 + m^2 c^4$

$$v = \frac{\omega}{k} = \frac{\hbar \omega}{\hbar k} = \frac{\sqrt{\hbar^2 k^2 c^2 + m^2 c^4}}{\hbar k} = c \sqrt{1 + m^2 c^2 / \hbar^2 k^2} > c$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{(b)} \quad v_g &= \frac{d\omega}{dk} = \frac{d}{dk} \sqrt{\frac{k^2 c^2 + m^2 c^4}{\hbar k}} \\ &= \frac{c^2 k}{\sqrt{\frac{k^2 c^2 + m^2 c^4}{\hbar^2}}} = \frac{c^2 k}{\omega} = \frac{c^2 \hbar k}{\hbar \omega} = \frac{c^2 p}{E} = u \quad (\text{by Equation 2-41}) \end{aligned}$$

5-40.  $\frac{\partial^2 y}{\partial x^2} = \frac{1}{v^2} \frac{\partial^2 y}{\partial t^2}$  (Equation 5-11)  $y_3 = c_1 y_1 + c_2 y_2$

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{\partial^2 y_3}{\partial x^2} &= C_1 \frac{\partial^2 y_1}{\partial x^2} + C_2 \frac{\partial^2 y_2}{\partial x^2} \\ &= C_1 \left( \frac{1}{v^2} \frac{\partial^2 y_1}{\partial t^2} \right) + C_2 \left( \frac{1}{v^2} \frac{\partial^2 y_2}{\partial t^2} \right) \\ &= \frac{1}{v^2} \frac{\partial^2}{\partial t^2} (C_1 y_1 + C_2 y_2) = \frac{1}{v^2} \frac{\partial^2 y_3}{\partial t^2} \end{aligned}$$

$$5-41. \quad E = \overline{E} = \frac{\overline{p^2}}{2m} + \frac{1}{2}m\omega^2 \overline{x^2} = \frac{(\Delta p)^2}{2m} + \frac{1}{2}m\omega^2(\Delta x)^2. \quad \text{Substitute } \Delta p = \frac{\hbar}{2\Delta x}$$

$$E = \frac{\hbar^2}{8m(\Delta x)^2} + \frac{1}{2}m\omega^2(\Delta x)^2. \quad \text{To minimize E, set } dE/d(\Delta x) = 0$$

$$0 = \frac{dE}{d(\Delta x)} = \frac{\hbar^2}{8m} \frac{-2}{(\Delta x)^3} + m\omega^2 \Delta x = \frac{m\omega^2}{(\Delta x)^3} \left[ -\frac{\hbar^2}{4m^2\omega^2} + (\Delta x)^4 \right]$$

$$\therefore (\Delta x)^2 = \frac{\hbar}{2m\omega}$$

$$E_{\min} = \frac{\hbar^2}{8m} \cdot \frac{2m\omega}{\hbar} + \frac{m\omega^2}{2} \frac{\hbar}{2m\omega} = \frac{1}{4}\hbar\omega + \frac{1}{4}\hbar\omega = \frac{1}{2}\hbar\omega$$

$$\omega = \sqrt{\frac{K}{m}} = \sqrt{\frac{(1N/m)}{10^{-2}kg}} = 10/s$$

$$E_{\min} = \frac{1}{2}\hbar\omega = \frac{1}{2}(1.055 \times 10^{-34} J \cdot s)(10/s) = 5.27 \times 10^{-34} J$$

$$5-42. \quad (a) \quad n(\lambda/2) = L \rightarrow \lambda = 2L/n. \quad \text{Because } \lambda = h/p = h/\sqrt{2mE}, \text{ then:}$$

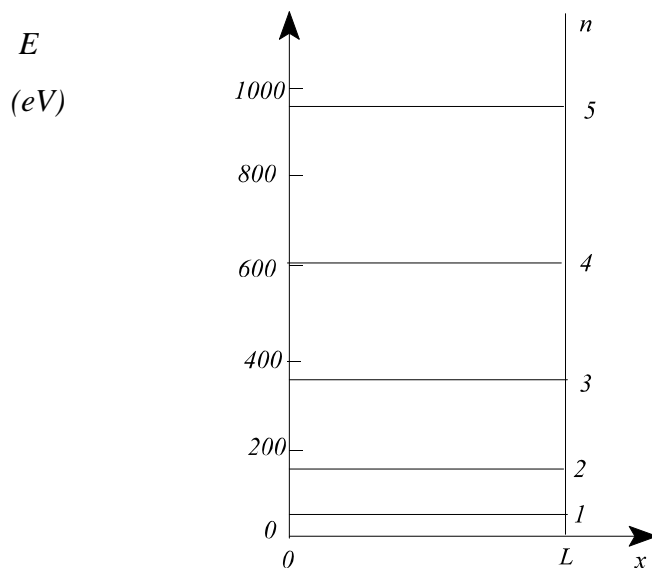
$$E = \frac{h^2}{2m\lambda^2} = \frac{h^2}{2m(2L/n)^2} = \frac{h^2 n^2}{8mL^2} \quad \text{If } E_1 = h^2/8mL^2, \text{ then:}$$

$$E_n = \frac{h^2 n^2}{8mL^2} = n^2 E_1$$

$$(b) \quad \text{For } L = 0.1 \text{ nm}, \quad E_1 = \frac{h^2}{8mL^2} = \frac{(hc)^2}{8mc^2L^2} = \frac{(1240 \text{ eV} \cdot \text{nm})^2}{8(0.511 \times 10^6 \text{ eV})(0.1 \text{ nm})^2}$$

$$E_1 = 17.6 \text{ eV} \quad \text{and} \quad E_n = 37.6 n^2 \text{ eV}$$

(Problem 5-42 continued)



$$(c) \quad f = \Delta E/h \rightarrow c/\lambda = \Delta E/h \rightarrow \lambda = \frac{hc}{\Delta E}$$

$$\text{For } n = 2 \rightarrow n = 1 \text{ transition, } \Delta E = 112.8 \text{ eV and } \lambda = \frac{1240 \text{ eV}\cdot\text{nm}}{112.8 \text{ eV}} = 11.0 \text{ nm}$$

$$(d) \quad \text{For } n = 3 \rightarrow n = 2 \text{ transition, } \Delta E = 188 \text{ eV and } \lambda = \frac{1240 \text{ eV}\cdot\text{nm}}{188 \text{ eV}} = 6.6 \text{ nm}$$

$$(e) \quad \text{For } n = 5 \rightarrow n = 1 \text{ transition, } \Delta E = 903 \text{ eV and } \lambda = \frac{1240 \text{ eV}\cdot\text{nm}}{903 \text{ eV}} = 1.4 \text{ nm}$$

$$5-43. \quad (a) \quad \text{For proton: } E_1 = \frac{(hc)^2}{8m_p c^2 L^2} \text{ from Problem 5-42.}$$

$$E_1 = \frac{(1240 \text{ MeV}\cdot\text{fm})^2}{8(938 \text{ MeV})(1 \text{ fm})^2} = 205 \text{ MeV and } E_n = 205 n^2 \text{ MeV}$$

$$\therefore E_2 = 820 \text{ MeV and } E_3 = 1840 \text{ MeV}$$

(Problem 5-43 continued)

(b) For  $n = 2 \rightarrow n = 1$  transition,

$$\lambda = \frac{hc}{\Delta E} = \frac{1240 \text{ MeV}\cdot\text{fm}}{615 \text{ MeV}} = 2.02 \text{ fm}$$

(c) For  $n = 3 \rightarrow n = 2$  transition,

$$\lambda = \frac{1240 \text{ MeV}\cdot\text{fm}}{1020 \text{ MeV}} = 1.22 \text{ fm}$$

(d) For  $n = 3 \rightarrow n = 1$  transition,

$$\lambda = \frac{1240 \text{ MeV}\cdot\text{fm}}{1635 \text{ MeV}} = 0.76 \text{ fm}$$

5-44. (a)  $E \geq \hbar^2/2mL^2$  (Equation 5-31) And  $E = \hbar^2/2mA^2$

(b) For electron with  $A = 10^{-10} \text{ m}$ :

$$E = \frac{(\hbar c)^2}{2mc^2 A^2} = \frac{(197.3 \text{ eV}\cdot\text{nm})^2}{2(0.511 \times 10^6 \text{ eV})(10^{-1} \text{ nm})^2} = 3.81 \text{ eV}$$

For electron with  $A = 1 \text{ cm}$  or  $A = 10^{-2}$

$$E = 3.81 \text{ eV}(10^{-1})^2/(10^7 \text{ nm})^2 = 3.81 \times 10^{-16} \text{ eV}$$

$$(c) E = \frac{\hbar^2}{2mL^2} = \frac{(1.055 \times 10^{-34} \text{ J}\cdot\text{s})^2}{2(100 \times 10^{-3} \text{ g} \times 10^{-3} \text{ kg/g})(2 \times 10^{-2})^2} = 1.39 \times 10^{-61} \text{ J} = 8.7 \times 10^{-43} \text{ eV}$$

5-45.  $\Delta p = m\Delta v = m(0.0001)(500 \text{ m/s}) = 0.05 \text{ m}$

For proton:  $\Delta x \Delta p \approx \hbar$

$$\begin{aligned} \Delta x &\approx \hbar/\Delta p = (6.58 \times 10^{-16} \text{ eV}\cdot\text{s})/(0.05 \text{ m/s})(938 \times 10^6 \text{ eV}) \\ &\approx 1.40 \times 10^{-23} \text{ m} = 1.40 \times 10^{-8} \text{ fm} \end{aligned}$$

For bullet:  $\Delta x \approx (1.055 \times 10^{-34} \text{ J}\cdot\text{s})/(0.05 \text{ m/s})(10 \times 10^{-3} \text{ kg}) \approx 2.1 \times 10^{-31} \text{ m}$

5-46.  $\frac{\partial^2 y}{\partial x^2} = \frac{1}{v^2} \frac{\partial^2 y}{\partial t^2}$  (Equation 5-11) where  $y = f(\phi)$  and  $\phi = x - vt$

$$\frac{\partial y}{\partial x} = \frac{\partial f}{\partial \phi} \cdot \frac{\partial \phi}{\partial x} \quad \text{and} \quad \frac{\partial^2 y}{\partial x^2} = \frac{\partial f}{\partial \phi} \cdot \frac{\partial^2 \phi}{\partial x^2} + \frac{\partial \phi}{\partial x} \cdot \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial \phi^2} \cdot \frac{\partial \phi}{\partial x}$$

$$\frac{\partial y}{\partial t} = \frac{\partial f}{\partial \phi} \cdot \frac{\partial \phi}{\partial t} \quad \text{and} \quad \frac{\partial^2 y}{\partial t^2} = \frac{\partial f}{\partial \phi} \cdot \frac{\partial^2 \phi}{\partial t^2} + \frac{\partial \phi}{\partial t} \cdot \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial \phi^2} \cdot \frac{\partial \phi}{\partial t}$$

Noting that  $\partial^2 \phi / \partial x^2 = 0$ ,  $\partial \phi / \partial x = 1$ ,  $\partial^2 \phi / \partial t^2 = 0$ , and  $\partial \phi / \partial t = -v$ , we then have:

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{\partial f}{\partial \phi} \cdot 0 + 1 \cdot \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial \phi^2} \cdot 1 &= \frac{1}{v^2} \left( \frac{\partial f}{\partial \phi} \cdot 0 + (-v) \cdot \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial \phi^2} \cdot (-v) \right) \\ \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial \phi^2} &= \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial \phi^2} \end{aligned}$$

5-47. (a)  $\lambda = h/p$  The electrons are not moving at relativistic speeds, so

$$\begin{aligned} \lambda &= h/mv = 6.63 \times 10^{-34} \text{ J}\cdot\text{s} / (9.11 \times 10^{-31} \text{ kg})(3 \times 10^6 \text{ m/s}) \\ &= 2.43 \times 10^{-10} \text{ m} = 0.243 \text{ nm} \end{aligned}$$

(b) The energy, momentum, and wavelength of the two photons are equal.

$$\begin{aligned} E &= \frac{1}{2}mv^2 + mc^2 = \frac{1}{2}mc^2(v^2/c^2) + mc^2 \\ &= mc^2 \left[ \frac{1}{2}(v^2/c^2) + 1 \right] \\ &= 0.511 \times 10^6 \text{ eV} \left[ \frac{1}{2}(3 \times 10^6 / 3 \times 10^8)^2 + 1 \right] \\ &\approx 0.511 \text{ MeV} \end{aligned}$$

(c)  $p = E/c = 0.511 \text{ MeV}/c$

(d)  $\lambda = hc/E = 1240 \text{ eV}\cdot\text{nm} / 0.511 \times 10^6 \text{ eV} = 2.43 \times 10^{-3} \text{ nm}$



$$\begin{aligned}
 5.48. \quad (a) \quad Q &= m_p c^2 - m_n c^2 - m_\pi c^2 \\
 &= 1.007825 u c^2 - 1.008665 u c^2 - 139.6 \text{ MeV} \\
 &= 938.8 \text{ MeV} - 939.6 \text{ MeV} - 139.6 \text{ MeV} \\
 &= -140.4 \text{ MeV} \\
 \Delta E &= 140.4 \text{ MeV}
 \end{aligned}$$

$$(b) \quad \Delta E \Delta t \approx \hbar \rightarrow \Delta t \approx \hbar / \Delta E = 6.58 \times 10^{-16} \text{ eV}\cdot\text{s} / 140.4 \times 10^6 \text{ eV} \approx 4.7 \times 10^{-24} \text{ s}$$

$$(c) \quad d = c \Delta t = 3.0 \times 10^8 \text{ m/s} (4.7 \times 10^{-24} \text{ s}) = 1.4 \times 10^{-15} \text{ m} = 1.4 \text{ fm}$$

$$5-49. \quad hf = \gamma mc^2 \rightarrow \gamma = \frac{hf}{mc^2} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{1 - v^2/c^2}}$$

$$1 - v^2/c^2 = \left( \frac{mc^2}{hf} \right)^2$$

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

Expanding the right side, assuming  $mc^2 \ll hf$ ,

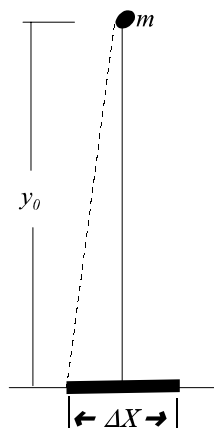
$$\frac{v}{c} = 1 - \frac{1}{2} \left( \frac{mc^2}{hf} \right)^2 - \frac{1}{8} \left( \frac{mc^2}{hf} \right)^4 + \dots \quad \text{and neglecting all but the first two terms,}$$

$$\frac{v}{c} = 1 - \frac{1}{2} \left( \frac{mc^2}{hf} \right)^2 \quad \text{Solving this for } m \text{ and inserting deBroglie's assumptions that}$$

$$\frac{v}{c} \geq 0.99 \text{ and } \lambda = 30m, m \text{ is then :}$$

$$m = \frac{[(1 - 0.99)2]^{1/2} (6.63 \times 10^{-34} \text{ J}\cdot\text{s})}{(3.00 \times 10^8 \text{ m/s})(30m)} = 1.04 \times 10^{-44} \text{ kg}$$

5-50. (a)



$$\Delta x \Delta p \approx \hbar \rightarrow m \Delta x \Delta v_x \approx \hbar \rightarrow \Delta v_x \approx \hbar / m \Delta x$$

$$y_0 = \frac{1}{2} g t^2 \rightarrow t = \left( \frac{2y_0}{g} \right)^{1/2} \quad \frac{1}{2} \Delta X = \Delta v_x \cdot t = \Delta v_x \left( \frac{2y_0}{g} \right)^{1/2}$$

$$\Delta X = 2 \Delta v_x \left( \frac{2y_0}{g} \right)^{1/2} = \frac{2 \hbar \left( \frac{2y_0}{g} \right)^{1/2}}{m \Delta x}$$

(b) If also  $\Delta y \Delta p_y \approx \hbar \rightarrow \Delta v_y \approx \hbar / m \Delta y$  and  $\frac{1}{2} \Delta X = \Delta x(t + \Delta t)$  where  $\Delta v_y = g \Delta t$  or

$$\Delta t = \Delta v_y / g = \hbar / m g \Delta y$$

$$\text{so, } \Delta X = \frac{2 \hbar}{m \Delta x} \left[ \left( 2y_0 / g \right)^{1/2} + \hbar / m g \Delta y \right]$$

5-51.  $\frac{1}{2} m \overline{v^2} = \frac{3}{2} kT$

$$v_{rms} = \sqrt{\frac{3kT}{m}} = \left[ \frac{3(1.381 \times 10^{-23} \text{ J/K})(300 \text{ K})}{56 u (1.66 \times 10^{-27} \text{ kg/u})} \right]^{1/2} = 366 \text{ m/s}$$

$$f' = f_o (1 + v/c) \rightarrow hf' = hf_o (1 + v/c)$$

$$\Delta E = hf' - hf_o = hf_o v/c = \frac{(1 \text{ eV})(366 \text{ m/s})}{3.0 \times 10^8 \text{ m/s}} = 1.2 \times 10^{-6} \text{ eV}$$

This is about 12 times the natural line width.

$$\Delta E = hf_o v/c = \frac{(10^6 \text{ eV})(366 \text{ m/s})}{3.0 \times 10^8 \text{ m/s}} = 1.2 \text{ eV}$$

This is over  $10^7$  times the natural line width.

$$5-52. \quad p_{recoil} = p_{\gamma} = E_{\gamma}/c \qquad E_{recoil} = \frac{(p_{recoil})^2}{2m} = \frac{E_{\gamma}^2}{2mc^2}$$

$$(a) \quad E_{recoil} = \frac{(1\,eV)^2}{2(56uc^2)} \frac{uc^2}{931.5 \times 10^6\,eV} = 9.6 \times 10^{-12}\,eV$$

This is about  $10^{-4}$  times the natural line width estimated at  $10^{-7}$  eV.

$$(b) \quad E_{recoil} = \frac{(1\,MeV)^2}{2(56uc^2)} \frac{uc^2}{931.5 \times 10^6\,eV} = 9.6\,eV$$

This is about  $10^8$  times the natural line width.

