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Introduction to Quantum Physics

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ANSWERS TO THINK-PAIR-SHARE ACTIVITIES

- *TP39.1 Conceptualize** Imagine the system of the Earth exchanging energy: energy comes in by electromagnetic radiation from the Sun, and goes out by electromagnetic radiation from the surface. There are *no* other energy exchanges.
- Categorize** The Earth is modeled as a *nonisolated system in steady state*, since we assume the surface has reached a fixed temperature.

Analyze (a) Equation 8.2 becomes, for this situation,

$$0 = T_{\text{ER}}(\text{in}) + T_{\text{ER}}(\text{out}) \quad (1)$$

We can write an energy balance equation in terms of power by differentiating this equation with respect to time:

$$P_{\text{ER}}(\text{in}) + P_{\text{ER}}(\text{out}) = 0 \rightarrow P_{\text{ER}}(\text{in}) = -P_{\text{ER}}(\text{out}) \quad (2)$$

Stefan's Law, Equation 39.1, can be used for the output power:

$$P_{\text{ER}}(\text{out}) = -\sigma e A_{\text{surface}} T^4 \quad (3)$$

where the minus sign indicates that energy is leaving the system of the Earth. For the input power, use the definition of intensity, Equation 16.38:

$$I_{\text{in}} = \frac{P_{\text{ER}}(\text{in})}{A_{\text{circle}}} \rightarrow P_{\text{ER}}(\text{in}) = I_S A_{\text{circle}} \quad (4)$$

where I_S is the intensity of solar radiation at the Earth, and A_{circle} is the circular cross section of the Earth perpendicular to the Sun. We modify Equation (4) by noting that 30.0% of the incoming radiation is reflected away and does not contribute to warming the planet. Therefore, we include only the remaining 70.0%:

$$P_{\text{ER}}(\text{in}) = (0.700) I_S A_{\text{circle}} \quad (5)$$

Substitute Equations (3) and (5) into Equation (2) and evaluate the circular cross section and surface area of the Earth in term of its radius R_E :

$$(0.700) I_S (\pi R_E^2) = -[-\sigma e (4\pi R_E^2) T^4] \quad (6)$$

Solve Equation (6) for the equilibrium temperature T :

$$T = \left[\frac{(0.700)I_s}{4\sigma e} \right]^{1/4} \quad (7)$$

Substitute numerical values:

$$T = \left[\frac{(0.700)(1370 \text{ W/m}^2)}{4(5.67 \times 10^{-8} \text{ W/m}^2 \cdot \text{K}^4)(1)} \right]^{1/4} = 255 \text{ K}$$

(b) Solve Equation (6) for the emissivity e :

$$e = \frac{(0.700)I_s}{4\sigma T^4} \quad (8)$$

Substitute numerical values for the current global average temperature of 288 K:

$$e = \frac{(0.700)(1370 \text{ W/m}^2)}{4(5.67 \times 10^{-8} \text{ W/m}^2 \cdot \text{K}^4)(288 \text{ K})^4} = \boxed{0.615}$$

(c) In Equation (7), substitute numerical values; include an emissivity 5.00% smaller than that in part (b):

$$T = \left[\frac{(0.700)(1370 \text{ W/m}^2)}{4(5.67 \times 10^{-8} \text{ W/m}^2 \cdot \text{K}^4)(0.950)(0.615)} \right]^{1/4} = \boxed{292 \text{ K}}$$

Finalize The answer to part (c) represents a 4 K temperature increase for the surface of the Earth, or 7.2°F, with only a 5.00% change in emissivity. This temperature change would be disastrous, with catastrophic effects on weather patterns, agriculture, melting glaciers, sea level rise, etc. The results of this problem hopefully demonstrate the importance of efforts to slow down climate change on the Earth.]

Answers: (b) 0.615 (c) 292 K

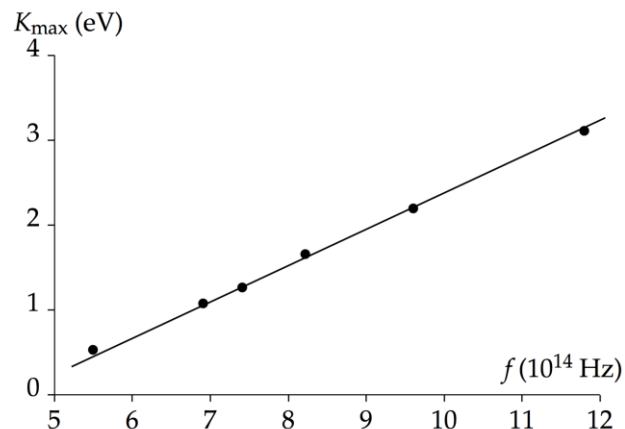
***TP39.2 Conceptualize** Review Section 39.2 to make sure you are clear on the details of the photoelectric effect.

Categorize The emitter and an electron ejected from the emitter can be modeled as a *nonisolated system for energy*, leading to Equation 39.11.

Analyze Add two columns to the table, using Equation 16.12 to find the frequency of the light striking the emitter and Equation 24.4 to find the work done by the electric field in stopping the ejected electron, the negative of which is the maximum kinetic energy of the ejected electrons:

Wavelength of Light Striking the Emitter (nm)	Stopping Potential (V)	Frequency of Light Striking the Emitter (10^{14} Hz)	K_{\max} (eV)
546.1	0.53	5.49	0.53
433.9	1.08	6.91	1.08
404.7	1.27	7.41	1.27
365.0	1.66	8.22	1.66
312.6	2.20	9.60	2.20
253.5	3.11	11.8	3.11

Now, graph the energies in the last column against the frequencies in the third column:



A best-fit calculation of the slope of this data shows that

$$h = 4.1 \times 10^{-15} \text{ eV} \cdot \text{s} \left(\frac{1.602 \times 10^{-19} \text{ J}}{1 \text{ eV}} \right) = \boxed{6.6 \times 10^{-34} \text{ J} \cdot \text{s}}$$

Finalize This value is quite close to the currently accepted value.]

Answer: $6.6 \times 10^{-34} \text{ J} \cdot \text{s}$

SOLUTIONS TO END-OF-CHAPTER PROBLEMS

Section 39.1 Blackbody Radiation and Planck's Hypothesis

P39.1 (a) For lightning,

$$\lambda_{\text{max}} = \frac{2.898 \times 10^{-3} \text{ m} \cdot \text{K}}{T} \sim \frac{2.898 \times 10^{-3} \text{ m} \cdot \text{K}}{10^4 \text{ K}} \boxed{\sim 10^{-7} \text{ m}}$$

For the explosion,

$$\lambda_{\text{max}} \sim \frac{2.898 \times 10^{-3} \text{ m} \cdot \text{K}}{10^7 \text{ K}} \boxed{\sim 10^{-10} \text{ m}}$$

(b) Lightning: ultraviolet; explosion: x-ray and gamma ray

P39.2 (a) From Equation 39.2,

$$\lambda_{\text{max}} = \frac{2.898 \times 10^{-3} \text{ m} \cdot \text{K}}{2900 \text{ K}} = \boxed{999 \text{ nm}}$$

(b) The wavelength emitted at the greatest intensity is in the infrared (greater than 700 nm), and according to the graph in Active Figure 40.3, much more energy is radiated at wavelengths longer than λ_{max} than at shorter wavelengths.

P39.3 Each photon has an energy

$$E = hf = (6.626 \times 10^{-34}) (99.7 \times 10^6) = 6.61 \times 10^{-26} \text{ J}$$

This implies that there are

$$\frac{150 \times 10^3 \text{ J/s}}{6.61 \times 10^{-26} \text{ J/photon}} = \boxed{2.27 \times 10^{30} \text{ photons/s}}$$

P39.4 (a) The peak radiation occurs at approximately 560 nm wavelength.

From Wien's displacement law,

$$T = \frac{0.2898 \times 10^{-2} \text{ m} \cdot \text{K}}{\lambda_{\text{max}}} = \frac{0.2898 \times 10^{-2} \text{ m} \cdot \text{K}}{560 \times 10^{-9} \text{ m}} \approx \boxed{5200 \text{ K}}$$

(b) Clearly, a firefly is not at this temperature, so

this is not blackbody radiation.

P39.5 (a) From Stefan's law (Equation 39.1), $P = eA\sigma T^4$. If the sun emits as a black body, $e = 1$.

$$\begin{aligned} T &= \left(\frac{P}{eA\sigma} \right)^{1/4} \\ &= \left[\frac{3.85 \times 10^{26} \text{ W}}{1 \left[4\pi (6.96 \times 10^8 \text{ m})^2 \right] (5.67 \times 10^{-8} \text{ W/m}^2 \cdot \text{K}^4)} \right]^{1/4} \\ &= \boxed{5.78 \times 10^3 \text{ K}} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{(b)} \quad \lambda_{\text{max}} &= \frac{2.898 \times 10^{-3} \text{ m} \cdot \text{K}}{T} = \frac{2.898 \times 10^{-3} \text{ m} \cdot \text{K}}{5.78 \times 10^3 \text{ K}} \\ &= 5.01 \times 10^{-7} \text{ m} = \boxed{501 \text{ nm}} \end{aligned}$$

P39.6 (i) Planck's equation is $E = hf$. The photon energies are:

$$\begin{aligned} \text{(a)} \quad E &= hf = (6.626 \times 10^{-34} \text{ J} \cdot \text{s}) (620 \times 10^{12} \text{ s}^{-1}) \left(\frac{1.00 \text{ eV}}{1.60 \times 10^{-19} \text{ J}} \right) \\ &= \boxed{2.57 \text{ eV}} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{(b)} \quad E &= hf = (6.626 \times 10^{-34} \text{ J} \cdot \text{s}) (3.10 \times 10^9 \text{ s}^{-1}) \left(\frac{1.00 \text{ eV}}{1.60 \times 10^{-19} \text{ J}} \right) \\ &= \boxed{1.28 \times 10^{-5} \text{ eV}} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{(c)} \quad E &= hf = (6.626 \times 10^{-34} \text{ J} \cdot \text{s}) (46.0 \times 10^6 \text{ s}^{-1}) \left(\frac{1.00 \text{ eV}}{1.60 \times 10^{-19} \text{ J}} \right) \\ &= \boxed{1.91 \times 10^{-7} \text{ eV}} \end{aligned}$$

(ii) Wavelengths:

$$\text{(a)} \quad \lambda = \frac{c}{f} = \frac{3.00 \times 10^8 \text{ m/s}}{620 \times 10^{12} \text{ Hz}} = 4.84 \times 10^{-7} \text{ m} = \boxed{484 \text{ nm}}$$

$$\text{(b)} \quad \lambda = \frac{c}{f} = \frac{3.00 \times 10^8 \text{ m/s}}{3.10 \times 10^9 \text{ Hz}} = 9.68 \times 10^{-2} \text{ m} = \boxed{9.68 \text{ cm}}$$

$$\text{(c)} \quad \lambda = \frac{c}{f} = \frac{3.00 \times 10^8 \text{ m/s}}{46.0 \times 10^6 \text{ Hz}} = \boxed{6.52 \text{ m}}$$

(iii) Part of spectrum:

(a) visible light (blue)

(b) radio wave

(c) radio wave

P39.7 (a) The mass of the sphere is

$$m = \rho V = \rho \left(\frac{4}{3} \pi r^3 \right) = (7.86 \times 10^3 \text{ kg/m}^3) \left[\frac{4}{3} \pi (0.0200 \text{ m})^3 \right] \\ = \boxed{0.263 \text{ kg}}$$

(b) From Stefan's law,

$$P = \sigma A e T^4 = \sigma (4\pi r^2) e T^4$$

$$P = (5.67 \times 10^{-8} \text{ W/m}^2 \cdot \text{K}^4) [4\pi (0.0200 \text{ m})^2] (0.860) (293 \text{ K})^4 \\ = \boxed{1.81 \text{ W}}$$

(c) It emits but does not absorb radiation, so its temperature must drop according to

$$Q = mc\Delta T = mc(T_f - T_i) \quad \rightarrow \quad \frac{dQ}{dt} = mc \frac{dT_f}{dt}$$

$$\frac{dT_f}{dt} = \frac{dQ/dt}{mc} = \frac{-P}{mc} \\ = \frac{-1.81 \text{ J/s}}{(0.263 \text{ kg})(448 \text{ J/kg} \cdot \text{C}^\circ)} \\ = \boxed{-0.0153 \text{ }^\circ\text{C/s} = -0.919 \text{ }^\circ\text{C/min}}$$

(d) $\lambda_{\text{max}} T = 2.898 \times 10^{-3} \text{ m} \cdot \text{K}$

$$\lambda_{\text{max}} = \frac{2.898 \times 10^{-3} \text{ m} \cdot \text{K}}{293 \text{ K}} = 9.89 \times 10^{-6} \text{ m} = \boxed{9.89 \text{ } \mu\text{m}} \text{ (infrared)}$$

(e) $E = hf = \frac{hc}{\lambda} = \frac{(6.626 \times 10^{-34} \text{ J} \cdot \text{s}) (3.00 \times 10^8 \text{ m/s})}{9.89 \times 10^{-6} \text{ m}} = \boxed{2.01 \times 10^{-20} \text{ J}}$

- (f) The energy output each second is carried by photons according to

$$P = \left(\frac{N}{\Delta t} \right) E$$

$$\frac{N}{\Delta t} = \frac{P}{E} = \frac{1.81 \text{ J/s}}{2.01 \times 10^{-20} \text{ J/photon}} = \boxed{8.98 \times 10^{19} \text{ photon/s}}$$

Matter is coupled to radiation quite strongly, in terms of photon numbers.

- P39.8** (a) From Stefan's law,

$$P = eA\sigma T^4$$

$$= 1(20.0 \times 10^{-4} \text{ m}^2)(5.67 \times 10^{-8} \text{ W/m}^2 \cdot \text{K}^4)(5000 \text{ K})^4$$

$$= \boxed{7.09 \times 10^4 \text{ W}}$$

- (b) From Wien's displacement law,

$$\lambda_{\text{max}} T = \lambda_{\text{max}} (5000 \text{ K}) = 2.898 \times 10^{-3} \text{ m} \cdot \text{K} \Rightarrow \lambda_{\text{max}} = \boxed{580 \text{ nm}}$$

- (c) We compute:

$$\frac{hc}{k_B T} = \frac{(6.626 \times 10^{-34} \text{ J} \cdot \text{s})(3.00 \times 10^8 \text{ m/s})}{(1.38 \times 10^{-23} \text{ J/K})(5000 \text{ K})} = 2.88 \times 10^{-6} \text{ m}$$

The power per wavelength interval is

$$P(\lambda) = AI(\lambda) = \frac{2\pi hc^2 A}{\lambda^5 [\exp(hc/\lambda k_B T) - 1]},$$

and

$$2\pi hc^2 A = 2\pi (6.626 \times 10^{-34} \text{ J} \cdot \text{s})(3.00 \times 10^8 \text{ m/s})^2 (20.0 \times 10^{-4} \text{ m}^2)$$

$$= 7.50 \times 10^{-19} \text{ J} \cdot \text{m}^4 / \text{s}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 P(580 \text{ nm}) &= \frac{7.50 \times 10^{-19} \text{ J} \cdot \text{m}^4/\text{s}}{(580 \times 10^{-9} \text{ m})^5 [\exp(2.88 \mu\text{m}/0.580 \mu\text{m}) - 1]} \\
 &= \frac{1.15 \times 10^{13} \text{ J/m} \cdot \text{s}}{e^{4.973} - 1} \\
 &= \boxed{7.99 \times 10^{10} \text{ W/m}}
 \end{aligned}$$

(d)–(i) The other values are computed similarly:

	λ	$\frac{hc}{\lambda k_B T}$	$e^{hc/\lambda k_B T} - 1$	$\frac{2\pi hc^2 A}{\lambda^5}$	$\mathcal{P}(\lambda), \text{ W/m}$
(d)	1.00 nm	2882.6	7.96×10^{1251}	7.50×10^{26}	9.42×10^{-1226}
(e)	5.00 nm	576.5	2.40×10^{250}	2.40×10^{23}	1.00×10^{-227}
(f)	400 nm	7.21	1347	7.32×10^{13}	5.44×10^{10}
(g)	700 nm	4.12	60.4	4.46×10^{12}	7.38×10^{10}
(h)	1.00 mm	0.00288	0.00289	7.50×10^{-4}	0.260
(i)	10.0 cm	2.88×10^{-5}	2.88×10^{-5}	7.50×10^{-14}	2.60×10^{-9}

(j) We approximate the area under the $P(\lambda)$ versus λ curve, between 400 nm and 700 nm, as the product of the average power per wavelength times the range of wavelength:

$$\begin{aligned}
 P &= P(\bar{\lambda}) \Delta\lambda \\
 &= \frac{[(5.44 + 7.38) \times 10^{10} \text{ W/m}]}{2} [(700 - 400) \times 10^{-9} \text{ m}] \\
 &= 1.92 \times 10^4 \text{ W} \quad \boxed{\approx 19 \text{ kW}}
 \end{aligned}$$

P39.9 (a) The physical length of the pulse is

$$\ell = vt = (3.00 \times 10^8 \text{ m/s})(14.0 \times 10^{-12} \text{ s}) = \boxed{4.20 \text{ mm}}$$

(b) We find the number of photons from

$$E = \frac{hc}{\lambda} = \frac{(6.626 \times 10^{-34} \text{ J} \cdot \text{s})(3.00 \times 10^8 \text{ m/s})}{694.3 \times 10^{-9} \text{ m}} = 2.86 \times 10^{-19} \text{ J}$$

Then,

$$N = \frac{3.00 \text{ J}}{2.86 \times 10^{-19} \text{ J}} = \boxed{1.05 \times 10^{19} \text{ photons}}$$

(c) The volume of the beam is

$$V = (4.20 \text{ mm})[\pi(3.00 \text{ mm})^2] = 119 \text{ mm}^3$$

The number of photons per cubic millimeter is

$$n = \frac{1.05 \times 10^{19} \text{ photons}}{119 \text{ mm}^3} = \boxed{8.82 \times 10^{16} \text{ mm}^{-3}}$$

P39.10 Planck's radiation law is

$$I(\lambda, T) = \frac{2\pi hc^2}{\lambda^5 (e^{hc/\lambda k_B T} - 1)}.$$

For long wavelengths, the exponent $hc/\lambda k_B T$ is small. Using the series expansion

$$e^x = 1 + x + \frac{x^2}{2!} + \frac{x^3}{3!} + \cdots$$

Planck's law reduces to

$$I(\lambda, T) = \frac{2\pi hc^2}{\lambda^5 [(1 + hc/\lambda k_B T + \cdots) - 1]} \approx \frac{2\pi hc^2}{\lambda^5 (hc/\lambda k_B T)} = \frac{2\pi ck_B T}{\lambda^4}$$

which is the Rayleigh–Jeans law, for very long wavelengths.



Section 39.2 The Photoelectric Effect

P39.11 (a) The cutoff wavelength is given by Equation 39.12:

$$\lambda_c = \frac{hc}{\phi} = \frac{(6.626 \times 10^{-34} \text{ J} \cdot \text{s})(2.998 \times 10^8 \text{ m/s})}{(4.20 \text{ eV})(1.602 \times 10^{-19} \text{ J/eV})} = \boxed{295 \text{ nm}}$$

which corresponds to a frequency of

$$f_c = \frac{c}{\lambda_c} = \frac{2.998 \times 10^8 \text{ m/s}}{295 \times 10^{-9} \text{ m}} = \boxed{1.02 \times 10^{15} \text{ Hz}}$$

(b) We find the stopping potential from $\frac{hc}{\lambda} = \phi + e\Delta V_s$:

$$\frac{(6.626 \times 10^{-34})(2.998 \times 10^8)}{180 \times 10^{-9}} = (4.20 \text{ eV})(1.602 \times 10^{-19} \text{ J/eV}) + (1.602 \times 10^{-19})\Delta V_s$$

Therefore, $\boxed{\Delta V_s = 2.69 \text{ V}}$.

P39.12 (a) The energy needed is $E = 1.00 \text{ eV} = 1.60 \times 10^{-19} \text{ J}$.

The energy absorbed in time interval Δt is

$$E = P\Delta t = IA\Delta t$$

So,

$$\begin{aligned}\Delta t &= \frac{E}{IA} = \frac{1.60 \times 10^{-19} \text{ J}}{(500 \text{ J/s} \cdot \text{m}^2) \left[\pi (2.82 \times 10^{-15} \text{ m})^2 \right]} = 1.28 \times 10^7 \text{ s} \\ &= \boxed{148 \text{ days}}\end{aligned}$$

(b) The result for part (a) does not agree at all with the experimental observations.

- P39.13** (a) At the cutoff wavelength, the energy of the photons is equal to the work function ($K_{\text{max}} = 0$):

$$\frac{hc}{\lambda} = \phi \quad \rightarrow \quad \lambda = \frac{hc}{\phi} = \frac{1\,240 \text{ nm} \cdot \text{eV}}{4.31 \text{ eV}} = \boxed{288 \text{ nm}}$$

- (b) This is the cutoff frequency:

$$f = \frac{c}{\lambda} = \frac{3.00 \times 10^8 \text{ m/s}}{288 \times 10^{-9} \text{ m}} = \boxed{1.04 \times 10^{15} \text{ Hz}}$$

- (c) The maximum kinetic energy is the difference between the energy of the photons and the work function:

$$K_{\text{max}} = E - \phi = 5.50 \text{ eV} - 4.31 \text{ eV} = \boxed{1.19 \text{ eV}}$$

- P39.14** (a) The energy of photons is

$$E = \frac{hc}{\lambda} = \frac{1\,240 \text{ nm} \cdot \text{eV}}{150 \text{ nm}} = \boxed{8.27 \text{ eV}}$$

- (b) The photon energy is larger than the work function.

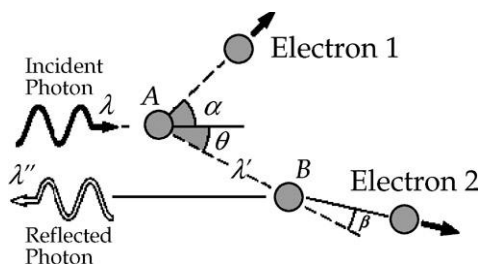
$$(c) \quad KE_{\text{max}} = E - \phi = 8.27 \text{ eV} - 6.35 \text{ eV} = \boxed{1.92 \text{ eV}}$$

$$(d) \quad K_{\text{max}} = e\Delta V_s \quad \rightarrow \quad \Delta V_s = \frac{K_{\text{max}}}{e} = \frac{1.92 \text{ eV}}{e} = \boxed{1.92 \text{ V}}$$



Section 39.3 The Compton Effect

- P39.15** We note that $\lambda'' - \lambda = (\lambda'' - \lambda') + (\lambda' - \lambda)$.



ANS. FIG. P39.15

At A , the scattering angle is θ , and

$$\lambda' - \lambda = \frac{h}{m_e c} (1 - \cos \theta)$$

At B , the scattering angle is $180^\circ - \theta$, and

$$\lambda'' - \lambda' = \frac{h}{m_e c} [1 - \cos(180^\circ - \theta)] = \frac{h}{m_e c} [1 + \cos \theta]$$

Therefore,

$$\begin{aligned} \lambda'' - \lambda &= (\lambda'' - \lambda') + (\lambda' - \lambda) \\ &= \frac{h}{m_e c} (1 + \cos \theta) + \frac{h}{m_e c} (1 - \cos \theta) = \frac{2h}{m_e c} \\ &= \frac{2(6.63 \times 10^{-34} \text{ J} \cdot \text{s})}{(9.11 \times 10^{-31} \text{ kg})(3.00 \times 10^8 \text{ m/s})} \\ &= \boxed{4.85 \times 10^{-12} \text{ m}} \end{aligned}$$

P39.16 (a) and (b) From $\Delta\lambda = \frac{h}{m_e c} (1 - \cos \theta)$ we calculate the wavelength of the scattered photon. For example, at $\theta = 30^\circ$ we have

$$\begin{aligned} \lambda' + \Delta\lambda &= 120 \times 10^{-12} \text{ m} \\ &\quad + \frac{6.626 \times 10^{-34} \text{ J} \cdot \text{s}}{(9.11 \times 10^{-31} \text{ kg})(2.998 \times 10^8 \text{ m/s})} (1 - \cos 30.0^\circ) \\ &= 120.3 \times 10^{-12} \text{ m} \end{aligned}$$

The electron carries off the energy the photon loses:

$$\begin{aligned}
 K_e &= \frac{hc}{\lambda_0} - \frac{hc}{\lambda'} \\
 &= \frac{(6.626 \times 10^{-34} \text{ J} \cdot \text{s}) (2.998 \times 10^8 \text{ m/s})}{(1.602 \times 10^{-19} \text{ J/eV})} \\
 &\quad \times \left(\frac{1}{120 \times 10^{-12} \text{ m}} - \frac{1}{120.3 \times 10^{-12} \text{ m}} \right) \\
 &= 27.9 \text{ eV}
 \end{aligned}$$

The other entries are computed similarly.

θ , degrees	0	30	60	90	120	150	180
λ' , pm	120.0	120.3	121.2	122.4	123.6	124.5	124.8
K_e , eV	0	27.9	104	205	305	376	402

- (c) 180°. We could answer like this: The photon imparts the greatest momentum to the originally stationary electron in a head-on collision. Here the photon recoils straight back and the electron has maximum kinetic energy.

P39.17 With $K_e = E'$ and $K_e = E_0 - E'$, we have $E' = E_0 - E' \rightarrow E' = \frac{E_0}{2}$.

We also have $\lambda' = \frac{hc}{E'}$; therefore, $\lambda' = \frac{hc}{E_0/2} = 2 \frac{hc}{E_0} = 2\lambda_0$.

By the Compton equation,

$$\lambda' = \lambda_0 + \lambda_c(1 - \cos\theta) \rightarrow 2\lambda_0 = \lambda_0 + \lambda_c(1 - \cos\theta)$$

Therefore,

$$1 - \cos \theta = \frac{\lambda_0}{\lambda_C} = \frac{0.00160}{0.00243} \rightarrow \theta = \boxed{70.0^\circ}$$

***P39.18 Conceptualize** When the x-ray photons scatter from the electrons, they transfer some energy to the electrons. The lower-energy photons then have a longer wavelength than they had initially.

Categorize We model the x-ray photon and the electron as an *isolated system* for both *energy* and *momentum*, leading to the Compton shift equation, Equation 39.13.

Analyze (a) In Equation 39.13, let the scattered wavelength be some factor f multiplied by the original wavelength, and solve for the scattering angle:

$$f\lambda_0 - \lambda_0 = \frac{h}{m_e c}(1 - \cos \theta) = \lambda_C(1 - \cos \theta) \rightarrow \theta = \cos^{-1} \left[1 - \frac{(f-1)\lambda_0}{\lambda_C} \right] \quad (1)$$

Substitute numerical values, recognizing that a 1.2% increase is represented by $f = 1.012$:

$$\begin{aligned} \theta &= \cos^{-1} \left[1 - \frac{(1.012-1)(0.115 \text{ nm})}{0.00243 \text{ nm}} \right] \\ &= \boxed{64.4^\circ} \end{aligned}$$

(b) To find the longest wavelength, solve Equation 39.13 for the scattered wavelength:

$$\lambda' = \lambda_0 + \frac{h}{m_e c}(1 - \cos \theta) = \lambda_0 + \lambda_C(1 - \cos \theta) \quad (2)$$

Now, let θ be 180° :

$$\lambda' = \lambda_0 + \lambda_C(1 - \cos 180^\circ) = \lambda_0 + 2\lambda_C \quad (3)$$

Substitute numerical values:

$$\lambda' = 0.115 \text{ nm} + 2(0.00243 \text{ nm}) = \boxed{0.120 \text{ nm}}$$

Finalize The longest possible wavelength is about 4.2% longer than the original wavelength. Notice from Equation (2) that the maximum change in the wavelength is generally equal to twice the Compton wavelength.]

Answers: (a) 64.4° (b) 0.120 nm

P39.19 The photon has momentum $p_0 = E_0/c = h/\lambda_0$ before scattering and momentum $p' = h/\lambda'$ after scattering. The electron momentum after scattering is p_e .

(a) Conservation of momentum in the x direction gives

$$p_0 = p' \cos \theta + p_e \cos \theta$$

or $\frac{h}{\lambda_0} = \left(\frac{h}{\lambda'} + p_e \right) \cos \theta.$ [1]

Conservation of momentum in the y direction gives

$$0 = p' \sin \theta - p_e \sin \theta$$

which (neglecting the trivial solution $\theta = 0$) gives

$$p_e = p' = \frac{h}{\lambda'} \quad [2]$$

Substituting [2] into [1] gives

$$\frac{h}{\lambda_0} = \frac{2h}{\lambda'} \cos \theta$$

or $\lambda' = 2\lambda_0 \cos \theta.$ [3]

Substitute [3] into the Compton equation:

$$\lambda' - \lambda_0 = \frac{h}{m_e c} (1 - \cos \theta)$$

$$(2\lambda_0 \cos \theta) - \lambda_0 = \frac{h}{m_e c} (1 - \cos \theta)$$

Solving,

$$\left(2\lambda_0 + \frac{h}{m_e c}\right) \cos \theta = \lambda_0 + \frac{h}{m_e c}$$

$$\left(2\frac{hc}{E_0} + \frac{h}{m_e c}\right) \cos \theta = \frac{hc}{E_0} + \frac{h}{m_e c}$$

$$\frac{1}{m_e c^2 E_0} (2m_e c^2 + E_0) \cos \theta = \frac{1}{m_e c^2 E_0} (m_e c^2 + E_0)$$

$$\cos \theta = \frac{m_e c^2 + E_0}{2m_e c^2 + E_0} = \frac{0.511 \text{ MeV} + 0.880 \text{ MeV}}{2(0.511 \text{ MeV}) + 0.880 \text{ MeV}} = 0.731$$

$$\rightarrow \theta = \boxed{43.0^\circ}$$

(b) Using equation [3]:

$$E' = \frac{hc}{\lambda'} = \frac{hc}{\lambda_0 (2 \cos \theta)} = \frac{E_0}{2 \cos \theta} = \frac{0.880 \text{ MeV}}{2 \cos 43.0^\circ} = \boxed{0.602 \text{ MeV}}$$

Then,

$$p' = \frac{E'}{c} = \frac{0.602 \text{ MeV}}{c} = \boxed{3.21 \times 10^{-22} \text{ kg} \cdot \text{m/s}}$$

(c) From energy conservation:

$$K_e = E_0 - E' = 0.880 \text{ MeV} - 0.602 \text{ MeV} = \boxed{0.278 \text{ MeV}}$$

From equation [2],

$$\begin{aligned} p_e = p' &= \frac{0.602 \text{ MeV}}{c} \left(\frac{c}{3.00 \times 10^{-22} \text{ m/s}} \right) \left(\frac{1.60 \times 10^{-23} \text{ J}}{1 \text{ MeV}} \right) \\ &= \boxed{3.21 \times 10^{-22} \text{ kg} \cdot \text{m/s}} \end{aligned}$$

P39.20 The photon has momentum $p_0 = E_0/c = h/\lambda_0$ before scattering and momentum $p' = h/\lambda'$ after scattering. The electron momentum after scattering is p_e .

(a) Conservation of momentum in the x direction gives

$$\begin{aligned} p_0 &= p' \cos \theta + p_e \cos \theta \\ \text{or} \quad \frac{h}{\lambda_0} &= \left(\frac{h}{\lambda'} + p_e \right) \cos \theta. \end{aligned} \quad [1]$$

Conservation of momentum in the y direction gives

$$0 = p' \sin \theta - p_e \sin \theta$$

which (neglecting the trivial solution $\theta = 0$) gives

$$p_e = p' = \frac{h}{\lambda'} \quad [2]$$

Substituting [2] into [1] gives

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{h}{\lambda_0} &= \frac{2h}{\lambda'} \cos \theta \\ \text{or} \quad \lambda' &= 2\lambda_0 \cos \theta. \end{aligned} \quad [3]$$

Substitute [3] into the Compton equation:

$$\lambda' - \lambda_0 = \frac{h}{m_e c} (1 - \cos \theta)$$

$$(2\lambda_0 \cos \theta) - \lambda_0 = \frac{h}{m_e c} (1 - \cos \theta)$$

$$\left(2\lambda_0 + \frac{h}{m_e c}\right) \cos \theta = \lambda_0 + \frac{h}{m_e c}$$

$$\left(2\frac{hc}{E_0} + \frac{h}{m_e c}\right) \cos \theta = \frac{hc}{E_0} + \frac{h}{m_e c}$$

$$\frac{1}{m_e c^2 E_0} (2m_e c^2 + E_0) \cos \theta = \frac{1}{m_e c^2 E_0} (m_e c^2 + E_0)$$

$$\cos \theta = \frac{m_e c^2 + E_0}{2m_e c^2 + E_0} \quad \rightarrow \quad \boxed{\theta = \cos^{-1} \left(\frac{m_e c^2 + E_0}{2m_e c^2 + E_0} \right)}$$

(b) Using equation [3]:

$$E' = \frac{hc}{\lambda'} = \frac{hc}{\lambda_0 (2 \cos \theta)} = \frac{E_0}{2 \cos \theta} = \boxed{\frac{E_0 (2m_e c^2 + E_0)}{2(m_e c^2 + E_0)}}$$

$$\text{Then,} \quad p' = \frac{E'}{c} = \boxed{\frac{E_0 (2m_e c^2 + E_0)}{2c(m_e c^2 + E_0)}}.$$

(c) From energy conservation:

$$\begin{aligned} K_e &= E_0 - E' = E_0 - \frac{E_0 (2m_e c^2 + E_0)}{2(m_e c^2 + E_0)} \\ &= \frac{2E_0 (m_e c^2 + E_0) - E_0 (2m_e c^2 + E_0)}{2(m_e c^2 + E_0)} \\ K_e &= \frac{(2E_0 m_e c^2 + 2E_0^2) - (2E_0 m_e c^2 + E_0^2)}{2(m_e c^2 + E_0)} \\ &= \frac{2E_0 m_e c^2 + 2E_0^2 - 2E_0 m_e c^2 - E_0^2}{2(m_e c^2 + E_0)} = \boxed{\frac{E_0^2}{2(m_e c^2 + E_0)}} \end{aligned}$$

From equation [2],

$$p_e = p' = \frac{E_0(2m_e c^2 + E_0)}{2c(m_e c^2 + E_0)}$$

P39.21 We treat the electron non-relativistically because

$$\frac{u}{c} = \frac{2.18 \times 10^6 \text{ m/s}}{3.00 \times 10^8 \text{ m/s}} = 0.00727 < 0.01$$

The electron's final kinetic energy is

$$K_f = \frac{1}{2} m_e u^2.$$

This is the energy lost by the photon:

$$\Delta E = hf_0 - hf' = \frac{hc}{\lambda_0} - \frac{hc}{\lambda'} = K_f \quad [1]$$

From the Compton equation, we have

$$\Delta \lambda = \lambda' - \lambda_0 = \frac{h}{m_e c} (1 - \cos \theta) \quad [2]$$

$$\lambda' = \lambda_0 + \frac{h}{m_e c} (1 - \cos \theta) \quad [3]$$

Substitute [2] and [3] into [1]:

$$K_f = \frac{hc}{\lambda_0} - \frac{hc}{\lambda'} = \frac{(\lambda_0 - \lambda')hc}{\lambda_0 \lambda'} = \frac{h}{m_e c} (1 - \cos \theta) \frac{hc}{\lambda_0 \lambda'}$$

Solving,

$$m_e c \lambda_0 \left[\lambda_0 + \frac{h}{m_e c} (1 - \cos \theta) \right] = \frac{h^2 c}{K_f} (1 - \cos \theta)$$

$$m_e c \lambda_0^2 + h(1 - \cos \theta) \lambda_0 - \frac{h^2 c}{K_f} (1 - \cos \theta) = 0$$

(a) Solve for λ_0 :

$$\lambda_0 = \frac{h(1 - \cos \theta) \pm \sqrt{[h(1 - \cos \theta)]^2 - 4(m_e c) \left[-\frac{h^2 c}{K_f} (1 - \cos \theta) \right]}}{2m_e c}$$

$$\lambda_0 = \frac{h(1 - \cos \theta) \pm \sqrt{[h(1 - \cos \theta)]^2 + \left[\frac{4h^2 m_e c^2}{\frac{1}{2} m_e u^2} (1 - \cos \theta) \right]}}{2m_e c}$$

$$\lambda_0 = \frac{h(1 - \cos \theta) \pm \sqrt{[h(1 - \cos \theta)]^2 + \left[\frac{8h^2 c^2}{u^2} (1 - \cos \theta) \right]}}{2m_e c}$$

$$= \frac{h(1 - \cos \theta)}{2m_e c} \left\{ 1 \pm \sqrt{1 + \left[\frac{8c^2}{u^2 (1 - \cos \theta)} \right]} \right\}$$

Only the positive answer is physical:

$$\lambda_0 = \frac{h(1 - \cos \theta)}{2m_e c} \left\{ 1 + \sqrt{1 + \left[\frac{8c^2}{u^2 (1 - \cos \theta)} \right]} \right\}$$

$$= \frac{(6.63 \times 10^{-34} \text{ J} \cdot \text{s})(1 - \cos 17.4^\circ)}{2(9.11 \times 10^{-31} \text{ kg})(3.00 \times 10^8 \text{ m/s})}$$

$$\times \left\{ 1 + \sqrt{1 + \left[\frac{8(3.00 \times 10^8 \text{ m/s})^2}{(2.18 \times 10^6 \text{ m/s})^2 (1 - \cos 17.4^\circ)} \right]} \right\}$$

$$= 1.01 \times 10^{-10} \text{ m} = \boxed{0.101 \text{ nm}}$$

(b) From [3],

$$\lambda' = \lambda_0 + \frac{h}{m_e c} (1 - \cos \theta)$$

Substituting,

$$\begin{aligned}\lambda' &= \frac{h(1 - \cos \theta)}{2m_e c} \left\{ 1 + \sqrt{1 + \left[\frac{8c^2}{u^2(1 - \cos \theta)} \right]} \right\} + \frac{h}{m_e c} (1 - \cos \theta) \\ &= \frac{h}{m_e c} (1 - \cos \theta) \left\{ \frac{3}{2} + \frac{1}{2} \sqrt{1 + \left[\frac{8c^2}{u^2(1 - \cos \theta)} \right]} \right\} \\ &= 1.0116 \times 10^{-10} \text{ m}\end{aligned}$$

The electron scattering angle is ϕ . By conservation of momentum in the transverse direction:

$$\begin{aligned}0 &= \frac{h}{\lambda'} \sin \theta - m_e u \sin \phi \rightarrow \sin \phi = \frac{h}{\lambda' m_e u} \sin \theta \\ \phi &= \sin^{-1} \left(\frac{h}{\lambda' m_e u} \sin \theta \right) \\ &= \sin^{-1} \left(\frac{6.63 \times 10^{-34} \text{ J} \cdot \text{s}}{\lambda' (9.11 \times 10^{-31} \text{ kg}) (2.18 \times 10^6 \text{ m/s})} \sin 17.4^\circ \right) \\ &= \boxed{80.7^\circ}\end{aligned}$$

P39.22 (a)

It is, because Compton's equation and the conservation of vector momentum give three independent equations in the unknowns λ' , λ_0 , and u .

(b) Assuming the photon is incident along the x direction, the equations are

$$\lambda' - \lambda_0 = \frac{h}{m_e c} (1 - \cos 90.0^\circ) \rightarrow \lambda' = \lambda_0 + \frac{h}{m_e c} \quad [1]$$

and

$$\begin{aligned}\Delta p_x &= 0 \rightarrow \frac{h}{\lambda_0} = \gamma m_e u \cos 20.0^\circ \\ \Delta p_y &= 0 \rightarrow \frac{h}{\lambda'} = \gamma m_e u \sin 20.0^\circ\end{aligned}$$

Dividing the latter two equations gives

$$\frac{\lambda_0}{\lambda'} = \tan 20.0^\circ \quad [2]$$

Substituting equation [2] into equation [1] gives

$$\begin{aligned}\lambda' &= \lambda' \tan 20.0^\circ + \frac{h}{m_e c} \\ \lambda' &= \frac{h}{m_e c (1 - \tan 20.0^\circ)} = \frac{hc}{m_e c^2 (1 - \tan 20.0^\circ)} \\ &= \frac{1240 \text{ eV} \cdot \text{nm}}{(0.511 \times 10^6 \text{ eV})(1 - \tan 20.0^\circ)} \\ &= 3.82 \times 10^{-3} \text{ nm} = 3.82 \times 10^{-12} \text{ m} = \boxed{3.82 \text{ pm}}\end{aligned}$$

Section 39.4 The Nature of Electromagnetic Waves

P39.23 With photon energy $E = hf = 10.0 \text{ eV}$, a photon would have

$$f = \frac{E}{h} = \frac{10.0(1.602 \times 10^{-19} \text{ J})}{6.626 \times 10^{-34} \text{ J} \cdot \text{s}} = 2.42 \times 10^{15} \text{ Hz}$$

and

$$\lambda = \frac{c}{f} = \frac{3.00 \times 10^8 \text{ m/s}}{2.41 \times 10^{15} \text{ Hz}} = 124 \text{ nm}$$

To have photon energy 10 eV or greater, according to this definition, ionizing radiation is the ultraviolet light, x-rays, and γ rays with wavelength shorter than 124 nm; that is, with frequency higher than $2.42 \times 10^{15} \text{ Hz}$.

P39.24 The photon energy is

$$E = \frac{hc}{\lambda} = \frac{(6.626 \times 10^{-34} \text{ J} \cdot \text{s})(3.00 \times 10^8 \text{ m/s})}{633 \times 10^{-9} \text{ m}} = 3.14 \times 10^{-19} \text{ J}$$

The power carried by the beam is

$$(2.00 \times 10^{18} \text{ photons/s})(3.14 \times 10^{-19} \text{ J/photon}) = 0.628 \text{ W}$$

Its intensity is the average Poynting vector

$$I = S_{\text{avg}} = \frac{P}{\pi r^2} = \frac{0.628 \text{ W}}{\pi \left(\frac{1.75 \times 10^{-3} \text{ m}}{2} \right)^2} = 2.61 \times 10^5 \text{ W/m}^2$$

(a) To find the electric field, we use

$$S_{\text{avg}} = \frac{1}{\mu_0} E_{\text{rms}} B_{\text{rms}} = \frac{E_{\text{max}}^2}{2\mu_0 c}$$

Solving,

$$\begin{aligned} E_{\text{max}} &= (2\mu_0 c S_{\text{avg}})^{1/2} \\ &= [2(4\pi \times 10^{-7} \text{ T} \cdot \text{m/A})(3.00 \times 10^8 \text{ m/s}) \\ &\quad \times (2.61 \times 10^5 \text{ W/m}^2)]^{1/2} \\ &= 1.40 \times 10^4 \text{ N/C} = \boxed{14.0 \text{ kV/m}} \end{aligned}$$

$$(b) \quad B_{\text{max}} = \frac{E_{\text{max}}}{c} = \frac{1.40 \times 10^4 \text{ N/C}}{3.00 \times 10^8 \text{ m/s}} = 4.68 \times 10^{-5} \text{ T} = \boxed{46.8 \text{ } \mu\text{T}}$$

(c) Each photon carries momentum $\frac{E}{c}$. The beam transports

momentum at the rate $\frac{P}{c}$. It imparts momentum to a perfectly reflecting surface at the rate

$$\frac{2P}{c} = \text{force} = \frac{2(0.628 \text{ W})}{3.00 \times 10^8 \text{ m/s}} = 4.19 \times 10^{-9} \text{ N} = \boxed{4.19 \text{ nN}}$$

- (d) The block of ice absorbs energy $mL = P\Delta t$ melting

$$m = \frac{P\Delta t}{L} = \frac{(0.628 \text{ W})[1.50(3600 \text{ s})]}{3.33 \times 10^5 \text{ J/kg}} = 1.02 \times 10^{-2} \text{ kg} = \boxed{10.2 \text{ g}}$$

Section 39.5 The Wave Properties of Particles

P39.25 (a) $p = \frac{h}{\lambda} = \frac{6.63 \times 10^{-34} \text{ J} \cdot \text{s}}{4.00 \times 10^{-7} \text{ m}} = \boxed{1.66 \times 10^{-27} \text{ kg} \cdot \text{m/s}}$

- (b) From $p = m_e u$,

$$u = \frac{p}{m_e} = \frac{1.66 \times 10^{-27} \text{ kg} \cdot \text{m/s}}{9.11 \times 10^{-31} \text{ kg}} = 1.82 \times 10^3 \text{ m/s} = \boxed{1.82 \text{ km/s}}$$

- P39.26** Since the de Broglie wavelength is $\lambda = \frac{h}{p}$, the electron momentum is:

$$p = \frac{h}{\lambda} \approx \frac{6.626 \times 10^{-34} \text{ J} \cdot \text{s}}{1.00 \times 10^{-11} \text{ m}} = 6.626 \times 10^{-23} \text{ kg} \cdot \text{m/s}$$

- (a) For electrons, the relativistic answer is more precisely correct.

Suppressing units,

$$\begin{aligned} K_e &= \sqrt{p^2 c^2 + (m_e c^2)^2} - m_e c^2 = \sqrt{(pc)^2 + (m_e c^2)^2} - m_e c^2 \\ &= \sqrt{\left[(6.626 \times 10^{-23})(2.998 \times 10^8) \left(\frac{1 \text{ MeV}}{1.602 \times 10^{-13} \text{ J}} \right) \right]^2 + (0.511)^2} \\ &\quad - 0.511 \\ &= 0.0148 \text{ MeV} = \boxed{14.8 \text{ keV}} \end{aligned}$$

or, ignoring relativistic correction,

$$K_e = \frac{p^2}{2m_e} = \frac{(6.626 \times 10^{-23})^2}{2(9.11 \times 10^{-31})} \left(\frac{1 \text{ keV}}{1.602 \times 10^{-16} \text{ J}} \right) = \boxed{15.1 \text{ keV}}$$

(b) For photons (suppressing units):

$$E_\gamma = pc = (6.626 \times 10^{-23})(2.998 \times 10^8) \left(\frac{1 \text{ keV}}{1.602 \times 10^{-16} \text{ J}} \right) \\ = \boxed{124 \text{ keV}}$$

P39.27 (a) From $E = \gamma mc^2$,

$$\gamma = \frac{E}{mc^2} = \frac{20\,000 \text{ MeV}}{0.511 \text{ MeV}} = \boxed{3.91 \times 10^4}$$

(b) We find the momentum of the particle from

$$pc = \left[E^2 - (mc^2)^2 \right]^{1/2} = \left[(20\,000 \text{ MeV})^2 - (0.511 \text{ MeV})^2 \right] \\ = 20.0 \text{ GeV}$$

Then,

$$p = \boxed{20.0 \text{ GeV}/c = 1.07 \times 10^{-17} \text{ kg} \cdot \text{m/s}}$$

(c) The electron's wavelength is

$$\lambda = \frac{h}{p} = \frac{6.626 \times 10^{-34} \text{ J} \cdot \text{s}}{1.07 \times 10^{-17} \text{ kg} \cdot \text{m/s}} = \boxed{6.21 \times 10^{-17} \text{ m}}$$

(d) The wavelength is two orders of magnitude smaller than the size of the nucleus.

P39.28 (a) $\lambda \sim 10^{-14} \text{ m}$ or less, so $p = \frac{h}{\lambda} \sim \frac{6.626 \times 10^{-34} \text{ J} \cdot \text{s}}{10^{-14} \text{ m}} \approx 10^{-19} \text{ kg} \cdot \text{m/s}$ or more. The energy of the electron is, suppressing units,

$$E = \sqrt{p^2 c^2 + m_e^2 c^4}$$

$$\sim \sqrt{(10^{-19})^2 (3 \times 10^8)^2 + (9 \times 10^{-31})^2 (3 \times 10^8)^4}$$

or $E \sim 10^{-11} \text{ J} \sim 10^8 \text{ eV}$ or more

so that

$$K = E - m_e c^2 \sim 10^8 \text{ eV} - (0.5 \times 10^6 \text{ eV}) \boxed{\sim 10^8 \text{ eV}} \text{ or more}$$

- (b) If the nucleus contains ten protons, the electric potential energy of the electron-nucleus system would be

$$U_e = \frac{k_e q_1 q_2}{r} \sim \frac{(9 \times 10^9 \text{ N} \cdot \text{m}^2 / \text{C}^2) [10 (1.60 \times 10^{-19} \text{ C})] (-e)}{0.5 \times 10^{-14} \text{ m}}$$

$$\boxed{\sim -10^6 \text{ eV}}$$

- (c) With its $K + U_e \sim 10^8 \text{ eV} \gg 0$, the electron could not be confined to the nucleus.

***P39.29 Conceptualize** Review Example 39.5 regarding the calculation of a wavelength for an electron.

Categorize We are considering the wave nature of an electron in this problem, as opposed to its particle nature.

Analyze For the fringe patterns to be the same, the electrons must have the same wavelength as the red light. Begin with Equation 39.18, and express the electron speed u in terms of its kinetic energy K :

$$\lambda = \frac{h}{mu} = \frac{h}{m \left(\sqrt{\frac{2K}{m}} \right)} = \frac{h}{\sqrt{2mK}} \quad (1)$$

Solve Equation (1) for the kinetic energy of the electrons:

$$K = \frac{h^2}{2m\lambda^2} \quad (2)$$

Substitute numerical values:

$$\begin{aligned} K &= \frac{(6.626 \times 10^{-34} \text{ J} \cdot \text{s})^2}{2(9.11 \times 10^{-31} \text{ kg})(632.8 \times 10^{-9} \text{ m})^2} = 6.02 \times 10^{-25} \text{ J} \\ &= 3.76 \times 10^{-6} \text{ eV} = 3.76 \text{ } \mu\text{eV} \end{aligned}$$

Therefore, the electrons must be accelerated through $3.76 \text{ } \mu\text{V}$ to have the correct wavelength.

Finalize This is a small voltage. A wavelength of 632.8 nm for an electron requires only a relatively low speed, about 1 150 m/s.

Compare this result to that in part (A) of Example 39.5. There, the wavelength of the electron is

$$\lambda = 7.27 \times 10^{-11} \text{ m} = 0.0727 \text{ nm}$$

This is smaller than the wavelength in this problem by a factor of 8.70×10^3 , requiring a speed that is higher by that factor:

$$(1\,150 \text{ m/s})(8.70 \times 10^3) = 1.00 \times 10^7 \text{ m/s}$$

as in Example 39.5. The voltage required to accelerate the electron in Example 39.5, ignoring relativistic effects, is 284 V, a factor of $(8.70 \times 10^3)^2$ higher than the $3.76 \text{ } \mu\text{V}$ voltage required in this problem.]

Answer: $3.76 \text{ } \mu\text{V}$

39.30 (a) $E^2 = p^2c^2 + m^2c^4$ with $E = hf$,

$$p = \frac{h}{\lambda} \quad \text{and} \quad mc = \frac{h}{\lambda_c}$$

Substituting, we find that

$$h^2 f^2 = \frac{h^2 c^2}{\lambda^2} + \frac{h^2 c^2}{\lambda_c^2} \quad \text{and} \quad \left(\frac{f}{c}\right)^2 = \frac{1}{\lambda^2} + \frac{1}{\lambda_c^2}$$

(b) No. For a photon, $\frac{f}{c} = \frac{1}{\lambda}$. The third term $\frac{1}{\lambda_c}$ in the equation

above for particles with mass shows that they will always have a different frequency from photons of the same wavelength.

P39.31 Given the assumption in the problem statement, for significant diffraction to occur, we must have

$$w \leq 10\lambda = 10\left(\frac{h}{p}\right) = 10\left(\frac{h}{mu}\right)$$

where u is the speed of the student as he passes through the doorway.

The variable we do not know here is the speed u , so let's solve for it:

$$u \leq 10\left(\frac{h}{mw}\right)$$

This expression will give the upper limit to the speed of the student.

Substitute numerical values:

$$u \leq 10\left[\frac{6.626 \times 10^{-34} \text{ J} \cdot \text{s}}{(80 \text{ kg})(0.75 \text{ m})}\right] = 1.1 \times 10^{-34} \text{ m/s}$$

This is an extremely low velocity. It is impossible for the student to walk this slowly. At this speed, if the thickness of the wall in which the door is built is 15 cm, the time interval required for the student to pass through the door is 1.4×10^{33} s, which is 10^{15} times the age of the Universe.

Section 39.6 A New Model: The Quantum Particle

- P39.32** (a) The particle is freely moving, so we attribute no potential energy to it. Its energy is

$$E = K = \frac{1}{2}mu^2 = hf = \left(\frac{h}{2\pi}\right)(2\pi f) = \hbar\omega$$

For its momentum we have

$$p = mu = \frac{h}{\lambda} = \left(\frac{h}{2\pi}\right)\left(\frac{2\pi}{\lambda}\right) = \hbar k$$

Thus,

$$\omega = \frac{K}{\hbar} \quad \text{and} \quad k = \frac{p}{\hbar}$$

Then the phase speed is

$$v_{\text{phase}} = f\lambda = \left(\frac{mu^2}{2h}\right)\left(\frac{h}{mu}\right) = \boxed{\frac{u}{2}}$$

- (b) We see that the phase speed is only one-half of the experimentally measurable speed u at which the quantum particle transports mass, energy, and momentum. In the textbook's Active Figure 27.16, individual wave crests would move forward more slowly than their envelope moves forward, so individual crests would appear to move backward relative to the packet containing them.

- P39.33** As a bonus, we begin by proving that the phase speed $v_p = \frac{\omega}{k}$ is not the speed of the particle.

$$\begin{aligned}
 v_p &= \frac{\omega}{k} = \frac{\sqrt{p^2 c^2 + m^2 c^4} \hbar}{\hbar \gamma m u} = \frac{\sqrt{\gamma^2 m^2 u^2 c^2 + m^2 c^4}}{\sqrt{\gamma^2 m^2 u^2}} \\
 &= c \sqrt{1 + \frac{c^2}{\gamma^2 u^2}} = c \sqrt{1 + \frac{c^2}{u^2} \left(1 - \frac{u^2}{c^2}\right)} = c \sqrt{1 + \frac{c^2}{u^2} - 1} = \frac{c^2}{u}
 \end{aligned}$$

In fact, the phase speed is larger than the speed of light! A point of constant phase in the wave function carries no mass, no energy, and no information.

Now for the group speed:

$$\begin{aligned}
 v_g &= \frac{d\omega}{dk} = \frac{d(\hbar\omega)}{d(\hbar k)} = \frac{dE}{dp} = \frac{d}{dp} \sqrt{m^2 c^4 + p^2 c^2} \\
 &= \frac{1}{2} (m^2 c^4 + p^2 c^2)^{-1/2} (0 + 2pc^2) = \sqrt{\frac{p^2 c^4}{p^2 c^2 + m^2 c^4}} \\
 &= c \sqrt{\frac{\gamma^2 m^2 u^2}{\gamma^2 m^2 u^2 + m^2 c^2}} \\
 &= c \sqrt{\frac{u^2 / (1 - u^2/c^2)}{u^2 / (1 - u^2/c^2) + c^2}} = c \sqrt{\frac{u^2 / (1 - u^2/c^2)}{(u^2 + c^2 - u^2) / (1 - u^2/c^2)}} = u
 \end{aligned}$$

It is this speed at which mass, energy, and momentum are transported.



Section 39.7 The Double-Slit Experiment Revisited

***P39.34 Conceptualize** Study Section 39.7 and Figure 39.22 carefully so you fully understand the phenomenon of electron interference in a double slit.

Categorize Each electron passing through the slit can be modeled as a wave in interference, but we won't need that model to solve the problem. We *will* have to model each electron and the electric field

surrounding it as an *isolated system* for *energy*. In addition, after the electron leaves the accelerating electric field, it is modeled as a *particle under constant velocity*.

Analyze Write the appropriate reduction of Equation 8.2 for the system, of an electron and the potential difference that accelerates the electron, for the total time interval of the acceleration:

$$\Delta K + \Delta U_e = 0 \quad (1)$$

Substitute for the initial and final energies, assuming that the electrons begin from rest, and solve for the final speed of the electron:

$$\left(\frac{1}{2}m_e u^2 - 0\right) + \left[(-e)(\Delta V_{\text{acc}}) - 0\right] = 0 \quad \rightarrow \quad u = \sqrt{\frac{2e(\Delta V_{\text{acc}})}{m_e}} \quad (2)$$

Defining the initial instant of time as when the electrons leave the accelerating electric field as $t = 0$, use the particle under constant velocity model to find the time at which they have traveled a distance d , and another electron exits the accelerating field:

$$x_f = x_i + ut \quad \rightarrow \quad t = \frac{x_f - x_i}{u} = \frac{d - 0}{u} = \frac{d}{u} \quad (3)$$

Now, use Equation 26.1 to find the current that will provide one electron in a space of length d and incorporate Equations (2) and (3):

$$I = \frac{\Delta Q}{\Delta t} = \frac{e}{\left(\frac{d}{u}\right)} = \frac{ue}{d} = \frac{e}{d} \sqrt{\frac{2e(\Delta V_{\text{acc}})}{m_e}}$$

Substitute numerical values:

$$I = \frac{1.602 \times 10^{-19} \text{ C}}{0.0100 \text{ m}} \sqrt{\frac{2(1.602 \times 10^{-19} \text{ C})(45.0 \text{ V})}{9.11 \times 10^{-31} \text{ kg}}} = \boxed{6.37 \times 10^{-11} \text{ A}}$$

Finalize This is a very small current, as might be expected for single electrons to be separated by 1.00 cm. It will take very precise control to set an experimental apparatus for this small of a current.]

Answer: $6.37 \times 10^{-11} \text{ A}$

P39.35 Consider the first bright band away from the center:

$$d \sin \theta = m \lambda$$

$$\begin{aligned} (0.0600 \times 10^{-6} \text{ m}) \sin \left[\tan^{-1} \left(\frac{0.400 \times 10^{-3} \text{ m}}{20.0 \times 10^{-2} \text{ m}} \right) \right] \\ = (1) \lambda = 1.20 \times 10^{-10} \text{ m} \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{And since } \lambda = \frac{h}{p} = \frac{h}{m_e u}, \text{ so } m_e u = \frac{h}{\lambda},$$

and

$$K = \frac{1}{2} m_e u^2 = \frac{m_e^2 u^2}{2 m_e} = \frac{h^2}{2 m_e \lambda^2} = e \Delta V \quad \rightarrow \quad \Delta V = \frac{h^2}{2 e m_e \lambda^2}$$

Therefore,

$$\begin{aligned} \Delta V &= \frac{(6.626 \times 10^{-34} \text{ J} \cdot \text{s})^2}{2(1.60 \times 10^{-19} \text{ C})(9.11 \times 10^{-31} \text{ kg})(1.20 \times 10^{-10} \text{ m})^2} \\ &= \boxed{105 \text{ V}} \end{aligned}$$

Section 39.8 The Uncertainty Principle

***P39.36 Conceptualize** Think about the process occurring. Empty space suddenly creates two particles with rest energy. These particles must

annihilate each other quickly to avoid a violation of conservation of energy.

Categorize This problem involves the energy–time uncertainty principle as well as the notion of rest mass from Chapter 38.

Analyze Imagine that the left and right sides of Equation 39.24 are *equal*. That will give us an estimate of a typical lifetime during which the particles can exist:

$$\Delta E \Delta t = \frac{\hbar}{2} \rightarrow \Delta t = \frac{\hbar}{2\Delta E} \quad (1)$$

Let the uncertainty in energy be the total rest energy of the two particles that have apparently been created from nothing:

$$\Delta t = \frac{\hbar}{2(2m_e c^2)} = \frac{\hbar}{4m_e c^2} \quad (2)$$

Substitute numerical values:

$$\Delta t = \frac{1.055 \times 10^{-34} \text{ J} \cdot \text{s}}{4(9.11 \times 10^{-31} \text{ kg})(3.00 \times 10^8 \text{ m/s})^2} = \boxed{3.22 \times 10^{-22} \text{ s}}$$

Finalize This is a very short time interval, so the existence of the particles is difficult to detect. Is empty space *really* empty? If it can create particles from nothing, what is the nature of empty space? This is an ongoing topic for research.]

Answer: $3.22 \times 10^{-22} \text{ s}$

P39.37 The maximum time one can use in measuring the energy of the particle is equal to the lifetime of the particle, or $\Delta t_{\text{max}} \approx 2 \mu\text{s}$. One form of the uncertainty principle is $\Delta E \Delta t \geq \hbar/2$. Thus, the minimum uncertainty one can have in the measurement of a muon's energy is

$$\Delta E_{\min} = \frac{h}{4\pi \Delta t_{\max}} = \frac{6.626 \times 10^{-34} \text{ J}\cdot\text{s}}{4\pi (2 \times 10^{-6} \text{ s})} = \boxed{3 \times 10^{-29} \text{ J} \approx 2 \times 10^{-10} \text{ eV}}$$

P39.38 Assume the rifle is firing horizontally and let the distance between the rifle and the target be L . The uncertainty in the vertical position of the particle as it leaves the end of the rifle is $\Delta y = 2.00 \text{ mm}$. The uncertainty principle will allow us to approximate the uncertainty in the vertical momentum of the particles (ignoring gravitational acceleration):

$$\Delta y \Delta p_y \geq \frac{\hbar}{2} \quad \rightarrow \quad \Delta p_y \geq \frac{\hbar}{2\Delta y}$$

The time interval for the particle to reach the screen is, from the particle under constant velocity model,

$$\Delta t = \frac{L}{v_x}$$

During this time interval, again from the particle under constant velocity model, the particle moves in the vertical direction by a distance (again ignoring gravitational effects)

$$\Delta y_t = v_y \Delta t = v_y \frac{L}{v_x} = p_y \frac{L}{p_x}$$

where Δy_t is the vertical distance through which the particle moves when it arrives at the target and p_y is the vertical momentum of the particle. Because the particles begin with zero vertical momentum, let's assume that the vertical momentum of the particles is on the order of the uncertainty in the vertical momentum. Then,

$$\Delta y_t \approx \frac{\hbar}{2\Delta y} \frac{L}{p_x}$$

What we don't know in this expression is the distance L , so let's solve for it:

$$L \approx \frac{2p_x \Delta y \Delta y_t}{\hbar}$$

Substitute numerical values:

$$\begin{aligned} L &\approx \frac{2(0.001\,00\text{ kg})(100\text{ m/s})(0.002\,00\text{ m})(0.010\,0\text{ m})}{1.055 \times 10^{-34}\text{ J}\cdot\text{s}} \\ &\approx 4 \times 10^{28}\text{ m} \end{aligned}$$

According to Table 1.1, this distance is two orders of magnitude larger than the distance from the Earth to the most remote known quasar. In conclusion, then, for rifles fired at targets at reasonable distances away, a spread of 1.00 cm *due to the uncertainty principle* would be impossible.

P39.39 With $\Delta x = 1 \times 10^{-14}\text{ m}$, the uncertainty principle requires

$$\Delta p_x \geq \frac{\hbar}{2\Delta x} = \frac{1.055 \times 10^{-34}\text{ J}\cdot\text{s}}{2(1 \times 10^{-14}\text{ m})} = 5.3 \times 10^{-21}\text{ kg}\cdot\text{m/s}$$

The average momentum of the particle bound in a stationary nucleus is zero. The uncertainty in momentum measures the standard deviation of the momentum, so we take $p \approx 5.3 \times 10^{-21}\text{ kg}\cdot\text{m/s}$.

For an electron, the non-relativistic approximation $p = m_e u$ would predict $u \approx 6 \times 10^9\text{ m/s}$, which is impossible because u cannot be greater than c . Thus, a better solution would be to use

$$E = \left[(m_e c^2)^2 + (pc)^2 \right]^{1/2} \approx 9.9\text{ MeV} = \gamma m_e c^2$$

to find the speed (with $m_e c^2 = 0.511 \text{ MeV}$):

$$\gamma \approx 19.4 = \frac{1}{\sqrt{1 - u^2/c^2}} \quad \text{so} \quad u \approx 0.998\,67c$$

For a proton,

$$u = \frac{p}{m} = \frac{5.3 \times 10^{-21} \text{ kg} \cdot \text{m/s}}{1.67 \times 10^{-27} \text{ kg}} = 3.2 \times 10^6 \text{ m/s} = 0.011c$$

about one-hundredth the speed of light.



Additional Problems

P39.40 Equation 39.11 states $\Delta\lambda = \frac{h}{m_e c}(1 - \cos\theta) = \lambda' - \lambda_0$ for the scattered photon. The initial energy of a photon is $E_0 = hc/\lambda_0$. Its energy after scattering is

$$\begin{aligned} E' &= \frac{hc}{\lambda'} = \frac{hc}{\lambda_0 + \Delta\lambda} = hc \left[\lambda_0 + \frac{h}{m_e c}(1 - \cos\theta) \right]^{-1} \\ E' &= \frac{hc}{\lambda_0} \left[1 + \frac{hc}{m_e c^2 \lambda_0}(1 - \cos\theta) \right]^{-1} \\ E' &= \frac{hc}{\lambda_0} \left[1 + \frac{hc}{m_e c^2 \lambda_0}(1 - \cos\theta) \right]^{-1} = E_0 \left[1 + \frac{E_0}{m_e c^2}(1 - \cos\theta) \right]^{-1} \end{aligned}$$

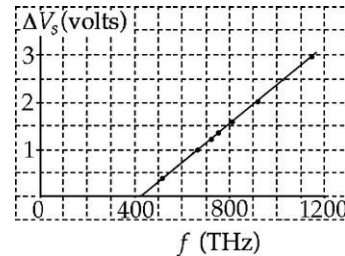
P39.41 We use $\Delta V_s = \left(\frac{h}{e}\right)f - \frac{\phi}{e}$.

From two points on the graph in ANS. FIG. P39.41,

$$0 = \left(\frac{h}{e}\right)(4.1 \times 10^{14} \text{ Hz}) - \frac{\phi}{e}$$

and

$$3.3 \text{ V} = \left(\frac{h}{e}\right)(12 \times 10^{14} \text{ Hz}) - \frac{\phi}{e}$$



Combining these two expressions we find:

ANS. FIG. P39.41

(a) $\phi = \boxed{1.7 \text{ eV}}$

(b) $\frac{h}{e} = \boxed{4.2 \times 10^{-15} \text{ V} \cdot \text{s}}$

(c) At the cutoff wavelength, $\frac{hc}{\lambda_c} = \phi = \left(\frac{h}{e}\right)\frac{ec}{\lambda_c}$, or

$$\begin{aligned} \lambda_c &= (4.2 \times 10^{-15} \text{ V} \cdot \text{s})(1.60 \times 10^{-19} \text{ C}) \\ &\quad \times \frac{(3.00 \times 10^8 \text{ m/s})}{(1.7 \text{ eV})(1.60 \times 10^{-19} \text{ J/eV})} \\ &= \boxed{7.3 \times 10^2 \text{ nm}} \end{aligned}$$

***P39.42 Conceptualize** Review the material in Section 39.3. We want to conceptualize the incoming x-ray as a photon, a *particle* of radiation, rather than as a *wave*.

Categorize We model the electron as a *nonisolated system* for *energy*. We will model the electron–photon system an *isolated system* for *momentum*.

Analyze From Equations 39.5 and 16.12, we can write the energy of the photon as

$$E_{\text{photon}} = hf = \frac{hc}{\lambda} = T_{\text{ER}}(\text{in}) \quad (1)$$

where we have recognized that this is the energy transferred into a system by electromagnetic radiation. Write the appropriate reduction of Equation 8.2 for the system of the electron for a time interval spanning the collision between the incoming photon and the electron:

$$\Delta K_e = T_{\text{ER}} = T_{\text{ER}}(\text{in}) + T_{\text{ER}}(\text{out}) \quad (2)$$

where we have recognized that energy will be transferred into the system and also transferred out by electromagnetic radiation.

Substitute for the energies in Equation (2):

$$(K_e - 0) = \frac{hc}{\lambda_0} - \frac{hc}{\lambda'} \rightarrow \frac{hc}{\lambda_0} = \frac{hc}{\lambda'} + K_e \quad (3)$$

where λ_0 is the wavelength of the incoming photon, λ' is the wavelength of the scattered photon, and K_e is the recoil kinetic energy of the electron. Because the speed of the electron might be high, we use the relativistic form of the kinetic energy:

$$\frac{hc}{\lambda_0} = \frac{hc}{\lambda'} + (\gamma - 1)m_e c^2 \quad (4)$$

Combine Equations 38.28, 39.5, and 16.12 to express the momentum of a photon in terms of its wavelength:

$$p = \frac{E}{c} = \frac{hf}{c} = \frac{h}{\lambda} \quad (5)$$

Modeling the photon and the electron as an isolated system for momentum, set the initial momentum of the system equal to the final momentum for each of the two components x and y :

$$\frac{h}{\lambda_0} = \frac{h}{\lambda'} \cos \theta + \gamma m_e u \cos \phi \quad (6)$$

$$0 = \frac{h}{\lambda'} \sin \theta - \gamma m_e u \sin \phi \quad (7)$$

where we have used the relativistic expression for the momentum of the electron, Equation 38.19. Solve Equations (6) and (7) for the term involving angle ϕ , square each equation, and add the equations:

$$\begin{aligned} \gamma m_e u \cos \phi &= \frac{h}{\lambda_0} - \frac{h}{\lambda'} \cos \theta \\ \rightarrow \gamma^2 m_e^2 u^2 \cos^2 \phi &= \left(\frac{h}{\lambda_0} \right)^2 - 2 \frac{h}{\lambda_0} \frac{h}{\lambda'} \cos \theta + \left(\frac{h}{\lambda'} \right)^2 \cos^2 \theta \\ \gamma m_e u \sin \phi &= \frac{h}{\lambda'} \sin \theta \\ \rightarrow \gamma^2 m_e^2 u^2 \sin^2 \phi &= \left(\frac{h}{\lambda'} \right)^2 \sin^2 \theta \\ \gamma^2 m_e^2 u^2 (\cos^2 \phi + \sin^2 \phi) &= \left(\frac{h}{\lambda_0} \right)^2 - 2 \frac{h}{\lambda_0} \frac{h}{\lambda'} \cos \theta + \left(\frac{h}{\lambda'} \right)^2 (\cos^2 \theta + \sin^2 \theta) \\ \rightarrow \gamma^2 m_e^2 u^2 &= \left(\frac{h}{\lambda_0} \right)^2 - 2 \frac{h}{\lambda_0} \frac{h}{\lambda'} \cos \theta + \left(\frac{h}{\lambda'} \right)^2 \quad (8) \end{aligned}$$

where we have recognized the sum of the squares of the sine and cosine of the angle is equal to 1. Now substitute for γ :

$$\begin{aligned} \left(\frac{1}{1 - \frac{u^2}{c^2}} \right) m_e^2 u^2 &= \left(\frac{h}{\lambda_0} \right)^2 - 2 \frac{h}{\lambda_0} \frac{h}{\lambda'} \cos \theta + \left(\frac{h}{\lambda'} \right)^2 \\ \rightarrow \left(\frac{\frac{u^2}{c^2}}{1 - \frac{u^2}{c^2}} \right) &= \frac{h^2}{m_e^2 c^2} \left[\left(\frac{1}{\lambda_0} \right)^2 - 2 \frac{1}{\lambda_0} \frac{1}{\lambda'} \cos \theta + \left(\frac{1}{\lambda'} \right)^2 \right] \quad (9) \end{aligned}$$

To save some writing, define the right side of Equation (9) as b ,

$$b = \frac{h^2}{m_e^2 c^2} \left[\left(\frac{1}{\lambda_0} \right)^2 - 2 \frac{1}{\lambda_0} \frac{1}{\lambda'} \cos \theta + \left(\frac{1}{\lambda'} \right)^2 \right]$$

so that Equation (9) becomes

$$\frac{\frac{u^2}{c^2}}{1 - \frac{u^2}{c^2}} = b \quad \rightarrow \quad \frac{u^2}{c^2} = \frac{b}{1 + b} \quad (10)$$

Therefore, we can write γ as

$$\gamma = \frac{1}{\sqrt{1 - \frac{u^2}{c^2}}} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{1 - \frac{b}{1 + b}}} = \sqrt{1 + b} \quad (11)$$

Now solve Equation (4) for γ :

$$\gamma = 1 + \frac{h}{m_e c} \left(\frac{1}{\lambda_0} - \frac{1}{\lambda'} \right) \quad (12)$$

Set Equations (11) and (12) equal, since they both express γ :

$$1 + \frac{h}{m_e c} \left(\frac{1}{\lambda_0} - \frac{1}{\lambda'} \right) = \sqrt{1 + b} \quad (13)$$

Square both sides and substitute for b :

$$\left[1 + \frac{h}{m_e c} \left(\frac{1}{\lambda_0} - \frac{1}{\lambda'} \right) \right]^2 = 1 + b$$

$$1 + \frac{2h}{m_e c} \left(\frac{1}{\lambda_0} - \frac{1}{\lambda'} \right) + \frac{h^2}{m_e^2 c^2} \left(\frac{1}{\lambda_0} - \frac{1}{\lambda'} \right)^2 = 1 + \frac{h^2}{m_e^2 c^2} \left[\left(\frac{1}{\lambda_0} \right)^2 - 2 \frac{1}{\lambda_0} \frac{1}{\lambda'} \cos \theta + \left(\frac{1}{\lambda'} \right)^2 \right]$$

Eliminating like terms on both sides of the equation, this reduces to

$$\lambda' - \lambda_0 = \frac{h}{m_e c} (1 - \cos \theta)$$

Finalize Setting up the solution was relatively straightforward, but the algebra turned out to be a bit messy.]

Answer: See the solution.

P39.43 From the uncertainty principle,

$$\Delta E \Delta t \geq \frac{\hbar}{2} \quad \rightarrow \quad \Delta (mc^2) \Delta t = \frac{\hbar}{2}$$

Therefore,

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{\Delta m}{m} &= \frac{h}{4\pi c^2 (\Delta t) m} = \frac{h}{4\pi (\Delta t) E_R} \\ &= \frac{6.626 \times 10^{-34} \text{ J} \cdot \text{s}}{4\pi (8.70 \times 10^{-17} \text{ s})(135 \text{ MeV})} \left(\frac{1 \text{ MeV}}{1.60 \times 10^{-13} \text{ J}} \right) \\ &= \boxed{2.81 \times 10^{-8}} \end{aligned}$$

P39.44 The definition of the Compton wavelength is $\lambda_C = h/m_e c$. The de Broglie wavelength is $\lambda = h/p$. We take the ratio of the Compton wavelength to the de Broglie wavelength, and square it:

$$\left(\frac{\lambda_C}{\lambda}\right)^2 = \frac{p^2}{(m_e c)^2}$$

From Equation 39.27, the momentum for a slowly-moving or rapidly-moving object is described by

$$p^2 = \frac{E^2 - m_e^2 c^4}{c^2}$$

Substituting and simplifying,

$$\left(\frac{\lambda_C}{\lambda}\right)^2 = \frac{(E^2 - m_e^2 c^4)}{(m_e c^2)^2} = \left(\frac{E}{m_e c^2}\right)^2 - 1$$

and
$$\frac{\lambda_C}{\lambda} = \sqrt{\left(\frac{E}{m_e c^2}\right)^2 - 1}$$

P39.45 (a) We find the energy of one photon:

$$\begin{aligned} hf &= K_{\max} + \phi \\ &= \frac{1}{2}(9.11 \times 10^{-31} \text{ kg})(420 \times 10^3 \text{ m/s})^2 \\ &\quad + (3.44 \text{ eV})\left(\frac{1.6 \times 10^{-19} \text{ J}}{1 \text{ eV}}\right) = 6.31 \times 10^{-19} \text{ J} \end{aligned}$$

The number intensity of photon bombardment is

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{I}{hf} &= \frac{550 \text{ J/s} \cdot \text{m}^2}{6.31 \times 10^{-19} \text{ J/photon}} \left(\frac{1 \text{ m}^2}{10^4 \text{ cm}^2}\right) \left(\frac{1 \text{ electron emitted}}{1 \text{ photon absorbed}}\right) \\ &= \boxed{8.72 \times 10^{16} \frac{\text{electrons}}{\text{s} \cdot \text{cm}^2}} \end{aligned}$$

- (b) The density of the current the imagined electrons comprise is

$$J = \left(8.72 \times 10^{16} \frac{\text{electrons}}{\text{s} \cdot \text{cm}^2} \right) \left(1.60 \times 10^{-19} \frac{\text{C}}{\text{electron}} \right)$$

$$= 0.0140 \frac{\text{C}}{\text{s} \cdot \text{cm}^2} = \boxed{14.0 \text{ mA/cm}^2}$$

- (c) Many photons are likely reflected or give their energy to the metal as internal energy, so the actual current is probably a small fraction of 14.0 mA.

- P39.46** (a) To find the de Broglie wavelength of the neutron, we first determine its momentum,

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

$$= \sqrt{2(1.67 \times 10^{-27} \text{ kg})(0.0400 \text{ eV})(1.60 \times 10^{-19} \text{ J/eV})}$$

$$= 4.62 \times 10^{-24} \text{ kg} \cdot \text{m/s}$$

Then,

$$\lambda = \frac{h}{mu} = \frac{6.626 \times 10^{-34} \text{ J} \cdot \text{s}}{4.62 \times 10^{-24} \text{ kg} \cdot \text{m/s}} = 1.43 \times 10^{-10} \text{ m} = \boxed{0.143 \text{ nm}}$$

- (b) This is of the same order of magnitude as the spacing between atoms in a crystal.

- (c) Because the wavelength is about the same as the spacing, diffraction effects should occur.

A diffraction pattern with maxima and minima at the same angles can be produced with x-rays, with neutrons, and with electrons of much higher kinetic energy, by using incident quantum particles with the same wavelength.



Challenge Problems

P39.47 (a) The Doppler shift increases the apparent frequency of the incident light.

(b) If $v = 0.280c$,

$$f' = f \sqrt{\frac{1 + v/c}{1 - v/c}} = (7.00 \times 10^{14} \text{ Hz}) \sqrt{\frac{1.28}{0.720}} = 9.33 \times 10^{14} \text{ Hz}$$

Therefore,

$$\begin{aligned} \phi &= hf' \\ &= (6.626 \times 10^{-34} \text{ J} \cdot \text{s})(9.33 \times 10^{14} \text{ Hz}) \left(\frac{1 \text{ eV}}{1.602 \times 10^{-19} \text{ J}} \right) \\ &= 3.86 \text{ eV} \end{aligned}$$

(c) At $v = 0.900c$,

$$f' = f \sqrt{\frac{1 + v/c}{1 - v/c}} = (7.00 \times 10^{14} \text{ Hz}) \sqrt{\frac{1.900}{0.100}} = 3.05 \times 10^{15} \text{ Hz}$$

and

$$\begin{aligned} K_{\text{max}} &= hf' - \phi \\ &= \left[(6.626 \times 10^{-34} \text{ J} \cdot \text{s})(3.05 \times 10^{15} \text{ Hz}) \left(\frac{1.00 \text{ eV}}{1.602 \times 10^{-19} \text{ J}} \right) \right] \\ &\quad - 3.86 \text{ eV} \\ &= 8.76 \text{ eV} \end{aligned}$$

P39.48 (a) At the top of the ladder, the woman holds a pellet inside a small region Δx_i . Thus, the uncertainty principle requires her to release it with typical horizontal momentum $\Delta p_x = m\Delta v_x = \frac{\hbar}{2\Delta x_i}$. It falls

to the floor in a travel time given by $H = 0 + \frac{1}{2}gt^2$ as $t = \sqrt{\frac{2H}{g}}$, so

the total width of the impact points is

$$\Delta x_f = \Delta x_i + (\Delta v_x)t = \Delta x_i + \left(\frac{\hbar}{2m\Delta x_i} \right) \sqrt{\frac{2H}{g}} = \Delta x_i + \frac{A}{\Delta x_i}$$

where $A = \frac{\hbar}{2m} \sqrt{\frac{2H}{g}}$.

To minimize Δx_f , we require $\frac{d(\Delta x_f)}{d(\Delta x_i)} = 0$ or $1 - \frac{A}{\Delta x_i^2} = 0$,

so $\Delta x_i = \sqrt{A}$.

The minimum width of the impact points is

$$(\Delta x_f)_{\min} = \left(\Delta x_i + \frac{A}{\Delta x_i} \right) \Big|_{\Delta x_i = \sqrt{A}} = 2\sqrt{A} = \boxed{\sqrt{\frac{2\hbar}{m}} \left(\frac{2H}{g} \right)^{1/4}}$$

(b)

$$\begin{aligned} (\Delta x_f)_{\min} &= \left[\frac{2(1.054 \times 10^{-34} \text{ J} \cdot \text{s})}{5.00 \times 10^{-4} \text{ kg}} \right]^{1/2} \left[\frac{2(2.00 \text{ m})}{9.80 \text{ m/s}^2} \right]^{1/4} \\ &= \boxed{5.19 \times 10^{-16} \text{ m}} \end{aligned}$$

P39.49 (a) Starting with Planck's law,

$$I(\lambda, T) = \frac{2\pi hc^2}{\lambda^5 \left[e^{hc/\lambda k_B T} - 1 \right]}$$

the total power radiated per unit area

$$\int_0^\infty I(\lambda, T) d\lambda = \int_0^\infty \frac{2\pi hc^2}{\lambda^5 \left[e^{hc/\lambda k_B T} - 1 \right]} d\lambda$$

Change variables by letting $x = \frac{hc}{\lambda k_B T}$, so $dx = -\frac{hc}{k_B T \lambda^2} d\lambda$.

Note that as λ varies from $0 \rightarrow \infty$, x varies from $\infty \rightarrow 0$.

Then,

$$\int_0^{\infty} I(\lambda, T) d\lambda = -\frac{2\pi k_B^4 T^4}{h^3 c^2} \int_{\infty}^0 \frac{x^3}{(e^x - 1)} dx = \frac{2\pi k_B^4 T^4}{h^3 c^2} \left(\frac{\pi^4}{15} \right)$$

Therefore,

$$\boxed{\int_0^{\infty} I(\lambda, T) d\lambda = \left(\frac{2\pi^5 k_B^4}{15h^3 c^2} \right) T^4 = \sigma T^4}$$

(b) From part (a),

$$\sigma = \frac{2\pi^5 k_B^4}{15h^3 c^2} = \frac{2\pi^5 (1.38 \times 10^{-23} \text{ J/K})^4}{15 (6.626 \times 10^{-34} \text{ J} \cdot \text{s})^3 (3.00 \times 10^8 \text{ m/s})^2}$$

$$\sigma = \boxed{5.67 \times 10^{-8} \text{ W/m}^2 \cdot \text{K}^4}$$

P39.50 We show that if all of the energy of a photon is transmitted to an electron, momentum will not be conserved. In general, a photon of energy $E_0 = hc/\lambda_0$ scatters off an electron at rest, resulting in the photon having energy $E' = hc/\lambda'$ and the electron having kinetic energy K_e . Energy conservation requires $E_0 = E' + K_e$, or

$$\frac{hc}{\lambda_0} = \frac{hc}{\lambda'} + m_e c^2 (\gamma - 1)$$

If the photon is absorbed, then $E' = hc/\lambda' = 0$, and the above equation becomes

$$\frac{hc}{\lambda_0} = m_e c^2 (\gamma - 1) \quad [1]$$

Because the photon is absorbed, momentum conservation requires the momentum of the electron be in the same direction as the momentum of the original photon:

$$p_0 = \frac{E}{c} = \frac{h}{\lambda_0} = \gamma m_e u \quad [2]$$

From [1], we find that

$$\gamma = \frac{h}{\lambda_0 m_e c} + 1 \quad [3]$$

and
$$u = c \sqrt{1 - \left(\frac{\lambda_0 m_e c}{h + \lambda_0 m_e c} \right)^2} \quad [4]$$

Substituting [3] and [4] into [2] reveals the inconsistency:

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{h}{\lambda_0} &= \left(1 + \frac{h}{\lambda_0 m_e c} \right) m_e c \sqrt{1 - \left(\frac{\lambda_0 m_e c}{h + \lambda_0 m_e c} \right)^2} \\ &= \frac{\lambda_0 m_e c + h}{\lambda_0} \sqrt{\frac{h(h + 2\lambda_0 m_e c)}{(h + \lambda_0 m_e c)^2}} = \frac{h}{\lambda_0} \sqrt{\frac{h + 2\lambda_0 m_e c}{h}} \end{aligned}$$

This is impossible, so all of the energy of a photon cannot be transmitted to an electron.

P39.51 (a) Planck's law states

$$I(\lambda, T) = \frac{2\pi hc^2}{\lambda^5 \left[e^{hc/\lambda k_B T} - 1 \right]} = 2\pi hc^2 \lambda^{-5} \left[e^{hc/\lambda k_B T} - 1 \right]^{-1}.$$

To find the wavelength at which this distribution has a maximum, compute

$$\frac{dI}{d\lambda} = 2\pi hc^2 \left\{ -5\lambda^{-6} \left[e^{hc/\lambda k_B T} - 1 \right]^{-1} - \lambda^{-5} \left[e^{hc/\lambda k_B T} - 1 \right]^{-2} e^{hc/\lambda k_B T} \left(-\frac{hc}{\lambda^2 k_B T} \right) \right\} = 0$$

$$\frac{dI}{d\lambda} = \frac{2\pi hc^2}{\lambda^6 \left[e^{hc/\lambda k_B T} - 1 \right]} \left\{ -5 + \frac{hc}{\lambda k_B T} \frac{e^{hc/\lambda k_B T}}{\left[e^{hc/\lambda k_B T} - 1 \right]} \right\} = 0$$

Letting $x = \frac{hc}{\lambda k_B T}$, the condition for a maximum becomes

$$\frac{xe^x}{e^x - 1} = 5. \text{ We zero in on the solution to this transcendental}$$

equation by iterations as shown in the table on the following page.

x	$xe^x/(e^x - 1)$
4.000 00	4.074 629 4
4.500 00	4.550 552 1
5.000 00	5.033 918 3
4.900 00	4.936 762 0
4.950 00	4.985 313 0
4.975 00	5.009 609 0
4.963 00	4.997 945 2
4.969 00	5.003 776 7

x	$xe^x/(e^x - 1)$
4.964 50	4.999 403 0
4.965 50	5.000 374 9
4.965 00	4.999 889 0
4.965 25	5.000 132 0
4.965 13	5.000 015 3
4.965 07	4.999 957 0
4.965 10	4.999 986 2
4.965 115	5.000 000 8

4.966 00	5.000 860 9
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The solution is found to be

$$x = \frac{hc}{\lambda_{\max} k_B T} = 4.965\,115 \quad \text{and} \quad \lambda_{\max} T = \frac{hc}{4.965\,115 k_B}$$

(b) Thus,

$$\begin{aligned} \lambda_{\max} T &= \frac{(6.626\,075 \times 10^{-34} \text{ J} \cdot \text{s})(2.997\,925 \times 10^8 \text{ m/s})}{4.965\,115 (1.380\,658 \times 10^{-23} \text{ J/K})} \\ &= \boxed{2.897\,755 \times 10^{-3} \text{ m} \cdot \text{K}} \end{aligned}$$

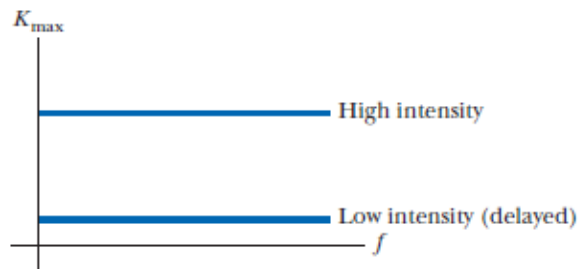
This result agrees with Wien's experimental value of

$$\lambda_{\max} T = 2.898 \times 10^{-3} \text{ m} \cdot \text{K} \text{ for this constant.}$$

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ANSWERS TO QUICK-QUIZZES

- (b)
- Sodium light, microwaves, FM radio, AM radio.
- (c)
- The classical expectation (which did not match the experiment) yields a graph like the following drawing:



5. (d)

6. (c)

7. (b)

8. (a)

ANSWERS TO EVEN-NUMBERED PROBLEMS

P39.2 (a) 999 nm; (b) The wavelength emitted at the greatest intensity is in the infrared (greater than 700 nm), and according to the graph in Active Figure 40.3, much more energy is radiated at wavelengths longer than λ_{max} than at shorter wavelengths.

P39.4 (a) 5 200 K; (b) This is not blackbody radiation.

P39.6 i: (a) 2.57 eV, (b) 1.28×10^{-5} eV, (c) 1.91×10^{-7} eV; ii: (a) 484 nm, (b) 9.68 cm, (c) 6.52 m; iii: (a) visible light (blue), (b) radio wave, (c) radio wave

P39.8 (a) 7.09×10^4 W; (b) 580 nm; (c) 7.99×10^{10} W/m; (d–i) See table in P40.12; (j) ≈ 19 kW

P39.10 See P39.10 for full explanation.

P39.12 (a) 148 days; (b) The result for part (a) does not agree at all with the experimental observations.

P39.14 (a) 8.27 eV; (b) The photon energy is larger than the work function; (c) 1.92 eV; (d) 1.92 V

P39.16 (a and b) See P39.16 for full answer; (c) 180° . We could answer like this: The photon imparts the greatest momentum to the originally

stationary electron in a head-on collision. Here the photon recoils straight back, and the electron has maximum kinetic energy.

P39.18 (a) 64.4° (b) 0.120 nm

P39.20 (a) $\theta = \cos^{-1} \left(\frac{m_e c^2 + E_0}{2m_e c^2 + E_0} \right)$; (b) $E' = \frac{E_0(2m_e c^2 + E_0)}{2(m_e c^2 + E_0)}$, $p' = \frac{E_0(2m_e c^2 + E_0)}{2c(m_e c^2 + E_0)}$;

(c) $K_e = \frac{E_0^2}{2(m_e c^2 + E_0)}$, $p_e = \frac{E_0(2m_e c^2 + E_0)}{2c(m_e c^2 + E_0)}$

P39.22 (a) It is because Compton's equation and the conservation of vector momentum give three independent equations in the unknowns λ' , λ_0 , and u ; (b) 3.82 pm

P39.24 (a) 14.0 kV/m ; (b) $46.8 \text{ } \mu\text{T}$; (c) 4.19 nN ; (d) 10.2 g

P39.26 (a) 14.8 keV , 15.1 keV ; (b) 124 keV

P39.28 (a) $\sim 10^8 \text{ eV}$; (b) $\sim -10^6 \text{ eV}$; (c) The electron could not be confined to the nucleus.

P39.30 (a) See P39.30 (a) for full explanation; (b) They will always have a different frequency from photons of the same wavelength

P39.32 (a) $\frac{u}{2}$; (b) See P39.32(b) for full explanation

P39.34 $6.37 \times 10^{-11} \text{ A}$

P39.36 $3.22 \times 10^{-22} \text{ s}$

P39.38 See P39.38 for full explanation

P39.40 See P39.40 for full explanation

P39.42 See the solution.

P39.44 See P39.44 for full explanation

P39.46 (a) 0.143 nm; (b) This is of the same order of magnitude as the spacing between atoms in a crystal; (c) Because the wavelength is about the same as the spacing, diffraction effects should occur.

P39.48 (a) $\sqrt{\frac{2\hbar}{m}} \left(\frac{2H}{g} \right)^{1/4}$; (b) $5.19 \times 10^{-16} \text{ m}$

P39.50 See P39.50 for full explanation