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$$E_{\text{photon}} = h\nu = \frac{hc}{\lambda}$$

$c = \nu\lambda, \nu = c/\lambda$
 free speed of light
 as $\lambda \uparrow, E \downarrow$
 and $\lambda \downarrow, E \uparrow$
 h Planck's constant
 λ wavelength.

ex: Q: What is the E of a blue ray photon?
405nm

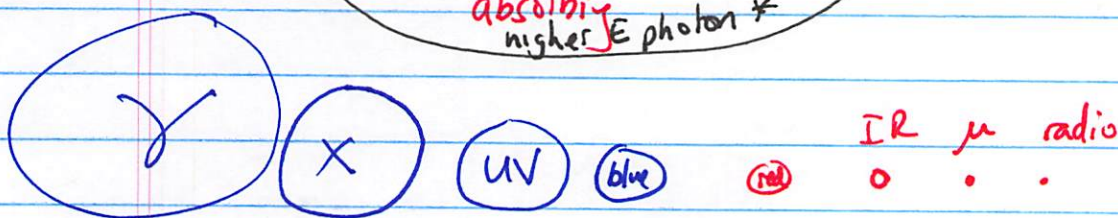
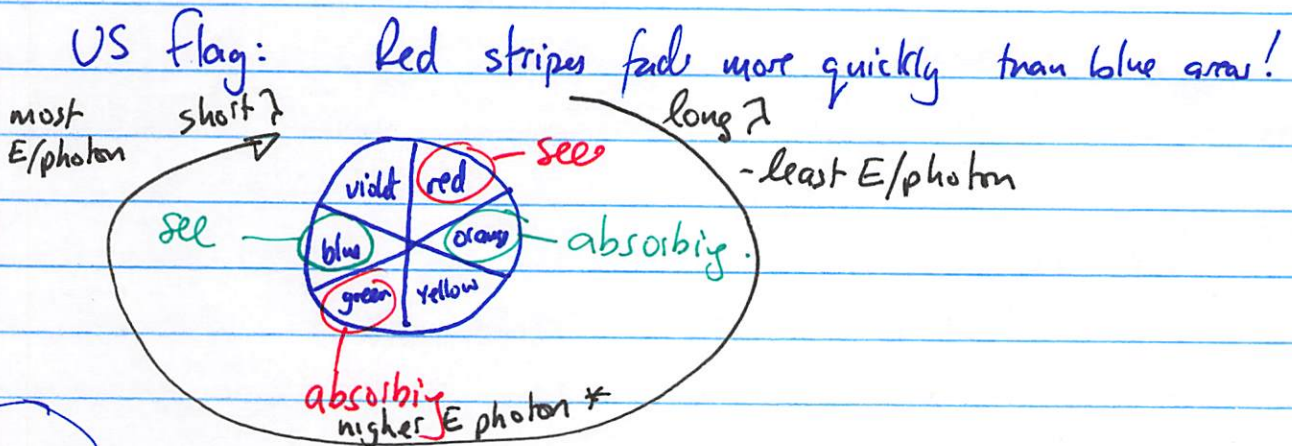
$$E = h\nu = \frac{hc}{\lambda} = \frac{6.626 \times 10^{-34} \text{ J}\cdot\text{s} \times 3.00 \times 10^8 \text{ m/s}}{405 \times 10^{-9} \text{ m}}$$

$$= 4.91 \times 10^{-19} \text{ J}$$

CD uses $\lambda = 780 \text{ nm}$ (IR)

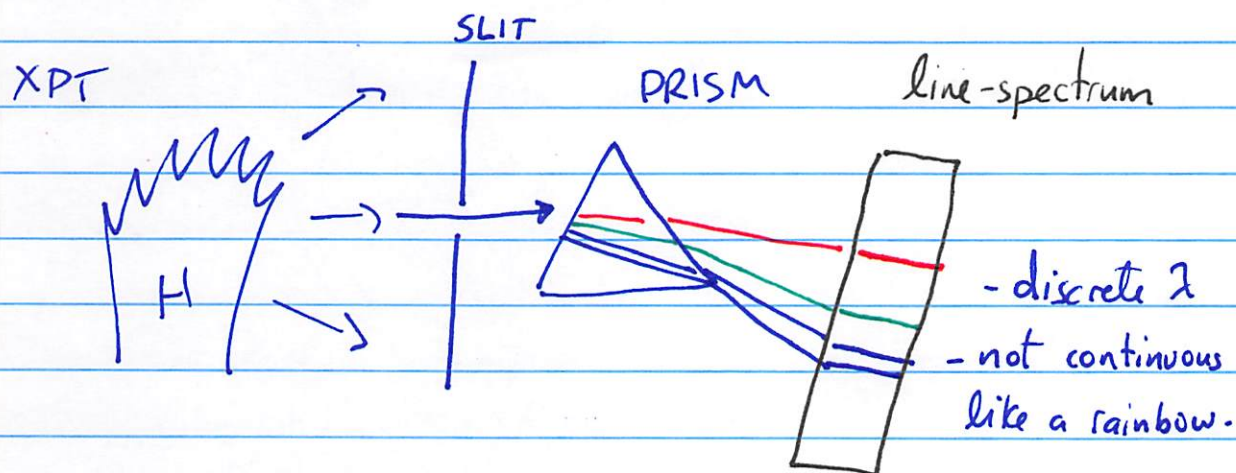
$$E_{\text{photon}} = \frac{hc}{\lambda} = 2.55 \times 10^{-19} \text{ J}$$

less E!



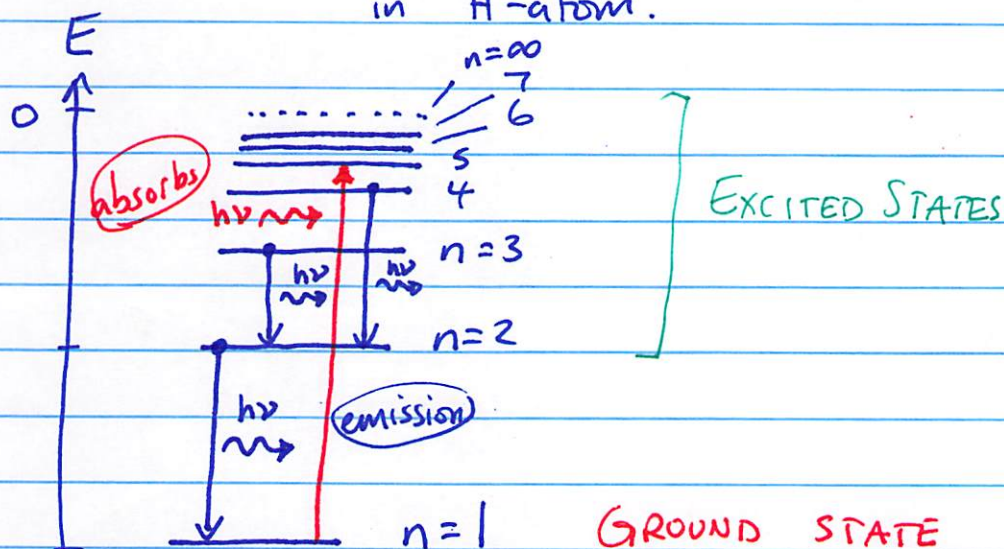
\leftarrow shorter λ , higher E \rightarrow longer λ lower E

Bohr model of atom



WHY?

Bohr: e^- can only have certain E in H-atom.



Transition

$n=2 \rightarrow n=1$: large $\Delta E \sim$ UV photon

$3 \rightarrow 2$: RED

$4 \rightarrow 2$: GREEN

$5 \rightarrow 2$: BLUE

$6 \rightarrow 2$: VIOLET/BLUE

$7 \rightarrow 2$: ULTRAVIOLET

} can see w/ eye

Bohr calculated E levels! (used Quantum Mechanics)

Rydberg constant
for H.

$$E_n = -\frac{R_H}{n^2}$$

$$n = 1, 2, 3, \dots$$

$$R_H = 2.18 \times 10^{-18} \text{ J}$$