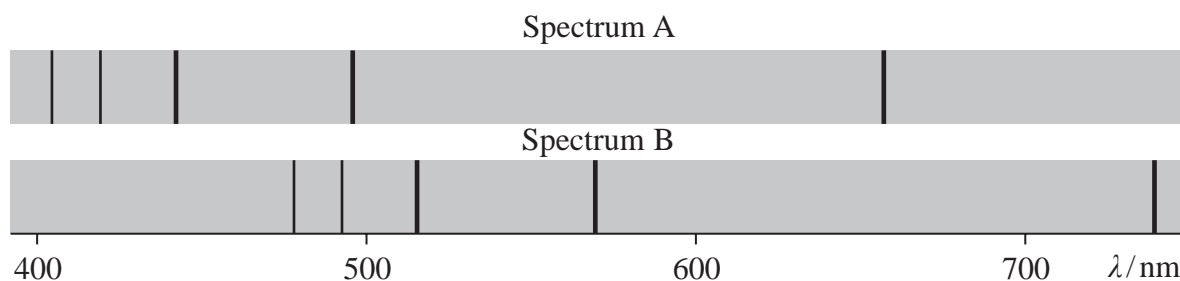


- 14** The diagram shows the spectra produced by two stars. Spectrum A is produced from the light from the Sun and spectrum B is produced from the light from a distant star.



The dark lines are produced when light from the core of the star is absorbed by hydrogen atoms in the outer regions of the star. Light is then re-radiated, but in all directions, giving rise to the dark lines in the spectrum.

- (a) Explain why the long wavelength lines are shifted by a greater amount than the short wavelength lines.

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- (b) One of the lines in the hydrogen spectrum occurs at a wavelength of 656 nm in the laboratory.

Explain what conclusion can be made from the shift in wavelength of this line in spectrum B. Your answer should include a calculation.

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