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In[1]:= ClearAll["Global`*"]
$Assumptions = (a ∈ Reals && a > 0 && (*Bohr radius*)
  e ∈ Reals && e > 0 && (*elementary charge*)
  me ∈ Reals && me > 0 && (*mass of electron*)
  ε0 ∈ Reals && ε0 > 0 && (*vacuum permittivity*)
  ħ ∈ Reals && ħ > 0 && (*Planck's reduced constant*)
  c ∈ Reals && c > 0);(*speed of light*)
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(*Write down analytical solutions to the hydrogen SE*)

Z = 1;

$$R10[r_] := 2 e^{-\frac{r}{a}} \left(\frac{Z}{a}\right)^{3/2}$$

$$R20[r_] := \frac{e^{-\frac{r}{2a}} \left(\frac{Z}{a}\right)^{3/2} \left(2 - \frac{rZ}{a}\right)}{2\sqrt{2}}$$

$$R21[r_] := \frac{e^{-\frac{r}{2a}} r \left(\frac{Z}{a}\right)^{3/2}}{2\sqrt{6} a}$$

$$Y00[\theta_, \varphi_] := \frac{1}{\sqrt{4\pi}}$$

$$Y10[\theta_, \varphi_] := \frac{1}{2} \sqrt{\frac{3}{\pi}} \cos[\theta]$$

$$Y11[\theta_, \varphi_] := -e^{i\varphi} \sqrt{\frac{3}{8\pi}} \sin[\theta]$$

$$Y1m1[\theta_, \varphi_] := e^{-i\varphi} \sqrt{\frac{3}{8\pi}} \sin[\theta]$$

In[11]:= (*Define some factors appearing in the integrand in Fermi's golden rule*)

dipole[r_, θ_, φ_] := -e r (Sin[θ] Cos[φ] + Sin[θ] Sin[φ] + Cos[θ]) (*-d·1_ε*)

jacobian[r_, θ_, φ_] := r² Sin[θ] (*Spherical coordinates Jacobian*)

$$\rho[\omega_] := \frac{\omega^2}{c^3 \pi^2} (*Density of states*)$$

(*Loop through different possible decays and calculate their transition rates*)

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uiList = {R21[r] * Y10[ $\theta$ ,  $\varphi$ ],
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    R21[r] * Y1m1[ $\theta$ ,  $\varphi$ ],
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    R21[r] * Y1m1[ $\theta$ ,  $\varphi$ ];
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nImInitialList = {{2, 1, 0},
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    {2, 1, 1},
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    {2, 1, -1},
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    {2, 1, -1},
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    {2, 1, -1},
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    {2, 1, -1}};
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ufList = {R10[r] * Y00[ $\theta$ ,  $\varphi$ ],
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    R20[r] * Y00[ $\theta$ ,  $\varphi$ ],
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    R21[r] * Y11[ $\theta$ ,  $\varphi$ ],
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    R21[r] * Y1m1[ $\theta$ ,  $\varphi$ ],
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    R10[r] * Y00[ $\theta$ ,  $\varphi$ ],
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    R20[r] * Y00[ $\theta$ ,  $\varphi$ ],
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    R21[r] * Y10[ $\theta$ ,  $\varphi$ ],
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    R21[r] * Y1m1[ $\theta$ ,  $\varphi$ ],
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    R10[r] * Y00[ $\theta$ ,  $\varphi$ ],
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    R20[r] * Y00[ $\theta$ ,  $\varphi$ ],
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    R21[r] * Y10[ $\theta$ ,  $\varphi$ ],
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    R21[r] * Y11[ $\theta$ ,  $\varphi$ ];
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nImFinalList = {{1, 0, 0},
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    {2, 0, 0},
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    {2, 1, 1},
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    {2, 1, -1},
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    {1, 0, 0},
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    {2, 0, 0},
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{2, 1, 0},
{2, 1, -1},
{1, 0, 0},
{2, 0, 0},
{2, 1, 0},
{2, 1, 1}};

ΓList = Range[Length[uiList]];(*Initiate*)
For[i = 1, i <= Length[uiList], i++,
  (*Define initial and final wavefunctions*)
  ui[r_, θ_, ϕ_] = uiList[[i]];
  nlmInitial = nlmInitialList[[i]];
  nInitial = nlmInitial[[1]];

  Ei = -  $\frac{e^4 m_e}{2 (4 \pi \epsilon_0)^2 \hbar^2 nInitial^2}$ ; (*energy of initial state*)

  uf[r_, θ_, ϕ_] = ufList[[i]];
  nlmFinal = nlmFinalList[[i]];
  nFinal = nlmFinal[[1]];

  Ef = -  $\frac{e^4 m_e}{2 (4 \pi \epsilon_0)^2 \hbar^2 nFinal^2}$ ; (*energy of final state*)

  ω = (Ei - Ef) / ħ;

  (*Calculate the bracket appearing in Fermi's golden rule*)
  integrand[r_, θ_, ϕ_] := uf[r, θ, ϕ] × dipole[r, θ, ϕ] × ui[r, θ, ϕ];
  braket = Integrate[
    Integrate[
      Integrate[
        integrand[r, θ, ϕ] × jacobian[r, θ, ϕ],
        {ϕ, 0, 2 π}],
      {θ, 0, π}],
    {r, 0, Infinity}];

  (*Calculate and print transition rates*)
  Γ =  $\frac{1}{4 \pi \epsilon_0} \omega \frac{2 \pi}{\hbar} \text{Abs[braket]}^2 \rho[\omega]$ ;
  ΓList[[i]] = Γ;
  Print["from |ui>=", nlmInitial[[1]], nlmInitial[[2]], nlmInitial[[3]],
    "> to |uf>=", nlmFinal[[1]], nlmFinal[[2]], nlmFinal[[3]], ">, Γ=", FullSimplify[Γ]]

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from |ui>=|210> to |uf>=|100>,  $\Gamma = \frac{a^2 e^{14} m_e^3}{279\,936\,c^3\,\pi^8\,\epsilon_0^7\,\hbar^{10}}$ 
from |ui>=|210> to |uf>=|200>,  $\Gamma = 0$ 
from |ui>=|210> to |uf>=|211>,  $\Gamma = 0$ 
from |ui>=|210> to |uf>=|21-1>,  $\Gamma = 0$ 

from |ui>=|211> to |uf>=|100>,  $\Gamma = \frac{a^2 e^{14} m_e^3}{279\,936\,c^3\,\pi^8\,\epsilon_0^7\,\hbar^{10}}$ 
from |ui>=|211> to |uf>=|200>,  $\Gamma = 0$ 
from |ui>=|211> to |uf>=|210>,  $\Gamma = 0$ 
from |ui>=|211> to |uf>=|21-1>,  $\Gamma = 0$ 

from |ui>=|21-1> to |uf>=|100>,  $\Gamma = \frac{a^2 e^{14} m_e^3}{279\,936\,c^3\,\pi^8\,\epsilon_0^7\,\hbar^{10}}$ 
from |ui>=|21-1> to |uf>=|200>,  $\Gamma = 0$ 
from |ui>=|21-1> to |uf>=|210>,  $\Gamma = 0$ 
from |ui>=|21-1> to |uf>=|211>,  $\Gamma = 0$ 

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In[20]:= (*Evaluate expression in SI units*)

(*Half life should be ~1.6 ns*)

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a = Quantity["BohrRadius"];
e = Quantity["ElementaryCharge"];
me = Quantity["ElectronMass"];
c = Quantity["SpeedOfLight"];
 $\epsilon_0$  = Quantity["VacuumPermittivity"];
 $\hbar$  = Quantity["hbar"];

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Print[" $\Gamma$  = ", UnitConvert[ $\Gamma$ List[[1]]]]
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Print[" $\tau = \frac{1}{2\Gamma}$  =", UnitConvert[ $\frac{1}{2\Gamma$ List[[1]]}]]
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$\Gamma = 2.9929000 \times 10^8$ per second

$\tau = \frac{1}{2\Gamma} = 1.67062048 \times 10^{-9}$ s