

- 12 Positron emission tomography (PET) is a medical imaging technique used to create three-dimensional images of the body.

In PET, a low energy positron collides with an electron to produce a pair of gamma photons travelling in opposite directions. The gamma photons are detected and used to form the image.

- (a) Name the process involved in producing the gamma photons.

(1)

- (b) Calculate the maximum wavelength of the gamma photons produced.

(4)

Wavelength = .....

(Total for Question 12 = 5 marks)