- 1. What is the optical pumping?
- 2. Distribution of the spins in thermal equilibrium under magnetic field.
- 3. Natural abundance, total magnetic moments and electronic configuration of Rb<sup>85</sup>?
- 4. Natural abundance, total magnetic moments and electronic configuration of Rb<sup>87</sup>?
- 5. Aufbau principle (Madelung's rule)
- 6. The rule of the addition of non-interacting angular momenta, projections of such sum
- 7. Term and state of the multielectron atom
- 8. How to calculate the Fine structute?
- 9. By which quantum number does the splitting occur (fine, hyperfine)?
- 10. What is the hyperfine coupling? Equation.
- 11. Zeeman effect. Which magnetic field and the number of components.
- 12. Write down the Hamiltonian that accounts for the interaction of the system with magnetic field.
- 13. How many sublevels occurs due to the presence of the weak magnetic field.
- 14. Write down the Breit-Rabi equation.
- 15. Energy of interaction of an atom with external magnetic field.
- 16. Where does the g-factor Lande comes from?
- 17. Nuclear g-factor
- 18. Paschen-Back effect
- 19. Which transitions will we drive?
- 20. Why from L=0 to L=0 transition is not allowed?
- 21. Where do the selection rules come from? When do they work?
- 22. What is the electric dipole approximation?
- 23. Laporte rule
- 24. Cross section and absorption coefficient
- 25. Why are only  $\Delta M=1$  or -1 transitions allowed?
- 26. Natural linewidth and Doppler broadening
- 27. Why do we need the buffer gas?
- 28. Why do we have equal amount of Rb<sup>87</sup> and Rb<sup>85</sup>?
- 29. Why does spontaneous emission occur?
- 30. Which level of which isotope will we pump up and how?
- 31. Zero field transition
- 32. Larmor frequency
- 33. The Einstein coefficients for absorption and stimulated emission of light
- 34. How does quarter wave plate work?
- 35. How to create circularly polarized light?
- 36. How to check if the light is circularly polarized?
- 37. Which transitions correspond to two main resonance lines?
- 38. Transitions involved in the optical pumping of Rb<sup>87</sup>
- 39. Derive the Dirac's fine-structure formula.
- 40. Derive the equation for the Lande g-factor.
- 41. Derive equations for resonance frequencies (2F-4 and 2F-5)
- 42. Derive the equation for gyromagnetic ratio
- 43. Derive the solution for the rate equations (2G-15)
- 44. Derive the equation for the effective magnetic field
- 45. Show that magnetization rotates with Larmor frequency around magnetic field