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Ques show that, in case of particle in box

$$\Delta x \cdot \Delta p = \hbar \sqrt{\frac{n^2 \pi^2 - 6}{12}}$$

$$\langle x \rangle = \int_0^L \psi(x) \cdot x \cdot \psi^*(x) dx$$

$$= \frac{2}{L} \int_0^L \sin^2\left(\frac{n\pi x}{L}\right) x dx$$

$$= \frac{1}{L} \left[\frac{L^2}{2} - \left[\frac{\sin\left(\frac{2n\pi}{L} x\right) x}{2n\pi} \right]_0^L - \int_0^L \frac{\sin 2Kx}{2K} \right]$$

$$= \frac{1}{L} \left[\frac{L^2}{2} - \frac{\cos 2Kx}{4K^2} \right] \quad (K = \frac{n\pi}{L})$$

$$= \boxed{\frac{L}{2} - \frac{1}{4n^2\pi^2}}$$

$$\langle x^2 \rangle = \int_0^L \psi^*(x) x^2 \psi(x) dx$$

$$= \frac{2}{L} \int_0^L \sin^2\left(\frac{n\pi x}{L}\right) x^2 dx$$

$$= \frac{1}{L} \left[\frac{L^3}{3} - \left(\frac{x^2 \sin 2Kx}{2K} - \int_0^L \frac{2x \sin 2Kx}{2K} \right) \right]$$

$$= \frac{1}{L} \left[\frac{L^3}{3} + \left(-\frac{2x \cos 2Kx}{2K^2} + \int_0^L \frac{\cos 2Kx}{2K^2} \right) \right]$$

$$= \frac{1}{L} \left(\frac{L^3}{3} - \frac{L}{2K^2} + \left[\frac{\sin 2Kx}{4K^3} \right] \right)$$

$$= \left[\frac{L^2}{3} - \frac{L^2}{2n^2\pi^2} \right] + \frac{1}{4n^3\pi^3}$$

$$\Delta x = \sqrt{\frac{L^2}{3} - \frac{L^2}{2n^2\pi^2} - \left(\frac{L^2}{4} \right) + \frac{1}{8n^4\pi^4}}$$

$$\begin{aligned}\langle p \rangle &= \int_0^L \psi(x) \left(-i\hbar \frac{d}{dx} \right) \psi(x) dx \\ &= \frac{n\pi}{L} \frac{\hbar}{2L} (-i\hbar) \int_0^L \sin\left(\frac{n\pi}{L}x\right) \cos\left(\frac{n\pi}{L}x\right) dx \\ &= \boxed{0}\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}\langle p^2 \rangle &= (-i\hbar)^2 \times \frac{2k^2}{L} \int_0^L \sin^2\left(\frac{n\pi}{L}x\right) dx \\ &= \frac{\hbar^2 2k^2}{2L} \left[L - \int_0^L \cos 2kx dx \right] \\ &= \frac{\hbar^2 k^2}{1} = \frac{\hbar^2 \times n^2 \pi^2}{L^2}\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}\Delta p &= \sqrt{\langle p^2 \rangle - \langle p \rangle^2} \\ &= \frac{\hbar n \pi}{L}\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}\Delta p \cdot \Delta x &= \frac{\hbar n \pi}{L} \sqrt{\frac{L^2}{12} - \frac{6\hbar^2}{12n^2\pi^2}} \\ &= \boxed{\hbar \sqrt{\frac{n^2\pi^2 - 6}{12}}}\end{aligned}$$

hence proved

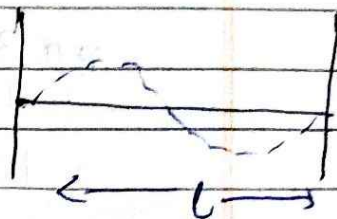
Ques-2 Determine the energy levels of a particle in a box using de-Broglie eqn.

⇒ Since, Particle in a box doesn't exchange energy from surrounding; so we can safely assume that it is behaving like a standing wave

∴ for forming a standing wave

$$\frac{n\lambda}{2} = l$$

$$\boxed{\lambda = \frac{2l}{n}} \quad \text{--- (1)}$$



from de-broglie

$$\boxed{\lambda = \frac{h}{p}} \quad \text{--- (2)}$$

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$$\frac{h}{p} = \frac{2l}{n} \quad \boxed{p = \frac{nh}{2l}}$$

$$E = V + K = \frac{p^2}{2m} + 0 = \boxed{\frac{n^2 h^2}{8ml^2}}$$

Q3) show that zero point energy is consequence of uncertainty principle

$$\langle E \rangle = \frac{\langle p^2 \rangle}{2m} + \langle V \rangle \quad \left[\because V=0 \text{ \& } \langle p \rangle = 0 \text{ for particle in box} \right]$$

$$\langle E \rangle = \frac{(\Delta p)^2}{2m} \geq \frac{h^2}{8m(\Delta x)^2}$$

(From uncertainty principle $\Delta x \Delta p \geq \frac{h}{2}$)

$$\therefore \boxed{\Delta x \leq l}$$

$$\boxed{0 < E \geq \frac{h^2}{8ml^2}}$$