

Chem 6 sample exam 2 (100 points total)

- @ This is a closed book exam to which the Honor Principle applies.
- @ The last 2 pages contain equations, physical constants, and the periodic table. You can detach them for easy reference.
- @ Please write clearly and **SHOW YOUR WORK**. If you need to write on the back of the exam paper, please indicate this clearly.
- @ Some questions are more challenging than others. Allot your time accordingly, and try to answer **EVERY** question.
- @ Please put your name on both this page and p. 2.

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1. (9 pts) Electrons can be ejected from the surface of molybdenum metal by photons of wavelength 274 nm or less.

(a) (3 pts) Find the work function (ϕ) of molybdenum (in kJ/mol).

(b) (3 pts) Find the maximum kinetic energy (in J) of the electrons ejected from molybdenum by photons having wavelength 100 nm.

(c) (3 pts) Find the velocity (in ms^{-1}) of the electrons in part (b).

2. (10 points) Show by a calculation using the Heisenberg Uncertainty Principle that an electron **cannot** be confined within the spherical volume of a nucleus. Assume that the nuclear **radius** is 1×10^{-15} m and the potential energy barrier keeping the electron within the nuclear volume is $\sim 1.1 \times 10^{-12}$ J.

3. (10 pts) An electron can be removed from an atom using the **combined** energies of two different photons. In such an experiment, a potassium atom in the gas phase is to be ionized by two different light beams, one of which has wavelength 650 nm. [The first ionization energy for K is 418.8 kJ/mol.] Find the maximum wavelength (in nm) for the second beam that will cause ionization.

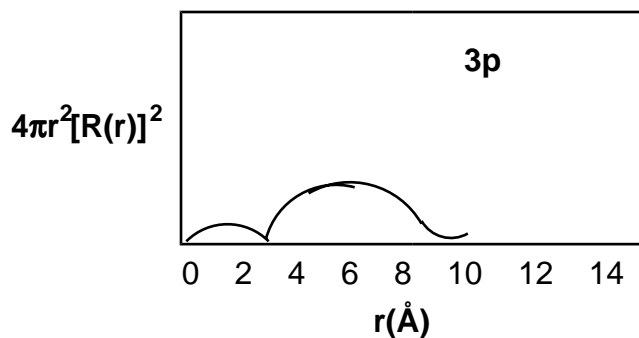
4. (12 pts) (a, 6 pts) Use the Bohr model to find the de Broglie wavelength (in nm) for an electron in the first excited state of the Be^{3+} ion.

(b, 6 pts) Use the Bohr model to consider the **velocity** of an electron in the ground state of a one-electron atom or ion. What is the effect of an increase in atomic number on this velocity? **Explain** your answer.

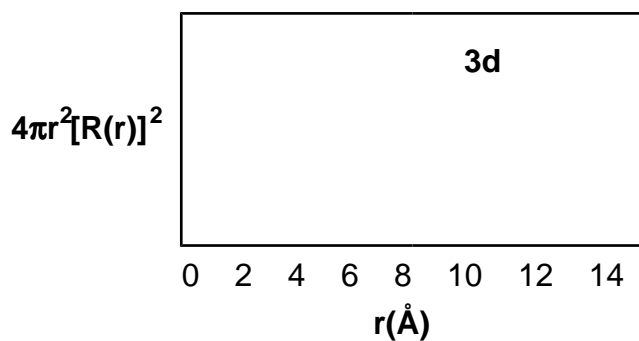
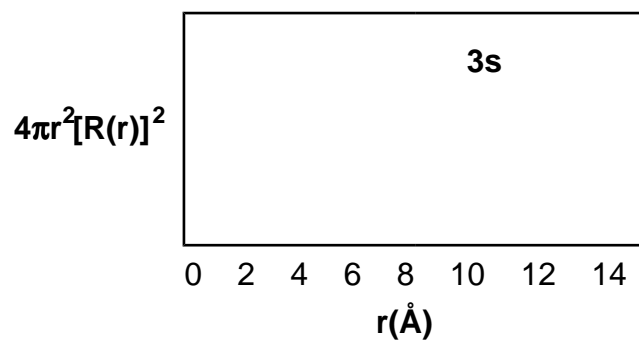
5. (12 points) For a **one-electron** atom of **unknown** atomic number Z a series of emission lines all terminate at the **second-excited level** of the atom. In this series of lines, the wavelengths of the **first** three lines are (in decreasing order): 4690 Å, 3210 Å and 2750 Å.

Calculate the value of the **shortest** wavelength for a line in this series. **Show your work clearly.** [You may **not** assume a value for Z -- answers which do so will receive little credit.]

6. (16 pts) (a, 6 pts) The graph below shows the radial probability distribution for the hydrogen **3p** orbital. Briefly explain the physical interpretation of the maxima and minima in the plot.



(b, 10 pts) Make your own radial probability distribution plots for the hydrogen **3s** and **3d** orbitals on the axes supplied below. Your plots should show the number of minima, the behavior of the distribution at very small and very large r , and the relative position of the maxima in comparison to those on the 3p plot.



7. (11 pts) (a, 2 pts) Give the name of the orbital with the quantum numbers $n = 3$, $\ell = 2$.

(b, 3 pts) Give the possible m_ℓ values for this orbital.

(c, 6 pts) Sketch the **angular** part of the wavefunction corresponding to **any one** of these m_ℓ values (you don't need to specify m_ℓ). Give the **name** of the orbital, and clearly label the **axes**, the number and location of **nodes**, and, by appropriate shading, the **relative sign** of the wavefunction in different parts of your sketch.

8. (12 pts) (a, 3 pts) Circle the element with the **larger** first ionization energy:

Be

Ba

Explain your answer.

(b, 3 pts) Circle the element with the **larger** electron affinity: Te I

Explain your answer.

(c, 6 pts) Fill in the blanks below to arrange the following atoms and ions in terms of **increasing** size: K^+ Na^+ F^-

_____ < _____ < _____

smallest ----->largest

Explain your answer.

9. (8 pts, 2 each) Multiple choice. **Circle** your answers.

(a) The conclusion(s) from Rutherford's α -particle scattering experiment was (were):

- (i) Thomson's 'plum pudding' model of the atom was correct.
- (ii) The nucleus was very small in comparison to the atomic volume.
- (iii) Most of the volume of the atom is occupied by the electrons.
- (iv) α -particles are present in the nucleus.

(b) Pick the **true** statement(s) about the photoelectric effect.

- (i) Ultraviolet photons cannot eject electrons from a metal surface. This is called the "ultraviolet catastrophe."
- (ii) The more intense the light beam, the higher the energy of the emitted electrons.
- (iii) The minimum frequency ν_0 required to eject electrons from a metal surface is related to the work function ϕ of the metal by $\nu_0 = \phi$.
- (iv) The maximum kinetic energy of the emitted electrons varies linearly with the frequency of the light.

(c) Which is (are) **not** quantized?

- (i) angular momentum of the electron in the Bohr atomic model
- (ii) energy of a particle in a one-dimensional box
- (iii) the de Broglie wavelength
- (iv) photon energy

(d) Pick the set(s) of **allowed** combinations of quantum numbers for a one-electron atom.

- (i) $n = 3, \ell = 2, m_\ell = 1, m_s = 0$
- (ii) $n = 2, \ell = 1, m_\ell = 0, m_s = -1/2$
- (iii) $n = 12, \ell = 2, m_\ell = 3, m_s = 1/2$
- (iv) $n = -1, \ell = 0, m_\ell = 0, m_s = 1/2$

POSSIBLY USEFUL INFORMATION

$$.E. = \frac{mv^2}{2} = \frac{p^2}{2m} \quad E_n = -2.18 \times 10^{-18} \text{ J}(Z^2/n^2)$$

$$mvr = nh/2\pi$$

$$\lambda = h/p$$

$$\Delta E = -2.18 \times 10^{-18} \text{ J} Z^2 (1/n_f^2 - 1/n_i^2)$$

$$v = 3.29 \times 10^{15} \text{ s}^{-1} Z^2 (1/n_f^2 - 1/n_i^2)$$

$$r_n = (n^2/Z)a_0$$

$$(1/2)mv^2 = hv - \phi$$

$$c = 3 \times 10^8 \text{ m s}^{-1}$$

$$E = hv \quad c = v\lambda$$

$$h = 6.626 \times 10^{-34} \text{ J s}$$

$$R = 1.097 \times 10^5 \text{ cm}^{-1}$$

$$e = 1.60 \times 10^{-19} \text{ Coulombs}$$

$$1 \text{ \AA} = 10^{-8} \text{ cm} = 10^{-10} \text{ m}$$

$$p = h/\lambda$$

$$a_0 = 0.530 \text{ \AA}$$

$$V = (4/3) \pi r^3$$

$$1 \text{ Volt} \times 1 \text{ Coulomb} = 1 \text{ Joule}$$

$$\Delta x \Delta p \geq \{h/4\pi\}$$

$$1 \text{ Watt} = 1 \text{ Joule/sec}$$

$$1 \text{ nm} = 10^{-9} \text{ m}$$

$$N_A = 6.0 \times 10^{23} \text{ atoms/mol}$$

$$n = \frac{n^2 h^2}{8 m L^2}$$

$$\Psi_n = A \sin\left(\frac{n \pi x}{L}\right)$$

$$p = mv$$

$$k = Ae^{-Ea/RT}$$

$$m(\text{electron}) = 9.11 \times 10^{-31} \text{ kg}$$

$$\text{Total Energy} = \text{K.E.} + \text{P.E.}$$

$$1 \text{ J} = 1 \text{ kg m}^2 \text{ s}^{-2}$$

$$\hbar = h/2\pi$$

PERIODIC TABLE

¹ H 1.0079																	² He 4.00260
³ Li 6.941	⁴ Be 9.01218											⁵ B 10.81	⁶ C 12.011	⁷ N 14.0067	⁸ O 15.9994	⁹ F 18.9984	¹⁰ Ne 20.179
¹¹ Na 22.9898	¹² Mg 24.305											¹³ Al 26.9815	¹⁴ Si 28.0855	¹⁵ P 30.9738	¹⁶ S 32.06	¹⁷ Cl 35.453	¹⁸ Ar 39.948
¹⁹ K 39.0983	²⁰ Ca 40.08	²¹ Sc 44.9559	²² Ti 47.88	²³ V 50.9415	²⁴ Cr 51.996	²⁵ Mn 54.9380	²⁶ Fe 55.847	²⁷ Co 58.9332	²⁸ Ni 58.69	²⁹ Cu 63.546	³⁰ Zn 65.39	³¹ Ga 69.72	³² Ge 72.59	³³ As 74.9216	³⁴ Se 78.96	³⁵ Br 79.904	³⁶ Kr 83.80
³⁷ Rb 85.4678	³⁸ Sr 87.62	³⁹ Y 88.9059	⁴⁰ Zr 91.224	⁴¹ Nb 92.9064	⁴² Mo 95.94	⁴³ Tc (98)	⁴⁴ Ru 101.07	⁴⁵ Rh 102.906	⁴⁶ Pd 106.42	⁴⁷ Ag 107.868	⁴⁸ Cd 112.41	⁴⁹ In 114.82	⁵⁰ Sn 118.71	⁵¹ Sb 121.75	⁵² Te 127.60	⁵³ I 126.905	⁵⁴ Xe 131.29
⁵⁵ Cs 132.905	⁵⁶ Ba 137.33	⁵⁷ La 138.906	⁷² Hf 178.49	⁷³ Ta 180.948	⁷⁴ W 183.85	⁷⁵ Re 186.207	⁷⁶ Os 190.2	⁷⁷ Ir 192.22	⁷⁸ Pt 195.08	⁷⁹ Au 196.967	⁸⁰ Hg 200.59	⁸¹ Tl 204.383	⁸² Pb 207.2	⁸³ Bi 208.980	⁸⁴ Po (209)	⁸⁵ At (210)	⁸⁶ Rn (222)
⁸⁷ Fr (223)	⁸⁸ Ra 226.025	⁸⁹ Ac 227.028	¹⁰⁴ Unq (261)	¹⁰⁵ Unp (262)	¹⁰⁶ Unh (263)	¹⁰⁷ Uns (262)	¹⁰⁸ Uno (265)	¹⁰⁹ Une (266)									

⁵⁸ Ce 140.12	⁵⁹ Pr 140.908	⁶⁰ Nd 144.24	⁶¹ Pm (145)	⁶² Sm 150.36	⁶³ Eu 151.96	⁶⁴ Gd 157.25	⁶⁵ Tb 158.925	⁶⁶ Dy 162.50	⁶⁷ Ho 164.930	⁶⁸ Er 167.26	⁶⁹ Tm 168.934	⁷⁰ Yb 173.04	⁷¹ Lu 174.967
⁹⁰ Th 232.038	⁹¹ Pa 231.036	⁹² U 238.029	⁹³ Np (237)	⁹⁴ Pu (244)	⁹⁵ Am (243)	⁹⁶ Cm (247)	⁹⁷ Bk (247)	⁹⁸ Cf (251)	⁹⁹ Es (252)	¹⁰⁰ Fm (257)	¹⁰¹ Md (258)	¹⁰² No (259)	¹⁰³ Lr (260)