

$$c = \lambda \nu$$

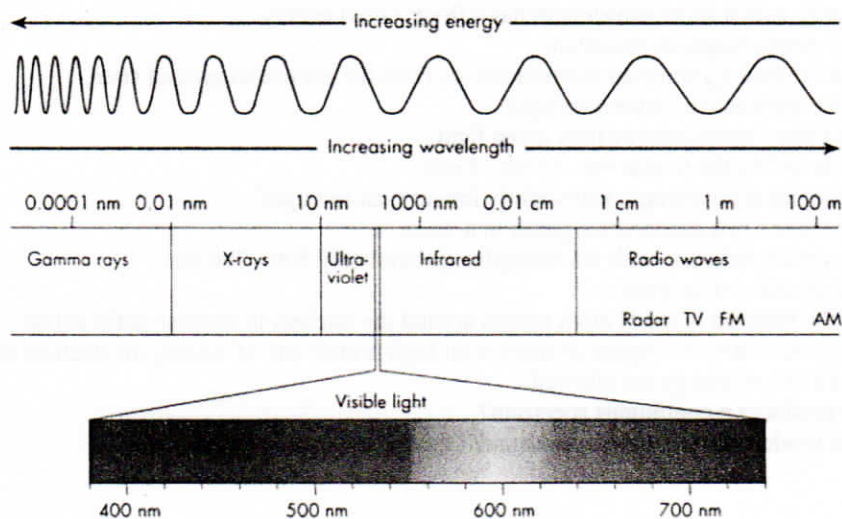
$$c = 3.00 \times 10^8 \text{ m/s}$$

$$E = h \nu$$

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

Rydberg Formula

$$\frac{1}{\lambda} = R \left(\frac{1}{n_f^2} - \frac{1}{n_i^2} \right) \quad R = 1.0974 \times 10^7 \text{ m}^{-1}$$



- 1) Green light has a wavelength of about 522 nm. What is the frequency of green light?

$$c = \lambda \cdot \nu$$

$$3.0 \times 10^8 \frac{\text{m}}{\text{s}} = 522 \times 10^{-9} \text{ m} \cdot \nu$$

$$\nu = 5.75 \times 10^{14} \text{ Hz}$$

- 2) What is the frequency of an AM radio wave?

$$3.0 \times 10^8 \frac{\text{m}}{\text{s}} = 100 \text{ m} \cdot \nu$$

$$\nu = 3 \times 10^6 \text{ Hz} = 3 \text{ MHz}$$

- 3) A photon has a frequency of $2.10 \times 10^{14} \text{ Hz}$, what type of radiation is it?

$$3.0 \times 10^8 \frac{\text{m}}{\text{s}} = \lambda \cdot 2.10 \times 10^{14} \text{ Hz}, \quad \lambda = 1.4 \times 10^{-6} \text{ m} = 1400 \text{ nm} = \text{INFRARED}$$

- 4) How much energy is associated with the photon in question 3?

$$E = h \cdot \nu = 6.626 \times 10^{-34} \frac{\text{J}}{\text{Hz}} \cdot 2.10 \times 10^{14} \text{ Hz} = 1.4 \times 10^{-19} \text{ J}$$

- 5) A Columbus radio station broadcasts at a frequency of 99.7 MHz. (remember M = 10^6)

- a.) What is its wavelength (in meters)?

$$3.0 \times 10^8 \frac{\text{m}}{\text{s}} = \lambda \cdot 99.7 \times 10^6 \text{ Hz}, \quad \lambda = 3.01 \text{ m}$$

- b.) What is the energy of the wave?

$$E = 6.626 \times 10^{-34} \frac{\text{J}}{\text{Hz}} \cdot 99.7 \times 10^6 \text{ Hz} = 6.61 \times 10^{-26} \text{ J}$$

- 6) The diagram at right shows the first four energy levels associated with the hydrogen atom.

- a) What color of light would be produced by an electron as it falls from the 4th to the 1st energy level? How much energy is released?

$$\frac{1}{\lambda} = 1.0974 \times 10^7 \left(\frac{1}{1^2} - \frac{1}{4^2} \right) = 1.03 \times 10^7 \text{ m}^{-1}$$

$$\frac{1}{\lambda} = 1.03 \times 10^7 \text{ m}^{-1}, \quad \lambda = 9.72 \times 10^{-8} \text{ m} = 97.2 \text{ nm}$$

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