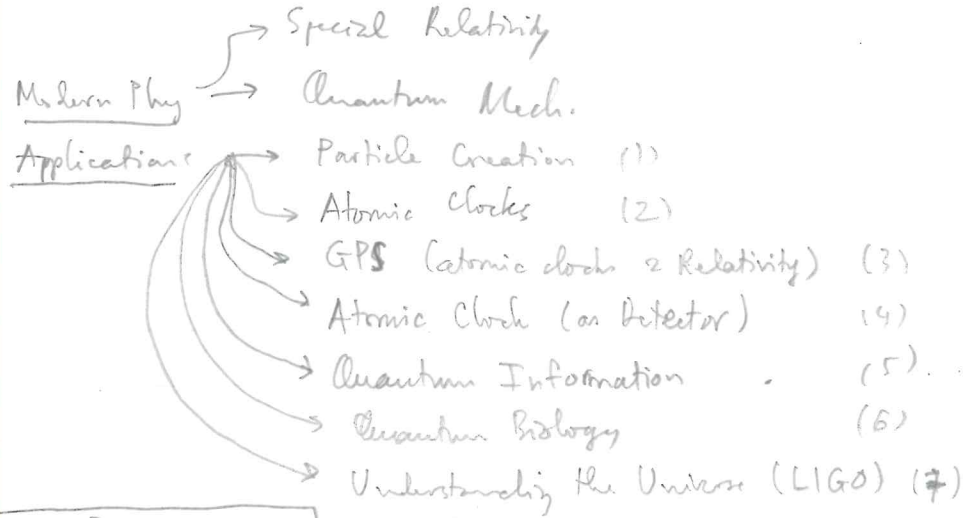


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## I. RELATIVITY

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cosmological inquiry  
into space & time.

### (A) Galilean & Newtonian Relativity

- \* 1. Two central problems of relativity
- \* 2. Terms defined

a. Events:

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sth that occurred independent  
of our description of it  
(time & location)

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Two observers in different inertial  
reference frames  $S$  &  $S'$  make det'd  
observations of physical pheno.  
occur  $\rightarrow$  Each obs records the  
TIME & LOCATION of a set of  
events. How do their records  
compare?

not when & where  
the OBS  
"sees" the event

b. Observer

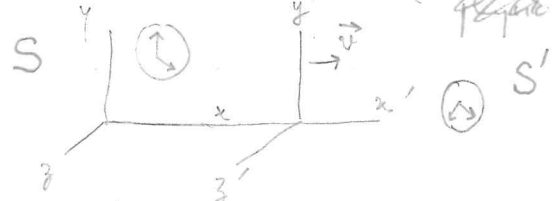
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Someone who computes  
measurements of where & when Events occur

c. Inertial reference frame

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Coordinate systems in which the law of  
physic inertia is true (no  $\vec{F}$ , no  $\vec{a}$ )



### \* 3. Principle of Relativity

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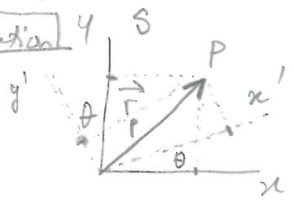
The laws of physics are the same in all  
inertial reference frames

mathematical form

### \* 4. Coordinate Transformation

$\hookrightarrow$  If "event" is observed in space-time coordinate  $(t, x, y, z)$  in  $S$ , how do we determine the space-time coordinate  $(t', x', y', z')$  in  $S'$ ?

a. Spatial Rotation



$$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} S: \vec{r}_P = \langle x_P, y_P \rangle = x_P \hat{i} + y_P \hat{j} \\ S': \vec{r}_P = \langle x'_P, y'_P \rangle = x'_P \hat{i}' + y'_P \hat{j}' \end{array} \right.$$

(First lab = build laser)

Buy Notebook!

$$\vec{r}_p = x_p \hat{i} + y_p \hat{j} = x'_p \hat{i}' + y'_p \hat{j}'$$

★ Any vector  $\vec{a} = a_x \hat{i} + a_y \hat{j} = a'_x \hat{i}' + a'_y \hat{j}'$

Unit Vectors  $\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \hat{i}' = \cos\theta \hat{i} + \sin\theta \hat{j} \\ \hat{j}' = -\sin\theta \hat{i} + \cos\theta \hat{j} \end{array} \right\} \xrightarrow{\text{inverse}} \left\{ \begin{array}{l} \hat{i} = \cos(-\theta) \hat{i}' + \sin(-\theta) \hat{j}' \\ \hat{j} = -\sin(-\theta) \hat{i}' + \cos(-\theta) \hat{j}' \end{array} \right\}$

$\left. \begin{array}{l} -\sin(-\theta) = \sin\theta \\ \cos(-\theta) = \cos\theta \end{array} \right\}$

Coefficient?  $\vec{a} = a_x \hat{i} + a_y \hat{j} = a_x (\cos\theta \hat{i}' - \sin\theta \hat{j}') + a_y (\sin\theta \hat{i}' + \cos\theta \hat{j}')$   
 $= (a_x \cos\theta + a_y \sin\theta) \hat{i}' + (-a_x \sin\theta + a_y \cos\theta) \hat{j}'$

$$a'_x \hat{i}' + a'_y \hat{j}' = (a_x \cos\theta + a_y \sin\theta) \hat{i}' + (-a_x \sin\theta + a_y \cos\theta) \hat{j}'$$

$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} a'_x = a_x \cos\theta + a_y \sin\theta \\ a'_y = -a_x \sin\theta + a_y \cos\theta \end{array} \right\}$  feature of an "orthogonal" transformation

→ What do observers agree on? → **Magnitude** → an "invariant" is  $a_x^2 + a_y^2 = a'^2_x + a'^2_y$  (length)

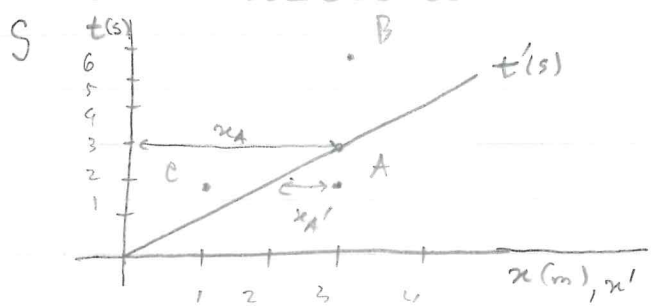
b. Galilean Transformations (relationship b/w relatively moving frames)



(i) Galilean transformation equations

$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} y' = y \\ z' = z \\ x' = x - vt \\ t' = t \end{array} \right.$  (clock run at the same rate...)  
 hypothesis of universal time

Visualization of Gal. trans. (space-time diagrams)

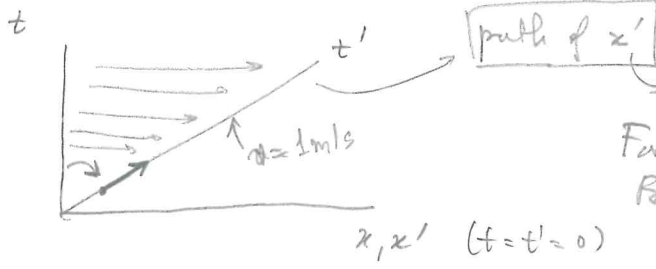


- Events A, B, C
- $t_A, x_A = (2s, 3m)$
  - $t_B, x_B = (6s, 3m)$
  - $t_C, x_C = (2s, 1m)$

What about S'?

$t' = t$

$x' = x - vt$ , if  $x' = 0 \rightarrow x = vt$



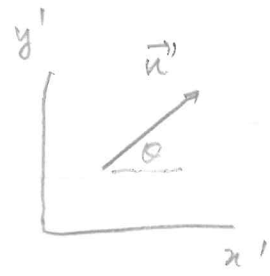
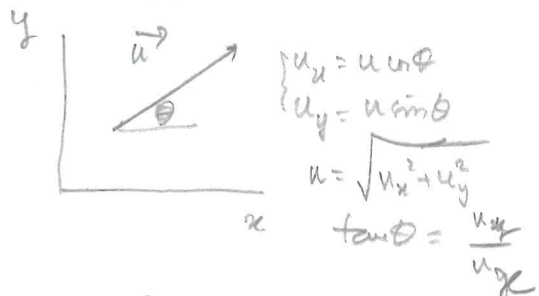
Because S' is moving in S → draw a path  
 For S',  $x' = 0$   
 For S,  $x = vt$

(ii) Galilean velocity transformation  $\vec{u} = \left\langle \frac{dx}{dt}, \frac{dy}{dt}, \frac{dz}{dt} \right\rangle, \vec{u}' = \left\langle \frac{dx'}{dt'}, \frac{dy'}{dt'}, \frac{dz'}{dt'} \right\rangle$

$\frac{dx'}{dt'} = \frac{dx}{dt} \cdot \frac{dt}{dt'} = 1 \cdot \frac{d}{dt}(x - vt) = \left(\frac{dx}{dt}\right) \frac{dt}{dt'} - v = \boxed{u_x - v} = u_x'$

$u_x' = u_x - v ; u_x = u_x' + v$   
 $u_y' = u_y$   
 $u_z' = u_z$

(iii) Direction



$u_x' = u' \cos \theta = u_x - v$   
 $u_y' = u' \sin \theta = u_y$   
 $u' = \sqrt{u_x'^2 + u_y'^2}$   
 $\tan \theta' = u_y' / u_x'$

Speed in S' →  $u'^2 = u^2 + v^2 - 2uv \cos \theta$   
 $\tan \theta' = \frac{u_y'}{u_x'} = \frac{u_y}{u_x - v} = \frac{u \sin \theta}{u \cos \theta - v}$

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Recap: Galilean transformation

$\Delta t' = \Delta t$   
 $\Delta x' = \Delta x - v \Delta t$   
 $\Delta y' = \Delta y$   
 $\Delta z' = \Delta z$

(iii) Acceleration Transformation

$a_x = \frac{du_x}{dt}, a_y = \frac{du_y}{dt} = \frac{du_x'}{dt} \cdot \frac{dt}{dt'} = \frac{d}{dt}(u_x - vt) = \boxed{a_x = a_x'}$

$(a_y = a_y', a_z = a_z')$

(true only if  $v = \text{const}$ )

\* 5. Newton's law and Galilean relativity

$\vec{F} = m\vec{a}$  Newton's laws are "invariant" under a Galilean transformation

(B) Electromagnetism & Galilean Relativity

\* 1. Maxwell's equations and light

summary of rules for  $\vec{E}$  and  $\vec{B}$

$\Rightarrow$  predict: waves travel w/ speed  $c = \frac{1}{\sqrt{\mu_0 \epsilon_0}} = 3 \times 10^8 \text{ m/s}$

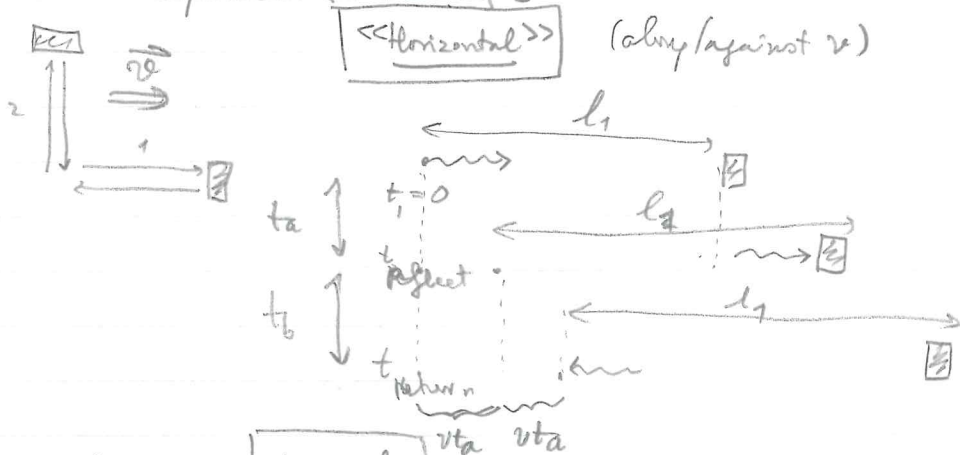
\* 2. The "luminiferous ether"

why?

- $\rightarrow$  Maxwell's equations are wrong?
- $\rightarrow$  Galilean's transformations are wrong?
- $\rightarrow$  there is a medium in which  $c = 3 \times 10^8 \text{ m/s}$  (luminiferous ether...)

\* 3. The Michelson-Morley experiment (a test of the ether hypothesis)

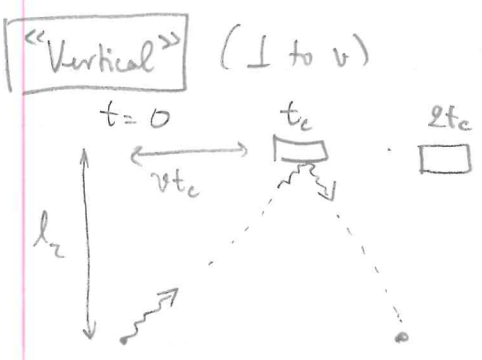
Experiment for measuring  $c$



$$ct_a = l_1 + vt_a \quad \boxed{t_a = \frac{l_1}{c-v}}$$

$$ct_b = l_1 - vt_b \quad \boxed{t_b = \frac{l_1}{c+v}}$$

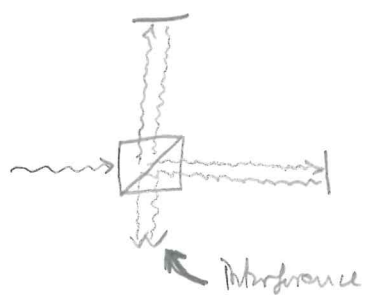
$$\Delta t = t_a + t_b = \frac{l_1}{c-v} + \frac{l_1}{c+v} = \frac{2l_1 c}{c^2 - v^2} = \left(\frac{2l_1}{c}\right) \frac{1}{(1 - v^2/c^2)}$$



$$ct_c = \sqrt{l_2^2 + (vt_c)^2} \therefore t_2 = 2t_c = \frac{2l_2}{c} \cdot \frac{1}{\sqrt{1 - \frac{v^2}{c^2}}}$$

a. Michelson's 1<sup>st</sup> brilliant observation

→ Interferometry



$$T_{\text{light}} = \frac{1}{f} = \frac{\lambda}{c} \approx \frac{600 \times 10^{-9} \text{m}}{3 \times 10^8 \text{m/s}} \approx 2 \times 10^{-15} \text{s}$$

b. Michelson's second brilliant observation

Rotate the apparatus (switch role of mirrors)

$$(1) \Delta t (\theta = 0) = t_2(\theta = 0) - t_1(\theta = 0) = \frac{2l_2}{c} \cdot \frac{1}{\sqrt{1 - \frac{v^2}{c^2}}} - \frac{2l_1}{c} \cdot \frac{1}{1 - \frac{v^2}{c^2}}$$

$$(2) \Delta t (\theta = 90^\circ) = \frac{2l_2}{c} \cdot \frac{1}{1 - \frac{v^2}{c^2}} - \frac{2l_1}{c} \cdot \frac{1}{\sqrt{1 - \frac{v^2}{c^2}}}$$

$$\Delta T = \Delta t (\theta = 90^\circ) - \Delta t (\theta = 0^\circ) = \frac{2}{c} (l_1 + l_2) \left[ \frac{1}{1 - \frac{v^2}{c^2}} - \frac{1}{\sqrt{1 - \frac{v^2}{c^2}}} \right] \approx \frac{2(l_1 + l_2)}{c} \cdot \left( \frac{v^2}{c^2} \right)$$

Approximate answer  $(1+x)^p \approx 1+px$

$$\left( \begin{array}{l} \frac{1}{1 - \frac{v^2}{c^2}} \approx 1 + \frac{v^2}{c^2} \\ \frac{1}{\sqrt{1 - \frac{v^2}{c^2}}} \approx 1 + \frac{1}{2} \frac{v^2}{c^2} \end{array} \right)$$

turns out  $\Delta T = 0$

Sept 12, 2017  $\Delta t = \left( \frac{l_1 + l_2}{c} \right) \beta^2$

$$\frac{\Delta T}{T} = \left( \frac{l_1 + l_2}{c} \right) \beta^2 \cdot \left( \frac{c}{\lambda} \right) = \left( \frac{l_1 + l_2}{\lambda} \right) \beta^2$$

if half-period → light → dark

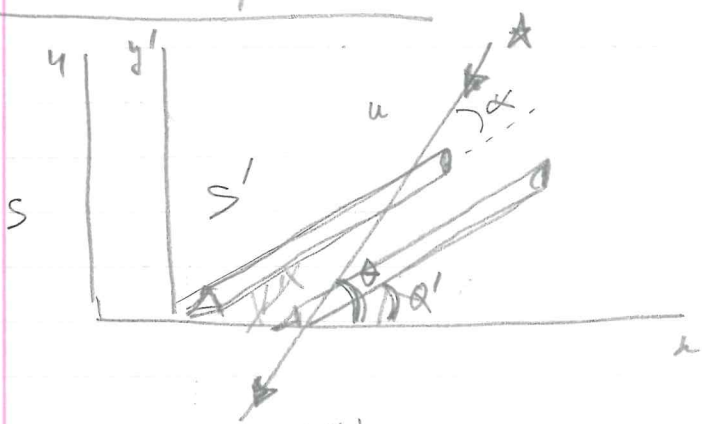
need:  $\frac{\Delta T}{T} = 0.5 \rightarrow \text{light/dark}$

with  $l_1 = l_2 = 11m$   
 $\lambda = 0.590 \mu m$  (sodium lamp)  $\rightarrow \frac{\Delta T}{T} \approx 0.4$  (predict) if ether exists

**Result:** No change in interference pattern

$\hookrightarrow \frac{\Delta T}{T} < 0.005 \rightarrow$  we can't detect Earth's motion thru ether

A different experiment (1725)

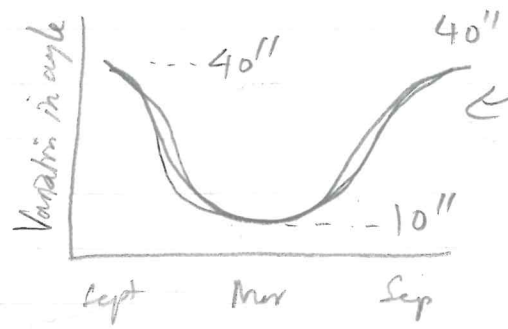


$\theta - \theta' = \alpha$

Calculate Speed of light

matches "ether" theory

Contradicts Michelson-Morley



(stellar aberration)

(Bradley's Stellar Aberration)

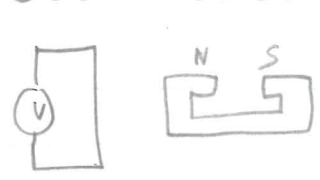
$$\frac{u_x'}{u} = \cos \theta' = \frac{u \cos \theta - v}{\sqrt{u^2 + v^2 - 2uv \cos \theta}} \quad (u=c)$$

And if  $\cos \theta = 0 \Rightarrow$  (star shining straight down)  $\cos \theta' = \left(\frac{-v}{c}\right) \left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{1+v^2/c^2}}\right) \approx \frac{-v}{c}$

and if  $\theta \neq 90^\circ$  let  $\frac{v}{c} \ll 1 \rightarrow \alpha = \frac{v}{c} \sin \theta$  (?)



1. Einstein's realization about ~~electrodynamics~~ EM



Two exp.

- Pass magnet over loop: change  $\Phi_B \rightarrow \mathcal{E} = -\frac{d\Phi}{dt}$
- Run loop thru magnet:  $\vec{F}_c = q\vec{v} \times \vec{B}$
- ↳  $\Delta V \Rightarrow$  same as calculation by 1.

2. Postulates of relativity (Special) (inertial frames)

a. Einstein's postulates

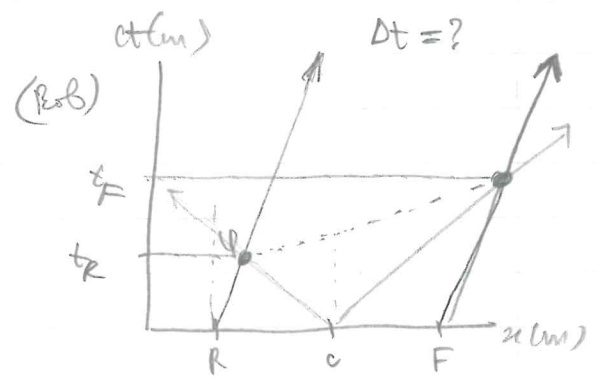
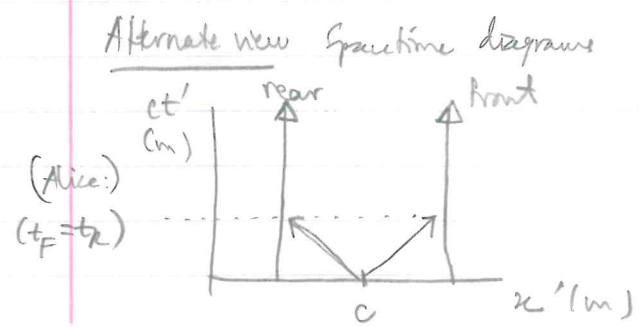
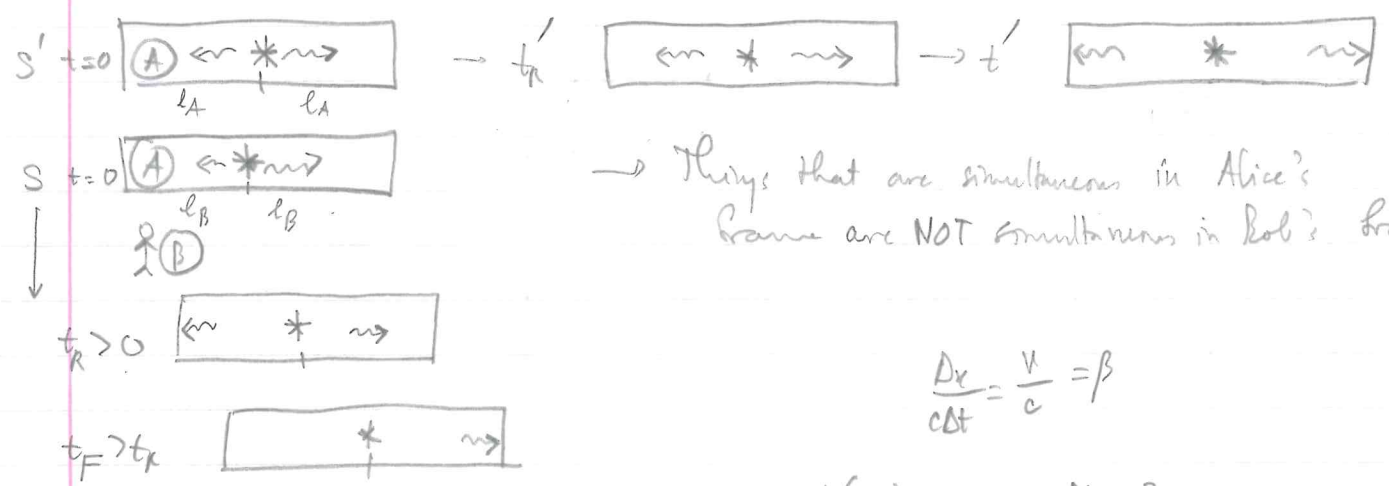
- ① All laws of physics are the same (same mathematical form) in all inertial reference frames
- ② Principle of constancy of the speed of light. (the s.o.l is the same in all inertial reference frames)

D. The fundamental consequences of the postulates

↳ prelude to the "Lorentz-Einstein Transformation"

1. Relativity of Simultaneity

Alice in a train moving at  $v$  relative to ground  
 Bob on ground





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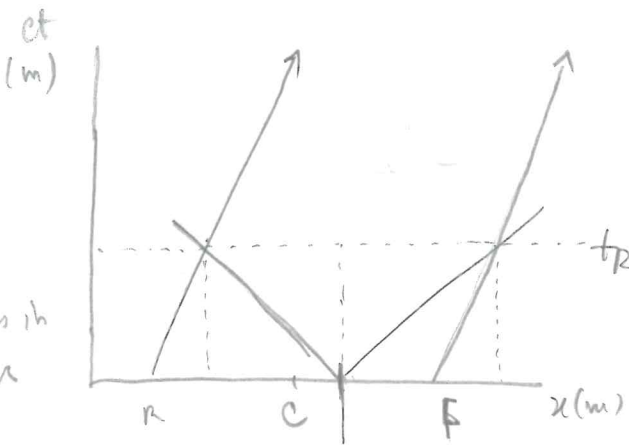
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$\Delta t = ?$

Set up co events are simultaneous in Bob's frame



$$\begin{cases} l_R + l_F = L_{Bob} \\ t_R = t_F \\ ct_R = l_R - vt_R \\ ct_F = l_F + vt_F \end{cases}$$

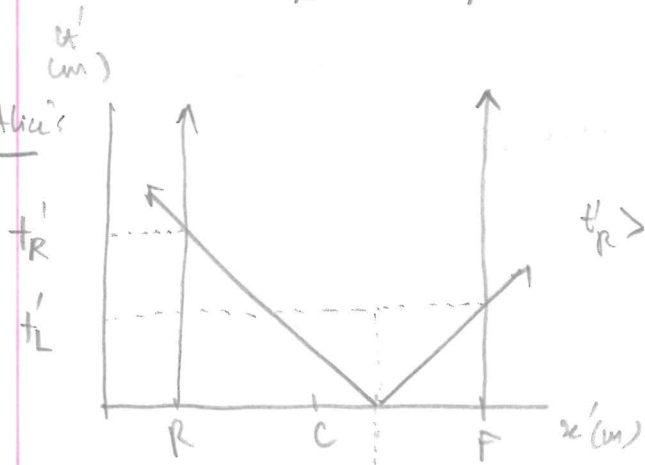


$$t_R = \frac{l_R}{c+v} = t_F = \frac{l_F}{c-v}$$

$$\begin{cases} l_F = \frac{L_B}{2} \left(1 - \frac{v}{c}\right) \\ l_R = \frac{L_B}{2} \left(1 + \frac{v}{c}\right) \end{cases}$$

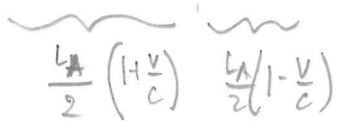
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In Alice's



$t'_R > t'_F$

$t'_R - t'_F = ?$

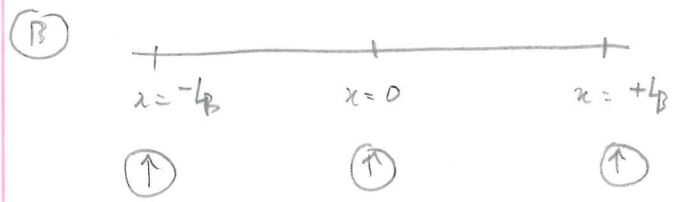
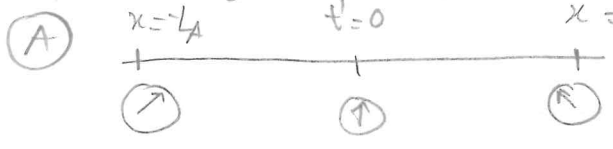


$$\begin{cases} ct'_R = \frac{L_A}{2} \left(1 + \frac{v}{c}\right) \\ ct'_F = \frac{L_A}{2} \left(1 - \frac{v}{c}\right) \end{cases}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{\Delta t'}{c} = \frac{L_A v}{c^2} \quad (\text{near clock ahead})$$

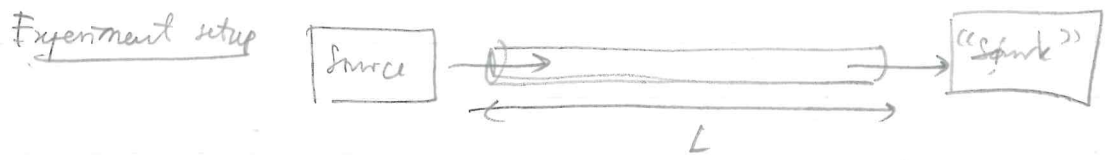
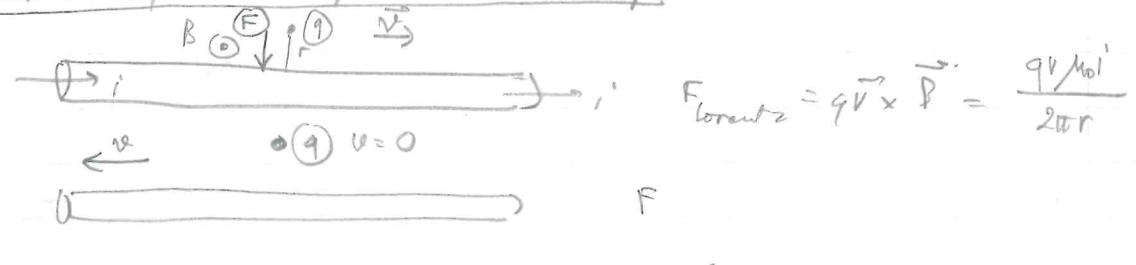
a. Simultaneity and clock readings

$$t = +\frac{Lv}{c^2} \quad x = -L_A \quad t' = 0 \quad x = -L_A \quad t = -\frac{Lv}{c^2}$$



b. Simultaneity and magnetism: an example

lab frame  
charge frame



In lab: Bob turns on the source & sink simultaneously  
 $\Rightarrow$  no net charge

But in charge the sink turns on before source  $\Delta t' = \frac{L'v}{c^2}$

$q'$  on wire in charge's frame:  $-i\Delta t' = \frac{-iL'v}{c^2}$

$\lambda = \frac{q'}{L'} = \frac{-iv}{c^2}$

$E_{\text{charged wire}} = \frac{1}{2\pi\epsilon_0} \frac{\lambda}{r} = F_q = qE$

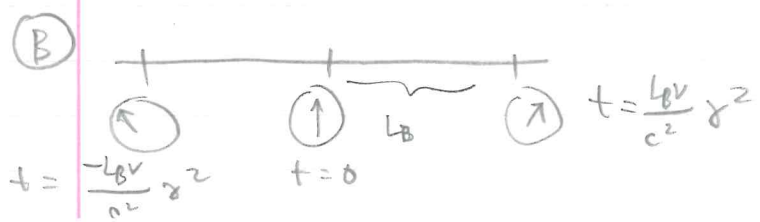
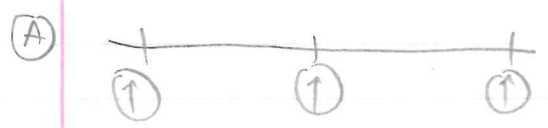
$F_{\text{Alice}} = q \frac{1}{2\pi\epsilon_0} \left( \frac{-iv}{c^2} \right) \cdot \frac{1}{r} \neq \frac{qv i \mu_0}{2\pi r}$  while  $F = \frac{qv}{2\pi r} \cdot \frac{1}{\epsilon_0 c^2} = \frac{qv i \mu_0}{2\pi r}$

c. Simultaneity and relativity: a cautionary tale

In Alice's frame

$\Delta t_B = \frac{L_B v}{c^2} \left[ \frac{1}{(1 - v^2/c^2)} \right] = \frac{L_B v}{c^2} \gamma^2$

$\left( \frac{1}{\sqrt{1 - v^2/c^2}} \right) = \gamma$



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## 2. Relativity and how to understand space & time

- Rules:
- All observers agree on events
  - The principle of relativity & constancy of speed of light
  - All situations need to be measured w/ real tools - sticks - clocks

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Recap

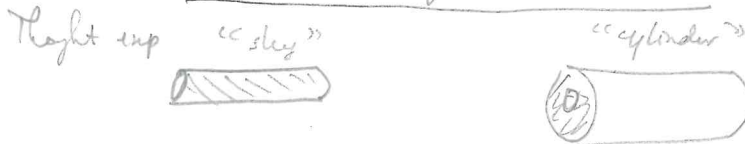
① Simultaneity

$$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \Delta t_A = \frac{L_A v^2}{c^2} \leftarrow \text{Simultaneous for Bob (---+)} \\ \Delta t_B = \frac{\delta^2 L_B v}{c^2} \leftarrow \text{Simultaneous for Alice (---+)} \end{array} \right.$$

### ② Determining distances and time intervals

- Invariance of Events
- Real measurements on the clocks and meterstick

### ③ Transverse length measurements



Hyp 1.  $\downarrow$  contracts  $\rightarrow$  contradiction b/w 2 frames

Hyp 2.  $\uparrow$  expand  $\rightarrow$  "

Hyp 3.  $\downarrow$  neither contracts / expand...

Conclusion - based on invariance of events  $\rightarrow$  moving obj "retain" their stationary transverse dimensions

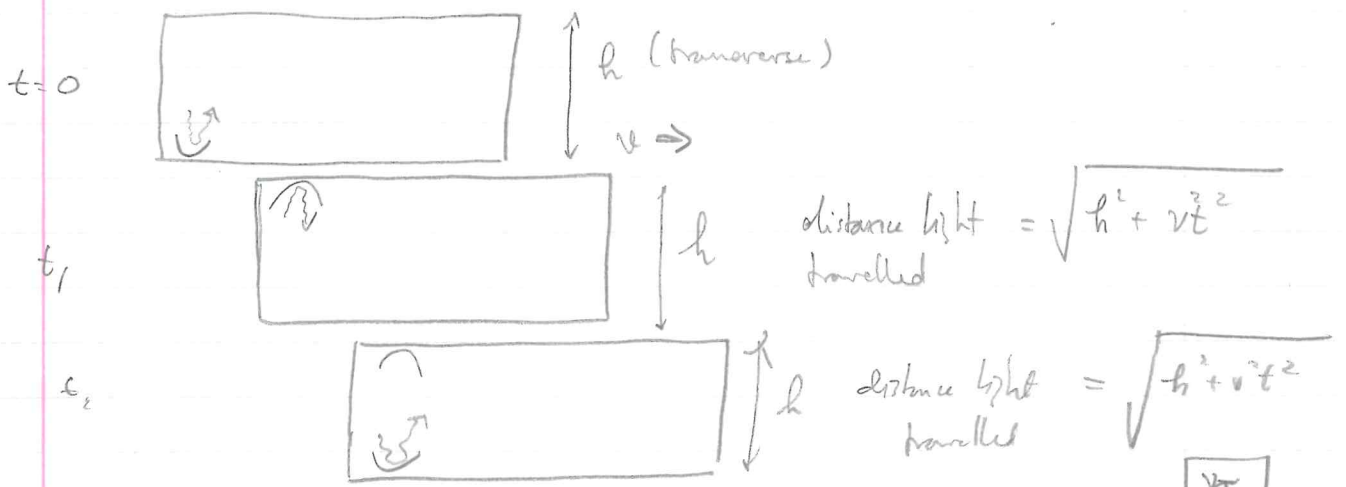
### ④ Time dilation

$\rightarrow$  moving clocks run slow.

a) a classic proof: a light pulse clock



In Bob's frame



$$\Rightarrow \tau_B = \frac{2\sqrt{h^2 + v^2 t_B^2}}{c}$$

$$(c\tau_B)^2 = 4h^2 + v^2 \tau_B^2 \quad \therefore \quad \tau_B = \frac{2h}{\sqrt{c^2 - v^2}} = \frac{2h}{c} \cdot \frac{1}{\sqrt{1 - \frac{v^2}{c^2}}} = \frac{2h}{c} \gamma$$

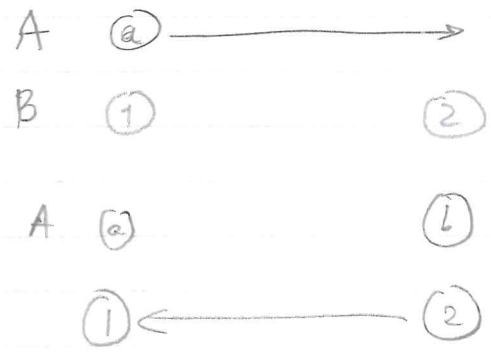
$\Rightarrow \tau_B = \gamma \tau_A$  Bob's tick time is larger than A's.

↳ From Bob's perspective  $\rightarrow$  A's clock runs slow.

For Alice:  $\tau_A = \gamma \tau_B$  How?

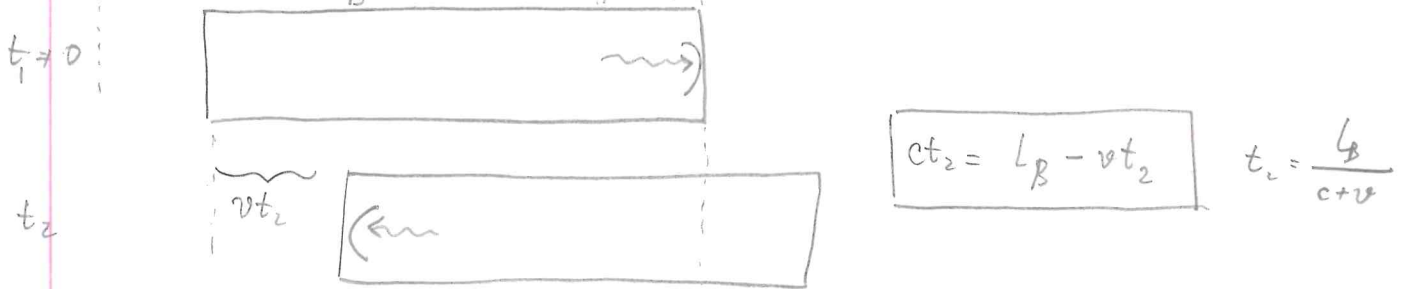
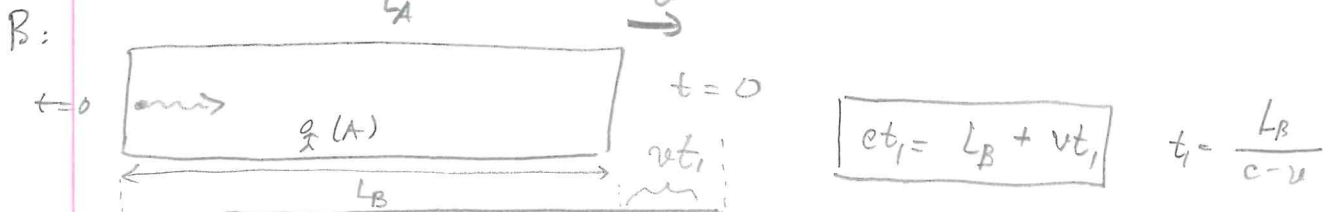
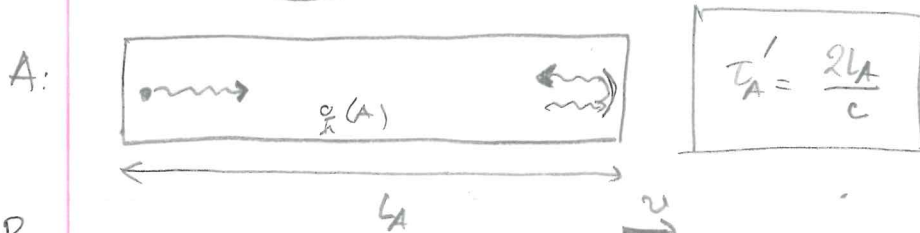
↳ Because Bob uses 2 clocks to measure  $\tau_A$   
 ↳ Comparison is asymmetric

How can this be symmetric?



⑤ Length contraction

moving objects are measured to be longitudinally shorter



$$T_B' = \frac{2L_B c}{c^2 - v^2} = \frac{2L_B}{c} \left( \frac{1}{1 - v^2/c^2} \right) = \left( \frac{2L_B}{c} \right) \gamma^2$$


Since  $T_B' = \gamma T_A' \Rightarrow L_B = \frac{L_A}{\gamma}$

⑥ Reflection on fundamental <sup>moving</sup> objects

- What causes:
- ① Clocks to be unsynchronized?
  - ② Moving clocks run slow?
  - ③ Moving objects to get short?

PERSPECTIVE

⑦ Time dilation w/ regular clock

 Ticks w/ period  $\tau$  (sends out radio pulse...)

Assume that moving clock ticks with period  $\gamma\tau$

If clock moves away from me at speed  $v$ , I see ticks w/ interval  $f_v T \neq g_v T$

$$f_v T = g_v T + \frac{v}{c} g_v T \quad \left( \begin{array}{l} \text{every tick adds a distance } v g_v T = \Delta d \\ \text{extra distance} = \frac{\Delta d}{c} = \frac{v}{c} g_v T \end{array} \right)$$

$$\boxed{f_v = g_v \left(1 + \frac{v}{c}\right)}$$

If clock moves toward me

$$f_v T = g_v T - \frac{v}{c} g_v T$$

$$\boxed{f_v = g_v \left(1 - \frac{v}{c}\right)}$$

but since the ship is towards me

$$\boxed{\tau'' = f_v \tau'}$$

I will also hear light ticks with period  $\tau$

For stationary clock:  $\rightarrow$  I will hear ticks @ period  $\tau$



ship hears  $f_v \tau$  (moving away from station)

$$\boxed{\tau'' = f_v f_v \tau = \tau} \quad \rightarrow \quad f_v f_v = \left(1 - \frac{v}{c}\right) \left(1 + \frac{v}{c}\right) g_v^2 = 1$$

$$\boxed{g_v = \frac{1}{\sqrt{1 - \frac{v^2}{c^2}}}}$$

$$\boxed{\tau_{moving} = \gamma \tau_{stat}}$$

Is this real?

half life of  $\mu^-$ : 150  $\mu$ s

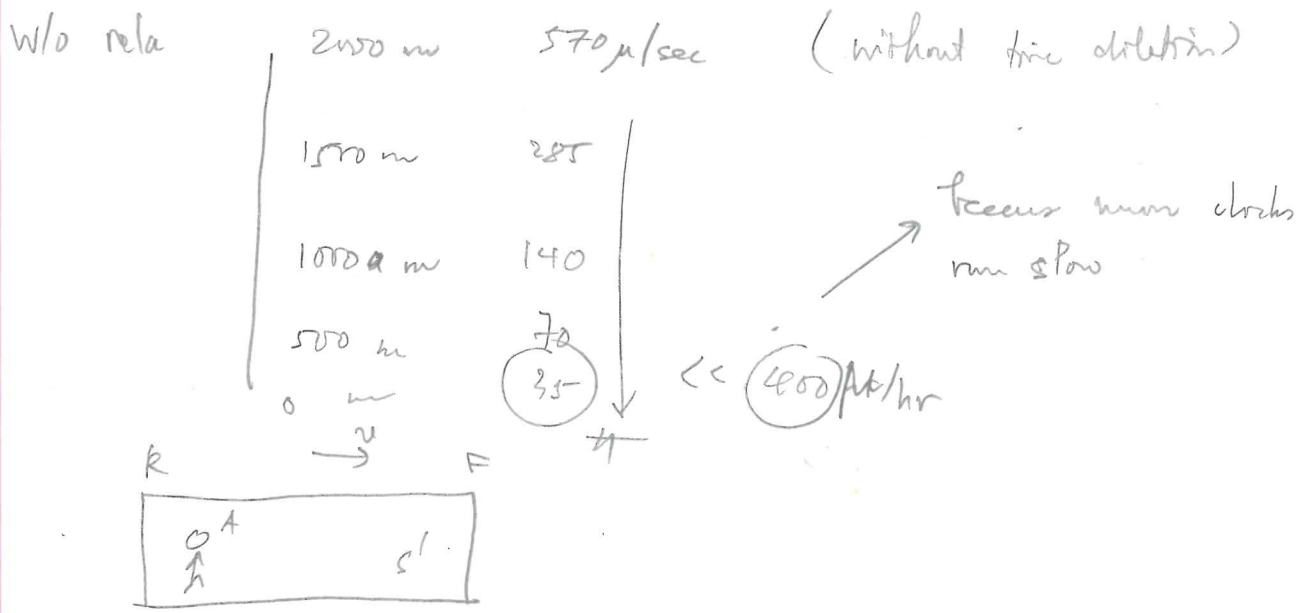
2000m  $\square \rightarrow 570 \mu/hr$

at  $3 \times 10^8$  m/s

$\hookrightarrow 300m/\mu sec$

$\rightarrow 450 \approx 500m/tick$

$\square \rightarrow 400 \mu/hr$



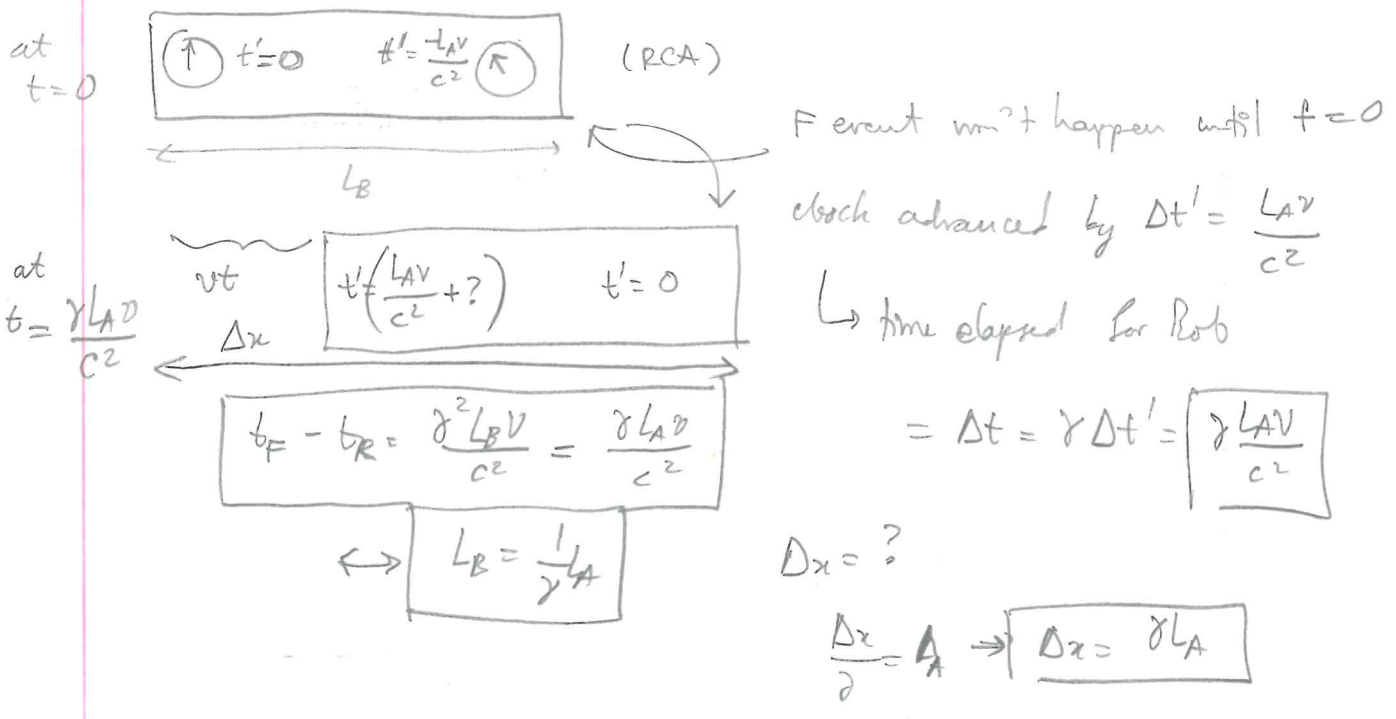
Q If 2 events are simultaneous for Bob  $\rightarrow$  not Alice

$$\Delta t' = t'_R - t'_F = \frac{L\Delta v}{c^2} \quad (\text{RCA})$$

If 2 events are simultaneous for Alice  $\rightarrow$  not Bob

$$\Delta t^* = t_F - t_R = \gamma \frac{L\Delta v}{c^2}$$

From Bob



In Bob's frame:

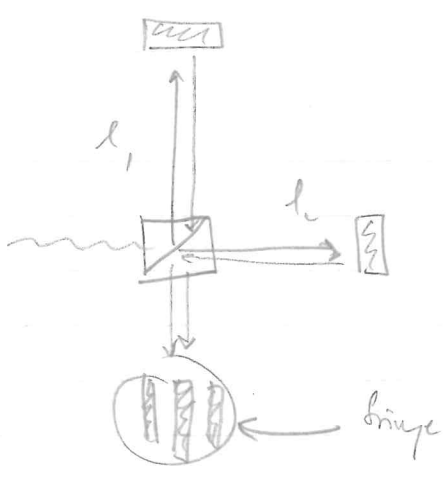
$$\Delta x = v \Delta t + L_B$$

$$= v \cdot \frac{\delta L_B v}{c^2} + \frac{L_B}{\gamma}$$

$$\Delta x = L_B \cdot \gamma \left( \frac{v^2}{c^2} \gamma^2 + 1 \right) = L_B \left( \frac{v^2}{c^2} + 1 - \frac{v^2}{c^2} \right) = L_B \cdot \gamma^2 = \boxed{\delta L_B}$$

The Michelson interferometer and precision measurement

Beam splitter 



$$\frac{\Delta T}{T} = \Delta N =$$

$l_1, l_2 \rightarrow$  switch roles  
 $\hookrightarrow$  fringe shift

What can you do w/ MI?

① look for motion through ether

$$\frac{\Delta T}{T} = \frac{(l_1 + l_2) \cdot v^2}{\lambda c^2}$$

② Measure the wavelength of light

d) Move  $n \pm 1$  by distance  $d \rightarrow \Delta T = \frac{2d}{c} = \frac{2d}{c \cdot n}$

$\rightarrow$  index of refraction of air

$$\frac{\Delta T}{T} = \Delta N = \frac{2d \Delta n}{c} \cdot \frac{c}{\lambda}$$

fringe shift  $\rightarrow \Delta N = \frac{2d \Delta n}{\lambda}$  (derive this)

$$\lambda_{air} \cdot f_{air} = v_{light in air} = \frac{c}{n}$$

$$\lambda_{air} = \frac{c}{n f_{air}} = \frac{1}{n} \cdot \lambda_{vacuum}$$

1892  $\rightarrow$  using the standard meter (Paris)  $\rightarrow$

$$\lambda_{air} [1,553,164.13(1)] = 1 \text{ m}$$

Expt {



$\lambda_{air} \approx 643, 846958 (1) \text{ nm}$

→ can be used to measure distance somewhere else...

③ Reverse the process

$d = \frac{N \cdot \lambda_{air}}{2}$

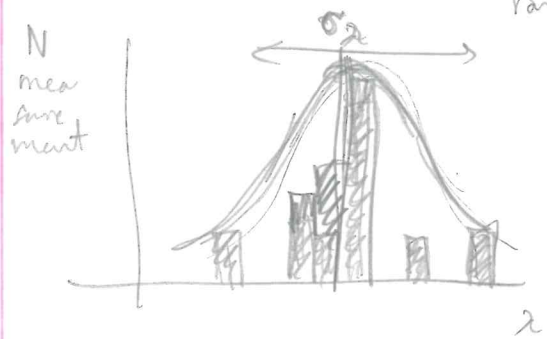
④ Mix #2 & #3  $k = \text{known}, u = \text{unknown}$

$d = \frac{N_k \lambda_k}{2} \rightarrow \lambda_u = \frac{2d}{N_u} = \frac{2N_k \lambda_k}{N_u} = \frac{N_k}{N_u} \cdot \lambda_k = \lambda_u$

red (pointing to  $\lambda_k$ )  
green (pointing to  $\lambda_u$ )

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→ to determine the "best" value & an estimate of the variation from try to try.



$\lambda_{best} = \bar{\lambda} = \lambda_{avg}$

The scatter:  $\propto$  mean deviation  $\frac{\sum (\lambda_i - \bar{\lambda})^2}{N}$

Variance :=  $\sigma^2 = \frac{1}{N_{meas}} \sum_{i=1}^n (\lambda_i - \bar{\lambda})^2$

$\sigma \Rightarrow$  (stdev deviation)

$\sigma = \sqrt{\frac{\sum_{i=1}^n (\lambda_i - \bar{\lambda})^2}{N}}$

Data (d = 2.0 cm)

N	$\lambda = \frac{2d}{N}$ (m)	$\lambda = 2d/N$ (nm)	$(\lambda - \lambda_{avg})^2$
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6. Velocity "addition"

↳ Alice & Bob disagree on time intervals and distances, so we need to be careful about what they would measure as velocity of a particle, too!

Goal: Create a "real" experiment and determine measurement that est.  
 $u' & u \rightarrow$  find the relationship.

Alice measures  
 $\Delta x', \Delta t'$

Bob measures  
 $\Delta x, \Delta t$

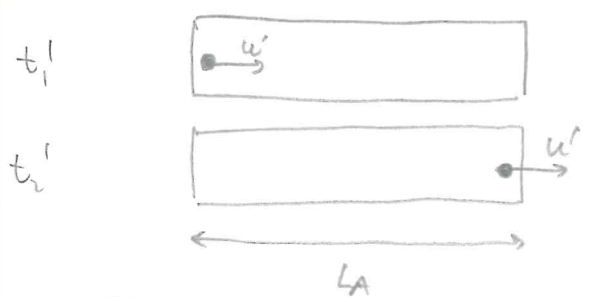
Two events

- Ball leaves rear of train
- Ball arrives @ front of train

$$u' = \frac{\Delta x'}{\Delta t'}$$

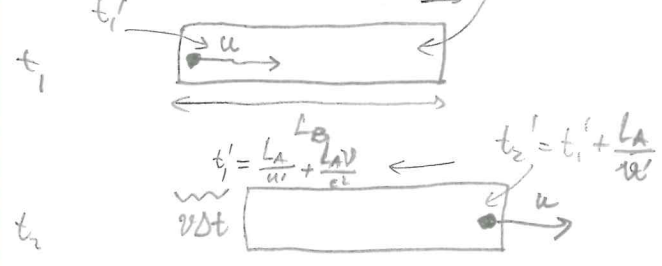
$$u = \frac{\Delta x}{\Delta t}$$

Alice's frame



$$\Delta t' = \frac{L_A}{u'}$$

Bob frame



$$v \Delta t + L_B = u \Delta t$$

$$\Delta t = \frac{L_B}{u-v}$$

Two relationships ① Length contraction:  $L_B = \frac{L_A}{\gamma}$

② Time dilation:  $\rightarrow$  Bob's  $(t_2 - t_1) = \gamma (t_1' - [t_1' + \frac{L_A}{u'} + \frac{L_A v}{c^2}])$

relationship between time elapsed on one moving clock vs. difference b/w time readings on stationary clocks...

→ You have to compare 1 clock interval vs. 2 clocks sync

time difference of Alice?  
front clock as corresponding to  $\Delta t$  (loss of simultaneity)  
↓  
have to adjust

Eq:

$$\Delta t = \gamma \left[ \frac{L_A}{u'} + \frac{L_{A0}}{c^2} \right] = \frac{L_B}{u-v} = \frac{L_A}{\gamma(u-v)}$$

$$\therefore \gamma \left( \frac{1}{u'} + \frac{v}{c^2} \right) = \frac{1}{\gamma(u-v)}$$

$$\therefore \frac{c^2 - u'v}{u'c^2} = \frac{1}{\gamma^2} \cdot \frac{1}{u-v} = \frac{1}{u-v} \cdot \left(1 - \frac{v^2}{c^2}\right)$$

$$\therefore (c^2 - u'v)(u-v) = u'c^2 \left(1 - \frac{v^2}{c^2}\right)$$

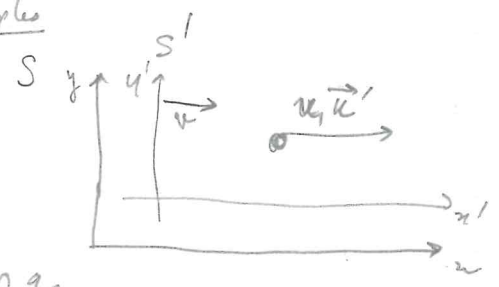
$$\therefore c^2u - c^2v + u'uv - u'v^2 = u'c^2 - u'v^2$$

$$\therefore \frac{1}{u'} = \left(1 - \frac{uv}{c^2}\right) / (u-v)$$

$$\begin{aligned} u' &= \frac{u-v}{1 - \frac{uv}{c^2}} \\ u &= \frac{u'+v}{1 + \frac{u'v}{c^2}} \end{aligned}$$

Relativistic velocity addition formula

Examples



1)  $u' = 0.9c$   
 $v = 0.9c$

$$u = \frac{0.9c + 0.9c}{1 + \frac{0.81c^2}{c^2}} = \frac{1.8c}{1.81} = 0.9945c$$

What if  $u' = c$ ?

$$u = \frac{c+v}{1 + \frac{cv}{c^2}} = \frac{c+v}{1 + \frac{v}{c}} = \frac{c(1+v/c)}{1+v/c} = \boxed{c}$$

true  
this works!

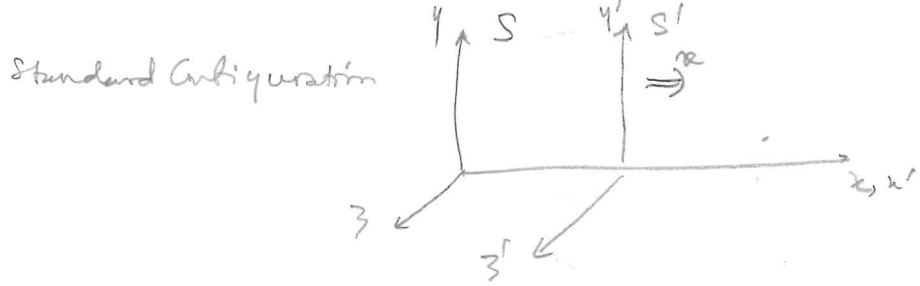
if  $u' = 0$ ?

$$u = \frac{v}{1+0} = \boxed{v} \leftarrow \text{makes sense.}$$

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E. Lorentz - Einstein Transformation Equations

Goal: find  $(t, x, y, z)_S \rightarrow (t', x', y', z')_{S'}$



①  $x=x'=0$  - origins occur at  $t=t'=0$

Linear transformation of the coordinates

→ Why linear?

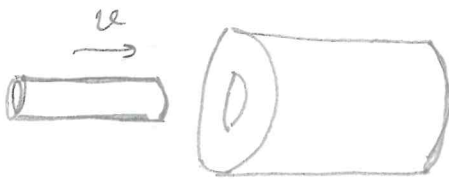
bcz if not, then constant  $v$  in  $S$  does not imply constant  $u'$  in  $S'$

$$\left. \begin{aligned} x' &= a_{11}x + a_{12}y + a_{13}z + a_{14}t \\ y' &= a_{21}x + a_{22}y + a_{23}z + a_{24}t \\ z' &= a_{31}x + a_{32}y + a_{33}z + a_{34}t \\ t' &= a_{41}x + a_{42}y + a_{43}z + a_{44}t \end{aligned} \right\}$$

② Derivation

a) Transverse dimension

Thought experiment



$$\rightarrow \begin{cases} x' = a_{11}x + a_{12}y + a_{13}z + a_{14}t \\ y' = y \\ z' = z \\ t' = a_{41}x + a_{42}y + a_{43}z + a_{44}t \end{cases}$$

a) x-t transformation

i) Dependence of  $x', t'$  on  $y, z$

Theorem  $x', t'$  can't depend on  $y, z$

Proof Since  $y, z$  appear linearly,  $t, y$  must behave the same then

$$a_{12} = a_{13} = a_{42} = a_{43} = 0$$

$$\begin{cases} x' = a_{11}x + a_{14}t \\ y' = y \\ z' = z \\ t' = a_{41}x + a_{44}t \end{cases}$$

4) Dependence of  $x', t'$  on  $x, t$

Step 1 Consider a light pulse  $along +x$   $\rightarrow \begin{cases} x = ct \\ x' = ct' \end{cases} \rightarrow \begin{cases} x - ct = 0 \\ x' - ct' = 0 \end{cases}$

(1)  $\rightarrow \lambda(x - ct) = (x' - ct')$   
 "  $along -x$   
 $\begin{cases} x = -ct \\ x' = -ct' \end{cases} \Rightarrow \begin{cases} x + ct = 0 \\ x' + ct' = 0 \end{cases}$  arbitrary #

(2)  $\rightarrow \mu(x + ct) = (x' + ct')$

(1) - (2)  $2ct' = (\mu - \lambda)x + c(\mu + \lambda)t$   
 (1) + (2)  $2x' = (\mu + \lambda)x + c(\mu - \lambda)t$

(3)  $\begin{cases} ct' = -bx + act \\ x' = ax - bct \end{cases}$  where  $\begin{cases} a = \frac{\mu + \lambda}{2} \\ b = \frac{\mu - \lambda}{2} = \frac{v - u}{2} \end{cases}$

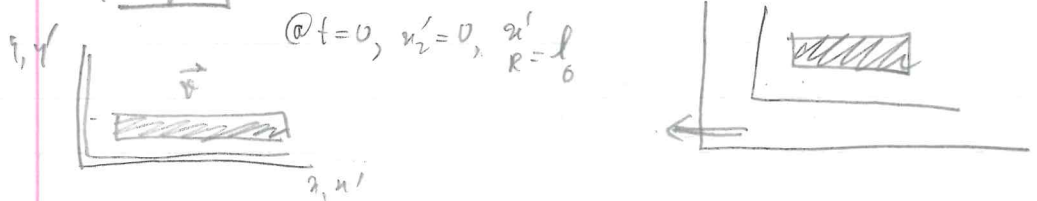
(2) Consider the motion of origin of  $S'$  w.r.t  $S$

$x' = 0 \Leftrightarrow x = vt$   
 $x' = 0 = a(vt) - b(ct) \rightarrow av = bc \Rightarrow \boxed{b = \frac{v}{c} a}$

(5)  $\begin{cases} x' = a(x - \frac{v}{c} \cdot ct) = a(x - \beta ct) \quad (1) \\ ct' = a(ct - \frac{v}{c}x) = a(ct - \beta x) \quad (2) \end{cases}$

(3) Apply the principle of relativity

Exp 1



@  $t = 0$  in  $S$   $\begin{cases} x'_L = 0 \\ x'_R = l_0 \end{cases} \Rightarrow x'_R = ax_R = \boxed{\frac{l_0}{a} = \frac{l_0}{\gamma}} \quad (*)$

$$\gamma(L - v \frac{L}{c}) = \gamma L (1 - \frac{v}{c}) = \gamma L \frac{c-v}{c} =$$

$$= \gamma L (1 - \beta) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{1-\beta}} (1-\beta) L = \frac{\sqrt{1-\beta}}{\sqrt{1+\beta}} L$$

at  $t'=0$ , in  $S'$

$$x_L = 0, x_p = l_0$$

$x'_L = 0$  what is  $x'_p$  at  $t'_1 = 0$ ?

$$S \rightarrow S' \begin{cases} ct' = \gamma(ct - \beta x) \\ x' = \gamma(x - \beta ct) \end{cases}$$

$$S' \rightarrow S \begin{cases} ct = \gamma(ct' + \beta x') \\ x = \gamma(x' + \beta ct') \end{cases}$$

Goal Solve for  $t'$  in terms of  $t$

$$(6) \rightarrow ct = \frac{ct'}{a} + \frac{v}{c} x$$

$$\Rightarrow x'_p = a \left( x_p - \frac{v}{c^2} x_p - x'_p t' \right)$$

at  $t=0$ , with  $x'_p = l'$ , and  $x_p = 0$

$$l' = a(l_0) \left( 1 - \frac{v^2}{c^2} \right) \quad (*)$$

By isotropy of space  $\rightarrow (*) = (*) \therefore \frac{al_0}{a} = al_0 \left( 1 - \frac{v^2}{c^2} \right)$

$$\therefore a^2 = \frac{1}{1 - \frac{v^2}{c^2}} \rightarrow a = \frac{1}{\sqrt{1 - \frac{v^2}{c^2}}} = \gamma$$

③ The Lorentz-Einstein equations:

$$\begin{cases} x' = \gamma(x - \beta ct) \\ y' = y, z' = z \\ ct' = \gamma(ct - \beta x) \end{cases} \quad \text{OR} \quad \begin{cases} x' = \gamma(x - vt) \\ y' = y, z' = z \\ t' = \gamma \left( t - \frac{v}{c^2} x \right) \end{cases}$$

④ Some properties of the Lorentz-Einstein Transformations

a) spatial separation, time interval between events.

$$\begin{cases} \text{Event 1: } (ct_1, x_1, y_1, z_1)_S \\ \text{Event 2: } (ct_2, x_2, y_2, z_2)_S \end{cases} \begin{cases} \Delta x = x_2 - x_1 \\ \Delta x' = x'_2 - x'_1 \\ = \gamma(x_2 - \beta ct_2) - \gamma(x_1 - \beta ct_1) \\ = \gamma(x_2 - x_1) - \gamma \beta c(t_2 - t_1) \end{cases}$$

$$\Delta x' = \gamma(\Delta x - \beta c \Delta t)$$

b. Non-relativistic limit

↳ as  $\frac{v}{c} \rightarrow 0$  ; as  $c \rightarrow \infty$

$$\gamma = \frac{1}{\sqrt{1 - \frac{v^2}{c^2}}} \quad \boxed{\lim_{c \rightarrow \infty} \gamma = 1} \quad \begin{cases} \boxed{x' = x - vt} \\ \boxed{t' = t} \end{cases} \equiv \text{Galilean Transform}$$

c. The limiting speed

$$\gamma = \frac{1}{\sqrt{1 - v^2/c^2}} \geq 1 \quad \left| \begin{array}{l} \text{for } 0 \leq v < c \\ \text{for } v = c \rightarrow \gamma \rightarrow \infty \\ \text{for } v > c \rightarrow \gamma \rightarrow \text{imaginary} \end{array} \right.$$

There's a speed limit.  $\rightarrow \boxed{c}$

(No 2 frames can travel at  $c$  relative to each other...)

↳ No physical object (with mass) can travel at  $c$  / beyond.

d. The limiting speed - really!

↳  $c$  is the limiting speed of any signal of any type (known/unknown)

Underlying Assumption:

↳ Physics describes sequences of events that are CAUSALLY related.

Experiment

#1 causes #2 by sending a signal with speed  $u_{\text{signal}}$

⊙ #1  $x_1, t_1$

⊙ #2  $x_2, t_2$

$$\begin{cases} \Delta x = x_2 - x_1 = \Delta t \cdot u_{\text{signal}} \\ \Delta t = \frac{\Delta x}{u_{\text{signal}}} \end{cases}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{In } S' \rightarrow ct' &= \gamma(ct - \beta \Delta x) \\ &\geq 1 = \gamma \left( c \Delta t - \frac{v}{c} \Delta t \cdot u_{\text{signal}} \right) \end{aligned}$$

$$\boxed{c \Delta t' = \gamma c \Delta t \left( 1 - \frac{v}{c} u_{\text{signal}} \right)}$$

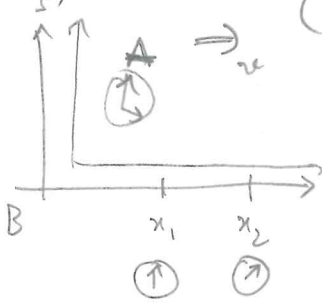
If  $u_{\text{sig}} > c$   $\rightarrow \frac{v}{c} \cdot \frac{u_{\text{signal}}}{c} > 1 \rightarrow \frac{v}{c} \left( \frac{u_{\text{sig}}}{c} \right) > 1$

$\leq 0$  ~~if~~ if  $u_{\text{sig}} > c$   
for some  $v < c$

There are some frame  $S'$  with  $\frac{v}{c} < 1$  in which the order of events are reversed...  
 $\rightarrow$  violate causality

5) The fundamental effects - consequence of the L-E transformation

a) Time dilation



(S)  $\Delta x = x_2 - x_1 = v \Delta t = v(t_2 - t_1)$

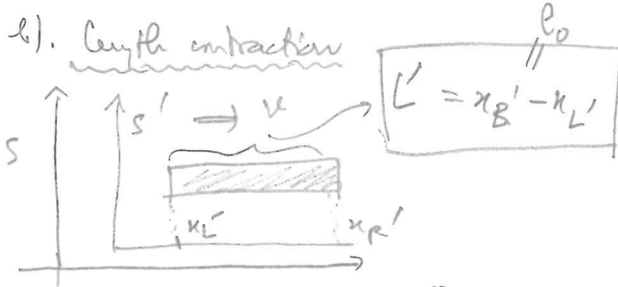
(S')  $\Delta x' = \gamma (\Delta x - \beta c \Delta t)$   
 $= \gamma (\Delta x - \frac{v}{c} c \Delta t) = 0$  (in Alice's the clock is at rest)

(S')  $c \Delta t' = \gamma (c \Delta t - \beta \Delta x)$   
 $= \gamma (c \Delta t - \frac{v}{c} \Delta x)$

time dilation ↑

$\rightarrow \Delta t' = \gamma (\Delta t - \frac{v^2}{c^2} \Delta t) = \gamma \Delta t (1 - \frac{v^2}{c^2}) = \gamma \Delta t (\frac{1}{\gamma^2}) = \frac{\Delta t}{\gamma} = \Delta t'$

b) Length contraction



(length in rest frame)

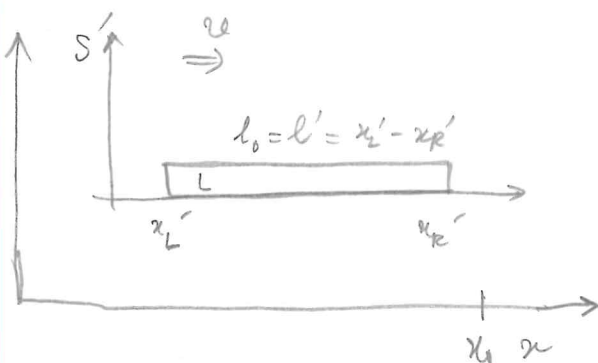
length in (S) is  $x_R - x_L$  but when the measurements are made SIMULTANEOUSLY in S  $\rightarrow \Delta t = 0$

$\Delta x' = \gamma (\Delta x - \beta c \Delta t) = \gamma \Delta x$

$\rightarrow \Delta x' = \gamma \Delta x \rightarrow l = \frac{l_0}{\gamma}$  (length contraction)

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Length contraction from another frame



Bob measures 2 events:  
 # R @  $x_0$  } happen at  $x = x_0$  but  
 # L @  $x_0$  } @ different times  
 $t_1, t_2$

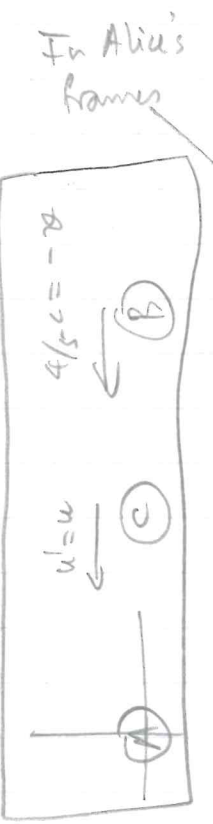
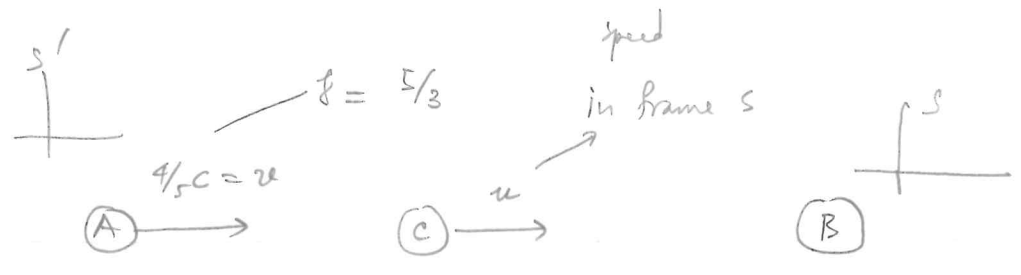
(But we know):

$\frac{l}{v} = \Delta t \Rightarrow l = v \Delta t = v(t_2 - t_1)$   
 ↑  
 length in S

$\Delta x' = \gamma (\Delta x - \beta c \Delta t) \Rightarrow \Delta x' = -l_0 = +\gamma \beta c \Delta t = +\gamma l$   
 $\hookrightarrow l = \frac{l_0}{\gamma}$



Morin 1.42



What C wants is also have  $u'$  in  $S' = -u$

Velocity Transform  $u'_x = \frac{u_x - v}{1 - \frac{u_x v}{c^2}}$ ,  $u'_y = \frac{u_y + v}{1 + \frac{u_x v}{c^2}}$

Want:  $u'_x = -u_x$

$$u' = \frac{u - v}{1 - \frac{uv}{c^2}} = -u \rightarrow u - v = -u + \frac{u^2 v}{c^2}$$

$$\rightarrow \frac{v}{c^2} u^2 - 2u + v = 0$$

$$\rightarrow u = \frac{+2 \pm \sqrt{4 - 4v^2/c^2}}{2v/c^2} = \frac{c^2}{v} \left( 1 \pm \sqrt{1 - v^2/c^2} \right) = u$$

have to pick (-)  $\rightarrow u < c$

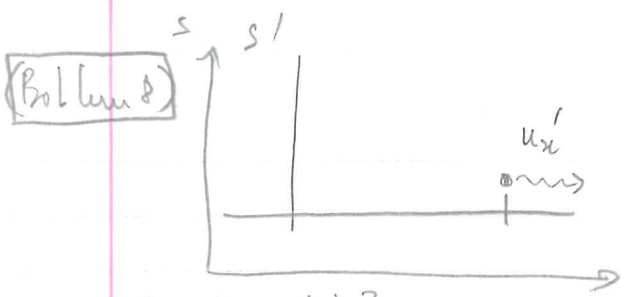
$$\rightarrow u = \frac{c^2}{v} \left( 1 - \sqrt{1 - \frac{v^2}{c^2}} \right) \text{ or } u = \frac{c^2}{v} \left( 1 - \frac{1}{\gamma} \right)$$

Consider  $v \ll c$

$$\rightarrow u = \frac{c^2}{v} \left( 1 \pm \left( 1 - \frac{v^2}{c^2} \right)^{1/2} \right) \cong \frac{c^2}{v} \left( 1 \pm \frac{1}{2} \left( 1 - \frac{1v^2}{2c^2} \right) \right) \text{ (choose (-))}$$

$$\cong \frac{c^2}{v} \left( 1 - 1 + \frac{1}{2} \frac{v^2}{c^2} \right) = \frac{1}{2} v$$

Makes sense  $u \cong \frac{1}{2} v$



What is  $x(t)$ ?

$$\rightarrow x(t) = u_x t + x_0$$

In  $S'$

$$x' = x_0' + u'_x t'$$

$$x' = \gamma(x - \beta ct) = \gamma \left( \frac{u'_x}{c} \gamma (ct - \beta x) + x_0' \right)$$

$$\gamma(x-vt) = \frac{u_x'}{c} \gamma(ct - \beta x) + \cancel{\frac{\gamma}{c}} x_0'$$

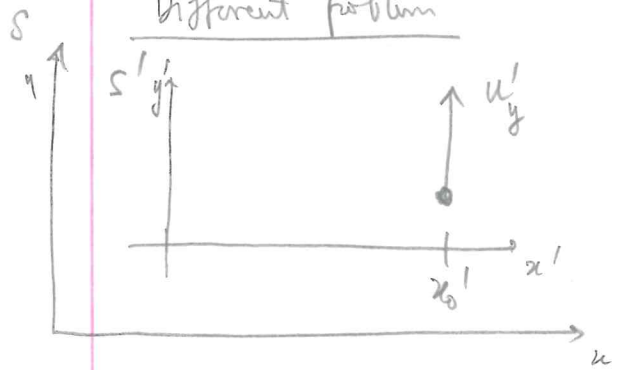
$$\hookrightarrow x - vt = \frac{u_x'}{c} (ct - \frac{v}{c} x) + \frac{x_0'}{\gamma}$$

$$\hookrightarrow x - vt = u_x' t - \frac{u_x' v}{c^2} x + \frac{x_0'}{\gamma}$$

$$\hookrightarrow x \left(1 + \frac{u_x' v}{c^2}\right) = (u_x' + v) t + \frac{x_0'}{\gamma}$$

$$\hookrightarrow \boxed{x = \frac{(u_x' + v)}{\left(1 + \frac{u_x' v}{c^2}\right)} t + \frac{x_0'}{\gamma \left(1 + \frac{u_x' v}{c^2}\right)}} \rightarrow @ t=0 \rightarrow x = \frac{x_0'}{\gamma \left(1 + \frac{u_x' v}{c^2}\right)}$$

★ Different problem



$$\begin{cases} x'(t') = x_0' \\ y'(t') = y_0' + u'_y t' \end{cases}$$

$$\begin{cases} y' = y \\ \frac{ct'}{c} = \gamma \frac{(ct - \beta x)}{c} \\ \hookrightarrow t' = \gamma \left(t - \frac{v}{c^2} x\right) \end{cases}$$

$$x' = x_0' = \gamma(x - vt) \Rightarrow \boxed{x = \frac{x_0'}{\gamma} + vt}$$

$$y' = y_0' + u'_y t' \Rightarrow y = y' = y_0' + u'_y \cdot \frac{\gamma}{c} (ct - \beta x)$$

$$y = (u'_y t) + (y_0) \Rightarrow y = y_0' + u'_y \gamma \left(t - \frac{v}{c^2} x\right)$$

$$\Rightarrow y = y_0' + u'_y \gamma \left(t - \frac{v}{c^2} \left[\frac{x_0'}{\gamma} + vt\right]\right)$$

$$\Rightarrow y = u'_y \gamma \left(1 - \frac{v^2}{c^2}\right) t + u'_y \gamma \left(\frac{-v}{c^2} \right) x_0' + y_0'$$

$$\boxed{y = \left(\frac{u'_y}{\gamma}\right) t + \left[y_0' - \frac{u'_y v}{c^2} x_0'\right]} \quad \text{Form: } y = u_y t + y_0$$

near clock ahead term (due to loss of simultaneity)

PROPAGATION OF ~~ERROR~~

UNCERTAINTY

mean + uncertainty

Lab

$$\bar{x} \pm \sigma_x$$

$$\downarrow \frac{1}{N} \sum_{i=1}^N x_i$$

$$\sigma_x = \sqrt{\frac{1}{N} \sum_{i=1}^N (x_i - \bar{x})^2}$$

What if we want a number that depends on  $n$  measurements, each with uncertainty

Examples

$A = l \cdot w$   
table

$P = iV$

→ what is  $\sigma_P$ ?

$\sigma_A = \sigma_l \cdot \sigma_w$



what is  $\sigma_A$ ?

$$E = \frac{V}{d}$$

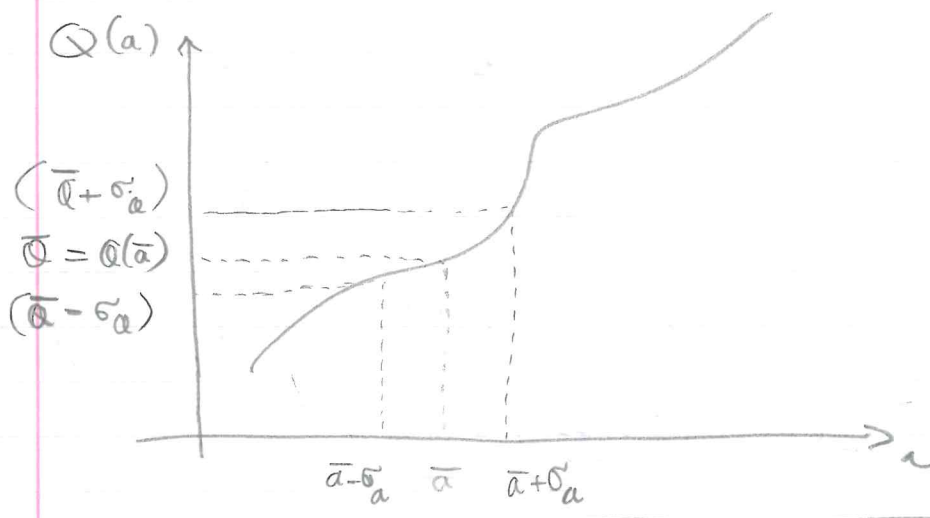
Assumptions: Uncertainties are uncorrelated (p. 96-101: Stat. Data...)

(i) In general:  $Q = Q(a, b, c, \dots)$

$$\bar{Q} \pm \sigma_Q = ?$$

Example

$$A = \frac{\pi D^2}{4}, \quad Q = Q(a)$$



Taylor linear approximation

If  $\sigma_a \ll a \rightarrow Q(a) \approx Q(\bar{a}) + \left. \frac{dQ}{da} \right|_{\bar{a}} (a - \bar{a}) \approx Q(\bar{a} + \sigma_a)$

$Q(a)$   $\sigma_Q$

$$Q(\bar{a} + \sigma_a) - Q(\bar{a}) = \left. \frac{dQ}{da} \right|_{\bar{a}} \cdot \sigma_a$$

$a - \bar{a} = \sigma_a$

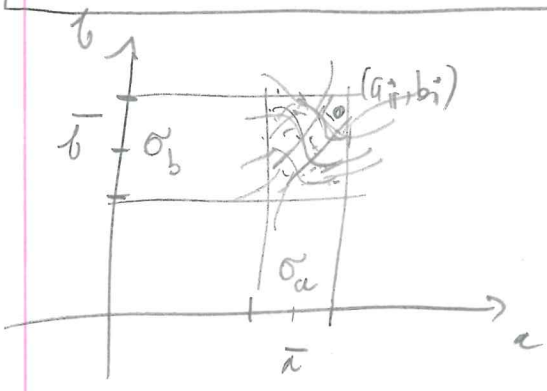
Special case  $Q = a^n$   $a \Rightarrow \bar{a} \pm \sigma_a$   
 $Q \Rightarrow \bar{a}^n$

$$\sigma_Q = \left( \left. \frac{dQ}{da} \right|_{\bar{a}} \cdot \sigma_a \right) = n \bar{a}^{n-1} \cdot \sigma_a = (n \bar{a}^{n-1}) \sigma_a$$

$$\sigma_Q = (n \bar{a}^{n-1}) \left( \frac{\sigma_a}{\bar{a}} \right)$$

$n \bar{Q}$        $\frac{\sigma_a}{\bar{a}}$

What about functions with 2 variables? (fractional uncertainty)



$Q = Q(a, b)$   $\begin{cases} a = \bar{a} \pm \sigma_a \leftarrow \{a_i\} \\ b = \bar{b} \pm \sigma_b \leftarrow \{b_i\} \end{cases}$

$$dQ_i = \left. \frac{\partial Q}{\partial a} \right|_{\bar{a}, \bar{b}} \cdot da_i + \left. \frac{\partial Q}{\partial b} \right|_{\bar{a}, \bar{b}} \cdot db_i$$

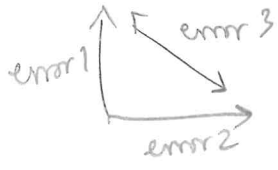
assumption  $\langle Q \approx \text{linear over range of data} \rangle$  against, linear approximation

$$\Delta Q_i = \left. \frac{\partial Q}{\partial a} \right|_{\bar{a}, \bar{b}} \cdot \Delta a_i + \left. \frac{\partial Q}{\partial b} \right|_{\bar{a}, \bar{b}} \cdot \Delta b_i$$

$$(\sigma_Q)^2 = \left[ \frac{1}{N} \sum_{i=1}^N \Delta Q_i^2 \right]$$

$$\sigma_Q^2 = \frac{1}{N} \sum_{i=1}^N \left[ \left( \left. \frac{\partial Q}{\partial a} \right|_{\bar{a}, \bar{b}} \Delta a_i \right)^2 + 2 \left( \left. \frac{\partial Q}{\partial a} \right|_{\bar{a}, \bar{b}} \Delta a_i \right) \left( \left. \frac{\partial Q}{\partial b} \right|_{\bar{a}, \bar{b}} \Delta b_i \right) + \left( \left. \frac{\partial Q}{\partial b} \right|_{\bar{a}, \bar{b}} \Delta b_i \right)^2 \right]$$

$$= \underbrace{\left( \frac{1}{N} \sum_{i=1}^N \Delta a_i^2 \right)}_{(\sigma_a)^2} \underbrace{\left( \left. \frac{\partial Q}{\partial a} \right|_{\bar{a}, \bar{b}} \right)^2}_{(\sigma_a)^2} + \underbrace{\left( \frac{1}{N} \sum_{i=1}^N \Delta b_i^2 \right)}_{(\sigma_b)^2} \underbrace{\left( \left. \frac{\partial Q}{\partial b} \right|_{\bar{a}, \bar{b}} \right)^2}_{(\sigma_b)^2} + 2 \underbrace{\frac{1}{N} \sum_{i=1}^N \left( \left. \frac{\partial Q}{\partial a} \right) \left( \left. \frac{\partial Q}{\partial b} \right) \right|_{\bar{a}, \bar{b}} \Delta a_i \Delta b_i}_{\text{Covariance (assume = 0)}}$$



Example sometimes, covariance  $\neq 0$

$$\Rightarrow \sigma_Q^2 = \sigma_a^2 \left( \frac{\partial Q}{\partial a} \Big|_{\bar{a}, \bar{b}} \right)^2 + \sigma_b^2 \left( \frac{\partial Q}{\partial b} \Big|_{\bar{a}, \bar{b}} \right)^2 \quad (2\text{-var})$$

$$\sigma_Q^2 = \sigma_a^2 \left( \frac{dQ}{da} \Big|_{\bar{a}} \right)^2 \quad (1\text{-var})$$

like Pythagorean

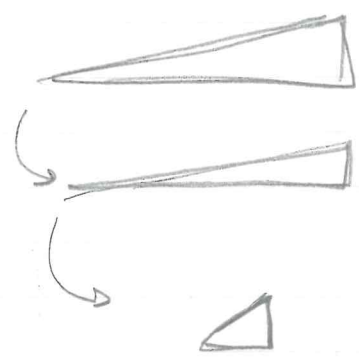
↳ Similarly, for n-var ...

Example  $Q = a^n b^m$

$$\hookrightarrow \sigma_Q^2 = \sigma_a^2 \left( \frac{a^{n-1} b^m}{a^n b^m} \right)^2 + \sigma_b^2 \left( \frac{a^n b^{m-1}}{a^n b^m} \right)^2$$

$$\hookrightarrow \sigma_Q^2 = \left[ \frac{\sigma_a^2}{a^2} \cdot n^2 + \frac{\sigma_b^2}{b^2} \cdot m^2 \right] \cdot \bar{Q}^2$$

Example  $\sigma_{\pi} = \pi \sqrt{\left( \frac{\sigma_v}{v} \right)^2 + \left( \frac{\sigma_d}{d} \right)^2}$



↳ choose where to improve measurement...

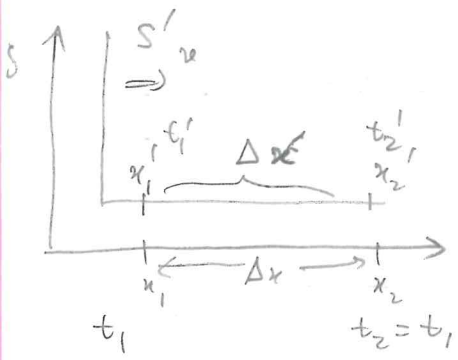
$$\pi = \frac{V}{d}$$

Snatch

$$\begin{aligned} \Delta C &= \gamma(L - \beta L) \\ &= \gamma L (1 - \beta) \\ &= \frac{L \sqrt{1 - \beta}}{\sqrt{1 + \beta}} \end{aligned}$$

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c. Relativity of simultaneity



If 2 events simultaneous in S, what's the time interval between S'?

$$\Delta x' = \gamma(\Delta x) = \gamma(\Delta x - \beta c \Delta t)$$

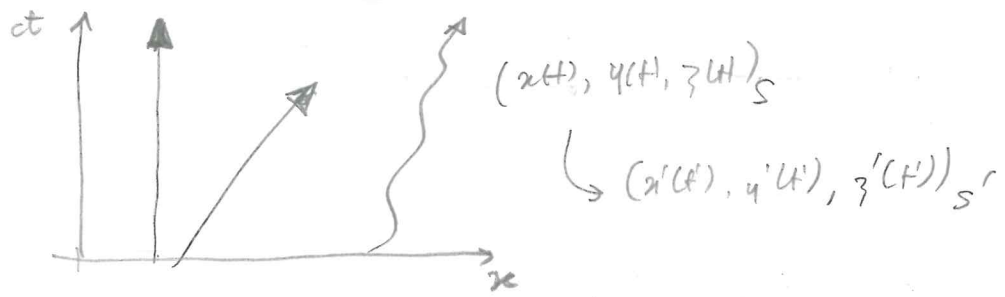
$$c \Delta t' = \gamma(c \Delta t - \beta \Delta x)$$

$$\Delta t' = \frac{-\gamma \beta \Delta x}{c} = -\frac{v}{c^2} \Delta x' = \Delta t'$$

$$\Delta t' = \frac{-v \Delta x'}{c^2}$$

Rear clock ahead.

F. Relativistic Kinematics (description of motion of particles)



Given  $(u_x(t), u_y(t), u_z(t)) \leftrightarrow (u'_x(t'), u'_y(t'), u'_z(t'))_{S'}$ ?

Approach 1

Convert finite intervals to differentials

$$\begin{cases} c dt' = \gamma(c dt - \beta dx) \\ dx' = \gamma(dx - \beta c dt) \\ dy' = dy \\ dz' = dz \end{cases}$$

$$\begin{cases} c dt' = \gamma(c dt - \frac{v}{c} u_x dt) = \gamma(c - \frac{v}{c} u_x) dt \\ dx' = \gamma(u_x - \frac{v}{c}) dt \\ dy' = dy \\ dz' = dz \end{cases}$$

a. Longitudinal velocity transform

$$u'_x = \frac{dx'}{dt'} = \frac{(u_x - v)}{1 - \frac{v u_x}{c^2}}$$

$$u_x = \frac{u'_x + v}{1 + \frac{u'_x v}{c^2}}$$

b. Transverse velocity transform

$$u_y' = \frac{dy'}{dt'} = \frac{dy}{\gamma(1 - \frac{vu_x}{c^2})dt} = u_y \cdot \frac{1}{\gamma(1 - \frac{vu_x}{c^2})} = \frac{u_y/\gamma}{(1 - \frac{vu_x}{c^2})}$$

depends on longitudinal velocity

$$u_y = (u_y') \cdot \gamma \left(1 - \frac{vu_x}{c^2}\right)$$

$$u_y = \frac{u_y'}{\gamma \left(1 + \frac{u_x'v}{c^2}\right)}$$

same for dz'

USE THIS  $\Rightarrow$

Approach 2  $\frac{dx}{dt} = \frac{dx}{dt'} \cdot \frac{dt'}{dt} = \dots$

c. Relativistic speed transform

$$\sqrt{u_x^2 + u_y^2 + u_z^2} \xrightarrow{?} \sqrt{u_x'^2 + u_y'^2 + u_z'^2} \quad ?$$

$$u \xrightarrow{\quad} u'$$

(Solution)  $\underbrace{\left(1 - \frac{v^2}{c^2}\right)}_{\frac{1}{\gamma^2(v)}} \underbrace{\left(1 - \frac{u^2}{c^2}\right)}_{\frac{1}{\gamma^2(u)}} = \underbrace{\left(1 - \frac{u'^2}{c^2}\right)}_{\frac{1}{\gamma^2(u')}} \left(1 - \frac{u_x v}{c^2}\right)^2$

(solution)  $\gamma(u') = \gamma(u) \gamma(v) \left(1 - \frac{u_x v}{c^2}\right)^2$

d. Relativistic acceleration transform

$$a_x = \frac{du_x}{dt}, \quad a_x' = \frac{du_x'}{dt'}$$

$$a_y = \frac{du_y}{dt}, \quad a_y' = \frac{du_y'}{dt'}$$

$$(a_x) = (a_x') \frac{1}{\gamma^3 \left(1 + \frac{u_x'v}{c^2}\right)^3}$$

$$(a_y) = \frac{1}{\gamma^2 \left(1 + \frac{u_x'v}{c^2}\right)} \left\{ a_y' - a_x' \frac{u_y' (v/c^2)}{\left(1 + \frac{u_x'v}{c^2}\right)} \right\}$$

② The Relativistic Doppler Effect

a) The Doppler effect for sound

From PH141(142)  $\nu = \nu_0 \left[ \frac{v \mp v_D}{v \pm v_s} \right]$

↑ freg. hear    ↑ freg. emitted

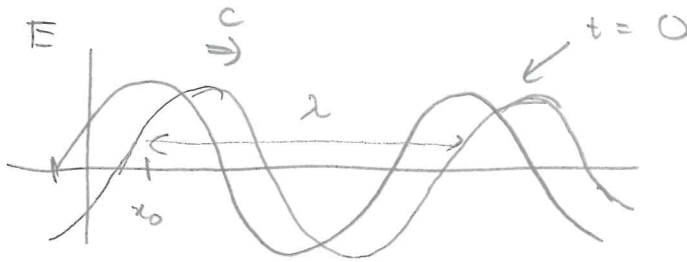
$\nu$  = frequency

$v = v_{\text{sound}}$   
 $v_D = v_{\text{detector}}$   
 $v_s = v_{\text{source}}$

frame dependent → NOT same as light

b) Light propagation

(i) 1-D



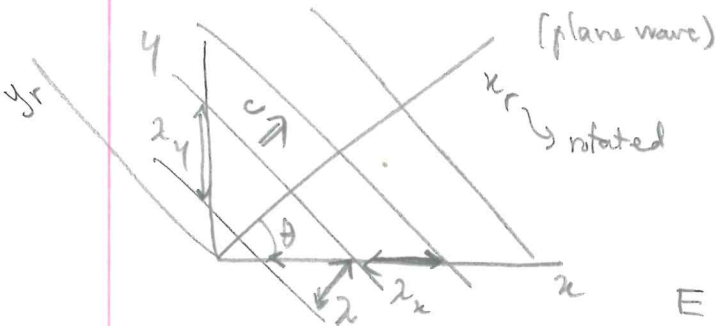
$E(x, t=0) = E_0 \cos\left(\frac{2\pi}{\lambda}(x-x_0)\right)$   
 $E(x, t) = E_0 \cos\left(\frac{2\pi}{\lambda}(x-ct-x_0)\right)$   
 $= E_0 \cos\left(\frac{2\pi}{\lambda}x - \frac{2\pi}{\lambda}ct - \frac{2\pi x_0}{\lambda}\right)$

let  $k = \frac{2\pi}{\lambda}$      $\omega = \frac{2\pi c}{\lambda} = \frac{2\pi}{T}$

$-\frac{2\pi x_0}{\lambda} = +\phi_0$

$\Rightarrow E(x, t) = E_0 \cos(kx - \omega t + \phi_0)$

(ii) 2-D light waves in 2-D



$E(x_r, t) = E_0 \cos(k x_r - \omega t + \phi_0)$

$x_r = x \cos \theta + y \sin \theta$  } rotation transform

$E = E_0 \cos\left[\frac{2\pi}{\lambda}(x \cos \theta + y \sin \theta) - ct\right] + \phi_0$

$\lambda_x = \frac{\lambda}{\cos \theta}$ ,  $\lambda_y = \frac{\lambda}{\sin \theta}$     Goal:  $E(x, y, t) \rightarrow E'(x', y', t')$

c. Doppler Effect for light | Given plane wave in S, how to express in S'?

$E(x, y, t) \rightarrow E(x(x', y', t'), y(x', y', t'), t(x', y', t'))$



$$E = E_0 \cos \left( \frac{2\pi}{\lambda} (x' + \beta ct') \cos \theta + \frac{2\pi}{\lambda} y' \sin \theta - \gamma (ct' + \beta x') + \varphi_0 \right)$$

$y' = y$

$$E(x', y', t') = E_0 \cos \left( \frac{2\pi}{\lambda} \gamma (\cos \theta - \beta) x' + \frac{2\pi}{\lambda} \sin \theta y' - \frac{2\pi}{\lambda} \gamma (1 - \beta \cos \theta) ct' + \varphi_0 \right)$$

plane wave traveling thru space in  $S'$  too

$$E'(x', y', t') = E_0 \cos \left( \frac{2\pi}{\lambda'} x' \cos \theta' + \frac{2\pi}{\lambda'} y' \sin \theta' - \frac{2\pi}{\lambda'} ct' + \varphi_0' \right)$$

Equate term by term  $ct'$  term  $\frac{-2\pi}{\lambda} \gamma (1 - \beta \cos \theta) = \frac{-2\pi}{\lambda'} \Rightarrow \lambda' = \frac{\lambda}{\gamma (1 - \beta \cos \theta)}$

and  $\lambda = \frac{\lambda' \sqrt{1 - \beta^2}}{1 + \beta \cos \theta'}$

$$\frac{\lambda \sqrt{1 - \beta^2}}{(1 - \beta \cos \theta)}$$

$\Rightarrow \lambda' = \frac{\lambda (1 - \beta \cos \theta)}{\sqrt{1 - \beta^2}} \leftrightarrow \lambda = \frac{\lambda' (1 + \beta \cos \theta')}{\sqrt{1 - \beta^2}}$  (Doppler Equations)

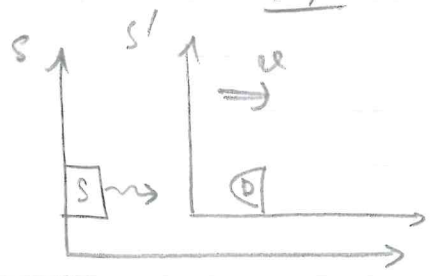
$\lambda'$ -term

$$\frac{2\pi}{\lambda'} y' \sin \theta' = \frac{2\pi}{\lambda} y' \sin \theta \Rightarrow \frac{\sin \theta'}{\sin \theta} = \frac{\lambda'}{\lambda} = \frac{\sqrt{1 - \beta^2}}{1 + \beta \cos \theta}$$

$$\cos \theta' = \frac{\cos \theta - \beta}{1 - \beta \cos \theta}$$

$\Rightarrow$  In  $S'$  to  $S \rightarrow$   $\left\{ \begin{matrix} \text{angle} \\ \lambda, \nu \end{matrix} \right\}$  change!

Special cases Longitudinal



$\theta = 0 \rightarrow \cos \theta' = \frac{1 - \beta}{1 - \beta} = 1 \rightarrow \theta' = 0$

"Red shift"  
longer wavelength  
shorter freq.

$$\lambda' = \frac{\lambda \sqrt{1 - \beta^2}}{1 - \beta} \Rightarrow \lambda' = \lambda \sqrt{\frac{1 + \beta}{1 - \beta}} \rightarrow \nu' = \nu \sqrt{\frac{1 - \beta}{1 + \beta}}$$

$(\lambda' > \lambda)$ 
 $(\nu' < \nu)$ 
(Receding)

Approaching  $\cos\theta = -1 \rightarrow \begin{cases} \lambda' = \lambda \sqrt{\frac{1-\beta}{1+\beta}} & (\lambda' < \lambda) \\ \nu' = \nu \sqrt{\frac{1+\beta}{1-\beta}} & (\nu' > \nu) \end{cases} \rightarrow \text{(BLUE SHIFT)}$

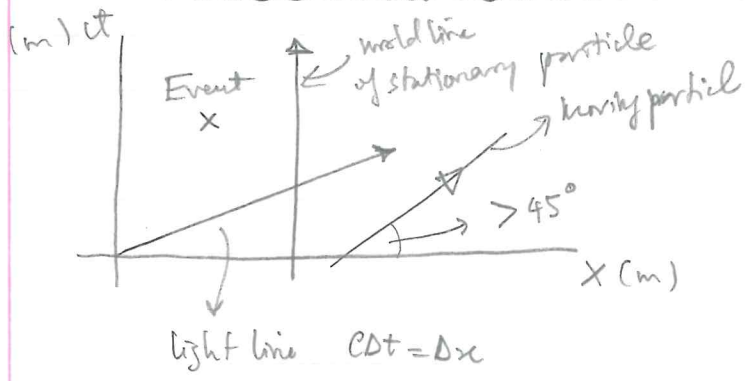
If transverse:  $\begin{cases} \nu' = \nu \cdot \gamma \\ \lambda' = \frac{\lambda}{\gamma} \end{cases} \rightarrow \text{light travels } y\text{-direction in } S$

What if light travel in  $y'$ -axis in  $S'$ ? ( $\cos\theta' = 0$ )

~~Oct 2~~ **Oct 2** ~~Spa~~ **G. Spacetime**

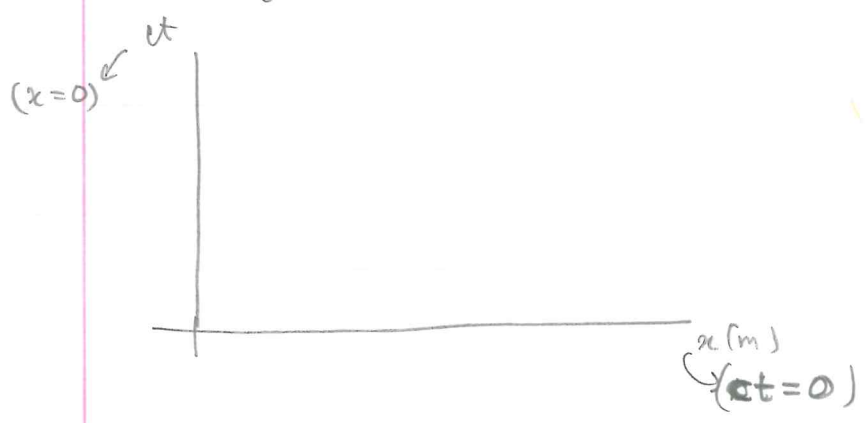
1.) Minkowski spacetime diagrams & the Lorentz-Einstein transformations

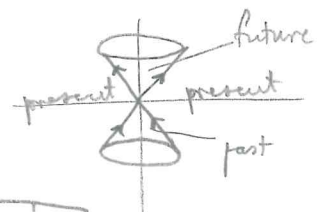
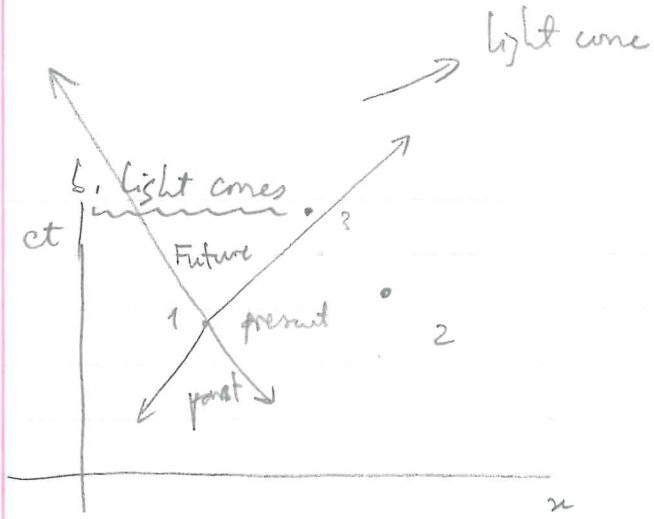
↳ graphical representation of relationship between measurements in dif. frames.  
a. Spacetime axes, events, and world lines



$u = \frac{\Delta x}{\Delta t} \rightarrow \frac{u}{c} = \frac{\Delta x}{cdt} = \text{slope}$

↳ line of const  $x \rightarrow$  parallel w  $(ct)$   
 ↳ line of const  $ct \rightarrow$  parallel w  $(x)$





**Events 1 & 2**

$\Delta x_{12} = x_2 - x_1 > c\Delta t_{12} = c(t_2 - t_1)$   
 $\hookrightarrow 1 \text{ \& } 2$  too far even for light to reach  $t_0$   
 $\hookrightarrow 1 \text{ \& } 2$   
 $\hookrightarrow$  NOT causally related

**“Space-like” separated events**

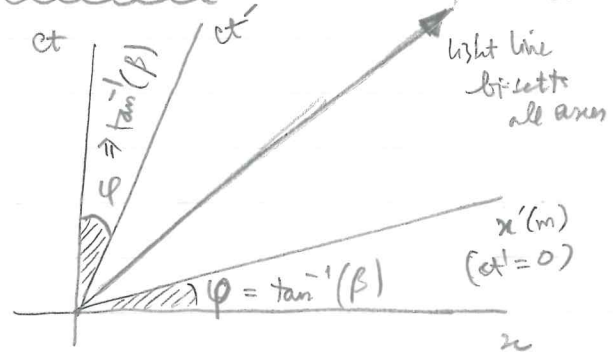
**Events 1 & 3**

$\Delta x_{13} < c\Delta t_{13} \rightarrow$  light could go from  $1 \rightarrow 3$   
 $\hookrightarrow$  a sub-luminal signal can be at both events  
 $\hookrightarrow 1 \text{ \& } 3$  can be causally related

**“Time-like” separated events**

e. The  $S'$  axis  $\rightarrow$  represent  $S'$   $\left\{ \begin{matrix} x' \\ ct' \end{matrix} \right.$  on  $ct, x$  axes

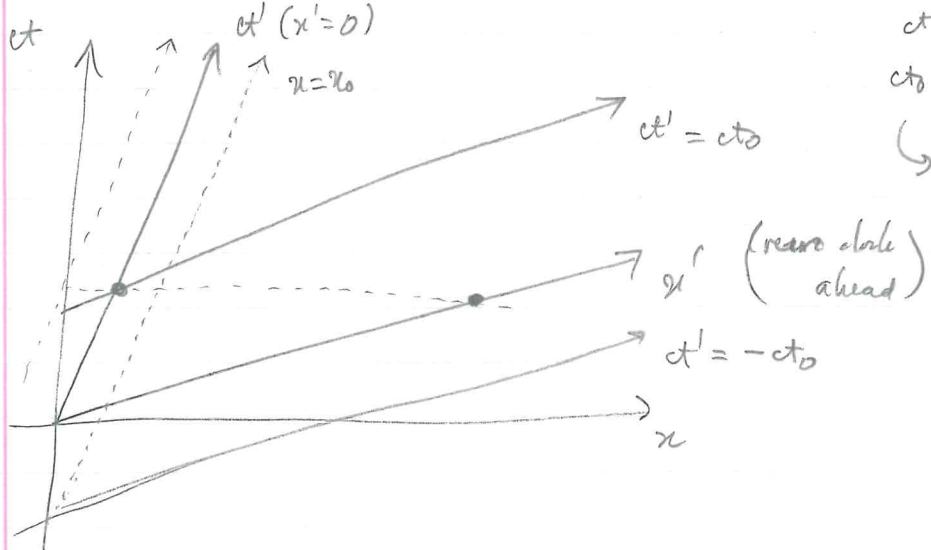
$x' = \gamma(x - \beta ct)$   
 $ct' = \gamma(ct - \beta x)$



$ct'$ :  
 @  $x' = 0 \rightarrow x = \beta ct$   
 $\hookrightarrow ct = \frac{1}{\beta} x$  (slope =  $\frac{1}{\beta}$ )

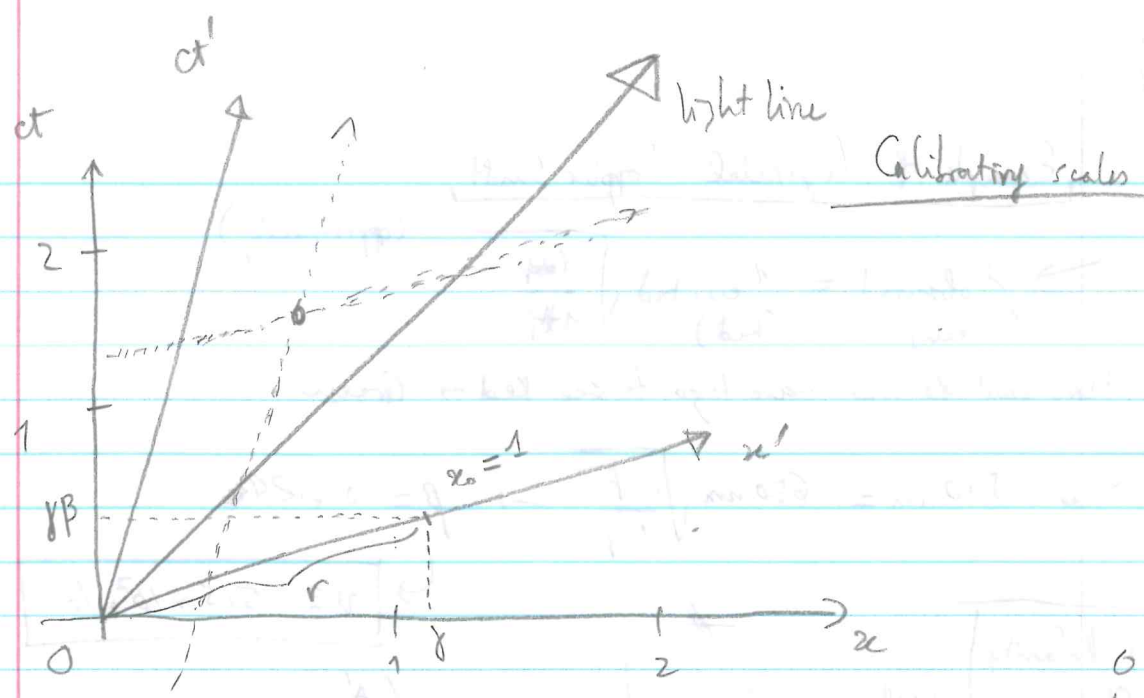
$x'$ :  
 @  $ct' = 0 \rightarrow ct = \beta x$   
 $\frac{1}{\text{slope}} = \frac{x}{ct} = \frac{1}{\beta} \rightarrow$  (slope =  $\beta$ )

$\rightarrow$  NOT an orthogonal transformation (non-Euclidean)



$ct' = ct_0$   
 $ct_0 = \gamma(ct - \beta x)$   
 $\hookrightarrow ct = \frac{ct_0}{\gamma} + \gamma\beta x$

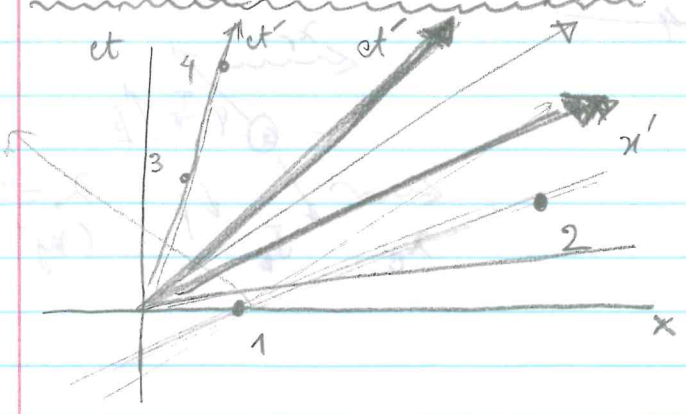
$x' = x_0 = \gamma(x - \beta ct)$   
 $x = \frac{x_0}{\gamma} + \beta ct_0$



where is  $x' = x_0$  along the  $x$ -axis?  $\rightarrow x = \gamma(x' + \beta ct')$   
 $x' = x_0 = \gamma(x - \beta ct)$   
 Along  $x$ -axis  $\rightarrow ct = 0 \rightarrow x_0 = \gamma x$   $\rightarrow$   $x = \gamma x_0$

where  $x = \gamma x_0$   
 $ct = \gamma(ct' + \beta x')$   $\gamma \beta x_0 = ct$   
 $r = x_0 \sqrt{\gamma^2 + (\gamma\beta)^2} = \cancel{\gamma \gamma \beta^2} = x_0 \sqrt{\gamma^2(1 + \beta^2)} = x_0 \sqrt{\frac{1 + \beta^2}{1 - \beta^2}} = r$   $x_0$  in  $x'$

3. Causality and Minkowski diagrams



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 These two events are "spacelike" separated (NOT causally related)  
 $\hookrightarrow$  in some frame they can be simultaneous  
 and in other frames the time order can be reversed

3.4  $\rightarrow$  "time like" separated (can be causally related)  
 $\hookrightarrow$  can be @ same place in some frame  
 $\hookrightarrow$  but time order cannot be reversed

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Example of Longitudinal Doppler Shift

(approaching)

$$\lambda_{\text{observed}} = \lambda_{\text{emitted}} \sqrt{\frac{1+\beta}{1-\beta}}$$

(Green)                      (Red)

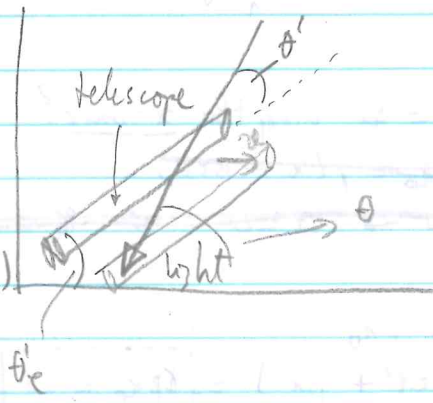
How fast do you have to go to see Red  $\rightarrow$  Green

$$540 \text{ nm} = 650 \text{ nm} \sqrt{\frac{1-\beta}{1+\beta}} \rightarrow \beta = 0.184$$

$$v \approx 5.5 \times 10^7 \text{ m/s}$$

How does relativity explain stellar Aberration?

With an ether



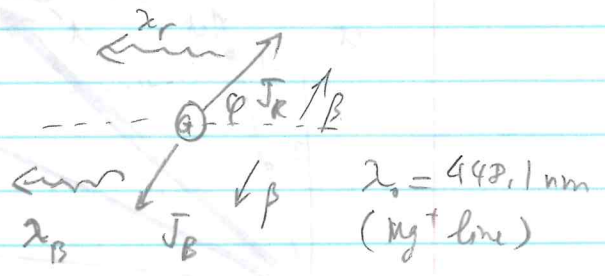
$$\cos \theta'_e = \frac{\cos \theta + \beta}{(1 + 2\beta \cos \theta + \beta^2)^{1/2}} = \cos(\theta - \theta'_e)$$

With Einsteinian postulates

$$\cos \theta' = \frac{\cos \theta + \beta}{1 - \beta \cos \theta}$$

$\rightarrow$  2 theories has different predictions  $\rightarrow$  but indistinguishable

- (E)  $\lambda_b = 420.2 \text{ nm}$
- $\lambda_r = 700.1 \text{ nm}$

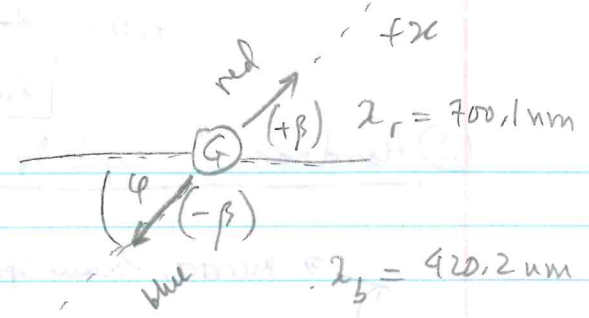
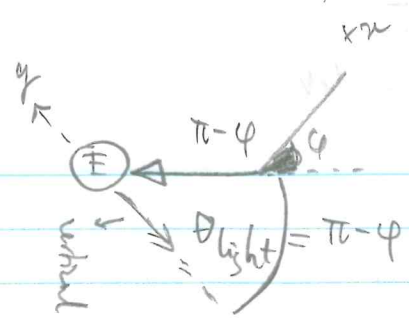


phi can be found

What is phi? phi\_fct(beta)?

SOLUTION below

(S)



Use eqn.

$$\text{In S: } \lambda' = \frac{\lambda}{\gamma} \frac{1}{1 - \beta \cos \theta} \Rightarrow \gamma \lambda' = \lambda \frac{1}{1 + \beta \cos \phi}$$

$$\Rightarrow \lambda = \gamma \lambda' (1 + \beta \cos \phi)$$

$$\Rightarrow \begin{cases} \lambda_b = \lambda_0 \gamma (1 - \beta \cos \phi) & \text{(approach)} \\ \lambda_r = \lambda_0 \gamma (1 + \beta \cos \phi) & \text{(recede)} \end{cases}$$

$$\Rightarrow \lambda_b + \lambda_r = \gamma \lambda_0 \Rightarrow \gamma = \frac{\lambda_b + \lambda_r}{2\lambda_0} = \frac{5}{4} \Rightarrow \beta = \frac{3}{5}$$

$$\hookrightarrow \text{Find } \phi = \lambda_r = \lambda_0 \gamma (1 + \beta \cos \phi)$$

$$\Rightarrow \phi = 65^\circ$$

Lab Oct 3

Clicks, Coincidences, Photons

① Goal of next 3 experiments

Explore the "fundamental mysteries of quantum mechanics"

WAVE - PARTICLE DUALITY

$$E(x,t) = E_0 \cos(kx - \omega t)$$

light  $\Rightarrow$  light is a stream of particles

~~1eV~~  $E = qV$

$1\text{eV} = 1.602 \times 10^{-19} \text{ J}$

$6.2 \times 10^{-19} \text{ J} = 1\text{eV}$

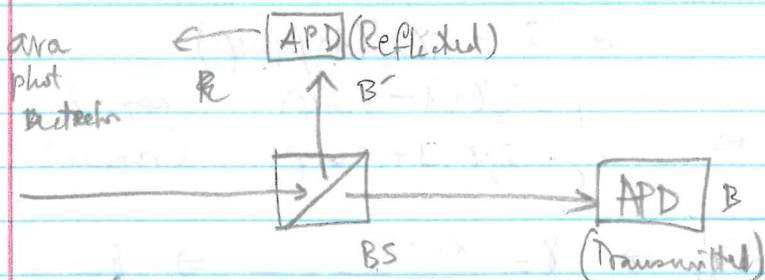
② Hardware for exploring

- mirrors, beam splitter, lenses
- fibers (optical fiber)
- Detectors → avalanche photodiode (like photomultiplier)
  - ↳ sensitive to small light intensity
  - ↳ DO NOT TURN LIGHTS ON / OPEN DOOR

1 count  $\neq$  1 photon

↳ All we know is that there's enough energy to excite electrons!

③ Goal of #1 Experiment



@  $B'$ : Rate of clicks =  $R_{B'}$

@  $B$ : Rate of clicks =  $R_B$

$\tau_c \ll \frac{1}{R_B} \rightarrow$  ~~time sensitivity limit~~ time sensitivity limit CCC time between clicks  
 (can run at high rates...  $\rightarrow$  I can tell if ~~it~~ <sup>that</sup> events  $B'$ ,  $B$  do not happen @ the same time?)

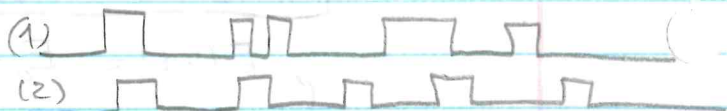
→ if wave  $\rightarrow$  same

→ if particle  $\rightarrow$  NOT same

2 photons same place  
↓

But I can accidentally get simultaneous clicks?  $\rightarrow$  YES (••)

ACCIDENTAL COINCIDENCES



What is the probability that (2) is high?  $\rightarrow R_2 = \tau_c \cdot R_1$

**What is the rate of accidental coincidences?**

→ What is the probability that both is high?

$P_{12} = P_2 \cdot R_1$   
↑  
prob of  $R_2$  high

$R_{12} = R_1 R_2 \tau_c$

$R_{acc}$ , in this case

**The anticorrelation parameter?**

$\alpha_{2D} = \frac{R_{12}}{R_{acc}} = \frac{R_{12}}{R_1 R_2 \tau_c}$   
2-detector      measured value on electronic

↑ coincidence rate  
↑ measured value on electronic  
↑ expected accidental coincidences

If  $\alpha_{2D} > 1$  → correlated more than by random chance

If  $\alpha_{2D} = 1$  → coincidences explainable by random

If  $\alpha_{2D} < 1$  → coincidence < random

Expect  $\alpha_{2D} < 1$  (if light = wave)

**Another view of  $\alpha_{2D}$**

Define  $P_1 = R_1 \tau_c$   
 $P_2 = R_2 \tau_c$  } →  $P_{12} = R_{12} \tau_c$

$\alpha_{2D} = \frac{R_{12}}{R_1 R_2 \tau_c} = \frac{P_{12} / \tau_c}{\frac{P_1}{\tau_c} \cdot \frac{P_2}{\tau_c} \cdot \tau_c} = \frac{P_{12}}{P_1 P_2}$

$\frac{P_{12}}{P_1 P_2}$

↑ probability of 2 clicks within  $\tau_c$



Semiclassical Theory of "clicks"

$P_1 \propto$  energy deposited by the light

$$P_1 = \eta_1 \cdot \tau_c \cdot \langle i_N^{(1)} \rangle$$

detector efficiency

how long I wait

$$i_n^{(1)} = \frac{1}{\tau_c} \int_{t_n}^{t_n + \tau_c} I_1(t) dt$$

average intensity over  $\tau_c$

$$\langle i_N^{(1)} \rangle = \frac{1}{N} \sum_{n=1}^N i_N^{(1)}$$

average over many  $\tau_c$

$$P_2 = \eta_2 \cdot \tau_c \langle i_N^{(2)} \rangle$$

detector efficiency

how long I wait

detector index

$$P_{12} = \eta_1 \eta_2 \cdot \tau_c^2 \langle i_N^{(1)} i_N^{(2)} \rangle \neq P_1 \cdot P_2$$

total eff.

average of product of average intensities

$$\frac{P_{12}}{P_1 P_2} = \frac{\eta_1 \eta_2 \tau_c^2 \langle i_N^{(1)} i_N^{(2)} \rangle}{\eta_1 \tau_c \langle i_N^{(1)} \rangle \cdot \eta_2 \tau_c \langle i_N^{(2)} \rangle} =$$

anti-correlation parameter

$$\frac{P_{12}}{P_1 P_2} = \frac{\langle i_N^{(1)} i_N^{(2)} \rangle}{\langle i_N^{(1)} \rangle \langle i_N^{(2)} \rangle} = \alpha_{2D}$$

DOES NOT depend on  $\eta_1, \eta_2$  and  $\tau_c$

$\alpha_{2D} = 1 \Leftrightarrow i_N^1, i_N^2 = \text{constant} \rightarrow \alpha_{2D} \neq 1$  if  $i$  fluctuates!

Proof  $\langle i_N^{(1)} \rangle = \frac{1}{N} \sum_{n=1}^N i_n^{(1)}$      $\langle i_N^{(2)} \rangle = \frac{1}{N} \sum_{n=2}^N i_n^{(2)}$

$$\langle i_N^{(1)} i_N^{(2)} \rangle = \frac{1}{N} \sum_{n=1}^N i_n^{(1)} \cdot i_n^{(2)}$$

let  $i_n^{(1)} = R \cdot i_n$  ,  $i_n^{(2)} = T \cdot i_n$  ,  $R + T = 1$

$$\alpha_{2D} = \frac{\langle RT i_n^2 \rangle}{\langle R i_n \rangle \langle T i_n \rangle} = \frac{\langle i_n^2 \rangle}{\langle i_n \rangle^2}$$

← average of squares of averages

← squared of averages

$$\langle i_n^2 \rangle = \frac{1}{N} \sum_{n=1}^N i_n^2$$

← average of  $i_n$

~~$\langle i_n^2 \rangle$~~   $\sigma^2 = \frac{1}{N} \sum_{n=1}^N (i_n - \langle i_n \rangle)^2$

$$= \frac{1}{N} \sum_{n=1}^N i_n^2 - 2 \langle i_n \rangle \frac{1}{N} \sum_{n=1}^N i_n + \langle i_n \rangle^2 \left( \frac{1}{N} \sum_{n=1}^N 1 \right)$$

$$= \langle i_n^2 \rangle - 2 \langle i_n \rangle^2 + \langle i_n \rangle^2 \geq 0$$

$$\sigma^2 = \langle i_n^2 \rangle - \langle i_n \rangle^2 \geq 0 \rightarrow \langle i_n^2 \rangle \geq \langle i_n \rangle^2$$

Classical wave  $\Rightarrow \alpha_{2D} \geq 1$  ~~since  $\alpha_{2D} < 1$~~

Particle  $\Rightarrow \alpha_{2D} < 1 \rightarrow$  structure of photon

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### ③. The Space-time interval An Invariant Is $c\Delta t > < = \Delta x$ ?

Is there a number that uniquely and in a frame independent way identifies the "kind" of separation between events?

#### SPACE-TIME INTERVAL

frame independent

not really

$$\Delta S^2 = c\Delta t^2 - \Delta x^2 - \Delta y^2 - \Delta z^2 \quad (\text{scalar})$$

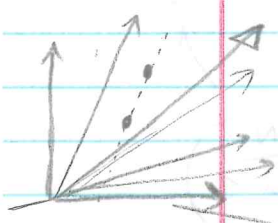
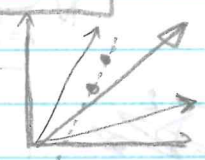
can take +, -

Frame independent  $\rightarrow \Delta S^2 = \Delta S'^2$

$$\begin{aligned} \Delta S'^2 &= (c\Delta t')^2 - \Delta x'^2 - \Delta y'^2 - \Delta z'^2 \\ &= \gamma^2 (c\Delta t - \beta\Delta x)^2 - \gamma^2 (\Delta x - \beta c\Delta t)^2 - \Delta y^2 - \Delta z^2 \\ &= \gamma^2 (c\Delta t)^2 - 2c\Delta t\beta\Delta x + (\beta\Delta x)^2 - \gamma^2 (\Delta x^2 - 2\beta c\Delta t\Delta x + \beta^2 (c\Delta t)^2) - \Delta y^2 - \Delta z^2 \\ &= (c\Delta t)^2 (\gamma^2 - \gamma^2 \beta^2) + (\Delta x)^2 (\gamma^2 \beta^2 - \gamma^2) - \Delta y^2 - \Delta z^2 \\ &= (c\Delta t)^2 (1 - \beta^2) - (\Delta x)^2 (1 - \beta^2) \gamma^2 - \Delta y^2 - \Delta z^2 \end{aligned}$$

$$\Delta S'^2 = (c\Delta t)^2 - \Delta x^2 - \Delta y^2 - \Delta z^2 = \Delta S^2$$

Time-like separated events:  $\Delta S^2 > 0$



- ①  $\Delta S^2 > 0$  in all frames  $\rightarrow |c\Delta t| > |\Delta x| \forall S$
- ② Events can be causally related.
- ③ a)  $\exists$  a frame where the events are collocated.  
b) Spatial arrangements can be reversed.
- ④ a) No frame in which they are simultaneous (time-like separated).  
b) They always have the same time order.

#### Definitions

The time interval in the frame where the events happen at the same place

Proper time

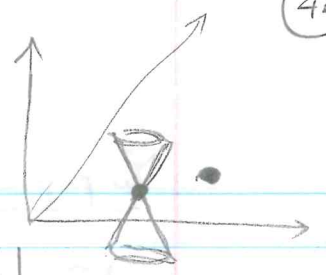
$$(c\Delta\tau)^2 = \Delta S^2$$

$$\Delta\tau = \frac{\sqrt{|\Delta S^2|}}{c} = \frac{\Delta S}{c}$$

Proper distance

Distance between events in the frame where they happen simultaneously

$$\Delta\tau = \sqrt{-\Delta S^2}$$



Spacelike separations  $\Delta s^2 < 0$

- ①  $\Delta s^2 < 0$  in all frames  $\rightarrow |c\Delta t| < |\Delta x|$
- ② Events can NOT be causally related
- ③ a) There is NO frame where they are collocated  
b) Spatial arrangements can NOT be reversed
- ④ a)  $\exists$  a frame in which they are simultaneous  
b) Time order can be reversed in some frames

Light-like separation  $\Delta s^2 = 0$

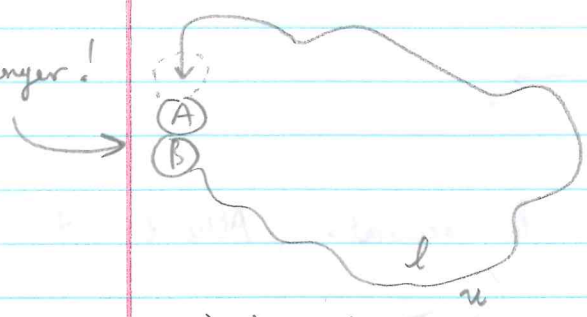
- ①  $\Delta s^2 = 0$  in all frames  $\rightarrow |c\Delta t| = |\Delta x|$
- ② Can be causally connected only by a signal w/  $v=c$
- ③ Can neither be SIMULTANEOUS nor COLOCATED in any frame

④ The twin paradox

a) Einstein's clock paradox

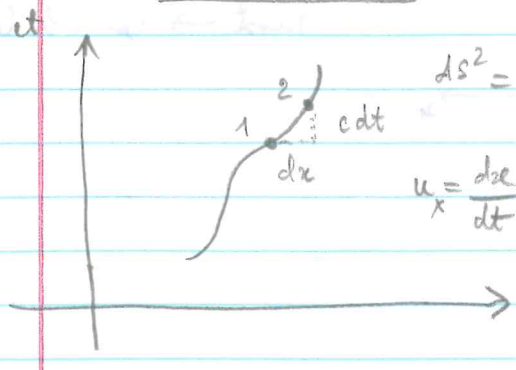
1905 paper

⑧ younger!



Paradox  $\Delta t_{lag} = \frac{tu^2}{2c^2} = \frac{ul}{2c^2}$  (for  $u \ll c$ )

b) Elapsed proper time



$ds^2 = (cdt)^2 - dx^2 \rightarrow ds^2 = (cdt)^2 - u^2(dt)^2$

$u_x = \frac{dx}{dt} \rightarrow dx^2 = u^2 dt^2 \rightarrow ds^2 = c^2(dt)^2 \left(1 - \frac{u_x^2}{c^2}\right)$

In 3-D

$ds^2 = c^2(dt)^2 \left(1 - \frac{u^2}{c^2}\right)$

The proper time interval between any 2 events

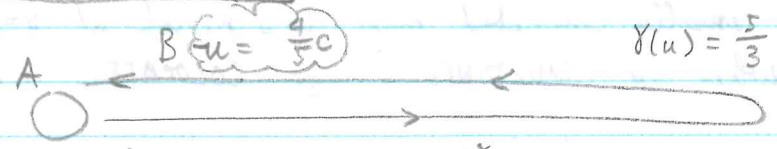
$$\Delta\tau = \int_{t_1}^{t_2} dt = \int_{t_1}^{t_2} \sqrt{\frac{ds^2}{c^2}} = \int_{t_1}^{t_2} (dt) \sqrt{1 - \frac{u^2}{c^2}} = \int_{t_1}^{t_2} \frac{1}{\gamma(u)} dt \quad \rightarrow u = u(t)$$

Einstein result

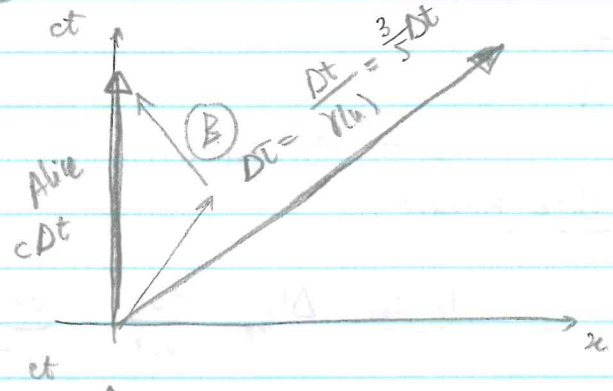
$$\Delta t_{\text{log}} = \frac{l}{u} \sqrt{1 - \frac{u^2}{c^2}} = \frac{l}{u} \left( 1 - \sqrt{1 - \frac{u^2}{c^2}} \right) \approx \frac{l}{u} \left( 1 - \left( 1 - \frac{1}{2} \frac{u^2}{c^2} \right) \right) = \left( \frac{l}{u} \cdot \frac{1}{2} \frac{u^2}{c^2} \right) = \frac{lu}{2c^2}$$

Taylor expand

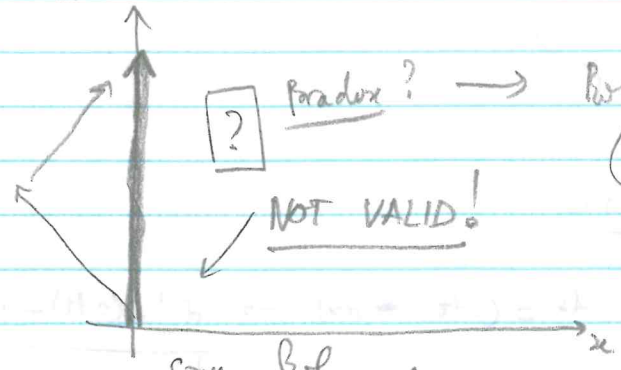
The twin paradox



Alice's frame



Bob's frame



Since Bob accelerates!

Paradox?  $\rightarrow$  Bob accelerates, Alice doesn't

$\hookrightarrow$  The person who accelerates the most  $\rightarrow$  ages the least

NOT VALID!

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New goal: Relativistic Dynamics

Galilean dynamics

F = ma, p1p · p2i = F1f · F2f

Relativistic Dynamics?

p = mv NOT Lorentz invariant

Ho. Four-vectors

1. Three-vectors

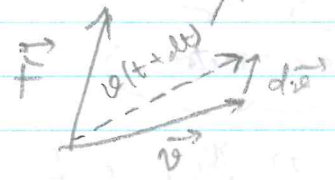
a. The power of vector notation

F = m dv/dt

abbreviations: Fx = mdvx/dt, Fy = mdvy/dt, Fz = mdvz/dt

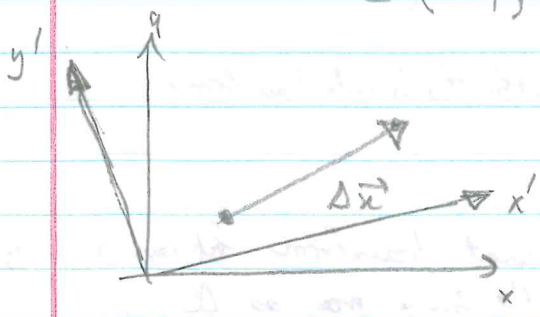
dv = F/m dt

frame independent



b. The prototype vector

Delta X = (Delta x, Delta y, Delta z) = Delta r = (Delta x1, Delta x2, Delta x3)S = (Delta x1', Delta x2', Delta x3')S'



||Delta X|| const

Delta x\_i ↔ Delta x\_i'

Delta x invariant under translation/rotation of frames

c. What is a 3-vector?

↳ Is an "object" that transforms the same way as displacements under transformations if (1) rotation of axes (2) displacement of the origin.

d. What is a scalar?

↳ A number that doesn't change when you change coordinate system

Ex  $\|\vec{r}\|^2 = (\vec{r} \cdot \vec{r})$

time

mass

$\vec{a} \cdot \vec{b} = \|\vec{a}\| \|\vec{b}\| \cdot \cos\phi$

e) Combination of vectors and scalars

$\vec{F} = m\vec{a}$

$\vec{v} = \frac{dx}{dt}$

2. Four-vectors

a) The power of 4-vector notation

simplification

$\sum_i p_i + \sum_i p_i = \sum_i p_i + \sum_i p_i$

↳ frame independent (Lorentz transform independent)

b) The prototype 4-vector

$\Delta \underline{S} = (c\Delta t, \Delta x, \Delta y, \Delta z)_0$

these transform with the Lorentz transform

c) What is a 4-vector

↳ A set of 4 numbers that transform between relatively moving frames in the same way as  $\underline{S}$

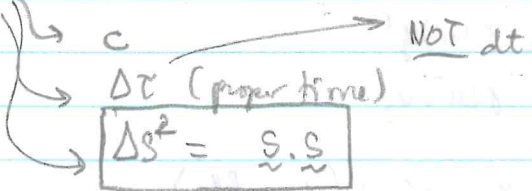
$$\underline{\underline{\vec{A}}} = (A_0, A_1, A_2, A_3)_S = (A'_0, A'_1, A'_2, A'_3)_{S'}$$

transform rules  $\left\{ \begin{array}{l} A'_0 = \gamma(v) (A_0 - \beta A_1) \\ A'_1 = \gamma(v) (A_1 - \beta A_0) \end{array} \right. , \begin{array}{l} A'_2 = A_2 \\ A'_3 = A_3 \end{array}$

d. What is a four-scalar?

→ A number that doesn't change between frames.

Example



$$\underline{\underline{S.S}} = (c\Delta t)^2 - (\Delta x)^2 - (\Delta y)^2 - (\Delta z)^2$$

$$\underline{\underline{A.A}} = A_0^2 - A_1^2 - A_2^2 - A_3^2 \rightarrow \text{TRUE}$$

$$\underline{\underline{A.B}} = A_0 B_0 - A_1 B_1 - A_2 B_2 - A_3 B_3 \rightarrow \text{Same in all frames}$$

d) Combination of 4-vectors = 4-scalars

$$\underline{\underline{A}} \rightarrow c\underline{\underline{A}} = \underline{\underline{B}} \leftarrow \text{new four vector}$$

$(u \neq \frac{d\vec{x}}{dt})$   
↑  
not a scalar

4-velocity

$$\underline{\underline{u}} = \frac{d\underline{\underline{S}}}{d\tau}$$

3. 4-velocity

$$(dt = \gamma(u) d\tau) \rightarrow \frac{dt}{d\tau} = \gamma(u)$$

$$\underline{\underline{u}} = \frac{d\underline{\underline{S}}}{d\tau} = \frac{d\underline{\underline{S}}}{dt} \left( \frac{dt}{d\tau} \right) = \gamma(u) \left( \frac{d\underline{\underline{S}}}{dt} \right) = \gamma(u) \bullet (c, u_x, u_y, u_z)$$



time ↑                  space ↑

$$\underline{u} = (\gamma(u)c, \gamma(u)\vec{u})_S \quad \underline{u}' = (\gamma(u')c, \gamma(u')\vec{u}')_{S'}$$

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a) Form-velocity transform      transform rule

$$\left. \begin{aligned} (1) \quad u'_0 &= \gamma(v) [u_0 - \beta u_1] = \gamma(v) [\gamma(u)c - \beta \gamma(u)u_x] = \gamma(u')c \\ u'_1 &= \gamma(u) [u_1 - \beta u_0] = \gamma(u) [\gamma(u)u_x - \beta \gamma(u)c] = \gamma(u')u'_x \\ u'_2 &= u_2 = \gamma(u)u_y = \gamma(u')u'_y \\ u'_3 &= u_3 = \gamma(u)u_z = \gamma(u')u'_z \end{aligned} \right\}$$

$$(2) \rightarrow \gamma(u') = \gamma(v)\gamma(u) \left(1 - \frac{\beta u_x}{c}\right)$$

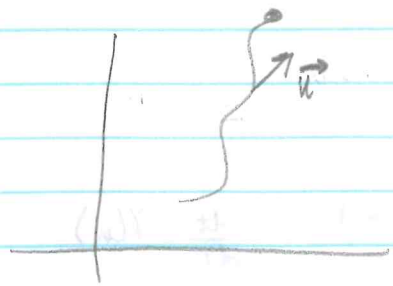
$$\left(1 - \frac{u'^2}{c^2}\right) \left(1 - \frac{v u_x}{c}\right) = \left(1 - \frac{v^2}{c^2}\right) \left(1 - \frac{u^2}{c^2}\right)$$

b) Meaning of  $\underline{u}$

Magnitude:  $(\underline{u} \cdot \underline{u})^{1/2} = \left[ \gamma^2(u)c^2 \left(1 - \frac{u^2}{c^2}\right) \right]^{1/2}$

$\hookrightarrow = c$

direction: along the world line (perp to the world line)



$$dt = \gamma(u) dt'$$

$$\frac{d}{dt} \gamma(u) = \frac{d}{dt} \left[ 1 - \frac{\vec{u} \cdot \vec{u}}{c^2} \right]^{-1/2} = \gamma^3(u) \vec{u} \cdot \vec{a}$$

(50)

↑  
3-vector

#### 4. Four acceleration

$$\begin{aligned} \vec{A} &= \frac{d\vec{u}}{dt} = \frac{d\vec{u}}{dt} \cdot \frac{dt}{dt'} = \gamma(u) \cdot \frac{d\vec{u}}{dt} = \gamma(u) \cdot \left[ \frac{d}{dt} \gamma(u) c, \frac{d}{dt} \gamma(u) \vec{u} \right] \\ &= \gamma(u) \cdot \left[ c \frac{d\gamma(u)}{dt}, \vec{u} \frac{d\gamma(u)}{dt} + \gamma(u) \frac{d\vec{u}}{dt} \right] \\ &= \gamma(u) \cdot \left[ c \cdot \left( \frac{-1}{2} \right) \cdot \left( 1 - \frac{\vec{u} \cdot \vec{u}}{c^2} \right)^{-3/2} \cdot (-2\vec{u} \cdot \vec{a}), \vec{u} \left[ \frac{-1}{2} \right] \left( 1 - \frac{\vec{u} \cdot \vec{u}}{c^2} \right)^{-3/2} \cdot (-2\vec{u} \cdot \vec{a}) \right. \\ &\quad \left. + \gamma(u) \cdot \vec{a} \right] \end{aligned}$$

$$\vec{A} = \gamma(u) \cdot \left[ c \gamma^3(u) \vec{u} \cdot \vec{a}, \gamma^3(u) \vec{u} \cdot \vec{a} + \gamma(u) \cdot \vec{a} \right]$$

#### I. Relativistic Dynamics

What happens when obj interact?

##### 1. Classical Mechanics

(1)  $\vec{F} = m\vec{a}$ ,  $\vec{F}_{12} = -\vec{F}_{21}$

(2)  $\sum_{i=1}^n m_i \vec{v}_i = \sum_{i=1}^n m_i \vec{v}_i' = \text{const}$  (cons. of momentum)

$\sum_{i=1}^n m_i = \text{const}$  (conservation of mass)

##### 2. Four-momentum

→ We know that  $m_1 v_{1x} + m_2 v_{2x} + \dots = m_3 v_{3x} + m_4 v_{4x} + \dots$

↓ Lorentz transform

$m_1 v_{1x}' + m_2 v_{2x}' + \dots = m_3 v_{3x}' + m_4 v_{4x}' + \dots$

a) Four-vector momentum

$P_0$        $\vec{P}$  (relativistic 3-momentum)

$\vec{P} = m\vec{u} = (P_0, \vec{P}) = (\gamma(u)mc, \gamma(u)m\vec{u})_S$

$\vec{P}$  is a four-vector

if  $\vec{P}_1 + \vec{P}_2 = \vec{P}_3 + \vec{P}_4$   
 ↓ Lorentz-transformation  
 $\vec{P}'_1 + \vec{P}'_2 = \vec{P}'_3 + \vec{P}'_4$

3. Interpretation of 4-momentum? → Meaning of  $(P_0, \vec{P})$ ?

a. Non-relativistic reduction?

let  $v \ll c$ ,  $\gamma(u) \approx (1 + \frac{1}{2} \frac{u^2}{c^2})$

Spatial  $\vec{P} = \gamma(u)m\vec{u} \approx (1 + \frac{1}{2} \frac{u^2}{c^2})m\vec{u} \approx m\vec{u} = \vec{p}$

Time  $P_0 = \gamma(u)mc \approx (1 + \frac{1}{2} \frac{u^2}{c^2})mc \approx mc + \frac{1}{2} \frac{mu^2}{c}$

$cP_0 = mc^2 + \frac{1}{2} mu^2$

energy for just having mass.

b. Interpretation of  $P_0, \vec{P}$

$\vec{P} = \gamma(u)m\vec{u}$  ← relativistic momentum

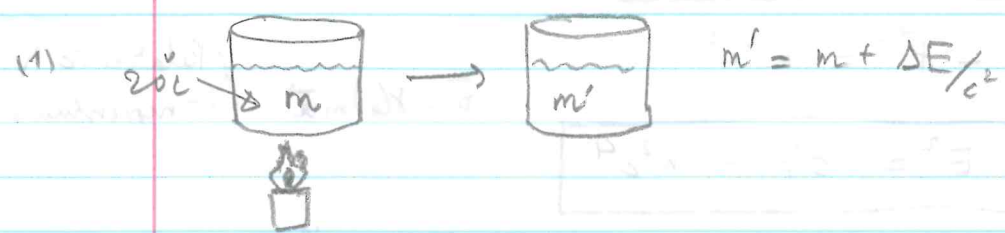
$cP_0 = \gamma(u)mc^2$  ← relativistic total energy  
 $\approx mc^2 + \frac{1}{2}mv^2$  ( $v \ll c$ )

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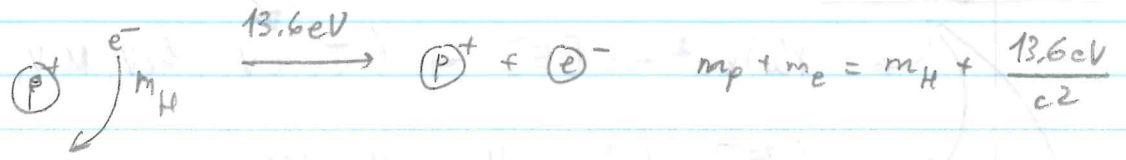
c. The equivalence of mass-energy  
 the interpretation of  $cP_0$  as total energy implies

$E(u=0/v=1) = mc^2$  ← mass-energy equivalence

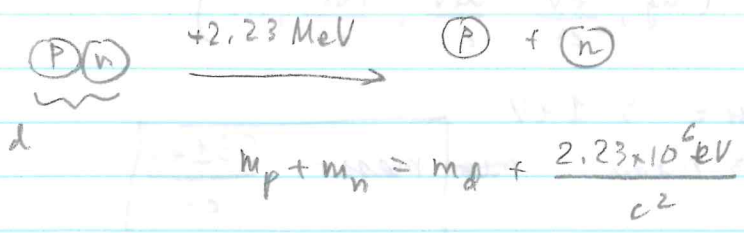
Implications



(2) Binding reduces mass



(3)



$m_p c^2 \approx 931 \text{ MeV}$      $m_d c^2 \approx 2m_p c^2$   
 $m_n c^2 \approx 931 \text{ MeV}$

The theory works!

d) Relativistic kinetic Energy

$E = \gamma(u) m c^2$  ← total energy  
 $E_0 = m c^2$  ← rest energy

$K = E - E_0 = (\gamma(u) - 1) m c^2$  (relativistic KE)

e) The energy-momentum invariant

$\vec{p}_1 \cdot \vec{p}_2 = \vec{p}'_1 \cdot \vec{p}'_2$  → invariant

For a single particle  $\vec{p} \cdot \vec{p} = p_0^2 - \vec{p}^2 = \gamma^2 m^2 c^2 - \gamma^2 m^2 (\vec{u} \cdot \vec{u})$   
 $= \gamma^2 m^2 c^2 (1 - \frac{u^2}{c^2}) = \gamma^2 m^2 c^2 \frac{1}{\gamma^2} = m^2 c^2$

$$\left(\frac{E}{c}, \vec{p}\right)$$

$$p_0^2 - \vec{p}^2 = m^2 c^2$$

$$\vec{p} = \left(\gamma(u)/mc, \gamma(u)m\vec{u}\right)$$

$$\frac{E^2}{c^2} - \vec{p}^2 = m^2 c^2$$

$\vec{p} = \gamma(u)m\vec{u}$  (Relativistic 3-momentum)

$$E^2 = c^2 p^2 + m^2 c^4$$

Aside on units

$1.6 \times 10^{-19} \text{ J}$

$\gamma(u)mc^2 \rightarrow [E] \rightarrow (\text{J}, \text{eV}, \text{keV}, \text{MeV}, \text{GeV}, \text{TeV})$

$m \rightarrow \left[\frac{E}{c^2}\right] (\text{kg}, \frac{\text{eV}}{c^2}, \frac{\text{keV}}{c^2}, \frac{\text{MeV}}{c^2}, \dots)$

People say: mass = 931 eV

$\hookrightarrow$  mean: ~~mass~~

$$\text{mass} = \frac{931 \text{ eV}}{c^2}$$

$c p \rightarrow (\text{J}, \text{eV}, \dots)$

$\hookrightarrow p \rightarrow \left(\frac{\text{kgm}}{\text{s}}, \frac{\text{eV}}{c}, \dots\right)$

People say:  $p = ? \text{ eV} \rightarrow$  mean

$$p = \frac{? \text{ eV}}{c}$$

f. Energy-momentum transformation

$$\begin{cases} ct' = \gamma(ct - \beta x) \\ x' = \gamma(x - \beta ct) \end{cases}$$

$$cp_0' = \gamma(v)(cp_0 - cp_1)$$

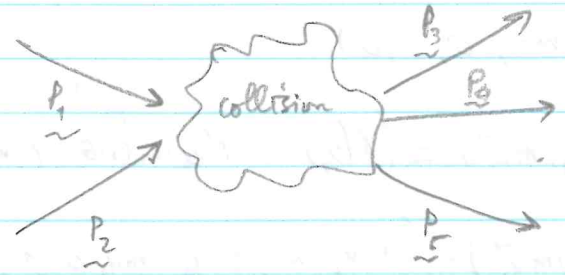
$$E' = \gamma(v)(E - \beta c p_1)$$

$$p_1' = \gamma(v)(p_1 - \beta \frac{E}{c})$$

$(ct, x, y, z)$   
 $(cp_0, p_1, p_2, p_3)$

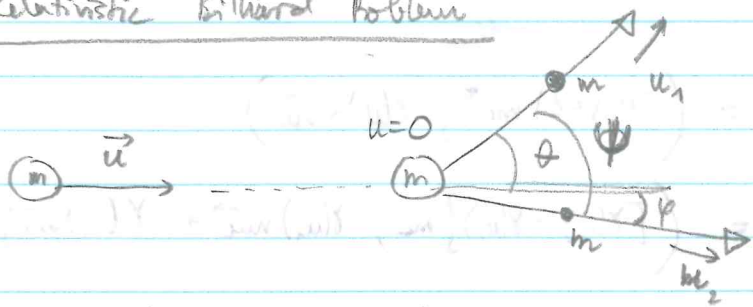
4. Testing four-momentum conservation

Is conservation of 4-momentum a thing?



a) Relativistic Billiard Problem

(elastic collision)



kinematics (conservation laws)

don't alone determine u1, u2, theta, phi

1) Newtonian mechanics results

$\vec{p} : m\vec{u} = m\vec{u}_1 + m\vec{u}_2$

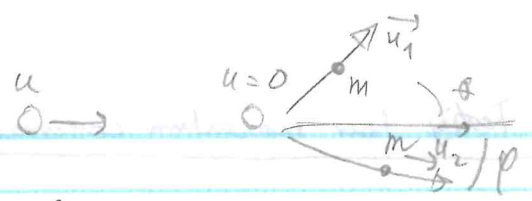
$k : \frac{1}{2}m u^2 = \frac{1}{2}m u_1^2 + \frac{1}{2}m u_2^2 \rightarrow u_1^2 + u_2^2 = u^2$

(Newtonian physics!)

$(\vec{p})^2 \Rightarrow (u)^2 = (u_1)^2 + (u_2)^2 + 2\vec{u}_1 \cdot \vec{u}_2$   
 $u^2 = u_1^2 + u_2^2 + 2u_1 u_2 \cdot \cos(\vec{u}_1, \vec{u}_2)$

$(\vec{u}_1, \vec{u}_2) = \frac{\pi}{2} \Rightarrow \Psi = 90^\circ$   
or  $(\vec{u}_1 \text{ or } \vec{u}_2 = \vec{0})$

ii.) Relativistic Result



(turns out  $\psi + \theta < 90^\circ$ )

$$\underline{p}_1 = (\gamma(u)mc, \gamma(u)m\vec{u}) = (\gamma(u)mc, \gamma(u)mu, 0, 0)$$

$$\underline{p}_2 = (mc, \vec{0}) = (mc, 0, 0, 0)$$

$$\underline{p}_0 = (\gamma(u_1)mc, \gamma(u_1)m\vec{u}_1) = (\gamma(u_1)mc, \gamma(u_1)mc\cos\theta, \gamma(u_1)mu_1\sin\theta, 0)$$

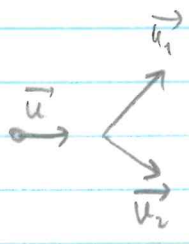
$$\underline{p}_4 = (\gamma(u_2)mc, \gamma(u_2)m\vec{u}_2) = (\gamma(u_2)mc, \gamma(u_2)mu_2\cos\phi, \gamma(u_2)mu_2\sin\phi, 0)$$

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$$\underline{p}_{total\ initial} = ((\gamma(u)+1)mc, \gamma(u)m\vec{u})$$

$$\underline{p}_{total\ final} = ((\gamma(u_1)+\gamma(u_2))mc, \gamma(u_1)m\vec{u}_1 + \gamma(u_2)m\vec{u}_2)$$



Vector (space-like) part:

$$\gamma(u)m\vec{u} = \gamma(u_1)m\vec{u}_1 + \gamma(u_2)m\vec{u}_2$$

$$\gamma(u) \frac{u^2}{c^2} = \gamma^2(u_1) \frac{u_1^2}{c^2} + \gamma^2(u_2) \frac{u_2^2}{c^2} + 2\gamma(u_1)\gamma(u_2) \frac{\vec{u}_1 \cdot \vec{u}_2}{c^2}$$

$$(\gamma^2(u)-1) = (\gamma^2(u_1)-1) + (\gamma^2(u_2)-1) + 2\gamma(u_1)\gamma(u_2) \frac{\vec{u}_1 \cdot \vec{u}_2}{c^2}$$

$$\gamma^2(u) = \gamma^2(u_1) + \gamma^2(u_2) - 1 + 2\gamma(u_1)\gamma(u_2) \frac{\vec{u}_1 \cdot \vec{u}_2}{c^2} \quad (*)$$

$$\frac{\gamma^2(u)-1}{c^2} = \gamma^2 - 1$$

$$\frac{\gamma u}{c} = \sqrt{\gamma^2 - 1}$$

Scalar (time-like) part:

$$(\gamma(u)+1) = \gamma(u_1) + \gamma(u_2)$$

$$(*) \Rightarrow \gamma(u_1)\gamma(u_2) \frac{\vec{u}_1 \cdot \vec{u}_2}{c^2} = (\gamma(u_1)-1)(\gamma(u_2)-1) \neq 0 \dots$$

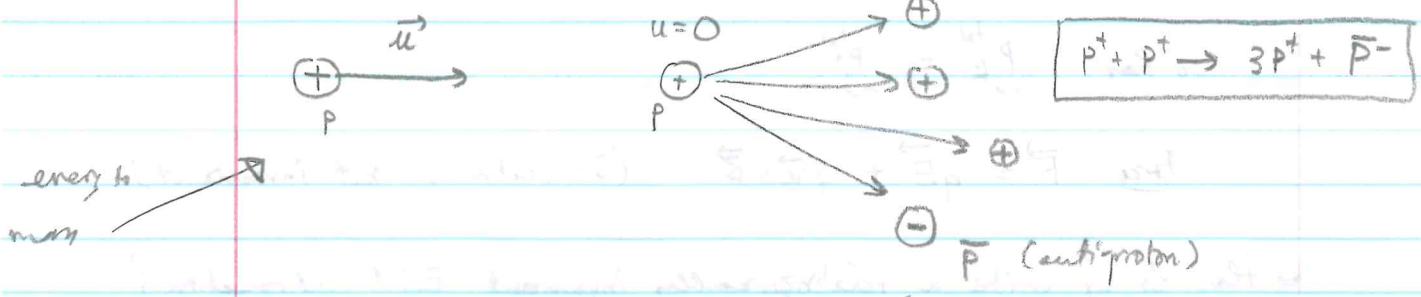
$$\left[ \gamma(u_1) \frac{u_1}{c} \right] \left[ \gamma(u_2) \frac{u_2}{c} \right] \cos\psi = (\gamma(u_1)-1)(\gamma(u_2)-1)$$

$\psi < 90^\circ$

$$\cos\psi = \frac{(\gamma(u_1)-1)(\gamma(u_2)-1)}{(\gamma(u_1)+1)(\gamma(u_2)+1)} \quad (*)$$

6. Collisions & Particle Creation

$m_p c^2 = 931.5 \text{ MeV}$



Segre & Chamberlain at Berkeley (1955)

↳ "Bevatron" → Target →  $E_p = 6.0 \text{ GeV}$

$$P_{\text{initial}} = (\gamma(u_1) + 1)mc, \gamma(u_1)m\vec{u}$$

$$P_{\text{final}} = ([\gamma(u_1) + \gamma(u_2) + \gamma(u_3) + \gamma(u_4)]mc, m[\gamma(u_1)\vec{u}_1 + \gamma(u_2)\vec{u}_2 + \gamma(u_3)\vec{u}_3 + \gamma(u_4)\vec{u}_4])$$

What's the threshold  $\gamma(u)$ ?

Insight from the "center of mass" frame



At threshold

↳  $P_{\text{final}} = (4\gamma(u_p)mc, 4\gamma(u_p)m\vec{u}_p)$  along  $\vec{u}$



$$\begin{cases} \gamma(u)mc = 4\gamma(u_p)m \\ (\gamma(u)+1)mc^2 = 4\gamma(u_p)mc^2 \end{cases}$$

... →  $\gamma(u) = 7$

→  $E = \gamma(u)mc^2 = 7 \text{ GeV}$  → kinetic energy = 1 GeV

$$\frac{\gamma(u)u}{c} = \sqrt{\gamma^2 - 1}$$



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5. Forces and relativistic dynamics

So far:  $\vec{p}_f^{tot} = \vec{p}_i^{tot}$

Force  $\vec{F} = q\vec{E} + q\vec{u} \times \vec{B}$  (3-vector ... not invariant)

How do we write a relativistically invariant EM interaction?

a. Acceleration, velocity, mass

Newtonian:  $\vec{F} = m\vec{a} = m \frac{d\vec{u}}{dt} = \frac{d(m\vec{u})}{dt} = \frac{d\vec{p}}{dt}$

by def.  $\vec{u} = \frac{d\vec{r}}{dt}$ ,  $\vec{a} = \frac{d\vec{u}}{dt}$

Relativistic 3-vector - 4-vector

3-vector  $\vec{r} = (x, y, z)_S$ ,  $\vec{u} = \left(\frac{dx}{dt}, \frac{dy}{dt}, \frac{dz}{dt}\right)_S$ ,  $\vec{a} = \left(\frac{du_x}{dt}, \frac{du_y}{dt}, \frac{du_z}{dt}\right)_S$

4-vector  $\vec{S} = (ct, x, y, z)_S$

3-vector part (+) 3-velocity (spatial)

$\vec{U} = \frac{d\vec{S}}{dt} = \gamma(u) \frac{d\vec{S}}{dt} = (\gamma uc, \gamma(u)\vec{u})_S$

proportional

$\vec{A} = \gamma(u) \frac{d\vec{U}}{dt} = \left[ \gamma^4(u) \frac{\vec{u}\vec{a}}{c}, \gamma^4(u) \left( \frac{\vec{u}\vec{a}}{c} \cdot \frac{\vec{u}}{c} + \gamma^2(u) \vec{a} \right) \right]$

time

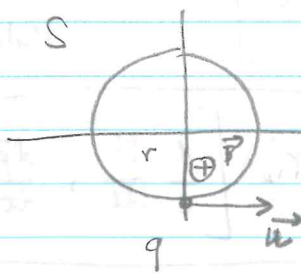
space

$\vec{a} \cdot \gamma^2(u) \cdot \left( \frac{\gamma^2 u^2}{c^2} + 1 \right)$

$\gamma^2(u)$

$\gamma^4 \vec{a}$

Example Circular motion  $\rightarrow$  3-acceleration  
 $\rightarrow$  4-acceleration



$$\vec{u} = (u, 0, 0)_S$$

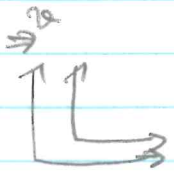
$$\vec{u} \cdot \vec{a} = 0$$

$$\vec{a} = \left( 0, \frac{u^2}{r}, 0 \right)_S$$

$$U = (\gamma(u)c, \gamma(u)u, 0, 0)_S$$

$$A = \left( 0, 0, \gamma^2(u) \frac{u^2}{r}, 0 \right)_S \quad (\vec{u} \cdot \vec{a} = 0)$$

(S) is lab frame  
 (S') frame follows  
 particle!



transform to new frame with  $\vec{u}' = 0$   
 instantaneously co-moving (S') moving with speed  $v$

$$v = u \Rightarrow \begin{cases} A'_0 = \gamma(u) (A_0 - \beta A_1) = 0 \\ A'_1 = \gamma(u) (A_1 - \beta A_0) = 0 \\ A'_2 = A_2 = \boxed{\gamma^2(u) \frac{u^2}{r}} \\ A'_3 = A_3 = 0 \end{cases}$$

$$\vec{A}' = \left( 0, 0, \gamma^2(u) \frac{u^2}{r}, 0 \right)_{S'} \quad \begin{matrix} (u' = 0) \\ (v = u) \end{matrix}$$

$$\vec{A}_{rest} = \left( \gamma^4(u=0) \cdot \frac{\vec{0} \cdot \vec{a}}{c}, \gamma^4(u) \cdot \frac{\vec{0} \cdot \vec{a}}{c} \cdot \vec{0} + \gamma^2(u=0) \cdot \vec{a} \right)_{S'}$$

$$= \left( 0, \vec{a} \right)_S$$

$$\boxed{a'^2 = \gamma^2(u) \frac{u^2}{r}} \quad \boxed{a'_y \neq a_y}$$

b) The four-vector force (Minkowski force)

$$\underline{F} = \frac{d\underline{P}}{d\underline{\tau}} = \gamma(u) \cdot \frac{d\underline{P}}{dt} = \gamma(u) \frac{d}{dt} \left[ \frac{E}{c}, \vec{p} \right]$$

$$\underline{F} = \gamma(u) \frac{d}{dt} \left[ \frac{1}{c} \frac{dE}{dt}, \frac{d\vec{p}}{dt} \right] = \gamma(u) \frac{d}{dt} \left[ \frac{1}{c} \frac{dE}{dt}, \frac{d\vec{p}}{dt} \right] = \underline{F}$$

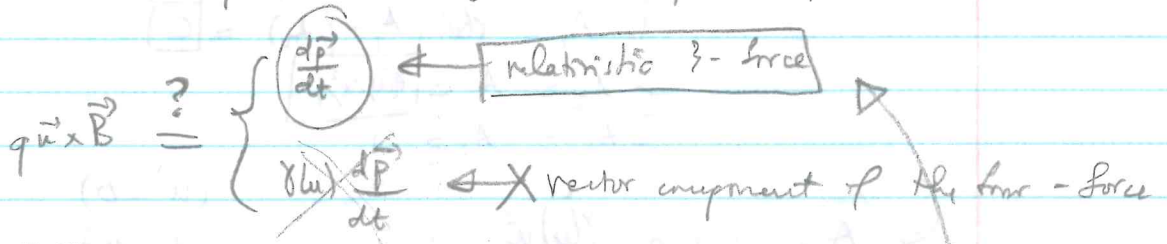
$\gamma(u)mc^2$

For constant mass particle  $\underline{F} = m \frac{d\underline{k}}{dt} = m \underline{a}$

$\underline{F} = \gamma(u) \left[ \frac{1}{c} \frac{dE}{dt}, \vec{F} \right]$  (relativistic 3-force)

Example

$\vec{F} = q \vec{u} \times \vec{B}$  (magnetic analysis of particle)



$\underline{F} = m\gamma(u) \left[ \gamma^3(u) \frac{\vec{u} \cdot \vec{a}}{c}, \gamma^3(u) \frac{\vec{u} \times \vec{a}}{c} + \gamma(u) \vec{a} \right]$

For relativistic particles in a  $\vec{B}$  field

$q \vec{u} \times \vec{B} =$  "still" makes circular motion

$\frac{d\vec{p}}{dt} = m\gamma(u) \vec{a}$

$\|q \vec{u} \times \vec{B}\| = m\gamma(u) \frac{u^2}{r} \Rightarrow r = \frac{m\gamma(u)u}{qB}$

only difference:  
from  $r = \frac{mv}{qB}$

can measure  $\gamma$  using  $\vec{p}$

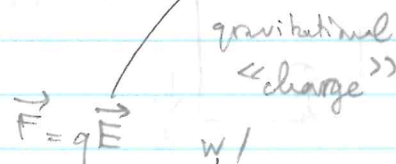
J. The General theory of relativity - A brief introduction

Special relativity → considers observers in inertial frames

General relativity → observations in relatively accelerating frames.  
↳ and it's a theory of gravity!

(1) Why Einstein included gravity in theory of general relativity?

(a) Newton's gravitation  $\vec{F} = m\vec{a}$  —  $\vec{F} = m\vec{g} = m \frac{GM}{r^2} \hat{r}$



In reality →  $m_I = m_g$  → all objects fall at the same acceleration

Experimentally  $m_I = m_g$  to precision of  $10^{-11}$

(b) Problems with Newton's gravitation  $\vec{F} = m \frac{GM}{r^2} \hat{r}$  (1)

↳ Is not Lorentz-invariant

(2) You can't eliminate gravitational forces

only attractive g-force

↳ there's always gravitational frame

↳ there's only one sign for  $m_g$  gravitational charge

(2) The Equivalence principle

↳ In a freely falling frame, you do eliminate gravity

↳ rules of special relativity hold

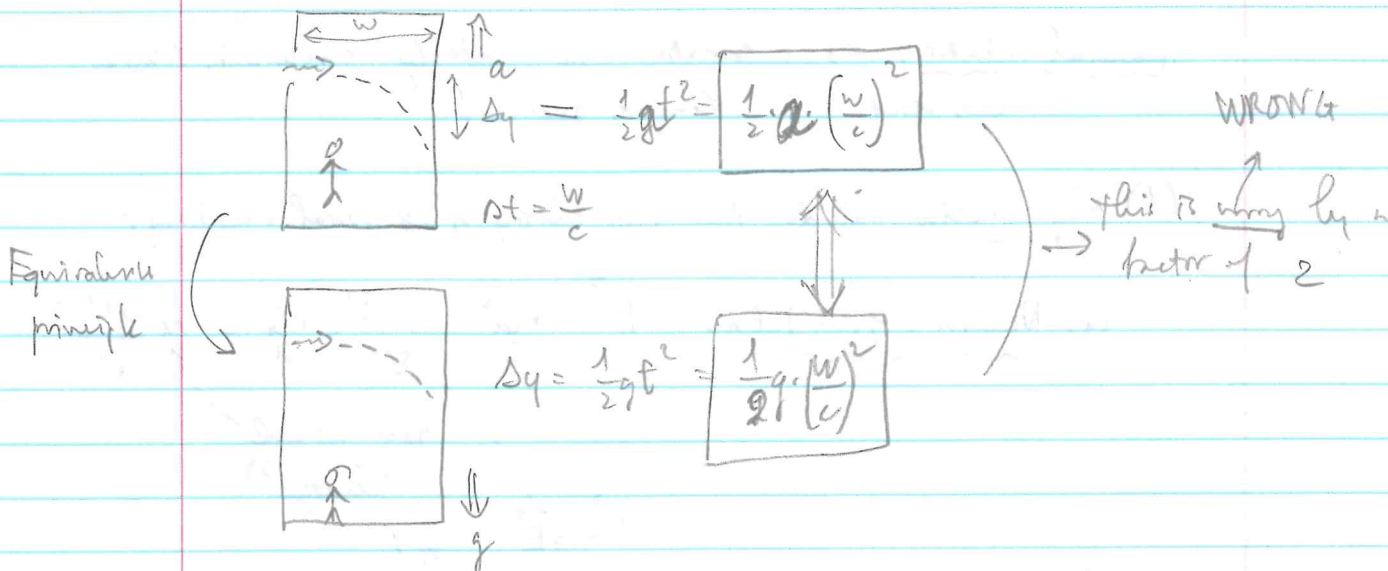
↳ there's no observable difference between a real acceleration + gravity

The "strong" equivalence principle

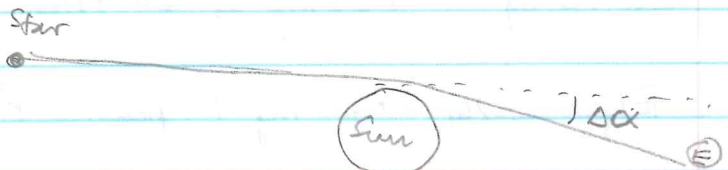
↳ In freely falling frames, all of the laws of physics obey the rules of special relativity

⇒ Inferences from the equivalence principle

a) freely falling light → light's path in a gravitational field is bent / curved



Eddington's Eclipse

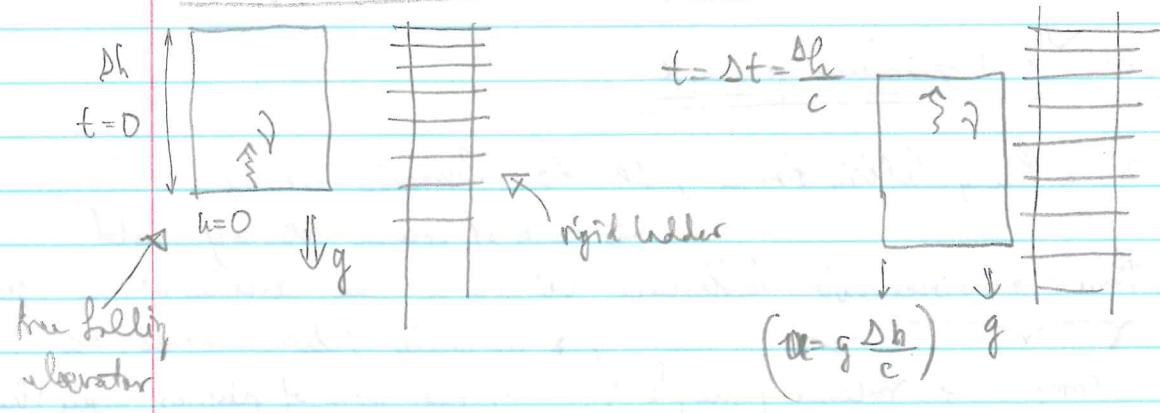


Prediction by GR →  $\Delta \alpha = 1.75''$

Eddington measured  $1.90 \pm 0.2''$  (1919)

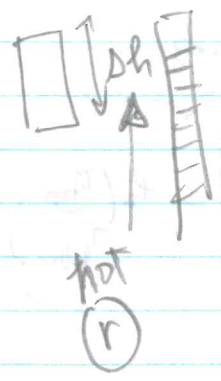
Fomalont & Sramek  $1.775 \pm 0.02''$  (1977)

(b) Gravitational time dilation (gravitational red shift)



Observer from elevator  $\rightarrow v$  is constant

Observer from earth  $\rightarrow v_{bottom} = v$   $v_{top} = v \left[ \frac{1-v/c}{1+v/c} \right]^{1/2}$   
 $= v \left(1 - \frac{v}{c}\right)^{1/2} \left(1 + \frac{v}{c}\right)^{-1/2}$



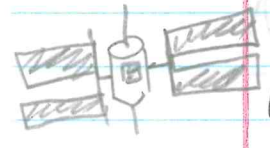
Taylor expand  $\Rightarrow v_{top} \approx v \cdot \left(1 - \frac{1 \cdot v}{2c}\right) \left(1 - \frac{1 \cdot v}{2c}\right) = v \left(1 - \frac{v}{c} + \frac{v^2}{4c^2}\right)$

$v_{top} = v \left(1 - \frac{v}{c}\right) \rightarrow v_{top} = v_{bottom} \left(1 - \frac{g\Delta h}{c^2}\right)$   $\rightarrow$  smaller freq @ top  $\rightarrow$  (red shifted)

$\tau_{top} \cdot \frac{1}{v_{top}} = \tau_{bottom} \cdot \frac{1}{v_{bottom}} \Rightarrow \tau_{top} = \frac{1}{v} \left(\frac{1+v/c}{1-v/c}\right)^{1/2} = \tau_{bottom} \cdot \left(1 + \frac{g\Delta h}{c^2}\right)$

\* (clocks go faster at higher h)  $\rightarrow \tau_{top} = \tau_{bottom} \left(1 + \frac{g\Delta h}{c^2}\right)$

$\Delta\tau = \tau_{top} - \tau_{bottom} = \tau_{bottom} \left(\frac{g\Delta h}{c^2}\right) \rightarrow \Delta\tau = \tau \left(\frac{g\Delta h}{c^2}\right)$



Consider ISS :  $h = 400 \text{ km}$   $\rightarrow r_{iss} = 6.77 \times 10^6 \text{ m} = 1.06 R_E$   
 $R_E = 6.37 \times 10^6 \text{ m}$

$v = \sqrt{\frac{GM}{r}}$ ,  $T = \frac{2\pi r}{v} = 2\pi \sqrt{\frac{r^3}{GM}}$   $v = 7680 \text{ m/s}$ ,  $G = 6.67 \times 10^{-11} \text{ Nm}^2/\text{kg}$   
 $(m_E = 5.97 \times 10^{24} \text{ kg})$

$\Rightarrow$  { the ISS has  $\vec{u} \rightarrow$  clocks run slow!  
the ISS has  $\Delta h \rightarrow$  clocks run fast!

$\frac{t_B}{\gamma} = t_A$

Special  $\tau_{iss} = \left(\frac{\tau_g}{\gamma(u)}\right) \cdot \left(1 + \frac{g\Delta h}{c^2}\right) = \tau_g \sqrt{1 - \frac{u^2}{c^2}} \cdot \left(1 + \frac{g\Delta h}{c^2}\right)$   
 $\approx \tau_g \left(1 - \frac{1 \cdot u^2}{2c^2}\right) \left(1 + \frac{g\Delta h}{c^2}\right) \approx \tau_g \left(1 - \frac{u^2}{2c^2} + \frac{g\Delta h}{c^2} - \frac{1 \cdot u^2}{2c^2} \frac{g\Delta h}{c^2}\right)$

$\Rightarrow$  For ISS  $\rightarrow$  special relativity wins!

Find  $\tau$

$$\Delta\tau = \frac{rg\Delta h}{c^2} \rightarrow d\tau = g\frac{\tau}{c^2} \cdot dh \rightarrow \int \frac{d\tau}{\tau} = \int \frac{g}{c^2} dh$$

$$\ln\left(\frac{\tau_{top}}{\tau_{bottom}}\right) = \begin{cases} g = \text{const} \rightarrow \frac{g}{c^2} h \rightarrow \tau_{top} = \tau_{bottom} e^{\frac{gh}{c^2}} \\ g = \frac{GM}{h^2} \rightarrow \int_{h=0}^h \frac{1}{c^2} \frac{GM}{(r_e+h)^2} dh = \int_{r_e}^{r_e+h} \frac{1}{c^2} \frac{GM}{r^2} dr \end{cases}$$

$$= \frac{-GM}{c^2} \left( \frac{1}{r_e+h} - \frac{1}{r_e} \right) = \frac{GM}{c^2} \left( \frac{1}{r_e} - \frac{1}{r_e+h} \right) = \ln\left(\frac{\tau_{top}}{\tau_{bottom}}\right)$$

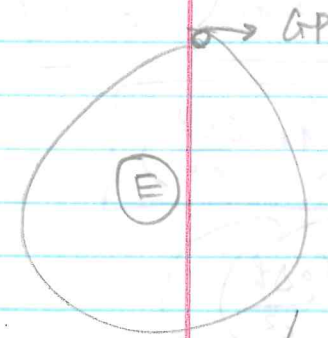
↳ for non-constant  $g$

$$\tau_{high} = \tau_{low} e^{\frac{GM}{c^2} \left( \frac{1}{r_e} - \frac{1}{r_e+h} \right)}$$

$$\tau_{high} \approx \tau_{low} \left[ 1 + \frac{GM}{c^2} \left( \frac{1}{r_e} - \frac{1}{r_e+h} \right) \right]$$

$$e^x \approx 1+x$$

GPS orbit



$$r_{GPS} = 4.2 r_e$$

$$v = \frac{2\pi r}{12 \text{ hr}}$$

$$h = 20,200 \text{ km} \rightarrow \begin{cases} r_{low} = ? \\ r_{high} = ? \end{cases}$$

$$\tau_{GPS} \approx \tau_{earth} \left( 1 + \frac{GM}{c^2} \left( \frac{1}{r_e} - \frac{1}{r_e + 4.2 r_e} \right) - \frac{1}{2} \frac{v^2}{c^2} \right)$$

general relativity ( $10^{-10}$ )

special relativity ( $10^{-11}$ )

General Relativity WINS here

Where is the GOLDEN spot where  $\boxed{\text{general} = \text{special}}$  ????

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# II. QUANTUM PRELIMINARIES

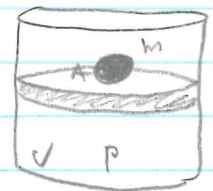
→ new observations and old unanswered questions  
 → Why do glowing objects have the colors that they do?

Quantum theory is based on wave-particle duality → probability distribution  
 → requires a probability interpretation.

(A) Origins of the quantum theory — the physics of gases  
 ↪ from macro to micro

MACRO  
RULES

## 1) The Ideal Gas Law



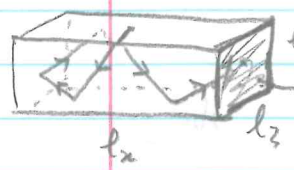
$$P = P_0 + \frac{mg}{A} \quad , \quad PV = nRT$$

absolute temperature (K)  
 ideal gas const  $8.314472 \frac{J}{mol \cdot K}$   
 no. of moles

## 2) The Kinetic Molecular Theory of Gases

→ have a fundamental understanding of the gas law  
 (a) Model of gas → consist a large number of widely separated atoms that exert forces through elastic collisions.

(b) Derivation of pressure formula



$$\Delta t_{\text{between 2 collisions}} = \frac{2l_x}{v_x}$$

$$J_{\text{(impulse on wall)}} = \Delta \vec{p} = 2mv_x \text{ per collision}$$

$$\vec{F} = \frac{\Delta \vec{p}}{\Delta t}$$

$$\Rightarrow \langle F_{\text{on the wall, on average}} \rangle = \frac{\Delta \vec{p}}{\Delta t} = \frac{2mv_x}{2l_x/v_x} = \frac{mv_x^2}{l_x} = \vec{F}$$

$$\Rightarrow \text{Pressure on right wall} = \frac{\langle \vec{F} \rangle}{A} \Rightarrow \langle P \rangle = \frac{mv_x^2}{l_x \cdot (l_y \cdot l_z)} = \frac{mv_x^2}{V}$$

time average

2KE



For many atoms

$$\langle P \rangle_{\text{on right wall}} = \sum_{n=1}^N \frac{mv_{xn}^2}{V} = \frac{m}{V} \sum_{n=1}^N v_{xn}^2 = \frac{Nm}{V} \cdot \langle v_{xn}^2 \rangle$$

↑ N average

Assume isotropy  $\Rightarrow \langle v_{xn}^2 \rangle = \langle v_{yn}^2 \rangle = \langle v_{zn}^2 \rangle$

Since  $\langle v^2 \rangle = \langle v_{xn}^2 \rangle + \langle v_{yn}^2 \rangle + \langle v_{zn}^2 \rangle \Rightarrow \langle v^2 \rangle = 3 \langle v_{xn}^2 \rangle$

$$\langle P \rangle_{\text{right wall}} = \frac{Nm}{V} \cdot \frac{1}{3} \langle v^2 \rangle = \frac{2}{3} \frac{N}{V} \left( \frac{1}{2} m \langle v^2 \rangle \right) \langle \bar{k} \rangle$$

$$\langle P \rangle = \frac{2}{3} \frac{N}{V} \langle \bar{k} \rangle$$

c) Ideal gas law revisited

$$PV = \frac{2}{3} N \bar{k} = nRT \Rightarrow \bar{k} = \frac{3}{2} \left( \frac{n}{N} \right) RT = \frac{3}{2} \left( \frac{R}{N_A} \right) T$$

macro
micro
macro

↑ Boltzmann const

$$\langle \bar{k} \rangle = \frac{3}{2} k_B \cdot T \quad 1.381 \times 10^{-23} \text{ J/K}$$

Total energy  $N \bar{k} = \frac{3}{2} nRT$

d) Consequences of the kinetic theory

i) Gas diffusion  $\bar{k} = \frac{1}{2} m \langle v^2 \rangle \rightarrow \langle v^2 \rangle = \frac{3RT}{N_A m}$

lighter  $\rightarrow$  faster

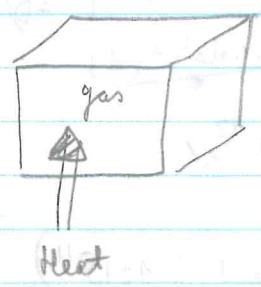
$$v_{rms} = \sqrt{\langle v^2 \rangle} = \sqrt{\frac{3RT}{M}}$$

↓  
M

ii) Brownian Motion (1827) - Einstein (1905)



iii) Heat capacity



Can we understand heat capacity with the kinetic theory

Heat capacity: 
$$\left. \begin{aligned} C_v &= \frac{1}{n} \cdot \frac{\Delta Q}{\Delta T} \Big|_{v = \text{const}} \\ C_p &= \frac{1}{n} \cdot \frac{\Delta Q}{\Delta T} \Big|_{p = \text{const}} \end{aligned} \right\}$$

Model  $\Delta k_{\text{total}} = \frac{3}{2} N k_B \Delta T$

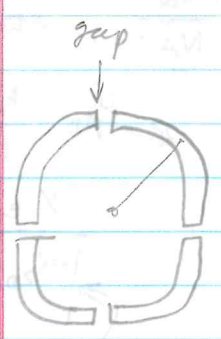
If assume  $\Delta Q = \Delta k_{\text{total}} \rightarrow C_v = \frac{1}{n} \cdot \frac{\Delta k}{\Delta T} = \frac{3}{2} N_A k_B = \boxed{\frac{3}{2} R = C_v}$

↳ predict something that's not practical(?)

constant? ↓

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$C = (4\pi r + 4 \text{ gaps})$

$r = \frac{m v \gamma(u)}{q B}$

at injection  $k = 10 \text{ MeV}$   
at end  $k = 6.2 \text{ GeV} = 6200 \text{ MeV}$

$B = \frac{m \gamma(u) v}{q r} = \left( \frac{\gamma(u) v}{c} \right) \cdot \left( \frac{m c^2}{q} \right) \cdot \left( \frac{1}{r c} \right) \leftarrow 2.17 \times 10^{10} \text{ s/m}^2$

for  $p^+ \rightarrow k_{\text{injected}} = \boxed{9.38 \times 10^8 \text{ V}}$

$B = \frac{\gamma(u) v}{c} \cdot (0.2053 \frac{\text{N}}{\text{cm/s}})$

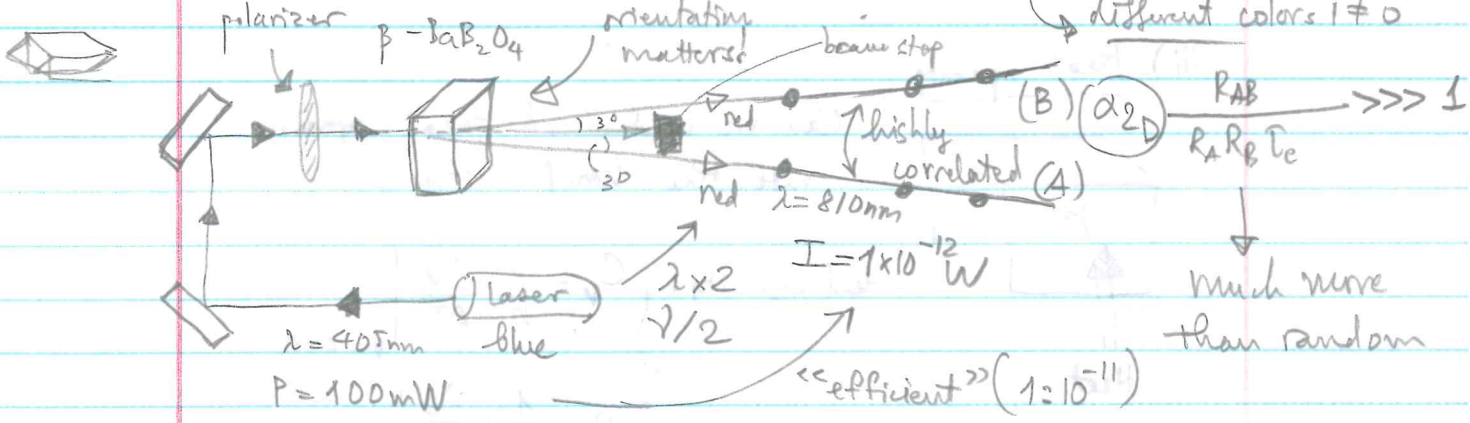
$\Rightarrow \begin{cases} B_{10 \text{ MeV}} \sim \boxed{3 \times 10^2 \text{ T}} \\ B_{6200 \text{ MeV}} \sim \boxed{1.5 \text{ T}} \end{cases}$

~~Spontaneous Down Conversion~~

# The Grangier Experiment

Classical Waves  $\alpha_{2D} \geq 1 \rightarrow \alpha_{2D} = 1.0 \pm 0.04 \rightarrow$  on the border of both theory  
 Particles  $\alpha_{2D} < 1$

## Spontaneous Down Conversion (SPDC) $\rightarrow$ Non linear Optics

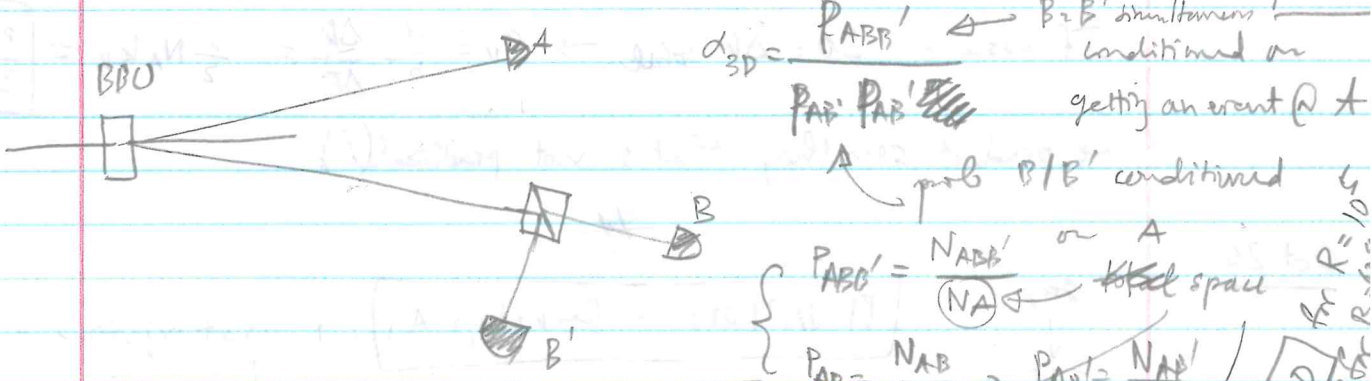


different colors  $\neq 0$

much more than random

Correlated

Photons might come @ random rates, but whenever A has photon, B has photon



$\alpha_{3D} = \frac{N_{ABB'}}{N_{AB} \cdot N_{AB'}} \cdot N_A$

NO  $T_c$  because  $N_A$  takes the place of  $1/T_c$

$P_{ABB'} = \frac{N_{ABB'}}{N_A}$  total space

$P_{AB} = \frac{N_{AB}}{N_A}$

$P_{A'B'} = \frac{N_{A'B'}}{N_A}$

(4% eff)

$\alpha_{2D} = \frac{1}{T_c \cdot R_{total}}$

Expect  $\alpha_{2D} = 0$

$\alpha_{2D} = \frac{R_{AB}}{R_A R_B T_c}$  if perfect correlation ( $R_{AB} = R_A = R_B$ )

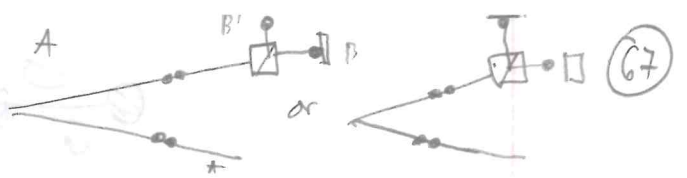
Considerations no  $\alpha_{2D} = \alpha_{3D}$

$R_{total} = 25 R_A$  (4% eff)

$\alpha_{2D} = \frac{1250}{25} = 50$   $10^5 = R_A$

(expect)  $\rightarrow 500$   $10^4 = R_A$

Recall  $R_{acc} = R_A R_B T_c$



What about ( $\alpha_{3D acc}$ )? → Accidentals "of the second kind"

↳  $\alpha_{3D} > 0$  take data for very long time

$R_{acc}^{3D} = T_c (R_{AB} R_{B'} + R_{A'B} R_B)$

Why 10,000 counts

↳ the lower the  $R_{AB}, R_{B'}, R_{A'B}, R_B \Rightarrow$  the lower  $R_{acc}^{3D}$

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**KMT** [KINETIC MOLECULAR THEORY]

Heat capacity @ constant pressure  $C_p = \frac{1}{n} \left. \frac{\Delta Q}{\Delta T} \right|_{p=const}$

Model  $\Delta Q = \Delta K_{total} + W$   
 $(P \cdot A) \Delta Z = P \Delta V$

↳  $\Delta Q = \Delta K_{total} + P \Delta V$

↳  $C_p = \frac{1}{n} \left. \frac{\Delta K}{\Delta T} \right|_{p=const} + \frac{1}{n} \left. \frac{P \Delta V}{\Delta T} \right|_{p=const}$

$\Rightarrow C_p = C_v + \frac{P}{n} \left( \left. \frac{\Delta V}{\Delta T} \right|_{p=const} \right)$  volume expansion coefficient

For solids  $\frac{\Delta V}{\Delta T} \Big|_{p=const} \approx 0 \rightarrow C_v \approx C_p$  (solid)

For ideal gas  $\frac{\Delta V}{\Delta T} \Big|_{p=const} = \frac{nR}{P} \Rightarrow C_p = C_v + R$  (ideal gas)

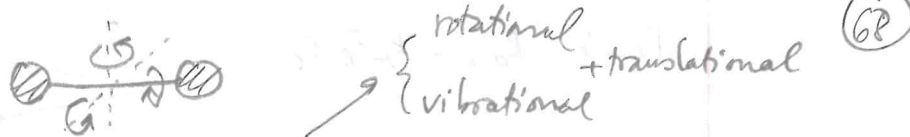
KMT model  $C_v = \frac{3}{2}R \neq C_p - R$

Why different?

ⓔ The Equipartition theorem and heat capacity

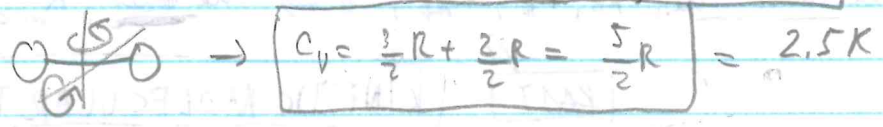
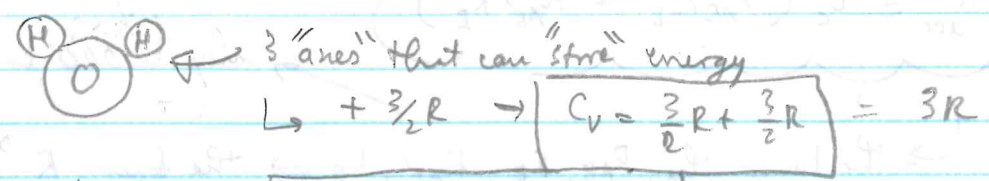
↳  $C_v = \frac{3}{2}R$  fails for polyatomic gases. Why?

Diatomic:  $C_v \approx 2.5R$   
 ↑  
 Triatomic:  $C_v \approx 3R$   
 ↑  
 $6/2$



Because Polyatomic have other way to hold kinetic energy!

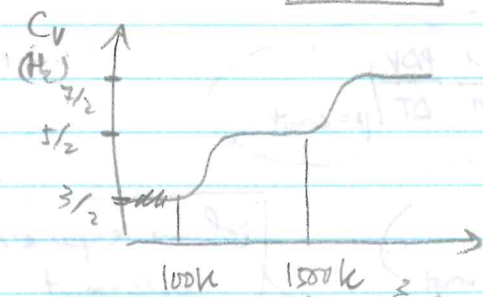
Each "way" / mode of storing energy adds to specific heat  $\frac{1}{2}R$



But model can be extended  $\rightarrow$  2 more "ways" to store energy



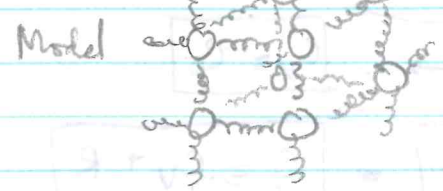
vibrational KE, PE  
 $\rightarrow + \frac{1}{2}R$



low energy (keep)  $\rightarrow$  only translation  
higher energy  $\rightarrow$  translation + rotation  
higher energy  $\rightarrow$  translation + rotation + vibration

$\rightarrow$  Rotation has a quantized energy to start

Solids



each atom can store energy in 6 modes  
 $\rightarrow$  3 KE, 3 PE

$C_p \approx C_v = 3R$

Empirical Observation Dulong - Petit (1819)

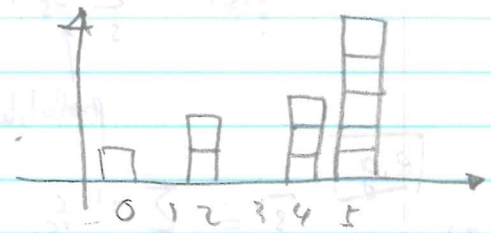
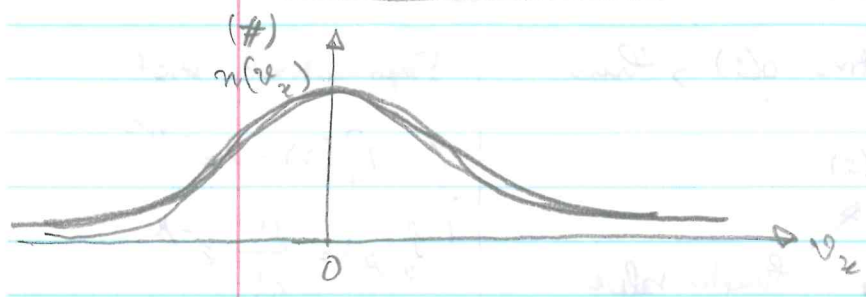
$\rightarrow$  Diamond is an outlier!

$\rightarrow$  EQUIPARTITION THEOREM  $\rightarrow$  each mode of "energy storage"

$\rightarrow$  degree of freedom can store  $\frac{1}{2}k_B T$  of energy per molecule

$\rightarrow$  or  $\frac{1}{2}RT$  of energy per mole

# B. Probability Distribution



1) Discrete distribution

How to characterize dist?  $\rightarrow \{s_p\} \rightarrow$  scores  $\{0, 2, 2, 4, 4, 5, 5, 5, 5\}$   
 $\rightarrow \{n_s\} \rightarrow$  # ppl with some scores  $\{1, 0, 2, 0, 3, 5\}$

$$\sum_s n_s = N_p$$

a) Normalization & Probability Dist

$\{f_s\}$ : set of no.  $f_s = \left\{ \frac{n_s}{N_p} \right\}$   $\rightarrow$  fraction of ppl with value  $s$ ,  
 $\left\{ \frac{1}{7}, \frac{0}{7}, \frac{2}{7}, \frac{0}{7}, \frac{3}{7}, \frac{5}{7} \right\}$

$$\sum_s f_s = \frac{\sum_s n_s}{\sum_s N_p} = \frac{N_p}{N_p} = 1 \rightarrow \text{prob. of getting a score} = 1$$

if  $\sum_s f_s = 1 \Rightarrow f_s$  is a normalized distribution

b.) Averages  $\Rightarrow \bar{s} = \frac{1}{N_p} \sum_s s_p \rightarrow \frac{\text{average sum}}{\text{total \#}} = \frac{1}{N_p} \cdot \sum_s n_s \cdot s$   
 $\Rightarrow \bar{s} = \sum_s f_s \cdot s$  how many scores of each kind

Example: roll a single die  $\left\{ \begin{matrix} s_{\min} = 0 \\ s_{\max} = 6 \end{matrix} \right. \quad f_s = 1/6$

$$\bar{s} = \sum_{s=1}^6 \left( \frac{1}{6} \right) \cdot s = \frac{1}{6} \cdot \sum_{s=1}^6 s = \frac{1}{6} \cdot \left( \frac{6 \cdot 7}{2} \right) = \frac{7}{2} = \boxed{3.5} = \bar{s}$$

(average roll of a die)

(E)

### c. Average of a function of the value (expectation value)

If there's a function  $g(s)$ , then

$$\bar{g}(s) = \sum_s f_s \cdot g(s)$$

$\uparrow$  probability       $\uparrow$  function value

Exponential Dist

$$\begin{cases} f_n(x) = A e^{-nx} \\ f_n(u) = \frac{\mu^n}{n!} e^{-\mu} \end{cases}$$

e.g.

$$\bar{s}^2 = \sum_s s^2 \cdot f_s$$

(E<sup>2</sup>)

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### 2. CONTINUOUS DISTRIBUTION

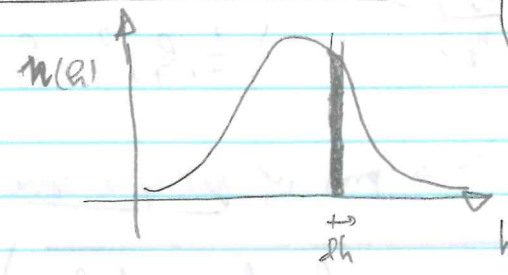
measurements can take on any real value.

Examples: heights ( $h$ ) in population...

$n(h)$ ,  $f(h)$

$\rightarrow$   $x$ -velocities of atoms in a gas  $n(v_x)$ ,  $f(v_x)$

For continuous distributions



$$dN = n(h) \cdot dh$$

(# with height between  $h$  &  $h+dh$ )

$$\rightarrow f(h) = \frac{n(h)}{N}$$

$\rightarrow$  Unit: #/person  
 $\uparrow$  probability density

(a) Normalization  $\int f(h) dh = 1$

(b) Average  $\int (f(h) dh) \cdot h = \bar{h}$  average

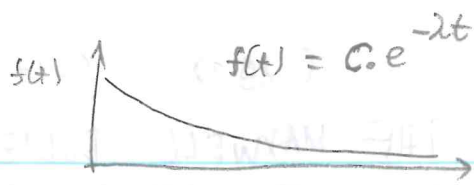
$\uparrow$  prob       $\uparrow$  respective  $h$

(c) Expectation value in general

$$g(h) = \int g(h) f(h) dh$$

$$\int_0^{\infty} x^n e^{-ax} dx = \frac{n!}{a^{n+1}} \quad (\text{important integrals})$$

#1



Example: Radioactive decay

Normalization  $\int_0^{\infty} f(t) dt = 1 = \int_0^{\infty} C e^{-\lambda t} dt = 1 = \frac{C}{\lambda} \Rightarrow C = \lambda$

$$\Rightarrow f_2(t) = \lambda e^{-\lambda t}$$

$$\bar{t} = \lambda \int_0^{\infty} t \cdot e^{-\lambda t} dt = \lambda \cdot \frac{1}{\lambda^2} = \frac{1}{\lambda} = \bar{t} \Rightarrow f(t) = \frac{1}{\bar{t}} e^{-t/\bar{t}}$$

③ Continuous distributions in more than 1 dimension? (multivariable)

$n(v_x, v_y, v_z)$  ← number density of atoms with  $(v_x, v_y, v_z) = \vec{v}$

$$\hookrightarrow dN = n(v_x, v_y, v_z) (dv_x dv_y dv_z)$$

$$f(v_x, v_y, v_z) = \frac{n(v_x, v_y, v_z)}{N}$$

Normalization

$$1 = \iiint_{\text{all } \vec{v}_i} f(v_x, v_y, v_z) dv_x dv_y dv_z$$

$$1 = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} dv_x \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} dv_y \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} dv_z f(v_x, v_y, v_z)$$

velocity

velocity can be (+)/(-)

Expectation value

$$\overline{g(\vec{v})} = \iiint dv_x dv_y dv_z \cdot g(\vec{v}) f(v_x, v_y, v_z)$$



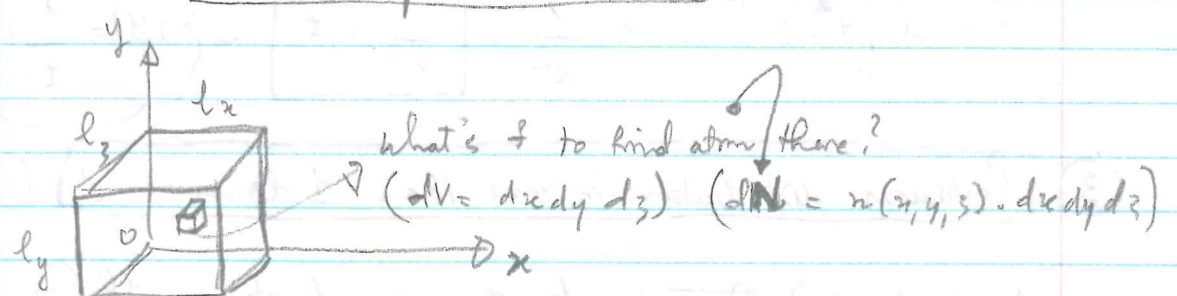
(1859) (1871)

**C. THE MAXWELL - BOLTZMANN DISTRIBUTION FUNCTION**

Dist of velocities of atoms in a gas

① Maxwell's ideal gas distribution

a) Maxwell's special distribution (atoms in a box)



i.) Maxwell's symmetry argument → no place is special

$f(x, y, z) = A$  <sup>const</sup>

ii) Normalization

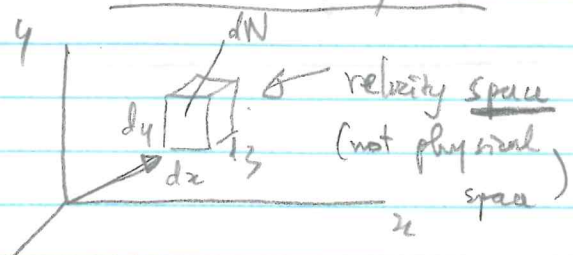
$\iiint_{\text{whole volume}} A dx dy dz = 1 \Rightarrow A \int_0^{l_x} dx \int_0^{l_y} dy \int_0^{l_z} dz = A l_x l_y l_z$

$A = \frac{1}{V}$

$f(x, y, z) = \frac{1}{V} \Rightarrow n(x, y, z) = N f(x, y, z) = \frac{N}{V}$

$dN = n(x, y, z) dx dy dz = \frac{N}{V} (dx dy dz)$

1) Maxwell velocity dist



$dN = n(v_x, v_y, v_z) dv_x dv_y dv_z$

$f(v_x, v_y, v_z) = \frac{n(v_x, v_y, v_z)}{N}$

i) Maxwell's symmetry arguments

product

①  $v_x, v_y, v_z$  are uncorrelated  $\Rightarrow f(v_x, v_y, v_z) = f(v_x)g(v_y)h(v_z)$

same everywhere in space

②  $x, y, z$  are all the same  $\Rightarrow f(v_x, v_y, v_z) = f(v_x)f(v_y)f(v_z)$

all directions are equivalent

③ Dist must only depend on speed!  $v^2 = v_x^2 + v_y^2 + v_z^2$

$F(v_x^2 + v_y^2 + v_z^2) = f(v_x) \cdot f(v_y) \cdot f(v_z)$   $F(\text{sum}) = \text{product } F$

$f(v_x) = A e^{-bv_x^2}$

Exponential: solution!

ii) Normalization  $1 = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} dv_x \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} dv_y \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} dv_z A^3 e^{-bv_x^2} e^{-bv_y^2} e^{-bv_z^2}$

$A = \sqrt{\frac{b}{\pi}} \Rightarrow f(v_x, v_y, v_z) = \left(\frac{b}{\pi}\right)^{3/2} e^{-b(v_x^2 + v_y^2 + v_z^2)}$

iii) Use equipartition theorem

$\langle \frac{1}{2}mv^2 \rangle = \frac{3}{2}k_B T \Rightarrow \text{determine } (b)$

$\bar{k} = \iiint dv_x dv_y dv_z \left(\frac{1}{2}mv^2\right) f(v_x, v_y, v_z)$

$\bar{k} = \frac{3}{2}k_B T = \left(\frac{3}{4}m \cdot \frac{1}{b}\right) \Rightarrow b = \frac{m}{2k_B T}$

for ideal gas  $F(v_x, v_y, v_z) = \left(\frac{m}{2\pi k_B T}\right)^{3/2} e^{-\frac{m}{2k_B T}(v_x^2 + v_y^2 + v_z^2)}$

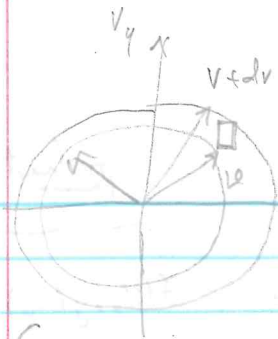
② Other ideal gas distribution

many velocities correspond to the same speed

a) Maxwell speed distribution

2-d:  $F_2(v_x, v_y) = \left(\frac{m}{2\pi k_B T}\right)^1 e^{-\frac{m}{2k_B T}(v_x^2 + v_y^2)}$   $dN = N g(v) dv$  # of molecules with speed between  $v$  &  $v+dv$

$$\pi(v-dv)^2 + \pi v^2 \approx (2v\pi)dv$$



$$dN_{ring} = dN_{square} \cdot \frac{A_{ring}}{A_{square}} \leftarrow dv_x dv_y$$

+1 dimension

$$dN_{ring} = N \cdot \left(\frac{m}{2\pi k_B T}\right) \cdot e^{-\frac{v^2}{2k_B T}} \cdot \frac{(2v\pi) dv}{dv_x dv_y}$$

$$dN_{ring} = N \left(\frac{m}{k_B T}\right) e^{-\frac{1}{2}mv^2/k_B T} \cdot v \cdot dv$$

$$g(v) = \left(\frac{m}{k_B T}\right) e^{-\frac{1}{2}mv^2/k_B T} \cdot v$$

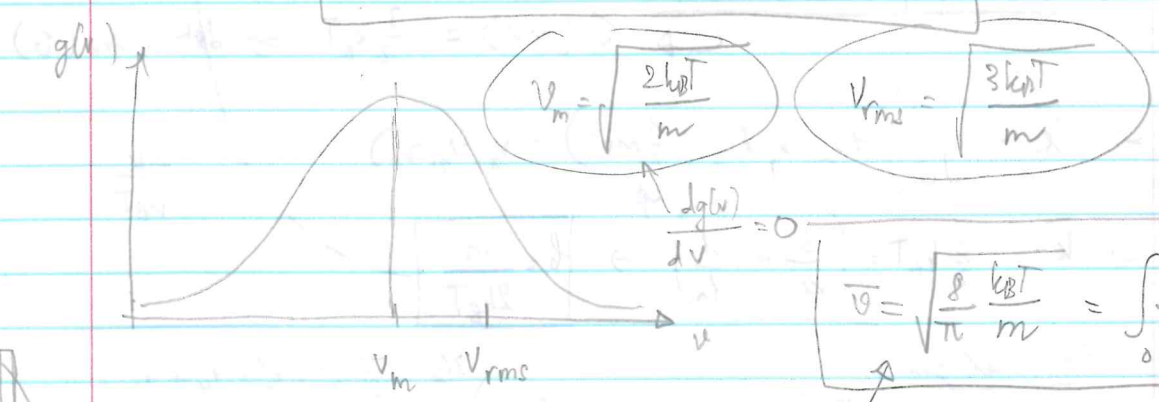
Area ...

+1 dimension

In 3-D, the ring is a spherical shell  $V_{shell} = (4\pi v^2) dv$

$$dN_{shell} = dN_{cube} \frac{V_{shell}}{V_{cube}} = N \cdot 4\pi \left(\frac{m}{2\pi k_B T}\right)^{3/2} v^2 e^{-\frac{1}{2}mv^2/k_B T} dv$$

$$g(v) = 4\pi \left(\frac{m}{2\pi k_B T}\right)^{3/2} v^2 e^{-\frac{1}{2}mv^2/k_B T}$$



$$v_m = \sqrt{\frac{2k_B T}{m}}$$

$$v_{rms} = \sqrt{\frac{3k_B T}{m}}$$

$$\bar{v} = \sqrt{\frac{8}{\pi} \frac{k_B T}{m}} = \int_0^{\infty} v g(v) dv$$

expected value for v.

(b) Maxwell's kinetic energy distribution

$$dN = N g(v) dv = N f(k) dk$$

corresponding intervals  $(dv = \frac{dv}{dk} dk, dk = \frac{dk}{dv} dv)$

$$k = \frac{1}{2}mv^2 \Rightarrow \frac{dk}{dv} = mv = \sqrt{2mk}, \quad v = \sqrt{\frac{2k}{m}}$$

$$f(k)dk = g(v)dv = 4\pi \left(\frac{m}{2\pi k_B T}\right)^{3/2} \cdot \left(\frac{2k}{m}\right) e^{-k/k_B T} \cdot \left(\frac{dk}{\sqrt{2mk}}\right)$$

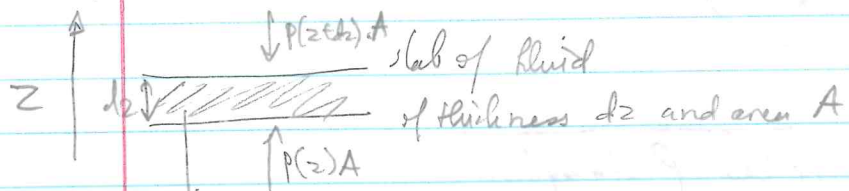
$$f(k)dk = \frac{2}{\sqrt{\pi}} \left(\frac{1}{k_B T}\right)^{3/2} \sqrt{k} e^{-k/k_B T} dk$$

⇒ Special Distribution

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what happens when the box gets tall?

a) The law of atmospheres:



$$mg = (\rho A dz) \cdot g$$

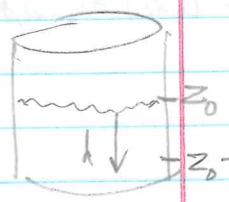
In equilibrium:  $F_{net} = ma = 0 = -P(z+dz)A + P(z)A + \rho A dz$

$$\rightarrow -P(z+dz) + P(z) + \rho dz = 0$$

$$\rightarrow \frac{P(z+dz) - P(z)}{dz} = -\rho$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{dP}{dz} = -\rho$$

Example 1  $\rho = \text{const}$  (incompressible fluid)  $\rightarrow \int_{P_0}^P dP = \int_{z_0}^z -\rho g dz$



$$\rightarrow (P - P_0) = -\rho g (z - z_0) = \rho g (z_0 - z)$$

$$P = P_0 + \rho g d$$

$$P_0 = 10^5 \frac{N}{m^2}$$

$$g = 10 \text{ m/s}^2$$

$$d = 10 \text{ m} \rightarrow P = 1 \text{ atm}$$

$$\rho = 1000 \text{ kg/m}^3$$

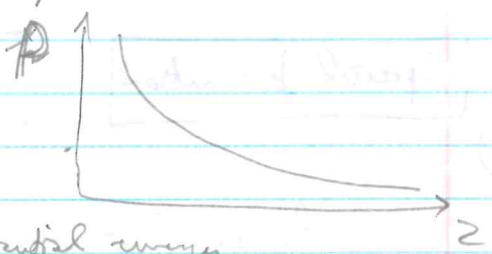
Example 2 Ideal gas:  $\rho \neq \text{const} \rightarrow$  depends on P

$$\rho = \frac{mN}{V} = \frac{Mn}{V} = \frac{MP}{RT} = \frac{mP}{k_B T} \rightarrow \frac{dP}{dz} = -g \frac{mP}{k_B T}$$

$$\int_{P_0}^P \frac{1}{P} dP = \int_{z_0}^z \frac{-mg}{k_B T} dz \rightarrow \ln\left(\frac{P}{P_0}\right) = \frac{-mg}{k_B T} (z - z_0)$$

$$\rightarrow \ln\left(\frac{P}{P_0}\right) = \frac{m_g}{k_B T} (z_0 - z)$$

$$P = P_0 e^{\frac{-m_g}{k_B T} (z - z_0)}$$



$$P = P_0 e^{\frac{-U(z)}{k_B T}} \rightarrow \text{potential energy}$$

b) Statistical Approach to Law of atmosphere

$$dN = N F(z) dz = A N e^{-U/k_B T} dz dx dy \quad (U = +mg(z - z_0))$$

$$\rho = m \frac{dN}{dx dy dz} ; P = \frac{k_B T}{m} \rho$$

4) Maxwell-Boltzmann Distribution

$$F(x, y, z, v_x, v_y, v_z) dx dy dz dv_x dv_y dv_z = A e^{-E_{total}/k_B T} (dx dy dz) (dv_x dv_y dv_z)$$

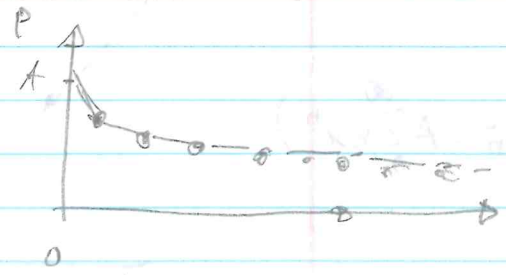
Maxwell-Boltzmann Distribution

$$F(x, y, z, v_x, v_y, v_z) dx dy dz dv_x dv_y dv_z = A_{MB} e^{-\epsilon/k_B T} d^3r d^3v$$

Example

“moments” of a discrete distribution

$$f_n(\lambda) = A e^{-\lambda n}$$



what is A? what is  $\bar{n}$ ? what is  $\sigma_n^2$ ?

A

A can be found by normalization  $\int_0^\infty \sum_n f_n(\lambda) = 1$

$$\rightarrow 1 = A \sum_0^\infty e^{-\lambda n} = A \sum_{n=0}^\infty (e^{-\lambda})^n = A \sum_{n=0}^\infty (x)^n \quad (x = e^{-\lambda})$$

Binomial Expansion

$$(1+x)^n = \frac{1}{0!} x^0 + \frac{nx}{1!} + \frac{n(n-1)}{2!} x^2 + \dots$$

$$\rightarrow (1+(-x))^{-1} = \frac{1}{0!} + \frac{(-1)(-x)}{1!} + \frac{(-1)(-2)(x)^2}{2!} + \frac{(-1)(-2)(-3)(-x)^3}{3!} + \dots$$
$$= 1 + x^2 + x^3 + x^4 + x^5 + \dots$$

$$\Rightarrow \sum_{n=0}^\infty (x)^n = \frac{1}{1-x} = \frac{1}{1-e^{-\lambda}}$$

$$\rightarrow 1 = A \cdot \frac{1}{1-e^{-\lambda}} \Rightarrow A = (1-e^{-\lambda}) \Rightarrow f_n(\lambda) = (1-e^{-\lambda}) e^{-\lambda n}$$

$\bar{n}$

$$\bar{n} = \sum_{n=0}^\infty n \cdot f_n(\lambda) = \sum_{n=0}^\infty n \cdot A \cdot e^{-\lambda n} = A \sum_{n=0}^\infty n \cdot (x)^n \quad (\lambda = e^{-\lambda})$$

$$= A \sum_{n=1}^\infty n (x)^n = ?$$

(1st term = 0)

let  $n' = n - 1, n = n' + 1$

What is  $\bar{n}$ ?  $\bar{n} = A \sum_{n'=0}^{\infty} (n'+1) x^{n'+1} = A \sum_{n'=0}^{\infty} (n'+1) x^{n'}$

$\Rightarrow \bar{n} = Ax \sum_0^{\infty} (n'+1) x^{n'}$   
 $= Ax \sum_0^{\infty} n' x^{n'} + Ax \sum_0^{\infty} x^{n'}$  ( $x = e^{-\lambda}$ ,  $A = 1 - x$ )

$(\bar{n} = A \sum_0^{\infty} n' x^{n'})$

$\bar{n} = x \cdot (1) \cdot \bar{n}$   $\frac{Ax}{1-x} = \frac{x}{1-x}$  ( $A = 1 - x$ )

$\Rightarrow \bar{n} = x\bar{n} + x \Rightarrow \bar{n} = \frac{x}{1-x} = \frac{e^{-\lambda}}{1 - e^{-\lambda}} = \bar{n}$

$\sigma_n^2 \rightarrow (\sigma_n^2) = \overline{(n - \bar{n})^2} = \sum_n (n^2 - 2n\bar{n} + \bar{n}^2) f_n(\lambda)$   
 $= \sum_n n^2 f_n(\lambda) - 2\bar{n} \sum_n n f_n(\lambda) + \sum_n f_n(\lambda) \cdot \bar{n}^2$

$\Rightarrow \sigma^2 = \bar{n}^2 - 2\bar{n}^2 + \bar{n}^2 = \bar{n}^2 - \bar{n}^2 = \sigma^2$

Solution

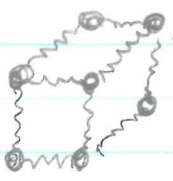
$\bar{n}^2 = \frac{2x^2}{(1-x)^2} + \frac{x}{1-x} = \frac{2}{(e^{\lambda}-1)^2} + \frac{1}{(e^{\lambda}-1)}$

$\bar{n}^2 = \dots$

$\Rightarrow \sigma^2 = \dots$

Do yourself

### Example #2 Moments of a continuous distribution



Consider an ensemble of 1-d simple harmonic oscillator @ temp T

→ A material (crystal with N atoms) is an ensemble of 3N 1-d simple harmonic oscillators.

→ Use M-B dist

$$F_{SHO}(x, v) dx dv = A_{mb} e^{-E/k_B T} dx dv$$

$$E = \text{total energy} = \underbrace{\frac{1}{2}mv^2}_{KE} + \underbrace{\frac{1}{2}kx^2}_{spring}$$

$$E = \frac{1}{2}m(v^2 + \frac{k}{m}x^2)$$

$$E = \frac{1}{2}m(v^2 + \omega^2 x^2)$$

What is A?

Normalization?

$$1 = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} dx \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} dv A_{mb} \cdot e^{-E/k_B T}$$

$$(A_{mb} \cdot e^{-E/k_B T} = A_{mb} \cdot e^{-\frac{m\omega^2 x^2}{2k_B T}} \cdot e^{-\frac{mv^2}{2k_B T}})$$

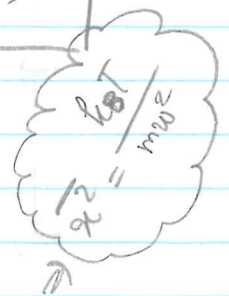
$$1 = A_{mb} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} dx \cdot e^{-\frac{m\omega^2 x^2}{2k_B T}} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} dv e^{-\frac{mv^2}{2k_B T}} = A_{mb} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} dx \cdot e^{-\frac{m\omega^2 x^2}{2k_B T}} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} dv e^{-\frac{mv^2}{2k_B T}}$$

$$\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} e^{-\lambda x^2} dx = \dots$$

$$1 = A_{mb} \cdot \frac{\sqrt{\pi}}{(\frac{m\omega^2}{2k_B T})^{1/2}} \cdot \frac{\sqrt{\pi}}{(\frac{m}{2k_B T})^{1/2}} \Rightarrow A = \frac{m\omega}{2k_B T (\pi)}$$

What is  $\bar{x}$ ?

→  $\bar{x} = 0$  (oscillator...  $\rightleftarrows$ )



What is  $\overline{x^2}$ ?

$$\overline{x^2} = A \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} dx x^2 e^{-\frac{m\omega^2 x^2}{2k_B T}} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} dv e^{-\frac{mv^2}{2k_B T}} = A \left[ \frac{2 \cdot 1}{4} \cdot \frac{\sqrt{\pi}}{(\frac{m\omega^2}{2k_B T})^{3/2}} \right] \cdot \left[ \frac{\sqrt{\pi}}{(\frac{m}{2k_B T})^{1/2}} \right]$$

$$\left( \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} x^2 e^{-\lambda x^2} dx = \dots \right)$$

... because of the way the integral is done...  $\Delta = 3/2 \cdot (2/2) \dots$



What is  $\sigma_x$ ? well...  $\sigma_x^2 = \overline{x^2} - \bar{x}^2 = \overline{x^2}$

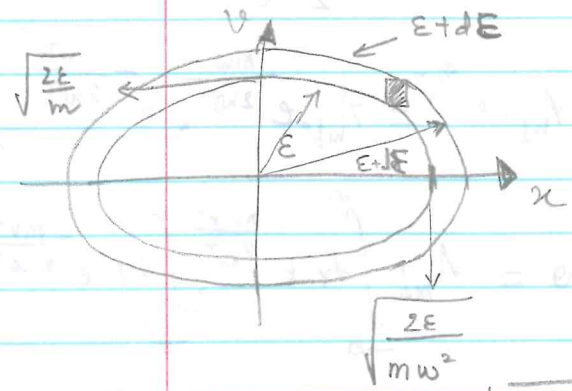
$\sigma_x = \sqrt{\frac{k_B T}{m \omega^2}} = \sqrt{\frac{k_B T}{k}} = \sigma'_x \rightarrow$  LIGO concern...

$\frac{k}{m}$

What is Energy Distribution of an ensemble of 1-d simple harmonic oscillators at temperature T

$P(E)dE$ , given  $F(x,v)dx dv$  eqn for ellipse

Well,  $E = \frac{1}{2} m v^2 + \frac{1}{2} k x^2 \Rightarrow v^2 + \omega^2 x^2 = \left(\sqrt{\frac{2E}{m}}\right)^2$



$P(E)dE = [F(x,v)dx dv] \cdot \frac{A_{ring}}{A_{square}}$

$A_{inner ring} = \pi ab$

semi

$A_{inner ring} = \pi \cdot \sqrt{\frac{2E}{m \omega^2}} \cdot \sqrt{\frac{2E}{m}} = \frac{\pi 2E}{m \omega}$

$A_{outer ring} = \frac{\pi 2(E+dE)}{m \omega}$

$\Rightarrow A_{ring} = A_{outer ring} - A_{inner ring} = \frac{2\pi dE}{m \omega}$

$\Rightarrow P(E)dE = F(x,v)dx dv \frac{A_{ring}}{dx dv} = \left(\frac{A_{mb}}{m \omega}\right) e^{-E/k_B T} \left(\frac{2\pi dE}{m \omega}\right)$

$= \left(\frac{m \omega}{2\pi k_B T}\right) \cdot \left(e^{-E/k_B T}\right) \cdot \left(\frac{2\pi}{m \omega}\right) dE$

Energy distribution

$\Rightarrow P(E)dE = \frac{1}{k_B T} e^{-E/k_B T} dE$

In fact, it must be normalized...  $\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} P(E)dE = 1$

Distribution of "random" events that occur with probability  $p$

If I do an experiment  $N$  times & a success has probability ( $p$ ) (failure has probability  $q = 1-p$ )

then what's the distribution of successes?

# of combos with  $n$  successes

Binomial Distribution  $f_{N,p}(n) = \left[ \begin{matrix} \text{probability of any} \\ \text{one combination} \\ \text{with } n \text{ success} \end{matrix} \right] \cdot C(N,n)$

$f_{N,p}(n) = p^n (1-p)^{N-n} \cdot \frac{N!}{n!(N-n)!}$  binomial coefficient

$f_{N,p}(n) = p^n (1-p)^{N-n} C_N^n$

$f_{10, \frac{1}{2}}(5)$

Example: if flip coin 10 times, what is  $P(5)$ ?  $\rightarrow \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^5 \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^5 \cdot C_{10}^5 = 0.246$

(1) Normalized  $\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} f_{N,p}(n) = 1$  (actually  $= (p+q)^N$ )

(2) Average  $\bar{n} = Np$

(3) Std dev  $\sigma^2 = Np(1-p) \rightarrow \sigma = \sqrt{N} \sqrt{p(1-p)}$

$N \uparrow \rightarrow \sigma \uparrow$

fractional  $\sigma$

But  $\frac{\sigma}{\bar{n}} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{N}} \cdot \frac{\sqrt{p(1-p)}}{p} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{N}} \sqrt{\frac{(1-p)}{p}} = \frac{\sigma}{\bar{n}}$

?

If you do many ( $N \gg 1$ ) experiments, each with small probability of success, such that

$\bar{n} = Np$  is "reasonable"

We need to approximate!

$$\hookrightarrow f_{N,p}(n) \approx \frac{(Np)^n e^{-Np}}{n!} = \frac{\bar{n}^n e^{-\bar{n}}}{n!} = \frac{\mu^n e^{-\mu}}{n!}$$

→ POISSON DISTRIBUTION:  $f_{N,p}(n) = \frac{\mu^n e^{-\mu}}{n!}$

You need to show  $\left\{ \begin{matrix} \bar{n} = \mu \\ \sigma = \sqrt{\mu} \end{matrix} \right\} \rightarrow \left\{ \frac{\sigma}{\bar{n}} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{\mu}} \right\}$  Fractional uncertainty ↓ when  $\mu \uparrow$

By knowing exp is Poissonian  $\Rightarrow$  No need to do exp many times

$$\rightarrow \sigma = \frac{1}{\sqrt{\mu}} \cdot \bar{n}$$

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D. BLACK BODY RADIATION

→ the beginning of quantum mechanics

▷ What happens when objects are warm/hot?  $\Rightarrow$  they emit light "self luminous"  
 $\Rightarrow$   $\left\{ \begin{matrix} \text{electromagnetism} \\ \text{thermodynamics} \end{matrix} \right.$

Can we use the same ideas about thermal equilibrium to calculate the properties of self-luminous objects?

① Thermal radiation

Empirical Observations:  $\rightarrow$  Quality (color)  
 $\rightarrow$  Quantity (intensity / temperature)

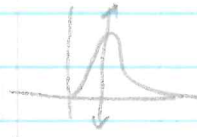
① Black bodies  $\rightarrow$  a non-reflective object  $\Rightarrow$  the only light emitted is from thermal radiation

if an object is a black body, then its thermal radiation follows a universal set of rules

b) Stefan's Law

$$R_T = \sigma T^4$$

radiance (W/m<sup>2</sup>) empirical constant (5.67 x 10<sup>-8</sup> W/m<sup>2</sup>K<sup>4</sup>)



c) Wien's displacement law -> What's the most intense color?

$$1) \lambda_{max} \cdot T = b = 2.898 \times 10^{-3} \text{ m}\cdot\text{K} \Rightarrow \lambda_{peak} = \frac{b}{T}$$

wave length of max intensity

$$2) \nu_{max} \cdot \frac{1}{T} = b' = 5.879 \times 10^{10} \frac{\text{Hz}}{\text{K}} \Rightarrow \nu_{peak} = b' T$$

d) Spectral Radiance -> there's really a distribution of colors.

radiance dist function ->  $R_T(\nu)$  (universal for black bodies ... like KE for gas)  $\frac{W}{m^2 \cdot \text{Hz}}$   $\Rightarrow R_T(\nu) d\nu$  -> the radiance of light in the frequency interval from  $\nu$  to  $\nu + d\nu$

$$\int_0^{\infty} R_T(\nu) d\nu = \sigma T^4$$

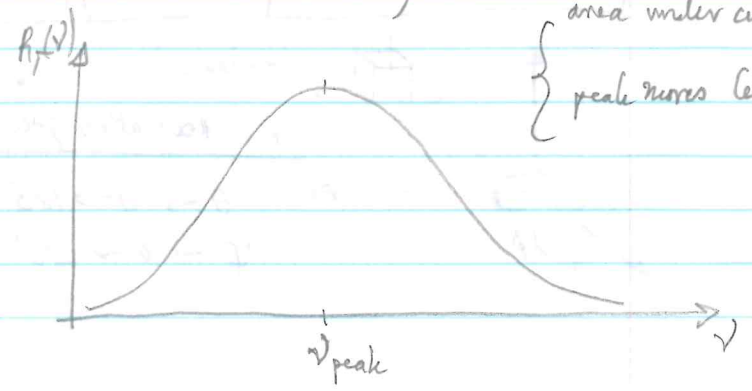
normalized in a different way

area under curve  $\propto T$   
peak moves left  $\propto T$

Wien's exponential law

$$R_T(\nu) = c_1 \nu^3 e^{-c_2 \nu / k_B T}$$

empirical const



What is  $R(\lambda) d\lambda$  ?

$\lambda \uparrow \rightarrow \nu \downarrow$

$$R(\lambda) d\lambda = -R(\nu) d\nu$$

corresponding intervals

$$\nu \lambda = c \Rightarrow \nu = \frac{c}{\lambda}$$

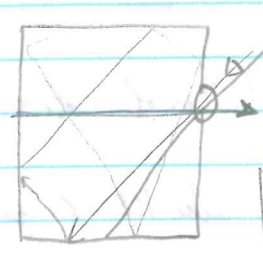
$$\Rightarrow \frac{d\nu}{d\lambda} = -\frac{c}{\lambda^2} \Rightarrow d\nu = -\frac{c}{\lambda^2} d\lambda$$

$$R_{\nu}(\nu) d\nu = R_{\nu}(\nu = \frac{c}{\lambda}) d\nu$$

$$-R_{\nu}(\lambda) d\lambda = -c_1 \left(\frac{c}{\lambda}\right)^3 e^{-c_2 \left(\frac{c}{\lambda}\right) \frac{1}{k_B T}} d\lambda \cdot \left(\frac{c}{\lambda^2}\right)$$

$$\rightarrow R_{\nu}(\lambda) d\lambda = c_1 \cdot \frac{c^4}{\lambda^5} \cdot e^{-c_2 \cdot \left(\frac{c}{k_B T}\right) \lambda^{-1}} d\lambda$$

(e) "Cavity radiators": perfect black bodies



The aperture, with area  $A$  has the spectrum & radiance of a "perfect" blackbody

$$\rho_{\nu}(\nu) d\nu$$

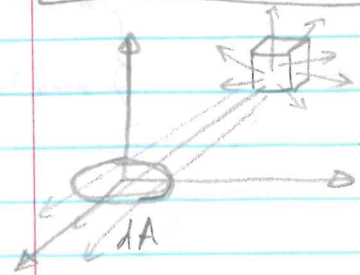
energy density in the box in the interval  $\nu$  to  $\nu + d\nu$

$$\rho_{\nu}(\nu) \cdot \frac{J}{m^3 Hz}$$

$$\downarrow \frac{J}{m^3}$$

$$\rho_{\nu}(\nu) d\nu = -\rho_{\nu}(\lambda) d\lambda = -\frac{c}{\lambda^2} \rho_{\nu}(\nu = \frac{c}{\lambda})$$

What's the relationship between  $\rho_{\nu}(\nu)$  &  $R_{\nu}(\nu)$  ?



(Radiate)

Some radiation goes thru the hole... at some time ...

$$\theta \rightarrow 0 \rightarrow 180^\circ \quad \text{flux} \propto \cos \theta$$

$$\varphi \rightarrow 0 \rightarrow 180^\circ$$

$$R_T(\nu)d\nu = c_1 \nu^3 \cdot e^{-c_2 \nu / (k_B T)} d\nu$$

energy density  $\downarrow$   $\nearrow$  power/unit area

$$P_T(\nu)d\nu = \frac{4}{c} R_T(\nu)d\nu$$

$$\frac{1}{m^3} \cdot \frac{W}{m^2} = \frac{W \cdot s}{m^3}$$



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Max Planck - 1900

but this proof was long, complex & self-contradictory

$$P_T(\nu)d\nu = \frac{8\pi h \nu^3}{c^3} \frac{1}{e^{h\nu/k_B T} - 1} d\nu$$

unit of energy

$$p_T(\lambda)d\lambda = \frac{8\pi hc}{\lambda^5} \frac{1}{e^{hc/\lambda k_B T} - 1} d\lambda$$

( $c = \lambda \nu$ )

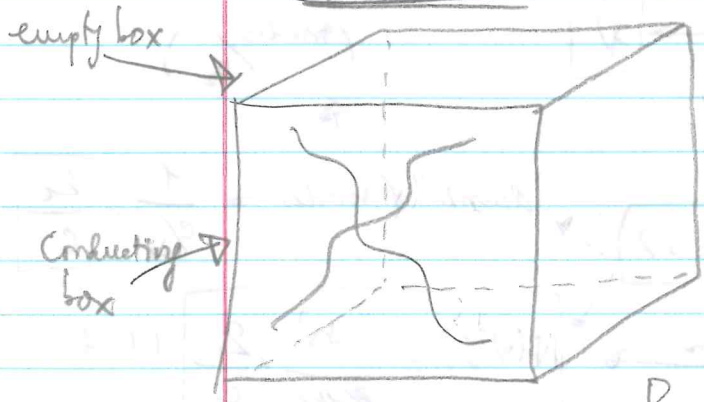
$$d\nu = \frac{-c}{\lambda^2} d\lambda$$

$h$ : fitting parameters... (quantization)

② Theory of cavity radiation

→ fitting the approach of Rayleigh we will consider modes of the EM field  
↑ standing waves of the EM field

a) light modes

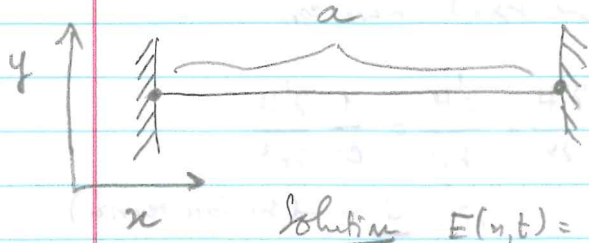


In the box, there 2 eq. has to be satisfied

$$\left\{ \begin{aligned} \frac{\partial^2 E}{\partial x^2} + \frac{\partial^2 E}{\partial y^2} + \frac{\partial^2 E}{\partial z^2} &= \frac{1}{c^2} \frac{\partial^2 E}{\partial t^2} \text{ (wave eq.)} \\ \oint \vec{E} \cdot d\vec{A} &= 0 \text{ (Gauss' law - empty box)} \end{aligned} \right.$$

Boundary condition:  $E_{\parallel} = 0 \rightarrow \vec{E} \perp \vec{n}_{\text{surface}} = \text{"normal"}$

Examples in 1 dimension (Waves on a string)

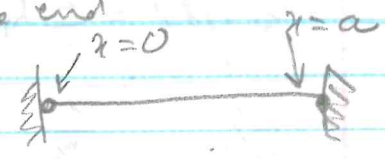


Wave eqn  $\frac{\partial^2 E}{\partial x^2} = \frac{1}{c^2} \frac{\partial^2 E}{\partial t^2}$  ( $c^2 = \frac{T}{\mu}$ )  
 $\uparrow$  mass/length

Solution  $E(x,t) = E_m \cdot \sin\left(\frac{2\pi}{\lambda} x + \phi_x\right) \cdot \sin\left(2\pi \nu t + \phi_t\right)$

→ solution if  $\frac{1}{\lambda^2} = \frac{\nu^2}{c^2} \Rightarrow \boxed{c = \lambda \nu}$

Boundary conditions String is fixed @ the end

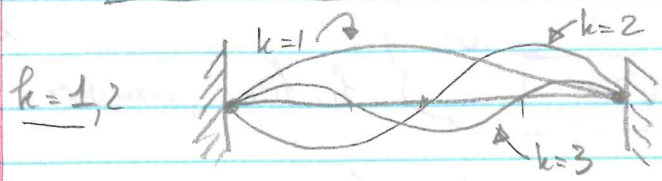


$x=0 \rightarrow y(x=0, t) = 0$

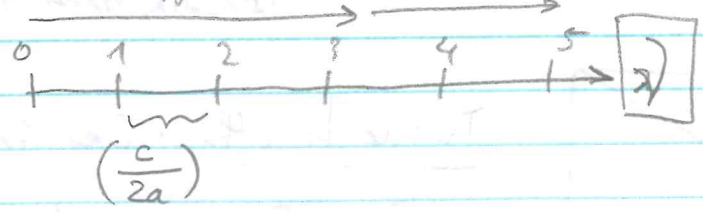
$\Rightarrow \phi_x = 0$

$x=a \rightarrow y(x=a, t) = 0 \Rightarrow \sin\left(\frac{2\pi}{\lambda} \cdot a\right) = 0 \Rightarrow \frac{2\pi}{\lambda} \cdot a = k\pi$

$\Rightarrow \lambda = \frac{2a}{k} \quad (k = 1, 2, 3, \dots) \text{ (modes)}$



→ Modes of oscillation  $\lambda = \frac{2a}{k} \Rightarrow v = \frac{c}{\lambda} = \frac{ck}{2a}$



(modes / Hz)  
↑

(How many modes between  $v$  &  $v + dv$ )

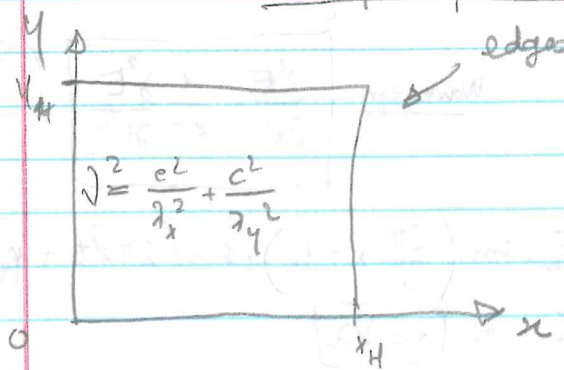
"density" of modes =  $\frac{1}{c/2a} = \frac{2a}{c}$

# of modes in  $dv$   $\rightarrow N(v)dv = \frac{dv}{c} \cdot \frac{2a}{c} (1-d)$

Example in 2-d

Modes of a square drum head

edges are fixed wave eqn



$v^2 = \frac{c^2}{\lambda_x^2} + \frac{c^2}{\lambda_y^2}$

$\frac{\partial^2 H}{\partial x^2} + \frac{\partial^2 H}{\partial y^2} = \frac{1}{c^2} \frac{\partial^2 H}{\partial t^2}$

$c^2 = \frac{S}{\sigma}$  (surface tension)  
 $\sigma$  (mass/unit area)

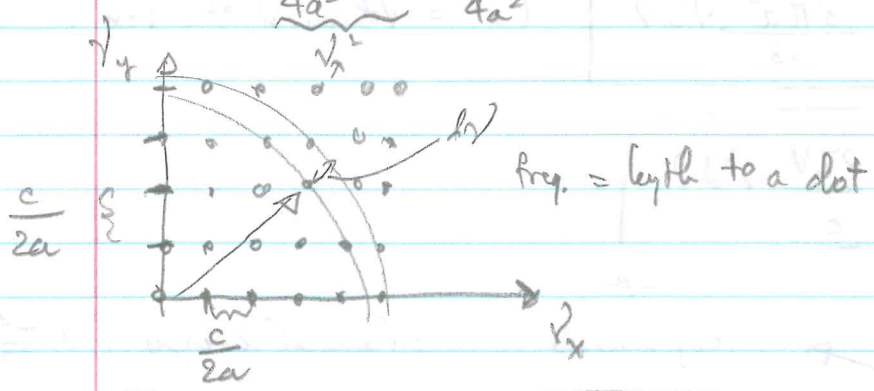
$z=0, y=0 \rightarrow H=0$

$H(x, y, t) = H_m \cdot \sin\left(\frac{2\pi}{\lambda_x} x\right) \cdot \sin\left(\frac{2\pi}{\lambda_y} y\right) \cdot \sin(2\pi\nu t + \phi)$

@  $x=a, y=a, H=0 \rightarrow \lambda_x = \frac{2a}{2k_x}, \lambda_y = \frac{2a}{2k_y}$

Modes of oscillation

$\nu^2 = \frac{c^2}{4a^2} n_x^2 + \frac{c^2}{4a^2} n_y^2 = \nu_x^2 + \nu_y^2 \Rightarrow \nu = \sqrt{\nu_x^2 + \nu_y^2}$



$\Delta t = 2\pi\nu d\nu$

How many modes between  $\nu$  to  $\nu + d\nu$

$N(\nu)d\nu = [\text{area of arc } (\nu \rightarrow \nu + d\nu)] \cdot [\text{density of dots}]$

$\Rightarrow N(\nu)d\nu = \frac{1}{4} \cdot (2\pi\nu d\nu) \cdot \frac{1}{\left(\frac{c}{2a}\right)^2} \Rightarrow$

quarter circle

(assumption:  $d\nu \gg \frac{c}{2a}$ )

$N(\nu)d\nu = \frac{2\pi a^2}{c^2} \cdot \nu d\nu$

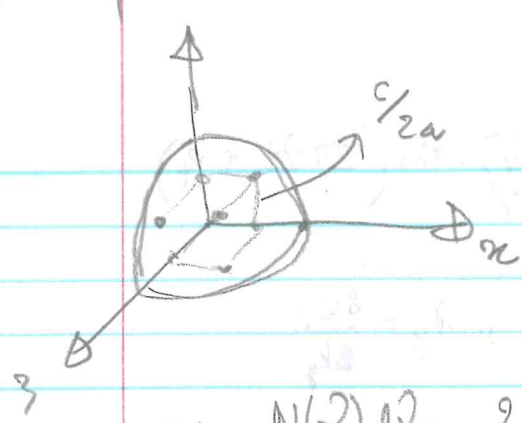
increase by  $\left(\frac{\pi a^2}{c^2} \nu\right)$

Rayleigh's model (3-D)

$\lambda_x = \frac{2a}{k_x}, \lambda_y = \frac{2a}{k_y}, \lambda_z = \frac{2a}{k_z}, \nu^2 = \frac{c^2}{\lambda_x^2} + \frac{c^2}{\lambda_y^2} + \frac{c^2}{\lambda_z^2}$

$\nu^2 = \frac{c^2}{4a^2} (n_x^2 + n_y^2 + n_z^2) = \nu_x^2 + \nu_y^2 + \nu_z^2$





density of modes  
↓ modes

$$N(\nu) d\nu = [\text{Volume in shell}] \cdot [\# \text{ modes in vol}]$$

$$= \frac{1}{8} [4\pi \nu^2 \cdot d\nu] \cdot \left[ \frac{1}{(c/2a)^3} \right]$$

↓ modes/m<sup>3</sup>

$dV = 4\pi \nu^2 d\nu$

→  $N(\nu) d\nu = 2 \left[ \frac{1}{8} [4\pi \nu^2 d\nu] \cdot \frac{1}{(c/2a)^3} \right]$  ← 2 modes of polarization

→  $N(\nu) d\nu = \frac{8\pi a^3}{c^3} \nu^2 d\nu$  ( $a^3 = \text{Volume of the box}$ )

$N(\nu) d\nu = \frac{8\pi V}{c^3} \nu^2 d\nu$

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every mode of mechanical energy ( $\rightarrow +\frac{1}{2}k_B T/\text{mode}$ )

(1) Equipartition and Electromagnetism

↳ idea: apply equipartition theorem to light (EM degrees of freedom) just like for mechanical stuff.

Analogy

<u>light</u>	↑	<u>1-d single harmonic oscillator</u>
$\frac{d^2 E_x}{dx^2} = -\omega^2 E_x$		$\frac{d^2 x}{dt^2} = -\omega_0^2 x$
$E = \frac{1}{2} \epsilon_0 E^2 + \frac{1}{2} \mu_0 B^2$		$E = \frac{1}{2} kx^2 + \frac{1}{2} m v^2$

Hypothesis  $\left( P(E) = \frac{1}{k_B T} e^{-E/(k_B T)} \right)$  ← same form for SHO

c) The Rayleigh-Jeans formula

$$p_T(\nu) = \frac{N(\nu)d\nu}{\Delta} \cdot \bar{\epsilon} = \frac{8\pi}{c^3} (k_B T) \nu^2 d\nu$$

↑  
volume

continuous  $\bar{\epsilon}$  does not work here ...

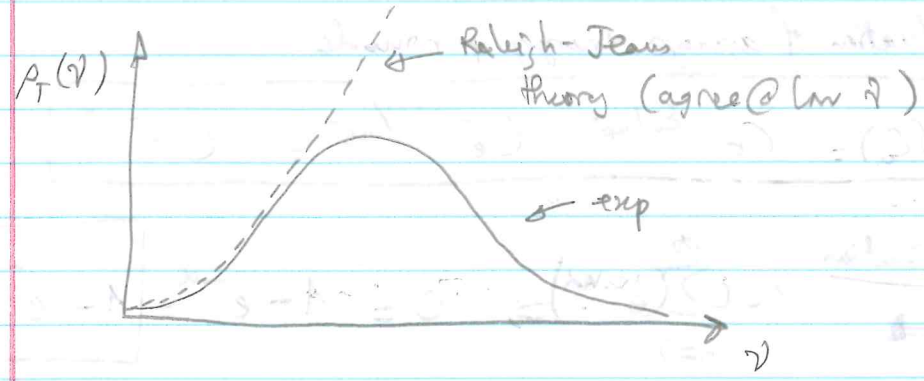
$p_T$  grows forever

(this is wrong, btw)

problem: unit, Egypt, human ...

d) Comparison of theory & experiment

(ULTRA VIOLET Catastrophe)



E) Planck's theory of cavity radiation

Is there a way to avoid the ultraviolet catastrophe?

1) Planck's approach

(a) Maintain  $N(\nu)d\nu = \frac{8\pi\nu}{c^3} \nu^2 d\nu$

(b) Maintain the Maxwell-Boltzmann dist, but assert that  $\epsilon$  can only come in discrete quantities ( $\epsilon_n$ )  
(continuous  $\rightarrow$  discrete)

$$\epsilon_n = n h \nu$$

Planck's constant

0, 1, 2, 3, ...

normalization constant

$$P(\epsilon_n) = C \cdot e^{-\epsilon_n/k_B T} = C \cdot e^{-nh\nu/k_B T}$$

↳ how does quantization work?

as  $h\nu \rightarrow$  mode 0 has almost all of the energy (because the area has to be 1)

↳ at higher modes, the energy

at high energies  $\rightarrow$  unlikely that there are modes...

### 2) Evaluation of average energy per mode

$$P(\epsilon_n) = C e^{-\epsilon_n/k_B T} = C e^{-nh\nu/k_B T} = C e^{-n\alpha}$$

Normalization  $\Rightarrow \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} e^{-n\alpha} = \frac{1}{1-e^{-\alpha}}$

$$1 = C \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} (e^{-n\alpha}) \Rightarrow C = 1 - e^{-\alpha} = 1 - e^{-h\nu/k_B T}$$

Average energy

$$\bar{\epsilon} = C \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \epsilon_n \cdot e^{-nh\nu/k_B T} = h\nu \cdot \frac{e^{-h\nu/k_B T}}{1 - e^{-h\nu/k_B T}} = h\nu \cdot \frac{1}{e^{h\nu/k_B T} - 1}$$

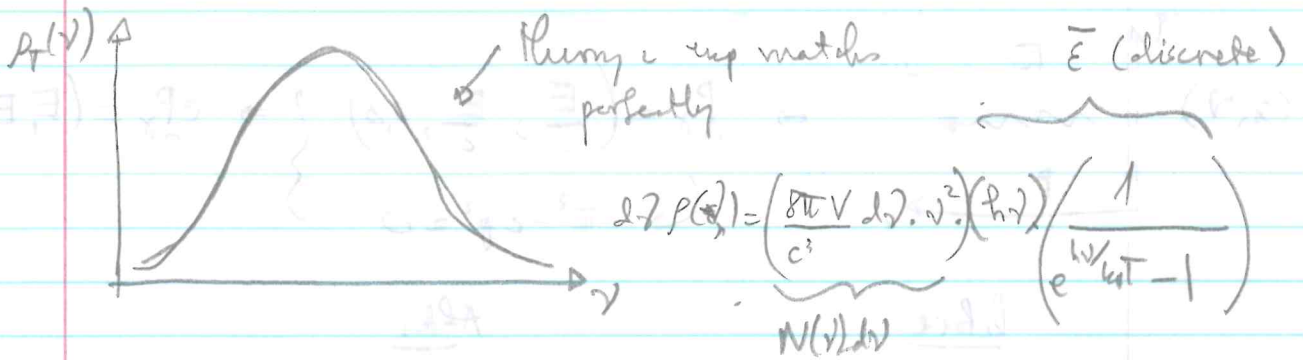
For  $\uparrow h \ll k_B T \Rightarrow e^{h\nu/k_B T} \approx 1 + \frac{h\nu}{k_B T}$

$$\bar{\epsilon} \approx k_B T \quad \left( = \bar{\epsilon} = h\nu \cdot \frac{1}{1 + \frac{h\nu}{k_B T}} = k_B T \right)$$

For  $h\nu \gg k_B T$

$$\bar{\epsilon} = 0$$

3. Comparison Theory - Experiment



★ Difference between  $\bar{E}$  &  $E_n$   $\Rightarrow$   $\begin{cases} \bar{E} = k_B T \quad \forall \nu \\ \bar{E}_n = k_B T \quad \text{for } h\nu \ll k_B T \\ \bar{E}_n = 0 \quad \text{for } h\nu \gg k_B T \end{cases}$

IV. PARTICLE NATURE OF LIGHT AND MATTER

A. Einstein's conception of Planck's equation

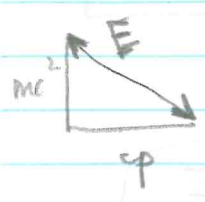
★  $P(\nu)d\nu = \left( \frac{8\pi h}{c^3} \right) \nu^3 \left( \frac{1}{e^{h\nu/k_B T} - 1} \right) \Rightarrow$  distribution function for particles with zero mass

$E = n h \nu$   $\Rightarrow$  there can be 0, 1, 2, 3, ... particles with energy  $E_\gamma = h\nu$

We know:  $E^2 = c^2 p^2 + m^2 c^4 \Rightarrow E = cp \Rightarrow p = \frac{h\nu}{c} = \frac{h}{\lambda}$

Not, WFT

Collisions involving photons (massless particles)

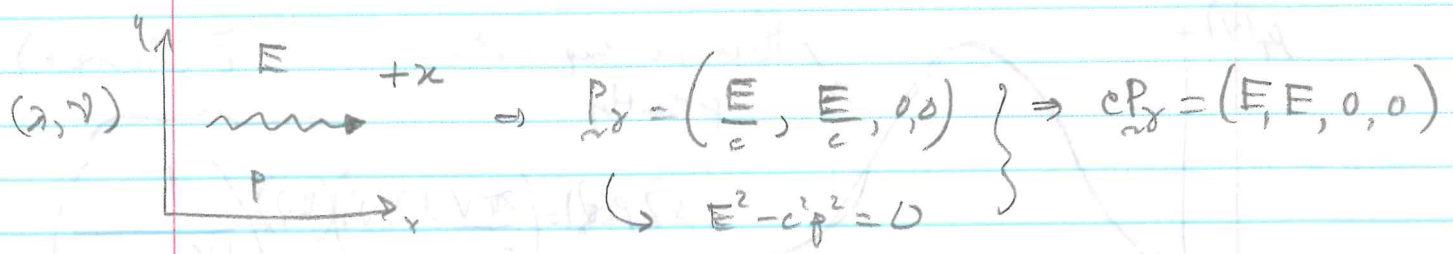


$E_\gamma = h\nu = \frac{hc}{\lambda}$   
 $6.626 \times 10^{-34} \text{ Js}$

$E = cp \Rightarrow p = \frac{h\nu}{c} = \frac{h}{\lambda}$

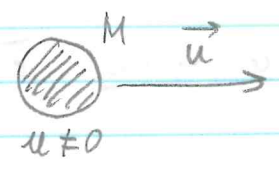
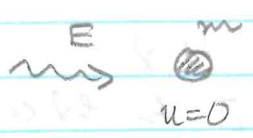
All relativistic particles follow rule:  $E^2 = c^2 p^2 + m^2 c^4$

$$\underline{p}_\gamma = \left( \frac{E}{c}, p_x, p_y, p_z \right)$$



Before

After



$$c\underline{p}_\gamma = (E, E, 0, 0)$$

$$c\underline{p}_m = (mc^2, 0, 0, 0)$$

$$c\underline{p}_M = (\gamma(u)Mc^2, \gamma(u)Muc, 0, 0)$$

$$c\underline{p}_\gamma + c\underline{p}_m = c\underline{p}_M \rightarrow \left\{ \begin{array}{l} E + mc^2 = \gamma(u)Mc^2 \\ E + 0 = \gamma(u)Muc \\ 0 = 0, 0 = 0 \end{array} \right\} \text{Square \& subtract} \\ \text{gambit}$$

$$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} E^2 + 2mc^2E + m^2c^4 = \gamma^2(u)M^2c^4 \\ E^2 = (\gamma(u)\frac{u}{c})^2 M^2c^4 \end{array} \right.$$

$$(2mc^2E) + m^2c^4 = (Mc^2)^2 \gamma^2(u) \left( 1 - \frac{u^2}{c^2} \right)$$

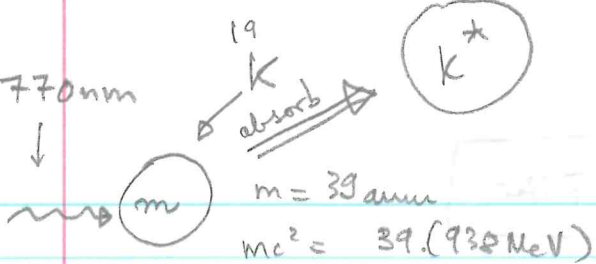
$$\Rightarrow \boxed{Mc^2 = \sqrt{mc^2(2E + mc^2)}}$$

$$\Rightarrow \boxed{\gamma(u) = \frac{E + mc^2}{\sqrt{mc^2(2E + mc^2)}}$$

what is u?  $\rightarrow \boxed{u = \frac{Ec}{E + mc^2}}$

$$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} cp = \gamma(u)muc \\ E = \gamma(u)mc^2 \\ \frac{u}{E} = \frac{u}{c} \rightarrow \boxed{\frac{u}{c} = \frac{E}{E + mc^2}} \end{array} \right.$$

$\lambda = 770 \text{ nm}$



$h = 6.626 \times 10^{-34} \text{ Js} = 4.136 \times 10^{-15} \text{ eVs}$

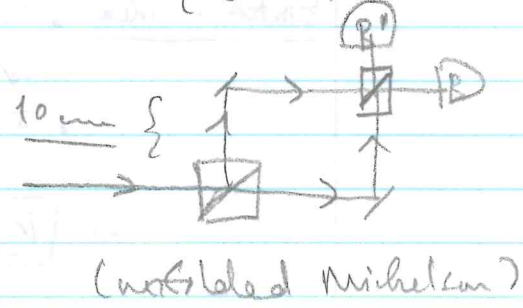
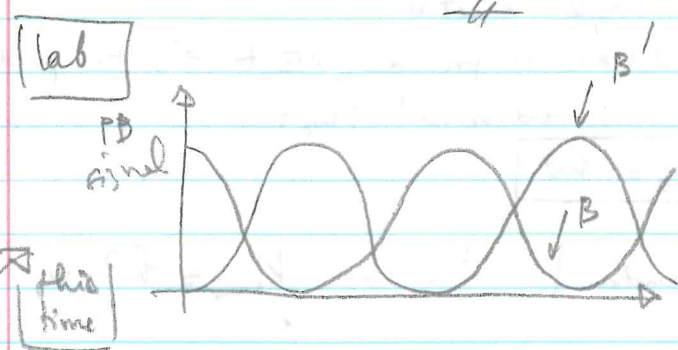
$$\left( \frac{E = h\nu}{cp = h\nu} \right) = \frac{hc}{\lambda} = \boxed{E_\gamma = 1.614 \text{ eV}}$$

$$\frac{u}{c} = \frac{E}{E + mc^2} = \frac{1.614 \text{ eV}}{1.614 \text{ eV} + (39.938) \times 10^6 \text{ eV}} \approx 4.4 \times 10^{-11}$$

$u \approx 0.013 \text{ m/s} = 1.3 \text{ cm/s}$

→ can be used to show atoms down (close to 0K)

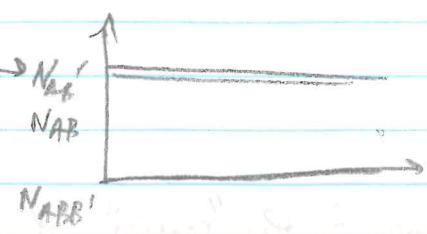
Recall  $v_{\text{rms}} = \sqrt{\frac{3k_B T}{m}} \approx 440 \text{ m/s}$



$\tau_c = 8.0 \text{ ns}$  if  $\alpha_{3D} \ll 1$ , then 1 photon enters system at a time

last week: photon either goes straight or reflected

If data taken at low rate → can we see interference?

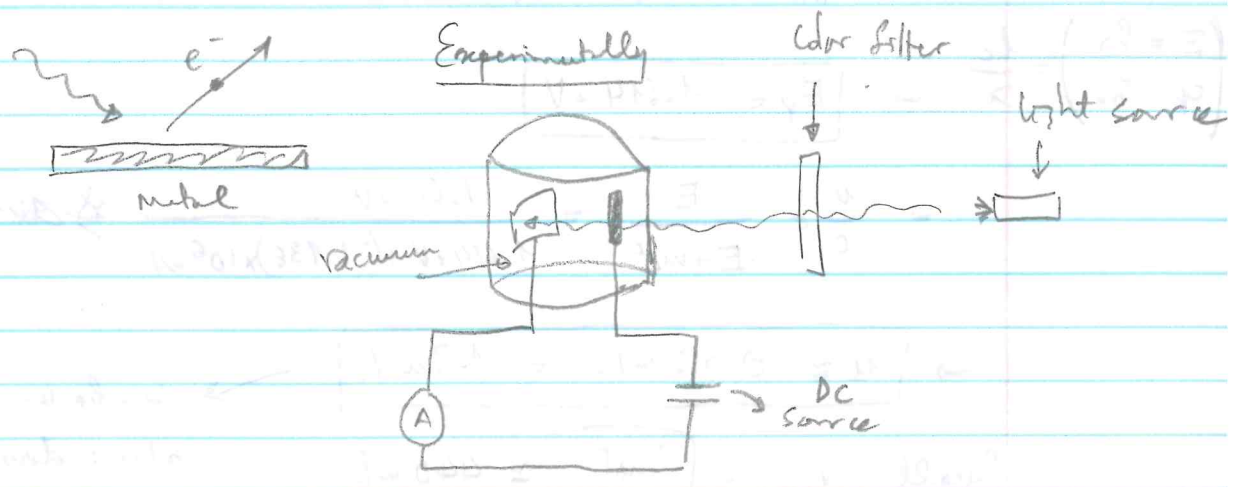


→ "Interference is not a multi-particle effect"

↳ Idea: interference of 1 particle

Nov 8, 2017

Photons & the Photoelectric Effect



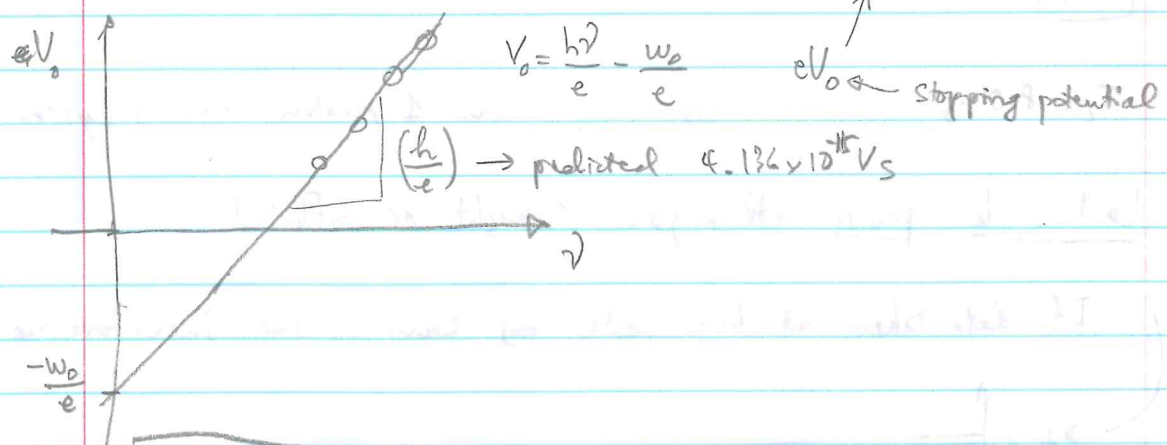
Einstein's idea • Every electron ejected was due to a single photon collision w/ a single electron.

• In addition to providing KE to e<sup>-</sup>, the photon energy also must do "work" (w<sub>0</sub>).

→  $K_{max} + w_0 = h\nu$

where  $w_0$  : work function

Prediction  $K_{max} = h\nu - w_0$

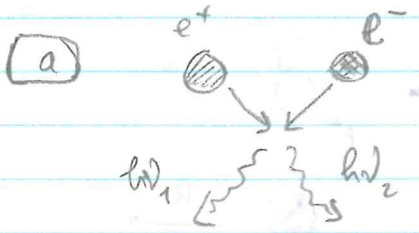


Photon collisions

↳ other compelling evidence for the "reality" of photons is the observation of collisions involving light

$cP_\gamma = (E, c\vec{P}_\gamma)$

①. Positron annihilation & production



$$e^+ + e^- \rightarrow h\nu_1 + h\nu_2$$

there has to be 2 photons + because there's a frame (COM) in which  $P_0 = 0 \rightarrow$  can't be 1 photon ( $cP_x$ )

In the rest frame of the "positronium"

$$E_i = 2m_e c^2 \quad \vec{P}_i = 0 \quad \rightarrow \quad c\vec{P}_i = (E_i, 0, 0, 0)$$

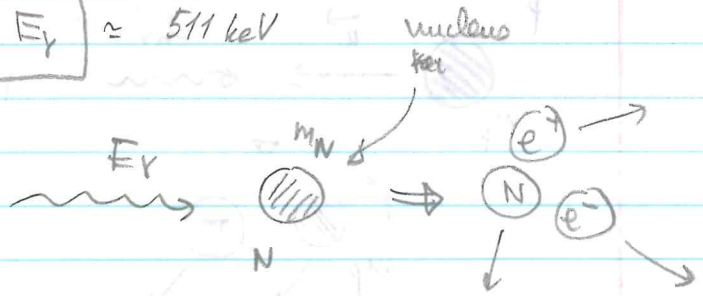
$$c\vec{P}_f = (h\nu_1 + h\nu_2, \underbrace{h\nu_1 \hat{n}_1 + h\nu_2 \hat{n}_2}_{\vec{0}})$$

$$\vec{P}_1 = -\vec{P}_2 \Rightarrow h\nu_1 = h\nu_2 = h\nu$$

$$\Rightarrow 2m_e c^2 = h\nu_1 + h\nu_2 = 2h\nu$$

$$h\nu = m_e c^2 = E_f \approx 511 \text{ keV}$$

② Pair production



all @ rest (same v in lab frame)

What is the threshold energy for pair production?

$$c\vec{P}_i = (E_\gamma + m_N c^2, E_\gamma, 0, 0)$$

$$c\vec{P}_f = (m_N c^2 + 2m_e c^2) \gamma(u), (m_N c^2 + 2m_e c^2) \gamma(u) \frac{u}{c}, 0, 0$$

energy to create  $e^+ e^-$  & create momentum

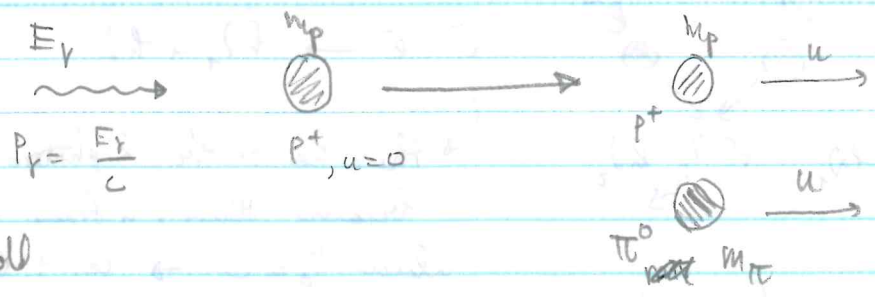
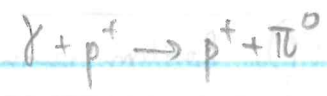
use square & subtract gamma bit

$$\begin{cases} E_\gamma + m_N c^2 = (m_N c^2 + 2m_e c^2) \gamma(u) \\ E_\gamma = (2m_e c^2 + m_N c^2) \gamma(u) \frac{u}{c} \end{cases}$$

$$\Rightarrow E_\gamma = 2m_e c^2 \left[ 1 + \frac{m_e}{m_N} \right]$$



Production of other particles



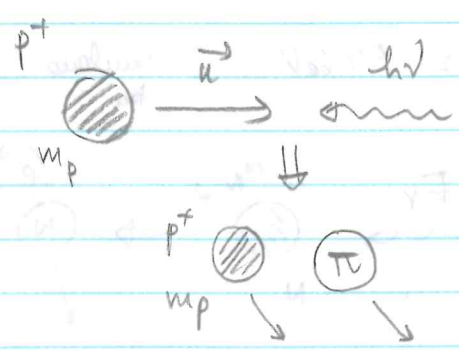
At threshold

$$c\vec{p}_i = (E_\gamma + m_p c^2, E_\gamma, 0, 0)$$

$$c\vec{p}_f = (\gamma(u)(m_p c^2 + m_\pi c^2), \frac{u}{c} \gamma(u)(m_p c^2 + m_\pi c^2), 0, 0)$$

Same gambit  $\rightarrow E_\gamma = m_\pi c^2 \left( 1 + \frac{m_\pi}{m_p} \right) = E$   
 @ threshold

GZK suppression



if  $E_\gamma = 1.15 \text{ meV}$  (Cosmic microwave background photons)

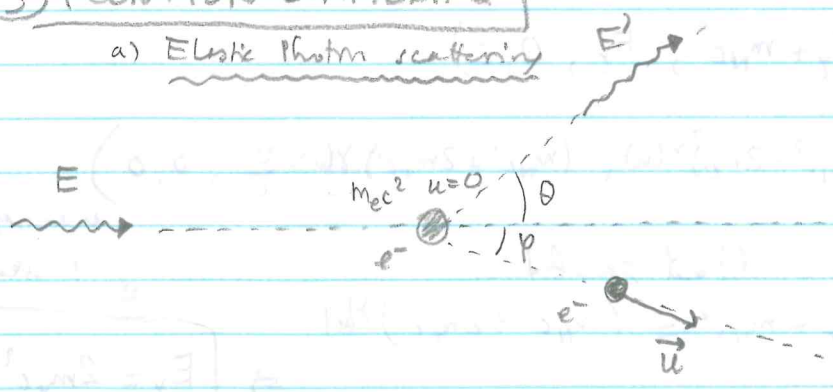
if  $p^+$  moves fast enough  $\rightarrow$   $h\nu$  is Doppler shifted.

What is  $p^+$  energy?

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(3) COMPTON SCATTERING

a) Elastic photon scattering



b) Compton's theory: Goal: eliminate  $u', \varphi$  - solve for  $E'(E, \theta)$

Before  $\underline{p}_i = \left( \frac{E}{c} + m_e c, \frac{E}{c}, 0, 0 \right)$

After  $\underline{p}_f = \left( \frac{E'}{c} + \gamma(u) m_e c, \frac{E'}{c} \cos \theta + \gamma(u) m_e u' \cos \varphi, \frac{E'}{c} \sin \theta - \gamma(u) m_e u' \sin \varphi, 0 \right)$

Equate term by term:

- $\left\{ \frac{E}{c} + m_e c = \frac{E'}{c} + \gamma(u) m_e c \right\} \frac{1}{m_e c}$
- $\left\{ \frac{E}{c} = \frac{E'}{c} \cos \theta + \gamma(u) m_e u' \cos \varphi \right\} \frac{1}{m_e c}$
- $\left\{ 0 = \frac{E'}{c} \sin \theta - \gamma(u) m_e u' \sin \varphi \right\} \frac{1}{m_e c}$

Define  $\epsilon = \frac{E}{m_e c^2}, \epsilon' = \frac{E'}{m_e c^2}$

(unitless)

$$\rightarrow \begin{cases} \epsilon + 1 = \gamma(u) + \epsilon' \\ \epsilon = \epsilon' \cos \theta + \gamma(u) \cos \varphi \cdot \frac{u'}{c} \\ \epsilon' \sin \theta = \gamma(u) \frac{u'}{c} \sin \varphi \end{cases} \Rightarrow \begin{cases} \epsilon + 1 = \gamma(u) + \epsilon' & (P_1) \\ \epsilon - \epsilon' \cos \theta = \gamma(u) \cos \varphi \cdot \frac{u'}{c} & (P_2) \\ \epsilon' \sin \theta = \gamma(u) \frac{u'}{c} \sin \varphi & (P_3) \end{cases}$$

- ① Square & add  $(P_2), (P_3)$
- ② Square & subtract  $\rightarrow \gamma(u)^2 \frac{u'^2}{c^2} = 1$

Result:  $\frac{1}{\epsilon'} - \frac{1}{\epsilon} = 1 - \cos \theta$  (\*)

$\epsilon' = \frac{h\nu'}{m_e c^2} = \frac{hc}{m_e c^2 \lambda'}, \epsilon = \frac{hc}{m_e c^2 \lambda}$

$\Rightarrow (*) \Rightarrow (\lambda' - \lambda) \frac{m_e c^2}{hc} = 1 - \cos \theta \Rightarrow \Delta \lambda = \frac{hc}{m_e c^2} (1 - \cos \theta)$

$m_e c^2 = 0.511 \text{ MeV}$   
 $hc = 1240 \text{ eV \AA}$  }  $\Rightarrow \frac{hc}{m_e c^2} = \lambda_c = 0.0243 \text{ \AA} = 2.43 \times 10^{-12} \text{ m}$

Compton wavelength

### c. Compton's experiment

$$\Delta\lambda = \lambda_c (1 - \cos\theta)$$

0.024 Å

$\lambda_{\text{nickel}} \approx 5000 \text{ \AA}$   $\nearrow \sim 2 \text{ eV}$

rpm very hard to see  $\Delta\lambda$

→ Compton used X-rays (are composed of photons with  $E \approx 10,000 \text{ eV}$ )

$\lambda_x \approx 1 \text{ \AA}$

Solves two problems

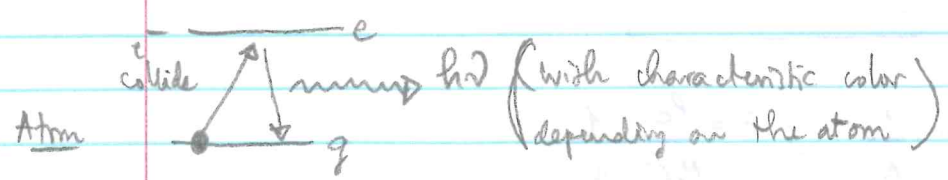
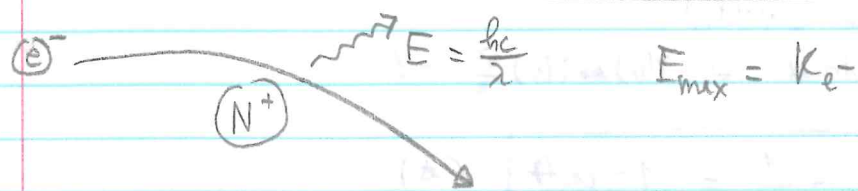
- $\lambda_c \approx \lambda_x$
- Ex-ray  $\gg E_{\text{binding}}$

### ii) X-ray production

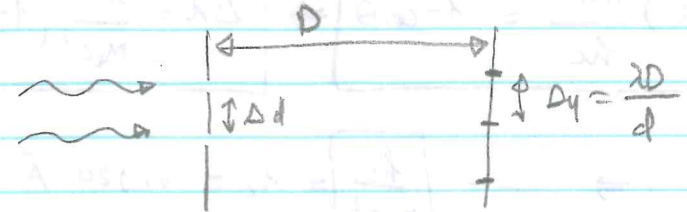
→ bask electrons into materials (historically)

① Bremsstrahlung radiation (means slow down)

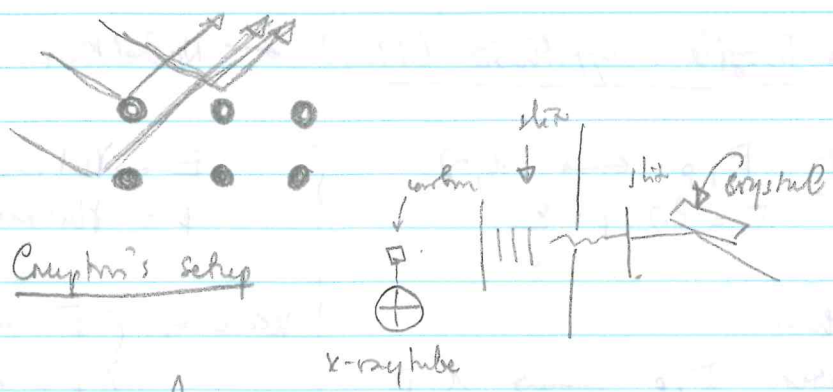
→ Acceleration causes charges to radiate



### iii) Analysis of X-ray wavelength



Bragg Scattering / diffraction from atoms in a crystal



Compton's setup

Data:

$0^\circ$	
$45^\circ$	
$90^\circ$	
$135^\circ$	

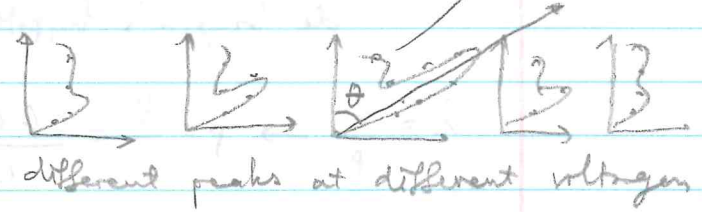
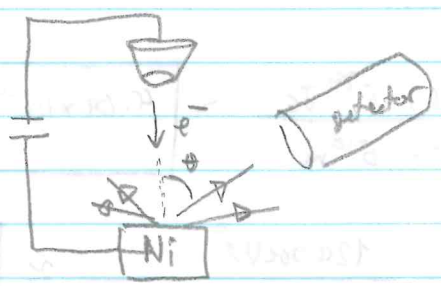
$\Delta\lambda = \frac{hc}{m_e c^2}$

→ photon exists.

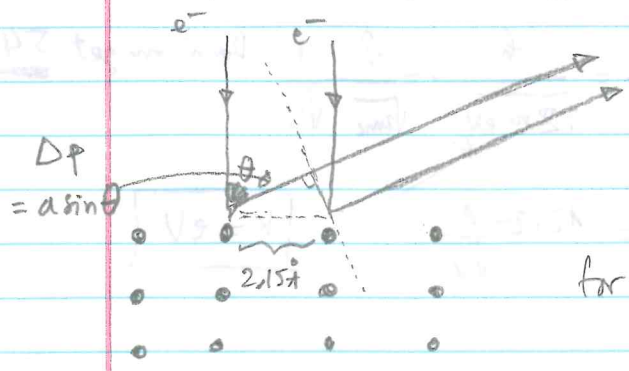
V. THE WAVE NATURE OF LIGHT & MATTER

A. The Davisson and Germer Exp (Nobel 1937)

① Exp



② Electron Interference ← wave properties



If electrons exhibit wave-like properties you can calculate

$\Delta p = a \sin \theta = n\lambda \rightarrow$  constructive int

for  $2.15 \text{ \AA}$ ,  $\theta = 50^\circ \rightarrow \lambda = \frac{1.65 \text{ \AA}}{n} \rightarrow \lambda_e = 1.65 \text{ \AA}$

B. de Broglie's hypothesis and wave-particle duality

1) de Broglie's hypothesis (1924) ← Nobel 1929

Light:  $E, p \leftrightarrow \lambda, \nu$   
 $E = h\nu \quad p = \frac{h}{\lambda}$

$E = \gamma h m c^2$   
 $p = \gamma h m v$

Hypothesis:  
 matter  $E, p \leftrightarrow \lambda, \nu$

$v \ll c \Rightarrow \begin{cases} E = mc^2 + \frac{1}{2}mv^2 \\ p = mv \end{cases}$

In non-relativistic:  $KE = \frac{1}{2}mv^2 = \frac{p^2}{2m} \rightarrow p = \sqrt{2mK}$

$\lambda = \frac{E}{h} \rightarrow \lambda = \frac{h}{p} = \frac{h}{\sqrt{2mK}}$

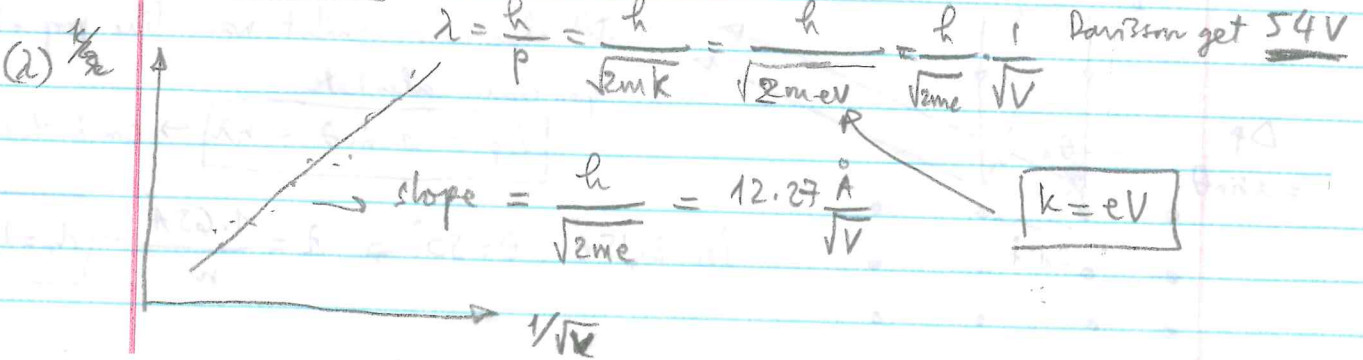
2) Davisson & Germer's confirmation

What are the  $p$  - KE of electron of  $\lambda_e = 1.65 \text{ \AA}$  according to de Broglie's hypothesis?

$\lambda = \frac{h}{p} \rightarrow p = \frac{h}{\lambda} = \frac{6.626 \times 10^{-34} \text{ Js}}{1.65 \times 10^{-10} \text{ m}} = 4.02 \times 10^{-24} \frac{\text{Js}}{\text{m}} \quad (p)$

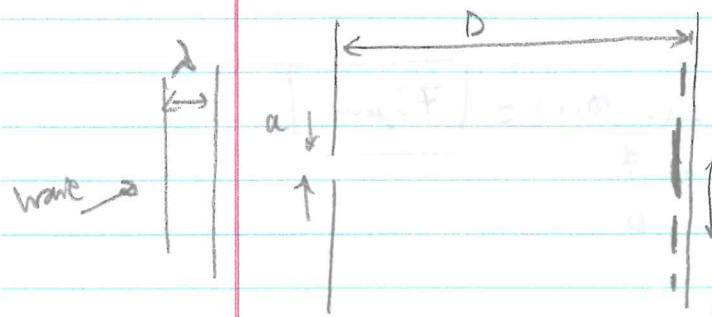
$K = \frac{p^2}{2m} = \frac{h^2}{2m\lambda^2} = \frac{h^2 c^2}{2m c^2 \lambda^2} = \frac{1240 \text{ eV \AA}}{2(511,000 \text{ eV}) \cdot (1.65 \text{ \AA})^2} \approx 55.3 \text{ eV}$

Further measurements



2. Modern matter-wave interference experiments

a) Single-slit diffraction



minima @  $\frac{\pi a \sin \theta}{\lambda} = n\pi$

minima when  $\frac{\Delta x}{D} a \sin \theta$

$x_{min} = n \frac{\lambda D}{a}$

any non-zero int

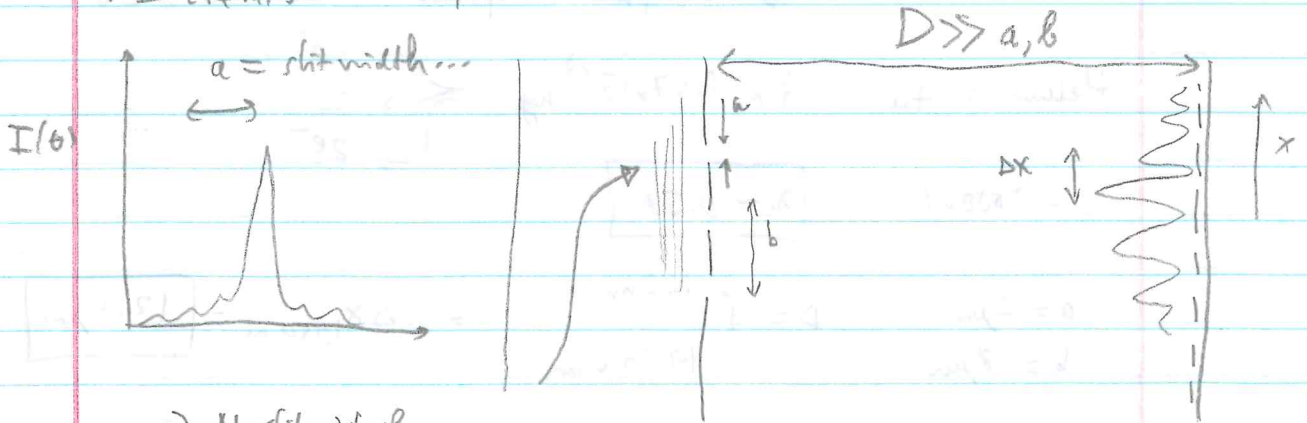
$$I(\theta) = \frac{I_0 \sin^2 \left( \frac{\pi a \sin \theta}{\lambda} \right)}{\left( \frac{\pi a \sin \theta}{\lambda} \right)^2}$$

← intensity

(Anton Zeilinger)

b) Neutron experiment (1988-1990) (Neutron)

$m = 1.67 \times 10^{-27} \text{ kg}$   
 $v = 214 \text{ m/s}$  }  $\Rightarrow \lambda = \frac{h}{mv} = 1.85 \times 10^{-9} \text{ m} = \boxed{18.5 \text{ \AA}}$



c) N-slit interference

$I(\theta) = (\text{single slit diffraction}) \times (n\text{-slit-interference})$

$\Delta x = \frac{\lambda D}{b}$

n-slit-interference pattern has max @  $x_n = n \cdot \frac{\lambda D}{b}$

d. Two-slit experiments with neutron

$$m = 1.67 \times 10^{-27} \text{ kg} \quad \left. \begin{array}{l} \\ v = 214 \text{ m/s} \end{array} \right\} \rightarrow \lambda = \frac{h}{mv} = 1.25 \text{ nm}$$

$$\Delta x = \frac{\lambda}{b} D = \frac{1.25 \text{ nm}}{126 \mu\text{m}} \cdot (5.00 \text{ m}) = \boxed{73 \mu\text{m}}$$

e. Two-slit electron experiment

2012 - Herman Batelaan  $\rightarrow$  Experimental parameters

$$E = 600 \text{ eV} \rightarrow \lambda = \frac{h}{\sqrt{2mk}} = \frac{hc}{\sqrt{2mc^2k}} = \frac{12400 \text{ eV}\text{\AA}}{\sqrt{2(511,000 \text{ eV})(600 \text{ eV})}} = \boxed{0.5 \text{\AA}}$$

Two slits  $\left\{ \begin{array}{l} a = 62 \text{ nm} \\ b = 272 \text{ nm} \end{array} \right.$

f. Two-slit atom interference

$\rightarrow$  complex composite system ( ${}^4_2\text{He}$ )

$$\text{Helium} = 4u = 4 \times (1.67 \times 10^{-27} \text{ kg}) \quad \left\{ \begin{array}{l} 2p^+ \\ 2n \\ 2e^- \end{array} \right.$$

$$v = 2500 \text{ m/s} \rightarrow \lambda \approx \boxed{0.5 \text{\AA}}$$

$$\begin{array}{l} a = 1 \mu\text{m} \\ b = 8 \mu\text{m} \end{array} \quad D = \left\{ \begin{array}{l} 145 \text{ nm} \\ 1950 \text{ nm} \end{array} \right. \Rightarrow \Delta x_{1950 \text{ m}} = \boxed{12.4 \mu\text{m}}$$

# 3. WAVES OR PARTICLES

calculations  $\longleftrightarrow$  measurements

(\*) Compton Effect  $\rightarrow$  collision of particles  
 changing energy  $\rightarrow \Delta\lambda = \frac{h}{mc} (1 - \cos\theta)$

(\*) N-slit interference (matter or light)  $\rightarrow$  wave superposition  $\rightarrow$  "intensity"  
 $\rightarrow$  arrival of particles

(\*) PH241 Lab (light)  $\rightarrow$  wave superposition in an interferometer.  
 $\rightarrow$  # of coincidences of detector clicks...

(a) Bohr's principle of complementarity  $\rightarrow$  you can never do an exp when the complementary descriptions lead to a paradox  
 Is light a wave or a "shower of photons"?  $\rightarrow$  Neither... or both.  
 $\rightarrow$  Two "intradictory" pictures, but you need both

# C. THE UNCERTAINTY PRINCIPLE

$\frac{h}{2\pi}$   
 $\hbar = \frac{h}{2\pi}$

rationalized Planck const

(\*) A way to understand how a combination of wave & particle properties can be interpreted

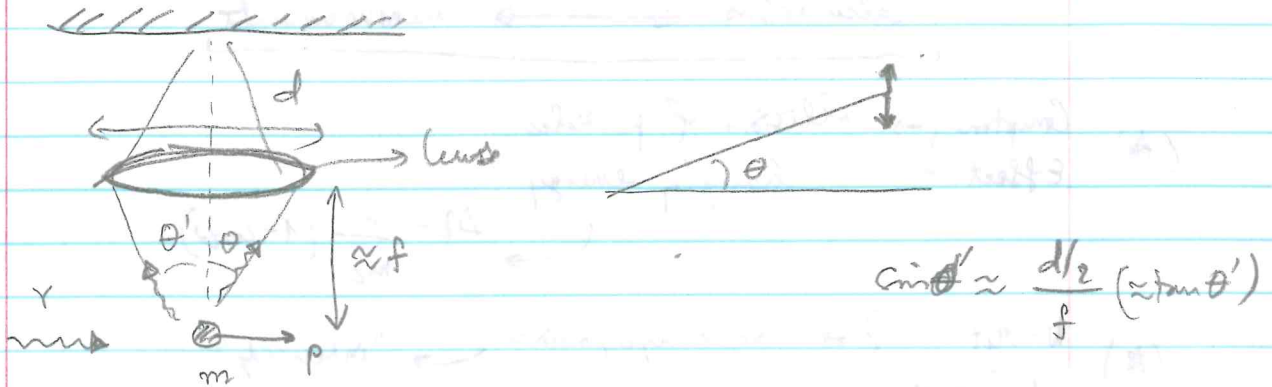
(1) Statement of the principle (Heisenberg's uncertainty principle)

$\rightarrow$  We cannot simultaneously measure the exact values of  $x$  &  $p_x$ .  
 ( $x$ : location) ( $p_x$ : momentum along that same axis)  
 Instead, the precision of the 2 measurements is limited by  $|\Delta x \Delta p_x| \geq \frac{\hbar}{2}$

indeterminacy



(2) Bohr's gedanken experiment: (The Heisenberg microscope)



(1) Spatial resolution of a microscope Rayleigh's criterion

$$\Delta x \approx \frac{\lambda}{2 \sin \theta'} \Rightarrow \Delta x \approx \frac{1}{2} \frac{\lambda}{\sin \theta'}$$

↑  
diameter of lens

Resolution affected by diffraction

(2) Undistinguishable changes in momentum



$$p_x' = p_x + \frac{h}{\lambda} - \frac{h}{\lambda'} \sin \theta$$

$$\Delta x \uparrow \Delta p \downarrow$$

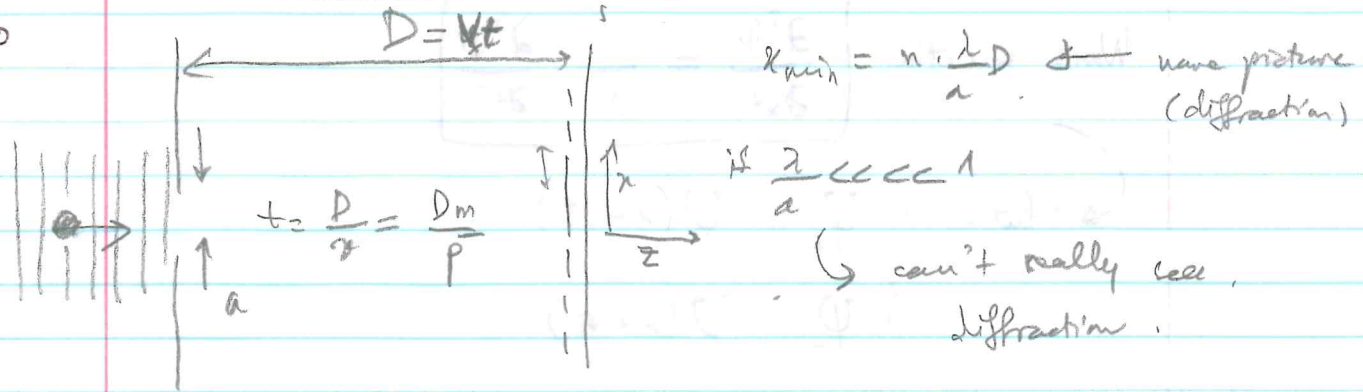
$$\begin{cases} (p_x' \text{ max}) \Leftrightarrow \theta = -\theta' \Rightarrow p_x' = p_x + \frac{h}{\lambda} + \frac{h}{\lambda'} \sin \theta' \\ (p_x' \text{ min}) \Leftrightarrow \theta = \theta' \Rightarrow p_x' = p_x + \frac{h}{\lambda} - \frac{h}{\lambda'} \sin \theta' \end{cases}$$

$$\Delta p = p_{\text{max}} - p_{\text{min}} = \frac{2h}{\lambda'} \sin \theta'$$

$$\Delta p_x \Delta x = \frac{2h}{\lambda'} \sin \theta' \cdot \frac{\lambda'}{2 \sin \theta'} = 2h > \frac{h}{4\pi} = \frac{h}{2}$$

### 3. Some consequences of the uncertainty principle

Nov 20



Particle picture  $\rightarrow$  going thru the slit  $\rightarrow$  know  $\Delta x = a$

$$\Rightarrow \Delta p_x \geq \frac{h}{4\pi \Delta x} \Rightarrow \Delta v_x = \frac{\Delta p_x}{m}$$

At the screen

$$\hookrightarrow \Delta x_{screen} = \Delta v_x \cdot t = \Delta v_x \cdot \frac{Dm}{p} = \Delta v_x \cdot \frac{D}{v}$$

"spread"

$$\Rightarrow \Delta x_{screen} = \frac{\Delta p_x}{m} \cdot \frac{D}{v} \cdot m = \frac{\Delta p_x \cdot D}{p_z} \Rightarrow \Delta x_{screen} = \frac{h}{4\pi a} \cdot \frac{D}{p_z}$$

$$\Rightarrow \Delta x_{screen} = \frac{\lambda \cdot D}{4\pi a}$$

### D. WAVE FUNCTIONS

$\Delta$  relationship between wave particle duality & uncertainty principle.

#### 1) Born's interpretation

Light

$$\vec{E} = \vec{E}(x,t)$$

$$I = \frac{1}{2} c \epsilon_0 \vec{E}^2 = nh\nu$$

Matter

$$\Psi(x,t)$$

dist. function

$$|\Psi(x,t)|^2 \rightarrow \text{probability density}$$

$\hookrightarrow$  "absolute square" (x by complex conj)

## 2. CLASSICAL WAVE

Wave equation  $\boxed{\frac{\partial^2 \psi}{\partial x^2} = \frac{1}{v^2} \frac{\partial^2 \psi}{\partial t^2}}$

solutions:  $\begin{cases} \psi_+ = \psi(x-vt) \\ \psi_- = \psi(x+vt) \end{cases}$

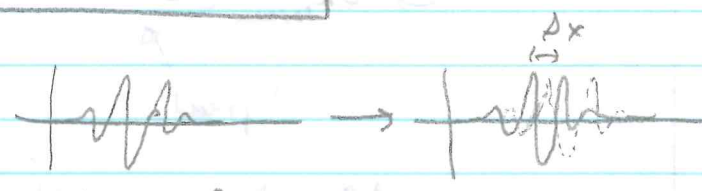
### a) The principle of superposition

linear operation

Any two solutions added together are also solutions

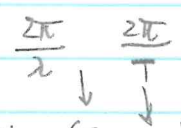
$\boxed{\psi_1(x,t) + \psi_2(x,t) = \psi(x,t)}$  ← why interference works

### b) localized wave



required to represent particle

c) harmonic waves (unlocalized)  $\psi_0(x,t) = \psi_0 \cos\left(\frac{2\pi}{\lambda}(x-vt)\right) = \psi_0 \cos(kx - \omega t)$



$\lambda, \nu, v \rightarrow k, \omega, v$   
 $(\lambda \nu = v) \quad (v = \frac{\omega}{k}) = \frac{\lambda}{T}$

### d) Complex number

$z = x + iy = |z|(\cos \phi + i \sin \phi)$

$\boxed{z^* = x - iy = |z|e^{-i\phi}}$

$\hookrightarrow \boxed{z = |z|e^{i\phi}}$

complex conjugate

$\boxed{iz = ix - y = |z|e^{-i(\theta + \pi/2)}}$

complex conjugate

## Harmonic waves using de Broglie

$$E = h\nu = \hbar\omega$$

$$p = \frac{h}{\lambda} = \hbar k$$

$$\Psi(x,t) = \Psi_0 \cos(kx - \omega t) = \Psi_0 \cos\left(\frac{p}{\hbar}x - \frac{E}{\hbar}t\right)$$

$$= \text{Re}\left[\Psi_0 e^{i/\hbar}(px - Et)\right]$$

unrealized  
 Harmonic waves have perfectly defined energy & momentum

d) Wave packets → a superposition of harmonic waves that have some localization.

i) Simple example

2 harmonic waves addition

$$\Psi(x,t) = \Psi_0 \cdot \text{Re}\left[e^{i(k_1x - \omega_1t)} + e^{i(k_2x - \omega_2t)}\right]$$

Express in terms of  $\bar{k} = \frac{k_1 + k_2}{2}$  ;  $\bar{\omega} = \frac{\omega_1 + \omega_2}{2}$

$$\Delta k = k_2 - k_1 ; \Delta \omega = \omega_2 - \omega_1$$

$$\Rightarrow \Psi(x,t) = \Psi_0 \cdot \text{Re}\left[e^{i(\bar{k}x - \bar{\omega}t)} \left\{ e^{i/2(\Delta kx - \Delta \omega t)} + e^{-i/2(\Delta kx - \Delta \omega t)} \right\}\right]$$

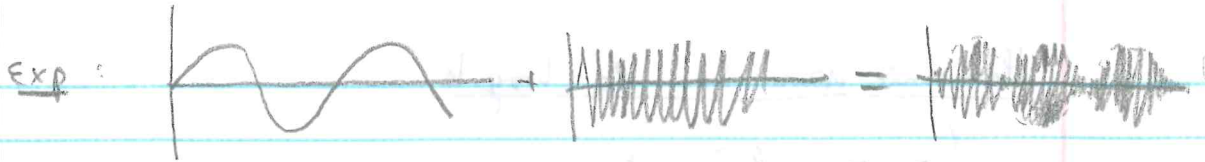
sum of  $z + z^*$   
 $\rightarrow 2 \cos\left(\frac{\Delta kx}{2} - \frac{\Delta \omega t}{2}\right)$

$$\Psi(x,t) = 2\Psi_0 \cdot \cos\left(\frac{\Delta kx}{2} - \frac{\Delta \omega t}{2}\right) \cdot \cos(\bar{k}x - \bar{\omega}t)$$

group

phase

$$v = \frac{d\omega}{dk}$$

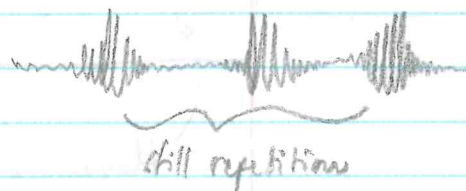


Phase velocity  
Group velocity

$$v_p = v = \frac{\omega}{k}$$

$$v_g = v = \frac{\Delta\omega}{\Delta k} \rightarrow \frac{d\omega}{dk}$$

ii) More waves = more localization



iii) Isolated Wave Packet → eliminate repetition

$(k = \frac{2\pi}{\lambda})$   
 $(p = \frac{h}{\lambda})$   
 $\Delta x_{rep} \Rightarrow \infty \Rightarrow \Delta k \rightarrow 0 \rightarrow \frac{\Delta\omega}{\Delta k} \rightarrow \text{edge}$   
 Requires a continuum of waves → space between distributions

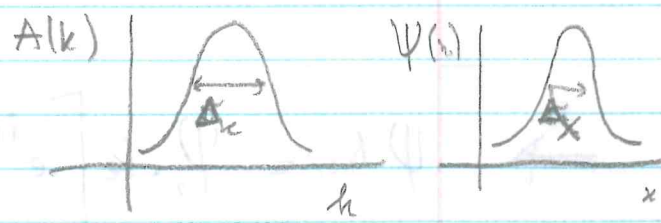
probability of find a particle

$$\Psi(x,t) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} dk A(k) \cdot e^{i(kx - \omega t)}$$

$k = \frac{p}{\hbar} = p = \hbar k$  ( $\hbar$  related to momentum)

Fourier Integral

e) Fourier's theorem = uncertainty



$\Delta x \Delta k \geq \frac{1}{2}$  → too make very localized wave packet  
 (need a lot of wave number)

$\Delta p$   
 $\hbar$  ⇒ To express a limited wave ⇒ need a distribution of momentum

⇒  $\Delta x \cdot \Delta p \geq \frac{\hbar}{2}$  (WTF? Heisenberg ...)

# Ⓟ Early Atomic Theory

Parallel development to wave-particle duality.

## A. Thomson's atomic model: "plum pudding"

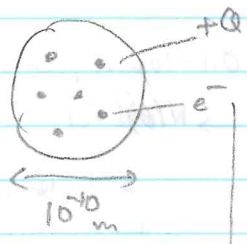
"discovered" 1875 (J.J. Thomson)

1. Subatomic particles - electrons

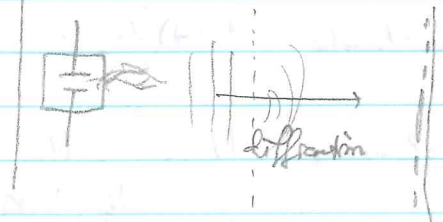
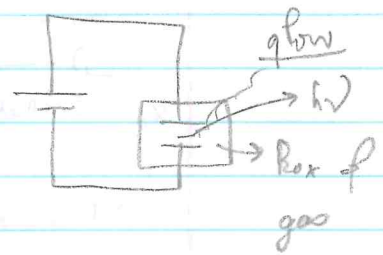
$$\hookrightarrow \frac{e}{m_e} = 1.76 \times 10^{11} \text{ C/kg}$$

$$\begin{cases} e = 1.6 \times 10^{-19} \text{ C} \\ m_e = 9.1 \times 10^{-31} \text{ kg} \ll m_{\text{atom}} \end{cases}$$

## 2. The Thomson's atomic model

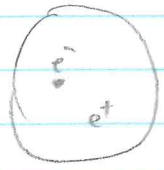
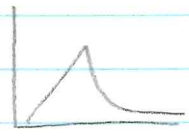


a) Atomic fluorescence spectroscopy



b) Problem with Thomson's model (hydrogen)

seems to have only 1 e-



$$F_e = \begin{cases} \frac{1}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \frac{e^2}{r^2} & (r > R) \\ \frac{1}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \frac{e^2}{R^3} r & (r < R) \end{cases}$$

$$\hookrightarrow \text{For an "excited" electron } F = -kr, \quad k = \frac{1}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \frac{e^2}{R^3}, \quad \omega = \sqrt{\frac{k}{m_e}}, \quad \nu = \frac{\omega}{2\pi}$$

$$\Rightarrow \text{if } R \approx 1\text{\AA} \rightarrow \nu \approx 2.5 \times 10^{15} \text{ s}^{-1} \rightarrow \lambda \approx 1200\text{\AA} \text{ (only 1 color)}$$

BUT H has a rich spectrum

1885 - Johannes Balmer 4 wavelengths in H  $\lambda = 3646\text{\AA} \cdot \left( \frac{n^2}{n^2 - 4} \right)$

(1.097... Rydberg constant)

$$\hookrightarrow \left[ \nu = \frac{c}{\lambda} = c \cdot (1.097 \times 10^7 \text{ m}^{-1}) \cdot \left( \frac{1}{2^2} - \frac{1}{n^2} \right) \right] \quad \nu = 3, 4, 5, 6$$

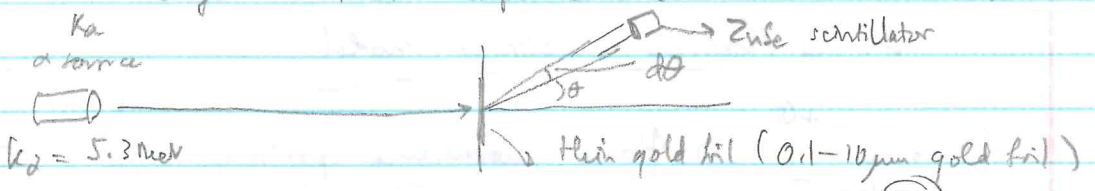
1890 - Johannes Rydberg Rydberg const

$$\nu = c \cdot (1.097 \times 10^7 \text{ m}^{-1}) \left( \frac{1}{m^2} - \frac{1}{n^2} \right)$$

$h \cdot c \cdot R = 13.6 \text{ eV} \rightarrow I_0 \text{ of H}$

B. Rutherford scattering and the nuclear model of atoms

The Geiger - Marsden Experiment (1912-1913) : Rutherford scattering



Measure distribution function  $N(\theta) d\theta$  efficiency

clear relation to inefficiency  $N$ ,  $N_g$ ,  $N_m$

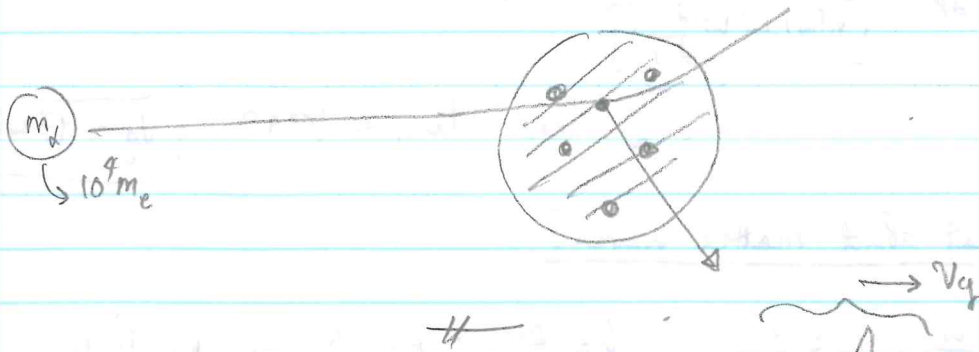
$$N_g = N \cdot \eta_g \quad N_m = N \cdot \eta_m$$

$$N_{gm} = N \cdot \eta_g \cdot \eta_m \rightarrow \frac{N_g \cdot N_m}{N_{gm}} = N$$

a) Experimental results  $\theta_{rms} \approx 1^\circ$

- 99% scattered less than  $3^\circ$
- A few  $\alpha$ 's scattered by more than  $90^\circ$  (0.0001% - 0.01%)
- Remarkable observation by Marsden!
- The number of large-angle scattered  $\alpha$  is linearly proportional to the foil thickness

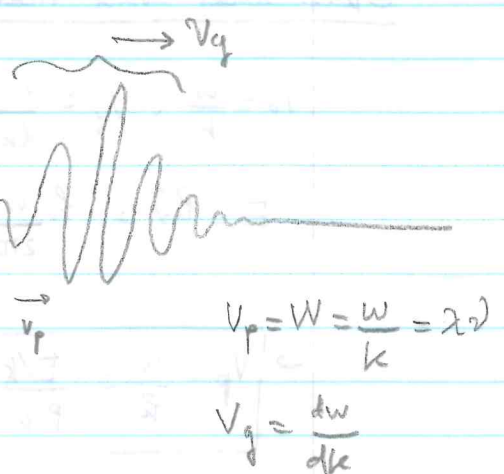
(2) Thomson model predictions for Rutherford scattering ...



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Group velocity = phase velocity

$$\psi = 2\psi_0 \cos\left(\frac{\Delta kx}{2} - \frac{\Delta \omega t}{2}\right) \cdot \cos(kx - \omega t)$$



$$v_p = \omega = \frac{\omega}{k} = \lambda \omega$$

$$v_g = \frac{d\omega}{dk}$$

Example group - phase velocity for light in a medium

$$\lambda(\omega) = \frac{c}{n} \quad \text{index of refraction}$$

$$\lambda = \frac{2\pi}{k}, \quad \omega = \frac{2\pi\nu}{k} \Rightarrow \nu \lambda = \frac{\omega}{k} = \frac{c}{n} = v_p \Rightarrow \frac{ck}{n} = \omega$$

Also:  $\frac{d\omega}{dk} = \frac{c}{n} \Rightarrow v_g = v_p$  true if  $n$  is a constant

So... what happens if  $n(\omega)$ ?  $n = n(\omega) = n(\omega(k))$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{d\omega}{dk} = \frac{d}{dk} \left[ \frac{c}{n(\omega)} k \right] = c \cdot \left[ \frac{1}{n(\omega)} + k \cdot \frac{1}{dk} \left( \frac{1}{n(\omega)} \right) \right]$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{d\omega}{dk} = \frac{c}{n(\omega)} + \frac{(-1)}{n^2(\omega)} ck \cdot \frac{dn}{d\omega} \cdot \frac{d\omega}{dk}$$

$$\frac{d\omega}{dk} = v_g = \frac{c}{n(\omega) \left[ 1 + \frac{c\omega}{n(\omega)} \cdot \frac{dn}{d\omega} \right]} \quad ; v_p \neq v_g$$

$$\left[ \frac{-1}{n^2(\omega)} \frac{dn}{d\omega} \cdot \frac{d\omega}{dk} \right]$$



$$C \rightarrow \frac{d\omega}{dk} = \frac{c}{\left[ n(\omega) + \omega \frac{dn}{d\omega} \right]} = V_g$$

lene Hay - 1999  $V_g = 17 \text{ m/s}$

Ok... what about matter waves?

$$V_p = \frac{\omega}{k}, V_g = \frac{d\omega}{dk}, k = \frac{2\pi}{\lambda}; p = \frac{h}{\lambda} \Rightarrow p = \frac{h}{2\pi} k = \hbar k$$

$$E = \hbar \omega = \hbar \frac{\omega}{2\pi} = \hbar \omega$$

$$\Rightarrow \omega = \frac{E}{\hbar}, k = \frac{p}{\hbar}$$

$$\rightarrow V_p = \frac{\omega}{k} = \frac{E/k}{p/\hbar} = \frac{E}{p}$$

$$V_g = \frac{d\omega}{dk} = \frac{dE}{dp}$$

⊛ Nonrelativistic particle

$$E = k = \frac{1}{2} m v^2 = \frac{p^2}{2m}$$

$$\rightarrow V_p = \frac{E}{p} = \frac{p}{2m} = \frac{mv}{2m} = \frac{v}{2}$$

$V_p$  does not represent the particles' velocity

$$V_g = \frac{dE}{dp} = \frac{2p}{2m} = \frac{p}{m} = v$$

$V_g$  represents the particle's speed.

⊛ Relativistic Particle

$$E = \sqrt{c^2 p^2 + E_{rest}^2} = \gamma(u) m c^2 = \sqrt{c^2 p^2 + (m c^2)^2}$$

$$E = (m c^2) \cdot \sqrt{1 + \left(\frac{cp}{m c^2}\right)^2}$$

$$E = cp \sqrt{1 + \left(\frac{m c^2}{cp}\right)^2}$$

$v_p \geq c$

$$v_p = \frac{E}{p} = c \sqrt{1 + \left(\frac{mc^2}{cp}\right)^2}$$

$\rightarrow c$  if  $mc^2 \ll cp$  (massless...)  
 $\rightarrow \infty$  if  $cp \ll mc^2$  (non-relativistic...)

again, phase velocity cannot represent particle's velocity.

$$v_g = \frac{dE}{dp} = \frac{1}{2} (c^2 p^2 + (mc^2)^2)^{-1/2} \cdot 2cp = \frac{cp}{E} = c \cdot \left(\frac{cp}{E}\right) = v_g$$

$$v_g = \frac{c}{\sqrt{1 + \left(\frac{mc^2}{cp}\right)^2}}$$

$\rightarrow c$  if  $m \rightarrow 0$  ( $mc^2 \ll cp$ )  
 $\approx$

Also, ...

$$v_g = \frac{cp}{m \sqrt{1 + \left(\frac{cp}{mc^2}\right)^2}} = \frac{p/m}{\sqrt{1 + \left(\frac{cp}{mc^2}\right)^2}} \rightarrow \left[\frac{p}{m}\right] \text{ if } (mc^2 \gg cp)$$

If one express  $p = \frac{h}{\lambda}$ , then we can write

$$v_g = \frac{c}{\sqrt{1 + \left(\frac{mc^2}{ch\lambda}\right)^2}}$$

So... imagine a photon is a particle with mass  $m_\gamma$

It would travel with speed  $v_g \leq c$  but the speed would be wavelength dependent.

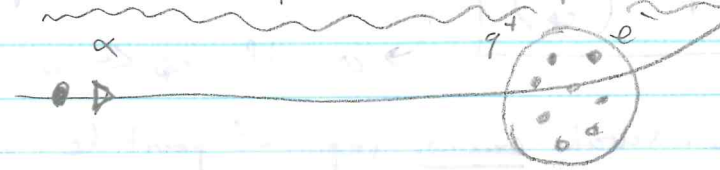
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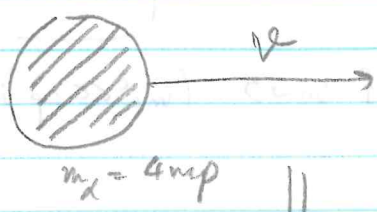
Thomson's model predictions for Rutherford scattering (cont)

or Why was Rutherford so surprised?

a) Estimate of deflection angle due to a collision

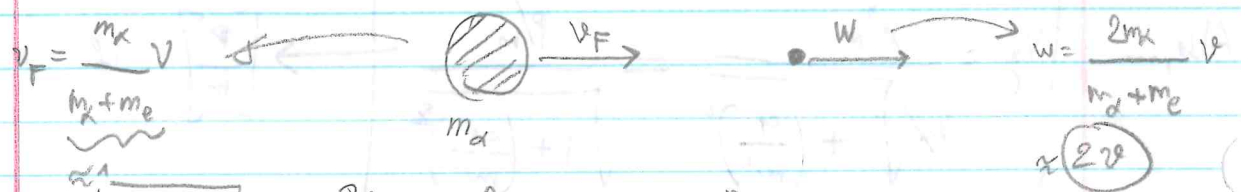


i) Elastic scattering from an electron

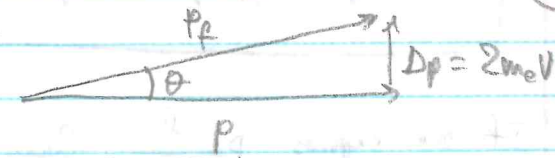


$$m_e = \frac{1}{1836} m_p$$

assume head-on collision ...



Estimate that

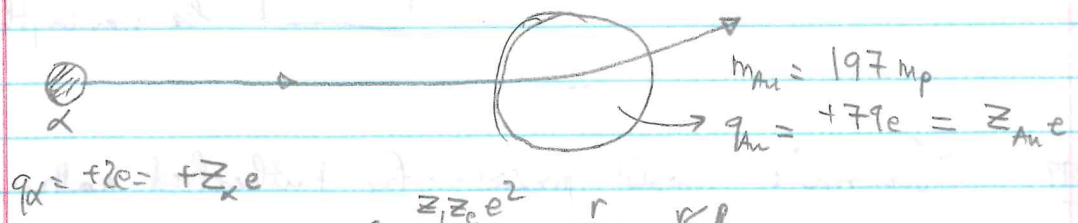


$$\tan \theta = \frac{\Delta p}{p} = \frac{2m_e v}{m_\alpha v} \approx \boxed{2.7 \times 10^{-4}} = \tan \theta \rightarrow \text{biggest angle possible}$$

For  $\tan \theta \ll 1 \rightarrow \tan \theta = 2.7 \times 10^{-4} \approx \theta$

$\theta \approx 0.02^\circ \Rightarrow$  NOT explained by Rutherford's exp!

ii) Estimate from a massive (2 stationary) positive charge

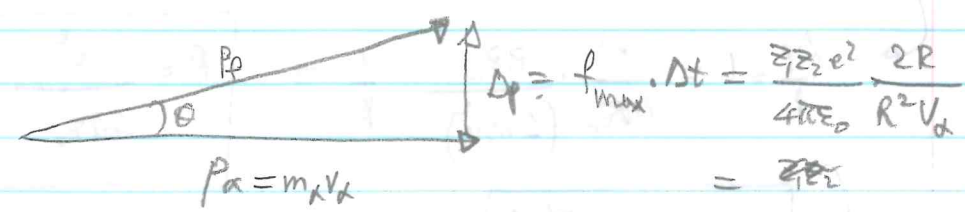


$$F_e = \begin{cases} \frac{z_1 z_2 e^2}{4\pi \epsilon_0} \cdot \frac{1}{R^3} & \text{KR} \\ \frac{z_1 z_2 e^2}{4\pi \epsilon_0} \cdot \frac{1}{r^2} & \text{WR} \end{cases}$$

$$F_{\max} = \frac{Z_1 Z_2 e^2}{4\pi\epsilon_0 R^2} \cdot 1$$

Estimate:  $f_{\max}$  acts for time:  $\Delta t = \frac{2R}{v_\alpha}$  (across atom)

$$\Delta p = f \Delta t$$



$$\frac{\Delta p}{p} = \tan \theta = \frac{e^2}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \cdot \frac{Z_1 Z_2}{R} \cdot \frac{1}{\left(\frac{1}{2} m_\alpha v_\alpha^2\right)}$$

plug in the numbers...  
R = 1.0 Å

$$\tan \theta = 4.6 \times 10^{-4} \approx \theta \Rightarrow \theta \approx 0.03^\circ$$

again, NOT even close to 90°...

Why?

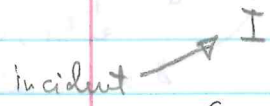
b) Multiple scattering: If you pass N electrons (α atoms) and are scattered from each, what happens to θ?

(random walk...)

c) Theory vs. Exp

In a random walk, N steps, then  $\theta_{rms} = \sqrt{N} \cdot \theta_{rms}$

$$\frac{N(\theta) d\theta}{I} = \frac{2\theta}{\theta^2} e^{-\frac{\theta}{\theta^2}} d\theta \dots$$



predictions:  $\theta_{rms} \approx 1^\circ \rightarrow$  agree!

small angle scat is by electron...

- $f(\approx 3^\circ) > 90^\circ \rightarrow$  agrees w/ exp...
- $f(> 90^\circ) \approx 10^{-3500} \dots \rightarrow$  does NOT agree w/ exp...
- $f(> 90^\circ) \propto \sqrt{\text{thickness}} \rightarrow$  NOT agree w/ exp...

1) Rutherford's Idea:  $\frac{\Delta p}{p} = \left[ \frac{e^2 z_1 z_2}{4\pi\epsilon_0 \left(\frac{1}{2} m_\alpha v_\alpha^2\right)} \right] \frac{1}{R}$

const  $\swarrow$  charge  $R$  so  $\nearrow$  that  $\theta \uparrow$

↳ If  $R \ll 1\text{\AA}$  then  $\tan\theta \approx 1$   
 what  $R$  is required to get  $\tan\theta \approx 1$ ?

↳  $\frac{\Delta p}{p} = 1 = \frac{e^2 z_1 z_2}{4\pi\epsilon_0 \left(\frac{1}{2} m_\alpha v_\alpha^2\right)} \cdot \frac{1}{R} \Rightarrow R = \frac{e^2 z_1 z_2}{4\pi\epsilon_0 \left(\frac{1}{2} m_\alpha v_\alpha^2\right)}$

↳  $R \approx 4.6 \times 10^{-4} \text{\AA}$

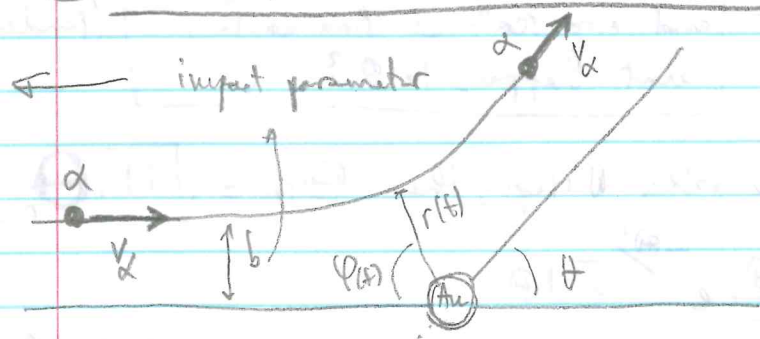
Idea

↳ All the mass & positive charge are in a tiny volume at the center of an atom  
 ↳ "nuclear" atom

Detailed Calculations...

3) Rutherford's Detailed Calculations

Assumptions:



- ↳ ignore  $e^-$  scattering
- ↳ non-relativistic
- ↳ scattering from heavy atom  $\rightarrow$  ignore recoil
- ↳  $v_i = v_f$  (or)
- ↳  $\alpha$  particles never enter nucleus
- ↳  $\alpha$  are uniformly distributed across the foil

Idea

- 1) Use Newton's laws to find  $\theta(b)$
- 2) Determine  $N(b)db = dN$

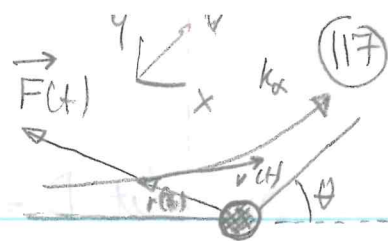
↳ Determine  $N(\theta)d\theta$ ...

Solution for a single collision

- 1) Conserv. of  $E \Rightarrow v_\alpha = v_\alpha'$
- 2) Conserv. of  $L \Rightarrow \tau = \vec{r} \times \vec{F}$  for radial force  
 $L = m v r_\perp = m v_\perp r$
- 3)  $F = ma$

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b) (Cont) Solution for a single particle



$$|\vec{L}| = |\vec{r} \times \vec{p}| = |\vec{r} \times m\vec{v}|$$

$$= r m v \sin\beta \text{ or } r v r \sin\beta$$

$$= \boxed{m v_{\perp} r} = \boxed{m v r_{\perp}}$$

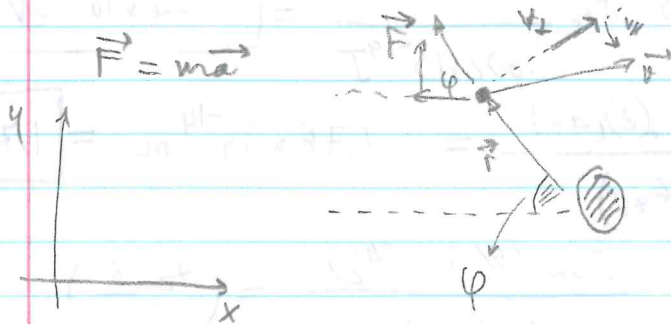
$$|\vec{F}| = \frac{z_1 z_2}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \frac{1}{r^2}$$

$$\vec{\tau} = \vec{r} \times \vec{F} = \vec{0} \Rightarrow \vec{L} \text{ const}$$

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Initially ( $t = -\infty$ )  $r_{\perp} = b \Rightarrow \boxed{L = m_{\alpha} v_{\alpha} b}$  (const thru motion)

Goal -  
Find  $v_y(t \rightarrow \infty)$   
 $v_{\alpha} \sin\theta$



$L = m_{\alpha} r \cdot v_{\perp}$  → does not depend on how  $r$  is changing

$$L = m_{\alpha} r \cdot \left( r \cdot \frac{d\phi}{dt} \right) \rightarrow r\omega = v$$

$$\Rightarrow \boxed{L = m_{\alpha} r^2 \cdot \frac{d\phi}{dt} = m_{\alpha} v_{\alpha} b}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{d\phi}{dt} = \frac{v_{\alpha} b}{r^2} \Rightarrow \boxed{\frac{1}{r^2} = \frac{1}{v_{\alpha} b} \cdot \frac{d\phi}{dt}}$$

$$f_y = \frac{e^2}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \frac{z_1 z_2}{r^2} \cdot \sin\phi = m_{\alpha} \frac{dv_y}{dt} \Rightarrow \int \frac{e^2}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \frac{z_1 z_2}{v_{\alpha} b} \cdot \frac{d\phi}{dt} = \int m_{\alpha} \frac{dv_y}{dt}$$

$$\frac{1}{r^2} = \frac{1}{v_{\alpha} b} \cdot \frac{d\phi}{dt}$$

$$\int_{\theta}^{\pi-\theta} \frac{e^2}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \frac{z_1 z_2}{v_{\alpha} b m_{\alpha}} \sin\phi \, d\phi = \int_{v_y=0}^{v_y} dv_y$$

$$v_{\alpha} \cdot \sin\theta = \frac{e^2}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \frac{z_1 z_2}{\frac{1}{2} m_{\alpha} v_{\alpha}} \cdot \frac{1}{2b} \Rightarrow \boxed{\sin\theta = \frac{e^2}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \frac{z_1 z_2}{k_{\alpha}} \frac{1}{2b} (1 + \cos\theta)}$$

$$\cdot [-\cos(\pi-\theta) + \cos 0]$$

$$k_{\alpha} = \frac{e^2}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \frac{Z_1 Z_2}{D}$$

Let  $D = \frac{e^2}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \frac{Z_1 Z_2}{k_{\alpha}} \Rightarrow \boxed{\sin\theta = D \cdot \frac{1}{2b} (1 + \cos\theta)}$

Example Silver  $Z_2 = 47$   $k_{\alpha} = 7.71 \text{ MeV}$   
 $v_{\alpha} = 1.92 \times 10^7 \text{ m/s}$

$$\frac{e^2}{4\pi\epsilon_0} = 2.31 \times 10^{-28} \text{ Nm}^2 = 2.31 \times 10^{-28} \text{ Jm}$$

$$= 2.31 \times 10^{-28} \text{ Jm} \frac{1 \text{ eV}}{1.602 \times 10^{-19} \text{ J}} = \boxed{1.44 \times 10^{-9} \text{ eVm}}$$

$$D = \frac{(1.44 \times 10^{-9} \text{ eVm}) (2)(47)}{(7.71 \times 10^6 \text{ eV})} = 1.76 \times 10^{-14} \text{ m} = \boxed{1.76 \times 10^{-4} \text{ \AA}}$$

$$\frac{\sin\theta}{1 + \cos\theta} = \frac{D}{2b} = \frac{2 \sin(\theta/2) \cos(\theta/2)}{2 \cos^2(\theta/2)} = \left( \frac{\tan\theta}{2} \right)$$

$$\Rightarrow \boxed{\tan \frac{\theta}{2} = \frac{D}{2b}}$$

c) The Angular distribution function  $\Rightarrow \boxed{\cot \frac{\theta}{2} = \frac{2b}{D}}$

Use this relation to relate  $N(\theta)d\theta$  to  $N(b)db$

corresponding interval...

$$\Rightarrow db = \frac{db}{d\theta} d\theta = \frac{d}{d\theta} \left( \frac{D}{2} \cot \frac{\theta}{2} \right) d\theta$$

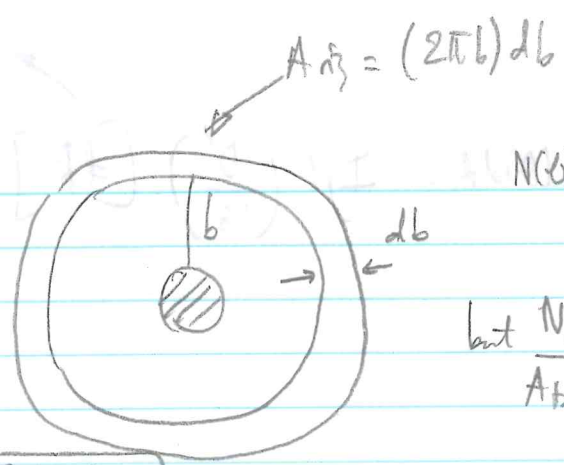
$$= \frac{-D}{4} \frac{1}{\sin^2 \frac{\theta}{2}} d\theta$$

$$\Rightarrow N(\theta)d\theta = -N(b)db$$

(As  $\theta$  increases)  $b \uparrow \rightarrow \theta \downarrow$  (less deflection)

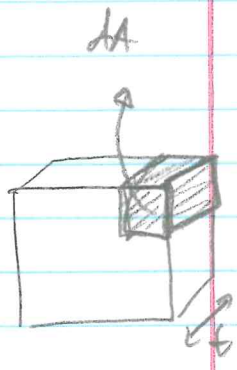
What is  $N(b)db$ ?

Read-on view



$$N(b)db = \frac{A_{\text{ring}} \cdot N_{\text{atoms}}}{A_{\text{target}}}$$

but  $\frac{N_{\text{atoms}}}{A_{\text{target}}} = \text{density!}$



$$N(b)db = n \cdot (2\pi b)db$$

[# of atoms/unit area] = [# atom in foil/unit area]  $m^2$   
thickness

$$n = \frac{\#}{m^3} \cdot \text{thickness} = \rho_{\text{at}} = n$$

(number density) =  $\frac{\text{mass density}}{\text{mass of atom}}$

$$\# \text{ density} = \frac{\rho_{\text{mass}}}{m_{\text{atom}}} = \rho_{\text{mass}} \cdot \frac{N_A}{m_{\text{mole}}}$$

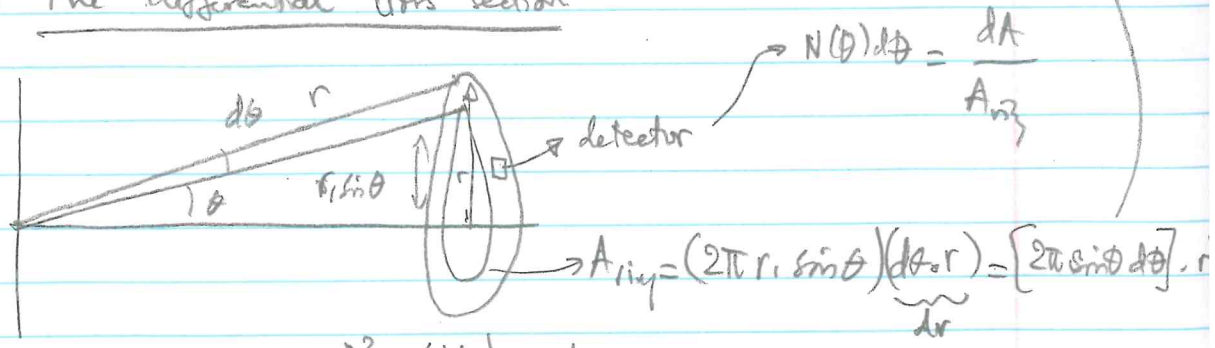
# incident particles

$$\Rightarrow N(b)db = I \cdot \rho_{\text{at}} \cdot (2\pi b)db$$

$$-N(\theta)d\theta = -I \cdot n \cdot \left(\frac{D^2}{8}\right) (2\pi) \frac{\cos(\theta/2)}{\sin^2(\theta/2)} db$$

$$N(\theta)d\theta = I \cdot \rho_{\text{at}} \cdot \frac{D^2}{16} \frac{2\pi \sin\theta d\theta}{\sin^4(\theta/2)}$$

d) The "differential cross section"



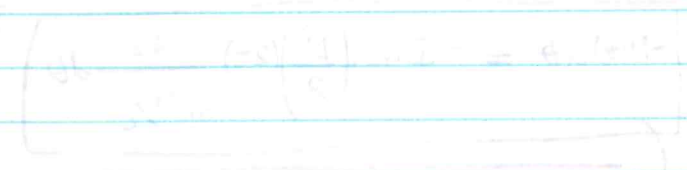
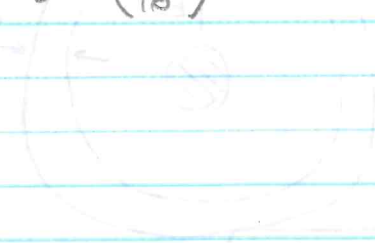
$$N(\theta)d\theta = \frac{dA}{A_{\text{ring}}}$$

$$\Rightarrow N(\theta)dA = I \cdot \rho_{\text{at}} \cdot \frac{D^2}{16} \cdot \left(\frac{dA}{r^2}\right) \cdot \frac{1}{\sin^4(\theta/2)}$$



$\frac{dA}{r^2} = \text{solid angle}$

$\rightarrow N(\theta)dA = I_0 \left( \frac{D^2}{16} \right) [dR] \frac{1}{\sin^4(\frac{\theta}{2})}$



Let's say that...



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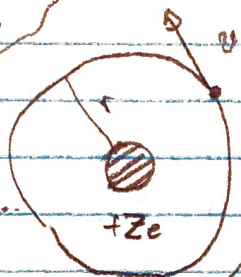
$\rightarrow N(\theta)dA = I \int \left(\frac{D^2}{16}\right) [dR] \frac{1}{\sin^4\left(\frac{\theta}{2}\right)}$

D. Bohr's Atomic Model

1) The "Rutherford Memorandum"

hydrogenic atom

with only 1e orbiting around...



$F = ma = \frac{mv^2}{r}, v = \omega r = 2\pi v r$

$= \frac{1}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \cdot \frac{Ze^2}{r^2} = \frac{mv^2}{r} = \frac{m(2\pi v r)^2}{r} = m 4\pi^2 v^2 \cdot r$

$E = \frac{1}{2}mv^2 + \left(\frac{-Ze^2}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \cdot \frac{1}{r}\right)$

$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{2}mv^2 = + \frac{1}{2} \frac{1}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \cdot \frac{Ze^2}{r} \rightarrow E = \frac{-1}{2} \frac{Ze^2}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \cdot \frac{1}{r} < 0$



$r = \frac{-1}{2} \frac{Ze^2}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \cdot \frac{1}{E} > 0$

$v^2 = \frac{1}{m 4\pi^2 r} \left(\frac{1}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \frac{Ze^2}{r^2}\right) = \frac{1}{4\pi^2} \left(\frac{Ze^2}{4\pi\epsilon_0}\right) \cdot \frac{1}{mr^3}$  Kepler's law

$|\vec{L}| = |\vec{r} \times \vec{p}| = |\vec{r} \times m\vec{v}| = r m v = 2\pi r^2 m v = |\vec{L}|$

a) Problem with the planetary model

lose E

① Electromagnetic instability  $\rightarrow$  accelerating charges radiate (E)  
 $\hookrightarrow e^-$  will "spiral in" to the nucleus...

② Mechanical instability  $\rightarrow$  planetary system w/ multiple planets stable  $\Leftrightarrow$  all forces are attractive.

③ No fundamental atomic length

Observation:  $\frac{\hbar^2}{m_e} \cdot \frac{1}{\frac{e^2}{4\pi\epsilon_0}} = \frac{(\hbar c)^2}{m_e c^2} \cdot \frac{1}{\frac{e^2}{4\pi\epsilon_0}} = 0.53 \text{ \AA} \dots$

↳ maybe Planck's constant is important in atoms too...

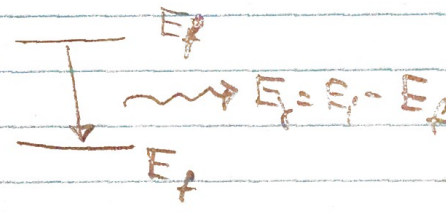
2) "The Trilogy" - 3 papers by Bohr

c) Bohr's understanding of the Balmer / Rydberg + Ritz formula.

$\nu = cR_H \left( \frac{1}{m^2} - \frac{1}{n^2} \right)$

puts h into the eq.

$E = h\nu = hcR_H \left( \frac{1}{m^2} - \frac{1}{n^2} \right) = -\Delta E = E_i - E_f$



This implies:  $E_n = -hcR_H \cdot \frac{1}{n^2}$  (\*)

works but only by adding an empirical constant  $R_H$  (Rydberg...)

b) The postulates different for different Z

what he actually wrote

- ① There are certain radii where an  $e^-$  can orbit w/o continuous radiation
- ② Transitions between 2 "stationary" states occur with the emission of 1 photon ( $E_\gamma = h\nu = E_i - E_f$ )

(\*)  $\Rightarrow r = \frac{1}{2} \left( \frac{Ze^2}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \right) \cdot \frac{n^2}{\hbar c R_H} = \frac{(\hbar c)^2}{2m_e c^2} \cdot \frac{1}{\left( \frac{e^2}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \right)} \cdot \frac{n^2}{Z^2}$

$\left\{ \nu^2 = \frac{1}{4\pi^2} \left( \frac{Z^2}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \right) \cdot \frac{1}{m} \cdot \left( \frac{\hbar c R_H}{n^2} \cdot \left( \frac{4\pi\epsilon_0}{Ze^2} \right) \cdot 2 \right)^3 \right.$

↳ ...

③ Correspondence principle

In the limit of  $n \gg 1$ , the behavior of a quantum system must be the same as a classical system...

allows us to find  $R_Z$

c) Deriv the Correspondence Principle to find  $R_Z$

rotating charge

A classical atom "emits" radiation @ frequency  $\nu$

$$\nu^2 = \frac{2}{\pi^2} \left( \frac{1}{\left(\frac{Ze^2}{4\pi\epsilon_0}\right)^2} \right) \cdot \frac{(h\nu)^3}{m_e n^6} \quad (n \gg 1 \rightarrow \nu \ll c)$$

A quantum atom emits:

$$\nu = \frac{E_n - E_{n-1}}{h} = \frac{hcR_Z}{h} \left( \frac{-1}{n^2} + \frac{1}{(n-1)^2} \right)$$

$$\nu = cR_Z \left[ \frac{2n-1}{n^2(n-1)^2} \right]$$

As  $n \gg 1 \Rightarrow \nu = cR_Z \cdot \frac{2}{n^3}$

$\Rightarrow \nu_{n \rightarrow n-1}^2 = \frac{4c^2 R_Z^2}{n^6}$  whereas  $\nu^2 = \text{stuff} \cdot \left(\frac{R_Z^3}{Z}\right)$

$$R_Z = \left( \frac{Ze^2}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \right)^2 \cdot \frac{2\pi^2}{h^3 c^2} \cdot m_e c^2$$

no longer an empirical constant that depends on  $Z$

### d. Comparison of Empirical & Theoretical

1913:  $R_{exp} = 109,700 \text{ cm}^{-1}$   
 $R_{theory} = 103,300 \text{ cm}^{-1}$  ... not bad... because e was not known...

### e) Quantization of angular momentum

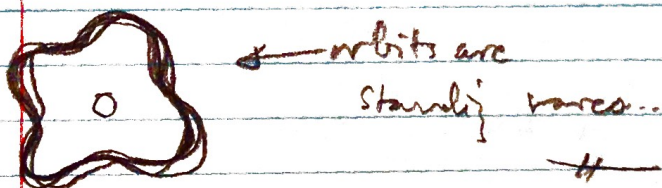
$$|L_n| = 2\pi m_e r_n^2 \omega = n\hbar = \frac{n\hbar}{2\pi} \Rightarrow \text{"quantization condition"}$$

### 3) de Broglie's understanding of the quantization condition

$$\lambda = \frac{h}{p} \leftrightarrow p = \frac{h}{\lambda}$$

$$L = rp = r \frac{h}{\lambda} = \frac{nh}{2\pi}$$

circumference of circle =  $n \cdot \text{wavelength}$   
 $2\pi r = n\lambda$   $\hookrightarrow$  standing wave ...



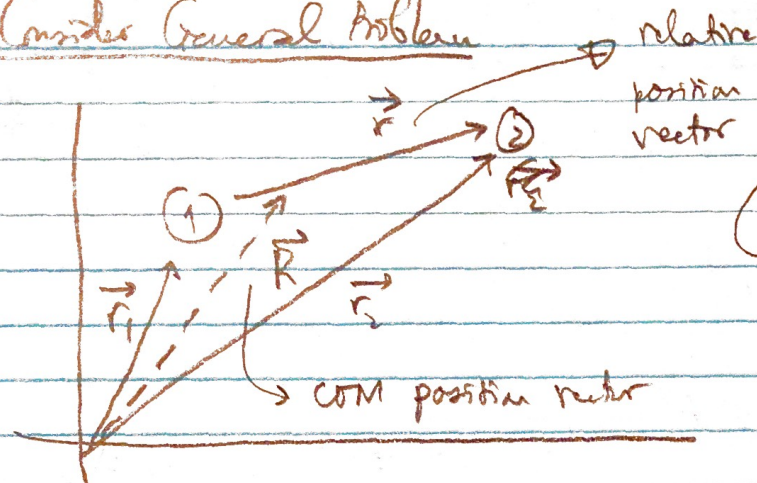
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### Molecular Rotation



Do these molecules exhibit the properties  $L = J\hbar$ ?

Consider General Problem



$$KE = \frac{1}{2} m_1 v_1^2 + \frac{1}{2} m_2 v_2^2$$

We want to express the energy in terms of ~~KE~~

$$\frac{dR}{dt} \quad \frac{dr}{dt}$$

$$\vec{r}_1 + \vec{r}_2 = \vec{r}_2 \Rightarrow \vec{r}_2 = \vec{r}_2 - \vec{r}_1$$

$$\vec{R} = \frac{m_1 \vec{r}_1 + m_2 \vec{r}_2}{m_1 + m_2} \Rightarrow (m_1 + m_2) \vec{R} = m_1 \vec{r}_1 + m_2 (\vec{r}_1 + \vec{r}) = (m_1 + m_2) \vec{r}_1 + m_2 \vec{r}$$

$$\vec{r}_1 = \vec{R} - \frac{m_2}{m_1 + m_2} \vec{r}$$

$$\vec{v}_1 = \vec{V}_{cm} - \frac{m_2}{m_1 + m_2} \vec{v}$$

$$\vec{v}_2 = \vec{V}_{cm} + \frac{m_1}{m_1 + m_2} \vec{v}$$

$$KE = \frac{1}{2} m_1 v_1^2 + \frac{1}{2} m_2 v_2^2 = \frac{1}{2} m_1 \left( v_{cm}^2 - \frac{2m_2}{m_1 + m_2} \vec{V}_{cm} \cdot \vec{v} + \left( \frac{m_2}{m_1 + m_2} \right)^2 v^2 \right) + \frac{1}{2} m_2 \left( v_{cm}^2 + \frac{2m_1}{m_1 + m_2} \vec{V}_{cm} \cdot \vec{v} + \left( \frac{m_1}{m_1 + m_2} \right)^2 v^2 \right)$$

$$KE = \frac{1}{2} (m_1 + m_2) v_{cm}^2 + \frac{1}{2} v^2 \frac{m_1 m_2^2 + m_2^2 m_1}{(m_1 + m_2)^2}$$

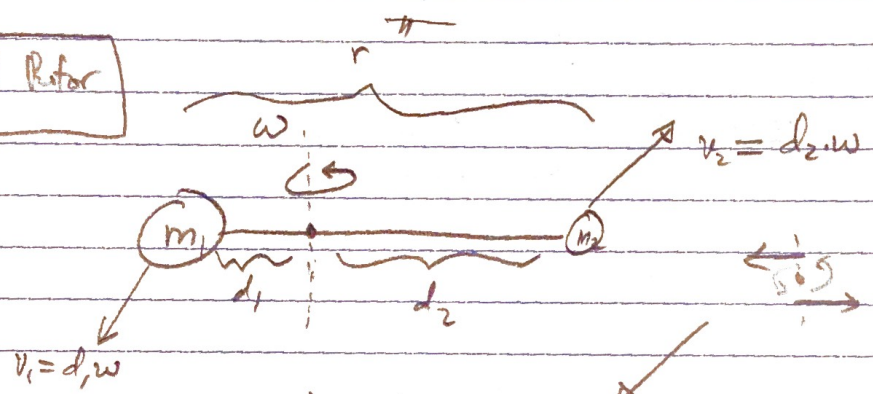
$$KE = \frac{1}{2} (m_1 + m_2) v_{cm}^2 + \frac{1}{2} \left( \frac{m_1 m_2}{m_1 + m_2} \right) v^2$$

(total mass)

$\mu =$  "reduced" mass

HCl  $\rightarrow \mu_{HCl} = \frac{35 \cdot 1}{35+1} = \frac{35}{36}$ ,  $\omega \rightarrow \mu_{\omega} = \frac{12 \cdot 16}{12+16} = 6.96$

**Rigid Rotor**

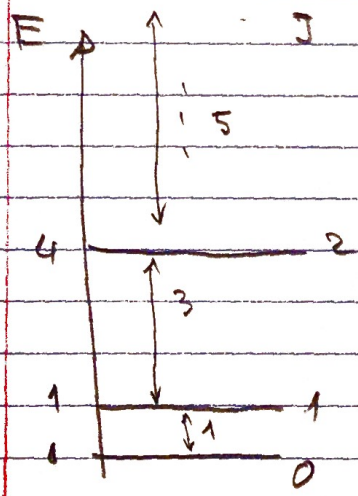


$\vec{v}_{rel} = \vec{v}_2 - \vec{v}_1 \Rightarrow |\vec{v}_{rel}| = v_2 + v_1 = \omega(d_1 + d_2) = \omega \cdot d = \omega r$

$KE = \frac{1}{2} M v_{cm}^2 + \frac{1}{2} \mu v_{rel}^2 = \frac{1}{2} M v_{cm}^2 + \frac{1}{2} \mu \omega^2 r^2$   
 $I = m_1 d_1^2 + m_2 d_2^2$   
 $= \frac{1}{2} I \omega^2$

$L = I\omega = J\hbar$  ← quantization condition

$\omega = \frac{J\hbar}{\mu r^2} \Rightarrow KE_{rotation} = \frac{1}{2} (\mu r^2) \omega^2 = \frac{1}{2} \frac{\hbar^2}{\mu r^2} J^2 = KE$



$\Delta E_{J/J+1} = \frac{\hbar^2}{2\mu r^2} [(J+1)^2 - J^2]$

$\Delta E_{J/J+1} = \frac{\hbar^2}{2\mu r^2} (2J+1)$

$\Delta J_{J/J+1} = \frac{\Delta E_{J/J+1}}{\hbar} = \frac{\hbar}{4\mu r^2} + \frac{\hbar}{2\mu r^2} J$  ← slope

$\hbar = \frac{h}{2\pi}$

$\frac{h}{8\pi^2 \mu r^2}$   
 $\downarrow$   
 $h$

twice a

$$\Delta V_{HCl} = a + bJ = \frac{h}{4\pi \mu r^2} + \frac{h}{(2\pi)^2 \mu r^2} J$$

$$b = \frac{h}{(2\pi)^2 \mu r^2} \Rightarrow r^2 = \frac{1}{4\pi^2 \mu b}$$

$$\mu = \frac{35}{36} \cdot (1.66 \times 10^{-27} \text{ kg})$$

$$b = 6.52 \times 10^{-11} \text{ J}$$

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

$$r \approx 1.3 \text{ \AA}$$

HCl

Something for CO  $r \approx 1.13 \text{ \AA}$  (smaller in r than HCl)

★ Problem Bohr:  $|\vec{L}| = Jh$  ← Bohr's h...

$$\Rightarrow \Delta V = a + bJ, \text{ where } b \approx 2a$$

But the correct quantum theory  $\Rightarrow |\vec{L}| = \sqrt{J(J+1)}h$

$$K = \frac{1}{2} I \omega^2 = \frac{1}{2} (\mu r^2) \omega^2 = \frac{1}{2} \frac{h^2}{\mu r^2} (J(J+1)) = K$$

$$\hookrightarrow \frac{1}{2} \frac{L^2}{I} \rightarrow \mu^2$$

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$$E_n = -\frac{hcRz}{n^2} = -\left(\frac{Z^2}{4\pi\epsilon_0}\right) \frac{m_e \cdot c}{2h} \frac{1}{n^2} \approx \boxed{-13.6 \text{ eV} \frac{Z^2}{n^2}}$$

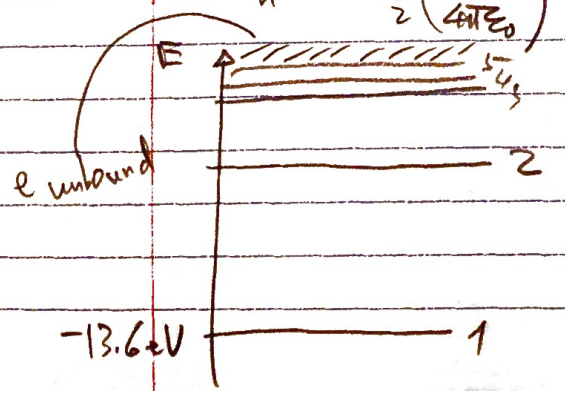
$$E = KE + U$$

$$= -\frac{U}{2}$$

$$R_1 = \left(\frac{e}{4\pi\epsilon_0}\right)^2 \frac{m_e c^2}{4\pi (hc)^3}$$

$$r_n = -\frac{1}{2} \left(\frac{Z^2}{4\pi\epsilon_0}\right) \frac{1}{E_n} = \frac{(hc)^2}{m_e c^2} \frac{1}{\left(\frac{e^2}{4\pi\epsilon_0}\right)} \cdot \frac{n^2}{Z^2}$$

$$v = \frac{\Delta E}{h} = cR \left( \frac{1}{n_f^2} - \frac{1}{n_i^2} \right)$$



$L \rightarrow$   
 Balmer: 2→1, 3→1, 4→1  
 B: 3→2  
 (?): ...



line structure constant

Define  $\frac{e^2}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \cdot \frac{1}{\hbar c} = \alpha \approx \frac{1}{137}$ ,  $a_0 = \frac{(\hbar c)^2}{\left(\frac{e^2}{4\pi\epsilon_0}\right) (m_e c^2)} = 0.529 \times 10^{-10} \text{ m}$

$\Rightarrow E = -\frac{1}{2} (m_e c^2) \alpha^2 \frac{1}{n^2} = 0.529 \text{ \AA}$

$\Rightarrow r_n = \frac{a_0 n^2}{Z}$

Bohr radius

E. Extension to the Bohr hydrogen model

① Isotope Shift "The Pickering lines" - 1896

↳ looked into stars → see spectrum → H

(Bohr 1913) but didn't agree with Bohr...

↳ Spectra corresponds to  $Z=2$ ,  $R_2 = 4R_1$

↳ Spectral line from single ionized He

However, the real ratio is  $4.0016$

Bohr's model not really true because  $e^-$  &  $p^+$  orbit around their COM

(needs small correction)

a) Reduced mass & the hydrogen spectrum

↳  $p^+$  &  $e^-$  really orbit their mutual COM

Bohr:  $E = -\frac{U}{2}$       Reality:  $E = \frac{1}{2} (m_e + m_p) v_{\text{COM}}^2 + \frac{1}{2} \mu_{\text{rel}} v_{\text{rel}}^2 - \frac{Z^2 e^2}{4\pi\epsilon_0 r_{\text{rel}}}$

$\frac{m_e m_p}{m_e + m_p}$

KE

PE

⇒ have to change  $m_e \Rightarrow \mu_H$

COM motion

internal motion

Rydberg constant for H

$R_\infty$

$R_H = \frac{\mu_H}{m_e} R_\infty \approx \frac{\mu_H}{m_e} R_\infty$

$(1 + m_e/m_p)$

infinite mass nucleus ...

↑ quantized ...

Bohr's problem  
↳ ∞ mass nucleus...

$$E_n = -\frac{1}{2} (\mu_H c^2) Z^2 \alpha^2 \frac{1}{n^2}$$

$$r_n = \frac{a_0 m_e}{Z \mu_H} n^2$$

1) The Ritz lines

$$\frac{E_{He^+}}{E_H} = \frac{4 R_{He}}{1 \cdot R_H} = \frac{4}{(1 + \frac{m_e}{m_d})} \cdot \frac{(1 + \frac{m_e}{m_p})}{1} \approx 4 \cdot \left(1 + \frac{m_e}{m_p}\right) \left(1 - \frac{m_e}{m_d}\right)$$

$$\approx 4 \cdot \left(1 + \frac{m_e}{m_p} - \frac{m_e}{m_d}\right)$$

binomial exp...  
↓

$\frac{1}{1836}$        $\frac{1}{7299}$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{E_{He^+}}{E_H} \approx 4.00163$$

This is what really was...

c. "Exotic" atoms

1) Deuterium → hydrogen with  $m = 2u$  nucleus

$$\frac{E_D}{E_H} = \frac{1 \cdot R_D}{1 \cdot R_H} = \left(1 + \frac{m_e}{m_p} - \frac{m_e}{m_D}\right)$$

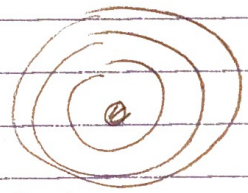
2) Positronium →  $(e^- - e^+)$  bound

$$\mu = \frac{1}{2} m_e \rightarrow \frac{E_P}{E_H} \approx \frac{1}{2} ; r_{p0} = 2 a_0 n^2$$

3) Muonium  $(p^+ + \mu^-)$  bound

↳ Experiment shows theory not really correct...?

2. Multi-electron atoms



a) Orbits = energy levels

b) X-ray spectra and Moseley's Law

Bohr's theory:  $E_{i \rightarrow f} \propto Z^2$

correction... ( $\approx 1$ )

Moseley's Experiment  $\rightarrow$  x-ray lines  $E_x = A(Z - \sigma)^2$

$10.2 \text{ eV} = \frac{3}{4} h c R_{\infty}$

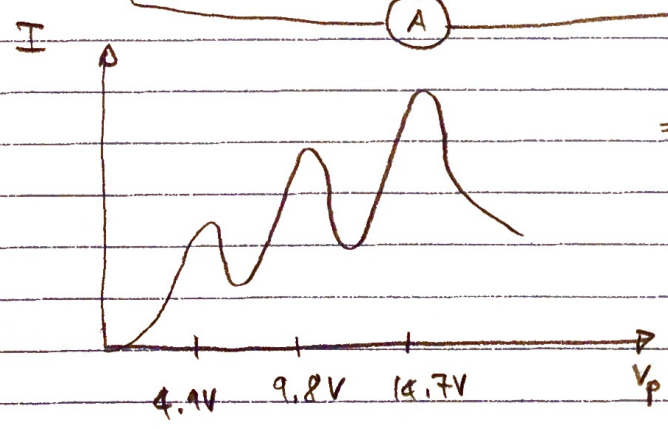
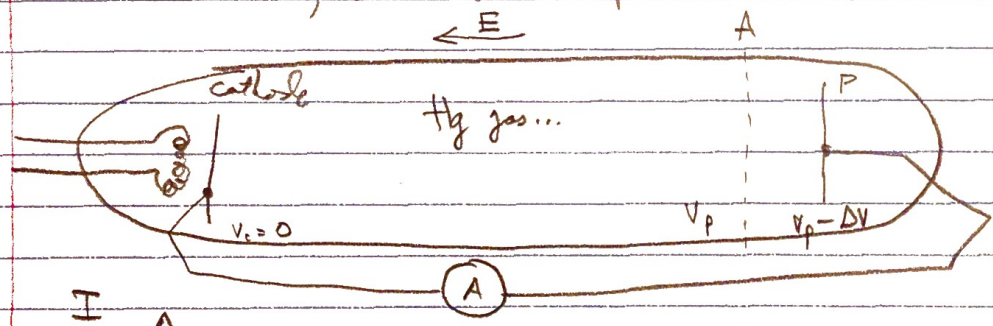
all atoms are Bohr's atoms if look at inner electrons...

(Heinrich Hertz's nephew...)

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c) The Franck-Hertz experiment (1914)

looking at the behavior of electrons that collide with atoms



$\Rightarrow$  Indicates electrons suffer inelastic collisions and lose energy - but only for  $k \geq 4.9 \text{ V}$

evidence of quantized energy levels w/o optics...

A glance ahead to PH242

① Wave-particle duality  
↳ particles are described by localized waves  
↳ superpositions of wavelengths  $\lambda$ 's ( $\lambda = \frac{h}{p}$ )  
⇒ The uncertainty principle

② Quantized energy & angular momentum      ↳ Schrodinger equations

PH242 ⇒ about putting these two sets of ideas together.

EXAM

Saturday 16<sup>th</sup>, 2014 : 1:30 pm - 4:30 pm (keyes 105)

Format      ↳ Questions (5-10pts each)      60pts total  
                 ↳ Problems (20pt each)      60pts total      } 120 total

Overweighting of topics after midterm

{ de Broglie      { Rutherford  
  Uncertainty      { Bohr  
  Wavepackets